Monthly Wholesale Trade 2017 Annual Revision Report

Summary of Revisions

Not adjusted estimates were revised for NAICS 42 (Total Wholesale), 424 (Total Nondurable Goods), and NAICS 4247 (Petroleum and Petroleum Products) for January 2003 through January 2017. Corresponding seasonally adjusted estimates were revised for January 2000 through January 2017.

For all other detailed NAICS series and the aggregate NAICS 423 (Total Durable Goods) series, not adjusted estimates of monthly sales were revised for January 2008 through January 2017, as well as end-of-month inventories estimates for January 2005 through January 2017. Corresponding seasonally adjusted estimates of monthly sales were revised for January 2005 through January 2017. Corresponding seasonally adjusted end-of month inventories estimates were revised for January 2002 through January 2017.

Revisions to not adjusted estimates were made in two parts: First, revisions were made to prior Monthly Wholesale Trade estimates to reflect historical corrections. Then, revisions were made when benchmarking the Monthly Wholesale Trade estimates to the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade estimates.

Revisions to the not adjusted NAICS 4247 (Petroleum and Petroleum Products) and the corresponding aggregate totals for NAICS 42 (Total Wholesale) and 424 (Total Nondurable Goods) also reflect revisions to the 2007 Economic Census first implemented in the 2013 AWTS release.

Revisions to seasonally adjusted estimates were made based on the revised not adjusted estimates and revised seasonal adjustment factors.

Reasons for Revisions

We revised the not adjusted estimates to:

- Reflect corrections to data for the current MWTS and AWTS samples. Corrections were made to replace previously reported data with more accurate data received at a later date or to replace imputed data with reported data obtained from the company.

- Introduce results from the 2015 AWTS, which has been benchmarked using final results of the 2012 Economic Census.

- Reflect previous revisions to the 2007 Economic Census for NAICS 4247, which was first implemented in the 2013 AWTS release.

- Link the previously published estimates from the prior MWTS sample to estimates from the current MWTS sample.

We revised the seasonally adjusted estimates to:

- Reflect revisions to the not adjusted estimates.

- Incorporate changes to the seasonal adjustment factors based on the annual review of the seasonal adjustment models.

Benchmarking to 2015 AWTS Estimates

There are several reasons for revising estimates from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey (MWTS) by benchmarking to the Annual Wholesale Trade Survey (AWTS):

- **Timing.** Respondents have more time to prepare their data for the annual survey than for the monthly survey. The annual responses are requested at a time when many firms have already compiled audited book figures for their own use. This includes adjustments for returns, allowances, and other customer transactions. The timing of the annual survey is such that we are also able to obtain independent verification of the reported data from such sources as a company's annual report. On the other hand, respondents to the monthly survey have just a few weeks to provide reports of their sales and end-of-month inventories. Sometimes these data are based on incomplete or unaudited records, or the respondent may have estimated the value for a particular data item.

- **Sampling.** The annual sample is larger than the sample used to develop the estimates for any given month.

- **Response.** The annual estimates are based on more reported data than are the monthly estimates. The response to the Annual Wholesale Trade Survey (AWTS) is required by law, while the response to the MWTS is voluntary. This results in a total quantity response rate (TQRR) above 90 percent for both sales and inventories on the AWTS, and a rate of approximately 66-70 percent on the MWTS. An imputation process accounts for the sales and inventories data that fail edits or are missing because of nonresponse. For MWTS, this process assumes that firms which do not respond have month-to-month changes similar to responding firms of a similar size in the same industry. However, the AWTS imputation process relies heavily on administrative data and relationships of these data for each individual firm, which could result in different data being tabulated for the MWTS and AWTS for nonresponding firms.

Methodology

Not Adjusted Estimates of Monthly Sales

For select detailed NAICS codes, corrections are applied to the monthly wholesale sales estimates for February 2013 through January 2017. Then, for each detailed NAICS code, the monthly wholesale sales estimates for January 1992 (the beginning of the series) through February 2013 are linked to the estimates derived from the current sample. The linkage is

performed at each detailed NAICS level by multiplying the sample-based estimates prior to March 2013 by a geometric mean. The geometric mean is computed as the square root of the product of two ratios. The numerators of the ratios are the Horvitz-Thompson sales estimates for February and March 2013 from the current sample. The denominators of the ratios are the Horvitz-Thompson estimates for February and March 2013 from the prior sample.

After performing the above linkage, the resulting sales estimates for December 2007 through January 2017 are input to the benchmarking program. The estimates for a given detailed NAICS code are revised in a manner that:

- For 2008 through 2015, constrains the sum of the 12 monthly sales estimates to equal the corresponding annual sales estimate from AWTS.

- Minimizes the sum of the squared differences between the month-to-month changes of the input and revised estimates for December 2007 through January 2017.

- Uses the previously published December 2007 sales estimate as a constraint, linking the revised estimates to the previously published sales estimates and resulting in no revision to the December 2007 estimate.

Because of the revision to the 2007 Economic Census sales total for NAICS 4247, which was first implemented in the 2013 AWTS release, a larger range of sales estimates are input to the benchmarking program: December 2002 through January 2017. The previously published December 2002 sales estimate is used as a constraint in the benchmarking process described above instead of December 2007. For this industry, the monthly sales estimates from 2003 through 2017 are revised in a similar manner as described above, constraining the sum of the 12 monthly sales estimates to equal the corresponding annual sales estimates from AWTS for 2003 through 2015. Therefore, not adjusted estimates for this industry and any aggregate industry levels to which it contributes are revised as far back as January 2003.

A mathematical result of the benchmarking methodology is that all revised estimates following the end of the last benchmark year (2015) are derived by multiplying the corresponding input estimates by the ratio of the benchmarked-to-input estimate for the last month of the last benchmark year. Therefore, for a given detailed NAICS code, a ratio of the benchmarked-to-input estimate for December 2015 is computed. Monthly sales estimates after December 2015 are multiplied by this constant ratio, which is called a carry-forward factor, to derive published monthly sales estimates. The carry-forward factor remains the same until the next benchmarking operation.

Estimates at 2- and 3-digit NAICS levels are computed by summing the revised estimates for the appropriate detailed industries comprising the aggregate.

Not Adjusted Estimates of End-of-Month Inventories

For select detailed NAICS codes, corrections are applied to the monthly wholesale end-of-month inventories estimates for February 2013 through January 2017. Then, for each detailed NAICS

code, the wholesale end-of-month inventories estimates for January 1992 (the beginning of the series) through February 2013 are linked to the estimates derived from the current sample. The linkage is performed using a procedure similar to the one used for sales, except the geometric mean is based on end-of month inventories.

After performing the above linkage, the resulting end-of-month inventories estimates for December 2004 through January 2017 are input to the benchmarking program. The estimates for a given detailed NAICS code are revised in a manner that:

- For 2004 through 2015, constrains the December end-of-month inventories estimates from MWTS to equal the end-of-year inventories estimates derived from AWTS.

- Minimizes the sum of squared differences between the month-to-month changes of the input and revised estimates for December 2004 through January 2017.

- Uses the previously published December 2004 estimate as a constraint, linking the revised estimates to the previously published estimates and resulting in no revision to the December 2004 estimate.

Because of the revision to the 2007 Economic Census sales total for NAICS 4247, which was first implemented in the 2013 AWTS release, end-of year inventories were revised in the 2015 AWTS release back to 2003. Therefore, December 2002 is used as a constraint in the benchmarking process described above instead of December 2004. For this industry, the monthly inventories estimates from 2003 through 2017 are revised in a similar manner as described above, inputting end-of-month inventories estimates for December 2002 through January 2017 and constraining the December end-of-month inventories estimates from MWTS to equal the end-of-year inventories estimates derived from AWTS. Therefore, not adjusted estimates for this industry and any aggregate industry levels to which it contributes are revised as far back as January 2003.

For a given detailed NAICS code, end-of-month inventories estimates subsequent to December 2015 are derived by multiplying the input estimates by the ratio of the benchmarked-to-input estimate for December 2015. This ratio is the carry-forward factor for inventories, and it remains the same until the next benchmarking operation.

Estimates at 2- and 3-digit NAICS levels are computed by summing the revised estimates for the appropriate detailed industries comprising the aggregate.

Seasonally Adjusted Estimates

New seasonal, trading-day, and holiday factors are computed and used to adjust sales for January 2005 through January 2017. For inventories, new seasonal factors are computed and used to adjust inventories for January 2002 through January 2017. For NAICS 4247 and associated aggregates, new factors are computed and used to adjust sales and inventories for January 2000 through January 2017. Revisions to adjusted estimates start three years before the revised not adjusted estimates because the revised not adjusted estimates may have a non-ignorable effect on

the computation of seasonal factors as far back as three years ago. For both sales and inventories, the new seasonal factors are computed using the revised not adjusted estimates as input to the Census Bureau's X-13ARIMA-SEATS software, version 1.1 build 39.

In the latest annual review of the seasonal adjustment for inventories, there continues to be no significant seasonal pattern detected for end-of-month inventories between January 1998 and December 2003 for NAICS 4241 and the seasonal factors for that period will continue to be set to one.

There also continues to be no significant seasonal pattern detected in end-of-month inventories for NAICS 4246 (Chemicals and Allied Products) beginning in January 1996. Therefore, seasonal adjustment factors for end-of-month inventories are set to one starting with January 1996 for NAICS 4246.

Table 1. Revision Summary (Not Adjusted)[1] for Annual Sales and End-of-Year Inventories of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: 2016

[Revised and previously published columns are in millions of dollars. The difference column is in percentage. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	Revised	Previously Published	Difference
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**5,272,515**	**5,311,886**	**-0.7**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**2,527,211**	**2,571,570**	**-1.7**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	427,709	438,492	-2.5
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	83,065	87,700	-5.3
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	125,163	122,324	2.3
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	460,760	448,359	2.8
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	223,901	218,840	2.3
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	140,608	139,939	0.5
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	553,214	561,860	-1.5
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing, Heating Equipment, & Supplies	134,359	136,434	-1.5
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	391,664	415,547	-5.7
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	210,669	220,915	-4.6
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**2,745,304**	**2,740,316**	**0.2**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	95,734	97,888	-2.2
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	643,202	657,463	-2.2
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	162,601	164,851	-1.4
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	625,818	601,535	4.0
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	204,320	207,492	-1.5
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	114,472	122,318	-6.4
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	504,842	487,703	3.5
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	139,215	138,016	0.9
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	255,100	263,050	-3.0
42	**Inventories[2]**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**594,466**	**602,500**	**-1.3**
423	**Inventories[2]**	**.Durable Goods**	**352,852**	**354,236**	**-0.4**
4231	Inventories[2]	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	67,654	66,845	1.2
4232	Inventories[2]	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	10,999	11,139	-1.3
4233	Inventories[2]	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	15,076	14,398	4.7
4234	Inventories[2]	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	41,807	40,291	3.8
42343	Inventories[2]	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,137	15,713	2.7
4235	Inventories[2]	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	25,133	25,068	0.3
4236	Inventories[2]	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,158	46,364	-0.4
4237	Inventories[2]	..Hardware, & Plumbing, Heating Equipment, & Supplies	22,315	22,597	-1.2
4238	Inventories[2]	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	97,134	100,967	-3.8
4239	Inventories[2]	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	26,576	26,567	0.0
424	**Inventories[2]**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**241,614**	**248,264**	**-2.7**
4241	Inventories[2]	..Paper & Paper Products	8,257	8,302	-0.5
4242	Inventories[2]	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	62,591	64,824	-3.4
4243	Inventories[2]	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	25,873	27,525	-6.0
4244	Inventories[2]	..Grocery & Related Products	36,283	35,464	2.3
4245	Inventories[2]	..Farm Product Raw Materials	29,913	30,821	-2.9
4246	Inventories[2]	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,897	13,061	-8.9
4247	Inventories[2]	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	22,927	22,987	-0.3
4248	Inventories[2]	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	14,157	14,731	-3.9
4249	Inventories[2]	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	29,716	30,549	-2.7

Footnote:

[1]Estimates are not adjusted for seasonal variations, trading-day differences, or price changes.

[2]Inventories are based on December 2016.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, March 24, 2017.

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2017 January[P]	2017 February	2017 March	2017 April	2017 May	2017 June	2017 July	2017 August	2017 September	2017 October	2017 November	2017 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**460,373**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**219,952**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	39,784	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,161	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,952	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	39,197	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	18,397	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,568	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	47,308	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,164	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	32,887	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,931	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**240,421**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,902	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	54,774	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,309	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	52,350	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	17,029	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,248	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	51,946	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,420	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,443	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**591,371**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**358,083**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	66,319	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	11,354	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	16,106	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	42,802	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,788	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	25,860	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,730	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	22,923	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	98,896	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	27,093	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**233,288**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,159	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	58,354	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	26,852	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	36,258	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	24,851	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	11,567	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	22,818	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	15,658	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	28,771	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.28**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.63**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.67	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.59	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.09	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.91	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.06	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	0.99	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.05	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.01	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.43	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.07	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.02	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.69	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.46	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.13	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.44	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.37	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.34	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2016 January	2016 February	2016 March	2016 April	2016 May	2016 June	2016 July	2016 August	2016 September	2016 October	2016 November	2016 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**424,509**	**423,302**	**426,709**	**430,308**	**432,917**	**441,502**	**438,859**	**441,959**	**443,150**	**448,362**	**450,064**	**460,860**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**204,275**	**207,316**	**206,836**	**206,986**	**208,142**	**211,360**	**210,983**	**210,091**	**210,649**	**212,383**	**213,473**	**219,461**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	35,127	35,103	35,109	35,829	35,081	34,582	34,608	35,151	35,881	36,052	36,117	38,381
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,649	6,638	6,655	6,760	6,783	6,784	6,930	6,966	6,973	6,969	7,269	7,473
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,243	10,532	10,421	10,302	10,218	10,205	10,339	10,376	10,387	10,528	10,754	10,836
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	36,944	37,606	37,775	37,376	38,551	38,547	38,699	38,447	38,896	38,643	38,733	39,167
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	18,368	18,502	18,682	18,118	18,964	19,042	18,992	18,621	18,775	18,409	18,133	18,733
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,624	11,427	11,399	11,519	11,403	11,574	11,614	11,685	11,658	11,969	12,126	12,500
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	43,874	45,457	45,727	44,134	45,244	46,458	46,533	46,202	46,578	46,870	46,283	48,311
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,189	11,170	10,923	10,868	10,698	11,519	11,277	11,375	11,110	11,224	11,238	11,555
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	32,686	32,270	32,290	32,694	32,519	33,642	32,829	32,023	32,144	32,264	32,884	32,820
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	15,939	17,113	16,537	17,504	17,645	18,049	18,154	17,866	17,022	17,864	18,069	18,418
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**220,234**	**215,986**	**219,873**	**223,322**	**224,775**	**230,142**	**227,876**	**231,868**	**232,501**	**235,979**	**236,591**	**241,399**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	8,137	8,025	8,012	8,064	8,026	7,894	7,991	7,993	7,909	7,712	7,924	7,934
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	51,982	52,069	52,234	52,533	52,755	53,848	53,386	53,903	54,250	54,398	55,774	55,074
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,755	13,783	13,073	13,286	13,621	13,503	13,460	13,776	13,768	13,676	13,081	13,505
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	52,868	52,592	51,703	51,815	51,736	52,194	51,456	51,960	52,268	51,848	52,265	52,073
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	16,216	16,072	16,388	16,182	16,172	17,131	17,935	18,755	16,600	17,876	17,633	17,160
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,188	9,320	9,377	9,345	9,278	9,437	9,347	9,470	9,637	9,897	10,029	10,013
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	35,079	31,302	36,140	38,994	41,283	43,232	42,007	42,988	45,211	48,179	46,417	52,322
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,667	11,703	11,567	11,693	11,306	11,638	11,189	11,445	11,544	11,645	11,820	11,732
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,342	21,120	21,379	21,410	20,598	21,265	21,105	21,578	21,314	20,748	21,648	21,586
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**579,126**	**575,416**	**576,941**	**580,813**	**581,287**	**583,030**	**582,967**	**582,338**	**583,135**	**582,183**	**588,360**	**592,996**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**354,710**	**353,056**	**352,855**	**353,153**	**354,085**	**353,127**	**353,858**	**354,660**	**353,048**	**352,652**	**356,779**	**359,259**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	66,176	65,312	66,314	66,127	65,277	65,260	65,484	65,898	64,421	64,911	67,296	68,754
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	10,920	10,934	10,956	10,903	10,870	10,861	10,912	10,976	11,029	11,222	11,232	11,110
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,685	14,525	14,457	14,773	14,919	15,227	15,389	15,423	15,569	15,698	15,828	16,072
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	39,599	39,427	39,423	39,136	40,005	40,021	40,668	40,977	41,162	41,478	41,967	42,315
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,271	15,168	15,183	14,647	15,094	15,083	15,250	15,536	15,753	15,754	16,063	16,267
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	26,755	26,485	25,979	25,799	25,441	25,418	25,682	25,881	25,439	25,160	25,303	25,336
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,170	46,192	45,555	45,748	46,427	46,062	45,960	46,067	46,051	46,556	46,831	46,624
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	22,364	22,426	22,464	22,516	22,584	22,761	22,715	22,605	22,880	22,707	22,706	22,794
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	101,507	101,174	100,994	101,414	101,411	100,980	100,518	100,646	100,248	99,012	99,090	99,218
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	26,534	26,581	26,713	26,737	27,151	26,537	26,530	26,187	26,249	25,908	26,526	27,036
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**224,416**	**222,360**	**224,086**	**227,660**	**227,202**	**229,903**	**229,109**	**227,678**	**230,087**	**229,531**	**231,581**	**233,737**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,282	8,453	8,329	8,373	8,325	8,302	8,199	8,196	8,270	8,252	8,333	8,257
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	58,250	56,349	57,788	59,524	56,449	59,459	58,674	57,624	59,451	57,895	58,384	59,216
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	29,636	29,186	28,980	29,237	29,458	28,774	28,695	28,167	27,634	27,573	27,279	26,951
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	34,720	34,881	34,866	34,498	34,614	34,419	34,861	35,425	35,243	35,358	35,582	35,676
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	21,920	21,136	21,557	23,122	24,256	25,158	24,683	23,160	23,593	23,920	24,643	24,280
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	11,597	11,614	11,358	11,437	11,478	11,375	11,512	11,538	11,519	11,430	11,500	11,897
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	16,636	17,156	17,979	18,207	18,870	18,828	18,767	19,346	20,104	20,537	21,255	23,253
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	15,579	15,861	15,609	15,596	15,809	15,617	15,351	15,690	15,687	15,838	15,975	15,272
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	27,796	27,724	27,620	27,666	27,943	27,971	28,367	28,532	28,586	28,728	28,630	28,935
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.36**	**1.36**	**1.35**	**1.35**	**1.34**	**1.32**	**1.33**	**1.32**	**1.32**	**1.30**	**1.31**	**1.29**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.74**	**1.70**	**1.71**	**1.71**	**1.70**	**1.67**	**1.68**	**1.69**	**1.68**	**1.66**	**1.67**	**1.64**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.88	1.86	1.89	1.85	1.86	1.89	1.89	1.87	1.80	1.80	1.86	1.79
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.64	1.65	1.65	1.61	1.60	1.60	1.57	1.58	1.58	1.61	1.55	1.49
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.43	1.38	1.39	1.43	1.46	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.50	1.49	1.47	1.48
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.07	1.05	1.04	1.05	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.08
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.83	0.82	0.81	0.81	0.80	0.79	0.80	0.83	0.84	0.86	0.89	0.87
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.30	2.32	2.28	2.24	2.23	2.20	2.21	2.21	2.18	2.10	2.09	2.03
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	1.02	1.00	1.04	1.03	0.99	0.99	1.00	0.99	0.99	1.01	0.97
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.00	2.01	2.06	2.07	2.11	1.98	2.01	1.99	2.06	2.02	2.02	1.97
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.11	3.14	3.13	3.10	3.12	3.00	3.06	3.14	3.12	3.07	3.01	3.02
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.66	1.55	1.62	1.53	1.54	1.47	1.46	1.47	1.54	1.45	1.47	1.47
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.02**	**1.03**	**1.02**	**1.02**	**1.01**	**1.00**	**1.01**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**0.97**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.05	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.03	1.03	1.05	1.07	1.05	1.04
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.12	1.08	1.11	1.13	1.07	1.10	1.10	1.07	1.10	1.06	1.05	1.08
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.15	2.12	2.22	2.20	2.16	2.13	2.13	2.04	2.01	2.02	2.09	2.00
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.66	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.66	0.68	0.68	0.67	0.68	0.68	0.69
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.35	1.32	1.32	1.43	1.50	1.47	1.38	1.23	1.42	1.34	1.40	1.41
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.26	1.25	1.21	1.22	1.24	1.21	1.23	1.22	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.19
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.47	0.55	0.50	0.47	0.46	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.44	0.43	0.46	0.44
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.34	1.36	1.35	1.33	1.40	1.34	1.37	1.37	1.36	1.36	1.35	1.30
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.30	1.31	1.29	1.29	1.36	1.32	1.34	1.32	1.34	1.38	1.32	1.34

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2015 January	2015 February	2015 March	2015 April	2015 May	2015 June	2015 July	2015 August	2015 September	2015 October	2015 November	2015 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**443,543**	**439,827**	**438,025**	**443,374**	**445,148**	**445,060**	**444,444**	**439,801**	**441,452**	**440,425**	**435,007**	**431,433**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**214,626**	**208,324**	**209,784**	**211,216**	**210,958**	**208,541**	**210,348**	**208,680**	**210,214**	**208,612**	**208,379**	**208,308**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	35,741	34,840	35,271	36,416	36,881	35,888	36,679	35,669	36,231	35,469	35,328	35,925
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,525	6,507	6,524	6,594	6,397	6,656	6,588	6,640	6,564	6,747	6,813	6,837
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,724	9,355	9,412	9,514	9,590	9,870	9,769	9,835	10,002	10,037	10,100	10,319
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	37,497	36,897	37,297	36,974	36,917	37,121	37,668	37,231	37,444	37,560	37,483	38,235
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	19,463	19,511	19,337	19,338	19,019	19,044	19,425	18,954	19,592	19,390	19,196	19,184
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,713	14,343	13,953	13,400	13,408	13,159	12,678	12,699	12,463	12,030	12,061	11,699
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	47,147	44,562	45,139	46,651	45,730	45,167	44,752	45,293	46,430	46,273	46,179	44,901
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,351	10,519	10,769	10,873	10,735	10,761	10,831	10,853	10,938	10,771	10,869	10,974
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	34,445	33,133	33,667	33,266	33,486	32,620	33,673	32,951	32,990	32,776	32,550	32,560
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,483	18,168	17,752	17,528	17,814	17,299	17,710	17,509	17,152	16,949	16,996	16,858
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**228,917**	**231,503**	**228,241**	**232,158**	**234,190**	**236,519**	**234,096**	**231,121**	**231,238**	**231,813**	**226,628**	**223,125**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	8,005	7,899	7,937	7,990	8,037	8,161	8,010	7,916	7,922	8,032	8,018	7,924
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	47,668	48,949	48,955	49,603	49,708	50,305	50,746	51,018	51,637	51,598	51,712	51,866
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,354	13,292	13,853	13,779	13,477	13,556	13,926	13,828	14,010	14,305	14,142	13,529
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	51,635	51,990	51,595	52,313	52,606	51,874	52,836	52,942	53,269	52,757	52,791	52,328
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	19,824	19,968	17,723	19,258	18,642	18,742	17,952	17,562	18,477	18,688	16,156	16,324
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,981	10,119	10,086	9,915	9,839	9,894	10,016	9,696	9,676	9,467	9,621	9,467
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	46,588	47,583	46,139	47,175	49,138	51,518	48,119	45,903	43,899	44,524	41,969	39,022
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	10,935	10,904	11,086	11,094	11,235	11,368	11,565	11,582	11,639	11,614	11,476	11,584
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	20,927	20,799	20,867	21,031	21,508	21,101	20,926	20,674	20,709	20,828	20,743	21,081
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**572,656**	**575,840**	**576,683**	**576,861**	**579,498**	**583,174**	**582,277**	**583,545**	**585,270**	**582,979**	**579,909**	**578,774**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**356,979**	**358,751**	**360,283**	**359,141**	**361,067**	**361,132**	**360,447**	**360,946**	**359,441**	**359,068**	**357,527**	**356,114**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	58,911	60,725	60,707	61,709	62,961	64,132	64,831	64,685	65,483	65,218	65,225	65,626
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	10,391	10,301	10,500	10,497	10,570	10,725	10,833	10,823	10,893	10,915	10,823	10,825
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,720	13,596	13,535	14,003	14,223	14,319	14,485	14,619	14,636	14,768	14,826	14,628
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	40,557	40,447	41,017	40,116	40,291	40,150	39,957	40,097	39,823	40,064	39,946	39,615
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,197	16,011	16,289	15,810	16,218	15,875	15,843	16,049	15,701	15,719	15,646	15,437
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	33,550	33,240	33,079	32,447	32,238	31,658	30,951	30,416	29,659	29,523	28,654	27,493
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,953	47,620	48,521	47,613	47,561	47,436	47,392	47,685	47,365	47,258	47,118	47,617
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	21,717	21,649	21,837	22,032	22,254	21,977	22,133	22,314	22,354	22,340	22,432	22,367
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	103,664	103,962	104,105	104,097	104,403	103,914	103,202	103,298	102,088	102,177	102,106	101,441
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	27,516	27,211	26,982	26,627	26,566	26,821	26,663	27,009	27,140	26,805	26,397	26,502
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**215,677**	**217,089**	**216,400**	**217,720**	**218,431**	**222,042**	**221,830**	**222,599**	**225,829**	**223,911**	**222,382**	**222,660**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,229	8,259	8,234	8,344	8,237	8,190	8,177	8,120	8,127	8,081	8,098	8,062
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	51,341	52,196	51,635	52,383	54,248	53,111	53,154	53,204	54,487	55,835	55,492	56,292
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	27,108	27,444	27,548	28,058	28,248	28,692	28,770	29,189	29,803	29,517	29,076	29,590
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	33,814	33,219	33,777	34,352	34,254	34,721	35,165	35,176	35,088	34,769	34,610	34,819
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	22,846	23,122	22,534	21,014	19,896	22,395	22,767	23,052	24,740	22,417	20,702	21,461
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	11,856	11,461	11,346	11,540	11,690	11,852	11,985	12,050	11,732	11,682	11,599	11,779
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	17,956	18,575	18,439	18,995	18,794	19,625	18,539	18,290	18,143	18,179	18,995	17,268
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	15,225	15,312	15,466	15,455	15,486	15,680	15,703	15,864	15,758	15,665	15,827	15,644
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	27,302	27,501	27,421	27,579	27,578	27,776	27,570	27,654	27,951	27,766	27,983	27,745
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.31**	**1.32**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.31**	**1.31**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.32**	**1.33**	**1.34**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.66**	**1.72**	**1.72**	**1.70**	**1.71**	**1.73**	**1.71**	**1.73**	**1.71**	**1.72**	**1.72**	**1.71**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.65	1.74	1.72	1.69	1.71	1.79	1.77	1.81	1.81	1.84	1.85	1.83
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.59	1.58	1.61	1.59	1.65	1.61	1.64	1.63	1.66	1.62	1.59	1.58
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.41	1.45	1.44	1.47	1.48	1.45	1.48	1.49	1.46	1.47	1.47	1.42
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.08	1.10	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08	1.06	1.08	1.06	1.07	1.07	1.04
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.83	0.82	0.84	0.82	0.85	0.83	0.82	0.85	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.80
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.28	2.32	2.37	2.42	2.40	2.41	2.44	2.40	2.38	2.45	2.38	2.35
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.00	1.07	1.07	1.02	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.05	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.06
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.10	2.06	2.03	2.03	2.07	2.04	2.04	2.06	2.04	2.07	2.06	2.04
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.01	3.14	3.09	3.13	3.12	3.19	3.06	3.13	3.09	3.12	3.14	3.12
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.49	1.50	1.52	1.52	1.49	1.55	1.51	1.54	1.58	1.58	1.55	1.57
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.94**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.96**	**0.98**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**1.00**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.03	1.05	1.04	1.04	1.02	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.01	1.01	1.02
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.08	1.07	1.05	1.06	1.09	1.06	1.05	1.04	1.06	1.08	1.07	1.09
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.03	2.06	1.99	2.04	2.10	2.12	2.07	2.11	2.13	2.06	2.06	2.19
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.65	0.64	0.65	0.66	0.65	0.67	0.67	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.67
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.15	1.16	1.27	1.09	1.07	1.19	1.27	1.31	1.34	1.20	1.28	1.31
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.19	1.13	1.12	1.16	1.19	1.20	1.20	1.24	1.21	1.23	1.21	1.24
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.39	0.40	0.40	0.38	0.38	0.39	0.40	0.41	0.41	0.45	0.44
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.39	1.40	1.40	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.36	1.37	1.35	1.35	1.38	1.35
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.30	1.32	1.31	1.31	1.28	1.32	1.32	1.34	1.35	1.33	1.35	1.32

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2014 January	2014 February	2014 March	2014 April	2014 May	2014 June	2014 July	2014 August	2014 September	2014 October	2014 November	2014 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**450,392**	**454,094**	**462,987**	**464,738**	**467,047**	**466,139**	**469,331**	**468,562**	**466,819**	**464,624**	**464,866**	**458,161**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**204,239**	**205,690**	**208,804**	**210,873**	**211,720**	**214,256**	**214,775**	**216,582**	**215,850**	**216,729**	**216,651**	**217,680**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	33,036	33,348	33,589	34,149	34,537	35,501	35,170	34,997	35,183	35,131	35,241	34,980
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,169	6,204	6,198	6,276	6,254	6,306	6,353	6,484	6,478	6,576	6,580	6,596
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,850	8,616	8,841	9,022	9,246	9,369	9,453	9,475	9,578	9,578	9,501	9,780
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	35,080	35,454	35,652	36,629	36,213	36,644	36,452	36,823	36,611	37,258	37,559	37,013
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	18,696	18,262	18,707	19,567	19,026	18,926	19,032	19,322	18,847	19,372	19,725	19,077
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,308	14,559	14,968	14,708	15,164	15,146	15,942	16,034	16,127	16,260	15,784	15,504
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	42,309	41,914	42,889	43,682	44,063	44,307	44,698	45,097	44,714	45,335	46,652	48,488
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,889	9,935	10,223	10,236	10,378	10,226	10,234	10,365	10,754	11,023	10,832	10,529
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	33,624	34,534	34,857	34,955	35,051	35,512	35,074	35,968	35,459	35,491	35,064	35,479
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	20,974	21,126	21,587	21,216	20,814	21,245	21,399	21,339	20,946	20,077	19,438	19,311
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**246,153**	**248,404**	**254,183**	**253,865**	**255,327**	**251,883**	**254,556**	**251,980**	**250,969**	**247,895**	**248,215**	**240,481**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,819	7,893	7,998	7,981	7,910	8,122	8,373	8,097	7,948	7,922	7,869	7,955
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	41,871	42,558	43,490	44,262	44,900	44,996	45,083	45,551	46,001	46,152	46,333	47,968
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,065	13,389	13,521	13,336	13,625	13,552	13,278	13,678	13,773	13,544	13,779	13,547
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	47,940	48,364	50,446	50,751	50,749	50,610	51,861	51,285	51,618	52,628	52,010	52,485
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	22,480	21,318	22,850	22,302	24,626	21,548	20,970	19,855	18,848	19,734	19,597	20,179
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,765	10,815	10,799	10,960	11,221	10,620	10,649	10,929	10,552	10,689	10,271	10,390
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	71,193	72,768	74,337	73,022	70,017	70,756	72,950	71,551	70,230	65,085	66,608	54,990
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	10,739	10,891	10,874	10,968	10,951	10,923	10,709	10,872	10,903	11,042	10,823	10,922
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	20,281	20,408	19,868	20,283	21,328	20,756	20,683	20,162	21,096	21,099	20,925	22,045
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**543,620**	**547,175**	**551,817**	**556,022**	**556,680**	**557,679**	**558,486**	**562,575**	**563,113**	**566,104**	**571,181**	**572,083**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**333,259**	**335,988**	**338,001**	**340,133**	**342,694**	**345,018**	**346,055**	**347,623**	**351,334**	**351,017**	**353,986**	**355,111**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	53,868	54,091	55,130	54,960	56,044	55,836	56,290	56,467	57,485	56,813	57,122	57,551
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,820	9,934	9,955	10,037	10,045	10,125	10,038	10,114	10,245	10,147	10,210	10,362
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,226	13,559	13,589	13,523	13,633	13,654	13,531	13,714	13,860	13,817	13,756	13,778
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	37,630	38,160	38,581	38,797	38,735	39,053	38,984	39,661	40,221	39,991	40,423	40,655
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,719	15,033	15,136	15,762	15,262	15,725	15,351	15,790	16,128	15,751	16,072	16,396
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	30,030	30,170	29,865	30,597	31,258	32,198	31,800	31,830	32,459	32,560	33,020	33,411
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	42,961	43,170	43,533	44,565	44,893	45,229	45,413	45,672	45,591	45,618	46,135	45,712
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	19,735	19,885	20,175	20,358	20,390	20,544	20,859	20,807	20,901	21,141	21,414	21,508
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	97,924	99,006	99,146	99,082	99,358	99,854	100,455	100,832	101,883	102,410	103,247	103,739
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	28,065	28,013	28,027	28,214	28,338	28,525	28,685	28,526	28,689	28,520	28,659	28,395
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**210,361**	**211,187**	**213,816**	**215,889**	**213,986**	**212,661**	**212,431**	**214,952**	**211,779**	**215,087**	**217,195**	**216,972**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,970	8,017	7,986	8,007	8,041	8,071	8,118	8,158	8,217	8,218	8,166	8,158
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	44,514	45,681	45,755	46,581	47,180	47,234	48,906	49,962	47,239	49,753	51,159	50,731
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	25,772	25,827	26,170	26,246	26,296	26,187	26,703	26,946	27,192	27,286	27,223	27,063
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	30,654	30,301	31,184	31,803	31,389	31,571	31,765	31,628	32,506	33,092	33,255	33,668
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	23,853	24,685	25,292	25,654	24,127	22,340	20,353	21,797	21,247	21,854	23,294	23,943
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	11,411	11,323	11,424	11,559	11,550	11,926	11,808	11,494	11,752	11,588	11,630	12,005
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	24,316	23,652	23,765	23,264	23,358	23,601	22,771	22,699	21,357	20,778	19,813	18,599
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	14,898	14,804	14,968	15,170	15,047	15,056	15,175	15,094	15,310	15,325	15,235	15,452
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	26,973	26,897	27,272	27,605	26,998	26,675	26,832	27,174	26,959	27,193	27,420	27,353
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.21**	**1.20**	**1.19**	**1.20**	**1.19**	**1.20**	**1.19**	**1.20**	**1.21**	**1.22**	**1.23**	**1.25**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.63**	**1.63**	**1.62**	**1.61**	**1.62**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.63**	**1.62**	**1.63**	**1.63**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.63	1.62	1.64	1.61	1.62	1.57	1.60	1.61	1.63	1.62	1.62	1.65
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.59	1.60	1.61	1.60	1.61	1.61	1.58	1.56	1.58	1.54	1.55	1.57
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.49	1.57	1.54	1.50	1.47	1.46	1.43	1.45	1.45	1.44	1.45	1.41
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.07	1.08	1.08	1.06	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.08	1.10	1.07	1.08	1.10
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.79	0.82	0.81	0.81	0.80	0.83	0.81	0.82	0.86	0.81	0.81	0.86
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.10	2.07	2.00	2.08	2.06	2.13	1.99	1.99	2.01	2.00	2.09	2.15
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.01	1.02	1.01	0.99	0.94
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.00	2.00	1.97	1.99	1.96	2.01	2.04	2.01	1.94	1.92	1.98	2.04
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.91	2.87	2.84	2.83	2.83	2.81	2.86	2.80	2.87	2.89	2.94	2.92
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.34	1.33	1.30	1.33	1.36	1.34	1.34	1.34	1.37	1.42	1.47	1.47
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.87**	**0.88**	**0.90**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.02	1.00	1.00	1.02	0.99	0.97	1.01	1.03	1.04	1.04	1.03
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.06	1.07	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.08	1.10	1.03	1.08	1.10	1.06
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.97	1.93	1.94	1.97	1.93	1.93	2.01	1.97	1.97	2.01	1.98	2.00
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.64	0.63	0.62	0.63	0.62	0.62	0.61	0.62	0.63	0.63	0.64	0.64
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.06	1.16	1.11	1.15	0.98	1.04	0.97	1.10	1.13	1.11	1.19	1.19
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.06	1.05	1.06	1.05	1.03	1.12	1.11	1.05	1.11	1.08	1.13	1.16
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.34	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.33	0.33	0.31	0.32	0.30	0.32	0.30	0.34
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.39	1.36	1.38	1.38	1.37	1.38	1.42	1.39	1.40	1.39	1.41	1.41
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.33	1.32	1.37	1.36	1.27	1.29	1.30	1.35	1.28	1.29	1.31	1.24

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NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2013 January	2013 February	2013 March	2013 April	2013 May	2013 June	2013 July	2013 August	2013 September	2013 October	2013 November	2013 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**443,725**	**448,224**	**441,023**	**439,541**	**445,373**	**445,247**	**441,985**	**447,106**	**448,828**	**452,222**	**455,360**	**457,577**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**203,825**	**204,428**	**203,483**	**204,116**	**204,002**	**205,088**	**201,782**	**204,504**	**207,234**	**207,647**	**206,382**	**206,434**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	32,885	32,801	33,161	33,153	33,549	33,690	32,548	32,496	35,025	33,842	34,492	33,904
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,565	5,703	5,728	5,900	5,990	6,086	6,119	6,064	6,127	6,031	6,029	5,988
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,448	8,668	8,707	8,699	8,677	8,526	8,785	8,907	8,809	8,979	8,895	8,854
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	35,084	35,574	35,268	35,231	35,216	35,503	35,439	36,524	35,758	35,467	34,915	35,606
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	18,147	18,714	18,509	18,543	18,644	19,096	18,819	19,720	18,611	18,970	18,162	18,525
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,576	14,904	14,565	14,812	14,286	14,211	14,128	14,100	14,369	14,876	14,390	14,129
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	41,853	41,738	42,075	41,474	42,278	43,055	42,261	42,536	43,153	43,007	42,888	43,498
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,768	9,688	9,511	9,654	9,869	9,938	9,833	9,837	9,727	9,893	9,845	9,830
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	33,823	33,595	33,033	34,184	33,631	33,527	32,761	33,576	33,733	34,498	33,730	33,913
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	21,823	21,757	21,435	21,009	20,506	20,552	19,908	20,464	20,533	21,054	21,198	20,712
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**239,900**	**243,796**	**237,540**	**235,425**	**241,371**	**240,159**	**240,203**	**242,602**	**241,594**	**244,575**	**248,978**	**251,143**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,571	7,749	7,392	7,672	7,702	7,543	7,612	7,648	7,688	7,817	7,685	7,931
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	40,886	39,146	39,759	39,686	40,505	40,724	40,554	41,131	40,421	40,804	40,987	41,590
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,044	13,526	12,719	12,342	12,904	13,092	13,165	12,718	12,944	12,705	13,274	13,523
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	48,030	47,261	47,169	46,954	49,025	48,306	47,712	48,078	48,271	48,994	48,539	48,057
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	22,368	22,977	22,038	22,194	23,002	22,327	22,474	22,710	22,347	21,504	22,981	23,195
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,372	10,396	10,122	10,172	10,293	10,211	10,269	10,456	10,482	10,420	10,565	10,599
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	65,279	70,083	66,059	64,371	64,230	66,980	66,771	68,833	67,904	70,496	73,017	74,536
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	10,573	10,683	10,697	10,696	10,869	10,771	11,010	10,885	10,977	10,816	11,018	10,928
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,777	21,975	21,585	21,338	22,841	20,205	20,636	20,143	20,560	21,019	20,912	20,784
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**524,442**	**523,029**	**523,406**	**524,404**	**520,833**	**521,376**	**522,129**	**526,109**	**528,371**	**534,301**	**538,588**	**540,671**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**318,916**	**318,983**	**320,307**	**321,766**	**319,221**	**319,730**	**321,885**	**323,496**	**324,312**	**325,866**	**327,634**	**332,068**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	49,772	49,816	50,191	51,542	51,099	50,629	50,633	52,103	50,624	52,570	52,581	52,661
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,271	9,310	9,280	9,389	9,465	9,466	9,599	9,699	9,820	9,918	9,984	9,923
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,501	12,544	12,574	12,617	12,496	12,535	12,672	12,614	12,517	12,590	12,813	13,064
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	36,684	36,944	36,990	37,540	36,871	37,419	37,181	36,779	37,450	36,596	36,971	37,600
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,521	14,777	14,801	15,707	14,816	15,066	14,796	14,281	14,944	14,134	14,385	14,931
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	29,666	29,580	29,614	29,159	28,642	28,611	28,942	29,099	28,879	29,165	29,320	29,754
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	42,543	42,641	42,735	42,918	42,793	42,728	43,012	43,347	44,001	43,392	43,186	44,248
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	19,198	19,380	19,650	19,788	19,926	19,666	19,567	19,485	19,616	19,618	19,606	19,658
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	90,416	89,995	90,791	90,670	89,837	90,669	91,865	91,923	92,926	93,646	94,835	96,784
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	28,865	28,773	28,482	28,143	28,092	28,007	28,414	28,447	28,479	28,371	28,338	28,376
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**205,526**	**204,046**	**203,099**	**202,638**	**201,612**	**201,646**	**200,244**	**202,613**	**204,059**	**208,435**	**210,954**	**208,603**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,383	7,474	7,547	7,568	7,587	7,563	7,680	7,746	7,708	7,839	7,902	7,890
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	40,216	39,431	39,546	39,585	40,634	40,947	40,873	42,031	41,499	42,662	43,464	43,590
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	23,848	24,471	24,893	24,585	24,633	24,586	24,363	24,352	24,652	24,737	25,031	25,327
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	31,467	31,503	31,702	31,572	31,359	31,342	31,282	31,523	31,940	31,733	31,484	31,096
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	26,892	25,002	24,337	24,038	22,617	22,601	20,852	20,446	21,321	23,158	24,881	23,756
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	11,006	11,177	11,095	10,904	11,134	11,246	11,348	11,098	11,099	11,023	11,054	11,577
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	25,129	25,024	23,843	23,743	23,596	23,623	24,796	25,472	25,131	25,839	24,996	24,470
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	13,711	13,790	13,956	14,379	14,273	14,302	14,211	14,281	14,586	14,651	14,664	14,674
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	25,874	26,174	26,180	26,264	25,779	25,436	24,839	25,664	26,123	26,793	27,478	26,223
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.18**	**1.17**	**1.19**	**1.19**	**1.17**	**1.17**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.57**	**1.58**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.60**	**1.58**	**1.56**	**1.57**	**1.59**	**1.61**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.51	1.52	1.51	1.55	1.52	1.50	1.56	1.60	1.45	1.55	1.52	1.55
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.67	1.63	1.62	1.59	1.58	1.56	1.57	1.60	1.60	1.64	1.66	1.66
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.48	1.45	1.44	1.45	1.44	1.47	1.44	1.42	1.42	1.40	1.44	1.48
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.05	1.04	1.05	1.07	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.01	1.05	1.03	1.06	1.06
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.80	0.79	0.80	0.85	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.72	0.80	0.75	0.79	0.81
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.04	1.98	2.03	1.97	2.00	2.01	2.05	2.06	2.01	1.96	2.04	2.11
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.03	1.01	0.99	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.01	1.01	1.02
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.97	2.00	2.07	2.05	2.02	1.98	1.99	1.98	2.02	1.98	1.99	2.00
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.67	2.68	2.75	2.65	2.67	2.70	2.80	2.74	2.75	2.71	2.81	2.85
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.32	1.32	1.33	1.34	1.37	1.36	1.43	1.39	1.39	1.35	1.34	1.37
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.86**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.86**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.83**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	0.96	1.02	0.99	0.99	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.00	1.00	1.03	0.99
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.98	1.01	0.99	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.05	1.06	1.05
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.83	1.81	1.96	1.99	1.91	1.88	1.85	1.91	1.90	1.95	1.89	1.87
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.64	0.65	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.65	0.65	0.65
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.20	1.09	1.10	1.08	0.98	1.01	0.93	0.90	0.95	1.08	1.08	1.02
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.06	1.08	1.10	1.07	1.08	1.10	1.11	1.06	1.06	1.06	1.05	1.09
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.36	0.36	0.37	0.37	0.35	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.34	0.33
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.30	1.29	1.30	1.34	1.31	1.33	1.29	1.31	1.33	1.35	1.33	1.34
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.19	1.19	1.21	1.23	1.13	1.26	1.20	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.31	1.26

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2012 January	2012 February	2012 March	2012 April	2012 May	2012 June	2012 July	2012 August	2012 September	2012 October	2012 November	2012 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**426,831**	**430,872**	**432,703**	**439,413**	**431,308**	**425,761**	**426,060**	**430,220**	**439,950**	**433,281**	**441,722**	**441,631**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**197,392**	**199,895**	**199,024**	**197,569**	**198,777**	**197,372**	**197,222**	**197,720**	**199,528**	**197,770**	**202,740**	**200,998**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	32,558	32,719	32,346	32,313	32,280	32,565	32,918	33,873	33,285	32,682	32,987	32,500
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,617	5,626	5,656	5,569	5,710	5,613	5,633	5,606	5,690	5,589	5,589	5,436
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,656	7,740	7,876	7,822	7,669	7,676	7,676	7,700	7,939	7,886	8,128	8,313
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	34,136	34,436	34,402	34,575	34,547	34,421	34,060	33,927	34,045	34,062	35,198	34,760
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	17,946	18,548	18,257	18,448	18,430	18,076	17,845	17,872	17,935	17,710	18,560	18,400
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	15,592	15,661	15,561	15,386	15,203	15,100	14,568	14,465	14,513	14,564	14,705	14,848
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	37,751	38,533	38,174	38,493	38,855	38,839	39,988	39,733	40,615	40,747	41,223	41,336
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,124	9,499	9,426	9,373	9,411	9,311	9,467	9,396	9,266	9,316	9,352	9,412
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	32,837	33,108	33,895	32,834	33,708	32,928	32,612	32,441	32,638	31,923	32,776	32,271
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	22,121	22,573	21,688	21,204	21,394	20,919	20,300	20,579	21,537	21,001	22,782	22,122
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**229,439**	**230,977**	**233,679**	**241,844**	**232,531**	**228,389**	**228,838**	**232,500**	**240,422**	**235,511**	**238,982**	**240,633**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,390	7,445	7,520	7,275	7,532	7,497	7,559	7,509	7,712	7,473	7,644	7,600
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	38,690	38,731	38,611	38,752	37,903	37,853	38,588	37,557	37,864	38,059	39,213	40,305
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,058	11,995	11,950	12,541	12,352	12,920	12,747	12,497	12,421	11,954	12,459	12,691
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	45,659	46,526	45,948	45,803	45,698	46,429	46,671	46,504	45,694	45,854	46,973	47,372
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	19,333	19,074	19,337	20,545	19,698	19,794	21,245	21,894	23,184	22,759	23,960	22,855
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,943	9,982	10,233	10,366	10,236	10,410	10,400	9,879	10,140	10,217	10,212	10,265
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	66,027	67,075	68,680	74,993	68,345	64,026	61,060	65,881	72,161	68,024	66,701	67,398
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	9,942	9,909	9,897	9,919	10,109	10,175	10,129	10,232	10,272	10,164	10,392	10,683
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	20,397	20,240	21,503	21,650	20,658	19,285	20,439	20,547	20,974	21,007	21,428	21,464
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**486,117**	**493,082**	**494,736**	**498,179**	**499,546**	**502,275**	**507,509**	**509,890**	**516,395**	**515,761**	**519,945**	**520,338**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**292,563**	**295,125**	**297,807**	**301,230**	**303,683**	**305,638**	**308,094**	**307,481**	**310,418**	**314,108**	**315,628**	**316,223**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	48,682	48,474	48,592	49,456	49,833	50,588	50,838	50,396	50,759	50,969	51,753	50,294
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,605	8,685	8,821	8,786	8,898	8,892	9,018	9,034	9,110	9,134	9,349	9,219
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,998	10,960	11,139	11,308	11,402	11,392	11,491	11,503	11,635	11,822	11,755	11,867
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	33,742	33,907	34,238	34,449	34,955	34,763	35,769	34,972	34,988	35,830	35,826	36,136
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,394	13,269	13,463	13,294	13,609	13,488	14,388	13,663	13,554	14,426	14,236	14,138
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	27,774	28,166	28,413	28,786	28,868	28,591	28,438	28,757	29,218	29,640	29,497	29,825
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	38,949	39,208	39,386	39,434	39,495	39,906	39,903	39,784	40,323	40,797	41,309	42,729
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	18,518	18,646	18,470	18,433	18,547	18,875	18,694	18,870	18,868	18,939	18,910	19,204
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	77,341	79,183	80,344	82,462	83,578	84,642	85,715	87,192	87,958	88,882	89,158	88,986
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	27,954	27,896	28,404	28,116	28,107	27,989	28,228	26,973	27,559	28,095	28,071	27,963
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**193,554**	**197,957**	**196,929**	**196,949**	**195,863**	**196,637**	**199,415**	**202,409**	**205,977**	**201,653**	**204,317**	**204,115**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,553	7,528	7,438	7,579	7,557	7,663	7,626	7,656	7,642	7,587	7,580	7,631
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	36,527	37,338	38,201	37,369	38,021	38,016	39,155	39,674	39,198	37,442	39,535	38,664
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	23,395	23,300	23,339	23,410	23,795	23,446	23,201	22,962	22,895	23,143	23,260	24,052
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	29,545	30,106	29,753	29,390	30,418	30,460	30,304	29,983	30,055	30,239	30,923	30,900
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	23,818	24,795	25,260	25,267	23,622	26,869	28,900	29,867	32,249	30,025	28,762	27,031
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	10,363	10,503	10,592	10,715	10,803	10,726	10,893	10,845	11,007	11,138	11,060	11,463
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	24,995	27,083	25,483	26,203	24,283	21,822	21,146	22,933	24,232	23,644	24,445	25,109
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	12,563	12,603	12,516	12,676	13,019	12,906	13,340	13,345	13,395	13,305	13,326	13,481
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	24,795	24,701	24,347	24,340	24,345	24,729	24,850	25,144	25,304	25,130	25,426	25,784
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.13**	**1.16**	**1.18**	**1.19**	**1.19**	**1.17**	**1.19**	**1.18**	**1.18**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.48**	**1.48**	**1.50**	**1.52**	**1.53**	**1.55**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.59**	**1.56**	**1.57**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.50	1.48	1.50	1.53	1.54	1.55	1.54	1.49	1.52	1.56	1.57	1.55
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.53	1.54	1.56	1.58	1.56	1.58	1.60	1.61	1.60	1.63	1.67	1.70
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.44	1.42	1.41	1.45	1.49	1.48	1.50	1.49	1.47	1.50	1.45	1.43
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	0.99	0.98	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.05	1.03	1.03	1.05	1.02	1.04
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.75	0.72	0.74	0.72	0.74	0.75	0.81	0.76	0.76	0.81	0.77	0.77
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.78	1.80	1.83	1.87	1.90	1.89	1.95	1.99	2.01	2.04	2.01	2.01
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.03	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.02	1.03	1.00	1.00	0.99	1.00	1.00	1.03
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.03	1.96	1.96	1.97	1.97	2.03	1.97	2.01	2.04	2.03	2.02	2.04
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.36	2.39	2.37	2.51	2.48	2.57	2.63	2.69	2.69	2.78	2.72	2.76
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.26	1.24	1.31	1.33	1.31	1.34	1.39	1.31	1.28	1.34	1.23	1.26
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.84**	**0.81**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.87**	**0.86**	**0.86**	**0.85**	**0.85**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.01	0.99	1.04	1.00	1.02	1.01	1.02	0.99	1.02	0.99	1.00
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.94	0.96	0.99	0.96	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.06	1.04	0.98	1.01	0.96
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.94	1.94	1.95	1.87	1.93	1.81	1.82	1.84	1.84	1.94	1.87	1.90
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.64	0.67	0.66	0.65	0.64	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.65
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.23	1.30	1.31	1.23	1.20	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.39	1.32	1.20	1.18
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.04	1.05	1.04	1.03	1.06	1.03	1.05	1.10	1.09	1.09	1.08	1.12
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.40	0.37	0.35	0.36	0.34	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.35	0.37	0.37
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.26	1.27	1.26	1.28	1.29	1.27	1.32	1.30	1.30	1.31	1.28	1.26
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.22	1.22	1.13	1.12	1.18	1.28	1.22	1.22	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.20

