Table 3.0. U.S. Merchant Wholesale Trade Sales[1], Including Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices - Total and EDI Sales: 2008 and 2007

[Estimates are based on data from the 2008 Annual Wholesale 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 3.0A]

NAICS Code	Description	Value of Sales 2008 Total	Value of Sales 2008 EDI	Value of Sales 2007 Revised Total	Value of Sales 2007 Revised EDI	Y/Y Percent Change Total Sales	Y/Y Percent Change EDI Sales	EDI as Percent of Total Sales 2008	EDI as Percent of Total Sales 2007	Percent Distribution of EDI Sales 2008	EDI as Percent of E-commerce Sales 2008	EDI as Percent of E-commerce Sales 2007
42	**Total Merchant Wholesale Trade Including MSBOs[2]**	**6,116,160**	**896,002**	**5,840,534**	**918,739**	**4.7**	**-2.5**	**14.6**	**15.7**	**100.0**	**71.0**	**73.4**
423	**Durable goods**	**2,841,414**	**440,620**	**2,892,848**	**488,465**	**-1.8**	**-9.8**	**15.5**	**16.9**	**49.2**	**78.6**	**82.2**
4231	Motor vehicles and automotive equipment	577,500	255,098	670,058	303,215	-13.8	-15.9	44.2	45.3	28.5	95.0	95.9
4232	Furniture and home furnishings	85,540	(D)	92,421	(D)	-7.4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4233	Lumber and other construction material	153,752	7,717	171,431	7,462	-10.3	3.4	5.0	4.4	0.9	69.0	68.7
4234	Professional and commercial equipment and supplies	505,723	66,177	488,799	66,344	3.5	-0.3	13.1	13.6	7.4	58.1	60.6
42343	Computer equipment and supplies	262,811	34,494	251,226	36,223	4.6	-4.8	13.1	14.4	3.8	51.3	54.2
4235	Metals and minerals, excluding petroleum	239,119	(D)	226,637	11,539	5.5	(D)	(D)	5.1	(D)	(D)	55.8
4236	Electrical goods	450,739	35,724	450,845	37,302	0.0	-4.2	7.9	8.3	4.0	63.1	65.3
4237	Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	126,789	10,663	131,240	(D)	-3.4	(D)	8.4	(D)	1.2	79.9	(D)
4238	Machinery, equipment and supplies	453,690	24,971	426,679	23,358	6.3	6.9	5.5	5.5	2.8	75.1	76.5
4239	Miscellaneous durable goods	248,562	19,996	234,738	19,925	5.9	0.4	8.0	8.5	2.2	77.1	85.1
424	**Nondurable goods**	**3,274,746**	**455,382**	**2,947,686**	**430,274**	**11.1**	**5.8**	**13.9**	**14.6**	**50.8**	**64.9**	**65.5**
4241	Paper and paper products	138,122	11,535	137,568	11,071	0.4	4.2	8.4	8.0	1.3	49.3	51.1
4242	Drugs, drug proprietaries and druggists' sundries	568,866	259,560	549,905	(S)	3.4	(S)	45.6	(S)	29.0	74.5	(S)
4243	Apparel, piece goods, and notions	145,656	26,753	148,680	28,519	-2.0	-6.2	18.4	19.2	3.0	85.6	88.6
4244	Groceries and related products	702,448	74,695	671,602	68,858	4.6	8.5	10.6	10.3	8.3	66.9	65.1
4245	Farm-products raw materials	196,147	(S)	144,860	(S)	35.4	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
4246	Chemicals and allied products	195,738	(D)	180,250	(D)	8.6	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4247	Petroleum and petroleum products	920,457	30,232	736,312	(S)	25.0	(S)	3.3	(S)	3.4	30.3	(S)
4248	Beer, wine, and distilled beverages	117,531	(D)	113,995	(D)	3.1	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
4249	Miscellaneous nondurable goods	289,781	31,523	264,514	31,580	9.6	-0.2	10.9	11.9	3.5	56.6	60.3

(S) Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability (coefficient of variation is greater than 30%) or poor response quality (total quantity response rate is less than 50%). For a description of publication standards and the total quantity response rate, see <http://www.census.gov/quality/S20-0_v1.0_Data_Release.pdf>.

(D) Denotes an estimate withheld to avoid disclosing data of individual companies; data are included in higher level totals.

Note: Estimates are not adjusted for price changes. For additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, sample design, and definitions see <http://www.census.gov/wholesale/www/how_surveys_are_collected/index.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, 2008 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey