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January 23, 1948

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. 20	Dec. 27*	Jan. 3	Jan. 10	Jan. 17
UNITED STATES	+ 7	+ 7	+ 8	+ 28	+ 9	+ 8	+ 5
<u>Boston District</u>	+ 6	+ 3	+ 7	+ 16	+ 10	+ 6	+ 2
New Haven Conn.	- 1	- 7	+ 4	+ 14	+ 8	- 2	0
Boston Mass.	+ 7	+ 6	+ 7	+ 17	+ 10	+ 6	0
Springfield "	+ 3	+ 4	+ 8	+ 13	+ 16	+ 11	+ 17
Providence R. I.	+ 2	+ 1	+ 9	+ 21	+ 3	+ 6	0
<u>New York District</u>	+ 10	+ 3	+ 7	r+14	- 7	r+ 9	+ 6
Newark N. J.	+ 6	- 1	+ 8	+ 7	+ 29	r+ 6	+ 9
Buffalo N. Y.	+ 9	+ 5	+ 9	r+40	r+ 8	+ 14	+ 3
New York "	+ 11	+ 3	+ 8	r+10	r- 8	r+ 9	+ 6
Rochester "	+ 8	+ 4	+ 3	+ 38	+ 5	r+12	+ 7
Syracuse "	+ 6	+ 1	- 2	+ 21	+ 12	- 3	+ 1
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	+ 10	+ 12	+ 15	+ 31	+ 16	r+ 9	+ 13
Philadelphia Pa.	+ 10	+ 13	+ 16	+ 34	+ 19	+ 14	+ 15
<u>Cleveland District</u>	+ 9	+ 7	+ 10	+ 28	+ 15	+ 12	+ 2
Akron Ohio.	+ 5	+ 9	+ 6	+ 21	+ 20	+ 17	- 2
Cincinnati "	+ 6	+ 10	+ 10	+ 27	+ 6	+ 16	+ 3
Cleveland "	+ 7	+ 9	+ 10	+ 35	+ 16	+ 13	+ 6
Columbus "	+ 4	+ 6	+ 7	+ 22	+ 16	+ 14	+ 3
Toledo "	+ 7	+ 9	+ 9	+ 28	+ 20	+ 5	+ 6
Pittsburgh Pa.	+ 12	- 4	+ 11	+ 23	+ 14	+ 7	- 5
<u>Richmond District</u>	+ 3	+ 3	+ 13	+ 27	+ 7	r+ 5	+ 6
Washington D. C.	+ 2	+ 2	+ 13	+ 30	+ 5	+ 8	+ 8
Baltimore Md.	+ 2	0	+ 13	+ 22	+ 4	+ 5	+ 4
<u>Atlanta District</u>	+ 3	+ 6	+ 13	+ 40	+ 13	r+ 7	+ 4
Birmingham Ala.	+ 4	+ 16	+ 14	+ 56	+ 32	+ 13	+ 3
Miami Fla.	+ 9	0	+ 9	+ 39	+ 14	+ 4	+ 5
Atlanta Ga.	+ 1	+ 6	+ 13	+ 32	0	r+ 4	+ 1
New Orleans La.	+ 7	+ 14	+ 17	+ 46	+ 19	+ 6	+ 13
Nashville Tenn.	- 1	+ 1	+ 4	+ 58	+ 19	+ 1	- 15
<u>Chicago District</u>	+ 9	+ 10	+ 8	+ 30	+ 7	+ 9	+ 2
Chicago Ill.	+ 8	+ 7	+ 7	+ 30	+ 6	+ 6	- 2
Indianapolis Ind.	+ 4	+ 6	+ 5	+ 27	+ 11	+ 6	- 4
Detroit Mich.	+ 11	+ 15	+ 10	+ 38	+ 16	+ 13	+ 11
Milwaukee Wis.	+ 5	+ 8	+ 2	+ 29	0	+ 15	+ 3

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<u>St. Louis District</u>	+ 6	+11	+10	+36	+24	+13	+ 1
Little Rock Ark.	-1	+10	+12	+41	+20	+8	0
Louisville Ky.	+ 9	+16	+16	+37	+24	+13	+ 2
St. Louis Mo.	+ 7	+ 9	+ 8	+25	+26	+12	+ 5
Memphis Tenn.	+ 1	+ 6	+ 2	+36	+20	+14	-18
<u>Minneapolis District</u>	+11	+ 7					
Minneapolis Minn.	+ 8	+ 3					
St. Paul "	+12	+ 3	(Not available for publication)				
Duluth-Superior "Wis.	+11	+16					
<u>Kansas City District</u>	+ 7	+11	+11	+35	+19	+ 8	+ 6
Denver Colo.	+10	+11	+17	+45	+ 9	+ 4	- 4
Wichita Kans.	- 3	+ 8	+ 6	+16	+23	+14	+ 6
Kansas City Mo.	+ 7	+13	+12	+27	+21	+ 5	+11
St. Joseph "	+ 8	+ 9	+ 7	**	+40	**	- 9
Oklahoma City Okla.	+ 3	+10	+13	+34	+37	+10	+14
Tulsa "	+ 5	+11	0	+35	+ 9	+14	+10
<u>Dallas District</u>	+ 4	+12	+ 8	+36	r+20	+12	+13
Dallas Tex.	-1	+ 5	-1	+21	+13	+ 1	-1
Fort Worth "	+ 6	+ 9	+ 9	r+34	r+50	+ 7	+ 7
Houston "	+ 6	+28	+29	+59	+22	+25	+32
San Antonio "	+ 3	+ 9	+ 6	+42	+16	+35	+36
<u>San Francisco District</u>	+ 6	+ 3	+ 2	+30	+ 7	r+ 1	+ 5
Los Angeles Area Calif.	+ 6	- 4	- 2	+26	+ 8	- 4	-1
Oakland "	+ 4	+11	**	**	**	**	**
San Francisco "	+ 2	- 1	- 1	+28	+ 5	+ 7	0
Portland Ore.	+10	+11	+ 6	+34	+13	+12	+21
Salt Lake City Utah	+ 7	+ 7	+20	+31	+ 5	+ 3	+27
Seattle Wash.	+ 4	+ 2	+ 2	+25	+ 4	+ 1	+14

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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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JAN 26 1952  
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