

TABLE 53

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(Number and percent)

Industry	NAICS code	All companies	Core production	Distribution and logistics	Marketing, sales/ after sales services	Administrative or management functions	Research and development	Engineering and other technical services	Information and communication technology services	All other operating activities
All industries	11, 21–23, 31–33, 42–81	4,865,616	14.1	12.1	16.5	13.0	3.8	5.8	11.3	7.8
Manufacturing industries	31–33	213,833	22.2	32.1	17.1	12.1	5.9	12.2	15.5	8.3
Food	311	18,385	13.0	27.5	17.3	11.2	4.5	6.2	10.9	6.6
Beverage and tobacco products	312	9,314	17.2	39.1	24.7	15.6	3.2	7.2	11.6	7.8
Textile, apparel, and leather products	313–16	9,850	21.2	24.4	14.1	9.3	3.8	5.8	9.0	5.1
Wood products	321	10,237	11.2	26.3	11.5	9.4	3.0	8.2	11.1	6.1
Paper	322	1,907	21.1	40.5	14.8	14.9	5.1	10.3	21.6	9.2
Printing and related support activities	323	20,357	30.5	31.8	13.8	10.9	2.2	3.4	11.9	7.9
Petroleum and coal products	324	463	28.1	40.0	11.2	14.3	9.3	26.6	22.9	13.4
Chemicals	325	8,095	20.4	46.8	25.5	14.9	14.9	17.3	23.2	10.1
Pesticide, fertilizer, and other agricultural chemicals	3253	514	15.6	45.7	23.2	11.9	10.7	16.9	20.2	7.4
Pharmaceuticals and medicines	3254	1,417	27.0	47.4	32.2	20.8	22.5	23.9	25.5	12.1
Soap, cleaning compound, and toilet preparation	3256	1,807	20.8	45.3	28.2	12.3	10.5	10.3	26.6	10.6
Other chemicals	other 325	4,357	18.5	47.4	22.6	14.4	14.8	18.0	21.5	9.5
Plastics and rubber products	326	7,478	21.2	44.4	22.9	14.8	10.5	19.3	20.3	8.4
Nonmetallic mineral products	327	7,300	13.0	25.0	15.0	10.0	3.8	13.8	15.1	6.8
Primary metals	331	2,394	22.3	37.3	18.5	12.9	7.4	19.4	22.4	10.4
Fabricated metal products	332	46,992	18.7	28.5	12.9	10.2	3.9	12.4	15.9	8.3
Machinery	333	18,052	30.8	42.5	22.9	15.2	8.5	21.3	22.9	12.7
Computer and electronic products	334	8,732	33.9	38.2	23.8	16.2	15.5	27.1	20.1	11.9
Communications equipment	3342	836	35.0	40.2	25.8	10.3	14.1	19.1	15.8	11.2
Semiconductor and other electronic components	3344	2,773	33.1	36.6	23.2	17.2	10.5	23.2	23.1	12.1
Navigational, measuring, electromedical, and control instruments	3345	3,753	35.7	39.2	24.4	16.7	19.6	32.8	21.4	11.7
Other computer and electronic products	other 334	1,369	29.4	37.5	21.8	16.2	15.2	24.2	13.1	12.2
Electrical equipment, appliances, and components	335	4,064	30.5	44.7	24.9	15.1	15.5	26.6	23.3	12.9
Transportation equipment	336	7,786	26.3	37.2	19.4	13.2	9.7	18.3	22.0	8.3
Automobiles, bodies, trailers, and parts	3361–63	5,054	26.1	38.9	19.7	12.4	9.4	17.6	23.9	7.6
Aerospace products and parts	3364	994	28.4	37.8	17.1	14.8	12.1	23.3	22.9	13.3

