

**MONTHLY REPORT OF STATE SALES AND USE TAX GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES**

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

July 2005 Report

County	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales **	County	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**
Alamance	\$ 4,417,036	\$ 101,619,355	Macon	\$ 1,680,099	\$ 39,222,582
Alexander	442,722	10,102,273	Madison	167,139	3,743,303
Alleghany	256,420	5,831,729	Martin	512,930	12,105,322
Anson	313,320	7,765,718	McDowell	863,904	19,736,443
Ashe	573,849	12,841,401	Mecklenburg	49,840,160	1,126,246,048
Avery	495,247	11,001,332	Mitchell	421,610	9,510,555
Beaufort	1,323,953	35,309,672	Montgomery	479,850	13,371,638
Bertie	135,137	3,549,323	Moore	3,878,491	87,214,742
Bladen	542,344	16,246,111	Nash	3,218,578	75,445,537
Brunswick	4,205,796	95,621,991	New Hanover	11,215,312	255,258,891
Buncombe	11,029,056	252,263,866	Northampton	212,740	5,549,424
Burke	1,623,986	37,842,187	Onslow	4,316,261	96,502,577
Cabarrus	5,952,728	135,207,536	Orange	3,626,294	80,964,768
Caldwell	1,521,936	35,018,456	Pamlico	221,401	5,161,689
Camden	91,656	2,191,176	Pasquotank	1,556,435	35,100,279
Carteret	3,915,054	88,680,527	Pender	975,652	21,955,551
Caswell	114,112	2,618,203	Perquimans	157,259	3,661,551
Catawba	6,312,885	150,234,031	Person	938,339	21,639,315
Chatham	987,329	23,005,667	Pitt	4,923,415	115,308,077
Cherokee	1,034,907	23,536,871	Polk	281,976	7,360,555
Chowan	330,619	7,821,880	Randolph	2,736,412	64,709,348
Clay	245,648	5,701,160	Richmond	914,324	21,285,803
Cleveland	2,216,101	52,173,460	Robeson	2,546,140	58,419,515
Columbus	1,228,304	27,994,517	Rockingham	1,758,084	40,709,983
Craven	2,847,253	65,066,376	Rowan	2,867,262	66,873,742
Cumberland	9,779,173	220,010,950	Rutherford	1,389,966	32,093,520
Currituck	1,401,082	31,310,542	Sampson	1,212,616	29,886,618
Dare	7,278,596	161,358,500	Scotland	964,285	24,558,950
Davidson	3,182,036	73,624,070	Stanly	1,720,898	40,887,445
Davie	646,917	14,718,447	Stokes	594,011	24,493,631
Duplin	1,032,750	31,201,557	Surry	2,587,687	58,925,318
Durham	15,657,624	352,060,147	Swain	249,713	5,606,048
Edgecombe	1,056,046	24,119,665	Transylvania	1,061,980	23,872,275
Forsyth	15,505,772	356,453,702	Tyrrell	52,754	1,217,836
Franklin	973,916	22,343,959	Union	4,026,313	93,925,864
Gaston	4,771,459	110,671,998	Vance	1,255,092	29,640,328
Gates	58,190	1,425,601	Wake	37,864,772	855,286,893
Graham	143,691	3,208,748	Warren	199,281	4,744,898
Granville	748,834	17,508,976	Washington	189,641	4,393,245
Greene	153,500	3,633,765	Watauga	2,486,349	54,960,807
Guilford	20,584,395	474,214,546	Wayne	3,509,845	80,139,529
Halifax	1,349,464	32,440,699	Wilkes	1,560,065	35,968,071
Harnett	1,820,652	43,724,061	Wilson	2,490,589	58,911,919
Haywood	2,050,898	46,005,528	Yadkin	572,344	14,079,340
Henderson	3,111,839	70,729,187	Yancey	388,981	8,811,953
Hertford	688,228	16,307,689	Foreign	49,561,345	1,434,951,785
Hoke	342,451	7,974,307	Utility services,		
Hyde	259,167	5,885,477	satellite, & liquor	57,798,794	***
Iredell	6,100,808	140,690,185	8% Hwy. use tax	4,821,047	***
Jackson	1,144,634	25,617,005			
Johnston	3,967,693	90,158,700			
Jones	65,024	1,502,186			
Lee	2,148,686	52,732,464			
Lenoir	1,861,612	44,065,006			
Lincoln	1,556,990	41,477,179	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 438,467,955</b>	<b>\$ 8,930,833,175</b>

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**TABLE 2. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES  
BY CITIES WITH POPULATION IN EXCESS OF 5,000<sup>1</sup>**

