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

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<u>Richmond District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+ 9	+ 1	+ 2	- 2	+ 6
Downtown Washington	"	+ 2	- 2	+ 1	- 6	0
Baltimore	Md.	+13	r+ 5	+ 7	- 6	+ 6
Downtown Baltimore	"	+ 8	+ 1	+ 4	-11	0
Richmond	Va.	+ 4	+ 5	+ 7	+ 3	+ 6
<u>Atlanta District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	*	+ 1	+ 6	*	+ 1
Mobile	"	+ 7	-18	+12	+ 2	+ 1
Jacksonville	Fla.	- 4	-10	+ 3	- 2	+ 3
Miami	"	+10	- 3	+ 1	+12	+ 4
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+ 9	+ 2	+11	+ 8	+ 3
Atlanta	Ga.	+ 6	r+10	+15	+10	+ 9
Augusta	"	+ 1	+32	-17	- 1	+ 7
New Orleans	La.	+22	+20	+133	+60	+ 9
Cities						
Miami Downtown	Fla.	+ 5	- 2	- 1	+12	+ 3
Central Atlanta	Ga.	0	r- 2	- 2	- 5	0
<u>Chicago District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	+14	+ 4	+ 9	+12	+ 3
Indianapolis	Ind.	+ 4	- 4	+11	+ 5	+ 2
Detroit	Mich.	+14	+19	+22	+12	+15
Grand Rapids	"	+13	+ 1	+ 6	+ 5	+ 2
Milwaukee	Wis.	+ 7	+ 3	+ 5	+ 6	+ 3
<u>St. Louis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	+ 4	- 2	r+16	+22	+ 5
Louisville	Ky.	+ 8	- 8	+ 5	+ 4	+ 6
St. Louis	Mo.	+ 5	- 3	+ 8	- 8	0
Memphis	Tenn.	+ 5	r-18	+ 7	+ 9	- 2
<u>Minneapolis District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	-31	- 4	+11	+13	+ 5
Mpls. and Suburban	"	-37	- 4	+10	+13	+ 5
Minneapolis	"	-40	- 6	+ 5	+ 8	*
St. Paul & Suburban	"	-10	- 4	+13	+12	+ 5
Cities						
Duluth-Duperior	Minn.&Wis.	+ 8	+ 5	+ 4	+22	+ 1

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<u>Kansas City District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Colo.	- 1	- 2	+ 4	+13	0
Wichita	Kans.	+ 2	- 8	+ 2	+ 9	0
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+ 3	+11	+ 1	+14	0
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	- 1	+ 2	0	+ 6	- 1
St. Joseph	"	+ 9	-12	+ 3	+10	+11
Lincoln	Nebr.	-11	r- 7	- 4	+14	- 5
Omaha	"	+ 2	- 3	+12	+ 9	+ 1
Albuquerque	N.Mex.	-14	- 8	+ 4	-24	+19
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+ 3	+14	+ 3	+10	+ 4
Tulsa	"	+10	+ 5	+23	+21	+ 9
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+ 7	- 3	- 5	+23	+ 1
<u>Dallas District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	+13	+ 8	+13	+ 3	+ 4
El Paso	"	- 2	- 7	+ 1	+ 1	+ 3
Houston	"	+ 9	+11	+20	+16	+ 9
San Antonio	"	- 9	-12	- 8	+ 2	+ 2
<u>San Francisco District</u>						
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+ 8	+14	- 3	+12	+ 3
Downtown Los Angeles	"	- 3	+ 5	- 5	+ 3	- 5
Westside Los Angeles	"	+ 3	+14	- 4	+10	+12
Sacramento	"	+ 6	+ 6	+ 4	+ 8	- 1
San Diego	"	+17	+15	0	+ 4	+ 2
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+ 3	- 4	- 8	+12	+ 3
San Francisco	"	0	-12	-16	+ 9	- 2
Oakland	"	+ 3	- 2	- 9	+14	*
San Jose	"	+11	+ 6	+12	+16	+ 5
Portland	Ore.	+ 7	+ 7	- 4	+ 5	+ 4
Salt Lake City	Utah	+ 4	+ 1	+10	+11	*
Seattle-Everett	Wash.	+13	+16	-12	+ 3	+ 5
Spokane	"	+ 9	- 3	+ 4	+ 3	+ 5
Tacoma	"	+ 3	+ 7	-19	+ 4	+ 7

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