

By Industry	South Carolina											
	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)	1,008	1,045	-3.5	D	1,371,887	N		1,476			3,883,564	
General Merchandise	672	622	8.0	4,323,205	2,989,908	44.6		741			4,366,182	
Food Stores	2,746	2,683	2.3	6,134,788	5,179,448	18.4		2,095			5,578,102	
Gasoline Service Stations	1,688	1,772	-4.7	2,701,486	2,075,005	30.2		2,537			3,442,939	
Apparel & Accessories	2,260	2,398	-5.8	1,709,163	1,382,209	23.7		2,746			1,966,301	
Health & Personal Care; Drug Stores	813	816	-0.4	1,243,204	956,649	30.0		1,350			1,461,442	
Nonstore Retailers	381	329	15.8	D	265,895	N		500			530,955	
Fuel Dealers (incl. LPG in SIC 1997 and 1992)	189	170	11.2	205,142	141,236	45.2		215			294,273	
LPG Dealers	-	-	-	-	-	-		141			185,445	
Petroleum Bulk Terminals (Wholesale)	156	212	-26.4	1,679,706	1,852,799	-9.3		18			872,137	
Livestock (Wholesale)	18	27	-33.3	D	133,733	N		18			D	
Grain & Field Bean (Wholesale)	39	38	2.6	225,139	125,460	79.5		39			225,139	
Sand, Gravel & Stone (Wholesale)	44	42	4.8	D	113,585	N		8			D	

N = Comparable data not available

D = Withheld to avoid disclosure