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Introduction to the Economic Census

PURPOSES AND USES OF THE ECONOMIC CENSUS

The economic census is the major source of facts about the structure and functioning of the Nation's economy. It provides essential information for government, business, industry, and the general public. Title 13 of the United States Code (Sections 131, 191, and 224) directs the Census Bureau to take the economic census every 5 years, covering years ending in "2" and "7".

The economic census furnishes an important part of the framework for such composite measures as the gross domestic product estimates, input/output measures, production and price indexes, and other statistical series that measure short-term changes in economic conditions. Specific uses of economic census data include the following:

- Policymaking agencies of the federal government use the data to monitor economic activity and to assess the effectiveness of policies.
- State and local governments use the data to assess business activities and tax bases within their jurisdictions and to develop programs to attract business.
- Trade associations study trends in their own and competing industries, which allows them to keep their members informed of market changes.
- Individual businesses use the data to locate potential markets and to analyze their own production and sales performance relative to industry or area averages.

BASIS OF REPORTING

The economic census is conducted on an establishment basis. A company operating at more than one location is required to file a separate report for each store, factory, shop, or other location. Each establishment is assigned a separate industry classification based on its primary activity and not that of its parent company.

AVAILABILITY OF ADDITIONAL DATA

All results of the 2002 Economic Census are available on the Census Bureau Internet site (www.census.gov) and on compact discs and digital versatile discs (CD-ROMs and DVD-ROMs) for sale by the Census Bureau. The American FactFinder system at the Web site allows selective retrieval and downloading of the data. For more information, including a description of reports being issued, see the Web site, write to the U.S. Census Bureau, Washington, DC 20233-8300, or call Customer Services at 301-763-4636.

HISTORICAL INFORMATION

The economic census has been taken as an integrated program at 5-year intervals since 1967 and before that for 1954, 1958, and 1963. Prior to that time, individual components of the economic census were taken separately at varying intervals.

The economic census traces its beginnings to the 1810 Decennial Census, when questions on manufacturing were included with those for population. Coverage of economic activities was expanded for the 1840 Decennial Census and subsequent censuses to include mining and some commercial activities. The 1905 Manufactures Census was the first time a census was taken apart from the regular decennial population census. Censuses covering retail and wholesale trade and construction industries were added in 1930, as were some service trades in 1933.

Censuses of construction, manufacturing, and the other business service censuses were suspended during World War II.

The 1954 Economic Census was the first census to be fully integrated, providing comparable census data across economic sectors and using consistent time periods, concepts, definitions, classifications, and reporting units. It was the first census to be taken by mail, using lists of firms provided by the administrative records of other Federal agencies. Since 1963, administrative records also have been used to provide basic statistics for very small firms, reducing or eliminating the need to send them census report forms.

The range of industries covered in the economic censuses expanded between 1967 and 2002. The census of construction industries began on a regular basis in 1967, and the scope of service industries, introduced in 1933, was broadened in 1967, 1977, and 1987. While a few transportation industries were covered as early as 1963, it was not until 1992 that the census broadened to include all of transportation, communications, and utilities. Also new for 1992 was coverage of financial, insurance, and real estate industries. With these additions, the economic census and the separate census of governments and census of agriculture collectively covered roughly 98 percent of all economic activity. New for 2002 is coverage of four industries classified in the Agriculture, Forestry, and Fishing sector under the SIC system: landscape agricultural services, landscaping services, veterinary services, and pet care services.

Printed statistical reports from the 1997 and earlier censuses provide historical figures for the study of long-term time series and are available in some large libraries. CD-ROMs issued from the 1987, 1992, and 1997 Economic Censuses contain databases including all or nearly all data published in print, plus additional statistics, such as ZIP Code statistics, published only on CD-ROM.

SOURCES FOR MORE INFORMATION

More information about the scope, coverage, classification system, data items, and publications for each of the economic censuses and related surveys is published in the Guide to the 2002 Economic Census at www.census.gov/epcd/ec02/guide.html. More information on the methodology, procedures, and history of the censuses will be published in the History of the 2002 Economic Census at www.census.gov/econ/www/history.html.

2002 Commodity Flow Survey

GENERAL

The 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) is undertaken through a partnership between the U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce, and the Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS), U.S. Department of Transportation. This survey produces data on the movement of goods in the United States. It provides information on commodities shipped, their value, weight, and mode of transportation, as well as the origin and destination of shipments of manufacturing, mining, wholesale, and select retail establishments. The data from the CFS are used by public policy analysts and for transportation planning and decision making to assess the demand for transportation facilities and services, energy use, and safety risk and environmental concerns. The CFS was last conducted in 1997.

This report contains background information on the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey and then presents detailed tabular results on shipment characteristics by mode of transportation, commodity, distance shipped, and shipment weight. In Appendix A, key characteristics of the 2002 CFS are compared to those of the 1993 and 1997 surveys. Appendix B focuses on the reliability of the estimates and discusses sampling and nonsampling errors. Tables containing estimates of sampling variability corresponding to each table on shipment characteristics are also included in Appendix B.

This report presents data at the state level. Additional reports will include data for the United States, census regions, divisions, and selected metropolitan areas, as well as selected data on exports and hazardous material shipments.

INDUSTRY COVERAGE

The 2002 CFS covers business establishments with paid employees that are located in the United States and are classified using the 1997 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) in mining, manufacturing, wholesale trade, and select retail trade industries, namely, electronic shopping and mail-order houses. Establishments classified in services, transportation, construction, and most retail industries are excluded from the survey. Farms, fisheries, foreign establishments, and most government-owned establishments are also excluded.

The survey also covers auxiliary establishments (i.e., warehouses and managing offices) of multi-establishment companies, which have nonauxiliary establishments that are in-scope to the CFS or are classified in retail trade. The coverage of managing offices has been expanded in the 2002 CFS, compared to the 1997 CFS. For the 1997 CFS, the number of in-scope managing offices was reduced to a large extent based on the results of the 1992 Economic Census. A managing office was considered in-scope to the 1997 CFS only if it had sales or end-of-year inventories in the 1992 Census. However, research conducted prior to the 2002 CFS showed that not all managing offices with shipping activity in the 1997 CFS indicated sales or inventories in the 1997 Economic Census. Therefore, the 1997 Economic Census results were not used in the determination of scope for managing offices in the 2002 CFS.

For the 1993 CFS and the 1997 CFS, establishments were classified based on the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification System (SIC). Though an attempt was made to maintain similar coverage between the 1997 CFS and the 2002 CFS, there were some changes in industry coverage due to the conversion from SIC to NAICS. Most notably, coverage of the logging industry changed from an in-scope Manufacturing SIC code (SIC 2411) to an out-of-scope Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting NAICS code (NAICS 1133). Also, coverage of the publishing industry changed from in-scope Manufacturing SIC codes (SIC 2711, 2721, 2731, 2741, and part of 2771) to out-of-scope Information NAICS codes (NAICS 5111 and 51223).

See Appendix A for a comparison between the 2002, 1997, and 1993 surveys. Also see Appendix C for a more detailed discussion on industry coverage and the sample design. The NAICS industries covered in the 2002 CFS are listed in the following table:

NAICS code	Description
212	Mining (Except Oil and Gas)
311	Food Manufacturing
312	Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing
313	Textile Mills
314	Textile Product Mills
315	Apparel Manufacturing
316	Leather and Allied Product Manufacturing
321	Wood Product Manufacturing
322	Paper Manufacturing
323	Printing and Related Support Activities
324	Petroleum and Coal Products Manufacturing
325	Chemical Manufacturing
326	Plastics and Rubber Products Manufacturing
327	Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing
331	Primary Metal Manufacturing
332	Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing
333	Machinery Manufacturing
334	Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing
335	Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component Manufacturing
336	Transportation Equipment Manufacturing
337	Furniture and Related Product Manufacturing
339	Miscellaneous Manufacturing
421	Wholesale Trade, Durable Goods
422	Wholesale Trade, Nondurable Goods
4541	Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses
49310	Warehousing and Storage
551114	Corporate, Subsidiary, and Regional Managing Offices

SHIPMENT COVERAGE

The CFS captures data on shipments originating from select types of business establishments located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. The data do not cover shipments originating from business establishments located in Puerto Rico and other U.S. possessions and territories. Shipments traversing the U.S. from a foreign location to another foreign location (e.g., from Canada to Mexico) are not included, nor are shipments from a foreign location to a U.S. location. Imported products are included in the CFS at the point that they left the importer's domestic location for shipment to another location. Shipments that are shipped through a foreign territory with both the origin and destination in the U.S. are included in the CFS data. The mileages calculated for these shipments exclude the international segments (e.g., shipments from New York to Michigan through Canada do not include any mileages for Canada). Export shipments are included, with the domestic destination defined as the U.S. port, airport, or border crossing of exit from the U.S.

The "Industry Coverage" section of the text lists the NAICS groups covered by the CFS. Other industry areas that are not covered, but may have significant shipping activity, include agriculture and government. For agriculture, specifically, this means that the CFS does not cover shipments of agricultural products from the farm site to the processing centers or terminal elevators (most likely short-distance local movements), but does cover the shipments of these products from the initial processing centers or terminal elevators onward.

MILEAGE CALCULATIONS

To estimate the distance traveled by each freight shipment sampled for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey, the BTS Mileage Calculation Team used routing algorithms and an integrated, intermodal transportation network developed and updated expressly for this purpose by the Oak Ridge

National Laboratory (ORNL). The BTS Team worked at a secure data site within the Census Bureau. Each record contained the ZIP Code shipment origin and destination, and the mode or modal sequence required by the routing algorithm for distance estimation. Each record also contained information on type of commodity moved, its weight, dollar value, and hazardous materials status. For export shipments, data on the U.S. port of exit were also identified, along with foreign destination city and country. Processing of shipment records began in the fall of 2002, with completion in October 2003.

One essential exercise was editing and imputing both absent and invalid geographic data elements, specifically origin and destination ZIP Codes, prior to estimating the distance traveled for each freight shipment. For this purpose, the BTS Mileage Calculation Team developed and maintained databases of domestic city/state names and foreign city/country names. The missing data elements, along with other related data problems found by the BTS Team, were either: (1) imputed because of high probability of accurate correction by the BTS Team, such as imputing a missing destination ZIP Code, given a destination city and state; or (2) reported back to the Census Bureau, allowing for call-backs to shippers for clarification/correction.

For a domestic shipment, the mileage is calculated between the center of the geographic area (centroid) of the U.S. origin ZIP Code and the centroid of the destination ZIP Code. The mileage for the shipments within a ZIP Code is calculated by means of a formula that approximates the longest distance within the boundaries of that ZIP Code. The mileage for an export shipment is calculated between a shipment's centroid of U.S. origin ZIP Code and its foreign destination country (city in the case of Canada and Mexico), via a U.S. port of exit (POE), be it seaport, airport, or border crossing. However, only the portion of mileage that falls within the U.S. is included in the CFS estimates. That is to say, once the export reaches the POE, the POE is considered the final domestic destination, the domestic route is finished, and any following mileage is not counted from the POE. These mileages are computed using routing algorithms that find the minimum impedance path over mathematical representations of the U.S. and North American highway, railway and waterway networks, and a transglobal representation of U.S. originating air freight and deep-sea transport networks. Shipment mileages were estimated for each record by summing over the distances of links contained within each minimum impedance path. Impedance was computed as a weighted combination of distance, time, and cost factors.

The ORNL multimodal network database is composed of mode-specific subnetworks representing each of the major transportation modes, such as highway, railway, waterway, and airway (pipeline network was not available due to security reasons). The links of these networks represent line-haul transportation facilities. Network nodes represent intersections and interchanges, along with the access points to the transportation network. To simulate local access, test links are created from each five-digit ZIP Code centroid to nearby nodes on the network. For the truck network, local access is assumed to exist everywhere. For the other modes this is not true. Before any test links are created for these modes, a search procedure is used to determine if and where such networks are most likely to provide access to the ZIP Code. For shipments involving more than one mode, such as truck-rail or rail-water shipments, intermodal transfer links are added to the network database to connect the individual modal networks together for routing purposes. An intermodal terminals database and a number of terminal transfer models were developed at ORNL to identify likely transfer points for different classes of freight. A measure of link impedance was calculated for each access, line-haul, and intermodal transfer link traversed by a shipment. These impedances were mode specific and are based on various link characteristics. For example, the set of links characterizing the highway network included speed impacting factors, such as the presence of a divided or undivided roadway, the degree of access control, the rural or urban setting, the number of lanes, the degree of urban congestion, and the length of the link. Link impedance measures were also assigned to the local access links. Intermodal transfer link impedances are estimated in terms of the time it takes to move goods through a transfer facility. In the case of rail and air freight, intercarrier transfer penalties were also considered to obtain proper route selections. A shortest path algorithm is used to find the minimum impedance path between a shipment's origin ZIP Code centroid and destination ZIP Code centroid. The cumulative length of

the local access plus line-haul links on this path provides the estimated distances used in CFS mileage computations. When rail and air freight were involved, these shipment distances were often averaged over more than one path between an origin-destination pair.

Mileage Data for Pipeline Shipments

For pipeline shipments, ton-miles and average miles per shipment are not shown in the tables. For most of these shipments, the respondents reported the shipment destination as a pipeline facility on the main pipeline network. Therefore, for the majority of these shipments, the resulting mileage represented only the access distance through feeder pipelines to the main pipeline network, and not the actual distance through the main pipeline network. Pipeline shipments are included in the U.S. totals for ton-miles and average miles per shipment.

For security purposes, there is no pipeline network available in the public domain with which to route petroleum-based products. Hence, any modal distance, either single or multi, involving pipeline was considered as solely pipeline mileage from origin ZIP to destination ZIP and calculated to equal great circle distance (GCD). Note: Great circle distance is defined as the shortest distance between two points on the earth's surface, taking into account the earth's curvature.

EXPLANATION OF TERMS

Value of shipments. The dollar value of the entire shipment. This was defined as the net selling value, f.o.b. plant, exclusive of freight charges and excise taxes. The value data are displayed in millions of dollars.

The total value of shipments, as measured by the CFS, and the U.S. gross domestic product (GDP) while similar in size provide different measures of economic activity in the United States and are not directly comparable. GDP is the value of all goods produced and services performed by labor and capital located in the United States. In 2002, the U.S. GDP was estimated at \$10.4 trillion (measured in current U.S. dollars). The value of shipments, as measured by the CFS, is the market value of goods shipped from manufacturing, mining, wholesale, and mail order retail establishments, as well as warehouses and managing offices of multiunit establishments.

Three important differences can be identified between GDP and value of shipments:

1. GDP captures goods produced by all establishments located in the United States, while the CFS measures goods shipped from a subset of all goods-producing establishments.
2. GDP measures the value of goods produced and of services performed. CFS measures the value of goods shipped.
3. GDP counts only the value-added at each step in the production of a product. CFS captures the value of shipments of materials used to produce or manufacture a product, as well as the value of shipments of the finished product itself. This means that the value of the materials used to produce a particular product contributes multiple times to the value.

Commodity. Products that an establishment produces, sells, or distributes. This does not include items that are considered as excess or byproducts of the establishment's operation. Respondents reported the description and the five-digit Standard Classification of Transported Goods (SCTG) code for the major commodity contained in the shipment, defined as the commodity with the greatest weight in the total shipment.

Average miles per shipment. For the 1993 CFS, we excluded shipments of Standard Transportation Commodity Classification (STCC) 27, Printed Matter, from our calculation of average miles per shipment. We made this decision after determining that respondents in the 1993 CFS shipping newspapers, magazines, catalogs, etc., had used widely varying definitions of the term "shipment."

For the 1997 and 2002 CFS, we made numerous efforts throughout our data collection and editing to produce consistent results from establishments shipping SCTG 29, Printed Products. As a result, we have included printed products in the average miles per shipment estimates for 1997 and 2002.

Distance shipped. In Table 3, shipment data are presented for various “distance shipped” intervals. Shipments were categorized into these “distance shipped” intervals based on the great circle distance between their origin and destination ZIP Code centroids. All other distance-related data in this and other tables (i.e., ton-miles and average miles per shipment) are based on the mileage calculations. (See the “Mileage Calculations” section for more details.)

Great circle distance. The shortest distance between two points on the surface of a sphere over the surface of that sphere.

Mode of transportation. The type of transportation used for moving the shipment to its domestic destination. For exports, the domestic destination was the port of exit.

Mode Definitions

In the instructions to the respondent, we defined the possible modes as follows:

1. **Parcel delivery/courier/U.S. Postal Service.** Delivery services that carry letters, parcels, packages, and other small shipments that typically weigh less than 100 pounds. Includes bus parcel delivery service.
2. **Private truck.** Trucks operated by a temporary or permanent employee of an establishment or the buyer/receiver of the shipment.
3. **For-hire truck.** Trucks that carry freight for a fee collected from the shipper, recipient of the shipment, or an arranger of the transportation.
4. **Railroad.** Any common carrier or private railroad.
5. **Shallow draft vessels.** Barges, ships, or ferries operating primarily on rivers and canals; in harbors, the Great Lakes, the Saint Lawrence Seaway; the Intra-coastal Waterway, the Inside Passage to Alaska, major bays and inlets; or in the ocean close to the shoreline.
6. **Deep draft vessel.** Barges, ships, or ferries operating primarily in the open ocean. Shipping on the Great Lakes and the Saint Lawrence Seaway is classified with shallow draft vessels.
7. **Pipeline.** Movements of oil, petroleum, gas, slurry, etc., through pipelines that extend to other establishments or locations beyond the shipper’s establishment. Aqueducts for the movement of water are not included.
8. **Air.** Commercial or private aircraft, and all air service for shipments that typically weigh more than 100 pounds. Includes air freight and air express.
9. **Other mode.** Any mode not listed above.
10. **Unknown.** The shipment was not carried by a parcel delivery/courier/U.S. Postal Service, and the respondent could not determine what mode of transportation was used.

In the tables, we have used additional terms for mode, which we define as follows:

1. **Air (includes truck and air).** Shipments that used air or a combination of truck and air.
2. **Single modes.** Shipments using only one of the above-listed modes, except parcel or other and unknown.
3. **Multiple modes.** Shipments for which two or more of the following modes of transportation were used:
 - Private truck
 - For-hire truck
 - Rail
 - Shallow draft vessel
 - Deep draft vessel
 - Pipeline

In addition, Parcel, U.S. Postal Service, or Courier shipments are considered multiple modes because this category includes all parcel shipments whether on the ground or via air tendered

to a parcel or express carrier. In defining this mode, we did not combine these shipments with any other reported mode because by their nature, Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or Courier are already multimodal. For example, if the respondent reported a shipment's mode of transportation as "parcel" and "air," we treated the shipment as parcel only. Also in the CFS reports, the "Truck and Rail" and "Rail and Water" combinations included under "Multiple Modes" may not reflect all the movement of trailers or containers by rail and at least one other mode of transportation. Since the shipper may not always know the modal combinations used to transport the goods, some shipments moving by more than one mode may be reported as a single mode shipment. This may result in underestimation of multimodal shipments in the CFS.

4. **Other multiple modes.** Shipments using any other mode combinations not specifically listed in the tables.
5. **Other and unknown modes.** Shipments for which modes were not reported, or were reported by the respondent as "Other" or "Unknown."
6. **Truck.** Shipments using for-hire truck only, private truck only, or a combination of for-hire truck and private truck.
7. **Water.** Shipments using shallow draft vessel only, deep draft vessel only, or Great Lakes vessel only. Combinations of these modes, such as shallow draft vessel and Great Lakes vessel are included as "Other multiple modes." (Note: By definition, "shallow draft," "Great Lakes," and "deep draft" are mutually exclusive.)
8. **Great Lakes.** In the tables in this publication, "Great Lakes" appears as a single mode. ORNL's transportation network and mileage calculation system allowed for separate mileage calculations for Great Lakes between the origin and destination ZIP Codes.

