

1997 Survey of Minority Owned Business Enterprises by Sector for Maryland *

Sector	All Firms		Firms with Paid Employees			
	Total # of Firms	Sales of all firms (\$1,000)	Total # of Emp firms *	Sales of Emp firms (\$1,000)	Number of Employees	Annual payroll (\$1,000)
Agricultural Services, Forestry & Fishing	841	41,584	184	31,734	685	10,603
Mineral Industries	14	449	0	0	0	0
Construction	5,199	1,256,628	1,154	1,119,039	9,532	245,032
Manufacturing	650	239,646	164	231,133	2,101	54,398
Transportation, Communication & Utilities	6,774	389,098	547	230,137	3,268	61,643
Wholesale Trade	1,213	1,325,260	388	1,290,968	2,756	101,542
Retail Trade	11,190	2,322,496	3,704	2,068,102	23,750	298,136
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	4,015	315,197	367	160,493	1,354	53,514
Service Industries	41853	5219132	6850	4516525	70503	2027040
Industries Not Classified	10,882	466,145	696	244,458	3,307	68,037

“(D)” = Not shown to avoid disclosure of confidential information.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Economic Census 1997

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