

Table 15.19-- CHARACTERISTICS OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL FIRMS, BY COUNTY: 2008

Characteristic	State total 1/	Honolulu	Maui	Kauai	Hawaii
All businesses	50,473	35,752	5,759	2,666	6,296
Business type, total 2/	33,101	23,209	3,525	1,763	4,607
Corporation	26,436	18,800	2,925	1,387	3,327
Partnership	711	508	112	26	65
Proprietorship	5,954	3,901	488	350	1,215
Employees, total 3/	11,046	8,319	1,211	502	1,016
1 to 4	4,042	2,957	517	187	381
5 to 9	2,477	1,840	264	120	253
10 to 19	1,783	1,348	187	78	171
20 to 49	1,435	1,121	130	63	121
50 to 99	550	451	48	22	29
100 to 199	348	278	27	14	29
200 to 299	110	87	10	6	7
300 to 499	136	100	15	7	14
500 to 999	84	62	9	5	8
1,000 to 9,999	81	75	4	-	3
Annual sales volume, total 2/	8,285	6,303	884	355	744
Under \$500,000	4,132	3,078	440	181	433
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000	1,263	939	136	69	119
\$1 to \$5 million	1,625	1,276	179	66	104
\$5 to \$10 million	391	312	49	7	23
\$10 to \$25 million	316	252	31	8	25
Over \$25 million	558	446	49	24	40
Year established, total 3/	18,865	14,375	1,883	786	1,823
1820 to 1849	29	17	4	3	6
1850 to 1899	175	119	18	13	25
1900 to 1949	1,210	875	110	61	164
1950 to 1959	933	759	65	36	73
1960 to 1969	1,960	1,566	160	74	161
1970 to 1979	4,668	3,497	546	177	448
1980 to 1989	5,917	4,402	586	292	637
1990 to 1999	3,293	2,545	366	113	269
2000 and later	680	595	28	17	40

1/ Subcategory figures may not sum to the total.

2/ Selected professionals are not included. Distributions exclude non-responding firms and those for which item (typically sales volume) was not applicable. Subcategory figures may not sum to the total.

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