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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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0	410
Single modes	89 490	94.3	96 360	97.6	37 217	97.1	372
Truck ²	82 103	86.5	68 359	69.2	24 986	65.2	350
For-hire truck	57 160	60.2	36 285	36.8	21 273	55.5	675
Private truck	24 932	26.3	32 066	32.5	3 710	9.7	68
Rail	3 204	3.4	8 650	8.8	6 523	17.0	823
Water	1 960	2.1	10 460	10.6	4 808	12.5	229
Shallow draft	1 157	1.2	5 395	5.5	1 431	3.7	195
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	626
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	12	—	1 345
Pipeline ³	1 843	1.9	8 881	9.0	S	S	S
Multiple modes	3 497	3.7	688	.7	707	1.8	656
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 750	2.9	90	—	54	.1	651
Truck and rail	741	.8	585	.6	630	1.6	1 585
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 518
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 672
Other and unknown modes	1 910	2.0	1 673	1.7	408	1.1	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.

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 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	94.3	93.2	97.6	96.5	97.1	89.4
Truck ²	86.5	81.9	69.2	69.9	65.2	44.3
For-hire truck	60.2	44.7	36.8	23.1	55.5	30.4
Private truck	26.3	36.6	32.5	45.8	9.7	12.6
Rail	3.4	6.1	8.8	11.2	17.0	29.0
Water	2.1	2.8	10.6	S	12.5	S
Shallow draft	1.2	.9	5.5	S	3.7	S
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	1.9	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	S	.5	S	S	—	S
Pipeline ³	1.9	1.9	9.0	5.9	S	S
Multiple modes	3.7	3.1	.7	.4	1.8	1.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2.9	2.3	—	—	.1	.1
Truck and rail .....	.8	.7	.6	.2	1.6	1.5
Truck and water	S	—	S	.1	S	.2
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	—	S	—	S	—
Other and unknown modes	2.0	3.7	1.7	3.1	1.1	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 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	38 333	100.0	410
Truck	24 986	65.2	350
Rail	6 523	17.0	823
Shallow draft	1 431	3.7	195
Great Lakes	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	626
Air	12	—	1 345
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	889	2.3	S
Pipeline ³	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes	408	1.1	S

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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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0
Less than 50 miles	18 541	19.5	29 653	30.0	694	1.8
50 to 99 miles	6 456	6.8	9 319	9.4	906	2.4
100 to 249 miles	18 082	19.1	26 280	26.6	4 935	12.9
250 to 499 miles	20 878	22.0	14 032	14.2	6 664	17.4
500 to 749 miles	12 228	12.9	9 592	9.7	7 493	19.5
750 to 999 miles	10 351	10.9	2 934	3.0	3 063	8.0
1,000 to 1,499 miles	3 154	3.3	1 347	1.4	1 916	5.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	5 026	5.3	5 449	5.5	12 364	32.3
2,000 miles or more	182	.2	S	S	S	S
Single modes	89 490	100.0	96 360	100.0	37 217	100.0
Less than 50 miles	17 637	19.7	29 280	30.4	686	1.8
50 to 99 miles	5 913	6.6	9 034	9.4	879	2.4
100 to 249 miles	16 978	19.0	25 317	26.3	4 712	12.7
250 to 499 miles	19 655	22.0	13 725	14.2	6 517	17.5
500 to 749 miles	11 583	12.9	9 484	9.8	7 390	19.9
750 to 999 miles	10 053	11.2	2 875	3.0	3 000	8.1
1,000 to 1,499 miles	2 995	3.3	1 307	1.4	1 860	5.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	4 506	5.0	5 225	5.4	11 883	31.9
2,000 miles or more	169	.2	S	S	S	S
Truck³	82 103	100.0	68 359	100.0	24 986	100.0
Less than 50 miles	17 273	21.0	27 752	40.6	663	2.7
50 to 99 miles	5 709	7.0	7 874	11.5	742	3.0
100 to 249 miles	14 116	17.2	12 091	17.7	2 382	9.5
250 to 499 miles	18 143	22.1	8 416	12.3	3 637	14.6
500 to 749 miles	10 217	12.4	4 604	6.7	3 346	13.4
750 to 999 miles	9 574	11.7	1 899	2.8	1 887	7.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	2 761	3.4	818	1.2	1 148	4.6
1,500 to 1,999 miles	4 148	5.1	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	162	.2	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	57 160	100.0	36 285	100.0	21 273	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	8 834	24.3	244	1.1
50 to 99 miles	1 843	3.2	3 620	10.0	337	1.6
100 to 249 miles	6 471	11.3	6 354	17.5	1 247	5.9
250 to 499 miles	15 658	27.4	6 241	17.2	2 762	13.0
500 to 749 miles	9 272	16.2	3 897	10.7	2 839	13.3
750 to 999 miles	9 086	15.9	1 737	4.8	1 726	8.1
1,000 to 1,499 miles	2 609	4.6	767	2.1	1 075	5.1
1,500 to 1,999 miles	3 968	6.9	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	118	.2	S	S	S	S
Private truck	24 932	100.0	32 066	100.0	3 710	100.0
Less than 50 miles	9 134	36.6	18 915	59.0	419	11.3
50 to 99 miles	3 866	15.5	4 254	13.3	405	10.9
100 to 249 miles	7 638	30.6	5 735	17.9	1 134	30.6
250 to 499 miles	2 485	10.0	2 175	6.8	875	23.6
500 to 749 miles	944	3.8	704	2.2	504	13.6
750 to 999 miles	489	2.0	162	.5	161	4.3
1,000 to 1,499 miles	152	.6	52	.2	73	2.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	180	.7	66	.2	131	3.5
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	3 204	100.0	8 650	100.0	6 523	100.0
Less than 50 miles	100	3.1	272	3.1	S	S
50 to 99 miles	127	4.0	424	4.9	56	.9
100 to 249 miles	369	11.5	1 486	17.2	422	6.5
250 to 499 miles	757	23.6	2 061	23.8	1 144	17.5
500 to 749 miles	913	28.5	2 562	29.6	2 158	33.1
750 to 999 miles	396	12.4	926	10.7	1 038	15.9
1,000 to 1,499 miles	226	7.1	488	5.6	711	10.9
1,500 to 1,999 miles	312	9.7	421	4.9	958	14.7
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Water	1 960	100.0	10 460	100.0	4 808	100.0
Less than 50 miles	127	6.5	552	5.3	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	776	39.6	3 668	35.1	1 063	22.1
250 to 499 miles	S	S	3 139	30.0	1 697	35.3
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,500 to 1,999 miles	-	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 miles or more	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	1 157	100.0	5 395	100.0	1 431	100.0
Less than 50 miles	127	11.0	551	10.2	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	776	67.1	3 668	68.0	1 063	74.3
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
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	S	S	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	2 765	54.6	1 510	44.7
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	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	12	100.0
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	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	8	2.1	—	1.2	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	46	12.2	1	10.7	3	23.0
2,000 miles or more	S	S	—	1.5	1	5.1
Pipeline⁴	1 843	100.0	8 881	100.0	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	1 689	91.7	8 072	90.9	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	—	—	—	—	S	S
750 to 999 miles	—	—	—	—	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	S	S
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	S	S
Multiple modes	3 497	100.0	688	100.0	707	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	5	.8	—	—
50 to 99 miles	386	11.0	67	9.8	8	1.2
100 to 249 miles	606	17.3	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	829	23.7	110	16.0	63	8.9
500 to 749 miles	531	15.2	92	13.3	91	12.9
750 to 999 miles	222	6.3	24	3.6	26	3.7
1,000 to 1,499 miles	100	2.9	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	474	13.6	202	29.4	436	61.7
2,000 miles or more	S	S	1	.2	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 750	100.0	90	100.0	54	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	5	5.1	—	.3
50 to 99 miles	243	8.8	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	571	20.8	17	18.8	3	6.3
250 to 499 miles	670	24.4	23	25.9	10	18.6
500 to 749 miles	489	17.8	19	21.6	14	26.1
750 to 999 miles	164	6.0	10	11.0	10	19.1
1,000 to 1,499 miles	94	3.4	3	3.3	4	7.6
1,500 to 1,999 miles	177	6.4	5	5.4	10	18.5
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck and rail	741	100.0	585	100.0	630	100.0
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	59	10.2	7	1.2
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	87	14.8	53	8.4
500 to 749 miles	42	5.7	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	15	2.5	16	2.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	297	40.1	197	33.7	426	67.7
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
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	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	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	1 910	100.0	1 673	100.0	408	100.0
Less than 50 miles	565	29.6	368	22.0	8	2.0
50 to 99 miles	157	8.2	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	394	20.6	197	11.8	84	20.6
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	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	S	S	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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0	410
Less than 50 lb	4 828	5.1	137	.1	S	S	421
50 to 99 lb	2 590	2.7	128	.1	S	S	466
100 to 499 lb	11 357	12.0	966	1.0	S	S	453
500 to 749 lb	3 837	4.0	419	.4	122	.3	294
750 to 999 lb	2 296	2.4	349	.4	99	.3	285
1,000 to 9,999 lb	18 959	20.0	6 562	6.6	2 061	5.4	275
10,000 to 49,999 lb	39 619	41.7	38 675	39.2	13 829	36.1	347
50,000 to 99,999 lb	3 420	3.6	19 139	19.4	S	S	477
100,000 lb or more	7 992	8.4	32 345	32.8	12 827	33.5	664
Single modes	89 490	100.0	96 360	100.0	37 217	100.0	372
Less than 50 lb	2 985	3.3	95	.1	S	S	340
50 to 99 lb	2 056	2.3	106	.1	S	S	462
100 to 499 lb	10 828	12.1	920	1.0	S	S	457
500 to 749 lb	3 726	4.2	400	.4	119	.3	300
750 to 999 lb	2 231	2.5	336	.3	95	.3	283
1,000 to 9,999 lb	17 579	19.6	6 246	6.5	1 894	5.1	262
10,000 to 49,999 lb	38 989	43.6	38 119	39.6	13 324	35.8	340
50,000 to 99,999 lb	3 316	3.7	18 624	19.3	S	S	486
100,000 lb or more	7 780	8.7	31 514	32.7	12 528	33.7	670
Truck²	82 103	100.0	68 359	100.0	24 986	100.0	350
Less than 50 lb	2 808	3.4	92	.1	S	S	291
50 to 99 lb	2 006	2.4	104	.2	S	S	456
100 to 499 lb	10 782	13.1	917	1.3	S	S	455
500 to 749 lb	3 710	4.5	399	.6	117	.5	296
750 to 999 lb	2 230	2.7	334	.5	93	.4	280
1,000 to 9,999 lb	17 563	21.4	6 242	9.1	1 891	7.6	262
10,000 to 49,999 lb	38 734	47.2	37 992	55.6	13 230	53.0	339
50,000 to 99,999 lb	3 269	4.0	18 512	27.1	S	S	487
100,000 lb or more	1 001	1.2	3 767	5.5	429	1.7	298
For-hire truck	57 160	100.0	36 285	100.0	21 273	100.0	675
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	711
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	713
100 to 499 lb	9 395	16.4	548	1.5	S	S	759
500 to 749 lb	3 238	5.7	240	.7	100	.5	419
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	79	.4	373
1,000 to 9,999 lb	12 510	21.9	2 339	6.4	1 419	6.7	527
10,000 to 49,999 lb	24 205	42.3	21 361	58.9	10 846	51.0	534
50,000 to 99,999 lb	2 093	3.7	10 462	28.8	S	S	788
100,000 lb or more	399	.7	1 009	2.8	383	1.8	618
Private truck	24 932	100.0	32 066	100.0	3 710	100.0	68
Less than 50 lb	1 036	4.2	44	.1	2	—	35
50 to 99 lb	372	1.5	40	.1	2	—	59
100 to 499 lb	1 388	5.6	369	1.2	49	1.3	S
500 to 749 lb	472	1.9	158	.5	17	.4	104
750 to 999 lb	313	1.3	119	.4	14	.4	115
1,000 to 9,999 lb	5 053	20.3	3 903	12.2	472	12.7	108
10,000 to 49,999 lb	14 527	58.3	16 627	51.9	2 382	64.2	132
50,000 to 99,999 lb	1 175	4.7	8 050	25.1	728	19.6	84
100,000 lb or more	595	2.4	2 756	8.6	45	1.2	30
Rail	3 204	100.0	8 650	100.0	6 523	100.0	823
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 854
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 203
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	924
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	924
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 848
10,000 to 49,999 lb	109	3.4	70	.8	75	1.2	1 156
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
100,000 lb or more	3 057	95.4	8 518	98.5	6 420	98.4	774
Water	1 960	100.0	10 460	100.0	4 808	100.0	229
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	455
50,000 to 99,999 lb	7	.4	26	.2	—	—	10
100,000 lb or more	1 947	99.3	10 400	99.4	4 790	99.6	208
Shallow draft	1 157	100.0	5 395	100.0	1 431	100.0	195
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	10
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	455
50,000 to 99,999 lb	7	.6	25	.5	—	—	10
100,000 lb or more	1 144	98.9	5 336	98.9	1 413	98.8	152

