BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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DEPARTMENT STORE SALES, BY CITIES
(Based on Dollar Amounts)

Federal Reserve District and city		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago					
		Jan.- July	Month of Aug.	Sept.6	Sept.13	Sept.20	Sept.27	Oct. 4
UNITED STATES		- 1	+ 2	- 1	0	+ 1	- 2	+ 5
Boston District		- 2	- 1	- 5	+ 8	+ 5	- 3	+ 1
New Haven	Conn.	+ 5	+ 7	- 3	+ 1	- 4	0	- 5
Boston	Mass.	- 3	- 5	- 8	+ 9	+ 5	- 8	+ 2
Lowell-Lawrence	"	0	+ 8	+11	+ 2	+30	+30	- 5
Springfield	"	+ 3	+ 3	- 2	+ 3	+ 3	+ 4	+ 7
Providence	R. I.	- 2	- 1	- 1	+13	+ 8	+ 3	- 3
New York District		- 8	- 8	-10	- 6	- 6	- 5	- 2
Newark	N. J.	- 7	-10	- 7	- 8	- 7	+ 1	-11
Buffalo	N. Y.	0	- 2	- 9	+ 7	+ 9	+ 4	+ 8
New York	"	-11	-12	-11	- 9	- 9	- 7	- 3
Rochester	"	- 5	- 6	- 5	- 3	+ 5	+ 2	+ 6
Syracuse	"	- 4	- 4	- 9	+17	- 2	-14	0
Philadelphia District		- 2	- 2	- 4	- 1	+ 2	- 1	+ 4
Philadelphia	Pa.	- 3	- 6	- 6	- 4	- 5	+ 3	- 1
Cleveland District		- 3	+ 1	- 2	- 4	- 4	- 4	+ 4
Akron	Ohio	+ 2	+ 2	0	0	0	0	+ 7
Cincinnati	"	- 1	+ 4	+ 8	- 1	- + 3	0	- 3
Cleveland	"	- 3	- 2	0	- 2	- 2	- 4	+ 5
Columbus	"	+ 4	+10	+ 4	- 1	+ 4	- 6	+ 9
Toledo	"	- 1	*	*	*	*	*	+25
Erie	Pa.	+ 2	+ 2	+ 1	0	- 1	- 8	+ 2
Pittsburgh	"	- 6	+ 1	- 5	- 3	- 9	- 4	0
Richmond District		+ 2	+ 5	- 6	+ 5	- 9	r- 3	+ 4
Washington	D. C.	- 2	- 3	-11	+ 4	- 9	- 6	+ 2
Baltimore	Md.	+ 2	+ 1	+ 1	+ 6	- 9	- 2	+ 6
Atlanta District		+ 7	+11	+23	+10	+ 4	r+ 3	+ 9
Birmingham	Ala.	+ 4	+ 6	+21	+13	+11	-15	+19
Jacksonville	Fla.	+ 7	+ 5	+ 9	+ 6	+ 7	- 3	- 8
Miami	"	+ 2	+12	+18	+14	+12	r+11	+14
Atlanta	Ga.	+ 2	+11	+30	+ 5	- 2	r+ 1	+12
Augusta	"	+28	+34	+52	+33	+15	r+31	+26
New Orleans	La.	+ 9	+ 7	+21	+ 6	- 3	+18	*
Nashville	Tenn.	+ 9	+ 5	+14	+ 4	+19	+ 6	+15
Chicago District		- 4	- 1	0	- 3	+ 2	r- 2	+ 5
Chicago	Ill.	- 4	0	- 2	- 7	- 1	- 2	+ 4
Indianapolis	Ind.	+ 1	0	+ 1	- 7	- 1	- 3	+15
Detroit	Mich.	- 4	- 1	- 2	+ 3	+ 1	0	+ 2
Milwaukee	Wis.	- 4	- 5	+ 6	-11	- 2	- 7	+ 4

DEPARTMENT STORE SALES, BY CITIES (Continued)

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		Jan.-July	Month of Aug.	Sept.6	Sept.13	Sept.20	Sept.27	Oct. 4
St. Louis District		– 1	+ 1	+ 5	– 3	+ 3	– 2	+21
Little Rock	Ark.	+ 3	+ 7	+16	+ 3	+24	– 9	– 1
Louisville	Ky.	+ 3	+ 6	+ 7	0	+ 3	– 4	+15
St. Louis Area	Mo.	0	+ 1	+ 2	– 5	+ 1	+ 1	+26
Memphis	Tenn.	+ 3	+ 1	+ 8	– 6	+ 3	–14	+19
Minneapolis District		– 2	+ 1	+ 7	– 8	+ 5	– 5	r+ 4
Minneapolis	Minn.	– 1	+ 1	+ 7	– 6	+ 5	– 5	+ 1
St. Paul	"	– 2	0	+ 7	–13	+ 5	– 5	+19
Duluth-Superior	"&Wis.	+ 1	+ 2	+11	– 5	+12	– 9	– 5
Kansas City District		+ 1	+ 5	+ 2	– 6	– 2	r– 2	+ 5
Denver	Colo.	– 4	+ 5	+ 8	– 1	+ 3	0	+ 4
Topeka	Kans.	+ 4	– 7	– 2	–18	*	*	*
Wichita	"	+ 1	+ 2	– 1	– 8	–12	– 6	– 7
Kansas City	Mo.	+ 3	+ 3	– 7	– 7	– 4	– 9	+ 2
St. Joseph	"	– 8	– 2	– 3	–29	0	– 6	– 8
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+ 1	+ 4	+14	–10	–10	+ 5	+11
Tulsa	"	+ 9	+13	+12	– 5	0	+ 9	+19
Dallas District		+ 6	+ 6	+ 5	+ 3	– 1	+10	+14
Dallas	Tex.	+ 2	+ 2	+ 8	+ 8	– 5	+11	+13
El Paso	"	+ 6	+12	+15	+25	+ 3	+27	+24
Fort Worth	"	+ 3	+ 6	+19	– 1	– 9	+ 9	+ 6
Houston	"	+10	+ 8	– 7	– 6	+ 6	+15	+23
San Antonio	"	+ 8	+ 1	+ 4	+ 6	– 1	– 8	+ 9
San Francisco District		+ 2	+ 8	– 3	+ 9	+12	r– 4	+ 4
Los Angeles Area	Calif.	0	+ 6	– 9	+ 7	+16	– 6	+10
Downtown Los Angeles	"	– 7	+ 2	–11	– 4	+ 9	–16	+ 7
Westside Los Angeles	"	+ 2	+ 4	–17	0	+14	– 6	+ 5
Oakland	"	– 6	+ 2	0	+ 8	+ 4	– 4	– 2
San Diego	"	+ 6	+ 5	–10	+28	+15	– 1	+ 7
San Francisco	"	+ 4	+11	– 4	– 7	– 6	– 9	– 4
Portland	Ore.	– 4	+ 3	– 4	+10	+11	0	– 8
Salt Lake City	Utah	– 2	+ 6	+ 8	+11	+12	+ 1	+ 7
Seattle	Wash.	– 2	+ 7	+ 6	+13	+ 6	– 2	+ 2
Spokane	"	– 1	+ 3	– 1	+ 4	+ 6	–10	–10

r--Revised.   * Data not available.