

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
June 27, 1958.

WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREAS

Federal Reserve District, Area, and City	Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					
	4 mos. 1958	Week ending				
		May 31	June 7	June 14	June 21	
<u>UNITED STATES</u>	- 4	- 1	+ 1	- 1	- 9	
<u>Boston District</u>	- 6	- 5	+ 3	- 2	- 8	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Boston	Mass.	- 3	- 4	+ 4	- 2	- 6
Downtown Boston	"	- 7	-10	- 4	- 6	- 4
Suburban Boston	"	+ 6	+ 9	+18	+ 4	- 9
Cambridge	"	+ 6	+ 9	+20	+11	-16
Quincy	"	+ 6	+ 8	+12	+ 6	- 8
Lowell	"	- 5	- 6	- 1	-13	-23
<u>City</u>						
Springfield	"	- 4	+ 1	+ 1	- 3	-12
<u>New York District</u>	0	0	+ 2	+ 3	- 7	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Buffalo	N. Y.	- 6	- 2	- 3	- 1	- 6
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y.-N.J.	+ 2	+ 1	+ 5	+ 3	- 7
Newark	N. J.	- 8	- 3	0	- 5	-16
New York	N. Y.	- 3	- 2	0	- 1	- 9
Rochester	"	- 6	+ 1	+ 1	r 0	- 3
Syracuse	"	- 6	-10	*	*	-15
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	- 3	0	- 2	- 5	-18	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Wilmington	Del.	- 4	- 7	+ 4	r+ 6	-17
Trenton	N. J.	- 3	- 4	- 1	- 5	- 9
Lancaster	Pa.	- 1	+ 7	+22	+ 5	- 5
Philadelphia	"	- 2	0	- 5	- 7	-19
Reading	"	- 8	- 3	+ 5	- 2	-19
Scranton	"	- 3	+ 7	+ 4	r+ 1	-13
Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton	"	- 7	- 3	+ 5	r- 3	-18
<u>Cleveland District</u>	- 5	- 7	+ 2	r- 2	-13	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Lexington	Ky.	- 2	- 1	+ 7	+ 2	-17
Akron	Ohio	- 9	- 4	- 6	- 7	-17
Canton	"	-10	-10	-11	- 7	-22
Cincinnati	"	- 5	+ 3	+ 2	+ 5	- 8
Cleveland	"	- 4	- 9	- 5	- 4	-14
Downtown Cleveland	"	*	-17	-14	-13	-19
Columbus	"	- 4	- 3	- 2	+ 2	- 9
Springfield	"	-10	-10	r- 9	-13	-19
Youngstown	"	-16	-24	r+ 4	-11	-27
erie	Pa.	-11	- 5	r 0	- 5	-14
Pittsburgh	"	*	-13	r+13	+ 3	-10
Wheeling-Steubenville	W.Va.&Ohio	- 9	0	+ 4	+ 4	-16

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<u>Richmond District</u>		-5	+2	+5	r+3	-13
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Washington	D. C.	-3	0	+8	r+7	-13
Downtown Washington	"	-3	-4	+5	+3	-14
Baltimore	Md.	-8	+8	+6	+1	-13
Downtown Baltimore	"	-9	+5	+4	-2	-14
Richmond	Va.	-5	-5	-3	r-2	-20
<u>Atlanta District</u>		-3	c+3	+6	r+2	+2
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Birmingham	Ala.	-4	-5	0	-1	-11
Mobile	"	-2	+6	+7	-8	-8
Jacksonville	Fla.	-5	-9	-2	-8	+9
Miami	"	+1	+3	+3	-2	+16
Downtown Miami	"	-3	+1	-1	-4	+15
Atlanta	Ga.	+1	-3	+12	r+14	-5
Augusta	"	-10	-3	-7	r+2	-3
New Orleans	La.	-6	+4	+2	-7	-1
Knoxville	Tenn.	-6	+1	-6	r-5	+6
<u>City</u>						
Tampa	Fla.	+16	+17	+16	+24	+27
<u>Chicago District</u>		-6	-6	-4	-2	-15
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Chicago	Ill.	-3	-3	-5	-4	-12
Indianapolis	Ind.	-9	-6	-10	-8	-18
Detroit	Mich.	-12	-11	-5	+3	-20
Grand Rapids	"	-8	-11	-9	-4	-14
Milwaukee	Wis.	-4	-6	-4	-1	-16
<u>St. Louis District</u>		-5	+1	-3	r+5	-11
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Little Rock	Ark.	0	-4	0	-6	-9
Louisville	Ky.	-6	+1	-4	-1	-19
St. Louis	Mo.	-4	+1	-4	+11	-8
Memphis	Tenn.	-7	+8	r-1	-6	-17
<u>Minneapolis District</u>		-1	-1	-3	-3	-5
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	-2	*	-3	-3	*
Mpls. and Suburbs	"	-2	*	-1	-3	*
St. Paul	"	0	-1	-7	-4	-1
<u>Cities</u>						
Duluth-Superior	Minn.&Wis.	-3	-3	-8	-6	-7

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<u>Kansas City District</u>	- 1	+ 7	+ 3	- 1	+ 3
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>					
Denver	Col. 0	+ 7	+ 2	- 2	+ 3
Topeka	Kans. + 1	+ 2	+ 1	+ 2	+ 7
Wichita	" - 4	+ 3	- 2	- 5	- 2
Kansas City	Mo. - 3	+ 5	- 4	- 6	- 4
St. Joseph	" - 3	+ 4	- 2	-10	- 6
Albuquerque	N. Mex. + 2	+10	+ 2	+ 4	+16
Oklahoma City	Okla. - 4	+ 6	+13	r- 6	+ 7
Tulsa	" + 4	+22	+23	+12	+15
City					
Joplin	Mo. - 8	+ 1	+ 4	+ 3	-14
<u>Dallas District</u>	- 3	+ 8	+ 5	- 6	- 2
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>					
Dallas	Tex. 0	+14	+15	- 8	- 3
El Paso	" 0	- 1	+ 9	+10	+10
Fort Worth	" - 3	+10	+ 9	- 5	- 7
Houston	" - 9	- 7	- 6	-10	- 6
San Antonio	" - 1	+23	+ 1	- 8	+ 3
<u>San Francisco District</u>	- 2	- 5	- 4	- 1	r- 2
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>					
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif. - 2	- 3	- 3	- 1	- 4
Downtown Los Angeles	" - 7	- 9	-14	-10	- 3
Westside Los Angeles	" - 3	- 5	- 6	+ 1	- 6
Sacramento	" +21	-14	-17	- 8	- 8
San Diego	" - 7	+ 4	- 5	- 3	- 2
San Francisco-Oakland	" - 1	- 5	- 3	+ 4	+ 2
San Francisco City	" - 3	- 6	- 3	+ 1	+ 2
Oakland	" -15	-10	-13	- 2	- 6
Portland	Ore. - 7	- 9	+ 7	- 1	0
Salt Lake City	Utah - 3	- 1	+ 1	+ 2	- 1
Seattle	Wash. - 2	- 8	r-12	- 2	- 8
Spokane	" + 2	- 2	- 2	+ 1	+ 6
Tacoma	" - 6	0	+ 1	+ 2	- 8

r--Revised.

c--Corrected.

*Data not available.