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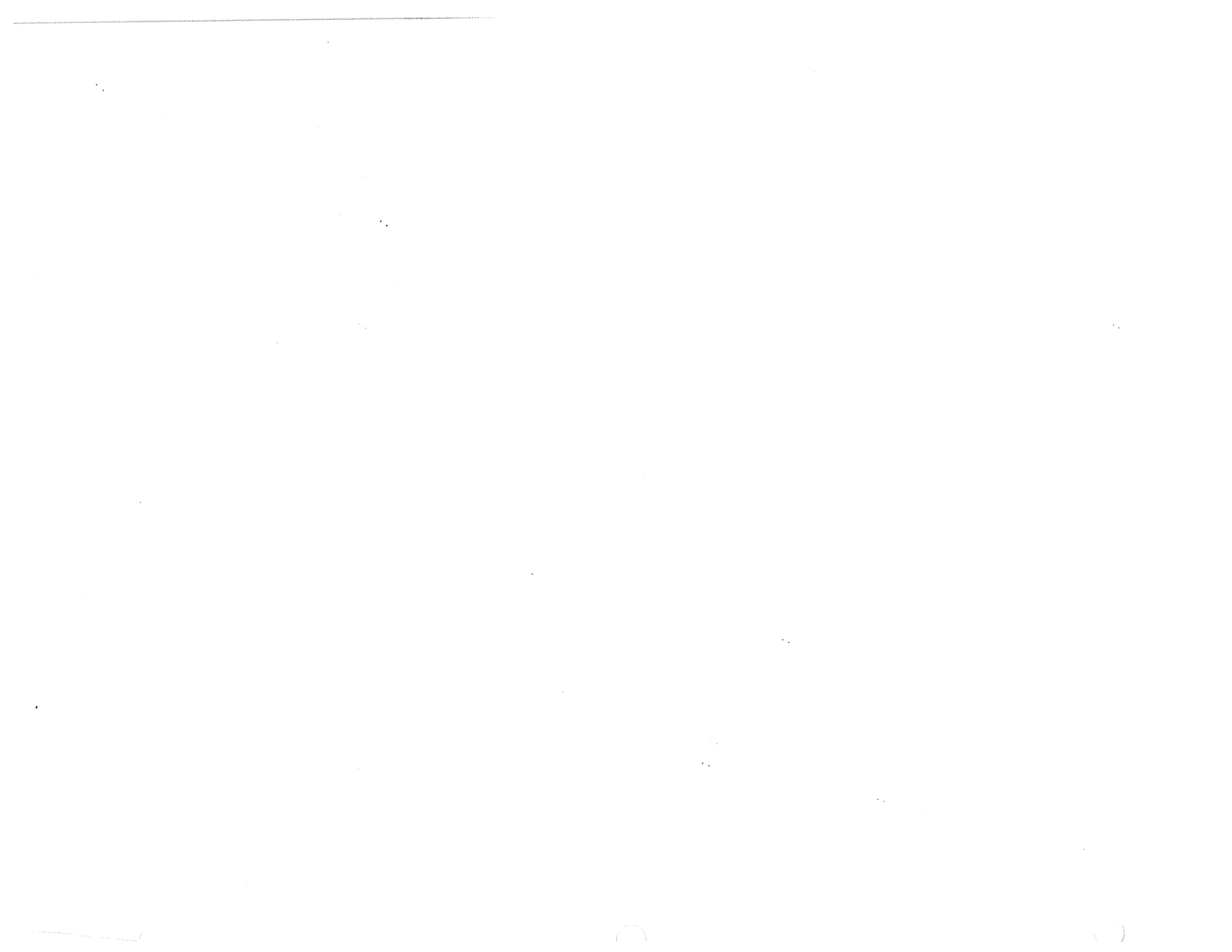


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ARKANSAS AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS BY COUNTY AND INDUSTRY, 1996

DESCRIPTION OF DATA

Tables contained in this report represent average monthly employment, total payroll data, and average weekly earnings by industry and county for the calendar year 1996. These data were compiled from quarterly contribution and wage reports submitted by employers subject to the Arkansas Employment Security Law. A firm is an employing unit comprised of a single physical location where business is conducted, production takes place, or services are provided. Employment data represents a monthly average for the year by industry on a statewide and county basis. Payroll data represents the total earnings paid during the year and are also shown by industry for the state and in publishable groups in each county.

Average weekly earnings data are computed from total earnings reported by all establishments subject to the Arkansas Employment Security Law and are not to be confused with wage rates prevailing in various industries. Neither are these earnings to be confused with the monthly series of average weekly earnings of production workers that appear in the Arkansas Labor Market Trends and in other labor area releases. In addition, there are tables included which give total covered employment and manufacturing employment by months, quarterly payrolls, and average weekly earnings for the years 1990 through 1996. Tables appearing in the Appendix give average covered employment and average weekly earnings by county.

INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION

Previously published industry data will not be comparable in all instances with currently published data since industry codes have been revised according to the following Manuals: (a) manufacturing industries were coded according to the 1945 Standard Industrial Manual until December 31, 1957, while nonmanufacturing industries were coded under the Social Security Board Industrial Classification Manual (1942); (b) between January 1, 1958 and December 31, 1967, industry codes were assigned under the 1957 Standard

Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual; (c) between January 1, 1968 and December 31, 1974, industry codes were assigned under the 1967 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual; (d) between January 1, 1975 and December 31, 1987, industry codes were assigned under the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual; and (e) since January 1, 1988, industry codes have been assigned under the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual.

DEFINITION OF COVERED EMPLOYMENT, EARNINGS, AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS

Covered employment is the number of workers employed by employers subject to the Arkansas Employment Security Law during the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. An employer is subject to the law when he has employed one or more employees in each of ten days during the current or preceding calendar year.

Currently excluded from coverage is employment covered by the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act; some domestic service workers; employees of small agricultural establishments; self-employed and unpaid family workers; insurance and real estate agents who are on commission only; and employees of churches and religious organizations, except separately incorporated schools. The payroll information in this publication includes all wages and salaries paid to covered employees by their employers including bonuses, commissions, and cash values of remuneration received in any

COUNTY CLASSIFICATION

Employment and payroll data by county are classified according to the county where the workers are employed. Employers with operations in more than one county are requested to furnish this agency with a breakdown of employment and wages for at least one quarter of each year by the counties in which they operate. This information is invaluable in the preparation of monthly employment, payroll, and average weekly earnings figures by county. Employment, payroll, and average weekly earnings data for multi-area employers

medium other than cash. These wages include both taxable and nontaxable wages. Only the first \$9,000 paid to each worker by an employer in the calendar year is taxable under the Arkansas Employment Security Law.

The average covered employment and average weekly earnings data, included in tables in this publication, were computed in the following manner: Employment data for the twelve months were totaled and divided by 12 to secure the average employment for the year. Total earnings for the year were divided by the average employment to secure the average annual earnings per employee. The average annual earnings per employee were then divided by 52 (number of weeks in a year) to secure the average weekly earnings per employee for the year.

who do not furnish county data each quarter of the year are pro-rated by county on the basis of one quarter's information.

The "rest-of-state" data includes firms which did not provide a county breakdown of employment and payrolls. It also includes sales and other type personnel with no permanent place of work, as well as employment of employers with no established place of business in Arkansas.

SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1996

AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT

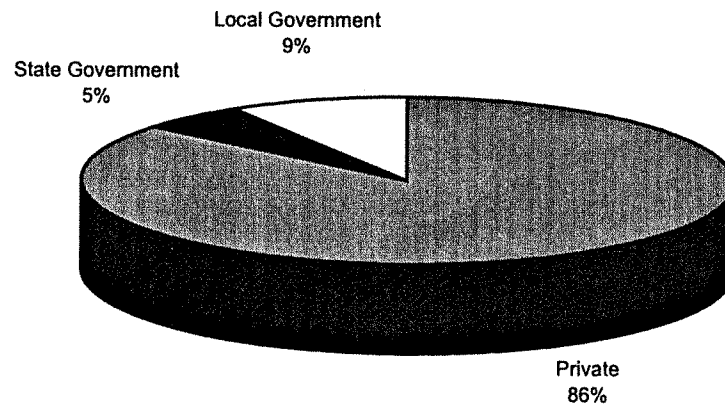
Covered employment in Arkansas averaged 1,039,357 in 1996. This represented an increase of 17,917, or 1.8 percent, from the level of 1,021,440 recorded in 1995. Manufacturing industries experienced an over-the-year decrease while nonmanufacturing industries recorded an increase. The manufacturing sector decreased 5,125 to an average of 253,407, while nonmanufacturing industries rose 23,042 to average 785,950.

Wholesale and retail trade posted a gain of 4,758 and led all industries with an average of 247,588. Services ranked second with an average of 224,276 and experienced a gain of 9,561. State and local government increased 3,235 to rank third with an average of 146,101:

Apparel and other textile products posted the largest loss (-2,105) among the manufacturing industry groups to average 9,141. Other manufacturing industries with significant decreases were electronic and other electrical equipment (-1,143) and industrial machinery and equipment (-995). The most significant gain occurred in transportation equipment (+618).

Pulaski ranked first among the counties in covered employment, averaging 224,167 during 1996. Second ranked Washington County averaged 71,019, followed by Sebastian County with 69,857. Benton and Craighead Counties averaged 59,910 and 34,873, respectively to make the top five among the counties.

AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY OWNERSHIP



AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS

Average weekly earnings paid to covered workers amounted to \$422.93 during 1996. This represented an increase of \$13.35, or 3.3 percent, from the level of \$409.58 recorded in 1995. Employees in the paper and allied products industry led all published industry groups with average weekly earnings of \$709.19. Workers in petroleum and coal products ranked second averaging \$693.07, followed by chemicals and allied products employees (\$688.40) and primary metal industries workers (\$667.31). Apparel and other textile

products employees (\$274.98) and leather and leather products workers (\$295.74) posted the lowest averages.

Little River County employees ranked first averaging \$569.24. Calhoun County employees (\$503.52) ranked second followed by employees in Ashley County (\$498.64), Pulaski County (\$497.54) and Benton County (\$451.65). Employees in Searcy County ranked last among the counties with an average of \$260.49.

COVERED AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES

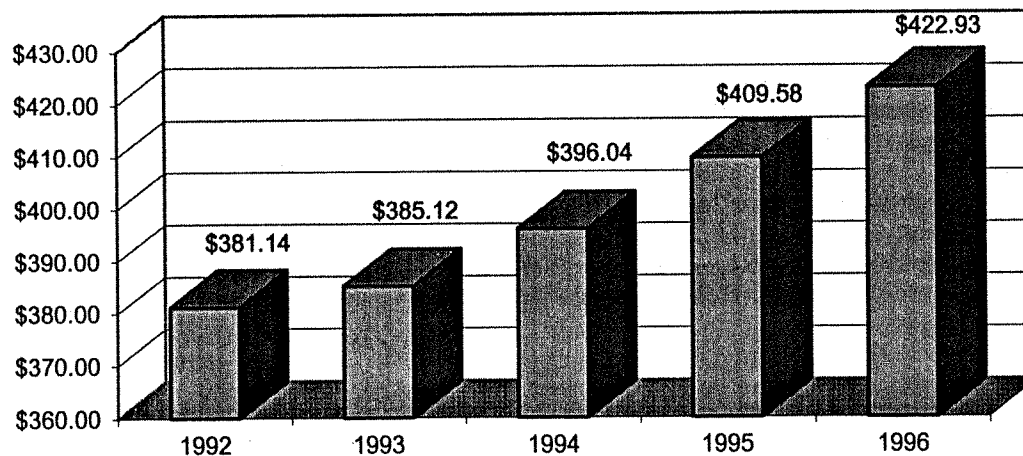
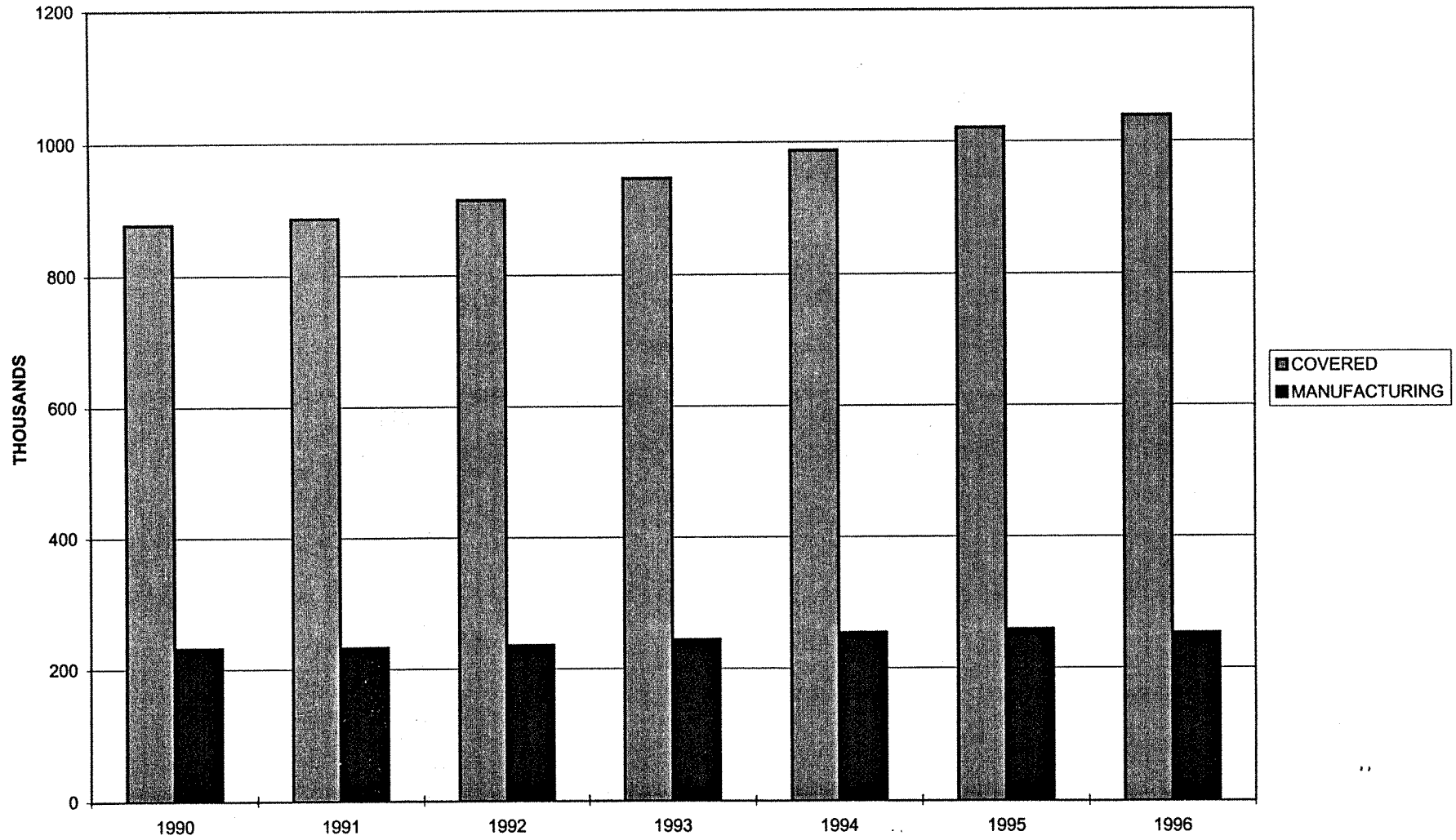


TABLE 1. AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS, BY INDUSTRY, 1996

Industry Group	Average Covered Employment	% of Total	Net Change From 1995 to 1996	Average Weekly Earnings
Total	1,039,357	100.0	17,917	\$422.93
Manufacturing	253,407	24.4	-5,125	477.13
Food and Kindred Products	56,539	5.4	-651	395.64
Textile Mill Products	4,082	0.4	380	414.93
Apparel & Other Textile Products	9,141	0.9	-2,105	274.98
Lumber and Wood Products	22,565	2.2	-260	430.65
Furniture & Fixtures	10,266	1.0	-329	396.41
Paper and Allied Products	14,944	1.4	-323	709.19
Printing and Publishing	10,952	1.1	-253	455.68
Chemicals and Allied Products	6,686	0.6	69	688.40
Petroleum and Coal Products	1,021	0.1	2	693.07
Rubber and Miscellaneous Plastics Products	13,872	1.3	272	530.46
Leather and Leather Products	3,475	0.3	-779	295.74
Stone, Clay and Glass Products	5,651	0.5	351	495.19
Primary Metal Industries	10,529	1.0	210	667.31
Fabricated Metal Products	18,368	1.8	6	523.53
Industrial Machinery & Equip.	18,933	1.8	-995	501.22
Electronic & Other Elec. Equip.	21,298	2.0	-1,143	488.13
Transportation Equipment	16,045	1.5	618	484.81
Instruments & Related Products	5,074	0.5	-105	532.91
Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries	3,967	0.4	-91	365.24
Nonmanufacturing	785,950	75.6	23,042	405.46
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	15,510	1.5	232	347.12
Mining	3,438	0.3	-39	585.06
Construction	47,095	4.5	2,986	448.42
Transportation & Public Utilities	60,708	5.8	1,278	578.91
Wholesale & Retail Trade	247,588	23.8	4,758	321.88
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	41,210	4.0	1,093	534.48
Services	224,276	21.6	9,561	395.70
State & Local Government	146,101	14.1	3,235	441.76
Local Government	93,682	9.0	1,534	401.58
State Government	52,419	5.0	1,701	513.58
Nonclassifiable Establishments	26	0.0	-60	259.51

Note: Items do not necessarily add to totals because of rounding.

TOTAL COVERED AND MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



GRAPH ONE

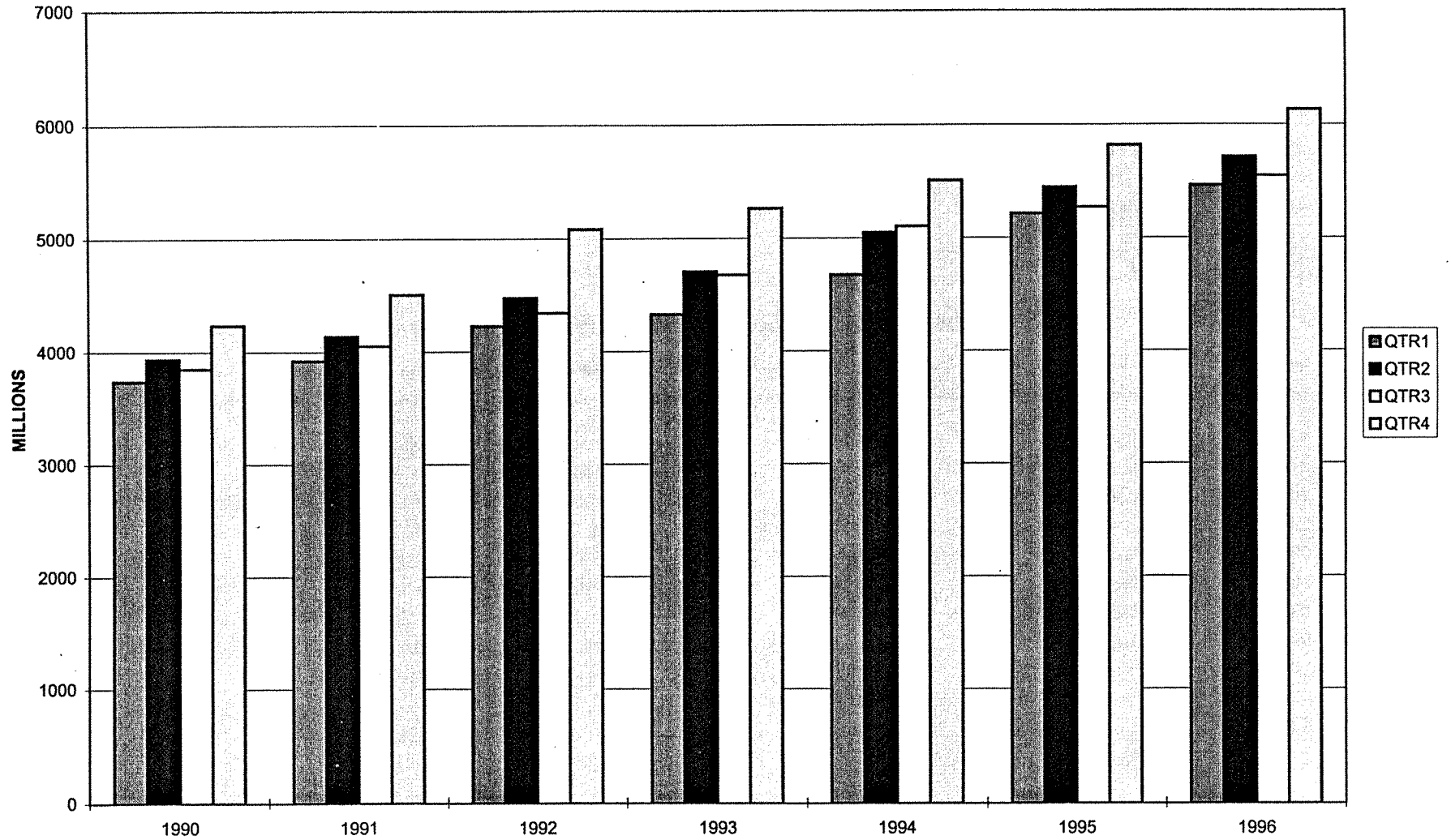
TABLE 2. TOTAL COVERED EMPLOYMENT IN ARKANSAS

Period	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Average	877,684	887,236	914,767	947,353	987,634	1,021,440	1,039,357
January	855,689	862,827	887,266	914,402	949,582	994,537	1,017,447
February	859,996	869,815	893,766	923,979	954,796	1,003,997	1,021,306
March	868,452	879,075	902,974	932,968	968,696	1,014,804	1,032,978
April	875,811	885,135	913,918	944,486	982,542	1,019,684	1,038,846
May	883,783	891,700	924,041	951,453	992,205	1,025,143	1,049,419
June	891,815	897,506	928,512	956,517	1,000,327	1,029,990	1,051,282
July	856,309	859,685	889,584	923,648	966,045	992,336	1,009,501
August	871,330	879,820	902,798	938,347	983,551	1,013,715	1,031,586
September	895,986	905,173	929,312	968,086	1,015,514	1,041,492	1,055,695
October	894,058	908,984	937,094	972,089	1,013,272	1,041,045	1,055,507
November	891,402	903,927	934,174	970,765	1,012,367	1,039,808	1,055,247
December	887,582	903,181	933,759	971,500	1,012,712	1,040,728	1,053,474

TABLE 3. MANUFACTURING COVERED EMPLOYMENT

Period	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Average	232,081	232,989	236,312	243,729	253,953	258,532	253,407
January	229,022	229,182	233,236	236,739	246,018	257,416	254,998
February	229,210	228,663	232,467	238,222	245,967	258,286	253,319
March	229,855	229,615	234,039	240,301	247,221	258,236	253,815
April	230,665	230,901	235,194	242,917	250,427	258,500	253,344
May	231,720	231,701	236,356	243,389	252,086	257,957	252,605
June	234,909	234,588	238,763	244,700	255,254	259,922	254,470
July	234,647	233,860	238,398	245,514	256,560	258,433	253,333
August	234,814	236,543	237,739	245,932	257,168	259,908	253,960
September	234,475	235,463	236,965	246,212	258,975	259,517	253,023
October	232,668	235,715	237,108	246,362	258,959	258,301	253,014
November	231,860	234,908	237,648	246,958	259,390	258,219	252,785
December	231,128	234,724	237,825	247,506	259,409	257,691	252,214

