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WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREAS

Areas and Cities Within Federal Reserve Districts	Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					
	Week ending					6 mos.
	Aug. 22	Aug. 15	Aug. 8	Aug. 1	1964	
<u>Boston</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	+ 4	+ 4	+11	+ 3	+ 5
Downtown Boston	"	+ 3	+ 1	+ 7	- 1	+ 3
Suburban Boston	"	+ 6	+ 8	+16	+ 6	+ 6
Cambridge	"	+14	+ 8	+ 9	+ 6	+ 5
Quincy	"	-15	- 5	+ 3	-13	+ 2
Lowell	"	*	*	*	-13	+ 4
Providence	R.I.	- 4	- 7	0	+ 4	+ 7
<u>New York District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y. N. J.	+ 7	+ 8	+12	+10	+ 8
Newark	N.J.	+ 1	r 0	+ 3	+ 1	+ 3
New York	N.Y.	+ 9	+ 8	+11	+13	+ 8
Rochester	"	+15	+ 2	+ 9	+ 1	+ 3
Syracuse	"	-13	r- 5	+ 2	- 3	+ 2
<u>Philadelphia District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	+22	r+25	r+29	+31	+13
Trenton	N.J.	+20	-15	+15	+16	+10
Lancaster	Pa.	+11	+ 5	+ 9	0	+ 8
Philadelphia	"	+ 5	+ 8	+ 8	+ 8	+ 7
Reading	"	+18	+16	-16	+ 7	+10
Scranton	"	-22	r 0	+ 7	+ 5	+ 6
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	+18	+ 4	+ 9	- 4	+ 3
<u>Cleveland District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	0	- 2	+15	+ 1	+12
Akron	Ohio	+12	+10	+ 7	+ 9	+ 9
Canton	"	-10	+ 7	+10	+12	+ 7
Cincinnati	"	- 4	r+ 6	+ 3	+ 8	+10
Cleveland	"	- 1	+ 4	+ 5	+14	+ 9
Downtown Cleveland	"	- 5	0	+ 3	+10	- 3
Columbus	"	+ 2	+ 6	+ 4	+ 8	+ 7
Springfield	"	- 8	r+ 9	+36	- 5	+ 7
Toledo	"	- 2	+ 7	+ 1	+ 4	+ 7
Youngstown	"	+13	+ 9	+ 6	+ 5	+ 9
Erie	Pa.	+ 4	r 0	+17	+ 9	+ 7
Pittsburgh	"	+ 3	+10	+10	+12	+ 8
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	0	+ 7	+ 3	+ 5	+ 3
Wheeling	W. Va.	+11	- 2	+ 4	-17	+ 2

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		Aug. 22	Aug. 15	Aug. 8	Aug. 1		
<u>Richmond District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Washington	D.C.	+ 5	+11	+ 5	+10	+12	
Downtown Washington	"	+ 4	+ 7	+ 1	+ 5	+ 2	
Baltimore	Md.	+ 8	+ 8	+12	+ 5	+12	
Downtown Baltimore	"	+11	+12	+13	+10	+ 8	
Richmond	Va.	+12	+11	+13	+13	+ 7	
<u>Atlanta District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Birmingham	Ala.	+14	+12	- 3	- 7	+ 5	
Mobile	"	+12	+ 2	+ 8	- 7	+ 2	
Jacksonville	Fla.	+15	+11	+10	+ 1	+20	
Miami	"	*	+14	+17	+ 7	+12	
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+ 8	+ 1	+ 5	+ 7	+ 7	
Atlanta	Ga.	+12	+12	+18	+ 5	+11	
Augusta	"	+ 8	+10	+13	- 3	+ 9	
New Orleans	La.	+16	+ 6	+14	+ 7	+ 8	
Cities							
Miami Downtown	Fla.	*	+12	+14	+16	+ 8	
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+ 3	+ 2	+ 4	- 4	+ 4	
<u>Chicago District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Chicago	Ill.	+ 7	+ 8	+10	+15	+11	
Indianapolis	Ind.	- 1	+ 1	+ 6	+ 6	+ 1	
Detroit	Mich.	+16	+25	+13	+19	+14	
Grand Rapids	"	*	+ 4	+ 1	+ 8	+ 8	
Milwaukee	Wis.	+ 2	+ 5	+ 8	+ 5	+ 5	
<u>St. Louis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Little Rock	Ark.	+ 9	+ 2	+ 7	- 2	+10	
Louisville	Ky.	+ 1	+ 4	+ 6	+ 8	+10	
St. Louis	Mo.	- 2	+ 8	0	+12	+ 8	
Memphis	Tenn.	+ 9	+ 6	0	+ 2	+ 6	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Mpls. -St. Paul	Minn.	+10	+ 9	0	+13	+11	
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+12	+10	+ 5	+ 7	+ 8	
Minneapolis	"	+ 9	+ 8	+ 6	+ 2	*	
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+ 7	+ 7	- 9	+27	+20	
Cities							
Duluth-Superior	Minn.&Wis.	+ 4	+11	+ 5	+ 3	+ 5	

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		Week ending					
		Aug. 22	Aug. 15	Aug. 8	Aug. 1		
<u>Kansas City District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
	Denver	Col.	+ 9	+4	+ 5	+ 4	+ 7
	Wichita	Kans.	+18	+ 2	+ 9	+21	+ 7
	Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 7	r+17	+10	+16	+ 6
	Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	- 2	+ 4	+ 1	- 1	+ 2
	St. Joseph	"	+ 7	+ 5	+18	+ 8	- 2
	Lincoln	Nebr.	+14	r+16	r+20	+ 3	+ 7
	Omaha	"	+ 7	r+ 9	r+ 8	- 7	+ 5
	Albuquerque	N. Mex.	+ 5	+12	+11	+ 2	+ 5
	Oklahoma City	Okla.	+ 1	+ 5	- 1	+ 1	+ 4
	Tulsa	"	+ 5	+12	+13	+ 2	+ 6
	City						
	Joplin	Mo.	- 4	+12	+10	+ 7	+ 7
<u>Dallas District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
	Dallas	Tex.	+11	+ 6	+10	+ 8	+10
	El Paso	"	+ 9	+ 2	+ 1	+ 4	+ 9
	Houston	"	+16	+14	+13	+ 6	+16
	San Antonio	"	+14	+ 7	+ 6	+12	+10
<u>San Francisco District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
	Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+ 8	+14	+13	+ 7	+11
	Downtown Los Angeles	"	+ 2	+ 5	- 2	- 3	0
	Westside Los Angeles	"	+19	+30	+36	+ 4	+ 4
	Sacramento	"	+ 7	r+12	+18	+13	+16
	San Diego	"	+ 5	r+ 2	+ 7	+ 4	+10
	San Francisco-Oakland	"	+ 5	+ 5	+ 9	+ 2	+ 6
	San Francisco	"	+ 2	+ 3	+ 7	- 3	+ 4
	Oakland	"	+ 5	- 1	0	- 2	- 1
	San Jose	"	+ 3	+ 4	+ 8	+ 9	+ 8
	Portland	Ore.	+ 6	+ 6	+ 8	+ 5	+ 4
	Salt Lake City	Utah	+ 5	r- 7	- 4	- 1	+ 4
	Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+ 1	- 4	+ 4	+ 4	- 1
	Spokane	"	+ 2	+11	+ 5	+ 7	+ 1
	Tacoma	"	+ 9	r+26	+43	-16	0

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*--Data not available