

3.—Wholesale Trade, classified by Major Type of Operation and Kind of Business, 1951—continued

Major Type of Operation and Kind of Business	Estab- lish- ments	Sales	Employees		Payroll	Stocks on Hand, Dec. 31
			Minimum	Maximum		
	No.	\$'000	No.	No.	\$'000	\$'000
Wholesalers Proper—concl.						
Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	698	317,187	7,185	10,280	22,682	35,739
Machinery equipment and supplies....	1,549	605,982	13,900	16,909	46,528	109,323
Metals and metal work.....	141	216,953	1,539	1,927	5,952	15,678
Paper and paper products.....	320	212,621	3,740	4,375	10,807	16,014
Petroleum and petroleum products....	6	1	1	1	1	1
Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	207	105,849	2,395	2,965	8,276	14,365
Waste materials (including scrap metal)	444	139,815	2,912	3,886	8,214	10,271
Other kinds of business.....	513	89,747	3,281	4,237	8,110	9,996
Totals, Wholesalers Proper.....	10,486	5,492,741	105,692	130,637	312,141	674,160
Petroleum Bulk Tank Stations.....	3,880	1,020,249	13,146	16,043	38,597	78,974
Assemblers of Primary Products—						
Farm products (raw materials).....	5,941	1,160,336	9,289	11,185	25,265	129,809
Farm supplies.....	120	34,154	686	1,220	1,889	3,847
Food products (except groceries) and tobacco.....	1,053	302,046	5,031	11,257	15,203	17,091
Forest products (except lumber).....	62	21,081	563	1,543	1,125	928
Other kinds of business.....	1					
Totals, Assemblers of Primary Products.....	7,177	1,517,617	15,569	25,205	43,483	151,675
Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices—						
Amusement, sporting and photographic goods.....	18	7,723	154	202	547	1,287
Automotive.....	135	315,512	2,382	2,847	8,555	18,864
Beer, wine and distilled spirits.....	20	17,141	306	369	1,041	2,678
Chemicals, drugs and allied products..	158	259,008	2,675	2,859	8,318	12,606
Coal and coke.....	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dry goods and apparel.....	204	273,884	2,033	2,334	7,158	11,335
Electrical goods.....	187	407,995	4,464	5,355	13,981	40,119
Farm products (raw materials).....	6	1	1	1	1	1
Farm supplies.....	38	16,132	173	191	404	1,284
Food products (except groceries) and tobacco.....	189	274,113	2,863	3,510	8,969	21,115
Forest products (except lumber).....	2	1	1	1	1	1
Furniture and house furnishings.....	81	29,574	389	490	1,431	2,639
General merchandise.....	4	2,809	75	86	216	859
Groceries and food specialties.....	275	307,436	3,679	4,005	10,717	21,027
Hardware.....	28	15,913	188	216	637	2,905
Jewellery.....	10	3,722	46	53	161	431
Leather and leather goods.....	15	7,722	86	91	347	619
Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	256	303,225	3,441	4,126	11,836	14,771
Machinery, equipment and supplies....	580	465,116	8,534	9,934	27,735	56,386
Metals and metal work.....	105	581,191	1,185	1,395	4,837	23,084
Paper and paper products.....	168	326,918	1,229	1,358	5,506	3,836
Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	107	104,194	1,357	1,570	5,456	9,007
Other kinds of business.....	115	49,887	1,004	1,189	2,989	4,624
Totals, Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices.....	2,702	3,794,925	36,386	42,432	121,491	250,610
Agents and Brokers—						
Amusement, sporting and photographic goods.....	12	1,914	21	29	55	136
Automotive.....	32	13,618	200	250	713	926
Beer, wine and distilled spirits.....	20	6,831	42	49	188	33
Chemicals, drugs and allied products..	42	15,348	253	299	840	1,527
Coal and coke.....	21	10,866	71	84	217	159
Dry goods and apparel.....	512	191,520	948	1,105	3,246	2,949
Electrical goods.....	79	31,712	320	399	1,065	1,940
Farm products (raw materials).....	117	1,345,002	704	1,125	2,593	45,994
Farm supplies.....	14	17,175	139	165	363	855
Food products (except groceries) and tobacco.....	110	138,226	324	467	1,032	2,619

For footnote, see end of table.