TOTAL COVERED EARNINGS BY CALENDAR QUARTER



GRAPH TWO

TABLE 4. TOTAL COVERED EARNINGS

Period	1990	1991	1992	1993
Total	\$15,769,344,075	\$16,629,077,117	\$18,130,080,166	\$18,972,044,401
Jan.-March	3,744,269,232	3,925,006,840	4,228,309,603	4,326,273,709
Apr.-June	3,937,471,790	4,142,221,179	4,476,880,731	4,705,927,956
July-Sept.	3,852,900,346	4,056,126,989	4,340,891,265	4,673,569,659
Oct.-Dec.	4,234,702,707	4,505,722,109	5,083,998,567	5,266,273,077
Average Weekly Earnings	345.52	360.43	381.14	385.12

TABLE 4. TOTAL COVERED EARNINGS (CONTINUED)

Period	1994	1995	1996
Total	\$20,339,457,312	\$21,755,030,337	\$22,858,110,862
Jan.-March	4,676,047,400	5,216,754,264	5,464,913,869
Apr.-June	5,049,632,485	5,449,448,715	5,714,811,819
July-Sept.	5,103,000,944	5,270,916,007	5,548,435,311
Oct.-Dec.	5,510,776,483	5,817,911,351	6,129,949,863
Average Weekly Earnings	396.04	409.58	422.93

TABLE 5. TOTAL TAXABLE EARNINGS

Period	1990	1991	1992	1993
Total	\$5,751,211,767	\$5,957,867,586	\$6,180,939,855	\$6,707,789,836
Jan.-March	2,626,695,947	2,740,408,030	2,887,371,543	2,985,628,570
Apr.-June	1,586,745,743	1,647,491,787	1,693,464,296	1,888,648,820
July-Sept.	894,858,458	915,316,088	916,328,679	1,058,929,055
Oct.-Dec.	642,911,619	654,651,681	683,775,337	774,583,391

TABLE 5. TOTAL TAXABLE EARNINGS (CONTINUED)

Period	1994	1995	1996
Total	\$7,425,105,759	\$7,817,421,753	\$7,993,176,348
Jan.-March	3,252,179,748	3,591,833,807	3,726,235,905
Apr.-June	2,080,889,209	2,141,221,185	2,176,236,591
July-Sept.	1,215,839,115	1,183,562,914	1,189,773,883
Oct.-Dec.	876,197,687	900,803,847	900,929,969

TABLE 6. COVERED EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

Period	1990	1991	1992	1993
Total	\$4,692,803,635	\$4,877,210,773	\$5,191,846,556	\$5,454,565,249
Jan.-March	1,142,311,937	1,161,072,949	1,224,916,892	1,242,725,873
Apr.-June	1,164,588,616	1,205,186,874	1,273,929,756	1,342,226,591
July-Sept.	1,166,121,084	1,213,080,138	1,277,699,072	1,375,061,570
Oct.-Dec.	1,219,781,998	1,297,870,812	1,415,300,836	1,494,551,215
Average Weekly Earnings	388.86	402.56	422.51	430.38

TABLE 6. COVERED EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING (CONTINUED)

Period	1994	1995	1996
Total	\$5,889,443,098	\$6,153,931,784	\$6,287,177,585
Jan.-March	1,361,400,241	1,511,433,659	1,541,337,684
Apr.-June	1,438,659,873	1,527,368,381	1,554,807,256
July-Sept.	1,520,885,717	1,518,447,296	1,548,044,837
Oct.-Dec.	1,568,497,267	1,596,682,448	1,642,987,808
Average Weekly Earnings	445.98	457.76	477.13

TABLE 7. STATE SUMMARY
EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL EARNINGS, BY INDUSTRY
CALENDAR YEAR 1996

INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
TOTAL, ALL INDUSTRIES		68,142	1,039,357	\$22,858,110,862	\$422.93
MANUFACTURING		4,482	253,407	\$6,287,177,585	\$477.13
20	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	344	56,539	\$1,163,199,122	\$395.64
201	Meat Products	105	38,658	728,697,349	362.50
202	Dairy Products	16	896	22,722,272	487.69
203	Preserved Fruits and Vegetables	40	6,508	148,294,158	438.20
204	Grain Mill Products	101	3,813	99,743,753	503.06
205	Bakery Products	20	2,638	71,710,574	522.76
207	Fats and Oils	10	881	23,131,631	504.93
208	Beverages	15	955	25,673,208	516.98
	Other Food and Kindred Products	37	2,190	43,226,177	379.58
22	TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	19	4,082	\$88,075,266	\$414.93
23	APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	176	9,141	\$130,705,293	\$274.98
232	Men's and Boys' Furnishings	48	7,189	103,927,071	278.01
233	Women's and Misses' Outerwear	13	253	2,885,508	219.33
238	Miscellaneous Apparel and Accessories	7	318	4,687,247	283.46
239	Misc. Fabricated Textile Products	98	943	13,776,724	280.95
	Other Apparel and Other Textile Products	10	438	5,428,743	238.35
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	1,213	22,565	\$505,321,319	\$430.65
241	Logging	686	3,388	62,771,743	356.30
242	Sawmills and Planing Mills	238	9,124	224,949,190	474.13
243	Millwork, Plywood & Structural Members	101	4,134	103,382,153	480.92
249	Miscellaneous Wood Products	106	3,808	78,693,345	397.41
	Other Lumber and Wood Products	82	2,111	35,524,888	323.62
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	129	10,266	\$211,618,349	\$396.41
251	Household Furniture	77	5,041	92,667,057	353.51
252	Office Furniture	10	559	11,156,077	383.79
253	Public Building & Related Furniture	19	2,557	59,290,304	445.91
254	Partitions and Fixtures	16	1,860	43,898,549	453.87
259	Miscellaneous Furniture and Fixtures	9	250	4,606,362	354.34

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
26	PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	109	14,944	\$551,106,348	\$709.19
262	Paper Mills	23	5,654	264,264,903	898.84
263	Paperboard Mills	4	897	43,844,939	939.99
265	Paperboard Containers and Boxes	46	3,769	112,251,045	572.74
267	Misc. Converted Paper Products	36	4,624	130,745,461	543.76
27	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	475	10,952	\$259,514,425	\$455.68
271	Newspapers	135	3,642	69,218,151	365.49
272	Periodicals	17	150	3,265,856	418.70
273	Books	23	71	1,834,780	496.96
274	Miscellaneous Publishing	29	659	16,004,830	467.05
275	Commercial Printing	246	3,488	95,959,241	529.06
279	Printing Trade Services	9	185	6,637,057	689.92
	Other Printing and Publishing	16	2,757	66,594,510	464.51
28	CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	121	6,686	\$239,336,740	\$688.40
281	Industrial Inorganic Chemicals	16	1,289	63,354,722	945.20
282	Plastics Materials and Synthetics	5	355	13,701,387	742.22
283	Drugs	6	121	3,581,034	569.14
284	Soap, Cleaners, and Toilet Goods	27	1,553	41,261,228	510.94
285	Paints and Allied Products	10	392	12,580,218	617.16
286	Industrial Organic Chemicals	13	1,137	42,977,995	726.91
287	Agricultural Chemicals	23	1,045	34,224,336	629.82
289	Miscellaneous Chemical Products	23	794	27,655,820	669.83
29	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	24	1,021	\$36,796,425	\$693.07
291	Petroleum Refining	3	440	17,446,497	762.52
295	Asphalt Paving and Roofing Materials	14	367	13,060,718	684.38
299	Misc. Petroleum and Coal Products	7	214	6,289,210	565.17
30	RUBBER AND MISC. PLASTICS PRODUCTS	209	13,872	\$382,644,080	\$530.46
301	Tires and Inner Tubes	4	2,294	98,106,252	822.43
305	Hose & Belting & Gaskets & Packing	11	1,433	38,543,953	517.26
306	Fabricated Rubber Products, NEC	25	2,284	56,659,047	477.06
308	Miscellaneous Plastics Products, NEC	170	7,861	189,334,828	463.18

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31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	31	3,475	\$53,439,727	\$295.74
314	Footwear, Except Rubber	17	2,873	44,167,133	295.64
	Other Leather and Leather Products	14	602	9,272,594	296.21
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	256	5,651	\$145,511,928	\$495.19
322	Glass and Glassware, Pressed or Blown	9	569	13,490,551	455.95
323	Products Of Purchased Glass	12	443	9,566,372	415.28
325	Structural Clay Products	8	493	10,601,594	413.54
327	Concrete, Gypsum, and Plaster Products	167	2,720	69,762,345	493.23
328	Cut Stone and Stone Products	23	179	3,158,889	339.37
329	Misc. Nonmetallic Mineral Products	25	751	24,312,172	622.56
	Other Stone, Clay, and Glass Products	12	496	14,620,005	566.84
33	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	74	10,529	\$365,355,581	\$667.31
331	Blast Furnace and Basic Steel Products	21	4,541	181,764,366	769.76
332	Iron and Steel Foundries	11	341	7,682,020	433.23
335	Nonferrous Rolling and Drawing	20	3,648	105,676,428	557.08
336	Nonferrous Foundries (Castings)	11	1,555	53,873,670	666.26
	Other Primary Metal Industries	11	444	16,359,097	708.55
34	FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	338	18,368	\$500,044,421	\$523.53
341	Metal Cans and Shipping Containers	5	347	11,433,223	633.63
342	Cutlery, Handtools, and Hardware	28	2,151	51,828,690	463.37
343	Plumbing and Heating, Except Electric	5	1,080	28,785,346	512.56
344	Fabricated Structural Metal Products	163	5,279	148,218,582	539.94
345	Screw Machine Products, Bolts, Etc.	17	574	17,015,039	570.06
346	Metal Forgings and Stampings	21	2,106	50,411,874	460.33
347	Metal Services, NEC	31	415	9,339,444	432.78
348	Ordnance and Accessories, NEC	13	2,164	67,766,675	602.22
349	Misc. Fabricated Metal Products	57	4,253	115,245,548	521.11

**TABLE 7. STATE SUMMARY
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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
35	INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	464	18,933	\$493,455,252	\$501.22
352	Farm and Garden Machinery	37	2,551	45,670,585	344.29
353	Construction and Related Machinery	40	2,524	68,466,394	521.66
354	Metalworking Machinery	95	3,261	90,379,484	532.99
355	Special Industrial Machinery	26	952	29,988,463	605.78
356	General Industrial Machinery	26	2,126	54,053,094	488.94
358	Refrigeration and Service Machinery	45	5,691	162,769,668	550.02
359	Industrial Machinery, NEC	192	1,616	36,012,411	428.56
	Other Industrial Machinery and Equipment	3	212	6,115,153	554.71
36	ELECTRONIC & OTHER ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT	116	21,298	\$540,606,388	\$488.13
361	Electric Distribution Equipment	10	1,642	34,081,426	399.15
362	Electrical Industrial Apparatus	23	6,774	178,166,398	505.80
364	Electric Lighting and Wiring Equipment	23	2,989	74,644,718	480.25
365	Household Audio and Video Equipment	9	1,008	22,102,516	421.67
367	Electronic Componets and Accessories	27	2,281	44,089,905	371.72
369	Misc. Electrical Equipment & Supplies	11	1,746	39,513,554	435.21
	Other Electronic & Other Electric Equipment	13	4,858	148,007,871	585.90
37	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	206	16,045	\$404,497,139	\$484.81
371	Motor Vehicles and Equipment	90	10,052	238,515,870	456.31
372	Aircraft and Parts	35	3,123	102,395,760	630.53
373	Ship and Boat Building And Repairing	41	1,628	30,995,085	366.13
379	Miscellaneous Transportation Equipment	29	501	9,313,806	357.51
	Other Transportation Equipment	11	741	23,276,618	604.09
38	INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	53	5,074	\$140,606,295	\$532.91
381	Search and Navigation Equipment	7	204	6,443,437	607.41
382	Measuring and Controlling Devices	23	1,619	34,435,375	409.03
385	Ophthalmic Goods	12	210	3,561,873	326.18
	Other Instruments and Related Products	11	3,041	96,165,610	608.14

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
39	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	132	3,967	\$75,343,487	\$365.24
393	Musical Instruments	9	891	19,057,415	411.32
394	Toys and Sporting Goods	45	1,715	31,661,474	355.03
395	Pens, Pencils, Office, & Art Supplies	5	55	1,134,901	396.82
399	Miscellaneous Manufactures	64	1,270	22,816,007	345.49
	Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries	9	36	673,690	359.88

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
NONMANUFACTURING	63,660	785,950	\$16,570,933,277	\$405.46
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	2,031	15,510	\$279,958,587	\$347.12
01 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION-CROPS	627	3,715	\$61,629,650	\$319.03
011 Cash Grains	338	1,833	31,967,667	335.39
013 Field Crops, Except Cash Grains	104	778	11,923,430	294.73
016 Vegetables and Melons	7	29	170,593	113.13
017 Fruits and Tree Nuts	13	82	1,338,202	313.84
018 Horticultural Specialties	35	236	3,489,441	284.34
019 General Farms, Primarily Crop	132	757	12,740,317	323.65
02 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION-LIVESTOCK	211	4,380	\$94,411,620	\$414.52
021 Livestock, Except Dairy and Poultry	52	604	12,972,023	413.02
025 Poultry and Eggs	89	3,180	69,644,650	421.17
027 Animal Specialties	61	549	10,982,202	384.69
Other Agricultural Production-Livestock	9	47	812,745	332.55
07 AGRICULTURAL SERVICES	1,100	6,615	\$108,668,657	\$315.92
071 Soil Preparation Services	7	24	439,698	352.32
072 Crop Services	306	2,004	40,940,340	392.87
074 Veterinary Services	262	1,389	20,609,289	285.34
075 Animal Services, Except Veterinary	143	1,057	14,792,062	269.12
076 Farm Labor and Management Services	15	44	1,002,009	437.94
078 Landscape and Horticultural Services	369	2,097	30,885,259	283.24
08 FORESTRY	84	747	\$14,662,007	\$377.46
085 Forestry Services	59	609	10,685,144	337.41
Other Forestry	25	138	3,976,863	554.19
09 FISHING, HUNTING, AND TRAPPING	10	54	\$586,653	\$208.92

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
MINING		317	3,438	\$104,594,056	\$585.06
13	OIL AND GAS EXTRACTION	221	1,851	\$59,610,648	\$619.32
138	Oil and Gas Field Services	128	1,146	32,229,868	540.84
	Other Oil and Gas Extraction	93	705	27,380,780	746.88
14	NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	87	1,457	\$39,627,686	\$523.04
142	Crushed and Broken Stone	19	333	8,934,020	515.94
144	Sand and Gravel	41	831	22,927,392	530.58
149	Miscellaneous Nonmetallic Minerals, Except Fuels	21	208	4,809,288	444.65
	Other Nonmetallic Minerals, Except Fuels	6	85	2,956,986	669.00
	Other Mining	9	130	\$5,355,722	\$792.27
CONSTRUCTION		6,601	47,095	\$1,098,153,162	\$448.42
15	GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	1,863	11,809	\$276,752,732	\$450.69
152	Residential Building Construction	1,226	3,902	71,796,628	353.85
153	Operative Builders	30	85	1,733,572	392.21
154	Nonresidential Building Construction	608	7,821	203,222,532	499.70
16	HEAVY CONSTRUCTION, EX. BUILDING	815	8,842	\$220,783,914	\$480.19
161	Highway and Street Construction	165	2,696	74,503,176	531.44
162	Heavy Construction, Except Highway	650	6,145	146,280,738	457.79
17	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	3,924	26,445	\$600,616,516	\$436.77
171	Plumbing, Heating, Air-Conditioning	981	6,915	163,085,199	453.54
172	Painting and Paper Hanging	281	1,451	27,376,342	362.83
173	Electrical Work	606	4,786	123,831,354	497.57
174	Masonry, Stonework, and Plastering	454	3,281	64,684,621	379.13
175	Carpentry and Floor Work	203	899	17,339,755	370.92
176	Roofing, Siding, and Sheet Metal Work	261	1,716	35,291,568	395.50
177	Concrete Work	254	1,655	28,811,197	334.78
178	Water Well Drilling	58	326	7,536,201	444.56
179	Misc. Special Trade Contractors	828	5,417	132,660,279	470.95

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES		3,864	60,708	\$1,827,503,519	\$578.91
41	LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT	143	1,783	\$28,158,266	\$303.70
411	Local and Suburban Transportation	96	1,236	20,481,163	318.66
414	Bus Charter Service	16	121	1,773,096	281.80
	Other Local and Interurban Passenger Transit	31	426	5,904,007	266.52
42	TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	2,186	31,217	\$820,388,658	\$505.39
421	Trucking & Courier Services, Ex. Air	1,994	29,267	779,550,886	512.23
	Other Trucking and Warehousing	192	1,950	40,837,772	402.74
44	WATER TRANSPORTATION	61	586	\$13,873,408	\$455.28
449	Water Transportation Services	54	497	12,306,569	476.19
	Other Water Transportation	7	89	1,566,839	338.56
45	TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	175	5,713	\$142,343,099	\$479.15
451	Air Transportation, Scheduled	63	4,318	101,532,283	452.19
	Other Transportation by Air	112	1,395	40,810,816	562.60
46	PIPELINES, EXCEPT NATURAL GAS	15	227	\$10,168,603	\$861.45
47	TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	251	1,571	\$38,845,503	\$475.51
472	Passenger Transportation Arrangement	122	588	11,210,922	366.66
473	Freight Transportation Arrangement	99	603	20,164,214	643.07
	Other Transportation Services	30	380	7,470,367	378.06
48	COMMUNICATIONS	547	9,946	\$347,280,785	\$671.47
481	Telephone Communications	291	6,423	265,665,786	795.42
483	Radio and Television Broadcasting	155	2,332	52,597,212	433.74
	Other Communications	101	1,191	29,017,787	468.54
49	ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	487	9,665	\$426,445,197	\$848.51
492	Gas Production and Distribution	105	1,910	77,550,093	780.81
494	Water Supply	150	592	10,861,338	352.82
	Other Electric, Gas, and Sanitary Services	232	7,163	338,033,766	907.53

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE		21,712	247,588	\$4,144,055,598	\$321.88
WHOLESALE TRADE		6,052	48,967	\$1,397,499,675	\$548.84
50	WHOLESALE TRADE-DURABLE GOODS	3,613	25,352	\$749,503,136	\$568.54
501	Motor Vehicles, Parts, and Supplies	539	4,399	104,069,093	454.95
502	Furniture and Homefurnishings	107	558	18,423,215	634.93
503	Lumber and Construction Materials	253	1,746	50,561,125	556.89
504	Professional & Commercial Equipment	639	3,360	123,288,858	705.64
505	Metals and Minerals, Except Petroleum	82	831	26,751,813	619.08
506	Electrical Goods	313	2,291	80,856,546	678.71
507	Hardware, Plumbing & Heating Equipment	289	2,360	67,534,643	550.31
508	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies	1,073	7,981	233,545,182	562.74
509	Miscellaneous Durable Goods	321	1,827	44,472,661	468.11
51	WHOLESALE TRADE-NONDURABLE GOODS	2,440	23,615	\$647,996,539	\$527.69
511	Paper and Paper Products	194	1,837	47,540,939	497.69
512	Drugs, Proprietarys, and Sundries	198	2,009	68,264,906	653.45
513	Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions	104	1,015	24,491,881	464.04
514	Groceries and Related Products	603	7,185	207,319,444	554.89
515	Farm-Product Raw Materials	121	1,576	29,371,002	358.39
516	Chemical and Allied Products	195	892	38,048,461	820.29
517	Petroleum and Petroleum Products	260	2,095	53,344,062	489.66
518	Beer, Wine, and Distilled Beverages	52	1,005	33,595,660	642.86
519	Misc. Nondurable Goods	717	6,002	146,020,184	467.86
RETAIL TRADE		15,660	198,621	\$2,746,555,923	\$265.93
52	BUILDING MATERIALS & GARDEN SUPPLIES	844	8,912	\$167,417,332	\$361.26
521	Lumber and Other Building Materials	332	5,910	110,137,871	358.38
523	Paint, Glass, and Wallpaper Stores	130	565	12,141,031	413.24
525	Hardware Stores	174	1,245	20,426,394	315.51
526	Retail Nurseries and Garden Stores	118	552	6,927,756	241.35
527	Mobile Home Dealers	92	640	17,784,280	534.38

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53	GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORES	547	42,769	\$774,033,915	\$348.04
531	Department Stores	194	39,033	728,706,295	359.02
533	Variety Stores	179	2,138	27,603,809	248.29
539	Misc. General Merchandise Stores	174	1,599	17,723,811	213.16
54	FOOD STORES	2,104	30,067	\$370,068,575	\$236.69
541	Grocery Stores	1,816	28,665	356,176,142	238.95
542	Meat and Fish Markets	60	235	2,745,921	224.71
544	Candy, Nut, and Confectionery Stores	26	111	878,142	152.14
546	Retail Bakeries	132	705	6,548,906	178.64
549	Miscellaneous Food Stores	58	293	3,233,866	212.25
	Other Food Stores	12	58	485,598	161.01
55	AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS & SERVICE STATIONS	2,610	22,936	\$473,538,327	\$397.04
551	New and Used Car Dealers	314	8,689	256,475,326	567.64
552	Used Car Dealers	433	1,506	30,991,305	395.74
553	Auto and Home Supply Stores	630	3,759	70,505,399	360.70
554	Gasoline Service Stations	1,070	7,940	93,467,928	226.38
555	Boat Dealers	67	387	7,610,489	378.18
556	Recreational Vehicle Dealers	36	248	5,535,724	429.26
557	Motorcycle Dealers	54	388	8,525,819	422.57
559	Automotive Dealers, NEC	8	20	426,337	409.94
56	APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	1,102	6,948	\$72,727,234	\$201.30
561	Men's & Boys' Clothing Stores	62	326	5,096,664	300.65
562	Women's Clothing Stores	368	2,136	21,883,475	197.02
563	Women's Accessory & Specialty Stores	44	314	2,987,343	182.96
564	Children's and Infants' Wear Stores	50	196	1,722,450	169.00
565	Family Clothing Stores	230	2,216	21,391,656	185.64
566	Shoe Stores	228	1,304	14,518,031	214.10
569	Misc. Apparel & Accessory Stores	121	457	5,127,615	215.77
57	FURNITURE AND HOMEFURNISHINGS STORES	1,219	6,940	\$123,103,303	\$341.12
571	Furniture and Homefurnishings Stores	751	3,992	73,652,278	354.81
572	Household Appliance Stores	115	511	7,857,698	295.71
573	Radio, Television, & Computer Stores	354	2,437	41,593,327	328.22

