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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)				7 mos. 1962
		Week ending				
		Sept. 8	Sept. 1	Aug. 25	Aug. 18	
<u>UNITED STATES</u>		+13	+5	-3	+3	+5
<u>Boston District</u>		+8	+4	-5	+1	+3
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	+10	+6	-3	0	+2
Downtown Boston	"	+5	+2	-6	-3	-1
Suburban Boston	"	+15	+11	+1	+3	+6
Cambridge	"	+16	+12	+10	+14	+6
Quincy	"	+5	+3	-1	-5	-3
Lowell	"	+9	+3	+2	-7	+2
City						
Springfield	"	+10	+7	-4	-8	+3
<u>New York District</u>		+19	+9	-1	+1	+4
Metropolitan Areas						
Buffalo	N.Y.	+14	r-4	-11	+3	+4
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y.-N.J.	+20	+11	0	+1	+4
Hewark	"	+23	r+9	-1	+6	+1
New York	N.Y.	+19	+7	-2	-2	+1
Rochester	"	+15	+7	-2	+6	+4
Syracuse	"	+19	+3	+2	-9	+4
<u>Philadelphia District</u>		+19	+8	-2	+3	+5
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	+18	r+1	r-6	+3	+6
Trenton	N.J.	+12	+3	+7	-16	0
Lancaster	Pa.	+22	+1	-2	-3	+4
Philadelphia	"	+20	+11	-3	+6	+5
Reading	"	+20	+10	-8	-3	+7
Scranton	"	+13	-3	-3	-2	+2
Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton	"	+25	+2	-3	+7	+6
<u>Cleveland District</u>		r+12	+2	-9	+1	+4
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	+35	-11	-6	0	+7
Akron	Ohio	-4	-4	-9	+7	+14
Canton	"	-4	+2	-4	-1	-3
Cincinnati	"	+18	+6	-14	+6	+7
Cleveland	"	+10	-3	-12	-1	+2
Downtown Cleveland	"	-6	-15	-18	-12	-9
Columbus	"	+14	+6	r+1	+9	+6
Springfield	"	+20	+1	-8	+21	+2
Toledo	"	+19	+15	-4	+7	+10
Youngstown	"	+3	-8	-13	-6	-1
Erie	"	+7	+6	-1	+5	+5
Pittsburgh	Pa.	+9	+1	r-10	-4	+2
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+3	-3	-14	-8	-1
Allegheny	W.Va.	+19	+2	-1	+3	+4

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<u>Richmond District</u>		+17	r+4	-2	+2	+6
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+17	r+5	-3	0	+4
Downtown Washington	"	+12	r+3	-4	-5	+1
Baltimore	Md.	+19	+2	-3	+2	+10
Downtown Baltimore	"	+10	-7	-12	-13	-2
Richmond	Va.	+15	+5	+4	+4	+3
<u>Atlanta District</u>		r+7	r+5	+3	+4	+7
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	-3	0	r-2	-1	-1
Mobile	"	+5	+8	+13	-1	+6
Jacksonville	Fla.	*	*	*	*	+4
Miami	"	+4	0	+8	+10	+8
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	*	*	*	*	+21
Atlanta	Ga.	+8	+14	r+2	+6	+11
Augusta	"	+11	+5	-2	-1	+4
New Orleans	La.	+8	+8	+3	+3	+1
Cities						
Miami-Downtown	Fla.	0	-4	r+3	+6	+4
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+8	+12	-4	+2	+9
<u>Chicago District</u>		+15	r+7	-4	+6	+6
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	+15	+11	-2	+6	+4
Indianapolis	Ind.	+13	+4	-8	+7	+6
Detroit	Mich.	+17	0	-4	+11	+8
Milwaukee	Wis.	+6	+3	-5	-3	+2
<u>St. Louis District</u>		+13	r+7	-5	+4	+2
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	+9	+9	-7	-1	-1
Louisville	Ky.	+20	+2	-3	+10	+13
St. Louis	Mo.	+11	+6	r-8	+2	+6
Memphis	Tenn.	+17	+9	+5	+13	+9
<u>Minneapolis District</u>		+4	r+5	r-1	+6	+1
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+4	r+5	0	+7	+3
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+3	r+6	+3	+8	+3
Minneapolis	"	-4	-4	-7	-1	*
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+5	+3	-7	+4	+2
Cities						
Duluth-Superior	Minn.&Wis.	+6	+5	-6	-3	-2

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<u>Kansas City District</u>	+ 9	r+ 5	- 2	- 1	+ 3	
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Gol.	- 1	+ 2	0	- 7	+ 2
Topeka	Kans.	+ 8	+ 5	- 5	- 8	- 1
Wichita	"	+12	+ 2	- 8	- 7	+ 1
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+19	+ 9	+ 4	+11	+ 6
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	+ 3	- 8	-14	- 1	+ 1
St. Joseph	"	+11	+12	- 5	+ 4	+ 2
Lincoln	Nebr.	+12	+ 6	- 6	+ 5	+ 1
Omaha	"	+ 3	r+ 7	- 1	r- 2	0
Albuquerque	N.Hex.	- 4	- 6	- 4	-10	+ 2
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+17	+ 8	- 2	0	+ 6
Tulsa	"	+21	r+ 6	- 5	+ 3	+ 4
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+16	+ 5	- 9	+ 5	+ 5
<u>Dallas District</u>		+13	- 1	- 4	+ 2	+ 8
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	+13	0	- 3	+ 5	+ 8
El Paso	"	+ 6	+ 9	+ 4	+ 7	+ 8
Fort Worth	"	+34	+ 7	+ 9	+16	+20
Houston	"	+17	- 2	+ 5	+ 6	+12
San Antonio	"	+16	- 4	- 1	+ 8	+11
<u>San Francisco District</u>		r+ 5	+ 2	+ 4	+ 6	+ 8
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach Calif.		+ 4	0	+ 4	+ 7	+ 7
Downtown Los Angeles	"	+ 2	- 2	+ 4	0	0
Westside Los Angeles	"	+ 3	- 1	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3
Jacramento	"	+ 1	- 2	+ 4	- 6	+ 9
San Diego	"	+26	+ 6	+ 8	+17	+18
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+ 6	+ 1	- 1	0	+ 7
San Francisco	"	+ 4	0	- 2	0	+ 5
Oakland	"	+ 7	+ 1	- 2	- 3	+ 5
San Jose	"	+ 5	- 4	r+ 4	- 3	+11
Portland	Ore.	- 2	+ 2	- 2	+ 8	+ 5
Salt Lake City	Utah	+ 7	+ 9	+17	+12	+10
Seattle	Wash.	+ 2	+13	+10	+19	+16
Spokane	"	-10	- 9	-12	-20	+ 4
Tacoma	"	- 8	+ 5	+ 2	+ 9	+11

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