

Table Title: Table 1 Value index and value of retail sales by type of retail outlet for June and July 2008

Value index of total retail sales for the month June 2008 was 132.0.

Value index of total retail sales for the month July 2008 was 144.0.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 22227.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 24248.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month June 2008 was +11.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2008 was +13.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to July 2008 was +15.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month June 2008 was 116.7.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2008 was 116.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 2185.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 2185.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month June 2008 was +14.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2008 was +10.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month January to July 2008 was +12.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month June 2008 was 125.6.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2008 was 108.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 660.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 571.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month June 2008 was +22.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2008 was +13.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month January to July 2008 was +17.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month June 2008 was 124.8.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2008 was 117.9.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 208.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 197.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month June 2008 was +11.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2008 was -4.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to July 2008 was +8.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month June 2008 was 101.1.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2008 was 103.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month June 2008

was \$HK million 411.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 422.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month June 2008 was +14.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2008 was +11.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to July 2008 was +8.1%.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month June 2008 was 108.1.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2008 was 120.2.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 639.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 711.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month June 2008 was +5.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2008 was +9.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month January to July 2008 was +8.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month June 2008 was 146.1.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2008 was 155.2.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 268.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 285.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month June 2008 was +21.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2008 was +16.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to July 2008 was +21.7%.

Value index of supermarkets for the month June 2008 was 123.6.

Value index of supermarkets for the month July 2008 was 128.2.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 2810.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 2914.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month June 2008 was +11.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2008 was +10.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to July 2008 was +12.3%.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month June 2008 was 159.7.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2008 was 161.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 799.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 810.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month June 2008 was +43.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2008 was +45.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to July 2008 was +31.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month June 2008 was 119.5.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2008 was 150.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 2682.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2008

was \$HK million 3383.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month June 2008 was +10.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2008 was +6.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to July 2008 was +14.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month June 2008 was 118.8.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2008 was 152.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 2286.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 2925.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month June 2008 was +10.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2008 was +6.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to July 2008 was +14.8%.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month June 2008 was 123.8.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2008 was 143.3.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 396.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 458.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month June 2008 was +9.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2008 was +5.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month January to July 2008 was +12.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month June 2008 was 123.2.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2008 was 142.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 3505.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 4060.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month June 2008 was +3.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2008 was +17.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to July 2008 was +13.9%.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month June 2008 was 139.7.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2008 was 178.9.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 1018.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 1303.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month June 2008 was -7.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2008 was +24.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month

January to July 2008 was +19.0%.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month June 2008 was 114.5.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2008 was 134.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 1559.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 1836.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month June 2008 was +8.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2008 was +16.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to July 2008 was +13.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month June 2008 was 123.5.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2008 was 134.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 513.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 560.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month June 2008 was +12.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2008 was +13.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to July 2008 was +13.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was 122.6.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was 106.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 414.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 361.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was +2.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was +3.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to July 2008 was +0.9%.

Value index of department stores for the month June 2008 was 120.2.

Value index of department stores for the month July 2008 was 134.4.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 2073.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 2318.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month June 2008 was +6.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2008 was +11.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month January to July 2008 was +13.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month June 2008 was 177.4.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2008 was 175.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month

June 2008 was \$HK million 3838.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 3805.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month June 2008 was +18.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2008 was +18.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month January to July 2008 was +22.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month June 2008 was 135.0.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2008 was 148.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 4335.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 4775.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month June 2008 was +11.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2008 was +14.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to July 2008 was +15.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month June 2008 was 117.5.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2008 was 131.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 551.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 617.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month June 2008 was +5.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2008 was +5.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to July 2008 was +6.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month June 2008 was 125.1.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2008 was 138.3.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 304.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 336.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month June 2008 was -1.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2008 was +2.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to July 2008 was +8.1%.

Value index of optical shops for the month June 2008 was 131.2.

Value index of optical shops for the month July 2008 was 130.4.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 172.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 171.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month June 2008 was -5.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2008 was -5.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to July 2008 was

+5.9%.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month June 2008 was 120.0.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2008 was 138.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 1466.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 1687.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month June 2008 was +9.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2008 was +12.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to July 2008 was +12.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was 160.8.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was 171.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 1842.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 1964.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was +18.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was +23.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to July 2008 was +23.4%.

Note:

1. The figures for supermarkets above do not include sales in supermarket sections of department stores. Supplementary statistics that included such sales are shown below.

Value index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month June 2008 was 123.4.

Value index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2008 was 128.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month June 2008 was \$HK million 3052.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2008 was \$HK million 3186.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month June 2008 was +9.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2008 was +10.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month January to July 2008 was +12.1%.

2. Figures for the month June 2008 are revised figures.

3. Figures for the month July 2008 are provisional figures.

4. Value index monthly average of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005=100.

5. The sum of individual items and the total shown might not exactly tally because of rounding.

Table Title: Table 2 Volume index of retail sales by type of retail outlet for June and July 2008

Volume index of total retail sales for the month June 2008 was 119.0.

