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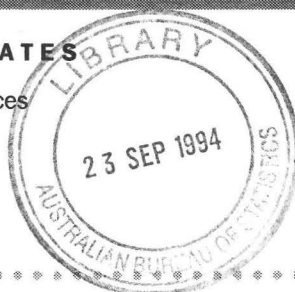
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THIS MONTH'S KEY FIGURES

TREND ESTIMATES

| Turnover at current prices (in \$millions) | Jun 94 | Jul 94 | % change |
|---|---------|---------|----------|
| | 8 689.9 | 8 730.5 | 0.5 |
| | Jul 93 | Jul 94 | % change |
| | 8 174.9 | 8 730.5 | 6.8 |



SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES

| Turnover at current prices (in \$millions) | Jun 94 | Jul 94 | % change |
|---|------------|------------|----------|
| | 8 615.6 | 8 874.2 | 3.0 |
| | Jul 93 | Jul 94 | % change |
| | 8 167.8 | 8 874.2 | 8.6 |
| Turnover at constant prices (average 1989-90 prices in \$millions) | Mar 94 qtr | Jun 94 qtr | % change |
| | 22 874.1 | 22 831.5 | -0.2 |

THIS MONTH'S KEY POINTS

TREND ESTIMATES

- Growth in retail turnover has strengthened following a substantial increase in the seasonally adjusted estimate for July.
- The trend estimate is now showing growth of around 0.5 per cent per month for the first seven months of 1994.

TAKE CARE!
Trend estimates are revised as new monthly data become available.

INDUSTRY ANALYSIS

- Over the last three months the Grocery industry has been showing monthly growth of around 0.5 per cent which is identical to the all industries growth rate for July.
- Hotels, liquor stores and licensed clubs are showing strong growth of around 1.2 per cent per month.
- The trend estimate for Clothing stores is in decline.

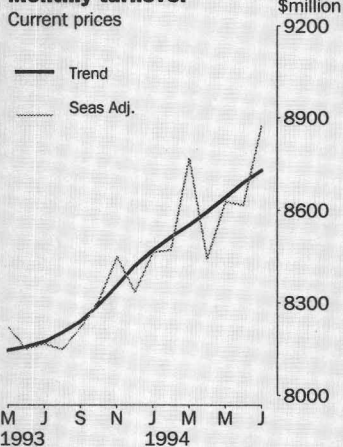
STATE ANALYSIS

- Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania are showing growth over recent months.
- New South Wales recorded zero growth in July while the Australian Capital Territory is in decline.

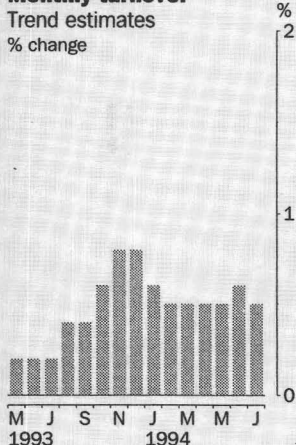
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES

- The seasonally adjusted estimate rose by 3.0 per cent in July 1994. This follows a fall of 0.1 per cent in June 1994.

Monthly turnover



Monthly turnover



INQUIRIES

- For further information about these and related statistics, contact Bill Powell on 06 252 6132, or Leon Ting on 06 252 6807 for information about constant price estimates.

FORTHCOMING ISSUES

| <i>ISSUE</i> | <i>RELEASE DATE</i> |
|----------------|---------------------|
| August 1994 | 5 October 1994 |
| September 1994 | 3 November 1994 |
| October 1994 | 5 December 1994 |

CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

Turnover figures are at current prices unless specifically indicated otherwise. As usual, these figures exclude motor vehicle dealers, petrol stations, etc.

As advised in the June issue, the Retail Trade Survey has been redesigned and data on the new basis was to be released in this issue. However, work associated with converting the time series to the new basis has proved to be more involved than anticipated. As a result the data presented herein is on the old survey design basis. The August issue will also be released on the old basis.

SAMPLING ERRORS

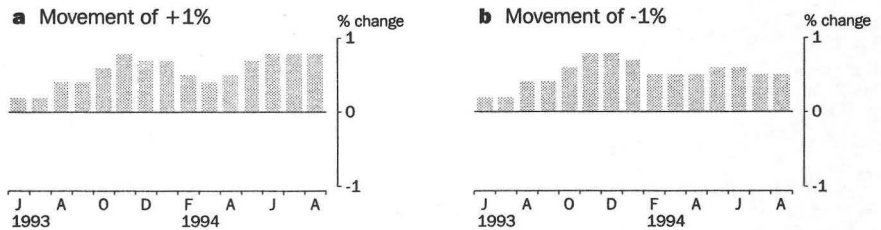
Standard errors for estimates for July 1994 contained in this publication are:

| <i>DATA SERIES</i> | <i>STANDARD ERROR</i> |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Level of retail turnover | \$66 million |
| Change from June to July | \$38 million |
| % change from previous month | 0.4% |

For more information see the Explanatory notes, paragraphs 8-10, or contact Bill Powell on 06 252 6132.

SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS

Readers should exercise care in the interpretation of the trend data as the last three observations, in particular, are likely to be revised with the addition of subsequent months' data. To illustrate this, graph 'a' below shows the effect a +1.0 per cent seasonally adjusted result in August 1994 will have on recent trend series movements. Graph 'b' shows what will happen if the August seasonally adjusted result is -1.0 per cent.



TAKE CARE
Trend estimates are subject to revision as subsequent data become available. See Explanatory Note 14.

For readers information, August seasonally adjusted percentage changes over the last five years were -0.2 per cent in 1993, -0.1 per cent in 1992, 0.1 per cent in 1991, 0.6 per cent in 1990 and 0.0 per cent in 1989.

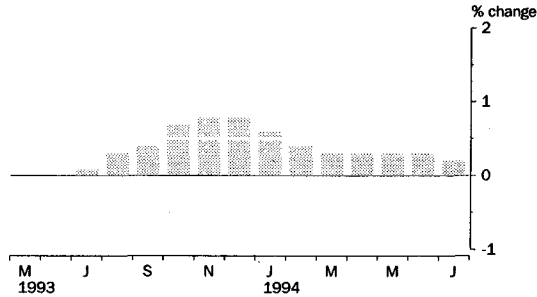
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MONTHLY PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN TREND ESTIMATES

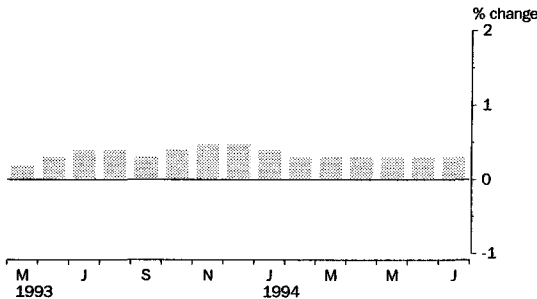
RETAIL INDUSTRIES

The Retail industries group (excluding industries categorised to the Service industry groupings) has eased from growth of 0.8 per cent in December 1993 to 0.2 per cent in July 1994.



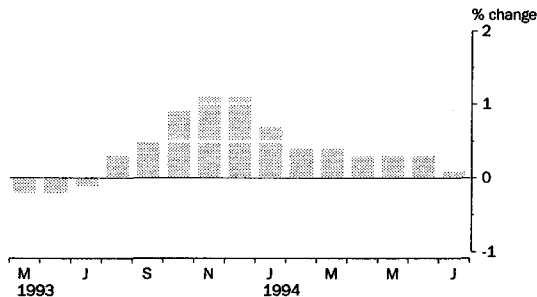
FOOD RETAILING

Growth in the trend estimate for the food group has been steady at around 0.3 per cent per month over the last six months. Grocers are showing growth, however, Other food stores and Butchers are in decline.



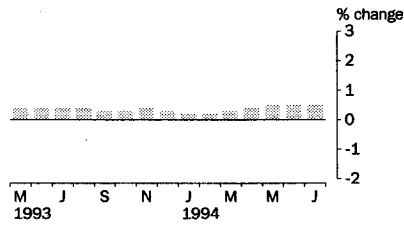
NON-FOOD RETAILING

This group, consisting of the Household goods and Other retail industry groups, has shown a weakening in the growth of trend estimates over recent months. In December 1993 the growth rate was 1.1 per cent. By July 1994 it had fallen to 0.1 per cent.



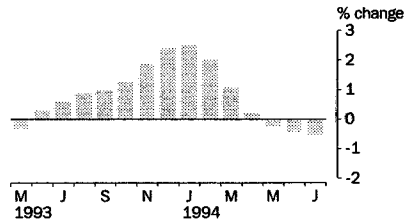
MONTHLY PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN TREND ESTIMATES

GROCERS



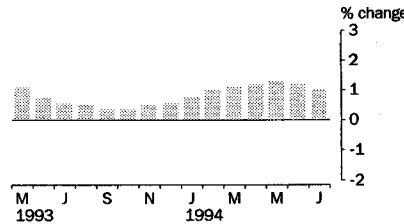
The Grocery industry has shown growth of around 0.5 per cent per month over the last three months, a slight improvement on the growth observed earlier in the year.