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2011 January	2011 February	2011 March	2011 April	2011 May	2011 June	2011 July	2011 August	2011 September	2011 October	2011 November	2011 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**395,503**	**391,409**	**401,941**	**406,719**	**402,575**	**405,589**	**409,301**	**413,876**	**413,011**	**417,065**	**414,349**	**420,572**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**179,243**	**176,890**	**181,717**	**181,848**	**179,312**	**182,568**	**189,689**	**192,443**	**190,024**	**192,065**	**190,371**	**196,119**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,386	27,303	27,328	27,384	24,266	25,968	27,990	29,033	29,039	30,780	30,238	31,756
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,877	4,766	4,967	4,902	4,961	5,059	5,385	5,144	5,127	5,319	5,292	5,364
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,813	6,842	7,416	7,196	7,373	7,407	7,367	7,599	7,506	7,541	7,446	7,787
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	35,489	34,471	34,525	34,876	33,414	33,855	35,490	34,707	34,140	34,360	33,838	33,707
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	19,602	18,992	18,796	19,272	18,239	18,005	19,146	18,650	18,112	18,443	17,991	17,589
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,339	13,124	14,237	13,665	14,038	14,075	14,879	14,958	14,802	14,960	15,041	15,723
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	33,861	33,623	34,997	35,286	35,896	35,990	35,513	36,209	36,453	36,542	36,254	37,032
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,461	8,270	8,699	8,521	8,487	8,665	8,592	8,663	8,857	8,822	8,935	9,213
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	27,560	27,286	27,421	28,372	28,288	29,580	30,471	30,841	30,963	31,390	31,560	33,354
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	21,457	21,205	22,127	21,646	22,589	21,969	24,002	25,289	23,137	22,351	21,767	22,183
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**216,260**	**214,519**	**220,224**	**224,871**	**223,263**	**223,021**	**219,612**	**221,433**	**222,987**	**225,000**	**223,978**	**224,453**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,407	7,230	7,341	7,380	7,358	7,377	7,305	7,415	7,355	7,436	7,446	7,467
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	36,837	35,670	35,860	36,153	36,576	36,656	36,919	37,405	37,769	38,622	38,148	37,702
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,879	11,658	11,940	12,031	12,269	11,889	11,880	12,138	11,822	12,108	11,657	12,149
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	40,622	41,641	42,617	42,667	42,614	43,169	43,329	43,948	44,474	44,103	44,478	45,803
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	20,374	19,888	20,311	19,835	21,211	20,918	19,532	18,758	17,908	19,061	18,193	18,387
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,379	9,354	9,973	9,686	9,673	9,931	10,028	9,569	10,236	10,207	10,242	9,971
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	61,773	60,559	63,495	68,662	65,426	63,638	61,429	62,311	63,944	63,539	63,547	63,039
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	9,519	9,667	9,669	9,638	9,359	9,822	9,646	9,783	9,849	9,869	9,836	9,798
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	18,470	18,852	19,018	18,819	18,777	19,621	19,544	20,106	19,630	20,055	20,431	20,137
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**443,772**	**448,870**	**453,752**	**456,287**	**465,597**	**470,771**	**474,022**	**475,917**	**472,085**	**477,071**	**478,522**	**485,044**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**262,208**	**264,631**	**266,031**	**266,806**	**272,570**	**276,635**	**279,444**	**282,431**	**284,014**	**286,546**	**287,414**	**290,437**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	41,127	41,796	41,620	39,620	41,249	43,375	43,647	45,358	45,973	46,371	45,956	48,270
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,385	8,477	8,429	8,583	8,576	8,589	8,524	8,511	8,471	8,488	8,578	8,587
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	11,146	11,130	11,208	11,166	11,121	11,096	11,071	11,122	11,263	11,261	11,298	11,114
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	33,268	33,321	33,061	32,926	33,580	33,954	35,115	35,036	34,478	34,844	34,374	33,944
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,879	13,895	13,314	13,175	13,630	13,863	14,528	14,581	14,102	14,233	14,105	13,490
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	23,148	23,791	24,290	25,009	25,432	26,096	26,355	26,646	26,196	26,758	27,181	27,376
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	35,338	35,823	35,693	36,532	37,229	37,105	37,455	37,903	38,105	38,675	39,071	38,669
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,402	17,567	17,570	17,733	18,005	18,133	18,156	18,130	18,156	18,358	18,513	18,461
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	67,563	67,508	69,233	69,541	70,261	71,700	72,479	72,735	74,608	74,975	76,090	76,752
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	24,831	25,218	24,927	25,696	27,117	26,587	26,642	26,990	26,764	26,816	26,353	27,264
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**181,564**	**184,239**	**187,721**	**189,481**	**193,027**	**194,136**	**194,578**	**193,486**	**188,071**	**190,525**	**191,108**	**194,607**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,242	7,297	7,422	7,414	7,466	7,434	7,468	7,333	7,334	7,438	7,479	7,505
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	34,258	34,385	35,355	35,354	34,283	35,406	35,078	34,730	36,175	35,436	35,872	37,469
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	21,555	21,693	22,094	22,015	22,827	23,398	24,057	23,951	23,511	23,267	23,482	23,461
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	27,084	27,137	27,918	28,086	28,621	28,613	28,927	29,410	29,624	29,775	29,384	29,592
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	25,630	25,570	25,918	26,226	27,281	26,552	26,354	26,633	22,520	23,716	23,803	23,921
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	9,490	9,540	9,755	9,932	10,265	10,498	10,615	10,704	10,574	10,527	10,428	10,637
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	22,234	23,940	24,037	24,814	25,825	25,096	25,256	24,109	22,012	23,470	23,978	24,778
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,364	11,632	11,770	11,834	11,902	11,932	11,773	11,895	11,801	12,278	12,259	12,340
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	22,707	23,045	23,452	23,806	24,557	25,207	25,050	24,721	24,520	24,618	24,423	24,904
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.12**	**1.15**	**1.13**	**1.12**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.15**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.15**	**1.15**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.46**	**1.50**	**1.46**	**1.47**	**1.52**	**1.52**	**1.47**	**1.47**	**1.49**	**1.49**	**1.51**	**1.48**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.50	1.53	1.52	1.45	1.70	1.67	1.56	1.56	1.58	1.51	1.52	1.52
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.72	1.78	1.70	1.75	1.73	1.70	1.58	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.62	1.60
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.64	1.63	1.51	1.55	1.51	1.50	1.50	1.46	1.50	1.49	1.52	1.43
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	0.94	0.97	0.96	0.94	1.00	1.00	0.99	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.01
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.71	0.73	0.71	0.68	0.75	0.77	0.76	0.78	0.78	0.77	0.78	0.77
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.74	1.81	1.71	1.83	1.81	1.85	1.77	1.78	1.77	1.79	1.81	1.74
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.04	1.07	1.02	1.04	1.04	1.03	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.06	1.08	1.04
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.06	2.12	2.02	2.08	2.12	2.09	2.11	2.09	2.05	2.08	2.07	2.00
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.45	2.47	2.52	2.45	2.48	2.42	2.38	2.36	2.41	2.39	2.41	2.30
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.16	1.19	1.13	1.19	1.20	1.21	1.11	1.07	1.16	1.20	1.21	1.23
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.89**	**0.87**	**0.84**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.87**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	1.01	1.01	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.02	0.99	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.01
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.93	0.96	0.99	0.98	0.94	0.97	0.95	0.93	0.96	0.92	0.94	0.99
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.81	1.86	1.85	1.83	1.86	1.97	2.03	1.97	1.99	1.92	2.01	1.93
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.67	0.65	0.66	0.66	0.67	0.66	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.68	0.66	0.65
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.26	1.29	1.28	1.32	1.29	1.27	1.35	1.42	1.26	1.24	1.31	1.30
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.01	1.02	0.98	1.03	1.06	1.06	1.06	1.12	1.03	1.03	1.02	1.07
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.36	0.40	0.38	0.36	0.39	0.39	0.41	0.39	0.34	0.37	0.38	0.39
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.19	1.20	1.22	1.23	1.27	1.21	1.22	1.22	1.20	1.24	1.25	1.26
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.23	1.22	1.23	1.26	1.31	1.28	1.28	1.23	1.25	1.23	1.20	1.24

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2010 January	2010 February	2010 March	2010 April	2010 May	2010 June	2010 July	2010 August	2010 September	2010 October	2010 November	2010 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**342,765**	**347,552**	**352,401**	**358,280**	**356,634**	**356,710**	**360,345**	**363,315**	**364,383**	**373,539**	**377,023**	**379,651**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**154,974**	**157,701**	**160,340**	**164,290**	**165,931**	**166,483**	**168,711**	**169,479**	**169,308**	**172,227**	**172,708**	**173,340**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,957	24,906	24,567	25,025	24,802	25,247	25,860	25,838	25,599	25,878	25,217	25,689
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,611	4,697	4,745	4,710	4,832	4,969	4,661	4,821	4,775	4,753	4,837	4,962
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,755	6,628	7,451	8,078	7,455	7,322	7,224	7,045	6,952	7,169	7,234	6,770
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,885	31,612	31,933	32,597	33,165	33,040	33,551	33,421	33,778	34,063	33,868	34,150
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	17,242	17,040	17,380	17,940	18,756	18,438	18,493	18,517	19,068	19,058	18,871	18,736
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,976	10,124	10,670	10,958	11,667	11,763	11,728	11,913	12,248	12,252	12,415	12,658
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	29,636	31,222	31,127	32,126	32,266	33,095	33,912	34,011	33,180	33,352	33,281	32,954
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,728	7,681	7,675	8,033	8,053	8,029	8,171	8,180	8,021	7,924	8,299	8,412
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	22,539	23,288	23,927	23,486	24,392	25,290	26,041	26,504	26,546	27,147	27,640	27,551
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,887	17,543	18,245	19,277	19,299	17,728	17,563	17,746	18,209	19,689	19,917	20,194
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**187,791**	**189,851**	**192,061**	**193,990**	**190,703**	**190,227**	**191,634**	**193,836**	**195,075**	**201,312**	**204,315**	**206,311**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,094	7,118	7,078	7,079	7,057	7,088	7,189	7,157	7,287	7,276	7,304	7,226
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	33,417	33,357	34,286	33,744	34,021	34,782	34,795	35,430	36,420	34,676	35,433	35,055
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,742	11,098	11,116	11,456	11,414	11,433	11,497	11,569	11,550	11,579	11,943	11,441
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	40,126	40,081	40,673	41,199	41,418	41,174	41,446	41,642	41,513	41,022	40,618	40,386
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	15,470	15,659	15,114	14,213	12,794	13,171	13,184	14,599	15,565	18,673	18,969	19,403
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,225	8,334	8,381	8,374	8,667	8,515	8,481	8,754	8,322	8,842	8,900	9,027
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	46,345	47,760	48,545	49,637	48,715	47,163	48,001	47,559	47,353	51,086	53,592	56,170
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,996	9,068	9,307	9,490	9,132	9,184	9,123	9,100	9,137	9,595	9,459	9,428
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,376	17,376	17,561	18,798	17,485	17,717	17,918	18,026	17,928	18,563	18,097	18,175
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**396,723**	**397,929**	**400,209**	**401,030**	**402,886**	**405,233**	**410,253**	**415,296**	**421,848**	**430,627**	**433,524**	**440,159**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**236,881**	**238,596**	**241,612**	**241,722**	**243,514**	**244,845**	**246,917**	**249,430**	**252,214**	**255,134**	**257,585**	**260,695**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	37,526	37,818	38,550	37,980	37,701	37,910	38,293	38,013	38,835	38,953	40,274	40,991
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,332	7,315	7,320	7,412	7,563	7,677	7,846	8,044	8,112	8,239	8,276	8,286
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,506	10,679	10,738	10,902	11,061	11,144	11,047	10,984	10,784	10,728	10,743	10,945
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	29,640	29,644	30,300	30,633	30,985	31,222	31,353	31,648	31,663	32,019	32,333	32,681
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,612	11,846	12,313	12,658	12,887	12,990	13,062	13,259	13,117	13,278	13,287	13,489
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	20,233	20,398	21,114	21,008	21,257	21,424	21,724	21,733	22,115	22,449	22,756	22,974
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	31,258	31,420	31,953	31,840	32,123	32,953	33,470	34,087	34,369	34,828	34,559	34,961
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	15,754	15,730	15,730	15,598	15,654	15,710	15,869	16,240	16,532	16,669	16,814	16,970
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	62,084	62,041	61,672	61,983	63,270	63,228	64,214	65,248	65,499	66,529	67,002	67,533
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	22,548	23,551	24,235	24,366	23,900	23,577	23,101	23,433	24,305	24,720	24,828	25,354
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**159,842**	**159,333**	**158,597**	**159,308**	**159,372**	**160,388**	**163,336**	**165,866**	**169,634**	**175,493**	**175,939**	**179,464**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,701	6,754	6,750	6,738	6,874	6,929	6,858	6,972	7,033	7,066	7,076	7,207
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	33,058	32,868	32,824	33,431	33,772	34,133	34,282	34,207	34,686	34,433	34,107	35,268
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	17,680	17,873	17,819	17,876	18,096	18,389	19,097	19,571	20,441	20,840	21,209	20,998
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	24,266	24,864	24,736	24,929	25,256	25,787	25,999	26,180	25,677	25,941	25,575	26,342
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	16,760	16,113	15,177	14,518	14,576	14,636	15,889	16,884	19,016	23,398	23,565	24,602
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	8,449	8,669	8,611	8,702	8,754	8,992	9,224	9,198	9,262	9,053	9,129	9,342
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	20,439	20,052	20,450	21,168	19,881	19,495	19,700	20,141	20,538	21,660	21,383	21,822
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,354	11,245	11,085	10,785	10,962	10,967	11,140	11,247	11,093	11,088	11,328	11,559
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,135	20,895	21,145	21,161	21,201	21,060	21,147	21,466	21,888	22,014	22,567	22,324
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.16**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.12**	**1.13**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.16**	**1.15**	**1.15**	**1.16**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.53**	**1.51**	**1.51**	**1.47**	**1.47**	**1.47**	**1.46**	**1.47**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.49**	**1.50**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.57	1.52	1.57	1.52	1.52	1.50	1.48	1.47	1.52	1.51	1.60	1.60
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.59	1.56	1.54	1.57	1.57	1.54	1.68	1.67	1.70	1.73	1.71	1.67
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.56	1.61	1.44	1.35	1.48	1.52	1.53	1.56	1.55	1.50	1.49	1.62
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	0.93	0.94	0.95	0.94	0.93	0.94	0.93	0.95	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.96
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.67	0.70	0.71	0.71	0.69	0.70	0.71	0.72	0.69	0.70	0.70	0.72
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.03	2.01	1.98	1.92	1.82	1.82	1.85	1.82	1.81	1.83	1.83	1.81
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	1.01	1.03	0.99	1.00	1.00	0.99	1.00	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.06
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.04	2.05	2.05	1.94	1.94	1.96	1.94	1.99	2.06	2.10	2.03	2.02
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.75	2.66	2.58	2.64	2.59	2.50	2.47	2.46	2.47	2.45	2.42	2.45
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.26	1.34	1.33	1.26	1.24	1.33	1.32	1.32	1.33	1.26	1.25	1.26
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.82**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.85**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.87**	**0.86**	**0.87**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.97	0.98	0.95	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.97	1.00
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.99	0.99	0.96	0.99	0.99	0.98	0.99	0.97	0.95	0.99	0.96	1.01
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.65	1.61	1.60	1.56	1.59	1.61	1.66	1.69	1.77	1.80	1.78	1.84
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.60	0.62	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.62	0.63	0.63	0.65
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.08	1.03	1.00	1.02	1.14	1.11	1.21	1.16	1.22	1.25	1.24	1.27
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.03	1.04	1.03	1.04	1.01	1.06	1.09	1.05	1.11	1.02	1.03	1.03
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.44	0.42	0.42	0.43	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.42	0.43	0.42	0.40	0.39
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.26	1.24	1.19	1.14	1.20	1.19	1.22	1.24	1.21	1.16	1.20	1.23
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.22	1.20	1.20	1.13	1.21	1.19	1.18	1.19	1.22	1.19	1.25	1.23

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2009 January	2009 February	2009 March	2009 April	2009 May	2009 June	2009 July	2009 August	2009 September	2009 October	2009 November	2009 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**312,065**	**316,333**	**304,914**	**306,380**	**310,125**	**313,657**	**317,789**	**321,411**	**324,426**	**327,118**	**335,991**	**338,824**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**143,724**	**147,913**	**141,333**	**138,827**	**139,640**	**141,305**	**143,964**	**146,222**	**147,470**	**149,047**	**151,450**	**153,473**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	19,290	19,723	19,827	19,018	19,575	21,362	21,557	22,622	22,490	23,532	23,792	23,843
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,634	4,731	4,564	4,604	4,456	4,420	4,528	4,505	4,592	4,449	4,420	4,562
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,585	7,746	7,330	7,218	7,183	7,147	7,201	7,190	7,131	6,845	6,983	6,708
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,207	28,854	28,937	28,728	28,720	28,868	29,265	29,236	29,481	30,191	30,634	31,449
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,854	14,390	14,785	14,154	14,339	14,721	14,936	14,976	15,539	15,767	16,450	17,106
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,295	11,077	9,890	9,273	8,456	8,538	8,734	8,940	9,058	9,249	9,390	9,474
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	27,811	28,819	26,170	27,801	27,866	26,720	27,807	28,394	28,074	29,443	30,280	29,665
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,946	8,123	7,686	7,364	7,423	7,363	7,526	7,365	7,520	7,516	7,409	7,405
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	23,874	24,143	24,239	23,374	22,947	22,650	22,602	22,615	23,246	21,650	22,049	22,877
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	13,082	14,697	12,690	11,447	13,014	14,237	14,744	15,355	15,878	16,172	16,493	17,490
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**168,341**	**168,420**	**163,581**	**167,553**	**170,485**	**172,352**	**173,825**	**175,189**	**176,956**	**178,071**	**184,541**	**185,351**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,876	6,921	6,869	6,906	6,895	6,940	6,818	6,953	6,955	7,014	6,938	6,915
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,957	32,276	31,723	32,131	32,543	31,583	32,409	32,304	34,252	34,008	33,628	33,143
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,369	10,829	10,876	10,515	10,350	10,197	10,422	10,493	10,537	10,470	10,385	10,906
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	40,902	40,610	40,302	39,567	39,799	39,332	38,973	38,693	38,952	39,231	39,260	39,270
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	13,169	13,583	12,713	14,075	14,105	14,246	14,189	13,083	12,704	13,366	16,439	16,097
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,566	7,449	7,014	7,133	7,274	7,226	7,380	7,452	7,544	7,536	7,689	8,064
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	30,541	30,135	27,704	30,803	32,864	36,418	37,103	40,107	40,310	41,229	44,504	44,958
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	9,498	9,230	9,050	9,162	9,123	8,911	9,150	9,133	8,984	8,768	8,958	8,954
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,463	17,387	17,330	17,261	17,532	17,499	17,381	16,971	16,718	16,449	16,740	17,044
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**440,258**	**431,876**	**423,386**	**417,419**	**412,228**	**405,969**	**400,003**	**395,189**	**390,517**	**392,111**	**398,011**	**396,388**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**280,589**	**273,125**	**265,353**	**259,367**	**254,041**	**249,878**	**245,751**	**241,663**	**239,498**	**239,335**	**238,960**	**237,018**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	46,297	42,789	41,145	39,624	38,776	37,843	37,148	36,529	36,824	37,836	37,895	37,103
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,616	8,416	8,246	7,964	7,846	7,729	7,545	7,448	7,451	7,386	7,315	7,373
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,826	12,449	11,989	11,476	11,104	10,777	10,660	10,530	10,491	10,489	10,555	10,444
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,658	31,418	30,598	30,129	29,471	29,105	28,723	28,318	28,700	28,565	29,012	29,922
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,627	11,493	11,185	10,963	10,676	10,616	10,397	10,196	10,506	10,608	10,939	11,816
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	28,570	27,736	25,168	23,676	22,519	21,284	20,499	19,943	19,310	19,325	19,681	19,420
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	35,940	35,087	33,902	33,251	32,332	31,695	30,993	30,733	30,867	30,769	30,727	31,177
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,839	17,474	17,434	17,385	17,044	16,923	16,681	16,354	16,107	16,022	15,913	15,838
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	73,420	72,466	72,213	71,415	70,543	69,634	68,068	67,011	65,755	65,041	63,750	62,576
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	25,423	25,290	24,658	24,447	24,406	24,888	25,434	24,797	23,993	23,902	24,112	23,165
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**159,669**	**158,751**	**158,033**	**158,052**	**158,187**	**156,091**	**154,252**	**153,526**	**151,019**	**152,776**	**159,051**	**159,370**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,433	7,240	7,082	7,089	6,911	6,724	6,803	6,816	6,721	6,642	6,731	6,705
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,914	32,794	31,919	32,392	32,262	31,354	31,532	31,633	31,495	32,456	32,375	32,719
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	20,917	20,992	20,622	20,345	20,016	19,549	19,071	18,611	18,305	17,922	17,933	17,441
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	25,932	25,543	24,908	25,200	24,697	24,478	24,123	23,694	23,934	23,885	24,109	24,384
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	15,519	14,233	15,576	16,014	17,478	16,001	14,826	14,250	12,637	13,566	18,238	17,750
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	9,479	9,368	8,926	8,625	8,416	8,458	8,449	8,317	8,375	8,194	8,252	8,280
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,966	14,181	14,835	14,795	15,367	16,242	15,985	17,225	17,131	17,724	19,148	20,012
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,776	11,739	12,002	11,859	11,643	11,864	11,513	11,626	11,312	11,331	11,457	11,173
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	22,733	22,661	22,163	21,733	21,397	21,421	21,950	21,354	21,109	21,056	20,808	20,906
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.41**	**1.37**	**1.39**	**1.36**	**1.33**	**1.29**	**1.26**	**1.23**	**1.20**	**1.20**	**1.18**	**1.17**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.95**	**1.85**	**1.88**	**1.87**	**1.82**	**1.77**	**1.71**	**1.65**	**1.62**	**1.61**	**1.58**	**1.54**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	2.40	2.17	2.08	2.08	1.98	1.77	1.72	1.61	1.64	1.61	1.59	1.56
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.86	1.78	1.81	1.73	1.76	1.75	1.67	1.65	1.62	1.66	1.65	1.62
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.69	1.61	1.64	1.59	1.55	1.51	1.48	1.46	1.47	1.53	1.51	1.56
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.12	1.09	1.06	1.05	1.03	1.01	0.98	0.97	0.97	0.95	0.95	0.95
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.84	0.80	0.76	0.77	0.74	0.72	0.70	0.68	0.68	0.67	0.66	0.69
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.53	2.50	2.54	2.55	2.66	2.49	2.35	2.23	2.13	2.09	2.10	2.05
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.29	1.22	1.30	1.20	1.16	1.19	1.11	1.08	1.10	1.05	1.01	1.05
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.25	2.15	2.27	2.36	2.30	2.30	2.22	2.22	2.14	2.13	2.15	2.14
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.08	3.00	2.98	3.06	3.07	3.07	3.01	2.96	2.83	3.00	2.89	2.74
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.94	1.72	1.94	2.14	1.88	1.75	1.73	1.61	1.51	1.48	1.46	1.32
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.97**	**0.94**	**0.93**	**0.91**	**0.89**	**0.88**	**0.85**	**0.86**	**0.86**	**0.86**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.08	1.05	1.03	1.03	1.00	0.97	1.00	0.98	0.97	0.95	0.97	0.97
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.00	1.02	1.01	1.01	0.99	0.99	0.97	0.98	0.92	0.95	0.96	0.99
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.02	1.94	1.90	1.93	1.93	1.92	1.83	1.77	1.74	1.71	1.73	1.60
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.63	0.63	0.62	0.64	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.62
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.18	1.05	1.23	1.14	1.24	1.12	1.04	1.09	0.99	1.01	1.11	1.10
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.25	1.26	1.27	1.21	1.16	1.17	1.14	1.12	1.11	1.09	1.07	1.03
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.46	0.47	0.54	0.48	0.47	0.45	0.43	0.43	0.42	0.43	0.43	0.45
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.24	1.27	1.33	1.29	1.28	1.33	1.26	1.27	1.26	1.29	1.28	1.25
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.30	1.30	1.28	1.26	1.22	1.22	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.28	1.24	1.23

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2008 January	2008 February	2008 March	2008 April	2008 May	2008 June	2008 July	2008 August	2008 September	2008 October	2008 November	2008 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**374,976**	**374,710**	**377,918**	**386,687**	**392,228**	**402,733**	**399,381**	**393,172**	**383,352**	**365,056**	**333,727**	**322,331**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**178,897**	**176,727**	**180,020**	**184,514**	**184,477**	**186,624**	**184,818**	**182,121**	**178,157**	**170,188**	**158,775**	**153,536**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	28,447	27,174	28,489	28,261	28,280	26,245	26,093	24,836	25,632	24,387	22,234	20,266
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,725	5,565	5,492	5,849	5,514	5,579	5,635	5,608	5,678	5,153	5,109	4,884
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,846	9,758	9,592	10,019	9,836	9,934	9,879	9,406	9,358	9,246	8,484	7,925
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,071	32,241	32,393	32,118	31,849	32,704	31,952	32,055	32,480	31,108	29,786	29,838
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,437	16,703	16,791	16,579	16,542	17,135	16,262	16,696	17,515	16,055	15,246	15,589
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,121	14,101	14,388	14,710	15,292	15,501	15,909	16,516	15,956	15,871	14,409	13,383
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	30,288	29,424	30,020	31,445	31,772	32,044	32,399	31,444	31,338	30,299	27,603	28,787
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,319	9,099	9,247	9,308	9,323	9,377	9,468	8,861	8,966	8,798	8,286	8,292
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,702	28,877	28,834	29,670	29,922	31,330	29,461	29,943	29,422	29,865	28,355	26,451
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	20,378	20,488	21,565	23,134	22,689	23,910	24,022	23,452	19,327	15,461	14,509	13,710
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**196,079**	**197,983**	**197,898**	**202,173**	**207,751**	**216,109**	**214,563**	**211,051**	**205,195**	**194,868**	**174,952**	**168,795**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,585	7,545	7,428	7,894	7,672	7,623	7,862	7,903	7,500	7,595	7,217	7,105
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	30,344	30,932	30,662	30,929	30,964	31,563	31,725	31,830	31,884	31,964	30,512	31,244
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,860	11,294	11,320	11,679	12,159	11,412	12,121	11,908	11,872	10,891	10,550	10,233
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	41,035	40,341	39,890	40,523	40,535	40,320	40,280	40,520	40,496	40,523	40,893	40,763
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	17,250	16,166	18,089	16,767	17,426	17,517	18,612	17,611	16,157	15,034	13,807	13,133
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,063	9,427	9,323	9,522	9,799	10,176	10,370	10,464	9,711	9,835	9,182	8,206
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	52,521	56,094	54,419	57,789	61,334	69,343	65,116	62,246	59,116	51,686	36,106	31,666
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,900	8,721	8,966	9,077	9,102	9,170	9,177	9,164	9,337	9,194	9,048	9,002
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,521	17,463	17,801	17,993	18,760	18,985	19,300	19,405	19,122	18,146	17,637	17,443
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**430,204**	**434,628**	**435,570**	**442,451**	**445,182**	**451,040**	**456,988**	**461,248**	**459,372**	**452,828**	**450,217**	**444,849**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**270,290**	**272,482**	**273,420**	**277,589**	**279,398**	**280,643**	**284,222**	**287,986**	**289,795**	**288,157**	**287,344**	**284,002**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	43,866	44,395	43,970	45,877	45,330	45,635	45,924	46,722	46,900	46,333	46,623	47,564
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,212	9,366	9,236	9,285	9,132	9,123	9,221	9,151	9,015	9,060	9,055	8,888
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,967	13,696	13,327	13,399	13,702	13,850	13,998	14,040	13,964	13,787	13,389	13,154
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,500	32,865	33,351	33,273	33,817	33,632	33,450	33,803	33,840	33,759	33,380	32,600
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,553	12,469	12,934	12,845	13,249	12,885	12,927	13,153	12,985	13,126	13,000	12,293
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	24,777	25,464	25,733	26,861	27,767	29,130	29,760	30,925	30,925	31,055	30,925	28,856
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	35,229	35,215	35,696	36,151	36,332	36,678	36,580	37,253	37,860	38,273	37,810	36,857
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	18,337	18,295	18,243	18,203	18,313	18,243	18,524	18,655	18,719	18,550	18,400	17,942
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	67,008	67,655	68,071	68,479	68,085	67,439	69,288	69,732	70,805	70,458	71,039	71,914
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	25,394	25,531	25,793	26,061	26,920	26,913	27,477	27,705	27,767	26,882	26,723	26,227
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**159,914**	**162,146**	**162,150**	**164,862**	**165,784**	**170,397**	**172,766**	**173,262**	**169,577**	**164,671**	**162,873**	**160,847**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,228	7,342	7,601	7,348	7,208	7,423	7,529	7,495	7,589	7,674	7,593	7,511
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,059	31,092	31,379	31,434	31,914	31,293	33,073	33,885	32,023	32,430	32,485	31,571
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	19,522	19,755	20,349	19,956	19,878	20,029	19,885	19,580	20,231	20,497	20,491	20,968
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	24,884	24,455	24,678	25,011	25,113	25,242	25,574	26,209	26,161	26,442	26,063	26,152
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	19,345	20,431	20,127	20,949	21,185	23,484	21,906	21,243	18,821	16,367	16,080	15,646
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	9,246	9,510	9,696	9,904	9,914	9,895	10,486	10,592	10,524	10,347	10,004	9,980
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	16,629	16,984	15,284	16,881	16,354	18,384	19,370	19,166	18,422	15,122	14,308	13,745
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,003	11,132	11,123	10,996	11,236	11,328	11,447	11,428	11,716	11,803	11,864	12,031
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	20,998	21,445	21,913	22,383	22,982	23,319	23,496	23,664	24,090	23,989	23,985	23,243
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.15**	**1.16**	**1.15**	**1.14**	**1.14**	**1.12**	**1.14**	**1.17**	**1.20**	**1.24**	**1.35**	**1.38**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.51**	**1.54**	**1.52**	**1.50**	**1.51**	**1.50**	**1.54**	**1.58**	**1.63**	**1.69**	**1.81**	**1.85**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.54	1.63	1.54	1.62	1.60	1.74	1.76	1.88	1.83	1.90	2.10	2.35
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.61	1.68	1.68	1.59	1.66	1.64	1.64	1.63	1.59	1.76	1.77	1.82
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.42	1.40	1.39	1.34	1.39	1.39	1.42	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.58	1.66
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.06	1.03	1.05	1.05	1.04	1.09	1.12	1.09
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.76	0.75	0.77	0.77	0.80	0.75	0.79	0.79	0.74	0.82	0.85	0.79
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.75	1.81	1.79	1.83	1.82	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.94	1.96	2.15	2.16
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.16	1.20	1.19	1.15	1.14	1.14	1.13	1.18	1.21	1.26	1.37	1.28
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.97	2.01	1.97	1.96	1.96	1.95	1.96	2.11	2.09	2.11	2.22	2.16
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.33	2.34	2.36	2.31	2.28	2.15	2.35	2.33	2.41	2.36	2.51	2.72
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.25	1.25	1.20	1.13	1.19	1.13	1.14	1.18	1.44	1.74	1.84	1.91
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.80**	**0.79**	**0.81**	**0.82**	**0.83**	**0.85**	**0.93**	**0.95**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.95	0.97	1.02	0.93	0.94	0.97	0.96	0.95	1.01	1.01	1.05	1.06
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.02	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.03	0.99	1.04	1.06	1.00	1.01	1.06	1.01
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.65	1.75	1.80	1.71	1.63	1.76	1.64	1.64	1.70	1.88	1.94	2.05
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.61	0.61	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.63	0.63	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.64	0.64
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.12	1.26	1.11	1.25	1.22	1.34	1.18	1.21	1.16	1.09	1.16	1.19
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.02	1.01	1.04	1.04	1.01	0.97	1.01	1.01	1.08	1.05	1.09	1.22
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.32	0.30	0.28	0.29	0.27	0.27	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.29	0.40	0.43
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.24	1.28	1.24	1.21	1.23	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.28	1.31	1.34
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.20	1.23	1.23	1.24	1.23	1.23	1.22	1.22	1.26	1.32	1.36	1.33

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2007 January	2007 February	2007 March	2007 April	2007 May	2007 June	2007 July	2007 August	2007 September	2007 October	2007 November	2007 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**333,866**	**339,335**	**342,539**	**348,251**	**350,627**	**351,782**	**349,461**	**352,748**	**357,137**	**361,332**	**368,136**	**365,864**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**172,855**	**172,216**	**174,512**	**175,227**	**173,917**	**175,107**	**173,393**	**176,314**	**176,462**	**177,290**	**178,661**	**174,181**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	28,859	28,612	28,943	29,362	27,849	27,618	27,577	28,222	29,194	28,926	28,888	27,449
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,846	5,815	5,925	5,838	5,972	5,832	5,783	5,559	5,583	5,743	5,671	5,528
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	11,192	10,653	11,102	10,763	10,787	10,805	10,341	10,293	10,146	10,034	10,101	10,042
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	30,853	30,849	30,944	31,178	31,628	32,394	32,075	32,482	31,977	32,510	32,455	32,160
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,993	15,624	15,894	15,859	16,303	17,020	16,776	16,878	16,535	17,169	17,480	16,946
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,910	14,029	14,177	14,185	13,925	13,773	13,686	13,817	13,012	13,754	13,857	13,637
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	29,141	28,783	28,788	28,189	27,902	28,877	28,508	28,834	29,746	29,999	30,437	29,400
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,114	9,380	9,025	9,595	9,218	9,433	9,281	9,495	9,450	9,516	9,364	9,216
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	26,756	26,039	26,686	26,702	27,131	27,223	27,491	27,634	28,512	28,111	28,231	28,040
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,184	18,056	18,922	19,415	19,505	19,152	18,651	19,978	18,842	18,697	19,657	18,709
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**161,011**	**167,119**	**168,027**	**173,024**	**176,710**	**176,675**	**176,068**	**176,434**	**180,675**	**184,042**	**189,475**	**191,683**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,585	7,654	7,626	7,620	7,593	7,663	7,598	7,571	7,530	7,587	7,550	7,611
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	28,987	28,868	28,975	29,078	29,110	29,088	29,165	29,481	28,755	29,621	29,973	30,374
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,186	11,638	11,293	11,250	11,472	12,190	11,692	12,037	11,921	11,287	11,956	11,591
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	38,227	39,007	39,654	39,833	39,486	39,805	39,465	39,391	39,818	40,206	40,246	40,916
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,225	10,610	10,775	10,900	11,662	11,733	11,893	13,107	13,697	12,927	13,965	14,233
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,177	8,137	8,377	8,276	8,284	8,212	8,328	8,319	8,750	9,196	9,128	9,135
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	32,667	37,411	36,336	41,207	43,534	42,195	42,637	41,417	44,171	46,463	49,567	50,876
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,325	8,243	8,483	8,310	8,568	8,661	8,704	8,628	8,820	8,967	8,858	9,068
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,632	15,551	16,508	16,550	17,001	17,128	16,586	16,483	17,213	17,788	18,232	17,879
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**400,137**	**401,887**	**404,366**	**405,237**	**406,873**	**408,320**	**408,705**	**410,253**	**413,504**	**414,319**	**419,235**	**424,428**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**261,494**	**262,324**	**262,777**	**261,730**	**262,967**	**262,436**	**261,402**	**261,897**	**263,038**	**262,815**	**264,303**	**266,704**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	41,880	40,946	41,619	40,228	40,673	40,933	40,479	41,392	41,793	41,087	41,868	42,874
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,853	8,882	9,050	8,952	8,990	9,061	9,131	9,122	9,112	9,014	9,064	8,971
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,452	14,384	14,309	14,138	14,009	13,872	13,742	13,780	13,728	13,857	13,857	13,897
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,622	31,729	31,826	31,917	32,040	32,162	32,194	32,292	32,348	31,971	32,056	32,299
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,516	12,418	12,274	12,277	12,388	12,436	12,444	12,538	12,649	12,374	12,332	12,361
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	25,714	25,811	25,548	25,289	25,608	25,380	25,182	24,689	24,424	24,267	23,939	24,516
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	33,549	33,549	33,686	33,497	33,924	33,879	33,713	33,761	33,839	34,040	34,525	34,859
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,330	17,272	17,655	18,169	18,094	18,155	18,247	18,209	18,353	18,337	18,426	18,490
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	64,023	64,912	63,849	64,024	64,503	64,207	64,307	64,377	64,817	65,389	65,862	66,276
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	24,071	24,839	25,235	25,516	25,126	24,787	24,407	24,275	24,624	24,853	24,706	24,522
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**138,643**	**139,563**	**141,589**	**143,507**	**143,906**	**145,884**	**147,303**	**148,356**	**150,466**	**151,504**	**154,932**	**157,724**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,109	7,135	7,086	7,111	7,045	7,155	7,292	7,222	7,207	7,234	7,231	7,170
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	29,090	28,762	28,545	29,269	29,496	29,560	29,128	30,173	29,802	29,538	30,317	30,573
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	18,914	18,986	19,076	18,663	19,064	19,377	19,585	19,698	19,438	19,455	19,300	19,246
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	22,741	23,392	24,025	24,111	24,441	24,678	24,635	24,366	24,400	24,428	24,590	24,839
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	12,158	11,759	12,091	11,886	12,098	12,853	13,899	15,049	16,387	16,649	17,632	18,002
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	8,483	8,503	8,473	8,445	8,392	8,795	8,997	8,771	8,834	8,701	9,064	9,235
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	12,585	12,647	13,101	14,175	14,308	14,293	13,923	13,430	14,232	14,865	15,846	17,378
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	9,902	9,987	10,024	10,365	10,246	10,407	10,782	10,513	10,893	10,873	10,789	10,823
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,661	18,392	19,168	19,482	18,816	18,766	19,062	19,134	19,273	19,761	20,163	20,458
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.20**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.17**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.15**	**1.14**	**1.16**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.51**	**1.52**	**1.51**	**1.49**	**1.51**	**1.50**	**1.51**	**1.49**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.48**	**1.53**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.45	1.43	1.44	1.37	1.46	1.48	1.47	1.47	1.43	1.42	1.45	1.56
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.51	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.51	1.55	1.58	1.64	1.63	1.57	1.60	1.62
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.29	1.35	1.29	1.31	1.30	1.28	1.33	1.34	1.35	1.38	1.37	1.38
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.02	1.01	0.99	1.00	0.99	1.01	0.98	0.99	1.00
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.78	0.79	0.77	0.77	0.76	0.73	0.74	0.74	0.76	0.72	0.71	0.73
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.85	1.84	1.80	1.78	1.84	1.84	1.84	1.79	1.88	1.76	1.73	1.80
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.15	1.17	1.17	1.19	1.22	1.17	1.18	1.17	1.14	1.13	1.13	1.19
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.90	1.84	1.96	1.89	1.96	1.92	1.97	1.92	1.94	1.93	1.97	2.01
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.39	2.49	2.39	2.40	2.38	2.36	2.34	2.33	2.27	2.33	2.33	2.36
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.40	1.38	1.33	1.31	1.29	1.29	1.31	1.22	1.31	1.33	1.26	1.31
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.86**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.81**	**0.83**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.82**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.94	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.94
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.00	1.00	0.99	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.00	1.02	1.04	1.00	1.01	1.01
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.69	1.63	1.69	1.66	1.66	1.59	1.68	1.64	1.63	1.72	1.61	1.66
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.59	0.60	0.61	0.61	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.19	1.11	1.12	1.09	1.04	1.10	1.17	1.15	1.20	1.29	1.26	1.26
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.04	1.04	1.01	1.02	1.01	1.07	1.08	1.05	1.01	0.95	0.99	1.01
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.34	0.36	0.34	0.33	0.34	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.34
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.19	1.21	1.18	1.25	1.20	1.20	1.24	1.22	1.24	1.21	1.22	1.19
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.13	1.18	1.16	1.18	1.11	1.10	1.15	1.16	1.12	1.11	1.11	1.14

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

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NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2006 January	2006 February	2006 March	2006 April	2006 May	2006 June	2006 July	2006 August	2006 September	2006 October	2006 November	2006 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**319,726**	**321,556**	**322,018**	**324,664**	**328,721**	**330,751**	**332,654**	**335,461**	**331,282**	**329,837**	**330,836**	**339,108**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**162,324**	**164,320**	**163,508**	**162,847**	**167,177**	**166,428**	**167,525**	**168,914**	**169,620**	**169,998**	**171,077**	**174,229**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,133	27,842	27,015	27,037	28,309	27,907	27,539	27,808	27,453	28,359	29,196	30,553
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,598	5,681	5,684	5,666	5,655	5,732	5,778	5,787	5,865	5,860	5,963	5,933
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,718	12,777	12,560	12,151	11,879	11,643	11,529	11,445	11,132	10,928	10,857	11,553
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,562	28,753	29,529	28,862	29,101	28,696	29,013	29,450	29,960	30,446	30,349	30,675
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,956	15,114	15,226	15,113	15,028	14,704	15,138	15,230	15,648	15,773	15,854	15,939
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,027	12,489	12,640	12,532	13,019	13,560	13,540	13,342	13,863	13,781	14,012	13,786
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	24,595	25,242	25,305	24,965	26,154	25,972	26,623	27,551	28,187	27,825	28,053	29,089
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,522	8,880	8,881	9,069	9,479	9,172	9,118	9,263	9,162	9,209	9,007	9,343
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	25,391	25,862	25,525	25,928	25,858	26,135	26,261	26,544	26,425	26,073	26,523	26,062
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,778	16,794	16,369	16,637	17,723	17,611	18,124	17,724	17,573	17,517	17,117	17,235
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**157,402**	**157,236**	**158,510**	**161,817**	**161,544**	**164,323**	**165,129**	**166,547**	**161,662**	**159,839**	**159,759**	**164,879**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,527	7,557	7,664	7,529	7,701	7,664	7,559	7,484	7,397	7,512	7,497	7,462
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	27,682	28,282	28,318	28,316	28,677	28,936	28,476	28,560	28,573	28,346	28,452	29,117
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,629	10,166	10,259	10,369	10,217	10,829	10,686	10,743	10,962	11,192	11,217	11,188
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	36,232	35,763	35,755	35,776	35,546	36,107	36,374	37,507	37,194	37,194	36,707	37,803
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,837	8,979	9,360	9,396	9,364	9,407	9,648	9,207	9,375	9,628	9,326	9,780
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,491	7,789	7,843	7,748	7,845	7,993	8,054	8,069	7,969	7,999	7,944	8,167
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	34,463	34,310	35,788	38,161	38,408	39,493	40,133	40,693	35,979	33,999	34,053	36,760
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,940	8,027	7,891	8,052	7,981	8,218	8,159	8,324	8,337	8,388	8,595	8,538
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,601	16,363	15,632	16,470	15,805	15,676	16,040	15,960	15,876	15,581	15,968	16,064
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**369,199**	**372,853**	**374,571**	**379,383**	**382,206**	**384,968**	**388,329**	**392,515**	**394,356**	**396,081**	**400,486**	**398,917**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**237,406**	**239,933**	**241,426**	**246,352**	**248,130**	**249,820**	**252,777**	**254,722**	**257,451**	**260,169**	**261,216**	**260,115**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	37,676	38,950	39,802	41,982	41,156	40,575	41,228	40,838	41,243	42,571	42,313	41,085
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,124	8,118	8,038	7,970	8,293	8,378	8,403	8,465	8,560	8,649	8,707	8,792
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,627	14,675	14,845	15,150	15,229	15,438	15,387	15,380	15,435	15,100	14,968	14,672
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,508	29,105	28,712	28,935	29,366	29,259	29,760	30,062	30,508	30,890	31,095	31,380
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,462	11,613	11,523	11,452	11,573	11,390	11,600	11,602	12,000	12,304	12,383	12,408
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	21,067	21,238	21,174	22,046	22,521	23,114	23,753	24,662	25,321	25,645	25,963	26,009
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	30,440	30,972	31,102	31,656	31,938	31,916	32,728	32,903	33,183	33,732	33,653	33,437
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	16,164	16,167	16,379	16,501	16,604	16,871	17,036	17,223	17,350	17,270	17,585	17,511
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	57,275	57,433	58,062	58,843	59,691	60,756	61,063	61,591	62,055	62,964	63,055	62,623
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	23,525	23,275	23,312	23,269	23,332	23,513	23,419	23,598	23,796	23,348	23,877	24,606
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**131,793**	**132,920**	**133,145**	**133,031**	**134,076**	**135,148**	**135,552**	**137,793**	**136,905**	**135,912**	**139,270**	**138,802**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,819	6,875	6,953	6,979	6,958	6,872	6,859	6,929	7,075	7,021	6,963	7,038
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	27,996	28,721	29,232	29,119	28,887	29,961	29,373	31,234	30,125	28,378	29,358	29,395
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	17,525	17,775	17,777	17,702	17,738	17,727	17,960	17,991	18,190	18,155	18,192	18,607
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	21,502	21,605	21,352	21,305	20,999	21,533	21,762	22,115	22,206	22,091	22,593	22,468
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,726	9,876	9,672	9,653	10,128	10,232	10,403	10,436	9,791	11,399	12,837	12,513
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	8,346	8,316	8,443	8,507	8,494	8,566	8,414	8,464	8,364	8,167	8,188	8,241
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,441	13,474	12,893	12,796	13,748	13,471	14,023	13,533	13,951	13,538	13,943	13,034
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,790	8,716	9,053	9,159	9,343	9,162	9,155	9,298	9,423	9,398	9,536	9,633
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,648	17,562	17,770	17,811	17,781	17,624	17,603	17,793	17,780	17,765	17,660	17,873
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.15**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.17**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.17**	**1.17**	**1.19**	**1.20**	**1.21**	**1.18**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.46**	**1.46**	**1.48**	**1.51**	**1.48**	**1.50**	**1.51**	**1.51**	**1.52**	**1.53**	**1.53**	**1.49**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.39	1.40	1.47	1.55	1.45	1.45	1.50	1.47	1.50	1.50	1.45	1.34
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.45	1.43	1.41	1.41	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.46	1.46	1.48	1.46	1.48
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.07	1.15	1.18	1.25	1.28	1.33	1.33	1.34	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.27
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.00	1.01	0.97	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.02	1.01	1.02	1.02
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.77	0.77	0.76	0.76	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.76	0.77	0.78	0.78	0.78
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.75	1.70	1.68	1.76	1.73	1.70	1.75	1.85	1.83	1.86	1.85	1.89
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.24	1.23	1.23	1.27	1.22	1.23	1.23	1.19	1.18	1.21	1.20	1.15
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.90	1.82	1.84	1.82	1.75	1.84	1.87	1.86	1.89	1.88	1.95	1.87
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.26	2.22	2.27	2.27	2.31	2.32	2.33	2.32	2.35	2.41	2.38	2.40
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.40	1.39	1.42	1.40	1.32	1.34	1.29	1.33	1.35	1.33	1.39	1.43
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.84**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.82**	**0.83**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.83**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.87**	**0.84**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.91	0.91	0.91	0.93	0.90	0.90	0.91	0.93	0.96	0.93	0.93	0.94
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.01	1.04	1.03	1.09	1.05	1.00	1.03	1.01
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.65	1.75	1.73	1.71	1.74	1.64	1.68	1.67	1.66	1.62	1.62	1.66
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.59	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.60	0.59	0.62	0.59
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.10	1.10	1.03	1.03	1.08	1.09	1.08	1.13	1.04	1.18	1.38	1.28
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.11	1.07	1.08	1.10	1.08	1.07	1.04	1.05	1.05	1.02	1.03	1.01
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.39	0.36	0.34	0.36	0.34	0.35	0.33	0.39	0.40	0.41	0.35
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.11	1.09	1.15	1.14	1.17	1.11	1.12	1.12	1.13	1.12	1.11	1.13
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.06	1.07	1.14	1.08	1.13	1.12	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.14	1.11	1.11

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NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2005 January	2005 February	2005 March	2005 April	2005 May	2005 June	2005 July	2005 August	2005 September	2005 October	2005 November	2005 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**293,401**	**294,690**	**293,114**	**298,939**	**297,156**	**297,762**	**302,036**	**306,172**	**312,073**	**317,635**	**313,088**	**317,381**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**148,989**	**149,188**	**147,835**	**150,740**	**150,198**	**150,109**	**151,418**	**153,292**	**154,423**	**157,950**	**157,819**	**161,232**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,862	24,571	24,583	24,359	24,579	25,162	25,663	26,551	25,796	26,260	26,045	26,778
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,049	5,073	5,045	5,195	5,148	5,286	5,258	5,349	5,305	5,473	5,348	5,569
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	11,515	11,566	11,248	11,318	11,147	11,135	11,446	11,338	11,683	12,107	12,423	12,726
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	26,680	26,857	26,574	27,062	27,658	27,368	27,515	28,475	28,872	28,477	28,254	28,660
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,760	14,729	14,323	14,743	15,218	14,553	14,825	15,544	15,686	15,055	14,755	14,693
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,420	11,385	11,134	11,375	11,137	10,957	10,754	10,932	11,203	11,894	11,968	12,628
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	23,259	22,661	23,164	24,136	23,605	23,531	23,799	23,953	23,789	24,446	24,011	24,198
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,538	7,588	7,559	7,561	7,667	7,721	7,805	7,925	8,044	8,440	8,644	8,691
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	23,022	23,080	22,528	23,888	23,904	24,138	24,317	23,892	24,233	24,962	25,020	25,438
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,644	16,407	16,000	15,846	15,353	14,811	14,861	14,877	15,498	15,891	16,106	16,544
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**144,412**	**145,502**	**145,279**	**148,199**	**146,958**	**147,653**	**150,618**	**152,880**	**157,650**	**159,685**	**155,269**	**156,149**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,193	7,241	7,000	7,146	7,157	7,080	7,163	7,373	7,561	7,434	7,442	7,556
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	27,126	26,257	25,656	26,734	26,566	27,027	26,768	26,290	27,991	27,325	27,740	27,766
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,676	9,828	9,977	10,286	10,338	10,267	10,341	9,860	9,801	10,300	10,136	10,579
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	34,233	34,618	34,324	34,709	35,335	35,266	35,431	35,521	35,563	35,767	36,062	35,963
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,994	8,924	8,649	8,981	8,897	8,640	9,031	8,441	8,916	8,885	9,091	8,711
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,268	7,372	7,243	7,604	7,498	7,577	7,496	7,671	7,717	7,851	7,889	7,815
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	26,445	27,558	29,010	29,493	27,909	28,998	31,492	34,746	36,976	38,228	33,454	34,389
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,530	7,551	7,564	7,709	7,811	7,763	7,642	7,809	7,710	7,780	7,780	7,589
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,947	16,153	15,856	15,537	15,447	15,035	15,254	15,169	15,415	16,115	15,675	15,781
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**345,067**	**347,043**	**348,946**	**352,152**	**352,578**	**354,456**	**355,706**	**357,434**	**358,624**	**361,550**	**363,513**	**367,951**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**219,784**	**221,704**	**222,577**	**224,158**	**224,825**	**227,018**	**228,326**	**228,452**	**228,166**	**231,607**	**233,506**	**236,438**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	35,026	35,052	34,400	35,257	35,577	36,867	37,067	37,117	36,801	37,538	37,612	38,217
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,429	7,503	7,550	7,628	7,666	7,570	7,648	7,804	7,851	8,089	8,077	8,086
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,815	14,167	14,395	13,980	14,096	13,898	13,912	13,802	13,336	13,843	13,968	14,475
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	26,968	26,797	26,831	27,354	27,116	27,478	27,480	27,492	27,512	27,905	27,865	28,153
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	10,851	10,895	10,962	10,947	10,730	10,911	10,667	10,861	11,140	11,149	11,137	11,292
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	20,534	20,709	21,139	21,292	21,189	20,957	20,742	20,458	20,246	20,426	20,556	20,757
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	29,330	29,674	29,736	29,600	29,518	29,962	30,469	30,367	30,175	29,949	30,224	30,611
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	13,836	13,930	13,996	14,096	14,212	14,335	14,268	14,432	14,558	14,941	15,112	15,525
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	50,716	51,551	52,276	52,808	53,026	53,772	54,292	55,341	55,495	55,859	56,769	57,017
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	22,130	22,321	22,254	22,143	22,425	22,179	22,448	21,639	22,192	23,057	23,323	23,597
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**125,283**	**125,339**	**126,369**	**127,994**	**127,753**	**127,438**	**127,380**	**128,982**	**130,458**	**129,943**	**130,007**	**131,513**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,558	6,603	6,570	6,675	6,757	6,852	6,645	6,913	6,850	6,780	6,977	6,951
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	30,978	29,839	29,576	29,370	29,181	28,733	27,832	27,561	28,342	28,073	27,828	28,744
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	16,505	16,625	16,851	17,340	17,504	17,689	17,704	17,805	17,833	18,086	18,158	17,905
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	20,433	20,528	20,479	20,668	20,611	20,383	20,302	20,595	20,866	21,026	21,312	21,654
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,937	9,442	10,120	10,479	10,388	10,458	10,667	10,567	10,212	9,953	9,534	9,652
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	7,521	7,741	7,795	8,049	8,006	8,062	8,017	8,076	8,044	8,123	8,205	8,185
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	9,168	9,307	10,171	10,086	10,081	9,770	10,995	11,869	12,404	11,933	11,867	11,797
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,345	8,418	8,412	8,497	8,459	8,495	8,379	8,762	8,783	8,933	8,973	8,899
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,838	16,836	16,395	16,830	16,766	16,996	16,839	16,834	17,124	17,036	17,153	17,726
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.19**	**1.18**	**1.19**	**1.19**	**1.18**	**1.17**	**1.15**	**1.14**	**1.16**	**1.16**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.48**	**1.49**	**1.51**	**1.49**	**1.50**	**1.51**	**1.51**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.47**	**1.48**	**1.47**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.47	1.43	1.40	1.45	1.45	1.47	1.44	1.40	1.43	1.43	1.44	1.43
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.47	1.48	1.50	1.47	1.49	1.43	1.45	1.46	1.48	1.48	1.51	1.45
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.20	1.22	1.28	1.24	1.26	1.25	1.22	1.22	1.14	1.14	1.12	1.14
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.01	1.00	1.01	1.01	0.98	1.00	1.00	0.97	0.95	0.98	0.99	0.98
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.74	0.74	0.77	0.74	0.71	0.75	0.72	0.70	0.71	0.74	0.75	0.77
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.80	1.82	1.90	1.87	1.90	1.91	1.93	1.87	1.81	1.72	1.72	1.64
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.26	1.31	1.28	1.23	1.25	1.27	1.28	1.27	1.27	1.23	1.26	1.27
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.84	1.84	1.85	1.86	1.85	1.86	1.83	1.82	1.81	1.77	1.75	1.79
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.20	2.23	2.32	2.21	2.22	2.23	2.23	2.32	2.29	2.24	2.27	2.24
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.33	1.36	1.39	1.40	1.46	1.50	1.51	1.45	1.43	1.45	1.45	1.43
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.87**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.86**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.83**	**0.81**	**0.84**	**0.84**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.91	0.91	0.94	0.93	0.94	0.97	0.93	0.94	0.91	0.91	0.94	0.92
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.14	1.14	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.06	1.04	1.05	1.01	1.03	1.00	1.04
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.71	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.72	1.71	1.81	1.82	1.76	1.79	1.69
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.60	0.59	0.60	0.60	0.58	0.58	0.57	0.58	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.60
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.99	1.06	1.17	1.17	1.17	1.21	1.18	1.25	1.15	1.12	1.05	1.11
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.03	1.05	1.08	1.06	1.07	1.06	1.07	1.05	1.04	1.03	1.04	1.05
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.35	0.34	0.35	0.34	0.36	0.34	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.31	0.35	0.34
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.12	1.14	1.15	1.15	1.17
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.06	1.04	1.03	1.08	1.09	1.13	1.10	1.11	1.11	1.06	1.09	1.12

