

Table 1: Estimated 2017 Census Sample Sizes by Sector

Sector	Trade	Total Estabs	Estimated Number of Respondents	Multi Estabs	Single-Establishments						Estimated Time Per Response/ Hour	Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours
					Univ	Selected			Not Selected			
						Long "Forms"			Total ⁽²⁾	Class ⁽¹⁾ "Forms"		
						Cert	NonCert	Total				
Total												
21	Mining ⁽³⁾	28,474	23,890	9,179	19,295	11,053	1,237	12,290	7,005	2,421	4.0	95,560
22	Utilities ⁽³⁾	18,042	18,042	13,174	4,868	4,868	0	4,868	0	0	2.2	39,692
23	Construction	643,514	215,108	18,549	624,965	33,365	89,882	123,247	501,718	73,312	2.3	494,748
31	Manufacturing	284,418	230,608	58,144	226,274	112,810	17,039	129,849	96,425	42,615	5.6	1,291,405
42	Wholesale Trade	400,444	400,444	133,667	266,777	266,777	0	266,777	0	0	1.3	520,577
44	Retail Trade	1,039,621	742,489	446,413	593,208	159,195	58,692	217,887	375,321	78,189	1.0	742,489
48	Transportation and Warehousing	217,107	169,714	56,205	160,902	67,465	19,386	86,851	74,051	26,658	4.4	746,742
51	Information ⁽³⁾	132,838	108,217	70,202	62,636	28,362	5,429	33,791	28,845	4,224	1.4	151,504
52	Finance and Insurance ⁽³⁾	464,674	367,924	249,745	214,929	101,367	12,816	114,183	100,746	3,996	1.5	551,886
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	353,421	222,181	96,941	256,480	32,931	33,407	66,338	190,142	58,902	1.0	222,181
54	Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	820,435	380,653	112,276	708,159	101,472	65,172	166,644	541,515	101,733	1.0	380,653
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	68,963	68,963	65,477	3,486	3,486	0	3,486	0	0	1.9	131,030
56	Administrative and Support and Waste	387,120	182,388	78,649	308,471	49,541	33,044	82,585	225,886	21,154	1.0	182,388
61	Educational Services	68,482	38,087	7,620	60,862	11,776	8,729	20,505	40,357	9,962	0.7	26,661
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	833,364	441,928	235,422	597,942	120,226	46,929	167,155	430,787	39,351	1.0	441,928
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	120,359	75,571	13,963	106,396	34,025	10,180	44,205	62,191	17,403	1.0	75,571
72	Accommodation and Food Services	668,341	462,367	192,107	476,234	169,848	24,058	193,906	282,328	76,354	1.0	462,367
81	Other Services (except Public Admin.)	526,210	275,209	76,542	449,668	106,194	44,984	151,178	298,490	47,489	1.0	275,209
Totals		7,075,827	4,423,783	1,934,275	5,141,552	1,414,761	470,984	1,885,745	3,255,807	603,763		6,832,591

Notes: ⁽¹⁾ Class "forms" counts are included in the "Not Selected" total
⁽²⁾ Federal administrative records
⁽³⁾ Approximately 7% of Multi-establishments in selected industries classified in the Mining sector and approximately 4% of selected industries classified in Utilities, Information, and Finance and Insurance sectors report basic data for several establishments at a nation-wide level on consolidated report paths(s) to ease burden.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Census Bureau

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; 2017 Economic Census of Island Areas

AGENCY: U.S. Census Bureau,
 Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: To ensure consideration, written comments must be submitted on or before September 6, 2016.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW.,

Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at jjessup@doc.gov).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Kevin Deardorff, U.S. Census Bureau, Economy Wide Statistics Division, Room 8K154, 4600 Silver Hill Road, Washington, DC 20233, telephone (301) 763-6033, or via the Internet at Kevin.E.Deardorff@census.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The Economic Census of Island Areas, conducted under authority of Title 13, United States Code (U.S.C.), Section 131, is the primary source of facts about the structure and functioning of the U.S. economy, including Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, collectively referred to as Island Areas. The Economic Census of Island Areas, is the primary source of facts about each of the island areas' economies. Economic Census of Island Areas statistics serve to benchmark estimates of local net income and gross domestic product, and

provide essential information for government (Federal and local), businesses, and the general public.

