

## 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	\$ 3,421,673	\$ 129,530,810	Macon	\$ 1,354,592	\$ 41,414,162
Alexander	343,580	17,666,360	Madison	149,322	9,063,678
Alleghany	188,917	6,268,147	Martin	387,489	13,262,893
Anson	289,836	13,748,662	McDowell	607,590	35,100,811
Ashe	463,080	18,405,336	Mecklenburg	35,350,663	1,256,673,638
Avery	617,376	19,967,759	Mitchell	386,165	13,888,948
Beaufort	990,312	39,669,936	Montgomery	375,481	22,346,574
Bertie	92,245	5,910,149	Moore	1,836,916	69,788,361
Bladen	478,925	27,264,551	Nash	2,405,230	100,240,366
Brunswick	3,746,941	113,092,914	New Hanover	8,505,688	282,649,300
Buncombe	8,384,341	289,360,453	Northampton	92,215	3,914,648
Burke	1,258,092	53,466,715	Onslow	2,827,470	94,689,875
Cabarrus	4,120,750	164,239,211	Orange	3,055,021	112,951,841
Caldwell	1,203,211	52,691,278	Pamlico	148,006	5,478,196
Camden	85,264	4,113,514	Pasquotank	1,050,892	41,270,451
Carteret	3,259,695	99,883,563	Pender	792,971	29,385,613
Caswell	91,590	7,033,893	Perquimans	82,685	3,584,761
Catawba	5,025,842	180,953,381	Person	673,280	28,218,397
Chatham	754,936	30,419,143	Pitt	3,822,873	150,264,096
Cherokee	849,371	32,791,623	Polk	188,369	9,152,654
Chowan	232,847	11,476,071	Randolph	2,128,140	79,885,733
Clay	170,194	10,220,063	Richmond	769,003	28,559,271
Cleveland	1,891,276	75,693,658	Robeson	2,169,570	77,433,061
Columbus	821,211	35,813,172	Rockingham	1,143,942	48,845,630
Craven	2,029,556	78,538,545	Rowan	2,575,232	93,036,845
Cumberland	7,007,601	242,364,475	Rutherford	1,132,042	41,182,842
Currituck	1,417,788	42,203,283	Sampson	837,616	37,836,103
Dare	7,579,138	199,207,829	Scotland	698,073	25,387,377
Davidson	2,302,622	99,723,006	Stanly	1,461,501	51,597,591
Davie	521,671	23,297,449	Stokes	452,357	17,972,865
Duplin	701,578	26,964,891	Surry	1,635,721	72,257,577
Durham	11,036,158	370,799,816	Swain	268,723	9,121,905
Edgecombe	788,312	30,253,196	Transylvania	769,028	25,236,202
Forsyth	11,308,727	447,569,906	Tyrrell	31,225	1,338,137
Franklin	636,821	23,362,640	Union	2,581,819	115,644,719
Gaston	3,941,052	162,910,411	Vance	950,000	40,795,868
Gates	34,270	2,985,756	Wake	26,639,510	981,511,398
Graham	132,678	4,676,680	Warren	148,977	5,600,015
Granville	584,174	30,973,466	Washington	153,294	7,423,271
Greene	122,221	4,245,575	Watauga	2,233,010	65,132,618
Guilford	17,113,739	692,084,881	Wayne	2,575,348	91,143,184
Halifax	960,197	47,062,238	Wilkes	1,237,537	54,021,688
Harnett	1,259,525	47,846,240	Wilson	1,902,648	80,661,736
Haywood	1,576,335	59,971,046	Yadkin	470,664	18,483,270
Henderson	2,484,344	95,499,531	Yancey	300,874	9,962,941
Hertford	496,498	18,528,039	Foreign	60,490,618	2,074,627,609
Hoke	218,786	9,087,727	Utility services,		
Hyde	286,000	7,350,453	satellite, & liquor	56,087,610	***
Iredell	3,745,663	143,668,680	8% Hwy. use tax	2,840,201	***
Jackson	1,044,855	33,321,744			
Johnston	2,630,760	105,251,973			
Jones	108,927	3,512,807			
Lee	1,381,025	54,532,608			
Lenoir	1,433,658	67,187,275			
Lincoln	1,071,567	47,311,409	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 363,514,951</b>	<b>\$ 11,140,012,656</b>

