

Division I - WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE

Overview of the Division

This Division comprises, in principle, establishments engaged in purchasing and selling tangible goods.

A simple processing (such as simple packing, washing, selecting, etc.) and fixing and/or repairs incidental to sales operations are included in this Division.

Wholesale trade

1. “Wholesale trade” includes the establishments primarily engaged in the following operations.

- (1) Sales of goods to “Retail Trade” or other “Wholesale Trade.”
- (2) Sales of goods in bulk or in a large amount to industrial users in “Construction” , “Manufacturing” , “Transport” , “Eating and drinking places” , “Accommodations” , “Hospitals”, “Schools”, “Government and public organizations”.
- (3) Sales of goods primarily for business use – the goods such as office machines and equipment, facilities used in hospitals, beauty salons, restaurants and hotels, as well as industrial machinery (excluding agricultural machines or equipment).
- (4) Wholesale of own goods that a company in “Manufacturing” has produced at a separate place under its own management. (Establishments primarily engaged in overall control of management affairs are excluded.)
- (5) Sales of goods on behalf of other establishments, or acting as an intermediary for sales of goods

2. Classification of establishments by business status

Business status of establishments as referred to in this Division is as follows.

- (1) Wholesale Trade (wholesalers, large-lot suppliers for industrial users, trading companies primarily engaged in wholesale trade, hedging traders, brokers, agricultural products collecting agencies, sales offices of manufacturing companies, foreign trade companies, etc.)
- (2) Manufacturing-wholesale Trade (where the establishment does not manufacture, but furnishes a subcontracted factory or the like with materials that it owns, has the goods manufactured by the factory and sells them in its own name.)
- (3) Agents, brokers, commission merchants

Wholesalers are the establishments primarily engaged in the purchase and sales of goods. However, the agents and brokers falling under Industry item 5598 are primarily engaged in the purchase and sales of goods for other establishments in proxy or as brokers for a

commission. This type of establishments have no right of ownership to goods, and are generally not engaged in fixing prices, safekeeping nor transporting of goods.

3. Classification of establishments by type of operations

Wholesalers, excluding class 5598 - Agents and brokers, are classified by type of business according to the main goods they sell.

(Note): The term, “Manufacturing-wholesale trade” is generally used in contrast to “Manufacturing-retail trade.” (See RETAIL TRADE 2. (2)). This means the wholesaling is conducted by manufacturers, therefore it should be distinctly separated from the “Purchasing-wholesale trade” referred to herein.)

Retail trade

1. “Retail Trade” includes the establishments primarily engaged in the following operations.

(1) Sales of goods to individuals or for household consumption.

(2) Sales of goods in small quantities or small amounts to industrial users in "Construction", "Agriculture, forestry and fisheries"(corporate organizations), "Manufacturing", "Transport", "Eating and drinking places", "Accommodations", "Hospitals", "Schools", "Government and public organizations".

“Retail Trade” encompasses the handling of a wide range of goods for clothing, foods and housing and is broadly classified into establishments that are classified by their respective business statuses (distinctive forms of selling) (so-called non-specialized stores, such as department stores, convenience stores and drugstores) and other establishments that are classified by the main products that they handle (so-called specialty stores, which are also classified by business type).

2. It should be noted that the following are classified under “Retail Trade.”

(1) Establishments engaged in the sales of goods and the repair of the same type of goods are classified in the Division I – WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE.

Establishments engaged exclusively in repairing are classified in the Division R – SERVICES, N.E.C. [89, 90]. Changing parts for repair is not considered as sales.

(2) Manufacturing-retail trade

So-called manufacturing-retail trade where an establishment manufactures products and sells them on the spot to individuals or household consumers (often seen at confectioneries, bakeries, etc.) are not classified under "Manufacturing," but are classified in "Retail Trade." If the establishments engaged in the manufacture of the products retail by mail-order without having their store, they are classified in the Division E-Manufacture.

(3) Gasoline service stations are classified in “Retail Trade.”

(4) Peddling, traveling sales, street venders, etc.

Many of these traders have no fixed or permanent establishment, but by the nature of transactions, they are classified in “Retail Trade.”

(5) Stalls located in government and public organs, corporations, factories, organizations, theaters, amusement parks, etc. that are managed by these establishments are included in each of these establishments. However, if parties other than these establishments manage the stalls, they are classified under “Retail Trade” as separate and independent establishments.

(6) Establishments engaged in agency or brokerage of retail business (including individuals) in exchange for commissions or other remuneration, without having ownership of the goods that are subject to sale and purchase, and regardless of whether directly involved in managing these goods or not, are classified under Industry 6099.

Major group 50 – WHOLESALE TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of various goods.

