

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

Value index of total retail sales for the month October 2008 was 123.8.

Value index of total retail sales for the month November 2008 was 121.9.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 20843.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 20515.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month October 2008 was +0.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month November 2008 was +1.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to November 2008 was +11.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month October 2008 was 139.1.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month November 2008 was 132.3.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 2606.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2479.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month October 2008 was +8.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month November 2008 was +8.1%.

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 November 2008 was +11.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month October 2008 was 139.3.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month November 2008 was 136.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 732.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 718.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month October 2008 was +12.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month November 2008 was +14.2%.

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 November 2008 was +16.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month October 2008 was 107.9.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month November 2008 was 78.9.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 180.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 132.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month October 2008 was -6.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month November 2008 was -6.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to November 2008 was +3.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month October 2008 was 135.2.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month November 2008 was 110.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 549.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 449.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month October 2008 was +10.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month November 2008 was +4.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to November 2008 was +10.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month October 2008 was 146.8.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month November 2008 was 151.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 869.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 899.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month October 2008 was +6.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month November 2008 was +8.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month January to November 2008 was +7.9%.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month October 2008 was 150.6.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month November 2008 was 153.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 276.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 282.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month October 2008 was +11.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month November 2008 was +7.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to November 2008 was +17.3%.

Value index of supermarkets for the month October 2008 was 125.2.

Value index of supermarkets for the month November 2008 was 122.2.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 2846.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2778.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month October 2008 was +7.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month November 2008 was +9.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to November 2008 was +11.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month October 2008 was 136.5.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month November 2008 was 123.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 683.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 620.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month October 2008 was +14.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month November 2008 was +4.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to

November 2008 was +26.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month October 2008 was 117.7.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month November 2008 was 122.3.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 2641.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2744.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month October 2008 was -6.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month November 2008 was -0.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to November 2008 was +9.1%.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month October 2008 was 121.2.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month November 2008 was 122.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 2332.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2346.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month October 2008 was -6.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month November 2008 was -0.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to November 2008 was +9.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month October 2008 was 96.9.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month November 2008 was 124.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 310.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 398.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month October 2008 was -5.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month November 2008 was -0.8%.

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 November 2008 was +7.9%.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month October 2008 was 111.2.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month November 2008 was 101.5.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 3162.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2888.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month October 2008 was -6.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month November 2008 was -12.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to November 2008 was +8.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month October 2008 was 112.7.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month November 2008 was 93.2.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 821.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 679.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month October 2008 was -23.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month November 2008 was -36.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month January to November 2008 was +5.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month October 2008 was 122.9.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month November 2008 was 108.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 1674.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 1477.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month October 2008 was +1.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month November 2008 was -3.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to November 2008 was +10.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month October 2008 was 98.2.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month November 2008 was 120.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 408.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 499.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month October 2008 was +8.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month November 2008 was +9.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to November 2008 was +13.1%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was 76.6.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was 69.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 259.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 233.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was -4.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was -8.4%.

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 November 2008 was -0.7%.

Value index of department stores for the month October 2008 was 117.5.

Value index of department stores for the month November 2008 was 148.6.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 2026.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2562.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month October 2008 was -3.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month November 2008 was +6.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month January to November 2008 was +9.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month October 2008 was 146.9.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month November 2008 was 138.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 3179.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 2995.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month October 2008 was -2.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month November 2008 was -1.9%.

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 November 2008 was +15.8%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month October 2008 was 115.3.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month November 2008 was 107.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 3700.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 3449.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month October 2008 was +2.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month November 2008 was +3.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to November 2008 was +11.9%.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month October 2008 was 106.3.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month November 2008 was 93.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 498.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 436.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month October 2008 was -5.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month November 2008 was +2.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to November 2008 was +3.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month October 2008 was 112.2.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month November 2008 was 106.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 273.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 259.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month

October 2008 was -12.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month November 2008 was -3.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to November 2008 was +3.4%.

Value index of optical shops for the month October 2008 was 97.1.

Value index of optical shops for the month November 2008 was 99.6.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 127.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 131.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month October 2008 was -7.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month November 2008 was -5.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to November 2008 was +3.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month October 2008 was 107.5.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month November 2008 was 114.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 1313.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 1397.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month October 2008 was +10.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month November 2008 was +11.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to November 2008 was +11.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was 130.0.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was 107.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 1489.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 1227.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was +3.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was -1.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to November 2008 was +17.7%.

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 October 2008 was 125.9.

Value index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month November 2008 was 124.9.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month October 2008 was \$HK million 3116.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month November 2008 was \$HK million 3090.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month October 2008 was +7.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month November 2008 was +9.9%.

