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Turnover statistics

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Domestic trade of the Republic of Serbia - 2nd quarter 2010 -

Retail trade turnover in the Republic of Serbia in the second quarter of 2010, compared to the same period 2009 increased by 2.7% at current prices. Wholesale trade turnover in the same period noted an increase of 12.3% at current prices.

In the first half of 2010, relative to 2009 average, enterprises in the Republic of Serbia recorded a decrease in retail trade turnover of 3.5% at current prices and 9.3% decrease at constant prices. In the same period, increase of 1.3% was noted in wholesale trade turnover at current prices.

1. Turnover and indices, by branches of activities

	Republic of Serbia								
	Turnover with VAT, mill. RSD						Indices, Ø2009=100		
	Total	Central Serbia	Vojvodina	Total	Central Serbia	Vojvodina	Total	Central Serbia	Vojvodina
	II quarter 2010			I – VI 2010			Ø I – VI 2010		
Retail trade									
Total	274468	216189	58278	500450	390841	109609	96,5	96,3	97,4
Retail trade in general stores	73229	54705	18524	137155	101590	35566	94,3	95,1	92,2
Retail trade: foodstuffs, drinks and tobacco in specialized stores	13423	11213	2209	24447	20276	4171	87,2	85,3	97,7
Retail trade: pharmaceutical, medical, cosmetic and toilet items	44564	38139	6425	84232	71205	13027	128,8	133,8	106,7
Retail trade: motor vehicles, motorcycles, parts, accessories and motor fuels	91925	69256	22669	162772	121428	41344	95,6	91,4	110,4
Other retail trade	51327	42876	8451	91844	76343	15501	84,0	85,5	77,2
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	90,7	90,1	92,1
Wholesale trade									
Total	453649	352528	101121	849369	653213	196156	101,3	104,4	92,1
Wholesale trade of agricultural raw goods and live animals	18194	7514	10680	36410	16681	19729	122,3	100,4	149,9
Wholesale trade of foodstuffs, drinks and tobacco	77550	59044	18507	148951	110704	38248	103,6	114,3	81,5
Wholesale trade of household items	74305	64708	9597	147859	126519	21339	99,6	102,5	85,2
Wholesale trade of reproduction material, waste materials and residues, except agricultural	127883	96659	31224	236672	174916	61757	105,2	112,9	88,0
Machines, appliances & accessories	18047	13679	4369	34179	25611	8568	103,7	105,1	99,7
Motor vehicles, motorcycles, parts and accessories	27484	20500	6983	49913	37433	12480	110,7	110,1	112,6
Other wholesale trade	110186	90424	19762	195384	161349	34035	91,6	92,0	89,7

2. Turnover structure and indices, by groups of goods in the Republic of Serbia

Retail trade

	Total	Foodstuffs and alcoholic drinks	Tobacco	Clothes and footwear	Furniture, floor coverings & household appliances	Pharmaceuticals	Motor vehicles, motorcycles & parts and accessories	Fuel (for motor vehicles and motorcycles)	Other
<i>Structure, in %</i>									
II quarter of 2010	100	21,8	2,9	5,6	4,4	14,5	11,8	21,3	17,7
I – VI 2010	100	22,7	2,7	5,6	4,6	15,0	11,8	20,3	17,3
<i>Quarterly indices at current prices</i>									
II 2010 / II 2009	102,7	97,0	110,5	92,5	112,3	133,5	92,9	108,0	93,2
II 2010 / I 2010	121,5	112,2	136,0	119,4	108,7	113,0	121,6	136,3	127,7

Wholesale trade

	Total	Agricultural raw goods and live animals	Foodstuffs and alcoholic drinks	Tobacco	Pharmaceuticals	Hard, fluid and gas fuels	Construction materials and equipment (wood and metal)	Chemical products	Machines, appliances and accessories	Other
<i>Structure, in %</i>										
II quarter of 2010	100	5,5	18,2	4,9	8,3	15,9	10,0	5,3	5,8	26,1
I – VI 2010	100	6,4	18,4	4,9	8,7	15,0	8,5	6,2	5,7	26,2
<i>Quarterly indices at current prices</i>										
II 2010 / II 2009	112,3	66,4	101,8	125,2	107,6	150,6	116,4	104,0	117,3	118,0
II 2010 / I 2010	114,6	84,4	112,0	119,3	103,7	129,6	168,0	82,7	121,3	113,7

Methodological Notes: The data published in this communication were obtained from the regular Quarterly Survey of Retail Trade, TRG – 16 and Quarterly Survey of Wholesale Trade, TRG – 16KV, conducted on a sample of enterprises. They are harmonized with EUROSTAT recommendations.

The sampling frame comprises all active commercial enterprises registered in section E, divisions 50, 51 and 52 of the Classification of Activities (except for enterprises registered for providing services). The Statistical Business Register is used as the source of data for the sampling frame. The quality of estimated data from these surveys directly depends on the Register update.

The stratification of selected units is based on the prevailing activity and size of enterprises (the criterion is the generated income). The sample covers all large and medium-size enterprises. Small-size ones are selected by random sample method. Some enterprises that are not, according to the prevailing activity, registered in trade section (section E), but parts thereof deal with trade, are also subject to estimate.

Retail trade turnover presents the value of sold goods, sold (delivered) to end-users by enterprises, in the first place to the population for individual consumption and household usage, as well as to physical persons and legal entities for business purposes.

Wholesale trade turnover is the sale of goods to commercial enterprises and shops that are engaged in retail trade of goods, the sale of goods to other wholesalers, as well as the goods sales to large-size customers for their own needs. Wholesale trade turnover also includes intermediation. Data on wholesale trade include only the turnover of goods bought to be further sold (re-sold), but exclude sale of own products.

The turnover value of retail trade and wholesale trade includes the Value added tax (VAT).

Turnover indices at constant prices are obtained by deflating the indices at current prices by corresponding indices of retail prices of goods, electricity excluded.

Seasonally adjusted retail trade indices at constant prices are published in "Monthly Statistical Review", from number 3/2008.

Since 1999, the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia doesn't dispose of certain data for AP Kosovo and Metohia, so they are not contained in the data coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).

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