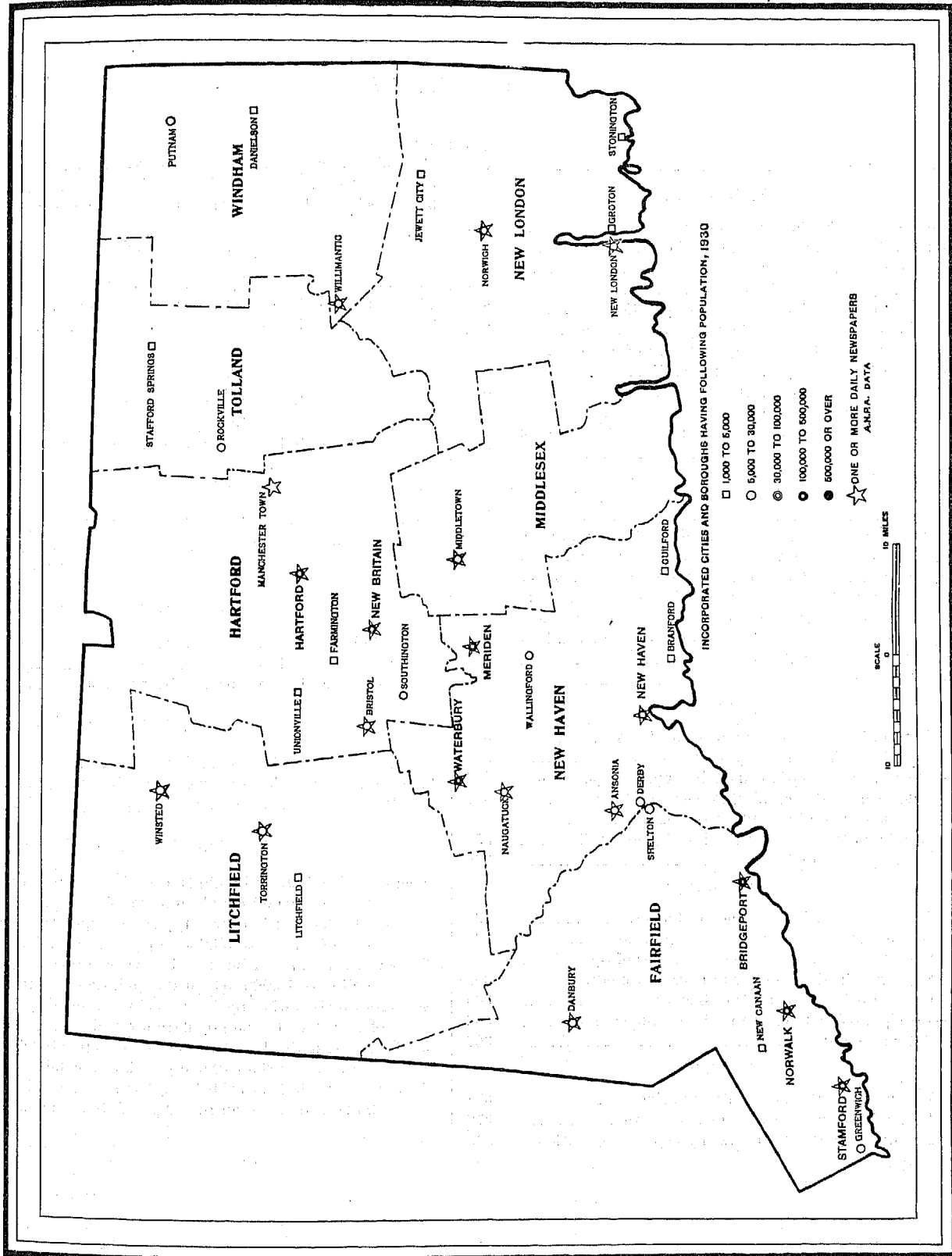


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CENSUS OF DISTRIBUTION

TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS (See Table 15 for commodity analysis)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Furniture and household group	953	794	4,529	282	\$8,072,681	\$104,178	\$11,767,540	\$49,416,459	6.43
Furniture stores:									
Furniture stores.....	276	232	1,785	109	3,558,851	41,670	5,838,690	23,904,802	3.12
Furniture and undertaker.....	35	38	238	18	419,982	6,900	802,530	2,847,029	.37
Furniture and hardware stores.....	21	19	139	2	247,715	225	451,250	1,600,790	.21
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:									
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	14	17	30	1	41,908	546	44,750	215,004	.03
Floor coverings stores.....	22	22	70	3	122,276	1,622	300,560	960,373	.13
Household appliance stores:									
Household appliance stores (electric).....	68	19	494	7	685,615	2,840	444,500	2,814,550	.37
Household appliance stores.....	25	7	179	14	335,609	4,981	434,200	2,083,477	.27
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	5	2	51	—	101,079	—	71,310	641,340	.08
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:									
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	38	38	31	1	42,274	550	100,420	253,108	.03
Brushes and brooms.....	6	1	65	—	119,458	—	4,100	241,733	.03
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	17	14	50	3	86,904	1,700	254,570	598,150	.08
Picture and framing stores.....	13	12	28	3	41,824	1,550	60,690	251,106	.03
Stove and range dealers.....	12	11	16	2	19,146	279	79,030	152,721	.02
Antique shops.....	66	77	64	16	94,466	4,258	624,470	897,057	.11
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	14	15	19	4	10,789	5,738	21,860	112,866	.01
Interior decorators.....	12	11	97	6	192,427	3,046	216,180	726,289	.09
Lamp and shade shops.....	5	9	8	1	10,134	100	15,240	56,410	.01
Radio and music stores:									
Radio and electrical shops.....	227	208	833	65	1,346,630	20,626	1,074,190	7,353,775	.94
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	75	42	297	20	551,687	8,542	829,000	3,544,439	.46
Restaurants and eating places	1,508	1,882	4,972	532	6,554,837	137,891	610,390	28,918,680	3.78
Restaurants, cafeterias:									
Cafeterias.....	42	20	694	92	834,305	25,245	58,870	3,750,516	.49
Lunch rooms.....	642	742	1,124	118	1,241,426	34,832	164,230	7,503,462	.97
Restaurants with table service.....	522	597	2,448	226	2,060,513	53,696	284,960	12,925,950	1.68
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, box lunches:									
Refreshment stands.....	51	56	24	31	27,438	5,678	10,480	259,160	.03
Fountain-lunches.....	32	29	162	17	162,944	5,860	30,020	800,871	.12
Lunch counters.....	183	204	806	41	609,164	10,660	56,670	3,449,404	.45
Soft-drink stands.....	36	35	14	7	13,047	1,720	5,160	129,297	.02
Lumber and building group	687	541	4,282	252	7,570,357	78,828	8,891,630	48,947,284	6.38
Lumber and building material dealers:									
Lumber and building material.....	145	78	1,798	59	3,132,435	22,902	4,851,720	25,704,203	3.35
Lumber and hardware.....	41	19	493	41	880,130	8,324	1,652,580	7,657,460	1.00
Roofing.....	20	20	45	6	64,466	2,103	21,910	284,208	.03
Sand, gravel, and crushed stone.....	8	5	16	—	21,403	—	3,960	64,554	.01
Electrical shops (without radio):	57	41	216	12	412,747	3,624	237,970	1,505,307	.20
Heating and plumbing shops:									
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	62	31	240	38	535,489	14,891	282,870	1,997,645	.26
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	199	207	973	72	1,669,731	21,642	810,720	6,995,818	.91
Paint and glass stores:									
Glass and mirror shops.....	6	7	18	2	26,770	700	28,690	124,670	.02
Paint and glass stores.....	147	131	472	22	794,180	4,040	1,073,710	4,628,419	.60
Other retail stores	3,494	3,140	9,380	1,868	14,433,298	477,299	22,645,190	123,281,147	16.03
Hardware stores:	286	267	744	92	1,255,353	24,938	3,439,360	10,534,716	1.37
Hardware and farm implement stores:									
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	9	9	24	2	29,668	350	77,720	376,013	.05
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	3	7	8	—	15,418	—	29,450	243,241	.03
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	19	15	116	13	180,420	2,436	493,310	1,668,805	.22
Farmers' supplies:									
Feed stores (flour, grain, fertilizer).....	123	97	310	33	491,067	7,438	677,090	3,817,806	1.15
Harness shops.....	5	8	7	—	8,317	—	17,550	65,033	.01
Farmers' supply stores.....	14	14	44	—	33,370	—	28,760	257,147	.03
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	43	42	208	3	60,318	820	97,300	498,694	.07
Coal and feed stores.....	41	43	47	41	348,527	3,921	445,330	4,840,474	.63
Feed stores with groceries.....	33	23	186	15	70,838	3,405	152,660	1,326,831	.17
Bookstores.....	68	62	576	70	229,304	7,945	450,880	1,860,991	.24
Cigar stores and cigar stands:									
Cigar stores with fountains.....	42	47	12	12	15,955	2,027	54,300	361,353	.05
Cigar stands.....	69	73	29	28	36,907	7,124	27,220	346,995	.05
Cigar stores without fountains.....	310	293	211	43	289,652	13,889	576,510	4,947,621	.64
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:									
Coal and wood yards.....	235	188	1,770	207	2,731,058	74,032	2,107,080	26,198,255	3.41
Ice dealers.....	68	62	576	70	674,664	23,796	123,970	2,262,865	.30
Drug stores:									
Drug stores without fountains.....	183	171	354	93	507,935	28,591	972,460	4,681,263	.61
Drug stores with fountains.....	591	531	1,467	346	2,197,387	103,101	3,544,820	18,134,469	2.36
Florists.....	176	175	482	149	724,174	32,629	312,500	3,539,978	.49
Gift shops, novelties and toys:									
Toy shops.....	13	12	13	26	17,868	1,844	42,120	163,621	.02
Art and gift shops.....	61	58	63	32	66,987	6,062	231,970	752,038	.10
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	33	28	36	8	25,889	1,993	84,390	280,716	.04
Jewelry stores:									
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	19	6	150	11	312,148	2,949	901,730	2,314,822	.30
Jewelry stores.....	275	249	519	119	937,125	24,821	3,771,100	6,516,114	.85
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	26	23	49	25	86,946	2,360	315,120	837,949	.11
Music stores (without radio):	31	24	86	3	176,685	232	340,910	954,539	.13
News dealers.....	151	150	263	204	218,436	28,743	249,660	2,599,971	.34
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:									
Office and school supplies.....	7	6	56	7	92,451	1,346	160,010	720,217	.10
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	14	15	213	8	623,081	2,240	191,080	2,174,628	.28
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	19	7	87	1	173,055	362	205,450	1,474,450	.19
Store fixture dealers.....	11	11	25	2	61,469	517	95,130	421,802	.06
Typewriter dealers.....	15	6	76	2	170,588	1,600	77,800	723,454	.09
Opticians and optometrists.....	55	46	166	21	358,237	4,479	318,500	1,609,954	.21

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TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS (See Table 15 for commodity analysis)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Other retail stores—Continued.									
Sporting goods stores including athletic and playground equipment:									
Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	20	17	37	11	\$59,416	\$3,041	\$142,720	\$562,284	0.07
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	24	16	51	2	65,494	630	226,090	823,948	.11
Stationers and printers:									
Blank books, accounting and legal forms.....	3	1	6		8,400		6,850	10,580	
Printers and lithographers.....	15	16	19	2	23,565	475	9,470	121,300	.02
Stationers and engravers.....	40	35	118	56	182,321	11,400	414,260	1,380,800	.18
Miscellaneous classifications:									
Artificial limbs.....	3	1	3		6,760		3,950	51,500	.01
Auction houses—miscellaneous goods at auction.....	5	7	24	1	17,786	400	22,950	243,492	.03
Autographs, philatelists (stamps).....	3	3	4		5,532		9,700	23,491	
Beauty shops and barber shops (merchandise).....	14	8	93	1	111,202	200	23,130	350,526	.04
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	10	9	31	5	36,216	1,907	24,800	161,681	.02
Concessions.....	35	35	38	25	40,679	8,470	39,500	439,396	.06
Toilet articles and preparations (including perfumes).....	14	3	38	1	54,810	150	38,490	255,019	.03
Embroidery, needlework, and stamped goods.....	14	14	10	4	12,784	1,179	34,420	99,188	.01
Institutional stores (not for profit).....	3		3	1	2,420	100	2,100	12,400	
Meat products and supplies.....	27	20	21	2	30,903	1,040	48,840	355,482	.05
Monuments and tombstones.....	36	32	77	9	144,117	2,513	209,800	826,069	.11
Patterns (dress patterns).....	8		7	1	6,282	308	13,290	22,849	
Pet shops, animals, birds, etc.....	14	15	15	5	21,459	1,185	35,020	185,549	.02
Rubber goods stores.....	12	5	43	7	69,092	1,083	234,560	660,459	.09
Rubber stamp makers and dealers.....	4	2	7		12,483		2,100	33,012	
Sanitary supply stores (insecticides, disinfectants).....	3	2	2		2,080		7,980	18,706	
Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	126	148	191	76	240,127	26,624	344,240	3,157,190	.41
Unclassified.....	24	22	50	2	79,105	1,020	49,460	252,013	.03
Secondhand stores.....	159	164	133	66	132,244	13,430	403,890	1,230,593	.18

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total pay roll cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses except pay roll (includes rent)	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)		
						Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises
All groups.....	22,202	\$87,196,149	\$27,380,839	\$114,566,938	\$82,584,741	13,084	\$21,314,443	\$493,581,594
Food group.....	8,613	16,227,635	10,163,915	26,891,450	15,675,362	6,276	4,374,309	148,434,558
Candy and confectionery stores:								
Candy stores—nut stores.....	50	86,716	23,920	110,636	119,575	40	60,173	523,065
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	906	720,923	999,792	1,720,715	1,309,540	600	554,545	6,502,794
Dairy products stores:								
Dairy products (retailers) ice cream.....	41	559,872	60,621	620,493	125,516	28	31,886	1,087,128
Eggs and poultry.....	58	37,474	61,130	128,604	75,137	37	19,680	728,612
Milk dealers.....	96	1,557,303	176,548	1,733,851	946,382	26	19,418	3,813,410
Delicatessen stores.....	228	202,049	280,132	482,781	384,134	165	141,360	2,639,585
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	250	234,691	316,296	550,987	385,729	151	150,042	2,452,033
Grocery stores without meats.....	3,797	5,204,071	3,739,032	8,943,703	5,622,690	2,869	1,697,541	61,480,183
Combination stores:								
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,002	2,551,022	1,340,482	3,891,504	2,401,414	547	598,791	27,007,887
Meat markets with groceries.....	1,178	3,152,840	1,793,660	4,946,400	2,631,551	703	633,139	25,816,613
Meat markets (including sea food):								
Fish markets—sea foods.....	129	219,415	194,923	414,343	200,880	83	44,671	1,118,520
Meat markets.....	594	1,258,682	879,308	2,138,050	1,116,932	397	318,591	11,478,271
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	169	321,444	216,650	538,094	258,248	104	89,123	1,320,664
Other food stores:								
Coffee, tea, spices.....	17	75,616	14,508	90,124	51,761	11	6,866	321,132
General food stores.....	8	1,630	5,250	6,880	1,954			
Bottled waters.....	29	36,827	31,005	67,835	33,011	14	6,303	100,856
General stores.....	232	453,448	307,788	761,234	405,563	71	44,699	2,377,399
General stores, miscellaneous merchandise.....	149	300,302	208,338	566,690	312,970	45	30,912	1,841,347
General stores, groceries with apparel.....	27	23,941	30,186	53,227	22,869	4	744	68,427
General stores, groceries with dry goods.....	56	70,103	71,214	141,317	69,714	22	13,043	467,625
General merchandise group.....	888	11,345,214	859,720	12,204,934	10,474,319	577	2,831,797	58,268,599
Department stores:								
With food departments.....	4	1,035,488		1,035,488	937,292	4	283,955	6,278,780
Without food departments.....	48	7,089,453	13,620	7,103,073	5,102,712	36	752,315	19,400,090
Dry goods stores:								
Dry goods stores.....	435	920,584	515,040	1,444,624	1,151,474	233	425,525	6,968,241
Piece goods stores.....	14	54,108	23,618	77,726	79,320	11	43,777	470,875
General merchandise stores:								
General merchandise stores with food departments.....	40	23,559	40,244	69,803	49,103	5	12,695	180,900
General merchandise stores without food departments.....	140	297,385	162,400	459,785	366,673	74	104,028	1,992,976
Army and navy goods stores.....	13	30,454	16,920	47,374	52,148	9	21,000	188,707
Women's exchanges.....	3	5,185	966	7,151	8,124	3	3,720	37,089
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	191	1,878,068	80,912	1,959,910	2,728,467	152	1,184,722	17,680,910

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TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total pay roll cost including proprietors' services	All other reported expenses except pay roll (includes rent)	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)		
						Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises
Automotive group	3,464	\$14,302,743	\$4,135,452	\$18,438,195	\$13,221,056	1,344	\$2,447,392	\$80,347,096
Motor-vehicle establishments:								
Automobiles (new and trade-in).....	537	8,536,498	605,630	9,142,128	8,017,769	308	1,160,091	60,992,530
Automobiles (used).....	73	178,048	126,760	304,798	285,533	47	70,154	1,317,329
Accessory, tire, and battery stores:								
Accessory stores, with tires and batteries.....	118	589,435	200,928	790,363	453,361	60	132,200	1,808,604
Battery shops (including tire repairs).....	120	377,486	204,624	582,110	334,877	74	90,206	1,404,766
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	111	574,289	161,343	735,632	491,224	71	102,913	2,565,908
Filling stations:								
Gasoline and oil only.....	494	847,322	417,987	1,265,309	842,376	118	116,333	2,068,595
With tires and accessories.....	285	641,135	375,926	1,027,071	613,712	123	157,002	3,351,144
With candy, lunch counter, groceries, etc.....	815	294,552	600,288	864,840	399,388	81	44,797	942,693
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies shops:								
Motor cycles (only).....	7	3,204	6,748	9,952	7,499	6	2,610	37,665
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies.....	9	15,035	14,000	29,125	14,057	4	3,576	54,917
Bicycle shops.....	19	20,149	30,573	57,022	46,941	14	20,765	223,090
Garages—repairs, gas and oil, etc.:								
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	93	366,263	170,704	543,427	159,425	55	51,861	569,240
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories).....	739	1,740,051	1,154,908	2,895,049	1,401,746	368	408,987	4,540,011
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	21	65,491	23,332	88,823	117,170	13	67,801	254,098
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	12	20,725	23,128	43,853	20,560	8	5,806	65,771
Other automotive establishments:								
Boats (motor boats, yachts, and canoes).....	8	24,060	12,033	36,093	10,482	2	2,100	103,427
Apparel group	2,214	9,094,794	2,876,311	11,971,105	11,267,084	1,686	4,407,041	60,123,834
Clothing and furnishings stores—men's and boys':								
Men's and boys' clothing.....	72	287,192	65,088	352,280	441,976	65	193,317	2,510,295
Hats and caps (men's and boys').....	32	75,908	28,458	104,366	134,006	25	32,782	432,933
Men's furnishings.....	161	222,107	230,598	461,705	437,627	110	221,088	2,608,415
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	206	1,584,957	419,000	2,004,857	1,990,247	186	656,294	9,606,619
Men's clothing—men's, women's, and children's.....	154	1,008,124	192,276	1,200,400	1,212,853	120	371,638	6,160,998
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	363	2,475,263	403,448	2,878,711	2,783,194	294	1,097,209	16,975,592
Women's accessories stores:								
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	40	55,602	42,108	98,010	114,485	27	60,075	549,808
Furriers—fur shops.....	50	413,712	96,615	510,327	432,027	51	140,368	2,433,541
Hosiery shops.....	32	152,343	13,320	165,663	97,836	23	38,715	865,997
Knit-goods shops.....	14	40,085	11,170	51,255	35,190	8	8,840	177,499
Millinery.....	163	467,167	144,526	611,693	632,465	124	340,969	2,626,660
Umbrella shops—umbrellas, parasols, canes.....	4	8,011	3,404	11,415	12,210	1	4,000	40,002
Other apparel and furnishings stores:								
Children's specialty shops.....	28	61,587	30,153	91,740	90,946	21	52,128	556,111
Custom tailors.....	363	943,996	642,510	1,586,506	750,778	277	244,061	4,250,213
Dressmakers.....	3	2,574	1,932	4,506	2,437	3	1,300	17,000
Infants' wear shops.....	9	11,844	11,844	23,688	16,568	6	6,295	87,559
Shoe stores:								
Men's.....	32	93,888	11,816	105,704	255,073	27	97,297	1,149,468
Women's.....	17	94,493	8,535	102,938	183,842	16	85,048	892,229
Men's, women's and children's.....	462	1,093,635	506,864	1,600,499	1,638,217	290	688,677	8,435,187
Furniture and household group	953	8,072,681	1,328,668	9,401,349	8,248,408	627	1,595,048	34,275,816
Furniture stores:								
Furniture stores.....	270	3,558,851	457,010	4,015,891	4,500,253	182	904,061	17,234,275
Furniture and undertaker.....	35	419,082	65,930	485,012	422,318	19	53,063	1,888,177
Furniture and hardware.....	21	247,715	33,820	281,535	182,494	13	22,955	631,544
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:								
Draperies, curtains and upholstery stores.....	14	41,908	23,426	65,334	43,103	12	21,700	196,464
Floor coverings stores.....	22	122,276	37,928	160,204	129,122	17	47,670	819,644
Household appliance stores:								
Household appliance (electrical).....	68	685,615	26,258	711,873	401,504	39	66,674	1,845,652
Household appliance other than electrical.....	29	335,669	12,029	347,698	227,525	11	17,570	719,900
Refrigerators (electric only).....	5	101,679	3,964	105,643	121,159	5	10,342	641,340
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:								
Antique furniture with used furniture.....	28	42,274	51,110	93,384	37,863	25	13,847	184,213
Brushes and brooms.....	5	119,458	1,838	121,296	4,268	3	2,124	155,959
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	17	85,904	23,576	109,480	148,055	11	37,100	529,680
Pictures and framing.....	13	41,824	17,856	59,680	46,579	11	21,270	267,847
Stoves and ranges.....	12	19,146	12,969	32,115	20,763	10	10,740	137,621
Antique shops.....	66	94,466	108,570	203,030	104,582	20	29,819	519,948
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	14	19,789	11,100	30,889	14,048	6	2,820	61,636
Interior decorators.....	12	162,427	21,472	213,899	134,948	6	20,937	460,199
Lamps and shades.....	5	10,134	11,178	21,312	19,702	3	3,030	21,668
Radio and music stores:								
Radio and electrical shops.....	227	1,346,530	330,928	1,677,458	919,415	172	162,989	5,652,803
Radio and musical instruments.....	75	551,587	76,776	628,363	731,321	55	146,677	2,331,268
Restaurants and eating places	1,508	5,554,837	1,804,854	7,359,691	4,651,584	888	1,410,951	18,814,011
Restaurants, cafeterias:								
Cafeterias.....	42	834,365	24,040	858,405	657,517	29	130,894	2,783,687
Lunch rooms.....	642	1,241,426	760,166	2,001,592	1,167,612	401	303,569	5,060,782
Restaurants with table service.....	522	2,666,513	636,999	3,303,512	2,045,035	311	648,730	8,401,142
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, box lunches:								
Refreshment stands.....	51	27,438	50,105	77,543	40,595	17	14,660	121,271
Fountains and lunch.....	32	162,044	28,101	191,045	159,230	21	73,994	648,632
Lunch counters.....	183	639,164	241,128	880,292	460,641	90	89,187	1,755,396
Soft-drink stands.....	36	13,047	28,315	41,362	21,054	17	9,918	78,201

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TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total pay roll cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses except pay roll (includes rent)	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)		
						Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises
Lumber and building group.....	687	\$7,579,357	\$935,650	\$8,515,007	\$4,579,017	386	\$452,037	\$20,600,120
Lumber and building material dealers (including roofing):								
Lumber and building materials.....	145	3,132,435	134,784	3,267,219	2,478,953	50	90,460	10,023,488
Lumber and hardware.....	41	880,136	33,820	919,956	578,059	14	21,232	1,674,309
Roofing.....	20	64,466	27,700	92,166	25,078	12	6,594	175,867
Sand, gravel and crushed stone.....	8	21,403	6,685	28,088	11,810	2	740	29,196
Electrical shops (without radio).....	57	412,747	77,654	490,401	173,300	39	41,918	1,032,480
Heating and plumbing (including heating appliances):								
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	62	535,489	65,696	601,085	219,365	52	50,216	1,003,086
Plumbing, heating, ventilating (including fixtures).....	199	1,609,731	356,898	2,056,599	567,011	114	101,216	3,080,576
Paint and glass stores:								
Glass and mirror shops.....	6	26,770	10,136	36,906	17,765	2	2,580	26,000
Paint and glass stores.....	147	794,180	219,032	1,013,212	504,776	100	136,721	2,936,129
Other retail stores.....	3,484	14,433,298	4,749,748	19,183,046	13,923,261	2,131	3,671,548	76,600,772
Hardware stores.....	286	1,255,353	441,251	1,696,604	1,188,363	187	312,465	7,200,086
Hardware and farm implements stores:								
Farm implements, machinery and equipment.....	9	20,568	10,953	40,521	40,085	1	210	7,034
Farm implements, hay, grain, and feed.....	3	15,418	12,089	27,507	9,310			
Hardware and farm implements.....	19	180,420	24,080	210,500	176,736	14	29,937	1,336,755
Farmer's supplies stores:								
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	123	491,067	151,320	642,387	428,168	51	41,864	4,020,215
Harness shops.....	8	8,317	9,504	17,821	7,857	4	3,756	41,435
Farmer's supplies.....	3	33,379		33,379	14,630	3	2,225	267,147
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	14	69,318	21,784	91,102	61,972	6	15,965	400,394
Coal and feed.....	43	348,627	69,552	418,079	270,838	15	15,792	1,015,198
Feed and groceries.....	41	70,538	61,062	132,500	87,956	11	5,929	364,906
Book stores.....	33	229,364	27,370	256,734	266,326	27	69,198	1,497,264
Cigar stores and cigar stands:								
Cigar stores with fountains.....	42	15,955	54,520	70,475	49,211	26	21,641	250,641
Cigar stands.....	69	36,907	4,971	41,878	54,835	40	27,434	218,050
Cigar stores without fountains.....	310	239,052	383,637	622,689	497,356	209	281,057	3,512,705
Coal and wood yards, ice:								
Coal and wood yards.....	235	2,731,058	282,188	3,013,246	2,492,921	98	176,022	13,745,628
Ice dealers.....	66	674,664	72,602	747,266	363,760	12	7,228	242,317
Drug stores:								
Without fountains.....	183	507,925	231,534	739,469	464,113	123	158,714	3,216,705
With fountains.....	591	2,197,387	767,737	2,965,124	2,042,016	425	876,659	14,130,822
Florists.....	176	724,174	250,950	975,124	688,693	78	154,094	2,111,136
Gift, novelty, toy shops:								
Toy shops.....	13	17,868	14,784	32,652	26,389	11	15,543	88,621
Art and gift shops.....	61	60,987	56,086	123,073	137,054	38	56,166	567,256
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	33	25,889	18,504	44,393	52,569	22	24,529	208,005
Jewelry stores:								
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	19	312,148	12,366	324,514	361,800	15	130,687	1,836,085
Jewelry stores.....	275	937,125	437,493	1,374,618	1,052,866	193	335,536	4,419,611
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	20	86,046	30,698	116,744	145,177	20	60,102	758,291
Musical instruments and music stores (without radio).....	31	176,585	40,776	226,361	243,608	22	43,851	700,345
News dealers.....	151	218,436	117,460	335,896	247,492	110	113,361	1,772,054
Office, school, and store supplies:								
Office and school supplies.....	7	92,451	9,750	102,207	102,267	4	20,527	535,043
Office and store mechanical appliances (retail).....	34	523,081	36,675	559,756	147,074	23	29,764	1,687,915
Office and store furniture and equipment.....	19	173,055	13,888	186,943	185,070	16	45,725	1,328,195
Store fixtures.....	11	61,469	26,818	88,287	40,354	8	20,857	294,707
Typewriters.....	15	170,538	13,386	183,924	90,622	13	21,781	688,934
Opticians and optometrists.....	55	358,237	98,020	456,257	300,745	48	107,848	1,622,590
Sporting goods, athletic and playground equipment:								
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	20	59,416	25,891	85,307	62,873	12	27,345	390,440
Sporting goods, toys, and stationery.....	24	65,494	20,336	85,830	95,345	22	37,340	784,503
Stationers and printers:								
Blank books, accounting and legal forms.....	3	8,460	1,410	9,870	4,250	2	900	16,800
Printers and lithographers.....	15	23,565	19,440	43,005	19,430	12	8,894	114,520
Stationers and engravers.....	40	182,321	50,680	233,001	215,070	31	68,651	946,504
Miscellaneous classifications:								
Artificial limbs.....	3	6,760	2,253	9,013	3,915	2	1,444	16,500
Auction houses—miscellaneous good at auction.....	5	17,786	5,068	22,854	25,585	1	2,000	75,000
Autographs, philatelists (stamps).....	3	5,532	4,149	9,681	2,851	1	360	10,956
Beauty shops and barber shops.....	14	111,202	11,656	122,858	66,199	8	38,604	239,257
Cameras and photographic supplies.....	10	36,216	9,936	46,152	35,580	9	15,745	156,881
Concessions.....	35	40,679	29,645	70,324	68,125	27	46,340	400,146
Toilet articles and preparations (including perfume).....	14	54,810	4,314	59,124	34,621	9	14,732	198,759
Embroidery, needlework, and stamped goods.....	14	12,784	16,240	29,024	15,882	9	8,476	78,296
Institutional stores (not for profit).....	3	2,420		2,420	4,301	2	1,860	8,500
Malt products and supplies.....	27	30,903	28,440	59,343	35,979	9	9,013	156,061
Monuments and tombstones.....	36	144,117	58,848	202,965	103,766	7	4,155	262,002
Patterns.....	8	6,282		6,282	6,536	2	2,088	10,192
Pet shops, animals, birds, etc.....	14	21,459	20,265	41,724	25,938	7	7,020	74,507
Rubber goods.....	12	69,092	7,905	76,997	103,793	4	30,840	283,059
Rubber stamp makers and dealers.....	4	12,483	3,566	16,049	3,771	2	1,680	21,602
Sanitary supplies (insecticides, disinfectants).....	3	2,080	2,080	4,160	1,277	1	420	4,000
Undertakers' funeral supplies (including some service).....	126	240,127	275,724	515,851	549,347	52	78,755	1,128,250
Unclassified.....	24	79,105	33,773	112,878	33,540	16	10,116	162,323
Secondhand stores.....	159	132,244	198,733	330,977	239,117	100	79,681	749,389

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal data	SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT													
		TOTAL EMPLOYEES (Full time and part time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (Included also in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS		Ratios at specified dates (Total full-time and part-time employees; 100 per cent represents year's average)				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees, by seasons of the year (Ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15
		Per cent 71	Per cent 29	Per cent 68	Per cent 34	Per cent 90	Per cent 10	Per cent 97	Per cent 100	Per cent 100	Per cent 103	Per cent 14	Per cent 13	Per cent 14	Per cent 15
All groups	13, 652														
Food group	4, 313	88	12	89	11	92	8	99	102	100	99	23	23	24	23
General stores group.....	168	77	23	73	27	92	8	98	107	100	95	12	14	12	12
General merchandise group.....	504	27	73	10	90	88	12	94	94	95	117	15	14	14	18
Automotive group.....	2, 075	90	10	89	11	96	4	98	104	101	97	5	8	6	5
Apparel group.....	1, 547	51	49	48	52	79	21	98	96	101	105	20	18	19	23
Furniture and household group.....	735	78	22	74	26	90	10	99	100	101	100	4	6	5	5
Restaurants and eating places group.....	1, 054	73	27	60	40	84	16	97	104	102	97	7	9	9	7
Lumber and building group.....	2, 587	89	11	90	10	96	4	96	103	106	95	4	4	4	3
Other retail stores group.....	2, 669	81	19	81	19	91	9	97	101	100	102	14	13	14	15
Food group	4, 313	88	12	89	11	92	8	99	102	100	99	23	23	24	23
Candy and confectionery stores:															
Candy stores—nut stores.....	32	26	74	100	86	14	94	100	90	107	1	1	1	13	
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	400	58	42	53	47	93	7	93	112	100	95	25	27	28	27
Dairy products, eggs and poultry (including milk) dealers:															
Dairy products, (including ice-cream).....	32	97	3	76	24	93	7	97	109	99	95	7	7	6	6
Eggs and poultry.....	22	100	8	100	92	8	100	100	100	100	51	51	51	51	
Milk dealers.....	78	92	8	88	12	98	2	99	103	100	98	3	4	4	4
Delicatessen stores.....	100	66	34	61	39	81	19	98	102	102	98	20	23	23	20
Fruits and vegetables.....	114	81	19	87	13	90	10	90	105	100	99	23	25	23	22
Grocery stores.....	1, 697	85	5	89	4	89	11	100	101	100	99	32	32	32	33
Combination stores:															
Combination stores—groceries with meats.....	529	92	8	95	5	94	6	99	101	101	99	22	22	23	22
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	701	87	13	88	12	93	7	99	99	101	101	20	20	21	20
Meat markets (including sea food):															
Fish markets—sea foods.....	77	86	14	76	24	95	5	96	99	103	102	32	32	30	20
Meat markets.....	393	92	8	92	8	96	4	98	101	101	100	17	18	17	17
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	105	57	43	38	62	89	11	97	102	101	100	11	13	12	11
Other food stores:															
Coffee, tea, spices.....	9	95	5	75	25	67	33	100	98	101	101	5	3	6	6
General food stores.....	4	100	0	100	0	100	0	100	83	117	100	33	40	43	33
Bottled waters.....	19	96	4	100	0	100	0	97	108	101	94	7	6	3	4
General stores	168	77	23	73	27	92	8	99	107	100	95	12	14	12	12
General stores—miscellaneous merchandise.....	112	79	21	74	26	94	6	97	109	100	94	11	14	11	12
General stores—groceries with clothing and/or shoes.....	15	82	18	100	0	100	0	100	100	100	100	9	9	9	9
General stores—groceries with dry goods and/or notions.....	41	69	31	67	33	86	14	98	103	101	98	15	15	14	13
General merchandise group	504	27	73	10	90	88	12	94	94	95	117	15	14	14	18
Department stores without food departments.....	45	32	68	13	87	86	14	94	91	95	120	12	10	9	13
Dry-goods stores:															
Dry-goods stores.....	213	25	75	18	82	86	14	94	96	95	115	15	16	16	22
Piece-goods stores.....	7	46	54	100	100	100	0	93	93	94	120	4	4	4	3
General merchandise stores:															
General-merchandise stores with food departments.....	6	77	23	100	0	100	0	100	100	100	100	15	15	15	15
General-merchandise stores without food departments.....	81	44	56	31	69	92	8	96	101	96	107	15	17	15	20
Army and navy goods stores.....	10	85	15	100	0	100	0	100	100	100	100	26	26	26	26
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	136	15	85	2	98	87	13	95	94	99	112	24	23	26	31
Automotive group	2, 075	90	10	89	11	96	4	98	104	101	97	5	8	6	5
Motor-vehicle establishments:															
Sales and service.....	490	88	12	86	14	97	3	99	103	102	90	2	3	2	2
Motor-vehicle establishments (used cars, including trucks).....	55	94	6	100	0	100	0	98	103	101	98	13	16	15	15
Accessories, tires, and batteries:															
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	87	87	13	50	50	96	4	98	102	101	99	5	6	7	6
Battery shops (including repairs).....	93	90	10	85	15	99	1	94	99	103	104	5	8	9	9
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	83	88	12	94	6	100	0	99	103	101	97	5	7	6	5
Filling stations:															
Filling stations (gas and oil).....	251	98	2	98	2	97	3	97	102	100	101	11	11	10	11
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	214	93	7	93	7	98	2	97	105	101	97	14	15	15	14
Filling stations with candy, lunch counter, tobacco, groceries, or other merchandise.....	184	82	18	75	25	90	10	92	117	103	88	20	28	24	17
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:															
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies.....	6	91	9	100	0	100	0	98	106	98	98	9	17	9	9
Bicycle shops.....	4	80	20	100	0	75	25	91	103	103	103	6	6	6	6
Garages, repairs, gas and oil, etc.:															
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	67	96	4	83	17	98	2	94	108	101	97	6	6	6	5
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories).....	501	95	5	97	3	97	3	99	104	101	96	7	9	8	6
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	17	98	2	100	0	100	0	99	99	102	100	12	12	12	12
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	6	100	0	100	0	100	0	111	96	104	89	27	15	29	17
Other automotive establishments:															
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	6	77	23	100	0	100	0	71	104	79	86	15	15	15	15

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal data	TOTAL EMPLOYEES (Full time and part time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (Included also in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS		SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT							
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Ratios at specified dates (Total full-time and part-time employees; 100 per cent represents year's average)				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees, by seasons of the year (Ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
								Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15
Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent		
Apparel group.....	1,547	51	49	48	52	79	21	98	96	101	105	20	18	19	23
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:															
Men's and boys' clothing.....	51	91	9	100	100	75	25	103	97	101	99	9	7	10	8
Hats and caps (men's and boys').....	25	91	9	94	6	75	25	93	84	104	119	27	21	33	43
Men's furnishings.....	99	90	10	91	9	96	4	92	95	94	119	26	27	25	38
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	215	85	15	86	14	98	2	98	97	99	106	16	15	17	23
Clothing—men's, women's and children's.....	110	45	55	32	68	90	10	94	95	97	114	16	15	16	26
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	300	16	84	8	92	55	45	99	95	103	103	17	14	17	18
Women's accessories stores:															
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	29	5	95	100	33	67	34	94	92	99	115	7	7	8	13
Furriers—fur shops.....	53	54	46	34	66	93	7	83	92	115	110	10	9	9	10
Hosiery shops.....	17	41	59	100	86	14	95	96	103	108	108	7	6	12	15
Knit goods shops.....	12	40	54	48	52	57	43	96	104	99	101	92	90	92	92
Millinery.....	127	8	92	1	99	43	57	104	93	106	97	20	14	18	16
Other apparel and furnishings:															
Children's specialty shops.....	21	14	86	8	92	56	44	101	91	100	108	24	25	25	24
Custom tailors.....	169	88	12	79	21	96	4	102	97	100	101	8	6	7	8
Infants' wear shops.....	6	30	70	100	75	25	100	100	111	80	100	35	35	35	35
Shoe stores:															
Shoe stores—men's.....	20	96	4	92	8	100	100	100	100	100	100	35	35	35	35
Shoe stores—women's.....	12	72	28	71	29	67	33	114	95	97	94	45	36	41	36
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	266	81	19	82	18	91	9	100	99	99	102	30	28	29	30
Furniture and household group.....	785	78	22	74	26	90	10	99	100	101	100	4	6	5	5
Furniture stores:															
Furniture stores.....	227	77	23	82	18	89	11	99	100	100	101	5	6	5	5
Furniture and undertaker.....	33	80	20	36	64	90	10	100	99	102	99	5	7	8	5
Furniture and hardware.....	18	74	26	50	50	91	9	101	100	100	99	1	1	1	1
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:															
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	10	47	53	100	80	14	98	102	98	102	102	3	3	3	3
Floor coverings stores.....	14	75	25	100	100	100	100	92	103	105	100	3	4	4	3
Household appliances stores:															
Household appliances (electrical).....	60	76	24	60	40	87	13	99	104	98	99	1	1	1	1
Household appliances other than electrical.....	24	83	17	100	100	100	100	102	100	100	98	7	7	7	7
Refrigerators—electric only.....	5	91	9	100	100	100	100	101	103	98	98	7	7	7	7
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:															
Antique furniture with used furniture.....	18	89	11	100	100	100	100	107	101	98	94	3	3	3	3
Brushes and brooms.....	5	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	8	11	10	13
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	16	44	56	14	86	73	27	91	98	102	109	8	11	10	13
Pictures and framing.....	12	74	26	100	100	90	10	95	95	94	116	12	12	12	9
Stoves and ranges.....	11	88	12	100	75	25	94	94	106	106	100	12	12	12	12
Antique shops.....	20	64	36	46	54	50	44	95	111	104	90	18	17	16	21
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	8	73	27	100	100	100	100	95	142	95	98	21	29	29	10
Interior decorators.....	11	64	36	22	78	83	17	103	99	106	92	4	5	4	7
Lamps and shades.....	5	67	33	100	100	40	60	100	100	100	100	11	11	11	11
Radio and music stores:															
Radio and electrical shops.....	172	85	15	91	9	99	1	97	97	104	102	5	6	7	6
Radios and musical instruments.....	58	73	27	88	12	100	8	98	97	101	104	4	5	5	5
Restaurants and eating places.....	1,064	73	27	60	40	84	18	97	104	102	97	7	9	9	7
Restaurants, cafeterias:															
Cafeterias.....	40	74	26	76	24	85	15	101	100	99	100	11	12	11	12
Lunch rooms.....	373	79	21	58	42	89	11	98	104	101	97	7	9	8	7
Restaurants with table service.....	454	69	31	48	52	78	22	96	105	103	96	5	8	8	6
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, box lunches:															
Refreshment stands.....	22	67	33	58	42	91	9	69	153	109	69	33	47	45	33
Fountains and lunch.....	27	49	51	27	73	94	6	98	99	100	103	10	10	10	10
Lunch counters.....	125	84	16	81	19	91	9	98	104	101	97	6	8	8	8
Soft drink stands.....	13	91													

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal data	TOTAL EMPLOYEES (Full time and part time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (Included also in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS		SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT											
								Ratios at specified dates (Total full-time and part-time employees; 100 per cent represents year's average)				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees, by seasons of the year (Ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)							
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15				
		Per cent 81	Per cent 19	Per cent 82	Per cent 18	Per cent 91	Per cent 9	Per cent 97	Per cent 101	Per cent 100	Per cent 102	Per cent 14	Per cent 13	Per cent 14	Per cent 15				
Other retail stores	2,669																		
Hardware stores.....	203	80	20	77	23	94	6	99	102	101	98	8	9	9	10				
Hardware and farm implement stores:																			
Farm implements, machinery and equipment.....	7	88	12			100		92	108	104	96		7	7	8				
Hardware and farm implements.....	19	80	20	88	12	100		98	103	102	97	3	8	10	4				
Farmers' supplies stores:																			
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	105	92	8	88	12	95	5	100	101	100	99	8	8	7	7				
Harness shops.....	5	100				100		97	100	110	83								
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	8	60	40	100		67	33	132	90	92	86	5	5	5	5				
Coal and feed.....	41	92	8	100		82	18	105	99	98	98	15	6	8	8				
Feed and groceries.....	24	87	13	92	8	83	17	101	100	100	99	24	24	24	25				
Book stores.....	28	45	55	58	42	58	42	103	91	94	112	12	12	14	20				
Cigar stores and cigar stands:																			
Cigar stores with fountains.....	13	86	14	89	11	93	7	100	96	104	100	48	45	46	48				
Cigar stands.....	29	91	9	100		100		97	99	102	102	42	43	46	45				
Cigar stores without fountains.....	141	94	6	87	13	95	5	98	101	101	100	14	16	10	15				
Coal and wood, ice:																			
Coal and wood yards.....	212	92	8	94	6	98	2	95	91	108	106	8	9	9	8				
Ice dealers.....	57	97	3	97	3	96	4	70	154	93	77	11	6	9	6				
Drug stores:																			
Drug stores without fountains.....	161	85	15	87	13	90	10	98	102	101	99	18	20	20	19				
Drug stores with fountains.....	530	84	16	88	12	94	6	98	103	100	99	17	19	18	17				
Florists.....	144	73	27	64	36	83	17	104	100	94	102	26	19	13	23				
Gift shops, novelties, toys:																			
Toy shops.....	6	50	50	33	67	40	60	68	68	81	183	25	25	32	65				
Art and gift shops.....	32	25	75	7	93	39	61	83	92	99	129	18	15	31	33				
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	19	38	62	43	57	69	31	86	126	94	94	27	10	33	29				
Jewelry stores:																			
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	19	68	32	50	50	100		94	95	96	115	2	2	3	7				
Jewelry stores.....	189	67	33	49	51	95	5	94	95	97	114	9	9	10	20				
Luggage, leather goods.....	21	69	31	50	50	88	12	85	85	85	145	4	4	4	29				
Musical instruments and music stores (without radio).....	16	67	33	100		88	12	100	96	98	97	3	3	3	3				
News dealers.....	101	87	13	97	3	89	11	98	101	100	101	40	40	41	41				
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment:																			
Office and school supplies.....	7	73	27	71	29	100		94	99	100	107	5	7	7	11				
Office and store mechanical appliances (retail).....	31	81	19	62	38	100		97	98	102	103	4	4	4	4				
Office and store furniture and equipment.....	17	64	36	100		100		101	101	99	99	1	1	1	1				
Store fixtures.....	8	82	18	50	50	100		104	101	94	101	7	7	8	7				
Typewriters.....	14	76	24	100		100		100	100	100	100	3	3	3	3				
Opticians and optometrists.....	39	69	31	29	71	100		96	97	98	109	6	7	6	12				
Sporting goods, athletic and playground equipment:																			
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	14	80	20	86	14	100		92	99	102	107	5	12	14	18				
Sporting goods, toys and stationery.....	17	86	14	75	25	75	25	96	96	102	106	4	4	4	6				
Stationers and printers:																			
Printers and lithographers.....	6	89	11	100		83	17	105	105	95	95	10	10	11	11				
Stationers and engravers.....	32	50	50	56	44	82	18	89	89	95	127	21	21	25	37				
Miscellaneous classifications:																			
Beauty shops and barber shops.....	13	23	77		100	86	14	100	100	100	100	1	1	1	1				
Cameras and photographic supplies.....	8	68	32	75	25	100		86	121	101	92	21	12	12	16				
Concessions.....	22	67	33	100		91	9	43	206	140	11	9	26	31	100				
Toilet articles and preparations, including perfumes.....	10	46	54		100	100		100	100	100	100	3	3	3	3				
Embroidery, needle-work, and stamped goods.....	10		100		100	22	78	98	98	91	113	21	14	23	31				
Locksmiths.....	4	100				100		97	97	109	97	13	13	11					
Malt products and supplies.....	16	86	14	100		100		97	101	101	101	10	10	10	10				
Monuments and tombstones.....	24	90	10	100		95	5	108	102	97	93	13	10	9	9				
Patterns.....	8		100		100			100	100	100	100	13	13	13	13				
Pet shops, animals, birds, etc.....	11	85	15	75	25	86	14	104	108	94	94	29	27	21	21				
Rubber goods stores.....	12	83	17	60	40	100		99	99	99	103	10	10	10	14				
Sign shops.....	5	89	11			100		92	113	108	87								
Undertakers' funeral supplies (including some service).....	99	85	15	94	6	95	5	100	99	101	100	26	26	20	26				
Secondhand stores.....	60	91	9	91	9	89	11	101	99	101	99	18	15	18	18				

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals in Table 4B)		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$100,000 TO \$190,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups.....	22,202	\$768,510	835	\$114,646	1,981	\$134,018	2,798	\$107,668	2,570	\$62,836	4,477	\$63,527	3,773	\$26,610	5,228	\$13,606
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00		14.92		17.44		14.01		8.18		8.20		3.46		1.77
Food group, total.....	8,613	204,109	171	22,574	648	42,453	1,186	45,755	989	24,148	1,820	25,503	1,684	11,102	2,154	5,589
Candy and confectionery stores:																
Candy stores—nut stores.....	50	718	1	122	2	105	3	112	6	138	10	150	5	39	23	52
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	966	9,816	2	213	12	810	38	1,462	59	1,397	244	3,305	229	1,609	382	921
Dairy products stores:																
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	41	4,011	1	126	6	365	4	158	7	173	10	160	6	47	5	15
Egg and poultry dealers.....	58	962	1	119	5	350	3	108	4	94	10	148	14	93	21	50
Milk dealers.....	96	7,637	4	585	10	698	4	143	15	302	36	526	6	41	8	19
Delicatessen stores.....	228	3,738			9	555	20	704	33	780	94	1,301	42	315	30	83
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	250	3,629	3	303	7	474	16	559	38	775	61	880	63	429	67	179
Grocery stores (without meats).....	3,797	74,255	10	2,450	202	18,345	681	26,587	376	9,370	560	7,631	698	4,798	1,166	2,920
Combination stores (groceries and meats):																
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,002	37,343	92	12,495	110	7,903	123	4,710	122	2,962	226	3,250	176	1,285	141	432
Meat markets with groceries.....	1,173	30,879	29	3,564	109	7,108	162	5,188	214	5,269	344	4,933	170	1,228	125	375
Meat markets (including sea foods):																
Fish markets—sea foods.....	129	1,893	1	144	6	364	8	285	6	144	25	360	37	254	45	128
Meat markets.....	504	17,430	17	2,271	77	5,151	106	3,991	95	2,230	155	2,170	82	571	59	167
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	169	2,160	1	182	1	78	14	543	17	410	36	472	45	313	55	162
Other food stores:																
Coffee, tea, spices.....	17	369			2	138	3	132			3	46	5	40	4	13
Bottled waters.....	29	213							2	44	6	81	6	40	15	48
General food stores.....	8	15													8	15
General stores.....	232	7,372	10	1,280	89	2,431	38	1,689	42	1,042	36	583	42	295	25	49
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	149	5,677	8	1,050	33	2,063	25	1,211	31	784	28	455	16	114	8	21
Groceries with clothing and/or shoes.....	27	504			2	107	3	109	3	58	8	128	8	62	3	6
Groceries with dry goods and/or no- tions.....	56	1,190	2	230	4	260	10	369	8	190			18	119	14	22
General merchandise group.....	888	83,590	52	7,372	63	4,411	89	3,442	61	1,988	199	2,827	164	1,156	166	455
Department stores:																
With food departments.....	4	6,278														
Without food departments.....	43	43,604	17	2,455												
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:																
Dry goods stores.....	435	10,317	10	1,296	23	1,439	38	1,467	40	1,010	100	1,459	117	845	100	284
Piece goods stores.....	14	489			2	160	1	45	1	21	46	1	7	4	10	
General merchandise stores:																
With food departments.....	40	566			2	170	1	31	3	70	21	253			13	42
Without food departments.....	140	3,472	1	129	15	1,083	26	1,000	19	464	46	657	13	81	20	58
Army and navy goods stores.....	13	324			1	59	3	130	2	52	6	82			1	1
Women's exchanges.....	3	37							1	24					1	4
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	101	18,503	24	3,493	20	1,500	20	769	15	347	22	330	32	214	27	56
Automotive group.....	3,464	145,898	141	20,592	278	18,018	344	12,979	371	8,058	651	9,183	598	4,216	935	2,354
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	537	95,586	110	16,407	119	8,665	63	2,479	44	1,000	41	583	14	105	8	28
Used car establishments (including trucks).....	73	2,425	2	323	12	888	4	156	11	284	14	193	10	66	18	44
Accessories, tires, and batteries:																
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	118	3,670	4	502	15	1,012	22	832	20	505	20	290	19	142	17	35
Battery shops (including repairs).....	120	2,091	3	356	4	240	13	477	10	248	32	441	32	248	26	81
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	111	4,389	8	1,154	20	1,303	19	727	17	368	13	174	20	138	13	32
Filling stations:																
Gasoline and oil.....	494	8,052	4	557	26	1,606	55	2,030	46	1,118	105	1,478	60	482	187	357
With tires and accessories.....	286	7,621	6	718	31	1,996	47	1,774	57	1,381	75	1,108	47	350	22	66
With other merchandise.....	815	10,715			20	1,399	70	2,568	98	2,396	178	2,536	154	1,071	295	744
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:																
Motor-cycle dealers.....	7	47									1	12	3	25	3	10
Bicycles, motor cycles, and sup- plies stores.....	9	111							3	76	1	11	2	13	3	11
Bicycle shops.....	19	245	1	160							1	10	3	19	14	47
Garages and repair shops:																
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	93	1,034			2	116	4	147	10	250	19	200	21	139	37	113
Garages (repairs and storage, gas- oline, oil, accessories).....	739	9,301	3	406	26	1,663	43	1,654	52	1,241	142	1,937	199	1,385	273	729
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	21	363			2	117	2	63	3	71	5	78	3	18	6	16
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	12	79									3	44	2	15	7	20
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	8	124			1	61	1	42						6	6	21

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued
 STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued
 [Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals in Table 4b)		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$10,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE LESS THAN \$5,000			
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales		
Apparel group	2,214	\$75,768	106	\$14,185	270	\$17,827	317	\$12,311	273	\$9,784	428	\$6,105	300	\$2,079	478	\$1,282
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:																
Men's and boys' clothing stores:	72	2,763	9	1,179	9	643	10	404	11	262	10	146	14	101	9	28
Men's and boys' hat and cap stores:	32	648			5	275	2	77	5	128	8	111	7	45	5	13
Men's furnishings stores:	161	3,220	1	104	8	493	26	1,014	24	566	55	790	27	195	20	57
Men's clothing and furnishings stores:	266	13,712	19	2,531	48	3,224	58	2,208	35	862	54	787	25	172	15	40
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:	154	8,174	9	1,157	28	1,800	32	1,241	23	573	24	341	18	130	15	48
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories:	363	20,071	36	4,886	70	4,743	58	2,280	47	1,162	71	1,022	28	209	35	98
Women's accessories stores:																
Corsets and lingerie shops:	46	709			2	119	4	156	9	222	11	164	3	22	17	26
Furriers—fur shops:	59	3,039	7	999	8	538	9	340	8	213	10	156	6	40	8	25
Hosiery shops:	32	860	1	150	3	179	1	202	7	173	10	141	1	5	5	10
Knit goods shops:	14	254			1	70	1	35	3	71	4	57	1	5	4	16
Millinery stores:	163	3,210	2	216	12	777	15	557	10	241	37	493	30	252	40	122
Umbrella shops including parasols, canes:	4	83					1	41	1	23	1	17			1	2
Other apparel and furnishing stores:																
Children's specialty shops:	28	667			5	306	5	167	3	73	6	87	3	20	6	14
Custom tailors:	353	4,919	6	844	8	613	16	613	15	381	34	487	66	422	206	547
Dressmakers:	3	18					2	83	2	42	1	11	1	7	3	10
Infants' wear shops:	9	153														
Shoe stores:																
Men's:	32	1,294	1	117	10	662	8	304	0	151	3	47	1	7	3	6
Women's:	17	893	3	397	4	258	4	141	2	54	2	33	1	9	1	1
Men's, women's, and children's:	402	11,039	12	1,605	49	3,127	61	2,450	62	1,567	83	1,185	60	422	73	201
Furniture and household group	858	49,415	73	10,182	138	9,647	151	5,821	96	2,360	173	2,483	114	827	167	411
Furniture stores:																
Furniture stores:	276	23,963	27	3,791	51	3,739	49	1,930	25	624	31	431	23	170	34	89
Furniture and undertaker:	35	2,848	4	517	9	595	5	197	4	109	6	91	3	22		
Furniture and hardware stores:	21	1,607	3	447	5	380	4	146	1	24	5	79	2	14		
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:																
Draperies, curtains and upholstery stores:	14	214					1	42	5	122	1	18	5	32	2	1
Floor covering stores:	22	960	3	523	1	81	7	252	1	23	4	61	1	9	5	11
Household appliance stores:																
Household appliance stores (electrical):	68	2,814	5	702	7	414	12	479	9	221	22	316	5	37	6	8
Household appliance stores:	26	2,083	5	613	6	377	5	204	2	54	2	23		3		9
Refrigerator dealers (electric only):	5	610	2	310	1	59					1	17				
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:																
Antique and used furniture dealers:	38	253					1	30	1	25	5	76	10	67	21	55
Brushes and brooms:	5	242			3	227					1	12		1	1	3
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware:	17	598	3	351	1	55	3	104	2	45	2	22	2	11	4	10
Picture and framing stores:	13	251					4	152			6	81	2	14	1	4
Stove and range dealers:	12	154					1	43			5	65	5	41	1	5
Antique shops:	66	897	1	148	2	120	5	189	5	124	12	167	9	69	32	80
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades and tents:	14	113					1	33			1	19	6	44	6	17
Interior decorators:	12	729	2	205	4	310	4	173	1	28	1	13				7
Lamps and shade shops:	5	56									3	49				
Radio and music stores:																
Radio and electrical shops:	227	7,354	8	1,016	33	2,167	38	1,415	31	739	51	744	32	225	31	89
Radio and musical instrument stores:	75	3,543	10	1,479	14	971	10	392	9	212	14	109	9	63	8	24
Restaurants and eating places	1,508	28,918	43	5,642	88	6,161	130	5,031	154	3,709	300	4,253	318	2,210	473	1,229
Restaurants, cafeterias:																
Cafeterias:	42	3,750	16	2,138	14	1,098	5	192	3	74			2	17	1	4
Lunch rooms:	642	7,503	3	373	13	775	39	1,508	51	1,221	137	1,870	160	1,112	230	644
Restaurants with table service:	522	12,925	22	2,906	49	3,471	54	2,111	65	1,561	108	1,555	105	746	118	348
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, box lunches:																
Refreshment stands:	51	259							2	53	4	63	9	62	36	81
Fountain—lunches:	32	900	1	108	5	343	4	139	6	141	8	125	6	40	2	4
Lunch counters:	183	3,449	1	117	8	472	28	1,051	27	659	40	601	27	187	51	104
Soft-drinks stands:	36	129									3	39	7	46	26	44
Lumber and building group	687	48,947	63	9,073	105	7,391	76	2,991	71	1,727	107	1,587	84	622	117	327
Lumber and building material dealers:																
Lumber and building material dealers:	145	25,704	27	4,082	28	2,160	10	420	3	80	11	184	7	52	9	21
Lumber and hardware:	41	7,657	12	1,655	12	868	4	160	2	48					6	1
Roofing:	20	254			1	77			3	68	4	49	6	38	2	8
Sand, gravel, and crushed stone:	8	64									1	20	5	36	2	33
Electrical shops (without radio):	57	1,504	4	507	4	245	7	257	9	222	10	149	12	91	11	
Heating and plumbing shops:																
Heating appliances—an oil burners:	62	1,998	2	323	14	886	10	386	5	120	13	205	5	40	13	33
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating:	199	6,996	9	1,149	29	2,000	28	1,082	33	807	36	518	24	172	37	112
Paint and glass stores:																
Glass and mirror shops:	6	124			1	63			1	26	1	18	2	14	1	3
Paint and glass stores:	147	4,629	9	1,352	16	1,092	17	686	15	356	31	444	21	164	37	94

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STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals in Table 4B)		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$10,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE LESS THAN \$5,000			
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales		
Other retail stores.....	3,484	123,261	176	23,795	359	24,645	459	17,341	483	11,923	744	10,743	534	3,880	638	1,703
Hardware stores.....	286	10,536	11	1,600	40	2,840	39	1,477	46	1,121	64	918	43	310	34	97
Harness shops.....	8	66									2	34	4	28	2	4
Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers.....	9	376			4	302	1	30	1	24			3	20		
Farm implement dealers (hay, grain, and feed).....	3	243	1	149	1	68			1	26						
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	123	8,817	26	3,194	40	2,611	17	649	13	340	12	156	5	37	6	15
Florists.....	176	3,840	5	600	12	831	21	821	31	765	36	511	32	220	30	93
Art and gift shops.....	61	752	1	104	2	130	3	112	6	143	8	104	13	90	28	64
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	19	1,669	3	365	6	417	3	127	1	30	5	77				
Farmers' supply stores.....	3	256	1	172	1	77							1	7		
Ice dealers.....	66	2,294	1	103	9	613	3	119	3	81	11	152	16	102	20	55
Music stores (without radio).....	31	954	4	513	4	274	1	31	1	25	2	34	6	43	13	34
News dealers.....	151	2,600	1	109	8	531	19	709	15	268	37	519	36	260	35	98
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	33	281					2	60	1	25	6	103	6	39	18	48
Office and school supplies.....	7	729	2	316			2	79	1	25	1	11				
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	34	2,175	5	688	8	627	3	99	4	100	7	103	5	34		
Office and store furniture and equip- ment dealers.....	19	1,475	3	401	5	328	1	44	5	119	1	12			2	6
Opticians and optometrists.....	55	1,610	1	190	5	360	4	144	5	122	12	177	17	117	9	30
Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	20	561			2	142	7	267	4	94	3	38	3	18	1	2
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	24	825	1	108	6	421	1	42	6	152	3	55	6	46	1	1
Stationers and engravers.....	40	1,880	2	295	3	213	0	357	6	139	7	87	6	47	0	17
Store fixture dealers.....	11	422	1	141	2	120	1	39	4	107			2	12	1	3
Typewriter dealers.....	15	724	1	163	1	53	4	153	2	47	4	60	2	16		
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	19	2,310	6	1,029	8	625	2	87	1	28						
Jewelry stores.....	275	6,517	5	618	20	1,316	35	1,361	33	900	65	952	56	404	53	158
Blank books, accounting and legal forms.....	3	20									1	12			2	8
Book stores.....	33	1,860	2	310	2	155	3	126	4	98			12	90	2	0
Drug stores without fountains.....	133	4,683			13	905	40	1,437	44	1,071	52	735	24	183	9	27
Drug stores with fountains.....	591	18,136	20	2,784	35	2,377	120	4,462	152	3,714	182	2,785	54	437	23	64
Feed stores with groceries.....	41	1,327	4	421	3	200	9	349	8	183	7	105	6	55	4	14
Cigar stands.....	69	347							1	25	8	109	13	98	47	115
Cigar stores without fountains.....	310	4,947	4	518	22	1,490	21	800	22	535	66	909	56	392	119	297
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	26	837	1	127	6	364	5	180	4	96	3	35	4	31	3	4
Coal and feed stores.....	43	4,840	11	1,462	12	909	6	212	1	25	1	13	1	5	2	8
Coal and wood yards.....	235	26,199	41	5,781	52	3,641	22	872	22	530	26	359	15	112	20	46
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	14	499	2	274	1	66	2	79	1	25	3	37	2	15	3	3
Cigar stores with fountains.....	42	361					2	73	3	77	6	80	10	70	21	61
Toy shops.....	13	164			1	72	1	34			1	19	4	27	6	12
Artificial limbs.....	3	52					1	35			1	10	1	7		
Auction houses—miscellaneous goods at auction.....	5	244	1	109	1	75	1	43					2	17		
Autographs, philatelists (stamps).....	3	23									2	21			1	4
Rubber goods stores.....	12	660	2	276	2	120	6	230	1	30					1	6
Rubber stamps stores.....	4	33									1	18	1	9	2	
Sanitary supply stores (insecticides, disinfectants).....	3	18									1	11			2	7
Toilet articles and preparations (in- cluding perfumes).....	14	256					3	121	2	54	4	54	2	10	3	7
Embroidery, needle-work, and stamp- ed goods.....	14	100									3	42	7	50	4	8
Institutional stores (not for profit).....	3	12									1	5	1	5	2	17
Malt products and supplies.....	27	355			1	56			5	118	8	122	6	42	7	20
Monuments and tombstones.....	30	826	2	304	1	70	5	192	3	69	9	112	8	59	8	15
Patterns (dress patterns).....	8	23											1	8	7	9
Pet shops, animals, birds, etc.....	14	186					1	32	2	56	6	75	2	14	3	
Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	126	3,157	5	557	12	629	25	758	10	241	35	517	19	137	20	63
Beauty shops and barber shops (mer- chandise).....	14	331			2	120	3	115	1	26	3	45	3	21	2	4
Camera dealers photographic supplies.....	10	162					1	35	2	46	4	65	1	7	2	9
Concessions.....	35	440			2	156	1	35	2	44	10	125	4	25	16	55
Unclassified.....	39	374			2	111	1	30	1	25	7	102	7	42	21	64
Secondhand stores.....	159	1,280			2	134	8	308	5	112	21	266	37	221	86	202

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TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS
STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (included in State totals, Table 4A)		STORES WHOSE AN- NUAL SALES EX- CEED \$1,000,000		STORES WHOSE AN- NUAL SALES ARE FROM \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WHOSE AN- NUAL SALES ARE FROM \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WHOSE ANNUAL SALES ARE FROM \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Total (stores with sales \$200,000 and over).....	523	\$245,604	33	\$68,334	82	\$54,981	161	\$61,325	253	\$61,068
Per cent of total sales.....	2.39	31.96	.15	8.80	.37	7.14	.73	7.98	1.14	7.95
Food group	61	28,984	3	5,724	12	7,595	22	7,982	24	5,683
Milk dealers.....	13	5,264			5	2,802	5	1,605	3	737
Grocery stores (without meats).....	5	2,145			2	1,445			3	700
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	12	4,301			2	1,537	4	1,400	6	1,364
Meat markets with groceries.....	25	11,214	2	3,038	3	1,751	12	4,486	8	1,939
Meat markets.....	3	879					1	431	2	448
General merchandise group	74	61,939	14	39,190	14	8,438	21	8,193	25	6,116
Department stores:										
With food departments.....	4	6,278	2	4,893	2	1,385				
Without food departments.....	31	41,149	11	33,212	5	2,906	8	3,272	7	1,769
Dry-goods stores—piece-goods stores.....	7	2,517			1	637	4	1,433	2	447
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	31	11,794	1	1,085	6	3,510	9	3,488	15	3,711
Automotive group	146	65,498	11	15,482	33	22,461	40	15,409	62	15,197
Motor-vehicle dealers.....	138	66,251	11	15,432	33	22,461	38	14,601	56	13,737
Apparel group	44	15,212	1	1,273	5	3,949	8	2,637	30	7,354
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	12	3,892			1	852	2	786	9	2,254
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	5	2,854	1	1,273	1	725	2	612	1	274
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	18	5,671			2	1,573	4	1,239	12	2,859
Furriers—fur shops.....	3	728							3	728
Furniture and household group	51	17,840			7	4,737	15	6,005	29	7,098
Furniture stores:										
Furniture stores.....	36	13,169			5	3,670	10	4,354	21	5,156
Furniture and undertaker.....	4	1,317			1	550			3	767
Household appliance stores.....	3	773					1	324	2	449
Radio and electrical shops.....	3	959					3	650		
Lumber and building group	64	25,228	2	3,283	7	4,835	25	9,932	30	7,188
Lumber and building-material dealers:										
Lumber and building-material dealers.....	50	18,706	1	1,119	6	4,193	18	7,351	25	6,043
Lumber and hardware.....	10	4,925	1	2,174			5	1,832	4	919
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	3	1,456			1	642	1	308	1	206
Other retail stores	86	29,223	2	3,422	4	2,847	30	11,165	50	11,789
Hardware stores.....	9	2,158							9	2,158
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	4	1,815			1	909	1	431	2	475
Coal and feed stores.....	9	2,206					1	357	8	1,819
Bookstores.....	3	996					2	736	1	260
Coal and wood yards, ice dealers:										
Coal and wood yards.....	37	14,818	2	3,422	2	1,245	17	6,336	16	3,815
Ice dealers.....	3	1,635					2	810	1	225
Drug stores and fountainals.....	5	1,513					2	832	3	681
Jewelry stores.....	3	808					1	343	2	465

TABLE 5A.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Pro- priators and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSE (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total full time and part time	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	22,202	19,794	59,934	10,611	\$57,186,149	\$2,986,963	\$32,584,741	\$104,800,140	\$798,509,848	100.00
Single-store independents.....	18,132	19,047	39,931	6,679	58,673,200	1,954,882	55,372,010	79,650,592	524,347,440	68.23
Two-store independents.....	755	466	3,952	445	6,495,747	118,842	5,996,601	7,776,344	49,399,497	6.30
Three-store independents.....	215	61	1,127	100	1,687,797	29,308	1,722,687	1,589,848	12,168,435	1.59
Local chains.....	851	35	3,369	218	4,826,525	66,000	3,803,087	3,314,558	44,522,254	5.79
Sectional chains.....	937		3,319	1,281	5,528,822	425,983	5,845,416	4,147,165	47,911,301	6.23
National chains.....	924		5,118	1,763	6,438,110	359,729	7,877,750	5,574,189	69,459,714	9.04
Other types of operation.....	388	185	2,127	125	3,345,948	32,219	2,267,190	2,808,444	21,671,147	2.82

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TABLE 5B.—COUNTY DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[See tables 13 and 14 for detailed county figures]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

COUNTY	INDEPENDENTS			SECTIONAL AND NATIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION			COUNTY	INDEPENDENTS			SECTIONAL AND NATIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales		Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales
State totals.....	19, 102	584, 948	76	1, 861	117, 371	15	1, 239	86, 194	9	Middlesex County.....	640	17, 758	78	58	3, 368	16	46	1, 523	7
Fairfield County.....	4, 576	143, 945	72	379	27, 550	14	465	27, 206	14	New Haven County.....	0, 777	176, 757	76	539	30, 693	16	363	19, 133	8
Hartford County.....	3, 672	155, 079	78	539	33, 291	17	172	10, 841	5	New London County.....	1, 314	41, 289	79	149	8, 291	10	75	2, 504	5
Litchfield County.....	1, 123	27, 752	78	80	4, 614	13	62	3, 029	9	Tolland County.....	329	5, 978	80	17	835	11	21	679	9
										Windham County.....	671	16, 384	80	50	2, 723	14	35	1, 274	6

TABLE 6.—THE STATE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	Two and three store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	52	31	6		2	13	
Annual net sales.....	\$49, 883, 282	\$43, 585, 707	(x)		(x)	\$3, 330, 532	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	87.38	(x)		(x)	6.68	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 25-cent stores:							
Number of stores.....	191	97	4		7	83	
Annual net sales.....	\$18, 501, 980	\$1, 448, 474	\$26, 600		\$694, 191	\$10, 332, 715	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	7.83	.14		3.75	83.28	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores:							
Number of stores.....	531	431	35	4	42	14	5
Annual net sales.....	\$20, 345, 394	\$15, 198, 297	\$2, 466, 979	\$148, 034	\$1, 587, 275	\$744, 476	\$205, 803
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	74.70	12.13	.70	7.80	3.60	1.01
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	154	125	10	1	13	5	
Annual net sales.....	\$8, 174, 420	\$6, 282, 772	\$939, 444	(x)	\$667, 495	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.25	11.49	(x)	8.17	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							
Number of stores.....	363	283	34	1	19	20	6
Annual net sales.....	\$20, 070, 619	\$13, 399, 297	\$2, 427, 130	(x)	\$2, 122, 960	\$1, 981, 133	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	66.70	12.00	(x)	10.58	9.62	(x)
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	451	311	36	7	24	48	25
Annual net sales.....	\$13, 226, 337	\$6, 438, 196	\$1, 780, 980	\$289, 436	\$1, 193, 090	\$2, 004, 353	\$1, 520, 173
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.68	13.47	2.19	9.02	15.15	11.49
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	332	294	32		2	2	2
Annual net sales.....	\$28, 418, 621	\$22, 040, 603	\$5, 058, 379		(x)	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.56	17.81		(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	302	252	20	9	11	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$10, 898, 214	\$8, 188, 642	\$1, 417, 300	(x)	\$405, 900	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.14	13.00	(x)	3.72	(x)	
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	3, 797	2, 507	39	402	418	414	17
Annual net sales.....	\$74, 254, 385	\$22, 957, 672	\$1, 448, 390	\$11, 654, 474	\$18, 339, 393	\$18, 803, 041	\$1, 051, 915
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	30.92	1.95	15.69	24.70	25.32	1.42
Combination stores:							
Number of stores.....	2, 180	1, 880	62	75	19	122	16
Annual net sales.....	\$77, 229, 515	\$51, 650, 513	\$3, 281, 442	\$3, 109, 937	\$3, 307, 520	\$15, 305, 892	\$574, 211
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	66.88	4.25	4.03	4.28	19.82	.74
Restaurants and cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	1, 206	1, 148	40	7	10	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$24, 179, 028	\$20, 671, 836	\$1, 884, 105	(x)	\$946, 749	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.49	7.79	(x)	3.92	(x)	
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	421	383	7			31	
Annual net sales.....	\$5, 655, 969	\$3, 517, 021	\$159, 409			\$1, 979, 539	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.18	2.82			35.00	
Coal and wood yards and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	301	209	10	10	8		4
Annual net sales.....	\$28, 461, 120	\$23, 200, 716	\$955, 683	\$1, 781, 906	\$2, 144, 732		\$378, 083
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	81.51	3.36	6.26	7.54		1.33
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	1, 595	1, 085	58	107	250	86	9
Annual net sales.....	\$20, 387, 419	\$13, 871, 165	\$1, 493, 089	\$2, 966, 846	\$5, 602, 153	\$2, 282, 744	\$171, 422
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.17	5.66	11.24	21.23	8.65	.65
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	774	678	51	20	10	14	1
Annual net sales.....	\$22, 815, 732	\$16, 780, 180	\$1, 831, 120	\$768, 360	\$1, 055, 331	\$2, 370, 521	\$9, 720
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	73.55	8.02	3.37	4.63	10.39	.04
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	286	276	7	1			2
Annual net sales.....	\$10, 534, 716	\$10, 125, 876	\$182, 691	(x)			(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	96.12	1.73				
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	294	266	23	2	1	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$8, 830, 936	\$7, 804, 463	\$821, 688	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	88.38	9.30				

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TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS—NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	1 to 10 per cent credit		11 to 20 per cent credit		21 to 30 per cent credit		31 to 40 per cent credit		41 to 50 per cent credit		51 to 60 per cent credit		61 to 70 per cent credit		71 to 80 per cent credit		More than 80 per cent credit	
					Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Total (see note).....	18,127	859,438	10,485	282,572	1,512	41,437	832	28,922	684	25,695	630	26,776	981	42,369	525	32,108	563	38,080	712	46,388	1,187	111,098
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00		35.82		6.22		4.08		3.00		4.08		6.56		5.93		5.47		7.03		16.85
Department stores.....	48	45,924	14	4,369	3	1,072	4	1,824	4	924	4	2,334	5	6,956	8	14,036	2	4,479	3	9,813	1	117
Dry-goods stores.....	395	8,328	230	4,396	49	860	33	884	13	291	14	786	13	717	3	39	5	193	4	90	4	64
General stores with food.....	8	286	2	122	1	16	2	94	2	94	1	142	3	120	1	82	1	40	1	50	3	88
General stores without food.....	114	2,900	60	1,429	17	279	15	395	8	338	5	200	1	200	1	46	1	8	1	6		
Piece-goods stores.....	12	473	10	296	5	70	3	20	1	16	2	30	1	46								
Variety stores.....	169	18,037	155	17,841	5	70	3	20	1	16	2	30	1	46								
Army and navy goods stores.....	9	189	9	189																		
Children's specialty shops.....	25	652	16	393	3	108	2	63	3	127	1	45	2	81	2	238	3	92				
Men's and boys' clothing.....	65	2,517	33	1,828	2	170	2	63	6	235	5	158	5	228	1	1,273	4	773	5	221	30	1,644
Family clothing stores.....	134	6,701	58	1,856	19	297	4	47	6	235	1	20	2	50	2	50	1	12	1	12	1	69
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	39	573	25	403	2	14	1	14	1	14	1	14	2	27	3	55	4	77	31	2,006		
Customs tailors.....	304	4,467	178	994	21	631	20	172	15	302	7	106	22	164	3	27	3	55	4	77	31	2,006
Dressmakers.....	3	17	2	17																		
Furriers.....	54	2,857	14	304	3	78	2	7	1	8	0	529	1	5	3	55	5	470	9	273	10	1,123
Hats and caps (men's and boys').....	28	357	26	341	2	16																
Hosiery shops.....	25	392	24	391	1	11																
Infants' wear shops.....	7	89	6	78	1	11																
Knit goods shops.....	9	182	7	135	2	47																
Men's furnishings.....	132	2,771	106	2,043	15	351	3	17	1	2	2	111	1	9	1	49	2	135	1	5	1	49
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	213	11,539	105	3,895	34	1,781	17	751	14	1,277	11	802	7	349	9	989	9	954	3	324	4	501
Millinery.....	136	2,851	98	1,593	15	397	7	68	1	65	4	112	3	48	5	417	4	123	1	10	3	18
Ready-to-wear shops.....	310	18,231	151	7,204	37	1,378	14	524	13	1,551	13	662	15	902	10	714	11	1,661	15	1,127	31	2,501
Shoes, men's.....	29	1,202	28	1,183	2	65																
Shoes, women's.....	17	893	12	636	2	65																
Shoes, family.....	320	8,969	223	5,843	45	1,083	11	277	14	546	5	158	5	331	4	606	2	152	1	18	1	3
Antique and used furniture.....	30	225	16	90	2	21	1	5	1	2	2	36	4	32	2	23	1	3	1	3	1	13
Brushes and brooms.....	4	159	4	159																		
China and glassware.....	14	541	6	56	1	11			3	68												
Draperies.....	13	197	5	70	1	8	2	34														
Floor coverings.....	20	913	10	359	2	76	3	62	1	16												
Furniture stores.....	238	21,213	57	1,520	8	237	9	693	9	573	6	330	11	376	8	207	13	785	23	1,186	95	14,747
Household appliances (electrical).....	51	2,414	18	474	3	80																
Household appliances (not electrical).....	23	1,983	3	40	1	31			1	2			1	71	1	4			7	616	9	1,220
Pictures and framing.....	12	213	3	35	4	71					2	46			1	15	1	10	1	38		
Radio and electrical shops.....	194	6,072	56	953	2	26	8	192	9	142	10	378	9	266	7	83	12	430	19	513	68	3,689
Radios and musical instruments.....	64	2,985	10	188			2	13	1	5	3	19	2	46	5	59	4	203	12	739	28	1,713
Refrigerators (electric).....	5	641	1	59	1	17																
Stoves and ranges.....	11	148	2	25	4	38	2	20														
Toy shops.....	13	163	9	111	2	38	1	9														
Bakeries.....	143	1,911	117	1,521	6	93	3	41	3	31	2	18	7	151	2	24	1	4	1	23	1	5
Candy stores.....	41	524	40	504																		
Coffee, tea, and spices.....	15	361	10	318	2	14	1	12														
Dairy products.....	38	3,899	27	3,195	3	212	7	79	11	128	6	105	11	19	1	281	1	17	1	10	3	136
Delicatessens.....	193	3,075	120	2,111	32	462	7	79	11	128	6	105	11	19	1	281	1	17	1	10	3	136
Eggs and poultry.....	51	844	37	489	2	10	3	17	5	215			2	8								
Fish markets.....	102	1,614	71	721	8	179	5	37	7	7	7	110	5	220	3	251	1	15	1	15	1	66
Fruits and vegetables.....	194	2,934	147	2,130	19	397	6	30	4	85	5	28	5	40	3	44	3	121	2	33		
General food stores.....	3,327	69,682	2,411	58,150	178	2,292	100	931	97	849	100	954	193	1,945	73	646	61	980	63	850	51	2,065
Groceries without meats.....	872	34,106	370	20,351	84	2,278	43	765	42	938	41	707	77	1,358	47	1,278	47	1,949	79	3,172	35	1,190
Groceries with meats.....	496	14,739	273	7,851	53	1,292	18	854	21	384	21	562	45	1,023	16	605	10	362	28	1,406	9	730
Meat markets.....	1,622	33,949	306	9,701	116	3,475	45	774	51	2,775	61	1,532	144	3,871	55	1,780	100	4,405	99	2,925	45	2,204
Meat markets with groceries.....	80	7,627	29	955	1	44	3	136	1	14	2	34	2	36	1	26	1	12	2	232	30	4,628
Milk dealers.....	31	3,010	25	2,384	1	24																
Cafeterias.....	30	277	29	267	1	10																
Cigar stores with fountain.....	809	7,954	660	6,417	74	895	31	235	8	38	10	125	7	42	4	47	3	28	1	98	2	29
Confectionery stores.....	32	175	31	172																		
Refreshment stands.....	22	708	20	607	2	101																
Fourth and lunch.....	119	2,410	117	2,401	1	3																
Lunch counters.....	487	5,728	445	5,038	28	544	5	32	3	34			3	64	2	4	1	12				
Lunch rooms.....	366	9,645	370	8,985	10	371	7	273	1	1			3	3	1	12						
Service restaurants.....	29	107	27	98	1	5																
Soft drink stands.....	465	79,624	50	4,411	45	5,206	42	7,839	30	5,639	35	7,789	43	12,111	32	5,996	42	6,500	33	5,147	118	18,966
Motor vehicles.....	85	2,865	35	1,122	11	231	7	321	3	154	5	91	5	110	7	170	3	80	6	290	3	275
Auto accessories.....	74	811	36	279	5	49																

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TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS—NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	1 to 10 per cent credit		11 to 20 per cent credit		21 to 30 per cent credit		31 to 40 per cent credit		41 to 50 per cent credit		1 to 60 per cent credit		61 to 70 per cent credit		71 to 80 per cent credit		More than 80 per cent credit		
					Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Bicycle shops	10	232	11	203	5	20																	
Blacksmiths	5	61	3	26	1	5																	
Book stores	32	1,799	12	132	2	137	1	5	1	6	1	280	5	448	3	240	2	41	2	373	3	158	28
Bottled waters	27	205	19	128	1	12																	
Cameras and photographic supplies	10	182	6	108	1	19			1	4	1	5										1	26
Cigar stands	48	252	44	238	2	5			1	4													
Cigar stores without fountains	252	4,293	220	4,054	9	143	6	45	1	11	1	1	2	12	1	10			1	10	2	7	
Concessions	32	418	32	418																			
Coal and wood yards	204	23,375	30	1,439	8	402	18	1,050	13	1,001	9	855	16	795	12	982	20	2,606	29	2,979	49	11,144	
Electrical shops	40	1,144	14	253			5	50	1	29			3	89	1	9	2	133	6	139	17	442	
Drug stores without fountains	141	3,580	95	2,138	25	640	11	223	4	112	3	435			1	9			1	6	1	14	
Drug stores with fountains	468	15,308	313	9,047	108	3,375	20	766	14	576	7	514	6	430									
Toilet articles	9	199	9	199																			
Embroidery	10	79	8	55			1	8					1	10									
Farm implements	8	305																					
Feed stores	107	7,779	27	2,160	0	185	8	492	2	42	6	281	3	213	11	832	10	921	13	1,154	21	1,499	
Florists	141	3,088	53	639	11	191	8	70	6	123	7	174	13	294	6	78	17	779	13	588	7	141	
Art and gift shops	49	661	32	220	4	62			2	36	2	15	2	57	1	1	2	112	1	5	3	153	
Glass and mirror shops	4	95							1	8					1	18	1	6		1	63		
Hardware stores	246	9,200	105	2,332	23	385	15	582	13	554	16	456	11	687	22	1,279	16	733	18	1,391	8	801	
Harness shops	6	48	1	2					1	2	2	21	2	23									
Heating appliances	58	1,900	19	348	1	49	2	20	3	26	2	41	10	407	0	521	4	119			11	360	
Farmers' supplies	3	257	2	85																			
Ice	56	2,063	21	211	3	25	4	60	4	240	4	118	0	1,162	4	156	1	12	4	67	2	12	
Interior decorators	10	613	1	48																			
Jewelry stores (installment credit)	10	2,315			1	73			1	85			1	90					5	93	11	1,086	
Jewelry stores	210	4,632	125	1,709	21	455	19	662	14	317	6	144	8	454	4	237	1	250	6	221	6	183	
Lamps and shades	4	37	3	22																			
Locksmiths	6	42	6	42																			
Luggage, leather goods	22	793	13	479	2	31			2	63			2	82	2	105	3	226	6	712	71	13,798	
Lumber and building materials	121	10,719	24	3,306	2	448	2	98	4	463	2	125	5	210	2	324	3	101	1	67	28	4,364	
Lumber and hardware	30	7,044	3	2,451	2	41	1	20															
Malt products and supplies	13	236	9	153					2	37	2								2	46			
Monuments and tombstones	29	522	13	304	1	12													1	12	1	28	8
Musical instruments and sheet music	25	707	15	286	1	1	1	1	1	183													
News dealers	125	2,081	92	1,307	10	229	3	90	5	108	3	27	7	86	1	15	2	38					
Novelty and souvenir shops	26	236	22	1,155					1	18			3	63									
Office and school supplies	4	535	1	29																			
Office mechanical appliances	27	1,879	8	197					1	6													
Office furniture and equipment	16	1,328	3	60																			
Opticians and optometrists	49	1,207	30	516	6	87	4	290	3	144	3	233	1	217	1	36			1	73			
Paint and glass stores	125	4,525	54	1,078	6	52	3	14	7	69	5	275	7	127	10	360	4	81	13	481	10	1,079	
Patterns	8	23	8	23																			
Pet shops	10	122	7	58	1	8	1	28															
Plumbing and heating	165	6,249	32	958	8	382	13	224	7	211	6	81	10	236	5	98	6	334	9	401	69	3,254	
Printers and lithographers	13	115	6	38	2	68																	
Roofing	17	205	4	22					2	31													
Rubber goods stores	5	202	1	32	1	70																	
Rubber stamps	4	33																					
Seeds and bulbs	12	491	0	30																			
Sign shops	4	43	1	19																			
Sporting goods specialty shops	14	453	7	203	2	76	1	39															
Sporting goods and toys	23	807	6	70	11	473	4	178	1	58													
Stationers and engravers	33	1,195	12	126	4	79	5	111	1	10	3	108	4	410	2	187	2	155					
Store fixtures	11	422	1	3																			
Typewriters	13	680	9	584	1	53	1	16	1	21													
Undertakers' supplies	97	2,590	27	429	4	124	6	173	6	142	4	68	5	97	4	104	2	73	4	202	35	1,168	
Women's exchanges	3	37	4	33																			
Unclassified	6	39	4	33																			
Autos and trucks (secondhand)	61	1,002	12	191	4	27	2	57	2	9	11	441	5	52	1	14	1	85	6	252	17	774	
Auto accessories (secondhand)	16	190	9	82	4	81	1	8	1	20													
Barrels and boxes (secondhand)	6	71	5	30																			
Pawn shops	7	71	7	71																			
Lumber and building materials (secondhand)	5	63	4	52																			
Clothing and shoes (secondhand)	18	95	18	95																			
Shoe repair and shoes (secondhand)	3	6	3	6																			
Furniture (secondhand)	51	287	41	201	2	14	2	18	1	1	2	5											
Store equipment (secondhand)	7	62	5	56																			
Typewriters (secondhand)	3	23	1	5																			
Unclassified (secondhand)	3	12	3	12																			
General stores	120	4,550	21	673	16	542	8	248	9	101	8	307	15	625	6	353	14	665	15				

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TABLE 8.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE	Number of stores reporting credit sales	Total net sales	Net credit sales	Ratio of credit to total sales	Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales)
Total	7,632	\$396,886,124	\$225,947,502	56.93	\$52,045,893
Independent stores ¹	7,222	350,290,151	198,462,999	56.66	39,728,212
Local chains.....	163	21,392,686	10,400,690	48.62	6,270,688
Sectional chains.....	64	11,228,327	7,613,247	67.80	3,092,872
National chains.....	39	4,107,911	2,683,874	65.33	1,170,630
Mail-order houses (catalogue only).....	6	456,919	196,843	43.08	170,371
Direct-selling (house to house).....	10	293,687	255,499	87.00	252,347
Utility-operated retail stores.....	22	2,049,887	1,085,071	52.92	802,755
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	15	1,688,594	1,406,961	83.32	558,012
Retailers-country buyers and retailers-wholesalers.....	86	5,082,466	3,176,548	62.50	.....
Other types of operation.....	5	185,496	65,770	35.46	.....

¹ Includes single-store independents; two and three-store independents; two local branch stores, and five cooperative independent stores.

TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM SALES OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Aggregate	61,843	\$25,529,365	Other stores in which meals are served—Contd.		
Restaurants and eating places.....	56,952	24,369,751	Caterers.....	70	\$33,000
Cafeterias.....	3,143	2,456,929	Coffee, tea, spices stores.....	35	5,804
Lunch rooms.....	17,766	6,741,462	Department stores (with food departments).....	344	96,481
Restaurants.....	32,204	11,784,070	Department stores (without food departments).....	1,170	531,659
Refreshment stands.....	67	24,369	General merchandise stores.....	30	7,800
Fountains and lunch.....	687	340,254	Women's exchanges.....	20	6,282
Lunch counters.....	3,085	3,022,767	Filling stations with candy, lunch counter, groceries, etc.....	837	58,780
Other stores in which meals are served.....	4,891	1,469,614	Antique shops.....	75	16,794
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,225	311,895	Book stores.....	40	6,000
Delicatessen stores.....	104	16,441	Cigar stands.....	119	8,640
Grocery stores (without meat departments).....	490	240,041	Cigar stores.....	14	20,117
Grocery stores (with meat departments).....	49	31,914	Drug stores.....	23	10,000
Bakeries—bakery-goods stores.....	155	44,990	Art and gift shops.....	67	10,976
			Novelty and souvenir shops.....	12	1,000
			Concessions.....	12	3,000

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service
Total	3,097	\$13,118,528	Automotive group—Continued.		
Automotive group	3,094	13,103,264	Motorcycles (only).....		\$4,385
Motor-vehicle establishments, new and trade-in.....	1,717	5,877,940	Bicycles, motor cycles and supplies.....	1	5,250
Used-car establishments (including trucks).....	19	58,990	Body, fender, and paint shops.....	164	754,493
Accessories, tire, and battery stores.....	27	135,055	Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	800	4,286,328
Battery shops.....	131	784,667	Parking stations, garages, lots.....	7	28,689
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	99	491,111	All other stores reporting receipts from repairs:		
Filling stations (gasoline and oil).....	29	90,859	Radiator shops.....	12	74,034
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	67	402,140	Radio and electrical shops.....	3	21,114
Filling stations with candy, lunch counter, groceries, etc.....	18	86,433	Paint and glass stores.....		1,020
			Hardware stores.....		750
			Secondhand stores.....	3	15,264

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TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM SALES OF MERCHANDISE—Continued

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS, SERVICE, AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service except auto-motive	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service except auto-motive	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	\$6,870,121	\$1,913,937	Restaurants and eating places.....	\$8,900	
Food group.....	4,131		Restaurants.....	8,900	
Candy stores—nut stores.....	1,131		Lumber and building group.....	1,755,241	
Confectionery stores—candy and fountain.....	2,260		Lumber and building materials.....	55,946	
General merchandise group.....	250,538		Lumber and hardware.....	1,300	
Department stores (with food departments).....	84,023		Roofing.....	89,804	
Department stores (without food departments).....	154,727		Sand, gravel, and crushed stone.....	4,500	
Dry goods stores.....	8,115		Electrical shops (without radio).....	237,561	
General merchandise stores.....	2,618		Heating appliances and oil burners.....	173,327	
Variety, 5 and 10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	987		Plumbing, heating, ventilating (including fixtures).....	987,307	
Automotive group.....	100,387	1,913,937	Glass and mirror shops.....	22,785	
Motor-vehicle establishments (now and trade-in).....		565,173	Paint and glass stores.....	182,720	
Used-car establishments (including trucks).....		7,872	Other retail stores.....	2,466,268	
Accessories, tire, and battery stores.....	5,025		Hardware stores.....	119,796	
Battery shops (including repairs).....	5,780	5,600	Carriages and wagons.....	2,000	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....		3,105	Farm implements, machinery, and equipment.....	4,895	
Filling stations (gasoline and oil).....	14,536	4,340	Hardware and farm implements.....	802	
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	2,200	1,603	Feed stores (flour, feed grain, fertilizer).....	305	
Filling stations with candy, lunch counter, groceries, etc.....	650		Harness shops.....	8,500	
Motor cycles (only).....	2,127		Farmers' supplies.....	2,400	
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies.....	10,000		Book stores.....	6,264	
Bicycle shops.....	20,240		Establishments with cigar stands.....	78,744	
Body, fender, and paint shops.....		3,289	Coal and wood yards.....	63,026	
Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	8,931	1,221,252	Ice dealers.....	12,636	
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....		101,693	Drug stores without fountains.....	33,600	
Aircraft and accessories.....	25,608		Drug stores with fountains.....	82,969	
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	5,050		Florists.....	1,000	
Apparel group.....	883,088		Toy shops.....	2,340	
Men's and boys' clothing.....	7,600		Art and gift shops.....	423	
Hats and caps (men's and boys').....	16,765		Novelty and souvenir shops.....	2,400	
Men's furnishings stores.....	2,375		Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	92,046	
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	22,461		Jewelry stores.....	707,077	
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	1,140		Luggage and leather goods stores.....	18,220	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	70,055		Musical instruments and music stores.....	5,460	
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	6,400		News dealers.....	7,690	
Furriers—fur shops.....	342,587		Office and store mechanical appliances, at retail.....	167,931	
Millinery.....	2,100		Office and store furniture and equipment.....	8,342	
Custom tailors.....	269,738		Store fixtures.....	713	
Dressmakers.....	520		Typewriters.....	23,679	
Shoe stores—women's.....	1,432		Opticians and optometrists.....	32,451	
Shoe stores—men's.....	89,701		Sporting goods specialty stores.....	14,504	
Furniture and household group.....	1,430,244		Sporting goods, toys, and stationery.....	3,000	
Furniture stores.....	166,137		Stationers and engravers.....	4,352	
Furniture and undertaker.....	60,383		Auction houses—miscellaneous goods at auction.....	2,436	
Furniture and hardware.....	26,892		Barbers' supplies, at retail.....	5,947	
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	22,875		Beauty shops and barber shops.....	296,310	
Floor-covering stores.....	59,755		Blacksmiths.....	35,104	
Household appliances (electrical).....	75,695		Blueprinters.....	10,000	
Household appliances (other than electrical).....	104,704		Cameras and photographic supplies.....	11,678	
Refrigeration stores.....	33,950		Embroidery, needlework, and stamped goods.....	2,000	
Antique furniture with used furniture.....	38,336		Locksmiths.....	18,541	
Pictures and framing.....	3,714		Monuments and tombstones.....	5,310	
Stoves and ranges.....	3,500		Photographers and illustrators.....	2,275	
Antique shops.....	27,007		Sign shops.....	3,700	
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	1,900		Undertakers' funeral supplies, (including some service).....	423,327	
Interior decorators.....	159,038		Pressers and cleaners.....	60,000	
Radio and electrical shops.....	615,131		Coal and feed.....	1,423	
Radio and musical instruments.....	31,357		Secondhand stores.....	21,328	

Note.—Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from the table, but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 10.—THE STATE—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises (see note)	Sales to other retailers (see note)	Returned goods and allowances (see note)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises (see note)	Sales to other retailers (see note)	Returned goods and allowances (see note)
Aggregate	\$4,068,683	\$8,545,522	\$8,487,638	Furniture and household group—Continued.			
Food group	1,460,655	2,564,628		Household appliances (electrical).....			\$110,635
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	53,472	13,886		Household appliances (other than electrical).....	\$71,243		51,688
Dairy products, butter, cheese, ice cream.....	331,141	1,027,733		Refrigerators—electric only.....		\$40,070	10,322
Eggs and poultry.....		39,504		China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamel-ware.....			12,388
Milk dealers.....	205,788	825,245		Pictures and framing.....	40,600		
Delicatessen stores.....	64,730	6,432		Antique shops.....		4,000	
Grocery stores (without meat department).....	67,706	161,143		Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, tents.....	25,932		
Combination stores—groceries with meat.....	53,469	10,100		Radio and electrical shops.....		6,000	23,366
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	182,544	202,826		Radios and musical instruments.....	1,000		171,613
Fish markets—sea food.....		10,000		Restaurants and eating places	9,000		
Meat markets.....	75,000	101,401		Restaurants with table service.....	7,000		
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	343,523	152,724		Lumber and building group	671,088	444,882	668,466
Bottled waters.....	18,612	13,586		Lumber and building material.....	570,693	203,694	611,074
General stores		29,346		Lumber and hardware.....	5,822	75,459	9,567
General stores—miscellaneous merchandise.....		20,846		Roofing.....	27,400		
General stores—groceries with dry goods or notions.....		8,500		Electrical shops (without radio).....	6,173	10,326	
General merchandise group	38,292	119,059	2,205,997	Heating appliances and oil burners.....		6,850	7,497
Department stores with food departments.....	35,292		61,902	Plumbing, heating, ventilating, including fixtures.....	53,000	5,544	15,349
Department stores without food departments.....	1,000	69,059	2,128,819	Glass and mirror shops.....	8,000		
Dry goods stores without food departments.....			9,570	Paint and glass stores.....		83,000	24,979
General merchandise stores without food departments.....			5,706	Other retail stores group	671,406	692,380	555,244
Automotive group	87,135	4,478,881	958,989	Hardware stores.....		59,801	47,427
Motor vehicle establishments, sales and service.....		4,208,122	909,561	Hardware and farm implements.....			30,012
Motor vehicle establishments—used cars—including trucks.....		117,625	44,300	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, and fertilizer).....	11,000		
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....		93,599		Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....		19,209	
Battery shops including repairs.....	4,100			Book stores.....		32,000	
Tire shops including tire repairs.....		50,514	5,138	Coal and feed.....		30,081	21,722
Filling stations, with candy, lunch, tobacco, groceries or merchandise.....	31,675			Cigar stores without fountains.....	55,168	31,424	
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	3,958			Coal and wood yards.....	60,740	290,800	27,986
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil and accessories).....	16,402	5,521		Ice dealers.....	246,163	8,685	
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	31,000	3,500		Drug stores without fountains.....	5,971	8,986	
Apparel group	1,547,588	157,787	458,013	Drug stores with fountains.....	11,150	4,075	
Hats and caps (men's and boys').....	1,600			Florists.....	69,197	50,282	
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	23,545	52,703	80,059	Art and gift shops.....		5,904	
Clothing, men's, women's and children's.....	3,600	10,000	86,377	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....		5,033	107,119
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops, apparel and accessories.....	72,699		106,065	Jewelry stores.....	15,590	5,000	
Furriers—fur shops.....	310,808		46,706	Luggage and leather goods.....	5,795		
Millinery.....	9,200	95,094		Musical instruments and music stores (with out radio).....			7,732
Custom tailors.....	1,039,491		34,712	News dealers.....		10,923	16,937
Shoe stores—men's, women's and children's.....	86,745		20,094	Office and school supplies.....			17,577
Furniture and household group	185,189	58,551	1,690,917	Office and store mechanical appliances.....		49,325	120,653
Furniture stores.....	31,930	2,481	1,232,120	Office and store furniture and equipment.....			12,225
Furniture and undertaker.....			19,760	Store fixtures.....			45,108
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery.....	7,421			Typewriters.....		2,000	
Floor covering stores.....	7,063		20,030	Opticians and optometrists.....	70,952		10,026
				Printers and lithographers.....	23,555	6,455	
				Malt products and supplies.....		20,140	
				Monuments and tombstones.....	23,000	2,500	
				Rubber goods stores.....	4,169	29,000	
				Rubber stamps.....	15,502	1,900	
				Sign shops.....	2,000		
				Undertakers' funeral supplies (includes some service).....			78,720

NOTE.—Merchandise manufactured on sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of services and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies, and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places of less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no returned goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

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TABLE 11A.—RETAIL SALES, BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES

(Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power-laundry sales include the full amount received for work done)

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929)	Number of mills	Net sales (1929)	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929)	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929) ¹
State totals.....	223	\$7,056,561	57	\$3,982,674	151	\$8,780,099	57	\$2,661,614
Bridgeport.....	17	541,454	4	558,041	13	962,353	7	433,404
Hartford.....	30	2,141,918	9	976,902	17	1,775,471	7	770,044
New Haven.....	38	876,825	11	339,525	18	1,600,127	9	381,732

¹ Note.—This column includes both retail and wholesale sales, the retail sales for the State aggregating \$1,970,353.

TABLE 11B.—COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING) OF FARM PRODUCTS, BY RETAILERS WHO ARE ALSO ASSEMBLERS

(Retail stores who are also country buyers are included in the Retail Census. That part of their business which is the assembling of farm products is shown below)

COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING)	COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING)
State total.....	\$192,828	Middlesex.....	\$53,434
Fairfield.....	30,000	New Haven.....	59,509
Hartford.....	1,000	New London.....	7,400
Litchfield.....	22,850	Tolland.....	2,620
		Windham.....	16,015

TABLE 11C.—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers
State total.....	\$7,857,072	\$8,221,285	Furniture and house furnishings.....	\$5,585	\$5,585
Amusement and sporting goods.....	31,498	66,277	Furniture.....	5,585	5,585
Amusement and sporting goods (except cameras and motion-picture equipment and supplies).....	31,498	66,277	General merchandise.....	94,109	94,109
Automotive.....	2,337,002	2,353,502	Groceries and food specialties.....	185,322	185,322
Automobiles and other motor vehicles.....	2,235,017	2,235,017	Groceries (general line).....	120,910	120,910
Automotive equipment.....	83,547	100,047	Food and grocery specialties.....	55,412	55,412
Automobile parts (new and used).....	9,903	9,903	Hardware.....	242,098	242,098
Tires and tubes.....	8,635	8,635	Hardware (general line).....	242,098	242,098
Chemicals, drugs, and allied products.....	570,998	622,947	Iron and steel scrap and other waste materials.....	3,500	3,500
Chemicals.....	51,949	51,949	Junk and scrap.....	3,500	3,500
Drugs and drug sundries (general line).....	373,629	373,629	Leather and leather goods (except gloves and shoes).....	22,640	22,640
Drugs and drug sundries (specialty).....	31,000	31,000	Leather and leather belting.....	6,640	6,640
Paints, varnishes, lacquers, and enamels.....	105,554	165,554	Shoe findings and cut stocks.....	16,000	16,000
Toilet articles and preparations.....	815	815	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	62,297	62,297
Dry good and apparel.....	9,250	17,977	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	62,297	62,297
Dry goods (general line).....	7,000	7,000	Machinery, equipment, and supplies (except electrical).....	11,228	56,608
Piece goods.....	2,250	2,250	Commercial equipment and supplies.....		43,380
Shoes and other footwear.....		8,727	Manufacturing, mining, and drilling machinery, equipment, and supplies.....	2,730	4,730
Electrical.....	362,777	373,400	Service equipment and supplies.....	8,498	8,498
Electrical goods (including appliances).....	151,596	162,219	Metals and minerals (except petroleum and scrap).....	80,559	145,769
Electrical equipment and supplies.....	7,259	7,259	Coal.....	80,559	80,559
Radios and radio equipment.....	40,585	40,585	Iron and steel (except scrap).....		65,200
Refrigerators (electric).....	163,337	163,337	Paper and paper products.....	51,063	51,063
Farm products (not elsewhere specified).....	1,054,239	1,054,239	Paper and paper products (general line).....	10,486	10,486
Flowers and nursery stock.....	530,430	530,430	Stationery and stationery supplies.....	40,577	40,577
Grain.....	517,809	517,809	Petroleum and petroleum products.....	513,015	556,626
Farm supplies (except machinery and equipment).....	125,207	194,549	Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	52,631	52,631
Farm supplies (except feed and fertilizer).....	69,342	133,684	Plumbing equipment and supplies.....	33,024	33,024
Feed.....	55,865	55,865	Heating equipment and supplies.....	19,607	19,607
Food products (not elsewhere specified).....	1,521,589	1,539,401	Tobacco and tobacco products (except leaf).....	458,063	458,063
Confectionery and soft drinks.....	15,527	15,527	All other.....	62,424	63,241
Dairy products.....	1,050,366	1,050,398			
Poultry and poultry products.....	19,526	37,526			
Dairy and poultry products.....	150,000	150,000			
Fish and sea foods.....	1,690	1,690			
Fruits and vegetables (fresh).....	243,860	243,860			
Meats and meat products.....	35,000	35,000			

¹ "Wholesalers only" includes those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for resale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches. For types of distributors included in "All types of wholesalers," reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to Table 4 therein.

FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

Retail stores owned and operated by individuals or partnerships are classified by the Retail Census as proprietorships, and in the State of Connecticut there are 17,411 retail establishments which come under that classification. This is 78 per cent of the total number of stores in the State, although the aggregate business of these proprietorships is only 44 per cent of the total for the State, measured in terms of net sales.

These proprietor-operated stores report that there are 19,706 active proprietors engaged in the business who are not included in the count of employees and who do not appear on the pay roll. In addition there are 22,863 full-time employees and a total pay roll of \$31,469,119. Net sales aggregate \$337,458,914.

There are 4,706 stores organized as corporations. This is 21 per cent of all of the stores in Connecticut, and these corporations do 56 per cent of all the retail business in the State, or aggregate sales of \$429,069,373.

There are 19 cooperative associations, with sales of \$1,219,178; 59 Negro proprietorships with sales of \$434,899, and 7 stores with Oriental proprietors, the total sales of which aggregate \$327,484.

Very few stores in Connecticut report that they are members of cooperative associations. According to their own reports, 13 of the proprietorships, 19 of the corporations, and 2 of the cooperatives themselves are members of cooperative associations. The aggregate business of these 34 stores is \$19,586,960.

TABLE 12A.—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

	Number of stores	Number of full-time employees	Total net sales	Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost	Total pay roll (full time and part time)
Total.....	22,202	58,934	\$768,509,848	\$104,900,140	\$87,196,149
Proprietorships.....	17,411	23,313	344,788,955	46,111,730	31,469,119
Corporations.....	4,706	35,475	422,739,332	58,620,050	55,534,682
Cooperative associations.....	19	57	1,219,178	110,590	89,295
Negro proprietors.....	59	30	434,899	50,940	39,682
Oriental mutuals.....	7	59	327,484	6,830	61,371

NEGRO PROPRIETORSHIP

In the State there were in 1929 only 59 stores which were owned and operated by negro proprietors. These 59 stores in the aggregate do a total business of \$434,899.

There are 24 stores in the grocery field, 9 in the automotive field, 2 in the apparel field, 2 in the home furnishings field, 11 are eating places, 2 are cigar stands, 4 are drug stores, and 5 are other miscellaneous kinds of business, all owned and operated by colored people.

The 24 stores in the food field, most of which are grocery stores, employ 24 active proprietors and 3 full-time employees, with an annual pay roll of \$4,652, and do a business of \$180,000. The next largest business classification in point of sales consists of the 4 drug stores which do a business of \$81,300, with 4 active proprietors, 5 full-time employees and a pay roll of \$8,415. These stores also have the largest proportion of stocks, amounting to nearly \$18,000 or a total of \$50,940 of total stocks at cost in all of the negro-owned stores.

It should be understood that any business incorporated under the laws of Connecticut or any other State, even though the stock is owned by negroes, is not classified as a negro proprietorship.

TABLE 12B.—STORES OPERATED BY NEGRO PROPRIETORSHIP

KINDS OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Number of full-time employees	Total net sales	Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost	Total pay roll (full time and part time)
Total.....	59	30	\$434,899	\$50,940	\$39,682
Candy and confectionery stores.....	2		2,785	180	
Grocery stores (without meat departments).....	15	2	100,655	9,140	1,970
Combination stores.....	5	1	66,245	5,769	2,500
Meat markets.....	2		10,243	209	182
Garages—repairs, gas and oil, etc.....	6	5	14,644	1,130	2,955
Accessories and other automotive establishments.....	3	3	25,831	2,630	6,260
Miscellaneous apparel including shoes.....	2	3	52,500	1,950	6,000
Radios and home furnishings.....	2	3	18,759	6,770	3,330
Restaurants and cafeterias.....	10	5	40,323	370	4,770
Other eating places.....	1		3,100	150	
Drug stores.....	4	5	81,288	17,700	8,415
All other stores (including 2 cigar stands and 2 second-hand stores).....	7	3	18,526	4,430	3,300

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins, have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications
FOOD GROUP			FOOD GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 4.8 per cent. Not deemed sufficient to justify showing commodity data)			Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 26.2 per cent)		
Dairy products stores (including ice cream): (Commodity coverage, 31.2 per cent)			Bakery products, fresh..... 1.5 0.1		
Butter and cheese.....	75.2	75.2	Butter and cheese.....	5.4	1.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	19.0	12.0	Canned goods and other groceries.....	8.7	2.3
Eggs.....	21.3	12.8	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	6.8	1.5
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 68.8 per cent)			Eggs..... 2.8 .8		
Butter and cheese.....	5.6	3.7	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	7.8	3.7
Eggs.....	2.8	.8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	6.7	2.3
Ice cream.....	10.0	4.9	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	.9	.2
Milk and cream (fluid).....	90.6	90.6	Milk and cream (fluid).....	2.0	.1
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 7 per cent)			Meats, including poultry..... 87.1 87.1		
Bakery products, fresh.....	12.6	8.4	Sugar.....	1.0	.2
Bottled beverages.....	1.4	.7	Bakeries—bakery goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 12.2 per cent)		
Confectionery and nuts.....	.5	.1	Bakery products, fresh.....	88.6	88.6
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	61.4	61.2	Receipts from sale of meals.....	10.6	11.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	10.7	2.0	GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Groceries.....	25.2	25.2	Department stores with food departments: (Commodity coverage, 88.2 per cent)		
Butter and cheese.....	18.0		Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.1	.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	2.4		Bakery products, fresh.....	1.3	1.2
Eggs.....	4.8		Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	.5	.1
Milk and cream (fluid).....	2.0	.5	Bedroom furniture.....	1.6	1.6
Nonfood products.....	3.3	.8	Books.....	1.1	.7
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 19.2 per cent)			Bottled beverages..... .3 .1		
Butter and cheese.....	3.2	.9	Butter and cheese.....	.3	.1
Canned goods and other groceries.....	4.6	.6	Cameras and photographic supplies.....	.4	.3
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, and smokers' supplies.....	14.7	1.4	Canned goods and other groceries.....	2.8	2.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	8.1	2.0	Children's wear.....	1.6	1.4
Eggs.....	1.3	.4	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.1	2.1
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	94.7	94.7	Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and smokers' supplies.....	1.8	.2
Combination stores—groceries with meats: (Commodity coverage, 5.7 per cent)			Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'..... 10.1 3.6		
Bakery products, fresh.....	7.1	4.1	Confectionery and nuts.....	1.2	1.2
Bottled beverages.....	1.8	.9	Cotton piece goods.....	1.6	1.6
Butter and cheese.....	7.0	7.0	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	2.0	1.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	32.4	32.4	Dining room furniture.....	.5	.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.8	.6	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	4.7	4.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	2.6	.9	Drugs, pharmaceuticals, patent medicines, etc.....	.7	.2
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	10.0	1.8	Dry goods, other.....	2.0	.7
Eggs.....	2.4	2.4	Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	.5	.4
Flour.....	3.2	3.2	Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	.5	.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.7	1.6	Electrical motor-driven household appliances.....	3.3	2.9
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	8.5	5.4	Floor coverings.....	2.4	2.4
Hardware.....	6.1	.8	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	.5	.4
Household supplies.....	2.1	.2	Furs and fur goods.....	.5	.4
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.9	1.9	Home furnishings, other.....	1.7	1.7
Meats, including poultry.....	28.5	28.5	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	3.7	3.3
Milk and cream (fluid).....	3.1	1.2	Household furniture, other.....	.1	.1
Nonfood products, other.....	9.1	1.3	Incandescent lamps.....	.1	.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	0.2	1.4	Infants' wear.....	2.2	2.2
Sugar.....	4.4	4.4	Jewelry, silverware and clocks.....	2.0	1.7
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 32.4 per cent)			Kitchen furniture..... .2 .2		
Bakery products, fresh.....	7.5	5.2	Kitchen utensils.....	2.7	2.7
Bottled beverages.....	1.3	.4	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	1.1	1.0
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.6	.1	Linen goods.....	2.0	2.0
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.0	.2	Living room, library and hall furniture.....	1.8	1.8
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	3.7	1.3	Luggage.....	.3	.3
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	5.2	3.0	Magazines and newspapers.....	.1	.1
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	31.0	11.5	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	6.1	6.1
Groceries.....	25.1	25.1	Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	.5	.4
Butter and cheese.....	4.0		Men's and boys' overcoats.....	.9	.9
Eggs.....	3.0		Men's and boys' suits.....	3.1	3.1
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.4		Men's and boys' work clothing.....	.1	.1
Flour.....	1.6		Men's clothing, other.....	.2	.1
Sugar.....	2.1		Millinery.....	2.0	2.0
Canned goods and other groceries.....	12.1		Motor cycles, bicycles and accessories.....	.1	.1
Household supplies.....	5.2	.3	Notions and other small wares.....	3.9	3.9
Nonfood products, other.....	5.1	.2	Optical goods.....	.5	.1
Meats, including poultry.....	52.3	52.3	Other apparel, women's, misses', children's.....	8.1	7.2
Milk and cream (fluid).....	2.3	.4	Phonographs and records.....	.1	.1
Fish markets—sea foods: (Commodity coverage, 23.2 per cent)			Radio sets..... 1.6 1.4		
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	93.5	93.5	Rayon goods..... .5 .5		
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	19.6	6.5	Receipts from sale of meals..... 2.0 1.7		
			Refrigerators, electric and gas..... .7 .5		
			Rubber and other footwear..... .7 .6		
			Rubber goods..... .1 1.1		
			Service..... 1.7 .5		
			Shoes, boys' and youths'..... .3 .2		
			Shoes, infants'..... .1 .1		
			Shoes, men's..... .9 .5		

Note.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State (or city, as the case may be). Commodities reported in the form of *indented items*, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classifications under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General definitions, p. 6.)

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores in same classifications	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores in same classifications
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Department stores with food departments—Continued.			Dry-goods stores—Continued.		
Shoes, misses' and children's	0.5	0.4	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags)	2.1	0.1
Shoes, women's	4.3	3.8	Linen goods	12.7	11.7
Silk and velvet piece goods	2.2	2.2	Men's and boys' furnishings	8.6	2.8
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment	.4	.3	Men's and boys' overcoats	1.4	.2
Stationery and stationery supplies, other	.4	.3	Men's and boys' suits	2.2	.3
Sugar	.2	.1	Men's clothing, other	1.6	.5
Tires, tubes and tire accessories	.5	.5	Millinery	3.1	1.1
Toilet articles	.5	.5	Miscellaneous merchandise	5.0	.7
Toilet preparations and cosmetics	2.2	2.2	Notions and other small wares	5.8	5.8
Toys and games	1.1	1.1	Paper and paper goods	.8	.2
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.—women's and misses'	7.4	7.4	Rayon piece goods	2.1	1.4
Wool and wool-mixed goods	1.4	1.4	Shoes and other footwear	20.7	1.9
Department stores without food departments (\$100,000 and over): (Commodity coverage, 80.2 per cent)			General merchandise stores without food departments: (Commodity coverage, 10.6 per cent)		
Antiques, art goods, gifts	1.3	.6	Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's	3.0	2.4
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes)	8.9	1.5	Automotive parts and accessories	5.5	1.4
Bedding, mattresses, springs	1.2	.8	Batteries	.6	.2
Cameras and photographic supplies	1.2	.7	Bedding, mattresses, springs	2.1	.9
Children's wear	1.4	.7	Bedroom furniture	3.0	.7
China, glassware and crockery	2.1	1.8	Children's wear	2.7	1.5
Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'	14.6	14.0	China, glassware, and crockery	3.2	.5
Confectionery and nuts	.9	.4	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')	22.6	22.6
Cotton piece goods	1.5	1.3	Suits	2.2	
Custom tailoring for men	.5	.2	Overcoats	1.7	
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains	3.3	2.0	Hats and caps	1.2	
Drugs and drug sundries	5.1	3.2	Furnishings	8.9	
Dry goods, other	.8	.7	Work clothing	4.3	
Electrical appliances and supplies	1.4	1.0	Other clothing	4.3	
Floor coverings	4.2	3.5	Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'	3.6	2.9
Flowers, wreaths, etc.	.6	.1	Cotton piece goods	5.0	1.8
Fountain sales and ice cream	.9	.2	Dining room furniture	1.5	.4
Furs and fur goods	1.1	.7	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains	1.4	.6
Hardware	3.8	1.1	Drugs, sundries	.4	.1
Home furnishings, other	4.3	2.9	Dry goods, other	3.0	2.8
Hosiery, women's and children's	5.0	4.8	Electrical appliances and supplies, other	.3	.1
Household furniture	5.3	4.0	Electric lighting equipment	.9	.2
Infants' wear	2.8	2.6	Electrical household heating appliances—portable	.4	.1
Jewelry, silverware and clocks	1.9	1.7	Electrical motor-driven household appliances	1.7	.4
Kitchen utensils	3.0	2.3	Furs and fur goods	3.5	1.5
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags)	2.1	1.8	Gas stoves and ranges	3.2	.5
Linen goods	1.9	1.7	Hardware	.7	.2
Luggage	.5	.3	Builders' and shelf hardware	2.0	21.7
Men's and boys' furnishings	5.6	5.2	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools	2.0	
Men's and boys' hats and caps	.5	.2	Other hardware	17.7	
Men's and boys' overcoats	.5	.2	Hay, grain and feed	.7	.3
Men's and boys' suits	2.0	1.2	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	2.3	1.4
Men's clothing, other	.5	.2	Home furnishings, other	5.9	2.5
Millinery	2.1	1.1	Hosiery, women's and children's	2.1	1.7
Miscellaneous merchandise	4.5	1.4	Household furniture, other	.8	.2
Notions, parasols, and other small wares	4.7	4.1	Infants' wear	4.2	1.8
Office and store furniture	.6	.2	Interior electrical construction materials	.4	.1
Other apparel, women's, misses', children's	4.9	2.9	Jewelry, silverware and clocks	1.1	.5
Painters' supplies	2.2	1.6	Kitchen furniture	.8	.2
Radios and equipment	2.2	1.6	Kitchen utensils	3.9	.7
Rayon piece goods	.3	.2	Linen goods	2.7	.9
Receipts from sale of meals	1.8	1.1	Living room, library and hall furniture	1.5	.4
Refrigerators, electric and gas	1.0	.6	Luggage	.7	.3
Service	1.2	.4	Millinery	1.1	.9
Shoes and other footwear	5.8	4.6	Motorcycles, bicycles and accessories	1.1	.3
Silk and velvet piece goods	1.9	1.7	Notions and other small wares	3.1	2.9
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment	1.2	.6	Paints, varnishes, lacquers	.9	.5
Stationery, books and magazines	2.0	1.4	Radio parts, accessories and equipment	4.5	1.1
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)	1.9	.7	Radio sets	3.0	.7
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	13.0	3.0	Rayon piece goods	1.7	.6
Toilet articles and preparations	3.1	1.2	Rubber and other footwear	.6	.3
Toys and games	1.2	.8	Shoes, boys' and youths'	1.7	1.3
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.—women's and misses'	7.9	7.6	Shoes, infants'	1.1	.6
Wall paper	.8	.1	Shoes, misses' and children's	2.8	2.2
Wool and wool-mixed goods	.3	.3	Shoes, men's	2.0	2.0
Work clothing, men's and boys'	.4	.2	Shoes, women's	2.8	2.2
Dry-goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 36.7 per cent)			Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: (Commodity coverage, 31.7 per cent)		
Apparel, other—women's, misses', and children's	3.3	1.9	Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's	6.6	2.5
Antiques, art goods, gifts	11.7	.3	Antiques, art goods, gifts	1.4	.2
Children's wear	9.8	2.7	Bakery products, fresh	3.8	.8
China, glassware and crockery	8.4	.3			
Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'	16.1	10.3			
Cotton piece goods	6.1	4.3			
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains	10.2	5.1			
Drugs and drug sundries	9.9	2.4			
Dry goods, other	18.0	15.7			
Electric lighting equipment	2.1	.2			
Floor coverings	11.3	.0			
Hosiery, women's and children's	8.2	4.6			
Home furnishings, other	14.9	2.0			
Infants' wear	5.4	2.8			
Jewelry, silverware and clocks	.8	.1			

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COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories)—Contd.			Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—Continued.		
Passenger automobiles, new, sold at retail.....	12.2	1.1	Coats, suits, and dresses—women's and misses.....	77.0	74.9
Parts and accessories, sold to dealers.....	12.7	.5	Custom tailoring, dressmaking.....	2.5	.4
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	9.5	.1	Furs and fur goods.....	9.6	3.2
Tires, tubes and tire accessories.....	24.2	16.6	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	6.4	3.0
Used passenger cars.....	7.4	.8	Infants' wear.....	7.0	.1
			Other apparel—women's, misses', children's.....	14.6	6.6
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots:			Jewelry.....	1.8	.2
(Commodity coverage, 26.9 per cent)			Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	3.4	.4
Automobile storage.....	74.4	74.4	Millinery.....	11.9	6.2
Gasoline.....	20.5	20.5	Notions and other small wares.....	4.4	.1
Oils and greases.....	4.1	4.1	Service.....	6.4	.5
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	3.1	1.0	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.—women's and misses'.....	6.6	3.3
Aircraft and accessories:			Corset and lingerie shops:		
(Commodity coverage, 70.2 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 0.7 per cent)		
Aeroplanes and gliders.....	4.6	4.6	Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	10.0	10.0
Aeroplane parts and accessories.....	13.0	13.0	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	5.0	3.0
Gas, oil, and grease.....	5.5	5.5	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc. (women's and misses').....	60.0	60.0
Service.....	76.9	76.9	Other apparel, women's, misses', children's.....	25.0	25.0
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes):			Furriers—fur shops:		
(Commodity coverage, 49.1 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 61.1 per cent)		
Boats.....	96.5	96.5	Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	10.1	2.9
Parts and accessories for boats.....	3.5	3.5	Furs and fur goods.....	85.7	85.7
			Luggage.....	2.7	.1
APPAREL GROUP			Men's and boys' furnishings.....	3.2	.1
Men's and boys' clothing stores:			Men's and boys' overcoats.....	2.3	.1
(Commodity coverage, 59.6 per cent)			Men's and boys' suits.....	6.0	.3
Overcoats.....	21.2	21.2	Other men's clothing.....	2.6	.1
Suits.....	78.8	78.8	Service.....	13.8	10.7
Men's and boys' hat and cap stores:			Hosiery shops:		
(Commodity coverage, 65.5 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 36.4 per cent)		
Furnishings.....	19.5	17.1	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	62.0	62.0
Hats and caps.....	82.9	82.9	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	20.0	0.6
Men's furnishing stores:			Notions and other small wares.....	0.7	3.2
(Commodity coverage, 19.6 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.—women's and misses'.....	25.2	25.20
Luggage.....	2.6	.8	Millinery stores:		
Men's and boys' furnishings.....	92.8	92.8	(Commodity coverage, 54 per cent)		
Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	8.2	6.2	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	22.7	6.1
Novelties.....	1.0	.2	Luggage.....	2.7	.2
Men's clothing and furnishing stores:			Millinery.....	93.5	93.5
(Commodity coverage, 62.2 per cent)			Other apparel, women's, misses', children's.....	24.1	.2
Custom tailoring for men.....	3.3	1.7	Children's specialty shops:		
Men's and boys' furnishings.....	25.4	25.4	(Commodity coverage, 15 per cent)		
Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	6.3	5.5	Children's wear.....	62.5	62.5
Men's and boys' overcoats.....	20.9	20.9	Household furniture.....	10.0	7.5
Men's and boys' suits.....	38.8	38.8	Infants' wear.....	30.0	22.5
Other men's clothing.....	5.6	2.9	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	8.6	6.4
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	6.8	.1	Shoes, infants'.....	1.4	1.1
Shoes and other footwear.....	12.9	3.8	Custom tailors:		
Boys' and youths'.....	0.4		(Commodity coverage, 45.6 per cent)		
Men's.....	2.1		Custom tailoring for men.....	92.8	91.6
Women's.....	1.3		Men's and boys' furnishings.....	9.7	4.5
Work clothing, men's and boys'.....	1.6	.9	Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	4.5	.2
Clothing stores—Men's, women's, and children's:			Men's and boys' overcoats.....	13.4	1.2
(Commodity coverage, 60.8 per cent)			Men's and boys' suits.....	25.7	2.3
Children's wear.....	2.0	1.5	Other men's clothing.....	1.0	.1
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	60.9	52.9	Service.....	1.6	.1
Furnishings.....	8.1		Shoe stores—women's:		
Hats.....	1.2		(Commodity coverage, 56 per cent)		
Overcoats.....	9.2		Hosiery, women's and children's.....	17.9	17.9
Suits.....	23.2		Jewelry.....	2.9	.7
Work clothing.....	1.2		Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.7	.6
Other men's clothing.....	10.0		Rubber and other footwear.....	2.0	1.3
Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	26.3	23.8	Service.....	4.4	.2
Furs and fur goods.....	4.6	2.4	Shoes, women's.....	79.3	79.3
Hosiery, women's and children's.....	4.0	2.8	Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's:		
Infants' wear.....	1.5	.4	(Commodity coverage, 28.4 per cent)		
Other apparel, women's, misses', children's.....	7.9	6.8	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	8.7	2.5
Jewelry.....	.4	.1	Jewelry.....	1.8	.1
Leather goods, billfolds, purses, (often includes gloves and handbags).....	.8	.2	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	2.5	.1
Luggage.....	2.9	.2	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	0.8	.8
Millinery.....	.8	.4	Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	4.0	.2
Notions and other small wares.....	2.9	.1	Other men's clothing.....	1.2	.1
Rubber and other footwear.....	2.1	.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	3.0	.5
Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	4.0	.1	Rubber and other footwear.....	7.2	6.0
Shoes, men's.....	3.5	1.6	Service.....	1.5	.1
Shoes, misses' and children's.....	3.4	.1	Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	4.0	2.5
Shoes, women's.....	4.9	2.0	Shoes, infants'.....	1.2	.6
Toilet articles and preparations.....	.5	.1	Shoes, men's.....	23.0	20.0
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.—women's and misses'.....	5.5	4.2	Shoes, misses' and children's.....	9.1	7.5
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:			Shoes, women's.....	59.0	59.0
(Commodity coverage, 66.7 per cent)					
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.8	.1			
Children's wear.....	3.1	1.0			

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued		
Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 75.9 per cent)			Floor coverings stores: (Commodity coverage, 62.9 per cent)		
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	8.6	3.8	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	27.2	7.4
Bedroom furniture.....	20.5	20.5	Floor coverings.....	79.7	79.7
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.5	.2	Home furnishings, other.....	12.6	7.4
Dining room furniture.....	12.7	12.7	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	.2	.1
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	7.4	1.0	Service.....	13.1	5.4
Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	.8	.1	Household appliances stores (electrical): (Commodity coverage, 50.3 per cent)		
Electric lighting equipment.....	1.1	.1	China, glassware and crockery.....	12.0	1.0
Floor coverings.....	12.0	6.9	Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	2.8	2.2
Gas stoves and ranges.....	4.6	.8	Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	9.7	6.5
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	2.0	.1	Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	48.1	44.1
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	4.8	.1	Electric lighting equipment.....	15.5	5.9
Kitchen furniture.....	6.4	6.4	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	14.2	9.6
Kitchen utensils.....	1.2	.1	Incandescent lamps.....	6.5	4.4
Living room, library, and hall furniture.....	27.5	27.5	Kitchen utensils.....	8.8	.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.5	.1	Plated silverware.....	9.2	.8
Musical instruments and accessories.....	9.1	.4	Refrigerators.....	31.1	21.0
Office and store furniture.....	6.6	.5	Service.....	5.8	3.8
Other dry goods.....	15.0	.2	Household appliances stores—electric and gas: (Commodity coverage, 77.3 per cent)		
Other home furnishings.....	5.7	1.3	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	2.6	.7
Other household furniture.....	11.8	.7	Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	3.1	1.8
Other office and store equipment.....	32.8	2.2	Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	5.6	3.5
Radio sets.....	6.0	.2	Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	17.4	10.8
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.0	.4	Electric lighting equipment.....	2.7	1.4
Secondhand merchandise.....	2.3	.2	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	7.5	4.3
Service.....	4.6	.4	Gas appliances, except refrigerators, other.....	15.2	13.1
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	40.0	.5	Gas stoves and ranges.....	23.8	23.8
Stoves and ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	8.8	3.9	Gas water heaters.....	12.7	12.1
Toys and games.....	0.1	.3	Incandescent lamps.....	2.6	1.6
Wallpaper.....	3.7	.1	Interior electrical construction materials.....	2.7	.1
Furniture and undertaker: (Commodity coverage, 36.7 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	4.3	.5
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	2.3	1.0	Radio parts, and accessories.....	.5	.1
Caskets and undertakers' supplies.....	23.2	23.2	Radio sets.....	7.4	.9
China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.3	1.0	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	26.1	16.4
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	7.4	4.8	Service.....	10.0	5.0
Floor coverings.....	8.6	7.6	Wood, coke and other fuels.....	30.7	3.9
Household furniture.....	51.5	51.5	Refrigerators—electric only: (Commodity coverage, 97.3 per cent)		
Bedroom.....	13.7		Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	31.4	12.8
Dining room.....	10.5		Refrigerators, electric.....	81.8	81.8
Kitchen.....	6.4		Service.....	8.1	5.4
Living room, library, and hall.....	13.7		China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware: (Commodity coverage, 69 per cent)		
Other household.....	7.2		China, glassware and crockery.....	65.7	44.2
Kitchen utensils.....	1.8	.8	Jewelry, silverware and clocks.....	33.3	8.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	16.2	2.9	Kitchen utensils.....	76.8	46.6
Office and store furniture.....	6.8	2.1	Toys and games.....	30.0	.5
Other home furnishings.....	4.5	1.9	Interior decorators: (Commodity coverage, 41.7 per cent)		
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.5	1.2	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	5.9	3.9
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.1	1.9	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	31.4	31.4
Toys and games.....	1.5	.1	Electric lighting equipment.....	6.6	2.3
Furniture and hardware: (Commodity coverage, 4.1 per cent)			Floor coverings.....	10.3	10.3
Automotive parts and accessories.....	.8	.6	Home furnishings, other.....	1.6	1.1
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	2.8	2.8	Household furniture.....	54.3	40.1
Bedroom furniture.....	1.9	1.9	Jewelry, silverware and clocks.....	6.3	2.2
Boats.....	2.6	2.0	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	4.9	1.1
Builders' and shelf hardware.....	12.1	12.1	Painters' supplies.....	9.7	3.8
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	6.8	6.8	Service.....	5.0	1.0
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.7	1.7	Wallpaper.....	5.7	3.3
Dining room furniture.....	2.2	2.2	Radio and electrical shops: (Commodity coverage, 32 per cent)		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.7	4.5	Building materials.....	8.1	.3
Electrical household heating appliances (except refrigerators).....	.7	.2	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	7.7	3.2
Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	2.5	.5	Electric lighting equipment.....	8.0	2.9
Electric lighting equipment.....	1.4	.3	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	2.7	.3
Farm and garden equipment and supplies, other.....	7.1	1.5	Electrical appliances, other.....	5.1	2.1
Fertilizers.....	.2	.2	Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	3.6	1.8
Floor coverings.....	1.9	1.9	Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	8.2	4.3
Hardware, other.....	6.4	6.4	Heating, plumbing equipment and supplies.....	40.2	3.0
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	1.5	1.5	Incandescent lamps.....	3.3	1.5
Home furnishings, other.....	.7	.2	Interior electrical construction materials.....	35.7	21.8
Household furniture, other.....	.1	.1	Radio parts, and accessories.....	0.2	9.2
Incandescent lamps.....	.4	.1	Radio sets.....	31.9	31.9
Kitchen furniture.....	1.8	1.8	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	26.4	11.5
Kitchen utensils.....	3.7	3.7	Service.....	17.1	6.2
Leather goods, billfolds, purses, (often includes gloves and handbags).....	.4	.1	Radios and musical instruments: (Commodity coverage, 71.7 per cent)		
Living room, library and hall furniture.....	1.9	1.9	Cameras.....	6.7	.4
Office and store furniture.....	.4	.1	Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	8.7	.7
Painters' supplies.....	7.1	1.5			
Radio sets.....	7.3	5.7			
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	25.5	20.0			
Roofing materials.....	1.4	.3			
Secondhand merchandise.....	22.5	4.8			
Seeds, plants, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	3.5	.8			
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.5	.8			
Toys and games.....	2.1	2.1			
Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	8.9	8.9			

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP—Continued		
Radios and musical instruments—Continued.			Electrical shops (without radio)—Continued.		
Musical instruments and accessories, other	3.9	2.9	Electric ranges, water heaters and other heavy-duty heating appliances	1.5	0.7
Phonographs and records	8.4	7.2	Incandescent lamps	2.4	1.7
Pianos, player pianos, and accessories	29.7	28.4	Interior electrical construction materials	21.0	10.4
Radio parts and accessories	3.8	3.8	Service	38.8	15.9
Radio sets	47.7	47.7	Heating appliances and oil burners:		
Refrigerators, electric	15.4	1.2	(Commodity coverage, 47 per cent)		
Service	2.7	.9	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	80.9	80.9
Sheet music, music books, etc	4.9	3.7	Miscellaneous merchandise	5.7	1.3
Stringed and band instruments	5.8	3.1	Refrigerators, electric and gas	46.9	3.8
RESTAURANTS AND EATING PLACES			Service	21.0	14.0
Cafeterias:			Plumbing, heating, ventilating, including fixtures:		
(Commodity coverage, 47.4 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 40.3 per cent)		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	6.0	6.0	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc	8.1	2.1
Receipts from sale of meals	94.0	94.0	Electrical appliances and supplies, other	2.0	.1
Lunch rooms:			Electric lighting equipment	2.7	.1
(Commodity coverage, 6.7 per cent)			Gas appliances and supplies	3.6	1.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	4.4	4.4	Appliances, other, except refrigerators	0.4	
Receipts from sale of meals	95.6	95.6	Stoves and ranges	.4	
Restaurants:			Water heaters	.4	
(Commodity coverage, 29.8 per cent)			Hardware	30.4	3.0
Bakery products, fresh	2.4	.2	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	70.8	70.8
Bottled beverages	2.9	.4	Interior electrical construction materials	5.4	.1
Confectionery and nuts	8.1	1.6	Iron and other metal materials for building	2.5	.7
Canned goods and other groceries	5.9	.2	Miscellaneous merchandise	12.5	.4
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	3.4	3.2	Refrigerators, electric and gas	30.4	6.9
Ice cream	17.9	3.9	Service	45.2	13.4
Receipts from sale of meals	90.5	90.5	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)	5.4	1.2
Fountains and lunch:			Glass and mirror shops:		
(Commodity coverage, 36.7 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 50.6 per cent)		
Confectionery and nuts	9.1	4.2	Glass	35.8	35.8
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	3.9	1.5	Hardware	5.8	5.8
Fountain sales and ice cream	43.5	43.5	Home furnishings	17.1	17.1
Miscellaneous merchandise	1.2	.2	Household furniture	23.7	23.7
Receipts from sale of meals	65.2	50.6	Paints, varnishes, lacquers	3.7	3.7
Lunch counters:			Service	11.4	11.4
(Commodity coverage, 16.4 per cent)			Wallpaper	2.5	2.5
Confectionery and nuts	2.4	.5	Paint and glass shops:		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	15.5	15.5	(Commodity coverage, 56.7 per cent)		
Fountain sales and ice cream	9.1	5.7	Glass	36.6	23.8
Miscellaneous merchandise	3.2	.3	Hardware	3.3	.1
Receipts from sale of meals	78.0	78.0	Miscellaneous merchandise	4.3	.9
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Painters' supplies	10.5	54.0
Lumber and building materials:			Paints, varnishes, lacquers	66.9	1.4
(Commodity coverage, 61.4 per cent)			Service	41.4	13.6
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc	3.6	2.1	Wallpaper	29.0	
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc	2.2	1.5	OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Building stone	.7	.3	Hardware stores:		
Building materials, other	7.6	5.8	(Commodity coverage 40.4 per cent)		
Cement	5.0	3.3	Automotive parts and accessories	3.6	.5
Coal	34.3	6.4	Builders' and shelf hardware	25.9	25.9
Fuel oil	35.6	.8	Building materials, other	5.3	.1
Gasoline	9.0	.1	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools	8.6	8.6
Glass	4.5	.2	China, glassware and crockery	3.7	.7
Iron and other metal materials for building	3.2	1.5	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances	1.0	.1
Lime, plaster, etc	3.5	2.3	Electrical appliances and supplies, other	1.7	.4
Lumber, (rough, and dressed)	63.7	55.3	Electrical household heating appliances—portable	1.7	.7
Paints, varnishes, lacquers	1.3	.3	Electrical motor-driven household appliances	5.0	1.5
Planing-mill products, woodwork	16.1	12.2	Electric lighting equipment	3.1	.8
Roofing materials (except wood shingles)	5.2	3.8	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc	2.4	.7
Service	30.0	.1	Farm and garden equipment, other	6.1	2.1
Structural steel, (at retail)	.8	.3	Farm machinery	1.9	.9
Wall boards (except those with wood base)	1.6	1.1	Fertilizers	1.7	.2
Wood, coke and other fuels	1.7	.1	Gasoline	1.5	.6
Wood shingles and shakes	2.1	1.5	Gas stoves and ranges	.8	.1
Lumber and hardware:			Glass	1.1	.1
(Commodity coverage, 37.2 per cent)			Hardware, other	28.5	26.6
Builders' and shelf hardware	3.1	3.1	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	10.3	2.5
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc	.7	.7	Incandescent lamps	.9	.4
Farm and garden equipment and supplies	4.9	.4	Interior electrical construction materials	3.5	.6
Glass	.8	.6	Iron and other metal materials for building	3.1	.2
Hardware, other	1.4	1.4	Kitchen utensils	7.8	3.4
Iron and other metal materials for building	66.1	66.1	Machinery	6.7	.5
Lumber (rough, and dressed)	18.4	18.4	Miscellaneous merchandise	13.5	2.9
Planing-mill products, woodwork	4.3	4.3	Motorcycles, bicycles and accessories	.5	.1
Roofing materials (except wood shingles)	2.0	2.0	Oils and greases	.4	.8
Wall boards (except those with wood base)	4.3	4.3	Painters' supplies	1.5	7.3
Wood shingles and shakes	2.9	2.9	Paints, varnishes, lacquers	3.6	1.1
Electrical shops (without radio):			Radio parts and accessories	1.1	.2
(Commodity coverage, 32.6 per cent)			Radio sets	13.7	1.9
Commercial and industrial electrical appliances	43.0	32.8	Refrigerators, electric and gas	3.6	.5
Electrical appliances and supplies, other	13.8	8.0	Roofing materials	1.0	.2
Electrical household heating appliances, portable	2.4	1.7	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock	1.9	.9
Electrical motor-driven household appliances	3.2	1.9	Service	22.0	.9
Electric lighting equipment	38.3	26.0	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment	8.0	3.6
			Tires, tubes and tire accessories	2.4	.5
			Toys and games	2.7	.7
			Wallpaper	2.8	.4
			Wire fencing, gates and posts	2.5	.9

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COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications	COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classifications
OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Farm implements, machinery and equipment: (Commodity coverage, 18.8 per cent)			Cigar stores: (Commodity coverage, 33.7 per cent)		
Farm machinery.....	63.6	63.6	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	83.7	83.7
Farm wagons.....	1.0	1.0	Confectionery and nuts.....	18.8	2.4
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	24.8	24.8	Receipts from sales of meals.....	29.8	1.1
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	.4	.4	Smokers' supplies.....	12.8	12.8
Tractors (farm and other).....	10.2	10.2			
Hardware and farm implements: (Commodity coverage, 48 per cent)			Coal and wood yards: (Commodity coverage, 74.4 per cent)		
Batteries.....	.5	.4	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	2.7	.3
Buildings and shelf hardware.....	2.7	2.7	Building materials, other.....	4.7	.5
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	2.8	2.8	Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	.9	.1
Cement.....	8.8	7.2	Building stone.....	2.7	.3
China, glassware and crockery.....	.3	.3	Coal.....	4.5	.7
Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	1.4	1.2	Fuel oil.....	88.7	88.7
Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	1.0	.8	Gasoline.....	0.0	1.9
Farm and garden equipment and supplies, other.....	2.1	2.1	Hay, grain, and feed.....	39.2	1.5
Farm machinery.....	5.0	5.0	Ice.....	4.6	.1
Farm wagons.....	.2	.2	Lime, plaster, etc.....	38.9	.8
Fertilizers.....	1.5	1.3	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	2.8	.4
Gasoline, oil and grease.....	7.6	6.2	Oils and greases.....	5.2	.0
Hardware, other.....	52.4	52.4	Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	1.8	.4
Incandescent lamps.....	.8	.6	Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	2.0	.4
Kitchen utensils.....	1.6	1.6	Service.....	10.6	.3
Motorcycles, bicycles and accessories.....	.3	.3	Wall boards (except those with wood base).....	.0	.1
Painters' supplies.....	3.1	3.1	Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	3.8	8.1
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	.4	.3	Wood shingles and shakes.....	.9	.1
Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	.7	.1			
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	4.2	4.2	Drug stores without fountains: (Commodity coverage, 5.6 per cent)		
Tires, tubes and tire accessories.....	6.1	4.9	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.8	1.1
Toys and games.....	.8	.6	Confectionery and nuts.....	11.1	4.4
Tractors (farm and other).....	.2	.2	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	35.1	35.1
Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	1.5	1.5	Prescriptions.....	29.4	29.4
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	7.6	3.1
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer): (Commodity coverage, 52.1 per cent)			Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....		
Building materials.....	1.4	.1	Rubber goods.....	0.4	
Coal.....	30.8	1.4	Surgical and hospital supplies.....	1.1	
Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	1.8	.2	Other merchandise.....	.8	
Fertilizers.....	3.9	1.0	Toilet articles.....	.8	
Flour.....	13.2	1.8	Toilet preparations.....	4.4	2.9
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	12.2	.7		24.0	24.0
Gasoline.....	11.7	.2	Drug stores with fountains: (Commodity coverage, 17.4 per cent)		
Hardware.....	24.6	.5	Bottled beverages.....	3.8	1.2
Hay, grain, and feed.....	92.7	92.7	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	17.0	15.5
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	22.3		Confectionery and nuts.....	8.0	5.2
Grain and feed.....	70.4		Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	30.2	36.2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.9	.1	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	18.9	18.7
Sugar.....	13.0	1.3	Prescriptions.....	9.7	9.7
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	15.6	9.3
Farmers' supplies: (Commodity coverage, 67 per cent)			Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....		
Farm and garden equipment and supplies, other.....	49.3	49.3	Rubber goods.....	1.4	
Farm machinery.....	49.3	49.3	Surgical and hospital supplies.....	4.4	
Service.....	1.4	1.4	Other merchandise.....	3.3	
			Toilet articles.....	2.1	1.1
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock: (Commodity coverage, 54.9 per cent)			Toilet preparations.....		
Buildings and shelf hardware.....	.4	.2		5.8	3.1
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	.2	.1	Florists: (Commodity coverage, 26.2 per cent)		
Farm and garden equipment and supplies, other.....	11.2	11.2	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	83.1	83.1
Fertilizers.....	15.2	15.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	37.6	10.0
Hardware, other.....	.3	.1	Pets and pets' supplies.....	.8	.2
Hay, grain, and feed.....	15.0	7.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	18.5	6.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	15.3	8.0			
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.6	.3	Art and gift shops: (Commodity coverage, 13.8 per cent)		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	56.8	56.8	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	8.6	8.6
Service.....	.3	.2	Cameras and photographic supplies.....	26.0	26.0
			Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	1.8	1.8
Coal and feed stores: (Commodity coverage, 12.3 per cent)			Home furnishings.....		
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	5.1	2.3	Household furniture.....	11.0	11.0
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	1.0	.4	Jewelry, other.....	.4	.4
Cement.....	4.1	1.6	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	.3	.3
Coal.....	50.4	50.4	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.3	1.3
Fuel oil.....	15.7	9.2	Musical instruments and accessories, other.....	12.4	12.4
Hay, grain, and feed.....	31.1	31.1	Plated silverware.....	.1	.1
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	5.7		Radio parts and accessories.....	1.2	1.2
Grain and feed.....	25.4		Radio sets.....	3.4	3.4
Lime, plaster, etc.....	4.1	1.6	Service.....	23.9	23.9
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	5.1	1.9	Stationery, other.....	.4	.4
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	4.4	1.5	Stationery and records.....	7.7	7.7
			Phonographs and records.....	1.5	1.6
Feed stores with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 8.4 per cent)			Jewelry stores (installment credit): (Commodity coverage, 92.7 per cent)		
Butter and cheese.....	29.7	29.7	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.7	.4
Grain and feed.....	40.6	40.6	China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.2	.1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	29.7	29.7	Clocks.....	2.7	2.7
			Diamond jewelry.....	36.4	36.4
Book stores: (Commodity coverage, 60.8 per cent)			Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....		
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	11.4	3.0	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	1.0	.2
Books.....	82.5	82.5	Jewelry, other.....	8.0	8.0
Paper and paper goods.....	9.3	2.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	5.3	4.6
Phonographs and records.....	5.4	1.2	Optical goods.....	3.1	.8
Radio sets.....	9.2	2.1		9.4	1.2
Stationery and stationery supplies, other.....	10.8	4.0			
Typewriters and accessories.....	19.4	4.5			

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Jewelry stores (installment credit)—Continued.			Opticians and optometrists—Continued.		
Paper and paper goods.....	0.8	0.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	8.1	1.3
Plated silverware.....	4.3	4.1	Optical goods.....	53.4	53.4
Rings, other than diamond.....	8.0	8.0	Professional and scientific instruments and equipment.....	4.8	.7
Service.....	5.9	4.0	Service.....	2.1	.2
Sterling silverware.....	6.4	5.3	Stationery.....	20.9	7.1
Toilet articles and preparations.....	1.8	.3	Watches.....	1.0	.1
Watches.....	23.8	23.8			
Jewelry stores: (Commodity coverage, 35.1 per cent)			Sporting goods, toys, and stationery: (Commodity coverage, 57.1 per cent)		
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	12.7	1.8	Automotive parts and accessories.....	28.9	28.9
China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.2	.7	Batteries.....	8.1	6.1
Clocks.....	3.2	3.1	Sporting goods, gymnastium, and playground equipment.....	40.0	40.0
Diamond jewelry.....	19.2	19.2	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	15.0	15.0
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	14.0	14.0	Toys and games.....	10.0	10.0
Jewelry, other.....	16.8	12.0			
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	1.4	.5	Store fixtures: (Commodity coverage, 40.3 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	8.3	1.2	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	4.9	4.9
Optical goods.....	12.3	3.1	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	4.0	4.0
Paper and paper goods.....	2.2	.3	Gas stoves and ranges.....	1.6	1.6
Plated silverware.....	4.7	4.7	Home furnishings.....	22.0	18.2
Rings, other than diamond.....	8.3	8.3	Kitchen furniture.....	10.6	1.8
Service.....	12.0	7.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	5.3	.9
Stationery, other.....	1.6	.1	Office and store equipment.....	50.4	50.4
Sterling silverware.....	12.1	12.1	Secondhand furniture.....	22.0	18.2
Watches.....	12.3	12.3			
Luggage, leather goods: (Commodity coverage, 30.3 per cent)			Stationers and engravers: (Commodity coverage, 43.7 per cent)		
Home furnishings.....	4.1	.9	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	7.3	4.9
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	52.7	52.7	Books.....	14.8	14.8
Luggage.....	41.1	41.1	Cameras and photographic supplies.....	11.0	1.8
Service.....	10.2	2.3	Electrical appliances and supplies.....	7.7	2.9
Toilet articles.....	14.3	3.0	Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	.5	.1
			Magazines and newspapers.....	1.8	1.0
			Office and store furniture.....	5.2	1.6
			Paper and paper goods.....	49.3	49.3
			Radios and equipment.....	37.0	13.8
			Stationery, other.....	9.8	6.8
			Toys and games.....	5.8	2.0
			Typewriters and accessories.....	1.1	.4
			Auction houses—miscellaneous goods at auction: (Commodity coverage, 30.8 per cent)		
			Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's.....	2.0	2.0
			Automotive parts and accessories.....	5.3	5.3
			Batteries.....	2.0	2.0
			Children's wear.....	4.0	4.0
			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	6.7	6.7
			Clocks.....	1.3	1.3
			Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	25.3	25.3
			Diamond jewelry.....	2.7	2.7
			Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	2.0	2.0
			Hosiery, women's and children's.....	2.0	2.0
			Infants' wear.....	2.7	2.7
			Men's and boys' furnishings.....	1.6	1.6
			Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	.4	.4
			Men's and boys' overcoats.....	4.7	4.7
			Men's and boys' suits.....	16.0	16.0
			Men's clothing, other.....	1.7	1.7
			Millinery.....	1.3	1.3
			Plated silverware.....	1.3	1.3
			Rings, other than diamond.....	.7	.7
			Smokers' supplies.....	2.7	2.7
			Tires, tubes and tire accessories.....	4.7	4.7
			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.0	4.0
			Watches.....	4.0	4.0
			Work clothing, men's and boys'.....	.9	.9
			Toilet articles and preparations, including perfumes: (Commodity coverage, 4 per cent)		
			Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	29.2	29.2
			Toilet preparations and cosmetics.....	70.8	70.8
			Cameras and photographic supplies: (Commodity coverage, 15.9 per cent)		
			Photo-finishing sales.....	95.1	95.1
			Photographic supplies.....	4.9	4.9
			Rubber goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 89.1 per cent)		
			Automotive parts and accessories.....	15.0	9.4
			Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'.....	31.4	11.7
			Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	10.0	6.3
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	25.0	15.6
			Radio sets.....	15.0	9.4
			Shoes and other footwear.....	30.9	11.6
			Sporting goods, gymnastium and playground equipment.....	24.7	24.7
			Tires, tubes and tire accessories.....	12.9	11.3
			Undertakers' funeral supplies (including some service): (Commodity coverage, 36.1 per cent)		
			Caskets and undertakers' supplies.....	74.6	74.6
			Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	9.5	.3
			Undertaking.....	55.3	25.1

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TABLE 16.—HARTFORD—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS (See Table 22 for commodity analysis)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	2,313	1,925	12,173	1,568	\$17,949,876	\$471,345	\$15,856,205	\$16,576,080	\$123,802,186	100.00
Food group.....	826	712	4,461	461	2,416,455	132,485	2,204,047	1,293,110	27,055,295	21.00
Candy and confectionery stores.....	40	35	54	14	59,978	3,088	119,674	37,470	640,634	.50
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	20	23	307	10	575,510	2,443	106,855	26,800	3,961,080	3.07
Delicatessen stores.....	26	26	34	6	36,374	1,870	55,020	32,650	573,588	.44
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	26	31	18	11	19,704	3,545	46,824	16,860	410,204	.32
Grocery stores (without meats).....	437	318	362	207	624,316	57,000	893,347	630,350	9,250,469	7.19
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	185	184	591	185	960,036	55,782	779,163	498,940	10,495,453	8.15
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	85	89	89	27	134,565	8,717	129,318	49,780	1,646,274	1.28
Bakeries (bakery goods stores).....	4	4	3	—	1,440	—	6,409	2,020	39,085	.03
Other food stores.....	3	2	3	1	4,532	60	2,437	3,340	29,418	.02
General merchandise group.....	71	61	3,808	422	4,334,035	125,839	2,680,300	3,622,630	26,459,671	20.54
Department stores.....	7	2	3,336	232	3,052,021	97,596	2,088,814	2,910,000	22,513,405	17.48
Dry-goods—piece goods stores.....	35	42	24	18	24,938	3,857	77,150	208,040	568,501	.46
General merchandise stores.....	10	6	21	11	30,251	2,296	43,175	82,710	503,456	.20
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	19	11	427	161	320,825	22,290	481,161	421,780	3,084,309	2.40
Automotive group.....	321	246	1,316	89	2,211,665	38,704	2,311,779	1,898,810	20,158,408	15.65
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	47	28	988	20	1,139,636	17,154	1,438,066	1,374,720	13,912,182	10.80
Accessory stores (with tires and batteries).....	55	40	173	12	369,286	2,783	252,416	289,030	2,011,801	1.56
Filling stations.....	101	42	178	30	209,083	13,152	243,974	76,000	2,521,008	1.90
Motor cycles, bicycles and supplies stores.....	6	6	18	—	29,538	—	39,958	69,280	217,309	.17
Garages and repair shops, gas, oil, etc.....	110	120	249	18	394,162	5,015	328,737	75,780	1,399,322	1.09
Apparel group.....	279	209	1,243	234	2,138,877	66,548	2,514,295	3,323,030	14,834,628	11.52
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	77	70	254	30	490,560	6,806	681,109	1,200,220	3,769,093	2.93
Clothing stores, men's, women's and children's.....	16	9	110	7	219,438	1,372	185,665	280,380	1,357,121	1.08
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	57	41	383	82	624,012	24,564	688,239	536,240	4,051,724	3.16
Women's accessories stores.....	53	40	264	53	412,013	14,370	460,565	425,380	2,701,105	2.10
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	21	23	66	9	86,717	2,160	46,241	60,970	389,056	.30
Shoe stores.....	55	26	167	53	305,928	17,267	452,476	819,840	2,614,629	1.95
Furniture and household group.....	105	74	815	52	1,437,212	22,662	1,852,394	1,790,350	8,191,022	6.36
Furniture stores.....	44	36	405	44	783,794	20,218	1,166,214	1,115,940	4,972,248	3.86
Floor coverings and draperies stores.....	7	7	21	1	35,476	572	60,161	142,280	318,020	.25
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	11	2	157	1	208,850	416	155,743	122,490	791,860	.61
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	23	22	101	1	162,215	40	155,070	187,190	719,543	.56
Radio and music stores.....	20	7	131	5	246,877	1,416	315,266	222,450	1,359,342	1.08
Restaurants and eating places.....	183	207	1,172	128	1,349,509	37,204	1,075,128	95,620	6,409,673	4.98
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunchrooms.....	166	165	993	100	1,144,661	31,472	916,047	81,750	5,408,381	4.20
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	37	42	179	19	204,848	5,732	159,081	13,870	1,001,292	.78
Lumber and building group.....	83	66	661	11	1,214,788	2,611	640,189	1,113,670	6,914,699	5.37
Lumber and building material dealers.....	19	9	261	2	440,110	984	310,815	664,220	3,641,910	2.83
Electrical shops without radio.....	9	5	40	1	83,202	400	30,085	27,200	273,930	.22
Heating and plumbing shops.....	34	31	265	6	480,649	1,002	148,334	165,260	1,687,694	1.31
Paint and glass stores.....	21	21	95	2	210,827	225	151,005	266,990	1,306,165	1.01
Other retail stores.....	402	313	1,663	163	2,800,191	43,746	2,605,412	3,348,250	18,434,278	14.31
Hardware stores.....	27	22	88	18	170,301	4,016	176,313	413,700	1,338,514	1.04
Farmers' supply stores.....	6	5	30	2	53,974	595	29,308	50,180	387,178	.30
Bookstores.....	7	3	33	1	30,554	520	44,757	88,420	280,556	.22
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	53	49	38	6	44,385	1,290	97,650	71,660	490,490	.37
Coal, wood and ice dealers.....	10	5	385	7	598,284	2,528	500,501	330,420	4,034,012	3.14
Drug stores.....	102	90	295	62	460,598	18,416	447,395	328,360	3,452,907	2.68
Florists.....	22	16	69	7	110,277	1,519	139,040	49,816	688,619	.54
Gift shops, novelties and toys.....	18	18	22	11	20,881	1,116	56,051	69,600	235,116	.18
Jewelry stores.....	48	30	126	30	267,952	7,495	297,112	944,620	1,528,017	1.42
Luggage and leather goods.....	5	5	16	1	23,127	156	41,913	77,050	217,000	.17
Musical instrument stores (without radio).....	5	3	12	—	19,053	—	48,004	17,830	155,431	.12
News dealers.....	11	8	120	—	65,314	—	25,172	10,660	24,058	.02
Office, school and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	24	10	208	6	534,203	1,448	271,500	321,510	2,635,630	2.05
Opticians and optometrists.....	9	8	4	1	94,100	1,267	61,149	81,320	420,265	.33
Stationers and printers.....	6	4	3	—	3,796	56	6,536	7,600	30,480	.02
Miscellaneous classifications.....	46	27	153	6	284,268	2,694	210,991	234,640	1,416,634	1.10
Secondhand stores.....	33	37	34	6	47,344	1,546	62,661	85,710	349,612	.27

TABLE 17.—HARTFORD—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
Total.....	2,313	1,925	12,173	1,568	\$17,949,876	\$471,345	\$15,856,205	\$16,576,080	\$123,802,186	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,792	1,842	8,701	934	12,777,665	315,277	10,564,947	12,711,900	89,158,100	69.22
2-store independents.....	91	68	400	56	853,251	21,697	817,811	800,110	6,584,398	5.11
3-store independents.....	30	10	346	36	514,579	7,910	587,655	349,470	4,349,524	3.38
Local chains.....	59	3	475	27	737,326	8,712	588,836	455,850	4,978,552	3.87
Sectional chains.....	148	761	252	—	1,213,044	72,320	1,533,536	983,280	10,025,179	7.78
National chains.....	134	877	246	—	1,080,802	40,190	1,318,922	801,310	10,225,259	7.94
Other types of operation.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Direct selling.....	7	(x)	219	—	173,894	—	41,262	2,570	391,569	.31
Leased-department independents.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Leased-department chains.....	22	3	125	10	162,813	3,843	171,940	156,800	833,983	.64
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	19	—	199	4	420,216	1,066	226,826	213,790	2,239,182	1.74

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TABLE 18.—HARTFORD—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	2 and 3 store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	7	0				1	
Annual net sales.....	\$22,513,405	(x)				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)				(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	19	10	2		1	0	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,084,369	\$297,070	(x)		(x)	\$2,742,600	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	9.03	(x)		(x)	88.93	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	77	63	2	1	5	4	2
Annual net sales.....	\$3,769,093	\$2,827,561	(x)	(x)	\$501,795	\$319,871	\$66,260
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.02	(x)	(x)	13.31	8.49	1.76
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	16	12	1		2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,387,121	\$1,133,414	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	81.71	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shop:							
Number of stores.....	57	39	7		8	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,081,724	\$1,724,374	\$675,319		\$1,471,850	\$210,675	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	42.25	16.54		36.05	5.16	
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	55	26	4	4	4	11	6
Annual net sales.....	\$2,514,629	\$1,167,848	\$195,092	\$159,136	\$232,453	\$349,848	\$409,652
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	46.44	7.78	6.33	9.25	13.91	16.29
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	44	37	5		1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,972,248	\$3,957,514	\$512,153		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.59	10.30		(x)	(x)	
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	20	14	4	1	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,389,342	\$851,372	\$314,303	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.28	22.62	(x)	(x)		
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	437	294	9	13	69	50	2
Annual net sales.....	\$9,259,469	\$2,058,773	\$979,606	\$213,210	\$3,393,249	\$1,997,431	\$17,200
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	23.71	10.58	2.30	36.65	21.57	.19
Combination (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	185	160	9	3	3	10	
Annual net sales.....	\$10,495,453	\$8,364,339	\$481,442	\$72,176	\$190,574	\$1,386,922	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.69	4.59	.69	1.82	13.21	
Restaurants, cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	156	139	9	5	3		
Annual net sales.....	\$5,408,381	\$4,175,314	\$560,868	\$308,498	\$273,701		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.20	10.37	7.37	5.06		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	53	48				5	
Annual net sales.....	\$920,490	\$576,385				\$344,105	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.62				37.38	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	101	38	14	4	23	22	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,521,008	\$937,935	\$393,348	\$82,088	\$697,942	\$409,695	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	37.21	15.60	3.26	27.68	16.25	
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	16	12		1	3		
Annual net sales.....	\$4,034,012	\$2,229,623		(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.27		(x)	(x)		
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	162	80	9	8	1	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,452,907	\$2,248,013	\$211,799	\$485,929	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	65.11	6.13	14.07	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	27	25	1	1			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,338,514	\$1,298,879	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.04	(x)	(x)			
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	43	41	1		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,828,017	\$1,782,938	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.53	(x)		(x)		

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TABLE 19.—HARTFORD—CREDIT BUSINESS—NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT

[Sales in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTALS		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT SALES								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	Over 80 per cent credit
Total number of stores.....	1,519		856	78	82	44	40	54	38	38	62	149
Total net sales.....		\$104,980	\$36,764	\$3,189	\$5,033	\$2,576	\$1,808	\$8,189	\$8,482	\$9,267	\$13,828	\$17,896
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00	34.06	3.02	4.79	2.45	1.72	7.80	8.06	7.88	13.17	17.05
Food group.....	517	\$19,987	\$14,199	\$1,261	\$200	\$451	\$465	\$398	\$131	\$1,427	\$428	\$1,017
Candy and confectionery.....	21	449	449									
Dairy products.....	14	3,270	2,891		53							326
Deliicatessen.....	16	314	234	60				3				17
Fruits and vegetables.....	12	176	163	13								
Groceries.....	289	7,880	7,294	115	34	40	115	130	2	7	119	24
Combination stores.....	109	6,636	2,360	974	80	406	216	265	113	1,359	309	604
Meat markets.....	52	1,132	777	77	33	5	134		10	61		29
Other food stores.....	2	29		12								17
General merchandise group.....	48	26,158	3,402	40	489	24	4	2,878	6,172	3,419	8,534	218
Department stores.....	7	22,513			453			2,860	6,172	3,419	9,492	117
Dry-goods stores.....	20	394	303	5	14	10	4	16				42
General merchandise stores.....	7	200	85			14						101
Variety stores, 5 and 10.....	14	3,051	3,014	35	2							
Automotive group.....	207	14,328	1,939	465	2,458	1,109	558	2,898	422	807	1,432	2,242
Motor vehicles.....	42	10,531	8	115	2,142	1,049	337	2,804	201	711	1,201	1,963
Accessories, tires, batteries.....	38	1,181	356	184	122	33	9	82	9	109		187
Filling stations.....	52	1,433	950	111	98	26	160	40	33	65		
Motor cycles, bicycles.....	4	185	173					3	9			
Garages.....	69	856	421	55	35	1	52	49	97	22	32	92
Other automotive establishments.....	2	92	31	61								
Apparel group.....	202	12,369	4,814	209	79	549	349	619	1,225	1,963	159	2,373
Men's and boy's clothing and furnishings stores.....	55	143	1,406	45		402	37	147	435	523		148
Family clothing.....	9	445	122									323
Women's ready-to-wear.....	45	3,859	1,190	11	35	82	53	301		923	57	1,207
Women's accessories.....	38	2,425	652	114	43	65	244	41	301	387	84	494
Other apparel.....	15	330	89	39	1							201
Shoe stores.....	40	2,157	1,355				15	130	519	120	18	
Furniture and household group.....	73	6,657	368	89	595	37		368	72	63	506	4,559
Furniture stores.....	31	4,440	97		544	14			5		68	3,712
Floor coverings and draperies stores.....	7	318	41	41	45						170	21
Household appliances.....	6	627	17					368	12			230
Other home furnishings.....	16	533	124	43					55		75	231
Radio and music.....	13	739	89		6	23				63	193	365
Restaurant group.....	120	5,170	4,447	122	500							101
Restaurants.....	99	4,483	3,849	33	500							
Lunch counters.....	21	687	598	89								101
Lumber and building group.....	64	4,950	2,130	49	33	27	41	64	191	66	131	2,118
Lumber and building materials.....	14	1,994	919			19				7	15	1,034
Electrical shops.....	6	103	15		10						20	63
Heating and plumbing.....	28	1,523	395	49	11		41	64	101	59		718
Paint and glass.....	16	1,220	801		12	8					96	303
Other retail stores.....	269	15,284	4,263	944	684	379	389	668	219	592	1,638	5,283
Hardware and farm implements.....	21	1,181	187	99	112	53	147	98			235	280
Farmer's supplies.....	5	323	89				23			131	85	
Book stores.....	7	230	24	127		5			8			116
Cigar stores.....	28	665	695									
Coal and wood, ice.....	14	3,913	135					596		83	660	2,444
Drug stores.....	69	2,714	1,698	530	134	69	148	225				
Florists.....	10	396	39	21			46		5	285		
Gift shops.....	15	215	81			29	25	49				23
Jewelry stores.....	26	1,248	187	75	149	87			101		327	322
Luggage.....	5	218	113						105			
Musical instruments.....	3	34	2							25	7	
News dealers.....	8	214	105									109
Office and school supplies.....	19	2,385	593			21					294	1,562
Opticians.....	7	382	15	24	253	55						35
All other stores.....	23	922	417	2	36	60					30	377
Secondhand group.....	19	207	192		15							

Note.—Seven hundred and ninety-four stores whose sales aggregated \$23,521,230 failed to report as to their credit activities and therefore are not included in this table.

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TABLE 20.—HARTFORD—CREDIT BUSINESS BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment			For cash	On open account	On installment
Total	563	35.21	47.53	13.96	Furniture and household group	54	20.22	25.27	54.51
Food group	137	50.66	49.34		Furniture stores.....	26	16.31	22.62	61.07
Milk dealers.....	3	16.75	83.25		Floor coverings stores.....	3	42.03	57.97	
Delicatessen stores.....	5	93.44	6.56		Household appliances stores (elec- trical).....	5	36.98	1.42	61.00
Grocery stores.....	51	55.12	44.88		Interior decorators.....	3	2.88	97.12	
Combination stores—groceries with meats.....	21	50.65	49.35		Radio and electrical shops.....	5	16.97	49.02	33.41
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	41	51.38	48.62		Radio and musical instruments.....	4	10.44	34.80	48.76
Meat markets.....	13	62.70	37.30		Restaurants and eating places	7	86.48	13.52	
General merchandise group	20	38.01	61.06	.93	Cafeterias.....	5	87.30	12.70	
Department stores.....	6	37.98	61.41	.61	Lumber and building group	39	20.21	71.60	8.19
Dry-goods stores.....	8	49.11	50.89		Lumber and building materials.....	8	18.33	81.67	
Automotive group	111	50.30	13.81	35.89	Roofing.....	2	3.98	96.02	
Motor-vehicle establishments.....	32	60.21	9.03	40.76	Electrical shops (without radio).....	5	20.23	73.77	22.22
Used-car establishments.....	5	19.00	1.07	79.93	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	8	58.45	19.33	
Accessories, tire, and battery shops.....	5	58.82	41.18		Plumbing, heating, ventilating, includ- ing fixtures.....	9	6.20	64.67	29.13
Battery shops (including tire repairs).....	13	29.79	60.21		Paint and glass stores.....	6	18.36	81.64	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	5	67.88	30.20	1.92	Other retail stores	118	33.70	57.92	8.38
Filling stations (gas and oil).....	12	59.84	40.16		Hardware stores.....	14	45.62	54.18	.20
Filling stations with tires and acces- sories.....	4	70.73	29.27		Book stores.....	5	57.02	34.18	8.20
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	5	16.79	83.21		Coal and wood yards.....	12	17.99	82.01	
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories).....	17	56.08	43.92		Drug stores.....	3	95.69	4.31	
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	3	59.00	41.00		Drug stores with fountains.....	13	77.25	22.75	
Apparel group	77	35.84	57.72	6.44	Florists, including seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	6	41.14	58.86	
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	10	49.59	50.41		Art and gift shops.....	4	47.74	62.26	
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	4	2.62	22.09	75.29	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	4	16.53	40.25	43.22
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	23	27.86	70.55	1.59	Jewelry stores.....	9	70.49	23.51	
Furriers—fur shops.....	10	29.64	53.06	17.30	Office and store mechanical appliances, at retail.....	6	5.16	81.87	12.97
Millinery stores.....	7	59.03	40.97		Office and store furniture and equip- ment.....	4	4.32	42.56	53.12
Custom tailors.....	10	16.01	83.99		Opticians and optometrists.....	4	78.39	21.01	
Shoe stores—men's, women's and children's.....	5	44.82	55.18		Undertakers' funeral supplies (in- cluding some service).....	5	2.17	97.83	

NOTE.—Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open-account sales may include some installment business of these smaller stores. Sales of stores reporting all sales for cash are not included in this table.

TABLE 21.—HARTFORD—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM SALES OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	10,428	\$5,963,709
Restaurants and eating places	9,223	5,393,079
Restaurants, cafeterias.....	8,354	4,652,142
Lunch counters, refreshment stands.....	869	680,937
Other stores in which meals are served	1,205	630,630
Candy and confectionery stores.....	126	49,166
Grocery stores.....	237	153,522
Department stores.....	820	427,042

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts for repair service
Total	479	\$2,031,861
Automotive group	479	2,031,861
Motor vehicle establishments, new and trade-in.....	250	905,264
Accessories, tire and battery stores.....	70	375,204
Filling stations.....	8	33,080
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....		1,400
Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	151	716,413

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS, SERVICE, AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts for other repairs and service	Receipts for storage
Grand total	\$1,011,782	\$305,805
General merchandise group	61,881	
Department stores.....	61,586	
Automotive group	30,585	305,805
Motor vehicle establishments (new and trade-in).....		172,375
Accessories, tires and batteries.....	800	
Filling stations.....	350	
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	5,827	
Garages—repairs, gas and oil, etc.....		133,430
Other automotive establishments.....	23,608	
Apparel group	163,891	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings.....	1,351	
Women's accessories stores.....	160,398	
Other apparel and furnishings.....	8,730	
Shoe stores.....	2,912	
Furniture and household group	106,234	
Furniture stores.....	80,345	
Household appliance stores.....	2,754	
Other home furnishings stores.....	3,148	
Radio and music stores.....	19,987	
Lumber and building group	129,629	
Lumber and building materials.....	2,548	
Electrical shops (without radio).....	28,474	
Heating and plumbing.....	88,222	
Paint and glass stores.....	10,385	
Other retail stores	518,412	
Hardware stores.....	4,700	
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	2,000	
Gift shops, novelties, toys.....	900	
Jewelry stores.....	160,949	
Musical instruments and music stores.....	960	
Office, school, and store supplies.....	89,485	
Not otherwise specified.....	260,113	
Secondhand stores	650	

NOTE.—Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from the table but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 22.—HARTFORD—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 22.3 per cent)			Department stores without food departments—Continued.		
Confectionery and nuts.....	54.9	54.9	Drugs and drug sundries.....	5.7	5.0
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	26.1	26.1	Dry goods and notions.....	8.4	8.4
Receipts from sale of meals.....	19.0	19.0	Cotton piece goods.....	1.2	
Dairy products stores, butter, cheese, and ice cream: (Commodity coverage, 96.2 per cent)			Linen goods.....	1.4	
Butter and cheese.....	6.1	5.4	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	1.4	
Ice cream.....	2.4	2.2	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	1.4	
Milk and cream (fluid).....	92.4	92.4	Notions and other small wares.....	3.7	
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 9.3 per cent)			Dry goods, other.....	2	
Bakery products, fresh.....	3.0	3.0	Electrical household appliances.....	.5	.4
Bottled beverages.....	1.3	1.3	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	.8	.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	.5	.5	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.0	.1
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	57.8	57.8	Furs and fur goods.....	.7	.7
Groceries.....	34.1	34.1	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	4.1	4.1
Nonfood products.....	3.3	3.3	Household furniture.....	4.2	3.8
Grocery stores (without meat departments): (Commodity coverage, 11.3 per cent)			Home furnishings.....	14.0	13.6
Bakery products, fresh.....	14.3	9.1	Draperies, upholstery, cretonnes, curtains.....	2.4	
Bottled beverages.....	5.7	3.6	Floor coverings.....	3.8	
Butter and cheese.....	6.2	6.2	Bedding, mattresses, springs, pillows.....	.7	
Canned goods and other groceries.....	16.0	12.5	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.1	
Confectionery and nuts.....	7.1	4.5	Kitchen utensils.....	1.8	
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	10.5	8.4	Other home furnishings.....	2.8	
Eggs.....	1.2	1.2	Infants' wear.....	2.7	2.6
Flour.....	6.1	6.1	Jewelry, silverware and clocks.....	2.1	2.0
Meats, including poultry.....	9.9	6.3	Luggage.....	.6	.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.5	2.3	Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	2.0	1.9
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	9.2	5.0	Men's and boys' suits.....	1.9	1.1
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	10.5	10.5	Men's and boys' overcoats.....	15.2	1.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	17.8	13.4	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	5.7	5.7
Sugar.....	10.0	10.0	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	4.0	2.0
Combination stores (groceries with meats): (Commodity coverage, 4.3 per cent)			Office and store furniture.....	.7	.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	26.1	14.4	Radios and equipment.....	1.8	1.6
Bottled beverages.....	2.7	1.5	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.7	1.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	13.4	7.4	Shoes and other footwear.....	6.0	5.1
Meats, including poultry.....	29.5	29.5	Shoes, men's.....	0.6	
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	3.3	1.9	Shoes, women's.....	3.4	
Groceries.....	45.3	45.3	Shoes, misses' and children's.....	1.1	
Combination stores (meat markets with groceries): (Commodity coverage, 51.4 per cent)			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	.8	.6
Bakery products, fresh.....	10.4	6.1	Stationery, books and magazines.....	1.9	1.7
Bottled beverages.....	2.1	.9	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	1.3	.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.7	.4	Services.....	1.2	.3
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.0	.1	Millinery.....	1.5	.7
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	6.3	3.1	Tires, tubes and tire accessories.....	23.4	4.6
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	9.9	7.1	Toilet articles and preparations.....	3.9	.9
Meats, including poultry.....	56.7	56.7	Toys and games.....	1.1	.9
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	6.0	4.3	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.3	7.3
Groceries.....	19.6	19.6	Work clothing, men's and boys'.....	.8	.1
Butter and cheese.....	5.6	5.6	Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: (Commodity coverage, 33.5 per cent)		
Eggs.....	3.6	3.6	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.5	0.3
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.4	1.4	Apparel, other (women's and children's).....	3.0	1.4
Flour.....	1.0	1.0	Bakery products, fresh.....	1.0	.4
Sugar.....	2.4	2.4	China, glassware, and crockery.....	4.1	4.1
Canned goods and other groceries.....	5.6	6.0	Confectionery and nuts.....	6.4	0.4
Household supplies.....	5.8	1.4	Drugs and drug sundries.....	1.2	.3
Milk and cream (fluid).....	2.3	.3	Dry goods, other.....	6.3	5.1
Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 28.6 per cent)			Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	3.0	2.4
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.6	.4	Floor coverings.....	1.0	.2
Butter and cheese.....	34.3	23.4	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	1.3	.7
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	3.6	1.2	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	14.1	11.4
Eggs.....	34.3	5.8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	2.2	1.8
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.1	2.2	Hardware.....	4.8	4.8
Meats, including poultry.....	62.8	62.8	Home furnishings, other.....	1.9	.5
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	6.2	4.1	Hosiery.....	4.8	4.8
Nonfood products.....	.9	.1	Incandescent lamps.....	2.2	.4
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			Infants' wear.....	3.0	1.7
Department stores without food departments: (Commodity coverage, 100 per cent)			Interior electrical construction materials.....	2.0	1.5
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.4	0.9	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	3.0	3.0
Apparel, other, women's, misses' and children's.....	4.2	1.9	Kitchen utensils.....	2.4	.5
Buildings' and shelf hardware.....	3.2	1.3	Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves, and hand bags).....	.7	.3
Cameras and photographic supplies.....	.2	.1	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	5.7	5.7
Children's wear.....	1.2	.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	8.7	8.7
Coats, suits, dresses—women's and misses'.....	16.8	16.8	Notions, other small wares, etc.....	4.4	3.5
Confectionery and nuts.....	.7	.3	Painters' supplies.....	.6	.1
			Paints, varnishes and lacquers.....	.6	.3
			Paper and paper goods.....	5.0	5.0
			Phonographs and records.....	1.5	1.5
			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.6	.4
			Sheet music, music books, etc.....	2.6	1.4
			Shoes, infants'.....	2.4	1.1
			Shoes, misses' and children's.....	2.4	1.1
			Sporting goods, gymnasium, and playground equipment.....	1.2	.3
			Toilet articles.....	4.6	3.4
			Toilet preparations and cosmetics.....	6.4	6.4
			Toys and games.....	7.3	7.3
			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	3.9	1.8

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State (or city, as the case may be). Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification.

