# Sole Proprietorship Returns, 2008 

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For Tax Year 2008, there were approximately 22.6 million individual income tax returns that reported nonfarm sole proprietorship activity, a 2.2-percent decrease from 2007. Profits reported on these returns fell to $\$ 264.5$ billion in 2008, a 5.7 -percent decrease from 2007. In constant dollars, total nonfarm sole proprietorship profits decreased for the third consecutive year, by 7.7 percent, after decreasing 1.8 in 2007 and 0.4 percent in 2006. Among all industrial sectors, the real estate and rental and leasing sector experienced the most significant downturn in both profits and receipts from Tax Year 2007 to 2008. Profits in the real estate and rental and leasing sector, which had decreased by 18.5 percent in 2006 and 17.7 percent in 2007, experienced an even steeper drop of 36.1 percent in 2008. ${ }^{1}$ In current dollar terms, these profits fell from $\$ 22.3$ billion in 2007 to $\$ 14.3$ billion in 2008. However, not all industrial sectors reported declines in profits for 2008. The professional, scientific, and technical services sector, which represented 28.1 percent of total sole proprietorship profits at $\$ 74.3$ billion, had the largest profits of any sector, increasing 3.8 percent from 2007. Reporting the second largest profits of any sector was the health care and social assistance sector, with 18.0 percent of total profits, at $\$ 47.5$ billion. This sector also had increased profits of 3.2 percent.

For the second year in a row, the real estate and rental and leasing sector reported the largest percentage decrease in receipts, dropping from $\$ 71.0$ billion in 2007 to $\$ 58.1$ billion in 2008, an 18.2-percent decrease that was more than double its

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8.0-percent decrease in 2007. For sole proprietorships as a whole, receipts decreased 0.5 percent, and deductions increased 0.9 percent. Among all industrial sectors, the construction sector reported the largest percentage of total business receipts, with 15.7 percent, while the retail trade sector reported the largest percentage of total business deductions, with 17.9 percent. The construction sector reported a 10.5 -percent decrease in receipts and a 9.0 -percent decrease in deductions, while the retail trade sector had small decreases in receipts ( 1.0 percent) and deductions ( 0.3 percent). Although not among the larger of the industrial sectors, the finance and insurance sector reported the largest percentage increase in both receipts and deductions, with a 19.5 -percent increase in business receipts and a 27.8 -percent increase in deductions.

## Returns and Receipts

The number of individual income tax returns reporting nonfarm sole proprietorship activity for 2008 decreased 2.2 percent to more than 22.6 million (Figure A). ${ }^{2}$ The largest sector in terms of number of returns was the professional, scientific, and technical services sector. This sector decreased by 0.5 percent to just more than 3.2 million returns. The construction sector, which was the second largest sector, had roughly 2.8 million returns, a decrease of 3.7 percent. The only two sectors that experienced increases in the number of returns were administrative, support, waste management, and remediation services ( 2.3 percent) and arts, entertainment, and recreation ( 5.0 percent).

Total business receipts (the sum of "income from sales and operations" and "other business income") for all nonfarm sole proprietorship industries decreased 0.5 percent, from $\$ 1,324.4$ billion to $\$ 1,317.4$

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## Figure A

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Returns, Receipts, and Deductions, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Years 2007 and 2008
[Number of returns is in thousands-money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Number of returns |  |  | Total business receipts |  |  | Total business deductions [1] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2007 | 2008 | Percentage increase | 2007 | 2008 | Percentage increase | 2007 | 2008 | Percentage increase |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All nonfarm industries | 23,122.7 | 22,614.5 | -2.2 | 1,324.4 | 1,317.4 | -0.5 | 1,044.3 | 1,053.7 | 0.9 |
| Construction | 2,931.1 | 2,821.7 | -3.7 | 230.8 | 206.7 | -10.5 | 195.2 | 177.6 | -9.0 |
| Specialty trade contractors | 2,347.4 | 2,263.3 | -3.6 | 159.7 | 143.1 | -10.4 | 131.9 | 119.4 | -9.5 |
| Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers) | 340.4 | 325.5 | -4.4 | 50.4 | 52.3 | 3.8 | 45.6 | 48.3 | 5.7 |
| Retail trade | 2,436.3 | 2,275.5 | -6.6 | 198.9 | 196.8 | -1.0 | 189.5 | 188.9 | -0.3 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 1,154.8 | 1,047.7 | -9.3 | 82.1 | 81.1 | -1.3 | 71.2 | 71.8 | 0.8 |
| Finance and insurance | 726.0 | 693.1 | -4.5 | 94.0 | 112.3 | 19.5 | 73.8 | 94.3 | 27.8 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 1,393.4 | 1,278.9 | -8.2 | 71.0 | 58.1 | -18.2 | 48.7 | 43.9 | -9.9 |
| Real estate | 1,336.8 | 1,217.1 | -9.0 | 66.9 | 52.9 | -21.0 | 44.8 | 38.7 | -13.5 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 3,234.5 | 3,218.9 | -0.5 | 169.3 | 172.0 | 1.6 | 97.8 | 97.8 | 0.1 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 2,251.0 | 2,302.8 | 2.3 | 60.3 | 61.4 | 1.8 | 43.9 | 44.5 | 1.3 |
| Health care and social assistance | 2,016.4 | 1,998.3 | -0.9 | 115.5 | 118.6 | 2.7 | 69.5 | 71.1 | 2.4 |
| Child day care services | 797.9 | 788.4 | -1.2 | 12.5 | 13.2 | 6.1 | 7.9 | 8.3 | 5.1 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 1,283.3 | 1,347.8 | 5.0 | 31.0 | 33.1 | 6.6 | 23.5 | 25.1 | 7.1 |
| Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries | 1,068.0 | 1,094.0 | 2.4 | 23.9 | 24.6 | 2.8 | 16.5 | 17.1 | 3.2 |
| Other services | 2,416.2 | 2,360.1 | -2.3 | 84.8 | 83.0 | -2.1 | 65.6 | 64.9 | -1.1 |
| Personal and laundry services | 1,583.3 | 1,597.9 | 0.9 | 43.6 | 42.9 | -1.4 | 30.8 | 29.8 | -3.3 |
| All other industries | 2,939.2 | 2,944.3 | 0.2 | 136.2 | 141.9 | 4.2 | 120.1 | 125.6 | 4.6 |

[1] Total business deductions are calculated before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from prior years.
NOTES: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. Percentage increases were calculated before rounding.
billion. ${ }^{3}$ The construction sector was the largest sector in terms of business receipts and accounted for 15.7 percent of total business receipts in 2008. Its receipts decreased by 10.5 percent, dropping even more steeply than last year's 2.4 percent decline. This comes after the 11.9-percent and 6.5 -percent increases in 2005 and 2006, respectively. The retail trade sector, the second largest sector in terms of business receipts, was also down in total receipts, declining 1.0 percent from 2007 levels. The two industries with the largest percentage increases in business receipts were the finance and insurance sector and the arts, entertainment, and recreation sector. They grew by 19.5 percent and 6.6 percent, respectively, providing a combined total increase of $\$ 20.4$ billion in business receipts. For all sectors, total business receipts for nonfarm sole proprietor-
ships decreased by $\$ 7.0$ billion in 2008. For the nonfarm industries experiencing a decline in business receipts, the total decrease was $\$ 42.0$ billion. The construction sector, combined with the real estate, rental, and leasing sector, accounted for $\$ 37.1$ billion of the decrease in business receipts, or 88.3 percent of the aggregate decline. For the nonfarm industries experiencing a rise in business receipts, the total increase was $\$ 35.0$ billion. The finance and insurance sector alone was responsible for 52.4 percent of this increase. For the last 3 years, the real estate and rental and leasing sector has shown the largest percentage decrease in receipts. For Tax Years 2006 and 2007, receipts decreased 6.9 percent and 8.0 percent, respectively. For Tax Year 2008, the drop in receipts was even more substantial, falling by 18.2 percent. In constant dollar terms, total business re-

[^1]ceipts for 2008 decreased 2.6 percent, after 5 straight years of increases. (Figure B). ${ }^{4}$

## Deductions

Total business deductions ("cost of sales and operations" plus business expenses, including expenses for home office), in current dollars, increased 0.9 percent from $\$ 1,044.3$ billion for 2007 to $\$ 1,053.7$ billion for

2008 (Figure A). ${ }^{5,6}$ In addition to reporting the largest percentage increase in receipts, the finance and insurance sector also reported the largest percentage increase in total business deductions with 27.8 percent. The largest sector in terms of total business deductions, the retail trade sector, reported a 0.3 -percent decrease in deductions. The second largest sector, the construction sector, reported a decrease

## Figure B

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Receipts, Deductions, and Profits, Tax Years 1988-2008
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Total business receipts |  |  | Total business deductions [1] |  |  | Net income less deficit (profits) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Current dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  | Current dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  | Current dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  |
|  |  | Amount | Percentage increase |  | Amount | Percentage increase |  | Amount | Percentage increase |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| 1988 | 672.0 | 887.8 | [3] | 545.7 | 720.9 | [3] | 126.3 | 166.9 | [3] |
| 1989 | 692.8 | 881.9 | -0.7 | 560.2 | 713.1 | -1.1 | 132.7 | 168.9 | 1.2 |
| 1990 | 730.6 | 895.5 | 1.5 | 589.2 | 722.1 | 1.3 | 141.4 | 173.3 | 2.6 |
| 1991 | 712.6 | 843.9 | -5.8 | 571.2 | 676.4 | -6.3 | 141.5 | 167.6 | -3.3 |
| 1992 | 737.1 | 853.3 | 1.1 | 583.1 | 675.0 | -0.2 | 154.0 | 178.3 | 6.4 |
| 1993 | 757.2 | 856.8 | 0.4 | 600.8 | 679.7 | 0.7 | 156.5 | 177.0 | -0.7 |
| 1994 | 790.6 | 876.0 | 2.2 | 623.8 | 691.2 | 1.7 | 166.8 | 184.8 | 4.4 |
| 1995 | 807.4 | 876.6 | 0.1 | 638.1 | 692.8 | 0.2 | 169.3 | 183.8 | -0.6 |
| 1996 | 843.2 | 898.5 | 2.5 | 666.5 | 710.1 | 2.5 | 176.8 | 188.3 | 2.5 |
| 1997 | 870.4 | 912.2 | 1.5 | 683.9 | 716.7 | 0.9 | 186.6 | 195.6 | 3.9 |
| 1998 | 918.3 | 951.8 | 4.3 | 716.2 | 742.3 | 3.6 | 202.3 | 209.7 | 7.2 |
| 1999 | 969.3 | 990.5 | 4.1 | 761.4 | 778.0 | 4.8 | 207.9 | 212.5 | 1.3 |
| 2000 | 1,021.0 | 1,021.0 | 3.1 | 806.4 | 806.4 | 3.6 | 214.7 | 214.7 | 1.1 |
| 2001 | 1,016.8 | 993.3 | -2.7 | 799.6 | 781.1 | -3.1 | 217.4 | 212.3 | -1.1 |
| 2002 | 1,029.7 | 990.6 | -0.3 | 808.9 | 778.2 | -0.4 | 221.1 | 212.7 | 0.2 |
| 2003 | 1,050.2 | 990.8 | [4] | 820.2 | 773.8 | -0.6 | 230.3 | 217.3 | 2.1 |
| 2004 | 1,139.5 | 1,044.5 | 5.4 | 892.4 | 818.0 | 5.7 | 247.6 | 226.9 | 4.4 |
| 2005 | 1,222.9 | 1,084.7 | 3.9 | 953.4 | 845.7 | 3.4 | 269.9 | 239.4 | 5.5 |
| 2006 | 1,278.4 | 1,096.7 | 1.1 | 1,001.1 | 858.8 | 1.6 | 278.0 | 238.5 | -0.4 |
| 2007 | 1,324.4 | 1,105.4 | 0.8 | 1,044.3 | 871.6 | 1.5 | 280.6 | 234.2 | -1.8 |
| 2008 | 1,317.4 | 1,076.1 | -2.6 | 1,053.7 | 860.7 | -1.3 | 264.5 | 216.1 | -7.7 |

[1] Total business deductions are calculated before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from prior years. However, these losses (after subtraction) and any carryover are reflected in net income or deficit. Therefore, total business receipts minus total business deductions may not always equal net income or deficit.
[2] Constant dollars are based on the overall implicit price deflator for gross domestic product computed and reported by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, in the Survey of Current Business. The deflator represents the annual average of current-weighted prices, based on $2000=100$.
[3] Not calculated.
[4] Less than 0.05 percent.
NOTE: Percentage increases were calculated before rounding
${ }^{4}$ Based on the overall implicit price deflator for Gross Domestic Product (GDP). See U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Survey of Current Business. Indices used for this article were:

| $\underline{\text { Year }}$ | $\underline{\text { Index }}$ | $\underline{Y e a r}$ | $\underline{\text { Index }}$ | $\underline{\text { Year }}$ | $\underline{\text { Index }}$ | $\underline{\text { Year }}$ | $\underline{\text { Index }}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1988 | 75.7 | 1994 | 90.3 | 2000 | 100.0 | 2006 | 116.6 |
| 1989 | 78.6 | 1995 | 92.1 | 2001 | 102.4 | 2007 | 119.8 |
| 1990 | 81.6 | 1996 | 93.9 | 2002 | 103.9 | 2008 | 122.4 |
| 1991 | 84.4 | 1997 | 95.4 | 2003 | 106.0 |  |  |
| 1992 | 86.4 | 1998 | 96.5 | 2004 | 109.1 |  |  |
| 1993 | 88.4 | 1999 | 97.9 | 2005 | 112.7 |  |  |

[^2]Sole Proprietorship Returns, 2008

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in deductions of 9.0 percent. The largest decrease in deductions was reported by the real estate and rental and leasing sector, with deductions that dropped by 13.5 percent. When accounting for inflation, total business deductions decreased 1.3 percent in 2008, marking the first decrease in 5 years.

The cost of sales and operations, which represented 41.3 percent of total 2008 business deductions, increased 2.9 percent since 2007, to approximately $\$ 434.9$ billion (Figure C). Total business "expenses" (total business deductions minus the cost
of sales and operations) were $\$ 618.8$ billion for 2008, a 0.5 -percent decrease since 2007. The main components of total business expenses are highlighted in Figure D. The largest component was car and truck expenses, accounting for 13.7 percent of the total. For 2008, car and truck expenses totaled $\$ 85.1$ billion, a 3.7-percent increase from 2007. Closely following car and truck expenses, accounting for 12.8 percent of total business expenses, was salaries and wages, which decreased 0.3 percent from 2007 to $\$ 79.1$ billion. The next largest components were rent

## Figure C

Components of Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Business Deductions, Tax Years 2007 and 2008
[Money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Business deductions | 2007 | 2008 | Percentage increase |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,044,343.4 | 1,053,706.0 | 0.9 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 422,684.5 | 434,868.3 | 2.9 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 44,469.6 | 46,735.3 | 5.1 |
| Cost of labor | 34,514.6 | 31,282.1 | -9.4 |
| Purchases | 264,234.8 | 280,662.4 | 6.2 |
| Materials and supplies | 61,519.0 | 56,592.4 | -8.0 |
| Other costs | 64,956.7 | 66,776.8 | 2.8 |
| Inventory, end of year | 47,010.1 | 47,180.6 | 0.4 |
| Business expenses, total [1] | 621,658.9 | 618,837.6 | -0.5 |
| Advertising expenses | 15,731.0 | 14,767.2 | -6.1 |
| Car and truck expenses | 82,023.8 | 85,054.9 | 3.7 |
| Commissions | 14,569.2 | 13,381.2 | -8.2 |
| Contract labor | 36,674.4 | 35,388.2 | -3.5 |
| Depletion | 1,021.1 | 1,423.8 | 39.4 |
| Depreciation [3] | 39,646.0 | 41,446.3 | 4.5 |
| Employee benefit programs | 2,909.5 | 2,897.0 | -0.4 |
| Home office business deductions [3] | 11,217.6 | 11,504.2 | 2.6 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 | 1,439.1 | 1,476.0 | 2.6 |
| Insurance | 19,290.6 | 18,308.1 | -5.1 |
| Legal and professional services | 10,934.4 | 11,108.8 | 1.6 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 7,661.5 | 7,335.9 | -4.2 |
| Mortgage interest | 6,649.0 | 6,481.1 | -2.5 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 8,368.2 | 8,181.0 | -2.2 |
| Office expenses | 13,297.3 | 12,827.3 | -3.5 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 1,279.7 | 1,235.3 | -3.5 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 9,526.5 | 9,439.0 | -0.9 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 33,613.2 | 34,074.9 | 1.4 |
| Repairs | 16,170.7 | 15,463.7 | -4.4 |
| Salaries and wages | 79,380.3 | 79,148.5 | -0.3 |
| Supplies | 32,325.5 | 31,831.5 | -1.5 |
| Taxes paid | 18,183.2 | 18,066.6 | -0.6 |
| Travel | 13,134.0 | 12,740.9 | -3.0 |
| Utilities | 24,856.2 | 24,674.7 | -0.7 |
| Other business deductions | 119,516.1 | 118,421.7 | -0.9 |

[1] Includes returns with Schedule C-EZ, "Net Profit from Business," attached. Because only a total is reported for business deductions on Schedule C-EZ, the totals shown in the statistics exceed the sum of the detailed deductions; the detailed deductions are, therefore, slightly understated.
[2] Total business deductions are before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from the prior years.
[3] Depreciation claimed on Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home," is included in "home office business deductions" and excluded from
"depreciation" shown above.

## Figure D

# Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Total Business Expenses by Type of Expenses, Tax Year 2008 [1] 


[1] Total business expenses equals all business deductions minus cost of sales and operations
[2] Depreciation claimed on Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home," is included in "home office business deductions" and excluded from "depreciation" shown above. See footnote 3.
[3] Includes depletion; employee benefit programs; legal and professional services; pension and profit-sharing plans; meals and entertainment; home office; and other business deductions. Other business deductions also includes all Schedule C-EZ, "Net Profit from Business," deductions (\$3.6 billion).
NOTES: Percents are based on an estimated total business expense of $\$ 618.8$ billion. Detail may not add to 100 percent because of rounding.
on business property, machinery, and equipment (7.0 percent), and depreciation ( 6.7 percent). For 2008, rent on business property, machinery, and equipment expenses increased 0.9 percent to $\$ 43.5$ billion, while depreciation expenses rose 4.5 percent to $\$ 41.4$ billion. Car and truck expenses showed the largest net increase in share of business expenses, 0.5 percent, up from 13.2 percent in 2007. Conversely, commissions and contract labor showed the largest net
decreases, 0.2 percent down from 2.3 percent and 5.9 percent, respectively, for 2007.

Historically, constant dollar depreciation increased every year from 1993 through 2003, with the exception of 1995, when it decreased 1.9 percent to $\$ 28.5$ billion (Figure E). ${ }^{7}$ In 2003, under the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003, the maximum allowable section 179 deduction (which allows expensing of investment property

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## Figure E

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Net Income, Deficit, and Depreciation, Tax Years 1988-2008
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Current dollars |  |  | Constant dollars [1] |  |  | Percentage increase in constant dollars [1] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net income | Deficit | Depreciation [2] | Net income | Deficit | Depreciation [2] | Net income | Deficit | Depreciation [2] |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| 1988 | 145.5 | 19.2 | 26.1 | 192.2 | 25.4 | 34.5 | [3] | [3] | [3] |
| 1989 | 152.4 | 19.7 | 24.5 | 194.0 | 25.1 | 31.2 | 0.9 | -1.1 | -9.6 |
| 1990 | 161.7 | 20.2 | 23.7 | 198.2 | 24.8 | 29.0 | 2.2 | -1.3 | -6.9 |
| 1991 | 162.4 | 20.9 | 23.1 | 192.3 | 24.8 | 27.4 | -3.0 | [4] | -5.8 |
| 1992 | 173.5 | 19.5 | 23.3 | 200.8 | 22.6 | 27.0 | 4.4 | -8.8 | -1.4 |
| 1993 | 177.0 | 20.5 | 25.0 | 200.3 | 23.2 | 28.3 | -0.3 | 2.8 | 4.9 |
| 1994 | 187.8 | 21.0 | 26.2 | 208.1 | 23.3 | 29.0 | 3.9 | 0.3 | 2.6 |
| 1995 | 191.7 | 22.5 | 26.2 | 208.2 | 24.4 | 28.5 | [4] | 4.8 | -1.9 |
| 1996 | 200.1 | 23.4 | 27.4 | 213.2 | 24.9 | 29.2 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 2.4 |
| 1997 | 210.5 | 23.8 | 28.6 | 220.6 | 25.0 | 30.0 | 3.4 | 0.3 | 2.9 |
| 1998 | 226.2 | 23.9 | 29.1 | 234.5 | 24.8 | 30.2 | 6.3 | -0.7 | 0.7 |
| 1999 | 233.4 | 25.5 | 30.6 | 238.5 | 26.0 | 31.3 | 1.7 | 4.9 | 3.7 |
| 2000 | 245.2 | 30.5 | 32.2 | 245.2 | 30.5 | 32.2 | 2.8 | 17.3 | 2.8 |
| 2001 | 250.2 | 32.8 | 33.4 | 244.4 | 32.0 | 32.7 | -0.3 | 5.0 | 1.4 |
| 2002 | 257.3 | 36.2 | 36.6 | 247.5 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 1.3 | 8.7 | 8.0 |
| 2003 | 269.1 | 38.8 | 41.8 | 253.9 | 36.6 | 39.4 | 2.6 | 5.1 | 11.7 |
| 2004 | 290.5 | 42.9 | 42.9 | 266.3 | 39.3 | 39.3 | 4.9 | 7.5 | -0.2 |
| 2005 | 314.8 | 44.8 | 39.1 | 279.2 | 39.8 | 34.7 | 4.9 | 1.1 | -11.8 |
| 2006 | 326.8 | 48.7 | 39.0 | 280.3 | 41.8 | 33.5 | 0.4 | 5.1 | -3.5 |
| 2007 | 335.1 | 54.5 | 39.6 | 279.7 | 45.5 | 33.1 | -0.2 | 8.9 | -1.1 |
| 2008 | 325.3 | 60.8 | 41.4 | 265.7 | 49.6 | 33.9 | -5.0 | 9.0 | 2.3 |

[1] Constant dollars are based on the overall implicit price deflator for gross domestic product computed and reported by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, in the Survey of Current Business. The deflator represents the annual average of current-weighted prices, based on $2000=100$.
[2] Excludes depreciation claimed on Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home."
[3] Not calculated.
[4] Less than 0.05 percent.
NOTE: Percentage increases were calculated before rounding.
in the year of the purchase instead of depreciating it over time) vaulted from $\$ 24,000$ for 2002 to $\$ 100,000$ for 2003 . The change led to constant dollar depreciation increasing by 11.7 percent for 2003, which was the highest growth in depreciation of any year between 1988 and 2008. But the initial jump in depreciation was offset in subsequent years by trends of decreased depreciation. From 2004 through 2007, constant dollar declines of depreciation were witnessed for all 4 years. In 2004, constant dollar depreciation deductions decreased by 0.2 percent, marking the first drop in 9 years. This downward trend was even more evident in 2005, as constant dollar depreciation fell by 11.8 percent, followed by
decreases of 3.5 percent and 1.1 percent in 2006 and 2007 , respectively. During this same 4 -year period, section 179 limits gradually increased for inflation, from $\$ 102,000$ in 2004 , to $\$ 105,000$ in 2005, to $\$ 108,000$ in 2006 , finally rising to $\$ 125,000$ in 2007.8,9 In 2008, the section 179 limit was doubled to $\$ 250,000$, which contributed to a reversal in the previous downward trend in depreciation and helped to account for a 2.3-percent increase in constant dollar depreciation.

Beginning with Tax Year 1992, certain smaller businesses could elect not to itemize depreciation and other business deductions by filing the Schedule C-EZ, Net Profit from Business, a simplified ver-

[^4]sion of Schedule C, Profit or Loss from Business. (Schedule C and Schedule C-EZ are the source of sole proprietorship statistics.) For Tax Year 2008, taxpayers could use Schedule C-EZ if they: had business expenses of $\$ 5,000$ or less; used the cash accounting method; had no inventories; did not report a loss from the business; had only one business as a sole proprietor; had no employees; were not required to file Form 4562, Depreciation and Amortization, for the business; claimed no deduction for home business expenses; and had no prior-year disallowed passive activity losses from the business. Since taxpayers using Schedule C-EZ did not itemize business deductions, the detailed deductions in Table 2 are slightly understated and do not add to the totals.

Figure F presents the numbers and percentages of nonfarm sole proprietorship returns filed on Schedule C-EZ, by industrial sector. For Tax Year 2008, approximately 4.4 million taxpayers filed the Schedule C-EZ, marking a 1.0 -percent decrease from the number filed for 2007. Of returns filed for 2008 in the administrative and support services sector (the
largest filers of this schedule), taxpayers filed nearly 0.7 million Schedule C-EZ returns, or 29.0 percent of the total sole proprietorship returns for that sector. ${ }^{10}$ For 2008, business receipts from Schedule C-EZ filers totaled $\$ 31.9$ billion, or 2.4 percent of total business receipts reported. Business deductions reported on Schedule C-EZ returns accounted for only 0.3 percent of total business deductions for all industries, or $\$ 3.6$ billion of the total $\$ 1,053.7$ billion. Despite having the largest concentration of Schedule C-EZ filers, deductions reported on the Schedule C-EZ by the administrative and support services sector accounted for only 1.2 percent of that sector's total business deductions.

## Profits and Losses

For 2008, many of the largest principal industrial sectors reported either significantly decreased or modestly increased sole proprietorship profits (net income less deficit). Figure B presents total profits for all industries (in both current and constant dollars) since 1988, while Figure G presents profits by

## Figure F

## All Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Returns and Those with Schedule C-EZ, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008 <br> [Number of returns is in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Number of returns |  |  | Total business receipts |  |  | Total business deductions [1] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | With Schedule C-EZ | Percentage <br> of <br> total | Total | On <br> Schedule $C-E Z$ | Percentage <br> of total | Total | On <br> Schedule $C-E Z$ | Percentage <br> of total |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All nonfarm industries | 22,614.5 | 4,355.0 | 19.3 | 1,317,443.0 | 31,874.9 | 2.4 | 1,053,706.0 | 3,635.8 | 0.3 |
| Construction | 2,821.7 | 467.4 | 16.6 | 206,688.4 | 3,434.9 | 1.7 | 177,584.3 | 357.7 | 0.2 |
| Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers) | 325.5 | 39.0 | 12.0 | 52,343.8 | 264.4 | 0.5 | 48,251.4 | 24.3 | 0.1 |
| Retail trade | 2,275.5 | 261.1 | 11.5 | 196,844.6 | 1,524.0 | 0.8 | 188,900.3 | 237.2 | 0.1 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 1,047.7 | 113.2 | 10.8 | 81,073.3 | 915.8 | 1.1 | 71,793.9 | 112.2 | 0.2 |
| Finance and insurance | 693.1 | 85.7 | 12.4 | 112,312.1 | 777.1 | 0.7 | 94,315.2 | 82.7 | 0.1 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 1,278.9 | 110.6 | 8.7 | 58,051.4 | 940.1 | 1.6 | 43,870.2 | 161.6 | 0.4 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 3,218.9 | 530.7 | 16.5 | 172,025.9 | 5,818.2 | 3.4 | 97,826.0 | 542.6 | 0.6 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 2,302.8 | 668.4 | 29.0 | 61,449.6 | 4,649.5 | 7.6 | 44,496.7 | 514.5 | 1.2 |
| Health care and social assistance | 1,998.3 | 505.2 | 25.3 | 118,634.1 | 4,170.7 | 3.5 | 71,139.6 | 388.5 | 0.5 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 1,347.8 | 274.2 | 20.3 | 33,092.3 | 1,104.1 | 3.3 | 25,108.0 | 198.3 | 0.8 |
| Other services | 2,360.1 | 508.9 | 21.6 | 82,993.0 | 3,853.1 | 4.6 | 64,868.4 | 469.9 | 0.7 |
| All other industries | 2,944.3 | 790.5 | 26.8 | 141,934.6 | 4,423.1 | 3.1 | 125,551.9 | 546.3 | 0.4 |

[1] Total business deductions are calculated before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from prior years.
NOTES: Certain smaller sole proprietorships could elect not to itemize business deductions by filing Schedule C-EZ, "Net Profit from Business." See the text of this article for a full list of the requirements to be eligible to file Schedule C-EZ. Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. Percentages were calculated before rounding.

[^5]industrial sector for 2007 and 2008.11 Total profits decreased 5.7 percent from $\$ 280.6$ billion for 2007 to $\$ 264.5$ billion for 2008. The professional, scientific, and technical services sector, which had the highest percentage of total profits of all nonfarm sole proprietorships with 28.1 percent, reported the highest dollar increase in profits ( $\$ 2.7$ billion). A moderately smaller sector, the health care and social assistance sector, reported the second largest dollar increase in profits for 2008 at $\$ 1.5$ billion. One of the smallest sectors, the arts, entertainment, and recreation sector, reported the largest percentage increase in profits, with 6.5 percent. Interestingly, the real estate and rental and leasing sector, which reported the largest percentage increase in profits for 2005 (19.4 percent), reported the largest decrease in profits for 2006, 2007, and 2008, with decreases of 18.5 percent, 17.7 percent, and 36.1 percent, respectively. This sharp downward trend has caused the sector to lose 57.2 percent of its profits in 2008 compared with 2005. Some of the other sectors experienced significant decreases in profit. Construction (-18.3
percent), retail trade (-15.6 percent), wholesale trade (-14.5 percent), transportation and warehousing (-14.4 percent), and finance and insurance ( -10.8 percent) all had double digit decreases in profit.

In constant dollars, total profits decreased 7.7 percent for 2008, marking the largest single-year decline during the 20 -year period this article covers (Figure B). For the third straight year, profits as a percentage of business receipts also decreased. Figure H shows net income less deficits as a percentage of business receipts for 1988 through 2008. In general, this percentage has increased slightly from a low of 18.8 percent for 1988. Profits as a percentage of business receipts had remained between 20.7 percent and 22.1 percent since 1992, peaking at 22.1 percent in 2005. However, in 2008, the percentage dropped out of that range, down to its current 20.1 percent. Figure E presents net income and deficit separately for 1988 through 2008, in current and constant dollars. For 2008, net income (in constant dollars) decreased 5.0 percent, and net deficit (in constant dollars) increased by 9.0 percent.

## Figure G

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Profits, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Years 2007 and 2008
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Net income less deficit (profits) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |

NOTES: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. Percentage increases were calculated before rounding.

[^6]
## Figure H

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Receipts, Deductions, and Profits, Tax Years 1988-2008

| Tax year | Total business receipts |  |  | Total business deductions [1] |  |  | Net income less deficit (profits) |  |  | Net income less deficit as a percent of business receipts |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Current dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  | Current <br> dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  | Current dollars | Constant dollars [2] |  |  |
|  |  | Amount | Percentage increase |  | Amount | Percentage increase |  | Amount | Percentage increase |  |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| 1988 | 672.0 | 887.8 | 0 | 545.7 | 720.9 | 0 | 126.3 | 166.9 | 0 | 18.8 |
| 1989 | 692.8 | 881.9 | -0.7 | 560.2 | 713.1 | -1.1 | 132.7 | 168.9 | 1.2 | 19.2 |
| 1990 | 730.6 | 895.5 | 1.5 | 589.2 | 722.1 | 1.3 | 141.4 | 173.3 | 2.6 | 19.4 |
| 1991 | 712.6 | 843.9 | -5.8 | 571.2 | 676.4 | -6.3 | 141.5 | 167.6 | -3.3 | 19.9 |
| 1992 | 737.1 | 853.3 | 1.1 | 583.1 | 675.0 | -0.2 | 154.0 | 178.3 | 6.4 | 20.9 |
| 1993 | 757.2 | 856.8 | 0.4 | 600.8 | 679.7 | 0.7 | 156.5 | 177.0 | -0.7 | 20.7 |
| 1994 | 790.6 | 876.0 | 2.2 | 623.8 | 691.2 | 1.7 | 166.8 | 184.8 | 4.4 | 21.1 |
| 1995 | 807.4 | 876.6 | 0.1 | 638.1 | 692.8 | 0.2 | 169.3 | 183.8 | -0.6 | 21.0 |
| 1996 | 843.2 | 898.5 | 2.5 | 666.5 | 710.1 | 2.5 | 176.8 | 188.3 | 2.5 | 21.0 |
| 1997 | 870.4 | 912.2 | 1.5 | 683.9 | 716.7 | 0.9 | 186.6 | 195.6 | 3.9 | 21.4 |
| 1998 | 918.3 | 951.8 | 4.3 | 716.2 | 742.3 | 3.6 | 202.3 | 209.7 | 7.2 | 22.0 |
| 1999 | 969.3 | 990.5 | 4.1 | 761.4 | 778.0 | 4.8 | 207.9 | 212.5 | 1.3 | 21.5 |
| 2000 | 1,021.0 | 1,021.0 | 3.1 | 806.4 | 806.4 | 3.6 | 214.7 | 214.7 | 1.1 | 21.0 |
| 2001 | 1,016.8 | 993.3 | -2.7 | 799.6 | 781.1 | -3.1 | 217.4 | 212.3 | -1.1 | 21.4 |
| 2002 | 1,029.7 | 990.6 | -0.3 | 808.9 | 778.2 | -0.4 | 221.1 | 212.7 | 0.2 | 21.5 |
| 2003 | 1,050.2 | 990.8 | [3] | 820.2 | 773.8 | -0.6 | 230.3 | 217.3 | 2.1 | 21.9 |
| 2004 | 1,139.5 | 1,044.5 | 5.4 | 892.4 | 818.0 | 5.7 | 247.6 | 226.9 | 4.4 | 21.7 |
| 2005 | 1,222.9 | 1,084.7 | 3.9 | 953.4 | 845.7 | 3.4 | 269.9 | 239.4 | 5.5 | 22.1 |
| 2006 | 1,278.4 | 1,096.7 | 1.1 | 1,001.1 | 858.8 | 1.6 | 278.0 | 238.5 | -0.4 | 21.7 |
| 2007 | 1,324.4 | 1,105.4 | 0.8 | 1,044.3 | 871.6 | 1.5 | 280.6 | 234.2 | -1.8 | 21.2 |
| 2008 | 1,317.4 | 1,076.1 | -2.6 | 1,053.7 | 860.7 | -1.3 | 264.5 | 216.1 | -7.7 | 20.1 |

[1] Total business deductions are calculated before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from prior years. However, these losses (after subtraction) and any carryover are reflected in net income or deficit. Therefore, total business receipts minus total business deductions may not always equal net income or deficit.
[2] Constant dollars are based on the overall implicit price deflator for gross domestic product computed and reported by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, in the Survey of Current Business. The deflator represents the annual average of current-weighted prices, based on $2000=100$.
[3] Less than 0.05 percent.
NOTE: Percentage increases were calculated before rounding.

## Industries

Using receipts as a measure of business size, Figures A and I show that construction was the largest sole proprietorship industrial sector for 2008 , with 15.7 percent of all business receipts (the fifth year in a row that this sector was largest). Total receipts for the construction sector, at $\$ 206.7$ billion, were 10.5 percent lower than the $\$ 230.8$ billion reported for 2007, while deductions decreased by 9.0 percent, resulting in an 18.3 -percent decrease in profits, from $\$ 35.7$ billion to $\$ 29.2$ billion (See Figure G). Besides construction, three other major sectors, namely real estate, retail trade, and transportation and warehousing, experienced a decline in business receipts for 2008. These declining sectors represented 41.2 percent of all nonfarm industry business receipts. The second largest industrial sector was retail trade, with receipts totaling $\$ 196.8$ billion. This amount was 14.9 percent of all sole proprietorship receipts for

2008, representing a 1.0 -percent decrease since 2007. Deductions and profits also decreased in this sector, by 0.3 percent and 15.6 percent, respectively. Retail trade profits totaled $\$ 8.0$ billion for 2008.

The third largest sector was professional, scientific, and technical services, which accounted for 13.1 percent of sole proprietorship receipts for 2008. Receipts increased 1.6 percent to $\$ 172.0$ billion, and deductions remained virtually the same at $\$ 97.8$ billion. Although this sector was just the third largest sector in terms of business receipts, the professional, scientific, and technical services sector had the largest percentage of sole proprietorship profits, with 28.1 percent (see Figure J). For 2008, the professional, scientific, and technical services sector's profits went from $\$ 71.6$ billion to $\$ 74.3$ billion, a 3.8-percent increase. The sector with the second largest profits was health care and social assistance, whose profits rose to $\$ 47.5$ billion for 2008. This

## Figure I

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Total Business Receipts, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008


NOTES: Percents are based on estimated total business receipts of $\$ 1.3$ trillion. Detail may not add to 100 percent because of rounding.
marked a 3.2-percent increase from 2007 levels and represented 18.0 percent of all sole proprietorship profits. These sectors were followed by construction (11.0 percent), other services ( 6.9 percent), and finance and insurance ( 6.8 percent) in terms of overall sole proprietor profits.

Tax Year 2001 is the first year in which data became available on the number of Limited Liability Companies (LLC) among sole proprietorship returns. LLC entities have the limited liability of corporations, but may be taxed as sole proprietorshipsincome and expenses flow through to the owner to be taxed-if they are owned by a single, individual member. In 2001, there were approximately 126,000 sole proprietorship returns that indicated status as an LLC (Figure K). This increased by 15.3 percent for 2002, 51.3 percent for 2003, 40.4 percent for

2004, 47.2 percent for 2005, 33.2 percent for 2006, 23.1 percent for 2007, and 12.8 percent for 2008. Increases in the actual number of LLCs also help to illustrate the trend during the last few years. The count of LLCs increased by approximately 146,000 for $2005,151,000$ for 2006, 140,000 for 2007, and 96,000 for 2008. This illustrates a tapering off of newly formed LLCs within sole proprietorships. For Tax Year 2008, the number of these sole proprietorships rose to approximately 843,000 . This was a 12.8 -percent increase since 2007 , representing the smallest percentage change within the observed period. The 2008 level of LLCs among sole proprietorship returns accounts for 3.7 percent of the total nonfarm sole proprietorships, with the total number of returns with LLCs having increased nearly sevenfold since 2001.

## Figure J

# Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Total Business Profits, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008 



NOTES: Percentages are based on estimated total business profits of $\$ 280.6$ billion. Detail may not add to 100 percent because of rounding. Profits is a designation for "net income less deficit," shown elsewhere in this article.

