

Greater Mankato Economic Profile
(based on total average number of employees)

	Combined Total Q4 2008		Combined Total Q4 2007		Variance Q4 2007 - Q4 2008	
Total, All Industries	51,895		52,463		-568	-1.1%
Primary Economy	16,644	32.1%	16,816	32.1%	-172	-1.0%
Manufacturing	8,358	16.1%	8,834	16.8%	-476	-5.4%
Construction	2,364	4.6%	2,224	4.2%	140	6.3%
Wholesale Trade	2,315	4.5%	2,459	4.7%	-144	-5.9%
Information	1,567	3.0%	1,341	2.6%	226	16.9%
Transportation and Warehousing	1,070	2.1%	1,009	1.9%	61	6.0%
Natural Resources and Mining	744	1.4%	726	1.4%	18	2.5%
Utilities	226	0.4%	223	0.4%	3	1.3%
Professional / Service Economy	23,089	44.5%	22,715	43.3%	374	1.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance**	7,372	14.2%	6,934	13.2%	438	6.3%
Educational Services**	3,997	7.7%	3,888	7.4%	109	2.8%
Education and Health Services*	3,632	7.0%	3,437	6.6%	195	5.7%
Professional and Business Services	3,476	6.7%	3,725	7.1%	-249	-6.7%
Other Services	1,744	3.4%	1,809	3.4%	-65	-3.6%
Finance and Insurance	1,167	2.2%	1,177	2.2%	-10	-0.8%
Public Administration**	1,155	2.2%	1,115	2.1%	40	3.6%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	546	1.1%	630	1.2%	-84	-13.3%
Retail / Consumer Economy	11,286	21.7%	11,994	22.9%	-708	-5.9%
Retail Trade	6,690	12.9%	7,087	13.5%	-397	-5.6%
Accommodation and Food Services	4,129	8.0%	4,328	8.2%	-199	-4.6%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	467	0.9%	579	1.1%	-112	-19.3%
Unclassified / Supressed Data	876	1.7%	938	1.8%	-62	-6.6%

* data is aggregated (sub-sector data is suppressed as a result of limited sources)

** suppressed data, unavailable

Source: *Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), Labor Market Information - Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (June, 2009)*

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