



#### TURNOVER INDICES IN 'RETAIL TRADE, EXCEPT OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES' SEPTEMBER 2021<sup>1,2</sup>

According to the preliminary seasonally adjusted data<sup>3</sup> in September 2021 the turnover in **'Retail trade,** except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices increased by 0.6% compared to the previous month.

In September 2021, the calendar adjusted<sup>4</sup> turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' grew by 8.4% in comparison with the same month of 2020.

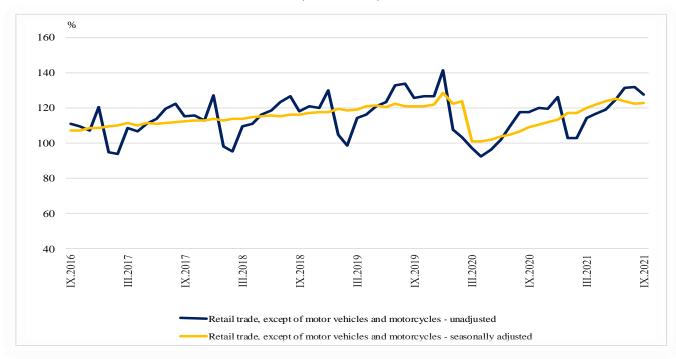


Figure 1. Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' (2015 = 100)

<sup>1</sup> Data for September 2021 are preliminary.

<sup>3</sup> Seasonal adjustment is a statistical method, which eliminates the seasonal component of time series.

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  The monthly turnover indices reflect the short-term changes in the value of this indicator between two compared periods at constant prices. The information may be used to assess the current situation and the trends in the development of the trade sector as well as for short-term forecasts. In order to calculate the indices trade enterprises are observed by using a representative sample that forms about 70% of the annual receipts of the observed aggregate. The monthly turnover indices are calculated with 2015 as a base year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Calendar adjustment is an adjustment for variations caused by calendar effects, different number of calendar and working days in the months, national holidays and outliers (for example the presence of more non-working days in May could contribute to the decline in the retail trade).

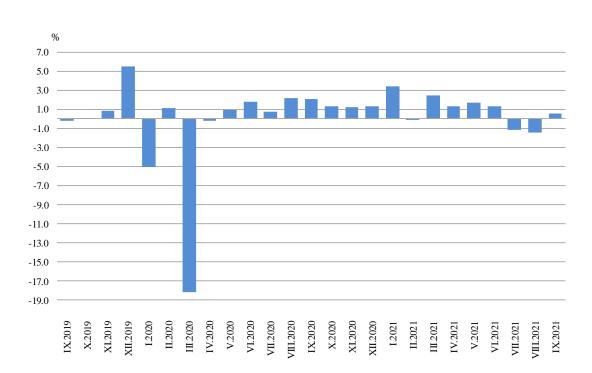




#### Monthly changes

In September 2021, compared to the previous month, an increase of turnover was observed in 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' - by 1.3% and in 'Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco' - by 0.3%, while in 'Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialized stores' was reported a decrease - by 0.6%.

In 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' more considerable increase was noted in 'Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment' - by 4.0% and in 'Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores' - by 3.2%. A major decrease was seen in 'Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet' - by 2.3%.



#### Figure 2. Change of turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' compared to the previous month (Seasonally adjusted)



#### **Annual changes**

In September 2021, compared to the same month of 2020, a rise of turnover was reported in 'Retail sale of non-food products, (except fuel)' (11.8%), in 'Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco' (5.9%) and in 'Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores' (3.5%).

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A growth of turnover in 'Retail sale of non-food products, (except fuel)' was registered in 'Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores' - by 35.1%, in 'Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment' - by 13.0%, in 'Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances' - by 10.3% and in 'Other retail sale in non-specialised stores' - by 3.6%. A decrease was observed in 'Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods' - by 7.6% and in 'Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet' - by 2.8%.



#### Figure 3. Change of turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' compared to the same month of the previous year (Calendar adjusted)





#### Annex

#### Table 1

### Change of turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices compared to the previous month<sup>1</sup>

					(Pe	r cent)
Economic activities						
Economic activities	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	1.4	1.6	1.4	-1.2	-1.4	0.6
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	2.2	-1.2	2.4	0.5	-0.4	0.3
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	2.7	-1.5	2.2	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	-0.3	0.3	3.1	-0.4	-0.9	3.0
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which:	3.2	0.6	0.3	-1.4	-2.4	1.3
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	9.3	1.6	-6.3	0.2	0.3	-0.6
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	-5.7	10.7	-18.5	-2.9	0.7	0.3
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	-1.0	1.7	3.9	0.1	-0.1	0.6
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	1.0	-2.9	6.5	-4.1	-2.3	4.0
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	2.2	3.3	6.1	0.8	2.2	3.2
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	3.6	-5.1	4.2	-0.7	3.7	-2.3
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	5.2	-1.7	-0.3	1.4	-1.8	-0.6

<sup>1</sup> Seasonally adjusted.





