

Number of Microbusinesses and Employment Levels by State, 2018

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	286,874	46,157	333,031	413,344	17.8
Maine	117,341	23,996	141,337	179,731	21.4
Massachusetts	573,754	95,609	669,363	829,986	17.1
New Hampshire	108,327	19,842	128,169	162,694	18.3
Rhode Island	83,145	15,806	98,951	125,347	19.4
Vermont	62,027	11,863	73,890	94,057	21.8
New England	1,231,468	213,273	1,444,741	1,805,172	18.1
United States	26,485,532	4,307,301	30,792,833	37,942,953	19.1

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

^{2/} Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Non-Employer Statistics, 2018. The methodology changed in 2009 to improve data accuracy. This needs to be taken into consideration when comparing 2009-2018 data with previous years.

^{3/} Source: 2018 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: 2018 Bureau of Economic Analysis, Full-time and Part-time State Employment Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Commerce.