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
58	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	3,844	62,170	\$505,089,906	\$156.24
59	MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL	3,393	17,879	\$260,577,331	\$280.28
591	Drug Stores and Proprietary Stores	534	4,085	74,079,898	348.74
592	Liquor Stores	370	1,438	17,276,626	231.05
593	Used Merchandise Stores	324	884	11,265,589	245.07
594	Miscellaneous Shopping Goods Stores	1,014	6,008	74,298,239	237.82
596	Nonstore Retailers	157	1,352	23,253,739	330.76
598	Fuel Dealers	181	990	20,484,567	397.91
599	Retail Stores, NEC	814	3,123	39,918,673	245.81
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE		5,230	41,210	\$1,145,339,405	\$534.48
60	DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS	852	16,441	\$377,856,200	\$441.97
602	Commercial Banks	656	14,313	334,190,862	449.01
603	Savings Institutions	90	1,371	27,173,671	381.16
606	Credit Unions	80	494	10,011,773	389.75
	Other Depository Institutions	26	263	6,479,894	473.82
61	NONDEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS	209	1,891	\$64,161,456	\$652.50
611	Federal & Fed.-Sponsored Credit	45	281	10,085,058	690.19
614	Personal Credit Institutions	34	298	11,962,888	772.00
615	Business Credit Institutions	29	139	5,876,484	813.02
616	Mortgage Bankers and Brokers	101	1,173	36,237,026	594.09
62	SECURITY AND COMMODITY BROKERS	253	2,225	\$149,428,525	\$1,291.52
621	Security Brokers and Dealers	177	2,039	141,114,832	1330.92
	Other Security and Commodity Brokers	76	186	8,313,693	859.56
63	INSURANCE CARRIERS	422	5,504	\$192,428,131	\$672.34
631	Life Insurance	91	1,246	39,061,413	602.87
632	Medical Service and Health Insurance	41	2,099	77,280,788	708.04
633	Fire, Marine, and Casualty Insurance	207	1,580	61,315,080	746.29
635	Surety Insurance	13	55	2,920,156	1021.03
636	Title Insurance	64	483	10,534,054	419.42
	Other Insurance Carriers	6	41	1,316,640	617.56

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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
64	INSURANCE AGENTS, BROKERS & SERVICE	1,341	4,808	\$134,194,534	\$536.74
65	REAL ESTATE	1,960	8,902	\$169,858,181	\$366.94
651	Real Estate Operators and Lessors	650	2,778	41,013,978	283.92
653	Real Estate Agents and Managers	1,040	4,188	78,822,115	361.94
654	Title Abstract Offices	96	665	14,150,092	409.20
655	Subdividers and Developers	175	1,272	35,871,996	542.33
67	HOLDING AND OTHER INVESTMENT OFFICES	196	1,438	\$57,412,378	\$767.79
671	Holding Offices	58	1,105	47,775,904	831.46
679	Miscellaneous Investing	99	265	7,353,689	533.65
	Other Holding and Other Investment Offices	39	68	2,282,785	645.58
SERVICES		20,791	224,276	\$4,614,780,732	\$395.70
70	HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	694	10,763	\$106,648,559	\$190.55
701	Hotels and Motels	638	10,475	103,053,483	189.19
702	Rooming and Boarding Houses	8	23	170,716	142.74
703	Camps and Recreational Vehicle Parks	33	190	2,009,680	203.41
704	Membership-Basis Organization Hotels	15	75	1,414,680	362.74
72	PERSONAL SERVICES	1,625	9,061	\$127,470,753	\$270.54
721	Laundry, Cleaning, & Garment Services	477	4,315	56,761,224	252.97
722	Photographic Studios, Portrait	161	548	6,996,546	245.53
723	Beauty Shops	459	1,561	20,350,638	250.71
724	Barber Shops	34	73	1,137,953	299.78
725	Shoe Repair and Shoeshine Parlors	15	22	211,551	184.92
726	Funeral Service and Crematories	195	1,476	30,258,317	394.23
729	Miscellaneous Personal Services	286	1,067	11,754,524	211.85

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73	BUSINESS SERVICES	3,007	45,256	\$761,051,819	\$323.40
731	Advertising	171	1,140	31,929,806	538.63
732	Credit Reporting and Collection	102	981	18,132,547	355.46
733	Mailing, Reproduction, Stenographic	159	856	14,907,298	334.91
734	Services to Buildings	580	6,009	67,704,188	216.68
735	Misc. Equipment Rental & Leasing	374	2,458	59,825,951	468.06
736	Personnel Supply Services	405	20,531	219,073,047	205.20
737	Computer and Data Processing Services	432	5,404	231,741,195	824.68
738	Miscellaneous Business Services	786	7,877	117,737,787	287.44
75	AUTO REPAIR, SERVICES, AND PARKING	1,755	7,777	\$147,379,582	\$364.44
751	Automotive Rentals, No Drivers	125	1,158	24,226,947	402.33
752	Automobile Parking	14	87	1,331,154	294.24
753	Automotive Repair Shops	1,372	4,967	101,976,234	394.82
754	Automotive Services, Except Repair	245	1,565	19,845,247	243.86
76	MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR SERVICES	768	3,047	\$73,861,899	\$466.17
762	Electrical Repair Shops	183	769	19,689,551	492.39
763	Watch, Clock, and Jewelry Repair	13	29	439,771	291.63
764	Reupholstery and Furniture Repair	45	110	1,565,017	273.60
769	Miscellaneous Repair Shops	528	2,139	52,167,560	469.01
78	MOTION PICTURES	385	3,131	\$35,510,419	\$218.11
783	Motion Picture Theaters	60	739	5,251,767	136.67
784	Video Tape Rental	264	1,440	11,649,468	155.58
	Other Motion Pictures	61	952	18,609,184	375.91
79	AMUSEMENT & RECREATION SERVICES	839	8,081	\$89,161,713	\$212.18
791	Dance Studios, Schools, and Halls	42	163	1,097,343	129.46
792	Producers, Orchestras, Entertainers	58	652	8,177,619	241.20
793	Bowling Centers	46	447	4,151,418	178.60
794	Commercial Sports	64	929	11,475,350	237.55
799	Misc. Amusement, Recreation Services	631	5,890	64,259,983	209.81

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80	HEALTH SERVICES	4,085	88,681	\$2,356,078,684	\$510.92
801	Offices & Clinics of Medical Doctors	1,720	14,821	802,765,896	1041.62
802	Offices And Clinics of Dentists	852	4,534	115,157,338	488.43
803	Offices of Osteopathic Physicians	23	106	3,394,957	615.92
804	Offices of Other Health Practitioners	768	3,486	90,817,205	501.00
805	Nursing and Personal Care Facilities	281	20,543	274,211,472	256.70
806	Hospitals	99	38,526	919,705,851	459.08
807	Medical and Dental Laboratories	105	1,027	29,079,201	544.51
808	Home Health Care Services	77	2,761	55,444,667	386.18
809	Health and Allied Services, NEC	162	2,877	65,502,097	437.84
81	LEGAL SERVICES	1,314	4,679	\$154,528,777	\$635.12
82	EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	249	6,037	\$111,054,020	\$353.76
821	Elementary and Secondary Schools	83	2,721	38,256,237	270.38
822	Colleges and Universities	21	2,584	58,367,119	434.38
823	Libraries	7	45	569,798	243.50
824	Vocational Schools	37	146	2,095,057	275.96
829	Schools & Educational Services, NEC	101	541	11,765,809	418.24
83	SOCIAL SERVICES	1,597	21,050	\$257,399,700	\$235.15
832	Individual and Family Services	508	7,584	95,243,157	241.51
833	Job Training and Related Services	108	3,125	39,517,276	243.18
835	Child Day Care Services	686	5,644	53,029,669	180.69
836	Residential Care	170	2,940	44,016,090	287.91
839	Social Services, NEC	126	1,757	25,593,508	280.13
84	MUSEUMS, BOTANICAL, ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS	32	164	\$2,046,471	\$239.97
86	MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS	832	3,981	\$58,782,507	\$283.96
861	Business Associations	190	580	14,326,678	475.02
862	Professional Organizations	43	220	6,970,692	609.33
863	Labor Organizations	165	822	7,766,602	181.70
864	Civic and Social Associations	260	1,653	15,621,356	181.74
865	Political Organizations	30	78	1,526,751	376.42
866	Religious Organizations	24	103	1,657,735	309.51
869	Membership Organizations, NEC	122	525	10,912,693	399.73

TABLE 7. STATE SUMMARY
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INDUSTRY GROUP		AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
87	ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT SERVICES	2,123	10,215	\$309,031,217	\$581.78
871	Engineering & Architectural Services	511	3,282	108,561,008	636.11
872	Accounting, Auditing, & Bookkeeping	794	3,123	82,375,606	507.25
873	Research and Testing Services	125	1,606	35,098,541	420.28
874	Management and Public Relations	694	2,205	82,996,062	723.84
88	PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS	1,460	2,235	\$21,404,094	\$184.17
89	SERVICES, NEC	33	119	\$3,370,518	\$544.69
	LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,979	93,682	\$1,956,299,876	\$401.58
	STATE GOVERNMENT	1,118	52,419	\$1,399,897,481	\$513.58
	NONCLASSIFIABLE ESTABLISHMENTS	20	26	\$350,861	\$259.51

Note: Items do not necessarily add to totals because of rounding.

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
ARKANSAS COUNTY - TOTAL	689	9,201	\$188,915,270	\$394.85
MANUFACTURING	38	3,023	71,964,827	457.80
NONMANUFACTURING	651	6,178	116,950,443	364.04
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	46	245	6,036,986	473.86
CONSTRUCTION	56	291	6,335,134	418.66
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	65	903	22,683,616	483.08
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	213	2,056	37,136,054	347.35
WHOLESALE TRADE	53	611	18,918,884	595.46
RETAIL TRADE	160	1,445	18,217,170	242.44
SERVICES	186	1,220	17,884,556	281.91
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	33	980	16,684,554	327.40
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	169	3,357,060	382.01
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	38	314	6,832,483	418.45
ASHLEY COUNTY - TOTAL	562	9,943	\$257,815,914	\$498.64
MANUFACTURING	67	4,453	155,871,036	673.15
NONMANUFACTURING	495	5,490	101,944,878	357.10
CONSTRUCTION	45	943	24,386,796	497.32
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	40	326	8,434,139	497.53
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	171	1,455	19,503,068	257.77
WHOLESALE TRADE	36	199	5,303,602	512.52
RETAIL TRADE	135	1,256	14,199,466	217.41
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	36	284	5,604,049	379.47
SERVICES	132	1,139	17,620,140	297.50
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	35	902	17,955,192	382.81
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	215	3,811,971	340.96
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	26	226	4,629,523	393.93
BAXTER COUNTY - TOTAL	1,039	13,251	\$254,202,315	\$368.92
MANUFACTURING	69	4,096	89,465,018	420.04
NONMANUFACTURING	970	9,155	164,737,297	346.04
CONSTRUCTION	111	480	8,337,263	334.02
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	46	373	8,906,796	459.21
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	313	2,945	36,913,217	241.04
WHOLESALE TRADE	40	283	4,888,964	332.22
RETAIL TRADE	273	2,662	32,024,253	231.35
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	68	390	8,851,226	436.45
SERVICES	367	3,573	74,840,969	402.81
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	31	959	19,031,958	381.65
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	233	4,512,011	372.40
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	23	202	3,343,857	318.34

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
BENTON COUNTY - TOTAL	2,991	59,910	\$1,407,045,569	\$451.65
MANUFACTURING	226	16,772	418,428,001	479.77
NONMANUFACTURING	2,765	43,138	988,617,568	440.72
CONSTRUCTION	411	2,287	51,011,904	428.95
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	151	3,636	110,052,409	582.07
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	887	19,564	455,847,437	448.08
WHOLESALE TRADE	201	1,492	48,275,470	622.23
RETAIL TRADE	686	18,072	407,571,967	433.71
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	237	2,374	59,559,607	482.47
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	913	9,505	189,940,986	384.29
STATE GOVERNMENT	64	4,144	90,516,475	420.05
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	18	534	10,460,655	376.72
	84	1,094	21,228,095	373.16
BOONE COUNTY - TOTAL	911	13,192	\$258,221,492	\$376.42
MANUFACTURING	71	3,387	75,940,123	431.17
NONMANUFACTURING	840	9,805	182,281,369	357.51
CONSTRUCTION	83	454	9,259,998	392.24
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	45	820	24,565,361	576.11
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	289	4,075	63,996,624	302.01
WHOLESALE TRADE	59	1,477	31,234,045	406.67
RETAIL TRADE	230	2,598	32,762,579	242.51
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	67	366	8,285,334	435.34
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	285	1,789	27,233,325	292.74
STATE GOVERNMENT	43	1,765	36,059,366	392.89
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	18	503	12,560,445	480.21
	10	33	320,916	187.01
BRADLEY COUNTY - TOTAL	345	4,001	\$77,761,824	\$373.76
MANUFACTURING	66	1,258	34,927,939	533.94
NONMANUFACTURING	279	2,743	42,833,885	300.30
CONSTRUCTION	29	129	2,022,010	301.43
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	23	76	1,906,724	482.47
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	90	702	8,949,288	245.16
WHOLESALE TRADE	19	145	2,170,970	287.93
RETAIL TRADE	71	557	6,778,318	234.03
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	20	147	2,724,774	356.46
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	74	494	7,380,927	287.33
STATE GOVERNMENT	18	705	13,002,558	354.68
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	12	284	5,223,363	353.69
	13	206	1,624,241	151.63

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
CALHOUN COUNTY - TOTAL	142	2,838	\$74,306,858	\$503.52
MANUFACTURING	42	1,785	54,254,035	584.51
NONMANUFACTURING	100	1,053	20,052,823	366.22
CONSTRUCTION	11	99	1,499,290	291.24
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	16	102	2,538,764	478.65
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	27	102	1,154,826	217.73
SERVICES	16	116	2,012,920	333.71
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	13	198	3,695,422	358.92
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	298	5,951,909	384.09
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	7	138	3,199,692	445.89
CARROLL COUNTY - TOTAL	774	9,348	\$153,192,220	\$315.15
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	21	461	9,072,339	378.46
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	276	1,950	23,542,905	232.18
WHOLESALE TRADE	20	62	1,229,442	381.34
RETAIL TRADE	256	1,888	22,313,463	227.28
SERVICES	237	1,813	27,072,333	287.16
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	24	763	14,515,537	365.85
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	83	1,662,804	385.27
OTHER *	206	4,278	77,326,302	347.60
CHICOT COUNTY - TOTAL	359	4,376	\$73,347,036	\$322.33
MANUFACTURING	11	1,175	15,676,911	256.58
NONMANUFACTURING	348	3,201	57,670,125	346.47
CONSTRUCTION	18	172	3,569,657	399.11
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	25	127	3,297,129	499.26
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	108	810	11,875,690	281.95
WHOLESALE TRADE	27	257	5,891,809	440.87
RETAIL TRADE	81	553	5,983,881	208.09
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	30	147	3,089,459	404.17
SERVICES	88	499	8,210,709	316.43
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	863	15,898,818	354.28
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	297	6,405,561	414.76
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	50	286	5,323,102	357.93

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
CLARK COUNTY - TOTAL	606	9,617	\$181,167,883	\$362.27
MANUFACTURING	90	3,339	70,112,915	403.81
NONMANUFACTURING	516	6,278	111,054,968	340.18
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	6	24	360,946	289.22
CONSTRUCTION	38	177	3,691,701	401.10
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	32	406	10,621,127	503.08
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	169	1,907	23,266,084	234.62
WHOLESALE TRADE	27	179	3,935,457	422.80
RETAIL TRADE	142	1,728	19,330,627	215.13
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	54	346	7,422,630	412.55
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	177	1,662	28,809,518	333.35
STATE GOVERNMENT	27	768	14,215,261	355.95
	15	987	22,667,701	441.66
CLAY COUNTY - TOTAL	467	6,008	\$95,209,436	\$304.75
MANUFACTURING	28	2,705	42,681,268	303.44
NONMANUFACTURING	439	3,303	52,528,168	305.83
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	62	194	2,826,587	280.19
CONSTRUCTION	38	133	2,201,586	318.33
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	46	232	5,496,203	455.59
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	132	1,268	17,389,532	263.73
WHOLESALE TRADE	42	521	9,438,836	348.40
RETAIL TRADE	90	747	7,950,696	204.68
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	35	153	2,826,778	355.30
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	93	477	6,735,984	271.57
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	755	12,968,856	330.33
	12	90	2,082,642	445.01
CLEBURNE COUNTY - TOTAL	544	5,636	\$100,839,726	\$344.08
MANUFACTURING	46	1,518	30,510,652	386.52
NONMANUFACTURING	498	4,118	70,329,074	328.43
CONSTRUCTION	50	283	5,310,342	360.85
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	40	328	8,018,335	470.12
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	184	1,351	19,260,197	274.16
WHOLESALE TRADE	37	186	4,585,053	474.05
RETAIL TRADE	147	1,165	14,675,144	242.24
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	36	205	4,023,087	377.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	148	1,201	19,537,518	312.84
STATE GOVERNMENT	20	590	11,378,429	370.87
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	10	130	2,469,558	365.32
	10	30	331,608	212.57

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
CLEVELAND COUNTY - TOTAL	123	1,086	\$17,081,131	\$302.47
MANUFACTURING	26	241	3,820,358	304.85
NONMANUFACTURING	97	845	13,260,773	301.79
CONSTRUCTION	15	64	817,863	245.75
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	14	99	1,907,486	370.53
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	24	118	1,221,628	199.09
WHOLESALE TRADE	5	41	526,535	246.97
RETAIL TRADE	19	77	695,093	173.60
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	6	29	493,695	327.38
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	12	291	4,966,991	328.24
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	66	1,310,476	381.84
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	18	178	2,542,634	274.70
COLUMBIA COUNTY - TOTAL	754	9,864	\$216,403,062	\$421.90
MANUFACTURING	59	3,250	96,157,854	568.98
NONMANUFACTURING	695	6,614	120,245,208	349.62
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	22	152	3,109,516	393.41
MINING	37	332	9,765,023	565.63
CONSTRUCTION	49	222	4,876,913	422.46
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	64	571	14,514,917	488.85
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	210	2,060	25,137,511	234.67
WHOLESALE TRADE	46	319	5,899,118	355.63
RETAIL TRADE	164	1,741	19,238,393	212.50
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	38	278	6,151,673	425.54
SERVICES	228	1,398	22,047,235	303.28
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	30	1,102	21,957,078	383.17
STATE GOVERNMENT	17	500	12,685,342	487.90
CONWAY COUNTY - TOTAL	440	6,852	\$144,925,046	\$406.75
MANUFACTURING	30	1,937	52,762,375	523.83
NONMANUFACTURING	410	4,915	92,162,671	360.60
CONSTRUCTION	46	467	13,607,945	560.37
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	30	436	8,654,191	381.71
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	145	1,511	21,388,538	272.22
WHOLESALE TRADE	30	325	7,522,291	445.11
RETAIL TRADE	115	1,186	13,866,247	224.84
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	21	145	2,699,001	357.96
SERVICES	121	1,207	22,729,735	362.15
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	25	720	13,617,520	363.72
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	338	5,993,915	341.03
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	9	91	3,471,826	733.69

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
CRAIGHEAD COUNTY - TOTAL	2,266	34,873	\$757,176,582	\$417.55
MANUFACTURING	134	7,613	195,463,938	493.75
NONMANUFACTURING	2,132	27,260	561,712,644	396.26
CONSTRUCTION	232	1,770	34,472,152	374.53
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	142	1,768	44,191,409	480.68
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	729	8,975	131,875,658	282.57
WHOLESALE TRADE	179	1,594	41,786,940	504.14
RETAIL TRADE	550	7,381	90,088,718	234.72
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	174	1,130	29,948,379	509.67
SERVICES	728	8,790	207,142,833	453.19
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	2,411	52,673,925	420.14
STATE GOVERNMENT	24	2,064	55,470,088	516.83
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	63	352	5,938,200	324.42
CRAWFORD COUNTY - TOTAL	940	14,050	\$278,857,801	\$381.68
MANUFACTURING	65	4,377	83,037,575	364.83
NONMANUFACTURING	875	9,673	195,820,226	389.31
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	15	135	1,865,680	265.77
MINING	4	50	1,534,147	590.06
CONSTRUCTION	154	842	18,812,937	429.68
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	68	1,734	51,010,751	565.73
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	290	2,885	40,036,250	266.87
WHOLESALE TRADE	76	498	10,971,664	423.68
RETAIL TRADE	214	2,387	29,064,586	234.16
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	63	327	7,161,144	421.14
SERVICES	232	2,044	37,671,318	354.43
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	1,495	33,859,405	435.55
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	162	3,868,594	459.23
CRITTENDEN COUNTY - TOTAL	1,113	16,279	\$318,623,245	\$376.40
MANUFACTURING	58	2,488	61,401,114	474.59
NONMANUFACTURING	1,055	13,791	257,222,131	358.68
CONSTRUCTION	86	503	11,125,862	425.37
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	76	1,253	34,760,055	533.49
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	338	4,688	73,924,439	303.25
WHOLESALE TRADE	77	784	21,541,207	528.39
RETAIL TRADE	261	3,904	52,383,232	258.04
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	79	502	10,966,038	420.09
SERVICES	349	3,970	67,637,442	327.64
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	1,955	41,943,300	412.58
STATE GOVERNMENT	20	436	9,456,798	417.11
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	67	484	7,408,197	294.35

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
CROSS COUNTY - TOTAL	429	6,074	\$114,807,692	\$363.49
MANUFACTURING	23	1,892	40,874,325	415.46
NONMANUFACTURING	406	4,182	73,933,367	339.98
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	37	165	2,897,685	337.73
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	39	451	10,853,831	462.81
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	136	1,412	20,805,384	283.36
WHOLESALE TRADE	35	319	7,485,015	451.23
RETAIL TRADE	101	1,093	13,320,369	234.36
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	33	214	4,483,599	402.91
SERVICES	98	739	11,394,353	296.51
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	869	16,700,108	369.57
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	222	4,972,860	430.77
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	31	110	1,825,547	319.15
DALLAS COUNTY - TOTAL	294	3,335	\$63,880,132	\$368.36
MANUFACTURING	69	1,124	27,305,644	467.18
NONMANUFACTURING	225	2,211	36,574,488	318.12
CONSTRUCTION	21	122	2,359,643	371.95
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	22	98	2,284,213	448.24
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	86	672	9,529,064	272.70
WHOLESALE TRADE	19	94	2,244,133	459.11
RETAIL TRADE	67	578	7,284,931	242.38
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	10	73	1,368,141	360.42
SERVICES	54	721	11,706,789	312.25
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	418	7,017,152	322.84
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	82	1,907,073	447.25
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	6	25	402,413	309.55
DESHA COUNTY - TOTAL	444	5,540	\$108,595,470	\$376.96
MANUFACTURING	20	1,463	36,354,930	477.88
NONMANUFACTURING	424	4,077	72,240,540	340.75
CONSTRUCTION	27	232	5,869,750	486.55
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	34	223	4,861,992	419.28
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	142	1,251	17,795,320	273.56
WHOLESALE TRADE	28	267	6,910,402	497.72
RETAIL TRADE	114	984	10,884,918	212.73
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	34	227	4,102,119	347.52
SERVICES	110	740	11,517,287	299.31
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	22	923	18,198,166	379.16
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	183	3,764,501	395.60
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	42	298	6,131,405	395.68

