Table 21.04-- GENERAL EXCISE TAX BASE FOR CONTRACTING: 1992 TO 2009

[In thousands of dollars. Data are on a cash basis accounting. Calendar year in which reported, including "prior years" reports. Income received in December is reported the following January, hence these annual totals generally refer to income received in the 12-month period ending November 30]

Year	Amount	Year	Amount	Year	Amount
1992	4,012,688	1998	3,015,977	2004	4,921,512
1993	3,803,605	1999	2,991,201	2004	5,851,033
1994	3,322,339	2000	3,613,485	2006	7,223,334
1995	3,133,510	2001	3,766,404	2007	8,072,912
1996	3,285,106	2002	4,274,956	2008	7,987,126
1997	2,944,427	2003	4,536,323	2009	6,641,660

Source: Hawaii State Department of Taxation, *General Excise and Use Tax Collections* (annual calendar year summary) http://www.state.hi.us/tax/a5_3txcolrptarchive.htm accessed May 12, 2010.