They are the establishments that purchase and wholesale the goods which fall under multiple Major groups in the Major groups of 51 - Wholesale trade (Textile and apparel), 52 - Wholesale trade (Food and beverages), 53 - Wholesale trade (Building materials, minerals and metals, etc.), 54 - Wholesale trade (Machinery and equipment), and 55 – Other wholesale trade (except however the industry item 5598- Agents and brokers) and which fall under three and more Industry items, and it is difficult by their nature to determine the primary business of the establishments.

Group Number	Class Number
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500	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (50 WHOLESALE TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE)
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5000	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of wholesale trade, general merchandise, engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5008	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in warehouses exclusively used for domestic use wholesale trade, general merchandise.

5009	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of

transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the wholesale trade, general merchandise.

501 WHOLESALE TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE

5011 Wholesale trade, general merchandise (with 100 or more employees)

This class comprises establishments engaged in wholesale purchasing of goods from more than one of Major Group 51 – Wholesale trade (Textile and apparel), 52 – Wholesale trade (Food and beverages), 53 – Wholesale trade (Building materials, minerals and metals), 54 – Wholesale trade (Machinery and equipment), and 55 – Other wholesale trade (however, excluding Industry 5598 – Agents and brokers) and from at least 3 Groups, whose nature is such that it is not possible to distinguish which of these is their principal business, and which have at least 100 employees at all times.

5019 Other wholesale trade, general merchandise

This class comprises establishments engaged in wholesale purchasing of goods from more than one of Major Group 51 – Wholesale trade (Textile and apparel), 52 – Wholesale trade (Food and beverages), 53 – Wholesale trade (Building materials, minerals and metals), 54 – Wholesale trade (Machinery and equipment), and 55 – Other wholesale trade (however, excluding Industry 5598 – Agents and brokers) and from at least 3 Groups, whose nature is such that it is not possible to distinguish which of these is their principal business, and which have less than 100 employees at all times.

Major group 51 – WHOLESALE TRADE (TEXTILE AND APPAREL)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of textile products, apparel, apparel accessories and notions.

Group Number	Class Number
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510	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (51 WHOLESALE TRADE (TEXTILE AND APPAREL))
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5100	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of wholesale trade (textile and apparel), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5108	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in wholesale trade (textile and apparel).

5109	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the wholesale trade (textile and apparel).

511	TEXTILE PRODUCTS (EXCEPT APPAREL, APPAREL ACCESSORIES AND NOTIONS)
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- 5111 Fiber materials
This refers to the establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of fiber materials.
- 5112 Yarn
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of yarn for textiles.
- 5113 Textiles, except interior decoration
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of textiles.
- 512 APPAREL**
- 5121 Men's clothing (occidental style)
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of ready-made suits, students' uniforms, overcoats and other men's clothing.
- 5122 Ladies' and children's clothing (occidental style)
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of ready-made women's and children's clothing.
- 5123 Underwear
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of underwear (except underwear for Japanese clothing).
- 5129 Other apparel
This refers to the establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of other apparel.
- 513 APPAREL ACCESSORIES AND NOTIONS**
- 5131 Bedding
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of bedding.
- 5132 Footwear
This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of various shoes

and Japanese wooden clogs, sandals, slippers, regardless of the materials.

However, establishments engaged in wholesale of shoes for sports are classified in Major Group 55 [5593].

5133 Bags and “*fukuromono*” (small cases)

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of bags and small cases, regardless of the material.

5139 Other apparel accessories and notions

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of miscellaneous apparel accessories and notions, personal ornaments (except product made of precious metal).

Major group 52 – WHOLESALE TRADE (FOOD AND BEVERAGES)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of agricultural and livestock products, fishery products, foods and beverages.

Group Number	Class Number
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520	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (52 WHOLESALE TRADE (FOOD AND BEVERAGES))
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5200	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of wholesale trade (food and beverages), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations, managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5208	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in wholesale trade (food and beverages).

5209	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the wholesale trade (food and beverages).

521	AGRICULTURAL, LIVESTOCK AND AQUATIC PRODUCTS
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5211	Rice, barley and wheat
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This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of rice,

barley and wheat.

5212 Grains and pulses

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of grains and pulses.

5213 Vegetables

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of fresh vegetables.

5214 Fruits

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of fruits.

5215 Meat and poultry

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of meat.

5216 Fresh fish and shellfish

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of fresh fish and shellfish.

5219 Other agricultural, livestock and aquatic products

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other agricultural, livestock and aquatic products.

522 FOOD AND BEVERAGES

5221 Sugar, “*Miso*” (fermented soybean paste) and “*Shoyu*” (soy sauce)

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of Sugar, "*Miso*" (fermented soybean paste) and "*Shoyu*" (soy sauce).

5222 Liquors

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of liquors.

5223 Cured food

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of cured food.