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
DREW COUNTY - TOTAL	474	7,329	\$ 135,401,864	\$355.28
MANUFACTURING	66	2,877	55,732,199	372.53
NONMANUFACTURING	408	4,452	79,669,665	344.14
CONSTRUCTION	24	101	1,881,209	358.19
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	29	174	4,408,679	487.25
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	141	1,463	19,609,613	257.76
WHOLESALE TRADE	31	219	5,517,228	484.48
RETAIL TRADE	110	1,244	14,092,385	217.85
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	32	213	5,210,481	470.43
SERVICES	123	897	13,207,483	283.16
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	24	948	18,173,746	368.67
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	516	14,087,382	525.02
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	21	140	3,091,072	424.60
FAULKNER COUNTY - TOTAL	1,491	28,191	\$609,576,921	\$415.83
MANUFACTURING	85	7,302	185,079,840	487.43
NONMANUFACTURING	1,406	20,889	424,497,081	390.80
CONSTRUCTION	221	2,175	49,064,443	433.81
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	48	524	14,804,120	543.31
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	462	6,090	79,829,862	252.08
WHOLESALE TRADE	105	698	15,339,811	422.63
RETAIL TRADE	357	5,392	64,490,051	230.01
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	118	686	16,388,035	459.41
SERVICES	476	6,683	150,952,950	434.38
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	32	2,018	45,158,990	430.35
STATE GOVERNMENT	20	2,552	65,521,677	493.74
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	29	161	2,777,004	331.70
FRANKLIN COUNTY - TOTAL	299	4,240	\$78,129,218	\$354.36
MANUFACTURING	19	1,394	26,026,375	359.04
NONMANUFACTURING	280	2,846	52,102,843	352.07
CONSTRUCTION	23	178	3,844,505	415.35
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	25	373	10,072,133	519.29
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	93	765	7,904,086	198.69
WHOLESALE TRADE	15	71	844,021	228.61
RETAIL TRADE	78	694	7,060,065	195.63
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	19	162	3,397,534	403.32
SERVICES	78	543	9,185,149	325.30
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	23	608	11,931,033	377.37
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	149	3,349,744	432.34
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	8	68	2,418,659	684.01

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
FULTON COUNTY - TOTAL	184	1,918	\$28,767,798	\$288.44
MANUFACTURING	12	332	4,086,386	236.70
NONMANUFACTURING	172	1,586	24,681,412	299.27
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	14	107	2,843,283	511.01
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	65	375	3,823,417	196.07
WHOLESALE TRADE	9	50	571,367	219.76
RETAIL TRADE	56	325	3,252,050	192.43
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	10	60	1,107,488	354.96
SERVICES	48	411	5,512,017	257.91
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	13	425	7,532,995	340.86
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	83	1,696,961	393.18
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	12	125	2,165,251	333.12
GARLAND COUNTY - TOTAL	2,591	31,985	\$633,996,841	\$381.19
MANUFACTURING	122	3,862	98,619,000	491.07
NONMANUFACTURING	2,469	28,123	535,377,841	366.10
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	63	469	8,406,991	344.72
CONSTRUCTION	355	2,132	41,695,707	376.10
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	90	1,072	29,107,364	522.16
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	834	9,162	132,189,307	277.46
WHOLESALE TRADE	170	1,415	34,883,889	474.09
RETAIL TRADE	664	7,747	97,305,418	241.55
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	210	1,371	33,590,338	471.17
SERVICES	844	10,566	212,849,529	387.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	35	2,255	49,948,573	425.96
STATE GOVERNMENT	24	891	21,567,982	465.51
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	14	205	6,022,050	564.92
GRANT COUNTY - TOTAL	266	3,672	\$75,000,442	\$392.79
MANUFACTURING	43	1,593	39,483,921	476.65
NONMANUFACTURING	223	2,079	35,516,521	328.53
CONSTRUCTION	25	130	2,608,466	385.87
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	26	139	3,453,833	477.84
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	71	640	8,250,579	247.91
WHOLESALE TRADE	12	76	2,085,894	527.81
RETAIL TRADE	59	564	6,164,685	210.20
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	13	80	1,623,440	390.25
SERVICES	63	309	4,544,366	282.82
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	10	653	12,128,138	357.17
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	78	1,641,950	404.82
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	7	50	1,265,749	486.83

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
GREENE COUNTY - TOTAL	784	13,378	\$264,472,772	\$380.18
MANUFACTURING	58	5,746	138,722,647	464.28
NONMANUFACTURING	726	7,632	125,750,125	316.86
CONSTRUCTION	68	306	5,108,789	321.07
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	33	134	3,511,713	503.98
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	278	2,718	34,407,282	243.44
WHOLESALE TRADE	64	427	8,656,249	389.85
RETAIL TRADE	214	2,291	25,751,033	216.16
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	54	267	6,306,037	454.19
SERVICES	226	2,643	43,622,045	317.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	31	1,221	24,909,589	392.33
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	221	5,499,411	478.54
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	24	122	2,385,259	375.99
HEMPSTEAD COUNTY - TOTAL	527	9,093	\$173,128,331	\$366.15
MANUFACTURING	41	3,599	77,032,142	411.61
NONMANUFACTURING	486	5,494	96,096,189	336.37
CONSTRUCTION	40	183	3,809,043	400.28
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	28	236	7,770,696	633.21
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	155	1,517	18,193,494	230.64
WHOLESALE TRADE	28	192	3,554,526	356.02
RETAIL TRADE	127	1,325	14,638,968	212.47
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	29	237	5,126,237	415.96
SERVICES	168	1,679	27,064,588	309.99
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	34	898	17,845,945	382.17
STATE GOVERNMENT	16	405	9,283,157	440.80
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	16	339	7,003,029	397.27
HOT SPRING COUNTY - TOTAL	562	7,120	\$144,614,844	\$390.60
MANUFACTURING	85	2,327	59,734,140	493.65
NONMANUFACTURING	477	4,793	84,880,704	340.56
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	11	94	1,421,404	290.79
MINING	3	53	1,560,283	566.14
CONSTRUCTION	77	317	5,671,419	344.06
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	43	251	7,435,291	569.67
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	144	1,433	20,241,356	271.64
WHOLESALE TRADE	26	185	5,190,528	539.56
RETAIL TRADE	118	1,248	15,050,828	231.92
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	30	243	4,668,662	369.47
SERVICES	128	818	11,815,875	277.79
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	30	1,289	25,644,552	382.59
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	296	6,421,862	417.22

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
HOWARD COUNTY - TOTAL	367	8,408	\$152,659,678	\$349.16
MANUFACTURING	42	5,127	98,186,317	368.29
NONMANUFACTURING	325	3,281	54,473,361	319.28
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	18	266	4,851,101	350.72
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	24	321	7,600,213	455.32
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	120	1,026	12,030,134	225.49
WHOLESALE TRADE	28	136	2,688,206	380.12
RETAIL TRADE	92	890	9,341,928	201.86
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	22	144	2,723,802	363.76
SERVICES	90	776	12,443,792	308.38
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	20	526	10,298,971	376.53
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	166	3,488,196	404.10
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	18	56	1,037,152	356.16
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY - TOTAL	846	15,030	\$315,542,655	\$403.73
MANUFACTURING	57	5,490	132,205,169	463.10
NONMANUFACTURING	789	9,540	183,337,486	369.57
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	16	120	2,466,300	395.24
MINING	4	60	1,285,869	412.14
CONSTRUCTION	61	339	6,228,369	353.32
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	65	1,217	34,795,777	549.84
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	277	2,975	40,144,674	259.50
WHOLESALE TRADE	54	566	12,321,117	418.63
RETAIL TRADE	223	2,409	27,823,557	222.11
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	62	311	7,711,773	476.86
SERVICES	253	3,008	60,007,110	383.64
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	37	1,190	23,269,783	376.05
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	321	7,427,831	444.99
IZARD COUNTY - TOTAL	243	2,437	\$42,851,583	\$338.15
MANUFACTURING	21	350	9,941,613	546.24
NONMANUFACTURING	222	2,087	32,909,970	303.25
CONSTRUCTION	22	91	1,467,715	310.17
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	13	104	2,249,249	415.91
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	82	440	5,397,737	235.92
WHOLESALE TRADE	9	16	207,937	249.92
RETAIL TRADE	73	424	5,189,800	235.39
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	24	161	2,623,622	313.38
SERVICES	49	520	6,030,165	223.01
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	18	435	7,846,364	346.88
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	267	5,789,019	416.96
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	4	69	1,506,099	419.76

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JACKSON COUNTY - TOTAL	563	5,837	\$114,732,754	\$378.00
MANUFACTURING	35	1,362	35,392,308	499.72
NONMANUFACTURING	528	4,475	79,340,446	340.96
CONSTRUCTION	34	269	5,512,354	394.08
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	29	298	6,738,385	434.85
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	175	1,346	18,454,328	263.66
WHOLESALE TRADE	37	240	5,654,219	453.06
RETAIL TRADE	138	1,106	12,800,109	222.56
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	32	168	3,677,159	420.92
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	165	1,319	25,653,655	374.03
STATE GOVERNMENT	35	686	11,805,654	330.95
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	13	199	4,014,861	387.98
	45	190	3,484,050	352.64
JEFFERSON COUNTY - TOTAL	1,806	32,733	\$718,406,905	\$422.07
MANUFACTURING	94	7,968	216,772,064	523.18
NONMANUFACTURING	1,712	24,765	501,634,841	389.53
CONSTRUCTION	114	966	22,198,699	441.92
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	87	1,127	39,143,736	667.94
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	614	7,467	108,595,011	279.68
WHOLESALE TRADE	123	1,224	29,419,959	462.23
RETAIL TRADE	491	6,243	79,175,052	243.89
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	141	1,290	30,751,808	458.43
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	625	7,817	156,198,211	384.27
STATE GOVERNMENT	42	3,204	72,160,556	433.12
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	28	2,496	67,769,409	522.14
	61	398	4,817,411	232.77
JOHNSON COUNTY - TOTAL	407	7,640	\$138,837,593	\$349.47
MANUFACTURING	49	3,276	65,152,049	382.46
NONMANUFACTURING	358	4,364	73,685,544	324.71
CONSTRUCTION	32	102	1,510,856	284.85
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	16	118	2,508,704	408.85
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	139	2,004	29,049,872	278.77
WHOLESALE TRADE	19	65	1,178,884	348.78
RETAIL TRADE	120	1,939	27,870,988	276.42
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	30	217	4,384,838	388.59
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	104	984	16,459,315	321.67
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	644	13,722,884	409.79
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	9	138	2,837,412	395.40
	14	157	3,211,663	393.39

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
LAFAYETTE COUNTY - TOTAL	186	1,838	\$32,913,164	\$344.37
MANUFACTURING	16	525	9,831,969	360.15
NONMANUFACTURING	170	1,313	23,081,195	338.06
MINING	8	66	1,744,764	508.38
CONSTRUCTION	11	67	1,707,231	490.02
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	17	125	3,658,627	562.87
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	49	220	2,352,819	205.67
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	17	97	2,332,357	462.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	30	189	2,324,289	236.50
STATE GOVERNMENT	16	383	6,289,313	315.79
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	10	100	1,823,672	350.71
	12	66	848,123	247.12
LAWRENCE COUNTY - TOTAL	449	5,032	\$84,069,658	\$321.29
MANUFACTURING	38	1,633	28,862,718	339.90
NONMANUFACTURING	411	3,399	55,206,940	312.35
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	32	116	2,050,529	339.94
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	45	161	3,437,633	410.61
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	144	1,191	15,535,224	250.84
WHOLESALE TRADE	33	258	5,225,309	389.48
RETAIL TRADE	111	933	10,309,915	212.51
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	24	144	2,790,425	372.65
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	98	523	7,683,131	282.51
STATE GOVERNMENT	31	978	17,259,032	339.37
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	12	151	3,698,557	471.03
	25	135	2,752,409	392.08
LEE COUNTY - TOTAL	232	2,405	\$42,414,784	\$339.16
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	31	213	3,038,055	274.29
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	21	106	2,271,157	412.04
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	65	444	6,613,194	286.43
WHOLESALE TRADE	9	71	1,884,136	510.33
RETAIL TRADE	56	373	4,729,058	243.82
SERVICES	60	414	6,035,130	280.34
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	452	8,711,451	370.64
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	351	6,817,500	373.52
OTHER	30	425	8,928,297	404.00

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LINCOLN COUNTY - TOTAL	195	3,016	\$59,038,517	\$376.44
MANUFACTURING	18	737	14,545,060	379.53
NONMANUFACTURING	177	2,279	44,493,457	375.45
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	29	191	3,622,533	364.73
CONSTRUCTION	18	93	1,989,441	411.38
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	45	286	3,452,055	232.12
WHOLESALE TRADE	8	44	1,002,269	438.05
RETAIL TRADE	37	242	2,449,786	194.67
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	14	64	1,347,658	404.95
SERVICES	34	323	5,315,151	316.45
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	9	393	7,321,725	358.28
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	787	17,645,641	431.18
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	17	142	3,799,253	514.53
LITTLE RIVER COUNTY - TOTAL	287	4,407	\$130,448,554	\$569.24
MANUFACTURING	25	1,739	83,838,758	927.13
NONMANUFACTURING	262	2,668	46,609,796	335.96
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	25	406	8,589,296	406.84
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	91	643	7,428,223	222.16
WHOLESALE TRADE	14	50	1,200,988	461.92
RETAIL TRADE	77	593	6,227,235	201.95
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	20	127	2,361,865	357.64
SERVICES	66	319	4,262,474	256.96
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	20	703	12,686,828	347.05
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	92	1,941,125	405.75
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	28	378	9,339,985	475.17
LOGAN COUNTY - TOTAL	446	6,140	\$110,586,943	\$346.36
MANUFACTURING	45	2,645	56,177,248	408.44
NONMANUFACTURING	401	3,495	54,409,695	299.38
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	8	109	1,332,503	235.09
CONSTRUCTION	36	92	1,826,477	381.79
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	42	102	2,517,098	474.57
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	136	1,139	12,768,058	215.57
WHOLESALE TRADE	25	109	1,948,241	343.73
RETAIL TRADE	111	1,030	10,819,817	202.01
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	35	186	3,694,273	381.96
SERVICES	105	677	10,125,410	287.62
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	23	676	12,513,563	355.98
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	483	8,818,837	351.12
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	4	31	813,476	504.64

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LONOKE COUNTY - TOTAL	918	9,487	\$179,509,635	\$363.88
MANUFACTURING	39	1,843	45,210,554	471.75
NONMANUFACTURING	879	7,644	134,299,081	337.87
CONSTRUCTION	117	688	15,441,442	431.61
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	61	282	6,674,997	455.20
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	280	2,531	34,329,255	260.84
WHOLESALE TRADE	59	399	10,225,871	492.86
RETAIL TRADE	221	2,132	24,103,384	217.41
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	68	335	7,174,095	411.83
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	232	1,576	25,173,044	307.17
STATE GOVERNMENT	28	1,583	30,505,081	370.59
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	15	192	4,885,370	489.32
	78	457	10,115,797	425.68
MADISON COUNTY	208	2,434	\$43,677,038	\$345.09
MANUFACTURING	29	911	17,969,782	379.33
NONMANUFACTURING	179	1,523	25,707,256	324.60
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	5	19	221,021	223.71
CONSTRUCTION	23	61	996,585	314.18
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	15	89	2,329,285	503.30
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	59	457	5,241,122	220.55
WHOLESALE TRADE	10	31	581,828	360.94
RETAIL TRADE	49	426	4,659,294	210.33
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	12	81	1,500,201	356.17
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	47	277	4,489,987	311.72
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	460	8,473,429	354.24
	8	60	1,370,885	439.39
MARION COUNTY - TOTAL	249	3,736	\$61,069,767	\$314.35
MANUFACTURING	31	1,871	31,667,137	325.49
NONMANUFACTURING	218	1,865	29,402,630	303.18
CONSTRUCTION	17	54	889,254	316.69
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	11	79	2,745,619	668.36
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	62	530	6,405,502	232.42
WHOLESALE TRADE	6	42	863,925	395.57
RETAIL TRADE	56	488	5,541,577	218.38
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	19	120	2,268,082	363.47
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	76	548	6,414,698	225.11
STATE GOVERNMENT	19	402	7,866,434	376.31
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	8	97	2,144,738	425.21
	6	35	668,303	367.20

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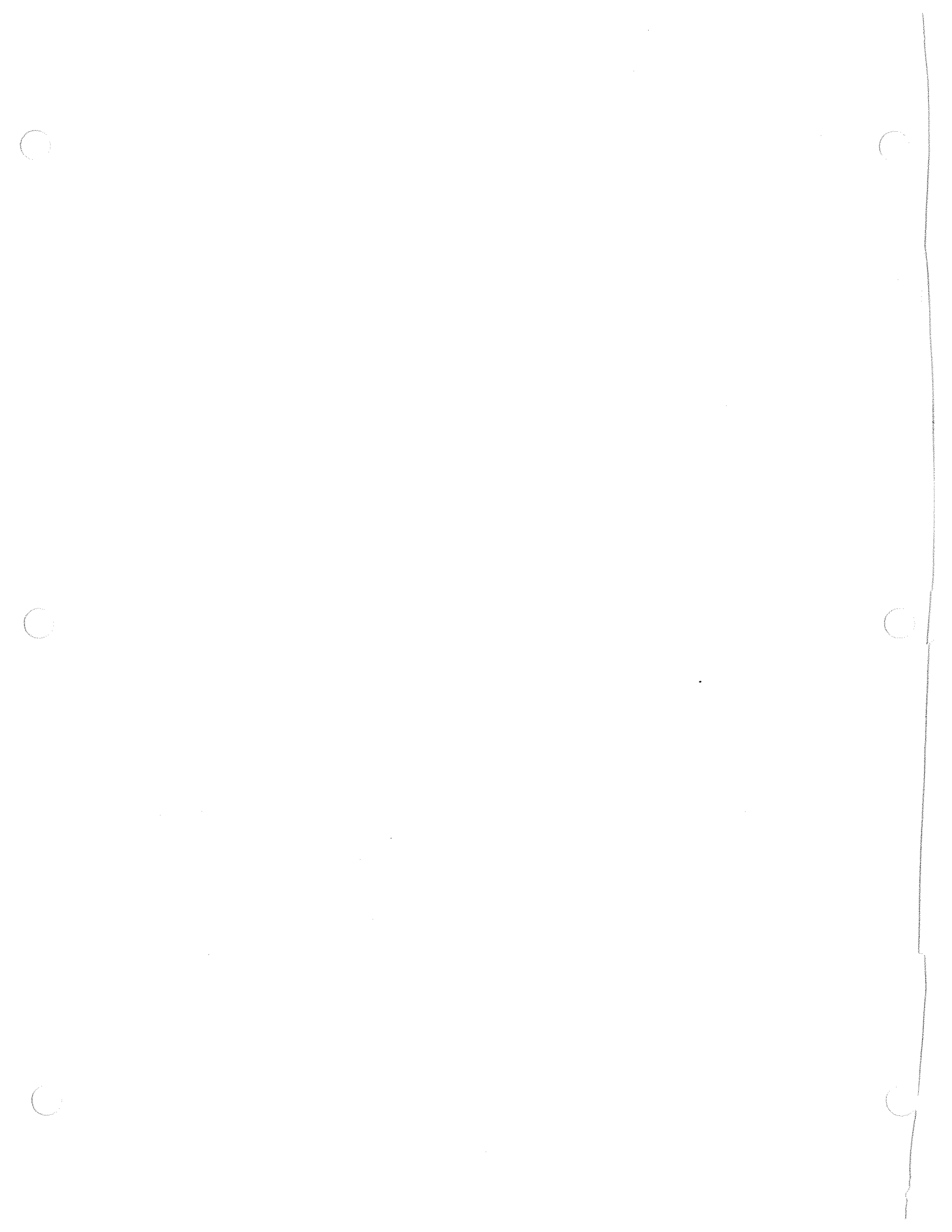
INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
MILLER COUNTY - TOTAL	813	13,093	\$287,215,711	\$421.86
MANUFACTURING	47	2,884	106,994,076	713.45
NONMANUFACTURING	766	10,209	180,221,635	339.48
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	15	78	1,558,742	384.31
MINING	6	32	1,248,514	750.31
CONSTRUCTION	85	825	18,596,163	433.48
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	51	759	19,516,796	494.50
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	290	3,472	50,046,648	277.20
WHOLESALE TRADE	62	769	17,933,916	448.48
RETAIL TRADE	228	2,703	32,112,732	228.47
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	52	424	9,882,739	448.24
SERVICES	229	2,796	38,225,012	262.91
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	23	1,471	33,260,084	434.82
STATE GOVERNMENT	15	353	7,886,937	429.67
MISSISSIPPI COUNTY - TOTAL	1,257	22,089	\$499,561,980	\$434.92
MANUFACTURING	72	9,274	268,800,831	557.39
NONMANUFACTURING	1,185	12,815	230,761,149	346.29
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	115	801	13,006,869	312.27
CONSTRUCTION	87	585	14,242,472	468.19
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	68	647	18,354,846	545.56
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	399	3,968	59,365,572	287.71
WHOLESALE TRADE	85	933	24,939,588	514.05
RETAIL TRADE	314	3,035	34,425,984	218.13
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	103	562	14,256,277	487.83
SERVICES	339	3,452	56,458,496	314.53
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	49	2,212	43,386,169	377.19
STATE GOVERNMENT	26	588	11,690,448	382.34
MONROE COUNTY - TOTAL	349	3,023	\$44,536,499	\$283.32
MANUFACTURING	13	447	6,512,832	280.19
NONMANUFACTURING	336	2,576	38,023,667	283.86
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	31	138	2,365,837	329.69
CONSTRUCTION	17	52	717,793	265.46
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	36	149	3,134,078	404.50
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	113	1,004	12,076,448	231.31
WHOLESALE TRADE	27	241	4,369,139	348.64
RETAIL TRADE	86	763	7,707,309	194.26
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	23	117	2,524,607	414.96
SERVICES	84	569	7,159,362	241.97
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	21	422	7,534,470	343.35
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	127	2,511,072	380.24

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EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL EARNINGS, BY INDUSTRY
CALENDAR YEAR 1996**

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
MONTGOMERY COUNTY - TOTAL	195	1,478	\$23,387,705	\$304.31
MANUFACTURING	35	331	5,175,340	300.68
NONMANUFACTURING	160	1,147	18,212,365	305.35
CONSTRUCTION	20	103	1,962,865	366.48
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	11	41	511,612	239.97
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	49	230	3,298,505	275.79
WHOLESALE TRADE	12	37	740,579	384.92
RETAIL TRADE	37	193	2,557,926	254.88
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	12	61	1,173,512	369.96
SERVICES	42	238	2,943,940	237.87
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	11	336	5,799,448	331.93
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	74	1,551,366	403.16
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	7	64	971,117	291.80
NEVADA COUNTY - TOTAL	221	2,322	\$44,715,491	\$370.33
MANUFACTURING	22	624	17,909,223	551.94
NONMANUFACTURING	199	1,698	26,806,268	303.60
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	18	195	5,093,768	502.34
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	57	404	4,751,078	226.16
WHOLESALE TRADE	7	36	341,961	182.67
RETAIL TRADE	50	368	4,409,117	230.41
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	12	41	968,403	454.22
SERVICES	49	413	5,087,452	236.89
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	30	454	7,153,951	303.03
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	114	2,683,602	452.70
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	22	77	1,068,014	266.74
NEWTON COUNTY - TOTAL	120	958	\$13,576,136	\$272.53
MANUFACTURING	27	115	1,233,991	206.35
NONMANUFACTURING	93	843	12,342,145	281.55
CONSTRUCTION	12	42	485,815	222.44
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	23	147	1,373,146	179.64
WHOLESALE TRADE	3	19	249,520	252.55
RETAIL TRADE	20	128	1,123,626	168.81
SERVICES	27	164	1,690,958	198.28
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	9	319	5,623,202	338.99
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	94	1,576,880	322.60
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	14	77	1,592,144	397.64