## Summary

Profits for the 22.6 million returns with sole proprietorship activity for Tax Year 2008 declined by 5.7 percent to a level of $\$ 264.5$ billion. In constant dollars, total nonfarm sole proprietorship profits decreased 7.7 percent, after decreasing 0.4 percent in 2006 and 1.8 percent in 2007. This was the first time since before 1988 that sole proprietorship profits (in constant dollars) had decreased for 3 consecutive years. The professional, scientific, and technical services sector had the largest profits of any sector, at $\$ 74.3$ billion, representing 28.1 percent of total sole proprietorship profits, followed by the health care and social assistance sector, at $\$ 47.5$ billion or 18.0 percent of total profits. For all sole proprietorships, receipts decreased 0.5 percent, while deductions increased 0.9 percent. The largest sole proprietorship
industrial sector, based on business receipts, was the construction sector, accounting for 15.7 percent of receipts. This sector reported a 10.5 -percent decrease in 2008. The finance and insurance sector showed the largest percentage increase in both receipts and deductions, reporting a 19.5 -percent increase in receipts and a 27.8 -percent increase in deductions. After increasing in 2006 and 2007, filings of Schedules C-EZ decreased 1.0 percent in 2008. The industrial sector that experienced the most significant downturn in both profits and receipts from Tax Year 2007 to 2008 was the real estate and rental and leasing sector. After having the largest percentage decline in profits in both 2006 ( 18.5 percent) and 2007 ( 17.7 percent), the real estate and rental and leasing sector continued this trend, with a 36.1-percent drop in profits for 2008. Correspondingly, this sector continued to have

## Figure K

Number of Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships Registered as Limited Liability Companies (LLCs), Tax Years 2001-2008

the biggest decrease in business receipts. After declines of 6.9 percent in 2006 and 8.0 percent in 2007, the real estate sector's reported business receipts fell another 18.2 percent in 2008.

## Data Sources and Limitations

The 2008 sole proprietorship estimates are based on a stratified probability sample of unaudited individual income tax returns, Form 1040 (including electronically filed returns), processed by the Internal Revenue Service during Calendar Year 2009. Returns in the sample were stratified based on: (1) the presence
or absence of Schedule C, Profit or Loss From Business (Sole Proprietorship), or Schedule C-EZ, Net Profit From Business, and Schedule F, Farm Income and Expenses; (2) the larger of positive income or negative income (i.e., "adjusted gross income" before statutory adjustments); and (3) tax year. The returns were selected at rates that ranged from 0.1 percent to 100 percent. The 2008 nonfarm sole proprietorship data are based on a sample of 91,679 returns and a population of $22,990,883$ returns. ${ }^{12}$ The corresponding sample and population for the 2007 data were 90,983 and 23,516,241, respectively.

Since the data presented in this article are estimates based on a sample of returns filed, they are subject to sampling error. To properly use the statistical data estimates provided, the magnitude of the potential sampling error must be known; coefficients of variation (CVs) are used to measure that magnitude. Figure L presents estimated coefficients of variation for the number of returns and money
amounts for selected items and industrial sectors. Generally, the smaller the coefficient of variation, the more reliable the estimate is judged to be. The SOI Sampling Methodology and Data Limitations, near the back of this issue, discusses the reliability of estimates based on samples and the use of coefficients of variation for evaluating the precision of estimates based on samples.

## Figure $\mathbf{L}$

Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Coefficients of Variation for Selected Items, by Selected Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008
[Coefficients of variation are in percentages]

| Industrial sector | Coefficients of variation |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total business receipts | Total business deductions | Depreciation [1] | Net income | Deficit |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| All nonfarm industries | 0.53 | 0.60 | 1.21 | 0.75 | 1.33 |
| Construction | 1.88 | 1.98 | 3.37 | 2.24 | 4.78 |
| Specialty trade contractors | 2.23 | 2.37 | 3.94 | 2.53 | 6.21 |
| Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers) | 4.44 | 4.55 | 9.30 | 6.54 | 10.68 |
| Retail trade | 2.04 | 2.03 | 4.01 | 3.45 | 3.69 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 2.59 | 2.66 | 3.99 | 3.46 | 6.01 |
| Finance and insurance | 1.90 | 1.75 | 7.39 | 3.83 | 5.84 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 2.57 | 2.81 | 4.68 | 3.15 | 4.30 |
| Real estate | 2.63 | 2.91 | 4.95 | 3.21 | 4.57 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 1.69 | 1.96 | 3.55 | 1.96 | 3.99 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 2.88 | 3.34 | 5.44 | 2.85 | 5.84 |
| Health care and social assistance | 1.86 | 2.01 | 3.96 | 2.23 | 7.63 |
| Child day care services | 4.53 | 5.84 | 14.17 | 4.30 | 13.68 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 3.20 | 3.15 | 5.28 | 4.43 | 5.09 |
| Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries | 3.65 | 3.59 | 6.26 | 4.76 | 5.84 |
| Other services | 2.55 | 2.82 | 4.50 | 2.82 | 5.29 |
| Personal and laundry services | 3.05 | 3.39 | 6.11 | 3.52 | 6.91 |
| All other industries | 2.10 | 2.16 | 3.19 | 2.83 | 3.32 |

[^7]Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money

| Industrial sector | Businesses with and without net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction [1,3] | Payroll [1,4] | Net income less deficit |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| All nonfarm industries | 22,614,483 | 1,317,443,005 | 42,922,336 | 9,439,007 | 34,074,935 | 14,662,064 | 110,430,600 | 264,508,362 |
| Agriculture, forestry, hunting, and fishing | 307,287 | 17,590,294 | 1,862,191 | 113,910 | 138,074 | 287,887 | 1,681,043 | 447,873 |
| Animal production (including breeding of cats and dogs) | 51,404 | 1,029,452 | 239,693 | 1,679 | 13,765 | 30,585 | 53,659 | -553,558 |
| Forestry and logging (including forest nurseries, timber tracts) | 51,577 | 5,188,799 | 600,151 | 46,918 | 9,217 | 110,754 | 505,496 | 158,618 |
| Fishing | 64,343 | 2,535,299 | 362,461 | 16,867 | 30,964 | 68,078 | 29,059 | 445,556 |
| Hunting and trapping | 12,353 | 191,555 | 37,200 | 1,671 | 12,257 | 14,161 | 5,837 | -22,976 |
| Support activities for agriculture and forestry | 127,610 | 8,645,191 | 622,686 | 46,775 | 71,870 | 64,310 | 1,086,992 | 420,233 |
| Mining | 134,372 | 17,653,003 | 1,483,030 | 63,119 | 46,165 | 276,884 | 791,986 | 2,912,813 |
| Oil and gas extraction | 106,666 | 13,944,820 | 1,135,814 | 20,263 | 36,463 | 192,308 | 352,554 | 2,090,823 |
| Coal mining | 330 | 354,224 | 23,399 | 3,270 | * 617 | 3,983 | 45,381 | -15,660 |
| Metal ore mining | * 662 | * 57,369 | * 3,231 | * 1,267 | * 385 | * 932 | * 9,173 | * -8,891 |
| Nonmetallic mineral mining and quarrying | 3,028 | 652,198 | 117,265 | 8,324 | * 105 | 41,150 | 79,262 | 27,179 |
| Support activities for mining | 23,686 | 2,644,392 | 203,320 | 29,996 | 8,594 | 38,511 | 305,616 | 819,362 |
| Utilities | 12,650 | 321,981 | 24,428 | * 734 | * 6,044 | 8,006 | * 30,881 | 30,470 |
| Construction | 2,821,745 | 206,688,428 | 6,867,419 | 1,342,334 | 1,380,449 | 2,053,941 | 24,494,085 | 29,153,787 |
| Residential building construction | 417,996 | 44,486,914 | 893,328 | 197,017 | 190,671 | 609,561 | 4,438,307 | 3,988,593 |
| Nonresidential building construction | 78,938 | 10,301,953 | 321,060 | 69,575 | 66,624 | 113,821 | 1,159,910 | 939,204 |
| Heavy and civil engineering construction | 61,515 | 8,808,104 | 534,186 | 81,422 | 47,951 | 271,090 | 866,551 | 485,373 |
| Specialty trade contractors | 2,263,296 | 143,091,457 | 5,118,844 | 994,320 | 1,075,204 | 1,059,470 | 18,029,318 | 23,740,617 |
| Manufacturing | 340,237 | 28,109,966 | 1,335,871 | 179,108 | 851,786 | 345,404 | 3,479,665 | 2,694,049 |
| Food manufacturing | 35,793 | 4,156,833 | 121,123 | 25,258 | 103,183 | 65,652 | 355,941 | 50,186 |
| Textile and textile product mills | 5,026 | 342,315 | 28,243 | * 1,513 | * 9,729 | 5,357 | * 80,250 | -13,308 |
| Apparel | 19,905 | 875,515 | 27,533 | 7,911 | 66,222 | 4,330 | 159,028 | 60,430 |
| Leather and allied products | * 3,783 | * 61,881 | * 1,007 | 0 | 0 | * 715 | * 9,920 | * -9,186 |
| Wood products | 32,965 | 2,332,029 | 118,918 | 15,203 | 50,554 | 27,647 | 314,923 | 160,722 |
| Paper products | * 709 | * 28,050 | * 28 | * 372 | 0 | 0 | * 2,720 | * 7 7,824 |
| Printing and related support activities | 36,181 | 2,566,657 | 129,890 | 11,244 | 129,911 | 38,116 | 279,226 | 312,791 |
| Petroleum and coal products | 468 | * 99,206 | * 1,410 | 0 | * 64 | * 308 | * 1,289 | 5,916 |
| Chemical manufacturing | 11,569 | 1,081,306 | 54,182 | 12,197 | 14,277 | 11,902 | 104,411 | -39,552 |
| Plastics, rubber, clay, refractory, and glass products | 11,868 | 378,462 | 24,680 | 3,386 | 7,402 | 5,247 | 65,624 | -21,828 |
| Nonmetallic mineral products | 3,271 | 713,751 | 39,542 | * 842 | * 885 | 9,445 | 78,098 | 86,459 |
| Primary metal industries | 4,879 | 602,321 | 19,351 | * 15,949 | * 24,997 | * 10,804 | 121,020 | 12,522 |
| Fabricated metal products | 28,335 | 3,734,667 | 206,273 | 10,699 | 99,360 | 49,829 | 541,606 | 397,452 |
| Machinery | 23,019 | 3,051,994 | 229,874 | 30,325 | 75,824 | 34,530 | 409,760 | 460,528 |
| Computer and electronic products | 13,545 | 413,813 | 13,634 | * 2,551 | * 5,930 | * 8,217 | 22,928 | 133,222 |
| Electrical equipment, appliances, and components | 3,318 | 500,680 | 4,819 | * 10,655 | 4,976 | * 3,745 | 50,982 | 65,337 |
| Transportation equipment | 10,919 | 936,764 | 16,114 | 6,196 | 40,522 | 5,507 | 211,216 | 4,255 |
| Furniture and related products | 28,835 | 2,486,626 | 102,520 | 5,862 | 80,349 | 17,674 | 245,994 | 632,157 |
| Medical equipment and supplies | 8,302 | 646,131 | 9,809 | * 7,667 | 19,780 | 3,046 | 46,723 | 101,023 |
| Other miscellaneous manufacturing | 57,548 | 3,100,965 | 186,921 | 11,277 | 117,823 | 43,335 | 378,006 | 302,745 |
| Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers) | 325,522 | 52,343,754 | 766,708 | 138,173 | 721,644 | 343,823 | 2,202,700 | 4,118,498 |
| Durable goods, including machinery, wood, metals, etc. | 135,479 | 23,705,289 | 414,866 | 51,925 | 323,153 | 167,371 | 1,027,938 | 1,620,013 |
| Nondurable goods, including food, fiber, chemicals, etc. | 100,241 | 22,368,567 | 282,033 | 56,970 | 290,702 | 136,280 | 968,768 | 1,461,836 |
| Wholesale electronic markets and agents and brokers | 89,801 | 6,269,898 | 69,808 | 29,279 | 107,789 | 40,171 | 205,995 | 1,036,649 |

[^8]Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Businesses with net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction [1,3] | Payroll [1,4] | Net income |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| All nonfarm industries | 16,434,155 | 1,062,581,267 | 26,158,239 | 6,906,737 | 25,408,073 | 7,841,052 | 85,562,985 | 325,265,465 |
| Agriculture, forestry, hunting, and fishing | 169,725 | 12,627,490 | 781,411 | 63,578 | 84,012 | 125,851 | 1,233,481 | 2,541,190 |
| Animal production (including breeding of cats and dogs) | 9,492 | 601,772 | 59,692 | * 585 | 5,747 | * 9,006 | * 29,194 | 114,828 |
| Forestry and logging (including forest nurseries, timber tracts) | 30,408 | 3,649,913 | 310,511 | 13,756 | 5,125 | 51,236 | 326,663 | 501,568 |
| Fishing | 39,803 | 1,950,297 | 134,666 | * 11,479 | 19,085 | 30,710 | * 10,789 | 775,066 |
| Hunting and trapping | 5,045 | 117,133 | * 8,381 | * [5] | * 6,690 | * 4,039 | * 308 | 35,534 |
| Support activities for agriculture and forestry | 84,977 | 6,308,374 | 268,161 | 37,759 | 47,365 | 30,859 | 866,527 | 1,114,194 |
| Mining | 104,824 | 13,896,902 | 911,836 | 36,625 | 28,222 | 97,747 | 523,185 | 4,411,402 |
| Oil and gas extraction | 80,470 | 11,084,680 | 706,226 | 14,644 | 20,734 | 68,486 | 246,308 | 3,358,158 |
| Coal mining | 295 | 86,755 | * 3,534 | * 687 | * 319 | * 199 | * 1,197 | 12,492 |
| Metal ore mining | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nonmetallic mineral mining and quarrying | 2,447 | 529,721 | 70,310 | * 3,450 | * 59 | 18,572 | 61,725 | 97,440 |
| Support activities for mining | 21,612 | 2,195,745 | 131,766 | 17,844 | 7,110 | 10,490 | 213,954 | 943,313 |
| Utilities | 8,895 | 208,130 | * 969 | * 714 | * 307 | * 168 | * 11,695 | 61,210 |
| Construction | 2,304,865 | 172,740,182 | 5,041,603 | 983,196 | 1,071,357 | 1,207,324 | 19,710,838 | 35,436,753 |
| Residential building construction | 332,398 | 33,758,359 | 661,129 | 139,708 | 151,414 | 273,328 | 3,487,070 | 5,598,779 |
| Nonresidential building construction | 67,760 | 8,452,764 | 219,649 | 45,670 | 59,950 | 64,360 | 937,910 | 1,272,691 |
| Heavy and civil engineering construction | 45,525 | 5,788,181 | 359,072 | 47,615 | 32,697 | 97,796 | 540,103 | 1,200,161 |
| Specialty trade contractors | 1,859,182 | 124,740,879 | 3,801,752 | 750,202 | 827,296 | 771,841 | 14,745,755 | 27,365,122 |
| Manufacturing | 208,296 | 22,108,550 | 737,903 | 120,550 | 534,201 | 167,301 | 2,412,042 | 4,295,424 |
| Food manufacturing | 20,469 | 2,926,311 | 44,160 | 22,147 | 43,290 | 18,745 | 212,125 | 291,498 |
| Textile and textile product mills | 1,886 | 179,979 | * 10,141 | * 157 | * 128 | * 228 | * 11,087 | 33,604 |
| Apparel | 10,701 | 669,070 | 11,723 | * 3,999 | 49,316 | * 2,558 | 139,184 | 120,580 |
| Leather and allied products | * 2,697 | * 22,869 | * 185 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 16,942 |
| Wood products | 20,818 | 1,914,912 | 54,642 | * 13,940 | 41,295 | 14,761 | 234,720 | 276,806 |
| Paper products | * 8 | * 2,121 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 2,020 |
| Printing and related support activities | 21,510 | 1,968,698 | 76,178 | 6,936 | 68,005 | 31,536 | 191,266 | 437,018 |
| Petroleum and coal products | * 444 | * 99,056 | * 708 | 0 | * 64 | * 308 | * 1,289 | * 7,200 |
| Chemical manufacturing | 4,688 | 878,102 | 3,525 | * 1,998 | * 6,289 | * 4,147 | * 49,766 | 82,500 |
| Plastics, rubber, clay, refractory, and glass products | 4,772 | 182,931 | * 2,610 | * 272 | * 2,016 | * 1,437 | * 14,019 | 15,526 |
| Nonmetallic mineral products | 2,218 | 650,077 | * 21,233 | * 819 | * 431 | * 8,073 | * 64,351 | 118,070 |
| Primary metal industries | 2,930 | 528,845 | * 12,946 | * 14,604 | * 22,701 | * 2,518 | * 89,050 | 71,316 |
| Fabricated metal products | 19,947 | 3,015,826 | 131,577 | 6,299 | 73,318 | 22,985 | 401,468 | 546,663 |
| Machinery | 17,369 | 2,590,381 | 129,872 | 14,368 | 48,652 | 19,095 | 333,139 | 586,768 |
| Computer and electronic products | 7,337 | 300,139 | * 1,485 | 0 | * 3,528 | 0 | * 11,700 | 161,886 |
| Electrical equipment, appliances, and components | 3,260 | 438,282 | 1,979 | * 9,479 | * 3,414 | * 1,304 | * 37,239 | 88,050 |
| Transportation equipment | 5,763 | 606,916 | * 3,502 | * 2,335 | * 16,698 | * 1,349 | * 112,891 | 110,832 |
| Furniture and related products | 22,732 | 2,165,417 | 94,972 | 5,642 | 57,301 | 12,001 | 163,089 | 674,436 |
| Medical equipment and supplies | 6,714 | 479,075 | 8,767 | * 7,658 | 17,138 | 1,570 | 33,987 | 127,327 |
| Other miscellaneous manufacturing | 32,034 | 2,489,543 | 127,697 | 9,896 | 80,617 | 24,685 | 311,671 | 526,381 |
| Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers) | 205,647 | 42,913,616 | 490,536 | 96,910 | 518,098 | 182,125 | 1,644,407 | 5,572,750 |
| Durable goods, including machinery, wood, metals, etc. | 86,599 | 19,761,789 | 263,931 | 26,444 | 220,299 | 88,082 | 738,698 | 2,276,297 |
| Nondurable goods, including food, fiber, chemicals, etc. | 62,503 | 17,868,712 | 190,174 | 48,698 | 212,766 | 62,408 | 786,557 | 1,994,639 |
| Wholesale electronic markets and agents and brokers | 56,546 | 5,283,115 | 36,431 | 21,769 | 85,033 | 31,635 | 119,152 | 1,301,815 |

[^9]Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money

| Industrial sector | Businesses with and without net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction $[1,3]$ | Payroll [1,4] | Net income less deficit |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Retail trade | 2,275,476 | 196,844,560 | 3,001,898 | 705,954 | 6,150,702 | 1,962,780 | 10,220,579 | 8,012,708 |
| Motor vehicle and parts dealers | 141,986 | 39,539,674 | 351,469 | 50,516 | 607,096 | 493,617 | 1,568,934 | 733,028 |
| Furniture and home furnishing stores | 45,128 | 4,331,050 | 75,833 | 29,017 | 312,776 | 62,930 | 360,642 | 355,250 |
| Electronic and appliance stores | 32,022 | 4,836,187 | 67,813 | 47,314 | 135,706 | 51,639 | 557,173 | 346,146 |
| Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers | 43,178 | 8,367,667 | 199,981 | 26,769 | 111,089 | 99,615 | 736,629 | 714,661 |
| Food and beverage stores | 90,978 | 28,514,563 | 337,307 | 114,481 | 892,191 | 208,080 | 1,800,089 | 929,414 |
| Health and personal care stores | 133,393 | 8,894,781 | 136,599 | 80,091 | 277,760 | 67,289 | 554,241 | 651,259 |
| Gasoline stations | 21,790 | 28,899,287 | 254,933 | 28,366 | 323,622 | 204,574 | 788,983 | 101,208 |
| Clothing and accessories stores | 127,848 | 11,609,824 | 173,536 | 39,458 | 1,068,134 | 101,965 | 798,174 | 453,277 |
| Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores | 103,392 | 7,467,029 | 148,992 | 19,665 | 416,806 | 88,338 | 406,818 | 123,558 |
| General merchandise stores | 23,544 | 2,841,834 | 65,227 | 19,904 | 127,339 | 47,132 | 123,905 | 72,660 |
| Miscellaneous store retailers | 529,027 | 30,631,191 | 632,071 | 189,037 | 1,535,793 | 344,815 | 1,921,777 | 1,875,498 |
| Nonstore retailers | 983,191 | 20,911,475 | 558,139 | 61,336 | 342,389 | 192,787 | 603,214 | 1,656,747 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 1,047,716 | 81,073,306 | 5,568,883 | 2,309,439 | 583,160 | 1,063,150 | 4,440,942 | 9,383,446 |
| Air and rail transportation | 11,156 | 1,519,288 | 420,833 | 12,983 | 20,215 | 87,252 | 78,553 | -291,560 |
| Water transportation | 6,787 | 870,779 | 112,945 | 4,055 | 14,499 | 30,109 | 86,319 | 139,639 |
| General freight trucking, local | 212,461 | 20,208,531 | 1,466,960 | 479,195 | 128,661 | 241,388 | 1,750,935 | 2,218,991 |
| General freight trucking, long distance and specialized freight trucking | ** 363,583 | ** 40,483,021 | ** 2,809,631 | ** 1,029,793 | ** 153,874 | ** 507,653 | ** 1,456,374 | ** 4,054,522 |
| Urban transit | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Interurban and rural bus transportation | * 944 | * 33,682 | * 2,653 | * [5] | 0 | * 2,551 | * 57 | * 3,614 |
| Taxi and limousine service | 167,974 | 5,641,078 | 151,595 | 660,280 | 133,785 | 76,263 | 132,209 | 1,523,255 |
| School, employee, and charter bus industry | 13,701 | 741,861 | 62,275 | * 443 | * 1,884 | 25,549 | 81,979 | 149,546 |
| Other transit and ground passenger transportation | 23,920 | 718,765 | 23,629 | * 9,765 | * 6,374 | * 1,924 | 55,069 | 260,082 |
| Pipeline transportation | * 658 | * 45,911 | * 25,551 | 0 | 0 | * 1,428 | * 217 | *-14,599 |
| Scenic and sightseeing transportation | 12,292 | 508,958 | 103,026 | * 6,028 | 14,300 | 22,063 | 126,084 | -83,664 |
| Support activities for transportation (including motor vehicle towing) | 51,560 | 4,279,539 | 250,649 | 52,467 | 60,023 | 41,283 | 315,120 | 416,012 |
| Couriers and messengers | 175,337 | 5,508,211 | 97,629 | 50,311 | 25,478 | 13,868 | 314,656 | 973,505 |
| Warehousing and storage facilities | 7,344 | 513,683 | 41,506 | 4,118 | 24,068 | 11,819 | 43,371 | 34,105 |
| Information | 365,625 | 11,704,393 | 520,210 | 99,339 | 301,886 | 93,886 | 856,692 | 3,123,461 |
| Publishing industries (except internet) | 75,386 | 1,931,754 | 35,077 | 5,103 | 29,046 | 24,923 | 285,398 | 336,897 |
| Motion picture and sound recording | 103,469 | 3,011,507 | 278,021 | 22,971 | 128,075 | 22,067 | 155,603 | 548,598 |
| Broadcasting (except internet) and telecommunications | 51,983 | 2,647,023 | 64,572 | 31,415 | 71,852 | 29,426 | 177,033 | 455,183 |
| Internet publishing and broadcasting | 4,151 | 177,244 | 13,479 | * 141 | * 7,159 | * 686 | * 11,541 | 7,401 |
| Internet service providers, web search portals, and data processing | 130,635 | 3,936,865 | 129,062 | 39,709 | 65,754 | 16,784 | 227,117 | 1,775,383 |
| Finance and insurance | 693,065 | 112,312,139 | 1,052,148 | 316,196 | 1,455,536 | 768,631 | 4,658,421 | 18,004,035 |
| Credit intermediation and related activities | 72,956 | 3,166,910 | 88,809 | 50,017 | 83,217 | 105,044 | 174,355 | 229,170 |
| Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments | 178,338 | 77,172,761 | 395,016 | 81,081 | 420,106 | 360,528 | 1,555,061 | 5,984,021 |
| Investment bankers and securities dealers | 5,122 | 4,789,463 | 5,203 | 3,329 | 19,894 | 23,359 | 46,573 | 320,069 |
| Securities brokers | 17,163 | 5,357,286 | 27,275 | 11,870 | 32,725 | 13,360 | 118,438 | 967,341 |
| Commodity contracts brokers and dealers | 4,959 | 3,024,548 | 9,666 | 1,069 | 28,466 | 7,391 | 43,649 | 129,923 |
| Securities and commodity exchanges | 355 | 1,677,363 | 11,500 | * 25 | * 978 | 6,149 | * 16,610 | -15,302 |
| Other financial investment activities (investment advice) | 150,738 | 62,324,101 | 341,373 | 64,788 | 338,042 | 310,268 | 1,329,791 | 4,581,990 |
| Insurance agents, brokers, and related activities | 441,771 | 31,972,467 | 568,324 | 185,098 | 952,214 | 303,059 | 2,929,006 | 11,790,845 |
| Insurance agencies and brokerages | 338,253 | 27,676,834 | 468,597 | 171,829 | 868,924 | 259,184 | 2,791,382 | 9,989,961 |
| Other insurance related activities | 103,518 | 4,295,633 | 99,726 | 13,269 | 83,289 | 43,876 | 137,624 | 1,800,883 |

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Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Businesses with net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \text { Depreciation } \\ \text { deduction } \\ {[1,2]} \end{array}$ | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction [1,3] | Payroll [1,4] | Net income |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| Retail trade | 1,178,928 | 149,566,389 | 1,615,862 | 469,491 | 4,046,202 | 1,024,960 | 7,124,244 | 16,853,669 |
| Motor vehicle and parts dealers | 95,809 | 27,100,408 | 190,039 | 36,184 | 366,565 | 230,751 | 832,286 | 1,800,047 |
| Furniture and home furnishing stores | 31,080 | 3,078,483 | 54,700 | 22,306 | 177,343 | 38,437 | 252,180 | 536,726 |
| Electronic and appliance stores | 21,707 | 4,090,173 | 52,195 | 35,323 | 99,883 | 47,611 | 451,157 | 467,415 |
| Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers | 29,288 | 7,011,290 | 149,357 | 21,617 | 82,616 | 67,530 | 544,966 | 861,849 |
| Food and beverage stores | 63,642 | 23,297,348 | 198,745 | 86,362 | 659,644 | 127,391 | 1,383,117 | 1,491,564 |
| Health and personal care stores | 57,826 | 7,794,683 | 85,204 | 58,129 | 215,539 | 39,438 | 477,737 | 1,160,162 |
| Gasoline stations | 13,306 | 19,879,724 | 123,671 | 14,018 | 215,937 | 116,951 | 495,067 | 397,810 |
| Clothing and accessories stores | 70,613 | 9,894,062 | 116,195 | 21,875 | 790,456 | 55,035 | 632,658 | 1,104,690 |
| Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores | 42,403 | 5,433,941 | 59,440 | 7,460 | 227,149 | 32,984 | 267,667 | 696,952 |
| General merchandise stores | 10,980 | 2,360,036 | 26,635 | 19,595 | 81,783 | 29,035 | 98,506 | 211,428 |
| Miscellaneous store retailers | 285,724 | 23,472,085 | 302,210 | 106,218 | 933,511 | 166,524 | 1,300,281 | 3,927,931 |
| Nonstore retailers | 456,550 | 16,154,154 | 257,471 | 40,404 | 195,775 | 73,273 | 388,621 | 4,197,095 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 826,797 | 65,340,649 | 3,355,340 | 1,928,250 | 434,202 | 619,469 | 3,083,319 | 12,541,505 |
| Air and rail transportation | 6,888 | 969,925 | 42,380 | 6,096 | 3,985 | 9,093 | 19,986 | 234,880 |
| Water transportation | 5,288 | 589,647 | 23,322 | * 149 | * 12,316 | 3,858 | * 41,702 | 223,745 |
| General freight trucking, local | 166,520 | 16,159,729 | 888,610 | 424,934 | 90,734 | 143,204 | 1,319,279 | 2,912,265 |
| General freight trucking, long distance and specialized freight trucking | ** 286,447 | ** 32,912,494 | ** 1,998,233 | ** 807,660 | ** 115,315 | ** 320,713 | ** 910,633 | ** 5,005,243 |
| Urban transit | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Interurban and rural bus transportation | * 300 | * 13,875 | * 208 | * [5] | * | * 2,551 | * 57 | * 4,761 |
| Taxi and limousine service | 149,479 | 5,126,887 | 121,060 | 599,629 | 125,758 | 74,001 | * 68,771 | 1,659,025 |
| School, employee, and charter bus industry | 10,676 | 563,351 | 32,974 | * 201 | * 1,423 | 15,975 | 63,718 | 157,329 |
| Other transit and ground passenger transportation | ** 17,057 | ** 560,067 | ** 11,686 | ** 7,557 | ** 5,749 | ** 1,442 | ** 39,348 | ** 289,890 |
| Pipeline transportation | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Scenic and sightseeing transportation | 5,078 | 248,484 | * 2,772 | 0 | * 3,773 | * 1,732 | * 101,435 | 47,547 |
| Support activities for transportation (including motor vehicle towing) | 36,864 | 3,138,557 | 165,579 | 40,816 | 34,360 | 27,765 | 187,067 | 584,806 |
| Couriers and messengers | 137,396 | 4,615,802 | 56,035 | 39,838 | 23,027 | 9,857 | 299,898 | 1,297,384 |
| Warehousing and storage facilities | 4,804 | 441,830 | 12,480 | 1,369 | 17,762 | 9,278 | 31,424 | 124,630 |
| Information | 243,183 | 9,800,479 | 275,632 | 66,909 | 212,664 | 37,706 | 632,016 | 4,278,001 |
| Publishing industries (except internet) | 52,053 | 1,515,671 | 16,947 | 2,280 | 15,387 | 14,030 | 202,197 | 568,310 |
| Motion picture and sound recording | 59,213 | 2,504,126 | 112,407 | 14,700 | 84,882 | 4,058 | 109,887 | 1,043,912 |
| Broadcasting (except internet) and telecommunications | 34,138 | 2,035,326 | 37,239 | 14,757 | 55,868 | 9,436 | 117,852 | 603,072 |
| Internet publishing and broadcasting | 2,152 | 120,795 | * 6,158 | * 141 | * 6,594 | * 91 | * 9,501 | 31,199 |
| Internet service providers, web search portals, and data processing | 95,626 | 3,624,561 | 102,880 | 35,031 | 49,932 | 10,091 | 192,579 | 2,031,507 |
| Finance and insurance | 468,187 | 58,566,141 | 677,795 | 249,174 | 1,240,624 | 378,748 | 3,895,765 | 21,547,741 |
| Credit intermediation and related activities | 40,555 | 2,464,387 | 39,027 | 9,730 | 31,905 | 46,495 | 96,694 | 767,713 |
| Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments | 104,564 | 27,205,432 | 186,564 | 66,995 | 335,108 | 98,375 | 1,143,991 | 8,059,177 |
| Investment bankers and securities dealers | 3,226 | 1,501,529 | 3,709 | * 1,075 | 14,101 | 2,341 | 25,976 | 472,384 |
| Securities brokers | 11,205 | 2,138,677 | 23,216 | 11,807 | 30,140 | 10,389 | 106,822 | 1,067,526 |
| Commodity contracts brokers and dealers | 3,291 | 2,981,175 | 6,607 | * 442 | 17,627 | 1,899 | 15,421 | 255,422 |
| Securities and commodity exchanges | 32 | 517,187 | * 8,636 | * 25 | * 296 | * 967 | * 8,161 | 19,924 |
| Other financial investment activities (investment advice) | 86,810 | 20,066,864 | 144,396 | 53,647 | 272,944 | 82,779 | 987,612 | 6,243,921 |
| Insurance agents, brokers, and related activities | 323,068 | 28,896,322 | 452,204 | 172,448 | 873,611 | 233,878 | 2,655,080 | 12,720,851 |
| Insurance agencies and brokerages | 250,486 | 25,129,756 | 373,837 | 161,064 | 804,035 | 214,881 | 2,535,376 | 10,761,594 |
| Other insurance related activities | 72,582 | 3,766,566 | 78,367 | 11,384 | 69,576 | 18,998 | 119,704 | 1,959,257 |

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[All figures are estimates based on samples-money

| Industrial sector | Businesses with and without net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction [1,3] | Payroll [1,4] | Net income less deficit |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 1,278,868 | 58,051,397 | 3,072,063 | 507,601 | 1,275,456 | 1,877,702 | 2,253,440 | 14,272,167 |
| Real estate | 1,217,101 | 52,854,366 | 1,736,336 | 414,685 | 1,076,041 | 1,644,849 | 1,748,128 | 14,131,187 |
| Lessors of real estate (including miniwarehouses and self storage) | 38,603 | 1,899,159 | 310,094 | 19,849 | 33,896 | 431,944 | 96,006 | -131,636 |
| Offices of real estate agents, brokers, property managers, and appraisers | 933,828 | 39,199,345 | 1,015,725 | 336,714 | 750,333 | 642,822 | 1,028,679 | 13,330,418 |
| Other activities related to real estate | 244,670 | 11,755,862 | 410,517 | 58,122 | 291,812 | 570,084 | 623,443 | 932,405 |
| Rental and leasing services | 61,767 | 5,197,031 | 1,335,727 | 92,917 | 199,415 | 232,853 | 505,312 | 140,980 |
| Automotive equipment rental and leasing | 15,480 | 783,258 | 220,476 | 11,803 | 17,115 | 35,564 | 52,315 | 487 |
| Consumer electronics and appliances rental | * 1,313 | * 22,035 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 17,663 |
| Formal wear and costume rental | * 120 | * 62,724 | * 6,538 | 0 | * 8,222 | * 394 | * 9,943 | * 6,129 |
| Video tape and disc rental | 4,838 | 535,595 | 14,154 | * 1,540 | 53,913 | * 5,621 | 83,718 | 36,055 |
| General rental centers and other consumer goods rental | 22,082 | 1,709,253 | 194,985 | 18,244 | 64,576 | 34,512 | 171,316 | 217,513 |
| Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing | 17,935 | 2,084,166 | 899,573 | 61,330 | 55,588 | 156,762 | 188,020 | -136,866 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 3,218,914 | 172,025,851 | 4,388,918 | 1,015,291 | 3,998,108 | 1,282,716 | 13,545,172 | 74,301,434 |
| Legal services | 378,111 | 41,048,470 | 539,608 | 243,263 | 1,697,704 | 285,018 | 4,600,343 | 18,404,926 |
| Offices of certified public accountants | 45,107 | 4,591,731 | 116,611 | 26,443 | 178,217 | 52,672 | 773,446 | 1,960,640 |
| Other accounting services | 312,490 | 8,564,857 | 297,301 | 71,599 | 275,978 | 137,020 | 971,073 | 3,389,912 |
| Architectural, engineering, and related services | 255,667 | 15,040,113 | 462,183 | 125,265 | 275,297 | 77,854 | 1,817,547 | 5,187,363 |
| Architectural services | 99,590 | 6,863,719 | 203,488 | 74,298 | 133,778 | 34,295 | 1,016,653 | 1,764,504 |
| Engineering services | 95,894 | 5,508,512 | 175,504 | 39,555 | 91,798 | 28,723 | 553,202 | 2,205,786 |
| Drafting, building inspections, and geophysical surveying | 42,017 | 1,617,661 | 33,858 | * 1,830 | 19,088 | 5,928 | 94,038 | 907,259 |
| Surveying and mapping (except geophysical) services | 14,353 | 678,569 | 38,460 | * 9,520 | 21,914 | * 3,729 | 110,946 | 229,460 |
| Testing laboratories | 3,812 | 371,653 | 10,872 | * 63 | 8,718 | * 5,180 | * 42,707 | 80,354 |
| Specialized design services | 250,692 | 8,897,310 | 270,733 | 56,465 | 174,746 | 63,843 | 451,847 | 2,176,040 |
| Computer systems design services | 240,391 | 9,992,920 | 273,599 | 59,262 | 161,548 | 75,362 | 683,301 | 4,024,778 |
| Other professional, scientific, and technical services | 1,736,456 | 83,890,449 | 2,428,884 | 432,993 | 1,234,619 | 590,948 | 4,247,615 | 39,157,776 |
| Management, scientific, and technical consulting services | 950,327 | 47,388,860 | 1,082,875 | 232,025 | 556,595 | 288,049 | 1,523,043 | 26,632,700 |
| Scientific research and development services | 32,799 | 1,179,505 | 44,206 | 2,392 | 23,896 | 12,319 | 106,201 | 461,188 |
| Advertising and related services | 120,600 | 7,650,421 | 179,969 | 31,775 | 94,710 | 86,449 | 317,102 | 1,936,608 |
| Market research and public opinion polling | 29,687 | 979,162 | 10,320 | * 14,343 | 10,861 | * 9,267 | 70,237 | 410,210 |
| Other miscellaneous services | 603,043 | 26,692,501 | 1,111,514 | 152,458 | 548,557 | 194,864 | 2,231,032 | 9,717,070 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 2,302,805 | 61,449,597 | 2,634,207 | 415,531 | 824,253 | 480,379 | 6,737,037 | 16,957,186 |
| Administrative and support services | 2,277,252 | 59,416,628 | 2,402,664 | 392,714 | 806,043 | 440,250 | 6,502,640 | 16,792,128 |
| Waste management and remediation services | 25,554 | 2,032,969 | 231,543 | 22,818 | 18,209 | 40,129 | 234,397 | 165,058 |
| Educational services | 620,222 | 9,697,644 | 298,229 | 60,162 | 538,731 | 84,688 | 504,421 | 3,031,251 |

Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Businesses with net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction [1,3] | Payroll [1,4] | Net income |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 776,962 | 46,885,202 | 1,357,965 | 356,043 | 852,352 | 649,857 | 1,346,859 | 20,132,759 |
| Real estate | 745,158 | 43,082,600 | 923,688 | 293,256 | 723,191 | 557,381 | 971,475 | 19,296,407 |
| Lessors of real estate (including miniwarehouses and self storage) | 16,366 | 1,063,194 | 130,729 | 12,496 | 10,552 | 131,132 | 27,893 | 314,198 |
| Offices of real estate agents, brokers, property managers, and appraisers | 595,833 | 34,435,160 | 626,095 | 256,619 | 567,998 | 287,352 | 688,850 | 16,010,274 |
| Other activities related to real estate | 132,959 | 7,584,247 | 166,864 | 24,141 | 144,641 | 138,897 | 254,731 | 2,971,936 |
| Rental and leasing services | 31,804 | 3,802,601 | 434,277 | 62,786 | 129,161 | 92,476 | 375,384 | 836,352 |
| Automotive equipment rental and leasing | 9,577 | 501,922 | 96,174 | * 5,865 | * 298 | 15,969 | * 29,097 | 76,854 |
| Consumer electronics and appliances rental | * 1,313 | * 22,035 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 17,663 |
| Formal wear and costume rental | * 79 | * 61,725 | * 6,166 | 0 | * 7,249 | * 394 | * 9,943 | * 7,477 |
| Video tape and disc rental | 2,325 | 420,238 | * 9,356 | * 1,540 | * 41,947 | * 1,492 | * 64,219 | 61,065 |
| General rental centers and other consumer goods rental | 10,621 | 1,517,459 | 89,608 | * 14,437 | 43,513 | 21,658 | 148,017 | 364,933 |
| Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing | 7,890 | 1,279,221 | 232,973 | 40,944 | 36,153 | 52,963 | 124,107 | 308,361 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 2,381,482 | 158,908,361 | 3,150,550 | 762,485 | 3,279,390 | 864,916 | 11,519,460 | 80,645,299 |
| Legal services | 302,390 | 39,527,283 | 474,589 | 215,822 | 1,573,548 | 245,028 | 4,256,881 | 19,039,652 |
| Offices of certified public accountants | 35,730 | 4,456,821 | 98,424 | 25,715 | 153,908 | 49,111 | 745,836 | 2,006,263 |
| Other accounting services | 253,952 | 8,097,016 | 243,790 | 54,088 | 228,150 | 101,535 | 908,566 | 3,721,592 |
| Architectural, engineering, and related services | 194,522 | 13,609,539 | 351,739 | 70,617 | 210,257 | 54,337 | 1,472,398 | 5,673,583 |
| Architectural services | 71,265 | 5,868,175 | 141,844 | 29,473 | 103,136 | 22,664 | 770,889 | 2,009,016 |
| Engineering services | 76,339 | 5,191,342 | 138,336 | 29,732 | 67,844 | 17,681 | 461,836 | 2,378,400 |
| Drafting, building inspections, and geophysical surveying | 32,091 | 1,530,041 | 26,918 | * 1,830 | 19,088 | 5,517 | 86,020 | 949,800 |
| Surveying and mapping (except geophysical) services | 12,552 | 660,178 | 35,301 | * 9,520 | * 14,193 | * 3,729 | 110,946 | 250,233 |
| Testing laboratories | 2,275 | 359,804 | * 9,341 | * 62 | * 5,996 | * 4,747 | * 42,707 | 86,134 |
| Specialized design services | 171,345 | 7,640,817 | 156,593 | 24,261 | 99,622 | 28,527 | 370,619 | 2,675,052 |
| Computer systems design services | 178,237 | 9,287,681 | 189,016 | 46,343 | 129,129 | 35,195 | 573,335 | 4,488,596 |
| Other professional, scientific, and technical services | 1,245,306 | 76,289,203 | 1,636,400 | 325,639 | 884,775 | 351,183 | 3,191,825 | 43,040,561 |
| Management, scientific, and technical consulting services | 680,319 | 43,593,208 | 745,813 | 160,814 | 364,110 | 123,042 | 1,071,180 | 28,759,033 |
| Scientific research and development services | 23,233 | 1,006,501 | 33,276 | * 2,192 | 13,535 | * 868 | 56,068 | 601,569 |
| Advertising and related services | 90,630 | 6,977,588 | 140,797 | 25,659 | 88,272 | 80,293 | 219,567 | 2,203,234 |
| Market research and public opinion polling | 18,612 | 946,689 | 5,522 | * 14,211 | 10,448 | * 6,189 | 68,084 | 457,006 |
| Other miscellaneous services | 432,511 | 23,765,218 | 710,993 | 122,763 | 408,410 | 140,791 | 1,776,926 | 11,019,719 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 1,834,717 | 53,790,774 | 1,727,779 | 275,198 | 594,383 | 311,977 | 5,310,774 | 20,352,614 |
| Administrative and support services | 1,814,685 | 52,159,878 | 1,566,905 | 260,514 | 579,350 | 285,844 | 5,160,175 | 20,072,775 |
| Waste management and remediation services | 20,032 | 1,630,896 | 160,874 | 14,684 | 15,033 | 26,133 | 150,599 | 279,839 |
| Educational services | 490,245 | 7,276,547 | 136,239 | 37,297 | 350,363 | 25,456 | 265,983 | 3,800,109 |

Footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money

| Industrial sector | Businesses with and without net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction $[1,3]$ | Payroll [1,4] | Net income less deficit |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Health care and social assistance | 1,998,278 | 118,634,052 | 3,035,635 | 551,649 | 5,158,149 | 1,240,154 | 17,209,350 | 47,539,320 |
| Ambulatory health care services | 990,181 | 97,029,582 | 2,339,402 | 463,933 | 4,494,934 | 844,758 | 14,635,290 | 40,488,113 |
| Offices of physicians (except mental health specialists) | 183,723 | 33,527,006 | 603,886 | 171,398 | 1,281,486 | 187,411 | 4,198,881 | 16,483,353 |
| Offices of physicians, mental health specialists | 27,713 | 2,571,012 | 56,142 | 25,542 | 136,806 | 16,256 | 152,335 | 1,418,970 |
| Offices of dentists | 85,583 | 29,628,238 | 917,252 | 92,432 | 1,205,410 | 390,510 | 6,640,932 | 10,071,816 |
| Offices of chiropractors | 35,894 | 4,670,025 | 139,067 | 44,454 | 406,620 | 62,465 | 606,422 | 1,709,094 |
| Offices of optometrists | 17,566 | 3,308,192 | 117,316 | 18,068 | 232,412 | 31,529 | 560,963 | 836,782 |
| Offices of mental health practitioners and social therapists | 185,643 | 9,222,844 | 174,944 | 29,242 | 622,391 | 47,587 | 671,919 | 4,712,889 |
| Offices of podiatrists | 8,216 | 1,614,761 | 44,270 | 6,835 | 199,555 | 16,879 | 234,877 | 549,256 |
| health practitioners | 158,690 | 5,473,489 | 135,302 | 40,043 | 241,679 | 46,138 | 360,214 | 2,331,371 |
| Medical and diagnostic laboratories | 31,927 | 1,405,247 | 49,867 | 7,129 | 68,238 | 11,787 | 284,786 | 411,343 |
| Home health care services | 227,282 | 4,514,655 | 76,712 | 24,320 | 74,180 | 26,679 | 749,689 | 1,729,329 |
| Other ambulatory health care services (including ambulance services, blood and organ banks) | 27,944 | 1,094,113 | 24,644 | 4,469 | 26,156 | 7,517 | 174,272 | 233,911 |
| Hospitals | 10,803 | 565,203 | 8,056 | * 784 | * 10,115 | * 1,717 | * 65,198 | 347,079 |
| Nursing and residential care facilities | 61,028 | 4,635,311 | 156,891 | 38,515 | 247,332 | 242,833 | 1,163,012 | 347,555 |
| Social assistance | 147,898 | 3,187,864 | 77,222 | 4,382 | 154,132 | 15,659 | 234,433 | 1,410,784 |
| Child day care services | 788,368 | 13,216,093 | 454,064 | 44,035 | 251,635 | 135,188 | 1,111,417 | 4,945,788 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 1,347,779 | 33,092,332 | 1,920,727 | 219,389 | 1,140,219 | 382,020 | 1,707,991 | 8,057,508 |
| Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries | 1,094,030 | 24,608,291 | 1,376,261 | 152,909 | 521,893 | 179,918 | 877,064 | 7,560,686 |
| Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions | 2,988 | 56,425 | 901 | * 97 | * 8,118 | * 392 | * 4,692 | 15,929 |
| Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries | 250,761 | 8,427,616 | 543,564 | 66,383 | 610,209 | 201,709 | 826,235 | 480,892 |
| Accommodation, food services, and drinking places | 434,168 | 47,870,153 | 2,087,498 | 427,589 | 3,398,744 | 1,068,023 | 8,346,380 | 649,056 |
| Accommodation | 54,627 | 6,002,638 | 762,610 | 27,434 | 241,975 | 484,168 | 926,034 | -106,584 |
| Travel accommodation (including hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast inns) | 30,796 | 4,635,708 | 619,581 | 24,939 | 125,858 | 408,268 | 763,628 | -62,093 |
| RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps | 11,157 | 849,367 | 84,862 | 370 | 87,730 | 39,971 | 81,680 | -6,285 |
| Rooming and boarding houses | 12,673 | 517,563 | 58,168 | 2,125 | * 28,387 | 35,930 | 80,726 | -38,206 |
| Food services and drinking places | 379,541 | 41,867,514 | 1,324,888 | 400,155 | 3,156,769 | 583,855 | 7,420,346 | 755,640 |
| Other services | 2,360,060 | 82,993,026 | 2,778,315 | 877,432 | 5,968,711 | 968,644 | 7,062,906 | 18,135,387 |
| Auto repair and maintenance | 351,027 | 23,975,616 | 992,097 | 226,304 | 934,504 | 435,952 | 2,599,805 | 2,235,510 |
| Automotive mechanical and electrical repair and maintenance | 176,570 | 12,095,924 | 516,359 | 66,854 | 441,268 | 216,993 | 1,200,172 | 1,067,921 |
| Automotive body shops | 85,132 | 7,046,601 | 214,190 | 81,222 | 310,886 | 117,615 | 886,774 | 818,614 |
| Other auto repair and maintenance (including oil change, lubrication and car washes) | 89,325 | 4,833,090 | 261,547 | 78,228 | 182,350 | 101,344 | 512,859 | 348,975 |
| Miscellaneous repairs | 411,150 | 16,068,515 | 514,519 | 95,024 | 397,899 | 132,994 | 1,267,710 | 2,771,294 |
| Personal and laundry services | 1,597,882 | 42,948,895 | 1,271,699 | 556,104 | 4,636,308 | 399,699 | 3,195,390 | 13,128,583 |
| Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional and similar organizations | 245,487 | 3,243,046 | 51,767 | 9,017 | 25,816 | * 9,353 | * 25,912 | 1,682,136 |
| Unclassified establishments | 484,209 | 5,744,085 | 172,191 | 87,040 | 111,301 | 63,992 | 180,997 | 2,001,777 |

Table 1. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Business Receipts, Selected Deductions, Payroll, and Net Income, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Businesses with net income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Business receipts | Depreciation deduction [1,2] | Rent paid on machinery and equipment [1] | Rent paid on other business property [1] | Interest paid deduction $[1,3]$ | Payroll [1,4] | Net income |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| Health care and social assistance | 1,655,574 | 110,275,817 | 2,395,473 | 439,759 | 4,493,294 | 908,280 | 15,389,857 | 49,855,675 |
| Ambulatory health care services | 811,894 | 92,064,135 | 1,940,083 | 395,035 | 4,009,387 | 710,666 | 13,561,504 | 41,846,050 |
| Offices of physicians (except mental health specialists) | 153,658 | 32,124,499 | 525,453 | 154,931 | 1,204,200 | 168,851 | 3,952,588 | 16,770,471 |
| Offices of physicians, mental health specialists | 24,199 | 2,497,861 | 50,348 | 23,525 | 134,519 | 15,971 | 146,218 | 1,436,878 |
| Offices of dentists | 74,801 | 28,711,069 | 809,029 | 69,230 | 1,127,368 | 341,025 | 6,441,551 | 10,223,917 |
| Offices of chiropractors | 31,671 | 4,486,293 | 107,049 | 43,400 | 369,117 | 60,154 | 591,538 | 1,748,283 |
| Offices of optometrists | 14,998 | 3,051,562 | 86,000 | 15,776 | 205,915 | 24,002 | 512,117 | 887,699 |
| Offices of mental health practitioners and social therapists | 146,024 | 8,722,252 | 146,344 | 25,863 | 545,825 | 26,155 | 552,415 | 4,849,572 |
| Offices of podiatrists | 6,547 | 1,526,364 | 36,812 | 5,060 | 136,952 | 16,879 | 221,391 | 584,136 |
| health practitioners | 126,539 | 5,051,200 | 91,768 | 29,638 | 179,748 | 31,464 | 291,112 | 2,597,497 |
| Medical and diagnostic laboratories | 26,246 | 1,206,377 | 24,906 | 5,284 | 53,333 | 5,370 | 240,594 | 451,393 |
| Home health care services | 187,757 | 3,829,796 | 47,858 | 18,201 | 35,900 | 13,819 | 468,054 | 2,012,025 |
| Other ambulatory health care services (including ambulance services, blood and organ banks) | 19,454 | 856,862 | 14,516 | * 4,127 | 16,511 | 6,976 | 143,926 | 284,178 |
| Hospitals | 10,372 | 558,948 | 7,013 | * 784 | * 10,106 | * 1,717 | * 64,597 | 349,246 |
| Nursing and residential care facilities | 42,208 | 3,155,366 | 84,224 | 13,880 | 159,871 | 108,812 | 708,860 | 630,327 |
| Social assistance | 111,604 | 2,988,411 | 60,436 | 2,590 | 135,149 | 12,075 | 223,296 | 1,569,040 |
| Child day care services | 679,496 | 11,508,956 | 303,716 | 27,471 | 178,781 | 75,010 | 831,601 | 5,461,012 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 840,486 | 25,748,112 | 742,307 | 105,258 | 563,849 | 89,512 | 702,841 | 12,551,749 |
| Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries | 667,004 | 20,485,270 | 612,819 | 81,760 | 304,495 | 60,588 | 418,482 | 10,997,067 |
| Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions | * 1,028 | * 50,327 | * 276 | * 72 | * 6,772 | * 13 | * 949 | * 28,552 |
| Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries | 172,454 | 5,212,516 | 129,212 | 23,426 | 252,581 | 28,911 | 283,409 | 1,526,130 |
| Accommodation, food services, and drinking places | 270,338 | 32,951,914 | 846,781 | 260,709 | 2,216,026 | 462,052 | 5,070,156 | 3,944,725 |
| Accommodation | 25,815 | 3,640,560 | 281,469 | 13,510 | 190,420 | 181,199 | 410,302 | 686,142 |
| Travel accommodation (including hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast inns) | 15,774 | 2,734,418 | 224,711 | 13,018 | 82,769 | 166,042 | 298,479 | 534,678 |
| RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps | 5,950 | 571,095 | 37,779 | * 244 | * 80,382 | 11,681 | 69,461 | 75,531 |
| Rooming and boarding houses | 4,090 | 335,047 | 18,980 | * 248 | * 27,269 | * 3,475 | * 42,362 | 75,934 |
| Food services and drinking places | 244,523 | 29,311,354 | 565,312 | 247,199 | 2,025,606 | 280,853 | 4,659,855 | 3,258,583 |
| Other services | 1,875,687 | 71,197,612 | 1,816,699 | 623,827 | 4,826,981 | 652,549 | 5,553,274 | 21,745,190 |
| Auto repair and maintenance | 251,094 | 19,359,248 | 625,607 | 157,995 | 684,940 | 294,689 | 2,009,910 | 3,175,658 |
| Automotive mechanical and electrical repair and maintenance | 130,924 | 9,854,183 | 339,554 | 47,494 | 346,052 | 178,890 | 958,175 | 1,507,387 |
| Automotive body shops | 59,269 | 5,902,853 | 158,525 | 71,316 | 201,578 | 67,740 | 700,010 | 1,017,755 |
| Other auto repair and maintenance (including oil change, lubrication and car washes) | 60,901 | 3,602,213 | 127,529 | 39,186 | 137,310 | 48,058 | 351,725 | 650,516 |
| Miscellaneous repairs | 309,113 | 13,857,046 | 328,035 | 75,108 | 245,801 | 100,342 | 1,030,303 | 3,531,687 |
| Personal and laundry services | 1,315,480 | 37,981,318 | 863,056 | 390,724 | 3,896,241 | 257,518 | 2,513,061 | 15,037,845 |
| Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional and similar organizations | 199,382 | 3,084,125 | 33,562 | * 4,221 | 24,610 | * 647 | * 25,908 | 1,921,225 |
| Unclassified establishments | 389,936 | 4,694,275 | 62,000 | 26,543 | 36,936 | 34,407 | 106,879 | 2,776,475 |

*Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based
**Data combined to prevent disclosure of taxpayer information.
[1] Excludes amounts reported on Schedule C-EZ filed by certain small businesses not required to itemize their business deductions. Therefore, totals shown may be slightly understated.
[2] Includes depreciation claimed on Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home."
[3] Interest paid is the sum of mortgage interest and other interest paid on business indebtedness.
[4] Payroll is the sum of salaries and wages plus the cost of labor reported as part of cost of sales and operations.
[5] Less than $\$ 500$.
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008
[All figures are estimates based on samples—money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | All nonfarm industries | Agriculture, forestry, hunting and fishing |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Animal production (including breeding of cats and dogs) | Forestry and logging (including forest nurseries, timber tracts) | Fishing | Hunting <br> and <br> trapping | Support activities for agriculture and forestry |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,317,443,005 | 17,590,294 | 1,029,452 | 5,188,799 | 2,535,299 | 191,555 | 8,645,191 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 1,295,786,783 | 17,190,842 | 962,700 | 5,120,218 | 2,425,967 | 185,895 | 8,496,061 |
| Other business income | 21,656,221 | 399,452 | 66,752 | 68,581 | 109,331 | 5,659 | 149,129 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,053,705,955 | 17,170,571 | 1,594,845 | 5,036,388 | 2,090,180 | 214,629 | 8,234,529 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 434,868,323 | 5,370,685 | 235,514 | 1,400,383 | 337,822 | 15,671 | 3,381,294 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 46,735,278 | 531,963 | 90,113 | 149,266 | * 18,084 | * 10,608 | 263,893 |
| Cost of labor | 31,282,105 | 295,276 | * 32,131 | 136,281 | * 6,744 | * 77 | 120,044 |
| Purchases | 280,662,351 | 4,062,041 | 108,044 | 985,914 | 202,509 | * 4,272 | 2,761,301 |
| Materials and supplies | 56,592,372 | 388,302 | 28,317 | 39,667 | 23,963 | * 784 | 295,571 |
| Other costs | 66,776,845 | 667,834 | 58,182 | 247,048 | 103,816 | * 5,048 | 253,740 |
| Inventory, end of year | 47,180,627 | 574,732 | 81,272 | 157,793 | * 17,293 | * 5,119 | 313,255 |
| Advertising expenses | 14,767,208 | 118,037 | 19,504 | 7,847 | 14,817 | 2,444 | 73,425 |
| Car and truck expenses | 85,054,914 | 1,060,209 | 112,097 | 338,121 | 166,492 | 13,685 | 429,813 |
| Commissions | 13,381,218 | 131,292 | 9,840 | 26,304 | 19,312 | * 72 | 75,763 |
| Contract labor | 35,388,217 | 684,326 | 22,455 | 309,567 | 56,893 | 1,534 | 293,877 |
| Depletion | 1,423,771 | 1,029 | * 2 | * 679 | 0 | * 6 | * 343 |
| Depreciation | 41,446,328 | 1,850,012 | 233,173 | 598,895 | 360,528 | 37,200 | 620,217 |
| Employee benefit programs | 2,897,005 | 13,123 | 1,740 | 4,241 | * 92 | * 51 | 6,998 |
| Insurance | 18,308,063 | 400,081 | 27,111 | 182,346 | 42,443 | 4,486 | 143,695 |
| Legal and professional services | 11,108,794 | 159,265 | 72,053 | 19,548 | 19,821 | 2,113 | 45,731 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 7,335,934 | 60,995 | 6,099 | 9,213 | 24,552 | 2,534 | 18,598 |
| Mortgage interest | 6,481,051 | 99,578 | 17,628 | 32,131 | 29,265 | * 5,031 | 15,523 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 8,181,013 | 188,309 | 12,957 | 78,623 | 38,813 | 9,130 | 48,786 |
| Office expenses | 12,827,294 | 53,737 | 6,789 | 8,737 | 12,346 | 2,927 | 22,938 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 1,235,347 | 2,274 | * 59 | 971 | * 5 | 0 | 1,239 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 9,439,007 | 113,910 | 1,679 | 46,918 | 16,867 | 1,671 | 46,775 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 34,074,935 | 138,074 | 13,765 | 9,217 | 30,964 | 12,257 | 71,870 |
| Repairs | 15,463,698 | 717,848 | 25,787 | 336,917 | 119,569 | 10,903 | 224,672 |
| Supplies | 31,831,493 | 498,944 | 58,820 | 79,823 | 147,387 | 19,275 | 193,639 |
| Salaries and wages | 79,148,496 | 1,385,767 | 21,528 | 369,215 | 22,315 | 5,759 | 966,949 |
| Taxes paid | 18,066,560 | 279,383 | 14,633 | 69,133 | 34,172 | 7,956 | 153,489 |
| Travel | 12,740,944 | 175,262 | 27,148 | 21,303 | 32,261 | 993 | 93,557 |
| Utilities | 24,674,687 | 196,898 | 24,288 | 44,210 | 40,309 | 5,553 | 82,537 |
| Other business deductions | 118,421,657 | 3,360,239 | 606,195 | 1,029,495 | 503,357 | 51,985 | 1,169,206 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 11,504,196 | 74,041 | 21,937 | 5,145 | 15,578 | * 520 | 30,861 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 1,476,008 | 12,179 | 6,520 | 1,256 | * 1,933 | 0 | 2,469 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 69,203 | * 804 | 0 | * 804 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 1,334,666 | 20,682 | * 14,529 | * 2,084 | * 1,301 | 0 | * 2,768 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 264,508,362 | 447,873 | -553,558 | 158,618 | 445,556 | -22,976 | 420,233 |
| Net income [1,2] | 325,265,465 | 2,541,190 | 114,828 | 501,568 | 775,066 | 35,534 | 1,114,194 |
| Deficit [2] | -60,757,103 | -2,093,316 | -668,386 | -342,950 | -329,510 | -58,510 | -693,960 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

| Net income status, item | All nonfarm industries | Agriculture, forestry, hunting and fishing |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Animal production (including breeding of cats and dogs) | Forestry and logging (including forest nurseries, timber tracts) | Fishing | Hunting and trapping | Support activities for agriculture and forestry |
|  |  | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Number of returns [1] | 16,434,155 | 169,725 | 9,492 | 30,408 | 39,803 | 5,045 | 84,977 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,062,581,267 | 12,627,490 | 601,772 | 3,649,913 | 1,950,297 | 117,133 | 6,308,374 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 1,045,907,267 | 12,385,393 | 560,996 | 3,631,497 | 1,859,732 | 115,903 | 6,217,265 |
| Other business income | 16,673,999 | 242,096 | 40,777 | 18,416 | 90,565 | * 1,229 | 91,108 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 737,385,341 | 10,087,230 | 486,944 | 3,148,353 | 1,176,154 | 81,599 | 5,194,180 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 297,184,637 | 3,681,560 | 171,551 | 1,024,035 | 231,235 | * 1,614 | 2,253,125 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 24,378,387 | 172,174 | * 41,723 | 57,936 | * 756 | * 26 | 71,733 |
| Cost of labor | 24,860,379 | 240,652 | * 27,655 | 107,440 | * 5,827 | * 66 | 99,664 |
| Purchases | 188,921,767 | 2,835,911 | * 95,464 | 754,926 | * 200,352 | * 682 | 1,784,487 |
| Materials and supplies | 44,233,788 | 336,830 | * 23,964 | 14,276 | * 18,631 | * 773 | 279,186 |
| Other costs | 39,792,756 | 262,432 | * 24,473 | 131,204 | * 5,669 | * 227 | 100,859 |
| Inventory, end of year | 25,002,440 | 166,439 | * 41,728 | 41,746 | 0 | * 160 | 82,804 |
| Advertising expenses | 10,462,439 | 46,632 | 2,922 | 5,342 | * 10,459 | * 1,973 | 25,936 |
| Car and truck expenses | 62,065,820 | 627,690 | 27,168 | 239,940 | 80,333 | * 2,385 | 277,864 |
| Commissions | 9,899,617 | 108,956 | * 1,432 | * 23,422 | * 13,013 | 0 | 71,089 |
| Contract labor | 27,966,856 | 376,794 | * 371 | 185,398 | * 38,561 | * 111 | 152,353 |
| Depletion | 1,123,008 | * 116 | * 2 | * 34 | 0 | * 5 | * 75 |
| Depreciation | 25,163,377 | 778,668 | 59,536 | 310,048 | 133,386 | * 8,381 | 267,317 |
| Employee benefit programs | 2,254,853 | 8,013 | * 10 | 3,339 | * 26 | 0 | 4,637 |
| Insurance | 13,910,543 | 245,773 | 11,125 | 113,518 | 19,474 | * 1,571 | 100,084 |
| Legal and professional services | 7,650,851 | 87,966 | 45,624 | 5,303 | 9,906 | * 746 | 26,386 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 5,614,460 | 37,923 | 4,732 | 4,699 | 15,602 | * 1,282 | 11,608 |
| Mortgage interest | 3,243,966 | 39,901 | * 6,526 | 12,515 | 13,324 | 0 | 7,535 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 4,597,086 | 85,950 | * 2,479 | 38,721 | 17,386 | * 4,039 | 23,325 |
| Office expenses | 9,755,105 | 34,133 | 3,294 | 5,338 | 10,581 | * 232 | 14,688 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 1,091,753 | 1,501 | * 1 | * 830 | 0 | 0 | * 670 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 6,906,737 | 63,578 | * 585 | 13,756 | * 11,479 | * [4] | 37,759 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 25,408,073 | 84,012 | 5,747 | 5,125 | 19,085 | * 6,690 | 47,365 |
| Repairs | 10,643,860 | 380,837 | * 2,975 | 187,945 | 60,031 | * 4,534 | 125,352 |
| Supplies | 23,515,885 | 272,194 | 13,578 | 38,410 | 69,656 | * 3,098 | 147,453 |
| Salaries and wages | 60,702,606 | 992,829 | * 1,539 | 219,223 | * 4,962 | * 242 | 766,863 |
| Taxes paid | 13,187,204 | 180,065 | 3,105 | 37,197 | 19,991 | * 4,602 | 115,171 |
| Travel | 9,244,605 | 71,732 | 5,316 | 13,822 | 18,278 | * 373 | 33,942 |
| Utilities | 17,447,183 | 112,180 | 6,455 | 28,563 | 22,096 | * 2,318 | 52,747 |
| Other business deductions | 76,250,540 | 1,697,821 | 107,967 | 623,481 | 341,432 | 36,201 | 588,739 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 8,537,108 | 37,606 | * 860 | 4,160 | * 11,704 | * 329 | 20,553 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 994,862 | 2,743 | * 156 | * 463 | * 1,280 | 0 | 844 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 25,661 | * 597 | 0 | * 597 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 117,764 | * 498 | 0 | 0 | * 486 | 0 | * 12 |
| Net income [1,2] | 325,265,465 | 2,541,190 | 114,828 | 501,568 | 775,066 | 35,534 | 1,114,194 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: Number of returns | 4,354,979 | 34,176 | * 700 | 3,283 | 6,005 | * 903 | 23,284 |
| Business receipts | 31,874,908 | 195,397 | * 2,539 | 21,149 | 28,030 | * 4,718 | 138,961 |
| Business deductions | 3,635,804 | 37,254 | * 2,045 | * 7,405 | * 4,198 | * 872 | 22,733 |
| Net income | 28,239,105 | 158,144 | * 494 | * 13,744 | * 23,831 | * 3,846 | 116,228 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow{3}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{6}{|c|}{Mining} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{\begin{tabular}{l}
Utilities \\
Total
\end{tabular}} \\
\hline \& Total \& Oil and gas extraction \& Coal mining \& Metal ore mining \& Nonmetallic mineral mining and quarrying \& Support activities for mining \& \\
\hline \& (8) \& (9) \& (10) \& (11) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(12)

3,028} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(13)

23,686} \& (14) <br>

\hline | BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME |
| :--- |
| Number of returns [1] | \& 134,372 \& 106,666 \& 330 \& +662 \& \& \& - 12,650 <br>

\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 17,653,003 \& 13,944,820 \& 354,224 \& * 57,369 \& 652,198 \& 2,644,392 \& 321,981 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 16,987,113 \& 13,329,803 \& 349,729 \& * 57,334 \& 648,204 \& 2,602,043 \& 316,927 <br>
\hline Other business income \& 665,891 \& 615,017 \& * 4,495 \& * 35 \& 3,994 \& 42,349 \& * 5,054 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 14,749,829 \& 11,862,861 \& 369,884 \& * 66,260 \& 625,019 \& 1,825,805 \& 292,086 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 3,249,483 \& 2,386,330 \& * 217,016 \& * 49,280 \& 229,428 \& 367,430 \& 111,812 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 151,123 \& 109,398 \& * 3,485 \& * 6,873 \& * 28,108 \& * 3,259 \& * 12,752 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& 140,580 \& 28,340 \& * 28,905 \& * 5,549 \& 34,575 \& 43,210 \& * 1,744 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 1,003,447 \& 592,377 \& * 104,969 \& * 49,426 \& 63,032 \& 193,644 \& * 106,129 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& 277,893 \& 208,489 \& * 18,776 \& * 3,207 \& 10,051 \& 37,371 \& * 1,757 <br>
\hline Other costs \& 1,873,966 \& 1,573,470 \& * 64,337 \& 0 \& 141,876 \& 94,284 \& * 2,144 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 197,527 \& 125,743 \& * 3,457 \& * 15,775 \& 48,214 \& * 4,338 \& * 12,713 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 36,491 \& 25,505 \& * 105 \& * 2 \& 5,399 \& 5,480 \& * 2,546 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 383,597 \& 177,668 \& * 1,717 \& * 1,108 \& 2,629 \& 200,474 \& 19,630 <br>
\hline Commissions \& 50,961 \& 41,094 \& * 2,812 \& 0 \& * 41 \& 7,013 \& * 17 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& 218,753 \& 160,592 \& * 12,640 \& * 297 \& * 6,662 \& 38,563 \& * 17,757 <br>
\hline Depletion \& 1,314,777 \& 1,281,721 \& * 8,190 \& * 2 \& 13,199 \& 11,664 \& * 828 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 1,481,030 \& 1,135,259 \& 23,399 \& * 3,231 \& 117,263 \& 201,878 \& 24,285 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& 19,935 \& 10,307 \& * 1,047 \& * 4 \& * 3,276 \& 5,301 \& * 4,514 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 166,735 \& 72,741 \& 3,101 \& * 177 \& 8,190 \& 82,526 \& 3,143 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 148,411 \& 119,869 \& 1,989 \& * 228 \& 3,754 \& 22,571 \& 4,623 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 33,373 \& 19,884 \& 68 \& * 4 \& 179 \& 13,237 \& 1,637 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& 39,897 \& 19,984 \& * 161 \& 0 \& * 17,400 \& 2,353 \& * 292 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& 236,987 \& 172,325 \& 3,822 \& * 932 \& 23,750 \& 36,158 \& 7,714 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 50,290 \& 35,374 \& 507 \& * 10 \& 2,090 \& 12,308 \& 2,102 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& 8,900 \& 5,888 \& * 62 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 2,950 \& * 14 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& 63,119 \& 20,263 \& 3,270 \& * 1,267 \& 8,324 \& 29,996 \& * 734 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 46,165 \& 36,463 \& * 617 \& * 385 \& * 105 \& 8,594 \& * 6,044 <br>
\hline Repairs \& 227,549 \& 145,541 \& 3,777 \& * 44 \& 15,973 \& 62,214 \& 5,362 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 164,099 \& 100,754 \& 1,248 \& * 324 \& 2,824 \& 58,948 \& 884 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& 651,406 \& 324,214 \& 16,476 \& * 3,624 \& 44,687 \& 262,406 \& * 29,138 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 487,756 \& 416,290 \& 5,254 \& * 658 \& 10,415 \& 55,139 \& 2,958 <br>
\hline Travel \& 88,009 \& 48,479 \& * 267 \& * 73 \& 725 \& 38,464 \& 3,581 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 108,438 \& 60,417 \& 989 \& * 335 \& 11,875 \& 34,823 \& 6,773 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 5,431,583 \& 5,017,761 \& 61,330 \& * 4,278 \& 96,771 \& 251,443 \& 30,532 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 19,952 \& 11,550 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 58 \& 8,345 \& * 836 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 2,000 \& 555 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 2 \& * 1,442 \& * 143 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& 651 \& 484 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 168 \& * 1,181 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& 2,912,813 \& 2,090,823 \& -15,660 \& * -8,891 \& 27,179 \& 819,362 \& 30,470 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 4,411,402 \& 3,358,158 \& 12,492 \& 0 \& 97,440 \& 943,313 \& 61,210 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& -1,498,589 \& -1,267,335 \& -28,152 \& * -8,891 \& -70,261 \& -123,951 \& -30,740 <br>
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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued


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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

| Net income status, item | Construction |  |  |  |  | Manufacturing |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | Residential building construction | Nonresidential building construction | Heavy and civil engineering construction | Specialty trade contractors | Total | Food manufacturing |
|  | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 2,821,745 | 417,996 | 78,938 | 61,515 | 2,263,296 | 340,237 | 35,793 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 206,688,428 | 44,486,914 | 10,301,953 | 8,808,104 | 143,091,457 | 28,109,966 | 4,156,833 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 204,893,933 | 44,141,490 | 10,154,086 | 8,550,045 | 142,048,312 | 27,858,338 | 4,082,228 |
| Other business income | 1,794,496 | 345,424 | 147,867 | 258,059 | 1,043,144 | 251,627 | 74,604 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 177,584,331 | 40,526,287 | 9,369,712 | 8,325,669 | 119,362,662 | 25,443,814 | 4,108,784 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 88,638,224 | 25,554,909 | 5,842,181 | 4,565,576 | 52,675,559 | 13,524,573 | 2,576,576 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 8,747,651 | 5,191,942 | 246,974 | 1,704,778 | 1,603,958 | 1,770,942 | 418,183 |
| Cost of labor | 15,291,341 | 3,182,474 | 779,494 | 453,048 | 10,876,325 | 1,378,684 | 72,001 |
| Purchases | 25,808,246 | 7,124,590 | 1,274,570 | 2,085,121 | 15,323,965 | 8,322,231 | 1,990,421 |
| Materials and supplies | 29,769,186 | 7,406,669 | 1,625,190 | 820,995 | 19,916,332 | 2,116,057 | 235,369 |
| Other costs | 17,325,444 | 7,311,809 | 2,191,303 | 1,363,519 | 6,458,813 | 1,722,394 | 326,188 |
| Inventory, end of year | 8,303,644 | 4,662,576 | 275,349 | 1,861,885 | 1,503,834 | 1,785,735 | 465,587 |
| Advertising expenses | 1,191,850 | 162,283 | 48,132 | 63,914 | 917,521 | 294,799 | 71,632 |
| Car and truck expenses | 15,556,031 | 2,212,262 | 521,074 | 319,218 | 12,503,477 | 1,056,203 | 112,810 |
| Commissions | 684,047 | 281,923 | 12,831 | 28,016 | 361,278 | 130,305 | 17,456 |
| Contract labor | 12,780,317 | 2,598,479 | 456,972 | 308,468 | 9,416,399 | 372,652 | 17,572 |
| Depletion | 29,974 | * 254 | 0 | * 3,637 | 26,082 | 186 | * 62 |
| Depreciation | 6,729,355 | 869,629 | 314,894 | 531,102 | 5,013,730 | 1,313,764 | 119,905 |
| Employee benefit programs | 314,650 | 25,708 | 14,040 | 22,835 | 252,067 | 100,274 | 10,459 |
| Insurance | 3,967,086 | 580,088 | 176,351 | 158,791 | 3,051,856 | 357,113 | 33,008 |
| Legal and professional services | 1,130,200 | 242,376 | 58,588 | 109,767 | 719,469 | 182,618 | 29,563 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 640,697 | 83,305 | 34,274 | 29,932 | 493,187 | 61,925 | 6,419 |
| Mortgage interest | 853,592 | 310,346 | 42,814 | 128,083 | 372,349 | 125,880 | 26,228 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 1,200,349 | 299,215 | 71,007 | 143,007 | 687,121 | 219,524 | 39,425 |
| Office expenses | 1,066,803 | 161,595 | 54,121 | 42,658 | 808,429 | 230,040 | 21,068 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 44,896 | 7,687 | 2,564 | 4,824 | 29,820 | 18,556 | 1,239 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 1,342,334 | 197,017 | 69,575 | 81,422 | 994,320 | 179,108 | 25,258 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 1,380,449 | 190,671 | 66,624 | 47,951 | 1,075,204 | 851,786 | 103,183 |
| Repairs | 2,118,446 | 246,811 | 72,468 | 169,627 | 1,629,539 | 344,189 | 67,635 |
| Supplies | 8,065,637 | 1,375,896 | 228,295 | 169,950 | 6,291,496 | 808,771 | 106,298 |
| Salaries and wages | 9,202,744 | 1,255,832 | 380,416 | 413,503 | 7,152,993 | 2,100,981 | 283,940 |
| Taxes paid | 2,091,781 | 348,609 | 93,156 | 123,498 | 1,526,518 | 455,053 | 71,816 |
| Travel | 874,035 | 84,677 | 70,179 | 59,446 | 659,733 | 176,162 | 24,962 |
| Utilities | 2,454,458 | 397,831 | 73,002 | 80,582 | 1,903,043 | 627,410 | 92,097 |
| Other business deductions | 13,518,065 | 2,733,892 | 629,818 | 693,181 | 9,461,174 | 1,734,215 | 238,136 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 1,350,582 | 245,530 | 30,096 | 23,723 | 1,051,233 | 133,102 | * 2,632 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 138,064 | 23,699 | 6,166 | 3,085 | 105,114 | 22,107 | * 1,218 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 10,104 | * 156 | 0 | 0 | 9,948 | * 1,770 | * 130 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 86,260 | 3,789 | * 8,488 | * 1,774 | 72,209 | 18,488 | * 1,472 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 29,153,787 | 3,988,593 | 939,204 | 485,373 | 23,740,617 | 2,694,049 | 50,186 |
| Net income [1,2] | 35,436,753 | 5,598,779 | 1,272,691 | 1,200,161 | 27,365,122 | 4,295,424 | 291,498 |
| Deficit [2] | -6,282,965 | -1,610,186 | -333,487 | -714,789 | -3,624,504 | -1,601,375 | -241,312 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Construction |  |  |  |  | Manufacturing |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | Residential building construction | Nonresidential building construction | Heavy and civil engineering construction | Specialty trade contractors | Total | Food manufacturing |
|  | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 2,304,865 | 332,398 | 67,760 | 45,525 | 1,859,182 | 208,296 | 20,469 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 172,740,182 | 33,758,359 | 8,452,764 | 5,788,181 | 124,740,879 | 22,108,550 | 2,926,311 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 171,309,443 | 33,533,250 | 8,322,408 | 5,618,485 | 123,835,300 | 21,929,531 | 2,887,484 |
| Other business income | 1,430,739 | 225,109 | 130,355 | 169,696 | 905,578 | 179,019 | 38,827 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 137,309,040 | 28,165,248 | 7,180,073 | 4,587,466 | 97,376,253 | 17,814,931 | 2,634,812 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 67,705,684 | 17,190,527 | 4,391,256 | 2,286,028 | 43,837,873 | 10,159,548 | 1,872,942 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 3,470,720 | 1,911,278 | 137,926 | 552,666 | 868,850 | 1,117,805 | 212,802 |
| Cost of labor | 12,622,244 | 2,570,037 | 615,875 | 306,704 | 9,129,628 | 960,717 | 30,144 |
| Purchases | 18,864,892 | 4,405,536 | 857,585 | 656,230 | 12,945,541 | 6,180,475 | 1,538,716 |
| Materials and supplies | 24,115,257 | 5,574,352 | 1,229,842 | 589,897 | 16,721,166 | 1,635,710 | 124,913 |
| Other costs | 11,983,714 | 4,392,112 | 1,703,749 | 809,113 | 5,078,740 | 1,265,713 | 194,279 |
| Inventory, end of year | 3,351,143 | 1,662,787 | 153,721 | 628,582 | 906,052 | 1,000,873 | 227,912 |
| Advertising expenses | 912,428 | 110,609 | 41,852 | 51,382 | 708,584 | 163,196 | 20,091 |
| Car and truck expenses | 12,555,778 | 1,745,235 | 443,244 | 241,058 | 10,126,241 | 665,098 | 58,285 |
| Commissions | 486,324 | 170,221 | 7,241 | 14,717 | 294,144 | 93,153 | 9,272 |
| Contract labor | 10,871,386 | 2,110,080 | 399,338 | 197,096 | 8,164,873 | 246,560 | 11,718 |
| Depletion | 29,755 | * 64 | 0 | * 3,625 | 26,067 | * 71 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 4,935,849 | 640,154 | 213,542 | 357,054 | 3,725,099 | 727,356 | 44,160 |
| Employee benefit programs | 230,025 | 15,448 | 11,089 | 6,596 | 196,892 | 68,916 | 7,999 |
| Insurance | 3,133,598 | 443,030 | 127,135 | 115,960 | 2,447,472 | 258,906 | 17,565 |
| Legal and professional services | 784,145 | 176,985 | 36,731 | 48,707 | 521,722 | 95,121 | 13,378 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 517,919 | 67,172 | 31,939 | 23,517 | 395,290 | 41,007 | 3,193 |
| Mortgage interest | 422,181 | 106,482 | 22,814 | 25,453 | 267,431 | 49,026 | 7,977 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 785,144 | 166,845 | 41,546 | 72,343 | 504,410 | 118,275 | 10,769 |
| Office expenses | 821,189 | 114,061 | 42,543 | 31,024 | 633,561 | 144,426 | 11,318 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 39,817 | 6,753 | 2,473 | 4,708 | 25,883 | 13,746 | 1,121 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 983,196 | 139,708 | 45,670 | 47,615 | 750,202 | 120,550 | 22,147 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 1,071,357 | 151,414 | 59,950 | 32,697 | 827,296 | 534,201 | 43,290 |
| Repairs | 1,529,793 | 149,035 | 56,528 | 113,254 | 1,210,976 | 232,151 | 35,225 |
| Supplies | 6,647,762 | 1,100,725 | 199,420 | 133,943 | 5,213,674 | 547,152 | 58,959 |
| Salaries and wages | 7,088,594 | 917,033 | 322,035 | 233,399 | 5,616,127 | 1,451,325 | 181,981 |
| Taxes paid | 1,589,495 | 248,581 | 71,606 | 66,036 | 1,203,271 | 334,966 | 54,421 |
| Travel | 676,101 | 59,427 | 60,509 | 43,233 | 512,932 | 105,176 | 7,829 |
| Utilities | 1,924,938 | 304,195 | 61,135 | 53,112 | 1,506,496 | 401,017 | 39,564 |
| Other business deductions | 10,100,933 | 1,756,616 | 455,683 | 364,079 | 7,524,556 | 1,116,884 | 91,709 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 1,111,082 | 215,384 | 28,554 | 17,870 | 849,275 | 82,480 | * 492 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 105,754 | 20,975 | 6,107 | 2,019 | 76,654 | 10,547 | 0 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 7,345 | * 156 | 0 | 0 | * 7,189 | * 797 | * 130 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 15,917 | * 300 | * 8,373 | * 114 | 7,130 | * 64 | * 64 |
| Net income [1,2] | 35,436,753 | 5,598,779 | 1,272,691 | 1,200,161 | 27,365,122 | 4,295,424 | 291,498 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts | 3,434,948 | 484,207 | 102,686 | 42,869 | 2,805,186 | 299,395 | 66,556 |
| Business deductions | 357,727 | 59,462 | * 6,239 | * 2,961 | 289,065 | 44,622 | * 9,407 |
| Net income | 3,077,221 | 424,745 | 96,446 | 39,908 | 2,516,121 | 254,773 | 57,149 |

