



# STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE REVENUE COLLECTION REPORT

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## SALES AND USE TAX

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Sales and Use Tax collections were above the estimate in August by \$53.6m (2.6%) and over the 2014 August collections by \$176.9m (9.2%). The estimates are based on the August 14, 2015 Revenue Estimating Conference (REC) (page 3).

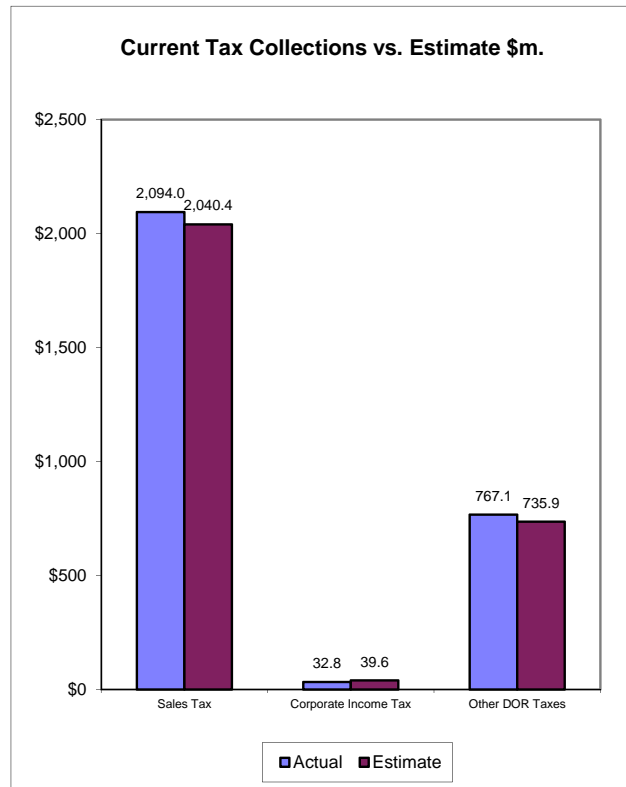
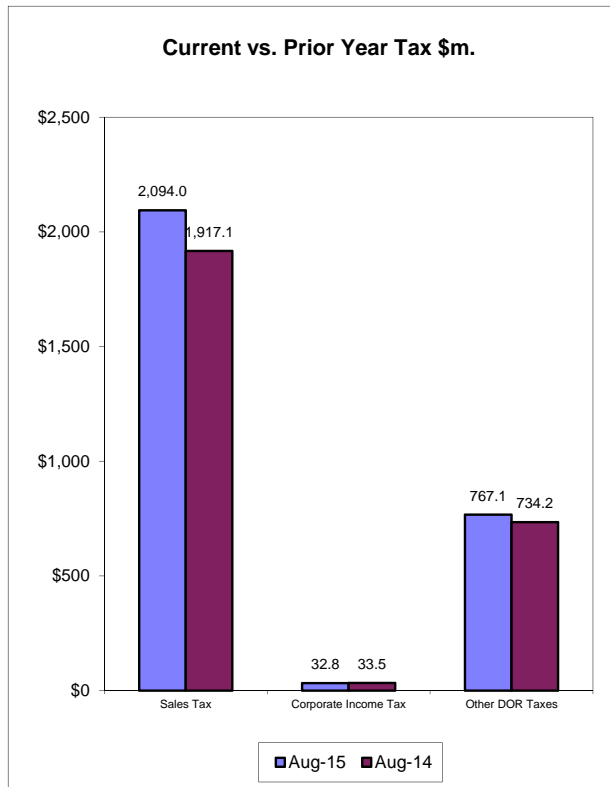
## CORPORATE INCOME TAX

CIT collections of \$32.8m in August were below the estimates by \$6.8m (17.2%) and below the 2014 August collections by \$0.7m (2.2%). The estimates are based on the August 14, 2015 REC conference (page 4).

## DOCUMENTARY STAMP TAX

Documentary Stamp Tax collections were above the estimate by \$9.4m (5.3%) in August and above the 2014 August collections by \$20.3m (12.2%). The estimates are based on the August 14, 2015 REC conference (page 5).

### August Tax Collections - Summary Data



**Department of Revenue**  
**Total DOR Revenue Collections**  
**August-15**  
(\$m)

General Revenue Sources (*)	Actual Deposits	Estimated Deposits	Amount over/(under) Estimate (1)	Percent over/(under) Estimate	Year-to-Date over/(under) Estimate
1. Sales and Use Tax	2,093.96	2,040.41	53.55	2.62%	69.52
2. Communications Services Tax	154.38	149.66	4.72	3.16%	-0.57
3. Corp Income and Excise Tax	32.78	39.60	-6.82	-17.22%	-6.82
4. Documentary Stamp	186.83	177.40	9.43	5.31%	9.14
5. Insurance Premium	0.37	0.80	-0.43	-53.32%	-0.42
6. Recurring Intangible	0.01	0.00	0.01	--	0.01
7. Non-Recurring Intangible	26.25	25.30	0.95	3.74%	0.95
8. Estate Tax	0.11	0.00	0.11	--	0.12
9. Severance-Oil & Gas	0.21	0.40	-0.19	-48.64%	-0.19
10. Severance-Solid Mineral	0.00	0.00	0.00	--	0.01
11. Audit Clearing Account	7.10	7.50	-0.40	-5.36%	0.10
12. Warrant Clearing Account	0.00	0.00	0.00	--	-0.03
13. GR Sources - Refunds	-20.25	-18.50	-1.75	-9.45%	-1.75
<b>Subtotal: General Revenue Sources (*)</b>	<b>2,481.74</b>	<b>2,422.57</b>	<b>59.18</b>	<b>2.44%</b>	<b>70.06</b>

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**Other Tax Sources**

14. Governmental Leasehold	0.03	0.01	0.03	296.18%	0.03
15. Fuel-related Taxes & Fees	316.57	302.70	13.87	4.58%	34.60
16. 2.5% Gross Receipt Utility	60.20	59.78	0.42	0.70%	1.15
17. Solid Waste Return Taxes	18.06	17.65	0.41	2.35%	0.41
19. Warranty Fee (Lemon Law)	0.22	0.17	0.04	24.35%	0.04
20. Prepaid Wireless E-911	1.70	--	1.70	--	0.00
21. Miscellaneous	2.15	2.06	0.09	4.29%	0.09
22. Other Sources - Refunds	-3.43	-3.40	-0.03	-0.96%	-0.03
<b>Subtotal: Other Tax Sources</b>	<b>395.50</b>	<b>378.97</b>	<b>16.53</b>	<b>4.36%</b>	<b>36.28</b>

**Additional Deposits**

23. Clerk of Court - DOR Trust Fund	38.22
24. Unemployment Compensation	15.25
25. DOR Deposits for Other Agencies	404.35
26. DOR Child Support Payment Deposits	1.02
<b>Subtotal: Additional Deposits</b>	<b>458.84</b>

**GRAND TOTAL - ALL DOR DEPOSITS**

<b>NET DEPOSITS</b>	<b>3,336.08</b>
Refunds included in above	23.68
<b>GROSS DEPOSITS</b>	<b>3,359.76</b>

**Notes:**

- (\*) Represents all DOR administered taxes that are wholly or partially earmarked for the General Revenue fund excluding service charges.
- (1) Estimates are August 14 2015 REC figures adjusted to exclude net receipts from prior period tax and for legislature changes.
- (2) All lines include applicable local option taxes administered by DOR.
- (3) This data represents bank deposits by DOR for the month indicated.
- Deposit totals do not necessarily match totals in the Comptroller's official accounting records due to lags and adjustments in the accounting process.