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
OUACHITA COUNTY - TOTAL	678	8,216	\$173,610,039	\$406.36
MANUFACTURING	73	2,081	59,492,308	549.78
NONMANUFACTURING	605	6,135	114,117,731	357.71
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	13	59	1,104,807	360.11
MINING	14	114	2,950,229	497.68
CONSTRUCTION	39	223	3,789,743	326.81
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	46	372	10,156,297	525.04
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	229	2,081	30,840,906	285.00
WHOLESALE TRADE	45	351	8,691,471	476.19
RETAIL TRADE	184	1,730	22,149,435	246.21
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	47	309	6,975,039	434.10
SERVICES	180	1,558	26,820,597	331.05
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	32	1,121	23,216,114	398.27
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	266	6,129,446	443.14
PERRY COUNTY - TOTAL	126	1,207	\$20,701,246	\$329.83
MANUFACTURING	6	212	3,838,319	348.18
NONMANUFACTURING	120	995	16,862,927	325.92
CONSTRUCTION	19	75	1,577,415	404.47
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	8	72	1,950,975	521.09
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	34	189	2,207,249	224.59
WHOLESALE TRADE	5	17	376,225	425.59
RETAIL TRADE	29	172	1,831,024	204.72
SERVICES	29	139	1,931,425	267.21
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	12	355	5,897,140	319.46
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	87	1,837,826	406.24
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	11	78	1,460,897	360.18
PHILLIPS COUNTY - TOTAL	675	8,221	\$148,263,233	\$346.82
MANUFACTURING	26	1,246	29,310,214	452.37
NONMANUFACTURING	649	6,975	118,953,019	327.97
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	51	447	6,658,851	286.48
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	45	330	9,331,602	543.80
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	227	1,925	27,820,382	277.93
WHOLESALE TRADE	46	481	11,488,658	459.33
RETAIL TRADE	181	1,444	16,331,724	217.50
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	42	298	6,295,340	406.26
SERVICES	200	1,895	30,703,328	311.58
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	32	1,295	23,123,058	343.38
STATE GOVERNMENT	15	517	9,935,274	369.56
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	37	268	5,085,184	364.90



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Year	Searcy	Sebastian	Sevier	Sharp	Stone	Union	Van Buren	Washington	White	Woodruff	Yell	Multi-County
1976	\$106.68	\$169.03	\$138.99	\$117.68	\$109.26	\$178.60	\$124.61	\$153.71	\$145.84	\$142.97	\$127.51	\$235.86
1977	113.75	184.09	145.66	123.76	112.77	188.54	137.91	164.09	156.03	151.63	137.91	252.05
1978	125.15	198.70	158.39	134.81	126.43	199.10	144.60	173.36	167.24	155.23	146.63	258.50
1979	138.99	218.32	172.28	144.26	141.01	216.41	163.36	190.33	180.97	174.91	160.30	286.32
1980	151.05	239.79	179.98	156.93	154.64	243.50	178.42	210.25	196.70	190.40	165.92	318.24
1981	163.81	264.47	196.49	175.19	168.30	264.63	207.51	227.56	218.81	204.38	180.26	359.78
1982	167.37	282.56	206.91	185.22	176.10	286.65	206.47	243.01	236.10	218.43	185.60	389.56
1983	170.15	299.36	218.79	197.82	184.05	299.13	205.94	256.04	242.91	227.84	195.78	408.44
1984	185.05	313.85	225.60	212.76	197.39	308.40	212.37	270.95	260.14	239.51	208.89	431.83
1985	198.97	322.73	231.78	220.20	204.41	321.12	217.10	285.64	270.34	236.81	220.68	448.34
1986	202.15	331.40	240.06	231.02	206.82	328.91	230.43	303.83	275.33	243.18	237.03	463.82
1987	201.99	339.23	249.87	230.10	212.09	338.80	235.90	315.84	285.46	253.38	233.45	472.89
1988	204.85	350.54	258.36	232.32	211.54	346.23	242.57	323.97	298.16	252.30	248.11	488.68
1989	213.55	353.52	272.65	241.11	216.28	354.42	250.80	335.99	308.67	274.76	257.14	500.01
1990	221.12	361.92	280.01	255.11	225.82	368.41	257.19	350.55	322.17	273.31	270.27	512.14
1991	230.86	375.76	296.13	260.73	232.58	387.50	266.61	361.63	337.92	289.64	280.78	535.37
1992	239.41	412.68	308.52	268.49	244.76	409.48	271.65	379.94	353.80	311.89	300.08	557.35
1993	238.25	399.48	319.88	272.50	248.02	413.86	271.47	387.66	358.78	319.82	302.40	560.61
1994	247.97	412.48	334.35	270.28	249.52	421.34	275.48	399.27	368.84	328.33	307.95	573.89
1995	251.64	423.53	337.57	277.86	262.24	435.47	287.39	415.41	376.10	333.12	320.96	596.41
1996	260.49	434.88	360.38	287.78	282.44	439.92	295.09	427.33	392.73	349.13	326.15	621.12

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Year	Searcy	Sebastian	Sevier	Sharp	Stone	Union	Van Buren	Washington	White	Woodruff	Yell	Multi-County
1951	\$ 27.54	\$ 50.87	\$ 35.86	\$ 24.23	\$ 26.29	\$ 58.07	\$ 28.26	\$ 38.77	\$ 35.69	\$ 36.49	\$ 35.81	\$ 66.59
1952	28.58	53.07	39.92	26.39	32.67	61.21	29.20	40.99	39.00	39.61	36.31	67.04
1953	29.75	55.20	37.27	27.71	31.90	65.35	29.70	43.81	40.45	39.50	38.93	70.20
1954	30.06	56.64	39.17	29.81	31.94	67.50	30.49	45.87	42.32	40.65	53.23	76.44
1955	30.31	58.33	40.31	28.02	33.83	68.58	32.63	45.98	42.44	41.50	39.23	74.30
1956	30.61	60.53	44.46	29.61	32.22	71.32	34.00	49.61	46.33	43.03	40.20	72.29
1957	31.43	62.19	51.08	32.13	33.29	74.33	36.15	52.10	48.29	41.97	43.18	79.47
1958	33.62	64.27	54.44	31.92	34.33	75.35	37.61	53.49	50.96	44.68	47.06	78.79
1959	34.68	69.05	50.83	33.40	35.07	78.17	38.77	58.09	51.97	46.81	49.66	83.45
1960	34.25	69.32	52.85	38.17	35.77	79.52	38.37	59.66	54.50	49.12	51.29	84.11
1961	35.72	71.91	54.75	40.96	36.57	81.78	50.13	62.98	64.06	52.22	58.42	87.82
1962	37.31	73.96	56.49	49.84	39.22	83.18	43.73	65.60	57.75	54.97	57.42	118.40
1963	37.64	77.04	59.67	49.54	39.87	85.76	46.13	69.17	60.00	57.78	58.19	104.99
1964	41.79	80.45	66.96	55.56	43.77	86.49	51.28	71.85	63.07	60.06	59.82	107.52
1965	47.95	82.65	66.47	59.69	43.68	89.51	54.03	73.08	64.79	68.97	80.34	111.48
1966	49.39	85.37	70.29	64.37	44.96	93.32	55.38	76.97	70.24	80.39	82.80	120.62
1967	53.47	89.47	74.43	71.50	50.14	99.00	60.28	81.54	73.76	82.61	71.64	124.50
1968	62.55	96.22	77.93	75.16	58.81	105.00	71.59	88.26	81.75	84.48	75.32	137.01
1969	68.79	102.68	79.51	80.75	60.95	112.20	78.93	92.94	87.95	89.19	81.14	148.59
1970	71.54	109.16	89.43	80.34	66.29	116.75	79.56	101.13	90.97	93.01	85.59	161.24
1971	71.01	116.96	98.44	86.92	71.83	122.95	86.34	109.89	97.23	99.40	85.28	161.61
1972	74.04	122.69	101.09	93.79	75.30	126.30	91.16	117.16	105.62	100.86	92.38	181.15
1973	82.06	130.26	109.83	97.20	76.09	134.68	105.38	123.44	112.79	110.26	101.80	187.31
1974	89.87	141.86	118.80	104.81	87.65	147.52	115.31	133.48	123.16	120.90	107.27	206.82
1975	98.83	156.03	133.54	108.64	98.69	163.74	121.35	142.22	133.49	132.38	116.05	217.33

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Year	Ouachita	Perry	Phillips	Pike	Poinsett	Polk	Pope	Prairie	Pulaski	Randolph	St. Francis	Saline	Scott
1976	\$171.94	\$119.55	\$165.42	\$127.18	\$136.18	\$134.50	\$174.82	\$131.36	\$181.44	\$136.94	\$150.94	\$206.15	\$124.60
1977	190.87	126.66	178.12	152.16	144.80	143.71	189.88	150.00	195.15	140.12	162.08	216.31	130.50
1978	198.32	140.28	178.18	161.10	153.77	154.76	191.30	165.43	207.87	150.61	171.44	226.05	140.41
1979	215.68	167.72	190.58	172.85	166.36	168.56	209.09	176.59	226.32	166.58	186.94	254.29	146.55
1980	240.39	179.65	199.44	178.38	180.98	183.87	225.32	192.79	249.83	181.23	211.59	280.08	154.86
1981	258.00	194.02	215.21	195.86	203.80	194.81	255.93	209.62	274.59	201.27	232.58	308.97	168.71
1982	273.65	206.64	218.51	206.99	216.04	201.68	263.35	211.99	296.84	212.28	249.36	319.48	189.08
1983	294.14	218.76	224.05	195.69	222.99	201.45	284.76	212.76	315.98	223.79	259.17	316.80	203.57
1984	305.08	235.36	234.01	207.76	240.58	217.48	290.81	220.33	326.16	232.70	271.63	314.64	213.05
1985	313.60	269.30	244.89	215.51	247.82	223.43	297.63	230.33	343.12	243.64	287.83	314.57	218.40
1986	321.05	266.22	252.94	218.23	254.31	231.84	319.20	245.44	360.61	247.35	289.32	318.11	233.49
1987	328.29	252.37	260.85	231.35	257.10	234.75	322.11	258.81	369.41	251.44	290.81	321.31	219.60
1988	337.45	263.27	266.83	236.98	263.05	242.93	340.77	263.80	376.10	260.44	292.82	324.53	229.33
1989	338.09	271.55	278.83	241.01	269.83	241.02	341.52	255.20	383.85	268.84	290.31	337.93	239.37
1990	340.73	286.20	288.33	247.48	280.67	265.19	375.70	271.08	400.84	275.99	305.06	346.59	259.11
1991	354.59	301.40	294.52	268.08	289.29	273.92	388.48	268.69	422.01	280.76	316.24	355.34	270.84
1992	368.67	312.68	305.79	280.43	306.46	293.72	416.15	313.98	446.33	306.74	329.35	365.96	289.41
1993	376.58	312.73	309.66	287.64	318.61	299.85	400.24	312.28	453.69	314.64	338.03	368.83	299.98
1994	376.43	310.27	320.84	293.95	333.31	303.71	411.50	311.20	462.16	311.99	348.08	394.58	310.95
1995	388.07	322.78	332.02	299.46	344.64	312.71	424.66	322.66	481.26	329.80	356.29	398.97	320.11
1996	406.36	329.83	346.82	308.86	364.80	322.89	436.34	338.17	497.54	355.61	378.60	403.47	311.86

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Year	Ouachita	Perry	Phillips	Pike	Poinsett	Polk	Pope	Prairie	Pulaski	Randolph	St. Francis	Saline	Scott
1951	\$ 59.70	\$ 19.82	\$ 41.03	\$ 32.57	\$ 37.90	\$ 31.84	\$ 33.39	\$ 31.45	\$ 49.50	\$ 40.83	\$ 42.84	\$ 48.18	\$ 35.34
1952	59.85	21.34	44.12	35.77	40.57	35.16	38.43	39.70	52.92	40.47	43.35	62.30	34.52
1953	61.70	24.06	46.29	34.94	42.36	33.75	38.81	43.32	55.88	45.24	54.09	68.15	29.07
1954	62.58	26.09	46.59	34.91	42.87	33.43	38.94	43.32	57.36	40.61	49.98	69.14	28.67
1955	64.13	28.38	47.42	37.44	44.02	34.44	41.62	48.13	59.73	40.15	45.17	72.15	31.62
1956	67.56	30.24	49.92	40.48	46.69	37.52	44.36	49.83	61.86	43.51	46.46	74.73	36.32
1957	73.51	28.82	51.72	40.18	47.44	39.98	46.21	48.50	64.26	43.15	47.25	79.78	35.36
1958	72.65	33.21	54.13	43.09	46.65	39.09	49.32	48.91	67.10	45.65	51.58	83.20	39.44
1959	70.74	31.19	60.21	45.85	51.91	41.23	51.49	49.85	69.92	48.77	58.90	85.84	42.98
1960	73.82	33.63	64.00	44.10	55.41	40.91	54.11	53.60	72.42	49.26	57.73	88.51	43.11
1961	76.17	33.12	66.02	47.08	53.61	43.56	55.04	53.41	74.43	55.19	60.55	89.34	46.90
1962	77.55	35.20	66.85	49.01	57.94	45.95	57.69	53.61	78.24	58.43	62.09	93.03	47.67
1963	79.67	34.40	69.27	54.05	60.00	46.84	63.25	55.59	82.52	59.58	64.91	92.61	51.29
1964	82.72	36.30	74.90	58.20	63.69	51.95	64.61	57.98	85.55	64.07	68.72	99.92	53.59
1965	84.50	36.31	81.81	58.58	66.36	54.26	67.08	60.29	89.27	65.56	71.97	101.63	61.61
1966	90.53	39.56	97.39	62.89	69.44	57.85	71.10	65.36	93.58	68.91	75.15	103.54	63.65
1967	99.13	45.99	102.22	65.01	75.51	64.27	76.13	69.09	97.67	75.11	78.48	110.48	68.14
1968	104.75	52.55	98.59	70.44	78.63	70.03	81.14	75.10	104.71	80.45	86.40	116.14	77.74
1969	111.40	62.15	102.38	75.76	83.97	82.63	91.53	77.56	111.21	83.77	93.65	121.99	82.20
1970	117.73	73.29	101.93	80.45	87.50	87.21	98.81	83.57	118.21	87.94	96.71	129.39	89.86
1971	123.09	83.21	113.00	84.13	95.71	88.44	113.23	87.44	127.08	93.76	101.41	138.44	90.83
1972	130.47	90.01	117.10	91.77	100.87	97.12	126.80	91.30	132.90	97.63	110.16	142.71	96.25
1973	136.16	102.59	125.70	103.12	107.00	107.79	128.98	101.14	140.81	104.15	116.63	150.90	103.23
1974	147.42	100.02	135.79	117.10	112.58	117.17	144.23	116.74	153.27	111.34	129.64	172.56	112.99
1975	151.57	112.84	151.70	118.78	122.87	121.42	155.91	130.86	167.41	119.24	140.87	190.84	117.32

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Year	Lee	Lincoln	Little River	Logan	Lonoke	Madison	Marion	Miller	Mississippi	Monroe	Montgomery	Nevada	Newton
1976	\$146.49	\$142.72	\$224.36	\$129.45	\$154.42	\$115.35	\$125.54	\$152.86	\$143.27	\$125.88	\$113.18	\$139.26	\$97.08
1977	152.56	149.06	233.90	142.15	157.55	121.03	133.07	162.33	152.63	135.19	127.51	156.09	113.88
1978	155.24	163.97	235.15	148.92	171.09	138.91	145.23	176.97	161.89	148.60	143.34	158.82	131.24
1979	163.16	180.25	303.93	161.08	188.49	147.35	163.46	200.03	175.80	162.93	149.72	170.22	136.22
1980	174.19	204.55	316.59	180.78	211.98	167.79	170.79	219.09	189.38	176.82	174.09	189.46	146.74
1981	190.65	223.79	344.89	198.48	228.87	178.89	180.88	250.62	206.81	187.53	201.28	213.19	168.80
1982	197.44	234.89	361.92	213.32	235.32	192.36	186.29	274.10	219.99	195.19	203.50	212.55	173.46
1983	207.32	248.25	378.77	219.33	242.29	195.38	199.75	285.62	230.22	200.20	197.04	218.45	175.78
1984	230.80	267.68	392.58	234.24	254.10	211.61	213.17	301.84	244.97	211.32	193.89	243.33	185.14
1985	238.17	266.17	417.43	241.82	266.70	220.72	228.44	306.64	255.02	218.20	208.29	256.89	187.04
1986	248.43	282.52	431.56	249.06	266.27	236.20	237.11	321.23	266.83	218.51	216.63	274.04	192.67
1987	250.59	284.98	429.71	254.29	272.46	243.90	244.69	333.24	278.13	220.33	226.92	283.71	197.23
1988	264.35	298.85	448.04	262.06	276.39	250.33	247.71	341.97	294.62	228.33	224.44	288.43	198.25
1989	262.95	298.62	461.83	267.57	284.45	262.00	251.41	347.15	304.25	233.36	234.51	278.86	200.38
1990	274.48	309.51	498.44	276.63	297.18	271.50	254.70	361.59	321.34	237.30	246.14	296.80	203.18
1991	286.98	324.89	524.14	286.68	307.36	281.12	271.42	368.11	342.05	251.09	253.54	315.58	225.19
1992	293.63	353.25	519.42	304.47	324.77	301.42	284.14	397.24	366.90	261.13	274.46	327.30	232.84
1993	310.05	357.49	526.46	316.20	331.89	302.08	287.98	395.32	381.44	262.89	268.07	329.86	236.60
1994	316.91	357.89	539.15	328.15	342.78	315.31	297.59	408.63	393.36	268.40	281.06	346.42	244.28
1995	316.75	368.00	547.55	337.52	359.27	327.47	302.44	420.53	413.64	275.49	294.46	354.83	262.39
1996	339.16	376.44	569.24	346.36	363.88	345.09	314.35	421.86	434.92	283.32	304.31	370.33	272.53

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Year	Lee	Lincoln	Little River	Logan	Lonoke	Madison	Marion	Miller	Mississippi	Monroe	Montgomery	Nevada	Newton
1951	\$ 33.24	\$ 38.02	\$ 25.64	\$ 35.34	\$ 35.39	\$ 20.46	\$ 32.30	\$ 41.48	\$ 41.86	\$ 34.18	\$ 29.17	\$ 38.68	\$ 22.65
1952	34.36	40.88	27.46	34.07	37.51	18.89	31.31	45.01	44.02	35.82	29.11	42.11	22.63
1953	36.54	41.84	29.49	31.76	39.65	22.84	27.90	46.58	45.97	36.32	27.18	44.44	26.55
1954	36.15	41.62	33.30	33.30	40.89	30.40	28.08	47.82	46.98	36.44	28.31	45.38	30.83
1955	37.63	43.69	35.31	34.42	42.06	28.06	30.04	47.71	47.75	37.10	33.65	45.31	32.85
1956	40.03	49.62	38.15	36.73	45.17	27.70	29.77	49.21	49.89	41.85	35.11	46.96	30.43
1957	40.68	43.56	38.87	37.76	46.00	26.52	33.26	49.92	50.96	42.71	35.98	50.42	28.65
1958	42.76	46.19	60.52	40.42	48.88	31.25	37.86	52.44	52.28	44.49	40.62	46.92	32.83
1959	42.87	47.14	52.84	44.65	50.13	33.27	39.75	53.22	55.38	46.40	41.70	50.36	28.98
1960	45.98	47.48	57.81	43.57	52.37	34.86	42.48	54.94	56.80	46.65	39.63	53.39	27.78
1961	48.74	46.46	60.19	46.14	52.38	42.22	44.22	55.85	60.13	51.19	41.79	51.68	29.84
1962	51.23	52.71	65.56	49.74	54.14	41.93	47.48	58.17	61.37	53.70	45.54	53.99	29.69
1963	55.20	57.25	78.63	53.54	55.31	46.22	46.12	60.72	63.58	53.50	45.97	55.70	26.42
1964	58.48	59.74	79.91	61.22	60.51	50.73	49.00	65.54	66.10	57.44	48.79	58.29	34.43
1965	62.46	64.10	94.09	68.92	62.91	52.31	53.27	69.76	71.44	57.69	53.01	60.77	37.18
1966	69.19	66.89	94.56	61.72	64.27	54.66	55.88	78.81	71.86	59.57	56.16	66.15	36.55
1967	78.94	73.37	81.04	67.36	70.02	57.43	57.37	81.95	77.23	63.96	59.04	68.38	39.74
1968	84.55	81.85	104.75	68.86	77.83	59.69	63.47	91.10	83.14	69.96	67.19	77.59	59.36
1969	85.83	89.77	118.01	74.42	84.36	63.43	69.55	97.35	88.11	77.81	73.00	77.19	72.32
1970	89.31	88.15	132.73	79.28	91.64	67.02	75.17	100.86	94.04	82.11	74.48	78.49	67.62
1971	93.53	100.37	137.10	90.62	106.47	70.19	80.71	103.96	101.11	86.16	77.66	88.22	73.38
1972	104.77	103.93	145.92	95.33	112.38	75.49	86.50	109.76	106.61	92.26	82.24	92.11	75.45
1973	107.81	111.05	156.90	100.57	121.90	89.15	100.12	115.43	114.67	95.91	91.12	97.15	85.42
1974	121.94	121.46	167.77	108.75	137.24	99.20	108.95	127.39	123.77	103.52	100.24	119.04	86.80
1975	136.22	128.69	193.01	117.17	150.38	109.36	113.82	133.49	134.86	116.35	104.85	131.69	91.94

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Year	Garland	Grant	Greene	Hempstead	Hot Spring	Howard	Independence	Izard	Jackson	Jefferson	Johnson	Lafayette	Lawrence
1976	\$149.96	\$141.52	\$145.55	\$143.69	\$182.36	\$158.68	\$148.47	\$114.09	\$159.56	\$171.47	\$135.82	\$150.78	\$120.57
1977	161.24	151.33	154.37	157.08	201.12	175.44	156.50	121.44	170.07	183.83	145.17	162.23	134.50
1978	173.09	162.29	162.08	165.90	214.85	187.21	166.60	135.14	181.14	199.67	152.01	163.71	142.92
1979	187.27	180.04	177.34	181.93	232.82	203.76	187.96	155.20	195.02	227.31	169.24	182.58	159.70
1980	206.31	193.74	194.24	196.91	260.61	213.84	212.33	172.42	208.63	255.44	180.88	201.85	172.49
1981	223.55	212.68	218.82	216.75	276.40	231.93	241.77	192.62	229.96	268.17	201.72	219.74	191.26
1982	236.77	224.00	234.45	224.61	272.05	240.95	267.59	204.73	237.99	276.19	215.95	231.36	207.69
1983	244.39	233.69	248.10	233.21	290.29	249.93	271.16	210.85	249.54	288.16	218.27	237.72	212.30
1984	254.86	250.20	261.13	248.93	325.97	262.40	277.65	223.92	264.62	300.72	227.62	250.84	228.63
1985	263.63	259.98	267.62	256.95	318.37	267.90	277.98	234.62	274.22	313.25	235.82	260.46	232.93
1986	273.19	264.72	279.33	268.81	309.72	283.94	288.16	243.64	285.90	339.09	243.52	269.59	242.17
1987	283.75	273.26	277.06	280.55	306.97	281.88	296.66	250.84	294.03	336.95	248.45	279.06	241.83
1988	293.80	286.17	287.17	283.59	321.85	279.98	303.22	256.78	297.46	345.87	258.05	273.21	250.49
1989	298.44	297.96	293.67	287.07	337.88	283.87	319.02	265.20	308.02	344.16	261.97	275.03	254.18
1990	307.56	309.43	310.24	300.46	343.83	295.85	332.65	289.38	319.08	364.11	278.18	281.25	261.48
1991	319.13	320.91	326.22	319.71	338.47	312.61	349.87	313.58	333.08	362.91	291.39	290.92	272.14
1992	331.20	345.80	338.68	327.96	349.22	328.72	357.92	314.76	349.72	384.31	303.10	305.96	287.65
1993	336.90	341.79	345.93	335.85	355.54	342.44	366.47	302.17	360.69	388.26	312.75	310.41	289.15
1994	353.07	364.70	362.30	346.08	365.02	347.12	380.47	316.67	367.33	402.27	322.95	320.55	296.63
1995	368.01	382.91	365.60	354.00	376.40	353.89	394.61	319.95	372.37	414.48	337.31	330.11	307.88
1996	381.19	392.79	380.18	366.15	390.60	349.16	403.73	338.15	378.00	422.07	349.47	344.37	321.29

