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Turnover Statistics

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### Retail trade turnover in the Republic of Serbia, March 2006 - Preliminary results -

#### Retail trade turnover

	$\frac{\text{III 2006}}{\text{III 2005}}$	$\frac{\text{III 2006}}{\text{II 2006}}$	$\frac{\text{I-III 2006}}{\text{I-III 2005}}$	$\frac{\text{II 2006}}{\text{Ø 2005}}$	$\frac{\text{III 2006}}{\text{Ø 2005}}$
<b>Turnover indices at current prices</b>					
<b>Republic of Serbia</b>	<b>128,6</b>	<b>120,3</b>	<b>133,3</b>	<b>95,3</b>	<b>114,7</b>
Central Serbia	124,7	118,8	128,5	93,8	111,5
Vojvodina	138,9	124,0	146,7	99,3	123,2
<b>Turnover indices at constant prices</b>					
<b>Republic of Serbia</b>	<b>112,1</b>	<b>119,8</b>	<b>115,6</b>	<b>86,9</b>	<b>104,2</b>
Central Serbia	108,6	118,5	111,3	85,4	101,2
Vojvodina	121,7	123,7	127,7	90,4	111,9

According to the preliminary results, the turnover in retail trade in the Republic of Serbia in March 2006, compared to March 2005, rose by 28.6% at current prices, and by 12.1% at constant prices. In March 2006, compared to the previous month, the turnover at current prices was by 20.3% higher and at constant prices it was higher by 19.8%.

In the first three months 2006, compared to the same period 2005, the turnover in retail trade saw a 33.3% increase at current prices and a 15.6% increase at constant prices.



**Notes:** The indices published in this communication are obtained from the Monthly Survey of Retail Trade (TRG-10), a regular monthly survey which has been carried out since January 2003 on the sample of selected enterprises of all kinds of property that deal with retail trade, no matter whether retail trade is their principal activity or not. Large enterprises have been included in the sample intentionally, on the basis of the turnover made in retail trade in the previous period, while the others have been chosen by the random sample method.

The value of turnover in retail trade since 1 January 2005 includes the VAT.

The turnover indices at constant prices have been obtained by deflating the indices at current prices by the corresponding indices of retail prices, electricity excluded.

All published indices ought to be regarded as preliminary results, which means that some corrections can appear on the basis of the obtained results in the quarterly statistical survey – the Quarterly Survey of Retail Trade (TRG-16), which is published as a separate communication.

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