The 2017 Economic Census of Island Areas will cover the following sectors as defined by the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS): Mining; Utilities; Construction; Manufacturing; Wholesale and Retail Trades; Transportation and Warehousing; Information; Finance and Insurance; Real Estate and Rental and Leasing; Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services; Management of Companies and Enterprises; Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services; Educational Services; Health Care and Social Assistance; Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation; Accommodation and Food Services; and Other Services (except Public Administration). This scope is roughly equivalent to that of the stateside Economic Census. Due to concerns about the completeness of the universe for collection, the Economic Census of Island Areas does not collect data on Scheduled Air Transportation (NAICS 4811) or Business, Professional, Labor, Political, and Similar Organizations (NAICS 8139). The Economic Census of Island Areas is the

only source of economic data collected for the Island Areas.

The information collected will produce statistics by kind of business on the number of establishments, sales, value of shipments, receipts, revenue, payroll, and employment. The Economic Census of Island Areas will also yield a variety of industry-specific statistics, including sales/receipts by commodity/merchandise/receipt lines, sales/value of shipments by class of customer, and number of hotel rooms. While the Economic Census of Island Areas collects the same sector level data as the Economic Census, the data published are at a less detailed NAICS level with some additional exclusions.

Data collection for the 2017 Economic Census of Island Areas will begin in January of 2018 and will closeout in

October of 2018. In an effort to reduce respondent burden, processing time, and cost, the 2017 Economic Census of Island Areas is aiming to increase data collection through the use of electronic reporting tools.

II. Method of Collection

The 2017 Economic Census of Island Areas will be conducted using electronic reporting instrument procedures with a follow-up mailout of a paper questionnaire. Establishments will be selected from the Census Bureau’s Business Register. The Census Bureau’s Business Register provides a current and comprehensive database of U.S. business establishments and companies for statistical program use. An establishment will be included in the 2017 Economic Census of Island

Areas if: (a) It is engaged in any of the sectors within the scope of the census listed above; (b) it is an active operating establishment with payroll; and (c) it is located in Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the U.S. Virgin Islands, or American Samoa.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0607–XXXX.

Questionnaire Number(s): Electronic Path ID(s): The questionnaires and paths in the electronic instrument used to collect information in the Islands Areas are tailored to specific industries or groups of industries. Puerto Rico questionnaires and electronic instruments are available in English as well as Spanish.

Questionnaire No. and electronic path ID	Island area	Trade
2101T	Puerto Rico	Utilities, Transportation, and Warehousing.
2102T	Puerto Rico	Utilidades, Transportacion y Almacenaje.
2103T	Selected U.S. Territories	Utilities, Transportation, and Warehousing.
2104T	American Samoa	Utilities, Transportation, and Warehousing.
2301T	Puerto Rico	Construction.
2302T	Puerto Rico	Industrias de Construccion.
2303T	Selected U.S. Territories	Construction.
2304T	American Samoa	Construction.
3101T	Puerto Rico	Manufacturing.
3102T	Puerto Rico	Manufactura.
3103T	Selected U.S. Territories	Manufacturing.
3104T	American Samoa	Manufacturing.
4201T	Puerto Rico	Wholesale Trade.
4202T	Puerto Rico	Comercio al Poy Mayor.
4203T	Selected U.S. Territories	Wholesale Trade.
4204T	American Samoa	Wholesale Trade.
4401T	Puerto Rico	Retail Trade.
4402T	Puerto Rico	Comercio al Detal.
4403T	Selected U.S. Territories	Retail Trade.
4404T	American Samoa	Retail Trade.
5101T	Puerto Rico	Services.
5102T	Puerto Rico	Servicios.
5103T	Selected U.S. Territories	Services.
5104T	American Samoa	Services.
5201T	Puerto Rico	Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing.
5202T	Puerto Rico	Finanzas y Seguros, Bienes Raices, Alquiler y Arrendamiento.
5203T	Selected U.S. Territories	Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing.
5204T	American Samoa	Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing.
7201T	Puerto Rico	Accommodation Services.
7202T	Puerto Rico	Servicios de Alojamiento.
7203T	Selected U.S. Territories	Accommodation Services.
7204T	American Samoa	Accommodation Services.

Type of Review: Regular submission.

Affected Public: Local governments, businesses, and other for profit or nonprofit institutions or organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 52,970 (Puerto Rico: 45,000; Guam: 3,400; Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands: 1,400; U.S. Virgin Islands: 2,700; American Samoa: 470).

Estimated Time per Response: 1 hour.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 52,970 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$0.

Respondent’s Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: Title 13, U.S.C., Section 131 and 191.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the

agency’s estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or

included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: June 29, 2016.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: U.S. Census Bureau.

Title: Address Canvassing Testing.

OMB Control Number: 0607-XXXX.

Form Number(s):

DF-31DA(E/S) Confidentiality Notice. LiMA Screenshots.

