#### MONTHLY REPORT OF STATE SALES AND USE TAX GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES

Data are compiled from reports and remittances made by taxpayers, and are classified according to sales and use tax registration numbers. Detail data from this report may not be directly comparable to that in reports for other months because of corrections in registration numbers affecting collections and taxable sales within the business, county, and city classifications, and changes in the sales and use tax law. **NO** county sales and use taxes are included in this report.

## TABLE 1. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES BY COUNTIES

### March 2006 Report

County		Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales **	County	Gross Collections*	Taxable Sales**
Alamance	\$	4,263,296	\$ 96,259,534	Macon \$	1,182,491	\$ 26,247,253
Alexander	φ	4,203,290	\$ 90,239,534 9,396,673	Madison	151,112	3,302,871
Alleghany		198,212	4,406,082	Martin	460,847	10,335,055
Anson		380,286	8,658,021	McDowell	760,284	17,047,570
Ashe		434,299	9,653,993	Mecklenburg	45,747,528	1,026,110,649
Avery		645,340	14,279,178	Mitchell	377,973	8,492,908
Beaufort		1,377,413	35,949,625	Montgomery	448,883	10,437,247
Bertie		244,758	5,668,608	Moore	2,403,999	53,321,532
Bladen		443,131	9,898,056	Nash	3,197,857	78,675,574
Brunswick		2,388,830	53,098,563	New Hanover	9,311,517	210,849,857
Buncombe		9,820,848	219,527,626	Northampton	122,401	3,000,325
Burke		1,546,836	35,124,628	Onslow	4,116,324	91,164,604
Cabarrus		5,937,409	132,180,093	Orange	3,267,921	72,300,535
Caldwell		1,612,535	35,972,967	Pamlico	173,273	3,890,826
Camden		100,745	2,280,414	Pasquotank	1,380,657	30,720,478
Carteret		2,309,751	51,699,542	Pender	694,651	15,444,599
Caswell		115,379	2,579,990	Perquimans	133,379	2,956,746
Catawba		5,784,411	131,131,991	Person	791,376	17,658,778
Chatham		893,229	19,840,357	Pitt	5,166,055	118,347,996
Cherokee		952,098	21,641,340	Polk	201,563	4,499,141
Chowan		240,325	5,363,200	Randolph	2,406,710	55,400,322
Clay		153,468	3,448,220	Richmond	1,062,591	23,510,966
Cleveland		2,097,672	47,769,036	Robeson	2,493,609	55,753,757
Columbus		1,143,237	25,960,564	Rockingham	1,617,141	36,274,879
Craven		3,016,096	67,534,291	Rowan	2,598,217	57,802,009
Cumberland		9,641,133	214,606,282	Rutherford	1,281,484	29,198,709
Currituck		360,131	7,959,972	Sampson	1,219,095	29,227,645
Dare		1,726,626	38,303,219	Scotland	907,004	21,782,294
Davidson		3,338,080	75,034,512	Stanly	1,501,320	34,256,272
Davie		635,736	14,153,312	Stokes	538,662	22,831,004
Duplin		972,950	22,422,526	Surry	2,286,430	51,200,558
Durham		13,514,923	301,649,398	Swain	211,181	4,308,120
Edgecombe		937,617	21,504,617	Transylvania	698,298	15,620,400
Forsyth		13,439,108	307,483,450	Tyrrell	38,294	887,313
Franklin		1,068,468	23,979,567	Union	3,992,577	88,462,240
Gaston		5,052,299	114,255,989	Vance	1,114,043	25,005,974
Gates		42,740	1,003,051	Wake	35,781,720	794,804,207
Graham		106,417	2,338,311	Warren	144,183	3,285,416
Granville		794,269	17,816,072	Washington	165,687	3,739,823
Greene		137,458	3,138,480	Watauga	1,799,944	39,970,281
Guilford		19,409,635	436,552,361	Wayne	3,308,973	73,995,640
Halifax		1,213,032	27,126,334	Wilkes	1,329,842	29,662,582
Harnett		1,626,417	38,073,148	Wilson	2,260,067	51,150,875
Haywood		1,624,657	36,240,018	Yadkin	432,481	9,629,180
Henderson		2,503,778	56,644,001	Yancey	408,012	9,187,854
Hertford		670,124	15,212,722	Foreign	72,691,308	1,240,462,792
Hoke		283,200	6,209,010	Utility services, cable,		
Hyde		55,982	1,226,773	satellite, & liquor	67,767,466	***
Iredell		5,755,305	129,294,082	8% Hwy. use tax	3,645,770	***
Jackson		799,144	17,609,714			
Johnston		3,643,480 88,328	81,169,048 1,977,145			
Jones Lee		88,528 1,776,904				
Lee Lenoir		2,047,228	41,125,635 51,991,007			
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Lincoln		1,478,663	33,468,634	TOTALS \$	435,053,379	\$ 7,801,106,

