

MONTHLY REPORT OF STATE SALES AND USE TAX GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES

Data are compiled from reports and remittances made by taxpayers, and are classified according to sales and use tax registration numbers. Detail data from this report may not be directly comparable to that in reports for other months because of corrections in registration numbers affecting collections and gross retail sales within the business, county, and city classifications, and changes in the sales and use tax law. NO county sales and use taxes are included in this report.

TABLE 1. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES BY COUNTIES

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County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Alamance	\$ 4,259,271	\$ 172,068,258	Macon	\$ 1,169,916	\$ 39,880,936
Alexander	421,319	23,490,125	Madison	152,718	6,151,985
Alleghany	190,892	7,142,251	Martin	445,939	17,159,347
Anson	385,703	17,377,172	McDowell	769,549	42,929,906
Ashe	461,154	23,673,188	Mecklenburg	46,734,658	1,796,602,390
Avery	412,295	16,517,262	Mitchell	374,749	18,589,130
Beaufort	1,352,685	58,136,806	Montgomery	469,024	26,389,778
Bertie	117,991	7,610,817	Moore	2,978,292	111,209,967
Bladen	522,102	33,485,042	Nash	3,097,947	141,435,743
Brunswick	2,743,907	93,712,308	New Hanover	9,401,416	367,612,926
Buncombe	10,187,059	362,710,082	Northampton	123,457	5,189,683
Burke	1,532,137	68,724,452	Onslow	4,290,545	135,998,276
Cabarrus	5,803,962	231,275,364	Orange	3,476,664	133,523,296
Caldwell	1,515,624	67,045,929	Pamlico	175,038	6,623,965
Camden	81,667	7,702,710	Pasquotank	1,363,368	54,523,421
Carteret	2,617,844	88,742,498	Pender	634,443	30,937,947
Caswell	122,188	7,223,844	Perquimans	103,420	4,320,656
Catawba	6,087,705	242,017,098	Person	969,984	35,336,861
Chatham	819,899	34,532,337	Pitt	5,285,745	208,827,101
Cherokee	938,048	40,605,164	Polk	215,388	10,253,194
Chowan	266,365	11,767,622	Randolph	1,440,049	100,141,445
Clay	277,984	13,494,059	Richmond	2,120,163	62,989,699
Cleveland	2,257,707	101,373,231	Robeson	2,515,912	100,874,254
Columbus	1,225,004	57,996,472	Rockingham	1,603,578	73,252,068
Craven	2,791,634	111,275,570	Rowan	3,095,813	125,465,242
Cumberland	9,385,484	330,538,011	Rutherford	1,324,241	48,738,943
Currituck	591,245	21,243,340	Sampson	1,278,122	58,062,964
Dare	2,510,584	76,824,234	Scotland	990,814	37,731,586
Davidson	3,729,370	152,320,158	Stanly	1,572,918	66,218,481
Davie	582,189	26,846,514	Stokes	564,749	23,769,821
Duplin	798,557	37,726,772	Surry	2,062,894	81,112,824
Durham	12,745,192	443,959,363	Swain	148,667	6,274,131
Edgecombe	956,432	43,484,860	Transylvania	834,348	26,515,760
Forsyth	14,959,757	583,859,727	Tyrrell	37,076	2,150,046
Franklin	1,028,667	38,653,803	Union	3,631,017	148,575,126
Gaston	4,818,640	205,142,173	Vance	1,189,748	50,675,456
Gates	60,435	4,632,598	Wake	36,271,217	1,340,047,589
Graham	110,721	5,051,526	Warren	161,841	7,914,154
Granville	762,983	39,465,411	Washington	182,205	9,143,696
Greene	147,929	5,877,356	Watauga	1,839,886	62,548,734
Guilford	20,346,906	852,050,357	Wayne	3,478,953	118,429,154
Halifax	1,308,790	63,681,444	Wilkes	1,614,566	66,926,287
Harnett	1,635,099	75,695,018	Wilson	2,282,239	116,461,420
Haywood	1,442,660	55,074,426	Yadkin	522,736	22,728,251
Henderson	2,870,664	107,886,238	Yancey	320,159	10,602,331
Hertford	918,575	35,551,683	Foreign	71,867,515	2,418,074,612
Hoke	323,884	14,767,737	Utility services,		
Hyde	82,302	2,767,074	satellite, & liquor	53,315,632	***
Iredell	5,823,797	222,690,686	8% Hwy. use tax	3,905,501	***
Jackson	844,933	30,007,505			
Johnston	3,929,218	150,652,536			
Jones	97,621	4,135,439			
Lee	1,881,524	73,475,911			
Lenoir	1,836,228	93,086,378			
Lincoln	1,404,894	58,185,988	TOTALS	\$ 427,732,241	\$ 14,133,954,509

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**TABLE 2. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES
BY CITIES WITH POPULATION IN EXCESS OF 5,000¹**