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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	626
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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	12
100,000 lb or more	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	659
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	12	100.0	1 345
Less than 50 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 396
50 to 99 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	786
100 to 499 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 068
500 to 749 lb	\$	\$	—	3.6	\$	\$	2 280
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	9	2.5	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 344
10,000 to 49,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 706
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline³	1 843	100.0	8 881	100.0	\$	\$	\$
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	1 776	96.4	8 830	99.4	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	3 497	100.0	688	100.0	707	100.0	656
Less than 50 lb	1 748	50.0	38	5.5	25	3.5	663
50 to 99 lb	475	13.6	17	2.5	10	1.4	590
100 to 499 lb	397	11.3	26	3.8	15	2.2	\$
500 to 749 lb	89	2.5	6	.9	3	.4	477
750 to 999 lb	44	1.3	3	.5	3	.5	965
1,000 to 9,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 083
10,000 to 49,999 lb	425	12.1	288	41.9	465	65.8	1 583
50,000 to 99,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	296
100,000 lb or more	151	4.3	244	35.5	124	17.5	453
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 750	100.0	90	100.0	54	100.0	651
Less than 50 lb	1 748	63.6	38	41.8	25	46.7	663
50 to 99 lb	475	17.3	17	19.2	10	18.5	590
100 to 499 lb	396	14.4	26	28.9	13	25.1	508
500 to 749 lb	89	3.2	6	6.6	3	5.2	477
750 to 999 lb	42	1.5	3	3.6	2	4.4	709
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	741	100.0	585	100.0	630	100.0	1 585
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 100
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 100
1,000 to 9,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 014
10,000 to 49,999 lb	424	57.3	288	49.2	465	73.9	1 585
50,000 to 99,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	296
100,000 lb or more	151	20.3	232	39.7	105	16.6	445
Truck and water	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	6 518
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	7 523
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
750 to 999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	4 502
1,000 to 9,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	4 548
10,000 to 49,999 lb	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	200
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 672
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 672
Other and unknown modes	1 910	100.0	1 673	100.0	408	100.0	S
Less than 50 lb	95	5.0	4	.2	S	S	S
50 to 99 lb	S	S	5	.3	—	—	S
100 to 499 lb	S	S	20	1.2	1	.3	S
500 to 749 lb	22	1.1	13	.8	—	.1	S
750 to 999 lb	21	1.1	9	.5	S	S	89
1,000 to 9,999 lb	1 269	66.4	291	17.4	117	28.7	S
10,000 to 49,999 lb	206	10.8	268	16.0	39	9.7	S
50,000 to 99,999 lb	47	2.5	S	S	S	S	146
100,000 lb or more	60	3.2	S	S	S	S	422

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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.

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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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0	410
01	Live animals and live fish	482	.5	268	.3	215	.6	776
02	Cereal grains	273	.3	2 779	2.8	499	1.3	94
03	Other agricultural products	2 473	2.6	3 219	3.3	1 525	4.0	489
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	27
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	4 258	4.5	2 604	2.6	1 389	3.6	530
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	S	S	738	.7	463	1.2	593
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	1 940	2.0	3 167	3.2	502	1.3	53
08	Alcoholic beverages	617	.7	366	.4	12	—	41
09	Tobacco products	S	S	S	S	S	S	56
10	Monumental or building stone	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Natural sands	S	S	S	S	S	S	42
12	Gravel and crushed stone	34	—	4 218	4.3	215	.6	50
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	111	.1	S	S	569	1.5	331
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	S	S	238
15	Coal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	4 381	4.6	18 015	18.2	9 210	24.0	630
18	Fuel oils	1 637	1.7	7 904	8.0	4 566	11.9	S
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	1 041	1.1	3 833	3.9	820	2.1	S
20	Basic chemicals	2 447	2.6	6 724	6.8	2 494	6.5	S
21	Pharmaceutical products	1 905	2.0	S	S	S	S	266
22	Fertilizers	423	.4	3 219	3.3	511	1.3	108
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	2 551	2.7	1 192	1.2	665	1.7	S
24	Plastics and rubber	3 466	3.7	2 637	2.7	1 589	4.1	501
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S	299
26	Wood products	3 407	3.6	14 119	14.3	4 287	11.2	140
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	1 691	1.8	3 686	3.7	2 641	6.9	S
28	Paper or paperboard articles	1 147	1.2	956	1.0	193	.5	S
29	Printed products	597	.6	293	.3	197	.5	699
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	16 135	17.0	1 146	1.2	858	2.2	907
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	S	S	S	S	S	S	219
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	S	S	S	S	S	S	294
33	Articles of base metal	3 056	3.2	1 185	1.2	424	1.1	512
34	Machinery	3 816	4.0	662	.7	438	1.1	204
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	S	S	S	S	308	.8	S
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	S	S	448	.5	246	.6	670
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 382
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	166	.2	5	—	S	S	S
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	4 375	4.6	1 132	1.1	778	2.0	706
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	S	S	593	.6	287	.7	581
41	Waste and scrap	S	S	S	S	S	S	494
43	Mixed freight	12 528	13.2	4 228	4.3	858	2.2	160
--	Commodity unknown	124	.1	93	—	S	S	1 138

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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	.5	.4	.3	.2	.6	.5
02	Cereal grains	.3	S	2.8	S	1.3	S
03	Other agricultural products	2.6	.8	3.3	S	4.0	S
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	S	1.7	S	3.6	S	1.6
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	4.5	5.4	2.6	1.4	3.6	2.2
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	S	1.1	.7	.7	1.2	2.5
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	2.0	3.1	3.2	3.0	1.3	2.0
08	Alcoholic beverages	.7	.9	.4	.3	—	—
09	Tobacco products	S	.2	S	—	S	—
10	Monumental or building stone	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Natural sands	S	S	S	1.8	S	.2
12	Gravel and crushed stone	—	S	4.3	6.8	.6	.9
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	.1	.2	S	1.2	1.5	1.4
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	S	S
15	Coal	—	S	—	S	—	S
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	4.6	5.6	18.2	13.9	24.0	9.3
18	Fuel oils	1.7	1.6	8.0	4.8	11.9	2.7
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	1.1	1.1	3.9	3.9	2.1	2.5
20	Basic chemicals	2.6	2.8	6.8	2.2	6.5	3.9
21	Pharmaceutical products	2.0	1.6	S	.1	S	S
22	Fertilizers	.4	.6	3.3	1.9	1.3	S
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	2.7	2.2	1.2	.8	1.7	S
24	Plastics and rubber	3.7	5.0	2.7	1.5	4.1	4.3
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	.6	S	7.9	S	S
26	Wood products	3.6	4.9	14.3	9.5	11.2	15.0
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	1.8	3.3	3.7	3.5	6.9	9.4
28	Paper or paperboard articles	1.2	.7	1.0	.2	.5	.3
29	Printed products	.6	1.0	.3	.2	.5	.9
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	17.0	9.0	1.2	.6	2.2	1.8
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	S	2.0	S	19.8	S	4.5
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	S	2.9	S	1.3	S	1.7
33	Articles of base metal	3.2	2.7	1.2	.6	1.1	1.1
34	Machinery	4.0	5.9	.7	.5	1.1	1.3
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	S	7.1	S	.9	.8	1.9
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	S	4.3	.5	.6	.6	1.0
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	.2	.4	—	—	S	—
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	4.6	3.9	1.1	.7	2.0	1.5
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	S	4.4	.6	1.0	.7	2.6
41	Waste and scrap	S	.3	S	.5	S	.6
43	Mixed freight	13.2	10.2	4.3	1.8	2.2	1.0
--	Commodity unknown	.1	S	—	.6	S	.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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0	410
Single modes	89 490	94.3	96 360	97.6	37 217	97.1	372
Truck ³	82 103	86.5	68 359	69.2	24 986	65.2	350
For-hire truck	57 160	60.2	36 285	36.8	21 273	55.5	675
Private truck	24 932	26.3	32 066	32.5	3 710	9.7	68
Rail	3 204	3.4	8 650	8.8	6 523	17.0	823
Water	1 960	2.1	10 460	10.6	4 808	12.5	229
Shallow draft	1 157	1.2	5 395	5.5	1 431	3.7	195
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	626
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	12	—	1 345
Pipeline ⁴	1 843	1.9	8 881	9.0	S	S	S
Multiple modes	3 497	3.7	688	.7	707	1.8	656
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	2 750	2.9	90	—	54	.1	651
Truck and rail	741	.8	585	.6	630	1.6	1 585
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	6 518
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 672
Other and unknown modes	1 910	2.0	1 673	1.7	408	1.1	S
SCTG 01, LIVE ANIMALS AND LIVE FISH							
Total	482	100.0	268	100.0	215	100.0	776
Single modes	482	100.0	268	100.0	215	100.0	776
Truck ³	482	100.0	268	100.0	215	100.0	776
For-hire truck	482	100.0	268	100.0	215	100.0	776
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	273	100.0	2 779	100.0	499	100.0	94
Single modes	271	99.6	2 761	99.4	498	99.8	94
Truck ³	218	79.8	2 158	77.6	243	48.7	93
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	66
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	25
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	440
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	440
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	64

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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	2 473	100.0	3 219	100.0	1 525	100.0	489
Single modes	2 454	99.2	3 208	99.7	1 518	99.5	482
Truck ³	2 363	95.5	2 676	83.1	1 199	78.6	451
For-hire truck	S	S	2 163	67.2	1 170	76.7	592
Private truck	150	6.1	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 009
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	441
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	441
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	426
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	426
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	693
SCTG 04, ANIMAL FEED AND PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, N.E.C.							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	27
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	27
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	27
For-hire truck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	27
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	22
SCTG 05, MEAT, FISH, SEAFOOD, AND THEIR PREPARATIONS							
Total	4 258	100.0	2 604	100.0	1 389	100.0	530
Single modes	4 245	99.7	2 598	99.8	1 385	99.7	536
Truck ³	4 245	99.7	2 598	99.8	1 385	99.7	536
For-hire truck	3 029	71.1	1 924	73.9	1 203	86.6	715
Private truck	1 216	28.6	675	25.9	182	13.1	223
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	2 623
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	656
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	684
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	4 548
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	12

