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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
OF RICHMOND

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
	July 6	June 29	June 22	June 15	July 6	July 6
Boston	+ 6	+ 7	+ 3	+ 7	+ 6	+ 4
New York	+18	+19	+ 8	+15	+15	+ 4
Philadelphia	+10	+ 9	- 1	+ 6	+ 5	- 1
Cleveland	+ 5	+ 5	+ 7	+11	+ 7	0
Richmond	+16	+10	+ 5	+13	+11	+ 4
Atlanta	+10	+10	+15	+26	+16	+ 9
Chicago	+13	+ 9	+ 6	+14	+10	+ 5
St. Louis	+ 3	+ 7	+ 8	+16	+ 9	+ 4
Minneapolis	0	+17	+ 1	+14	+ 8	+ 4
Kansas City	+11	+ 8	+ 6	+14	+10	+ 5
Dallas	+ 7	+ 8	+ 6	+15	+ 9	+ 7
San Francisco	0	+ 4	+ 6	+ 3	+ 3	+ 4
U.S. Total	+ 9	+ 9	+ 6	+13	+ 9	+ 4

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

1963	June 8	120	1962	June 9	109	1961	June 10	109
	June 15	126		June 16	112		June 17	115
	June 22	103		June 23	97		June 24	92
	June 29	102		June 30	94		July 1	90
	July 6	93		July 7	85		July 8	82

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1/ For description of monthly indexes see Federal Reserve Bulletin for July 1962.
A description 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.