Other Definitions and Terms

Shipment. A shipment is a single movement of goods, commodities, or products from an establishment to a single customer or to another establishment owned or operated by the same company as the originating establishment (e.g., a warehouse, distribution center, or retail or wholesale outlet). Full or partial truckloads are counted as a single shipment only if all commodities on the truck are destined for the same location. If a truck makes multiple deliveries on a route, the goods delivered at each stop are counted as one shipment. Interoffice memos, payroll checks, or business correspondence are not considered shipments. Shipments such as refuse, scrap paper, waste, or recyclable materials are not considered shipments unless the establishment is in the business of selling or providing these materials.

Standard Classification of Transported Goods (SCTG). The commodities shown in this report are classified using the SCTG coding system. The SCTG coding system was developed jointly by agencies of the United States and Canadian governments based on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (Harmonized System) to address statistical needs in regard to products transported. See Appendix D for more details.

Ton-miles. The shipment weight multiplied by the mileage traveled by the shipment. The respondents reported shipment weight in pounds. Aggregated pound-miles were converted to ton-miles. Mileage was calculated as the distance between the shipment origin and destination ZIP Codes. For shipments by truck, rail, or shallow draft vessels, the mileage excludes international segments. For example, mileages from Alaska to the continental United States exclude any mileages through Canada (see the "Mileage Calculations" section for more details). For trucks making multiple stops, the ton-miles are calculated for each delivery, and each drop-off point is treated as a final destination. Ton-miles estimates are displayed in millions.

Tons shipped. The total weight of the entire shipment. Respondents reported the weight in pounds. Aggregated pounds were converted to short-tons (2,000 pounds). For freight shipped to distribution centers for subsequent reshipment, the tonnage is counted each time the goods are transported.

Total modal activity (Table 2 only). The overall activity (e.g., ton-miles) of a specific mode of transportation, whether used in a single-mode shipment, or as part of a multiple-mode shipment. For example, the total modal activity for private truck is the total ton-miles carried by private truck in single-mode shipments, combined with the total ton-miles carried by private truck in all multiple-mode shipments that include private truck (private truck and for-hire truck, private truck and rail, private truck and air, etc.)

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

The following abbreviations and symbols are used in the tables for this publication:

–	Represents an estimate equal to zero or less than 1 unit of measure.
D	Denotes estimates withheld to avoid disclosing data of individual companies.
S	Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.
CFS	Commodity Flow Survey.
lb	Pounds.
n.e.c.	Not elsewhere classified.
NA	Not applicable.

OTHER TRANSPORTATION DATA

Users of transportation data may be especially interested in the following reports:

Vehicle Inventory and Use Survey covers state and U.S. level statistics on the physical and operational characteristics of the nation's truck, van, minivan, and sport utility vehicle population. Some of the types of data collected include number of vehicles, major use, body type, annual miles, model year, vehicle size, fuel type, operator classification, engine size, range of operation, weeks operated, products carried, and hazardous materials carried. This survey shows comparative statistics reflecting percent changes in number of vehicles between 2002 and 1997 for most characteristics.

Service Annual Survey covers firms with paid employees that provide commercial motor freight transportation and public warehousing services. Data collected include operating revenue and operating revenue by source, percentage of motor carrier freight revenue by commodity type, size of shipments handled, length of haul, and vehicle fleet inventory.

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Table 1a. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
Total	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0	484
Single modes	245 096	82.5	444 398	97.7	58 629	96.0	154
Truck ²	226 639	76.3	361 197	79.4	40 866	66.9	125
For-hire truck	97 189	32.7	210 389	46.2	30 286	49.6	565
Private truck	128 728	43.3	149 286	32.8	9 967	16.3	43
Rail	6 701	2.3	S	S	17 082	28.0	1 152
Water	320	.1	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	440
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	190	—	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	10 922	3.7	238	—	337	.6	1 645
Pipeline ³	513	.2	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	39 863	13.4	1 724	.4	1 252	2.0	1 060
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	39 094	13.2	884	.2	833	1.4	1 060
Truck and rail	191	—	308	—	316	.5	1 146
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	23	—	5 051
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	124	—	S	S	S	S	504
Other and unknown modes	12 030	4.1	8 963	2.0	1 193	2.0	62

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¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.

²"Truck" as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.

³Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentially protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

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Table 1b. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: Percent of Total for 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation	Value (percent)		Tons (percent)		Ton-miles ¹ (percent)	
	2002	1997	2002	1997	2002	1997
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Single modes	82.5	78.0	97.7	98.0	96.0	91.2
Truck ²	76.3	71.7	79.4	75.6	66.9	51.1
For-hire truck	32.7	26.9	46.2	37.1	49.6	36.1
Private truck	43.3	43.4	32.8	36.1	16.3	13.3
Rail	2.3	2.7	S	21.1	28.0	36.1
Water .....	.1	.5	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	—	S	S
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	3.7	3.1	—	—	.6	S
Pipeline ³ .....	.2	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	13.4	17.2	.4	1.3	2.0	7.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	13.2	16.6	.2	.2	1.4	1.0
Truck and rail	—	.2	—	.3	.5	1.4
Truck and water	S	.4	S	.5	—	3.0
Rail and water	—	S	—	S	—	S
Other multiple modes	—	S	S	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes	4.1	4.8	2.0	.7	2.0	1.6

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¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.

²"Truck" as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.

³Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentially protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

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Table 2. Shipment Characteristics by Total Modal Activity for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation ¹	Ton-miles ²		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (millions)	Percent	
Total	61 074	100.0	484
Truck	40 866	66.9	125
Rail	17 082	28.0	1 152
Shallow draft	S	S	440
Great Lakes	-	-	-
Deep draft	S	S	S
Air	337	.6	1 645
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S
Pipeline ³	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes	1 193	2.0	62

- Represents data cell equal to zero or less than 1 unit of measure.

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¹Estimates represent activity for a given mode across single and multiple mode shipments. For example, "Truck" ton-miles includes total ton-miles for shipments moving only by truck plus ton-miles for truck segments of multiple mode shipments.

²Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.

³Estimates exclude shipments of crude petroleum (SCTG 16).

Note: The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Note: Coverage for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) differs from the previous surveys due to a change from the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification System to the 1997 North American Industry Classification System and other survey improvements. Therefore, data users are urged to use caution when comparing 2002 CFS estimates with estimates from prior years.

Table 3. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped ¹ (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ²	
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent
Total	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0
Less than 50 miles	114 305	38.5	318 619	70.0	6 554	10.7
50 to 99 miles	28 805	9.7	51 882	11.4	4 594	7.5
100 to 249 miles	45 999	15.5	42 721	9.4	7 980	13.1
250 to 499 miles	27 758	9.3	12 974	2.9	5 545	9.1
500 to 749 miles	12 687	4.3	7 640	1.7	5 639	9.2
750 to 999 miles	24 386	8.2	9 199	2.0	10 146	16.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	27 011	9.1	9 092	2.0	12 951	21.2
1,500 to 1,999 miles	3 136	1.1	805	.2	1 706	2.8
2,000 miles or more	12 901	4.3	2 152	.5	5 958	9.8
Single modes	245 096	100.0	444 398	100.0	58 629	100.0
Less than 50 miles	103 745	42.3	311 529	70.1	6 494	11.1
50 to 99 miles	25 828	10.5	50 771	11.4	4 514	7.7
100 to 249 miles	38 435	15.7	41 973	9.4	7 825	13.3
250 to 499 miles	24 439	10.0	12 612	2.8	5 381	9.2
500 to 749 miles	9 739	4.0	7 445	1.7	5 489	9.4
750 to 999 miles	16 516	6.7	8 789	2.0	9 699	16.5
1,000 to 1,499 miles	16 519	6.7	8 558	1.9	12 192	20.8
1,500 to 1,999 miles	1 668	.7	719	.2	1 527	2.6
2,000 miles or more	8 207	3.3	2 000	.5	5 507	9.4
Truck³	226 639	100.0	361 197	100.0	40 866	100.0
Less than 50 miles	100 845	44.5	244 716	67.8	4 365	10.7
50 to 99 miles	25 679	11.3	49 815	13.8	4 298	10.5
100 to 249 miles	36 501	16.1	39 982	11.1	7 380	18.1
250 to 499 miles	22 865	10.1	9 808	2.7	4 058	9.9
500 to 749 miles	8 529	3.8	4 793	1.3	3 461	8.5
750 to 999 miles	11 988	5.3	5 574	1.5	5 907	14.5
1,000 to 1,499 miles	12 350	5.4	4 394	1.2	5 845	14.3
1,500 to 1,999 miles	1 009	.4	329	.1	680	1.7
2,000 miles or more	6 872	3.0	1 784	.5	4 873	11.9
For-hire truck	97 189	100.0	210 389	100.0	30 286	100.0
Less than 50 miles	23 978	24.7	138 786	66.0	2 215	7.3
50 to 99 miles	5 425	5.6	26 389	12.5	2 324	7.7
100 to 249 miles	16 612	17.1	22 980	10.9	4 268	14.1
250 to 499 miles	S	S	7 589	3.6	3 089	10.2
500 to 749 miles	S	S	4 058	1.9	2 944	9.7
750 to 999 miles	10 795	11.1	4 694	2.2	4 952	16.4
1,000 to 1,499 miles	11 074	11.4	3 875	1.8	5 161	17.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	933	1.0	267	.1	551	1.8
2,000 miles or more	6 791	7.0	1 750	.8	4 783	15.8
Private truck	128 728	100.0	149 286	100.0	9 967	100.0
Less than 50 miles	76 820	59.7	105 151	70.4	2 086	20.9
50 to 99 miles	20 206	15.7	23 306	15.6	1 963	19.7
100 to 249 miles	19 815	15.4	16 824	11.3	3 080	30.9
250 to 499 miles	8 556	6.6	2 184	1.5	955	9.6
500 to 749 miles	1 173	.9	706	.5	497	5.0
750 to 999 miles	922	.7	584	.4	632	6.3
1,000 to 1,499 miles	1 139	.9	462	.3	611	6.1
1,500 to 1,999 miles	57	—	57	—	118	1.2
2,000 miles or more	40	—	S	S	S	S
Rail	6 701	100.0	S	S	17 082	100.0
Less than 50 miles	2 275	34.0	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	366	5.5	1 912	2.4	427	2.5
250 to 499 miles	599	8.9	2 253	2.8	1 022	6.0
500 to 749 miles	528	7.9	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	1 161	17.3	3 157	4.0	3 708	21.7
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	4 092	5.2	6 237	36.5
1,500 to 1,999 miles	92	1.4	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	S	S	177	.2	503	2.9
Water	320	100.0	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped ¹ (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ²	
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent
Single modes—Con.						
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	190	100.0	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	10 922	100.0	238	100.0	337	100.0
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	20	.2	—	.1	—	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	790	7.2	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	681	6.2	6	2.3	7	2.1
750 to 999 miles	3 366	30.8	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	2 758	25.3	72	30.4	109	32.5
1,500 to 1,999 miles	568	5.2	2	.9	5	1.6
2,000 miles or more	1 186	10.9	S	S	S	S
Pipeline⁴	513	100.0	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	S	S
Multiple modes	39 863	100.0	1 724	100.0	1 252	100.0
Less than 50 miles	4 388	11.0	S	S	5	.4
50 to 99 miles	2 464	6.2	44	2.6	4	.4
100 to 249 miles	4 837	12.1	145	8.4	34	2.7
250 to 499 miles	3 066	7.7	257	14.9	109	8.7
500 to 749 miles	2 680	6.7	73	4.2	56	4.5
750 to 999 miles	7 470	18.7	233	13.5	256	20.5
1,000 to 1,499 miles	9 155	23.0	255	14.8	360	28.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	1 293	3.2	36	2.1	75	6.0
2,000 miles or more	4 510	11.3	118	6.8	352	28.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	39 094	100.0	884	100.0	833	100.0
Less than 50 miles	4 267	10.9	102	11.5	2	.3
50 to 99 miles	2 463	6.3	39	4.4	4	.4
100 to 249 miles	4 821	12.3	129	14.6	26	3.2
250 to 499 miles	3 013	7.7	97	11.0	46	5.5
500 to 749 miles	2 661	6.8	61	6.9	45	5.4
750 to 999 miles	7 431	19.0	181	20.4	194	23.3
1,000 to 1,499 miles	9 107	23.3	164	18.5	227	27.2
1,500 to 1,999 miles	1 283	3.3	31	3.5	61	7.4
2,000 miles or more	4 047	10.4	81	9.1	227	27.3
Truck and rail	191	100.0	308	100.0	316	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	41	21.4	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	39	20.3	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	57	29.8	34	11.0	107	33.9
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	23	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped ¹ (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ²	
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent
Multiple modes—Con.						
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	124	100.0	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	12 030	100.0	8 963	100.0	1 193	100.0
Less than 50 miles	6 172	51.3	6 527	72.8	55	4.6
50 to 99 miles	513	4.3	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	603	6.7	121	10.1
250 to 499 miles	253	2.1	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	269	2.2	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	400	3.3	177	2.0	191	16.0
1,000 to 1,499 miles	1 337	11.1	278	3.1	400	33.5
1,500 to 1,999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	184	1.5	S	S	S	S

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¹Shipments are grouped into distance categories based on Great Circle Distance (GCD). GCD is the shortest distance between 2 points on the surface of a sphere over the surface of that sphere.

²Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.

³"Truck" as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.

⁴Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

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Table 4. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
Total	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0	484
Less than 50 lb	47 518	16.0	1 058	.2	524	.9	674
50 to 99 lb	12 222	4.1	968	2	194	.3	215
100 to 499 lb	34 632	11.7	4 982	1.1	799	1.3	142
500 to 749 lb	11 943	4.0	1 754	.4	346	.6	195
750 to 999 lb	6 841	2.3	1 518	.3	285	.5	187
1,000 to 9,999 lb	74 626	25.1	24 900	5.5	4 534	7.4	182
10,000 to 49,999 lb	83 087	28.0	190 650	41.9	28 929	47.4	158
50,000 to 99,999 lb	16 477	5.5	108 754	23.9	5 863	9.6	55
100,000 lb or more	9 642	3.2	120 501	26.5	19 601	32.1	444
Single modes	245 096	100.0	444 398	100.0	58 629	100.0	154
Less than 50 lb	12 397	5.1	538	.1	80	.1	200
50 to 99 lb	7 960	3.2	S	S	64	.1	82
100 to 499 lb	29 003	11.8	4 613	1.0	603	1.0	112
500 to 749 lb	11 362	4.6	1 658	.4	299	.5	179
750 to 999 lb	6 499	2.7	1 454	.3	246	.4	168
1,000 to 9,999 lb	71 877	29.3	24 053	5.4	4 232	7.2	176
10,000 to 49,999 lb	80 475	32.8	188 219	42.4	27 920	47.6	154
50,000 to 99,999 lb	16 189	6.6	108 033	24.3	5 791	9.9	54
100,000 lb or more	9 334	3.8	115 028	25.9	19 393	33.1	488
Truck²	226 639	100.0	361 197	100.0	40 866	100.0	125
Less than 50 lb	9 274	4.1	527	.1	62	.2	138
50 to 99 lb	5 335	2.4	S	S	56	.1	72
100 to 499 lb	26 646	11.8	4 590	1.3	570	1.4	106
500 to 749 lb	10 859	4.8	1 651	.5	290	.7	174
750 to 999 lb	6 126	2.7	1 446	.4	232	.6	159
1,000 to 9,999 lb	70 576	31.1	23 978	6.6	4 145	10.1	173
10,000 to 49,999 lb	79 534	35.1	187 998	52.0	27 655	67.7	151
50,000 to 99,999 lb	15 936	7.0	107 121	29.7	5 597	13.7	53
100,000 lb or more	2 354	1.0	33 090	9.2	2 258	5.5	173
For-hire truck	97 189	100.0	210 389	100.0	30 286	100.0	565
Less than 50 lb	2 117	2.2	54	—	45	.1	917
50 to 99 lb	1 738	1.8	42	—	31	.1	710
100 to 499 lb	9 546	9.8	549	.3	404	1.3	711
500 to 749 lb	4 157	4.3	274	.1	190	.6	692
750 to 999 lb	1 989	2.0	221	.1	161	.5	721
1,000 to 9,999 lb	34 567	35.6	6 580	3.1	2 910	9.6	490
10,000 to 49,999 lb	32 968	33.9	119 588	56.8	21 830	72.1	199
50,000 to 99,999 lb	8 104	8.3	54 919	26.1	2 820	9.3	53
100,000 lb or more	2 002	2.1	S	S	1 896	6.3	S
Private truck	128 728	100.0	149 286	100.0	9 967	100.0	43
Less than 50 lb	7 154	5.6	473	.3	16	.2	38
50 to 99 lb	3 597	2.8	S	S	26	.3	35
100 to 499 lb	17 066	13.3	4 038	2.7	164	1.6	38
500 to 749 lb	6 683	5.2	1 375	.9	99	1.0	73
750 to 999 lb	4 129	3.2	1 223	.8	70	.7	57
1,000 to 9,999 lb	35 808	27.8	17 363	11.6	1 197	12.0	66
10,000 to 49,999 lb	46 143	35.8	67 636	45.3	5 517	55.3	83
50,000 to 99,999 lb	7 820	6.1	S	S	S	S	53
100,000 lb or more	328	.3	4 733	3.2	156	1.6	41
Rail	6 701	100.0	S	S	17 082	100.0	1 152
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 395
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 304
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	81	.1	66	.4	761
50,000 to 99,999 lb	49	.7	188	.2	S	S	857
100,000 lb or more	6 392	95.4	S	S	16 837	98.6	684
Water	320	100.0	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	130
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	305
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 667
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	242
100,000 lb or more	270	84.3	S	S	S	S	474
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	440
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	130
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	273
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	380
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	522
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	522

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
Single modes—Con.							
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	190	100.0	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	S
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	800
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 477
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	9
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	10 922	100.0	238	100.0	337	100.0	1 645
Less than 50 lb	3 078	28.2	9	3.7	15	4.4	1 668
50 to 99 lb	2 621	24.0	5	2.1	8	2.3	1 544
100 to 499 lb	2 341	21.4	22	9.1	32	9.6	1 541
500 to 749 lb	501	4.6	7	2.9	9	2.6	1 278
750 to 999 lb	372	3.4	S	S	14	4.0	1 712
1,000 to 9,999 lb	1 184	10.8	70	29.6	85	25.1	1 296
10,000 to 49,999 lb	826	7.6	117	49.2	S	S	1 735
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline³	513	100.0	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	39 863	100.0	1 724	100.0	1 252	100.0	1 060
Less than 50 lb	30 590	76.7	450	26.1	441	35.2	1 067
50 to 99 lb	3 750	9.4	126	7.3	128	10.3	1 034
100 to 499 lb	4 488	11.3	222	12.9	188	15.1	800
500 to 749 lb	370	.9	S	S	S	S	979
750 to 999 lb	272	.7	S	S	S	S	888
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	7	.4	S	S	1 913
10,000 to 49,999 lb	183	.5	160	9.3	228	18.2	1 383
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	61	4.9	179
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 696
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	39 094	100.0	884	100.0	833	100.0	1 060
Less than 50 lb	30 589	78.2	450	50.9	440	52.9	1 067
50 to 99 lb	3 750	9.6	126	14.2	128	15.4	1 034
100 to 499 lb	4 089	10.5	221	24.9	180	21.6	784
500 to 749 lb	366	.9	S	S	S	S	973
750 to 999 lb	271	.7	S	S	S	S	888
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 158
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	191	100.0	308	100.0	316	100.0	1 146
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 621
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	3 056
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 562
10,000 to 49,999 lb	115	60.3	89	29.0	147	46.5	1 614
50,000 to 99,999 lb	24	12.7	155	50.5	59	18.6	376
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 717
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	23	100.0	5 051
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 107
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 619
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	472
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	3 646
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	446
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
Multiple modes—Con.							
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	124	100.0	S	S	S	S	504
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	29
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 233
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	12
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	2
Other and unknown modes	12 030	100.0	8 963	100.0	1 193	100.0	62
Less than 50 lb	S	S	70	.8	4	.3	54
50 to 99 lb	511	4.3	41	.5	2	.1	S
100 to 499 lb	1 141	9.5	147	1.6	7	.6	S
500 to 749 lb	211	1.8	52	.6	S	S	54
750 to 999 lb	69	.6	21	.2	S	S	S
1,000 to 9,999 lb	2 681	22.3	840	9.4	285	23.9	353
10,000 to 49,999 lb	2 429	20.2	2 272	25.3	780	65.4	331
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	374	4.2	10	.9	28
100,000 lb or more	S	S	5 147	57.4	101	8.5	S

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¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.