OTHER FOOD STORES



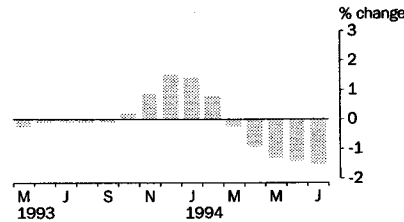
The trend estimates for Other food stores are in decline for each of the last three months. This follows a period of strong growth in late 1993 and early 1994.

HOTELS, CLUBS ETC.



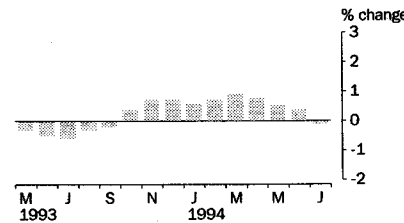
Growth in the Hotels, clubs, etc industry has remained strong with growth of 1.0 per cent or more in each of the last six months.

CLOTHING AND FABRIC STORES



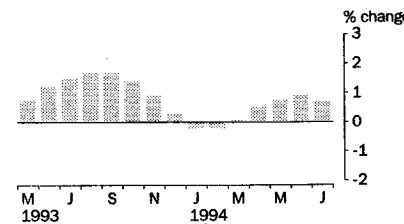
July is the fifth month in a row that the Clothing industry has been in decline. The rate of decline has accelerated from 0.2 per cent in March 1994 to 1.5 per cent in July.

DEPARTMENT STORES



Growth in the trend estimates for Department stores has weakened from a strong 0.9 per cent in March to a decrease of 0.1 per cent in July 1994.

ELECTRICAL GOODS STORES



Electrical goods stores has shown strong growth over the last four months. This follows a short period of either decline or weak growth.

MONTHLY TURNOVER: All series

| Month | \$m | % change from preceding month | % change from corres- ponding month of prev. year |
|-------------|----------|--|---|
| ORIGINAL | | | |
| 1993 | | | |
| May | 7 971.2 | 1.0 | 2.2 |
| June | 7 837.4 | -1.7 | 3.8 |
| July | 8 020.5 | 2.3 | 2.6 |
| August | 7 653.3 | -4.6 | 2.6 |
| September | 8 097.1 | 5.8 | 4.5 |
| October | 8 380.3 | 3.5 | 1.6 |
| November | 8 614.3 | 2.8 | 6.0 |
| December | 11 340.5 | 31.6 | 6.7 |
| 1994 | | | |
| January | 8 015.4 | -29.3 | 2.9 |
| February | 7 488.9 | -6.6 | 5.4 |
| March | 8 599.4 | 14.8 | 9.9 |
| April | 8 146.0 | -5.3 | 3.2 |
| May | 8 325.5 | 2.2 | 4.4 |
| June | 8 392.4 | 0.8 | 7.1 |
| July | 8 556.9 | 2.0 | 6.7 |

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|---------------------|---------|------|-----|
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED | | | |
| 1993 | | | |
| May | 8 216.6 | 1.2 | 3.6 |
| June | 8 150.2 | -0.8 | 2.7 |
| July | 8 167.8 | 0.2 | 3.3 |
| August | 8 148.0 | -0.2 | 3.1 |
| September | 8 222.3 | 0.9 | 3.2 |
| October | 8 307.3 | 1.0 | 3.4 |
| November | 8 449.1 | 1.7 | 5.4 |
| December | 8 335.9 | -1.3 | 5.2 |
| 1994 | | | |
| January | 8 462.7 | 1.5 | 4.9 |
| February | 8 471.0 | 0.1 | 4.8 |
| March | 8 768.0 | 3.5 | 8.7 |
| April | 8 442.1 | -3.7 | 4.0 |
| May | 8 625.9 | 2.2 | 5.0 |
| June | 8 615.6 | -0.1 | 5.7 |
| July | 8 874.2 | 3.0 | 8.6 |

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|-----------------|---------|-----|-----|
| TREND ESTIMATES | | | |
| 1993 | | | |
| May | 8 143.6 | 0.2 | 2.9 |
| June | 8 157.2 | 0.2 | 2.9 |
| July | 8 174.9 | 0.2 | 3.0 |
| August | 8 204.7 | 0.4 | 3.2 |
| September | 8 241.1 | 0.4 | 3.5 |
| October | 8 292.0 | 0.6 | 3.9 |
| November | 8 354.3 | 0.8 | 4.5 |
| December | 8 418.7 | 0.8 | 5.0 |
| 1994 | | | |
| January | 8 471.0 | 0.6 | 5.4 |
| February | 8 513.1 | 0.5 | 5.5 |
| March | 8 552.0 | 0.5 | 5.6 |
| April | 8 594.8 | 0.5 | 5.8 |
| May | 8 641.1 | 0.5 | 6.1 |
| June | 8 689.9 | 0.6 | 6.5 |
| July | 8 730.5 | 0.5 | 6.8 |

QUARTERLY TURNOVER AT CURRENT & CONSTANT¹ PRICES: Original and seasonally adjusted

| Quarter | CURRENT PRICES..... | | | CONSTANT PRICES..... | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| | \$m | % change from preceding quarter | % change from corresponding quarter of previous year | \$m | % change from preceding quarter | % change from corresponding quarter of previous year |
| ORIGINAL | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | |
| March | 22 719.5 | -15.9 | 2.4 | 20 623.6 | -16.8 | -0.4 |
| June | 23 701.3 | 4.3 | 2.9 | 21 446.9 | 4.0 | 0.5 |
| September | 23 770.9 | 0.3 | 3.2 | 21 394.3 | -0.2 | 0.4 |
| December | 28 335.1 | 19.2 | 4.9 | 25 404.2 | 18.7 | 2.5 |
| 1994 | | | | | | |
| March | 24 103.7 | -14.9 | 6.1 | 21 471.8 | -15.5 | 4.1 |
| June | 24 863.9 | 3.2 | 4.9 | 22 071.1 | 2.8 | 2.9 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | |
| March | 24 213.2 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 21 956.5 | -0.2 | 0.9 |
| June | 24 486.1 | 1.1 | 2.8 | 22 201.0 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
| September | 24 538.1 | 0.2 | 3.2 | 22 070.4 | -0.6 | 0.4 |
| December | 25 092.3 | 2.3 | 4.6 | 22 491.0 | 1.9 | 2.3 |
| 1994 | | | | | | |
| March | 25 701.7 | 2.4 | 6.1 | 22 874.1 | 1.7 | 4.2 |
| June | 25 683.6 | -0.1 | 4.9 | 22 831.5 | -0.2 | 2.8 |

¹ Average 1989-90 prices.

