

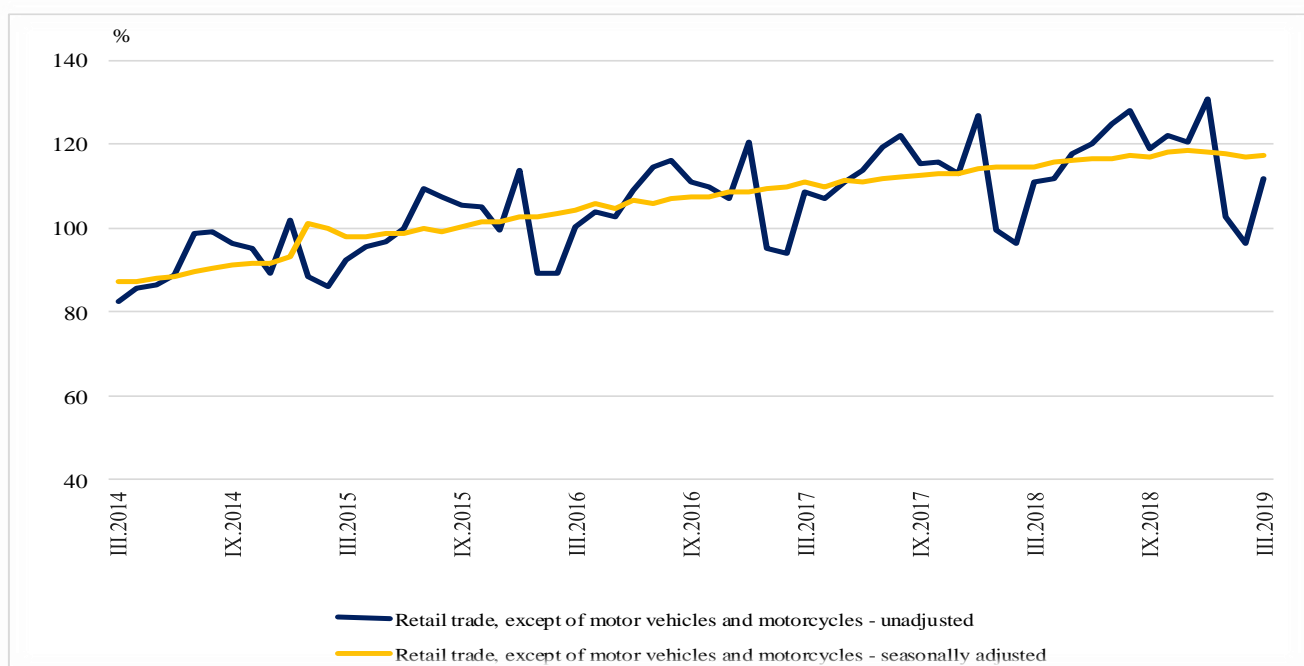


TURNOVER INDICES IN ‘RETAIL TRADE, EXCEPT OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES’ IN MARCH 2019^{1,2}

According to the preliminary seasonally adjusted data³ in March 2019 the turnover in ‘Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles’ at constant prices increased by 0.3% compared to the previous month.

In March 2019, the working day adjusted⁴ turnover in ‘Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles’ marked increment from 0.6% in comparison with the same month of the previous year.

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



¹ Data for March 2019 are preliminary.

² 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.

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

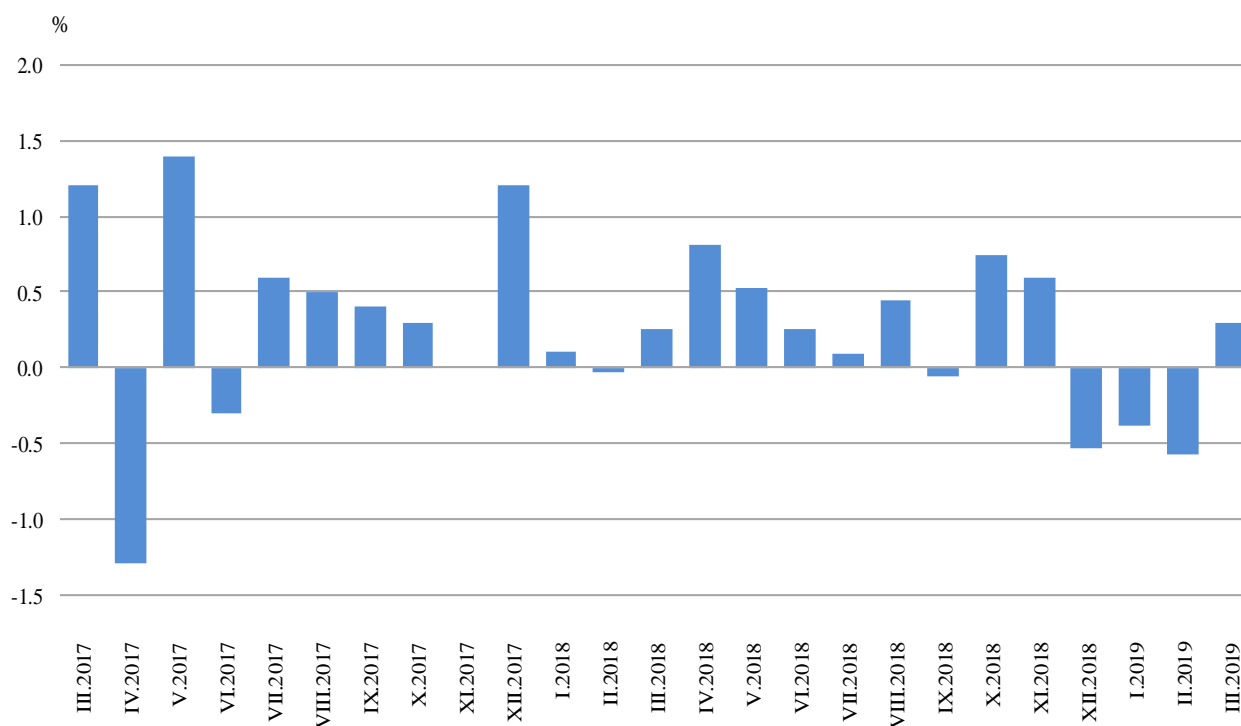
⁴ Working day adjustment is an adjustment for variations caused by calendar effects, different number of calendar and working days in the months, national holidays and outliers (for example the presence of more non-working days in May could contribute to the decline in the retail trade).



Monthly changes

In March 2019 compared to the previous month, more significant rise of turnover was observed in the ‘Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment’ by 3.2% and in the ‘Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods’ by 2.7%. A more significant decrease was reported in the ‘Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances’ by 3.0%.

