# Q1 2016 American Staffing Association Employment and Sales Survey

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Survey participants receive an exclusive report on the survey results, which includes payroll data, gross margin trends, and productivity metrics available nowhere else.

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## **INSTRUCTIONS & DEFINITIONS**

Please enter figures for all branches, franchises, and licensed operations in the U.S. (including Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands).

Temporary and contract staffing is defined as a service whereby your company hires its own employees (W-2 workers—not 1099 independent contractors and not employee leasing) and assigns them to work for clients. This may involve supporting or supplementing a client's work force to keep it fully staffed during busy times, gaining special expertise or staffing special projects, filling temporary vacancies, or temp-to-hire arrangements.

#### SALES

Enter <u>total</u> temporary and contract staffing sales (including any royalties and license or temp-to-hire fees) for the following quarters.

<u>Q1 2015</u>	
Q4 2015	
Q1 2016	

Does your company subcontract temporary or contract staffing services (where your company is the primary contractor, but services were actually provided by another staffing firm)?



#### SUBCONTRACTED SERVICES

Enter the <u>total</u> value of subcontracted services provided by other staffing firms(s) for the following quarters. Any sales identified as subcontracted services are backed out of the total sales reported by your firm. If the total sales you reported for the previous question already exclude these earnings, you may leave this blank.

<u>Q1 2015</u>	
Q4 2015	
Q1 2016	

## **GROSS MARGIN**

Enter <u>total</u> gross margin dollars for temporary and contract staffing services for the following quarters. *Please note:* Gross Margin = Total Sales - Cost of Labor Cost of Labor = Wages + FICA + Workers' comp + Unemployment insurance + Health benefits + Other fringe

benefits (sick pay, retirement, vacation, etc.)

<u>Q1 2015</u>	
Q4 2015	
Q1 2016	

## PAYROLL

Enter gross payroll for temporary and contract employees before withholdings and other deductions for the following quarters. Do not include service fees or markups.

<u>Q1 2015</u>	
Q4 2015	
Q1 2016	

### **EMPLOYMENT**

Enter the number of temporary and contract employees (W-2 only—not 1099 independent contractors) on your payroll during the week that included the 12th of the month in the fourth quarter of 2015 and the first quarter of 2016.

October 2015	
November 2015	
December 2015	
January 2016	
February 2016	
March 2016	

Please enter your contact information for verification purposes only. ASA does not have access to specific company sales and employment data, and reports only aggregate results.

Full name	
Email address	
Phone	

Thank you for taking time to participate in this important survey for the staffing industry.

You should receive an email with a copy of your responses after you click the "Submit" button below. Please contact Inavero at survey@inavero.com if you do not receive a copy of your submission.