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\*\*\* Sales not tabulated.

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## TABLE 2. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES

BY CITIES WITH POPULATION IN EXCESS OF 5,000<sup>1</sup>

March 2006 Report

	Gross	Taxable		Gross	Taxable
City	Collections*	Sales**	City	Collections*	Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 886,261	\$ 19,773,429	Kings Mountain	\$ 224,763	\$ 5,125,481
Apex	1,319,923	29,128,315	Kinston	1,605,482	41,606,873
Archdale	194,412	4,368,997	Knightdale	351,871	7,793,946
Asheboro	1,228,319	28,474,265	Laurinburg	663,781	14,671,514
Asheville	7,615,422	170,281,778	Lenoir	899,033	20,161,758
Belmont	268,840	5,931,832	Lewisville	50,028	1,110,853
Bessemer City	78,499	1,797,127	Lexington	1,708,002	37,976,779
Black Mountain	218,913	4,826,454	LincoInton	642,279	14,331,839
Boone	1,157,011	25,725,885	Lumberton	1,518,043	33,503,352
Brevard	447,634	9,961,570	Matthews	2,065,605	45,936,269
Burlington	3,025,210	67,581,688	Mebane	447,853	9,934,785
Carrboro	356,031	7,906,701	Mint Hill	85,684	1,903,331
Cary	4,117,632	91,720,446	Monroe	2,212,700	48,988,814
Chapel Hill	2,122,608	46,960,293	Mooresville	2,336,356	51,978,283
Charlotte	35,592,241	799,394,666	Morehead City	1,360,350	30,364,152
Cherryville	139,581	3,113,854	Morganton	1,068,152	24,141,740
Clayton	776,035	17,085,614	Morrisville	1,062,513	23,567,958
Clemmons	335,996	7,670,466	Mt. Airy	1,210,053	26,922,205
Clinton	738,586	18,387,740	Mt. Holly	91,867	2,012,216
Concord	4,173,321	93,024,490	New Bern	2,169,786	48,664,813
Conover	315,121	7,086,706	Newton	302,952	6,762,842
Cornelius	711,452	15,990,531	Oak Island	28,425	655,898
Davidson	187,594	4.206.978	Oxford	385,743	8,718,283
Dunn	858,527	19,634,278	Pinehurst	311,663	6,925,232
Durham	12,162,403	271,957,304	Raleigh	21,572,135	478,521,615
Eden	511,485	11,473,053	Reidsville	513,237	11,394,684
Edenton	207,641	4,608,344	Roanoke Rapids	829,426	18,440,112
Elizabeth City	1,180,457	26,169,655	Rockingham	755,586	16,730,898
Elon	30,735	689,198	Rocky Mount	2,702,442	66,403,735
Fayetteville	7,872,302	175,094,924	Roxboro	680,587	15,325,919
Forest City	483,183	11,054,162	Salisbury	1,876,139	41,469,143
Fuquay-Varina	804,447	17,976,950	Sanford	1,516,721	33,991,648
Garner	1,713,439	37,803,855	Selma	183,970	4,101,092
Gastonia	3,873,385	87,287,412	Shelby	1,246,800	27,925,047
Goldsboro	2,689,658	59,911,365	Siler City	346,247	7,695,250
Graham	315,999	7,742,893	Smithfield	1,156,641	25,868,474
Greensboro	14,739,775	331,799,454	Southern Pines	1,084,358	24,236,221
Greenville	3,999,330	91,641,259	Spring Lake	433,465	9,683,070
Hamlet	82,657	1,847,156	Statesville	2,300,012	51,384,282
Havelock	310,796	6,988,400	Summerfield	35,728	790,471
Henderson	883,254	19,794,013	Tarboro	442,498	10,278,106
Hendersonville	1,670,813	37,315,257	Thomasville	801,805	18,204,884
Hickory	4,528,753	101,095,182	Trinity	10,266	218,150
High Point	3,272,072	74,054,811	Wake Forest	1,072,518	23,986,573
Hillsborough	528,047	11,679,839	Washington	890,913	20,411,140
Holly Springs	123,700	2,677,353	Waynesville	913,428	20,324,152
Hope Mills	446,728	10,035,362	Weddington	32,239	712,188
Huntersville	1,265,582	28,434,306	Whiteville	756,694	17,056,778
Indian Trail	621,969		Williamston	756,694 349,653	7,791,035
Jacksonville	3,263,910	13,514,144 72,222,799		7,895,721	179,042,176
			Wilmington Wilson		
Kannapolis	853,227	18,970,553	Wilson Winston Salam	1,952,328	43,747,577
Kernersville	1,227,772	30,525,493	Winston-Salem	10,424,049	235,536,612
Kill Devil Hills	285,701	6,344,179	TOTATS	¢ 000 ECA 000	¢ 4 000 EEC E00
King	171,411	3,803,474	TOTALS	\$ 222,564,389	\$ 4,999,576,500

<sup>1</sup>Estimated population as of April 1, 2000, prepared by the U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

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# TABLE 3. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND TAXABLE SALES BY TYPES OF BUSINESSES

Type of business <b>1%, 2%, 2.5% and 3% Tax Group</b> 001 Manufactured homes - 2% 002 Airplanes, boats - 3% 004 Modular Homes - 2.5% 009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	\$	Gross Collections* 2,853,797		Taxable Sales**	Type of business		Gross Collections*		Taxable Sales**
<ul> <li>001 Manufactured homes - 2%</li> <li>002 Airplanes, boats - 3%</li> <li>004 Modular Homes - 2.5%</li> <li>009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%</li> </ul>	\$	2.853.797							
<ul> <li>002 Airplanes, boats - 3%</li> <li>004 Modular Homes - 2.5%</li> <li>009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%</li> </ul>			\$	216,368,517	Lumber & Building Material Group - 4.5%	\$	51,038,009	\$	1,131,918,899
004 Modular Homes - 2.5% 009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%		326,200		16,309,833	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators		1,993,473		44,509,381
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%		419,439		16,480,528	602 Building hardware and machine stores		441,675		9,752,796
farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%		415,981		16,639,156	603 Building material dealers		34,610,484		767,976,805
other - 1%					604 Cabinet shops 605 Electrical, plumbing and heating		1,629,999		35,957,953
		1,692,177		166,939,000	supply dealers		9,519,333		210,710,643
Annoval Chaun 459/		1,092,177		100,959,000	606 Monument and tombstone dealers		64,528		1,423,419
Apparel Group - 4.5%	\$	11,006,605	\$	243,826,630	607 Others		1,712,450		37,984,624
101 Boot and shoe stores		1,481,007		32,872,396	608 Storm window and door dealers		1,066,068		23,603,278
102 Clothing stores		8,674,578		192,159,204					
103 Furriers		9,950		221,100	Unclassified Group - 4.5%	\$	114,591,719	\$	2,138,017,202
104 Haberdasheries		26,827		594,767	701 Beauty and barber shops and				
105 Millinery shops		11,697		259,918	supply dealers		1,171,187		25,662,644
106 Shoe repair shops		261,248		5,786,189	702 Bookstores, school supply stores		2,544,662		56,298,670
107 Others		541,299		11,933,056	703 Newsstands 704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled		441,474		9,720,663
Automotive Group - 4.5%	¢	20,026,373	¢	441,511,069	gas dealers		3,248,263		72.074.581
201 Motor vehicle dealers	Ψ	3,198,208	φ	70,550,802	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries		379,233		8,416,453
202 Service stations		2,317,199		51,060,076	706 Florists and nurseries		1,562,382		33,882,414
203 Garages		1,652,723		35,727,935	707 Airplane dealers		749,385		16,628,361
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers		696,422		15,381,693	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.		6,412,867		141,990,419
205 Automotive supply stores		6,187,574		136,495,979	709 Office machine and supply dealers		10,568,073		234,038,258
206 Others		654,511		14,407,509	710 Funeral homes		792,136		17,048,911
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers		3,131,406		69,525,495	711 Others		73,509,395		1,230,685,414
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers		1,972,664		43,602,930	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers		1,257,398		27,631,295
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	5	215,667		4,758,650	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters,				
F 10 450	<b></b>	(2.220.444	ሐ	1 252 404 504	engravers, etc.		2,660,181		58,425,585
Food Group - 4.5%	\$	<b>62,230,444</b>	\$	1,372,484,784	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.		1,080,622		23,874,287 58,498,818
<ul><li>301 Bakeries</li><li>302 Candy and confectionery stores</li></ul>		353,100 153,624		7,908,816 3,375,313	715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc. 716 Boat and marine supply dealers		2,634,847 430,541		9,370,138
