

## Retail trade

## February 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 Februay 2015 the seasonally adjusted retail trade index decreased by 0.2 with respect to Januar 2015 (-0.2% for food goods and -0.1% 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 0.1% with respect to February 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
	Feb 15	Feb 15 Jan 15	Dic 14-Feb 15 Sep-Nov 14	Feb 15	Feb 15 Feb 14
Large scale distribution				90.1	+1.0
Small and medium scale distribution				78.5	-1.0
Non food	91.9	-0.1	-0.1	73.7	-0.3
Large scale distribution				75.8	+0.5
Small and medium scale distribution				72.8	-0.5
Total	94.3	-0.2	+0.1	78.4	+0.1
Large scale distribution				83.9	+0.8
Small and medium scale distribution			· .	73.9	-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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