

By Industry	Louisiana											
	SIC						NAICS					
	No. of Establishments			Sales (\$K)			No. of Establishments			Sales (\$K)		
	1997	1992	% Change	1997	1992	% Change	2002	1997	% Change	2002	1997	% Change
Lumber & Bldg Materials, Hardware, Garden Supply (excluding Mobile Home Dealers)	1,004	1,054	-4.7	1,872,441	1,290,906	45.0		1,521			3,276,992	
General Merchandise	701	691	1.4	5,793,701	4,354,115	33.1		730			5,805,222	
Food Stores	3,469	3,681	-5.8	6,463,024	6,165,724	4.8		2,495			5,732,533	
Gasoline Service Stations	1,772	1,728	2.5	2,908,139	2,064,380	40.9		2,656			3,657,615	
Apparel & Accessories	1,995	2,240	-10.9	D	1,287,426	N		2,462			1,714,017	
Health & Personal Care; Drug Stores	919	987	-6.9	1,569,169	1,259,273	24.6		1,474			1,872,324	
Nonstore Retailers	375	349	7.4	D	297,229	N		365			386,036	
Fuel Dealers (incl. LPG in SIC 1997 and 1992)	81	90	-10.0	D	44,844	N		98			84,382	
LPG Dealers	-	-	-	-	-	-		85			74,159	
Petroleum Bulk Terminals (Wholesale)	300	351	-14.5	D	4,746,162	N		42			3,623,087	
Livestock (Wholesale)	18	20	-10.0	D	112,469	N		18			D	
Grain & Field Bean (Wholesale)	59	74	-20.3	10,812,223	6,243,216	73.2		59			10,812,223	
Sand, Gravel & Stone (Wholesale)	95	73	30.1	310,245	184,751	67.9		29			D	

N = Comparable data not available

D = Withheld to avoid disclosure