

Table 2. U.S. Merchant Wholesale Trade Sales -- Total and E-commerce Sales¹: 2001 and 2000

(Estimates are based on data from the 2001 Annual Trade Survey. Sales estimates are shown in millions of dollars, consequently industry group estimates may not be additive.)

Estimated measures of sampling variability for these estimates are provided in Table 2A.)

NAICS code	Description	Value of Sales				Y/Y Percent Change		E-commerce as Percent of Total Sales		Percent Distribution of E-commerce Sales
		2001		2000		Total Sales	E-commerce Sales	2001	2000	2001
		Total	E-commerce	Total	Revised E-commerce					
42	Total Merchant Wholesale Trade	2,708,666	272,183	2,742,593	241,109	-1.2%	12.9%	10.0%	8.8%	100.0%
421	Durable goods	1,350,272	125,207	1,422,583	114,189	-5.1%	9.6%	9.3%	8.0%	46.0%
4211	Motor vehicles and automotive Equipment	205,577	46,771	199,522	40,106	3.0%	16.6%	22.8%	20.1%	17.2%
4212	Furniture and home furnishings	44,390	3,727	46,676	2,751	-4.9%	35.5%	8.4%	5.9%	1.4%
4213	Lumber and other construction material	73,553	2,236	70,778	2,183	3.9%	2.4%	3.0%	3.1%	0.8%
4214	Professional and commercial equipment and supplies	249,981	30,904	269,129	30,827	-7.1%	0.2%	12.4%	11.5%	11.4%
42143	Computer equipment and supplies	122,458	15,776	150,402	18,948	-18.6%	-16.7%	12.9%	12.6%	5.8%
4215	Metals and minerals, excluding Petroleum	92,734	(S)	102,627	(S)	-9.6%	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
4216	Electrical goods	214,312	12,111	240,362	11,117	-10.8%	8.9%	5.7%	4.6%	4.4%
4217	Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	64,864	6,497	67,108	5,988	-3.3%	8.5%	10.0%	8.9%	2.4%
4218	Machinery, equipment and supplies	243,312	7,947	252,349	7,591	-3.6%	4.7%	3.3%	3.0%	2.9%
4219	Miscellaneous durable goods	161,549	14,099	174,032	12,918	-7.2%	9.1%	8.7%	7.4%	5.2%
422	Nondurable goods	1,358,394	146,976	1,320,010	126,920	2.9%	15.8%	10.8%	9.6%	54.0%
4221	Paper and paper products	75,516	3,708	80,054	3,473	-5.7%	6.8%	4.9%	4.3%	1.4%
4222	Drugs, drug proprietaries and druggists' sundries	201,114	96,363	168,471	77,790	19.4%	23.9%	47.9%	46.2%	35.4%
4223	Apparel, piece goods and notions	87,362	11,828	88,922	10,284	-1.8%	15.0%	13.5%	11.6%	4.3%
4224	Groceries and related products	395,590	12,101	381,990	11,435	3.6%	5.8%	3.1%	3.0%	4.4%
4225	Farm-products raw materials	107,286	3,353	107,019	3,225	0.2%	4.0%	3.1%	3.0%	1.2%
4226	Chemicals and allied products	60,355	(D)	60,503	(D)	-0.2%	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4227	Petroleum and petroleum products	180,471	(D)	185,911	(D)	-2.9%	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4228	Beer, wine, and distilled beverages	75,274	(D)	71,551	(D)	5.2%	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4229	Miscellaneous nondurable goods	175,426	5,117	175,589	5,033	-0.1%	1.7%	2.9%	2.9%	1.9%

(S) Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality. Unpublished estimates derived from this table by subtraction are subject to these same limitations and should not be attributed to the U.S. Census Bureau.

(D) Estimate is withheld to avoid disclosing data of individual companies; these data are included in broader industry totals.

Note: Estimates are not adjusted for price changes. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions, visit www.census.gov/eos/www/whestats.html.¹ Estimates include data only for businesses with paid employees.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2001 Annual Trade Survey (Revised April 2003)