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2004 January	2004 February	2004 March	2004 April	2004 May	2004 June	2004 July	2004 August	2004 September	2004 October	2004 November	2004 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**258,202**	**264,413**	**272,532**	**272,792**	**274,389**	**274,821**	**276,022**	**279,496**	**280,182**	**283,897**	**287,343**	**291,310**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**127,750**	**132,204**	**137,551**	**139,284**	**139,576**	**140,274**	**141,611**	**142,735**	**141,537**	**143,524**	**145,579**	**149,307**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,623	22,839	23,372	24,135	23,568	24,103	23,620	23,454	23,948	24,240	23,489	24,150
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,775	4,760	4,848	4,926	5,009	4,843	4,984	5,193	5,122	4,965	5,027	5,099
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,260	9,544	10,464	10,725	10,961	10,679	10,714	11,159	10,853	10,562	10,601	11,141
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,747	25,224	25,169	25,189	25,269	25,956	26,439	25,576	25,523	25,827	26,450	27,039
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,255	13,439	13,551	13,667	13,458	13,849	14,490	13,397	13,442	13,521	14,264	14,771
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,834	8,457	9,685	9,861	9,533	9,866	10,254	10,854	10,752	10,772	11,072	11,444
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	20,245	20,995	21,153	21,912	22,972	22,456	22,228	22,494	22,074	22,070	22,337	22,893
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,485	6,461	6,955	6,931	6,977	7,054	7,036	7,071	7,111	7,103	7,226	7,304
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	19,436	20,205	21,507	21,184	21,117	21,163	21,699	21,853	21,211	22,381	22,512	23,665
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	13,345	13,719	14,398	14,421	14,170	14,154	14,637	15,081	14,943	15,604	16,865	16,572
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**130,452**	**132,209**	**134,981**	**133,508**	**134,813**	**134,547**	**134,411**	**136,761**	**138,645**	**140,373**	**141,764**	**142,003**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,188	6,454	6,614	6,699	6,760	6,838	6,834	6,857	7,008	7,008	7,136	7,136
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	23,103	23,079	23,867	23,829	24,022	23,880	24,625	24,463	24,918	25,265	25,563	25,010
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,049	9,535	9,657	9,280	9,455	9,355	9,104	9,423	9,595	9,356	9,351	10,059
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	32,867	32,776	33,811	33,040	32,998	33,022	33,004	33,680	33,695	34,068	34,288	34,636
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,139	10,057	10,356	10,410	9,875	9,552	9,115	9,260	9,133	9,179	9,010	9,261
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,105	6,139	6,293	6,300	6,276	6,464	6,569	6,739	6,732	6,802	7,070	7,072
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	21,770	22,821	22,652	22,092	23,662	23,625	23,172	23,751	25,175	26,545	26,933	25,680
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,235	7,072	6,968	7,144	7,232	7,095	7,181	7,146	7,230	7,327	7,328	7,425
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,996	14,276	14,763	14,714	14,533	14,716	14,807	15,442	15,159	14,823	15,085	15,724
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**308,644**	**312,635**	**314,684**	**314,724**	**318,368**	**320,979**	**326,776**	**330,125**	**330,050**	**335,141**	**339,276**	**340,100**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**190,167**	**193,010**	**195,370**	**196,256**	**199,551**	**202,143**	**205,506**	**209,396**	**210,360**	**212,902**	**215,392**	**216,684**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	31,870	32,479	33,221	33,172	33,390	33,323	34,189	35,405	34,985	34,176	34,468	34,128
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,183	7,099	7,162	7,117	7,090	7,207	7,301	7,322	7,352	7,362	7,392	7,381
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,949	11,162	11,429	11,826	12,580	12,524	12,816	13,004	13,264	13,494	13,300	13,541
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,262	24,587	24,692	24,468	24,794	25,344	25,355	25,833	25,860	26,391	26,890	26,771
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,675	9,656	9,827	9,837	9,844	10,357	10,250	10,533	10,341	10,596	11,110	10,938
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,159	13,753	14,567	14,714	15,493	15,929	16,558	17,394	17,624	18,908	19,607	19,888
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	25,873	26,691	27,170	27,587	28,044	28,243	28,348	28,452	28,489	28,560	28,819	29,010
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,892	11,924	12,050	12,094	12,385	12,508	12,740	12,968	13,187	13,428	13,557	13,670
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	45,786	46,302	45,727	45,775	46,271	47,146	47,695	48,246	48,448	49,139	49,769	50,637
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,193	19,013	19,352	19,503	19,504	19,919	20,504	20,772	21,151	21,444	21,590	21,658
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**118,477**	**119,625**	**119,314**	**118,468**	**118,817**	**118,836**	**121,270**	**120,729**	**119,690**	**122,239**	**123,884**	**123,416**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,585	5,551	5,698	5,650	5,599	5,921	6,111	6,235	6,311	6,395	6,319	6,434
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	30,680	31,464	31,654	30,735	31,006	31,076	31,725	31,573	31,006	31,168	31,174	30,312
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,964	15,125	15,220	15,131	15,284	14,907	15,033	15,320	15,693	16,012	16,719	16,107
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,447	19,556	19,742	19,881	20,025	20,054	20,253	20,062	19,806	20,497	20,662	20,143
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	12,241	12,343	12,261	12,002	11,275	10,546	9,605	9,114	8,603	8,473	8,410	8,558
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	6,241	6,428	6,406	6,452	6,584	6,621	6,833	6,826	6,933	7,130	7,267	7,383
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	6,170	6,342	6,110	5,991	6,026	6,148	7,418	7,642	7,515	8,193	8,388	9,119
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,682	7,598	7,524	7,612	7,696	7,892	7,949	7,951	7,864	7,918	8,071	8,258
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,467	15,218	14,699	15,014	15,322	15,671	16,343	16,006	15,959	16,453	16,874	17,102
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.20**	**1.18**	**1.15**	**1.15**	**1.16**	**1.17**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.18**	**1.17**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.49**	**1.46**	**1.42**	**1.41**	**1.43**	**1.44**	**1.45**	**1.47**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.48**	**1.45**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.47	1.42	1.42	1.37	1.42	1.38	1.45	1.51	1.46	1.41	1.47	1.41
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.50	1.49	1.48	1.44	1.42	1.49	1.46	1.41	1.44	1.48	1.47	1.45
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.18	1.17	1.09	1.10	1.15	1.17	1.20	1.17	1.22	1.28	1.25	1.22
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.98	0.96	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.02	0.99
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.73	0.72	0.73	0.72	0.73	0.75	0.71	0.79	0.77	0.78	0.78	0.74
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.68	1.63	1.50	1.49	1.63	1.61	1.61	1.60	1.64	1.76	1.77	1.74
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.28	1.27	1.28	1.26	1.22	1.26	1.28	1.26	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.27
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.83	1.85	1.73	1.74	1.78	1.77	1.81	1.83	1.85	1.89	1.88	1.87
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.36	2.29	2.13	2.16	2.19	2.23	2.20	2.21	2.28	2.20	2.21	2.14
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.44	1.39	1.34	1.35	1.38	1.41	1.40	1.38	1.42	1.37	1.28	1.31
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.91**	**0.90**	**0.88**	**0.89**	**0.88**	**0.88**	**0.90**	**0.88**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.87**	**0.87**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.90	0.86	0.86	0.84	0.83	0.87	0.89	0.91	0.90	0.91	0.89	0.90
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.33	1.36	1.33	1.29	1.29	1.30	1.29	1.29	1.24	1.23	1.22	1.21
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.65	1.59	1.58	1.63	1.62	1.59	1.65	1.63	1.64	1.71	1.79	1.60
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.59	0.60	0.58	0.60	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.60	0.59	0.60	0.60	0.58
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.21	1.23	1.18	1.15	1.14	1.10	1.05	0.98	0.94	0.92	0.93	0.92
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.02	1.05	1.02	1.02	1.05	1.02	1.04	1.01	1.03	1.05	1.03	1.04
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.28	0.28	0.27	0.27	0.25	0.26	0.32	0.32	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.36
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.07	1.06	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.09	1.08	1.10	1.11
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.11	1.07	1.00	1.02	1.05	1.06	1.10	1.04	1.05	1.11	1.12	1.09

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2003 January	2003 February	2003 March	2003 April	2003 May	2003 June	2003 July	2003 August	2003 September	2003 October	2003 November	2003 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**244,360**	**244,763**	**246,933**	**242,646**	**241,433**	**245,447**	**247,902**	**247,811**	**249,323**	**253,601**	**255,245**	**257,919**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**118,768**	**116,962**	**119,852**	**119,543**	**119,493**	**121,451**	**122,708**	**121,898**	**124,028**	**125,588**	**127,399**	**127,886**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,472	20,319	21,332	21,352	21,349	21,564	21,830	21,506	21,730	21,943	22,612	23,147
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,445	4,553	4,550	4,460	4,600	4,641	4,708	4,706	4,724	4,677	4,689	4,724
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,299	7,976	8,226	8,175	8,177	8,556	8,979	8,949	9,441	9,606	9,640	9,103
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	22,769	22,818	23,142	23,605	22,891	23,029	23,350	22,890	23,186	23,448	24,070	24,126
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,203	12,299	12,319	12,929	12,110	12,109	12,476	11,909	12,172	12,556	12,663	12,771
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,531	6,429	6,625	6,526	6,651	6,613	6,802	6,738	6,892	6,906	7,157	7,499
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	18,390	18,653	18,967	18,848	18,629	19,301	19,537	19,260	19,833	20,443	20,379	20,101
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,908	5,836	6,062	6,014	6,159	6,191	6,250	6,302	6,426	6,373	6,477	6,405
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	18,979	18,361	18,737	18,751	19,177	19,435	19,447	19,707	19,512	19,367	19,217	19,623
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,975	12,017	12,211	11,812	11,860	12,121	11,805	11,840	12,284	12,825	13,158	13,158
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**125,592**	**127,801**	**127,081**	**123,103**	**121,940**	**123,996**	**125,194**	**125,913**	**125,295**	**128,013**	**127,846**	**130,033**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,155	6,099	6,222	6,111	6,041	6,166	6,156	5,997	6,211	6,296	6,192	6,347
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	21,353	21,582	21,882	22,190	22,592	22,589	23,273	23,337	22,933	23,345	23,187	23,360
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,928	8,611	8,674	8,673	8,683	8,698	8,855	8,969	9,196	9,051	9,241	9,421
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	32,873	33,458	33,526	33,562	33,736	33,866	34,149	33,718	33,731	33,672	33,319	32,762
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,574	9,216	8,605	8,596	8,680	9,295	8,397	8,971	9,177	10,081	10,336	10,187
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,790	5,777	5,950	5,885	5,924	5,886	5,936	5,800	5,920	6,012	5,984	6,052
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	20,608	22,466	21,929	17,958	17,083	17,873	18,303	18,915	18,161	18,961	18,945	20,702
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,600	6,742	6,831	6,782	6,714	6,736	7,146	7,027	6,896	7,107	6,997	7,075
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,711	13,850	13,462	13,346	12,487	12,887	12,979	13,179	13,070	13,488	13,645	14,127
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**301,185**	**302,246**	**303,318**	**304,070**	**302,580**	**301,703**	**301,816**	**301,261**	**302,194**	**305,099**	**306,127**	**308,305**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**184,548**	**186,175**	**187,079**	**187,822**	**186,831**	**186,271**	**185,337**	**184,786**	**185,075**	**185,888**	**186,376**	**189,372**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	30,065	30,349	30,741	31,150	30,687	30,925	30,247	30,241	29,896	30,811	30,601	31,935
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,503	6,585	6,676	6,756	6,804	6,833	6,737	6,791	6,788	6,835	6,876	6,972
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,197	9,354	9,352	9,386	9,341	9,422	9,442	9,586	9,706	9,953	10,344	10,642
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,170	24,307	24,519	24,091	24,308	24,225	24,506	24,515	24,521	24,411	24,457	24,343
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,250	9,421	9,483	9,362	9,665	9,587	9,759	9,604	9,445	9,549	9,523	9,800
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,147	12,293	12,313	12,343	12,110	12,133	11,998	11,866	11,950	11,978	12,245	12,662
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	25,945	25,737	25,807	26,005	25,735	25,749	25,499	25,457	25,720	25,518	25,180	25,996
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,290	11,728	11,930	11,953	11,832	11,796	11,862	11,705	11,725	11,795	11,864	11,886
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	47,082	47,434	47,414	47,536	47,472	46,734	46,507	46,290	46,212	45,852	45,956	45,484
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,149	18,388	18,327	18,602	18,542	18,454	18,539	18,335	18,557	18,735	18,853	19,452
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**116,637**	**116,071**	**116,239**	**116,248**	**115,749**	**115,432**	**116,479**	**116,475**	**117,119**	**119,211**	**119,751**	**118,933**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	5,479	5,588	5,509	5,627	5,623	5,511	5,492	5,428	5,367	5,470	5,513	5,712
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,031	31,489	31,857	32,384	32,367	31,645	32,486	32,515	31,712	31,733	31,887	30,815
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	15,312	15,159	15,426	15,562	15,435	15,685	15,615	15,362	15,121	14,812	15,098	15,157
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	20,472	20,366	20,111	19,716	19,396	19,337	19,473	19,447	19,844	19,411	19,242	19,771
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,470	9,048	8,792	8,794	8,959	9,155	9,213	9,384	9,806	12,544	12,466	11,809
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	6,693	6,653	6,619	6,589	6,666	6,636	6,689	6,466	6,458	6,398	6,352	6,685
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	5,668	5,471	5,317	5,237	5,224	5,389	5,299	5,726	5,932	6,028	6,125	6,221
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,532	7,505	7,594	7,483	7,560	7,570	7,634	7,428	7,690	7,688	7,885	7,717
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,980	14,792	15,014	14,856	14,519	14,504	14,578	14,719	15,189	15,127	15,183	15,046
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.23**	**1.23**	**1.23**	**1.25**	**1.25**	**1.23**	**1.22**	**1.22**	**1.21**	**1.20**	**1.20**	**1.20**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.55**	**1.59**	**1.56**	**1.57**	**1.56**	**1.53**	**1.51**	**1.52**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.46**	**1.48**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.40	1.49	1.44	1.46	1.44	1.43	1.39	1.41	1.38	1.40	1.35	1.38
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.46	1.45	1.47	1.51	1.48	1.47	1.43	1.44	1.44	1.46	1.47	1.48
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.11	1.17	1.14	1.15	1.14	1.10	1.05	1.07	1.03	1.04	1.07	1.17
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.06	1.07	1.06	1.02	1.06	1.05	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.04	1.02	1.01
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.76	0.77	0.77	0.72	0.80	0.79	0.78	0.81	0.78	0.76	0.75	0.77
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.86	1.91	1.86	1.89	1.82	1.83	1.76	1.76	1.73	1.73	1.71	1.69
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.41	1.38	1.36	1.38	1.38	1.33	1.31	1.32	1.30	1.25	1.24	1.29
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.91	2.01	1.97	1.99	1.92	1.91	1.90	1.86	1.82	1.85	1.83	1.86
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.48	2.58	2.53	2.54	2.48	2.40	2.39	2.35	2.37	2.37	2.39	2.32
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.52	1.53	1.50	1.57	1.56	1.52	1.57	1.55	1.51	1.46	1.43	1.48
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.93**	**0.91**	**0.91**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.91**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.89	0.92	0.89	0.92	0.93	0.89	0.89	0.91	0.86	0.87	0.89	0.90
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.45	1.46	1.46	1.46	1.43	1.40	1.40	1.39	1.38	1.36	1.38	1.32
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.72	1.76	1.78	1.79	1.78	1.80	1.76	1.71	1.64	1.64	1.63	1.61
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.62	0.61	0.60	0.59	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.58	0.59	0.58	0.58	0.60
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.99	0.98	1.02	1.02	1.03	0.98	1.10	1.05	1.07	1.24	1.21	1.16
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.16	1.15	1.11	1.12	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.11	1.09	1.06	1.06	1.10
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.28	0.24	0.24	0.29	0.31	0.30	0.29	0.30	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.30
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.14	1.11	1.11	1.10	1.13	1.12	1.07	1.06	1.12	1.08	1.13	1.09
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.09	1.07	1.12	1.11	1.16	1.13	1.12	1.12	1.16	1.12	1.11	1.07

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2002 January	2002 February	2002 March	2002 April	2002 May	2002 June	2002 July	2002 August	2002 September	2002 October	2002 November	2002 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**228,660**	**230,376**	**229,810**	**234,186**	**235,374**	**236,931**	**237,996**	**240,190**	**240,052**	**238,964**	**242,479**	**239,492**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**116,191**	**117,505**	**116,287**	**118,186**	**119,119**	**119,943**	**119,464**	**120,515**	**119,846**	**118,203**	**118,910**	**116,816**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	20,104	20,426	20,311	20,873	20,800	20,917	21,109	22,215	21,364	20,858	21,701	21,115
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,442	4,388	4,459	4,500	4,454	4,643	4,474	4,488	4,451	4,390	4,510	4,274
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,903	8,228	8,119	8,196	7,958	7,898	7,670	7,805	7,884	7,923	7,824	7,765
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	22,038	22,036	21,970	21,837	22,595	23,282	22,844	23,137	23,606	23,253	23,131	22,620
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,143	12,064	11,932	11,738	12,498	13,008	12,971	13,241	13,245	12,960	12,365	12,288
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,556	6,535	6,508	6,813	6,847	7,148	7,100	6,948	6,940	7,024	6,666	6,510
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	18,606	18,775	18,505	18,815	19,180	18,504	18,634	18,466	18,435	18,164	18,534	18,368
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,896	6,072	5,999	6,029	5,861	5,809	5,821	5,983	5,817	5,722	5,731	5,646
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	18,863	18,888	18,777	19,283	19,512	19,363	19,108	18,696	19,122	18,784	18,519	18,618
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,783	12,157	11,639	11,840	11,912	12,379	12,704	12,777	12,227	12,085	12,294	11,900
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**112,469**	**112,871**	**113,523**	**116,000**	**116,255**	**116,988**	**118,532**	**119,675**	**120,206**	**120,761**	**123,569**	**122,676**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,980	6,005	5,939	5,988	5,994	6,093	6,162	6,083	6,105	6,052	6,136	6,105
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	19,728	19,866	20,202	20,296	20,143	20,693	20,062	20,309	20,688	20,654	21,519	21,239
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,265	8,653	8,783	8,803	8,936	8,830	9,115	9,142	8,826	8,630	9,121	8,419
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	31,746	32,127	31,567	31,509	31,587	31,958	32,264	32,466	32,571	32,690	32,793	32,793
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	7,988	7,892	7,845	8,196	7,988	8,249	8,651	8,917	8,964	8,951	9,618	9,734
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,469	5,548	5,310	5,651	5,854	5,669	5,662	5,767	5,851	5,747	5,639	5,504
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,618	12,985	14,160	15,981	16,006	15,636	16,208	16,494	16,857	18,048	18,253	18,588
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,333	6,541	6,692	6,591	6,554	6,596	6,620	6,577	6,625	6,441	6,584	6,923
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,342	13,254	13,025	12,985	13,193	13,264	13,788	13,920	13,719	13,548	13,906	13,371
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**296,663**	**294,141**	**294,220**	**293,153**	**293,504**	**294,387**	**296,753**	**297,539**	**298,731**	**298,347**	**298,627**	**301,281**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**184,290**	**182,228**	**181,823**	**181,315**	**181,174**	**181,355**	**182,768**	**183,901**	**184,291**	**183,680**	**184,298**	**185,048**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,642	27,243	27,263	26,945	27,669	27,963	28,385	28,352	29,341	29,646	30,440	30,170
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,144	6,173	6,059	6,120	6,126	6,168	6,287	6,328	6,395	6,390	6,419	6,525
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,641	8,534	8,617	8,686	8,708	8,699	8,748	8,824	8,937	9,009	9,038	9,105
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	23,495	23,137	23,617	24,195	23,980	24,210	24,221	24,670	24,293	23,738	23,831	23,995
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,147	9,185	9,487	9,917	9,762	9,861	9,729	9,954	9,667	9,152	8,935	9,007
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,993	11,935	11,811	11,732	11,751	11,836	12,077	12,214	12,508	12,353	12,425	12,455
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	26,687	26,312	25,999	25,821	25,908	25,592	25,855	26,451	26,142	26,307	26,061	25,957
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,226	11,058	11,077	10,975	11,112	11,101	11,184	11,175	11,243	11,134	11,151	11,279
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	50,083	49,493	49,125	48,527	47,927	47,610	47,997	47,650	47,354	46,912	46,872	47,365
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,379	18,343	18,255	18,314	17,993	18,176	18,014	18,237	18,078	18,191	18,061	18,197
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**112,373**	**111,913**	**112,397**	**111,838**	**112,330**	**113,032**	**113,985**	**113,638**	**114,440**	**114,667**	**114,329**	**116,233**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	5,857	5,711	5,636	5,676	5,762	5,718	5,579	5,499	5,526	5,524	5,631	5,641
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	29,603	29,425	29,363	29,006	28,704	29,031	28,542	28,412	28,903	29,805	29,662	30,810
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	15,022	14,836	14,624	14,258	14,343	14,678	14,857	15,153	15,570	15,191	15,125	15,304
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,063	18,938	19,259	19,283	19,709	20,177	20,331	20,459	19,933	20,236	19,824	19,971
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,479	9,576	9,703	9,517	9,480	9,617	10,466	10,189	10,200	9,665	9,864	9,719
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	6,064	6,129	6,146	6,129	6,291	6,263	6,212	6,344	6,382	6,397	6,527	6,610
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	5,064	5,209	5,438	5,664	5,540	5,294	5,430	5,317	5,544	5,321	5,234	5,587
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,984	6,958	7,152	7,218	7,197	7,105	7,147	6,975	7,227	7,356	7,425	7,455
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,237	15,131	15,076	15,087	15,304	15,149	15,421	15,290	15,155	15,172	15,037	15,136
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.30**	**1.28**	**1.28**	**1.25**	**1.25**	**1.24**	**1.25**	**1.24**	**1.24**	**1.25**	**1.23**	**1.26**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.59**	**1.55**	**1.56**	**1.53**	**1.52**	**1.51**	**1.53**	**1.53**	**1.54**	**1.55**	**1.55**	**1.58**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.37	1.33	1.34	1.29	1.33	1.34	1.34	1.28	1.37	1.42	1.40	1.43
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.38	1.41	1.36	1.36	1.38	1.33	1.41	1.41	1.44	1.46	1.42	1.53
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.09	1.04	1.06	1.06	1.09	1.10	1.14	1.13	1.13	1.14	1.16	1.17
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.07	1.05	1.07	1.11	1.06	1.04	1.06	1.07	1.03	1.02	1.03	1.06
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.75	0.76	0.80	0.84	0.78	0.76	0.75	0.75	0.73	0.71	0.72	0.73
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.83	1.83	1.81	1.72	1.72	1.66	1.70	1.76	1.80	1.76	1.86	1.91
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.43	1.40	1.40	1.37	1.35	1.38	1.39	1.43	1.42	1.45	1.41	1.41
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.90	1.82	1.85	1.82	1.90	1.91	1.92	1.87	1.93	1.95	1.95	2.00
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.66	2.62	2.62	2.52	2.46	2.46	2.51	2.55	2.48	2.50	2.53	2.54
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.56	1.51	1.57	1.55	1.51	1.47	1.42	1.43	1.48	1.51	1.47	1.53
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**0.99**	**0.96**	**0.97**	**0.97**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**0.93**	**0.95**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.94	0.91	0.90	0.91	0.91	0.92	0.92
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.50	1.48	1.45	1.43	1.43	1.40	1.42	1.40	1.40	1.44	1.38	1.45
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.82	1.71	1.67	1.62	1.61	1.66	1.63	1.66	1.76	1.76	1.66	1.82
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.60	0.59	0.61	0.61	0.62	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.61	0.62	0.60	0.61
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.19	1.21	1.24	1.16	1.19	1.17	1.21	1.14	1.14	1.08	1.03	1.00
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.11	1.10	1.16	1.08	1.07	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.09	1.11	1.16	1.20
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.37	0.40	0.38	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.32	0.33	0.29	0.29	0.30
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.10	1.06	1.07	1.10	1.10	1.08	1.08	1.06	1.09	1.14	1.13	1.08
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.14	1.14	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.14	1.12	1.10	1.10	1.12	1.08	1.13

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2001 January	2001 February	2001 March	2001 April	2001 May	2001 June	2001 July	2001 August	2001 September	2001 October	2001 November	2001 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**239,180**	**237,704**	**233,557**	**233,418**	**234,160**	**229,971**	**231,346**	**232,274**	**231,662**	**227,722**	**227,737**	**227,136**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**122,399**	**122,103**	**120,979**	**119,745**	**119,976**	**117,387**	**118,352**	**118,721**	**116,879**	**114,882**	**115,937**	**115,280**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	19,038	18,841	19,243	19,455	19,858	19,603	19,788	20,101	19,214	19,974	20,173	19,509
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,442	4,463	4,489	4,416	4,273	4,298	4,311	4,349	4,259	4,386	4,413	4,356
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,187	7,249	7,260	7,359	7,642	7,486	7,556	7,576	7,433	7,545	7,637	7,809
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	22,835	22,917	22,446	22,965	23,147	22,434	22,706	22,116	21,948	21,214	21,416	21,773
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,820	13,581	13,161	12,999	13,360	12,872	12,775	12,503	12,762	12,001	11,966	12,169
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,327	7,428	7,143	7,165	7,302	7,132	7,047	7,171	7,032	6,767	6,717	6,533
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	21,647	20,903	20,723	19,764	19,226	18,155	18,658	18,536	18,411	18,507	19,234	18,428
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,860	5,914	5,810	5,482	5,771	5,560	5,655	5,716	5,701	5,825	5,908	5,909
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	21,260	21,735	21,500	20,956	20,825	20,425	20,487	20,891	20,768	19,196	19,602	19,383
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,803	12,653	12,365	12,183	11,932	12,294	12,144	12,265	12,113	11,468	10,837	11,580
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**116,781**	**115,601**	**112,578**	**113,673**	**114,184**	**112,584**	**112,994**	**113,553**	**114,783**	**112,840**	**111,800**	**111,856**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,648	6,636	6,487	6,562	6,516	6,409	6,349	6,311	6,059	6,005	6,169	6,075
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	16,539	16,336	16,179	16,335	16,776	17,183	17,397	17,674	18,588	19,234	18,891	19,161
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,268	8,171	7,772	8,102	8,463	8,199	8,056	8,237	8,234	8,500	8,548	8,385
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	31,459	31,427	31,526	32,044	31,425	31,268	31,350	31,290	31,245	31,211	31,354	31,571
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,890	9,165	9,261	8,629	8,533	8,074	8,506	8,674	8,223	7,980	7,527	7,596
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,310	5,442	5,417	5,311	5,384	5,296	5,432	5,289	5,289	5,307	5,363	5,342
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	18,811	17,688	15,899	16,755	17,136	16,085	15,301	15,517	16,474	14,328	14,130	13,770
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,360	6,300	5,935	6,204	6,164	6,231	6,336	6,179	6,120	6,134	6,381	6,521
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,496	14,436	14,102	13,731	13,787	13,839	14,267	14,382	14,551	14,141	13,437	13,435
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**308,745**	**309,036**	**309,051**	**310,478**	**311,619**	**309,196**	**306,252**	**305,464**	**304,703**	**302,932**	**299,419**	**297,536**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**202,190**	**201,416**	**200,725**	**200,357**	**199,736**	**196,353**	**194,733**	**193,183**	**191,933**	**191,362**	**187,523**	**185,517**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	28,981	29,067	28,882	28,994	28,546	28,248	28,396	28,531	28,756	29,171	28,373	27,747
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,666	6,595	6,643	6,561	6,518	6,373	6,340	6,250	6,336	6,298	6,297	6,182
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,582	8,541	8,516	8,373	8,373	8,290	8,461	8,619	8,682	8,880	8,721	8,684
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	27,106	27,097	26,562	26,849	26,348	25,929	25,776	25,437	24,631	24,237	23,500	23,711
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,985	11,839	11,507	11,592	11,323	10,730	10,835	10,409	9,965	9,865	9,420	9,312
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,407	13,246	13,081	12,927	12,917	12,852	12,775	12,769	12,535	12,497	12,261	12,215
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	32,170	31,893	32,012	32,208	31,556	31,004	29,916	29,321	29,054	28,734	27,823	27,150
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,619	11,546	11,494	11,426	11,267	11,338	11,300	11,494	11,438	11,350	11,275	11,197
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	52,712	52,824	53,032	52,704	53,600	52,971	52,497	51,802	51,708	51,539	50,540	50,080
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	20,947	20,607	20,503	20,315	20,611	19,348	19,272	18,960	18,793	18,656	18,733	18,551
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**106,555**	**107,620**	**108,326**	**110,121**	**111,883**	**112,843**	**111,519**	**112,281**	**112,770**	**111,570**	**111,896**	**112,019**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	6,550	6,608	6,539	6,625	6,630	6,374	6,234	6,105	6,081	6,119	6,067	5,989
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	22,801	22,845	23,575	24,379	25,524	26,161	25,858	26,977	28,241	27,956	28,802	29,558
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,421	14,895	15,070	15,456	15,765	15,959	15,650	15,631	15,618	15,631	15,157	14,761
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,967	19,858	19,780	19,782	19,509	19,626	19,137	19,273	19,111	18,580	18,740	18,937
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,332	9,438	9,210	9,192	9,382	9,374	9,534	9,533	9,415	9,259	9,372	9,370
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	5,935	5,890	6,104	6,294	6,254	6,241	6,270	6,113	6,131	6,138	6,104	6,158
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,704	4,802	4,763	4,795	5,056	4,991	4,978	4,850	4,769	4,785	4,907	4,887
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,992	6,974	6,890	6,894	6,868	7,019	6,905	6,896	6,969	6,925	6,799	6,863
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,853	16,310	16,395	16,704	16,895	17,098	16,953	16,903	16,435	16,177	15,948	15,496
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.32**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.34**	**1.32**	**1.32**	**1.32**	**1.33**	**1.31**	**1.31**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.65**	**1.65**	**1.66**	**1.67**	**1.66**	**1.67**	**1.65**	**1.63**	**1.64**	**1.67**	**1.62**	**1.61**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.52	1.54	1.50	1.49	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.42	1.50	1.46	1.41	1.42
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.50	1.48	1.48	1.49	1.53	1.48	1.47	1.44	1.49	1.44	1.43	1.42
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.19	1.18	1.17	1.14	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.14	1.17	1.18	1.14	1.11
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.19	1.18	1.18	1.17	1.14	1.16	1.14	1.15	1.12	1.14	1.10	1.09
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.89	0.85	0.83	0.85	0.83	0.78	0.82	0.79	0.77
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.83	1.78	1.83	1.80	1.77	1.80	1.81	1.78	1.78	1.85	1.83	1.87
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.49	1.53	1.54	1.63	1.64	1.71	1.60	1.58	1.58	1.55	1.45	1.47
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.98	1.95	1.98	2.08	1.95	2.04	2.00	2.01	2.01	1.95	1.91	1.89
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.48	2.43	2.47	2.51	2.57	2.59	2.56	2.48	2.49	2.68	2.58	2.58
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.64	1.63	1.66	1.67	1.73	1.57	1.59	1.55	1.55	1.63	1.73	1.60
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.91**	**0.93**	**0.96**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**0.99**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**1.00**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.99	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.02	0.99	0.98	0.97	1.00	1.02	0.98	0.99
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.38	1.40	1.46	1.49	1.52	1.52	1.49	1.53	1.52	1.45	1.52	1.54
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.74	1.82	1.94	1.91	1.86	1.95	1.94	1.90	1.90	1.84	1.77	1.76
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.62	0.62	0.63	0.61	0.62	0.61	0.60	0.60	0.60
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.05	1.03	0.99	1.07	1.10	1.16	1.12	1.10	1.14	1.16	1.25	1.23
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.12	1.08	1.13	1.19	1.16	1.18	1.15	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.14	1.15
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.25	0.27	0.30	0.29	0.30	0.31	0.33	0.31	0.29	0.33	0.35	0.35
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.10	1.11	1.16	1.11	1.11	1.13	1.09	1.12	1.14	1.13	1.07	1.05
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.09	1.13	1.16	1.22	1.23	1.24	1.19	1.18	1.13	1.14	1.19	1.15

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2000 January	2000 February	2000 March	2000 April	2000 May	2000 June	2000 July	2000 August	2000 September	2000 October	2000 November	2000 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**229,981**	**228,836**	**231,740**	**233,164**	**233,579**	**236,304**	**235,513**	**235,246**	**237,480**	**238,498**	**237,288**	**239,671**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**124,516**	**122,647**	**123,111**	**124,472**	**124,136**	**124,271**	**124,224**	**124,666**	**124,691**	**125,120**	**123,858**	**122,701**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	18,332	18,388	18,202	18,587	18,300	18,577	18,291	18,661	18,743	18,658	18,869	18,691
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,232	4,270	4,250	4,350	4,415	4,429	4,416	4,417	4,538	4,522	4,435	4,436
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,688	7,438	7,513	7,346	7,337	7,287	7,102	7,078	7,106	7,150	7,127	7,304
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,065	23,737	23,993	24,000	23,555	23,063	23,282	23,892	23,488	24,055	23,323	22,142
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,171	14,841	15,287	15,209	14,785	13,884	14,264	14,875	14,304	14,684	14,639	13,171
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	8,193	7,912	8,024	7,883	7,781	7,759	7,752	7,744	7,696	7,613	7,712	7,862
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	21,162	20,792	20,832	21,222	21,532	22,125	22,024	22,363	22,382	21,888	21,713	22,063
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,901	5,910	5,989	6,020	6,106	6,117	6,022	5,983	6,053	6,090	5,929	6,034
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	21,473	21,006	20,911	21,336	21,142	21,602	21,695	21,494	21,451	21,689	21,687	20,947
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	13,470	13,194	13,397	13,728	13,968	13,312	13,640	13,034	13,234	13,455	13,063	13,222
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**105,465**	**106,189**	**108,629**	**108,692**	**109,443**	**112,033**	**111,289**	**110,580**	**112,789**	**113,378**	**113,430**	**116,970**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,415	6,361	6,461	6,422	6,464	6,386	6,518	6,520	6,528	6,582	6,566	6,629
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	13,361	13,600	14,038	14,194	14,451	14,713	14,884	15,126	15,058	15,452	15,555	15,807
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	7,672	7,814	7,967	8,062	8,136	8,159	8,064	7,973	8,053	8,103	8,068	8,318
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	30,792	30,714	30,832	31,167	31,373	31,352	31,428	31,139	31,003	31,182	31,439	32,289
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	7,995	8,168	8,462	8,719	8,842	8,999	8,830	8,661	8,623	8,643	8,041	8,967
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,011	4,795	5,080	5,157	5,120	5,238	5,205	5,289	5,302	5,378	5,310	5,468
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	14,059	15,181	15,380	14,768	14,976	16,623	16,544	16,203	17,820	17,736	18,077	18,872
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,757	5,731	5,839	5,825	5,877	5,979	5,828	6,016	6,113	6,150	6,111	6,088
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,403	13,825	14,570	14,378	14,204	14,584	13,988	13,653	14,289	14,152	14,263	14,532
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**292,768**	**294,593**	**296,793**	**299,545**	**301,245**	**303,182**	**304,073**	**305,053**	**305,223**	**307,282**	**309,328**	**309,191**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**191,936**	**193,246**	**194,488**	**196,481**	**198,000**	**200,004**	**200,411**	**201,261**	**200,724**	**201,363**	**202,282**	**201,797**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,579	27,718	28,204	28,673	28,882	29,161	28,964	29,044	28,526	28,572	28,738	29,087
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,881	5,943	6,027	6,143	6,242	6,380	6,493	6,606	6,414	6,536	6,621	6,557
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,674	8,754	8,808	8,836	8,857	8,908	8,847	8,672	8,613	8,599	8,642	8,757
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,433	28,007	27,637	27,588	27,604	27,474	27,420	27,312	27,914	28,091	28,001	27,461
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,420	13,404	12,351	12,204	11,900	11,900	11,925	11,868	12,529	13,179	12,580	12,058
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,116	13,387	13,683	14,072	14,020	14,151	14,212	14,204	14,157	14,000	13,837	13,497
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	27,762	27,976	28,154	28,097	28,512	29,205	29,813	30,130	30,374	31,170	31,627	31,837
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,681	10,916	10,897	11,207	11,289	11,488	11,545	11,633	11,538	11,627	11,663	11,731
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	50,455	50,686	51,069	51,618	52,031	52,255	51,826	52,545	52,573	52,215	52,556	52,152
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,355	19,859	20,009	20,247	20,563	20,982	21,291	21,115	20,615	20,553	20,597	20,718
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**100,832**	**101,347**	**102,305**	**103,064**	**103,245**	**103,178**	**103,662**	**103,792**	**104,499**	**105,919**	**107,046**	**107,394**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	6,161	6,077	6,343	6,484	6,487	6,431	6,496	6,512	6,512	6,713	6,739	6,747
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	19,237	19,516	19,764	19,901	19,795	20,432	20,895	21,033	21,470	21,941	22,228	23,137
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,071	14,064	14,071	14,328	14,486	14,120	14,282	14,145	14,328	14,276	14,318	14,280
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,979	20,041	19,940	20,016	19,915	19,672	19,757	19,730	20,084	20,338	20,774	20,186
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,957	8,929	9,287	9,397	9,459	9,186	8,897	8,729	8,770	9,040	9,222	9,397
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	6,025	6,115	6,223	6,204	6,203	6,218	6,257	6,186	6,004	5,940	5,968	6,047
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,349	4,458	4,567	4,540	4,438	4,692	4,657	4,878	4,739	4,858	5,183	4,901
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,777	6,824	6,791	6,852	6,922	6,775	6,811	6,861	6,883	6,944	6,982	7,043
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,276	15,323	15,319	15,342	15,540	15,652	15,610	15,718	15,709	15,869	15,632	15,656
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.27**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.29**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.54**	**1.58**	**1.58**	**1.58**	**1.60**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.61**	**1.63**	**1.64**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.50	1.51	1.55	1.54	1.58	1.57	1.58	1.56	1.52	1.53	1.52	1.56
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.39	1.39	1.42	1.41	1.41	1.44	1.47	1.50	1.41	1.45	1.49	1.48
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.13	1.18	1.17	1.20	1.21	1.22	1.25	1.23	1.21	1.20	1.21	1.20
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.18	1.18	1.15	1.15	1.17	1.19	1.18	1.14	1.19	1.17	1.20	1.24
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.88	0.90	0.81	0.80	0.80	0.86	0.84	0.80	0.88	0.90	0.86	0.92
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.60	1.69	1.71	1.79	1.80	1.82	1.83	1.83	1.84	1.84	1.79	1.72
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.31	1.35	1.35	1.32	1.32	1.32	1.35	1.35	1.36	1.42	1.46	1.44
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.81	1.85	1.82	1.86	1.85	1.88	1.92	1.94	1.91	1.91	1.97	1.94
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.35	2.41	2.44	2.42	2.46	2.42	2.39	2.44	2.45	2.41	2.42	2.49
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.44	1.51	1.49	1.47	1.47	1.58	1.56	1.62	1.56	1.53	1.58	1.57
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.92**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.92**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.96	0.96	0.98	1.01	1.00	1.01	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.02
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.44	1.44	1.41	1.40	1.37	1.39	1.40	1.39	1.43	1.42	1.43	1.46
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.83	1.80	1.77	1.78	1.78	1.73	1.77	1.77	1.78	1.76	1.77	1.72
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.64	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.65	0.65	0.66	0.63
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.12	1.09	1.10	1.08	1.07	1.02	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.05	1.15	1.05
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.20	1.28	1.23	1.20	1.21	1.19	1.20	1.17	1.13	1.10	1.12	1.11
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.31	0.29	0.30	0.31	0.30	0.28	0.28	0.30	0.27	0.27	0.29	0.26
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.18	1.19	1.16	1.18	1.18	1.13	1.17	1.14	1.13	1.13	1.14	1.16
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.06	1.11	1.05	1.07	1.09	1.07	1.12	1.15	1.10	1.12	1.10	1.08

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1999 January	1999 February	1999 March	1999 April	1999 May	1999 June	1999 July	1999 August	1999 September	1999 October	1999 November	1999 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**204,181**	**206,856**	**209,359**	**210,145**	**214,770**	**216,526**	**217,499**	**218,978**	**220,899**	**223,817**	**226,182**	**227,783**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**110,533**	**113,328**	**113,663**	**113,669**	**115,864**	**116,794**	**117,878**	**117,990**	**118,823**	**120,996**	**121,739**	**123,413**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	15,825	17,431	16,742	17,117	17,436	17,675	18,073	17,740	18,167	18,735	18,366	18,601
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,688	3,764	3,739	3,774	3,840	3,842	4,036	3,978	3,949	4,099	4,048	4,137
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,800	6,986	7,121	7,171	7,356	7,522	7,625	7,401	7,509	7,558	7,802	7,626
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	22,186	22,492	22,866	22,798	23,314	23,496	23,684	23,842	23,622	24,336	24,381	24,399
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,566	13,984	14,244	14,050	14,555	14,133	14,895	15,059	14,762	15,514	15,236	15,377
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,361	7,268	7,242	7,027	7,056	7,008	7,027	6,910	6,985	7,324	7,529	7,804
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	17,006	17,551	17,720	17,895	18,098	18,361	18,693	18,906	19,166	19,524	20,055	20,793
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,653	5,614	5,687	5,673	5,719	5,705	5,752	5,786	5,714	5,719	5,758	5,807
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	20,121	20,166	20,652	20,327	20,697	20,807	20,788	20,872	20,668	20,760	20,802	20,807
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,893	12,056	11,894	11,887	12,348	12,378	12,200	12,555	13,043	12,941	12,998	13,439
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**93,648**	**93,528**	**95,696**	**96,476**	**98,906**	**99,732**	**99,621**	**100,988**	**102,076**	**102,821**	**104,443**	**104,370**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,858	5,918	5,682	5,930	6,035	6,146	6,158	6,203	6,284	6,393	6,360	6,109
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	11,616	11,743	11,934	12,337	12,464	12,610	12,732	12,927	12,853	12,922	13,384	13,780
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	7,312	7,203	7,773	7,543	7,607	7,500	7,504	7,501	7,584	7,520	7,642	7,638
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	28,558	28,684	29,139	28,967	29,745	29,277	29,382	29,793	30,477	30,527	30,688	30,851
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,266	8,495	8,414	7,992	8,789	8,831	8,392	8,183	8,481	8,398	8,329	7,877
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,754	4,473	4,692	4,640	4,744	4,971	4,831	4,881	4,819	4,916	4,996	4,998
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	9,504	9,073	10,221	10,977	11,279	11,461	12,043	12,702	12,739	12,700	13,317	13,531
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,427	5,415	5,387	5,483	5,510	5,539	5,532	5,625	5,799	5,843	5,836	5,724
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,353	12,524	12,454	12,607	12,733	13,397	13,047	13,173	13,040	13,602	13,891	13,862
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**272,635**	**274,923**	**275,847**	**276,188**	**276,792**	**276,961**	**279,948**	**280,588**	**282,127**	**285,104**	**288,823**	**290,182**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**179,178**	**180,248**	**180,863**	**180,051**	**181,435**	**182,279**	**183,757**	**183,727**	**185,141**	**186,906**	**189,728**	**190,899**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	24,012	24,184	24,578	24,683	25,170	25,350	25,865	26,161	26,497	26,577	27,153	27,280
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,373	5,441	5,444	5,375	5,408	5,529	5,579	5,562	5,601	5,801	5,679	5,840
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,770	7,787	7,929	8,037	8,185	8,222	8,412	8,374	8,429	8,518	8,451	8,556
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	26,480	27,156	26,981	25,975	26,522	26,802	26,630	26,527	26,746	27,279	27,833	27,987
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,579	13,292	12,574	11,666	12,530	12,659	12,579	12,593	12,466	12,976	13,258	13,453
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,929	12,560	12,199	12,207	12,316	12,330	12,193	12,091	12,201	12,385	12,635	12,842
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	24,646	24,917	24,701	24,446	24,837	25,052	25,737	25,790	26,056	26,487	27,168	27,874
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,471	10,395	10,434	10,419	10,444	10,454	10,593	10,392	10,483	10,555	10,740	10,688
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	48,965	49,379	49,798	50,381	50,082	50,224	50,578	50,548	50,558	50,631	50,985	50,721
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,532	18,429	18,799	18,528	18,471	18,316	18,170	18,282	18,570	18,673	19,084	19,111
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**93,457**	**94,675**	**94,984**	**96,137**	**95,357**	**94,682**	**96,191**	**96,861**	**96,986**	**98,198**	**99,095**	**99,283**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	5,801	5,749	5,901	6,003	5,906	5,910	6,003	5,980	6,012	6,053	6,130	5,983
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	15,830	16,158	16,283	17,051	17,401	17,680	18,020	18,263	18,153	18,760	18,696	18,771
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,582	14,247	13,750	13,528	13,385	13,133	13,179	13,174	13,046	13,196	13,484	13,730
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,900	19,205	19,358	19,812	19,700	19,101	19,677	19,739	19,767	19,943	20,344	20,130
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,665	8,599	8,690	8,858	8,757	8,621	8,582	9,025	9,057	9,099	8,784	8,654
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	5,860	5,910	5,825	5,803	5,803	5,725	5,874	5,728	5,692	5,716	5,827	6,079
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3,770	3,836	3,887	3,972	3,940	4,092	4,232	4,184	4,336	4,316	4,384	4,124
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,401	6,603	6,945	6,679	6,872	6,692	6,811	6,781	6,648	6,640	6,613	6,682
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,648	14,368	14,345	14,431	13,593	13,728	13,813	13,987	14,275	14,475	14,833	15,130
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.34**	**1.33**	**1.32**	**1.31**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.28**	**1.27**	**1.28**	**1.27**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.62**	**1.59**	**1.59**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.54**	**1.56**	**1.55**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.52	1.39	1.47	1.44	1.44	1.43	1.43	1.47	1.46	1.42	1.48	1.47
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.46	1.45	1.46	1.42	1.41	1.44	1.38	1.40	1.42	1.42	1.40	1.41
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.14	1.11	1.11	1.12	1.11	1.09	1.10	1.13	1.12	1.13	1.08	1.12
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.19	1.21	1.18	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.12	1.11	1.13	1.12	1.14	1.15
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.93	0.95	0.88	0.83	0.86	0.90	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.87	0.87
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.76	1.73	1.68	1.74	1.75	1.76	1.74	1.75	1.75	1.69	1.68	1.65
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.45	1.42	1.39	1.37	1.37	1.36	1.38	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.35	1.34
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.85	1.85	1.83	1.84	1.83	1.83	1.84	1.80	1.83	1.85	1.87	1.84
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.43	2.45	2.41	2.48	2.42	2.41	2.43	2.42	2.45	2.44	2.45	2.44
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.56	1.53	1.58	1.56	1.50	1.48	1.49	1.46	1.42	1.44	1.47	1.42
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.00**	**1.01**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.97**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.95**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.99	0.97	1.04	1.01	0.98	0.96	0.97	0.96	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.98
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.36	1.38	1.36	1.38	1.40	1.40	1.42	1.41	1.41	1.45	1.40	1.36
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.86	1.98	1.77	1.79	1.76	1.75	1.76	1.76	1.72	1.75	1.76	1.80
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.67	0.66	0.68	0.66	0.65	0.67	0.66	0.65	0.65	0.66	0.65
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.05	1.01	1.03	1.11	1.00	0.98	1.02	1.10	1.07	1.08	1.05	1.10
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.23	1.32	1.24	1.25	1.22	1.15	1.22	1.17	1.18	1.16	1.17	1.22
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.42	0.38	0.36	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.33	0.34	0.34	0.33	0.30
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.18	1.22	1.29	1.22	1.25	1.21	1.23	1.21	1.15	1.14	1.13	1.17
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.19	1.15	1.15	1.14	1.07	1.02	1.06	1.06	1.09	1.06	1.07	1.09

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1998 January	1998 February	1998 March	1998 April	1998 May	1998 June	1998 July	1998 August	1998 September	1998 October	1998 November	1998 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**201,068**	**200,976**	**202,223**	**202,434**	**202,077**	**200,992**	**202,201**	**200,940**	**202,070**	**203,185**	**203,149**	**204,997**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**107,917**	**108,189**	**109,199**	**109,526**	**108,776**	**108,935**	**109,180**	**108,889**	**108,625**	**108,833**	**108,704**	**109,529**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	14,654	14,559	15,151	15,204	15,235	15,082	15,386	15,563	15,741	15,499	15,728	15,839
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,609	3,460	3,565	3,524	3,521	3,607	3,555	3,606	3,611	3,553	3,721	3,676
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,518	6,466	6,386	6,482	6,501	6,530	6,725	6,788	6,754	6,869	6,881	6,945
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	20,903	21,228	21,269	21,458	21,032	21,530	21,577	21,726	21,498	21,763	21,250	21,698
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,643	12,918	13,184	13,548	13,256	13,717	13,540	13,264	12,924	12,929	12,794	12,836
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,514	7,504	7,672	7,470	7,438	7,384	7,374	7,369	7,358	7,174	7,116	7,084
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	16,396	16,524	16,742	16,790	16,950	16,708	16,792	16,684	16,700	17,166	16,885	16,877
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,475	5,454	5,322	5,360	5,467	5,514	5,551	5,451	5,439	5,409	5,580	5,620
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	20,264	20,400	20,243	20,587	20,570	20,488	20,049	20,161	20,351	19,905	20,195	20,325
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,584	12,594	12,849	12,651	12,062	12,092	12,171	11,541	11,173	11,495	11,348	11,465
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**93,151**	**92,787**	**93,024**	**92,908**	**93,301**	**92,057**	**93,021**	**92,051**	**93,445**	**94,352**	**94,445**	**95,468**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,624	5,658	5,803	5,781	5,759	5,786	5,723	5,720	5,809	5,769	5,756	5,886
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	9,910	10,101	10,391	9,989	10,104	10,084	10,419	10,452	10,671	10,891	11,023	11,403
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	7,441	7,454	7,450	7,246	7,129	7,098	7,171	7,236	6,851	7,470	7,141	7,174
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	27,688	28,394	28,027	28,339	28,340	28,459	28,785	28,583	28,715	28,875	28,649	28,716
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,540	9,581	9,392	9,106	9,048	8,767	8,783	8,833	8,798	8,913	8,891	9,229
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,741	4,730	4,611	4,620	4,701	4,615	4,621	4,689	4,689	4,781	4,803	4,727
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,270	10,037	10,059	10,014	10,165	10,131	10,100	9,377	9,781	9,905	9,834	9,538
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,885	4,925	5,049	5,090	5,094	4,929	5,132	5,061	5,471	5,327	5,257	5,354
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,052	11,907	12,242	12,723	12,961	12,188	12,287	12,100	12,660	12,421	13,091	13,441
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**259,088**	**261,734**	**263,439**	**263,284**	**265,233**	**264,400**	**264,793**	**267,204**	**268,711**	**269,467**	**271,044**	**272,297**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**168,966**	**170,998**	**172,636**	**172,840**	**173,748**	**172,720**	**172,942**	**175,111**	**176,002**	**177,071**	**177,194**	**178,918**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,255	23,625	24,242	23,278	22,890	22,524	22,296	22,791	22,989	23,528	23,181	24,030
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,074	5,070	5,027	5,166	5,221	5,239	5,296	5,329	5,360	5,465	5,379	5,392
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,098	8,074	7,992	8,068	7,974	7,933	7,976	8,101	7,712	7,753	7,767	7,728
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,116	28,275	28,837	28,952	28,955	28,009	27,941	27,957	27,567	27,086	27,236	26,778
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,506	13,517	14,372	14,195	14,233	13,685	13,276	13,494	12,977	12,693	12,766	12,856
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,321	12,363	12,427	12,402	12,501	12,419	12,363	12,699	12,738	12,760	12,869	12,806
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	22,585	22,882	23,376	23,725	23,968	24,085	23,965	24,154	24,366	24,241	24,369	24,678
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,707	10,020	9,939	10,104	10,137	10,257	10,237	10,306	10,260	10,286	10,313	10,368
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	42,329	42,990	43,319	43,603	44,419	44,578	45,188	45,668	46,428	47,207	47,458	48,588
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,481	17,699	17,477	17,542	17,683	17,676	17,680	18,106	18,582	18,745	18,622	18,550
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**90,122**	**90,736**	**90,803**	**90,444**	**91,485**	**91,680**	**91,851**	**92,093**	**92,709**	**92,396**	**93,850**	**93,379**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products[2]	5,729	5,927	6,071	6,123	5,968	5,942	5,939	5,843	5,811	5,686	5,794	5,890
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	13,712	14,168	14,404	14,581	14,954	14,635	14,715	14,828	14,810	15,011	15,372	15,547
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	13,660	13,383	13,440	13,540	13,514	13,631	13,584	13,792	13,695	13,799	13,982	14,021
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,056	19,265	18,753	19,189	19,464	19,248	19,289	19,284	19,151	18,957	19,104	18,849
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,774	8,547	8,301	7,543	7,581	8,096	8,082	8,211	8,721	8,792	8,938	8,828
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	5,461	5,386	5,380	5,510	5,687	5,438	5,649	5,575	5,591	5,543	5,718	5,783
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,109	3,916	3,935	4,001	4,121	4,005	3,945	3,885	4,099	3,907	3,760	3,616
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,851	5,991	6,327	5,971	5,994	6,224	6,154	6,319	6,385	6,442	6,608	6,300
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,770	14,153	14,192	13,986	14,202	14,461	14,494	14,356	14,446	14,259	14,574	14,545
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.31**	**1.32**	**1.31**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.33**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.57**	**1.58**	**1.58**	**1.58**	**1.60**	**1.59**	**1.58**	**1.61**	**1.62**	**1.63**	**1.63**	**1.63**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.59	1.62	1.60	1.53	1.50	1.49	1.45	1.46	1.46	1.52	1.47	1.52
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.41	1.47	1.41	1.47	1.48	1.45	1.49	1.48	1.48	1.54	1.45	1.47
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.23	1.21	1.19	1.19	1.14	1.13	1.13	1.11
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.35	1.33	1.36	1.35	1.38	1.30	1.29	1.29	1.28	1.24	1.28	1.23
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.07	1.05	1.09	1.05	1.07	1.00	0.98	1.02	1.00	0.98	1.00	1.00
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.64	1.65	1.62	1.66	1.68	1.68	1.68	1.72	1.73	1.78	1.81	1.81
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.38	1.38	1.40	1.41	1.41	1.44	1.43	1.45	1.46	1.41	1.44	1.46
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.77	1.84	1.87	1.89	1.85	1.86	1.84	1.89	1.89	1.90	1.85	1.84
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.09	2.11	2.14	2.12	2.16	2.18	2.25	2.27	2.28	2.37	2.35	2.39
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.39	1.41	1.36	1.39	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.57	1.66	1.63	1.64	1.62
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**0.98**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.05	1.05	1.06	1.04	1.03	1.04	1.02	1.00	0.99	1.01	1.00
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.38	1.40	1.39	1.46	1.48	1.45	1.41	1.42	1.39	1.38	1.39	1.36
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.84	1.80	1.80	1.87	1.90	1.92	1.89	1.91	2.00	1.85	1.96	1.95
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.69	0.68	0.67	0.68	0.69	0.68	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.66	0.67	0.66
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.83	0.89	0.88	0.83	0.84	0.92	0.92	0.93	0.99	0.99	1.01	0.96
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.15	1.14	1.17	1.19	1.21	1.18	1.22	1.19	1.19	1.16	1.19	1.22
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.39	0.39	0.40	0.41	0.40	0.39	0.41	0.42	0.39	0.38	0.38
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.20	1.22	1.25	1.17	1.18	1.26	1.20	1.25	1.17	1.21	1.26	1.18
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.14	1.19	1.16	1.10	1.10	1.19	1.18	1.19	1.14	1.15	1.11	1.08

