

Mass Layoff Statistics 2nd Quarter 2003

During the period April through June 2003, there were 54 mass layoff events in Ohio, a decrease of 8 events from second quarter 2002. This resulted in 6,421 separations, an over the year decrease of 368 from the second quarter 2002 total of 6,789 separations.

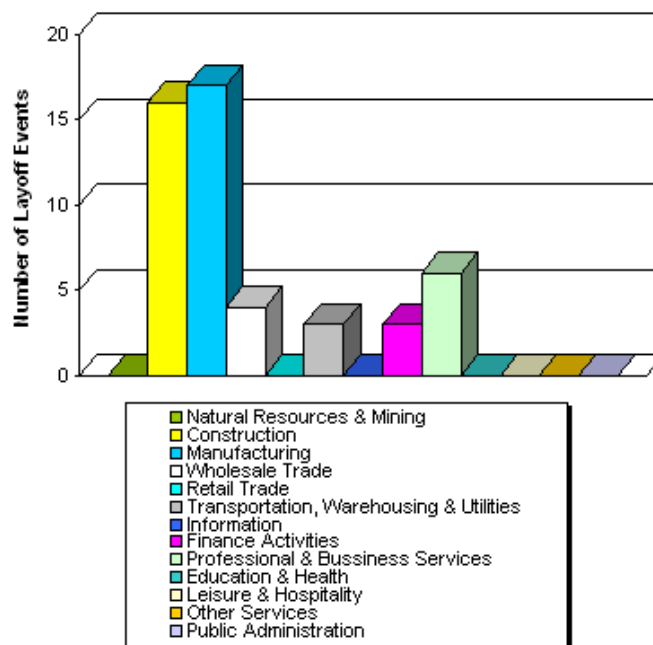
Mass Layoff Events by Industry

Thirty-one percent of the total number of mass layoff events occurred in Manufacturing, representing 28% of all separations. Construction accounted for 30% of all mass layoff events and 27% of all separations.

Mass Layoff Events in Ohio by Industry 2nd Quarter 2003 (preliminary)					
Industry	Establishments with Mass Layoffs		Twelve Month Change	Workers Separated	
	Number	Percent	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	54	100%	-13%	6,421	100%
GOODS PRODUCING					
Natural Resources & Mining	*	*	*	*	*
Construction	16	30%	78%	1,729	27%
Manufacturing	17	31%	-19%	1,768	28%
Durable Goods	13	24%	-24%	1,503	23%
Nondurable Goods	3	6%	-25%	265	4%
SERVICE PROVIDING					
Wholesale Trade	4	7%	100%	433	7%
Retail Trade	*	*	*	*	*
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	3	6%	50%	524	8%
Information	*	*	*	*	*
Finance Activities	3	6%	50%	229	4%
Professional & Business Services	6	11%	-25%	852	13%
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.

**Mass Layoff Events in Ohio by Industry
2nd Quarter 2003**



Mass Layoff Events by Primary Reason

Events resulting from Contract Completion accounted for 41% of all mass layoffs and 42% of all separations. Company Reorganizations were responsible for 24% of total mass layoffs and 24% again of workers separated. Included in the 54 mass layoff events for Ohio were 13 actual establishment closures with 1,137 separations. In comparison, there were 16 closures with 1,862 separations in the second quarter 2002.

Mass Layoff Events in Ohio by Primary Reason 2nd Quarter 2003 (preliminary)				
Primary Reason	Mass Layoffs		Workers Separated	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	54	100%	6,421	100%
Bankruptcy	*	*	*	*
Ownership Change	*	*	*	*
Contract Cancellation	*	*	*	*
Contract Completed	22	41%	2,717	42%
Domestic Relocation	*	*	*	*
Financial Difficulty	*	*	*	*
Plant/Machine Repair	*	*	*	*
Reorganization	13	24%	1,512	24%
Seasonal	*	*	*	*
Slack Work	10	19%	1,175	18%
Product Line Discontinued	*	*	*	*
Import Competition	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*
Information Not Available	*	*	*	*

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