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Year	Garland	Grant	Greene	Hempstead	Hot Spring	Howard	Independence	Izard	Jackson	Jefferson	Johnson	Lafayette	Lawrence
1951	\$ 40.80	\$ 36.41	\$ 34.71	\$ 38.38	\$ 48.57	\$ 40.48	\$ 35.38	\$ 35.11	\$ 41.59	\$ 47.20	\$ 40.81	\$ 42.89	\$ 32.54
1952	39.95	38.62	37.58	38.97	58.15	44.61	39.40	37.69	40.83	61.76	41.67	43.25	34.77
1953	42.44	41.33	39.00	40.45	61.41	45.70	40.14	39.03	42.27	54.07	43.70	46.05	38.15
1954	42.68	41.61	39.41	41.87	62.83	46.81	40.70	38.71	45.42	50.94	43.13	46.14	37.83
1955	44.08	43.29	40.96	42.54	67.08	49.54	42.63	37.76	47.08	52.54	42.38	48.33	38.21
1956	52.51	46.39	44.68	46.32	70.52	53.72	43.60	39.26	51.81	55.79	44.49	51.38	41.73
1957	47.89	46.82	46.34	46.43	71.83	55.55	45.15	41.73	54.85	61.40	46.32	53.77	42.78
1958	49.76	49.47	49.47	49.18	78.96	55.83	47.27	41.83	53.81	64.11	48.15	55.58	42.78
1959	52.68	54.03	52.51	49.87	78.72	61.00	49.66	45.67	57.55	66.56	49.30	57.55	44.47
1960	53.74	53.95	54.12	51.02	77.48	60.64	49.14	46.96	58.41	69.83	49.24	58.28	46.54
1961	55.68	55.25	55.49	51.17	77.08	62.19	52.34	47.01	59.74	71.35	49.84	59.85	49.43
1962	58.05	55.20	58.54	42.66	77.87	64.61	56.13	48.00	60.36	74.77	51.75	60.65	50.10
1963	60.68	57.90	59.43	56.28	85.66	66.88	58.69	48.06	63.38	78.05	53.90	63.54	52.82
1964	64.59	63.97	63.35	60.55	89.85	69.68	61.60	55.55	67.93	81.59	60.21	66.99	55.97
1965	66.86	66.19	64.78	65.76	95.20	75.17	65.06	56.21	71.84	85.02	62.60	68.21	61.40
1966	69.03	72.62	67.00	69.98	95.11	76.58	68.03	59.98	75.42	88.57	66.21	69.08	62.51
1967	76.70	77.44	71.86	75.47	92.70	83.08	73.61	65.31	79.56	96.91	69.69	81.15	66.25
1968	80.71	86.24	80.34	85.31	104.92	87.87	80.98	68.04	86.73	101.68	77.01	85.99	73.20
1969	85.10	92.31	87.28	86.26	113.34	99.73	87.40	76.89	91.73	109.31	82.83	92.88	74.39
1970	94.47	95.58	94.20	91.81	119.45	103.67	92.66	80.61	98.38	114.37	86.99	97.82	79.62
1971	102.74	106.73	98.26	97.20	131.76	111.36	98.02	84.51	104.13	121.71	94.20	101.88	82.68
1972	108.29	114.54	105.86	104.95	138.61	115.42	104.24	95.17	111.07	124.81	102.86	104.72	85.61
1973	114.71	126.39	113.27	112.69	147.88	127.20	110.77	116.43	123.09	132.53	110.68	109.86	92.48
1974	126.10	129.07	120.25	121.86	161.06	138.36	121.13	112.26	135.15	143.05	117.98	123.05	105.95
1975	137.73	135.90	131.80	131.81	156.97	144.81	134.09	109.04	144.87	156.08	124.46	141.81	117.80

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Year	Cleveland	Columbia	Conway	Craighead	Crawford	Crittenden	Cross	Dallas	Desha	Drew	Faulkner	Franklin	Fulton
1976	\$128.22	\$164.07	\$157.67	\$152.97	\$142.17	\$154.76	\$147.95	\$147.73	\$142.53	\$147.51	\$146.67	\$140.75	\$115.25
1977	133.78	179.34	170.75	165.17	159.66	162.42	162.22	161.41	170.71	157.95	161.15	150.75	127.83
1978	137.94	192.31	178.79	178.08	174.84	171.54	172.23	167.44	159.42	170.92	177.76	165.87	137.89
1979	154.58	206.93	200.40	195.84	188.16	188.22	187.46	179.65	183.32	184.04	189.08	164.22	149.99
1980	165.39	225.95	220.27	213.94	201.73	204.33	203.88	197.04	202.37	190.88	204.32	183.81	159.32
1981	181.88	255.28	237.10	232.92	216.33	222.14	222.99	209.80	219.99	212.69	223.35	199.99	174.35
1982	191.31	267.20	244.87	244.74	234.61	233.61	227.75	226.96	233.86	223.53	239.18	214.87	180.54
1983	201.69	279.96	265.84	260.07	235.28	244.81	229.57	237.10	240.83	234.40	249.99	221.42	188.65
1984	219.29	296.77	285.48	272.15	252.45	256.06	246.20	253.73	258.11	242.75	259.87	235.25	198.48
1985	227.10	303.00	304.58	279.99	256.18	259.90	252.53	268.62	262.85	251.44	273.06	245.49	213.19
1986	227.21	308.56	309.21	288.21	262.98	263.98	266.23	275.10	278.47	259.61	287.49	250.06	215.41
1987	235.03	318.85	322.87	300.56	267.20	266.90	277.66	288.25	279.43	274.04	294.11	257.81	213.32
1988	230.50	322.54	330.35	311.43	275.84	280.95	285.24	293.35	291.13	276.58	300.78	264.44	216.95
1989	252.41	332.38	333.86	321.28	297.30	288.70	288.05	299.61	288.21	287.87	305.31	275.43	221.62
1990	260.21	345.43	349.90	331.28	312.71	300.89	292.51	310.45	296.63	304.35	329.19	285.67	225.55
1991	256.51	363.10	360.10	348.73	322.39	319.06	307.46	322.55	312.09	321.40	344.03	309.43	246.31
1992	272.45	376.49	373.29	364.54	340.66	333.31	318.70	338.25	339.99	333.49	360.03	317.60	257.66
1993	284.46	385.63	378.53	371.26	342.47	341.02	330.59	350.14	337.73	332.06	366.24	314.23	259.57
1994	284.72	394.46	381.24	386.39	367.80	352.91	340.51	349.93	348.04	336.33	376.19	323.89	272.50
1995	294.05	404.36	394.88	402.13	370.93	364.77	346.62	362.73	362.37	345.07	398.59	339.15	277.59
1996	302.47	421.90	406.75	417.55	381.68	376.40	363.49	368.36	376.96	355.28	415.83	354.36	288.44

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Year	Cleveland	Columbia	Conway	Craighead	Crawford	Crittenden	Cross	Dallas	Desha	Drew	Faulkner	Franklin	Fulton
1951	\$ 28.01	\$ 45.31	\$ 33.74	\$ 41.67	\$ 32.55	\$ 42.56	\$ 40.29	\$ 35.92	\$ 34.91	\$ 33.60	\$ 35.50	\$ 32.63	\$ 35.47
1952	32.48	49.06	34.85	45.37	31.98	45.60	41.37	39.18	38.47	37.40	40.38	34.09	40.87
1953	35.26	50.72	38.56	45.98	34.98	47.38	43.05	41.96	40.84	37.88	42.93	37.39	38.45
1954	34.87	52.20	39.53	48.84	35.00	48.28	41.77	42.95	41.82	39.51	42.04	38.54	37.42
1955	35.40	54.33	43.77	50.40	34.90	49.92	44.31	43.46	44.67	41.46	44.37	36.98	39.65
1956	37.38	57.73	45.93	53.18	39.25	50.55	46.90	45.35	47.05	43.58	47.15	38.77	40.73
1957	39.66	61.40	47.58	55.31	41.23	52.36	45.55	44.93	45.00	43.80	49.95	43.79	43.21
1958	39.31	63.42	44.72	56.70	42.07	53.51	46.52	46.01	46.24	44.27	51.68	44.66	41.42
1959	44.57	66.71	50.21	59.95	48.59	56.18	47.14	49.05	49.37	47.42	54.78	43.83	42.96
1960	45.17	68.24	51.56	62.76	48.82	59.02	47.94	49.08	51.49	47.91	57.16	45.91	48.62
1961	45.83	67.28	60.39	64.40	49.31	60.14	51.88	52.82	54.08	50.20	73.38	48.87	48.86
1962	45.37	69.11	57.29	66.57	55.52	62.76	56.03	53.78	57.33	53.38	68.73	54.73	48.81
1963	53.91	71.35	57.42	68.70	56.38	63.38	58.05	56.38	58.54	57.88	65.65	56.25	51.03
1964	60.47	72.16	61.65	71.60	60.51	68.01	63.54	60.43	62.83	63.47	68.45	59.01	42.35
1965	61.67	75.83	66.31	73.86	63.27	82.35	65.73	66.63	66.40	65.98	69.93	67.57	53.62
1966	64.34	77.88	80.26	77.27	66.88	74.19	70.81	66.86	68.47	70.98	73.03	83.81	55.34
1967	66.57	85.24	85.87	80.44	71.37	80.08	76.63	70.35	74.30	76.09	80.81	80.43	60.02
1968	74.64	91.06	88.61	86.24	80.12	87.90	82.29	79.49	81.57	81.32	83.93	94.54	64.63
1969	75.61	95.27	94.27	92.00	87.49	89.77	89.43	84.65	85.88	86.67	88.57	95.84	66.95
1970	80.89	101.22	100.38	95.08	92.09	96.29	96.85	91.96	90.32	91.20	92.08	102.34	74.59
1971	87.45	104.71	105.84	102.95	101.30	102.53	103.36	99.34	94.04	96.16	98.31	101.77	79.66
1972	89.27	115.43	108.84	111.32	102.77	108.03	109.91	106.66	95.47	108.68	108.68	108.23	82.44
1973	92.47	123.45	118.54	120.10	109.97	120.85	119.33	114.61	103.82	113.77	116.95	108.03	89.98
1974	106.30	108.04	129.08	131.40	118.37	131.99	131.04	125.70	110.10	124.97	125.05	111.74	100.73
1975	121.28	146.01	145.77	141.27	126.84	144.74	137.73	131.30	122.84	129.85	135.75	127.18	106.38

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Year	Total	Arkansas	Ashley	Baxter	Benton	Boone	Bradley	Calhoun	Carroll	Chicot	Clark	Clay	Cleburne
1976	\$162.05	\$162.59	\$195.42	\$124.91	\$156.10	\$144.13	\$151.67	\$142.54	\$118.02	\$129.10	\$155.39	\$125.59	\$116.44
1977	174.29	175.85	220.40	135.71	168.30	154.19	166.71	154.63	126.37	136.92	171.06	132.37	122.11
1978	184.60	183.63	227.13	147.88	179.44	163.03	173.60	163.11	138.72	146.35	183.85	142.11	134.41
1979	202.57	200.69	246.00	166.49	190.90	176.84	189.09	179.10	150.48	159.48	203.76	156.42	149.32
1980	221.86	217.36	271.38	183.75	210.96	196.98	202.63	200.42	156.94	179.20	217.94	169.14	166.17
1981	243.21	238.42	305.21	198.28	231.98	217.65	219.94	230.23	173.97	199.73	236.27	189.96	192.93
1982	258.31	250.25	310.19	217.37	244.94	226.51	230.17	258.52	184.08	210.15	246.70	195.23	200.21
1983	271.48	253.98	323.64	227.89	272.33	237.49	246.93	275.11	187.33	216.47	257.15	200.93	210.06
1984	283.82	260.71	342.87	239.04	287.42	247.27	251.90	295.11	198.30	226.79	267.21	217.66	227.89
1985	294.72	273.43	372.50	249.46	288.13	257.29	259.35	317.97	205.58	229.78	274.90	226.19	235.13
1986	306.61	288.17	367.17	259.36	296.48	265.58	270.75	340.67	218.35	234.80	272.62	229.88	246.22
1987	313.62	291.10	375.22	267.89	301.96	272.18	279.93	359.74	218.93	240.84	269.34	234.85	250.69
1988	323.02	305.64	373.85	274.46	331.77	277.94	286.58	379.81	235.66	242.56	271.91	237.85	257.75
1989	330.53	312.62	386.63	282.05	339.60	286.92	316.17	389.15	246.15	246.81	276.73	244.32	272.26
1990	345.52	324.98	401.23	298.85	358.94	301.79	330.71	405.25	259.49	261.39	290.69	254.91	281.91
1991	360.43	333.76	420.34	318.88	376.70	318.77	337.12	447.97	269.66	270.61	297.74	275.06	293.47
1992	381.14	351.28	438.21	338.74	412.20	336.84	348.26	469.43	284.77	282.14	313.41	292.86	314.31
1993	385.12	356.85	457.27	343.86	412.07	345.70	356.34	481.23	288.50	285.21	325.31	286.09	312.66
1994	396.04	376.30	481.52	349.05	424.89	360.06	363.57	489.02	299.86	293.61	340.79	300.15	319.38
1995	409.58	386.64	490.40	362.16	438.42	364.85	363.70	459.98	319.55	311.05	352.35	295.10	326.10
1996	422.93	394.85	498.64	368.92	451.65	376.42	373.76	503.52	315.15	322.33	362.27	304.75	344.08

APPENDIX TABLE 2
AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS IN ARKANSAS, BY COUNTY
FOR THE YEARS 1951 THROUGH 1996

Year	Total	Arkansas	Ashley	Baxter	Benton	Boone	Bradley	Calhoun	Carroll	Chicot	Clark	Clay	Cleburne
1951	\$ 45.32	\$ 43.18	\$ 50.33	\$ 55.68	\$ 37.92	\$ 36.51	\$ 47.07	\$ 27.86	\$ 29.68	\$ 34.55	\$ 34.47	\$ 33.18	\$ 26.47
1952	48.85	46.77	55.34	55.00	39.13	38.88	50.02	29.94	32.63	39.25	38.58	36.92	28.35
1953	50.74	49.42	59.96	36.67	40.55	41.56	50.76	31.61	34.44	38.12	49.25	38.11	31.80
1954	51.68	52.80	60.37	36.63	42.29	42.33	52.88	30.64	35.37	39.51	50.68	38.48	31.54
1955	53.05	53.75	64.13	36.04	43.27	43.77	55.17	34.50	33.92	40.08	51.23	38.40	32.15
1956	55.27	56.10	64.17	39.53	47.56	45.10	55.30	34.08	38.10	45.73	55.81	41.33	35.06
1957	57.81	57.19	67.98	40.22	48.16	46.78	54.42	33.23	41.08	46.18	61.72	43.93	37.33
1958	59.47	58.74	69.39	39.06	52.74	48.96	55.75	34.86	42.31	44.65	58.58	42.62	35.22
1959	62.09	62.76	70.40	40.40	53.16	52.11	59.21	36.64	41.71	47.75	63.29	46.08	51.12
1960	63.67	63.47	73.89	41.60	54.04	53.85	55.96	37.28	45.08	50.14	60.06	48.02	71.83
1961	65.91	65.85	77.74	43.35	58.43	57.30	57.86	36.77	53.81	49.23	58.74	49.70	76.39
1962	68.93	66.60	81.12	45.56	59.34	59.70	61.72	39.44	60.24	53.25	60.71	50.68	75.30
1963	71.42	71.31	81.26	49.71	63.80	63.70	66.61	47.61	60.53	58.20	66.38	49.60	71.00
1964	74.57	75.03	84.96	54.08	65.74	66.37	69.30	47.93	57.71	58.83	74.83	53.10	70.67
1965	77.86	81.83	87.37	55.21	68.07	68.23	70.67	59.03	56.21	58.07	77.68	55.51	54.96
1966	81.37	84.19	92.10	57.53	72.07	69.28	71.60	68.40	55.92	61.63	82.74	59.15	54.58
1967	86.07	85.31	97.45	63.34	78.05	77.73	76.63	76.67	62.24	64.24	87.06	64.27	59.31
1968	92.28	93.47	104.82	70.08	84.41	84.69	84.04	79.92	67.63	72.30	91.04	72.09	66.33
1969	98.32	98.73	116.56	76.99	90.81	87.85	88.06	89.45	70.88	74.56	96.69	76.02	67.41
1970	104.15	102.57	126.09	81.17	96.07	94.63	93.64	92.89	77.10	77.84	100.46	84.12	69.33
1971	111.13	103.80	129.46	86.99	101.79	102.33	98.79	93.34	82.61	80.97	107.07	86.83	75.57
1972	117.69	114.03	139.25	91.43	111.43	108.16	106.44	100.15	87.74	85.48	118.26	91.37	77.56
1973	125.55	121.35	148.71	98.01	119.92	115.80	110.86	105.30	94.24	92.15	126.13	100.21	82.52
1974	137.05	136.79	163.77	104.16	128.94	124.24	123.73	116.30	99.74	106.71	136.45	107.34	92.12
1975	149.13	152.53	176.37	118.36	141.72	131.99	134.87	135.57	108.12	117.65	146.89	116.86	106.84

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Year	Searcy	Sebastian	Sevier	Sharp	Stone	Union	Van Buren	Washington	White	Woodruff	Yell	Multi-County
1976	1,094	41,281	2,845	1,069	1,038	13,533	1,434	27,810	8,347	1,806	2,643	7,980
1977	1,061	44,736	3,076	1,217	1,052	14,654	1,561	30,047	9,043	2,222	2,681	7,161
1978	1,229	49,554	3,591	1,714	1,268	17,448	1,996	35,763	11,600	2,669	3,642	6,694
1979	1,204	49,240	3,585	1,720	1,344	18,297	1,866	36,523	12,037	2,709	3,710	7,949
1980	1,269	47,818	3,665	1,798	1,346	17,563	1,914	36,007	12,003	2,594	3,874	5,975
1981	1,291	48,467	3,571	1,753	1,351	18,220	2,039	36,751	12,457	2,614	4,216	5,316
1982	1,381	45,553	3,359	1,762	1,375	17,654	1,907	36,046	12,089	2,429	4,449	5,232
1983	1,409	47,500	3,627	1,840	1,442	17,657	1,995	37,021	12,215	2,281	4,823	4,621
1984	1,463	51,142	3,690	1,908	1,505	18,060	2,129	39,757	13,259	2,573	4,971	4,544
1985	1,461	53,116	3,742	1,988	1,616	17,951	2,210	41,298	13,513	2,500	5,098	4,182
1986	1,541	55,731	3,752	1,971	1,682	17,640	2,366	42,732	14,004	2,422	5,306	4,189
1987	1,655	58,747	3,830	2,150	1,743	17,909	2,456	46,169	14,574	2,455	5,772	4,405
1988	1,712	60,400	3,868	2,224	1,904	18,042	2,593	48,963	14,797	2,435	5,635	5,005
1989	1,578	58,980	4,069	2,358	2,076	18,497	2,725	51,212	15,696	2,366	5,516	6,463
1990	1,486	60,459	4,324	2,506	2,136	18,872	2,781	53,084	16,350	2,375	5,829	7,614
1991	1,506	60,633	4,852	2,720	2,237	18,752	2,815	53,636	16,837	2,244	6,003	7,556
1992	1,512	62,400	5,027	2,838	2,316	19,279	2,959	56,246	17,621	2,243	6,087	8,135
1993	1,570	65,135	5,187	3,008	2,479	19,427	3,061	59,817	18,167	2,342	6,302	8,440
1994	1,566	68,431	5,151	3,418	2,672	19,853	3,232	64,891	19,546	2,520	6,298	8,740
1995	1,625	69,420	5,271	3,553	2,702	20,187	3,358	68,265	20,340	2,646	6,514	9,853
1996	1,635	69,857	5,082	3,778	2,744	20,103	3,506	71,019	20,809	2,705	6,634	10,305

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Year	Searcy	Sebastian	Sevier	Sharp	Stone	Union	Van Buren	Washington	White	Woodruff	Yell	Multi-County
1951	343	17,146	1,050	107	248	11,544	349	6,910	2,937	819	865	6,849
1952	348	17,447	1,121	122	216	11,377	344	7,101	3,102	814	828	5,131
1953	310	17,754	1,116	115	216	11,574	334	6,782	3,275	828	753	5,036
1954	286	17,251	919	123	237	11,386	321	6,918	3,123	826	950	4,160
1955	367	17,620	1,098	105	238	11,257	317	7,368	3,340	826	805	4,834
1956	455	18,463	1,209	106	273	11,248	322	7,720	3,480	799	876	5,412
1957	354	18,627	1,141	139	201	11,098	351	8,268	3,415	731	846	5,765
1958	349	18,722	1,200	181	214	10,918	380	9,037	3,441	681	887	5,874
1959	411	19,174	1,322	232	266	10,941	435	10,044	3,904	761	966	6,019
1960	435	18,623	1,278	280	225	11,060	459	10,395	4,142	731	1,008	5,944
1961	404	19,681	1,346	344	202	11,126	491	10,987	4,799	677	1,408	5,460
1962	447	23,409	1,437	466	227	10,979	466	11,631	4,550	725	1,729	7,018
1963	421	24,661	1,485	605	267	11,209	559	12,545	4,407	1,002	1,925	5,659
1964	593	25,240	1,739	631	304	11,366	658	13,457	4,651	1,111	1,862	5,293
1965	736	25,468	1,646	695	317	11,540	702	15,178	4,796	1,281	1,820	5,598
1966	906	26,214	1,830	846	323	11,800	734	17,189	5,232	1,731	2,207	5,832
1967	833	26,800	2,007	896	361	11,905	781	17,180	5,489	1,540	2,119	6,045
1968	845	27,870	1,973	930	468	11,858	851	17,352	6,026	1,480	2,318	5,715
1969	869	29,523	2,104	884	537	11,571	900	18,897	6,070	1,497	2,218	5,681
1970	876	29,714	2,082	856	628	11,290	934	19,257	6,267	1,575	2,297	5,432
1971	887	31,109	2,280	941	671	11,176	884	19,441	6,439	1,554	2,423	5,001
1972	1,015	34,662	2,729	952	762	11,998	1,333	25,892	7,330	1,609	2,390	5,573
1973	1,035	37,470	2,742	973	918	12,659	1,595	26,952	8,031	1,636	2,439	6,842
1974	1,058	39,976	3,070	974	938	13,455	1,559	27,744	8,387	1,507	2,432	7,630
1975	988	37,947	2,887	961	898	12,791	1,271	26,041	7,795	1,432	2,527	7,982

