



FORM

CB-5502

1992 CENSUS OF RETAIL TRADE
TIRES, BATTERIES, PARTS, ACCESSORIES

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
1201 East 10th Street
Jeffersonville, IN 47134-0001

Toll-free assistance, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.,
eastern time, Monday through Friday:

1-800-233-6136

*Please read the accompanying
instructions before answering
the questions.*

Census use

(Please correct any errors in name, address, and ZIP Code.)

YOUR RESPONSE IS REQUIRED BY LAW. Title 13, United States Code, requires businesses and other organizations that receive this questionnaire to answer the questions and return the report to the Census Bureau. By the same law, **YOUR CENSUS REPORT IS CONFIDENTIAL.** It may be seen only by Census Bureau employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Further, copies retained in respondents' files are immune from legal process.

Item 1. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Is the Employer Identification (EI) Number shown in the label the same as the one used for this establishment on its latest 1992 Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, Treasury Form 941?

094 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No - Report current EI No. below

(9 digits)

HOW TO
REPORT
DOLLAR
FIGURES

Dollar figures should be rounded
to thousands of dollars.

Example: If a figure
is \$1,125,628.79 • Preferred
report

Acceptable

Mil- lions (000)	Thou- sands (000)	Dol- lars (000)
1	128	
1	125	629

Item 4. DOLLAR VOLUME OF BUSINESS

Mil.	Thou.	Dol.
010		

Sales of merchandise and other
operating receipts for 1992 (Exclude
sales or other taxes collected)

Item 2. PHYSICAL LOCATION

a. Is this establishment's physical location the same as the address shown in the label? (P.O. box and rural route addresses are not physical locations)

093 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No - Report physical location below

Number and street

City, town, village, etc.

State

ZIP Code

Item 5. PAYROLL

Mil.	Thou.	Dol.
030		

Payroll in 1992, BEFORE DEDUCTIONS

a. Annual

Mil.	Thou.	Dol.
031		

b. First quarter (January-March)

Item 6. EMPLOYMENT

Number
032

Number of paid employees for pay
period including March 12, 1992
(Include both full- and part-time
employees)

b. Is this establishment physically located inside the legal
boundaries of the city, town, village, etc.?

095 1 ☐ Yes 3 ☐ No legal boundaries
2 ☐ No 4 ☐ Do not know

c. In what type of municipality is this establishment
physically located?

098 1 ☐ City, village, or borough
2 ☐ Town or township
3 ☐ Other - Specify _____
4 ☐ Do not know

d. In what county is this establishment physically located?

Item 3. OPERATIONAL STATUS

Number of months

a. How many months during 1992 was
this establishment actively operated?

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b. Which of the following best describes this
establishment's status at the end of 1992?
Mark (X) only ONE box.

001 1 ☐ In operation
2 ☐ Temporarily or seasonally inactive
3 ☐ Ceased operation - Give date at right
4 ☐ Sold or leased to another operator -
Give date at right AND enter name,
etc., below

Figures only

Month Year

Name of new owner or operator

Number and street

City

State

ZIP Code

Item 7. KIND OF BUSINESS

What was this establishment's PRINCIPAL
kind of business in 1992? Mark (X) only
ONE box.

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New tire dealer ☐ 553121
Auto supply store ☐ 553111
Home and auto supply store ☐ 553131
Used automobile parts dealer ☐ 501500
Automotive scrap dealer ☐ 509310
Gasoline service station ☐ 554111
Truck stop ☐ 554121
Tire retreading and repair shop ☐ 753400
Motor vehicle dealer (new and used) ☐ 551101
Motor vehicle dealer (used only) ☐ 552101
Boat dealer ☐ 555101
Recreational vehicle dealer ☐ 556101
Motorcycle, motor scooter dealer ☐ 557101
Automotive repair, general ☐ 753810
Automotive repair, specialized - Describe ☐ 753000

Gasoline/convenience food store ☐ 554131
Utility trailer dealer ☐ 559901
Aircraft dealer ☐ 559902
Other kind of business - Describe ☐ 777777

Item 8. METHOD OF SELLING

What was this establishment's PRINCIPAL method of selling in 1992? Mark (X) only ONE box.

