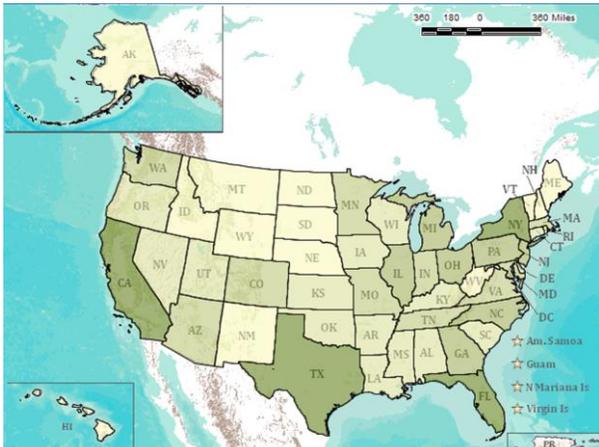


Economic Census: Small Business Snapshot

Selected Statistics for Small Businesses

DID YOU KNOW?

While there are more nonemployer businesses in the Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services sector than any other sector (3.0 million of the 21.7 total nonemployers), nonemployer businesses in the Real Estate & Rental & Leasing sector reported the highest receipts (\$183 Billion of a total \$991 Billion).

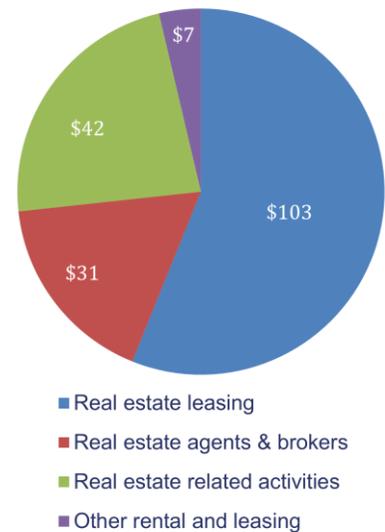


NUMBER OF NONEMPLOYER BUSINESSES IN ALL SECTORS: 2007

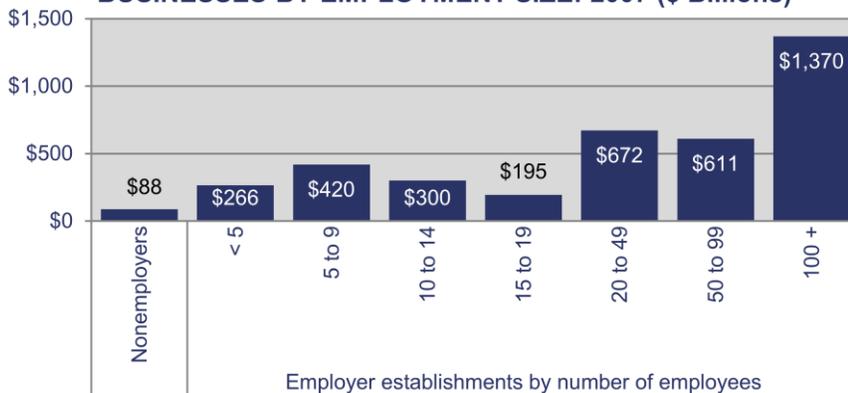
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"Nonemployers" are businesses that have no paid employees - most are self-employed individual operating unincorporated businesses.

NONEMPLOYER REAL ESTATE & RENTAL & LEASING RECEIPTS BY INDUSTRY (\$ BILLIONS)



RETAIL SALES OF EMPLOYER AND NONEMPLOYER BUSINESSES BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE: 2007 (\$ Billions)



SELECTED EMPLOYER & NONEMPLOYER BUSINESSES IN TOP 5 EMPLOYER SECTORS: 2007 & 2002

NAICS CODE	NAICS DESCRIPTION	NUMBER OF EMPLOYER ESTABLISHMENTS WITH LESS THAN 50 EMPLOYEES			NUMBER OF NONEMPLOYER ESTABLISHMENTS		
		2002	2007	CHANGE	2002	2007	CHANGE
44-45	Retail trade	906,448	927,742	2.3%	1,838,992	1,979,576	7.6%
23	Construction	688,000	705,154	2.5%	2,071,317	2,657,360	28.3%
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services	582,407	658,385	13.0%	2,552,880	3,028,528	18.6%
62	Health care and social assistance	576,191	649,756	12.8%	1,456,915	1,768,093	21.4%
72	Accommodation and food services	416,581	472,729	13.5%	241,688	303,482	25.6%

THE ECONOMIC CENSUS IS THE OFFICIAL 5-YEAR MEASURE OF AMERICAN BUSINESS
For more statistics on this industry, visit business.census.gov
Source: Economic Census & Nonemployer Statistics