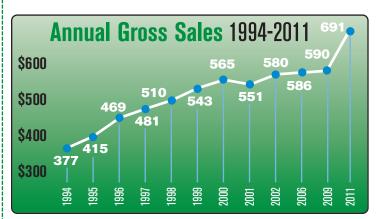
Market Profile

What You're Earning and Where Your Business Comes From

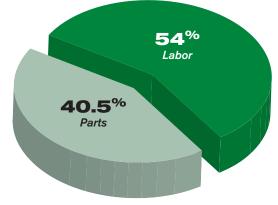
Compared to	2009 , Did Your	2010 Sales:
Increase		40%
Stay the same	17.5%	1999
Decrease		42.5%
V9186- 81		E F To

Average Annual Gross Sales	Volume
DRP Shop Average	\$944,658
Non-DRP Shop Average	\$438,922
Industry Average	\$691,790



What Percentage of Your Sales

is Attributed to Parts and Labor?

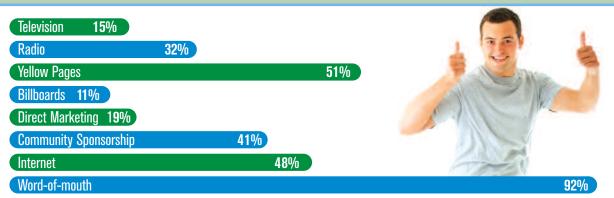


On average, gross profit margin is 29% on parts and 48% on labor.

How Much Business is **Generated** from Each Source?

Advertising/Direct Sales	10%
Direct Repair Programs	30%
Fleets	6%
Insurance Referral	9 %
Word-of-Mouth	38%
Car Dealer	5 %
Other	2%

How Do You Market Your Services?



What Shops Spend Annually on Advertising

Note: This is the median, which means that 50% of respondents report figures higher than the median and 50% report figures lower.

What Sho Note: This responden and 50% r We received too few responses to report any reliable data on the average amount spent per year on advertising for DRP shops and non-DRP shops. But in our past studies, the DRP shops' advertising budgets comprised a smaller percentage of their total annual sales than non-DRP shops, which makes sense because DRP

shops can rely on their partner insurers to send them work. Still, one would think that non-DRP shops, since they have a much greater need to generate volume on their own, would spend a much higher percentage of their total annual sales on advertising than DRP shops. The difference historically, however, has been minimal.



How Will Business Be?	62 %	of shop owners say their shops will be more successful in the next five years than today.
	52 %	of DRP shop owners say their businesses will be more successful.
	71 %	of non-DRP shop owners say their businesses will be more successful.

How's Business?