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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	\$	\$	738	100.0	463	100.0	593
Single modes	\$	\$	662	89.7	347	74.9	469
Truck ³	\$	\$	568	77.0	253	54.6	449
For-hire truck	\$	\$	568	77.0	253	54.6	449
Private truck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 005
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	20	3.9	76	10.3	117	25.1	1 493
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and rail	20	3.9	76	10.3	117	25.1	1 493
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCTG 07, OTHER PREPARED FOODSTUFFS AND FATS AND OILS							
Total	1 940	100.0	3 167	100.0	502	100.0	53
Single modes	1 939	99.9	3 167	100.0	502	100.0	50
Truck ³	1 864	96.1	2 794	88.2	385	76.7	49
For-hire truck	144	7.4	608	19.2	142	28.3	241
Private truck	1 719	88.6	2 186	69.0	\$	\$	47
Rail	75	3.9	373	11.8	\$	\$	311
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	362
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	362
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCTG 08, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES							
Total	617	100.0	366	100.0	12	100.0	41
Single modes	617	100.0	366	100.0	12	100.0	41
Truck ³	617	100.0	366	100.0	12	100.0	41
For-hire truck	255	41.3	66	18.1	7	58.7	111
Private truck	362	58.7	299	81.9	5	41.3	19
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	56
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	56
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	56
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	56
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	56
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 10, MONUMENTAL OR BUILDING STONE							
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	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
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 11, NATURAL SANDS							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	42
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	35
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	35
For-hire truck	1	15.7	163	10.9	6	9.7	37
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	35
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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	111

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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 12, GRAVEL AND CRUSHED STONE							
Total	34	100.0	4 218	100.0	215	100.0	50
Single modes	32	94.6	3 928	93.1	183	85.0	46
Truck ³	32	94.6	3 928	93.1	183	85.0	46
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	55
Private truck	S	S	3 044	72.2	134	62.4	43
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	106
SCTG 13, NONMETALLIC MINERALS N.E.C.							
Total	111	100.0	S	S	569	100.0	331
Single modes	109	98.2	S	S	554	97.3	322
Truck ³	86	77.5	S	S	316	55.6	290
For-hire truck	73	66.0	S	S	282	49.6	330
Private truck	S	S	S	S	34	6.0	S
Rail	23	20.7	255	17.2	238	41.8	923
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	2	1.7	9	.6	15	2.6	1 605
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 656
Truck and rail	2	1.7	9	.6	15	2.6	1 601
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	351
SCTG 14, METALLIC ORES AND CONCENTRATES							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	238
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	796
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	796
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	796
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	4

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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 15, COAL							
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	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
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	4 381	100.0	18 015	100.0	9 210	100.0	630
Single modes	4 335	99.0	17 875	99.2	9 171	99.6	643
Truck ³	1 989	45.4	6 759	37.5	\$	\$	644
For-hire truck	1 268	28.9	4 541	25.2	\$	\$	1 357
Private truck	721	16.5	2 218	12.3	36	.4	18
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	\$	\$	4 143	23.0	\$	\$	394
Shallow draft	234	5.3	994	5.5	\$	\$	262
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	607
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	1 473	33.6	6 973	38.7	\$	\$	\$
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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	160
SCTG 18, FUEL OILS							
Total	1 637	100.0	7 904	100.0	4 566	100.0	\$
Single modes	1 626	99.3	7 864	99.5	4 563	99.9	\$
Truck ³	1 014	62.0	4 236	53.6	\$	\$	\$
For-hire truck	434	26.5	2 098	26.5	\$	\$	1 523
Private truck	580	35.4	2 138	27.0	46	1.0	36
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	379	23.1	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Shallow draft	224	13.7	1 417	17.9	\$	\$	\$
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	980
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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	16

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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	1 041	100.0	3 833	100.0	820	100.0	S
Single modes	1 031	99.0	3 824	99.8	820	100.0	S
Truck ³	804	77.2	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Private truck	155	14.9	310	8.1	48	5.8	S
Rail	97	9.3	352	9.2	271	33.1	730
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	383
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	383
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	22
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	22
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	9
SCTG 20, BASIC CHEMICALS							
Total	2 447	100.0	6 724	100.0	2 494	100.0	S
Single modes	2 260	92.4	6 575	97.8	2 440	97.8	S
Truck ³	1 148	46.9	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	852	34.8	435	6.5	361	14.5	749
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	544	22.2	S	S	740	29.7	690
Water	472	19.3	S	S	S	S	346
Shallow draft	463	18.9	S	S	378	15.1	334
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	381
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	240
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	226
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	353
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	200
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	18
SCTG 21, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS							
Total	1 905	100.0	S	S	S	S	266
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	249
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	248
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	254
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	941
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	447	23.5	5	5.2	S	S	419
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	447	23.5	5	5.2	S	S	419
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	13	14.0	3	6.0	190

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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 22, FERTILIZERS							
Total	423	100.0	3 219	100.0	511	100.0	108
Single modes	422	99.9	3 211	99.7	510	99.8	108
Truck ³	297	70.3	1 863	57.9	138	27.0	69
For-hire truck	69	16.4	676	21.0	33	6.5	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	105	20.5	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	409
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	940
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	940
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	S	S	S	S	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	72
SCTG 23, CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, N.E.C.							
Total	2 551	100.0	1 192	100.0	665	100.0	S
Single modes	2 319	90.9	1 079	90.5	629	94.5	S
Truck ³	2 316	90.8	1 078	90.5	629	94.5	S
For-hire truck	1 166	45.7	798	67.0	574	86.2	810
Private truck	1 150	45.1	280	23.5	S	S	S
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 073
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	1	-	-	-	S
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	375
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	7 523
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	8
SCTG 24, PLASTICS AND RUBBER							
Total	3 466	100.0	2 637	100.0	1 589	100.0	501
Single modes	3 384	97.6	2 570	97.5	1 522	95.8	381
Truck ³	2 677	77.2	1 578	59.8	712	44.8	360
For-hire truck	1 964	56.7	1 128	42.8	558	35.1	550
Private truck	713	20.6	450	17.1	154	9.7	175
Rail	707	20.4	992	37.6	811	51.0	809
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 564
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	948
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	2	-	S	S	947
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 196
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 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	299
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	293
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	S	S	293
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	421
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	290
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	1 672
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	1 672
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 26, WOOD PRODUCTS							
Total	3 407	100.0	14 119	100.0	4 287	100.0	140
Single modes	3 268	95.9	13 477	95.4	4 131	96.4	175
Truck ³	2 799	82.1	11 705	82.9	2 379	55.5	150
For-hire truck	1 503	44.1	6 706	47.5	1 724	40.2	279
Private truck	1 296	38.0	4 999	35.4	655	15.3	79
Rail	470	13.8	S	S	1 752	40.9	989
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	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	259
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 429
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	129	3.8	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 27, PULP, NEWSPRINT, PAPER, AND PAPERBOARD							
Total	1 691	100.0	3 686	100.0	2 641	100.0	S
Single modes	1 638	96.9	3 576	97.0	2 465	93.4	S
Truck ³	639	37.8	999	27.1	561	21.2	S
For-hire truck	509	30.1	939	25.5	546	20.7	580
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	999	59.1	2 576	69.9	1 904	72.1	741
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	1 932
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 932
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 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 28, PAPER OR PAPERBOARD ARTICLES							
Total	1 147	100.0	956	100.0	193	100.0	S
Single modes	1 134	98.8	951	99.4	189	97.8	249
Truck ³	1 131	98.6	950	99.4	188	97.4	244
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	151	78.1	579
Private truck	S	S	S	S	37	19.3	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 703
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	632
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	632
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	10	.9	4	.4	S	S	S
SCTG 29, PRINTED PRODUCTS							
Total	597	100.0	293	100.0	197	100.0	699
Single modes	478	80.0	269	92.0	179	91.0	446
Truck ³	478	80.0	269	92.0	179	91.0	441
For-hire truck	472	79.0	265	90.4	179	91.0	452
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	140
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	996
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	744
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	744
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 605
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	40
SCTG 30, TEXTILES, LEATHER, AND ARTICLES OF TEXTILES OR LEATHER							
Total	16 135	100.0	1 146	100.0	858	100.0	907
Single modes	15 735	97.5	1 096	95.6	838	97.7	926
Truck ³	15 724	97.4	1 094	95.5	835	97.4	917
For-hire truck	S	S	950	82.9	794	92.5	925
Private truck	700	4.3	144	12.6	42	4.9	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	12	—	S	S	S	S	2 966
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	13	1.5	757
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	757
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	894
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	727

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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 31, NONMETALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	219
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	135
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	520
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	47
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	826
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	735
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	730
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 577
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	4
SCTG 32, BASE METAL IN PRIMARY OR SEMIFINISHED FORMS AND IN FINISHED BASIC SHAPES							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	294
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	291
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	285
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	538
Private truck	393	24.1	591	32.1	\$	\$	\$
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 326
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	892
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	407
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	382
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 462
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	21
SCTG 33, ARTICLES OF BASE METAL							
Total	3 056	100.0	1 185	100.0	424	100.0	512
Single modes	2 343	76.7	1 148	96.8	372	87.7	331
Truck ³	2 334	76.4	1 148	96.8	372	87.7	329
For-hire truck	1 282	41.9	598	50.4	220	52.0	478
Private truck	1 052	34.4	550	46.4	151	35.7	265
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 209
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	643
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	643
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 241

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	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 34, MACHINERY							
Total	3 816	100.0	662	100.0	438	100.0	204
Single modes	3 298	86.4	569	85.9	329	75.1	S
Truck ³	3 285	86.1	567	85.6	326	74.4	S
For-hire truck	2 228	58.4	435	65.8	277	63.2	661
Private truck	1 050	27.5	130	19.6	49	11.1	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 906
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 578
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	402	10.5	S	S	S	S	421
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	168	4.4	S	S	5	1.1	417
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 433
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	1	.3	S
SCTG 35, ELECTRONIC AND OTHER ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND COMPONENTS AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT							
Total	S	S	S	S	308	100.0	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	298	96.7	S
Truck ³	S	S	S	S	292	95.0	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	271	87.9	S
Private truck	260	3.0	51	5.1	22	7.1	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 027
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 529
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	561	6.5	6	.6	4	1.4	444
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	558	6.5	6	.6	S	S	444
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	2 104
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 36, MOTORIZED AND OTHER VEHICLES (INCLUDING PARTS)							
Total	S	S	448	100.0	246	100.0	670
Single modes	S	S	407	90.8	225	91.5	596
Truck ³	S	S	401	89.5	220	89.1	464
For-hire truck	S	S	305	68.0	211	85.7	653
Private truck	574	9.2	96	21.5	8	3.4	23
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	1 234
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	896
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	896
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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	2002 (million dollars)	Percent	2002 (thousands)	Percent	2002 (millions)	Percent	
SCTG 37, TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, N.E.C.							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 382
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 356
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	838
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	858
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	380
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 474
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 593
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 593
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 412
SCTG 38, PRECISION INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS							
Total	166	100.0	5	100.0	\$	\$	\$
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 658
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	505
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	505
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	32
SCTG 39, FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND MATTRESS SUPPORTS, LAMPS, LIGHTING FITTINGS, AND ILLUMINATED SIGNS							
Total	4 375	100.0	1 132	100.0	778	100.0	706
Single modes	4 167	95.3	1 084	95.7	718	92.3	696
Truck ³	4 165	95.2	1 083	95.7	717	92.2	693
For-hire truck	3 182	72.7	666	58.9	572	73.6	829
Private truck	983	22.5	417	36.8	145	18.6	490
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 854
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline ⁴	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 335
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	6	.1	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 078
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 014
Truck and water	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	4 502
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	342

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	\$	\$	593	100.0	287	100.0	581
Single modes	911	57.7	428	72.2	243	84.9	363
Truck ³	879	55.6	426	71.8	237	82.7	357
For-hire truck	568	35.9	248	41.8	177	61.6	739
Private truck	311	19.6	178	30.0	S	S	103
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	2 470
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	1 675
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	734
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	734
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	178
SCTG 41, WASTE AND SCRAP							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	494
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	494
Truck ³	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	494
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	568
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	280
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 43, MIXED FREIGHT							
Total	12 528	100.0	4 228	100.0	858	100.0	160
Single modes	12 468	99.5	4 223	99.9	858	100.0	162
Truck ³	12 468	99.5	4 223	99.9	858	100.0	162
For-hire truck	2 936	23.4	989	23.4	325	37.9	623
Private truck	9 532	76.1	3 234	76.5	533	62.1	81
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	266
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	266
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	30

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	124	100.0	93	100.0	S	S	1 138
Single modes	112	90.1	92	99.0	S	S	1 352
Truck ³	108	87.3	S	S	S	S	280
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	728
Private truck	48	38.5	27	29.0	S	S	110
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	141
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	4 360
Pipeline ⁴	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	382
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	382
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	16

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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.