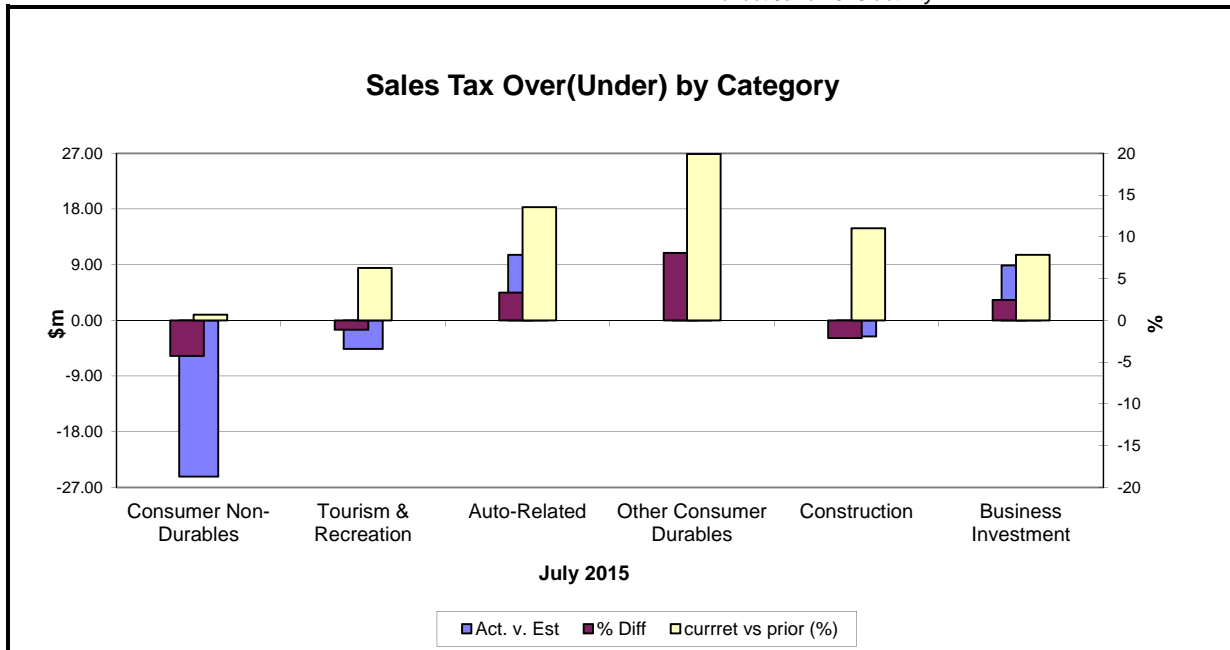
**SALES TAX ...**

... COLLECTIONS IN August 2015 of \$2,094.0m were \$53.6m (2.6%) above the estimates. The August Sales and Use Tax collections were \$176.9m (9.2%) above the August 2014 Sales and Use Tax collections (see Graph on page 1). The estimates are based on the August 14, 2015 REC conference.

**Analysis of July collections by category...**

Three categories were above the estimates in July 2015, Other Consumer Durables being the strongest (8.1%) followed by Auto-Related (3.4%) and Business Investment (2.4%). Three categories were below the estimates, Consumer Non-Durables being the weakest (4.2%) followed by Construction (2.1%) and Tourism (1.1%). Compared to July 2014, all six categories were above the same month collections last year, Other Consumer Durables being the strongest (19.9%).

*Note: July 2015 sales tax collections by categories reflect June 2015 activity.*



Note: Because sales tax by category is not immediately available this chart applies to the previous month's collection

Jul-15	Actual (\$m)	Estimate (\$m)	Diff	% Diff	% Diff vs prior Year
<b>Consumer Non-Durables</b>	570.9	596.1	(25.2)	(4.2)	0.7
<b>Tourism &amp; Recreation</b>	419.7	424.3	(4.6)	(1.1)	6.3
<b>Auto-Related</b>	327.0	316.4	10.6	3.4	13.6
<b>Other Consumer Durables</b>	132.8	122.8	10.0	8.1	19.9
<b>Construction</b>	120.6	123.2	(2.6)	(2.1)	11.1
<b>Business Investment</b>	372.0	363.1	8.9	2.4	7.9
<b>Total Final Liability</b>	1,943.0	1,945.9	(2.9)	(0.2)	7.1
<b>Net Estimated Payments</b>	(5.6)	(5.0)	(0.6)	12.0	
<b>STATE SALES TAX</b>	<b>1,937.4</b>	<b>1,940.9</b>	<b>(3.5)</b>	<b>(0.2)</b>	<b>6.5</b>
<b>Local Option Taxes</b>	161.8	169.7	(7.9)	(4.7)	1.0
<b>2.5% Gross Receipt Utility Tax</b>	11.4	13.5	(2.1)	(15.8)	
<b>TOTAL SALES TAX</b>	<b>2,134.8</b>	<b>2,110.6</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>7.9</b>