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Year	Ouachita	Perry	Phillips	Pike	Poinsett	Polk	Pope	Prairie	Pulaski	Randolph	St. Francis	Saline	Scott
1976	6,452	288	6,870	1,526	4,798	3,204	9,971	1,178	125,745	3,348	6,778	9,076	1,175
1977	6,676	296	7,039	1,729	4,964	3,497	10,716	1,089	132,547	3,683	7,284	9,636	1,206
1978	8,271	521	9,054	2,266	6,509	4,272	11,958	1,436	151,550	4,435	9,348	11,090	1,592
1979	8,662	543	8,795	2,402	6,910	4,141	11,701	1,350	156,927	4,358	8,930	11,152	1,666
1980	8,490	584	8,764	2,231	6,802	4,100	12,069	1,365	156,485	4,007	9,751	11,104	1,670
1981	8,353	554	8,688	2,207	5,995	4,090	12,452	1,373	155,150	3,873	9,466	11,049	1,676
1982	8,171	572	8,089	1,923	5,737	3,851	12,044	1,341	153,726	3,624	8,805	10,422	1,570
1983	8,945	609	7,842	1,956	5,577	3,849	12,430	1,438	158,542	3,765	8,864	9,977	1,631
1984	9,291	666	8,004	1,907	5,930	3,856	13,350	1,628	166,255	4,105	9,343	9,979	2,117
1985	9,124	802	7,916	1,862	6,092	3,861	14,244	1,645	171,767	4,134	9,118	10,111	2,344
1986	8,901	802	7,353	1,860	6,139	4,059	15,116	1,714	175,303	4,236	8,650	9,973	2,515
1987	8,998	867	7,117	2,225	6,327	4,156	15,443	1,705	178,360	4,268	8,131	10,166	2,736
1988	9,405	905	7,275	2,266	6,660	4,438	16,638	1,861	183,585	4,421	7,602	10,882	2,611
1989	9,394	975	7,572	2,462	6,505	4,747	17,354	1,854	189,252	4,417	7,896	11,651	2,476
1990	8,992	1,009	7,818	2,436	6,373	5,050	18,272	1,808	194,090	4,474	7,862	12,204	2,560
1991	8,389	981	7,964	2,182	6,292	4,986	19,260	1,700	195,785	4,430	7,856	12,232	2,747
1992	8,383	972	8,172	2,297	6,451	5,033	20,186	1,489	201,284	4,481	8,114	12,746	2,874
1993	8,406	972	8,170	2,468	6,167	5,371	20,850	1,471	205,680	4,852	8,177	13,879	2,996
1994	8,556	999	8,393	2,655	6,364	5,775	21,701	1,702	213,276	5,116	8,909	14,223	3,113
1995	8,500	1,105	8,367	2,811	6,478	6,134	22,347	1,784	219,260	5,239	9,481	15,343	3,176
1996	8,216	1,207	8,221	2,850	6,673	6,241	22,876	1,629	224,167	4,891	9,208	16,079	3,183

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Year	Ouachita	Perry	Phillips	Pike	Poinsett	Polk	Pope	Prairie	Pulaski	Randolph	St. Francis	Saline	Scott
1951	9,839	258	5,170	585	2,803	1,321	2,275	491	51,233	1,434	2,483	3,998	693
1952	9,687	211	5,234	570	2,720	1,426	2,352	520	51,886	1,231	2,520	4,662	675
1953	9,824	191	5,014	570	2,617	1,294	2,370	510	52,338	1,262	2,983	4,742	549
1954	8,532	168	4,676	603	2,767	1,311	2,238	603	50,164	1,069	2,796	4,536	509
1955	8,607	191	4,494	577	3,034	1,481	2,307	620	51,240	1,253	2,524	4,812	587
1956	7,904	254	4,329	677	3,329	1,553	2,602	701	53,228	1,278	2,538	5,344	669
1957	7,547	214	4,396	722	3,238	1,450	2,756	718	53,323	1,172	2,479	5,394	661
1958	6,183	175	4,718	693	2,993	1,574	2,821	676	54,807	1,229	2,650	4,551	738
1959	6,075	201	5,163	761	3,296	1,857	3,205	720	57,280	1,216	3,020	4,735	843
1960	5,996	151	5,789	858	3,848	1,778	3,509	647	59,071	1,249	3,065	4,597	834
1961	5,680	145	5,211	799	3,717	1,712	3,685	669	59,674	1,284	3,138	4,592	919
1962	6,108	163	5,318	859	3,886	1,964	3,923	766	62,316	1,399	3,405	4,610	1,080
1963	6,442	172	5,343	944	4,136	1,663	4,144	836	67,668	1,411	3,642	5,337	1,049
1964	6,733	168	5,399	1,063	4,579	1,715	4,035	942	69,694	1,410	4,213	5,574	975
1965	6,526	174	5,841	1,110	5,014	1,925	4,281	1,005	73,034	1,477	4,846	5,973	1,001
1966	6,177	142	6,869	1,184	5,053	2,374	5,113	1,070	77,011	1,711	5,311	6,874	1,125
1967	6,585	132	6,476	1,180	4,974	2,529	5,316	1,123	78,485	1,816	5,595	6,319	1,155
1968	6,343	124	6,211	1,317	4,827	2,635	5,678	1,061	80,717	1,718	5,912	6,128	1,059
1969	6,503	204	6,162	1,291	4,951	2,743	6,244	1,032	83,917	1,754	6,743	6,415	1,183
1970	6,325	280	5,598	1,279	4,627	2,868	6,586	1,193	84,030	1,907	6,396	6,520	1,206
1971	5,903	264	5,833	1,428	4,800	2,848	7,321	1,218	87,177	1,969	6,620	6,442	1,256
1972	6,239	299	6,195	1,575	5,092	3,180	8,875	1,356	103,748	2,367	6,958	7,175	1,293
1973	6,677	350	6,586	1,538	5,325	3,228	9,321	1,361	115,480	2,789	7,242	7,903	1,342
1974	6,756	290	6,898	1,665	5,522	3,256	9,693	1,254	122,543	3,384	7,283	8,645	1,209
1975	6,265	246	7,025	1,405	4,795	3,052	9,813	1,106	120,692	3,198	6,645	8,333	1,090

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Year	Lee	Lincoln	Little River	Logan	Lonoke	Madison	Marion	Miller	Mississippi	Monroe	Montgomery	Nevada	Newton
1976	1,721	1,291	2,299	3,085	4,885	911	1,176	8,732	14,104	2,098	983	1,803	422
1977	1,734	1,380	2,393	3,062	5,088	901	1,240	9,077	14,977	2,080	920	1,977	408
1978	2,641	1,891	3,625	3,806	6,118	1,234	1,730	10,642	18,907	2,768	1,151	2,668	686
1979	2,605	1,924	5,480	3,810	6,140	1,437	1,709	10,705	18,834	2,853	1,187	2,702	660
1980	2,503	1,994	3,711	3,819	6,206	1,576	1,674	10,484	18,192	2,838	1,198	2,509	676
1981	2,418	1,971	3,628	3,788	6,254	1,634	1,990	10,208	17,570	2,850	1,236	2,389	597
1982	2,263	1,899	3,616	3,745	6,084	1,586	1,863	10,289	17,118	2,519	1,218	2,157	609
1983	2,205	1,946	3,694	3,739	6,120	1,604	2,024	10,769	17,438	2,219	1,223	2,140	647
1984	2,293	1,890	3,791	4,016	6,308	1,638	2,152	11,307	17,697	2,393	1,192	2,328	712
1985	2,277	1,904	3,708	4,148	6,790	1,640	2,237	11,344	17,167	2,466	1,183	2,451	724
1986	2,234	1,866	3,643	4,406	6,508	1,677	2,317	11,292	16,769	2,644	1,093	2,431	700
1987	2,106	1,984	3,749	4,461	6,523	1,745	2,476	11,494	16,959	2,629	1,149	2,505	764
1988	2,124	2,189	3,972	4,912	7,089	1,763	2,690	12,073	17,656	2,808	1,156	2,493	837
1989	2,158	2,320	4,203	5,163	7,189	1,886	2,655	12,375	17,581	2,808	1,141	2,467	864
1990	2,243	2,473	5,558	5,179	7,772	1,998	2,680	12,994	18,520	2,925	1,165	2,339	869
1991	2,237	2,559	4,947	5,226	7,874	2,332	2,633	13,269	19,401	2,869	1,232	2,252	842
1992	2,296	2,662	4,149	5,516	7,969	2,382	2,816	13,696	20,467	2,836	1,275	2,334	885
1993	2,269	2,797	4,275	5,867	8,491	2,394	3,072	13,916	20,900	2,930	1,333	2,339	921
1994	2,488	2,955	4,307	6,065	9,023	2,386	3,529	13,858	20,890	3,071	1,366	2,339	896
1995	2,519	3,027	4,422	6,032	9,489	2,468	3,738	12,800	21,379	3,053	1,426	2,395	914
1996	2,405	3,016	4,407	6,140	9,487	2,434	3,736	13,093	22,089	3,023	1,478	2,322	958

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Year	Lee	Lincoln	Little River	Logan	Lonoke	Madison	Marion	Miller	Mississippi	Monroe	Montgomery	Nevada	Newton
1951	844	603	548	1,048	1,379	281	205	4,103	6,108	1,122	227	1,427	107
1952	749	541	485	966	1,398	282	119	4,134	6,129	1,130	195	1,328	95
1953	726	463	469	979	1,336	220	100	4,174	5,715	1,108	163	1,269	130
1954	739	390	579	910	1,297	211	121	3,985	5,800	1,206	159	1,193	120
1955	788	396	615	1,006	1,352	287	143	3,949	6,373	1,312	204	1,209	139
1956	929	503	666	1,103	1,245	292	172	3,882	6,892	1,299	289	1,242	203
1957	913	828	563	1,090	1,250	272	148	3,908	6,860	1,288	319	1,069	163
1958	869	891	847	1,016	1,247	247	209	3,946	6,565	1,276	414	943	174
1959	956	959	665	1,214	1,213	329	239	3,995	7,121	1,406	574	939	118
1960	1,003	1,197	692	1,209	1,261	425	230	4,044	7,671	1,514	539	992	125
1961	1,102	1,161	692	1,357	1,294	443	220	4,009	8,097	1,594	531	1,044	90
1962	1,191	1,082	731	1,455	1,355	430	246	4,149	9,020	1,782	554	1,118	127
1963	1,338	1,099	1,043	1,635	1,535	437	324	4,365	9,330	2,036	584	1,105	139
1964	1,394	1,148	1,145	1,750	1,963	431	324	4,613	9,588	2,257	585	1,158	120
1965	1,547	1,192	1,549	1,913	2,150	463	316	4,913	10,264	2,349	549	1,227	101
1966	1,504	1,248	1,417	1,971	2,291	473	335	5,239	10,337	2,275	572	1,465	115
1967	1,612	1,183	1,250	2,112	2,399	491	313	5,226	10,677	2,021	630	1,446	95
1968	1,672	1,257	1,557	2,163	2,502	493	340	5,471	10,596	1,827	691	1,449	191
1969	1,773	1,250	1,785	2,163	2,599	517	374	5,707	10,640	1,831	743	1,456	226
1970	1,669	1,101	1,753	2,274	2,706	518	399	5,983	10,401	1,807	724	1,435	267
1971	1,614	855	1,856	2,610	3,325	561	493	6,197	10,504	1,717	785	1,431	250
1972	1,397	967	1,946	3,009	4,132	599	588	6,916	11,111	1,903	803	1,542	261
1973	1,549	1,129	1,933	3,033	4,376	649	669	7,312	11,636	2,022	824	1,898	365
1974	1,716	1,263	2,066	2,933	4,323	826	800	7,648	12,812	2,081	941	1,744	396
1975	1,748	1,223	2,100	2,944	4,371	838	980	8,037	13,299	1,997	871	1,599	409

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Year	Garland	Grant	Greene	Hempstead	Hot Spring	Howard	Independence	Izard	Jackson	Jefferson	Johnson	Lafayette	Lawrence
1976	17,887	2,017	7,364	4,751	4,490	4,188	7,435	1,311	4,578	19,709	3,117	1,521	2,693
1977	19,207	1,992	7,778	5,083	5,068	4,701	8,445	1,256	4,769	21,455	3,529	1,720	2,717
1978	21,988	2,427	8,955	6,702	6,225	5,592	9,922	1,555	5,778	26,765	4,427	2,248	3,672
1979	22,498	2,369	8,843	7,017	6,425	5,761	10,374	1,622	5,770	28,011	4,265	2,067	3,732
1980	22,240	2,306	8,488	6,861	6,513	5,844	11,241	1,785	5,523	28,417	4,270	2,110	3,799
1981	22,168	2,296	8,556	6,834	5,838	5,668	11,434	1,698	5,304	27,046	4,475	2,138	3,684
1982	22,239	2,193	8,343	6,736	5,151	5,834	11,450	1,623	5,205	25,251	4,388	1,989	3,606
1983	22,664	2,179	8,557	6,725	5,611	6,352	11,212	1,654	5,423	25,281	4,541	2,005	3,616
1984	23,442	2,220	9,155	6,872	6,241	6,806	11,673	1,837	5,473	26,088	4,709	1,973	4,134
1985	23,960	2,375	8,917	6,901	6,085	6,420	11,927	1,881	5,321	26,802	4,836	1,889	4,274
1986	24,304	2,471	9,168	6,821	5,650	6,216	12,110	1,981	5,289	28,922	4,975	1,795	4,381
1987	24,726	2,610	9,239	6,879	5,820	6,448	12,299	2,218	5,381	28,528	4,678	1,796	4,393
1988	24,787	2,898	9,667	6,729	5,876	6,634	12,351	2,415	5,403	29,469	4,733	1,814	4,447
1989	25,540	3,166	10,074	7,009	6,105	6,915	12,932	2,653	5,467	30,070	5,040	1,879	4,737
1990	26,135	3,288	10,653	7,239	6,739	7,226	13,402	2,902	5,671	30,994	5,182	1,906	4,460
1991	26,453	3,302	10,881	7,407	6,206	7,317	13,506	2,918	5,544	30,414	5,485	1,820	4,434
1992	27,602	3,385	11,143	7,862	6,351	7,389	14,096	2,589	5,634	30,457	5,754	1,810	4,614
1993	29,151	3,466	11,419	7,985	6,522	7,562	14,504	2,554	5,734	31,332	6,435	1,827	4,854
1994	30,105	3,442	12,477	8,480	6,799	7,918	14,664	2,530	5,730	31,133	7,023	1,878	4,966
1995	31,438	3,588	13,129	8,832	6,853	8,385	14,834	2,582	5,920	32,003	7,478	1,860	4,953
1996	31,985	3,672	13,378	9,093	7,120	8,408	15,030	2,437	5,837	32,733	7,640	1,838	5,032

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Year	Garland	Grant	Greene	Hempstead	Hot Spring	Howard	Independence	Izard	Jackson	Jefferson	Johnson	Lafayette	Lawrence
1951	9,438	902	2,349	2,683	3,956	1,446	2,347	325	2,407	11,639	1,442	1,439	1,018
1952	8,489	803	2,401	2,704	4,717	1,438	2,333	323	2,182	15,734	1,370	1,124	1,148
1953	8,328	789	2,339	2,487	4,837	1,447	2,334	306	2,291	11,721	1,447	1,088	1,053
1954	8,180	739	2,385	2,335	4,900	1,465	2,286	295	2,540	9,864	1,345	967	1,118
1955	8,414	868	2,373	2,559	5,056	1,659	2,431	401	2,809	10,396	1,457	1,011	1,228
1956	8,273	946	2,631	2,614	4,817	1,726	2,652	483	2,824	11,194	1,430	1,138	1,229
1957	8,404	866	2,851	2,409	4,764	1,626	2,619	431	2,710	11,824	1,255	985	1,266
1958	8,586	1,041	2,911	2,428	4,055	1,691	2,520	368	2,644	11,626	1,235	975	1,256
1959	9,234	1,112	3,288	2,482	4,208	1,844	2,593	472	2,807	12,611	1,200	1,033	1,381
1960	9,445	1,079	3,367	2,595	3,974	1,955	2,523	486	2,837	12,997	1,255	1,075	1,322
1961	9,975	963	3,294	2,531	3,588	1,927	2,679	454	3,087	12,808	1,337	1,109	1,424
1962	10,838	948	3,307	2,411	3,839	2,063	2,988	483	3,270	13,358	1,119	1,128	1,436
1963	11,619	981	3,332	2,335	4,149	2,253	3,302	485	3,241	13,900	1,346	1,074	1,552
1964	11,391	1,073	3,605	2,478	3,946	2,353	3,436	545	3,364	14,552	1,535	1,134	1,511
1965	11,496	1,213	3,761	2,829	3,916	2,545	3,609	667	3,342	15,415	1,584	1,200	1,581
1966	12,215	1,342	3,746	2,917	3,904	2,701	4,163	704	3,507	15,812	1,772	1,192	1,737
1967	12,679	1,324	3,742	3,004	4,284	2,830	4,300	717	3,404	16,089	1,731	1,279	1,918
1968	12,672	1,426	4,227	3,125	4,111	2,912	5,194	785	3,458	16,115	1,916	1,401	1,900
1969	12,462	1,586	4,522	3,149	4,272	3,109	4,807	837	3,718	16,082	1,994	1,439	1,862
1970	12,895	1,573	4,856	3,373	4,149	2,909	4,998	824	3,655	15,602	1,958	1,456	1,788
1971	14,056	1,629	5,456	3,487	4,332	3,561	5,292	1,078	3,945	15,733	1,989	1,599	1,848
1972	16,001	1,879	6,522	3,935	4,570	4,027	5,944	1,291	4,300	17,397	2,293	1,684	2,040
1973	17,683	1,984	7,378	4,682	5,017	4,399	6,407	1,300	4,453	18,649	2,923	1,755	2,283
1974	18,660	2,236	7,254	4,703	5,266	4,507	6,194	1,237	4,686	19,850	3,170	1,627	2,208
1975	16,759	1,895	6,360	4,545	3,866	4,329	6,080	1,272	4,217	19,080	2,893	1,532	2,325

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1976	508	6,342	4,682	17,912	4,238	8,872	3,871	2,746	3,650	4,390	10,187	2,200	1,285
1977	413	6,538	4,799	19,091	4,520	9,052	4,178	2,823	4,217	4,656	10,879	2,255	1,219
1978	742	8,073	5,479	22,483	6,064	11,963	5,379	3,383	5,037	5,626	12,979	2,700	1,530
1979	722	7,775	5,828	22,820	6,442	12,387	5,347	3,402	5,038	5,659	13,963	3,071	1,558
1980	754	7,933	5,865	21,949	6,638	12,184	4,993	3,076	5,119	5,463	13,632	3,194	1,514
1981	713	8,100	5,809	21,697	6,984	12,034	4,888	3,124	5,075	5,403	13,647	3,170	1,421
1982	632	8,008	5,606	21,438	6,902	11,526	4,580	2,993	4,894	5,093	13,510	3,126	1,371
1983	607	8,071	5,779	21,796	7,536	11,610	4,500	3,116	4,914	4,920	14,576	3,016	1,422
1984	669	8,481	5,666	23,183	8,070	12,159	4,711	3,151	4,839	5,366	15,975	3,042	1,441
1985	720	8,651	5,114	23,746	8,508	12,296	4,804	3,096	4,840	5,311	16,554	2,982	1,473
1986	783	8,347	5,210	24,921	8,759	12,408	4,700	3,166	4,849	5,181	17,066	2,998	1,460
1987	763	8,321	5,399	26,591	9,344	12,814	4,596	3,226	4,881	5,460	17,420	3,018	1,491
1988	830	8,892	5,669	27,519	9,727	13,334	5,062	3,371	5,059	5,509	18,755	3,091	1,540
1989	883	9,151	5,749	28,726	10,564	13,640	5,364	3,433	5,089	5,654	19,874	3,183	1,615
1990	953	9,317	5,846	29,349	10,913	13,999	5,440	3,377	4,900	5,667	20,572	3,245	1,598
1991	988	9,299	6,077	29,217	11,248	13,972	5,535	3,353	5,017	5,699	21,477	3,341	1,653
1992	1,065	9,349	6,237	30,711	11,277	14,349	5,707	3,261	5,003	6,103	22,351	3,480	1,741
1993	1,051	9,470	6,078	31,861	11,760	14,726	5,685	3,338	5,266	6,469	23,867	3,767	1,800
1994	1,111	9,632	6,394	32,575	12,336	15,532	5,966	3,212	5,403	7,018	25,445	3,973	1,817
1995	1,125	9,738	6,583	34,281	13,548	16,078	6,099	3,268	5,555	7,357	26,881	4,025	1,940
1996	1,086	9,864	6,852	34,873	14,050	16,279	6,074	3,335	5,540	7,329	28,191	4,240	1,918

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1951	458	3,931	1,762	4,536	1,311	2,727	891	1,951	1,337	1,929	2,032	626	439
1952	309	3,762	1,824	4,787	1,461	2,868	873	1,782	1,336	1,754	2,081	661	366
1953	447	4,041	1,775	4,537	1,524	2,861	839	1,699	1,318	1,662	2,101	972	339
1954	390	4,047	1,761	4,511	1,368	3,039	973	1,630	1,357	1,535	1,997	846	314
1955	298	3,974	1,827	4,903	1,521	3,634	1,068	1,700	1,441	1,548	2,137	716	351
1956	332	3,895	1,938	5,257	1,531	3,838	1,158	1,834	1,597	1,759	2,323	722	446
1957	282	4,312	1,949	5,694	1,559	3,660	1,114	1,682	1,520	1,724	2,379	684	355
1958	298	4,198	1,826	5,725	1,553	3,593	1,049	1,761	1,479	1,732	2,562	739	278
1959	382	4,355	1,914	6,122	1,549	3,865	1,199	1,751	1,628	1,655	2,704	908	355
1960	402	4,198	1,969	6,960	1,568	3,820	1,356	1,809	1,661	1,649	2,944	942	474
1961	373	4,005	2,212	7,358	1,748	3,866	1,430	1,888	1,739	1,612	3,759	984	474
1962	341	4,098	1,978	7,642	1,881	4,151	1,595	1,938	1,838	1,642	3,818	1,034	437
1963	350	4,014	2,201	8,122	1,864	4,471	1,740	1,950	1,985	1,845	3,840	985	477
1964	343	4,183	2,456	8,440	1,838	4,692	1,913	1,766	2,194	2,143	3,974	1,048	455
1965	387	4,467	2,481	8,902	1,948	5,348	2,055	1,845	2,259	2,178	4,138	1,231	470
1966	463	5,096	2,745	9,445	2,186	5,635	2,297	2,038	2,556	2,216	4,847	1,597	488
1967	461	5,223	3,068	9,470	2,299	6,089	2,520	2,116	2,680	2,389	5,062	1,452	603
1968	495	5,089	3,213	10,293	2,330	6,735	2,747	2,087	2,696	2,499	5,182	1,684	878
1969	534	5,169	3,282	11,379	2,626	7,496	2,780	2,276	2,878	2,764	5,230	1,457	911
1970	520	4,812	3,252	11,656	2,789	7,477	2,753	2,273	2,910	2,927	5,252	1,451	924
1971	510	4,779	3,366	11,867	2,904	7,294	2,905	2,299	3,062	2,968	5,588	1,489	949
1972	593	5,391	3,759	14,445	3,570	8,361	3,262	2,334	3,499	3,515	7,274	1,644	1,121
1973	606	5,728	4,039	15,961	3,962	8,987	3,611	2,613	3,894	3,912	8,532	1,958	1,144
1974	562	6,109	4,442	16,576	4,229	8,845	3,601	2,675	3,914	4,284	9,807	2,173	1,134
1975	473	6,115	4,399	16,324	4,063	8,664	3,406	2,557	3,400	4,111	9,721	2,048	1,154

