

Retail sales index – June 2018

↑ 108.2
Retail sales index y/y

In June 2018 retail sales¹ at constant prices were by 8.2% higher than the year before (against a growth of 5.8% in June 2017). Compared with May this year retail sales increased by 3.5%.

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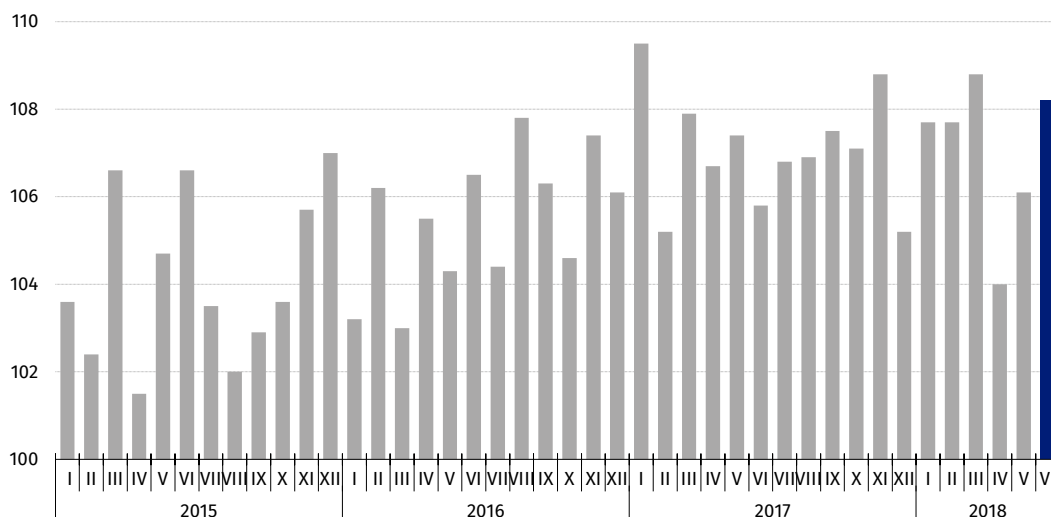
In June 2018, the growth rate of retail sales at constant prices y/y was higher than in the two previous months of this year

Retail sales of goods by type of enterprise activity

Among the groups with a significant share in total retail sales, the highest increase in June 2018 compared to the corresponding period of previous year (at constant prices) was observed in entities classified into the group “others” (by 10.1% against a growth of 2.6% the year before). A substantial increase in sales was also recorded in enterprises trading in motor vehicles, motorcycles, parts (by 9.8%) as well as in units conducting other retail sale in non-specialized stores (by 9.6%) and sellers of solid, liquid and gaseous fuels (by 7.3%). Within groups with a lower share in total retail sales, high growth was noted by units trading in: textiles, clothing, footwear (by 16.9%); furniture, radio, TV and household appliances (by 14.4%); pharmaceuticals, cosmetics, orthopaedic equipment (by 9.3%). In the period of January-June 2018² retail sales were by 6.8% higher than in the corresponding period of previous year (against a growth of 6.9% in 2017).

In June 2018, the increase in retail sales at constant prices per annum persisted in all groups

Chart 1. Retail sales of goods (constant prices) – corresponding period of previous year=100



¹ Data concerns trade and non-trade enterprises employing more than 9 persons. Groups of enterprises were created on the basis of the Polish Classification of Activities (PKD 2007) and a given enterprise is included to a specific category by predominating kind of activity and according to its present organizational status in mentioned period. The recorded changes of rise or fall of the volume of retail sales in particular groups of enterprises activity may result from a change in the predominating kind of activity and organisational changes (e.g. a merger of enterprises). This does not have impact on the dynamics of the total retail sales.

² Corrections made by reporting entities were included in cumulative data.

Table 1. Index numbers of retail sales (constant prices)