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1997 January	1997 February	1997 March	1997 April	1997 May	1997 June	1997 July	1997 August	1997 September	1997 October	1997 November	1997 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**194,379**	**199,102**	**197,622**	**196,608**	**197,677**	**197,465**	**197,978**	**197,328**	**200,474**	**199,698**	**199,693**	**199,039**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**100,684**	**104,294**	**102,696**	**103,947**	**103,879**	**104,642**	**105,646**	**104,419**	**107,063**	**106,249**	**106,820**	**106,054**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	14,279	14,506	14,511	14,156	14,690	14,786	14,501	13,689	14,685	14,659	14,493	13,362
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,309	3,475	3,249	3,312	3,212	3,209	3,265	3,221	3,545	3,510	3,435	3,522
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,153	6,521	6,430	6,606	6,405	6,499	6,516	6,543	6,534	6,396	6,322	6,507
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	18,549	19,493	19,020	19,471	19,457	19,852	19,531	19,551	20,170	20,162	20,749	20,831
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	10,908	11,378	11,099	11,570	11,504	11,801	11,689	11,941	12,330	12,119	12,776	12,677
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,331	7,551	7,296	7,643	7,502	7,741	7,650	7,671	7,811	7,784	7,785	7,813
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	15,710	15,934	16,062	16,066	16,333	16,335	16,738	16,742	16,615	16,210	16,294	16,520
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,045	5,086	5,108	5,296	5,133	5,146	5,294	5,214	5,284	5,349	5,319	5,342
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	17,480	18,578	18,029	18,258	18,387	18,597	19,131	18,659	19,011	19,274	19,154	19,333
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,828	13,150	12,991	13,139	12,760	12,477	13,020	13,129	13,408	12,905	13,269	12,824
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**93,695**	**94,808**	**94,926**	**92,661**	**93,798**	**92,823**	**92,332**	**92,909**	**93,411**	**93,449**	**92,873**	**92,985**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,479	5,720	5,516	5,653	5,303	5,319	5,404	5,553	5,608	5,607	5,723	5,560
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	8,362	8,464	8,666	8,676	8,812	8,937	9,119	9,185	9,189	9,187	9,312	9,385
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6,868	7,034	6,845	7,064	6,995	6,851	7,278	7,114	7,122	6,948	7,088	7,166
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	27,387	27,534	28,323	27,473	27,884	27,809	27,445	27,412	27,133	27,036	27,406	27,424
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,090	11,496	10,855	11,144	11,084	10,838	10,398	10,489	11,230	12,275	10,863	10,663
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,467	4,553	4,613	4,661	4,594	4,759	4,820	4,743	4,788	4,698	4,670	4,656
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,291	12,636	12,412	10,999	11,487	11,347	11,197	11,737	11,215	10,937	11,233	11,049
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,657	4,711	4,810	4,626	4,860	4,757	4,916	4,921	4,985	4,905	4,880	5,165
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,094	12,660	12,886	12,365	12,779	12,206	11,755	11,755	12,141	11,856	11,698	11,917
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**243,449**	**243,583**	**244,978**	**245,342**	**246,725**	**251,010**	**249,996**	**250,888**	**253,166**	**254,054**	**256,109**	**258,454**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**157,579**	**157,794**	**159,288**	**160,033**	**161,272**	**164,814**	**163,333**	**163,571**	**165,511**	**165,240**	**165,880**	**168,089**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	22,775	22,285	22,657	22,234	22,709	23,586	23,461	23,570	23,709	23,252	22,962	23,002
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,913	4,798	4,705	4,925	4,981	4,867	4,799	4,907	4,959	4,909	4,986	4,999
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,248	7,419	7,521	7,699	7,844	7,994	8,071	8,094	8,049	7,999	8,102	8,058
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,219	24,460	24,440	25,139	25,498	26,406	26,548	26,057	27,046	27,359	27,338	27,533
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,087	11,267	11,263	11,561	11,982	12,776	12,851	12,501	13,337	13,464	13,058	13,286
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,609	11,907	11,977	12,095	12,111	12,250	12,222	12,228	12,184	12,115	12,101	12,192
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	22,988	22,948	23,339	23,015	22,985	23,316	23,149	23,241	23,146	22,870	22,564	22,727
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,323	9,342	9,140	9,395	9,412	9,410	9,316	9,358	9,493	9,467	9,520	9,544
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	38,268	38,331	38,813	39,355	39,967	40,584	39,266	39,339	40,022	40,722	41,344	42,442
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,236	16,304	16,696	16,176	15,765	16,401	16,501	16,777	16,903	16,547	16,963	17,592
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**85,870**	**85,789**	**85,690**	**85,309**	**85,453**	**86,196**	**86,663**	**87,317**	**87,655**	**88,814**	**90,229**	**90,365**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,346	5,382	5,370	5,400	5,490	5,354	5,638	5,836	5,764	5,763	5,800	5,883
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	12,014	11,841	12,080	11,839	12,049	12,312	12,461	12,948	13,070	12,780	13,260	13,416
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,297	12,419	12,518	12,586	12,685	12,928	12,957	12,933	12,899	13,460	13,563	13,565
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,079	17,982	17,991	17,767	17,990	18,108	18,084	18,011	18,060	18,648	18,790	18,841
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,628	8,839	8,781	8,849	8,808	8,849	9,039	8,695	8,567	9,313	9,899	9,103
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	5,211	5,311	5,359	5,247	5,141	5,431	5,452	5,452	5,322	5,326	5,468	5,433
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,645	4,580	4,401	4,294	4,291	4,102	4,073	4,028	4,133	4,158	4,133	4,157
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,519	5,379	5,233	5,415	5,244	5,497	5,424	5,469	5,621	5,520	5,594	5,954
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,131	14,056	13,957	13,912	13,755	13,615	13,535	13,945	14,219	13,846	13,722	14,013
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.25**	**1.22**	**1.24**	**1.25**	**1.25**	**1.27**	**1.26**	**1.27**	**1.26**	**1.27**	**1.28**	**1.30**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.57**	**1.51**	**1.55**	**1.54**	**1.55**	**1.58**	**1.55**	**1.57**	**1.55**	**1.56**	**1.55**	**1.58**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.59	1.54	1.56	1.57	1.55	1.60	1.62	1.72	1.61	1.59	1.58	1.72
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.48	1.38	1.45	1.49	1.55	1.52	1.47	1.52	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.42
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.18	1.14	1.17	1.17	1.22	1.23	1.24	1.24	1.23	1.25	1.28	1.24
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.31	1.25	1.28	1.29	1.31	1.33	1.36	1.33	1.34	1.36	1.32	1.32
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.02	0.99	1.01	1.00	1.04	1.08	1.10	1.05	1.08	1.11	1.02	1.05
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.58	1.58	1.64	1.58	1.61	1.58	1.60	1.59	1.56	1.56	1.55	1.56
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.46	1.44	1.45	1.43	1.41	1.43	1.38	1.39	1.39	1.41	1.38	1.38
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.85	1.84	1.79	1.77	1.83	1.83	1.76	1.79	1.80	1.77	1.79	1.79
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.19	2.06	2.15	2.16	2.17	2.18	2.05	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.16	2.20
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.27	1.24	1.29	1.23	1.24	1.31	1.27	1.28	1.26	1.28	1.28	1.37
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.90**	**0.92**	**0.91**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.94**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.97**	**0.97**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	0.94	0.97	0.96	1.04	1.01	1.04	1.05	1.03	1.03	1.01	1.06
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.44	1.40	1.39	1.36	1.37	1.38	1.37	1.41	1.42	1.39	1.42	1.43
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.79	1.77	1.83	1.78	1.81	1.89	1.78	1.82	1.81	1.94	1.91	1.89
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.65	0.64	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.66	0.66	0.67	0.69	0.69	0.69
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.78	0.77	0.81	0.79	0.79	0.82	0.87	0.83	0.76	0.76	0.91	0.85
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.17	1.17	1.16	1.13	1.12	1.14	1.13	1.15	1.11	1.13	1.17	1.17
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.39	0.37	0.36	0.36	0.34	0.37	0.38	0.37	0.38
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.19	1.14	1.09	1.17	1.08	1.16	1.10	1.11	1.13	1.13	1.15	1.15
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.17	1.11	1.08	1.13	1.08	1.12	1.15	1.19	1.17	1.17	1.17	1.18

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1996 January	1996 February	1996 March	1996 April	1996 May	1996 June	1996 July	1996 August	1996 September	1996 October	1996 November	1996 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**184,352**	**185,286**	**187,580**	**187,462**	**188,032**	**189,016**	**190,819**	**191,939**	**191,679**	**193,329**	**194,369**	**192,137**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**96,733**	**97,049**	**98,536**	**97,679**	**98,303**	**98,691**	**98,108**	**98,567**	**99,791**	**100,228**	**102,015**	**100,201**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	14,616	14,599	14,575	14,446	14,009	14,251	14,224	14,082	13,996	14,197	14,207	14,271
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,952	3,049	3,018	3,077	3,198	3,248	3,186	3,131	3,235	3,200	3,326	3,312
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,595	5,658	5,865	5,801	5,934	6,135	6,071	6,227	6,279	6,263	6,446	6,158
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	17,315	17,699	18,129	17,969	18,580	18,332	18,440	18,570	18,444	18,171	19,489	18,332
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,171	7,126	6,850	7,130	7,326	7,093	7,082	7,188	7,045	7,161	7,390	7,311
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	16,050	15,828	16,065	15,644	15,289	15,539	15,388	15,328	15,600	15,623	15,504	14,730
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,709	4,671	4,804	4,736	4,746	4,901	4,834	4,905	5,197	5,117	5,125	5,123
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	16,741	16,697	17,088	17,207	16,766	16,841	16,674	16,829	17,051	17,708	18,084	17,999
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,584	11,722	12,142	11,669	12,455	12,351	12,209	12,307	12,944	12,788	12,444	12,965
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**87,619**	**88,237**	**89,044**	**89,783**	**89,729**	**90,325**	**92,711**	**93,372**	**91,888**	**93,101**	**92,354**	**91,936**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,295	5,415	5,451	5,400	5,393	5,365	5,408	5,413	5,331	5,390	5,314	5,402
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	7,415	7,391	7,429	7,551	7,677	7,718	7,797	7,882	8,214	8,269	8,219	8,291
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,041	5,337	5,858	5,901	5,991	6,281	6,296	6,229	6,521	6,519	6,302	6,762
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	26,572	26,428	26,206	25,950	26,084	25,729	26,906	26,983	26,212	27,028	26,723	25,920
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,607	11,724	12,146	11,982	11,525	12,323	12,830	13,050	12,207	11,563	11,729	11,588
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,284	4,284	4,394	4,485	4,515	4,494	4,473	4,489	4,505	4,521	4,441	4,462
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	11,066	11,354	11,622	11,849	11,851	11,473	11,655	11,620	11,993	12,751	12,717	12,998
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,635	4,697	4,588	4,633	4,685	4,672	4,666	4,726	4,571	4,624	4,691	4,604
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	11,704	11,607	11,350	12,032	12,008	12,270	12,680	12,980	12,334	12,436	12,218	11,909
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**239,788**	**239,571**	**239,391**	**242,644**	**242,517**	**241,659**	**241,933**	**241,755**	**240,016**	**240,734**	**240,909**	**241,058**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**154,900**	**154,570**	**154,312**	**155,453**	**154,947**	**154,495**	**155,306**	**155,878**	**156,139**	**156,044**	**156,577**	**156,683**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	22,866	23,096	22,146	23,115	22,921	22,994	23,241	23,044	22,365	22,795	23,099	22,332
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,829	4,946	4,983	4,865	4,914	4,958	4,954	4,950	4,964	4,892	4,939	4,909
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,713	6,716	6,758	6,763	6,809	6,933	6,973	7,064	7,261	7,171	7,159	7,244
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	23,558	23,331	23,702	23,491	23,438	23,493	23,282	23,936	24,324	23,403	24,007	24,379
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	10,935	10,823	10,838	10,771	10,777	10,628	10,801	10,921	10,866	11,124	11,276	11,455
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	24,311	24,085	23,971	24,257	24,329	23,374	23,292	23,012	22,668	22,819	23,006	22,728
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,697	8,708	8,769	8,770	8,816	8,814	9,017	9,010	8,978	9,160	9,164	9,326
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	36,650	36,782	37,005	36,956	36,833	37,022	37,336	37,491	38,340	37,903	37,668	37,993
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,341	16,083	16,140	16,465	16,110	16,279	16,410	16,450	16,373	16,777	16,259	16,317
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**84,888**	**85,001**	**85,079**	**87,191**	**87,570**	**87,164**	**86,627**	**85,877**	**83,877**	**84,690**	**84,332**	**84,375**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,294	5,206	5,218	5,220	5,223	5,275	5,195	5,199	5,400	5,271	5,138	5,255
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,460	10,624	10,579	10,838	10,663	10,758	11,017	11,047	10,631	11,331	11,550	11,813
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,594	11,783	11,488	11,891	11,868	11,800	11,721	11,476	11,552	11,352	11,143	11,994
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,304	18,224	18,502	18,550	18,425	18,512	18,784	18,884	18,687	18,407	18,015	18,018
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,738	10,610	10,724	11,285	11,882	11,641	10,424	9,871	8,592	8,792	8,660	8,526
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products[3]	4,802	5,027	5,066	5,090	4,975	4,916	4,843	5,057	4,896	5,023	5,334	5,180
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,353	4,376	4,430	4,428	4,250	4,186	4,240	4,442	4,363	4,548	4,598	4,720
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,112	5,137	5,335	5,377	5,368	5,438	5,556	5,403	5,467	5,641	5,644	5,501
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,231	14,014	13,737	14,512	14,916	14,638	14,847	14,498	14,289	14,325	14,250	13,368
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.27**	**1.26**	**1.25**	**1.25**	**1.24**	**1.25**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.60**	**1.59**	**1.57**	**1.59**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.58**	**1.58**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.53**	**1.56**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.56	1.58	1.52	1.60	1.64	1.61	1.63	1.64	1.60	1.61	1.63	1.56
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.64	1.62	1.65	1.58	1.54	1.53	1.55	1.58	1.53	1.53	1.48	1.48
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.20	1.19	1.15	1.17	1.15	1.13	1.15	1.13	1.16	1.14	1.11	1.18
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.36	1.32	1.31	1.31	1.26	1.28	1.26	1.29	1.32	1.29	1.23	1.33
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.52	1.52	1.58	1.51	1.47	1.50	1.53	1.52	1.54	1.55	1.53	1.57
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.51	1.52	1.49	1.55	1.59	1.50	1.51	1.50	1.45	1.46	1.48	1.54
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.85	1.86	1.83	1.85	1.86	1.80	1.87	1.84	1.73	1.79	1.79	1.82
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.19	2.20	2.17	2.15	2.20	2.20	2.24	2.23	2.25	2.14	2.08	2.11
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.41	1.37	1.33	1.41	1.29	1.32	1.34	1.34	1.26	1.31	1.31	1.26
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**0.96**	**0.96**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**0.97**	**0.93**	**0.92**	**0.91**	**0.91**	**0.91**	**0.92**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.00	0.96	0.96	0.97	0.97	0.98	0.96	0.96	1.01	0.98	0.97	0.97
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.41	1.44	1.42	1.44	1.39	1.39	1.41	1.40	1.29	1.37	1.41	1.42
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.30	2.21	1.96	2.02	1.98	1.88	1.86	1.84	1.77	1.74	1.77	1.77
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.69	0.69	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.72	0.70	0.70	0.71	0.68	0.67	0.70
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.93	0.90	0.88	0.94	1.03	0.94	0.81	0.76	0.70	0.76	0.74	0.74
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.12	1.17	1.15	1.13	1.10	1.09	1.08	1.13	1.09	1.11	1.20	1.16
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.39	0.38	0.37	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.38	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.10	1.09	1.16	1.16	1.15	1.16	1.19	1.14	1.20	1.22	1.20	1.19
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.22	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.24	1.19	1.17	1.12	1.16	1.15	1.17	1.12

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NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995
			January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**175,771**	**177,369**	**175,256**	**178,210**	**178,565**	**180,181**	**180,081**	**181,324**	**182,123**	**182,966**	**184,854**	**186,968**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**93,366**	**94,218**	**92,726**	**93,875**	**94,940**	**94,797**	**94,492**	**95,584**	**96,439**	**96,482**	**97,571**	**99,578**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	14,070	13,834	13,808	14,214	14,578	14,408	14,038	14,299	14,175	13,915	14,268	14,383
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,057	3,017	3,152	3,092	3,113	3,012	3,035	3,036	2,982	3,003	3,074	3,071
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,671	5,638	5,546	5,535	5,567	5,441	5,354	5,484	5,546	5,618	5,483	5,542
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	15,553	15,687	15,806	15,719	16,401	16,569	16,553	16,380	17,173	17,295	17,251	17,752
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,404	7,304	7,344	7,439	7,157	7,043	7,261	7,139	7,279	7,277	7,304	7,225
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	14,981	15,163	14,878	15,254	15,452	15,405	15,457	15,743	16,052	16,010	16,253	16,252
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,649	4,629	4,630	4,630	4,616	4,687	4,736	4,724	4,798	4,710	4,709	5,022
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	15,313	15,722	15,399	15,410	15,717	15,434	15,974	16,335	16,168	16,133	16,660	17,519
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,668	13,224	12,163	12,582	12,339	12,798	12,084	12,444	12,266	12,521	12,569	12,812
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**82,405**	**83,151**	**82,530**	**84,335**	**83,625**	**85,384**	**85,589**	**85,740**	**85,684**	**86,484**	**87,283**	**87,390**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,269	5,396	5,440	5,491	5,527	5,641	5,724	5,605	5,637	5,443	5,497	5,530
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	6,534	6,666	6,815	6,967	6,825	6,947	6,933	7,123	7,110	7,229	7,378	7,429
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,463	5,605	5,430	5,541	5,579	5,675	5,726	5,711	5,630	5,820	5,823	5,849
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	25,282	24,873	25,044	25,539	25,670	25,617	25,571	25,921	26,381	26,590	26,443	26,644
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,965	10,231	10,087	10,488	9,948	10,472	10,613	10,684	10,810	10,872	11,218	10,401
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,093	4,153	4,043	4,228	4,187	4,173	4,181	4,164	4,137	4,294	4,352	4,399
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,535	10,701	10,260	10,718	10,877	10,931	10,660	10,585	10,364	10,088	10,329	10,663
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,417	4,339	4,256	4,276	4,290	4,413	4,305	4,476	4,393	4,447	4,492	4,489
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,847	11,187	11,155	11,087	10,722	11,515	11,876	11,471	11,222	11,701	11,751	11,986
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**224,148**	**226,012**	**228,569**	**231,002**	**231,862**	**233,297**	**235,664**	**236,003**	**237,075**	**238,005**	**238,149**	**238,392**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**143,094**	**144,919**	**146,537**	**147,705**	**148,581**	**149,443**	**150,469**	**150,618**	**151,232**	**152,682**	**153,588**	**154,089**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	22,717	23,174	23,094	23,602	23,944	23,539	23,427	23,319	23,145	22,845	22,966	22,954
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,691	4,764	4,823	4,862	4,904	5,157	5,077	5,055	4,966	4,922	4,955	4,900
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,583	6,763	6,685	6,626	6,584	6,435	6,327	6,370	6,544	6,496	6,627	6,716
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	20,924	21,244	21,668	21,646	21,784	22,096	22,672	22,698	22,669	23,069	23,426	23,621
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,668	11,558	11,681	11,691	11,626	11,503	11,576	11,487	11,358	11,282	11,154	11,038
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	20,369	20,701	20,989	21,232	21,554	22,048	22,236	22,775	23,012	23,302	23,683	23,864
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,369	8,391	8,649	8,459	8,492	8,489	8,430	8,448	8,574	8,765	8,714	8,682
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	32,126	32,567	32,773	33,360	33,440	33,835	34,324	34,529	34,848	35,754	35,701	36,097
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	15,647	15,757	16,175	16,227	16,253	16,341	16,400	15,937	16,116	16,247	16,362	16,217
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**81,054**	**81,093**	**82,032**	**83,297**	**83,281**	**83,854**	**85,195**	**85,385**	**85,843**	**85,323**	**84,561**	**84,303**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,936	5,078	5,122	5,225	5,208	5,281	5,293	5,324	5,315	5,383	5,293	5,324
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,735	10,486	10,941	11,105	11,245	11,248	11,023	11,007	11,041	10,793	10,594	10,398
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,360	12,456	12,398	12,476	12,273	12,181	12,313	12,231	11,985	11,819	11,801	11,608
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,796	17,488	17,653	17,970	17,909	17,940	18,269	18,119	18,497	18,396	18,103	18,147
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,796	8,799	8,981	8,715	8,865	9,268	10,247	10,925	10,789	10,530	10,626	10,612
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,572	4,693	4,697	4,754	4,822	4,900	4,873	4,832	5,014	4,819	4,777	4,919
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,378	4,442	4,514	4,592	4,674	4,626	4,595	4,450	4,406	4,272	4,248	4,297
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,024	5,036	5,008	4,958	5,087	4,984	5,132	5,240	5,236	5,149	5,151	5,119
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,457	12,615	12,718	13,502	13,198	13,426	13,450	13,257	13,560	14,162	13,968	13,879
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.28**	**1.27**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.31**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.28**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.53**	**1.54**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.56**	**1.58**	**1.59**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.55**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.61	1.68	1.67	1.66	1.64	1.63	1.67	1.63	1.63	1.64	1.61	1.60
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.53	1.58	1.53	1.57	1.58	1.71	1.67	1.67	1.67	1.64	1.61	1.60
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.16	1.20	1.21	1.20	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.16	1.18	1.16	1.21	1.21
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.35	1.35	1.37	1.38	1.33	1.33	1.37	1.39	1.32	1.33	1.36	1.33
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.58	1.58	1.59	1.57	1.62	1.63	1.59	1.61	1.56	1.55	1.53	1.53
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.36	1.37	1.41	1.39	1.39	1.43	1.44	1.45	1.43	1.46	1.46	1.47
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.80	1.81	1.87	1.83	1.84	1.81	1.78	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.85	1.73
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.10	2.07	2.13	2.16	2.13	2.19	2.15	2.11	2.16	2.22	2.14	2.06
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.24	1.19	1.33	1.29	1.32	1.28	1.36	1.28	1.31	1.30	1.30	1.27
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**0.98**	**1.00**	**1.00**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**0.97**	**0.96**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.94	0.94	0.92	0.95	0.94	0.99	0.96	0.96
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.64	1.57	1.61	1.59	1.65	1.62	1.59	1.55	1.55	1.49	1.44	1.40
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.26	2.22	2.28	2.25	2.20	2.15	2.15	2.14	2.13	2.03	2.03	1.98
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.71	0.70	0.70	0.69	0.68	0.68
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.88	0.86	0.89	0.83	0.89	0.89	0.97	1.02	1.00	0.97	0.95	1.02
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.12	1.13	1.16	1.12	1.15	1.17	1.17	1.16	1.21	1.12	1.10	1.12
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.42	0.42	0.44	0.43	0.43	0.42	0.43	0.42	0.43	0.42	0.41	0.40
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.14	1.16	1.18	1.16	1.19	1.13	1.19	1.17	1.19	1.16	1.15	1.14
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.15	1.13	1.14	1.22	1.23	1.17	1.13	1.16	1.21	1.21	1.19	1.16

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1994 January	1994 February	1994 March	1994 April	1994 May	1994 June	1994 July	1994 August	1994 September	1994 October	1994 November	1994 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**156,983**	**157,654**	**160,546**	**160,114**	**161,206**	**162,652**	**164,247**	**168,414**	**168,187**	**171,258**	**171,528**	**174,127**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**81,279**	**81,767**	**83,211**	**83,684**	**84,445**	**84,982**	**86,119**	**89,261**	**88,927**	**90,925**	**91,055**	**92,625**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,851	14,220	14,209	14,142	13,870	13,871	14,316	15,148	14,170	14,421	14,684	14,450
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,613	2,663	2,625	2,643	2,619	2,652	2,784	2,852	2,917	2,991	2,941	3,015
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,098	5,071	5,238	5,300	5,439	5,393	5,635	5,525	5,500	5,629	5,724	5,867
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	13,250	13,139	13,252	13,375	13,152	13,190	13,639	13,998	14,076	14,447	14,708	15,212
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,133	6,323	6,476	6,481	6,691	6,884	6,780	7,162	7,176	7,373	7,077	7,293
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	12,048	12,026	12,688	12,701	13,461	13,266	13,070	13,503	13,625	14,164	14,111	14,417
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,092	4,239	4,353	4,350	4,361	4,363	4,337	4,513	4,595	4,581	4,648	4,832
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	13,860	13,839	13,942	13,875	14,141	14,563	14,581	14,972	15,089	15,182	15,171	15,608
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	10,334	10,247	10,428	10,817	10,711	10,800	10,977	11,588	11,779	12,137	11,991	11,931
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**75,704**	**75,887**	**77,335**	**76,430**	**76,761**	**77,670**	**78,128**	**79,153**	**79,260**	**80,333**	**80,473**	**81,502**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4,362	4,352	4,427	4,484	4,534	4,553	4,606	4,710	4,738	4,852	4,800	5,126
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	6,149	5,857	6,047	6,675	6,298	6,301	6,522	6,498	6,496	6,750	6,546	6,492
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,795	5,896	6,071	5,869	5,635	5,786	5,546	5,650	5,612	5,579	5,655	5,569
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	23,311	23,560	23,753	23,563	23,766	23,918	23,950	24,347	24,599	24,653	25,291	25,292
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,258	8,023	8,380	8,317	8,887	8,788	8,720	8,662	8,509	9,145	8,884	9,209
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,340	3,349	3,438	3,442	3,520	3,533	3,597	3,755	3,740	3,812	3,873	3,959
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,438	10,561	10,653	9,562	9,963	10,384	10,674	11,073	10,688	10,537	10,595	10,601
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,218	4,237	4,343	4,357	4,264	4,392	4,381	4,290	4,348	4,357	4,417	4,411
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	9,833	10,052	10,223	10,161	9,894	10,015	10,132	10,168	10,530	10,648	10,412	10,843
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**204,844**	**206,498**	**205,748**	**206,510**	**210,080**	**209,820**	**211,902**	**213,360**	**215,081**	**218,049**	**219,673**	**221,978**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**129,029**	**130,021**	**129,342**	**130,573**	**133,392**	**133,462**	**135,588**	**136,055**	**137,061**	**139,409**	**140,240**	**141,975**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,608	21,381	20,881	21,204	21,308	21,399	21,769	21,433	21,792	22,299	22,345	22,449
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,568	4,552	4,533	4,587	4,554	4,479	4,503	4,555	4,613	4,655	4,604	4,654
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,982	5,978	6,022	6,029	6,149	6,303	6,364	6,399	6,383	6,469	6,567	6,631
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	18,409	18,486	18,536	18,927	19,615	19,291	19,633	19,498	19,711	20,396	20,403	20,772
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	10,038	10,120	10,181	10,193	10,406	10,751	10,630	10,810	10,993	11,146	11,336	11,399
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	17,610	18,013	17,861	18,117	18,546	18,607	19,104	19,230	19,512	19,455	19,351	20,255
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,290	7,431	7,468	7,548	7,749	7,854	8,004	8,153	8,277	8,237	8,260	8,457
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,705	29,257	29,141	29,230	29,830	29,713	30,265	30,810	31,125	31,433	31,998	31,869
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	14,819	14,803	14,719	14,738	15,235	15,065	15,316	15,167	14,655	15,319	15,376	15,489
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**75,815**	**76,477**	**76,406**	**75,937**	**76,688**	**76,358**	**76,314**	**77,305**	**78,020**	**78,640**	**79,433**	**80,003**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,714	4,716	4,662	4,649	4,661	4,612	4,704	4,673	4,659	4,708	4,818	4,859
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,164	10,045	9,902	9,985	10,154	10,055	10,245	10,241	10,199	10,569	10,690	10,688
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,938	10,959	11,050	10,666	10,787	10,661	10,972	11,398	11,475	11,590	11,803	11,935
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,150	17,350	17,647	17,098	17,071	17,442	16,823	17,250	17,489	17,556	17,511	17,698
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,318	8,490	8,460	8,552	8,674	8,296	7,928	7,877	8,160	8,098	8,542	8,824
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,091	4,064	4,028	4,067	4,137	4,095	4,163	4,212	4,296	4,348	4,386	4,463
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3,896	4,042	4,021	4,048	4,111	4,194	4,357	4,377	4,393	4,378	4,479	4,408
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,852	4,930	4,820	4,933	5,016	4,916	4,930	4,930	4,916	4,974	4,957	4,972
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	11,692	11,881	11,816	11,939	12,077	12,087	12,192	12,347	12,433	12,419	12,247	12,156
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.30**	**1.31**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**1.27**	**1.28**	**1.27**	**1.28**	**1.27**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.59**	**1.59**	**1.55**	**1.56**	**1.58**	**1.57**	**1.57**	**1.52**	**1.54**	**1.53**	**1.54**	**1.53**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.56	1.50	1.47	1.50	1.54	1.54	1.52	1.41	1.54	1.55	1.52	1.55
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.75	1.71	1.73	1.74	1.74	1.69	1.62	1.60	1.58	1.56	1.57	1.54
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.17	1.18	1.15	1.14	1.13	1.17	1.13	1.16	1.16	1.15	1.15	1.13
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.39	1.41	1.40	1.42	1.49	1.46	1.44	1.39	1.40	1.41	1.39	1.37
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.64	1.60	1.57	1.57	1.56	1.56	1.57	1.51	1.53	1.51	1.60	1.56
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.46	1.50	1.41	1.43	1.38	1.40	1.46	1.42	1.43	1.37	1.37	1.40
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.78	1.75	1.72	1.74	1.78	1.80	1.85	1.81	1.80	1.80	1.78	1.75
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.07	2.11	2.09	2.11	2.11	2.04	2.08	2.06	2.06	2.07	2.11	2.04
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.43	1.44	1.41	1.36	1.42	1.39	1.40	1.31	1.24	1.26	1.28	1.30
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.00**	**1.01**	**0.99**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**0.98**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.08	1.08	1.05	1.04	1.03	1.01	1.02	0.99	0.98	0.97	1.00	0.95
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.65	1.72	1.64	1.50	1.61	1.60	1.57	1.58	1.57	1.57	1.63	1.65
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.89	1.86	1.82	1.82	1.91	1.84	1.98	2.02	2.04	2.08	2.09	2.14
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.73	0.72	0.73	0.70	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.69	0.70
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.01	1.06	1.01	1.03	0.98	0.94	0.91	0.91	0.96	0.89	0.96	0.96
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.22	1.21	1.17	1.18	1.18	1.16	1.16	1.12	1.15	1.14	1.13	1.13
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.37	0.38	0.38	0.42	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.42	0.42	0.42
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.15	1.16	1.11	1.13	1.18	1.12	1.13	1.15	1.13	1.14	1.12	1.13
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.19	1.18	1.16	1.17	1.22	1.21	1.20	1.21	1.18	1.17	1.18	1.12

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[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1993 January	1993 February	1993 March	1993 April	1993 May	1993 June	1993 July	1993 August	1993 September	1993 October	1993 November	1993 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**153,497**	**152,528**	**149,841**	**153,239**	**156,085**	**152,751**	**154,732**	**154,879**	**155,380**	**155,866**	**156,094**	**152,929**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**77,007**	**76,934**	**74,823**	**77,212**	**78,460**	**77,387**	**79,739**	**79,377**	**79,368**	**80,188**	**79,935**	**79,080**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,633	13,368	12,421	13,436	13,793	12,817	13,796	13,534	13,842	13,749	13,293	12,716
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,704	2,683	2,543	2,707	2,773	2,751	2,736	2,763	2,687	2,687	2,584	2,530
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	4,652	5,179	4,757	4,788	4,715	4,736	4,772	4,826	4,839	4,910	5,255	5,134
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	12,401	13,062	12,344	12,746	12,472	12,844	12,926	13,148	13,127	13,750	13,421	12,922
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,107	5,880	5,934	5,967	6,155	6,147	6,081	5,991	6,036	5,889	5,883	6,045
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	10,156	10,321	10,265	10,736	10,916	10,977	11,454	11,614	11,876	11,977	12,004	12,011
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3,739	3,762	3,692	3,717	3,861	3,814	3,869	3,985	3,874	4,008	3,986	4,057
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	13,174	13,114	13,122	13,391	13,820	13,592	13,798	13,543	13,525	13,483	13,570	13,489
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	10,441	9,565	9,745	9,724	9,955	9,709	10,307	9,973	9,562	9,735	9,939	10,176
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**76,490**	**75,594**	**75,018**	**76,027**	**77,625**	**75,364**	**74,993**	**75,502**	**76,012**	**75,678**	**76,159**	**73,849**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4,037	4,093	4,060	4,098	4,134	4,167	4,128	4,178	4,257	4,339	4,386	4,312
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	5,731	5,745	5,663	5,649	5,667	5,682	5,592	5,692	5,780	5,875	5,946	5,929
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,378	5,151	5,060	5,437	5,504	5,416	5,415	5,647	5,860	5,778	5,982	4,994
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	24,373	23,494	23,491	23,920	23,945	23,956	23,801	23,503	23,523	23,309	23,431	23,159
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,703	8,690	8,535	8,587	9,253	8,370	8,242	8,304	8,253	8,209	8,141	8,655
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,343	3,466	3,370	3,346	3,318	3,300	3,263	3,244	3,347	3,255	3,316	3,315
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,554	10,953	11,093	11,054	11,237	10,477	10,374	10,486	10,723	10,725	10,594	9,376
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,124	4,107	4,168	4,254	4,290	4,163	4,274	4,253	4,312	4,296	4,221	4,233
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,247	9,895	9,578	9,682	10,277	9,833	9,904	10,195	9,957	9,892	10,142	9,876
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**197,552**	**197,207**	**198,831**	**199,622**	**199,395**	**199,698**	**199,737**	**201,788**	**202,858**	**202,074**	**203,158**	**204,842**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**123,313**	**123,399**	**124,773**	**125,033**	**124,670**	**124,752**	**125,102**	**126,359**	**126,840**	**127,086**	**127,481**	**128,851**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,993	21,789	22,222	22,005	21,673	20,992	21,325	21,844	21,527	21,398	21,339	22,203
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,451	4,460	4,521	4,494	4,518	4,526	4,441	4,447	4,450	4,505	4,509	4,522
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,846	5,851	6,008	6,210	5,992	5,959	5,948	5,944	5,934	6,007	5,819	6,018
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	16,638	16,700	17,064	17,079	17,146	17,240	17,354	17,526	17,672	17,662	17,799	17,923
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,422	9,458	9,511	9,689	9,647	9,834	9,920	9,892	9,947	9,956	9,913	10,119
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	16,614	16,620	17,079	16,828	17,024	17,131	17,102	17,320	17,565	17,765	17,661	17,429
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,990	6,942	6,958	6,950	6,831	6,873	6,871	6,891	6,948	7,086	7,231	7,238
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,329	28,405	28,331	28,357	28,307	28,509	28,218	28,201	28,355	28,283	28,481	28,568
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	13,030	13,174	13,079	13,421	13,532	13,688	13,923	14,294	14,442	14,424	14,729	14,831
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**74,239**	**73,808**	**74,058**	**74,589**	**74,725**	**74,946**	**74,635**	**75,429**	**76,018**	**74,988**	**75,677**	**75,991**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,506	4,448	4,492	4,508	4,529	4,532	4,512	4,562	4,545	4,527	4,426	4,672
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	9,701	9,486	9,604	9,481	9,483	9,502	9,624	9,766	9,929	9,786	9,979	10,253
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,377	10,235	10,275	10,150	10,772	10,974	10,744	10,838	11,493	11,147	11,062	11,161
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,685	17,857	17,669	18,145	17,748	17,228	16,983	17,085	16,968	17,083	17,350	17,340
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	7,360	7,374	7,405	7,643	7,707	8,045	8,362	8,376	7,744	7,593	8,168	8,180
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,787	3,795	3,867	3,840	3,956	3,975	4,028	4,072	4,166	4,197	4,112	4,113
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,290	4,195	4,139	4,155	4,129	4,154	4,093	4,218	4,187	4,155	4,073	3,705
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,723	4,717	4,782	4,787	4,676	4,674	4,590	4,525	4,676	4,723	4,693	4,861
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	11,810	11,701	11,825	11,880	11,725	11,862	11,699	11,987	12,310	11,777	11,814	11,706
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**1.33**	**1.30**	**1.28**	**1.31**	**1.29**	**1.30**	**1.31**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.34**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.60**	**1.60**	**1.67**	**1.62**	**1.59**	**1.61**	**1.57**	**1.59**	**1.60**	**1.58**	**1.59**	**1.63**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.61	1.63	1.79	1.64	1.57	1.64	1.55	1.61	1.56	1.56	1.61	1.75
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.65	1.66	1.78	1.66	1.63	1.65	1.62	1.61	1.66	1.68	1.74	1.79
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.26	1.13	1.26	1.30	1.27	1.26	1.25	1.23	1.23	1.22	1.11	1.17
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.34	1.28	1.38	1.34	1.37	1.34	1.34	1.33	1.35	1.28	1.33	1.39
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.54	1.61	1.60	1.62	1.57	1.60	1.63	1.65	1.65	1.69	1.69	1.67
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.64	1.61	1.66	1.57	1.56	1.56	1.49	1.49	1.48	1.48	1.47	1.45
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.87	1.85	1.88	1.87	1.77	1.80	1.78	1.73	1.79	1.77	1.81	1.78
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.15	2.17	2.16	2.12	2.05	2.10	2.05	2.08	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.12
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.25	1.38	1.34	1.38	1.36	1.41	1.35	1.43	1.51	1.48	1.48	1.46
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**0.99**	**0.98**	**0.96**	**0.99**	**1.00**	**1.00**	**1.00**	**0.99**	**0.99**	**1.03**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.12	1.09	1.11	1.10	1.10	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.07	1.04	1.01	1.08
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.69	1.65	1.70	1.68	1.67	1.67	1.72	1.72	1.72	1.67	1.68	1.73
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.93	1.99	2.03	1.87	1.96	2.03	1.98	1.92	1.96	1.93	1.85	2.23
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.73	0.76	0.75	0.76	0.74	0.72	0.71	0.73	0.72	0.73	0.74	0.75
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.85	0.85	0.87	0.89	0.83	0.96	1.01	1.01	0.94	0.92	1.00	0.95
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.13	1.09	1.15	1.15	1.19	1.20	1.23	1.26	1.24	1.29	1.24	1.24
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.41	0.38	0.37	0.38	0.37	0.40	0.39	0.40	0.39	0.39	0.38	0.40
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.13	1.09	1.12	1.07	1.06	1.08	1.10	1.11	1.15
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.15	1.18	1.23	1.23	1.14	1.21	1.18	1.18	1.24	1.19	1.16	1.19

Table 2. Revised (Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1992 January	1992 February	1992 March	1992 April	1992 May	1992 June	1992 July	1992 August	1992 September	1992 October	1992 November	1992 December
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**142,980**	**144,206**	**145,306**	**145,381**	**144,000**	**145,989**	**148,808**	**147,427**	**149,251**	**149,276**	**149,801**	**148,469**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**67,861**	**69,749**	**70,226**	**71,014**	**69,791**	**71,730**	**72,301**	**71,985**	**72,287**	**72,932**	**74,205**	**73,770**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	12,652	12,942	13,032	12,876	12,821	13,162	13,070	13,130	13,300	13,661	13,504	13,202
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,533	2,533	2,555	2,586	2,548	2,618	2,506	2,517	2,576	2,497	2,782	2,681
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	3,980	4,166	4,132	4,203	4,261	4,324	4,236	4,282	4,384	4,333	4,348	4,210
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	10,350	10,541	10,575	11,388	11,002	10,972	11,284	11,089	11,037	11,394	11,675	11,520
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	5,696	5,834	5,854	5,747	5,774	5,829	5,927	6,232	5,879	5,621	6,025	6,020
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	9,472	9,460	9,317	9,309	9,104	9,296	9,502	9,384	9,258	9,364	9,858	9,941
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3,655	3,650	3,621	3,773	3,700	3,726	3,748	3,627	3,664	3,650	3,733	3,731
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	11,120	11,692	12,244	12,285	11,942	12,406	11,871	12,417	12,705	12,970	12,627	12,676
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	8,403	8,931	8,896	8,847	8,639	9,397	10,157	9,307	9,484	9,442	9,653	9,789
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**75,119**	**74,457**	**75,080**	**74,367**	**74,209**	**74,259**	**76,507**	**75,442**	**76,964**	**76,344**	**75,596**	**74,699**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4,015	3,958	4,007	4,003	3,992	3,859	4,167	3,963	3,958	3,987	3,994	4,053
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	5,491	5,473	5,515	5,444	5,518	5,653	5,616	5,562	5,512	5,661	5,585	5,735
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,278	5,215	5,105	4,860	5,084	4,769	5,229	5,443	5,180	5,456	5,330	5,401
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	22,849	23,062	23,047	22,925	22,511	22,342	23,035	22,690	22,942	22,752	22,763	23,010
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,841	8,908	9,130	8,902	8,955	8,743	9,285	9,383	10,279	9,159	9,154	8,880
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,138	3,147	3,197	3,140	3,230	3,312	3,358	3,354	3,348	3,338	3,120	3,346
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,982	10,823	11,128	11,126	11,287	11,995	12,037	11,433	11,695	12,029	11,507	11,130
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,302	4,323	4,199	4,397	4,159	4,091	4,109	4,116	4,093	4,095	4,169	4,169
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,223	9,548	9,752	9,570	9,473	9,495	9,671	9,498	9,957	9,867	9,974	8,975
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**188,403**	**189,335**	**190,547**	**189,951**	**189,115**	**192,831**	**191,989**	**192,602**	**193,344**	**193,625**	**195,300**	**196,914**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**117,798**	**118,137**	**118,464**	**118,365**	**118,129**	**120,285**	**119,470**	**120,572**	**121,252**	**121,242**	**122,368**	**123,435**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,040	21,285	21,565	21,122	21,027	21,078	21,032	21,219	21,860	22,020	22,261	22,559
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,346	4,390	4,355	4,581	4,437	4,409	4,403	4,334	4,327	4,328	4,406	4,496
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,197	5,052	5,092	5,401	5,257	5,298	5,418	5,400	5,427	5,528	5,499	5,593
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	16,674	16,650	16,120	16,149	16,357	16,873	16,357	16,754	16,870	16,272	16,689	16,720
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,188	9,410	9,374	9,384	9,408	9,448	9,283	9,274	9,379	9,457	9,425	9,410
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	15,752	15,651	15,609	15,892	15,705	15,795	15,875	15,838	15,917	16,639	16,418	16,716
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,034	7,055	7,018	7,105	7,172	7,116	7,194	7,189	7,051	7,009	6,891	6,831
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	26,496	26,339	26,769	26,976	26,686	27,386	27,486	27,772	27,641	27,215	27,913	28,224
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,071	12,305	12,562	11,755	12,080	12,882	12,422	12,792	12,780	12,774	12,866	12,886
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**70,605**	**71,198**	**72,083**	**71,586**	**70,986**	**72,546**	**72,519**	**72,030**	**72,092**	**72,383**	**72,932**	**73,479**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,099	4,192	4,288	4,309	4,346	4,439	4,450	4,488	4,605	4,629	4,587	4,520
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	8,317	8,451	8,440	8,469	8,372	8,721	8,716	8,718	8,856	8,990	8,729	9,249
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,700	9,885	10,321	10,217	10,215	10,474	10,433	10,187	10,239	10,292	10,263	10,432
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	16,971	17,109	17,241	17,528	17,669	17,804	17,799	17,729	17,525	17,408	17,746	17,765
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	7,830	7,928	7,944	7,741	7,668	7,405	7,126	7,055	7,237	7,169	7,058	7,117
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,452	3,523	3,628	3,700	3,629	3,734	3,818	3,726	3,566	3,579	3,742	3,661
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,060	4,007	4,020	3,915	3,909	4,047	4,014	3,973	4,060	4,138	4,153	4,127
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,978	4,898	5,060	4,840	4,826	4,920	4,912	4,922	4,771	4,779	4,845	4,710
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	11,198	11,205	11,141	10,867	10,352	11,002	11,251	11,232	11,233	11,399	11,809	11,898
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.32**	**1.31**	**1.31**	**1.31**	**1.31**	**1.32**	**1.29**	**1.31**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.33**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.74**	**1.69**	**1.69**	**1.67**	**1.69**	**1.68**	**1.65**	**1.67**	**1.68**	**1.66**	**1.65**	**1.67**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.66	1.64	1.65	1.64	1.64	1.60	1.61	1.62	1.64	1.61	1.65	1.71
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.72	1.73	1.70	1.77	1.74	1.68	1.76	1.72	1.68	1.73	1.58	1.68
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.31	1.21	1.23	1.29	1.23	1.23	1.28	1.26	1.24	1.28	1.26	1.33
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.61	1.58	1.52	1.42	1.49	1.54	1.45	1.51	1.53	1.43	1.43	1.45
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.61	1.61	1.60	1.63	1.63	1.62	1.57	1.49	1.60	1.68	1.56	1.56
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.66	1.65	1.68	1.71	1.73	1.70	1.67	1.69	1.72	1.78	1.67	1.68
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.92	1.93	1.94	1.88	1.94	1.91	1.92	1.98	1.92	1.92	1.85	1.83
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.38	2.25	2.19	2.20	2.23	2.21	2.32	2.24	2.18	2.10	2.21	2.23
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.44	1.38	1.41	1.33	1.40	1.37	1.22	1.37	1.35	1.35	1.33	1.32
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.94**	**0.96**	**0.96**	**0.96**	**0.96**	**0.98**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.95**	**0.96**	**0.98**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.15	1.07	1.13	1.16	1.16	1.15	1.12
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.51	1.54	1.53	1.56	1.52	1.54	1.55	1.57	1.61	1.59	1.56	1.61
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.84	1.90	2.02	2.10	2.01	2.20	2.00	1.87	1.98	1.89	1.93	1.93
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.74	0.74	0.75	0.76	0.78	0.80	0.77	0.78	0.76	0.77	0.78	0.77
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.89	0.89	0.87	0.87	0.86	0.85	0.77	0.75	0.70	0.78	0.77	0.80
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.10	1.12	1.13	1.18	1.12	1.13	1.14	1.11	1.07	1.07	1.20	1.09
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.37	0.37	0.36	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.33	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.36	0.37
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.16	1.13	1.21	1.10	1.16	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.17	1.17	1.16	1.13
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.10	1.17	1.14	1.14	1.09	1.16	1.16	1.18	1.13	1.16	1.18	1.33

Footnotes:

[1] Except where indicated, sales and inventories estimates are adjusted for seasonal variation. Estimates of sales are also adjusted for trading day differences and moving holidays. Estimates are not adjusted for price changes.

[2] For January 1998 through December 2003, no significant seasonal pattern for NAICS 4241 was detected in the latest annual review of the seasonal adjustment for inventories. Consequently, the "Adjusted" inventories estimates are equal to the "Not Adjusted" estimates for those months.

[3] For January 1996 and subsequent months, no significant seasonal pattern for NAICS 4246 was detected in the latest annual review of the seasonal adjustement for inventories. Consequently, the "Adjusted" inventories estimates are equal to the "Not Adjusted" estimates.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, March 24, 2017.

NA = Not available.

[p] Preliminary estimates.