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| Net income status, item | Manufacturing-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Textile and textile product mills | Apparel | Leather and allied products | Wood products | Paper products | Printing and related support activities | Petroleum and coal products |
|  | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 1,886 | 10,701 | * 2,697 | 20,818 | * 8 | 21,510 | * 444 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 179,979 | 669,070 | * 22,869 | 1,914,912 | * 2,121 | 1,968,698 | * 99,056 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | * 179,404 | 667,226 | * 15,903 | 1,900,793 | * 2,121 | 1,953,271 | * 98,509 |
| Other business income | * 574 | * 1,844 | * 6,966 | 14,120 | 0 | 15,427 | * 546 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | * 146,374 | 548,490 | * 5,927 | 1,638,107 | * 101 | 1,531,680 | * 91,856 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | * 96,521 | 204,700 | * 2,023 | 931,614 | 0 | 743,796 | * 85,578 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 9,007 | * 34,191 | 0 | 94,178 | 0 | 21,729 | * 7 |
| Cost of labor | * 5,870 | * 62,855 | 0 | * 87,832 | 0 | * 30,211 | * 435 |
| Purchases | * 66,192 | * 102,390 | 0 | 476,980 | 0 | 419,191 | * 79,020 |
| Materials and supplies | * 8,561 | * 11,715 | * 2,023 | 296,831 | 0 | * 115,182 | 0 |
| Other costs | * 15,386 | * 33,499 | 0 | 55,067 | 0 | 177,298 | * 6,803 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 8,495 | * 39,951 | 0 | 79,274 | 0 | 19,815 | * 687 |
| Advertising expenses | * 5,008 | 2,493 | 0 | 11,867 | * [4] | 27,065 | * 101 |
| Car and truck expenses | * 3,808 | 21,988 | * 2,200 | 53,831 | 0 | 65,950 | * 46 |
| Commissions | * 40 | * 657 | 0 | * 13,401 | 0 | * 6,750 | * 861 |
| Contract labor | * 38 | * 17,247 | 0 | 12,497 | 0 | 18,072 | * 60 |
| Depletion | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 6 |
| Depreciation | * 9,411 | 10,092 | * 185 | 53,212 | 0 | 75,386 | * 708 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 678 | * 113 | 0 | * 2,759 | 0 | * 2,321 | * 3 |
| Insurance | * 469 | 10,535 | 0 | 22,674 | 0 | 26,459 | * 480 |
| Legal and professional services | * 670 | 3,863 | 0 | 9,418 | 0 | 9,102 | * 50 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | * 98 | 598 | 0 | * 484 | * 5 | 5,403 | * 58 |
| Mortgage interest | * 62 | * 8 | 0 | * 5,549 | 0 | * 10,989 | * 55 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | * 166 | * 2,551 | 0 | 9,213 | 0 | 20,547 | * 253 |
| Office expenses | * 1,036 | 8,883 | * 104 | 6,604 | *9 | 20,900 | * 59 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 73 | * 48 | 0 | * 619 | 0 | * 600 | * 16 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * 157 | * 3,999 | 0 | * 13,940 | 0 | 6,936 | 0 |
| Rent paid on other business property | * 128 | 49,316 | 0 | 41,295 | 0 | 68,005 | * 64 |
| Repairs | * 1,109 | 7,498 | 0 | 58,564 | 0 | 21,510 | * 144 |
| Supplies | * 1,628 | 31,106 | * 525 | 44,433 | * 6 | 44,015 | * 16 |
| Salaries and wages | * 5,217 | * 76,329 | 0 | 146,888 | 0 | 161,055 | * 854 |
| Taxes paid | * 6,177 | 14,060 | * 117 | 28,690 | 0 | 26,627 | * 95 |
| Travel | * 210 | * 890 | 0 | 4,676 | * 80 | 12,788 | * 236 |
| Utilities | * 1,233 | 20,130 | * 205 | 38,173 | 0 | 50,631 | * 58 |
| Other business deductions | * 7,196 | 45,637 | * 445 | 119,420 | 0 | 99,205 | * 2,003 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 2,774 | * 11,120 | * 125 | * 6,352 | 0 | * 6,940 | 0 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 731 | * 1,631 | 0 | * 1,430 | 0 | * 792 | 0 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 33,604 | 120,580 | * 16,942 | 276,806 | * 2,020 | 437,018 | * 7,200 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | * 530 | * 4,259 | * 1,024 | * 3,420 | 0 | * 1,992 | * 138 |
| Business receipts | * 3,880 | * 35,634 | * 10,593 | * 26,646 | 0 | * 14,225 | * 232 |
| Business deductions | * 2,469 | * 4,629 | 0 | * 1,934 | 0 | * 627 | *51 |
| Net income | * 1,411 | * 31,005 | * 10,593 | * 24,713 | 0 | * 13,598 | * 180 |

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| Net income status, item | Manufacturing-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Chemical manufacturing | Plastics, rubber, clay, refractory, and glass products | Nonmetallic mineral products | Primary <br> metal industries | Fabricated metal products | Machinery | Computer and electronic products |
|  | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) | (34) | (35) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 11,569 | 11,868 | 3,271 | 4,879 | 28,335 | 23,019 | 13,545 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,081,306 | 378,462 | 713,751 | 602,321 | 3,734,667 | 3,051,994 | 413,813 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 1,079,816 | 376,974 | 712,554 | 581,658 | 3,675,190 | 3,044,819 | 411,434 |
| Other business income | 1,490 | * 1,488 | * 1,196 | * 20,663 | 59,477 | 7,175 | * 2,379 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,120,858 | 400,579 | 627,292 | 589,136 | 3,337,903 | 2,591,394 | 283,844 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 689,093 | 205,099 | 318,576 | 347,610 | 1,839,711 | 1,315,182 | 104,687 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 170,053 | 34,424 | * 24,869 | * 10,839 | 136,026 | 200,589 | * 28,762 |
| Cost of labor | * 2,909 | * 14,398 | * 3,933 | * 64,216 | 236,780 | 151,824 | * 9,347 |
| Purchases | 456,652 | 168,514 | * 140,891 | * 234,062 | 1,044,733 | 644,664 | 71,776 |
| Materials and supplies | 54,301 | 11,377 | * 46,380 | * 24,740 | 324,226 | 173,538 | * 6,087 |
| Other costs | 42,829 | 11,852 | * 130,552 | * 22,609 | 262,359 | 270,096 | * 17,809 |
| Inventory, end of year | 37,650 | 35,466 | * 28,049 | * 8,855 | 164,413 | 125,529 | * 29,094 |
| Advertising expenses | 9,159 | 2,270 | 3,744 | 2,697 | 19,300 | 19,033 | 6,149 |
| Car and truck expenses | 28,141 | 19,857 | * 10,535 | * 11,469 | 103,828 | 84,620 | 46,735 |
| Commissions | 5,226 | * 883 | * 581 | * 5,650 | 11,948 | 10,615 | * 360 |
| Contract labor | 33,753 | * 1,281 | * 13,655 | * 3,988 | 27,595 | 41,079 | * 7,615 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 8 | * [4] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 53,927 | 23,225 | 39,461 | 19,351 | 204,392 | 227,077 | 13,216 |
| Employee benefit programs | 5,089 | * 2,654 | * 9,919 | * 2,118 | 17,893 | 11,512 | * 491 |
| Insurance | 15,022 | 5,833 | 15,316 | 10,917 | 44,000 | 51,491 | * 3,633 |
| Legal and professional services | 7,908 | 2,326 | 2,615 | 3,944 | 19,551 | 15,522 | 1,076 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 1,708 | 1,585 | * 2,080 | * 1,150 | 7,558 | 6,873 | 1,486 |
| Mortgage interest | * 6,024 | * 1,058 | * 8,150 | 0 | 18,974 | 7,385 | * 4,750 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 5,878 | 4,189 | * 1,295 | * 10,804 | 30,855 | 27,145 | * 3,468 |
| Office expenses | 14,924 | 1,195 | 1,962 | 4,432 | 34,931 | 21,411 | 7,160 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 1,355 | * 301 | 0 | * 623 | 3,428 | 3,755 | * 1 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 12,197 | 3,386 | * 842 | * 15,949 | 10,699 | 30,325 | * 2,551 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 14,277 | 7,402 | * 885 | * 24,997 | 99,360 | 75,824 | * 5,930 |
| Repairs | 11,142 | 1,090 | 16,599 | 5,898 | 39,095 | 33,586 | 2,759 |
| Supplies | 15,380 | 9,896 | 15,093 | 5,401 | 90,974 | 85,566 | 9,465 |
| Salaries and wages | 101,502 | 51,227 | 74,165 | * 56,804 | 304,827 | 257,936 | * 13,581 |
| Taxes paid | 13,367 | 8,643 | 13,281 | 8,453 | 66,566 | 44,839 | 5,024 |
| Travel | 11,606 | 2,989 | 4,806 | * 2,711 | 11,873 | 12,225 | 2,002 |
| Utilities | 20,383 | 11,405 | 12,184 | 15,574 | 61,264 | 74,478 | 7,747 |
| Other business deductions | 41,191 | 28,785 | 60,876 | 28,594 | 253,926 | 112,461 | 27,739 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 1,137 | * 2,888 | * 673 | 0 | * 9,688 | 15,911 | * 6,221 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 255 | * 1,455 | * 80 | 0 | * 1,881 | * 2,798 | * 418 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 946 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 448 | * 1,921 | 0 | 0 | * 503 | * 849 | * 530 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | -39,552 | -21,828 | 86,459 | 12,522 | 397,452 | 460,528 | 133,222 |
| Net income [1,2] | 82,500 | 15,526 | 118,070 | 71,316 | 546,663 | 586,768 | 161,886 |
| Deficit [2] | -122,052 | -37,354 | *-31,611 | *-58,794 | -149,211 | -126,240 | -28,664 |

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| Net income status, item | Manufacturing-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Chemical manufacturing | Plastics, rubber, clay, refractory, and glass products | Nonmetallic mineral products | Primary <br> metal industries | Fabricated metal products | Machinery | Computer and electronic products |
|  | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) | (34) | (35) |
| businesses with net income Number of returns [1] | 4,688 | 4,772 | 2,218 | 2,930 | 19,947 | 17,369 | 7,337 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 878,102 | 182,931 | 650,077 | 528,845 | 3,015,826 | 2,590,381 | 300,139 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 877,844 | 182,931 | 649,558 | 508,734 | 2,969,264 | 2,583,964 | 300,138 |
| Other business income | * 258 | 0 | * 519 | * 20,110 | 46,562 | 6,417 | * 1 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 795,602 | 167,405 | 532,007 | 457,529 | 2,469,155 | 2,003,613 | 138,254 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 600,341 | * 142,715 | * 296,476 | * 297,925 | 1,380,851 | 1,124,019 | * 56,575 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 165,916 | * 7,721 | * 21,016 | * 2,761 | 96,800 | 177,194 | * 4,962 |
| Cost of labor | * 386 | * 5,196 | * 3,681 | * 53,369 | 163,068 | 129,216 | * 2,937 |
| Purchases | * 385,010 | * 136,651 | * 123,004 | * 205,951 | 752,582 | 560,865 | * 51,712 |
| Materials and supplies | * 44,960 | * 711 | * 42,660 | * 24,740 | 298,797 | 155,047 | * 8 |
| Other costs | * 27,176 | * 5,273 | * 130,221 | * 13,054 | 191,405 | 202,832 | * 2,823 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 23,106 | * 12,837 | * 24,105 | * 1,950 | 121,801 | 101,135 | * 5,866 |
| Advertising expenses | * 5,611 | * 378 | * 2,667 | * 802 | 17,282 | 8,699 | * 3,051 |
| Car and truck expenses | 15,646 | * 2,152 | * 9,284 | * 8,584 | 72,009 | 70,583 | * 20,601 |
| Commissions | * 2,818 | 0 | * 89 | * 3,504 | 10,962 | 6,513 | * 88 |
| Contract labor | * 11,091 | * 46 | * 11,077 | * 955 | 22,758 | 24,909 | * 4,269 |
| Depletion | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 3,395 | * 2,610 | * 21,153 | * 12,946 | 131,491 | 127,923 | * 1,485 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 4,677 | * 27 | * 9,729 | * 564 | 15,740 | 9,722 | 0 |
| Insurance | 7,532 | * 429 | * 12,900 | * 9,601 | 37,010 | 41,592 | * 1,295 |
| Legal and professional services | 2,019 | * 542 | * 1,886 | * 922 | 12,903 | 9,149 | * 365 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 1,062 | * 3 | * 1,973 | * 288 | 5,309 | 4,637 | * 1,036 |
| Mortgage interest | 0 | 0 | * 6,875 | 0 | * 2,638 | * 3,794 | 0 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | * 4,147 | * 1,437 | * 1,198 | * 2,518 | 20,347 | 15,301 | 0 |
| Office expenses | 8,768 | * 220 | * 1,559 | * 2,795 | 21,033 | 13,851 | * 4,378 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 835 | * 301 | 0 | * 5 | 3,175 | * 3,585 | 0 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * 1,998 | * 272 | * 819 | * 14,604 | 6,299 | 14,368 | 0 |
| Rent paid on other business property | * 6,289 | * 2,016 | * 431 | * 22,701 | 73,318 | 48,652 | * 3,528 |
| Repairs | * 6,420 | * 506 | * 13,111 | * 4,029 | 20,444 | 21,688 | * 732 |
| Supplies | 8,336 | * 2 | * 10,216 | * 2,210 | 71,457 | 53,203 | * 2,273 |
| Salaries and wages | * 49,380 | * 8,823 | * 60,670 | * 35,681 | 238,400 | 203,923 | * 8,764 |
| Taxes paid | 5,840 | * 948 | * 10,727 | * 5,371 | 55,434 | 36,757 | * 3,648 |
| Travel | 8,677 | * 137 | * 4,383 | * 470 | 9,387 | 8,872 | * 1,714 |
| Utilities | 7,235 | * 1,359 | * 9,128 | * 9,968 | 47,562 | 57,592 | * 2,338 |
| Other business deductions | 31,073 | * 1,040 | * 44,983 | 21,085 | 180,282 | 75,875 | * 17,624 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 946 | * 340 | * 673 | 0 | * 7,396 | * 12,858 | * 4,489 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 130 | 0 | * 80 | 0 | * 86 | * 1,949 | 0 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 82,500 | 15,526 | 118,070 | 71,316 | 546,663 | 586,768 | 161,886 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | * 1,986 | * 3,818 | 0 | 0 | 6,416 | * 2,266 | * 755 |
| Business receipts | * 2,929 | * 10,847 | 0 | 0 | 36,379 | * 29,269 | * 1,764 |
| Business deductions | * 1,468 | * 1,103 | 0 | 0 | * 5,666 | * 5,544 | 0 |
| Net income | * 1,460 | * 9,744 | 0 | 0 | 30,713 | * 23,725 | * 1,764 |

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\hline \multirow{3}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Manufacturing-continued} \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers)} <br>
\hline \& Electrical equipment, appliances, and components \& Transportation equipment \& Furniture and related products \& Medical equipment and supplies \& Other miscellaneous manufacturing \& Total \& Durable goods, including machinery, wood, metals, etc. <br>
\hline \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(36)

3,318} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(37)

10,919} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(38)

28,835} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(39)

8,302} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(40)

57,548} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(41)

325,522} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(42)

135,479} <br>

\hline | bUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME |
| :--- |
| Number of returns [1] | \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>

\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 500,680 \& 936,764 \& 2,486,626 \& 646,131 \& 3,100,965 \& 52,343,754 \& 23,705,289 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 498,333 \& 934,255 \& 2,483,431 \& 644,386 \& 3,076,336 \& 51,870,334 \& 23,440,747 <br>
\hline Other business income \& 2,347 \& 2,509 \& 3,195 \& * 1,745 \& 24,629 \& 473,420 \& 264,542 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 435,343 \& 937,420 \& 1,854,469 \& 545,107 \& 2,811,381 \& 48,251,387 \& 22,096,926 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 290,383 \& 466,316 \& 827,273 \& 233,258 \& 1,374,775 \& 35,656,760 \& 16,708,637 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 24,370 \& 94,755 \& 110,169 \& * 10,259 \& 218,342 \& 3,265,995 \& 2,048,030 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& * 19,027 \& 141,834 \& 138,608 \& * 918 \& 186,033 \& 636,810 \& 305,852 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 178,624 \& 202,107 \& 480,910 \& * 171,597 \& 897,853 \& 31,187,613 \& 14,776,281 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& * 119,925 \& 82,741 \& 147,472 \& * 50,984 \& 225,196 \& 1,479,457 \& 788,834 <br>
\hline Other costs \& * 4,421 \& 65,070 \& 60,572 \& * 12,395 \& 132,696 \& 2,469,734 \& 979,645 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 55,983 \& 120,191 \& 110,457 \& * 12,895 \& 285,344 \& 3,382,848 \& 2,190,004 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 3,352 \& 10,809 \& 17,184 \& 17,026 \& 39,263 \& 357,245 \& 179,120 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 6,181 \& 75,195 \& 148,024 \& 33,270 \& 130,216 \& 1,497,711 \& 613,789 <br>
\hline Commissions \& * 1,275 \& * 621 \& 15,499 \& * 17,768 \& 9,768 \& 502,568 \& 235,869 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& * 6,519 \& 32,401 \& 73,716 \& 25,315 \& 18,973 \& 421,591 \& 171,468 <br>
\hline Depletion \& 0 \& 0 \& * 65 \& 0 \& * [4] \& 2,321 \& * 1,482 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 4,819 \& 15,903 \& 100,319 \& 8,041 \& 185,496 \& 744,175 \& 404,691 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& * 2,003 \& 2,025 \& * 4,427 \& 4,722 \& 12,144 \& 95,971 \& 39,196 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 2,613 \& 16,800 \& 33,222 \& 3,635 \& 36,757 \& 319,991 \& 157,625 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 2,803 \& 8,734 \& 12,424 \& 9,333 \& 31,546 \& 232,367 \& 111,999 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 1,204 \& 2,499 \& 7,849 \& 1,936 \& 7,842 \& 171,463 \& 70,403 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& 0 \& * 595 \& * 8,297 \& * 1,018 \& 14,693 \& 125,309 \& 71,597 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& * 3,745 \& 4,911 \& 9,377 \& 2,028 \& 28,641 \& 218,514 \& 95,774 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 1,794 \& 6,352 \& 14,107 \& 5,056 \& 27,769 \& 253,242 \& 121,140 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& * 633 \& * 333 \& * 2,194 \& * 710 \& 2,038 \& 17,711 \& 10,249 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& * 10,655 \& 6,196 \& 5,862 \& * 7,667 \& 11,277 \& 138,173 \& 51,925 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 4,976 \& 40,522 \& 80,349 \& 19,780 \& 117,823 \& 721,644 \& 323,153 <br>
\hline Repairs \& * 1,256 \& 15,017 \& 12,994 \& 3,018 \& 27,886 \& 280,508 \& 130,667 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 2,936 \& 63,069 \& 103,903 \& 22,208 \& 114,176 \& 624,316 \& 282,302 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& 31,955 \& 69,381 \& 107,387 \& 45,805 \& 191,973 \& 1,565,891 \& 722,086 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 3,263 \& 15,786 \& 36,139 \& 6,143 \& 57,540 \& 368,252 \& 193,812 <br>
\hline Travel \& 3,034 \& 17,828 \& 13,610 \& 13,365 \& 24,497 \& 494,808 \& 223,403 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 20,165 \& 13,190 \& 53,481 \& 10,292 \& 60,214 \& 490,620 \& 208,845 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 29,401 \& 52,657 \& 147,111 \& 42,423 \& 258,170 \& 2,703,535 \& 860,937 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 0 \& * 280 \& 18,216 \& * 9,486 \& 19,800 \& 222,432 \& 100,034 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 211 \& * 2,202 \& * 1,769 \& * 1,425 \& 22,532 \& 10,175 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 668 \& 0 \& * 106 \& * 106 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 1,264 \& * 550 \& * 3 \& * 4,056 \& 20,824 \& 9,304 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& 65,337 \& 4,255 \& 632,157 \& 101,023 \& 302,745 \& 4,118,498 \& 1,620,013 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 88,050 \& 110,832 \& 674,436 \& 127,327 \& 526,381 \& 5,572,750 \& 2,276,297 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& *-22,713 \& -106,577 \& -42,279 \& -26,303 \& -223,636 \& -1,454,253 \& -656,284 <br>
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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

| Net income status, item | Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers)-continued |  | Retail trade |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Nondurable goods, including food, fiber, chemicals, etc. | Wholesale electronic markets and agents and brokers | Total | Motor vehicle and parts dealers | Furniture and home furnishing stores | Electronic and appliance stores | Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers |
|  | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) | (47) | (48) | (49) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 100,241 | 89,801 | 2,275,476 | 141,986 | 45,128 | 32,022 | 43,178 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 22,368,567 | 6,269,898 | 196,844,560 | 39,539,674 | 4,331,050 | 4,836,187 | 8,367,667 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 22,259,382 | 6,170,206 | 194,721,473 | 39,177,142 | 4,292,281 | 4,773,219 | 8,301,860 |
| Other business income | 109,185 | 99,692 | 2,123,086 | 362,531 | 38,769 | 62,968 | 65,807 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 20,920,500 | 5,233,961 | 188,900,346 | 38,827,723 | 3,976,737 | 4,490,041 | 7,661,063 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 15,626,127 | 3,321,995 | 132,845,871 | 31,162,759 | 2,220,682 | 2,820,506 | 5,260,086 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 1,037,632 | 180,333 | 22,981,355 | 5,663,867 | 706,768 | 400,027 | 1,040,032 |
| Cost of labor | 285,608 | 45,350 | 1,822,356 | 288,426 | 150,578 | 222,924 | 189,968 |
| Purchases | 13,579,766 | 2,831,567 | 120,340,761 | 28,807,423 | 1,770,201 | 2,448,638 | 4,628,858 |
| Materials and supplies | 475,340 | 215,283 | 6,418,929 | 912,054 | 223,003 | 66,242 | 192,570 |
| Other costs | 1,223,583 | 266,505 | 4,578,925 | 1,189,642 | 74,491 | 83,868 | 318,792 |
| Inventory, end of year | 975,801 | 217,043 | 23,296,455 | 5,698,653 | 704,358 | 401,192 | 1,110,132 |
| Advertising expenses | 123,765 | 54,360 | 2,303,936 | 346,283 | 128,617 | 107,694 | 94,774 |
| Car and truck expenses | 515,872 | 368,049 | 6,265,499 | 672,072 | 147,153 | 143,682 | 176,899 |
| Commissions | 183,290 | 83,409 | 960,606 | 192,698 | 40,594 | 18,963 | 31,850 |
| Contract labor | 173,607 | 76,517 | 1,091,120 | 239,252 | 69,977 | 72,335 | 65,285 |
| Depletion | * 839 | * [4] | 6,015 | * 1,243 | * 343 | * 1 | * 592 |
| Depreciation | 274,822 | 64,662 | 2,894,967 | 349,934 | 70,699 | 65,103 | 199,768 |
| Employee benefit programs | 26,473 | 30,302 | 251,915 | 38,527 | 9,608 | 18,209 | 26,972 |
| Insurance | 132,405 | 29,961 | 1,445,030 | 302,584 | 43,714 | 51,285 | 95,521 |
| Legal and professional services | 80,745 | 39,623 | 798,232 | 97,417 | 20,759 | 14,087 | 32,436 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 51,422 | 49,639 | 455,331 | 36,416 | 13,604 | 11,110 | 13,262 |
| Mortgage interest | 32,532 | 21,180 | 825,641 | 158,581 | 36,118 | 19,932 | 53,252 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 103,748 | 18,991 | 1,137,139 | 335,036 | 26,812 | 31,707 | 46,363 |
| Office expenses | 82,215 | 49,887 | 1,096,150 | 137,959 | 29,508 | 41,330 | 35,829 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 5,006 | 2,456 | 67,500 | 2,019 | * 775 | * 415 | * 3,560 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 56,970 | 29,279 | 705,954 | 50,516 | 29,017 | 47,314 | 26,769 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 290,702 | 107,789 | 6,150,702 | 607,096 | 312,776 | 135,706 | 111,089 |
| Repairs | 128,976 | 20,865 | 1,200,494 | 243,463 | 32,947 | 19,129 | 65,398 |
| Supplies | 291,256 | 50,758 | 2,597,189 | 325,970 | 41,654 | 96,776 | 78,305 |
| Salaries and wages | 683,160 | 160,644 | 8,398,223 | 1,280,508 | 210,063 | 334,248 | 546,661 |
| Taxes paid | 151,196 | 23,243 | 2,814,867 | 451,942 | 72,892 | 102,885 | 133,242 |
| Travel | 141,869 | 129,536 | 1,102,714 | 81,710 | 32,483 | 32,834 | 18,041 |
| Utilities | 191,373 | 90,402 | 3,597,850 | 382,906 | 116,527 | 106,454 | 162,203 |
| Other business deductions | 1,497,740 | 344,858 | 8,948,051 | 1,294,779 | 253,722 | 169,978 | 368,288 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 66,139 | 56,259 | 702,195 | 11,055 | 14,185 | 27,809 | 9,098 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 7,211 | 5,146 | 106,931 | 1,534 | * 5,134 | 2,710 | * 213 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | * 4,516 | * 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 8,657 | * 2,862 | 181,093 | 2,355 | * 2,812 | * 2,188 | * 1,012 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 1,461,836 | 1,036,649 | 8,012,708 | 733,028 | 355,250 | 346,146 | 714,661 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,994,639 | 1,301,815 | 16,853,669 | 1,800,047 | 536,726 | 467,415 | 861,849 |
| Deficit [2] | -532,802 | -265,166 | -8,840,961 | -1,067,018 | -181,476 | -121,268 | -147,188 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Wholesale trade (merchant wholesalers)-continued |  | Retail trade |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Nondurable goods, including food, fiber, chemicals, etc. | Wholesale electronic markets and agents and brokers | Total | Motor vehicle and parts dealers | Furniture and home furnishing stores | Electronic and appliance stores | Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers |
|  | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) | (47) | (48) | (49) |
| bUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 62,503 | 56,546 | 1,178,928 | 95,809 | 31,080 | 21,707 | 29,288 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 17,868,712 | 5,283,115 | 149,566,389 | 27,100,408 | 3,078,483 | 4,090,173 | 7,011,290 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 17,734,303 | 5,198,894 | 148,063,938 | 26,926,679 | 3,070,933 | 4,039,508 | 6,959,982 |
| Other business income | 134,409 | 84,221 | 1,502,451 | 173,729 | 7,550 | 50,664 | 51,308 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 15,874,073 | 3,982,011 | 132,720,763 | 25,304,353 | 2,541,757 | 3,622,758 | 6,149,696 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 12,105,272 | 2,670,370 | 97,502,301 | 20,715,047 | 1,434,468 | 2,393,066 | 4,327,633 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 708,712 | 113,056 | 13,153,044 | 2,970,585 | 396,850 | 272,294 | 692,592 |
| Cost of labor | 250,780 | * 35,326 | 1,380,543 | 140,847 | 114,984 | 222,840 | 128,309 |
| Purchases | 10,481,909 | 2,212,165 | 88,815,361 | 19,598,977 | 1,125,537 | 2,035,150 | 3,828,553 |
| Materials and supplies | 278,543 | 184,056 | 4,335,265 | 341,390 | 171,088 | 55,575 | 174,460 |
| Other costs | 1,040,603 | 265,847 | 3,535,283 | 784,688 | 42,929 | 82,526 | 257,556 |
| Inventory, end of year | 655,276 | 140,080 | 13,717,195 | 3,121,440 | 416,920 | 275,320 | 753,837 |
| Advertising expenses | 71,106 | 42,312 | 1,310,156 | 204,332 | 85,731 | 69,358 | 76,363 |
| Car and truck expenses | 355,332 | 265,641 | 3,618,805 | 445,935 | 113,873 | 103,316 | 128,706 |
| Commissions | 154,206 | 66,309 | 622,853 | 122,095 | 26,919 | * 11,349 | 26,971 |
| Contract labor | 130,232 | 48,138 | 686,544 | 154,106 | 42,081 | 46,472 | 63,286 |
| Depletion | * 415 | 0 | 2,863 | * 8 | * 140 | * 1 | * 592 |
| Depreciation | 188,558 | 32,548 | 1,562,400 | 189,161 | 50,647 | 50,357 | 149,148 |
| Employee benefit programs | 20,494 | 26,765 | 178,595 | 14,064 | 4,783 | 15,618 | 25,037 |
| Insurance | 100,032 | 22,794 | 967,694 | 175,307 | 29,250 | 39,594 | 64,095 |
| Legal and professional services | 50,302 | 15,105 | 480,651 | 54,885 | 11,801 | 8,639 | 22,274 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 43,336 | 36,925 | 269,654 | 28,001 | 8,690 | 6,687 | 12,128 |
| Mortgage interest | 20,203 | 20,506 | 449,098 | 70,222 | 26,681 | 17,671 | 37,598 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 42,205 | 11,130 | 575,861 | 160,529 | 11,756 | 29,941 | 29,932 |
| Office expenses | 63,857 | 33,756 | 637,419 | 78,857 | 20,527 | 31,093 | 28,604 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 4,774 | * 1,896 | 29,744 | 1,328 | * 775 | * 255 | * 3,492 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 48,698 | 21,769 | 469,491 | 36,184 | 22,306 | 35,323 | 21,617 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 212,766 | 85,033 | 4,046,202 | 366,565 | 177,343 | 99,883 | 82,616 |
| Repairs | 101,276 | 10,413 | 762,785 | 148,493 | 21,094 | 11,765 | 48,418 |
| Supplies | 230,775 | 23,550 | 1,486,529 | 215,507 | 22,935 | 81,052 | 66,542 |
| Salaries and wages | 535,776 | 83,826 | 5,743,701 | 691,439 | 137,195 | 228,317 | 416,658 |
| Taxes paid | 113,684 | 14,093 | 1,937,490 | 291,852 | 50,927 | 72,752 | 98,110 |
| Travel | 103,272 | 101,747 | 697,758 | 52,691 | 25,273 | 26,536 | 16,400 |
| Utilities | 133,630 | 62,965 | 2,247,195 | 224,301 | 75,219 | 68,672 | 116,731 |
| Other business deductions | 1,005,870 | 225,749 | 5,791,291 | 830,936 | 130,241 | 151,204 | 276,584 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 29,751 | 49,372 | 419,835 | 8,605 | * 9,590 | 23,291 | * 4,640 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 1,616 | 3,882 | 53,463 | * 878 | * 4,053 | * 1,838 | * 209 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | * 3,606 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 632 | * 1,461 | 6,953 | * 505 | 0 | * 636 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,994,639 | 1,301,815 | 16,853,669 | 1,800,047 | 536,726 | 467,415 | 861,849 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | 11,589 | 11,725 | 261,081 | 22,033 | * 2,478 | * 3,975 | * 4,223 |
| Business receipts | 64,425 | 121,463 | 1,524,003 | 194,113 | * 14,242 | * 8,522 | * 64,004 |
| Business deductions | 8,250 | 9,298 | 237,156 | 24,997 | * 1,510 | * 545 | * 5,520 |
| Net income | 56,175 | 112,164 | 1,286,846 | 169,116 | * 12,732 | * 7,977 | * 58,484 |

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| Net income status, item | Retail trade-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Food and beverage stores | Health and personal care stores | Gasoline stations | Clothing and accessories stores | Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores | General merchandise stores | Miscellaneous store retailers |
|  | (50) | (51) | (52) | (53) | (54) | (55) | (56) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 90,978 | 133,393 | 21,790 | 127,848 | 103,392 | 23,544 | 529,027 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 28,514,563 | 8,894,781 | 28,899,287 | 11,609,824 | 7,467,029 | 2,841,834 | 30,631,191 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 28,068,831 | 8,801,661 | 28,670,435 | 11,554,475 | 7,421,552 | 2,829,358 | 30,329,163 |
| Other business income | 445,732 | 93,120 | 228,852 | 55,350 | 45,476 | 12,475 | 302,028 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 27,595,610 | 8,240,958 | 28,797,550 | 11,157,231 | 7,343,693 | 2,769,173 | 28,760,186 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 20,655,160 | 5,355,152 | 25,521,579 | 6,729,413 | 4,747,185 | 1,881,267 | 16,977,950 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 1,800,319 | 798,740 | 601,593 | 2,400,816 | 1,847,663 | 429,545 | 5,129,421 |
| Cost of labor | 214,629 | 29,049 | 23,501 | 134,347 | 70,231 | * 676 | 317,753 |
| Purchases | 19,086,717 | 4,851,061 | 23,910,413 | 6,000,748 | 4,441,528 | 1,692,552 | 14,813,583 |
| Materials and supplies | 941,373 | 183,001 | 1,249,647 | 441,687 | 173,374 | * 108,260 | 1,160,440 |
| Other costs | 589,608 | 269,251 | 293,074 | 210,277 | 129,910 | 127,971 | 795,622 |
| Inventory, end of year | 1,977,488 | 775,950 | 556,649 | 2,458,462 | 1,915,521 | 477,735 | 5,238,867 |
| Advertising expenses | 138,076 | 146,250 | 30,224 | 222,136 | 139,251 | 29,556 | 497,655 |
| Car and truck expenses | 259,343 | 295,247 | 74,465 | 188,186 | 168,931 | 74,559 | 1,579,177 |
| Commissions | 54,669 | 37,614 | 19,436 | 49,032 | 23,292 | 2,501 | 184,494 |
| Contract labor | 61,679 | 96,683 | 29,991 | 25,398 | 67,721 | 37,451 | 206,348 |
| Depletion | * 478 | 0 | * 1,192 | 0 | * 1,584 | 0 | 112 |
| Depreciation | 336,145 | 130,204 | 254,905 | 163,181 | 140,151 | 64,985 | 603,604 |
| Employee benefit programs | 22,688 | 22,626 | 12,068 | 14,514 | 7,143 | * 714 | 60,417 |
| Insurance | 197,307 | 54,484 | 103,724 | 104,904 | 59,709 | 23,746 | 285,635 |
| Legal and professional services | 91,439 | 49,558 | 48,303 | 80,449 | 43,876 | 14,381 | 165,023 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 8,895 | 40,969 | 3,716 | 22,816 | 17,567 | 2,950 | 134,552 |
| Mortgage interest | 98,331 | 37,529 | 126,125 | 28,107 | 40,604 | 27,580 | 132,200 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 109,749 | 29,759 | 78,449 | 73,858 | 47,734 | 19,552 | 212,614 |
| Office expenses | 59,467 | 65,850 | 18,875 | 90,722 | 50,556 | 14,733 | 263,151 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 1,559 | 5,661 | 907 | 7,231 | * 595 | * 314 | 7,127 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 114,481 | 80,091 | 28,366 | 39,458 | 19,665 | 19,904 | 189,037 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 892,191 | 277,760 | 323,622 | 1,068,134 | 416,806 | 127,339 | 1,535,793 |
| Repairs | 200,475 | 44,289 | 120,990 | 68,285 | 48,218 | 11,491 | 216,000 |
| Supplies | 416,386 | 151,189 | 37,876 | 170,494 | 136,710 | 19,023 | 447,453 |
| Salaries and wages | 1,585,459 | 525,192 | 765,483 | 663,827 | 336,587 | 123,230 | 1,604,025 |
| Taxes paid | 444,564 | 102,376 | 342,544 | 255,714 | 154,762 | 62,874 | 499,328 |
| Travel | 37,491 | 68,685 | 5,406 | 98,099 | 48,649 | 13,766 | 327,175 |
| Utilities | 714,081 | 155,781 | 292,913 | 243,181 | 180,225 | 60,352 | 725,796 |
| Other business deductions | 1,084,989 | 389,897 | 547,089 | 682,229 | 393,371 | 135,960 | 1,692,333 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 9,118 | 63,065 | 5,936 | 60,462 | 49,144 | * 945 | 150,091 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,162 | 6,395 | * 28 | 10,355 | 8,841 | * 242 | 28,467 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | * 248 | 0 | * 346 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 2,065 | 11,558 | * 19 | 8,788 | 23,840 | * 474 | 37,284 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 929,414 | 651,259 | 101,208 | 453,277 | 123,558 | 72,660 | 1,875,498 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,491,564 | 1,160,162 | 397,810 | 1,104,690 | 696,952 | 211,428 | 3,927,931 |
| Deficit [2] | -562,149 | -508,903 | -296,603 | -651,412 | -573,394 | -138,768 | -2,052,433 |

