

Retail trade

November 2010

The retail trade index measures the monthly evolution of the turnover at current prices of enterprises with retail sale outlets. Since January 2009 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2005 using the new Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In November 2010 the seasonally adjusted retail trade index decreased by 0.3% with respect to the previous month (-0.5% for food goods and -0.2% for non food goods). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was -0.1%. The unadjusted index increased by 1.0% with respect to November 2009.

Retail trade index at current prices (base 2005=100) by marketable goods sector and type of distribution (a)

Marketable goods sector	Seasonally adjusted			Unadjusted		
	Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes	
	Nov 10	Nov 10 Oct 10	Sept-Nov 10 Jun-Aug 10	Nov 10	Nov 10 Nov 09	Jan- Nov 10 Jan- Nov 09
Food	102.7	- 0.5	- 0.2	101.3	+ 1.0	- 0.4
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				111.8	+ 1.4	+ 0.3
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				86.0	+ 0.2	- 1.5
Non food	100.0	- 0.2	- 0.2	98.7	+ 0.9	+ 0.3
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				105.5	+ 1.4	+ 1.2
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				95.8	+ 0.8	- 0.1
Total	100.8	- 0.3	- 0.1	99.5	+ 1.0	+ 0.1
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				108.4	+ 1.5	+ 0.8
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				93.8	+ 0.6	- 0.3

(a) Provisional data

For more details please refer to the Italian version.

Time series are available in ConIstat database: <http://con.istat.it/amerigo/default.asp?lg=E> (english version).

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