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1976	552,955	6,607	7,184	7,024	17,959	6,422	3,071	1,976	3,072	2,227	5,338	3,232	2,106
1977	585,719	6,577	7,385	6,720	19,765	6,822	3,440	1,880	3,175	2,310	5,590	3,358	2,228
1978	699,969	8,066	8,841	7,555	23,912	8,460	4,308	2,215	3,844	3,757	6,612	4,472	2,910
1979	717,255	8,069	8,284	7,353	25,375	9,032	4,188	1,971	3,915	3,979	6,689	4,592	3,281
1980	709,384	8,026	7,951	7,793	26,171	8,714	3,980	1,913	4,073	3,918	6,963	4,353	3,192
1981	707,818	7,962	8,978	7,514	27,802	8,733	3,870	2,078	4,121	3,878	6,655	4,275	3,248
1982	688,726	7,546	7,953	7,190	27,174	9,090	3,625	2,409	4,407	3,748	6,530	4,138	3,156
1983	705,269	7,323	7,900	7,844	28,143	9,419	3,733	2,639	4,781	3,587	6,860	4,282	3,457
1984	742,930	7,529	8,528	7,962	30,620	10,195	3,843	3,220	5,360	3,691	7,222	4,299	3,941
1985	758,736	7,260	8,397	8,394	32,777	10,528	3,728	3,599	5,593	3,646	7,199	4,260	3,937
1986	774,734	7,464	8,084	9,400	35,650	10,675	3,487	3,597	6,253	3,425	6,850	4,389	3,997
1987	797,452	7,667	8,422	9,382	38,091	11,238	3,448	4,221	6,738	3,477	6,607	4,666	4,248
1988	825,820	7,768	8,612	9,352	39,842	11,778	3,564	4,504	6,711	3,727	6,680	5,218	4,599
1989	851,400	8,257	8,762	9,755	41,596	11,974	3,845	4,297	6,735	3,712	6,914	5,408	4,734
1990	877,684	8,312	9,096	9,920	43,580	11,921	3,814	3,805	7,203	3,754	7,149	5,745	4,940
1991	887,236	8,185	9,188	10,276	45,883	11,692	3,741	3,574	7,785	3,797	7,601	5,714	4,973
1992	914,767	8,324	9,310	10,930	48,205	12,047	3,761	3,479	8,367	4,038	7,920	5,745	4,894
1993	947,353	8,580	9,152	11,525	51,515	12,581	3,782	3,257	9,062	4,111	8,549	5,778	5,082
1994	987,634	8,669	9,639	12,257	55,029	12,933	3,801	3,068	9,492	4,306	9,047	6,122	5,449
1995	1,021,440	9,218	9,671	13,050	58,470	13,516	3,979	2,828	9,498	4,287	9,401	6,041	5,729
1996	1,039,357	9,201	9,943	13,251	59,910	13,192	4,001	2,838	9,348	4,376	9,617	6,008	5,636

APPENDIX TABLE 1
AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT IN ARKANSAS, BY COUNTY
FOR THE YEARS 1951 THROUGH 1996

Year	Total	Arkansas	Ashley	Baxter	Benton	Boone	Bradley	Calhoun	Carroll	Chicot	Clark	Clay	Cleburne
1951	239,948	3,251	3,777	1,937	3,983	2,224	2,712	352	912	1,301	2,704	1,251	473
1952	242,338	3,359	3,786	885	4,187	2,307	2,587	286	1,062	1,331	2,886	1,387	449
1953	238,376	3,276	3,609	541	4,445	2,257	2,517	234	1,136	1,206	3,606	1,357	407
1954	230,200	3,559	3,924	548	4,498	2,245	2,622	199	1,038	1,277	3,204	1,367	396
1955	239,156	3,772	4,303	563	4,443	2,303	2,814	194	1,133	1,312	3,055	1,392	417
1956	248,242	3,513	4,421	620	4,593	2,355	2,967	221	1,208	1,466	2,954	1,417	439
1957	248,679	3,363	4,399	643	4,817	2,420	2,709	225	1,290	1,402	2,934	1,446	429
1958	248,723	3,303	4,091	775	5,286	2,462	2,479	241	1,347	1,474	2,832	1,519	448
1959	264,660	3,712	4,385	929	5,875	2,938	2,617	258	1,623	1,494	3,180	1,725	678
1960	271,876	3,894	4,526	940	6,042	2,908	2,859	285	1,647	1,495	2,834	1,910	1,000
1961	277,868	4,079	4,407	1,279	6,618	2,834	2,644	289	1,942	1,525	2,727	2,025	1,091
1962	295,510	4,080	4,588	1,497	7,229	3,164	2,772	336	2,226	1,727	2,936	2,066	1,187
1963	312,124	4,443	5,102	1,771	7,552	3,432	2,844	323	2,231	1,864	3,096	2,252	1,299
1964	323,780	4,552	5,156	2,094	8,082	3,626	2,981	281	1,883	1,917	3,417	2,289	1,258
1965	341,094	4,861	5,394	2,202	8,982	3,875	2,945	591	1,763	1,918	3,656	2,343	1,184
1966	364,233	4,906	6,000	2,385	9,855	4,200	2,860	1,106	1,870	1,981	3,856	2,550	1,262
1967	372,280	4,699	5,936	2,796	10,344	4,257	2,545	2,199	1,839	1,995	3,983	2,657	1,201
1968	384,127	4,865	5,943	3,064	11,329	4,126	2,668	3,280	1,981	2,120	4,102	2,677	1,242
1969	398,213	4,685	6,173	3,107	12,084	4,419	2,702	2,861	2,307	2,212	4,243	2,615	1,316
1970	398,818	4,817	6,321	3,062	13,173	4,396	2,773	1,898	2,215	2,103	4,105	2,514	1,349
1971	411,466	4,879	6,367	3,474	12,855	4,564	2,932	1,620	2,406	2,094	4,152	2,636	1,457
1972	471,680	5,234	6,386	3,955	15,003	5,153	2,898	1,892	2,586	2,423	5,054	2,948	1,729
1973	513,322	5,627	6,899	4,796	16,301	5,638	2,738	2,020	2,643	2,477	5,430	3,106	1,970
1974	538,784	5,926	6,944	5,459	16,775	6,084	2,996	1,977	2,690	2,644	5,515	3,254	1,941
1975	519,381	6,138	6,967	5,772	16,052	5,932	2,906	1,746	2,757	2,123	4,909	3,057	1,840

TABLE 9. FEDERAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS IN ARKANSAS, 1996

INDUSTRY	AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
Manufacturing	995	\$35,194,721	\$680.22
Transportation and Public Utilities	7,206	\$242,489,637	\$647.14
Retail Trade	259	\$2,952,267	\$219.21
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate Services	254	\$10,383,266	\$786.13
Public Administration	5,195	\$215,322,510	\$797.08
	7,234	\$278,470,767	\$740.28
TOTAL	21,144	\$784,813,168	\$713.80

TABLE 8. COUNTY SUMMARY
 EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL EARNINGS, BY INDUSTRY
 CALENDAR YEAR 1996

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
REST-OF-STATE-TOTAL	2,826	10,305	\$332,833,516	\$621.12
MINING	28	75	2,575,731	660.44
CONSTRUCTION	569	3,523	86,179,298	470.42
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	113	307	8,947,135	560.46
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	1,271	3,374	155,022,481	883.58
WHOLESALE TRADE	1,196	3,139	149,085,439	913.36
RETAIL TRADE	75	235	5,937,042	485.85
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	130	336	12,701,768	726.98
SERVICES	685	2,202	53,849,029	470.28
OTHER *	30	488	13,558,074	534.29

Note: Items do not necessarily add to totals because of rounding.

* Includes establishments not elsewhere classified

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
WHITE COUNTY - TOTAL	1,354	20,809	\$424,963,815	\$392.73
MANUFACTURING	97	4,863	115,958,147	458.56
NONMANUFACTURING	1,257	15,946	309,005,668	372.66
CONSTRUCTION	145	845	19,172,942	436.34
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	90	1,405	35,361,679	484.01
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	485	6,112	97,352,066	306.31
WHOLESALE TRADE	100	691	13,666,644	380.35
RETAIL TRADE	385	5,421	83,685,422	296.87
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	99	606	11,335,608	359.72
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	344	4,315	92,711,662	413.19
STATE GOVERNMENT	44	1,933	38,799,776	386.01
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	20	605	12,578,128	399.81
	30	125	1,693,807	260.59
WOODRUFF COUNTY - TOTAL	205	2,705	\$49,108,249	\$349.13
MANUFACTURING	9	748	13,870,728	356.61
NONMANUFACTURING	196	1,957	35,237,521	346.27
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	23	134	2,377,096	341.14
CONSTRUCTION	6	43	623,927	279.04
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	16	103	2,911,765	543.65
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	75	803	13,615,885	326.08
WHOLESALE TRADE	22	488	10,647,965	419.61
RETAIL TRADE	53	315	2,967,920	181.19
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	15	68	1,596,757	451.57
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	272	5,226,824	369.54
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	457	7,450,789	313.53
	9	77	1,434,478	358.26
YELL COUNTY - TOTAL	383	6,634	\$112,512,627	\$326.15
MANUFACTURING	38	3,171	54,716,907	331.83
NONMANUFACTURING	345	3,463	57,795,720	320.95
CONSTRUCTION	39	239	3,723,315	299.59
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	28	280	6,824,960	468.75
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	104	872	9,942,603	219.27
WHOLESALE TRADE	22	80	1,387,592	333.56
RETAIL TRADE	82	792	8,555,011	207.73
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	26	182	4,032,241	426.06
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	90	593	9,224,697	299.15
STATE GOVERNMENT	28	877	16,162,201	354.40
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	12	150	3,182,139	407.97
	18	270	4,703,564	335.01

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
UNION COUNTY - TOTAL	1,403	20,103	\$459,877,518	\$439.92
MANUFACTURING	100	5,732	166,468,216	558.50
NONMANUFACTURING	1,303	14,371	293,409,302	392.63
MINING	71	498	17,589,924	679.25
CONSTRUCTION	104	1,509	41,535,333	529.33
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	84	1,290	41,799,824	623.13
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	425	3,973	59,158,457	286.35
WHOLESALE TRADE	107	674	17,574,093	501.43
RETAIL TRADE	318	3,299	41,584,364	242.41
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	100	703	17,744,273	485.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	438	3,944	67,910,404	331.13
STATE GOVERNMENT	39	1,858	36,141,480	374.07
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	16	483	9,684,532	385.59
	26	113	1,845,075	314.00
VAN BUREN COUNTY - TOTAL	334	3,506	\$53,797,727	\$295.09
MANUFACTURING	20	775	14,556,893	361.21
NONMANUFACTURING	314	2,731	39,240,834	276.32
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	7	44	611,477	267.25
CONSTRUCTION	36	108	1,527,023	271.91
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	44	246	4,908,481	383.71
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	108	900	8,944,534	191.12
WHOLESALE TRADE	11	33	569,562	331.91
RETAIL TRADE	97	867	8,374,972	185.76
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	25	142	3,641,166	493.12
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	74	715	9,018,991	242.58
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	434	7,856,794	348.14
	8	142	2,732,368	370.04
WASHINGTON COUNTY - TOTAL	3,988	71,019	\$1,578,125,515	\$427.33
MANUFACTURING	224	17,226	426,956,705	476.65
NONMANUFACTURING	3,764	53,793	1,151,168,810	411.54
CONSTRUCTION	398	3,474	87,052,504	481.89
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	247	5,660	156,822,319	532.83
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	1,296	17,657	278,577,818	303.41
WHOLESALE TRADE	329	3,199	89,858,794	540.19
RETAIL TRADE	967	14,458	188,719,024	251.02
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	338	2,289	68,622,259	576.52
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,314	14,107	288,257,173	392.95
STATE GOVERNMENT	59	4,494	99,730,173	426.77
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	21	4,876	147,698,511	582.52
	91	1,236	24,408,053	379.76

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
SEVIER COUNTY - TOTAL	321	5,082	\$95,235,491	\$360.38
MANUFACTURING	32	2,087	41,352,003	381.04
NONMANUFACTURING	289	2,995	53,883,488	345.98
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	10	126	2,177,077	332.28
CONSTRUCTION	21	105	1,748,775	320.29
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	27	146	3,604,538	474.78
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	96	981	13,870,757	271.91
WHOLESALE TRADE	21	151	4,817,956	613.60
RETAIL TRADE	75	830	9,052,801	209.75
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	21	135	2,986,662	425.45
SERVICES	94	745	14,835,903	382.96
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	11	571	10,588,690	356.62
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	185	4,071,086	423.19
SHARP COUNTY - TOTAL	389	3,778	\$56,535,334	\$287.78
MANUFACTURING	24	461	6,597,038	275.20
NONMANUFACTURING	365	3,317	49,938,296	289.52
CONSTRUCTION	37	123	1,804,961	282.20
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	31	290	7,984,316	529.46
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	124	1,117	10,669,462	183.69
WHOLESALE TRADE	15	72	1,151,341	307.52
RETAIL TRADE	109	1,045	9,518,121	175.16
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	32	203	3,664,041	347.11
SERVICES	96	787	11,580,711	282.98
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	27	623	10,813,203	333.78
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	133	2,902,375	419.66
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	8	41	519,227	243.54
STONE COUNTY - TOTAL	248	2,744	\$40,301,430	\$282.44
MANUFACTURING	30	633	11,114,686	337.67
NONMANUFACTURING	218	2,111	29,186,744	265.89
CONSTRUCTION	17	70	1,080,184	296.75
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	89	720	8,361,889	223.34
WHOLESALE TRADE	15	43	572,801	256.17
RETAIL TRADE	74	677	7,789,088	221.26
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	13	68	1,296,388	366.63
SERVICES	59	519	6,192,661	229.46
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	10	368	6,166,965	322.27
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	242	3,661,292	290.95
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	18	124	2,427,365	376.45

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
SCOTT COUNTY - TOTAL	199	3,183	\$51,618,158	\$311.86
MANUFACTURING	37	1,510	26,884,580	342.39
NONMANUFACTURING	162	1,673	24,733,578	284.31
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	9	156	3,066,079	377.97
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	11	83	1,616,690	374.58
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	67	609	6,235,626	196.91
WHOLESALE TRADE	11	68	948,559	268.26
RETAIL TRADE	56	541	5,287,067	187.94
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	14	93	1,563,937	323.39
SERVICES	39	300	4,773,142	305.97
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	5	323	5,766,703	343.34
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	65	1,198,421	354.56
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	9	44	512,980	224.20
SEARCY COUNTY - TOTAL	136	1,635	\$22,146,680	\$260.49
MANUFACTURING	15	395	5,414,713	263.62
NONMANUFACTURING	121	1,240	16,731,967	259.49
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	10	56	1,143,899	392.82
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	46	347	3,396,618	188.24
WHOLESALE TRADE	9	68	711,107	201.10
RETAIL TRADE	37	279	2,685,511	185.11
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	6	33	480,660	280.10
SERVICES	30	282	2,943,400	200.72
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	10	268	4,533,062	325.28
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	147	2,919,183	381.89
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	10	107	1,315,145	236.37
SEBASTIAN COUNTY - TOTAL	3,408	69,857	\$1,579,720,759	\$434.88
MANUFACTURING	254	22,506	583,690,783	498.75
NONMANUFACTURING	3,154	47,351	996,029,976	404.52
MINING	48	743	23,095,946	597.78
CONSTRUCTION	283	2,678	62,833,791	451.21
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	160	4,292	121,827,227	545.86
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	1,118	14,802	235,844,070	306.41
WHOLESALE TRADE	299	2,881	77,599,762	517.98
RETAIL TRADE	819	11,921	158,244,308	255.28
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	293	2,303	61,839,831	516.38
SERVICES	1,149	17,932	385,217,275	413.12
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	3,329	78,819,183	455.32
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	973	21,181,124	418.63
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	38	299	5,371,529	345.48

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
RANDOLPH COUNTY - TOTAL	370	4,891	\$90,441,903	\$355.61
MANUFACTURING	35	1,727	36,277,379	403.96
NONMANUFACTURING	335	3,164	54,164,524	329.21
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	10	29	422,401	280.11
CONSTRUCTION	35	182	3,406,585	359.95
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	26	140	4,736,740	650.65
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	117	1,066	12,274,048	221.43
WHOLESALE TRADE	25	158	2,899,417	352.90
RETAIL TRADE	92	908	9,374,631	198.55
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	20	136	3,568,276	504.56
SERVICES	95	815	13,941,880	328.97
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	23	624	11,542,045	355.71
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	173	4,272,549	474.94
SAINT FRANCIS COUNTY - TOTAL	665	9,208	\$181,277,926	\$378.60
MANUFACTURING	34	1,816	43,135,608	456.79
NONMANUFACTURING	631	7,392	138,142,318	359.39
CONSTRUCTION	51	591	14,951,978	486.53
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	40	420	12,450,877	570.10
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	218	2,238	31,108,190	267.31
WHOLESALE TRADE	45	481	10,999,604	439.77
RETAIL TRADE	173	1,757	20,108,586	220.09
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	48	275	5,914,714	413.62
SERVICES	189	1,695	26,737,561	303.35
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	31	1,198	23,855,999	382.95
STATE GOVERNMENT	16	747	18,885,866	486.20
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	38	228	4,237,133	357.38
SALINE COUNTY - TOTAL	1,305	16,079	\$337,348,400	\$403.47
MANUFACTURING	89	2,532	79,168,248	601.29
NONMANUFACTURING	1,216	13,547	258,180,152	366.50
CONSTRUCTION	215	1,212	27,667,622	439.00
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	51	439	11,543,451	505.67
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	387	4,484	72,545,630	311.13
WHOLESALE TRADE	98	461	13,032,646	543.66
RETAIL TRADE	289	4,023	59,512,984	284.48
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	100	503	10,443,437	399.28
SERVICES	387	3,243	57,157,987	338.94
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	34	2,321	52,837,868	437.79
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	1,258	24,781,611	378.83
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	28	87	1,202,546	265.81

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INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
POPE COUNTY - TOTAL	1,465	22,876	\$519,047,161	\$436.34
MANUFACTURING	106	5,640	128,322,495	437.54
NONMANUFACTURING	1,359	17,236	390,724,666	435.94
CONSTRUCTION	162	1,068	25,249,324	454.65
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	85	2,493	122,204,676	942.68
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	476	5,375	72,514,934	259.45
WHOLESALE TRADE	102	667	18,934,214	545.91
RETAIL TRADE	374	4,708	53,580,720	218.86
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	111	554	12,288,939	426.58
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	440	4,638	89,164,882	369.71
STATE GOVERNMENT	37	1,598	34,641,364	416.88
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	16	949	24,458,019	495.62
	32	561	10,202,528	349.74
PRAIRIE COUNTY - TOTAL	227	1,629	\$28,645,635	\$338.17
MANUFACTURING	9	243	5,332,791	422.03
NONMANUFACTURING	218	1,386	23,312,844	323.47
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	27	146	3,231,690	425.67
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	22	70	1,786,032	490.67
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	76	408	5,836,789	275.11
WHOLESALE TRADE	13	116	2,739,434	454.15
RETAIL TRADE	63	292	3,097,355	203.99
SERVICES	50	301	4,240,496	270.92
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	335	5,607,359	321.89
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	66	1,529,545	445.67
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	17	60	1,080,933	346.45
PULASKI COUNTY - TOTAL	12,402	224,167	\$5,799,635,733	\$497.54
MANUFACTURING	501	22,297	657,724,252	567.28
NONMANUFACTURING	11,901	201,870	5,141,911,481	489.83
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	177	1,244	22,391,083	346.14
CONSTRUCTION	1,027	9,767	264,879,071	521.53
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	485	17,574	592,624,692	648.49
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	3,779	56,248	1,119,597,291	382.78
WHOLESALE TRADE	1,287	15,642	504,580,697	620.35
RETAIL TRADE	2,492	40,606	615,016,594	291.27
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	1,266	15,127	525,205,923	667.69
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	4,908	66,880	1,625,901,908	467.51
STATE GOVERNMENT	98	15,343	371,040,803	465.06
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING *	152	19,365	608,254,615	604.04
	9	322	12,016,095	717.64

**TABLE 8. COUNTY SUMMARY
EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL EARNINGS, BY INDUSTRY
CALENDAR YEAR 1996**

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRMS	AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL EARNINGS	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
PIKE COUNTY - TOTAL	281	2,850	\$45,772,618	\$308.86
MANUFACTURING	46	704	12,725,076	347.60
NONMANUFACTURING	235	2,146	33,047,542	296.15
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	6	92	1,439,466	300.89
MINING	5	55	1,546,981	540.90
CONSTRUCTION	19	77	1,617,784	404.04
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	29	138	3,534,611	492.56
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	90	690	8,279,308	230.75
WHOLESALE TRADE	16	112	1,771,321	304.14
RETAIL TRADE	74	578	6,507,987	216.53
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	20	153	2,759,226	346.81
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	318	3,643,482	220.34
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	476	7,863,246	317.68
	11	146	2,363,438	311.31
POINSETT COUNTY - TOTAL	489	6,673	\$126,583,687	\$364.80
MANUFACTURING	29	2,467	54,671,146	426.17
NONMANUFACTURING	460	4,206	71,912,541	328.80
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	43	290	6,649,571	440.95
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	40	262	5,965,471	437.86
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	170	1,513	22,513,535	286.16
WHOLESALE TRADE	36	473	10,691,377	434.68
RETAIL TRADE	134	1,040	11,822,158	218.60
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	40	309	6,157,898	383.24
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	101	532	6,553,718	236.90
STATE GOVERNMENT	31	1,022	18,232,868	343.08
OTHER NONMANUFACTURING	15	181	3,920,171	416.51
	20	97	1,919,309	380.51
POLK COUNTY - TOTAL	504	6,241	\$104,788,977	\$322.89
MANUFACTURING	61	2,254	40,801,541	348.11
NONMANUFACTURING	443	3,987	63,987,436	308.63
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	20	193	4,482,161	446.61
CONSTRUCTION	40	131	1,976,636	290.17
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	45	424	9,122,681	413.76
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	148	1,269	13,818,755	209.41
WHOLESALE TRADE	27	117	1,794,707	294.99
RETAIL TRADE	121	1,152	12,024,048	200.72
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	32	200	3,599,282	346.08
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	123	857	13,746,279	308.46
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	644	11,994,969	358.19
	14	270	5,246,673	373.69