

# Greater Sudbury

## NUMBER OF BUSINESSES BY EMPLOYEE SIZE RANGE

TABLE 1 – GREATER SUDBURY NUMBER OF BUSINESSES BY EMPLOYEE SIZE RANGE JUNE 2023										
INDUSTRY SECTOR 2-DIGIT NAICS	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES								%	R A N K
	0	1-4	5-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100+	TOTAL		
11 Agriculture	68	11	9	5	4	0	0	97	1	18
21 Mining	47	13	9	10	5	7	14	105	1	17
22 Utilities	16	3	0	1	1	1	0	22	0	19
23 Construction	550	273	121	77	62	16	8	1107	9	3
31-33 Manufacturing	102	53	39	34	30	11	10	279	2	12
41 Wholesale Trade	103	75	69	58	31	8	2	346	3	10
44-45 Retail Trade	337	179	194	140	88	36	17	991	8	5
48-49 Transportation/Warehousing	242	45	18	15	9	9	6	344	3	11
51 Information and Cultural	83	27	18	6	4	8	0	146	1	15
52 Finance and Insurance	660	62	39	41	23	4	2	831	7	7
53 Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	3010	167	36	19	14	2	2	3250	27	1
54 Professional Scientific Tech	722	228	57	49	28	16	6	1106	9	4
55 Management of Companies	131	9	4	2	4	1	1	152	1	14
56 Administrative Support	196	75	32	26	24	15	10	378	3	9
61 Educational Services	70	23	12	6	5	1	9	126	1	16
62 Health Care & Social Assist	653	313	111	125	63	15	24	1304	11	2
71 Arts, Entertainment & Rec	127	26	12	20	14	6	2	207	2	13
72 Accommodation & Food	117	69	68	83	84	24	4	449	4	8
81 Other Services	429	240	94	44	33	3	5	848	7	6
91 Public Administration	0	2	1	0	1	3	2	9	0	20
<b>CLASSIFIED BUSINESSES</b>	<b>7663</b>	<b>1893</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>12097</b>		
Percentage classified/unclassified	66%	15%	7%	6%	4%	1%	1%	99%		
Cumulative percentage	66%	81%	88%	94%	98%	99%	100%			
ONTARIO % classified/unclassified	72%	17%	5%	3%	2%	1%	1%			

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Canadian Business Counts June 2023

Highlighted cells: indicate the 3 largest industries (by number of businesses) for each employee-size category

Classified businesses are businesses for which the industry classification is known

## CHANGE IN NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS BY INDUSTRY AND BY FIRM SIZE

**TABLE 1a GREATER SUDBURY  
CHANGE IN THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS,  
BY INDUSTRY AND BY FIRM SIZE, JUNE 2022 TO JUNE 2023**

INDUSTRY SECTOR	Firm size (# of employees)					Total # of firms June 2023
	0	1-19	20-99	100+	Total	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and farming	11	-1	2	0	12	97
Mining and oil and gas extraction	3	-1	0	1	3	105
Utilities	-1	-2	0	0	-3	22
Construction	33	12	5	0	50	1107
Manufacturing	-2	0	0	0	-2	279
Wholesale trade	-6	13	-7	-2	-2	346
Retail trade	-21	-10	2	2	-27	991
Transportation and warehousing	27	-1	-1	0	25	344
Information and cultural industries	1	3	-3	0	1	146
Finance and insurance	4	-11	4	0	-3	831
Real estate and rental and leasing	120	-1	-3	0	116	3250
Professional, scientific and technical services	73	-7	4	1	71	1106
Management of companies and enterprises	0	1	-1	0	0	152
Administrative and support	29	-9	6	-2	24	378
Educational services	3	-1	-1	0	1	126
Health care and social assistance	57	17	5	1	80	1304
Arts, entertainment and recreation	21	6	5	0	32	207
Accommodation and food services	8	7	11	1	27	449
Other services	34	-14	7	0	27	848
Public administration	0	2	1	1	4	9
<b>Total net changes 2022-2023</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>436</b>	
<b>Total net changes 2021-2022</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>401</b>	
<b>Total net changes 2020-2021</b>	<b>-64</b>	<b>-27</b>	<b>-62</b>	<b>-4</b>	<b>-157</b>	
<b>Total net changes 2019-2020</b>	<b>-72</b>	<b>-20</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>-81</b>	

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Canadian Business Counts, June 2019 – June 2023

Green indicates an increase in number of firms; red indicates a decrease; "0" indicates no change

### INSIGHTS: Change in number of employers by industry and by firm size

In Greater Sudbury, there was considerable growth across all employee-size categories for the second year in a row. There were large increases among establishment with no employees (especially among Real Estate & Rental & Leasing, as well as Professional, Scientific & Technical Services), but also a net increase of 36 firms with 20 to 99 employees.

Several industries experienced robust and widespread growth: Health Care & Social Assistance; Construction; Arts, Entertainment & Recreation; and Accommodation & Food Services. There were also declines, most notably among Wholesale Trade. There were a mix of increases and decreases by different sized firms among Retail Trade, and Administrative & Support Services.