



KENTUCKY: BY THE NUMBERS
~ Employment Change Update ~

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	3,364	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	3,502	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	4.1%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	2,001	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	2,161	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	8.0%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	59.5%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	61.7%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	1,363	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	1,341	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	-1.6%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	40.5%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	38.3%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	396	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	229	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	-42.2%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	11.8%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	6.5%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	389	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	543	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	39.6%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	11.6%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	15.5%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	887	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	n/a	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	n/a	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	26.4%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	n/a	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	443	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	548	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	23.7%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	13.2%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	15.6%	14.6%

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Total Employment (1990)	28,157	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	36,265	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	28.8%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	22,844	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	29,291	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	28.2%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	81.1%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	80.8%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	5,313	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	6,974	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	31.3%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	18.9%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	19.2%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	4,349	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	6,082	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	39.8%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	15.4%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	16.8%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	5,820	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	7,365	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	26.5%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	20.7%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	20.3%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	6,251	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	8,905	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	42.5%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	22.2%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	24.6%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	5,595	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	6,555	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	17.2%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	19.9%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	18.1%	14.6%

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Total Employment (1990)	3,396	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	3,978	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	17.1%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	2,195	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	2,764	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	25.9%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	64.6%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	69.5%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	1,201	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	1,214	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	1.1%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	35.4%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	30.5%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	224	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	288	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	28.6%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	6.6%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	7.2%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	449	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	552	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	22.9%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	13.2%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	13.9%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	708	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	n/a	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	n/a	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	20.8%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	n/a	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	701	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	822	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	17.3%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	20.6%	15.6%
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Total Employment (1990)	6,952	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	8,730	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	25.6%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	4,418	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	6,123	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	38.6%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	63.6%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	70.1%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,534	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,607	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	2.9%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	36.4%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	29.9%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	1,303	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	1,904	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	46.1%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	18.7%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	21.8%	14.6%

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Retail Employment (1990)	849	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	1,241	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	46.2%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	12.2%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	14.2%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	1,384	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	2,050	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	48.1%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	19.9%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	23.5%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	724	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	893	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	23.3%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	10.4%	15.6%
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Total Employment (1990)	12,712	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	14,898	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	17.2%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	9,807	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	11,300	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	15.2%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	77.1%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	75.8%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,905	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	3,598	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	23.9%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	22.9%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	24.2%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	2,946	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	3,210	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	9.0%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	23.2%	15.3%
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Retail Employment (1990)	2,045	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	2,499	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	22.2%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	16.1%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	16.8%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	2,261	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	2,912	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	28.8%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	17.8%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	19.5%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	1,562	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	1,744	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	11.7%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	12.3%	15.6%
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Total Employment (1990)	3,899	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	3,508	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	-10.0%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	3,367	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	2,879	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	-14.5%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	86.4%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	82.1%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	532	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	629	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	18.2%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	13.6%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	17.9%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	29	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	129	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	344.8%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	0.7%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	3.7%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	574	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	609	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	6.1%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>14.7%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>17.4%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	546	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	626	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	14.7%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>14.0%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>17.8%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	618	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	713	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	15.4%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>15.9%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>20.3%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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Total Employment (1990)	10,884	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	13,011	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	19.5%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	8,508	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	10,468	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	23.0%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	78.2%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	80.5%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,376	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,543	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	7.0%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	21.8%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	19.5%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	3,042	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	3,456	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	13.6%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	27.9%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	26.6%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	1,798	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	2,383	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	32.5%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	16.5%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	18.3%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	1,939	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	2,664	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	37.4%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	17.8%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	20.5%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	984	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	1,130	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	14.8%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	9.0%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	8.7%	14.6%