5224 Confectionery and bakery products

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of confectionery and bakery products.

5225 Soft drinks and carbonated water, except otherwise classified

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of beverages other than liquors and milk (including canned and bottled drinks).

5226 Tea

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of tea and similar products.

5227 Milk and dairy products

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of milk and dairy products

5229 Other food and beverages

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other food and beverages.

Major group 53 – WHOLESALE TRADE (BUILDING MATERIALS, MINERALS AND METALS, ETC.)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of building materials, chemical products, minerals and metallic materials and recycled resources.

Group Number	Class Number
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530	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (53 WHOLESALE TRADE (BUILDING MATERIALS, MINERALS AND METALS, ETC.))
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5300	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of wholesale trade (building materials, minerals and metals, etc), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5308	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in wholesale trade (building materials, minerals and metals, etc).

5309	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the wholesale trade (building materials, minerals and metals, etc).

531	BUILDING MATERIALS
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5311	Lumber and bamboo
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This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of lumber and bamboo.

5312 Cement

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of cement.

5313 Sheet glass

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of sheet glass.

5314 Prefabricated metal products, except architectural metal hardware

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of prefabricated architectural metal products, except architectural metal hardware.

5319 Other building materials

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other building materials.

532 CHEMICALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS

5321 Paints

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of paints.

5322 Plastics

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of plastics.

5329 Other chemicals and related products

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other chemicals and related products.

533 PETROLEUM AND MINERALS

5331 Petroleum

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of petroleum.

- 5332 Minerals, except petroleum
- This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of coal, metal ores and non-metal minerals.
- However, establishments engaged in the wholesale of soil, sand, gravel, stone materials, and other minerals used primarily in civil engineering and construction are classified under Group 531 [5319].
- 534 IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS**
- 5341 Iron and steel crude products
- This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of Iron and steel crude products.
- 5342 Iron and steel primary products
- This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of iron and steel primary products.
- 5349 Other iron and steel products
- This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of miscellaneous iron and steel products.
- 535 NON-FERROUS METALS**
- 5351 Non-ferrous metal ingots
- This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of Non-ferrous metal ingots.
- 5352 Non-ferrous metal products
- This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of non-ferrous metal product.
- 536 RECYCLED MATERIAL**
- 5361 Empty bottles, cans and other containers
- This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the collection, sorting and wholesale of empty bottles, cans (drum canisters, 18 liter canisters, etc.), bags, boxes and other containers that can be reused as containers.
- Establishments that undertake cleaning, repair, painting and other work besides collection and sorting are also included in this class.

5362 Iron scrap

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the collection, sorting and wholesale of iron scrap.

Establishments that process iron scrap enabling it to be introduced directly into electric furnaces as a raw material for steelmaking are classified under Division E – MANUFACTURING [2292].

5363 Non-ferrous scrap

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the collection, sorting and wholesale of non-ferrous scrap.

Establishments that undertake pressing, cutting, treatment of extraneous matter, and other processes besides collection and sorting are also included in this class.

5364 Waste paper

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the collection, sorting and wholesale of waste paper as a raw material for papermaking, and other waste paper.

5369 Other recycled material

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the collection, sorting and wholesale of fiber waste, cullet (glass scrap), rubber scrap and other recyclable materials not classified elsewhere.

Scrap merchants and ancillary collection businesses are also included in this class.

Major group 54 – WHOLESALE TRADE (MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of industry machinery and equipment, automobiles and electrical machinery, equipment and supplies.

Group Number	Class Number
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540	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (54 WHOLESALE TRADE (MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT))
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5400	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of wholesale trade (machinery and equipment), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own enterprise Personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5408	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in wholesale trade (machinery and equipment).

5409	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to promote activities primarily in the wholesale trade (machinery and equipment).

541	INDUSTRY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT
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5411	Machinery and equipment for agriculture use
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This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of machinery and equipment for agricultural processes such as plowing, leveling, cultivation, crop management, harvesting, etc.

5412 Machinery and equipment for construction and mining

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of machinery and equipment for civil engineering and construction, such as dredging, excavation, road construction, drilling, etc., and machinery and equipment for mining, such as crushers, grinders and sorters.

5413 Metalworking machinery and equipment

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of metal machine tools such as lathes, drill presses, milling machines, etc., and metalworking machinery such as presses, shears, forging machinery, and casting equipment.

5414 Office machines and equipment

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of cash registers, photocopiers, and other office machines and equipment.

5419 Other industry machinery and equipment

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of miscellaneous industry machinery and equipment which are not elsewhere classified.

542 MOTOR VEHICLES

5421 Motor vehicles, including motorcycles

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of motor vehicles.

5422 Motor vehicle parts and accessories, except used parts and accessories

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of motor vehicle parts and accessories.