July 2005 Report

City	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**	City	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 954,901	\$ 22,029,096	Kings Mountain	\$ 241,947	\$ 5,791,216
Apex	1,404,771	31,335,226	Kinston	1,481,706	33,814,144
Archdale	192,544	4,321,743	Knightdale	427,735	9,608,077
Asheboro	1,305,080	31,266,199	Laurinburg	677,324	15,840,295
Asheville	8,476,988	194,133,679	Lenoir	866,729	19,768,870
Belmont	273,291	6,352,886	Lewisville	67,896	1,509,438
Bessemer City	72,370	1,822,985	Lexington	1,417,176	32,420,122
Black Mountain	271,209	6,114,495	Lincolnton	667,603	20,378,732
Boone	1,552,893	34,220,753	Lumberton	1,610,931	36,317,062
Brevard	637,336	14,283,584	Matthews	2,084,458	46,722,467
Burlington	3,242,496	73,102,826	Mebane	339,119	8,906,600
Carrboro	366,862	8,158,429	Mint Hill	96,154	2,135,601
Cary	4,528,914	102,274,549	Monroe	2,014,685	48,229,859
Chapel Hill	2,235,877	49,704,661	Mooreville	2,687,077	60,745,022
Charlotte	38,755,890	877,729,625	Morehead City	1,939,528	43,753,049
Cherryville	125,574	2,760,095	Morganton	1,154,764	26,505,883
Clayton	752,570	16,903,395	Morrisville	1,103,360	24,717,110
Clemmons	450,433	10,283,634	Mt. Airy	1,373,197	30,955,327
Clinton	749,673	18,948,246	Mt. Holly	110,578	2,839,393
Concord	3,879,300	88,628,191	New Bern	2,112,993	47,723,822
Conover	382,837	8,834,700	Newton	362,089	8,484,317
Cornelius	769,424	17,331,411	Oak Island	71,264	1,580,163
Davidson	187,151	4,363,217	Oxford	391,789	9,357,514
Dunn	964,451	23,041,395	Pinehurst	1,349,755	29,812,606
Durham	14,433,320	323,149,406	Raleigh	22,341,765	503,416,120
Eden	522,048	11,987,885	Reidsville	527,375	12,275,224
Edenton	287,964	6,918,293	Roanoke Rapids	877,140	19,533,678
Elizabeth City	1,176,018	26,225,412	Rockingham	661,943	15,102,519
Elon	55,694	1,332,018	Rocky Mount	2,704,604	62,362,386
Fayetteville	7,978,722	179,683,439	Roxboro	793,378	18,147,635
Forest City	432,067	9,717,800	Salisbury	2,072,074	48,654,760
Fuquay-Varina	799,761	18,016,005	Sanford	1,800,085	41,912,522
Garner	1,801,903	40,256,998	Selma	211,816	4,928,766
Gastonia	3,571,698	82,011,678	Shelby	1,222,409	28,880,647
Goldensboro	2,936,469	66,515,537	Siler City	446,735	10,520,086
Graham	353,377	8,298,489	Smithfield	1,259,575	28,535,430
Greensboro	15,358,900	352,865,850	Southern Pines	1,312,685	29,287,712
Greenville	3,676,191	85,677,013	Spring Lake	435,903	9,772,492
Hamlet	69,426	1,641,855	Statesville	2,430,603	55,662,902
Havelock	303,624	6,919,196	Summerfield	42,161	935,845
Henderson	921,894	21,670,820	Tarboro	522,625	11,872,278
Hendersonville	2,026,368	45,487,810	Thomasville	842,832	19,251,031
Hickory	4,394,419	99,712,200	Trinity	7,139	167,568
High Point	3,440,455	79,970,615	Wake Forest	1,059,750	23,581,095
Hillsborough	625,971	14,060,500	Washington	712,763	17,464,843
Holly Springs	119,859	2,719,398	Waynesville	1,040,557	23,349,137
Hope Mills	451,111	10,040,359	Weddington	23,397	504,242
Huntersville	1,521,904	33,571,615	Whiteville	752,150	17,266,107
Indian Trail	669,901	14,956,593	Williamston	372,565	8,603,774
Jacksonville	3,199,646	71,314,927	Wilmington	8,899,772	200,213,433
Kannapolis	924,145	20,595,252	Wilson	2,105,399	49,554,410
Kernersville	1,262,539	28,883,256	Winston-Salem	11,643,918	268,725,164
Kill Devil Hills	1,173,998	26,068,773			
King	212,879	4,727,148	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 239,008,087</b>	<b>\$ 5,441,339,655</b>

<sup>1</sup> 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 TAXABLE SALES BY TYPES OF BUSINESSES**

