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WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREAS

Areas and Cities Within		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)				
Federal Reserve Districts		Week ending				4 mos.
		June 13	June 6	May 30	May 23	1964
<u>Boston District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	- 6	0	+ 1	+ 4	+ 5
Downtown Boston	"	- 6	- 1	0	+ 2	+ .4
Suburban Boston	"	- 6	+ 1	+ 2	+ 6	+ 7
Cambridge	"	- 9	+ 7	+ 7	+ 2	+ 5
Quincy	"	-11	- 9	- 8	- 2	+ 4
Lowell	"	- 3	r-10	+ 1	+ 9	+ 3
Providence	R. I.	-10	+ 3	+ 5	+ 3	*
<u>New York District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Buffalo	N. Y.	*	*	*	*	+ 7
New York-N. E.	New Jersey	N. Y., N. J.	- 2	+ 5	+10	+ 9
Newark	N. J.	- 5	r- 1	+ 8	+ 3	+ 2
New York	N. Y.	- 1	+ 7	+11	+ 7	+ 9
Rochester	"	-14	- 6	+ 5	+ 6	+ 4
Syracuse	"	- 9	r- 8	+ 1	0	+ 2
<u>Philadelphia District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	- 3	r+12	+34	+16	+15
Trenton	N. J.	+ 2	+ 1	+21	+11	+11
Lancaster	Pa.	- 5	r+11	+ 6	+24	+ 9
Philadelphia	Pa.	- 2	+ 3	+13	+10	+ 7
Reading	"	- 1	+ 6	+ 4	+19	+10
Scranton	"	- 1	- 2	+ 3	+ 9	+ 6
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	- 1	+ 3	- 5	+ 3	+ 2
<u>Cleveland District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	- 3	+ 6	+ 8	+40	+12
Akron	Ohio	+ 9	+ 2	+ 2	+ 6	+ 9
Canton	"	-12	- 3	-11	+11	+ 8
Cincinnati	"	- 8	+ 4	+ 6	+17	+10
Cleveland	"	- 4	+ 7	+ 9	+ 8	+ 9
Downtown Cleveland	"	-14	- 5	- 1	- 7	- 2
Columbus	"	- 3	r+ 3	+ 7	+13	+ 8
Springfield	"	+ 6	+ 7	- 5	+ 9	+ 4
Toledo	"	+ 2	- 4	+ 3	+ 1	+ 7
Youngstown	"	- 1	+ 7	+ 9	+12	+10
Erie	Pa.	- 3	r+ 4	+ 5	+10	+ 6
Pittsburgh	"	- 1	+20	-17	+10	+ 7
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	- 4	+17	-20	+ 5	+ 3
Wheeling	W. Va.	- 9	r+ 4	- 5	+ 3	+ 2

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	Week ending						
	June 13	June 6	May 30	May 23			
<u>Richmond District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Washington	D.C.	- 4	+ 1	+ 9	+18	+11	
Downtown Washington	"	- 3	0	+ 7	+10	+ 1	
Baltimore	Md.	- 7	+ 5	+11	+10	+12	
Downtown Baltimore	"	- 3	+ 2	+15	+ 4	+ 8	
Richmond	Va.	+ 3	+ 7	0	+12	+ 5	
<u>Atlanta District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Birmingham	Ala.	-18	- 5	+14	+ 8	+ 2	
Mobile	"	-19	+ 3	+26	+11	0	
Jacksonville	Fla.	+11	+28	+10	+22	+19	
Miami	"	+ 1	+ 7	- 3	+10	+14	
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	- 4	+ 6	+ 3	- 5	+ 8	
Atlanta	Ga.	0	+ 8	+18	+15	+ 9	
Augusta	"	- 8	- 1	+15	+ 7	+ 8	
New Orleans	La.	-12	+ 3	+ 9	+ 5	+10	
Cities							
Miami Downtown	Fla.	- 4	- 1	+ 2	+ 7	+ 8	
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+10	+ 1	+11	+ 6	+.3	
<u>Chicago District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Chicago	Ill.	- 5	- 8	+13	+17	+11	
Indianapolis	Ind.	-12	- 5	- 1	+ 5	+ 4	
Detroit	Mich.	+ 1	+ 1	+15	+ 5	+14	
Grand Rapids	"	- 6	0	+ 8	+ 4	+ 9	
Milwaukee	Wis.	- 8	- 4	+ 4	+12	+ 5	
<u>St. Louis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Little Rock	Ark.	- 6	+ 2	+24	+26	+ 9	
Louisville	Ky.	*	r+ 2	+ 6	+15	+10	
St. Louis	Mo.	- 3	- 6	- 1	+28	- 3	
Memphis	Tenn.	-13	- 3	+10	+ 7	+ 8	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	0	+ 6	+ 9	+21	+11	
Mpls. and Suburban	"	- 5	+ 3	+ 6	+17	+ 8	
Minneapolis	"	- 6	+ 1	+ 6	+13	*	
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+12	r+12	+17	+29	+19	
Cities							
Duluth-Superior	Minn. & Wis.	- 1	- 3	- 5	+15	+ 4	

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<u>Kansas City District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Denver	Col.	- 1	+ 6	- 5	+16	+ 8	
Topeka	Kans.	*	*	*	*	*	
Wichita	"	- 9	0	+30	+11	+ 6	
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	-13	- 3	+ 7	+18	+ 7	
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	- 7	- 6	+ 3	+10	+ 3	
St. Joseph	"	- 5	- 7	+ 6	+16	- 4	
Lincoln	Nebr.	- 2	+ 3	+14	+19	+ 6	
Omaha	"	-12	- 5	0	+16	+ 5	
Albuquerque	N. Mex.	- 3	r+ 7	+ 3	+ 2	+ 6	
Oklahoma City	Okla.	- 9	+ 2	+ 9	0	+ 4	
Tulsa	Okla.	- 1	- 4	+13	+15	+ 5	
City							
Joplin	Mo.	-18	-15	+12	+58	+ 5	
<u>Dallas District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Dallas	Tex.	- 1	+ 2	+18	+13	+10	
El Paso	"	-13	+ 2	+ 5	+17	+ 8	
Houston	"	+ 2	+ 8	+11	+17	+15	
San Antonio	"	- 1	+ 6	+ 4	+ 8	+ 8	
<u>San Francisco District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+ 2	+11	+ 5	+10	+11	
Downtown Los Angeles	"	- 5	+ 4	- 7	0	+ 1	
Westside Los Angeles	"	+ 1	+ 6	+ 1	+ 6	+ 5	
Sacramento	"	+ 4	+15	+ 1	+17	+17	
San Diego	"	+ 2	+13	- 7	+11	+10	
San Francisco-Oakland	"	- 5	0	0	+ 6	+ 7	
San Francisco	"	- 2	+ 3	0	+ 3	+ 4	
Oakland	"	- 9	- 6	-12	- 2	- 2	
San Jose	"	- 5	+ 4	0	+ 5	+ 8	
Portland	Ore.	- 5	r+ 9	+ 3	- 4	+ 5	
Salt Lake City	Utah	- 8	+10	+ 4	+ 2	+ 4	
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	- 6	+ 2	- 2	- 6	- 2	
Spokane	"	- 5	+15	- 9	+ 3	0	
Tacoma	"	- 9	+ 2	- 6	- 8	+ 1	

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