Table 2.0/Historical. U.S. Merchant Wholesale Trade Sales[1], Including Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices - Total and E-commerce: 2003-2006

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

NAICS Code	Description	Value of Sales							
		2006		2005		2004		2003	
		Total	E-commerce	Total	Revised E-commerce	Total	Revised E-commerce	Total	Revised E-commerce
42	**Total Merchant Wholesale Trade Including MSBOs[2]**	**5,585,008**	**1,148,181**	**5,181,420**	**1,049,264**	**4,799,679**	**911,266**	**4,345,336**	**839,420**
423	**Durable goods**	**2,868,396**	**574,720**	**2,643,390**	**511,942**	**2,488,629**	**488,478**	**2,217,701**	**453,699**
4231	Motor vehicles and automotive equipment	710,009	333,350	654,754	305,782	646,961	300,630	606,754	(D)
4232	Furniture and home furnishings	84,375	11,724	79,666	11,133	76,290	10,420	71,894	9,745
4233	Lumber and other construction material	173,662	7,967	168,358	7,735	153,323	5,851	127,683	5,391
4234	Professional and commercial equipment and supplies	517,726	97,551	483,395	77,063	454,888	72,444	421,660	62,738
42343	Computer equipment and supplies	281,574	54,758	275,503	47,755	257,018	44,999	239,345	39,464
4235	Metals and minerals, excluding petroleum	216,178	7,538	190,117	5,646	167,376	4,734	118,967	(S)
4236	Electrical goods	409,804	45,966	376,035	41,227	357,976	40,312	321,530	35,964
4237	Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	110,588	(S)	101,302	13,758	93,167	11,488	85,497	10,424
4238	Machinery, equipment and supplies	416,431	35,676	381,233	32,064	343,641	26,934	304,043	23,774
4239	Miscellaneous durable goods	229,623	20,070	208,530	17,534	195,007	15,665	159,673	(D)
424	**Nondurable goods**	**2,716,612**	**573,461**	**2,538,030**	**537,322**	**2,311,050**	**422,788**	**2,127,635**	**385,721**
4241	Paper and paper products	140,251	17,746	135,877	15,198	127,191	12,803	116,230	11,203
4242	Drugs, drug proprietaries and druggists' sundries	518,513	296,619	506,061	290,866	464,161	223,755	426,650	202,570
4243	Apparel, piece goods, and notions	135,738	29,561	125,953	27,228	120,731	22,057	116,022	(D)
4244	Groceries and related products	605,417	86,559	574,953	78,883	552,146	67,823	541,809	64,920
4245	Farm-products raw materials	130,482	4,987	118,271	4,482	122,997	4,605	115,129	3,830
4246	Chemicals and allied products	153,772	17,862	148,275	15,917	132,922	(D)	120,552	(D)
4247	Petroleum and petroleum products	653,256	(D)	566,277	(D)	449,830	33,236	378,612	31,991
4248	Beer, wine, and distilled beverages	109,197	(D)	101,886	(D)	95,213	(D)	90,738	(D)
4249	Miscellaneous nondurable goods	269,986	48,658	260,477	43,462	245,859	40,774	221,893	36,822

(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 higher level totals.

Note: Estimates are not adjusted for price changes. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/wholesale/www/methodology/0113441.html.

[1] Estimates include data only for businesses with paid employees and are subject to revision.
[2] Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Wholesale Trade Survey