

TYPES OF WHOLESALE AND RETAIL ACTIVITIES, 1990 AND 1995

Activity	Wholesalers				Retailers				
	1990		1995		1990		1995		Average Annual Growth Rate, 1990-95 (%)
	Number	(%)	Number	(%)	Number	(%)	Number	(%)	
Department Stores	13	0.1	27	0.1	218	0.2	289	0.2	5.8
Supermarkets & Minimarkets	12	0.1	37	0.2	940	0.8	1,430	1.1	8.8
Specialty Stores	8,585	77.5	16,198	83.0	53,401	47.2	54,200	41.4	0.3
Convenience Stores	11	0.1	18	0.1	275	0.2	326	0.3	3.5
Provision Stores	1,558	14.1	1,464	7.5	36,977	32.7	38,358	29.3	0.7
Pharmacies	44	0.4	63	0.3	305	0.3	564	0.4	13.1
Medical Halls	167	1.5	142	0.7	2,514	2.2	2,243	1.7	-2.3
Direct Sale	158	1.4	216	1.1	766	0.7	809	0.6	1.1
Wet Market Stalls	522	4.7	1,318	6.7	15,140	13.4	29,787	22.7	14.5
Pavement Shops	2	*	27	0.2	286	0.3	630	0.5	17.1
Petrol Kiosks	8	0.1	15	0.1	2,200	2.0	2,358	1.8	1.4
Total	11,080	100.0	19,525	100.0	113,022	100.0	130,994	100.0	3.0

Note: * Negligible