5423 Automotive used parts

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of automotive used parts.

However, establishments engaged in the wholesale of iron scrap are classified under Group 53 [5362].

543 ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

5431 Electrical household appliances

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of electrical household appliances.

5432 Electrical machinery, equipment and supplies, except electrical household appliances

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of electrical machinery, equipment and supplies other than electrical household appliances.

549 OTHER MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

5491 Transportation equipment, except motor vehicles

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of transportation equipment other than motor vehicles.

5492 Measuring instruments, physical and chemical instruments and optical instruments

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of measuring instruments, physical and chemical instruments and optical instruments etc.

5493 Medical instruments and apparatus, including dental instruments and apparatus

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of medical instruments and apparatus.

Major group 55 – OTHER WHOLESALE TRADE

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the purchase-and-wholesale of furniture, fixtures and house furnishings, medicines, toiletries and other goods. Also, included here are the establishments primarily engaged in agency activities in the purchase and sales of goods on behalf of other persons or other establishments, or otherwise, those engaged in intermediating as brokers for the purchase and sales of goods.

Group Number	Class Number
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550	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (55 OTHER WHOLESALE TRADE)
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5500	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of miscellaneous wholesale trade, engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, service/material procurement.

5508	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in miscellaneous wholesale trade.

5509	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the miscellaneous wholesale trade.

551	FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND HOUSE FURNISHINGS
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5511 Furniture and fixtures

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of household furniture and fixtures.

5512 “*Aramono*” (kitchenware)

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of kitchenware.

5513 “*Tatami*” mats (straw-mats)

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of *tatami* and other mats.

5514 Textiles for interior decoration

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of textiles for interior decoration and their products.

5515 Chinaware and glassware

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of chinaware and glassware.

5519 Other house furnishings

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other house furnishings.

552 MEDICINES AND TOILETRIES

5521 Medicines

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of medicines.

5522 Medical supplies

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of medical supplies.

5523 Toiletries

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of toiletries, soap, perfumes, face powder, etc.

5524 Synthetic detergent

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of synthetic detergent.

553 PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCTS

5531 Paper

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of paper.

5532 Paper products

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of paper-products.

559 OTHER PRODUCTS, N.E.C.

5591 Hardware

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of hardware.

5592 Fertilizers and feeds

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of various fertilizers and feeds.

5593 Sporting goods

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of sporting goods.

5594 Amusement goods and toys

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of Amusement goods and toys.

5595 Tobacco products

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of various tobacco products.

5596 Jewelry

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of gold and silver worked products and jewelry.

However, establishments engaged in the wholesale of precious metal tableware

are classified under Major Group 551 [5519].

5597 Books and magazines

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in wholesale of books and magazines.

5598 Agents and brokers

This class comprises establishments engaged in agency or brokerage of wholesale business in exchange for commissions or other remuneration, without having ownership of the goods that are subject to sale and purchase, and regardless of whether directly involved in managing these goods or not.

5599 Other wholesale trade, n.e.c.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale of other goods that are not classified elsewhere.

Major group 56 – RETAIL TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments engaged in the retail of a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing.

These establishments handle a wide range of products and retail them according to their respective business statuses (distinctive forms of selling), and are specifically referred to as department stores, general merchandise supermarkets, convenience stores, drugstores, home improvement stores and uniform-price stores.

Group Number	Class Number
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560	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (56 RETAIL TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE)
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5600	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of retail trade, general merchandise, engaged in the operations except the work-site operations, for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

5608	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in retail trade, general merchandise.

5609	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the retail trade, general merchandise.

561 DEPARTMENT STORES

5611 Department stores

This refers to establishments (with 50 or more employees on an ongoing basis) with the business status characterized by primarily retailing clothing, jewelry, interior goods and other high unit-price products, which are referred to as department stores, etc. and equipped with facilities and reception staff to handle a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing, and incorporate various specialty stores operated by other entities and basically exhibit different main products on separate floors.

562 GENERAL MERCHANDISE SUPERMARKETS

5621 General merchandise supermarkets

This refers to establishments (with 50 or more employees on an ongoing basis) with the business status characterized by primarily retailing daily necessities, such as clothing, foods and goods for daily life, under a self-service system on a comprehensive basis, which are referred to as general merchandise supermarkets, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing, and may incorporate various specialty stores operated by other entities.

563 CONVENIENCE STORES

5631 Convenience stores

This refers to establishments with the business status characterized by primarily retailing foods and beverages, which are referred to as convenience stores, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of daily necessities, and provide various payment services and other services.

564 DRUGSTORES

5641 Drugstores

This refers to establishments with the business status characterized by primarily handling medicines and toiletries and also retailing a variety of daily necessities including household articles and processed foods, which are referred to as drugstores, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of goods.

