

Table 6. Private industry by State, 2004 annual averages: Establishments, employment, and wages, change from 2003

State	Average establishments		Annual average employment		Total annual wages (in thousands)		Average weekly wage	
	2004	Change from 2003	2004	Change from 2003	2004	Change from 2003	2004	Change from 2003
Total U.S.	8,093,142	129,802	108,490,066	1,424,513	\$4,245,640,890	\$229,817,579	\$753	\$32
Alabama	108,124	3,090	1,509,246	26,207	49,528,759	2,713,585	631	24
Alaska	18,359	487	220,849	5,223	8,327,132	455,950	725	23
Arizona	126,348	2,523	1,980,818	77,820	71,721,838	5,874,317	696	31
Arkansas	71,427	1,002	942,044	11,279	28,075,079	1,553,898	573	25
California	1,162,915	34,317	12,609,942	162,857	555,403,066	34,321,836	847	42
Colorado	160,104	3,118	1,800,646	23,924	72,397,898	3,299,969	773	25
Connecticut	105,223	494	1,398,093	7,748	72,184,249	4,147,758	993	52
Delaware	28,680	2,195	356,173	8,673	15,081,359	874,001	814	28
District of Columbia	29,464	284	429,176	8,075	25,397,871	1,784,567	1,138	60
Florida	517,626	29,035	6,423,693	210,571	221,216,998	16,712,805	662	29
Georgia	238,694	6,427	3,206,888	50,125	122,652,733	6,283,703	736	27
Hawaii	33,593	-1,801	468,748	14,659	15,742,130	1,222,949	646	31
Idaho	46,429	896	482,745	14,261	14,204,915	960,087	566	22
Illinois	320,073	4,036	4,895,801	8,738	207,181,480	8,894,553	814	34
Indiana	147,978	900	2,451,737	24,466	85,142,689	4,084,321	668	28
Iowa	85,893	1,378	1,195,269	17,768	37,861,507	2,277,441	609	28
Kansas	76,604	-272	1,058,858	9,987	34,955,699	1,607,696	635	24
Kentucky	99,903	-361	1,439,029	15,821	47,378,920	2,322,588	633	24
Louisiana	110,389	372	1,500,416	7,236	47,596,758	1,883,266	610	21
Maine	46,402	2,528	497,523	5,194	15,618,817	736,041	604	23
Maryland	152,972	4,399	2,014,285	30,445	82,608,965	4,931,426	789	36
Massachusetts	204,352	6,310	2,739,861	649	134,879,469	7,316,663	947	51
Michigan	247,703	2,872	3,665,091	-14,801	148,087,745	2,791,644	777	18
Minnesota	149,462	-991	2,230,302	23,882	90,506,869	5,132,803	780	36
Mississippi	62,332	1,356	871,265	7,156	24,424,055	974,282	539	17
Missouri	158,393	1,966	2,213,813	13,190	77,535,609	2,838,181	674	21
Montana	39,128	-274	323,727	9,487	8,614,228	551,007	512	19
Nebraska	51,562	421	730,413	6,132	22,682,662	1,009,386	597	22
Nevada	62,501	5,039	1,010,267	60,933	36,480,273	3,899,248	694	34
New Hampshire	44,998	768	529,498	9,040	20,937,397	1,323,911	760	35
New Jersey	259,020	2,808	3,274,157	12,036	155,963,272	5,968,872	916	32
New Mexico	46,502	-266	582,169	11,301	17,517,156	995,811	579	22
New York	540,823	6,734	6,854,296	50,726	348,157,089	22,250,273	977	56
North Carolina	220,998	3,945	3,141,074	47,702	108,786,936	5,736,027	666	25
North Dakota	22,402	458	258,025	6,353	7,381,059	536,320	550	27
Ohio	272,537	-4,629	4,533,380	9,315	162,874,667	6,311,254	691	25
Oklahoma	87,005	873	1,130,802	10,122	34,431,859	1,636,004	586	23
Oregon	112,062	-37	1,344,751	29,897	47,101,505	2,634,897	674	24
Pennsylvania	313,741	1,757	4,781,005	27,161	181,991,489	8,557,960	732	30
Rhode Island	34,392	584	412,149	4,385	14,824,318	607,716	692	22
South Carolina	108,929	-2,456	1,476,668	22,339	46,230,124	2,249,481	602	20
South Dakota	26,330	622	300,583	4,869	8,353,985	443,298	534	20
Tennessee	126,207	1,811	2,246,911	42,032	78,322,558	4,469,458	670	26
Texas	498,193	9,942	7,695,635	108,048	300,899,015	16,805,668	752	32
Utah	73,094	4,378	884,984	27,941	27,956,753	1,797,927	608	21
Vermont	22,595	323	248,057	3,462	8,116,785	394,330	629	22
Virginia	198,259	4,402	2,859,017	70,804	114,694,940	8,345,949	771	37
Washington	207,017	-16,543	2,196,183	38,249	85,249,803	1,795,501	746	2
West Virginia	44,166	638	550,559	8,210	16,283,559	903,214	569	24
Wisconsin	150,314	1,387	2,335,623	28,395	80,318,510	4,185,300	661	26
Wyoming	20,932	559	187,822	4,419	5,758,340	412,439	590	29
Puerto Rico	50,487	1,307	743,857	16,863	15,524,818	754,063	401	10
Virgin Islands	3,129	47	30,669	1,326	902,782	95,467	566	37

NOTE: Data are final. Detail may not add to total due to rounding.