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



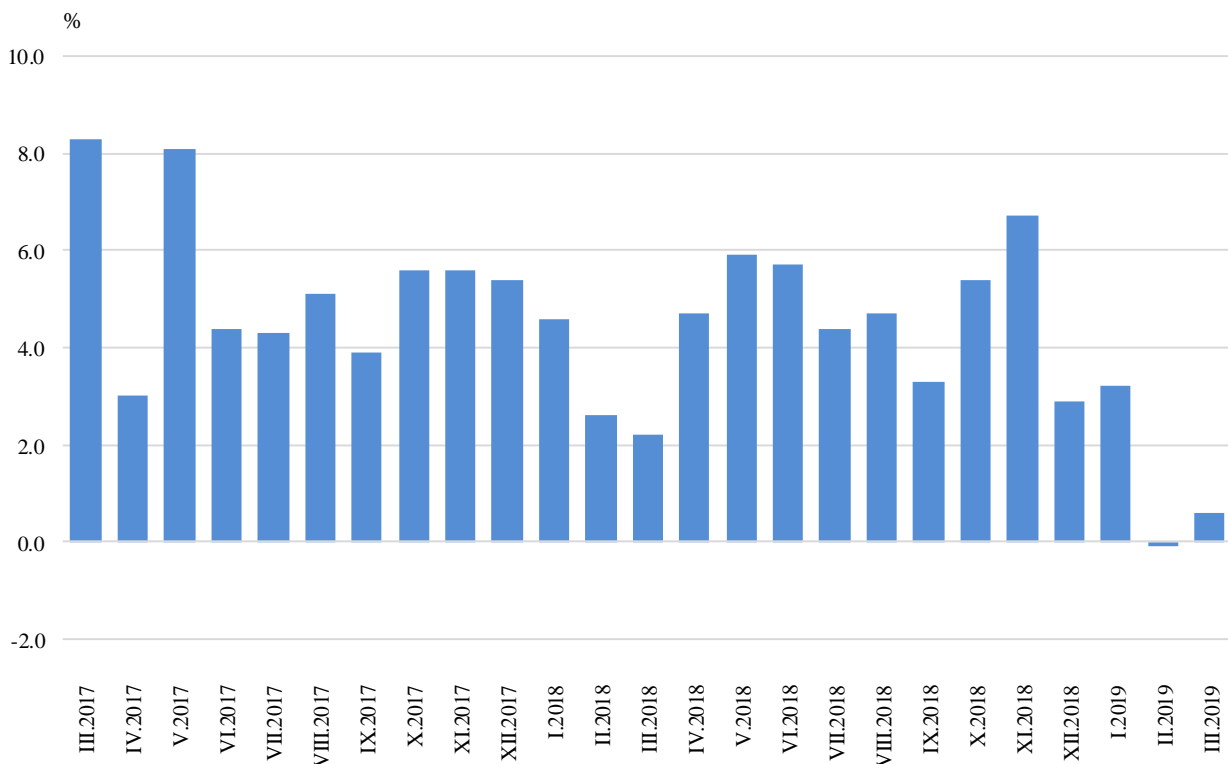


Annual changes

In March 2019 compared to the same month of 2018, the turnover decreased in the ‘Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco’ by 8.5% while in the ‘Retail sale of automotive fuel’ and ‘Retail sale of non-food products except fuel’ was registered increase by 12.8% and 4.1%, respectively.

A more important growth in ‘Retail sale of non-food products except fuel’ was reported in the ‘Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment’ by 11.8%. A drop was registered in ‘Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles’ by 11.7%.

Figure 3. Change of turnover in ‘Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles’ compared to the same month of the previous year (Working day adjusted)





Annex

Table 1

**Change of turnover in
'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices
compared to the previous month¹**

(Per cent)

Economic activities	2018			2019		
	X	XI	XII	I	II	III
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	0.7	0.6	-0.5	-0.4	-0.6	0.3
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	0.2	0.4	-1.0	-2.8	-1.7	-0.6
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	0.9	1.3	-1.8	-9.7	-1.9	0.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	1.2	0.5	-1.7	1.7	-1.2	0.0
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	0.9	0.6	-1.2	1.0	-0.4	1.2
of which:						
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	1.0	0.7	-9.6	13.6	0.8	0.7
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	-1.7	4.8	-1.9	1.0	0.6	2.7
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	2.2	-0.2	-11.7	27.7	-5.2	-3.0
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	-0.9	1.0	-6.3	11.3	0.6	3.2
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	4.1	-0.5	3.5	-12.9	-5.3	0.3
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	4.5	0.7	1.8	-0.5	-1.4	0.2
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	2.9	3.0	4.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.1

¹ Seasonally adjusted.



Table 2

**Change of turnover in
'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices
compared to the same month of the previous year¹**

(Per cent)

Economic activities	2018			2019		
	X	XI	XII	I	II	III
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	5.4	6.7	2.9	3.2	-0.1	0.6
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	7.6	8.6	2.6	-3.0	-7.9	-8.5
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	9.3	10.6	4.3	-3.8	-9.0	-9.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	-4.0	-4.7	-9.5	3.8	1.4	0.0
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	6.2	5.7	0.1	6.4	2.0	4.1
of which:						
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	3.9	4.9	-3.9	10.6	11.5	10.7
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	2.9	8.7	5.7	9.8	7.6	11.0
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	10.8	5.4	-3.2	19.0	11.8	10.7
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	-5.7	-5.3	-15.3	-2.0	3.0	11.8
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	17.1	15.3	20.7	4.5	-9.2	-11.7
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	18.5	15.9	14.1	13.7	16.2	10.3
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	-0.9	5.5	12.9	9.4	13.2	12.8

¹ Working day adjusted.



