



MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

Confirmed Mass Layoff Statistics Events by Industry* 4th Quarter 2011

NAICS Supersector	Layoff Events	Total Separations	Initial Claims
Total	9	1,015	854
Total, private	9	1,015	854
Manufacturing	4	323	456
Other sectors [◊]	5	692	398

[◊]Other sectors not released due to BLS confidentiality rules.

Initial Claims Characteristics Report* 4th Quarter 2011

Characteristic	Initial Claims	Percent [†]
Total	854	100.0
Race/Ethnicity		
White/Non-Hispanic	335	39.2
Black/Non-Hispanic	477	55.9
Hispanic origin	34	4.0
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.1
Asian or Pacific Islander	7	0.8
Information not available	0	0.0
Gender		
Male	614	71.9
Female	240	28.1
Information not available	0	0.0
Veteran Status		
Veteran	77	9.0
Non-Veteran	776	90.9
Information not available	1	0.1
Age		
Under 30	180	21.1
30 to 44	333	39.0
45 to 54	202	23.7
55 and over	139	16.3
Information not available	0	0.0

*Data produced by Mississippi Department of Employment Security in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics

† Numbers may not add due to rounding