²"Truck" as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.

³Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentially protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

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Table 5a. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
		2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
	Total²	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0	484
01	Live animals and live fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
02	Cereal grains	228	—	S	S	222	.4	S
03	Other agricultural products	4 927	1.7	4 932	1.1	2 936	4.8	771
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	342	.1	2 159	.5	S	S	312
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	5 586	1.9	1 971	.4	687	1.1	154
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	3 973	1.3	2 382	.5	S	S	S
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	16 842	5.7	20 497	4.5	9 100	14.9	S
08	Alcoholic beverages	6 994	2.4	4 491	1.0	580	.9	49
09	Tobacco products	S	S	S	S	38	—	1 205
10	Monumental or building stone	S	S	S	S	S	S	111
11	Natural sands	288	.1	36 552	8.0	2 761	4.5	S
12	Gravel and crushed stone	517	.2	81 901	18.0	2 098	3.4	22
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	325	.1	7 804	1.7	S	S	257
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	145	.2	S
15	Coal	S	S	S	S	S	S	86
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	10 421	3.5	35 872	7.9	1 174	1.9	30
18	Fuel oils	2 377	.8	10 383	2.3	363	.6	24
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	38
20	Basic chemicals	1 383	.5	2 240	.5	800	1.3	412
21	Pharmaceutical products	18 777	6.3	1 686	.4	365	.6	1 026
22	Fertilizers	4 381	1.5	S	S	10 072	16.5	190
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	7 978	2.7	2 815	.6	1 056	1.7	396
24	Plastics and rubber	10 126	3.4	2 585	.6	1 045	1.7	270
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
26	Wood products	5 941	2.0	16 598	3.6	2 991	4.9	131
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	3 996	1.3	5 336	1.2	2 993	4.9	209
28	Paper or paperboard articles	3 771	1.3	2 677	.6	689	1.1	229
29	Printed products	1 886	.6	618	.1	373	.6	611
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	9 893	3.3	S	S	S	S	1 235
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	5 801	2.0	47 883	10.5	3 961	6.5	230
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	3 775	1.3	4 803	1.1	1 386	2.3	S
33	Articles of base metal	6 344	2.1	2 488	.5	692	1.1	333
34	Machinery	7 707	2.6	568	.1	148	.2	258
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	43 679	14.7	2 988	.7	1 502	2.5	579
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	32 268	10.9	3 040	.7	1 122	1.8	300
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	3 383	1.1	54	—	57	—	1 153
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	7 893	2.7	59	—	41	—	1 070
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	7 764	2.6	1 231	.3	251	.4	421
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	7 807	2.6	2 158	.5	644	1.1	797
41	Waste and scrap	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
43	Mixed freight	42 673	14.4	13 802	3.0	1 460	2.4	136
--	Commodity unknown	398	.1	1 186	.3	84	.1	S

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²Estimates exclude shipments of crude petroleum (SCTG 16).

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Table 5b. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity for State of Origin: Percent of Total for 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value (percent)		Tons (percent)		Ton-miles ¹ (percent)	
		2002	1997	2002	1997	2002	1997
	Total²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
01	Live animals and live fish	—	S	—	S	—	S
02	Cereal grains	—	S	S	S	.4	S
03	Other agricultural products	1.7	1.8	1.1	1.4	4.8	3.5
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c. ....	.1	.4	.5	1.1	S	1.7
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	1.9	2.5	.4	.5	1.1	1.2
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	1.3	1.4	.5	.6	S	.7
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	5.7	6.5	4.5	5.2	14.9	11.4
08	Alcoholic beverages	2.4	2.4	1.0	1.2	.9	.9
09	Tobacco products	S	.5	S	S	—	—
10	Monumental or building stone	S	—	S	S	S	—
11	Natural sands .....	.1	.2	8.0	6.8	4.5	2.4
12	Gravel and crushed stone .....	.2	.2	18.0	17.9	3.4	10.2
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c. ....	.1	.3	1.7	4.5	S	3.9
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	—	.2	.2
15	Coal	S	—	S	—	S	—
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	3.5	4.1	7.9	9.6	1.9	3.3
18	Fuel oils .....	.8	1.1	2.3	3.2	.6	.8
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	S	.3	S	S	S	.2
20	Basic chemicals .....	.5	.8	.5	.8	1.3	1.7
21	Pharmaceutical products	6.3	5.6	.4	S	.6	.4
22	Fertilizers	1.5	2.2	S	15.6	16.5	17.4
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	2.7	2.0	.6	.7	1.7	2.0
24	Plastics and rubber	3.4	3.0	.6	.6	1.7	1.4
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S
26	Wood products	2.0	1.9	3.6	2.0	4.9	3.5
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.0	4.9	4.3
28	Paper or paperboard articles	1.3	1.2	.6	.6	1.1	1.1
29	Printed products .....	.6	1.7	.1	.1	.6	.5
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	3.3	3.6	S	.2	S	.7
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	2.0	2.2	10.5	14.4	6.5	7.5
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	1.3	1.6	1.1	.9	2.3	1.7
33	Articles of base metal	2.1	2.8	.5	.7	1.1	1.6
34	Machinery	2.6	5.1	.1	.2	.2	.5
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	14.7	15.7	.7	.3	2.5	.6
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	10.9	2.5	.7	.3	1.8	.5
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	1.1	2.2	—	—	—	.2
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	2.7	3.8	—	—	—	.2
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	2.6	1.2	.3	.1	.4	.2
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	2.6	8.3	.5	1.1	1.1	1.6
41	Waste and scrap	S	.6	S	1.6	S	3.1
43	Mixed freight	14.4	8.4	3.0	2.1	2.4	1.7
--	Commodity unknown1	.4	.3	.3	.1	.3

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
ALL COMMODITIES							
Total²	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0	484
Single modes	245 096	82.5	444 398	97.7	58 629	96.0	154
Truck ³	226 639	76.3	361 197	79.4	40 866	66.9	125
For-hire truck	97 189	32.7	210 389	46.2	30 286	49.6	565
Private truck	128 728	43.3	149 286	32.8	9 967	16.3	43
Rail	6 701	2.3	S	S	17 082	28.0	1 152
Water	320	.1	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	440
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	190	-	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	10 922	3.7	238	-	337	.6	1 645
Pipeline ⁴	513	.2	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	39 863	13.4	1 724	.4	1 252	2.0	1 060
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	39 094	13.2	884	.2	833	1.4	1 060
Truck and rail	191	-	308	-	316	.5	1 146
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	23	-	5 051
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	124	-	S	S	S	S	504
Other and unknown modes	12 030	4.1	8 963	2.0	1 193	2.0	62
SCTG 01, LIVE ANIMALS AND LIVE FISH							
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Single modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck ³	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
For-hire truck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Private truck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCTG 02, CEREAL GRAINS							
Total	228	100.0	S	S	222	100.0	S
Single modes	195	85.3	S	S	221	99.6	S
Truck ³	195	85.3	S	S	221	99.6	S
For-hire truck	179	78.4	S	S	221	99.6	359
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	19
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	3

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 03, OTHER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS							
Total	4 927	100.0	4 932	100.0	2 936	100.0	771
Single modes	4 726	95.9	4 761	96.5	S	S	574
Truck ³	4 191	85.1	4 754	96.4	S	S	536
For-hire truck	2 648	53.8	S	S	S	S	1 208
Private truck	1 543	31.3	1 796	36.4	221	7.5	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 838
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 058
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 058
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	232
SCTG 04, ANIMAL FEED AND PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, N.E.C.							
Total	342	100.0	2 159	100.0	S	S	312
Single modes	340	99.4	2 151	99.6	S	S	309
Truck ³	245	71.7	1 626	75.3	393	35.6	257
For-hire truck	179	52.3	1 513	70.1	369	33.4	354
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 160
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	856
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	856
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 047
SCTG 05, MEAT, FISH, SEAFOOD, AND THEIR PREPARATIONS							
Total	5 586	100.0	1 971	100.0	687	100.0	154
Single modes	5 553	99.4	1 968	99.9	687	99.9	154
Truck ³	5 550	99.4	1 968	99.8	686	99.8	152
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	532
Private truck	2 545	45.6	901	45.7	127	18.4	80
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 974
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 974
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 002
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 479
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	817
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	7 002
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	125

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 06, MILLED GRAIN PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, AND BAKERY PRODUCTS							
Total	3 973	100.0	2 382	100.0	S	S	S
Single modes	3 824	96.3	2 215	93.0	S	S	S
Truck ³	3 824	96.3	2 215	93.0	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	484
Private truck	2 280	57.4	1 181	49.6	69	7.5	55
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	922
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	922
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 07, OTHER PREPARED FOODSTUFFS AND FATS AND OILS							
Total	16 842	100.0	20 497	100.0	9 100	100.0	S
Single modes	15 888	94.3	19 491	95.1	8 709	95.7	S
Truck ³	14 325	85.1	17 734	86.5	6 637	72.9	S
For-hire truck	6 477	38.5	7 685	37.5	5 689	62.5	814
Private truck	7 602	45.1	9 628	47.0	721	7.9	29
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 144
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 931
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 931
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 368
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	276	1.6	55	.3	S	S	1 460
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	209	1.2	S	S	S	S	1 460
Truck and rail	56	.3	40	.2	S	S	2 029
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 08, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES							
Total	6 994	100.0	4 491	100.0	580	100.0	49
Single modes	6 864	98.1	4 482	99.8	579	99.8	45
Truck ³	6 864	98.1	4 482	99.8	579	99.8	45
For-hire truck	1 193	17.1	1 517	33.8	484	83.5	321
Private truck	5 670	81.1	2 965	66.0	95	16.3	42
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	41
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	137
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	137
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	7

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 09, TOBACCO PRODUCTS							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	38	100.0	1 205
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	641
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	343
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	852
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	150
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 553
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 329
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 329
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	643
SCTG 10, MONUMENTAL OR BUILDING STONE							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	111
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	96
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	96
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	213
Private truck	\$	\$	15	66.1	\$	\$	65
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	600
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	600
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 11, NATURAL SANDS							
Total	288	100.0	36 552	100.0	2 761	100.0	\$
Single modes	286	99.1	36 542	100.0	2 733	99.0	\$
Truck ³	234	81.0	36 400	99.6	2 576	93.3	\$
For-hire truck	161	56.0	\$	\$	2 259	81.8	\$
Private truck	72	25.0	6 633	18.1	317	11.5	\$
Rail	52	18.1	142	.4	157	5.7	1 089
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 786
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 786
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 12, GRAVEL AND CRUSHED STONE							
Total	517	100.0	81 901	100.0	2 098	100.0	22
Single modes	498	96.2	78 990	96.4	2 054	97.9	22
Truck ³	481	93.0	77 465	94.6	1 743	83.1	21
For-hire truck	411	79.6	64 029	78.2	1 400	66.7	20
Private truck	67	12.9	12 761	15.6	284	13.5	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	198
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	20	3.8	2 910	3.6	S	S	15
SCTG 13, NONMETALLIC MINERALS N.E.C.							
Total	325	100.0	7 804	100.0	S	S	257
Single modes	324	99.6	7 684	98.5	S	S	266
Truck ³	S	S	1 425	18.3	S	S	268
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	591
Private truck	66	20.3	572	7.3	S	S	91
Rail	141	43.5	6 259	80.2	375	30.7	S
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	785
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	785
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	35
SCTG 14, METALLIC ORES AND CONCENTRATES							
Total	S	S	S	S	145	100.0	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	145	100.0	S
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	879
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	104
Rail	22	22.6	145	48.5	120	82.8	829
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 6. **Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.**

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 15, COAL							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	86
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	86
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	86
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	86
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	86
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCTG 17, GASOLINE AND AVIATION TURBINE FUEL							
Total	10 421	100.0	35 872	100.0	1 174	100.0	30
Single modes	10 308	98.9	35 519	99.0	1 168	99.4	30
Truck ³	9 811	94.1	33 296	92.8	1 146	97.6	30
For-hire truck	6 431	61.7	20 602	57.4	706	60.1	37
Private truck	3 380	32.4	12 694	35.4	440	37.4	24
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	909
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	12
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	18
SCTG 18, FUEL OILS							
Total	2 377	100.0	10 383	100.0	363	100.0	24
Single modes	2 370	99.7	10 372	99.9	362	99.7	23
Truck ³	2 362	99.4	10 339	99.6	361	99.5	23
For-hire truck	904	38.0	3 714	35.8	157	43.2	40
Private truck	1 459	61.4	6 625	63.8	204	56.3	15
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	366

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 19, COAL AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.E.C.							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	38
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	37
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	37
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	126
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	19
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	360
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	360
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	76
SCTG 20, BASIC CHEMICALS							
Total	1 383	100.0	2 240	100.0	800	100.0	412
Single modes	1 353	97.8	2 223	99.3	775	96.9	200
Truck ³	937	67.8	1 719	76.7	S	S	174
For-hire truck	673	48.7	1 084	48.4	160	20.0	250
Private truck	S	S	S	S	32	4.0	73
Rail	382	27.6	495	22.1	347	43.3	680
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 138
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20	1.5	S	S	S	S	1 712
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	6	.4	—	—	—	—	1 711
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 819
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 21, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS							
Total	18 777	100.0	1 686	100.0	365	100.0	1 026
Single modes	6 389	34.0	1 620	96.1	322	88.4	577
Truck ³	6 099	32.5	1 615	95.7	313	85.7	501
For-hire truck	4 573	24.4	1 546	91.7	306	84.1	805
Private truck	1 525	8.1	69	4.1	S	S	104
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 695
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	9 047	48.2	49	2.9	38	10.4	1 137
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	9 047	48.2	49	2.9	38	10.4	1 137
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	17	1.0	4	1.2	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 22, FERTILIZERS							
Total	4 381	100.0	S	S	10 072	100.0	190
Single modes	4 344	99.1	S	S	10 071	100.0	198
Truck ³	1 284	29.3	S	S	805	8.0	115
For-hire truck	916	20.9	S	S	674	6.7	181
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	67
Rail	2 903	66.3	S	S	9 031	89.7	634
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	200
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	200
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	2
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	3
SCTG 23, CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, N.E.C.							
Total	7 978	100.0	2 815	100.0	1 056	100.0	396
Single modes	6 723	84.3	2 702	96.0	952	90.2	244
Truck ³	6 575	82.4	2 620	93.1	821	77.7	S
For-hire truck	3 223	40.4	1 008	35.8	628	59.5	908
Private truck	3 348	42.0	1 612	57.3	S	S	44
Rail	9	.1	20	.7	16	1.5	921
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 598
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	874	10.9	50	1.8	50	4.7	865
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	848	10.6	45	1.6	39	3.7	863
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	318
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 256
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 24, PLASTICS AND RUBBER							
Total	10 126	100.0	2 585	100.0	1 045	100.0	270
Single modes	8 893	87.8	2 484	96.1	993	95.0	S
Truck ³	8 863	87.5	2 477	95.8	986	94.4	S
For-hire truck	3 501	34.6	1 056	40.9	773	74.0	674
Private truck	5 361	52.9	1 421	55.0	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 295
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	55	2.1	44	4.2	645
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	55	2.1	44	4.2	645
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	243	2.4	46	1.8	8	.8	S

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Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 25, LOGS AND OTHER WOOD IN THE ROUGH							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	552
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	68
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	726
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	726
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 26, WOOD PRODUCTS							
Total	5 941	100.0	16 598	100.0	2 991	100.0	131
Single modes	5 656	95.2	14 457	87.1	2 921	97.7	125
Truck ³	5 580	93.9	14 269	86.0	2 777	92.8	124
For-hire truck	2 230	37.5	S	S	1 697	56.8	283
Private truck	3 352	56.1	4 467	26.9	1 063	35.5	86
Rail	69	1.2	176	1.1	144	4.8	906
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	9
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	9
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 119
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	703
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	700
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 061
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	2 102	12.7	21	.7	S
SCTG 27, PULP, NEWSPRINT, PAPER, AND PAPERBOARD							
Total	3 996	100.0	5 336	100.0	2 993	100.0	209
Single modes	3 749	93.8	4 954	92.8	2 736	91.4	S
Truck ³	3 057	76.5	3 498	65.5	1 483	49.6	S
For-hire truck	1 323	33.1	2 287	42.9	1 410	47.1	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	73	2.4	39
Rail	692	17.3	1 457	27.3	1 253	41.9	960
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	3 285
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 021
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 021
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 230
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	180	4.5	333	6.2	210	7.0	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 28, PAPER OR PAPERBOARD ARTICLES							
Total	3 771	100.0	2 677	100.0	689	100.0	229
Single modes	3 565	94.5	2 635	98.5	665	96.5	86
Truck ³	3 550	94.1	2 616	97.7	658	95.6	82
For-hire truck	1 689	44.8	1 696	63.4	570	82.7	389
Private truck	1 860	49.3	920	34.4	89	12.9	51
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	380
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	380
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 481
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	178	4.7	25	.9	S	S	866
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	165	4.4	S	S	S	S	866
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	614
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	28	.7	16	.6	4	.6	S
SCTG 29, PRINTED PRODUCTS							
Total	1 886	100.0	618	100.0	373	100.0	611
Single modes	1 376	73.0	508	82.2	276	74.0	257
Truck ³	1 373	72.8	507	82.1	275	73.6	237
For-hire truck	584	31.0	400	64.7	271	72.7	965
Private truck	788	41.8	107	17.4	3	.9	S
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	4	.2	1	.1	1	.3	1 629
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	429	22.8	S	S	S	S	844
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	429	22.8	S	S	S	S	844
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	80	4.3	30	4.8	S	S	S
SCTG 30, TEXTILES, LEATHER, AND ARTICLES OF TEXTILES OR LEATHER							
Total	9 893	100.0	S	S	S	S	1 235
Single modes	5 780	58.4	S	S	S	S	1 060
Truck ³	5 460	55.2	S	S	S	S	942
For-hire truck	2 968	30.0	S	S	S	S	1 585
Private truck	2 492	25.2	374	26.8	64	4.9	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 405
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 555
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	3 727	37.7	S	S	S	S	1 270
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	3 726	37.7	S	S	S	S	1 270
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	4 431
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	659

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	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 31, NONMETALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS							
Total	5 801	100.0	47 883	100.0	3 961	100.0	230
Single modes	5 493	94.7	46 901	97.9	3 872	97.8	S
Truck ³	5 444	93.8	45 979	96.0	3 417	86.3	S
For-hire truck	3 336	57.5	24 621	51.4	2 619	66.1	S
Private truck	2 108	36.3	21 359	44.6	798	20.1	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	480
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 535
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	181	3.1	S	S	65	1.6	1 331
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	165	2.8	12	—	S	S	1 333
Truck and rail	16	.3	S	S	S	S	376
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 101
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	127	2.2	S	S	24	.6	S
SCTG 32, BASE METAL IN PRIMARY OR SEMIFINISHED FORMS AND IN FINISHED BASIC SHAPES							
Total	3 775	100.0	4 803	100.0	1 386	100.0	S
Single modes	3 393	89.9	4 679	97.4	1 363	98.3	107
Truck ³	3 327	88.1	4 422	92.1	1 225	88.4	106
For-hire truck	1 325	35.1	1 765	36.7	670	48.3	531
Private truck	2 002	53.0	2 657	55.3	S	S	64
Rail	64	1.7	257	5.3	137	9.9	538
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 598
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	166	4.4	4	—	3	.2	914
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	166	4.4	4	—	3	.2	914
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 33, ARTICLES OF BASE METAL							
Total	6 344	100.0	2 488	100.0	692	100.0	333
Single modes	5 510	86.9	2 397	96.3	673	97.2	101
Truck ³	5 359	84.5	2 261	90.9	582	84.1	95
For-hire truck	2 403	37.9	1 139	45.8	425	61.4	416
Private truck	2 942	46.4	1 122	45.1	157	22.7	49
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	642
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	370
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 623
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	591	9.3	14	.6	15	2.2	995
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	590	9.3	14	.6	13	1.8	991
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	7 181
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