565 HOME IMPROVEMENT STORES

5651 Home improvement stores

This refers to establishments with the business status characterized by primarily handling housing-related goods, such as various tools, building materials, gardening supplies, storage products, and electrical machinery and appliances, and also retailing household articles, foods and beverages, which are referred to as home improvement stores, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of goods.

566 UNIFORM-PRICE STORES

5661 Uniform-price stores

This refers to establishments with the business status characterized by primarily handling household articles such as tableware and stationery and also retailing a variety of daily necessities including processed foods sold basically at uniform prices, which are referred to as uniform-price stores, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of goods.

569 OTHER RETAIL TRADE, GENERAL MERCHANDISE

5699 Other retail trade, general merchandise

This refers to establishments (with fewer than 50 employees on an ongoing basis) primarily engaged in retail of a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing that are not classified into another category.

Major group 57 – RETAIL TRADE (WOVEN FABRICS, APPAREL, APPAREL ACCESSORIES AND NOTIONS)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments engaged in the retail of dry goods, cloth, apparel, shoes, hats and caps, haberdashery, accessory and notions.

Tailors that make clothes using their own cloth to fill orders from individuals are classified in this Major group.

Group Number	Class Number
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570	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (57 RETAIL TRADE (WOVEN FABRICS, APPAREL, APPAREL ACCESSORIES AND NOTIONS))
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5700	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of retail trade (woven fabrics, apparel, apparel accessories and notions), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

5708	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in retail trade (woven fabrics, apparel, apparel accessories and notions)).

5709	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities

in the retail trade (woven fabrics, apparel, apparel accessories and notions).

571 DRY GOODS, CLOTH AND BEDDING STORES

5711 Dry goods and cloth stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of dry goods and cloth.

Retail stores selling underwear, neckties, socks, *tabi* socks, gloves, hand towels, towels, replaceable kimono neckpieces, *furoshiki* wrapping cloths, etc., are classified under Group 579 [5792, 5793].

5712 Bedding stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bedding.

572 MEN'S CLOTHING (OCCIDENTAL STYLE) STORES

5721 Men's clothing (occidental style) stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of suits, students' uniforms, overcoats and other men's clothing, regardless of whether ready-made or order-made.

However, establishments primarily engaged in repairing clothes or sewing clothes using materials provided by individuals are classified under Division N – LIVING-RELATED AND PERSONAL SERVICES AND AMUSEMENT SERVICES [7931].

573 LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING (OCCIDENTAL STYLE) STORES

5731 Ladies' clothing (occidental style) stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of ladies' clothing, regardless of whether ready-made or order-made.

Dressmakers and other establishments engaged in repairing clothes or sewing clothes using materials provided by individuals are classified under Division N – LIVING-RELATED AND PERSONAL SERVICES AND AMUSEMENT SERVICES [7931].

5732 Children's clothing (occidental style) stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of children's clothing, regardless of whether ready-made or order-made.

574 FOOTWEAR STORES

5741 Shoe stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various types of shoe (made of leather, fabric, rubber, vinyl, or any other material).

However, establishments engaged in the retail of sports shoes are classified under Major Group 60 [6071].

Establishments that both sell and repair shoes are also included in this class.

Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of secondhand shoes are classified under Major Group 60 [6098]. Establishments exclusively engaged in repairing shoes are classified under Division R – SERVICES, N.E.C. [9093].

5742 Footwear stores, except shoes

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of *geta* (wooden sandals), *zori* sandals, slippers, etc..

579 OTHER WOVEN FABRICS, APPAREL, APPAREL ACCESSORIES AND NOTIONS STORES

5791 Bags and “*fukuromono*” (small cases stores)

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bags and handbags, billfolds, name card holders, and other small cases.

5792 Underwear

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail trade of underwear.

5793 Haberdashery, apparel accessories and notions stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of haberdashery, apparel accessories and notions.

5799 Woven fabrics, apparel, apparel accessories and notions stores, n.e.c.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of umbrellas, sticks and other apparel and apparel accessories and notions that are not classified elsewhere.

Major group 58 – RETAIL TRADE (FOOD AND BEVERAGE)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of foods and beverages.

However, establishments engaged in providing cooking, eating and drinking services for guests upon receiving orders by the guests (take out and delivery services) are classified in the Division M – EATING AND DRINKING PLACES, ACCOMMODATIONS (Major group 77 – Food take out and delivery services).

Group Number	Class Number
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580	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (58 RETAIL TRADE (FOOD AND BEVERAGE))
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5800	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of retail trade (food and beverage), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

5808	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in retail trade (food and beverage).

5809	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the retail trade (food and beverage).