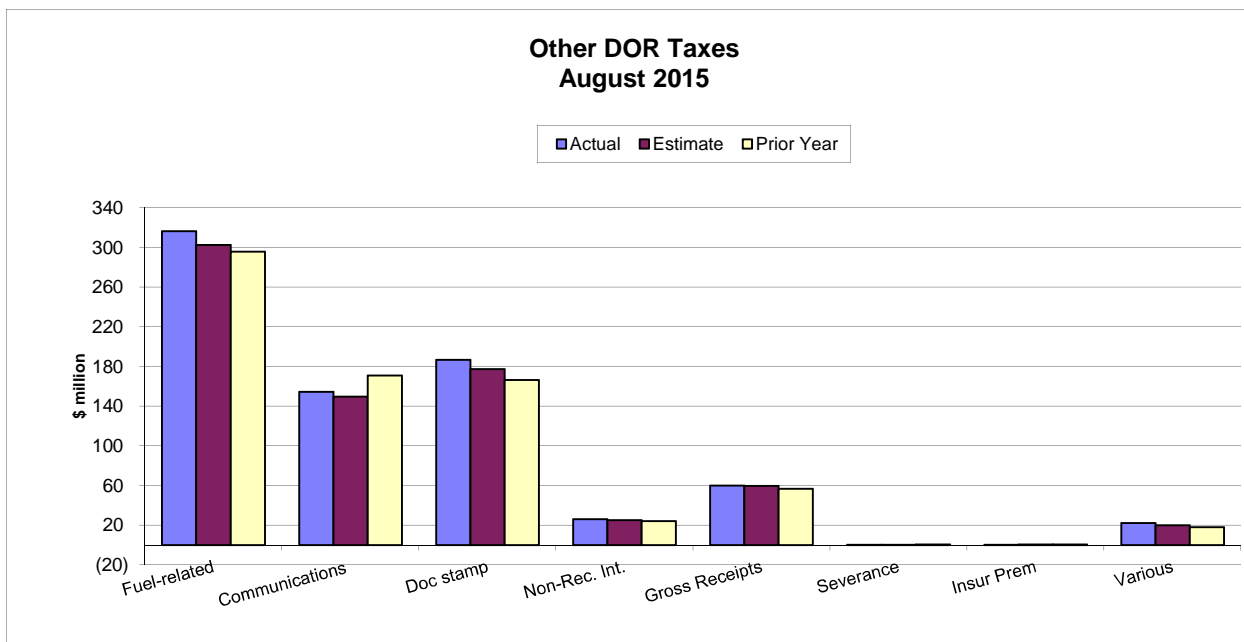
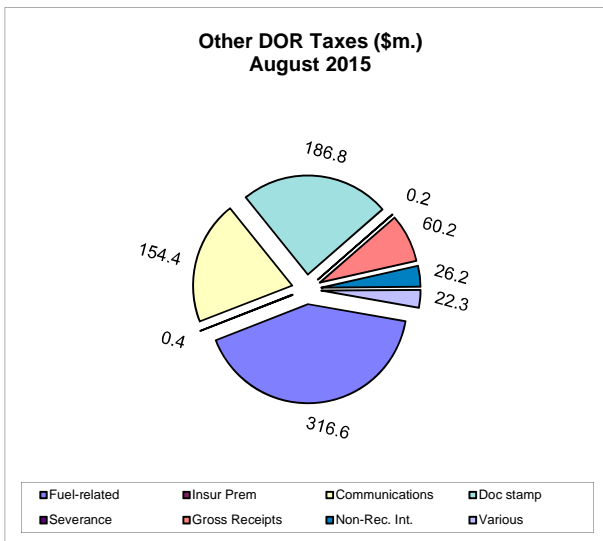
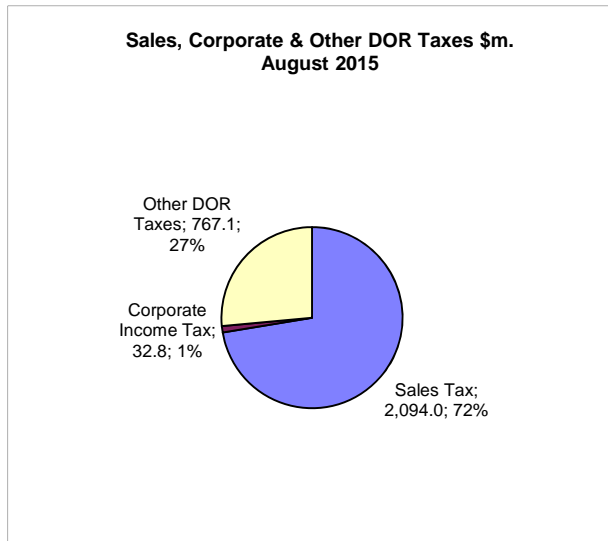
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## OTHER DOR TAXES...

...excluding Sales Tax and Corporate Income Tax contributed \$767.1m to DOR tax collections in August 2015, which were \$31.2m (4.2%) above the estimates. The August collections were \$32.9m (4.5%) above the same month previous year's collections. Doc Stamps collections were \$9.4m (5.3%) above the estimates. The Doc Stamps collections in August were \$20.3m (12.2%) above the August 2014 collections. The non-recurring Intangible Tax in August was above the estimate by \$0.9m (3.7%). Compared to the August 2014's collections, the non-recurring Intangible Tax was 7.7% above.

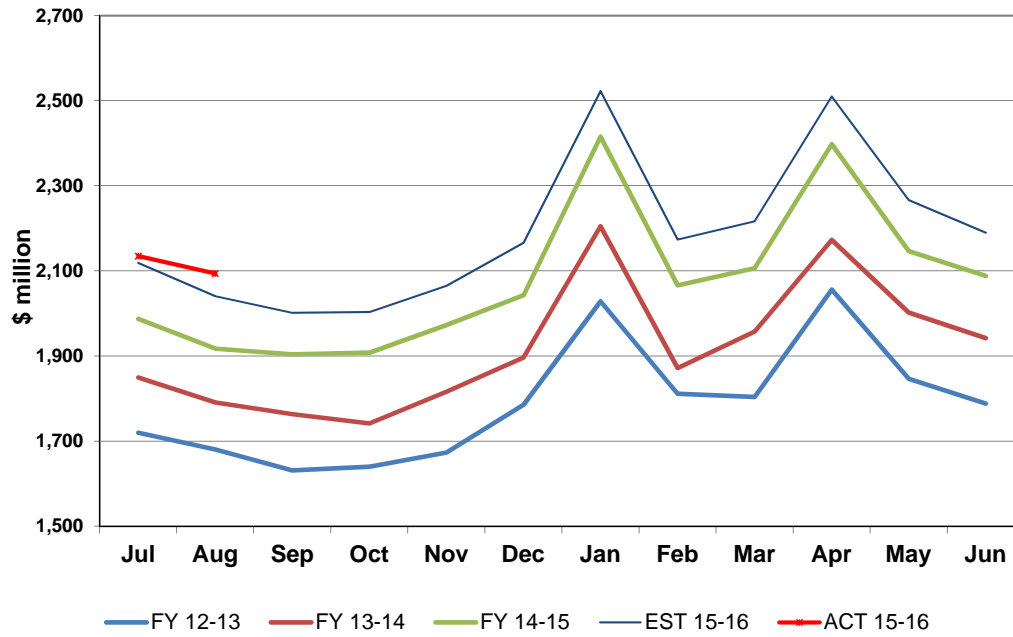
The August collections on Fuel Related Taxes were \$13.9m (4.6%) above the estimates. Compared to August 2014 collections on Fuel Related Taxes, the August 2015 collections were \$20.8m (7.0%) above. The Communications Services Tax collections were \$4.7m (3.2%) above the estimates. The 2.5% Gross Receipt Utility Tax collections in August 2015 were \$0.4m (0.7%) above the estimates, and were 6.0% above the same month's collection in the prior year. Insurance Premium Tax collections were \$0.4m below the estimates in August 2015.



