



**A minimum wage increase
from \$11 to \$12 in 2019 will
raise the wages of:**



662,000 workers
(20 percent of the Massachusetts
workforce)

A total wage increase of
\$817.5 million

*Source: Economic Policy Institute analysis of U.S. Census, Current Population Survey
Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.*



The MA minimum wage increase from \$11 to \$12 in 2019 will benefit:

15 percent of working parents



79 percent of working teens



255,000 kids in Massachusetts
(Enough to fill Fenway Park almost 7 times.)



Source: Economic Policy Institute analysis of U.S. Census, Current Population Survey Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.

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40 percent
of retail workers



68 percent
of food service workers



34 percent
of human services
workers

Source: Economic Policy Institute analysis of U.S. Census, Current Population Survey Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.



... will receive a raise when the MA minimum wage increases from \$11 to \$12 in 2019.

The MA minimum wage increase from \$11 to \$12 in 2019 will benefit:

29 percent
of Black/African
American workers

36 percent
of Hispanic/Latinx
workers

18 percent
of White workers

*Source: Economic Policy Institute analysis of U.S. Census, Current Population Survey
Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.*

Of the workers benefiting from the MA minimum wage increase to \$12 in 2019...



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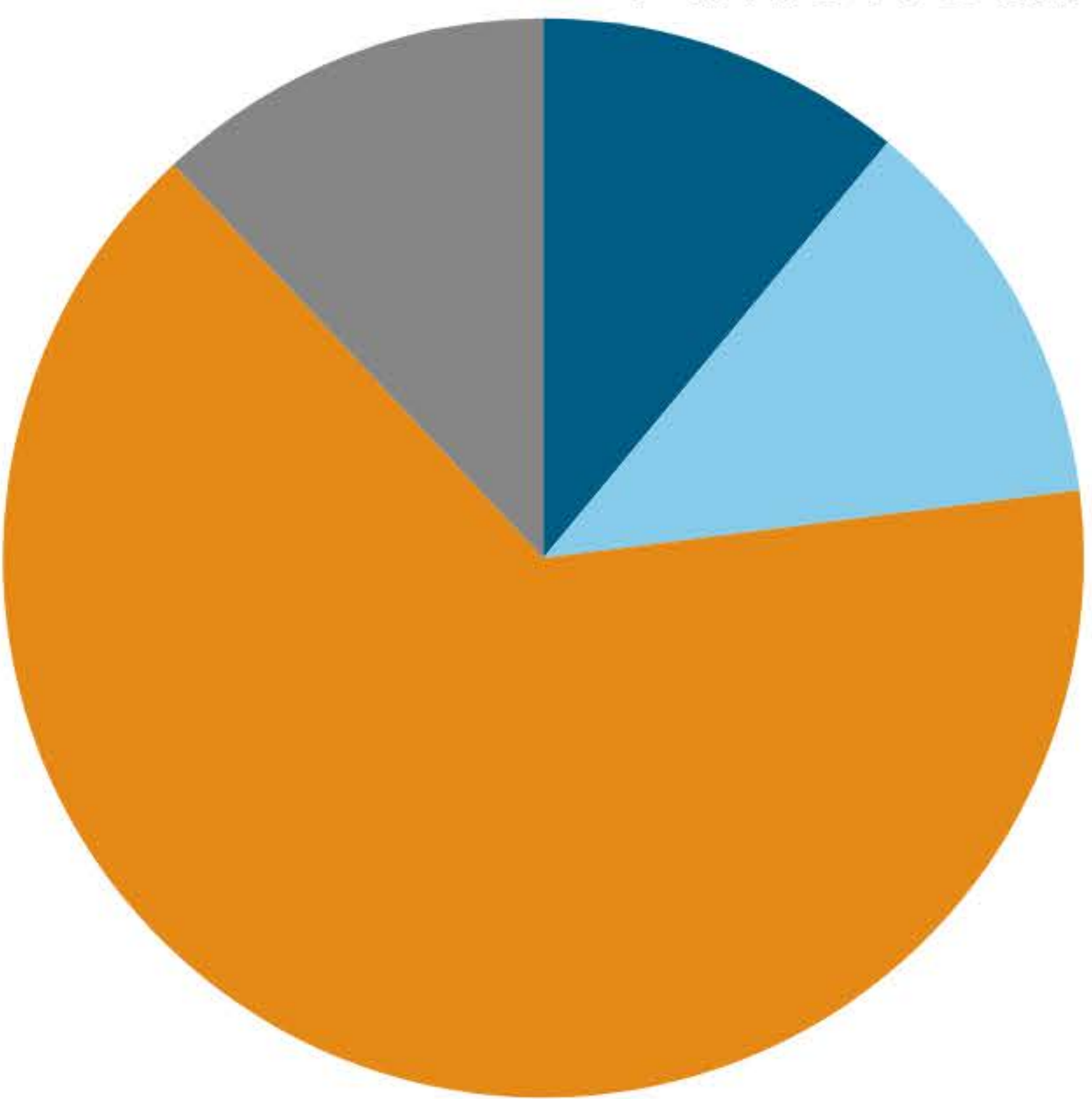


Of the workers benefiting from the MA minimum wage increase to \$12 in 2019...

11 percent are Black/African American

17 percent are Hispanic/Latinx

65 percent are White



Source: Economic Policy Institute analysis of U.S. Census, Current Population Survey Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.