

Table 1 : Value index and value of retail sales by broad type of retail outlet for May and June 2019

Broad type of retail outlet	Value index of retail sales (Points) (Average monthly index from Oct 2014 to Sep 2015 = 100)		Value of retail sales ⁽²⁾ (HK\$ million)			Percentage change (%)		
	May 2019 (Revised figures)	Jun 2019 (Provisional figures*)	May 2019 (Revised figures)	Jun 2019 (Provisional figures*)	Jan - Jun 2019 (Provisional figures*)	May 2019 over May 2018	Jun 2019 over Jun 2018	Jan - Jun 2019 over Jan - Jun 2018
All retail outlets	99.1	87.4	39,931	35,206	241,266	-1.4	-6.7	-2.6
By broad type of retail outlet								
Food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets)	103.4	95.6	3,462	3,198	22,188	+2.9	-1.3	+0.6
• Fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen	94.9	96.9	848	866	6,263	+2.6	+4.8	+1.3
• Fruits and vegetables, fresh	133.1	136.9	268	276	1,412	+11.9	+7.2	+7.0
• Bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits	91.9	88.3	860	826	5,569	+1.8	-1.3	-1.0
• Other food, not elsewhere classified	129.5	102.3	1,057	835	6,052	+4.1	-5.5	+3.0
• Alcoholic drinks and tobacco	85.9	79.0	429	395	2,892	-2.2	-9.2	-5.3
Supermarkets⁽¹⁾	102.5	103.3	4,421	4,455	26,524	-0.8	+1.6	+1.3
Fuels	115.5	119.8	878	911	4,952	-5.2	+1.9	+0.5
Clothing, footwear and allied products	94.6	83.9	4,931	4,371	32,029	-4.3	-7.1	-3.4
• Wearing apparel	94.0	81.3	4,183	3,618	27,146	-5.2	-8.2	-4.2
• Footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories	98.3	98.8	748	752	4,883	+1.3	-1.4	+0.8
Consumer durable goods	64.2	63.0	4,761	4,672	32,304	-9.3	-11.9	-10.9
• Motor vehicles and parts	96.6	100.5	1,411	1,467	8,792	-0.3	-9.1	-1.4
• Furniture and fixtures	98.1	108.1	593	654	3,765	-1.3	+1.1	+1.7
• Electrical goods and other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified	51.6	47.7	2,757	2,552	19,748	-14.8	-16.1	-16.5
Department stores	135.9	84.4	5,795	3,599	26,516	+0.3	-6.0	+0.8
Jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts	88.3	76.0	6,682	5,754	40,622	-2.9	-17.1	-6.5
Other consumer goods	121.3	111.1	9,001	8,246	56,131	+3.4	-2.5	+1.3
• Books, newspapers, stationery and gifts	89.3	83.3	555	518	3,432	-0.7	-4.5	-2.0
• Chinese drugs and herbs	95.8	100.7	459	483	3,040	-0.1	-0.1	-1.4
• Optical shops	110.0	94.0	305	261	1,700	-10.5	-11.9	-6.9
• Medicines and cosmetics	116.7	106.0	4,056	3,684	25,902	+1.5	-4.1	-0.3
• Other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified	141.1	128.5	3,625	3,301	22,057	+8.3	+0.3	+4.9

* The provisional figures are subject to revision later on.

(1) These figures do not include retail sales in supermarket sections of department stores. Supplementary statistics that include such sales are shown below :

<i>Supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores</i>	<i>104.7</i>	<i>102.1</i>	<i>5,020</i>	<i>4,897</i>	<i>29,469</i>	<i>-1.4</i>	<i>+0.5</i>	<i>+0.7</i>
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(2) The sum of individual items may not add up to the total because of rounding.

Table 2 : Volume index of retail sales by broad type of retail outlet for May and June 2019

Broad type of retail outlet	Volume index of retail sales (Points) (Average monthly index from Oct 2014 to Sep 2015 = 100)		Percentage change (%)		
	May 2019 (Revised figures)	Jun 2019 (Provisional figures*)	May 2019 over May 2018	Jun 2019 over Jun 2018	Jan - Jun 2019 over Jan - Jun 2018
<u>All retail outlets</u>	98.6	86.3	-1.8	-7.6	-3.1
<u>By broad type of retail outlet</u>					
Food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets)	91.3	82.0	-1.4	-8.0	-3.7
• Fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen	79.6	71.4	-5.1	-14.3	-6.4
• Fruits and vegetables, fresh	109.6	114.9	+1.8	-1.0	-1.3
• Bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits	82.6	79.3	-1.6	-4.3	-4.1
• Other food, not elsewhere classified	112.7	89.7	+1.9	-6.9	+0.6
• Alcoholic drinks and tobacco	84.9	79.3	-4.7	-10.5	-7.1
Supermarkets⁽¹⁾	91.2	90.6	-5.9	-5.0	-2.8
Fuels	103.2	108.6	-8.6	+0.2	-2.1
Clothing, footwear and allied products	95.7	86.3	-3.6	-4.5	-2.8
• Wearing apparel	94.6	83.4	-4.0	-4.9	-2.8
• Footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories	102.6	103.8	-1.5	-2.1	-3.0
Consumer durable goods	73.3	72.0	-7.6	-10.1	-9.0
• Motor vehicles and parts	95.1	98.2	-0.2	-9.4	-1.7
• Furniture and fixtures	91.4	102.7	-3.7	+0.6	#
• Electrical goods and other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified	64.1	59.4	-11.9	-13.5	-13.3
Department stores	137.2	83.1	+2.7	-5.5	+2.2
Jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts	88.2	75.7	-1.9	-17.1	-5.3
Other consumer goods	120.0	109.9	+2.2	-3.0	#
• Books, newspapers, stationery and gifts	78.9	73.5	-5.4	-8.7	-5.9
• Chinese drugs and herbs	90.5	95.3	-2.0	-1.0	-3.4
• Optical shops	106.2	91.1	-10.8	-11.8	-8.5
• Medicines and cosmetics	111.7	102.0	-0.5	-5.0	-2.1
• Other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified	150.2	136.1	+8.6	+0.9	+5.0