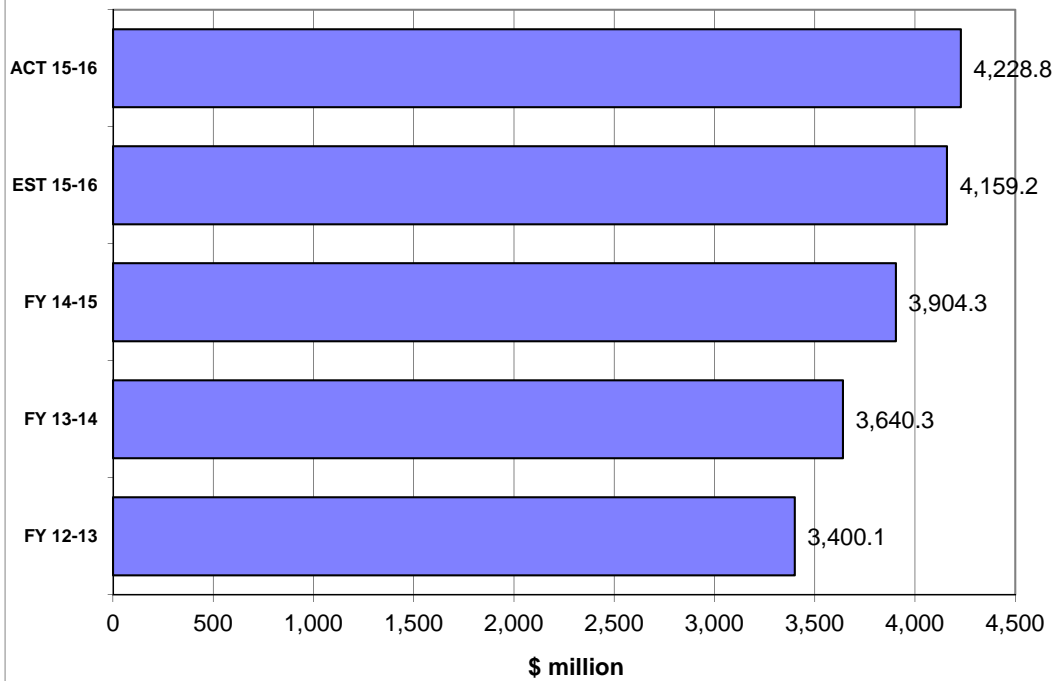
## HISTORICAL COMPARISON GRAPHS

*Pages 7-16 contain graphs for individual tax sources comparing the current fiscal year's actual and projected collections and collections for the three most recent fiscal years. The upper panel on each page presents monthly collections. The lower panel compares actual and expected collections on a fiscal year basis. In the lower panel, the bars prefaced by 'ACT' depict actual collections through the current month of each respective year. The bar prefaced by 'EST' shows that cumulation of the current year's DOR estimate through the current month. DOR's estimates are derived from estimates produced by the REC in **August 2015**. These estimates are adjusted to make them compatible with DOR's cash collection figures.*

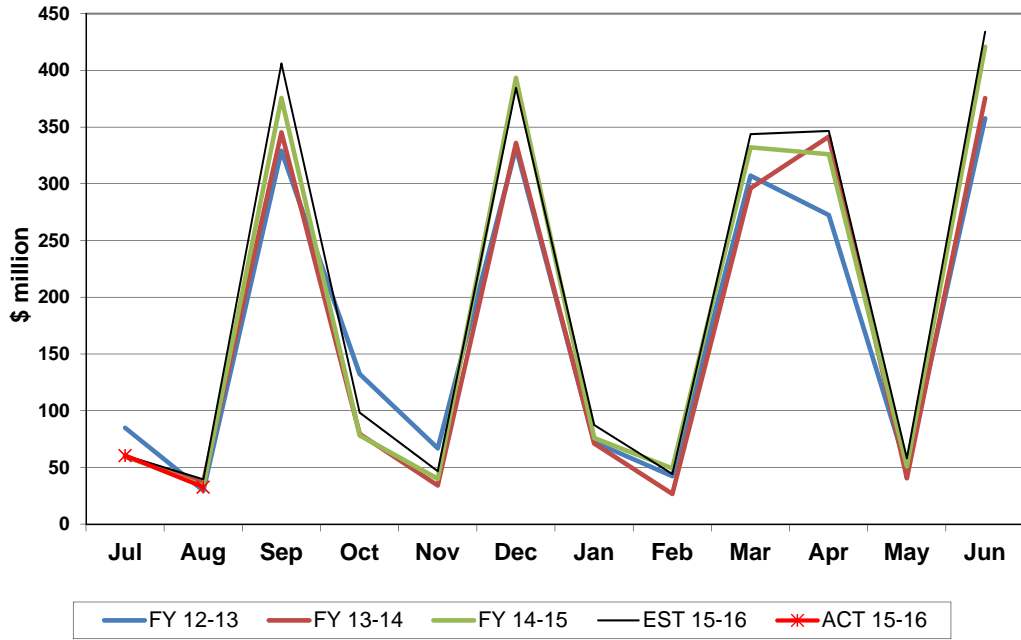
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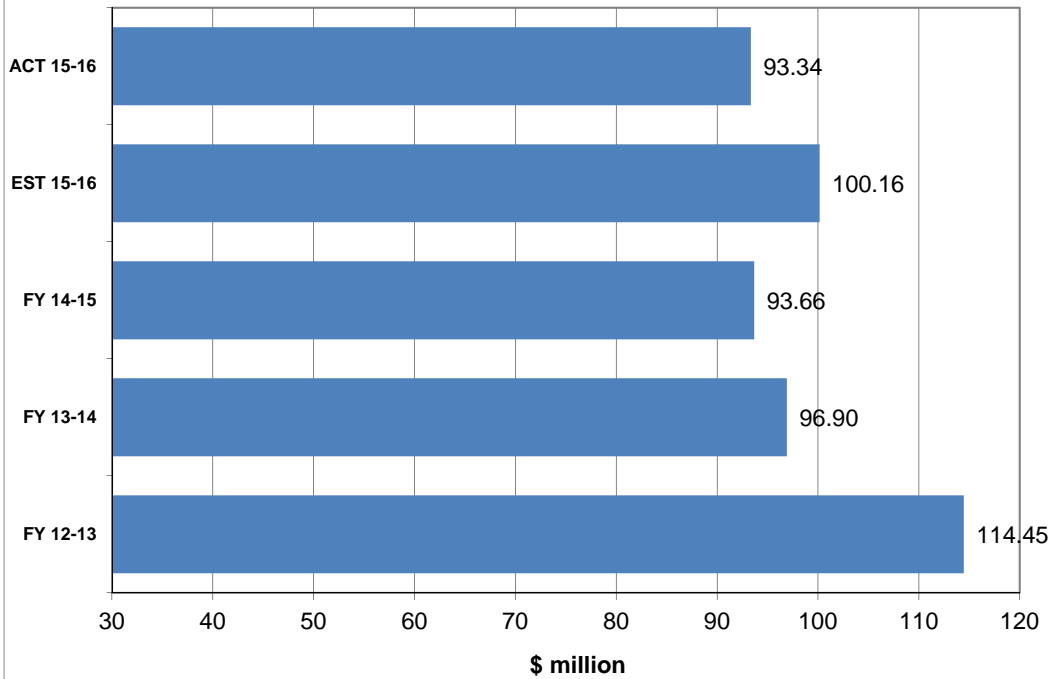
### Sales & Use Tax Receipts Fiscal Years through August