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	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 34, MACHINERY							
Total	7 707	100.0	568	100.0	148	100.0	258
Single modes	5 949	77.2	519	91.3	128	86.7	119
Truck ³	5 292	68.7	516	90.7	123	83.5	87
For-hire truck	2 915	37.8	198	34.9	106	71.4	279
Private truck	2 377	30.8	318	55.9	18	12.1	37
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	657	8.5	3	.5	5	3.1	1 594
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	1 374	17.8	25	4.5	15	10.3	519
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	1 374	17.8	25	4.5	15	10.3	519
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	144
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	383	5.0	24	4.3	4	3.0	S
SCTG 35, ELECTRONIC AND OTHER ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND COMPONENTS AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT							
Total	43 679	100.0	2 988	100.0	1 502	100.0	579
Single modes	28 604	65.5	2 616	87.5	1 149	76.5	213
Truck ³	21 356	48.9	2 506	83.9	1 025	68.2	S
For-hire truck	9 870	22.6	1 138	38.1	972	64.7	912
Private truck	11 485	26.3	S	S	53	3.5	29
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 276
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
Air (includes truck and air)	7 210	16.5	S	S	124	8.2	1 671
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	12 647	29.0	155	5.2	173	11.5	1 061
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	12 238	28.0	153	5.1	168	11.2	1 060
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	4 893
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	2 429	5.6	218	7.3	S	S	S
SCTG 36, MOTORIZED AND OTHER VEHICLES (INCLUDING PARTS)							
Total	32 268	100.0	3 040	100.0	1 122	100.0	300
Single modes	30 006	93.0	2 877	94.6	1 069	95.3	154
Truck ³	29 858	92.5	2 868	94.3	1 065	95.0	148
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	856	76.3	425
Private truck	11 755	36.4	1 159	38.1	209	18.7	69
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	315
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	88	.3	2	—	2	.1	1 015
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	1 101	3.4	46	1.5	31	2.8	741
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	1 080	3.3	44	1.5	26	2.3	735
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	3 056
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 239
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	1 161	3.6	117	3.9	21	1.9	S

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 37, TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, N.E.C.							
Total	3 383	100.0	54	100.0	57	100.0	1 153
Single modes	2 477	73.2	46	84.6	51	89.7	1 368
Truck ³	1 854	54.8	38	70.0	40	69.8	540
For-hire truck	1 056	31.2	20	36.1	25	43.7	943
Private truck	798	23.6	18	33.9	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 636
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	239
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	194
Great Lakes	S	S	S	S	S	S	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	800
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 743
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	781	23.1	4	6.6	3	5.5	995
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	771	22.8	3	5.4	3	4.8	995
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	556
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	126	3.7	5	8.8	S	S	834
SCTG 38, PRECISION INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS							
Total	7 893	100.0	59	100.0	41	100.0	1 070
Single modes	5 068	64.2	46	77.1	24	59.6	829
Truck ³	4 452	56.4	44	74.9	22	54.6	674
For-hire truck	1 904	24.1	24	39.8	21	51.0	1 400
Private truck	S	S	21	35.1	1	3.6	98
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	616	7.8	1	2.2	2	5.0	1 524
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	2 784	35.3	14	22.8	17	40.4	1 200
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 784	35.3	14	22.8	17	40.4	1 200
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 39, FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND MATTRESS SUPPORTS, LAMPS, LIGHTING FITTINGS, AND ILLUMINATED SIGNS							
Total	7 764	100.0	1 231	100.0	251	100.0	421
Single modes	6 868	88.5	1 162	94.4	197	78.2	S
Truck ³	6 838	88.1	1 160	94.3	196	78.1	S
For-hire truck	2 631	33.9	586	47.6	160	63.6	373
Private truck	4 205	54.2	574	46.7	37	14.6	57
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	18
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	965
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	853
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	853
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	164	2.1	21	1.7	13	5.0	S

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. **Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.**

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 40, MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS							
Total	7 807	100.0	2 158	100.0	644	100.0	797
Single modes	5 270	67.5	2 079	96.3	569	88.3	380
Truck ³	5 037	64.5	2 067	95.8	551	85.5	261
For-hire truck	3 126	40.0	1 060	49.1	364	56.5	617
Private truck	1 911	24.5	1 007	46.7	S	S	59
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 894
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	232	3.0	S	S	S	S	1 751
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	2 266	29.0	62	2.9	65	10.1	986
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 251	28.8	58	2.7	55	8.5	986
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 698
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	5 122
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	272	3.5	18	.8	S	S	S
SCTG 41, WASTE AND SCRAP							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	82	10.8	S	S	238	9.6	314
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	145
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	833
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	496
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	522
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	1
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 263
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 384
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 108
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 284
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 069
SCTG 43, MIXED FREIGHT							
Total	42 673	100.0	13 802	100.0	1 460	100.0	136
Single modes	40 882	95.8	13 509	97.9	1 423	97.5	70
Truck ³	40 704	95.4	13 509	97.9	1 423	97.5	70
For-hire truck	5 064	11.9	1 484	10.8	378	25.9	346
Private truck	35 640	83.5	12 025	87.1	1 044	71.5	54
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 024
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	913	2.1	39	.3	17	1.2	465
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	913	2.1	39	.3	17	1.2	465
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	487
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹		Average miles per shipment
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
COMMODITY UNKNOWN							
Total	398	100.0	1 186	100.0	84	100.0	S
Single modes	354	88.8	1 182	99.6	84	99.4	S
Truck ³	329	82.5	S	S	59	70.4	S
For-hire truck	52	13.1	S	S	S	S	667
Private truck	262	65.7	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	49
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 030
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	1	—	—	.6	752
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	1	—	—	.6	752
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

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¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.
²Estimates exclude shipments of crude petroleum (SCTG 16).
³"Truck" as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.
⁴Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

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Table 7. Outbound Shipment Characteristics by State of Destination for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

State of destination	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹	
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent
Total	296 989	100.0	455 084	100.0	61 074	100.0
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	2 204	.7	434	.1	569	.9
Maine	208	—	31	—	46	—
Massachusetts	2 226	.7	411	—	573	.9
New Hampshire	275	—	53	—	77	.1
Rhode Island	190	—	S	S	24	—
Vermont	S	S	S	S	S	S
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	4 575	1.5	1 833	.4	S	S
New York	6 795	2.3	1 447	.3	1 945	3.2
Pennsylvania	3 711	1.2	1 168	.3	1 312	2.1
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	3 824	1.3	1 262	.3	1 531	2.5
Indiana	2 161	.7	1 026	.2	1 132	1.9
Michigan	1 855	.6	966	.2	1 242	2.0
Ohio	4 053	1.4	2 410	.5	2 636	4.3
Wisconsin	1 584	.5	533	.1	731	1.2
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	484	.2	S	S	S	S
Kansas	1 103	.4	183	—	235	.4
Minnesota	1 064	.4	696	.2	1 231	2.0
Missouri	1 398	.5	601	.1	715	1.2
Nebraska	259	—	197	—	321	.5
North Dakota	75	—	S	S	S	S
South Dakota	96	—	S	S	S	S
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	238	—	195	—	168	.3
District of Columbia	83	—	5	—	4	—
Florida	194 873	65.6	411 105	90.3	19 842	32.5
Georgia	11 934	4.0	8 922	2.0	2 324	3.8
Maryland	1 868	.6	558	.1	520	.9
North Carolina	6 142	2.1	2 306	.5	1 325	2.2
South Carolina	3 219	1.1	3 100	.7	S	S
Virginia	2 854	1.0	712	.2	562	.9
West Virginia	275	—	83	—	74	.1
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	4 299	1.4	3 087	.7	1 336	2.2
Kentucky	1 458	.5	636	.1	556	.9
Mississippi	965	.3	474	.1	289	.5
Tennessee	3 086	1.0	1 264	.3	922	1.5
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	1 099	.4	942	.2	S	S
Louisiana	1 738	.6	1 530	.3	980	1.6
Oklahoma	731	.2	124	—	159	.3
Texas	7 737	2.6	2 552	.6	3 232	5.3
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	1 059	.4	175	—	375	.6
Colorado	701	.2	135	—	271	.4
Idaho	156	—	34	—	91	.1
Montana	159	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	S	S	71	—	185	.3
New Mexico	543	.2	73	—	118	.2
Utah	384	.1	S	S	S	S
Wyoming	S	S	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	62	—	S	S	S	S
California	9 373	3.2	1 565	.3	4 128	6.8
Hawaii	161	—	S	S	S	S
Oregon	601	.2	169	—	528	.9
Washington	1 371	.5	220	—	694	1.1

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Table 8. Inbound Shipment Characteristics by State of Origin for State of Destination: 2002

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

State of origin	Value		Tons		Ton-miles ¹	
	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent
Total	404 644	100.0	541 905	100.0	130 303	100.0
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	1 473	.4	177	—	230	.2
Maine	318	—	S	S	S	S
Massachusetts	4 165	1.0	S	S	S	S
New Hampshire	595	.1	85	—	116	—
Rhode Island	461	.1	99	—	138	.1
Vermont	S	S	32	—	48	—
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	9 411	2.3	2 051	.4	2 315	1.8
New York	11 846	2.9	1 708	.3	2 190	1.7
Pennsylvania	7 081	1.7	2 452	.5	2 757	2.1
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	7 870	1.9	3 365	.6	4 158	3.2
Indiana	7 408	1.8	3 545	.7	4 216	3.2
Michigan	5 310	1.3	741	.1	964	.7
Ohio	8 304	2.1	4 019	.7	5 040	3.9
Wisconsin	2 966	.7	1 337	.2	1 851	1.4
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	2 174	.5	660	.1	918	.7
Kansas	1 751	.4	371	—	524	.4
Minnesota	2 736	.7	867	.2	1 469	1.1
Missouri	2 356	.6	1 854	.3	2 267	1.7
Nebraska	821	.2	386	—	622	.5
North Dakota	118	—	63	—	118	—
South Dakota	S	S	27	—	47	—
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	260	—	137	—	137	.1
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	194 873	48.2	411 105	75.9	19 842	15.2
Georgia	29 638	7.3	19 923	3.7	7 953	6.1
Maryland	1 275	.3	356	—	353	.3
North Carolina	12 609	3.1	3 680	.7	2 578	2.0
South Carolina	6 484	1.6	2 529	.5	1 215	.9
Virginia	3 152	.8	2 201	.4	1 893	1.5
West Virginia	299	—	295	—	279	.2
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	7 268	1.8	11 715	2.2	4 657	3.6
Kentucky	5 198	1.3	12 743	2.4	11 031	8.5
Mississippi	3 364	.8	7 053	1.3	4 254	3.3
Tennessee	10 700	2.6	2 640	.5	1 942	1.5
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	2 730	.7	S	S	S	S
Louisiana	7 132	1.8	27 318	5.0	19 884	15.3
Oklahoma	1 357	.3	323	—	421	.3
Texas	10 250	2.5	7 803	1.4	7 727	5.9
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	1 530	.4	43	—	96	—
Colorado	1 231	.3	176	—	329	.3
Idaho	474	.1	364	—	961	.7
Montana	51	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	181	—	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	131	—	182	—	S	S
Utah	1 048	.3	154	—	368	.3
Wyoming	S	S	233	—	536	.4
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	20 720	5.1	1 887	.3	5 156	4.0
Hawaii	17	—	6	—	42	—
Oregon	S	S	537	.1	1 782	1.4
Washington	1 665	.4	396	—	1 237	.9

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Discussion of Survey Changes and Comparing Estimates

The following tables provide comparisons of the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) estimates.

Data users are urged to use caution in comparing estimates from different survey years due to the changes that have occurred in sample design, industry coverage, methodology, commodity classification coding systems, geography, and sample sizes. Appendix A presents change in these areas by survey year.

INDUSTRY COVERAGE CHANGES

Changes to the 2002 CFS include moving the industry coverage from a Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) based definition in the 1997 CFS to a North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) based definition for the 2002 survey. For the 2002 CFS, this meant that selected industries previously covered in the 1997 CFS using the SIC definitions, were now out-of-scope to the 2002 CFS industry coverage based on the NAICS definitions. The major industries not covered by the 2002 CFS that were included in the 1997 CFS are Logging (NAICS 11331); Newspaper Periodical, Book, and Database Publishers (NAICS 5111); and Music Publishers (NAICS 51223).

To make the 1997 CFS estimates comparable with the 2002 CFS, the 1997 CFS estimates have been revised by removing shipments from establishments in the following industries:

- SIC 2411 Logging
- SIC 2711 Newspapers: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing
- SIC 2721 Periodicals: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing
- SIC 2731 Books: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing
- SIC 2741 Miscellaneous Publishing
- SIC 2771 Greeting Cards

We were not able to adjust the 1997 CFS estimates to account the NAICS coverage changes when only part of a SIC moved out-of-scope. For example, a wholesale industry in-scope to the 1997 CFS—SIC 5171 (Petroleum Bulk Stations and Terminals)—included Heating Oil Sold Via Retail Method, which is now classified as Retail (NAICS 454311) and is out-of-scope of the 2002 CFS. The majority of the industry remains in-scope to the 2002 CFS industry coverage, therefore we made no adjustment to the 1997 CFS estimates.

No adjustments have been made to the 1993 CFS estimates.

Detailed information about NAICS can be found at www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html.

AUXILIARY ESTABLISHMENT COVERAGE CHANGES

The 2002 CFS improved the coverage of auxiliary establishments. Auxiliary establishments are defined as warehouses and managing offices of multiestablishment companies, which have non-auxiliary establishments that are in-scope to CFS or are classified in retail trade. For the 1997 CFS sampling, managing offices had to have sales or inventory levels of greater than zero in order to be considered for selection. However, research conducted prior to the 2002 CFS showed that not all managing offices with shipping activity in the 1997 CFS indicated sales or inventories in the 1997 Economic Census. Therefore, to provide a more comprehensive coverage of auxiliaries, for the 2002 CFS managing offices were subjected to sampling, regardless of sales or inventories.

COMPARISON DATA AND STATISTICAL VALIDITY

Changes from the 1997 to 2002 CFS include a decrease in sample size, from approximately 100,000 establishments for the 1997 CFS to about 50,000 establishments for the 2002 survey.

One consequence of the decreased sample size was a substantial increase in the sampling variability for estimates of period-to-period change produced at full detail levels for mode and commodity. Because of the increased variability in many of these categories, one cannot conclude with a high degree of confidence that changes were significant. For a more detailed discussion of sampling variability, see Appendix B. We have provided period-to-period comparisons at the following, higher levels of aggregation for mode of transportation and commodity since the impact of increased sampling variability is less at those levels. For consistency, these aggregation levels are also now used in our Metropolitan Area and Export tables, where appropriate.

Table 9. Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

Mode of transportation	Value			Tons			Ton-miles ¹			Average miles per shipment		
	2002 (million dollars)	1997 (million dollars)	Percent change	2002 (thousands)	1997 (thousands)	Percent change	2002 (millions)	1997 (millions)	Percent change	2002	1997	Percent change
Total	296 989	209 428	41.8	455 084	366 398	24.2	61 074	54 877	11.3	484	515	-5.9
Single modes	245 096	163 437	50.0	444 398	358 915	23.8	58 629	50 062	17.1	154	141	8.7
Truck ²	226 639	150 107	51.0	361 197	276 953	30.4	40 866	28 049	45.7	125	123	1.9
Rail	6 701	5 678	18.0	S	77 311	S	17 082	19 822	-13.8	1 152	468	146.0
Water	320	1 001	-68.0	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	10 922	6 465	68.9	238	S	S	337	S	S	1 645	958	71.8
Pipeline ³	513	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	39 863	36 009	10.7	1 724	4 754	-63.7	1 252	3 958	-68.4	1 060	1 000	6.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier ..	39 094	34 749	12.5	884	693	27.5	833	567	47.0	1 060	999	6.0
Truck and rail	191	415	-53.9	308	1 278	-75.9	316	754	-58.1	1 146	746	53.8
All other multiple modes	S	845	S	S	2 783	S	S	2 637	S	2 939	3 954	-25.7
Other and unknown modes ...	12 030	9 982	20.5	8 963	2 730	228.4	1 193	857	39.2	62	128	-51.5

- Represents data cell equal to zero or less than 1 unit of measure.
S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.
²Truck as a single mode includes shipments that were made by only private truck, only for-hire truck, or a combination of private truck and for-hire truck.

³Estimates for pipeline exclude shipments of crude petroleum.

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Note: Coverage for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) differs from the previous surveys due to a change from the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification System to the 1997 North American Industry Classification System and other survey improvements. Therefore, data users are urged to use caution when comparing 2002 CFS estimates with estimates from prior years.

Table 10. Shipment Characteristics by Commodity Group for State of Origin: 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys. Because of rounding, estimates may not be additive]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value			Tons			Ton-miles ¹			Average miles per shipment		
		2002 (million dollars)	1997 (million dollars)	Percent change	2002 (thousands)	1997 (thousands)	Percent change	2002 (millions)	1997 (millions)	Percent change	2002	1997	Percent change
	Total	296 989	209 428	41.8	455 084	366 398	24.2	61 074	54 877	11.3	484	515	-5.9
01-05	Agricultural products and fish	11 083	10 560	5.0	9 894	14 515	-31.8	4 949	6 679	-25.9	621	471	31.8
06-09	Grains, alcohol, and tobacco products	30 810	22 510	36.9	27 514	25 984	5.9	10 640	7 179	48.2	S	151	S
10-14	Stones, nonmetallic minerals, and metallic ores	1 274	1 590	-19.9	126 579	108 639	16.5	6 226	9 215	-32.4	46	59	-22.1
15-19	Coal and petroleum products	14 882	11 653	27.7	52 065	49 953	4.2	1 669	2 399	-30.4	30	49	-39.4
20-24	Basic chemicals, chemical, and pharmaceutical products	42 645	28 690	48.6	S	65 789	S	13 336	12 591	5.9	681	770	-11.5
25-30	Logs, wood products, and textile and leather	26 047	20 039	30.0	S	20 940	S	10 432	6 021	73.2	907	603	50.5
31-34	Base metal and machinery ..	23 627	24 359	-3.0	55 742	59 455	-6.2	6 187	6 205	-3	255	206	23.6
35-38	Electronic, motorized vehicles, and precision instruments	87 223	50 546	72.6	6 142	2 178	182.0	2 722	764	256.2	553	545	1.4
39-43	Furniture, mixed freight and misc. manufactured prod. ..	59 000	38 546	53.1	22 031	17 972	22.6	4 828	3 652	32.2	359	695	-48.4
--	Commodity unknown	398	935	-57.4	1 186	972	22.1	84	170	-50.6	S	299	S

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S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

¹Ton-miles estimates are based on estimated distances traveled along a modeled transportation network. See "Mileage Calculations" section for additional information.
²Estimates exclude shipments of crude petroleum (SCTG 16).

Note: Value-of-shipments estimates have not been adjusted for price changes. Appendix B tables provide estimated measures of sampling variability. The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Note: Coverage for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) differs from the previous surveys due to a change from the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification System to the 1997 North American Industry Classification System and other survey improvements. Therefore, data users are urged to use caution when comparing 2002 CFS estimates with estimates from prior years.

Appendix A.

Comparability With the 1993 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys

The following tables show a comparison of the key characteristics among the 1993, 1997, and 2002 Commodity Flow Surveys.

