

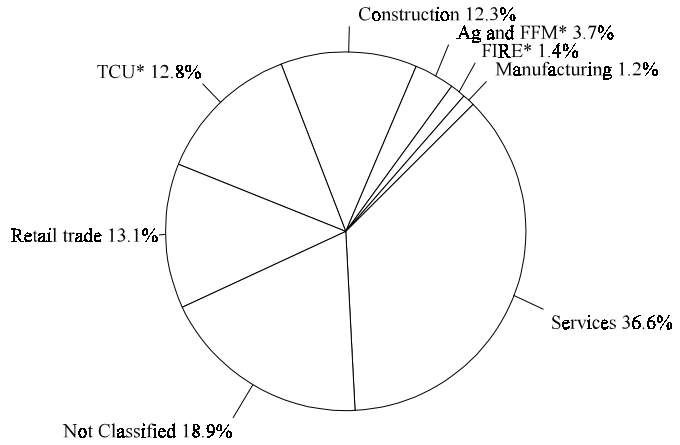
American Indian-Owned Businesses in North Dakota: 1997

American Indians owned 752 North Dakota nonfarm businesses in 1997, employing 1,111 persons and generating \$147 million in business revenues. In 1997, American Indian-owned firms accounted for 1.4 percent of all nonfarm businesses in North Dakota, 0.5 percent of the state's employment and 0.4 percent of receipts.

Nearly half of American Indian-owned firms operated as a service or in retail trade. Another fourth were businesses in construction and transportation, communication, and utilities. Approximately one-half of the receipts were concentrated in retail trade and services.

American Indian-owned firms with paid employees accounted for 23.7 percent of the total number of American Indian-owned firms and 80.9 percent of gross receipts.

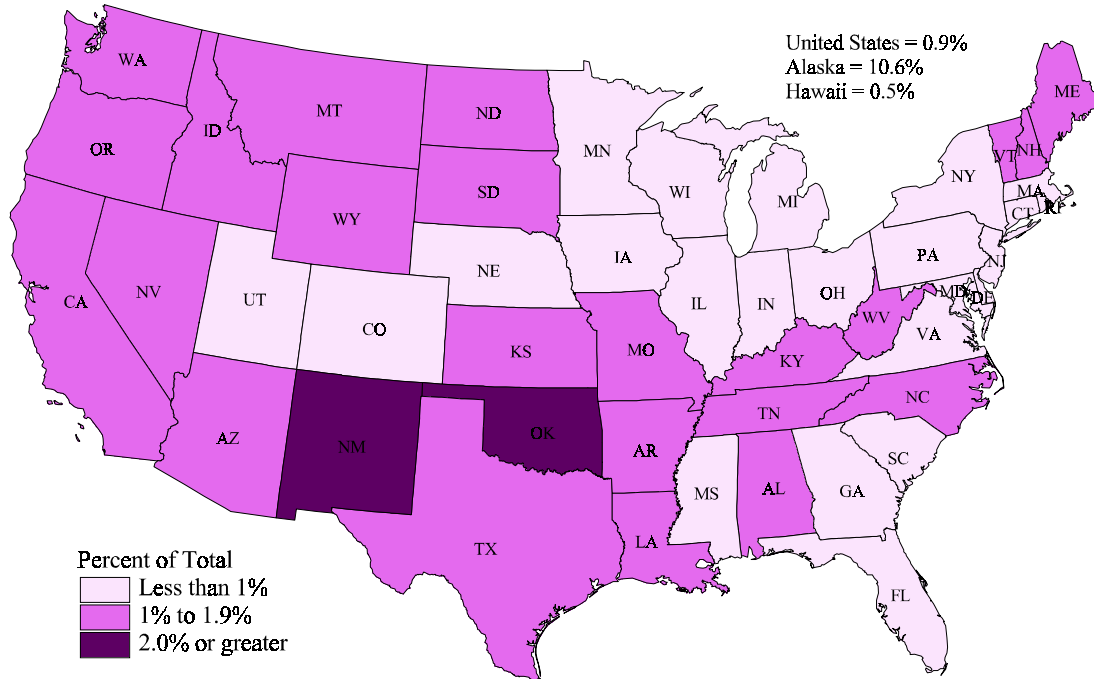
American Indian-Owned Firms by Industry
North Dakota 1997



Note: *Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Mining (Ag and FFM); Transportation, Communication, and Utilities (TCU); Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate (FIRE). Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1997 Economic Census, Survey of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises, EC97CS-6, Issued May 2001.

