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Retail trade turnover in the Republic of Serbia, January 2013

– Preliminary results –

According to the preliminary results, the turnover of retail trade in the Republic of Serbia in January 2013, compared to January 2012, increased by 1.9% at current prices and decreased by 9.3% at constant prices. In January 2013 compared to December 2012, the turnover decreased by 26.1% at current prices and by 26.2% at constant prices. Retail trade turnover in January 2013, compared with 2012 average, decreased by 16.3% at current prices and by 20.4% at constant prices.

![](data:application/x-msmetafile;base64...)

constant prices

current prices

 Jan Feb March Apr May June July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec Jan

 2012 2013

**Retail trade turnover indices**

**- Republic of Serbia -**

**(Æ2011=100)**

# 1. Retail trade turnover indices by territory

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|  | I 2013I 2012 | I 2013XII 2012 | I 2013Ø 2012 |
|  | current prices |  constant prices |  current prices |  constant prices |  current prices |  constant prices |
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| Republic of Serbia | **101,9** | **90,7** | **73,9** | **73,8** | **83,7** | **79,6** |
|  Srbija – Sever | 98,3 | 87,4 | 71,4 | 71,4 | 83,4 | 79,2 |
|  Region Vojvodine  | 99,3 | 88,3 | 69,9 | 69,8 | 79,2 | 75,2 |
|  Srbija – Jug | 109,4 | 97,4 | 78,9 | 78,5 | 84,3 | 79,9 |

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

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|  | I 2013I 2012 | I 2013XII 2012 | I 2013Ø 2012 |
|  | current prices |  constant prices |  current prices |  constant prices |  current prices |  constant prices |
| Republic of Serbia |
| Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles  | **101,9** | **90,7** | **73,9** | **73,8** | **83,7** | **79,6** |
| Food, beverages and tobacco | 103,5 | 87,0 | 77,3 | 76,4 | 89,4 | 81,4 |
| Non-food products, except of automotive fuel  | 102,1 | 94,5 | 72,6 | 72,1 | 81,2 | 77,5 |
| Automotive fuel | 98,7 | 87,8 | 69,5 | 71,2 | 77,6 | 77,3 |

**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. In the previous statistical releases (up to the end of 2012), only legal persons were encompassed, excluding turnover of unincorporated enterprises dealing with retail trade.

Retail trade turnover of legal persons is obtained on the basis of regular monthly statistical survey “Monthly Survey of Retail Trade” and turnover of unincorporated enterprises is based on VAT reports received from Tax administration for the observed period.

The survey includes the division 47 of the Classification of Activities - CA (“Official Gazette of RS”, No 54/2010), i.e. retail trade turnover, excluding retail trade turnover of motor vehicles, motorcycles and parts.

Collecting and publishing of the data on statistical territorial units is based on the Regulation of Nomenclature of Statistical Territorial Units (“Official Gazette of RS”, No 109/09 and 46/10), being applied since 2011.

The turnover in retail trade includes VAT.

The turnover indices at constant prices have been obtained by deflating the indices at current prices 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 results, meaning that some corrections may appear on the basis of the obtained results in the quarterly statistical survey (for the set of legal entities) and processed quarterly VAT reports (for the set of unincorporated enterprises), which are published as a separate release.

Seasonally adjusted retail trade turnover 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).

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