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DEPARTMENT STORE SALES, BY CITIES
(Based on Dollar Amounts)

Federal Reserve district and city		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago					
		Jan.- Apr.	Month of May	June 11	June 18	June 25	July 2 July 9
UNITED STATES		- 4	- 5	- 5	- 8	- 6	r-10 - 7
<u>Boston District</u>		0	- 1	+ 2	0	- 6	-10 - 8
New Haven	Conn.	- 3	- 5	- 1	+ 1	- 7	-11 -16
Boston	Mass.	+ 2	+ 4	+ 3	0	- 6	- 5 - 6
Springfield	"	+ 1	- 4	- 7	- 2	-12	-18 -11
Providence	R.I.	- 3	- 9	- 2	- 1	- 1	-18 -14
<u>New York District</u>		- 5	- 9	- 7	-10	- 7	-15 -11
Newark	N.J.	- 6	-12	- 7	-11	-12	-17 -15
Buffalo	N.Y.	+ 1	- 1	+ 1	- 5	- 1	r- 9 - 8
New York	"	- 6	-10	- 7	-11	- 7	-16 -11
Rochester	"	- 5	- 7	-24	-11	+ 3	-16 -10
Syracuse	"	- 7	- 3	- 3	- 6	- 5	r- 6 - 4
<u>Philadelphia District</u>		- 3	- 4	+ 1	- 7	0	-12 - 8
Philadelphia	Pa.	- 5	- 2	+ 1	- 8	- 1	r-13 - 9
<u>Cleveland District</u>		- 1	- 4	- 6	- 8	- 9	r-12 - 8
Akron	Ohio	+ 1	- 6	- 6	- 4	-14	- 9 - 2
Cincinnati	"	- 4	- 4	- 6	-12	-12	r-10 - 6
Cleveland	"	- 1	- 1	- 6	- 7	- 5	r- 9 - 9
Columbus	"	+ 2	- 2	- 3	- 5	- 3	-10 - 9
Toledo	"	0	- 3	- 4	-12	- 6	r-15 - 9
Pittsburgh	Pa.	+ 2	- 6	- 6	- 6	- 9	-14 - 7
<u>Richmond District</u>		- 4	- 3	- 3	- 5	+ 4	r- 3 + 3
Washington	D.C.	+ 4	+ 1	+ 1	- 1	+ 3	- 2 +13
Baltimore	Md.	- 4	- 5	- 7	- 9	- 2	- 7 - 7
<u>Atlanta District</u>		- 3	- 2	- 2	- 5	- 4	r- 3 + 1
Birmingham	Ala.	0	- 5	-10	- 9	- 8	- 3 *
Miami	Fla.	- 4	- 3	- 7	- 7	+ 7	- 2 + 5
Atlanta	Ga.	- 4	- 5	- 1	- 2	- 5	- 3 + 5
New Orleans	La.	+ 4	+ 5	+12	+ 7	+ 2	r+ 3 0
Nashville	Tenn.	- 5	-10	- 5	-18	-10	-11 - 8
<u>Chicago District</u>		- 5	- 5	- 5	- 9	- 9	-12 -11
Chicago	Ill.	- 3	- 3	- 5	- 9	-10	-12 -12
Indianapolis	Ind.	0	- 2	- 2	-10	- 3	- 7 - 3
Detroit	Mich.	- 4	- 5	- 6	-12	-12	-17 -15
Milwaukee	Wis.	- 5	-10	- 4	-10	- 8	-13 - 6

DEPARTMENT STORE SALES, BY CITIES (Continued)

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	Jan.- Apr.	Month of May	June 11	June 18	June 25	July 2	July 9
<u>St. Louis District</u>	- 3	- 3	- 9	- 9	- 8	+ 2	- 3
Little Rock Ark.	0	- 1	- 8	- 13	- 5	- 10	+ 1
Louisville Ky.	0	- 3	- 15	- 8	- 9	+ 2	- 2
St. Louis Mo.	- 5	- 4	- 7	- 10	- 9	+ 3	- 4
Memphis Tenn.	+ 2	0	- 11	- 8	- 14	+ 1	- 2
<u>Minneapolis District</u>	- 3	- 5					
Minneapolis Minn.	- 2	- 4					
St. Paul "	- 7	- 7					
Duluth-Superior "&Wis.	0	- 6					
			(Not available for publication)				
<u>Kansas City District</u>	- 6	- 7	- 8	- 8	- 1	- 7	- 1
Denver Colo.	- 4	- 10	- 6	- 7	- 1	- 10	+ 2
Wichita Kans.	+ 2	0	+ 2	- 1	- 4	- 2	- 5
Kansas City Mo.	- 9	- 11	- 11	- 10	- 4	- 9	- 4
St. Joseph "	- 7	- 9	- 16	- 6	- 3	- 12	- 7
Oklahoma City Okla.	- 10	- 7	- 7	- 11	- 2	- 14	+ 2
Tulsa "	- 7	- 14	- 11	- 17	+ 10	- 10	- 3
<u>Dallas District</u>	- 6	- 5	- 6	- 9	0	- 4	- 1
Dallas Tex.	- 7	- 6	- 13	- 16	- 8	- 7	- 2
Fort Worth "	- 5	- 11	+ 12	+ 12	+ 9	+ 5	- 2
Houston "	- 5	- 3	- 4	- 11	- 9	- 7	- 5
San Antonio "	- 11	- 4	- 8	- 1	+ 7	+ 5	+ 15
<u>San Francisco District</u>	- 7	- 7	- 5	- 10	- 4	- 11	- 9
Los Angeles Area Calif.	- 9	- 11	- 5	- 15	- 11	- 13	- 13
Oakland "	- 1	- 6	- 2	- 2	- 5	- 8	- 3
San Francisco "	+ 1	- 5	+ 2	- 1	- 3	- 7	- 1
Portland Ore.	- 9	- 7	- 12	- 12	+ 21	- 11	- 13
Salt Lake City Utah	- 6	- 7	- 15	- 13	0	- 9	- 2
Seattle Wash.	- 2	+ 2	- 6	- 3	+ 1	- 5	+ 4

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* Data not available.