

**TABLE 1.—U. S. SUMMARY**  
**REPORTING UNITS (by Size Groups), EMPLOYMENT AND TAXABLE PAY ROLLS, BY INDUSTRY**  
**First Quarter, 1948**

(See text for explanation of data and headings)

County and Industry Group	Employment Mid-March 1948	Taxable Pay Roll, January to March, 1948 (1948)	Number of Reporting Units							
			Total	With 0-9 Employees	With 10-49 Employees	With 50-99 Employees	With 100-499 Employees	With 500-999 Employees	With 1,000 or more Employees	With 250 or more Employees
<b>U. S. TOTAL</b>	<b>35627497</b>	<b>23056826</b>	<b>2674931</b>	<b>1028364</b>	<b>550428</b>	<b>350686</b>	<b>148558</b>	<b>50396</b>	<b>26141</b>	<b>7359</b>
<b>AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING</b>	<b>71220</b>	<b>37236</b>	<b>13098</b>	<b>8051</b>	<b>2886</b>	<b>1613</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1</b>
01 Farms	19207	10469	3723	2454	745	377	112	23	12	
07 Agricultural and similar services	35823	15234	7011	4514	1524	699	211	39	24	
08 Forestry	1449	741	187	101	42	28	11	4	1	
09 Fishing	14051	10690	2177	952	575	509	95	13	2	1
<b>MINING</b>	<b>946044</b>	<b>753208</b>	<b>28098</b>	<b>10084</b>	<b>3009</b>	<b>5777</b>	<b>3228</b>	<b>1364</b>	<b>1356</b>	<b>330</b>
10 Metal mining	95685	74110	1708	786	283	243	154	76	136	40
11 Anthracite mining	75649	62361	785	315	122	179	97	52	75	45
12 Bituminous and other soft coal	462735	376066	8578	1905	1982	2652	1176	527	735	191
13 Crude petroleum and natural gas	226950	185585	12906	5985	2850	2277	1174	476	302	42
14 Nonmetallic mining and quarrying	85645	55203	4121	1143	972	1016	627	233	118	12
<b>CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION</b>	<b>2007291</b>	<b>1374832</b>	<b>211787</b>	<b>109567</b>	<b>51118</b>	<b>32934</b>	<b>12173</b>	<b>3649</b>	<b>2071</b>	<b>185</b>
15 Building — general contractors	724330	478428	56799	24505	15134	10637	4135	1349	655	94
16 General contractors, not building	373682	269815	16662	6697	3251	3171	1948	894	528	73
17 Special-trade contractors	909279	627589	138226	78395	32733	19126	6090	1406	558	18
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	<b>15119327</b>	<b>10698072</b>	<b>267020</b>	<b>72137</b>	<b>51787</b>	<b>58116</b>	<b>40773</b>	<b>19517</b>	<b>19891</b>	<b>4809</b>
19 Ordnance and accessories	29458	21500	113	27	9	25	23	9	9	11
20 Food and kindred products	1375453	920987	37116	9389	7725	8887	5816	2645	2319	336
21 Tobacco manufactures	101706	50997	1065	456	149	141	90	61	125	43
22 Textile mill products	1386283	828273	9145	1108	890	1722	1637	1152	1971	666
23 Apparel, fabric products, etc.	1182356	681186	32520	6766	4755	7390	7660	3401	2390	158
24 Lumber and wood products	792622	397183	40741	12214	10656	9923	4672	1900	1282	94
25 Furniture and fixtures	352548	226829	9784	2859	1838	2138	1469	695	692	83
26 Paper and allied products	459978	340059	4139	409	386	768	924	603	854	195
27 Printing, publishing, etc.	714762	572076	30457	11652	7218	5968	3235	1228	973	188
28 Chemicals and allied products	700140	555853	10903	2804	1887	2328	1736	968	643	237
29 Products of petroleum and coal	247826	232660	1412	245	174	256	241	175	285	96
30 Rubber products	250120	194874	991	185	117	183	136	88	170	112
31 Leather and leather products	416666	293704	5667	1129	777	1144	905	610	870	142
32 Stone, clay, and glass products	498770	331846	11858	3544	2379	2804	1461	704	811	185
331 Metal furnaces, steel works, etc.	588353	483184	355	13	14	20	24	30	95	159
332 Iron and steel foundries	254398	190222	1943	161	136	272	449	368	453	105
333 Primary smelting & refg., nonfer.	57492	43562	194	26	19	27	25	16	41	