MONTHLY TURNOVER, By industry: Original and trend

| Month | FOOD..... | | | SERVICE..... | | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS..... | | | | | OTHER..... | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacco-nists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Foot-wear stores | Domestic hard-ware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | News-agents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 2 402.8 | 205.7 | 496.8 | 937.1 | 374.8 | | 572.3 | 897.6 | 116.5 | 244.1 | 437.9 | 184.3 | 70.2 | 379.1 | 262.6 | 389.4 |
| June | 2 365.3 | 200.6 | 492.5 | 923.8 | 351.5 | | 566.5 | 878.1 | 124.3 | 222.2 | 453.8 | 183.7 | 68.9 | 380.2 | 241.6 | 384.4 |
| July | 2 503.3 | 211.8 | 513.0 | 987.9 | 379.0 | | 560.7 | 763.8 | 110.9 | 216.9 | 482.7 | 182.0 | 68.4 | 389.5 | 252.3 | 398.3 |
| August | 2 366.5 | 191.5 | 511.1 | 962.6 | 362.9 | | 491.2 | 721.3 | 103.6 | 221.2 | 440.0 | 179.9 | 64.5 | 387.7 | 241.2 | 408.3 |
| September | 2 443.4 | 200.4 | 530.4 | 980.8 | 385.2 | | 518.9 | 836.3 | 118.1 | 230.2 | 470.1 | 179.6 | 78.5 | 414.0 | 249.1 | 462.0 |
| October | 2 520.2 | 199.6 | 534.1 | 1 049.7 | 394.0 | | 536.9 | 877.9 | 115.0 | 250.9 | 473.1 | 193.4 | 80.3 | 423.0 | 244.0 | 488.4 |
| November | 2 480.0 | 192.7 | 543.9 | 1 053.5 | 412.9 | | 563.3 | 960.4 | 116.3 | 275.5 | 503.3 | 205.8 | 85.4 | 435.5 | 257.2 | 528.7 |
| December | 2 914.0 | 211.9 | 628.4 | 1 310.0 | 492.4 | | 817.9 | 1 693.3 | 171.3 | 411.1 | 705.7 | 206.7 | 88.9 | 573.1 | 332.8 | 782.8 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2 437.9 | 153.2 | 608.5 | 1 053.2 | 391.4 | | 509.9 | 738.1 | 124.2 | 217.0 | 472.8 | 173.0 | 66.1 | 402.4 | 257.8 | 409.8 |
| February | 2 358.5 | 153.8 | 538.8 | 941.8 | 370.4 | | 435.0 | 657.9 | 94.3 | 221.3 | 434.0 | 163.5 | 78.4 | 378.0 | 264.0 | 399.3 |
| March | 2 647.7 | 179.3 | 626.2 | 1 070.0 | 427.7 | | 535.8 | 813.1 | 119.9 | 241.2 | 486.8 | 179.9 | 80.9 | 441.1 | 299.1 | 450.8 |
| April | 2 449.1 | 165.9 | 588.7 | 1 055.4 | 401.0 | | 564.4 | 822.6 | 126.5 | 216.0 | 444.3 | 166.3 | 68.0 | 414.5 | 251.2 | 412.2 |
| May | 2 461.6 | 168.4 | 570.6 | 1 022.0 | 386.4 | | 567.8 | 897.5 | 122.8 | 226.9 | 485.6 | 178.4 | 79.3 | 446.9 | 275.9 | 435.3 |
| June | 2 514.1 | 168.5 | 554.7 | 1 018.0 | 385.3 | | 550.6 | 905.7 | 123.9 | 213.0 | 510.8 | 195.0 | 80.6 | 447.7 | 272.4 | 452.2 |
| July | 2 529.6 | 175.6 | 577.9 | 1 097.6 | 446.4 | | 534.7 | 821.5 | 112.7 | 216.8 | 508.0 | 196.6 | 81.1 | 469.5 | 292.1 | 496.9 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 2 446.6 | 205.2 | 515.4 | 991.7 | n.p. | | 545.3 | 888.4 | 111.9 | 258.9 | 455.2 | 185.5 | 68.7 | 381.3 | 263.0 | n.p. |
| June | 2 455.7 | 203.1 | 516.9 | 999.9 | n.p. | | 544.9 | 883.9 | 113.4 | 254.6 | 460.8 | 183.9 | 67.3 | 386.1 | 257.8 | n.p. |
| July | 2 465.5 | 201.4 | 520.2 | 1 006.0 | n.p. | | 544.3 | 878.8 | 115.9 | 250.5 | 467.8 | 182.4 | 66.8 | 390.1 | 254.1 | n.p. |
| August | 2 475.2 | 199.7 | 525.0 | 1 011.0 | n.p. | | 543.9 | 875.8 | 118.4 | 247.6 | 475.9 | 181.3 | 67.6 | 396.1 | 252.4 | n.p. |
| September | 2 481.9 | 197.4 | 530.3 | 1 015.1 | n.p. | | 543.4 | 874.1 | 120.1 | 245.6 | 483.8 | 181.2 | 70.0 | 404.9 | 252.9 | n.p. |
| October | 2 490.1 | 194.0 | 537.2 | 1 019.2 | n.p. | | 544.5 | 877.2 | 121.2 | 244.7 | 490.8 | 181.9 | 73.8 | 416.5 | 255.5 | n.p. |
| November | 2 499.5 | 189.3 | 547.4 | 1 024.3 | n.p. | | 549.2 | 883.2 | 122.0 | 244.6 | 495.3 | 182.9 | 78.0 | 427.7 | 259.7 | n.p. |
| December | 2 506.8 | 183.6 | 560.8 | 1 030.9 | n.p. | | 557.4 | 889.5 | 122.8 | 244.9 | 496.7 | 183.6 | 81.6 | 436.5 | 264.2 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2 511.1 | 177.9 | 574.9 | 1 039.4 | n.p. | | 565.3 | 894.5 | 123.0 | 245.1 | 495.9 | 183.5 | 83.5 | 441.5 | 268.2 | n.p. |
| February | 2 514.9 | 173.5 | 586.6 | 1 049.8 | n.p. | | 569.6 | 900.4 | 122.6 | 245.4 | 494.8 | 183.3 | 83.6 | 443.7 | 271.8 | n.p. |
| March | 2 521.5 | 171.1 | 593.2 | 1 061.6 | n.p. | | 568.7 | 908.3 | 121.6 | 245.7 | 495.2 | 184.1 | 82.5 | 445.4 | 275.6 | n.p. |
| April | 2 532.2 | 170.2 | 594.5 | 1 074.8 | n.p. | | 563.3 | 915.7 | 120.1 | 245.4 | 497.9 | 185.9 | 81.0 | 448.4 | 279.9 | n.p. |
| May | 2 544.3 | 169.7 | 593.1 | 1 088.5 | n.p. | | 555.8 | 920.4 | 118.9 | 244.7 | 501.8 | 188.5 | 79.6 | 453.1 | 284.1 | n.p. |
| June | 2 557.4 | 169.4 | 590.7 | 1 101.6 | n.p. | | 547.9 | 923.9 | 117.8 | 243.9 | 506.4 | 191.6 | 78.4 | 458.1 | 288.2 | n.p. |
| July | 2 570.3 | 169.3 | 587.5 | 1 113.1 | n.p. | | 539.8 | 923.1 | 117.5 | 242.7 | 509.8 | 194.2 | 77.7 | 464.0 | 291.4 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.4 | -1.1 | -0.3 | 1.1 | n.p. | | -0.2 | -0.3 | -0.1 | -1.1 | 0.8 | -0.5 | -2.0 | 1.9 | -2.3 | n.p. |
| June | 0.4 | -1.0 | 0.3 | 0.8 | n.p. | | -0.1 | -0.5 | 1.3 | -1.7 | 1.2 | -0.9 | -2.0 | 1.3 | -2.0 | n.p. |
| July | 0.4 | -0.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 | n.p. | | -0.1 | -0.6 | 2.2 | -1.6 | 1.5 | -0.8 | -0.7 | 1.0 | -1.4 | n.p. |
| August | 0.4 | -0.8 | 0.9 | 0.5 | n.p. | | -0.1 | -0.3 | 2.2 | -1.2 | 1.7 | -0.6 | 1.2 | 1.5 | -0.7 | n.p. |
| September | 0.3 | -1.2 | 1.0 | 0.4 | n.p. | | -0.1 | -0.2 | 1.4 | -0.8 | 1.7 | -0.1 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 0.2 | n.p. |
| October | 0.3 | -1.7 | 1.3 | 0.4 | n.p. | | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.9 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 5.4 | 2.9 | 1.0 | n.p. |
| November | 0.4 | -2.4 | 1.9 | 0.5 | n.p. | | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 5.7 | 2.7 | 1.6 | n.p. |
| December | 0.3 | -3.0 | 2.4 | 0.6 | n.p. | | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 4.6 | 2.1 | 1.7 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.2 | -3.1 | 2.5 | 0.8 | n.p. | | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 1.5 | n.p. |
| February | 0.2 | -2.5 | 2.0 | 1.0 | n.p. | | 0.8 | 0.7 | -0.3 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 1.3 | n.p. |
| March | 0.3 | -1.4 | 1.1 | 1.1 | n.p. | | -0.2 | 0.9 | -0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | -1.3 | 0.4 | 1.4 | n.p. |
| April | 0.4 | -0.5 | 0.2 | 1.2 | n.p. | | -0.9 | 0.8 | -1.2 | -0.1 | 0.5 | 1.0 | -1.8 | 0.7 | 1.6 | n.p. |
| May | 0.5 | -0.3 | -0.2 | 1.3 | n.p. | | -1.3 | 0.5 | -1.0 | -0.3 | 0.8 | 1.4 | -1.7 | 1.0 | 1.5 | n.p. |
| June | 0.5 | -0.2 | -0.4 | 1.2 | n.p. | | -1.4 | 0.4 | -0.9 | -0.3 | 0.9 | 1.6 | -1.5 | 1.1 | 1.4 | n.p. |
| July | 0.5 | -0.1 | -0.5 | 1.0 | n.p. | | -1.5 | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.5 | 0.7 | 1.4 | -0.9 | 1.3 | 1.1 | n.p. |

