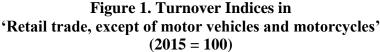


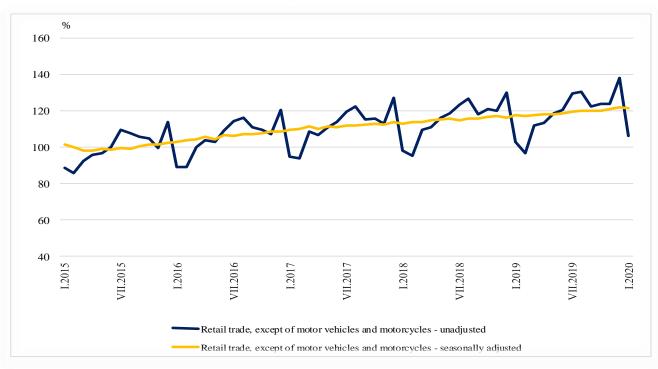


TURNOVER INDICES IN 'RETAIL TRADE, EXCEPT OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES' IN JANUARY 2020^{1, 2}

According to the preliminary seasonally adjusted data³ in January 2020 the turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices decreased by 0.4% compared to the previous month.

In January 2020, the working day adjusted⁴ turnover in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' marked rise from 3.2% in comparison with the same month of the previous year.





¹ Data for January 2020 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 holydays and outliers (for example the presence of more non-working days in May could contribute to the decline in the retail trade).



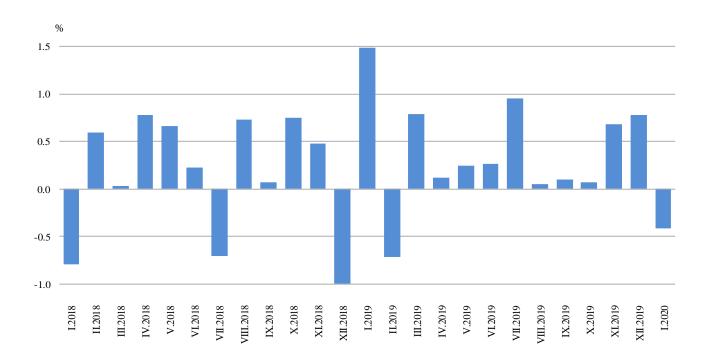


Monthly changes

In January 2020 compared to the previous month, decrease of turnover was observed in the 'Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco' - by 7.4%, and in the 'Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores' - by 0.7%. Increase of turnover was seen in the 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' - by 1.5%.

In the 'Retail sale of non-food products except fuel' a rise was reported in the 'Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores' - by 3.6%, and in the 'Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores' - by 1.6%, and in the 'Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores' - by 1.5%. More significant decrease of turnover was seen in the 'Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet' - by 6.8%, and in the 'Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores' - by 2.8%.

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





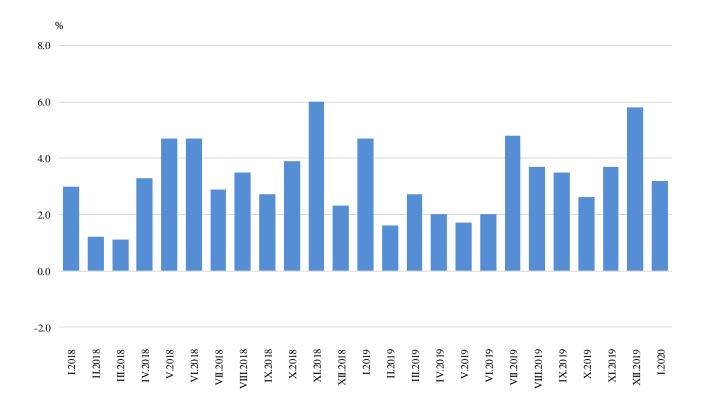


Annual changes

In January 2020 compared to the same month of 2019, the turnover run up in the 'Retail sale of non-food products except fuel' (by 9.1%). A decline was reported and in 'Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco' (by 2.4%), and in the 'Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores' (by 0.6%).

More significant growth in the 'Retail sale of non-food products except fuel' was observed in the 'Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores - by 19.7%, in the 'Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores' - by 19.0%, and in the 'Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet' - by 8.8%.

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

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		(P	er cent)			
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Economic activities	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.7	-0.4
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	0.3	0.4	-0.1	1.4	-0.6	-7.4
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	0.4	0.3	-0.1	1.6	-0.6	-8.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	-0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.2	-0.5	0.7
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which:	-0.1	0.2	0.9	1.7	1.1	1.5
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	0.2	-0.1	1.0	-0.2	1.4	0.3
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	2.8	1.1	1.9	2.0	-0.8	3.6
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	0.5	1.0	0.9	3.7	1.5	1.6
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	-2.4	-2.5	3.1	2.2	-2.8	1.5
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	0.0	1.0	-1.3	2.4	4.7	-2.8
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	-5.6	0.2	3.2	1.5	5.4	-6.8
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	-0.5	0.6	-1.2	-2.7	4.9	-0.7

¹ Seasonally adjusted.