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City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 863,619	\$ 39,751,036	Kings Mountain	\$ 307,085	\$ 13,314,056
Apex	1,074,362	34,204,411	Kinston	1,445,594	73,175,185
Archdale	237,185	8,635,987	Knightdale	337,015	10,449,377
Asheboro	1,250,239	46,249,955	Laurinburg	707,428	28,077,467
Asheville	8,020,604	272,917,712	Lenoir	870,298	36,454,761
Belmont	277,166	22,862,339	Lewisville	68,695	2,460,425
Bessemer City	71,417	2,583,533	Lexington	2,158,307	73,431,103
Black Mountain	218,011	9,002,459	Lincolnton	594,617	27,278,101
Boone	1,260,623	45,873,266	Lumberton	1,550,065	53,636,104
Brevard	527,079	16,246,187	Matthews	2,244,209	71,956,935
Burlington	3,023,373	110,199,120	Mebane	293,035	16,169,196
Carrboro	480,889	14,280,564	Mint Hill	129,093	15,545,298
Cary	4,532,711	186,194,459	Monroe	1,921,248	70,232,147
Chapel Hill	2,348,215	89,832,099	Mooreville	2,627,899	88,804,599
Charlotte	35,148,182	1,352,727,915	Morehead City	1,517,574	43,981,653
Cherryville	124,301	7,295,327	Morganton	1,028,168	44,429,943
Clayton	653,661	23,764,623	Morrisville	1,458,056	40,772,798
Clemmons	340,930	15,367,779	Mt. Airy	1,191,167	43,428,636
Clinton	762,612	33,103,395	Mt. Holly	98,482	5,385,077
Concord	3,561,133	153,808,878	New Bern	2,031,695	75,053,397
Conover	307,346	16,294,752	Newton	283,261	15,004,278
Cornelius	1,281,225	114,177,312	Oak Island	18,748	742,306
Davidson	175,447	5,474,571	Oxford	422,433	16,473,813
Dunn	884,882	33,482,192	Pinehurst	712,639	21,175,734
Durham	11,261,299	389,326,761	Raleigh	21,354,341	782,513,578
Eden	539,689	19,755,175	Reidsville	476,331	29,020,930
Edenton	229,898	10,288,078	Roanoke Rapids	839,102	36,767,655
Elizabeth City	1,039,506	39,539,031	Rockingham	1,903,901	52,396,214
Elon	46,600	4,563,359	Rocky Mount	2,741,383	102,665,208
Fayetteville	7,508,685	258,575,844	Roxboro	829,330	29,088,064
Forest City	504,955	18,112,145	Salisbury	2,158,305	84,344,656
Fuquay-Varina	796,918	30,548,707	Sanford	1,507,102	59,833,549
Garner	1,847,473	51,805,601	Selma	184,713	6,710,740
Gastonia	3,701,878	133,693,638	Shelby	1,242,536	57,587,547
Goldsboro	2,863,787	93,395,450	Siler City	367,986	12,808,290
Graham	350,689	16,238,834	Smithfield	1,255,057	46,094,043
Greensboro	15,318,015	580,996,568	Southern Pines	1,169,659	42,295,381
Greenville	4,159,111	161,313,979	Spring Lake	383,557	11,573,562
Hamlet	79,981	5,195,721	Statesville	2,397,898	94,378,660
Havelock	307,683	11,994,661	Summerfield	59,526	2,404,907
Henderson	926,715	38,941,772	Tarboro	438,842	21,155,383
Hendersonville	1,880,874	69,066,630	Thomasville	796,080	38,392,535
Hickory	4,504,096	168,991,860	Trinity	8,709	186,259
High Point	3,367,755	182,368,149	Wake Forest	1,025,460	31,356,465
Hillsborough	541,425	21,911,218	Washington	734,394	30,495,917
Holly Springs	103,699	4,667,593	Waynesville	749,493	27,060,285
Hope Mills	462,106	17,098,572	Weddington	27,589	2,100,799
Huntersville	1,439,215	48,884,534	Whiteville	778,583	33,893,015
Indian Trail	413,444	14,502,575	Williamston	337,455	12,724,242
Jacksonville	3,352,807	103,101,513	Wilmington	7,738,905	289,213,705
Kannapolis	970,942	32,993,281	Wilson	1,987,295	92,251,539
Kernersville	1,466,031	65,080,144	Winston-Salem	11,584,366	447,246,456
Kill Devil Hills	452,785	13,140,405			
King	193,621	8,822,744	TOTALS	\$ 227,151,598	\$ 8,633,236,386

¹ Estimated population as of April 1, 2000, prepared by the U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

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TABLE 3. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES BY TYPES OF BUSINESSES

