



# Massachusetts Trade Designation

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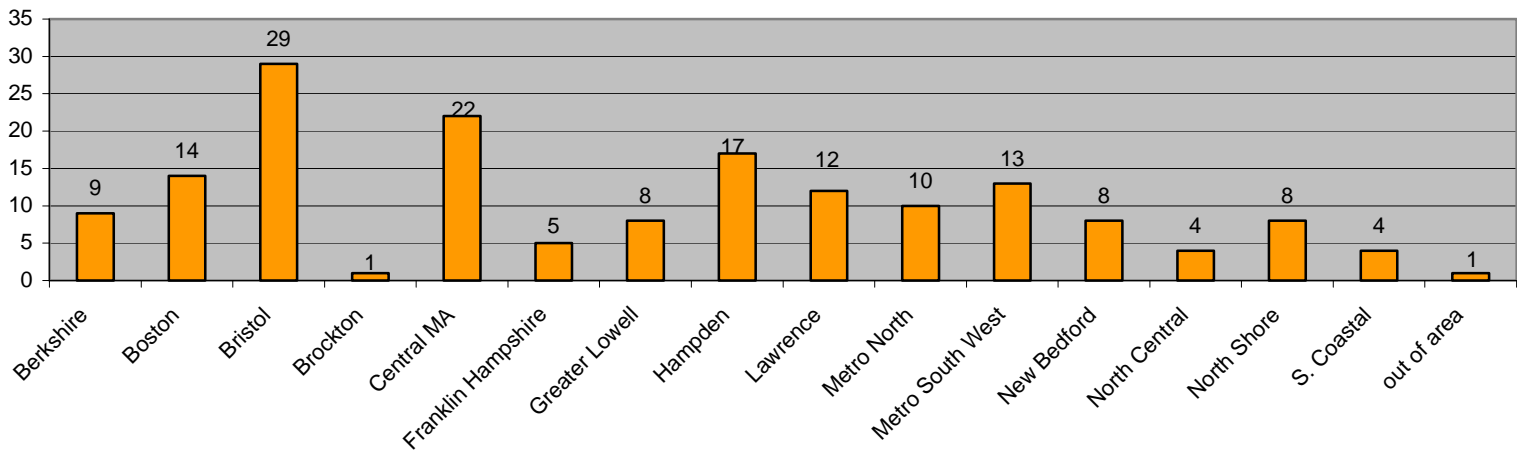


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The following provides current labor market information on the North Shore for the North Shore Work Force Investment Board (NSWIB).

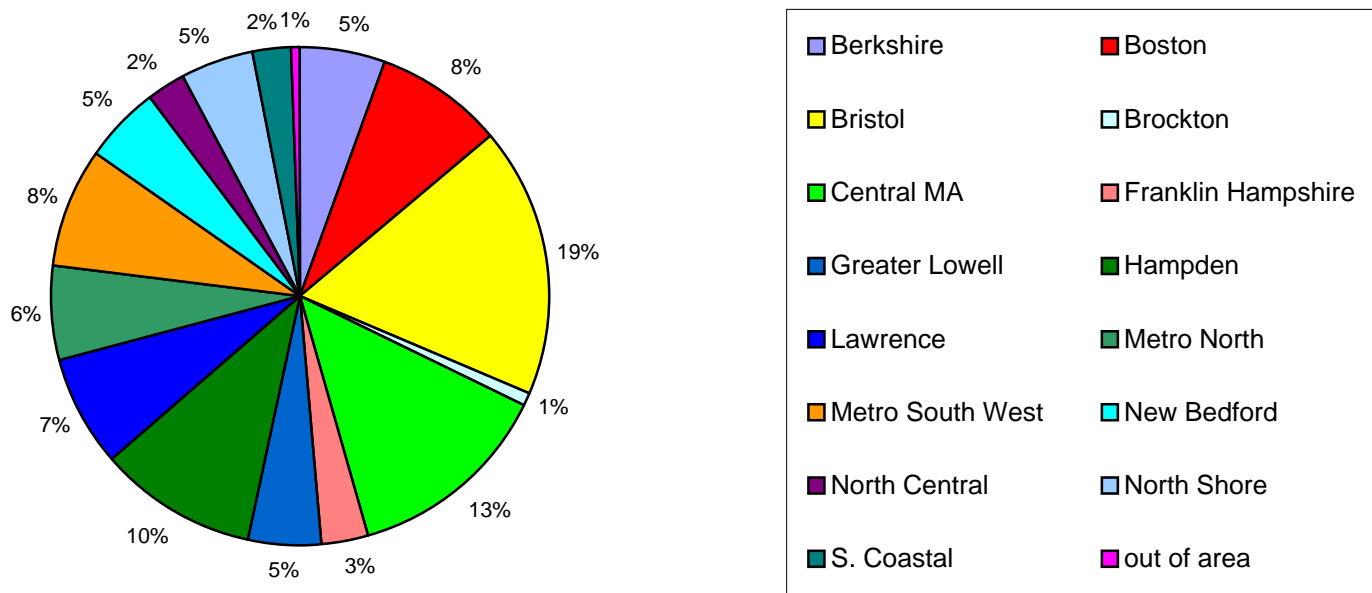
### A. Number of Companies That Have Received Trade Designation