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Other transportation	other 336	1,738	25.6	32.0	19.9	14.9	9.6	17.3	15.8	7.9
Furniture and related products	337	12,594	19.1	19.8	12.8	9.9	2.6	4.6	10.1	6.2
Miscellaneous	339	19,761	29.5	29.9	18.0	13.8	6.7	12.0	13.5	7.7
Medical equipment and supplies	3391	7,588	29.9	30.1	16.4	13.3	8.9	12.2	12.0	8.6
Other miscellaneous manufacturing	3399	12,172	29.3	29.8	19.0	14.1	5.4	12.0	14.5	7.2
Nonmanufacturing industries	11, 21–23, 42–81	4,651,784	13.7	11.2	16.5	13.1	3.7	5.5	11.1	7.7
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting	11	21,859	10.9	11.3	7.2	7.9	1.8	3.5	3.6	5.4
Mining, extraction, and support activities	21	15,323	13.3	17.6	8.2	13.5	5.0	11.8	12.8	8.8
Utilities	22	2,729	11.4	9.6	9.2	12.0	4.7	15.4	11.5	10.2
Construction	23	627,170	16.8	10.8	11.2	10.0	1.7	9.2	7.7	6.9
Wholesale trade	42	246,019	31.3	39.7	24.6	17.1	10.7	14.0	16.3	10.9
Retail trade	44–45	548,126	20.7	20.9	21.4	11.6	4.1	4.2	9.9	7.7
Transportation and warehousing	48–49	160,599	8.7	21.6	9.4	11.8	2.2	2.6	8.8	7.8
Information	51	63,631	20.0	12.9	21.0	18.6	7.9	12.7	17.3	10.7
Publishing	511	17,644	29.0	23.7	25.6	19.9	12.2	15.6	20.1	11.6
Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers	5111	9,186	33.7	34.2	21.5	14.8	4.6	5.1	19.0	8.7
Software publishers	5112	8,459	23.8	12.4	30.0	25.5	20.4	27.1	21.3	14.7
Telecommunications	517	7,670	17.6	10.9	18.3	12.9	5.5	14.9	16.5	9.2
Data processing, hosting, and related services	518	8,311	20.1	8.2	23.8	21.9	12.2	18.9	22.8	11.9
Other information	other 51	30,006	15.3	8.3	18.3	18.3	4.8	8.6	14.3	10.3
Finance and insurance	52	198,294	6.8	2.8	20.3	13.9	5.3	3.2	14.8	6.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	53	272,733	6.2	3.8	22.4	16.6	2.8	3.1	10.8	8.8
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	533	1,581	16.9	19.6	33.6	14.9	8.7	7.0	15.6	11.0
Other real estate and rental and leasing	other 53	271,153	6.1	3.7	22.4	16.6	2.8	3.1	10.7	8.8
Professional, scientific, and technical services	54	709,564	11.0	6.7	14.9	14.9	5.0	8.5	15.4	8.2
Legal services	5411	153,271	3.6	2.1	18.4	12.6	1.6	1.7	19.0	7.1
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	5412	106,909	5.2	1.5	8.0	6.0	1.8	1.7	14.1	5.7
Architectural, engineering, and related services	5413	88,331	11.2	7.0	9.9	13.9	4.7	24.4	14.2	7.1
Specialized design services	5414	29,243	28.4	21.7	19.5	18.6	5.6	9.5	11.9	9.6

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Computer systems design and related services	5415	98,634	15.5	7.6	15.7	17.4	9.0	14.5	17.0	10.5
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	5416	139,202	11.8	7.9	15.6	20.2	6.7	7.6	12.8	9.4
Scientific research and development services	5417	10,785	22.1	21.7	17.8	27.5	29.1	24.2	22.2	17.7
Advertising, public relations, and related services	5418	27,701	24.6	17.6	21.1	20.1	6.4	5.4	16.1	10.8
Other professional, scientific, and technical services	5419	55,490	13.8	8.6	16.7	15.2	3.7	4.1	13.7	6.4
Management of companies and enterprises	55	2,331	10.5	r 10.3	13.2	23.9	7.8	10.3	17.7	15.6
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	56	291,891	9.9	7.5	13.7	11.8	2.2	3.2	8.4	6.8
Educational services	61	56,639	9.8	5.1	20.0	15.4	3.9	3.4	11.0	6.9
Health care and social assistance	62	531,069	8.9	3.8	15.9	14.4	2.5	2.6	15.2	7.8
Health care services	621-23	466,688	9.5	4.0	16.6	14.9	2.5	2.8	16.2	8.1
Social assistance	624	64,382	4.7	2.0	11.3	11.3	2.0	1.5	7.7	5.4
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	71	90,143	10.3	7.4	19.5	17.2	3.7	3.6	8.9	7.8
Accommodation and food services	72	464,142	14.2	10.6	17.1	12.3	3.4	2.9	7.6	8.0
Other services	81	349,519	12.5	8.1	13.6	9.5	2.3	2.6	6.5	6.4

r = relative standard error &gt; 50%.

NAICS = 2017 North American Industry Classification System.

**Note(s):**

Detail may not add to total because of rounding or unavailable NAICS detail for select records beyond the 4-digit industry classification. Industry classification is based on dominant establishment payroll. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States.

**Source(s):**

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, 2021 Annual Business Survey: Data Year 2020.