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July 11, 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)				
	5 mos. 1958	Week ending			
		June 14	June 21	June 28	July 5
<u>UNITED STATES</u>	-3	-1	-9	-4	+1
<u>Boston District</u>	-6	-2	-8	-12	-1
Metropolitan Areas					
Boston Mass.	-2	-2	-6	-16	-3
Downtown Boston "	-7	-6	-4	-28	-18
Suburban Boston "	+8	+4	-9	+10	+22
Cambridge "	+8	+11	-16	+25	+17
Quincy "	+6	+6	-8	+13	+19
Lowell "	-5	-13	-23	-13	+18
City					
Springfield "	-4	-3	-12	+10	+5
<u>New York District</u>	0	+3	-7	+1	+11
Metropolitan Areas					
Buffalo N. Y.	-5	-1	-5	-3	+1
New York-N.E. New Jersey N.Y.-N.J.	+2	+3	-7	+2	+13
Newark N. J.	+8	-5	-16	-4	+9
New York N. Y.	-3	-1	-9	-1	+7
Rochester "	-5	0	-2	0	0
Syracuse "	-5	*	-15	-14	+1
<u>Philadelphia District</u>	-3	-5	-18	-5	+18
Metropolitan Areas					
Wilmington Del.	-3	+6	-17	-6	+19
Trenton N. J.	-4	-5	-10	+2	+16
Lancaster Pa.	+1	+5	-6	+19	+30
Philadelphia "	-2	-7	-19	-7	+20
Reading "	-6	-2	-19	-2	+15
Scranton "	-1	+1	-14	+2	+13
Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton "	-6	-3	-18	-7	+4
<u>Cleveland District</u>	-4	-2	-13	-10	-2
Metropolitan Areas					
Lexington Ky.	-2	+2	-17	-2	+2
Akron Ohio	-8	-7	-17	-17	-7
Canton "	-10	-7	-20	-15	-3
Cincinnati "	-5	+6	-7	-1	-13
Cleveland "	-4	-4	-14	-11	-4
Downtown Cleveland "	*	-13	-19	-18	-16
Columbus "	-3	+2	-9	-4	+5
Springfield "	-10	-13	-19	-15	-6
Youngstown "	-15	-10	-27	-17	-19
Erie Pa.	-10	-5	-20	-9	-19
Pittsburgh "	-1	0	-11	-8	+8
Downtown Pittsburgh "	*	-1	-12	-8	+7
Wheeling-Steubenville W. Va.&Ohio	-9	+4	-16	-7	+9

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<u>Richmond District</u>	<u>- 4</u>	<u>+ 3</u>	<u>-14</u>	<u>- 3</u>	<u>+ 7</u>	
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington D. C.	- 2	+ 7	-14	- 2	+15	
Downtown Washington "	- 3	+ 3	-15	r- 5	+ 7	
Baltimore Md.	- 7	+ 1	-13	- 2	+ 9	
Downtown Baltimore "	- 8	- 2	-14	- 1	+ 5	
Richmond Va.	- 6	- 2	-20	-10	- 3	
<u>Atlanta District</u>	<u>- 3</u>	<u>+ 2</u>	<u>+ 2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>r- 6</u>	
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham Ala.	- 4	- 1	-11	- 2	*	
Mobile "	- 2	- 8	- 8	- 2	-25	
Jacksonville Fla.	- 5	- 8	+ 9	+ 2	- 8	
Miami "	0	- 2	+15	- 3	- 5	
Downtown Miami "	- 4	- 4	+15	- 7	-10	
Atlanta Ga.	- 1	+14	- 4	+ 5	- 3	
Augusta "	- 8	+ 2	- 1	-15	- 9	
New Orleans La.	- 5	- 7	- 1	+ 4	*	
Knoxville Tenn.	- 6	- 5	+ 6	-19	-11	
City						
Tampa Fla.	+17	+24	+27	+16	+20	
<u>Chicago District</u>	<u>- 5</u>	<u>- 2</u>	<u>-15</u>	<u>- 6</u>	<u>+ 3</u>	
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago Ill.	- 3	- 4	-12	- 3	+ 8	
Indianapolis Ind.	- 9	- 8	-18	- 3	- 6	
Detroit Mich.	-11	+ 3	-20	-12	+ 1	
Grand Rapids "	- 7	- 4	-14	- 6	-19	
Milwaukee Wis.	- 3	- 1	-16	- 9	- 1	
<u>St. Louis District</u>	<u>- 4</u>	<u>+ 5</u>	<u>-11</u>	<u>- 6</u>	<u>- 4</u>	
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock Ark.	0	- 6	- 9	- 5	- 6	
Louisville Ky.	- 5	- 1	-19	- 5	+ 5	
St. Louis Mo.	- 3	+11	- 8	- 4	+ 3	
Memphis Tenn.	- 7	- 3	-17	- 9	-24	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>	<u>- 2</u>	<u>- 3</u>	<u>- 5</u>	<u>- 6</u>	<u>r+ 2</u>	
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul Minn.	- 3	- 3	*	*	+ 3	
Mpls. and Suburbs "	- 4	- 3	*	*	0	
St. Paul "	0	- 4	- 1	- 4	+ 8	
Cities						
Duluth-Superior Minn.&Wis.	- 4	- 6	- 7	- 2	-11	

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<u>Kansas City District</u>	0	- 1	+ 3	0	- 3	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Denver	Col. + 1	- 2	+ 3	+ 5	+14	
Topeka	Kans. + 1	+ 2	+ 7	- 7	- 2	
Wichita	" - 3	- 5	- 2	- 7	-18	
Kansas City	Mo. - 1	- 6	- 4	- 3	- 5	
St. Joseph	" - 3	-10	- 6	- 6	- 5	
Albuquerque	N. Mex. + 4	+ 4	+16	+10	*	
Oklahoma City	Okla. - 2	- 6	+ 7	+ 2	-22	
Tulsa	" + 7	+12	+15	+12	+ 7	
City						
Joplin	Mo. - 6	+ 3	-14	-18	+ 3	
<u>Dallas District</u>	- 2	- 6	- 2	- 6	-10	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Dallas	Tex. + 2	- 8	- 3	- 6	- 7	
El Paso	" + 1	+10	+10	- 7	+14	
Fort Worth	" - 1	- 5	- 7	- 2	- 5	
Houston	" - 9	-10	- 6	- 5	-19	
San Antonio	" + 1	- 8	+ 3	- 8	- 8	
<u>San Francisco District</u>	- 2	- 1	- 2	- 2	- 2	
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif. - 2	- 1	- 4	- 2	- 2	
Downtown Los Angeles	" - 8	-10	- 3	-17	+ 4	
Westside Los Angeles	" - 2	+ 1	- 6	+10	- 3	
Sacramento	" +11	- 8	- 8	-10	+ 1	
San Diego	" - 7	- 3	r- 3	0	- 3	
San Francisco-Oakland	" 0	+ 4	+ 2	0	- 5	
San Francisco City	" - 2	+ 1	+ 2	+ 2	- 8	
Oakland	" -14	- 2	- 6	-12	- 5	
Portland	Ore. - 6	- 1	r+ 1	+ 5	- 3	
Salt Lake City	Utah - 3	+ 2	- 1	+ 5	- 2	
Seattle	Wash. - 2	- 2	r- 9	+ 5	- 1	
Spokane	" + 2	+ 1	+ 6	- 5	- 3	
Tacoma	" - 5	+ 1	- 8	- 8	+ 5	

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*Data not available.