Industry Coverage

1993	1997	2002
Based on 1987 SIC	Based on 1987 SIC	Based on 1997 NAICS ¹
Manufacturing (excluding Printing Trade Services (SIC 279))	Manufacturing (excluding Printing Trade Services (SIC 279))	Manufacturing (excluding Prepress Services (NAICS 323122))
Mining (except mining services (SICs 108, 124, 138, 148) and oil and gas extraction (SICs 131 and 132))	Mining (except mining services (SICs 108, 124, 138, 148) and oil and gas extraction (SICs 131 and 132))	Mining (except support activities (NAICS 213) and oil and gas extraction (NAICS 211))
Wholesale (merchants and manufacturers' sales branches and government-owned liquor stores)	Wholesale (merchants and manufacturers' sales branches and government-owned liquor stores)	Wholesale (merchants and manufacturers' sales branches and government-owned liquor stores)
Retail catalog and mail order houses	Retail catalog and mail order houses	Retail electronic shopping and mail order houses
Auxiliaries (e.g., warehouses)	Auxiliaries (e.g., warehouses)	Auxiliaries ² (e.g., warehouses)

¹Because of changes in the classification of establishments between SIC and NAICS, establishments classified in the following industries were covered in the 1993 and 1997 surveys, but not in the 2002 survey: NAICS 11331, Logging; NAICS 5111, Newspaper, Periodical, Book, and Database Publishers; and NAICS 51223, Music Publishers. Detailed information about NAICS can be found on the Census Bureau Web site at: <http://www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html>.

²Coverage of auxiliaries has been expanded for the 2002 CFS. In comparison, for the 1997 CFS, the number of in-scope managing offices was reduced to a large extent based on the results of the 1992 Economic Census. For the 1997 CFS, a managing office was considered in-scope only if it had sales or end-of-year inventories in the 1992 Census. Research conducted prior to the 2002 CFS showed that not all managing offices with shipping activity in the 1997 CFS indicated sales or inventories in the 1997 Economic Census. Therefore, the 1997 Economic Census results were not used to determine scope for managing offices in the 2002 CFS. For the 2002 survey, the inclusion of an increased number of auxiliaries (intermediary distribution centers) which support the operations of retail stores (most of which are, themselves out-of-scope) has more of an impact on the estimates of value and tonnage and less on ton-miles.

Commodity Classification System

1993	1997	2002
Standard Transportation Commodity Classification (STCC), developed by the Association of American Railroads (AAR)	Standard Classification of Transported Goods (SCTG)	Standard Classification of Transported Goods (SCTG)

Sample Size

1993	1997	2002
Approximately 200,000 establishments selected from a universe of about 790,000 in-scope establishments.	Approximately 100,000 establishments selected from a universe of about 770,000 in-scope establishments.	Approximately 50,000 establishments selected from a universe of about 760,000 in-scope establishments.

Survey Methodology

1993	1997	2002
Respondents reported for a sample of their individual outbound shipments for a 2-week period during each of the four calendar quarters of the reference year.	Respondents reported for a sample of their individual outbound shipments for a 1-week period during each of the four calendar quarters of the reference year.	Respondents reported for a sample of their individual outbound shipments for a 1-week period during each of the four calendar quarters of the reference year.
Respondents reported key characteristics for each sampled shipment	Respondents reported key characteristics for each sampled shipment.	Respondents reported key characteristics for each sampled shipment.

Reported Mode of Transportation

1993	1997	2002
For-hire truck	For-hire truck	For-hire truck
Private truck	Private truck	Private truck
Rail	Rail	Rail
Air	Air	Air
Inland Water	Shallow draft vessel	Shallow draft vessel
Deep Sea Water	Deep draft vessel	Deep draft vessel
Pipeline	Pipeline	Pipeline
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service, or courier	Parcel, U.S. Postal Service, or courier	Parcel, U.S. Postal Service, or courier
Other	Other	Other
Unknown	Unknown	Unknown

Data Items Requested

1993	1997	2002
For each shipment:	For each shipment:	For each shipment:
Total value	Total value	Total value
Total weight	Total weight	Total weight
Commodity that contributes the most to the shipment's weight (STCC)	Commodity that contributes the most to the shipment's weight (SCTG)	Commodity that contributes the most to the shipment's weight (SCTG)
All known modes of transportation	All known modes of transportation	All known modes of transportation
Single origin (assumed to be the mailing address unless the respondent provided a different physical location address)	Single origin (assumed to be the mailing address unless the respondent provided a different physical location address)	Single origin (assumed to be the mailing address unless the respondent provided a different physical location address)
Destination	Destination	Destination
Containerized (Y/N)	Containerized (Y/N)	
Hazardous material (Y/N)	Hazardous material (UN/NA) code	Hazardous material (UN/NA) code
Export (Y/N)	Export (Y/N)	Export (Y/N)
If export: mode of export, foreign city and country of destination; U.S. port, airport, or border crossing of exit.	If export: mode of export, foreign city and country of destination; U.S. port, airport, or border crossing of exit.	If export: mode of export, foreign city and country of destination; U.S. port, airport, or border crossing of exit.

Appendix B.

Reliability of the Estimates

The estimates in this publication may differ from the actual, unknown population values. Statisticians define this difference as the total error of the estimate. When describing the accuracy of survey results, it is convenient to discuss total error as the sum of sampling error and nonsampling error. Sampling error is the average difference between the estimate and the result that would be obtained from a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions. Nonsampling error encompasses all other factors that contribute to the total error of a sample survey estimate.

The sampling error of the estimates in this publication can be estimated from the selected sample because the sample was selected using probability sampling. Common measures related to sampling error are the sampling variance, the standard error, and the coefficient of variation (CV). The sampling variance is the squared difference, averaged over all possible samples of the same size and design, between the estimator and its average value. The standard error is the square root of the sampling variance. The CV expresses the standard error as a percentage of the estimate to which it refers. This publication presents these measures in Appendix B.

Nonsampling errors are difficult to measure and can be introduced through inadequacies in the questionnaire, nonresponse, inaccurate reporting by respondents, errors in the application of survey procedures, incorrect recording of answers, and errors in data entry and processing. No measures of nonsampling error are presented in this publication, however, every effort is made to minimize their effect on the estimates. Data users should take into account both the measures of sampling error and the potential effects of nonsampling error when using these estimates.

More detailed descriptions of sampling and nonsampling errors for the 2002 CFS are provided in the following sections.

Sampling Error

Because the estimates are based on a sample, exact agreement with results that would be obtained from a complete enumeration of all shipments made in 2002 from all establishments included on the sampling frame using the same enumeration procedures is not expected. However, because probability sampling was used at each stage of selection, it is possible to estimate the sampling variability of the survey estimates. For CFS estimates, sampling variability arises from each of the three stages of sampling. (See Appendix C for a description of the sample design.)

The particular sample used in this survey is one of a large number of samples of the same size that could have been selected using the same design. If all possible samples had been surveyed under the same conditions, an estimate of a population parameter of interest could have been obtained from each sample. These samples give rise to a distribution of estimates for the population parameter. A statistical measure of the variability among these estimates is the standard error, which can be approximated from any one sample. The *standard error* is defined as the square root of the variance. The *coefficient of variation* (or relative standard error) of an estimator is the standard error of the estimator divided by the estimator. Note that measures of sampling variability, such as the standard error and coefficient of variation, are estimated from the sample and are also subject to sampling variability. (Technically, we should refer to the *estimated* standard error or the *estimated* coefficient of variation of an estimator. However, for the sake of brevity, we have omitted this detail.) It is important to note that the standard error only measures sampling variability. It does not measure systematic biases of the sample. The Census Bureau recommends that individuals using estimates contained in this report incorporate this information into their analyses, as sampling error could affect the conclusions drawn from these estimates.

An estimate from a particular sample and the standard error associated with the estimate can be used to construct a confidence interval. A *confidence interval* is a range about a given estimator that has a specified probability of containing the result of a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions. Associated with each interval is a percentage of confidence, which is interpreted as follows. If, for each possible sample, an estimate of a population parameter and its approximate standard error were obtained, then:

1. For approximately 90 percent of the possible samples, the interval from 1.645 standard errors below to 1.645 standard errors above the estimate would include the result as obtained from a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions.
2. For approximately 95 percent of the possible samples, the interval from 1.96 standard errors below to 1.96 standard errors above the estimate would include the result as obtained from a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions.

To illustrate the computation of a confidence interval for an estimate of total value of shipments, assume that an estimate of total value is \$10,750 million and the coefficient of variation for this estimate is 1.8 percent, or 0.018. First obtain the standard error of the estimate by multiplying the value of shipments estimate by its coefficient of variation. For this example, multiply \$10,750 million by 0.018. This yields a standard error of \$193.5 million. The upper and lower bounds of the 90-percent confidence interval are computed as \$10,750 million plus or minus 1.645 times \$193.5 million. Consequently, the 90-percent confidence interval is \$10,432 million to \$11,068 million. If corresponding confidence intervals were constructed for all possible samples of the same size and design, approximately 9 out of 10 (90 percent) of these intervals would contain the result obtained from a complete enumeration.

Nonsampling Error

Nonsampling error encompasses all other factors that contribute to the total error of a sample survey estimate and may also occur in censuses. It is often helpful to think of nonsampling error as arising from deficiencies or mistakes in the survey process. In the CFS, nonsampling error can be attributed to many sources: inability to obtain information about all units in the sample; response errors; differences in the interpretation of the questions; mistakes in coding or keying the data obtained; and other errors of collection, response, coverage, and processing. Although no direct measurement of the potential biases due to nonsampling error has been obtained, precautionary steps were taken in all phases of the collection, processing, and tabulation of the data in an effort to minimize their influence. The Census Bureau recommends that individuals using estimates in this report incorporate this information into their analyses, as nonsampling error could affect the conclusions drawn from these estimates.

A potential source of bias in the estimates is nonresponse. Nonresponse is defined as the inability to obtain all the intended measurements or responses from all units in the sample. Four levels of nonresponse can occur in the CFS: item, shipment, quarter (reporting week), and establishment. Item nonresponse occurs either when a question is unanswered or the response to the question fails computer or analyst edits. Nonresponse to the shipment value or weight items is corrected by imputation, which is the procedure by which a missing value is replaced by a predicted value obtained from an appropriate model. (See Appendix C for a description of the imputation procedure.) Shipment, quarter, and establishment nonresponse are used to describe the inability to obtain any of the substantive measurements about a sampled shipment, quarter, or establishment, respectively. Shipment and quarter nonresponse are corrected by reweighting. Reweighting allocates characteristics to the nonrespondents in proportion to the characteristics observed for the respondents. The amount of bias introduced by this nonresponse adjustment procedure depends on the extent to which the nonrespondents differ, characteristically, from the respondents. Establishment nonresponse is corrected during the estimation procedure by the industry-level adjustment weight. (See Appendix C for a description of the estimation procedure.) In most cases of establishment nonresponse, none of the four questionnaires have been returned to the Census Bureau, after several attempts to elicit a response. Approximately 63 percent of the establishments provided at least one quarter of data that contributed to tabulation.

Some possible sources of bias that are attributed to respondent-conducted sampling include misunderstanding the definition of a shipment, constructing an incomplete frame of shipments from which to sample, ordering the shipment sampling frame by selected shipment characteristics, and selecting shipment records by a method other than the one specified in the questionnaire's instructions. We often contact respondents who reported shipments having an untypically large value or weight when compared to the rest of their reported shipments. Upon contact, if we are able to collect information on all of a given respondent's large shipments made either for a particular reporting week or for the entire quarter, then we identify these large shipments as certainty shipments. (See Appendix C for a description of how certainty shipments are used in the estimation process.)

DEFINITION OF TERMS

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Unpublished Estimates

Some unpublished estimates can be derived directly from this report by subtracting published estimates from their respective totals. However, the estimates obtained by such subtraction would be subject to poor response, high sampling variability, or other factors that may make them potentially misleading.

Individuals who use estimates in this report to create new estimates should cite the Census Bureau as the source of only the original estimates.

Table B-1a. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—	9.9
Single modes	7.1	1.6	12.2	.6	9.6	.5	20.3
Truck	7.8	1.7	12.7	5.2	10.7	3.7	18.0
For-hire truck	14.7	2.5	10.3	3.7	8.5	2.3	7.7
Private truck	7.0	2.6	21.4	4.4	21.3	2.1	11.5
Rail	19.6	.6	S	S	21.2	4.0	14.4
Water	43.2	—	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	25.3
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	45.3	—	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	21.6	.8	38.1	—	41.5	.4	5.2
Pipeline	49.5	—	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	9.7	1.5	16.9	—	10.7	.4	3.7
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	9.8	1.5	12.1	—	15.4	.3	3.7
Truck and rail	27.7	—	38.2	—	29.8	.2	22.2
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	43.8	—	20.9
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	47.2	—	S	S	S	S	35.5
Other and unknown modes	35.4	.9	19.4	.5	24.3	.4	39.6

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S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

Note: The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Table B-1b. Estimated Standard Errors of Percentage for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: Percent of Total for 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys]

Mode of transportation	Value (percent)		Tons (percent)		Ton-miles (percent)	
	2002	1997	2002	1997	2002	1997
Total	—	—	—	—	—	—
Single modes	1.6	.7	.6	.3	.5	1.4
Truck	1.7	1.2	5.2	3.4	3.7	4.4
For-hire truck	2.5	.9	3.7	3.0	2.3	3.1
Private truck	2.6	1.6	4.4	2.2	2.1	1.3
Rail .....	.6	.3	S	3.1	4.0	3.2
Water	—	.2	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	—	S	S
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air) .....	.8	.6	—	S	.4	S
Pipeline	—	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	1.5	.7	—	.3	.4	1.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	1.5	.7	—	—	.3	.1
Truck and rail	—	—	—	.1	.2	.2
Truck and water	S	.2	S	.3	—	1.4
Rail and water	—	S	—	S	—	S
Other multiple modes	—	S	S	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes9	.4	.5	.1	.4	.4

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S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

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Table B-2. **Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Total Modal Activity for State of Origin: 2002**

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation	Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
Total	9.4	—	9.9
Truck	10.7	3.7	18.0
Rail	21.2	4.0	14.4
Shallow draft	S	S	25.3
Great Lakes	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S
Air	41.5	.4	5.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S
Pipeline	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes	24.3	.4	39.6

— Represents data cell equal to zero or less than 1 unit of measure.

S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

Note: The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Table B-3. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles	
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage
Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—
Less than 50 miles	8.1	1.8	16.3	3.9	17.7	2.8
50 to 99 miles	6.7	.7	26.5	2.5	23.3	1.8
100 to 249 miles	13.1	1.0	21.2	1.5	20.0	1.6
250 to 499 miles	25.2	1.3	9.4	.5	8.8	.9
500 to 749 miles	10.2	.4	22.0	.5	20.9	1.0
750 to 999 miles	8.0	.8	11.3	.4	11.8	1.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	5.6	.8	20.2	.6	20.8	2.5
1,500 to 1,999 miles	7.0	.1	29.1	—	29.6	.7
2,000 miles or more	6.0	.3	12.6	.1	12.4	1.2
Single modes	7.1	—	12.2	—	9.6	—
Less than 50 miles	7.5	2.4	16.8	3.9	17.8	2.9
50 to 99 miles	8.2	.9	26.3	2.5	23.2	1.8
100 to 249 miles	12.0	1.0	21.5	1.5	20.3	1.7
250 to 499 miles	28.2	1.7	9.7	.5	9.1	.9
500 to 749 miles	11.6	.5	22.5	.5	21.4	1.1
750 to 999 miles	10.4	.8	11.8	.4	12.3	1.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	10.3	.8	21.2	.6	21.9	2.6
1,500 to 1,999 miles	12.5	.1	29.0	—	29.5	.7
2,000 miles or more	12.3	.4	13.7	.1	13.7	1.3
Truck	7.8	—	12.7	—	10.7	—
Less than 50 miles	7.6	2.3	13.0	3.1	18.0	1.3
50 to 99 miles	8.3	.9	27.2	2.6	25.2	2.3
100 to 249 miles	12.6	1.0	22.5	1.5	21.4	1.8
250 to 499 miles	30.0	1.8	10.7	.4	10.9	.8
500 to 749 miles	13.4	.5	18.9	.2	18.5	.7
750 to 999 miles	9.2	.6	10.1	.3	10.0	.9
1,000 to 1,499 miles	11.3	.5	16.0	.3	15.5	1.9
1,500 to 1,999 miles	10.0	—	17.9	—	18.0	.4
2,000 miles or more	15.0	.4	16.7	.1	16.7	2.1
For-hire truck	14.7	—	10.3	—	8.5	—
Less than 50 miles	8.9	2.2	16.2	5.1	15.5	1.2
50 to 99 miles	13.4	.8	31.3	4.4	29.9	2.6
100 to 249 miles	26.3	1.6	20.9	1.8	19.0	1.7
250 to 499 miles	S	S	12.6	.8	12.4	1.1
500 to 749 miles	15.8	1.0	22.2	.3	21.6	1.2
750 to 999 miles	11.0	1.3	11.7	.4	11.6	.9
1,000 to 1,499 miles	10.1	1.1	15.9	.4	15.4	2.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	12.3	.2	21.2	—	20.7	.5
2,000 miles or more	15.0	.9	16.8	.3	16.9	2.7
Private truck	7.0	—	21.4	—	21.3	—
Less than 50 miles	10.1	2.9	18.6	3.1	24.0	3.1
50 to 99 miles	10.4	1.0	41.4	2.0	38.5	2.6
100 to 249 miles	7.7	1.2	28.5	2.1	29.9	2.6
250 to 499 miles	30.1	2.0	19.5	.6	22.7	2.4
500 to 749 miles	23.6	.2	36.1	.3	35.0	1.9
750 to 999 miles	36.9	.3	20.7	.1	21.0	1.5
1,000 to 1,499 miles	34.5	.3	30.7	.2	31.2	2.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	35.7	—	36.0	—	36.4	.5
2,000 miles or more	44.1	—	S	S	S	S
Rail	19.6	—	S	S	21.2	—
Less than 50 miles	42.8	7.6	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	25.6	1.8	40.2	2.1	32.1	.6
250 to 499 miles	20.9	2.8	26.2	2.2	21.4	.9
500 to 749 miles	31.0	2.3	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	35.0	4.1	25.6	2.2	25.7	4.8
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	32.6	4.5	33.0	5.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	38.8	.5	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	S	S	47.7	.2	47.5	1.4
Water	43.2	—	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table B-3. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles	
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage
Single modes—Con.						
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	45.3	—	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	21.6	—	38.1	—	41.5	—
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	41.0	.1	46.7	.3	41.1	—
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	46.1	2.3	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	30.5	2.1	44.9	.9	43.7	.7
750 to 999 miles	47.5	7.9	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	21.2	5.4	36.9	8.2	35.8	8.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	34.5	1.9	32.1	1.0	34.8	1.6
2,000 miles or more	23.2	4.3	S	S	S	S
Pipeline	49.5	—	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Multiple modes	9.7	—	16.9	—	10.7	—
Less than 50 miles	14.2	1.3	S	S	46.2	.2
50 to 99 miles	21.1	1.0	21.5	.9	23.2	.1
100 to 249 miles	19.1	2.0	17.4	2.5	22.7	.7
250 to 499 miles	10.5	.6	28.3	4.5	25.0	1.8
500 to 749 miles	11.2	.4	13.8	1.0	15.0	1.0
750 to 999 miles	12.1	1.4	19.8	2.8	20.5	3.1
1,000 to 1,499 miles	14.8	3.1	27.0	5.5	25.7	4.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	17.1	.4	15.9	.4	16.0	1.1
2,000 miles or more	16.8	1.2	16.7	1.7	17.6	3.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	9.8	—	12.1	—	15.4	—
Less than 50 miles	14.5	1.4	12.8	1.7	13.1	—
50 to 99 miles	21.1	1.0	22.9	.7	24.4	.1
100 to 249 miles	19.2	2.0	19.6	2.8	21.0	1.1
250 to 499 miles	10.7	.7	20.2	1.4	22.0	1.0
500 to 749 miles	11.2	.4	11.9	.9	11.9	1.1
750 to 999 miles	12.1	1.4	23.1	2.7	23.4	2.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	14.8	3.1	16.7	2.4	17.4	2.6
1,500 to 1,999 miles	17.3	.4	20.1	.4	19.9	.8
2,000 miles or more	18.5	1.2	19.4	1.8	19.9	3.4
Truck and rail	27.7	—	38.2	—	29.8	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	38.2	9.2	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	47.4	6.8	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	40.0	7.2	42.7	6.8	42.1	8.8
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	43.8	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S

See footnotes at end of table.