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QUARTERLY TURNOVER AT CONSTANT¹ PRICES, By industry: Original and seasonally adjusted

| Quarter | FOOD | | | SERVICE | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS | | | | | | | OTHER | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacco-nists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 6 361.9 | 584.8 | 1 414.1 | 2 450.0 | 1 017.5 | 1 327.3 | 1 981.1 | 322.6 | 676.1 | 1 253.9 | 475.6 | 185.2 | 839.2 | 689.4 | 1 044.9 |
| June | 6 477.8 | 619.0 | 1 386.5 | 2 476.3 | 980.1 | 1 536.1 | 2 392.3 | 337.0 | 639.9 | 1 287.0 | 487.8 | 196.2 | 967.9 | 619.4 | 1 043.6 |
| September | 6 502.2 | 588.9 | 1 420.0 | 2 527.2 | 1 005.2 | 1 462.2 | 2 133.1 | 323.3 | 608.4 | 1 371.9 | 493.7 | 206.5 | 1 032.9 | 602.7 | 1 116.1 |
| December | 6 963.3 | 590.4 | 1 543.8 | 2 917.3 | 1 155.5 | 1 794.7 | 3 251.7 | 389.3 | 853.6 | 1 648.5 | 544.9 | 246.8 | 1 231.8 | 672.1 | 1 600.5 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 6 506.0 | 475.4 | 1 598.7 | 2 611.7 | 1 053.9 | 1 387.9 | 2 030.4 | 330.2 | 618.9 | 1 367.4 | 460.0 | 217.1 | 1 049.1 | 654.1 | 1 111.0 |
| June | 6 470.6 | 490.7 | 1 554.2 | 2 616.1 | 1 038.3 | 1 573.0 | 2 395.7 | 367.1 | 584.8 | 1 402.7 | 475.6 | 217.9 | 1 126.6 | 625.6 | 1 132.2 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 6 514.4 | 620.9 | 1 430.6 | 2 513.4 | n.p. | 1 550.5 | 2 464.6 | 345.5 | 742.2 | 1 341.9 | 508.2 | 209.6 | 912.7 | 691.5 | n.p. |
| June | 6 604.5 | 628.2 | 1 414.0 | 2 596.0 | n.p. | 1 509.8 | 2 508.7 | 318.8 | 711.4 | 1 340.9 | 509.8 | 202.2 | 996.8 | 654.4 | n.p. |
| September | 6 573.8 | 580.6 | 1 455.1 | 2 613.8 | n.p. | 1 511.6 | 2 362.1 | 346.5 | 668.5 | 1 403.3 | 489.6 | 194.4 | 1 015.3 | 609.8 | n.p. |
| December | 6 605.7 | 556.8 | 1 459.5 | 2 636.5 | n.p. | 1 536.8 | 2 427.0 | 355.5 | 668.9 | 1 453.7 | 493.9 | 227.9 | 1 120.2 | 627.9 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 6 652.1 | 506.5 | 1 624.3 | 2 683.0 | n.p. | 1 613.1 | 2 521.6 | 357.4 | 675.4 | 1 468.7 | 492.5 | 244.2 | 1 140.5 | 656.2 | n.p. |
| June | 6 599.4 | 497.7 | 1 584.3 | 2 743.0 | n.p. | 1 546.9 | 2 511.2 | 347.2 | 650.0 | 1 463.3 | 496.8 | 224.1 | 1 159.9 | 660.7 | n.p. |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (% change from preceding quarter) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 0.6 | 0.9 | -6.3 | 0.7 | n.p. | 0.2 | 1.5 | -0.9 | 7.4 | -0.3 | 6.7 | 14.5 | 1.2 | -3.7 | n.p. |
| June | 1.4 | 1.2 | -1.2 | 3.3 | n.p. | -2.6 | 1.8 | -7.7 | -4.1 | -0.1 | 0.3 | -3.5 | 9.2 | -5.4 | n.p. |
| September | -0.5 | -7.6 | 2.9 | 0.7 | n.p. | 0.1 | -5.8 | 8.7 | -6.0 | 4.7 | -4.0 | -3.9 | 1.9 | -6.8 | n.p. |
| December | 0.5 | -4.1 | 0.3 | 0.9 | n.p. | 1.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 0.1 | 3.6 | 0.9 | 17.2 | 10.3 | 3.0 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 0.7 | -9.0 | 11.3 | 1.8 | n.p. | 5.0 | 3.9 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.0 | -0.3 | 7.2 | 1.8 | 4.5 | n.p. |
| June | -0.8 | -1.7 | -2.5 | 2.2 | n.p. | -4.1 | -0.4 | -2.9 | -3.8 | -0.4 | 0.9 | -8.2 | 1.7 | 0.7 | n.p. |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (% change from corresponding quarter of previous year) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 3.0 | 10.5 | -8.4 | -3.1 | n.p. | -5.3 | 1.9 | 11.6 | 7.8 | 3.2 | 11.4 | 13.1 | 8.6 | -5.5 | n.p. |
| June | 2.5 | 8.3 | -10.0 | 1.0 | n.p. | -7.5 | 1.9 | 3.3 | 1.7 | 5.6 | 10.5 | 6.1 | 16.2 | -11.5 | n.p. |
| September | 0.9 | -2.8 | -6.9 | 2.4 | n.p. | -3.2 | -1.0 | 5.4 | -5.1 | 7.8 | 1.8 | 3.0 | 16.9 | -14.9 | n.p. |
| December | 2.0 | -9.5 | -4.4 | 5.7 | n.p. | -0.7 | 0.0 | 2.0 | -3.2 | 8.0 | 3.7 | 24.5 | 24.2 | -12.5 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 2.1 | -18.4 | 13.5 | 6.7 | n.p. | 4.0 | 2.3 | 3.4 | -9.0 | 9.4 | -3.1 | 16.5 | 25.0 | -5.1 | n.p. |
| June | -0.1 | -20.8 | 12.0 | 5.7 | n.p. | 2.5 | 0.1 | 8.9 | -8.6 | 9.1 | -2.6 | 10.8 | 16.4 | 1.0 | n.p. |

¹ Average 1989-90 prices

n.p. Not available for publication

MONTHLY TURNOVER, By State: Original and trend

| Month | New South Wales | Victoria | Queensland | South Australia | Western Australia | Tasmania | Northern Territory | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
|---|-----------------|----------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------|
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 2 819.6 | 1 922.1 | 1 377.7 | 599.7 | 797.0 | 198.1 | 92.2 | 164.9 | 7 971.2 |
| June | 2 717.2 | 1 908.4 | 1 379.7 | 597.1 | 788.7 | 197.5 | 91.5 | 157.3 | 7 837.4 |
| July | 2 717.7 | 1 961.0 | 1 430.9 | 619.2 | 826.7 | 202.0 | 99.9 | 163.1 | 8 020.5 |
| August | 2 634.4 | 1 837.7 | 1 380.6 | 586.0 | 774.7 | 190.5 | 95.1 | 154.3 | 7 653.3 |
| September | 2 787.2 | 1 927.1 | 1 472.0 | 615.6 | 833.1 | 204.8 | 97.0 | 160.4 | 8 097.1 |
| October | 2 914.8 | 2 005.5 | 1 500.7 | 639.2 | 844.2 | 212.3 | 94.7 | 169.0 | 8 380.3 |
| November | 2 994.6 | 2 076.7 | 1 521.8 | 665.9 | 867.1 | 222.3 | 95.0 | 170.8 | 8 614.3 |
| December | 3 933.0 | 2 734.3 | 2 008.5 | 868.4 | 1 168.0 | 287.2 | 108.7 | 232.5 | 11 340.5 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2 826.4 | 1 879.4 | 1 429.0 | 612.7 | 824.7 | 206.3 | 81.1 | 155.9 | 8 015.4 |
| February | 2 615.3 | 1 778.0 | 1 304.2 | 581.7 | 783.8 | 197.6 | 80.0 | 148.2 | 7 488.9 |
| March | 3 010.8 | 2 070.7 | 1 505.2 | 657.0 | 871.9 | 217.7 | 92.3 | 173.7 | 8 599.4 |
| April | 2 841.1 | 1 977.3 | 1 430.8 | 617.8 | 824.6 | 203.5 | 86.5 | 164.5 | 8 146.0 |
| May | 2 926.5 | 2 008.0 | 1 451.2 | 623.2 | 842.3 | 212.9 | 96.0 | 165.5 | 8 325.5 |
| June | 2 930.0 | 2 009.9 | 1 507.5 | 628.2 | 851.2 | 204.0 | 99.0 | 162.6 | 8 392.4 |
| July | 2 960.9 | 2 039.7 | 1 549.7 | 640.2 | 879.1 | 212.1 | 108.6 | 166.7 | 8 556.9 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 2 826.5 | 1 983.0 | 1 430.0 | 616.4 | 814.2 | 205.1 | n.p. | 163.5 | 8 143.6 |
| June | 2 817.6 | 1 993.4 | 1 431.6 | 620.7 | 824.7 | 205.6 | n.p. | 163.3 | 8 157.2 |
| July | 2 814.4 | 1 999.8 | 1 437.8 | 625.5 | 832.7 | 207.2 | n.p. | 163.1 | 8 174.9 |
| August | 2 823.0 | 2 002.3 | 1 449.7 | 630.1 | 838.4 | 209.6 | n.p. | 163.4 | 8 204.7 |
| September | 2 841.1 | 1 998.3 | 1 464.1 | 634.3 | 842.0 | 211.7 | n.p. | 164.3 | 8 241.1 |
| October | 2 870.6 | 1 994.1 | 1 478.6 | 639.1 | 846.8 | 213.8 | n.p. | 166.2 | 8 292.0 |
| November | 2 907.3 | 1 992.9 | 1 491.1 | 644.3 | 853.7 | 215.2 | n.p. | 168.6 | 8 354.3 |
| December | 2 940.9 | 1 996.2 | 1 499.9 | 648.4 | 861.3 | 215.7 | n.p. | 170.9 | 8 418.7 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2 966.0 | 2 004.1 | 1 504.9 | 650.0 | 867.3 | 215.3 | n.p. | 172.2 | 8 471.0 |
| February | 2 982.9 | 2 018.1 | 1 508.7 | 649.4 | 871.0 | 214.7 | n.p. | 172.2 | 8 513.1 |
| March | 2 994.4 | 2 037.9 | 1 513.6 | 648.3 | 873.0 | 214.8 | n.p. | 171.4 | 8 552.0 |
| April | 3 002.5 | 2 060.4 | 1 519.9 | 648.0 | 874.8 | 215.5 | n.p. | 170.4 | 8 594.8 |
| May | 3 007.4 | 2 082.2 | 1 526.2 | 648.8 | 877.6 | 216.4 | n.p. | 169.4 | 8 641.1 |
| June | 3 010.6 | 2 102.8 | 1 532.1 | 650.7 | 881.9 | 217.6 | n.p. | 168.7 | 8 689.9 |
| July | 3 009.4 | 2 117.7 | 1 537.3 | 653.3 | 885.8 | 218.4 | n.p. | 168.5 | 8 730.5 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| May | -0.4 | 0.7 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 1.5 | -0.3 | n.p. | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| June | -0.3 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.2 | n.p. | -0.1 | 0.2 |
| July | -0.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.8 | n.p. | -0.1 | 0.2 |
| August | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 1.2 | n.p. | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| September | 0.6 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.0 | n.p. | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| October | 1.0 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 1.0 | n.p. | 1.2 | 0.6 |
| November | 1.3 | -0.1 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.7 | n.p. | 1.4 | 0.8 |
| December | 1.2 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 0.2 | n.p. | 1.4 | 0.8 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.7 | -0.2 | n.p. | 0.8 | 0.6 |
| February | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.4 | -0.3 | n.p. | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| March | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | n.p. | -0.5 | 0.5 |
| April | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.3 | n.p. | -0.6 | 0.5 |
| May | 0.2 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | n.p. | -0.6 | 0.5 |
| June | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.6 | n.p. | -0.4 | 0.6 |
| July | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | n.p. | -0.1 | 0.5 |

