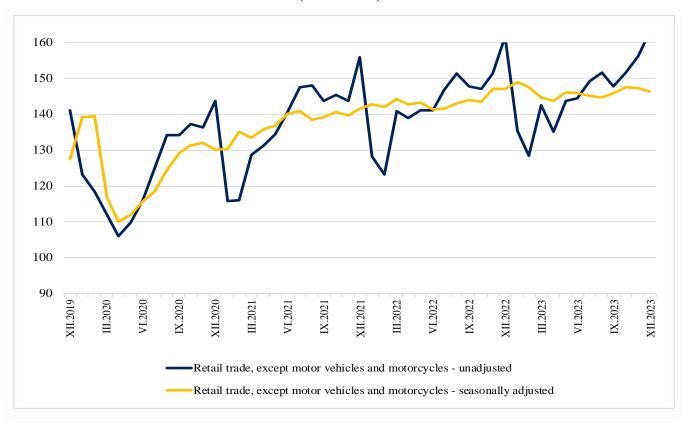


TURNOVER INDICES IN 'RETAIL TRADE, EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES', DECEMBER 2023^{1,2}

In December 2023, the turnover in 'Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices decreased by 0.6% compared to the previous month. The data are preliminary and seasonally adjusted³.

The calendar-adjusted⁴ turnover grew by 0.7% compared to the same month in 2022.

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



¹ Data for December 2023 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.

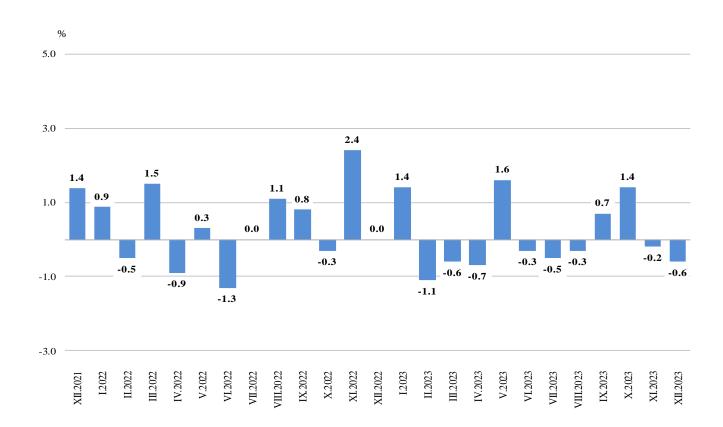
⁴ Calendar adjustment is an adjustment for variations caused by calendar effects, a different number of calendar and working days in the months, national holidays and outliers (for example, the presence of more non-working days in May could contribute to the decline in the retail trade).

Monthly changes

In December 2023, a decrease was registered in 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' - by 2.7%, and there was an increase by 1.1% in 'Food, beverages and tobacco', while the turnover in 'Automotive fuel in specialised stores' kept the level of the previous month.

In 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' all groups was noted a decline. More signifisant turn-down was reported in the non-specialised stores - by 17.1%.

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

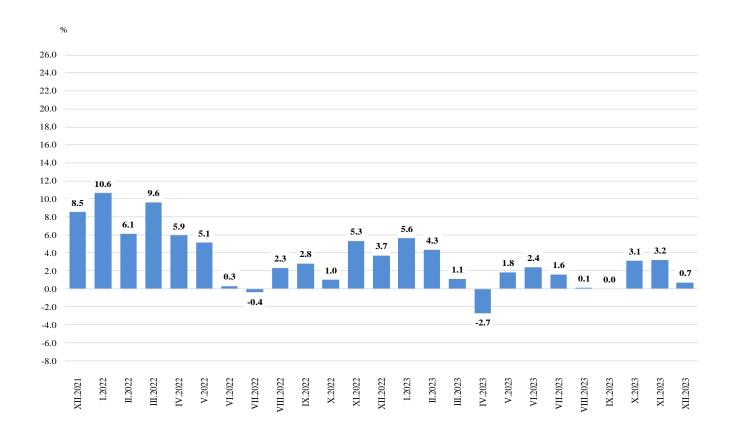


Annual changes

In December 2023, compared to the same month of 2022, a rise by 9.2% was observed in 'Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco'. Decrease was registered in 'Automotive fuel in specialised stores' and in 'Nonfood products (except fuel)' - by 3.6% and 3.2%, respectively.

In 'Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)' major decline was reported in the non-specialised stores - by 10.9%. An increase was noted in 'Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances' - by 1.7%, and in 'Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores' - by 1.3%.

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



Annex

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

(Per cent) 2023 **Economic activities** VII VIII X XII IX XI Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles -0.5 -0.2 0.7 1.3 -0.2 -0.6 Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco -0.4 1.7 0.0 1.2 1.4 1.1 Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, -0.2 0.1 1.2 1.5 1.7 beverages or tobacco predominating 1.8 Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in -1.0 -0.70.5 -2.3 specialised stores 1.1 1.6 Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) 2.3 1.4 -2.7-0.6 -0.40.1of which: 1.3 3.3 0.9 2.3 1.1 -17.1 Other retail sales in non-specialised stores Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores -2.8-1.3 1.1 6.6 10.4 -4.6 Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores -2.6 -2.1-0.72.4 2.0 -1.1Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in -0.5 1.3 -1.7 -2.9 specialised stores 0.8 6.8 Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores -1.2 0.0 0.7 0.8 0.4 -0.1Retail sale via mail, order houses or via Internet 2.5 4.5 -0.4-1.8-6.1Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores -5.0 0.4 4.1 2.4 -3.7 0.0

¹ Seasonally adjusted.

