

**Table 768. U.S. Firms—Ownership by Gender, Ethnicity, Race, and Veteran Status: 2007**

[27,110 represents 27,110,000. Based on the 2007 Survey of Business Owners, preliminary data; see text, this section and Appendix III]

Group	All firms <sup>1</sup>		Firms with paid employees			
	Firms (1,000)	Sales and receipts (bil. dol.)	Firms (1,000)	Sales and receipts (bil. dol.)	Employees (1,000)	Annual payroll (bil. dol.)
All firms . . . . .	27,110	30,181	5,753	29,209	118,669	4,887
Female . . . . .	7,793	1,193	911	1,010	7,587	218
Male . . . . .	13,911	8,513	3,237	7,944	41,582	1,534
Equally male/female . . . . .	4,602	1,282	1,051	1,099	8,154	219
Hispanic <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2,260	345	249	275	1,936	55
Equally Hispanic <sup>2</sup> /non-Hispanic . . . . .	243	56	47	47	379	11
Non-Hispanic . . . . .	23,804	10,586	4,903	9,732	55,009	1,906
Minority . . . . .	5,763	1,029	768	864	5,917	168
Equally minority/nonminority . . . . .	436	110	86	94	699	22
Nonminority . . . . .	20,107	9,849	4,345	9,095	50,707	1,781
Veteran . . . . .	2,449	1,233	492	1,139	5,889	214
Equally veteran/nonveteran . . . . .	1,221	422	271	373	2,486	76
Nonveteran . . . . .	22,636	9,333	4,436	8,542	48,948	1,682
White . . . . .	22,600	10,270	4,647	9,435	53,138	1,851
Black or African American . . . . .	1,922	137	107	99	920	24
American Indian and Alaska Native . . . . .	237	34	24	28	191	6
Asian . . . . .	1,553	514	399	461	2,869	82
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander . . . . .	39	7	4	6	43	1
Some other race . . . . .	81	18	14	15	87	2
Publicly held and other firms <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	804	19,193	554	19,155	61,346	2,915
Classifiable firms <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	26,306	10,988	5,199	10,053	57,323	1,972

<sup>1</sup> Both firms with paid employees and firms with no paid employees. <sup>2</sup> An Hispanic firm may be of any race and therefore may be included in more than one race group. <sup>3</sup> Publicly held and other firms not classifiable by gender, ethnicity, race, and veteran status. <sup>4</sup> All firms classifiable by gender, ethnicity, race, and veteran status.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners; <<http://www.census.gov/econ/sbo/>>.

**Table 769. Women-Owned Firms by Kind of Business: 2007**

[7,793 represents 7,793,000. See headnote, Table 768]

Kind of business	2007 NAICS code <sup>1</sup>	All firms <sup>2</sup>		Firms with paid employees			
		Firms (1,000)	Sales and receipts (mil. dol.)	Firms (1,000)	Sales and receipts (mil. dol.)	Employees (1,000)	Annual payroll (mil. dol.)
<b>Total</b> <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	<b>(X)</b>	<b>7,793</b>	<b>1,192,781</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>1,010,470</b>	<b>7,587</b>	<b>218,136</b>
Forestry, fishing and hunting, and agricultural support services . . . . .	113–115	27	2,053	2	1,318	10	273
Mining . . . . .	21	18	11,574	2	10,725	23	1,033
Utilities . . . . .	22	4	1,928	(Z)	1,862	2	82
Construction . . . . .	23	269	97,527	54	88,499	496	21,317
Manufacturing . . . . .	31–33	113	109,056	34	106,787	574	20,746
Wholesale trade . . . . .	42	133	250,034	39	245,085	388	16,476
Retail trade . . . . .	44–45	919	181,233	127	162,094	829	17,730
Transportation and warehousing <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	48–49	142	32,679	19	27,723	216	7,069
Information . . . . .	51	97	26,287	9	24,214	122	6,415
Finance and insurance <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	52	201	32,662	35	25,278	166	7,162
Real estate and rental and leasing . . . . .	53	658	58,775	57	29,252	184	5,769
Professional, scientific, and technical services . . . . .	54	1,096	107,619	143	77,977	642	28,870
Management of companies and enterprises . . . . .	55	2	2,840	2	2,840	51	3,483
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services . . . . .	56	786	66,151	64	54,401	1,156	26,930
Educational services . . . . .	61	276	9,888	17	6,886	130	2,638
Health care and social assistance . . . . .	62	1,232	93,472	128	70,353	1,141	29,415
Arts, entertainment, and recreation . . . . .	71	376	16,514	19	9,769	115	3,063
Accommodation and food services . . . . .	72	192	47,491	86	44,217	967	12,384
Other services (except public administration) <sup>6</sup> . . . . .	81	1,252	44,815	77	21,007	368	7,224
Industries not classified . . . . .	99	3	184	3	184	4	57

X Not applicable. Z Less than 500. <sup>1</sup> Based on the 2007 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS); see text, this section. <sup>2</sup> Both firms with paid employees and firms with no paid employees. <sup>3</sup> Firms with more than one establishment are counted in each industry in which they operate, but only once in the total. <sup>4</sup> Excludes scheduled passenger air transportation (NAICS 481111), rail transportation (NAICS 482), and the postal service (NAICS 491). <sup>5</sup> Excludes funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles (NAICS 525). <sup>6</sup> Excludes religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations (NAICS 813) and private households (NAICS 814).

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Women-Owned Firms; <<http://www.census.gov/econ/sbo/>>.