581 GROCERY STORES

5811 Food supermarkets

This class comprises establishments with the business status characterized by primarily retailing perishable foods (fruits and vegetables, fresh fish and meat) under a self-service system, which are referred to as food supermarkets, etc. and equipped with facilities to handle a variety of foods, and may have processing facilities in some cases.

5819 Other food retail

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of a variety of foods that are not classified into the other categories.

582 VEGETABLE AND FRUIT STORES

5821 Vegetable stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of vegetables.

5822 Fruit stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of fruit.

583 MEAT AND POULTRY STORES

5831 Meat stores, except poultry and eggs

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of meat and meat products.

Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of chicken meat are classified under Industry 5832.

5832 Poultry and egg stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of chicken meat and eggs.

584 FRESH FISH STORES

5841 Fresh fish stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various fresh fish and shellfish.

585 LIQUOR STORES

5851 Liquor stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of liquors.

586 CONFECTIONERIES AND BAKERIES

5861 Retail confectioneries (manufacturer-sellers)

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various confectionery and candy that are manufactured on the same premises.

 Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bakery products are classified under Industry 5863.

5862 Retail confectioneries (except manufacturer-sellers)

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various confectionery and candy (except manufacturer-sellers).

 Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bakery products are classified under Industry 5863 or 5864.

5863 Retail bakeries (manufacturer-sellers)

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bread, rolls, pastries and various other bakery products that are manufactured on the same premises.

5864 Retail bakeries (except manufacturer-sellers)

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bread, rolls, pastries and various other bakery products (except manufacturer-sellers).

589 OTHER FOOD AND BEVERAGE STORES

5891 Milk stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of milk.

5892 Beverage stores, except otherwise classified

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various beverages other than liquors and milk.

5893 Tea stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various

teas (green tea, black tea, etc.) and similar products (cocoa, coffee, etc.).

5894 Delicatessen stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various precooked foods (boxed meals, side dishes, etc.).

However, establishments engaged in providing food and beverages cooked (take out or delivery) in accordance with guests request are classified under Division M – ACCOMMODATIONS, EATING AND DRINKING SERVICES (Major Group 77 – Food take out and delivery services).

5895 Rice, barley and other cereals stores

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail of Rice, barley and other cereals, and beans.

5896 Processed food “*tofu*,” “*kamaboko*”, etc.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of *tofu* (soybean curd), *konnyaku* (konjak jelly), *natto* (fermented soybeans), pickles, *kamaboko* (hardened fish paste), *chikuwa* (fish paste), and other processed foods.

5897 Cured food stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of cured fishery and agricultural products.

5899 Food and beverage stores, n.e.c.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of food and beverages that are not classified elsewhere.

Major group 59 – RETAIL TRADE (MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT)

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of motor vehicles, bicycles, electrical machinery, equipment and supplies (including used ones) and their parts and accessories.

Establishments engaged in both the retail and repair of motor vehicles, bicycles and electrical machinery, equipment and supplies, are classified in this Major group.

Establishments exclusively engaged in maintenance and repair are classified in the Division R – SERVICES, N.E.C. [891, 901 to 909].

Group Number	Class Number
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590	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (59 RETAIL TRADE (MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT))
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5900	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of retail trade (machinery and equipment), engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

5908	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in retail trade (machinery and equipment).

5909	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other

establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the retail trade (machinery and equipment).

591 MOTOR VEHICLES

5911 New motor vehicle stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of motor vehicles (new).

5912 Used motor vehicle stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of used motor vehicles.

5913 Motor vehicle parts and accessories stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of motor vehicle parts and accessories.

5914 Motorcycle stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of motorcycles (including motorized bicycles) as well as their parts and accessories.

592 BICYCLES

5921 Bicycle stores

 This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of bicycles as well as their parts and accessories.

**593 MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT STORES, EXCEPT MOTORCYCLES
AND BICYCLES**

5931 Electrical appliance stores, except secondhand goods

 This refers to establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various electrical appliance for households including the parts, such as television receiver, radio receiver, electric refrigerator, electric range, electric iron, and electric bulb.

5932 Office machinery of electric appliance stores, except secondhand goods

 This refers to establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various electric office equipment implement and parts /accessories such as time clock, personal computer, and printer.

5933 Secondhand electrical products

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail trade of various secondhand electric appliances including used television receiver, used electric refrigerator, used electric washer and used personal computer.

5939 Other machinery and equipment stores

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in the retail of miscellaneous machinery and equipment.

Major group 60 – OTHER RETAIL TRADE

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of goods that are not classified under any other categories, including furniture, house furnishings, medicines, toiletries, farming and gardening supplies, fuel, books, stationery, watches and clocks, musical instruments, tobacco, secondhand goods, and other items.

Group Number	Class Number
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600	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (60 OTHER RETAIL TRADE)
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6000	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of miscellaneous retail trade, engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

6008	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in miscellaneous retail trade).

