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Unit response rates, by industry: 2017

(Number and percent)

Industry	NAICS code	Active reporting units ^a	Reporting units that met the response criteria (%) ^b
All industries	11, 21–23, 31–33, 42–81	737,000	69.0
Manufacturing industries	31–33	64,500	68.1
Food	311	5,400	63.3
Beverage and tobacco products	312	2,400	67.7
Textile, apparel, and leather products	313–16	4,600	63.0
Wood products	321	3,100	67.8
Paper	322	1,000	69.1
Printing and related support activities	323	5,600	68.6
Petroleum and coal products	324	400	65.8
Chemicals	325	4,000	68.1
Pesticide, fertilizer, and other agricultural chemicals	3253	400	66.8
Pharmaceuticals and medicines	3254	800	66.2
Soap, cleaning compound, and toilet preparation	3256	700	66.4
Other chemicals	other 325	2,100	69.6
Plastics and rubber products	326	2,700	71.9
Nonmetallic mineral products	327	2,800	66.2
Primary metals	331	1,100	68.5
Fabricated metal products	332	8,800	71.5
Machinery	333	4,200	71.1
Computer and electronic products	334	4,000	68.8
Communications equipment	3342	550	67.0
Semiconductor and other electronic components	3344	1,200	70.3
Navigational, measuring, electromedical, and control instruments	3345	1,600	69.9
Other computer and electronic products	other 334	700	64.9
Electrical equipment, appliances, and components	335	1,700	69.9
Transportation equipment	336	3,100	69.0
Automobiles, bodies, trailers, and parts	3361–63	1,800	70.1
Aerospace products and parts	3364	600	70.5
Other transportation	other 336	700	65.2
Furniture and related products	337	3,600	68.2
Miscellaneous	339	5,700	66.6
Medical equipment and supplies	3391	2,100	67.7
Other miscellaneous manufacturing	3399	3,600	65.9
Nonmanufacturing industries	11, 21–23, 42–81	672,000	69.0
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting	11	5,000	73.5
Mining, extraction, and support activities	21	4,600	66.2
Utilities	22	1,100	65.8
Construction	23	79,000	69.9
Wholesale trade	42	40,000	66.2
Retail trade	44–45	100,000	67.7
Transportation and warehousing	48–49	30,500	63.9
Information	51	17,000	66.2
Publishing	511	4,700	68.8
Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers	5111	2,600	68.6
Software publishers	5112	2,100	69.0
Telecommunications	517	2,500	56.6
Data processing, hosting, and related services	518	2,700	68.3

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Other information	other 51	7,200	67.0
Finance and insurance	52	31,000	73.6
Real estate and rental and leasing	53	33,000	69.3
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	533	850	65.7
Other real estate and rental and leasing	other 53	32,000	69.4
Professional, scientific, and technical services	54	110,000	75.0
Legal services	5411	21,500	76.5
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	5412	14,000	79.9
Architectural, engineering, and related services	5413	13,500	80.8
Specialized design services	5414	5,700	75.1
Computer systems design and related services	5415	14,000	72.9
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	5416	17,000	71.9
Scientific research and development services	5417	9,300	68.3
Advertising, public relations, and related services	5418	6,500	72.2
Other professional, scientific, and technical services	5419	9,200	73.3
Management of companies and enterprises	55	700	61.4
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	56	37,500	69.1
Educational services	61	8,700	69.8
Health care and social assistance	62	63,500	71.8
Health care services	621-23	53,500	73.1
Social assistance	624	10,500	64.9
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	71	14,500	66.6
Accommodation and food services	72	53,500	59.9
Other services	81	42,500	67.1

NAICS = 2017 North American Industry Classification System.

^a Active reporting units are defined as reporting units of active companies that are in the scope of the survey after all data have been processed.^b Reporting units were considered to have fulfilled the response criteria if they provided the number of owners, paid owners, and employees.**Source(s):**

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Business Survey, 2017.