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Type of business	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**	Type of business	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**
<b>1%, 2%, 2.5% and 3% Tax Group</b>	<b>\$ 6,715,742</b>	<b>\$ 501,801,742</b>	<b>Lumber &amp; Building Material Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 59,504,429</b>	<b>\$ 1,319,508,160</b>
001 Manufactured homes - 2%	496,493	24,824,238	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators	2,387,326	52,990,269
002 Airplanes, boats, etc. - 3%	1,709,136	66,815,259	602 Building hardware and machine stores	466,942	10,380,455
004 Modular Homes - 2.5%	621,012	24,840,402	603 Building material dealers	40,915,434	908,160,934
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	3,889,100	385,321,843	604 Cabinet shops	1,676,842	36,670,424
			605 Electrical, plumbing and heating supply dealers	10,866,311	240,734,617
<b>Apparel Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 12,822,931</b>	<b>\$ 284,612,460</b>	606 Monument and tombstone dealers	69,187	1,486,934
101 Boot and shoe stores	1,520,459	33,720,053	607 Others	1,894,399	41,882,842
102 Clothing stores	10,403,744	230,780,744	608 Storm window and door dealers	1,227,988	27,201,685
103 Furrriers	3,284	72,981	<b>Unclassified Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 98,333,311</b>	<b>\$ 2,438,481,710</b>
104 Haberdasheries	27,217	604,688	701 Beauty and barber shops and supply dealers	1,097,780	24,167,164
105 Millinery shops	14,883	330,423	702 Bookstores, school supply stores	2,703,346	60,074,885
106 Shoe repair shops	191,898	4,245,771	703 Newsstands	559,692	12,415,852
107 Others	661,447	14,857,800	704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled gas dealers	1,409,947	31,290,423
<b>Automotive Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 21,529,256</b>	<b>\$ 475,628,165</b>	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries	426,703	9,477,296
201 Motor vehicle dealers	3,761,751	83,323,160	706 Florists and nurseries	1,781,544	38,981,420
202 Service stations	2,289,701	50,407,810	707 Airplane dealers	770,803	17,127,425
203 Garages	1,893,511	41,388,478	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.	13,841,321	306,036,645
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers	879,194	19,532,083	709 Office machine and supply dealers	13,425,577	297,647,938
205 Automotive supply stores	7,522,464	166,143,561	710 Funeral homes	982,963	21,509,519
206 Others	527,830	11,633,903	711 Others	47,298,878	1,310,259,417
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers	2,109,788	46,882,011	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers	1,761,362	38,647,225
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers	2,375,679	52,570,321	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters, engravers, etc.	2,647,460	58,159,373
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	169,339	3,746,838	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.	1,185,847	25,997,977
<b>Food Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 68,678,126</b>	<b>\$ 1,517,795,684</b>	715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc.	3,013,464	66,889,548
301 Bakeries	320,889	7,045,240	716 Boat and marine supply dealers	656,791	14,507,826
302 Candy and confectionery stores	153,738	3,382,625	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops	2,075,304	45,861,693
303 Dairies and dairy bars	553,492	12,042,566	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper products dealers	2,122,620	46,975,294
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.	22,929,868	508,414,637	719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.	571,909	12,454,790
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands	2,741,736	60,674,272			
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills, snack bars, etc.	40,035,745	883,860,868			
307 Others	374,508	8,183,891			
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.	1,568,149	34,191,585			
<b>Furniture Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 15,786,870</b>	<b>\$ 348,555,077</b>	<b>Total Retail Sales and Use Group</b>	<b>\$ 375,848,113</b>	<b>\$ 8,930,833,175</b>
401 Furniture stores	6,414,688	141,899,010	<b>Utility Services, Satellite and Liquor - 2.83%, 3%, 5% and 6%</b>	<b>\$ 57,798,794</b>	<b>***</b>
402 Household appliance dealers and repair services	3,412,249	75,668,338	<b>8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing</b>	<b>\$ 4,821,047</b>	<b>***</b>
403 Musical merchandise dealers	537,580	11,838,519			
404 Industrial, office and store furniture and fixture dealers	915,895	20,301,964			
405 Others	375,094	8,312,803			
406 Awning and venetian blind dealers	120,801	2,680,414			
407 Antique dealers; interior decorators	1,640,186	35,782,136			
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers	2,370,378	52,071,893	<b>Grand Total - All Groups</b>	<b>\$ 438,467,955</b>	<b>\$ 8,930,833,175</b>
<b>General Merchandise Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 92,477,450</b>	<b>\$ 2,044,450,177</b>			
501 Department stores	10,055,634	223,405,985			
502 Drugstores; drug and medical supply houses	4,511,140	100,237,617			
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops	380,431	8,429,519			
504 Farm implement and supply stores	2,718,497	60,173,168			
505 Discount stores; general stores	32,560,074	723,496,596			
506 Hardware stores	2,496,518	55,411,684			
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock repair shops	1,707,269	37,725,906			
508 Leather and leather goods stores	35,969	792,934			
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers	3,721,981	82,221,489			
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets	494,126	10,848,703			
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops	3,250,494	71,688,539			
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores	4,506,039	95,040,158			
513 Others	19,968,050	440,573,367			
514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores	1,720,672	38,078,565			
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.	370,720	8,212,177			
516 Road building equipment and supply dealers	2,575,828	57,129,509			
517 Gift and novelty shops; coin dealers	1,404,008	30,984,261			

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