

**Table 17.12-- WHOLESALE TRADE, FOR HAWAII COUNTY  
AND SPECIFIED PLACES: 1997**

Subject	Hawaii County	Hilo	Kailua-Kona
<b>Wholesale trade</b>			
No. of establishments	179	87	34
Sales (\$1,000)	457,317	314,200	60,574
Annual payroll (\$1,000)	35,888	21,967	5,719
Paid employees (number) <u>1/</u>	1,362	811	174
<b>Merchant wholesalers</b>			
No. of establishments	156	75	32
Sales (\$1,000)	367,182	240,104	D
Annual payroll (\$1,000)	32,827	19,792	D
Paid employees (number) <u>1/</u>	1,263	751	D
<b>Manufacturers' sales branches &amp; sales offices</b>			
No. of establishments	15	11	2
<b>Agents, brokers, &amp; commission merchants</b>			
No. of establishments	8	1	-

1/ For pay period including March 12.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1997 Economic Census: Wholesale Trade, Hawaii (Geographic area series), EC97W42A-HI (January 2000), pp.37-38.