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| Net income status, item | Retail trade-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Food and beverage stores | Health and personal care stores | Gasoline stations | Clothing and accessories stores | Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores | General merchandise stores | Miscellaneous store retailers |
|  | (50) | (51) | (52) | (53) | (54) | (55) | (56) |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 63,642 | 57,826 | 13,306 | 70,613 | 42,403 | 10,980 | 285,724 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 23,297,348 | 7,794,683 | 19,879,724 | 9,894,062 | 5,433,941 | 2,360,036 | 23,472,085 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 22,905,604 | 7,718,412 | 19,710,932 | 9,829,646 | 5,400,416 | 2,346,483 | 23,243,850 |
| Other business income | 391,744 | 76,272 | 168,793 | 64,416 | 33,525 | * 13,553 | 228,235 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 21,809,459 | 6,634,591 | 19,481,488 | 8,789,372 | 4,736,989 | 2,148,608 | 19,544,155 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 16,692,769 | 4,649,620 | 17,442,280 | 5,585,164 | 3,309,632 | 1,578,701 | 12,581,581 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 1,384,837 | 588,537 | 394,566 | 1,558,673 | 1,069,581 | 307,300 | 2,488,210 |
| Cost of labor | 196,818 | * 25,996 | 10,134 | 124,391 | 48,268 | * 434 | 207,406 |
| Purchases | 15,162,242 | 4,252,359 | 16,655,864 | 5,008,550 | 3,089,708 | 1,463,915 | 10,941,687 |
| Materials and supplies | 888,351 | 114,942 | 532,936 | 384,216 | 109,103 | * 17,144 | 917,896 |
| Other costs | 553,547 | 245,416 | 218,156 | 160,940 | 80,193 | 127,717 | 628,897 |
| Inventory, end of year | 1,493,026 | 577,630 | 369,376 | 1,651,606 | 1,087,220 | 337,810 | 2,602,515 |
| Advertising expenses | 88,758 | 91,946 | 18,918 | 132,251 | 62,101 | 16,405 | 279,617 |
| Car and truck expenses | 180,700 | 133,459 | 60,122 | 112,558 | 65,170 | 50,212 | 854,567 |
| Commissions | 51,474 | 34,276 | 9,603 | 42,565 | 18,107 | * 2,303 | 134,723 |
| Contract labor | 32,422 | 59,405 | 17,827 | 21,039 | 43,166 | * 9,711 | 130,230 |
| Depletion | * 419 | 0 | * 27 | 0 | * 1,518 | 0 | * 36 |
| Depreciation | 198,439 | 81,590 | 123,655 | 110,344 | 57,735 | 26,635 | 286,094 |
| Employee benefit programs | 16,713 | 20,038 | 9,513 | 9,813 | 5,148 | * 593 | 44,419 |
| Insurance | 154,430 | 40,710 | 67,182 | 80,712 | 35,678 | 15,174 | 187,979 |
| Legal and professional services | 61,840 | 34,695 | 31,683 | 54,574 | 23,180 | 8,637 | 101,957 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 4,625 | 16,933 | 3,307 | 14,348 | 8,309 | 1,529 | 78,503 |
| Mortgage interest | 58,731 | 21,032 | 79,207 | 13,253 | 16,918 | 16,806 | 56,689 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 68,660 | 18,405 | 37,744 | 41,782 | 16,066 | 12,229 | 109,835 |
| Office expenses | 38,093 | 44,556 | 13,131 | 58,631 | 27,237 | 9,990 | 150,434 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 763 | 5,647 | * 661 | 6,538 | * 590 | * 305 | 6,274 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 86,362 | 58,129 | 14,018 | 21,875 | 7,460 | 19,595 | 106,218 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 659,644 | 215,539 | 215,937 | 790,456 | 227,149 | 81,783 | 933,511 |
| Repairs | 149,596 | 30,715 | 70,558 | 51,637 | 27,291 | 7,981 | 122,254 |
| Supplies | 308,291 | 91,885 | 24,614 | 94,040 | 80,838 | 10,262 | 189,619 |
| Salaries and wages | 1,186,299 | 451,741 | 484,932 | 508,267 | 219,399 | 98,072 | 1,092,876 |
| Taxes paid | 340,317 | 79,560 | 222,762 | 205,909 | 107,152 | 52,472 | 308,051 |
| Travel | 22,905 | 42,962 | 1,534 | 76,658 | 22,844 | 7,456 | 207,441 |
| Utilities | 540,904 | 94,295 | 189,111 | 162,607 | 107,363 | 45,137 | 420,964 |
| Other business deductions | 861,114 | 270,695 | 337,467 | 547,325 | 221,517 | 76,147 | 998,501 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 3,810 | 31,708 | * 5,566 | 39,628 | 21,985 | * 472 | 101,249 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 307 | 3,613 | * 16 | 5,852 | * 1,705 | * [4] | 16,116 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 81 | * 53 | * 16 | * 1,383 | * 165 | 0 | * 272 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,491,564 | 1,160,162 | 397,810 | 1,104,690 | 696,952 | 211,428 | 3,927,931 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | * 6,043 | 12,684 | * 2,320 | 7,416 | 5,125 | * 973 | 82,674 |
| Business receipts | * 42,084 | 129,668 | * 16,253 | 31,976 | 13,915 | * 818 | 458,692 |
| Business deductions | * 1,389 | 15,047 | * 3,364 | * 7,402 | * 3,658 | 0 | 63,096 |
| Net income | * 40,695 | 114,621 | * 12,889 | 24,574 | * 10,256 | * 818 | 395,596 |

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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow{3}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{7}{|c|}{Transportation and warehousing-continued} <br>
\hline \& Interurban and rural bus transportation \& Taxi and limousine service \& School, employee, and charter bus industry \& Other transit and ground passenger transportation \& Pipeline transportation \& Scenic and sightseeing transportation \& Support activities for transportation (including motor vehicle towing) <br>
\hline \& (64) \& (65) \& (66) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(67)

23,920} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(68) ${ }^{\text {( }}$} \& (69) \& (70) <br>

\hline $$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { BUSINESSES WITH AND } \\
& \text { WITHOUT NET INCOME } \\
& \text { Number of returns [1] }
\end{aligned}
$$ \& *944 \& 167,974 \& 13,701 \& \& \& 12,292 \& 51,560 <br>

\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& * 33,682 \& 5,641,078 \& 741,861 \& 718,765 \& * 45,911 \& 508,958 \& 4,279,539 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& * 33,675 \& 5,610,618 \& 741,091 \& 712,846 \& * 45,908 \& 507,835 \& 4,105,242 <br>
\hline Other business income \& * 7 \& 30,460 \& * 770 \& * 5,919 \& * 3 \& * 1,124 \& 174,297 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& * 30,068 \& 4,124,048 \& 591,870 \& 458,697 \& * 60,948 \& 595,635 \& 3,863,563 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 0 \& 99,264 \& * 117,704 \& * 31,003 \& * 209 \& * 144,361 \& 1,342,469 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 0 \& * 324 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 137 \& 30,125 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& 0 \& * 7,395 \& * 8,888 \& * 1,396 \& 0 \& * 100,551 \& 76,333 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 0 \& * 22,421 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 836 \& 464,861 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& 0 \& * 2,278 \& * 20,370 \& * 25,901 \& 0 \& * 21,169 \& * 116,740 <br>
\hline Other costs \& 0 \& * 66,845 \& * 88,446 \& * 3,707 \& * 209 \& * 21,862 \& 688,427 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 193 \& 34,016 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 0 \& 48,232 \& 4,180 \& 1,430 \& 0 \& 17,481 \& 31,616 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 0 \& 888,029 \& 71,684 \& 145,192 \& * 20,087 \& 32,395 \& 512,306 <br>
\hline Commissions \& 0 \& 123,478 \& * 29,164 \& * 824 \& 0 \& * 1,055 \& 32,883 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& 0 \& 84,874 \& * 5,976 \& * 19,478 \& * 18 \& 2,932 \& 172,158 <br>
\hline Depletion \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 3 \& * [4] \& * 2,219 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& * 2,653 \& 150,684 \& 62,249 \& 23,374 \& * 25,551 \& 101,350 \& 250,476 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& 0 \& * 3,599 \& * 867 \& * 4,933 \& * 3 \& * 655 \& 2,622 <br>
\hline Insurance \& * 5,322 \& 243,591 \& 46,846 \& 22,417 \& * 1,515 \& 23,573 \& 132,116 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 0 \& 32,029 \& 2,529 \& 2,338 \& * 227 \& 6,385 \& 13,598 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 0 \& 19,051 \& 1,003 \& 4,323 \& * 3,650 \& 2,953 \& 43,768 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& * 2,546 \& 49,092 \& * 8,621 \& * 1,505 \& 0 \& * 5,782 \& 9,379 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& * 5 \& 27,171 \& 16,927 \& * 419 \& * 1,428 \& 16,281 \& 31,904 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 0 \& 24,477 \& 6,658 \& 3,952 \& 0 \& 5,194 \& 41,231 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& 0 \& * 79 \& 0 \& * 480 \& * 26 \& 0 \& *534 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& * [4] \& 660,280 \& * 443 \& * 9,765 \& 0 \& * 6,028 \& 52,467 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 0 \& 133,785 \& * 1,884 \& * 6,374 \& 0 \& 14,300 \& 60,023 <br>
\hline Repairs \& * 2,413 \& 188,054 \& 30,829 \& 15,557 \& * 5,561 \& 28,061 \& 102,403 <br>
\hline Supplies \& * [4] \& 60,317 \& 8,147 \& 7,415 \& * 111 \& 19,251 \& 62,980 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& * 57 \& 124,813 \& 73,090 \& * 53,673 \& * 217 \& 25,532 \& 238,787 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& * 841 \& 69,611 \& 16,762 \& 8,360 \& * 842 \& 13,034 \& 58,568 <br>
\hline Travel \& 0 \& 8,779 \& 9,601 \& 15,134 \& * 337 \& 24,866 \& 40,709 <br>
\hline Utilities \& * 618 \& 77,022 \& 8,435 \& 7,581 \& * [4] \& 6,858 \& 90,081 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& * 15,612 \& 974,596 \& 66,601 \& 59,510 \& * 1,118 \& 88,892 \& 524,122 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 0 \& * 12,280 \& * 1,670 \& * 7,924 \& * 44 \& * 8,416 \& 9,741 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 911 \& * 26 \& * 255 \& 0 \& * 1,676 \& * 174 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 484 \& 0 \& * 3 \& 0 \& * 1,053 \& 0 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& * 3,614 \& 1,523,255 \& 149,546 \& 260,082 \& * -14,599 \& -83,664 \& 416,012 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& * 4,761 \& 1,659,025 \& 157,329 \& 289,888 \& * 2 \& 47,547 \& 584,806 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& *-1,147 \& -135,770 \& -7,783 \& -29,807 \& *-14,601 \& -131,211 \& -168,794 <br>
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| Net income status, item | Transportation and warehousing-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Interurban and rural bus transportation | Taxi and limousine service | School, employee, and charter bus industry | Other transit and ground passenger transportation | Pipeline transportation | Scenic and sightseeing transportation | Support activities for transportation (including motor vehicle towing) |
|  | (64) | (65) | (66) | (67) | (68) | (69) | (70) |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | * 300 | 149,479 | 10,676 | ** 17,057 | ** | 5,078 | 36,864 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | * 13,875 | 5,126,887 | 563,351 | ** 560,067 | ** | 248,484 | 3,138,557 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | * 13,867 | 5,096,691 | 562,706 | ** 554,914 | ** | 248,424 | 2,990,138 |
| Other business income | * 7 | 30,196 | * 645 | ** 5,153 | ** | * 61 | 148,419 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | * 9,113 | 3,467,862 | 406,022 | ** 270,177 | ** | 200,937 | 2,553,751 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 0 | * 81,512 | * 35,508 | ** 25,824 | ** | * 101,537 | 859,886 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 0 | 0 | 0 | ** | ** | 0 | * 19,406 |
| Cost of labor | 0 | * 7,395 | * 8,888 | ** 1,060 | ** | * 100,088 | * 43,879 |
| Purchases | 0 | * 19,831 | 0 | ** | ** | * 836 | 279,459 |
| Materials and supplies | 0 | * 1,955 | * 20,370 | ** 24,765 | ** | * 614 | * 108,851 |
| Other costs | 0 | * 52,330 | * 6,251 | ** | ** | 0 | 432,240 |
| Inventory, end of year | 0 | 0 | 0 | ** | ** | 0 | * 23,950 |
| Advertising expenses | 0 | 33,516 | * 821 | ** 1,022 | ** | * 8,846 | 16,762 |
| Car and truck expenses | 0 | 664,861 | 62,384 | ** 42,971 | ** | * 18,842 | 341,807 |
| Commissions | 0 | 107,537 | * 25,973 | ** 695 | ** | 0 | * 23,158 |
| Contract labor | 0 | 61,460 | * 5,840 | ** 19,361 | ** | * 1,222 | 141,363 |
| Depletion | 0 |  | 0 0 | ** [4] | ** | 0 | * 2,219 |
| Depreciation | * 208 | 120,564 | 32,948 | ** 11,434 | ** | * 2,772 | 165,406 |
| Employee benefit programs | 0 | * 1,895 | * 771 | ** 4,662 | ** | * 587 | * 2,295 |
| Insurance | * 481 | 212,015 | 36,717 | ** 13,603 | ** | * 2,179 | 73,253 |
| Legal and professional services | 0 | 20,486 | 2,022 | ** 1,613 | ** | * 917 | 10,705 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 0 | 18,481 | * 750 | ** 1,079 | ** | * 1,807 | 33,151 |
| Mortgage interest | * 2,546 | 49,092 | * 7,606 | ** 1,403 | ** | 0 | * 3,792 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | * 5 | 24,909 | 8,368 | ** 39 | ** | * 1,732 | 23,974 |
| Office expenses | 0 | 15,891 | 6,037 | ** 3,396 | ** | * 1,745 | 29,319 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 0 | * 79 | 0 | ** 479 | ** | 0 | * 382 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * [4] | 599,629 | * 201 | ** 7,557 | ** | 0 | 40,816 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 0 | 125,758 | * 1,423 | ** 5,749 | ** | * 3,773 | 34,360 |
| Repairs | * 3 | 172,531 | 27,978 | ** 10,926 | ** | * 992 | 69,905 |
| Supplies | * [4] | 49,556 | 8,123 | ** 6,016 | ** | * 2,462 | 41,087 |
| Salaries and wages | * 57 | * 61,375 | 54,830 | ** 38,288 | ** | * 1,347 | 143,189 |
| Taxes paid | * 58 | 59,464 | 14,180 | ** 5,488 | ** | * 944 | 31,396 |
| Travel | 0 | 6,177 | * 8,698 | ** 8,228 | ** | * 10,263 | 32,616 |
| Utilities | 0 | 67,463 | 6,124 | ** 4,600 | ** | * 1,917 | 58,056 |
| Other business deductions | * 5,754 | 882,766 | 57,048 | ** 42,651 | ** | * 34,307 | 361,284 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 0 | * 9,986 | * 1,670 | ** 7,357 | ** | * 2,747 | 9,169 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | * 496 | * 26 | ** 252 | ** | 0 | * 174 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 |  | 0 | ** | ** | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 |  | 0 | ** | ** | 0 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | * 4,761 | 1,659,025 | 157,329 | ** 289,890 | ** | 47,547 | 584,806 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts | 0 | 178,861 | * 5,584 | 48,850 | 0 | * 2,582 | 67,434 |
| Business deductions | 0 | 20,860 | 0 | * 5,737 | 0 | 0 | * 4,404 |
| Net income | 0 | 158,001 | * 5,584 | 43,113 | 0 | * 2,582 | 63,030 |

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| Net income status, item | Transportation and warehousing-continued |  | Information |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Couriers and messengers | Warehousing and storage facilities | Total | Publishing industries (except internet) | Motion picture and sound recording | Broadcasting (except internet) and telecommunications | Internet publishing and broadcasting |
|  | (71) | (72) | (73) | (74) | (75) | (76) | (77) |
| bUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 175,337 | 7,344 | 365,625 | 75,386 | 103,469 | 51,983 | 4,151 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 5,508,211 | 513,683 | 11,704,393 | 1,931,754 | 3,011,507 | 2,647,023 | 177,244 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 5,429,838 | 504,827 | 11,561,716 | 1,893,048 | 2,983,900 | 2,621,692 | 176,198 |
| Other business income | * 78,374 | * 8,856 | 142,677 | 38,706 | 27,607 | 25,331 | * 1,046 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 4,562,676 | 479,615 | 8,629,241 | 1,600,825 | 2,486,766 | 2,206,437 | 169,843 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 708,608 | 150,153 | 2,006,773 | 495,323 | 334,253 | 669,014 | * 26,081 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 2,838 | * 11,712 | 177,421 | 92,240 | 36,703 | 7,360 | * 640 |
| Cost of labor | * 230,827 | * 14,246 | 261,372 | * 118,341 | * 6,939 | 8,248 | * 878 |
| Purchases | * 335,630 | * 128,674 | 1,003,667 | 126,267 | 155,442 | 537,565 | * 23,034 |
| Materials and supplies | * 36,756 | * 68 | 143,181 | 35,741 | 15,707 | 48,672 | * 2,240 |
| Other costs | * 108,530 | * 11,052 | 608,861 | 203,875 | 180,227 | 73,641 | * 324 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 5,973 | * 15,599 | 187,728 | 81,139 | 60,765 | 6,474 | * 1,035 |
| Advertising expenses | 11,190 | 1,007 | 252,260 | 25,036 | 64,911 | 37,314 | 9,800 |
| Car and truck expenses | 2,503,444 | 31,256 | 671,688 | 130,976 | 182,440 | 170,848 | * 9,822 |
| Commissions | 34,177 | 4,271 | 163,288 | 16,819 | 28,467 | 46,320 | * 6,978 |
| Contract labor | 312,138 | 17,692 | 509,213 | 25,391 | 145,841 | 179,661 | * 4,472 |
| Depletion | * 162 | 0 | * 248 | * 1 | * 178 | * 61 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 93,940 | 38,088 | 492,810 | 31,082 | 262,878 | 63,545 | 13,479 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 3,126 | 1,134 | 40,251 | 21,031 | 6,773 | 7,876 | * 969 |
| Insurance | 72,372 | 5,622 | 69,497 | 15,401 | 19,460 | 19,935 | * 883 |
| Legal and professional services | 23,231 | 19,275 | 170,727 | 27,416 | 73,940 | 19,905 | 1,525 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 27,459 | 792 | 108,526 | 24,700 | 35,321 | 16,673 | * 4,269 |
| Mortgage interest | * 6,749 | * 5,135 | 23,418 | * 9,180 | 4,777 | 6,098 | 0 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 7,119 | 6,685 | 70,468 | 15,743 | 17,291 | 23,328 | * 686 |
| Office expenses | 23,731 | 13,860 | 184,120 | 36,261 | 54,008 | 27,521 | 3,417 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | *603 | * 38 | 7,776 | * 3,358 | 1,901 | * 1,475 | 0 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 50,311 | 4,118 | 99,339 | 5,103 | 22,971 | 31,415 | * 141 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 25,478 | 24,068 | 301,886 | 29,046 | 128,075 | 71,852 | * 7,159 |
| Repairs | 64,823 | 9,838 | 62,345 | 11,518 | 26,240 | 14,391 | * 626 |
| Supplies | 43,499 | 7,512 | 241,774 | 50,392 | 52,023 | 84,576 | * 6,116 |
| Salaries and wages | 83,829 | 29,126 | 595,320 | 167,058 | 148,664 | 168,785 | * 10,663 |
| Taxes paid | 30,932 | 11,675 | 89,216 | 24,231 | 18,426 | 30,313 | * 3,231 |
| Travel | 43,385 | 9,749 | 304,710 | 43,632 | 116,099 | 53,697 | 1,986 |
| Utilities | 56,560 | 10,696 | 248,293 | 39,326 | 76,779 | 51,214 | 6,623 |
| Other business deductions | 284,703 | 71,940 | 1,593,640 | 316,448 | 567,835 | 372,450 | 45,453 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 25,787 | * 4,197 | 264,826 | 25,878 | 84,858 | 24,033 | * 5,464 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 3,690 | * 3,418 | 27,400 | 3,994 | 15,143 | * 1,027 | 0 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | * 6,972 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 228 | 0 | 14,245 | * 1,182 | * 6,740 | * 63 | 0 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 973,505 | 34,105 | 3,123,461 | 336,897 | 548,598 | 455,183 | 7,401 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,297,384 | 124,630 | 4,278,001 | 568,310 | 1,043,912 | 603,072 | 31,199 |
| Deficit [2] | -323,880 | -90,525 | -1,154,540 | -231,414 | -495,315 | -147,889 | -23,798 |

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| Net income status, item | Transportation and warehousing-continued |  | Information |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Couriers and messengers | Warehousing and storage facilities | Total | Publishing industries (except internet) | Motion picture and sound recording | Broadcasting (except internet) and telecommunications | Internet publishing and broadcasting |
|  | (71) | (72) | (73) | (74) | (75) | (76) | (77) |
| Number of returns [1] | 137,396 | 4,804 | 243,183 | 52,053 | 59,213 | 34,138 | 2,152 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 4,615,802 | 441,830 | 9,800,479 | 1,515,671 | 2,504,126 | 2,035,326 | 120,795 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 4,538,933 | 440,945 | 9,685,787 | 1,496,186 | 2,471,499 | 2,023,989 | 120,549 |
| Other business income | * 76,870 | * 885 | 114,691 | 19,486 | 32,627 | 11,336 | * 246 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 3,318,418 | 317,238 | 5,522,701 | 947,361 | 1,460,437 | 1,432,253 | 89,596 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 555,183 | 132,922 | 1,430,238 | 363,968 | 270,412 | 381,415 | * 5,609 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 2,737 | * 11,712 | 106,577 | 57,526 | * 11,372 | * 6,843 | * 640 |
| Cost of labor | * 225,737 | * 14,246 | 231,607 | * 111,275 | * 1,190 | * 2,098 | * 878 |
| Purchases | * 187,856 | * 112,660 | 673,580 | 109,794 | 138,657 | * 269,860 | * 2,700 |
| Materials and supplies | * 36,523 | * 68 | 100,040 | * 26,802 | * 14,164 | * 47,865 | * 2,102 |
| Other costs | * 108,212 | * 9,835 | 419,463 | 113,446 | 113,892 | 60,652 | * 324 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 5,882 | * 15,599 | 101,030 | 54,875 | 8,864 | * 5,903 | * 1,035 |
| Advertising expenses | 8,381 | * 378 | 157,475 | 14,586 | 46,370 | 28,448 | * 9,280 |
| Car and truck expenses | 1,658,978 | 12,927 | 397,395 | 72,571 | 91,590 | 120,840 | * 3,653 |
| Commissions | * 27,893 | * 3,930 | 140,665 | 8,719 | 23,941 | * 42,389 | * 6,978 |
| Contract labor | 289,435 | * 16,998 | 394,494 | 10,343 | 114,281 | 166,385 | * 4,054 |
| Depletion | * 162 | 0 | * 206 | 0 | * 137 | * 61 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 52,573 | 9,087 | 254,302 | 13,934 | 100,219 | 36,667 | * 6,158 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 2,789 | * 381 | 28,398 | 16,460 | * 4,457 | 4,545 | * 554 |
| Insurance | 60,777 | 4,420 | 49,663 | 9,408 | 11,819 | 16,048 | * 881 |
| Legal and professional services | 13,738 | 3,032 | 81,710 | 10,200 | 28,403 | 9,592 | * 839 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 22,494 | 374 | 57,491 | 5,890 | 19,864 | 9,817 | * 4,159 |
| Mortgage interest | * 6,615 | * 4,386 | 17,026 | * 8,572 | * 2,662 | * 2,427 | 0 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 3,241 | 4,892 | 20,680 | 5,457 | 1,396 | 7,009 | *91 |
| Office expenses | 17,501 | 1,781 | 139,835 | 27,429 | 40,420 | 21,070 | * 2,407 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 603 | * 38 | 7,692 | * 3,352 | * 1,823 | * 1,475 | 0 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 39,838 | 1,369 | 66,909 | 2,280 | 14,700 | 14,757 | * 141 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 23,027 | 17,762 | 212,664 | 15,387 | 84,882 | 55,868 | * 6,594 |
| Repairs | 53,918 | 6,668 | 41,697 | 7,553 | 20,292 | 8,329 | * 457 |
| Supplies | 34,489 | 6,875 | 127,994 | 38,518 | 36,513 | 26,030 | * 745 |
| Salaries and wages | * 74,161 | 17,178 | 400,408 | 90,923 | 108,697 | 115,754 | * 8,623 |
| Taxes paid | 26,973 | 8,086 | 54,728 | 13,177 | 12,282 | 18,307 | * 1,434 |
| Travel | 32,566 | 8,513 | 207,586 | 27,155 | 79,018 | 34,876 | * 1,873 |
| Utilities | 39,187 | 4,513 | 164,768 | 27,424 | 49,483 | 35,289 | * 3,061 |
| Other business deductions | 227,101 | 44,996 | 815,604 | 120,076 | 227,505 | 245,246 | 20,646 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 21,475 | * 4,041 | 196,246 | 23,508 | 56,915 | 15,469 | * 1,358 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 3,461 | * 3,392 | 21,330 | 3,014 | 12,189 | * 572 | 0 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | * 210 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | * 209 | * 174 | 0 | * 34 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,297,384 | 124,630 | 4,278,001 | 568,310 | 1,043,912 | 603,072 | 31,199 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 26,138 | * 647 | 77,886 | 21,936 | 15,981 | 11,760 | 0 |
| Business receipts | 136,170 | * 3,080 | 598,721 | 116,305 | 90,813 | 121,606 | 0 |
| Business deductions | 25,321 | * 1,690 | 56,831 | 10,475 | 12,357 | 14,140 | 0 |
| Net income | 110,849 | * 1,390 | 541,890 | 105,829 | 78,456 | 107,466 | 0 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow{3}{*}{Net income status, item} \& Informationcontinued \& \multirow[b]{3}{*}{Total} \& \multirow[b]{3}{*}{Credit intermediation and related activities} \& \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{Finance and insurance} \\
\hline \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Internet service providers, web search portals, and data processing} \& \& \& \multicolumn{4}{|c|}{Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments} \\
\hline \& \& \& \& Total \& Investment bankers and securities dealers \& Securities brokers \& \begin{tabular}{l}
Commodity \\
contracts brokers and dealers
\end{tabular} \\
\hline \multirow[b]{2}{*}{\begin{tabular}{l}
BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME \\
Number of returns [1]
\end{tabular}} \& (78) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(79)

693,065} \& (80) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(81)

178,338} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(82)

5,122} \& (83) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(84)

4,959} <br>
\hline \& 130,635 \& \& 72,956 \& \& \& 17,163 \& <br>
\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 3,936,865 \& 112,312,139 \& 3,166,910 \& 77,172,761 \& 4,789,463 \& 5,357,286 \& 3,024,548 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 3,886,878 \& 110,076,901 \& 3,117,988 \& 75,768,416 \& 4,601,637 \& 5,117,452 \& 3,016,503 <br>
\hline Other business income \& 49,987 \& 2,235,238 \& 48,922 \& 1,404,345 \& 187,826 \& 239,834 \& 8,045 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 2,165,370 \& 94,315,221 \& 2,945,033 \& 71,188,190 \& 4,469,358 \& 4,390,029 \& 2,894,832 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 482,101 \& 55,057,543 \& 672,082 \& 53,079,355 \& 3,798,797 \& 3,019,812 \& 2,543,675 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 40,477 \& 512,221 \& 102,561 \& 332,194 \& * 12,848 \& * 14,734 \& * 4,304 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& * 126,966 \& 164,270 \& * 3,860 \& 38,171 \& * 1,280 \& * 154 \& * 8,245 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 161,359 \& 40,861,826 \& 372,817 \& 40,138,179 \& 3,205,238 \& 2,014,302 \& * 2,210,021 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& 40,820 \& 412,182 \& * 56,439 \& 308,858 \& * 4 \& * 441 \& * 7,359 <br>
\hline Other costs \& 150,794 \& 13,659,631 \& 231,421 \& 12,627,675 \& 588,514 \& 1,006,233 \& 317,015 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 38,315 \& 552,587 \& 95,015 \& 365,722 \& * 9,087 \& * 16,053 \& * 3,269 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 115,199 \& 1,111,422 \& 107,596 \& 188,764 \& 1,701 \& 20,581 \& 1,848 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 177,602 \& 3,036,746 \& 244,023 \& 513,636 \& 13,715 \& 45,029 \& 8,648 <br>
\hline Commissions \& 64,705 \& 3,250,308 \& 128,933 \& 1,065,834 \& 24,088 \& 257,931 \& 31,885 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& 153,848 \& 945,726 \& 108,584 \& 498,351 \& 37,845 \& 65,088 \& 13,008 <br>
\hline Depletion \& * 9 \& 5,203 \& * 88 \& 4,543 \& * 50 \& * 82 \& * 1 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 121,826 \& 999,905 \& 79,636 \& 379,987 \& 4,280 \& 26,232 \& 9,520 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& 3,602 \& 216,520 \& 6,264 \& 51,300 \& 2,113 \& 5,971 \& * 735 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 13,818 \& 653,715 \& 40,602 \& 115,089 \& 3,811 \& 13,546 \& 1,046 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 47,941 \& 769,129 \& 53,429 \& 401,058 \& 29,614 \& 19,123 \& 7,573 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 27,563 \& 567,938 \& 30,727 \& 157,423 \& 13,346 \& 20,242 \& 8,288 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& * 3,364 \& 224,740 \& 30,914 \& 62,041 \& * 1,106 \& 1,618 \& 2,053 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& 13,420 \& 543,891 \& 74,130 \& 298,487 \& 22,253 \& 11,743 \& 5,338 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 62,913 \& 1,178,741 \& 55,271 \& 256,726 \& 4,733 \& 26,401 \& 8,098 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& * 1,042 \& 128,599 \& 9,272 \& 39,652 \& * 1,212 \& 5,265 \& * 286 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& 39,709 \& 316,196 \& 50,017 \& 81,081 \& 3,329 \& 11,870 \& 1,069 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 65,754 \& 1,455,536 \& 83,217 \& 420,106 \& 19,894 \& 32,725 \& 28,466 <br>
\hline Repairs \& 9,570 \& 261,719 \& 25,884 \& 47,255 \& 407 \& 4,112 \& 2,552 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 48,665 \& 637,614 \& 42,086 \& 216,321 \& 3,501 \& 9,242 \& 3,448 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& 100,151 \& 4,494,151 \& 170,495 \& 1,516,890 \& 45,293 \& 118,283 \& 35,404 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 13,016 \& 601,391 \& 36,209 \& 186,341 \& 5,357 \& 18,554 \& 2,105 <br>
\hline Travel \& 89,297 \& 831,971 \& 39,118 \& 328,380 \& 51,248 \& 15,776 \& 10,203 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 74,350 \& 1,085,726 \& 109,958 \& 206,752 \& 10,731 \& 22,302 \& 4,023 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 291,453 \& 15,436,355 \& 695,122 \& 10,941,733 \& 364,838 \& 610,093 \& 164,768 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 124,593 \& 421,774 \& 42,065 \& 113,690 \& 6,062 \& 5,499 \& 746 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 7,236 \& 52,243 \& 9,173 \& 15,029 \& 923 \& 1,043 \& * 146 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& * 6,972 \& * 1,088 \& 0 \& * 839 \& * [4] \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& * 6,261 \& 33,395 \& * 3,779 \& 8,013 \& * 113 \& * 141 \& * 267 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& 1,775,383 \& 18,004,035 \& 229,170 \& 5,984,021 \& 320,069 \& 967,341 \& 129,923 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 2,031,507 \& 21,547,741 \& 767,713 \& 8,059,177 \& 472,384 \& 1,067,526 \& 255,422 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& -256,124 \& -3,543,706 \& -538,543 \& -2,075,156 \& -152,315 \& -100,185 \& -125,499 <br>
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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Informationcontinued | Finance and insurance |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Internet service providers, web search portals, and data processing | Total | Credit intermediation and related activities | Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Investment bankers and securities dealers | Securities brokers | Commodity contracts brokers and dealers |
| bUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | (78) | (79) | (80) | (81) | (82) | (83) | (84) |
|  | 95,626 | 468,187 | 40,555 | 104,564 | 3,226 | 11,205 | 3,291 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 3,624,561 | 58,566,141 | 2,464,387 | 27,205,432 | 1,501,529 | 2,138,677 | 2,981,175 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 3,573,564 | 56,770,318 | 2,432,394 | 26,176,417 | 1,315,159 | 2,012,885 | 2,967,756 |
| Other business income | 50,997 | 1,795,823 | 31,994 | 1,029,015 | 186,369 | 125,792 | 13,418 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,593,054 | 37,017,881 | 1,697,039 | 19,142,237 | 1,029,109 | 1,071,196 | 2,725,928 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 408,835 | 13,758,208 | 473,110 | 12,249,129 | * 661,277 | 197,528 | * 2,513,002 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 30,196 | 200,196 | 57,151 | 84,957 | 0 | * 14,679 | * 1,045 |
| Cost of labor | * 116,167 | 107,815 | * 18 | 16,463 | * 1,280 | 0 | 0 |
| Purchases | 152,569 | 10,604,806 | 301,056 | 10,090,442 | * 659,853 | * 3,736 | * 2,206,831 |
| Materials and supplies | * 9,106 | 109,804 | * 53,938 | 11,133 | * 2 | * 441 | * 7,359 |
| Other costs | 131,148 | 2,970,546 | 123,123 | 2,148,247 | * 142 | * 192,746 | * 298,506 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 30,353 | 234,959 | 62,177 | 102,113 | 0 | * 14,073 | * 739 |
| Advertising expenses | 58,791 | 975,107 | 85,906 | 135,799 | 1,100 | 10,140 | 1,662 |
| Car and truck expenses | 108,740 | 2,263,876 | 121,477 | 306,763 | 2,441 | 39,396 | 8,287 |
| Commissions | 58,638 | 2,293,440 | 114,209 | 653,798 | * 16,643 | 181,742 | * 29,197 |
| Contract labor | 99,431 | 639,407 | 84,087 | 269,763 | * 93 | 39,784 | 5,663 |
| Depletion | * 9 | 1,758 | * 84 | 1,118 | * 38 | * 51 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 97,325 | 643,579 | 35,807 | 175,627 | 2,804 | 22,202 | 6,545 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 2,382 | 190,524 | 3,690 | 38,515 | * 761 | 5,532 | * 458 |
| Insurance | 11,506 | 534,511 | 18,585 | 77,232 | 1,764 | 12,624 | 495 |
| Legal and professional services | 32,677 | 517,766 | 21,074 | 243,297 | 11,903 | 17,653 | 3,345 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 17,760 | 455,863 | 18,451 | 120,095 | 10,771 | 19,308 | 6,524 |
| Mortgage interest | * 3,364 | 113,483 | 11,660 | 14,403 | * 94 | * 563 | * 165 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 6,727 | 265,266 | 34,835 | 83,972 | 2,247 | 9,826 | 1,734 |
| Office expenses | 48,510 | 962,648 | 28,237 | 175,682 | 2,405 | 21,377 | 6,698 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 1,042 | 123,640 | * 7,169 | 38,089 | * 1,180 | 5,264 | * 285 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 35,031 | 249,174 | 9,730 | 66,995 | * 1,075 | 11,807 | * 442 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 49,932 | 1,240,624 | 31,905 | 335,108 | 14,101 | 30,140 | 17,627 |
| Repairs | 5,065 | 210,628 | 11,994 | 32,886 | 197 | 3,938 | * 2,255 |
| Supplies | 26,187 | 434,406 | 16,563 | 81,788 | 1,194 | 8,882 | 2,958 |
| Salaries and wages | 76,411 | 3,787,950 | 96,676 | 1,127,528 | 24,696 | 106,822 | 15,421 |
| Taxes paid | 9,528 | 495,348 | 21,636 | 138,377 | 3,792 | 16,940 | 1,587 |
| Travel | 64,664 | 587,079 | 21,968 | 223,955 | 36,538 | 14,415 | 7,950 |
| Utilities | 49,511 | 862,625 | 54,934 | 141,684 | 6,526 | 20,679 | 1,905 |
| Other business deductions | 202,132 | 5,041,823 | 346,525 | 2,308,274 | 221,334 | 266,270 | 91,310 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 98,996 | 294,005 | 20,088 | 84,966 | 4,101 | 5,405 | * 365 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 5,555 | 34,216 | * 3,220 | 10,936 | * 906 | 1,014 | * 61 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | *210 | * 22 | 0 | * 22 | * [4] | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 4,801 | * 1,810 | * 1,162 | * 94 | * 12 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 2,031,507 | 21,547,741 | 767,713 | 8,059,177 | 472,384 | 1,067,526 | 255,422 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ:Number of returns |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 28,209 | 85,716 | 9,561 | 20,369 | * 19 | * 1,902 | * 654 |
| Business receipts | 269,997 | 777,076 | 84,008 | 316,353 | * 8,834 | * 39,271 | * 14,469 |
| Business deductions | 19,859 | 82,662 | 9,312 | 17,395 | * 34 | * 2,911 | * 46 |
| Net income | 250,138 | 694,415 | 74,695 | 298,958 | * 8,800 | * 36,360 | * 14,423 |

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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow{5}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Finance and insurance-continued} \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{\multirow[t]{2}{*}{Real estate and rental and leasing}} <br>
\hline \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{\multirow[b]{2}{*}{Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments-continued}} \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{\multirow{2}{*}{Insurance agents, brokers, and related activities}} \& \& <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \multirow{3}{*}{Total} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{Real estate} <br>
\hline \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Securities and commodity exchanges} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{Other financial investment activities (investment advice)} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Total} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Insurance agencies and brokerages} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Other insurance related activities} \& \& <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \& Total <br>
\hline \multirow[b]{2}{*}{BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME} \& (85) \& (86) \& (87) \& (88) \& \multirow[t]{3}{*}{(89)

103,518} \& (90) \& (91) <br>
\hline \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{355} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{150,738} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{441,771} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(88)

