

**TABLE 1. STATEWIDE TAXABLE SALES, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS, 2004**

Type of business	Number of permits on July 1, 2004	Taxable transactions			Per capita taxable transactions a	
		Amount (in thousands)	Percent of total	Percent change from year to year	2003	2004
<i>Retail Stores</i>						
Women's apparel	11,432	\$4,616,730	.92	7.8	118.94	126.17
Men's apparel	3,137	1,033,947	.21	0.8	28.50	28.26
Family apparel	19,315	8,819,150	1.76	16.8	209.72	241.02
Shoes	5,134	2,487,310	.50	7.0	64.60	67.98
Apparel stores group	<b>39,018</b>	<b>16,957,137</b>	<b>3.39</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>421.76</b>	<b>463.43</b>
General merchandise stores	11,158	47,947,502	9.59	7.3	1,241.83	1,310.37
Drug stores	4,385	5,992,030	1.20	2.3	162.70	163.76
General merchandise group	<b>15,543</b>	<b>53,939,532</b>	<b>10.79</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>1,404.53</b>	<b>1,474.13</b>
Gifts, art goods, and novelties	13,733	1,857,732	.37	1.2	51.02	50.77
Sporting goods	7,222	3,652,423	.73	7.7	94.22	99.82
Florists	5,703	1,077,694	.22	7.2	27.94	29.45
Photographic equipment and supplies	996	523,418	.10	6.2	13.70	14.30
Musical instruments	3,354	1,515,906	.30	0.4	41.94	41.43
Stationery and books	9,521	4,017,604	.80	2.1	109.37	109.80
Jewelry	11,472	2,638,070	.53	10.3	66.48	72.10
Office, store, and school supplies	17,805	15,661,420	3.13	12.0	388.38	428.02
Other specialties	135,838	18,017,729	3.60	8.2	462.56	492.41
Specialty stores group	<b>205,644</b>	<b>48,961,996</b>	<b>9.79</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>1,255.61</b>	<b>1,338.10</b>
Food stores selling all types of liquor	5,397	12,549,699	2.51	-0.9	351.79	342.97
All other food stores	19,488	7,276,072	1.45	7.9	187.45	198.85
Food stores group	<b>24,885</b>	<b>19,825,771</b>	<b>3.96</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>539.24</b>	<b>541.82</b>
Eating places: no alcoholic beverages	53,265	19,960,168	3.99	8.7	510.31	545.50
Eating places: beer and wine	19,829	10,792,102	2.16	8.1	277.40	294.94
Eating and drinking: all types of liquor	10,667	12,522,768	2.50	7.0	325.05	342.24
Eating and drinking group	<b>83,761</b>	<b>43,275,038</b>	<b>8.65</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>1,112.76</b>	<b>1,182.67</b>
Household and home furnishings	28,499	11,990,994	2.40	10.4	301.77	327.71
Household appliance dealers	3,872	4,414,353	.88	4.0	117.90	120.64
Household group	<b>32,371</b>	<b>16,405,347</b>	<b>3.28</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>419.66</b>	<b>448.35</b>
Lumber and building materials	4,682	25,603,018	5.12	23.7	575.14	699.71
Hardware stores	2,367	3,391,346	.68	12.2	83.97	92.68
Plumbing and electrical supplies	2,054	4,086,037	.82	18.2	96.03	111.67
Paint, glass, and wallpaper	1,663	1,074,142	.21	5.1	28.40	29.36
Building material group	<b>10,766</b>	<b>34,154,543</b>	<b>6.83</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>783.55</b>	<b>933.42</b>
New motor vehicle dealers	2,696	59,683,155	11.93	5.3	1,575.32	1,631.10
Used motor vehicle dealers	8,115	5,752,329	1.15	8.5	147.25	157.21
Automotive supplies and parts	16,006	5,333,743	1.07	5.5	140.43	145.77
Service stations	9,011	32,759,629	6.55	18.2	770.04	895.30
Automotive group	<b>35,828</b>	<b>103,528,856</b>	<b>20.70</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>2,633.04</b>	<b>2,829.37</b>
Packaged liquor stores	5,068	2,350,077	.47	7.4	60.77	64.23
Second-hand merchandise	7,418	533,872	.11	3.8	14.29	14.59
Farm implement dealers	1,383	2,975,692	.60	19.4	69.26	81.32
Farm and garden supply stores	4,061	2,386,377	.48	5.3	62.96	65.22
Fuel and ice dealers	784	321,429	.06	12.9	7.91	8.78
Mobile homes, trailers, and campers	912	1,452,822	.29	18.4	34.09	39.70
Boat, motorcycle, and plane dealers	2,815	3,104,199	.62	11.1	77.62	84.84
All other retail stores group	<b>22,441</b>	<b>13,124,468</b>	<b>2.62</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>326.91</b>	<b>358.68</b>
Retail Stores Totals	<b>470,257</b>	<b>350,172,688</b>	<b>70.02</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>8,897.06</b>	<b>9,569.96</b>
Business and Personal Services	103,873	22,306,787	4.46	3.0	601.49	609.63
All Other Outlets	474,283	127,597,308	25.52	7.9	3,284.98	3,487.14
Totals All Outlets	<b>1,048,413</b>	<b>\$500,076,783</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>12,783.54</b>	<b>13,666.73</b>
HISTORICAL DATA						
Comparable data for retail stores						
1999	364,896	255,589,386	64.75	11.4	7,531.96	
2000	380,414	287,067,697	64.97	12.3	8,421.37	
2001	399,102	293,956,521	66.58	2.4	8,471.86	
2002	422,301	301,612,306	68.40	2.6	8,535.55	
2003	449,346	320,217,054	69.60	6.2	8,897.06	
Comparable data for all outlets						
1999	957,152	394,736,245		10.0	11,632.47	
2000	958,917	441,854,412		11.9	12,962.17	
2001	969,579	441,517,560		-0.1	12,724.58	
2002	992,558	440,950,094		-0.1	12,478.78	
2003	1,026,463	460,096,468		4.3	12,783.54	