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AUTOMOTIVE GROUP			AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued		
Motor-vehicle establishments: (Commodity coverage, 98.8 per cent)			Bicycle shops: (Commodity coverage, 77.6 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	9.0	8.7	Furniture.....	20.6	20.6
Automobile service.....	7.0	6.8	Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	28.1	28.1
Automobile storage.....	4.8	1.3	Radios and equipment.....	18.3	18.3
Batteries.....	.8	.1	Sporting goods.....	6.7	6.7
Busses.....	1.5	.6	Toys and games.....	26.3	26.3
Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	11.1	7.8	Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 30.6 per cent)		
Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	4.8	2.9	Automobile service.....	49.9	22.8
Gasoline.....	2.2	1.3	Automobile storage.....	36.4	28.0
Passenger automobiles, new.....	47.2	41.5	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	9.2	2.1
Passenger automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	12.2	7.3	Gasoline.....	10.8	10.6
Oils and greases.....	.5	.3	Passenger automobiles, new.....	9.5	2.0
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	.8	.5	Oils and greases.....	1.7	1.7
Used passenger cars.....	15.3	13.4	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	38.9	29.9
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	11.6	7.5	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	35.8	.2
Motor-vehicle establishments (used cars, including trucks): (Commodity coverage, 75.1 per cent)			Used passenger cars.....		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	30.9	15.7	11.2	2.7	
Automobile service.....	18.0	6.5	APPAREL GROUP		
Automobile storage.....	6.0	1.4	Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 47.8 per cent)		
Batteries.....	3.5	.2	Overcoats.....	17.3	17.3
Gasoline.....	21.7	6.1	Suits.....	82.7	82.7
Oils and greases.....	4.1	1.2	Men's furnishing stores: (Commodity coverage, 31.4 per cent)		
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	5.5	.1	Furnishings.....	96.3	96.3
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	5.7	2.7	Hats and caps.....	4.8	3.7
Used passenger cars.....	65.9	65.9	Men's clothing and furnishing stores: (Commodity coverage, 88.7 per cent)		
Used cars sold to dealers.....	8.3	.2	Luggage.....	.6	.1
Accessories, tires, and batteries: (Commodity coverage, 39.1 per cent)			Clothing, other.....	11.5	16.1
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	59.1	59.1	Furnishings.....	19.8	19.8
Automobile service.....	14.0	6.1	Hats and caps.....	4.8	4.0
Batteries.....	26.7	6.2	Overcoats.....	20.4	20.4
Gas, oil, and grease.....	42.2	9.7	Suits.....	45.3	45.3
Miscellaneous merchandise, including confectionery, soft drinks, cigars, etc.....	42.6	10.8	Service.....	.5	.1
Radio and equipment.....	7.3	1.7	Shoes, men's.....	3.7	.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	11.9	5.2	Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's (\$1,987,121): (Commodity coverage, 74.7 per cent)		
Used cars.....	4.5	1.2	Apparel and accessories—		
Battery shops (including repairs): (Commodity coverage, 48.5 per cent)			Women's, misses' and children's.....	20.9	29.9
Automotive parts and accessories (except batteries).....	57.8	29.2	Apparel, other, women's, misses', and children's.....	12.1	
Automobile service.....	21.5	21.5	Children's wear.....	8	
Batteries.....	47.2	47.2	Coats, suits and dresses, women's and misses'.....	16.5	
Gasoline.....	3.3	1.7	Millinery.....	.5	
Oils and greases.....	.8	.4	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	62.5	62.5
Tire shops (including tire repairs): (Commodity coverage, 76.5 per cent)			Furs and fur goods.....	11.0	7.6
Automobile service.....	7.6	6.9	Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops: (Commodity coverage, 83.2 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.3	2.6	Apparel, other (women's, misses', and children's).....	4.1	.5
Batteries.....	10.5	10.5	Children's wear.....	8.9	.1
Gasoline.....	21.8	4.8	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	83.0	82.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	7.1	.7	Furs and fur goods.....	3.0	.9
Oils and greases.....	4.0	1.3	Hosiery.....	10.7	4.1
Radio sets.....	11.2	7.7	Jewelry.....	2.0	.3
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	65.5	65.5	Millinery.....	19.2	9.9
Filling stations (gas and oil): (Commodity coverage, 38.4 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.0	1.5
Fuel oil.....	80.0	42.4	Furriers and fur shops: (Commodity coverage, 90.3 per cent)		
Gasoline.....	78.7	45.4	Coats, suits, dresses, women's and misses'.....	10.1	4.3
Oils and greases.....	21.1	12.2	Furs and fur goods.....	86.4	86.4
Filling stations with tires and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 23 per cent)			Service.....	14.2	9.3
Automobile service.....	2.1	2.1	Hosiery shops: (Commodity coverage, 35 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, and tubes).....	8.6	8.6	Hosiery.....	85.9	85.9
Gasoline.....	74.3	74.3	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	14.1	14.1
Oils and greases.....	8.6	8.6	Millinery: (Commodity coverage, 84.8 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	6.4	6.4	Hosiery.....	15.0	2.3
Filling stations with other merchandise: (Commodity coverage, 32.7 per cent)			Luggage.....	2.7	.2
Automobile service.....	1.4	.7	Millinery.....	97.5	97.5
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	2.9	1.6	Custom tailors: (Commodity coverage, 12.2 per cent)		
Batteries.....	12.0	12.0	Custom tailoring for men.....	98.5	98.5
Gasoline.....	60.8	60.8	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	.2	.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	7.5	4.2	Service.....	1.3	1.3
Oils and greases.....	7.2	7.2	Shoe stores, women's: (Commodity coverage, 68.8 per cent)		
Radio parts, accessories, and equipment.....	.6	.3	Hosiery.....	15.9	15.9
Radio sets.....	3.5	1.6	Jewelry.....	2.9	1.5
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	11.6	11.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.8	.8
Motor-cycle stores (only): (Commodity coverage, 78.9 per cent)			Rubber and other footwear.....	3.9	.7
Motor cycles and accessories.....	76.7	76.7	Service.....	.8	.5
Service.....	23.3	23.3	Shoes, women's.....	81.0	81.0

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APPAREL GROUP—Continued			RESTAURANTS AND EATING PLACES—Continued		
Shoe stores—men's, women's and children's (\$2,080,657): (Commodity coverage, 62.9 per cent)			Lunch rooms (\$1,304,053): (Commodity coverage, 12.5 per cent)		
Hosiery.....	8.3	4.1	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.9	2.9
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	.8	.1	Receipts from sale of meals.....	97.1	97.1
Men's and boys', hats and caps.....	4.0	.5	Restaurants with table service (\$2,140,604): (Commodity coverage, 65.2 per cent)		
Men's and boys' furnishings.....	19.8	2.3	Confectionery and nuts.....	5.4	.6
Rubber and other footwear.....	4.3	3.8	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.9	1.9
Shoes, men's.....	19.7	19.7	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	24.2	9.3
Shoes, misses' and children's.....	5.3	4.4	Ice cream.....	18.6	6.5
Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	2.1	1.4	Receipts from sale of meals.....	81.7	81.7
Shoes, women's.....	63.1	63.1	Fountains—lunches (\$385,328): (Commodity coverage, 45.7 per cent)		
Shoes, infants'.....	.9	.6	Confectionery and nuts.....	9.1	5.3
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.6	1.2
Furniture stores (\$4,960,988): (Commodity coverage, 88.5 per cent)			Fountain sales and ice cream.....	51.4	51.4
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	9.1	4.6	Receipts from sale of meals.....	42.1	42.1
Bedroom furniture.....	18.4	18.4	Lunch counters (\$800,804): (Commodity coverage, 10.4 per cent)		
Dining-room furniture.....	9.6	9.6	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	24.5	24.5
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	14.4	5.6	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	14.5	14.5
Dry goods, other.....	15.0	.9	Receipts from sale of meals.....	61.0	61.0
Electrical appliances and supplies.....	.6	.1	LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP		
Floor coverings.....	10.5	6.5	Lumber and building materials (\$3,535,626): (Commodity coverage, 90.1 per cent)		
Gas stoves and ranges.....	5.6	1.2	Coal.....	43.5	1.3
Home furnishings, other.....	8.4	1.5	Lumber (rough and finished).....	65.2	65.2
Household furniture, other.....	9.9	3.0	Building materials, other.....	20.3	12.1
Kitchen furniture.....	5.2	5.2	Planing mill products, woodwork.....	15.5	14.4
Living room, library, and hall furniture.....	30.9	30.0	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	40.0	7.0
Office and store furniture.....	10.5	2.2	Heating appliances and oil burners (\$445,986): (Commodity coverage, 64.1 per cent)		
Radios and equipment.....	6.3	3.0	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	84.3	84.3
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.0	.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	9.1	2.1
Services.....	2.7	.8	Service.....	17.2	13.6
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	40.0	2.4	Plumbing, heating, ventilating, including fixtures (\$1,241,708): (Commodity coverage, 86.1 per cent)		
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	8.0	3.7	Building materials.....	5.4	3.7
Wall paper.....	3.1	.2	Gas appliances and supplies.....	3.5	2.3
Floor covering stores (\$268,745): (Commodity coverage, 60.3 per cent)			Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	73.4	73.4
Floor coverings.....	95.8	95.8	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	30.4	20.6
Home furnishings, other.....	4.2	4.2	Paint and glass stores (\$1,290,040): (Commodity coverage, 88.7 per cent)		
Household appliances (electric) (\$740,940): (Commodity coverage, 95.1 per cent)			Glass.....	63.2	56.7
Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	24.5	15.1	Painters' supplies.....	4.2	2.1
Electrical household appliances (except refrigerators).....	56.1	55.1	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	50.2	29.6
Electrical household heating appliances (portable).....	11.1	6.8	Wall paper.....	40.7	11.0
Electrical appliances, other.....	.6	.4	OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Incandescent lamps.....	11.1	6.8	Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 93.4 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	6.1	1.1	Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc....	1.3	.1
Refrigerators, electric.....	23.7	14.0	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	33.8	33.8
Service.....	.2	.1	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	18.9	18.9
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, and enamelware (\$215,063): (Commodity coverage, 82.6 per cent)			Electrical appliances, other.....	.4	.1
China, glassware, and crockery.....	98.8	29.0	Electrical household appliances, portable.....	1.0	.1
Kitchen utensils.....	99.2	70.8	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	4.0	.7
Toys and games.....	30.0	.2	Fertilizers.....	.9	.2
Interior decorators (\$155,289): (Commodity coverage, 58.5 per cent)			Kitchen utensils.....	5.1	.7
Draperies, upholstery, cretonnes, and curtains.....	53.6	53.6	Hardware, other.....	27.3	27.3
Floor coverings.....	36.4	36.4	Paints, varnishes, and lacquers.....	2.8	2.3
Service.....	5.0	5.0	Radio sets.....	38.2	4.8
Radio and electrical shops (\$671,134): (Commodity coverage, 76.2 per cent)			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	3.4	1.7
Commercial and electrical construction material and supplies.....	15.5	10.0	Sporting goods.....	19.6	8.8
Electric lighting equipment.....	29.8	2.6	Toys and games.....	4.1	.5
Electrical household heating appliances (portable).....	.7	.5	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer) (\$164,455): (Commodity coverage, 47.9 per cent)		
Electrical motor-driven household appliances.....	.8	.6	Flour.....	12.2	12.2
Incandescent lamps.....	3.4	2.2	Grain and feed.....	41.2	41.2
Interior electrical construction materials.....	65.4	48.0	Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	14.7	14.7
Radio parts, accessories, and equipment.....	29.6	29.6	Sugar.....	31.9	31.9
Other electrical appliances.....	8.1	5.3	Seed, bulbs, and nursery stock: (Commodity coverage, 69.8 per cent)		
Service.....	8.7	1.2	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	.4	.4
Radios and musical instruments (\$716,208): (Commodity coverage, 84 per cent)			Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	.2	.2
Cameras.....	6.7	1.8	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	18.1	18.1
Musical instruments and accessories, other.....	6.8	5.0	Fertilizers.....	15.3	15.3
Phonographs and records.....	7.2	7.2	Hardware, other.....	.3	.3
Photographic supplies.....	.7	.2	Painters' supplies.....	.6	.6
Pianos, and accessories.....	41.9	41.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	65.1	65.1
Radios and equipment.....	36.0	36.0	Coal and feed: (Commodity coverage, 48.2 per cent)		
Services.....	1.8	1.1	Coal.....	76.2	76.2
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	8.9	3.7	Hay, grain, and feed.....	23.8	23.8
Stringed and band instruments.....	7.5	3.1	RESTAURANTS AND EATING PLACES		
Cafeterias (\$1,963,824): (Commodity coverage, 57.1 per cent)			Cafeterias (\$1,963,824): (Commodity coverage, 57.1 per cent)		
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	7.3	7.3	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	7.3	7.3
Receipts from sale of meals.....	92.7	92.7	Receipts from sale of meals.....	92.7	92.7

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TABLE 22.—HARTFORD—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
OTHER RETAIL STORES—(Continued)			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Books:			Office and store mechanical appliances, at retail (\$1,067,885):		
(Commodity coverage, 38.7 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 89.4 per cent)		
Books.....	78.3	78.3	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	38.1	23.5
Paper and paper goods.....	14.1	7.2	Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	67.3	.7
Stationery, other.....	16.5	14.5	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.2
Cigar stores without fountains (\$821,064):			Office and store equipment, other.....	57.7	44.4
(Commodity coverage, 29.7 per cent)			Stationery and stationery supplies.....	24.5	7.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	82.0	82.0	Secondhand goods.....	2.5	.2
Smokers' supplies.....	18.0	18.0	Service.....	0.2	7.2
Coal and wood yards (\$3,568,563):			Typewriters and accessories.....	30.8	15.3
(Commodity coverage, 87.5 per cent)			Office and store furniture and equipment (\$891,382):		
Coal.....	97.9	95.6	(Commodity coverage, 79.8 per cent)		
Fuel oil.....	2.7	.4	Office and store furniture.....	80.1	26.0
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	4.5	4.0	Office and store equipment.....	93.2	61.9
Drug stores with fountains (\$2,916,479):			Paper and paper goods.....	25.0	4.5
(Commodity coverage, 37.5 per cent)			Stationery and stationery supplies.....	26.8	6.6
Bottled beverages.....	8.2	3.5	Secondhand furniture.....	2.5	.1
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	19.8	14.2	Store fixture dealers:		
Confectionery and nuts.....	12.1	9.4	(Commodity coverage, 85.1 per cent)		
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	21.4	20.2	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	4.7	4.7
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	19.0	19.0	Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	3.8	3.8
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	25.4	21.3	Gas stoves and ranges.....	1.5	1.5
Rubber goods.....	1.7		Home furnishings, other.....	22.0	22.0
Stationery, school supplies, books, magazines, newspapers.....	.4		Office and store equipment.....	46.0	46.0
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	16.8		Secondhand furniture.....	22.0	22.0
Other sales.....	2.4		Opticians and optometrists (\$420,295):		
Prescriptions.....	7.5	7.5	(Commodity coverage, 70.7 per cent)		
Toilet articles and preparations.....	8.8	4.9	Cameras and photographic supplies.....	42.1	34.6
Jewelry stores (installment credit) (\$648,609):			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	.4	.1
(Commodity coverage 88.3 per cent)			Optical goods.....	63.5	63.5
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.7	1.3	Professional and scientific instruments and equipment.....	1.0	.2
Clocks.....	2.0	2.0	Stationery and stationery supplies.....	0.2	1.6
Diamond jewelry.....	40.7	40.7	Sporting goods, specialty stores:		
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	9.3	8.0	(Commodity coverage, 100 per cent)		
Jewelry, other.....	1.7	1.7	Radio sets.....	32.2	32.2
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	4.5	2.3	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	67.8	67.8
Paper and paper goods.....	.8	.4	Sporting goods, toys, and stationery:		
Plated silverware.....	4.4	3.8	(Commodity coverage, 48.7 per cent)		
Rings, other than diamond.....	3.4	3.4	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	30.0	30.0
Service.....	7.8	3.9	Batteries.....	5.0	5.0
Sterling silverware.....	13.9	12.0	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	40.0	40.0
Watches.....	26.5	20.5	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	15.0	15.0
Jewelry stores (\$1,179,406):			Toys and games.....	10.0	10.0
(Commodity coverage 68.3 per cent)			Toilet articles and preparations, including perfumes:		
Clocks.....	4.0	4.0	(Commodity coverage, 2.8 per cent)		
Diamond jewelry.....	14.1	14.1	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	39.9	39.1
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	19.2	19.2	Toilet preparations and cosmetics.....	60.1	60.0
Jewelry, other.....	2.7	1.3	Rubber goods stores:		
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	1.0	.6	(Commodity coverage, 73.1 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	8.3	4.3	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	15.0	16.0
Plated silverware.....	3.7	3.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	10.0	10.0
Rings, other than diamond.....	13.6	13.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	25.0	25.0
Service.....	10.4	7.4	Radio sets.....	15.0	15.0
Sterling silverware.....	17.7	17.7	Sporting goods.....	25.0	25.0
Watches.....	14.1	14.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	10.0	10.0
Luggage and leather goods stores (\$217,909):			Undertakers' funeral supplies (including some service) (\$511,926):		
(Commodity coverage, 27.6 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 67.5 per cent)		
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	39.6	39.6	Caskets and undertakers' supplies.....	53.5	53.5
Luggage.....	60.4	60.4	Undertaking.....	46.5	46.5
Office and school supplies:					
(Commodity coverage, 30.4 per cent)					
Office and store furniture.....	19.4	19.4			
Paper and paper goods.....	62.8	62.8			
Stationery and stationery supplies, other.....	17.8	17.8			

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TABLE 23.—NEW HAVEN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS (See Table 29 for commodity analysis)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
All groups.....	3,225	2,818	9,428	1,448	\$13,961,962	\$362,789	\$13,694,623	\$16,668,100	\$113,880,058	100.00
Food group.....	1,297	1,243	1,073	379	1,499,061	108,062	1,858,871	1,477,400	22,773,537	20.00
Candy and confectionery stores.....	207	215	112	38	118,082	8,940	260,252	161,980	1,763,388	1.55
Dairy-products stores (including ice cream).....	35	37	41	16	64,098	3,863	77,388	23,250	971,947	.85
Deliatessen stores.....	78	81	43	18	50,265	5,839	106,615	134,540	1,078,027	.95
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	39	47	16	9	19,676	3,160	43,137	12,500	378,952	.33
Grocery stores (without meats).....	516	424	239	149	345,741	43,608	567,134	506,260	6,808,109	5.98
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	278	201	467	97	658,090	25,568	541,601	501,300	8,591,328	7.54
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	110	111	117	50	190,051	16,731	216,623	67,800	2,775,243	2.44
Bakeries, bakery-goods stores.....	29	33	23	1	30,147	218	35,146	24,010	331,182	.29
Other food stores.....	7	4	15	1	16,311	126	11,075	5,590	75,361	.07
General merchandise group.....	189	131	1,512	171	1,543,151	39,751	1,652,293	2,202,260	11,661,240	10.24
Department stores.....	5	-----	1,030	37	1,038,801	9,030	926,470	1,096,800	6,473,937	5.69
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	97	101	147	31	204,347	7,728	262,216	733,730	2,111,083	1.76
General merchandise stores.....	15	15	7	8	14,627	3,582	38,463	82,800	230,709	.20
Variety, 5-and-10, to-a-dollar stores.....	22	15	328	95	285,476	18,511	425,144	288,840	2,845,511	2.60
Automotive group.....	359	273	1,450	61	2,354,890	20,749	2,191,631	2,183,620	20,347,795	17.87
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	44	25	767	4	1,360,750	1,710	1,291,743	1,601,780	14,131,225	12.40
Accessory stores with tires and battery shops.....	47	42	172	4	275,808	2,394	281,925	381,400	2,005,625	1.76
Filling stations.....	122	58	251	30	318,967	9,064	277,840	107,790	2,730,446	2.41
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies stores.....	7	7	5	1	7,532	300	8,605	15,830	44,317	.04
Garage, repair shops, gas, etc.....	137	140	252	22	385,163	7,291	330,012	63,420	1,408,482	1.24
Apparel group.....	498	367	1,396	372	2,267,416	78,881	2,635,450	3,846,310	17,950,910	15.76
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	80	64	250	42	487,203	9,219	632,264	1,277,400	4,308,533	3.78
Clothing stores, men's, women's, and children's.....	22	23	46	13	69,532	1,939	100,180	188,380	793,071	.70
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	62	45	420	63	613,262	12,839	641,105	520,520	4,780,552	4.20
Women's accessories stores.....	73	58	237	187	327,193	20,805	348,594	346,390	2,272,469	1.99
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	116	108	292	26	540,157	11,427	465,408	504,120	3,285,327	2.87
Shoe stores.....	85	59	145	51	260,059	11,052	447,689	809,500	2,530,067	2.22
Furniture and household group.....	152	116	801	37	1,598,794	10,183	1,419,087	1,894,910	8,234,236	7.23
Furniture stores.....	50	39	366	10	731,098	3,297	848,580	1,170,390	4,634,966	4.07
Floor coverings, drapery stores.....	10	9	42	2	66,450	1,096	45,528	183,670	370,715	.32
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	18	6	135	-----	279,604	-----	132,018	185,610	1,308,379	1.16
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	30	23	85	11	132,667	2,026	155,244	235,240	644,429	.57
Radio and music stores.....	44	39	123	14	183,075	3,764	237,708	220,000	1,275,747	1.12
Restaurants and eating places.....	222	220	1,128	67	1,213,911	15,464	942,294	134,780	5,831,295	5.12
Restaurants and cafeterias and lunch rooms.....	188	185	1,022	65	1,114,754	14,794	820,489	116,940	5,163,846	4.53
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	34	35	104	2	99,157	670	121,805	17,860	607,449	.59
Lumber and building group.....	63	33	470	46	965,640	12,743	474,239	952,660	5,662,700	4.97
Lumber and building material dealers.....	19	4	277	29	573,263	7,470	279,722	726,290	3,686,098	3.24
Electrical shops (without radio).....	6	2	24	4	45,026	1,693	15,351	12,930	183,121	.16
Heating and plumbing shops.....	19	7	141	10	301,031	2,960	121,815	117,110	1,344,320	1.18
Paint and glass stores.....	19	20	28	3	46,320	620	67,351	90,330	449,161	.39
Other retail stores.....	498	391	1,574	305	2,681,709	79,252	2,453,209	3,943,240	21,084,304	18.50
Hardware stores.....	36	30	102	8	182,823	3,262	133,892	466,910	1,259,039	1.11
Farmers' supply stores.....	13	6	80	1	161,616	120	73,385	153,290	1,721,600	1.51
Bookstores.....	12	7	100	29	126,815	5,519	105,676	283,900	939,473	.82
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	49	40	42	10	54,366	2,834	92,419	91,580	760,373	.67
Coal, wood, and ice dealers.....	27	21	304	59	559,614	24,351	551,605	351,400	5,921,388	5.20
Drug stores.....	100	95	251	71	350,898	10,055	342,519	599,060	2,994,526	2.63
Florists.....	31	23	73	50	110,465	7,746	113,821	51,090	602,001	.53
Gift shops, novelties and toys.....	17	16	15	7	13,624	1,081	31,371	53,020	168,237	.14
Jewelry stores.....	56	50	121	19	226,355	3,203	205,514	996,400	1,767,244	1.55
Luggage and leather-goods stores.....	5	3	9	4	15,402	276	20,724	59,590	134,174	.12
Music stores without radio.....	6	3	27	-----	74,626	-----	72,456	135,260	309,417	.27
News dealers.....	12	14	44	6	54,678	1,281	34,912	13,750	263,280	.22
Office, school, and store supplies dealers.....	31	14	144	10	278,557	3,497	164,281	212,500	1,475,864	1.30
Opticians and optometrists.....	14	12	53	5	132,546	1,150	89,861	89,300	555,287	.49
Sporting-goods stores.....	7	7	19	5	37,880	1,550	40,936	65,110	375,111	.33
Stationers and printers.....	7	4	11	4	17,138	875	21,831	33,820	63,940	.08
Miscellaneous classifications.....	69	47	170	17	281,406	3,447	302,006	260,290	1,742,450	1.53
Secondhand stores.....	57	54	26	10	42,890	2,704	67,349	132,910	354,032	.31

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TABLE 24.—NEW HAVEN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total full time and part time	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	3,225	2,818	9,428	1,448	\$18,961,962	\$362,789	\$13,894,623	\$16,668,100	\$113,880,068	100.00
Single-store independent.....	2,717	2,722	6,015	981	8,949,288	236,774	9,041,880	12,069,800	75,516,472	66.31
2-store independent.....	108	65	1,005	61	1,555,147	20,928	1,482,258	1,059,250	11,140,744	9.78
3-store independent.....	42	16	154	9	239,555	3,105	233,176	187,890	1,615,005	1.42
Local chain.....	81	9	364	29	538,919	10,724	390,234	332,690	4,920,316	4.32
Sectional chain.....	106	.....	535	137	849,086	42,438	826,586	546,480	6,788,828	5.92
National chain.....	117	.....	946	219	1,144,296	47,028	1,333,213	900,710	10,004,562	8.81
Mail order.....	4	3	7	3	7,262	330	9,611	15,890	71,709	.06
Direct selling.....	7	2	97	.....	105,513	.....	15,139	4,330	234,015	.21
Leased department chains.....	20	1	64	4	82,565	640	73,101	70,480	390,317	.33
Manufacturers-controlled chains.....	22	.....	235	5	472,443	922	280,604	528,070	2,614,553	2.30
Other types of operations.....	1	.....	6	.....	7,888	.....	8,821	40,510	41,839	.04

TABLE 25.—NEW HAVEN—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	2 and 3 store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	5	3	1			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$6,473,937	\$4,493,970	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	69.41	(x)			(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	22	16				6	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,845,511	\$97,076				\$2,748,435	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	3.41				96.50	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	80	62	7		5	3	3
Annual net sales.....	\$4,368,533	\$2,584,372	\$1,270,940		\$126,209	\$187,469	\$139,543
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.98	29.50		2.98	4.35	3.24
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	22	21	1				
Annual net sales.....	793,071	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							
Number of stores.....	62	50	5		2	4	1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,780,852	\$3,236,490	\$635,660		(x)	\$722,902	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	67.70	13.29		(x)	15.12	(x)
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	85	57	11		4	9	4
Annual net sales.....	\$2,530,967	\$1,349,104	\$455,523		\$253,180	\$399,604	\$73,401
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.31	18.00		10.00	15.79	2.90
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	50	47	2				1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,634,966	\$3,556,875	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.74	(x)			(x)	
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	44	41		1		2	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,275,747	\$1,159,413		(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.89		(x)	(x)		
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	516	397	4	31	41	43	
Annual net sales.....	\$6,808,109	\$2,468,086	\$56,152	\$813,381	\$1,067,153	\$1,803,332	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	36.25	.82	11.95	24.49	26.49	
Combination (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	278	253	5	5	1	14	
Annual net sales.....	\$8,591,328	\$6,143,373	(x)	\$183,678	(x)	\$1,755,995	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	71.50	(x)	2.13	(x)	20.43	
Restaurants and cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	188	174	11	2		1	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,163,846	\$4,350,231	\$534,876	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.24	10.36	(x)		(x)	
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	49	39	4			6	
Annual net sales.....	\$760,373	\$306,285	\$38,809			\$415,279	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	40.28	5.10			54.62	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	122	54	2	24	26	10	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,739,446	\$1,048,893	(x)	\$669,147	\$438,029	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.29	(x)	24.43	15.99	(x)	
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	27	26	1				
Annual net sales.....	\$5,921,388	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	106	101	3			2	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,994,526	\$2,339,074	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.11	(x)			(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	36	33	3				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,259,939	\$1,222,109	\$37,830				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.00	3.00				
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	56	54	2				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,767,244	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				

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TABLE 26.—NEW HAVEN—CREDIT BUSINESS—NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT

[Sales in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTALS		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	Over 80 per cent credit
Total number of stores.....	3,008		1,912	208	118	87	85	142	72	66	110	211
Total net sales.....	\$103,888	\$39,948	\$7,348	\$3,421	\$4,627	\$3,967	\$8,009	\$6,289	\$4,075	\$5,689	\$20,545	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.45	7.07	3.29	4.45	3.81	7.71	6.04	3.02	5.48	19.78	
Food group.....	1,263	\$22,171	\$13,739	\$1,805	\$483	\$564	\$470	\$1,093	\$577	\$1,631	\$1,145	\$664
Candy and confectionery.....	199	1,624	1,445	109	24	4	27	10	5			
Dairy products.....	34	943	418	126		181				112		106
Delicatessen stores.....	73	1,035	645	205	35	42	63	29		13	13	
Fruits and vegetables.....	37	868	270	55	25			9				
Grocery stores.....	508	6,742	5,814	255	66	98	79	219	92	86	37	46
Combination stores.....	273	8,570	3,712	654	306	109	248	619	402	1,133	886	501
Meat markets.....	103	2,453	1,090	401	27	130	61	169	58	337	209	11
Bakeries.....	29	331	273					38	20			
Other food stores.....	7	75	63					12				
General merchandise group.....	133	11,588	4,659	192	90	296	1,582	1,078	2,711		43	7
Department stores.....	5	6,474	654			260	1,320	1,555	2,679			
Dry goods stores.....	93	2,019	975	160	90	36	255	423	30		43	7
General merchandise stores.....	15	230	196	32					2			
Variety.....	20	2,835	2,834				1					
Automotive group.....	282	15,824	3,541	1,676	1,206	1,606	172	2,916	800	68	870	2,969
Motor vehicles.....	37	11,003	930	1,535	927	1,264		2,740	708			2,614
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	45	1,982	967	95	106	172	4	91			281	263
Filling stations.....	70	1,494	1,019		69	46	79	45	73	41	122	
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	6	34	11	3							20	
Garages, repair, gas, etc.....	122	1,293	557	40	104	124	89	40	21	27	169	62
Other automotive establishments.....	2	18	13									
Apparel group.....	416	17,396	6,009	2,105	599	1,107	871	396	959	670	915	3,765
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	78	4,271	1,614	1,120	334	2	168	85	377	147	82	344
Family clothing.....	21	683	186			10	68			135		281
Women's ready-to-wear.....	61	4,777	1,426	82	8	688		163	301	179	791	704
Women's accessories.....	68	2,180	770	139	6		260	20	171	143	35	630
Other apparel and furnishings.....	108	3,048	270	503	65	267	13	69	20	81	7	1,797
Shoe stores.....	80	2,437	1,731	270	186	140	19	69	32			
Furniture and household group.....	146	8,016	726	130	95	121	268	138	202	41	644	5,653
Furniture stores.....	49	4,550	271	86	7	100	2	94	23	22	134	3,811
Floor covering, draperies.....	9	339	84		12	16			165		23	39
Household appliances.....	17	1,298	139		20		148				28	963
Other home furnishings.....	28	565	173	44	12	5	46		14		109	162
Radio and music stores.....	43	1,264	59		44		70	44		19	350	678
Restaurants and eating places.....	199	4,792	4,332	195	33	5						
Restaurants and cafeterias.....	107	4,137	3,682	190	33	5		227				
Lunch counters, etc.....	32	655	650	5								
Lumber and building group.....	60	4,778	859	206	12	13		74	152		461	3,001
Lumber and building material.....	17	2,807	349									2,458
Electrical shops.....	6	183	87								23	93
Heating and plumbing.....	19	1,344	263	206	12	3		74	140		239	398
Paint and glass stores.....	18	444	180			10			3		190	52
Other retail stores.....	456	19,056	5,869	1,028	875	895	693	1,178	868	1,660	1,608	4,486
Hardware stores.....	34	1,240	285	7	121	212		242	297	82		
Farmers' supplies stores.....	12	1,580	988		16			156			198	222
Bookstores.....	12	940	49				260	8	183	25	373	42
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	47	712	691	11			1	2				7
Coal, wood, and ice.....	24	4,992	287	41	179	254		165	188	898	345	2,635
Drug stores.....	90	2,568	1,575	657	287	40						
Florist.....	29	597	79		9	63	59	100	7	98	177	10
Gifts, novelties, toys.....	17	158	66	62	9		21					
Jewelry stores.....	64	1,742	392	80	60	50	44	206	61	240	386	214
Luggage.....	5	134	53	8				73				
Musical instruments.....	6	309	79			183				31		16
News dealers.....	10	221	133	9				7				72
Office and school supplies.....	27	1,218	123						6	111	50	928
Opticians and optometrists.....	14	555	313		25			217				
Sporting goods.....	7	375	23	62	169		30		91			
Stationers and printers.....	7	94	44				3			47		
All other stores.....	61	1,615	689	89		84	175		35	124	79	340
Secondhand group.....	51	297	214	13	28	20	3	11		5	3	

NOTE.—219 stores whose sales aggregated \$9,992,058 failed to report as to their credit activities and therefore are not included in this table.

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TABLE 27.—NEW HAVEN—CREDIT BUSINESS BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment			For cash	On open account	On installment
Total	1,064	42.91	43.31	13.78	Furniture and household group	113	17.23	34.60	49.17
Food group	357	54.19	45.51		Furniture stores.....	41	14.63	30.80	55.51
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	18	84.92	15.05		Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3	1.25	98.75	
Eggs and poultry.....	5	58.05	41.95		Floor-coverings stores.....	4	49.00	51.00	
Delicatessen stores.....	26	79.71	20.29		Household appliances (electrical).....	8	12.79	29.70	57.51
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	8	88.26	11.74		Pictures and framing.....	4	73.94	26.06	
Grocery stores.....	117	64.79	35.21		Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	3	83.02	16.98	
Combination stores—groceries with meats.....	84	48.64			Radio and electrical shops.....	28	25.46	61.82	12.72
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	79	46.36	53.64		Radio and musical instruments.....	9	14.37	25.74	50.89
Fish markets—sea foods.....	3	45.14	54.86		Restaurants and eating places	18	86.82	13.18	
Meat markets.....	38	60.18	39.82		Lunch rooms.....	7	93.93	0.07	
Bakeries, bakery-goods stores.....	2	64.75	35.25		Restaurants with table service.....	0	96.73	3.27	
General merchandise group	34	54.93	41.57	3.50	Lumber and building group	35	15.52	81.61	2.87
Department stores.....	4	53.22	42.64	4.14	Lumber, hardware, and building materials.....	12	5.31	94.69	
Dry-goods stores.....	23	63.36	36.64		Electrical shops (without radio).....	4	12.01	87.99	
Automotive group	118	53.23	14.47	32.30	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	6	42.63	48.27	9.10
Motor-vehicle establishments.....	20	55.37	5.55	39.08	Plumbing, heating, ventilating, including fixtures.....	6	36.60	63.34	
Motor-vehicle establishments (used cars, including trucks).....	5	4.66	38.53	56.81	Paint and glass stores.....	0	23.12	76.88	
Accessories, tires and batteries.....	6	42.42	57.58		Other retail stores	196	37.55	56.89	5.56
Battery shops (including repairs).....	8	40.04	59.96		Hardware stores.....	11	53.41	46.59	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	11	44.03	55.97		Bookstores.....	7	38.64	56.90	4.46
Filling stations (gas and oil).....	9	46.98	53.02		Cigar stores.....	5	65.46	34.54	
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	8	59.09	40.91		Coal and wood yards.....	14	23.73	76.27	
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	18	65.88	34.12		Drug stores.....	3	96.12	3.88	
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories).....	31	48.12	51.88		Drug stores with fountains.....	29	92.49	7.51	
Apparel group	156	46.09	51.93	1.98	Florists, including seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	17	43.29	56.71	
Men's and boys' clothing.....	6	58.15	22.81	19.04	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	4	25.73	2.79	71.48
Men's furnishings.....	15	67.86	32.14		Jewelry stores.....	19	51.83	48.17	
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	17	68.05	31.95		News dealers.....	3	14.47	3.47	82.06
Clothing, men's, women's, and children's.....	12	22.46	47.71	29.83	Office and store mechanical appliances, at retail.....	8	3.74	88.39	7.87
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	36	41.88	57.38	.74	Office and store furniture and equipment.....	4	15.58	84.42	
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	3	48.16	51.84		Store fixtures.....	7	17.65	72.29	10.06
Furriers, fur shops.....	9	28.49	71.51		Opticians and optometrists.....	3	56.08	43.92	
Millinery.....	12	53.74	46.26		Sporting-goods specialty stores.....	3	52.64	47.36	
Children's specialty shops.....	3	75.38	24.62		Sporting goods, toys, and stationery.....	3	88.61	11.39	
Custom tailors.....	57	26.67	73.33		Undertakers' funeral supplies (includes some service).....	14	28.13	67.01	4.86
Shoe stores, men's, women's, and children's.....	17	82.52	17.48		Secondhand stores	9	71.83	28.17	

NOTE.—Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open-account sales may include some installment business of these smaller stores.

TABLE 28.—NEW HAVEN—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM SALES OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	9,028	\$4,665,305
Restaurants and eating places	8,558	4,548,534
Restaurants, cafeterias.....	8,065	4,113,903
Other stores in which meals are served	468	116,771
Candy and confectionery stores.....	224	60,159
Delicatessen stores.....	12	2,000
Grocery stores.....	26	19,720
Department stores.....	144	24,592
General stores.....	30	7,800
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	32	2,500

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts for repair service
Total	477	\$1,836,281
Automotive group	477	1,833,781
Automobiles, new and trade-in.....	244	783,373
Accessories, tire and battery stores.....	48	195,312
Filling stations.....	20	66,260
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies shops.....		375
Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	104	828,907
Radio and music stores.....	1	3,514
Paint and glass stores.....		1,020
Secondhand stores		2,500

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS, SERVICE, AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipt for other repairs and service	Receipts for storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Grand total	\$1,126,281	\$201,736
Automotive group	17,100	201,736
Automobiles, new and trade-in.....		63,097
Filling stations.....		2,940
Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	1,200	135,599
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies shops.....	10,700	
Other automotive establishments.....	5,200	
General merchandise group	17,985	
Department stores.....	17,985	
Apparel group	180,042	
Clothing and furnishings stores, men's and boys'.....	16,425	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	28,840	
Women's accessories stores.....	81,367	
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	42,465	
Shoe stores.....	20,955	
Furniture and household group	173,971	
Furniture stores.....	31,571	
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	38,127	
Household appliances stores.....	12,694	
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	46,477	
Radio and music stores.....	45,102	
Lumber and building group	287,904	
Electrical shops (without radio).....	79,053	
Heating and plumbing (including heating appliances).....		
Paint and glass stores.....	210,211	
Other retail stores	412,788	
Hardware stores.....	3,000	
Farmers' supplies stores.....	2,400	
Bookstores.....	6,264	
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	4,500	
Coal and wood yards, ice.....	43,422	
Gift shops, novelties, toys.....	1,490	
Jewelry stores.....	128,372	
Luggage, leather-goods stores.....	9,430	
Musical instruments and music stores.....	2,000	
News dealers.....	1,900	
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment stores.....		
Opticians and optometrists.....	55,225	
Stationers and printers.....	6,000	
Not otherwise specified.....	1,000	
Secondhand stores	18,500	

NOTE.—Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from the table but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 29.—NEW HAVEN—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain) (\$1,574,915): (Commodity coverage 6.8 per cent)			Department stores with food departments—Continued.		
Confectionery and nuts.....	50.3	50.3	Children's wear.....	1.5	1.0
Ice cream.....	21.1	21.1	China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.1	3.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	28.6	28.6	Cigar, cigarettes, tobacco, and smokers' supplies.....	.6	.6
Dairy products, butter, cheese, ice cream (\$297,369): (Commodity coverage 46.8 per cent)			Clocks.....	.1	.1
Butter and cheese.....	75.4	75.4	Clothing and furnishings, (men's and boys').....	9.2	9.2
Canned goods and other groceries.....	12.7	12.7	Furnishings.....	6.3	
Eggs.....	11.0	11.9	Overcoats.....	.5	
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage 8.3 per cent)			Suits.....	2.1	
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	70.0	70.0	Work clothing.....	.3	
Groceries.....	30.0	30.0	Coats, suits, and dresses, women's and misses'.....	10.1	10.1
Grocery stores (without meat departments): (Commodity coverage 3 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts.....	1.4	1.4
Bakery products, fresh.....	0.8	.4	Cotton piece goods.....	2.9	2.9
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.5	.6	Dining-room furniture.....	.4	.4
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	4.1	1.7	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	3.3	3.3
Groceries.....	87.5	87.5	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	.7	.5
Butter and cheese.....	10.0		Dry goods, other.....	2.4	2.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	45.9		Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	.7	.5
Eggs.....	.7		Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	1.0	2.0
Flour.....	.7		Electrical motor-driven household appliances.....	3.0	.1
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	22.0		Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	1.3	1.5
Sugar.....	8.2		Floor coverings.....	1.8	.2
Receipts from sale of meals.....	16.9	9.8	Flour.....	.1	.1
Combination stores, groceries with meats (\$4,553,431): (Commodity coverage 3.9 per cent)			Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.1	.3
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.1	2.1	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	.5	.1
Bottled beverages.....	1.1	1.1	Furs and fur goods.....	.1	.1
Butter and cheese.....	7.1	7.1	Home furnishings, other.....	2.4	2.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	37.0	37.0	Hosiery, women's and children's.....	3.6	2.4
Confectionery and nuts.....	.1	.1	Household furniture, other.....	.2	.2
Eggs.....	1.9	1.9	Incandescent lamps.....	.1	.1
Flour.....	.8	.8	Infants' wear.....	3.1	3.1
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	.4	.2	Jewelry, other.....	.7	.4
Meats, including poultry.....	36.2	36.2	Kitchen furniture.....	.6	.6
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	10.0	10.0	Kitchen utensils.....	2.2	2.2
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	.8	.8	Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	1.3	.9
Milk and cream (fluid).....	.7	.7	Linen goods.....	2.1	2.1
Sugar.....	2.0	2.0	Living room, library, and hall furniture.....	1.6	1.6
Combination stores, meat markets with groceries (\$4,037,897): (Commodity coverage 44.1 per cent)			Luggage.....	.5	.5
Bakery products, fresh.....	5.6	5.3	Millinery.....	2.7	2.7
Bottled beverages.....	1.1	.7	Notions and other small wares.....	4.0	4.0
Butter and cheese.....	5.7	5.7	Optical goods.....	.5	.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	9.6	9.6	Plated silverware.....	.8	.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.3	.2	Prescriptions.....	.2	.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	.3	Radio sets.....	1.9	1.3
Delicatessen and ready-to-serve foods.....	2.5	.3	Rayon piece goods.....	.9	.9
Eggs.....	4.7	4.7	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.9	1.3
Flour.....	2.4	2.4	Rings, other than diamond rings.....	.2	.1
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.1	2.5	Rubber and other footwear.....	.5	.3
Meats, including poultry.....	38.2	28.2	Rubber goods.....	1	.1
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	21.4	21.4	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	1.1	.1
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.0	2.0	Service.....	1.4	1.0
Milk and cream (fluid).....	4.1	1.7	Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	.4	.2
Other nonfood products.....	14.1	.9	Shoes, infants'.....	.1	.1
Sugar.....	3.2	3.2	Shoes, misses' and children's.....	.3	.2
Meat markets (\$2,356,296): (Commodity coverage 35.3 per cent)			Shoes, women's.....	2.5	1.7
Butter and cheese.....	2.4	1.7	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	2.7	2.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	1.2	.6	Sugar.....	.3	.3
Eggs.....	1.7	1.0	Toilet articles.....	.4	.4
Meats, including poultry.....	96.1	96.1	Toilet preparations and cosmetics.....	2.4	2.4
Fruits and vegetables, fresh.....	1.7	.2	Toys and games.....	1.4	1.4
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	.7	.2	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.3	8.3
Sugar.....	.8	.2	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.3	.3
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			Department stores without food departments (\$4,493,976): (Commodity coverage 40.4 per cent)		
Department stores with food departments (\$1,979,961): (Commodity coverage 100.0 per cent)			Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's.....	7.2	7.2
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.1	.7	China, glassware and crockery.....	2.7	2.7
Apparel, other women's, misses', children's.....	4.7	3.1	Clothing and furnishings, (men's and boys').....	12.1	12.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.4	1.6	Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	8.4	8.4
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	.4	.4	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.2	5.2
Bedroom furniture.....	.9	.9	Drugs and drug sundries.....	2.2	1.9
Bottled beverages.....	.3	.2	Furs and fur goods.....	.4	.4
Butter and cheese.....	.4	.4	Home furnishings, other.....	10.4	10.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	4.7	4.7	Hosiery.....	7.2	7.2
Department stores without food departments (\$4,493,976): (Commodity coverage 40.4 per cent)			Household furniture, other.....	2.3	.3
Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's.....	7.2	7.2	Infants' wear.....	4.6	4.6
China, glassware and crockery.....	2.7	2.7	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	1.4	1.4
Clothing and furnishings, (men's and boys').....	12.1	12.1	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	3.6	3.6
Coats, suits and dresses—women's and misses'.....	8.4	8.4	Kitchen utensils.....		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.2	5.2	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	3.9	.6
Drugs and drug sundries.....	2.2	1.9	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	2.1	.3
Furs and fur goods.....	.4	.4	Notions and other small wares.....	6.1	6.1
Home furnishings, other.....	10.4	10.4	Piece goods.....	9.1	7.7
Hosiery.....	7.2	7.2	Shoes, women's.....	3.3	2.8
Household furniture, other.....	2.3	.3	Stationery, books and magazines.....	.6	.5
Infants' wear.....	4.6	4.6	Toys and games.....	1.2	.2
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	1.4	1.4	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	16.4	16.4
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	3.6	3.6			
Kitchen utensils.....					
Leather goods, bill folds, purses, (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	3.9	.6			
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	2.1	.3			
Notions and other small wares.....	6.1	6.1			
Piece goods.....	9.1	7.7			
Shoes, women's.....	3.3	2.8			
Stationery, books and magazines.....	.6	.5			
Toys and games.....	1.2	.2			
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	16.4	16.4			

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State (or city, as the case may be). Commodities reported in the form of *indented items*, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales were reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification.

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TABLE 29.—NEW HAVEN—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued		
Dry-goods stores (\$1,796,303): (Commodity coverage, 33.4 per cent)			Tire shops (including tire repairs) (\$1,153,011): (Commodity coverage, 74.4 per cent)		
China, glassware, and crockery	8.4	2.2	Automobile service	4.7	4.2
Coats, suits, and dresses, women's and misses'	21.9	16.2	Automotive parts and accessories	8.6	5.0
Dry goods, other	52.2	38.5	Batteries	1.0	.5
Miscellaneous merchandise	8.4	2.2	Gasoline	24.2	12.3
Notions and other small wares	3.3	2.4	Oils and greases	2.6	1.3
Piece goods	38.5	38.5	Radio parts and accessories	15.6	2.3
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: (Commodity coverage, 51.2 per cent)			Radio sets		
Antiques, art goods, gifts	1.4	.4	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	68.9	68.9
Apparel, other—women's, misses', children's	7.3	3.7	Filling stations (gas and oil) (\$1,718,781): (Commodity coverage 40.6 per cent)		
Bakery products, fresh	.4	.1	Automobile service	11.5	5.8
Batteries	1.1	.3	Gasoline	79.3	79.3
Books	3.5	.9	Oils and greases	14.7	14.7
Builders' and shelf hardware	2.6	.6	Miscellaneous merchandise (including confectionery, soft drinks, cigars, etc.)	.4	.2
China, glassware, and crockery	5.7	1.4	Filling stations with tires and accessories) (\$484,622): (Commodity coverage, 20.9 per cent)		
Confectionery and nuts	2.2	.5	Automobile service	1.3	1.3
Dry goods, other	2.1	2.1	Automotive parts and accessories	5.5	8.9
Electrical appliances and supplies, other	.5	.4	Batteries	.6	.6
Flowers, wreaths, etc.	23.4	17.2	Gasoline	75.5	75.5
Fountain sales and ice cream	2.7	.6	Oils and greases	2.4	2.4
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	6.9	5.0	Radio sets	5.2	3.7
Hardware, other	3.9	1.9	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	12.6	12.6
Home furnishings, other	9.0	4.5	Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories) (\$1,050,928): (Commodity coverage, 21.5 per cent)		
Hosiery	4.7	2.3	Automobile service	50.8	50.8
Infants' wear	2.7	2.7	Automobile storage	28.6	23.7
Interior electrical construction materials	3.4	3.4	Automotive parts and accessories	4.1	3.4
Jewelry	3.7	2.8	Batteries	4.4	.6
Kitchen utensils	3.4	1.7	Gasoline	18.6	14.0
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags)	8.3	4.2	Oils and greases	4.4	4.4
Men's and boys' furnishings	3.2	.8	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	5.7	2.2
Milinery	6.7	6.7	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots (\$119,919): (Commodity coverage, 82 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise	6.1	6.1	Automobile storage	74.4	74.4
Notions and other small wares	.4	.1	Gasoline	20.5	20.5
Optical goods	2.5	1.9	Oils and greases	4.1	4.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers	6.0	4.4	Tires, tubes and tire accessories	3.1	1.0
Paper and paper goods	2.4	2.4	APPAREL GROUP		
Phonographs and records	2.3	1.2	Men's and boys' clothing (\$937,341): (Commodity coverage, 62.3 per cent)		
Piece goods	4.5	1.2	Overcoats	26.6	26.6
Radio parts and accessories	3.7	3.7	Suits	73.4	73.4
Shoes and other footwear	1.7	.5	Hats and caps (men's and boys') (\$182,269): (Commodity coverage, 65.2 per cent)		
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment	2.5	1.0	Furnishings	22.0	22.0
Toilet articles	3.2	3.2	Hats and caps	78.0	78.0
Toilet preparations and cosmetics	4.4	4.4	Men's furnishings stores (\$708,114): (Commodity coverage, 28 per cent)		
Toys and games	9.3	4.7	Luggage	2.6	1.9
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.			Furnishings	88.4	88.4
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP			Hats and caps	10.2	9.3
Motor-vehicle establishments (\$13,812,328): (Commodity coverage, 100 per cent)			Novelties	1.0	.4
Automobile service	5.8	5.8	Men's clothing and furnishings stores (\$2,480,609): (Commodity coverage, 91.2 per cent)		
Automobile storage	.5	.5	Custom tailoring	6.9	2.8
Automotive parts and accessories	9.3	8.8	Furnishings	29.9	29.9
Batteries	1.8	.2	Hats and caps	8.1	6.9
Commercial cars and trucks, new	15.8	7.5	Overcoats	22.7	22.7
Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers	11.7	2.2	Suits	34.5	34.5
Gasoline	2.4	.8	Other clothing	6.8	.3
Miscellaneous merchandise	4.2	.3	Shoes and other footwear	7.3	2.3
Oils and greases	.6	.3	Work clothing	1.5	.6
Parts and accessories sold to dealers	2.8	.6	Clothing, men's, women's, and children's (\$793,071): (Commodity coverage, 45.4 per cent)		
Passenger automobiles, new	53.3	47.5	Apparel, other, women's, misses', children's	27.3	9.7
Passenger automobiles, new, sold to dealers	16.4	7.5	Children's wear	4.4	5.5
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	1.0	.3	Coats, suits, and dresses—women's and misses'	38.5	38.5
Used passenger cars	14.4	11.7	Hosiery, women's and children's	9.1	3.2
Used passenger cars sold to dealers	13.7	.8	Men's and boys' furnishings	13.1	10.5
Used commercial cars and trucks	10.4	4.9	Men's and boys' hats and caps	.9	.4
Used commercial cars and trucks sold to dealers	9.9	.3	Men's and boys' overcoats	10.5	10.7
Motor-vehicles (used cars—including trucks) (\$318,897): (Commodity coverage, 35.8 per cent)			Men's and boys' suits	24.0	15.6
Automotive parts and accessories	1.8	1.8	Notions and other small wares	4.5	3.2
Used cars	98.2	98.2	Men's clothing, other	9.1	3.2
Accessories, tires, and batteries (\$632,991): (Commodity coverage, 70.7 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.	9.1	3.7
Automobile service	11.7	3.9			
Automotive parts and accessories	47.4	47.4			
Batteries	8.9	4.9			
Gasoline	6.7	3.7			
Oils and greases	3.6	1.2			
Parts and accessories sold to dealers	23.9	18.3			
Tires and tubes sold to dealers	4.3	.9			
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	43.0	19.7			
Battery shops (including repairs) (\$219,529): (Commodity coverage, 47.1 per cent)					
Automobile service	21.6	21.6			
Automotive parts and accessories	7.2	7.2			
Batteries	71.2	71.2			

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COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
APPAREL GROUP—Continued			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued		
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops (\$4,780,552): (Commodity coverage, 80.2 per cent)			Household appliances (other than electrical) (\$384,454): (Commodity coverage, 84 per cent)		
Apparel, other.....	6.7	2.5	Gas appliances, other (except refrigerators).....	38.8	32.8
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.3	.4	Gas stoves and ranges.....	42.5	42.5
Children's wear.....	4.0	1.5	Gas water heaters.....	22.4	22.4
Coats, suits, and dresses, women's and misses'.....	80.8	80.8	Refrigerators, gas.....	15.0	2.8
Furs and fur goods.....	14.0	4.7	China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware (\$124,392): (Commodity coverage, 81.5 per cent)		
Hosiery, women's and children's.....	5.8	2.3	Home furnishings.....	98.7	98.7
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	3.1	.6	China, glassware, and crockery.....	70.1	
Millinery.....	8.1	3.6	Kitchen utensils.....	28.6	
Service.....	4.4	.7	Toys and games.....	30.0	1.3
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	6.2	2.9	Refrigerators—electric: (Commodity coverage, 78.4 per cent)		
Corsets and lingerie shops (\$194,210): (Commodity coverage, 25.8 per cent)			Heating and plumbing equipment.....	31.4	19.9
Apparel, other.....	25.0	25.0	Refrigerators, electric.....	78.0	78.0
Coats, suits, and dresses—women's and misses'.....	10.0	10.0	Service.....	3.3	2.1
Hosiery.....	5.0	5.0	Interior decorators: (Commodity coverage, 87.8 per cent)		
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	60.0	60.0	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	4.7	3.4
Furriers—fur shops (\$936,647): (Commodity coverage, 53.3 per cent)			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	35.3	35.3
Furs and fur goods.....	87.0	87.0	Electric lighting equipment.....	6.6	4.8
Service.....	13.6	13.6	Floor coverings.....	4.1	4.1
Millinery (\$744,440): (Commodity coverage, 42.8 per cent)			Home furnishings, other.....	2.9	2.1
Hosiery.....	12.0	3.5	Household furniture.....	20.3	20.3
Millinery.....	66.5	96.5	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	6.3	4.6
Custom tailors (\$3,053,676): (Commodity coverage, 69 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	4.9	2.4
Custom tailoring for men.....	92.0	92.0	Painters' supplies.....	9.7	7.0
Men's and boys' furnishings.....	11.1	5.2	Wall paper.....	7.0	7.0
Men's and boys' hats and caps.....	4.5	.2	Radio and electrical shops (\$703,507): (Commodity coverage, 22.7 per cent)		
Men's and boys' overcoats.....	31.4	.5	Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	4.0	1.4
Men's and boys' suits.....	16.6	1.1	Electric lighting equipment.....	33.0	11.5
Other men's clothing.....	1.0	.1	Electrical household heating appliances—portable.....	9.8	3.4
Shoe stores—women's (\$321,041): (Commodity coverage, 70.4 per cent)			Electrical motor-driven household appliances (except refrigerators).....	5.1	1.7
Hosiery.....	24.2	24.2	Incandescent lamps.....	6.4	2.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.6	1.1	Interior electrical construction materials.....	20.8	7.1
Rubber and other footwear.....	1.4	.9	Radio parts and accessories.....	2.5	2.5
Service.....	.2	.1	Radio sets.....	49.8	49.8
Shoes.....	73.7	73.7	Refrigerators, electric.....	21.0	13.8
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's (\$1,822,616): (Commodity coverage, 36.5 per cent)			Service.....	0.6	6.6
Hosiery.....	14.2	2.4	Radios and musical instruments (\$372,240): (Commodity coverage, 75 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.8	.1	Musical instruments and accessories, other.....	3.3	3.2
Notions and other small wares.....	2.0	.2	Phonographs and records.....	15.1	15.0
Men's furnishings.....	2.8	.2	Pianos and accessories.....	42.1	41.4
Rubber and other footwear.....	13.8	9.4	Radio parts and accessories.....	3.5	3.5
Service.....	1.9	.1	Radio sets.....	26.3	26.3
Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	3.4	2.0	Service.....	4.2	3.3
Shoes, infants'.....	1.9	.7	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	6.2	6.1
Shoes, men's.....	15.9	15.9	Stringed and band instruments.....	2.3	1.2
Shoes, misses' and children's.....	14.2	11.0	RESTAURANTS AND EATING PLACES		
Shoes, women's.....	58.0	58.0	Cafeterias (\$962,374): (Commodity coverage, 43 per cent)		
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.0	1.0
Furniture stores (\$4,627,186): (Commodity coverage, 74 per cent)			Receipts from sale of meals.....	99.0	99.0
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	8.0	3.8	Restaurants with table service (\$3,028,166): (Commodity coverage, 61.3 per cent)		
Bedroom furniture.....	19.5	19.5	Bakery products, fresh.....	2.4	.4
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.2	.1	Bottled beverages.....	1.5	.2
Dining room furniture.....	13.3	13.3	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.5	3.7
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	10.4	.4	Canned goods and other groceries.....	5.9	.5
Electric lighting equipment.....	1.2	.2	Confectionery and nuts.....	9.8	3.3
Floor coverings.....	11.9	6.1	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	17.1	4.1
Gas stoves and ranges.....	6.0	1.4	Receipts from sale of meals.....	87.8	87.8
Home furnishings, other.....	10.7	1.7	Lunch counters (\$1,184,806): (Commodity coverage, 50.3 per cent)		
Household furniture, other.....	21.3	10.9	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	15.3	15.3
Kitchen furniture.....	5.9	5.7	Confectionery and nuts.....	2.4	.8
Living room, library, and hall furniture.....	26.2	20.2	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	7.0	4.6
Radio sets.....	12.7	1.5	Receipts from sale of meals.....	70.3	70.3
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	1.8	.4	LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP		
Secondhand merchandise.....	3.0	.9	Lumber and building materials (\$3,375,482): (Commodity coverage, 83.9 per cent)		
Service.....	11.8	.3	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	.2	.1
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	7.0	2.6	Building materials, other.....	3.2	2.1
Floor coverings stores (\$331,553): (Commodity coverage, 27 per cent)			Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	4.9	2.9
Floor coverings.....	85.0	85.0	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	.2	.1
Service.....	15.0	15.0	Cement.....	1.0	.8
Household appliances (electrical) (\$521,707): (Commodity coverage, 44.4 per cent)			Coal.....	16.8	4.5
China, glassware, and crockery.....	12.0	6.3	Iron and other metal materials for building.....	9.9	5.5
Electric lighting equipment.....	60.0	31.5	Lime, plaster, etc.....	.5	.4
Electrical appliances and supplies, other.....	10.0	5.3	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	54.7	54.7
Electrical motor-driven household appliances.....	99.8	47.5	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.0	.6
Kitchen utensils.....	8.8	4.6	Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	24.0	21.4
Plated silverware.....	9.2	4.8	Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	4.0	3.4
			Wall boards (except those with wood base).....	2.1	1.3
			Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	1.4	.4
			Wood shingles and shakes.....	2.1	1.8

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LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Lumber and hardware: (Commodity coverage, 85.8 per cent)			Bookstores: (Commodity coverage, 53.5 per cent)		
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.	0.5	0.5	Antiques, art goods, gifts	11.4	6.8
Cement	.3	.3	Books	72.6	72.5
Hardware	1.3	1.3	Paper and paper goods	6.8	2.7
Iron and other metal materials for building	.5	.5	Phonographs and records	5.4	2.8
Lumber (rough and dressed)	80.4	80.4	Radio sets	0.2	4.8
Planing-mill products, woodwork	10.0	10.0	Stationery and stationery supplies	1.0	.4
Roofing materials (except wood shingles)	3.0	3.0	Typewriters and accessories	19.4	10.0
Wall boards (except those with wood base)	2.0	2.0	Cigar stores without fountains (\$658,454): (Commodity coverage, 43.2 per cent)		
Wood shingles	2.0	2.0	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	85.2	85.2
Electrical shops (without radio) (\$183,121): (Commodity coverage, 30 per cent)			Smokers' supplies	14.8	14.8
Electrical appliances and supplies, other	.2	.2	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers (\$5,913,470): (Commodity coverage, 96.8 per cent)		
Electrical household heating appliances—portable	.2	.2	Coal	94.7	94.7
Electric lighting equipment	6.8	6.8	Ice	27.2	.4
Incandescent lamps	.9	.9	Service	52.9	.8
Interior electrical construction materials	18.0	18.0	Wood, coke, and other fuels	4.5	4.1
Service	73.0	73.9	Drug stores without fountains (\$431,377): (Commodity coverage, 12.2 per cent)		
Heating appliances and oil burners (\$353,608): (Commodity coverage, 54 per cent)			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	4.8	4.8
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	85.6	85.6	Confectionery and nuts	1.4	1.4
Service	14.4	14.4	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.	30.7	30.7
Plumbing, heating, ventilating, including fixtures (\$990,712): (Commodity coverage, 88.1 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise	(X) 31.3	31.3
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.	37.5	4.1	Prescriptions	2.7	2.7
Gas appliances, other	2.1	.3	Rubber goods	.7	.7
Gas water heaters	1.4	.2	Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.	2.7	1.7
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	71.9	71.9	Surgical and hospital supplies	7.9	7.3
Home furnishings	.3	.1	Toilet articles	17.7	17.7
Iron and other metal materials for building	6.9	1.2	Drug stores with fountains (\$2,563,191): (Commodity coverage, 19.7 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise	12.5	1.4	Bottled beverages	1.8	.8
Service	33.3	17.4	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	7.9	7.8
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)	9.7	3.4	Confectionery and nuts	4.2	3.6
Paint and glass stores (\$449,161): (Commodity coverage, 55.6 per cent)			Drugs, patent medicines, etc.	29.6	29.6
Painters' supplies	23.8	14.8	Fountain sales and ice cream	22.1	22.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers	74.3	50.1	Miscellaneous sales	(X) 23.3	4.4
Wall paper	31.6	26.1	Prescriptions	1.2	.8
OTHER RETAIL STORES			Rubber goods	.9	.6
Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 64.3 per cent)			Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.	2.7	2.0
Builders' and shelf hardware	26.8	26.8	Surgical and hospital supplies	3.7	3.3
Building materials	3.1	.3	Toilet preparations, cosmetics	2.9	1.7
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools	8.9	8.9	Toilet articles	2.9	1.7
China, glassware, and crockery	2.1	.2	Florists: (Commodity coverage, 26 per cent)		
Electrical household heating appliances—portable	2.2	.2	Flowers, wreaths, etc.	83.4	83.4
Farm and garden equipment and supplies	13.7	7.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	16.6	10.6
Fertilizers	4.9	.5	Jewelry stores (installment credit) (\$845,471): (Commodity coverage, 90.6 per cent)		
Gasoline	1.5	.2	Clocks	4.1	4.1
Glass	2.2	.8	Diamond jewelry	36.8	36.8
Hardware, other	20.3	22.1	Electrical household heating appliances—portables	1.1	.3
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	2.2	.2	Gold and gold-filled jewelry	9.6	9.6
Incandescent lamps	1.4	.7	Jewelry, other	5.4	5.5
Interior electrical construction materials	1.0	.1	Plated silverware	5.5	5.5
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks	.3	.1	Rings, other than diamond rings	8.3	8.3
Kitchen utensils	14.2	6.3	Service	4.8	3.4
Leather goods, bill folds, purses	1.1	.1	Sterling silverware	4.0	4.6
Machinery	6.7	2.5	Toilet articles	1.1	.3
Miscellaneous merchandise	10.7	3.8	Watches	23.2	23.2
Oils and greases	.6	.1	Jewelry stores (\$1,121,773): (Commodity coverage, 32.7 per cent)		
Painters' supplies	4.2	1.5	Antiques, art goods, gifts	15.7	15.7
Paints, varnishes, and lacquers	8.3	8.3	Clocks	1.3	1.3
Radios and equipment	1.0	.1	Diamond jewelry	7.2	7.2
Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock	2.5	1.1	Gold and gold-filled jewelry	0.4	6.4
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment	16.5	4.4	Other jewelry	47.9	47.9
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)	.6	.1	Plated silverware	2.1	2.1
Toys and games	4.0	.4	Service	7.6	7.6
Wire fencing, gates, and posts	9.0	2.6	Sterling silverware	6.6	6.6
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer) (\$1,376,789): (Commodity coverage, 100 per cent)			Watches	5.2	5.2
Grain and feed	69.5	69.5	Luggage and leather goods stores (\$134,174): (Commodity coverage, 54.2 per cent)		
Hay, straw, and alfalfa	30.5	30.5	Home furnishings	4.1	4.1
Farmers' supplies: (Commodity coverage 69.8 per cent)			Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags)	57.6	57.1
Farm machinery	49.3	49.3	Luggage	28.1	28.1
Other farm and garden equipment and supplies	49.3	49.3	Service	10.2	10.2
Service	1.4	1.4	Office and school supplies: (Commodity coverage, 32.6 per cent)		
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock (\$156,831): (Commodity coverage, 79.2 per cent)			Office and store furniture	39.5	39.5
Farm and garden equipment and supplies	5.0	5.0	Stationery and stationery supplies, other	66.5	35.9
Fertilizers	15.0	15.0	Stationery, books, and periodicals, etc.	53.5	24.6
Hay, grain, and feed	15.0	15.0			
Miscellaneous merchandise	15.3	15.3			
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	49.3	49.3			
Service	.4	.4			

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TABLE 29.—NEW HAVEN—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Office and store mechanical appliances (\$580,728): (Commodity coverage, 68.6 per cent)			Opticians and optometrists—Continued.		
Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	34.8	28.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	2.0	0.9
Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.7	Optical goods.....	46.7	46.7
Other office and store equipment.....	50.3	43.6	Stationery and stationery supplies.....	22.6	10.5
Service.....	7.5	6.5	Sporting goods, toys, and stationery (\$254,084): (Commodity coverage, 91 per cent)		
Stationery and stationery supplies.....	24.5	10.5	Automotive parts and accessories.....	27.7	27.7
Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	9.0	Batteries.....	7.3	7.3
Office and store furniture and equipment (\$292,684): (Commodity coverage, 65.3 per cent)			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	40.0	40.0
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	10.0	4.7	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	15.0	15.0
Books.....	5.0	2.3	Toys and games.....	10.0	10.0
China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.0	2.4	Cameras and photographic supplies (\$83,189): (Commodity coverage, 40.7 per cent)		
Clocks.....	2.0	1.0	Photo-finishing sales.....	95.1	95.1
Lighting equipment.....	5.0	2.4	Photographic supplies.....	4.9	4.9
Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	3.0	1.4	Toiletries and preparations, including perfumes (\$104,080): (Commodity coverage, 3.2 per cent)		
Office and store equipment.....	38.6	38.6	Drugs and patent medicines.....	19.0	19.0
Office and store furniture.....	38.6	24.9	Toilet preparations and cosmetics.....	81.0	81.0
Stationery and stationery supplies.....	19.3	14.3	Rubber goods stores (\$252,059): (Commodity coverage, 87.3 per cent)		
Paper and paper goods.....	5.0	2.3	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	31.4	31.4
Secondhand furniture.....	5.0	2.3	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	24.1	24.1
Service.....	4.3	1.1	Shoes and other footwear.....	30.9	30.9
Toys and games.....	5.0	2.3	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	20.0	13.6
Store fixture dealers (\$195,250): (Commodity coverage, 14.8 per cent)			Undertakers' funeral supplies (including some service) (\$703,258): (Commodity coverage, 69.5 per cent)		
Commercial and industrial electrical appliances.....	5.7	5.7	Caskets and undertakers' supplies.....	97.6	97.6
Electric ranges, water heaters, etc.....	4.6	4.6	Undertaking.....	17.8	2.4
Gas stoves and ranges.....	1.9	1.9			
Kitchen furniture.....	10.6	10.6			
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	5.3	5.3			
Office and store equipment.....	71.9	71.9			
Opticians and optometrists (\$555,287): (Commodity coverage, 73.4 per cent)					
Cameras and photographic supplies.....	41.9	41.9			
Cameras.....	14.8				
Photo-finishing sales.....	15.5				
Photographic supplies.....	11.6				

TABLE 30.—BRIDGEPORT—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
All groups.....	2,181	1,889	6,501	1,218	\$9,532,781	\$384,541	\$9,109,153	\$10,020,030	\$79,410,248	100.00
Food group.....	1,012	931	1,028	392	1,421,194	106,104	1,533,010	1,090,280	20,103,101	25.32
Candy and confectionery stores.....	112	125	93	32	95,314	8,738	165,321	84,170	1,118,070	1.41
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	14	7	59	13	122,673	1,530	57,518	12,010	780,090	.98
Delicatessen stores.....	46	47	18	7	27,106	2,176	53,900	51,880	608,313	.77
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	41	48	25	9	30,400	2,060	51,413	19,410	520,878	.66
Grocery stores (without meats).....	447	339	355	91	384,001	19,788	489,481	507,740	7,074,362	8.91
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	226	238	335	194	569,189	56,948	516,685	354,770	7,598,500	9.57
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	89	93	32	35	109,140	9,830	136,722	38,900	1,940,198	2.45
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	30	30	32	11	47,772	5,034	36,245	10,900	303,807	.38
Other food stores.....	7	4	27		85,609		25,725	10,500	151,883	.19
General merchandise group.....	89	79	1,615	255	1,868,465	89,688	1,871,778	1,967,100	12,879,327	16.22
Department stores.....	6		1,260	90	1,613,612	57,807	1,310,118	1,160,870	9,157,953	11.53
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	54	56	40	13	56,253	4,077	104,411	369,870	810,769	1.02
General merchandise stores.....	13	15	15	7	16,570	1,512	26,262	94,050	2,676,971	3.30
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	16	8	300	136	282,030	26,292	424,987	342,310	2,633,634	3.37
Automotive group.....	220	115	981	87	1,761,599	33,459	1,439,946	1,299,500	15,563,818	19.59
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	36	13	579	13	1,130,690	13,668	987,135	895,430	11,493,848	14.48
Accessory stores (with tires and batteries).....	42	28	104	8	172,340	2,544	137,745	271,040	1,330,408	1.69
Filling stations.....	101	29	179	32	306,065	15,932	219,714	83,270	2,094,585	2.64
Motor cycles, bicycles and supply stores.....	4	4	2		2,504		4,293	10,130	42,833	.05
Garages and repair shops (gasoline, oil, and accessories).....	37	41	97	4	149,940	1,285	90,056	39,030	583,144	.73
Apparel group.....	227	184	708	223	1,018,506	52,055	1,358,092	1,640,080	8,228,732	10.36
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	50	30	116	47	230,203	8,400	332,466	580,530	2,017,556	2.54
Clothing stores, men, women, and children.....	14	14	201	65	246,443	16,860	340,003	280,290	1,831,878	2.31
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	32	25	157	49	215,115	11,156	308,783	220,450	1,864,715	2.35
Women's accessories stores.....	38	30	124	33	147,931	6,118	134,094	120,790	902,800	1.14
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	55	53	60	4	66,186	1,100	66,782	61,270	473,981	.59
Shoe stores.....	38	27	60	25	98,668	8,331	175,958	328,750	1,137,802	1.43

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TABLE 30.—BRIDGEPORT—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
Furniture and household group.....	89	71	492	21	\$807,570	\$9,359	\$901,711	\$1,136,150	\$5,625,930	7.08
Furniture stores.....	32	26	257	5	477,777	2,405	636,902	757,810	3,511,270	4.42
Floor coverings and draperies stores.....	4	7	14	-----	28,336	-----	27,262	36,780	230,283	.29
Household appliance stores (electrical).....	9	0	59	2	88,894	672	70,185	67,000	443,283	.56
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	12	10	53	6	84,882	2,900	40,789	105,800	291,617	.36
Radio and music stores.....	32	28	109	8	187,681	3,292	126,673	188,700	1,149,477	1.45
Restaurants and eating places.....	138	162	442	33	485,785	11,404	400,924	50,790	2,507,530	3.16
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	117	142	392	26	429,230	8,034	359,420	43,570	2,219,175	2.80
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	21	20	50	7	56,546	2,770	41,504	7,220	288,355	.36
Lumber and building group.....	64	36	371	36	751,591	15,151	548,575	818,480	4,629,038	5.88
Lumber and building material dealers.....	5	3	162	-----	337,349	-----	176,185	513,600	2,688,947	3.38
Electrical shops without radio.....	7	3	68	-----	137,135	-----	36,504	32,590	395,943	.50
Heating and plumbing shops.....	25	19	76	32	193,678	14,537	64,459	70,280	807,542	1.02
Paint and glass stores.....	17	11	65	4	83,429	614	69,427	202,010	736,606	.93
Other retail stores.....	342	301	879	195	1,351,427	46,821	1,235,361	1,965,700	9,787,160	12.32
Hardware.....	26	29	37	7	58,205	1,243	43,637	189,520	652,540	.82
Farmers' supply stores.....	12	10	27	3	44,907	1,410	24,029	36,480	351,821	.44
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	68	65	31	5	50,277	1,215	76,985	92,220	951,067	1.20
Coal, wood, and ice dealers.....	9	3	187	7	100,448	1,705	111,201	99,590	1,114,351	1.40
Drug stores.....	84	74	198	56	293,942	18,335	249,394	507,360	2,875,493	2.99
Florists.....	16	17	45	11	73,442	1,640	60,234	9,850	360,541	.46
Jewelry stores.....	33	28	105	13	193,924	3,688	240,507	513,480	1,301,937	1.64
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	3	3	7	8	22,297	250	29,252	44,880	183,232	.23
Music stores (without radio).....	6	2	31	-----	57,645	-----	91,246	86,480	307,334	.39
News dealers.....	25	22	12	47	14,970	5,320	20,686	12,140	168,770	.21
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	16	8	69	3	130,733	470	101,900	144,790	850,639	1.07
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	2	32	4	66,276	705	47,365	50,540	233,971	.29
Sporting goods stores.....	4	2	18	-----	22,294	-----	34,685	82,630	229,457	.28
Stationers and printers.....	4	4	9	11	12,988	2,140	16,938	29,650	101,493	.13
Miscellaneous classifications.....	31	32	71	20	119,079	8,800	81,272	66,090	619,494	.77
Secondhand stores.....	10	10	7	1	11,644	500	22,756	51,950	95,612	.12

TABLE 31.—BRIDGEPORT—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total full time and part time	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	2,181	1,889	6,501	1,213	\$9,532,781	\$384,541	\$9,109,153	\$10,020,030	\$79,410,248	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,718	1,824	4,031	704	5,942,063	235,178	5,708,926	7,318,840	51,283,032	64.58
Two-store independents.....	77	56	263	75	415,329	17,969	503,927	603,180	3,259,390	4.10
Three-store independents.....	23	6	134	6	184,629	1,925	153,001	172,880	991,852	1.25
Local chains.....	179	3	816	66	1,123,258	16,300	783,640	651,080	9,311,373	11.73
Sectional chains.....	63	-----	394	87	702,490	35,259	727,102	401,890	4,788,003	6.03
National chains.....	92	-----	622	269	706,404	54,064	1,015,333	705,630	7,732,933	9.74
Direct selling.....	5	-----	85	-----	118,652	-----	28,252	8,830	270,686	.34
Leased department chains.....	10	-----	56	-----	69,157	-----	45,197	17,330	214,157	.27
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	13	-----	86	2	162,069	2,116	143,775	129,870	1,408,872	1.77
Other types of operation.....	1	-----	14	4	18,700	1,670	-----	20,000	150,000	.19

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TABLE 32.—BRIDGEPORT—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	Two and three store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	6	5				1	
Annual net sales.....	\$0, 157, 053	(x)				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)				(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	16	8				8	
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 076, 631	\$102, 596				\$2, 514, 065	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	6.07				93.93	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	50	35	4	1	7	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 017, 556	\$1, 263, 416	\$109, 602	(x)	\$399, 927	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.62	9.89	(x)	19.82	(x)	
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	14	12	2				
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 831, 878	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							
Number of stores.....	32	21	2	1	4	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 864, 715	\$687, 524	(x)	(x)	\$350, 236	\$596, 984	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	36.87	(x)	(x)	18.80	31.97	
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	38	27	2			6	3
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 137, 802	\$458, 139	(x)			\$354, 725	\$183, 482
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	40.26	(x)			31.18	16.12
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	32	28	3		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 511, 270	\$2, 282, 810	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	65.01	(x)		(x)		
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	32	28	2		2		
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 149, 477	\$1, 014, 256	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	88.24	(x)		(x)		
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	447	298	8	109	2	30	
Annual net sales.....	\$7, 074, 362	\$2, 237, 177	(x)	\$3, 442, 209	(x)	\$1, 118, 664	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	31.62	(x)	48.66	(x)	15.81	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	226	199	10	8	1	8	
Annual net sales.....	\$7, 696, 508	\$5, 534, 431	\$305, 086	(x)	(x)	\$1, 030, 593	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	72.86	4.01	(x)	(x)	13.56	
Restaurants and cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	117	114	2		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 219, 175	\$1, 881, 403	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.78	(x)		(x)		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	68	61				7	
Annual net sales.....	\$951, 087	\$526, 587				\$424, 500	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.37				44.63	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	101	27	1	29	30	14	
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 094, 585	\$416, 810	(x)	\$641, 155	(x)	\$311, 017	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	19.90	(x)	30.61	(x)	14.85	
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	9	6	1	2			
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 114, 351	\$422, 176	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	37.88	(x)	(x)			
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	84	67	7	8	1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 375, 493	\$1, 264, 347	\$383, 000	\$207, 766	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.22	16.13	8.74	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	26	26					
Annual net sales.....	\$652, 540	\$652, 540					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	33	29	4				
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 301, 937	\$1, 249, 631	\$52, 306				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.98	4.02				

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TABLE 33.—BRIDGEPORT—CREDIT BUSINESS—NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT

[Expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS									
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10	11 to 20	21 to 30	31 to 40	41 to 50	51 to 60	61 to 70	71 to 80	Over 80	
				per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	per cent credit	
Total number of stores.....	1,822		1,261	100	53	62	65	84	45	42	31	69	
Total net sales.....		\$88,038	\$32,571	\$2,476	\$1,132	\$3,164	\$5,232	\$4,120	\$5,963	\$1,065	\$1,408	\$9,907	
Per cent of total sales.....		100.0	37.32	3.75	1.72	4.70	7.92	6.24	9.03	1.01	2.13	13.49	
Food group.....	874	\$18,261	\$11,629	\$552	\$271	\$2,101	\$400	\$1,205	\$802	\$339	\$277	\$655	
Candy and confectionery stores.....	87	919	814	62	6	44	3					568	
Dairy products.....	12	735	158	5	24	18	15	2					
Delicatessen stores.....	37	595	358	24	1	64	12	8				25	
Fruits and vegetables.....	27	337	264	35	1	35	12	54				5	
Grocery stores.....	404	6,727	5,923	147	116	109	103	173	713	268	214	112	
Combination stores.....	213	7,460	3,021	218	77	1,870	114	850		17			
Meat markets (including sea food).....	65	1,186	707	106	47	16	109	159					
Bakeries.....	23	240	210					8					
Other food stores.....	6	149	141										
General-merchandise group.....	77	9,439	4,951	133	64	41	152	531	3,567				
Department stores.....	5	5,867	1,643				132	525	3,567				
Dry goods stores.....	45	675	469	113	26	41	20	6					
General merchandise stores.....	12	232	174	20	38								
Variety, 5-and-10, and 25-dollar stores.....	15	2,665	2,665										
Automotive group.....	151	11,795	2,133	121	318	387	3,754	1,449	38	201	90	3,237	
Motor vehicles.....	31	8,958	59		230	292	3,671	1,309		157	65	3,196	
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	33	1,168	872	87	21	48	38	31		11	19	41	
Filling stations.....	54	1,082	839	20	33	40	45	60	35	10			
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	4	43	8	7				28			6		
Garages.....	29	447	355	7	25	7		21	3	23			
Apparel group.....	194	7,403	4,445	771	42	297	80	25	1,279	144	89	281	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings.....	44	1,829	1,573	139	15		19		1,273	102		170	
Family clothing stores.....	14	1,332	347							23		31	
Women's ready-to-wear.....	27	1,730	1,065	313		229	55	18		19	45	30	
Women's accessories stores.....	29	598	372	143		8					44		
Other apparel and furnishings.....	48	444	272	64	27	18	6	7	6				
Shoe stores.....	32	970	816	112		42							
Furniture and household group.....	79	4,876	611	94	58	120	291	133	80	206	208	3,077	
Furniture stores.....	30	3,069	206	28		110		81	58	126	138	3,322	
Floor coverings and draperies.....	4	230	190	8	32							326	
Household appliance stores.....	9	443	117									46	
Other home furnishings.....	8	143	13	36	23	10			15			388	
Radio and music stores.....	28	991	85	22	3		291	52	7	80	68		
Restaurants and eating places.....	111	1,901	1,870	31								777	
Restaurants and cafeterias.....	95	1,637	1,606	31									
Lunch counters and refreshments.....	16	264	264										
Lumber and building group.....	43	4,400	2,396	64	18		276	172	197			285	
Lumber and building materials.....	4	2,681	2,396									109	
Electrical shops (without radio).....	6	249	140							170		214	
Heating and plumbing.....	22	742	92	64	17		4	172		18		169	
Paint and glass stores.....	16	728	268		1		272						
Other retail stores.....	281	7,981	3,982	700	361	218	274	605		175	746	900	
Hardware stores.....	21	313	209	32	28	32	12						
Farmers' supply stores.....	11	335	91	23	161			18		15	27		
Cigar stores and stands.....	55	836	836										
Coal, wood, and ice.....	7	915			60	2		368					
Drug stores.....	68	2,086	1,633	374		33	46					17	
Florists.....	13	252	69			16				135	40	195	
Jewelry stores.....	28	1,008	184	112	38		44	216			219		
Luggage and leathergoods stores.....	3	183	183									81	
Musical instruments.....	4	193	112										
News dealers.....	22	149	149									577	
Office, school, and store equipment.....	14	736	184			5							
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	234	73	7			72	82					
Sporting goods and athletic equipment.....	4	221	75	88		58							
Stationers and printers.....	4	102				14		85	3				
Not specified.....	20	332	178	64	60							30	
Secondhand stores.....	7	69	54	10			5						

NOTE.—359 stores whose sales aggregated \$3,372,248 failed to report as to their credit activities and therefore are not included in this table.

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TABLE 34.—BRIDGEPORT—CREDIT BUSINESS (BY KINDS OF BUSINESS)

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment (see note)			For cash	On open account	On installment (see note)
Total.....	581	45.61	32.13	22.26	Apparel group—Continued.				
Food group.....	273	56.25	43.75	-----	Custom tailors.....	11	68.82	31.18	-----
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	10	84.41	15.59	-----	Shoe stores, men's, women's, and children's.....	4	90.05	9.95	-----
Deliicatessen stores.....	15	79.82	20.18	-----	Furniture and household.....	54	18.78	29.02	52.20
Fruits and vegetables.....	4	53.38	46.62	-----	Furniture stores.....	20	11.89	22.34	66.27
Grocery stores.....	91	66.55	33.45	-----	Stoves and ranges.....	3	82.73	17.27	-----
Combination stores—groceries with meats.....	34	58.36	41.64	-----	Radio and electrical shops.....	17	43.78	45.26	10.96
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	92	59.19	40.81	-----	Radio and musical instruments.....	5	11.05	35.97	52.38
Fish markets—sea foods.....	3	67.40	32.60	-----	Restaurants and eating places.....	2	90.01	.99	-----
Meat markets.....	21	61.21	38.79	-----	Lumber and building group.....	29	30.78	63.51	5.71
General merchandise group.....	20	52.20	40.20	7.60	Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	6.82	93.18	-----
Department stores (\$100,000 and over).....	3	50.07	41.86	8.07	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	8	36.45	44.61	18.94
Dry goods stores.....	14	85.61	14.39	-----	Plumbing, heating, ventilating, (including fixtures).....	11	38.65	61.35	-----
General merchandise stores.....	3	90.63	9.37	-----	Paint and glass stores.....	6	42.74	57.26	-----
Automotive group.....	87	44.75	13.65	41.60	Other retail stores.....	73	49.87	39.05	11.08
Motor-vehicle establishments (new).....	20	44.44	12.63	42.93	Hardware stores.....	5	85.04	14.96	-----
Motor-vehicle establishments (used cars—including trucks).....	8	26.17	24	73.59	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	5	64.29	35.71	-----
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	7	77.02	22.98	-----	Coal and wood yards.....	6	30.20	69.71	-----
Battery shops (including repairs).....	5	63.46	36.54	-----	Drug stores.....	4	76.10	23.90	-----
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	3	27.41	72.59	-----	Drug stores with fountains.....	11	94.48	5.52	-----
Filling stations (gas and oil).....	8	63.98	36.02	-----	Florists.....	7	34.89	65.11	-----
Filling stations with tires and accessories and other merchandise.....	8	66.59	33.41	-----	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	3	27.60	.51	71.89
Garages (repairs and storage, gas, oil, accessories).....	5	62.15	37.85	-----	Jewelry stores.....	5	67.77	32.23	-----
Apparel group.....	41	53.32	32.26	14.42	Office and store mechanical appliances (at retail).....	3	7.26	79.65	13.09
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings.....	3	42.94	16.77	40.29	Opticians and optometrists.....	3	71.70	28.30	-----
Clothing—men's, women's and children's.....	6	34.36	44.08	21.56	Stationers and engravers.....	3	69.33	30.67	-----
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	9	82.86	16.29	.85	Undertakers' funeral supplies.....	5	55.87	44.13	-----
Furriers—fur shops.....	4	21.05	78.95	-----	Secondhand stores.....	2	80.00	20.00	-----
Millinery.....	3	94.37	5.63	-----					

Note.—Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open-account sales may include some installment business of these smaller stores. Sales of stores reporting all sales for cash are not included in this table.

TABLE 35.—BRIDGEPORT—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM SALES OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Grand total.....	6,092	\$2,396,657
Restaurants and eating places.....	5,508	2,162,742
Restaurants, cafeterias.....	5,161	1,035,557
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, box lunches.....	347	227,185
Other stores in which meals are served.....	584	233,915
Candy and confectionery stores.....	75	40,000
Grocery stores.....	59	39,728
Department stores.....	450	154,189

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts for repair service
Grand total.....	260	\$1,023,880
Automotive group.....	260	1,023,880
Motor-vehicle establishments (new and trade-in).....	158	496,461
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	21	108,441
Filling stations.....	2	13,650
Garages—repairs, gasoline and oil, etc.....	79	405,328

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS, SERVICE, AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts for other repairs and service	Receipts for storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Grand total.....	\$727,458	\$38,962
General merchandise group.....	110,731	-----
Department stores.....	110,331	-----
Automotive group.....	11,100	38,962
Motor-vehicle establishments (new and trade-in).....	-----	36,632
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	5,000	-----
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	6,100	-----
Garages—repairs, gas and oil, etc.....	-----	2,330
Apparel group.....	80,749	-----
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores.....	3,200	-----
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	6,600	-----
Women's accessories stores.....	31,222	-----
Other apparel and furnishings.....	39,407	-----
Shoe stores.....	6,220	-----
Furniture and household group.....	108,239	-----
Furniture stores.....	34,729	-----
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	16,408	-----
Household appliance stores.....	28,000	-----
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	23,500	-----
Radio and music stores.....	5,602	-----
Lumber and building group.....	121,566	-----
Electrical shops (without radio).....	64,356	-----
Heating and plumbing (including heating appliances).....	56,210	-----
Paint and glass stores.....	1,000	-----
Other retail stores.....	295,023	-----
Hardware stores.....	11,700	-----
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	1,000	-----
Jewelry stores.....	90,835	-----
Musical instruments and music stores (without radio).....	2,000	-----
News dealers.....	2,000	-----
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment.....	32,170	-----
Opticians and optometrists.....	2,574	-----
Sporting goods, athletic and playground equipment.....	800	-----
Miscellaneous classifications.....	151,944	-----

Note.—Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from the table but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 36.—WATERBURY—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

Table with 11 columns: KIND OF BUSINESS, Number of stores, Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll), NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (Full time, Part time), PAY ROLL (Total (full time and part time), Part time only), ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent), STOCK ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost), TOTAL NET SALES (Amount, Per cent of total sales).

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TABLE 37.—WATERBURY—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPES OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total full time and part time	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
Total.....	1,577	1,327	4,123	901	\$6,256,244	\$259,790	\$6,287,264	\$6,964,019	\$51,568,434	100.00
Independent stores.....	1,350	1,318	3,084	655	4,092,582	186,816	4,708,787	5,075,240	37,145,786	72.03
Local chains.....	56	8	316	3	446,049	570	353,009	261,120	3,853,085	7.53
Sectional chains.....	77	---	271	118	401,739	41,374	489,951	380,920	4,800,591	8.34
National chains.....	71	---	345	124	476,884	30,933	589,594	454,870	5,011,179	9.72
Other types of operation.....	17	1	107	1	178,890	91	145,853	155,800	1,226,893	2.38

TABLE 38.—WATERBURY—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types of operation
Department stores:						
Number of stores.....	3	2			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,487,984	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)			(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:						
Number of stores.....	5	1			4	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,465,532	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)			(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:						
Number of stores.....	40	32	1	5	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,663,858	\$1,247,058	(x)	\$228,506	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.75	(x)	14.02	(x)	
Family clothing stores:						
Number of stores.....	11	7		2	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$698,375	\$502,774		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	71.99		(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:						
Number of stores.....	25	22		2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,207,164	\$1,094,985		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.39		(x)	(x)	
Shoe stores:						
Number of stores.....	20	20		3	5	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,131,569	\$547,252		\$298,166	\$218,999	\$87,152
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.36		26.35	19.36	5.04
Furniture stores:						
Number of stores.....	14	14				
Annual net sales.....	\$2,198,399	\$2,198,399				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Radio and music stores:						
Number of stores.....	13	10		2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$590,390	\$335,741		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	56.87		(x)	(x)	
Grocery stores:						
Number of stores.....	314	244		38	32	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,278,697	\$2,020,066		\$1,807,530	\$1,451,101	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.27		34.24	27.49	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):						
Number of stores.....	151	134	12	1	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,435,115	\$3,024,664	\$41,465	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.20	12.21	(x)	(x)	
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms:						
Number of stores.....	127	126		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,934,009	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:						
Number of stores.....	52	48			4	
Annual net sales.....	\$578,438	\$350,046			\$228,392	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	60.52			39.48	
Filling stations:						
Number of stores.....	70	34	13	13	9	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,335,687	\$484,424	\$27,171	\$299,778	\$209,351	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	36.27	24.50	22.44	15.67	(x)
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:						
Number of stores.....	27	24	1	2		
Annual net sales.....	\$2,085,844	\$1,363,670	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	65.38	(x)	(x)		
Drug stores:						
Number of stores.....	63	57	4	1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,882,104	\$1,490,771	\$75,165	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.53	3.99	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:						
Number of stores.....	14	14				
Annual net sales.....	\$729,639	\$729,639				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Jewelry stores:						
Number of stores.....	24	21			1	2
Annual net sales.....	\$817,989	\$722,281			(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	88.30			(x)	(x)

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TABLE 39.—NEW BRITAIN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		All other reported expenses except payroll (includes rent)	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	601	490	1,482	461	\$2,331,399	\$116,428	\$2,574,456	\$3,235,756	\$22,795,495	100.00
Food group.....	270	233	277	135	459,881	48,075	477,805	344,830	6,775,288	29.72
Candy and confectionery stores.....	39	39	18	6	21,212	1,944	45,366	27,270	352,068	1.55
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	4	3	27	1	58,562	364	40,317	1,540	420,803	1.85
Delicatessen stores.....	3	3	3	1	3,472	119	5,942	3,660	47,946	.21
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	3	3					2,615	1,300	18,000	.08
Grocery stores (without meats).....	90	56	65	66	124,458	20,520	165,407	148,260	2,093,333	9.19
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	121	122	152	59	234,734	24,878	207,410	159,700	3,641,334	15.97
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	4	2	6	2	13,075	250	6,327	1,150	116,500	.51
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	5	4	6		4,368		2,671	1,250	74,724	.33
General merchandise group.....	26	18	222	171	301,598	26,987	312,756	452,880	2,321,361	10.18
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	12	11	30	3	35,751	250	27,958	144,940	408,169	1.78
General merchandise stores.....	5	5	7	6	13,566	1,749	17,749	53,220	145,438	.64
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	7	2	127	65	102,674	8,180	177,990	138,520	1,040,797	4.57
Automotive group.....	76	55	227	24	333,999	9,500	332,301	322,200	3,756,250	16.48
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	12	4	123	3	182,348	1,100	190,493	207,350	2,359,879	10.35
Accessory stores (with tires and batteries).....	14	14	31	3	44,311	1,720	65,321	72,540	458,956	2.02
Filling stations.....	29	17	47	13	65,917	5,220	47,879	31,779	739,212	3.24
Garages and repair shops (gasoline, oil and accessories).....	21	20	26	5	41,523	1,460	28,608	10,540	108,203	.87
Apparel group.....	89	40	182	77	283,785	18,296	394,512	601,130	2,414,248	10.69
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	20	10	47	16	77,968	2,759	120,644	184,570	763,635	3.35
Men's, women's and children's clothing stores.....	12	11	27	14	41,407	3,206	57,488	97,150	372,987	1.63
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	9	4	36	13	61,539	2,666	82,822	61,490	407,710	2.05
Women's accessories stores.....	11	5	26	11	32,945	1,352	48,265	42,370	237,635	1.04
Shoe stores.....	17	10	29	23	49,926	6,303	85,293	215,550	573,181	2.52
Furniture and household group.....	39	39	160	7	294,318	1,212	306,336	603,980	2,320,190	10.18
Furniture stores.....	21	26	83	4	170,252	1,026	199,435	350,180	1,497,065	6.56
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	3	3	6		11,387		4,452	13,940	38,070	.17
Radio and music stores.....	13	10	46	3	64,932	186	71,100	199,980	688,323	2.98
Restaurants and eating places.....	20	22	68	14	100,569	3,034	82,771	9,530	690,800	2.99
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	17	19	81	13	93,406	2,914	78,013	8,380	541,412	2.37
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	3	3	7	1	7,162	120	4,758	1,150	49,388	.22
Lumber and building group.....	17	12	115	7	228,738	2,589	248,217	319,780	1,278,359	5.80
Lumber and building material dealers.....	6	4	52	2	112,670	963	191,381	249,850	875,533	3.84
Heating and plumbing shops.....	7	7	38	3	74,341	1,560	30,688	47,080	207,864	1.18
Paint and glass stores.....	3		25		39,655		25,175	21,850	128,675	.56
Other retail stores.....	84	71	231	28	350,512	8,735	420,268	581,420	3,341,029	14.66
Farmers' supply stores.....	4	1	19	1	33,837	169	34,468	45,210	690,240	2.92
Cigar stores.....	8	6	8		11,333		18,055	12,870	197,859	.87
Coal, wood, and ice dealers.....	11	12	77	6	117,666	2,560	154,780	80,660	1,051,750	4.61
Drug stores.....	19	16	43	7	64,978	1,723	67,047	110,700	480,684	2.11
Florists.....	6	6	21	6	22,592	2,637	19,897	10,190	148,241	.65
Gift shops, novelties, and toys.....	4	4	2	3	2,753	947	9,602	13,250	59,666	.26
Hardware.....	4	6	22		28,069		40,896	103,600	261,595	1.15
Jewelry stores.....	14	10	23	2	46,669	604	50,305	147,150	313,315	1.37
Sporting goods stores (including playground equipment).....	3	3	4		6,965		9,050	19,650	69,195	.30
Miscellaneous classifications.....	4	2	7		10,071		15,080	22,200	91,446	.40

TABLE 40.—NEW BRITAIN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		All other reported expenses except payroll (including rent)	Stock on hand, end of year (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	601	490	1,482	461	\$2,331,399	\$116,428	\$2,574,456	\$3,235,756	\$22,795,495	100.00
Independent stores.....	495	489	1,022	245	1,681,030	60,413	1,819,113	2,483,604	16,932,081	74.28
Local chains.....	14	1	80	5	112,526	2,709	96,900	208,390	723,190	3.17
Sectional chains.....	48		129	94	224,361	33,848	235,754	217,450	2,078,093	9.12
National chains.....	40		224	117	271,181	19,467	390,812	286,180	2,863,369	12.56
All other types of operation.....	4		27		42,301		31,807	40,130	198,765	.87

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TABLE 41. NEW BRITAIN—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Total	KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Total
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:						Combination stores (groceries with meats):					
Number of stores.....	2			5	7	Number of stores.....	114		2	5	121
Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)	\$1,040,797	Annual net sales.....	\$2,646,037		(x)	(x)	\$3,641,334
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	72.67		(x)	(x)	100.00
Men's and boy's clothing and and furnishing stores:						Restaurants and cafeterias:					
Number of stores.....	11	1	6	2	20	Number of stores.....	17				17
Annual net sales.....	\$528,406	(x)	\$114,480	(x)	\$763,635	Annual net sales.....	\$541,412				\$541,412
Per cent of total sales.....	69.20	(x)	14.99	(x)	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00				100.00
Family clothing stores:						Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	9		3		12	Number of stores.....	6			2	8
Annual net sales.....	\$241,350		\$130,737		\$372,087	Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)	\$197,859
Per cent of total sales.....	64.86		35.14		100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)	100.00
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:						Filling stations:					
Number of stores.....	6			3	9	Number of stations.....	17	4	6	2	29
Annual net sales.....	\$332,778			\$134,932	\$467,710	Annual net sales.....	\$398,604	(x)	\$114,559	(x)	\$735,212
Per cent of total sales.....	71.15			28.85	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	53.92	(x)	15.50	(x)	100.00
Shoe stores:						Coal and wood yards and ice dealers:					
Number of stores.....	11	1	2	3	17	Number of yards.....	9	1	1		11
Annual net sales.....	\$291,390	(x)	(x)	\$126,220	\$573,181	Annual net sales.....	\$909,177	(x)	(x)		\$1,051,760
Per cent of total sales.....	50.84	(x)	(x)	22.02	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	86.45	(x)	(x)		100.00
Furniture stores:						Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	21				21	Number of stores.....	18			1	19
Annual net sales.....	\$1,497,065				\$1,497,065	Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)	\$486,684
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00				100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)	100.00
Radio and music stores:						Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	10	2	1		13	Number of stores.....	4				4
Annual net sales.....	\$437,260	(x)	(x)		\$588,323	Annual net sales.....	\$261,595				\$261,595
Per cent of total sales.....	74.32	(x)	(x)		100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00				100.00
Grocery stores (without meat departments):						Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	53		23	14	90	Number of stores.....	13	1			14
Annual net sales.....	\$532,372		\$1,020,378	\$541,033	\$2,093,833	Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)			\$313,315
Per cent of total sales.....	25.43		48.73	25.84	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)			100.00

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TABLE 42.—STAMFORD—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER EXPENSES, EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	781	664	2,355	237	\$3,963,867	\$63,341	\$4,016,628	\$4,561,210	\$34,510,519	100.00
Food group.....	313	256	427	75	775,690	21,822	778,674	528,640	9,414,599	27.38
Candy and confectionery stores.....	45	43	32	4	38,294	411	73,311	61,480	595,694	1.73
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	4	2	82	---	182,675	---	98,348	3,720	1,220,783	3.54
Delicatessen stores.....	6	4	12	---	16,889	---	27,169	23,740	162,331	.47
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	8	7	13	5	28,243	2,340	33,352	7,200	263,411	.76
Grocery stores (without meats).....	125	90	104	42	178,840	11,769	219,598	189,350	2,614,353	7.67
Combination stores (groceries and fresh meats).....	82	66	119	20	215,054	5,541	205,801	211,760	3,398,317	9.85
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	31	31	46	4	84,626	1,761	90,126	21,390	1,041,470	3.02
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	12	13	19	---	29,069	---	21,969	10,000	118,240	.34
General merchandise group.....	30	30	348	52	394,287	11,186	452,738	559,440	3,047,147	8.83
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	21	18	38	---	54,286	---	84,957	167,850	476,718	1.38
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	5	---	152	40	135,914	8,486	167,248	142,800	1,174,797	3.41
Automotive group.....	86	71	419	18	826,455	7,768	866,477	618,170	7,195,925	20.83
Motor vehicle establishments (new and trade-in).....	17	4	244	---	512,412	---	377,928	426,530	5,328,714	15.44
Accessory stores with tire and battery shops.....	20	17	43	1	77,112	960	72,070	95,120	527,349	1.53
Filling stations.....	26	13	69	8	111,424	3,383	124,093	51,470	960,798	2.80
Garage and repair shops—repairs, gas and oil, etc.....	31	35	62	8	119,914	2,775	89,465	48,520	362,709	1.05
Apparel group.....	121	107	274	33	461,232	6,775	576,938	808,380	3,887,072	11.55
Clothing stores—men's and boys'.....	30	26	57	8	128,574	1,523	165,220	336,340	1,129,850	3.27
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	8	11	33	1	67,060	104	76,726	99,710	613,918	1.78
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	20	15	79	4	99,292	770	131,862	155,530	849,433	2.46
Women's accessories stores.....	11	9	24	5	31,311	1,302	38,465	37,950	201,036	.58
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	31	33	35	3	56,968	750	56,303	64,750	271,116	.79
Shoe stores.....	21	13	46	12	78,021	2,321	118,362	214,100	831,719	2.41
Furniture and household group.....	38	28	253	5	514,121	4,950	447,086	537,150	2,857,633	8.28
Furniture stores.....	17	15	154	2	294,283	900	296,831	403,580	1,886,860	5.47
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	5	5	6	1	10,402	550	6,501	8,760	48,944	.14
Radio and music stores.....	13	5	79	2	189,176	3,500	129,846	106,170	811,015	2.35
Restaurants and eating places.....	48	48	182	7	209,132	1,756	218,353	20,660	1,085,135	3.15
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms.....	43	45	164	4	183,677	1,260	196,939	17,930	968,866	2.81
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	5	3	18	3	25,455	496	21,414	2,730	116,269	.34
Lumber and building group.....	15	11	143	---	303,184	---	297,609	498,080	2,447,147	7.08
Lumber and building material dealers.....	6	5	103	---	233,698	---	228,449	378,460	1,882,138	5.45
Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	2	21	---	43,452	---	44,032	72,730	237,622	.69
Paint and glass stores.....	4	3	17	---	22,016	---	21,322	39,930	275,026	.80
Other retail stores.....	115	116	305	46	476,348	8,684	570,840	906,290	4,446,891	12.89
Farmers' supply stores.....	3	3	7	1	12,566	500	30,479	14,290	192,142	.56
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	20	24	10	1	13,186	591	37,078	69,060	342,863	.99
Coal and wood yards, ice dealers.....	5	5	87	---	133,421	---	101,727	85,800	1,148,424	3.33
Drug stores.....	25	23	117	4	147,101	1,208	165,827	234,520	1,190,494	3.45
Florists.....	3	1	5	1	8,381	388	13,107	5,340	63,140	.18
Gift shops, novelties and toys.....	4	5	6	20	8,043	1,281	13,766	28,500	102,739	.30
Hardware stores.....	11	11	19	---	32,972	---	42,636	129,460	392,307	1.14
Jewelry stores.....	11	11	16	2	43,056	217	53,347	159,070	312,254	.90
Music stores without radio.....	4	7	1	---	1,560	---	3,350	13,300	28,000	.08
News dealers.....	8	8	3	---	4,180	---	13,573	6,700	96,364	.28
Opticians and optometrists.....	3	1	18	2	39,794	419	34,149	45,770	169,655	.49
Stationers and printers.....	11	11	7	2	14,894	568	30,029	36,420	177,914	.52
Secondhand stores.....	5	7	4	1	5,420	400	7,913	4,400	28,970	.08