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2017 January[P]	2017 February	2017 March	2017 April	2017 May	2017 June	2017 July	2017 August	2017 September	2017 October	2017 November	2017 December	2017 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**428,514**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**201,646**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	36,721	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,495	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,276	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	35,003	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,042	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,417	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	43,902	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,126	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	30,157	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,549	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**226,868**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,618	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	53,131	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,539	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	49,628	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	17,659	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,187	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	49,816	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,656	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	18,634	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**597,040**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**355,739**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	66,385	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	11,354	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	15,671	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	43,187	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,822	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	25,731	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,216	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	22,465	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	97,610	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	27,120	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**241,301**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,338	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	58,646	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	26,933	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	36,403	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	31,114	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,567	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	22,407	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	15,079	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	30,814	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.39**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.76**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.81	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.75	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.69	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.23	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.05	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.07	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.22	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.24	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.06**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.09	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.10	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.33	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.73	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.76	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.14	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.45	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.74	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.65	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X

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[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2016 January	2016 February	2016 March	2016 April	2016 May	2016 June	2016 July	2016 August	2016 September	2016 October	2016 November	2016 December	2016 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**382,714**	**392,290**	**453,421**	**426,877**	**442,313**	**464,213**	**420,959**	**462,575**	**453,484**	**455,304**	**452,257**	**466,108**	**5,272,515**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**181,427**	**188,610**	**221,135**	**202,893**	**207,268**	**225,104**	**201,104**	**221,740**	**221,028**	**216,850**	**215,089**	**224,963**	**2,527,211**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	31,579	33,137	38,550	35,829	35,642	35,792	33,120	36,944	35,379	36,016	36,189	39,532	427,709
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,851	5,948	6,775	6,490	6,763	6,954	6,618	7,676	7,224	7,443	7,887	7,436	83,065
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,317	9,152	10,838	10,487	10,954	11,776	10,629	11,870	11,073	10,823	10,044	9,200	125,163
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,178	32,830	41,061	35,806	36,084	42,826	37,538	38,370	42,319	39,261	38,268	44,219	460,760
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,760	15,153	19,990	17,140	17,049	21,765	19,220	17,932	20,671	19,422	17,825	21,974	223,901
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,089	10,981	12,311	11,415	11,654	12,199	11,173	12,585	12,019	11,921	11,786	11,475	140,608
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	39,662	40,548	47,419	41,486	43,887	48,270	42,531	47,496	50,304	50,432	51,467	49,712	553,214
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,802	10,064	11,273	10,683	11,190	13,028	11,581	12,854	11,543	11,246	10,811	10,284	134,359
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,731	29,624	35,164	33,806	33,625	35,560	31,122	34,489	32,851	31,683	29,990	35,019	391,664
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	14,218	16,326	17,744	16,891	17,469	18,699	16,792	19,456	18,316	18,025	18,647	18,086	210,669
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**201,287**	**203,680**	**232,286**	**223,984**	**235,045**	**239,109**	**219,855**	**240,835**	**232,456**	**238,454**	**237,168**	**241,145**	**2,745,304**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,592	7,503	8,469	7,919	8,066	8,154	7,623	8,768	8,178	7,874	7,805	7,783	95,734
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	48,395	49,466	56,413	51,535	53,283	54,925	50,290	56,760	55,444	53,636	56,053	57,002	643,202
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,637	13,480	13,491	11,718	12,613	13,098	13,204	16,035	15,709	15,892	14,245	11,479	162,601
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	49,167	49,805	54,547	51,193	53,702	52,977	50,478	54,506	53,209	52,470	52,160	51,604	625,818
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	16,216	15,413	17,470	15,955	15,768	16,549	15,675	17,086	14,741	20,254	20,454	18,739	204,320
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,903	9,022	10,061	9,523	9,426	10,013	9,151	10,199	9,724	9,600	9,638	9,212	114,472
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	32,974	29,424	36,140	39,423	44,668	45,350	43,351	45,094	44,397	47,842	44,328	51,851	504,842
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,540	10,158	11,879	11,155	11,916	13,291	10,540	12,212	11,786	11,424	12,482	13,832	139,215
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,863	19,409	23,816	25,563	25,603	24,752	19,543	20,175	19,268	19,462	20,003	19,643	255,100
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**584,387**	**577,813**	**581,350**	**583,346**	**577,787**	**577,155**	**577,480**	**571,984**	**579,261**	**587,934**	**594,397**	**594,466**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**352,548**	**352,803**	**351,787**	**354,336**	**354,838**	**353,660**	**356,874**	**355,553**	**354,435**	**354,385**	**357,189**	**352,852**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	66,242	67,075	66,845	66,656	64,951	64,999	65,680	63,460	63,197	65,236	69,180	67,654	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	10,920	10,737	10,594	10,554	10,642	10,774	11,141	11,316	11,470	11,570	11,232	10,999	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,274	14,554	14,920	15,379	15,531	15,806	15,835	15,639	15,429	15,101	14,957	15,076	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	39,955	39,230	38,437	38,979	39,645	39,701	40,790	41,346	41,615	42,225	42,555	41,807	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,271	14,698	14,758	14,676	14,973	15,158	15,357	15,629	16,147	16,022	16,256	16,137	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	26,675	26,406	26,057	25,928	25,619	25,672	26,119	26,140	25,541	24,808	24,746	25,133	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	45,662	45,176	44,097	45,108	46,334	45,740	46,282	47,357	47,248	47,906	47,252	46,158	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	21,917	22,269	22,734	22,989	22,900	23,057	23,010	22,763	22,903	22,457	22,252	22,315	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	100,289	101,174	102,004	102,327	102,527	101,586	101,222	100,847	100,048	98,319	98,595	97,134	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	26,614	26,182	26,099	26,416	26,689	26,325	26,795	26,685	26,984	26,763	26,420	26,576	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**231,839**	**225,010**	**229,563**	**229,010**	**222,949**	**223,495**	**220,606**	**216,431**	**224,826**	**233,549**	**237,208**	**241,614**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,472	8,436	8,229	8,465	8,342	8,327	8,232	8,048	8,146	8,285	8,266	8,257	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	58,600	53,813	57,961	58,512	56,110	59,756	58,733	56,472	60,164	57,837	59,085	62,591	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	29,755	28,398	27,415	27,892	28,515	29,292	30,531	30,279	29,568	27,987	26,051	25,873	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	34,859	34,323	34,622	33,843	33,783	33,524	34,478	35,248	35,807	36,702	36,756	36,283	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	27,400	24,919	24,532	23,746	21,394	20,328	17,673	14,637	17,577	27,341	30,607	29,913	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,597	11,614	11,358	11,437	11,478	11,375	11,512	11,538	11,519	11,430	11,500	11,897	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	16,353	16,916	18,141	18,862	19,663	19,675	18,992	19,036	19,742	20,065	20,320	22,927	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	15,034	15,401	15,625	15,986	16,252	15,820	15,520	15,580	15,718	16,266	16,422	14,157	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	29,769	31,190	31,680	30,267	27,412	25,398	24,935	25,593	26,585	27,636	28,201	29,716	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.53**	**1.47**	**1.28**	**1.37**	**1.31**	**1.24**	**1.37**	**1.24**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.31**	**1.28**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.94**	**1.87**	**1.59**	**1.75**	**1.71**	**1.57**	**1.77**	**1.60**	**1.60**	**1.63**	**1.66**	**1.57**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	2.10	2.02	1.73	1.86	1.82	1.82	1.98	1.72	1.79	1.81	1.91	1.71	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.87	1.81	1.56	1.63	1.57	1.55	1.68	1.47	1.59	1.55	1.42	1.48	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.72	1.59	1.38	1.47	1.42	1.34	1.49	1.32	1.39	1.40	1.49	1.64	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.24	1.19	0.94	1.09	1.10	0.93	1.09	1.08	0.98	1.08	1.11	0.95	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.97	0.97	0.74	0.86	0.88	0.70	0.80	0.87	0.78	0.82	0.91	0.73	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.41	2.40	2.12	2.27	2.20	2.10	2.34	2.08	2.13	2.08	2.10	2.19	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.15	1.11	0.93	1.09	1.06	0.95	1.09	1.00	0.94	0.95	0.92	0.93	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.24	2.21	2.02	2.15	2.05	1.77	1.99	1.77	1.98	2.00	2.06	2.17	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.49	3.42	2.90	3.03	3.05	2.86	3.25	2.92	3.05	3.10	3.29	2.77	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.87	1.60	1.47	1.56	1.53	1.41	1.60	1.37	1.47	1.48	1.42	1.47	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.15**	**1.10**	**0.99**	**1.02**	**0.95**	**0.93**	**1.00**	**0.90**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**1.00**	**1.00**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.12	1.12	0.97	1.07	1.03	1.02	1.08	0.92	1.00	1.05	1.06	1.06	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.21	1.09	1.03	1.14	1.05	1.09	1.17	0.99	1.09	1.08	1.05	1.10	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.56	2.11	2.03	2.38	2.26	2.24	2.31	1.89	1.88	1.76	1.83	2.25	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.71	0.69	0.63	0.66	0.63	0.63	0.68	0.65	0.67	0.70	0.70	0.70	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.69	1.62	1.40	1.49	1.36	1.23	1.13	0.86	1.19	1.35	1.50	1.60	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.30	1.29	1.13	1.20	1.22	1.14	1.26	1.13	1.18	1.19	1.19	1.29	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.50	0.57	0.50	0.48	0.44	0.43	0.44	0.42	0.44	0.42	0.46	0.44	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.76	1.52	1.32	1.43	1.36	1.19	1.47	1.28	1.33	1.42	1.32	1.02	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.67	1.61	1.33	1.18	1.07	1.03	1.28	1.27	1.38	1.42	1.41	1.51	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2015 January	2015 February	2015 March	2015 April	2015 May	2015 June	2015 July	2015 August	2015 September	2015 October	2015 November	2015 December	2015 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**414,455**	**391,787**	**452,232**	**452,556**	**442,350**	**468,618**	**451,610**	**434,412**	**451,068**	**461,100**	**423,729**	**448,519**	**5,292,436**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**197,764**	**182,229**	**217,955**	**213,020**	**203,618**	**222,716**	**212,633**	**207,164**	**219,858**	**220,410**	**203,458**	**219,317**	**2,520,142**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	32,524	31,774	38,057	37,144	36,402	37,324	36,716	35,633	35,905	36,249	34,374	38,081	430,183
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,990	5,622	6,439	6,548	6,199	6,822	6,687	6,886	6,820	7,449	7,099	7,015	79,576
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,217	7,727	9,374	10,161	9,926	11,321	10,922	10,504	10,552	10,770	9,130	9,019	117,623
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	34,085	30,957	39,050	36,493	33,668	41,093	38,685	35,146	40,440	39,701	35,909	44,047	449,274
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	17,575	15,492	19,936	18,777	16,737	21,691	20,591	17,419	21,355	21,290	18,313	22,772	231,948
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,551	13,282	14,581	13,681	13,261	13,962	12,982	12,750	12,837	12,499	11,253	11,091	156,730
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	43,988	38,279	45,500	45,205	43,261	46,974	43,186	44,161	50,098	51,085	49,827	47,326	548,890
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,399	9,088	10,812	11,036	10,864	12,225	11,806	11,439	11,386	11,159	10,097	10,074	129,385
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	31,414	29,058	35,822	35,329	33,185	34,969	34,010	33,083	33,485	33,464	28,807	35,621	398,247
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,596	16,442	18,320	17,423	16,852	18,026	17,639	17,562	18,335	18,034	16,962	17,043	210,234
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**216,691**	**209,558**	**234,277**	**239,536**	**238,732**	**245,902**	**238,977**	**227,248**	**231,210**	**240,690**	**220,271**	**229,202**	**2,772,294**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,677	7,062	8,120	8,070	7,836	8,447	8,146	8,106	8,247	8,482	7,577	8,067	95,837
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	46,238	44,348	51,060	50,496	48,217	51,462	51,659	49,538	52,876	52,733	49,850	55,963	604,440
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,778	12,561	13,770	12,704	12,143	13,149	14,539	15,045	16,028	17,051	14,722	11,987	165,477
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	49,363	47,155	53,143	52,941	53,553	52,652	54,051	53,471	54,015	54,445	51,577	52,747	629,113
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	20,736	18,351	18,113	19,913	17,561	17,955	16,695	14,787	16,685	21,603	17,949	18,724	219,072
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,041	9,390	10,399	10,341	9,770	10,547	10,447	9,793	9,792	9,562	8,822	8,918	117,822
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	44,212	43,348	46,416	47,930	52,381	54,352	51,150	46,637	42,802	44,791	39,409	39,022	552,450
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,398	9,061	10,720	11,105	11,505	12,903	11,866	11,223	12,023	11,986	11,510	14,190	136,490
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	18,248	18,282	22,536	26,036	25,766	24,435	20,424	18,648	18,742	20,037	18,855	19,584	251,593
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**577,861**	**579,201**	**581,610**	**579,692**	**576,342**	**576,994**	**577,278**	**573,570**	**581,042**	**589,163**	**584,946**	**579,486**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**354,944**	**358,366**	**359,021**	**360,503**	**361,742**	**361,510**	**363,466**	**361,765**	**360,903**	**361,070**	**357,907**	**349,553**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	59,029	62,243	61,011	62,203	62,709	63,875	65,025	62,356	64,304	65,740	67,051	64,379	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	10,391	10,116	10,143	10,161	10,348	10,639	11,050	11,158	11,340	11,242	10,823	10,717	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,322	13,691	14,063	14,647	14,835	14,835	14,862	14,794	14,475	14,177	13,996	13,692	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	40,841	40,204	39,992	40,036	39,928	39,869	40,077	40,458	40,301	40,745	40,465	39,140	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,132	15,467	15,784	15,873	16,104	16,050	15,970	16,145	16,156	15,971	15,802	15,283	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	33,483	33,174	33,211	32,609	32,431	31,911	31,384	30,629	29,748	29,110	28,052	27,246	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	46,390	46,572	46,968	47,042	47,466	47,104	47,771	48,972	48,597	48,628	47,495	47,093	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	21,283	21,497	22,099	22,517	22,543	22,263	22,443	22,448	22,354	22,094	21,983	21,897	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	102,524	104,066	105,146	105,034	105,447	104,434	103,924	103,401	101,884	101,564	101,698	99,311	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	27,681	26,803	26,388	26,254	26,035	26,580	26,930	27,549	27,900	27,770	26,344	26,078	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**222,917**	**220,835**	**222,589**	**219,189**	**214,600**	**215,484**	**213,812**	**211,805**	**220,139**	**228,093**	**227,039**	**229,933**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,435	8,226	8,127	8,427	8,253	8,215	8,226	7,982	7,997	8,113	8,025	8,118	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	51,290	50,056	51,790	51,335	53,868	53,111	53,260	52,406	55,086	55,891	56,213	59,501	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	27,271	26,758	26,088	26,767	27,288	29,180	30,554	31,349	31,859	29,930	27,768	28,466	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	33,915	32,721	33,574	33,699	33,500	33,888	34,778	34,930	35,579	36,090	35,752	35,446	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	28,397	27,423	25,937	21,602	17,449	17,692	16,051	14,569	18,283	25,847	25,816	26,698	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,856	11,461	11,346	11,540	11,690	11,852	11,985	12,050	11,732	11,682	11,599	11,779	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	17,741	18,371	18,660	19,641	19,508	20,430	18,817	18,016	17,871	17,797	18,121	17,009	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	14,799	14,853	15,451	15,841	15,935	15,868	15,907	15,753	15,821	16,088	16,238	14,533	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	29,213	30,966	31,616	30,337	27,109	25,248	24,234	24,750	25,911	26,655	27,507	28,383	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.39**	**1.48**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.30**	**1.23**	**1.28**	**1.32**	**1.29**	**1.28**	**1.38**	**1.29**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.79**	**1.97**	**1.65**	**1.69**	**1.78**	**1.62**	**1.71**	**1.75**	**1.64**	**1.64**	**1.76**	**1.59**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.81	1.96	1.60	1.67	1.72	1.71	1.77	1.75	1.79	1.81	1.95	1.69	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.73	1.80	1.58	1.55	1.67	1.56	1.65	1.62	1.66	1.51	1.52	1.53	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.62	1.77	1.50	1.44	1.49	1.31	1.36	1.41	1.37	1.32	1.53	1.52	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.20	1.30	1.02	1.10	1.19	0.97	1.04	1.15	1.00	1.03	1.13	0.89	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.92	1.00	0.79	0.85	0.96	0.74	0.78	0.93	0.76	0.75	0.86	0.67	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.30	2.50	2.28	2.38	2.45	2.29	2.42	2.40	2.32	2.33	2.49	2.46	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	1.22	1.03	1.04	1.10	1.00	1.11	1.11	0.97	0.95	0.95	1.00	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.26	2.37	2.04	2.04	2.08	1.82	1.90	1.96	1.96	1.98	2.18	2.17	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.26	3.58	2.94	2.97	3.18	2.99	3.06	3.13	3.04	3.04	3.53	2.79	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.57	1.63	1.44	1.51	1.54	1.47	1.53	1.57	1.52	1.54	1.55	1.53	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.03**	**1.05**	**0.95**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.88**	**0.89**	**0.93**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**1.03**	**1.00**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.10	1.16	1.00	1.04	1.05	0.97	1.01	0.98	0.97	0.96	1.06	1.01	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.11	1.13	1.01	1.02	1.12	1.03	1.03	1.06	1.04	1.06	1.13	1.06	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.32	2.13	1.89	2.11	2.25	2.22	2.10	2.08	1.99	1.76	1.89	2.37	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.69	0.69	0.63	0.64	0.63	0.64	0.64	0.65	0.66	0.66	0.69	0.67	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.37	1.49	1.43	1.08	0.99	0.99	0.96	0.99	1.10	1.20	1.44	1.43	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.18	1.22	1.09	1.12	1.20	1.12	1.15	1.23	1.20	1.22	1.31	1.32	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.42	0.40	0.41	0.37	0.38	0.37	0.39	0.42	0.40	0.46	0.44	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.76	1.64	1.44	1.43	1.39	1.23	1.34	1.40	1.32	1.34	1.41	1.02	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.60	1.69	1.40	1.17	1.05	1.03	1.19	1.33	1.38	1.33	1.46	1.45	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2014 January	2014 February	2014 March	2014 April	2014 May	2014 June	2014 July	2014 August	2014 September	2014 October	2014 November	2014 December	2014 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**433,126**	**406,377**	**465,454**	**475,627**	**480,405**	**474,266**	**478,901**	**463,516**	**475,821**	**496,816**	**440,165**	**473,706**	**5,564,180**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**193,673**	**180,609**	**210,362**	**213,257**	**211,687**	**220,445**	**217,304**	**215,354**	**226,455**	**234,918**	**204,875**	**227,702**	**2,556,641**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	30,955	30,480	35,033	35,105	34,433	36,069	35,276	35,382	34,620	37,169	33,408	37,044	414,974
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,867	5,391	5,969	6,213	6,310	6,268	6,493	6,692	6,763	7,451	6,600	6,636	76,653
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,691	7,082	8,514	9,563	10,078	10,400	10,569	10,119	10,172	10,651	8,218	8,430	111,487
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,624	29,852	36,472	36,080	34,366	39,026	37,400	34,798	39,613	40,239	35,193	42,232	437,895
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	17,163	14,664	18,931	18,980	17,409	20,705	20,174	17,796	20,524	21,542	18,620	22,339	228,847
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,566	13,511	15,028	15,179	15,604	15,419	16,468	16,178	16,627	17,268	14,269	14,558	184,675
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	40,447	36,214	42,203	42,503	43,226	44,706	43,491	43,970	48,157	51,002	49,031	50,573	535,523
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,266	8,584	9,916	10,482	10,887	11,167	11,216	10,883	11,206	11,751	9,738	9,634	124,730
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	31,640	30,355	35,554	37,192	35,927	36,506	35,249	36,292	36,487	37,443	29,699	38,956	421,300
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	20,617	19,140	21,673	20,940	20,856	20,884	21,142	21,040	22,810	21,944	18,719	19,639	249,404
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**239,453**	**225,768**	**255,092**	**262,370**	**268,718**	**253,821**	**261,597**	**248,162**	**249,366**	**261,898**	**235,290**	**246,004**	**3,007,539**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,733	7,056	7,950	8,093	7,965	8,090	8,490	8,291	8,282	8,651	7,208	8,130	95,939
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	42,457	38,558	43,577	45,191	45,214	44,051	46,030	44,093	47,059	49,152	42,951	51,805	540,138
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,928	12,653	13,075	12,509	12,739	12,780	14,114	14,854	15,412	16,429	14,013	11,894	162,400
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	46,550	44,060	51,404	51,462	53,083	50,306	53,158	51,388	52,341	54,891	49,774	53,062	611,479
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	24,323	19,698	22,850	23,261	24,306	19,673	19,628	16,400	16,888	23,266	21,439	23,145	254,877
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,131	10,015	10,756	11,497	11,558	10,886	11,149	11,126	10,689	11,063	9,162	9,746	128,778
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	68,986	66,728	74,263	74,775	75,548	72,737	77,400	73,125	68,544	65,996	61,612	54,770	834,484
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,559	9,061	10,058	10,979	11,794	11,906	10,966	10,981	10,827	11,815	10,466	13,303	130,715
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,786	17,939	21,159	24,603	26,511	23,392	20,662	17,904	19,324	20,635	18,665	20,149	248,729
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**549,069**	**551,708**	**557,792**	**559,245**	**552,952**	**551,076**	**553,975**	**553,211**	**559,541**	**572,424**	**576,445**	**573,325**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**331,366**	**335,663**	**336,768**	**341,238**	**343,120**	**345,279**	**348,738**	**348,537**	**353,005**	**353,395**	**354,141**	**348,770**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	54,083	55,497	55,240	55,235	55,764	55,557	56,346	54,434	56,450	57,438	58,779	56,515	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,810	9,755	9,607	9,726	9,844	10,044	10,249	10,428	10,665	10,441	10,220	10,269	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,803	13,762	14,241	14,226	14,247	14,118	13,856	13,824	13,666	13,209	12,931	12,882	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	37,856	37,931	37,539	38,758	38,386	38,858	39,101	40,018	40,704	40,711	40,868	40,126	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,616	14,477	14,576	15,778	15,170	15,961	15,551	15,901	16,628	16,066	16,217	16,166	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	29,970	30,110	30,014	30,811	31,446	32,423	32,150	31,989	32,524	32,104	32,360	33,211	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	42,445	42,263	42,183	44,030	44,803	44,867	45,776	46,905	46,822	46,987	46,458	45,163	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	19,360	19,746	20,397	20,786	20,635	20,791	21,130	20,953	20,901	20,930	20,986	21,056	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	96,749	99,006	100,137	99,875	100,252	100,353	101,158	100,832	101,781	102,000	102,937	101,664	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	28,290	27,593	27,410	27,791	27,743	28,268	28,972	29,154	29,492	29,575	28,602	27,884	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**217,703**	**216,045**	**221,024**	**218,007**	**209,832**	**205,797**	**205,237**	**204,674**	**206,536**	**219,029**	**222,304**	**224,555**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	8,161	7,969	7,874	8,079	8,057	8,103	8,191	8,044	8,077	8,251	8,093	8,207	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	44,469	43,945	45,984	45,556	46,755	47,092	49,004	49,362	47,664	49,853	51,773	53,572	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	25,952	25,233	24,809	25,012	25,349	26,606	28,305	28,913	29,068	27,613	26,025	26,089	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	30,715	29,877	30,997	31,199	30,793	30,908	31,384	31,312	32,929	34,349	34,352	34,240	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	29,601	29,498	29,339	26,603	21,039	17,090	14,186	13,972	15,680	25,373	29,211	29,857	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,411	11,323	11,424	11,559	11,550	11,926	11,808	11,494	11,752	11,588	11,630	12,005	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	24,121	23,581	24,145	24,032	24,129	24,427	23,226	22,268	21,058	20,279	18,842	18,357	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	14,466	14,360	14,953	15,519	15,513	15,237	15,387	14,988	15,371	15,754	15,616	14,355	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	28,807	30,259	31,499	30,448	26,647	24,408	23,746	24,321	24,937	25,969	26,762	27,873	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.27**	**1.36**	**1.20**	**1.18**	**1.15**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.19**	**1.18**	**1.15**	**1.31**	**1.21**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.71**	**1.86**	**1.60**	**1.60**	**1.62**	**1.57**	**1.60**	**1.62**	**1.56**	**1.50**	**1.73**	**1.53**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.75	1.82	1.58	1.57	1.62	1.54	1.60	1.54	1.63	1.55	1.76	1.53	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.67	1.81	1.61	1.57	1.56	1.60	1.58	1.56	1.58	1.40	1.55	1.55	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.66	1.94	1.67	1.49	1.41	1.36	1.31	1.37	1.34	1.24	1.57	1.53	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.16	1.27	1.03	1.07	1.12	1.00	1.05	1.15	1.03	1.01	1.16	0.95	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.85	0.99	0.77	0.83	0.87	0.77	0.77	0.89	0.81	0.75	0.87	0.72	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.06	2.23	2.00	2.03	2.02	2.10	1.95	1.98	1.96	1.86	2.27	2.28	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	1.17	1.00	1.04	1.04	1.00	1.05	1.07	0.97	0.92	0.95	0.89	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.09	2.30	2.06	1.98	1.90	1.86	1.88	1.93	1.87	1.78	2.16	2.19	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.06	3.26	2.82	2.69	2.79	2.75	2.87	2.78	2.79	2.72	3.47	2.61	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.37	1.44	1.26	1.33	1.33	1.35	1.37	1.39	1.29	1.35	1.53	1.42	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.91**	**0.96**	**0.87**	**0.83**	**0.78**	**0.81**	**0.78**	**0.82**	**0.83**	**0.84**	**0.94**	**0.91**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.06	1.13	0.99	1.00	1.01	1.00	0.96	0.97	0.98	0.95	1.12	1.01	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.05	1.14	1.06	1.01	1.03	1.07	1.06	1.12	1.01	1.01	1.21	1.03	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.18	1.99	1.90	2.00	1.99	2.08	2.01	1.95	1.89	1.68	1.86	2.19	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.68	0.60	0.61	0.58	0.61	0.59	0.61	0.63	0.63	0.69	0.65	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.22	1.50	1.28	1.14	0.87	0.87	0.72	0.85	0.93	1.09	1.36	1.29	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.03	1.13	1.06	1.01	1.00	1.10	1.06	1.03	1.10	1.05	1.27	1.23	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.35	0.35	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.34	0.30	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.34	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.69	1.58	1.49	1.41	1.32	1.28	1.40	1.36	1.42	1.33	1.49	1.08	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.62	1.69	1.49	1.24	1.01	1.04	1.15	1.36	1.29	1.26	1.43	1.38	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2013 January	2013 February	2013 March	2013 April	2013 May	2013 June	2013 July	2013 August	2013 September	2013 October	2013 November	2013 December	2013 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**429,108**	**401,898**	**446,167**	**451,272**	**469,783**	**440,359**	**449,748**	**455,313**	**441,668**	**483,556**	**443,507**	**458,171**	**5,370,550**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**193,942**	**179,935**	**205,794**	**207,497**	**209,797**	**204,572**	**203,689**	**210,447**	**209,560**	**225,339**	**201,144**	**209,309**	**2,461,025**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	30,780	30,013	34,985	33,849	34,455	33,319	32,678	33,276	33,694	35,839	33,457	35,260	401,605
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,376	4,996	5,556	5,823	6,242	5,903	6,205	6,458	6,219	6,857	6,125	5,796	71,556
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,265	7,082	8,350	9,291	9,874	9,131	9,787	10,002	9,047	9,967	7,979	7,269	105,044
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,768	30,096	36,079	34,843	34,160	36,817	35,935	36,013	37,260	38,411	33,868	39,273	425,523
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,859	15,177	18,787	18,042	17,302	20,490	19,534	18,951	19,486	21,171	17,726	21,044	224,569
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	15,013	13,831	14,754	15,375	15,200	14,126	14,538	14,720	14,168	15,828	13,354	12,857	173,764
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	40,137	36,312	41,486	40,520	42,659	42,452	41,289	43,004	44,836	48,340	45,933	43,715	510,683
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,250	8,361	9,245	9,953	10,659	10,494	10,757	10,614	9,737	10,625	9,107	8,739	117,541
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	31,726	29,597	33,925	36,645	35,447	32,991	32,990	35,221	33,429	36,292	29,784	36,185	404,232
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	21,627	19,647	21,414	21,198	21,101	19,339	19,510	21,139	21,170	23,180	21,537	20,215	251,077
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**235,166**	**221,963**	**240,373**	**243,775**	**259,986**	**235,787**	**246,059**	**244,866**	**232,108**	**258,217**	**242,363**	**248,862**	**2,909,525**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,480	6,935	7,362	7,749	7,995	7,279	7,726	8,092	7,757	8,536	7,324	7,780	92,015
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	41,745	35,505	39,839	40,440	42,368	38,199	41,608	41,296	39,653	43,619	39,634	42,921	486,827
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,118	12,809	12,363	11,614	12,465	12,228	13,902	14,232	13,798	15,462	13,659	11,508	156,158
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	46,829	43,197	48,348	47,517	52,015	47,292	48,952	49,472	47,595	50,905	47,277	47,384	576,783
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	24,761	21,392	21,928	23,126	23,416	19,826	20,721	19,508	19,196	25,633	25,923	25,306	270,736
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,766	9,585	10,112	10,630	10,911	10,231	10,772	11,052	10,230	10,774	9,773	9,550	124,386
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	63,712	64,336	67,777	66,302	70,139	66,980	70,577	70,898	64,984	70,707	68,855	73,269	818,536
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,395	8,888	10,109	10,493	12,217	11,385	11,186	11,462	10,494	11,541	11,139	12,709	130,018
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	19,360	19,316	22,535	25,904	28,460	22,367	20,615	18,854	18,401	21,040	18,779	18,435	254,066
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**530,729**	**528,055**	**529,102**	**526,985**	**516,913**	**514,501**	**517,748**	**517,399**	**524,916**	**540,697**	**543,308**	**541,811**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**317,105**	**318,608**	**318,970**	**322,444**	**319,209**	**319,907**	**324,412**	**324,093**	**326,129**	**328,713**	**327,946**	**326,263**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	50,071	51,161	50,241	51,594	50,639	50,325	50,633	50,123	49,763	53,253	54,211	51,976	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,252	9,152	8,955	9,117	9,295	9,390	9,801	10,000	10,203	10,186	9,984	9,844	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,088	12,782	13,266	13,336	13,071	12,924	12,989	12,690	12,292	11,973	12,006	12,176	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	36,867	36,685	35,954	37,502	36,576	37,269	37,330	37,147	37,862	37,365	37,378	37,036	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,376	14,201	14,150	15,676	14,712	15,307	15,077	14,438	15,377	14,544	14,529	14,632	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	29,577	29,491	29,762	29,392	28,842	28,811	29,202	29,186	28,966	28,757	28,734	29,665	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	42,032	41,746	41,453	42,360	42,665	42,429	43,442	44,431	45,233	44,737	43,445	43,673	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	18,852	19,283	19,847	20,124	20,125	19,882	19,802	19,641	19,636	19,441	19,233	19,265	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	89,241	89,995	91,608	91,214	90,466	91,122	92,600	91,831	92,926	93,552	94,645	94,848	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	29,125	28,313	27,884	27,805	27,530	27,755	28,613	29,044	29,248	29,449	28,310	27,780	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**213,624**	**209,447**	**210,132**	**204,541**	**197,704**	**194,594**	**193,336**	**193,306**	**198,787**	**211,984**	**215,362**	**215,548**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,545	7,414	7,434	7,606	7,602	7,601	7,764	7,653	7,569	7,870	7,839	7,945	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	40,055	37,933	39,862	38,714	40,146	40,660	40,996	41,653	41,872	42,790	43,855	46,118	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	24,110	23,957	23,574	23,356	23,672	24,955	25,776	26,130	26,378	25,009	24,005	24,466	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	31,530	31,062	31,512	30,972	30,889	30,809	30,875	31,176	32,291	32,844	32,491	31,594	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	33,508	30,128	28,255	24,855	19,677	16,951	14,492	13,556	16,055	26,933	30,902	29,315	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	11,006	11,177	11,095	10,904	11,134	11,246	11,348	11,098	11,099	11,023	11,054	11,577	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	25,079	25,124	24,391	24,550	24,233	24,308	25,342	24,784	24,729	25,012	23,696	24,348	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	13,313	13,390	13,928	14,667	14,701	14,459	14,438	14,210	14,630	15,076	15,031	13,647	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	27,478	29,262	30,081	28,917	25,650	23,605	22,305	23,046	24,164	25,427	26,489	26,538	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.24**	**1.31**	**1.19**	**1.17**	**1.10**	**1.17**	**1.15**	**1.14**	**1.19**	**1.12**	**1.23**	**1.18**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.64**	**1.77**	**1.55**	**1.55**	**1.52**	**1.56**	**1.59**	**1.54**	**1.56**	**1.46**	**1.63**	**1.56**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.63	1.70	1.44	1.52	1.47	1.51	1.55	1.51	1.48	1.49	1.62	1.47	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.72	1.83	1.61	1.57	1.49	1.59	1.58	1.55	1.64	1.49	1.63	1.70	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.66	1.80	1.59	1.44	1.32	1.42	1.33	1.27	1.36	1.20	1.50	1.68	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.13	1.22	1.00	1.08	1.07	1.01	1.04	1.03	1.02	0.97	1.10	0.94	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.85	0.94	0.75	0.87	0.85	0.75	0.77	0.76	0.79	0.69	0.82	0.70	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.97	2.13	2.02	1.91	1.90	2.04	2.01	1.98	2.04	1.82	2.15	2.31	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.05	1.15	1.00	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.05	1.03	1.01	0.93	0.95	1.00	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.04	2.31	2.15	2.02	1.89	1.89	1.84	1.85	2.02	1.83	2.11	2.20	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.81	3.04	2.70	2.49	2.55	2.76	2.81	2.61	2.78	2.58	3.18	2.62	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.35	1.44	1.30	1.31	1.30	1.44	1.47	1.37	1.38	1.27	1.31	1.37	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.91**	**0.94**	**0.87**	**0.84**	**0.76**	**0.83**	**0.79**	**0.79**	**0.86**	**0.82**	**0.89**	**0.87**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.01	1.07	1.01	0.98	0.95	1.04	1.00	0.95	0.98	0.92	1.07	1.02	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.96	1.07	1.00	0.96	0.95	1.06	0.99	1.01	1.06	0.98	1.11	1.07	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.99	1.87	1.91	2.01	1.90	2.04	1.85	1.84	1.91	1.62	1.76	2.13	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.67	0.72	0.65	0.65	0.59	0.65	0.63	0.63	0.68	0.65	0.69	0.67	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.35	1.41	1.29	1.07	0.84	0.85	0.70	0.69	0.84	1.05	1.19	1.16	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.02	1.17	1.10	1.03	1.02	1.10	1.05	1.00	1.08	1.02	1.13	1.21	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.39	0.36	0.37	0.35	0.36	0.36	0.35	0.38	0.35	0.34	0.33	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.59	1.51	1.38	1.40	1.20	1.27	1.29	1.24	1.39	1.31	1.35	1.07	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.42	1.51	1.33	1.12	0.90	1.06	1.08	1.22	1.31	1.21	1.41	1.44	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2012 January	2012 February	2012 March	2012 April	2012 May	2012 June	2012 July	2012 August	2012 September	2012 October	2012 November	2012 December	2012 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**401,987**	**402,781**	**452,857**	**437,567**	**456,219**	**433,432**	**421,552**	**449,435**	**420,917**	**461,904**	**442,074**	**427,298**	**5,208,023**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**182,294**	**183,558**	**208,936**	**194,145**	**205,153**	**203,412**	**193,656**	**209,167**	**195,467**	**214,024**	**203,587**	**196,177**	**2,389,576**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	29,888	31,214	34,610	32,248	33,119	32,923	32,457	35,804	31,188	34,676	32,888	32,565	393,580
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,280	5,176	5,730	5,302	5,996	5,596	5,560	6,110	5,650	6,288	5,790	5,045	67,523
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,255	6,571	7,892	8,080	8,773	8,559	8,275	9,009	7,844	8,698	7,640	6,484	94,080
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	30,791	30,407	36,707	32,915	33,614	36,762	33,345	34,232	34,692	36,651	35,163	37,367	412,646
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	16,098	15,766	19,444	17,230	17,214	19,920	17,827	17,389	18,509	19,446	18,616	20,479	217,938
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	15,561	15,066	16,308	15,432	16,434	15,628	14,714	15,507	13,889	15,263	13,970	12,829	180,601
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	35,033	35,219	38,937	36,607	39,593	39,266	38,388	41,442	40,940	45,392	45,057	39,931	475,805
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,403	8,530	9,473	9,336	10,211	10,121	10,082	10,392	8,979	10,024	8,903	8,057	112,511
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	30,046	30,360	36,268	33,721	35,292	33,784	31,895	35,166	31,071	33,679	30,187	32,949	394,418
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	21,037	21,015	23,011	20,504	22,121	20,773	18,940	21,505	21,214	23,353	23,989	20,950	258,412
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**219,693**	**219,223**	**243,921**	**243,422**	**251,066**	**230,020**	**227,896**	**240,268**	**225,450**	**247,880**	**238,487**	**231,121**	**2,818,447**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,050	6,998	7,731	7,057	7,803	7,504	7,355	8,207	7,589	8,220	7,506	7,212	90,232
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	38,303	36,911	40,155	37,744	39,609	36,755	38,009	39,209	35,744	41,104	39,487	39,580	462,610
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,792	11,935	12,046	11,525	12,142	12,377	13,129	14,371	12,868	14,273	13,020	10,445	148,923
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	43,604	44,479	48,291	45,666	48,623	46,615	46,578	48,504	44,095	47,413	46,268	46,140	556,276
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	20,416	18,902	20,110	20,524	20,486	18,032	18,504	19,398	19,567	26,970	27,578	24,043	254,530
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,993	9,573	10,550	10,335	10,891	10,878	10,535	10,738	9,704	10,534	9,661	8,961	122,353
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	64,508	63,386	71,977	75,818	74,223	64,986	63,686	68,912	67,831	67,752	64,300	64,230	811,609
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,486	8,641	9,709	9,423	11,342	11,274	9,845	11,163	9,532	10,754	10,953	11,922	122,044
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,541	18,398	23,352	25,330	25,947	21,599	20,255	19,766	18,520	20,860	19,714	18,588	249,870
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**491,550**	**498,418**	**499,831**	**499,763**	**495,260**	**494,602**	**501,186**	**498,875**	**510,859**	**522,646**	**524,936**	**522,427**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**290,881**	**294,865**	**296,361**	**301,419**	**303,307**	**305,851**	**310,472**	**307,831**	**312,106**	**317,205**	**316,213**	**311,050**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	49,023	49,977	48,641	49,308	49,135	50,183	50,736	48,279	49,896	51,734	53,564	49,992	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,588	8,555	8,512	8,558	8,765	8,839	9,216	9,314	9,429	9,344	9,340	9,154	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,635	11,179	11,774	11,964	11,926	11,745	11,790	11,561	11,414	11,219	10,956	11,024	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	33,877	33,636	33,211	34,346	34,710	34,659	35,984	35,357	35,373	36,690	36,220	35,522	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,273	12,738	12,776	13,201	13,487	13,677	14,762	13,827	13,933	15,003	14,435	13,785	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	27,635	27,997	28,527	29,045	29,070	28,791	28,665	28,843	29,335	29,195	28,907	29,795	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	38,521	38,424	38,283	38,842	39,298	39,627	40,382	40,739	41,492	42,102	41,516	42,174	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	18,222	18,571	18,618	18,673	18,695	19,064	18,900	19,040	18,906	18,787	18,570	18,858	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	76,258	79,104	80,987	82,792	84,079	85,150	86,486	87,105	87,958	88,971	89,069	87,295	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	28,122	27,422	27,808	27,891	27,629	27,793	28,313	27,593	28,303	29,163	28,071	27,236	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**200,669**	**203,553**	**203,470**	**198,344**	**191,953**	**188,751**	**190,714**	**191,044**	**198,753**	**205,441**	**208,723**	**211,377**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,696	7,453	7,304	7,587	7,572	7,709	7,725	7,587	7,504	7,610	7,542	7,700	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	36,125	35,919	38,545	36,696	37,489	37,750	39,312	39,317	39,590	37,554	39,733	41,100	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	23,723	22,881	22,079	22,146	22,796	23,751	24,477	24,615	24,521	23,374	22,399	23,282	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	29,575	29,685	29,515	28,861	30,053	30,064	29,910	29,653	30,325	31,207	31,913	31,363	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	29,773	30,225	29,125	25,798	20,622	19,910	20,490	20,728	25,154	34,529	34,946	32,761	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	10,363	10,503	10,592	10,715	10,803	10,726	10,893	10,845	11,007	11,138	11,060	11,463	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	25,045	27,354	26,197	27,094	24,793	22,411	21,654	22,176	23,699	22,627	23,149	25,310	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	12,186	12,263	12,503	12,892	13,358	13,061	13,540	13,292	13,395	13,704	13,699	12,537	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	26,183	27,270	27,610	26,555	24,467	23,369	22,713	22,831	23,558	23,698	24,282	25,861	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.22**	**1.24**	**1.10**	**1.14**	**1.09**	**1.14**	**1.19**	**1.11**	**1.21**	**1.13**	**1.19**	**1.22**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.60**	**1.61**	**1.42**	**1.55**	**1.48**	**1.50**	**1.60**	**1.47**	**1.60**	**1.48**	**1.55**	**1.59**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.64	1.60	1.41	1.53	1.48	1.52	1.56	1.35	1.60	1.49	1.63	1.54	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.63	1.65	1.49	1.61	1.46	1.58	1.66	1.52	1.67	1.49	1.61	1.81	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.70	1.70	1.49	1.48	1.36	1.37	1.42	1.28	1.46	1.29	1.43	1.70	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.10	1.11	0.90	1.04	1.03	0.94	1.08	1.03	1.02	1.00	1.03	0.95	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.82	0.81	0.66	0.77	0.78	0.69	0.83	0.80	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.67	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.78	1.86	1.75	1.88	1.77	1.84	1.95	1.86	2.11	1.91	2.07	2.32	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.10	1.09	0.98	1.06	0.99	1.01	1.05	0.98	1.01	0.93	0.92	1.06	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.17	2.18	1.97	2.00	1.83	1.88	1.87	1.83	2.11	1.87	2.09	2.34	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.54	2.61	2.23	2.46	2.38	2.52	2.71	2.48	2.83	2.64	2.95	2.65	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.34	1.30	1.21	1.36	1.25	1.34	1.49	1.28	1.33	1.25	1.17	1.30	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.91**	**0.93**	**0.83**	**0.81**	**0.76**	**0.82**	**0.84**	**0.80**	**0.88**	**0.83**	**0.88**	**0.91**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.09	1.07	0.94	1.08	0.97	1.03	1.05	0.92	0.99	0.93	1.00	1.07	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.94	0.97	0.96	0.97	0.95	1.03	1.03	1.00	1.11	0.91	1.01	1.04	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.20	1.92	1.83	1.92	1.88	1.92	1.86	1.71	1.91	1.64	1.72	2.23	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.68	0.67	0.61	0.63	0.62	0.64	0.64	0.61	0.69	0.66	0.69	0.68	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.46	1.60	1.45	1.26	1.01	1.10	1.11	1.07	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.36	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.04	1.10	1.00	1.04	0.99	0.99	1.03	1.01	1.13	1.06	1.14	1.28	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.39	0.43	0.36	0.36	0.33	0.34	0.34	0.32	0.35	0.33	0.36	0.39	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.63	1.42	1.29	1.37	1.18	1.16	1.38	1.19	1.41	1.27	1.25	1.05	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.49	1.48	1.18	1.05	0.94	1.08	1.12	1.16	1.27	1.14	1.23	1.39	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2011 January	2011 February	2011 March	2011 April	2011 May	2011 June	2011 July	2011 August	2011 September	2011 October	2011 November	2011 December	2011 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**362,406**	**351,156**	**431,879**	**405,224**	**413,025**	**424,313**	**393,684**	**434,066**	**419,572**	**419,511**	**412,813**	**417,427**	**4,885,076**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**159,882**	**155,858**	**196,413**	**179,239**	**179,441**	**193,906**	**180,489**	**203,464**	**198,614**	**195,111**	**189,795**	**197,471**	**2,229,683**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	24,237	24,955	30,252	27,220	24,412	26,851	26,842	30,688	28,487	30,995	30,419	32,455	337,813
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,467	4,242	5,220	4,662	5,030	5,211	5,148	5,576	5,435	5,622	5,419	5,117	61,149
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,362	5,542	7,661	7,412	8,103	8,688	7,691	8,853	8,084	7,752	6,940	6,222	88,310
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,266	29,300	37,736	33,376	31,309	37,105	33,680	34,881	37,110	34,910	33,635	37,752	412,060
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	17,191	15,668	20,563	18,077	16,433	20,346	18,457	18,053	19,814	19,088	17,955	20,526	222,171
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,792	12,087	15,347	13,870	14,796	15,102	14,656	16,050	15,128	14,586	14,078	14,009	172,501
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	30,475	29,689	36,782	33,698	35,609	37,430	33,560	38,164	38,458	38,333	39,299	36,439	427,936
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,513	7,129	9,047	8,495	8,886	9,670	8,824	9,616	9,132	8,928	8,524	8,172	103,936
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	24,115	24,148	30,382	28,968	28,797	31,177	28,582	33,462	32,047	30,762	28,909	35,255	356,604
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,655	18,766	23,986	21,538	22,499	22,672	21,506	26,174	24,733	23,223	22,572	22,050	269,374
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**202,524**	**195,298**	**235,466**	**225,985**	**233,584**	**230,407**	**213,195**	**230,602**	**220,958**	**224,400**	**223,018**	**219,956**	**2,655,393**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,859	6,500	7,781	7,181	7,343	7,576	6,889	8,142	7,745	7,644	7,394	7,303	88,357
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	35,179	32,638	38,800	35,068	36,722	36,803	34,815	39,200	38,562	38,738	38,758	38,079	443,362
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,323	11,157	12,561	11,177	11,594	11,794	11,939	14,019	12,791	13,549	12,147	10,266	143,317
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	38,510	38,310	45,515	42,880	44,319	44,291	42,289	45,926	44,385	43,662	43,677	45,482	519,246
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	20,883	18,894	22,220	19,914	20,999	19,872	16,368	17,107	16,046	21,005	21,250	19,564	234,122
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,163	8,559	10,532	9,744	9,924	10,606	9,928	10,411	10,502	9,829	9,699	9,074	117,971
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	59,117	54,806	67,114	69,211	70,071	65,165	62,903	65,364	62,665	61,188	61,132	61,085	759,821
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,901	8,014	9,833	9,281	9,967	11,344	9,106	10,468	10,085	9,612	10,328	11,483	116,422
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,589	16,420	21,110	21,529	22,645	22,956	18,958	19,965	18,177	19,173	18,633	17,620	232,775
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**449,496**	**454,318**	**458,023**	**456,747**	**460,726**	**464,089**	**469,380**	**467,097**	**469,556**	**482,156**	**481,762**	**487,018**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**260,649**	**264,332**	**264,542**	**266,653**	**272,035**	**276,768**	**281,633**	**282,814**	**285,731**	**289,702**	**288,190**	**285,924**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	41,538	43,259	41,703	39,422	40,465	42,898	43,516	43,181	45,145	47,020	47,748	48,367	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,368	8,358	8,159	8,386	8,465	8,555	8,720	8,783	8,725	8,658	8,544	8,527	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,800	11,341	11,813	11,735	11,588	11,440	11,381	11,211	11,072	10,687	10,541	10,303	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	33,368	33,021	32,036	32,728	33,379	33,818	35,361	35,421	34,823	35,785	34,821	33,333	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,754	13,311	12,608	13,004	13,507	13,960	14,920	14,785	14,455	15,002	14,373	13,126	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	22,963	23,553	24,339	25,184	25,610	26,305	26,592	26,779	26,406	26,383	26,665	27,349	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	34,949	35,107	34,765	35,911	36,968	36,845	37,979	38,737	39,210	39,913	39,227	38,166	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,141	17,514	17,675	17,875	18,113	18,278	18,338	18,329	18,229	18,248	18,198	18,166	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	66,617	67,440	69,648	69,819	70,683	72,202	73,131	72,735	74,608	75,200	76,014	75,294	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	24,905	24,739	24,404	25,593	26,764	26,427	26,615	27,638	27,513	27,808	26,432	26,419	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**188,847**	**189,986**	**193,481**	**190,094**	**188,691**	**187,321**	**187,747**	**184,283**	**183,825**	**192,454**	**193,572**	**201,094**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,358	7,224	7,266	7,392	7,466	7,479	7,565	7,282	7,217	7,468	7,472	7,595	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	33,744	33,147	35,673	34,859	33,734	35,158	35,253	34,348	36,573	35,578	35,944	39,979	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	21,943	21,368	20,879	20,760	21,777	23,655	25,332	25,652	25,180	23,546	22,707	22,734	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	27,111	26,757	27,639	27,580	28,335	28,327	28,522	29,145	29,861	30,638	30,324	30,036	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	32,115	31,451	29,521	26,410	23,925	19,994	19,265	19,309	18,174	26,586	28,064	28,633	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,490	9,540	9,755	9,932	10,265	10,498	10,615	10,704	10,574	10,527	10,428	10,637	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	22,345	24,108	24,782	25,534	26,161	25,899	25,963	23,241	21,396	22,250	22,707	25,249	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,012	11,341	11,770	11,988	12,152	12,087	11,961	11,859	11,777	12,646	12,651	11,501	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	23,729	25,050	26,196	25,639	24,876	24,224	23,271	22,743	23,073	23,215	23,275	24,730	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.24**	**1.29**	**1.06**	**1.13**	**1.12**	**1.09**	**1.19**	**1.08**	**1.12**	**1.15**	**1.17**	**1.17**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.63**	**1.70**	**1.35**	**1.49**	**1.52**	**1.43**	**1.56**	**1.39**	**1.44**	**1.48**	**1.52**	**1.45**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.71	1.73	1.38	1.45	1.66	1.60	1.62	1.41	1.58	1.52	1.57	1.49	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.87	1.97	1.56	1.80	1.68	1.64	1.69	1.58	1.61	1.54	1.58	1.67	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	2.01	2.05	1.54	1.58	1.43	1.32	1.48	1.27	1.37	1.38	1.52	1.66	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.07	1.13	0.85	0.98	1.07	0.91	1.05	1.02	0.94	1.03	1.04	0.88	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.80	0.85	0.61	0.72	0.82	0.69	0.81	0.82	0.73	0.79	0.80	0.64	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.80	1.95	1.59	1.82	1.73	1.74	1.81	1.67	1.75	1.81	1.89	1.95	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.15	1.18	0.95	1.07	1.04	0.98	1.13	1.02	1.02	1.04	1.00	1.05	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.28	2.46	1.95	2.10	2.04	1.89	2.08	1.91	2.00	2.04	2.13	2.22	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.76	2.79	2.29	2.41	2.45	2.32	2.56	2.17	2.33	2.44	2.63	2.14	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.27	1.32	1.02	1.19	1.19	1.17	1.24	1.06	1.11	1.20	1.17	1.20	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.93**	**0.97**	**0.82**	**0.84**	**0.81**	**0.81**	**0.88**	**0.80**	**0.83**	**0.86**	**0.87**	**0.91**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.07	1.11	0.93	1.03	1.02	0.99	1.10	0.89	0.93	0.98	1.01	1.04	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.96	1.02	0.92	0.99	0.92	0.96	1.01	0.88	0.95	0.92	0.93	1.05	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.13	1.92	1.66	1.86	1.88	2.01	2.12	1.83	1.97	1.74	1.87	2.21	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.70	0.70	0.61	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.67	0.63	0.67	0.70	0.69	0.66	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.54	1.66	1.33	1.33	1.14	1.01	1.18	1.13	1.13	1.27	1.32	1.46	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.04	1.11	0.93	1.02	1.03	0.99	1.07	1.03	1.01	1.07	1.08	1.17	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.44	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.40	0.41	0.36	0.34	0.36	0.37	0.41	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.60	1.42	1.20	1.29	1.22	1.07	1.31	1.13	1.17	1.32	1.22	1.00	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.52	1.53	1.24	1.19	1.10	1.06	1.23	1.14	1.27	1.21	1.25	1.40	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2010 January	2010 February	2010 March	2010 April	2010 May	2010 June	2010 July	2010 August	2010 September	2010 October	2010 November	2010 December	2010 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**313,005**	**311,426**	**377,639**	**365,877**	**354,644**	**375,061**	**358,586**	**371,804**	**370,914**	**376,257**	**376,996**	**385,150**	**4,337,359**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**137,931**	**138,870**	**172,903**	**167,287**	**160,489**	**177,394**	**166,938**	**174,229**	**176,331**	**175,204**	**172,755**	**178,916**	**1,999,247**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,370	22,814	27,269	25,525	24,008	26,383	25,110	26,846	24,985	26,344	25,293	27,051	302,998
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,228	4,199	4,968	4,635	4,735	5,103	4,619	5,057	5,071	5,024	4,929	4,838	57,406
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,323	5,369	7,615	8,692	7,902	8,516	7,939	7,933	7,515	7,334	6,778	5,538	86,454
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,091	26,933	34,743	31,880	30,280	36,047	33,048	32,585	36,784	34,540	33,800	39,102	397,833
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,104	14,143	18,962	17,025	16,524	20,835	18,345	17,443	20,918	19,534	18,871	22,371	220,075
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,617	9,274	11,342	11,561	11,877	12,775	12,068	12,497	12,383	12,019	11,546	11,405	138,364
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	26,613	27,694	32,621	31,548	31,137	34,419	33,302	35,167	34,939	34,819	35,877	32,888	391,024
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,855	6,621	7,967	8,282	8,053	8,985	8,645	8,818	8,270	8,075	7,934	7,697	96,202
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	19,789	20,633	26,655	24,942	23,758	26,782	25,364	27,882	27,210	26,631	25,705	29,920	305,271
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,045	15,333	19,723	20,222	18,739	18,384	16,843	17,444	19,174	20,418	20,893	20,477	223,695
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**175,074**	**172,556**	**204,736**	**198,590**	**194,155**	**197,667**	**191,648**	**197,575**	**194,583**	**201,053**	**204,241**	**206,234**	**2,338,112**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,583	6,413	7,524	7,051	6,810	7,308	7,002	7,565	7,688	7,494	7,282	7,277	85,997
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,913	30,722	37,166	33,845	32,694	34,991	33,995	35,607	37,258	34,988	36,142	36,597	415,918
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,367	10,687	11,627	10,929	10,421	11,376	11,957	13,004	12,555	12,980	12,194	9,862	136,959
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	37,879	36,955	43,723	41,941	42,702	42,121	41,405	42,308	41,513	40,161	39,968	40,669	491,345
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	15,594	14,954	16,565	14,469	12,359	12,644	11,536	12,920	14,398	20,260	21,719	20,878	188,296
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,093	7,617	8,834	8,558	8,606	9,145	8,701	9,174	8,538	8,559	8,437	8,476	102,738
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	44,769	42,697	50,681	50,530	50,615	49,049	49,681	49,842	46,217	49,860	52,038	54,990	590,969
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,558	7,481	9,475	9,424	9,351	10,552	9,077	9,273	9,420	9,413	9,866	11,455	111,345
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,318	15,030	19,141	21,843	20,597	20,481	18,294	17,882	16,996	17,338	16,595	16,030	214,545
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**399,839**	**401,356**	**402,067**	**400,673**	**399,364**	**402,254**	**408,716**	**410,020**	**420,509**	**434,660**	**436,439**	**442,631**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**235,500**	**238,552**	**240,207**	**241,254**	**242,886**	**245,064**	**248,836**	**249,893**	**253,970**	**257,977**	**258,478**	**256,702**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	37,976	39,331	38,743	37,714	36,872	37,493	38,102	36,036	38,136	39,420	41,885	41,360	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,317	7,213	7,115	7,256	7,472	7,669	8,042	8,301	8,315	8,363	8,218	8,236	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,212	10,893	11,232	11,338	11,448	11,467	11,356	11,127	10,655	10,224	10,045	10,157	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	29,729	29,377	29,330	30,327	30,768	31,003	31,572	32,028	32,011	32,980	32,850	32,093	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,554	11,348	11,660	12,405	12,732	12,964	13,375	13,445	13,458	14,128	13,619	13,138	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	20,031	20,133	21,072	21,071	21,385	21,617	21,963	21,907	22,380	22,157	22,324	22,951	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	30,945	30,823	31,154	31,299	31,898	32,755	33,972	34,769	35,366	35,908	34,732	34,507	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	15,533	15,699	15,793	15,676	15,732	15,804	16,028	16,435	16,615	16,586	16,562	16,732	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	61,277	61,979	62,042	62,231	63,650	63,797	64,792	65,248	65,434	66,729	66,935	66,250	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	22,480	23,104	23,726	24,342	23,661	23,459	23,009	24,042	25,058	25,610	24,927	24,416	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**164,339**	**162,804**	**161,860**	**159,419**	**156,478**	**157,190**	**159,880**	**160,127**	**166,539**	**176,683**	**177,961**	**185,929**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,788	6,693	6,588	6,704	6,860	6,950	6,961	6,937	6,942	7,108	7,097	7,308	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	32,529	31,882	32,988	33,130	33,232	33,928	34,385	33,728	35,137	34,536	34,107	37,737	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	18,051	17,641	16,839	16,821	17,191	18,555	20,071	20,961	21,872	21,132	20,573	20,368	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	24,266	24,516	24,439	24,480	25,029	25,555	25,609	25,997	25,831	26,590	26,419	26,816	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	20,900	20,028	17,089	14,562	12,769	11,328	12,076	12,680	15,650	25,504	26,911	29,153	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,449	8,669	8,611	8,702	8,754	8,992	9,224	9,198	9,262	9,053	9,129	9,342	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	20,439	20,032	20,961	21,591	20,020	20,333	20,389	19,396	19,860	20,404	20,314	22,498	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	10,979	10,964	11,085	10,914	11,104	11,121	11,329	11,202	11,082	11,443	11,747	10,785	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,938	22,379	23,260	22,515	21,519	20,428	19,836	20,028	20,903	20,913	21,664	21,922	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.28**	**1.29**	**1.06**	**1.10**	**1.13**	**1.07**	**1.14**	**1.10**	**1.13**	**1.16**	**1.16**	**1.15**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.71**	**1.72**	**1.39**	**1.44**	**1.51**	**1.38**	**1.49**	**1.43**	**1.44**	**1.47**	**1.50**	**1.43**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.78	1.72	1.42	1.48	1.54	1.42	1.52	1.34	1.53	1.50	1.66	1.53	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.73	1.72	1.43	1.57	1.58	1.50	1.74	1.64	1.64	1.66	1.67	1.70	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.92	2.03	1.47	1.30	1.45	1.35	1.43	1.40	1.42	1.39	1.48	1.83	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.06	1.09	0.84	0.95	1.02	0.86	0.96	0.98	0.87	0.95	0.97	0.82	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.76	0.80	0.61	0.73	0.77	0.62	0.73	0.77	0.64	0.72	0.72	0.59	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.08	2.17	1.86	1.82	1.80	1.69	1.82	1.75	1.81	1.84	1.93	2.01	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.16	1.11	0.96	0.99	1.02	0.95	1.02	0.99	1.01	1.03	0.97	1.05	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.27	2.37	1.98	1.89	1.95	1.76	1.85	1.86	2.01	2.05	2.09	2.17	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.10	3.00	2.33	2.50	2.68	2.38	2.55	2.34	2.40	2.51	2.60	2.21	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.40	1.51	1.20	1.20	1.26	1.28	1.37	1.38	1.31	1.25	1.19	1.19	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.94**	**0.94**	**0.79**	**0.80**	**0.81**	**0.80**	**0.83**	**0.81**	**0.86**	**0.88**	**0.87**	**0.90**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.03	1.04	0.88	0.95	1.01	0.95	0.99	0.92	0.90	0.95	0.97	1.00	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.02	1.04	0.89	0.98	1.02	0.97	1.01	0.95	0.94	0.99	0.94	1.03	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.93	1.65	1.45	1.54	1.65	1.63	1.68	1.61	1.74	1.63	1.69	2.07	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.64	0.66	0.56	0.58	0.59	0.61	0.62	0.61	0.62	0.66	0.66	0.66	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.34	1.34	1.03	1.01	1.03	0.90	1.05	0.98	1.09	1.26	1.24	1.40	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.04	1.14	0.97	1.02	1.02	0.98	1.06	1.00	1.08	1.06	1.08	1.10	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.46	0.47	0.41	0.43	0.40	0.41	0.41	0.39	0.43	0.41	0.39	0.41	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.67	1.47	1.17	1.16	1.19	1.05	1.25	1.21	1.18	1.22	1.19	0.94	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.53	1.49	1.22	1.03	1.04	1.00	1.08	1.12	1.23	1.21	1.31	1.37	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2009 January	2009 February	2009 March	2009 April	2009 May	2009 June	2009 July	2009 August	2009 September	2009 October	2009 November	2009 December	2009 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**293,072**	**283,239**	**316,841**	**312,100**	**307,194**	**331,018**	**324,204**	**320,165**	**331,566**	**340,511**	**325,116**	**344,352**	**3,829,378**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**132,295**	**130,198**	**148,034**	**140,546**	**135,068**	**151,494**	**146,586**	**145,499**	**153,793**	**157,275**	**146,382**	**158,387**	**1,745,557**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	17,380	18,106	21,631	19,341	19,105	22,216	21,600	22,667	22,108	24,262	23,364	25,083	256,863
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,398	4,244	4,651	4,544	4,345	4,544	4,610	4,550	4,863	4,876	4,363	4,471	54,459
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,349	6,313	7,213	7,738	7,535	8,340	8,216	7,816	7,637	7,345	6,334	5,447	86,283
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	25,894	24,641	30,586	27,780	26,193	31,611	29,265	27,833	32,075	31,882	29,531	36,166	353,457
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,635	12,001	15,790	13,220	12,676	16,723	14,817	13,823	17,093	16,682	15,858	20,767	182,085
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,205	10,113	10,197	9,700	8,693	9,341	9,275	9,020	9,212	9,434	8,357	8,489	113,036
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	25,781	25,620	26,720	27,301	26,779	27,816	28,113	28,706	29,590	31,533	31,431	29,635	339,025
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,255	7,018	7,740	7,592	7,378	8,225	8,136	7,645	7,821	7,974	6,846	6,850	90,480
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	21,749	21,415	26,251	24,473	22,442	24,281	22,760	22,705	23,990	22,018	19,778	24,616	276,478
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,284	12,728	13,045	12,077	12,598	15,120	14,611	14,557	16,497	17,951	16,378	17,630	175,476
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**160,777**	**153,041**	**168,807**	**171,554**	**172,126**	**179,524**	**177,618**	**174,666**	**177,773**	**183,236**	**178,734**	**185,965**	**2,083,821**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,615	6,257	7,027	6,851	6,647	7,162	6,859	7,120	7,351	7,470	6,688	6,956	83,003
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,637	29,920	32,992	32,195	31,111	31,836	32,798	31,173	35,211	35,674	32,922	34,668	392,137
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,374	10,493	11,104	10,052	9,408	10,075	11,131	11,427	11,506	12,124	10,208	9,445	126,347
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	39,716	37,361	41,954	40,675	40,754	40,394	39,402	38,732	38,757	39,427	37,768	39,663	474,603
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	13,735	12,972	13,374	14,483	13,414	13,619	12,869	11,461	12,005	15,063	17,721	17,401	168,117
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,695	6,816	7,133	7,197	7,238	7,732	7,756	7,571	7,801	7,581	7,028	7,629	89,177
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	29,686	26,639	28,286	30,865	34,146	38,275	39,255	41,390	39,988	40,817	42,501	43,969	435,817
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,266	7,578	8,688	9,162	9,369	10,167	9,507	8,923	9,272	9,075	8,949	10,843	108,799
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,053	15,005	18,249	20,074	20,039	20,264	18,041	16,869	15,882	16,005	14,949	15,391	205,821