Table B-3. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Distance Shipped for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and distance shipped (based on Great Circle Distance)	Value		Tons		Ton-miles	
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage
Multiple modes—Con.						
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	47.2	—	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	35.4	—	19.4	—	24.3	—
Less than 50 miles	37.3	5.7	18.7	7.0	17.9	3.1
50 to 99 miles	28.8	1.9	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	39.9	3.3	41.7	3.8
250 to 499 miles	39.7	.8	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	38.8	.8	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	37.0	1.9	45.4	.9	45.0	3.7
1,000 to 1,499 miles	49.9	4.6	37.3	1.1	40.2	8.9
1,500 to 1,999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	33.7	.6	S	S	S	S

— Represents data cell equal to zero or less than 1 unit of measure.

S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

Note: The Introduction and appendixes give information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions. Links to this information on the Internet may be found at www.census.gov/cfs.

Table B-4. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—	9.9
Less than 50 lb	10.3	1.2	13.2	—	14.4	2	7.9
50 to 99 lb	15.3	6	42.9	.1	17.2	—	32.0
100 to 499 lb	8.7	.7	29.2	.4	9.8	.3	24.7
500 to 749 lb	11.2	.5	8.0	—	11.7	—	13.8
750 to 999 lb	14.1	.2	11.0	—	12.1	—	12.5
1,000 to 9,999 lb	20.2	2.7	9.4	1.0	7.7	1.2	6.4
10,000 to 49,999 lb	6.2	2.4	12.7	5.0	11.5	2.9	13.1
50,000 to 99,999 lb	12.0	.7	29.9	4.3	30.9	1.9	13.3
100,000 lb or more	16.4	.7	46.9	7.1	18.4	4.1	8.9
Single modes	7.1	—	12.2	—	9.6	—	20.3
Less than 50 lb	9.8	.4	21.5	—	17.0	—	29.2
50 to 99 lb	19.4	.7	S	S	21.1	—	33.5
100 to 499 lb	9.1	.9	31.0	.4	9.6	.2	26.8
500 to 749 lb	12.3	.6	9.2	—	11.6	—	13.3
750 to 999 lb	14.9	.2	11.6	—	6.5	—	9.5
1,000 to 9,999 lb	21.2	3.4	9.7	1.0	8.0	1.3	6.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	5.9	2.7	12.9	5.2	11.4	2.9	13.2
50,000 to 99,999 lb	12.3	.9	30.0	4.4	31.1	2.0	12.7
100,000 lb or more	17.3	.8	49.6	7.4	18.5	4.2	10.0
Truck²	7.8	—	12.7	—	10.7	—	18.0
Less than 50 lb	9.7	.3	22.1	—	19.4	—	30.6
50 to 99 lb	10.3	.2	S	S	23.5	—	30.0
100 to 499 lb	9.2	.9	31.1	.4	9.4	.2	27.1
500 to 749 lb	13.1	.6	9.3	—	11.9	.1	13.1
750 to 999 lb	15.9	.3	11.7	—	7.9	—	9.3
1,000 to 9,999 lb	21.6	3.5	9.6	1.1	7.6	1.5	6.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	6.0	3.0	12.9	4.4	11.6	2.1	13.7
50,000 to 99,999 lb	12.4	.9	30.1	4.5	32.0	2.1	11.2
100,000 lb or more	19.2	.2	45.5	5.1	19.5	1.6	49.0
For-hire truck	14.7	—	10.3	—	8.5	—	7.7
Less than 50 lb	13.9	.4	17.2	—	25.5	—	13.3
50 to 99 lb	24.5	.5	12.6	—	20.1	—	15.1
100 to 499 lb	12.2	.9	8.8	—	8.8	.2	8.0
500 to 749 lb	24.2	.9	9.5	—	16.9	.1	11.2
750 to 999 lb	11.0	.3	9.8	—	9.8	—	12.4
1,000 to 9,999 lb	40.2	5.5	15.5	1.0	10.6	1.8	8.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	7.8	3.9	16.5	6.7	11.8	2.9	18.3
50,000 to 99,999 lb	24.1	1.8	26.7	4.8	10.6	.9	15.0
100,000 lb or more	24.3	.7	S	S	26.6	2.2	S
Private truck	7.0	—	21.4	—	21.3	—	11.5
Less than 50 lb	11.8	.5	23.8	—	21.8	—	16.0
50 to 99 lb	15.7	.4	S	S	39.8	.2	23.1
100 to 499 lb	12.1	1.8	35.0	.9	20.8	.6	23.9
500 to 749 lb	20.8	.8	11.8	.2	25.7	.3	12.3
750 to 999 lb	21.7	.6	13.7	.1	16.1	.2	21.7
1,000 to 9,999 lb	13.8	2.7	9.2	2.2	13.5	2.2	15.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	8.7	3.0	14.4	4.9	11.4	4.3	16.9
50,000 to 99,999 lb	17.0	1.0	S	S	S	—	13.1
100,000 lb or more	25.0	—	25.8	1.3	25.5	.5	19.5
Rail	19.6	—	S	S	21.2	—	14.4
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	29.4	.3	39.7	.3	44.4
50,000 to 99,999 lb	37.0	.5	46.1	.3	S	S	24.1
100,000 lb or more	20.2	1.4	S	S	21.6	.9	8.5
Water	43.2	—	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.5
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.8
100,000 lb or more	49.0	15.6	S	S	S	S	27.9
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	25.3
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.3
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6

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Table B-4. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
Single modes—Con.							
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	45.3	—	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	21.6	—	38.1	—	41.5	—	5.2
Less than 50 lb	19.3	3.1	26.8	5.0	29.3	5.4	4.8
50 to 99 lb	49.3	6.4	30.5	3.0	32.2	3.0	7.9
100 to 499 lb	25.4	4.8	17.8	4.7	25.6	3.5	10.1
500 to 749 lb	39.1	1.3	33.8	1.8	28.4	2.0	24.5
750 to 999 lb	48.2	2.2	S	S	45.5	4.0	19.8
1,000 to 9,999 lb	45.5	2.4	48.8	7.1	47.5	7.1	20.6
10,000 to 49,999 lb	50.0	2.6	49.1	11.0	S	S	19.3
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline³	49.5	—	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	9.7	—	16.9	—	10.7	—	3.7
Less than 50 lb	11.9	3.3	13.9	3.6	16.6	4.1	3.5
50 to 99 lb	19.9	1.4	19.2	1.8	22.8	1.8	17.0
100 to 499 lb	16.6	2.1	15.9	3.1	20.6	3.1	8.6
500 to 749 lb	24.9	.3	S	S	S	S	13.7
750 to 999 lb	47.4	.6	S	S	S	S	18.4
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	42.8	.2	S	S	33.2
10,000 to 49,999 lb	24.5	.2	42.5	5.5	44.5	5.8	16.9
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	45.6	1.9	36.4
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	9.8	—	12.1	—	15.4	—	3.7
Less than 50 lb	11.9	3.4	13.9	3.6	16.6	4.1	3.5
50 to 99 lb	19.9	1.4	19.2	1.7	22.8	2.1	17.0
100 to 499 lb	16.1	2.1	16.1	2.4	22.6	2.7	8.5
500 to 749 lb	25.0	.3	S	S	S	S	13.6
750 to 999 lb	47.5	.6	S	S	S	S	18.4
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	27.7	—	38.2	—	29.8	—	22.2
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.7
10,000 to 49,999 lb	29.6	9.5	32.2	11.7	33.2	10.6	20.4
50,000 to 99,999 lb	40.0	8.7	48.1	10.9	48.2	6.6	22.5
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.0
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	43.8	—	20.9
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.7
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.1
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.1
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table B-4. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation and Shipment Weight for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

Mode of transportation and shipment weight	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
Multiple modes—Con.							
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	47.2	—	S	S	S	S	35.5
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	35.4	—	19.4	—	24.3	—	39.6
Less than 50 lb	S	S	36.8	4	34.5	4	49.9
50 to 99 lb	39.9	2.6	34.7	2	22.8	2	S
100 to 499 lb	35.7	1.6	40.1	8	27.8	8	S
500 to 749 lb	42.4	.6	25.9	.2	S	S	19.6
750 to 999 lb	46.9	.2	26.7	—	S	S	S
1,000 to 9,999 lb	30.1	6.6	28.1	5.4	31.1	4.4	23.8
10,000 to 49,999 lb	34.2	5.7	22.3	9.0	30.9	9.3	38.4
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	31.3	1.4	37.5	.9	22.2
100,000 lb or more	S	S	33.1	13.0	44.1	9.2	S

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Table B-5a. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
		Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
	Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—	9.9
01	Live animals and live fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
02	Cereal grains	44.7	—	S	S	44.0	.3	S
03	Other agricultural products	30.7	.5	32.8	.3	48.7	1.7	16.5
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	29.8	—	27.6	.2	S	S	31.4
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	26.3	.5	31.4	—	41.3	.4	17.2
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	23.0	.3	29.7	.2	S	S	S
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	11.1	.8	10.4	.9	27.5	3.5	S
08	Alcoholic beverages	24.7	.6	29.1	.3	33.4	.3	16.7
09	Tobacco products	S	S	S	S	46.4	S	24.6
10	Monumental or building stone	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
11	Natural sands	26.4	—	45.5	2.9	39.3	1.8	S
12	Gravel and crushed stone	18.7	—	21.8	4.2	16.4	.8	26.4
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	41.1	—	34.0	.7	S	S	18.1
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	43.0	.1	S
15	Coal	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	18.0	.6	16.7	1.7	17.6	.4	9.1
18	Fuel oils	18.9	.2	19.4	.7	24.6	.1	21.2
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.4
20	Basic chemicals	24.3	.1	19.0	.1	35.1	.8	47.7
21	Pharmaceutical products	16.4	.7	41.6	.2	39.5	.2	6.2
22	Fertilizers	36.3	.6	S	S	22.4	3.1	20.1
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	16.3	.4	22.6	.1	38.8	.5	34.7
24	Plastics and rubber	29.1	.9	27.4	.2	27.3	.7	32.9
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
26	Wood products	22.1	.4	35.2	1.1	26.3	1.3	27.7
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	27.6	.5	22.4	.4	19.6	1.0	44.6
28	Paper or paperboard articles	12.5	.1	22.1	—	19.4	.4	32.9
29	Printed products	22.9	.1	27.3	—	34.4	.3	21.9
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	27.9	1.0	S	S	S	S	3.8
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	22.2	.5	28.7	3.2	24.1	1.3	50.0
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	23.5	.4	30.8	.4	37.0	.8	S
33	Articles of base metal	17.4	.3	12.6	.1	13.1	.2	26.3
34	Machinery	16.4	.4	16.0	—	14.4	—	15.8
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	9.4	1.3	27.4	.3	18.8	.6	22.4
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	38.8	2.6	30.3	.3	30.1	.9	17.2
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	14.0	.2	19.5	—	19.5	—	6.6
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	29.3	.7	22.2	—	20.4	—	10.0
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	22.7	.5	21.1	—	22.0	.1	18.7
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	21.8	.6	31.0	.2	28.2	.3	9.0
41	Waste and scrap	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
43	Mixed freight	7.0	1.1	8.7	.3	13.9	.3	24.7
--	Commodity unknown	21.7	—	49.4	—	32.5	—	S

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Table B-5b. Estimated Standard Errors for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity for State of Origin: Percent of Total for 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value (percent)		Tons (percent)		Ton-miles ¹ (percent)	
		2002	1997	2002	1997	2002	1997
	Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
01	Live animals and live fish	-	S	-	S	-	S
02	Cereal grains	-	S	S	S	.3	S
03	Other agricultural products .....	.5	.3	.3	.3	1.7	1.1
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	-	-	.2	.2	S	.3
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations .....	.5	.7	-	.1	.4	.3
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products .....	.3	.3	.2	.1	S	.2
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils .....	.8	.4	.9	.6	3.5	1.7
08	Alcoholic beverages .....	.6	.3	.3	.2	.3	.3
09	Tobacco products	S	-	S	-	-	-
10	Monumental or building stone	S	-	S	S	S	-
11	Natural sands	-	-	2.9	1.8	1.8	.7
12	Gravel and crushed stone	-	-	4.2	3.1	.8	3.0
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	-	-	.7	1.1	S	1.2
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	-	.1	.1
15	Coal	S	-	S	-	S	-
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel .....	.6	.4	1.7	1.3	.4	1.0
18	Fuel oils .....	.2	.2	.7	.7	.1	.3
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	S	-	S	S	-	-
20	Basic chemicals .....	.1	-	.1	.2	.8	.4
21	Pharmaceutical products .....	.7	.4	.2	S	.2	.1
22	Fertilizers .....	.6	.3	S	2.0	3.1	1.2
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c. ....	.4	.2	.1	.1	.5	.5
24	Plastics and rubber .....	.9	.4	.2	.7	.7	.3
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S
26	Wood products .....	.4	.6	1.1	.6	1.3	1.6
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard .....	.5	.2	.4	.2	1.0	1.1
28	Paper or paperboard articles .....	.1	.2	-	.1	.4	.4
29	Printed products .....	.1	.2	-	-	.3	.1
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	1.0	.3	S	-	S	.2
31	Nonmetallic mineral products .....	.5	.3	3.2	1.7	1.3	1.2
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes .....	.4	.2	.4	.2	.8	.4
33	Articles of base metal .....	.3	.2	.1	-	.2	.3
34	Machinery .....	.4	.9	-	-	-	.1
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	1.3	1.7	.3	-	.6	-
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	2.6	.2	.3	-	.9	-
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c. ....	.2	.4	-	-	-	-
38	Precision instruments and apparatus .....	.7	.7	-	-	-	-
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs .....	.5	.1	-	-	.1	-
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products .....	.6	1.8	.2	.3	.3	.2
41	Waste and scrap	S	.1	S	.4	S	1.2
43	Mixed freight	1.1	2.6	.3	.8	.3	.6
--	Commodity unknown	-	.1	-	.1	-	-

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
ALL COMMODITIES							
Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—	9.9
Single modes	7.1	1.6	12.2	.6	9.6	.5	20.3
Truck	7.8	1.7	12.7	5.2	10.7	3.7	18.0
For-hire truck	14.7	2.5	10.3	3.7	8.5	2.3	7.7
Private truck	7.0	2.6	21.4	4.4	21.3	2.1	11.5
Rail	19.6	.6	S	S	21.2	4.0	14.4
Water	43.2	—	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	25.3
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	45.3	—	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	21.6	.8	38.1	—	41.5	.4	5.2
Pipeline	49.5	—	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	9.7	1.5	16.9	—	10.7	.4	3.7
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	9.8	1.5	12.1	—	15.4	.3	3.7
Truck and rail	27.7	—	38.2	—	29.8	.2	22.2
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	43.8	—	20.9
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	47.2	—	S	S	S	S	35.5
Other and unknown modes	35.4	.9	19.4	.5	24.3	.4	39.6
SCTG 01, LIVE ANIMALS AND LIVE FISH							
Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Single modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
For-hire truck	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Private truck	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 02, CEREAL GRAINS							
Total	44.7	—	S	S	44.0	—	S
Single modes	48.6	5.3	S	S	44.0	.1	S
Truck	48.6	5.3	S	S	44.0	.1	S
For-hire truck	45.8	5.2	S	S	44.0	.1	41.6
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.9

See footnote at end of table.

Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 03, OTHER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS							
Total	30.7	—	32.8	—	48.7	—	16.5
Single modes	32.4	4.3	34.3	3.2	S	S	23.0
Truck	34.4	6.0	34.4	3.1	S	S	22.9
For-hire truck	41.4	11.0	S	S	S	S	10.8
Private truck	34.0	8.6	33.0	11.0	35.5	10.3	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	24.4
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.2
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.6
SCTG 04, ANIMAL FEED AND PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, N.E.C.							
Total	29.8	—	27.6	—	S	S	31.4
Single modes	30.0	.7	27.8	.5	S	S	31.7
Truck	26.3	8.1	21.0	6.9	22.0	16.2	40.6
For-hire truck	17.6	9.5	19.6	7.0	22.0	15.4	31.3
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	23.4
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
SCTG 05, MEAT, FISH, SEAFOOD, AND THEIR PREPARATIONS							
Total	26.3	—	31.4	—	41.3	—	17.2
Single modes	26.3	.5	31.4	.1	41.4	—	17.3
Truck	26.3	.5	31.4	.1	41.4	.1	17.3
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.2
Private truck	20.6	10.3	14.9	11.0	11.8	14.3	18.2
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	36.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.4

See footnote at end of table.

Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 06, MILLED GRAIN PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, AND BAKERY PRODUCTS							
Total	23.0	—	29.7	—	S	S	S
Single modes	22.5	1.7	27.8	2.9	S	S	S
Truck	22.5	1.7	27.8	2.9	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.8
Private truck	30.0	11.7	41.3	12.1	35.3	18.1	18.2
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 07, OTHER PREPARED FOODSTUFFS AND FATS AND OILS							
Total	11.1	—	10.4	—	27.5	—	S
Single modes	12.8	3.8	12.0	4.1	29.0	2.0	S
Truck	10.1	4.0	11.2	4.1	23.2	3.2	S
For-hire truck	17.4	3.8	17.8	4.9	26.4	2.3	12.0
Private truck	18.8	7.2	22.7	7.5	11.6	2.8	40.9
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	16.2
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	33.4	.8	35.5	.2	S	S	19.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	43.7	.7	S	S	S	S	18.7
Truck and rail	41.3	.2	45.2	.2	S	S	24.1
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 08, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES							
Total	24.7	—	29.1	—	33.4	—	16.7
Single modes	25.7	3.6	29.2	.8	33.5	2.6	15.2
Truck	25.7	3.6	29.2	.8	33.5	2.6	15.2
For-hire truck	38.4	6.5	39.2	10.6	37.5	19.7	28.9
Private truck	26.6	6.5	34.1	10.3	29.7	18.7	14.4
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 09, TOBACCO PRODUCTS							
Total	S	S	S	S	46.4	—	24.6
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	38.9
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	23.7
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	—	—	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
SCTG 10, MONUMENTAL OR BUILDING STONE							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
Private truck	S	S	48.6	6.5	S	S	28.6
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.9
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 11, NATURAL SANDS							
Total	26.4	—	45.5	—	39.3	—	S
Single modes	26.4	.5	45.5	—	39.4	.8	S
Truck	29.8	8.4	45.7	2.7	42.1	8.5	S
For-hire truck	44.6	14.2	S	S	48.1	16.9	S
Private truck	40.9	11.3	34.1	14.2	27.0	12.3	S
Rail	44.4	8.2	44.4	2.7	44.1	8.0	26.8
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 12, GRAVEL AND CRUSHED STONE							
Total	18.7	—	21.8	—	16.4	—	26.4
Single modes	19.3	1.9	22.8	2.4	17.3	3.0	26.7
Truck	20.7	4.5	23.4	2.6	18.6	6.3	24.9
For-hire truck	24.6	7.8	27.5	6.8	17.9	7.0	33.3
Private truck	40.7	7.7	49.4	7.2	39.7	5.2	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	43.0	1.9	43.2	2.4	S	S	35.5
SCTG 13, NONMETALLIC MINERALS N.E.C.							
Total	41.1	—	34.0	—	S	S	18.1
Single modes	41.3	.3	34.4	1.0	S	S	18.4
Truck	S	S	49.5	17.1	S	S	18.6
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.5
Private truck	48.0	13.1	32.8	15.4	S	S	21.6
Rail	33.7	12.7	34.1	16.7	31.7	13.3	S
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.2
SCTG 14, METALLIC ORES AND CONCENTRATES							
Total	S	S	S	S	43.0	—	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	43.0	—	S
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.3
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail	44.0	14.1	44.0	10.0	44.8	5.1	25.9
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 15, COAL							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
For-hire truck	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 17, GASOLINE AND AVIATION TURBINE FUEL							
Total	18.0	—	16.7	—	17.6	—	9.1
Single modes	17.9	.5	16.7	.5	17.7	.3	9.2
Truck	18.8	3.4	17.3	4.2	17.6	.9	9.6
For-hire truck	27.5	4.9	20.4	4.9	15.1	6.1	10.4
Private truck	18.6	4.3	25.3	4.7	34.5	5.8	16.5
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.2
SCTG 18, FUEL OILS							
Total	18.9	—	19.4	—	24.6	—	21.2
Single modes	18.8	.1	19.4	—	24.7	.2	23.2
Truck	18.9	.4	19.5	.5	24.7	.3	23.4
For-hire truck	20.3	2.1	21.6	2.4	28.2	5.6	16.2
Private truck	19.2	2.1	20.3	2.4	26.8	5.6	37.1
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 19, COAL AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.E.C.							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.4
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.3
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.3
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	42.7
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	47.9
SCTG 20, BASIC CHEMICALS							
Total	24.3	—	19.0	—	35.1	—	47.7
Single modes	24.7	.8	19.1	.5	35.8	1.6	30.0
Truck	30.2	8.2	23.2	7.6	S	S	30.1
For-hire truck	35.8	8.5	23.7	10.0	29.8	8.0	25.8
Private truck	S	S	S	S	43.7	7.4	49.2
Rail	28.2	7.7	26.6	7.2	30.0	10.1	15.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	45.6	.7	S	S	S	S	22.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	35.9	.4	45.5	—	29.1	—	22.7
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.2
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 21, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS							
Total	16.4	—	41.6	—	39.5	—	6.2
Single modes	26.7	9.9	43.7	13.9	45.4	11.9	21.6
Truck	26.4	9.8	43.8	14.5	45.5	13.2	22.7
For-hire truck	31.6	7.4	45.0	16.8	46.1	13.3	20.1
Private truck	27.6	4.0	45.4	5.8	S	S	17.2
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	23.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	22.3	9.7	22.4	12.1	39.7	11.5	4.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	22.3	9.7	22.4	12.1	39.7	11.5	4.4
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	48.0	3.8	35.5	1.2	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 22, FERTILIZERS							
Total	36.3	—	S	S	22.4	—	20.1
Single modes	36.6	.7	S	S	22.4	—	18.6
Truck	48.0	4.4	S	S	34.2	2.5	20.3
For-hire truck	42.3	3.1	S	S	34.0	2.2	19.6
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.9
Rail	31.5	5.0	S	S	24.2	3.3	15.7
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	39.3
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	39.3
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
SCTG 23, CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, N.E.C.							
Total	16.3	—	22.6	—	38.8	—	34.7
Single modes	18.1	4.9	23.3	2.2	40.5	4.9	49.2
Truck	19.3	5.9	24.6	4.0	47.7	8.3	S
For-hire truck	21.6	6.9	23.0	6.4	45.3	7.9	16.2
Private truck	32.1	8.5	30.3	7.8	S	S	42.1
Rail	42.3	—	40.6	.9	38.6	2.0	24.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	42.8
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	32.8	2.6	29.6	1.4	37.6	3.1	15.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	32.5	2.5	29.0	1.1	37.0	3.2	15.4
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.0
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 24, PLASTICS AND RUBBER							
Total	29.1	—	27.4	—	27.3	—	32.9
Single modes	33.7	6.9	28.2	1.8	28.6	2.8	S
Truck	33.7	6.9	28.2	1.8	28.4	2.7	S
For-hire truck	28.4	6.6	23.4	6.7	37.6	8.9	12.3
Private truck	47.0	8.1	41.8	7.5	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.7
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	31.4	1.3	26.1	2.6	17.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	31.4	1.3	26.1	2.6	17.5
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	43.6	2.1	31.4	.9	47.3	.5	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 25, LOGS AND OTHER WOOD IN THE ROUGH							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.2
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	40.5
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCTG 26, WOOD PRODUCTS							
Total	22.1	-	35.2	-	26.3	-	27.7
Single modes	20.4	1.3	37.1	6.3	26.9	2.6	29.6
Truck	20.8	1.2	37.6	5.9	27.1	3.0	29.4
For-hire truck	26.8	6.4	S	S	30.0	8.2	20.1
Private truck	27.2	6.5	16.7	8.0	34.7	6.1	33.4
Rail	40.3	.7	39.6	.8	48.6	2.0	26.4
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.7
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.7
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.4
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	39.9	6.3	29.6	1.8	S
SCTG 27, PULP, NEWSPRINT, PAPER, AND PAPERBOARD							
Total	27.6	-	22.4	-	19.6	-	44.6
Single modes	29.3	3.2	24.1	3.4	22.1	3.8	S
Truck	35.6	6.7	26.6	6.8	19.6	7.7	S
For-hire truck	17.9	5.2	19.1	5.5	20.8	7.4	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	38.6	1.7	17.7
Rail	32.0	5.3	39.0	5.8	39.4	7.0	12.7
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.4
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	24.8
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	25.5
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	35.3	3.4	46.5	3.5	46.9	4.0	S

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 28, PAPER OR PAPERBOARD ARTICLES							
Total	12.5	—	22.1	—	19.4	—	32.9
Single modes	13.0	2.0	22.2	.6	20.0	1.9	45.1
Truck	13.2	2.4	22.4	1.3	20.3	2.5	42.8
For-hire truck	21.6	7.3	30.0	5.8	24.0	6.1	18.0
Private truck	25.1	8.0	17.5	6.0	21.9	5.8	15.1
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.5
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	30.4	1.7	45.7	.4	S	S	18.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	32.5	1.7	S	S	S	S	18.2
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	32.1	.3	27.0	.4	47.4	.7	S
SCTG 29, PRINTED PRODUCTS							
Total	22.9	—	27.3	—	34.4	—	21.9
Single modes	18.6	3.7	29.7	6.1	38.8	8.9	41.6
Truck	18.7	3.6	29.7	6.0	39.0	8.5	45.7
For-hire truck	22.0	7.3	35.5	9.2	39.3	8.3	14.9
Private truck	24.8	6.3	26.2	6.8	28.8	1.9	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	32.5	.3	38.4	.3	33.7	1.2	10.2
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	45.4	3.8	S	S	S	S	17.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	45.4	3.8	S	S	S	S	17.4
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	27.8	1.4	49.1	1.7	S	S	S
SCTG 30, TEXTILES, LEATHER, AND ARTICLES OF TEXTILES OR LEATHER							
Total	27.9	—	S	S	S	S	3.8
Single modes	28.4	6.4	S	S	S	S	21.9
Truck	31.0	7.7	S	S	S	S	23.6
For-hire truck	37.1	6.1	S	S	S	S	11.7
Private truck	49.2	7.7	40.1	9.4	47.6	5.9	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	23.8
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	40.8	7.0	S	S	S	S	2.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	40.8	7.0	S	S	S	S	2.4
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.3

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 31, NONMETALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS							
Total	22.2	—	28.7	—	24.1	—	50.0
Single modes	23.6	3.1	29.3	2.0	24.5	1.1	S
Truck	23.7	3.2	30.0	3.0	23.9	4.6	S
For-hire truck	33.8	7.6	29.9	7.4	26.6	7.1	S
Private truck	22.5	7.5	39.5	9.1	33.8	8.3	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	40.9	2.2	S	S	46.2	1.0	16.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	43.2	2.0	48.8	—	S	S	18.7
Truck and rail	47.8	.2	S	S	S	S	25.8
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	33.3	1.1	S	S	35.4	.2	S
SCTG 32, BASE METAL IN PRIMARY OR SEMIFINISHED FORMS AND IN FINISHED BASIC SHAPES							
Total	23.5	—	30.8	—	37.0	—	S
Single modes	23.0	2.8	30.6	.7	37.2	.7	31.3
Truck	23.4	3.1	31.9	2.7	41.0	5.3	31.5
For-hire truck	19.5	6.3	41.5	7.0	39.0	7.5	29.4
Private truck	29.6	6.1	33.9	7.3	S	S	23.8
Rail	43.0	.8	43.6	2.8	44.1	5.4	26.5
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.4
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	39.5	1.9	43.2	.1	38.8	.4	13.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	39.5	1.9	43.2	.1	38.8	.4	13.1
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 33, ARTICLES OF BASE METAL							
Total	17.4	—	12.6	—	13.1	—	26.3
Single modes	16.8	2.8	12.8	2.0	13.5	.8	49.5
Truck	16.4	2.5	13.4	3.6	9.3	5.5	49.4
For-hire truck	22.0	5.8	20.0	7.4	11.9	7.3	23.0
Private truck	23.0	5.9	20.1	5.6	23.9	4.7	33.8
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	20.0
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	32.1	1.7	18.3	.3	28.4	.7	14.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	32.0	1.7	17.7	.3	18.2	.5	14.3
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

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Table B-6. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 34, MACHINERY							
Total	16.4	—	16.0	—	14.4	—	15.8
Single modes	18.4	3.4	17.5	3.1	14.9	2.4	20.9
Truck	16.4	3.9	17.5	3.0	15.5	2.7	28.1
For-hire truck	20.7	5.4	21.6	7.1	16.7	3.4	42.3
Private truck	30.1	5.1	30.5	9.0	33.9	3.7	21.8
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	48.7	2.1	33.7	.2	34.8	1.2	6.2
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	21.7	3.1	26.5	1.0	29.9	2.3	15.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	21.7	3.1	26.5	1.0	29.9	2.3	15.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	24.1	3.5	24.0	3.1	29.8	.8	S
SCTG 35, ELECTRONIC AND OTHER ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND COMPONENTS AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT							
Total	9.4	—	27.4	—	18.8	—	22.4
Single modes	14.1	5.6	28.7	3.5	23.0	6.8	48.7
Truck	17.1	6.3	29.8	3.3	22.8	6.1	S
For-hire truck	21.1	6.6	39.4	9.2	24.9	7.8	15.8
Private truck	30.0	5.4	S	S	44.0	2.8	33.0
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	27.3	4.0	S	S	41.1	1.9	8.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	17.9	5.3	21.9	2.0	25.9	6.2	7.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	18.2	5.0	22.4	2.0	26.8	6.2	7.3
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	45.5	1.9	41.7	2.8	S	S	S
SCTG 36, MOTORIZED AND OTHER VEHICLES (INCLUDING PARTS)							
Total	38.8	—	30.3	—	30.1	—	17.2
Single modes	42.0	5.2	32.5	5.8	31.7	7.6	29.6
Truck	42.2	5.3	32.6	5.8	31.9	7.6	30.8
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	37.3	7.9	19.6
Private truck	28.5	9.6	21.5	8.3	35.5	3.9	19.9
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.1
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	35.5	.2	44.8	—	48.7	.2	19.4
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	38.8	1.8	23.4	.6	22.4	2.7	16.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	40.0	1.8	25.6	.6	27.4	2.4	11.3
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	40.7	5.3	40.4	5.9	46.8	5.4	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 37, TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, N.E.C.							
Total	14.0	—	19.5	—	19.5	—	6.6
Single modes	14.3	4.3	20.2	2.9	21.0	3.0	11.0
Truck	20.1	6.2	24.2	6.1	28.4	9.1	18.2
For-hire truck	25.5	5.8	20.6	6.3	23.6	8.1	20.2
Private truck	38.2	6.2	38.5	6.8	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.8
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.0
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	5.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	21.5	4.0	22.0	1.9	23.0	2.0	7.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	22.1	4.1	22.1	2.1	26.2	2.1	7.5
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	41.4	1.1	31.8	2.2	S	S	29.2
SCTG 38, PRECISION INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS							
Total	29.3	—	22.2	—	20.4	—	10.0
Single modes	35.7	6.8	25.9	6.1	25.5	6.9	18.7
Truck	38.9	7.3	26.5	6.3	26.7	8.7	25.2
For-hire truck	31.7	6.7	21.8	7.9	28.1	9.1	20.3
Private truck	S	S	43.0	9.1	39.5	1.3	28.1
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	40.9	2.1	29.5	1.1	27.9	6.4	11.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	22.5	6.7	21.9	6.0	21.1	6.9	4.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	22.5	6.7	21.9	6.0	21.1	6.9	4.9
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 39, FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND MATTRESS SUPPORTS, LAMPS, LIGHTING FITTINGS, AND ILLUMINATED SIGNS							
Total	22.7	—	21.1	—	22.0	—	18.7
Single modes	24.4	4.7	21.7	2.2	25.4	8.0	S
Truck	24.1	4.7	21.6	2.2	25.5	8.0	S
For-hire truck	20.7	9.3	26.8	10.8	33.0	11.4	26.6
Private truck	33.4	8.5	41.4	10.8	12.7	9.7	19.9
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.0
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	13.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	13.9
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	27.6	1.0	26.5	.8	42.9	2.3	S

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SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
SCTG 40, MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS							
Total	21.8	—	31.0	—	28.2	—	9.0
Single modes	28.9	4.5	32.5	2.7	31.7	5.8	26.6
Truck	30.7	5.3	32.8	3.2	33.0	6.8	18.7
For-hire truck	28.5	3.9	41.5	9.7	29.4	7.7	11.2
Private truck	39.6	4.6	49.0	10.6	S	S	37.0
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	39.3	1.2	S	S	S	S	8.8
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20.8	4.6	33.3	2.2	40.7	3.9	9.7
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	20.6	4.6	36.0	2.2	47.2	4.1	9.7
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	40.4	1.4	43.1	1.2	S	S	S
SCTG 41, WASTE AND SCRAP							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	32.8	5.6	S	S	40.5	4.0	39.2
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.3
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.6
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
SCTG 43, MIXED FREIGHT							
Total	7.0	—	8.7	—	13.9	—	24.7
Single modes	7.0	1.4	7.7	1.0	13.3	.6	14.9
Truck	6.8	1.4	7.7	1.0	13.3	.6	14.8
For-hire truck	17.1	2.2	27.8	2.2	31.8	4.2	12.9
Private truck	8.6	3.0	7.0	2.7	7.7	4.3	11.5
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.7
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	38.0	.9	41.3	.2	36.8	.5	24.8
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	38.0	.9	41.2	.2	36.8	.5	24.8
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

See footnote at end of table.

Table B-6. **Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Two-Digit Commodity and Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002—Con.**

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

SCTG code, description, and mode of transportation	Value		Tons		Ton-miles		Average miles per shipment—coefficient of variation
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	
COMMODITY UNKNOWN							
Total	21.7	—	49.4	—	32.5	—	S
Single modes	23.8	6.6	49.6	3.3	32.8	1.4	S
Truck	25.8	7.6	S	S	35.7	10.8	S
For-hire truck	43.1	9.7	S	S	S	S	25.3
Private truck	31.4	10.6	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.9
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	32.8	—	42.8	1.0	20.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	32.8	—	42.8	1.0	20.1
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S

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Table B-7. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Outbound Shipment Characteristics by State of Destination for State of Origin: 2002

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

State of destination	Value		Tons		Ton-miles	
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage
Total	6.9	—	11.8	—	9.4	—
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	33.7	.3	30.0	—	31.1	.2
Maine	28.5	—	34.9	—	34.8	—
Massachusetts	27.9	.2	21.1	—	21.2	.2
New Hampshire	18.5	—	35.2	—	36.9	—
Rhode Island	38.0	—	S	S	49.6	—
Vermont	S	S	S	S	S	S
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	22.3	.4	49.9	.3	S	S
New York	22.4	.5	19.1	—	18.5	.5
Pennsylvania	12.6	.2	17.0	—	17.0	.4
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	11.2	.2	22.7	—	23.9	.4
Indiana	16.7	.1	24.9	—	25.9	.4
Michigan	14.0	—	39.5	.1	42.1	.6
Ohio	12.1	.2	12.5	.1	13.1	.7
Wisconsin	16.4	—	30.8	—	31.0	.2
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	17.8	—	S	S	S	S
Kansas	35.6	.2	16.9	—	17.8	.1
Minnesota	16.9	—	33.3	—	32.7	.5
Missouri	14.4	—	17.5	—	19.7	.2
Nebraska	31.5	—	35.2	—	35.5	.2
North Dakota	41.2	—	S	S	S	S
South Dakota	28.9	—	S	S	S	S
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	24.7	—	48.2	—	44.9	.1
District of Columbia	32.3	—	37.2	—	35.1	—
Florida	8.4	1.6	13.4	1.7	14.4	3.5
Georgia	16.9	.4	13.2	.3	10.3	.4
Maryland	15.9	.1	32.3	—	31.7	.2
North Carolina	24.7	.4	25.4	.1	25.7	.4
South Carolina	18.6	.1	41.9	.4	S	S
Virginia	30.6	.2	21.0	—	21.3	.2
West Virginia	22.5	—	37.2	—	36.5	—
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	20.6	.3	20.2	.2	23.4	.4
Kentucky	14.6	—	26.8	—	27.1	.2
Mississippi	15.8	—	26.9	—	29.0	—
Tennessee	14.0	.1	16.7	—	17.9	.3
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	29.8	.1	49.7	.1	S	S
Louisiana	9.4	—	33.6	.1	33.8	.7
Oklahoma	18.7	—	19.2	—	20.8	—
Texas	16.2	.4	23.9	.2	27.2	1.2
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	13.3	—	25.4	—	25.3	.1
Colorado	16.3	—	31.2	—	33.4	.2
Idaho	28.9	—	47.3	—	49.7	—
Montana	27.6	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	S	S	42.9	—	42.5	—
New Mexico	34.0	—	33.6	—	33.2	—
Utah	16.9	—	S	S	S	S
Wyoming	S	S	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	29.3	—	S	S	S	S
California	7.3	.2	15.0	—	15.3	1.0
Hawaii	42.3	—	S	S	S	S
Oregon	21.7	—	22.8	—	23.1	.2
Washington	17.7	.1	30.0	—	29.6	.5

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Table B-8. **Estimated Measures of Reliability for Inbound Shipment Characteristics by State of Origin for State of Destination: 2002**

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey]

State of origin	Value		Tons		Ton-miles	
	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage	Coefficient of variation of number	Standard error of percentage
Total	4.7	—	9.8	—	6.4	—
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	11.7	—	33.9	—	34.5	—
Maine	23.8	—	S	S	S	S
Massachusetts	20.3	.2	S	S	S	S
New Hampshire	12.7	—	24.6	—	23.0	—
Rhode Island	21.3	—	39.9	—	39.9	—
Vermont	S	S	19.7	—	20.1	—
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	21.3	.5	25.8	.1	24.8	.5
New York	27.7	.8	46.7	.2	45.9	.8
Pennsylvania	10.7	.2	20.8	—	21.5	.4
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	12.7	.3	28.4	.2	32.7	.8
Indiana	16.1	.3	37.8	.3	44.6	1.4
Michigan	12.6	.2	10.9	—	10.6	.1
Ohio	12.5	.3	27.0	.2	33.0	1.1
Wisconsin	18.4	.2	30.0	—	30.2	.4
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	20.0	—	21.8	—	22.9	.2
Kansas	17.1	—	14.3	—	14.3	—
Minnesota	11.4	—	35.8	—	36.9	.3
Missouri	14.2	—	29.0	.1	30.6	.5
Nebraska	17.0	—	38.0	—	41.2	.2
North Dakota	13.7	—	26.2	—	26.7	—
South Dakota	S	S	20.8	—	21.4	—
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	23.1	—	33.2	—	31.0	—
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	8.4	1.8	13.4	2.8	14.4	1.6
Georgia	8.5	.6	16.7	.8	20.4	1.9
Maryland	18.6	—	36.0	—	35.4	—
North Carolina	15.6	.6	21.0	—	27.1	.7
South Carolina	19.1	.3	10.0	—	11.5	.2
Virginia	14.8	.1	39.3	.2	40.6	.6
West Virginia	16.7	—	38.9	—	37.1	—
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	15.6	.2	26.5	.6	33.5	1.0
Kentucky	21.0	.2	32.1	.8	32.6	2.9
Mississippi	15.9	.2	41.2	.7	45.2	1.5
Tennessee	17.5	.5	7.7	—	7.6	.1
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	25.3	.2	S	S	S	S
Louisiana	22.0	.4	31.1	2.0	31.9	4.2
Oklahoma	27.4	.1	23.8	—	23.8	—
Texas	10.7	.3	29.7	.3	25.5	1.6
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	29.2	—	29.4	—	28.9	—
Colorado	18.7	—	25.0	—	24.9	—
Idaho	27.7	—	32.8	—	33.4	.3
Montana	29.6	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	22.4	—	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	16.9	—	49.0	—	S	S
Utah	26.4	—	37.4	—	38.5	—
Wyoming	S	S	33.1	—	32.9	.1
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	10.0	.4	16.7	—	16.7	.7
Hawaii	32.9	—	42.4	—	42.9	—
Oregon	S	S	32.2	—	32.6	.4
Washington	20.9	—	45.2	—	45.3	.4

