

Table 5. Main Shares of Enterprises and SMEs by Region, 2005^a

Region	SMEs (%)	Employees (%)	Assets (%)	Tax (%)
Coast	72.5	69.6	70.2	66.3
Central	16.7	18.4	15.8	19.1
West	10.8	12.0	14.0	14.6
Total	100	100	100	100

^a Source: China International Cooperation Association of Small and Medium Enterprises (2006).