

## Mass Layoff Statistics 3rd Quarter 2002

During the period July through September 2002, there were 50 mass layoff events in Ohio, an increase of 6 events over the Third Quarter of 2001. This resulted in 5,711 separations, an over the year decrease of 1,132 from the Third Quarter 2001 total of 6,843 separations.

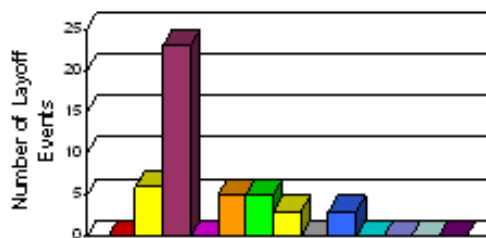
### Mass Layoff Events by Industry

Forty-Six percent of the total number of mass layoff events occurred in manufacturing, representing 47% of all separations. Construction accounted for 12% of all mass layoff events and 8% of all separations. Retail Trade along with Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities both claimed 10% of the mass layoffs events with 11% and 18% respectively of all separations.

Mass Layoff Events in Ohio by Industry 3rd Quarter 2002 (revised)				
Industry	Establishments with		Workers	
	Mass Layoffs		Separated	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5,711</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>GOODS PRODUCING</b>				
Natural Resources & Mining	*	*	*	*
Construction	6	12%	462	8%
Manufacturing	23	46%	2,710	47%
Durable Goods	18	36%	2,076	36%
Nondurable Goods	5	10%	634	11%
<b>SERVICE PROVIDING</b>				
Wholesale Trade	*	*	*	*
Retail Trade	5	10%	606	11%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	5	10%	1,009	18%
Information	3	6%	310	5%
Finance Activities	*	*	*	*
Professional & Business Services	3	6%	275	5%
Education & Health	*	*	*	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*	*	*	*
Other Services	*	*	*	*
Public Administration	*	*	*	*

\* Data suppressed for industries with less than three layoffs to protect confidentiality; establishment totals include suppressed industries.

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## Mass Layoff Events by Primary Reason

Company Reorganization, was responsible for 32% of total mass layoffs and 27% of workers separated. Slack work accounted for 22% of all mass layoffs and 17% of all separations. Included in the 50 mass layoffs for Ohio were 22 actual establishment closures with 3,460 separations. In comparison, there were 10 closures with 2,288 separations in the 3rd quarter 2001.

Mass Layoff Events in Ohio by Primary Reason 3rd Quarter 2002 (revised)				
Primary Reason	Mass Layoffs		Workers Separated	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5,711</b>	<b>100%</b>
Bankruptcy	4	8%	1,001	18%
Ownership Change	*	*	*	*
Contract Cancellation	*	*	*	*
Contract Completed	10	20%	1,045	18%
Domestic Relocation	*	*	*	*
Financial Difficulty	4	8%	737	13%
Plant/Machine Repair	*	*	*	*
Reorganization	16	32%	1,565	27%
Seasonal	*	*	*	*
Slack Work	11	22%	950	17%
Product Line Discontinued	*	*	*	*
Import Competition	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*
Information Not Available	*	*	*	*

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