

The State of Minority Business:

Puerto Rico

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Population by Group (Race Alone) - Puerto Rico, 2007						
Group	Estimate	Percent				
Puerto Rican	3,765,840	95.5%				
Cuban	20,686	0.5%				
Mexican	8,726	0.2%				
Other Hispanic or Latino	94,767	2.4%				
Total Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3,890,019	98.7%				
White alone, not Hispanic	41,963	1.1%				
Black or African American alone, not Hispanic	4,369	0.1%				
Asian Alone, not Hispanic	2,270	0.1%				
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, not Hispanic	96	0.002%				
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, not Hispanic	62	0.002%				
Some other race alone, not Hispanic	3,344	0.1%				
Total Population	3,942,375	100.0%				

Population by Race (Race Alone and in Combination) - Puerto Rico, 2007

- In 2007, there were 3.9 million people in Puerto Rico, of which 3.8 million (96%)were Puerto Ricans.
- Hispanics, including Puerto Ricans, may be of any race.
- About 80% of the population of Puerto Rico was White, and 11% was Black or African American.



□ White, 3,168,698 people (80.4%)

- Some other race, 498,146 people (12.6%)
- □ Black or African American, 425,918 people (10.8%)
- □ American Indian and Alaska Native, 13,025 people (0.3%)
- Asian, 10,848 people (0.3%)

■ Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, 342 people (0.01%)

Class of Worker for Employed Civilian Population (16 years and over) in Puerto Rico, 2000						
	Estimate	% of Total Workers	% of Total Population (16 years and older)			
Self-employed in own incorporated business	28,271	3.0%	1.0%			
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	69,181	7.4%	2.4%			
Total Self-employed	97,452	10.5%	3.4%			
Employee of private company	564,312	60.6%	19.9%			
Private, not-for-profit worker	39,349	4.2%	1.4%			
Government worker	226,717	24.4%	8.0%			
Unpaid family worker	3,035	0.3%	0.1%			
Total Workers	930,865	100.0%	32.7%			
Population, 16 years and older	2,842,876		100.0%			

- In 2000, 97,452 individuals in Puerto Rico (10.5% of the working population 16 years old and over) identified themselves as self-employed.
- Among those who were 16 years and older, 3.4% were self-employed in 2000.

Establishments for Firms with Payroll in Puerto Rico by Gross Receipts Size, 2002



- Establishments with receipts of \$500,000 or more represented 37% of the total establishments in Puerto Rico, generated 94% of gross receipts and employed 85% of paid workers in 2002.
- Establishments are for firms with payroll, regardless of ownership, including publicly held firms. A firm may consist of one or more establishment.
- The chart does not include data on establishments in construction; manufacturing; and forestry, fishing and hunting, or agricultural support services.
- Industry sectors with the highest concentration of establishments include retail trade (25.9%); health care and social assistance (14.6%); and accommodation and food services (9.3%).

Firms with Payroll by Selected Industry Sectors for Puerto Rico, 2002								
Industry	Number of Firms	Number of Establishments	Sales, receipts, or revenue (\$1,000)	Number of Employees	Number of Proprietors or Partners	% of Total Establishments		
Mining	41	44	\$107,000	949	16	0.1%		
Utilities	18	18	\$369,932	503	6	0.04%		
Transportation and warehousing	1,024	1,071	\$2,076,573	13,137	636	2.4%		
Information	441	462	\$3,686,792	19,696	219	1.0%		
Finance and insurance	878	1,809	\$10,233,015	36,059	907	4.1%		
Real estate and rental and leasing	1,624	1,783	\$1,698,631	13,086	1,336	4.0%		
Professional, scientific, and technical services	3,863	3,965	\$2,836,774	26,197	3,434	9.0%		
Management of companies and enterprises	38	94	\$511,676	2,237	12	0.2%		
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation service	1,518	1,724	\$2,336,978	61,703	891	3.9%		
Educational services	284	306	\$242,810	4,647	140	0.7%		
Health care and social assistance	6,165	6,464	\$4,967,317	68,338	4,383	14.6%		
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	355	369	\$278,975	3,115	396	0.8%		
Accommodation and food services	3,217	4,133	\$3,360,226	63,810	2,494	9.3%		
Other services (except public administration)	3,091	3,324	\$1,470,563	18,417	2,411	7.5%		
Wholesale trade	2,313	2,313	\$16,172,710	39,316	402	5.2%		
Retail trade	8,475	11,465	\$20,422,975	122,435	6,499	25.9%		
Manufacturing	n/a	2,195	n/a	126,707	n/a	5.0%		
Construction	n/a	2,683	n/a	67,288	n/a	6.1%		
Total	n/a	44,222	n/a	687,640	n/a	100%		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2002 Economic Census of Island Areas, March 2006; 2007 American Community Survey, 1 year estimates; Census 2000, July 2002. Notes: An establishment is a single physical location at which business is conducted and/or services are provided. It is not necessarily identical to a firm, company or enterprise, which may consist of one establishment or more. Includes publicly held firms and all other firms regardless of ownership. Other Services includes firms not provided for elsewhere in the classification system which are engaged in activities such as equipment and machinery repairing, promoting religious activities, grantmaking, advocacy, providing dry-cleaning and laundry services, personal care services and dating services. For information on Census' data methodology and standard errors, please visit <u>http://www.census.gov/econ/census02/guide/islandareas.htm</u> and <u>http://www.census.gov/main/www/cen2000.html</u>. Prepared by MBDA's Knowledge Management Unit, May, 2009.