The following graph breaks down companies that have received trade designation as part of a plant downsizing or layoff. Simply put, such designation indicates that these companies have moved jobs to other countries or have received trade designation due to increased competition from imports of products or like products produced by the workers' firm, thus negatively affecting the Massachusetts labor market. Trade designation is one indication of the impact of globalization on our workforce. Between 2001 and now, Massachusetts lost 156 companies to offshore movement, of those companies, 8 were from the North Shore.



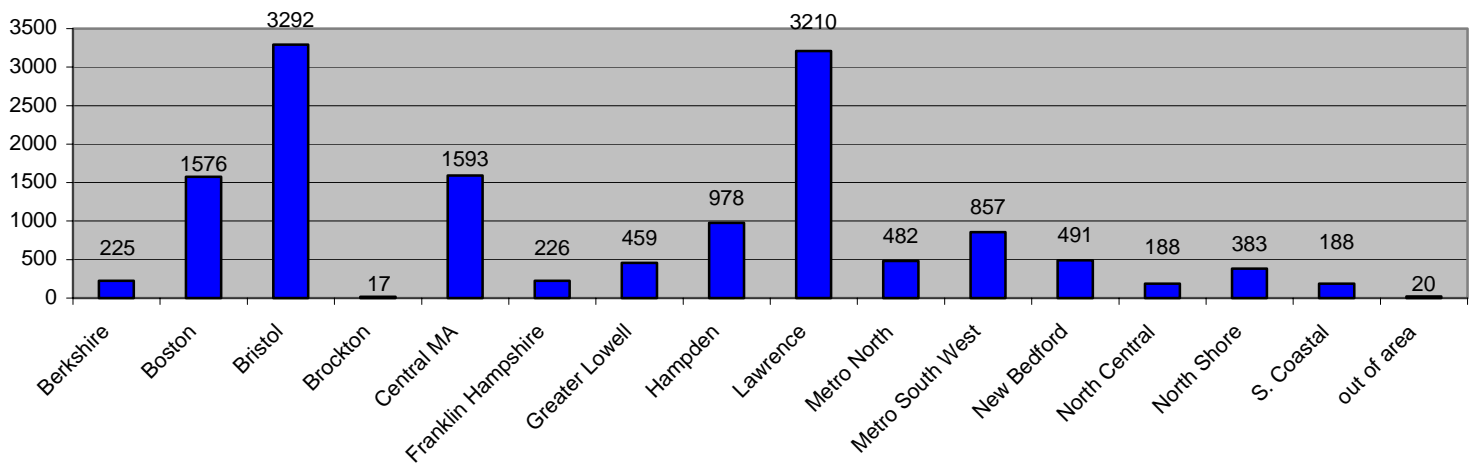
### B. Percentage of Companies That Have Received Trade Designation

The succeeding chart distributes the 156 companies that have received trade designation into the workforce region from which they left. 19% of trade designations came from Bristol and another 13% came from Central MA. 5% came from the North Shore.



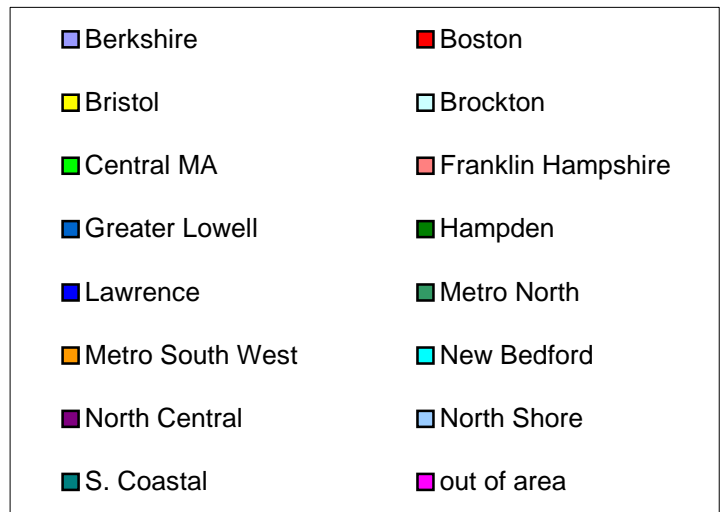
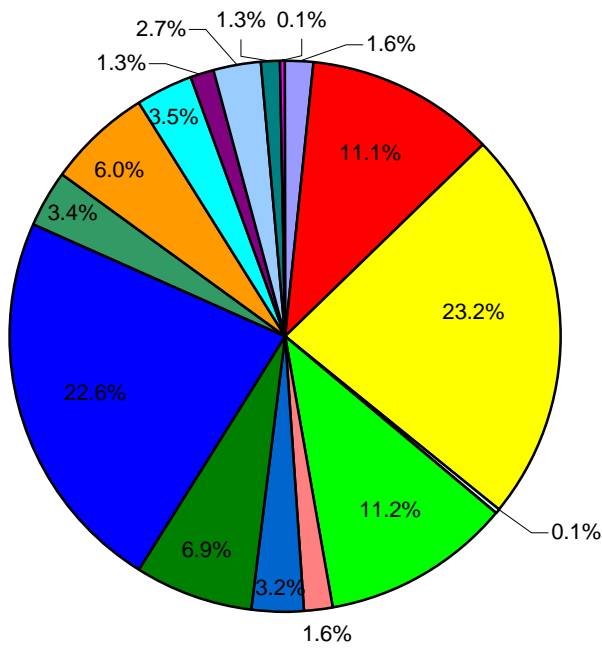
### C. Number of Jobs Lost