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

August 2002 Report

City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 858,731	\$ 31,729,217	Kings Mountain	\$ 200,970	8,532,575
Apex	904,465	30,470,277	Kinston	1,105,092	52,585,249
Archdale	121,654	5,537,563	Knightdale	291,606	8,969,508
Asheboro	1,060,932	37,318,015	Laurinburg	554,823	20,401,915
Asheville	6,488,625	208,992,010	Lenoir	745,914	32,031,849
Belmont	180,044	17,728,099	Lewisville	58,751	3,357,340
Bessemer City	66,321	2,482,165	Lexington	1,067,825	40,059,886
Black Mountain	240,038	10,209,292	Lincolnton	444,316	20,167,868
Boone	1,310,033	40,229,109	Lumberton	1,188,765	41,491,243
Brevard	448,257	15,275,032	Matthews	1,623,671	50,773,659
Burlington	2,410,187	87,822,101	Mebane	217,084	11,379,084
Carrboro	321,683	14,141,660	Mint Hill	106,706	5,932,505
Cary	3,803,864	162,733,698	Monroe	1,434,346	70,760,604
Chapel Hill	1,977,887	68,181,912	Mooresville	1,290,961	46,405,928
Charlotte	26,951,306	991,510,294	Morehead City	1,443,982	43,947,316
Cherryville	96,143	4,439,275	Morganton	865,788	36,939,695
Clayton	337,214	12,442,683	Morrisville	385,621	20,432,392
Clemmons	254,278	9,781,393	Mt. Airy	883,688	40,762,747
Clinton	540,473	23,558,720	Mt. Holly	94,096	3,923,447
Concord	2,168,360	99,869,034	New Bern	1,449,907	51,060,311
Conover	214,377	9,859,073	Newton	216,592	8,360,371
Cornelius	517,154	17,336,861	Oak Island	33,145	754,303
Davidson	121,455	4,790,724	Oxford	353,887	17,918,537
Dunn	722,132	25,027,550	Pinehurst	175,979	8,672,193
Durham	9,891,084	320,131,049	Raleigh	16,440,395	565,329,102
Eden	391,626	16,102,737	Reidsville	319,534	15,563,027
Edenton	202,045	10,261,945	Roanoke Rapids	652,456	27,593,160
Elizabeth City	955,370	33,299,670	Rockingham	557,935	18,439,773
Elon	26,409	1,345,704	Rocky Mount	2,163,804	83,071,949
Fayetteville	5,711,544	198,199,374	Roxboro	563,436	21,715,427
Forest City	376,962	14,513,184	Salisbury	1,442,971	52,394,648
Fuquay-Varina	521,567	20,722,053	Sanford	1,121,636	44,458,002
Garner	1,133,307	33,812,895	Selma	180,600	7,609,905
Gastonia	3,001,737	108,354,313	Shelby	1,106,613	44,891,103
Goldsboro	2,062,144	72,253,113	Siler City	367,365	15,192,883
Graham	307,502	14,594,601	Smithfield	886,174	40,316,827
Greensboro	12,775,791	489,797,614	Southern Pines	693,987	23,474,286
Greenville	2,968,793	113,997,846	Spring Lake	223,421	7,277,854
Hamlet	57,392	3,778,024	Statesville	1,593,781	63,477,118
Havelock	244,230	9,482,901	Summerfield	26,678	2,013,292
Henderson	717,831	28,986,401	Tarboro	286,857	10,330,469
Hendersonville	1,643,233	62,560,519	Thomasville	628,213	28,708,102
Hickory	3,551,962	114,977,748	Trinity	2,142	52,467
High Point	2,639,572	123,562,278	Wake Forest	473,483	17,881,099
Hillsborough	424,068	16,633,503	Washington	557,926	22,130,924
Holly Springs	64,691	2,274,139	Waynesville	747,862	29,475,233
Hope Mills	355,945	12,640,024	Weddington	10,437	574,553
Huntersville	876,301	28,619,531	Whiteville	475,331	19,925,468
Indian Trail	256,692	10,046,845	Williamston	286,066	9,390,045
Jacksonville	2,090,992	70,565,248	Wilmington	6,224,540	208,320,122
Kannapolis	898,776	32,444,990	Wilson	1,632,575	62,678,775
Kernersville	931,369	43,422,016	Winston-Salem	8,916,367	354,044,318
Kill Devil Hills	1,061,404	27,466,253			
King	139,741	6,733,473	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 173,211,791</b>	<b>\$ 6,414,996,204</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 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**
<b>1%, 2% and 3% Tax Group</b>	<b>\$ 6,040,014</b>	<b>\$ 478,894,228</b>	<b>Lumber &amp; Building Material Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 39,012,006</b>	<b>\$ 1,059,147,529</b>
001 Manufactured homes - 2%	1,044,201	51,354,483	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators	1,646,927	58,980,572
002 Airplanes, boats, etc.- 3%	1,049,333	34,383,764	602 Building hardware and machine stores	226,874	9,992,035
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	3,946,481	393,155,981	603 Building material dealers	25,940,597	665,952,115
			604 Cabinet shops	1,078,231	30,119,457
			605 Electrical, plumbing and heating supply dealers	8,837,358	251,638,123
<b>Apparel Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 8,962,514</b>	<b>\$ 219,479,745</b>	606 Monument and tombstone dealers	44,397	2,326,288
101 Boot and shoe stores	1,298,960	32,159,424	607 Others	557,687	21,553,931
102 Clothing stores	6,972,096	163,127,230	608 Storm window and door dealers	679,936	18,585,008
103 Furriers	1,084	32,065			
104 Haberdasheries	19,971	446,726	<b>Unclassified Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 100,055,032</b>	<b>\$ 3,164,599,782</b>
105 Millinery shops	13,498	294,143	701 Beauty and barber shops and supply dealers	780,921	22,813,655
