

Table 26. Industry, by Region of Birth: 2007

Universe: 2007 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Industry	Total		Region of Birth						
	Native born	Foreign born	Mexico	South and East Asia	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	All other
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	2,723,220	700,473	575,312	35,821	8,439	31,927	10,298	2,468	36,208
Utilities	1,267,770	87,425	19,940	25,102	9,157	4,477	6,196	3,059	19,494
Construction	11,019,800	2,970,603	1,692,852	143,812	165,064	382,333	219,173	38,075	329,294
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	16,287,102	3,569,263	1,333,562	938,020	182,599	270,993	196,644	80,209	567,236
Wholesale and retail trade, and transportation and warehousing	29,786,252	4,680,206	1,197,714	1,162,807	508,039	342,322	381,203	242,402	845,719
Information and communications	3,796,145	475,325	54,475	168,375	45,162	22,706	37,456	23,353	123,798
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	10,626,087	1,516,156	191,709	484,807	178,047	93,793	129,423	66,256	372,121
Business services	15,312,031	3,094,285	900,344	780,974	222,422	262,818	223,729	100,297	603,701
Educational, health and social services	32,564,731	4,543,261	646,110	1,371,571	644,776	232,071	342,450	184,372	1,121,911
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations and food services	14,459,440	3,238,932	1,258,512	746,509	219,540	269,159	200,771	94,593	449,948
Other services (except public administration)	7,013,572	1,744,396	535,196	388,214	148,873	188,773	172,611	51,806	258,923
Public administration	7,370,419	555,674	76,094	171,095	74,247	30,561	39,953	23,367	140,357
Active-duty military	1,047,857	57,613	7,490	21,404	6,740	3,430	4,551	1,122	12,876
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,072,119	197,377	63,349	46,921	19,334	15,422	11,370	6,007	34,974
Total	154,346,545	27,430,989	8,552,659	6,485,432	2,432,439	2,150,785	1,975,728	917,386	4,916,560

Table 26 cont. Industry, by Region of Birth: 2007

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Percent Distribution

Industry	Total		Percent of Region of Birth						
	Percent of native born	Percent of foreign born	Mexico	South and East Asia	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	All other
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	1.8	2.6	6.7	0.6	0.3	1.5	0.5	0.3	0.7
Utilities	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4
Construction	7.1	10.8	19.8	2.2	6.8	17.8	11.1	4.2	6.7
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	10.6	13.0	15.6	14.5	7.5	12.6	10.0	8.7	11.5
Wholesale and retail trade, and transportation and warehousing	19.3	17.1	14.0	17.9	20.9	15.9	19.3	26.4	17.2
Information and communications	2.5	1.7	0.6	2.6	1.9	1.1	1.9	2.5	2.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	6.9	5.5	2.2	7.5	7.3	4.4	6.6	7.2	7.6
Business services	9.9	11.3	10.5	12.0	9.1	12.2	11.3	10.9	12.3
Educational, health and social services	21.1	16.6	7.6	21.1	26.5	10.8	17.3	20.1	22.8
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations and food services	9.4	11.8	14.7	11.5	9.0	12.5	10.2	10.3	9.2
Other services (except public administration)	4.5	6.4	6.3	6.0	6.1	8.8	8.7	5.6	5.3
Public administration	4.8	2.0	0.9	2.6	3.1	1.4	2.0	2.5	2.9
Active-duty military	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

Source: Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2007 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS)