

MONTHLY REPORT OF STATE SALES AND USE TAX GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES

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

September 2004 Report

County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Alamance	\$ 4,031,528	\$ 155,215,065	Macon	\$ 1,434,807	\$ 46,828,838
Alexander	414,221	20,652,198	Madison	182,445	7,383,750
Alleghany	244,301	10,133,346	Martin	386,866	14,850,005
Anson	389,215	19,024,680	McDowell	731,571	38,045,639
Ashe	547,293	25,928,626	Mecklenburg	42,597,062	1,516,008,178
Avery	653,045	23,188,931	Mitchell	436,921	20,221,791
Beaufort	1,172,200	49,071,688	Montgomery	404,825	22,847,366
Bertie	126,779	7,831,833	Moore	2,393,370	98,210,568
Bladen	573,245	36,803,553	Nash	2,728,485	117,275,369
Brunswick	3,416,012	108,575,402	New Hanover	9,141,054	325,859,449
Buncombe	9,384,319	323,095,600	Northampton	110,125	5,234,801
Burke	1,486,106	66,843,961	Onslow	3,744,911	121,180,226
Cabarrus	5,247,159	204,865,674	Orange	3,368,357	126,936,722
Caldwell	1,379,332	58,150,201	Pamlico	151,458	5,962,804
Camden	87,262	3,487,458	Pasquotank	1,303,879	49,584,269
Carteret	3,203,767	102,493,085	Pender	894,667	32,808,570
Caswell	136,462	6,528,524	Perquimans	109,134	4,183,278
Catawba	5,548,106	228,632,148	Person	760,036	32,638,156
Chatham	811,458	37,114,709	Pitt	4,981,996	188,563,148
Cherokee	848,424	36,196,740	Polk	221,157	10,481,264
Chowan	254,855	13,074,959	Randolph	2,530,426	95,974,158
Clay	194,865	13,196,954	Richmond	774,290	31,900,927
Cleveland	2,108,794	85,261,528	Robeson	2,161,623	90,159,116
Columbus	934,064	45,078,247	Rockingham	1,326,379	55,647,428
Craven	2,243,920	88,741,594	Rowan	2,588,207	105,510,143
Cumberland	8,539,616	299,992,094	Rutherford	1,277,110	46,912,914
Currituck	1,393,615	41,308,327	Sampson	1,010,990	49,801,222
Dare	8,150,542	218,145,657	Scotland	879,900	37,414,769
Davidson	2,611,572	125,842,687	Stanly	1,455,940	58,148,872
Davie	499,743	21,807,895	Stokes	533,386	34,580,877
Duplin	728,696	33,093,452	Surry	1,999,948	88,276,463
Durham	12,741,187	415,433,887	Swain	236,315	8,924,863
Edgecombe	965,771	37,305,274	Transylvania	750,778	24,695,844
Forsyth	13,984,058	516,061,100	Tyrrell	33,543	1,622,098
Franklin	840,973	35,955,317	Union	3,228,009	128,291,952
Gaston	4,795,293	192,967,773	Vance	1,095,112	46,677,016
Gates	44,045	2,960,950	Wake	32,934,804	1,205,528,070
Graham	145,572	5,172,664	Warren	150,890	9,268,765
Granville	669,553	37,664,891	Washington	167,162	9,485,727
Greene	161,193	6,202,079	Watauga	2,443,943	76,666,182
Guilford	19,576,168	771,276,860	Wayne	3,037,745	105,074,777
Halifax	1,157,481	52,658,244	Wilkes	1,468,832	64,611,473
Harnett	1,570,301	67,647,454	Wilson	2,208,978	96,241,566
Haywood	1,695,473	65,982,199	Yadkin	474,730	20,098,766
Henderson	2,926,460	115,994,562	Yancey	339,290	11,207,212
Hertford	656,064	29,004,478	Foreign	47,837,275	1,942,171,333
Hoke	292,006	11,923,021	Utility services,		
Hyde	207,629	5,587,408	satellite, & liquor	62,355,522	***
Iredell	4,458,759	179,440,339	8% Hwy. use tax	4,318,422	***
Jackson	1,108,380	32,181,426			
Johnston	3,479,059	134,215,965			
Jones	133,764	4,071,468			
Lee	1,873,749	74,313,117			
Lenoir	1,605,282	76,113,028			
Lincoln	1,369,554	57,683,132	TOTALS	\$ 399,520,965	\$ 12,667,190,176

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**TABLE 2. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES
BY CITIES WITH POPULATION IN EXCESS OF 5,000¹**

September 2004 Report

City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 832,663	\$ 34,000,598	Kings Mountain	\$ 243,899	\$ 9,893,256
Apex	1,072,451	37,994,915	Kinston	1,247,771	61,298,358
Archdale	251,462	9,495,667	Knightdale	360,649	11,468,994
Asheboro	1,276,850	45,676,775	Laurinburg	689,954	29,764,346
Asheville	7,128,980	232,416,679	Lenoir	795,509	29,853,201
Belmont	400,643	22,566,387	Lewisville	90,793	4,284,281
Bessemer City	58,535	2,780,890	Lexington	1,142,206	50,820,025
Black Mountain	246,187	13,047,362	Lincolnton	616,340	26,264,278
Boone	1,532,323	52,429,713	Lumberton	1,319,962	50,030,922
Brevard	503,924	16,193,017	Matthews	1,672,026	56,289,734
Burlington	2,948,124	99,679,009	Mebane	379,823	18,444,599
Carrboro	337,205	11,539,485	Mint Hill	182,247	9,388,857
Cary	4,309,349	176,790,864	Monroe	1,657,841	69,276,708
Chapel Hill	2,380,350	85,245,425	Mooreville	1,709,555	60,944,832
Charlotte	32,588,615	1,183,000,726	Morehead City	1,534,098	48,857,216
Cherryville	118,745	5,364,724	Morganton	964,597	44,480,041
Clayton	648,158	23,854,858	Morrisville	986,504	32,389,324
Clemmons	377,125	14,791,728	Mt. Airy	1,064,289	49,776,545
Clinton	603,963	26,601,181	Mt. Holly	96,548	4,340,024
Concord	3,233,445	135,903,580	New Bern	1,646,493	59,835,286
Conover	253,748	17,685,315	Newton	293,799	12,756,765
Cornelius	1,281,303	59,806,865	Oak Island	46,394	1,345,826
Davidson	216,510	6,733,808	Oxford	387,882	19,718,744
Dunn	811,682	31,069,131	Pinehurst	542,328	19,539,664
Durham	11,372,775	366,152,282	Raleigh	19,700,752	696,994,016
Eden	418,425	15,380,904	Reidsville	413,601	21,535,928
Edenton	219,465	12,067,064	Roanoke Rapids	754,494	29,870,930
Elizabeth City	1,011,938	40,603,997	Rockingham	560,205	20,321,240
Elon	48,479	3,627,867	Rocky Mount	2,315,761	92,920,808
Fayetteville	7,009,068	245,241,172	Roxboro	652,241	27,145,036
Forest City	410,811	16,101,593	Salisbury	1,806,953	67,720,988
Fuquay-Varina	645,609	26,748,768	Sanford	1,532,626	59,812,752
Garner	1,522,484	49,698,474	Selma	184,198	7,194,046
Gastonia	3,504,760	122,782,809	Shelby	1,238,437	52,264,103
Goldsboro	2,406,419	81,138,904	Siler City	401,844	15,013,727
Graham	277,602	12,754,913	Smithfield	1,014,145	36,766,498
Greensboro	14,239,648	519,637,104	Southern Pines	911,022	35,428,496
Greenville	3,898,550	144,281,297	Spring Lake	338,707	12,079,215
Hamlet	59,010	4,917,025	Statesville	1,974,797	83,498,890
Havelock	266,339	9,503,574	Summerfield	42,848	1,868,167
Henderson	833,785	35,384,123	Tarboro	452,483	16,292,615
Hendersonville	1,857,375	72,304,113	Thomasville	707,291	34,199,674
Hickory	4,053,581	154,760,980	Trinity	10,515	241,121
High Point	3,185,732	145,249,333	Wake Forest	890,028	31,175,092
Hillsborough	481,952	20,087,241	Washington	630,876	26,288,917
Holly Springs	127,461	5,924,534	Waynesville	830,895	33,718,811
Hope Mills	393,723	15,436,141	Weddington	26,813	1,363,762
Huntersville	1,073,674	35,940,581	Whiteville	575,888	27,704,222
Indian Trail	398,208	12,749,939	Williamston	289,013	10,543,011
Jacksonville	2,782,293	89,743,738	Wilmington	7,140,545	255,061,037
Kannapolis	743,889	27,732,946	Wilson	1,939,410	75,864,176
Kernersville	1,284,945	54,668,288	Winston-Salem	11,054,904	403,020,224
Kill Devil Hills	1,055,130	29,724,222			
King	212,953	15,264,358	TOTALS	\$ 207,271,225	\$ 7,687,246,314

¹ 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 GROSS RETAIL SALES BY TYPES OF BUSINESSES

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Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
1%, 2% and 3% Tax Group	\$ 6,137,946	\$ 418,065,215	Lumber & Building Material Group - 4.5%	\$ 48,264,486	\$ 1,323,643,030
001 Manufactured homes - 2%	534,669	26,733,656	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators	2,130,223	72,813,587
002 Airplanes, boats, etc. - 3%	1,046,611	40,255,712	602 Building hardware and machine stores	254,212	10,620,978
004 Modular Homes - 2.5%	609,571	24,379,881	603 Building material dealers	32,236,408	849,959,050
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	3,947,095	326,695,966	604 Cabinet shops	1,587,253	34,935,793
			605 Electrical, plumbing and heating supply dealers	9,327,962	270,413,504
Apparel Group - 4.5%	\$ 9,058,590	\$ 264,946,342	606 Monument and tombstone dealers	48,714	2,847,496
101 Boot and shoe stores	1,272,473	33,941,202	607 Others	1,651,610	54,077,658
102 Clothing stores	7,006,974	195,473,792	608 Storm window and door dealers	1,028,103	27,974,964
103 Furrriers	3,419	87,825	Unclassified Group - 4.5%	\$ 100,649,963	\$ 3,431,402,000
104 Haberdasheries	22,038	666,095	701 Beauty and barber shops and supply dealers	858,426	26,695,675
105 Millinery shops	11,129	267,861	702 Bookstores, school supply stores	5,407,416	135,968,257
106 Shoe repair shops	177,486	4,373,290	703 Newsstands	590,238	23,824,259
107 Others	565,071	30,136,277	704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled gas dealers	1,370,230	113,810,515
Automotive Group - 4.5%	\$ 18,995,443	\$ 1,512,414,951	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries	197,600	13,013,572
201 Motor vehicle dealers	3,456,553	689,051,816	706 Florists and nurseries	1,247,538	38,253,100
202 Service stations	2,231,079	162,831,086	707 Airplane dealers	618,227	24,541,713
203 Garages	1,712,813	75,536,293	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.	14,808,264	353,986,652
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers	883,234	40,748,135	709 Office machine and supply dealers	9,003,961	302,400,231
205 Automotive supply stores	5,614,870	225,967,208	710 Funeral homes	765,549	24,840,729
206 Others	437,790	34,279,688	711 Others	52,863,261	1,901,915,907
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers	2,397,903	184,518,270	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers	1,481,304	48,360,935
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers	2,082,561	78,935,709	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters, engravers, etc.	3,154,641	131,790,539
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	178,641	20,546,746	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.	1,202,538	30,347,690
Food Group - 4.5%	\$ 64,156,851	\$ 2,521,292,104	715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc.	2,737,498	83,630,442
301 Bakeries	360,778	12,873,886	716 Boat and marine supply dealers	676,579	27,667,674
302 Candy and confectionery stores	129,410	4,187,215	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops	1,134,045	36,539,630
303 Dairies and dairy bars	470,288	12,572,761	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper products dealers	2,000,991	84,313,481
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.	22,293,679	1,415,230,391	719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.	531,656	29,500,999
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands	2,160,969	101,351,304			
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills, snack bars, etc.	37,162,227	922,273,551	Total Retail Sales and Use Group	\$ 332,847,021	\$ 12,667,190,176
307 Others	306,635	18,776,370	Utility Services, Satellite and Liquor - 2.83%, 3%, 5% and 6%	\$ 62,355,522	***
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.	1,272,863	34,026,626	8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing	\$ 4,318,422	***
Furniture Group - 4.5%	\$ 14,421,140	\$ 441,054,555	Grand Total - All Groups	\$ 399,520,965	\$ 12,667,190,176
401 Furniture stores	5,931,082	179,701,375			
402 Household appliance dealers and repair services	3,308,420	101,743,075			
403 Musical merchandise dealers	611,969	16,888,396			
404 Industrial, office and store furniture and fixture dealers	883,445	30,208,651			
405 Others	316,436	11,296,227			
406 Awning and venetian blind dealers	150,822	3,907,184			
407 Antique dealers; interior decorators	1,238,794	34,795,885			
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers	1,980,172	62,513,762			
General Merchandise Group - 4.5%	\$ 71,162,602	\$ 2,754,371,978			
501 Department stores	6,230,840	157,707,395			
502 Drugstores; drug and medical supply houses	4,332,636	478,111,851			
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops	265,751	14,679,197			
504 Farm implement and supply stores	1,916,099	67,222,878			
505 Discount stores; general stores	25,659,959	802,610,855			
506 Hardware stores	2,063,166	61,508,786			
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock repair shops	1,522,360	41,905,938			
508 Leather and leather goods stores	35,819	2,475,327			
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers	3,804,358	172,148,310			
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets	365,305	9,476,162			
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops	2,602,384	77,072,303			
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores	2,534,548	62,204,535			
513 Others	14,299,616	650,817,259			
514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores	1,525,181	41,329,263			
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.	326,041	8,669,021			
516 Road building equipment and supply dealers	2,490,010	76,077,571			
517 Gift and novelty shops; coin dealers	1,188,530	30,355,327			

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