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)

Table 2

					(F	er cent)
T		2020				
Economic activities	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	3.6	3.5	2.6	3.7	5.8	3.2
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	6.1	6.5	4.9	6.7	6.1	-2.4
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	7.3	7.7	6.0	8.1	7.6	-2.6
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	-2.8	-2.0	-2.6	-3.6	-4.3	-0.4
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which:	-0.5	-1.5	-0.6	2.9	6.4	9.1
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores	-3.6	-4.1	-0.6	-1.3	4.1	5.1
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical	1.4	-1.8	1.2	-2.2	-3.4	19.7
household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	4.3	5.4	4.2	13.1	19.9	19.0
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	-8.1	-9.3	-2.8	-1.1	-0.1	2.7
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	1.4	2.1	-2.6	2.2	8.1	4.1
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	-6.0	-9.6	-11.8	-12.0	-9.7	8.8
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	9.2	12.6	7.1	-1.3	4.3	-0.6

Working day adjusted.





Table 3 Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices $(Seasonally\ adjusted,\ 2015=100)$

	2019											2020	
Economic activities	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	117.8	116.9	117.9	118.0	118.3	118.6	119.7	119.8	119.9	120.0	120.8	121.7	121.2
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	114.8	113.1	113.5	117.5	117.0	118.6	119.4	119.7	120.1	120.0	121.7	121.0	112.0
Retail sale in non- specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	114.5	112.6	113.1	117.5	117.0	118.8	119.7	120.2	120.6	120.5	122.4	121.7	111.4
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	117.4	116.6	116.6	117.1	117.1	116.5	116.8	116.4	116.2	116.3	116.5	115.9	116.7
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	122.9	121.9	123.1	123.0	123.1	122.7	125.1	125.0	125.3	126.4	128.6	130.0	131.9
of which:													
Other retail sale in non- specialised stores	124.5	124.9	125.0	123.8	123.4	123.3	124.0	124.3	124.2	125.4	125.2	126.9	127.3
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	116.9	118.3	122.7	115.3	120.9	123.4	125.4	128.9	130.3	132.8	135.4	134.3	139.2
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	126.0	124.8	126.2	127.0	126.8	128.6	130.7	131.4	132.7	133.9	138.8	140.9	143.1
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	109.5	109.0	113.5	110.4	111.1	107.0	113.6	110.9	108.1	111.4	113.8	110.6	112.3
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised													
stores	125.4	122.3	122.1	124.0	124.9	124.2	125.3	125.3	126.5	124.9	127.9	133.9	130.2
Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	171.9	160.9	167.3	179.3	183.7	166.9	192.2	181.4	181.8	187.7	190.6	200.8	187.2
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	110.9	110.2	110.0	106.1	108.9	108.4	109.5	108.9	109.6	108.3	105.4	110.6	109.8

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Table 4

Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices

(Working day adjusted, 2015 = 100)

Essanomia activities	2017	2018	2019											2020	
Economic activities	I	I	Ι	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	95.1	97.9	102.5	96.6	112.4	113.3	118.0	121.2	129.3	130.7	122.7	123.5	124.0	138.0	105.8
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco Retail sale in non- specialised stores with	101.3	101.3	103.3	95.0	108.4	115.7	120.2	123.6	131.1	133.9	120.1	121.1	120.1	134.4	100.8
food, beverages or tobacco predominating Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	101.2	100.2	102.7	94.3	107.6	115.2	119.9	123.7	131.0	133.4	120.3	121.5	120.0	134.5	100.0
in specialised stores	98.7	105.7	103.9	97.1	111.1	116.0	118.6	118.5	127.2	132.8	114.8	114.1	116.2	129.6	103.5
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which:	94.6	101.6	105.0	100.5	117.7	117.7	121.2	122.6	130.2	131.0	128.1	131.7	137.4	153.8	114.6
Other retail sale in non-specialised stores Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and	87.7	98.4	101.6	98.7	118.6	113.4	122.9	126.1	142.3	144.6	132.1	124.5	125.8	138.8	106.8
leather goods in specialised stores Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances,	102.7	99.6	100.1	93.5	119.9	111.2	122.2	123.3	126.1	129.6	144.7	134.8	142.3	164.2	119.8
etc. in specialised stores Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications	73.0	78.2	92.0	91.0	113.6	121.4	125.9	131.2	137.6	138.0	137.0	147.8	159.5	169.6	109.5
equipment, etc. in specialised stores Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised	89.6	106.3	93.1	88.9	106.6	105.5	108.5	109.6	121.4	119.5	113.9	115.3	118.7	128.7	95.6
stores Retail sale via mail order houses or via	117.4	113.0	128.8	119.4	126.1	121.3	121.9	118.6	123.7	123.5	118.9	125.8	125.4	155.3	134.1
Internet	150.8	188.8	181.3	165.6	172.6	173.6	174.7	155.0	175.6	161.7	169.9	187.3	209.9	243.6	197.2
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	85.1	84.3	97.1	91.6	106.0	101.8	108.4	113.3	125.8	125.5	116.1	110.8	101.0	109.2	96.5

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