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**Turnover statistics**

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## Domestic trade of the Republic of Serbia – III quarter 2012–

Retail and wholesale trade turnover and motor vehicles repair (CA division 45) in the Republic of Serbia in the third quarter of 2012, compared to the same period 2011, increased by 1.4% at current prices. When comparing the same period, the turnover in the Republic of Serbia increased at current prices by 15.7% in wholesale trade (CA division 46) and in retail trade (CA division 47) by 2.5%.

The following product groupings noted the biggest share in trade turnover structure: in CA division 45 - motor vehicles (46.7%), in CA division 46 – food products, beverages and tobacco (26%) and CA division 47 – fuel for motor vehicles and motorcycles (30.9%).

### 1. Domestic trade by divisions of the Classification of Activities

	Republic of Serbia	Serbia – sever	Serbia - jug
Retail and wholesale trade and motor vehicles repair (CA division 45)			
Number of stores/repair shops	2 071	1 322	749
Number of employees	14 415	10 987	3 428
Turnover (VAT included), in thous. RSD			
VII–IX 2012	48 227 612	36 783 480	11 444 132
I–IX 2012	138 246 962	106 482 467	31 764 495
Indices, current prices			
VII–IX 2012 / VII–IX 2011	101,4	102,9	96,8
I–IX 2012 / I–IX 2011	98,0	100,6	90,1
Wholesale trade, excluding motor vehicles trade (CA division 46)			
Number of employees	75 649	56 600	19 049
Turnover (VAT included), in thous. RSD			
VII–IX 2012	601 922 300	504 116 243	97 806 057
I–IX 2012	1 657 874 984	1 381 532 807	276 342 177
Indices, current prices			
VII–IX 2012 / VII–IX 2011	115,7	117,7	106,2
I–IX 2012 / I–IX 2011	111,8	112,9	106,5
Retail trade, excluding motor vehicles trade (CA division 47)			
Number of stores/repair shops	17 130	10 301	6 829
Number of employees	96 032	64 406	31 626
Turnover (VAT included), in thous. RSD			
VII–IX 2012	243 295 173	153 634 284	89 660 889
I–IX 2012	677 793 360	439 292 331	238 501 029
Indices, current prices			
VII–IX 2012 / VII–IX 2011	102,5	100,4	106,4
I–IX 2012 / I–IX 2011	103,0	105,9	98,1

### 2. Turnover structure by trade divisions and product groupings in the Republic of Serbia

#### 2.1. Wholesale and retail trade and motor vehicles repair (CA division 45) in %

	Total	Motor vehicles	Motor vehicles repair	Motor vehicles parts and accessories	Motorcycles parts and accessories
VII–IX 2012	100	46,7	7,2	44,9	1,2

#### 2.2. Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles trade (CA division 46) in %

	Total	Agricultural raw materials and live animals	Food products, beverages and tobacco	Household equipment	Pharmaceutical, beauty and personal hygiene products	Machines, appliances and accessories	Solid, liquid and gas fuels	Chemical products	Other non-food products
VII–IX 2012	100	7,3	26,0	3,3	8,7	4,6	21,0	3,7	25,4

### 2.3. Retail trade, except of motor vehicles trade (CA division 47)

	Total	Food products and alcoholic beverages	Tobacco	ICT equipment	Household goods	Recreation and culture goods	Pharmaceutical, beauty and personal hygiene products	Motor vehicles and motorcycles fuels	Other non-food products
Structure in %									
VII-IX 2012	<b>100</b>	30,1	4,1	2,4	10,7	1,7	10,5	30,9	9,6
Indices, current prices									
$\frac{\text{VII-IX 2012}}{\text{IV-VI 2012}}$	<b>106,2</b>	104,0	114,5	97,6	110,1	113,7	92,3	114,8	99,4

### 3. Retail trade by groups of activities in the Republic of Serbia (CA division 47)

By groups of the Classification of Activities	Number of stores	Number of employees	Turnover (VAT included), VII-IX 2012	
			in thous. RSD	index Ø 2010 = 100
<b>47 Total</b>	<b>17 130</b>	<b>96 032</b>	<b>243 295 173</b>	<b>107,5</b>
<i>Of which:</i>				
47.1 Retail trade in non-specialized stores	4 602	35 875	87 514 765	99,9
47.2 Retail trade of food, beverages and tobacco in specialized stores	1 946	6 847	12 615 275	101,3
47.3 Retail trade of motor fuels and lubricants in specialized stores	1 098	6 698	78 911 913	115,4
47.4-9 Other	9 484	46 612	64 253 220	110,8

### 4. Indices of retail trade turnover in the Republic of Serbia, by months (CA division 47)

	Monthly indices for 2012					
	at current prices			at constant prices		
	VII	VIII	IX	VII	VIII	IX
Ø 2010 = 100	102,8	108,2	111,4	95,2	98,2	98,0
Same month in the previous year = 100	98,3	101,9	107,3	91,7	93,3	95,7

**Methodological Notes:** The data published in this statistical release were obtained from three regular quarterly surveys relating to: a) wholesale and retail trade of motor vehicles and motorcycles, b) wholesale trade and c) retail trade, which are conducted on a sample of companies.

The sampling frame comprises all large, medium-sized and randomly selected companies. The estimation includes also certain companies that are not registered under trade as being their principal activity, but have parts dealing with trade.

In 2011, new standards for the collection and publication of statistical data were used: Classification of Activities (2010) (Official Gazette of RS, 54/2010), Classification of Products by Activities and Nomenclature of Statistical Territorial Units (Official Gazette of RS, 109/09 and 46/10).

Methodological notes and definitions by trade divisions of the Classification of Activities (CA divisions 45-47) are available on the website of the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia ([www.stat.gov.rs](http://www.stat.gov.rs))

The cited methodology changes should be taken into account when comparing the data published up to 2011.

Goods turnover includes value added tax (VAT).

Goods turnover indices at constant prices are obtained by deflating the indices at current prices with appropriate consumer price indices, which exclude: water (from public utilities systems), electricity and motor vehicles, motorcycles and parts thereof.

Seasonally adjusted retail trade indices at constant prices are published in "Monthly Statistical Review".

Starting from 1999 the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia has not at disposal and may not provide available certain data relative to AP Kosovo and Metohija and therefore these data are not included in the coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).