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QUARTERLY TURNOVER AT CONSTANT¹ PRICES, By State: Original and seasonally adjusted

| Quarter | New South Wales | Victoria | Queensland | South Australia | Western Australia | Tasmania | Northern Territory | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
|--|-----------------|----------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------|
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 7 236.3 | 5 003.6 | 3 662.3 | 1 535.6 | 2 020.3 | 540.6 | 220.5 | 404.4 | 20 623.6 |
| June | 7 491.3 | 5 229.7 | 3 746.6 | 1 603.6 | 2 147.4 | 544.2 | 242.2 | 441.9 | 21 446.9 |
| September | 7 343.5 | 5 163.6 | 3 864.8 | 1 616.2 | 2 185.6 | 530.4 | 258.6 | 431.6 | 21 394.3 |
| December | 8 843.5 | 6 131.1 | 4 525.8 | 1 918.0 | 2 571.2 | 636.7 | 262.5 | 515.4 | 25 404.2 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 7 545.1 | 5 124.3 | 3 781.0 | 1 621.0 | 2 209.7 | 543.0 | 220.4 | 427.3 | 21 471.8 |
| June | 7 715.5 | 5 343.3 | 3 907.2 | 1 634.8 | 2 246.4 | 541.3 | 243.0 | 439.6 | 22 071.1 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 7 732.1 | 5 301.6 | 3 915.7 | 1 635.2 | 2 152.3 | 567.5 | n.p. | 441.0 | 21 956.5 |
| June | 7 752.5 | 5 434.3 | 3 910.2 | 1 649.5 | 2 216.8 | 561.8 | n.p. | 450.1 | 22 201.0 |
| September | 7 567.4 | 5 397.6 | 3 899.1 | 1 668.8 | 2 262.1 | 552.9 | n.p. | 440.2 | 22 070.4 |
| December | 7 832.0 | 5 372.9 | 4 034.2 | 1 704.6 | 2 265.1 | 569.4 | n.p. | 457.0 | 22 491.0 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 8 061.8 | 5 440.8 | 4 038.7 | 1 723.1 | 2 363.8 | 569.4 | n.p. | 465.8 | 22 874.1 |
| June | 7 982.9 | 5 551.8 | 4 080.2 | 1 682.6 | 2 319.9 | 559.2 | n.p. | 447.3 | 22 831.5 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (% change from preceding quarter) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | -0.5 | 0.6 | -0.3 | -0.1 | 0.7 | -0.5 | n.p. | 0.3 | -0.2 |
| June | 0.3 | 2.5 | -0.1 | 0.9 | 3.0 | -1.0 | n.p. | 2.1 | 1.1 |
| September | -2.4 | -0.7 | -0.3 | 1.2 | 2.0 | -1.6 | n.p. | -2.2 | -0.6 |
| December | 3.5 | -0.5 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 0.1 | 3.0 | n.p. | 3.8 | 1.9 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 2.9 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 4.4 | 0.0 | n.p. | 1.9 | 1.7 |
| June | -1.0 | 2.0 | 1.0 | -2.4 | -1.9 | -1.8 | n.p. | -4.0 | -0.2 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES (% change from corresponding quarter of previous year) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | -2.3 | 2.0 | 4.0 | -3.3 | 6.8 | 1.8 | n.p. | 4.6 | 0.9 |
| June | -3.5 | 3.2 | 1.3 | -2.1 | 8.1 | -0.3 | n.p. | 5.5 | 0.4 |
| September | -3.9 | 2.9 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 9.3 | -2.6 | n.p. | 3.6 | 0.4 |
| December | 0.8 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 4.2 | 6.0 | -0.2 | n.p. | 4.0 | 2.3 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | |
| March | 4.3 | 2.6 | 3.1 | 5.4 | 9.8 | 0.3 | n.p. | 5.6 | 4.2 |
| June | 3.0 | 2.2 | 4.3 | 2.0 | 4.7 | -0.5 | n.p. | -0.6 | 2.8 |

¹ Average 1989-90 Prices

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MONTHLY TURNOVER, By industry—New South Wales: Original and trend

