

Largest Arkansas Employers

Ranked by employees in Arkansas

| | Employer Address, Phone | 2013 Arkansas Employees | 2012 Arkansas Employees | % Change | Top Executive |
|-----------|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Arkansas State Government State Capitol, Room 250, Little Rock, AR 72201, (501) 682-5077 | 57,421 | 56,705 ^① | 1.26% | Gov. Mike Beebe |
| 2 | Wal-Mart Stores Inc. 702 S.W. Eighth St., Bentonville, AR 72716, (479) 277-9710 | 47,774 | 46,531 | 2.67% | Mike T. Duke |
| 3 | Tyson Foods Inc. 2200 Don Tyson Parkway, Springdale, AR 72762, (479) 290-4000 | 23,300 | 23,300 | 0.00% | Donnie Smith |
| 4 | U.S. Government 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, DC 20500, (202) 456-1414 | 20,500 | 20,400 | 0.49% | President Barack H. Obama |
| 5 | Baptist Health 9601 Interstate 630, Little Rock, AR 72205, (501) 202-2000 | 7,737 | 7,878 | -1.79% | Russell D. Harrington Jr. |
| 6 | Mercy 14528 S. Outer Forty Drive, Chesterfield, MO 63017, (314) 579-6100 | 6,200 | 6,150 | 0.81% | Lynn Britton |
| 7 | Arkansas Children's Hospital 1 Children's Way, Little Rock, AR 72202, (501) 364-1100 | 4,194 | 4,194 | 0.00% | Jonathan R. Bates |
| 8 | Arvest Bank Group Inc. 125 W. Central Ave., Suite 218, Bentonville, AR 72712, (479) 750-1400 | 3,470 | 3,200 | 8.44% | Jim C. Walton |
| 9 | J.B. Hunt Transport Services Inc. 615 J.B. Hunt Corporate Drive, Lowell, AR 72745, (479) 820-0000 | 3,269 | 4,270 | -23.44% | John N. Roberts III |
| 10 | Simmons Foods Inc. 601 N. Hico St., Siloam Springs, AR 72761, (479) 524-8151 | 3,264 | 3,238 | 0.80% | Mark C. Simmons |
| 11 | FedEx Corp. 942 S. Shady Grove Road, Memphis, TN 38120, (901) 369-3600 | 3,200 | 3,200 | 0.00% | Frederick W. Smith |
| 12 | Lowe's Cos. Inc. 1000 Lowe's Blvd., Morrisville, NC 28117, (704) 758-1000 | 3,150 | 743 | 323.96% | Robert Niblock |
| 13 | Harps Food Stores Inc. 918 S. Gutensohn Road, Springdale, AR 72762, (479) 751-7601 | 2,900 | 2,600 | 11.54% | Roger Collins |
| 14 | St. Vincent Health System 2 St. Vincent Circle, Little Rock, AR 72205, (501) 552-3000 | 2,892 | 3,066 | -5.68% | Peter D. Banko |
| 15 | St. Bernards Healthcare 225 E. Jackson Ave., Jonesboro, AR 72401, (870) 207-7305 | 2,849 | 2,500 | 13.96% | Chris Barber |
| 16 | USA Truck Inc. 3200 Industrial Park Road, Van Buren, AR 72956, (479) 471-2500 | 2,805 | 2,875 | -2.43% | John Simone |
| 17 | Entergy Arkansas 425 W. Capitol Ave., Little Rock, AR 72201, (800) 368-3749 | 2,727 | 2,751 ^② | -0.87% | Hugh T. McDonald |
| 18 | Community Health Systems Inc. 4000 Meridian Blvd., Franklin, TN 37067, (615) 465-7000 | 2,700 | 2,600 | 3.85% | Wayne T. Smith |
| 18 | Dillard's Inc. 1600 Cantrell Road, Little Rock, AR 72201, (501) 376-5200 | 2,700 ^③ | 2,700 | 0.00% | William T. Dillard II |
| 20 | Arkansas Blue Cross & Blue Shield 601 S. Gaines St., Little Rock, AR 72201, (501) 378-2000 | 2,500 | 2,879 | -13.16% | Mark White |
| 20 | Georgia-Pacific LLC 133 Peachtree St. NE, Atlanta, GA 30303, (404) 652-4000 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 0.00% | James Hannan |
| 22 | Baldor Electric Co., a member of the ABB group 5711 R.S. Boreham Jr. St., Fort Smith, AR 72901, (479) 646-4711 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 0.00% | Ron Tucker |
| 23 | George's Inc. 402 W. Robinson Ave., Springdale, AR 72764, (479) 927-7000 | 2,300 | 2,300 | 0.00% | Carl George Charles George |
| 24 | AT&T 1111 W. Capitol Avenue, Little Rock, AR 72201, (800) 225-5288 | 2,236 | 2,200 | 1.64% | Randall Stephenson |
| 25 | Acxiom Corp. 601 E. Third St., Little Rock, AR 72201, (501) 342-1000 | 2,111 | 2,171 | -2.76% | Scott E. Howe |
| 26 | Washington Regional Medical System 3215 North Hills Blvd., Fayetteville, AR 72703, (479) 463-1000 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 0.00% | William L. Bradley |
| 27 | O.K. Industries Inc. 4601 N. 6th St., Fort Smith, AR 72904, (479) 783-4186 | 2,087 | 1,606 ^④ | 29.95% | Paul D. Fox |
| 28 | Pilgrim's Pride Corp. 1770 Promontory Circle, Greeley, CO 80634, (800) 727-5366 | 2,056 | 2,175 | -5.47% | Bill Lovette |
| 29 | Superior Industries International Inc. 7800 Woodley Ave., Van Nuys, CA 91406, (818) 781-4973 | 2,000 | 1,149 ^⑤ | 74.06% | Steven J. Borick |
| 30 | United Parcel Service Inc. 55 Glenlake Parkway NE, Atlanta, GA 30328, (404) 828-6000 | 1,998 | 2,041 | -2.11% | D. Scott Davis |
| 31 | Jefferson Regional Medical Center 1600 W. 40th Ave., Pine Bluff, AR 71603, (870) 541-7100 | 1,800 | 1,800 | 0.00% | Walter Johnson |
| 32 | Cooper Tire & Rubber Co. 701 Lima Ave., Findlay, OH 45840, (419) 423-1321 | 1,768 | 1,731 | 2.14% | Roy V. Armes |
| 33 | Sparks Health System 1001 Towson Ave., Fort Smith, AR 72901, (479) 441-4000 | 1,747 | 1,717 | 1.75% | Gary Blan |
| 34 | Dassault Falcon Jet Corp. 3801 E. 10th St., Little Rock, AR 72202, (501) 372-5254 | 1,700 | 1,700 | 0.00% | John Rosanvallon |
| 35 | Nucor Corp. (Nucor-Yamato Steel) 1915 Rexford Road, Charlotte, NC 28211, (704) 366-7000 | 1,600 | 1,618 | -1.11% | John J. Ferriola |

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Sources: Arkansas Economic Development Commission, Arkansas Bureau of Legislative Research and the companies

¹ Includes employees of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences at Little Rock ² Estimate carried over from 2011 because company did not respond to repeated requests for current information ³ Estimate carried over from 2012 because company did not respond to repeated requests for current information ⁴ Number corrected from 2012 list ⁵ Estimate based on AEDC range from 2011