334 Secondary smelting & refg., nonfer.	11128	8927	202	35	23	25	25	25	31	1
335 Rolling, etc. — nonferrous metals	88663	67110	328	38	39	56	61	35	51	48
336 Nonferrous foundries	78456	58649	1778	430	321	427	315	121	128	26
339 Misc. primary metal industries	118730	100663	1002	144	137	190	178	109	190	54
340 Primary metal ind., unclassified	25975	17867	108	15	17	33	23	12	4	4
341 Tin cans and other tinware	50896	33544	225	11	18	27	30	39	73	27
342 Cutlery, hand tools, hardware	150419	107173	1803	449	287	330	285	171	219	62
343 Motors, pumpsets, etc.	128213	123792	1554	323	216	296	234	157	248	76
344 Fabricated structural metal products	204709	163680	4328	1045	795	926	754	391	358	59
346 Metal stamping, casting, engraving	204160	146455	4627	1442	947	1046	636	236	250	70
347 Lighting fixtures	41644	28543	1214	375	223	263	188	86	69	11
348 Fabricated wire products	61837	44577	966	218	162	187	169	98	107	25
349 Misc. fabricated metal products	117731	88863	2292	618	393	513	355	181	183	49
340 Fabricated metal prod., unclassified	196	111	16	4	4	5	2	1		
35 Machinery (except electrical)	1537849	1219007	19192	5192	3490	4187	2755	1339	1641	588
36 Electrical machinery, etc.	868629	643500	4482	922	627	828	710	405	666	324
371 Motor vehicles and equipment	785573	638253	2088	379	339	376	357	168	239	230
372 Aircraft and parts	207260	164072	396	75	59	68	59	44	49	42
373 Ship and boat building, repairing	165175	131475	1453	499	274	240	175	93	120	62
374 Railroad equipment	88428	71641	314	43	49	71	69	19	31	32
375 Motorcycles, bicycles, and parts	18472	13500	133	31	17	27	18	12	18	10
379 Transportation equipment, n. e. c.	2898	1698	125	38	24	27	18	11	7	
370 Transportation equip., unclassified	5869	4960	184	42	41	42	31	20	6	2
38 Instruments, etc.	249110	184160	3378	952	631	752	479	225	250	88
39 Misc. manufacturing industries	462123	300230	17029	5821	3516	3748	2243	866	720	115
<b>PUBLIC UTILITIES</b>	<b>2615138</b>	<b>1801426</b>	<b>100214</b>	<b>47841</b>	<b>20548</b>	<b>16225</b>	<b>8618</b>	<b>3414</b>	<b>2866</b>	<b>702</b>
40 Interstate railroads	516	547	20	11	6	1			1	
41 Local railroads and bus lines	156008	118337	1948	565	340	369	286	158	177	53
42 Trucking and warehousing for hire	559147	360943	58088	31907	11905	9262	3955	1347	668	24
421 Bus lines, not city or suburban	59574	44330	1686	519	293	342	245	142	131	13
422 Air transportation (common carrier)	76008	70382	638	110	109	134	110	68	70	37
423 Taxis	149996	66254	10991	5205	2474	2021	876	246	143	25
424 Pipe lines (except natural gas)	28409	27122	369	63	73	60	57	51	55	10
429 Highway passenger trans., n. e. c.	11870	5837	1898	1116	420	258	83	15	6	
430 Misc. transportation, unclassified	66	19	11	5	2	4				
44 Water transportation	183937	155915	2016	615	343	347	281	143	215	72
45 Services allied to trans., n. e. c.	188529	112773	7158	3320	1587	1223	507	209	239	73
46 Communication: tel. & tel. etc.	686105	445804	8789	2787	1903	1737	1110	480	582	220
46 Utilities: electric and gas	491400	379437	4498	544	602	1132	977	510	561	172
49 Local utilities & services, n. e. c.	23574	13719	2104	1073	496	330	129	45	28	3
<b>WHOLESALE TRADE</b>	<b>2818445</b>	<b>2136702</b>	<b>245809</b>	<b>112419</b>	<b>56905</b>	<b>46841</b>	<b>20538</b>	<b>5917</b>	<b>2959</b>	<b>229</b>
50 Full & limited-function wholesalers	1457706	1067164	129883	55570	30680	26878	11938	3276	1480	61
511 Sales offices, mfg. & mining	586843	531812	34036	16087	6128	6052	3520	1330	834	85
512 Petroleum bulk tank stations	201397	161481	15057	8770	3470	1872	576	224	283	62
513 Agents and brokers	159843	117625	26970	16784	5441	3407	1066	189	86	7