- Selling at this establishment 235 1 ☐
- Mail order (include catalog selling and home shopping via television or computer) 2 ☐
- Telemarketing 3 ☐
- Direct selling (include selling from house-to-house and nonfixed or temporary locations) 4 ☐
- Operating merchandise vending machines 5 ☐

Item 9. CLASS OF CUSTOMER

Whole percent of sales

Report the percentage of this establishment's total sales in 1992 (item 4) to each class of customer.

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- a. General public (household consumers and individuals)
- b. Other, including retailers; wholesalers; institutional, industrial, commercial, professional, and farm users (for use in farm production); and government

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Item 10. MERCHANDISE LINES

Report sales for each merchandise line sold by this establishment, either as a dollar figure or as a whole percent of total sales. (See HOW TO REPORT DOLLAR FIGURES on page 1 and HOW TO REPORT PERCENTS below)

HOW TO REPORT PERCENTS	If figure is 38.76% of total sales:	Mil. Thou. Dol. Per-cent			
		• Report whole percents			
		Not acceptable			

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38.76

Merchandise lines	Census use	ESTIMATES are acceptable. Report dollars OR percents.			
		Mil.	Thou.	Dol.	Per-cent
1. Automotive tires, tubes, batteries, parts, accessories (Report parts installed in repair on line 27a)	230	231			232
a. New automobile tires and tubes	745				
b. New truck and bus tires (include industrial, off-the-road, and farm tractor tires)	746				
c. Retreaded automobile tires	747				
d. Retreaded truck and bus tires (include industrial, off-the-road, and farm tractor tires)	748				
e. Storage batteries	749				
f. Parts, new and rebuilt - retail (over-the-counter)	751				
g. Parts, new and rebuilt - wholesale (to other businesses)	752				
h. Parts, used	753				
i. Automotive accessories and sundry supplies (include polishes, paint, decorative items, etc.)	754				
j. Sum of lines 1a through 1i	740				
2. Automotive fuels	720				
3. Automotive lubricants (oil, greases, etc.)	730				
4. Automobiles, vans, trucks, other powered transportation vehicles (Include motorcycles, motor scooters, motorbikes. Report van conversions on line 14.)	700				
5. Household fuels (oil, LP gas, wood, coal)	780				

Item 10. MERCHANDISE LINES - Continued

Merchandise lines	Census use	ESTIMATES are acceptable. Report dollars OR percents.			
		Mil.	Thou.	Dol.	Per-cent
6. Major household appliances (Include vacuum cleaners, sewing machines, refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, room air-conditioners, dishwashers, ranges, microwave ovens, clothes washers and dryers, trash compactors, etc. Report parts installed in repair on line 27a.)					
a. Kitchen appliances, parts, accessories (include refrigerators, freezers, dishwashers, microwave ovens, etc.)	301				
b. Laundry appliances, parts, accessories (include clothes washers and dryers)	302				
c. Other major household appliances, parts and accessories (include room air-conditioners, dehumidifiers, vacuum cleaners, sewing machines, etc.)	303				
d. Sum of lines 6a through 6c	300				
7. Small electric appliances (include shavers; mixers; blenders; can openers; toasters; coffee makers; fry pans; and personal care appliances, such as hair dryers, curling irons, etc.)	310				
8. Televisions, video recorders, video cameras, video tapes, etc. (Include parts and accessories. Report video games on line 21, rentals on line 27c, and parts installed in repair on line 27a.)	320				
9. Audio equipment, musical instruments, and supplies (Include radios, stereos, compact discs, records, tapes, sheet music, accessories. Report parts installed in repair on line 27a and rental receipts on line 27c.)	330				
10. Furniture, sleep equipment	340				
11. Floor coverings	360				
12. Kitchenware and home-furnishings (include cookware, dinnerware, clocks, pictures, frames, mirrors, bathroom accessories, etc.)	380				
13. Sporting goods	500				
14. Recreational vehicles (Include van conversions. Report motorcycles on line 4.)	580				
15. Manufactured (mobile) homes	680				
16. Hardware, tools, and plumbing and electrical supplies	600				
17. Lawn and garden equipment and supplies, cut flowers, plants, shrubs, fertilizers, etc.	620				
18. Lumber, building materials, and home improvement equipment and supplies (Report paint and related preservatives on line 19)	640				
19. Paint and related preservatives and supplies	670				
20. Jewelry (include watches, watch attachments, novelty jewelry, etc.)	400				

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS**1992 CENSUS OF RETAIL TRADE
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as shown on this report
(See label on page 1)****Item 10. MERCHANDISE LINES - Continued**