### Corporate Tax Collections Monthly Receipts

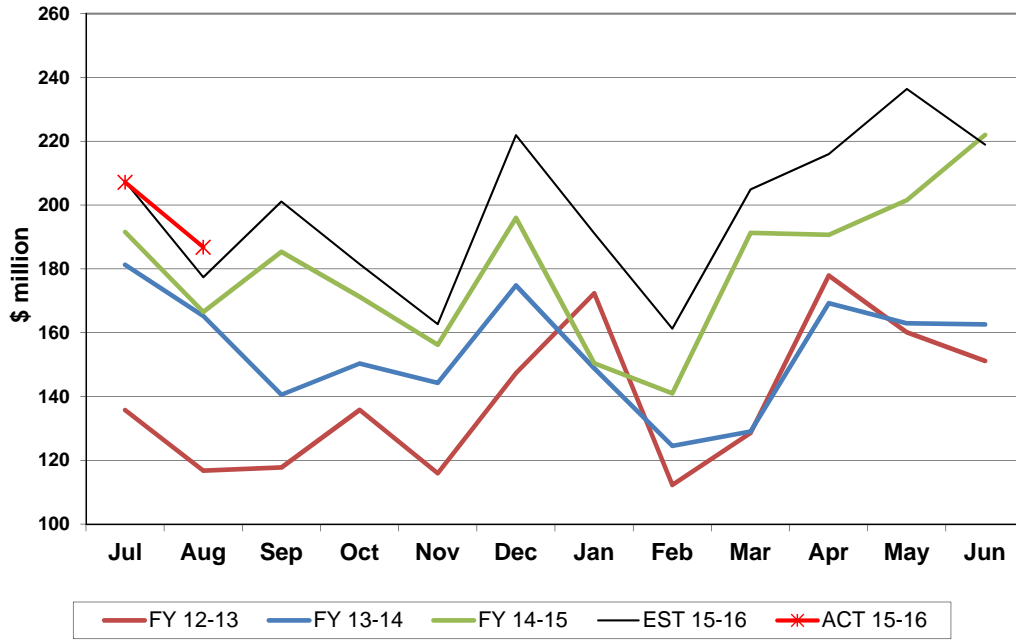


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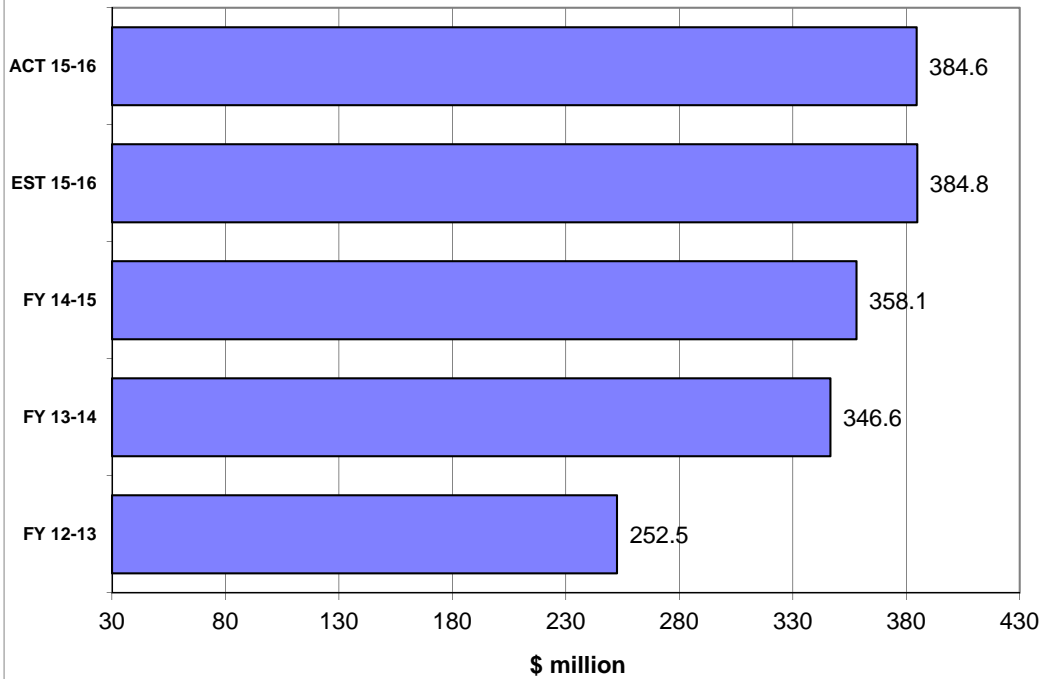




