

## BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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August 9, 1946

DEPARTMENT STORE SALES, BY CITIES  
Percentage Change from Corresponding Period a Year Ago

Federal Reserve district and city	Jan.- May	Month of June	Week ending <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
			July 6*	July 13	July 20	July 27	Aug. 3
UNITED STATES	+26	+31	+26	+26	+28	+33	+30
<u>Boston District</u>	+22	+26	+12	+22	+24	+28	+22
New Haven Conn.	+21	+24	+22	+20	+20	+24	+34
Boston Mass.	+23	+27	+ 7	+28	+27	+31	+23
Springfield "	+16	+17	+41	+ 8	+18	+18	+24
Providence R.I.	+21	+20	+26	+24	+26	+32	+25
<u>New York District</u>	+33	+37	+32	+38	+31	r+36	+32
Newark N.J.	+33	+39	+32	+36	+37	+35	+29
Buffalo N.Y.	+28	+28	+23	+24	+24	+31	+34
New York "	+35	+39	+34	+43	+32	r+36	+32
Rochester "	+26	+30	+28	+27	+25	+36	+35
Syracuse "	+33	+35	+25	+31	+40	+43	+49
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	+26	+32	+23	r+13	r+26	r+24	r+22
Philadelphia Pa.	+23	+30	+18	r+ 7	r+23	r+19	+16
<u>Cleveland District</u>	+26	+32	+25	+25	+26	+36	+32
Akron Ohio	+15	+27	+10	+20	+24	r+24	+30
Cincinnati "	+30	+35	+25	+17	+30	+41	+29
Cleveland "	+24	+27	+28	+24	+19	+32	+28
Columbus "	+26	+34	+15	+25	***	***	+29
Toledo "	+17	+25	+ 5	+15	+18	+35	+23
Pittsburgh Pa.	+31	+42	+34	+31	+34	+42	+42
<u>Richmond District</u>	+22	+24	+20	+ 7	+16	+20	+21
Washington D.C.	+19	+22	+22	+ 2	+14	+13	+19
Baltimore Md.	+21	+22	+18	+ 9	+21	+28	+26
<u>Atlanta District</u>	+25	r+26	+24	r+25	+29	+30	r+34
Birmingham Ala.	+23	+21	+27	+27	+34	+38	+42
Miami Fla.	+27	+26	+23	+30	+34	+47	+45
Atlanta Ga.	+32	+29	+33	+39	+25	r+26	+31
New Orleans La.	+22	+36	+ 2	+26	+29	+35	+15
Nashville Tenn.	+38	+43	- 8	+41	***	+51	+53
<u>Chicago District</u>	+26	+32	+21	+29	+30	r+42	+33
Chicago Ill.	+28	+35	+ 8	+31	+28	+42	+38
Indianapolis Ind.	+31	+33	+25	+18	+22	+42	+25
Detroit Mich.	+21	+29	+32	+30	+26	+38	+25
Milwaukee Wis.	+31	+30	+28	+25	+34	+41	+32

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<u>St. Louis District</u>		+26	+33	+28	+26	+26	+35	+37
Little Rock	Ark.	+22	+24	+20	+17	+24	+19	+17
Louisville	Ky.	+26	+26	+51	+26	+30	+33	+49
St. Louis	Mo.	+27	+35	+28	+26	+22	+39	+30
Memphis	Tenn.	+26	+35	+26	+22	+30	+30	***70
<u>Minneapolis District</u>		+32	+35					
Minneapolis	Minn.	+38	+33					
St. Paul	"	+30	+33					
Duluth-Superior	"Wis.	+13	+18					
				(Not available for publication)				
<u>Kansas City District</u>		+23	+27	+27	+17	r+24	r+31	+30
Denver	Colo.	+30	+37	+34	+26	+29	+44	+43
Wichita	Kans.	+15	+19	+59	+ 3	+19	+ 7	+20
Kansas City	"Mo.	+23	+25	+20	+11	+16	+34	+27
St. Joseph	Mo.	+31	+39	+21	+19	+46	+17	***
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+16	+18	+22	+13	+22	+24	+26
Tulsa	"	+15	+26	+33	+19	+21	+25	+27
<u>Dallas District</u>		+27	+32	+38	+21	+31	+29	+26
Dallas	Tex.	+33	+25	+50	+30	+32	+25	+30
Fort Worth	"	+21	+24	+33	+10	+24	r+24	+18
Houston	"	+30	+47	+31	+22	+36	+44	+20
San Antonio	"	+29	+25	+37	+19	+44	+33	+27
<u>San Francisco District</u>		+21	+29	+30	+24	+28	r+30	r+28
Los Angeles Area	Calif.	+25	+40	+38	+28	+30	+29	+35
Oakland	"	+17	+27	+31	+13	+23	+24	+19
San Francisco	"	+16	+21	+14	+16	+17	+18	+16
Portland	Ore.	+21	+27	+51	+30	+25	+36	+30
Salt Lake City	Utah	+30	+30	+29	+28	+42	+52	+42
Seattle	Wash.	+13	+21	+17	+14	+19	+22	+15

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\* In many cities stores were closed on Friday, July 5, as well as on Thursday, July 4, and consequently this week included one less trading day as compared with the corresponding week last year.

\*\* This large increase reflects in part the effect of special sales this year.

\*\*\*Data not available.

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