Table 2

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

(Per cent)

			2022		(1 0	1 Celli			
Economic activities	2023								
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Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles	1.6	0.1	0.0	3.1	3.2	0.7			
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	8.7	5.6	4.4	6.8	9.0	9.2			
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	10.7	6.6	5.4	7.9	9.9	11.2			
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	-2.5	0.2	-1.5	0.1	3.4	-2.6			
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	-1.9	-2.8	-3.3	-0.2	1.7	-3.2			
of which:									
Other retail sales in non-specialised stores	-5.0	3.6	2.9	7.0	8.4	-10.9			
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	-8.3	-8.2	-15.0	-7.6	0.5	-4.3			
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	3.1	-1.9	-5.8	-4.7	1.8	1.7			
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	-4.9	-1.9	-1.7	6.9	4.0	-1.6			
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	-2.8	-3.8	-1.7	-0.1	0.6	1.3			
Retail sale via mail, order houses or via Internet	14.3	9.9	5.7	18.8	5.0	-1.2			
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	-0.6	-1.8	3.2	8.5	-3.0	-3.6			

¹ Calendar-adjusted.



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

	2022 2023												
Economic activities	XII	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles	147.1	149.1	147.6	144.9	143.8	146.2	145.8	145.1	144.8	145.8	147.7	147.4	146.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	125.6	128.6	129.3	128.1	127.0	128.7	129.4	128.9	131.1	131.1	132.7	134.6	136.1
Retail sale in non- specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	122.1	125.6	126.4	125.2	124.3	126.0	126.7	126.4	128.7	128.8	130.4	132.3	134.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	151.2	150.5	150.9	148.8	146.4	148.9	148.8	147.3	148.9	147.8	150.2	151.0	147.5
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel) of which:	182.4	185.6	180.4	174.8	172.3	177.3	174.6	173.6	172.9	173.0	176.9	179.3	174.5
Other retail sales in non-specialised stores	197.6	198.9	200.9	200.2	196.2	197.0	189.2	191.7	198.1	199.8	204.4	206.6	171.2
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	190.5	208.2	195.5	155.4	146.8	149.3	163.3	158.7	156.7	158.4	168.9	186.5	177.9
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	185.5	188.8	184.0	179.6	185.7	186.4	185.6	180.8	177.0	175.7	180.0	183.6	181.5
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	141.4	142.2	140.8	140.9	129.8	142.0	133.9	133.2	134.2	136.0	145.2	142.8	138.6
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	156.6	153.4	146.6	149.0	149.2	150.6	150.1	148.3	148.3	149.3	150.5	151.1	151.0
Retail sale via mail, order houses or via Internet	641.8	621.8	637.9	650.7	634.0	672.3	660.7	677.3	665.1	671.1	701.6	698.5	655.7
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	108.3	108.2	109.8	111.6	108.9	108.3	106.9	101.6	102.0	106.2	108.7	104.7	104.7



Table 4 Turnover Indices in 'Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles' at constant prices (Calendar-adjusted, 2015=100)

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Economic activities	XII	XII	XII	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
Retail trade, except motor vehicles and motorcycles	143.8	156.0	161.9	135.5	128.5	142.6	135.3	143.8	144.5	149.3	151.6	147.9	151.7	156.3	163.0
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	143.5	144.5	140.8	121.2	115.3	128.0	125.0	129.7	131.0	135.5	141.1	130.6	133.5	130.2	153.8
Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	141.4	142.4	137.2	118.4	112.4	125.1	122.0	126.4	127.5	132.2	137.2	127.6	130.8	127.2	152.5
Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco in specialised stores	154.6	155.5	162.6	137.5	132.1	144.9	142.6	149.6	152.6	155.1	164.7	148.1	148.4	147.4	158.4
Retail sale of non-food products (except fuel)	167.7	194.7	204.9	165.4	154.7	171.3	159.7	173.0	170.7	175.0	176.1	177.6	183.9	201.6	198.4
of which: Other retail sales in non- specialised stores	178.2	212.8	225.2	166.6	161.8	191.1	181.2	202.7	187.4	201.8	227.0	213.5	206.9	212.4	200.6
Retail sale of textiles, clothing, footwear and leather goods in specialised stores	107.0	174.3	230.2	171.0	160.7	147.5	147.3	161.1	167.4	158.5	149.6	183.0	171.6	198.8	220.3
Retail sale of audio and video equipment; hardware, paints and glass; electrical household appliances, etc. in specialised stores	184.5	191.4	205.3	158.3	144.4	165.0	163.4	172.2	179.3	194.2	187.5	182.3	194.9	220.4	208.8
Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software; telecommunications equipment, etc. in specialised stores	153.9	168.3	159.7	123.5	124.0	145.0	126.1	143.6	135.7	134.7	137.4	136.3	148.1	146.5	157.1
Dispensing chemist; retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods, cosmetic and toilet articles in specialised stores	145.1	174.5	163.3	158.0	139.1	153.9	142.0	147.3	145.6	146.7	147.2	141.4	153.1	154.1	165.4
Retail sale via mail, order houses or via Internet	541.4	678.2	747.1	619.1	593.2	666.9	591.4	650.8	606.9	604.3	615.3	640.8	670.8	944.5	738.2
Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores	90.4	89.7	103.8	94.6	94.3	105.7	100.0	104.3	111.2	117.6	116.5	113.7	113.6	103.0	100.1