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Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
1%, 2%, 2.5% and 3% Tax Group	\$ 5,631,053	\$ 451,185,214	Lumber & Building Material Group - 4.5%	\$ 55,253,852	\$ 1,571,982,036
001 Manufactured homes - 2%	371,082	18,553,985	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators	2,113,962	105,038,984
002 Airplanes, boats, etc. - 3%	970,007	37,817,780	602 Building hardware and machine stores	552,369	18,421,547
004 Modular Homes - 2.5%	507,509	20,296,671	603 Building material dealers	37,955,237	1,008,454,247
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	3,782,455	374,516,778	604 Cabinet shops	1,669,649	56,760,766
			605 Electrical, plumbing and heating supply dealers	10,029,999	295,364,065
Apparel Group - 4.5%	\$ 13,750,324	\$ 353,937,239	606 Monument and tombstone dealers	48,927	2,235,477
101 Boot and shoe stores	1,867,578	42,825,767	607 Others	1,920,440	59,071,018
102 Clothing stores	10,890,733	267,729,797	608 Storm window and door dealers	963,268	26,635,932
103 Furrriers	3,935	115,309	Unclassified Group - 4.5%	\$ 112,739,345	\$ 3,807,394,336
104 Haberdasheries	30,789	907,749	701 Beauty and barber shops and supply dealers	1,338,982	44,409,721
105 Millinery shops	15,034	357,508	702 Bookstores, school supply stores	2,319,196	67,039,189
106 Shoe repair shops	227,774	5,309,111	703 Newsstands	510,427	15,826,595
107 Others	714,481	36,691,998	704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled gas dealers	3,127,480	160,045,680
Automotive Group - 4.5%	\$ 20,070,281	\$ 1,651,223,002	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries	487,383	28,310,821
201 Motor vehicle dealers	3,364,887	722,661,848	706 Florists and nurseries	1,668,968	54,721,759
202 Service stations	2,133,497	175,619,120	707 Airplane dealers	693,291	32,177,690
203 Garages	1,969,105	91,778,880	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.	7,320,228	182,815,068
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers	975,967	43,099,667	709 Office machine and supply dealers	12,348,175	397,851,685
205 Automotive supply stores	5,534,984	230,555,254	710 Funeral homes	1,061,860	35,749,559
206 Others	589,855	39,851,780	711 Others	68,488,342	2,237,426,025
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers	3,016,098	231,912,495	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers	1,532,487	50,476,216
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers	2,277,351	97,516,695	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters, engravers, etc.	2,996,280	147,528,476
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	208,537	18,227,263	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.	1,099,881	28,603,653
Food Group - 4.5%	\$ 61,236,467	\$ 2,537,383,406	715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc.	2,703,782	100,300,499
301 Bakeries	378,386	15,434,043	716 Boat and marine supply dealers	586,962	36,082,944
302 Candy and confectionery stores	164,287	4,858,597	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops	2,036,893	58,902,555
303 Dairies and dairy bars	350,254	9,087,070	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper products dealers	1,832,925	87,341,583
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.	18,558,700	1,404,735,953	719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.	585,803	41,784,618
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands	2,090,600	105,158,445			
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills, snack bars, etc.	37,885,501	944,245,521			
307 Others	360,701	17,431,961			
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.	1,448,038	36,431,816			
Furniture Group - 4.5%	\$ 15,420,448	\$ 467,029,731	Total Retail Sales and Use Group	\$ 370,511,108	\$ 14,133,954,509
401 Furniture stores	6,794,153	197,446,462	Utility Services, Satellite and Liquor - 2.83%, 3%, 5% and 6%	\$ 53,315,632	***
402 Household appliance dealers and repair services	3,101,665	88,937,826	8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing	\$ 3,905,501	***
403 Musical merchandise dealers	594,327	21,442,313			
404 Industrial, office and store furniture and fixture dealers	910,679	31,610,204			
405 Others	374,613	17,883,768			
406 Awning and venetian blind dealers	117,242	3,325,359			
407 Antique dealers; interior decorators	1,299,592	36,216,599			
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers	2,228,177	70,167,200			
General Merchandise Group - 4.5%	\$ 86,409,339	\$ 3,293,819,545	Grand Total - All Groups	\$ 427,732,241	\$ 14,133,954,509
501 Department stores	10,785,362	259,446,442			
502 Drugstores; drug and medical supply houses	5,922,659	500,452,767			
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops	392,116	17,302,487			
504 Farm implement and supply stores	2,146,029	90,834,899			
505 Discount stores; general stores	29,226,394	890,526,610			
506 Hardware stores	2,296,851	71,965,437			
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock repair shops	1,618,934	46,642,534			
508 Leather and leather goods stores	36,188	1,061,839			
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers	3,719,339	221,826,777			
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets	678,157	17,385,929			
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops	2,992,168	85,439,960			
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores	2,331,162	58,765,562			
513 Others	19,199,930	893,114,744			
514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores	1,671,505	38,057,552			
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.	369,213	9,456,804			
516 Road building equipment and supply dealers	2,326,442	73,002,995			
517 Gift and novelty shops; coin dealers	696,891	18,536,207			

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