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

Federal Reserve district and city	Jan.- Apr.	Month of May	Week ending				
			May 31	June 7	June 14	June 21	June 28
<u>UNITED STATES</u>	+10	p+14	+12	+ 7	+ 6	+ 3	r+ 3
<u>Boston District</u>	+10	+16	+18	+ 7	+ 8	+ 8	+ 8
New Haven Conn.	+ 4	+10	+17	- 1	+ 6	+ 6	+13
Boston Mass.	+12	+15	+21	+ 9	+12	+ 9	+11
Springfield "	+ 4	+12	+ 8	+ 3	0	- 4	- 5
Providence R.I.	+ 2	+11	+ 9	+ 4	+ 3	+ 9	+ 6
<u>New York District</u>	+ 9	+11	+15	+ 4	+ 7	+ 5	+ 1
Newark N.J.	+ 6	+ 4	+ 8	- 5	+ 2	- 2	- 5
Buffalo N.Y.	+ 8	+17	+10	+11	+15	r+12	+12
New York "	+ 9	+ 8	+17	+ 4	+ 6	r+ 5	- 1
Rochester "	+12	+18	+13	+10	+ 9	+ 2	+ 9
Syracuse "	+15	+20	+12	+12	+13	r+ 4	+ 7
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	+13	+18	+13	+ 9	r+ 6	+12	+ 3
Philadelphia Pa.	+13	+16	+11	+ 9	r+ 5	+10	+ 2
<u>Cleveland District</u>	+10	+16	+11	+ 7	+ 8	+ 2	+ 2
Akron Ohio	+ 7	+ 8	+10	0	+ 5	+ 2	- 2
Cincinnati "	+ 9	+18	+18	+12	+ 8	- 3	+ 1
Cleveland "	+ 8	+14	+11	+ 5	+12	+ 7	+ 9
Columbus "	+ 8	+10	+13	+ 3	+10	- 5	0
Toledo "	+10	+15	+ 6	+ 4	+10	r+ 4	+ 5
Pittsburgh Pa.	+11	+18	+ 3	+ 8	+ 3	+ 2	- 1
<u>Richmond District</u>	+ 5	+11	+ 7	0	+ 1	+ 7	r+ 2
Washington D.C.	+ 2	+ 8	+ 5	+ 3	+ 2	+ 4	- 1
Baltimore Md.	+ 5	+12	+ 8	- 3	+ 1	+14	+ 8
<u>Atlanta District</u>	+ 7	+12	+13	+ 7	+ 4	- 4	0
Birmingham Ala.	+ 5	+13	+19	+19	+ 9	+ 3	- 4
Miami Fla.	+13	+ 9	+16	+13	+12	+ 8	+ 9
Atlanta Ga.	+ 2	+ 9	+ 2	- 1	- 1	r-11	- 4
New Orleans La.	+11	+11	+17	+ 5	+ 9	r+ 2	+ 9
Nashville Tenn.	+ 2	+18	+32	+ 7	+ 2	-11	- 7
<u>Chicago District</u>	+10	+19	+15	+14	+10	+ 6	+ 6
Chicago Ill.	+ 8	+23	+14	+16	+ 9	+ 4	+ 3
Indianapolis Ind.	+ 8	+13	+ 8	+ 7	+ 6	- 6	+ 3
Detroit Mich.	+10	+16	+26	+11	+14	+14	+11
Milwaukee Wis.	+ 6	+12	+12	+16	+ 7	+ 3	+ 5

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<u>St. Louis District</u>	+ 9	+17	+20	+ 8	+ 1	-15	+ 2
Little Rock Ark.	+ 1	+ 3	0	+ 3	+ 1	-12	-12
Louisville Ky.	r+10	+25	+33	+16	+10	- 2	+11
St. Louis Mo.	+11	+17	+20	+ 6	- 5	#-25	#- 1
Memphis Tenn.	+ 4	+17	+16	+ 8	+ 5	- 4	+ 4
<u>Minneapolis District</u>	+15	+ 8					
Minneapolis Minn.	+10	+ 7					
St. Paul "	+19	+14	(Not available for publication)				
Duluth-Superior "Wis.	+10	+16					
<u>Kansas City District</u>	+ 8	+11	+ 8	+ 9	+ 6	+ 4	+ 5
Denver Colo.	+17	+11	+ 5	+17	+ 6	+ 2	+ 8
Wichita Kans.	- 4	+ 3	+ 2	+ 6	- 4	+14	*
Kansas City Mo.	+10	+11	+10	+16	+ 9	+ 8	+ 9
St. Joseph "	+ 3	+14	+12	*	+ 1	-11	- 3
Oklahoma City Okla.	+ 4	+ 6	+ 6	+ 6	- 1	- 2	- 5
Tulsa "	+ 5	+11	+15	+10	+ 4	- 2	+11
<u>Dallas District</u>	+ 8	+ 9	+ 9	+ 7	+ 1	- 3	- 3
Dallas Tex.	+ 3	+ 3	- 1	+ 1	- 4	- 7	-10
Fort Worth "	+ 6	+13	+15	+ 8	+ 6	r+ 4	+ 5
Houston "	+15	+12	+22	+12	+ 4	0	+ 4
San Antonio "	+ 9	+15	+12	+ 9	+ 5	+ 1	+ 1
<u>San Francisco District</u>	+11	p+ 8	+ 3	0	+ 2	r+ 3	- 2
Los Angeles Area Calif.	+11	+14	+ 2	- 4	+ 2	+ 4	- 3
Oakland "	+ 7	+ 7	+ 1	0	#-12	#- 6	#- 5
San Francisco "	+ 7	+ 1	-10	- 3	+ 4	- 4	- 5
Portland Ore.	+13	+ 9	+10	+16	0	+11	+ 8
Salt Lake City Utah	+10	p+ 7	+11	+ 1	- 1	+ 3	+ 7
Seattle Wash.	+ 7	+ 4	+10	- 4	- 6	- 5	- 3

r--Revised.

\* Data not available.

p--Preliminary

# Sales in these weeks were reduced owing to a curtailment in public transportation service.