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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					2 mos.
	Apr. 24	Apr. 17	Apr. 10	Apr. 3	1965	
<u>Boston District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	- 1	+29	+29	+11	+ 2
Downtown Boston	"	- 1	+20	+28	+ 8	- 1
Suburban Boston	"	- 1	+37	+29	+15	+ 4
Cambridge	"	- 3	+14	+15	+18	+ 6
Quincy	"	- 5	+14	+10	- 3	- 4
Lowell	"	-18	+26	+16	-16	- 6
Providence	R.I.	- 1	+35	+ 3	+ 1	- 2
<u>New York District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y.N.J.	0	+21	+23	+20	+ 3
Newark	N.J.	-13	- 2	+ 4	+17	- 5
New York	N.Y.	+ 1	+16	+20	+16	+ 2
Rochester	"	+ 9	r+17	+25	+18	+ 3
Syracuse	"	+20	r+ 4	+10	+16	+ 3
<u>Philadelphia District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmingon	Del.	+12	r+13	+30	+27	+ 8
Trenton	N.J.	- 5	+15	+32	+27	0
Lancaster	Pa.	-19	r+33	+21	+41	+ 2
Philadelphia	"	-14	+12	+31	+14	+ 4
Reading	"	+ 3	+18	+ 8	+20	+10
Seranton	"	+10	+22	+21	+10	+ 3
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	0	+25	+44	+23	+ 4
<u>Cleveland District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	0	0	+28	+28	+ 4
Akron	Ohio	+ 6	+20	+ 8	+12	+ 2
Canton	"	- 2	+19	+25	0	+ 2
Cincinnati	"	- 6	+33	+28	+28	- 2
Cleveland	"	+22	+13	+11	+16	- 1
Downtown Cleveland	"	+27	+ 4	+ 4	+12	- 5
Columbus	"	+30	r- 4	+37	+29	+ 2
Springfield	"	0	+19	+20	+22	+ 2
Toledo	"	+ 8	+ 5	+23	+30	- 2
Youngstown	"	- 5	+13	+14	+14	+ 7
Eric	Pa.	- 7	r+15	+36	+ 8	+ 7
Pittsburgh	"	-19	+14	+26	+29	- 1
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	-18	+ 3	+18	+23	- 2
Wheeling	W.Va.	+12	+31	+50	+45	+10

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<u>Richmond District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Washington	D.C.	+ 3	+33	+23	+11	+ 8	
Downtown Washington	"	- 1	+25	+19	+12	0	
Baltimore	Md.	- 3	+35	+26	+26	+ 2	
Downtown Baltimore	"	- 7	r+24	+16	+27	- 2	
Richmond	Va.	- 2	+30	+38	+35	+ 2	
<u>Atlanta District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Birmingham	Ala.	0	+22	+28	+14	- 3	
Mobile	"	- 3	+22	+34	+19	- 1	
Jacksonville	Fla.	+ 5	+25	+10	+20	+ 2	
Miami	"	+ 2	r+19	+12	+ 9	+ 5	
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+ 8	+11	+12	+ 9	+ 1	
Atlanta	Ga.	-26	r+44	+46	+27	+ 4	
Augusta	"	+21	r+32	+45	+12	+ 3	
New Orleans	La.	- 7	+36	+48	+38	+ 8	
Cities							
Miami Downtown	Fla.	- 1	r+15	+26	0	+ 1	
Central Atlanta	Ga.	-30	r+25	+31	+15	- 5	
<u>Chicago District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Chicago	Ill.	0	+20	+21	+19	+ 2	
Indianapolis	Ind.	- 5	+17	+12	+10	- 5	
Detroit	Mich.	+13	+20	+27	+35	+ 8	
Grand Rapids	"	*	+10	+13	+ 5	- 3	
Milwaukee	Wis.	+ 9	+ 6	+23	+ 8	+ 1	
<u>St. Louis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Little Rock	Ark.	0	-16	+ 7	- 9	- 3	
Louisville	Ky.	+ 8	+ 5	+24	+18	+ 6	
St. Louis	Mo.	+11	+17	+13	+22	- 3	
Memphis	Tenn.	+10	+28	r+24	+ 6	- 5	
<u>Minneapolis District</u>							
Metropolitan Areas							
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+ 7	+25	+21	+ 3	+ 3	
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+ 8	+25	+24	+ 5	0	
Minneapolis	"	+ 6	+23	+24	+ 9	*	
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+ 4	+24	+15	- 2	+10	
Cities							
Duluth-Superior	Minn&Wis.	+12	+20	r+ 7	- 7	- 1	

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Kansas City District						
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Denver	Col.	- 9	+ 9	+ 7	+20	- 3
Wichita	Kans.	+10	+16	+13	+ 4	0
Kansas City	Mo-Kans.	+ 4	+14	+12	+ 8	0
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	+ 7	+12	+15	+12	- 3
St. Joseph	"	-22	+27	+19	+13	- 3
Lincoln	Nebr.	- 1	r. 0	+14	+ 7	- 7
Omaha	"	+12	r+18	+16	+16	0
Albuquerque	N.Mex.	+22	+18	+29	+32	+20
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+ 4	r+26	+20	+24	0
Tulsa	"	+19	+19	+33	+38	+ 5
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+ 7	+24	+15	+40	+ 4
 Dallas District						
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Dallas	Tex.	+11	+32	+11	+16	+ 2
El Paso	"	+10	+30	+ 7	+ 9	0
Houston	"	+ 5	+27	+ 9	+15	+ 8
San Antonio	"	- 9	+33	- 5	- 7	+ 2
 San Francisco District						
<u>Metropolitan Areas</u>						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+19	+ 7	-23	0	+ 3
Downtown Los Angeles	"	+12	r+10	-22	- 9	- 5
Westside Los Angeles	"	+22	+23	-34	+18	+14
Sacramento	"	- 5	r+ 7	-10	+ 3	- 3
San Diego	"	+18	+ 5	-14	+ 2	+ 2
San Francisco-Oakland	"	- 2	+16	- 5	+ 6	+ 5
San Francisco	"	- 7	+ 9	- 9	+ 1	+ 3
Oakland	"	- 4	+11	- 8	+ 5	*
San Jose	"	+ 2	+12	- 3	+12	+ 3
Portland	Ore.	+ 3	+ 9	-11	- 1	+ 5
Salt Lake City	Utah	+ 5	r+14	+ 9	+10	+ 6
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+ 3	r+16	+ 4	+ 6	+ 8
Spokane	"	+31	+17	- 8	+ 3	+ 7
Tacoma	"	+ 4	+ 7	+ 6	+ 9	+12

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*--Data not available