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LIBRARY OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF CLEVELAND

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

Federal Reserve district and city	Jan.- Oct.	Month of Nov.	Week ending				
			Dec. 13	Dec. 20	Dec. 27*	Jan. 3	Jan. 10
UNITED STATES	+ 7	+ 7	+10	+ 8	r+28	+ 9	+ 8
<u>Boston District</u>	+ 6	+ 3	+ 6	+ 7	+16	+10	+ 6
New Haven Conn.	- 1	- 7	+ 6	+ 4	+14	+ 8	- 2
Boston Mass.	+ 7	+ 6	+ 6	+ 7	+17	+10	+ 6
Springfield "	+ 3	+ 4	+10	+ 8	+13	+16	+11
Providence R. I.	+ 2	+ 1	+ 7	+ 9	+21	+ 3	+ 5
<u>New York District</u>	+10	+ 3	+ 6	+ 7	+13	r- 7	+ 7
Newark N. J.	+ 6	- 1	+ 5	+ 8	+ 7	r-29	+ 8
Buffalo N. Y.	+ 9	+ 5	+14	+ 9	r+41	r+10	+14
New York "	+11	+ 3	+ 6	+ 8	+ 8	r- 7	+ 7
Rochester "	+ 8	+ 4	+11	+ 3	+38	r+ 5	+ 9
Syracuse "	+ 6	+ 1	+ 2	+ 2	+21	+12	- 3
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	+10	+12	+16	+15	r+31	+16	+10
Philadelphia Pa.	+10	+13	+15	+16	r+34	+19	+14
<u>Cleveland District</u>	+ 9	+ 7	+12	+10	+26	r+15	+12
Akron Ohio	+ 5	+ 9	+10	+ 6	+21	+20	+17
Cincinnati "	+ 6	+10	+11	+10	+27	+ 6	+16
Cleveland "	+ 7	+ 9	+10	+10	+35	r+16	+13
Columbus "	+ 4	+ 6	+ 6	+ 7	+22	+16	+14
Toledo "	+ 7	+ 9	+13	+ 9	+28	+20	+ 5
Pittsburgh Pa.	+12	- 4	+12	+11	+23	+14	+ 7
<u>Richmond District</u>	+ 3	+ 3	+10	+13	+27	+ 7	+ 6
Washington D. C.	+ 2	+ 2	+12	+13	+30	+ 5	+ 8
Baltimore Md.	+ 2	0	+10	+13	+22	+ 4	+ 5
<u>Atlanta District</u>	+ 3	+ 6	+11	+13	+40	r+13	+ 6
Birmingham Ala.	+ 4	+16	+18	+14	+56	+32	+13
Miami Fla.	+ 9	0	+12	+ 9	+39	+14	+ 4
Atlanta Ga.	+ 1	+ 6	+15	+13	+32	r 0	+ 2
New Orleans La.	+ 7	+14	+ 7	+17	+46	+19	+ 6
Nashville Tenn.	- 1	+ 1	+10	+ 4	+38	+19	+ 1
<u>Chicago District</u>	+ 9	+10	+13	+ 8	+30	r+ 7	+ 9
Chicago Ill.	+ 8	+ 7	+12	+ 7	+30	+ 6	+ 6
Indianapolis Ind.	+ 4	+ 6	+10	+ 5	+27	+11	+ 6
Detroit Mich.	+11	+15	+18	+10	+38	+16	+13
Milwaukee Wis.	+ 5	+ 8	+10	+ 2	+29	0	+15

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			Dec.13	Dec.20	Dec.27*	Jan. 3	Jan.10	
<u>St. Louis District</u>		+ 6	+11	+12	+10	+36	r+24	+13
Little Rock Ark.	- 1	+10	+ 6	+12	+41	+20	+ 8	
Louisville Ky.	+ 9	+16	+14	+16	+37	+24	+13	
St. Louis Mo.	+ 7	+ 9	+13	+ 8	+25	+26	+12	
Memphis Tenn.	+ 1	+ 6	+ 5	+ 2	+36	+20	+14	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>		+11	+ 7					
Minneapolis Minn.	+ 6	+ 3						
St. Paul "	+12	+ 3	(Not available for publication)					
Duluth-Superior "&Wis.	+11	+16						
<u>Kansas City District</u>		+ 7	+11	+13	+11	+35	+19	+ 9
Denver Colo.	+10	+11	+18	+17	+45	+ 9	+ 4	
Wichita Kans.	- 3	+ 8	+ 3	+ 6	+16	+23	+14	
Kansas City Mo.	+ 7	+13	+13	+12	+27	+21	+ 5	
St. Joseph "	+ 8	+ 9	**	+ 7	**	+40	**	
Oklahoma City Okla.	+ 3	+10	+12	+13	+34	+37	+10	
Tulsa "	+ 5	+11	+25	0	+35	+ 9	+14	
<u>Dallas District</u>		+ 4	+12	+12	+ 8	+36	r+21	+12
Dallas Tex.	- 1	+ 5	+ 6	- 1	+21	+13	+ 1	
Fort Worth "	+ 6	+ 9	+ 9	r+ 9	+33	+57	+ 7	
Houston "	+ 6	+28	+29	+29	+59	+22	**	
San Antonio "	+ 3	+ 9	+ 9	+ 6	+42	+16	+35	
<u>San Francisco District</u>		+ 6	+ 3	+ 7	+ 2	+30	+ 7	r+ 2
Los Angeles Area Calif.	+ 6	- 4	+ 3	- 2	+26	+ 8	- 4	
Oakland "	+ 4	+11	**	**	**	**	**	
San Francisco "	+ 2	- 1	+ 7	- 1	+28	+ 5	+ 7	
Portland Ore.	+10	+11	+10	+ 6	+34	+13	+12	
Salt Lake City Utah	+ 7	+ 7	+11	+20	+31	+ 5	+ 3	
Seattle Wash.	+ 4	+ 2	+ 4	+ 2	+25	+ 4	+ 1	

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\* The large increases shown for this week reflect in part the fact that this year Christmas fell on Thursday and the week therefore included three days of heavy pre-Christmas shopping as compared with two days last year when Christmas fell on Wednesday.

\*\* Data not available.

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