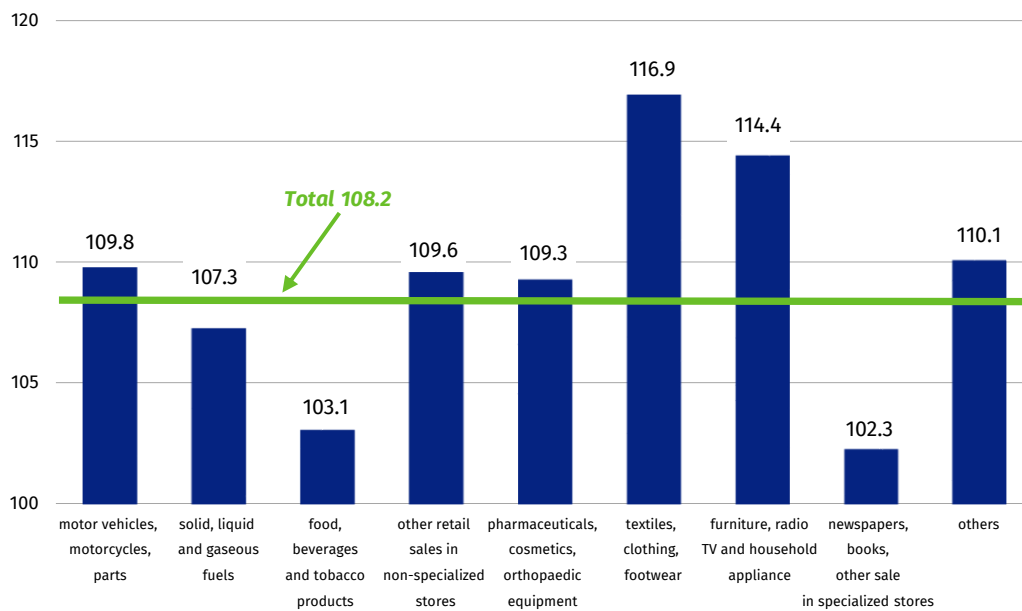
| Specification | VI 2018 | | I-VI 2018 |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| | V 2018=100 | VI 2017=100 | I-VI 2017=100 |
| TOTAL | 103.5 | 108.2 | 106.8 |
| of which: | | | |
| Motor vehicles, motorcycles, parts | 111.7 | 109.8 | 107.1 |
| Solid, liquid and gaseous fuels | 99.8 | 107.3 | 107.6 |
| Food, beverages and tobacco products | 103.3 | 103.1 | 102.1 |
| Other retail sale in non-specialized stores | 102.7 | 109.6 | 106.8 |
| Pharmaceuticals, cosmetics, orthopaedic equipment | 102.0 | 109.3 | 110.9 |
| Textiles, clothing, footwear | 107.1 | 116.9 | 112.8 |
| Furniture, radio, TV and household appliances | 107.0 | 114.4 | 108.3 |
| Newspapers, books, other sale in specialized stores | 100.6 | 102.3 | 102.6 |
| Others | 102.6 | 110.1 | 110.3 |

Table 2. Index numbers of retail sales (current prices)

| Specification | VI 2018 | | I-VI 2018 | |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|
| | V 2018=100 | VI 2017=100 | I-VI 2017=100 | Structure in % |
| TOTAL | 103.4 | 110.3 | 107.7 | 100.0 |
| of which: | | | | |
| Motor vehicles, motorcycles, parts | 111.6 | 106.7 | 103.0 | 9.8 |
| Solid, liquid and gaseous fuels | 100.5 | 120.3 | 112.6 | 15.6 |
| Food, beverages and tobacco products | 103.1 | 105.7 | 105.2 | 26.2 |
| Other retail sale in non-specialized stores | 102.4 | 109.0 | 106.0 | 11.2 |
| Pharmaceuticals, cosmetics, orthopaedic equipment | 102.0 | 110.8 | 111.5 | 6.8 |
| Textiles, clothing, footwear | 105.7 | 112.2 | 108.5 | 6.4 |
| Furniture, radio, TV and household appliances | 107.0 | 115.1 | 108.8 | 7.9 |
| Newspapers, books, other sale in specialized stores | 100.7 | 102.0 | 102.3 | 5.1 |
| Others | 102.4 | 110.6 | 110.7 | 9.8 |

In the period of January-June 2018 the share of the group “food, beverages and tobacco products” in the total retail sales amounted to 26.2%

Chart 2. Retail sales of goods in June 2018 by type of enterprise activity (constant prices) – corresponding period of previous year=100

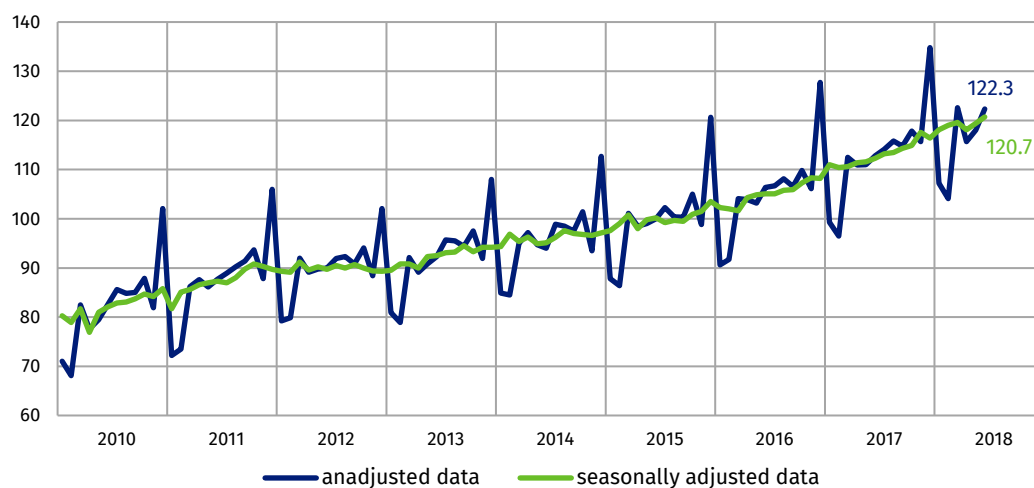


Retail sales seasonally adjusted

After eliminating the seasonal factors, retail sales at constant prices in June 2018 were by 1.1% higher in comparison with the previous month.

In June 2018, the retail sales seasonally adjusted increased by 1.1% in comparison with May 2018

Chart 3. Retail sales – seasonally adjusted data and unadjusted (constant prices) – monthly average 2015=100



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