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August 16, 1946

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

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| <u>St. Louis District</u> | | +26 | +33 | +26 | +26 | +35 | +37 | +30 |
| Little Rock | Ark. | +22 | +24 | +17 | +24 | +19 | +17 | +13 |
| Louisville | Ky. | +26 | +26 | +26 | +30 | +33 | +49 | +24 |
| St. Louis | Mo. | +27 | +35 | +26 | +22 | +39 | +30 | +32 |
| Memphis | Tenn. | +26 | +35 | +22 | +30 | +30 | +70 | +35 |
| <u>Minneapolis District</u> | | +32 | +35 | | | | | |
| Minneapolis | Minn. | +36 | +33 | | | | | |
| St. Paul | " | +30 | +33 | | | | | |
| Duluth-Superior | "&Wis. | +13 | +18 | | | | | |
| | | | | (Not available for publication) | | | | |
| <u>Kansas City District</u> | | +23 | +27 | +17 | +24 | +31 | r+29 | +20 |
| Denver | Colo. | +30 | +37 | +26 | +29 | +44 | +43 | +30 |
| Wichita | Kans. | +15 | +19 | + 3 | +19 | + 7 | +20 | +11 |
| Kansas City | "&Mo. | +23 | +25 | +11 | +16 | +34 | +27 | +21 |
| St. Joseph | Mo. | +31 | +39 | +19 | +46 | +17 | - 1 | ** |
| Oklahoma City | Okla. | +16 | r+21 | +13 | +22 | +24 | +26 | +11 |
| Tulsa | " | +15 | +26 | +19 | +21 | +25 | +27 | + 9 |
| <u>Dallas District</u> | | +27 | +32 | +21 | +31 | +29 | r+24 | +31 |
| Dallas | Tex. | +33 | +35 | +30 | +32 | +25 | +30 | +32 |
| Fort Worth | " | +21 | +24 | +10 | +24 | +24 | r+14 | +28 |
| Houston | " | +30 | +47 | +22 | +36 | +44 | +20 | +32 |
| San Antonio | " | +29 | +25 | +19 | +44 | +33 | +27 | +35 |
| <u>San Francisco District</u> | | +21 | +29 | +24 | +28 | +30 | +28 | r+31 |
| Los Angeles Area | Calif. | +25 | +40 | +26 | +30 | +29 | +33 | +36 |
| Oakland | " | +17 | +27 | +13 | +23 | +24 | +19 | +30 |
| San Francisco | " | +16 | +21 | +16 | +17 | +18 | +16 | +20 |
| Portland | Ore. | +21 | +27 | +30 | +25 | +36 | +30 | +35 |
| Salt Lake City | Utah | +30 | +30 | +28 | +42 | +52 | +42 | +28 |
| Seattle | Wash. | +13 | +21 | +14 | +19 | +22 | +15 | +20 |

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

** Data not available.