338,253} \& \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{1,278,868} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{1,217,101} <br>
\hline Number of returns [1] \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 1,677,363 \& 62,324,101 \& 31,972,467 \& 27,676,834 \& 4,295,633 \& 58,051,397 \& 52,854,366 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 1,674,211 \& 61,358,613 \& 31,190,497 \& 26,990,986 \& 4,199,510 \& 56,450,390 \& 51,477,120 <br>
\hline Other business income \& * 3,152 \& 965,489 \& 781,971 \& 685,848 \& 96,123 \& 1,601,007 \& 1,377,246 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 1,692,665 \& 57,741,305 \& 20,181,997 \& 17,687,247 \& 2,494,750 \& 43,870,223 \& 38,749,867 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 1,413,905 \& 42,303,166 \& 1,306,107 \& 1,247,380 \& 58,727 \& 8,677,616 \& 7,185,690 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& * 112 \& 300,197 \& 77,466 \& 73,378 \& * 4,088 \& 3,137,078 \& 2,926,624 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& 0 \& 28,491 \& 122,240 \& 113,787 \& * 8,452 \& 373,801 \& 174,030 <br>
\hline Purchases \& * 1,227,017 \& 31,481,601 \& 350,829 \& 336,653 \& 14,176 \& 4,406,571 \& 3,691,813 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& * 71 \& 300,983 \& 46,886 \& 32,494 \& * 14,392 \& 593,659 \& 487,905 <br>
\hline Other costs \& * 186,819 \& 10,529,094 \& 800,535 \& 778,171 \& 22,365 \& 3,385,048 \& 2,942,682 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& * 114 \& 337,199 \& 91,850 \& 87,103 \& * 4,747 \& 3,218,542 \& 3,037,364 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& * 520 \& 164,114 \& 815,062 \& 755,483 \& 59,579 \& 2,104,615 \& 2,043,034 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& * 158 \& 446,085 \& 2,279,087 \& 1,784,976 \& 494,110 \& 5,402,613 \& 5,204,923 <br>
\hline Commissions \& * 946 \& 750,985 \& 2,055,541 \& 1,838,059 \& 217,482 \& 2,673,098 \& 2,639,917 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& * 6,293 \& 376,117 \& 338,791 \& 279,746 \& 59,045 \& 1,098,261 \& 1,025,104 <br>
\hline Depletion \& 0 \& 4,411 \& 572 \& 560 \& * 12 \& 6,759 \& 6,471 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 11,388 \& 328,568 \& 540,282 \& 450,580 \& 89,702 \& 2,975,076 \& 1,641,574 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& * 19 \& 42,463 \& 158,955 \& 145,751 \& 13,204 \& 92,041 \& 84,977 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 1,731 \& 94,955 \& 498,024 \& 445,374 \& 52,649 \& 642,522 \& 548,681 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 2,086 \& 342,662 \& 314,641 \& 268,986 \& 45,655 \& 891,734 \& 848,743 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 142 \& 115,405 \& 379,788 \& 332,196 \& 47,592 \& 587,170 \& 571,822 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& * 1,446 \& 55,819 \& 131,785 \& 107,260 \& * 24,525 \& 1,194,429 \& 1,134,268 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& 4,704 \& 254,449 \& 171,275 \& 151,924 \& 19,351 \& 683,272 \& 510,581 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 559 \& 216,934 \& 866,744 \& 752,453 \& 114,291 \& 1,130,250 \& 1,091,827 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& * 282 \& 32,606 \& 79,676 \& 73,375 \& 6,300 \& 26,158 \& 25,674 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& * 25 \& 64,788 \& 185,098 \& 171,829 \& 13,269 \& 507,601 \& 414,685 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& * 978 \& 338,042 \& 952,214 \& 868,924 \& 83,289 \& 1,275,456 \& 1,076,041 <br>
\hline Repairs \& * 1,516 \& 38,667 \& 188,580 \& 177,309 \& 11,272 \& 756,717 \& 619,828 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 94,293 \& 105,838 \& 379,208 \& 337,978 \& 41,229 \& 827,529 \& 740,302 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& * 16,610 \& 1,301,300 \& 2,806,766 \& 2,677,594 \& 129,172 \& 1,879,639 \& 1,574,098 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 1,809 \& 158,516 \& 378,841 \& 352,497 \& 26,344 \& 879,997 \& 766,649 <br>
\hline Travel \& 1,045 \& 250,108 \& 464,474 \& 309,955 \& 154,519 \& 620,974 \& 572,296 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 1,010 \& 168,687 \& 769,015 \& 685,866 \& 83,150 \& 1,474,866 \& 1,379,747 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 130,667 \& 9,671,367 \& 3,799,500 \& 3,267,767 \& 531,733 \& 6,636,820 \& 6,250,639 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& * 532 \& 100,851 \& 266,018 \& 165,518 \& 100,500 \& 663,395 \& 640,498 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& * 112 \& 12,805 \& 28,042 \& 18,018 \& 10,024 \& 96,987 \& 94,762 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 839 \& * 250 \& * 193 \& * 57 \& * 258 \& * 258 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& * 36 \& 7,455 \& 21,603 \& 13,199 \& 8,404 \& 95,647 \& 95,245 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& -15,302 \& 4,581,990 \& 11,790,845 \& 9,989,961 \& 1,800,883 \& 14,272,167 \& 14,131,187 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 19,924 \& 6,243,921 \& 12,720,851 \& 10,761,594 \& 1,959,257 \& 20,132,759 \& 19,296,407 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& -35,226 \& -1,661,930 \& -930,006 \& -771,632 \& -158,374 \& -5,860,592 \& -5,165,220 <br>
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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow[b]{3}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{8}{|c|}{Real estate and rental and leasing-continued} \\
\hline \& \multicolumn{3}{|c|}{Real estate-continued} \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Rental and leasing services} \\
\hline \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{\begin{tabular}{|c|c|}
\hline \multicolumn{2}{|c|}{ Real estate-continu } \\
\hline Lessors of \& Offices of real \\
real estate \& estate agents, \\
(including \& brokers, \\
miniwarehou \& \begin{tabular}{c} 
property \\
ses and self \\
storage)
\end{tabular} \\
\begin{tabular}{c} 
managers and \\
appraisers
\end{tabular} \\
\hline
\end{tabular}} \& Other activities related to real estate \& Total \& Automotive equipment rental and leasing \& Consumer electronics and appliances rental \& Formal wear and costume rental \& Video tape and disc rental \\
\hline \multirow[b]{2}{*}{BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1]} \& (92) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(93)

983,828} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(94)

244,670} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(95)

61,767} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(96)

15,480} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(97)

$* 1,313$} \& (98) \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(99)

4,838} <br>
\hline \& 38,603 \& \& \& \& \& \& * 120 \& <br>
\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 1,899,159 \& 39,199,345 \& 11,755,862 \& 5,197,031 \& 783,258 \& * 22,035 \& * 62,724 \& 535,595 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 1,810,290 \& 38,365,515 \& 11,301,315 \& 4,973,270 \& 774,132 \& * 22,035 \& * 62,669 \& 534,336 <br>
\hline Other business income \& 88,869 \& 833,830 \& 454,547 \& 223,761 \& 9,126 \& 0 \& * 55 \& * 1,259 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 2,035,271 \& 25,933,546 \& 10,781,050 \& 5,120,357 \& 790,047 \& * 4,372 \& * 56,595 \& 499,540 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 158,051 \& 2,799,398 \& 4,228,241 \& 1,491,926 \& 286,619 \& 0 \& * 19,513 \& 168,757 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 225,853 \& 644,774 \& 2,055,997 \& 210,454 \& * 15,664 \& 0 \& 0 \& 53,675 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& * 2,279 \& 104,021 \& 67,730 \& 199,772 \& * 13,928 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 678 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 54,591 \& 1,140,884 \& 2,496,338 \& 714,758 \& * 195,876 \& 0 \& * 19,513 \& 149,733 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& 17,814 \& 235,902 \& 234,189 \& 105,754 \& * 2,084 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 3,416 <br>
\hline Other costs \& 92,001 \& 1,375,383 \& 1,475,298 \& 442,366 \& 72,919 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 203 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 234,486 \& 701,566 \& 2,101,312 \& 181,178 \& * 13,853 \& 0 \& 0 \& 38,948 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 34,832 \& 1,727,784 \& 280,418 \& 61,580 \& 4,830 \& 0 \& * 1,767 \& 5,102 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 65,578 \& 4,294,234 \& 845,111 \& 197,689 \& 52,393 \& * 1,711 \& * 427 \& 22,925 <br>
\hline Commissions \& 43,951 \& 2,313,089 \& 282,877 \& 33,182 \& 7,993 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 157 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& 65,889 \& 813,642 \& 145,573 \& 73,157 \& 8,620 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 145 <br>
\hline Depletion \& * 274 \& 1,344 \& 4,854 \& 288 \& * 123 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 308,134 \& 938,202 \& 395,238 \& 1,333,503 \& 220,274 \& 0 \& * 6,538 \& 14,103 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& 6,176 \& 57,762 \& 21,039 \& 7,064 \& * 317 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 198 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 59,659 \& 382,372 \& 106,650 \& 93,841 \& 13,969 \& 0 \& * 814 \& 5,163 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 47,112 \& 604,767 \& 196,864 \& 42,991 \& 6,807 \& * 81 \& * 333 \& 2,025 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 9,099 \& 471,790 \& 90,933 \& 15,348 \& 1,379 \& * 1,829 \& * 192 \& * 156 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& 376,941 \& 404,668 \& 352,659 \& 60,161 \& 9,394 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 3,861 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& 55,003 \& 238,153 \& 217,425 \& 172,691 \& 26,169 \& 0 \& * 394 \& * 1,760 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 23,404 \& 914,058 \& 154,365 \& 38,423 \& 1,430 \& * 5 \& *99 \& 4,716 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& 308 \& 19,503 \& 5,863 \& 483 \& * 92 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& 19,849 \& 336,714 \& 58,122 \& 92,917 \& 11,803 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 1,540 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 33,896 \& 750,333 \& 291,812 \& 199,415 \& 17,115 \& 0 \& * 8,222 \& 53,913 <br>
\hline Repairs \& 101,673 \& 365,704 \& 152,451 \& 136,889 \& 9,236 \& 0 \& * 245 \& 7,072 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 27,990 \& 564,659 \& 147,653 \& 87,227 \& 4,945 \& 0 \& * 858 \& 4,401 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& 93,727 \& 924,658 \& 555,713 \& 305,541 \& 38,386 \& 0 \& * 9,943 \& 83,040 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 127,042 \& 459,035 \& 180,572 \& 113,348 \& 4,123 \& 0 \& * 2,690 \& 24,021 <br>
\hline Travel \& 15,538 \& 396,423 \& 160,335 \& 48,678 \& 1,083 \& 0 \& * 581 \& * 1,871 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 110,513 \& 1,026,920 \& 242,314 \& 95,120 \& 6,907 \& 0 \& * 1,873 \& 26,481 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 224,261 \& 4,500,388 \& 1,525,990 \& 386,181 \& 47,000 \& 0 \& * 2,106 \& 66,345 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 21,402 \& 514,000 \& 105,096 \& 22,897 \& * 1,634 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 1,789 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 1,960 \& 77,523 \& 15,279 \& 2,224 \& * 202 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 51 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& 0 \& * 256 \& * 1 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& * 9,885 \& 75,754 \& 9,606 \& * 402 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& -131,636 \& 13,330,418 \& 932,405 \& 140,980 \& 487 \& * 17,663 \& * 6,129 \& 36,055 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 314,198 \& 16,010,274 \& 2,971,936 \& 836,352 \& 76,854 \& * 17,663 \& * 7,477 \& 61,065 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& -445,834 \& -2,679,855 \& -2,039,531 \& -695,372 \& -76,367 \& 0 \& *-1,348 \& *-25,011 <br>
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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Real estate and rental and leasing-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Real estate-continued |  |  | Rental and leasing services |  |  |  |  |
|  | Lessors of real estate (including miniwarehou ses and self storage) | Offices of real estate agents, brokers, property managers and appraisers | Other activities related to real estate | Total | Automotive equipment rental and leasing | Consumer electronics and appliances rental | Formal wear and costume rental | Video tape and disc rental |
|  | (92) | (93) | (94) | (95) | (96) | (97) | (98) | (99) |
| businesses with net income Number of returns [1] | 16,366 | 595,833 | 132,959 | 31,804 | 9,577 | * 1,313 | * 79 | 2,325 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,063,194 | 34,435,160 | 7,584,247 | 3,802,601 | 501,922 | * 22,035 | * 61,725 | 420,238 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 998,446 | 33,823,020 | 7,322,007 | 3,669,929 | 501,714 | * 22,035 | * 61,675 | 420,201 |
| Other business income | 64,748 | 612,140 | 262,240 | 132,672 | * 209 | 0 | * 50 | * 37 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 748,645 | 18,429,121 | 4,613,075 | 2,972,680 | 431,784 | * 4,372 | * 54,249 | 359,173 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 23,376 | 2,011,386 | 1,704,041 | 1,238,604 | * 186,409 | 0 | * 19,513 | * 113,860 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 10,962 | 268,304 | 378,066 | 95,004 | * 1,828 | 0 | 0 | * 25,845 |
| Cost of labor | * 49 | 59,140 | 7,847 | 181,691 | * 127 | 0 | 0 | * 678 |
| Purchases | 3,250 | 997,414 | 1,120,077 | 635,978 | * 184,859 | 0 | * 19,513 | * 112,904 |
| Materials and supplies | * 16,780 | 187,995 | 65,455 | 76,134 | * 729 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other costs | 6,509 | 797,968 | 527,102 | 347,146 | * 966 | 0 | 0 | * 203 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 14,174 | 299,434 | 394,506 | 97,349 | * 2,099 | 0 | 0 | * 25,769 |
| Advertising expenses | 17,083 | 1,390,488 | 125,553 | 45,573 | * 1,147 | 0 | * 1,767 | 4,098 |
| Car and truck expenses | 29,646 | 3,153,033 | 414,629 | 111,597 | 36,903 | * 1,711 | * 427 | 11,625 |
| Commissions | 37,014 | 1,671,663 | 168,700 | 10,778 | * 1,638 | 0 | 0 | * 67 |
| Contract labor | 29,191 | 582,980 | 94,070 | 47,120 | * 68 | 0 | 0 | * 116 |
| Depletion | * 21 | 1,322 | 4,668 | * 242 | * 111 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 130,287 | 583,553 | 161,808 | 432,456 | 95,974 | 0 | * 6,166 | * 9,304 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 1,516 | 27,280 | 10,734 | 4,782 | * 121 | 0 | 0 | * 198 |
| Insurance | 25,685 | 253,270 | 49,631 | 59,124 | 9,377 | 0 | * 727 | * 4,463 |
| Legal and professional services | 8,602 | 384,745 | 71,239 | 16,004 | 1,076 | * 81 | * 155 | 1,375 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 7,046 | 374,393 | 55,423 | 11,428 | * 742 | * 1,829 | *192 | *93 |
| Mortgage interest | 117,469 | 168,750 | 71,639 | 15,716 | * 6,898 | 0 | 0 | * 534 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 13,663 | 118,601 | 67,258 | 76,759 | 9,071 | 0 | * 394 | * 958 |
| Office expenses | 9,835 | 656,700 | 92,111 | 26,909 | 339 | * 5 | * 99 | 3,798 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 261 | 18,376 | 2,781 | * 162 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 12,496 | 256,619 | 24,141 | 62,786 | * 5,865 | 0 | 0 | * 1,540 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 10,552 | 567,998 | 144,641 | 129,161 | * 298 | 0 | * 7,249 | * 41,947 |
| Repairs | 34,598 | 260,190 | 46,245 | 56,531 | 4,245 | 0 | * 177 | 5,971 |
| Supplies | 11,255 | 408,165 | 65,915 | 50,544 | * 2,030 | 0 | * 462 | 4,270 |
| Salaries and wages | 27,844 | 629,711 | 246,884 | 193,693 | * 28,971 | 0 | * 9,943 | * 63,541 |
| Taxes paid | 62,680 | 270,593 | 64,486 | 76,688 | 799 | 0 | * 2,675 | * 13,974 |
| Travel | 4,318 | 267,102 | 83,320 | 35,218 | * 401 | 0 | * 581 | * 1,691 |
| Utilities | 55,615 | 720,778 | 100,191 | 56,009 | 604 | 0 | * 1,659 | 15,973 |
| Other business deductions | 61,177 | 3,180,481 | 663,538 | 190,827 | 30,328 | 0 | * 2,065 | 57,987 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 13,150 | 359,387 | 49,134 | 14,147 | * 965 | 0 | 0 | * 1,789 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | *442 | 42,543 | 5,056 | * 1,821 | * 201 | 0 | 0 | *51 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 5,444 | * 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 314,198 | 16,010,274 | 2,971,936 | 836,352 | 76,854 | * 17,663 | * 7,477 | 61,065 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 5,960 | 67,241 | 29,298 | 8,138 | 4,003 | * 656 | 0 | 0 |
| Business receipts | 38,494 | 547,848 | 306,710 | 47,003 | 14,399 | * 1,039 | 0 | 0 |
| Business deductions | $1,2 \quad 4,968$ | 113,945 | 32,883 | 9,818 | * 7,403 | * 746 | 0 | 0 |
| Net income | 33,526 | 433,902 | 273,827 | 37,185 | 6,996 | * 293 | 0 | 0 |

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[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Real estate and rental and leasing-continued |  | Professional, scientific, and technical services |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Rental and leasing services-continued |  | Total | Legal services | Offices of certified public accountants | Other accounting services | Architectural, engineering, and related services <br> Total |
|  | General rental centers and other consumer goods rental | Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | (100) | (101) | (102) | (103) | (104) | (105) | (106) |
| businesses with and WITHOUT NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 22,082 | 17,935 | 3,218,914 | 378,111 | 45,107 | 312,490 | 255,667 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,709,253 | 2,084,166 | 172,025,851 | 41,048,470 | 4,591,731 | 8,564,857 | 15,040,113 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 1,626,813 | 1,953,285 | 168,621,684 | 40,809,897 | 4,338,722 | 8,356,847 | 14,800,924 |
| Other business income | 82,440 | 130,881 | 3,404,167 | 238,572 | 253,010 | 208,010 | 239,189 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,498,564 | 2,271,238 | 97,825,954 | 22,649,232 | 2,631,091 | 5,212,384 | 9,866,012 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 647,482 | 369,555 | 19,038,941 | 1,771,135 | 14,688 | 322,163 | 2,556,624 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 48,485 | 92,630 | 1,005,153 | 40,228 | * 10,581 | 30,979 | 59,823 |
| Cost of labor | * 98,749 | 86,416 | 2,115,370 | 123,948 | * 2,172 | 250,772 | 489,982 |
| Purchases | 261,893 | 87,743 | 7,643,043 | 111,622 | * 12,623 | 13,592 | 545,960 |
| Materials and supplies | * 40,651 | 59,602 | 3,031,001 | 45,031 | 0 | 6,576 | 862,105 |
| Other costs | 247,756 | 121,488 | 6,245,104 | 1,504,933 | 1,906 | 38,124 | 678,324 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 50,051 | 78,325 | 1,000,729 | 54,627 | * 12,594 | * 17,881 | 79,569 |
| Advertising expenses | 40,441 | 9,441 | 2,340,276 | 904,174 | 28,984 | 95,944 | 115,491 |
| Car and truck expenses | 71,726 | 48,508 | 7,750,926 | 1,143,394 | 153,515 | 578,186 | 779,367 |
| Commissions | 8,492 | 16,539 | 1,379,538 | 214,245 | * 1,567 | 171,749 | 62,198 |
| Contract labor | 20,928 | 43,464 | 4,477,462 | 733,553 | 103,165 | 205,044 | 541,485 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 164 | 15,147 | 4,273 | * 309 | * 51 | * 1,946 |
| Depreciation | 193,587 | 899,000 | 3,885,737 | 503,234 | 110,767 | 272,395 | 433,085 |
| Employee benefit programs | 2,942 | 3,607 | 615,828 | 215,376 | 52,826 | 37,070 | 95,141 |
| Insurance | 21,846 | 52,049 | 1,567,345 | 575,856 | 68,470 | 78,332 | 266,785 |
| Legal and professional services | 13,063 | 20,683 | 2,773,736 | 830,397 | 44,235 | 104,214 | 231,305 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 4,606 | 7,184 | 1,274,341 | 227,510 | 27,397 | 78,003 | 72,551 |
| Mortgage interest | 12,358 | 34,548 | 453,730 | 110,216 | 25,168 | 42,034 | 18,059 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 22,154 | 122,214 | 828,987 | 174,802 | 27,504 | 94,986 | 59,795 |
| Office expenses | 12,859 | 19,315 | 3,045,948 | 1,131,199 | 141,260 | 222,819 | 223,599 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 100 | 291 | 310,754 | 135,936 | 23,482 | 18,437 | 33,581 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 18,244 | 61,330 | 1,015,291 | 243,263 | 26,443 | 71,599 | 125,265 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 64,576 | 55,588 | 3,998,108 | 1,697,704 | 178,217 | 275,978 | 275,297 |
| Repairs | 30,302 | 90,033 | 855,697 | 180,315 | 41,439 | 68,306 | 128,919 |
| Supplies | 48,285 | 28,738 | 2,827,517 | 403,102 | 42,380 | 167,140 | 353,303 |
| Salaries and wages | 72,567 | 101,604 | 11,429,802 | 4,476,395 | 771,274 | 720,300 | 1,327,565 |
| Taxes paid | 46,427 | 36,086 | 1,800,336 | 568,055 | 83,391 | 123,635 | 215,199 |
| Travel | 12,939 | 32,205 | 3,734,892 | 397,956 | 32,260 | 120,865 | 223,297 |
| Utilities | 32,751 | 27,108 | 3,140,558 | 796,581 | 109,216 | 234,200 | 254,178 |
| Other business deductions | 85,861 | 184,869 | 15,794,243 | 4,940,306 | 469,602 | 874,878 | 1,192,865 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 12,608 | 6,866 | 2,928,192 | 223,575 | 38,273 | 171,771 | 250,497 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,398 | * 573 | 503,181 | 36,374 | 5,844 | 24,906 | 29,098 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 10,219 | * 12 | 0 | * 28 | * 788 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | * 402 | 431,428 | 19,795 | * 1,185 | 17,992 | 24,877 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 217,513 | -136,866 | 74,301,434 | 18,404,926 | 1,960,640 | 3,389,912 | 5,187,363 |
| Net income [1,2] | 364,933 | 308,361 | 80,645,299 | 19,039,652 | 2,006,263 | 3,721,592 | 5,673,583 |
| Deficit [2] | -147,419 | -445,227 | -6,343,865 | -634,726 | -45,623 | -331,680 | -486,221 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Real estate and rental and leasing-continued |  | Professional, scientific, and technical services |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Rental and leasing services-continued |  | Total | Legal services | Offices of certified public accountants | Other accounting services | Architectural, engineering, and related services <br> Total |
|  | General rental centers and other consumer goods rental | Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing |  |  |  |  |  |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | (100) | (101) | (102) | (103) | (104) | (105) | (106) |
|  | 10,621 | 7,890 | 2,381,482 | 302,390 | 35,730 | 253,952 | 194,522 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 1,517,459 | 1,279,221 | 158,908,361 | 39,527,283 | 4,456,821 | 8,097,016 | 13,609,539 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 1,444,828 | 1,219,475 | 155,770,381 | 39,303,408 | 4,205,321 | 7,921,088 | 13,373,361 |
| Other business income | * 72,631 | 59,746 | 3,137,980 | 223,875 | 251,500 | 175,928 | 236,178 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 1,152,526 | 970,576 | 78,269,442 | 20,487,671 | 2,450,558 | 4,375,424 | 7,936,065 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 621,788 | 297,034 | 15,969,886 | 1,694,356 | 12,920 | 300,335 | 2,232,052 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 28,400 | 38,930 | 579,915 | 39,879 | * 10,581 | * 21,012 | 27,848 |
| Cost of labor | * 96,886 | 84,001 | 1,753,912 | 121,580 | * 988 | 250,772 | 394,061 |
| Purchases | * 248,434 | 70,268 | 6,471,078 | 103,795 | * 12,600 | 6,056 | 430,389 |
| Materials and supplies | * 38,759 | 36,647 | 2,488,475 | 44,483 | 0 | * 3,261 | 780,395 |
| Other costs | * 241,835 | 104,142 | 5,207,377 | 1,436,567 | 1,346 | 36,712 | 638,045 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 32,526 | * 36,954 | 530,872 | 51,948 | * 12,594 | * 17,479 | 38,687 |
| Advertising expenses | 32,569 | 5,992 | 1,852,818 | 836,944 | 23,031 | 80,978 | 90,565 |
| Car and truck expenses | 41,619 | 19,312 | 5,716,314 | 951,244 | 139,838 | 415,539 | 598,614 |
| Commissions | * 130 | 8,944 | 1,155,129 | 185,349 | * 1,175 | 160,539 | 59,657 |
| Contract labor | 17,804 | 29,131 | 3,685,935 | 639,668 | 98,572 | 189,317 | 429,619 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 131 | 11,557 | 3,950 | * 309 | * 33 | * 1,376 |
| Depreciation | 88,210 | 232,802 | 2,765,074 | 450,018 | 93,054 | 226,036 | 331,523 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 2,523 | 1,940 | 530,495 | 204,614 | 51,143 | 32,870 | 84,717 |
| Insurance | 15,308 | 29,249 | 1,292,257 | 513,772 | 65,655 | 67,048 | 216,103 |
| Legal and professional services | 4,439 | 8,879 | 2,185,209 | 749,294 | 36,898 | 85,016 | 193,478 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 3,691 | 4,881 | 992,047 | 192,026 | 26,251 | 67,023 | 57,321 |
| Mortgage interest | * 5,025 | 3,259 | 289,897 | 94,746 | 25,168 | 34,145 | 11,465 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 16,633 | 49,704 | 575,019 | 150,281 | 23,943 | 67,390 | 42,872 |
| Office expenses | 5,998 | 16,670 | 2,476,657 | 1,031,867 | 130,982 | 169,396 | 172,065 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | * 100 | * 62 | 293,347 | 131,739 | 23,388 | 16,158 | 29,349 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * 14,437 | 40,944 | 762,485 | 215,822 | 25,715 | 54,088 | 70,617 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 43,513 | 36,153 | 3,279,390 | 1,573,548 | 153,908 | 228,150 | 210,257 |
| Repairs | 16,959 | 29,179 | 621,371 | 145,595 | 36,700 | 52,927 | 94,707 |
| Supplies | 31,300 | 12,482 | 2,045,463 | 339,615 | 37,075 | 122,143 | 267,695 |
| Salaries and wages | 51,132 | 40,107 | 9,765,548 | 4,135,301 | 744,848 | 657,794 | 1,078,337 |
| Taxes paid | 40,831 | 18,409 | 1,529,746 | 521,320 | 79,775 | 115,992 | 174,450 |
| Travel | 10,435 | 22,111 | 3,035,633 | 325,569 | 30,618 | 105,188 | 200,049 |
| Utilities | 22,964 | 14,810 | 2,427,114 | 700,183 | 98,618 | 195,340 | 197,253 |
| Other business deductions | 54,211 | 46,236 | 12,197,448 | 4,457,127 | 439,230 | 730,814 | 863,403 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 9,487 | * 1,906 | 2,273,253 | 197,122 | 36,485 | 139,598 | 199,902 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,398 | * 171 | 385,476 | 24,571 | 5,370 | 17,754 | 20,217 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 3,004 | * 12 | 0 | 0 | * 754 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 42,490 | * 23 | 0 | * 99 | * 4,023 |
| Net income [1,2] | 364,933 | 308,361 | 80,645,299 | 19,039,652 | 2,006,263 | 3,721,592 | 5,673,583 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | * 3,138 | 342 | 530,687 | 53,020 | 6,039 | 65,995 | 37,266 |
| Business receipts | * 17,923 | * 13,643 | 5,818,248 | 886,100 | 41,186 | 413,189 | 353,256 |
| Business deductions | * 1,420 | * 249 | 542,622 | 46,679 | 15,260 | 62,284 | 28,616 |
| Net income | * 16,502 | * 13,394 | 5,275,627 | 839,421 | 25,926 | 350,905 | 324,640 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples—money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Professional, scientific, and technical services-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Architectural, engineering, and related services-continued |  |  |  |  | Specialized design services | Computer systems design services |
|  | Architectural services | Engineering services | Drafting, building inspections, and geophysical surveying | Surveying and mapping (except geophysical) services | Testing laboratories |  |  |
|  | (107) | (108) | (109) | (110) | (111) | (112) | (113) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 99,590 | 95,894 | 42,017 | 14,353 | 3,812 | 250,692 | 240,391 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 6,863,719 | 5,508,512 | 1,617,661 | 678,569 | 371,653 | 8,897,310 | 9,992,920 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 6,797,507 | 5,340,755 | 1,614,410 | 678,397 | 369,854 | 8,722,089 | 9,847,066 |
| Other business income | 66,212 | 167,757 | * 3,251 | * 172 | * 1,798 | 175,221 | 145,854 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 5,099,323 | 3,315,879 | 710,402 | 449,109 | 291,299 | 6,731,157 | 5,968,188 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 1,506,123 | 838,446 | 64,567 | * 20,558 | * 126,929 | 3,312,622 | 1,882,465 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 39,156 | 14,864 | * 1,443 | 0 | * 4,360 | 292,412 | 78,477 |
| Cost of labor | 334,344 | 95,776 | * 52,712 | * 6,611 | * 539 | 236,300 | 243,047 |
| Purchases | 289,560 | 181,539 | * 2,020 | * 4,678 | * 68,163 | 2,021,548 | 1,020,274 |
| Materials and supplies | 621,430 | 201,213 | * 3,228 | * 4,420 | * 31,815 | 678,236 | 206,935 |
| Other costs | 267,277 | 369,239 | * 6,338 | * 4,850 | * 30,619 | 302,920 | 429,458 |
| Inventory, end of year | 45,644 | 24,185 | * 1,174 | 0 | * 8,567 | 218,793 | 95,727 |
| Advertising expenses | 54,328 | 45,027 | 9,773 | 4,185 | * 2,178 | 138,032 | 172,298 |
| Car and truck expenses | 318,663 | 253,223 | 137,645 | 62,664 | * 7,172 | 431,531 | 558,378 |
| Commissions | 24,861 | 35,334 | * 1,658 | * 326 | * 18 | 67,628 | 36,539 |
| Contract labor | 278,774 | 128,548 | 76,302 | * 54,095 | * 3,766 | 172,411 | 398,621 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 1,943 | * 3 | 0 | 0 | * 324 | * 267 |
| Depreciation | 193,772 | 164,110 | 29,821 | 34,898 | 10,484 | 239,779 | 241,828 |
| Employee benefit programs | 26,255 | 40,623 | * 17,928 | * 8,730 | * 1,605 | 11,860 | 30,676 |
| Insurance | 145,371 | 79,772 | 22,141 | 15,255 | * 4,246 | 41,203 | 50,391 |
| Legal and professional services | 148,947 | 61,440 | 10,162 | 4,409 | 6,346 | 107,282 | 114,723 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 22,821 | 36,131 | 10,403 | 2,235 | * 960 | 61,923 | 69,881 |
| Mortgage interest | 8,610 | 5,707 | * 2,259 | * 1,050 | * 433 | 8,167 | 44,799 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 25,685 | 23,016 | 3,669 | * 2,678 | * 4,747 | 55,676 | 30,563 |
| Office expenses | 99,906 | 90,635 | 18,568 | 10,491 | 3,999 | 142,186 | 125,568 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 18,239 | 14,417 | * 18 | * 875 | * 33 | * 2,777 | 10,302 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 74,298 | 39,555 | * 1,830 | * 9,520 | * 63 | 56,465 | 59,262 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 133,778 | 91,798 | 19,088 | 21,914 | 8,718 | 174,746 | 161,548 |
| Repairs | 66,184 | 41,805 | 9,380 | 5,796 | 5,754 | 40,987 | 41,090 |
| Supplies | 218,744 | 83,776 | 34,605 | 8,624 | 7,554 | 244,757 | 176,807 |
| Salaries and wages | 682,309 | 457,427 | 41,326 | 104,335 | * 42,168 | 215,548 | 440,254 |
| Taxes paid | 107,404 | 72,143 | 9,535 | 13,518 | 12,600 | 79,732 | 72,562 |
| Travel | 72,164 | 138,988 | 5,902 | * 4,166 | * 2,078 | 111,282 | 178,064 |
| Utilities | 129,381 | 73,143 | 32,512 | 12,140 | 7,001 | 159,379 | 170,495 |
| Other business deductions | 657,272 | 368,502 | 116,028 | 22,222 | 28,842 | 567,819 | 638,855 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 76,961 | 119,562 | 30,298 | 20,745 | * 2,932 | 241,024 | 228,251 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 9,716 | 11,395 | 4,037 | * 3,562 | * 388 | 30,954 | 31,771 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 23 | * 765 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 161 | * 373 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 4,743 | 11,593 | * 871 | * 6,530 | * 1,140 | 28,527 | 13,462 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 1,764,504 | 2,205,786 | 907,259 | 229,460 | 80,354 | 2,176,040 | 4,024,778 |
| Net income [1,2] | 2,009,016 | 2,378,400 | 949,800 | 250,233 | 86,134 | 2,675,052 | 4,488,596 |
| Deficit [2] | -244,512 | -172,615 | -42,541 | * -20,773 | * $-5,780$ | -499,013 | -463,818 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Professional, scientific, and technical services-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Architectural, engineering, and related services-continued |  |  |  |  | Specialized design services | Computer systems design services |
|  | Architectural services | Engineering services | Drafting, building inspections, and geophysical surveying | Surveying and mapping (except geophysical) services | Testing laboratories |  |  |
|  | (107) | (108) | (109) | (110) | (111) | (112) | (113) |
| buSinesses with net income Number of returns [1] | 71,265 | 76,339 | 32,091 | 12,552 | 2,275 | 171,345 | 178,237 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 5,868,175 | 5,191,342 | 1,530,041 | 660,178 | 359,804 | 7,640,817 | 9,287,681 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 5,803,242 | 5,025,195 | 1,526,791 | 660,128 | 358,005 | 7,515,990 | 9,140,038 |
| Other business income | 64,932 | 166,146 | * 3,251 | * 50 | * 1,798 | 124,827 | 147,643 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 3,859,267 | 2,812,941 | 580,241 | 409,945 | 273,670 | 4,965,791 | 4,799,085 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 1,215,926 | 806,025 | 63,548 | * 20,558 | * 125,993 | 2,795,378 | 1,662,768 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 13,287 | 14,128 | * 59 | 0 | * 373 | 140,779 | 29,261 |
| Cost of labor | 240,163 | 94,037 | * 52,712 | * 6,611 | * 539 | 205,535 | 240,072 |
| Purchases | 192,213 | 164,453 | * 1,383 | * 4,678 | * 67,661 | 1,693,733 | 852,806 |
| Materials and supplies | 550,674 | 190,342 | * 3,228 | * 4,420 | * 31,732 | 575,461 | 174,277 |
| Other costs | 239,362 | 356,924 | * 6,338 | * 4,850 | * 30,572 | 249,378 | 404,897 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 19,773 | 13,859 | * 172 |  | * 4,883 | 69,508 | 38,544 |
| Advertising expenses | 40,173 | 35,037 | 9,182 | 4,185 | * 1,988 | 94,383 | 137,394 |
| Car and truck expenses | 219,692 | 214,050 | 111,907 | 47,860 | * 5,103 | 278,421 | 441,568 |
| Commissions | 23,973 | 35,061 | * 278 | * 326 | * 18 | 35,209 | 34,232 |
| Contract labor | 193,489 | 105,310 | 74,708 | * 54,095 | * 2,017 | 115,291 | 307,469 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 1,373 | * 3 | 30 | 0 | * 1 | * 16 |
| Depreciation | 133,317 | 131,454 | 23,291 | 34,120 | * 9,341 | 136,218 | 166,680 |
| Employee benefit programs | 22,324 | 35,260 | * 16,799 | * 8,730 | * 1,605 | 7,739 | 23,772 |
| Insurance | 110,775 | 67,167 | 18,662 | 15,255 | * 4,244 | 31,202 | 35,835 |
| Legal and professional services | 132,335 | 41,670 | 9,011 | 4,117 | 6,344 | 64,792 | 87,871 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 15,487 | 31,749 | 8,865 | 260 | * 960 | 38,001 | 56,152 |
| Mortgage interest | 5,730 | 2,715 | * 1,970 | * 1,050 | 0 | 3,084 | * 10,685 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 16,934 | 14,965 | * 3,547 | * 2,678 | * 4,747 | 25,443 | 24,510 |
| Office expenses | 73,775 | 71,360 | 12,583 | 10,350 | * 3,997 | 100,063 | 81,252 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 15,347 | 13,077 | * 18 | * 875 | * 33 | * 2,610 | 9,939 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 29,473 | 29,732 | * 1,830 | * 9,520 | * 62 | 24,261 | 46,343 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 103,136 | 67,844 | 19,088 | * 14,193 | * 5,996 | 99,622 | 129,129 |
| Repairs | 48,254 | 28,746 | 6,982 | 5,118 | * 5,607 | 18,531 | 21,708 |
| Supplies | 162,743 | 64,034 | 27,587 | 8,574 | * 4,758 | 118,068 | 123,334 |
| Salaries and wages | 530,726 | 367,800 | * 33,308 | 104,335 | * 42,168 | 165,084 | 333,263 |
| Taxes paid | 78,424 | 62,525 | 7,531 | 13,465 | 12,505 | 64,383 | 60,251 |
| Travel | 60,913 | 128,692 | 4,452 | * 4,166 | * 1,827 | 82,759 | 138,677 |
| Utilities | 96,130 | 57,951 | 25,602 | 12,018 | 5,553 | 100,418 | 124,495 |
| Other business deductions | 465,901 | 285,140 | 65,990 | 19,247 | 27,124 | 338,531 | 505,988 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 55,814 | 103,393 | 28,518 | * 11,172 | * 1,006 | 181,143 | 202,053 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 8,527 | 6,881 | 3,627 | * 1,181 | 0 | 20,375 | 22,335 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 9 | * 744 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 161 | * 373 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | * 3,562 | * 460 | 0 | 0 | * 1,196 | * 603 |
| Net income [1,2] | 2,009,016 | 2,378,400 | 949,800 | 250,233 | 86,134 | 2,675,052 | 4,488,596 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | 9,064 | 21,273 | * 2,583 | * 3,406 | * 941 | 48,202 | 41,632 |
| Business receipts | 71,810 | 199,113 | * 56,170 | * 16,755 | * 9,408 | 304,851 | 419,066 |
| Business deductions | 8,475 | 10,810 | * 4,982 | * 3,677 | * 673 | 46,016 | 33,700 |
| Net income | 63,334 | 188,303 | * 51,188 | * 13,079 | * 8,736 | 258,835 | 385,365 |

