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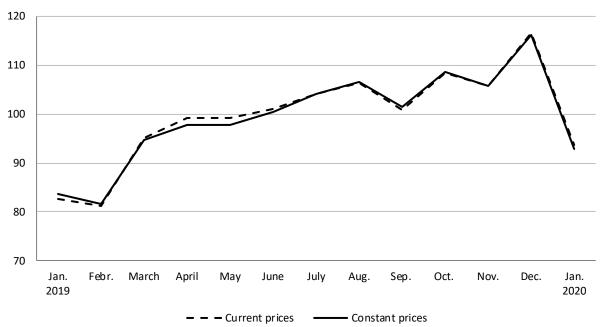
Retail trade turnover, January 2020

- Preliminary results -

According to the preliminary results, the turnover of retail trade in the Republic of Serbia in January 2020, compared to January 2019, increased by 13.4% at current and by 10.9% at constant prices.

Retail trade turnover in January 2020 relative to 2019 average, decreased by 6.3% at current prices, and by 7.1% at constant prices.

Retail trade turnover indices - Republic of Serbia (Ø 2019=100)



1. Retail trade turnover indices by territory

	<u>I 2020</u> I 2019		<u>I 2020</u> XII 2019		<u>l 2020</u> Ø 2019	
	current prices	constant prices	current prices	constant prices	current prices	constant prices
Republic of Serbia	113.4	110.9	80.4	79.9	93.7	92.9
Srbija – Sever	111.6	109.4	78.7	78.3	93.3	92.6
Region Vojvodine	113.4	110.9	81.1	80.6	93.2	92.6
Srbija – Jug	116.4	113.6	83.2	82.7	94.3	93.4

2. Retail trade turnover indices by main aggregates of the Classification of Activities

	<u>I 2020</u> I 2019		<u>l 2020</u> XII 2019		<u>l 2020</u> Ø 2019					
	current prices	constant prices	current prices	constant prices	current prices	constant prices				
Republic of Serbia										
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	113.4	110.9	80.4	79.9	93.7	92.9				
Food, beverages and tobacco	110.0	107.0	80.3	79.3	93.8	92.5				
Non-food products, except of automotive fuel	114.8	114.1	78.0	78.3	95.4	95.3				
Automotive fuel	119.1	114.9	85.2	84.7	90.3	89.5				

Methodological notes: The indices published in this statistical release relate to turnover of all business entities (legal persons and unincorporated enterprises) dealing with retail trade, division 47 of CA (Classification of Activities – "Official Gazette of RS", no. 54/10).

Retail trade turnover is obtained on the basis of regular monthly statistical survey "Monthly Survey of Retail Trade", based on the sample and on VAT reports received from Tax administration.

The turnover in retail trade includes VAT.

The turnover indices at constant prices (real indices) have been obtained by deflating the indices at current prices (nominal indices) by the corresponding consumer price indices, excluding: water (from public utility systems), electricity and motor vehicles, motorcycles and parts.

All published indices ought to be regarded as preliminary, meaning that certain corrections can appear on the basis of the estimated results, obtained from the regular statistical surveys that are conducted on the increased number of sample units.

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).

Methodological notes (referent metadata) on retail trade are available on the website of the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia

http://data.stat.gov.rs/Metadata/21 Unutrasnja%20trgovina/Html/2101 ESMS G0 2018 3.html

Series of monthly indices at current and constant prices are available on the website of the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia, in database

http://data.stat.gov.rs/Home/Result/210101?languageCode=en-US.

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