TABLE 43.—STAMFORD—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES, EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	781	664	2,355	237	\$3,963,867	\$63,341	\$4,016,628	\$4,561,210	\$34,510,519	100.00
Independent stores.....	663	663	1,701	116	2,985,245	31,803	3,058,903	3,740,970	24,232,829	70.22
Local chains.....	44	1	191	19	343,663	5,667	310,387	242,120	3,862,378	11.19
Sectional chains.....	20	---	153	9	220,486	4,094	193,577	141,890	1,580,650	4.43
National chains.....	51	---	292	86	379,010	20,623	419,296	402,180	4,068,928	13.83
All other types of operation.....	3	---	18	7	35,453	1,254	34,405	48,550	215,734	.63

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TABLE 44.—STAMFORD—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	All independ- ent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:						
Number of stores.....	2	1			1	
Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:						
Number of stores.....	5			1	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,174,707			(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00			(x)	(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:						
Number of stores.....	30	27		3		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,120,850	\$1,067,928		\$61,922		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	94.82		5.48		
Family clothing stores:						
Number of stores.....	8	8				
Annual net sales.....	\$613,918	\$613,918				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:						
Number of stores.....	20	20				
Annual net sales.....	\$849,436	\$849,436				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Shoe stores:						
Number of stores.....	21	16		1	2	2
Annual net sales.....	\$831,719	\$579,318		(x)	(x)	\$147,400
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	69.65		(x)	(x)	17.72
Furniture stores:						
Number of stores.....	17	17				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,886,860	\$1,886,860				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Radio and music stores:						
Number of stores.....	13	10	1	1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$811,015	\$649,950	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	80.14	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Grocery stores:						
Number of stores.....	125	84	13	1	27	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,614,353	\$745,790	(x)	(x)	\$1,324,631	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	28.53	(x)	(x)	50.67	
Combination (groceries and meats):						
Number of stores.....	82	61	13		7	1
Annual net sales.....	\$3,398,317	\$1,498,278	\$471,018		\$1,421,021	\$8,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	44.09	13.86		41.82	.23
Restaurants and cafeterias:						
Number of stores.....	43	43				
Annual net sales.....	\$968,866	\$968,866				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Cigar stores and cigar stands:						
Number of stores.....	20	19			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$342,863	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)			(x)	
Filling stations:						
Number of stations.....	26	12	3	7	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$966,798	\$487,015	\$208,804	\$156,013	\$116,066	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	50.37	21.39	16.23	12.01	
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:						
Number of yards.....	5	5				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,148,424	\$1,148,424				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Drug stores:						
Number of stores.....	25	23		1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,190,484	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:						
Number of stores.....	11	11				
Annual net sales.....	\$392,307	\$392,307				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				
Jewelry stores:						
Number of stores.....	11	10	1			
Annual net sales.....	\$312,254	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			

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TABLE 45.—MERIDEN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES, EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
All groups.....	627	547	1,308	353	\$1,945,205	\$104,387	\$2,028,256	\$2,371,377	\$17,777,281	100.00
Food group.....	273	245	282	128	402,184	41,385	501,776	297,070	5,743,649	32.31
Candy and confectionery stores.....	19	21	21	12	23,538	3,781	32,200	16,240	245,075	1.38
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	21	21	39	11	59,952	3,386	66,033	2,700	655,707	3.69
Delicatessen stores.....	4	2	8	1	8,816	156	10,480	40,560	145,124	.82
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	6	6	6	0	6,328	-----	11,133	2,800	100,380	.62
Grocery stores (without meats).....	121	89	93	69	161,348	22,304	196,320	151,840	2,372,187	13.34
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	65	65	58	21	80,157	8,014	116,024	64,630	1,557,019	8.76
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	22	25	21	7	32,488	2,476	48,273	13,010	510,461	2.87
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	11	12	13	4	15,872	852	16,161	1,000	113,042	.64
Other food stores.....	4	4	3	1	4,697	410	5,162	3,080	34,145	.19
General merchandise group.....	20	15	178	70	204,647	14,804	265,249	353,100	1,804,640	10.15
Department stores.....	4	1	112	25	140,130	7,425	172,431	233,380	1,010,055	5.68
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	11	11	10	2	13,092	548	26,958	60,640	220,884	1.24
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores.....	5	3	56	33	51,416	6,831	65,860	59,080	573,701	3.23
Automotive group.....	88	76	202	26	292,591	9,330	272,541	315,080	2,849,580	16.03
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	17	10	101	5	163,589	1,358	145,063	193,450	1,662,308	9.35
Accessory stores, with tires and batteries.....	8	7	8	2	8,391	640	11,133	30,710	58,436	.33
Filling stations.....	36	30	58	8	79,538	2,515	74,118	52,740	801,468	4.61
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies stores.....	3	3	1	-----	960	-----	3,380	5,800	17,003	.10
Garages—repair shops (gasoline, oil, and accessories).....	24	26	34	11	50,123	4,817	33,827	32,330	309,765	1.74
Apparel group.....	68	52	139	67	231,531	17,082	246,571	427,320	1,793,712	10.09
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	13	12	33	15	60,306	5,281	89,263	178,540	638,284	3.59
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	14	9	46	20	82,525	4,713	57,806	65,590	439,583	2.76
Women's accessories stores.....	15	11	19	12	19,188	2,106	32,640	34,420	167,679	.94
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	10	9	19	4	29,444	949	14,021	19,840	106,747	.60
Shoe stores.....	15	11	18	16	35,068	3,988	45,971	120,730	347,919	1.96
Furniture and household group.....	21	20	78	4	138,456	1,743	180,425	241,232	1,021,946	5.75
Furniture stores.....	11	12	40	4	74,560	1,743	118,038	182,440	614,342	3.40
Radio and music stores.....	6	6	13	-----	24,725	-----	30,522	21,632	197,004	1.11
Restaurants and eating places.....	43	49	96	15	118,603	6,005	85,866	10,100	579,805	3.28
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	30	39	84	14	97,831	5,485	73,805	8,730	461,807	2.60
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	9	10	12	1	18,772	520	12,081	1,370	117,998	.66
Lumber and building group.....	22	12	137	9	235,953	3,340	112,687	210,155	1,152,332	6.46
Lumber and building material dealers.....	5	1	45	8	96,364	3,080	69,237	131,060	729,635	4.11
Heating and plumbing shops.....	8	7	23	-----	33,608	-----	15,500	24,110	153,261	.86
Paint and glass stores.....	7	2	68	1	105,381	260	27,313	50,145	263,929	1.48
Other retail stores.....	85	78	216	36	323,230	10,748	361,640	516,420	2,819,379	15.88
Hardware stores.....	5	4	15	-----	23,798	-----	30,847	100,800	200,292	1.13
Farmers' supply stores.....	5	5	5	1	8,909	-----	12,294	15,490	166,651	.94
Book stores.....	3	3	33	3	35,528	75	83,798	23,270	412,416	2.32
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	10	11	8	3	13,953	1,404	15,813	25,190	185,942	1.05
Coal, wood, and ice dealers.....	9	8	57	2	83,922	573	47,723	25,050	934,601	5.37
Drug stores.....	15	11	46	8	67,632	2,719	66,468	105,150	519,898	2.92
Florists.....	4	2	6	2	8,186	1,200	9,483	3,170	52,449	.30
Gift shops, novelties, and toys.....	3	3	1	3	1,755	1,235	5,904	9,140	30,774	.17
Jewelry stores.....	6	4	14	6	34,179	954	29,384	88,250	185,875	1.04
Opticians and optometrists.....	4	4	2	1	3,576	156	5,253	7,440	34,880	.20
Sporting goods stores.....	4	3	2	1	2,010	250	4,017	15,330	30,022	.17
Miscellaneous classifications.....	13	15	20	5	30,420	2,132	41,055	71,990	298,251	1.67
Secondhand stores.....	2	2	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,481	950	12,238	.07

TABLE 46.—MERIDEN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES, EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
Total.....	627	547	1,308	353	\$1,945,205	\$104,387	\$2,028,256	\$2,371,380	\$17,777,281	100.00
Independent stores.....	539	514	970	214	1,461,893	68,531	1,472,591	1,882,680	12,887,142	72.49
Local chains.....	9	-----	70	-----	87,458	-----	68,023	68,800	794,025	4.47
Sectional chains.....	3	-----	72	56	129,560	17,708	157,518	149,040	1,438,423	8.09
National chains.....	33	-----	132	81	186,047	17,352	211,571	221,260	2,012,352	11.32
Other types of operation.....	8	3	64	2	80,247	706	118,553	49,240	646,309	3.63

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TABLE 47.—MERIDEN—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) in column indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types	Totals	KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types	Totals
Department stores:							Combination stores (groceries and meats):						
Number of stores.....	2			2		4	Number of stores.....	62		1	2		65
Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)		\$1,010,055	Annual net sales.....	\$1,312,994		(x)	(x)		\$1,557,619
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)		100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	84.30		(x)	(x)		100.00
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							Restaurants and cafeterias:						
Number of stores.....	2			3		5	Number of stores.....	39					39
Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)		\$573,701	Annual net sales.....	\$461,897					\$461,897
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)		100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00					100.00
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores:							Cigar stores and cigar stands:						
Number of stores.....	11		2			13	Number of stores.....	9			1		10
Annual net sales.....	(x)		(x)			\$638,284	Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)		\$185,942
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)		(x)			100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)			(x)		100.00
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							Filling stations:						
Number of stores.....	12			1	1	14	Number of stations.....	26		9	1		36
Annual net sales.....	\$437,892			(x)	(x)	\$489,583	Annual net sales.....	\$645,656		(x)	(x)		\$801,468
Per cent of total sales.....	80.44			(x)	(x)	100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	80.66		(x)	(x)		100.00
Shoe stores:							Coal, wood, and ice dealers:						
Number of stores.....	10		3	2		15	Number of yards.....	8	1				9
Annual net sales.....	\$162,718		(x)	(x)		\$347,919	Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)				\$634,601
Per cent of total sales.....	40.77		(x)	(x)		100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)				100.00
Furniture stores:							Drug stores:						
Number of stores.....	11					11	Number of stores.....	13		1	1		15
Annual net sales.....	\$614,342					\$614,342	Annual net sales.....	(x)		(x)	(x)		\$519,808
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00					100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	(x)		(x)	(x)		100.00
Radio and music stores:							Hardware stores:						
Number of stores.....	5	1				6	Number of stores.....	5					5
Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)				\$197,004	Annual net sales.....	\$200,292					\$200,292
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)				100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00					100.00
Grocery stores:							Jewelry stores:						
Number of stores.....	86		18	17		121	Number of stores.....	6					6
Annual net sales.....	\$875,306	\$856,093	\$640,788			\$2,372,187	Annual net sales.....	\$185,875					\$185,875
Per cent of total sales.....	36.89	36.09	27.02			100.00	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00					100.00

TABLE 48.—NORWALK—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	618	586	1,617	202	\$2,531,942	\$57,213	\$2,335,035	\$3,117,200	\$22,555,327	100.00
Food group.....	246	222	335	79	561,544	21,222	474,622	358,280	6,418,770	28.48
Candy and confectionery stores.....	18	23	22	1	23,579	210	28,638	16,720	207,666	.92
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	4	4	31		59,727		37,544	3,940	556,476	2.47
Delicatessen stores.....	5	7	3	2	4,700	430	9,473	9,910	106,654	.47
Fruit stores, and vegetable markets.....	5	6	3	2	13,360	720	11,764	4,850	103,401	.46
Grocery stores (without meats).....	196	118	110	41	175,075	9,487	205,417	247,460	2,910,123	12.90
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	23	15	40	8	63,266	2,522	57,888	44,320	854,295	3.79
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	43	37	78	21	147,008	6,839	101,912	24,750	1,469,362	6.52
Bakeries—bakery goods stores.....	10	10	33	3	46,799	864	19,018	5,740	183,363	.81
General merchandise group.....	25	20	154	12	158,031	2,924	187,402	371,940	1,374,665	6.09
Dry goods—piece goods stores.....	13	13	54	4	71,100	1,060	79,701	170,710	606,063	2.69
General merchandise stores.....	5	5	31	1	28,642	700	31,292	98,800	221,383	.98
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	6	1	65	5	50,289	664	70,109	69,380	447,219	1.98
Automotive group.....	88	84	247	18	440,371	6,887	454,817	443,870	4,822,388	21.38
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	18	15	130	5	256,918	1,593	238,831	288,430	3,391,154	15.03
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	13	12	25	2	44,699	1,030	107,676	61,440	401,758	1.78
Filling stations.....	41	38	46	10	82,088	3,619	72,467	64,560	817,630	3.63
Garages and repair shops—gas, oil, etc.....	14	17	29	1	37,088	640	36,783	18,140	166,946	.74
Apparel group.....	70	72	99	33	151,680	7,738	250,202	508,040	1,795,075	7.96
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	18	17	30	8	47,076	1,983	69,736	192,040	497,213	2.20
Clothing stores, men's, women's and children's.....	7	5	16	7	39,695	1,263	43,437	71,980	311,166	1.38
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	13	18	20	3	24,682	644	43,621	67,740	340,225	1.51
Women's accessories stores.....	6	6	7	2	6,444	519	15,203	13,460	95,456	.42
Other apparel and furnishings stores.....	11	14	8	2	8,560	604	17,930	31,050	125,385	.56
Shoe stores.....	16	16	18	11	25,243	2,725	60,275	129,770	425,640	1.89
Furniture and household group.....	26	23	102	6	214,105	2,474	204,004	295,170	1,314,785	5.83
Furniture stores.....	7	6	33	4	91,018	1,542	105,543	146,800	658,804	2.92
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	7	7	13	1	16,644	432	18,815	33,550	120,833	.53
Radio and music stores.....	9	7	37	1	70,322	500	46,715	65,670	278,000	1.24
Restaurants and eating places.....	43	54	148	12	166,707	3,732	119,613	23,080	824,239	3.66
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	33	42	123	9	125,920	2,932	99,858	18,760	639,282	2.83
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	10	12	25	3	40,887	800	19,755	4,300	184,957	.82

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TABLE 48.—NORWALK—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Lumber and building group.....	23	17	269	6	\$448,090	\$1,338	\$247,034	\$431,410	\$2,670,020	11.84
Lumber and building material dealers.....	5	5	152	1	225,815	138	192,273	318,730	1,927,855	8.55
Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	2	14	—	23,289	—	0,618	11,260	67,471	1.30
Heating and plumbing shops.....	8	6	70	4	131,743	836	27,107	42,490	413,529	1.83
Paint and glass stores.....	7	9	33	1	67,243	364	21,036	58,930	261,165	1.10
Other retail stores.....	92	90	248	29	376,246	7,648	390,846	681,020	3,312,096	14.69
Hardware stores.....	10	10	26	4	36,869	880	65,938	157,780	419,191	1.86
Farmers' supply stores.....	5	5	6	2	9,144	870	12,415	11,680	155,613	.70
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	11	11	14	1	14,137	620	23,852	35,360	222,882	.99
Coal, wood, and ice dealers.....	8	5	81	—	125,810	—	99,457	83,820	1,054,266	4.63
Drug stores.....	18	19	39	7	61,445	1,891	53,038	111,800	503,415	2.23
Florists.....	8	9	16	1	24,672	60	30,205	14,000	187,967	.61
Jewelry stores.....	10	8	17	2	31,196	468	34,705	119,870	220,844	.98
News dealers.....	8	7	11	1	8,770	75	16,679	18,530	141,713	.63
Miscellaneous classifications.....	4	4	13	2	20,281	250	11,197	17,760	60,832	.31
Secondhand stores.....	5	4	15	7	15,268	3,250	6,495	6,450	23,359	.10

TABLE 49.—NORWALK—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	618	566	1,617	302	\$2,531,942	\$57,213	\$2,335,035	\$3,117,200	\$22,555,327	100.00
Independent stores.....	525	564	1,320	157	2,081,781	44,449	1,865,667	2,739,510	17,828,355	79.04
Local chains.....	68	2	143	12	217,933	3,972	185,395	146,260	2,006,823	11.66
Sectional chains.....	10	—	25	4	42,388	2,244	88,094	47,240	285,000	1.26
National chains.....	21	—	108	22	147,309	4,769	143,747	107,430	1,453,053	6.44
Other types of operation.....	4	—	21	7	42,540	1,789	52,132	76,760	382,090	1.70

TABLE 50.—NORWALK—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types of operation	Total	KIND OF BUSINESS	All independent stores	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types of operation	Total
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							Combination stores (groceries and meats):						
Number of stores.....	1		1	4		6	Number of stores.....	11	9		3		23
Annual net sales.....	(x)		(x)	\$394,765		\$147,219	Annual net sales.....	\$158,560	\$443,468		\$252,258		\$854,295
Per cent of total.....	(x)		(x)	88.27		100.00	Per cent of total.....	18.56	51.91		29.53		100.00
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							Restaurants and cafeterias:						
Number of stores.....	17		1			18	Number of stores.....	33					33
Annual net sales.....	(x)		(x)			\$497,213	Annual net sales.....	\$639,282					\$639,282
Per cent of total.....	(x)		(x)			100.00	Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00
Family clothing stores:							Cigar stores:						
Number of stores.....	7					7	Number of stores.....	10			1		11
Annual net sales.....	\$311,156					\$311,156	Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)		\$222,882
Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00	Per cent of total.....	(x)			(x)		100.00
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							Filling stations:						
Number of stores.....	13					13	Number of stations.....	36		4	1		41
Annual net sales.....	\$340,225					\$340,225	Annual net sales.....	\$644,141		(x)	(x)		\$817,630
Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00	Per cent of total.....	78.70		(x)	(x)		100.00
Shoe stores:							Coal, wood, and ice dealers:						
Number of stores.....	13				2	15	Number of yards.....	8					8
Annual net sales.....	\$289,908				\$135,732	\$425,640	Annual net sales.....	\$1,054,266					\$1,054,266
Per cent of total.....	68.11				31.89	100.00	Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00
Furniture stores:							Drug stores:						
Number of stores.....	7					7	Number of stores.....	17			1		18
Annual net sales.....	\$658,804					\$658,804	Annual net sales.....	(x)			(x)		\$503,415
Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00	Per cent of total.....	(x)			(x)		100.00
Radio stores:							Hardware stores:						
Number of stores.....	9					9	Number of stores.....	10					10
Annual net sales.....	\$278,000					\$278,000	Annual net sales.....	\$419,191					\$419,191
Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00	Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00
Grocery stores:							Jewelry stores:						
Number of stores.....	91	36		9		136	Number of stores.....	10					10
Annual net sales.....	\$1,354,160	\$1,034,908		\$521,055		\$2,910,123	Annual net sales.....	\$220,844					\$220,844
Per cent of total.....	46.53	35.56		17.91		100.00	Per cent of total.....	100.00					100.00

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TABLE 51.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES
CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION ALL COMBINED

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay-roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	3, 538	3, 097	3, 638	1, 833	\$12, 407, 849	\$454, 401	\$12, 818, 865	\$18, 790, 945	\$122, 061, 606	100. 0
Food group.....	1, 413	1, 188	1, 652	637	2, 314, 277	158, 808	2, 562, 394	1, 949, 380	34, 109, 958	27. 9
Candy and confectionery stores.....	153	102	150	53	183, 517	14, 000	289, 394	159, 400	2, 065, 446	1. 7
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	24	18	106	2	180, 685	580	140, 812	27, 370	1, 406, 231	1. 1
Delicatessen stores.....	20	22	24	4	26, 598	634	64, 118	31, 119	477, 271	0. 4
Fruit and vegetable stores.....	27	39	47	8	53, 052	2, 273	72, 530	33, 950	797, 260	0. 6
Grocery stores.....	667	427	495	279	710, 124	78, 196	936, 434	1, 010, 626	13, 559, 397	11. 1
Combination stores.....	384	380	583	140	839, 648	48, 334	824, 602	603, 195	12, 438, 341	10. 2
Meat markets.....	100	93	155	35	228, 367	8, 009	160, 779	50, 840	2, 771, 672	2. 3
Bakeries.....	15	15	49	4	59, 222	1, 230	51, 219	12, 150	455, 090	0. 4
Other food stores.....	13	11	29	3	33, 064	546	22, 006	20, 830	149, 244	0. 1
General merchandise group.....	173	139	1, 280	443	1, 331, 180	76, 026	1, 641, 595	2, 735, 450	12, 285, 388	10. 1
Department stores.....	16	7	490	188	577, 369	31, 273	681, 184	1, 035, 180	4, 512, 041	3. 7
Dry-goods stores.....	64	62	232	74	322, 249	16, 067	327, 759	831, 350	3, 019, 742	2. 5
General merchandise stores.....	68	63	73	13	82, 266	3, 178	150, 112	430, 490	1, 256, 292	1. 0
Variety 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	35	7	425	168	349, 276	25, 510	482, 540	429, 430	3, 497, 313	2. 9
Automotive group.....	495	423	1, 491	112	2, 303, 844	38, 921	2, 105, 918	2, 543, 000	24, 169, 211	19. 8
Motor vehicles.....	141	100	937	37	1, 493, 036	12, 436	1, 469, 511	1, 849, 060	17, 620, 556	14. 4
Accessories stores, with tires, and batteries.....	62	58	120	14	160, 012	4, 395	156, 436	314, 260	1, 468, 808	1. 2
Filling stations.....	184	136	258	44	411, 204	17, 083	301, 063	235, 010	3, 822, 277	3. 1
Motor cycles, bicycles and supply stores.....	7	8	1	1	640	120	7, 527	0, 000	39, 562	0. 1
Garages.....	101	115	175	16	238, 952	4, 887	171, 381	135, 070	1, 223, 008	1. 0
Apparel group.....	428	352	613	308	1, 242, 973	79, 977	1, 677, 938	3, 855, 741	12, 617, 338	10. 3
Family clothing stores.....	37	25	91	32	150, 842	8, 398	204, 305	430, 320	1, 475, 533	1. 2
Men's clothing stores.....	116	95	137	73	346, 267	16, 898	492, 320	1, 480, 700	3, 822, 031	3. 1
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	82	75	82	22	373, 689	29, 317	446, 513	804, 761	3, 708, 416	3. 0
Women's accessories stores.....	52	45	54	29	80, 062	5, 618	105, 627	170, 590	666, 786	0. 6
Other apparel stores.....	46	48	49	5	70, 541	1, 305	57, 862	89, 760	357, 178	0. 3
Shoe stores.....	93	64	150	87	240, 982	18, 641	371, 311	379, 010	2, 587, 394	2. 1
Furniture and household group.....	168	140	785	61	1, 287, 160	18, 614	1, 419, 247	2, 309, 550	8, 633, 045	7. 1
Furniture stores.....	67	52	381	24	732, 088	7, 403	957, 490	1, 561, 030	5, 326, 040	4. 4
Household appliances stores.....	21	12	111	5	176, 457	1, 708	116, 234	193, 340	821, 524	0. 7
Other home furnishings stores.....	18	19	20	6	35, 839	816	38, 351	157, 910	267, 855	0. 2
Radio and music stores.....	60	54	239	26	337, 120	8, 087	301, 746	388, 000	2, 177, 286	1. 8
Restaurants and eating places.....	155	197	507	30	559, 327	7, 569	415, 300	87, 831	3, 037, 543	2. 5
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	125	163	433	20	467, 975	6, 923	348, 031	55, 621	2, 552, 193	2. 1
Lunch counters.....	31	34	74	10	91, 352	1, 646	67, 269	12, 210	535, 350	0. 4
Lumber and building material group.....	113	104	527	29	881, 469	7, 971	656, 560	1, 232, 050	6, 105, 364	5. 0
Lumber and building materials.....	25	19	250	6	405, 486	2, 480	470, 767	878, 350	4, 151, 040	3. 4
Electrical shops.....	10	8	25	1	40, 358	480	20, 418	20, 050	159, 128	0. 1
Heating and plumbing shops.....	45	42	189	15	332, 412	3, 825	103, 594	164, 680	1, 230, 552	1. 0
Paint and glass stores.....	33	35	63	7	103, 213	1, 186	61, 781	159, 070	564, 635	0. 5
Other retail stores.....	582	557	1, 600	312	2, 484, 739	71, 315	2, 331, 148	4, 084, 173	21, 038, 679	17. 2
Hardware stores.....	49	44	159	13	290, 455	2, 768	229, 221	717, 330	2, 282, 327	1. 9
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	4	4	27	3	43, 659	33, 467	33, 467	118, 720	333, 010	0. 3
Farm and farmers' supplies stores.....	30	25	84	7	132, 331	1, 907	151, 217	239, 690	2, 256, 973	1. 8
Book stores.....	3	4	8	3	11, 151	888	9, 951	20, 020	102, 090	0. 1
Cigar stores.....	88	94	43	27	63, 755	6, 835	94, 481	116, 000	976, 147	0. 8
Coal and wood yards.....	56	38	524	35	813, 270	11, 047	702, 179	587, 360	6, 533, 285	5. 3
Drug stores.....	117	111	262	62	381, 618	13, 973	412, 777	761, 310	3, 560, 270	2. 9
Florists.....	35	44	125	17	176, 087	4, 763	131, 921	76, 910	764, 892	0. 6
Gift shops, novelties, and toys.....	11	10	9	3	6, 890	660	8, 383	21, 333	67, 299	0. 1
Jewelry stores.....	54	46	147	27	259, 351	4, 299	222, 755	873, 150	1, 550, 631	1. 3
Luggage and leather goods.....	6	6	8	2	8, 922	14, 617	40, 429	40, 429	104, 124	0. 1
News dealers.....	30	29	35	72	60, 548	11, 059	45, 770	65, 010	631, 568	0. 5
Office supplies, school and stores supplies and equipment.....	3	6	5	1	4, 373	50	6, 816	7, 550	90, 713	0. 1
Opticians and optometrists.....	4	4	2	1	5, 139	400	6, 709	13, 880	48, 986	0. 0
Sporting goods, athletic and playground equipment.....	10	9	19	4	18, 803	1, 130	23, 518	33, 890	220, 246	0. 2
Stationers and printers.....	17	18	59	23	80, 445	3, 751	84, 751	139, 400	543, 141	0. 4
All other retail stores.....	64	68	81	27	137, 338	7, 780	154, 764	188, 150	971, 280	0. 8
Secondhand stores.....	12	17	3	1	2, 900	200	8, 765	13, 770	45, 380	0. 1

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TABLE 52.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAY (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	3, 538	3, 097	5, 638	1, 853	\$12, 407, 849	\$454, 401	\$12, 818, 865	\$18, 790, 945	\$122, 091, 906	100.00
Single-store Independents.....	2, 848	2, 983	5, 869	1, 069	8, 693, 884	266, 825	8, 949, 807	14, 503, 484	85, 921, 840	70.38
2-store independents.....	127	82	602	96	870, 890	19, 036	890, 020	1, 554, 000	8, 135, 944	6.66
3-store independents.....	39	11	221	22	297, 726	7, 413	270, 195	412, 310	2, 194, 807	1.80
Local chains.....	129	5	381	17	458, 273	6, 533	417, 620	326, 309	4, 780, 321	3.91
Sectional chains.....	189	-----	552	261	358, 866	85, 362	911, 042	660, 131	8, 528, 607	6.99
National chains.....	167	-----	813	356	922, 458	66, 970	1, 134, 392	992, 090	10, 937, 637	8.96
Other types of operation.....	49	11	260	21	305, 842	3, 253	205, 789	342, 630	1, 502, 760	1.30

TABLE 53.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (X) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosures of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Two and three store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types of operation
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	16	7	3		2		
Annual net sales.....	\$4, 512, 041	\$2, 505, 018	(X)		(X)	\$687, 614	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.52	(X)		(X)	15.24	
Variety 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	35	7			3		
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 497, 313	\$88, 235			\$273, 941	\$3, 135, 137	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	2.53			7.83	89.64	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores:							
Number of stores.....	116	99	9		8		
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 822, 031	\$3, 422, 763	\$296, 072		\$103, 196		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.55	7.75		2.70		
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	37	31		1	3		2
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 475, 533	\$1, 143, 310		(X)	\$193, 833	(X)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.48		(X)	13.14	(X)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							
Number of stores.....	82	65	8		2		4
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 708, 416	\$3, 050, 018	\$422, 177		(X)	\$166, 997	\$54, 923
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	82.25	11.38		(X)	4.50	1.48
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	93	69	7		6		8
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 587, 394	\$1, 683, 271	\$311, 103		\$123, 328	\$358, 162	\$111, 530
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	65.06	12.02		4.77	13.84	4.31
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	67	59	8				
Annual net sales.....	\$5, 326, 040	\$4, 600, 669	\$725, 371				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.38	13.62				
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	60	49	7	1		3	
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 177, 286	\$1, 728, 265	\$191, 128	(X)	(X)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.38	8.78	(X)	(X)		
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	667	403	5	79	100	80	
Annual net sales.....	\$13, 550, 397	\$3, 939, 233	\$73, 337	\$2, 068, 572	\$4, 103, 940	\$3, 365, 315	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	29.08	.54	15.27	30.28	24.83	
Combination stores (grocery and meats):							
Number of stores.....	384	335	17	6	8	18	
Annual net sales.....	\$12, 438, 341	\$7, 562, 095	\$1, 180, 856	\$189, 565	\$1, 169, 425	\$2, 336, 400	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	60.80	9.49	1.53	9.40	18.78	
Restaurants and cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	125	120	5				
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 552, 193	\$2, 272, 370	\$279, 823				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.04	10.96				
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	88	81	3			4	
Annual net sales.....	\$976, 147	\$610, 280	\$120, 600			\$239, 267	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.13	12.36			24.51	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	184	124	9	8	39	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 822, 277	\$2, 276, 221	\$344, 568	\$181, 457	\$889, 272	\$130, 769	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.55	9.00	4.75	23.27	3.43	
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	56	48	2	4	1		1
Annual net sales.....	\$6, 533, 285	\$5, 677, 452	(X)	\$317, 189	(X)		(X)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.37	(X)	4.85	(X)		(X)
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	117	106	4		5	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$3, 560, 270	\$2, 755, 605	(X)		\$441, 414	(X)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.40	(X)		12.40	(X)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	49	47	1				1
Annual net sales.....	\$2, 282, 327	\$2, 216, 034	(X)				(X)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.12	(X)				(X)
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	54	47	6			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1, 550, 631	\$1, 217, 049	(X)			(X)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.49	(X)			(X)	

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TABLE 54.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	6,741	6,461	11,309	2,398	\$16,315,033	\$732,728	\$13,873,196	\$22,666,425	\$175,132,444	100.00
Food group	2,845	2,080	2,976	801	4,362,245	312,731	3,830,971	3,650,217	59,089,480	33.73
Candy and confectionery stores.....	339	367	220	103	200,122	39,026	315,102	294,030	3,070,367	1.76
Dairy products.....	40	45	263	19	489,313	3,735	249,855	43,860	1,808,932	1.03
Deli-cassens stores.....	34	35	13	7	21,579	2,290	36,485	35,090	453,593	0.26
Fruits and vegetables.....	70	75	38	14	38,623	3,082	75,890	50,660	737,739	0.42
Grocery stores.....	960	647	971	380	1,436,844	156,446	1,412,647	1,071,312	22,824,114	13.03
Combination stores.....	605	678	1,164	220	1,711,171	91,397	1,342,870	1,421,180	24,235,261	13.83
Meat markets.....	183	182	232	45	370,648	11,596	319,941	94,700	5,395,504	3.08
Bakeries.....	45	45	72	12	89,219	5,079	71,072	31,278	501,346	0.29
Other food stores.....	10	11	3	1	4,826	80	7,109	8,107	53,534	0.03
General stores	232	255	356	69	463,446	15,213	405,553	1,313,091	7,371,625	4.21
General merchandise group	268	248	571	175	584,643	32,144	716,949	2,127,358	6,089,479	3.82
Department stores.....	6	1	149	57	189,578	12,974	192,476	290,010	1,565,799	0.89
Dry goods stores.....	114	117	78	39	80,947	6,883	144,054	669,722	1,519,885	0.87
General merchandise stores.....	77	74	125	28	154,745	5,307	149,674	808,660	1,907,625	1.09
Variety 5-and-10 and to-a-dollar stores.....	71	66	210	51	150,373	6,980	229,745	369,966	1,696,170	0.97
Automotive group	1,534	1,501	2,239	305	3,420,393	110,513	2,783,590	3,452,096	37,792,910	21.53
Motor-vehicle establishments.....	248	217	1,160	65	1,911,471	17,385	1,457,555	2,193,859	21,093,341	12.54
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	70	73	87	18	127,755	6,851	116,804	240,180	1,329,325	0.76
Filling stations.....	868	828	546	154	782,341	66,794	743,475	596,127	9,933,733	5.67
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	4	4	4	4	1,935	1,935	1,935	2,350	18,248	0.01
Garages.....	340	376	444	68	598,376	19,488	462,561	414,280	4,534,793	2.59
Other automotive establishments.....	4	3	2	1	950	1,200	1,200	5,300	13,500	0.01
Apparel group	326	333	309	122	453,920	23,801	662,020	2,139,911	5,472,589	3.13
Men's clothing and furnishings.....	87	89	88	37	133,582	7,935	204,501	856,865	1,835,811	1.05
Clothing—men's, women's, and children's.....	26	22	43	10	62,144	2,040	78,610	310,860	647,781	0.37
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops.....	49	53	80	30	130,209	5,870	146,726	291,460	1,280,994	0.73
Women's accessories stores.....	35	35	22	9	27,429	1,203	38,398	55,951	291,481	0.17
Other apparel and furnishings.....	46	47	20	4	30,093	1,061	52,726	44,135	271,105	0.15
Shoe stores.....	83	87	47	32	70,463	5,780	131,059	580,640	1,145,417	0.66
Furniture and household group	266	267	725	78	1,195,536	24,682	886,098	2,105,540	7,628,728	4.38
Furniture stores.....	69	72	270	26	439,481	9,092	370,687	957,660	3,118,627	1.78
Floor coverings stores.....	6	7	1	1	2,320	500	6,819	22,650	65,309	0.04
Household appliance stores.....	25	4	70	13	140,895	5,031	97,430	182,900	956,447	0.55
Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	74	87	95	14	135,447	3,648	124,621	582,140	1,046,715	0.60
Radio and music stores.....	92	87	289	24	477,393	6,711	286,541	380,190	2,441,030	1.39
Restaurants and eating places	498	581	824	197	937,382	41,549	620,347	140,080	5,801,383	3.31
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	361	409	658	149	721,817	31,335	643,377	104,540	4,290,807	2.45
Lunch counters.....	137	162	166	48	216,005	10,214	182,970	35,560	1,510,516	0.86
Lumber and building group	250	225	1,347	94	2,117,920	27,993	1,277,711	2,738,811	15,270,939	8.72
Lumber and building materials.....	105	70	918	52	1,425,016	15,814	1,001,349	2,295,781	12,086,671	6.90
Electrical shops.....	14	14	17	4	27,078	985	14,146	40,830	144,581	0.08
Heating and plumbing.....	104	113	364	36	598,286	10,510	232,501	333,780	2,739,980	1.57
Paint and glass stores.....	27	28	48	2	67,540	684	29,715	68,420	299,707	0.17
Other retail stores	698	667	1,837	561	2,759,618	140,997	2,462,420	4,826,503	29,764,941	17.00
Hardware stores.....	104	96	225	34	354,122	9,664	310,634	933,425	2,998,372	1.71
Farm and farm implements stores.....	22	28	71	12	103,177	1,694	106,166	308,090	1,228,018	0.70
Farmers' supplies stores.....	150	140	371	71	555,673	9,068	488,380	833,307	9,739,087	5.56
Book stores.....	3	3	5	1	4,400	180	5,778	5,120	32,230	0.02
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	62	64	25	22	32,002	4,288	54,282	80,790	519,888	0.30
Coal and wood yards, ice dealers.....	133	123	422	127	564,178	38,264	397,704	467,610	4,933,199	2.82
Drug stores.....	225	214	425	121	925,973	35,531	509,655	1,227,620	5,850,041	3.34
Florists.....	40	39	89	24	148,597	9,877	117,204	77,930	740,077	0.42
Gift shops, novelties, and toys.....	41	36	39	10	29,248	2,727	63,338	110,940	344,816	0.20
Jewelry stores.....	43	42	37	13	46,108	3,412	71,551	337,150	532,830	0.31
Musical instruments and music stores.....	4	3	4	1	6,078	78	5,617	9,340	63,557	0.04
News dealers.....	41	47	60	75	55,695	10,828	71,090	108,565	919,722	0.53
Opticians and optometrists.....	7	7	1	1	1,550	50	4,652	6,845	36,911	0.02
Sporting goods stores.....	8	9	10	1	13,669	279	3,861	19,880	95,166	0.06
Stationers and printers.....	13	10	19	2	16,956	130	28,513	57,760	266,992	0.12
Not otherwise specified.....	100	104	141	46	197,652	14,937	218,890	216,371	1,488,019	0.85
Secondhand stores	24	24	25	6	28,930	2,700	32,537	92,810	250,470	0.14

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TABLE 55.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

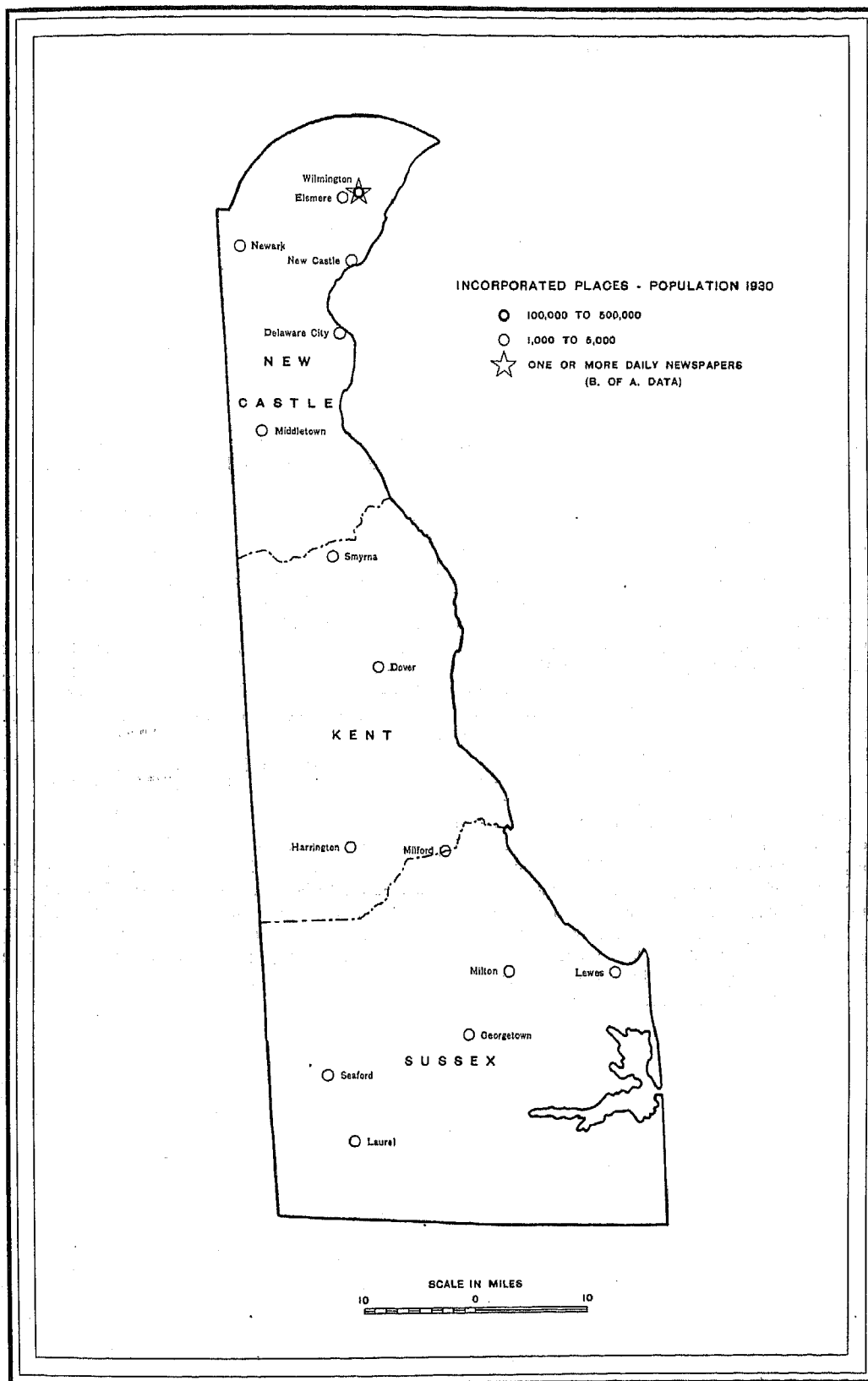
TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES EXCEPT PAY ROLL (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	TOTAL NET SALES	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	6,741	6,451	11,309	2,398	\$16,315,033	\$732,728	\$13,873,196	\$22,586,425	\$175,132,444	100.00
Single-store independents.....	5,714	6,201	8,205	1,720	11,461,818	539,065	10,001,502	18,464,911	125,565,741	71.70
Two-store independents.....	165	81	824	74	1,297,369	16,988	897,692	1,225,401	9,425,269	5.38
Three-store independents.....	27	8	70	4	83,423	930	66,210	138,045	819,544	0.47
Local chains.....	221	3	518	40	763,232	11,756	699,522	575,373	8,619,346	4.92
Sectional chains.....	238	—	427	263	826,802	91,327	682,246	612,444	8,107,981	4.63
National chains.....	208	—	759	243	1,027,568	58,425	1,020,000	582,517	13,050,421	7.87
Other types of operation.....	168	168	506	54	854,821	14,237	635,804	917,734	8,554,142	4.88

TABLE 56.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Two and three store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	6	3	2			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,565,799	\$993,507	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.45	(x)			(x)	
Variety 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	71	50	2		1	18	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,696,170	\$672,882	(x)		(x)	\$963,940	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	39.67	(x)		(x)	56.83	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	87	82	5				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,835,811	\$1,653,161	\$182,650				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.05	9.95				
Family clothing stores:							
Number of stores.....	20	23	1		2		
Annual net sales.....	\$647,781	\$511,691	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.99	(x)		(x)		
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops:							
Number of stores.....	49	46	2		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,289,994	\$1,217,344	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	94.45	(x)		(x)		
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	83	77	1	2	1	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,145,417	\$982,510	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.84	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	69	60	7				2
Annual net sales.....	\$3,118,627	\$2,289,727	(x)				(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	73.45	(x)				(x)
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	92	81	11				
Annual net sales.....	\$2,441,630	\$2,188,040	\$253,590				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.61	10.39				
Grocery stores:							
Number of stores.....	960	572	2	121	130	120	15
Annual net sales.....	\$22,824,114	\$9,520,208	(x)	\$3,637,649	\$5,437,532	\$6,170,400	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	41.71	(x)	15.94	23.83	27.03	(x)
Combination (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	665	571	7	19	2	51	15
Annual net sales.....	\$24,235,261	\$16,049,520	(x)	\$899,915	(x)	\$5,058,480	\$506,211
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	66.26	(x)	3.72	(x)	24.60	2.34
Restaurants and cafeterias:							
Number of stores.....	361	354	7				
Annual net sales.....	\$4,290,867	\$4,118,307	\$172,560				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.98	4.02				
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	62	62					
Annual net sales.....	\$519,888	\$519,888					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	868	728	21	22	76	13	8
Annual net sales.....	\$9,933,733	\$6,827,955	\$362,774	\$691,744	\$1,414,300	\$470,501	\$166,459
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.22	3.62	6.94	14.14	4.72	1.67
Coal, wood, and ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	133	124	5		1		3
Annual net sales.....	\$4,933,199	\$4,198,900	\$293,865		(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.10	5.96		(x)		(x)
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	225	214	10				1
Annual net sales.....	\$5,850,041	\$5,366,585	(x)				(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	91.74	(x)				(x)
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	104	103					1
Annual net sales.....	\$2,998,372	\$2,858,372					\$140,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.33					4.67
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	43	38	5				
Annual net sales.....	\$532,830	\$460,650	\$72,180				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.45	13.55				

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000 GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (Includes Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Other retail stores—Continued.																
Sporting goods stores (including athletic and playground equipment):																
Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	4	\$196			2	\$176					2	\$21				
Stationers and printers:																
Stationers and engravers.....	6	647			3	229			1	\$20	1	10				
Miscellaneous classifications:																
Institutional stores (not for profit).....	4	53							1	27	1	13	2	\$18		
Monuments and tombstones.....	13	202					2	\$72	2	43	6	77	1	5	2	\$4
Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	37	641	1	\$139			2	67	3	64	11	158	10	77	10	36
Secondhand stores.....	29	354	1	114	2	112					4	49	7	48	15	31

TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000 GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (Included in State totals Table 4A)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES EXCEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups ¹	76	\$31,829	4	\$8,289	12	\$3,650	16	\$6,119	44	\$10,771
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	2.06	30.75	.11	6.08	.33	8.36	.43	5.91	1.19	10.40
Food group.....	9	\$3,778	1	\$1,145			4	\$1,781	4	\$650
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1	(x)								
Milk dealers.....	2	(x)								
Grocery stores with meats.....	4	1,359					2	912	2	447
Meat markets.....	2	(x)								
General stores.....	1	(x)								
General merchandise group.....	12	6,018	1	1,128	4	\$2,865	3	998	4	1,027
Department stores without food departments.....	5	2,805	1	1,128	1	817	1	375	2	485
Dry goods stores.....	2	(x)								
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	5	(x)								
Automotive group.....	19	9,346	1	1,992	6	4,320			12	3,034
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	19	9,346	1	1,992	6	4,320			12	3,034
Apparel group.....	5	1,733			1	733			4	1,000
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	3	(x)								
Women's ready to wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	2	(x)							2	526
Furniture and household group.....	8	2,426					4	1,415	4	1,011
Furniture stores.....	5	1,573					3	1,072	2	501
Household appliances stores (electric).....	1	(x)								
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	1	(x)								
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	1	(x)								
Lumber and building group.....	11	3,692			1	732	3	1,265	7	1,695
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	9	(x)								
Lumber and hardware.....	2	(x)								
Other retail stores.....	10	4,364	1	2,024			2	680	7	1,680
Farmers' supplies:										
Coal and feed stores.....	4	957					1	300	3	657
Feed stores with groceries.....	1	(x)								
Coal and wood yards.....	2	(x)								
Drug stores with fountains.....	2	(x)								
Stationers and engravers.....	1	(x)								

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 5A.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCK ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1920)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	3,688	3,417	7,774	1,680	\$9,841,741	\$373,923	\$9,116,968	\$14,493,210	\$103,512,638	100.00
Single-store independents.....	3,080	3,147	5,713	1,130	7,141,899	265,826	6,545,608	11,396,120	73,077,194	70.60
2-store independents.....	57	35	201	24	316,783	5,177	358,138	448,870	3,329,473	3.22
3-store independents.....	26	1	277	16	430,756	3,835	334,294	516,470	3,569,879	3.45
Local chains.....	45		128	39	143,200	6,264	117,686	119,940	1,372,689	1.33
Sectional chains.....	123		497	160	600,492	40,451	414,718	368,260	6,899,259	6.66
National chains.....	123		595	296	736,930	29,315	984,340	581,390	8,006,900	7.73
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	7	4	53		40,801		2,680		88,518	.09
Leased-departments chains.....	6		15	5	24,348	459	35,711	34,840	201,110	.19
Utility-operated retail stores.....	6		32		37,990		6,171	29,070	482,051	.47
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	9		66	1	145,889	250	70,394	97,300	839,611	.81
Retailers—country buyers ¹	173	192	103	73	104,995	13,353	128,195	675,250	3,446,186	3.33
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	26	30	89	25	114,541	8,693	110,272	232,330	2,160,144	2.09
All other types.....	7	7	5	1	3,117	290	2,591	3,670	34,515	.03

¹ These classifications were used only in rural areas and cities of less than 10,000 inhabitants. These stores are usually independently operated.

TABLE 5B.—THE STATE—COUNTY DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

COUNTIES	TOTALS		INDEPENDENT STORES			NATIONAL AND SECTIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales
State total	3,688	\$103,513	3,163	\$79,977	77	246	\$14,905	15	279	\$8,631	8
Kent.....	513	10,342	447	8,059	78	17	924	9	49	1,359	13
New Castle.....	2,436	78,313	2,160	62,587	80	201	12,091	16	75	3,035	4
Sussex.....	739	14,858	556	9,331	63	28	1,290	9	155	4,237	28

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TABLE 6.—THE STATE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	2-and-3-store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	7	5	1			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,053,884	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	40	27		3	1		9
Annual net sales.....	\$2,507,238	\$286,149		\$57,056	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	11.41		2.28	(x)	(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	68	57	4		4	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,184,949	\$2,747,889	\$135,340		\$196,870	\$104,850	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.28	4.25		6.18	3.29	
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	29	21	4		1	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,046,601	\$619,210	\$249,481		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.17	23.84		(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	31	26	3		1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,033,470	\$1,036,130	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	50.46	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	36	21	3	2		1	9
Annual net sales.....	\$1,611,098	\$571,370	\$286,369	(x)	(x)	\$426,772	\$156,102
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	35.46	17.77	(x)	(x)	26.49	9.60
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	55	51	3	1			
Annual net sales.....	\$3,536,540	\$2,997,713	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.76	(x)	(x)			
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	49	43	3		2		1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,500,161	\$1,280,754	\$99,629		(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.37	6.64		(x)		(x)
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	403	265			67	38	33
Annual net sales.....	\$7,707,530	\$2,315,398			\$3,121,684	\$2,053,724	\$216,824
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	30.04			40.50	26.65	2.81
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	414	364	1	7	21	6	15
Annual net sales.....	\$10,062,869	\$6,805,964	(x)	\$304,000	\$2,425,084	\$675,769	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.83	(x)	2.85	22.75	6.34	(x)
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	155	154			1		
Annual net sales.....	\$2,369,929	(x)			(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)			(x)		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	293	277	8			8	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,087,160	\$1,227,645	\$269,990			\$589,515	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.82	12.94			28.24	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	309	247	6	11	11	20	5
Annual net sales.....	\$4,264,238	\$2,298,723	\$298,050	\$456,993	\$267,616	\$890,456	\$42,400
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	54.04	7.00	10.74	6.29	20.93	1.00
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	41	26		15			
Annual net sales.....	\$3,367,266	\$3,321,385		\$45,881			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	98.64		1.38			
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	107	103	2		1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,514,577	\$1,892,364	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.26	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	44	43					1
Annual net sales.....	\$680,534	\$630,239					\$50,295
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	94.87					5.13
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	47	47					
Annual net sales.....	\$1,181,975	\$1,181,975					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					

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TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																				
			ALL CASH		1-10 per cent credit		11-20 per cent credit		21-30 per cent credit		31-40 per cent credit		41-50 per cent credit		51-60 per cent credit		61-70 per cent credit		71-80 per cent credit		Over 80 per cent credit		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	
Furniture and household group:																							
Furniture stores.....	40	\$3,077	9	\$127	3	\$287	5	\$73	2	\$90	2	\$19	4	\$77	1	\$24	1	\$47	3	\$56	16	\$2,277	
Household appliances stores (electric).....	12	320	1	13							1	3							2	116	8	188	
Radio and music stores—																							
Radio and electrical shops.....	37	823	8	121	1	8	3	8	3	18			3	21	2	56	5	105	5	97	7	389	
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	11	663	2	19	1	4	1	4											2	320	5	316	
Lumber and building group:																							
Lumber and building material dealers.....	38	4,502	6	129	3	511	1	43			1	5					3	215	6	704	18	2,805	
Electrical shops (without radio).....	10	188	1	63	2	44					1	9	2	10	1	5	1	20	1	5	1	23	
Heating and plumbing shops—																							
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	3	108													2	141						1	27
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	24	488	2	82	2	34	2	10	3	18	1	1	4	58			1	6	2	33	7	246	
Paint and glass stores.....	22	504	10	164	2	13							3	70	1	36	2	89	2	43	2	89	
Other retail stores:																							
Hardware stores.....	41	890	9	81	2	22	4	72	3	82	7	143	6	143	2	101	5	200	1	5	2	41	
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	37	1,767	6	71	2	27	8	546	2	66	3	108	6	304	1	50	4	225	4	243	1	37	
Clear stores without fountains.....	234	1,841	178	1,388	17	228	15	40	6	30	9	169	5	17	2	15	1	1			1	3	
Coal and wood yards.....	22	3,231	2	8	1	25	2	80					2	78	1	5	9	2,776	2	80	3	179	
Drug stores—																							
Drug stores.....	51	788	27	360	12	238	4	64	2	24	4	81			1	7					1	14	
Drug stores with fountains.....	51	1,691	29	1,140	11	228	3	57	2	20	2	105	1	7	2	120						1	8
Florists.....	20	432	7	60					3	32			2	31	1	17	2	50	4	241	1	1	
Jewelry stores—																							
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	3	327																				3	327
Jewelry stores.....	43	818	25	320	4	50	3	50			1	17	1	1	4	240	1	46	1	44	3	50	
Music stores (without radio).....	4	24	2	4																	2	20	
Sporting goods stores including athletic and playground equipment.....																							
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	4	196			1	11					1	10					1	78	1	97			
Stationers and engravers.....	6	547	1	20											1	10	1	288	2	146	1	83	

TABLE 8.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installment sales (included also in credit sales) ¹	TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installment sales (included also in credit sales) ¹
	Number of stores	Total net sales	Net credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales			Number of stores	Total net sales	Net credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales	
Total.....	1,886	\$64,540,537	\$37,267,102	57.73	\$7,281,515	Direct selling (house-to-house).....	4	\$16,450	\$13,283	80.78	\$5,382
Independent stores ²	1,710	58,478,029	34,279,141	58.82	6,927,905	Utility-operated retail stores.....	5	138,741	133,533	96.25	24,098
Local chains.....	9	350,910	106,763	30.42		Retailers—country buyers ³	137	3,026,972	1,247,405	41.21	
Sectional chains.....	4	310,270	302,449	97.48	107,986	Retailers—wholesalers ³	17	1,586,779	604,052	38.07	
National chains.....	6	270,865	249,210	92.01	108,518	Other types of operation.....	4	361,521	321,261	88.86	56,726

¹ Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported in places having less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor by any stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Therefore this column can not be related to the credit sales column because it is incomplete. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customers notes are handled through finance companies.

² Includes single-store independents and 2 or 3 store independents.

³ These classifications were used only in places of less than 10,000 population. These stores are usually independently operated.

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TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE
A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total.....	5,760	22,290,006	Other stores in which meals are served.....	823	\$171,537
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	4,927	2,118,489	Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	452	113,186
Lunch rooms.....	1,599	594,644	Delicatessen stores.....	8	1,560
Restaurants with table service (including cafeterias).....	3,149	1,517,451	Grocery stores (without meats).....	58	7,900
Refreshment stands.....	5	500	Department stores without food departments.....	80	17,254
Fountain lunches.....	75	35,739	Filling stations with other merchandise.....	204	27,915
Lunch counters.....	99	69,135	Cigar stores without fountains.....	21	3,722

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be taken into consideration in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	496	\$1,604,413	\$30,713	Automotive group—Continued.			
Food group.....	1	4,000	-----	Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	2	\$5,411	-----
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1	3,000	-----	Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	7	17,005	-----
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1	1,000	-----	Filling stations with other merchandise.....	23	50,838	-----
Automotive group.....	485	1,598,541	30,713	Body, fender, and paint shops.....	19	85,363	-----
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	274	643,020	26,465	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	120	570,027	\$4,250
Used-car establishments (including trucks).....	2	17,421	-----	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	1	2,752	-----
Accessory stores with tires and accessories.....	1	10,852	-----	Radiator shops (including repairs).....	9	49,437	-----
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	19	114,650	-----	Radio and electrical shops.....		1,872	-----
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	8	25,185	-----				

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service
Total.....	\$1,067,345	Lumber and building group.....	\$288,051
General merchandise group.....	8,154	Lumber and building material dealers.....	115,336
Department stores without food departments.....	8,154	Roofing.....	6,000
Automotive group.....	10,404	Electrical shops (without radio).....	19,935
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	10,404	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	43,007
Apparel group.....	44,398	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	100,075
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	2,542	Paint and glass stores.....	4,298
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	8,349	Other retail stores.....	532,910
Furriers—fur shops.....	10,000	Hardware stores.....	8,000
Millinery stores.....	085	Cigar stands.....	2,392
Custom tailors.....	2,400	Coal and wood yards.....	247,962
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	11,122	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	5,883
Furniture and household group.....	152,213	Jewelry stores.....	72,049
Furniture stores.....	21,410	Musical stores (without radio).....	850
Furniture and undertaker.....	1,165	News dealers.....	800
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	5,642	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	10,773
Stove and range dealers.....	29,026	Typewriter dealers.....	2,000
Radio and electrical shops.....	75,533	Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	2,380
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	20,037	Stationers and engravers.....	18,359
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	5,000	Institutional stores (not for profit).....	1,069
Restaurants with table service (including cafeterias).....	5,000	Monuments and tombstones.....	1,069
		Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	179,294
		Secondhand stores.....	5,615

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

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TABLE 10.—THE STATE—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹
All groups.....	\$921, 531	\$1, 510, 520	\$1, 006, 433	Furniture and household group.....	\$28, 950	\$13, 150	\$228, 311
Food group.....	168, 476	198, 713		Furniture stores.....			176, 558
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	64, 655			Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	23, 950		5, 000
Milk dealers.....	4, 256	27, 728		Other home furnishings and appliances stores:			
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....		6, 000		China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....		11, 150	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	6, 248	95, 793		Interior decorators.....			5, 622
Grocery stores with meats.....		11, 430		Radio and music stores:			
Meat markets.....	3, 400	47, 562		Radio and electrical shops.....		2, 000	25, 668
Caterers.....	81, 717	5, 000		Radio and musical instruments stores.....			15, 463
Bottled waters and beverages.....	6, 200	6, 200		Lumber and building group.....	82, 615	103, 347	39, 084
General stores.....	3, 000	396, 533		Lumber and building material dealers.....	82, 615	57, 618	27, 909
General stores—groceries with apparel.....		83, 300		Heating appliances and oil burners.....			1, 155
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....		77, 250		Paint and glass stores.....		45, 729	
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	3, 000	135, 983		Other retail stores.....	629, 191	306, 178	102, 374
General merchandise group.....		6, 000	116, 700	Hardware stores.....		12, 605	
Department stores without food departments.....			116, 700	Farmers' supplies:			
General merchandise stores with food departments.....		6, 000		Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	81, 603	61, 744	
Automotive group.....		580, 599	418, 266	Fertilizer stores.....	4, 000	4, 000	
Motor vehicle dealers:				Coal and feed stores.....	15, 607	165, 000	
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....		503, 780	415, 502	Feed stores with groceries.....		29, 010	
Used-car establishments—including trucks.....			1, 000	Cigar stores without fountains.....		8, 544	
Accessories, tires, and batteries:				Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:			
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....		24, 619	1, 754	Coal and wood yards.....	483, 040	13, 500	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....		58, 200		Florists.....		1, 300	
Apparel group.....	16, 400		111, 728	Jewelry stores:			65, 462
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....			52, 669	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....			7, 515
Clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....			11, 000	Jewelry stores.....			
Women's, ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....			41, 863	Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:			
Custom tailors.....	16, 400		6, 196	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....		10, 475	20, 018
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....				Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....			1, 336
				Sporting goods specialty stores.....			3, 045
				Stationers and engravers.....	32, 526		3, 043
				Institutional stores (not for profit).....	7, 615		
				Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....			1, 950

¹ Merchandise manufactured in sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of services and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no returned goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

TABLE 11A.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES, BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS (WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES)

(Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power laundry sales include the full amount received for work done. The cleaning and dyeing establishments' sales include both retail and wholesale, the retail sales for the State aggregating \$209,442.)

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929	Number of mills	Net sale, 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929
State total.....	25	\$708, 329	10	\$324, 675	8	\$724, 671	6	\$222, 552
Wilmington.....	20	627, 539	3	118, 377	5	602, 377	5	196, 484

TABLE 11B.—THE STATE—COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING) OF FARM PRODUCTS BY RETAILERS WHO ARE ALSO ASSEMBLERS

[Retailers who are also country buyers are included in the Retail Census. That part of their business which is assembling is shown below.]

COUNTY	Country buying (assembling)	COUNTY	Country buying (assembling)
State total.....	\$542, 826	New Castle.....	\$22, 821
Kent.....	125, 540	Sussex.....	394, 465

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TABLE 11C.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹
State total.....	\$1,104,362	\$1,494,102	Groceries and food specialties.....	\$178,160	\$178,160
Automotive.....	158,185	163,185	Groceries (general line).....	(x)	500
Chemicals, drugs, and allied products.....	221,631	221,631	Food and grocery specialties.....	(x)	177,660
Dry goods and apparel.....	(x)	90,735	Hardware.....	60,478	60,478
Electrical.....	44,951	44,951	Jewelry and optical goods.....	(x)	(x)
Farm supplies (except machinery and equipment).....	(x)	(x)	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	44,202	44,202
Food products (not elsewhere specified).....	8,975	16,575	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	44,202	44,202
Dairy and poultry products.....	(x)	(x)	Machinery, equipment, and supplies (except electrical).....	(x)	46,329
Fruits and vegetables (fresh).....	850	8,450	Petroleum and petroleum products.....	(x)	367,440
Meats and meat products.....	7,825	7,825	Tobacco and tobacco products (except leaf).....	(x)	75,870

¹ "Wholesalers only", includes only those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for re-sale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches. For types of distributors included in "All types of wholesalers" reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to table 4 therein.

TABLE 12A.—THE STATE—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	Number of employees	Total pay roll	Stocks on hand end of year (at cost)	Net sales (1929)	Per cent of sales		Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	Number of employees	Total pay roll	Stocks on hand end of year (at cost)	Net sales (1929)	Per cent of sales
Total.....	3,688	3,417	7,774	\$9,841,741	\$14,493,210	\$103,512,538	100.00	Corporations.....	533	-----	4,143	\$5,816,493	\$5,963,530	\$50,080,920	48.38
Proprietorships.....	3,059	3,327	3,417	3,768,339	8,276,820	50,784,052	49.06	Corporations and members of cooperative associations.....	6	-----	107	155,656	143,900	1,383,600	1.34
Proprietorships and members of cooperative associations.....	27	28	56	70,938	78,400	974,703	.94	Negro proprietorships.....	61	62	27	18,811	27,780	200,766	1.25

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

TABLE 12B.—THE STATE—STORES OPERATED BY NEGRO PROPRIETORS

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	Number of employees (full-time)	Total pay roll (full-time)	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	Net sales (1929)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	Number of employees (full-time)	Total pay roll (full-time)	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	Net sales (1929)
Total.....	61	62	27	\$18,811	\$27,780	\$260,766	Filling stations.....	7	7	-----	-----	\$1,310	\$12,650
Candy and confectionery stores.....	3	3	1	800	180	6,286	Garages and repair shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Grocery stores (without meats).....	5	5	-----	-----	2,400	15,650	Restaurants and cafeterias.....	15	15	7	\$3,108	1,230	\$2,351
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	11	11	4	1,806	840	24,471
Other food stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Drug stores.....	4	5	5	5,203	7,610	39,350
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Miscellaneous classifications.....	3	3	1	1,280	1,300	20,800
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Secondhand stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins, have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 25.2 per cent)			Department stores without food departments—Continued.		
Bakery products, fresh.....	15.0	3.6	Dry goods and notions—		
Confectionery and nuts.....	48.8	48.8	Cotton piece goods.....	2.9	2.6
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	25.6	25.6	Linen goods.....	4.5	4.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	22.0	22.0	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.8	.3
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 71.6 per cent)			Rayon piece goods.....	3.2	2.0
Butter and cheese.....	2.4	2.3	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	3.4	2.2
Milk and cream.....	97.7	97.7	Notions and small wares.....	3.1	3.1
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 34.1 per cent)			Other dry goods.....	1.8	.7
Bottled beverages.....	10.0	7.0	Furniture, household.....	15.3	5.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	.4	.1	Furs and fur goods.....	2.9	1.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	70.1	70.1	Hardware.....	5.4	.7
Groceries—			Home furnishings—		
Butter and cheese.....	5.0	3.5	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	4.2	1.5
Eggs.....	5.0	3.5	Floor coverings.....	5.3	2.3
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.0	2.1	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.0	.2
Flour.....	7.0	5.0	Kitchen utensils.....	4.6	2.3
Sugar.....	7.0	5.0	Other home furnishings.....	3.8	1.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	3.0	2.1	Household appliances, motor-driven, electric.....	6.1	3.1
Nonfood products.....	(x)	1.6	Infants' wear.....	4.8	3.5
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 11.7 per cent)			Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.3	2.2	Rings, other than diamond.....	.3	.1
Bottled beverages.....	1.1	1.0	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	.3	.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	1.0	Plated silverware.....	.5	.3
Delicatessen ready-to-serve foods.....	5.4	4.5	Sterling silverware.....	.1	.1
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.0	1.4	Other jewelry.....	1.2	.7
Fruits and vegetables.....	7.2	6.8	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves, and hand bags.....	2.1	1.6
Groceries—			Luggage.....	1.2	.1
Butter and cheese.....	8.9	8.0	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2
Eggs.....	5.4	5.4	Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	9.5	1.2
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.9	2.9	Paper and paper goods.....	1.2	.4
Flour.....	.9	.9	Radios and equipment.....	9.9	2.9
Sugar.....	1.7	1.7	Receipts from sale of meals.....	2.1	.6
Canned goods and other groceries.....	21.8	21.8	Service.....	.7	.3
Meats, including poultry.....	34.2	34.2	Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	.6	.4
Milk and cream.....	1.1	.6	Shoes, infants'.....	.8	.3
Nonfood products—			Shoes, misses' and children's.....	1.8	1.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.1	.5	Shoes, men's.....	1.3	.7
Hardware.....	.2	.1	Shoes, women's.....	8.5	7.1
Household supplies.....	2.1	1.0	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	6.4	.8
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	5.1	Stoves, ranges, heaters, (other than electric or gas).....	3.8	.5
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 26.5 per cent)			Toilet articles and preparations.....	.8	.4
Bakery products, fresh.....	.9	.4	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.2	.9
Bottled beverages.....	5.0	2.2	Toys and games.....	1.2	.5
Fruits and vegetables.....	29.1	13.5	Dry goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 66.3 per cent)		
Groceries—			Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Butter and cheese.....	7.8	7.8	Millinery.....	6.7	3.8
Eggs.....	2.7	2.7	Hosiery.....	5.5	5.5
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.2	3.2	Coats, suits and dresses.....	15.8	15.8
Flour.....	.8	.8	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.8	7.8
Sugar.....	.8	.8	Other apparel, except furs.....	17.6	12.2
Canned goods and other groceries.....	4.9	4.9	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	.7	.4
Meats, including poultry.....	63.3	63.3	Clothing and furnishings, (men's and boys').....	8.4	8.4
Milk and cream.....	1.0	.4	Drugs and drug sundries.....	2.4	1.3
Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 41.4 per cent)			Dry goods and notions—		
Butter and cheese.....	10.0	9.9	Cotton piece goods.....	5.4	5.4
Eggs.....	2.1	2.1	Linen goods.....	6.9	6.9
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.7	1.3	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	1.8	1.8
Meats, including poultry.....	86.7	86.7	Rayon piece goods.....	.4	.4
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	6.7	6.7
Department stores (without food departments): (Commodity coverage, 96.1 per cent)			Notions and small wares.....	8.6	8.6
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.4	.5	Furs and fur goods.....	.2	.1
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Home furnishings—		
Children's wear.....	2.3	1.1	Draperies, and curtains.....	4.2	4.2
Millinery.....	.3	.3	Other home furnishings.....	.9	.9
Hosiery.....	8.2	6.7	Infants' wear.....	3.0	3.9
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	18.3	11.6	Leather goods, gloves, and hand bags.....	4.0	1.7
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	10.7	9.3	Paper and paper goods.....	1.4	1.4
Other apparel, except furs.....	2.1	2.0	Shoes, women's.....	2.2	1.0
Automotive parts and accessories.....	23.0	5.9	Toilet articles and preparations.....	.5	.2
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.7	.7
Suits.....	2.0	1.1	Toys and games.....	1.8	.9
Overcoats.....	1.7	.7	Variety, 5- and 10- and to-a-dollar stores:¹ (Commodity coverage, 19.5 per cent)		
Furnishings.....	8.6	4.2	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
			Millinery.....	3.2	1.3
			Hosiery.....	9.1	3.7
			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	5.6	2.9
			Other apparel.....	3.8	3.1
			Appliances and supplies, electric.....	8.8	8.8
			Confectionery and nuts.....	9.3	5.0
			Dry goods and notions.....	8.9	8.5
			Fountain sales and ice cream.....	4.0	2.9

NOTE: Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages shown in this second column should be applied to the sales shown in Table 1. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

¹Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series report on Retail Distribution by Variety Chains, for commodity analysis of chain sales.

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP		
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores—Continued.			Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage 33.3 per cent)		
Flowers, wreaths, etc.	0.8	0.8	Overcoats	25.0	25.0
Furnishings (men's and boys')	5.4	2.2	Suits	75.0	75.0
Hardware	7.0	7.0			
Home furnishings—			Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 76.9 per cent)		
China, glassware, and crockery	4.3	2.5	Furnishings	19.6	19.6
Kitchen utensils	1.5	.6	Hats and caps	80.4	80.4
Other home furnishings	3.5	1.4			
Infants' wear	8.7	3.6	Men's furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 21.7 per cent)		
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks	4.1	4.1	Hats and caps	33.2	33.2
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags)	2.3	1.0	Furnishings	39.1	39.1
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	13.3	Work clothing	4.4	4.4
Music and accessories—			Other clothing	2.5	2.5
Phonograph records	1.0	1.0	Leather goods	5.9	2.9
Sheet music, music books, etc.	2.8	1.7	Shoes	35.7	17.9
Optical goods	.6	.2			
Paints, varnishes, glass and painters' supplies	3.9	2.3	Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 66.3 per cent)		
Radio parts and accessories	5.1	2.1	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')	93.0	93.0
Rubber and other footwear	4.5	1.8	Suits	26.9	
Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock	.6	.4	Overcoats	21.6	
Stationery, books and magazines	6.8	6.8	Hats and caps	6.5	
Toilet articles and preparations	5.5	5.5	Furnishings	37.6	
Toys and games	5.2	5.2	Other clothing	.4	
			Leather goods and gloves	.5	.3
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP			Luggage	.6	.4
Automobile sales rooms: (Commodity coverage, 67.9 per cent)			Service	.3	.2
Automobiles, parts and accessories—			Shoes, boys' and youths'	1.2	.9
Passenger cars, new	54.4	52.5	Shoes, men's	7.1	5.2
Used passenger cars	17.9	17.2			
Buses	4.0	.1	Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 62.9 per cent)		
Commercial cars and trucks, new	11.1	6.0	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's	34.7	34.7
Used commercial cars and trucks	1.0	.5	Hosiery	4.9	
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries)	7.4	7.1	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.	6.9	
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	2.3	1.4	Other apparel, except furs	22.9	
Automobiles, new, sold to dealers	10.5	6.2	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Batteries	1.8	.6	Suits	7.6	7.0
Oils and greases	.7	.4	Overcoats	9.2	8.5
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	2.5	Hats and caps	3.9	3.6
Repairs and service	4.7	4.7	Furnishings	26.0	23.9
Storage	2.0	.3	Work clothing	16.9	11.2
			Other clothing	10.5	5.9
Used-car establishments—including trucks: (Commodity coverage, 92.1 per cent)			Furs and fur goods	10.0	.2
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries)	10.4	10.4	Jewelry, silverware and clocks	3.2	.3
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	16.3	1.1	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags	5.0	1.3
Batteries	2.0	.1	Luggage	1.0	2.6
Repairs and service	40.1	37.4	Miscellaneous merchandise	1.3	.1
Used passenger cars	51.0	51.0	Shoes and other footwear	1.0	.2
Accessory stores with tires and batteries: (Commodity coverage, 63.7 per cent)			Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 71.4 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories—			Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries)	42.2	42.2	Children's wear	.4	.1
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	18.8	11.9	Millinery	8.9	4.9
Parts and accessories sold to dealers	32.0	6.7	Hosiery	8.0	3.1
Batteries	5.4	2.5	Coats, suits, and dresses	69.7	69.7
Fuel oil	12.5	2.0	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.	12.7	8.4
Gasoline	35.2	9.1	Other apparel, except furs	14.6	10.2
Oils and greases	6.5	3.0	Dry goods	1.5	.1
Radio parts and accessories	9.4	7.9	Furs and fur goods	3.0	1.6
Radio sets	26.6	12.4	Jewelry, costume	.7	.2
Repairs and service	3.3	2.3	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags	.9	.7
			Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	.7
Tire shops—including tire repairs: (Commodity coverage, 47.0 per cent)			Receipts from sale of meals	1.4	.4
Automotive parts and accessories—			Service	3.7	.4
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes)	2.7	.6	Toiletries and cosmetics	1.4	.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	71.5	71.5			
Tires, and tubes sold to dealers	32.1	24.5	Shoe stores—women's: (Commodity coverage, 91.7 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	.6
Repairs and service	3.3	3.3	Rubber and other footwear	1.7	.8
			Shoes, misses' and children's	10.1	.3
Filling stations (gasoline and oil): (Commodity coverage, 13.2 per cent)			Shoes, women's	97.8	97.8
Gasoline	85.1	85.1			
Oils and greases	13.5	13.5	Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 60.6 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	1.4	Furnishings, men's and boys'	5.9	1.7
			Hosiery, women's and children's	4.1	2.5
Filling stations (with other merchandise): (Commodity coverage, 11.3 per cent)			Service	1.9	.3
Gasoline	67.8	67.8	Shoes and other footwear—		
Oils and greases	23.0	23.0	Boys' and youths'	2.6	.9
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	4.0	Infants'	1.4	.5
Repairs and service	5.2	5.2	Men's	18.7	15.7
			Misses' and children's	9.9	7.2
			Women's	61.9	61.3
			Rubber and other footwear	10.4	5.3

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COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification	COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP—Continued		
Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 74.9 per cent)			Lumber and building material dealers—Continued.		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's.....	5.0	0.2	Building materials—Continued.		
Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'.....	5.0	.2	Wall boards (except wood base).....	2.2	1.1
Dry goods and notions.....	20.0	.9	Other building materials.....	5.0	2.5
Furniture—			Fuel—		
Bedroom.....	16.3	10.3	Coal.....	27.2	12.9
Living room, library and hall.....	22.2	22.2	Fuel oil.....	4.7	1.3
Dining room.....	15.0	15.0	Furniture, kitchen.....	.6	.1
Kitchen.....	5.0	5.0	Gasoline.....	3.1	.9
Other household.....	4.9	4.9	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	3.1	.3
Home furnishings—			Oils and greases.....	.8	.2
Floor coverings.....	11.4	11.2	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.4	.1
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	9.6	0.9	Service.....	(x)	4.2
China, glassware and crockery.....	1.5	.4	Electrical shops (without radio):		
Kitchen utensils.....	6.3	.2	(Commodity coverage, 33.7 per cent)		
Other home furnishings.....	1.1	.3	Construction materials.....	31.6	31.6
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	.1	.1	Household appliances, motor-driven.....	3.2	3.2
Radio sets.....	11.8	7.4	Lighting equipment.....	43.5	43.5
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	3.5	.5	Other appliances.....	21.7	21.7
Secondhand furniture.....	2.5	.1	Heating appliances and oil burners:		
Service.....	3.1	.6	(Commodity coverage, 84.4 per cent)		
Stoves and ranges, gas.....	5.7	4.2	Heating equipment and supplies.....	64.2	64.2
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	8.0	2.6	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	22.9	17.4
Toys and games.....	9.2	.9	Service.....	18.4	18.4
Household appliances stores—electrical:			Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating:		
(Commodity coverage, 63.7 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 16.2 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	68.3	68.3
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrig- erators).....	57.5	57.5	Service.....	31.7	31.7
Lighting equipment.....	8.4	6.2	Paint and glass stores:		
Construction materials.....	4.6	3.4	(Commodity coverage, 45.1 per cent)		
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	14.7	10.8	Hardware.....	2.0	.9
Radio sets.....	3.0	2.2	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	42.0	42.0
Refrigerators, electric.....	23.4	17.3	Glass.....	33.7	24.9
Secondhand goods.....	9.8	2.4	Painters' supplies.....	8.8	8.8
Service.....	.7	.2	Service.....	4.2	1.4
Radio and electrical shops:			Wallpaper.....	71.4	22.0
(Commodity coverage, 40.7 per cent)			OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Hardware stores:		
Household appliances, motor-driven.....	27.8	15.9	(Commodity coverage, 9.6 per cent)		
Household heating appliances, portable.....	1.3	.5	Appliances, electric.....	2.0	2.0
Incandescent lamps.....	6.3	2.6	Farm and garden equipment and supplies—		
Construction materials.....	29.3	11.8	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	2.0	2.0
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	1.3	.5	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	4.0	4.0
Appliances, other.....	1.6	1.1	Fertilizers.....	1.0	1.0
Cameras.....	2.3	.5	Hardware—		
Radio parts and accessories.....	2.2	2.2	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	27.3	27.3
Radio sets.....	46.0	46.0	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	9.1	9.1
Refrigerators, electric.....	13.2	5.3	Other hardware.....	36.5	30.5
Service.....	21.2	13.6	Kitchen utensils.....	6.0	6.0
Radio and musical instruments stores:			Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	4.5	4.5
(Commodity coverage, 67.0 per cent)			Glass.....	4.5	4.5
Planes and accessories.....	29.2	29.2	Painters' supplies.....	1.1	1.1
Phonographs and records.....	13.6	11.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	2.0	2.0
Radio parts and accessories.....	8.1	8.1	Cigar stores (without fountains):		
Radio sets.....	45.0	45.0	(Commodity coverage, 20.3 per cent)		
Service.....	4.0	3.4	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	78.3	78.3
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	2.7	1.8	Confectionery and nuts.....	15.3	8.7
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Magazines and newspapers.....	19.6	7.0
Lunch rooms:			Smokers' supplies.....	6.0	6.0
(Commodity coverage, 13.3 per cent)			Coal and wood yards:		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.2	4.2	(Commodity coverage, 89.9 per cent)		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	95.8	95.8	Building materials—		
Restaurants with table service:			Building stone.....	1.7	.2
(Commodity coverage, 34.4 per cent)			Cement.....	4.6	.6
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.3	2.0	Lime, plaster, etc.....	2.7	.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	3.3	.4	Other building materials.....	1.0	.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	97.6	97.6	Fuel—		
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Coal.....	64.7	64.7
Lumber and building material dealers:			Fuel oil.....	14.8	11.0
(Commodity coverage, 50.9 per cent)			Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	2.4	.3
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Gasoline.....	4.2	2.9
Lighting equipment.....	3.1	.3	Oils and greases.....	1.0	.7
Incandescent lamps.....	1.4	.1	Hardware.....	1.3	.1
Other appliances.....	15.8	1.5	Ice.....	27.0	18.6
Builders' and shelf hardware.....	1.4	.1	Refrigerators.....	14.6	.4
Building materials—			Service.....	(x)	.1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	5.9	3.0	Drug stores:		
Cement.....	16.8	8.6	(Commodity coverage, 13.7 per cent)		
Lime, plaster, etc.....	14.9	7.7	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	7.0	7.0
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	50.5	29.8	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	34.5	34.5
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	19.4	10.7	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	8.3
Wood shingles and shakes.....	3.2	1.6	Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	1.0	.9
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	5.4	2.7	Rubber goods.....	4.8	4.4
Iron and other building metal.....	19.0	9.4	Surgical and hospital supplies.....	4.4	4.0
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	1.8	.9	Prescriptions.....	21.9	21.9
			Toilet articles.....	5.1	5.1
			Toiletries and cosmetics.....	13.9	13.9

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALE BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of stores sell- ing such commod- ity	Per cent of each commod- ity sold to total sales of all stores in same clas- sification
OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Drug stores (with fountains): (Commodity coverage, 44.4 per cent)			Jewelry stores—Continued.		
Bottled beverages.....	2.5	0.7	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.0	1.8	Clocks.....	2.9	2.0
Confectionery and nuts.....	5.7	2.2	Watches.....	12.3	12.3
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	50.3	50.3	Diamond jewelry.....	20.3	20.3
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	11.7	11.7	Rings, other than diamond.....	3.3	2.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.1	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	13.4	12.5
Stationery, books, periodicals.....	3.0	.8	Plated silverware.....	17.6	14.2
Rubber goods.....	2.4	2.4	Sterling silverware.....	11.1	11.1
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	3.5	1.0	Other jewelry.....	3.9	3.6
Prescriptions.....	15.4	11.4	Leather goods, bill folds, and purses.....	.2	.2
Toilet articles.....	2.8	2.8	Optical goods.....	11.7	6.6
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	13.8	13.8	Service.....	10.5	8.5
Toy shops: (Commodity coverage, 99.4 per cent)			Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail): (Commodity coverage, 83.3 per cent)		
China, glassware, and crockery.....	8.9	4.2	Office and store equipment—		
Kitchen utensils.....	10.0	4.7	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	47.9	47.9
Other home furnishings.....	15.7	7.4	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	12.3
Novelties.....	35.0	18.5	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	32.5	18.0
Sporting goods.....	2.9	1.4	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	2.3
Toys and games.....	63.8	63.8	Service.....	7.0	4.1
Jewelry stores (installment credit): (Commodity coverage, 100 per cent)			Stationery.....	24.5	14.4
Household heating appliances, portable electric.....	2.0	.6	Sporting goods, specialty stores: (Commodity coverage, 76.6 per cent)		
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—			Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	8.9	4.7
Clocks.....	1.3	.8	Service.....	(x)	.6
Watches.....	39.6	39.6	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	92.2	92.2
Diamond jewelry.....	41.5	41.5	Toys and games.....	2.5	2.5
Rings, other than diamond.....	5.4	5.4	Stationers and engravers: (Commodity coverage, 94.5 per cent)		
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	4.2	4.2	Office and store furniture.....	12.3	12.3
Plated silverware.....	4.5	4.5	Service.....	(x)	3.5
Sterling silverware.....	.4	.3	Stationery, books, and magazines—		
Other jewelry.....	1.1	.6	Books.....	14.2	7.9
Leather goods, billfolds, and purses.....	1.2	.7	Magazines and newspapers.....	1.5	.9
Service.....	2.5	1.8	Paper and paper goods.....	29.6	29.6
Jewelry stores: (Commodity coverage, 32.3 per cent)			Other stationery.....	45.1	45.1
China, glassware, and crockery.....	13.7	5.1	Typewriters and accessories.....	1.3	.7

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TABLE 17.—WILMINGTON—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1928)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	1,990	1,672	5,688	882	\$7,590,053	\$210,212	\$7,050,966	\$8,866,880	\$68,246,208	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,701	1,647	4,184	681	5,544,852	150,077	5,068,678	6,908,920	49,844,470	71.98
2-store independents.....	36	21	149	15	250,091	3,520	290,897	298,420	2,483,464	3.59
3-store independents.....	18	-----	286	13	370,044	3,435	290,736	370,200	2,320,068	4.22
Local chains.....	30	-----	74	7	88,450	1,190	70,112	46,599	800,920	1.16
Sectional chains.....	88	-----	365	100	448,378	27,506	309,670	280,130	5,032,550	7.27
National chains.....	96	-----	624	100	646,583	23,769	899,052	512,770	6,083,440	8.95
Manufacturer-controlled chains (and sales branch systems).....	9	-----	66	1	145,889	250	76,364	97,300	839,611	1.21
Other types of operation.....	12	4	90	5	89,100	459	39,657	43,470	635,655	0.92

TABLE 18.—WILMINGTON—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores: Number of stores.....	6	5	-----	-----	-----	1	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$2,934,884	(x)	-----	-----	-----	(x)	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	-----	-----	-----	(x)	-----
Variety, 5- and 10, and to-a-dollar stores: Number of stores.....	22	15	-----	-----	-----	7	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$2,160,018	\$153,035	-----	-----	-----	\$2,006,083	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	7.08	-----	-----	-----	92.92	-----
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores: Number of stores.....	43	32	4	-----	4	3	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$2,597,081	\$2,160,021	\$135,340	-----	\$196,570	\$104,850	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.17	5.21	-----	7.58	4.04	-----
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's: Number of stores.....	16	9	3	-----	1	8	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$401,430	\$386,339	\$237,281	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.21	29.61	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: Number of stores.....	18	14	2	-----	1	1	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,669,424	\$1,301,984	(x)	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.99	(x)	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Shoe stores: Number of stores.....	32	14	3	2	1	0	3
Annual net sales.....	\$1,370,101	\$330,373	\$286,372	(x)	(x)	\$426,772	\$156,102
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	31.06	18.00	(x)	(x)	28.30	10.85
Furniture stores: Number of stores.....	32	30	2	-----	-----	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$2,933,802	(x)	(x)	-----	-----	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	-----	-----	-----	-----
Radio and music stores: Number of stores.....	26	23	1	-----	2	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,189,435	\$1,008,028	(x)	-----	(x)	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.75	(x)	-----	(x)	-----	-----
Grocery stores (without meats): Number of stores.....	161	87	-----	-----	47	26	1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,517,690	\$604,190	-----	-----	\$2,164,986	\$1,376,665	\$11,775
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	21.34	-----	-----	47.92	30.48	1.26
Combination stores (groceries and meats): Number of stores.....	295	278	-----	-----	14	3	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$7,192,729	\$5,285,336	-----	-----	\$1,631,284	\$276,100	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	73.48	-----	-----	22.68	3.84	-----
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms: Number of stores.....	86	80	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,712,702	\$1,712,702	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Cigar stores and cigar stands: Number of stores.....	276	261	7	-----	-----	-----	8
Annual net sales.....	\$2,004,982	\$1,150,187	\$265,280	-----	-----	-----	\$539,515
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	57.37	13.23	-----	-----	-----	29.40
Filling stations: Number of stations.....	54	10	1	0	7	21	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,832,116	\$351,462	(x)	(x)	\$197,701	\$825,199	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	19.18	(x)	(x)	10.79	45.04	-----
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers: Number of yards.....	30	15	-----	15	-----	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$3,102,071	\$3,116,190	-----	\$45,881	-----	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	98.55	-----	1.45	-----	-----	-----
Drug stores: Number of stores.....	63	59	2	-----	1	1	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,756,283	\$1,134,070	(x)	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.57	(x)	-----	(x)	(x)	-----
Hardware stores: Number of stores.....	20	20	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$387,950	\$387,950	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Jewelry stores: Number of stores.....	27	27	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Annual net sales.....	\$1,053,099	\$1,053,099	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

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TABLE 19.—WILMINGTON—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	Over 80 per cent credit
Total, all stores reporting : ¹	1,860		924	154	96	83	75	99	47	79	103	290
Number of stores.....	100.00		49.68	8.28	5.16	4.40	4.03	5.32	2.53	4.25	5.54	10.75
Per cent of total stores.....			\$21,169	\$3,363	\$2,057	\$1,719	\$2,276	\$3,923	\$1,800	\$7,870	\$4,079	\$14,527
Amount of net sales.....		\$62,863	33.66	5.35	3.27	2.73	3.62	6.24	3.01	12.52	6.49	23.11
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00										
Food group:												
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	103	966	783	45	12	8	101	5	10	2		
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	8	118	55	7				2	28			28
Delicatessen stores.....	13	239	124	74	39		2	12	2	34	9	171
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	43	661	315	13	119	98	23	44	39	25	120	77
Grocery stores (without meats).....	160	4,514	3,693	77								288
Combination stores (groceries and meats):												
Grocery stores with meats.....	263	6,232	2,141	355	224	148	584	546	189	730	650	665
Meat markets with groceries.....	26	908	240	31	95	68		21	93	87	103	170
Meat markets (including sea foods):												
Fish markets—sea foods.....	21	397	266	89	7						23	12
Meat markets.....	54	2,035	308	266	234	604	270				86	64
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	17	130	82	20				18				10
General merchandise group:												
Department stores—without food departments.....	5	2,118	375			130				1,128		485
Dry goods stores.....	50	355	185	59	27	24	7	39		26	5	14
General merchandise stores—without food departments.....	3	55	30	25								
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	21	2,155	2,049	76	6	4	20					
Automotive group:												
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	23	9,007	73				439	1,992		1,080	938	4,485
Accessories, tires, and batteries:												
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	9	495	146		58			77		95		119
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	12	446	74		93			17		40	217	35
Filling stations:												
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	17	494	160			28	202		2	6		
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	5	111	62			32		17				
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	4	276	193		31							52
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	52	478	123	53	23	21	6	117		21	65	49
Apparel group:												
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:												
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	10	392	241	23		3		30		90		
Men's furnishings stores.....	11	385	239	88		48	10					
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	11	1,564	239	11	251	43		24	817			179
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	14	745	168			12		142				423
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	17	1,642	386	73	118			270	9	431	194	152
Women's accessories stores:												
Furriers—fur shops.....	4	37	7		6			10			14	
Millinery stores.....	15	253	196	2		11		20		24		
Shoe stores:												
Shoe stores—women's.....	5	299	274					25				
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	27	1,071	570	113	227	140						21
Furniture and household group:												
Furniture stores.....	29	2,650	36	276	45	28	16	36	24	47		2,116
Household appliances stores (electric).....	6	179	13								110	60
Radio and music stores:												
Radio and electrical shops.....	16	699	28			10		19	56	74	87	365
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	9	566	13	3	4							230
Lumber and building group:												
Lumber and building material dealers.....	7	1,834	85	471							414	864
Electrical shops (without radio).....	7	158	63	33				9	5	20	5	23
Heating and plumbing shops:												
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	3	168							141			27
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	9	307	23	24				39				221
Paint and glass stores.....	16	434	112	13				52	30	89	43	89
Other retail stores:												
Hardware stores.....	19	384	58	9	68	12	36		11	144	5	41
Cigar stores without fountains.....	13	3,086	6	25	46			65		2,749	65	130
Drug stores:												
Drug stores.....	25	378	181	166	6	3	8				14	8
Drug stores with fountains.....	34	1,344	913	149	28	8	105	7	126	17	50	241
Florists.....	13	371	10			32		21				
Jewelry stores:												
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	3	7										7
Jewelry stores.....	23	690	265	7	45				233	46	45	49
Musical stores (without radio).....	3	23	4									19
Sporting goods—specialty stores.....	4	196		11				10		78	97	83
Stationers and engravers.....	6	547	20						10	288	146	

¹ All stores did not report as to their credit activities or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes stores in the State which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 16 except for 130 stores with sales of \$6,383,208 which failed to report as to their credit activities.

TABLE 20.—WILMINGTON—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, ON OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment ²
Total ³	936	38.89	45.94	17.17					
Food group.....	409	43.98	56.02		Apparel group—Continued.				
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	22	70.11	29.89		Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	9	18.98	37.16	43.86
Dairy products stores—					Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	10	42.84	57.16	
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	3	30.92	69.08		Women's accessories stores—				
Milk dealers.....	7	1.83	98.17		Furriers—fur shops.....	3	47.45	52.55	
Delicatessen stores.....	4	90.85	9.15		Millinery stores.....	5	48.00	52.00	
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	12	33.09	61.91		Children's specialty shops.....	3	38.43	61.57	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	62	43.78	56.22		Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....		78.36	21.04	
Combination stores (groceries and meats)—					Furniture and household group.....	64	18.97	39.84	43.19
Grocery stores with meats.....	225	44.96	55.04		Furniture stores.....	26	18.11	28.63	53.26
Meat markets with groceries.....	20	41.35	58.65		Household appliances stores (electric).....	5	20.25	42.24	37.51
Meat markets (including sea foods)—					Stove and range dealers.....	4	72.19	27.81	
Fish markets—sea foods.....	8	76.46	23.54		Radio and music stores—				
Meat markets.....	37	69.76	30.24		Radio and electrical shops.....	13	18.33	59.00	22.07
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	5	62.79	37.21		Radio and musical instruments stores.....	8	11.30	21.36	67.34
General merchandise group.....	55	38.07	50.85	11.08	Restaurant, cafeterias, and eating places.....	18	93.05	6.05	
Department stores.....	4	32.88	52.43	14.69	Restaurants, cafeterias—				
Dry goods stores.....	27	65.92	34.08		Lunch rooms.....	7	90.62	9.38	
General merchandise stores ⁴	15	18.86	81.14		Restaurants with table service.....	8	96.58	3.42	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	7	88.00	11.10		Lumber and building group.....	35	35.49	63.86	.65
Automotive group.....	104	31.18	26.41	42.41	Lumber and building material dealers.....	7	36.57	63.29	.14
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	21	27.73	21.20	51.07	Electrical shops (without radio).....	6	52.80	47.20	
Accessories, tires, and batteries—					Heating and plumbing shops—				
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	7	37.09	62.91		Heating appliances and oil burners.....	3	42.70	48.36	8.04
Battery shops (including repairs).....	8	53.89	46.11		Plumbing shops—heating and venting.....	8	19.93	80.07	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	9	34.70	65.30		Paint and glass stores.....	10	33.30	66.20	
Filling stations—					Other retail stores.....	180	39.24	57.28	3.48
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	9	66.73	33.27		Hardware stores.....	13	49.18	50.82	
Filling stations, tires, accessories, and other merchandise.....	4	49.29	50.71		Cigar stores without fountains.....	52	77.82	22.18	
Garages and repair shops—					Coal and wood yards.....	12	34.02	65.98	
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	5	48.97	51.03		Drug stores—				
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	32	51.46	48.54		Drug stores.....	11	90.53	9.47	
Parking stations, parking garages and lots.....	4	31.85	68.15		Drug stores with fountains.....	16	69.77	30.23	
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	3	66.59	33.41		Florists.....	11	30.68	69.32	
Apparel group.....	59	48.73	45.70	5.52	Art and gift shops.....	5	41.12	58.88	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores—					Jewelry stores—				
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	4	51.21	48.79		Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	3	6.75	10.35	78.00
Men's furnishings stores.....	4	85.15	14.85		Jewelry stores.....	10	42.24	57.76	
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	7	50.57	49.43		Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	4	34.89	65.11	
					Stationers and engravers.....	5	30.62	69.38	
					Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	14	15.11	84.89	
					Secondhand stores.....	13	81.74	18.26	

¹ Total sales of above stores are \$41,704,401.

² Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$50,000 annually. The open account sales include any installment business that may have been done by these smaller stores. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customers notes were handled through finance companies.

³ Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from this table but are included in the totals.

⁴ This classification includes 13 general stores.

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TABLE 21.—WILMINGTON—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	3,597	\$1,751,479	Other stores in which meals are served	456	\$128,641
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	3,141	1,624,838	Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	355	105,565
Lunch rooms.....	1,032	422,127	Department stores without food departments.....	80	17,254
Restaurants with table service (including cafeterias).....	2,035	1,171,776	Cigar stores without fountains.....	21	3,722
Lunch counters.....	74	30,935			

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject is contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be taken into consideration in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total	327	\$965,836	\$30,713	Automotive group—Continued.			
Automotive group	327	965,814	30,713	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	57	\$233,676	\$4,250
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	200	421,722	26,463	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	1	2,752	
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	1	9,852		Radiator shops (including repairs).....	9	40,437	
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	18	105,680		Other retail stores		1,872	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	8	25,135		Radio and electrical shops.....		1,872	
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....		1,254		Secondhand stores		150	
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	2	4,246					
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	12	24,747					
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	19	85,313					

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service
Total	\$975,728	Lumber and building group	\$250,080
General merchandise group	8,154	Lumber and building material dealers.....	115,336
Department stores without food departments.....	8,154	Electrical shops (without radio).....	16,935
Apparel group	43,898	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	43,007
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	2,542	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	70,504
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	8,340	Paint and glass stores.....	4,298
Furriers—fur shops.....	19,000	Other retail stores	520,648
Millinery stores.....	985	Cigar stands.....	2,392
Custom tailors.....	2,490	Coal and wood yards.....	247,962
Shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	10,622	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	5,883
Furniture and household group	147,333	Jewelry stores.....	54,436
Furniture stores.....	21,260	Music stores (without radio).....	800
Household appliances stores (electric).....	4,452	News dealers.....	800
Stove and range dealers.....	29,026	Office and store mechanical appliances dealers (retail).....	10,773
Radio and electrical shops.....	72,658	Typewriter dealers.....	2,000
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	20,037	Sporting goods, specialty stores.....	2,380
		Stationers and engravers.....	18,359
		Institutional stores (not for profit).....	1,069
		Undertakers' supplies (including some service).....	173,794
		Secondhand stores	5,615

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

TABLE 22.—WILMINGTON—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain); (Commodity coverage, 37.0 per cent)			Department stores—without food departments—Contd.		
Bakery products, fresh.....	15.0	3.6	Appliances and supplies (electric).....	6.0	3.2
Confectionery and nuts.....	48.7	48.7	Automotive parts and accessories—		
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	25.6	25.6	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	9.0	1.2
Receipts from sale of meals.....	22.1	22.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	36.9	5.0
Milk dealers:			Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
(Commodity coverage, 71.6 per cent)			Suits.....	1.2	.7
Butter and cheese.....	2.4	2.3	Overcoats.....	.2	.1
Milk and cream.....	97.7	97.7	Furnishings.....	9.4	4.9
Fruit stores and vegetable markets:			Dry goods and notions—		
(Commodity coverage, 33.1 per cent)			Cotton piece goods.....	3.1	3.0
Bottled beverages.....	10.0	7.7	Linen goods.....	4.1	4.0
Confectionery and nuts.....	.4	.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.6	.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	76.4	76.4	Rayon piece goods.....	3.1	2.1
Groceries—			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	2.4	2.3
Butter and cheese.....	5.0	3.8	Notions and small wares.....	3.6	3.5
Eggs.....	5.0	3.8	Dry goods, other.....	1.8	.8
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.0	2.3	Furs and fur goods.....	2.9	1.3
Flour.....	1.2	.9	Hardware.....	5.4	.7
Sugar.....	1.2	.9	Infants' wear.....	4.8	3.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	3.0	2.3	Home furnishings—		
Nonfood products.....	(x)	1.8	Drapery, upholstery, and curtains.....	4.2	1.6
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats:			Floor coverings.....	5.3	2.5
(Commodity coverage, 16.2 per cent)			China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.9	.2
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.4	2.4	Kitchen utensils.....	6.6	2.5
Bottled beverages.....	1.1	1.1	Other home furnishings.....	3.8	1.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	1.1	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Deli-cates-sen, ready-to-serve foods.....	5.4	4.9	Rings, other than diamond.....	.3	.2
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.0	1.5	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	.6	.4
Fruits and vegetables.....	7.4	7.4	Plated silverware.....	.6	.1
Groceries—			Sterling silverware and clocks.....	.2	.1
Butter and cheese.....	8.2	8.2	Jewelry, other.....	2.1	1.7
Eggs.....	5.0	5.0	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves and handbags.....	1.2	.1
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.7	2.7	Luggage.....	1.2	.2
Flour.....	.8	.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	2
Sugar.....	.6	.6	Faints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	9.5	1.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	20.4	20.4	Radios and equipment.....	9.0	3.1
Meats, including poultry.....	37.0	37.0	Receipts from sale of meals.....	2.1	.6
Milk and cream.....	1.1	.6	Service.....	.7	.3
Nonfood products—			Shoes and other footwear—		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.1	.5	Men's.....	.5	.3
Hardware.....	.2	.1	Boys' and youths'.....	.1	.1
Household supplies.....	.2	.1	Women's.....	8.6	7.6
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	5.6	Misses' and children's.....	1.8	1.6
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries:			Infants'.....	.7	.4
(Commodity coverage, 37.4 per cent)			Sporting goods, gymnasium, and playground equip-		
Bakery products, fresh.....	.9	.4	ment.....	6.4	.9
Bottled beverages.....	5.0	2.3	Stoves, ranges, and heaters, etc.....	3.8	.5
Fruits and vegetables.....	29.1	13.5	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.2	.9
Groceries—			Toys and games.....	1.2	.5
Butter and cheese.....	7.8	7.8	Dry goods stores:		
Eggs.....	2.7	2.7	(Commodity coverage, 79.8 per cent)		
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.2	3.2	Apparel and accessories (women's, misses', and chil-		
Flour.....	.8	.8	dren's)—		
Sugar.....	.8	.8	Millinery.....	6.7	3.8
Canned goods and other groceries.....	4.9	4.9	Hosiery.....	5.5	5.5
Meats, including poultry.....	63.2	63.2	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	15.8	15.8
Milk and cream.....	1.0	.4	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.8	7.8
Meat markets:			Other apparel, except furs.....	17.6	12.2
(Commodity coverage, 50.6 per cent)			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	.7	.4
Butter and cheese.....	10.0	10.0	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	8.4	8.4
Eggs.....	2.1	2.1	Drug and drug sundries.....	2.4	1.3
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	.5	.4	Dry goods and notions—		
Meats, including poultry.....	87.5	87.5	Cotton piece goods.....	5.4	5.4
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			Linen goods.....	6.9	6.9
Department stores (without food departments):			Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	1.8	1.8
(Commodity coverage, 94.0 per cent)			Rayon piece goods.....	.4	.4
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.4	.6	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	6.7	6.7
Apparel and accessories (women's, misses', children's)—			Notions and small wares.....	8.6	8.6
Children's wear.....	2.2	1.1	Furs and fur goods.....	.2	.1
Millinery.....	.8	.3	Home furnishings—		
Hosiery.....	8.2	7.2	Draperies and curtains.....	4.2	4.2
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	13.3	12.3	Other home furnishings.....	.9	.9
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	10.6	9.8	Infants' wear.....	3.9	3.9
Other apparel, except furs.....	2.2	2.2	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	4.0	1.7

Note.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages shown in this second column should be applied to the sales shown in Table 16. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

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TABLE 22.—WILMINGTON—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP		
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: ¹ (Commodity coverage, 19.4 per cent)			Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 35.0 per cent)		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Suits.....	75.0	75.0
Millinery.....	3.2	1.5	Overcoats.....	25.0	25.0
Hosiery.....	4.1	1.9			
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	.5	.2	Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 76.9 per cent)		
Other apparel except furs.....	.9	.4	Hats and caps.....	80.3	80.3
Appliances and supplies, electrical.....	10.3	10.3	Furnishings.....	19.7	19.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	9.3	6.4	Men's furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 26.2 per cent)		
Dry goods and notions—			Hats and caps.....	33.3	33.3
Notions and small wares.....	5.7	5.7	Furnishings.....	39.1	39.1
Dry goods, other.....	5.7	5.7	Other clothing.....	2.5	2.5
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.9	.9	Leather goods.....	5.9	2.9
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	1.5	1.0	Shoes.....	35.7	17.9
Fruits and vegetables.....	.1	.1	Work clothing.....	4.3	4.3
Furnishings.....	.4	.2	Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 85.6 per cent)		
Hardware.....	8.1	8.1	Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'—		
Home furnishings—			Suits.....	32.2	32.2
China, glassware, crockery.....	.8	.6	Overcoats.....	16.7	16.7
Kitchen utensils.....	1.5	.7	Hats and caps.....	6.8	6.6
Other home furnishings.....	3.5	1.7	Furnishings.....	37.7	37.7
Infants' wear.....	8.7	4.1	Other clothing.....	.7	.5
Jewelry.....	4.8	4.8	Leather goods and gloves.....	.5	.4
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	2.3	1.1	Luggage.....	.6	.4
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	15.5	Shoes, men's.....	7.1	5.2
Music and accessories—			Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	.2	.1
Phonograph records.....	1.2	1.2	Service.....	.3	.2
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	2.8	1.9	Clothing stores—men's, women's and children's: (Commodity coverage, 69.1 per cent)		
Optical goods.....	.6	.3	Automotive parts and accessories.....	1.3	.1
Paints, varnishes, glass and painters' supplies.....	3.9	2.7	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Rubber and other footwear.....	4.5	2.1	Suits.....	7.7	7.1
Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	5.0	.4	Overcoats.....	9.5	8.7
Stationery, books and magazines.....	8.0	8.0	Hats and caps.....	1.0	.9
Toilet articles and preparations.....	6.4	6.4	Furnishings.....	26.3	24.2
Toys and games.....	6.1	6.1	Work clothing.....	17.2	11.4
			Other clothing.....	10.8	6.1
			Apparel and accessories, women's, misses' and children's.....	36.6	36.6
				36.6	
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP			Hosiery.....	4.3	
Automobile salesrooms: (Commodity coverage, 97.4 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	12.2	
Automobiles, parts and accessories—			Other apparel.....	20.1	
Passenger automobiles, new.....	54.4	52.5	Jewelry.....	3.2	.8
Used passenger cars.....	17.9	17.3	Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	5.0	1.3
Buses.....	4.0	.1	Luggage.....	10.0	2.6
Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	11.1	6.0	Shoes and other footwear.....	1.0	.2
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	1.0	.5			
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, and tubes).....	7.4	7.1	Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 86.4 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	2.3	1.4	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	10.5	5.2	Children's wear.....	.4	.1
Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	14.9	.6	Millinery.....	8.9	4.9
Used commercial cars and trucks, sold to dealers.....	6.8	.1	Hosiery.....	8.0	3.1
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	7.0	.3	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	69.5	69.5
Batteries.....	1.8	.5	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	12.7	8.5
Gasoline.....	.7	.5	Other apparel, except furs.....	15.6	10.2
Oils and greases.....	.5	.4	Dry goods and notions—		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	2.5	Notions and small wares.....	1.5	.1
Repairs and service.....	4.7	4.7	Dry goods, other.....	1.5	.1
Storage.....	2.0	.3	Furs and fur goods.....	3.0	1.6
			Jewelry, costumes.....	.7	.2
Accessory stores with tires and batteries: (Commodity coverage, 71.7 per cent)			Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	.9	.2
Automotive parts and accessories—			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.7
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	39.2	39.2	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.4	.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	20.2	16.4	Service.....	3.7	1.4
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	32.0	6.9	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.4	.2
Batteries.....	5.4	2.6			
Fuel oil.....	12.5	2.1	Shoe stores, women's: (Commodity coverage, 91.7 per cent)		
Gasoline.....	35.2	9.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	0.6
Oils and greases.....	.6	.3	Shoes and other footwear—		
Radio sets.....	26.6	12.8	Women's.....	97.8	97.8
Radio parts and accessories.....	9.4	8.1	Misses' and children's.....	10.1	.8
Repairs and service.....	3.6	2.3	Rubber and other footwear.....	1.7	.8
Tire shops, including tire repairs: (Commodity coverage, 47.0 per cent)			Shoe stores (men's, women's, and children's): (Commodity coverage, 52.6 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	2.7	.7	Hosiery.....	1.3	.8
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	71.4	71.4	Service.....	(x)	.3
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	32.1	24.5	Shoes and other footwear—		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1	Men's.....	19.7	19.7
Repairs and service.....	3.3	3.3	Boys' and youths'.....	2.5	.9
Filling stations (gasoline and oil): (Commodity coverage, 18.2 per cent)			Women's.....	63.7	63.7
Gasoline.....	85.1	85.1	Misses' and children's.....	9.9	7.6
Oils and greases.....	13.5	13.5	Infants'.....	2.1	.5
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.4	Rubber and other footwear.....	10.2	6.5
Filling stations (with other merchandise): (Commodity coverage, 43.8 per cent)					
Gasoline.....	67.8	67.8			
Oils and greases.....	23.0	23.0			
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	4.0			
Repairs and service.....	5.2	5.2			

¹ Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series report on Retail Distribution by Variety Chains for commodity analysis of chain sales.

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP—Continued		
Furniture stores:			Lumber and building material dealers—Continued		
(Commodity coverage, 84.2 per cent)			Fuel—		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's	5.0	0.2	Coal	27.9	12.4
Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'	5.0	.2	Fuel oil	4.7	1.3
Dry goods and notions	20.0	.0	Wood, coke, and other fuels	.1	.1
Furniture—			Furniture, kitchen	.6	.1
Bedroom	16.6	16.6	Gasoline	3.1	.9
Living room, library, and hall	22.6	22.6	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	3.1	.3
Dining room	15.3	15.3	Home furnishings	.6	.1
Kitchen	5.2	5.2	Oils and greases	.8	.2
Other household	6.8	4.9	Service	(x) .8	4.5
Home furnishings—			Electrical shops (without radio):		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains	9.9	3.8	(Commodity coverage, 40.1 per cent)		
Floor coverings	11.3	11.3	Construction materials	31.5	31.5
Bedding, mattresses, springs	9.5	7.0	Household appliances, motor-driven	3.2	3.2
China, glassware, and crockery	1.6	.4	Lighting equipment	43.0	43.6
Kitchen utensils	6.3	.2	Other appliances	21.7	21.7
Other home furnishings	1.1	.3	Heating appliances and oil burners:		
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x) 1.1	.1	(Commodity coverage, 84.4 per cent)		
Radio sets	11.8	7.6	Heating equipment and supplies	64.2	64.2
Refrigerators, electric and gas	.7	.1	Refrigerators, electric and gas	22.0	17.4
Secondhand furniture	2.5	.1	Service	18.4	18.4
Services	3.1	.5	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating:		
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc	6.3	1.5	(Commodity coverage, 25.8 per cent)		
Stoves and ranges, gas	.7	.3	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	68.3	68.3
Toys and games	9.2	.9	Service	31.7	31.7
Household appliances stores (electrical):			Paint and glass stores:		
(Commodity coverage, 73.9 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 52.2 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Glass	33.7	24.9
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators)	61.5	61.5	Hardware	2.6	.9
Lighting equipment	8.4	6.6	Painters' supplies	8.8	8.8
Construction materials	1.7	1.3	Paints, varnishes, and lacquers	42.0	42.0
Ranges, water heaters, etc	14.7	11.0	Service	4.2	1.4
Refrigerators	23.4	18.5	Wall paper	71.4	22.0
Secondhand goods	1.1	.3	OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Service	.7	.2	Hardware stores:		
Radio and electrical shops:			(Commodity coverage, 24.2 per cent)		
(Commodity coverage, 62.8 per cent)			Appliances (household)		
Appliances and supplies, electric—				2.0	2.0
Household appliances, motor-driven	27.8	15.9	Farm and garden equipment and supplies—		
Household heating appliances, portable	1.3	.5	Wire fencing, gates and posts	2.0	2.0
Incandescent lamps	6.3	2.6	Farm and garden equipment and supplies	4.0	4.0
Construction materials	29.3	11.8	Fertilizers	1.0	1.0
Ranges, water heaters, etc	1.3	.5	Hardware—		
Appliances, other	1.6	1.1	Builders' and shelf hardware	27.4	27.4
Cameras	2.3	.5	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools	9.1	9.1
Refrigerators, electric	13.2	5.3	Other hardware	36.4	36.4
Radio sets	46.0	46.0	Kitchen utensils	6.0	6.0
Radio parts and accessories	2.2	2.2	Paints, varnishes, lacquers	4.5	4.5
Service	21.2	13.6	Glass	4.5	4.5
Radio and musical instruments stores:			Painters' supplies		
(Commodity coverage, 77.4 per cent)				1.1	1.1
Pianos and accessories	29.9	29.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock	2.0	2.0
Phonographs and records	13.6	11.9	Cigar stores:		
Sheet music, music books, etc	2.7	1.8	(Commodity coverage, 20.3 per cent)		
Radio sets	44.8	44.8	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco	77.7	77.7
Radio parts and accessories	8.1	8.1	Smokers' supplies	6.2	6.2
Service	4.0	3.5	Confectionery and nuts	15.3	8.9
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Magazines and newspapers		
Lunch rooms:				19.6	7.2
(Commodity coverage, 17.1 per cent)			Coal and wood yards:		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	4.2	4.2	(Commodity coverage, 93.3 per cent)		
Receipts from sale of meals	95.8	95.8	Building materials—		
Restaurants with table service:			Building stone		
(Commodity coverage, 48.9 per cent)				1.7	.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	.3	.3	Cement	1.8	.2
Confectionery and nuts	3.3	.4	Lime, plaster, etc	2.7	.3
Receipts from sale of meals	99.3	99.3	Building material, other	1.0	.1
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Fuel—		
Lumber and building material dealers:			Fuel oil		
(Commodity coverage, 95.4 per cent)				14.8	11.1
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Coal	65.4	65.4
Lighting equipment	3.1	.3	Gasoline	4.2	2.9
Incandescent lamps	1.4	.1	Oils and greases	1.0	.7
Other appliances	15.3	1.6	Ice	27.0	18.8
Building materials—			Hardware	1.3	.1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc	7.4	3.3	Refrigerators	2.8	.1
Cement	19.3	8.7	Service	(x) .8	.1
Lime, plaster, etc	17.8	8.0	Drug stores:		
Lumber (rough and dressed)	55.1	28.0	(Commodity coverage, 25.8 per cent)		
Planing-mill products, woodwork	22.0	10.8	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco	7.7	7.7
Wood shingles and shakes	3.3	1.6	Drugs, patent medicines, etc	38.0	38.0
Roofing materials (except wood shingles)	6.3	2.7	Miscellaneous merchandise	(x) 9.2	9.2
Iron and other building metal	63.1	9.7	Stationery, books, periodicals, etc	1.0	1.0
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.	2.3	.9	Rubber goods	4.8	4.8
Wall boards (except wood base)	1.8	1.2	Surgical and hospital supplies	4.4	4.4
Other building materials	5.9	2.6	Prescriptions	24.1	24.1
			Toiletries and cosmetics	5.2	5.2
			Toilet articles	5.6	5.6

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TABLE 22.—WILMINGTON—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Drug stores with fountains: (Commodity coverage, 54.2 per cent)			Jewelry stores—Continued. Jewelry, silverware and clocks—Continued.		
Bottled beverages.....	2.5	0.7	Watches.....	11.1	11.1
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	4.9	1.9	Diamond jewelry.....	18.3	18.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	5.7	2.2	Rings, other than diamond.....	8.3	2.4
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	51.7	51.7	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	15.4	11.3
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	12.0	12.0	Plated silverware.....	17.6	12.9
Miscellaneous merchandise—	(x)	1.1	Sterling silverware and clocks.....	26.2	26.2
Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	3.0	.8	Leather goods, billfolds and purses.....		
Rubber goods.....	1.1	1.1	Optical goods.....	.2	.2
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	3.5	1.0	Service.....	11.7	6.0
Prescriptions.....	15.4	11.7		10.5	7.7
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	14.3	14.3	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail): (Commodity coverage, 83.3 per cent)		
Toilet articles.....	1.5	1.5	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	2.3
Toy shops: (Commodity coverage, 92.6 per cent)			Office and store equipment—		
China, glassware and crockery.....	8.9	4.5	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	47.9	47.9
Kitchen utensils.....	10.0	5.1	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	12.3
Other home furnishings.....	1.2	.6	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	32.5	19.0
Novelties.....	35.0	19.8	Service.....	7.0	4.1
Sporting goods.....	2.9	1.5	Stationery.....	24.5	14.4
Toys and games.....	68.5	68.5	Sporting goods, specialty stores: (Commodity coverage, 76.6 per cent)		
Jewelry stores (installment credit): (Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)			Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	8.9	4.6
Household heating appliances—portable-electric.....	2.0	.6	Service.....	(x)	.7
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	92.2	92.2
Clocks.....	1.3	.8	Toys and games.....	2.5	2.5
Watches.....	39.6	39.6	Stationers and engravers: (Commodity coverage, 94.5 per cent)		
Diamond jewelry.....	41.5	41.5	Office and store furniture.....	12.3	12.3
Rings, other than diamond.....	5.4	5.4	Service.....	(x)	3.5
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	4.2	4.2	Stationery, books and magazines—		
Plated silverware.....	4.5	4.5	Books.....	14.2	7.9
Sterling silverware and clocks.....	.4	.3	Magazines and newspapers.....	1.5	.9
Jewelry, other.....	1.1	.6	Paper and paper goods.....	29.6	29.6
Leather goods, billfolds and purses.....	1.2	0.7	Stationery, other.....	45.1	45.1
Service.....	2.5	1.8	Typewriters and accessories.....	1.3	.7
Jewelry stores: (Commodity coverage, 42.1 per cent)					
China, glassware and crockery.....	4.0	1.3			
Jewelry, silverware and clocks—					
Clocks.....	2.6	2.6			

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TABLE 23.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	1,698	1,745	2,088	798	\$2,261,688	\$183,611	\$2,068,002	\$5,928,320	\$34,266,330	100.00
Food group ¹	463	446	378	203	417,498	44,896	407,703	589,710	7,760,904	22.82
Candy and confectionery stores.....	52	57	39	25	32,124	5,666	38,537	53,110	494,423	1.44
Dairy products stores ¹	6	6					3,335	2,820	26,982	.08
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	6	7		2	700	700	3,090	1,250	37,687	.11
Grocery stores (without meats).....	242	225	139	86	156,382	18,348	172,531	301,090	3,189,934	9.31
Combination stores (groceries and meats)	119	108	168	64	194,633	14,566	161,706	216,570	3,470,140	10.13
Meat markets (including sea foods)	32	36	27	20	31,374	4,875	23,805	14,060	498,084	1.45
Bakeries—caterers.....	5	6	5	6	3,285	741	4,089	700	29,154	.09
General stores	198	224	102	52	88,695	9,030	113,588	787,890	2,975,913	8.68
General merchandise group ¹	63	62	120	97	111,121	11,289	117,543	535,440	1,455,621	4.25
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	25	28	21	24	20,201	3,975	27,591	197,230	385,019	1.13
General merchandise stores.....	19	20	39	17	44,082	2,744	35,178	230,470	603,482	1.76
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	18	14	49	56	33,419	4,570	33,774	81,740	347,220	1.01
Automotive group ¹	417	440	525	106	584,643	26,042	440,457	882,230	7,700,017	22.47
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in).....	60	72	236	17	268,534	3,802	187,349	447,480	4,022,244	11.74
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	7	8	7	5	6,116	769	14,898	19,470	95,909	.28
Filling stations.....	255	287	165	38	153,569	10,408	157,455	267,160	2,422,122	7.07
Garages and repair shops.....	98	101	102	46	119,120	11,063	59,463	113,560	956,785	2.70
Apparel group	78	84	63	50	66,958	10,183	101,380	618,280	1,380,232	4.03
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	25	31	22	16	20,336	3,934	48,973	285,280	587,208	1.71
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	13	14	10	8	7,800	2,470	12,945	134,500	245,071	.72
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	13	16	19	16	22,489	3,078	24,313	109,580	304,046	1.05
Women's accessories stores.....	16	12	9	8	5,189	651	8,219	22,530	68,458	.20
Other apparel stores.....	4	5					1,901	3,600	12,350	.04
Shoe stores.....	5	6	2	2	1,720	60	5,029	62,790	103,039	.30
Furniture and household group ¹	54	49	89	16	106,453	3,215	94,057	299,030	1,089,775	3.12
Furniture stores.....	23	21	38	12	49,755	2,300	63,487	222,690	602,738	1.76
Household appliances stores.....	6	1	14		15,731		6,946	24,670	141,311	.41
Radio and music stores.....	23	25	35	3	39,067	525	22,570	49,110	310,726	.91
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	79	84	150	44	115,539	7,852	72,327	22,460	704,804	2.06
Restaurants, cafeterias.....	69	73	143	39	109,396	7,142	67,853	21,160	687,227	1.92
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	10	11	7	5	6,143	710	4,474	1,300	47,577	.14
Lumber and building group	66	55	271	37	338,038	9,461	286,436	767,040	3,908,662	11.41
Lumber and building material dealers.....	42	31	231	23	282,253	5,729	271,283	729,070	3,627,359	10.59
Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	3	4	6	5,390	1,480	1,000	5,000	30,150	.09
Heating and plumbing shops.....	15	14	33	7	47,239	2,052	11,025	22,710	181,032	.53
Paint and glass stores.....	6	7	3	1	3,154	200	3,128	10,260	70,121	.20
Other retail stores	275	293	383	190	438,947	41,435	429,851	1,418,840	7,287,952	21.27
Hardware stores.....	24	25	37	12	43,171	2,698	34,000	251,170	592,584	1.73
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	31	37	57	22	73,950	5,366	87,160	309,220	1,074,317	3.14
Farmers' supplies.....	68	74	123	42	145,047	12,562	130,179	348,080	3,709,007	10.82
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	17	17	10	5	3,871	550	5,841	16,460	82,168	.24
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	11	14	20	12	18,172	2,135	20,029	13,680	205,195	.60
Drug stores.....	44	45	61	16	66,580	4,766	59,727	235,000	768,294	2.21
Florists.....	9	8	13	4	12,742	2,443	10,082	10,560	62,902	.18
Gift shops, novelties and toys.....	6	6		22	1,887	1,387	2,874	10,110	29,111	.09
Jewelry stores.....	20	21	7	6	8,070	750	98,600	98,600	128,876	.38
Music stores (without radio).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	6	7	14	14	8,230	1,275	7,917	6,300	96,970	.28
Sporting goods stores, toys and stationery.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classification (combined).....	36	36	40	33	54,492	6,853	56,974	114,620	513,528	1.50
Secondhand stores	7	8	5	3	3,798	198	2,660	5,600	32,450	.09

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 24.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	1,698	1,745	2,086	798	\$2,251,888	\$163,611	\$2,066,002	\$5,926,320	\$34,266,330	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,379	1,500	1,529	549	1,597,047	115,749	1,477,130	4,487,200	23,232,724	67.80
2-store independents.....	21	14	52	9	66,692	1,657	61,241	150,450	846,009	2.47
3-store independents.....	8	1	41	3	54,112	400	43,558	137,180	643,781	1.88
Local chains.....	16	-----	54	32	54,744	5,068	47,474	72,450	571,769	1.67
Sectional chains.....	35	-----	132	60	152,114	12,945	105,143	78,130	1,866,709	5.46
National chains.....	27	-----	71	46	90,347	5,546	85,288	68,620	1,322,460	3.86
Retailers and country buyers ¹	173	192	103	73	104,995	13,353	128,195	675,250	3,446,186	10.05
Wholesalers and retailers.....	26	30	89	25	114,541	8,093	110,272	232,330	2,166,144	6.22
Other types of operation.....	14	8	15	1	17,096	200	7,696	24,710	170,548	.50

¹ These classifications were used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 inhabitants. These stores are usually independently operated.

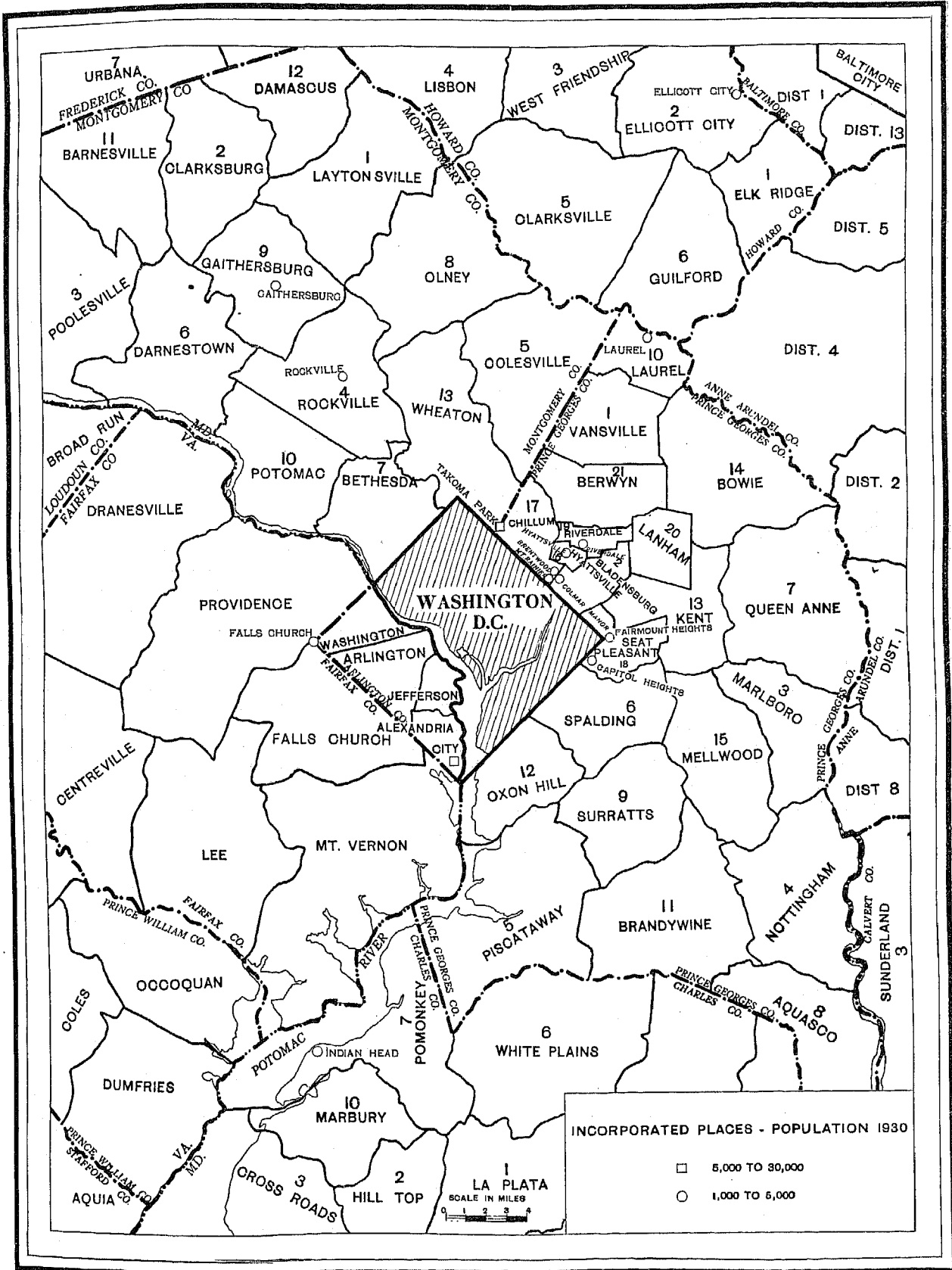
TABLE 25.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosures of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	2 and 3 store independent and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	1		1				
Annual net sales.....	(x)		(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)		(x)				
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	18	12		3	1	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$347,220	\$133,114		\$59,056	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.34		17.01	(x)	(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	25	25					
Annual net sales.....	\$567,268	\$567,268					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	13	12	1				
Annual net sales.....	\$245,071	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	13	12	1				
Annual net sales.....	\$364,046	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	5	5					
Annual net sales.....	\$103,039	\$103,039					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	23	21	1	1			
Annual net sales.....	\$602,738	(x)	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)			
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	23	20	2				1
Annual net sales.....	\$310,726	\$272,726	(x)				(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	87.77	(x)				(x)
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	242	178			20	12	32
Annual net sales.....	\$3,189,934	\$1,351,208			\$950,618	\$677,050	\$205,049
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	42.36			29.99	21.22	6.43
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	119	86	1	7	7	3	15
Annual net sales.....	\$3,470,140	\$1,520,628	(x)	\$304,000	\$793,800	\$399,650	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	43.82	(x)	8.76	22.88	11.52	(x)
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	69	68			1		
Annual net sales.....	\$657,227	(x)			(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)			(x)		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	17	16	1				
Annual net sales.....	\$82,168	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)				
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	255	231	5	2	4	8	5
Annual net sales.....	\$2,422,122	\$1,947,261	\$228,050	(x)	\$69,915	\$65,257	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	80.40	9.42	(x)	2.89	2.69	(x)
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	11	11					
Annual net sales.....	\$205,195	\$205,195					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	44	44					
Annual net sales.....	\$758,294	\$758,294					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	24	23					1
Annual net sales.....	\$592,584	\$542,289					\$50,295
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	91.51					8.49
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	20	20					
Annual net sales.....	\$128,876	\$128,876					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					

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[Number and names in Maryland refer to Election Districts and in Virginia to Magisterial Districts]



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TABLE 1.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

Table with 10 main columns: KIND OF BUSINESS, Number of stores, Proprietors and firm members, NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (Full time, Part time), PAY ROLL (Total, Part time), STOCKS ON HAND, NET SALES (1929) (Amount, Per cent of total). Rows include Furniture and household group, Restaurants, Lumber and building group, and Other retail stores.

1 This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 2.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

Table with columns: KIND OF BUSINESS, Number of stores, Total pay roll reported, Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees, Total wage cost including proprietors' services, All other reported expenses (includes rent), Total operating expense (percent of sales), RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column), Number of stores in leased premises, Rent paid for leased premises, Net sales of stores in leased premises, Percent of rent to sales of stores in leased premises.

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TABLE 3.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal data	TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full time and part time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS		SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT							
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Ratios at specified dates (total full-time and part-time employees; 100 per cent represents year's average)				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees, by seasons of the year. (Ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
								Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15
		Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent
All groups ¹	4, 140	67	33	62	38	86	14	97	94	100	108	9	8	9	10
Food group.....	1, 405	88	12	89	11	89	11	99	99	100	102	17	16	17	18
General merchandise group.....	93	30	70	11	89	71	29	89	81	98	132	10	7	17	18
Automotive group.....	493	95	5	96	4	95	5	99	103	101	97	2	2	2	2
Apparel group.....	519	46	54	57	43	79	21	101	93	101	105	8	7	7	9
Furniture and household group.....	179	79	21	53	47	86	14	98	98	101	103	3	3	4	6
Restaurants and eating places.....	499	63	37	48	52	78	22	100	97	101	102	8	8	8	9
Lumber and building group.....	88	93	7	97	3	96	4	97	100	106	97	7	7	8	9
Other retail stores.....	802	83	17	86	14	87	13	98	97	100	105	8	8	8	11
Secondhand stores.....	62	95	5	94	6	90	10	100	101	100	99	12	14	14	12
Food group.....	1, 405	88	12	89	11	89	11	99	99	100	102	17	16	17	18
Candy and confectionery stores:															
Candy stores—nut stores.....	13	15	85	100	78	22									
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	71	46	54	34	66	78	27	118	82	80	120	39	5	5	37
Dairy products stores:															
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	33	97	3	95	5	100		101	100	100	99	32	32	32	32
Egg and poultry dealers.....	18	97	3	80	11	100		97	97	95	111	27	27	25	33
Milk dealers.....	5	87	13			100		96	99	100	105				
Delicatessen stores.....	125	62	38	50	50	98	7	98	100	101	101	15	13	13	12
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	69	98	2	96	4	98	2	100	100	100	100	29	28	29	29
Grocery stores (without meats).....	283	98	2	99	1	75	25	97	97	100	106	22	22	24	28
Combination stores (groceries and meats):															
Grocery stores with meats.....	378	97	3	98	2	85	15	100	100	100	100	19	19	20	20
Meat markets with groceries.....	225	92	8	97	3	91	9	99	99	100	102	15	15	15	15
Meat markets (including sea foods):															
Fish markets—sea foods.....	25	92	8	88	12	93	7	102	101	99	98	9	8	6	6
Meat markets.....	116	97	3	96	4	98	2	99	99	99	103	25	25	24	25
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	48	60	40	71	29	84	16	99	100	100	101	18	18	19	20
General merchandise group.....	93	30	70	11	89	71	29	89	81	98	132	10	7	13	9
Department stores.....	9	31	69	12	88	100		88	80	98	134	9	6	13	8
Dry goods stores.....	34	23	77	18	82	66	34	99	97	98	106	20	18	18	26
General merchandise stores:															
Without food departments.....	13	29	71	13	87	75	25	106	88	88	118	42	31	31	48
Army and Navy goods stores.....	5	86	14	100	100			87	87	113	113	8	8	6	6
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	20	21	79	4	95	78	22	96	95	97	112	12	13	13	13
Automotive group.....	493	95	5	96	4	95	5	99	103	101	97	2	2	2	2
Motor vehicle dealers:															
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	08	93	7	100		95	5	99	105	101	95		1	1	1
Used-car-establishments.....	16	93	7			100		99	99	100	102				
Accessories, tires, and batteries:															
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	39	93	7	100		100		98	103	100	99	2	3	2	2
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	25	97	3			100		103	102	97	98				
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	22	93	7			100		96	105	102	97				
Filling stations:															
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	01	100		100		100		102	101	99	98	2	3	2	3
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	83	97	3	94	0	94	6	99	101	101	99	9	10	9	8
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	47	99	1	100		100		99	101	101	99	4	5	6	5
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	5	100				67	33	102	102	103	93				
Garages and repair shops:															
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	11	98	2	100		60	40	104	104	97	95	3	1	3	1
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	78	95	5	100		95	5	97	100	101	102	3	3	4	4
Apparel group.....	519	46	54	57	43	79	21	101	93	101	105	8	7	7	9
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:															
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	17	92	8			100		95	95	105	105				
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	14	85	15	100		100		94	95	102	109	13	8	12	20
Men's furnishings stores.....	40	84	16	80	20	90	10	99	95	95	111	27	22	23	30
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	50	84	16	95	5	100		98	94	98	110	5	4	5	7
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	42	54	46	30	70	91	9	98	95	98	109	11	8	7	14
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	02	16	84	7	93	63	37	101	93	101	105	3	3	3	4
Women's accessories stores:															
Corset and lingerie shops.....	6	19	81			100		98	94	97	111				
Furriers—fur shops.....	22	60	40			100		88	82	117	113	7	5	6	5
Hosiery shops.....	9	33	67			100	50	94	96	99	111	14	13	15	16
Millinery stores.....	53	11	89	12	88	30	70	117	87	107	89	12	14	14	13
Other apparel stores:															
Children's specialty shops.....	9	8	92			100		95	94	99	112	5	5	4	8
Custom tailors.....	03	85	15	96	4	98	2	103	94	105	98	10	8	10	8
Shoe stores:															
Shoe stores—men's.....	7	100		100		100		100	100	100	100	9	9	9	9
Shoe stores—women's.....	17	76	24	93	7	100		95	87	107	111	10	15	16	18
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	74	79	21	87	13	89	11	106	95	98	101	19	12	15	18

¹Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 3.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal data	SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT															
		TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full time and part time)				PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS		Ratios at specified dates (total full-time and part-time employees; 100 per cent represents year's average)				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees, by seasons of the year. (Ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15		
		Per cent 79	Per cent 21	Per cent 53	Per cent 47	Per cent 86	Per cent 14	Per cent 98	Per cent 98	Per cent 101	Per cent 103	Per cent 3	Per cent 3	Per cent 4	Per cent 6		
Furniture and household group.....	179																
Furniture stores.....	51	84	16	25	75	91	9	100	99	100	101	1	1	1	1	1	1
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:																	
Floor coverings stores.....	4	56	44	60	40	100		116	92	96	96	34	39	25	25		
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	8	73	27			100		95	95	110	100						
Household appliances stores:																	
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	20	77	23			25	75	99	97	103	101						
Household appliances stores.....	4	82	18					105	101	98	96						
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:																	
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	5	80	20		100	100		84	105	105	106	25	20	20	20		
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	5	60	40		100			84	93	104	119						
Picture and framing stores.....	9	75	25	100		100		98	98	100	104				2	2	2
Antique shops.....	11	76	30	50	50	67	33	96	96	99	109	40	37	36	42		
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	4	58	42		100	100		122	114	91	73				6	6	6
Interior decorators.....	7	71	29	25	75	100		91	96	112	101	6	7	6	6	6	6
Radio and music stores:																	
Radio and electrical shops.....	32	88	12	80	20	94	6	96	93	101	110	9	9	13	19	5	
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	16	73	27	50	50	100		97	99	100	104	2	3	3	3	3	3
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	499	63	37	48	52	78	22	100	97	101	102	8	8	8	8	9	9
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:																	
Cafeterias.....	99	56	44	46	54	69	31	100	99	101	100	14	14	14	14	14	14
Lunch rooms.....	211	76	24	50	50	86	14	100	99	101	100	2	3	3	3	3	3
Restaurants with table service.....	151	62	38	51	49	69	31	100	93	102	105	6	6	6	6	6	9
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:																	
Fountain-lunches.....	13	46	54	50	50	71	29	101	92	101	100	4	4	4	4	4	4
Lunch counters.....	20	61	39	25	75	62	38	97	99	100	104	15	13	13	13	12	12
Lumber and building group.....	88	93	7	87	3	96	4	97	100	106	97	7	7	8	8	6	6
Lumber and building material dealers:																	
Lumber and building material dealers.....	20	98	2	100		100		100	101	103	96	2	2	1	1	1	1
Roofing.....	8	95	5	100		100		100	105	95	100	5	9	5	5	5	10
Electrical shops (without radio).....	19	91	9			92	8	100	108	100	92						
Heating and plumbing shops:																	
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	9	91	9	100		100		82	92	123	103	7	10	12	13	3	3
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	7	87	13	100		100		101	96	101	102	3	3	3	3	3	3
Paint and glass stores.....	24	87	13	95	5	93	7	99	98	110	95	22	20	23	14	14	14
Other retail stores.....	802	83	17	86	14	87	13	98	97	100	105	8	8	8	8	11	11
Hardware stores.....	71	90	10	91	9	98	2	96	99	105	100	1	1	1	1	2	2
Farmers' supplies:																	
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	4	80	11			75	25	100	100	100	100						
Coal and feed stores.....	7	100						103	87	103	107						
Book stores.....	20	54	46	56	44	75	25	95	93	105	104	6	6	5	5	12	12
Cigar stores and cigar stands:																	
Cigar stores with fountains.....	12	89	11	100		100		99	101	101	99	4	6	6	6	4	4
Cigar stands.....	12	72	28	80	20	100		93	99	104	104	29	22	26	26	26	26
Cigar stores without fountains.....	42	91	9	86	14	91	9	99	100	100	101	11	13	11	11	11	11
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:																	
Drug stores.....	59	94	6	97	3	92	8	98	91	104	107	2	4	3	3	4	4
Drug stores:																	
Drug stores.....	31	97	3	96	4	95	5	97	97	103	103	25	25	28	28	28	28
Drug stores with fountains.....	193	86	14	96	4	86	14	100	100	100	100	13	13	13	13	13	13
Florists.....	36	82	18	88	12	82	18	95	92	92	121	13	8	8	8	8	8
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:																	
Art and gift shops.....	13	23	77	33	67	25	75	89	89	95	127	10	10	15	15	18	18
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	23	41	59		100	75	25	94	94	94	118	8	8	8	8	8	8
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	6	68	32		100	100		98	102	112	88						
Jewelry stores:																	
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	6	67	33	100				96	94	94	116						
Jewelry stores.....	60	77	23	89	11	100		93	95	96	116	11	10	11	11	17	17
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	7	63	37	38	62	100		70	75	93	162	2	2	2	2	10	10
Music stores (without radio).....	4	57	43	100		100		107	107	93	93	25	25	29	29	29	29
News dealers.....	25	89	11	100		100		99	100	101	100	11	11	11	11	11	11
Office, school, and store supplies, and equipment dealers:																	
Office and school supplies.....	9	79	21					100	100	100	100						
Office and store mechanical appliances dealers (retail).....	14	76	24	100		100		104	99	99	98						
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	7	88	12	100		100		100	100	99	101	3	3	3	3	3	3
Typewriter dealers.....	5	81	19	100		50	50	101	100	98	101	1	1	1	1	5	5
Opticians and optometrists.....	11	90	10	50	50	100		100	100	100	100	5	5	5	5	5	5
Sporting goods stores including athletic and playground equipment:																	
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	8	83	17	71	29	100		105	103	96	96	27	28	30	30	30	30
Sporting good stores with toys and stationery.....	4	78	22	60	40	100		94	94	95	117	18	18	24	24	24	24
Stationers and engravers.....	12	78	22	50	50	80	20	94	91	103	112						
Monuments and tombstones.....	9	100		100		80	20	111	98	98	93	19	13	9	9	9	9
Miscellaneous classification (combined).....	80	64	36	58	42	73	27	100	98	101	101	12	12	12	12	11	11
Secondhand stores.....	82	95	5	94	6	90	10	100	101	100	99	12	14	14	14	12	12

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TABLE 4A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS
STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TOTAL (including totals shown in Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$4,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups ¹	5,931	\$338,262	308	\$41,653	724	\$49,107	931	\$35,894	745	\$18,004	1,303	\$18,465	787	\$5,682	877	\$2,380
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	100.00	100.00	5.19	12.30	12.21	14.63	15.70	10.67	12.61	5.35	21.97	5.49	13.27	1.69	14.78	7.1
Food group.....	2,375	\$81,067	99	\$12,444	294	\$20,304	435	\$16,867	314	\$7,514	589	\$8,309	333	\$2,457	292	\$797
Candy and confectionery stores:																
Candy stores—nut stores.....	17	240					2	81	2	45	4	68	3	24	6	21
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	122	2,417	7	907	5	365	6	227	9	217	28	304	33	230	34	76
Dairy products stores:																
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	39	1,260	1	105	6	425	10	389	8	190	6	92	6	51	2	7
Egg and poultry dealers.....	27	723	2	231	1	57	4	155	5	123	9	117	5	38	1	1
Milk dealers (incomplete).....	5	8,893					1	47								
Deliatessen stores.....	278	4,291	1	106	4	240	25	922	40	922	115	1,007	53	381	40	104
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	95	2,517	1	108	2	130	8	280	15	300	27	335	18	126	21	60
Grocery stores (without meats).....	479	13,680	2	288	67	4,047	164	6,418	30	704	62	840	68	481	84	227
Combination stores (groceries and meats):																
Grocery stores with meats.....	663	28,100	60	7,415	151	11,285	87	3,462	85	2,028	169	2,433	60	458	47	143
Meat markets with groceries.....	368	10,922	13	1,601	31	1,927	88	3,314	80	2,043	98	1,371	36	287	15	46
Meat markets (including sea foods):																
Fish markets—sea foods.....	41	955	1	198			3	107	4	88	4	48	0	62	19	40
Meat markets.....	167	6,571	11	1,305	23	1,550	32	1,255	28	676	39	550	21	165	9	30
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	65	949			3	173	4	177	2	58	25	362	19	140	12	39
Other food stores:																
Coffee, tea, spices.....	4	99			1	56	1	33					1	9	1	1
General food stores.....	3	34									2	32			1	2
General stores.....	10	120							1	20	5	79	1	9	3	12
General merchandise group.....	161	\$3,040	3	458	7	453	12	442	7	174	41	576	31	225	38	110
Department stores.....	10	45,938														
Dry goods stores.....	69	1,270			3	184	7	254	4	97	20	277	18	140	16	46
General merchandise stores:																
With food departments.....	3	31									2	28			1	3
Without food departments.....	23	400			2	111	5	188	1	26	6	84	5	39	4	11
Army and Navy goods stores.....	7	313									5	71	1	6		
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	47	5,000	3	458	2	158			2	51	7	96	7	40	16	46
Automotive group.....	591	\$3,862	45	6,987	117	7,768	63	2,419	80	1,889	114	1,584	52	356	66	178
Motor vehicle dealers:																
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	71	33,964	13	2,121	7	501	3	124	1	29	1	19				
Used car establishments.....	18	1,099	6	740	1	50	3	256	1	20	2	28	1	5		
Accessories, tires, and batteries:																
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	47	1,738	3	376	7	399	7	282	6	154	11	175	6	48	6	10
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	35	541			2	153	2	79	4	93	9	141	6	43	12	31
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	25	1,069	4	514	3	171	0	226	1	20	8	114	3	25		
Filling stations:																
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	114	3,027	2	213	20	1,286	8	204	36	809	29	350	9	53	10	22
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	105	5,167	7	923	27	1,824	20	740	12	309	23	328	8	60	4	11
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	50	3,161	3	301	39	2,571	3	135	2	53					3	11
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	10	227			1	55	2	84	1	27	3	49	1	6	2	7
Garages and repair shops:																
Body, fender, and paint shops ²	20	416	1	153	1	92	1	43	2	46	3	40	4	24	8	18
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	93	3,415	6	856	9	681	4	150	14	329	23	310	13	85	21	62
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	3	37									2	30	1	7		
Apparel group.....	684	\$2,874	56	7,771	82	5,622	98	3,943	100	2,460	139	1,978	78	591	86	231
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:																
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	19	755	1	101	4	284	6	242	4	100	1	12	2	12	1	5
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	17	529			5	311			7	176	2	25	2	16	1	5
Men's furnishings stores.....	75	1,587	1	107	6	292	10	380	11	266	27	428	14	102	7	12
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	70	7,428	2	346	9	583	11	438	8	208	12	159	8	56	6	20
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	66	3,424	5	657	8	616	7	308	9	218	14	202	11	91	9	20
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	102	14,866	18	2,445	16	1,131	16	662	5	135	16	220	10	80	5	12
Women's accessories stores:																
Corset and lingerie shops.....	6	220	1	105			1	45	2	45	2	25				2
Furriers—fur shops.....	24	1,662	2	297	4	262	3	139	3	71	6	69	2	19	1	2
Hosiery shops.....	16	646	2	230	2	189	3	119	2	51	2	27	1	8	4	13
Knit goods shops.....	2	28							1	21				7		
Millinery stores.....	74	1,771	3	352	7	478	9	355	9	226	19	266	7	47	20	49
Other apparel stores:																
Children's specialty shops.....	11	202			1	91			2	47	2	28	4	32	2	4
Custom tailors.....	74	2,220	6	871	3	181	8	284	13	304	16	237	9	68	18	55
Shoe stores:																
Shoe stores—men's.....	9	549	2	302	2	113	3	115			1	13	1	7		
Shoe stores—women's.....	20	1,897	4	620	5	343	5	202	1	29	2	25			1	2
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	94	5,022	9	1,320	11	748	16	614	23	563	16	226	5	39	9	26

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which have been omitted from detail to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

² Includes one radiator shop.

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TABLE 1A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued
STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued
 [Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	DISTRICT OF CO- LUMBIA TOTAL (including totals shown in Table 1B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$4,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Furniture and household group	229	\$17,800	14	\$1,954	42	\$2,842	39	\$1,467	26	\$809	27	\$401	22	\$166	39	\$102
Furniture stores.....	55	7,936	6	955	12	840	9	375	7	173	6	91	5	42	1	2
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:																
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	6	131			1	55	1	31	1	26	1	10			2	4
Floor coverings stores.....	10	1,191			1	55	3	100	1	20	2	20			1	3
Household appliances stores:																
Household appliances stores (elec- trical).....	24	1,254	1	111	3	170	8	274	2	51	3	42	3	20	3	10
Household appliances stores.....	4	205			2	156	1	42					1	9		
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:																
Antique and used furniture dealers, China, glassware, crockery, tin- ware, enamelware.....	12	65										2	31	3	20	7
Picture and framing stores.....	9	934			1	61			1	20			1	7	5	11
Antique shops.....	9	267			2	102	2	74	2	48	3	44			8	21
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	23	475			3	212	3	107			3	45			3	21
Interior decorators.....	4	144			2	120			1	20					1	4
Radio and music stores:																
Radio and electrical shops.....	8	584	2	278	3	219	1	44	2	43						
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	42	2,038	3	388	7	477	7	245	5	129	3	42	4	32	10	28
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	595	18,549	21	2,779	67	4,568	92	3,608	82	1,886	131	1,908	84	578	107	308
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunchrooms:																
Cafeterias.....	101	5,889	11	1,476	32	2,141	42	829	12	315	13	201	7	52	2	8
Lunch rooms.....	272	5,216	2	270	10	950	26	1,591	42	999	72	1,038	46	302	57	164
Restaurants with table service.....	169	6,471	5	668	23	1,607	21	984	24	565	30	522	18	136	21	73
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:																
Refreshment stands.....	4	32	2	250	1	51	3	102	1	29	2	23	1	8	1	1
Fountain-lunches.....	15	536			1	59			3	78	3	50	3	20	2	8
Lunch counters.....	36	406	1	106	1	59			3	78	4	64	8	55	19	45
Soft-drink stands.....	7	24									1	10	1	5	5	9
Lumber and building group	95	8,028	10	1,377	11	692	12	447	12	281	20	284	6	36	10	34
Lumber and building material dealers:																
Lumber and building material dealers.....	22	4,392	5	648	3	213					2	27	1	7	2	5
Roofing.....	9	267	1	129					1	28	2	28	1	6	4	15
Electrical shops (without radio).....	19	918	1	139	2	135	4	148	6	146	4	52			1	4
Heating and plumbing shops:																
Heating appliances and oil burners, Plumbing shops—heating and ven- tilating.....	10	928	2	309	2	112	1	43	1	20	1	18			1	4
Paint and glass stores.....	7	263			1	54	3	119	1	20			1	5	1	4
Other retail stores	1,081	59,175	60	5,583	100	6,710	175	6,652	118	2,865	219	3,095	150	1,084	181	605
Hardware stores:																
Hardware and farm implement stores, Farmers' supplies:	113	6,643	1	198	8	544	10	691	16	381	35	505	19	135	12	30
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fer- tilizer).....	3	93			1	50			1	29	1	14				
Coal and feed stores.....	6	633	1	120	2	180	1	38	1	28			1	9		
Book stores.....	8	691	3	403							7	97	1	7	3	6
Cigar stores and cigar stands:	24	1,593	4	670	3	174	4	147								
Cigar stores with fountains.....	13	521			4	291	4	168	1	28	2	22	2	12		
Cigar stands.....	20	124			1	33					2	32	5	30	12	28
Cigar stores without fountains.....	92	1,267			3	227	10	377	4	102	20	257	24	168	31	77
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	69	8,481	6	786	9	594	12	490	2	54	5	74	7	52	18	41
Drug stores:																
Drug stores.....	38	927			4	220	9	322	9	209	10	142	4	29	2	6
Drug stores with fountains.....	202	15,487	18	2,371	33	2,292	45	1,799	33	822	36	550	8	64	3	8
Florists.....	52	1,871	4	460	3	186	9	353	5	127	9	143	9	64	12	31
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras: Toys shops.....	3	40									3	40				
Art and gift shops.....	19	279			1	76	3	103			4	54	4	28	7	17
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	41	413					1	34	5	120	11	144	10	69	14	45
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	7	334					3	110					3	24		
Jewelry stores:																
Jewelry stores (installment credit) Jewelry stores.....	6	988	3	522	2	163	13	541	16	385	16	227	12	84	27	70
Luggage and leather goods.....	98	3,767	5	760	5	306	2	80			1	15	1	8		
Music stores (without radio).....	7	627			2	123					3	37	3	24	2	7
News dealers, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	9	87			1	55	3	97	3	66	12	161	9	63	10	25
Office and school supplies.....	40	953														
Office and store mechanical appli- cance dealers (retail).....	9	936	1	104			1	32	1	29	3	40			1	4
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	14	1,742	1	128	4	285	2	94			3	41	1	9		
Typewriter dealers.....	7	2,358	2	336	1	59										
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	1,067	1	158									2	17		
Sporting goods stores, including ath- letic and playground equipment: Sporting goods specialty stores.....	19	411	1	105	1	78	2	81	3	64	4	55	2	13	6	15
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationary.....	9	504	1	131	3	217	3	119	1	27	1	10				
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	6	191	1	122					1	24	3	41				
Stationers and printers: Stationers and engravers.....	4	422	1	172					1	24						
Monuments and tombstones.....	14	631	2	279	2	152	2	69	3	73	3	44	2	15		9
Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	12	226	1	50	1	50	1	38	3	67	4	60	1	5	2	7
Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	105	3,348	4	353	7	418	23	855	7	160	18	256	10	130	25	69
Secondhand stores	110	1,147			4	223	4	161	9	268	18	252	30	200	45	108

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TABLE 4B.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (Included in Table 4A)		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES EXCEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales
All groups.....	253 4.27	\$164,987 49.07	28 0.47	\$81,968 24.38	43 0.73	\$29,229 8.69	70 1.18	\$26,855 7.99	112 1.89	\$26,987 8.01
Per cent of total sales.....										
Food group.....	19	\$12,971	3	\$8,593			4	\$1,637	12	\$2,741
Milk dealers.....	4	8,846	3	8,593					1	253
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	3	1,007					2	836	1	231
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	4	876							4	876
Meat markets with groceries.....	1	(x)								
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Meat markets.....	4	911							4	911
General merchandise group.....	22	50,605	8	44,801	5	3,187	3	1,270	6	1,667
Department stores.....	10	45,937	8	44,601	2	1,336				
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-d-dollar stores.....	10	4,151			3	1,831	3	1,270	4	1,050
Army and Navy goods stores.....	1	(x)								
Automotive group.....	64	\$3,368	10	14,341	11	8,118	19	7,134	15	3,775
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	46	31,170	10	14,341	11	8,118	16	6,446	9	2,265
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	1	(x)								
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	4	(x)								
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	3	937					2	688	1	249
Apparel group.....	44	20,282	2	5,400	7	4,713	16	5,911	19	4,268
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	14	5,618			3	2,135	6	2,238	5	1,245
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	3	1,312			1	892			2	420
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and acces- sories.....	16	10,179	2	5,400	3	1,686	6	2,006	5	1,087
Furriers—fur shops.....	3	802					1	342	2	460
Custom tailors.....	1	(x)								
Shoe stores:										
Shoe stores—women's.....	2	(x)								
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	5	1,485					2	866	3	610
Furniture and household group.....	21	10,273	1	1,744	6	4,549	3	1,292	11	2,688
Furniture stores.....	9	5,451	1	1,744	2	1,808	2	868	4	1,031
Floor coverings stores.....	2	941			1	719			1	222
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	3	697							3	697
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	5	1,772			1	610	1	424	3	738
Restaurants, cafeterias and eating places.....	11	2,915					2	740	9	2,175
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:										
Cafeterias.....	3	(x)								
Lunch rooms.....	1	(x)								
Restaurants with table service.....	7	1,856					1	387	6	1,469
Lumber and building group.....	14	4,877			3	1,682	4	1,468	7	1,729
Lumber and building material dealers.....	9	3,492			3	1,682	3	1,028	3	782
Electrical shops (without radio).....	1	(x)								
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	2	(x)								
Paint and glass stores.....	2	(x)								
Other retail stores.....	68	29,696	4	7,287	11	7,000	20	7,405	33	8,004
Hardware stores.....	3	4,162	2	3,952					1	200
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	1	(x)								
Book stores.....	2	(x)								
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	10	7,419	2	3,335	4	2,753	3	1,097	1	234
Drug stores with fountains.....	26	7,470			1	503	8	2,868	17	4,099
Jewelry stores:										
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	1	(x)								
Jewelry stores.....	4	1,333			1	591			3	742
News dealers.....	2	486							2	486
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	2	(x)								
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	3	1,184			1	505	1	304	1	285
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	4	1,004			1	903	2	745	1	256
Typewriter dealers.....	2	(x)								
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	1	(x)								
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	2	902			1	537	1	365		

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TABLE 5.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES, 1929	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of net sales
Total	5,931	5,136	31,453	3,600	\$44,384,575	\$1,211,744	\$40,053,770	\$37,633,520	\$336,261,991	100.00
Single store independents.....	4,477	4,888	20,271	2,411	28,201,177	929,039	25,181,187	27,564,340	209,090,390	62.36
2-store independents.....	284	185	2,027	103	3,760,623	31,238	3,384,862	2,330,200	25,213,607	7.50
3-store independents.....	103	37	772	53	1,085,218	15,610	1,105,170	1,242,600	8,481,030	2.52
Local branch systems.....	4	—	98	24	150,774	—	117,766	20,120	632,731	.19
Local chains.....	147	10	1,406	51	2,095,691	16,604	1,919,077	686,120	14,832,711	4.41
Sectional chains.....	193	—	2,117	127	2,940,827	—	2,839,090	1,670,470	23,861,231	7.10
National chains.....	615	—	3,269	778	4,655,262	167,795	4,395,791	3,167,180	45,466,120	13.52
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	9	1	184	—	276,546	—	67,029	15,720	681,579	.20
Leased departments— independent operators.....	13	10	38	10	58,119	2,609	64,410	99,240	507,671	.15
Leased departments— chains.....	47	—	256	19	369,379	5,482	494,818	272,580	2,393,882	.71
Manufacturer controlled chains (and sales branch systems).....	36	—	408	23	777,261	3,493	488,518	542,220	4,439,024	1.32
All other types of operation.....	3	2	7	1	13,798	499	5,152	13,730	66,006	.02

TABLE 6.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	2 and 3 store independent and local branch systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	10	(x)	9			(x)	1
Annual net sales.....	\$45,937,655	(x)					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)					
Variety, 5- and 10- and 25-cent stores:							
Number of stores.....	47	32					15
Annual net sales.....	\$4,969,594	\$233,434					\$4,766,160
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	4.67					95.33
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	181	142	23	2	5	8	1
Annual net sales.....	\$10,297,972	\$7,786,924	\$1,174,086	\$64,116	\$146,727	\$779,935	\$340,184
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.62	11.40	.62	1.43	7.57	3.36
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	66	58			2		6
Annual net sales.....	\$3,423,900	\$2,508,036			(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	73.25			(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	102	80	7	1	2	9	3
Annual net sales.....	\$14,865,700	\$8,579,375	\$3,522,447	(x)	(x)	\$1,632,130	\$739,083
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	57.71	23.70	(x)	(x)	10.98	4.97
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	123	56	14	5	6	25	17
Annual net sales.....	\$7,468,119	\$1,970,085	\$804,539	\$1,341,475	\$382,438	\$1,558,613	\$1,410,969
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	26.38	10.77	17.96	5.12	20.87	18.90
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	55	47	5			3	
Annual net sales.....	\$7,935,626	\$3,743,529	\$1,124,859			\$3,067,238	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	47.17	14.18			38.65	
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	63	53	2	3	4		1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,598,048	\$3,051,997	(x)	\$308,503	\$623,957		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	66.37	(x)	8.67	13.57		(x)
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	479	223	2			254	
Annual net sales.....	\$13,680,460	(x)	(x)			\$10,964,521	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			80.15	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	1,631	767	12	9	30	201	6
Annual net sales.....	\$39,022,741	\$19,379,584	\$734,858	\$410,625	\$1,933,061	\$16,383,313	\$181,300
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	49.66	1.88	1.05	4.95	41.90	.47
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	533	459	53	13	1	6	1
Annual net sales.....	\$17,566,865	\$12,636,474	\$3,044,577	\$527,919	(x)	(x)	\$12,775
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	71.94	17.33	3.00	(x)	(x)	.07
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	125	105	8		1	11	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,852,354	\$1,027,689	197,814		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.48	10.66		(x)	(x)	
Filling stations:							
Number of stores.....	299	113	15	56	57	28	
Annual net sales.....	\$11,374,951	\$4,561,463	\$1,063,472	\$1,323,653	\$3,605,975	\$570,448	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	40.81	9.63	11.66	30.88	5.02	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of stores.....	69	59	3	5	2		
Annual net sales.....	\$9,481,378	\$4,307,366	(x)	\$2,052,761	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	45.43	(x)	21.65	(x)		
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	240	175	19		38	8	
Annual net sales.....	\$16,413,828	\$5,507,295	\$1,040,780		\$8,981,689	\$884,064	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	33.55	6.34		54.72	5.39	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	113	96	12	5			
Annual net sales.....	\$6,643,036	\$6,283,058	\$212,783	\$146,295			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	94.60	3.20	2.20			
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	104	97	4	1		2	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,695,080	\$3,934,562	\$456,415	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.80	9.72	(x)		(x)	

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TABLE 7A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CREDIT BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL	ALL CASH		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																			
		Num-ber of stores	Net sales	1-10 per cent credit		11-20 per cent credit		21-30 per cent credit		31-40 per cent credit		41-50 per cent credit		51-60 per cent credit		61-70 per cent credit		71-80 per cent credit		More than 80 per cent credit			
				Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales		
Total all stores reporting: 1																							
Number of stores.....	4,814	2,747	395	172	205	280	280	183	165	162	152	182	165	132	132	132	132	132	132	132	132		
Per cent of total stores.....	100.00	57.06	8.21	3.57	4.26	5.40	5.40	3.80	3.43	3.99	3.78	3.78	3.43	3.99	3.99	3.99	3.99	3.99	3.99	3.99	3.99		
Amount of net sales.....	\$286,253	\$37,444	\$37,444	\$6,754	\$0,517	\$2,759	\$21,585	\$22,759	\$35,305	\$20,092	\$20,092	\$20,092	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305	\$35,305		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	30.55	30.55	2.30	3.33	7.95	7.95	7.95	12.33	7.02	7.02	7.02	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33	12.33		
Food group:																							
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)	110	1,922	16	29	29	1	9	1	3	113	1	3	2	124	1	49	1						
Dairy products stores (including ice cream)	38	1,251	5	117	117	83	4	236	37	13	13	1	1	13	1								
Deli-casess stores	246	3,812	23	437	9	163	3	90	1	10	4	2	1	436	2	244	2						
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	94	2,489	69	134	3	416	6	21	2	84	7	3	1	270	7	135	7						
Grocery stores (without meats)	461	13,475	360	181	15	136	8	168	23	260	6	7	6	270	7								
Combination stores	643	27,800	317	19,339	26	577	25	501	34	1,034	65	37	36	829	37	1,934	46						
Grocery stores (with meats)	347	10,166	58	1,537	15	399	22	492	28	1,796	51	2	39	1,121	48	1,607	32						
Meat markets (with groceries)	30	929	20	101	3	32	3	76	1	9	4	2	2	37	2	422	2						
Meat markets (including sea foods)	157	5,871	84	1,947	12	385	11	671	12	762	10	446	11	796	3	240	8						
Fish markets	59	823	54	685	3	43			1	40							55						
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries)																							
General merchandise group:																							
Department stores.....	10	45,938	6	128	2	1,885			3	12,462	1	3,885	3	26,216	1	1,540							
Dry goods stores.....	9	227						1	30														
General merchandise stores without food departments	4	79	1	5	1	45	2	29															
Variety, 5 and 10 and 10-a-dollar stores	45	4,981	45	4,981																			
Automotive group:																							
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in	63	28,442	3	804	1	69	3	1,069	3	709	3	2,302	8	6,195	4	1,240	11	3,970	10	4,984	17	7,070	
Accessories, tires, and batteries	41	1,186	9	124	8	310	4	90	3	77	1	15	2	47	2	126	3	99	3	99	9	298	
Accessory stores with tires and batteries	21	891	11	609					2	20			2	42			1	52	1	53	4	106	
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	16	234	6	63	3	76			1	6			2	44			2	44		5			
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	90	4,324	43	2,257	11	470	6	195	10	384	9	843	8	443	1	15	8	1	8	1	249		
Filling stations with tires and accessories	10	525	5	370	1	96	1	80															
Filling stations with other merchandise	84	2,672	47	1,621	9	112	7	93	4	483	2	22	5	162	2	20	1	13	4	117	3	213	
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)																							
Apparel group:																							
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores	15	502	15	502	4	134			1	31													
Men's and boys' clothing stores	41	6,608	5	1,048	1	70	4	361	3	455	4	1,922	2	235	4	1,261	1	336	1	336	19	29	
Men's furnishings stores	62	6,008	35	1,327	2	57	2	116															
Men's clothing and furnishings stores	62	3,401	34	471																			
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's	94	14,563	52	3,651	5	116	3	270	6	1,095	4	837	4	754	5	4,038	5	2,746	10	1,056			
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories	19	1,289	1	184	2	95	2	32	1	78	2	84	3	132	1	35	1	60	1	60	7	795	
Women's accessories stores	47	806	32	532																			
Millinery stores	9	549	7	352	1	184			1	10													
Shoe stores—men's	18	728	11	606	1	208	1	450	1	10													
Shoe stores—women's	84	4,602	70	2,826	4	189	6	644	1	214	1	391	1	154	1	184	1	154	1	184	1	184	
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's																							

1 Not all stores have reported as to their credit activities or whether they make sales entirely for cash. This table includes all stores in the District of Columbia which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. It agrees with Table 1 except for 1,117 stores with sales of \$50,008,991 which failed to report as to their credit activities.

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TABLE 7A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CREDIT BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																						
	TOTAL		ALL CASH		1-10 per cent credit		11-20 per cent credit		21-30 per cent credit		31-40 per cent credit		41-50 per cent credit		51-60 per cent credit		61-70 per cent credit		71-80 per cent credit		More than 80 per cent credit		
	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	
Furniture and household group:																							
Furniture stores.....	48	\$7,263	14	\$205	3	\$90			1	\$9	1	\$15					2	\$71	2	\$65	21	\$5,683	
Household appliances stores—																							
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	15	988	5	54	1	6									1	60	2	80	1	7	5	781	
Household appliances stores.....	4	206	1	66											1	90					2	50	
Radio and music stores—																							
Radio and electrical shops.....	40	1,020	13	250	2	\$64	2	27	2	27	1	4	2	\$82	4	465	4	445	6	433	6	150	
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	29	2,560			2	23	1	20	1	20	3	385	1	63	1	63	2	109	4	371	6	1,145	
Lumber and building group:																							
Lumber and building material dealers.....	22	4,392	8	829	3	684					1	55	1	7					1	118	8	2,699	
Electrical shops (without radio).....	18	905	6	396	1	22							2	89					1	50	8	348	
Heating and plumbing shops—																							
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	9	723	2	24	2	144															5	555	
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	7	203	3	63	1	35							1	45							1	55	
Paint and glass stores.....	27	1,521	7	100	2	43			2	77	2	44	3	62	5	102	1	152	4	749			
Other retail stores:																							
Hardware stores.....	48	4,505	2	50	15	388	10	213	6	251	3	61	4	207	4	207			2	81	3	3,151	
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	3	600	3	340	2	146	1	1			3	61	1	45	1	266	1	188	2	242	2	248	
Book stores.....	21	1,038	8	907	4	122			1	7	1	2	2	71									
Cigar stores without fountain.....	77	3,038	71	807	7	718	3	82	1	30	3	57	3	71			9	2,547	9	1,915	9	2,686	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	44	8,410																					
Drug stores—																							
Drug stores with fountain.....	18	526			11	255	4	155	3	116	2	102	2	188					1	23	1	46	
Drug stores without fountain.....	46	1,731	23	440	31	1,041	8	303	1	48	2	54	6	114	3	129	4	554	1	49	3	201	
Florists.....	48	1,738	2	49	1	40					1	31	1	31	1	201					2	35	
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	6	988	2	49																	3	434	
Jewelry stores— (installment credit).....	32	2,363	6	50	5	101	2	24	2	35	5	589	4	676	2	251	2	83	2	303	3	661	
Jewelry stores (without radio).....	9	87									1	10	1	7	1	20					7	1,641	
Musical stores (without radio).....																							
Office, dealer, and store supplies and equipment (retail).....	10	1,491	1	153					1	15	2	61							1	59			
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	5	1,883																					
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and play-ground equipment—																							
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	9	504	1	52	2	139			4	298			2	75									
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	3	137	2	15									1	122									
Stationers and engravers.....	12	694	3	30	2	47			2	56	1	56	1	116			1	163	1	30	1	71	

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TABLE 7B.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	Per cent of reporting stores' sales			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	Per cent of reporting stores' sales		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment ²
All groups ³	2,087	40.50	44.01	15.49	Furniture and household group.....	129	17.03	30.28	52.69
Food group.....	961	42.58	57.42		Furniture stores.....	34	5.99	20.99	73.02
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	24	85.82	14.18		Household appliances stores:				
Dairy products stores:					Household appliances stores (electric).....	10	10.03	24.08	59.84
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	15	65.26	34.74		Household appliances stores.....	3	31.87	50.33	17.80
Milk dealers.....	5	13.15	86.85		Other home furnishings and appliances stores:				
Egg and poultry dealers.....	14	45.30	54.70		Picture and framing stores.....	5	47.46	52.54	
Delicatessen stores.....	52	86.05	13.95		Antique shops.....	8	55.78	44.22	
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	25	57.94	42.06		Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	4	30.69	69.31	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	101	45.60	54.40		Interior decorators.....	6	20.69	79.31	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					Radio and music stores:				
Grocery stores with meats.....	326	47.45	52.55		Radio and electrical shops.....	27	36.41	36.30	27.29
Meat markets with groceries.....	289	46.57	53.43		Radio and musical instruments stores.....	20	23.95	14.33	61.72
Meat markets (including sea foods):					Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	39	73.15	28.85	
Fish markets—sea foods.....	16	33.38	66.62		Restaurants, cafeterias:				
Meat markets.....	73	61.20	38.80		Cafeterias.....	3	57.69	42.31	
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	5	68.03	31.97		Lunch rooms.....	23	83.90	16.10	
General stores.....	5	82.76	17.24		Restaurants with table service.....	9	71.99	28.01	
General merchandise group.....	24	52.40	40.23	7.37	Lumber and building group.....	61	28.29	73.81	2.90
Department stores.....	10	52.25	40.33	7.42	Lumber and building material dealers:				
Dry goods stores.....	9	70.23	29.77		Lumber and building material dealers.....	14	22.70	77.30	
General merchandise stores:					Roofing.....	3	2.16	97.84	
Without food departments.....	4	82.95	17.05		Electrical shops (without radio).....	12	22.50	77.44	
Automotive group.....	255	39.35	15.25	45.40	Heating and plumbing shops:				
Motor vehicle dealers:					Heating appliances and oil burners.....	7	20.10	53.99	25.91
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	60	35.33	10.57	54.10	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	4	45.73	54.27	
Used-car establishments.....	15	37.41	2.35	59.74	Paint and glass stores.....	20	24.68	75.42	
Accessories, tires, and batteries:					Other retail stores.....	384	33.54	60.61	5.85
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	32	54.96	44.67	.37	Hardware stores.....	48	20.82	69.64	3.54
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	22	68.72	31.28		Farmers' supplies:				
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	10	20.15	67.81	3.04	Food stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	3	20.52	79.48	
Filling stations:					Coal and feed stores.....	5	35.94	63.06	
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	10	61.32	38.68		Book stores.....	13	41.20	28.95	20.85
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	47	68.20	31.71		Cigar stores without fountains.....	6	97.90	2.10	
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	5	79.25	20.75		Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	47	27.81	71.82	.37
Garages and repair shops:					Drug stores:				
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	8	16.22	83.78		Drug stores.....	18	89.05	10.95	
Garages (repairs and storage gasoline, oil, accessories).....	37	63.14	36.86		Drug stores with fountains.....	46	84.87	15.13	
Apparel group.....	201	42.94	40.91	7.15	Florists.....	25	38.89	61.11	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:				
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	3	98.59	1.41		Art and gift shops.....	4	44.11	55.89	
Men's furnishings stores.....	10	86.98	13.02		Novelty and souvenir shops.....	3	50.29	49.71	
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	27	50.43	47.31	2.20	Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	4	40.47	58.62	.91
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	28	22.50	33.29	44.21	Jewelry stores:				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	42	36.40	63.00		Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	6	22.45	6.58	70.97
Women's accessories stores:					Jewelry stores.....	32	41.40	52.83	5.77
Furriers—fur shops.....	19	30.41	39.23	30.36	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	4	64.13	35.87	
Millinery stores.....	15	33.55	66.45		Music stores (without radio).....	3	50.81	49.19	
Other apparel and furnishings stores:					Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:				
Children's specialty shops.....	7	51.57	48.43		Office and school supplies.....	7	17.92	81.80	.28
Custom tailors.....	28	59.36	40.64		Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	10	4.00	87.99	7.35
Shoe stores:					Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	4	1.56	98.14	.30
Shoe stores—women's.....	7	62.57	37.43		Typewriter dealers.....	4	.52	98.36	1.12
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	14	70.93	29.07		Opticians and optometrists.....	6	78.67	21.33	
					Sporting goods specialty stores.....	8	77.12	22.88	
					Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	4	36.70	27.48	35.82
					Stations and engravers.....	9	47.90	52.10	
					Monuments and tombstones.....	8	58.51	41.49	
					Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	57	31.73	63.46	4.81
					Secondhand stores.....	18	71.28	28.72	

¹ Total sales of above stores are \$198,809,566.
² Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open-account sales include any installment business that may have been done by these smaller stores. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customer's notes are handled through finance companies.
³ Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from this table but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 8.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CREDIT BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹	TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sale of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹
	Number of stores	Total net sales	Net credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales			Number of stores	Total net sales	Net credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales	
Total	2,067	\$198,809,566	\$118,294,973	59.50	\$30,676,513	Direct-selling (house-to-house)-----	4	\$302,158	\$287,244	95.06	\$285,343
Independent stores ²	1,956	170,584,395	97,375,791	57.08	25,063,257	Leased departments—Independent operators-----	4	119,482	74,195	61.10	-----
Local branch systems	4	631,631	291,405	46.19	-----	Leased-department chains-----	4	759,937	236,556	31.25	8,573
Local chains	27	11,394,170	9,209,948	80.83	166,123	Manufacturer-controlled chains-----	11	1,836,207	1,594,220	86.82	421,737
Sectional chains	24	7,461,166	5,626,240	75.41	3,330,373	Other types of operation-----	2	42,502	29,002	68.24	-----
National chains	31	5,680,918	3,470,372	61.09	1,395,107						

¹ Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported in places having less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor by any stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Therefore this column can not be related to the credit sales column because it is incomplete. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customer's notes are handled through finance companies.

² Includes single-store independents, two and three-store independents.

TABLE 9.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	31,201	\$16,961,964	Other stores in which meals are served-----	2,005	\$884,688
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	29,196	16,077,296	Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)-----	319	115,817
Cafeterias	8,183	5,567,519	Delicatessen stores-----	633	282,045
Lunch rooms	8,099	4,547,280	Grocery stores (without meats)-----	18	2,400
Restaurants with table service	12,256	5,614,171	Combination stores—grocery stores with meats-----	103	23,523
Fountain—lunches	219	128,082	Fish markets—sea foods-----	8	1,990
Lunch counters	439	220,235	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries)-----	24	3,900
			Department stores-----	865	436,273
			Cigar stores with fountains-----	30	18,720

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject is contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be taken into consideration in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair and service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair and service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total	1,483	\$5,052,452	\$374,136	Automotive group—Continued.			
Automotive group	1,471	5,019,879	374,136	Motorcycle, bicycles, and supplies-----	6	\$11,800	-----
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in	885	2,844,321	110,428	Body, fender, and paint shops-----	65	271,919	-----
Used-car establishments	11	68,434	-----	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)-----	373	1,278,290	\$241,149
Accessory stores with tires and batteries	24	148,660	-----	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots-----	1	710	11,889
Battery shops (including repairs)	43	182,862	-----	Furniture and household group-----	4	7,000	-----
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	11	23,148	-----	Radio and electrical shops-----	2	7,000	-----
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	2	5,951	-----	Lumber and building group-----	2	10,000	-----
Filling stations with tires and accessories	46	158,770	10,670	Paint and glass stores-----	2	10,000	-----
Filling stations with other merchandise	4	25,014	-----	Secondhand stores-----	6	15,573	-----

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service
Total	\$2,225,905	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group	2,100	Interior decorators-----	\$75,606
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	2,100	Radio and electrical shops-----	95,975
General-merchandise group	315,718	Radio and musical instruments stores-----	23,324
Department stores	315,718	Lumber and building group-----	191,254
Automotive group	23,367	Lumber and building material dealers-----	5,000
Accessory stores with tires and batteries	1,750	Roofing-----	9,790
Battery shops (including repairs)	11,000	Electrical shops (without radio)-----	91,351
Bicycle shops	10,617	Heating appliances and oil burners-----	36,361
Apparel group	208,332	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating-----	18,116
Men's and boys' clothing stores	2,200	Paint and glass stores-----	30,636
Men's and boys' hat stores	13,631	Other retail stores-----	998,036
Men's furnishings stores	22,500	Hardware stores-----	60,449
Men's clothing and furnishings stores	5,432	Hardware and farm implement stores-----	396
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories	11,892	Harness shops-----	10,000
Furriers—fur shops	84,107	Jewelry stores (installment credit)-----	33,216
Millinery stores	1,000	Jewelry stores-----	314,184
Children's specialty shops	44,501	Luggage and leather goods stores-----	3,500
Custom tailors	12,588	Musie stores (without radio)-----	9,350
Shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's	471,828	News dealers-----	8,055
Furniture and household group	26,758	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail)-----	98,488
Furniture stores	1,750	Typewriter dealers-----	9,064
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores	151,105	Opticians and optometrists-----	9,381
Floor coverings stores	53,897	Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery-----	4,000
Household appliances stores (electric)	19,472	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail-----	6,000
Household appliances stores	11,750	Stationers and engravers-----	18,628
Antique and used furniture dealers	1,500	Camera dealers—photographic supplies-----	17,400
Picture and framing stores	10,491	Monuments and tombstones-----	7,920
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents	-----	Miscellaneous classifications (combined)-----	387,805
		Secondhand stores-----	14,480

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TABLE 10.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹
All groups.....	\$3,213,437	\$4,022,696	\$7,817,972	Furniture and household group—Continued.			
Food group.....	501,657	407,997		Floor coverings, etc.—Continued.			
Candy and confectionery stores:				Floor coverings stores.....			\$28,961
Candy stores—nut stores.....	3,000	2,000		Household appliances stores:			
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	159,050	8,050		Household appliances stores (electric).....	\$14,200	125,437	
Dairy products stores:				Household appliances stores.....	4,150	8,875	
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....		21,750		Other home furnishings and appliances stores:			
Milk dealers.....	115,216	169,454		China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	\$3,000		77,951
Egg and poultry dealers.....		10,000		Picture and framing stores.....	5,000	3,000	
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....		12,000		Antique shops.....	18,594		
Meat markets (including sea foods):				Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	100,318		
Fish markets—sea foods.....		168,743		Interior decorators.....	70,000		
Meat markets.....	96,623			Radio and music stores:			
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	122,691	16,000		Radio and electrical shops.....		10,000	30,820
General merchandise group.....				Radio and musical instruments stores.....		5,695	254,685
Department stores.....			4,337,945	Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	120,800		
Automotive group.....	10,260	1,828,338	615,058	Fountain—lunches.....	120,600		
Motor vehicle dealers (new and trade-in):				Lumber and building group.....	280,132	159,778	21,598
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....		1,035,344	530,755	Lumber and building material dealers.....	280,132	142,167	14,714
Used-car establishments.....		14,000	10,400	Heating appliances and oil burners.....		3,291	
Accessories, tires, and batteries:				Paint and glass stores.....		14,330	6,884
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....		3,539		Other retail stores.....	1,288,585	1,588,533	588,350
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....		15,000		Farmers' supplies:			
Filling stations:				Harness shops.....	2,000		
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	5,000	2,000		Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....		75,000	13,008
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....		133,305	5,714	Book stores.....	2,500	20,750	81,044
Motor cycle, bicycle, and supplies stores.....		5,000		Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	977,032	1,123,657	
Garages and repair shops:				Drug stores:			
Body, fender, and paint shops.....			15,281	Drug stores.....	52,000		
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	5,250	20,150	2,906	Drug stores with fountains.....	9,090		
Apparel group.....	776,128		788,303	Florists.....		79,717	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:				Novelty and souvenir shops.....	25,492		
Men's furnishings stores.....	13,803			Jewelry stores:			
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....			99,030	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....			85,152
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....			155,888	Jewelry stores.....	3,500		90,745
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	73,217		403,684	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	2,000		20,022
Women's accessories stores:				News dealers.....			21,984
Furriers—fur shops.....	170,761		49,559	Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:			
Millinery stores.....	23,000			Office and school supplies.....	83,300	227,000	14,969
Custom tailors.....	490,347		3,869	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....		26,804	157,187
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....			56,223	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....		2,000	
Furniture and household group.....	232,085	37,045	1,237,320	Store fixture dealers.....			82,200
Furniture stores.....	16,509		765,585	Sporting goods stores including athletic and playground equipment:			
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:				Sporting goods specialty stores.....		2,000	2,852
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	18,574			Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....		15,500	1,074
				Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....			8,774
				Stationers and engravers.....	26,716		8,319
				Monuments and tombstones.....	24,000		
				Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	75,305	11,050	

¹ Merchandise manufactured on sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of services and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies, and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places of less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no returned goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

TABLE 11A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—RETAIL SALES BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS (WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES)

[Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power laundry sales include the full amount received for work done]

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929	Number of mills	Net sales, 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929 ¹
District of Columbia total.....	68	\$2,599,877	5	\$438,665	29	\$8,128,674	16	\$1,171,116
Washington.....	68	2,599,877	5	438,665	29	8,128,674	16	1,171,116

¹ This figure includes both retail and wholesale sales, the retail sales for the District of Columbia aggregating \$736,511.

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TABLE 11B.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS, CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹
Total.....	\$2,372,384	\$3,092,425	Forest products (except lumber).....	\$300	\$300
Amusement and sporting goods.....	44,250	113,580	Groceries and food specialties.....	63,304	109,138
Automotive.....	1,304,380	1,343,273	Groceries (general line).....	1,500	47,384
Automobiles and other motor vehicles.....	1,242,332	1,281,225	Food and grocery specialties.....	61,804	61,804
Automobile equipment.....	33,248	33,248	Hardware.....	7,900	7,900
Automobile parts (new and used).....	3,500	3,500	Iron and steel scrap and other waste materials.....	10,750	10,750
Tires and tubes.....	25,300	25,300	Leather and leather goods (except gloves and shoes).....	10,150	10,150
Chemicals, drugs and allied products.....	45,965	395,965	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	16,670	16,670
Drugs and drug sundries (specialty).....	45,965	45,965	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	11,670	11,670
Paints, varnishes, lacquers and enamels.....	309,061	309,061	Lumber and mill work.....	5,000	5,000
Electrical.....	355,661	355,661	Machinery, equipment and supplies (except electrical).....	37,500	103,182
Electrical goods including appliances.....	3,400	3,400	Commercial equipment and supplies.....	27,600	94,182
Electrical equipment and supplies.....	10,000	10,000	Manufacturing, mining, and drilling machinery equipment and supplies.....	10,000	10,000
Radio and radio equipment.....	56,000	56,000	Professional equipment and supplies.....	1,000	59,000
Farm supplies (except machinery, and equipment).....	345,754	345,754	Paper and paper products.....	34,400	124,652
Food products (not elsewhere specified).....	10,000	10,000	Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	17,000	17,000
Confectionery and soft drinks.....	39,361	39,361	Tobacco and tobacco products (except leaf).....	8,000	8,000
Poultry and poultry products.....	88,264	88,264	All other.....		
Fish and sea foods.....	6,000	6,000			
Fruits and vegetables (fresh).....	202,129	202,129			
Meats and meat products.....					

¹ Column 1, "Wholesalers only," includes those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for resale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches for types of distributors included in "All types of wholesalers," reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to Table 4 therein.

TABLE 12A.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	Number of employees (full time)	Total pay roll	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of net sales
Total.....	5,931	5,136	31,453	\$44,384,575	\$37,633,520	\$336,261,991	100.00
Proprietorships.....	4,038	4,766	9,824	12,475,006	12,615,080	114,523,620	34.00
Proprietorships and members of cooperative associations.....	41	48	112	159,943	103,880	2,302,609	.69
Corporations.....	1,577		21,182	31,413,080	24,638,730	216,635,790	64.61
Corporations and members of cooperative associations.....	3		68	122,372	144,610	786,806	.23
Cooperative associations.....	3		3	2,800	6,100	77,975	.03
Negro proprietorships.....	244	284	195	102,063	102,820	1,495,854	.44
Oriental mutuals.....	25	38	69	48,311	25,300	339,537	.10

TABLE 12B.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—STORES OPERATED BY NEGRO PROPRIETORS

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members	Number of employees	Total pay roll	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of net sales
All groups.....	244	284	195	\$102,063	\$102,820	\$1,495,854	100.00
Food group.....	71	80	15	10,509	12,590	289,590	19.36
Candy and confectionery stores.....	9	10	2	1,766	1,330	12,895	.86
Grocery stores (without meats).....	17	18			3,640	46,511	3.11
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	16	17	1	770	4,530	84,035	5.62
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	17	20	9	6,285	1,700	103,362	6.91
Other food stores.....	12	15	3	1,688	1,330	42,787	2.86
Automotive group.....	15	18	12	12,893	4,770	68,815	4.60
Filling stations.....	3	3	3	2,160	480	20,600	1.40
Garages and repair shops.....	8	10	0	7,453	900	25,575	1.71
Other automotive establishments.....	4	5	3	3,280	3,330	22,340	1.49
Apparel group.....	6	7	5	5,740	10,200	35,695	2.38
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Women's accessories stores.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Other apparel stores.....	3	3	5	5,740	4,100	16,920	1.13
Furniture and household group.....	5	7			1,180	10,620	.71
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains and upholstery stores.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	2	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores.....	2	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Restaurants, cafeterias and eating places.....	68	83	108	64,703	6,260	481,812	32.21
Restaurants, cafeterias.....	62	77	106	63,507	5,950	475,152	31.70
Lunch counters and refreshment stands.....	6	6	2	1,196	310	6,660	.45
Other retail stores.....	72	82	62	66,663	68,380	597,452	39.94
Farmers' supplies.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	10	10	4	2,520	1,830	25,530	1.71
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	10	18	11	8,836	3,880	108,316	7.11
Drug stores.....	23	24	16	18,664	45,160	235,281	15.83
Jewelry stores.....	1	(x)			(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	21	20	21	35,553	15,160	217,305	14.63
Secondhand stores.....	7	7	3	2,655	1,480	11,970	.80

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

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TABLE 15.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			FOOD GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 24.4 per cent)			Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 24.4 per cent)		
Bakery products, fresh.....	32.6	13.2	Bakery products, fresh.....	4.6	2.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	31.6	31.5	Bottled beverages.....	1.0	.2
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	10.6	1.7	Confectionery and nuts.....	.7	.1
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	46.4	46.4	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	2.0	.1
Receipts from sale of meals.....	20.4	7.2	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	6.7	3.8
Dairy products stores: (Commodity coverage, 49.7 per cent)			Fruits and vegetables.....		
Butter and cheese.....	51.7	51.7	Groceries.....	15.0	15.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	1.6	1.1	Butter and cheese.....	28.2	28.2
Eggs.....	38.4	38.4	Eggs.....	3.3	
Milk and cream.....	40.2	9.8	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.1	
Poultry dealers: (Commodity coverage, 31.9 per cent)			Meats, including poultry.....		
Fruits and vegetables.....	40.9	23.9	Milk and cream.....	47.6	47.6
Poultry.....	70.1	76.1	Non-food products—	4.2	2.1
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 97.2 per cent)			Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....		
Butter and cheese.....	4.9	4.9	Household supplies.....	2.1	.2
Eggs.....	3.5	3.5	Other non-food products.....	2.0	.2
Milk and cream.....	91.6	91.6	(x)	.1	.1
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 6.2 per cent)			Fish markets—sea foods: (Commodity coverage, 63.9 per cent)		
Bakery products, fresh.....	13.6	13.6	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	73.4	73.4
Bottled beverages.....	4.7	3.2	Meats, including poultry.....	39.4	26.6
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	1.8	1.1	Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 50.8 per cent)		
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.7	1.2	Butter and cheese.....	3.8	.3
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	34.2	34.2	Eggs.....	3.8	.3
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	7.8	2.4	Fruits and vegetables.....	33.6	4.7
Fruits and vegetables.....	4.5	3.1	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.5	.2
Groceries—			Meats, including poultry.....		
Butter and cheese.....	4.3	3.0	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries):		
Eggs.....	3.1	2.2	(Commodity coverage, 12.8 per cent)		
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	.8	.2	Bakery products, fresh.....	58.5	58.5
Flour.....	.8	.2	Confectionery and nuts.....	38.3	35.3
Sugar.....	1.1	.7	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	6.7	6.2
Canned goods and other groceries.....	19.5	13.4	GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Meats, including poultry.....	9.1	2.8	Department stores: (Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)		
Milk and cream.....	5.5	3.8	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	.7	.4
Receipts from sale of meals.....	48.3	14.9	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 49.1 per cent)			Children's wear.....		
Bottled beverages.....	.2	.1	Millinery.....	1.8	1.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	.7	1.0	Hosiery.....	2.4	2.3
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	11.6	11.6	Coats, suits, dresses.....	4.8	4.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	82.5	82.5	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	13.7	12.9
Groceries—			Other clothing, except furs.....		
Butter and cheese.....	1.4	.5	Appliances and supplies (electrical)—	6.1	6.1
Eggs.....	.6	.2	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators)	2.8	2.4
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.8	.7	Lighting equipment.....	.7	.7
Flour.....	2.7	1.0	Incandescent lamps.....	.6	.3
Sugar.....	2.1	.7	Other appliances.....	.4	.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	21.8	7.7	Automotive parts and accessories—	.3	.2
Poultry.....	39.7	5.4	Automotive parts and accessories, except tires and tubes	.4	.1
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 8.6 per cent)			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Bakery products, fresh.....	6.1	4.2	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Bottled beverages.....	1.7	.8	Suits.....	5.2	3.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	.5	.2	Overcoats.....	1.4	.8
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	5.0	.2	Hats and caps.....	.6	.3
Ice cream.....	10.6	1.6	Furnishings.....	6.7	4.8
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	2.6	1.5	Work clothing.....	.2	.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	16.1	11.9	Other clothing.....	.8	.2
Groceries—			Confectionery and nuts.....		
Butter and cheese.....	5.0	5.0	Dry goods and notions—	.5	.3
Eggs.....	3.3	3.3	Cotton piece goods.....	2.6	2.5
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.1	1.1	Linen goods.....	1.7	.8
Flour.....	3.1	3.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.4	.3
Sugar.....	4.5	4.5	Rayon piece goods.....	.5	.2
Canned goods and other groceries.....	27.0	27.0	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.2	3.9
Meats, including poultry.....	32.5	32.5	Notions and small wares.....	4.3	4.2
Milk and cream.....	3.3	2.3	Dry goods, other.....	.7	.2
Non-food products—			Flowers, wreaths, etc.....		
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	1.2	.4	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	1.0	.6
Household supplies.....	1.9	.2			
Other non-food products.....	(x)	.2			

Note.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages shown in this column should be applied to the sales shown in Table 1. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, page 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

TABLE 15.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Percent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Percent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Percent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Percent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
Department stores—Continued.			Automobile salesrooms— (Commodity coverage, 96.0 per cent)		
Furniture—			Automobiles, parts and accessories—		
Bedroom.....	1.5	1.5	Passenger automobiles, new.....	51.9	46.7
Living room, library, and hall.....	1.7	1.3	Used passenger cars.....	20.2	18.0
Dining room.....	.9	.7	Busses.....	5.9	1.1
Kitchen.....	.2	.1	Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	13.9	6.7
Other household.....	1.4	1.1	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	4.2	1.7
Furs and fur goods.....	.7	.7	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	9.7	8.1
Hardware.....	4.1	.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.5	.7
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	3.7	.1	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	17.4	5.9
Home furnishings—			Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	2.7	.9
Draperies, upholstery, curtains.....	3.8	3.8	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	3.1	.2
Floor coverings.....	3.7	3.7	Batteries.....	.5	.1
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.8	1.7	Gasoline.....	1.2	.8
China, glassware, crockery.....	2.0	1.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2
Kitchen utensils.....	1.3	.8	Oils and greases.....	.6	.4
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.4	.3	Repairs and service.....	9.5	8.5
Other home furnishings.....	5.2	5.0	Storage.....	2.6	.3
Infants' wear.....	2.4	2.3			
Jewelry, silverware, clocks—			Used-car establishments: (Commodity coverage, 97.0 per cent)		
Clocks.....	.3	.2	Automobiles, parts and accessories—		
Watches.....	.1	.1	Used passenger cars.....	80.5	70.0
Rings, other than diamond.....	.1	.1	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	71.4	9.5
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	.2	.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	23.2	7.0
Plated silverware.....	.4	.3	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	6.3	1.8
Sterling silverware.....	.4	.2	Used cars sold to dealers.....	11.7	1.3
Jewelry, other.....	1.2	1.2	Batteries.....	1.4	.2
Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves, and hand bags.....	1.6	1.6	Gasoline.....	9.3	1.8
Luggage.....	.5	.4	Oils and greases.....	5.2	1.0
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.5	Radio sets.....	10.5	1.3
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.6	.2	Repairs and service.....	14.4	5.5
Phonographs and records.....	.2	.1			
Radio parts and accessories.....	.2	.1	Accessory stores (with tires and batteries): (Commodity coverage, 42.5 per cent)		
Radio sets.....	2.1	1.8	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	62.8	62.8
Receipts from sale of meals.....	3.3	1.0	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	28.6	10.9
Services.....	1.5	.7	Batteries.....	5.0	2.0
Shoes and other footwear—			Gasoline.....	19.9	4.1
Men's.....	.8	.4	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	5.6
Boys' and youths'.....	.9	.2	Oils and greases.....	2.7	1.6
Women's.....	3.1	2.7	Radios and equipment.....	7.4	3.9
Misses' and children's.....	1.3	.9	Repairs and service.....	.7	.1
Infants'.....	.5	.1			
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	.8	.5	Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops: (Commodity coverage, 29.3 per cent)		
Stationery, books and magazines—			Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	80.5	70.7
Books.....	.7	.4	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	20.4	.4
Magazines and newspapers.....	.4	.2	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	4.1	.5
Paper and paper goods.....	1.7	1.6	Batteries.....	18.5	18.5
Stationery, other.....	.3	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.5
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.0	.1	Repairs and service.....	23.2	9.4
Toilet articles.....	.6	.6			
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.8	1.8	Tire shops (including tire repairs): (Commodity coverage, 67.3 per cent)		
Toys and games.....	1.5	1.5	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.4	.9
			Batteries.....	2.1	.6
Variety, 5-and-10, and 25-cent stores: (Commodity coverage, 28.7 per cent) ¹			Gasoline.....	12.8	6.3
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', and children's—			Oils and greases.....	5.7	2.8
Millinery.....	.9	.5	Radio sets.....	14.5	3.2
Hosiery.....	3.3	1.7	Repairs and service.....	3.3	1.5
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.5	2.4	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	84.7	84.7
Other apparel.....	10.4	1.5			
Batteries.....	.3	.1	Filling stations (gasoline and oil): (Commodity coverage, 6.9 per cent)		
Books.....	.5	.5	Gasoline.....	90.2	90.2
Bottled beverages.....	.4	.2	Oils and greases.....	9.8	9.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	6.1	2.3			
Construction materials, electrical.....	4.4	4.4	Filling stations (with tires and accessories): (Commodity coverage, 54.8 per cent)		
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	4.0	1.5	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	5.0	3.7
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.7	.7	Batteries.....	1.9	1.2
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	17.0	14.6	Fuel oil.....	(x)	6.4
Furnishings, men's.....	8.2	1.1	Gasoline.....	63.3	63.3
Gold fish, etc.....	.7	.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.6
Hardware.....	7.4	7.4	Oils and greases.....	14.4	14.4
Home furnishings—			Radios and equipment.....	3.7	1.2
China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.6	3.1	Repairs and service.....	2.9	2.5
Kitchen utensils.....	3.3	1.7	Storage.....	3.6	.4
Other home furnishings.....	4.6	2.4	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	7.3	7.3
Incandescent lamps.....	.8	.8			
Infants' wear.....	8.7	1.2	Filling stations (with other merchandise): (Commodity coverage, 15.0 per cent)		
Jewelry.....	4.1	4.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.6	2.7
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and hand bags).....	2.9	.4	Batteries.....	3.0	2.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	5.8			
Notions and small wares.....	12.9	12.9			
Optical goods.....	.5	.1			
Other dry goods.....	1.5	.9			
Paints, varnishes, lacquers, and painters' supplies.....	2.0	2.0			
Phonograph records.....	2.9	.7			
Radio parts and accessories.....	4.9	.7			
Rubber and other footwear.....	3.6	.5			
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.5	.4			
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	2.0	1.7			
Sporting goods.....	1.7	.2			
Stationery.....	7.5	7.5			
Toilet articles and preparations.....	6.2	6.2			
Toys and games.....	5.3	5.3			

¹ Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series report on Retail Distribution by Variety Chains for commodity analysis of chain sales.

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AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Filling stations (with other merchandise)—Continued.			Corset and lingerie shops: (Commodity coverage, 68.0 per cent)		
Batteries.....	2.2	1.3	Hosiery.....	14.3	10.0
Gasoline.....	72.2	72.2	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	19.0	13.4
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 1.7	1.7	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	76.6	76.6
Oils and greases.....	10.8	10.8	Furriers—fur shops: (Commodity coverage, 84.9 per cent)		
Radio parts and accessories.....	2.0	.6	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	19.5	8.1
Radio sets.....	23.3	7.4	Furs and fur goods.....	87.2	87.2
Repairs and service.....	1.4	1.1	Service.....	8.6	4.7
Body, fender, and paint shops: (Commodity coverage, 59.5 per cent)			Hosiery shops: (Commodity coverage, 59.9 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories.....	54.0	54.0	Hosiery.....	92.7	92.7
Repairs and service.....	46.0	46.0	Other apparel.....	4.3	1.4
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 80.9 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.7	5.9
Automobiles, parts and accessories—			Millinery stores: (Commodity coverage, 62.9 per cent)		
Use of passenger cars.....	1.9	.3	Coats, suits and dresses.....	16.2	1.0
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	15.3	10.4	Millinery.....	99.0	99.0
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	13.7	10.4	Children's specialty shops: (Commodity coverage, 71.8 per cent)		
Batteries.....	2.4	1.5	Children's wear.....	92.1	92.1
Gasoline.....	30.4	30.4	Service.....	12.0	7.9
Oils and greases.....	5.7	5.7	Shoe stores—men's: (Commodity coverage, 37.1 per cent)		
Repairs and service.....	31.5	31.5	Furnishings.....	2.2	2.0
Storage.....	27.6	9.8	Shoes, men's.....	98.0	98.0
APPAREL GROUP			Shoe stores—women's: (Commodity coverage, 95.3 per cent)		
Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 59.7 per cent)			Hosiery.....	13.9	10.6
Suits.....	75.2	75.2	Leather goods, gloves and handbags.....	6.2	.1
Overcoats.....	24.8	24.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .5	.5
Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 48.7 per cent)			Shoes and other footwear—		
Hats and caps.....	84.5	84.5	Women's.....	86.6	86.6
Furnishings.....	24.1	10.9	Misses' and children's.....	17.7	.3
Service.....	8.9	4.0	Rubber and other footwear.....	6.5	1.8
Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 76.0 per cent)			Shoe stores—men's, women's and children's: (Commodity coverage, 55.5 per cent)		
Clothing and furnishings, (men's and boys')—			Furnishings, men's.....	3.5	.8
Custom tailoring.....	3.0	.3	Hosiery.....	6.2	3.2
Suits.....	40.8	40.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .1	.1
Overcoats.....	12.6	12.6	Service.....	.8	.1
Hats and caps.....	9.2	7.6	Shoes and other footwear—		
Furnishings.....	31.3	31.3	Men's.....	17.2	17.2
Work clothing.....	7.2	2.8	Boys' and youths'.....	10.4	6.8
Other clothing.....	5.4	1.7	Women's.....	50.9	50.9
Coats, suits, dresses—women's.....	8	.1	Misses' and children's.....	16.8	13.6
Luggage.....	6	.1	Infants'.....	1.5	.5
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .6	.6	Rubber and other footwear.....	12.5	6.8
Service.....	.8	.1	FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
Shoes and other footwear—			Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 79.6 per cent)		
Men's.....	4.6	1.5	Furniture—		
Boys' and youths'.....	1.6	.4	Bedroom.....	24.7	24.7
Sporting goods.....	.5	.1	Living room, library, and hall.....	32.3	32.3
Family clothing stores (men's, women's, and children's): (Commodity coverage, 68.8 per cent)			Dining room.....	12.3	12.3
Apparel and accessories (women's, misses' and children's)—			Kitchen.....	5.7	5.7
Millinery.....	2.9	1.9	Other household.....	7.2	.7
Hosiery.....	1.4	.8	Home furnishings—		
Coats, suits, dresses.....	64.7	22.7	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	13.6	2.3
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	6.0	1.6	Floor coverings.....	11.4	7.8
Other apparel, except furs.....	20.5	16.0	Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	9.5	6.3
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.1	1.0
Suits.....	25.8	20.0	Other home furnishings.....	4.0	2.3
Overcoats.....	9.9	6.3	Incandescent lamps.....	1.8	.3
Hats and caps.....	4.9	2.7	Radio sets.....	7.6	4.0
Furnishings.....	18.1	10.0	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	7.0	.3
Other clothing.....	16.1	12.2	Floor coverings stores: (Commodity coverage, 81.0 per cent)		
Furs and fur goods.....	.9	.1	Art goods, gifts.....	33.8	8.0
Shoes and other footwear—			Draperies, upholstery and curtains.....	6.7	5.1
Men's.....	4.8	2.0	Floor coverings.....	55.6	55.6
Women's.....	9.0	3.7	Furniture, household.....	20.3	20.3
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 89.0 per cent)			Service.....	11.0	11.0
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses, and children's—			Household appliances stores (electrical): (Commodity coverage, 62.5 per cent)		
Custom tailoring for women.....	6.3	.8	Appliances and supplies, (electrical)—		
Children's wear.....	8.4	.2	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	44.5	41.3
Millinery.....	7.2	3.8	Household heating appliances—portable.....	5.5	4.0
Hosiery.....	7.5	5.3	Lighting equipment.....	9.3	7.5
Coats, suits, dresses.....	65.3	65.3	Incandescent lamps.....	1.4	1.1
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	10.5	7.7	Incandescent lamps.....	2.9	2.1
Other apparel, except furs.....	9.0	5.4	Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	23.6	17.4
Furs and fur goods.....	10.4	6.3	Other appliances.....	.1	.1
Infants' wear.....	3.8	.7	Batteries.....	.7	.5
Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	1.6	.1	Clocks.....	.7	.5
Notions and small wares.....	1.8	.4	Radio parts and accessories.....	.5	.4
Other dry goods.....	10.4	2.3			
Service.....	1.4	.1			
Shoes, women's.....	3.8	1.0			
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.6	.6			

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TABLE 15.—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

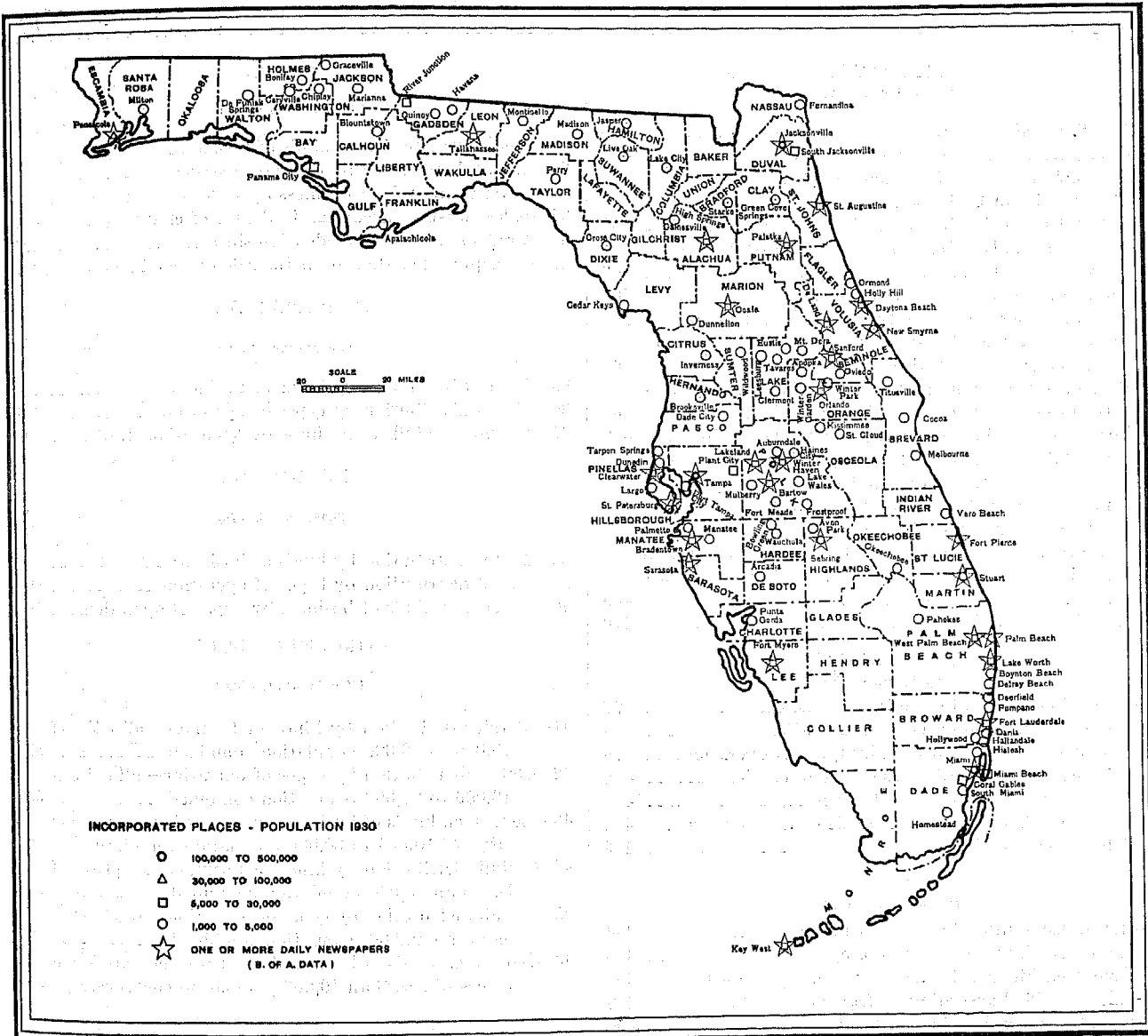
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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP		
Household appliances stores (electrical)—Continued.			Lumber and building material dealers: (Commodity coverage, 97.9 per cent)		
Radio sets.....	18.1	13.3	Building materials—		
Refrigerators, electric.....	12.8	9.4	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	1.4	0.6
Service.....	3.2	2.9	Cement.....	1.5	.7
Household appliances stores: (Commodity coverage, 79.8 per cent)			Lime, plaster, etc.....	.9	.4
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Lumber (rough and dressed).....	78.9	70.8
Household appliances, motor-driven.....	4.2	4.0	Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	7.9	5.2
Household heating appliances—portable.....	3.0	1.2	Wood shingles and shakes.....	.9	.4
Lighting equipment.....	45.6	18.2	Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	1.9	1.2
Incandescent lamps.....	9.1	3.7	Iron and other building metal.....	8.9	3.9
Construction materials.....	28.6	11.4	Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	1.6	1.0
Appliances and supplies, gas—			Wall boards (except wood base).....	3.2	2.4
Stoves and ranges.....	23.5	23.5	Building materials, other.....	2.8	1.7
Water heaters.....	46.5	25.5	Coal.....	23.2	4.9
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	1.5	.6	Hardware, builders' and shelf.....	.8	.1
Service.....	21.6	11.9	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	6.7	.7
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware: (Commodity coverage, 65.0 per cent)			Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.5	.1
China, glassware crockery.....	97.0	97.0	Electrical shops (without radio): (Commodity coverage, 59.7 per cent)		
Kitchen utensils.....	20.0	1.2	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	2.9	1.2
Toys and games.....	30.0	1.8	Construction materials.....	58.6	55.4
Interior decorators: (Commodity coverage, 68.8 per cent)			Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	15.4	6.3
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	19.9	3.5	Household heating appliances—portable.....	2.0	1.2
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	36.5	36.5	Incandescent lamps.....	2.9	1.2
Furniture—			Lighting equipment.....	23.6	19.9
Bedroom.....	6.7	3.1	Other appliances.....	12.9	10.2
Living room, library, and hall.....	24.8	24.8	Refrigerators.....	29.4	4.6
Dining room.....	11.3	5.2	Heating appliances and oil burners: (Commodity coverage, 65.2 per cent)		
Kitchen.....	2.4	1.1	Heating equipment and supplies.....	97.4	97.4
Other household.....	13.7	7.3	Service.....	7.6	2.0
Other home furnishings.....	28.1	3.4	Paint and glass stores: (Commodity coverage, 67.0 per cent)		
Radio parts and accessories.....	5.1	.6	Furnishings—		
Radio sets.....	16.0	1.9	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	10.2	.7
Service.....	38.9	12.6	Floor coverings.....	3.1	.2
Radio and electrical shops: (Commodity coverage, 44.7 per cent)			Other home furnishings.....	28.8	2.1
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes and batteries).....	11.2	1.0	Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies:		
Batteries.....	5.9	.9	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	31.0	75.1
Gasoline.....	2.7	.2	Glass.....	14.1	13.1
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	11.8	1.3	Painters' supplies.....	5.0	4.6
Phonographs and records.....	3.7	.3	Wallpaper.....	58.0	4.2
Radio parts and accessories.....	13.7	14.7	OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Radio sets.....	75.8	75.8	Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 73.6 per cent)		
Refrigerators.....	29.4	3.3	Appliances and supplies (electrical).....	10.8	.4
Service.....	0.6	.1	Appliances and supplies, gas.....	5.7	.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	4.7	.4	Automotive parts and accessories.....	2.1	.9
Radio and musical instruments stores: (Commodity coverage, 93.6 per cent)			Boat parts and accessories.....	1.9	.8
Furniture, household.....	17.6	1.9	Building materials.....	4.0	.2
Musical instruments and accessories—			Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	19.4	1.9
Pianos and accessories.....	48.7	37.6	Fertilizers.....	5.0	.1
Phonographs and records.....	7.8	6.7	Glass.....	1.7	.1
Stringed and hand instruments.....	3.4	1.1	Hardware—		
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	1.7	1.1	Builders, and shelf.....	48.6	48.6
Musical instruments and accessories.....	2.0	.7	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	12.0	12.6
Radio parts and accessories.....	7.1	7.1	Other hardware.....	12.4	7.1
Radio sets.....	42.3	42.3	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	35.0	2.0
Service.....	2.7	1.5	Leather goods.....	3.0	.2
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Machinery, retail.....	.6	.3
Cafeterias: (Commodity coverage, 26.1 per cent)			Other home furnishings.....	7.1	3.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	17.1	1.8	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	24.4	2.0
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.4	3.3	Radio sets.....	2.8	.9
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	2.2	.3	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	21.5	9.3
Receipts from sale of meals.....	94.6	94.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	10.0	.2
Lunch rooms: (Commodity coverage, 12.1 per cent)			Service.....	(x)	.5
Bakery products, fresh.....	26.4	8.5	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	1.1	.1
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.9	4.5	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	13.8	7.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	8.0	4.8	Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	3.0	.2
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	8.3	3.6	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer): (Commodity coverage, 90.1 per cent)		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	78.6	78.6	Flour.....	41.7	8.8
Restaurants with table service: (Commodity coverage, 26.8 per cent)			Grain and feed.....	51.8	51.8
Bakery products, fresh.....	14.2	3.2	Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	29.3	29.3
Bottled beverages.....	.3	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.7	1.7	Sugar.....	47.1	9.9
Confectionery and nuts.....	12.8	4.0	Coal and feed stores: (Commodity coverage, 88.2 per cent)		
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	17.1	2.9	Building materials—		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	88.1	88.1	Cement.....	2.7	2.0
Fountain—lunches: (Commodity coverage, 40.7 per cent)			Lime, plaster, etc.....	.4	.2
Confectionery and nuts.....	27.5	13.6	Roofing materials.....	8.8	29.6
Fountain lunches.....	86.4	86.4	Coal.....	29.6	
			Farm and garden equipment and supplies—		
			Farm machinery.....	4	.1
			Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	4	.1
			Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	9	.2
			Fertilizers.....	1.2	.6
			Flour.....	1.9	.4

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Coal and feed stores—Continued.			Jewelry stores—Continued.		
Grain and feed.....	48.5	48.5	Jewelry, silverware, clocks—Continued.		
Hay, straw and alfalfa.....	15.5	15.5	Diamond jewelry.....	36.3	36.3
Ice.....	.8	.2	Rings, other than diamond.....	4.3	4.3
Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	.6	.1	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	9.7	9.7
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	2.8	2.2	Plated silverware.....	4.0	3.8
			Sterling silverware.....	20.7	19.4
			Other jewelry.....	9.9	6.8
Coal and wood yards:			Optical goods.....	12.5	2.2
(Commodity coverage, 61.2 per cent)			Service.....	9.4	2.4
Cement.....	2.8	.1	Stationery.....	11.0	.3
Coal.....	69.1	69.1			
Fuel oil.....	5.0	3.7	Luggage and leather goods stores:		
Gasoline, oil, and grease.....	3.5	.2	(Commodity coverage, 71.6 per cent)		
Hardware.....	3.3	.1	Gift merchandise.....	5.1	4.6
Ice.....	60.4	26.9	Jewelry.....	3.6	3.2
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	5.6	.2	Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	26.5	26.5
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	1.1	.7	Luggage.....	42.8	42.8
			Shoes, men's.....	1.7	1.5
Bookstores:			Sporting goods.....	24.0	21.4
(Commodity coverage, 83.1 per cent)					
Books.....	83.0	83.0	Office and school supplies:		
Magazines and newspapers.....	12.1	6.9	(Commodity coverage, 89.3 per cent)		
Paper and paper goods.....	34.2	6.2	Office and store equipment—		
Stationery, other.....	10.1	3.9	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	1.0	.1
			Typewriters and accessories.....	38.5	4.8
Cigars stores without fountains:			Office and store equipment.....	11.9	8.5
(Commodity coverage, 23.8 per cent)			Office and store furniture.....	2.1	.6
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	86.1	86.1	Stationery, books and magazines—		
Novelties.....	2.8	.7	Books.....	1.9	.2
Smokers' supplies.....	13.2	13.2	Paper and paper goods.....	81.6	81.6
			Other stationery.....	33.7	4.2
Drug stores with fountains:			Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail):		
(Commodity coverage, 7.2 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 84.9 per cent)		
Bottled beverages.....	3.2	1.1	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	37.5	26.1
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	14.7	14.7	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	8.4
Confectionery and nuts.....	6.9	5.0	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	60.7	48.2
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	17.9	17.9	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.6
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	25.1	25.1	Secondhand goods.....	1.0	.1
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 5.9	5.9	Service.....	8.1	5.7
Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	2.8	2.8	Stationery.....	24.5	9.9
Rubber goods.....	2.5	2.5			
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	2.9	2.9	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers:		
Prescriptions.....	14.5	14.5	(Commodity coverage, 89.7 per cent)		
Toilet articles.....	5.9	5.9	Draperies, upholstery, curtains.....	.4	.1
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.7	1.7	Floor coverings.....	1.4	.3
			Lighting equipment, electric.....	.8	.1
Florists:			Office and store equipment.....	13.8	3.1
(Commodity coverage, 54.1 per cent)			Office and store furniture.....	75.1	75.1
Gift merchandise.....	4.4	.5	Other stationery.....	9.6	8.1
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	99.5	99.5	Paper and paper goods.....	40.0	18.2
Jewelry stores (installment credit):			Typewriter dealers:		
(Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 28.7 per cent)		
Clocks.....	1.7	1.7	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	2.4	2.4
Diamond jewelry.....	34.0	34.0	Service.....	3.1	3.1
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	11.0	11.0	Typewriters and accessories.....	94.5	94.5
Jewelry, other.....	4.6	2.0			
Optical goods.....	4.6	1.8	Opticians and optometrists:		
Plated silverware.....	5.8	5.8	(Commodity coverage, 57.9 per cent)		
Rings, other than diamond.....	5.1	6.1	Optical goods.....	91.7	91.7
Service.....	5.7	3.4	Radio sets.....	18.7	8.8
Sterling silverware.....	12.0	6.1			
Watches.....	29.1	29.1	Stationers and engravers:		
			(Commodity coverage, 56.1 per cent)		
Jewelry stores:			Office and store equipment.....	8.5	5.6
(Commodity coverage, 63.2 per cent)			Service.....	(x) 8.1	5.8
Jewelry, silverware, clocks—			Stationery and supplies.....	89.1	89.1
Clocks.....	2.0	2.0			
Watches.....	13.3	13.3			

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TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS AND SALES

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			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	22, 449	20, 765	45, 618	7, 932	\$52, 748, 730	\$1, 612, 296	\$81, 675, 210	\$504, 522, 545	100. 00
Food group ¹	6, 318	6, 265	6, 259	2, 442	7, 103, 804	452, 582	6, 049, 490	112, 838, 198	22. 37
Candy and confectionery stores: Candy stores—nut stores.....	21	23	15	4	10, 238	1, 084	7, 960	92, 401	. 02
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	329	343	300	78	228, 777	12, 933	174, 840	2, 410, 952	. 48
Dairy products stores: Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	50	21	123	21	135, 527	3, 605	18, 530	1, 065, 887	. 21
Egg and poultry dealers.....	55	62	56	31	49, 074	5, 647	16, 070	528, 173	. 10
Milk dealers ²	17	15	174	—	186, 187	—	—	1, 281, 403	. 25
Delicatessen stores.....	32	33	66	4	56, 867	874	27, 220	600, 203	. 12
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	230	247	193	71	179, 073	13, 968	72, 940	2, 050, 307	. 41
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2, 843	2, 764	1, 504	854	1, 705, 969	152, 304	2, 341, 160	36, 416, 957	7. 22
Combination stores (groceries and meats): Grocery stores with meats.....	1, 761	1, 748	2, 487	1, 044	3, 156, 009	197, 477	2, 861, 260	51, 490, 432	10. 21
Meat markets with groceries.....	206	215	423	116	515, 543	22, 424	292, 900	6, 782, 425	1. 84
Meat markets (including sea foods): Fish markets—sea foods.....	303	330	248	86	173, 088	12, 688	33, 210	2, 304, 918	. 46
Meat markets.....	279	282	334	94	376, 577	23, 334	126, 530	5, 827, 741	1. 16
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	145	147	247	31	226, 480	5, 059	30, 550	1, 317, 643	. 26
Other food stores: Coffee, tea, spices.....	14	8	24	1	36, 427	200	15, 320	388, 230	. 08
Farm products stores.....	6	7	15	1	7, 092	100	1, 530	112, 747	. 02
General food stores.....	5	5	1	—	192	—	2, 750	14, 716	. —
Bottled waters and beverages.....	19	14	48	6	55, 600	985	13, 540	152, 232	. 03
General stores.....	1, 325	1, 460	1, 172	370	1, 282, 821	59, 961	4, 514, 130	26, 914, 062	5. 33
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	56	57	79	9	84, 653	2, 020	105, 000	1, 148, 768	. 23
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	672	752	360	161	376, 834	24, 875	1, 538, 380	9, 250, 445	1. 83
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	597	651	733	200	821, 334	33, 066	2, 870, 750	16, 514, 869	3. 21
General merchandise group.....	848	661	5, 870	1, 117	6, 157, 309	143, 484	14, 144, 690	53, 051, 159	10. 52
Department stores: With food departments.....	3	—	524	1	784, 550	104	547, 650	4, 979, 451	. 99
Without food departments.....	28	5	2, 034	132	2, 362, 830	29, 237	4, 235, 030	16, 742, 113	3. 32
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores: Dry goods stores.....	423	384	972	313	1, 120, 016	49, 002	4, 355, 640	11, 703, 848	2. 34
Piece goods stores.....	7	8	14	1	13, 864	360	41, 690	197, 703	. 04
General merchandise stores: With food departments.....	15	11	56	—	53, 088	—	56, 250	596, 527	. 12
Without food departments.....	194	162	400	170	664, 303	27, 277	2, 649, 420	5, 692, 381	1. 13
Army and Navy goods stores.....	21	16	24	9	29, 167	915	144, 030	382, 608	. 07
Women's exchanges.....	5	6	2	1	655	30	2, 250	8, 779	. —
Varley, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	152	60	1, 784	485	1, 228, 818	35, 959	2, 112, 730	12, 657, 744	2. 51
Automotive group ¹	4, 887	4, 416	9, 593	850	11, 842, 922	225, 894	10, 434, 920	117, 418, 641	23. 27
Motor-vehicle dealers: Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	425	233	4, 188	70	6, 006, 922	25, 972	6, 544, 750	65, 208, 457	12. 92
Used-car establishments.....	60	49	129	15	160, 929	3, 185	252, 680	2, 042, 786	. 40
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	4	—	21	—	20, 300	—	53, 000	344, 292	. 07
Accessories, tires, and batteries: Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	69	52	188	20	183, 481	4, 895	409, 250	1, 360, 887	. 27
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	107	115	183	23	236, 482	4, 212	217, 320	1, 223, 405	. 24
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	130	87	606	18	809, 925	5, 015	689, 760	6, 118, 645	1. 21
Filling stations: Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	1, 068	668	1, 041	82	1, 041, 170	19, 001	237, 510	11, 146, 424	2. 21
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	499	477	817	100	803, 069	31, 747	617, 660	9, 445, 016	1. 87
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	1, 321	1, 403	567	198	449, 436	44, 415	457, 250	9, 312, 557	1. 85
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies: Motor-cycle dealers.....	9	6	20	—	20, 907	—	39, 720	188, 699	. 04
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Bicycle shops.....	25	27	20	9	18, 178	1, 945	36, 910	142, 655	. 03
Garages and repair shops: Body, fender, and paint shops.....	114	124	256	23	348, 656	5, 694	58, 680	937, 271	. 19
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	1, 018	1, 149	1, 383	281	1, 597, 513	78, 335	758, 960	9, 344, 775	1. 85
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	14	8	43	3	58, 160	740	9, 880	281, 080	. 06
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	10	10	13	—	17, 760	—	2, 740	74, 032	. 01
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	11	6	23	3	36, 205	350	29, 990	138, 844	. 03
Apparel group.....	1, 381	1, 072	3, 044	654	3, 956, 251	131, 914	11, 048, 000	36, 902, 216	7. 81
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores: Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	11	10	14	2	20, 424	338	39, 980	171, 027	. 03
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	12	12	18	2	20, 530	375	35, 070	152, 764	. 03
Men's furnishings stores.....	91	87	80	21	108, 439	5, 024	519, 720	1, 242, 610	. 25
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	176	128	471	83	785, 602	16, 416	2, 887, 436	7, 594, 025	1. 50
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	188	143	609	179	747, 688	31, 432	2, 246, 060	7, 112, 423	1. 41
Women's ready-to-wear speciality stores—apparel and accessories.....	346	264	854	181	1, 034, 914	39, 331	2, 480, 880	10, 973, 340	2. 17
Women's accessories stores: Corset and lingerie shops.....	17	12	21	4	19, 849	1, 637	62, 950	213, 581	. 04
Furriers—fur shops.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Hosiery shops.....	17	13	118	2	119, 695	270	27, 880	842, 805	. 07
Knit goods shops.....	9	3	12	1	9, 446	300	40, 920	100, 734	. 02
Millinery stores.....	141	120	212	41	236, 329	9, 630	215, 930	1, 506, 726	. 32
Costume accessories stores, including jewelry, bags, and gloves.....	6	5	6	1	4, 694	156	16, 090	41, 253	. 01
Umbrella shops, including parasols.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

CENSUS OF DISTRIBUTION

TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS AND SALES—Continued

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KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold—see Table 15)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Apparel group—Continued.									
Other apparel stores:									
Children's specialty shops.....	20	19	24	3	\$19,865	\$472	\$110,470	\$263,860	0.05
Custom tailors.....	80	81	92	8	90,395	2,428	50,940	508,076	.10
Dressmakers.....	17	17	26	1	10,299	150	10,340	54,475	.01
Infants' wear shops.....	3	1	6		9,193		10,540	60,924	.01
Shoe stores:									
Shoe stores—men's.....	10	4	14	3	24,117	553	50,990	295,541	.06
Shoe stores—women's.....	40	22	107	19	143,893	2,906	355,380	1,248,683	.25
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	194	130	358	103	547,914	20,496	1,826,290	4,924,547	.98
Furniture and household group.....	895	615	3,227	323	4,595,080	77,700	7,277,940	25,481,728	6.05
Furniture stores:									
Furniture stores.....	386	274	1,701	73	2,401,242	15,932	3,837,290	13,592,333	2.69
Furniture and undertaker.....	5	4	11	3	15,840		19,230	99,175	.02
Furniture and hardware stores.....	74	57	191	22	278,722	4,966	1,232,630	2,270,503	.45
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:									
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	11	16	18	21	21,370	3,200	12,850	62,917	.01
Floor coverings stores.....	6	4	13	6	31,016	1,967	90,820	224,977	.04
Household appliance stores:									
Household appliance stores (electrical).....	83	21	367	38	554,362	9,808	399,080	1,855,256	.37
Household appliance stores.....	25	4	47	31	64,039	7,331	112,410	423,143	.08
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	23	9	128	1	175,181	(x) 500	141,520	1,172,391	.23
Refrigerator dealers—electric and gas.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:									
Aluminum ware.....	6	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	2	(x) 7	(x) 6	(x) 2	4,178	249	48,020	35,290	.01
Brushes and brooms.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	6	(x)	(x) 3	(x) 1	2,670	200	12,600	27,278	.01
Picture and framing stores.....	16	8	18		10,645		14,840	75,063	.02
Stove and range dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Antique shops.....	13	14	9	3	10,015	190	87,070	213,406	.04
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	25	22	44	18	47,734	4,731	37,510	269,044	.05
Interior decorators.....	17	12	48	37	73,510	13,790	80,540	299,177	.06
Lamp and shade shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores:									
Radio and electrical shops.....	142	121	378	55	571,405	11,287	553,440	2,964,578	.59
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	56	33	192	12	272,510	3,327	576,260	1,711,986	.34
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	2,454	2,653	5,759	667	3,726,783	120,275	438,280	22,892,526	4.54
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:									
Cafeterias.....	45	43	420	15	298,273	3,664	15,640	1,560,500	.31
Lunch rooms.....	829	906	958	123	617,953	20,327	106,990	4,518,096	.90
Restaurants with table service.....	772	577	3,502	335	2,250,694	64,318	188,520	12,272,062	2.43
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:									
Refreshment stands.....	261	266	171	45	122,591	9,908	35,300	1,277,671	.25
Fountain—lunches.....	52	42	120	27	87,482	4,984	34,230	605,060	.12
Lunch counters.....	323	345	459	93	295,164	11,014	37,840	2,201,453	.44
Soft-drink stands.....	171	173	64	29	40,540	5,500	10,710	436,502	.09
Lumber and building group.....	676	480	2,612	355	3,829,490	103,832	5,485,530	24,328,055	4.82
Lumber and building material dealers:									
Lumber and building material dealers.....	194	96	1,056	133	1,523,361	38,875	2,710,450	11,572,053	2.29
Lumber and hardware.....	84	28	471	33	650,866	8,351	1,393,210	5,601,304	1.11
Roofing.....	36	35	161	37	299,606	10,889	150,910	1,103,898	.22
Dealers in any other single building material.....	4	7	4	5	4,384	814	2,700	47,906	.01
Electrical shops (without radio).....	96	78	253	23	387,871	5,856	250,860	1,252,077	.25
Heating and plumbing shops:									
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	4	1	22		21,102		13,690	102,002	.02
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	172	158	482	107	721,417	30,631	503,050	2,821,213	.56
Paint and glass stores:									
Glass and mirror shops.....	6	6	1		600		1,610	11,837	.00
Paint and glass stores.....	80	71	162	17	220,283	8,416	458,450	1,815,765	.36
Other retail stores.....	3,479	2,955	7,870	1,095	10,014,875	284,092	21,788,730	82,895,868	16.45
Hardware stores.....	239	193	566	46	870,953	13,072	3,089,770	8,120,005	1.61
Hardware and farm implement stores:									
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	9	7	26	17	49,351	8,488	214,890	814,343	.16
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	4	2	19	2	30,359	1,040	49,970	555,500	.11
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	50	34	268	9	416,458	1,043	1,945,600	3,829,442	.76
Farmers' supplies:									
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	151	119	328	32	417,272	5,981	632,940	8,225,937	1.63
Fertilizer stores.....	51	38	75	15	64,869	2,939	87,850	991,061	.20
Harness shops.....	3	4	1	1	210	165	210	32,183	.01
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	6	3	33	2	50,102	205	20,340	155,041	.03
Farmers' supply stores.....	7	6	12	6	13,316	575	29,400	305,452	.06
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	5	35	119	20	169,250	3,282	300,540	1,267,847	.25
Cooperage—barrels, boxes, crates, casks.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and feed stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Feed stores with groceries.....	189	204	263	80	287,066	14,279	611,150	6,102,851	1.21
Bookstores.....	32	28	27	14	28,528	2,788	141,920	341,808	.07
Cigar stores and cigar stands:									
Cigar stores with fountains.....	27	23	97		111,648		56,200	905,298	.18
Cigar stands.....	73	74	52	11	44,420	2,140	13,050	331,132	.06
Cigar stores without fountains.....	123	113	121	13	117,932	3,700	103,060	1,305,518	.26
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:									
Coal and wood yards.....	92	83	223	138	278,893	60,579	95,120	1,258,469	.25
Ice dealers.....	44	25	189	8	202,060	1,315	12,410	945,287	.19

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			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Other retail stores—Continued.									
Drug stores.....	304	276	645	86	\$769,601	\$19,853	\$1,517,120	\$6,099,819	1.21
Drug stores with fountains.....	723	598	2,065	239	2,259,363	57,583	3,386,780	18,503,180	3.67
Florists.....	70	74	257	24	250,168	4,120	97,460	1,158,576	.23
Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras:									
Toy shops.....	7	7	10		2,919		16,210	46,943	.01
Art and gift shops.....	106	107	92	45	99,950	6,512	388,290	805,710	.16
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	131	137	103	19	70,593	3,750	313,890	884,127	.17
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	23	17	32	5	49,277	1,035	61,280	287,078	.05
Jewelry stores:									
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	11	3	99	10	141,205	2,844	466,290	922,886	.18
Jewelry stores.....	257	201	417	65	746,644	11,170	5,139,450	7,150,102	1.42
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	13	4	28	6	40,783	707	156,260	352,715	.07
Music stores (without radio).....	27	27	24	6	26,387	354	75,870	149,001	.03
News dealers.....	104	69	163	6	124,985	1,206	119,430	1,035,269	2.20
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:									
Office and school supplies.....	31	14	77	14	104,251	2,044	232,800	685,430	.14
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	24	3	188	4	207,792	204	118,960	635,382	.13
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	22	7	113	8	172,188	1,970	409,960	739,876	.15
Store fixture dealers.....	5	5	14	2	19,764	724	40,340	69,843	.01
Typewriter dealers.....	16	10	64	1	111,123	92	55,670	299,043	.06
Opticians and optometrists.....	34	27	40	5	86,752	1,508	89,160	371,108	.07
Sporting goods stores:									
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	37	34	48	8	68,112	3,104	227,070	534,275	.11
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	16	17	18	9	22,098	1,311	65,160	173,779	.03
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	7	2	26	1	50,670	60	56,850	224,433	.04
Stationers and printers:									
Printers and lithographers.....	11	10	18	6	18,745	2,317	4,130	48,618	.01
Stationers and engravers.....	6	2	233	2	443,378	464	453,270	1,379,215	.27
Monuments and tombstones.....	11	9	10	1	14,370	100	18,500	83,157	.02
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	319	302	664	166	870,231	29,261	835,080	4,667,099	.92
Secondhand stores.....	188	188	212	59	238,395	12,562	491,620	1,692,305	.34
Tires, accessories, and parts (secondhand) (includes motorboats).....	54	53	92	24	90,278	6,367	64,250	377,937	.08
Furniture stores (secondhand).....	63	63	65	10	55,043	1,407	77,160	419,589	.08
Pawn shops (sales).....	17	15	33	8	57,948	728	299,370	616,111	.31
Clothing and shoe stores (secondhand).....	34	34	13	7	12,174	1,110	19,630	115,974	.03
Building materials and hardware stores (secondhand).....	5	7	2	2	2,580	500	12,650	22,350	.00
Book stores (secondhand).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radios, phonographs, musical instruments (secondhand).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other secondhand stores.....	12	12	15	8	19,812	2,440	19,060	120,744	.02

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense in per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
All groups 1.....	22,449	\$52,748,730	\$21,041,868	\$73,790,598	\$53,680,307	25.30	15,401	\$16,797,750	\$382,068,943	4.28
Food group.....	6,316	7,103,804	6,454,958	13,558,763	7,727,684	18.88	4,149	2,560,250	93,407,196	2.74
Candy and confectionery stores:										
Candy stores—nut stores 2.....	21	10,238	14,030	24,268	19,973	47.88	21	12,908	92,401	13.07
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain) 2.....	320	228,777	246,617	475,394	358,583	34.59	261	175,807	2,114,740	8.31
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	50	135,527	22,533	158,060	87,642	23.05	42	28,221	832,648	3.39
Egg and poultry dealers.....	55	49,074	48,050	97,124	57,774	29.33	44	18,720	455,623	4.11
Milk dealers.....	17	186,187	16,050	202,237	212,038	32.33	9	7,889	608,006	1.30
Dellcattessen stores.....	32	56,867	27,984	84,851	65,654	25.08	30	29,507	556,076	5.31
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	230	179,073	211,185	390,258	268,269	32.12	185	124,130	1,791,671	6.93
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2,843	1,705,969	2,855,212	4,561,181	2,112,883	18.33	1,512	716,190	29,016,868	2.47
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,761	3,156,009	2,080,120	5,236,129	3,049,855	16.09	1,256	999,174	43,286,126	2.31
Meat markets with groceries.....	208	515,643	250,690	766,283	493,707	18.58	178	148,305	6,367,620	2.30
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods.....	303	178,088	220,110	398,198	265,264	30.09	230	70,103	1,600,039	4.38
Meat markets.....	279	376,577	298,356	674,933	439,597	19.12	233	143,230	5,118,243	2.80
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries) 1.....	145	226,480	131,712	358,192	183,210	41.09	121	66,800	1,168,615	5.77
Other food stores:										
Coffee, tea, spices.....	14	36,427	12,072	48,499	38,608	22.44	8	11,655	308,031	3.78
Farm products stores.....	6	7,092	3,262	10,354	5,768	14.30	3	1,140	40,777	2.80
General food stores.....	5	192	960	1,152	2,493	24.36	2	(x)	(x)	(x)
Bottled waters and beverages.....	19	55,600	15,932	71,532	36,218	70.78	13	7,402	99,556	7.44

1 Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

2 Uncollected this expense includes some production costs, especially pay roll of some employees engaged both in selling and in making candies and fancy baked goods.

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TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KIND OF BUSINESS—Continued.

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total payroll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense in percent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Percent of rent to sales in leased premises
General stores	1,325	\$1,282,221	\$1,494,903	\$2,777,724	\$967,044	13.98	375	\$158,652	\$9,691,323	1.84
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	56	84,653	59,622	144,275	55,601	17.40	17	6,033	359,877	1.68
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	672	376,834	735,456	1,112,290	335,966	15.65	176	67,164	3,141,831	2.14
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	597	821,334	699,825	1,621,159	565,477	12.63	182	85,455	6,189,895	1.38
General merchandise group	848	6,157,809	702,592	6,859,801	7,471,794	27.01	676	1,911,019	44,071,691	4.34
Department stores:				784,559	674,351	(x)				
With food departments.....	3	784,559		784,559	674,351		23	344,522	12,179,045	2.83
Without food departments.....	28	2,362,839	5,735	2,368,574	2,865,017	31.26				
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:				1,542,800	1,445,737	25.34	341	531,873	10,386,495	5.12
Dry goods stores.....	423	1,120,016	422,784	1,542,800	1,445,737	18.73	6	6,980	130,418	5.35
Piece goods stores.....	7	13,864	7,720	1,542,800	1,445,737					
General merchandise stores:				63,516	27,773	15.30	6	2,655	91,688	2.90
With food departments.....	15	53,088	10,428	63,516	27,773		146	172,956	4,841,543	3.98
Without food departments.....	194	564,303	189,054	753,357	531,711	22.58	20	20,994	377,913	1.56
Army and Navy goods stores.....	21	20,167	18,832	47,999	45,015	24.31	3	1,270	7,070	16.56
Women's exchanges.....	5	655	1,878	2,533	1,858	49.09	129	665,873	11,855,899	5.62
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	152	1,228,818	46,161	1,274,979	1,864,819	24.81				
Automotive group	4,887	11,842,922	4,304,256	16,147,178	11,513,016	23.56	2,905	2,895,067	84,760,393	3.42
Motor-vehicle dealers:				6,339,646	6,067,847	19.03	320	952,724	49,874,078	1.91
Automobile salesrooms, new and trade-in.....	425	6,006,922	332,724	6,339,646	6,067,847		51	46,805	1,708,599	2.65
Used-car establishments.....	60	160,929	59,927	220,856	215,714	21.37				
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	4	26,300		26,300	32,760	(x)	3	1,820	274,202	(x)
Accessories, tires, and batteries:				232,891	176,366	30.07	59	48,849	1,149,132	4.25
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	69	183,481	49,400	232,891	176,366		95	66,873	1,136,177	5.89
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	107	236,432	146,935	383,417	201,846	47.72	115	197,654	5,297,865	3.73
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	130	808,926	100,572	910,498	736,605	26.02				
Filling stations:				1,097,146	1,188,455	25.89	427	272,517	3,860,322	7.06
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	1,068	1,041,170	655,976	1,097,146	1,188,455		373	388,776	7,522,320	5.17
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	499	808,099	450,288	1,258,387	822,082	21.93	642	294,118	5,777,698	5.09
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	1,321	449,436	1,019,981	1,469,417	654,261	22.80				
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:				34,977	22,839	30.64	9	9,915	188,099	3.66
Motor-cycle dealers.....	9	26,907	8,070	34,977	22,839		22	13,772	129,644	10.02
Bicycle shops.....	25	18,178	21,924	40,102	25,139	45.73				
Garages and repair shops:				514,816	119,808	67.71	94	56,357	808,178	6.97
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	114	348,656	166,160	514,816	119,808		666	508,827	6,525,061	7.80
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	1,018	1,597,513	1,258,155	2,855,668	1,152,868	42.90	11	28,210	250,415	11.62
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	14	58,150	10,680	68,830	52,230	43.07	9	3,410	71,032	4.80
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	10	17,750	13,650	31,400	9,354	55.05	7	4,550	106,244	4.28
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	11	36,205	9,354	45,559	20,766	47.77				
Apparel group	1,381	3,966,251	1,312,946	5,269,197	5,781,905	28.95	1,289	2,622,911	35,497,955	7.59
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:				34,774	26,553	35.86	11	15,007	171,027	8.77
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	11	20,424	14,350	34,774	26,553		12	16,591	132,794	12.60
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	12	20,530	13,440	33,970	32,638	50.09	85	100,059	1,184,587	8.45
Men's furnishings stores.....	91	108,489	112,491	220,980	189,592	33.04	169	402,242	7,327,166	6.31
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	176	785,602	209,024	994,626	1,109,194	27.70	171	385,579	6,449,763	6.63
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	188	747,688	168,168	915,856	1,113,203	28.53				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	346	1,034,914	307,824	1,342,738	1,580,070	26.64	324	727,452	10,436,075	6.67
Women's accessories stores:				30,253	37,936	31.93	16	23,735	211,201	11.24
Corset and lingerie shops.....	17	19,849	10,404	30,253	37,936		6	19,538	342,505	5.79
Hosiery shops.....	17	119,695	13,156	132,851	27,223	46.90	17	5,230	48,708	10.74
Knit goods shops.....	9	9,446	2,286	11,732	9,606	21.27	122	219,348	1,485,839	14.36
Millinery stores.....	141	236,829	128,640	365,469	322,321	43.08				
Costume accessories stores, including jewelry, bags, and gloves.....	6	4,694	3,780	8,474	15,204	57.40				
Other apparel stores:				35,217	54,412	33.97	20	30,700	263,860	11.63
Children's specialty shops.....	20	19,865	15,352	35,217	54,412		72	46,758	488,435	9.37
Custom tailors.....	80	90,395	77,436	167,831	86,798	50.06	17	8,181	54,475	14.96
Dressmakers.....	17	10,299	6,630	16,929	13,708	56.24	3	5,550	69,924	(x)
Infants' wear shops.....	3	9,103	1,532	10,725	10,748	(x)				
Shoe stores:				30,849	59,767	30.66	10	24,925	295,541	8.43
Shoe stores—men's.....	10	24,117	6,732	30,849	59,767		38	120,035	1,225,273	9.80
Shoe stores—women's.....	40	143,893	28,996	172,889	228,509	32.15	187	401,998	4,854,046	8.28
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	194	547,914	191,490	739,404	856,004	32.40				
Furniture and household group	896	4,695,080	838,248	5,433,328	3,905,885	38.64	747	1,157,283	22,057,320	5.85
Furniture stores:				2,785,390	2,147,788	36.29	328	641,116	11,622,912	5.52
Furniture stores.....	386	2,401,242	384,148	2,785,390	2,147,788		4	4,272	64,799	7.80
Furniture and undertaker.....	5	15,840	5,680	21,520	14,192	86.01	47	68,556	1,656,861	4.14
Furniture and hardware stores.....	74	278,722	81,681	360,403	269,671	27.75				
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:				37,514	11,079	77.23	11	5,635	62,917	8.96
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	11	21,370	16,144	37,514	11,079		5	13,545	22,577	6.09
Floor coverings stores.....	6	31,016	8,940	39,956	38,686	34.96				
Household appliances stores:				585,526	309,741	48.26	77	98,362	1,786,469	5.51
Household appliances stores (electric).....	83	554,362	31,164	585,526	309,741		16	12,597	229,444	5.49
Household appliances stores.....	26	64,039	4,528	68,567	41,283	26.03	21	31,444	1,142,391	2.75
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	23	178,181	12,285	190,466	136,180	27.61				
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:				8,763	9,130	50.70	5	5,925	34,090	17.08
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	6	4,178	6,585	8,763	9,130		6	7,040	57,195	12.21
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamel ware.....	6	2,576	6,386	8,912	7,122	58.73				
Picture and framing stores.....	13	10,645	4,137	14,782	13,443	37.60	10	18,275	191,206	8.56
Antique shops.....	10	10,015	15,288	25,303	35,171	28.34	21	14,790	244,553	6.05
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	25	47,784	21,494	69,228	41,243	40.92	17	20,334	299,167	6.80
Interior decorators.....	17	79,516	14,928	88,444	54,184	47.68				

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TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KIND OF BUSINESS—Continued.

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense in per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales leased premises
Furniture and household group—Continued.										
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	142	\$571,405	\$179,322	\$750,727	\$368,937	37.77	121	\$87,104	\$2,598,344	3.85
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	56	272,516	46,266	318,782	371,804	40.34	47	116,632	1,643,688	7.10
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	2,454	3,726,783	1,642,098	5,368,881	3,668,511	39.48	1,976	1,480,502	20,655,364	7.17
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:										
Cafeterias.....	45	298,273	30,143	328,416	284,385	39.27	41	115,158	1,503,835	7.66
Lunch rooms.....	829	617,953	547,224	1,165,177	680,133	40.84	633	292,604	4,007,468	7.30
Restaurants with table service.....	772	2,266,694	549,002	2,805,696	1,978,070	38.98	676	740,248	11,138,233	6.05
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:										
Refreshment stands.....	261	122,591	175,294	297,885	190,717	38.24	211	93,295	1,143,480	8.16
Fountain-lunches.....	52	87,482	28,854	116,336	105,455	36.48	45	52,457	491,624	10.67
Lunch counters.....	323	295,164	200,445	495,609	355,666	38.67	263	141,652	2,020,172	7.01
Soft-drink stands.....	171	46,546	110,720	187,266	74,511	58.10	106	44,728	333,315	13.42
Lumber and building group.....	676	\$3,829,490	\$684,880	\$4,514,350	\$2,696,398	29.64	413	\$415,081	\$14,050,315	2.95
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	104	1,523,361	134,076	1,658,337	1,350,223	26.00	92	160,108	6,847,835	2.43
Lumber and hardware.....	84	650,896	38,192	689,088	540,218	21.95	33	51,786	1,684,219	3.07
Roofing.....	35	299,095	62,755	362,361	107,905	42.60	26	23,744	944,038	2.52
Dealers in any other single building material.....	4	4,384	7,316	11,700	7,110	(x)	4	5,420	47,606	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	96	387,871	117,780	505,651	143,416	51.84	76	42,477	1,006,649	4.22
Heating and plumbing shops:										
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	4	21,102	959	22,061	16,583	(x)	4	2,045	102,002	(x)
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	172	721,417	226,414	947,831	312,995	44.69	103	54,291	1,858,199	2.92
Paint and glass stores:										
Glass and mirror shops.....	6	600	3,600	4,200	2,427	55.99	6	1,375	11,837	11.62
Paint and glass stores.....	80	220,283	92,868	313,151	215,521	29.12	69	67,837	1,547,630	4.38
Other retail stores.....	3,479	10,014,875	3,418,484	13,433,359	9,897,180	29.11	2,713	3,478,019	66,315,150	5.24
Hardware stores:										
Hardware and farm implement stores:										
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	9	49,351	11,004	60,355	53,795	14.02	4	3,030	114,702	2.64
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	4	30,359	3,086	33,445	30,536	(x)				
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	50	416,458	52,700	469,158	502,011	25.36	41	120,647	3,438,740	3.51
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	151	417,272	149,226	566,498	422,219	12.02	104	71,397	5,334,842	1.34
Fertilizer stores.....	51	64,869	31,388	96,257	53,188	15.08	20	6,567	537,342	1.22
Harness shops.....	3	240	300	540	2,312	(x)	3	2,025	32,133	(x)
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	6	50,102	4,536	54,638	25,057	51.40	4	2,135	132,054	1.62
Farmers' supply stores.....	7	13,316	9,372	19,688	11,234	10.12				
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	65	169,250	48,825	218,075	176,232	31.10	46	38,022	1,176,900	3.23
Feed stores with groceries.....	189	287,066	211,548	498,614	253,568	12.33	102	57,396	3,928,850	1.43
Bookstores.....	31	28,520	24,778	53,304	56,465	32.11	29	30,057	330,302	9.10
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stores with fountains.....	27	111,648	26,473	138,121	199,374	37.28	25	110,854	887,068	12.50
Cigar stands.....	73	44,420	60,162	104,582	60,939	49.99	54	37,667	267,335	14.09
Cigar stores without fountains.....	128	117,932	106,672	224,604	169,718	30.20	111	103,358	1,239,076	8.75
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:										
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	92	278,898	77,937	356,835	178,688	42.55	48	34,691	1,040,842	3.32
Ice dealers.....	44	292,066	34,500	326,566	347,483	68.13	11	3,840	139,981	2.74
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	304	769,601	320,712	1,090,313	633,396	28.26	244	253,385	5,400,579	4.69
Drug stores with fountains.....	723	2,259,363	656,604	2,915,967	2,262,320	27.99	632	982,150	16,898,992	5.81
Florists.....	76	250,188	70,818	320,986	182,090	43.42	55	66,949	1,009,417	6.63
Gifts, novelties, and toys—cameras:										
Toy shops.....	7	2,919	2,044	4,963	12,229	36.62	7	6,531	46,943	13.91
Art and gift shops.....	106	99,950	108,712	208,662	168,710	46.84	90	115,287	770,642	14.96
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	131	70,593	88,913	159,506	160,490	36.19	109	106,975	822,298	13.01
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	28	49,277	25,636	74,913	40,940	46.75	20	27,625	231,151	11.95
Jewelry stores:										
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	11	141,205	4,194	145,399	195,715	36.96	10	55,314	839,799	6.59
Jewelry stores.....	267	746,644	354,594	1,101,238	940,288	28.55	228	356,930	6,240,312	5.72
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	13	40,783	5,724	46,507	66,187	31.95	12	41,130	342,106	12.02
Music stores (without radio).....	27	29,887	29,255	59,142	30,344	57.50	24	17,440	130,676	13.35
News dealers.....	104	124,985	52,371	177,356	143,839	31.03	75	69,601	862,276	8.07
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	31	104,251	18,578	122,829	101,659	32.75	28	47,792	549,804	8.69
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	24	207,792	3,312	211,104	86,087	46.77	19	23,227	606,558	3.83
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	22	172,188	10,542	182,730	139,041	43.52	21	50,432	734,376	6.87
Store fixture dealers.....	5	19,764	6,800	26,564	21,955	69.48	5	6,050	69,843	8.66
Typewriter dealers.....	16	111,123	17,350	128,473	61,965	63.55	16	20,692	299,643	6.91
Opticians and optometrists.....	34	86,752	50,031	136,783	85,615	59.93	30	47,962	342,849	13.99
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:										
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	37	68,112	46,036	114,148	68,332	34.15	33	32,935	503,738	6.54
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	16	22,098	19,635	41,733	24,356	38.03	13	10,135	161,369	6.28
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	7	50,670	3,894	54,564	34,182	39.54	6	12,947	219,633	5.89
Stationers and printers:										
Printers and lithographers, at retail.....	11	18,745	9,130	27,875	9,081	76.01	9	2,851	25,998	10.97
Stationers and engravers.....	6	443,378	3,802	447,180	225,272	48.76	6	34,003	1,379,215	2.47
Monuments and tombstones.....	11	14,370	12,843	27,213	8,362	42.78	5	1,425	37,305	3.82
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	319	870,231	349,835	1,220,116	761,706	(x)	229	241,020	3,218,812	(x)
Secondhand stores.....	188	239,395	188,542	427,937	240,080	39.47	158	118,966	1,562,286	7.83

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal variation data	SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT													
		TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full-time and part-time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)		Ratios at specified dates (total full-time and part-time employees) 100 per cent represents year's average				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees (ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15
		Per cent 73	Per cent 27	Per cent 70	Per cent 30	Per cent 87	Per cent 13	Per cent 101	Per cent 94	Per cent 98	Per cent 107	Per cent 12	Per cent 12	Per cent 13	Per cent 14
All groups ¹	13,353	85	15	87	13	90	10	100	95	99	106	26	26	28	28
Food group.....	3,020	85	15	87	13	90	10	100	95	99	106	26	26	28	28
General stores.....	627	79	21	71	29	80	10	99	98	100	103	21	21	22	24
General merchandise group.....	624	28	72	32	68	83	17	100	97	100	103	6	6	7	7
Automotive group.....	2,775	95	5	94	6	96	4	100	98	94	112	14	13	15	16
Apparel group.....	1,043	48	52	42	58	69	31	98	99	101	105	5	5	7	7
Furniture and household group.....	715	85	15	84	16	93	7	108	85	96	113	7	7	8	8
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	1,384	54	46	46	54	75	25	96	95	104	105	9	9	12	13
Lumber and building group.....	578	95	5	95	5	95	5	101	95	98	106	10	9	10	12
Other retail stores.....	2,491	81	19	81	19	88	12	102	95	99	103	17	17	19	20
Secondhand stores.....	98	91	9	98	2	92	8								
Food group.....	3,020	85	15	87	13	90	10	100	95	99	106	26	26	28	28
Candy and confectionery stores:															
Candy stores—nut stores.....	9	38	62	50	50	56	44	95	32	63	210	22		17	20
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	148	62	38	59	41	85	15	101	93	96	110	17	18	19	18
Dairy products stores:															
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	38	53	47	50	50	91	9	107	102	97	94	12	12	14	15
Egg and poultry dealers.....	36	96	4	100		94	6	101	95	101	103	33	35	35	37
Milk dealers.....	15	94	6	25	75	93	7	102	96	98	104		5	4	7
Delicatessen stores.....	21	62	38	25	75	71	29	99	92	95	114	5	4	7	6
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	111	79	21	81	19	96	4	100	85	91	124	25	28	26	22
Grocery stores (without meats).....	912	87	13	88	12	90	10	99	98	100	103	35	35	35	36
Combination stores (groceries and meats):															
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,122	83	12	88	12	89	11	100	96	100	104	23	28	29	29
Meat markets with groceries.....	160	87	13	85	15	90	10	101	93	98	108	20	20	22	20
Meat markets (including sea foods):															
Fish markets—sea foods.....	147	88	12	90	10	93	7	97	78	107	118	23	9	29	29
Meat markets.....	174	94	6	97	3	95	5	100	95	100	105	17	16	20	20
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	96	64	36	55	45	86	14	101	93	97	109	7	5	6	9
Other food stores:															
Coffee, tea, spices.....	11	88	12		100	100		102	98	98	102	4	4	4	4
Farm products stores.....	4	100		100		80	20	137	44	94	125	5	14	7	5
Bottled waters and beverages.....	16	85	15	100		100		99	101	99	101	6	8	6	8
General stores.....	627	79	21	71	29	80	10	99	97	100	103	21	21	22	24
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	34	92	8	75	25	97	3	99	100	98	103	9	9	9	10
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	250	77	23	77	23	88	12	98	97	101	104	29	28	29	30
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	343	79	21	67	33	90	10	99	99	100	102	18	18	19	22
General merchandise group.....	624	28	72	32	68	83	17	99	93	93	115	13	12	13	15
Department stores.....	25	34	66	27	73	100		100	93	89	118	4	4	4	7
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:															
Dry goods stores.....	292	28	72	56	44	77	23	103	91	95	111	19	18	19	23
Piece goods stores.....	5	47	53	100		83	17	107	100	93	100	6	7	7	7
General merchandise stores:															
With food departments.....	11	93	7			86	14	100	100	100	100				
Without food departments.....	151	47	53	21	79	91	9	98	93	97	112	21	18	20	29
Army and navy goods stores.....	13	78	22	62	38	100		103	95	99	103	21	15	25	28
Women's exchanges.....	4		100		100		100	120	40	40	200				20
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar.....	120	18	82	8	92	92	8	98	98	99	105	18	18	18	22
Automotive group.....	2,775	95	5	94	6	96	4	100	97	100	103	6	6	7	7
Motor-vehicle dealers:															
Automobile salesmen—new and trade-in.....	369	94	6	81	19	95	5	102	98	98	102	1	1	1	2
Used-car establishments.....	44	97	3	80	20	100		102	97	100	101	10	10	10	9
Accessories, tires, and batteries:															
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	47	93	7	95	5	100		98	96	106	100	10	8	16	11
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	80	96	4	100		96	4	100	97	99	104	9	8	9	10
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	99	94	6	100		97	3	91	98	105	106	3	3	2	2
Filling stations:															
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	557	99	1	100		98	2	100	98	100	102	6	6	7	7
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	363	97	3	95	5	98	2	100	96	100	104	10	9	10	11
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	405	88	12	89	11	92	8	99	97	101	103	21	20	22	23
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:															
Motor-cycle dealers.....	8	95	5			100		100	100	100	100				
Bicycle shops.....	16	81	19	60	40	94	6	96	96	96	112	21	21	25	32
Garages and repair shops:															
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	79	99	1	100		97	3	107	96	97	100	5	6	6	6
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	650	98	2	97	3	98	2	99	97	100	104	14	13	14	15
Parking stations, parking garages and lots.....	11	100		100		100		90	99	100	111	5	5	5	6
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	6	100				100		100	100	100	100				12
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	10	96	4	100		100		93	93	98	116				
Apparel group.....	1,043	48	52	42	58	69	31	108	86	94	112	14	13	15	16
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:															
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	7	86	14	100		100		102	94	102	102	7	8	7	7
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	9	78	22			80	20	104	93	99	104	10	6	11	10
Men's furnishings stores.....	49	93	7	86	14	100		95	94	100	111	12	16	16	18
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	153	84	16	90	10	95	5	101	92	96	111	10	10	10	14

¹ Group totals may include figures for classifications which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal variation data	TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full-time and part-time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)		SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT							
								Ratios at specified dates (total full-time and part-time employees) 100 per cent represents year's average				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees (ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)			
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15
Apparel group—Continued.															
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's.....	154	52	48	34	66	91	9	100	89	98	113	21	20	22	22
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	270	14	86	14	86	43	57	121	73	85	121	14	12	15	15
Women's accessories stores:															
Corset and lingerie shops.....	12	14	86	50	50	56	44	103	89	104	104	18	16	14	14
Hosiery shops.....	10	58	42		100	49	60	100	99	100	101	1	1	1	2
Knit goods shops.....	7	43	57	100		100		114	76	86	124	8	12	11	8
Millinery stores.....	92	5	95	5	95	22	78	116	84	97	103	13	13	14	16
Costume accessories stores including jewelry, bags and gloves.....	4	67	33			100		126	63	63	148				
Other apparel stores:															
Children's specialty shops.....	12	7	93	50	50		100	118	72	87	123	4	14	6	4
Custom tailors.....	48	84	16	57	43	95	5	99	95	100	108	6	6	7	6
Dressmakers.....	8		100		100			176	54	68	102	8	9	7	5
Shoe stores:															
Shoe stores—men's.....	7	100		100				100	100	100	100	8	18	18	18
Shoe stores—women's.....	30	87	13	70	30	91	9	103	95	98	104	11	9	11	11
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	160	83	17	75	25	92	8	105	93	96	106	20	16	18	18
Furniture and household group.....	716	85	15	84	16	93	7	98	96	101	105	5	5	7	7
Furniture stores:															
Furniture stores.....	318	87	13	88	12	98	2	99	97	101	103	3	3	3	4
Furniture and undertaker.....	4	100		100		100		108	108	92	92	14	21	25	25
Furniture and hardware stores.....	60	85	15	86	14	90	10	100	93	101	106	7	6	9	9
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:															
Draperies, curtains and upholstery stores.....	6	85	15	100		80	20	91	80	112	117	6	7	10	9
Floor coverings stores.....	4	93	7	100		100		103	79	97	121	12	15	25	30
Household appliances stores:															
Household appliance stores (electric).....	80	84	16	94	6	94	6	99	99	102	100	8	8	8	8
Household appliance stores.....	22	81	19	90	10	100		100	93	98	109	19	20	19	19
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	18	89	11	100		100		99	98	100	103			1	1
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:															
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware	4	75	25	100		75	25	100	100	100	100	25	25	25	25
Picture and framing stores.....	7	47	53			100		106	94	94	108				
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	21	57	43	50	50	93	7	84	72	105	139	16	16	16	22
Interior decorators.....	16	33	67	25	75	18	82	89	73	102	136	30	20	33	32
Radio and music stores:															
Radio and electrical shops.....	103	89	11	95	5	96	4	97	94	103	106	8	9	12	12
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	41	80	20	100		95	5	97	97	102	104	5	5	6	6
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	1,384	64	46	46	54	75	25	108	85	96	113	7	7	9	8
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:															
Cafeterias.....	37	56	44	50	50	84	16	125	65	84	126			2	3
Lunch rooms.....	375	54	46	36	64	70	30	99	93	100	108	7	6	9	10
Restaurants with table service.....	662	52	48	38	62	72	28	107	84	96	113	6	5	6	7
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:															
Refreshment stands.....	81	72	28	66	34	88	12	101	97	99	103	20	18	17	18
Fountain—lunches.....	35	55	45	87	13	98	12	93	88	97	122	12	11	10	14
Lunch counters.....	148	58	42	61	39	83	17	98	89	94	119	10	13	13	13
Soft-drink stands.....	45	75	25	73	27	88	12	106	100	98	96	35	34	36	37
Lumber and building group.....	576	95	5	95	5	95	5	96	95	104	105	9	9	12	13
Lumber and building material dealers:															
Lumber and building material dealers.....	183	97	3	98	2	97	3	97	96	102	105	7	8	11	12
Lumber and hardware.....	83	92	8	89	11	89	11	100	98	101	101	6	6	6	6
Roofing.....	34	95	5	91	9	94	6	91	93	111	100	14	16	13	14
Electrical shops (without radio).....	72	90	10	92	8	91	9	93	92	102	113	6	10	14	14
Heating and plumbing shops:															
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	4	96	4			100		100	100	100	100				
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	141	92	8	95	5	95	5	91	94	109	106	15	14	18	17
Paint and glass stores.....	56	88	12	100		100		101	96	99	104	7	8	8	12
Other retail stores.....	2,491	81	19	81	19	88	12	101	95	98	106	10	9	10	12
Hardware stores.....	183	87	13	86	14	94	6	98	96	100	106	5	5	5	7
Hardware and farm implement stores:															
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	8	96	4	100		100		123	89	82	106	48	31	27	40
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain and feed.....	4	100		100		67	33	103	99	99	99	9	10	10	10
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	45	88	12	89	11	92	8	99	100	100	101	3	3	2	3
Farmers' supplies:															
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	117	91	9	100		100		100	97	99	104	7	7	8	8
Fertilizer stores.....	29	96	4	80	20	92	8	106	80	104	110	16	9	10	10
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	6	88	12	100		100		108	108	93	91				6
Farmers' supply stores.....	5	89	11	100		100		90	84	110	116	14	15	24	39
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	40	93	7	94	6	83	17	97	91	101	111	11	8	6	13
Feed stores with groceries.....	126	84	16	79	21	91	9	99	100	100	101	24	23	24	24

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal variation data	TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full-time and part-time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)		SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees (ratio of part-time employees at specified dates to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)					
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15		
		Per cent 39	Per cent 61	Per cent 28	Per cent 62	Per cent 89	Per cent 31	Per cent 99	Per cent 75	Per cent 101	Per cent 125	Per cent 21	Per cent 8	Per cent 26	Per cent 29		
Other retail stores—Continued.	22																
Bookstores	22	85	15			82	18	100	98	100	102						
Cigar stores and cigar stands:																	
Cigar stores with fountains	22	81	19	100		88	12	97	99	102	102						
Cigar stands	37	81	19	100		89	11	102	95	100	103	9	15	15	10	16	16
Cigar stores without fountains	60	85	15	100													
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:																	
Coal and wood yards	76	96	4	100		98	2	99	91	98	112	42	39	39	36	36	36
Ice dealers	33	99	1	83	17	100		103	102	101	94	2	4	3	3	3	3
Drug stores:																	
Drug stores	237	86	14	80	20	90	10	100	99	100	101	10	10	11	11	11	11
Drug stores with fountains	533	83	17	90	10	95	5	101	98	99	102	9	9	10	10	10	10
Florists	57	80	20	50	50	58	42	94	95	97	114	8	5	5	7	7	7
Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras:																	
Art and gift shops	61	17	83	16	84	37	63	124	61	68	147	22	16	19	32	32	32
Novelty and souvenir shops	54	39	61	29	71	50	50	109	75	86	130	8	7	14	11	11	11
Camera dealers and photographic supplies	15	42	58	28	71	89	11	118	78	74	130	8	12	8	5	5	5
Jewelry stores:																	
Jewelry stores (installment credit)	10	68	32	67	33	100		96	95	103	106						
Jewelry stores	153	68	32	76	24	90	10	106	90	92	112	6	5	6	17	17	17
Luggage and leather goods stores	11	53	47		100	100		99	85	81	135	4					
Music stores (without radio)	12	82	35	75	25	77	23	94	94	102	110	17	13	16	22	22	22
Newsdealers	74	66	34	40	60	89	11	97	95	97	111	3	4	4	4	4	4
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:																	
Office and school supplies	28	56	44	50	50	86	14	97	96	99	108	8	8	10	14	14	14
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers	20	88	12		100	100		103	100	101	96	2	2	2	2	2	2
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers	20	83	17	100		100		96	97	99	108	4	5	6	6	6	6
Store fixture dealers	5	93	7	100		100		103	97	97	103	13	7	7	13	13	13
Typewriter dealers	12	87	13		100	100		102	101	98	99	2	2	2	2	2	2
Opticians and optometrists	20	77	23	60	40	100		106	100	94	100	6	6	11	10	10	10
Sporting goods stores including athletic and playground equipment:																	
Sporting goods specialty stores	29	91	9	86	14	100		97	96	99	108	11	12	13	15	15	15
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationary	13	100		100		100		100	105	91	104	22	25	14	25	25	25
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail	6	84	16	100		100		105	93	97	105	4	4	4	4	4	4
Stationers and printers:																	
Printers and lithographers	10	67	33	60	40	100		125	111	80	84	5	7	6	12	12	12
Stationers and engravers	5	62	38	75	25	100		96	90	96	118		1	1	1	1	1
Monuments and tombstones	6	86	14	100		100		98	98	89	116	9	9	10	8	8	8
Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	231	78	22	84	16	83	17	104	95	97	104	12	11	13	13	13	13
Secondhand stores	98	91	9	98	2	92	8	102	96	99	103	17	17	19	20	20	20

TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals on Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups ¹	22,449	\$504,523	553	\$75,009	1,482	\$100,568	1,837	\$69,700	1,946	\$47,008	4,087	\$57,376	3,996	\$28,274	8,303	\$18,068
Per cent of total stores and sales	100.00	100.00	2.47	14.87	6.60	19.93	8.18	13.82	8.67	9.32	18.20	11.37	17.80	5.60	36.99	3.58
Food group	6,316	\$112,638	128	\$18,166	457	\$30,641	464	\$17,816	468	\$11,281	1,068	\$14,808	1,169	\$3,300	2,539	\$5,455
Candy and confectionery stores:																
Candy stores—nut stores	21	92									1	11	8	57	12	24
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)	329	2,411			3	206	9	332	12	272	52	707	73	526	180	368
Dairy products stores:																
Dairy products stores (including ice cream)	50	1,066	2	306	1	80	4	167	8	200	15	223	7	54	13	36
Egg and poultry dealers	55	528					1	32	5	116	15	208	18	122	16	49
Milk dealers	17	1,281	2	312	7	454	1	44	1	21		4	31	1	3	
Delicatessen stores	32	600			2	135	3	119	10	248	3	49	5	31	9	20
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	230	2,050			6	382	6	226	10	228	45	608	53	391	110	216
Grocery stores (without meats)	2,843	36,417	25	3,128	185	12,242	157	6,131	132	3,180	338	4,522	548	3,821	1,466	2,936
Combination stores (groceries and meats):																
Grocery stores with meats	1,761	51,490	75	9,556	201	13,778	212	8,095	204	4,038	392	5,605	295	2,154	363	694
Meat markets with groceries	206	6,782	13	1,706	28	1,846	29	1,134	28	687	49	681	24	179	34	91
Meat markets (including sea foods):																
Fish markets—sea foods	303	2,305			8	478	12	407	10	230	37	498	48	328	188	355
Meat markets	279	5,828	7	905	14	904	23	879	37	897	80	1,135	43	312	73	189

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals on Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Food group—Continued.																
Bakeries—bakery goods stores except manufacturing bakeries.....	145	\$1,318	---	---	2	\$136	4	\$126	8	\$181	33	\$458	32	\$222	66	\$195
Other food stores:																
Coffee, tea, spices.....	14	389	2	\$253	---	---	2	79	---	---	2	23	3	22	5	12
Farm products stores.....	6	113	---	---	---	---	1	45	2	48	1	10	1	9	1	1
General food stores.....	5	16	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	9	4	5
Bottled waters.....	19	162	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	28	5	68	6	36	7	20
General stores.....	1,325	26,914	29	4,039	70	4,935	112	4,187	181	3,143	332	4,594	268	1,851	374	928
General stores—groceries with ap- parel.....	50	1,149	3	465	2	103	4	150	3	72	10	223	12	86	16	45
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	672	9,250	3	471	17	1,181	43	1,550	55	1,310	162	2,170	165	1,065	234	501
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	597	16,515	23	3,103	51	3,651	65	2,487	73	1,755	154	2,196	101	700	124	322
General merchandise group.....	848	68,061	42	5,839	98	8,833	103	3,922	113	2,738	161	2,217	127	937	160	409
Department stores.....	31	21,720	10	1,444	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:																
Dry goods stores.....	423	11,794	12	1,543	35	2,229	54	2,058	57	1,394	85	1,159	70	555	98	248
Piece goods stores.....	7	198	---	---	1	67	1	33	3	69	2	23	---	---	---	---
General merchandise stores:																
With food departments.....	15	597	2	294	2	127	2	79	2	46	2	28	2	11	3	11
Without food departments.....	194	5,692	2	312	32	2,183	34	1,271	38	909	40	546	24	180	23	66
Army and Navy goods stores.....	21	383	1	140	---	---	---	---	3	75	9	125	4	29	4	14
Women's exchanges.....	5	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9
Variety, 5-and-10 and to-a-dollar stores..	162	12,668	15	2,101	28	2,027	12	481	10	245	23	331	21	162	27	61
Automotive group.....	4,887	117,417	145	20,588	225	15,688	271	10,164	363	8,750	811	11,335	635	6,827	2,037	4,409
Motor-vehicle dealers:																
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	425	65,208	118	17,063	102	7,577	35	1,851	24	609	29	425	13	94	9	30
Used-car establishments.....	60	2,043	1	112	8	599	7	267	8	199	14	215	8	58	12	28
Automobile dealers with farm imple- ments and machinery.....	4	344	2	262	1	70	---	---	---	---	1	12	---	---	---	---
Accessories, tires, and batteries:																
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	69	1,361	1	150	5	345	10	369	11	260	9	139	6	50	27	58
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	107	1,223	1	130	2	134	6	184	11	208	15	221	23	157	50	129
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	130	6,119	14	1,955	21	1,424	20	781	14	325	17	243	14	93	27	66
Filling stations:																
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	1,068	11,146	2	207	18	1,198	50	1,828	93	2,250	227	3,227	210	1,472	468	964
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	409	9,445	2	227	35	2,226	67	2,648	72	1,736	132	1,845	84	611	107	253
Filling stations with other mer- chandise.....	1,321	9,313	1	115	5	305	30	1,122	54	1,310	194	2,688	334	2,400	703	1,473
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:																
Motor-cycle dealers.....	9	189	---	---	---	---	3	115	1	26	2	36	1	7	2	5
Bicycle shops.....	25	143	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	23	2	29	6	43	16	47
Garages and repair shops:																
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	114	937	---	---	2	115	3	124	6	134	19	259	24	169	60	136
Garages (repairs and storage, gaso- line, oil, accessories).....	1,018	9,345	3	365	22	1,433	40	1,439	63	1,503	142	1,987	207	1,432	541	1,181
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	14	281	---	---	2	118	1	30	2	48	3	48	2	18	4	12
Radiator shops, including repairs.....	10	74	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	24	3	36	---	---	6	14
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	11	139	---	---	1	53	---	---	2	45	1	13	2	15	5	13
Apparel group.....	1,381	36,902	46	6,123	145	9,468	205	7,732	176	4,220	278	3,965	184	1,268	338	820
Men's and boys' clothing and furnish- ing stores:																
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	11	171	---	---	1	57	---	---	3	73	1	13	4	23	2	5
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	12	133	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	44	5	65	2	16	3	8
Men's furnishings stores.....	91	1,243	---	---	2	113	9	343	11	256	23	319	19	135	27	77
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	176	7,594	15	2,027	33	2,087	51	1,887	25	592	30	442	9	63	11	34
Family clothing stores—men's, wom- en's, children's.....	188	7,112	6	742	29	1,930	39	1,484	20	482	49	681	17	115	26	68
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories.....	346	10,973	16	2,243	48	3,242	46	1,741	43	1,066	67	962	45	307	76	176
Women's accessories stores:																
Corset and lingerie shops.....	17	214	---	---	---	---	1	30	3	63	6	81	4	33	3	7
Hosiery shops.....	17	343	---	---	3	198	1	35	2	43	3	33	5	31	3	3
Knit goods shops.....	9	101	---	---	---	---	1	41	---	---	3	41	2	15	3	4
Millinery stores.....	141	1,597	---	---	4	267	8	315	14	338	25	358	23	160	67	159
Costume accessories stores, includ- ing jewelry, bags, and gloves.....	6	41	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	33	1	6	2	3
Other apparel and furnishings stores:																
Children's specialty shops.....	20	204	---	---	1	56	2	66	2	43	3	38	5	43	7	13
Custom tailors.....	80	509	---	---	1	53	1	33	3	78	10	145	14	89	51	111
Dressmakers.....	17	54	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	27	---	---	1.5	23
Infant's wear shops.....	3	70	---	---	1	62	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	6	1	2
Shoe stores:																
Shoe stores—men's.....	10	296	---	---	2	134	2	70	3	80	---	---	1	6	2	6
Shoe stores—women's.....	40	1,249	2	207	5	344	9	348	5	121	13	204	3	18	3	8
Family shoe stores—men's, wom- en's, children's.....	104	4,925	7	904	15	925	35	1,330	40	941	34	512	29	202	34	100

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued
STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000. GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals on Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales	Num- ber of stores	Net sales
Furniture and household group.....	895	\$25,492	81	\$4,279	98	\$6,476	107	\$4,100	114	\$2,793	199	\$2,874	155	\$1,107	185	\$468
Furniture stores:																
Furniture stores.....	386	13,592	19	2,718	49	3,483	47	1,807	54	1,342	87	1,274	59	411	63	166
Furniture and undertaker.....	5	99					1	44	1	21	1	18	2	16		
Furniture and hardware stores.....	74	2,270	2	246	11	767	8	329	10	236	17	254	17	121	8	17
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains and upholstery stores:																
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	11	63									1	18	5	32	5	13
Floor covering stores.....	6	225	1	100	1	60	1	36			2	27			1	2
Household appliance stores:																
Household appliance stores (elec- trical).....	83	1,855	1	144	11	795	9	369	7	170	15	195	16	123	24	60
Household appliance stores.....	25	423					3	117	8	196	5	69	4	27	5	15
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	23	1,172	2	215	4	258	6	260	4	105	3	40	1	5	2	6
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:																
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	6	35							1	22			1	5	4	8
China, glassware, crockery, tin- ware, enamelware.....	6	27									3	40	2	14	4	13
Picture and framing stores.....	10	75									2	33	3	23	4	12
Antique shops.....	13	213			1	70	2	79			2	33	3	23	6	9
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	25	270					2	72	2	51	6	78	6	43	9	26
Interior decorators.....	17	299			1	87	1	47	1	26	7	103	5	33	2	4
Radio and music stores:																
Radio and electrical shops.....	142	2,965	2	271	7	418	19	663	16	387	41	586	19	130	37	82
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	56	1,712	4	585	7	444	6	207	9	216	9	139	12	95	9	27
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places...	2,454	22,893	15	1,963	56	3,776	91	3,450	125	2,989	354	5,004	437	3,065	1,376	2,649
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms:																
Cafeterias.....	45	1,561	2	236	10	680	9	349	7	170	6	83	2	18	9	29
Lunch rooms.....	829	4,518	2	252	9	571	12	439	18	422	72	1,017	109	756	607	1,063
Restaurants with table service.....	772	12,273	11	1,475	27	1,908	60	2,293	79	1,906	204	2,918	107	1,208	224	865
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:																
Refreshment stands.....	261	1,278			1	54	1	34	6	152	23	328	51	338	179	371
Fountain—lunches.....	52	608			3	200	2	74	2	41	9	119	18	130	18	46
Lunch counters.....	323	2,201			6	357	6	212	12	278	35	479	75	517	189	359
Soft-drink stands.....	171	437					1	49	1	20	4	43	15	99	150	225
Lumber and building group.....	676	24,328	34	4,430	86	6,047	89	3,570	71	1,717	128	1,819	89	605	164	464
Lumber and building material dealers:																
Lumber and building material deal- ers.....	194	11,573	15	1,978	47	3,303	40	1,659	22	627	27	374	13	86	10	52
Lumber and hardware.....	84	5,601	10	1,288	18	1,359	16	622	12	302	18	280	3	20	4	16
Roofing.....	36	1,104	1	112	3	203	2	78	7	168	3	37	7	41	12	37
Dealers in any other single building material.....	4	48					1	41							3	6
Electrical shops (without radio).....	96	1,252			5	331	5	211	8	188	23	328	18	115	37	79
Heating and plumbing shops:																
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	4	102					2	74			2	28				
Plumbing shops—heating and ven- tilating.....	172	2,621	5	592	7	454	14	537	18	437	31	423	30	212	67	166
Paint and glass stores:																
Glass and mirror shops.....	6	12													6	12
Paint and glass stores.....	80	1,816	3	400	6	397	9	348	4	95	24	349	18	131	16	36
Other retail stores.....	3,479	82,666	85	11,584	252	16,962	386	14,441	375	9,124	729	10,405	591	4,239	1,030	2,323
Hardware stores.....	239	8,126	15	1,988	20	1,351	30	1,152	30	730	73	1,039	32	237	35	89
Hardware and farm implement stores:																
Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers.....	9	814			1	99	1	36	1	23			4	28	1	2
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	4	556	2	253	1	81										
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	50	3,829	3	437	13	813	13	504	8	201	9	131	3	22		
Farmers' supplies:																
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fer- tilizer).....	151	8,226	13	1,741	31	2,214	21	810	13	362	30	441	15	107	22	61
Fertilizer stores.....	51	991	1	106	6	381	5	170	4	100	8	119	11	83	16	32
Harness shops.....	3	32							1	30					2	2
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	6	155			1	56	1	36	1	20	2	35	1	8		
Farmers' supply stores.....	7	305	1	144	1	75	1	30	1	29	1	15	2	13		
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	55	1,268	2	296	6	398	4	167	6	145	10	157	11	75	16	30
Feed stores with groceries.....	189	6,193	8	1,107	25	1,756	26	966	23	564	60	677	23	161	31	83
Booksellers.....	31	340			1	51			3	72	10	149	7	48	10	20
Cigar stores and cigar stands:																
Cigar stores with fountains.....	27	905	3	322	4	265	3	100	5	121	4	58	3	21	5	10
Cigar stands.....	73	331									7	102	19	143	47	56
Cigar stores without fountains.....	123	1,306			2	131	12	439	7	167	17	248	28	197	57	122
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:																
Coal and wood yards.....	92	1,258	2	305	3	217	4	133	4	100	8	120	10	74	60	63
Ice dealers.....	44	945	2	289	4	272	6	225	1	20	3	47	7	55	21	37
Drug stores:																
Drug stores.....	304	6,100	1	113	17	984	52	1,945	45	1,093	78	1,077	53	417	52	126
Drug stores with fountains.....	723	18,503	14	2,029	54	3,537	134	4,993	118	2,906	202	2,890	105	794	92	282

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STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals on Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Other retail stores—Continued.																
Florists.....	76	\$1,159			3	\$193	5	\$100	4	\$95	17	\$241	13	\$90	33	\$77
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:																
Toy shops.....	7	47									1	20	3	20	3	7
Art and gift shops.....	106	806	1	\$145	1	51	2	78	4	102	10	150	22	153	66	128
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	131	884			2	143			5	120	21	305	27	186	70	130
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	23	267						111	2	48	3	35	8	61	7	9
Jewelry stores:																
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	11	923	2	254	5	380	1	31	1	20					1	3
Jewelry stores.....	267	7,150	8	1,067	14	992	11	408	12	294	42	623	52	378	112	260
Luggage and leather goods.....	13	353			2	144	4	140			4	54	2	14	1	1
Music stores (without radio).....	27	150							1	23	3	38	7	44	10	45
News dealers.....	104	1,035			4	248	3	97	8	100	13	178	31	204	45	118
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:																
Office and school supplies.....	31	685			4	258	5	202	4	101	4	64	7	44	7	16
Office and store mechanical appli- cance dealers (retail).....	24	635	1	112	4	202	3	100	3	62	2	30	2	15	9	25
Office and store furniture and equip- ment dealers.....	22	730	2	254	3	203	3	126	2	57	5	77	1	5	6	17
Store fixture dealers.....	5	70							2	47	1	15			2	8
Typewriter dealers.....	16	300	1	143					2	51	6	78	1	9	6	18
Opticians and optometrists.....	34	371							7	178	7	93	9	67	11	33
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:																
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	37	534					6	228	2	44	13	191	5	40	11	31
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	16	174					2	82	1	22	2	30	2	17	9	23
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	7	224			2	142			2	58	1	17			2	8
Stationers and printers:																
Printers and lithographers.....	11	49							1	22			1	5	9	20
Stationers and engravers.....	6	1,379			1	66	1	44	1	24	1	12			1	3
Monuments and tombstones.....	11	83							1	21	4	45			6	17
Miscellaneous classifications, (combined).....	319	4,667	2	304	17	1,108	24	889	38	891	56	791	59	404	123	279
Secondhand stores.....	188	1,692					0	3.8	10	253	27	357	41	275	100	293

TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000 GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNTS OF ANNUAL SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (included in State totals, Table 4A)		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES EX- CEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Total.....	245	\$108,522	13	\$21,584	44	\$29,548	91	\$34,452	97	\$22,938
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	1.00	21.51	.06	4.28	.20	5.86	.40	6.83	.43	4.54
Food group.....	25	\$3,371			2	\$1,242	12	\$4,578	11	\$2,551
Milk dealers.....	1	(x)								
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2	(x)								
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	10	6,430			2	1,242	8	3,094	9	2,094
Meat markets with groceries.....	1	(x)								
Meat markets.....	2	(x)								
General stores.....	9	3,236			1	541	6	2,240	2	455
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	3	936					1	481	2	455
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	6	2,300			1	541	5	1,759		
General merchandise group.....	44	30,356	6	\$13,088	13	9,449	11	4,464	14	3,355
Department stores.....	21	20,278	6	13,088	7	4,532	4	1,678	4	980
Dry goods stores.....	6	(x)								
General merchandise stores without food departments.....	1	(x)								
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	16	7,250			4	3,323	6	2,466	6	1,461
Automotive group.....	100	\$9,858	3	3,228	18	11,743	43	16,181	36	8,708
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	95	38,061	3	3,228	17	11,242	41	15,370	34	8,221
Used car establishments.....	2	(x)								
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	3	(x)								

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TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued

STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000 GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNTS OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (included in State totals, Table 4A)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES EXCEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,000		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Apparel group.....	9	\$3,310	1	\$1,156			3	\$1,064	5	\$1,091
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	2	(x)								
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	2	(x)								
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	5	1,236					2	608	3	628
Furniture and household group.....	11	3,398					6	2,133	5	1,268
Furniture stores:										
Furniture stores.....	8	2,391					4	1,416	4	975
Furniture and hardware stores.....	1	(x)								
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	1	(x)								
Radio and electrical shops.....	1	(x)								
Lumber and building group.....	15	5,735	1	1,161	3	\$1,542	3	1,171	6	1,801
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	11	3,593			3	1,542	1	430	7	1,621
Lumber and hardware.....	3	(x)								
Roofing.....	1	(x)								
Other retail stores.....	31	13,975	2	2,952	7	5,031	7	2,616	15	3,376
Hardware stores.....	4	1,539			1	309			3	730
Hardware and farm implement stores:										
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	1	(x)								
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	1	(x)								
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	1	(x)								
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	6	2,549			2	1,387	2	738	2	424
Feed stores with groceries.....	3	789					1	309	2	420
Coal and wood yards.....	1	(x)								
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	1	(x)								
Drug stores with fountains.....	4	1,103					1	463	3	650
Florists.....	1	(x)								
Jewelry stores:										
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	1	(x)								
Jewelry stores.....	6	3,128			3	2,209	2	711	1	208
Stationers and engravers.....	1	(x)								
Secondhand stores.....	1	85							1	285

TABLE 5A.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	22,449	20,765	45,618	7,932	\$52,743,730	\$1,612,288	\$53,356,018	\$31,675,210	\$504,522,545	100.00
Single-store independents.....	19,072	19,719	31,865	5,611	35,476,772	1,225,156	36,701,928	57,231,940	349,192,812	69.21
2-store independents.....	799	418	2,890	310	3,595,485	63,276	3,658,761	5,995,150	30,578,505	6.06
3-store independents.....	230	73	1,386	137	1,969,479	31,418	2,000,897	4,574,490	15,616,565	3.10
Local chains.....	504	46	1,636	458	2,187,644	85,487	2,273,131	3,457,240	21,117,280	4.19
Sectional chains.....	536		1,701	83	2,364,252	15,140	2,379,392	1,960,810	21,164,509	4.19
National chains.....	641		4,098	1,018	4,189,587	133,044	4,322,631	4,997,850	44,100,917	8.74
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house to house).....	16	9	335		364,098		69,806	41,510	882,160	.16
Roadside markets or stands ¹	6	6	3		545		1,211	490	9,005	.00
Itinerant vendors.....	3	2	6		2,600		1,585	110	20,905	.01
Industrial stores (including commissaries).....	61	21	170	7	213,084	1,390	69,805	436,420	3,411,050	.68
Leased departments—Independent operators.....	14	10	38	1	33,262	400	38,786	80,290	266,001	.05
Leased-department chains.....	29		135	8	192,878	1,283	283,144	201,390	1,333,024	.26
Utility-operated retail stores.....	52		68	61	117,179	15,216	170,009	207,980	938,565	.19
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	42		477	1	690,468	170	335,451	331,840	2,086,660	.41
Retailers—country buyers ¹	270	310	250	112	278,124	21,941	241,977	758,760	6,178,949	1.22
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	167	142	487	90	624,263	17,038	696,202	1,246,430	6,900,203	1.37
All other types.....	17	9	73	5	69,570	1,327	77,104	152,510	725,435	.14

¹ These classifications were used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 inhabitants. These stores are usually independently operated.

