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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				9 mos.
		Oct. 31	Oct. 24	Oct. 17	Oct. 10	1964
<u>Boston</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	+ 4	+17	- 8	+50	+ 5
Downtown Boston	"	+ 4	+17	-14	+44	+ 3
Suburban Boston	"	+ 4	+17	- 1	+57	+ 6
Cambridge	"	- 1	+18	- 3	+42	+ 5
Quincy	"	+ 1	+20	- 4	+28	+ 1
Lowell	"	-17	+ 6	+15	+41	+ 4
Providence	R.I.	+ 4	+ 5	- 5	+57	+ 5
<u>New York District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y. N.J.	- 1	+13	+18	+12	+ 8
Neward	N.J.	+ 2	+ 9	+27	0	+ 2
New York	N.Y.	+ 1	+14	+15	+17	+10
Rochester	"	+ 4	+38	+ 5	+ 7	+ 3
Syracuse	"	- 8	+20	+21	+ 4	+ 2
<u>Philadelphia</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	+13	+16	+15	+24	+15
Trenton	N.J.	0	+22	+11	+27	+12
Lancaster	Pa.	- 8	+13	+ 7	+19	+ 8
Philadelphia	"	+ 3	+13	+19	+26	+ 9
Reading	"	- 7	+16	+12	+26	+ 9
Scranton	"	+ 5	+21	+ 2	+15	+ 5
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	- 5	+12	+13	+11	+ 3
<u>Cleveland District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	-15	+ 3	+13	+21	+ 9
Akron	Ohio	+18	+10	+ 4	+16	+ 8
Canton	"	+ 2	+61	-16	+18	+ 6
Cincinnati	"	- 9	+12	+14	+18	+ 8
Cleveland	"	- 8	+15	+ 6	+18	+ 8
Downtown Cleveland	"	- 3	+14	+ 7	+13	- 2
Columbus	"	- 3	+17	+15	+26	+ 7
Springfield	"	-14	+27	+ 1	+12	+ 8
Toledo	"	0	+19	+ 6	+24	+ 6
Youngstown	"	+ 7	+24	+ 3	+30	+ 9
Erie	Pa.	- 8	+ 2	+10	+17	+ 5
Pittsburgh	"	- 2	+22	+16	+25	+ 7
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+ 1	+18	+15	+19	+ 3
Wheeling	W. Va.	-11	+18	+ 8	+20	+ 2

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<u>Richmond District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Washington	D. C.	+ 2	r+17	+10	+17	+10	
Downtown Washington	"	+ 1	r+13	+ 5	+10	+ 2	
Baltimore	Md.	+34	r= 3	+ 3	- 4	+ 9	
Downtown Baltimore	"	+39	- 2	+ 3	- 6	+ 7	
Richmond	Va.	+ 1	+21	+ 4	+11	+ 7	
<u>Atlanta District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Birmingham	Ala.	- 5	+ 8	+10	+23	+ 4	
Mobile	"	-13	+15	+13	+30	+ 2	
Jacksonville	Fla.	-23	+12	+19	+37	+16	
Miami	"	+ 2	r+15	+11	+18	+11	
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	-10	+10	0	+14	+ 6	
Atlanta	Ga.	+ 4	+23	+19	+28	+10	
Augusta	"	- 4	+11	+10	-19	+ 7	
New Orleans	La.	0	+17	+26	+39	+ 8	
Cities							
Miami Downtown	Fla.	+ 1	+17	+ 6	+14	+ 7	
Central Atlanta	Ga.	- 6	r+12	+10	+16	+ 2	
<u>Chicago District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Chicago	Ill.	+ 1	+26	- 3	+25	+11	
Indianapolis	Ind.	*	+ 2	-10	+ 5	+ 2	
Detroit	Mich.	+27	+37	+26	+34	+15	
Grand Rapids	"	- 9	+25	+ 1	+13	+ 6	
Milwaukee	Wis.	-12	+16	+ 5	+19	+ 5	
<u>St. Louis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Little Rock	Ark.	- 8	+16	- 1	+11	+10	
Louisville	Ky.	- 2	+13	+ 8	+26	+ 8	
St. Louis	Mo.	- 4	r+20	+21	+15	+ 8	
Memphis	Tenn.	-11	+ 3	+ 9	+28	+ 5	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+ 5	+21	+ 9	+ 9	+11	
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+ 1	+23	+ 9	+ 9	+ 9	
Minneapolis	"	- 2	+20	+ 8	+ 8	*	
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+15	+19	+10	+11	+17	
Cities							
Duluth-Superior	Minn. & Wis.	-12	+32	- 2	+16	+ 6	

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<u>Kansas City District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Col.	+ 1	+ 3	+ 5	+ 7	+ 6
Wichita	Kans.	-10	+ 7	+ 8	+12	+ 8
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 3	+14	+ 8	+ 8	+ 7
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	0	+12	+ 3	+ 2	+ 2
St. Joseph	"	- 6	+10	+13	+ 4	0
Lincoln	Nebr.	+10	r- 7	+ 3	+23	+ 8
Omaha	"	+ 7	r+10	+ 8	+15	+ 5
Albuquerque	N. Mex.	+11	+26	+20	+27	+ 8
Oklahoma City	Okla.	-11	- 3	+ 5	+18	+ 4
Tulsa	"	- 7	+28	+ 8	+27	+ 7
City						
Joplin	Mo.	-10	+ 9	+ 5	+19	+ 7
<u>Dallas District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	+ 6	+14	+ 9	+10	+10
El Paso	"	- 5	+12	+ 8	+10	+ 9
Houston	"	+ 5	+53	+ 2	+ 1	+15
San Antonio	"	0	+45	+12	- 1	+11
<u>San Francisco District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+ 9	r+ 2	+ 2	- 2	+11
Downtown Los Angeles	"	+ 1	- 9	- 5	-16	+ 1
Westside Los Angeles	"	+28	r+15	+15	+ 4	+ 8
Sacramento	"	+20	+ 8	+ 6	+ 7	+15
San Diego	"	+ 6	+ 2	- 5	- 2	+ 9
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+ 8	+ 3	+11	- 5	+ 6
San Francisco	"	+ 2	+ 5	+14	-13	+ 4
Oakland	"	+ 7	- 5	- 1	+ 2	0
San Jose	"	+ 2	0	+10	-15	+ 8
Portland	Ore.	+ 2	- 1	+ 5	+ 3	+ 5
Salt Lake City	Utah	- 4	+ 6	+ 2	+40	+ 3
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+ 6	r- 3	+ 9	+ 6	+ 1
Spokane	"	+10	+ 1	+ 5	+ 8	+ 3
Tacoma	"	+15	+ 9	+18	+28	+ 6

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*--Data not available