| Month | FOOD | | | SERVICE | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS | | | | | | OTHER | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 752.8 | 92.3 | 138.8 | 427.4 | 126.7 | 218.3 | 311.1 | 44.1 | 71.1 | 150.7 | 58.2 | 20.6 | 158.0 | 102.4 | 146.9 |
| June | 733.1 | 87.7 | 148.3 | 406.9 | 119.6 | 204.4 | 307.8 | 49.1 | 60.3 | 150.8 | 57.4 | 22.0 | 147.2 | 84.1 | 138.6 |
| July | 751.8 | 94.8 | 153.7 | 421.8 | 131.0 | 198.9 | 257.3 | 42.8 | 51.8 | 161.1 | 55.9 | 19.2 | 153.6 | 80.3 | 143.7 |
| August | 727.3 | 81.2 | 158.8 | 420.7 | 124.0 | 172.4 | 248.7 | 42.7 | 54.8 | 148.8 | 57.9 | 17.9 | 155.8 | 73.7 | 149.8 |
| September | 748.9 | 78.5 | 168.4 | 427.1 | 135.0 | 186.9 | 288.1 | 43.9 | 63.6 | 161.2 | 56.4 | 23.7 | 159.4 | 83.6 | 162.7 |
| October | 769.9 | 82.5 | 177.6 | 462.5 | 135.9 | 199.0 | 303.1 | 42.2 | 64.2 | 173.0 | 57.6 | 26.1 | 166.5 | 82.8 | 171.9 |
| November | 765.4 | 77.5 | 177.2 | 460.4 | 148.9 | 205.9 | 333.8 | 44.3 | 72.4 | 172.0 | 62.1 | 27.1 | 171.2 | 89.0 | 187.5 |
| December | 892.3 | 75.2 | 186.4 | 559.2 | 179.5 | 295.7 | 605.1 | 66.4 | 116.3 | 223.0 | 75.4 | 32.9 | 254.6 | 90.1 | 280.8 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 765.7 | 57.9 | 203.3 | 476.4 | 137.0 | 196.4 | 252.7 | 44.4 | 61.7 | 154.3 | 57.2 | 23.4 | 169.3 | 73.9 | 152.8 |
| February | 737.2 | 56.4 | 166.5 | 419.8 | 133.4 | 159.8 | 225.1 | 34.6 | 65.6 | 136.5 | 56.6 | 29.7 | 157.7 | 81.9 | 154.6 |
| March | 813.5 | 57.1 | 196.8 | 470.3 | 154.4 | 195.9 | 285.1 | 45.8 | 69.2 | 158.9 | 72.1 | 30.5 | 185.3 | 112.6 | 163.4 |
| April | 763.0 | 49.4 | 177.8 | 482.0 | 147.7 | 204.4 | 277.9 | 44.9 | 65.5 | 139.3 | 66.2 | 23.6 | 170.4 | 85.6 | 143.5 |
| May | 765.8 | 54.8 | 165.4 | 465.2 | 144.8 | 203.8 | 307.8 | 44.4 | 70.0 | 164.2 | 72.9 | 29.0 | 183.9 | 102.2 | 152.3 |
| June | 784.6 | 53.8 | 159.8 | 463.0 | 143.7 | 201.1 | 312.8 | 43.8 | 64.1 | 167.3 | 75.7 | 29.8 | 178.1 | 101.6 | 150.8 |
| July | 770.1 | 55.1 | 163.7 | 483.1 | 167.0 | 189.3 | 290.3 | 37.4 | 62.6 | 178.8 | 73.9 | 29.1 | 189.0 | 103.8 | 167.8 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 760.8 | 91.8 | 145.6 | 435.5 | n.p. | 200.7 | 303.8 | 43.6 | 71.0 | 155.9 | 58.3 | 20.6 | 158.0 | 95.3 | n.p. |
| June | 758.9 | 90.2 | 150.1 | 435.3 | n.p. | 200.0 | 302.3 | 44.8 | 67.4 | 157.5 | 58.4 | 19.5 | 156.3 | 88.6 | n.p. |
| July | 757.0 | 88.0 | 156.3 | 436.1 | n.p. | 198.7 | 300.8 | 45.7 | 64.4 | 160.3 | 57.9 | 19.0 | 153.7 | 83.8 | n.p. |
| August | 756.5 | 85.0 | 163.2 | 438.4 | n.p. | 197.6 | 300.4 | 46.1 | 62.8 | 163.7 | 57.3 | 19.4 | 153.6 | 81.3 | n.p. |
| September | 757.9 | 81.5 | 169.3 | 442.3 | n.p. | 196.8 | 300.9 | 45.8 | 62.9 | 166.2 | 56.7 | 20.8 | 157.4 | 80.3 | n.p. |
| October | 761.7 | 77.6 | 174.4 | 447.5 | n.p. | 197.1 | 303.3 | 45.4 | 64.4 | 167.1 | 56.6 | 23.3 | 165.2 | 80.8 | n.p. |
| November | 767.4 | 73.4 | 178.7 | 453.5 | n.p. | 199.6 | 307.0 | 45.1 | 66.5 | 165.8 | 57.7 | 26.3 | 174.0 | 82.4 | n.p. |
| December | 772.7 | 68.8 | 182.0 | 459.0 | n.p. | 203.6 | 310.0 | 45.3 | 68.7 | 162.9 | 59.9 | 29.0 | 181.9 | 84.1 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 777.5 | 64.1 | 183.7 | 464.0 | n.p. | 207.6 | 311.6 | 45.6 | 70.3 | 159.7 | 63.1 | 30.9 | 187.2 | 86.2 | n.p. |
| February | 781.4 | 60.1 | 183.3 | 468.7 | n.p. | 209.8 | 312.3 | 45.6 | 71.2 | 158.1 | 66.6 | 31.6 | 189.3 | 89.2 | n.p. |
| March | 784.9 | 57.2 | 181.0 | 473.6 | n.p. | 209.2 | 313.6 | 45.0 | 71.8 | 159.3 | 69.7 | 31.2 | 188.8 | 93.1 | n.p. |
| April | 787.8 | 55.4 | 177.3 | 479.4 | n.p. | 206.0 | 314.9 | 44.0 | 72.1 | 162.6 | 72.2 | 30.2 | 187.4 | 97.3 | n.p. |
| May | 789.4 | 54.2 | 173.0 | 485.7 | n.p. | 201.2 | 315.3 | 42.9 | 72.1 | 166.6 | 74.3 | 29.2 | 186.3 | 100.6 | n.p. |
| June | 789.6 | 53.4 | 168.9 | 492.0 | n.p. | 195.9 | 315.2 | 41.9 | 72.0 | 170.7 | 76.0 | 28.2 | 185.2 | 103.0 | n.p. |
| July | 789.2 | 52.6 | 164.6 | 497.7 | n.p. | 190.1 | 314.9 | 41.3 | 72.1 | 174.0 | 77.3 | 27.5 | 185.9 | 104.2 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.1 | -0.9 | 1.0 | 0.0 | n.p. | -0.2 | -0.2 | 2.6 | -4.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | -5.9 | 0.9 | -7.4 | n.p. |
| June | -0.2 | -1.7 | 3.1 | 0.0 | n.p. | -0.3 | -0.5 | 2.8 | -5.1 | 1.0 | 0.2 | -5.3 | -1.1 | -7.0 | n.p. |
| July | -0.3 | -2.4 | 4.1 | 0.2 | n.p. | -0.7 | -0.5 | 2.0 | -4.5 | 1.8 | -0.9 | -2.6 | -1.7 | -5.4 | n.p. |
| August | -0.1 | -3.4 | 4.4 | 0.5 | n.p. | -0.6 | -0.1 | 0.9 | -2.5 | 2.1 | -1.0 | 2.1 | -0.1 | -3.0 | n.p. |
| September | 0.2 | -4.1 | 3.7 | 0.9 | n.p. | -0.4 | 0.2 | -0.7 | 0.2 | 1.5 | -1.0 | 7.2 | 2.5 | -1.2 | n.p. |
| October | 0.5 | -4.8 | 3.0 | 1.2 | n.p. | 0.2 | 0.8 | -0.9 | 2.4 | 0.5 | -0.2 | 12.0 | 5.0 | 0.6 | n.p. |
| November | 0.7 | -5.4 | 2.5 | 1.3 | n.p. | 1.3 | 1.2 | -0.7 | 3.3 | -0.8 | 1.9 | 12.9 | 5.3 | 2.0 | n.p. |
| December | 0.7 | -6.3 | 1.8 | 1.2 | n.p. | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 3.3 | -1.7 | 3.8 | 10.3 | 4.5 | 2.1 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.6 | -6.8 | 0.9 | 1.1 | n.p. | 2.0 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 2.3 | -2.0 | 5.3 | 6.6 | 2.9 | 2.5 | n.p. |
| February | 0.5 | -6.2 | -0.2 | 1.0 | n.p. | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 1.3 | -1.0 | 5.5 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 3.5 | n.p. |
| March | 0.4 | -4.8 | -1.3 | 1.0 | n.p. | -0.3 | 0.4 | -1.3 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 4.7 | -1.3 | -0.3 | 4.4 | n.p. |
| April | 0.4 | -3.1 | -2.0 | 1.2 | n.p. | -1.5 | 0.4 | -2.2 | 0.4 | 2.1 | 3.6 | -3.2 | -0.7 | 4.5 | n.p. |
| May | 0.2 | -2.2 | -2.4 | 1.3 | n.p. | -2.3 | 0.1 | -2.5 | 0.0 | 2.5 | 2.9 | -3.3 | -0.6 | 3.4 | n.p. |
| June | 0.0 | -1.5 | -2.4 | 1.3 | n.p. | -2.6 | 0.0 | -2.3 | -0.1 | 2.5 | 2.3 | -3.4 | -0.6 | 2.4 | n.p. |
| July | -0.1 | -1.5 | -2.5 | 1.2 | n.p. | -3.0 | -0.1 | -1.4 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 1.7 | -2.5 | 0.4 | 1.2 | n.p. |

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MONTHLY TURNOVER, By industry—Victoria: Original and trend

