

## Retail trade

## August 2015

The retail trade index measures the monthly evolution of the turnover at current prices of enterprises with retail sale outlets. With effect from January 2013 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2010 using the Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In August 2015 the seasonally adjusted retail trade index increased by 0.3% with respect to July 2015 (+0.1% for food; +0.3% for non-food goods). The average of the last three months compared to the previous three months increased by 0.1%.

The unadjusted index increased by 1.3% with respect to August 2014.

RETAIL TRADE INDEX AT CURRENT PRICES (BASE 2010=100) BY MARKETABLE GOODS SECTOR AND TYPE OF DISTRIBUTION (A)

Marketable goods sector	Seasonally adjusted			Unadjusted	
	Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes
	Aug 15	Aug 15 Jul 15	Jun 15-Aug15 Mar 15-May15	Aug 15	Aug 15 Aug 14
Food	100.3	+0.1	+0.4	101.4	+1.7
Large scale distribution				103.0	+2.5
Small and medium scale distribution				97.4	-0.4
Non food	92.8	+0.3	0.0	81.7	+1.0
Large scale distribution				93.5	+1.4
Small and medium scale distribution				76.6	+0.8
Total	95.5	+0.3	+0.1	88.7	+1.3
Large scale distribution				98.9	+2.1
Small and medium scale distribution				80.4	+0.5

<sup>(</sup>a) Provisional data

## For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at database i.stat: http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en

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