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**443,028**	**434,844**	**424,515**	**416,454**	**407,833**	**403,307**	**398,963**	**391,171**	**390,617**	**394,898**	**400,436**	**398,006**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**279,086**	**273,143**	**264,175**	**258,846**	**253,491**	**250,171**	**247,560**	**242,045**	**241,198**	**241,842**	**239,914**	**233,583**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	46,945	44,586	41,556	39,386	37,962	37,427	36,962	34,447	36,124	38,177	39,411	37,511	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,607	8,298	8,040	7,821	7,760	7,737	7,741	7,694	7,607	7,467	7,235	7,329	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,518	12,710	12,469	11,820	11,382	11,046	10,948	10,709	10,428	10,059	9,932	9,755	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,753	31,167	29,649	29,737	29,265	28,843	28,895	28,629	29,044	29,508	29,563	29,413	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,615	11,033	10,648	10,711	10,527	10,489	10,553	10,318	10,800	11,351	11,278	11,580	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	28,284	27,320	25,042	23,629	22,632	21,476	20,765	20,162	19,619	19,132	19,346	19,420	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	35,581	34,420	33,122	32,719	32,106	31,537	31,489	31,317	31,700	31,631	30,881	30,772	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,589	17,439	17,486	17,420	17,112	16,991	16,848	16,567	16,220	15,958	15,706	15,648	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	72,539	72,394	72,646	71,843	71,037	70,400	68,681	67,078	65,623	65,171	63,559	61,450	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	25,270	24,809	24,165	24,471	24,235	24,714	25,231	25,442	24,833	24,739	24,281	22,285	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**163,942**	**161,701**	**160,340**	**157,608**	**154,342**	**153,136**	**151,403**	**149,126**	**149,419**	**153,056**	**160,522**	**164,423**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,500	7,189	6,898	7,032	6,883	6,724	6,898	6,789	6,674	6,695	6,765	6,806	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,467	31,941	31,951	32,165	31,681	31,260	31,532	31,127	31,967	32,488	32,375	34,977	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	21,419	20,761	19,508	19,145	18,975	19,666	20,005	19,914	19,568	18,227	17,413	16,953	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	25,958	25,211	24,584	24,746	24,450	24,258	23,737	23,576	24,030	24,434	24,929	24,896	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	19,275	17,692	17,445	16,158	15,223	12,865	11,653	11,015	10,451	14,326	20,335	20,856	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,479	9,368	8,926	8,625	8,416	8,458	8,449	8,317	8,375	8,194	8,252	8,280	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	14,008	14,039	15,013	14,839	15,336	17,087	16,688	16,674	16,617	16,731	18,363	20,752	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	11,376	11,457	11,990	12,013	11,724	12,018	11,720	11,556	11,346	11,705	11,927	10,436	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	23,460	24,043	24,025	22,885	21,654	20,800	20,721	20,158	20,391	20,256	20,163	20,467	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.51**	**1.54**	**1.34**	**1.33**	**1.33**	**1.22**	**1.23**	**1.22**	**1.18**	**1.16**	**1.23**	**1.16**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**2.11**	**2.10**	**1.78**	**1.84**	**1.88**	**1.65**	**1.69**	**1.66**	**1.57**	**1.54**	**1.64**	**1.47**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	2.70	2.46	1.92	2.04	1.99	1.68	1.71	1.52	1.63	1.57	1.69	1.50	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.96	1.96	1.73	1.72	1.79	1.70	1.68	1.69	1.56	1.53	1.66	1.64	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.97	2.01	1.73	1.53	1.51	1.32	1.33	1.37	1.37	1.37	1.57	1.79	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.23	1.26	0.97	1.07	1.12	0.91	0.99	1.03	0.91	0.93	1.00	0.81	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.92	0.92	0.67	0.81	0.83	0.63	0.71	0.75	0.63	0.68	0.71	0.56	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	2.52	2.70	2.46	2.44	2.60	2.30	2.24	2.24	2.13	2.03	2.31	2.29	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.38	1.34	1.24	1.20	1.20	1.13	1.12	1.09	1.07	1.00	0.98	1.04	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.42	2.48	2.26	2.29	2.32	2.07	2.07	2.17	2.07	2.00	2.29	2.28	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.34	3.38	2.77	2.94	3.17	2.90	3.02	2.95	2.74	2.96	3.21	2.50	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	2.06	1.95	1.85	2.03	1.92	1.63	1.73	1.75	1.51	1.38	1.48	1.26	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.02**	**1.06**	**0.95**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.85**	**0.84**	**0.84**	**0.90**	**0.88**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.13	1.15	0.98	1.03	1.04	0.94	1.01	0.95	0.91	0.90	1.01	0.98	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.99	1.07	0.97	1.00	1.02	0.98	0.96	1.00	0.91	0.91	0.98	1.01	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.28	1.98	1.76	1.90	2.02	1.95	1.80	1.74	1.70	1.50	1.71	1.79	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.65	0.67	0.59	0.61	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.61	0.62	0.62	0.66	0.63	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.40	1.36	1.30	1.12	1.13	0.94	0.91	0.96	0.87	0.95	1.15	1.20	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.23	1.37	1.25	1.20	1.16	1.09	1.09	1.10	1.07	1.08	1.17	1.09	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.47	0.53	0.53	0.48	0.45	0.45	0.43	0.40	0.42	0.41	0.43	0.47	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.57	1.51	1.38	1.31	1.25	1.18	1.23	1.30	1.22	1.29	1.33	0.96	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.56	1.60	1.32	1.14	1.08	1.03	1.15	1.19	1.28	1.27	1.35	1.33	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2008 January	2008 February	2008 March	2008 April	2008 May	2008 June	2008 July	2008 August	2008 September	2008 October	2008 November	2008 December	2008 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**362,187**	**350,168**	**381,145**	**393,544**	**400,663**	**412,019**	**409,815**	**392,732**	**392,835**	**389,349**	**313,161**	**326,739**	**4,524,357**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**169,410**	**163,318**	**182,414**	**187,674**	**185,521**	**193,063**	**188,838**	**181,157**	**186,435**	**184,305**	**147,758**	**156,822**	**2,126,715**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	26,427	26,087	29,999	29,137	27,941	26,691	26,197	25,084	25,017	25,972	21,256	21,340	311,148
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,582	5,209	5,415	5,785	5,547	5,557	5,776	5,636	6,007	5,807	4,915	4,747	65,983
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,704	8,431	9,160	10,570	10,711	11,106	11,222	10,159	10,060	10,254	7,398	6,427	114,202
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	30,115	28,888	33,494	30,608	30,320	34,535	31,856	30,548	35,631	33,503	28,029	34,135	381,662
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	15,303	14,598	17,614	15,253	15,301	18,763	16,083	15,477	19,442	17,082	14,423	18,847	198,186
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	14,361	13,523	14,215	15,504	16,271	16,276	16,991	16,780	16,227	16,776	12,550	11,777	181,251
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	28,986	27,276	29,900	30,816	31,391	32,364	32,982	31,790	33,093	33,238	27,851	28,614	368,301
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,806	8,280	8,960	9,652	9,509	10,052	10,197	9,189	9,361	9,695	7,474	7,687	108,862
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	27,009	27,000	29,814	31,242	30,461	32,333	29,667	29,973	30,746	31,388	24,414	28,303	352,350
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,420	18,624	21,457	24,360	23,370	24,149	23,950	21,998	20,293	17,672	13,871	13,792	242,956
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**192,777**	**186,850**	**198,731**	**205,870**	**215,142**	**218,956**	**220,977**	**211,575**	**206,400**	**205,044**	**165,403**	**169,917**	**2,397,642**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,547	7,175	7,361	7,839	7,641	7,593	7,893	8,085	7,883	8,362	6,755	7,190	91,324
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,224	30,159	30,631	31,145	30,654	30,648	32,011	30,620	32,777	34,841	28,681	32,931	376,322
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,208	11,452	11,286	11,107	11,308	10,967	13,066	12,944	12,846	12,928	10,181	8,770	138,063
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	40,419	38,445	41,206	41,171	42,643	40,481	40,763	40,196	40,375	41,414	38,848	41,293	487,254
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	18,751	15,940	18,451	17,203	17,252	16,046	17,365	15,339	15,333	17,319	14,456	14,157	197,612
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,453	9,069	9,220	9,627	10,044	10,420	10,857	10,684	10,022	10,189	8,245	7,820	115,650
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	51,366	51,550	53,929	58,425	63,726	71,770	69,088	65,296	59,352	52,151	33,976	31,096	661,725
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,093	7,483	8,365	8,895	9,794	9,977	9,553	9,375	9,225	9,948	8,758	10,839	109,305
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,716	15,577	18,282	20,458	22,080	21,054	20,381	19,036	18,587	17,892	15,503	15,821	220,387
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**434,199**	**438,981**	**436,759**	**441,256**	**439,748**	**447,507**	**455,233**	**455,757**	**458,903**	**455,805**	**452,521**	**445,447**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**268,987**	**272,699**	**272,285**	**277,145**	**278,727**	**280,970**	**286,358**	**288,131**	**291,601**	**290,616**	**288,266**	**280,262**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	44,480	46,260	44,542	45,693	44,514	45,224	45,740	43,965	45,868	46,704	48,348	47,945	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	9,194	9,235	9,033	9,127	9,050	9,150	9,461	9,444	9,177	9,132	8,937	8,826	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,688	13,984	13,780	13,734	13,976	14,182	14,334	14,279	13,950	13,263	12,639	12,404	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	32,630	32,602	32,317	32,840	33,479	33,262	33,651	34,141	34,280	34,873	34,048	32,111	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,578	12,045	12,391	12,537	13,011	12,653	13,005	13,219	13,388	14,045	13,455	12,145	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	24,554	25,057	25,553	26,727	27,878	29,363	30,147	31,327	31,451	30,838	30,430	28,914	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	34,841	34,616	34,911	35,645	36,150	36,531	37,202	37,924	38,807	39,192	38,037	36,378	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	18,062	18,277	18,298	18,239	18,386	18,298	18,709	18,879	18,850	18,457	18,179	17,781	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	66,271	67,520	68,548	69,027	68,562	68,316	69,912	69,802	70,451	70,388	70,684	70,620	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	25,267	25,148	25,303	26,113	26,732	26,644	27,202	28,370	28,767	27,769	26,964	25,283	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**165,212**	**166,282**	**164,474**	**164,111**	**161,021**	**166,537**	**168,875**	**167,626**	**167,302**	**165,189**	**164,255**	**165,185**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,271	7,298	7,388	7,289	7,165	7,393	7,634	7,488	7,566	7,743	7,654	7,631	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	30,748	30,253	31,348	31,277	31,340	31,324	32,908	33,309	32,567	32,430	32,517	33,686	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	20,010	19,577	19,291	18,799	18,844	20,129	20,840	20,931	21,546	20,866	19,897	20,402	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	24,934	24,137	24,382	24,586	24,812	24,990	25,114	26,078	26,239	26,997	26,949	26,832	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	23,852	25,375	22,603	21,179	18,431	19,351	17,744	16,697	15,527	16,874	17,527	18,259	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	9,246	9,510	9,696	9,904	9,914	9,895	10,486	10,592	10,524	10,347	10,004	9,980	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	16,779	16,729	15,284	16,560	16,125	19,395	20,280	18,725	18,035	14,351	13,864	14,322	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	10,618	10,843	11,079	11,172	11,270	11,464	11,642	11,325	11,810	12,240	12,386	11,225	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	21,754	22,560	23,403	23,345	23,120	22,596	22,227	22,481	23,488	23,341	23,457	22,848	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.20**	**1.25**	**1.15**	**1.12**	**1.10**	**1.09**	**1.11**	**1.16**	**1.17**	**1.17**	**1.45**	**1.36**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.59**	**1.67**	**1.49**	**1.48**	**1.50**	**1.46**	**1.52**	**1.59**	**1.56**	**1.58**	**1.95**	**1.79**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.68	1.77	1.48	1.57	1.59	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.83	1.80	2.27	2.25	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.65	1.77	1.67	1.58	1.63	1.65	1.64	1.68	1.53	1.57	1.82	1.86	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.57	1.66	1.50	1.30	1.30	1.28	1.28	1.41	1.39	1.29	1.71	1.93	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.08	1.13	0.96	1.07	1.10	0.96	1.06	1.12	0.96	1.04	1.21	0.94	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.82	0.83	0.70	0.82	0.85	0.67	0.81	0.85	0.69	0.82	0.93	0.64	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.71	1.85	1.80	1.72	1.71	1.80	1.77	1.87	1.94	1.84	2.42	2.46	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.20	1.27	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.13	1.13	1.19	1.17	1.18	1.37	1.27	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.05	2.21	2.04	1.89	1.93	1.82	1.83	2.05	2.01	1.90	2.43	2.31	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.45	2.50	2.30	2.21	2.25	2.11	2.36	2.33	2.29	2.24	2.90	2.50	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.30	1.35	1.18	1.07	1.14	1.10	1.14	1.29	1.42	1.57	1.94	1.83	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.86**	**0.89**	**0.83**	**0.80**	**0.75**	**0.76**	**0.76**	**0.79**	**0.81**	**0.81**	**0.99**	**0.97**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.96	1.02	1.00	0.93	0.94	0.97	0.97	0.93	0.96	0.93	1.13	1.06	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.98	1.00	1.02	1.00	1.02	1.02	1.03	1.09	0.99	0.93	1.13	1.02	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.79	1.71	1.71	1.69	1.67	1.84	1.59	1.62	1.68	1.61	1.95	2.33	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.62	0.63	0.59	0.60	0.58	0.62	0.62	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.69	0.65	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.27	1.59	1.23	1.23	1.07	1.21	1.02	1.09	1.01	0.97	1.21	1.29	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	0.98	1.05	1.05	1.03	0.99	0.95	0.97	0.99	1.05	1.02	1.21	1.28	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.33	0.32	0.28	0.28	0.25	0.27	0.29	0.29	0.30	0.28	0.41	0.46	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.50	1.45	1.32	1.26	1.15	1.15	1.22	1.21	1.28	1.23	1.41	1.04	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.38	1.45	1.28	1.14	1.05	1.07	1.09	1.18	1.26	1.30	1.51	1.44	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2007 January	2007 February	2007 March	2007 April	2007 May	2007 June	2007 July	2007 August	2007 September	2007 October	2007 November	2007 December	2007 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**321,055**	**305,197**	**356,519**	**344,037**	**366,773**	**360,350**	**347,436**	**372,162**	**345,821**	**386,978**	**366,746**	**350,399**	**4,223,473**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**163,155**	**153,002**	**183,428**	**172,492**	**180,075**	**181,777**	**171,515**	**186,436**	**172,713**	**192,260**	**178,257**	**166,859**	**2,101,969**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	26,723	26,151	31,143	29,568	28,406	28,032	27,246	29,661	27,121	30,777	29,032	27,367	341,227
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,630	5,228	6,043	5,610	6,193	5,826	5,731	5,931	5,566	6,461	5,824	5,069	69,112
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,006	8,970	11,135	10,989	12,038	11,875	11,179	12,032	10,105	11,007	9,535	7,672	126,543
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,786	26,746	33,420	28,528	30,932	34,564	30,664	32,937	33,192	34,721	32,520	34,797	381,807
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	14,762	13,280	17,388	14,035	15,504	18,841	15,870	16,591	17,560	18,062	17,340	19,573	198,806
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,938	12,935	14,659	14,384	15,234	14,544	14,042	14,909	12,361	14,634	13,039	11,182	165,861
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	27,859	25,646	29,536	26,808	28,348	29,252	28,194	30,708	29,835	32,939	32,081	27,754	348,960
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,613	8,254	9,043	9,595	9,716	10,093	9,587	10,435	9,204	10,591	9,055	8,018	112,204
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	25,258	23,201	28,581	27,343	28,650	28,094	27,079	29,485	27,429	29,629	26,452	27,619	328,820
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,342	15,871	19,868	19,667	20,558	19,497	17,793	20,338	17,900	21,501	20,719	17,381	227,435
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**157,900**	**152,195**	**173,091**	**171,545**	**186,698**	**178,573**	**175,921**	**185,726**	**173,108**	**194,718**	**188,489**	**183,540**	**2,121,504**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,593	6,988	7,824	7,254	7,806	7,701	7,370	8,237	7,379	8,369	7,535	7,208	91,264
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	29,828	26,905	30,047	28,177	29,954	28,361	28,290	30,513	27,202	32,316	30,393	29,797	351,783
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,492	11,429	11,779	10,181	11,013	11,873	12,031	13,758	12,255	13,375	12,111	9,377	139,674
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	37,615	35,691	41,359	39,793	42,132	40,123	39,031	40,730	38,066	41,332	39,884	40,016	475,772
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,145	10,111	11,260	10,617	11,965	10,736	10,644	12,203	12,286	15,125	15,320	14,375	145,787
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,488	7,510	8,670	8,019	8,665	8,532	8,370	9,010	8,435	9,564	8,809	8,185	102,257
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	31,981	33,071	36,772	41,289	45,362	43,419	44,726	44,606	43,199	47,253	48,328	48,587	508,593
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,627	6,743	8,195	7,828	9,570	9,484	8,608	9,543	8,123	9,649	9,390	10,065	103,825
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,131	13,747	17,185	18,387	20,231	18,344	16,851	17,126	16,163	17,735	16,719	15,930	202,549
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**402,841**	**404,043**	**404,735**	**404,041**	**402,560**	**406,601**	**408,369**	**406,615**	**413,085**	**416,797**	**421,416**	**426,254**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**260,427**	**262,741**	**262,031**	**261,765**	**262,571**	**262,837**	**263,491**	**261,981**	**264,109**	**264,663**	**264,833**	**263,195**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	42,508	42,625	42,243	40,228	40,104	40,646	40,398	38,950	40,790	41,416	43,208	43,003	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,826	8,767	8,860	8,800	8,918	9,088	9,368	9,414	9,267	9,068	8,937	8,899	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,235	14,700	14,767	14,506	14,303	14,205	14,017	13,959	13,714	13,317	13,123	13,230	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	31,748	31,507	30,871	31,502	31,656	31,776	32,387	32,583	32,736	33,058	32,729	31,847	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,566	12,058	11,857	12,019	12,115	12,187	12,432	12,538	12,991	13,203	12,813	12,299	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	25,560	25,450	25,344	25,137	25,710	25,532	25,459	24,985	24,815	24,146	23,604	24,639	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	33,113	33,012	33,012	33,162	33,822	33,777	34,320	34,369	34,583	34,721	34,698	34,371	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	17,087	17,307	17,743	18,224	18,203	18,228	18,429	18,391	18,445	18,227	18,205	18,361	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	63,255	64,782	64,360	64,664	64,955	65,170	64,950	64,570	64,298	65,062	65,401	65,083	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	24,095	24,591	24,831	25,542	24,900	24,415	24,163	24,760	25,461	25,648	24,928	23,762	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**142,414**	**141,302**	**142,704**	**142,276**	**139,989**	**143,764**	**144,878**	**144,634**	**148,976**	**152,134**	**156,583**	**163,059**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	7,130	7,092	6,895	7,047	7,003	7,105	7,380	7,229	7,214	7,299	7,296	7,299	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	28,945	27,870	28,631	29,093	28,847	29,649	28,895	29,600	30,368	29,597	30,438	32,468	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	19,368	18,815	18,122	17,618	18,130	19,474	20,486	20,998	20,624	19,825	18,721	18,765	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	22,786	23,088	23,761	23,725	24,148	24,382	24,142	24,269	24,449	24,941	25,451	25,534	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	14,857	14,440	13,759	12,112	10,598	10,745	11,411	11,859	13,470	16,832	19,025	20,972	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,483	8,503	8,473	8,445	8,392	8,795	8,997	8,771	8,834	8,701	9,064	9,235	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	12,887	12,521	12,983	13,551	13,864	14,965	14,550	13,255	14,104	14,256	15,513	18,230	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	9,555	9,717	9,934	10,541	10,266	10,521	10,965	10,418	11,045	11,297	11,275	10,098	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	18,403	19,256	20,146	20,144	18,741	18,128	18,052	18,235	18,868	19,386	19,800	20,458	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.25**	**1.32**	**1.14**	**1.17**	**1.10**	**1.13**	**1.18**	**1.09**	**1.19**	**1.08**	**1.15**	**1.22**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.60**	**1.72**	**1.43**	**1.52**	**1.46**	**1.45**	**1.54**	**1.41**	**1.53**	**1.38**	**1.49**	**1.58**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.59	1.63	1.36	1.36	1.41	1.45	1.48	1.31	1.50	1.35	1.49	1.57	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.57	1.68	1.47	1.57	1.44	1.56	1.63	1.59	1.66	1.40	1.53	1.76	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.42	1.64	1.33	1.32	1.19	1.20	1.25	1.16	1.36	1.21	1.38	1.72	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.10	1.18	0.92	1.10	1.02	0.92	1.06	0.99	0.99	0.95	1.01	0.92	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.85	0.91	0.68	0.86	0.78	0.65	0.78	0.76	0.74	0.73	0.74	0.63	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.83	1.97	1.73	1.75	1.69	1.76	1.81	1.68	2.01	1.65	1.81	2.20	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.19	1.29	1.12	1.24	1.19	1.15	1.22	1.12	1.16	1.05	1.08	1.24	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.98	2.10	1.96	1.90	1.87	1.81	1.92	1.76	2.00	1.72	2.01	2.29	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.50	2.79	2.25	2.36	2.27	2.32	2.40	2.19	2.34	2.20	2.47	2.36	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.47	1.55	1.25	1.30	1.21	1.25	1.36	1.22	1.42	1.19	1.20	1.37	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.90**	**0.93**	**0.82**	**0.83**	**0.75**	**0.81**	**0.82**	**0.78**	**0.86**	**0.78**	**0.83**	**0.89**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.94	1.01	0.88	0.97	0.90	0.92	1.00	0.88	0.98	0.87	0.97	1.01	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.97	1.04	0.95	1.03	0.96	1.05	1.02	0.97	1.12	0.92	1.00	1.09	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.85	1.65	1.54	1.73	1.65	1.64	1.70	1.53	1.68	1.48	1.55	2.00	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.61	0.65	0.57	0.60	0.57	0.61	0.62	0.60	0.64	0.60	0.64	0.64	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.33	1.43	1.22	1.14	0.89	1.00	1.07	0.97	1.10	1.11	1.24	1.46	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.00	1.13	0.98	1.05	0.97	1.03	1.07	0.97	1.05	0.91	1.03	1.13	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.38	0.35	0.33	0.31	0.34	0.33	0.30	0.33	0.30	0.32	0.38	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.44	1.44	1.21	1.35	1.07	1.11	1.27	1.09	1.36	1.17	1.20	1.00	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.30	1.40	1.17	1.10	0.93	0.99	1.07	1.06	1.17	1.09	1.18	1.28	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2006 January	2006 February	2006 March	2006 April	2006 May	2006 June	2006 July	2006 August	2006 September	2006 October	2006 November	2006 December	2006 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**299,076**	**290,574**	**344,649**	**312,685**	**342,560**	**347,750**	**320,414**	**354,860**	**330,558**	**344,117**	**329,163**	**324,851**	**3,941,257**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**148,603**	**146,648**	**177,134**	**155,544**	**172,834**	**178,401**	**160,162**	**178,978**	**171,485**	**178,997**	**169,882**	**166,471**	**2,005,139**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	24,637	25,392	29,987	26,631	28,960	29,107	26,245	29,115	26,053	29,578	29,342	30,706	335,753
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,195	5,096	5,968	5,309	5,819	5,950	5,547	6,227	6,000	6,393	6,148	5,429	69,081
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	12,003	10,937	13,201	11,908	13,067	13,227	11,921	13,311	11,466	11,529	10,238	8,896	141,704
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	25,820	25,159	32,629	25,745	28,403	31,508	27,098	29,980	32,177	31,329	30,258	33,068	353,174
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,505	12,998	16,840	13,209	14,247	16,615	14,033	15,169	17,166	16,057	15,521	18,298	183,658
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,666	11,565	13,487	12,407	14,048	14,740	13,269	14,489	13,613	14,360	13,143	11,415	158,202
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	22,898	22,541	26,697	23,267	26,416	27,115	25,585	29,424	29,033	29,884	29,371	27,344	319,575
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,857	7,894	9,201	8,797	9,981	10,107	8,972	10,199	9,180	9,983	8,755	8,138	109,064
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	23,309	23,017	28,154	25,409	27,513	28,173	24,869	28,190	26,478	26,725	24,534	25,567	311,938
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	15,218	15,047	17,810	16,071	18,627	18,474	16,656	18,043	17,485	19,216	18,093	15,908	206,648
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**150,473**	**143,926**	**167,515**	**157,141**	**169,726**	**169,349**	**160,252**	**175,882**	**159,073**	**165,120**	**159,281**	**158,380**	**1,936,118**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	7,279	6,922	8,139	6,949	7,947	7,925	7,098	8,105	7,508	7,963	7,475	7,096	90,406
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	27,322	26,302	30,583	26,419	29,595	29,370	26,483	29,531	28,087	29,565	28,850	28,738	340,845
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	9,694	10,044	11,182	9,197	9,655	10,916	10,568	12,333	11,532	12,770	11,408	9,152	128,451
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	34,529	32,652	37,650	35,060	37,892	36,974	35,683	38,932	36,339	37,417	36,707	36,820	436,655
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,332	8,575	9,950	8,936	9,504	8,739	8,394	8,627	8,616	10,803	10,492	9,917	111,885
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,469	7,220	8,392	7,361	8,159	8,505	7,812	8,698	7,969	8,063	7,682	7,383	94,713
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	33,808	30,845	37,220	38,047	39,829	40,757	40,574	43,582	35,871	34,645	32,657	35,400	443,235
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,066	6,590	7,923	7,335	8,843	9,327	7,792	9,156	8,037	8,640	9,128	9,545	98,382
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,974	14,776	16,476	17,837	18,302	16,836	15,848	16,918	15,114	15,254	14,882	14,329	191,546
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**371,881**	**374,743**	**375,223**	**378,491**	**378,344**	**383,786**	**388,408**	**389,577**	**394,502**	**397,942**	**401,924**	**400,297**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**236,448**	**240,606**	**241,235**	**246,944**	**248,115**	**250,523**	**255,018**	**254,681**	**257,890**	**261,291**	**261,196**	**256,731**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	38,203	40,430	40,479	42,108	40,744	40,413	41,187	38,469	40,171	42,869	43,371	41,044	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	8,075	8,012	7,877	7,835	8,243	8,403	8,613	8,736	8,706	8,701	8,594	8,713	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	14,466	14,998	15,290	15,589	15,625	15,870	15,649	15,488	15,389	14,451	14,175	14,041	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,651	28,930	27,908	28,588	28,926	28,937	29,998	30,363	30,813	31,909	31,748	30,972	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,519	11,346	11,200	11,269	11,272	11,185	11,600	11,590	12,240	13,018	12,866	12,408	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	20,962	21,004	21,047	21,958	22,634	23,206	23,967	24,909	25,650	25,517	25,625	26,191	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	30,014	30,507	30,511	31,434	31,938	31,884	33,350	33,528	33,880	34,204	33,788	32,902	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	15,938	16,248	16,494	16,567	16,737	16,955	17,189	17,361	17,385	17,132	17,339	17,406	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	56,473	57,318	58,643	59,549	60,169	61,789	61,857	61,899	61,434	62,460	62,488	61,496	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	23,666	23,159	22,986	23,316	23,099	23,066	23,208	23,928	24,462	24,048	24,068	23,966	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**135,433**	**134,137**	**133,988**	**131,547**	**130,229**	**133,263**	**133,390**	**134,896**	**136,612**	**136,651**	**140,728**	**143,566**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,819	6,834	6,779	6,916	6,930	6,824	6,934	6,950	7,082	7,070	7,026	7,186	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	28,052	27,859	29,466	28,915	28,136	30,051	29,021	30,516	30,727	28,492	29,564	31,100	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	17,946	17,579	16,924	16,746	16,940	17,833	18,768	19,160	19,209	18,482	17,628	18,179	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	21,567	21,324	21,181	20,985	20,726	21,232	21,305	22,004	22,250	22,577	23,361	23,142	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,739	12,019	11,104	9,923	8,994	8,615	8,541	8,171	7,980	11,467	13,761	14,640	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	8,346	8,316	8,443	8,507	8,494	8,566	8,414	8,464	8,364	8,167	8,188	8,241	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,952	13,461	12,738	12,028	13,143	13,916	14,444	13,425	13,993	13,078	13,734	13,842	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,482	8,463	8,926	9,324	9,352	9,254	9,311	9,214	9,583	9,802	9,965	8,988	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	18,530	18,282	18,427	18,203	17,514	16,972	16,652	16,992	17,424	17,516	17,501	18,248	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.24**	**1.29**	**1.09**	**1.21**	**1.10**	**1.10**	**1.21**	**1.10**	**1.19**	**1.16**	**1.22**	**1.23**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.59**	**1.64**	**1.36**	**1.59**	**1.44**	**1.40**	**1.59**	**1.42**	**1.50**	**1.46**	**1.54**	**1.54**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.55	1.59	1.35	1.58	1.41	1.39	1.57	1.32	1.54	1.45	1.48	1.34	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.55	1.57	1.32	1.48	1.42	1.41	1.55	1.40	1.45	1.36	1.40	1.60	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.21	1.37	1.16	1.31	1.20	1.20	1.31	1.16	1.34	1.25	1.38	1.58	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.11	1.15	0.86	1.11	1.02	0.92	1.11	1.01	0.96	1.02	1.05	0.94	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.85	0.87	0.67	0.85	0.79	0.67	0.83	0.76	0.71	0.81	0.83	0.68	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.80	1.82	1.56	1.77	1.61	1.57	1.81	1.72	1.88	1.78	1.95	2.29	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.31	1.35	1.14	1.35	1.21	1.18	1.30	1.14	1.17	1.14	1.15	1.20	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.03	2.06	1.79	1.88	1.68	1.68	1.92	1.70	1.89	1.72	1.98	2.14	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.42	2.49	2.08	2.34	2.19	2.19	2.49	2.20	2.32	2.34	2.55	2.41	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.56	1.54	1.29	1.45	1.24	1.25	1.39	1.33	1.40	1.25	1.33	1.51	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.90**	**0.93**	**0.80**	**0.84**	**0.77**	**0.79**	**0.83**	**0.77**	**0.86**	**0.83**	**0.88**	**0.91**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.94	0.99	0.83	1.00	0.87	0.86	0.98	0.86	0.94	0.89	0.94	1.01	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.03	1.06	0.96	1.09	0.95	1.02	1.10	1.03	1.09	0.96	1.02	1.08	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.85	1.75	1.51	1.82	1.75	1.63	1.78	1.55	1.67	1.45	1.55	1.99	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.62	0.65	0.56	0.60	0.55	0.57	0.60	0.57	0.61	0.60	0.64	0.63	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.26	1.40	1.12	1.11	0.95	0.99	1.02	0.95	0.93	1.06	1.31	1.48	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.12	1.15	1.01	1.16	1.04	1.01	1.08	0.97	1.05	1.01	1.07	1.12	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.41	0.44	0.34	0.32	0.33	0.34	0.36	0.31	0.39	0.38	0.42	0.39	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.40	1.28	1.13	1.27	1.06	0.99	1.19	1.01	1.19	1.13	1.09	0.94	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.24	1.24	1.12	1.02	0.96	1.01	1.05	1.00	1.15	1.15	1.18	1.27	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2005 January	2005 February	2005 March	2005 April	2005 May	2005 June	2005 July	2005 August	2005 September	2005 October	2005 November	2005 December	2005 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**266,882**	**267,830**	**316,292**	**296,040**	**300,524**	**311,841**	**289,919**	**322,703**	**319,981**	**321,285**	**311,440**	**313,759**	**3,638,496**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**131,784**	**133,832**	**160,982**	**148,750**	**150,865**	**160,185**	**144,874**	**161,824**	**161,319**	**160,448**	**156,615**	**158,869**	**1,830,347**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	20,879	22,335	27,263	24,651	24,776	26,194	24,688	27,746	25,151	26,339	26,540	27,206	303,768
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,494	4,540	5,353	5,008	5,148	5,513	5,037	5,739	5,618	5,741	5,524	5,291	63,006
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,788	10,039	11,923	11,499	11,760	12,493	11,663	13,061	12,559	12,337	11,553	10,359	139,034
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	23,532	23,688	29,471	24,951	26,330	29,995	25,782	28,817	31,961	28,420	27,887	31,985	332,819
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,107	12,785	15,899	13,313	14,168	16,329	13,817	15,389	17,725	14,950	14,180	17,382	179,044
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	10,575	10,577	12,014	11,659	11,638	11,790	10,603	11,785	11,416	11,906	11,310	10,860	136,133
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	21,003	20,327	24,693	23,146	23,227	24,660	22,823	25,414	25,169	25,595	24,947	23,399	284,403
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,716	6,799	7,929	7,569	7,874	8,470	7,625	8,670	8,293	8,778	8,480	7,813	95,016
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	20,167	20,564	24,736	24,342	24,836	25,755	23,174	25,373	25,251	24,488	23,269	25,743	287,698
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	14,630	14,963	17,600	15,925	15,276	15,315	13,479	15,219	15,901	16,844	17,105	16,213	188,470
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**135,098**	**133,998**	**155,310**	**147,290**	**149,659**	**151,656**	**145,045**	**160,879**	**158,662**	**160,837**	**154,825**	**154,890**	**1,808,149**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,761	6,640	7,455	6,846	7,093	7,349	6,740	7,978	7,871	7,620	7,442	7,435	87,230
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	25,715	24,340	27,811	25,985	26,274	27,568	24,814	27,184	28,551	27,243	28,239	28,654	322,378
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,534	9,769	11,214	9,350	9,459	10,431	10,165	11,132	10,614	11,278	10,318	8,950	121,214
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	32,076	31,502	36,383	34,362	36,642	36,253	34,722	37,084	35,314	35,695	36,098	36,035	422,166
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,399	8,567	9,298	8,765	8,479	8,113	7,694	7,816	8,319	9,774	10,355	9,373	105,952
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,999	6,878	7,815	7,558	7,505	8,032	7,294	8,231	7,879	7,694	7,676	7,307	90,868
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	25,625	25,188	30,518	30,289	28,774	29,201	31,681	36,970	37,235	38,304	31,982	33,289	379,056
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,557	6,237	7,723	7,262	8,241	8,757	7,352	8,496	7,741	7,710	8,247	8,902	92,225
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,432	14,877	17,093	16,873	17,192	15,952	14,583	15,988	15,138	15,519	14,468	14,945	187,060
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**347,832**	**348,708**	**349,982**	**351,626**	**348,744**	**352,887**	**355,397**	**354,352**	**357,914**	**363,230**	**364,598**	**369,380**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**218,850**	**222,379**	**222,568**	**225,162**	**225,050**	**227,731**	**230,553**	**228,349**	**227,988**	**232,139**	**233,071**	**233,199**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	35,411	36,314	35,054	35,504	35,328	36,756	37,030	35,001	35,807	37,801	38,364	38,064	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,362	7,413	7,391	7,491	7,635	7,600	7,839	8,054	8,000	8,146	7,972	7,997	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	13,691	14,507	14,827	14,427	14,547	14,315	14,121	13,816	13,203	13,192	13,242	13,867	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	27,076	26,636	26,133	27,080	26,655	27,203	27,782	27,822	27,705	28,770	28,422	27,787	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	10,873	10,677	10,699	10,881	10,451	10,758	10,720	10,872	11,251	11,651	11,538	11,292	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	20,472	20,564	21,054	21,271	21,295	20,999	20,908	20,601	20,428	20,283	20,309	20,923	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	28,890	29,259	29,171	29,482	29,577	29,962	31,048	30,974	30,778	30,278	30,284	30,029	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	13,670	14,014	14,122	14,181	14,354	14,421	14,396	14,519	14,558	14,777	14,870	15,416	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	49,905	51,396	52,851	53,494	53,503	54,740	55,161	55,728	54,829	55,189	56,145	55,991	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	22,373	22,276	21,965	22,232	22,156	21,735	22,268	21,834	22,680	23,703	23,463	23,125	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**128,982**	**126,329**	**127,414**	**126,464**	**123,694**	**125,156**	**124,844**	**126,003**	**129,926**	**131,091**	**131,527**	**136,181**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,545	6,557	6,425	6,622	6,764	6,811	6,698	6,927	6,857	6,821	7,026	7,104	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,412	29,063	29,960	29,106	28,247	28,762	27,470	26,789	28,852	28,298	28,078	30,325	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	16,885	16,409	16,076	16,404	16,804	17,831	18,501	18,927	18,760	18,375	17,577	17,547	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	20,494	20,241	20,356	20,358	20,302	20,077	19,916	20,492	20,887	21,510	22,037	22,260	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,671	11,274	11,628	10,867	9,287	8,837	8,672	8,221	8,272	10,092	10,278	11,273	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	7,521	7,741	7,795	8,049	8,006	8,062	8,017	8,076	8,044	8,123	8,205	8,185	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	9,654	9,419	10,059	9,410	9,537	9,897	11,127	11,810	12,540	11,611	11,736	12,705	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	8,053	8,149	8,277	8,650	8,484	8,580	8,513	8,701	8,932	9,344	9,368	8,312	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	17,747	17,476	16,838	16,998	16,263	16,299	15,930	16,060	16,782	16,917	17,222	18,470	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.30**	**1.30**	**1.11**	**1.19**	**1.16**	**1.13**	**1.23**	**1.10**	**1.12**	**1.13**	**1.17**	**1.18**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.66**	**1.66**	**1.38**	**1.51**	**1.49**	**1.42**	**1.59**	**1.41**	**1.41**	**1.45**	**1.49**	**1.47**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.70	1.63	1.29	1.44	1.43	1.40	1.50	1.26	1.42	1.44	1.45	1.40	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.64	1.63	1.38	1.50	1.48	1.38	1.56	1.40	1.42	1.42	1.44	1.51	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.40	1.45	1.24	1.25	1.24	1.15	1.21	1.06	1.05	1.07	1.15	1.34	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.15	1.12	0.89	1.09	1.01	0.91	1.08	0.97	0.87	1.01	1.02	0.87	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.83	0.84	0.67	0.82	0.74	0.66	0.78	0.71	0.63	0.78	0.81	0.65	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.94	1.94	1.75	1.82	1.83	1.78	1.97	1.75	1.79	1.70	1.80	1.93	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.38	1.44	1.18	1.27	1.27	1.22	1.36	1.22	1.22	1.18	1.21	1.28	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.04	2.06	1.78	1.87	1.82	1.70	1.89	1.67	1.76	1.68	1.75	1.97	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.47	2.50	2.14	2.20	2.15	2.13	2.38	2.20	2.17	2.25	2.41	2.17	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.53	1.49	1.25	1.40	1.45	1.42	1.65	1.43	1.43	1.41	1.37	1.43	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.95**	**0.94**	**0.82**	**0.86**	**0.83**	**0.83**	**0.86**	**0.78**	**0.82**	**0.82**	**0.85**	**0.88**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.97	0.99	0.86	0.97	0.95	0.93	0.99	0.87	0.87	0.90	0.94	0.96	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.22	1.19	1.08	1.12	1.08	1.04	1.11	0.99	1.01	1.04	0.99	1.06	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.98	1.68	1.43	1.75	1.78	1.71	1.82	1.70	1.77	1.63	1.70	1.96	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.64	0.64	0.56	0.59	0.55	0.55	0.57	0.55	0.59	0.60	0.61	0.62	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.14	1.32	1.25	1.24	1.10	1.09	1.13	1.05	0.99	1.03	0.99	1.20	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.07	1.13	1.00	1.06	1.07	1.00	1.10	0.98	1.02	1.06	1.07	1.12	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.37	0.33	0.31	0.33	0.34	0.35	0.32	0.34	0.30	0.37	0.38	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.45	1.31	1.07	1.19	1.03	0.98	1.16	1.02	1.15	1.21	1.14	0.93	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.23	1.17	0.99	1.01	0.95	1.02	1.09	1.00	1.11	1.09	1.19	1.24	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2004 January	2004 February	2004 March	2004 April	2004 May	2004 June	2004 July	2004 August	2004 September	2004 October	2004 November	2004 December	2004 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**242,664**	**244,547**	**293,916**	**277,963**	**269,321**	**287,297**	**273,064**	**285,655**	**286,115**	**287,056**	**286,871**	**295,542**	**3,330,011**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**116,778**	**120,379**	**149,693**	**141,849**	**135,725**	**149,721**	**140,412**	**146,215**	**146,824**	**145,846**	**145,291**	**150,855**	**1,689,588**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	19,374	21,195	25,943	25,173	23,002	25,477	23,077	23,876	23,134	24,482	23,865	25,237	283,835
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,345	4,327	5,134	4,921	4,834	5,056	4,929	5,463	5,424	5,174	5,228	4,972	59,807
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,195	8,446	11,071	11,347	11,180	11,790	11,346	12,331	11,613	10,784	9,859	9,492	127,454
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	22,668	22,525	27,736	23,980	23,677	28,240	25,963	25,141	28,203	25,569	26,027	30,527	310,256
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,195	11,840	14,933	12,683	12,422	15,442	14,084	13,049	15,190	13,332	13,537	17,444	166,151
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,552	7,958	10,334	10,453	9,504	10,655	10,510	11,397	10,913	10,912	10,441	10,128	120,757
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	18,747	19,189	22,634	21,693	21,915	23,556	21,983	23,169	23,266	23,173	23,141	22,550	265,016
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,992	5,899	7,331	7,167	6,928	7,759	7,085	7,481	7,275	7,359	7,147	6,727	84,150
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	17,628	18,164	23,701	22,391	21,096	22,708	21,482	22,487	21,784	21,978	21,251	24,683	259,353
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,277	12,676	15,809	14,724	13,589	14,480	14,037	14,870	15,212	16,415	18,332	16,539	178,960
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**125,886**	**124,168**	**144,223**	**136,114**	**133,596**	**137,576**	**132,652**	**139,440**	**139,291**	**141,210**	**141,580**	**144,687**	**1,640,423**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,015	5,970	7,070	6,605	6,483	7,146	6,656	7,131	7,295	7,169	7,107	7,257	81,904
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	22,780	21,533	25,896	24,067	22,797	24,477	23,640	24,194	25,491	25,113	26,074	26,961	293,023
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,253	9,668	10,932	8,723	8,358	9,523	9,195	10,280	10,487	10,161	9,398	8,751	113,729
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	31,289	30,187	35,569	33,304	33,823	33,782	33,466	34,387	33,527	33,864	34,562	35,156	402,916
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,001	9,846	11,029	10,348	9,036	8,969	8,003	8,158	8,521	10,005	10,226	10,437	115,579
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,099	5,795	6,822	6,451	6,119	6,884	6,608	6,941	6,820	6,720	6,837	6,761	78,857
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	21,748	21,680	24,034	23,219	23,922	23,720	23,195	24,986	24,823	26,917	25,586	25,038	288,868
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,629	5,898	7,045	7,094	7,333	7,918	7,289	7,396	7,259	7,268	7,731	9,058	86,918
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,072	13,591	15,826	16,303	15,725	15,157	14,600	15,967	15,068	13,993	14,059	15,268	178,629
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**312,077**	**314,698**	**316,173**	**314,767**	**314,681**	**319,245**	**326,173**	**326,834**	**328,960**	**336,866**	**340,395**	**341,642**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**189,233**	**193,609**	**195,447**	**197,579**	**199,896**	**202,953**	**207,745**	**209,152**	**209,832**	**213,030**	**214,561**	**213,590**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	32,157	33,583	33,885	33,504	33,223	33,223	34,155	33,387	34,040	34,449	35,054	33,923	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	7,090	7,007	7,004	6,982	7,076	7,243	7,484	7,556	7,514	7,421	7,303	7,278	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	10,861	11,396	11,760	12,240	12,995	12,900	12,995	12,965	13,092	12,873	12,648	12,932	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,335	24,439	24,075	24,346	24,348	25,116	25,685	26,143	25,989	27,104	27,347	26,450	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,656	9,473	9,591	9,886	9,618	10,253	10,394	10,586	10,362	10,935	11,432	10,916	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,133	13,684	14,523	14,729	15,555	15,929	16,690	17,498	17,712	18,738	19,372	20,087	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	25,537	26,344	26,654	27,532	28,128	28,299	28,858	29,021	29,059	28,788	28,790	28,430	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,761	12,007	12,170	12,203	12,521	12,621	12,855	13,033	13,161	13,253	13,299	13,547	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	44,916	46,117	46,276	46,462	46,780	48,042	48,601	48,632	47,818	48,402	49,072	49,675	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,443	19,032	19,100	19,581	19,270	19,580	20,422	20,917	21,447	22,002	21,676	21,268	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**122,844**	**121,089**	**120,726**	**117,188**	**114,785**	**116,292**	**118,428**	**117,682**	**119,128**	**123,836**	**125,834**	**128,052**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,563	5,512	5,590	5,627	5,633	5,897	6,135	6,235	6,292	6,414	6,370	6,588	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,447	30,898	32,129	30,458	29,921	30,983	31,281	30,468	31,409	31,542	31,486	31,888	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	15,308	14,913	14,520	14,329	14,749	15,086	15,694	16,254	16,446	16,220	16,167	15,833	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,486	19,263	19,643	19,603	19,685	19,773	19,888	19,982	19,826	20,989	21,385	20,687	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	14,567	14,491	13,879	12,350	10,057	8,890	7,694	7,109	7,003	8,753	9,234	10,022	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,241	6,428	6,406	6,452	6,584	6,621	6,833	6,826	6,933	7,130	7,267	7,383	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	6,509	6,463	6,067	5,614	5,689	6,136	7,366	7,611	7,613	7,988	8,296	9,921	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,405	7,340	7,396	7,741	7,727	7,987	8,060	7,911	7,998	8,314	8,418	7,705	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,318	15,781	15,096	15,014	14,740	14,919	15,477	15,286	15,608	16,486	17,211	18,025	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**1.08**	**1.13**	**1.17**	**1.11**	**1.19**	**1.14**	**1.15**	**1.17**	**1.19**	**1.16**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.63**	**1.61**	**1.31**	**1.40**	**1.48**	**1.36**	**1.48**	**1.43**	**1.43**	**1.46**	**1.48**	**1.42**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.66	1.58	1.31	1.33	1.44	1.30	1.48	1.40	1.47	1.41	1.47	1.34	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.63	1.62	1.36	1.42	1.46	1.43	1.52	1.38	1.39	1.43	1.40	1.46	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.33	1.35	1.06	1.08	1.16	1.09	1.15	1.05	1.13	1.19	1.28	1.36	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.09	1.10	0.88	1.03	1.04	0.90	1.00	1.05	0.93	1.07	1.06	0.87	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.81	0.82	0.65	0.79	0.78	0.67	0.74	0.82	0.69	0.83	0.85	0.63	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.74	1.72	1.41	1.41	1.64	1.49	1.59	1.54	1.62	1.72	1.86	1.98	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.36	1.37	1.18	1.27	1.28	1.20	1.31	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.26	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.96	2.04	1.66	1.70	1.81	1.63	1.81	1.74	1.81	1.80	1.86	2.01	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.55	2.54	1.95	2.08	2.22	2.12	2.26	2.16	2.20	2.20	2.31	2.01	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.58	1.50	1.21	1.33	1.42	1.35	1.45	1.41	1.41	1.34	1.18	1.29	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.86**	**0.85**	**0.89**	**0.84**	**0.86**	**0.88**	**0.89**	**0.89**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.92	0.92	0.79	0.85	0.87	0.83	0.92	0.87	0.86	0.89	0.90	0.91	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.38	1.43	1.24	1.27	1.31	1.27	1.32	1.26	1.23	1.26	1.21	1.18	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.85	1.54	1.33	1.64	1.76	1.58	1.71	1.58	1.57	1.60	1.72	1.81	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.62	0.64	0.55	0.59	0.58	0.59	0.59	0.58	0.59	0.62	0.62	0.59	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.32	1.47	1.26	1.19	1.11	0.99	0.96	0.87	0.82	0.87	0.90	0.96	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.02	1.11	0.94	1.00	1.08	0.96	1.03	0.98	1.02	1.06	1.06	1.09	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.30	0.30	0.25	0.24	0.24	0.26	0.32	0.30	0.31	0.30	0.32	0.40	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.32	1.24	1.05	1.09	1.05	1.01	1.11	1.07	1.10	1.14	1.09	0.85	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.25	1.16	0.95	0.92	0.94	0.98	1.06	0.96	1.04	1.18	1.22	1.18	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2003 January	2003 February	2003 March	2003 April	2003 May	2003 June	2003 July	2003 August	2003 September	2003 October	2003 November	2003 December	2003 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**235,203**	**223,951**	**251,649**	**246,510**	**244,275**	**248,528**	**252,281**	**245,663**	**255,324**	**270,911**	**240,507**	**263,480**	**2,978,282**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**111,140**	**105,510**	**122,598**	**121,265**	**120,267**	**125,469**	**125,393**	**121,024**	**129,466**	**135,199**	**119,168**	**129,659**	**1,466,158**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	19,733	18,470	22,335	22,505	21,413	22,082	22,048	21,312	21,208	23,128	21,775	24,258	260,267
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,147	4,075	4,550	4,473	4,568	4,697	4,812	4,810	5,003	5,149	4,605	4,601	55,490
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,569	6,995	8,119	8,592	8,700	9,129	9,805	9,557	9,998	10,595	8,377	7,710	105,146
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	21,357	20,285	23,998	22,472	22,342	24,227	23,607	22,020	25,574	24,644	22,144	26,973	279,643
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,483	10,774	12,836	11,998	11,565	13,126	12,414	11,433	13,803	13,096	11,245	14,917	148,690
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,479	5,973	6,592	6,865	6,897	6,844	7,197	6,913	7,051	7,431	6,334	6,629	81,205
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	17,379	16,881	19,251	18,678	18,294	19,668	19,869	19,279	21,023	22,549	19,829	19,860	232,560
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,601	5,270	5,995	6,224	6,368	6,569	6,537	6,371	6,638	6,972	5,965	5,918	74,428
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	17,726	16,433	19,168	19,632	19,944	20,290	19,855	19,372	20,331	20,393	16,757	20,526	230,427
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,149	11,128	12,590	11,824	11,741	11,963	11,663	11,390	12,640	14,338	13,382	13,184	146,992
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**124,063**	**118,441**	**129,051**	**125,245**	**124,008**	**123,059**	**126,888**	**124,639**	**125,858**	**135,712**	**121,339**	**133,821**	**1,512,124**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,180	5,587	6,216	6,056	5,975	6,215	6,205	6,051	6,466	6,856	5,771	6,474	74,052
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	21,994	19,985	21,926	22,456	22,185	22,318	23,226	22,077	23,621	25,002	21,819	25,346	271,955
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	8,330	8,663	9,351	8,309	7,980	8,367	9,289	9,507	9,987	10,363	8,770	8,121	107,037
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	31,591	30,246	33,928	33,663	35,254	33,968	35,344	33,785	33,664	34,884	32,286	33,450	402,063
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,742	8,949	8,553	8,691	8,090	8,263	7,708	7,625	8,516	11,644	10,956	12,021	111,758
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,888	5,442	6,057	6,044	6,042	6,016	6,138	5,823	5,997	6,313	5,398	5,774	70,932
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	21,000	20,983	22,565	18,658	17,715	17,712	18,340	19,445	18,034	19,738	17,297	20,081	231,568
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,326	5,609	6,414	6,741	7,144	7,133	7,568	7,266	6,634	7,626	6,843	8,540	82,844
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,012	12,977	14,041	14,627	13,623	13,067	13,070	13,060	12,939	13,286	12,199	14,014	159,915
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**304,419**	**303,531**	**304,417**	**304,035**	**299,063**	**299,923**	**301,372**	**298,020**	**300,532**	**307,330**	**308,123**	**310,115**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**183,524**	**186,651**	**187,213**	**189,310**	**187,276**	**187,048**	**187,609**	**184,813**	**184,455**	**185,814**	**185,507**	**186,435**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	30,306	31,351	31,387	31,586	30,595	30,770	30,156	28,578	29,119	31,027	31,091	31,743	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,405	6,493	6,522	6,614	6,790	6,874	6,926	7,008	6,951	6,903	6,800	6,853	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	9,105	9,494	9,642	9,715	9,640	9,695	9,546	9,557	9,570	9,525	9,889	10,152	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,243	24,161	23,955	24,067	23,870	24,007	24,874	24,785	24,595	24,997	24,824	24,075	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,213	9,251	9,217	9,502	9,472	9,501	9,964	9,681	9,417	9,769	9,761	9,741	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,135	12,268	12,288	12,355	12,134	12,121	12,106	11,937	11,986	11,858	12,098	12,789	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	25,686	25,428	25,317	25,953	25,786	25,800	25,932	25,966	26,209	25,697	25,155	25,424	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,166	11,787	12,049	12,084	11,986	11,926	11,981	11,775	11,690	11,606	11,603	11,743	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	46,093	47,244	47,983	48,297	48,137	47,622	47,530	46,707	45,611	45,073	45,175	44,574	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,385	18,425	18,070	18,639	18,338	18,233	18,558	18,500	18,724	19,128	18,872	19,082	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**120,895**	**116,880**	**117,204**	**114,725**	**111,787**	**112,875**	**113,763**	**113,207**	**116,077**	**121,516**	**122,616**	**123,680**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,479	5,588	5,509	5,627	5,623	5,511	5,492	5,428	5,367	5,470	5,513	5,712	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	32,272	30,922	32,367	32,125	31,105	31,423	32,129	31,182	31,902	32,241	32,206	32,294	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	15,695	14,977	14,716	14,737	14,972	15,920	16,286	16,238	15,786	14,975	14,570	14,945	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	20,492	20,061	19,990	19,420	19,047	19,086	19,142	19,369	19,844	19,916	19,935	20,226	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,345	10,460	9,733	8,864	7,893	7,599	7,278	7,338	8,090	13,284	14,124	13,887	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,693	6,653	6,619	6,589	6,666	6,636	6,689	6,466	6,458	6,398	6,352	6,685	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	5,929	5,586	5,296	4,949	4,952	5,324	5,209	5,709	5,985	5,889	6,070	6,812	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,246	7,235	7,465	7,603	7,605	7,684	7,733	7,406	7,821	8,095	8,208	7,200	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,744	15,398	15,509	14,811	13,924	13,692	13,805	14,071	14,824	15,248	15,638	15,919	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.29**	**1.36**	**1.21**	**1.23**	**1.22**	**1.21**	**1.19**	**1.21**	**1.18**	**1.13**	**1.28**	**1.18**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.65**	**1.77**	**1.53**	**1.56**	**1.56**	**1.49**	**1.50**	**1.53**	**1.43**	**1.38**	**1.56**	**1.44**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.54	1.70	1.41	1.40	1.43	1.39	1.37	1.34	1.37	1.34	1.43	1.31	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.54	1.59	1.43	1.48	1.49	1.46	1.44	1.46	1.39	1.34	1.48	1.49	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.20	1.36	1.19	1.13	1.11	1.06	0.97	1.00	0.96	0.90	1.18	1.32	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.14	1.20	1.01	1.08	1.08	1.00	1.07	1.14	0.98	1.03	1.14	0.91	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.82	0.88	0.73	0.81	0.84	0.74	0.82	0.87	0.70	0.77	0.89	0.67	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.87	2.05	1.86	1.80	1.76	1.77	1.68	1.73	1.70	1.60	1.91	1.93	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.48	1.51	1.32	1.39	1.41	1.31	1.31	1.35	1.25	1.14	1.27	1.28	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.99	2.24	2.01	1.94	1.88	1.82	1.83	1.85	1.76	1.66	1.95	1.98	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.60	2.87	2.50	2.46	2.41	2.35	2.39	2.41	2.24	2.21	2.70	2.17	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.65	1.66	1.44	1.58	1.56	1.52	1.59	1.62	1.48	1.33	1.41	1.45	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**0.99**	**0.91**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.91**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**1.01**	**0.92**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.89	1.00	0.89	0.93	0.94	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.83	0.80	0.96	0.88	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.47	1.55	1.48	1.43	1.40	1.41	1.38	1.41	1.35	1.29	1.48	1.27	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.88	1.73	1.57	1.77	1.88	1.90	1.75	1.71	1.58	1.45	1.66	1.84	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.65	0.66	0.59	0.58	0.54	0.56	0.54	0.57	0.59	0.57	0.62	0.60	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.06	1.17	1.14	1.02	0.98	0.92	0.94	0.96	0.95	1.14	1.29	1.16	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.14	1.22	1.09	1.09	1.10	1.10	1.09	1.11	1.08	1.01	1.18	1.16	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.28	0.27	0.23	0.27	0.28	0.30	0.28	0.29	0.33	0.30	0.35	0.34	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.36	1.29	1.16	1.13	1.06	1.08	1.02	1.02	1.18	1.06	1.20	0.84	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.21	1.19	1.10	1.01	1.02	1.05	1.06	1.08	1.15	1.15	1.28	1.14	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2002 January	2002 February	2002 March	2002 April	2002 May	2002 June	2002 July	2002 August	2002 September	2002 October	2002 November	2002 December	2002 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**220,173**	**210,596**	**234,089**	**237,757**	**244,150**	**234,015**	**241,943**	**245,497**	**237,792**	**255,957**	**235,200**	**238,359**	**2,835,528**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**108,820**	**106,046**	**118,997**	**120,118**	**123,228**	**120,321**	**122,086**	**123,648**	**120,789**	**127,420**	**114,995**	**115,035**	**1,421,503**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	18,516	18,547	21,428	21,896	21,466	20,959	21,426	22,348	20,253	22,068	21,397	21,643	251,947
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,144	3,936	4,472	4,518	4,548	4,569	4,537	4,739	4,558	4,869	4,551	4,043	53,484
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,144	7,158	7,989	8,557	8,809	8,190	8,368	8,632	8,057	8,739	7,081	6,367	95,091
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	20,650	19,590	22,651	20,942	22,685	23,748	23,141	23,345	25,117	24,439	21,928	24,226	272,462
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,390	10,592	12,373	10,975	12,261	13,658	13,023	13,294	14,530	13,543	11,302	13,677	150,618
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,523	6,084	6,567	7,092	7,306	7,184	7,427	7,365	6,857	7,551	6,146	5,644	81,746
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	17,601	17,048	18,875	18,608	19,199	18,411	18,969	18,983	18,970	20,108	18,515	17,670	222,957
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,619	5,477	5,927	6,252	6,265	5,983	6,112	6,228	5,765	6,289	5,444	5,070	70,431
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	17,618	16,961	19,228	20,401	21,014	19,344	19,567	19,014	19,046	19,761	16,963	18,841	227,758
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,005	11,245	11,860	11,852	11,936	11,933	12,539	12,994	12,166	13,596	12,970	11,531	145,627
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**111,353**	**104,550**	**115,092**	**117,639**	**120,922**	**113,694**	**119,857**	**121,849**	**117,003**	**128,537**	**120,205**	**123,324**	**1,414,025**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,986	5,489	5,933	5,934	6,120	5,941	6,261	6,351	6,136	6,572	5,940	5,983	72,646
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	20,438	18,416	20,202	20,580	20,546	19,596	20,122	19,883	20,460	22,120	21,067	22,195	245,625
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	7,868	8,748	9,591	8,389	8,400	8,371	9,398	10,047	9,232	10,002	8,820	6,937	105,803
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	30,571	28,979	31,883	31,509	33,387	31,479	33,587	33,440	31,692	34,063	32,531	32,760	385,881
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,106	7,687	7,790	8,089	7,700	7,218	7,881	7,874	7,996	10,499	10,330	11,233	103,403
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,529	5,243	5,432	5,792	6,158	5,663	5,855	5,986	5,664	6,057	5,278	5,064	67,721
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,850	12,180	14,599	16,524	16,870	15,308	16,159	17,055	16,436	18,698	16,994	17,993	192,666
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,117	5,442	6,337	6,525	7,216	6,761	6,958	7,070	6,148	6,924	6,716	7,975	79,189
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,888	12,366	13,325	14,297	14,525	13,357	13,636	14,143	13,239	13,602	12,529	13,184	161,091
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**300,048**	**295,397**	**295,181**	**293,298**	**290,354**	**292,390**	**295,959**	**294,190**	**296,635**	**300,552**	**300,562**	**302,715**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**183,118**	**182,432**	**181,929**	**182,903**	**181,852**	**182,334**	**185,117**	**184,009**	**183,638**	**183,354**	**183,272**	**182,150**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,863	28,115	27,863	27,376	27,641	27,767	28,186	26,906	28,637	29,765	30,866	30,019	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,040	6,068	5,914	5,973	6,108	6,224	6,488	6,530	6,568	6,473	6,348	6,401	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,537	8,585	8,884	8,981	8,969	8,943	8,853	8,806	8,839	8,667	8,676	8,677	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	23,565	23,044	23,121	24,268	23,572	23,992	24,584	24,843	24,317	24,236	24,165	23,755	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	9,129	9,038	9,183	10,115	9,606	9,753	9,982	10,024	9,599	9,317	9,141	8,953	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,981	11,923	11,787	11,744	11,751	11,836	12,210	12,275	12,521	12,217	12,263	12,580	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	26,527	26,049	25,505	25,718	25,934	25,669	26,295	26,927	26,586	26,465	26,035	25,412	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,080	11,091	11,177	11,129	11,268	11,256	11,296	11,253	11,198	10,945	10,895	11,121	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	48,981	49,196	49,715	49,400	48,742	48,562	49,101	48,031	46,786	46,068	45,981	46,370	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,544	18,361	17,963	18,314	17,867	18,085	18,104	18,438	18,186	18,518	18,043	17,815	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**116,930**	**112,965**	**113,252**	**110,395**	**108,502**	**110,056**	**110,842**	**110,181**	**112,997**	**117,198**	**117,290**	**120,565**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,857	5,711	5,636	5,676	5,762	5,718	5,579	5,499	5,526	5,524	5,631	5,641	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	31,113	28,925	29,715	28,861	27,556	28,712	28,314	27,190	28,874	30,341	29,959	32,135	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	15,428	14,688	13,966	13,545	13,984	14,928	15,481	15,941	16,162	15,313	14,565	15,136	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,063	18,635	19,143	19,013	19,374	19,955	19,985	20,357	19,933	20,803	20,557	20,410	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,498	10,993	10,547	9,384	8,248	7,799	8,122	7,937	8,497	10,506	11,600	11,604	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,064	6,129	6,146	6,129	6,291	6,263	6,212	6,344	6,382	6,397	6,527	6,610	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	5,216	5,282	5,405	5,426	5,302	5,230	5,321	5,296	5,566	5,215	5,218	6,112	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,677	6,714	7,030	7,319	7,247	7,226	7,240	6,954	7,372	7,775	7,715	6,933	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,014	15,888	15,664	15,042	14,738	14,225	14,588	14,663	14,685	15,324	15,518	15,984	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.36**	**1.40**	**1.26**	**1.23**	**1.19**	**1.25**	**1.22**	**1.20**	**1.25**	**1.17**	**1.28**	**1.27**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.68**	**1.72**	**1.53**	**1.52**	**1.48**	**1.52**	**1.52**	**1.49**	**1.52**	**1.44**	**1.59**	**1.58**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.50	1.52	1.30	1.25	1.29	1.32	1.32	1.20	1.41	1.35	1.44	1.39	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.46	1.54	1.32	1.32	1.34	1.36	1.43	1.38	1.44	1.33	1.39	1.58	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.19	1.20	1.11	1.05	1.02	1.09	1.06	1.02	1.10	0.99	1.23	1.36	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.14	1.18	1.02	1.16	1.04	1.01	1.07	1.07	0.97	1.00	1.11	0.98	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.81	0.86	0.75	0.93	0.79	0.72	0.77	0.76	0.67	0.69	0.82	0.66	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.84	1.96	1.79	1.66	1.61	1.65	1.64	1.67	1.83	1.62	2.00	2.23	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.51	1.53	1.35	1.38	1.35	1.39	1.39	1.42	1.40	1.32	1.41	1.44	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.97	2.03	1.89	1.78	1.80	1.88	1.85	1.81	1.94	1.74	2.00	2.19	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.78	2.90	2.59	2.42	2.32	2.51	2.51	2.53	2.46	2.33	2.71	2.46	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.69	1.63	1.51	1.55	1.50	1.52	1.44	1.42	1.49	1.36	1.39	1.54	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.05**	**1.08**	**0.98**	**0.94**	**0.90**	**0.97**	**0.92**	**0.90**	**0.97**	**0.91**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	1.04	0.95	0.96	0.94	0.96	0.89	0.87	0.90	0.84	0.95	0.94	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.52	1.57	1.47	1.40	1.34	1.47	1.41	1.37	1.41	1.37	1.42	1.45	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.96	1.68	1.46	1.61	1.66	1.78	1.65	1.59	1.75	1.53	1.65	2.18	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.62	0.64	0.60	0.60	0.58	0.63	0.60	0.61	0.63	0.61	0.63	0.62	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.26	1.43	1.35	1.16	1.07	1.08	1.03	1.01	1.06	1.00	1.12	1.03	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.10	1.17	1.13	1.06	1.02	1.11	1.06	1.06	1.13	1.06	1.24	1.31	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.43	0.37	0.33	0.31	0.34	0.33	0.31	0.34	0.28	0.31	0.34	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.30	1.23	1.11	1.12	1.00	1.07	1.04	0.98	1.20	1.12	1.15	0.87	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.24	1.28	1.18	1.05	1.01	1.06	1.07	1.04	1.11	1.13	1.24	1.21	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2001 January	2001 February	2001 March	2001 April	2001 May	2001 June	2001 July	2001 August	2001 September	2001 October	2001 November	2001 December	2001 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**229,917**	**217,231**	**245,078**	**229,085**	**244,303**	**234,330**	**228,826**	**242,911**	**223,722**	**243,615**	**227,250**	**218,884**	**2,785,152**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**114,556**	**110,300**	**127,878**	**117,133**	**124,523**	**121,666**	**117,541**	**125,259**	**114,451**	**123,906**	**115,309**	**109,673**	**1,422,195**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	17,534	17,089	20,648	19,844	20,632	20,152	19,709	20,744	17,850	21,132	20,274	19,294	234,902
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,104	4,003	4,651	4,301	4,384	4,345	4,246	4,727	4,229	4,846	4,616	3,981	52,433
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,418	6,249	7,383	7,396	8,460	8,092	7,987	8,682	7,307	8,292	7,225	6,239	89,730
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	21,419	20,396	24,085	21,380	23,216	23,578	22,184	23,045	22,672	22,381	20,795	22,644	267,795
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,032	11,951	14,174	11,855	13,053	13,889	12,405	12,991	13,540	12,697	11,164	13,094	153,845
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,254	6,945	7,472	7,129	7,762	7,424	7,117	7,809	6,772	7,214	6,455	5,494	84,847
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	20,413	19,043	21,780	18,796	19,322	18,554	18,490	19,518	18,577	20,487	19,599	17,285	231,864
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,549	5,317	5,886	5,438	6,244	5,932	5,847	6,105	5,473	6,378	5,790	5,088	69,047
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	20,048	19,605	22,854	21,312	22,428	21,283	20,303	21,873	19,688	20,309	18,818	18,705	247,226
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,817	11,653	13,119	11,537	12,075	12,306	11,658	12,756	11,883	12,867	11,737	10,943	144,351
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**115,361**	**106,931**	**117,200**	**111,952**	**119,780**	**112,664**	**111,285**	**117,652**	**109,271**	**119,709**	**111,941**	**109,211**	**1,362,957**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,675	6,052	6,708	6,286	6,640	6,473	6,209	6,828	5,895	6,563	6,138	5,765	76,232
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	17,349	15,176	16,745	15,910	17,112	16,908	16,788	17,992	17,584	20,677	19,193	19,238	210,672
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	7,797	8,302	8,829	7,454	8,031	7,945	8,072	9,291	8,530	9,699	8,437	6,574	98,961
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	30,389	28,316	32,472	31,403	33,311	31,487	31,914	32,542	29,870	32,615	31,636	31,224	377,179
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,010	8,890	9,511	8,077	8,490	7,275	7,502	7,945	7,236	9,249	8,566	8,135	100,886
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,337	5,148	5,710	5,210	5,712	5,518	5,421	5,638	4,982	5,604	5,138	4,765	64,183
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	18,980	16,521	16,328	16,889	18,078	16,165	15,209	16,122	15,848	14,786	13,480	13,123	191,529
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,082	5,216	5,893	5,894	6,799	6,667	6,374	6,840	5,575	6,545	6,789	7,180	74,854
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,742	13,310	15,004	14,829	15,607	14,226	13,796	14,454	13,751	13,971	12,564	13,207	168,461
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**312,089**	**310,517**	**309,784**	**310,922**	**308,951**	**306,944**	**305,617**	**302,149**	**302,287**	**305,224**	**301,377**	**298,577**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**200,999**	**201,565**	**200,766**	**202,049**	**200,726**	**197,393**	**197,277**	**193,427**	**191,285**	**190,880**	**186,317**	**182,521**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	29,213	30,026	29,546	29,516	28,603	27,966	28,084	27,190	28,123	29,229	28,742	27,581	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6,546	6,470	6,470	6,384	6,485	6,443	6,562	6,456	6,520	6,399	6,228	6,052	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,445	8,532	8,771	8,641	8,616	8,522	8,588	8,628	8,621	8,578	8,390	8,276	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	27,242	26,989	26,110	27,037	25,979	25,644	26,137	25,488	24,582	24,698	23,829	23,498	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,009	11,661	11,127	11,859	11,164	10,569	11,084	10,440	9,875	10,013	9,656	9,275	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,420	13,259	13,055	12,940	12,904	12,865	12,928	12,833	12,522	12,347	12,102	12,337	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	32,073	31,670	31,436	32,015	31,556	31,097	30,454	29,849	29,461	28,878	27,823	26,607	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	11,456	11,558	11,609	11,609	11,436	11,531	11,413	11,574	11,392	11,134	11,016	11,018	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	51,552	52,454	53,615	53,653	54,618	53,977	53,704	52,165	51,139	50,663	49,529	49,028	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	21,052	20,607	20,154	20,254	20,529	19,348	19,407	19,244	18,925	18,954	18,658	18,124	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**111,090**	**108,952**	**109,018**	**108,873**	**108,225**	**109,551**	**108,340**	**108,722**	**111,002**	**114,344**	**115,060**	**116,056**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,550	6,608	6,539	6,625	6,630	6,374	6,234	6,105	6,081	6,119	6,067	5,989	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	24,146	22,457	23,811	24,379	24,452	25,821	25,703	25,817	28,043	28,515	29,061	30,681	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,854	14,791	14,407	14,714	15,434	16,230	16,276	16,366	16,118	15,694	14,596	14,643	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,967	19,520	19,642	19,505	19,255	19,390	18,831	19,138	19,092	19,156	19,415	19,278	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,478	10,797	9,882	8,962	8,059	7,415	7,236	7,331	7,824	10,389	11,368	11,309	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,935	5,890	6,104	6,294	6,254	6,241	6,270	6,113	6,131	6,138	6,104	6,158	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,775	4,821	4,711	4,656	4,904	4,931	4,893	4,821	4,774	4,728	4,936	5,302	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,628	6,730	6,773	6,984	6,916	7,145	6,995	6,889	7,129	7,347	7,071	6,348	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,757	17,338	17,149	16,754	16,321	16,004	15,902	16,142	15,810	16,258	16,442	16,348	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.36**	**1.43**	**1.26**	**1.36**	**1.26**	**1.31**	**1.34**	**1.24**	**1.35**	**1.25**	**1.33**	**1.36**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.76**	**1.83**	**1.57**	**1.73**	**1.61**	**1.62**	**1.68**	**1.54**	**1.67**	**1.54**	**1.62**	**1.66**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.67	1.76	1.43	1.49	1.39	1.39	1.42	1.31	1.58	1.38	1.42	1.43	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.60	1.62	1.39	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.55	1.37	1.54	1.32	1.35	1.52	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.32	1.37	1.19	1.17	1.02	1.05	1.08	0.99	1.18	1.03	1.16	1.33	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.27	1.33	1.09	1.27	1.12	1.09	1.18	1.11	1.09	1.11	1.15	1.04	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.93	0.98	0.79	1.01	0.86	0.77	0.90	0.81	0.73	0.79	0.87	0.71	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.85	1.91	1.75	1.81	1.66	1.73	1.82	1.64	1.85	1.71	1.87	2.25	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.57	1.66	1.44	1.70	1.63	1.68	1.65	1.53	1.59	1.41	1.42	1.54	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.06	2.17	1.97	2.13	1.83	1.94	1.95	1.90	2.08	1.75	1.90	2.17	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.57	2.68	2.35	2.52	2.44	2.54	2.65	2.38	2.60	2.49	2.63	2.62	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.78	1.77	1.54	1.76	1.70	1.57	1.66	1.51	1.59	1.47	1.59	1.66	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.96**	**1.02**	**0.93**	**0.97**	**0.90**	**0.97**	**0.97**	**0.92**	**1.02**	**0.96**	**1.03**	**1.06**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.98	1.09	0.97	1.05	1.00	0.98	1.00	0.89	1.03	0.93	0.99	1.04	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.39	1.48	1.42	1.53	1.43	1.53	1.53	1.43	1.59	1.38	1.51	1.59	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.91	1.78	1.63	1.97	1.92	2.04	2.02	1.76	1.89	1.62	1.73	2.23	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.66	0.69	0.60	0.62	0.58	0.62	0.59	0.59	0.64	0.59	0.61	0.62	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.15	1.21	1.04	1.11	0.95	1.02	0.96	0.92	1.08	1.12	1.33	1.39	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.11	1.14	1.07	1.21	1.09	1.13	1.16	1.08	1.23	1.10	1.19	1.29	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.25	0.29	0.29	0.28	0.27	0.31	0.32	0.30	0.30	0.32	0.37	0.40	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.30	1.29	1.15	1.18	1.02	1.07	1.10	1.01	1.28	1.12	1.04	0.88	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.22	1.30	1.14	1.13	1.05	1.12	1.15	1.12	1.15	1.16	1.31	1.24	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	2000 January	2000 February	2000 March	2000 April	2000 May	2000 June	2000 July	2000 August	2000 September	2000 October	2000 November	2000 December	2000 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**208,053**	**218,632**	**248,659**	**222,637**	**243,460**	**247,509**	**226,260**	**246,918**	**236,862**	**248,451**	**236,370**	**230,743**	**2,814,554**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**109,520**	**116,112**	**133,446**	**117,927**	**128,577**	**132,427**	**119,282**	**131,921**	**126,601**	**131,379**	**122,727**	**116,754**	**1,486,673**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	15,949	17,487	20,059	18,550	19,087	19,487	17,633	19,333	17,881	19,311	18,850	18,616	222,243
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,665	4,014	4,531	4,128	4,503	4,628	4,191	4,823	4,615	4,884	4,643	4,072	52,697
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,366	6,635	7,851	7,089	8,078	8,234	7,315	8,104	7,220	7,586	6,792	5,909	87,179
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	21,370	22,075	26,344	21,840	23,555	24,793	22,164	25,015	25,062	24,608	22,553	22,851	282,230
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,608	13,698	16,877	13,597	14,489	15,189	13,579	15,530	15,606	15,066	13,687	13,922	174,848
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,603	7,833	8,698	7,607	8,178	8,325	7,426	8,379	7,681	7,879	7,396	6,801	93,806
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	18,834	19,856	22,415	19,588	21,618	23,098	21,231	23,682	23,367	23,639	21,974	20,739	260,041
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	5,199	5,561	6,163	5,755	6,595	6,778	6,046	6,450	6,005	6,510	5,787	5,207	72,056
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	18,896	19,998	23,023	20,781	22,897	23,373	20,523	22,397	21,086	22,296	20,689	20,130	256,089
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,638	12,653	14,362	12,589	14,066	13,711	12,753	13,738	13,684	14,666	14,043	12,429	160,332
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**98,533**	**102,520**	**115,213**	**104,710**	**114,883**	**115,082**	**106,978**	**114,997**	**110,261**	**117,072**	**113,643**	**113,989**	**1,327,881**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	6,011	6,056	6,913	5,966	6,619	6,609	6,179	7,061	6,613	6,937	6,546	6,264	77,774
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	13,040	13,274	15,063	13,271	14,798	14,948	13,812	15,413	14,802	15,962	15,742	15,854	175,979
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6,851	8,408	9,266	7,369	7,526	8,126	7,870	9,145	8,560	8,986	7,939	6,455	96,501
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	28,729	28,810	32,096	29,983	33,287	32,073	31,585	32,447	30,290	31,837	31,816	31,772	374,725
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,307	8,340	8,953	7,917	8,886	8,369	7,514	8,141	7,873	9,646	9,143	9,577	102,666
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,695	4,761	5,456	4,935	5,458	5,605	5,038	5,649	5,180	5,496	5,087	4,899	62,259
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,637	14,771	15,795	14,546	15,710	16,972	16,097	16,803	17,553	18,144	17,300	18,438	195,766
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,243	4,952	6,008	5,353	6,435	6,673	5,636	6,630	5,887	6,322	6,520	6,678	71,337
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,020	13,148	15,663	15,370	16,164	15,707	13,247	13,708	13,503	13,742	13,550	14,052	170,874
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**296,138**	**296,352**	**297,482**	**300,258**	**299,012**	**300,966**	**303,462**	**301,773**	**302,619**	**309,833**	**311,322**	**309,710**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**190,891**	**193,412**	**194,484**	**198,153**	**199,142**	**201,047**	**203,015**	**201,550**	**200,060**	**200,932**	**200,902**	**198,525**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	27,882	28,688	28,853	29,189	28,998	28,811	28,587	27,853	27,955	28,601	29,025	28,796	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,775	5,806	5,870	5,971	6,205	6,463	6,720	6,831	6,613	6,660	6,548	6,413	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	8,501	8,701	9,037	9,110	9,114	9,166	9,015	8,707	8,596	8,332	8,314	8,328	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,604	27,923	27,250	27,864	27,300	27,172	27,749	27,230	27,747	28,569	28,393	27,269	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,514	13,203	11,968	12,472	11,757	11,698	12,164	11,809	12,391	13,390	12,907	12,070	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,155	13,414	13,683	14,086	14,006	14,179	14,397	14,261	14,115	13,818	13,643	13,645	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	27,734	27,864	27,647	27,872	28,455	29,351	30,409	30,672	30,738	31,201	31,595	31,264	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,521	10,916	11,006	11,409	11,481	11,706	11,637	11,714	11,480	11,406	11,406	11,532	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	49,345	50,281	51,529	52,547	53,020	53,196	53,018	52,808	51,995	51,484	51,505	51,057	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	19,374	19,819	19,609	20,105	20,563	21,003	21,483	21,474	20,821	20,861	20,473	20,221	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**105,247**	**102,940**	**102,998**	**102,105**	**99,870**	**99,919**	**100,447**	**100,223**	**102,559**	**108,901**	**110,420**	**111,185**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	6,161	6,077	6,343	6,484	6,487	6,431	6,496	6,512	6,512	6,713	6,739	6,747	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	20,410	19,340	19,883	19,941	18,964	20,126	20,770	20,171	21,255	22,402	22,361	23,901	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,535	14,008	13,466	13,698	14,211	14,374	14,825	14,711	14,686	14,290	13,803	14,209	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,939	19,680	19,780	19,736	19,656	19,475	19,480	19,533	20,104	21,070	21,501	20,509	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,161	10,241	9,956	9,181	8,012	7,119	6,584	6,529	7,200	10,459	11,454	11,464	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	6,025	6,115	6,223	6,204	6,203	6,218	6,257	6,186	6,004	5,940	5,968	6,047	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,362	4,422	4,485	4,445	4,358	4,631	4,596	4,844	4,753	4,858	5,256	5,234	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	6,370	6,585	6,655	6,921	6,936	6,910	6,906	6,868	7,090	7,395	7,268	6,494	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	16,284	16,472	16,207	15,495	15,043	14,635	14,533	14,869	14,955	15,774	16,070	16,580	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.42**	**1.36**	**1.20**	**1.35**	**1.23**	**1.22**	**1.34**	**1.22**	**1.28**	**1.25**	**1.32**	**1.34**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.74**	**1.67**	**1.46**	**1.68**	**1.55**	**1.52**	**1.70**	**1.53**	**1.58**	**1.53**	**1.64**	**1.70**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.75	1.64	1.44	1.57	1.52	1.48	1.62	1.44	1.56	1.48	1.54	1.55	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.58	1.45	1.30	1.45	1.38	1.40	1.60	1.42	1.43	1.36	1.41	1.57	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.34	1.31	1.15	1.29	1.13	1.11	1.23	1.07	1.19	1.10	1.22	1.41	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.34	1.27	1.04	1.28	1.16	1.10	1.25	1.09	1.11	1.16	1.26	1.20	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.00	0.97	0.71	0.92	0.81	0.77	0.90	0.76	0.80	0.89	0.95	0.87	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.73	1.71	1.57	1.85	1.71	1.70	1.94	1.70	1.84	1.75	1.84	2.01	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.47	1.40	1.23	1.42	1.32	1.27	1.43	1.30	1.32	1.32	1.44	1.51	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.02	1.96	1.79	1.98	1.74	1.73	1.92	1.82	1.91	1.75	1.97	2.21	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.61	2.51	2.24	2.53	2.32	2.28	2.58	2.36	2.47	2.31	2.49	2.54	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.66	1.57	1.37	1.60	1.46	1.53	1.68	1.56	1.52	1.42	1.46	1.63	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.07**	**1.00**	**0.89**	**0.98**	**0.87**	**0.87**	**0.94**	**0.87**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.97**	**0.98**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.00	0.92	1.09	0.98	0.97	1.05	0.92	0.98	0.97	1.03	1.08	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.57	1.46	1.32	1.50	1.28	1.35	1.50	1.31	1.44	1.40	1.42	1.51	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.12	1.67	1.45	1.86	1.89	1.77	1.88	1.61	1.72	1.59	1.74	2.20	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.69	0.68	0.62	0.66	0.59	0.61	0.62	0.60	0.66	0.66	0.68	0.65	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.34	1.23	1.11	1.16	0.90	0.85	0.88	0.80	0.91	1.08	1.25	1.20	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.28	1.28	1.14	1.26	1.14	1.11	1.24	1.10	1.16	1.08	1.17	1.23	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.32	0.30	0.28	0.31	0.28	0.27	0.29	0.29	0.27	0.27	0.30	0.28	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.50	1.33	1.11	1.29	1.08	1.04	1.23	1.04	1.20	1.17	1.11	0.97	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.25	1.25	1.03	1.01	0.93	0.93	1.10	1.08	1.11	1.15	1.19	1.18	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1999 January	1999 February	1999 March	1999 April	1999 May	1999 June	1999 July	1999 August	1999 September	1999 October	1999 November	1999 December	1999 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**184,434**	**188,602**	**225,471**	**212,372**	**211,738**	**226,910**	**215,120**	**223,078**	**226,580**	**226,868**	**225,903**	**232,083**	**2,599,159**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**97,358**	**102,247**	**123,416**	**114,675**	**112,860**	**123,983**	**116,968**	**121,319**	**124,122**	**123,522**	**121,044**	**124,857**	**1,406,371**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,847	15,758	18,584	17,921	17,174	18,718	17,928	17,953	17,749	18,904	18,513	19,308	212,357
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,179	3,365	3,960	3,827	3,721	3,942	3,967	4,197	4,166	4,279	4,259	4,063	46,925
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,617	5,917	7,335	7,400	7,540	8,485	8,159	8,186	7,952	7,792	7,396	6,726	88,505
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	19,701	20,085	25,153	22,046	21,962	25,141	23,187	24,247	26,008	24,312	23,333	26,668	281,843
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,128	12,502	15,868	13,333	13,434	15,419	14,478	15,315	16,474	15,483	14,307	17,038	175,779
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	6,934	6,876	7,843	7,287	6,908	7,456	6,936	7,180	7,118	7,368	7,288	7,320	86,514
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	15,118	15,989	19,138	17,358	17,175	19,151	18,562	19,568	20,546	20,598	20,316	20,606	224,125
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,958	4,963	5,806	5,735	5,770	6,350	6,040	6,081	5,840	5,919	5,718	5,325	68,505
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	17,847	18,371	22,882	21,547	20,842	22,201	20,331	21,164	20,709	20,490	20,261	21,348	247,993
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	10,157	10,923	12,715	11,554	11,768	12,539	11,858	12,743	14,034	13,860	13,960	13,493	149,604
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**87,076**	**86,355**	**102,055**	**97,697**	**98,878**	**102,927**	**98,152**	**101,759**	**102,458**	**103,346**	**104,859**	**107,226**	**1,192,788**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,489	5,409	6,091	5,888	5,800	6,355	5,998	6,519	6,573	6,585	6,354	6,097	73,158
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	11,407	10,933	12,829	12,460	11,791	12,787	12,286	12,733	13,072	12,832	13,625	14,772	151,527
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6,617	7,405	9,094	7,196	6,496	7,643	7,609	8,184	8,426	8,122	7,344	6,233	90,369
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	26,473	25,902	30,509	28,851	30,548	29,863	30,028	30,389	30,294	30,527	31,087	31,622	356,093
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,572	8,181	9,095	7,688	8,270	8,522	7,351	7,496	8,065	8,977	9,254	8,940	100,411
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,450	4,227	5,025	4,733	4,772	5,344	4,850	5,023	4,809	4,896	4,826	4,758	57,713
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	9,314	8,529	10,395	11,240	11,302	11,621	11,923	12,880	12,586	12,840	13,104	14,005	139,739
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,032	4,435	5,479	5,483	5,587	6,176	5,621	5,889	5,828	5,849	6,180	6,771	67,330
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,722	11,334	13,538	14,158	14,312	14,616	12,486	12,646	12,805	12,718	13,085	14,028	156,448
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**276,001**	**276,829**	**276,576**	**277,196**	**274,869**	**274,612**	**279,113**	**277,044**	**279,218**	**287,817**	**290,851**	**290,382**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**178,261**	**180,316**	**180,841**	**181,606**	**182,693**	**183,094**	**186,112**	**184,071**	**184,477**	**186,466**	**188,384**	**187,738**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	24,300	25,079	25,119	25,127	25,321	25,020	25,555	25,245	26,020	26,550	27,343	26,816	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	5,276	5,305	5,308	5,219	5,376	5,606	5,763	5,762	5,786	5,911	5,622	5,706	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,591	7,725	8,095	8,278	8,414	8,460	8,589	8,449	8,454	8,262	8,138	8,128	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	26,692	27,047	26,711	26,235	26,283	26,480	26,896	26,368	26,505	27,688	28,250	27,819	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	12,743	13,079	12,247	11,888	12,380	12,444	12,768	12,467	12,316	13,184	13,629	13,520	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	13,007	12,598	12,236	12,231	12,328	12,355	12,339	12,115	12,140	12,199	12,433	12,983	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	24,621	24,867	24,281	24,250	24,787	25,227	26,303	26,280	26,290	26,408	27,086	27,400	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	10,293	10,374	10,528	10,617	10,642	10,653	10,657	10,454	10,431	10,365	10,514	10,496	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	47,986	48,984	50,196	51,288	51,034	50,977	51,640	50,750	50,002	50,074	50,067	49,757	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	18,495	18,337	18,367	18,361	18,508	18,316	18,370	18,648	18,849	19,009	18,931	18,633	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**97,740**	**96,513**	**95,735**	**95,590**	**92,176**	**91,518**	**93,001**	**92,973**	**94,741**	**101,351**	**102,467**	**102,644**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,801	5,749	5,901	6,003	5,906	5,910	6,003	5,980	6,012	6,053	6,130	5,983	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	16,843	16,142	16,364	17,119	16,635	17,344	17,912	17,606	17,935	19,154	18,789	19,278	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,057	14,219	13,186	12,987	13,144	13,356	13,653	13,609	13,320	13,183	13,026	13,703	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,843	18,821	19,184	19,554	19,444	18,929	19,441	19,463	19,807	20,781	21,056	20,372	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,901	9,992	9,333	8,699	7,286	6,595	6,265	6,561	7,282	10,801	11,059	10,610	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,860	5,910	5,825	5,803	5,803	5,725	5,874	5,728	5,692	5,716	5,827	6,079	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3,762	3,775	3,801	3,916	3,901	4,018	4,177	4,167	4,345	4,381	4,467	4,359	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,985	6,359	6,778	6,732	6,831	6,833	6,927	6,795	6,887	7,111	6,924	6,147	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,688	15,546	15,363	14,777	13,226	12,808	12,749	13,064	13,461	14,171	15,189	16,113	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.50**	**1.47**	**1.23**	**1.31**	**1.30**	**1.21**	**1.30**	**1.24**	**1.23**	**1.27**	**1.29**	**1.25**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.83**	**1.76**	**1.47**	**1.58**	**1.62**	**1.48**	**1.59**	**1.52**	**1.49**	**1.51**	**1.56**	**1.50**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.75	1.59	1.35	1.40	1.47	1.34	1.43	1.41	1.47	1.40	1.48	1.39	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.66	1.58	1.34	1.36	1.44	1.42	1.45	1.37	1.39	1.38	1.32	1.40	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.35	1.31	1.10	1.12	1.12	1.00	1.05	1.03	1.06	1.06	1.10	1.21	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.36	1.35	1.06	1.19	1.20	1.05	1.16	1.09	1.02	1.14	1.21	1.04	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.05	1.05	0.77	0.89	0.92	0.81	0.88	0.82	0.75	0.85	0.95	0.79	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.88	1.83	1.56	1.68	1.78	1.66	1.78	1.69	1.71	1.66	1.71	1.77	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.63	1.56	1.27	1.40	1.44	1.32	1.42	1.34	1.28	1.28	1.33	1.33	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.08	2.09	1.81	1.85	1.84	1.68	1.76	1.72	1.79	1.75	1.84	1.97	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.69	2.67	2.19	2.38	2.45	2.30	2.54	2.40	2.41	2.44	2.47	2.33	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.82	1.68	1.44	1.59	1.57	1.46	1.55	1.46	1.34	1.37	1.36	1.38	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.12**	**1.12**	**0.94**	**0.98**	**0.93**	**0.89**	**0.95**	**0.91**	**0.92**	**0.98**	**0.98**	**0.96**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.06	1.06	0.97	1.02	1.02	0.93	1.00	0.92	0.91	0.92	0.96	0.98	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.48	1.48	1.28	1.37	1.41	1.36	1.46	1.38	1.37	1.49	1.38	1.31	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.12	1.92	1.45	1.80	2.02	1.75	1.79	1.66	1.58	1.62	1.77	2.20	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.71	0.73	0.63	0.68	0.64	0.63	0.65	0.64	0.65	0.68	0.68	0.64	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.27	1.22	1.03	1.13	0.88	0.77	0.85	0.88	0.90	1.20	1.19	1.19	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.32	1.40	1.16	1.23	1.22	1.07	1.21	1.14	1.18	1.17	1.21	1.28	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.44	0.37	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.32	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.31	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.48	1.43	1.24	1.23	1.22	1.11	1.23	1.15	1.18	1.22	1.12	0.91	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.46	1.37	1.13	1.04	0.92	0.88	1.02	1.03	1.05	1.11	1.16	1.15	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1998 January	1998 February	1998 March	1998 April	1998 May	1998 June	1998 July	1998 August	1998 September	1998 October	1998 November	1998 December	1998 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**187,750**	**183,337**	**211,184**	**204,583**	**198,874**	**210,701**	**204,982**	**199,128**	**207,425**	**212,915**	**196,656**	**209,585**	**2,427,120**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**98,289**	**97,590**	**115,308**	**109,998**	**105,782**	**115,744**	**110,970**	**108,472**	**113,601**	**115,044**	**104,493**	**111,254**	**1,306,545**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,071	13,176	16,469	15,782	15,250	15,912	15,694	15,174	15,552	15,917	15,256	16,488	183,741
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	3,216	3,083	3,693	3,549	3,398	3,751	3,562	3,675	3,781	3,859	3,803	3,650	43,020
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,547	5,444	6,322	6,676	6,664	7,301	7,492	7,290	7,159	7,350	6,379	6,160	79,784
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	19,461	19,020	22,694	20,986	19,581	22,908	21,663	21,552	23,411	22,633	19,720	23,889	257,518
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,809	11,639	14,225	13,087	12,063	14,814	13,513	13,184	14,204	13,356	11,758	14,184	157,836
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,319	7,114	8,155	7,702	7,371	7,797	7,403	7,288	7,535	7,425	6,661	6,744	88,514
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	14,937	15,053	17,546	16,186	16,086	17,393	17,077	16,834	18,119	18,642	16,547	16,725	201,145
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,933	4,778	5,253	5,328	5,462	6,209	6,012	5,527	5,646	5,826	5,362	5,204	65,540
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	18,643	18,625	21,903	21,555	20,632	22,127	20,249	19,556	20,331	20,403	18,963	20,711	243,698
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,162	11,297	13,273	12,234	11,338	12,346	11,818	11,576	12,067	12,989	11,802	11,683	143,585
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**89,461**	**85,747**	**95,876**	**94,585**	**93,092**	**94,957**	**94,012**	**90,656**	**93,824**	**97,871**	**92,163**	**98,331**	**1,120,575**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,422	5,171	6,029	5,769	5,500	5,977	5,769	5,857	6,111	6,138	5,555	5,804	69,102
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,138	9,394	10,724	10,109	9,548	10,175	10,429	9,888	10,916	11,261	10,747	12,270	125,599
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6,957	7,670	8,277	7,036	6,010	7,084	7,616	7,699	7,742	8,299	6,563	5,868	86,821
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	26,497	25,640	28,616	28,254	28,737	29,227	29,764	28,812	28,370	29,741	28,391	29,577	341,626
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,215	9,236	9,768	8,733	8,632	8,434	7,975	7,755	8,666	9,715	9,327	10,586	110,042
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,608	4,456	4,731	4,735	4,757	4,966	4,750	4,698	4,675	4,948	4,481	4,495	56,300
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,198	9,445	9,918	10,164	10,297	10,131	10,282	9,321	9,713	10,113	9,657	9,776	119,015
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,796	4,019	4,898	5,090	5,237	5,447	5,435	5,107	5,515	5,583	5,346	6,286	61,759
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,630	10,716	12,915	14,695	14,374	13,516	11,992	11,519	12,116	12,073	12,096	13,669	150,311
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**262,681**	**263,903**	**264,171**	**264,459**	**263,407**	**261,957**	**264,087**	**263,800**	**265,598**	**271,986**	**273,061**	**272,575**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**168,306**	**171,113**	**172,558**	**174,229**	**174,823**	**173,392**	**175,213**	**175,610**	**175,318**	**176,653**	**175,872**	**175,994**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,557	24,546	24,703	23,697	23,050	22,231	22,073	22,107	22,575	23,457	23,297	23,453	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,978	4,943	4,921	5,021	5,190	5,323	5,450	5,526	5,542	5,552	5,331	5,268	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,904	8,034	8,152	8,294	8,173	8,163	8,120	8,198	7,758	7,513	7,503	7,365	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	28,369	28,105	28,693	29,213	28,694	27,701	28,192	27,733	27,236	27,465	27,617	26,698	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	13,749	13,274	14,099	14,380	14,048	13,480	13,462	13,305	12,769	12,896	13,111	12,985	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	12,420	12,400	12,502	12,452	12,526	12,456	12,499	12,712	12,636	12,530	12,612	12,947	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	22,585	22,859	22,955	23,535	23,920	24,326	24,564	24,685	24,537	24,047	24,223	24,234	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,532	9,990	10,048	10,306	10,360	10,421	10,278	10,358	10,209	10,121	10,117	10,181	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	41,567	42,732	43,579	44,344	45,174	45,113	46,092	45,805	45,871	46,829	46,699	47,762	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	17,394	17,504	17,005	17,367	17,736	17,658	17,945	18,486	18,954	19,139	18,473	18,086	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**94,375**	**92,790**	**91,613**	**90,230**	**88,584**	**88,565**	**88,874**	**88,190**	**90,280**	**95,333**	**97,189**	**96,581**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,729	5,927	6,071	6,123	5,968	5,942	5,939	5,843	5,811	5,686	5,794	5,890	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	14,617	14,281	14,433	14,654	14,266	14,284	14,612	14,368	14,632	15,311	15,418	15,873	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	14,138	13,383	12,916	13,039	13,230	13,863	14,059	14,178	13,955	13,758	13,521	14,021	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	19,018	18,822	18,547	18,940	19,230	19,056	19,115	18,937	19,208	19,848	19,792	19,037	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,160	10,103	8,982	7,475	6,247	6,177	5,908	5,805	6,837	10,463	11,342	10,912	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,461	5,386	5,380	5,510	5,687	5,438	5,649	5,575	5,591	5,543	5,718	5,783	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,093	3,838	3,829	3,957	4,100	3,905	3,894	3,881	4,115	4,012	3,846	3,793	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,453	5,751	6,156	6,001	5,910	6,336	6,277	6,338	6,653	6,938	6,965	5,796	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	14,706	15,299	15,299	14,531	13,946	13,564	13,421	13,265	13,478	13,774	14,793	15,476	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.40**	**1.44**	**1.25**	**1.29**	**1.32**	**1.24**	**1.29**	**1.32**	**1.28**	**1.28**	**1.39**	**1.30**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.71**	**1.75**	**1.50**	**1.58**	**1.65**	**1.50**	**1.58**	**1.62**	**1.54**	**1.54**	**1.68**	**1.58**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.80	1.86	1.50	1.50	1.51	1.40	1.41	1.46	1.45	1.47	1.53	1.42	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.55	1.60	1.33	1.41	1.53	1.42	1.53	1.50	1.47	1.44	1.40	1.44	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.42	1.48	1.29	1.24	1.23	1.12	1.08	1.12	1.08	1.02	1.18	1.20	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.46	1.48	1.26	1.39	1.47	1.21	1.30	1.29	1.16	1.21	1.40	1.12	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.16	1.14	0.99	1.10	1.16	0.91	1.00	1.01	0.90	0.97	1.12	0.92	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.70	1.74	1.53	1.62	1.70	1.60	1.69	1.74	1.68	1.69	1.89	1.92	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.51	1.52	1.31	1.45	1.49	1.40	1.44	1.47	1.35	1.29	1.46	1.45	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.93	2.09	1.91	1.93	1.90	1.68	1.71	1.87	1.81	1.74	1.89	1.96	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.23	2.29	1.99	2.06	2.19	2.04	2.28	2.34	2.26	2.30	2.46	2.31	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.56	1.55	1.28	1.42	1.56	1.43	1.52	1.60	1.57	1.47	1.57	1.55	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.05**	**1.08**	**0.96**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**0.93**	**0.95**	**0.97**	**0.96**	**0.97**	**1.05**	**0.98**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.06	1.15	1.01	1.06	1.09	0.99	1.03	1.00	0.95	0.93	1.04	1.01	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.44	1.52	1.35	1.45	1.49	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.34	1.36	1.43	1.29	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.03	1.74	1.56	1.85	2.20	1.96	1.85	1.84	1.80	1.66	2.06	2.39	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.72	0.73	0.65	0.67	0.67	0.65	0.64	0.66	0.68	0.67	0.70	0.64	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.00	1.09	0.92	0.86	0.72	0.73	0.74	0.75	0.79	1.08	1.22	1.03	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.19	1.21	1.14	1.16	1.20	1.10	1.19	1.19	1.20	1.12	1.28	1.29	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.41	0.39	0.39	0.40	0.39	0.38	0.42	0.42	0.40	0.40	0.39	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.44	1.43	1.26	1.18	1.13	1.16	1.15	1.24	1.21	1.24	1.30	0.92	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.38	1.43	1.18	0.99	0.97	1.00	1.12	1.15	1.11	1.14	1.22	1.13	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1997 January	1997 February	1997 March	1997 April	1997 May	1997 June	1997 July	1997 August	1997 September	1997 October	1997 November	1997 December	1997 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**186,983**	**181,571**	**200,205**	**198,723**	**200,357**	**199,810**	**200,632**	**195,457**	**206,341**	**215,636**	**188,397**	**203,733**	**2,377,845**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**94,322**	**93,933**	**104,916**	**104,371**	**104,117**	**107,116**	**107,231**	**104,189**	**112,678**	**115,875**	**99,981**	**107,655**	**1,256,384**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,094	13,157	15,266	14,906	15,028	15,082	14,849	13,470	14,377	15,465	13,739	13,910	172,343
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,995	3,082	3,275	3,305	3,238	3,225	3,265	3,244	3,786	3,900	3,390	3,522	40,227
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,458	5,471	6,134	6,758	6,764	7,012	7,200	7,073	6,913	7,176	5,702	5,791	77,452
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	17,974	17,505	19,800	18,867	18,718	20,388	19,707	19,258	21,884	21,593	18,757	22,727	237,178
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	10,635	10,286	11,743	11,153	10,745	12,320	11,724	11,714	13,415	12,882	11,498	13,945	142,060
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,360	7,136	7,478	7,979	7,675	7,865	7,642	7,663	7,975	8,305	7,084	7,391	91,553
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	14,673	14,500	16,319	15,568	15,876	16,433	16,989	16,976	18,144	18,123	15,610	16,404	195,615
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,616	4,425	4,822	5,264	5,246	5,568	5,781	5,308	5,606	5,932	4,995	4,968	62,531
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	16,658	16,980	18,714	19,189	19,067	19,266	19,208	18,081	19,258	20,450	17,143	19,836	223,850
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,494	11,677	13,108	12,535	12,505	12,277	12,590	13,116	14,735	14,931	13,561	13,106	155,635
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**92,661**	**87,638**	**95,289**	**94,352**	**96,240**	**92,694**	**93,401**	**91,268**	**93,663**	**99,761**	**88,416**	**96,078**	**1,121,461**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,490	5,251	5,566	5,659	5,197	5,319	5,458	5,686	5,905	6,157	5,322	5,482	66,492
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	8,905	7,855	8,527	8,850	8,618	8,597	9,192	8,680	9,428	9,894	8,763	10,070	107,379
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6,669	7,224	7,372	6,873	5,953	6,618	7,838	7,619	7,920	8,046	6,393	5,833	84,358
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	26,702	24,891	28,521	27,171	29,027	27,920	28,378	27,302	27,024	28,280	26,584	28,411	330,211
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	12,321	11,071	10,801	11,021	10,862	9,863	9,608	9,377	10,938	13,723	10,982	12,316	132,883
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,449	4,275	4,618	4,810	4,870	4,916	4,926	4,748	4,774	4,975	4,264	4,423	56,048
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	13,676	11,903	11,990	11,274	11,705	11,063	11,074	11,866	11,024	11,571	10,772	11,590	139,508
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,758	3,825	4,454	4,635	5,210	5,057	5,231	5,034	4,970	5,342	4,831	5,965	58,312
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,691	11,343	13,440	14,059	14,798	13,341	11,696	10,956	11,680	11,773	10,505	11,988	146,270
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**247,376**	**245,892**	**245,647**	**246,824**	**244,939**	**248,157**	**249,197**	**247,140**	**249,692**	**256,466**	**258,341**	**258,900**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**157,100**	**157,912**	**159,030**	**161,267**	**162,343**	**165,196**	**165,495**	**164,071**	**164,817**	**164,874**	**164,725**	**165,371**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,094	23,199	22,974	22,656	22,913	23,279	23,273	22,886	23,259	23,182	23,100	22,312	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,820	4,688	4,625	4,802	4,966	4,940	4,919	5,089	5,128	4,968	4,941	4,884	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	7,081	7,434	7,702	7,884	8,017	8,218	8,168	8,175	8,105	7,727	7,851	7,744	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	24,485	24,240	24,391	25,340	25,294	26,089	26,840	25,875	26,667	27,687	27,666	27,505	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	11,342	11,030	11,128	11,688	11,838	12,584	13,044	12,338	13,084	13,666	13,358	13,432	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,725	11,907	12,073	12,168	12,135	12,299	12,356	12,216	12,074	11,885	11,823	12,338	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	22,965	22,925	22,872	22,854	22,985	23,596	23,774	23,822	23,285	22,596	22,361	22,318	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	9,146	9,314	9,241	9,564	9,638	9,514	9,344	9,405	9,465	9,334	9,349	9,372	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	37,694	38,178	39,007	39,985	40,567	40,909	39,973	39,457	39,542	40,518	40,807	41,763	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,090	16,027	16,145	16,014	15,828	16,352	16,848	17,146	17,292	16,977	16,827	17,135	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**90,276**	**87,980**	**86,617**	**85,557**	**82,596**	**82,961**	**83,702**	**83,069**	**84,875**	**91,592**	**93,616**	**93,529**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,480	5,366	5,397	5,497	5,430	5,349	5,649	5,743	5,724	5,740	5,742	5,942	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	12,879	11,983	12,068	11,886	11,459	11,955	12,361	12,560	12,900	13,048	13,313	13,671	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,727	12,431	12,067	12,108	12,368	13,135	13,398	13,282	13,144	13,393	13,129	13,592	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,097	17,514	17,757	17,536	17,792	17,927	17,957	17,615	18,114	19,580	19,485	19,011	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,095	10,660	9,606	8,849	7,275	6,743	6,707	6,078	6,511	10,887	12,492	11,278	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5,211	5,311	5,359	5,247	5,141	5,431	5,452	5,452	5,322	5,326	5,468	5,433	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,617	4,475	4,269	4,264	4,287	3,971	4,020	4,044	4,162	4,295	4,228	4,340	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5,149	5,158	5,076	5,437	5,144	5,557	5,543	5,480	5,874	5,989	5,941	5,478	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,021	15,082	15,018	14,733	13,700	12,893	12,615	12,815	13,124	13,334	13,818	14,784	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.32**	**1.35**	**1.23**	**1.24**	**1.22**	**1.24**	**1.24**	**1.26**	**1.21**	**1.19**	**1.37**	**1.27**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.67**	**1.68**	**1.52**	**1.55**	**1.56**	**1.54**	**1.54**	**1.57**	**1.46**	**1.42**	**1.65**	**1.54**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.76	1.76	1.50	1.52	1.52	1.54	1.57	1.70	1.62	1.50	1.68	1.60	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.61	1.52	1.41	1.45	1.53	1.53	1.51	1.57	1.35	1.27	1.46	1.39	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.30	1.36	1.26	1.17	1.19	1.17	1.13	1.16	1.17	1.08	1.38	1.34	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.36	1.38	1.23	1.34	1.35	1.28	1.36	1.34	1.22	1.28	1.47	1.21	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	1.07	1.07	0.95	1.05	1.10	1.02	1.11	1.05	0.98	1.06	1.16	0.96	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.59	1.67	1.61	1.53	1.58	1.56	1.62	1.59	1.51	1.43	1.67	1.67	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.57	1.58	1.40	1.47	1.45	1.44	1.40	1.40	1.28	1.25	1.43	1.36	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.98	2.10	1.92	1.82	1.84	1.71	1.62	1.77	1.69	1.57	1.87	1.89	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.26	2.25	2.08	2.08	2.13	2.12	2.08	2.18	2.05	1.98	2.38	2.11	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.40	1.37	1.23	1.28	1.27	1.33	1.34	1.31	1.17	1.14	1.24	1.31	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.97**	**1.00**	**0.91**	**0.91**	**0.86**	**0.89**	**0.90**	**0.91**	**0.91**	**0.92**	**1.06**	**0.97**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.00	1.02	0.97	0.97	1.04	1.01	1.03	1.01	0.97	0.93	1.08	1.08	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.45	1.53	1.42	1.34	1.33	1.39	1.34	1.45	1.37	1.32	1.52	1.36	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	1.91	1.72	1.64	1.76	2.08	1.98	1.71	1.74	1.66	1.66	2.05	2.33	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.68	0.70	0.62	0.65	0.61	0.64	0.63	0.65	0.67	0.69	0.73	0.67	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.90	0.96	0.89	0.80	0.67	0.68	0.70	0.65	0.60	0.79	1.14	0.92	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.17	1.24	1.16	1.09	1.06	1.10	1.11	1.15	1.11	1.07	1.28	1.23	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.34	0.38	0.36	0.38	0.37	0.36	0.36	0.34	0.38	0.37	0.39	0.37	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.37	1.35	1.14	1.17	0.99	1.10	1.06	1.09	1.18	1.12	1.23	0.92	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.41	1.33	1.12	1.05	0.93	0.97	1.08	1.17	1.12	1.13	1.32	1.23	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1996 January	1996 February	1996 March	1996 April	1996 May	1996 June	1996 July	1996 August	1996 September	1996 October	1996 November	1996 December	1996 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**178,477**	**176,150**	**189,303**	**189,906**	**195,454**	**185,356**	**193,212**	**196,149**	**190,873**	**209,454**	**189,016**	**190,993**	**2,284,343**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**91,180**	**91,351**	**100,412**	**98,381**	**101,007**	**97,680**	**99,333**	**101,803**	**101,668**	**110,072**	**98,588**	**98,867**	**1,190,342**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	13,432	13,738	15,522	15,111	14,807	14,208	14,608	14,096	13,212	15,035	13,838	14,457	172,064
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,663	2,839	3,027	3,123	3,300	3,125	3,167	3,281	3,361	3,581	3,369	3,259	38,095
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	4,940	4,968	5,625	5,900	6,521	6,337	6,623	6,962	6,467	7,046	6,021	5,345	72,755
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	17,055	16,779	18,637	17,412	18,246	18,222	18,477	18,960	19,403	19,643	18,047	19,359	220,240
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,164	7,005	7,117	7,429	7,751	7,050	6,976	7,404	6,946	7,677	6,910	6,748	86,177
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	15,103	14,973	16,274	15,159	15,182	15,197	15,634	15,956	16,567	17,545	15,364	14,200	187,154
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,313	4,237	4,506	4,731	4,926	5,112	5,269	5,189	5,358	5,757	5,012	4,667	59,077
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	16,038	15,946	17,720	18,325	17,956	16,572	16,907	16,947	16,608	18,788	16,836	17,945	206,588
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	10,472	10,866	11,984	11,191	12,318	11,857	11,672	13,008	13,746	15,000	13,191	12,887	148,192
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**87,297**	**84,799**	**88,891**	**91,525**	**94,447**	**87,676**	**93,879**	**94,346**	**89,205**	**99,382**	**90,428**	**92,126**	**1,094,001**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,359	5,182	5,478	5,416	5,452	5,183	5,549	5,705	5,400	5,881	5,091	5,148	64,844
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	7,979	7,169	7,266	7,717	7,754	7,147	7,859	7,724	8,083	9,021	8,046	8,556	94,321
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	4,915	5,647	6,268	5,571	5,224	5,992	6,756	6,902	7,043	7,679	5,861	5,254	73,112
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	26,173	24,948	26,023	25,872	27,493	25,266	27,848	27,577	25,583	28,325	26,456	26,257	317,821
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	13,220	11,701	12,304	11,850	11,709	10,869	12,022	12,097	11,182	12,950	12,198	12,863	144,965
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,263	4,198	4,425	4,642	4,935	4,530	4,554	4,664	4,320	4,756	4,237	4,065	53,589
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	11,354	11,002	11,424	12,122	12,491	10,773	11,632	11,934	11,549	13,185	12,717	13,310	143,493
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,699	3,983	4,262	4,619	5,219	4,836	4,941	5,062	4,365	5,012	4,850	5,097	55,945
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	10,335	10,969	11,441	13,716	14,170	13,080	12,718	12,681	11,680	12,573	10,972	11,576	145,911
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**244,457**	**242,337**	**240,010**	**244,254**	**240,520**	**238,076**	**240,877**	**237,489**	**236,402**	**242,824**	**242,781**	**241,396**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**154,521**	**154,691**	**153,816**	**156,530**	**156,012**	**154,697**	**157,462**	**156,418**	**155,500**	**155,727**	**155,511**	**154,207**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,186	24,043	22,345	23,554	23,150	22,672	23,078	22,353	21,940	22,749	23,284	21,595	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,742	4,842	4,928	4,763	4,919	5,027	5,053	5,118	5,128	4,926	4,899	4,801	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,599	6,776	6,981	6,892	6,952	7,113	7,008	7,085	7,283	6,906	6,944	7,034	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	23,841	23,074	23,655	23,655	23,250	23,211	23,631	23,816	23,935	23,660	24,199	24,403	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,044	10,791	10,925	10,846	10,788	10,692	10,931	10,910	10,768	10,924	10,972	11,604	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	24,238	24,037	23,444	24,087	24,353	23,678	23,944	23,633	22,827	22,522	22,753	22,296	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,532	8,691	8,874	8,902	9,028	8,867	9,035	9,055	8,978	9,059	9,008	9,158	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	36,210	36,708	37,153	37,547	37,349	37,207	37,896	37,603	37,842	37,751	37,291	37,423	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	16,129	15,729	15,511	16,284	16,223	16,230	16,886	16,845	16,799	17,230	16,161	15,893	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**89,936**	**87,646**	**86,194**	**87,724**	**84,508**	**83,379**	**83,415**	**81,071**	**80,902**	**87,097**	**87,270**	**87,189**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,474	5,206	5,239	5,314	5,129	5,280	5,200	5,090	5,335	5,266	5,071	5,302	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	11,244	10,826	10,547	10,849	10,119	10,392	10,907	10,705	10,514	11,558	11,608	12,049	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,000	11,795	11,109	11,392	11,512	12,012	12,108	11,786	11,806	11,295	10,775	12,054	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	18,359	17,732	18,224	18,327	18,241	18,308	18,634	18,374	18,743	19,364	18,718	18,234	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	13,949	12,976	11,871	11,398	9,993	8,929	7,818	6,890	6,384	9,882	10,799	10,572	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,802	5,027	5,066	5,090	4,975	4,916	4,843	5,057	4,896	5,023	5,334	5,180	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,309	4,275	4,275	4,393	4,254	4,044	4,202	4,486	4,411	4,703	4,699	4,899	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,785	4,926	5,164	5,404	5,250	5,460	5,673	5,403	5,724	6,154	6,016	5,077	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	15,014	14,883	14,699	15,557	15,035	14,038	14,030	13,280	13,089	13,852	14,250	13,822	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.37**	**1.38**	**1.27**	**1.29**	**1.23**	**1.28**	**1.25**	**1.21**	**1.24**	**1.16**	**1.28**	**1.26**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.69**	**1.69**	**1.53**	**1.59**	**1.54**	**1.58**	**1.59**	**1.54**	**1.53**	**1.41**	**1.58**	**1.56**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.73	1.75	1.44	1.56	1.56	1.60	1.58	1.59	1.66	1.51	1.68	1.49	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.78	1.71	1.63	1.53	1.49	1.61	1.60	1.56	1.53	1.38	1.45	1.47	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.34	1.36	1.24	1.17	1.07	1.12	1.06	1.02	1.13	0.98	1.15	1.32	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.40	1.38	1.27	1.36	1.27	1.27	1.28	1.26	1.23	1.20	1.34	1.26	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.46	1.39	1.52	1.57	1.47	1.55	1.42	1.59	1.72	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.60	1.61	1.44	1.59	1.60	1.56	1.53	1.48	1.38	1.28	1.48	1.57	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.98	2.05	1.97	1.88	1.83	1.73	1.71	1.75	1.68	1.57	1.80	1.96	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.26	2.30	2.10	2.05	2.08	2.25	2.24	2.22	2.28	2.01	2.21	2.09	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.54	1.45	1.29	1.46	1.32	1.37	1.45	1.29	1.22	1.15	1.23	1.23	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.03**	**1.03**	**0.97**	**0.96**	**0.89**	**0.95**	**0.89**	**0.86**	**0.91**	**0.88**	**0.97**	**0.95**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.02	1.00	0.96	0.98	0.94	1.02	0.94	0.89	0.99	0.90	1.00	1.03	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.41	1.51	1.45	1.41	1.31	1.45	1.39	1.39	1.30	1.28	1.44	1.41	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.44	2.09	1.77	2.04	2.20	2.00	1.79	1.71	1.68	1.47	1.84	2.29	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.70	0.71	0.70	0.71	0.66	0.72	0.67	0.67	0.73	0.68	0.71	0.69	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.06	1.11	0.96	0.96	0.85	0.82	0.65	0.57	0.57	0.76	0.89	0.82	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.13	1.20	1.14	1.10	1.01	1.09	1.06	1.08	1.13	1.06	1.26	1.27	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.39	0.37	0.36	0.34	0.38	0.36	0.38	0.38	0.36	0.37	0.37	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.29	1.24	1.21	1.17	1.01	1.13	1.15	1.07	1.31	1.23	1.24	1.00	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.45	1.36	1.28	1.13	1.06	1.07	1.10	1.05	1.12	1.10	1.30	1.19	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1995 January	1995 February	1995 March	1995 April	1995 May	1995 June	1995 July	1995 August	1995 September	1995 October	1995 November	1995 December	1995 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**165,397**	**161,211**	**186,778**	**170,025**	**185,818**	**186,564**	**172,384**	**191,076**	**181,621**	**193,246**	**184,672**	**180,188**	**2,158,980**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**85,829**	**84,645**	**99,868**	**88,703**	**97,529**	**99,401**	**90,021**	**101,746**	**98,308**	**103,369**	**97,211**	**95,071**	**1,141,701**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	12,607	12,575	15,424	14,072	15,453	15,100	13,617	14,714	13,466	14,444	14,111	14,153	169,736
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,696	2,661	3,370	2,937	3,213	3,096	2,847	3,255	3,080	3,309	3,200	2,911	36,575
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	4,860	4,730	5,740	5,297	6,079	5,985	5,408	6,345	5,690	6,090	5,357	4,711	66,292
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	15,071	14,165	17,229	14,477	15,991	17,199	15,725	17,330	17,911	18,004	16,733	18,089	197,924
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7,219	6,822	8,115	7,260	7,579	7,536	6,687	7,610	7,257	7,546	6,939	6,459	87,029
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	13,753	13,783	15,726	14,003	15,344	15,852	14,823	16,814	17,176	17,595	16,481	15,261	186,611
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	4,142	4,018	4,570	4,306	4,805	5,188	4,835	5,163	4,985	5,204	4,742	4,424	56,382
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	14,333	14,307	17,093	15,040	16,849	16,468	15,095	16,988	15,667	16,891	15,860	16,661	191,252
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,148	11,584	12,601	11,311	12,216	12,977	10,984	13,527	13,076	14,286	13,788	12,402	149,900
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**79,568**	**76,566**	**86,910**	**81,322**	**88,289**	**87,163**	**82,363**	**89,330**	**83,313**	**89,877**	**87,461**	**85,117**	**1,017,279**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	5,195	4,964	5,788	5,145	5,604	5,827	5,524	6,031	5,654	5,780	5,431	5,126	66,069
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	6,802	6,186	7,128	6,570	6,927	6,912	6,455	7,251	6,996	7,677	7,496	7,332	83,732
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,059	5,655	6,158	4,915	4,865	5,664	5,663	6,711	6,165	6,606	5,677	4,457	67,595
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	24,397	22,485	25,870	24,466	27,185	26,078	25,545	26,828	25,748	27,281	26,787	26,378	309,048
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,951	9,852	10,975	9,607	10,346	9,791	9,223	10,492	9,891	11,709	11,644	11,067	125,548
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,909	3,891	4,375	4,101	4,597	4,486	3,964	4,431	4,046	4,307	4,256	3,902	50,265
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,524	10,070	10,578	10,450	11,345	10,822	10,116	10,966	10,074	10,391	10,308	10,834	126,478
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,370	3,484	4,269	3,994	4,715	4,974	4,223	5,000	4,235	4,554	4,851	4,826	52,495
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	9,361	9,979	11,769	12,074	12,705	12,609	11,650	11,620	10,504	11,572	11,011	11,195	136,049
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**228,346**	**228,535**	**228,999**	**232,309**	**230,423**	**230,411**	**234,602**	**231,513**	**232,735**	**240,026**	**240,240**	**239,275**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**142,864**	**145,016**	**145,990**	**148,703**	**149,699**	**149,554**	**152,552**	**151,168**	**150,495**	**152,450**	**152,575**	**151,709**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	23,035	24,101	23,256	24,074	24,159	23,186	23,216	22,573	22,705	22,845	23,265	22,219	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,602	4,688	4,794	4,779	4,933	5,229	5,153	5,202	5,105	4,932	4,915	4,797	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	6,524	6,824	6,972	6,759	6,749	6,609	6,365	6,338	6,472	6,243	6,402	6,541	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	21,238	21,010	21,581	21,754	21,632	21,831	23,080	22,630	22,306	23,300	23,520	23,668	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	11,761	11,466	11,774	11,796	11,638	11,630	11,726	11,464	11,267	11,101	10,808	11,170	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	20,308	20,639	20,485	21,062	21,576	22,335	22,881	23,413	23,173	23,046	23,422	23,411	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	8,210	8,374	8,744	8,569	8,687	8,489	8,455	8,516	8,591	8,686	8,566	8,552	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	31,805	32,567	32,937	33,894	33,942	33,937	34,702	34,633	34,325	35,611	35,380	35,556	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	15,381	15,347	15,447	16,016	16,383	16,308	16,974	16,399	16,551	16,686	16,297	15,795	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**85,482**	**83,519**	**83,009**	**83,606**	**80,724**	**80,857**	**82,050**	**80,345**	**82,240**	**87,576**	**87,665**	**87,566**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5,128	5,088	5,153	5,329	5,093	5,276	5,298	5,196	5,225	5,383	5,224	5,388	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	11,572	10,769	10,886	11,083	10,615	10,821	10,891	10,611	10,909	11,009	10,668	10,689	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	12,780	12,444	12,038	11,902	11,843	12,437	12,695	12,537	12,285	11,760	11,400	11,712	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,885	17,033	17,335	17,736	17,676	17,761	18,068	17,575	18,645	19,353	18,773	18,456	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	11,470	10,875	10,032	8,802	7,615	7,201	7,706	7,571	7,876	11,509	13,059	13,138	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,522	4,768	4,782	4,778	4,904	4,949	4,839	4,890	4,919	4,708	4,720	4,894	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,317	4,335	4,347	4,541	4,655	4,487	4,572	4,539	4,472	4,417	4,341	4,430	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,728	4,835	4,853	4,988	4,980	4,969	5,230	5,230	5,461	5,643	5,512	4,730	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	13,080	13,372	13,583	14,447	13,343	12,956	12,751	12,196	12,448	13,794	13,968	14,129	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.38**	**1.42**	**1.23**	**1.37**	**1.24**	**1.24**	**1.36**	**1.21**	**1.28**	**1.24**	**1.30**	**1.33**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.66**	**1.71**	**1.46**	**1.68**	**1.53**	**1.50**	**1.69**	**1.49**	**1.53**	**1.47**	**1.57**	**1.60**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.83	1.92	1.51	1.71	1.56	1.54	1.70	1.53	1.69	1.58	1.65	1.57	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.71	1.76	1.42	1.63	1.54	1.69	1.81	1.60	1.66	1.49	1.54	1.65	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.34	1.44	1.21	1.28	1.11	1.10	1.18	1.00	1.14	1.03	1.20	1.39	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.41	1.48	1.25	1.50	1.35	1.27	1.47	1.31	1.25	1.29	1.41	1.31	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.63	1.68	1.45	1.62	1.54	1.54	1.75	1.51	1.55	1.47	1.56	1.73	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.48	1.50	1.30	1.50	1.41	1.41	1.54	1.39	1.35	1.31	1.42	1.53	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	1.98	2.08	1.91	1.99	1.81	1.64	1.75	1.65	1.72	1.67	1.81	1.93	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.22	2.28	1.93	2.25	2.01	2.06	2.30	2.04	2.19	2.11	2.23	2.13	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.38	1.32	1.23	1.42	1.34	1.26	1.55	1.21	1.27	1.17	1.18	1.27	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.07**	**1.09**	**0.96**	**1.03**	**0.91**	**0.93**	**1.00**	**0.90**	**0.99**	**0.97**	**1.00**	**1.03**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.99	1.02	0.89	1.04	0.91	0.91	0.96	0.86	0.92	0.93	0.96	1.05	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.70	1.74	1.53	1.69	1.53	1.57	1.69	1.46	1.56	1.43	1.42	1.46	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.53	2.20	1.95	2.42	2.43	2.20	2.24	1.87	1.99	1.78	2.01	2.63	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.73	0.76	0.67	0.72	0.65	0.68	0.71	0.66	0.72	0.71	0.70	0.70	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.05	1.10	0.91	0.92	0.74	0.74	0.84	0.72	0.80	0.98	1.12	1.19	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.16	1.23	1.09	1.17	1.07	1.10	1.22	1.10	1.22	1.09	1.11	1.25	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.41	0.43	0.41	0.43	0.41	0.41	0.45	0.41	0.44	0.43	0.42	0.41	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.40	1.39	1.14	1.25	1.06	1.00	1.24	1.05	1.29	1.24	1.14	0.98	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.40	1.34	1.15	1.20	1.05	1.03	1.09	1.05	1.19	1.19	1.27	1.26	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1994 January	1994 February	1994 March	1994 April	1994 May	1994 June	1994 July	1994 August	1994 September	1994 October	1994 November	1994 December	1994 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**143,826**	**143,069**	**171,413**	**157,193**	**163,090**	**168,454**	**157,254**	**177,898**	**172,066**	**176,341**	**171,870**	**172,425**	**1,974,899**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**72,561**	**73,465**	**89,646**	**81,585**	**84,631**	**88,736**	**82,265**	**95,037**	**93,127**	**94,660**	**91,096**	**90,829**	**1,037,638**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	11,967	12,940	15,900	14,425	14,369	14,426	14,101	15,542	13,745	14,536	14,699	14,421	171,071
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,242	2,346	2,817	2,585	2,648	2,697	2,575	3,060	3,136	3,224	3,017	2,970	33,317
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	4,231	4,270	5,427	5,247	5,760	5,916	5,669	6,332	5,858	5,905	5,569	5,192	65,376
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	12,720	11,891	14,471	12,613	12,337	13,704	12,875	14,698	15,075	14,736	14,237	16,064	165,421
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	5,722	5,874	7,208	6,507	6,985	7,311	6,366	7,549	7,420	7,292	6,773	6,673	81,680
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	10,783	10,956	13,310	12,053	12,976	13,571	12,573	14,489	14,878	15,156	14,492	13,884	159,121
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3,507	3,684	4,296	4,185	4,431	4,760	4,415	4,960	4,944	4,893	4,727	4,407	53,209
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	12,460	12,538	15,434	14,083	14,735	15,335	13,779	15,765	15,255	15,288	14,428	15,311	174,411
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	8,929	8,966	10,783	9,887	10,390	11,016	9,912	12,642	12,816	13,630	13,154	11,907	134,032
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**71,265**	**69,604**	**81,767**	**75,608**	**78,459**	**79,718**	**74,989**	**82,861**	**78,939**	**81,681**	**80,774**	**81,596**	**937,261**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4,209	3,986	4,675	4,358	4,457	4,726	4,413	5,059	4,833	5,032	4,766	4,921	55,435
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	6,118	5,435	6,374	6,401	6,210	6,282	6,072	6,602	6,645	6,892	6,729	6,615	76,375
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5,129	5,849	6,969	5,241	4,700	5,907	5,446	6,616	6,319	6,221	5,672	4,455	68,524
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	22,309	21,275	24,632	23,186	24,455	24,492	23,591	25,223	24,451	25,023	25,493	25,773	289,903
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	8,646	7,702	9,335	7,976	8,949	8,199	7,682	8,662	7,862	9,355	9,337	9,936	103,641
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,106	3,138	3,754	3,463	3,738	3,794	3,414	3,988	3,744	3,694	3,819	3,638	43,290
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,187	9,906	10,749	9,677	10,102	10,176	10,300	11,671	10,560	10,674	10,595	10,802	125,399
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,075	3,377	4,443	4,261	4,460	4,985	4,324	4,719	4,374	4,248	4,784	4,971	52,021
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	8,486	8,936	10,836	11,045	11,388	11,157	9,747	10,321	10,151	10,542	9,579	10,485	122,673
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**208,811**	**209,004**	**206,179**	**207,610**	**208,651**	**207,155**	**211,125**	**209,742**	**211,506**	**219,651**	**221,505**	**222,826**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**128,805**	**130,083**	**128,756**	**131,342**	**134,357**	**133,437**	**137,375**	**136,532**	**136,430**	**139,236**	**139,474**	**139,941**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,889	22,215	21,027	21,649	21,478	21,035	21,486	20,683	21,400	22,321	22,747	21,820	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,481	4,493	4,524	4,527	4,600	4,542	4,562	4,664	4,714	4,641	4,567	4,566	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,964	6,044	6,323	6,144	6,315	6,454	6,389	6,335	6,281	6,210	6,331	6,485	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	18,704	18,320	18,425	18,965	19,478	19,040	20,026	19,479	19,396	20,580	20,444	20,814	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	10,118	10,019	10,232	10,275	10,385	10,891	10,779	10,767	10,938	11,012	10,973	11,559	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	17,522	17,923	17,397	17,936	18,546	18,830	19,677	19,768	19,668	19,299	19,157	19,890	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	7,159	7,424	7,543	7,631	7,919	7,823	8,036	8,235	8,310	8,179	8,120	8,330	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,475	29,286	29,258	29,698	30,218	29,772	30,537	30,933	30,658	31,307	31,774	31,391	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	14,493	14,359	14,027	14,517	15,418	15,050	15,883	15,668	15,065	15,687	15,361	15,086	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**80,006**	**78,921**	**77,423**	**76,268**	**74,294**	**73,718**	**73,750**	**73,210**	**75,076**	**80,415**	**82,031**	**82,885**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,912	4,716	4,709	4,742	4,544	4,598	4,699	4,547	4,575	4,694	4,765	4,932	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,977	10,376	9,833	9,935	9,545	9,663	10,091	9,821	10,087	10,780	10,786	11,051	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	11,321	10,937	10,785	10,143	10,366	10,885	11,279	11,649	11,727	11,497	11,425	12,162	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,253	16,934	17,312	16,910	16,866	17,268	16,571	16,646	17,611	18,434	18,194	18,105	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,872	10,587	9,534	8,689	7,520	6,454	5,986	5,459	5,875	8,649	10,379	10,871	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	4,026	4,129	4,105	4,087	4,211	4,152	4,130	4,284	4,219	4,239	4,329	4,427	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3,830	3,941	3,864	3,979	4,070	4,102	4,366	4,500	4,485	4,527	4,573	4,509	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,585	4,743	4,685	4,972	4,926	4,872	5,009	4,920	5,108	5,462	5,309	4,599	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,230	12,558	12,596	12,811	12,246	11,724	11,619	11,384	11,389	12,133	12,271	12,229	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.45**	**1.46**	**1.20**	**1.32**	**1.28**	**1.23**	**1.34**	**1.18**	**1.23**	**1.25**	**1.29**	**1.29**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.78**	**1.77**	**1.44**	**1.61**	**1.59**	**1.50**	**1.67**	**1.44**	**1.46**	**1.47**	**1.53**	**1.54**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.83	1.72	1.32	1.50	1.49	1.46	1.52	1.33	1.56	1.54	1.55	1.51	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2.00	1.92	1.61	1.75	1.74	1.68	1.77	1.52	1.50	1.44	1.51	1.54	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.41	1.42	1.17	1.17	1.10	1.09	1.13	1.00	1.07	1.05	1.14	1.25	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.47	1.54	1.27	1.50	1.58	1.39	1.56	1.33	1.29	1.40	1.44	1.30	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.77	1.71	1.42	1.58	1.49	1.49	1.69	1.43	1.47	1.51	1.62	1.73	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.62	1.64	1.31	1.49	1.43	1.39	1.57	1.36	1.32	1.27	1.32	1.43	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.04	2.02	1.76	1.82	1.79	1.64	1.82	1.66	1.68	1.67	1.72	1.89	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.29	2.34	1.90	2.11	2.05	1.94	2.22	1.96	2.01	2.05	2.20	2.05	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.62	1.60	1.30	1.47	1.48	1.37	1.60	1.24	1.18	1.15	1.17	1.27	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.12**	**1.13**	**0.95**	**1.01**	**0.95**	**0.92**	**0.98**	**0.88**	**0.95**	**0.98**	**1.02**	**1.02**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.17	1.18	1.01	1.09	1.02	0.97	1.06	0.90	0.95	0.93	1.00	1.00	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.79	1.91	1.54	1.55	1.54	1.54	1.66	1.49	1.52	1.56	1.60	1.67	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.21	1.87	1.55	1.94	2.21	1.84	2.07	1.76	1.86	1.85	2.01	2.73	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.77	0.80	0.70	0.73	0.69	0.71	0.70	0.66	0.72	0.74	0.71	0.70	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.26	1.37	1.02	1.09	0.84	0.79	0.78	0.63	0.75	0.92	1.11	1.09	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.30	1.32	1.09	1.18	1.13	1.09	1.21	1.07	1.13	1.15	1.13	1.22	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.38	0.40	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.40	0.42	0.39	0.42	0.42	0.43	0.42	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.49	1.40	1.05	1.17	1.10	0.98	1.16	1.04	1.17	1.29	1.11	0.93	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.44	1.41	1.16	1.16	1.08	1.05	1.19	1.10	1.12	1.15	1.28	1.17	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1993 January	1993 February	1993 March	1993 April	1993 May	1993 June	1993 July	1993 August	1993 September	1993 October	1993 November	1993 December	1993 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**140,824**	**138,267**	**159,749**	**154,677**	**153,693**	**158,043**	**152,798**	**159,014**	**158,768**	**160,576**	**156,357**	**155,449**	**1,848,215**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**68,952**	**69,095**	**80,468**	**77,780**	**75,985**	**80,845**	**78,487**	**82,406**	**82,544**	**83,615**	**80,134**	**79,634**	**939,945**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	11,888	12,178	13,912	13,987	13,779	13,484	13,893	13,507	13,358	14,093	13,227	12,996	160,302
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,304	2,361	2,729	2,756	2,718	2,770	2,618	2,907	2,870	2,891	2,685	2,540	32,149
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	3,880	4,371	4,909	4,936	4,838	5,153	4,939	5,318	5,158	5,165	5,076	4,759	58,502
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	11,917	11,847	13,331	12,466	11,362	13,139	12,706	13,385	14,112	13,929	13,018	13,995	155,207
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	5,814	5,451	6,545	6,188	6,143	6,627	5,862	6,195	6,169	5,948	5,548	5,700	72,190
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	9,120	9,402	10,758	10,435	10,228	11,284	11,317	12,137	12,886	12,863	12,388	11,831	134,649
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3,201	3,277	3,629	3,695	3,784	4,173	4,062	4,284	4,134	4,277	4,106	3,793	46,415
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	11,870	11,829	14,657	14,128	13,765	14,380	13,494	13,922	13,511	13,604	13,054	13,610	161,824
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	8,958	8,379	9,998	9,189	9,368	9,835	9,596	10,751	10,346	10,845	11,032	10,410	118,707
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**71,872**	**69,172**	**79,281**	**76,897**	**77,708**	**77,198**	**74,311**	**76,608**	**76,224**	**76,961**	**76,223**	**75,815**	**908,270**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	3,908	3,741	4,308	4,102	3,960	4,342	4,050	4,287	4,312	4,517	4,399	4,286	50,212
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	5,725	5,343	5,929	5,649	5,299	5,710	5,385	5,624	5,867	6,045	6,136	6,285	68,997
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	4,776	5,084	5,672	4,969	4,431	5,530	5,415	6,494	6,721	6,523	5,922	4,145	65,682
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	23,057	21,215	24,407	23,896	24,520	24,267	24,182	23,597	23,688	23,356	23,642	23,877	283,704
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,129	8,290	9,627	8,424	8,948	7,977	7,550	8,013	7,560	8,431	8,442	9,616	102,007
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,129	3,251	3,680	3,426	3,414	3,584	3,191	3,325	3,367	3,154	3,240	3,126	39,887
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	10,438	10,230	11,393	11,297	11,113	10,404	10,156	10,738	10,498	11,133	10,530	9,798	127,728
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,031	3,261	4,160	4,377	4,307	4,696	4,458	4,457	4,364	4,236	4,500	4,974	50,821
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	8,679	8,757	10,105	10,757	11,716	10,688	9,924	10,073	9,847	9,566	9,412	9,708	119,232
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**201,184**	**199,589**	**199,312**	**200,598**	**198,107**	**197,118**	**198,500**	**197,901**	**199,397**	**203,564**	**205,161**	**205,815**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**123,122**	**123,567**	**124,258**	**125,760**	**125,615**	**124,642**	**126,560**	**126,725**	**126,274**	**127,033**	**126,949**	**127,094**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	22,257	22,639	22,422	22,489	21,825	20,593	20,941	20,992	21,161	21,484	21,787	21,692	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,375	4,415	4,516	4,449	4,586	4,589	4,485	4,531	4,526	4,482	4,468	4,445	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,858	5,915	6,326	6,334	6,160	6,090	5,972	5,861	5,809	5,767	5,592	5,892	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	16,937	16,583	16,927	17,079	17,043	17,016	17,701	17,526	17,389	17,821	17,817	17,959	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,488	9,354	9,540	9,757	9,628	9,991	10,059	9,843	9,907	9,866	9,596	10,271	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	16,514	16,520	16,618	16,643	17,024	17,319	17,615	17,805	17,723	17,658	17,484	17,150	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,871	6,942	7,014	7,019	6,981	6,832	6,905	6,974	6,983	7,043	7,108	7,129	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	28,131	28,433	28,444	28,811	28,647	28,538	28,444	28,370	27,901	28,142	28,339	28,111	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	12,691	12,766	12,451	13,179	13,721	13,674	14,438	14,823	14,875	14,770	14,758	14,445	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**78,062**	**76,022**	**75,054**	**74,838**	**72,492**	**72,476**	**71,940**	**71,176**	**73,123**	**76,531**	**78,212**	**78,721**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,695	4,439	4,559	4,589	4,411	4,518	4,494	4,430	4,477	4,504	4,386	4,756	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	10,496	9,846	9,537	9,415	8,895	9,122	9,470	9,327	9,810	9,982	10,089	10,663	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,709	10,163	10,080	9,612	10,309	11,226	11,034	11,076	11,769	11,091	10,719	11,429	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,809	17,482	17,316	17,964	17,553	17,056	16,677	16,436	17,053	17,886	18,061	17,826	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,619	9,247	8,405	7,788	6,736	6,259	6,305	5,788	5,545	7,980	9,843	10,045	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,719	3,848	3,940	3,863	4,031	4,039	3,996	4,158	4,091	4,084	4,059	4,064	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	4,208	4,082	3,965	4,059	4,067	4,096	4,130	4,357	4,292	4,300	4,163	3,757	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,477	4,547	4,658	4,825	4,601	4,618	4,650	4,516	4,835	5,186	5,031	4,487	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	12,330	12,368	12,594	12,723	11,889	11,542	11,184	11,088	11,251	11,518	11,861	11,694	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.43**	**1.44**	**1.25**	**1.30**	**1.29**	**1.25**	**1.30**	**1.24**	**1.26**	**1.27**	**1.31**	**1.32**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.79**	**1.79**	**1.54**	**1.62**	**1.65**	**1.54**	**1.61**	**1.54**	**1.53**	**1.52**	**1.58**	**1.60**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.87	1.86	1.61	1.61	1.58	1.53	1.51	1.55	1.58	1.52	1.65	1.67	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.90	1.87	1.65	1.61	1.69	1.66	1.71	1.56	1.58	1.55	1.66	1.75	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.51	1.35	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.18	1.21	1.10	1.13	1.12	1.10	1.24	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.42	1.40	1.27	1.37	1.50	1.30	1.39	1.31	1.23	1.28	1.37	1.28	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.63	1.72	1.46	1.58	1.57	1.51	1.72	1.59	1.61	1.66	1.73	1.80	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.81	1.76	1.54	1.59	1.66	1.53	1.56	1.47	1.38	1.37	1.41	1.45	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.15	2.12	1.93	1.90	1.84	1.64	1.70	1.63	1.69	1.65	1.73	1.88	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.37	2.40	1.94	2.04	2.08	1.98	2.11	2.04	2.07	2.07	2.17	2.07	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.42	1.52	1.25	1.43	1.46	1.39	1.50	1.38	1.44	1.36	1.34	1.39	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.09**	**1.10**	**0.95**	**0.97**	**0.93**	**0.94**	**0.97**	**0.93**	**0.96**	**0.99**	**1.03**	**1.04**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.20	1.19	1.06	1.12	1.11	1.04	1.11	1.03	1.04	1.00	1.00	1.11	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.83	1.84	1.61	1.67	1.68	1.60	1.76	1.66	1.67	1.65	1.64	1.70	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.24	2.00	1.78	1.93	2.33	2.03	2.04	1.71	1.75	1.70	1.81	2.76	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.77	0.82	0.71	0.75	0.72	0.70	0.69	0.70	0.72	0.77	0.76	0.75	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.05	1.12	0.87	0.92	0.75	0.78	0.84	0.72	0.73	0.95	1.17	1.04	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.19	1.18	1.07	1.13	1.18	1.13	1.25	1.25	1.22	1.29	1.25	1.30	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.40	0.40	0.35	0.36	0.37	0.39	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.39	0.40	0.38	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.48	1.39	1.12	1.10	1.07	0.98	1.04	1.01	1.11	1.22	1.12	0.90	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.42	1.41	1.25	1.18	1.01	1.08	1.13	1.10	1.14	1.20	1.26	1.20	X

