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Partial list of establishments whose sales or service may be recognized as retail:

Antique shops
Automobile dealers'
Automobile repair shops
Barber shops
Beauty shops
Bicycle shops
Billiard parlors
Book stores
Bowling alleys
Butcher shops
Cafeterias
Cemeteries
China and glassware stores
Cigar stores
Clothing stores
Confectionery stores
Delicatessens
Department stores
Drapery stores
Dress-suit rental

Drug stores
Dry goods stores
Farm implement dealers
Filling stations
Floor covering stores
Florists
Funeral homes
Furniture stores
Gift, novelty and souvenir shops
Grocery stores
Hardware stores
Hotels
Household appliance stores
Household furniture storage and moving
Infants' wear shops
Jewelry stores
Luggage stores
Lumber yards
Musical instrument stores and repair shops
Newsstands
Paint stores
Public parking lots
Photographic supply and camera shops
Public garages
Reducing establishments
Restaurants
Shoe repair shops
Sporting goods stores
Stationery stores
Taxidermists
Theatres
Variety shops
Watch, clock and jewelry repair

There are types of establishments in industries where it is not readily apparent whether a retail concept exists and whether or not the exemption can apply. It, therefore, is not possible to give a complete list of the types of establishments that have no retail concept. It is possible, however, to give a partial list of establishments to which the retail concept does not apply.

Partial list of establishments lacking retail sales or service concept:
Accounting firms.
Adjustment and credit bureaus and collection agencies.
Advertising agencies including billboard advertising.
Air-conditioning and heating systems contractors.
Aircraft and aeronautical equipment

Airplane crop dusting, spraying and seeding firms.
Airports, airport servicing firms and fixed base operators.
Ambulance service companies.
Apartment houses.
Armored car companies.
Art; commercial art firms.
Auction houses
Auto-wreckers' and junk dealers' (these typically sell for resale.)
Automatic vending machinery;
Banks (both commercial and savings).
Barber and beauty parlor equipment;
Blacksmiths; industrial.
Blue printing and photostating.
Booking agencies for actors and concert artists.
Bottling and bottling equipment and canning machinery
Broadcasting companies.
Brokers, custom house; freight brokers; insurance brokers, stock or commodity brokers.
Building and loan associations.
Building contractors.
Burglar alarms; furnishing, installing and repairing for commercial establishments.
Burial associations.
Butchers' equipment.
Chambers of Commerce.
Chemical equipment.
Clubs and fraternal organizations with a select or restricted membership.
Common and contract carriers; providing services, fuel, equipment, or other goods or facilities for the operation of such carriers.
Common carrier stations and terminals.
Construction contractors.
Contract Post Offices.
Credit companies, including small loan and personal loan companies.
Credit rating agencies.
Dentists' offices.
Dentists supply and equipment.
Detective agencies.
Doctors' offices.
Dry cleaners.
Drydock companies.
Drydock.
Dye houses, commercial.
Duplicating, addressing, mailing, mail listings, and letter stuffing.
Educational institutions.
Electric and gas utilities.
Electric signs; making, installing and servicing.
Elevators; repairing.
Employment Agencies.

Engineering firms.

Filling station equipment.
Finance companies.
Flying schools.
Gambling establishments.
Geological surveys.
Heating and air conditioning systems contractors.
Hospital equipment, e.g., surgical instruments, x-ray machines.
Insurance; mutual, stock, including insurance brokers, agents, and claims adjustment offices.
Income tax return preparers.
Investment counseling firms.
Jewelers' equipment.
Job efficiency checking and rating.
Labor unions.
Laboratory equipment.
Landscaping contractors.
Laundries.
Laundry equipment.
Lawyers' offices.
Legal firms engaged in compiling and distributing information regarding legal developments.
License and legal document service firms.
Loan offices (see credit companies).
Loft buildings or office buildings; renting and maintenance of.
Machinery and equipment, including tools--selling or servicing of construction, mining, manufacturing and industrial machinery, equipment and tools.
Medical and dental clinics.
Medical and dental laboratories.
Medical and dental laboratory supplies.
Messenger; firms engaged in furnishing commercial messenger service.
Newspaper and magazine publishers.
Oil well drilling; companies engaged in contract oil well drilling.
Oil well surveying firms.
Packing companies engaged in slaughtering livestock.
Painting contractors.
Pharmacists' supplies.
Photography, commercial.
Plumbers' equipment.
Plumbing contractors.
Press clipping bureaus.
Printers' and lithographers' supplies.
Printing and binding establishments.
Protection and shopping services for industry; supplying services.
Radio and television broadcasting stations and studios.

Ready-mix concrete suppliers.
Real estate companies.
Roofing contractors.
Schools (all excluded) .
School supply distributors.
Security dealers.
Sheet metal contractors.
Ship equipment, commercial.
Shopping analysts services.
Siding and insulation contractors.
Sign-painting shops.
Special trade contractors (construction industry).
Stamp and coupon redemption stores.
Statistical reporting, business and financial data; furnishing.
Store equipment.
Tax services.
Telegraph and cable companies.
Telephone companies.
Telephone answer service.
Title and abstract companies.
Toll bridge companies.
Trade associations.
Transportation equipment, commercial.
Transportation companies.
Travel agencies.
Tree removal firms.
Truck stop establishments.
Trust companies.
Undertakers' supplies.
Warehouse companies; commercial or industrial.
Warehouses equipment and supplies.
Waste removal contractors.
Watchmen, guards and detectives for industries.
Water supply companies.
Water well drilling contractors.
Window displays.
Wrecking contractors.