

**Table 1022. Retail Foodstores—Number and Sales by Type: 2000 to 2006**

[119.6 represents 119,600. Based on North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002; see text, Section 15]

Type of foodstore	Number <sup>1</sup> (1,000)				Sales <sup>2</sup>						
					Amount (bil.dol.)				Percent distribution		
	2000	2004	2005	2006	2000	2004	2005	2006	2000	2005	2006
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>119.6</b>	<b>120.5</b>	<b>(NA)</b>	<b>(NA)</b>	<b>417.3</b>	<b>463.1</b>	<b>484.3</b>	<b>504.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Grocery stores . . . . .	95.9	95.1	(NA)	(NA)	403.1	445.1	463.6	482.8	96.6	95.7	95.8
Supermarkets <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	21.9	21.0	20.2	18.6	310.3	318.0	321.8	317.8	74.4	66.4	63.1
Conventional . . . . .	7.2	3.6	3.0	(NA)	58.3	70.5	67.0	(NA)	14.0	13.8	(NA)
Superstore <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	7.9	8.2	8.0	(NA)	131.0	126.0	130.9	(NA)	31.4	27.0	(NA)
Warehouse <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	2.4	3.2	2.7	(NA)	20.2	10.4	12.3	(NA)	4.8	2.5	(NA)
Combination food and drug <sup>6</sup> . . . . .	3.7	5.2	5.6	(NA)	75.3	88.3	89.1	(NA)	18.0	18.4	(NA)
Super warehouse <sup>7</sup> . . . . .	0.5	0.5	0.5	(NA)	16.0	10.9	11.5	(NA)	3.8	2.4	(NA)
Hypermarket <sup>8</sup> . . . . .	0.2	0.3	0.3	(NA)	9.5	11.9	10.9	(NA)	2.3	2.3	(NA)
Convenience stores <sup>9</sup> . . . . .	28.2	30.4	26.1	(NA)	19.2	22.6	19.9	20.5	4.6	4.1	4.1
Superette <sup>10</sup> . . . . .	45.8	43.8	(NA)	(NA)	73.6	104.5	121.9	144.5	17.6	25.2	28.7
Specialized food stores <sup>11</sup> . . . . .	23.7	25.4	(NA)	(NA)	14.2	18.0	20.4	21.2	3.4	4.2	4.2

NA Not available. <sup>1</sup> Estimated. <sup>2</sup> Includes nonfood items. <sup>3</sup> A grocery store, primarily self-service in operation, providing a full range of departments, and having at least \$2.5 million in annual sales in 1985 dollars. <sup>4</sup> Contains greater variety of products than conventional supermarkets, including specialty and service departments, and considerable nonfood (general merchandise) products. <sup>5</sup> Contains limited product variety and fewer services provided, incorporating case lot stocking and shelving practices. <sup>6</sup> Contains a pharmacy, a nonprescription drug department, and a greater variety of health and beauty aids than that carried by conventional supermarkets. <sup>7</sup> A larger warehouse store that offers expanded product variety and often service meat, deli, or seafood departments. <sup>8</sup> A very large store offering a greater variety of general merchandise—like clothes, hardware, and seasonal goods—and personal care products than other grocery stores. <sup>9</sup> A small grocery store selling a limited variety of food and nonfood products, typically open extended hours. <sup>10</sup> A grocery store, primarily self-service in operation, selling a wide variety of food and nonfood products with annual sales below \$2.5 million (1985 dollars). <sup>11</sup> Primarily engaged in the retail sale of a single food category such as meat and seafood stores and retail bakeries.

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