



Table 1. Firms and Employment in Missouri by Industry and Firm Size (Thousands), 2000

Industry	Non-employer Firms	Employer Firms		Employment	
		Total	<500	Total	<500
Total	311.8	118.1	115.2	2,399.0	1,190.1
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting	4.2	0.3	0.3	1.5	1.4
Mining	0.4	0.2	0.2	5.1	2.7
Utilities	0.3	0.2	0.1	17.2	3.1
Construction	43.3	15.5	15.4	142.3	121.3
Manufacturing	5.0	6.7	6.2	347.8	132.9
Wholesale trade	6.7	7.8	7.2	145.5	81.7
Retail trade	38.2	16.2	15.7	317.8	147.9
Transportation and warehousing	16.2	4.5	4.3	86.9	36.6
Information	3.3	1.5	1.3	82.4	18.9
Finance and insurance	14.3	5.7	5.5	130.4	44.1
Real estate; rental and leasing	30.9	4.9	4.8	36.6	25.5
Professional, scientific, and technical services	34.6	11.6	11.4	119.2	77.7
Management of companies and enterprises	N/A	0.8	0.4	58.3	6.1
Admin., support, waste mgnt., and remed., services	18.8	5.9	5.7	148.5	61.1
Educational services	4.4	1.2	1.1	58.4	27.7
Health care and social assistance	25.6	10.3	10.1	323.8	148.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	11.9	1.9	1.8	33.7	21.5
Accommodation and food services	3.6	8.1	7.9	211.8	126.8
Other services	50.0	15.2	15.1	115.1	101.4
Auxiliary, except corp, subsidiary, and regional managing offices	N/A	0.2	0.1	14.4	1.1
Unclassified	N/A	1.6	1.6	2.2	2.2

\*Data suppressed to protect the confidentiality of individual firms.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Census Bureau.

Table 2. Non-farm Establishment Job Gains and Losses by Firm Size, 1999–2000

	Total	Firm Size	
		1–19	1–499
Gains:			
New establishments	121.8	36.0	69.3
Expanding establishments	238.1	65.9	139.1
Losses:			
Downsized establishments	(210.7)	(38.9)	(102.0)
Closed establishments	(108.2)	(33.8)	(62.2)
Net change in employment	41.0	29.2	44.1

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Statistics of U.S. Businesses, 2000.

Table 3. Number of Banks in Missouri by Asset Size, 1998–2002

					Number of Banks by Asset Size, 2002				
1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	Below \$100M	\$100M–\$500M	\$500–\$1B	\$1B–\$10B	Over \$10B
397	377	363	354	350	216	116	9	8	1

Source: U.S. Small Business Administration, Office of Advocacy, from data collected by the Federal Reserve Board.

The full list of small-business-friendly banks can be found on the Office of Advocacy's website at [www.sba.gov/advo/lending](http://www.sba.gov/advo/lending).