

Quarterly Business Formation Statistics CSV File Details	
sa	Seasonally Adjusted A – Seasonally Adjusted U – Not Seasonally Adjusted
series	Series BA_BA – Business Applications BA_CBA – Business Applications from Corporations BA_HBA – High-Propensity Business Applications BA_WBA – Business Applications with Planned Wages BF_BF4Q – Business Formations within Four Quarters BF_BF8Q – Business Formations within Eight Quarters BF_PBF4Q - Projected Business Formations within Four Quarters BF_PBF8Q - Projected Business Formations within Eight Quarters BF_SBF4Q - Spliced Business Formations within Four Quarters BF_SBF8Q - Spliced Business Formations within Eight Quarters BF_DUR4Q - Average Duration (in Quarters) from Business Application to Formation within Four Quarters BF_DUR8Q - Average Duration (in Quarters) from Business Application to Formation within Eight Quarters
geo	Geography US - U.S. Total NO - Northeast MW - Midwest SO - South WE - West AL - Alabama AK - Alaska AZ - Arizona AR - Arkansas CA - California CO - Colorado CT - Connecticut DE - Delaware DC - District of Columbia FL - Florida GA - Georgia HI - Hawaii ID - Idaho

	IL - Illinois IN - Indiana IA - Iowa KS - Kansas KY - Kentucky LA - Louisiana ME - Maine MD - Maryland MA - Massachusetts MI - Michigan MN - Minnesota MS - Mississippi MO - Missouri MT - Montana NE - Nebraska NV - Nevada NH - New Hampshire NJ - New Jersey NM - New Mexico NY - New York NC - North Carolina ND - North Dakota OH - Ohio OK - Oklahoma OR - Oregon PA - Pennsylvania RI - Rhode Island SC - South Carolina SD - South Dakota TN - Tennessee TX - Texas UT - Utah VT - Vermont VA - Virginia WA - Washington WV - West Virginia WI - Wisconsin WY - Wyoming
year	Four-digit year
Q1	Q1 Applications <sup>1</sup> /Formations <sup>2</sup> /Duration <sup>3</sup>
Q2	Q2 Applications <sup>1</sup> /Formations <sup>2</sup> /Duration <sup>3</sup>
Q3	Q3 Applications <sup>1</sup> /Formations <sup>2</sup> /Duration <sup>3</sup>
Q4	Q4 Applications <sup>1</sup> /Formations <sup>2</sup> /Duration <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Applications if series equals BA\_BA, BA\_CBA, BA\_WBA, BA\_HBA

<sup>2</sup>Formations if series equals BF\_BF4Q, BF\_BF8Q, BF\_PBF4Q, BF\_PBF8Q, BF\_SBF4Q, or BF\_SBF8Q

<sup>3</sup>Average Duration if series equals BF\_DUR4Q or BF\_DUR8Q