American Indian and Alaskan Native-Owned Firms as a Percent of Total Firms in State: 1997

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1997 Economic Census, Minority Owned Business Enterprises



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Area	All Firms		Firms with Paid Employees			
	Firms (number)	Sales and receipts (\$1,000)	Firms (number)	Sales and receipts (\$1,000)	Employees (number)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)
United States	197,300	34,343,907	33,277	29,226,260	298,661	6,624,235
Alabama	3,513	459,539	592	382,184	4,001	75,893
Alaska	6,820	1,709,448	828	1,505,318	8,131	264,928
Arizona	5,510	752,520	848	673,949	8,703	163,623
Arkansas	2,308	438,170	351	369,989	3,456	63,573
California	26,603	5,835,958	5,039	5,067,499	77,803	1,894,671
Colorado	3,390	515,072	405	415,046	3,539	110,075
Connecticut	1,311	407,124	418	350,652	3,748	100,739
Delaware	288	55,226	56	49,898	1,423	18,542
Dist.of Columbia	66	D	32	D	e	D
Florida	10,546	1,518,789	1,789	1,265,839	10,593	201,623
Georgia	4,470	495,465	682	345,077	4,203	81,456
Hawaii	458	48,134	33	19,168	142	3,066
Idaho	1,239	301,126	260	271,031	1,883	41,489
Illinois	3,945	664,108	650	570,584	4,879	137,517
Indiana	2,898	396,221	422	332,342	2,776	53,388
Iowa	949	96,501	176	86,990	748	11,022
Kansas	2,318	453,199	540	408,324	3,231	71,083
Kentucky	3,069	242,694	391	149,055	2,257	35,864
Louisiana	3,230	561,178	300	473,514	3,942	86,176
Maine	1,417	160,997	204	117,439	867	19,272
Maryland	2,421	330,961	443	275,900	2,605	64,519
Massachusetts	3,428	295,317	579	195,226	2,668	82,551
Michigan	5,802	720,384	1,016	594,295	7,055	127,831
Minnesota	2,413	514,907	350	404,218	2,310	57,508
Mississippi	1,088	209,854	222	179,764	1,648	30,658
Missouri	4,106	625,993	774	506,782	5,839	112,352
Montana	1,912	165,265	438	130,417	1,504	22,677
Nebraska	799	99,826	107	90,889	1,157	21,770
Nevada	1,231	244,734	183	202,138	1,475	36,787
New Hampshire	1,038	156,740	123	126,752	897	19,741
New Jersey	2,375	364,056	461	300,492	2,347	57,733
New Mexico	6,838	579,671	566	473,630	3,398	85,477
New York	6,443	1,417,279	1,074	1,206,603	5,270	155,336
North Carolina	7,148	911,903	1,275	737,230	7,942	141,365
North Dakota	752	147,068	178	118,990	1,111	16,721
Ohio	5,124	1,074,343	682	932,874	9,357	204,934
Oklahoma	15,066	2,645,736	2,794	2,266,674	19,276	380,084
Oregon	2,861	372,608	431	299,502	2,505	55,871
Pennsylvania	5,161	505,273	951	388,532	5,288	73,590
Rhode Island	625	80,213	80	D	e	D
South Carolina	2,229	199,917	409	153,006	3,066	41,640
South Dakota	955	221,916	178	198,998	2,773	37,177
Tennessee	3,746	546,041	568	471,084	4,518	101,939
Texas	15,668	3,320,188	2,747	2,853,049	26,941	481,112
Utah	1,428	140,070	187	108,884	1,317	20,041
Vermont	751	178,902	116	159,164	732	18,053
Virginia	3,280	621,617	646	571,739	5,924	178,260
Washington	4,689	1,202,989	974	1,096,283	14,242	313,597
West Virginia	1,017	127,306	171	111,356	1,078	17,910
Wisconsin	2,338	1,135,975	699	1,080,481	6,738	202,160
Wyoming	477	D	95	D	f	D

Note: D Data withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies; data are included in higher-level totals. e 250 to 499 employees. f 500 to 999 employees.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1997 Economic Census, Survey of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises, American Indian and Alaskan Natives, EC97CS-6, Issues May 2001.