Estimated Total Annual Operating Expenses of U.S. Retail, Accommodation, and Food Services Firms by Kind of Business: 2006 and 2007

[Estimates are shown in millions of dollars and are based on data from the Annual Retail Trade Survey. Estimates have been adjusted using results of the 2002 Economic Census]

NAICS Code	Kind of business	2006	2007
	Retail operating expenses, total ²	844,369	880,835
	Total (excl. motor vehicle and parts dealers)	713,470	744,018
	GAFO ³	319,035	327,861
441	Motor vehicle and parts dealers	130,899	136,817
4411	Automobile dealers	92,906	96,825
4413	Automotive parts, access., and tire stores	24,982	26,218
442	Furniture and home furnishings stores	44,214	45,387
443	Electronics and appliance stores		28,736
444	Building mat. and garden equip. and supplies dealers	84,321	88,981
4441	Building mat. and supplies dealers	75,293	79,583
445	Food and beverage stores	127,693	133,195
4451	Grocery stores	115,013	119,593
4453	Beer, wine, and liquor stores	6,877	7,294
446	Health and personal care stores	56,026	60,108
44611	Pharmacies and drug stores	40,599	43,421
447	Gasoline stations		42,213
448	Clothing and clothing access. stores	78,360	83,075
4481	Clothing stores	57,764	61,183
44811	Men's clothing stores	4,180	4,353
44812	Women's clothing stores	16,366	17,327
44814	Family clothing stores		27,860
4482	Shoe stores	9,420	10,343
451	Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores	27,663	29,101
452	General merchandise stores		127,062
4521	Department stores	57,170	56,313
452111	Department stores (except discount dept. stores)		28,832
452112	Discount dept. stores	28,688	27,481
4529	Other general merchandise stores		70,750
45291	Warehouse clubs and superstores		58,351
45299	All other gen. merchandise stores		12,399
453	Miscellaneous store retailers		37,397
454	Nonstore retailers		68,761
4541	Electronic shopping and mail-order houses		
72	Accommodation and food services, total	,	,
721	Accommodation	121,183	126,357
722	Food services and drinking places	267,902	275,606

¹Estimates include data only for businesses with paid employees.

Note: Retail and food services total and other subsector totals may include data for kinds of business not shown. Estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions can be found on the Internet at www.census.gov/retail/.

²Excludes accommodation and food services.

³GAFO represents stores classified in the following NAICS codes: 442, 443, 448, 451, 452, and 4532. NAICS code 4532 includes office supplies, stationery, and gift stores.