The subsequent graph details the number of jobs lost to companies in Massachusetts receiving trade designation. Massachusetts lost 14,185 jobs, with the North Shore accounting for 383 of those jobs.



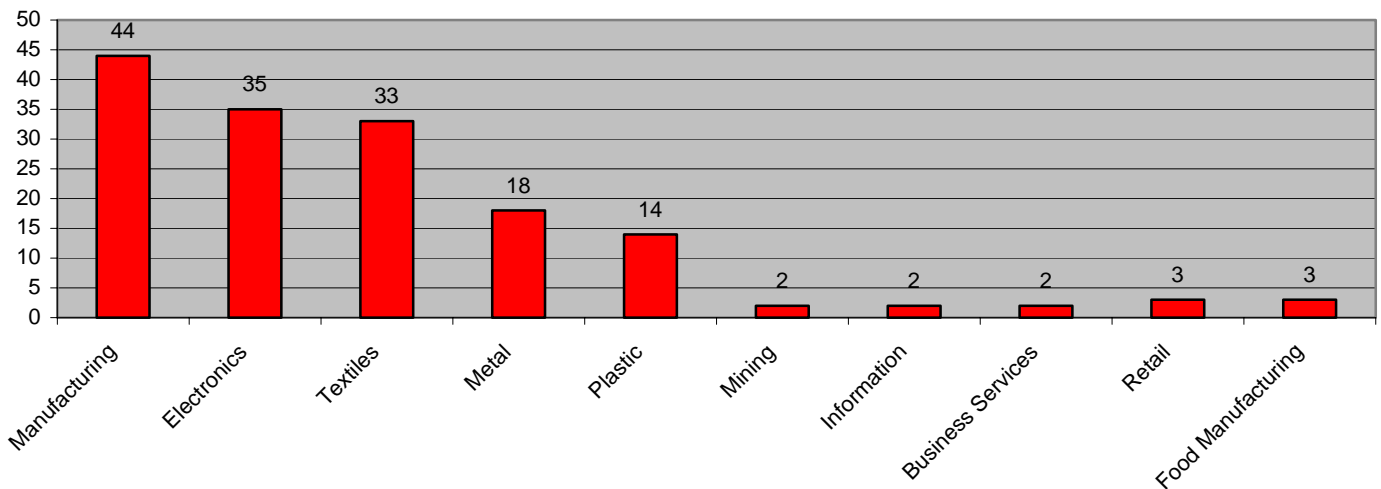
### D. Job Loss by Percentage

The graph below compares each workforce investment region by percentage of jobs lost by companies receiving trade designation. Bristol and Lawrence experienced largest job loss, combining for 45.8% of all jobs lost to offshore movement. 2.7% of jobs lost where from The North Shore.



### E. Trade Designation by Industry

The following graph breaks down the 156 companies that have received trade designation in Massachusetts. The 44 manufacturing companies account for 18.2% of all trade designation.



