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Table 7
Number of Corporations by Sector (two digits) based on the North American Industry Classification System, 2016 to 2021

NAICS Sector Groupings	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting (11)	74,780	76,430	77,900	79,100	79,620	79,650
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction (21)	20,080	19,600	18,980	18,140	17,320	16,380
Utilities (22)	2,260	2,260	2,260	2,190	2,110	2,030
Construction (23)	267,590	272,680	276,060	277,780	276,150	272,360
Manufacturing (31-32-33)	75,500	75,750	75,750	75,760	74,960	73,540
Wholesale Trade (41)	85,610	84,560	83,310	82,000	79,450	76,300
Retail Trade (44-45)	148,460	150,490	152,460	154,540	154,940	154,020
Transportation and Warehousing (48-49)	122,350	127,470	133,880	140,010	144,070	148,270
Information and Cultural Industries (51)	35,600	35,750	35,920	35,900	35,070	33,720
Finance and Insurance (52)	217,230	220,320	218,050	213,580	207,630	201,170
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing (53)	215,620	221,850	225,810	227,700	230,470	237,300
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services (54)	325,570	331,560	336,660	340,350	338,480	335,080
Management of Companies and Enterprises (55)	79,010	77,450	75,530	73,140	70,390	67,240
Administrative and Support, Waste Management and Remediation Services (56)	86,150	86,570	86,800	87,080	86,110	84,410
Educational Services (61)	21,700	22,310	22,750	23,080	22,970	22,320
Health Care and Social Assistance (62)	119,200	125,150	129,320	133,540	136,800	140,190
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation (71)	30,880	31,450	31,730	31,840	30,550	29,050
Accommodation and Food Services (72)	91,490	92,970	94,220	96,120	94,250	91,180
Other Services (except Public Administration) (81)	123,420	125,560	127,260	128,560	127,610	124,370
Public Administration (91)	1,830	1,780	1,770	1,750	1,730	1,670
Missing/Not Assigned	183,920	203,030	231,790	267,120	294,540	327,920
Total	2,328,260	2,384,980	2,438,180	2,489,260	2,505,210	2,518,180

Notes:

1. All counts are rounded to the nearest ten.
2. The sum of the data may not add to the total due to rounding.
3. Data are presented on a tax-year basis.
4. Data are as of 2023-06-30.
5. Data are subject to change due to (re)assessments.
6. Counts include all income tax returns that were assessed or reassessed.
7. Counts include tax-exempt and inactive corporations.