514 Assemblers of farm products	97587	56110	11776	5798	3190	1861	651	197	76	3
510 Misc. distributors, unclassified	462	335	161	136	11	11	2	1		
521 Lumber & building-material dealers	311987	200384	27597	9131	7907	6879	2773	696	200	11
529 Whole. & retail trade comb., n. e. c.	2410	1668	285	117	69	73	22	4		
520 Whole. & retail trade comb., unclassified	210	120	44	26	10	8				

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			Total	With 5-9 Employees	With 10-19 Employees	With 20-49 Employees	With 50-99 Employees	With 100-499 Employees	With 500 or more Employees	
U. S. TOTAL—CONTINUED										
RETAIL TRADE	6669702	3331006	926528	548364	219752	110941	34258	8306	4236	672
521 Department stores	819177	417147	6645	218	462	1600	2041	1029	884	311
522 Mail order houses, general mch.	70998	42853	239	51	52	45	36	12	15	28
523 Limited-price variety stores	311632	96128	14489	4663	2555	2791	2893	1089	496	12
524 Dry goods stores	72121	28481	11624	6704	2829	1489	475	84	41	2
525 Retail general merchandise, n. a. c.	132152	52153	28327	19175	5998	2402	582	116	51	3
526 Retail gen'l mch., unclassified	183	81	30	18	8	3	1	1		
541 Grocery stores, with & without meat	714806	349444	123391	89922	23019	6718	1771	433	374	154
542 Meat and sea food markets	57286	31937	18179	14026	2979	939	193	35	6	1
543 Fruit stores and vegetable markets	21806	9395	6869	5348	1064	361	80	9	7	
544 Candy, confectionery, & nut stores	57151	18917	10644	6974	2326	982	249	69	42	2
545 Dairy-product stores & milk dealers	198412	143810	12113	5243	2765	2191	1122	430	340	22
546 Liquor stores	32471	18725	12392	10049	1855	398	79	10	1	
549 Miscellaneous retail food	136148	67560	25069	14265	6851	3162	617	102	68	4
548 Retail food & liquor, unclassified	376	175	74	45	20	5	4			
551 Motor vehicles—new & used cars	474460	349552	35307	6826	9595	12193	5448	1044	198	
552 Motor vehicles—used cars only	31685	19911	7983	5248	1842	749	127	14	3	
553 Accessory, tire, & battery dealers	89953	57615	13142	7600	3178	1791	416	87	61	9
554 Second-hand automotive parts, etc.	2566	1307	658	416	176	55	10	1		
559 Automotive dealers, n. a. c.	4861	3860	611	344	128	81	43	10	5	
560 Retail automotive, unclassified	2751	1544	427	201	116	90	18	2		
561 Men's & boys' clothing, etc.	102071	65868	14041	7925	3295	1939	617	173	90	2
562 Women's ready-to-wear stores	225145	102954	20486	9679	4899	3619	1421	421	219	28
563 Women's accessories & specialties	47527	17146	8206	4882	1954	989	287	70	24	
564 Children's & infants' wear shops	11503	4218	2870	2009	547	230	74	10		
565 Family clothing stores, etc.	69591	36267	5698	2656	1457	1054	360	99	56	16
566 Shoe stores	90243	49686	13441	6819	3753	2129	606	85	47	2
567 Custom tailors	15698	9957	2977	1855	613	361	112	23	3	
568 Second-hand clothing & shoe stores	1146	418	473	416	41	11	3	2		
569 Misc. retail apparel & accessories	16934	11791	3239	2063	689	376	92	20	9	
570 Retail apparel, etc., unclassified	256	91	31	17	4	6	3	1		
571 Furniture, home furnishings, etc.	227720	143337	30254	15752	7835	4703	1485	297	174	8
572 Drug stores	295001	122369	43904	20634	15367	6253	1269	241	115	25
573 Hardware and farm implements	153868	84324	32088	18727	8864	3752	614	93	36	2
574 Paint, glass, and wallpaper stores	29365	16905	6007	3418	1610	802	154	19	4	
575 Electrical & gas habit. appliances	91121	54820	18694	11711	4427	1952	473	104	27	1
576 Second-hand stores, n. a. c.	4317	1891	1704	1401	232	61	9	1		
577 Farm and garden supply stores	58194	29882	10262	6013	2676	1174	303	60	35	1
578 Fuel and ice dealers	123810	72409	18880	10020	4775	3014	833	179	58	1