Type of Request: Regular Submission.

Number of Respondents: 86,250.

Average Hours per Response: 5 minutes per Household.

Burden Hours: 7,188.

Needs and Uses: During the years preceding the 2020 Census, the Census Bureau will pursue its commitment to reduce the costs of conducting a decennial census, while maintaining our commitment to quality. The goal of Reengineering Address Canvassing is to ensure an accurate address frame is developed utilizing innovative methodologies and data for updating the Master Address File (MAF)/ Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding and Referencing (TIGER) System throughout the decade. The Census Bureau plans to test Address Canvassing during the Fall of 2016 in the Address Canvassing Test, and in the Spring of 2017 as part of the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test. Both tests will include two major components of the reengineered Address Canvassing operation: In-Office Address Canvassing and In-Field Address Canvassing. The purpose of the tests is to determine the accuracy and feasibility of some of the planned innovations for Address Canvassing. The Census Bureau believes that there are other means for accomplishing the address list updates and determining which areas have housing changes without canvassing every single block in the field just before the census as was done in previous

censuses. These tests will examine these new methods, which will allow decisions to be made about their feasibility for use within the decennial census.

The following objectives are crucial to a successful Address Canvassing Test and 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test:

- Implementing all planned 2020 Census In-Office Address Canvassing processes, including Interactive Review (IR), Active Block Resolution (ABR), MAF Updating and Identification of the In-Field Address Canvassing workload.
- Evaluating the effectiveness of online training for Field Supervisors and Field Representatives.
- Measuring the effectiveness of In-Office Address Canvassing through In-Field Address Canvassing.
- Integrating multiple information technology applications to create one seamless operational data collection, control and management system.

The Address Canvassing Test occurs in two sites within the continental United States. Each site is comprised of 4,000 blocks with up to 125,000 addresses in each site. All living quarters in the test sites are included in the In-Office Address Canvassing workload, as well as the In-Field Address Canvassing workload. For the In-Field Address Canvassing data collection, listers will knock on every door to ask residents about their living quarters. In addition to the Address Canvassing Test, the Census Bureau will also test the Address Canvassing operation as part of the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test. This information is new compared to the information that was included in the **Federal Register** Notice for the Address Canvassing Test. The addition of the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test Address Canvassing necessitated a name change for this package to “Address Canvassing Testing” from the “Address Canvassing Test” that appeared in the earlier **Federal Register** Notice. The Address Canvassing operations in the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test will occur in the winter of 2017 and in the sites selected for the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test. This universe consists of an estimated 95,000 housing units in the selected areas. The methodology and test objectives for the Address Canvassing operation in the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test are the same as the Address Canvassing Test.

Supporting Documents About the 2020 Census Design and the Address Canvassing Test Objectives

We are submitting with the package the following documents with the purpose stated:

1. The 2020 Census Operational Plan documents at a high-level the objectives for the census tests already completed, as well as those planned for the future. This document shows the current planned design of the 2020 Census and identifies design decisions made, as well as remaining decisions to be made using census test results. https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/2020-census/planning-management/memo-series/2020-memo-2015_02.html.

2. The 2020 Census Detailed Operational Plan for the Address Canvassing Operation complements the U.S. Census Bureau’s 2020 Census Operational Plan. This document describes the objectives and procedures for all aspects of the Address Canvassing program, including a description of the major tasks involved in the implementation, the overall program workflow, and the overall resources needed to support the effort. https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/2020-census/planning-management/memo-series/2020-memo-2015_04.html.

3. The 2020 Census Research and Testing Management Plan defines the high-level research for the life-cycle of the program, thereby providing direction for research and testing activities and for decision-making based on the outcomes. https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/2020-census/planning-management/memo-series/2020-memo-2015_03.html.

In addition, we are submitting planning documents that list our Goals, Objectives, and Success Criteria for the Address Canvassing Test and the 2017 Puerto Rico Census Test, which outlines the research questions related to the design decisions to be made using the results of this test.

Address Canvassing Test—Buncombe County, North Carolina and St. Louis (Part), Missouri

For the Address Canvassing Test, the areas within Buncombe County, North Carolina and St. Louis (part), Missouri were chosen based on a variety of characteristics:

- One site is experiencing population and housing unit growth and contains a mix of urban, suburban and rural territory.
- One site is a city experiencing sustained population decline.
- Both sites contain a mix of address styles, such as city-style addresses (*i.e.*, 101 Main St.), non city-style addresses (*i.e.*, Rural Route 2, Box 12) and location descriptions (*i.e.*, Tan Mobile Home).