Table 3. Revised (Not Adjusted[1]) Estimates of Monthly Sales, Inventories, and Inventories/Sales Ratios of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices: January 1992 Through January 2017.

[Sales and inventories estimates are in millions of dollars. Ratios are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, and have been benchmarked using the results of the 2015 Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	1992 January	1992 February	1992 March	1992 April	1992 May	1992 June	1992 July	1992 August	1992 September	1992 October	1992 November	1992 December	1992 Total
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**138,830**	**132,921**	**150,672**	**146,927**	**141,749**	**150,869**	**150,768**	**147,079**	**152,030**	**158,307**	**145,676**	**151,302**	**1,767,130**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**64,380**	**63,487**	**73,672**	**71,309**	**67,717**	**75,109**	**73,193**	**72,284**	**75,128**	**78,355**	**72,111**	**74,437**	**861,182**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	11,551	11,984	14,257	13,314	12,962	13,741	13,541	12,644	13,021	14,317	13,004	13,506	157,842
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	2,297	2,259	2,688	2,612	2,472	2,676	2,446	2,577	2,728	2,804	2,793	2,686	31,038
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	3,574	3,545	4,124	4,354	4,393	4,666	4,566	4,548	4,643	4,706	4,078	3,907	51,104
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	10,661	9,740	11,040	11,286	9,902	11,169	11,408	11,022	11,721	11,986	11,033	12,545	133,513
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	5,742	5,431	6,334	5,873	5,884	6,249	5,909	6,145	6,079	5,823	5,459	5,689	70,617
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	8,932	8,779	9,475	9,020	8,558	9,556	9,616	9,553	10,091	10,319	9,878	9,792	113,569
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3,304	3,230	3,469	3,720	3,630	4,106	4,025	3,761	3,932	4,022	3,699	3,515	44,413
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	10,731	10,570	13,309	12,752	11,882	13,361	12,002	12,243	12,756	13,567	11,655	12,714	147,542
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	7,588	7,949	8,976	8,378	8,034	9,585	9,680	9,791	10,157	10,811	10,512	10,083	111,544
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**74,450**	**69,434**	**77,000**	**75,618**	**74,032**	**75,760**	**77,575**	**74,795**	**76,902**	**79,952**	**73,565**	**76,865**	**905,948**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4,151	3,657	4,103	4,011	3,824	4,036	4,209	3,931	3,998	4,294	3,898	4,017	48,129
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	5,897	5,112	5,620	5,406	5,170	5,693	5,616	5,217	5,622	6,040	5,540	6,136	67,069
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	4,982	5,236	5,570	4,525	4,098	4,745	5,360	6,096	5,941	6,356	5,159	4,591	62,659
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	22,506	21,494	23,277	23,154	22,804	22,632	23,703	22,645	22,942	23,412	22,513	23,746	274,828
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	9,867	8,578	9,888	8,733	8,740	8,306	8,802	8,651	9,611	9,727	8,925	9,999	109,827
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,116	3,012	3,376	3,218	3,340	3,564	3,368	3,331	3,408	3,328	2,920	3,189	39,170
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	11,322	10,217	11,139	11,193	11,310	11,887	12,206	11,479	11,566	12,630	11,254	11,330	137,533
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	3,459	3,458	4,002	4,564	4,221	4,529	4,466	4,137	4,126	4,259	4,240	4,936	50,397
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	9,150	8,670	10,025	10,814	10,525	10,368	9,845	9,308	9,688	9,906	9,116	8,921	116,336
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**192,050**	**191,913**	**191,112**	**190,734**	**187,881**	**190,430**	**190,818**	**189,098**	**190,099**	**195,109**	**197,245**	**197,793**	**X**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**117,702**	**118,349**	**117,933**	**119,017**	**119,057**	**120,131**	**120,743**	**120,879**	**120,697**	**121,208**	**121,922**	**121,809**	**X**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	21,314	22,115	21,781	21,587	21,174	20,656	20,611	20,370	21,510	22,130	22,728	22,108	X
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	4,276	4,350	4,351	4,544	4,512	4,471	4,438	4,403	4,388	4,302	4,362	4,420	X
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5,218	5,108	5,372	5,509	5,409	5,415	5,440	5,314	5,291	5,307	5,274	5,476	X
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	16,991	16,550	15,959	16,149	16,275	16,654	16,700	16,754	16,600	16,418	16,689	16,737	X
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	9,243	9,306	9,393	9,450	9,380	9,618	9,413	9,218	9,351	9,381	9,123	9,551	X
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	15,657	15,557	15,188	15,701	15,705	15,969	16,351	16,281	16,076	16,556	16,254	16,465	X
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	6,921	7,062	7,067	7,176	7,323	7,066	7,230	7,282	7,093	6,967	6,774	6,729	X
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	26,337	26,365	26,876	27,381	27,006	27,413	27,678	27,966	27,199	27,079	27,801	27,772	X
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	11,745	11,936	11,946	11,520	12,273	12,869	12,882	13,291	13,189	13,068	12,917	12,551	X
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**74,348**	**73,564**	**73,179**	**71,717**	**68,824**	**70,299**	**70,075**	**68,219**	**69,402**	**73,901**	**75,323**	**75,984**	**X**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	4,271	4,175	4,365	4,382	4,229	4,430	4,419	4,349	4,550	4,601	4,555	4,606	X
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	9,007	8,789	8,389	8,401	7,845	8,363	8,568	8,308	8,741	9,170	8,834	9,647	X
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	10,010	9,796	10,156	9,645	9,755	10,725	10,704	10,421	10,495	10,271	9,945	10,714	X
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	17,073	16,784	16,896	17,353	17,492	17,644	17,443	17,020	17,578	18,191	18,509	18,316	X
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	10,226	9,974	9,040	7,896	6,717	5,761	5,366	4,868	5,153	7,499	8,477	8,726	X
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3,386	3,565	3,697	3,719	3,702	3,797	3,791	3,812	3,505	3,479	3,697	3,610	X
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3,983	3,895	3,843	3,809	3,843	4,002	4,062	4,112	4,178	4,287	4,249	4,168	X
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4,724	4,731	4,928	4,884	4,754	4,861	4,966	4,917	4,924	5,243	5,189	4,347	X
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	11,668	11,855	11,865	11,628	10,487	10,716	10,756	10,412	10,278	11,160	11,868	11,850	X
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.38**	**1.44**	**1.27**	**1.30**	**1.33**	**1.26**	**1.27**	**1.29**	**1.25**	**1.23**	**1.35**	**1.31**	**X**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.83**	**1.86**	**1.60**	**1.67**	**1.76**	**1.60**	**1.65**	**1.67**	**1.61**	**1.55**	**1.69**	**1.64**	**X**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	1.85	1.85	1.53	1.62	1.63	1.50	1.52	1.61	1.65	1.55	1.75	1.64	X
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	1.86	1.93	1.62	1.74	1.83	1.67	1.81	1.71	1.61	1.53	1.56	1.65	X
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	1.46	1.44	1.30	1.27	1.23	1.16	1.19	1.17	1.14	1.13	1.29	1.40	X
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	1.59	1.70	1.45	1.43	1.64	1.49	1.46	1.52	1.42	1.37	1.51	1.33	X
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	X
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	1.61	1.71	1.48	1.61	1.59	1.54	1.59	1.50	1.54	1.61	1.67	1.68	X
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	1.75	1.77	1.60	1.74	1.84	1.67	1.70	1.70	1.59	1.60	1.65	1.68	X
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.09	2.19	2.04	1.93	2.02	1.72	1.80	1.94	1.80	1.73	1.83	1.91	X
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.45	2.49	2.02	2.15	2.27	2.05	2.31	2.28	2.13	2.00	2.39	2.18	X
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	1.55	1.50	1.33	1.38	1.53	1.34	1.33	1.36	1.30	1.21	1.23	1.24	X
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.00**	**1.06**	**0.95**	**0.95**	**0.93**	**0.93**	**0.90**	**0.91**	**0.90**	**0.92**	**1.02**	**0.99**	**X**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	1.03	1.14	1.06	1.09	1.11	1.10	1.05	1.11	1.14	1.07	1.17	1.15	X
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	1.53	1.72	1.49	1.55	1.52	1.47	1.53	1.59	1.55	1.52	1.59	1.57	X
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	2.01	1.87	1.82	2.13	2.38	2.26	2.00	1.71	1.77	1.62	1.93	2.33	X
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.76	0.78	0.73	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.74	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.82	0.77	X
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	1.04	1.16	0.91	0.90	0.77	0.69	0.61	0.56	0.54	0.77	0.95	0.87	X
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	1.09	1.18	1.10	1.16	1.11	1.07	1.13	1.14	1.03	1.05	1.27	1.13	X
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.35	0.38	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.33	0.36	0.36	0.34	0.38	0.37	X
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1.37	1.37	1.23	1.07	1.13	1.07	1.11	1.19	1.19	1.23	1.22	0.88	X
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	1.28	1.37	1.18	1.08	1.00	1.03	1.09	1.12	1.06	1.13	1.30	1.33	X

Footnotes:

[1] Estimates are not adjusted for seasonal variations, trading-day differences, or price changes.

NA = Not available.

X = Cumulative estimates are not appropriate for inventories or inventories/sales ratios.

[P] Preliminary estimates.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, March 24, 2017.

Table 4. Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability and Median Imputation Rates for Monthly Estimates of Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices

[Coefficients of variation and imputation rates are percentages and standard errors are in units. Estimates are based on data from the Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey.]

NAICS Code	Data Item	NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	Coefficients of Variation			Imputation Rate
			Minimum	Maximum	Median	Median
42	**Sales**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.0**	**1.2**	**1.1**	**31.5**
423	**Sales**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.2**	**1.6**	**1.4**	**40.0**
4231	Sales	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	2.5	4.2	3.8	30.0
4232	Sales	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6.0	8.3	7.6	50.0
4233	Sales	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	4.9	5.4	5.2	40.0
4234	Sales	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	3.1	4.1	3.5	40.0
42343	Sales	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	4.1	6.2	4.7	40.0
4235	Sales	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	4.4	5.8	5.0	40.0
4236	Sales	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	2.2	3.2	2.6	40.0
4237	Sales	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	2.7	3.7	3.2	40.0
4238	Sales	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	2.3	3.2	2.9	50.0
4239	Sales	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	4.5	6.4	5.3	50.0
424	**Sales**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.6**	**1.9**	**1.7**	**30.0**
4241	Sales	..Paper & Paper Products	4.8	5.4	5.2	50.0
4242	Sales	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	2.4	3.8	3.4	20.0
4243	Sales	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	5.9	8.0	7.4	40.0
4244	Sales	..Grocery & Related Products	3.3	4.0	3.7	30.0
4245	Sales	..Farm Product Raw Materials	2.1	3.2	2.6	30.0
4246	Sales	..Chemicals & Allied Products	3.4	4.5	3.9	40.0
4247	Sales	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	5.1	5.7	5.5	40.0
4248	Sales	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	4.7	5.4	5.0	20.0
4249	Sales	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	2.8	4.1	3.1	40.0
42	**Inventories**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**1.5**	**1.6**	**1.5**	**31.3**
423	**Inventories**	**.Durable Goods**	**1.6**	**1.8**	**1.7**	**40.0**
4231	Inventories	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	4.1	5.2	4.5	30.0
4232	Inventories	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	6.5	7.3	6.8	50.0
4233	Inventories	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	5.4	5.8	5.8	40.0
4234	Inventories	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	3.6	3.9	3.8	30.0
42343	Inventories	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	5.3	6.1	5.6	30.0
4235	Inventories	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	7.2	8.8	8.2	40.0
4236	Inventories	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	3.1	3.8	3.3	40.0
4237	Inventories	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	3.8	4.0	3.9	40.0
4238	Inventories	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	3.5	4.1	3.8	40.0
4239	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	4.9	5.3	5.1	50.0
424	**Inventories**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**1.9**	**2.4**	**2.3**	**30.0**
4241	Inventories	..Paper & Paper Products	5.3	6.1	5.8	50.0
4242	Inventories	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	4.8	7.8	7.0	30.0
4243	Inventories	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	6.1	6.6	6.3	40.0
4244	Inventories	..Grocery & Related Products	5.9	6.8	6.3	30.0
4245	Inventories	..Farm Product Raw Materials	4.7	7.1	5.6	40.0
4246	Inventories	..Chemicals & Allied Products	5.1	5.6	5.3	40.0
4247	Inventories	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	3.7	4.4	4.0	30.0
4248	Inventories	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	5.4	6.6	5.7	20.0
4249	Inventories	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	5.0	5.8	5.4	40.0
NAICS Code	**Data Item**	**NAICS Description (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)**	**Standard Errors**			**Imputation Rate**
			Minimum	**Maximum**	**Median**	**Median**
42	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**Total Merchant Wholesalers, Except Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices**	**0.02**	**0.02**	**0.02**	**NA**
423	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Durable Goods**	**0.03**	**0.04**	**0.03**	**NA**
4231	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Motor Vehicle & Motor Vehicle Parts & Supplies	0.04	0.06	0.05	NA
4232	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Furniture & Home Furnishings	0.08	0.15	0.12	NA
4233	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Lumber & Other Construction Materials	0.04	0.07	0.05	NA
4234	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies	0.04	0.04	0.04	NA
42343	Inventories/Sales Ratios	...Computer & Computer Peripheral Equipment & Software	0.02	0.04	0.03	NA
4235	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Metals & Minerals, Except Petroleum	0.09	0.17	0.13	NA
4236	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Electrical & Electronic Goods	0.03	0.04	0.03	NA
4237	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Hardware, & Plumbing & Heating Equipment & Supplies	0.07	0.08	0.07	NA
4238	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Machinery, Equipment, & Supplies	0.11	0.15	0.13	NA
4239	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Durable Goods	0.08	0.12	0.09	NA
424	**Inventories/Sales Ratios**	**.Nondurable Goods**	**0.01**	**0.02**	**0.01**	**NA**
4241	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Paper & Paper Products	0.05	0.06	0.05	NA
4242	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Drugs & Druggists' Sundries	0.02	0.04	0.04	NA
4243	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Apparel, Piece Goods, & Notions	0.07	0.12	0.09	NA
4244	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Grocery & Related Products	0.03	0.04	0.03	NA
4245	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Farm Product Raw Materials	0.04	0.08	0.06	NA
4246	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Chemicals & Allied Products	0.05	0.06	0.06	NA
4247	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Petroleum & Petroleum Products	0.02	0.03	0.03	NA
4248	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Beer, Wine, & Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	0.03	0.05	0.03	NA
4249	Inventories/Sales Ratios	..Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	0.05	0.09	0.07	NA

NA = Not Available.

Notes:

Estimated measures of sampling variability are based on estimates not adjusted for seasonal variation, trading day differences, or moving holidays. Minimum, maximum, and median values are computed using estimates for January 2016 through December 2016.

Imputation rates are calculated as a percentage of the total sales estimate or total inventories estimate. For NAICS other than the total wholesale level, median imputation rates are rounded up to the nearest 10%.

Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at http://www.census.gov/wholesale/www/how_surveys_are_collected/index.html.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Monthly Wholesale Trade Survey, March 24, 2017.