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## WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES

Federal Reserve District	Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					
	One week ending				Four weeks ending	Jan. 1 to Oct. 14
	Oct. 14	Oct. 7	Sept. 30	Sept. 23	Oct. 14	Oct. 14
Boston	+ 1	+ 9	+ 9	- 2	+ 4	+ 5
New York	- 1	r+ 5	+ 6	- 3	+ 2	+ 1
Philadelphia	+ 9	+ 8	+ 3	- 1	+ 5	0
Cleveland	0	r+ 2	+ 2	+ 3	+ 2	- 1
Richmond	0	+ 3	+ 1	+ 4	+ 2	+ 1
Atlanta	- 2	r+ 7	- 4	+ 3	+ 1	0
Chicago	- 3	+ 6	+ 7	+ 6	+ 4	0
St. Louis	- 6	+ 4	r+ 6	r+ 2	+ 1	- 1
Minneapolis	+ 4	+ 1	+11	0	+ 4	+ 2
Kansas City	- 2	+ 3	+ 5	+ 6	+ 3	+ 4
Dallas	+ 3	r+ 5	0	+11	+ 5	0
San Francisco	- 2	r+ 5	+ 6	+ 9	+ 4	+ 2
U. S. Total	0	+ 6	+ 5	+ 4	+ 4	+ 2

U. S. weekly index, without seasonal adjustment, 1947-49=100 1/

1961

Sept. 16 150  
 Sept. 23 154  
 Sept. 30 156  
 Oct. 7 164  
 Oct. 14 155

1960

Sept. 17 150  
 Sept. 24 143  
 Oct. 1 149  
 Oct. 8 155  
 Oct. 15 156

1959

Sept. 19 158  
 Sept. 26 145  
 Oct. 3 143  
 Oct. 10 152  
 Oct. 17 161

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1/ For description and weekly indexes for the period January 1937 to March 1958 see Federal Reserve Bulletin for April 1958, pp. 412-421.

Weekly indexes at the district and city levels are published by several of the Federal Reserve Banks.