Table 3

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

Economic activities	2018										2019		
	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I	II	III
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	114.8	115.7	116.3	116.6	116.7	117.2	117.1	118.0	118.7	118.1	117.6	116.9	117.3
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	118.6	118.4	119.8	120.3	119.9	120.3	120.0	120.2	120.6	119.4	116.1	114.2	113.5
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	118.7	118.0	120.8	121.9	121.3	122.0	121.8	122.8	124.5	122.2	110.4	108.2	108.8
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	112.1	111.9	114.3	113.7	112.7	113.6	112.4	113.8	114.4	112.4	114.3	113.0	113.0
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	118.1	119.1	119.4	119.8	119.7	120.4	120.6	121.6	122.3	120.9	122.1	121.6	123.1
of which:													
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	115.8	117.2	117.7	117.5	117.9	118.7	119.7	121.0	121.8	110.1	125.1	126.1	127.0
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	116.5	117.3	116.7	119.0	119.0	116.6	121.1	119.0	124.7	122.3	123.5	124.2	127.6
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	115.8	116.7	118.3	118.6	119.9	121.4	122.4	125.1	124.9	110.2	140.7	133.5	129.4
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	102.1	107.6	108.0	107.3	104.6	108.3	104.3	103.3	104.4	97.9	108.9	109.5	113.1
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	132.9	128.0	131.1	134.6	134.7	135.0	135.5	141.1	140.4	145.3	126.4	119.7	120.1
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	155.8	157.9	156.0	157.3	160.2	162.0	164.9	172.3	173.5	176.7	175.9	173.5	173.9
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	98.8	102.9	104.4	102.6	102.8	105.0	102.4	105.4	108.6	113.3	112.7	112.2	112.0



Table 4

**Turnover Indices in ‘Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles’
at constant prices
(Working day adjusted, 2015 = 100)**

Economic activities	2016	2017	2018										2019		
	III	III	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I	II	III
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	100.3	108.6	111.0	111.9	117.7	120.2	124.7	127.9	119.1	122.0	120.6	130.7	102.6	96.4	111.6
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	104.2	109.7	118.5	115.4	123.6	124.7	129.4	132.6	118.6	121.2	117.5	131.7	103.3	95.0	108.4
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	103.0	109.1	119.0	115.7	124.0	124.9	129.9	132.5	119.1	122.2	118.3	133.2	102.8	94.3	107.7
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	109.9	110.6	111.1	110.1	116.4	120.1	121.4	129.6	111.7	110.8	108.4	116.8	103.9	97.1	111.1
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	97.6	110.3	112.5	114.1	119.3	122.3	124.3	127.5	124.5	128.7	129.1	139.0	104.9	99.9	117.1
of which:															
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	96.6	108.6	106.8	108.0	121.2	125.7	138.8	140.6	128.3	117.5	119.3	124.2	101.9	98.7	118.3
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	95.0	115.6	107.1	117.3	118.9	118.9	120.7	118.2	135.5	123.3	132.7	155.6	100.7	93.5	118.9
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	89.8	97.7	102.6	111.0	120.9	123.3	127.0	130.6	128.4	140.1	139.2	139.7	91.9	91.0	113.6
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	90.6	104.6	94.3	102.0	105.4	112.1	109.7	117.2	110.8	106.9	107.9	113.9	93.9	89.0	105.4
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	110.9	123.5	142.2	127.6	130.0	130.7	132.9	134.1	126.8	141.8	135.1	156.1	129.7	118.8	125.6
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	106.4	143.8	156.6	146.9	144.4	145.1	137.5	145.3	158.8	179.3	201.3	227.8	181.3	165.7	172.7
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	100.1	103.3	93.9	100.9	103.6	107.8	117.7	121.1	108.6	109.1	107.9	110.3	97.1	91.7	105.9