579 Retail trade, n. a. c.	339368	191137	68294	44946	14388	6699	1737	370	143	11
580 Misc. retail trade, unclassified	274	117	60	38	12	8	2			
58 Eating and drinking places	1297753	500304	216461	116640	60133	30487	7217	1388	571	25
59 Retail filling stations	237838	104501	81345	63404	14363	3077	394	72	33	2
FINANCE, INSURANCE, & REAL ESTATE	1749395	1101865	222767	153301	35208	21263	8432	2542	1788	233
60 Banks and trust companies	388155	253928	16231	2898	5490	4939	1788	581	457	78
61 Security div. & investment banking	57723	50241	4678	2366	943	745	379	165	78	2
621 Credit agencies, other than banks	101188	62912	15517	8367	4290	2062	577	147	72	2
622 Investment trusts and companies	4831	3389	933	686	148	67	23	5	3	1
629 Finance agencies, n. a. c.	7242	5262	590	348	110	81	27	12	11	1
628 Misc. finance, unclassified	61	31	17	7	9	1				
63 Insurance carriers	504578	358735	15519	6167	2456	2908	2422	749	687	130
64 Insurance agents, brokers, & serv.	126830	76211	27880	20535	4508	1974	592	163	107	1
65 Real estate	472526	233463	122255	98230	13670	7079	2279	644	340	13
66 Combination offices	69171	41813	18223	13109	3403	1326	313	56	16	1
67 Holding companies (except r. a.)	17090	15875	924	588	181	81	32	20	18	4
SERVICE INDUSTRIES	3493848	1763814	617818	435457	99681	54476	19568	5521	2919	195
701 Hotels	412551	167026	21842	9826	5004	3722	1724	741	733	92
702 Rooming and boarding houses	21709	6018	7761	6389	971	322	60	9	10	
703 Camps	20995	6876	6300	4639	1147	422	78	13	1	
704 Organization lodging places	875	316	85	47	17	9	5	7		
705 Lodging places, unclassified	222	88	20	11	1	2	5	1		
721 Laundries and laundry services	357566	159818	14611	5194	2275	2449	2599	1373	721	10
722 Cleaning and dyeing plants	143485	68697	11621	2969	3415	3469	1363	302	102	1
723 Photographic studios	33562	16085	7619	5382	1408	602	166	43	15	1
724 Barber and beauty shops	170796	71230	71908	61156	8568	1821	311	42	9	1
725 Shoe repair, hat cleaning, etc.	24797	9387	9890	8191	1280	354	55	9	1	
726 Funeral service (incl. crematories)	38113	19629	10594	7302	2381	778	116	12	5	
727 Cleaning, pressing, & repair shops	102187	40284	28433	19852	6037	2108	375	55	6	
729 Personal services, n. a. c.	17657	6356	4460	3254	831	274	82	9	10	
728 Personal services, unclassified	928	479	61	22	7	5	26	1		
73 Business services, n. a. c.	458298	316960	53145	31392	10597	6990	2899	791	473	43
74 Employ. agencies, con'l. schs., etc.	39868	23360	4619	2288	1147	839	272	71	31	1
75 Automobile repair and garages	239411	130805	63832	44644	12870	5222	960	115	30	1
76 Misc. repair services & hand trades	135808	80779	34160	24156	6463	2773	614	101	29	4
78 Motion pictures	249780	137377	13956	3060	3231	4699	2382	493	169	22
79 Amusement, recreation, etc., n. a. c.	284758	113131	34047	16613	8047	6275	2418	523	168	3
80 Medical and other health services	272754	119287	109439	97238	8083	2840	902	251	121	4
81 Law offices and related services	97643	51580	44918	40082	3397	1136	222	55	26	
82 Educational institutions & agencies	26141	12266	3477	1960	778	474	188	67	19	1
83 Other professional & social service	97200	81407	12855	7657	2753	1589	606	142	101	7
85 Nonprofit membership organizations	246084	124214	47852	31856	8961	5290	1296	305	139	5
86 Private households	660	365	333	307	12	12	2			
NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED	26380	12326	8309	6818	976	394	86	16	17	2
99 Not elsewhere classified	26380	12326	8309	6818	976	394	86	16	17	2
UNCLASSIFIED	110207	46234	33483	25285	5557	2106	455	71	9	
90 Unclassified	110207	46234	33483	25285	5557	2106	455	71	9	