FEDERAL RESERVE

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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)				8 mos. 1964
		Week ending				
		Oct. 17	Oct. 10	Oct. 3	Sept. 26	
Boston						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	- 8	+50	+ 7	+ 9	+ 4
Downtown Boston	"	-14	+44	0	+ 8	+ 3
Suburban Boston	"	- 1	+57	+13	+10	+ 6
Cambridge	"	- 3	+42	+47	- 4	+ 5
Quincy	"	- 4	+28	0	+13	+ 1
Lowell	"	+15	r+41	- 9	- 8	+ 3
Providence	R.I.	- 5	+57	-14	0	+ 5
New York District						
Metropolitan Areas						
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y. N.J.	+18	+12	+ 4	+ 7	+ 8
Newark	N.J.	+27	r 0	- 3	+ 7	+ 2
New York	N.Y.	+15	+17	+ 8	+10	+10
Rochester	"	+ 4	+ 7	+13	+11	+ 2
Syracuse	"	+23	r+ 4	- 8	- 8	0
Philadelphia						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	+14	r+24	r+11	+ 2	+16
Trenton	N.J.	+ 9	r+27	+ 7	- 2	+10
Lancaster	Pa.	+ 8	+19	+ 6	+ 3	+ 7
Philadelphia	"	+17	r+26	+12	+ 1	+ 8
Reading	"	+13	+26	+ 4	+25	+ 9
Scranton	"	+ 3	r+15	+10	0	+ 5
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	+13	+11	+ 4	+ 4	+ 2
Cleveland District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	+13	+21	+ 8	- 6	+10
Akron	Ohio	+ 4	+16	+ 5	+22	+ 8
Canton	"	-16	+18	+11	+ 5	+ 6
Cincinnati	"	+13	r+18	+12	+ 4	+ 8
Cleveland	"	+ 6	+18	+ 3	+ 3	+ 7
Downtown Cleveland	"	+ 7	+13	- 1	- 3	- 3
Columbus	"	+15	+26	+10	+ 9	+ 6
Springfield	"	+ 1	+12	+ 1	+ 5	+ 8
Toledo	"	+ 5	+24	+15	+ 5	+ 6
Youngstown	"	+ 3	r+30	+33	+ 3	+ 8
Erie	Pa.	+10	+17	+10	+ 1	+ 5
Pittsburgh	"	+16	+25	+ 6	+ 9	+ 7
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+15	+19	+ 2	+ 8	+ 3
Wheeling	W.Va.	+ 7	+20	+23	- 1	+ 2

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Richmond District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+11	r+17	+ 8	+ 6	+11
Downtown Washington	"	+ 7	r+10	- 1	+ 3	+ 2
Baltimore	Md.	+ 3	- 4	+ 9	+ 6	+ 9
Downtown Baltimore	"	+ 3	- 6	+ 7	+ 2	+ 7
Richmond	Va.	+ 4	+11	+11	+16	+ 7
Atlanta District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	+12	+23	- 6	+15	+ 4
Mobile	"	+13	+30	-11	- 3	+ 2
Jacksonville	Fla.	+18	r+37	*	+14	+16
Miami	"	+11	+18	+10	+12	+11
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	0	+14	- 6	0	+ 6
Atlanta	Ga.	+19	r+28	+11	+ 4	+10
Augusta	"	+10	r-19	+49	+ 6	+ 7
New Orleans	La.	+26	r+39	-29	+ 3	+ 8
Cities						
Miami Downtown	Fla.	+ 6	+14	+ 3	+12	+ 7
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+10	+16	+ 1	- 4	+ 3
Chicago District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	- 3	+25	+15	+12	+11
Indianapolis	Ind.	-10	+ 5	- 4	0	+ 1
Detroit	Mich.	+26	+34	+33	+17	+14
Grand Rapids	"	+ 1	+13	+ 9	+26	+ 6
Milwaukee	Wis.	+ 5	+19	+ 9	+16	+ 4
St. Louis District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	- 2	r+11	+ 9	- 3	+ 9
Louisville	Ky.	+ 8	+27	r+ 1	+ 5	+ 9
St. Louis	Mo.	+21	+15	+ 5	+ 1	+ 8
Memphis	Tenn.	+ 9	r+28	- 2	0	+ 6
Minneapolis District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+ 9	+ 9	+15	+12	+10
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+ 9	+ 9	+13	+10	+ 8
Minneapolis	"	+ 8	+ 8	+10	+11	*
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+10	r+11	+19	+14	+17
Cities						
Duluth-Superior	Minn.&Wis.	- 2	+16	+13	+10	+ 5

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Kansas City District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Col.	+ 5	+ 7	+ 3	+ 8	+ 6
Wichita	Kans.	+ 8	+12	+13	+13	+ 7
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 8	+ 8	+11	+ 3	+ 6
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	+ 3	+ 2	+ 4	0	+ 2
St. Joseph	"	+13	+ 4	+ 5	+ 3	0
Lincoln	Nebr.	+ 6	r+23	+13	+ 9	+ 7
Omaha	"	+ 7	+15	+12	+12	+ 5
Albuquerque	N.Mex.	+20	+27	+10	-14	+ 5
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+ 5	+18	+ 3	+12	+ 4
Tulsa	"	+ 8	+27	+ 7	+ 9	+ 6
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+ 5	+19	+18	0	+ 7
Dallas District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	+ 9	+10	+16	+ 7	+ 9
El Paso	"	+ 8	+10	+ 5	+27	+ 8
Houston	"	+ 2	+ 1	+16	+14	+15
San Antonio	"	+12	- 1	+29	+30	+10
San Francisco District						
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+ 2	- 2	+ 9	+19	+11
Downtown Los Angeles	"	- 5	-16	+ 7	+30	0
Westside Los Angeles	"	+16	+ 4	+20	+38	+ 7
Sacramento	"	+ 6	r+ 7	+12	+10	+15
San Diego	"	- 5	- 2	+ 7	+21	+ 9
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+12	- 5	+10	+ 4	+ 5
San Francisco	"	+14	r-13	+ 5	+ 2	+ 3
Oakland	"	- 1	+ 2	+ 1	- 9	- 1
San Jose	"	+10	-15	+ 2	+ 6	+ 8
Portland	Ore.	+ 5	+ 3	+11	+11	+ 4
Salt Lake City	Utah	+ 2	r+40	-30	+10	+ 4
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+10	+ 6	+10	+ 8	- 1
Spokane	"	+ 5	r+ 8	+ 4	+ 2	+ 2
Tacoma	"	+19	r+28	+23	- 3	+ 4

r--Revised
*--Data not available.