| Month | FOOD | | | SERVICE | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS | | | | | | OTHER | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 618.1 | 41.3 | 129.5 | 151.3 | 100.7 | 141.5 | 213.3 | 31.1 | 89.6 | 103.1 | 43.6 | 24.6 | 87.3 | 58.9 | 88.3 |
| June | 615.6 | 39.3 | 125.7 | 147.9 | 100.1 | 144.0 | 205.0 | 29.6 | 79.3 | 113.5 | 41.3 | 23.1 | 102.6 | 52.6 | 88.9 |
| July | 648.6 | 40.7 | 135.1 | 164.2 | 106.6 | 145.3 | 171.8 | 27.6 | 82.4 | 120.5 | 42.5 | 23.7 | 101.4 | 57.9 | 92.7 |
| August | 609.6 | 38.5 | 128.6 | 153.1 | 102.3 | 122.2 | 156.1 | 24.8 | 80.5 | 107.5 | 43.4 | 21.7 | 96.4 | 57.5 | 95.6 |
| September | 633.5 | 42.0 | 130.5 | 155.6 | 108.3 | 116.7 | 191.5 | 28.7 | 80.2 | 107.6 | 39.9 | 26.1 | 107.8 | 59.1 | 99.5 |
| October | 661.6 | 44.1 | 127.1 | 159.7 | 106.8 | 125.0 | 198.8 | 29.0 | 89.4 | 113.6 | 43.6 | 25.8 | 112.8 | 59.8 | 108.3 |
| November | 648.5 | 42.3 | 128.5 | 164.7 | 115.0 | 133.8 | 217.5 | 30.2 | 94.1 | 119.2 | 46.9 | 27.7 | 117.2 | 63.0 | 128.1 |
| December | 750.7 | 54.3 | 178.5 | 213.8 | 130.4 | 196.7 | 392.4 | 43.5 | 129.2 | 171.0 | 42.4 | 27.0 | 141.8 | 88.6 | 174.1 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 627.9 | 39.6 | 159.4 | 158.3 | 94.3 | 110.2 | 165.7 | 30.8 | 69.8 | 110.5 | 45.5 | 19.7 | 98.6 | 70.1 | 79.0 |
| February | 607.6 | 40.3 | 146.8 | 149.3 | 93.1 | 97.1 | 147.5 | 22.4 | 65.9 | 105.6 | 38.9 | 23.9 | 92.3 | 65.0 | 82.3 |
| March | 698.8 | 49.4 | 167.3 | 177.4 | 106.6 | 122.7 | 187.1 | 29.8 | 72.1 | 117.9 | 37.8 | 18.4 | 103.8 | 64.0 | 117.6 |
| April | 639.4 | 45.7 | 157.9 | 172.7 | 103.5 | 129.2 | 194.5 | 33.0 | 60.6 | 117.0 | 33.3 | 16.9 | 99.5 | 61.5 | 112.4 |
| May | 638.8 | 46.3 | 156.1 | 165.1 | 98.1 | 130.4 | 209.5 | 30.1 | 65.4 | 121.1 | 37.9 | 18.8 | 109.3 | 64.8 | 116.2 |
| June | 653.1 | 46.2 | 152.1 | 169.1 | 96.7 | 113.3 | 209.1 | 28.7 | 60.6 | 128.8 | 45.0 | 19.2 | 107.5 | 64.6 | 116.0 |
| July | 650.0 | 50.0 | 164.7 | 181.3 | 107.8 | 114.7 | 175.2 | 25.6 | 65.1 | 126.1 | 46.5 | 19.8 | 110.5 | 72.1 | 130.0 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 639.9 | 39.7 | 132.8 | 167.4 | n.p. | 137.2 | 208.1 | 28.4 | 96.0 | 110.5 | 42.2 | 24.2 | 91.5 | 60.3 | n.p. |
| June | 643.5 | 39.1 | 132.8 | 169.0 | n.p. | 136.6 | 205.7 | 28.6 | 94.7 | 111.6 | 42.0 | 23.7 | 96.1 | 60.5 | n.p. |
| July | 646.6 | 39.3 | 133.0 | 168.5 | n.p. | 135.3 | 203.0 | 29.2 | 92.8 | 113.0 | 41.7 | 23.3 | 100.8 | 60.8 | n.p. |
| August | 648.3 | 40.3 | 133.1 | 166.1 | n.p. | 133.5 | 201.0 | 30.0 | 90.6 | 114.3 | 41.7 | 23.0 | 105.2 | 61.6 | n.p. |
| September | 647.4 | 41.7 | 133.5 | 162.3 | n.p. | 131.3 | 199.5 | 30.8 | 88.0 | 115.5 | 41.9 | 23.2 | 108.8 | 62.7 | n.p. |
| October | 645.7 | 43.3 | 135.3 | 158.3 | n.p. | 129.5 | 199.7 | 31.2 | 85.4 | 116.4 | 42.4 | 23.8 | 111.1 | 63.8 | n.p. |
| November | 644.7 | 44.6 | 139.0 | 155.5 | n.p. | 128.6 | 201.0 | 31.1 | 82.5 | 117.3 | 42.9 | 24.4 | 111.7 | 64.5 | n.p. |
| December | 644.5 | 45.6 | 144.6 | 155.4 | n.p. | 129.1 | 202.6 | 30.8 | 79.6 | 118.5 | 42.8 | 24.6 | 110.7 | 64.6 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 645.9 | 45.9 | 150.5 | 158.3 | n.p. | 129.8 | 204.1 | 30.4 | 76.7 | 120.0 | 42.0 | 24.1 | 108.7 | 64.5 | n.p. |
| February | 648.9 | 45.9 | 155.4 | 163.9 | n.p. | 129.6 | 205.9 | 29.8 | 74.4 | 121.5 | 41.0 | 23.1 | 106.4 | 64.5 | n.p. |
| March | 653.5 | 45.8 | 158.5 | 170.9 | n.p. | 127.8 | 208.3 | 29.3 | 73.1 | 122.9 | 40.4 | 21.8 | 105.2 | 65.2 | n.p. |
| April | 658.7 | 45.9 | 160.1 | 178.1 | n.p. | 124.9 | 210.3 | 28.9 | 72.2 | 124.5 | 40.5 | 20.6 | 105.7 | 66.7 | n.p. |
| May | 663.5 | 46.1 | 161.3 | 184.6 | n.p. | 121.6 | 211.1 | 28.4 | 71.5 | 126.0 | 41.0 | 19.6 | 107.0 | 68.8 | n.p. |
| June | 668.0 | 46.4 | 162.5 | 190.3 | n.p. | 118.3 | 211.2 | 27.9 | 71.0 | 127.2 | 41.9 | 18.8 | 108.6 | 71.0 | n.p. |
| July | 671.7 | 47.0 | 164.0 | 194.9 | n.p. | 115.3 | 209.6 | 27.5 | 70.3 | 128.0 | 42.4 | 18.3 | 110.4 | 73.1 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.6 | -2.5 | -0.4 | 2.1 | n.p. | 0.1 | -0.9 | -1.7 | 0.1 | 0.8 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 0.5 | n.p. |
| June | 0.6 | -1.5 | 0.0 | 1.0 | n.p. | -0.4 | -1.2 | 0.7 | -1.4 | 1.0 | -0.5 | -2.1 | 5.0 | 0.3 | n.p. |
| July | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 | -0.3 | n.p. | -1.0 | -1.3 | 2.1 | -2.0 | 1.3 | -0.7 | -1.7 | 4.9 | 0.5 | n.p. |
| August | 0.3 | 2.5 | 0.1 | -1.4 | n.p. | -1.3 | -1.0 | 2.7 | -2.4 | 1.2 | 0.0 | -1.3 | 4.4 | 1.3 | n.p. |
| September | -0.1 | 3.5 | 0.3 | -2.3 | n.p. | -1.6 | -0.7 | 2.7 | -2.9 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 3.4 | 1.8 | n.p. |
| October | -0.3 | 3.8 | 1.3 | -2.5 | n.p. | -1.4 | 0.1 | 1.3 | -3.0 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 1.8 | n.p. |
| November | -0.2 | 3.0 | 2.7 | -1.8 | n.p. | -0.7 | 0.7 | -0.3 | -3.4 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 1.1 | n.p. |
| December | 0.0 | 2.2 | 4.0 | -0.1 | n.p. | 0.4 | 0.8 | -1.0 | -3.5 | 1.0 | -0.2 | 0.8 | -0.9 | 0.2 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.2 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 1.9 | n.p. | 0.5 | 0.7 | -1.3 | -3.6 | 1.3 | -1.9 | -2.0 | -1.8 | -0.2 | n.p. |
| February | 0.5 | 0.0 | 3.3 | 3.5 | n.p. | -0.2 | 0.9 | -2.0 | -3.0 | 1.3 | -2.4 | -4.1 | -2.1 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| March | 0.7 | -0.2 | 2.0 | 4.3 | n.p. | -1.4 | 1.2 | -1.7 | -1.7 | 1.2 | -1.5 | -5.6 | -1.1 | 1.1 | n.p. |
| April | 0.8 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 4.2 | n.p. | -2.3 | 1.0 | -1.4 | -1.2 | 1.3 | 0.2 | -5.5 | 0.5 | 2.3 | n.p. |
| May | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 3.6 | n.p. | -2.6 | 0.4 | -1.7 | -1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | -4.9 | 1.2 | 3.1 | n.p. |
| June | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 3.1 | n.p. | -2.7 | 0.0 | -1.8 | -0.7 | 1.0 | 2.2 | -4.1 | 1.5 | 3.2 | n.p. |
| July | 0.6 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 2.4 | n.p. | -2.5 | -0.8 | -1.4 | -1.0 | 0.6 | 1.2 | -2.7 | 1.7 | 3.0 | n.p. |