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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	94 897	100.0	98 720	100.0	38 333	100.0
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	234	.2	67	—	82	.2
Maine	50	—	42	—	65	.2
Massachusetts	487	.5	146	.1	207	.5
New Hampshire	126	.1	53	—	68	.2
Rhode Island	S	S	S	S	S	S
Vermont	S	S	S	S	S	S
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	S	S	372	.4	426	1.1
New York	1 030	1.1	420	.4	522	1.4
Pennsylvania	1 202	1.3	572	.6	628	1.6
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	2 742	2.9	1 393	1.4	889	2.3
Indiana	993	1.0	686	.7	463	1.2
Michigan	1 271	1.3	813	.8	772	2.0
Ohio	1 757	1.9	1 255	1.3	1 027	2.7
Wisconsin	635	.7	404	.4	376	1.0
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	343	.4	342	.3	271	.7
Kansas	813	.9	219	.2	159	.4
Minnesota	1 378	1.5	273	.3	277	.7
Missouri	2 663	2.8	1 011	1.0	484	1.3
Nebraska	123	.1	108	.1	100	.3
North Dakota	41	—	28	—	41	.1
South Dakota	S	S	S	S	S	S
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	S	S	56	—	57	.1
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	3 364	3.5	7 053	7.1	4 254	11.1
Georgia	3 007	3.2	2 748	2.8	1 178	3.1
Maryland	750	.8	176	.2	170	.4
North Carolina	1 334	1.4	861	.9	606	1.6
South Carolina	1 002	1.1	713	.7	450	1.2
Virginia	S	S	502	.5	454	1.2
West Virginia	103	.1	86	—	S	S
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	5 206	5.5	7 410	7.5	1 429	3.7
Kentucky	935	1.0	668	.7	310	.8
Mississippi	22 058	23.2	45 970	46.6	3 039	7.9
Tennessee	S	S	4 353	4.4	899	2.3
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	2 300	2.4	2 382	2.4	605	1.6
Louisiana	6 057	6.4	6 388	6.5	1 399	3.6
Oklahoma	476	.5	355	.4	218	.6
Texas	8 971	9.5	4 588	4.6	2 694	7.0
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	391	.4	213	.2	343	.9
Colorado	359	.4	76	—	92	.2
Idaho	6	—	S	S	S	S
Montana	37	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	122	.1	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	158	.2	73	—	84	.2
Utah	307	.3	94	.1	160	.4
Wyoming	S	S	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	4 313	4.5	5 277	5.3	6 666	17.4
Hawaii	S	S	S	S	S	S
Oregon	273	.3	132	.1	342	.9
Washington	512	.5	164	.2	421	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	77 779	100.0	106 481	100.0	33 118	100.0
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	155	.2	35	—	50	.2
Maine	83	.1	49	—	75	.2
Massachusetts	287	.4	43	—	58	.2
New Hampshire	43	—	S	S	S	S
Rhode Island	57	—	S	S	S	S
Vermont	34	—	36	—	47	.1
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	583	.7	166	.2	197	.6
New York	S	S	274	.3	337	1.0
Pennsylvania	860	1.1	S	S	S	S
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	3 288	4.2	S	S	S	S
Indiana	S	.6	S	S	S	S
Michigan	1 012	1.3	182	.2	167	.5
Ohio	1 091	1.4	374	.4	268	.8
Wisconsin	1 077	1.4	S	S	S	S
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	665	.9	572	.5	514	1.6
Kansas	456	.6	266	.2	202	.6
Minnesota	236	.3	S	S	S	S
Missouri	1 180	1.5	1 859	1.7	S	S
Nebraska	153	.2	72	—	67	.2
North Dakota	S	S	18	—	S	S
South Dakota	27	—	9	—	9	—
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	S	S	75	—	85	.3
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	965	1.2	474	.4	289	.9
Georgia	3 496	4.5	1 990	1.9	813	2.5
Maryland	237	.3	S	S	S	S
North Carolina	1 348	1.7	534	.5	345	1.0
South Carolina	3 097	4.0	860	.8	537	1.6
Virginia	367	.5	196	.2	177	.5
West Virginia	57	—	S	S	S	S
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	5 931	7.6	9 495	8.9	1 589	4.8
Kentucky	1 549	2.0	701	.7	286	.9
Mississippi	22 058	28.4	45 970	43.2	3 039	9.2
Tennessee	7 031	9.0	6 736	6.3	1 139	3.4
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	3 881	5.0	3 639	3.4	1 135	3.4
Louisiana	5 011	6.4	14 659	13.8	2 369	7.2
Oklahoma	359	.5	333	.3	169	.5
Texas	3 864	5.0	2 404	2.3	1 252	3.8
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	70	—	S	S	S	S
Colorado	157	.2	3 341	3.1	6 218	18.8
Idaho	31	—	39	—	73	.2
Montana	S	S	S	S	S	S
Nevada	139	.2	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	62	—	111	.1	150	.5
Utah	38	—	S	S	S	S
Wyoming	2	—	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	1 883	2.4	S	S	S	S
Hawaii	S	S	S	S	S	S
Oregon	S	S	S	S	S	S
Washington	30	—	13	—	36	.1

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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	94 897	60 093	57.9	98 720	113 436	-13.0	38 333	27 937	37.2	410	238	71.9
Single modes	89 490	55 986	59.8	96 360	109 462	-12.0	37 217	24 979	49.0	372	198	87.6
Truck ²	82 103	49 204	66.9	68 359	79 281	-13.8	24 986	12 387	101.7	350	192	82.3
Rail	3 204	3 646	-12.1	8 650	12 739	-32.1	6 523	8 097	-19.4	823	669	23.0
Water	1 960	1 687	16.2	10 460	S	S	4 808	S	S	229	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	S	287	S	S	S	S	12	S	S	1 345	1 150	16.9
Pipeline ³	1 843	1 162	58.6	8 881	6 702	32.5	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	3 497	1 860	88.0	688	440	56.4	707	521	35.8	656	551	19.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier ..	2 750	1 404	95.9	90	60	49.6	54	34	58.5	651	547	19.0
Truck and rail	741	423	75.3	585	263	122.2	630	427	47.5	1 585	1 813	-12.6
All other multiple modes	S	34	S	S	116	S	S	60	S	6 495	S	S
Other and unknown modes ...	1 910	2 246	-15.0	1 673	3 535	-52.7	408	S	S	S	90	S

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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.

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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
	Total²	94 897	60 093	57.9	98 720	113 436	-13.0	38 333	27 937	37.2	410	238	71.9
01-05	Agricultural products and fish	7 931	5 106	55.3	11 448	7 478	53.1	3 699	1 722	114.8	366	S	S
06-09	Grains, alcohol, and tobacco products	3 258	3 161	3.1	4 285	4 554	-5.9	978	1 282	-23.7	58	79	-26.3
10-14	Stones, nonmetallic minerals, and metallic ores	151	301	-49.8	7 194	11 140	-35.4	846	710	19.1	S	409	S
15-19	Coal and petroleum products	7 060	4 979	41.8	29 752	25 613	16.2	14 596	4 049	260.5	S	46	S
20-24	Basic chemicals, chemical, and pharmaceutical products	10 792	7 305	47.7	13 865	7 545	83.8	5 302	5 066	4.7	S	204	S
25-30	Logs, wood products, and textile and leather	22 981	11 704	96.3	20 269	24 953	-18.8	8 211	10 203	-19.5	744	516	44.2
31-34	Base metal and machinery ..	8 960	8 114	10.4	4 413	25 261	-82.5	2 173	2 393	-9.2	312	218	43.3
35-38	Electronic, motorized vehicles, and precision instruments	15 157	7 497	102.2	1 443	1 695	-14.9	559	842	-33.6	480	201	138.6
39-43	Furniture, mixed freight and misc. manufactured prod. ..	18 484	11 266	64.1	5 960	4 493	32.6	1 926	1 595	20.7	312	320	-2.5
--	Commodity unknown	124	S	S	93	703	-86.8	S	74	S	1 138	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.

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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Disclosure is the release of data that have been deemed confidential. It generally reveals information about a specific individual or establishment or permits deduction of sensitive information about a particular individual or establishment. Disclosure limitation is the process used to protect the confidentiality of the survey data provided by an individual or firm. Using disclosure limitation procedures, the Census Bureau modifies or removes the characteristics that put confidential information at risk for disclosure. Although it may appear that a table shows information about a specific individual or business, the Census Bureau has taken steps to disguise or suppress the original data while making sure the results are still useful. The techniques used by the Census Bureau to protect confidentiality in tabulations vary, depending on the type of data.

