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## WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES

Federal Reserve District	Percentage change from corresponding periods a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					
	One week ending				Four weeks ending	Jan. 1 to
	Nov. 24	Nov. 17	Nov. 10	Nov. 3	Nov. 24	Nov. 24
Boston	0	- 9	+24	+ 2	+ 3	+ 3
New York	+ 2	+10	+ 1	- 7	+ 5	+ 4
Philadelphia	- 2	+ 3	+ 1	- 1	0	+ 4
Cleveland	- 4	r+ 2	r- 6	+ 6	- 1	+ 2
Richmond	- 3	r+ 9	- 2	+ 6	+ 2	+ 4
Atlanta	+10	r+14	+ 8	+20	+13	+ 6
Chicago	+ 6	+ 5	+ 5	+ 6	+ 5	+ 6
St. Louis	+ 3	- 4	+ 4	+ 8	+ 2	+ 5
Minneapolis	+ 5	+ 4	r 0	r- 4	+ 1	+ 2
Kansas City	+ 5	+ 2	+ 3	+ 1	+ 3	+ 2
Dallas	+ 2	- 2	- 3	+ 8	+ 1	+ 5
San Francisco	+ 4	+ 8	+ 5	+ 1	+ 5	+ 6
U. S. Total	+ 1	+ 5	+ 2	+ 5	+ 3	+ 4

U. S. weekly sales index, without seasonal adjustment, 1957-59=100 1/

1962		1961		1960	
Oct. 27	116	Oct. 28	110	Oct. 29	107
Nov. 3	117	Nov. 4	111	Nov. 5	108
Nov. 10	125	Nov. 11	122	Nov. 12	117
Nov. 17	136	Nov. 18	130	Nov. 19	123
Nov. 24	136	Nov. 25	134	Nov. 26	125

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1/ Monthly and weekly indexes of department store sales have been revised. For description of revision of monthly indexes see Federal Reserve Bulletin for July 1962. A description of revision of weekly indexes appears in Bulletin for August 1962.

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