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<i>Supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores</i>	93.1	89.6	-6.3	-6.1	-3.4
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Denotes change within ± 0.05 .

Table 3 : Movement of the value and volume of total retail sales

Original series			Seasonally adjusted series						
Year / Month	Year-on-year rate of change (%)		3 months ending Year / Month	Compared with the 3 months ending Year / Month	Rate of change ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ (%)				
	Value	Volume			Value	Volume			
2014	-0.2	-0.2	-	-	-	-			
2015	-3.7	-1.5	-	-	-	-			
2016	-8.1	-7.1	-	-	-	-			
2017	+2.2	+1.9	-	-	-	-			
2018	+8.7	+7.6	-	-	-	-			
2016	Jul	-7.7	-7.0	2016	Jul	2016	Apr	+0.5	+0.1
	Aug	-10.5	-11.0	Aug	May			-0.4	-0.7
	Sep	-4.0	-3.8	Sep	Jun			-0.4	-0.6
	Oct	-2.9	-2.7	Oct	Jul			+1.0	+0.8
	Nov	-5.4	-5.5	Nov	Aug			+2.0	+2.1
	Dec	-2.9	-2.9	Dec	Sep			+1.2	+1.5
2017	Jan	-1.0	-1.4	2017	Jan		Oct	-2.3	-1.9
	Feb	-5.8	-6.2	Feb	Feb		Nov	-3.3	-3.1
	Mar	+3.0	+2.6	Mar	Mar		Dec	-2.9	-2.9
	Apr	+0.1	-0.1	Apr	Apr	2017	Jan	+1.3	+1.0
	May	+0.4	+0.6	May	May		Feb	+2.9	+2.6
	Jun	+0.1	+0.5	Jun	Jun		Mar	+2.3	+2.4
	Jul	+4.0	+4.5	Jul	Jul		Apr	+1.5	+1.9
	Aug	+2.7	+3.2	Aug	Aug		May	+1.1	+1.4
	Sep	+5.7	+5.6	Sep	Sep		Jun	+3.7	+3.6
	Oct	+3.9	+3.6	Oct	Oct		Jul	+3.4	+2.9
	Nov	+7.6	+7.0	Nov	Nov		Aug	+4.8	+4.2
	Dec	+5.8	+4.3	Dec	Dec		Sep	+2.7	+1.9
2018	Jan	+4.2	+2.3	2018	Jan		Oct	+3.8	+2.8
	Feb	+29.9	+28.3	Feb	Feb		Nov	+3.8	+2.8
	Mar	+11.5	+10.1	Mar	Mar		Dec	+5.3	+4.6
	Apr	+12.2	+11.0	Apr	Apr	2018	Jan	+3.7	+3.6
	May	+12.9	+11.5	May	May		Feb	+1.7	+1.8
	Jun	+11.9	+9.8	Jun	Jun		Mar	+0.1	+0.2
	Jul	+7.8	+5.9	Jul	Jul		Apr	-0.5	-0.7
	Aug	+9.4	+7.9	Aug	Aug		May	-0.8	-1.1
	Sep	+2.4	+1.4	Sep	Sep		Jun	-1.5	-1.5
	Oct	+6.0	+5.3	Oct	Oct		Jul	-1.1	-0.9
	Nov	+1.4	+1.2	Nov	Nov		Aug	-1.5	-0.9
	Dec	+0.1	+0.1	Dec	Dec		Sep	-1.1	-0.8
2019	Jan	+7.0	+6.9	2019	Jan		Oct	-2.0	-2.1
	Feb	-10.2	-10.5	Feb	Feb		Nov	-0.6	-1.2
	Mar	-0.2	-0.8	Mar	Mar		Dec	+1.0	+0.2
	Apr	-4.5	-5.0	Apr	Apr	2019	Jan	+1.4	+0.9
	May	-1.4	-1.8	May	May		Feb	+0.7	+0.5
	Jun	-6.7*	-7.6*	Jun	Jun		Mar	-2.7*	-2.8*

- Not applicable.

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- (1) The rate of change is calculated by comparing the monthly average index for the 3-month period ending the month in question with that for the preceding 3-month period, e.g. the rate for the 3 months ending Jun 2019 is the percentage change of the average monthly index for Apr, May and Jun 2019 compared with the average monthly index for Jan, Feb and Mar 2019.
- (2) The seasonally adjusted series is compiled using the X-12 ARIMA method, which is a standard method applied in compiling seasonally adjusted statistical data series. The series may be revised as more data become available. For the value and volume indices of total retail sales, the seasonally adjusted series for the preceding 3 years are revised each year when the figures for January are published.