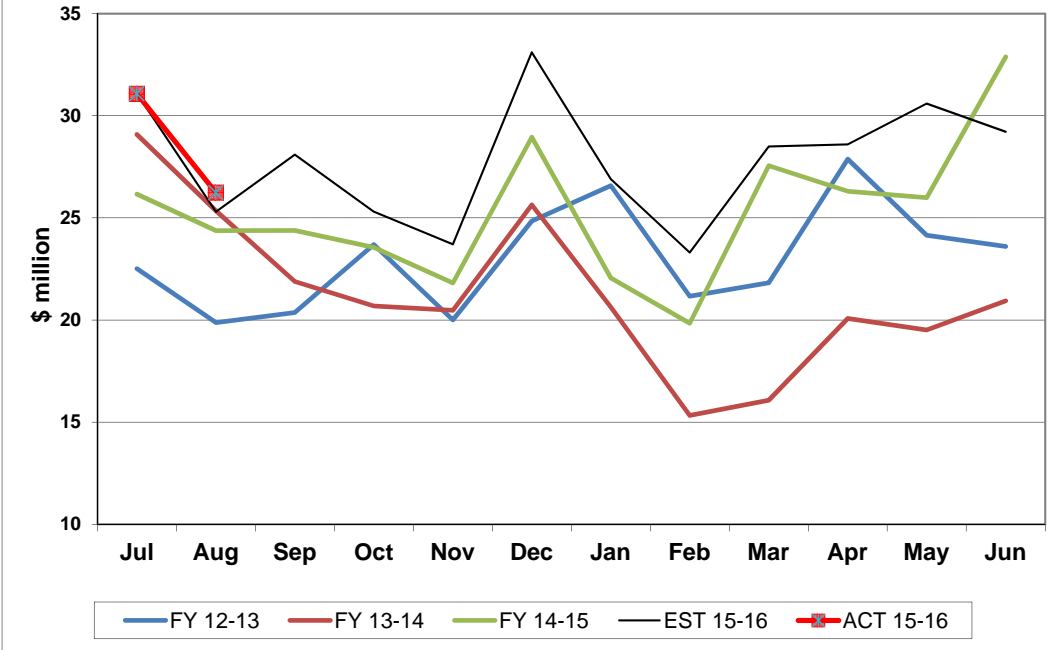
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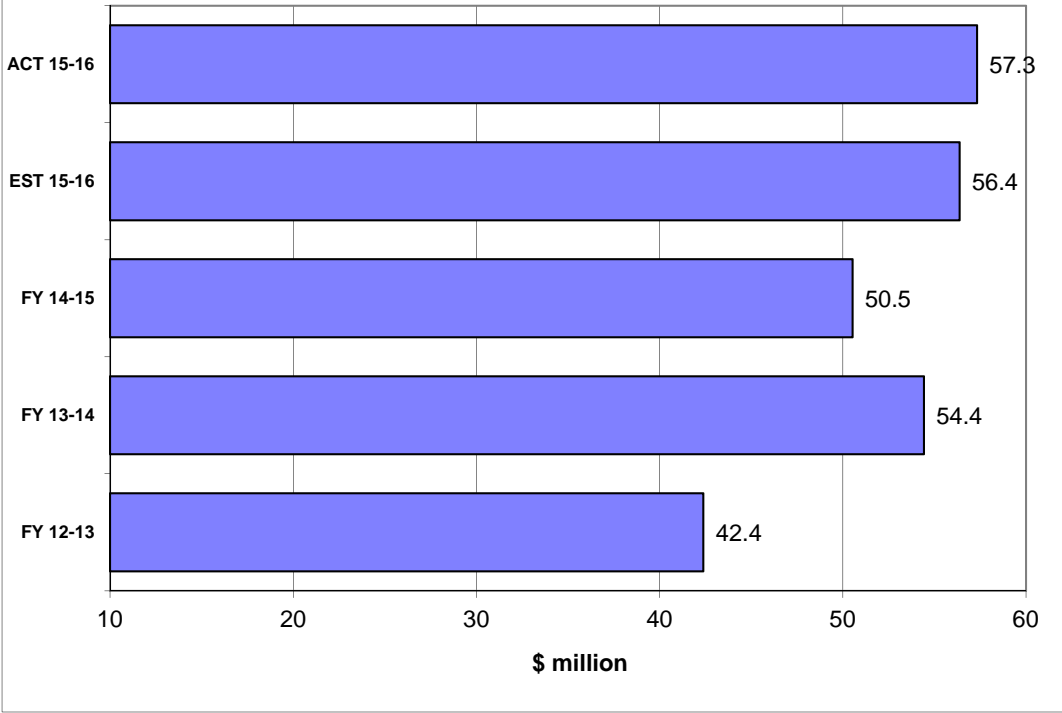
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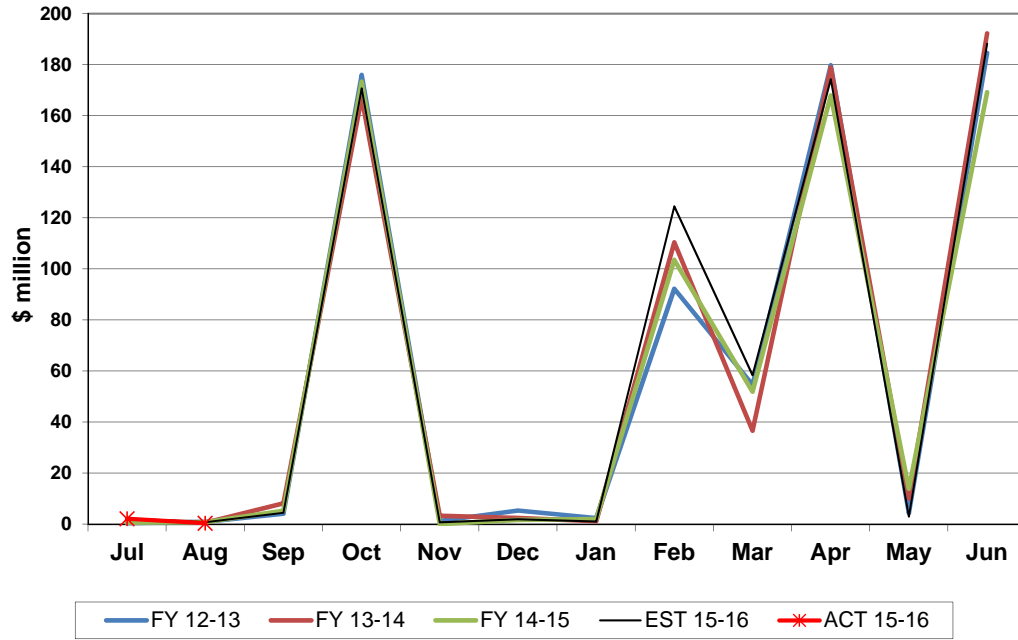
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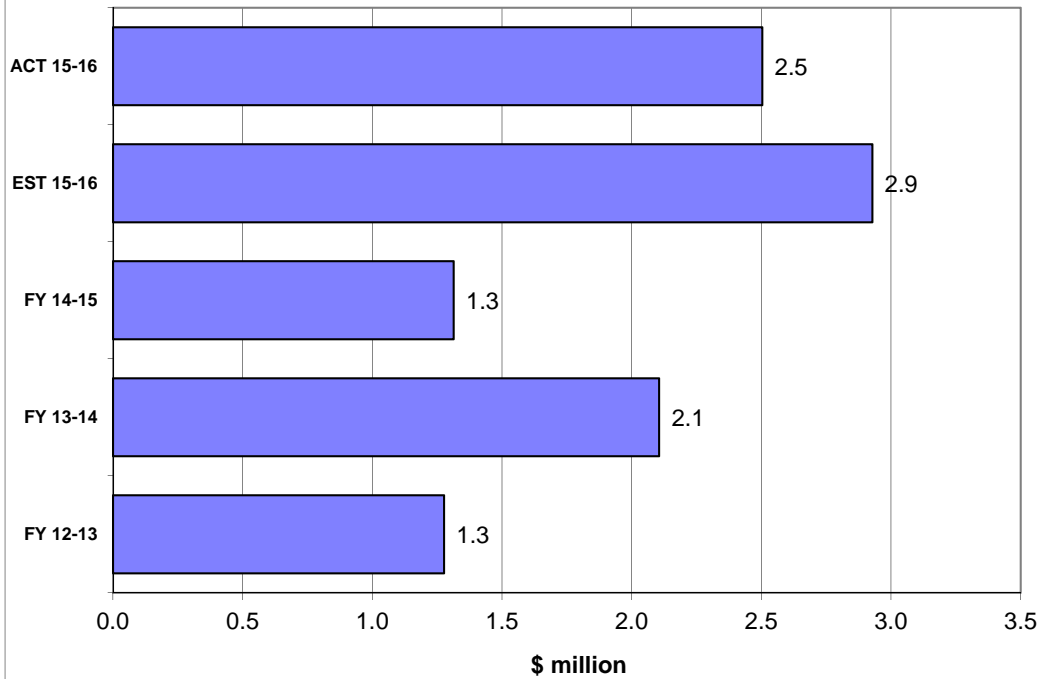
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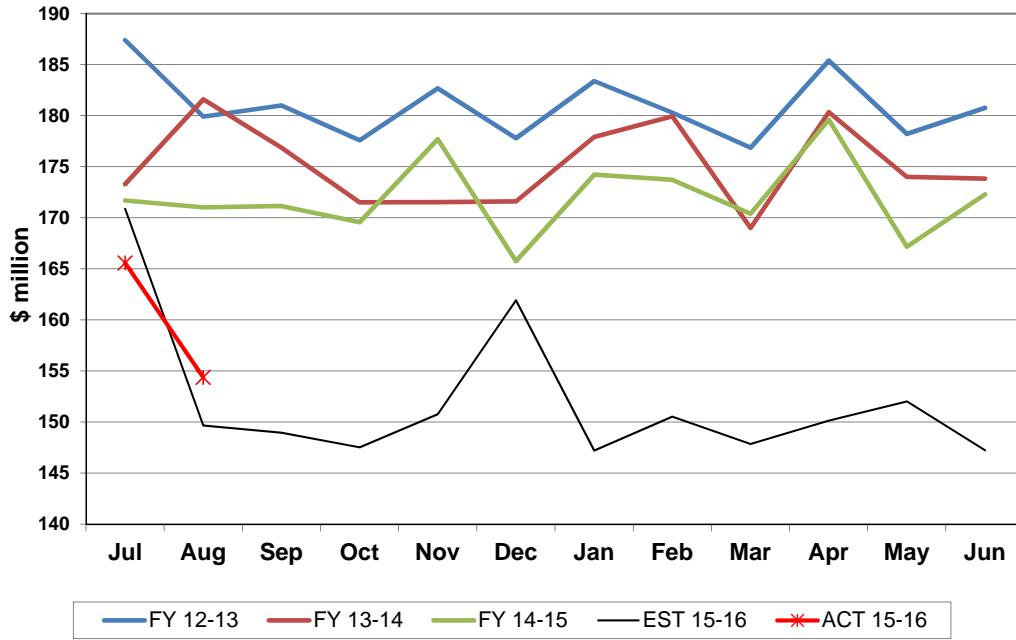