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Table B–9. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Mode of Transportation for State of Origin: 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys]

Mode of transportation	Value			Tons			Ton-miles			Average miles per shipment		
	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change
	2002	1997		2002	1997		2002	1997		2002	1997	
Total	6.9	6.2	13.2	11.8	6.3	16.6	9.4	4.2	11.4	9.9	2.9	9.7
Single modes	7.1	6.6	14.5	12.2	6.5	17.1	9.6	5.0	12.6	20.3	11.8	25.5
Truck	7.8	7.3	16.1	12.7	8.5	20.0	10.7	6.0	17.9	18.0	14.2	23.3
Rail	19.6	12.2	27.2	S	15.4	S	21.2	13.1	21.5	14.4	10.3	43.5
Water	43.2	41.2	19.1	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	21.6	19.9	49.6	38.1	S	S	41.5	S	S	5.2	10.9	20.8
Pipeline	49.5	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	9.7	4.0	11.6	16.9	20.8	9.7	10.7	21.7	7.7	3.7	3.2	5.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier ..	9.8	3.9	11.8	12.1	7.4	18.1	15.4	7.7	25.3	3.7	3.3	5.3
Truck and rail	27.7	15.6	14.7	38.2	28.5	11.5	29.8	17.9	14.6	22.2	19.6	45.5
All other multiple modes	S	41.5	S	S	30.2	S	S	31.1	S	24.3	27.2	27.1
Other and unknown modes ...	35.4	14.5	46.1	19.4	13.0	76.6	24.3	21.9	45.5	39.6	18.2	21.1

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Table B–10. Estimated Measures of Reliability for Shipment Characteristics by Commodity Group for State of Origin: 2002 and 1997

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the 2002 and 1997 Commodity Flow Surveys]

SCTG code	Commodity description	Value			Tons			Ton-miles			Average miles per shipment		
		Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change	Coefficient of variation of number		Standard error of percent change
		2002	1997		2002	1997		2002	1997		2002	1997	
	Total	6.9	6.2	13.2	11.8	6.3	16.6	9.4	4.2	11.4	9.9	2.9	9.7
01-05	Agricultural products and fish	15.6	10.5	19.8	22.0	17.3	19.1	37.2	44.3	42.8	18.4	21.5	37.4
06-09	Grains, alcohol, and tobacco products	8.3	3.4	12.3	9.7	5.5	11.8	23.6	12.1	39.2	S	30.1	S
10-14	Stones, nonmetallic minerals, and metallic ores	14.6	17.5	18.3	15.7	15.8	26.0	20.0	23.3	20.7	33.8	15.9	29.1
15-19	Coal and petroleum products	13.3	10.8	21.8	13.4	10.3	17.6	14.1	24.3	19.5	24.6	12.6	16.7
20-24	Basic chemicals, chemical, and pharmaceutical products	9.2	5.1	15.7	S	13.1	S	15.2	5.9	17.2	8.3	5.6	8.9
25-30	Logs, wood products, and textile and leather	9.9	6.5	15.4	S	34.0	S	15.8	20.1	44.3	11.0	7.6	20.1
31-34	Base metal and machinery ..	10.9	8.7	13.5	24.9	11.4	25.7	16.9	12.7	21.1	21.8	12.7	31.3
35-38	Electronic, motorized vehicles, and precision instruments	17.6	8.0	33.5	26.1	11.4	80.4	14.2	6.2	55.1	15.7	9.5	18.6
39-43	Furniture, mixed freight and misc. manufactured prod. ..	8.4	30.0	47.7	18.4	20.8	34.0	31.1	20.4	49.2	13.0	9.9	8.4
--	Commodity unknown	21.7	30.5	15.9	49.4	35.9	74.5	32.5	28.2	21.3	S	32.0	S

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Appendix C.

Sample Design, Data Collection, and Estimation

INTRODUCTION

The primary goal for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) is to estimate *shipping volumes* (value, tons, and ton-miles) by *commodity* and *mode of transportation* at varying levels of geographic detail. A secondary objective is to estimate the volume of shipments moving from one geographic area to another (i.e., flows of commodities between states, regions, etc.) by mode and commodity. A detailed description of the sample design for the 2002 CFS is provided below.

SAMPLE DESIGN

The sample for the 2002 Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) was selected using a stratified three-stage design in which the first-stage sampling units were establishments, the second-stage sampling units were groups of four 1-week periods (reporting weeks) within the survey year, and the third-stage sampling units were shipments.

First Stage

Sampling frame

To create the first-stage sampling frame, we extracted a subset of establishment records from the Business Register (formerly the Standard Statistical Establishment List) as of September 2001. The Business Register is a database of all known establishments located in the United States or its territories. (An establishment is a single physical location where business transactions take place or services are performed.) Establishments located in the United States, having nonzero payroll in 2000, and classified in mining (except oil and gas extraction), manufacturing, wholesale, or electronic shopping and mail order retail industries, as defined by the 1997 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), were included on the sampling frame. *Auxiliary establishments* (e.g. warehouses and central administrative offices) with shipping activity were also included on the sampling frame. Auxiliary establishments are establishments that are primarily involved in rendering support services for other establishments within the same company, instead of for the public, government, or other business firms. All other establishments included on the sampling frame are referred to as *nonauxiliary establishments*.

Some portion of establishments classified in the Retail Trade sector in the 1997 Economic Census was expected to be classified in the Wholesale Trade sector in the 2002 Economic Census. Because we wanted complete coverage of the Wholesale Trade sector as defined for the 2002 Economic Census, the 2002 CFS sampling frame also included establishments that were classified in particular retail industries (automotive parts and accessories, tires, floor coverings, building materials, nursery and garden, and office supplies) in the 1997 Economic Census and had characteristics indicating that they were likely to be classified as wholesale in the 2002 Economic Census. Of the establishments selected for the 2002 CFS from this set of establishments, only those that were classified as wholesale in the 2002 Economic Census were used in the production of estimates for this report.

Establishments classified in forestry, fishing, utilities, construction, transportation, services, and all other retail industries were not included on the sampling frame. Farms and government-owned entities (except government-owned liquor stores) were also excluded from the sampling frame. The resulting frame comprised approximately 760,000 establishments.

For each establishment we extracted sales, payroll, number of employees, a six-digit NAICS code, name and address, and a primary identifier. We also computed a measure of size for each establishment. The measure of size was designed to approximate an establishment's annual total value of shipments for the year 2000.

All of the establishments included on the sampling frame had state, county, and place geographic codes. We used these codes to assign each establishment to one of the 273 metropolitan areas (MAs) defined as a combination of the metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) and consolidated metropolitan statistical areas (CMSAs). Establishments not located in an MA were assigned to MA 9999.

Stratification

We stratified the sampling frame by geography and industry. Geographic strata were defined by a combination of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the top 50 metropolitan areas (MAs) based on their population in Census 2000. If a particular MA was not one of the 50 largest, then it was collapsed with the remaining MAs and non-MAs within the state in which the particular MA resided. We refer to these collapsed strata as Rest of State (ROS) strata. When an MA crossed state boundaries, we considered the size of each part of the MA relative to the MAs total measure of size when determining whether or not to create strata in each state in which the MA was defined. The industry strata were determined as follows. Within each of the geographic strata, we started with a total of 45 industry groups based on 1997 NAICS: three mining (four-digit NAICS); 21 manufacturing (three-digit NAICS); 18 wholesale (four-digit NAICS); 1 retail (NAICS 4541); and 2 auxiliary (NAICS 4931 and 5511). We then implemented a rule that states a particular industry stratum will be defined within a geographic stratum if it contributes at least 2 percent to its corresponding state total measure of size or it contributes at least 2 percent to the national total measure of size for the industry. Industry groups not meeting these criteria were combined into at most 12 new collapsed industry strata using a clustering algorithm. Because of potential differences in shipping patterns between auxiliary and nonauxiliary establishments, we created two industry strata of auxiliary establishments in every geographic stratum. We refer to a particular geographic-by-industry combination as a *primary stratum*. Also note that a separate stratum was created at the national level for those Retail Trade sector establishments that we included in our sample.

Sample size and allocation

To reduce the sampling variability of the estimates, we used a stratified design with a certainty component. Within each primary stratum, a boundary (or cutoff) that divides the certainty establishments from the noncertainty establishments was determined using the Lavallee-Hidiroglou algorithm. If an establishment's measure of size was greater than the cutoff, the establishment was selected with certainty. Establishments selected with certainty were sure to be selected and represent only themselves (i.e., had a selection probability of one and a sampling weight of one).

Because the 2002 sample was about half the size of the 1997 CFS sample, we were concerned about the ability of the sample to capture less frequent types of shipments (e.g., air, water, rail, and hazardous materials). After considering several different alternatives, we felt the best approach was to identify those establishments which made the bulk of these types of shipments in 1997 and then select them with certainty. To identify these establishments, we proceeded as follows.

We identified all establishments in the 1997 CFS sample that reported shipments made by air, water, or rail. We also identified those establishments that reported shipments of hazardous materials. For each of these establishments, we computed the percentage of the establishment's total value and tonnage accounted for by each of these types of shipments. Next, we matched these establishments to the sampling frame for the 2002 CFS and identified each establishment with measure of size less than the certainty boundary. For both value and tons, we then looked to see what percent of the total volume of shipments for each type of shipment was captured by selecting with certainty the top 50, top 100, or all establishments. We considered the top 50 establishments as those establishments making the largest volume of each type of shipment (air, water, rail, hazardous). Once these establishments were identified, we grouped them into one file and unduplicated them. This procedure added a total of about 500 certainty establishments.

Establishments not selected with certainty made up the noncertainty frame. We further stratified the noncertainty establishments within each primary stratum using the measure of size previously described. We refer to these measure-of-size strata as *substrata* of the primary strata. The measure of size stratification increased the efficiency of the sample design. The Dalenius-Hodges

cumulative \sqrt{f} rule was used to set the substratum boundaries. We then used optimum allocation to determine the sample size required within each substratum to meet a coefficient of variation constraint on an estimate of the total measure of size for the primary stratum. Within each substratum, a simple random sample of establishments was selected without replacement.

To arrive at the final sample size, we allocated additional establishments to some of the strata so that the minimum substratum sample size was two and the probability of selecting any establishment was no less than 1 in 100. In total, the first-stage sample comprised 51,005 establishments.

Second Stage

The frame for the second stage of sampling consisted of 52-weeks from January 6, 2002 to January 4, 2003. Each establishment selected into the 2002 CFS sample was systematically assigned to report for four reporting weeks—one in each quarter of the reference year. Each of the 4-weeks was in the same relative position of the quarter. For example, an establishment might have been requested to report data for the 5th, 18th, 31st, and 44th weeks of the reference year. In this instance, each reporting week corresponds to the 5th week of each quarter. Prior to assignment of weeks to establishments, we sorted the selected sample by primary stratum (state x metropolitan area x industry) and measure-of-size.

Third Stage

For each of the four reporting weeks in which an establishment was asked to report, we requested the respondent to construct a sampling frame consisting of all shipments made by the establishment in the reporting week. Each respondent was asked to count or estimate the total number of shipments comprising the sampling frame and to record this number on the questionnaire. For each assigned reporting week, if an establishment made *more than 40* shipments during that week, we asked the respondent to select a systematic sample of the establishment's shipments and to provide us with information only about the selected shipments. If an establishment made *40 or fewer* shipments during that week, we asked the respondent to provide information about *all* of the establishment's shipments made during that week; i.e., no sampling was required.

DATA COLLECTION

Each establishment selected into the CFS sample was mailed a questionnaire for each of its four reporting weeks. We mailed each establishment a questionnaire once every quarter of 2002. For a given establishment, we requested that the respondent provide the following information about each of the establishment's reported shipments: shipment identification number, the date on which the shipment was made, value, weight, commodity, mode(s) of transportation, domestic destination or port of exit, an indication of whether the shipment was an export, and the United Nations or North America (UN/NA) number for hazardous material shipments. For a shipment that included more than one commodity, the respondent was instructed to report the commodity that made up the greatest percentage of the shipment's *weight*. For an export shipment, we also asked the respondent to provide the mode of export and the foreign destination city and country. See Appendix E for a copy of the questionnaire.

IMPUTATION OF SHIPMENT VALUE OR WEIGHT

To correct for nonresponse to *either* the value *or* weight item for a given shipment reported in the CFS, the missing value or value that failed edit is replaced by a predicted value obtained from an appropriate model. Such a shipment is considered a "recipient" if its commodity code is valid and the other item is reported greater than zero and passed edit. The recipient's item that is missing or failed edit is imputed as follows. First, a "donor" shipment is randomly selected from shipments that were reported in the CFS with:

- The same commodity code as the recipient.
- Both value and weight items reported greater than zero and passed edit.
- Origin and value for the item reported by the recipient similar to those of the recipient.

Then, the donor's value and weight data are used to calculate a ratio, which is applied to the recipient's reported item, to impute the item that is missing or failed edit. If no donor is found, the median ratio for all shipments reported in the survey with the same commodity code as the recipient and with both value and weight items reported greater than zero is applied to the recipient's reported item. For either the value or weight item, about 3 percent of the shipment records input to the calculation of estimates have imputed data for the item.

ESTIMATION

Estimated totals (e.g., value of shipments, tons, ton-miles) are produced as the sum of weighted shipment data (reported or imputed). Percent change and percent-of-total estimates are derived using the appropriate estimated totals. Estimates of average miles per shipment are computed by dividing an estimate of the total miles traveled by the estimated number of shipments. The annualized growth rate \hat{A} for estimates from year y_1 to y_2 is computed as:

$$\hat{A} = 100 * \left(\left(\frac{\hat{X}_{y_2}}{\hat{X}_{y_1}} \right)^{1/(y_2 - y_1)} - 1 \right)$$

where \hat{X}_{y_1} and \hat{X}_{y_2} are estimates of the value of shipments, tons, ton-miles, or average miles per shipment for years y_1 and y_2 , respectively. The annualized growth rate measures the annual rate of change between estimates from any 2 years by assuming a constant yearly rate of change.

Each *shipment* has associated with it a single *tabulation weight*, which was used in computing all estimates to which the shipment contributes. The tabulation weight is a product of seven different component weights. A description of each component weight follows.

CFS respondents provided data for a sample of shipments made by their respective establishments in the survey year. For each establishment, we produced an estimate of that establishment's total value of shipments for the entire survey year. To do this, we used four different weights, the *shipment weight*, the *shipment nonresponse weight*, the *quarter weight*, and the *quarter nonresponse weight*.

Like establishments, we identified shipments as either certainty or noncertainty. (See the Nonsampling Error section in Appendix B for a description of how certainty shipments were identified.) For noncertainty shipments, the *shipment weight* was defined as the ratio of the total number of shipments (as reported by the respondent) made by an establishment in a reporting week to the number of sampled shipments for the same week. This weight uses data from the sampled shipments to represent all the establishment's shipments made in the reporting week. However, a respondent may have failed to provide sufficient information about a particular sampled shipment. For example, a respondent may not have been able to provide value, weight, or a destination for one of the sampled shipments. If this data item could not be imputed, then this shipment did not contribute to tabulations and was deemed unusable. (A *usable shipment* is one that has valid entries for value, weight, and origin and destination ZIP Codes.) To account for these unusable shipments, we applied the *shipment nonresponse weight*. For noncertainty shipments from a particular establishment's reporting week, this weight is equal to the ratio of the number of sampled shipments for the reporting week to the number of usable shipments for the same week. The shipment weight for certainty shipments from a particular establishment's reporting week is equal to one.

The *quarter weight* inflates an establishment's estimate for a particular reporting week to an estimate for the corresponding quarter. For noncertainty shipments, the quarter weight is equal to 13. The quarter weight for most certainty shipments is also equal to 13. However, if a respondent was able to provide information about all large (or certainty) shipments made in the quarter containing the reporting week, then the quarter weight for each of these shipments was one. For each establishment, the quarterly estimates were added to produce an estimate of the establishment's value of shipments for the entire survey year. Whenever an establishment did not provide the Census Bureau with a response for each of its four reporting weeks, we computed a quarter nonresponse

weight. The *quarter nonresponse weight* for a particular establishment is defined as the ratio of the number of quarters for which the establishment was in business in the survey year to the total number of quarters (reporting weeks) for which we received usable shipment data from the establishment.

Using these four component weights, we computed an estimate of each establishment's value of shipments for the entire survey year. We then multiplied this estimate by a factor that adjusts the estimate using value of shipments and sales data obtained from other surveys and censuses conducted by the Census Bureau. This weight, the *establishment-level adjustment weight*, attempts to correct for any sampling or nonsampling errors that occur during the sampling of shipments by the respondent.

The adjusted value of shipments estimate for an establishment was then weighted by the *establishment weight*. This weight is equal to the reciprocal of the establishment's probability of being selected into the sample.

A final adjustment weight, the *industry-level adjustment weight*, uses information from other surveys and censuses conducted by the Census Bureau to account for establishments from which we did not receive a response (including establishments from which we did not receive any usable shipment data) and for changes in the population of establishments between the time the first-stage sampling frame was constructed (2001) and the year in which the data were collected (2002). Separate industry-level adjustment weights were determined for nonauxiliary and auxiliary establishments.

Appendix D.

Standard Classification of Transported Goods Code Information

The commodities shown in this report are classified using the Standard Classification of Transported Goods (SCTG) coding system. The SCTG coding system was created jointly by agencies of the United States and Canadian governments based on the Harmonized System of product classification that is used worldwide. The purpose of the SCTG coding system was to specifically address statistical needs in regard to products transported.

In 1993, Commodity Flow Survey (CFS) data were collected and reported using product classifications found in the Standard Transportation Commodity Classification (STCC) system. These classifications were developed in the early 1960s by the American Association of Railroads (AAR) to analyze commodity movements by rail. The original purpose of the STCC was for identification of commodities for purposes of assigning rates for Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) regulated rail carriers. The STCC continues to be used by the AAR as a tariff mechanism.

At the time that the Commodity Transportation Survey (CTS) (the CTS—the predecessor of the CFS) was first conducted in 1963, STCC codes were still useful for analyzing most important aspects of the U.S. transportation system. Since then, many changes have taken place that have gradually made the STCC code less useful for tracking domestic product movements across all modes (although it remains perfectly functional for tracking rail-only movements). These include the deregulation of trucking, the enactment of North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), changes in logistics practices, the emergence of plastics and composite materials to replace metals and glass, the obsolescence of many categories of wood products, and the very rapid recent development of high-tech electronic goods. Because the CFS is a shipper survey, the CFS collects information about shipments moving on all modes. As a consequence, STCC classifications frequently provide inadequate detail for identifying products that are significant for modes, such as truck and air. It is for these reasons that the Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS) has sponsored the development of a new product code to collect and report CFS data.

In 1997 and 2002, the CFS provided respondents with a listing of SCTG codes and descriptions at the five-digit level to use in assigning a commodity code for each shipment. For shipments of more than one commodity, we instructed respondents to use the five-digit code for the major commodity, defined as the commodity of greatest total weight in the shipment. For the data presented on this report, we aggregated the SCTG codes to the two-digit level.

