

Maine Microbusinesses and Employment Levels by State, 2007

State	Number of Microbusinesses			Total Employment ¹	
	Without Employees ²	With 1-4 Employees ³	Total	All Micro-businesses ⁴	Percent of State ^{5,6}
Connecticut	260,305	49,303	309,608	396,874	17.8
Maine	118,500	24,484	142,984	183,138	22.3
Massachusetts	465,019	93,783	558,802	722,922	17.2
New Hampshire	108,506	21,056	129,562	166,410	19.7
Rhode Island	72,389	16,837	89,226	117,849	19.2
Vermont	61,465	12,848	74,313	96,797	23.1
New England	1,086,184	218,311	1,304,495	1,683,990	18.5
United States	21,708,021	4,195,170	25,903,191	33,118,883	18.6

^{1/} Total employment includes proprietors and all non-farm part-time and full-time employees.

^{2/} Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Non-Employer Statistics, 2007.

^{3/} Source: 2007 County Business Patterns, U.S. Dept. of Commerce.

^{4/} Includes microbusiness entrepreneurs (with and without employees) and estimated employment for businesses with 1-4 employees.

^{5/} Microbusiness employment as a percent of total state employment.

^{6/} Source: 2007 Bureau of Economic Analysis, Full-time and Part-time State Employment Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Commerce.

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