



# FEDERAL RESERVE

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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)				
		Week ending				5 mos.
Federal Reserve Districts		July 3	June 26	June 19	June 12	1965
<b>Boston District</b>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Masc.	+20	+ 2	+ 2	+14	+ 3
Downtown Boston	"	+23	+ 2	- 3	+ 6	+ 2
Suburban Boston	"	+18	+ 2	+ 6	+22	+ 5
Cambridge	"	- 2	- 4	+ 6	+17	+ 5
Quincy	"	+ 4	- 9	+ 4	+13	- 3
Lowell	"	+13	- 2	+ 3	+ 4	- 5
Providence	R.I.	+24	0	- 1	+13	+ 2
<b>New York District</b>						
Metropolitan Areas						
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y.N.J.	+21	+ 7	+ 3	+ 9	+ 5
Newark	N.J.	+ 4	r- 3	- 3	+ 5	- 1
New York	N.Y.	+19	+ 4	0	+ 6	*
Rochester	"	+25	+ 9	+ 3	+ 9	+ 7
Syracuse	"	+29	+15	+17	+ 6	+11
<b>Philadelphia District</b>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	+ 2	r+ 1	+ 5	+14	+ 9
Trenton	N.J.	+21	+10	+12	+ 1	+ 5
Lancaster	Pa.	+18	- 6	+ 5	+ 6	+ 6
Philadelphia	"	+14	-10	- 3	+ 6	+ 4
Reading	"	+16	+ 2	- 1	+13	+ 5
Scranton	"	+15	- 2	+ 3	0	+ 3
Wilkes-Barre	"	+29	- 8	+ 3	+ 7	+ 5
<b>Cleveland District</b>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	+10	- 4	+ 1	+ 6	+ 4
Akron	Ohio	+20	- 3	+ 5	+12	+ 5
Canton	"	+18	- 9	- 3	0	+ 4
Cincinnati	"	+24	- 1	+ 4	+ 8	+ 2
Cleveland	"	+19	+ 2	- 1	+ 4	+ 2
Downtown Cleveland	"	+20	0	+ 2	- 3	- 1
Columbus	"	+21	r+ 1	+11	+30	+ 6
Springfield	"	+ 9	- 2	+ 4	+ 9	+ 5
Toledo	"	+13	+ 4	+ 9	+14	+ 6
Youngstown	"	+30	r+ 5	r+ 1	+14	+ 6
Eric	Pa.	+11	r- 8	- 2	+13	+ 7
Pittsburgh	"	+17	- 3	+ 6	+ 5	+ 3
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+13	- 4	+ 4	+ 2	+ 1
Wheeling	W.Va.	*	*	*	*	*

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Areas and Cities Within Federal Reserve Districts		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)				5 mos. 1965
		Week ending				
		July 3	June 26	June 19	June 12	
<u>Richmond District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+16	+ 3	0	+ 4	+ 7
Downtown Washington	"	+13	r+ 2	- 4	0	+ 2
Baltimore	Md.	+23	r+ 4	+ 2	+ 8	+ 5
Downtown Baltimore	"	+17	+ 2	- 2	+ 3	0
Richmond	Va.	+24	r- 3	0	+ 8	+ 6
<u>Atlanta District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	*	- 5	- 6	*	- 1
Mobile	"	+16	- 6	- 7	-10	0
Jacksonville	Fla.	+13	- 6	-15	- 8	+ 3
Miami	"	+ 7	+ 2	+ 4	+ 3	+ 3
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+ 9	+ 2	- 3	- 4	+ 2
Atlanta	Ga.	*	- 6	- 2	+ 4	+ 9
Augusta	"	+14	- 3	- 8	- 7	+ 7
New Orleans	La.	+26	+ 4	+ 5	+ 5	+ 9
Cities						
Miami Downtown	Fla.	+14	+ 6	+ 5	- 2	+ 2
Central Atlanta	Ga.	*	-14	- 9	- 3	0
<u>Chicago District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	- 3	+ 6	+ 4	+10	+ 5
Indianapolis	Ind.	- 8	0	+ 4	+ 2	+ 1
Detroit	Mich.	+ 7	+12	+15	+22	+15
Grand Rapids	"	- 5	0	+ 5	+31	0
Milwaukee	Wis.	- 5	+ 2	- 1	+ 6	+ 3
<u>St. Louis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	- 4	- 4	r+10	r+ 1	+ 4
Louisville	Ky.	+11	-16	- 3	0	+ 7
St. Louis	Mo.	+13	- 6	- 2	- 3	0
Memphis	Tenn.	+15	-16	r- 3	- 4	- 3
<u>Minneapolis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+20	+ 7	+ 7	+10	+ 4
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+20	+ 7	+ 7	+11	+ 4
Minneapolis	"	+17	+ 4	+ 2	+ 6	*
St. Paul and Suburban	"	+19	+ 5	+ 8	+ 9	+ 6
Cities						
Duluth-Superior	Minn&Wis.	+20	+13	+12	+ 7	0

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<u>Kansas City District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Colo.	+21	- 2	- 8	+ 7	- 1
Wichita	Kans.	+11	- 3	- 7	+ 3	+ 1
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 8	- 3	+ 3	+ 6	+ 1
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	+ 5	- 4	+ 3	+ 8	- 2
St. Joseph	"	+18	+ 5	+ 6	-10	- 0
Lincoln	Nebr.	+ 6	r- 4	- 8	- 5	- 4
Omaha	"	+12	+ 1	+ 5	+ 4	+ 1
Albuquerque	N.Mex.	+39	+21	+18	+20	+19
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+15	- 2	+ 5	+ 5	+ 5
Tulsa	"	+31	+ 3	+ 8	+ 2	+ 7
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+13	- 3	-12	- 1	+ 2
<u>Dallas District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	+ 8	+ 9	+ 4	+ 3	+ 4
El Paso	"	+ 7	+ 4	+ 1	+ 1	+ 2
Houston	"	+21	+ 5	+15	+11	+ 8
San Antonio	"	- 2	- 8	- 3	- 6	+ 2
<u>San Francisco District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+19	- 4	+ 6	+ 3	+ 3
Downtown Los Angeles	"	+12	-12	+23	+ 7	- 6
Westside Los Angeles	"	+34	+10	+16	+13	+15
Sacramento	"	+10	-11	- 4	- 1	- 1
San Diego	"	+20	+ 2	- 1	+ 4	+ 2
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+12	r- 7	+ 2	- 2	+ 4
San Francisco	"	+ 7	-10	-6	- 8	- 1
Oakland	"	+25	- 4	- 3	- 1	2/
San Jose	"	+19	- 4	+ 9	+ 2	+ 5
Portland	Ore.	+20	+ 3	0	+ 2	+ 5
Salt Lake City	Utah	+22	r+10	+13	+ 8	+ 3
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+23	+ 7	+ 6	+10	+ 6
Spokane	"	+27	+ 2	+ 8	+10	+ 6
Tacoma	"	+23	r+17	+16	+19	+11

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\*--Data not available