

Maine Microbusinesses and Employment Levels by County, 2006

County	Number of Microbusinesses			Total Employment ¹	
	Without Employees ²	With 1-4 Employees ³	Total	All Microbusinesses ⁴	Percent of County ^{5,6}
Androscoggin	6,468	1,438	7,906	10,207	15.8
Aroostook	4,651	1,211	5,862	7,800	19.1
Cumberland	25,318	6,214	31,532	41,474	18.0
Franklin	2,672	473	3,145	3,902	22.1
Hancock	7,251	1,452	8,703	11,026	28.4
Kennebec	9,000	1,853	10,853	13,818	17.4
Knox	6,014	1,066	7,080	8,786	30.0
Lincoln	5,048	1,037	6,085	7,744	38.1
Oxford	4,634	886	5,520	6,938	26.9
Penobscot	10,334	2,109	12,443	15,817	16.7
Piscataquis	1,487	306	1,793	2,283	25.8
Sagadahoc	3,266	569	3,835	4,745	22.1
Somerset	3,729	663	4,392	5,453	21.4
Waldo	3,884	628	4,512	5,517	30.4
Washington	4,055	543	4,598	5,467	30.6
York	17,062	3,473	20,535	26,092	25.7
Maine	114,873	23,965	138,838	177,182	21.2

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

^{2/} Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Non-Employer Statistics, 2006.

^{3/} Source: 2006 County Business Patterns, U.S. Dept. of Commerce. Businesses listed in the "statewide" category are included in the state total.

^{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 county employment.

^{6/} Source: 2006 Bureau of Economic Analysis, Full-time and Part-time County Employment Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Commerce.

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