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TABLE 5B.—THE STATE—COUNTY DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[See tables 13 and 14 for detailed county figures]

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

COUNTY	TOTAL		INDEPENDENT STORES			SECTIONAL AND NATIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales
Total	22, 449	\$804, 523	20, 101	\$395, 388	78	1, 177	\$65, 266	13	1, 171	\$43, 689	9
Alachua.....	469	8, 771	409	7, 074	80	19	663	8	31	1, 034	12
Baker.....	56	564	52	517	92	1	(x)	(x)	3	(x)	(x)
Bay.....	164	2, 684	161	2, 280	84	5	105	4	8	319	12
Bradford.....	138	1, 688	121	1, 517	90	1	(x)	(x)	16	(x)	(x)
Brevard.....	317	4, 820	277	3, 604	75	18	626	13	22	590	12
Broward.....	361	6, 915	320	5, 675	82	14	712	10	18	528	8
Calhoun.....	87	876	74	675	77	13			13	201	23
Charlotte.....	90	1, 427	75	1, 121	79	4	127	9	11	179	12
Citrus.....	84	948	77	580	61	1	(x)	(x)	6	(x)	(x)
Clay.....	94	1, 162	90	1, 071	92	1	(x)	(x)	3	(x)	(x)
Collier.....	41	1, 206	32	584	48				9	622	52
Columbia.....	219	3, 064	190	2, 305	75	10	460	15	19	299	10
Dade.....	2, 961	85, 200	2, 098	68, 977	81	162	10, 382	12	101	5, 841	7
De Soto.....	120	2, 252	109	1, 877	83	8	235	11	3	140	6
Dixie.....	58	1, 479	55	924	62				3	555	38
Duval.....	2, 388	69, 693	2, 047	60, 474	73	216	14, 128	20	125	5, 091	7
Escambia.....	553	15, 629	533	13, 421	86	31	1, 565	10	10	643	4
Flagler.....	68	594	64	491	83	1	(x)	(x)	3	(x)	(x)
Franklin.....	79	963	73	794	82	3	141	15	3	28	3
Gadsden.....	289	6, 053	260	4, 503	60	8	323	5	12	927	15
Gilchrist.....	58	604	38	489	70	1	(x)	(x)	19	(x)	(x)
Glades.....	34	547	29	428	78				5	119	22
Gulf.....	49	598	46	331	55	3			3	267	45
Hamilton.....	107	1, 042	99	879	84	5	72	7	3	91	9
Hardee.....	151	2, 466	135	1, 841	75	5	183	7	11	432	18
Hendry.....	46	1, 997	42	1, 941	97				4	56	3
Hernando.....	81	1, 251	71	1, 002	80	5	118	9	5	131	11
Highlands.....	143	2, 201	129	1, 533	70	6	253	11	8	415	19
Hillsborough.....	2, 364	55, 901	2, 145	42, 601	76	134	9, 569	17	85	3, 731	7
Holmes.....	85	1, 152	70	614	53	1	(x)	(x)	8	(x)	(x)
Indian River.....	87	1, 651	74	1, 126	68	4	269	16	9	256	16
Jackson.....	238	4, 295	204	2, 980	69	2	(x)	(x)	82	(x)	(x)
Jefferson.....	139	1, 645	130	1, 292	84	4	105	7	5	148	9
Lafayette.....	44	549	39	472	86	1	(x)	(x)	4	(x)	(x)
Lake.....	368	7, 264	331	5, 630	77	15	768	11	22	666	12
Lee.....	210	5, 113	184	3, 937	77	12	551	11	14	625	12
Leon.....	278	6, 325	265	6, 107	89	8	586	9	5	132	2
Levy.....	147	1, 486	141	1, 377	95				6	109	7
Liberty.....	30	210	20	197	94				1	13	6
Madison.....	130	1, 919	119	1, 546	81	5	152	8	6	221	11
Manatee.....	303	6, 440	265	5, 114	79	16	502	8	22	833	13
Marion.....	444	8, 632	412	7, 032	82	21	901	10	11	649	8
Martin.....	87	1, 621	77	1, 247	77	4	264	16	6	110	7
Monroe.....	235	3, 153	231	2, 959	94	3	(x)	(x)	1	(x)	(x)
Nassau.....	83	1, 576	76	1, 289	82	2	(x)	(x)	5	(x)	(x)
Okaloosa.....	97	764	93	733	96	1	(x)	(x)	3	(x)	(x)
Okeechobee.....	72	1, 289	62	780	62	5	116	9	5	373	29
Orange.....	799	21, 311	697	16, 234	76	53	2, 887	14	49	2, 190	10
Osceola.....	149	2, 604	133	1, 793	72	6	288	11	10	418	17
Palm Beach.....	1, 112	32, 310	1, 003	26, 422	82	77	4, 812	15	32	1, 085	3
Pasco.....	190	2, 161	170	1, 622	75	5	114	5	15	425	20
Pinellas.....	1, 326	32, 203	1, 213	27, 274	85	68	3, 720	11	45	1, 209	4
Polk.....	1, 016	21, 241	908	16, 940	80	58	2, 274	11	50	2, 027	9
Putnam.....	341	5, 195	311	4, 105	79	11	497	10	19	693	11
St. Johns.....	325	6, 817	298	5, 836	85	18	732	11	9	249	4
St. Lucie.....	118	3, 675	100	2, 526	69	10	436	12	6	713	19
Santa Rosa.....	145	2, 853	127	1, 343	47	1	(x)	(x)	17	(x)	(x)
Sarasota.....	298	5, 018	268	3, 918	78	12	494	10	18	606	12
Seminole.....	295	4, 899	268	3, 627	74	13	1, 031	21	9	241	5
Sumter.....	113	1, 282	97	925	72	4	128	10	12	229	18
Suwannee.....	151	2, 179	130	1, 559	71	7	165	8	14	455	21
Taylor.....	117	2, 023	108	1, 733	86	6	213	10	3	77	4
Union.....	39	366	31	191	52	1	(x)	(x)	7	(x)	(x)
Volusia.....	801	16, 557	710	12, 006	73	54	3, 013	18	37	1, 535	9
Wakulla.....	64	329	57	248	75				7	81	25
Walton.....	142	2, 293	126	1, 853	81	2	(x)	(x)	14	(x)	(x)
Washington.....	94	1, 146	79	957	83	3	79	7	12	110	10

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TABLE 6.—THE STATE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	31	15	5	2		9	
Annual net sales.....	\$21,721,564	\$11,014,473	(x)	(x)		\$3,666,402	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	50.71	(x)	(x)		16.88	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	152	64	5	18		64	1
Annual net sales.....	\$12,657,744	\$702,793	\$57,424	\$407,623		\$11,480,904	\$9,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	5.55	.46	3.22		90.70	.07
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	290	253	28	3	3	1	2
Annual net sales.....	\$9,140,426	\$7,818,627	\$1,107,187	\$91,603	(x)	(x)	\$13,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.54	12.11	1.00	(x)	(x)	.14
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	188	136	19	10	1	22	
Annual net sales.....	\$7,112,423	\$4,232,660	\$1,267,890	\$386,436	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.51	17.83	5.43	(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	346	263	45	4	17	10	7
Annual net sales.....	\$10,973,340	\$6,801,190	\$1,152,995	\$181,761	\$1,146,128	\$1,232,751	\$58,515
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.98	10.51	1.66	10.44	11.23	4.18
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	244	161	25	15	7	28	8
Annual net sales.....	\$6,468,771	\$3,106,472	\$964,688	\$689,067	\$137,360	\$1,080,600	\$504,584
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.02	14.91	10.34	2.13	16.80	7.80
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	465	372	41	25	22		5
Annual net sales.....	\$15,962,011	\$11,008,184	\$1,501,721	\$418,503	\$2,302,880		\$730,723
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.96	9.41	2.62	14.43		4.58
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	198	173	12	9		3	1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,676,564	\$3,653,196	\$483,169	\$329,950		\$202,235	\$8,014
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.12	10.33	7.05		4.33	.17
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	2,843	2,391	45	106	45	167	89
Annual net sales.....	\$36,272,858	\$17,885,554	\$1,024,892	\$4,100,469	\$2,620,677	\$9,951,532	\$827,833
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	49.11	2.81	11.28	7.20	27.33	2.27
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	1,967	1,632	85	77	87	55	31
Annual net sales.....	\$58,272,858	\$36,311,440	\$4,219,157	\$4,205,659	\$6,322,290	\$6,385,174	\$829,188
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.31	7.24	7.22	10.85	10.90	1.42
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	1,646	1,604	27		4	8	3
Annual net sales.....	\$18,351,558	\$17,214,831	\$658,933		\$216,140	\$250,484	\$11,190
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	93.81	3.59		1.18	1.36	.06
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	223	190	12	8	1	11	1
Annual net sales.....	\$2,541,948	\$1,398,262	\$245,070	\$220,548	(x)	(x)	\$70,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.01	9.64	8.68	(x)	(x)	2.75
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	2,888	2,352	70	47	268	137	14
Annual net sales.....	\$29,903,997	\$21,019,855	\$1,062,893	\$736,337	\$4,602,028	\$2,070,246	\$421,638
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	70.26	3.56	2.46	15.39	6.92	1.41
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	136	109	11		12		4
Annual net sales.....	\$2,203,756	\$1,336,668	\$184,001		\$589,200		\$43,887
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.92	8.35		26.74		1.99
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	1,027	887	88	12	16	23	1
Annual net sales.....	\$24,602,999	\$19,213,803	\$2,216,753	\$122,751	\$975,988	\$2,047,614	\$26,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.09	9.01	50	3.97	8.32	.11
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	239	207	17	9			6
Annual net sales.....	\$8,126,005	\$5,402,654	\$844,929	\$1,121,207			\$757,215
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	66.48	10.40	13.80			9.32
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	268	232	27	8	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$8,072,988	\$5,296,265	\$2,258,128	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.49	27.97	(x)	(x)		

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TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS
(Sales expressed in thousands of dollars)

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL Number of stores	TOTAL Net sales	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS																		
			1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	More than 80 per cent credit	Net sales	Number of stores								
			Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores			Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales					
Total all stores reporting:¹	19,267	\$446,706	1,395	1,070	846	871	1,238	612	720	637	3.31	1,061	\$53,811	1,061	5.51	5,511	12,055	1,061	5.51	5,511	12,055
Number of total stores.....	100.00	\$100.00	7.24	5.55	4.39	4.52	6.42	3.18	3.74	3.31	3.31	3.74	\$25,771	\$25,771	5.77	5.77	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05
Amount of net sales.....		\$194,151	\$29,463	\$23,543	\$19,880	\$26,682	\$30,654	\$17,576	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771	\$25,771
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00	43.46	5.27	4.45	5.97	6.86	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93	8.93
Food group:																					
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	300	2,156	18	8	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Dairy products, stores (including ice cream).....	49	1,064	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Delicatessen stores.....	26	564	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	194	1,763	165	119	94	6	40	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2,522	33,541	1,377	189	956	746	129	916	210	1,807	45	16	1,762	130	1,103	95	1,175	106	1,200	118	1,200
Combination stores.....	1,022	48,440	752	79	1,707	87	2,445	189	1,362	164	2,613	86	2,289	104	2,078	77	2,082	66	1,628	1,628	1,628
Grocery stores with meats.....	187	6,130	73	2,303	11	1,707	11	156	15	709	24	384	11	328	9	380	77	2,082	66	1,628	1,628
Meat markets with groceries.....	250	1,876	186	10	174	10	29	5	26	5	28	6	158	5	55	4	108	4	60	60	60
Fish markets—sea foods.....	246	5,164	147	10	197	14	224	7	170	28	465	11	444	10	160	8	61	3	314	314	314
Meat markets.....	246	5,164	147	10	197	14	224	7	170	28	465	11	444	10	160	8	61	3	314	314	314
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manu- facturing bakeries).....	120	1,139	94	6	116	5	44	4	51	4	52	5	75						5	5	5
General merchandise group:																					
Department stores.....	3	4,870	1	4	3	3	445	4	4,477			1	4,477			1	224				
With food departments.....	26	14,713	35	14	12	12	338	15	1,221			2	3,359			2	33				
Without food departments.....	356	10,547	294	15	21	21	31	15	701			3	81			1	71				
Dry goods stores.....	12	402	6	2	81	2	231	2	231			10	522			2	29				
General merchandise stores.....	167	4,872	96	15	522	10	441	13	701			3	81			2	29				
Without food departments.....	134	12,423	130	1	5	5	1	5	15			1	15			2	29				
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-and-dollar stores.....																					
Automotive group:																					
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	356	57,209	56	31	3,562	30	3,788	25	2,657	20	5,942	25	4,388	45	8,879	50	8,693	48	9,102	9,102	9,102
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	57	1,253	25	3	19	5	101	4	62	4	121	4	125	6	98	3	142	1	5	5	5
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	110	4,955	51	5	142	7	108	4	175	13	482	11	433	6	638	5	250	3	95	95	95
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....																					
Filling stations.....	793	8,247	388	110	2,064	74	1,292	44	714	37	363	6	44	14	173	12	84	9	297	297	297
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	404	7,885	190	29	645	37	799	26	678	25	643	18	681	9	138	10	340	5	114	114	114
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	1,138	8,117	703	74	730	44	454	58	667	89	786	17	230	26	200	12	113	4	61	61	61
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	869	7,978	408	77	539	56	558	70	716	68	885	37	474	39	823	17	91	6	94	94	94
Apparel group:																					
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	8	103	6	3	14	2	109	7	109	3	86	2	17	1	12	1	46	2	13	13	13
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	77	1,073	61	7	109	14	717	4	231	10	675	7	308	9	525	2	46	2	24	24	24
Men's furnishings stores.....	147	6,384	96	14	717	4	231	10	675	7	308	9	525	2	46	2	46	2	24	24	24
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's.....	155	6,304	89	4	542	4	169	11	551	5	1,233	1	19	2	77	4	225	24	1,238	1,238	1,238
Women's ready-to-wear, specialty stores— separat and accessories.....	231	9,387	208	10	365	4	147	2	48	4	133	5	234	4	73	5	310	18	1,083	1,083	1,083
Military stores.....	124	1,449	104	5	26	3	12	4	49	2	15								3	3	3
Shoe stores.....	10	296	8	1	101	1	36	1	36										1	1	1
Shoe stores, men's.....	34	966	28	1	77	3	77	3	77										1	1	1
Shoe stores, women's.....	159	4,290	127	7	293	1	4	8	553	3	34	1	6	6	26	1	26		3	3	3

¹ Not all stores have reported as to their credit activities, or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes the stores in the State which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 1 except for 3,182 stores with sales of \$57,816,544, which failed to report credit information.

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TABLE 8.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹	TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹
	Number of stores	Total sales	Credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales			Number of stores	Total sales	Credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales	
Total	8,460	\$252,555,197	\$130,544,938	51.69	\$24,783,016						
Independent stores ²	7,623	218,700,054	112,177,596	51.27	19,324,744	Other types of operation—Continued.					
Local chains.....	126	8,311,816	5,152,228	61.99	650,139	Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	15	\$854,152	\$619,020	72.47	\$248,912
Sectional chains.....	325	8,513,687	4,302,180	45.22	2,324,235	Retailers—country buyers ³	153	3,555,099	1,592,711	44.80	
National chains.....	52	3,325,985	2,426,153	72.95	1,484,791	Retailers—wholesalers ⁴	70	3,999,442	2,027,537	50.70	
Other types of operation:						All other types.....	18	1,554,244	784,395	50.47	462,360
Industrial stores (including commissaries).....	25	1,884,360	1,005,485	53.30							
Utility-operated retail stores.....	43	757,352	457,633	60.43	277,835						

¹ Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported in places having less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor by any stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Therefore this column can not be related to the credit sales column because it is incomplete. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customers' notes are handled through finance companies.

² Includes single-store independents, 2 and 3 store independents.

³ These classifications are used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 population. These stores are independently operated.

TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	58,944	\$17,683,887	Other stores in which meals are served—Continued.		
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	57,076	17,510,743	Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	80	\$37,571
Cafeterias.....	4,809	1,543,543	Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	12	3,130
Lunch rooms.....	15,532	3,558,272	Meat markets.....	28	2,795
Restaurants with table service.....	30,144	11,355,014	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	18	3,000
Refreshment stands.....	112	15,525	General stores—groceries with apparel.....	75	27,248
Fountain—lunches.....	218	90,107	Department stores.....	132	51,223
Lunch counters.....	2,261	942,282	Filling stations.....	618	79,905
Other stores in which meals are served.....	1,868	373,144	Feed stores with groceries.....	18	2,400
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	131	23,077	Cigar stands.....	59	13,225
Deli-casson stores.....	200	49,152	Cigar stores without fountains.....	8	4,659
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	24	7,124	Drug stores with fountains.....	83	26,212
Grocery stores (without meats).....	355	33,681	Newsdealers.....	27	8,741

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total	3,178	\$10,042,522	\$344,373	Automotive group—Continued.			
Food group.....	4	21,762		Motor-cycle dealers.....	5	\$21,013	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2	19,502		Body, fender and paint shops.....	192	739,190	
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	2	2,200		Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	865	3,061,013	\$133,943
General stores.....	3	6,580		Parking stations, parking garages and lots.....	8	41,951	16,922
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	1	3,350		Radiator shops (including repairs).....	8	36,850	
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	2	3,230		Furniture and household group.....	5	11,165	
Automotive group.....	3,145	9,929,653	344,373	Radio and electrical shops.....	5	11,165	
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	1,544	4,444,605	191,308	Lumber and building group.....	4	10,500	
Used-car establishments.....	10	33,005		Electrical shops (without radio).....	1	4,500	
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	62	82,387		Paint and glass stores.....	3	6,000	
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	93	364,636		Other retail stores.....	3	22,000	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	99	385,089		Miscellaneous classifications, (combined).....	3	22,000	
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	34	70,670		Secondhand stores.....	14	40,862	
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	149	471,746	2,200				
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	76	177,078					

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

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TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE—Continued
 C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total	\$3,557,465	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group	8,321	Picture and framing stores.....	\$4,800
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,745	Awnings, flags, banners, window shades and tents.....	29,287
Grocery stores (without meats).....	3,175	Interior decorators.....	21,419
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	3,400	Radio and electrical shops.....	183,076
General stores	21,838	Radio and musical instruments stores.....	51,758
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	21,838	Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	7,000
General merchandise group	130,126	Cafeterias.....	7,000
Department stores with food departments.....	63,060	Lumber and building group	752,198
Department stores without food departments.....	62,646	Lumber and building material dealers.....	15,246
Dry goods stores.....	2,320	Roofing.....	75,370
Army and navy goods stores.....	2,100	Roofing materials (nonmetallic).....	417
Automotive group	218,189	Electrical shops (without radio).....	244,478
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	1,200	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	3,060
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	5,706	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	387,999
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	11,200	Glass and mirror shops.....	2,800
Bicycle dealers.....	28,015	Paint and glass stores.....	22,826
Body, fender and paint shops.....	1,500	Other retail stores	1,760,817
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	109,377	Hardware stores.....	1,625
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	61,171	Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers.....	1,021
Apparel group	197,587	Hardware and farm implement stores.....	600
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	5,000	Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	42,765
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	13,114	Bookstores.....	3,009
Men's furnishings stores.....	9,100	Coal and wood yards.....	1,000
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	1,500	Ice dealers.....	7,173
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	1,250	Drug stores with fountains.....	4,055
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	10,030	Florists.....	11,655
Corset and lingerie shops.....	1,000	Art and gift shops.....	11,925
Millinery stores.....	6,682	Novelty and souvenir shops.....	7,450
Custom tailors.....	38,184	Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	25,756
Dressmakers.....	9,775	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	39,218
Infants' wear shops.....	3,840	Jewelry stores.....	390,493
Shoe stores—men's.....	5,244	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	14,806
Family shoe stores—men's, women's and children's.....	92,868	Music stores (without radio).....	3,474
Furniture and household group	432,693	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	85,004
Furniture stores.....	9,537	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	3,800
Furniture and undertaker.....	4,717	Typewriter dealers.....	13,730
Furniture and hardware stores.....	3,250	Opticians and optometrists.....	31,089
Draperies, curtains and upholstery stores.....	12,950	Opticians and optometrists.....	15,612
Household appliance stores (electric).....	69,682	Sporting goods specialty stores.....	1,075
Household appliance stores.....	3,350	Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	4,550
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	35,136	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	3,286
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	3,421	Printers and lithographers.....	400,000
		Stationers and engravers.....	2,000
		Monuments and tombstones.....	633,271
		Miscellaneous classifications, (combined) ²	29,318
		Secondhand stores	29,318

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).
² Includes cigar stores and cigar stands.

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TABLE 10.—THE STATE—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹
Total	\$1,549,928	\$4,199,807	\$3,991,998	Apparel group—Continued.			
Food group	215,728	227,811		Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's			\$34,562
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)	21,100	7,500		Furniture and household group	\$13,435	\$29,771	1,970,012
Dairy products stores:				Furniture stores:			1,726,484
Dairy products stores (including ice cream)	30,000	2,500		Furniture and hardware stores		7,000	17,348
Milk dealers	7,000	2,000		Floor coverings stores		14,303	
Egg and poultry dealers		8,344		Household appliance stores:			61,070
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	15,250	15,250		Household appliance stores (electric)		6,300	3,000
Grocery stores (without meats)	12,118	43,929		Household appliance stores			
Combination stores (groceries and meats):				Other home furnishings and appliances stores:	4,335	2,168	
Grocery stores with meats		60,450		Picture and framing stores			
Meat markets with groceries	6,800	31,931		Awnings, flags, banners, window shades and tents	9,100		163,010
Meat markets (including sea foods):				Radio and musical instruments stores			
Fish markets—sea foods		19,224		Lumber and building group	501,757	192,701	119,710
Meat markets	39,023	7,200		Lumber and building material dealers:			86,455
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries)	79,502	14,983		Lumber and building material dealers	323,412	150,057	35,944
Other food stores:				Lumber and hardware	161,325	35,944	14,262
Farm products stores		4,500		Roofing	9,050	2,700	
Bottled waters and beverages	20,183	1,000		Electrical shops (without radio)		8,000	
General stores	48,533	695,261		Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating		4,000	18,993
General stores—groceries with apparel		2,200		Paint and glass stores			
General stores—groceries with dry goods		35,710		Other retail stores	645,002	669,975	398,181
General stores—groceries with other merchandise	48,533	657,351		Hardware stores		167,062	34,534
General merchandise group	26,989	84,758	\$878,800	Hardware and farm implement stores:			48,000
Department stores:			358,196	Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers			
With food departments			489,877	Hardware and farm implement stores			70,703
Without food departments		6,560	22,274	Farmers' supplies:			
Dry goods stores	26,989	3,198		Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer)			78,133
General merchandise stores:			4,981	Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock			20,000
Without food departments			3,472	Feed stores with groceries			89,825
Army and Navy goods stores		75,000		Bookstores		7,055	1,300
Automotive group	20,845	2,284,118	487,181	Cigar stores without fountains			
Motor-vehicle dealers:			400,054	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers	13,118	10,700	
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in		2,092,674	53,557	Coal and wood yards	564,576	160,006	
Used car establishments		24,735		Ice dealers	12,600		
Accessories, tires, and batteries:				Drug stores with fountains			1,075
Accessory stores with tires and batteries		25,282		Florists			2,589
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops	10,775	14,767	10,550	Camera dealers—photographic supplies		7,000	3,500
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	10,070	97,186		Novelty and souvenir shops			
Filling stations, with tires and accessories		20,394		Jewelry stores:			115,163
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)		9,080	3,000	Jewelry stores (installment credit)			103,425
Apparel group	77,611	13,612	157,232	Jewelry stores	14,100	10,000	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:				News dealers			
Men's and boys' hat stores	3,900		7,243	Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:			1,250
Men's clothing and furnishings stores				Office and school supplies	4,632		
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's	3,562	6,612	90,094	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail)			61,662
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories	5,803		25,333	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers		2,000	7,996
Millinery stores	1,800			Sporting goods specialty stores	1,000		
Other apparel stores:				Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail			7,696
Custom tailors	51,896	7,000		Printers and lithographers	7,172	14,423	19,000
Dressmakers	10,650			Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	13,749		
				Secondhand stores		1,800	

¹ Merchandise manufactured on sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of services and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies, and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places of less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no returned goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

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TABLE 11A.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES, BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES

[Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power laundry sales include the full amount received for work done. The cleaning and dyeing establishments' sales include both retail and wholesale, the retail sales for the State aggregating \$1,962,002]

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929	Number of mills	Net sales, 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales, 1929
Total.....	125	\$2,906,246	85	\$3,559,837	93	\$6,372,400	100	\$2,141,882
Jacksonville.....	12	247,957	6	372,345	7	1,073,652	22	452,622
Miami.....	9	188,748	9	629,505	13	1,951,059	11	525,009
Tampa.....	33	863,420	5	331,714	12	963,708	11	289,045

TABLE 11B.—THE STATE—COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING) OF FARM PRODUCTS, BY RETAILERS WHO ARE ALSO ASSEMBLERS

[Retailers who are also country buyers are included in the Retail Census. That part of their business which is the assembling of farm products is shown below]

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)	COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)	COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)
Total.....	\$1,494,491	Hamilton.....	\$26,463	Palm Beach.....	(x)
Alachua.....	69,861	Hardee.....	(x)	Pasco.....	\$17,920
Baker.....	(x)	Hernando.....	(x)	Pinellas.....	(x)
Bradford.....	(x)	Highlands.....	(x)	Polk.....	12,500
Brevard.....	4,481	Hillsborough.....	(x)	Putnam.....	4,298
Broward.....	(x)	Holmes.....	187,763	St. Johns.....	(x)
Calhoun.....	4,000	Indian River.....	4,450	Santa Rosa.....	326,439
Charlotte.....	6,550	Jackson.....	256,196	Seminole.....	(x)
Citrus.....	(x)	Jefferson.....	(x)	Sumter.....	10,200
Columbia.....	(x)	Lafayette.....	1,150	Suwannee.....	67,600
Dade.....	83,590	Lake.....	25,220	Union.....	15,690
Duval.....	(x)	Madison.....	10,490	Volusia.....	12,250
Gadsden.....	89,371	Manatee.....	119,052	Wakulla.....	3,630
Glades.....	19,740	Marion.....	(x)	Walton.....	6,476
	(x)	Orange.....	(x)	Washington.....	14,565

TABLE 11C.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹
Total.....	\$4,406,081	\$4,734,208	Furniture.....	\$14,857	\$14,857
Automotive.....	1,694,473	1,708,440	General merchandise.....	1,500	1,500
Automobiles and other motor vehicles.....	1,499,867	1,513,834	Groceries and food specialties.....	161,897	162,659
Automotive equipment.....	194,606	194,606	Groceries (general line).....	157,797	157,797
Chemicals, drugs, and allied products.....	4,500	20,500	Food and grocery specialties.....	4,100	4,862
Dry goods and apparel.....	22,188	22,188	Hardware.....	262,886	262,886
Clothing and furnishings (other than millinery and footwear).....	(x)	(x)	Iron and steel scrap and other waste materials.....	1,500	1,500
Dry goods (general line).....	(x)	(x)	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	529,220	529,220
Electrical.....	61,780	61,780	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	106,185	106,185
Electrical goods including appliances.....	48,004	48,004	Lumber and millwork.....	423,035	423,035
Electrical equipment and supplies.....	10,132	10,132	Machinery, equipment and supplies (except electrical).....	61,594	92,123
Radios and radio equipment.....	3,624	3,624	Commercial equipment and supplies.....		28,245
Farm products (not elsewhere specified).....	40,580	40,580	Manufacturing, mining and drilling machinery, equipment and supplies.....	43,169	45,393
Farm supplies (except machinery and equipment).....	508,491	508,491	Service equipment and supplies.....	(x)	(x)
Farm supplies (except feed and fertilizer).....	30,000	30,000	Transportation equipment and supplies.....	(x)	(x)
Feed.....	264,805	264,805	Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	55,000	55,000
Fertilizer and fertilizer materials.....	213,686	213,686	All other wholesalers.....	30,076	30,076
Food products (not elsewhere specified).....	985,564	1,232,433			
Confectionery and soft drinks.....	250	250			
Dairy products.....	501,828	768,697			
Poultry and poultry products (general line).....	42,742	42,742			
Fish and sea foods.....	77,515	77,515			
Fruits and vegetables.....	159,929	159,929			
Meats and meat products.....	183,300	183,300			

¹ "Wholesalers only" includes those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for resale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches. For type of distributors included in "all types of wholesalers," reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to Table 4 therein.

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TABLE 12A.—THE STATE—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	Number of employees (full time)	Total pay roll (including part time)	Stocks on hand end of year (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	22, 449	20, 785	45, 618	\$52, 748, 730	\$81, 675, 210	\$504, 522, 545	100. 00
Proprietorships.....	16, 701	19, 236	19, 985	19, 426, 664	33, 423, 600	225, 930, 123	44. 78
Proprietorships which are members of cooperative associations.....	0	11	30	43, 959	93, 740	496, 122	. 10
Corporations.....	4, 331	-----	24, 323	32, 032, 553	46, 937, 480	267, 559, 039	53. 03
Corporations which are members of cooperative associations.....	6	-----	76	89, 555	720, 130	5, 120, 621	1. 02
Cooperative associations.....	13	-----	593	61, 026	62, 630	784, 327	. 15
Negro proprietorships.....	1, 378	1, 504	584	325, 973	438, 550	4, 528, 374	. 90
Oriental mutuals.....	11	14	27	19, 020	9, 080	127, 939	. 02

TABLE 12B.—THE STATE—STORES OPERATED BY NEGRO PROPRIETORS

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	Number of employees (full time)	Total pay roll (includes part time)	Stock on hand end of year (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	1, 378	1, 504	584	\$325, 973	\$438, 550	\$4, 528, 374	100. 00
Food group.....	662	716	145	82, 543	189, 000	2, 243, 187	49. 54
Candy and confectionery stores.....	66	87	16	6, 444	12, 560	180, 118	3. 98
Grocery stores (without meats).....	370	408	41	17, 456	83, 320	791, 606	17. 49
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	160	182	63	41, 302	87, 780	1, 041, 313	23. 00
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	45	47	17	11, 642	2, 710	192, 090	4. 26
All other food stores.....	12	12	8	5, 469	2, 630	36, 846	. 81
General stores (groceries with clothing and dry goods).....	41	45	19	12, 283	54, 470	283, 950	6. 23
General merchandise group.....	8	7	7	5, 460	19, 970	55, 636	1. 23
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	4	3	4	3, 680	13, 300	36, 011	. 80
General merchandise stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Automotive group ¹	70	75	43	33, 305	18, 020	294, 140	6. 50
Filling stations.....	43	47	16	10, 614	7, 620	179, 860	3. 97
Garages and repair shops.....	26	27	24	21, 074	5, 450	83, 626	1. 85
Apparel group.....	18	19	18	10, 100	23, 270	86, 717	1. 92
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	3	3	4	2, 444	6, 630	20, 343	. 46
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Women's ready-to-wear-specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Women's accessories stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other apparel stores.....	8	9	8	3, 836	1, 460	26, 642	. 59
Shoe stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Furniture and household group ¹	5	7	6	6, 208	4, 900	58, 132	1. 28
Furniture stores.....	3	5	4	4, 303	3, 040	30, 388	. 67
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	419	450	211	88, 258	24, 680	938, 430	20. 72
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	294	322	186	77, 554	16, 060	757, 172	16. 72
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	125	128	25	10, 704	8, 600	181, 308	4. 00
Lumber and building group.....	3	3	2	1, 194	440	4, 748	. 10
Lumber and building material dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Paint and glass stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other retail stores.....	152	182	133	66, 674	103, 820	583, 408	12. 88
Hardware stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies (including feeds and fertilizers).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Bookstores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	20	22	4	3, 666	2, 050	34, 891	. 77
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	32	35	24	14, 783	18, 970	51, 769	1. 14
Drug stores.....	50	68	43	28, 391	45, 880	260, 328	5. 75
Jewelry stores.....	4	4	-----	-----	1, 470	4, 633	. 10
Miscellaneous classifications.....	39	54	60	37, 734	23, 430	202, 600	4. 48
Secondhand stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins, have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			FOOD GROUP—Continued		
Dairy products stores (including ice cream): (Commodity coverage, 34.4 per cent)			Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 31.8 per cent)		
Bakery products, fresh.....	1.0	0.9	Bakery products, fresh.....	6.4	5.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.0	.9	Bottled beverages.....	1.3	.2
Butter and cheese.....	5.5	5.5	Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	.2
Eggs.....	4.4	3.8	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	5.9	2.9
Ice cream.....	61.3	61.3	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	10.0	2.1
Milk and cream.....	27.6	27.6	Fruits and vegetables.....	18.1	16.6
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 55.7 per cent)			Groceries:		
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.8	.3	Butter and cheese.....	8.1	8.1
Butter and cheese.....	2.2	1.5	Eggs.....	5.0	5.0
Eggs.....	.7	.1	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.4	3.4
Ice cream.....	16.9	1.7	Flour.....	2.1	2.1
Milk and cream.....	96.4	96.4	Sugar.....	3.4	3.4
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 22.6 per cent)			Canned goods and other groceries.....		
Bakery products, fresh.....	14.3	14.3	Meats, including poultry.....	8.3	8.3
Bottled beverages.....	3.0	3.0	Milk and cream.....	38.8	38.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	.7	.4	Nonfood products:	3.8	2.6
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	51.7	51.7	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.8	.4
Groceries:			Household supplies.....		
Butter and cheese.....	13.5	13.5	Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.6
Eggs.....	6.7	3.7	Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 20.6 per cent)		
Canned goods and other groceries.....	9.0	9.0	Butter and cheese.....	7.6	4.4
Milk and cream.....	9.9	4.4	Eggs.....	7.1	4.1
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 6.9 per cent)			Fresh fish and other sea foods.....		
Confectionery and nuts.....	24.2	10.6	Fruits and vegetables.....	17.0	2.0
Fruits and vegetables.....	82.4	82.4	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	4.6	2.9
Canned goods and other groceries.....	16.1	7.0	Meats, including poultry.....	83.7	83.7
Grocery stores (without meats): (Commodity coverage, 6.9 per cent)			Milk and cream.....		
Bakery products, fresh.....	8.7	7.9		14.3	2.8
Bottled beverages.....	1.0	.8	GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	.9	Department stores with food departments: (Commodity coverage, 89.9 per cent)		
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	2.9	.9	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.4	1.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.0	.5	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', and children's—		
Fruits and vegetables.....	27.1	25.9	Children's wear.....	1.3	1.3
Groceries:			Millinery.....	2.7	2.7
Butter and cheese.....	6.9	6.9	Hosiery.....	5.4	5.4
Eggs.....	4.7	4.7	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	13.6	13.6
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.6	1.6	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.1	4.1
Flour.....	2.1	2.1	Other apparel.....	6.7	3.7
Sugar.....	4.6	4.6	Books.....	.9	.1
Canned goods and other groceries.....	36.7	36.7	Canned goods and other groceries.....	1.1	.1
Milk and cream.....	3.3	2.6	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Nonfood products:			Suits.....	5.4	5.4
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.0	1.6	Hats and caps.....	.9	.9
Household supplies.....	3.0	.2	Furnishings.....	5.8	5.8
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	1.8	Work clothing.....	1.7	.7
Poultry.....	2.9	.3	Other clothing.....	7.6	7.6
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 24.9 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts.....	.1	.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	4.8	3.8	Dry goods and notions:		
Bottled beverages.....	1.9	1.3	Cotton piece goods.....	.2	.2
Confectionery and nuts.....	2.1	1.4	Linen goods.....	.7	.7
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	1.5	.7	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.2	.2
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	5.3	.6	Rayon piece goods.....	1.1	1.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	9.9	9.6	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	5.9	5.9
Groceries:			Notions and small wares.....	1.6	1.6
Butter and cheese.....	7.5	7.5	Other dry goods.....	4.8	1.8
Eggs.....	3.1	3.1	Fruits and vegetables.....	.6	.6
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	4.0	4.0	Furniture—		
Flour.....	2.2	2.2	Bedroom.....	.7	.7
Sugar.....	4.4	4.4	Living room, library, and hall.....	.9	.9
Canned goods and other groceries.....	29.9	29.9	Dining room.....	.7	.7
Ice cream.....	1.4	.1	Kitchen.....	.3	.3
Meats, including poultry.....	23.0	23.6	Other household.....	.4	.4
Milk and cream.....	2.4	2.0	Gasoline.....	5.2	.2
Nonfood products:			Home furnishings—		
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	1.7	1.2	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	2.9	2.9
Hardware.....	1.3	.2	Floor coverings.....	2.1	2.1
Household supplies.....	1.8	.9	Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.9	1.9
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	3.5	China, glassware, crockery.....	1.0	1.0
			Kitchen utensils.....	1.3	1.3
			Other home furnishings.....	3.1	.1
			Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	.4	.4
			Infants' wear.....	1.0	1.0
			Jewelry.....	2.2	2.2

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed there under. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages in this second column are applicable to the sales shown in Table 1. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

An (x) indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Department stores with food departments—Continued.			Department stores without food departments—Continued.		
Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	2.7	2.7	Shoes and other footwear.....	8.1	7.6
Luggage.....	1.0	1.0	Men's.....	0.6	
Miscellaneous merchandise..... (x)	.8	.8	Boys' and youths'.....	2	
Oils and greases.....	5.1	1	Women's.....	5.2	
Paper and paper goods.....	1.0	1.0	Misses' and children's.....	1.4	
Radios and records.....	3.2	1.2	Rubber and other footwear.....	2	
Phonographs and records.....	3.2	1.2	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	2.4	1.5
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.4	.4	Stationery and books—		
Service.....	8.4	1.4	Books.....	.5	.2
Shoes and other footwear—			Paper and paper goods.....	1.1	.3
Men's.....	1.5	1.5	Other stationery.....	.5	.1
Boys' and youths'.....	1.3	1.3	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	2.2	.9
Women's.....	3.8	3.8	Toilet articles.....	1.0	.6
Misses' and children's.....	1.4	1.4	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.9	2.0
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	1.5	1.5	Toys and games.....	1.4	1.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	2.1	.1			
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.5	2.5			
Toys and games.....	1.2	1.2			
Department stores without food departments: (Commodity coverage, 70.3 per cent)			Dry goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 20.1 per cent)		
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.4	.9	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', and children's—		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', and children's—			Children's wear.....	1.3	.1
Custom tailoring.....	.5	.1	Millinery.....	4.0	2.5
Children's wear.....	1.1	.5	Hosiery.....	10.0	7.5
Millinery.....	3.3	1.7	Costs, suits, and dresses.....	20.5	14.4
Hosiery.....	6.7	5.9	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.9	6.7
Costs, suits, and dresses.....	12.5	8.8	Other apparel.....	5.3	.8
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	5.2	4.1	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	2.4	.1
Other apparel, except furs.....	3.6	2.8	Dry goods and notions—		
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Cotton piece goods.....	20.3	18.9
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	.6	.3	Linen goods.....	6.3	6.1
Construction materials.....	.7	.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	1.4	1.3
Other appliances.....	.7	.3	Rayon piece goods.....	7.3	6.0
Automotive parts and accessories—			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	14.9	13.9
Automotive parts and accessories, except tires and tubes.....	8.5	1.5	Notions and small wares.....	7.7	5.7
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	8.7	5.3	Other dry goods.....	4.3	1.2
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Home furnishings—		
Suits.....	5.6	5.3	Draperies and curtains.....	5.4	2.6
Overcoats.....	.7	.5	Other home furnishings.....	7.0	.9
Hats and caps.....	.7	.5	Household appliances, motor-driven.....	.8	.1
Furnishings.....	6.3	5.3	Infants' wear.....	3.8	1.9
Work clothing.....	.4	.3	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	4.0	.4
Other clothing.....	.5	.3	Luggage.....	1.5	.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	.7	.3	Miscellaneous merchandise..... (x)		1.4
Drugs and drug sundries.....	1.4	.1	Shoes and other footwear—		
Dry goods and notions—			Women's.....	10.8	5.6
Piece goods.....	9.3	1.0	Misses' and children's.....	.4	.2
Cotton piece goods.....	3.8	3.2	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.2	.8
Linen goods.....	1.7	1.5	Toys and games.....	4.7	.2
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	2.2	1.3			
Rayon piece goods.....	1.3	.4	Piece goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 34 per cent)		
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.1	4.1	Cotton piece goods.....	26.9	24.9
Notions and small wares.....	4.2	2.5	Linen goods.....	3.0	1.0
Other dry goods.....	1.9	.3	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	5.0	5.0
Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	.4	.1	Rayon piece goods.....	9.4	0.4
Fountain sales and ice cream.....			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	59.7	59.7
Furniture—					
Bedroom.....	.3	.2	General merchandise stores with food departments: (Commodity coverage, 76.9 per cent)		
Living room, library, and hall.....	.8	.5	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's.....	8.7	8.7
Dining room.....	.3	.2	Children's wear.....	0.9	
Other household.....	.8	.6	Hosiery.....	2.9	
Furs and fur goods.....	.5	.2	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	.9	
Hardware.....	4.9	.9	Other apparel.....	4.0	
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	1.5	.1	Bakery products, fresh.....	5.0	2.9
Home furnishings—			Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	.3	.1
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	3.8	3.2	Bottled beverages.....	2.0	.8
Floor coverings.....	2.0	2.0	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	6.6	3.3
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.3	.8	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	21.4	21.4
China, glassware, crockery.....	1.3	.3	Suits.....	8.0	
Kitchen utensils.....	.9	.5	Overcoats.....	2.5	
Other home furnishings.....	3.4	2.0	Hats and caps.....	3.0	
Infants' wear.....	2.1	1.5	Furnishings.....	3.4	
Jewelry and silverware—			Work clothing.....	6.5	
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	1.6	.7	Other clothing.....	3.0	
Plated silverware.....	.1	.1	Confectionery and nuts.....	2.5	1.1
Other jewelry.....	1.2	.7	Drugs and drug sundries.....	1.1	.3
Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	1.6	1.0	Dry goods and notions—		
Luggage.....	.8	.5	Cotton piece goods.....	2.4	1.2
Miscellaneous merchandise..... (x)	.7	.7	Rayon piece goods.....	.4	.1
Musical instruments and accessories—			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	.8	.4
Phonographs and records.....	1.0	.3	Notions and small wares.....	3.4	1.7
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	.4	.1	Notions and small wares.....	1.1	.2
Musical instruments and accessories.....	.2	.1	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	.5	.3
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	3.9	.7	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	1.1	1.3
Radios and equipment.....	2.2	1.4	Fruits and vegetables.....	3.1	1.6
Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.2	.4	Furniture, household.....	5.5	2.3
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.4	.1	Gasoline.....	3.8	1.1
Service.....	.4	.5	Grain and feed.....	1.1	
			Groceries.....	35.7	35.7
			Butter and cheese.....	1.7	
			Eggs.....	1.3	
			Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	4.6	
			Flour.....	4.2	

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
General merchandise stores with food departments—Con.			General merchandise stores without food departments—Con.		
Groceries—Continued.			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment—		
Sugar.....	1.7		Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.4	0.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	22.2		Toilet articles and preparations.....	1.5	.1
Hardware:			Toys and games.....	2.3	.3
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	0.2	0.1		6.7	1.4
Other hardware.....	2.6	.7	Army and Navy goods stores—		
Jewelry.....	3.7	1.1	(Commodity coverage, 49.9 per cent)		
Incandescent lamps.....	.4	.1	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Kitchen utensils.....	.6	.2	Furnishings.....	14.1	3.8
Luggage.....	.4	.1	Work clothing.....	8.3	8.3
Meats, including poultry.....	9.3	7.2	Other clothing.....	12.5	12.6
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.4	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	10.0	7.3
Oils and greases.....	1.2	.5	Hardware.....	10.7	7.9
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.2	.1	Leather goods, bill folds, purses.....	10.0	7.3
Paper and paper goods.....	.3	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	5.9
Plated silverware.....	.2	.1	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.1	.8
Radio sets.....	.8	.2	Piece goods.....	13.9	10.2
Roofing materials.....	.3	.1	Shoes and other footwear—		
Shoes and other footwear:			Men's.....		
Men's.....	2.0	2.0	Rubber and other footwear.....		
Boys' and youths'.....	.3	.3	Sporting goods.....		
Women's.....	2.0	2.0	Stoves, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....		
Misses' and children's.....	.3	.3		4.3	3.2
Smokers' supplies.....	.4	.2	AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	.5	.1	Automobile salesrooms—		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	.9	.3	(Commodity coverage, 44.1 per cent)		
Toilet articles and preparations.....	.7	.1	Automobiles, parts, and accessories—		
Toys and games.....	.3	.1	Passenger automobiles, new.....		
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	.2	.1	Used passenger cars.....		
			Buses.....		
General merchandise stores without food departments:			Commercial cars and trucks, new.....		
(Commodity coverage, 6.8 per cent)			Used commercial cars and trucks.....		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses, children's—			Tractors.....		
Children's wear.....			Special-purpose vehicles, etc. (except tires and tubes).....		
Millinery.....	2.8	2.8	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....		
Hosiery.....	3.2	3.2	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Coats, suits, dresses.....	10.9	10.9	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....		
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	3.1	2.5	Used cars sold to dealers.....		
Other apparel, except furs.....	3.7	2.2	Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....		
Automotive parts and accessories:			Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....			Gasoline.....		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	4.8	.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Books.....	1.4	.3	Oils and greases.....		
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Repairs and service.....		
Suits.....			Storage.....		
Overcoats.....	7.9	7.9	Used-car establishments:		
Hats and caps.....	1.6	1.1	(Commodity coverage, 92.0 per cent)		
Furnishings.....	1.8	1.8	Automobiles, parts, and accessories—		
Work clothing.....	5.6	5.6	Used passenger cars.....		
Other clothing.....	5.3	4.5	Used commercial cars and trucks.....		
Drug sundries.....	1.8	1.8	Automotive parts and accessories.....		
Dry goods and notions—			Used cars sold to dealers.....		
Cotton piece goods.....			Commercial cars and trucks sold to dealers.....		
Linen goods.....	6.4	6.0	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....		
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	2.3	1.7	Gasoline.....		
Rayon piece goods.....	3.0	1.7	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	3.5	2.8	Oils and greases.....		
Notions and small wares.....	2.7	2.1	Repairs and service.....		
Other dry goods.....	1.2	1.2	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Furniture, bedroom.....	1.8	.8	Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops:		
Furs and fur goods.....	1.2	.1	(Commodity coverage, 17.3 per cent)		
Hardware:			Automotive parts and accessories (except batteries).....		
Builders' and shelf.....			Batteries.....		
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	14.5	3.7	Gasoline.....		
Other hardware.....	3.2	.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Home furnishings:			Oils and greases.....		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....			Repairs and service.....		
Floor coverings.....	.8	.6	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.6	.7	Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops:		
Kitchen utensils.....	1.4	.7	(Commodity coverage, 21.1 per cent)		
Other home furnishings.....	.8	.2	Automotive parts and accessories, except tires, tubes, and batteries.....		
Household appliances, motor driven.....	3.7	2.3	Batteries.....		
Infants' wear.....	1.3	.1	Gasoline.....		
Jewelry, silverware, clocks.....	1.9	1.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	1.9	.4	Oils and greases.....		
Luggage.....	3.0	.4	Repairs and service.....		
Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	1.3	.5	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies—	1.0	.4	Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops:		
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.2	.1	(Commodity coverage, 17.3 per cent)		
Glass.....	1.2	.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except batteries).....		
Painters' supplies.....	.6	.5	Batteries.....		
Paper and paper goods.....	.1	.1	Gasoline.....		
Radio parts and accessories.....	1.4	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Radio sets.....	1.1	.2	Oils and greases.....		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	4.2	.2	Repairs and service.....		
Shoes and other footwear—	2.8	.2	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Men's.....	1.6	.2	Tire shops (including tire repairs):		
Boys' and youths'.....			(Commodity coverage, 72.8 per cent)		
Women's.....			Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Misses' and children's.....			Batteries.....		
Infants'.....			Gasoline.....		
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
			Oils and greases.....		
			Repairs and service.....		
			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
			Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....		

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COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Filling stations—gasoline and oil: (Commodity coverage, 16.7 per cent)			Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories—Continued.		
Gasoline.....	87.5	87.5	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	3.2	0.3
Oils and greases.....	12.5	12.5	Linens.....	7.5	.1
Filling stations with tires and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 8.6 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .4	.4
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	2.3	1.7	Notions and small wares.....	3.0	.2
Batteries.....	1.5	.5	Shoes and other footwear—		
Gasoline.....	73.9	73.9	Women's.....	20.5	1.9
Oils and greases.....	10.4	10.4	Misses' and children's.....	9.2	.2
Repairs and service.....	4.3	3.5	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.2	.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	14.7	10.0	Children's specialty shops: (Commodity coverage, 13.8 per cent)		
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 8.6 per cent)			Apparel and accessories, misses', children's—		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	12.2	8.4	Children's wear.....	29.1	29.1
Batteries.....	14.4	8.4	Millinery.....	2.0	1.4
Gasoline.....	38.7	34.8	Hosiery.....	3.0	2.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 7.0	11.7	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	5.0	3.0
Oils and greases.....	.6	6.3	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	1.0	.7
Radio parts and accessories.....	1.9	.2	Other apparel.....	3.0	2.2
Radio sets.....	14.9	14.9	Clothing and furnishings, boys'—		
Repairs and service.....	36.5	7.8	Suits.....	20.0	14.5
Storage.....	11.0	7.4	Overcoats.....	2.0	1.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....			Hats and caps.....	1.0	.7
			Furnishings.....	40.0	29.0
			Other clothing.....	21.0	15.2
			Men's shoe stores: (Commodity coverage, 13.1 per cent)		
			Furnishings, men's.....	1.2	.6
			Shoes, men's.....	99.4	99.4
			Women's shoe stores: (Commodity coverage, 56.1 per cent)		
			Hosiery.....	7.9	6.5
			Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	12.0	.3
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .6	.6
			Shoes and other footwear:		
			Women's.....	88.3	88.3
			Misses' and children's.....	11.2	4.0
			Infant's.....	1.0	.1
			Rubber and other footwear.....	1.2	.2
			Family shoe stores—(men's, women's, and children's): (Commodity coverage, 29.3 per cent)		
			Furnishings, men's.....	2.8	.1
			Hosiery, women's.....	6.3	1.2
			Leather goods, bill folds, gloves, and handbags.....	5.1	.4
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .2	.2
			Service.....	1.9	.1
			Shoes and other footwear—		
			Men's.....	29.7	29.7
			Boys' and youths'.....	5.9	2.6
			Women's.....	60.1	60.1
			Misses' and children's.....	3.2	5.1
			Infants'.....	1.5	.4
			Rubber and other footwear.....	1.3	.1
			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
			Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 50.3 per cent)		
			Appliances and supplies, gas.....	5.9	1.1
			Furniture—		
			Bedroom.....	18.2	18.2
			Living room, library, and hall.....	20.6	20.6
			Dining room.....	12.4	12.4
			Kitchen.....	6.4	6.4
			Other household.....	11.0	9.3
			Office and store.....	11.6	.3
			Home furnishings.....	21.8	21.8
			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	2.6	
			Floor coverings.....	8.4	
			Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	3.7	
			China, glassware, crockery.....	.4	
			Kitchen utensils.....	.4	
			Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.6	
			Other home furnishings.....	5.7	
			Household heating appliances—portable electric.....	2.0	.4
			Lighting equipment, electric.....	4.0	.7
			Luggage.....	4.6	.1
			Office and store equipment.....	8.9	.3
			Pianos and accessories.....	10.1	.7
			Phonographs and records.....	2.0	.2
			Radio sets.....	13.0	2.5
			Second hand furniture.....	11.4	2.1
			Second hand goods, other.....	10.0	.1
			Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	5.9	2.5
			Toys and games.....	3.6	.3
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 46.1 per cent)					
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—					
Custom tailoring.....	20.2	5.4			
Children's wear.....	3.3	.9			
Millinery.....	7.7	4.0			
Hosiery.....	8.6	5.8			
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	71.5	71.5			
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	9.6	6.1			
Other apparel, except furs.....	9.4	2.4			
Furs and fur goods.....	.3	.1			
Infants' wear.....	2.0	.1			
Gift merchandise.....	7.3	.2			
Jewelry (costume).....	1.5	.2			

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued		
Furniture and hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 13.3 per cent)			Radio and electrical shops: (Commodity coverage, 26.4 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Appliances and supplies (electrical)—		
Household appliances, motor driven.....	1.1	1.1	Household appliances, motor driven.....	11.3	4.2
Household heating appliances, portable.....	1.7	1.7	Household heating appliances—portable.....	4.9	1.1
Incandescent lamps.....	1.7	1.7	Lighting equipment.....	17.0	3.3
Building materials—			Incandescent lamps.....	5.0	2.1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	4.1	1.1	Construction materials.....	35.2	13.2
Building stone.....	2.1	1.1	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	2.0	1.1
Lime, plaster, etc.....	1.6	.6	Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	4.0	.8
Roofing materials.....	8.3	4.5	Other appliances.....	8.0	1.6
Wall boards.....	3.2	.6	Automotive parts and accessories.....	40.0	26.8
Cameras.....	2.0	.6	Radio parts and accessories.....	1.1	1.1
Clocks.....	3.0	.6	Radio sets.....	36.2	36.2
Furniture—			Service.....	28.0	10.5
Bedroom.....	9.1	9.1	Radio and musical instruments stores:		
Living room, library, and hall.....	4.6	4.6	(Commodity coverage, 55.2 per cent)		
Dining room.....	2.3	2.3	Cameras and photographic supplies.....	7.1	.5
Kitchen.....	2.3	2.3	Musical instruments and accessories—		
Other household.....	9.3	9.3	Pianos and accessories.....	42.0	38.9
Office and store furniture.....	.5	.5	Phonographs and records.....	22.8	22.3
Hardware—			Stringed and band instruments.....	4.7	4.6
Builders' and shelf.....	8.5	8.5	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	3.9	3.0
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	2.8	2.8	Musical instruments and accessories.....	4.3	1.6
Other hardware.....	4.6	4.6	Radio parts and accessories.....	3.6	3.6
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	.6	.6	Radio sets.....	22.2	22.2
Home furnishings—			Service.....	7.4	3.3
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	.9	.9	RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES		
Floor coverings.....	7.8	7.8	Cafeterias:		
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	2.3	2.3	(Commodity coverage, 15 per cent)		
China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.8	2.8	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.3	2.3
Kitchen utensils.....	2.8	2.8	Receipts from sale of meals.....	97.7	97.7
Luggage.....	9.7	6.7	Lunch rooms:		
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies—			(Commodity coverage, 7 per cent)		
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	5.7	5.7	Bottled beverages.....	4.6	2.3
Glass.....	.6	.6	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	5.2	5.2
Painters' supplies.....	1.9	.6	Confectionery and nuts.....	2.4	1.0
Plated silverware.....	1.9	.6	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	4.2	1.7
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.3	2.3	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	7.3	.3
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	6.1	6.1	Groceries.....	2.0	.8
Stoves and ranges, gas.....	1.1	1.1	Magazines and newspapers.....	2.6	.2
Toys and games.....	.6	.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .9	.9
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	.6	.6	Receipts from sale of meals.....	87.0	87.0
Household appliances stores (electrical):			Restaurants (with table service):		
(Commodity coverage, 27.4 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 16.2 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Bakery products, fresh.....	1.8	.1
Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	14.4	14.4	Bottled beverages.....	4.1	.6
Household heating appliances—portable.....	16.9	16.9	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	5.8	3.5
Lighting equipment.....	1.4	.7	Confectionery and nuts.....	5.0	.5
Incandescent lamps.....	5.7	5.6	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	12.3	.5
Commercial and industrial appliances.....	5.3	2.0	Milk and cream.....	1.8	.1
Construction materials.....	10.1	.1	Receipts from sale of meals.....	94.7	94.7
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	24.9	24.3	Lunch counters:		
Other appliances.....	5.2	4.7	(Commodity coverage, 6.1 per cent)		
Radio sets and equipment.....	6.8	4.0	Bottled beverages.....	12.4	5.0
Refrigerators.....	26.6	26.0	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.1	8.0
Service.....	3.3	1.3	Confectionery and nuts.....	2.3	.9
Household appliance stores:			Fountain sales and ice cream.....	11.0	4.6
(Commodity coverage, 35.7 per cent)			Other nonfood products.....	(x) .2	.2
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Receipts from sale of meals.....	81.3	81.3
Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	18.6	2.7	LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP		
Household heating appliances—portable.....	8.2	1.7	Lumber and building material dealers:		
Incandescent lamps.....	12.5	2.5	(Commodity coverage, 49.7 per cent)		
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	13.6	2.8	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	1.7	.4
Other appliances.....	4.0	.8	Building materials—		
Appliances and supplies, gas—			Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	7.7	3.9
Stoves and ranges.....	44.5	44.5	Building stone.....	2.0	.1
Water heaters.....	19.0	19.0	Cement.....	14.1	7.7
Other appliances, except refrigerators.....	17.3	17.3	Lime, plaster, etc.....	7.0	3.0
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	12.3	8.7	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	64.6	36.8
Refrigerator dealers (electric):			Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	30.2	25.2
(Commodity coverage, 52.8 per cent)			Wood shingles and shakes.....	2.5	.5
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	7.3	5.0
Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	.7	.2	Structural steel (at retail).....	4.2	.3
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.3	.1	Iron and other building metal.....	15.5	3.2
Lighting equipment.....	4.9	2.2	Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	.8	.2
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	2.4	.5	Wall boards (except wood base).....	2.2	1.0
Other appliances.....	2.9	.5	Other building materials.....	21.1	8.2
Refrigerators, electric.....	91.6	91.6	Fertilizers.....	14.7	.4
Secondhand goods.....	2.2	.4	Fuel.....	33.8	.5
Service.....	9.9	4.5	Gasoline.....	2.8	.1
Interior decorators:			Grain and feed.....	26.0	.1
(Commodity coverage, 44.7 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 1.4	1.4
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	3.4	2.3	Oils and greases.....	1.2	.1
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	85.7	85.7	Painters' supplies.....	1.7	.1
Service.....	13.4	12.0	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	6.3	1.0

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LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Lumber and hardware dealers: (Commodity coverage, 11.8 per cent)			Hardware stores—Continued.		
Builders' and shelf hardware.....	9.1	9.1	Home furnishings.....		
Building materials—			Floor coverings.....	1.8	0.1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	1.8	.6	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.7	.9
Building stone.....	1.0	.1	Kitchen utensils.....	5.4	2.7
Cement.....	2.7	1.0	Leather goods.....	4	.1
Lime, plaster, etc.....	3.4	1.2	Luggage.....	1.9	.1
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	43.5	43.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	2.9
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	22.2	18.9	Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	.8	.1
Wood shingles and shakes.....	7	1	Paints, varnishes, glass and painters' supplies:		
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	10.1	10.1	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	18.2	18.2
Structural steel (at retail).....	3.1	.5	Glass.....	1.2	.7
Iron and other building metal.....	3.1	.5	Painters' supplies.....	1.7	1.3
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	1.2	.4	Radio parts and accessories.....	.5	.1
Wall boards (except wood base).....	2.9	2.9	Radio sets.....	5.2	1.3
Other building materials.....	7.5	2.5	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	1.8	.7
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	2.5	.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	10.8	1.0
Grain and feed.....	2.9	.4	Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	6.9	4.5
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies—			Stoves, ranges, gas.....	1.0	.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	0.4	6.0	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	7.5	3.5
Glass.....	5.1	.8	Toys and games.....	2.6	.7
Painters' supplies.....	3.1	.5	Wall paper.....	.6	.1
Electrical shops (without radio): (Commodity coverage, 19.4 per cent)			Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer): (Commodity coverage, 21.2 per cent)		
Commercial and industrial appliances.....	32.2	10.7	Builders' and shelf hardware.....	1.5	.8
Construction materials.....	59.7	59.7	Canned goods.....	1.4	.3
Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	48.0	20.0	Chemicals.....	1.8	.1
Household appliances, motor driven.....	3.7	.8	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	35.4	13.4
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.9	.2	Farm machinery.....	1.4	.4
Incandescent lamps.....	3.5	3.5	Fertilizers.....	8.3	3.1
Lighting equipment.....	9.6	4.6	Flour.....	11.4	1.5
Other appliances.....	1.6	.4	Grain and feed.....	73.0	73.4
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	.6	.1	Hay, straw, alfalfa.....	5.7	4.9
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating: (Commodity coverage, 10.3 per cent)			Lime, plaster, etc.....	.3	.0
Appliances and supplies, gas—			Other hardware.....	.9	.1
Stoves and ranges.....	4.0	1.7	Roofing materials.....	5.0	.1
Water heaters.....	4.3	2.8	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	5.7	1.4
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	92.5	92.5	Sugar.....	6.5	.5
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.8	.1	Feed stores, with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 6.0 per cent)		
Service.....	5.0	1.2	Bakery products, fresh.....	2.7	1.1
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	4.0	1.7	Bottled beverages.....	2.8	.5
Paint and glass stores: (Commodity coverage, 37.2 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts.....	.9	.6
Glass.....	15.2	7.8	Fertilizers.....	.9	.6
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	53.4	53.4	Fruits and vegetables.....	1.9	1.0
Painters' supplies.....	9.2	8.7	Fuel oil.....	.6	.4
Wall paper.....	3.2	.1	Grain and feed.....	49.0	40.0
OTHER RETAIL STORES			Groceries—		
Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 20.2 per cent)			Butter and cheese.....	4.6	4.6
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Eggs.....	1.8	1.8
Household appliances, motor driven, except refrigerators.....	1.4	.4	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	4.7	4.7
Household heating appliances—portable.....	1.3	.5	Flour.....	9.2	9.2
Lighting equipment.....	7.0	.6	Sugar.....	11.0	11.0
Incandescent lamps.....	.9	.4	Canned goods and other groceries.....	11.6	9.2
Construction materials.....	.9	.4	Meats, including poultry.....	9.1	1.8
Ranges, water heater, etc.....	.5	.1	Nonfood products—		
Other appliances.....	4.4	.6	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	2.7	2.7
Automobiles, parts and accessories:			Hardware.....	1.1	.2
Automotive parts and accessories, (except tires and tubes).....	1.0	.2	Household supplies.....	1.4	.3
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	2.4	.3	Stationery and school supplies.....	.7	.1
Boat parts and accessories.....	.6	.1	Cigar stands: (Commodity coverage, 10.0 per cent)		
Clocks.....	.2	.1	Bottled beverages.....	9.8	4.0
Building materials—			Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	71.0	71.0
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	7.0	.6	Confectionery and nuts.....	10.0	5.9
Cement.....	3.5	.3	Magazines and newspapers.....	13.6	5.6
Lime, plaster, etc.....	2.4	.4	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	10.5
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	2.5	.2	Smokers' supplies.....	5.0	3.0
Roofing materials.....	7.9	3.6	Cigar stores without fountains: (Commodity coverage, 5.4 per cent)		
Iron and other building metal.....	8.7	3.0	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	56.8	56.8
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	2.1	.2	Confectionery and nuts.....	14.2	12.2
Wall boards (except wood base).....	2.1	.2	Service.....	6.0	5.2
Farm and garden equipment and supplies—			Smokers' supplies.....	25.8	26.8
Farm machinery.....	1.8	.4	Ice dealers: (Commodity coverage, 73.2 per cent)		
Farm wagons.....	1.6	.2	Ice.....	97.4	97.4
Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	7.7	4.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.7
Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	4.0	1.5	Service.....	1.8	.8
Fertilizers.....	2.4	.8	Wood, coke and other fuel.....	1.2	.1
Hardware—			Drug stores: (Commodity coverage, 11.1 per cent)		
Builders' and shelf.....	21.1	21.1	Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	8.2	5.7
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	6.3	6.3	Confectionery and nuts.....	10.8	2.4
Other hardware.....	23.9	14.6	Drug, patent medicines, etc.....	55.0	55.0
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	3.7	.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	8.9
			Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	3.2	.4

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Drug stores—Continued.			Jewelry stores—Continued.		
Rubber goods.....	3.9	3.3	Leather goods.....	1.0	0.2
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	1.2	1	Luggage.....	29.4	1.3
Prescriptions.....	15.9	15.9	Service.....	3.8	.9
Toilet articles.....	8.4	7.9	Toilet articles.....	3.2	.2
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	5.7	5.4			
Drug stores with fountains:			Luggage and leather goods stores:		
(Commodity coverage, 13.0 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 25.5 per cent)		
Bottled beverages.....	1.1	.1	Jewelry.....	6.3	3.3
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco.....	15.2	12.3	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves and handbags.....	55.6	55.6
Confectionery and nuts.....	4.3	3.6	Luggage.....	41.1	41.1
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	23.0	23.0			
Fountain sales and ice cream, lunches.....	17.9	17.9	News dealers:		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	5.0	(Commodity coverage, 12.3 per cent)		
Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	1.8	1.4	Bottled beverages.....	9.1	2.2
Rubber goods.....	1.4	1.0	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	48.2	48.2
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	2.8	2.1	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	14.8	2.5
Prescriptions.....	9.1	9.1	Magazines and newspapers.....	29.2	29.2
Toilet articles.....	4.0	3.4	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	17.9
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	22.6	21.1			
Florists:			Office and school supplies:		
(Commodity coverage, 30.7 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 33.0 per cent)		
Fertilizers.....	.9	.2	Books.....	5.0	1.3
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	93.1	93.1	Office and store equipment.....	16.7	4.4
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	15.3	3.7	Office and store furniture.....	9.7	1.1
			Other stationery.....	73.0	73.0
Jewelry stores (installment credit):			Paper and paper goods.....	50.7	19.3
(Commodity coverage, 91.7 per cent)			Secondhand goods.....	3.3	.9
Art goods, gifts.....	3.3	.7			
China, glassware and crockery.....	0.6	4.5	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail):		
Jewelry, silverware, clocks—			(Commodity coverage, 72.0 per cent)		
Clocks.....	1.9	1.8	Office and store equipment—		
Watches.....	18.9	18.9	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	49.8	43.2
Diamond jewelry.....	28.2	28.2	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	8.2
Rings, other than diamond.....	6.4	6.4	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	37.6	15.9
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	4.3	4.3	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.6
Plated silverware.....	5.5	5.5	Service.....	17.1	16.5
Sterling silverware.....	7.7	7.7	Stationery.....	24.5	9.6
Other jewelry.....	9.4	9.4			
Leather goods.....	2.6	2.0	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers:		
Musical instruments and accessories.....	20.5	2.0	(Commodity coverage, 32.7 per cent)		
Optical goods.....	16.2	.6	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	37.3	18.0
Radio sets.....	18.1	1.8	Office and store equipment—		
Service.....	6.3	4.5	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	14.0	11.6
Surgical, dental, and hospital supplies.....	9.3	1.1	Typewriters and accessories.....	5.3	1.7
Toilet articles.....	3.0	.4	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	36.0	29.8
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.0	.2	Office and store furniture.....	45.6	37.7
			Optical goods.....	4.0	1.2
Jewelry stores:			Typewriter dealers:		
(Commodity coverage, 54.4 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 47.8 per cent)		
Art goods, gifts.....	5.0	.3	Service.....	3.1	3.1
China, glassware, and crockery.....	13.8	2.4	Typewriters and accessories.....	96.9	96.9
Jewelry, silverware, clocks—					
Clocks.....	2.9	2.7	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail:		
Watches.....	6.1	6.1	(Commodity coverage, 70.7 per cent)		
Diamond jewelry.....	69.4	69.4	Professional and scientific instruments and equipment.....	10.0	5.2
Rings, other than diamond.....	4.2	4.2	Surgical, dental, and hospital supplies.....	94.8	94.8
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	2.9	2.9			
Plated silverware.....	1.5	1.5			
Sterling silverware.....	3.1	2.4			
Other jewelry.....	7.9	5.5			

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TABLE 16.—JACKSONVILLE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold— see Table 22)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	2, 027	1, 835	7, 588	882	\$8, 813, 453	\$228, 125	\$8, 585, 308	\$10, 202, 470	\$85, 910, 363	100. 00
Food group	753	781	991	333	978, 781	53, 013	1, 141, 337	724, 370	14, 579, 697	22. 12
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	58	64	109	13	89, 570	2, 979	111, 066	28, 440	588, 563	. 89
Dairy products stores.....	10	16	30	22	43, 867	4, 557	26, 575	11, 200	397, 458	. 61
Delicatessen stores.....	7	10	22		18, 407		22, 314	9, 980	151, 302	. 23
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	19	21	5	4	4, 530	930	10, 736	6, 010	154, 319	. 23
Grocery stores (without meats).....	289	265	248	120	262, 929	18, 068	343, 243	282, 200	4, 612, 208	7. 00
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	269	301	404	144	416, 033	20, 717	470, 407	336, 520	6, 739, 016	10. 22
Meat markets with groceries.....	22	33	49	14	52, 454	2, 620	46, 084	20, 320	1, 050, 688	. 99
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods.....	15	15	15	4	6, 692	946	11, 873	810	86, 165	. 13
Meat markets.....	41	44	55	11	48, 667	1, 996	57, 647	22, 040	918, 518	1. 39
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	10	10	19		11, 782		8, 262	1, 180	82, 083	. 13
Other food stores.....	7	2	29	1	34, 500	200	24, 180	5, 610	199, 197	. 30
General stores (groceries with dry goods or apparel).....	21	28	9	8	8, 890	1, 824	15, 169	35, 230	257, 565	. 39
General merchandise group ¹	58	50	1, 045	88	957, 139	18, 410	1, 218, 177	1, 999, 890	8, 371, 618	12. 70
Department stores.....	4		715	44	671, 655	14, 547	797, 766	1, 369, 150	6, 413, 572	8. 22
Dry goods stores.....	17	21	36	7	30, 106	1, 445	64, 915	173, 540	409, 467	. 62
General merchandise stores:										
With food departments.....	8	7	23		32, 311		20, 781	21, 250	336, 028	. 51
Without food departments.....	12	13	20	3	37, 239	249	29, 534	124, 840	219, 460	. 33
Variety, 5-and-10 and 10-a-dollar stores.....	13	8	240	32	170, 127	2, 169	280, 250	201, 230	1, 820, 619	2. 77
Automotive group ¹	310	225	1, 335	46	1, 077, 234	14, 175	1, 643, 395	1, 832, 300	13, 389, 524	20. 31
Motor-vehicle dealers:										
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	19	3	503	1	732, 927	50	811, 152	734, 810	6, 643, 844	10. 08
Used car establishments.....	13	11	31	1	39, 390	75	37, 976	35, 000	603, 028	. 92
Accessories, tires, and batteries:										
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	10	6	36		30, 860		35, 117	123, 590	211, 549	. 32
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	12	10	28	6	44, 066	520	39, 177	44, 610	232, 453	. 35
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	21	5	171	2	207, 665	277	226, 849	201, 530	1, 573, 280	2. 39
Filling stations:										
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	71	26	154	6	145, 235	1, 541	137, 695	22, 160	1, 251, 185	1. 90
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	45	43	95	6	93, 880	6	93, 428	47, 190	811, 751	1. 41
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	27	29	25	3	22, 296	1, 345	22, 149	16, 190	304, 665	. 46
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	10	12	14	2	13, 120	105	12, 245	21, 210	93, 616	. 16
Garages and repair shops:										
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	11	12	53	3	70, 715	659	20, 855	15, 730	189, 599	. 29
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	66	66	200	16	224, 903	7, 089	189, 987	65, 420	1, 216, 676	1. 85
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	4	2	23		33, 247		21, 262	1, 310	114, 811	. 17
Apparel group	170	123	654	110	873, 135	22, 453	1, 187, 645	1, 676, 510	7, 169, 796	10. 88
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:										
Men's and boys' clothing stores, including hats and caps.....	5	4	12	1	15, 671	75	24, 854	29, 810	100, 994	. 15
Men's furnishings stores.....	6	6	6	1	7, 694	234	16, 282	31, 960	97, 082	. 15
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	21	16	77	5	157, 216	1, 455	177, 747	397, 750	1, 085, 951	1. 65
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	22	16	170	30	181, 693	6, 663	309, 435	354, 060	1, 763, 665	2. 67
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	27	18	117	25	164, 625	5, 481	225, 362	255, 160	1, 770, 342	2. 69
Women's accessories stores:										
Corsets and lingerie shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Hosiery shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores.....	16	7	68	4	89, 554	474	111, 415	38, 100	618, 323	. 79
Other apparel stores.....	19	20	29	4	31, 041	1, 493	33, 856	26, 380	182, 407	. 27
Shoe stores:										
Shoe stores—men's.....	4	2	5		8, 195		15, 307	21, 940	85, 282	. 13
Shoe stores—women's.....	9	7	32	15	42, 262	1, 720	57, 366	88, 490	312, 859	. 47
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	37	25	84	22	127, 378	3, 721	208, 212	421, 080	1, 146, 414	1. 74
Furniture and household group	94	69	814	25	1, 145, 772	6, 393	811, 830	1, 014, 350	4, 849, 953	7. 36
Furniture stores.....	60	38	614	9	834, 546	1, 258	582, 371	790, 030	3, 728, 815	5. 66
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Household appliances stores.....	5	1	59		86, 899		39, 233	43, 490	219, 137	. 33
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	11	9	53	6	59, 781	2, 504	52, 775	21, 460	209, 164	. 32
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	10	14	46	7	86, 314	1, 031	45, 198	74, 130	294, 887	. 45
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6	3	38	1	73, 332	500	90, 818	84, 010	385, 110	. 58
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	189	214	897	61	588, 085	9, 955	543, 075	39, 440	3, 270, 502	4. 98
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms:										
Lunch rooms.....	85	103	253	8	166, 230	1, 783	167, 890	13, 590	1, 061, 935	1. 61
Restaurants with table service, including cafeterias.....	62	74	406	24	319, 407	6, 028	279, 360	18, 100	1, 651, 595	2. 50
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:										
Bar lunches.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Refreshment stands.....	2	5	23		18, 017		11, 852	610	61, 187	. 09
Fountain-lunches.....	6	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Lunch counters.....	28	26	93	28	62, 228	2, 102	61, 756	4, 090	346, 477	. 63
Soft-drink stands.....	5	5	6	1	6, 724	42	9, 612	890	59, 425	. 09

¹This total includes 1 classification in which the total is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed

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TABLE 16.—JACKSONVILLE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total full time and part time	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Lumber and building group.....	46	30	321	15	\$611,965	\$9,318	\$257,359	\$385,890	\$2,323,987	3.53
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	17	(x) 12	(x) 161	(x) 7	243,702	2,074	135,527	212,710	1,312,576	1.99
Lumber and hardware.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	6		53		106,801		24,107	46,530	195,668	.80
Heating and plumbing shops.....	7		37		62,068		54,623	14,880	170,410	.27
Paint and glass stores.....	14		39	8	54,026	6,244	25,120	80,280	444,616	.67
Other retail stores.....	559	287	1,420	191	2,012,443	89,968	1,684,600	2,827,420	11,212,533	17.01
Hardware stores.....	13	11	26	4	29,783	1,419	28,109	89,600	260,158	.39
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	4	2	31		55,123		43,388	94,840	935,244	1.42
Fertilizer stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Harness shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	5	4	10	4	12,719	75	8,592	13,710	86,395	.13
Feed stores with groceries.....	10	7	9	3	10,190	548	8,053	16,930	239,836	.36
Bookstores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stores with fountains.....	4	9	14		12,970		23,524	7,270	95,386	.15
Cigar stores.....	19	19	13	3	11,717	724	14,479	3,970	119,162	.18
Cigar stands.....	19	19	20	5	26,698	1,860	35,468	18,650	232,817	.35
Cigar stores without fountains.....	17	11	69	88	134,798	61,478	79,814	30,300	513,624	.78
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	19									
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	24	23	72	4	102,154	752	61,030	187,770	737,130	1.12
Drug stores with fountains.....	92	64	353	19	365,302	0,313	349,598	378,360	2,720,917	4.13
Florists.....	7	8	33		44,993		38,479	26,840	191,313	.29
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	2	10	7		8,154		20,947	53,690	75,504	.11
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Jewelry stores:										
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	4	1	56	4	86,025	1,322	108,530	173,570	436,636	.66
Jewelry stores.....	25	22	88	7	140,424	1,105	178,720	842,480	765,117	1.16
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	4	6	2		1,272		4,348	3,190	11,223	.02
News dealers.....	5	1	33		20,116		38,528	11,010	160,899	.24
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	4	2	15		20,691		17,965	23,240	70,564	.12
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	7		55	1	82,677	13	37,100	53,140	266,250	.40
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	6	2	22	2	33,958	500	38,506	67,930	186,647	.25
Store fixture dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Typewriter dealers.....	3		35		75,516		38,868	33,980	104,504	.80
Opticians and optometrists.....	6	5	11	1	17,929	78	24,528	30,550	76,054	.12
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Stationers and printers.....	5	4	207	3	401,623	417	208,483	400,230	1,245,416	1.89
Monuments and tombstones.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications, (combined).....	52	54	210	39	270,841	11,878	194,692	161,030	1,243,247	1.89
Secondhand stores.....	29	30	50	7	60,049	1,618	51,779	167,070	485,193	.74

TABLE 17.—JACKSONVILLE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	2,027	1,235	7,536	882	\$8,813,453	\$228,125	\$9,532,306	\$10,202,470	\$65,910,353	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,610	1,775	4,922	581	5,705,484	182,449	5,415,217	6,825,940	43,043,623	66.67
2-store independents.....	83	60	328	37	443,131	6,441	338,882	438,020	2,396,527	3.64
3-store independents.....	22	0	155	11	218,085	2,286	176,091	631,470	1,413,880	2.15
Local chains.....	78	4	226	55	232,436	8,241	232,826	346,510	2,341,305	3.55
Sectional chains.....	96		518	12	623,782	1,609	731,609	505,180	5,073,201	7.70
National chains.....	109		919	181	979,768	24,469	1,289,468	1,207,910	8,499,841	12.89
Other types of operation:										
Direct-selling (house-to-house).....	5		254		204,698		63,192	36,460	665,430	1.01
Leased-department chains.....	12		86	5	125,748	630	170,133	89,079	765,925	1.16
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	12		128		219,421		114,888	122,410	810,561	1.23

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TABLE 18.—JACKSONVILLE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	4	2				2	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,413,572	(x)				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)				(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	13	8				5	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,828,619	\$60,166				\$1,766,463	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	3.29				96.71	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	32	25	6			1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,284,027	\$1,106,647	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.13	(x)			(x)	
Clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	22	13	1	3		5	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,763,565	\$1,433,166	(x)	(x)		\$296,376	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	81.27	(x)	(x)		16.80	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty shops—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	27	17	2		1	5	2
Annual net sales.....	\$1,770,342	\$921,859	(x)		(x)	\$537,357	\$207,272
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.07	(x)		(x)	30.35	15.10
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	50	28	8	3	1	8	2
Annual net sales.....	\$1,544,535	\$644,394	\$290,668	\$99,051	(x)	(x)	\$162,043
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	41.72	18.82	6.41	(x)	(x)	10.55
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	60	43	7	1	8		1
Annual net sales.....	\$3,728,815	\$2,223,465	\$302,373	(x)	\$696,972		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.63	8.11	(x)	18.69		(x)
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	16	13	1	1		1	
Annual net sales.....	\$680,997	\$351,239	(x)	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	51.63	(x)	(x)		(x)	
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	289	212		36	16	25	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,012,208	\$1,497,710		\$1,454,675	\$594,102	\$1,065,715	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	32.47		31.54	12.88	23.11	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	291	268	9		14	10	
Annual net sales.....	\$7,338,704	\$5,031,730	\$333,308		\$1,107,833	\$866,833	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.09	6.19		14.99	11.73	
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	147	143			3	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,713,530	\$2,431,018			(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.59			(x)	(x)	
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	40	30	7		1	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$447,365	\$193,383	\$149,099		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	43.22	33.33		(x)	(x)	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	143	85	2	11	25	20	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,437,601	\$1,492,185	(x)	(x)	\$479,634	\$303,585	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	60.99	(x)	(x)	19.23	12.20	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	19	12	7				
Annual net sales.....	\$513,624	\$462,824	\$50,800				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.11	9.89				
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	116	73	12	12	16	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,458,047	\$1,850,395	\$220,706	\$122,751	\$975,938	\$288,207	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.51	6.38	3.55	28.22	8.34	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	13	13					
Annual net sales.....	\$260,158	\$260,158					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	29	28	2	1			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,201,753	\$625,803	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.07	(x)	(x)			

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TABLE 19.—JACKSONVILLE—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	More than 80 per cent credit
Total, all stores reporting: 1												
Number of stores.....	1,718		1,070	106	62	50	51	77	54	54	51	148
Per cent of total stores.....	100.00		62.28	6.17	3.61	2.91	2.97	4.48	3.14	3.14	2.97	8.33
Amount of net sales.....		\$57,967	\$26,191	\$1,686	\$1,923	\$1,390	\$2,523	\$6,354	\$1,506	\$5,117	\$2,467	\$8,810
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00	45.18	2.91	3.32	2.40	4.35	10.96	2.60	8.83	4.25	15.20
Food group:												
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	51	\$496	\$370	\$117	\$8			\$1				\$131
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	3	163	32									
Delicatessen stores.....	7	162	93	14	40	\$5			\$16			
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	16	133	117									
Grocery stores (without meats).....	260	4,326	3,581	92	78	66	\$95	119	51	\$95	\$76	73
Combination stores (groceries and meats)—												
Grocery stores with meats.....	251	6,388	3,653	271	116	747	100	347	341	188	236	359
Meat markets with groceries.....	18	482	244		63	45	74		34	13		
Meat markets (including sea foods)—												
Fish markets.....	12	69	21	31				7				9
Meat markets.....	36	861	686	65	16	2		18		74		
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manu- facturing bakeries).....	8	60	54	5	1							
General merchandise group:												
Department stores without food departments.....	4	5,414	855		301		1,418	2,760				
Dry goods stores.....	15	406	344	57	3							
General merchandise stores—												
With food departments.....	8	336	46	231								59
Without food departments.....	10	132	86	24	8		10					4
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-and-a-dollar stores.....	12	1,816	1,808	5		3						
Automotive group:												
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	15	5,198	9		262			462	313	2,450	1,075	627
Accessories, tires, and batteries—												
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	7	189	137								33	19
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	16	1,225	455		112		96		66	206	149	51
Filling stations.....												
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	42	752	154	50	72	186	134	37	20		8	91
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	29	555	348	2		71		27	30		65	12
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	22	233	179	2	34		13			2	3	
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, acces- sories).....	48	850	403	53	44	75	46	75	16	181	7	
Apparel group:												
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores—												
Men's furnishings stores.....	6	97	68		29							
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	16	714	494	80			140					
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	22	1,764	306	21			16	1,155				266
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	20	1,203	971		193				48			81
Millinery stores.....	15	473	444			29						
Shoe stores—												
Shoe stores—men's.....	4	86	80	6								
Shoe stores—women's.....	7	239	209	30								
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	32	1,029	811		105		113					
Furniture and household group:												
Furniture stores.....	58	3,692	162			83	56			4	69	3,318
Radio and music stores—												
Radio and electrical shops.....	8	281	66			2			8	18	14	153
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6	386	40							12		334
Lumber and building group:												
Lumber and building material dealers.....	13	1,040	378	9			3			71		681
Electrical shops (without radio).....	5	170	60							20		90
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	3	78	48									30
Paint and glass stores.....	13	443	65	20			17	51	9		63	206
Other retail stores:												
Hardware stores.....	11	115	47				9	22	23		14	
Cigar stores without fountains.....	13	154	127	8			16	3				
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	13	464	42		83	6		216	92			25
Drug stores—												
Drug stores.....	20	664	534	49	3				78			
Drug stores with fountains.....	85	2,619	2,298	177	128	15	1					
Florists.....	5	183	36						85	20	42	
Jewelry stores—												
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	4	437								181	20	236
Jewelry stores.....	22	759	128	2					35	208	303	83
Music stores (without radio).....	4	12	10									2
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers—												
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	4	241									112	129
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	4	181					75					86

1 Not all stores have reported as to their credit activities, or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes stores in the city which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with table 16 except for 309 stores with sales of \$7,943,353 which failed to report credit information.

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TABLE 20.—JACKSONVILLE—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, ON OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment ²
Total	648	40.44	36.03	23.53	Apparel group—Continued.				
Food group³	274	54.76	45.24		Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	3	58.35	41.65	
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	11	93.93	6.07		Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	4	70.58	20.42	
Egg and poultry dealers.....	3	87.33	12.67		Furniture and household group³	68	6.49	25.34	68.17
Delicatessen stores.....	4	87.88	12.12		Furniture stores.....	51	5.54	22.70	71.75
Grocery stores (without meats).....	85	54.52	45.48		Radio and music stores:				
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					Radio and electrical shops.....	6	16.53	76.80	6.67
Grocery stores with meats.....	134	53.07	46.93		Radio and musical instruments stores.....	5	8.22	17.75	74.03
Meat markets with groceries.....	12	66.65	33.35		Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places³	24	82.25	11.75	
Meat markets (including sea foods):					Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms:				
Fish markets—sea foods.....	6	72.76	27.24		Lunch rooms.....	12	87.41	12.59	
Meat markets.....	11	63.09	36.01		Restaurants with table service.....	8	94.52	5.48	
General stores	9	55.37	44.63		Lumber and building group³	22	14.83	85.37	
General merchandise group³	18	60.63	32.53	6.84	Lumber and building material dealers.....	8	8.27	91.73	
Department stores without food departments.....	3	59.44	32.90	7.66	Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	9.58	90.42	
Dry goods stores.....	4	88.04	11.06		Paint and glass stores.....	8	29.01	70.99	
General merchandise stores:					Other retail stores³	91	36.60	62.77	10.63
With food departments.....	4	78.24	21.76		Hardware stores.....	5	46.95	53.05	
Without food departments.....	4	78.35	21.65		Cigar stores without fountains.....	3	72.54	27.46	
Automotive group³	115	39.00	18.75	42.25	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	6	50.20	49.80	
Motor-vehicle dealers:					Drug stores:				
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	14	35.35	8.20	56.45	Drug stores.....	5	60.03	33.97	
Used-car establishments, including trucks.....	11	10.93	6.09	82.98	Drug stores with fountains.....	11	89.07	10.93	
Accessories, tires and batteries:					Florists.....	3	33.96	66.04	
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	3	40.33	59.67		Jewelry stores:				
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	10	42.18	57.82		Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	4	22.43	3.68	78.89
Filling stations:					Jewelry stores.....	8	29.82	71.18	
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	20	71.05	28.05		Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:				
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	8	46.24	53.76		Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	4	11.16	77.81	11.03
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	5	79.16	20.84		Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	4	31.04	53.40	15.56
Bicycle shops	6	52.20	47.74		Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	19	32.03	64.17	3.80
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	22	60.77	39.23		Secondhand stores	7	82.35	17.65	
Apparel group³	22	52.79	35.01	12.20					
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	3	75.28	24.72						
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	8	42.35	38.33	19.32					

¹ Total sales of above stores are \$31,776,000.

² Installment sales include the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open account sales may include some installment business of these small stores. Some dealers do not report as installment sales those transactions handled through finance companies.

³ Group totals may include figures for stores which have been omitted from the detail to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 21.—JACKSONVILLE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total.....	6,301	\$2,614,227	Other stores in which meals are served.....	202	\$84,931
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	6,039	2,549,296	Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	33	5,912
Cafeterias.....	425	84,864	Delicatessen stores.....	72	15,352
Lunch rooms.....	2,494	830,790	Grocery stores (without meats).....	11	4,575
Restaurants with table service.....	2,877	1,445,514	Department stores without food departments.....	86	89,092
Lunch counters.....	313	188,128			

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair services	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair services	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	352	\$1,204,009	\$184,875	Automotive group—Continued.			
Automotive group.....	350	1,197,758	184,875	Filling stations with other merchandise.....	6	\$18,358	-----
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	145	453,488	46,116	Bicycles, motor cycles and supplies stores.....	31	2,590	-----
Used-car establishments.....	2	10,435	-----	Body, fender and paint shops.....	-----	135,147	-----
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	2	5,279	-----	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	99	318,453	\$93,037
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	12	67,412	-----	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	6	9,696	45,722
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	29	87,764	-----	Secondhand stores.....	2	6,256	-----
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	2	4,866	-----				
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	16	89,259	-----				

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total.....	\$619,491	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group.....	506	Other home furnishings and appliance stores.....	\$5,400
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	506	Radio and electrical shops.....	53,980
General merchandise group.....	35,632	Radio and musical instrument stores.....	11,413
Department stores without food departments.....	35,632	Lumber and building group.....	104,099
Automotive group.....	21,372	Electrical shops (without radio).....	60,733
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	11,200	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	35,830
Bicycles, motorcycles and supplies stores.....	10,172	Paint and glass stores.....	7,480
Apparel group.....	19,485	Other retail stores.....	358,214
Men's furnishings stores.....	9,100	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	15,542
Custom tailors.....	1,621	Jewelry stores.....	40,008
Shoe stores—men's.....	5,244	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	29,193
Family shoe stores—men's, women's and children's.....	3,520	Typewriter dealers.....	4,379
Furniture and household group.....	79,202	Printers and lithographers.....	3,288
Furniture stores.....	5,445	Miscellaneous classifications, (combined) ²	262,806
Household appliance stores (electric).....	2,964	Secondhand stores.....	981

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

² Includes cigar stores and cigar stands.