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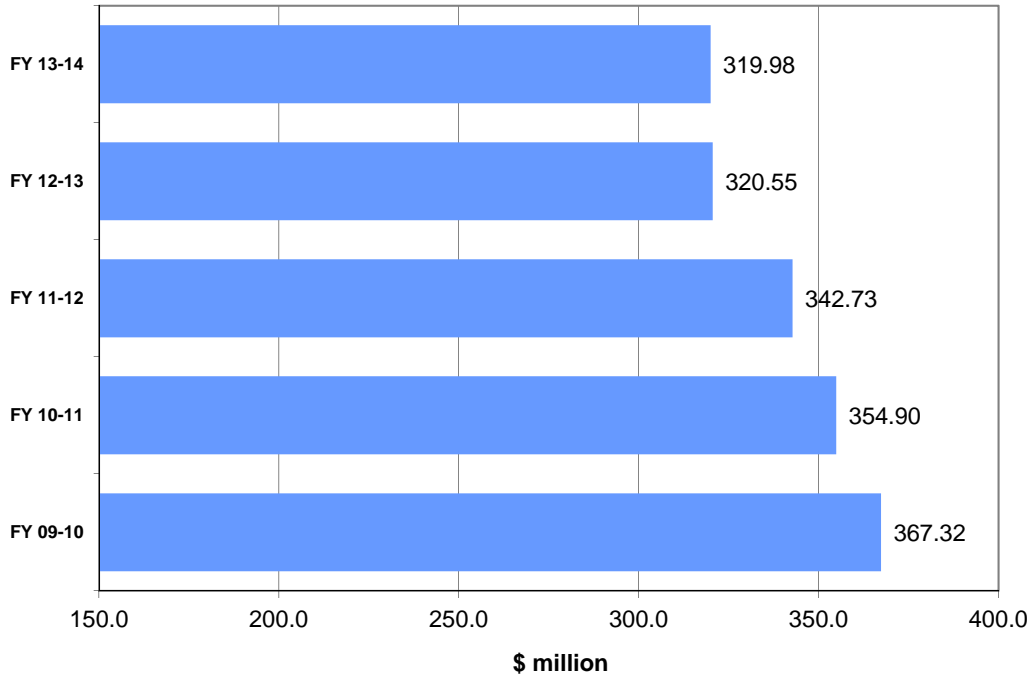
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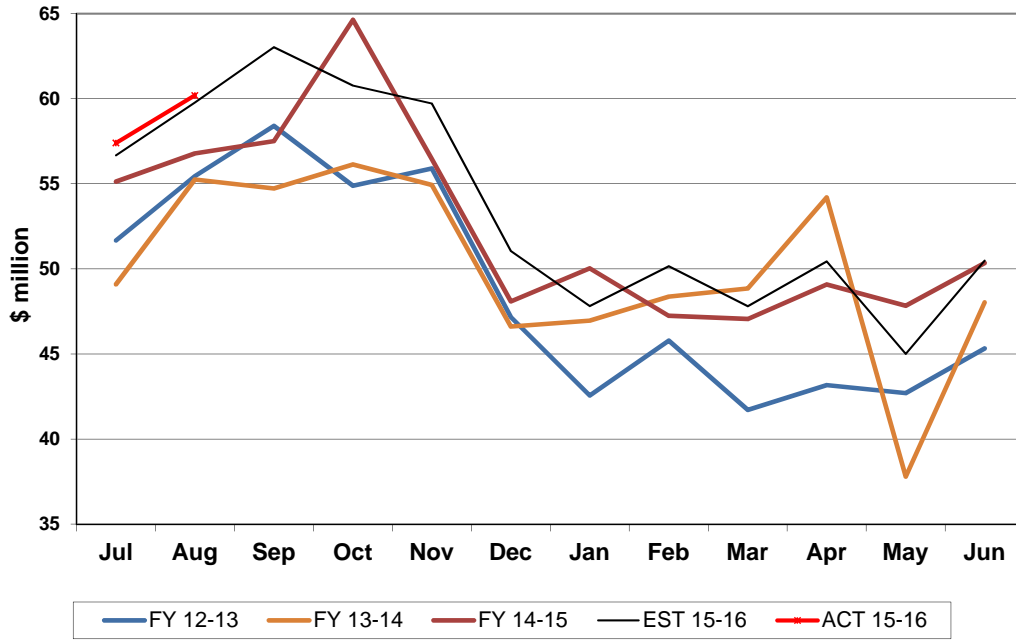
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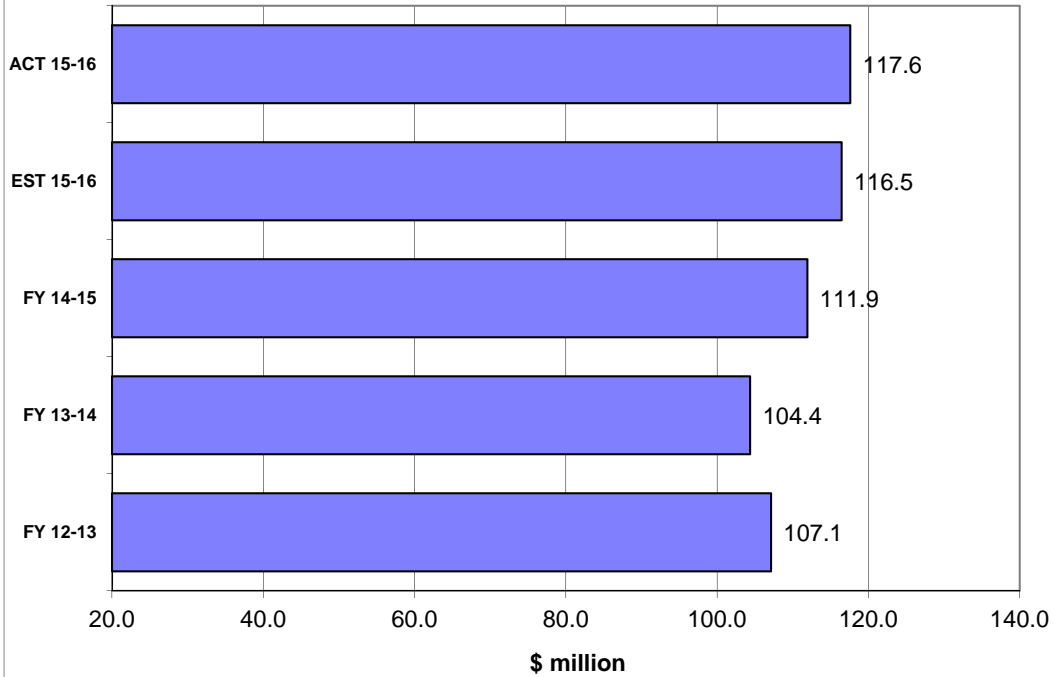
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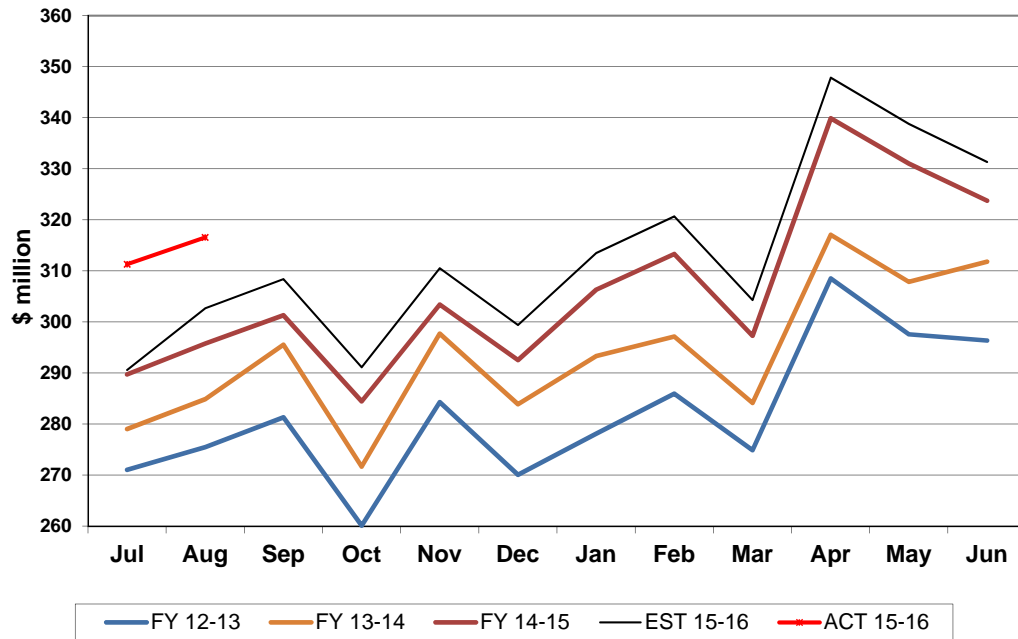