303 Dairies and dairy bars		316,759		6,848,356	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops		2,899,899		64,178,939
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.		18,410,050		406,984,887	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper		2,099,099		01,170,555
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands		3,138,362		69,619,887	products dealers		1,774,436		39,254,381
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills,		- , ,			719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.		474,738		10,336,971
snack bars, etc.		38,033,934		838,275,669					
307 Others		384,971		8,362,987					
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.		1,439,644		31,108,869					
Furniture Group - 4.5%	\$	16,258,091	\$	359,318,253	Total Retail Sales and Use Group	\$	363,640,144	\$	7,801,106,638
401 Furniture stores		6,800,778		150,614,549	-				
402 Household appliance dealers and					Utility Services, Cable, Satellite and Liquor	•			
repair services		4,144,919		91,966,532	2.83%, 3% and 7%	\$	67,767,466		***
403 Musical merchandise dealers		548,234		12,083,672					
404 Industrial, office and store furniture		022 112		10 467 205	8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing	\$	3,645,770		***
and fixture dealers		832,113		18,467,285					
405 Others 406 Awning and venetian blind dealers		347,326 129,121		7,700,408 2,806,523					
400 Awing and venetian bind dealers 407 Antique dealers; interior decorators		1,200,813		26,264,952					
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers		2,254,787		49,414,332	Grand Total - All Groups	\$	435,053,379	\$	7,801,106,638
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General Merchandise Group - 4.5% 501 Department stores	\$	<b>85,635,106</b> 9,036,318	\$	<b>1,897,661,284</b> 200,653,465					
502 Drugstores; drug and medical		9,030,318		200,055,405	* Gross collections reported during the month	of I	March 2006, in	clud	ing
supply houses		5,719,546		126,890,216	collections of penalties, interest, and sales a				C
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops		343,752		7,621,120	1				
504 Farm implement and supply stores		1,958,944		43,382,181	** Amounts shown are total taxable sales repo	rted	on sales		
505 Discount stores; general stores		30,369,571		674,902,233	and use tax returns submitted during March	200	6. Data reflec	t sal	es
506 Hardware stores		2,070,991		46,064,752	primarily in February 2006, but may includ	e sal	les from prior p	perio	ods.
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock									
repair shops		2,295,065		50,678,946	*** Sales not tabulated.				
508 Leather and leather goods stores		33,265		738,601	Manthla also and an the second second			1.1	
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers		4,184,608		92,548,359	Monthly sales and use tax reports are not con- for pariods prior to July 2005. In Fiscal Van				
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets		602,680		13,194,334	for periods prior to July 2005. In Fiscal Yea				
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops 512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores		2,563,015 2,997,417		56,575,173 66,596,402	Tax Agreement requires a change in the Sale not all taxpayers report Gross Retail Sales.				
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores 513 Others		2,997,417 18,706,577		412,567,136	for July 2005, we will report only Gross Coll				
515 Others 514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores		810,141		17,836,284	ouly 2000, we will report only Gross Con		unu tuadi		
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.		478,011		10,598,231					
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515 Pawn snops; army surplus stores, etc. 516 Road building equipment and supply deale	rs	2,000,010		59,109,529					

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