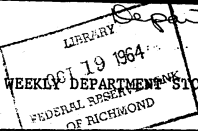




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WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREAS

Areas and Cities Within		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					8 mos.
Federal Reserve Districts		Week ending					1964
		Oct. 10	Oct. 3	Sept. 26	Sept. 19		
Boston							
Metropolitan Areas							
Boston	Mass.	+50	+ 7	+ 9	+ 9		+ 4
Downtown Boston	"	+44	0	+ 8	+ 9		+ 3
Suburban Boston	"	+57	+13	+10	+10		+ 6
Cambridge	"	+42	+47	- 4	+ 2		+ 5
Quincy	"	+28	0	+13	+ 3		+ 1
Lowell	"	+43	- 9	- 8	+19		+ 3
Providence	R.I.	+57	-14	0	+13		+ 5
New York District							
Metropolitan Areas							
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y. N.J.	+12	+ 4	+ 7	+ 9		+ 8
Newark	N.J.	- 1	r- 3	+ 7	+ 3		+ 2
New York	N.Y.	+17	r+ 8	+10	+10		+10
Rochester	"	+ 7	+13	+11	+ 6		+ 2
Syracuse	"	+ 5	- 8	- 8	+ 9		0
Philadelphia District							
Metropolitan Areas							
Wilmington	Del.	+25	r+12	+ 2	+13		+16
Trenton	N.J.	+33	+ 7	- 2	+15		+10
Lancaster	Pa.	+19	r+ 6	+ 3	+ 8		+ 7
Philadelphia	"	+23	+12	+ 1	+10		+ 8
Reading	"	+26	+ 4	+25	-10		+ 9
Scranton	"	+14	+10	0	+28		+ 5
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	+11	+ 4	+ 4	+12		+ 2
Cleveland District							
Metropolitan Areas							
Lexington	Ky.	+21	+ 8	- 6	+ 3		+10
Akron	Ohio	+16	+ 5	+22	+14		+ 8
Canton	"	+18	+11	+ 5	+13		+ 6
Cincinnati	"	+17	r+12	+ 4	+13		+ 8
Cleveland	"	+18	+ 3	+ 3	+11		+ 7
Downtown Cleveland	"	+13	- 1	- 3	0		- 3
Columbus	"	+26	+10	+ 9	+20		+ 6
Springfield	"	+12	+ 1	+ 5	+12		+ 8
Toledo	"	+24	+15	+ 5	+23		+ 6
Youngstown	"	+35	r+33	+ 3	+21		+ 8
Erie	Pa.	+17	+10	+ 1	+13		+ 5
Pittsburgh	"	+25	+ 6	+ 9	+ 7		+ 7
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+19	+ 2	+ 8	+ 3		+ 3
Wheeling	W. Va.	+20	+23	- 1	-15		+ 2

WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREAS (Continued)

Areas and Cities Within Federal Reserve Districts		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)				
		Week ending				3 mos. 1964
		Oct. 10	Oct. 3	Sept. 26	Sept. 19	
<u>Richmond District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+18	r+ 8	+ 6	+ 7	+11
Downtown Washington	"	+11	- 1	+ 3	+ 5	+ 2
Baltimore	Md.	- 4	+ 9	+ 6	+ 6	+ 9
Downtown Baltimore	"	+ 6	r+ 7	+ 2	+ 8	+ 7
Richmond	Va.	+11	+11	+16	+29	+ 7
<u>Atlanta District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	+23	r- 6	+15	+30	+ 4
Mobile	"	+30	-11	+ 3	+13	+ 2
Jacksonville	Fla.	+39	*	+14	+29	+16
Miami	"	+18	+10	+12	+15	+11
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+14	- 6	0	+ 8	+ 6
Atlanta	Ga.	+29	r+11	+ 4	+19	+10
Augusta	"	-18	+49	+ 6	+16	+ 7
New Orleans	La.	+40	-29	+ 3	+11	+ 8
Cities						
Miami Downtown	Fla.	+14	+ 3	+12	+16	+ 7
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+16	r+ 1	- 4	+ 8	+ 3
<u>Chicago District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	+25	+15	+12	+18	+11
Indianapolis	Ind.	+ 5	- 4	0	+10	+ 1
Detroit	Mich.	+34	+33	+17	+28	+14
Grand Rapids	"	+13	+ 9	+26	+20	+ 6
Milwaukee	Wis.	+19	+ 9	+16	+13	+ 4
<u>St. Louis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	+ 9	+ 9	- 3	+18	+ 9
Louisville	Ky.	+27	+ 2	r+ 5	+10	+ 9
St. Louis	Mo.	+15	+ 5	+ 1	- 1	+ 8
Memphis	Tenn.	+27	- 2	0	+ 6	+ 6
<u>Minneapolis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+ 9	+15	+12	+18	+10
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+ 9	+13	+10	+15	+ 8
Minneapolis	"	+ 8	+10	+11	+14	*
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+ 4	+19	+14	+23	+17
Cities						
Duluth-Superior	Minn. & Wis.	+16	+13	+10	+ 6	+ 5

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Areas and Cities Within Federal Reserve Districts		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)					8 mos. 1964
		Week ending					
		Oct. 10	Oct. 3	Sept. 26	Sept. 19		
<u>Kansas City District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Denver	Col.	+ 7	+ 3	+ 8	+ 7	+ 6	
Wichita	Kans.	+12	+13	+13	+ 8	+ 7	
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 8	+11	+ 3	+ 9	+ 6	
Downtown Kansas City	"	+ 2	+ 4	0	+ 2	+ 2	
St. Joseph	"	+ 4	+ 5	+ 3	+20	C	
Lincoln	Nebr.	+25	+13	+ 9	+ 9	+ 7	
Omaha	"	+15	+12	+12	+ 5	+ 5	
Albuquerque	N. Mex.	+27	+10	-14	+11	+ 5	
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+18	+ 3	+12	+ 5	+ 4	
Tulsa	"	+27	+ 7	+ 9	+23	+ 6	
City							
Joplin	Mo.	+19	+18	0	+17	+ 7	
<u>Dallas District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Dallas	Tex.	+10	+16	+ 7	+ 9	+ 9	
El Paso	"	+10	+ 5	+27	+26	+ 8	
Houston	"	+ 1	+16	+14	+20	+15	
San Antonio	"	- 1	+29	+30	+ 4	+10	
<u>San Francisco District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	- 2	+ 9	+19	+11	+11	
Downtown Los Angeles	"	-16	+ 7	+30	+ 8	0	
Westside Los Angeles	"	+ 4	+20	+38	+12	+ 7	
Sacramento	"	+ 8	+12	+10	+ 9	+15	
San Diego	"	- 2	+ 7	+21	+11	+ 9	
San Francisco-Oakland	"	- 5	+10	+ 4	+10	+ 5	
San Francisco	"	-12	+ 5	+ 2	+ 5	+ 3	
Oakland	"	+ 2	+ 1	- 9	+12	- 1	
San Jose	"	-15	+ 2	+ 6	0	+ 8	
Portland	Ore.	+ 3	+11	+11	+ 6	+ 4	
Salt Lake City	Utah	+39	-30	+10	+ 7	+ 4	
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+ 6	+10	+ 8	+11	- 1	
Spokane	"	+ 7	+ 4	+ 2	+ 3	+ 2	
Tacoma	"	+25	+23	- 3	+27	+ 4	

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*--Data not available.