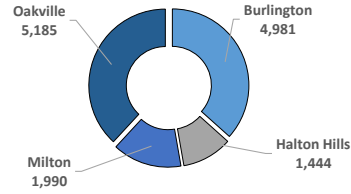


Business Growth¹

| Municipality | Business Count | | | % Change 2020/2021 |
|----------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | |
| Burlington | 5,059 | 4,947 | 4,981 | 0.7% |
| Halton Hills | 1,464 | 1,492 | 1,444 | -3.2% |
| Milton | 2,029 | 2,021 | 1,990 | -1.5% |
| Oakville | 5,098 | 5,187 | 5,185 | -0.04% |
| Halton Region | 13,650 | 13,647 | 13,600 | -0.3% |

Distribution of Municipal Businesses (2021)



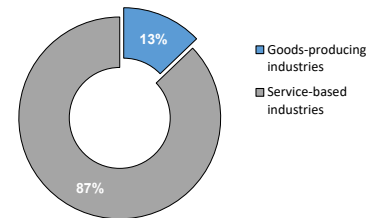
Halton Business Ownership Type¹

| | Count | % |
|-------------------|-------|-----|
| Independent | 8,052 | 66% |
| Branch/Subsidiary | 2,272 | 19% |
| Franchise | 1,295 | 11% |
| Government | 238 | 2% |
| Institutional | 353 | 3% |

Halton Business by Industry¹

| NAICS | Burlington | Halton Hills | Milton | Oakville | HALTON REGION | |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| | Count | Count | Count | Count | Count | % |
| Goods-producing industries | 704 | 205 | 256 | 582 | 1,747 | 13% |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting | 27 | 39 | 59 | 9 | 134 | 1% |
| Mining, oil, gas & utilities | 20 | 10 | 12 | 20 | 62 | 0% |
| Construction | 202 | 40 | 54 | 188 | 484 | 4% |
| Manufacturing | 455 | 116 | 131 | 365 | 1,067 | 8% |
| Service-based industries | 4,277 | 1,239 | 1,734 | 4,603 | 11,853 | 87% |
| Wholesale/retail | 1,091 | 365 | 402 | 1,040 | 2,898 | 21% |
| Transportation & warehousing | 90 | 41 | 86 | 98 | 315 | 2% |
| Finance, insurance & real estate | 367 | 91 | 114 | 389 | 961 | 7% |
| Professional, scientific & technical | 442 | 63 | 117 | 547 | 1,169 | 9% |
| Business & support services | 192 | 35 | 48 | 157 | 432 | 3% |
| Education, healthcare & gov't | 792 | 231 | 379 | 1,007 | 2,409 | 18% |
| Information, arts, culture & recreation | 226 | 70 | 100 | 229 | 625 | 5% |
| Accommodation & food services | 461 | 129 | 211 | 458 | 1,259 | 9% |
| Other services | 598 | 214 | 277 | 659 | 1,748 | 13% |
| Unclassified | 18 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 37 | 0.3% |
| TOTAL | 4,981 | 1,444 | 1,990 | 5,185 | 13,600 | 100% |

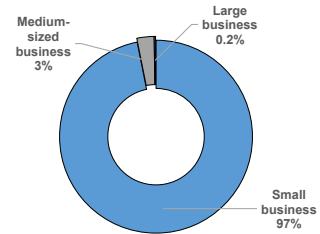
Industry Distribution of Businesses (2021)¹



Halton Business by Size¹

| Employee Size Range | Burlington | Halton Hills | Milton | Oakville | HALTON REGION | |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| | Count | Count | Count | Count | Count | % |
| Small business | 4,399 | 1,271 | 1,763 | 4,332 | 11,765 | 97% |
| 1 to 4 employees | 1,756 | 565 | 787 | 1,883 | 4,991 | 41% |
| 5 to 9 employees | 1,114 | 297 | 448 | 1,114 | 2,973 | 24% |
| 10 to 19 employees | 762 | 217 | 269 | 681 | 1,929 | 16% |
| 20 to 49 employees | 551 | 133 | 190 | 473 | 1,347 | 11% |
| 50 to 99 employees | 216 | 59 | 69 | 181 | 525 | 4% |
| Medium-sized business | 128 | 35 | 61 | 128 | 352 | 3% |
| 100 to 199 employees | 91 | 26 | 44 | 85 | 246 | 2% |
| 200 to 499 employees | 37 | 9 | 17 | 43 | 106 | 1% |
| Large business | 6 | 1 | 7 | 15 | 29 | 0.2% |
| Over 500 employees | 6 | 1 | 7 | 15 | 29 | 0.2% |
| TOTAL | 4,527 | 1,306 | 1,824 | 4,460 | 12,146 | 100% |

Size Distribution of Businesses (2021)¹



Sources

¹ Halton Region, 2021 Employment Survey

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