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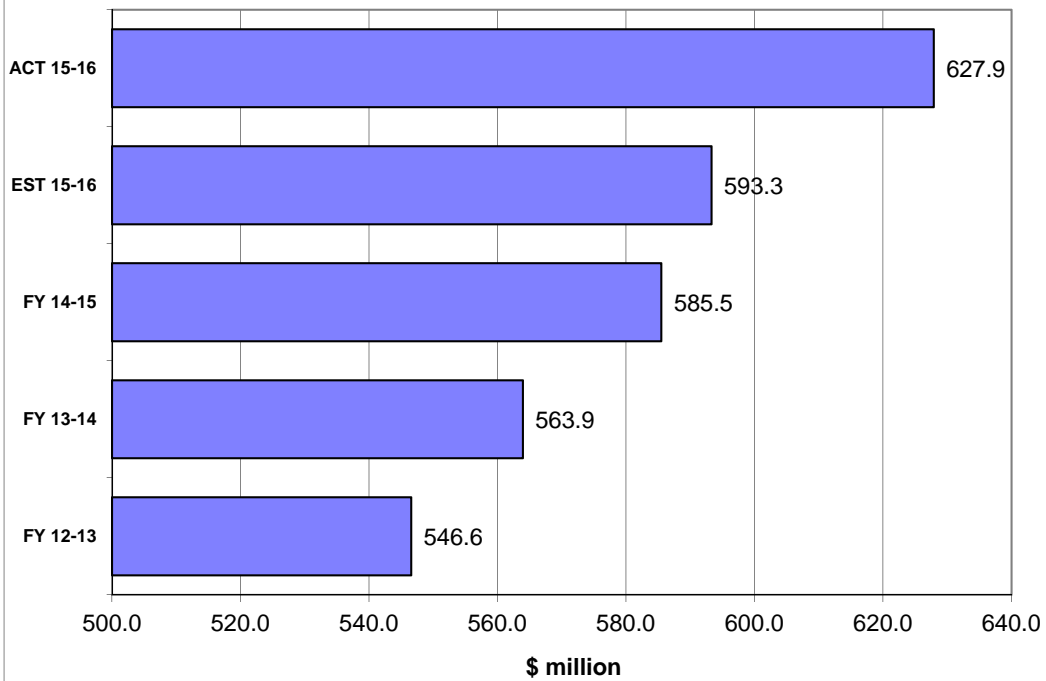
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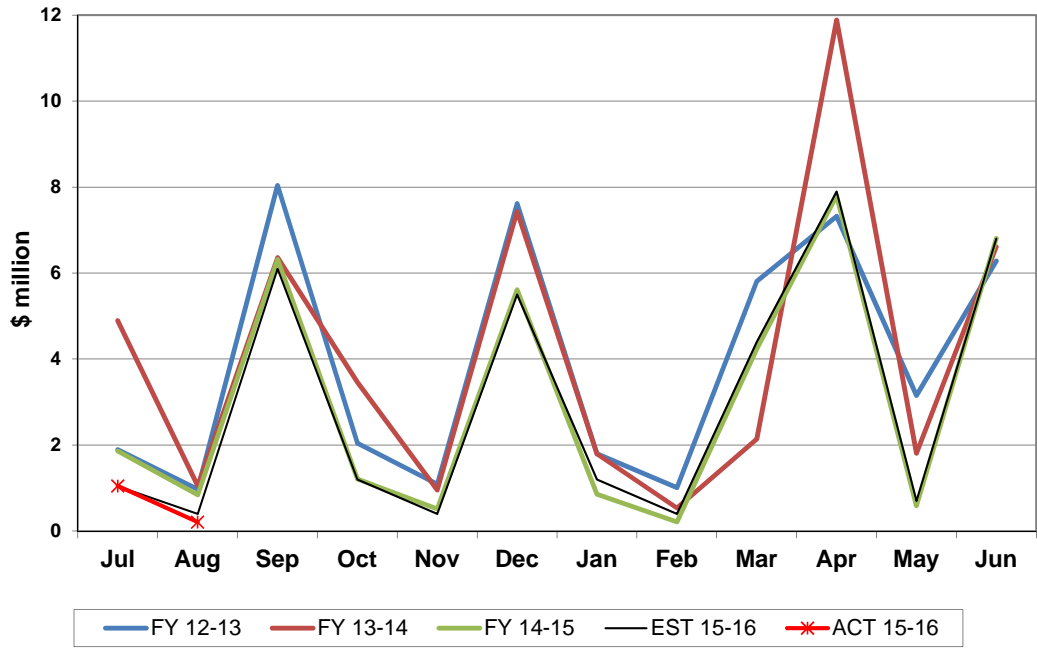
### Fuel-related Tax & Fee Collections Monthly Receipts



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### Severance Tax Collections Monthly Receipts



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