

# Union Information

Rochester offers low unionization rates in New York State.

On average, 13.7% of New York State’s private-sector employees are unionized. Yet, only 7.1% of Rochester’s private-sector workforce is unionized.

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Area	Sector	Total Union Members	%Members
<b>New York</b>	Total	1,958,725	24.2
	Private	899,082	13.7
	Public	1,059,643	70.5
	Priv. Construction	95,900	27.2
	Priv. Manufacturing	81,005	15.3
<b>Rochester</b>	Total	94,639	18.1
<b>MSA</b>	<b>Private</b>	<b>30,869</b>	<b>7.1</b>
	Public	63,769	71.3

*Source: Union Membership, Coverage, Density and Employment (2010), Hirsch & Macpherson  
 Rochester MSA includes Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans and Wayne counties*