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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—	14.8
Single modes	13.9	.9	10.7	.7	16.5	.6	17.1
Truck	14.6	2.3	7.8	4.8	25.3	5.9	18.4
For-hire truck	20.1	3.8	9.1	3.4	28.4	6.3	10.5
Private truck	9.2	2.7	9.6	2.6	15.8	1.4	27.3
Rail	13.1	.5	19.0	2.0	18.2	4.5	5.7
Water	37.9	.8	42.6	3.1	47.5	4.7	26.1
Shallow draft	32.9	.4	38.6	1.6	37.4	1.4	30.2
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	49.5	—	12.6
Pipeline	37.6	.9	36.9	2.9	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20.9	.9	23.0	.2	20.3	.7	8.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	28.1	.9	30.3	—	24.9	—	8.6
Truck and rail	31.0	.3	27.9	.2	23.4	.7	6.7
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	25.2	.4	37.1	.7	32.9	.3	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-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 .....	.9	.6	.7	1.3	.6	4.0
Truck	2.3	2.0	4.8	5.1	5.9	5.3
For-hire truck	3.8	3.2	3.4	3.7	6.3	3.9
Private truck	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.4	1.4	1.8
Rail .....	.5	.9	2.0	2.8	4.5	4.1
Water .....	.8	1.2	3.1	S	4.7	S
Shallow draft .....	.4	.3	1.6	S	1.4	S
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	1.0	S	S	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	S	.1	S	S	—	S
Pipeline .....	.9	1.0	2.9	2.2	S	S
Multiple modes .....	.9	.3	.2	.1	.7	.8
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier .....	.9	.2	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail .....	.3	.2	.2	—	.7	.7
Truck and water	S	—	S	—	S	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	—	S	—	S	—
Other and unknown modes .....	.4	.6	.7	1.3	.3	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-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	16.3	—	14.8
Truck	25.3	5.9	18.4
Rail	18.2	4.5	5.7
Shallow draft	37.4	1.4	30.2
Great Lakes	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	26.2
Air	49.5	—	12.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	41.5	1.1	S
Pipeline	S	S	S
Other and unknown modes	32.9	.3	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-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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—
Less than 50 miles	29.3	2.9	13.9	4.5	16.8	.5
50 to 99 miles	14.2	1.0	15.4	.9	16.9	.4
100 to 249 miles	9.1	1.8	16.2	2.9	12.9	2.1
250 to 499 miles	17.1	1.6	13.7	1.2	15.3	2.5
500 to 749 miles	11.9	.6	23.1	1.1	23.9	3.2
750 to 999 miles	32.2	2.0	8.8	.3	8.8	1.5
1,000 to 1,499 miles	23.0	.6	16.0	.2	16.0	1.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	21.2	.8	46.5	2.8	48.0	8.3
2,000 miles or more	30.0	—	S	S	S	S
Single modes	13.9	—	10.7	—	16.5	—
Less than 50 miles	30.6	3.0	14.0	4.5	16.8	.5
50 to 99 miles	15.1	1.0	15.5	.8	17.1	.3
100 to 249 miles	8.1	2.0	17.3	3.2	14.4	2.3
250 to 499 miles	17.8	1.6	14.0	1.2	15.7	2.5
500 to 749 miles	12.2	.7	23.3	1.1	24.2	3.3
750 to 999 miles	33.1	2.1	9.1	.3	9.1	1.6
1,000 to 1,499 miles	24.5	.6	16.0	.2	16.2	1.0
1,500 to 1,999 miles	24.0	.9	48.0	3.0	49.4	8.7
2,000 miles or more	29.4	—	S	S	S	S
Truck	14.6	—	7.8	—	25.3	—
Less than 50 miles	31.4	3.3	14.0	4.6	16.6	.9
50 to 99 miles	16.3	1.2	13.1	1.5	13.4	.7
100 to 249 miles	12.0	1.9	12.4	1.6	11.9	1.9
250 to 499 miles	18.9	1.6	10.7	1.0	10.1	2.6
500 to 749 miles	12.2	.8	12.6	.7	13.3	2.9
750 to 999 miles	34.7	2.2	10.7	.4	10.4	1.9
1,000 to 1,499 miles	24.4	.6	14.7	.3	15.5	1.4
1,500 to 1,999 miles	25.3	.9	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	31.4	—	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	20.1	—	9.1	—	28.4	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	22.0	4.9	25.7	.6
50 to 99 miles	15.7	.9	20.8	1.9	21.8	.5
100 to 249 miles	12.2	2.6	13.2	1.9	12.4	2.3
250 to 499 miles	20.1	2.2	8.7	2.2	8.6	3.4
500 to 749 miles	13.6	1.7	14.7	1.4	15.5	3.3
750 to 999 miles	35.8	2.5	11.5	.7	11.3	2.4
1,000 to 1,499 miles	25.7	.9	14.1	.4	14.9	1.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	26.8	1.2	S	S	S	S
2,000 miles or more	33.7	—	S	S	S	S
Private truck	9.2	—	9.6	—	15.8	—
Less than 50 miles	8.2	4.7	14.1	5.5	14.1	2.3
50 to 99 miles	19.5	1.7	15.5	1.8	16.6	1.4
100 to 249 miles	20.7	4.3	20.1	3.0	19.6	4.1
250 to 499 miles	15.7	1.0	33.8	1.7	34.5	2.9
500 to 749 miles	22.0	1.1	17.7	.3	17.1	2.3
750 to 999 miles	24.3	.7	21.9	.2	21.8	1.2
1,000 to 1,499 miles	47.4	.3	30.6	—	33.0	.7
1,500 to 1,999 miles	46.6	.3	31.9	—	33.5	1.1
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	13.1	—	19.0	—	18.2	—
Less than 50 miles	42.5	1.2	45.1	1.3	S	S
50 to 99 miles	42.2	1.4	46.8	1.8	45.4	.4
100 to 249 miles	20.0	1.7	28.0	2.6	28.7	1.1
250 to 499 miles	19.1	3.2	29.0	2.9	30.4	2.5
500 to 749 miles	11.4	5.0	21.1	4.6	22.2	4.4
750 to 999 miles	20.0	1.9	17.9	1.6	17.8	2.7
1,000 to 1,499 miles	32.7	1.6	30.9	1.5	30.8	2.1
1,500 to 1,999 miles	26.9	1.9	27.3	1.3	26.8	3.3
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Water	37.9	—	42.6	—	47.5	—
Less than 50 miles	38.4	10.0	39.5	10.1	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	36.8	9.5	39.6	8.7	38.1	10.1
250 to 499 miles	S	S	43.9	9.3	47.0	9.6
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,500 to 1,999 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	32.9	—	38.6	—	37.4	—
Less than 50 miles	38.6	9.7	39.6	9.8	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	36.8	10.5	39.6	10.7	38.1	11.8
250 to 499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
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	S	S	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	45.5	9.3	48.1	9.9
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	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	49.5	—
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	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,000 to 1,499 miles	38.8	7.3	45.7	3.6	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	45.2	5.6	47.1	6.3	47.9	8.1
2,000 miles or more	S	S	47.3	3.5	47.0	8.3
Pipeline	37.6	—	36.9	—	S	S
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	42.4	13.8	42.0	13.7	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	—	—	—	—	—	—
Multiple modes	20.9	—	23.0	—	20.3	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	46.1	.5	49.4	—
50 to 99 miles	30.1	4.5	38.7	5.9	38.5	.7
100 to 249 miles	24.3	5.0	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	38.4	3.8	31.9	4.4	35.4	2.2
500 to 749 miles	29.3	3.3	36.7	6.3	37.6	5.3
750 to 999 miles	23.0	1.3	25.8	1.3	25.3	1.3
1,000 to 1,499 miles	41.2	1.3	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	25.0	3.6	28.4	4.9	28.0	6.6
2,000 miles or more	S	S	48.8	.2	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	28.1	—	30.3	—	24.9	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	44.0	1.5	47.8	.1
50 to 99 miles	27.7	4.2	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	24.5	6.4	37.0	3.8	37.8	1.8
250 to 499 miles	49.5	4.8	31.3	4.9	29.9	3.5
500 to 749 miles	30.8	3.9	28.6	2.7	27.9	2.6
750 to 999 miles	26.3	1.9	36.7	2.3	36.8	4.0
1,000 to 1,499 miles	43.9	2.2	25.3	1.5	25.3	2.1
1,500 to 1,999 miles	38.2	1.4	29.7	1.6	29.4	3.6
2,000 miles or more	S	S	S	S	S	S
Truck and rail	31.0	—	27.9	—	23.4	—
Less than 50 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
50 to 99 miles	S	S	44.7	6.8	43.5	.8
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	S	S	41.9	6.2	43.2	3.2
500 to 749 miles	46.9	5.9	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	45.4	1.2	43.8	.8
1,000 to 1,499 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
1,500 to 1,999 miles	38.3	5.1	29.3	4.7	28.8	5.9
2,000 miles or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
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	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	S	S	S	S	S	S
Less than 50 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 249 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 miles	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	25.2	—	37.1	—	32.9	—
Less than 50 miles	27.9	8.1	26.2	12.1	43.9	6.5
50 to 99 miles	34.4	1.7	S	S	S	S
100 to 249 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
250 to 499 miles	49.7	5.4	42.8	7.0	41.7	9.8
500 to 749 miles	S	S	S	S	S	S
750 to 999 miles	S	S	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	S	S	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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—	14.8
Less than 50 lb	29.7	1.5	31.7	—	S	S	17.0
50 to 99 lb	39.1	.8	37.7	—	S	S	18.3
100 to 499 lb	36.6	2.6	31.1	.3	S	S	17.9
500 to 749 lb	37.4	1.0	25.4	—	20.2	—	19.1
750 to 999 lb	46.8	.6	34.6	—	24.2	—	18.1
1,000 to 9,999 lb	17.6	1.7	15.7	1.3	13.5	1.6	19.1
10,000 to 49,999 lb	11.2	4.7	8.2	4.2	14.3	2.6	12.2
50,000 to 99,999 lb	20.7	1.0	17.3	3.7	S	S	47.8
100,000 lb or more	19.6	2.0	22.6	4.6	22.0	5.8	6.7
Single modes	13.9	—	10.7	—	16.5	—	17.1
Less than 50 lb	39.3	1.4	37.2	—	S	S	21.2
50 to 99 lb	48.7	.8	39.8	—	S	S	19.6
100 to 499 lb	38.0	2.8	31.4	.3	S	S	18.8
500 to 749 lb	38.9	1.1	26.9	—	21.2	—	22.2
750 to 999 lb	47.7	.6	35.5	—	24.9	—	18.8
1,000 to 9,999 lb	19.2	2.1	16.9	1.4	14.6	1.6	19.8
10,000 to 49,999 lb	11.4	4.8	8.4	4.3	14.6	2.5	12.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	21.4	1.1	17.7	3.8	S	S	47.4
100,000 lb or more	20.5	2.2	23.7	4.9	23.1	6.1	6.7
Truck²	14.6	—	7.8	—	25.3	—	18.4
Less than 50 lb	41.4	1.5	38.1	—	S	S	25.3
50 to 99 lb	49.6	.8	40.2	—	S	S	19.9
100 to 499 lb	38.1	2.9	31.5	.4	S	S	19.0
500 to 749 lb	39.1	1.2	27.0	.1	21.5	.1	22.2
750 to 999 lb	47.7	.6	35.8	.1	25.3	.2	18.7
1,000 to 9,999 lb	19.2	2.1	17.0	1.6	14.6	2.4	19.9
10,000 to 49,999 lb	11.4	5.4	8.5	4.1	14.6	5.2	12.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	21.7	1.1	17.9	4.4	S	S	47.4
100,000 lb or more	14.4	.3	27.0	1.4	26.4	.8	35.3
For-hire truck	20.1	—	9.1	—	28.4	—	10.5
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	11.2
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	11.5
100 to 499 lb	44.2	4.2	46.6	.8	S	S	11.0
500 to 749 lb	45.3	1.8	43.7	.2	23.4	.1	22.9
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	27.9	.2	28.0
1,000 to 9,999 lb	23.6	2.9	20.0	1.3	19.1	2.7	11.1
10,000 to 49,999 lb	15.8	7.0	7.3	5.4	15.4	6.7	11.8
50,000 to 99,999 lb	30.7	1.4	24.5	6.2	S	S	31.6
100,000 lb or more	37.9	.4	24.5	.5	31.2	1.2	28.9
Private truck	9.2	—	9.6	—	15.8	—	27.3
Less than 50 lb	31.4	1.5	30.0	—	27.2	—	28.9
50 to 99 lb	26.3	.5	26.5	—	19.3	—	29.0
100 to 499 lb	21.3	1.2	35.0	.3	33.8	.3	S
500 to 749 lb	33.7	.8	25.6	.2	17.3	.1	42.6
750 to 999 lb	23.3	.4	22.9	.1	21.5	.1	37.9
1,000 to 9,999 lb	15.2	3.2	25.2	3.2	21.3	3.7	18.6
10,000 to 49,999 lb	16.2	5.3	14.4	5.4	24.2	5.7	17.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	17.4	1.2	23.4	5.1	37.5	5.6	24.1
100,000 lb or more	24.9	.6	34.6	3.5	46.0	.9	31.6
Rail	13.1	—	19.0	—	18.2	—	5.7
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	29.1
500 to 749 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.5
10,000 to 49,999 lb	36.9	1.3	40.3	.2	40.8	.3	22.8
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
100,000 lb or more	13.2	1.5	18.6	.3	18.1	.5	4.2
Water	37.9	—	42.6	—	47.5	—	26.1
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	29.8
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	43.1	.8	44.6	.8	44.1	.8	23.7
100,000 lb or more	38.2	1.0	42.9	1.0	47.7	1.0	29.4
Shallow draft	32.9	—	38.6	—	37.4	—	30.2
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	29.8
750 to 999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
50,000 to 99,999 lb	47.2	.8	47.1	.8	47.1	.8	25.8
100,000 lb or more	33.2	.9	38.9	.9	37.3	1.0	35.0