#### Table2

#### Change of turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices compared to the same month of the previous year<sup>1</sup>

		-	•		(P	er cent)
Economic activities			202	1		
Economic activities	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and						
motorcycles	25.9	23.9	22.7	20.2	12.0	8.4
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	6.0	13.1	16.7	21.0	10.5	5.9
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	5.0	14.0	17.9	22.8	11.5	7.1
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	13.3	7.9	10.1	10.8	4.1	-1.6
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	40.5	32.0	29.3	21.8	14.2	11.8
of which:						
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	17.6	25.7	28.1	33.4	14.5	3.6
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	190.1	117.4	10.5	-2.7	-6.2	-7.6
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	34.0	12.2	19.2	15.4	10.9	10.3
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	48.8	31.4	37.5	24.3	9.0	13.0
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	27.4	43.9	47.8	42.0	37.7	35.1
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	37.2	21.5	22.3	15.9	8.0	-2.8
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	41.2	26.9	15.9	14.5	8.5	3.5

<sup>1</sup> Calendar adjusted.





#### Table 3

# Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices (Seasonally adjusted, 2015 = 100)

<b>T</b> • • • •		20	20		2021								
Economic activities	IX	Χ	XI	XII	Ι	II	Ш	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	109.1	110.6	112.0	113.5	117.4	117.3	120.1	121.8	123.8	125.5	124.0	122.3	123.0
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	108.3	108.6	107.3	111.2	112.1	111.6	112.8	115.3	113.9	116.6	117.2	115.9	116.2
Retail sale in non- specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	104.5	105.0	104.4	108.9	110.1	110.0	111.2	114.2	112.5	115.0	114.9	114.5	114.2
Retail sale of non-food	150.0		128.0	120.0	120.6		124.4	124.0	124.4	120.2	127.7	120.5	150.5
products (except fuel) of which:	124.9	128.6	132.7	121.1	131.3	138.1	140.5	145.0	145.9	146.4	144.3	140.9	142.8
Other retail sale in non- specialised stores	147.8	147.2	144.4	143.6	138.8	139.6	146.2	159.8	162.3	152.1	152.4	152.8	151.9
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	109.4	111.4	105.3	76.4	97.1	145.0	127.0	119.8	132.6	108.1	105.0	105.7	106.0
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	140.3	142.3	145.9	143.4	148.4	143.1	143.2	141.8	144.2	149.8	149.9	149.8	150.7
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	112.9	117.9	119.0	118.1	120.5	131.1	125.2	126.5	122.8	130.8	125.5	122.6	127.5
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	106.0	111.2	117.6	96.9	102.8	112.2	120.4	123.0	127.0	134.7	135.8	138.8	143.3
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	415.8	440.4	487.5	431.9	363.7	362.7	395.9	410.1	389.3	405.6	402.7	417.6	407.8
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	89.2	88.3	87.9	83.7	87.9	90.8	90.8	95.5	93.9	93.6	94.9	93.2	92.6





Table 4

## Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices (Calendar adjusted, 2015 = 100)

(Calendar adjusted, 2015 = 100)																
Economic activities	2018	2019	2020					2021								
Economic activities	IX	IX	IX	Χ	XI	XII	Ι	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	<b>118.0</b> 112.8	<b>125.5</b> 121.7	<b>117.8</b> 109.1	<b>120.2</b> 110.2	<b>119.5</b> 104.4	<b>126.1</b> 126.0	<b>102.9</b> 104.5	<b>102.9</b> 98.2		<b>116.6</b> 114.6	<b>119.2</b> 113.9	<b>124.9</b> 116.5	<b>131.5</b> 124.4	<b>131.8</b> 124.6	<b>127.7</b> 115.5	
Retail sale in non- specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	111.7	120.0	105.5	106.7	101.3	123.4	102.5	96.5	109.3	112.5	111.8	113.7	121.8	122.2	113.0	
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	117.2	130.0	131.8	132.1	124.0	140.3	115.5	107.9	121.3	126.3	125.3	133.2	139.2	138.2	129.7	
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which: Other retail sale in	129.2	133.1	133.6	140.7	147.2	146.5	113.7	118.2	130.2	131.8	136.2	143.5	145.5	147.2	149.3	
non-specialised stores	137.2	150.5	160.3	153.6	146.8	163.6	118.7	117.8	134.6	141.7	150.7	153.7	167.9	175.2	166.0	
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	145.9	156.1	132.8	125.2	113.8	95.3	82.2	107.3	111.5	97.2	131.3	106.2	101.5	102.0	122.7	
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	130.0	139.5	145.5	154.4	170.3	167.5	118.3	110.7	122.3	131.5	138.2	152.7	160.3	160.3	160.5	
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	123.9	124.3	117.7	123.3	124.7	135.9	103.0	113.2	118.9	124.4	117.3	131.9	130.6	129.9	133.0	
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	115.8	99.3	99.4	113.4	118.8	111.6	104.1	110.2	127.6	120.5	123.9	129.3	131.8	135.4	134.3	
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet Retail sale of automotive	188.0	255.7	393.7	442.8	542.8	513.6	366.8	363.5	395.6	400.7	367.2	386.7	374.1	376.3	382.8	
fuel in specialised stores	103.1	116.4	98.8	92.9	85.2	79.9	75.7	77.3	83.5	86.0	91.1	99.2	114.0	111.3	102.3	