6009	Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
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This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the miscellaneous retail trade.

601	FURNITURE, FIXTURE AND “TATAMI” MAT (STRAW-MAT) STORES
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6011	Furniture stores
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This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various household furniture.

6012 Fixture stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of *fusuma* screens, *shoji* partitions, and other fixtures.

6013 “*Tatami*” mat (straw-mat) stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of *tatami* mats, *goza* reed matting, and patterned matting.

Establishments that combine manufacturing-retail of complete *tatami* mats with *tatami* re-covering and repair are also included in this class.

However, establishments solely engaged in *tatami* re-covering and repair are classified under Division R – SERVICES, N.E.C. [9099].

6014 Furniture for religious purposes stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various furniture for religious purposes.

602 HOUSEHOLD UTENSIL STORES

6021 Hardware stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of household and other types of hardware, etc.

This class also includes establishments engaged in the manufacture and retail of buckets, kettles, and other sheet metal products.

Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of agricultural machinery and appliances are classified under Major Group 604 [6041].

6022 “*Aramono*” (kitchenware) stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of brooms, bamboo strainers, daily requisites (principally kitchenware), candles, etc., or combinations of these.

6023 Chinaware and glassware stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various chinaware and glassware.

6029 Household utensil stores, n.e.c.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of household utensils that are not classified elsewhere.

603 MEDICINE AND TOILETRY STORES

6031 Retail sale of medicine (excluding pharmacies)

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of prescription drugs and nonprescription drugs.

6032 Pharmacies

This class comprises establishments where pharmacists mainly provide dispensing services for the purpose of sale or conferment, as well as information necessary for the proper use of drugs and medicines as well as guidance based on pharmacological knowledge, and that concurrently engage in the sale of drugs (excluding dispensing facilities in hospitals, clinics or breeding animal care facilities).

6033 Toiletry stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of toiletries.

604 FARMING SUPPLY STORES

6041 Agricultural machinery and equipment stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of agricultural machinery and equipment.

6042 Seedling and seed stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of seedlings and seeds.

Establishments that cultivate and sell seedlings and seeds are classified under Division A – AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY [01, 02].

6043 Fertilizer and feed stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of fertilizers, agricultural chemicals and feed.

605 FUEL STORES

6051 Gasoline stations

This class comprises establishments that are equipped with metered gasoline pumps and are primarily engaged in the retail of fuel gasoline, light oil and liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) for motor vehicles and others.

6052 Fuel stores, except gasoline stations

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of kerosene, propane gas, non-petroleum fuels and other fuels.

606 BOOK AND STATIONERY STORES

6061 Book stores, except secondhand bookstores

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in the retail of books and magazines.

The establishments primarily engaged in the rent of books and magazines are classified in Division K-REAL ESTATE AND GOODS RENTAL [7099].

6062 Secondhand bookstores

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail trade of the secondhand books such as used book and used magazine.

6063 Newspaper stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of newspapers.

6064 Paper and stationery stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of paper, paper products and stationery.

607 SPORTING GOODS, TOY, AMUSEMENT GOODS AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENT STORES

6071 Sporting goods stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various sporting goods.

Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of toys are classified under Industry 6072.

- 6072 Toy and amusement goods stores
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of toys and amusement goods.
- 6073 Musical instrument stores
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of various musical instrument and records.
- 608 CAMERA, WATCH AND SPECTACLES STORES**
- 6081 Camera and photographic supply stores
This refers to establishments primarily engaged in the retail of camera and photographic materials.
The establishments primarily engaged in the digital camera picture data printing, the film developing, printing, enlargement, and transfer are classified in Division N-LIVING-RELATED AND PERSONAL SERVICES AND AMUSEMENT SERVICES [7993].
- 6082 Watch, spectacles and optical instruments stores
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of watches, spectacles, optical instruments and their accessories.
Establishments solely engaged in repairing watches, spectacles, optical instruments and their accessories are classified under Division R – SERVICES, N.E.C. [90].
- 609 STORES, N.E.C.**
- 6091 Tobacco and smoking article specialty stores
This class comprises establishments solely engaged in the retail of tobacco and smoking articles.
Establishments that combine the retail of tobacco and smoking articles with the retail of other goods are classified under those other goods.
- 6092 Flowers and other florists stores
This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of flowers and shrubs.
Establishments primarily engaged in the retail of artificial flowers are classified

under Industry 6099.

6093 Building materials stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of timber, cement, sheet glass, and other building materials.

6094 Jewelry stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of gold or silver worked products and jewelry.

However, establishments engaged in the retail of precious metal tableware are classified under Group 602 [6029].

6095 Pet stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of dogs, cats, birds, tropical fish and other pets as well as pet foods and other pet requisites.