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[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Professional, scientific, and technical services-continued |  |  |  |  |  | Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Other professional, scientific, and technical services |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Management, scientific, and technical consulting services | Scientific research and development services | Advertising and related services | Market research and public opinion polling | Other miscellaneous services |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total |
|  | (114) | (115) | (116) | (117) | (118) | (119) | (120) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 1,736,456 | 950,327 | 32,799 | 120,600 | 29,687 | 603,043 | 2,302,805 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 83,890,449 | 47,388,860 | 1,179,505 | 7,650,421 | 979,162 | 26,692,501 | 61,449,597 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 81,746,138 | 45,568,532 | 1,173,454 | 7,578,204 | 976,935 | 26,449,013 | 60,240,329 |
| Other business income | 2,144,311 | 1,820,328 | 6,051 | 72,217 | * 2,227 | 243,488 | 1,209,268 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 44,767,890 | 20,771,451 | 721,909 | 5,715,806 | 569,069 | 16,989,654 | 44,496,736 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 9,179,244 | 2,621,590 | 123,534 | 2,405,962 | 160,948 | 3,867,210 | 11,135,157 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 492,653 | 172,888 | * 3,000 | 40,222 | * 3,660 | 272,884 | 504,532 |
| Cost of labor | 769,149 | 299,926 | * 17,045 | 100,381 | 0 | 351,798 | 2,361,402 |
| Purchases | 3,917,423 | 875,877 | * 44,574 | 1,105,157 | * 4,064 | 1,887,752 | 3,891,855 |
| Materials and supplies | 1,232,117 | 413,111 | * 25,455 | 308,922 | * 39,341 | 445,287 | 2,631,083 |
| Other costs | 3,289,438 | 1,055,432 | 33,461 | 914,495 | * 118,785 | 1,167,266 | 2,215,355 |
| Inventory, end of year | 521,538 | 195,644 | 0 | 63,215 | * 4,902 | 257,777 | 469,070 |
| Advertising expenses | 885,354 | 315,660 | 7,544 | 219,727 | 17,516 | 324,908 | 721,165 |
| Car and truck expenses | 4,106,555 | 2,264,755 | 54,000 | 326,042 | 23,737 | 1,438,021 | 6,241,581 |
| Commissions | 825,612 | 445,565 | * 8,874 | 161,806 | * 2,534 | 206,833 | 406,899 |
| Contract labor | 2,323,183 | 1,440,947 | 19,569 | 218,359 | 16,225 | 628,082 | 2,544,775 |
| Depletion | 7,977 | 5,533 | * 7 | * 46 | 0 | 2,392 | 7,736 |
| Depreciation | 2,084,650 | 933,170 | 39,770 | 160,448 | 9,893 | 941,368 | 2,553,068 |
| Employee benefit programs | 172,878 | 62,066 | 6,827 | 8,305 | * 8,934 | 86,746 | 114,861 |
| Insurance | 486,307 | 208,831 | 5,469 | 34,850 | 4,647 | 232,510 | 1,066,445 |
| Legal and professional services | 1,341,580 | 890,176 | 27,217 | 94,769 | 11,193 | 318,225 | 527,442 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 737,075 | 479,957 | 12,870 | 55,495 | 7,778 | 180,976 | 321,615 |
| Mortgage interest | 205,288 | 112,004 | * 2,556 | 8,809 | * 5,742 | 76,177 | 160,816 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 385,660 | 176,045 | 9,763 | 77,640 | * 3,525 | 118,687 | 319,563 |
| Office expenses | 1,059,317 | 582,620 | 19,281 | 58,933 | 13,427 | 385,056 | 718,445 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 86,238 | 41,727 | * 2,747 | 1,285 | * 5,607 | 34,872 | 31,850 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 432,993 | 232,025 | 2,392 | 31,775 | * 14,343 | 152,458 | 415,531 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 1,234,619 | 556,595 | 23,896 | 94,710 | 10,861 | 548,557 | 824,253 |
| Repairs | 354,642 | 145,444 | 6,479 | 31,455 | 3,228 | 168,036 | 892,368 |
| Supplies | 1,440,028 | 593,628 | 13,413 | 122,640 | 9,527 | 700,819 | 2,045,424 |
| Salaries and wages | 3,478,466 | 1,223,117 | 89,157 | 216,721 | 70,237 | 1,879,235 | 4,375,635 |
| Taxes paid | 657,761 | 239,920 | 11,245 | 51,661 | 13,043 | 341,892 | 774,844 |
| Travel | 2,671,169 | 1,860,585 | 36,209 | 143,674 | 21,339 | 609,361 | 599,352 |
| Utilities | 1,416,509 | 733,129 | 17,554 | 129,353 | 20,406 | 516,066 | 1,054,412 |
| Other business deductions | 7,109,917 | 3,399,601 | 140,054 | 844,344 | 111,165 | 2,614,752 | 5,378,369 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 1,774,802 | 1,031,443 | 34,623 | 202,284 | * 2,940 | 503,511 | 750,653 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 344,234 | 149,705 | 4,436 | 19,521 | * 427 | 170,146 | 81,139 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 8,857 | 2,142 | 0 | * 776 | 0 | * 5,939 | * 3,935 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 325,591 | 235,004 | * 2,266 | 16,456 | * 15 | 71,849 | 43,523 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 39,157,776 | 26,632,700 | 461,188 | 1,936,608 | 410,210 | 9,717,070 | 16,957,186 |
| Net income [1,2] | 43,040,561 | 28,759,033 | 601,569 | 2,203,234 | 457,006 | 11,019,719 | 20,352,614 |
| Deficit [2] | -3,882,785 | -2,126,333 | -140,381 | -266,626 | -46,796 | -1,302,649 | -3,395,429 |

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| Net income status, item | Professional, scientific, and technical services-continued |  |  |  |  |  | Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Other professional, scientific, and technical services |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Management, scientific, and technical consulting services | Scientific research and development services | Advertising and related services | Market research and public opinion polling | Other miscellaneous services |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | (114) | (115) | (116) | (117) | (118) | (119) | (120) |
|  | 1,245,306 | 680,319 | 23,233 | 90,630 | 18,612 | 432,511 | 1,834,717 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 76,289,203 | 43,593,208 | 1,006,501 | 6,977,588 | 946,689 | 23,765,218 | 53,790,774 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 74,311,174 | 42,101,477 | 1,001,280 | 6,908,622 | 944,565 | 23,355,230 | 52,752,327 |
| Other business income | 1,978,029 | 1,491,731 | 5,221 | 68,966 | * 2,124 | 409,988 | 1,038,447 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 33,254,849 | 14,838,201 | 404,932 | 4,776,109 | 489,683 | 12,745,924 | 33,432,549 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 7,272,076 | 1,940,854 | 76,734 | 2,110,486 | * 159,295 | 2,984,707 | 8,986,291 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 310,556 | 93,642 | 0 | 38,285 | * 852 | 177,776 | 327,554 |
| Cost of labor | 540,903 | 279,190 | * 17,045 | 26,121 | 0 | 218,547 | 1,881,249 |
| Purchases | 3,371,700 | 620,432 | * 30,697 | 1,071,231 | * 1,767 | 1,647,573 | 3,150,317 |
| Materials and supplies | 910,597 | 293,893 | * 12,881 | 213,886 | * 38,660 | 351,278 | 2,232,643 |
| Other costs | 2,440,432 | 755,195 | 16,112 | 800,779 | * 118,785 | 749,561 | 1,684,925 |
| Inventory, end of year | 302,112 | 101,499 | 0 | 39,816 | * 769 | 160,028 | 290,396 |
| Advertising expenses | 589,522 | 186,225 | 3,785 | 166,705 | 12,706 | 220,101 | 500,675 |
| Car and truck expenses | 2,891,091 | 1,509,166 | 25,515 | 241,620 | 7,806 | 1,106,985 | 4,558,127 |
| Commissions | 678,967 | 349,413 | * 4,303 | 159,217 | * 2,021 | 164,013 | 325,425 |
| Contract labor | 1,905,999 | 1,176,898 | 3,937 | 203,039 | * 7,692 | 514,433 | 2,100,493 |
| Depletion | 5,873 | 3,938 | * 7 | * 46 | 0 | 1,883 | 2,832 |
| Depreciation | 1,361,546 | 632,355 | 30,203 | 127,411 | 5,095 | 566,481 | 1,677,715 |
| Employee benefit programs | 125,640 | 32,492 | * 4,496 | 7,180 | * 8,934 | 72,538 | 81,556 |
| Insurance | 362,641 | 152,352 | 2,968 | 26,735 | 4,575 | 176,011 | 790,307 |
| Legal and professional services | 967,860 | 612,587 | 14,493 | 83,293 | 10,332 | 247,156 | 321,579 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 555,272 | 368,189 | 7,455 | 38,681 | 7,138 | 133,809 | 232,870 |
| Mortgage interest | 110,602 | 47,819 | * 160 | 8,017 | * 5,742 | 48,865 | 97,072 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 240,581 | 75,223 | * 708 | 72,276 | * 447 | 91,926 | 214,905 |
| Office expenses | 791,031 | 422,175 | 15,046 | 46,956 | 11,743 | 295,111 | 521,181 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 80,163 | 38,306 | * 2,401 | 1,268 | * 5,607 | 32,581 | 21,083 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 325,639 | 160,814 | * 2,192 | 25,659 | * 14,211 | 122,763 | 275,198 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 884,775 | 364,110 | 13,535 | 88,272 | 10,448 | 408,410 | 594,383 |
| Repairs | 251,202 | 102,702 | 3,538 | 18,264 | 2,470 | 124,228 | 605,564 |
| Supplies | 1,037,532 | 426,371 | 8,654 | 65,980 | 6,667 | 529,861 | 1,474,616 |
| Salaries and wages | 2,650,922 | 791,990 | 39,023 | 193,446 | 68,084 | 1,558,379 | 3,429,525 |
| Taxes paid | 513,575 | 173,264 | 6,087 | 47,590 | 12,273 | 274,361 | 595,785 |
| Travel | 2,152,772 | 1,516,346 | 23,156 | 102,084 | 19,372 | 491,815 | 421,212 |
| Utilities | 1,010,808 | 521,411 | 9,662 | 95,676 | 15,125 | 368,934 | 745,973 |
| Other business deductions | 4,862,355 | 2,254,875 | 81,363 | 673,374 | 88,816 | 1,763,927 | 3,780,714 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 1,316,950 | 803,606 | 18,657 | 158,121 | * 2,809 | 333,757 | 565,895 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 274,854 | 113,458 | 3,072 | 13,385 | * 427 | 144,512 | 50,064 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,705 | * 455 | 0 | * 776 | 0 | * 475 | * 3,935 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 36,547 | 29,443 | 0 | * 109 | * 15 | 6,979 | 6,470 |
| Net income [1,2] | 43,040,561 | 28,759,033 | 601,569 | 2,203,234 | 457,006 | 11,019,719 | 20,352,614 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 278,533 | 136,396 | 5,835 | 20,500 | 8,162 | $107,641$ | 668,444 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts | 3,400,601 | 2,116,518 | 126,894 | 88,986 | 45,883 | 1,022,321 | 4,649,469 |
| Business deductions | 310,066 | 175,317 | 6,856 | 14,714 | * 275 | 112,905 | 514,475 |
| Net income | 3,090,535 | 1,941,201 | 120,038 | 74,272 | 45,608 | 909,416 | 4,134,994 |

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[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Administrative and support and waste management and remediation servicescontinued |  | Educational services <br> Total | Health care and social assistance |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Ambulatory health care services |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | Offices of physicians (except mental health specialists) | Offices of physicians, mental health specialists | Offices of dentists |
|  | Administrative and support services | Waste management and remediation services |  |  |  |  |
|  | (121) | (122) | (123) | (124) | (125) | (126) | (127) | (128) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 2,277,252 | 25,554 | 620,222 | 1,998,278 | 990,181 | 183,723 | 27,713 | 85,583 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 59,416,628 | 2,032,969 | 9,697,644 | 118,634,052 | 97,029,582 | 33,527,006 | 2,571,012 | 29,628,238 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 58,235,514 | 2,004,814 | 8,560,972 | 117,021,589 | 95,907,569 | 32,909,325 | 2,464,500 | 29,529,858 |
| Other business income | 1,181,113 | 28,155 | 1,136,672 | 1,612,463 | 1,122,012 | 617,680 | 106,512 | 98,380 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 42,627,737 | 1,868,999 | 6,688,778 | 71,139,612 | 56,567,877 | 17,046,994 | 1,152,042 | 19,557,300 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 10,762,790 | 372,367 | 1,513,536 | 5,640,614 | 5,026,631 | 1,045,507 | 14,651 | 2,017,011 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 464,001 | * 40,531 | 158,434 | 344,839 | 298,066 | 43,456 | * 4,815 | 35,574 |
| Cost of labor | 2,336,532 | * 24,870 | 83,103 | 1,037,281 | 890,086 | 94,506 | * 843 | 419,575 |
| Purchases | 3,745,817 | 146,038 | 222,765 | 1,501,221 | 1,381,533 | 223,282 | * 4,511 | 157,410 |
| Materials and supplies | 2,576,308 | * 54,774 | 75,492 | 1,133,455 | 1,050,836 | 335,292 | * 1,272 | 456,041 |
| Other costs | 2,083,853 | 131,502 | 1,125,283 | 1,998,606 | 1,720,487 | 411,516 | * 8,385 | 986,857 |
| Inventory, end of year | 443,722 | * 25,348 | 151,541 | 374,788 | 314,377 | 62,545 | * 5,175 | 38,446 |
| Advertising expenses | 696,874 | 24,291 | 148,459 | 1,133,160 | 1,031,886 | 221,827 | 10,842 | 339,929 |
| Car and truck expenses | 6,085,460 | 156,121 | 743,999 | 3,546,588 | 2,266,825 | 404,697 | 68,038 | 207,011 |
| Commissions | 390,974 | * 15,926 | 57,724 | 335,777 | 253,674 | 73,788 | * 6,028 | 74,280 |
| Contract labor | 2,480,823 | 63,953 | 234,601 | 2,061,074 | 1,642,530 | 587,028 | 22,177 | 356,711 |
| Depletion | 5,002 | * 2,735 | * 221 | 10,030 | 8,388 | 6,961 | * 1 | * 11 |
| Depreciation | 2,321,847 | 231,221 | 269,873 | 2,844,530 | 2,289,977 | 588,986 | 53,183 | 914,217 |
| Employee benefit programs | 104,160 | 10,701 | 4,852 | 612,725 | 526,357 | 200,129 | 5,228 | 201,997 |
| Insurance | 1,000,554 | 65,890 | 68,588 | 2,427,218 | 2,157,423 | 1,122,507 | 76,121 | 453,783 |
| Legal and professional services | 513,604 | 13,838 | 96,852 | 1,419,808 | 1,222,999 | 439,048 | 31,905 | 275,901 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 314,036 | 7,579 | 86,221 | 551,659 | 311,938 | 90,260 | 12,969 | 64,187 |
| Mortgage interest | 150,195 | 10,621 | 48,808 | 627,668 | 332,030 | 84,800 | * 10,209 | 113,742 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 290,054 | 29,508 | 35,880 | 612,486 | 512,727 | 102,611 | 6,046 | 276,768 |
| Office expenses | 697,096 | 21,349 | 138,950 | 1,890,216 | 1,637,849 | 508,796 | 48,861 | 500,957 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 31,108 | * 742 | 16,097 | 454,326 | 447,032 | 192,400 | 16,874 | 190,837 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 392,714 | 22,818 | 60,162 | 551,649 | 463,933 | 171,398 | 25,542 | 92,432 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 806,043 | 18,209 | 538,731 | 5,158,149 | 4,494,934 | 1,281,486 | 136,806 | 1,205,410 |
| Repairs | 817,174 | 75,194 | 59,359 | 983,825 | 701,205 | 175,432 | 20,470 | 282,798 |
| Supplies | 1,977,558 | 67,866 | 346,770 | 4,372,610 | 3,398,405 | 1,018,414 | 39,597 | 1,500,796 |
| Salaries and wages | 4,166,108 | 209,528 | 421,318 | 16,172,068 | 13,745,204 | 4,104,376 | 151,492 | 6,221,357 |
| Taxes paid | 734,745 | 40,098 | 75,550 | 2,240,332 | 1,882,144 | 569,769 | 32,495 | 776,473 |
| Travel | 589,642 | 9,710 | 206,668 | 776,305 | 664,502 | 221,277 | 41,044 | 92,664 |
| Utilities | 1,021,780 | 32,631 | 251,962 | 2,278,843 | 1,626,942 | 398,198 | 47,580 | 485,339 |
| Other business deductions | 5,021,454 | 356,915 | 888,366 | 12,059,627 | 9,306,595 | 3,338,219 | 230,642 | 2,865,605 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 742,209 | 8,444 | 239,885 | 1,989,809 | 428,858 | 73,079 | 42,895 | 37,175 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 80,816 | * 322 | 28,357 | 191,105 | 49,425 | 14,900 | 2,959 | 3,035 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 3,935 | 0 | * 22,958 | * 5,242 | * 3,630 | 0 | * 3,613 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 43,506 | * 17 | 60,671 | 123,459 | 26,929 | 15,626 | * 1,009 | * 649 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 16,792,128 | 165,058 | 3,031,251 | 47,539,320 | 40,488,113 | 16,483,353 | 1,418,970 | 10,071,816 |
| Net income [1,2] | 20,072,775 | 279,839 | 3,800,109 | 49,855,675 | 41,846,050 | 16,770,471 | 1,436,878 | 10,223,917 |
| Deficit [2] | -3,280,647 | -114,781 | -768,857 | -2,316,355 | -1,357,937 | -287,118 | -17,909 | -152,101 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Administrative and support and waste management and remediation servicescontinued |  | Educational services | Health care and social assistance |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Ambulatory health care services |
|  |  |  | Total | Cotal ${ }^{\text {A }}$ | Offices of physicians (except mental health specialists) | Offices of physicians, mental health specialists | Officesofdentists |
|  | Administrative and support services | Waste management and remediation services |  |  |  |  |  | Total |
| BUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | (121) | (122) | (123)490,245 | (124) | (125) | (126) | (127) | (128) |
|  | 1,814,685 | 20,032 |  | 1,655,574 | 811,894 | 153,658 | 24,199 | 74,801 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 52,159,878 | 1,630,896 | 7,276,547 | 110,275,817 | 92,064,135 | 32,124,499 | 2,497,861 | 28,711,069 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 51,149,251 | 1,603,077 | 7,170,563 | 108,799,813 | 91,027,870 | 31,535,968 | 2,410,031 | 28,617,492 |
| Other business income | 1,010,627 | 27,819 | 105,983 | 1,476,004 | 1,036,265 | 588,531 | 87,831 | 93,577 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 32,081,492 | 1,351,057 | 3,477,306 | 60,436,771 | 50,225,415 | 15,354,107 | 1,060,983 | 18,487,282 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 8,691,576 | 294,714 | 333,033 | 4,852,872 | 4,459,537 | 998,825 | * 14,387 | 1,883,475 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 315,210 | * 12,344 | 67,368 | 227,476 | 210,081 | 33,271 | * 4,413 | 31,664 |
| Cost of labor | 1,865,145 | * 16,104 | * 67,302 | 769,549 | 644,014 | 94,506 | * 843 | 347,711 |
| Purchases | 3,023,536 | 126,781 | 123,084 | 1,299,485 | 1,224,101 | 198,654 | * 4,507 | 150,112 |
| Materials and supplies | 2,187,447 | * 45,196 | 45,856 | 1,056,521 | 1,001,033 | 329,731 | * 1,272 | 450,264 |
| Other costs | 1,580,239 | 104,686 | 97,110 | 1,739,577 | 1,603,261 | 380,383 | * 8,123 | 936,509 |
| Inventory, end of year | 280,000 | * 10,396 | 67,687 | 239,737 | 222,953 | 37,719 | * 4,771 | 32,785 |
| Advertising expenses | 483,461 | 17,214 | 88,962 | 989,693 | 919,976 | 191,702 | 10,701 | 319,404 |
| Car and truck expenses | 4,451,716 | 106,411 | 463,154 | 2,654,585 | 1,800,920 | 363,566 | 60,583 | 179,108 |
| Commissions | 309,538 | * 15,887 | 36,195 | 263,152 | 186,843 | 69,956 | * 6,027 | 32,090 |
| Contract labor | 2,071,905 | 28,589 | 202,696 | 1,645,402 | 1,358,162 | 467,217 | 22,148 | 321,308 |
| Depletion | 2,822 | * 10 | * 213 | 7,957 | 6,314 | 6,183 | * 1 | * 11 |
| Depreciation | 1,517,153 | 160,562 | 120,640 | 2,254,206 | 1,900,917 | 515,316 | 47,626 | 806,311 |
| Employee benefit programs | 74,521 | 7,035 | * 1,009 | 551,581 | 503,314 | 192,823 | 5,228 | 199,314 |
| Insurance | 747,497 | 42,810 | 44,814 | 2,190,788 | 2,004,234 | 1,073,069 | 68,462 | 435,717 |
| Legal and professional services | 314,743 | 6,836 | 48,164 | 1,217,275 | 1,091,101 | 381,344 | 28,189 | 258,412 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 226,601 | 6,269 | 57,727 | 452,729 | 276,517 | 83,510 | 12,067 | 61,981 |
| Mortgage interest | 87,844 | 9,228 | 16,010 | 433,384 | 283,353 | 76,980 | * 10,054 | 107,771 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 198,000 | 16,905 | 9,445 | 474,896 | 427,313 | 91,871 | 5,917 | 233,253 |
| Office expenses | 502,941 | 18,240 | 86,956 | 1,708,932 | 1,520,634 | 482,318 | 47,188 | 486,597 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 20,605 | * 478 | * 6,380 | 447,793 | 442,994 | 190,148 | 16,874 | 190,124 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 260,514 | 14,684 | 37,297 | 439,759 | 395,035 | 154,931 | 23,525 | 69,230 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 579,350 | 15,033 | 350,363 | 4,493,294 | 4,009,387 | 1,204,200 | 134,519 | 1,127,368 |
| Repairs | 546,868 | 58,696 | 35,241 | 821,455 | 638,642 | 163,005 | 18,583 | 270,839 |
| Supplies | 1,438,781 | 35,835 | 190,828 | 3,838,122 | 3,132,800 | 964,544 | 37,702 | 1,441,584 |
| Salaries and wages | 3,295,030 | 134,495 | 198,681 | 14,620,308 | 12,917,490 | 3,858,082 | 145,375 | 6,093,840 |
| Taxes paid | 569,305 | 26,480 | 50,044 | 1,986,928 | 1,755,741 | 540,012 | 29,611 | 758,899 |
| Travel | 416,141 | 5,071 | 131,073 | 656,497 | 565,641 | 191,941 | 39,185 | 87,671 |
| Utilities | 723,177 | 22,796 | 153,618 | 1,881,342 | 1,452,766 | 370,124 | 41,768 | 463,665 |
| Other business deductions | 3,478,254 | 302,459 | 526,740 | 9,633,034 | 7,645,654 | 2,632,440 | 195,539 | 2,620,022 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 562,316 | 3,579 | 154,701 | 1,541,364 | 346,414 | 65,434 | 39,379 | 29,381 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 49,752 | * 312 | 15,599 | 141,266 | 39,166 | 10,137 | 2,722 | 2,719 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 3,935 | 0 | * 419 | * 4,540 | * 3,613 | 0 | * 3,613 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 6,470 | 0 | * 5,666 | 10,906 | 5,306 | 3,343 | * 733 | * 112 |
| Net income [1,2] | 20,072,775 | 279,839 | 3,800,109 | 49,855,675 | 41,846,050 | 16,770,471 | 1,436,878 | 10,223,917 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 665,482 | * 2,963 | 202,473 | 505,224 | 185,659 | 27,446 | * 855 | 10,466 |
| Business receipts | 4,632,287 | * 17,182 | 889,093 | 4,170,707 | 1,908,159 | 617,199 | * 30,658 | 62,131 |
| Business deductions | 513,734 | * 741 | 135,348 | 388,515 | 186,889 | 26,002 | * 344 | 9,909 |
| Net income | 4,118,553 | * 16,441 | 753,745 | 3,782,192 | 1,721,270 | 591,198 | * 30,315 | 52,222 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Health care and social assistance-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ambulatory health care services-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\qquad$ | Offices of optometrists | Offices of mental health practitioners and social therapists | Offices <br> of podiatrists | Outpatient care centers and other miscellaneous health practitioners | Medical and diagnostic laboratories | Home health care services | Other ambulatory health care services (including ambulance services, blood, organ banks) |
| $(129)$ $(130)$ $(131)$ $(132)$ $(133)$ $(134)$ $(135)$ (136) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND <br> WITHOUT NET INCOME       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 4,670,025 | 3,308,192 | 9,222,844 | 1,614,761 | 5,473,489 | 1,405,247 | 4,514,655 | 1,094,113 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 4,524,227 | 3,295,109 | 9,194,920 | 1,605,057 | 5,410,017 | 1,404,276 | 4,481,643 | 1,088,637 |
| Other business income | 145,798 | 13,083 | 27,924 | * 9,704 | 63,473 | * 971 | 33,011 | 5,476 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 2,960,931 | 2,471,409 | 4,521,621 | 1,065,506 | 3,149,837 | 994,166 | 2,785,326 | 862,744 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 101,057 | 662,598 | 227,613 | 37,524 | 274,793 | 184,210 | 254,710 | 206,958 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 6,580 | 89,755 | * 31,239 | * 20,330 | 41,152 | * 4,978 | * 5,598 | 14,589 |
| Cost of labor | * 2,026 | * 180 | 71,003 | * 2,427 | * 25,834 | * 94,523 | * 172,409 | * 6,760 |
| Purchases | 51,815 | 490,696 | 89,015 | * 1,683 | 121,446 | 50,394 | 19,302 | 171,978 |
| Materials and supplies | 23,812 | 93,191 | 29,846 | 22,373 | 35,885 | * 25,028 | 18,318 | * 9,778 |
| Other costs | 21,816 | 71,927 | 40,100 | * 10,806 | 92,056 | * 16,137 | 42,379 | * 18,509 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 4,992 | 83,152 | * 33,590 | * 20,095 | 41,580 | * 6,850 | 3,296 | 14,656 |
| Advertising expenses | 152,111 | 46,019 | 60,121 | 25,134 | 127,462 | 11,727 | 22,899 | 13,815 |
| Car and truck expenses | 74,846 | 44,383 | 440,402 | 32,510 | 292,317 | 57,579 | 574,766 | 70,274 |
| Commissions | * 2,576 | * 2,324 | 16,743 | * 2,341 | 47,421 | * 1,248 | 25,185 | * 1,740 |
| Contract labor | 73,748 | 41,627 | 224,527 | 21,127 | 68,394 | 12,980 | 189,416 | 44,796 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 3 | 0 | 0 | * 1 | 0 | * 1,410 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 137,142 | 117,195 | 160,442 | 44,154 | 129,079 | 48,379 | 72,571 | 24,628 |
| Employee benefit programs | 17,298 | 26,608 | 21,553 | 10,974 | 16,776 | 6,488 | 14,533 | 4,773 |
| Insurance | 92,308 | 41,961 | 117,471 | 65,690 | 92,608 | 24,455 | 48,752 | 21,767 |
| Legal and professional services | 58,907 | 35,738 | 204,907 | 24,221 | 82,026 | 32,698 | 29,168 | 8,480 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 13,704 | 5,907 | 44,945 | 7,074 | 31,375 | 3,620 | 30,932 | 6,965 |
| Mortgage interest | 32,875 | 8,206 | 29,620 | * 4,797 | 24,331 | 3,966 | 15,207 | * 4,275 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 29,590 | 23,323 | 17,967 | 12,082 | 21,807 | 7,821 | 11,471 | 3,241 |
| Office expenses | 131,634 | 57,812 | 149,735 | 44,108 | 115,649 | 16,284 | 51,931 | 12,081 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 7,305 | 9,658 | 8,573 | 4,175 | 12,369 | 2,120 | 1,775 | 946 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 44,454 | 18,068 | 29,242 | 6,835 | 40,043 | 7,129 | 24,320 | 4,469 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 406,620 | 232,412 | 622,391 | 199,555 | 241,679 | 68,238 | 74,180 | 26,156 |
| Repairs | 44,092 | 28,686 | 50,047 | 17,295 | 34,906 | 15,373 | 27,747 | 4,360 |
| Supplies | 194,305 | 66,392 | 147,651 | 60,476 | 163,029 | 54,492 | 131,158 | 22,096 |
| Salaries and wages | 604,396 | 560,782 | 600,916 | 232,450 | 334,380 | 190,262 | 577,280 | 167,512 |
| Taxes paid | 105,769 | 75,747 | 102,607 | 28,209 | 61,958 | 49,290 | 58,960 | 20,868 |
| Travel | 32,170 | 12,851 | 84,824 | 16,347 | 72,631 | 12,945 | 57,808 | 19,940 |
| Utilities | 142,068 | 58,486 | 193,063 | 36,995 | 128,521 | 32,401 | 87,717 | 16,576 |
| Other business deductions | 449,294 | 293,003 | 809,406 | 130,421 | 612,128 | 130,753 | 301,776 | 145,347 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 11,511 | * 784 | 125,784 | * 1,010 | 74,965 | 18,218 | 37,103 | * 6,333 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,924 | * 121 | 14,501 | * 116 | 6,223 | * 1,487 | 4,141 | * 17 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 17 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 347 | * 370 | 2,532 | 0 | * 2,915 | * 1,476 | * 2,003 | * 2 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 1,709,094 | 836,782 | 4,712,889 | 549,256 | 2,331,371 | 411,343 | 1,729,329 | 233,911 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,748,283 | 887,699 | 4,849,572 | 584,136 | 2,597,497 | 451,393 | 2,012,025 | 284,178 |
| Deficit [2] | -39,190 | -50,917 | -136,682 | *-34,880 | -266,127 | -40,050 | -282,697 | -50,267 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Health care and social assistance-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ambulatory health care services-continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Offices of chiropractors | $\begin{gathered} \text { Offices } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { optometrists } \end{gathered}$ | Offices of mental health practitioners and social therapists | $\begin{gathered} \text { Offices } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { podiatrists } \end{gathered}$ | Outpatient care centers and other miscellaneous health practitioners | Medical and diagnostic laboratories | Home health care services | Other ambulatory health care services (including ambulance services, blood, organ banks) |
| bUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | (129) | (130) | (131) | (132) | (133) | (134) | (135) | (136) |
|  | 31,671 | 14,998 | 146,024 | 6,547 | 126,539 | 26,246 | 187,757 | 19,454 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 4,486,293 | 3,051,562 | 8,722,252 | 1,526,364 | 5,051,200 | 1,206,377 | 3,829,796 | 856,862 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 4,344,991 | 3,044,152 | 8,700,347 | 1,517,372 | 5,009,104 | 1,205,556 | 3,791,309 | 851,549 |
| Other business income | 141,301 | 7,410 | 21,905 | * 8,992 | 42,096 | * 822 | 38,487 | 5,313 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 2,738,009 | 2,163,863 | 3,872,682 | 942,228 | 2,459,779 | 755,246 | 1,817,770 | 573,465 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 95,031 | 626,409 | 155,137 | 37,451 | 261,405 | 170,846 | 115,295 | 101,276 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | * 6,580 | 64,353 | * 14,573 | * 20,330 | 25,966 | * 2,866 | * 956 | * 5,109 |
| Cost of labor | * 2,026 | * 180 | * 22,120 | * 2,427 | * 25,476 | * 94,005 | * 48,808 | * 5,912 |
| Purchases | 51,709 | 476,866 | 88,357 | * 1,683 | 118,997 | * 46,291 | * 15,068 | 71,858 |
| Materials and supplies | 18,269 | 80,968 | 25,000 | * 22,300 | 34,263 | * 20,009 | * 9,181 | * 9,778 |
| Other costs | 21,440 | 71,927 | 20,399 | * 10,806 | 83,766 | * 13,129 | * 42,296 | * 14,484 |
| Inventory, end of year | * 4,992 | 67,886 | * 15,312 | * 20,095 | 27,063 | * 5,454 | * 1,013 | * 5,864 |
| Advertising expenses | 144,393 | 39,817 | 53,857 | 22,728 | 104,016 | 9,888 | 13,340 | 10,130 |
| Car and truck expenses | 61,452 | 40,469 | 375,234 | 30,066 | 224,278 | 41,028 | 388,057 | 37,078 |
| Commissions | * 2,575 | * 2,324 | 15,487 | * 4 | 44,532 | * 1 | 12,271 | * 1,576 |
| Contract labor | 56,029 | 31,117 | 221,120 | 19,979 | 56,629 | 11,081 | 106,943 | 44,591 |
| Depletion | 0 | * 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 115 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 105,125 | 85,881 | 133,241 | 36,695 | 87,330 | 24,014 | 44,873 | 14,506 |
| Employee benefit programs | 17,235 | 22,955 | 18,595 | 10,223 | 15,254 | 5,301 | 11,991 | 4,396 |
| Insurance | 85,859 | 35,937 | 105,761 | 62,437 | 68,393 | 20,866 | 29,973 | 17,762 |
| Legal and professional services | 56,381 | 31,589 | 190,794 | 23,727 | 63,573 | 31,065 | 20,083 | 5,945 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 11,737 | 5,460 | 40,750 | 6,426 | 24,462 | 2,639 | 22,191 | 5,294 |
| Mortgage interest | 31,849 | 7,807 | 10,901 | * 4,797 | * 18,794 | 1,909 | * 8,596 | * 3,895 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 28,305 | 16,196 | 15,254 | 12,082 | 12,670 | 3,461 | 5,222 | * 3,081 |
| Office expenses | 120,626 | 52,274 | 139,916 | 43,237 | 92,901 | 11,263 | 33,984 | 10,330 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 7,305 | 9,647 | 8,424 | 4,175 | 11,542 | 2,118 | * 1,702 | 935 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 43,400 | 15,776 | 25,863 | 5,060 | 29,638 | 5,284 | 18,201 | * 4,127 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 369,117 | 205,915 | 545,825 | 136,952 | 179,748 | 53,333 | 35,900 | 16,511 |
| Repairs | 39,593 | 24,219 | 45,752 | 17,079 | 27,190 | 13,905 | 14,988 | 3,490 |
| Supplies | 184,204 | 45,044 | 134,048 | 51,420 | 132,660 | 40,708 | 83,835 | 17,051 |
| Salaries and wages | 589,512 | 511,937 | 530,295 | 218,964 | 265,636 | 146,589 | 419,247 | 138,014 |
| Taxes paid | 97,277 | 70,169 | 92,029 | 26,858 | 50,018 | 32,834 | 41,726 | 16,310 |
| Travel | 27,482 | 9,080 | 67,297 | 16,347 | 60,682 | 11,343 | 37,420 | 17,193 |
| Utilities | 129,379 | 49,762 | 173,439 | 35,420 | 98,991 | 24,318 | 53,433 | 12,467 |
| Other business deductions | 422,645 | 222,475 | 642,487 | 119,091 | 432,116 | 76,757 | 205,223 | 76,859 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 11,499 | * 771 | 100,110 | * 1,010 | 48,716 | * 13,202 | 30,610 | * 6,301 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 1,924 | * 120 | 13,104 | * 116 | 4,438 | * 892 | 2,985 | *9 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 347 | * 350 | * 334 | 0 | * 87 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net income [1,2] | 1,748,283 | 887,699 | 4,849,572 | 584,136 | 2,597,497 | 451,393 | 2,012,025 | 284,178 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business receipts | * 1,399 | * 15,760 | 202,469 | ** | ** 371,891 | 35,378 | 534,639 | 36,634 |
| Business deductions | * 1,150 | * 833 | 31,071 | ** | ** 49,191 | * 1,491 | 62,551 | 4,348 |
| Net income | * 250 | * 14,927 | 171,398 | ** | ** 322,699 | 33,888 | 472,088 | 32,286 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Health care and social assistance-continued |  |  |  | Arts, entertainment, and recreation |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Hospitals | Nursing and residential care facilities | Social assistance | Child day care services | Total | Performing arts, spectator sports and related industries | Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions | Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries |
|  | (137) | (138) | (139) | (140) | (141) | (142) | (143) | (144) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 10,803 | 61,028 | 147,898 | 788,368 | 1,347,779 | 1,094,030 | 2,988 | 250,761 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 565,203 | 4,635,311 | 3,187,864 | 13,216,093 | 33,092,332 | 24,608,291 | 56,425 | 8,427,616 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 565,068 | 4,603,816 | 3,142,799 | 12,802,336 | 31,506,156 | 23,329,988 | 66,445 | 8,109,723 |
| Other business income | * 135 | 31,496 | 45,065 | 413,756 | 1,586,175 | 1,278,303 | *-10,020 | 317,893 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 218,124 | 4,295,863 | 1,778,127 | 8,279,621 | 25,108,049 | 17,078,186 | 40,496 | 7,989,368 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | * 11,092 | 277,574 | 79,386 | 245,932 | 3,428,488 | 1,902,941 | * 4,790 | 1,520,757 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 0 | 6,588 | * 28,142 | * 12,044 | 601,082 | 448,958 | * 789 | 151,335 |
| Cost of labor | 0 | 70,492 | * 15,453 | 61,251 | 163,568 | 102,223 | * 1,898 | 59,447 |
| Purchases | * 597 | 28,462 | * 20,987 | 69,642 | 1,395,845 | 660,718 | * 2,268 | 732,859 |
| Materials and supplies | 0 | 17,045 | * 2,179 | 63,395 | 458,642 | 284,776 | * 54 | 173,811 |
| Other costs | * 10,496 | 162,539 | 53,699 | 51,385 | 1,477,029 | 887,729 | * 567 | 588,733 |
| Inventory, end of year | 0 | 7,553 | 41,073 | * 11,785 | 667,679 | 481,464 | * 786 | 185,429 |
| Advertising expenses | * 1,353 | 15,918 | 29,900 | 54,102 | 525,056 | 377,793 | * 253 | 147,010 |
| Car and truck expenses | 9,689 | 223,881 | 328,639 | 717,555 | 2,102,068 | 1,703,017 | * 8,565 | 390,486 |
| Commissions | 0 | 26,711 | * 23,629 | 31,763 | 628,623 | 541,815 | 0 | 86,808 |
| Contract labor | * 6,546 | 143,867 | 35,345 | 232,786 | 978,368 | 777,632 | * 20 | 200,716 |
| Depletion | 0 | 0 | * 1,643 | 0 | 3,112 | 2,823 | 0 | * 289 |
| Depreciation | 7,230 | 143,128 | 69,696 | 334,499 | 1,838,717 | 1,301,037 | 901 | 536,779 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 3,894 | 72,380 | 2,997 | 7,096 | 59,313 | 22,620 | * 54 | 36,639 |
| Insurance | 6,614 | 93,712 | 42,155 | 127,313 | 284,932 | 160,025 | * 191 | 124,717 |
| Legal and professional services | 4,178 | 80,425 | 33,477 | 78,729 | 514,527 | 426,570 | * 179 | 87,778 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 2,569 | 11,926 | 30,114 | 195,113 | 390,647 | 350,558 | * 173 | 39,916 |
| Mortgage interest | * 1,519 | 180,190 | * 4,355 | 109,574 | 153,188 | 48,242 | * 378 | 104,568 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | * 198 | 62,642 | 11,304 | 25,615 | 228,832 | 131,676 | * 14 | 97,141 |
| Office expenses | 3,836 | 33,276 | 71,058 | 144,196 | 382,055 | 314,574 | * 115 | 67,366 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 0 | 3,182 | * 4,112 | 0 | 12,098 | 9,730 | * 6 | 2,362 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * 784 | 38,515 | 4,382 | 44,035 | 219,389 | 152,909 | * 97 | 66,383 |
| Rent paid on other business property | * 10,115 | 247,332 | 154,132 | 251,635 | 1,140,219 | 521,893 | * 8,118 | 610,209 |
| Repairs | * 1,119 | 77,144 | 15,734 | 188,623 | 370,530 | 225,204 | * 75 | 145,251 |
| Supplies | 5,712 | 166,115 | 59,944 | 742,434 | 969,000 | 797,320 | * 598 | 171,083 |
| Salaries and wages | * 65,198 | 1,092,520 | 218,980 | 1,050,166 | 1,544,423 | 774,841 | * 2,794 | 766,788 |
| Taxes paid | 7,907 | 180,093 | 28,129 | 142,060 | 460,514 | 177,133 | * 253 | 283,129 |
| Travel | 12,687 | 36,553 | 42,081 | 20,483 | 1,196,154 | 1,062,856 | * 667 | 132,631 |
| Utilities | 5,599 | 176,821 | 86,255 | 383,225 | 668,318 | 432,264 | 1,018 | 235,036 |
| Other business deductions | 42,732 | 830,419 | 321,418 | 1,558,463 | 6,174,570 | 4,126,757 | 8,317 | 2,039,496 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 3,875 | 76,110 | 54,603 | 1,426,363 | 636,632 | 584,156 | * 2,920 | 49,556 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 826 | * 13,763 | 7,527 | 119,565 | 82,010 | 75,224 | 0 | 6,785 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 1,611 | * 260 | * 260 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 662 | * 11,282 | * 3,439 | 81,147 | 85,865 | 79,658 | 0 | * 6,207 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 347,079 | 347,555 | 1,410,784 | 4,945,788 | 8,057,508 | 7,560,686 | 15,929 | 480,892 |
| Net income [1,2] | 349,246 | 630,327 | 1,569,040 | 5,461,012 | 12,551,749 | 10,997,067 | * 28,552 | 1,526,130 |
| Deficit [2] | *-2,166 | -282,772 | -158,256 | -515,224 | -4,494,241 | -3,436,380 | -12,624 | -1,045,237 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