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TABLE 22.—JACKSONVILLE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 39.9 per cent)			Department stores—Continued. Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')..... 15.4 15.4		
Bakery products, fresh.....	15.5	15.5	Suits.....	5.6	
Bottled beverages.....	5.0	5.0	Overcoats.....	1.2	
Butter and cheese.....	8.0	8.0	Hats and caps.....	1.2	
Canned goods and other groceries.....	11.9	11.9	Furnishings.....	6.1	
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	49.7	49.7	Work clothing.....	4	
Milk and cream.....	9.9	9.9	Other clothing.....	.9	
Grocery stores (without meats): (Commodity coverage, 32.0 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts..... .8 .4		
Bakery products, fresh.....	9.9	9.9	Dry goods and notions—		
Bottled beverages.....	1.0	1.0	Cotton piece goods.....	2.8	2.8
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.0	1.0	Linen goods.....	2.2	2.2
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.0	1.9	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	2.7	2.7
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	20.0	8	Rayon piece goods.....	.9	.6
Fruits and vegetables.....	29.4	28.6	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.4	4.1
Groceries:			Notions and small wares..... 5.2 5.2		
Butter and cheese.....	7.4	7.4	Other dry goods.....	4.8	4.5
Eggs.....	5.4	5.4	Farm and garden equipment and supplies..... .8 .1		
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.3	1.3	Furniture—		
Flour.....	2.2	2.2	Bedroom.....	.7	.4
Sugar.....	3.3	3.3	Living room, library, and hall.....	1.0	.6
Canned goods and other groceries.....	32.0	32.0	Dining room.....	.4	.2
Milk and cream.....	3.3	3.3	Kitchen.....	.2	.1
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	1.9	Other household.....	.9	.5
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 17.9 per cent)			Furs and fur goods..... .2 .1		
Bakery products, fresh.....	6.0	2.4	Hardware.....	2.5	.2
Bottled beverages.....	1.9	.7	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	1.5	.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	3.1	1.0	Home furnishings—		
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	10.3	4.9	Draperies, upholstery and curtains.....	2.9	2.9
Fruits and vegetables.....	12.7	12.7	Floor coverings.....	2.3	1.0
Groceries:			Bedding, mattresses, springs..... 1.0 .8		
Butter and cheese.....	7.4	7.4	China, glassware and crockery.....	1.4	.8
Eggs.....	2.6	2.6	Kitchen utensils.....	.9	.5
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.2	2.2	Other home furnishings.....	5.9	3.0
Flour.....	1.2	1.2	Infants' wear.....	2.0	1.7
Sugar.....	2.6	2.6	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Canned goods and other groceries.....	35.2	35.2	Rings, other than diamond.....	.1	.1
Meats, including poultry.....	23.1	23.1	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	1.2	.3
Milk and cream.....	5.7	2.6	Plated silverware.....	.1	.1
Nonfood products:			Other jewelry..... 1.7 1.0		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.4	.5	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	1.7	1.0
Household supplies.....	.6	.2	Luggage.....	.6	.3
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.7	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 43.3 per cent)			Musical instruments and accessories—		
Bakery products, fresh.....	1.5	.3	Phonographs and records.....	1.0	.6
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	6.8	1.5	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	.4	.2
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	17.2	7.4	Other musical instruments and accessories.....	.2	.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	18.3	14.1	Paints, varnishes, glass and painters' supplies.....	1.5	.1
Groceries.....	22.0	22.0	Radio sets.....	1.3	.8
Meats, including poultry.....	54.4	54.4	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.4	.7
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.3	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.4	.2
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			Rubber goods..... .3 .2		
Department stores: (Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock..... 1.3 .1		
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.2	1.7	Service.....	1.3	.7
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Shoes and other footwear—		
Children's wear.....	.4	.2	Men's.....	.3	.2
Millinery.....	2.3	1.4	Boys' and youths'.....	.5	.4
Hosiery.....	7.2	7.2	Women's.....	5.0	5.0
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	8.4	5.6	Misses' and children's.....	2.4	1.8
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	5.5	4.6	Infants'.....	.5	.4
Other apparel, except furs.....	4.1	3.0	Rubber and other footwear.....	.5	.4
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment..... 1.9 1.1		
Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	.2	.1	Stationery, books, and magazines—		
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.1	.1	Books.....	.6	.3
Lighting equipment.....	.4	.2	Paper and paper goods.....	.5	.4
Incandescent lamps.....	.2	.1	Other stationery.....	.5	.3
Construction materials.....	.8	.1	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)..... 1.0 .6		
Other appliances.....	.5	.3	Toilet articles.....	1.3	1.0
Automotive parts and accessories—			Toiletries and cosmetics..... 2.7 2.1		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	3.1	.2	Toys and games..... 1.2 1.2		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.1	.6	Dry goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 61.9 per cent)		
			Coats, suits, and dresses.....	14.6	4.0
			Hosiery.....	1.3	1.3
			Notions and small wares.....	10.0	2.7
			Other apparel.....	23.3	6.3
			Piece goods.....	78.4	78.4
			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.3	7.3

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which reports sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the city. The percentages in this second column are applicable to the total sales shown in Table 16. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

An (x) indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

TABLE 22.—JACKSONVILLE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read not carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
General merchandise stores with food departments: (Commodity coverage, 79.7 per cent)			Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 82.3 per cent)		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's.....	12.2	12.2	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Bakery products, fresh.....	11.8	3.0	Children's wear.....	1.4	0.1
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, and smokers' supplies.....	5.0	7.7	Millinery.....	4.1	4.1
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	32.9	32.9	Hosiery.....	4.1	4.1
Suits.....	4.8		Coats, suits, and dresses.....	38.3	38.3
Overcoats.....	4.8		Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	3.5	3.5
Hats and caps.....	4.8		Other apparel.....	4.0	4.0
Furnishings.....	4.8		Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Work clothing.....	9.2		Suits.....	16.6	3.4
Other clothing.....	4.5		Overcoats.....	16.7	10.7
Dry goods and notions.....	10.0	1.4	Hats and caps.....	2.4	2.4
Groceries.....	40.6	40.6	Furnishings.....	14.4	14.4
Meats, including poultry.....	7.4	4.5	Other clothing.....	6.2	.8
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.7	Shoes and other footwear—		
Shoes and other footwear.....	10.1	4.0	Men's.....	2.6	2.0
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP			Women's.....	7.6	6.0
Automobile salesrooms: (Commodity coverage, 87.4 per cent)			Toys and games.....	7.1	.2
Automobiles, parts, and accessories—			Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 78.1 per cent)		
Passenger automobiles, new.....	48.3	40.3	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	81.7	81.7
Used passenger cars.....	18.1	15.1	Furs and fur goods.....	2.0	.1
Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	16.0	7.7	Hosiery.....	14.3	8.1
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	11.7	6.0	Linen goods.....	7.6	.4
Tractors.....	1.0	.2	Millinery.....	5.0	.1
Special-purpose vehicles, etc.....	3.5	.1	Notions and small wares.....	9.1	.4
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	11.4	10.8	Other apparel, except furs.....	2.1	1.1
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	3.1	.8	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	15.2	8.1
Passenger automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	20.7	10.1	Shoe stores—women's: (Commodity coverage, 57.6 per cent)		
Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	4.9	.9	Hosiery.....	4.3	3.4
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	.8	.1	Shoes, women's.....	96.6	96.6
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	.4	.1	Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 30.2 per cent)		
Batteries.....	.7	.4	Hosiery.....	4.3	1.3
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2	Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	1.4	.4
Repairs and service.....	7.1	6.4	Shoes and other footwear—		
Storage.....	8.5	.8	Men's.....	25.6	25.6
Used car establishments: (Commodity coverage, 90.0 per cent)			Boys' and youths'.....	9.9	3.8
Automotive parts and accessories.....	2.2	.9	Women's.....	64.6	64.6
Repairs and service.....	4.1	1.7	Misses' and children's.....	2.8	1.0
Used cars sold to dealers.....	20.2	1.0	Infants'.....	11.3	3.2
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	29.8	14.4	Rubber and other footwear.....	1.3	.3
Used passenger cars.....	92.2	82.0	FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
Tire shops (including tire repairs): (Commodity coverage, 84.2 per cent)			Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 80.0 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	5.0	2.1	Furniture—		
Batteries.....	7.5	4.2	Bedroom.....	16.3	16.3
Gasoline.....	21.0	21.0	Living room, library, and hall.....	17.7	17.7
Oils and greases.....	2.8	2.8	Dining room.....	11.4	11.4
Repairs and service.....	6.0	3.5	Kitchen.....	4.8	4.8
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	13.1	3.6	Other household.....	7.0	3.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	62.8	62.8	Home furnishings.....	40.2	34.3
Filling stations with tires and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 17.9 per cent)			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	2.9	
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.2	3.2	Floor coverings.....	12.7	
Batteries.....	2.5	2.5	Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	4.9	
Gasoline.....	54.6	54.6	Refrigerators, electric, and gas.....	.7	
Oils and greases.....	9.2	9.2	Other home furnishings.....	13.1	
Repairs and service.....	11.8	11.8	Household heating appliances—portable.....	2.0	.3
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	18.7	18.7	Lighting equipment, electric.....	2.0	.7
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 30.9 per cent)			Office and store equipment.....	6.9	.7
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	5.9	4.8	Photographs and records.....	1.0	.3
Batteries.....	24.0	13.0	Radio sets.....	13.5	5.6
Gasoline.....	37.9	37.9	Secondhand furniture.....	2.6	.3
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1	Stoves and ranges, gas.....	6.0	1.0
Oils and greases.....	8.5	8.5	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	7.3	4.0
Repairs and service.....	13.9	13.9	Toys and games.....	4.0	.4
Storage.....	36.5	14.0	Radio and musical instruments stores: (Commodity coverage, 81.6 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	10.8	7.8	Photographs and records.....	8.3	8.5
APPAREL GROUP			Pianos and accessories.....	47.1	47.1
Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 70.4 per cent)			Radio parts and accessories.....	3.8	3.8
Custom tailoring.....	1.6	.5	Radio sets.....	32.9	32.9
Furnishings.....	27.6	27.6	Service.....	6.1	2.5
Hats and caps.....	10.3	9.9	Sheet music, music hooks, etc.....	2.4	1.5
Other clothing.....	5.7	3.3	Stringed and band instruments.....	4.2	4.2
Overcoats.....	5.4	5.4	RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES		
Shoes, men's.....	10.6	3.8	Lunch rooms: (Commodity coverage, 11.8 per cent)		
Suits.....	49.4	49.4	Bottled beverages.....	4.3	4.3
Work clothing.....	1.0	.1	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	2.9	2.9
			Confectionery and nuts.....	2.4	2.4
			Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	6.1	4.2
			Groceries.....	4.0	2.0
			Receipts from sale of meals.....	84.2	84.2

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TABLE 22.—JACKSONVILLE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read not carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sale of all stores in same classification
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Restaurants with table service: (Commodity coverage, 24.2 per cent)			Drug stores with fountains: (Commodity coverage, 43.6 per cent)		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.3	3.3	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	16.7	16.7
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	1.3	.2	Confectionery and nuts.....	5.4	4.4
Receipts from sale of meals.....	96.5	96.5	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	22.5	22.5
Lunch counters: (Commodity coverage, 23.3 per cent)			Fountain sales and ice cream, lunches.....	19.1	19.1
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	4.5	4.5	Prescriptions.....	10.5	10.5
Receipts from sale of meals.....	95.5	95.5	Rubber goods.....	1.3	1.1
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	1.7	1.5
Lumber and building material dealers: (Commodity coverage, 82.3 per cent)			Surgical and hospital supplies.....	3.6	3.0
Building materials—			Toilet articles.....	5.6	5.6
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	6.7	4.0	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	15.6	15.6
Building stone.....	2.0	.1	Florists: (Commodity coverage, 44.4 per cent)		
Cement.....	4.5	3.0	Fertilizers.....	.9	.9
Lime, plaster, etc.....	4.1	2.7	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	83.8	83.8
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	68.5	53.2	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	15.3	15.3
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	45.9	19.5	Jewelry stores (installment credit): (Commodity coverage, 95.5 per cent)		
Wood shingles and shakes.....	.9	.2	China, glassware, and crockery.....	6.0	3.4
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	9.1	5.3	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Iron and other building metal.....	(x)	7.2	Clocks.....	1.9	1.8
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	.9	.2	Watches.....	21.0	21.0
Wall boards (except wood base).....	1.7	.8	Diamond jewelry.....	33.9	33.9
Other building materials.....	3.4	2	Rings, other than diamond.....	7.0	7.0
Fuel.....	39.8	2.6	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	4.7	4.7
Hardware.....	5.3	1.0	Plated silverware.....	6.0	6.0
Paint and glass stores: (Commodity coverage, 55.3 per cent)			Sterling silverware.....	7.9	7.9
Glass.....	10.0	6.1	Other jewelry.....	7.2	7.2
Painters' supplies.....	10.4	9.1	Leather goods.....	3.0	1.7
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	84.8	84.8	Optical goods.....	16.2	1.2
OTHER RETAIL STORES			Service.....	6.6	4.2
Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 51.4 per cent)			Jewelry stores: (Commodity coverage, 66.8 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Art goods, gifts.....	5.0	2.0
Household heating appliances—portable.....	1.4	1.1	China, glassware, and crockery.....	14.6	14.6
Incandescent lamps.....	1.9	1.5	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Construction materials.....	1.4	1.1	Clocks.....	4.7	4.7
Builders' and shelf hardware.....	22.4	22.4	Watches.....	2.5	2.5
China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.0	3.0	Diamond jewelry.....	61.8	61.8
Glass.....	3.0	3.0	Rings, other than diamond.....	3.8	3.8
Kitchen utensils.....	1.5	1.5	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	1.7	1.7
Lime, plaster, etc.....	1.4	1.1	Sterling silverware.....	6.2	6.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	17.2	Other jewelry.....	1.9	1.9
Other hardware.....	10.4	10.4	Leather goods.....	.8	.8
Painters' supplies.....	1.4	1.4	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail): (Commodity coverage, 76.2 per cent)		
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	6.7	6.7	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	51.3	50.6
Roofing materials.....	22.4	18.4	Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.7
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	11.2	11.2	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	34.5	15.5
Drug stores: (Commodity coverage, 59.8 per cent)			Service.....	12.4	12.3
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	7.2	7.2	Stationery.....	24.5	10.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	15.3	2.7	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	0.2
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	57.7	57.7	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers: (Commodity coverage, 69.9 per cent)		
Other merchandise.....	(x)	1.5	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	4.0	2.6
Prescriptions.....	8.9	8.9	Office and store furniture.....	80.0	51.5
Rubber goods.....	3.8	3.8	Optical goods.....	4.0	2.6
Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	3.2	.5	Other office and store equipment.....	39.9	39.9
Surgical and hospital supplies.....	14.1	2.5	Typewriters and accessories.....	5.3	3.4
Toilet articles.....	9.5	9.5	Typewriter dealers: (Commodity coverage, 73.6 per cent)		
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	5.7	5.7	Typewriters and accessories.....	96.9	96.9
			Service.....	3.1	3.1

CENSUS OF DISTRIBUTION

TABLE 23.—MIAMI—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

(An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals)

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	2,286	1,999	6,618	912	\$8,228,674	\$217,837	\$9,010,998	\$9,956,250	\$72,804,115	100.00
Food group ¹	682	637	751	288	1,039,122	62,355	1,121,766	710,120	14,936,493	20.52
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)	80	84	39	12	26,258	1,089	67,456	27,780	444,192	.61
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream)	4	2	4	3	1,170	75	2,095	800	31,975	.04
Egg and poultry dealers	12	15	5	2	4,376	775	10,262	2,430	73,110	.10
Milk dealers ²	3	2	16		29,388		43,426	2,770	260,107	.36
Delicatessen stores	8	6	15	1	18,320	250	16,277	6,930	249,360	.33
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	49	51	35	16	49,351	3,305	77,012	12,980	529,310	.73
Grocery stores (without meats)	190	177	80	43	114,065	10,065	192,017	153,000	2,633,457	3.56
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats	206	180	360	160	552,444	36,909	449,098	420,950	8,178,225	11.23
Meat markets with groceries	30	23	80	15	123,895	2,738	99,352	52,000	1,230,938	1.69
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods	42	44	26	4	23,701	1,120	35,063	3,930	277,518	.38
Meat markets	25	22	42	9	56,758	4,080	76,933	10,200	760,412	1.05
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries)	25	23	35	3	22,324	459	23,072	3,240	136,142	.19
Other food stores	6	6	14		17,072		19,068	12,080	168,421	.23
General merchandise group	54	41	1,094	85	1,289,131	8,406	1,450,615	1,615,700	9,838,946	13.24
Department stores	4		744	47	1,036,375	4,500	1,055,610	1,058,900	6,600,957	9.15
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:										
Dry goods stores	27	26	39	9	42,205	1,970	84,880	175,020	706,108	.97
Piece goods stores	3	2	10		5,724		5,128	12,050	61,418	.08
General merchandise stores (including 2 general stores)	14	11	37	2	20,025	400	24,380	138,730	256,053	.36
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores	6	2	264	30	184,742	1,596	280,608	231,000	1,951,350	2.68
Automotive group	469	332	1,306	93	1,767,922	32,885	1,820,199	1,432,470	17,144,112	23.55
Motor-vehicle dealers:										
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in	27	6	535	13	884,161	9,200	1,018,331	964,200	9,891,504	13.59
Used car establishments	23	22	43	5	38,043	710	69,755	98,200	527,988	.73
Accessories, tires, and batteries:										
Accessory stores with tires and batteries	9	5	71	5	63,240	1,738	49,340	67,500	372,900	.51
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops	17	21	16	2	22,624	540	27,587	15,210	136,076	.19
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	17	9	156	1	197,838	575	154,749	85,510	1,363,379	1.87
Filling stations:										
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	119	77	129	10	127,471	2,918	162,096	27,630	1,599,461	2.20
Filling stations with tires and accessories	89	70	146	9	143,504	2,324	167,684	91,200	1,811,013	2.49
Filling stations with other merchandise	34	33	28	3	23,863	830	20,820	11,470	454,938	.62
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies	6	6	4	6	6,610	890	9,929	15,580	80,293	.11
Garages and repair shops:										
Body, fender, and paint shops	29	33	55	3	82,985	848	31,323	14,420	229,777	.32
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)	86	88	111	33	159,564	11,762	104,897	33,820	553,086	.76
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radiator shops (including repairs)	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes)	4	3	5	3	8,474	350	8,764	6,830	81,617	.11
Apparel group	221	153	456	107	670,658	22,290	1,092,864	1,515,000	8,269,374	8.61
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:										
Men's furnishings stores (including hats)	31	29	23	10	39,399	1,920	72,947	149,010	440,638	.61
Men's clothing and furnishings stores	15	6	67	8	107,782	1,860	214,675	381,320	1,262,777	1.74
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's	20	16	28	11	46,883	2,745	73,460	103,340	464,362	.62
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories	60	45	138	28	167,755	6,984	304,197	302,820	1,900,830	2.62
Corset and lingerie shops	7	6	8		4,265		16,175	21,120	81,072	.11
Hosiery shops	6	5	10	1	42,137	170	18,707	13,930	154,849	.21
Knit goods shops	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores	23	17	55	14	66,266	3,399	88,966	54,910	388,107	.53
Costume accessories stores, including jewelry, bags, and gloves	5	5	6	1	3,944	156	12,048	10,250	20,186	.04
Umbrella shops, including parasols, canes	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other apparel stores:										
Children's specialty shops	5	4	9	3	9,697	472	23,510	50,300	119,051	.16
Customs tailors	14	11	22	1	24,050	360	19,786	7,950	104,566	.14
Dressmakers	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Infants' wear shops	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Shoe stores	36	8	77	30	146,492	4,224	232,249	404,770	1,228,732	1.69
Furniture and household group	96	66	435	61	633,470	16,554	552,164	676,370	3,740,045	5.14
Furniture stores	26	12	168	6	252,003	1,313	221,936	452,410	1,643,022	2.29
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:										
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores	6	8	7	19	7,906	2,100	3,787	960	20,070	.08
Floor covering stores	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Household appliance stores:										
Household appliance stores (electrical)	9	4	77	2	125,031	700	75,693	50,310	447,966	.61
Household appliance stores	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Refrigerator dealers—electric only	3		35		46,462		45,943	63,070	412,004	.57
Refrigerator dealers—electric and gas	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 23.—MIAMI—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

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KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (Includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Furniture and household group—Continued.										
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:										
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Picture and framing stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Antique shops.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	6	6	16		\$12,642		\$13,539	\$26,000	\$99,073	0.14
Interior decorators.....	8	7	23	25	42,009	\$9,695	22,423	34,940	156,920	.21
Lamp and shade shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	18	19	47	2	57,022	766	52,981	72,890	411,671	.57
Radio and musical instrument stores.....	8	2	49	2	54,712	700	77,934	105,650	338,773	.46
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	388	337	1,040	128	714,935	27,672	740,607	65,660	4,407,098	6.05
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:										
Cafeterias.....	5	4	40	7	35,000	2,300	30,425	850	177,094	.24
Lunch rooms.....	61	61	132	16	91,305	2,916	96,069	16,355	605,448	.83
Restaurants with table service.....	129	128	662	62	450,132	15,816	417,512	23,360	2,515,969	3.46
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:										
Refreshment stands.....	43	42	17	11	14,568	2,093	41,977	5,410	265,357	.36
Fountain—lunches.....	19	17	44	11	28,800	2,300	39,228	8,370	199,484	.27
Lunch counters.....	51	54	127	13	76,090	1,627	91,343	7,040	550,970	.70
Soft-drink stands.....	30	31	18	3	9,440	620	24,053	3,710	92,774	.13
Lumber and building group.....	75	53	389	53	551,813	17,563	568,430	879,090	4,058,890	5.57
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	21	4	213	37	292,082	13,218	424,952	606,650	2,664,563	3.60
Lumber and hardware.....	5	1	31	3	51,145	545	42,042	95,840	226,390	.31
Roofing.....	4	2	22	1	29,079	400	16,953	25,750	157,788	.22
Dealers in any other single building material.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	10	9	39	1	67,588	287	17,411	20,710	182,871	.26
Heating and plumbing shops:										
Heating and appliances and oil burners.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Plumbing shops—hearing and ventilating.....	17	15	57	7	79,174	2,514	47,442	49,590	362,703	.50
Paint and glass stores:										
Glass and mirror shops.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Paint and glass stores.....	14	16	20	1	25,085	285	27,787	73,390	390,970	.54
Other retail stores.....	411	298	1,075	100	1,466,682	25,833	1,562,962	2,717,500	12,090,175	16.81
Hardware stores.....	23	9	98	5	168,140	3,840	209,165	697,630	1,655,342	2.27
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	11	6	52	1	87,086	300	104,864	130,100	1,530,138	2.10
Fertilizer stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	13	10	18	3	15,569	775	16,243	40,220	76,168	.11
Book stores.....	4	3	3		3,725		8,369	16,530	39,184	.05
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stores with fountains.....	12	8	44		54,694		122,351	27,840	547,339	.75
Cigar stands.....	16	17	5	2	4,430	250	11,346	1,440	25,844	.04
Cigar stores without fountains.....	28	22	14		11,497		13,954	5,850	117,891	.16
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	4	2	37	4	28,532	975	16,219	7,240	119,168	.16
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	4	3	11	1	17,370	468	6,194	20,960	91,360	.13
Drug stores with fountains.....	121	99	293	46	355,395	10,019	406,017	481,090	3,094,694	4.25
Florists.....	14	14	148	6	189,628	950	485,515	15,710	505,646	.69
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:										
Toy shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Art and gift shops.....	13	10	29		46,659		78,419	140,630	341,100	.47
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	24	20	18	3	14,061	655	34,121	36,120	170,247	.23
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Jewelry stores.....	34	19	71	10	116,299	4,040	198,026	629,320	1,960,276	2.71
Luggage and leather goods.....	6	1	10	6	12,329	707	34,325	63,200	183,789	.25
Music stores (without radio).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	9	5	11		12,063		9,929	5,120	77,904	.11
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	4	1	14	2	28,027	300	14,175	41,060	166,410	.23
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	5	1	23		47,225		16,564	21,840	145,228	.20
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	3		14	1	25,116	100	23,899	82,100	86,055	.12
Store fixture dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Typewriter dealers.....	4	3	12		12,557		8,734	5,980	30,935	.04
Opticians and optometrists.....	9	6	18	2	36,544	660	27,261	31,270	149,481	.21
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:										
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	5	3	7	1	12,009	439	13,866	35,830	133,204	.18
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	3	1	14		27,518		11,676	12,400	60,927	.08
Printers and lithographers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Monuments and tombstones.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	34	24	80	7	146,697	1,365	99,385	129,780	551,989	.76
Secondhand stores.....	40	32	72	19	94,961	4,409	83,391	144,340	518,984	.71

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TABLE 24.—MIAMI—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	2,388	1,999	6,618	912	\$8,228,674	\$217,837	\$9,010,998	\$9,956,250	\$72,804,115	100.00
Single-store independents.....	2,010	1,992	3,991	662	4,759,801	168,221	5,273,144	0,287,510	44,627,054	61.30
2-store independents.....	121	67	550	42	731,021	8,384	887,773	832,310	6,515,684	8.95
3-store independents.....	45	14	692	51	996,510	15,977	953,070	838,650	6,625,330	8.96
Local chains.....	52	6	356	50	466,175	11,474	448,929	792,980	4,127,102	5.67
Sectional chains.....	51	7	177	1	313,915	265	246,005	281,780	2,047,229	3.63
National chains.....	81	4	728	104	750,451	12,810	1,049,097	792,700	7,483,752	10.28
Other types of operation:										
Leased departments—Independent operators.....	8	6	17	1	12,460	150	10,433	58,370	114,784	.16
Leased departments—chains.....	6	7	11	1	12,040	150	28,415	14,180	136,027	.19
Manufacturer—controlled chains.....	7	7	67	1	114,593	550	64,756	51,770	355,656	.49
All other types.....	5	4	29	1	65,708	550	43,376	6,000	270,928	.37

TABLE 25.—MIAMI—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	4	1	1			2	
Annual net sales.....	\$6,600,957	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	6	3				3	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,951,350	\$38,600				\$1,012,850	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	1.97				98.03	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	46	38	8				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,703,415	\$1,245,348	\$458,067				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	73.11	26.89				
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	20	16	1			3	
Annual net sales.....	\$454,362	\$269,527	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.32	(x)			(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	60	44	9	1	2	1	3
Annual net sales.....	\$1,006,830	\$1,088,165	\$241,203	(x)	(x)	(x)	\$118,357
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	67.07	12.65	(x)	(x)	(x)	6.21
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	30	12	5	8	2	2	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,228,732	\$260,148	\$358,020	\$431,795	(x)	(x)	\$3,410
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	21.17	29.14	35.14	(x)	(x)	.28
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	26	19	3		3		1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,043,022	\$893,705	\$209,795		\$492,222		\$47,300
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	54.30	12.77		29.96		2.83
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	26	20	4	1		1	
Annual net sales.....	\$750,444	\$479,325	(x)	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.87	(x)	(x)		(x)	
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	190	166	6			18	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,593,457	\$1,414,135	\$75,479			\$1,108,843	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	54.53	2.91			42.56	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	236	181	19	10	20	6	
Annual net sales.....	\$9,409,163	\$5,798,635	\$1,234,371	\$445,796	\$1,272,724	\$657,637	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.63	13.12	4.74	13.52	6.99	
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	195	185	7			2	1
Annual net sales.....	\$3,298,511	\$3,048,608	\$129,988			(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	92.42	3.94			(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	50	44	2			4	
Annual net sales.....	\$691,074	\$267,441	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.70	(x)			(x)	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	242	174	14	15	20	10	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,564,512	\$2,474,035	\$248,600	\$300,695	\$482,889	\$358,233	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.02	6.43	7.78	12.50	9.27	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	4	4					
Annual net sales.....	\$119,168	\$119,168					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00					
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	125	114	6			5	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,180,354	\$2,551,911	\$104,928			\$529,517	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	80.09	3.20			16.62	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	23	18	1	4			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,655,342	\$479,247	(x)	(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	28.95	(x)	(x)			
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	34	33		1			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,969,276	(x)		(x)			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)			

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TABLE 26.—MIAMI—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total		All cash	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	More than 80 per cent credit
Totals, all stores reporting: 1												
Number of stores.....	2,178		1,556	128	69	70	51	82	38	52	41	91
Per cent of total stores.....	100.00		71.44	5.88	3.17	3.21	3.24	3.77	1.74	2.39	1.88	4.18
Amount of net sales.....		\$68,945	\$33,495	\$5,309	\$1,443	\$1,000	\$6,143	\$2,710	\$2,285	\$1,035	\$5,735	\$8,470
Per cent of total sales.....		100.00	48.58	7.79	2.09	2.41	8.91	3.93	3.31	2.87	8.32	12.29
Food group:												
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	73	332	344	17	20	1						
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	4	32	32									
Delicatessen stores.....	9	243	220							23		
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	47	464	451	6	7							
Grocery stores (without meats).....	170	2,507	1,815	257	99	58	17	113	29	93	16	10
Combination stores.....												
Grocery stores with meats.....	202	8,006	5,320	686	196	208	400	357	84	195	428	72
Meat markets with groceries.....	28	1,179	557	81	117	14	145	28	62		133	42
Meat markets (including sea foods).....												
Fish markets—sea foods.....	40	255	196	9	38	11			1			
Meat markets.....	24	719	504		19	9	70	1	102	14		
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	24	132	108			9	3	12				
General merchandise group:												
Department stores.....	4	6,660	573	1,611			4,470					
Dry goods stores.....	25	681	598	73	8	2						
General merchandise stores without food departments.....	9	174	104	15			55					
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	0	1,951	1,951									
Automotive group:												
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	26	9,779	1,332				415	1,113	1,084	100	2,318	3,417
Accessories, tires and batteries—												
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	0	373	259						89	25		
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	15	1,115	618	146		3			42	306		
Filling stations—												
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	95	1,221	593	191	274	99	20	27				17
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	74	1,553	948	41	90	178		122	83	5	86	
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	33	446	230	6		55	105	41	9			
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil accessories).....	80	536	319	147	3	7	2	31		27		
Apparel group:												
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores—												
Men's furnishings stores.....	22	351	323	28								
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	15	1,263	1,018	245								
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	18	418	102	26		8	2	6				184
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	55	1,811	1,762	24	12						13	
Millinery stores.....	22	387	387									
Shoe stores—												
Shoe stores—women's.....	11	278	278									
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	13	742	685	26			31					
Furniture and household group:												
Furniture stores.....	25	1,412	8	91		28	12	61	250	31	128	803
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	8	362	24			158						180
Radio and music stores—												
Radio and electrical shops.....	15	315	99		21			21		4	67	103
Radio and musical instrument stores.....	7	320							93	30	139	58
Lumber and building group:												
Lumber and building material dealers.....	21	2,665	35	62					17	250	333	1,968
Electrical shops (without radio).....	9	187	7		15			3		17		145
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	17	362	72	9				198			48	35
Paint and glass stores.....	13	397	9		12	5		114	11	85	158	
Other retail stores:												
Hardware stores.....	19	1,483	53		23	92	231			50	1,034	
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	11	1,530	335	457			95				643	
Bookstores.....	4	39	39									
Cigar stores (without fountains).....	22	115	115									
Coal and wood yards and ice dealers.....	3	56		38					18			
Drug stores—												
Drug stores.....	3	73	65	8								
Drug stores with fountains.....	114	2,929	2,226	639	43			21				
Florists.....	14	506	194				3	9				300
Jewelry stores.....	33	1,964	1,180		130	471		68				115
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers—												
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	3	141									70	71
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	3	86	2									84
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	4	101	79									23

1 Not all stores have reported as to their credit activities or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes stores in the city which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 23 except for 208 stores with sales of \$3,359,115 which failed to report credit information.

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TABLE 27.—MIAMI—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, ON OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment
Total ³	622	46.73	31.84	21.43	Furniture and household group.....	80	28.17	34.33	37.50
Food group.....	216	61.52	33.48	.....	Furniture stores.....	22	26.47	28.03	44.90
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	3	92.81	7.19	.....	Household-appliance stores (electric).....	4	83.36	.80	05.75
Grocery stores (without meats).....	64	72.58	27.42	.....	Interior decorators.....	5	23.88	76.12	.....
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					Radio and music stores:				
Grocery stores with meats.....	105	63.13	36.87	.....	Radio and electrical shops.....	12	24.46	74.20	1.34
Meat markets with groceries.....	15	56.08	43.32	.....	Radio and musical-instrument stores.....	7	31.48	33.73	34.79
Meat markets (including sea foods):					Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places:				
Fish markets—sea foods.....	9	82.88	17.12	.....	Restaurants, cafeterias, lunch rooms:				
Meat markets.....	6	55.89	44.11	.....	Lunch rooms.....	7	77.55	22.45	.....
Bakeries—bakery-goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	4	66.70	33.30	.....	Restaurants with table service.....	7	78.01	21.09	.....
Other food stores.....	5	60.29	39.71	.....	Lumber and building group.....	52	21.90	78.10	.....
General merchandise group.....	9	71.25	28.52	.23	Lumber and building-material dealers:				
Department stores.....	3	70.07	28.79	.24	Lumber and building-material dealers.....	19	15.69	84.31	.....
Dry goods stores.....	3	66.50	3.50	.....	Lumber and hardware.....	4	40.60	59.50	.....
General merchandise stores, without food departments (including general stores).....	3	66.95	33.05	.....	Electrical shops (without radio).....	6	14.45	85.55	.....
Automotive group.....	149	37.17	6.13	54.70	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	10	45.13	54.87	.....
Motor-vehicle dealers:					Paint and glass stores.....	9	38.40	61.60	.....
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	21	28.92	1.10	69.98	Other retail stores.....	81	47.82	50.08	2.10
Used-car establishments.....	18	15.21	.....	84.79	Hardware stores.....	10	33.98	65.91	.11
Accessories, tires, and batteries:					Farmers' supplies:				
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	4	41.10	58.90	.....	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	7	25.90	74.04	.....
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	6	65.24	34.76	.....	Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	4	74.05	25.95	.....
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	8	56.22	43.08	.70	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	3	81.67	18.43	.....
Filling stations:					Drug stores.....	16	90.15	3.85	.....
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	31	80.86	10.14	.....	Florists.....	5	10.25	89.75	.....
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	25	62.08	37.92	.....	Jewelry stores.....	6	87.04	12.96	.....
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	9	65.12	34.88	.....	Office, school, and stores supplies and equipment dealers:				
Garages and repair shops:					Office and school supplies.....	3	69.38	30.62	.....
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	5	66.51	33.49	.....	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	3	16.12	73.04	10.84
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	16	81.25	18.75	.....	Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	6	33.15	66.85	.....
Apparel group.....	21	64.93	6.33	28.74	Secondhand stores.....	10	87.97	12.03	.....
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	7	14.85	3.67	81.48					
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	5	74.12	25.88	.....				
Custom tailors.....	3	91.65	8.35	.....				

¹ Total sales of stores are \$35,450,142.² Installment sales include the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open-account sales include some installment business of these smaller stores. Some dealers do not report as installment sales those transactions handled through finance companies.³ Group totals may include figures for stores which have been omitted from the detail to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 28.—MIAMI—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	8,565	\$3,237,331	Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places—Continued.		
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	8,523	3,219,831	Refreshment stands	10	\$3,000
Cafeterias	435	174,294	Lunch counters	296	191,450
Lunch rooms	1,146	562,684	Other stores in which meals are served	42	17,500
Restaurants with table service	6,636	2,289,003	Delicatessen stores	42	17,500

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service
Total	478	\$1,595,614	Automotive group—Continued.		
Automotive group	467	1,574,047	Body, fender and points shops	44	\$194,073
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in	217	763,454	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)	107	312,073
Used-car establishments	3	8,754	Lumber and building group	3	6,000
Accessory stores with tires and batteries		10,393	Paint and glass stores	3	6,000
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops	9	66,640	Other retail stores	2	2,000
The shops (including tire repairs)	27	93,567	Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	2	2,000
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	6	13,170	Secondhand stores	7	13,567
Filling stations with tires and accessories	40	83,753			
Filling stations with other merchandise	11	12,258			
Motor-cycle dealers—bicycle shops	3	4,107			

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repair and service except auto-motive	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repair and service (except auto-motive)
Total	\$668,179	Lumber and building group	\$171,085
General merchandise group	63,060	Electrical shops (without radio)	55,040
Department stores	63,000	Heating appliances and oil burners	1,660
Automotive group	44,311	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating	109,935
Motor-cycle dealers—bicycle shops	6,063	Glass and mirror shops	600
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)	8,077	Paint and glass stores	3,950
Boat (motor boats, yachts, canoes)	30,171	Other retail stores group	224,750
Apparel group	6,180	Florists	500
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories	1,520	Jewelry stores	115,783
Millinery stores	1,000	Luggage and leather goods stores	10,180
Custom tailors	3,670	Music stores (without radio)	1,150
Furniture and household group	140,256	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail)	21,614
Furniture stores	1,217	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers	1,800
Draperies, curtains and upholstery stores	9,950	Typewriter dealers	2,190
Household appliances stores (electric)	9,320	Opticians and optometrists	23,896
Refrigerator dealers—electric only	31,586	Sporting goods specialty stores	1,200
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents	21,500	Miscellaneous classifications (combined)	46,537
Interior decorators	21,419	Secondhand stores	13,527
Radio and electrical shops	18,437		
Radio and musical instruments stores	26,827		

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TABLE 29.—TAMPA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES
 [An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	1,875	1,689	4,963	595	\$5,604,151	\$115,814	\$8,249,071	\$7,874,730	\$48,705,618	100.00
Food group¹	607	580	524	229	599,597	39,173	749,976	508,120	10,161,246	20.88
Candy and confectionery stores:										
Candy stores—nut stores.....	3	2	4		2,629		3,133	1,990	18,224	.04
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	6	5	2		1,200		3,182	1,700	21,400	.04
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream) ²	12	2	25	6	19,008	1,010	19,810	2,870	233,688	.48
Egg and poultry dealers.....	8	10	6	1	4,124	150	5,718	1,450	98,291	.20
Delicatessen stores.....	4	3	9	1	9,423	143	7,852	2,400	61,010	.13
Fruit stores and vegetable markets:										
Fruit stores (without meats).....	13	16	20	17	16,627	2,936	18,937	5,690	298,015	.43
Grocery stores (without meats).....	300	280	114	76	123,115	11,769	201,115	183,510	3,150,864	6.47
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	173	171	250	119	326,227	21,854	386,795	279,530	5,160,095	10.59
Meat markets with groceries.....	15	15	23		25,068		30,434	14,450	463,041	.95
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods.....	32	34	12	3	8,353	442	20,805	2,150	158,584	.33
Meat markets.....	21	24	26	2	32,069	429	23,750	6,640	380,445	.78
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	12	13	8	3	5,238	274	7,617	690	69,270	.14
Other food stores.....	6	3	11	1	17,472	160	13,269	3,030	84,934	.17
General stores	5	2	17	20	26,663	2,677	19,197	20,690	398,748	.82
General merchandise group¹	52	32	875	92	796,539	14,979	1,125,758	1,446,520	6,741,689	13.84
Department stores.....	4	3	448	8	402,162	2,600	626,532	660,800	3,368,852	6.89
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:										
Dry goods stores.....	26	19	48	19	59,891	3,955	88,002	281,270	714,587	1.47
General merchandise stores.....	11	7	41	2	26,549	408	31,105	153,200	270,201	.75
Variety, 5-and-10 and to-a-dollar stores.....	10	2	336	62	212,897	7,596	375,992	327,270	2,324,759	4.77
Automotive group	299	251	1,003	43	1,230,555	12,639	1,265,113	993,920	11,058,941	22.71
Motor-vehicle dealers:										
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	24	6	413	1	615,018	162	670,661	671,970	6,110,739	12.66
Used-car establishments.....	9	10	39	5	62,961	1,300	79,773	66,890	614,302	1.26
Accessories, tires, and batteries:										
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	7	6	16	1	10,733	200	19,040	36,110	69,985	.15
Battery and ignition shops (including brake repair shops).....	8	8	17	1	13,237	50	16,916	13,350	72,323	.15
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	13	9	113	2	129,339	499	118,851	75,180	1,179,396	2.42
Filling stations:										
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	60	26	107	3	93,266	312	94,044	11,570	748,034	1.54
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	16	14	52	8	52,743	3,963	57,534	24,220	427,883	.88
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	81	82	72	10	55,343	2,420	71,040	28,630	843,470	1.73
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	5	4	10		11,445		8,093	10,930	48,560	.10
Garages and repair shops:										
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	19	20	46	2	61,791	960	18,767	6,920	185,388	.38
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	52	63	104	8	108,424	2,098	100,602	45,890	671,996	1.38
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other automotive establishments.....	1		1		1,484		969	500	1,800	
Apparel group	137	103	449	80	570,920	17,085	801,289	1,505,500	4,857,528	9.97
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:										
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	4	4	4	1	6,737	188	7,595	12,850	62,548	.13
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	4	4	3	1	3,704	300	8,970	6,850	38,685	.08
Men's and boys' furnishing stores.....	6	7	5	2	4,566	560	12,934	36,200	75,883	.16
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	24	22	84	11	150,462	2,616	235,094	504,860	1,375,439	2.82
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	21	12	116	35	139,353	3,446	165,759	352,350	997,294	2.05
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	24	14	84	19	89,953	3,401	129,410	212,280	1,017,456	2.09
Women's accessories stores:										
Corset and lingerie shops.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Hosiery shops.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores.....	10	10	15	5	15,796	1,716	16,376	11,690	104,935	.21
Other apparel stores:										
Custom tailors.....	7	8	10	1	8,203	300	6,361	10,890	48,777	.10
Dressmakers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Shoe stores:										
Shoe stores—women's.....	3	2	14	1	15,302	250	32,143	43,800	150,565	.31
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	30	17	63	14	99,627	4,318	180,437	302,500	898,464	1.84

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 29.—TAMPA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Furniture and household group ¹	80	80	350	11	\$542,018	\$2,681	\$507,727	\$918,320	\$3,024,764	6.21
Furniture stores.....	46	40	180	9	278,050	1,794	308,469	581,550	1,690,695	3.47
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3	1	7	2	15,454	887	9,091	12,870	67,453	.14
Household appliances stores:										
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	4	2	38		49,022		18,358	33,010	103,827	.21
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	7	7	16		14,277		9,787	10,600	61,379	.13
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	12	7	66		101,081		69,016	108,850	684,264	1.40
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6	3	24		42,718		73,032	144,640	267,146	.55
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	331	380	642	38	518,569	7,208	518,017	64,900	3,317,744	6.81
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:										
Lunch rooms.....	64	68	88	8	70,048	2,417	73,977	7,060	436,608	.90
Restaurants with table service, including 2 cafeterias.....	78	100	418	11	359,696	1,812	303,795	34,040	1,936,644	3.98
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:										
Refreshment stands.....	119	120	76	5	46,233	1,070	81,824	15,310	555,730	1.14
Fountain-lunches.....	5	4	11	2	4,939	204	5,987	1,969	45,706	.09
Lunch counters.....	53	56	46	10	35,640	1,265	43,417	5,810	316,892	.65
Soft-drink stands.....	12	12	8	2	2,013	378	4,017	720	26,104	.05
Lumber and building group.....	43	32	169	20	240,262	6,149	123,699	192,370	1,090,965	2.22
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	8	5	52		70,982		46,559	58,990	390,779	.80
Lumber and hardware.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Roofing.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	11	9	46	1	63,344	200	25,667	33,640	217,303	.45
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	14	10	41	18	73,318	5,637	23,117	42,510	206,641	.55
Paint and glass stores.....	7	7	13	1	19,458	312	13,091	42,480	80,897	.17
Other retail stores.....	280	284	900	44	1,050,642	10,998	1,104,228	2,179,950	7,852,678	16.12
Hardware stores.....	19	16	35	3	48,385	840	46,940	178,210	510,060	1.05
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	14	11	20		20,083		25,443	52,710	500,693	1.23
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Feed stores with groceries.....	4	4	8		6,844		5,731	14,020	159,267	.33
Bookstores.....	3	4	2		1,508		5,247	17,590	38,403	.08
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stands.....	5	4	2		3,090		3,786	1,240	37,676	.08
Cigar stores.....	24	17	57		60,365		80,168	22,550	424,438	.87
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	8	6	39	4	39,202	794	34,529	10,850	204,970	.42
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	26	26	40	7	50,593	2,078	49,706	98,840	484,216	.99
Drug stores with fountains.....	62	52	217	13	202,556	4,321	234,325	347,240	1,640,638	3.37
Florists.....	5	6	6	1	5,170	160	10,618	18,130	57,076	.12
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	9	8	8		3,220		9,779	12,310	30,895	.08
Jewelry stores.....	23	17	56	4	92,773	734	118,116	496,710	591,908	1.22
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	7	7	9		6,688		8,486	4,130	66,693	.14
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	3	1	12	1	14,596	52	19,637	36,600	95,000	.19
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	7		104	2	73,135	104	27,087	28,610	178,715	.37
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Store fixture dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Typewriter dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	2	10		17,716		14,300	14,520	65,700	.13
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	4	3	15	3	23,892	175	18,084	40,300	103,386	.21
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Printers and lithographers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Monuments and tombstones.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	35	33	65	4	80,978	1,290	79,842	84,720	458,943	.94
Secondhand stores.....	41	46	34	8	26,388	2,217	36,067	52,640	211,315	.44

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3 and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 30.—TAMPA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	1,875	1,689	4,963	595	\$5,604,151	\$115,814	\$6,249,071	\$7,874,730	\$48,705,616	100.00
Single-store independents.....	1,608	1,646	3,456	371	3,956,604	81,113	4,300,405	5,878,160	34,488,703	70.81
2-store independents.....	64	3	264	32	365,179	5,438	377,992	635,590	2,994,798	6.15
3-store independents.....	10	3	68	3	85,439	438	82,328	163,300	671,430	1.38
Local chains.....	56	6	140	64	210,519	11,134	201,708	171,070	2,121,412	4.36
Sectional chains.....	37		97		126,496		107,527	51,760	1,274,267	2.62
National chains.....	85		726	125	649,915	17,946	1,034,886	852,670	6,410,430	13.17
Leased departments— independent operators.....	3	1	15		15,168		7,852	12,890	55,937	.11
Leased-department chains.....	7		12		36,089		36,089	57,250	193,740	.40
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	3		126		122,903		91,248	52,040	404,626	.83
Other types of operation.....	2		59		46,075		2,436		84,873	.17

TABLE 31.—TAMPA—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:	4	2				2	
Number of stores.....		(x)				(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,358,852	(x)				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:	10	2				8	
Number of stores.....		(x)				(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,324,759	(x)				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:	38	36			2		
Number of stores.....		(x)			(x)		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,552,555	(x)			(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:	21	10	5			6	
Number of stores.....		\$332,516	\$200,902			\$307,870	
Annual net sales.....	\$997,294	33.34	26.70			30.90	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:	24	19	2		1	2	
Number of stores.....		\$683,148	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,017,456	67.14			(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Shoe stores:	33	20	3			7	3
Number of stores.....		\$386,571	\$167,149			\$274,860	\$220,449
Annual net sales.....	\$1,040,029	36.85	15.94			26.20	21.01
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Furniture stores:	46	44	2				
Number of stores.....		(x)	(x)				
Annual net sales.....	\$1,690,695	(x)	(x)				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Radio and music stores:	18	10		1			1
Number of stores.....		(x)		(x)		(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$951,410	(x)		(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Grocery stores (without meats):	300	266	8	2	1	23	
Number of stores.....		\$2,022,824	\$131,051	(x)	(x)	\$936,915	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,150,864	64.20	4.10		(x)	29.73	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Combination stores (groceries and meats):	185	143	5	28	10	1	
Number of stores.....		\$3,327,790	\$113,181	\$1,424,873	(x)	(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,623,136	59.18	2.01	25.34	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:	142	139	2				1
Number of stores.....		\$2,373,312	(x)			(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,373,312	97.69				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Cigar stores and cigar stands:	29	20		8			1
Number of stores.....		\$462,114	\$189,628	(x)		(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$462,114	41.03				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Filling stations:	157	116	6		17	18	
Number of stations.....		\$1,385,427	\$100,097		\$272,050	\$201,783	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,019,387	68.61	4.96		13.47	12.90	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:	8	8					
Number of yards.....		\$204,970	\$204,970				
Annual net sales.....	\$204,970	100.00	100.00				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Drug stores:	88	77	9			2	
Number of stores.....		\$1,750,393	(x)			(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,124,854	82.38				(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Hardware stores:	19	15	2		2		
Number of stores.....		\$417,313	(x)	(x)			
Annual net sales.....	\$510,060	81.82					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						
Jewelry stores:	23	20	1		1		
Number of stores.....		\$591,998	\$422,898	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Annual net sales.....	\$591,998	71.45					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00						

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TABLE 32.—TAMPA—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTALS		ALL CASH	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS								
	Number of stores	Net sales		1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	More than 80 per cent credit
Totals, all stores reporting: 1												
Number of stores.....	1,694		1,050	85	62	57	58	84	61	79	67	91
Per cent of total stores.....	100.00		61.98	5.02	3.66	3.37	3.42	4.96	3.60	4.66	3.96	5.37
Amount of net sales.....	\$44,339		\$20,337	\$1,898	\$1,772	\$1,333	\$2,850	\$3,435	\$2,470	\$2,600	\$2,111	\$5,533
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00		46.87	4.28	4.00	3.00	6.43	7.75	5.57	5.86	4.76	12.48
Food group:												
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	6	21	21									
Dairy products (including ice cream).....	12	234	234									
Deliatessen stores.....	3	55	55									
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	12	199	194			5						
Grocery stores (without meats).....	282	2,967	1,795	263	102	67	87	142	124	193	117	77
Combination stores—												
Grocery stores (with meats).....	106	5,068	3,157	268	174	79	86	288	292	227	414	93
Meat markets (with groceries).....	15	463	397	32			11	12				
Meat markets (including sea food)—												
Fish markets—sea foods.....	28	149	113	4		1	11			11	9	
Meat markets.....	21	381	272			20	29	15		35		10
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	11	65	65									
General merchandise group:												
Department stores.....	4	3,359	1,015		727		1,017					
Dry goods stores.....	19	577	523	20		28		6				
General merchandise stores.....	6	168	63			33		72				
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	10	2,325	2,325									
Automotive group:												
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	24	6,117	334	309	40	195	197	1,653	1,427	1,239	509	214
Accessories, tires and batteries—												
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	6	68	67			1						
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	10	903	820					191		30	50	
Filling stations—												
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	39	465	59	40	112	121	45	29	16	21	22	
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	16	428	74	42	37		51	52		29	86	57
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	76	809	383	37	73	64	69	107	12	11	48	
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	50	595	434	21	44	7		14	45	26	4	
Apparel group:												
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores—												
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	3	57	57									
Men's furnishings stores.....	5	27	27									
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	15	1,017	173	53		197		241		353		
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	14	311	80	132		130						469
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	20	901	773	20				108				
Millinery stores.....	8	101	101									
Shoe stores—												
Shoe stores—women's.....	3	151	50		101							
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	26	325	626		1		195	3				
Furniture and household group:												
Furniture stores.....	45	1,682	103	28	13	26	190	6		15	263	1,038
Household appliance stores (electrical).....	3	46				2			24			20
Radio and music stores—												
Radio and electrical shops.....	9	663	424		139	7		4		3	21	65
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6	267							34	21		212
Lumber and building group:												
Lumber and building material dealers.....	7	378	44			12			48			274
Electrical shops (without radio).....	10	211	51				14	1			5	140
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	13	257	30	4	69		10				16	128
Paint and glass stores.....	6	77	10				13		34	8	12	
Other retail stores:												
Hardware stores.....	16	363	105			63	14	56	91	34		
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	12	558	552							6		
Bookstores.....	3	38	10					28				
Cigar stores.....	18	210	210									
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	6	188	30	2								156
Drug stores—												
Drug stores.....	23	447	374	18	23		32					
Drug stores with fountains.....	57	1,312	1,091	118	18	80		5				
Florists.....	5	57	13							8	36	91
Jewelry stores.....	18	547	125				15	18		103	195	69
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	5	169	5				12		83			
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	3	67	6			39	22					

¹ Not all stores have reported as to their credit activities or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes stores in the city which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 29 except for 131 stores with sales of \$4,366,616 which failed to report credit information.

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TABLE 33.—TAMPA—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, ON OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment ²
Total	644	46.81	35.62	17.37	Furniture and household group	53	24.04	50.88	25.08
Food group	246	53.25	46.75	.....	Furniture stores.....	34	20.83	54.10	25.07
Grocery stores (without meats).....	131	58.30	41.70	.....	Household appliances stores (electrical).....	3	20.24	79.70	.....
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					Radio and music stores:				
Grocery stores with meats.....	85	51.13	49.67	.....	Radio and electrical shops.....	7	59.09	15.58	25.33
Meat markets with groceries.....	6	72.35	27.65	.....	Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6	21.62	67.09	11.29
Meat markets (including sea foods):					Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	60	62.55	37.45	.....
Fish markets—sea foods.....	7	48.54	51.46	.....	Restaurants, cafeterias, lunch rooms:				
Meat markets.....	10	44.22	55.78	.....	Lunch rooms.....	18	68.43	31.57	.....
General merchandise group	6	70.67	29.22	.11	Restaurants with table service.....	18	58.02	41.98	.....
Dry goods stores.....	3	89.68	10.32	.....	Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:				
General merchandise stores.....	3	94.19	5.81	.....	Refreshment stands.....	18	65.41	34.59	.....
Automotive group	137	50.64	11.96	37.40	Lunch counters.....	5	73.02	26.98	.....
Motor-vehicle dealers:					Lumber and building group	29	21.15	78.85	.....
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	22	48.44	2.09	48.57	Lumber and building material dealers.....	6	17.52	82.48	.....
Used-car establishments.....	7	51.87	6.47	41.66	Electrical shops (without radio).....	6	9.94	90.06	.....
Accessories, tires, and batteries:					Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	10	33.21	66.79	.....
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	7	56.73	43.27	.....	Paint and glass stores.....	4	40.57	59.43	.....
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	3	46.81	53.19	.....	Other retail stores	71	29.52	66.99	3.59
Filling stations:					Hardware stores.....	8	55.62	44.38	.....
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	27	70.90	29.10	.....	Drug stores:				
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	13	47.02	52.98	.....	Drug stores.....	4	81.40	18.60	.....
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	28	62.33	37.67	.....	Drug stores with fountains.....	12	85.04	14.36	.....
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	19	60.36	39.64	.....	Jewelry stores.....	4	29.45	70.55	.....
Apparel group	27	56.15	24.24	19.61	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	4	29.38	63.24	7.38
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	6	71.12	28.88	.....	Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	11	48.36	51.64	.....
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	10	31.28	14.27	54.45	Secondhand stores	13	53.03	46.97	.....
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	3	57.50	42.50	.....				
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	6	72.26	27.74	.....				

¹ Total sales of above stores are \$24,002,000.² Installment sales include initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$50,000 annually. The open-account sales may include some installment business of these small stores. Some dealers do not report as installment sales those transactions handled through finance companies.³ Group totals may include figures for stores which have been omitted from the detail to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 34.—TAMPA—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total.....	5,795	\$2,170,127	Other stores in which meals are served.....	150	\$38,723
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	5,645	2,131,404	Delicatessen stores.....	44	15,000
Cafeterias and lunch rooms.....	1,469	432,284	Grocery stores (without meats).....	60	11,582
Restaurants with table service.....	3,950	1,599,048	Department stores without food departments.....	46	12,131
Refreshment stands.....	46	5,421			
Fountain—lunches.....	31	15,749			
Lunch counters.....	149	81,002			

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employ-ees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employ-ees	Receipts from repair service (automotive)	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	282	\$958,206	\$24,750	Automotive group—Continued.			
Automotive group.....	282	951,106	24,750	Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	34	\$7,600	-----
Automobile salesrooms—new and trade-in.....	108	318,557	20,150	Body, fender and paint shops.....		150,378	-----
Used-car establishments.....	2	3,976	-----	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	63	240,081	\$2,400
Accessories stores with tires and batteries.....	4	15,556	-----	Lumber and building group.....		4,500	-----
Battery and ignition shops—brake-repair shops.....	7	18,061	-----	Electrical shops (without radio).....		4,500	-----
Tire shops, including tire repairs.....	8	62,082	-----	Secondhand stores.....		2,600	-----
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	4	10,310	-----				
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	15	78,344	2,200				
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	17	45,561	-----				

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total.....	\$289,923	Lumber and building group.....	\$63,231
General merchandise group.....	28,184	Electrical shops (without radio).....	54,301
Department stores without food departments.....	27,014	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	30,884
Dry goods stores.....	1,170	Paint and glass stores.....	8,046
Automotive group.....	12,246	Other retail stores.....	163,071
Accessories stores with tires and batteries.....	5,706	Hardware stores.....	600
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	4,040	Art and gift shops.....	1,200
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	700	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	11,684
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	1,800	Jewelry stores.....	17,699
Apparel group.....	8,428	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	33,235
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	4,500	Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	38,403
Custom tailors.....	1,788	Secondhand stores.....	1,450
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	2,140		
Furniture and household group.....	43,313		
Household appliances stores (electric).....	2,580		
Radio and electrical shops.....	40,043		
Radio and musical instrument stores.....	690		

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TABLE 35.—ST. PETERSBURG—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	922	782	2,578	183	\$2,778,195	\$33,904	\$3,345,519	\$4,285,250	\$24,982,182	100.00
Food group.....	231	213	380	74	\$91,540	12,774	438,754	289,040	5,529,115	22.13
Candy and confectionery stores.....	21	23	9	5	4,832	880	19,803	9,240	110,227	.44
Dairy products stores ¹	18	9	62	4	43,812	578	56,604	4,610	427,240	1.71
Delicatessen stores.....	3	4	6		3,730		5,582	2,200	30,734	.12
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	25	25	21	4	13,883	650	26,490	4,380	149,480	.60
Grocery stores (without meats).....	57	54	46	18	50,701	3,200	77,704	71,020	1,114,942	4.46
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	74	66	152	33	210,322	5,977	109,549	168,530	3,108,795	12.45
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	18	17	34	4	42,172	812	29,630	5,310	407,800	1.63
Bakeries—caterers.....	11	9	19	6	16,927	677	16,954	1,740	114,014	.46
Other food stores.....	4	6	11		5,152		4,378	1,610	65,816	.26
General merchandise group².....	27	17	374	14	\$78,045	1,693	433,404	663,190	2,782,837	11.14
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	16	13	107	3	132,497	525	141,054	314,340	1,130,908	4.53
General merchandise stores.....	5	4	14		15,628		17,547	64,210	161,481	.65
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	4		138	11	82,548	1,168	130,322	139,110	704,943	3.08
Automotive group².....	168	149	422	18	\$26,853	3,670	586,497	518,080	5,919,458	23.69
Motor-vehicle dealers.....	19	6	196		302,172		335,862	352,810	3,690,848	14.77
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	19	24	68	2	59,634	130	55,170	89,720	457,319	1.83
Filling stations.....	87	72	101	6	95,959	967	130,151	53,300	1,414,072	5.66
Garages and repair shops.....	41	45	65	10	67,258	2,573	60,473	15,630	331,857	1.33
Apparel group.....	117	95	240	17	\$251,968	2,234	471,868	772,090	2,647,719	10.80
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	15	7	37	1	51,492	35	97,681	235,090	691,673	2.37
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	9	7	33	4	31,923	632	75,791	79,750	315,866	1.26
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	27	22	89	9	92,033	1,142	160,522	266,380	1,000,870	4.01
Women's accessories stores.....	26	20	32	2	22,681	125	45,257	30,570	220,073	.88
Other apparel stores.....	23	25	17		10,423		27,404	24,060	137,091	.55
Shoe stores.....	17	14	32	1	43,414	300	65,213	130,540	331,240	1.33
Furniture and household group².....	43	27	154	2	\$241,588	206	211,391	542,610	1,305,587	5.33
Furniture stores.....	19	14	91	1	158,315	110	131,863	389,780	773,753	3.10
Household appliances stores.....	10	3	39		56,350		38,350	54,790	206,850	1.19
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	3	4	1	1	1,136	96	5,909	7,710	14,549	.06
Radio and music stores.....	9	2	18		19,034		24,446	28,330	155,820	.62
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	98	105	459	17	\$294,082	4,374	314,238	21,660	1,743,583	6.98
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	64	70	350	9	234,768	2,124	243,547	15,220	1,398,198	5.00
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	34	35	79	8	59,264	2,250	70,689	6,440	345,365	1.38
Lumber and building group.....	37	19	158	8	\$229,824	3,580	187,483	400,280	1,339,072	5.39
Lumber and building material dealers.....	15	2	101	7	135,156	3,380	143,294	298,000	1,008,262	4.03
Electrical shops (without radio).....	10	8	25		48,906		14,854	30,250	126,528	.51
Heating and plumbing shops.....	6	4	17	1	24,187	200	7,466	26,220	71,407	.29
Paint and glass stores.....	6	5	15		21,575		21,869	45,760	132,877	.53
Other retail stores².....	193	150	401	31	\$455,566	5,173	697,083	1,049,490	3,654,725	14.63
Hardware stores.....	8	10	16		24,349		30,208	182,210	264,633	1.06
Farmers' supplies.....	7	5	18	2	20,755	539	29,244	57,260	303,585	1.22
Book stores.....	3	3	2	1	1,638	42	4,081	5,250	12,800	.05
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	16	15	20		14,755		26,996	19,780	243,041	.97
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	11	7	50	6	68,851	275	136,319	10,840	371,579	1.49
Drug stores.....	30	26	124	11	122,501	2,289	190,109	235,750	1,130,775	4.53
Florists.....	10	8	11	1	4,695	50	15,490	9,710	71,590	.29
Gifts, novelties and toys, cameras.....	32	28	34	6	24,904	1,248	37,490	3,690	216,762	.87
Jewelry stores.....	16	13	26	1	31,781	375	55,781	243,870	287,504	1.15
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	3	2	6		7,954		11,852	32,300	48,597	.19
News dealers.....	4	1	7		8,023		8,355	11,490	81,825	.33
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	3	1	13	1	21,683	270	13,216	40,700	107,726	.43
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	3	7		13,783		11,870	7,580	43,806	.18
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	5	6	5		6,020		6,071	20,090	45,704	.18
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	33	23	62	2	83,784	85	91,300	81,770	421,006	1.66
Secondhand stores.....	8	7	10	2	\$7,754	200	6,903	7,960	60,106	.24

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.² This total includes classifications in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 36.—ST. PETERSBURG—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	922	782	2,578	188	\$2,778,198	\$33,904	\$3,345,519	\$4,235,250	\$24,982,162	100.00
Single-store independents.....	753	719	1,850	138	2,023,626	26,635	2,329,108	3,121,530	18,194,340	72.83
2-store independents.....	80	50	293	15	266,700	2,166	410,751	570,740	2,011,574	10.45
3-store independents.....	14	6	37	1	47,245	60	53,775	94,750	350,297	1.40
Local chains.....	19	4	45	3	49,449	1,400	47,446	50,770	431,349	1.73
Sectional chains.....	27	—	97	—	144,474	—	190,161	60,510	1,180,632	4.76
National chains.....	23	—	221	25	181,294	3,243	281,468	291,170	1,960,958	7.85
Other types of operation.....	6	3	30	1	35,410	400	23,810	39,780	244,012	.98

TABLE 37.—ST. PETERSBURG—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, or that no stores were reported under this classification]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units including local chains	Sectional and national chains	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units including local chains	Sectional and national chains
Department stores.....	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Combination stores (groceries and meats):				
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					Number of stores.....	74	60	6	8
Number of stores.....	4	—	—	4	Annual net sales.....	\$3,108,796	\$2,110,666	\$238,829	\$764,301
Annual net sales.....	\$764,943	—	—	\$764,943	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	67.89	7.52	24.59
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	—	—	100.00	Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:				
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					Number of stores.....	64	62	2	—
Number of stores.....	15	15	—	—	Annual net sales.....	\$1,398,198	(x)	(x)	—
Annual net sales.....	\$591,673	\$591,673	—	—	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—	Cigar stores and cigar stands:				
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					Number of stores.....	16	16	—	—
Number of stores.....	6	6	(x) 2	(x) 1	Annual net sales.....	\$243,641	\$243,641	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$315,886	\$160,770	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.80	(x)	(x)	Filling stations:				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					Number of stations.....	87	66	6	15
Number of stores.....	27	18	(x) 8	(x) 1	Annual net sales.....	\$1,414,072	\$1,065,780	\$117,078	\$231,214
Annual net sales.....	\$1,000,876	\$694,894	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.37	8.28	16.35
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	69.43	(x)	(x)	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:				
Shoe stores:					Number of yards.....	11	5	2	4
Number of stores.....	17	16	(x)	(x) 1	Annual net sales.....	\$371,579	(x)	(x)	\$224,017
Annual net sales.....	\$381,240	(x)	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	60.29
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)	Drug stores:				
Furniture stores:					Number of stores.....	36	26	9	1
Number of stores.....	19	14	(x) 4	(x) 1	Annual net sales.....	\$1,130,775	\$608,465	(x)	(x)
Annual net sales.....	\$773,753	\$628,948	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.37	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	81.03	(x)	(x)	Hardware stores:				
Radio and music stores:					Number of stores.....	8	8	—	—
Number of stores.....	9	8	(x) 1	(x) —	Annual net sales.....	\$264,633	\$264,633	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$155,820	(x)	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)	Jewelry stores:				
Grocery stores (without meats):					Number of stores.....	16	8	8	—
Number of stores.....	57	49	(x) 1	(x) 7	Annual net sales.....	\$287,504	\$147,039	\$140,465	—
Annual net sales.....	\$1,114,942	\$690,624	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	51.14	48.86	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.75	(x)	(x)					

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TABLE 38.—PENSACOLA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	444	411	1,523	189	\$1,550,483	\$27,792	\$1,423,976	\$2,149,770	\$14,191,084	100.00
Food group.....	181	173	193	51	175,133	8,587	189,094	167,240	3,127,381	22.04
Candy and confectionery stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	8	10	10	2	7,840	536	10,904	3,430	99,497	.70
Grocery stores (without meats).....	72	76	45	17	41,337	3,547	64,050	64,320	968,370	6.82
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	67	72	115	25	104,789	3,434	94,726	95,120	1,793,507	12.84
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	10	11	17	6	15,524	970	10,850	2,440	192,646	1.36
Other food stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
General merchandise group.....	19	20	195	17	137,398	2,781	202,724	388,350	1,449,715	10.21
Department stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	12	14	77	5	62,506	577	81,993	218,860	647,085	4.56
General merchandise stores (including 2 general stores).....	4	6	15	0	12,582	2,029	15,607	44,980	134,581	.95
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Automotive group ¹	60	52	348	3	364,709	534	291,995	355,780	3,602,541	25.89
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	12	12	181	1	217,561	375	171,781	257,880	2,622,400	18.48
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	13	15	70	1	56,797	90	36,638	66,670	383,997	2.71
Filling stations.....	20	9	62	1	58,674	69	54,744	7,910	437,153	3.08
Garages and repair shops.....	13	16	29		26,930		23,104	5,630	120,034	.85
Apparel group.....	52	39	145	26	176,725	5,100	224,687	427,330	1,591,470	11.21
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	18	14	45	11	60,307	2,463	71,999	193,400	553,167	3.90
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	5	3	18	1	33,104	240	33,199	70,420	193,160	1.36
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	9	7	37	7	40,695	851	54,691	50,120	406,141	2.86
Women's accessories stores.....	4	1	7	1	7,192	137	12,901	2,300	60,706	.43
Other apparel stores.....	5	5	8		4,106		4,870	1,750	25,402	.18
Shoe stores.....	11	9	30	6	31,321	1,469	47,007	106,250	362,885	2.48
Furniture and household group.....	19	13	114	22	195,363	5,520	135,661	219,770	967,622	6.82
Furniture stores.....	12	12	68	2	122,955	520	99,933	132,310	644,043	4.54
Household appliances stores.....	4		24	20	43,762	5,000	16,124	51,610	181,740	1.28
Radio and music stores.....	3	1	22		28,646		19,604	35,850	141,839	1.00
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	37	37	170	1	112,107	276	102,373	15,690	676,573	4.77
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	34	36	160	1	102,388	276	99,058	14,780	646,014	4.55
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	3	1	10		9,719		3,315	910	30,559	.22
Lumber and building group ¹	13	11	77	5	79,676	2,563	60,548	101,490	411,328	2.90
Lumber and building material dealers.....	3	2	29	2	37,713	1,000	25,181	71,500	217,246	1.53
Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	2	7		7,307		3,959	5,360	41,042	.29
Heating and plumbing shops.....	5	5	37	3	32,160	1,563	18,168	15,340	128,953	.91
Other retail stores.....	78	60	274	13	304,150	2,056	218,540	457,420	2,317,942	16.33
Hardware stores.....	6	3	30	4	68,487	75	25,728	118,310	457,311	3.22
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies.....	4	6	17		12,778		16,071	19,880	352,000	2.48
Bookstores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	4	3	16	1	14,184	300	10,750	11,710	100,813	.71
Drug stores.....	19	9	88	2	83,488	600	76,617	113,850	641,963	4.52
Florists.....	6	6	15	3	10,429	671	7,785	4,800	42,038	.30
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	3	4	2		900		2,803	2,400	17,534	.12
Jewelry stores.....	8	8	24	1	28,750	50	26,660	112,850	251,101	1.77
Music stores (without radio).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	4	3	12		7,041		6,485	5,290	50,070	.35
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	4	2	6		6,853		3,183	7,480	39,744	.28
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	3	4	6		4,600		5,674	13,630	55,487	.39
Stationers and printers.....	3	2	10		8,538		6,591	7,510	29,700	.21
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	8	6	24	1	43,627	100	16,483	20,680	166,980	1.18
Secondhand stores.....	5	6	7	1	5,222	375	7,474	16,700	46,482	.33

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 39.—PENSACOLA—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPE OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	444	411	1,523	189	\$1,550,483	\$27,792	\$1,423,976	\$2,149,770	\$14,191,064	100.00
Single-store independents	361	380	1,087	83	1,103,239	18,455	959,492	1,575,100	10,346,080	72.90
2-store independents	32	27	169	20	150,608	2,001	137,618	242,770	1,541,672	10.86
3-store independents	6	2	24		26,123		25,420	30,000	349,818	2.47
Local chains	3	2	10		12,319		12,872	29,820	59,771	.42
Sectional chains	16		62		101,812		96,179	89,300	579,939	4.09
National chains	15		127	15	90,280	2,199	145,677	119,460	984,637	6.94
Other types of operations:										
Leased-department chains	5		15	1	17,133	137	24,702	9,250	122,569	.86
Utility-operated retail stores	3		9	20	15,981	5,000	10,125	34,700	120,680	.85
All other types	3		20		32,988		11,885	19,310	85,898	.61

TABLE 40.—PENSACOLA—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units including local chains	Sectional and national chains	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units including local chains	Sectional and national chains
Department stores:					Grocery stores (without meats):				
Number of stores	1	1			Number of stores	72	68	2	2
Annual net sales	(x)	(x)			Annual net sales	\$998,370	\$772,031	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales	(x)	(x)			Per cent of total sales	100.00	79.78	(x)	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					Combination stores (groceries and meats):				
Number of stores	2			2	Number of stores	67	57	10	
Annual net sales	(x)			(x)	Annual net sales	\$1,793,507	\$1,021,086	\$772,421	
Per cent of total sales	(x)			(x)	Per cent of total sales	100.00	56.93	43.07	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:				
Number of stores	18	12	5	1	Number of stores	34	31	2	1
Annual net sales	\$553,167	\$306,002	(x)	(x)	Annual net sales	\$646,014	\$618,539	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales	100.00	55.32	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales	100.00	95.75	(x)	(x)
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's:					Cigar stores and cigar stands:				
Number of stores	5	3		2	Number of stores	2	2		
Annual net sales	\$193,169	(x)		(x)	Annual net sales	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)		(x)	Per cent of total sales	(x)	(x)		
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					Filling stations:				
Number of stores	9	4	2	1	Number of stations	20	8	2	10
Annual net sales	\$406,141	\$189,287	(x)	(x)	Annual net sales	\$437,163	(x)	(x)	\$179,680
Per cent of total sales	100.00	46.61	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)	(x)	41.10
Shoe stores:					Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:				
Number of stores	11	6	1	3	Number of yards	4	4		
Annual net sales	\$352,885	\$220,166	(x)	(x)	Annual net sales	\$100,813	\$100,813		
Per cent of total sales	100.00	62.39	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00		
Furniture stores:					Drug stores:				
Number of stores	12	9		3	Number of stores	19	15	4	
Annual net sales	\$644,043	\$256,518		\$387,525	Annual net sales	\$641,963	\$538,967	\$102,996	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	39.83		60.17	Per cent of total sales	100.00	83.06	16.04	
Radio and music stores:					Hardware stores:				
Number of stores	3	2	1		Number of stores	6	6		
Annual net sales	\$141,839	(x)	(x)		Annual net sales	\$457,311	\$457,311		
Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)	(x)		Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00		
					Jewelry stores:				
					Number of stores	8	8		
					Annual net sales	\$251,101	\$251,101		
					Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00		

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TABLE 41.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	2,979	2,550	7,834	1,099	\$9,297,410	\$221,392	\$9,312,603	\$13,243,280	\$81,676,340	100.00
Food group ¹	849	804	1,089	357	1,285,013	72,994	1,358,829	945,970	19,341,320	23.68
Candy and confectionery stores.....	62	61	71	19	55,835	3,370	76,479	39,630	544,567	.87
Dairy products stores ²	20	17	75	6	84,245	670	57,890	6,590	550,704	.87
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	43	46	51	10	49,961	1,340	70,016	17,830	471,132	.68
Grocery stores (without meats).....	341	310	264	129	291,690	24,991	386,216	386,230	6,175,519	7.56
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	269	243	423	166	604,267	30,740	549,462	456,080	9,309,809	11.40
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	91	97	123	22	116,869	4,662	158,615	27,070	1,870,631	2.29
Bakeries—caterers.....	21	21	59	2	61,654	490	41,005	7,280	282,842	.35
Other food stores.....	10	8	14	1	16,388	250	13,095	3,560	81,710	.10
General stores	8	7	7	6	8,032	1,172	5,187	23,710	115,953	.14
General merchandise group	119	79	1,097	217	1,273,729	27,703	1,691,379	2,739,700	10,808,802	12.62
Department stores.....	9		421	19	640,367	5,341	777,732	1,195,760	4,151,161	5.08
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	59	49	251	66	305,432	10,471	417,316	865,620	2,918,496	3.67
General merchandise stores.....	27	23	43	17	72,729	3,826	54,004	202,090	597,045	.73
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	24	7	382	115	255,201	8,065	342,327	415,640	2,643,160	3.24
Automotive group ¹	535	405	1,559	74	1,971,701	18,265	1,973,050	1,769,610	18,965,474	23.22
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	79	41	752	11	1,068,119	2,712	1,171,454	1,200,330	11,880,346	14.55
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	58	39	179	7	228,987	881	190,434	274,700	1,401,634	1.72
Filling stations.....	274	198	496	23	379,483	4,701	435,582	186,950	4,307,316	5.27
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	8	8	9	5	11,415	1,316	10,982	14,780	63,695	.08
Garages and repair shops.....	114	117	209	28	248,697	8,045	156,378	74,350	1,107,433	1.43
Apparel group	255	198	510	101	712,501	22,081	983,451	2,064,660	6,434,934	7.88
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	58	50	104	16	153,310	3,333	213,109	650,470	1,589,371	1.95
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	32	28	90	28	128,650	5,713	194,048	409,120	1,179,136	1.44
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	67	46	174	32	245,470	7,541	293,336	506,950	2,047,028	2.51
Women's accessories stores.....	31	29	30	7	27,024	1,064	37,750	56,720	245,288	.30
Other apparel stores.....	21	20	20	1	14,187	250	16,908	29,510	96,650	.12
Shoe stores.....	46	23	92	17	143,845	3,230	208,300	408,890	1,277,461	1.56
Furniture and household group ¹	145	75	528	42	764,627	9,151	612,767	1,011,070	8,978,073	4.87
Furniture stores.....	64	31	264	12	375,354	2,260	374,959	644,130	2,223,637	2.72
Household appliances stores.....	28	8	129	7	181,841	1,478	99,088	137,870	1,055,801	.89
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	17	10	27	10	29,320	2,303	22,943	40,730	137,657	.17
Radio and music stores.....	34	24	105	13	175,050	3,110	113,887	182,190	876,428	1.08
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	379	417	919	67	598,290	14,991	580,667	61,320	3,827,070	4.44
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	250	285	798	42	519,755	9,013	458,555	38,110	2,881,551	3.63
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	129	132	121	25	78,535	5,978	102,102	23,210	745,519	.91
Lumber and building group	126	77	647	57	1,088,008	14,486	647,369	1,279,490	5,880,404	7.20
Lumber and building material dealers.....	54	21	411	21	703,698	5,105	452,433	952,340	4,227,709	5.18
Electrical shops (without radio).....	13	6	32	5	50,627	1,476	18,384	37,830	105,801	.24
Heating and plumbing shops.....	39	31	162	25	270,103	6,355	109,901	161,040	949,004	1.16
Paint and glass stores.....	20	19	42	6	63,580	1,550	66,591	128,280	507,890	.62
Other retail stores	534	462	1,259	167	1,671,175	38,952	1,669,931	3,283,330	12,828,529	15.71
Hardware stores.....	33	28	99	5	154,352	1,030	171,312	718,410	1,370,837	1.68
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	8	7	52	13	96,553	7,188	125,941	204,660	1,260,509	1.53
Farmers' supplies.....	43	30	112	11	152,790	2,295	119,818	211,270	2,269,267	2.78
Bookstores.....	6	6	4	3	2,717	639	6,240	14,570	24,688	.03
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	47	47	49	5	46,964	1,156	55,485	35,160	469,841	.59
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	24	24	80	12	96,058	2,443	75,967	29,470	393,037	.48
Drug stores.....	133	108	487	49	559,270	10,286	507,962	821,430	4,024,852	4.88
Florists.....	14	12	20	0	23,419	717	28,117	18,430	145,064	.18
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	55	64	50	16	36,598	2,523	65,459	167,830	330,441	.41
Jewelry stores.....	44	32	92	10	146,149	1,764	146,696	497,850	798,422	.94
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	8	7	7	5	10,703	220	10,063	41,640	88,709	.05
News dealers.....	28	17	37		34,203		29,895	27,440	247,066	.30
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	17	6	59	10	80,026	2,011	73,428	196,220	480,379	.59
Opticians and optometrists.....	4	6		1	260	260	4,194	2,510	17,297	.02
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	13	10	8	6	10,356	1,790	15,970	72,670	108,685	.13
Stationers and printers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	54	56	91	15	102,997	4,631	128,730	172,420	847,959	1.04
Secondhand stores	29	28	19	11	24,334	1,657	30,013	67,420	198,781	.24

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 42.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	2,979	2,550	7,634	1,099	\$9,297,410	\$221,392	\$9,312,603	\$13,243,280	\$91,676,340	100.00
Single-store independents.....	2,505	2,459	5,535	736	6,608,456	159,540	6,566,477	9,691,230	57,839,587	70.82
2-store independents.....	130	68	533	47	796,383	11,341	755,305	1,028,110	5,861,034	7.18
3-store independents.....	41	8	199	33	272,167	6,032	309,718	643,210	2,443,223	2.69
Local chains.....	73	7	252	54	374,108	10,039	377,347	606,640	3,093,394	3.79
Sectional chains.....	77	7	250	28	371,656	6,492	362,269	286,960	3,677,025	4.50
National chains.....	125	9	637	195	689,605	29,131	\$10,212	768,030	7,948,039	9.73
Utility-operated retail stores.....	8	7	9	4	15,556	1,010	30,699	49,790	147,321	.18
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	7	7	79	4	119,854	807	31,543	45,810	240,085	.29
Other types of operation.....	13	8	40	2	49,588	807	66,033	123,500	426,632	.52

TABLE 43.—COMBINED CITIES—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multiunits, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores.....	9	4	4	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,151,161	\$1,777,414	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	42.82	(x)	(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores.....	24	7		17	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,643,100	\$37,119		\$2,605,981	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	1.40		98.60	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores.....	58	53	5		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,589,371	\$1,387,829	\$231,542		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.43	14.57		
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores.....	32	28	2	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,179,136	\$619,067	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.50	(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores.....	67	57	8	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,047,028	\$1,742,253	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.11	(x)	(x)	
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores.....	46	34	5	6	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,277,461	\$805,531	\$157,109	\$203,244	\$111,577
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.00	12.30	15.91	8.73
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores.....	64	45	14	5	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,223,637	\$1,407,656	\$289,104	\$526,877	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.30	13.00	23.70	
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores.....	34	28	6		
Annual net sales.....	\$376,428	\$671,570	\$204,853		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.63	23.37		
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores.....	331	281	18	32	
Annual net sales.....	\$6,175,519	\$3,322,718	\$525,143	\$2,327,653	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.80	8.51	37.69	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	269	215	29	24	1
Annual net sales.....	\$9,309,869	\$5,126,897	\$1,049,269	\$3,125,703	\$8,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.07	11.27	33.57	.09
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	250	210	7	2	1
Annual net sales.....	\$2,881,551	\$2,056,651	\$198,534	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	92.20	6.89	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	47	41	2	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$409,841	\$295,796	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	72.17	(x)	(x)	
Filling stations:					
Number of stations.....	274	181	20	73	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,307,316	\$2,452,694	\$379,337	\$1,475,285	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	56.94	8.81	34.25	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards.....	24	23		1	
Annual net sales.....	\$393,037	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	133	113	16	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,024,852	\$3,244,596	\$425,684	\$355,172	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	80.61	10.56	8.83	
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	33	28	5		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,370,837	\$1,085,158	\$285,679		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.16	20.84		
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	44	37	7		
Annual net sales.....	\$768,422	\$572,961	\$195,461		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	74.56	25.44		

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TABLE 44.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	11,816	11,469	14,766	4,122	\$16,478,361	\$769,422	\$15,985,834	\$34,013,460	\$166,252,895	100.00
Food group.....	3,033	3,077	2,351	1,180	2,634,618	203,076	2,728,968	2,728,830	45,162,904	23.01
Candy and confectionery stores.....	116	122	76	33	54,968	4,790	89,146	72,010	730,450	.37
Dairy products stores.....	28	24	117	8	132,438	1,431	120,703	14,800	750,253	.38
Delicatessen stores.....	8	9	10		2,883		7,578	3,990	59,371	.03
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	73	78	51	18	36,881	4,271	46,074	22,160	438,542	.22
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1,604	1,602	707	451	832,123	80,664	848,532	1,200,280	17,801,507	9.07
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	842	859	1,043	494	1,255,453	88,912	1,217,055	1,810,500	21,638,683	11.03
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	287	304	232	115	204,460	19,805	308,789	70,090	3,073,879	1.57
Bakeries—caterers.....	66	71	107	17	108,605	3,159	85,406	18,470	633,283	.32
Other food stores.....	9	8	8	4	6,807	575	5,685	7,180	86,840	.02
General stores.....	1,287	1,418	1,133	333	1,233,630	53,559	913,399	4,419,820	28,040,290	13.27
General merchandise group.....	525	429	1,196	606	1,330,964	70,181	1,455,849	5,317,130	13,858,080	7.06
Department stores.....	7	2	97	9	136,925	2,178	115,241	297,370	1,235,567	.63
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	269	247	416	209	490,359	30,650	573,777	2,330,650	5,336,137	2.72
General merchandise stores.....	156	130	344	153	420,145	21,979	394,578	2,006,060	4,631,502	2.36
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	93	50	339	235	283,535	15,365	372,253	673,160	2,654,874	1.36
Automotive group.....	3,046	2,952	3,620	573	4,303,916	143,936	3,932,767	4,035,850	47,336,591	24.12
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	255	165	1,024	47	2,177,499	14,573	1,926,816	2,412,220	24,059,245	12.57
Automotive dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	3		17		20,700		26,800	38,000	204,202	.10
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	102	97	136	31	158,839	8,622	144,449	222,040	1,243,646	.64
Filling stations.....	1,965	1,803	1,038	292	1,002,013	71,259	1,226,136	784,000	15,373,956	7.83
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	4	4			1,871		1,871	1,300	9,806	.00
Garages and repair shops.....	712	822	783	203	900,947	49,482	589,848	547,230	5,722,239	2.92
Other automotive establishments.....	5	1	22		43,900		17,767	29,800	123,407	.06
Apparel group.....	428	363	590	203	700,356	40,711	1,040,121	3,084,010	7,981,393	4.04
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	83	68	116	40	176,719	7,114	203,990	850,630	1,866,218	.95
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	79	61	154	70	186,092	11,993	261,571	877,020	2,209,031	1.12
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	132	112	215	61	234,374	13,931	413,152	887,170	2,824,607	1.44
Women's accessories stores.....	57	51	29	11	26,242	2,715	41,813	138,080	287,353	.16
Other apparel stores.....	21	22	26	2	18,236	175	21,539	20,710	109,236	.06
Shoe stores.....	57	49	50	19	58,693	4,783	98,056	309,800	634,888	.32
Furniture and household group.....	418	305	832	160	1,072,242	37,195	1,074,355	2,700,350	7,680,718	3.99
Furniture stores.....	238	188	528	59	674,581	13,859	712,120	2,101,940	5,258,058	2.68
Household appliances stores.....	64	15	111	41	154,223	10,461	128,919	172,070	878,796	.45
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	24	23	38	18	37,426	4,308	59,491	132,280	374,236	.19
Radio and music stores.....	92	79	155	42	206,012	8,507	173,825	293,160	1,110,626	.57
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	1,082	1,183	1,832	380	900,765	56,801	892,546	189,600	5,849,976	2.98
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	814	897	1,483	285	815,101	44,324	771,900	129,630	5,040,442	2.57
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	268	286	149	75	85,664	11,477	120,646	39,970	809,534	.41
Lumber and building group.....	356	258	551	197	1,127,942	51,173	843,612	2,246,970	8,233,429	4.70
Lumber and building material dealers.....	184	111	621	127	842,868	32,893	678,328	1,887,750	7,756,100	3.95
Electrical shops (without radio).....	43	44	51	16	53,298	3,893	39,136	76,640	282,869	.14
Heating and plumbing shops.....	87	87	150	54	198,613	14,387	96,363	202,200	955,098	.49
Paint and glass stores.....	22	16	29		33,163		29,785	80,420	238,765	.12
Other retail stores.....	1,624	1,474	2,541	549	3,154,237	111,114	3,077,816	9,273,610	33,038,072	16.54
Hardware stores.....	137	116	253	25	377,457	5,868	347,601	1,705,400	3,607,664	1.84
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	51	35	140	15	202,447	3,283	209,852	873,690	2,131,125	1.09
Farmers' supplies.....	343	321	567	135	600,657	24,094	568,845	1,053,220	10,581,861	5.39
Book stores.....	14	10	14	10	17,877	2,107	28,352	77,270	199,400	.10
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	39	37	50	8	25,780	1,599	41,201	28,040	274,157	.14
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	66	55	121	31	159,339	4,629	172,583	7,530	500,565	.26
Drug stores.....	510	404	956	173	1,170,245	40,310	1,013,568	2,218,020	10,036,152	5.11
Florists.....	20	27	24	7	21,834	1,591	32,127	14,860	145,849	.08
Gift shops, novelties, and toys.....	99	107	58	39	40,936	5,836	76,448	213,260	555,494	.28
Jewelry stores.....	114	92	103	38	245,648	4,634	301,574	2,609,090	3,003,023	1.53
Music stores (without radio).....	8	7	6	1	4,900	125	6,136	10,010	39,578	.02
News dealers.....	47	35	54	6	36,920	1,206	42,158	54,950	350,152	.18
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	20	15	19	9	24,553	1,684	20,814	66,120	163,474	.08
Opticians and optometrists.....	5	5		1	520		520	2,750	18,710	.01
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	19	21	18	5	21,949	927	21,556	79,160	176,476	.09
Stations and printers.....	4	1	22	4	37,002	1,954	13,708	22,980	81,215	.04
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	128	128	156	42	165,543	10,647	183,121	230,000	1,173,177	.60
Secondhand stores.....	36	49	20	11	17,659	2,076	26,401	39,480	171,444	.09

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 45.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION BY TYPES OF OPERATION

ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	11,816	11,499	14,766	4,122	\$16,476,361	\$769,422	\$15,985,534	\$34,013,460	\$196,252,895	100.00
Single-store independents.....	10,225	10,838	11,024	3,040	11,698,572	588,743	11,805,603	23,852,470	139,752,825	71.21
2-store independents.....	289	123	698	117	814,458	27,760	796,773	2,249,010	8,657,216	4.41
3-store independents.....	92	34	211	38	325,010	6,625	389,942	2,173,110	3,862,578	1.97
Local chains.....	223	17	607	262	886,538	43,199	706,638	1,453,450	8,042,827	4.50
Sectional chains.....	232	-----	506	42	652,088	6,774	828,095	685,320	6,723,216	3.43
National chains.....	203	-----	690	373	842,271	40,246	913,718	965,910	10,807,260	5.51
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house to house).....	7	7	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,133	1,150	18,100	.01
Roadside markets or stands ¹	6	6	3	7	545	-----	1,211	490	9,005	-----
Industrial stores (including commissaries).....	60	20	170	-----	213,084	1,390	69,600	434,220	3,403,050	1.73
Utility-operated retail stores.....	39	-----	39	37	68,849	9,206	82,232	99,460	426,500	.22
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	6	-----	44	1	59,092	170	17,737	32,360	156,811	.08
Retailers—country buyers ¹	270	310	250	112	278,124	21,941	241,977	758,760	6,178,949	3.15
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	157	142	437	90	624,263	17,038	590,202	1,246,430	6,900,203	3.51
All other types.....	7	2	43	3	33,367	330	34,673	61,300	414,355	.21

¹ These classifications are used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 inhabitants. These stores are usually independently operated.

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TABLE 46.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multiunits, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores.....	7	4	2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,235,567	\$800,979	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.83	(x)	(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores.....	93	44	23	25	1
Annual net sales.....	\$2,654,874	\$549,090	\$405,047	\$1,631,728	\$0,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	20.68	17.52	61.46	.34
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores.....	83	74	7		2
Annual net sales.....	\$1,866,218	\$1,089,453	\$163,765		\$13,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.53	8.77		.70
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores.....	79	60	15	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,209,031	\$1,318,048	\$703,586	\$126,797	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.69	34.57	5.74	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores.....	132	104	17	11	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,824,667	\$1,481,584	\$471,763	\$871,320	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.45	16.70	30.85	
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores.....	57	45	7	5	
Annual net sales.....	\$634,888	\$438,768	\$91,859	\$104,261	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	69.11	14.47	16.42	
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores.....	238	198	35	2	3
Annual net sales.....	\$5,258,058	\$4,122,105	\$815,644	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.40	15.51	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores.....	92	86	5		1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,119,626	\$1,051,275	\$60,337		\$8,014
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	93.90	5.38		.72
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores.....	1,004	1,340	78	88	89
Annual net sales.....	\$17,801,597	\$8,106,606	\$2,851,573	\$5,005,685	\$827,833
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	45.82	16.02	33.51	4.65
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	842	718	46	48	30
Annual net sales.....	\$21,038,683	\$13,894,636	\$2,767,768	\$4,155,141	\$821,138
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.21	12.79	19.21	3.79
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	814	804	7	2	1
Annual net sales.....	\$5,040,442	\$4,935,697	\$72,211	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.93	1.43	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	39	37	1		1
Annual net sales.....	\$274,157	(x)	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		(x)
Filling stations:					
Number of stations.....	1,905	1,722	41	188	14
Annual net sales.....	\$15,373,950	\$11,905,761	\$418,770	\$2,627,781	\$421,638
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.44	2.72	17.10	2.74
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards.....	66	53	2	7	4
Annual net sales.....	\$500,565	\$135,630	(x)	\$280,841	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	27.10	(x)	56.10	(x)
Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	510	469	32	8	1
Annual net sales.....	\$10,036,152	\$8,074,104	\$884,595	\$151,303	\$26,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.43	8.81	4.50	.26
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	137	119	12		6
Annual net sales.....	\$3,607,064	\$2,458,834	\$411,615		\$737,215
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	67.60	11.41		20.99
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	114	100	14		
Annual net sales.....	\$3,003,023	\$1,294,399	\$1,708,024		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	43.10	56.90		