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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	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
100,000 lb or more	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.3
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	49.5	—	12.6
Less than 50 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	13.9
50 to 99 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	24.5
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	18.5
500 to 749 lb	S	S	48.9	8.4	S	S	26.8
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 9,999 lb	46.4	10.4	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	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline³	37.6	—	36.9	—	S	S	S
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
100 to 499 lb	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
500 to 749 lb	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
750 to 999 lb	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
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	39.7	6.4	37.2	1.6	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20.9	—	23.0	—	20.3	—	8.3
Less than 50 lb	33.1	7.4	30.9	3.2	30.1	2.6	8.5
50 to 99 lb	47.1	2.7	41.9	1.8	40.0	1.1	16.3
100 to 499 lb	23.4	3.5	41.6	2.9	27.1	1.6	S
500 to 749 lb	37.4	1.2	43.1	.3	44.7	.2	33.8
750 to 999 lb	39.7	.6	26.8	.2	32.6	.2	30.2
1,000 to 9,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.8
10,000 to 49,999 lb	40.1	4.6	21.1	8.2	25.1	6.8	8.1
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	41.4
100,000 lb or more	40.5	3.0	45.0	8.8	34.6	6.2	41.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	28.1	—	30.3	—	24.9	—	8.6
Less than 50 lb	33.1	7.6	30.9	7.5	30.1	7.3	8.5
50 to 99 lb	47.1	3.0	41.9	3.1	40.0	3.7	16.3
100 to 499 lb	23.4	4.4	42.1	4.8	32.0	4.9	11.1
500 to 749 lb	37.4	2.0	43.1	3.5	44.7	2.8	33.8
750 to 999 lb	41.9	1.1	28.4	2.9	33.3	1.9	35.6
1,000 to 9,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 49,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 lb or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	31.0	—	27.9	—	23.4	—	6.7
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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	26.0
10,000 to 49,999 lb	40.2	9.4	21.2	11.0	25.1	7.0	8.0
50,000 to 99,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	41.4
100,000 lb or more	40.5	7.7	48.2	10.8	41.8	7.5	31.8
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Less than 50 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 lb	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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	31.6
10,000 to 49,999 lb	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	25.2	—	37.1	—	32.9	—	S
Less than 50 lb	48.9	3.2	45.4	.8	S	S	S
50 to 99 lb	S	S	39.5	.5	41.7	.3	S
100 to 499 lb	S	S	33.1	2.1	32.1	.8	S
500 to 749 lb	29.8	.5	40.1	1.3	39.6	.1	S
750 to 999 lb	46.5	.4	42.6	.6	S	S	40.2
1,000 to 9,999 lb	40.7	12.2	48.2	10.7	44.0	12.2	S
10,000 to 49,999 lb	34.2	4.8	39.5	7.8	46.8	5.5	S
50,000 to 99,999 lb	48.5	3.6	S	S	S	S	34.4
100,000 lb or more	44.9	3.5	S	S	S	S	31.4

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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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—	14.8
01	Live animals and live fish	42.6	.3	42.0	.1	45.2	.4	23.8
02	Cereal grains	42.2	.1	45.6	.9	49.2	.6	23.0
03	Other agricultural products	46.0	1.5	32.3	.7	39.7	1.2	18.0
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	24.0	1.0	29.6	.5	25.7	.8	15.5
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	S	S	41.8	.3	43.8	1.0	26.0
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils	32.8	.9	29.4	1.2	32.7	.8	28.2
08	Alcoholic beverages	27.4	.2	24.4	.1	31.8	—	18.8
09	Tobacco products	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
10	Monumental or building stone	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Natural sands	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.9
12	Gravel and crushed stone	45.9	—	43.9	1.9	46.1	.4	22.7
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	28.6	—	S	S	32.6	.6	37.5
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	S	S	40.1
15	Coal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	19.7	1.1	23.5	3.2	40.6	6.1	47.1
18	Fuel oils	22.5	.5	24.3	1.4	49.7	3.5	S
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c.	34.4	.4	38.8	1.6	30.4	1.2	S
20	Basic chemicals	14.9	.6	32.3	2.0	22.4	1.4	S
21	Pharmaceutical products	43.2	1.4	S	S	S	S	30.2
22	Fertilizers	38.7	.2	42.8	1.9	44.2	1.2	30.6
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	29.0	1.1	39.2	.6	43.2	.9	S
24	Plastics and rubber	22.9	.5	29.9	.7	30.0	.7	17.1
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.0
26	Wood products	14.6	.8	18.3	2.9	25.4	3.4	32.8
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard	10.7	.3	10.7	.5	11.5	2.1	S
28	Paper or paperboard articles	41.3	.7	41.6	.6	27.3	.3	S
29	Printed products	20.6	.1	16.8	—	17.7	.1	13.1
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	49.3	5.5	34.2	.5	46.0	1.3	9.9
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	S	S	S	S	S	S	41.4
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.5
33	Articles of base metal	27.6	1.0	21.5	.2	27.8	.3	16.1
34	Machinery	13.4	.6	20.5	.2	22.5	.4	49.7
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	S	S	S	S	26.4	.3	S
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	S	S	29.4	.1	36.1	.3	21.0
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S	24.9
38	Precision instruments and apparatus	39.3	.1	36.1	—	S	S	S
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs	14.3	.9	20.1	.4	22.4	.8	7.3
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	S	S	47.6	.3	43.0	.4	20.1
41	Waste and scrap	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
43	Mixed freight	25.2	3.9	22.4	1.3	22.5	.6	44.8
--	Commodity unknown	39.7	—	47.2	—	S	S	35.2

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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 .....	.3	.2	.1	-	.4	.3
02	Cereal grains .....	.1	S	.9	S	.6	S
03	Other agricultural products	1.5	.3	.7	S	1.2	S
04	Animal feed and products of animal origin, n.e.c.	S	.7	S	2.7	S	.8
05	Meat, fish, seafood, and their preparations	1.0	1.9	.5	.9	.8	1.0
06	Milled grain products and preparations, and bakery products	S	.4	.3	.3	1.0	1.1
07	Other prepared foodstuffs and fats and oils .....	.9	.5	1.2	.8	.8	.4
08	Alcoholic beverages .....	.2	.2	.1	.1	-	-
09	Tobacco products	S	-	S	-	S	-
10	Monumental or building stone	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Natural sands	S	S	S	.9	S	-
12	Gravel and crushed stone	-	S	1.9	2.1	.4	.2
13	Nonmetallic minerals n.e.c.	-	-	S	.6	.6	.4
14	Metallic ores and concentrates	S	S	S	S	S	S
15	Coal	-	S	-	S	-	S
17	Gasoline and aviation turbine fuel	1.1	1.7	3.2	2.9	6.1	3.7
18	Fuel oils .....	.5	.4	1.4	.9	3.5	1.3
19	Coal and petroleum products, n.e.c. ....	.4	.2	1.6	1.6	1.2	.9
20	Basic chemicals .....	.6	.5	2.0	.5	1.4	.4
21	Pharmaceutical products	1.4	.3	S	.1	S	S
22	Fertilizers .....	.2	.2	1.9	.6	1.2	S
23	Chemical products and preparations, n.e.c.	1.1	.8	.6	.1	.9	S
24	Plastics and rubber .....	.5	.7	.7	.4	.7	1.0
25	Logs and other wood in the rough	S	.2	S	2.9	S	S
26	Wood products .....	.8	.4	2.9	1.9	3.4	2.6
27	Pulp, newsprint, paper, and paperboard .....	.3	.5	.5	.7	2.1	1.7
28	Paper or paperboard articles .....	.7	.2	.6	-	.3	.1
29	Printed products .....	.1	.3	-	.1	.1	.7
30	Textiles, leather, and articles of textiles or leather	5.5	2.7	.5	.2	1.3	.4
31	Nonmetallic mineral products	S	.2	S	5.5	S	1.0
32	Base metal in primary or semifinished forms and in finished basic shapes	S	.5	S	.3	S	.6
33	Articles of base metal	1.0	.5	.2	.1	.3	.2
34	Machinery .....	.6	.8	.2	.1	.4	.3
35	Electronic and other electrical equipment and components and office equipment	S	.9	S	.3	.3	.3
36	Motorized and other vehicles (including parts)	S	.7	.1	.1	.3	.2
37	Transportation equipment, n.e.c.	S	S	S	S	S	S
38	Precision instruments and apparatus .....	.1	.1	-	-	S	-
39	Furniture, mattresses and mattress supports, lamps, lighting fittings, and illuminated signs .....	.9	.9	.4	.3	.8	.5
40	Miscellaneous manufactured products	S	.5	.3	.1	.4	.6
41	Waste and scrap	S	-	S	.2	S	.2
43	Mixed freight	3.9	3.3	1.3	.4	.6	.3
--	Commodity unknown	-	S	-	.4	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

[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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—	14.8
Single modes	13.9	.9	10.7	.7	16.5	.6	17.1
Truck	14.6	2.3	7.8	4.8	25.3	5.9	18.4
For-hire truck	20.1	3.8	9.1	3.4	28.4	6.3	10.5
Private truck	9.2	2.7	9.6	2.6	15.8	1.4	27.3
Rail	13.1	.5	19.0	2.0	18.2	4.5	5.7
Water	37.9	.8	42.6	3.1	47.5	4.7	26.1
Shallow draft	32.9	.4	38.6	1.6	37.4	1.4	30.2
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	49.5	—	12.6
Pipeline	37.6	.9	36.9	2.9	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20.9	.9	23.0	.2	20.3	.7	8.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	28.1	.9	30.3	—	24.9	—	8.6
Truck and rail	31.0	.3	27.9	.2	23.4	.7	6.7
Truck and water	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Other and unknown modes	25.2	.4	37.1	.7	32.9	.3	S
SCTG 01, LIVE ANIMALS AND LIVE FISH							
Total	42.6	—	42.0	—	45.2	—	23.8
Single modes	42.6	—	42.0	—	45.2	—	23.8
Truck	42.6	—	42.0	—	45.2	—	23.8
For-hire truck	42.6	—	42.0	—	45.2	—	23.8
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	42.2	—	45.6	—	49.2	—	23.0
Single modes	42.3	10.5	45.7	10.5	49.2	10.5	25.5
Truck	44.1	10.3	48.7	10.2	48.3	11.2	25.1
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.4
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
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	30.2

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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 03, OTHER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS							
Total	46.0	—	32.3	—	39.7	—	18.0
Single modes	46.1	1.7	32.4	1.8	39.8	2.1	17.9
Truck	47.9	10.3	35.2	9.4	47.0	12.4	20.6
For-hire truck	S	S	46.8	16.6	48.6	16.8	19.4
Private truck	43.2	17.6	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.2
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
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 04, ANIMAL FEED AND PRODUCTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, N.E.C.							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
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	31.6
SCTG 05, MEAT, FISH, SEAFOOD, AND THEIR PREPARATIONS							
Total	24.0	—	29.6	—	25.7	—	15.5
Single modes	24.1	.2	29.7	.2	25.8	.2	14.3
Truck	24.1	.2	29.7	.2	25.8	.2	14.3
For-hire truck	23.2	6.4	27.8	6.6	26.0	3.9	14.1
Private truck	33.6	6.4	44.3	6.6	42.4	3.9	20.5
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	31.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.9
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6

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	S	S	41.8	—	43.8	—	26.0
Single modes	S	S	41.7	.6	45.8	2.2	26.4
Truck	S	S	41.2	1.6	44.8	1.8	26.5
For-hire truck	S	S	41.2	1.6	44.8	1.8	26.5
Private truck	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.9
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	45.3	.7	45.3	.6	46.1	2.2	26.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	45.3	.7	45.3	.6	46.1	2.2	26.2
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 07, OTHER PREPARED FOODSTUFFS AND FATS AND OILS							
Total	32.8	—	29.4	—	32.7	—	28.2
Single modes	32.8	.2	29.4	—	32.7	—	28.0
Truck	34.0	3.8	31.3	4.8	37.5	7.7	28.5
For-hire truck	39.9	10.1	44.4	10.3	42.3	10.5	26.9
Private truck	35.2	11.2	36.2	11.8	S	S	30.5
Rail	48.8	3.7	48.7	4.8	S	S	26.1
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 08, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES							
Total	27.4	—	24.4	—	31.8	—	18.8
Single modes	27.4	—	24.4	—	31.8	—	18.8
Truck	27.4	—	24.4	—	31.8	—	18.8
For-hire truck	43.5	11.5	43.2	7.0	43.1	15.7	24.2
Private truck	25.7	11.5	24.6	7.0	27.1	15.7	17.7
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	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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 09, TOBACCO PRODUCTS							
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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 10, MONUMENTAL OR BUILDING STONE							
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 11, NATURAL SANDS							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.9
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	19.8
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	19.8
For-hire truck	39.3 S	11.1 S	37.3 S	12.0 S	34.4 S	11.9 S	27.3
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.0
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	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	45.9	—	43.9	—	46.1	—	22.7
Single modes	48.1	3.4	46.2	3.8	44.5	4.7	23.2
Truck	48.1	3.4	46.2	3.8	44.5	4.7	23.2
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.0
Private truck	S	S	47.8	9.9	44.3	9.7	26.5
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	31.6
SCTG 13, NONMETALLIC MINERALS N.E.C.							
Total	28.6	—	S	S	32.6	—	37.5
Single modes	29.2	1.2	S	S	33.6	1.8	37.1
Truck	29.8	2.6	S	S	36.6	4.5	40.8
For-hire truck	36.1	7.3	S	S	41.2	5.7	32.8
Private truck	S	S	S	S	37.8	2.4	S
Rail	28.3	2.2	28.5	7.2	32.7	5.2	16.0
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	48.1	1.1	43.8	.8	41.5	1.8	26.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and rail	48.1	1.1	43.8	.8	41.5	1.8	26.4
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
SCTG 14, METALLIC ORES AND CONCENTRATES							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	40.1
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
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	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 15, COAL							
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 17, GASOLINE AND AVIATION TURBINE FUEL							
Total	19.7	-	23.5	-	40.6	-	47.1
Single modes	20.3	2.0	23.9	2.2	40.9	8.9	46.4
Truck	26.7	14.6	28.0	15.9	S	S	46.7
For-hire truck	44.6	13.8	45.7	14.1	S	S	30.0
Private truck	28.9	12.6	28.6	12.8	35.5	12.0	22.9
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	S	S	49.0	7.2	S	S	26.1
Shallow draft	49.9	1.8	48.1	1.8	S	S	26.9
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.2
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline	42.8	10.7	43.3	11.5	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	35.1
SCTG 18, FUEL OILS							
Total	22.5	-	24.3	-	49.7	-	S
Single modes	22.8	1.8	24.6	1.8	49.7	2.3	S
Truck	23.9	11.6	24.4	12.2	S	S	S
For-hire truck	45.0	11.8	48.1	12.4	S	S	29.7
Private truck	39.1	10.1	38.3	9.8	39.4	13.3	35.2
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	46.3	9.3	S	S	S	S	S
Shallow draft	34.4	8.0	48.9	7.7	S	S	S
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	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	30.3

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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 19, COAL AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.E.C.							
Total	34.4	—	38.8	—	30.4	—	S
Single modes	34.8	1.2	38.9	.4	30.4	—	S
Truck	45.9	10.0	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Private truck	30.8	11.4	16.5	10.0	35.2	6.2	S
Rail	28.8	6.3	30.1	8.2	37.1	11.1	16.4
Water	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.4
Shallow draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.4
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	29.6
SCTG 20, BASIC CHEMICALS							
Total	14.9	—	32.3	—	22.4	—	S
Single modes	15.8	5.6	33.5	4.9	23.8	10.9	S
Truck	33.7	11.9	S	S	S	S	S
For-hire truck	42.9	10.2	37.7	9.1	47.6	9.9	14.9
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	40.9	6.4	S	S	45.8	10.0	21.8
Water	44.2	11.4	S	S	S	S	42.8
Shallow draft	43.9	11.1	S	S	42.5	6.9	44.6
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	47.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	42.3
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	34.3
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	33.5
SCTG 21, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS							
Total	43.2	—	S	S	S	S	30.2
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.2
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.0
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	36.8	13.2	41.5	8.2	S	S	28.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	36.8	13.2	41.5	8.2	S	S	28.4
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	45.3	13.4	46.7	14.2	31.9

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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	38.7	—	42.8	—	44.2	—	30.6
Single modes	38.7	—	42.8	.1	44.2	—	30.6
Truck	46.0	7.3	46.1	8.7	39.1	11.8	36.3
For-hire truck	43.8	10.2	45.6	9.9	46.8	9.7	S
Private truck	S	S	S	S	43.2	10.2	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.1
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)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	S	S	S	S	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	31.6
SCTG 23, CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, N.E.C.							
Total	29.0	—	39.2	—	43.2	—	S
Single modes	29.8	13.7	43.4	14.3	46.1	18.0	S
Truck	29.7	13.6	43.4	14.3	46.1	18.0	S
For-hire truck	49.7	13.6	47.5	16.9	47.1	19.6	20.9
Private truck	42.0	11.2	39.2	10.2	S	S	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	39.9	13.8	38.6	17.9	S
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	27.3
SCTG 24, PLASTICS AND RUBBER							
Total	22.9	—	29.9	—	30.0	—	17.1
Single modes	22.9	.7	29.5	.8	29.3	1.3	15.8
Truck	20.0	4.9	24.9	8.4	16.4	11.7	16.4
For-hire truck	17.9	6.5	22.1	9.2	16.1	11.5	10.7
Private truck	32.2	4.1	38.2	5.1	39.5	5.1	31.1
Rail	39.8	4.5	41.3	7.8	42.9	10.7	18.7
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	19.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	38.2	—	S	S	21.7
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.5
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	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	28.0
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.0
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.0
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.0
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	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	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SCTG 26, WOOD PRODUCTS							
Total	14.6	—	18.3	—	25.4	—	32.8
Single modes	16.4	3.5	18.7	2.7	27.1	5.2	22.2
Truck	17.2	4.9	19.4	5.0	21.1	7.4	21.2
For-hire truck	20.6	6.7	21.5	6.8	18.5	6.4	10.3
Private truck	28.4	8.1	32.4	6.7	43.9	3.8	32.7
Rail	36.4	4.6	S	S	46.5	7.5	9.8
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	33.4
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.6
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	47.9	3.6	S	S	S	S	S
SCTG 27, PULP, NEWSPRINT, PAPER, AND PAPERBOARD							
Total	10.7	—	10.7	—	11.5	—	S
Single modes	10.4	1.2	10.6	1.4	10.4	3.3	S
Truck	27.4	6.5	20.4	5.7	26.1	6.0	S
For-hire truck	33.6	6.7	21.8	5.8	27.1	6.0	5.3
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Rail	10.9	6.4	14.2	5.4	14.0	5.5	4.2
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9
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-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	41.3	—	41.6	—	27.3	—	S
Single modes	41.9	14.2	41.9	14.6	27.2	14.2	46.9
Truck	42.0	15.6	41.9	16.0	27.4	16.4	38.4
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	30.3	13.9	23.6
Private truck	S	S	S	S	48.0	6.4	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.2
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.7
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	38.1	9.3	46.5	10.0	S	S	S
SCTG 29, PRINTED PRODUCTS							
Total	20.6	—	16.8	—	17.7	—	13.1
Single modes	14.7	6.7	17.5	4.0	19.7	5.2	17.6
Truck	14.7	6.7	17.5	4.0	19.7	5.2	17.5
For-hire truck	15.0	6.7	17.7	4.1	19.7	5.2	20.6
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.4
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.8
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.8
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.6
SCTG 30, TEXTILES, LEATHER, AND ARTICLES OF TEXTILES OR LEATHER							
Total	49.3	—	34.2	—	46.0	—	9.9
Single modes	49.8	2.4	34.8	2.3	46.5	3.8	10.3
Truck	49.8	2.4	34.8	2.3	46.6	3.8	9.7
For-hire truck	S	S	39.7	7.7	48.0	5.9	5.7
Private truck	25.8	6.2	48.9	5.7	28.3	3.1	S
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	48.4	—	S	S	S	S	25.9
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	49.4	.5	7.8
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	7.8
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	24.6

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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 31, NONMETALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	41.4
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	44.3
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	21.2
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	21.4
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	39.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.2
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	30.1
SCTG 32, BASE METAL IN PRIMARY OR SEMIFINISHED FORMS AND IN FINISHED BASIC SHAPES							
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29.5
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	30.1
Truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	30.7
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	23.3
Private truck	45.1	13.1	44.8	11.8	\$	\$	\$
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.0
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29.9
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	38.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	41.9
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.1
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	26.1
SCTG 33, ARTICLES OF BASE METAL							
Total	27.6	-	21.5	-	27.8	-	16.1
Single modes	18.4	6.8	21.7	1.6	22.1	4.3	20.0
Truck	18.3	6.9	21.7	1.6	22.1	4.3	20.1
For-hire truck	17.4	9.0	36.3	9.0	21.1	11.2	10.3
Private truck	32.8	6.4	37.9	9.0	48.5	9.9	30.5
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	22.5
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	15.5
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	15.5
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	30.0

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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 34, MACHINERY							
Total	13.4	—	20.5	—	22.5	—	49.7
Single modes	13.7	3.2	21.6	5.1	18.7	8.3	S
Truck	13.8	3.1	21.7	5.0	19.2	8.1	S
For-hire truck	22.8	5.9	29.1	6.9	24.7	9.5	9.1
Private truck	13.9	6.1	19.5	6.9	43.2	7.7	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	28.0
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	34.5	3.1	S	S	S	S	28.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	31.7	1.3	S	S	45.3	.6	30.3
Truck and rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.1
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	44.7	.4	S
SCTG 35, ELECTRONIC AND OTHER ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND COMPONENTS AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT							
Total	S	S	S	S	26.4	—	S
Single modes	S	S	S	S	27.0	1.8	S
Truck	S	S	S	S	27.4	2.1	S
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	31.4	15.0	S
Private truck	22.1	10.0	37.4	14.7	44.0	15.1	S
Rail	S	S	S	S	S	S	30.0
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	45.9	8.6	39.0	2.6	47.9	1.2	32.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	45.7	8.5	40.4	2.6	S	S	32.6
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
SCTG 36, MOTORIZED AND OTHER VEHICLES (INCLUDING PARTS)							
Total	S	S	29.4	—	36.1	—	21.0
Single modes	S	S	28.7	3.9	36.5	5.9	22.3
Truck	S	S	28.2	3.9	36.1	5.9	21.1
For-hire truck	S	S	39.7	10.6	37.5	9.9	14.1
Private truck	35.4	10.8	46.7	10.1	43.5	9.0	45.0
Rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shallow draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lakes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep draft	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Air (includes truck and air)	S	S	S	S	S	S	26.8
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	18.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	18.3
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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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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	24.9
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	27.0
Truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	26.7
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	28.1
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	27.9
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29.8
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	29.8
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
SCTG 38, PRECISION INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS							
Total	39.3	-	36.1	-	\$	\$	\$
Single modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
For-hire truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Private truck	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	26.1
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	26.1
Truck and rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Truck and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
SCTG 39, FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND MATTRESS SUPPORTS, LAMPS, LIGHTING FITTINGS, AND ILLUMINATED SIGNS							
Total	14.3	-	20.1	-	22.4	-	7.3
Single modes	14.1	1.7	20.0	1.6	22.5	4.3	6.7
Truck	14.1	1.7	20.0	1.7	22.5	4.3	6.7
For-hire truck	18.2	9.1	20.7	9.3	23.2	8.0	5.6
Private truck	39.2	7.9	31.5	8.4	48.0	6.1	20.2
Rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shallow draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Great Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deep draft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Air (includes truck and air)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pipeline	-	-	-	-	\$	\$	\$
Multiple modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	34.3
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	44.7	.1	\$	\$	\$	\$	27.3
Truck and rail	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	28.1
Truck and water	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	31.6
Rail and water	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other multiple modes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unknown modes	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	28.0

