

Retail trade

December 2014

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 December 2014 the seasonally adjusted retail trade index decreased by 0.2% compared with November 2014 (-0.2% for food goods and -0.2% for non-food goods). The average of the last three months compared to the previous three months decreased by 0.1 %.

The unadjusted index increased by 0.1% with respect to December 2013.

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
	Dec 14	Dec 14 Nov 14	Oct-Dec 14 Jul-Sep 14	Dec 14	Dec 14 Dec 13
Food	98.4	-0.2	+0.3	120.6	+0.8
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				122.0	+1.2
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				117.0	-0.2
Non food	91.7	-0.2	-0.3	128.0	-0.3
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				134.1	+0.1
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				125.4	-0.4
Total	94.1	-0.2	-0.1	125.4	+0.1
<i>Large scale distribution</i>				127.3	+0.6
<i>Small and medium scale distribution</i>				123.8	-0.4

(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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