#### Companies Receiving Trade Designation

##### **Berkshire**

##### **Manufacturing**

Morrison BerkShire  
Cresent Cardboard  
Imperial Home Décor

##### **Plastic**

Agipolymatrix  
Cord Master Eng Co

##### **Bristol**

##### **Textiles**

Bradley Scott Clothing  
Duro Industries  
Fashion Sports Wear  
ForeCaster of Boston  
Main Street Textiles  
River, LTD

	Starbase Technologies Modern Mold & Tool <b>Electronics</b> Spagruel INC <b>Textiles</b> Macdermid Graphic Arts <b>Textiles</b> Cutting Edge Textstyl Vera Sports Wear Forecaster of Boston State Coat Front CO Vera Sports Wear Forecaster of Boston State Coat Front CO <b>Electronics</b> ON Semiconductor Sanmina Sci Corp Analog Devices International Power Cole Hersee <b>Manufacturing</b> Federal Mogul Corp <b>Mining</b> Test Again <b>Information</b> Test Test Test		Swan Finishing USA Apparel E.C.C. Card Clothing Chase Collections Priority Finishing Whiting & Davis Water Front Sports Wear <b>Manufacturing</b> Crystal Manufacturing Invensys Systems Jenson Manufacturing Ami Candle INC <b>Plastic</b> North American Rubber Tillotson Rubber CO <b>Metal</b> Globe MFG Griffin Manufacturing RCM Manufacturing Teleflex Medical Towle Manufacturing Valentine Tool & Stamp Anderson Greenwood Crosby <b>Electronics</b> Texas Instruments <b>Information</b> Test Test Test <b>Manufacturing</b> Atlas Copco Avery Dennison Corp Gretag Imaging Omniglow Corp MeadWestVaco Jarvis East <b>Metal</b> Kidder INC US Tsubaki INC National Metal Industries Major Wire Co Smith & Wesson Pierson Industries <b>Plastic</b> Lego Systems INC Osley & Whitney <b>Textiles</b> Facemate Corp Elm Tex INC <b>Electronics</b> Ferraz Shawmut INC Lucent Technologies Power One Schneider Automation Spectel Multilink Sanmina Solutions A-Plus Manufacturing Globalware Solutions
<b>Boston</b>		<b>Hampden</b>	
<b>Brockton</b>	<b>Electronics</b> Alden Products		
<b>Central Mass</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b> Avery Dennison Corp D.Hersh Neckware Wright Steele Sims Manufacturing Ethan Allen O.S. Walker Co INC Metso Automation Tyrolite of NA INC <b>Metal</b> G & F Industries Ned Corp Reed Rico Wyman Gordon <b>Textiles</b> Consolidated Fabric Guilford Mills INC Werbak INC <b>Electronics</b> SMTC Manufacturing Fiber Optic Network Maxtor Corp Solectron Corp Kelly Service Workers <b>Manufacturing</b> Eastern Paper Nutra Max Products		
		<b>Lawrence</b>	
<b>Franking Hampshire</b>			

<b>Greater Lowell</b>	<p>Techalloy  <b>Food Manufacturing</b>  Oxford Foods  <b>Metal</b>  Techalloy  <b>Electronics</b>  Agilent Technologies  Kokusai Semiconductor  Sipex  Motorola  <b>Manufacturing</b>  Creo America INC  <b>Business Services</b>  Nortel Networks  <b>Retail</b>  Teradyne</p>	<b>Metro North</b>	<p><b>Plastic</b>  Veron Plastics  <b>Business Services</b>  Skyworks Solutions  <b>Manufacturing</b>  Mettler Toledo  <b>Retail</b>  Converse  <b>Textiles</b>  John Solomon  American London of Norwood  <b>Electronics</b>  AFGA Corp  AMETEK Aerospace  Boston Scientific  Sanmina-SCI Corp  Smart Modular Tech</p>
<b>North Central</b>	<p>Borden Prince INC  <b>Manufacturing</b>  C&amp;W Fabricators    Pepperell Paper CO    <b>Plastic</b>  Waltrich Plastic CORP  <b>Retail</b>  Samuel Bent Brothers</p>	<b>South Coastal</b>	<p><b>Manufacturing</b>  Level 1 INC  <b>Electronics</b>  Fisher Pierce    Thomas &amp; Betts CORP</p>
<b>Metro South West</b>	<p><b>Electronics</b>  Agilent Technologies  Agilent Technologies  Bose Corp  ITT Industries Cannon  Planar Systems  Honeywell Data  <b>Manufacturing</b>  Bird Machine Comp  Medsource Tech  Nidec America  Vishay BLH INC  Creoscitex America</p>		
<b>New Bedford</b>	<p>Tamfelt INC  <b>Textiles</b>  Justin Clothing  Luisa's Sportswear  Madeira Twin Fashion  Quality Apparel  <b>Manufacturing</b>  Velvet Drive  Transmissions  <b>Plastic</b>  New Bedford Plastic  Precix</p>		

**North Shore****Electronics**

Arkles Electronics  
Wain Manufacturing

**Manufacturing**

Medtronic Vascular  
Fila Research CTR

**Mining**

Salem Oil & Grease

**Food Manufacturing**

Prime Manufacturing

**Plastics**

Lepages  
Owens Illinois

**Out of Area****Manufacturing**

Seville Dying Company