Merchandise lines	Census use	ESTIMATES are acceptable. Report dollars OR percents.			
		Mil.	Thou.	Dol.	Per-cent
21. Toys, hobby goods, and games	480				
22. Men's wear (Report boys' wear on line 24 and footwear on line 25)	200				
23. Women's, juniors', and misses' wear (Report girls' and infants' and toddlers' wear on line 24 and footwear on line 25)	220				
24. Children's wear (Include boys' (sizes 2 to 7 and 8 to 20), girls' (sizes 4 to 6x and 7 to 14), and infants' and toddlers' clothing and accessories. Report footwear on line 25.)	240				
25. Footwear (include accessories)	280				
26. All other merchandise (Report receipts for services on line 27) <i>Specify principal lines and estimated sales below</i>	890				
a.	891				
b.	892				
c.	893				
27. All nonmerchandise receipts EXCLUDING SALES AND OTHER TAXES (Include rentals, storage, and other services provided to customers. Exclude all receipts and commissions received from lottery ticket sales.)					
a. Parts installed in repair	907				
b. Labor charges for work performed by this establishment	904				
c. All other nonmerchandise receipts (include receipts from customers for storage, rental or lease of tools and equipment, etc.)	951				
d. Sum of lines 27a through 27c	900				
28. TOTAL (Should equal item 4 if reporting in dollars)	990				100%

Item 11. SPECIAL INQUIRIES

a. Did this establishment perform automotive repair work in 1992?	274	1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No
b. Did this establishment employ any mechanics (full- and/or part-time) during the pay period including March 12, 1992? If "Yes," complete c. If "No," skip to d.	275	1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No
c. Enter the number of mechanics (full- and part-time) working in this establishment during the pay period including March 12, 1992.	276	Number
d. Did this establishment have any automotive service bays as of December 31, 1992? If "Yes," complete e. If "No," skip to f.	277	1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No
e. How many automotive service bays did this establishment have in 1992?	278	Number
f. Was 50 percent or more of this establishment's 1992 sales derived from RETREADING tires at THIS establishment?	279	1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No

Item 12. Not applicable to this report**Item 13. LEGAL FORM OF ORGANIZATION****Which of the following best describes this establishment's legal form of organization during 1992? Mark (X) only ONE box.**

- 003 1 ☐ Individual owner (sole proprietorship)
 2 ☐ Partnership
 3 ☐ Cooperative association (taxable)
 4 ☐ Cooperative association (tax-exempt)
 5 ☐ Government - Specify _____
 6 ☐ Corporation (Do not mark if any form of cooperative association)
 7 ☐ Other - Specify _____

Item 14. OWNERSHIP, CONTROL, AND LOCATIONS OF OPERATION**a. Is the FIRST DIGIT of your Census File Number (shown in the address label immediately after "CFN") a zero?**

- 1 ☐ Yes - Complete this item
 2 ☐ No - Skip to item 15

b. Is this company owned or controlled by another company?

- 087 1 ☐ Yes →
 2 ☐ No

Enter name, address, and EI Number of the owning or controlling company

EI No. (9 digits)

c. Does this company own or control any other company or companies?

- 098 1 ☐ Yes →
 2 ☐ No

Enter name, address, and EI Number of the owned or controlled company

EI No. (9 digits)

d. How many establishments operated under the Employer Identification Number shown in the label (or as corrected in item 1) AT THE END OF 1992?

Number

079

If more than one, provide the physical location address and other information indicated below for each establishment. The headquarters location should be first, followed by all other locations. If more room is needed, continue in the same format on a separate sheet of paper.

Estimates are acceptable if book figures are not available.

Name	1992	Mil.	Thou.	Dol.
Number and street	Sales	081		
City	Annual payroll	082		
State				
ZIP Code				
Kind-of-business description	Paid employees for pay period including March 12			
	083			
	Census use 088			
Name	1992	Mil.	Thou.	Dol.
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City	Annual payroll	082		
State				
ZIP Code				
Kind-of-business description	Paid employees for pay period including March 12			
	083			
	Census use 088			

Item 15. CERTIFICATION - This report is substantially accurate and has been prepared in accordance with instructions.

Period covered by this report	FROM: Mo. Year	TO: Mo. Year
Name of person to contact regarding this report - Print or type		
Title		
Telephone	Area code	Number
Signature of authorized person		Extension
Signature of authorized person		Date

PLEASE PHOTOCOPY THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS