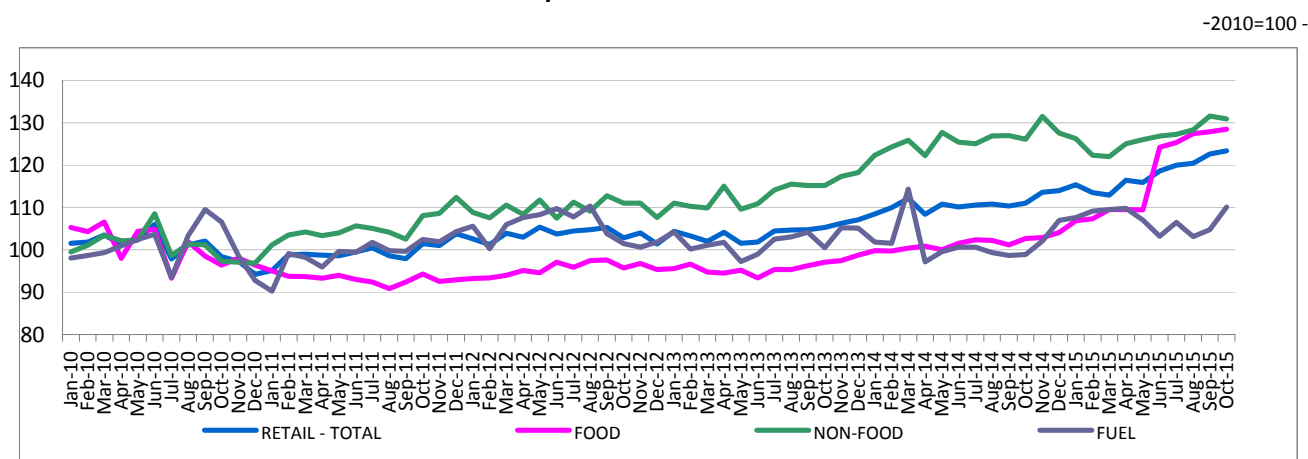


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THE RETAIL TURNOVER INCREASED BY 7.4% IN THE PERIOD 1.I-31.X.2015

- As against the previous month, in October 2015 **the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)** increased both as gross series by **0.4%** and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **0.7%**.
- As against the corresponding month of the previous year, **the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)** increased both as gross series and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **11.1%**, each.
- As against the period 1.I – 31.X.2014, in the period 1.I – 31.X.2015 **the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, increased both as gross series and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **7.4%** and by **6.9%**, respectively.

Monthly evolution of the retail turnover in accordance to CANE Rev. 2
 - adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality -
 - January 2010 - October 2015 -



Food = Prevalent sale of food, beverages and tobacco; Non-food = Prevalent sale of non-food products; Fuel = Retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores

[Chart data in xls format \(X.2014-X.2015\)](#)

**Indices of the retail turnover volume
(excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**

		OCTOBER 2015 in % as against:		1.I – 31.X.2015/ 1.I – 31.X.2014 -%-
		SEPTEMBER 2015	OCTOBER 2014	
Total retail (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)	B	100.4	111.1	107.4
	S	100.7	111.1	106.9
Prevalent sale of food, beverages and tobacco	B	99.7	123.8	117.1
	S	100.4	125.1	116.3
Prevalent sale of non-food products	B	97.7	103.3	100.9
	S	99.5	103.9	101.1
Retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores	B	106.2	108.6	105.8
	S	105.1	111.3	105.7

Note: B= gross series; S= adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality

[Table data in xls format](#)

October 2015 as against September 2015

As against the previous month, in October 2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motor cycles), gross series, globally increased by 0.4% due to the increments registered by retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+6.2%). Drops were registered by the sale of non-food products (-2.3%) and by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (-0.3%).

As against the previous month, in October 2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motor cycles), adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, globally increased by 0.7% due to the increments registered by the retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+5.1%) and by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (+0.4%). The sale of non-food products decreased by 0.5%.

October 2015 as against October 2014

As against October 2014, in October 2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles), gross series, registered an increase of 11.1% due to the increments registered by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (+23.8%), by the retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+8.6%) and by the sale of non-food products (+3.3%).

As against October 2014, in October 2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles), adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, registered an increase of 11.1% due to the increments registered by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (+25.1%), by the retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+11.3%) and by the sale of non-food products (+3.9%).

Period 1.I – 31.X.2015 as against period 1.I – 31.X.2014

As against the period 1.I – 31.X.2014, in the period 1.I – 31.X.2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles), gross series, registered an increase of 7.4% due to the increments registered by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (+17.1%), by the retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+5.8%) and by the sale of non-food products (+0.9%).

As against the period 1.I – 31.X.2014, in the period 1.I – 31.X.2015 the retail turnover volume (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles), adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, registered an increase of 6.9% due to the increments registered by the sale of food, beverages and tobacco (+16.3%), by the retail of automotive fuel in specialised stores (+5.7%) and by the sale of non-food products (+1.1%).

Additional information:

For the correct interpretation of the indicators, please see the [Methodological Notes attached to the press release on the homepage](#).

[Additional information on the indices presented in this press release could be accessed in the .xls file attached to the press release on the homepage](#).

For more information, see the Monthly Statistical Bulletin (date of issue December 22, 2015) and the INS TEMPO online database (the data for October 2015 will be available on December 14).

For comparable data with the other Member States of the European Union, kindly see the Eurostat press release which will be issued today, December 3, 2015 and posted at the following address: <http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat>

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