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 November 2008 was +11.2%.

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

3. Figures for the month November 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 October and November 2008

Volume index of total retail sales for the month October 2008 was 111.8.

Volume index of total retail sales for the month November 2008 was 109.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month October 2008 was -4.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month November 2008 was -2.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to November 2008 was +5.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month October 2008 was 112.3.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month November 2008 was 107.4.

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

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month November 2008 was -2.1%.

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 November 2008 was -1.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month October 2008 was 95.6.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month November 2008 was 95.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month October 2008 was -5.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month November 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 January to November 2008 was -5.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month October 2008 was 78.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month November 2008 was 57.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month October 2008 was -15.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month November 2008 was -19.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to November 2008 was -9.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month October 2008 was 115.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month November 2008 was 94.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month October 2008 was +0.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month November 2008 was -4.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to November 2008 was +0.4%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month October 2008 was 121.6.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month November 2008 was 125.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month October 2008 was -3.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month November 2008 was -1.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month

January to November 2008 was -4.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month October 2008 was 153.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month November 2008 was 156.6.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month October 2008 was +13.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month November 2008 was +8.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to November 2008 was +16.7%.

Volume index of supermarkets for the month October 2008 was 108.7.

Volume index of supermarkets for the month November 2008 was 106.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month October 2008 was -2.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month November 2008 was -0.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to November 2008 was +1.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month October 2008 was 112.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month November 2008 was 112.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month October 2008 was +5.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month November 2008 was +9.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to November 2008 was +9.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month October 2008 was 108.6.

Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month November 2008 was 104.6.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month October 2008 was -4.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month November 2008 was -1.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to November 2008 was +8.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month October 2008 was 111.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month November 2008 was 102.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month October 2008 was -3.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month November 2008 was -0.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to November 2008 was +9.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month October 2008 was 94.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month November 2008 was 118.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month October 2008 was -8.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month November 2008 was -5.5%.

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 November 2008 was +5.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month October 2008 was 131.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month November 2008 was 119.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month October 2008 was -3.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month November 2008 was -9.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to November 2008 was +11.1%.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month October 2008 was 114.3.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month November 2008 was 94.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month October 2008 was -23.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month November 2008 was -36.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month January to November 2008 was +3.4%.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month October 2008 was 162.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month November 2008 was 143.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month October 2008 was +6.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month November 2008 was +1.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to November 2008 was +17.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month October 2008 was 92.1.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month November 2008 was 112.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month October 2008 was +4.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month November 2008 was +5.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to November 2008 was +8.2%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was 92.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was 84.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was 0.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was -3.4%.

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 November 2008 was +2.4%.

Volume index of department stores for the month October 2008 was 111.1.

Volume index of department stores for the month November 2008 was 135.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month October 2008 was -5.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month November 2008 was +2.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month January to November 2008 was +5.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month October 2008 was 104.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month November 2008 was 102.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month October 2008 was -10.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month November 2008 was -3.7%.

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 November 2008 was +1.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month October 2008 was 103.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month November 2008 was 96.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month October 2008 was -4.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month November 2008 was -3.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to November 2008 was +6.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month October 2008 was 97.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month November 2008 was 85.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month October 2008 was -10.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month November 2008 was -1.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to November 2008 was -1.1%.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month October 2008 was 96.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month November 2008 was 91.2.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month October 2008 was -19.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month November 2008 was -9.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to November 2008 was -3.8%.

Volume index of optical shops for the month October 2008 was 85.9.

Volume index of optical shops for the month November 2008 was 88.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month October 2008 was -9.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month November 2008 was -7.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to November 2008 was +0.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month October 2008 was 96.3.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month November 2008 was 102.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month October 2008 was +4.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month November 2008 was +5.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to November 2008 was +6.7%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was 117.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month November 2008 was 95.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month October 2008 was -5.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere

classified for the month November 2008 was -10.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to November 2008 was +12.7%.

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 October 2008 was 110.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month November 2008 was 109.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month October 2008 was -1.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month November 2008 was +0.6%.

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 November 2008 was +1.7%.

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

3. Figures for the month November 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, September 2007 - November 2008

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%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for August 2008 was +3.7%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending August 2008 compared with the 3 months ending May 2008 was +1.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for September 2008 was +1.9%.

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

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for October 2008 was -4.3%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending October 2008 compared with the 3 months ending July 2008 was -1.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for November 2008 was -2.8%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending November 2008 compared with the 3 months ending August 2008 was -3.4%.

Notes:

1. Figures for the month November 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.