6096 Antique stores

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of antiques.

6097 Secondhand stores, except antique

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of secondhand clothing, furniture, musical instruments, sporting goods, shoes, and other secondhand goods that are not classified elsewhere.

6099 Other retail trade, n.e.c.

This class comprises establishments primarily engaged in the retail of other goods that are not classified elsewhere.

This class includes establishments engaged in agency or brokerage of retail business (including individuals) in exchange for commissions or other remuneration, without having ownership of the goods that are subject to sale and purchase, and regardless of whether directly involved in managing these goods or not.

Note that those that primarily provide a platform for intermediaries through the Internet are not included in this class.

Major group 61 – NONSTORE RETAILERS

Overview of the Major group

This major group comprises the establishments which have no store, and advertise the merchandise on catalogue, newspaper, magazine, television, radio or Internet, and by use of means of communication receive orders from individuals and sells the merchandise, the establishments which sell or contract to sell their merchandise door-to door to the individuals, and the establishments which sells commodity through vending machine, and the other nonstore retailer establishments.

If, however, the retail establishments which have their store(s) also engage in mail-order business through internet or the like or vending machine business, or the street stall sales or moving stall sales, these establishments are classified in the Major group 56-60 according to the type of their merchandise.

If the establishments engaged in the manufacture of the products retail by mail-order without having their store, they are classified in the Division E- Manufacture.

Group Number	Class Number
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610	ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN ADMINISTRATIVE OR ANCILLARY ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (61 NONSTORE RETAILERS)
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6100	Head offices primarily engaged in managerial operations
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This refers to the establishments, as the head offices primarily engaged in controlling establishments of nonstore retailers, engaged in the operations except the work-site operations for managing and controlling operations across the whole organization to promote the management of the own company, personnel affairs/personnel training, general affairs, financial affairs/accounting, legal affairs, intellectual property management, planning, public information/advertising, investigation/research and development, production/project management, real estate management, information system management, management of equipments and materials, buying/raw materials purchase, service/material procurement.

6108	Warehouses exclusively used for domestic use
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This refers to establishments engaged in storing commodities of its own enterprise, in nonstore retailers.

- 6109 Other establishments engaged in administrative or ancillary economic activities
- This refers to the establishments engaged in support operations of transportation, cleaning, repair/maintenance, preservation, to other establishments belonging to the same enterprise to primarily promote activities in the nonstore retailers.

611 MAIL-ORDER HOUSES AND DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES

- 6111 Nonstore retailers (general merchandise)

This Industry group comprises establishments engaged in the retail of a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing, as nonstore retailers, and it is difficult by their nature to determine the primary merchandise for sale of the establishments.

However, the establishments engaged in retails of a variety of goods for clothing, foods and housing at store are classified in Major Group 56[561 or 569], and the nonstore establishments engaged in the retail of the merchandize which does not cover a wide range over clothing, foods and housing are classified in Industry 6112-6119.

- 6112 Nonstore retailers (woven fabrics, apparel, apparel accessories and notions)

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail of woven fabrics, clothes, apparel, shoes, hat, clothing miscellaneous goods, fancy goods as nonstore retailer.

However, the establishments engaged in the retail at store are classified in Major Group 57.

- 6113 Nonstore retailers (food and beverages)

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail of food and beverage as nonstore retailer.

However, the establishments engaged in the retail at store are classified in Major Group 58.

- 6114 Nonstore retailers (machinery and equipment)

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail of car (including used goods), bicycle (including used goods) and households machinery and equipment and their parts, accessories, as nonstore retailers.

However, the establishments engaged in the retail at store are classified in

Major Group 59.

6119 Nonstore retailers (miscellaneous goods)

This refers to establishments primarily engaged in retail of furniture, utensil, toiletries, book, stationery, clock, musical instrument, sporting goods and other commodities which are not elsewhere classified, as nonstore retailers.

However, the establishments engaged in the retail at store are classified in Major Group 60.

612 VENDING MACHINE SALES

6121 VENDING MACHINE SALES

This refers to establishments which have no store, engaged in retail of clothing, food and beverage, and toy etc. by vending machine.

However, automatic merchandising by retail store having the store, including the sales at store, are classified in Major Group 56-60 depending on the commodities dealt with.

619 OTHER NONSTORE RETAILERS

6199 OTHER NONSTORE RETAILERS

This refers to miscellaneous nonstore retailers which are not elsewhere classified.

This class includes establishments engaged in agency or brokerage of retail business without store (including individuals) in exchange for commissions or other remuneration, without having ownership of the goods that are subject to sale and purchase, and regardless of whether directly involved in managing these goods or not.

Note that those that primarily provide a platform for intermediaries through the Internet are not included in this class.