

**Table 23.06-- PRIVATE INDUSTRY RETAIL EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES,
ANNUAL AVERAGES: 1996**

SIC code	Retail trade	No. of establishments	Average employment	Total wages (\$1,000)	Average wage
	Total	7,288	113,743	1,916,505	16,849
5251	Hardware stores	56	1,016	22,529	22,166
5261	Retail nurseries and garden stores	18	129	2,191	16,951
5311	Department stores	53	10,985	182,772	16,638
5399	Misc. general merchandise stores	72	651	9,696	14,894
5411	Grocery stores	378	11,463	218,558	19,066
5421	Meat and fish markets	52	318	5,377	16,922
5441	Candy, nut, and confectionery stores	47	367	3,487	9,494
5461	Retail bakeries	119	1,218	16,441	13,496
5499	Misc. food stores	89	766	10,168	13,266
5511	New and used car dealers	77	3,665	134,366	36,662
5521	Used car dealers	21	136	4,336	31,943
5531	Auto and home supply stores	170	1,543	36,126	23,415
5541	Gasoline service stations	287	3,364	52,105	15,491
5571	Motorcycle dealers	17	161	3,861	23,954
5611	Men's and boys' clothing stores	62	932	13,114	14,078
5621	Women's clothing stores	238	2,158	35,513	16,458
5632	Women's accessory and specialty stores	97	906	21,298	23,501
5641	Children's and infants' wear stores	24	189	1,905	10,082
5651	Family clothing stores	147	2,330	36,524	15,673
5661	Shoe stores	110	1,370	26,772	19,547
5699	Misc. apparel and accessory stores	176	1,350	22,375	16,576
5712	Furniture stores	92	683	19,450	28,460
5713	Floor covering stores	29	261	6,821	26,159
5714	Drapery and upholstery stores	12	32	690	21,573
5719	Misc. homefurnishing stores	51	366	5,626	15,360
5722	Household appliance stores	61	264	6,019	22,806
5731	Radio, TV, and electronic stores	91	621	12,512	20,145
5734	Computer and software stores	58	512	12,218	23,844
5735	Record and prerecorded tape stores	33	497	6,118	12,321
5736	Musical instrument stores	14	113	2,273	20,097
581	Eating and drinking places	2,569	47,040	607,408	12,913
5912	Drug stores and proprietary stores	159	3,485	93,633	26,869
5932	Used merchandise stores	52	223	3,439	15,394
5941	Sporting goods and bicycle shops	163	1,322	20,778	15,721
5942	Book stores	60	644	9,114	14,155
5943	Stationery stores	22	289	6,434	22,296
5944	Jewelry stores	358	2,121	51,549	24,299

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5945	Hobby, toy, and game shops	38	389	4,045	10,406
5946	Camera and photographic supply stores	10	51	821	16,074
5947	Gift, novelty, and souvenir shops	316	3,681	72,820	19,782
5948	Luggage and leather goods stores	29	443	12,881	29,065
5949	Sewing, needlework, and piece goods	27	214	2,795	13,082
5963	Direct selling establishments	43	188	4,735	25,188
5992	Florists	132	663	8,540	12,888
5995	Optical goods stores	41	260	5,364	20,616
5999	Misc. retail stores, not elsewhere classified	313	1,781	34,949	19,621

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, *Employment and Wages Annual Averages, 1996*.