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	5,110	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	6,268	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	22.7%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	3,334	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	4,019	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	20.5%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	65.2%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	64.1%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	1,776	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,249	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	26.6%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	34.8%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	35.9%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	598	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	551	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	-7.9%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	11.7%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	8.8%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	833	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	1,194	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	43.3%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>16.3%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>19.0%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	918	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	1,315	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	43.2%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>18.0%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>21.0%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	680	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	903	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	32.8%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>13.3%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>14.4%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	1,588	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	1,979	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	24.6%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	753	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	1,094	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	45.3%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>47.4%</i>	<i>82.1%</i>
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>55.3%</i>	<i>82.6%</i>
Proprietors Employment (1990)	835	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	885	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	6.0%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>52.6%</i>	<i>17.9%</i>
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>44.7%</i>	<i>17.4%</i>
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	134	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	256	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	91.0%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>8.4%</i>	<i>15.3%</i>
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>12.9%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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Retail Employment (1990)	150	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	216	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	44.0%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>9.4%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>10.9%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	294	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	413	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	40.5%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>18.5%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>20.9%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	305	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	408	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	33.8%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>19.2%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>20.6%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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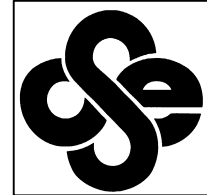
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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	8,934	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	10,662	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	19.3%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	6,199	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	7,629	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	23.1%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	69.4%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	71.6%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,735	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	3,033	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	10.9%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	30.6%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	28.4%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	2,012	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	3,091	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	53.6%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	22.5%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	29.0%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	1,315	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	1,393	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	5.9%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>14.7%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>13.1%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	1,667	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	1,956	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	17.3%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>18.7%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>18.3%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	787	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	958	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	21.7%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>8.8%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>9.0%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	4,751	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	4,935	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	3.9%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	2,865	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	2,887	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	0.8%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	60.3%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	58.5%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	1,886	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,048	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	8.6%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	39.7%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	41.5%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	1,515	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	1,402	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	-7.5%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	31.9%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	28.4%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	442	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	513	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	16.1%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>9.3%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>10.4%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	380	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	496	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	30.5%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>8.0%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>10.1%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	502	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	623	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	24.1%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>10.6%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>12.6%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	6,282	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	6,491	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	3.3%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	4,095	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	4,279	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	4.5%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	65.2%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	65.9%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,187	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,212	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	1.1%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	34.8%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	34.1%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	1,873	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	1,998	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	6.7%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	29.8%	15.3%
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Retail Employment (1990)	687	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	799	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	16.3%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>10.9%</i>	<i>17.0%</i>
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>12.3%</i>	<i>17.6%</i>
Services Employment (1990)	910	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	708	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	-22.2%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>14.5%</i>	<i>23.2%</i>
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>10.9%</i>	<i>25.6%</i>
All Government Employment (1990)	748	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	918	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	22.7%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	<i>11.9%</i>	<i>15.6%</i>
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	<i>14.1%</i>	<i>14.6%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	9,634	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	13,030	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	35.3%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	7,305	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	10,335	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	41.5%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	75.8%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	79.3%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,329	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,695	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	15.7%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	24.2%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	20.7%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	2,060	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	3,212	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	55.9%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	21.4%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	24.7%	14.6%

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Retail Employment (1990)	1,742	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	2,250	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	29.2%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	18.1%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	17.3%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	1,850	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	2,931	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	58.4%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	19.2%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	22.5%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	980	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	1,129	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	15.2%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	10.2%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	8.7%	14.6%

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	4,187	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	5,066	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	21.0%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	2,608	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	3,412	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	30.8%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	62.3%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	67.4%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	1,579	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	1,654	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	4.7%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	37.7%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	32.6%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	335	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	654	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	95.2%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	8.0%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	12.9%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	481	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	641	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	33.3%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	11.5%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	12.7%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	679	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	937	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	38.0%	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	16.2%	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	18.5%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	938	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	1,205	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	28.5%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	22.4%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	23.8%	14.6%

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Employment (1990)	12,200	1,918,963
Total Employment (1998)	13,237	2,252,227
Percent Change in Total Employment (1990-98)	8.5%	17.4%
Wage and Salary Employment (1990)	9,625	1,576,118
Wage and Salary Employment (1998)	10,401	1,860,525
Percent Change in Wage and Salary Employment (1990-98)	8.1%	18.0%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	78.9%	82.1%
<i>Wage and Salary Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	78.6%	82.6%
Proprietors Employment (1990)	2,575	342,845
Proprietor's Employment (1998)	2,836	391,702
Percent Change in Proprietor's Employment (1990-98)	10.1%	14.3%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	21.1%	17.9%
<i>Proprietors Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	21.4%	17.4%
Manufacturing Employment (1990)	1,042	294,221
Manufacturing Employment (1998)	1,637	329,668
Percent Change in Manufacturing Employment (1990-98)	57.1%	12.0%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	8.5%	15.3%
<i>Manufacturing Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	12.4%	14.6%

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Retail Employment (1990)	1,985	326,401
Retail Employment (1998)	2,249	395,532
Percent Change in Retail Employment (1990-98)	13.3%	21.2%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	16.3%	17.0%
<i>Retail Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	17.0%	17.6%
Services Employment (1990)	n/a	444,710
Services Employment (1998)	2,933	577,024
Percent Change in Services Employment (1990-98)	n/a	29.8%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	n/a	23.2%
<i>Services Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	22.2%	25.6%
All Government Employment (1990)	2,486	299,653
All Government Employment (1998)	2,273	329,118
Percent Change in All Government Employment (1990-98)	-8.6%	9.8%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1990)</i>	20.4%	15.6%
<i>All Government Employment as % of Total Employment (1998)</i>	17.2%	14.6%

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