| Net income status, item | Health care and social assistance-continued |  |  |  | Arts, entertainment, and recreation |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Hospitals | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nursing and } \\ & \text { residential } \\ & \text { care facilities } \end{aligned}$ | Social assistance | Child day care services | Total | Performing arts, spectator sports and related industries | Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions | Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries |
|  | (137) | (138) | (139) | (140) | (141) | (142) | (143) | (144) |
| bUSINESSES WITH NET INCOME <br> Number of returns [1] | 10,372 | 42,208 | 111,604 | 679,496 | 840,486 | 667,004 | * 1,028 | 172,454 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 558,948 | 3,155,366 | 2,988,411 | 11,508,956 | 25,748,112 | 20,485,270 | * 50,327 | 5,212,516 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 558,814 | 3,128,094 | 2,944,921 | 11,140,114 | 24,540,396 | 19,458,589 | * 50,307 | 5,031,500 |
| Other business income | * 135 | 27,272 | 43,490 | 368,842 | 1,207,717 | 1,026,681 | * 20 | 181,016 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 209,703 | 2,525,127 | 1,419,372 | 6,057,155 | 13,224,873 | 9,493,287 | * 21,775 | 3,709,811 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | * 10,464 | 111,193 | 75,449 | 196,228 | 1,819,634 | 1,041,457 | 0 | 778,176 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 0 | * 5,524 | * 1,559 | * 10,312 | 166,861 | 104,843 | 0 | 62,018 |
| Cost of labor | 0 | 55,259 | * 13,512 | 56,764 | 77,723 | 77,425 | 0 | * 299 |
| Purchases | 0 | 18,932 | * 8,200 | 48,252 | 666,442 | 235,539 | 0 | 430,903 |
| Materials and supplies | 0 | * 4,161 | * 80 | 51,247 | 240,676 | 128,714 | 0 | 111,962 |
| Other costs | * 10,464 | 31,526 | 53,699 | 40,628 | 855,717 | 613,327 | 0 | 242,390 |
| Inventory, end of year | 0 | * 4,208 | * 1,601 | * 10,974 | 187,786 | 118,390 | 0 | 69,396 |
| Advertising expenses | * 1,251 | 9,085 | 20,783 | 38,598 | 254,949 | 196,781 | * 5 | 58,163 |
| Car and truck expenses | 9,320 | 140,143 | 222,181 | 482,022 | 1,181,616 | 945,229 | * 6,770 | 229,618 |
| Commissions | 0 | 25,895 | * 22,137 | 28,278 | 461,417 | 444,470 | 0 | 16,947 |
| Contract labor | * 6,546 | 106,433 | 24,104 | 150,158 | 541,268 | 441,630 | 0 | 99,638 |
| Depletion | 0 | 0 | * 1,643 | 0 | 339 | * 251 | 0 | * 88 |
| Depreciation | 6,188 | 76,138 | 54,323 | 216,641 | 698,678 | 573,538 | * 276 | 124,865 |
| Employee benefit programs | * 3,893 | 35,199 | * 2,429 | * 6,746 | 21,541 | 8,387 | 0 | 13,154 |
| Insurance | 6,610 | 53,968 | 34,026 | 91,950 | 138,639 | 95,260 | * 20 | 43,359 |
| Legal and professional services | 4,169 | 40,651 | 23,676 | 57,678 | 284,448 | 252,240 | * 160 | 32,048 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 2,558 | 7,787 | 25,896 | 139,970 | 236,652 | 213,764 | * 7 | 22,881 |
| Mortgage interest | * 1,519 | 80,385 | * 3,298 | 64,828 | 35,907 | 22,411 | 0 | 13,496 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | * 198 | 28,427 | 8,777 | 10,182 | 53,605 | 38,178 | * 13 | 15,415 |
| Office expenses | 3,835 | 18,998 | 57,011 | 108,455 | 213,319 | 184,942 | * 17 | 28,360 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 0 | 688 | * 4,112 | 0 | 9,087 | 7,444 | * 6 | * 1,637 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | * 784 | 13,880 | 2,590 | 27,471 | 105,258 | 81,760 | * 72 | 23,426 |
| Rent paid on other business property | * 10,106 | 159,871 | 135,149 | 178,781 | 563,849 | 304,495 | * 6,772 | 252,581 |
| Repairs | * 959 | 44,180 | 12,424 | 125,249 | 127,331 | 85,027 | 0 | 42,304 |
| Supplies | 5,712 | 86,587 | 42,084 | 570,940 | 517,670 | 442,361 | * 357 | 74,953 |
| Salaries and wages | * 64,597 | 653,601 | 209,783 | 774,837 | 625,118 | 341,058 | * 949 | 283,111 |
| Taxes paid | 7,902 | 95,687 | 24,675 | 102,922 | 173,597 | 100,344 | *113 | 73,139 |
| Travel | 12,658 | 27,891 | 33,747 | 16,560 | 739,641 | 660,057 | * 50 | 79,533 |
| Utilities | 5,397 | 102,512 | 73,625 | 247,042 | 362,276 | 265,082 | * 751 | 96,443 |
| Other business deductions | 37,486 | 536,114 | 232,531 | 1,181,249 | 3,411,529 | 2,184,179 | * 5,438 | 1,221,911 |
| Home office business deductions, total | * 3,875 | 64,385 | 48,258 | 1,078,431 | 455,722 | 413,909 | 0 | 41,814 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | * 826 | * 8,086 | 6,113 | 87,075 | 43,629 | 39,281 | 0 | 4,347 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 926 | * 260 | * 260 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 662 | * 983 | * 898 | * 3,057 | 9,021 | 6,947 | 0 | * 2,073 |
| Net income [1,2] | 349,246 | 630,327 | 1,569,040 | 5,461,012 | 12,551,749 | 10,997,067 | * 28,552 | 1,526,130 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 4,728 | 10,758 | 33,958 | 270,121 | 274,218 | ** 212,240 | ** | 61,978 |
| Business receipts | 35,368 | 41,024 | 233,343 | 1,952,813 | 1,104,056 | ** 935,768 | ** | 168,289 |
| Business deductions | * 3,677 | * 5,431 | 24,659 | 167,859 | 198,274 | ** 151,802 | ** | 46,473 |
| Net income | 31,691 | 35,593 | 208,684 | 1,784,954 | 905,782 | ** 783,966 | ** | 121,816 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples—money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow{4}{*}{Net income status, item} \& \multicolumn{6}{|c|}{Accommodation, food services, and drinking places} \& \multirow{3}{*}{Other services} <br>
\hline \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Accommodation} \& \multirow[b]{3}{*}{Food services and drinking places} \& <br>
\hline \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Total} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Total} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{Travel accommodation (including hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast inns)} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Rooming and boarding houses} \& \& <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \& Total <br>
\hline \multirow[b]{2}{*}{BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME} \& (145) \& (146) \& (147) \& (148) \& (149) \& (150) \& (151) <br>
\hline \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{434,168} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{54,627} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{30,796} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{(148)

11,157} \& \multirow[t]{2}{*}{12,673} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{379,541} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{2,360,060} <br>
\hline Number of returns [1] \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline Business receipts, total [1] \& 47,870,153 \& 6,002,638 \& 4,635,708 \& 849,367 \& 517,563 \& 41,867,514 \& 82,993,026 <br>
\hline Income from sales and operations [1] \& 47,447,847 \& 5,905,116 \& 4,545,935 \& 845,871 \& 513,310 \& 41,542,731 \& 81,943,135 <br>
\hline Other business income \& 422,306 \& 97,523 \& 89,773 \& 3,496 \& 4,253 \& 324,783 \& 1,049,891 <br>
\hline Business deductions, total [1,2] \& 47,250,095 \& 6,116,762 \& 4,706,845 \& 855,938 \& 553,979 \& 41,133,333 \& 64,868,354 <br>
\hline Cost of sales and operations, total \& 18,676,639 \& 715,424 \& 464,471 \& 247,658 \& * 3,295 \& 17,961,214 \& 19,530,169 <br>
\hline Inventory, beginning of year \& 753,862 \& 110,508 \& 50,523 \& 59,635 \& * 350 \& 643,355 \& 1,744,199 <br>
\hline Cost of labor \& 1,453,178 \& 145,650 \& 102,124 \& * 43,526 \& 0 \& 1,307,528 \& 1,808,453 <br>
\hline Purchases \& 15,002,787 \& 280,449 \& 143,089 \& 134,107 \& * 3,252 \& 14,722,339 \& 11,092,795 <br>
\hline Materials and supplies \& 1,476,342 \& 54,585 \& 49,381 \& * 5,204 \& 0 \& 1,421,757 \& 4,966,396 <br>
\hline Other costs \& 756,753 \& 195,142 \& 166,339 \& * 28,803 \& 0 \& 561,611 \& 1,725,465 <br>
\hline Inventory, end of year \& 766,285 \& 70,909 \& 46,985 \& 23,617 \& * 307 \& 695,375 \& 1,807,139 <br>
\hline Advertising expenses \& 770,422 \& 120,209 \& 99,279 \& 11,960 \& 8,970 \& 650,212 \& 1,102,933 <br>
\hline Car and truck expenses \& 946,195 \& 113,994 \& 72,439 \& 19,310 \& 22,245 \& 832,201 \& 5,038,572 <br>
\hline Commissions \& 169,013 \& 52,502 \& 49,394 \& * 597 \& 2,511 \& 116,512 \& 810,291 <br>
\hline Contract labor \& 397,802 \& 85,455 \& 66,439 \& 15,017 \& 3,999 \& 312,347 \& 2,526,214 <br>
\hline Depletion \& 331 \& * 146 \& * 13 \& 0 \& * 133 \& * 185 \& 12,401 <br>
\hline Depreciation \& 2,067,515 \& 748,983 \& 615,473 \& 84,862 \& 48,648 \& 1,318,532 \& 2,715,345 <br>
\hline Employee benefit programs \& 90,401 \& 22,848 \& 18,846 \& * 1,355 \& * 2,647 \& 67,553 \& 139,118 <br>
\hline Insurance \& 803,790 \& 165,159 \& 131,521 \& 19,237 \& 14,401 \& 638,631 \& 1,177,716 <br>
\hline Legal and professional services \& 339,139 \& 61,896 \& 44,347 \& 7,273 \& 10,276 \& 277,243 \& 550,266 <br>
\hline Meals and entertainment deducted \& 79,286 \& 7,873 \& 5,740 \& 1,043 \& 1,090 \& 71,412 \& 301,588 <br>
\hline Mortgage interest \& 692,768 \& 388,590 \& 327,136 \& 28,748 \& 32,706 \& 304,179 \& 458,884 <br>
\hline Other interest paid on business indebtedness \& 375,255 \& 95,579 \& 81,131 \& 11,223 \& 3,224 \& 279,677 \& 509,760 <br>
\hline Office expenses \& 208,349 \& 46,227 \& 29,644 \& 13,194 \& 3,389 \& 162,121 \& 743,818 <br>
\hline Pension and profit-sharing plans \& 11,763 \& 2,621 \& 2,612 \& * 9 \& 0 \& 9,143 \& 33,101 <br>
\hline Rent paid on machinery and equipment \& 427,589 \& 27,434 \& 24,939 \& 370 \& 2,125 \& 400,155 \& 877,432 <br>
\hline Rent paid on other business property \& 3,398,744 \& 241,975 \& 125,858 \& 87,730 \& * 28,387 \& 3,156,769 \& 5,968,711 <br>
\hline Repairs \& 972,099 \& 302,712 \& 236,771 \& 36,924 \& 29,016 \& 669,387 \& 1,063,168 <br>
\hline Supplies \& 1,263,487 \& 257,278 \& 184,161 \& 22,490 \& 50,627 \& 1,006,208 \& 4,192,773 <br>
\hline Salaries and wages \& 6,893,201 \& 780,384 \& 661,504 \& 38,154 \& 80,726 \& 6,112,818 \& 5,254,453 <br>
\hline Taxes paid \& 1,965,174 \& 390,440 \& 326,853 \& 30,158 \& 33,429 \& 1,574,734 \& 1,386,039 <br>
\hline Travel \& 117,439 \& 32,516 \& 25,729 \& 5,015 \& 1,772 \& 84,923 \& 499,902 <br>
\hline Utilities \& 2,895,744 \& 609,940 \& 493,838 \& 68,239 \& 47,863 \& 2,285,804 \& 3,057,732 <br>
\hline Other business deductions \& 3,469,553 \& 731,651 \& 542,903 \& 105,243 \& 83,506 \& 2,737,902 \& 5,823,951 <br>
\hline Home office business deductions, total \& 168,479 \& 111,117 \& 72,987 \& * 129 \& * 38,002 \& 57,362 \& 624,081 <br>
\hline Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] \& 19,983 \& 13,627 \& 4,107 \& 0 \& * 9,519 \& 6,356 \& 62,970 <br>
\hline Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] \& * 56 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& 0 \& * 56 \& * 908 <br>
\hline Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] \& 44,424 \& 39,302 \& * 23,564 \& 0 \& * 15,739 \& 5,121 \& 61,346 <br>
\hline Net income less deficit [1,2] \& 649,056 \& -106,584 \& -62,093 \& -6,285 \& -38,206 \& 755,640 \& 18,135,387 <br>
\hline Net income [1,2] \& 3,944,725 \& 686,142 \& 534,678 \& 75,531 \& 75,934 \& 3,258,583 \& 21,745,190 <br>
\hline Deficit [2] \& -3,295,669 \& -792,727 \& -596,771 \& -81,816 \& -114,139 \& -2,502,943 \& -3,609,802 <br>
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[All figures are estimates based on samples—money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Accommodation, food services, and drinking places |  |  |  |  |  | Other services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Accommodation |  |  |  |  | Food services and drinking places |  |
|  | Total | Total | Travel accommodation (including hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast inns) | RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps | Rooming and boarding houses |  | Total |
|  | (145) | (146) | (147) | (148) | (149) | (150) | (151) |
| Number of returns [1] | 270,338 | 25,815 | 15,774 | 5,950 | 4,090 | 244,523 | 1,875,687 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 32,951,914 | 3,640,560 | 2,734,418 | 571,095 | 335,047 | 29,311,354 | 71,197,612 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 32,723,648 | 3,617,589 | 2,716,233 | 570,090 | 331,266 | 29,106,060 | 70,335,593 |
| Other business income | 228,266 | 22,971 | 18,186 | * 1,005 | * 3,781 | 205,295 | 862,020 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 28,983,408 | 2,955,204 | 2,200,125 | 495,966 | 259,113 | 26,028,205 | 49,452,816 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 12,470,829 | 318,245 | 190,029 | 128,216 | 0 | 12,152,584 | 15,434,195 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 371,813 | 2,469 | 1,429 | * 1,040 | 0 | 369,344 | 1,223,838 |
| Cost of labor | 886,435 | 81,494 | * 38,274 | * 43,220 | 0 | 804,942 | 1,534,491 |
| Purchases | 10,298,193 | 75,600 | 20,510 | 55,091 | 0 | 10,222,593 | 8,553,854 |
| Materials and supplies | 945,603 | 27,422 | 22,240 | * 5,182 | 0 | 918,181 | 3,971,218 |
| Other costs | 367,187 | 133,712 | 109,067 | * 24,646 | 0 | 233,475 | 1,455,267 |
| Inventory, end of year | 398,403 | 2,452 | 1,490 | * 962 | 0 | 395,951 | 1,304,472 |
| Advertising expenses | 421,872 | 43,582 | 33,877 | 3,995 | * 5,710 | 378,289 | 799,168 |
| Car and truck expenses | 551,701 | 59,549 | 41,369 | 5,803 | * 12,377 | 492,152 | 3,717,635 |
| Commissions | 89,963 | 7,748 | 7,416 | * 326 | * 5 | 82,215 | 680,274 |
| Contract labor | 231,754 | 52,184 | 38,028 | * 13,141 | * 1,014 | 179,570 | 1,980,384 |
| Depletion | * 253 | * 133 | 0 | 0 | * 133 | * 120 | 12,255 |
| Depreciation | 843,643 | 280,579 | 224,609 | 37,779 | 18,191 | 563,064 | 1,772,602 |
| Employee benefit programs | 38,044 | 7,515 | 6,957 | * 558 | 0 | 30,528 | 107,805 |
| Insurance | 488,564 | 90,306 | 74,160 | 8,981 | 7,164 | 398,258 | 881,241 |
| Legal and professional services | 173,155 | 24,969 | 21,370 | 1,825 | * 1,775 | 148,186 | 418,377 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 46,199 | 3,399 | 2,422 | * 783 | * 193 | 42,800 | 230,018 |
| Mortgage interest | 309,859 | 155,537 | 146,737 | * 6,025 | * 2,775 | 154,321 | 303,250 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 152,193 | 25,662 | 19,305 | * 5,656 | * 701 | 126,532 | 349,299 |
| Office expenses | 117,582 | 25,640 | 17,484 | 6,582 | * 1,573 | 91,943 | 560,104 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 10,666 | * 2,475 | * 2,466 | * 9 | 0 | 8,191 | 31,607 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 260,709 | 13,510 | 13,018 | * 244 | * 248 | 247,199 | 623,827 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 2,216,026 | 190,420 | 82,769 | * 80,382 | * 27,269 | 2,025,606 | 4,826,981 |
| Repairs | 558,196 | 166,170 | 135,226 | 15,606 | 15,338 | 392,026 | 728,525 |
| Supplies | 615,015 | 145,601 | 108,009 | 7,135 | * 30,457 | 469,414 | 3,196,364 |
| Salaries and wages | 4,183,721 | 328,808 | 260,205 | * 26,241 | * 42,362 | 3,854,913 | 4,018,783 |
| Taxes paid | 1,219,985 | 216,655 | 178,510 | 17,867 | 20,278 | 1,003,330 | 1,042,686 |
| Travel | 64,803 | 13,418 | 9,610 | 3,610 | * 199 | 51,385 | 348,503 |
| Utilities | 1,790,518 | 360,895 | 301,240 | 40,016 | 19,639 | 1,429,623 | 2,277,933 |
| Other business deductions | 1,994,132 | 361,388 | 241,042 | 85,058 | 35,288 | 1,632,744 | 4,161,288 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 84,658 | 57,008 | 41,448 | * 129 | * 15,431 | 27,650 | 482,342 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 3,137 | * 890 | * 102 | 0 | * 788 | 2,247 | 44,096 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | * 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 20 | * 906 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 34 | * 3 | 0 | 0 | * 3 | * 31 | 4,005 |
| Net income [1,2] | 3,944,725 | 686,142 | 534,678 | 75,531 | 75,934 | 3,258,583 | 21,745,190 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 67,527 | * 3,322 | * 1,318 | * 1,002 | * 1,002 | 64,205 | 508,901 |
| Business receipts | 385,045 | * 18,114 | * 15,134 | * 1,628 | * 1,352 | 366,931 | 3,853,101 |
| Business deductions | 49,918 | * 3,808 | * 2,816 | 0 | * 992 | 46,110 | 469,934 |
| Net income | 335,128 | * 14,306 | * 12,317 | * 1,628 | * 361 | 320,822 | 3,383,167 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples-money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Net income status, item | Other services-continued |  |  |  |  |  | Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations | Unclassified establishments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Auto repair and maintenance |  |  |  | Miscellaneous repairs | Personal and laundry services |  |  |
|  | Total | Automotive mechanical and electrical repair and maintenance | Automotive body shops | Other auto repair and maintenance (including oil change, lube, and car washes) |  |  |  |  |
|  | (152) | (153) | (154) | (155) | (156) | (157) | (158) | (159) |
| BUSINESSES WITH AND WITHOUT NET INCOME Number of returns [1] | 351,027 | 176,570 | 85,132 | 89,325 | 411,150 | 1,597,882 | 245,487 | 484,209 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 23,975,616 | 12,095,924 | 7,046,601 | 4,833,090 | 16,068,515 | 42,948,895 | 3,243,046 | 5,744,085 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 23,824,123 | 12,012,004 | 7,013,701 | 4,798,418 | 15,968,505 | 42,150,507 | 3,010,585 | 5,673,573 |
| Other business income | 151,493 | 83,920 | 32,901 | 34,672 | 100,011 | 798,388 | 232,461 | 70,512 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 21,753,442 | 11,041,175 | 6,228,016 | 4,484,251 | 13,298,011 | 29,816,902 | 1,565,213 | 3,762,229 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 9,488,959 | 5,004,083 | 2,637,579 | 1,847,297 | 5,596,026 | 4,445,183 | * 8,684 | 913,837 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 625,568 | 252,994 | 207,073 | 165,501 | 531,159 | 587,472 | * 9,398 | 118,429 |
| Cost of labor | 721,378 | 381,760 | 192,125 | 147,493 | 436,226 | 650,849 | 0 | 32,905 |
| Purchases | 5,808,094 | 3,265,581 | 1,219,068 | 1,323,445 | 3,095,804 | 2,188,896 | * 6,547 | 592,789 |
| Materials and supplies | 2,423,250 | 1,168,652 | 979,059 | 275,539 | 1,560,520 | 982,626 | * 1,576 | 228,214 |
| Other costs | 604,677 | 229,611 | 252,463 | 122,603 | 540,746 | 580,042 | * 3,915 | 56,163 |
| Inventory, end of year | 694,008 | 294,515 | 212,207 | 187,285 | 568,428 | 544,702 | * 12,751 | 114,662 |
| Advertising expenses | 323,329 | 163,143 | 99,000 | 61,186 | 139,208 | 640,396 | 15,256 | 31,736 |
| Car and truck expenses | 1,292,409 | 591,990 | 380,552 | 319,866 | 1,347,537 | 2,398,627 | 511,313 | 589,393 |
| Commissions | 166,956 | 55,303 | 107,745 | * 3,908 | 59,346 | 583,989 | * 20,610 | 25,116 |
| Contract labor | 574,607 | 306,214 | 137,195 | 131,197 | 643,691 | 1,307,916 | * 32,585 | 62,860 |
| Depletion | * 545 | * 521 | 0 | * 24 | * 2,501 | 9,355 | 0 | * 1,826 |
| Depreciation | 983,440 | 512,104 | 211,882 | 259,454 | 492,991 | 1,238,914 | 49,091 | 168,932 |
| Employee benefit programs | 73,392 | 30,977 | 18,252 | 24,163 | 31,174 | 34,552 | * 5,957 | 1,764 |
| Insurance | 418,793 | 208,055 | 123,561 | 87,176 | 266,693 | 492,231 | 10,633 | 88,908 |
| Legal and professional services | 148,705 | 75,960 | 33,078 | 39,668 | 69,237 | 332,324 | 19,591 | 46,584 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 54,611 | 26,112 | 17,403 | 11,097 | 56,483 | 190,493 | 44,046 | 47,056 |
| Mortgage interest | 222,850 | 93,768 | 80,172 | 48,910 | 55,116 | 180,918 | * 2,488 | 29,628 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 213,102 | 123,225 | 37,442 | 52,435 | 77,877 | 218,781 | * 6,865 | 34,364 |
| Office expenses | 168,370 | 80,881 | 56,624 | 30,865 | 139,138 | 436,310 | 60,296 | 41,456 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 24,253 | * 21,484 | * 2,560 | * 209 | * 1,255 | 7,593 | * 25,749 | * 9,056 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 226,304 | 66,854 | 81,222 | 78,228 | 95,024 | 556,104 | 9,017 | 87,040 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 934,504 | 441,268 | 310,886 | 182,350 | 397,899 | 4,636,308 | 25,816 | 111,301 |
| Repairs | 352,180 | 190,484 | 95,503 | 66,193 | 189,203 | 521,785 | 33,525 | 62,574 |
| Supplies | 985,703 | 490,901 | 326,617 | 168,185 | 796,440 | 2,410,630 | 50,493 | 167,360 |
| Salaries and wages | 1,878,428 | 818,412 | 694,649 | 365,366 | 831,484 | 2,544,542 | * 25,912 | 148,092 |
| Taxes paid | 573,269 | 274,719 | 167,882 | 130,667 | 227,469 | 585,301 | 11,186 | 35,473 |
| Travel | 66,006 | 27,145 | 17,008 | 21,854 | 104,780 | 329,116 | 111,040 | 92,634 |
| Utilities | 810,447 | 382,832 | 225,697 | 201,918 | 391,447 | 1,855,839 | 68,642 | 113,166 |
| Other business deductions | 1,652,828 | 998,834 | 340,643 | 313,350 | 1,077,783 | 3,093,341 | 334,056 | 655,673 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 79,674 | 38,983 | 17,124 | 23,567 | 154,657 | 389,750 | 29,268 | 53,581 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 8,657 | 4,255 | * 2,308 | * 2,093 | 21,528 | 32,785 | 2,676 | 3,259 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 908 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | 10,508 | * 1,045 | * 1,902 | * 7,561 | 24,608 | 26,230 | * 4,428 | 2,923 |
| Net income less deficit [1,2] | 2,235,510 | 1,067,921 | 818,614 | 348,975 | 2,771,294 | 13,128,583 | 1,682,136 | 2,001,777 |
| Net income [1,2] | 3,175,658 | 1,507,387 | 1,017,755 | 650,516 | 3,531,687 | 15,037,845 | 1,921,225 | 2,776,475 |
| Deficit [2] | -940,148 | -439,466 | -199,141 | -301,542 | -760,393 | -1,909,262 | -239,089 | -774,699 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

| Net income status, item | Other services-continued |  |  |  |  |  | Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations | Unclassified establishments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Auto repair and maintenance |  |  |  | Miscellaneous repairs | Personal and laundry services |  |  |
|  | Total | Automotive mechanical <br> and electrical repair and <br> maintenance | Automotive <br> body <br> shops | Other auto repair and maintenance (including oil change, lube, and car washes) |  |  |  |  |
|  | (152) | (153) | (154) | (155) | (156) | (157) | (158) | (159) |
| Number of returns [1] | 251,094 | 130,924 | 59,269 | 60,901 | 309,113 | 1,315,480 | 199,382 | 389,936 |
| Business receipts, total [1] | 19,359,248 | 9,854,183 | 5,902,853 | 3,602,213 | 13,857,046 | 37,981,318 | 3,084,125 | 4,694,275 |
| Income from sales and operations [1] | 19,234,127 | 9,774,848 | 5,874,656 | 3,584,624 | 13,760,525 | 37,340,940 | 2,862,243 | 4,652,788 |
| Other business income | 125,121 | 79,335 | 28,197 | 17,589 | 96,521 | 640,378 | 221,883 | 41,487 |
| Business deductions, total [1,2] | 16,183,722 | 8,346,796 | 4,885,098 | 2,951,828 | 10,325,359 | 22,943,735 | 1,165,934 | 1,917,814 |
| Cost of sales and operations, total | 7,271,048 | 3,820,742 | 2,097,483 | 1,352,823 | 4,694,314 | 3,468,833 | * 7,938 | 538,228 |
| Inventory, beginning of year | 437,138 | 204,906 | 134,905 | 97,327 | 441,418 | 345,282 | * 5,762 | 69,275 |
| Cost of labor | 599,610 | 310,045 | 157,786 | 131,780 | 373,594 | 561,287 | 0 | * 11,156 |
| Purchases | 4,308,838 | 2,543,496 | 802,483 | 962,859 | 2,556,998 | 1,688,018 | * 5,271 | 316,266 |
| Materials and supplies | 1,925,074 | 811,823 | 905,374 | 207,876 | 1,308,282 | 737,862 | * 1,576 | 183,045 |
| Other costs | 502,960 | 192,502 | 240,228 | 70,231 | 479,573 | 472,734 | * 1,360 | 32,458 |
| Inventory, end of year | 502,572 | 242,029 | 143,293 | 117,250 | 465,550 | 336,350 | * 6,031 | 73,972 |
| Advertising expenses | 226,971 | 123,676 | 67,713 | 35,582 | 105,352 | 466,845 | 12,570 | 13,045 |
| Car and truck expenses | 937,425 | 403,858 | 336,562 | 197,005 | 1,014,473 | 1,765,737 | 357,009 | 289,469 |
| Commissions | 146,338 | 51,112 | 91,599 | * 3,628 | 54,191 | 479,744 | * 20,454 | 19,653 |
| Contract labor | 483,048 | 250,747 | 120,540 | 111,761 | 442,072 | 1,055,264 | * 32,006 | 52,616 |
| Depletion | * 518 | * 518 | 0 | 0 | * 2,494 | * 9,242 | 0 | * 21 |
| Depreciation | 620,309 | 336,298 | 156,788 | 127,223 | 313,897 | 838,396 | 31,074 | 60,988 |
| Employee benefit programs | 54,012 | 27,579 | 8,704 | * 17,729 | 23,268 | 30,524 | * 5,957 | * 1,221 |
| Insurance | 315,360 | 159,634 | 101,799 | 53,926 | 205,687 | 360,194 | 6,399 | 54,220 |
| Legal and professional services | 109,730 | 59,864 | 25,957 | 23,909 | 49,462 | 259,185 | 16,844 | 17,987 |
| Meals and entertainment deducted | 36,273 | 15,878 | 14,190 | 6,205 | 47,607 | 146,138 | 36,454 | 23,743 |
| Mortgage interest | 127,715 | 70,930 | 32,238 | 24,548 | 50,017 | 125,518 | * 55 | * 19,430 |
| Other interest paid on business indebtedness | 166,974 | 107,960 | 35,502 | 23,511 | 50,325 | 132,000 | * 592 | 14,977 |
| Office expenses | 126,195 | 58,721 | 44,889 | 22,585 | 108,139 | 325,769 | 47,219 | 24,079 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 23,457 | * 20,708 | * 2,560 | * 189 | * 1,005 | 7,145 | * 3,399 | * 356 |
| Rent paid on machinery and equipment | 157,995 | 47,494 | 71,316 | 39,186 | 75,108 | 390,724 | * 4,221 | 26,543 |
| Rent paid on other business property | 684,940 | 346,052 | 201,578 | 137,310 | 245,801 | 3,896,241 | 24,610 | 36,936 |
| Repairs | 219,365 | 101,941 | 77,583 | 39,842 | 143,442 | 365,718 | 16,245 | 37,138 |
| Supplies | 711,333 | 373,060 | 239,647 | 98,627 | 568,032 | 1,916,999 | 37,992 | 95,995 |
| Salaries and wages | 1,410,300 | 648,131 | 542,224 | 219,945 | 656,709 | 1,951,774 | * 25,908 | 95,724 |
| Taxes paid | 436,936 | 217,140 | 137,806 | 81,990 | 185,051 | 420,698 | 9,884 | 19,176 |
| Travel | 45,100 | 19,051 | 15,066 | 10,983 | 65,582 | 237,821 | 79,677 | 32,390 |
| Utilities | 574,968 | 289,222 | 177,049 | 108,697 | 272,615 | 1,430,350 | 44,588 | 55,733 |
| Other business deductions | 1,210,425 | 745,881 | 266,926 | 197,618 | 769,209 | 2,181,655 | 264,761 | 239,453 |
| Home office business deductions, total | 48,658 | 33,677 | * 13,091 | * 1,889 | 127,956 | 305,729 | 29,079 | 20,983 |
| Depreciation, Form 8829 [3] | 5,298 | * 3,255 | * 1,737 | * 306 | 14,138 | 24,660 | 2,488 | * 1,012 |
| Casualty loss, Form 8829 [3] | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * 906 | 0 | 0 |
| Excess-casualty depreciations, Form 8829 [3] | * 468 | * [4] | * 468 | 0 | 0 | * 3,537 | * 1,078 | * 661 |
| Net income [1,2] | 3,175,658 | 1,507,387 | 1,017,755 | 650,516 | 3,531,687 | 15,037,845 | 1,921,225 | 2,776,475 |
| Returns with Schedule C-EZ: <br> Number of returns | 47,363 | 21,403 | 10,225 | 15,736 | 82,584 | 378,954 | 75,963 | 260,176 |
| Business receipts | 315,939 | 154,591 | 84,991 | 76,358 | 442,373 | 3,094,790 | 345,483 | 1,488,837 |
| Business deductions | 39,780 | 16,923 | * 7,739 | 15,117 | 53,551 | 376,604 | 53,092 | 142,819 |
| Net income | 276,159 | 137,667 | 77,251 | 61,241 | 388,822 | 2,718,186 | 292,391 | 1,346,019 |

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Table 2. Nonfarm Sole Proprietorships: Income Statements, by Industrial Sectors, Tax Year 2008-Continued

## Footnotes

*Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
**Data combined to prevent disclosure of taxpayer information.
[1] Includes returns with Schedule C-EZ attached. Schedule C-EZ was filed for certain small businesses, i.e., those with net incomes, business expenses of $\$ 5,000$ or less, used the cash accounting method, with no inventories or employees, and with no deduction for a home office business and no allowable "passive" activity losses. Because only a total is
[2] Total business deductions are before subtraction of nonallowable "passive" activity losses and any "passive loss" carryover from the prior years. However, these losses (after subtraction) and any carrryover are reflected in net income or deficit. Therefore, total business receipts minus total business deductions may not always equal net income or deficit. [3] These are selected line items from Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home," and do not represent the total of the home office business deduction found on the Schedule C.
[4] Less than \$500
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Dungan, Adrian, "Sole Proprietorship Returns, 2007," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer 2009, Volume 29, Number 1, pp. 5-66. Profits in the real estate and rental and leasing sector decreased from $\$ 27.2$ billion in 2006 to $\$ 22.3$ billion in 2007.
    ${ }^{2}$ For 2008, the 22,614,483 nonfarm sole proprietorship returns accounted for an estimated 25,208,343 nonfarm businesses. For purposes of the statistics, if a proprietor owned more than one business, the statistics for each business were combined with those of the proprietor's dominant business and included in the industrial group for that business activity. When this occurred, the sum of net incomes (for businesses reporting a positive net income) reduced by the sum of net deficits (for businesses reporting a deficit) yielded the profits for a specific industrial group.
    The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) was used to classify data by industries for 2008. These classifications were applied on a "per business" (rather than on a "per establishment") basis for Statistics of Income by combining various industry groups, although businesses were further combined as described above. While the wording of the industry titles used for the sole proprietorship statistics diverge somewhat from those appearing in NAICS, the definitions are consistent.
    The North American Industry Classification System for industrial coding was introduced in Tax Year 1998. Due to coding changes, comparisons between data by industries for 1998 to 2008 and 1997 and prior years may show inconsistencies. A reason for this was that several types of sole proprietorships under NAICS were classified in completely different industrial groups, which makes prior-year comparisons inappropriate. For example, in 1997, finance, insurance and real estate were grouped by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) codes as one industry, while the group has been split into two industrial sectors under NAICS. The industrial sectors based on NAICS codes are reported in Tables 1 and 2.

[^1]:    3 Statistics for "business receipts, total" in Table 2 represent the total receipts of the business, mainly gross receipts from sales and operations. Business receipts also include miscellaneous business receipts, such as incidental sales of scrap, shown separately in the statistics as "other business income." However, business receipts exclude incidental investment income received through the business. Examples of such incidental investment income are interest, dividends, income or loss from rents or royalties, and capital or ordinary gain or loss from the sale of investment and business property. Sole proprietors report incidental investment income, in combination with nonbusiness related investment income, as part of their total income on their individual income tax returns.

[^2]:    5 Sole proprietors report personal, i.e., nonbusiness, income and expense items apart from business income or loss, which is reported on the attached Schedule C, Profit or Loss From Business (or, to a lesser extent, on Schedule C-EZ, Net Profit From Business). Salaries paid to owners are neither deducted as wages paid on Schedule C nor included as wages received on the Form 1040. Similarly, sole proprietors deduct charitable contributions made through the business as personal expenses on Schedule A, Itemized Deductions. However, the owner of a sole proprietorship may choose to deduct any foreign taxes paid as a business expense, unless the owner elects to claim these taxes as a credit against U.S. income tax.
    ${ }^{6}$ Business deductions include the home office business deductions. After 1990, home office expenses were calculated separately on Form 8829 , Expenses for Business Use of Your Home, and the deductible portion brought forward to the Schedule C. In some cases, these expenses were limited. Prior to 1990 , these expenses were not limited and were included with other expenses, such as depreciation deductions, utilities, and "other" expenses on Schedule C.

[^3]:    7 The increase in the depreciation deduction for 1993 may be attributed, in part, to a provision of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993 (OBRA93). The cost of certain tangible property (as described in Internal Revenue Code section 179) may be treated as a current expense rather than a capital expenditure subject to depreciation deductions. The provision of OBRA93 (related to these expenses) increased the maximum amount of investment certain small businesses could immediately deduct on property placed in service after 1992, from $\$ 10,000$ to $\$ 17,500$. Following the enactment of this provision, the 179 deduction for all individuals (not just sole proprietors) filing Form 4562, Depreciation and Amortization, increased 32.4 percent to $\$ 13.5$ billion for 1993.

[^4]:    ${ }^{8}$ Under the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 the maximum amount of section 179 deduction (the amount of depreciable property that one can expense for the cost of certain qualifying property) increased from $\$ 24,000$ for 2002 to $\$ 100,000$ for $2003, \$ 102,000$ for $2004, \$ 105,000$ for 2005 , and $\$ 108,000$ for 2006 . This was further expanded to $\$ 125,000$ for 2007 and $\$ 250,000$ for 2008 through the Tax Increase Prevention and Reconciliation Act signed in May, 2006. For all individual tax returns that filed Form 4562, Depreciation and Amortization, the section 179 property deducted as an expense increased by 5.1 percent to $\$ 49.8$ billion for 2008 . The Jobs Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002 introduced 30-percent bonus depreciation and the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 increased the bonus percentage to 50 percent, for property placed in service by January 1, 2005. While bonus depreciation was available to sole proprietors, it was generally not as advantageous as immediate expensing and therefore likely had less effect on their depreciation deductions.
    9 The amount deducted as section 179 property on returns that had a Schedule C dropped 4.9 percent to $\$ 20.2$ billion, from 2007 to 2008 . This number does not reflect depreciation solely deducted on the Schedule C, as this could also include depreciation taken on the Schedule E, Supplemental Income and Loss, the Schedule F, Profit or Loss from Farming, and the Form 4835, Farm Rental Income and Expenses.

[^5]:    ${ }^{10}$ Based on NAICS, the full name of the administrative and support services sector is administrative and support and waste management and remediation services sector.
    The waste management and remediation services portion make up a small percentage of the overall numbers reported under this classification, which are detailed in Table 1 .

[^6]:    ${ }^{11}$ Net income minus deficit (loss) before Federal income tax yields profits. Proprietors compute their tax on total "taxable income," which includes their business profits plus any other income.

[^7]:    [1] Excludes depreciation claimed on Form 8829, "Expenses for Business Use of Your Home."

[^8]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^9]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^10]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^11]:    Footnotes at end of table.