106 Shoe repair shops	95,216	2,273,896	702 Bookstores, school supply stores	2,433,975	66,666,501
107 Others	561,691	21,146,261	703 Newsstands	574,327	15,956,826
			704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled gas dealers	840,279	53,357,227
<b>Automotive Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 17,564,904</b>	<b>\$ 1,459,244,500</b>	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries	177,042	8,766,000
201 Motor vehicle dealers	3,307,123	726,341,108	706 Florists and nurseries	1,187,138	34,071,489
202 Service stations	1,753,659	119,109,648	707 Airplane dealers	467,572	32,450,636
203 Garages	1,842,574	85,983,751	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.	13,474,295	305,475,373
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers	746,621	29,004,721	709 Office machine and supply dealers	9,934,349	318,526,875
205 Automotive supply stores	5,149,053	206,118,726	710 Funeral homes	707,354	21,872,255
206 Others	331,390	24,189,458	711 Others	57,288,022	1,834,108,153
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers	1,751,539	164,770,998	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers	1,579,288	49,689,955
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers	2,141,798	67,485,122	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters, engravers, etc.	2,597,014	124,666,085
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	541,148	36,240,968	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.	1,138,443	27,823,006
			715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc.	2,269,392	69,545,350
<b>Food Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 56,152,435</b>	<b>\$ 2,162,852,604</b>	716 Boat and marine supply dealers	682,936	30,605,403
301 Bakeries	285,443	13,248,761	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops	1,475,741	40,443,321
302 Candy and confectionery stores	150,652	3,882,943	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper products dealers	1,991,648	81,406,525
303 Dairies and dairy bars	433,976	10,430,911	719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.	455,294	26,355,147
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.	18,984,099	1,292,866,885			
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands	2,211,178	55,376,671			
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills, snack bars, etc.	32,750,409	750,887,688			
307 Others	240,190	7,764,500			
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.	1,096,489	28,394,245			
<b>Furniture Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 13,402,080</b>	<b>\$ 381,600,643</b>	<b>Total Retail Sales and Use Group</b>	<b>\$ 304,587,141</b>	<b>\$ 11,140,012,656</b>
401 Furniture stores	5,594,790	168,438,027			
402 Household appliance dealers and repair services	2,974,767	76,508,161	<b>Utility Services, Satellite and Liquor - 2.83%, 3%, 5% and 6%</b>	<b>\$ 56,087,610</b>	<b>***</b>
403 Musical merchandise dealers	676,064	18,445,020			
404 Industrial, office and store furniture and fixture dealers	743,506	22,794,534	<b>8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing</b>	<b>\$ 2,840,201</b>	<b>***</b>
405 Others	209,258	6,077,188			
406 Awning and venetian blind dealers	128,023	3,376,897			
407 Antique dealers; interior decorators	1,225,806	32,383,537			
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers	1,849,866	53,577,279			
			<b>Grand Total - All Groups</b>	<b>\$ 363,514,951</b>	<b>\$ 11,140,012,656</b>
<b>General Merchandise Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 63,398,156</b>	<b>\$ 2,214,193,625</b>			
501 Department stores	6,582,347	158,128,500			
502 Drugstores; drug and medical supply houses	3,297,578	323,628,883			
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops	279,287	7,574,355			
504 Farm implement and supply stores	1,359,394	53,458,604			
505 Discount stores; general stores	25,257,345	747,631,776			
506 Hardware stores	2,252,253	73,565,345			
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock repair shops	1,368,711	35,000,467			
508 Leather and leather goods stores	38,547	1,235,201			
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers	3,180,215	132,298,949			
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets	306,547	8,535,681			
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops	2,699,443	79,867,254			
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores	2,011,934	47,524,682			
513 Others	10,531,141	424,140,449			
514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores	1,038,861	29,697,628			
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.	314,906	8,703,835			
516 Road building equipment and supply dealers	1,632,513	53,467,256			
517 Gift and novelty shops; coin dealers	1,247,135	29,734,760			

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