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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	S	S	47.6	—	43.0	—	20.1
Single modes	36.8	12.5	36.4	10.3	38.7	12.0	26.9
Truck	35.2	12.9	36.2	10.4	38.0	12.1	28.4
For-hire truck	39.9	9.9	40.3	11.8	43.4	14.6	20.1
Private truck	37.2	11.4	46.7	11.0	S	S	30.5
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	31.6
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	21.4
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	21.4
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.8
SCTG 41, WASTE AND SCRAP							
Total	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Single modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
Truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	28.1
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.8
Private truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	31.7
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 43, MIXED FREIGHT							
Total	25.2	—	22.4	—	22.5	—	44.8
Single modes	25.5	1.1	22.4	.2	22.5	—	44.0
Truck	25.5	1.1	22.4	.2	22.5	—	44.0
For-hire truck	41.9	12.6	35.1	12.4	38.7	11.7	19.1
Private truck	28.2	12.4	30.0	12.4	27.7	11.7	23.6
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	37.6
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	37.6
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	29.9

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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	
COMMODITY UNKNOWN							
Total	39.7	—	47.2	—	S	S	35.2
Single modes	42.8	7.8	47.6	2.0	S	S	32.4
Truck	44.8	12.1	S	S	S	S	36.6
For-hire truck	S	S	S	S	S	S	22.6
Private truck	46.2	12.0	48.8	10.6	S	S	45.8
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	30.5
Pipeline	—	—	—	—	S	S	S
Multiple modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	37.9
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier	S	S	S	S	S	S	37.9
Truck and rail	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truck and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rail and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other multiple modes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and unknown modes	S	S	S	S	S	S	32.4

— 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-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	13.3	—	10.4	—	16.3	—
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	28.7	—	29.5	—	29.5	—
Maine	38.8	—	38.8	—	39.8	.1
Massachusetts	21.3	.2	19.9	—	20.8	.1
New Hampshire	32.3	—	39.5	—	37.0	—
Rhode Island	S	S	S	S	S	S
Vermont	S	S	S	S	S	S
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	S	S	18.8	.1	18.0	.4
New York	31.6	.3	19.3	—	20.4	.3
Pennsylvania	21.0	.3	12.9	—	13.1	.4
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	22.4	.5	26.7	.5	26.9	.8
Indiana	18.3	—	21.9	.2	20.8	.3
Michigan	16.4	.2	9.4	—	10.6	.4
Ohio	30.8	.4	37.2	.6	39.5	1.3
Wisconsin	16.1	.1	19.9	—	20.2	.2
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	25.3	—	46.6	.2	48.5	.4
Kansas	32.0	.2	38.2	.1	41.6	.1
Minnesota	40.5	.5	35.1	—	36.5	.4
Missouri	33.3	1.1	15.8	.2	16.7	.2
Nebraska	20.9	—	34.6	—	34.1	.3
North Dakota	34.4	—	29.0	—	29.9	—
South Dakota	S	S	S	S	S	S
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	S	S	48.9	—	49.9	—
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	15.9	.6	41.2	1.9	45.2	3.9
Georgia	13.9	.3	24.8	.6	24.1	.4
Maryland	35.2	.2	23.9	—	24.2	.3
North Carolina	17.6	.3	22.4	.2	22.5	.4
South Carolina	24.9	.2	21.9	.1	19.3	.3
Virginia	S	S	18.4	—	19.6	.3
West Virginia	33.2	—	44.6	—	S	S
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	11.4	.8	18.0	1.1	16.7	.6
Kentucky	36.9	.2	21.2	.2	28.2	.2
Mississippi	8.4	3.1	12.4	3.8	17.7	1.7
Tennessee	S	S	17.8	.6	11.4	.4
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	21.7	.8	34.2	1.6	32.6	1.1
Louisiana	14.1	1.2	25.5	1.1	28.0	1.1
Oklahoma	20.7	—	17.7	—	17.0	.1
Texas	21.1	1.0	13.1	.4	17.1	1.2
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	30.0	.1	33.7	—	34.7	.3
Colorado	28.1	—	22.1	—	22.4	—
Idaho	35.2	—	S	S	S	S
Montana	47.4	—	S	S	S	S
Nevada	42.2	—	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	35.2	—	40.7	—	44.5	—
Utah	24.8	—	24.0	—	23.8	.2
Wyoming	S	S	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	21.0	.8	49.3	2.9	S	S
Hawaii	S	S	S	S	S	S
Oregon	30.8	.1	27.0	—	27.3	.2
Washington	49.6	.2	32.5	—	32.9	.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	5.0	—	11.4	—	20.1	—
NEW ENGLAND STATES						
Connecticut	21.3	—	30.6	—	33.6	—
Maine	26.8	—	33.6	—	34.1	.1
Massachusetts	26.0	—	28.0	—	27.0	—
New Hampshire	42.4	—	S	S	S	S
Rhode Island	34.5	—	S	S	S	S
Vermont	33.5	—	47.0	—	45.9	.1
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES						
New Jersey	15.0	.1	41.6	—	42.0	.2
New York	S	S	30.8	—	34.0	.2
Pennsylvania	25.2	.3	S	S	S	S
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Illinois	35.4	1.4	S	S	S	S
Indiana	S	S	S	S	S	S
Michigan	30.0	.5	16.7	—	18.1	.2
Ohio	16.8	.3	17.8	—	17.4	.2
Wisconsin	42.6	.5	S	S	S	S
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES						
Iowa	21.8	.2	36.1	.2	41.4	.5
Kansas	27.3	.2	29.9	—	31.8	.2
Minnesota	25.0	—	S	S	S	S
Missouri	16.7	.3	49.0	.6	S	S
Nebraska	30.7	—	41.2	—	41.1	.1
North Dakota	S	S	47.3	—	S	S
South Dakota	39.5	—	46.8	—	45.2	—
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES						
Delaware	S	S	43.2	—	42.1	.2
District of Columbia	S	S	S	S	S	S
Florida	15.8	.2	26.9	.1	29.0	.2
Georgia	14.6	.6	17.0	.4	14.8	.5
Maryland	33.5	.1	S	S	S	S
North Carolina	18.0	.4	16.1	.1	16.2	.2
South Carolina	34.7	1.3	40.2	.4	41.2	1.3
Virginia	24.6	.1	45.1	.1	49.6	.3
West Virginia	25.7	—	S	S	S	S
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Alabama	27.8	1.5	24.5	1.5	17.8	1.6
Kentucky	26.9	.5	27.8	.2	24.2	.3
Mississippi	8.4	1.8	12.4	4.3	17.7	2.8
Tennessee	7.1	.9	23.2	1.7	30.6	1.8
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES						
Arkansas	20.3	1.1	28.0	1.0	29.3	1.4
Louisiana	17.3	1.1	25.4	4.0	19.5	1.6
Oklahoma	20.0	—	36.9	.1	35.8	.1
Texas	21.9	1.1	20.5	.6	19.5	1.0
MOUNTAIN STATES						
Arizona	42.7	—	S	S	S	S
Colorado	23.9	—	41.7	1.5	42.1	7.2
Idaho	24.3	—	40.7	—	40.2	.2
Montana	S	S	S	S	S	S
Nevada	49.8	—	S	S	S	S
New Mexico	47.6	—	48.2	—	48.5	.3
Utah	21.7	—	S	S	S	S
Wyoming	39.0	—	S	S	S	S
PACIFIC STATES						
Alaska	S	S	S	S	S	S
California	33.0	.8	S	S	S	S
Hawaii	S	S	S	S	S	S
Oregon	S	S	S	S	S	S
Washington	37.3	—	48.5	—	49.5	—

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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	13.3	6.5	23.4	10.4	10.5	12.8	16.3	14.2	29.7	14.8	8.1	29.0
Single modes	13.9	6.6	24.6	10.7	11.0	13.5	16.5	14.0	32.2	17.1	12.4	39.5
Truck	14.6	8.1	27.9	7.8	10.3	11.1	25.3	6.9	52.8	18.4	12.7	40.8
Rail	13.1	15.5	17.9	19.0	28.8	23.4	18.2	31.3	29.2	5.7	7.1	11.2
Water	37.9	42.3	66.0	42.6	S	S	47.5	S	S	26.1	S	S
Air (includes truck and air)	S	18.5	S	S	S	S	49.5	S	S	12.6	2.8	15.1
Pipeline	37.6	44.3	92.2	36.9	44.8	76.9	S	S	S	S	S	S
Multiple modes	20.9	9.3	43.1	23.0	19.9	47.6	20.3	29.0	48.1	8.3	4.4	11.2
Parcel, U.S. Postal Service or courier ..	28.1	13.0	60.7	30.3	13.6	49.7	24.9	14.0	45.2	8.6	4.5	11.5
Truck and rail	31.0	26.5	71.6	27.9	27.7	87.3	23.4	33.9	60.8	6.7	9.9	10.5
All other multiple modes	S	49.2	S	S	42.1	S	S	42.8	S	29.1	S	S
Other and unknown modes ...	25.2	20.8	27.8	37.1	39.4	25.6	32.9	S	S	S	23.1	S

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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	13.3	6.5	23.4	10.4	10.5	12.8	16.3	14.2	29.7	14.8	8.1	29.0
01-05	Agricultural products and fish	22.9	23.3	50.8	27.7	25.4	57.5	28.8	25.0	81.8	15.3	S	S
06-09	Grains, alcohol, and tobacco products	24.0	12.2	27.7	24.7	13.8	26.6	29.8	25.5	29.9	22.3	20.9	22.5
10-14	Stones, nonmetallic minerals, and metallic ores	17.9	37.0	20.6	32.4	19.6	24.4	19.8	22.8	36.0	S	28.9	S
15-19	Coal and petroleum products	16.9	23.5	41.0	19.9	25.2	37.3	40.1	35.4	192.8	S	15.5	S
20-24	Basic chemicals, chemical, and pharmaceutical products	10.7	8.6	20.3	18.3	10.9	39.1	14.1	35.5	40.0	S	16.8	S
25-30	Logs, wood products, and textile and leather	34.4	20.2	78.3	12.6	21.7	20.4	16.8	23.9	23.5	15.2	9.3	25.6
31-34	Base metal and machinery ..	15.5	6.7	18.7	23.4	38.7	7.9	33.2	8.6	31.1	19.8	10.7	32.2
35-38	Electronic, motorized vehicles, and precision instruments	43.9	8.5	90.5	43.1	12.2	38.1	11.3	11.3	10.6	21.7	24.6	78.2
39-43	Furniture, mixed freight and misc. manufactured prod. ..	19.3	22.4	48.5	17.2	10.6	26.8	15.3	9.5	21.7	22.1	14.1	25.5
--	Commodity unknown	39.7	S	S	47.2	44.8	8.6	S	33.1	S	35.2	S	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.