Volume index of total retail sales for the month July 2008 was 131.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month June 2008 was +4.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2008 was +6.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to July 2008 was +8.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month June 2008 was 95.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2008 was 95.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month June 2008 was -0.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2008 was -3.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month January to July 2008 was -2.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month June 2008 was 88.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2008 was 75.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month June 2008 was -2.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2008 was -8.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month January to July 2008 was -7.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month June 2008 was 92.6.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2008 was 81.6.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month June 2008 was -2.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2008 was -22.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to July 2008 was -7.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month June 2008 was 88.3.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2008 was 90.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month June 2008 was +3.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2008 was +0.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to July 2008 was -1.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month June 2008 was 89.9.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2008 was 99.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month June 2008 was -7.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2008 was -3.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month January to July 2008 was -4.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month June 2008 was 148.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2008 was 158.8.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month June 2008 was +19.6%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2008 was +15.8%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to July 2008 was +19.5%.
Volume index of supermarkets for the month June 2008 was 108.1.
Volume index of supermarkets for the month July 2008 was 111.9.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month June 2008 was -1.3%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2008 was -1.4%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to July 2008 was +2.5%.
Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month June 2008 was 121.5.
Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2008 was 121.2.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month June 2008 was +18.1%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2008 was +18.6%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to July 2008 was +9.5%.
Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month June 2008 was 109.8.
Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2008 was 142.9.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month June 2008 was +9.3%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2008 was +5.1%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to July 2008 was +13.2%.
Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month June 2008 was 107.5.
Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2008 was 142.4.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month June 2008 was +9.2%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2008 was +5.4%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to July 2008 was +13.2%.
Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month June 2008 was 123.3.
Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2008 was 145.8.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month June 2008 was +9.9%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2008 was +3.3%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month January to July 2008 was +12.8%.
Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month June 2008 was 141.2.
Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2008 was 163.1.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month June 2008 was +5.6%.
Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the

month July 2008 was +18.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to July 2008 was +16.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month June 2008 was 139.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2008 was 178.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month June 2008 was -10.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2008 was +20.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month January to July 2008 was +16.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month June 2008 was 148.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2008 was 174.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month June 2008 was +15.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2008 was +22.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to July 2008 was +21.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month June 2008 was 116.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2008 was 127.6.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month June 2008 was +6.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2008 was +8.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to July 2008 was +9.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was 147.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was 129.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was +6.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was +6.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to July 2008 was +3.3%.

Volume index of department stores for the month June 2008 was 115.0.

Volume index of department stores for the month July 2008 was 130.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month June 2008 was +3.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2008 was +8.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month January to July 2008 was +9.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month June 2008 was 126.4.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2008 was 121.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month June 2008 was +1.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and

valuable gifts for the month July 2008 was -0.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month January to July 2008 was +4.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month June 2008 was 124.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2008 was 137.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month June 2008 was +5.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2008 was +8.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to July 2008 was +10.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month June 2008 was 110.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2008 was 123.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month June 2008 was +0.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2008 was +0.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to July 2008 was +1.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month June 2008 was 109.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2008 was 120.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month June 2008 was -8.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2008 was -5.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to July 2008 was +0.5%.

Volume index of optical shops for the month June 2008 was 118.0.

Volume index of optical shops for the month July 2008 was 115.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month June 2008 was -8.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2008 was -8.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to July 2008 was +2.7%.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month June 2008 was 109.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2008 was 125.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month June 2008 was +4.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2008 was +6.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to July 2008 was +7.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was 149.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was 161.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month June 2008 was +12.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2008 was +17.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to July 2008 was +19.9%.

Note:

1. The figures for supermarkets above do not include sales in supermarket sections of department stores. Supplementary statistics that included such sales are shown below.

Volume index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month June 2008 was 108.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2008 was 113.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month June 2008 was -1.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2008 was -0.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month January to July 2008 was +2.8%.

2. Figures for the month June 2008 are revised figures.

3. Figures for the month July 2008 are provisional figures.

4. Volume index monthly average of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005=100.

Table Title: Table 3 Movement of the volume of total retail sales, May 2007 - July 2008

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for May 2007 was +9.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending May 2007 compared with the 3 months ending February 2007 was -1.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for June 2007 was +12.8%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending June 2007 compared with the 3 months ending March 2007 was +2.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for July 2007 was +12.1%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending July 2007 compared with the 3 months ending April 2007 was +4.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for August 2007 was +12.7%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending August 2007 compared with the 3 months ending May 2007 was +7.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for September 2007 was +13.0%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending September 2007 compared with the 3 months ending June 2007 was +5.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for October 2007 was +13.1%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending October 2007 compared with the 3 months ending July 2007 was +3.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for November 2007 was +15.3%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending November 2007 compared with the 3 months ending August 2007 was +2.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for December 2007 was +12.5%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending December 2007 compared with the 3 months ending September 2007 was +2.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for January 2008 was +17.6%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending January 2008 compared with the 3 months ending October 2007 was +1.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for February 2008 was +4.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending February 2008 compared with the 3 months ending November 2007 was +2.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for March 2008 was +13.0%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending March 2008 compared with the 3 months ending December 2007 was +0.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for April 2008 was +11.5%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending April 2008 compared with the 3 months ending January 2008 was +2.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for May 2008 was +5.6%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending May 2008 compared with the 3 months ending February 2008 was -2.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for June 2008 was +4.1%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending June 2008 compared with the 3 months ending March 2008 was -1.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for July 2008 was +6.6%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending July 2008 compared with the 3 months ending April 2008 was -1.8%.

Notes:

1. Figures for the month July 2008 are provisional figures.

2. Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. For retail sales index, the seasonally adjusted series for the preceding three years are revised each year when the figures for January become available.