

Table A-3. Unit response rates, by industry: 2023

(Number and percent)

| Industry                                                         | NAICS code              | In-scope units <sup>a</sup> | Reporting units that met the response criteria (%) <sup>b</sup> |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| All industries                                                   | 11, 21–23, 31–33, 42–81 | 289,000                     | 64                                                              |
| Manufacturing industries                                         | 31–33                   | 42,000                      | 63                                                              |
| Food                                                             | 311                     | 3,900                       | 59                                                              |
| Beverage and tobacco products                                    | 312                     | 2,100                       | 67                                                              |
| Textile, apparel, and leather products                           | 313–16                  | 1,800                       | 61                                                              |
| Wood products                                                    | 321                     | 1,900                       | 63                                                              |
| Paper                                                            | 322                     | 550                         | 64                                                              |
| Printing and related support activities                          | 323                     | 3,000                       | 63                                                              |
| Petroleum and coal products                                      | 324                     | 150                         | 60                                                              |
| Chemicals                                                        | 325                     | 2,900                       | 62                                                              |
| Pesticide, fertilizer, and other agricultural chemicals          | 3253                    | 200                         | 50                                                              |
| Pharmaceuticals and medicines                                    | 3254                    | 850                         | 65                                                              |
| Soap, cleaning compound, and toilet preparation                  | 3256                    | 600                         | 58                                                              |
| Other chemicals                                                  | other 325               | 1,300                       | 65                                                              |
| Plastics and rubber products                                     | 326                     | 1,900                       | 63                                                              |
| Nonmetallic mineral products                                     | 327                     | 1,800                       | 61                                                              |
| Primary metals                                                   | 331                     | 800                         | 63                                                              |
| Fabricated metal products                                        | 332                     | 5,700                       | 68                                                              |
| Machinery                                                        | 333                     | 3,300                       | 67                                                              |
| Computer and electronic products                                 | 334                     | 3,100                       | 68                                                              |
| Communications equipment                                         | 3342                    | 350                         | 71                                                              |
| Semiconductor and other electronic components                    | 3344                    | 950                         | 68                                                              |
| Navigational, measuring, electromedical, and control instruments | 3345                    | 1,400                       | 68                                                              |
| Other computer and electronic products                           | other 334               | 350                         | 71                                                              |
| Electrical equipment, appliances, and components                 | 335                     | 1,200                       | 67                                                              |
| Transportation equipment                                         | 336                     | 2,300                       | 61                                                              |
| Automobiles, bodies, trailers, and parts                         | 3361–63                 | 1,300                       | 62                                                              |
| Aerospace products and parts                                     | 3364                    | 500                         | 60                                                              |
| Other transportation                                             | other 336               | 450                         | 67                                                              |
| Furniture and related products                                   | 337                     | 2,300                       | 61                                                              |
| Miscellaneous                                                    | 339                     | 3,200                       | 66                                                              |
| Medical equipment and supplies                                   | 3391                    | 1,300                       | 65                                                              |
| Other miscellaneous manufacturing                                | 3399                    | 1,900                       | 68                                                              |
| Nonmanufacturing industries                                      | 11, 21–23, 42–81        | 248,000                     | 63                                                              |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting                       | 11                      | 650                         | 69                                                              |
| Mining, extraction, and support activities                       | 21                      | 2,000                       | 65                                                              |
| Utilities                                                        | 22                      | 900                         | 67                                                              |
| Construction                                                     | 23                      | 25,500                      | 63                                                              |

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| Wholesale trade                                                          | 42         | 18,500                      | 65                                                              |
| Retail trade                                                             | 44–45      | 23,000                      | 57                                                              |
| Transportation and warehousing                                           | 48–49      | 11,000                      | 58                                                              |
| Information                                                              | 51         | 12,500                      | 63                                                              |
| Publishing                                                               | 511        | 4,600                       | 65                                                              |
| Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers                    | 5111       | 1,500                       | 67                                                              |
| Software publishers                                                      | 5112       | 3,000                       | 67                                                              |
| Telecommunications                                                       | 517        | 1,900                       | 53                                                              |
| Data processing, hosting, and related services                           | 518        | 2,200                       | 64                                                              |
| Other information                                                        | other 51   | 3,700                       | 68                                                              |
| Finance and insurance                                                    | 52         | 8,100                       | 70                                                              |
| Real estate and rental and leasing                                       | 53         | 11,000                      | 64                                                              |
| Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)     | 533        | 100                         | 70                                                              |
| Other real estate and rental and leasing                                 | other 53   | 11,000                      | 64                                                              |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services                         | 54         | 54,500                      | 72                                                              |
| Legal services                                                           | 5411       | 7,100                       | 76                                                              |
| Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services           | 5412       | 5,000                       | 76                                                              |
| Architectural, engineering, and related services                         | 5413       | 9,400                       | 78                                                              |
| Specialized design services                                              | 5414       | 1,300                       | 77                                                              |
| Computer systems design and related services                             | 5415       | 9,700                       | 66                                                              |
| Management, scientific, and technical consulting services                | 5416       | 8,600                       | 69                                                              |
| Scientific research and development services                             | 5417       | 7,000                       | 66                                                              |
| Advertising, public relations, and related services                      | 5418       | 3,600                       | 69                                                              |
| Other professional, scientific, and technical services                   | 5419       | 3,000                       | 70                                                              |
| Management of companies and enterprises                                  | 55         | 150                         | 53                                                              |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 56         | 14,000                      | 61                                                              |
| Educational services                                                     | 61         | 2,500                       | 64                                                              |
| Health care and social assistance                                        | 62         | 24,000                      | 67                                                              |
| Health care services                                                     | 621–23     | 20,500                      | 68                                                              |
| Social assistance                                                        | 624        | 3,800                       | 58                                                              |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation                                      | 71         | 4,000                       | 63                                                              |
| Accommodation and food services                                          | 72         | 22,000                      | 50                                                              |
| Other services                                                           | 81         | 13,500                      | 59                                                              |

NAICS = 2022 North American Industry Classification System.

<sup>a</sup> In-scope units are determined using response data and final frame data after all data have been processed.

<sup>b</sup> Reporting units were considered to have fulfilled the response criteria if they provided the number of owners and number of W-2 employees.

**Source(s):**

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, 2024 Annual Business Survey: Data Year 2023.