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MONTHLY TURNOVER, By industry—Queensland: Original and trend

| Month | FOOD | | | SERVICE | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS | | | | | | | OTHER | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 409.4 | 48.0 | 100.0 | 175.8 | 51.2 | 107.5 | 138.2 | 17.0 | 36.0 | 76.5 | 40.6 | 11.5 | 53.3 | 42.2 | 70.4 |
| June | 401.0 | 47.5 | 95.4 | 186.7 | 43.6 | 107.6 | 143.2 | 21.4 | 33.1 | 82.2 | 41.5 | 9.2 | 53.7 | 44.7 | 69.0 |
| July | 440.9 | 49.8 | 94.1 | 203.6 | 46.6 | 113.2 | 126.6 | 16.9 | 33.2 | 88.7 | 38.0 | 9.5 | 52.8 | 47.9 | 69.2 |
| August | 418.4 | 46.6 | 93.6 | 202.0 | 44.3 | 104.4 | 124.0 | 15.7 | 32.2 | 79.4 | 35.8 | 8.9 | 55.5 | 47.3 | 72.5 |
| September | 424.5 | 53.6 | 89.0 | 198.2 | 48.2 | 117.7 | 142.8 | 22.2 | 36.5 | 91.0 | 39.9 | 11.5 | 57.7 | 42.0 | 97.2 |
| October | 440.5 | 48.8 | 90.9 | 207.7 | 49.7 | 114.4 | 147.5 | 17.9 | 40.4 | 84.9 | 46.2 | 11.9 | 57.0 | 39.4 | 103.6 |
| November | 427.0 | 49.7 | 90.1 | 208.4 | 45.8 | 116.6 | 156.0 | 16.9 | 47.8 | 98.6 | 50.0 | 12.8 | 57.2 | 39.7 | 105.2 |
| December | 504.4 | 54.7 | 96.2 | 255.2 | 61.1 | 167.5 | 270.1 | 28.0 | 78.0 | 142.6 | 40.3 | 12.1 | 69.4 | 64.4 | 164.4 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 423.1 | 35.8 | 96.1 | 203.1 | 57.3 | 106.5 | 125.6 | 23.7 | 36.0 | 95.7 | 30.2 | 8.4 | 56.8 | 48.4 | 82.4 |
| February | 408.1 | 37.7 | 82.6 | 174.0 | 47.9 | 89.6 | 108.3 | 16.6 | 39.1 | 86.8 | 29.2 | 9.8 | 51.9 | 49.3 | 73.3 |
| March | 457.9 | 49.1 | 103.9 | 195.6 | 50.6 | 115.5 | 131.2 | 20.2 | 43.3 | 99.4 | 28.4 | 13.2 | 63.0 | 54.6 | 79.3 |
| April | 427.1 | 48.5 | 106.3 | 189.5 | 48.2 | 121.1 | 131.9 | 21.1 | 37.9 | 82.9 | 29.7 | 10.9 | 63.5 | 47.5 | 65.0 |
| May | 426.9 | 44.9 | 99.4 | 193.1 | 46.1 | 118.3 | 143.8 | 20.2 | 41.3 | 86.8 | 28.4 | 12.4 | 66.2 | 49.9 | 73.5 |
| June | 439.0 | 45.9 | 96.8 | 192.3 | 50.2 | 122.7 | 152.6 | 24.3 | 38.7 | 96.2 | 31.4 | 13.1 | 67.8 | 47.3 | 89.3 |
| July | 452.5 | 46.9 | 98.9 | 211.4 | 60.1 | 121.8 | 139.7 | 24.2 | 40.2 | 91.2 | 30.7 | 12.8 | 72.5 | 53.8 | 93.0 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 418.9 | 48.0 | 104.6 | 192.1 | n.p. | 110.1 | 143.5 | 17.3 | 38.1 | 83.8 | 40.4 | 10.2 | 52.5 | 45.4 | n.p. |
| June | 421.2 | 48.1 | 100.4 | 195.9 | n.p. | 110.4 | 143.5 | 17.4 | 38.6 | 85.1 | 39.5 | 9.8 | 52.4 | 45.9 | n.p. |
| July | 424.5 | 48.4 | 95.9 | 198.9 | n.p. | 110.5 | 143.4 | 17.7 | 39.2 | 86.5 | 39.2 | 9.6 | 52.7 | 46.1 | n.p. |
| August | 428.4 | 48.8 | 92.1 | 201.2 | n.p. | 110.8 | 143.4 | 18.1 | 40.0 | 88.1 | 39.5 | 9.8 | 53.6 | 45.6 | n.p. |
| September | 431.9 | 49.0 | 89.2 | 202.5 | n.p. | 111.1 | 143.4 | 18.7 | 40.7 | 90.0 | 40.2 | 10.1 | 54.7 | 44.7 | n.p. |
| October | 434.7 | 48.7 | 87.4 | 203.0 | n.p. | 111.5 | 143.8 | 19.3 | 41.0 | 92.3 | 40.6 | 10.5 | 56.2 | 44.0 | n.p. |
| November | 436.6 | 47.8 | 87.1 | 202.7 | n.p. | 112.6 | 144.5 | 20.1 | 41.3 | 94.8 | 40.0 | 10.9 | 57.9 | 44.4 | n.p. |
| December | 437.3 | 46.7 | 88.8 | 202.0 | n.p. | 114.8 | 145.3 | 20.8 | 41.5 | 96.8 | 38.3 | 11.2 | 59.7 | 46.0 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 437.5 | 45.8 | 92.2 | 201.3 | n.p. | 118.0 | 146.1 | 21.4 | 41.7 | 98.0 | 35.8 | 11.5 | 61.3 | 48.2 | n.p. |
| February | 437.7 | 45.4 | 96.4 | 200.7 | n.p. | 121.3 | 147.2 | 21.7 | 42.1 | 98.3 | 33.2 | 11.8 | 62.7 | 50.3 | n.p. |
| March | 438.4 | 45.6 | 100.3 | 200.6 | n.p. | 123.8 | 148.8 | 21.8 | 42.8 | 97.8 | 31.3 | 12.1 | 63.9 | 51.4 | n.p. |
| April | 439.7 | 45.9 | 102.9 | 201.2 | n.p. | 124.7 | 150.5 | 21.8 | 43.7 | 96.7 | 30.4 | 12.4 | 65.0 | 51.9 | n.p. |
| May | 441.1 | 45.9 | 104.4 | 202.4 | n.p. | 124.4 | 151.9 | 21.9 | 44.5 | 95.4 | 30.0 | 12.7 | 66.1 | 52.2 | n.p. |
| June | 442.5 | 45.8 | 104.7 | 203.9 | n.p. | 123.4 | 153.1 | 22.1 | 45.3 | 94.3 | 29.8 | 12.8 | 67.2 | 52.5 | n.p. |
| July | 444.6 | 45.6 | 104.4 | 205.3 | n.p. | 121.9 | 153.8 | 22.5 | 46.1 | 93.0 | 29.5 | 12.8 | 67.8 | 53.0 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.4 | 0.2 | -3.0 | 2.0 | n.p. | 0.4 | -0.2 | -1.1 | 1.6 | 1.2 | -2.2 | -4.7 | -2.1 | 0.4 | n.p. |
| June | 0.5 | 0.2 | -4.0 | 2.0 | n.p. | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.6 | -2.2 | -3.9 | -0.2 | 1.1 | n.p. |
| July | 0.8 | 0.6 | -4.5 | 1.5 | n.p. | 0.1 | -0.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | -0.8 | -2.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | n.p. |
| August | 0.9 | 0.8 | -4.0 | 1.2 | n.p. | 0.3 | 0.0 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 2.1 | 1.7 | -1.1 | n.p. |
| September | 0.8 | 0.4 | -3.1 | 0.6 | n.p. | 0.3 | 0.0 | 3.3 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 3.1 | 2.1 | -2.0 | n.p. |
| October | 0.6 | -0.6 | -2.0 | 0.2 | n.p. | 0.4 | 0.3 | 3.2 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 1.0 | 4.0 | 2.7 | -1.6 | n.p. |
| November | 0.4 | -1.8 | -0.3 | -0.1 | n.p. | 1.0 | 0.5 | 4.1 | 0.7 | 2.7 | -1.5 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 0.9 | n.p. |
| December | 0.2 | -2.3 | 2.0 | -0.3 | n.p. | 2.0 | 0.6 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 2.1 | -4.3 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.6 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.0 | -1.9 | 3.8 | -0.3 | n.p. | 2.8 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 1.2 | -6.5 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 4.8 | n.p. |
| February | 0.0 | -0.9 | 4.6 | -0.3 | n.p. | 2.8 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 0.3 | -7.3 | 2.6 | 2.3 | 4.4 | n.p. |
| March | 0.2 | 0.4 | 4.0 | 0.0 | n.p. | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 1.7 | -0.5 | -5.7 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.2 | n.p. |
| April | 0.3 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 0.3 | n.p. | 0.7 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 2.1 | -1.1 | -2.9 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 1.0 | n.p. |
| May | 0.3 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 0.6 | n.p. | -0.2 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 1.8 | -1.3 | -1.3 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 0.6 | n.p. |
| June | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.3 | 0.7 | n.p. | -0.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.8 | -1.2 | -0.7 | 0.8 | 1.7 | 0.6 | n.p. |
| July | 0.5 | -0.4 | -0.3 | 0.7 | n.p. | -1.2 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.8 | -1.4 | -1.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 1.0 | n.p. |

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| Month | FOOD..... | | | SERVICE..... | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS..... | | | | | | OTHER..... | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 200.4 | 8.5 | 37.3 | 57.7 | 23.9 | 30.1 | 92.5 | 9.0 | 17.4 | 30.1 | 16.6 | 3.5 | 32.1 | 13.3 | 27.3 |
| June | 195.5 | 10.3 | 36.5 | 59.5 | 24.1 | 31.3 | 88.4 | 8.2 | 17.4 | 32.9 | 16.3 | 4.9 | 31.8 | 14.2 | 26.1 |
| July | 210.3 | 11.0 | 38.0 | 64.6 | 26.0 | 30.6 | 84.5 | 8.0 | 16.4 | 32.7 | 17.7 | 5.1 | 31.9 | 16.5 | 25.9 |
| August | 196.8 | 10.6 | 35.4 | 61.1 | 23.5 | 28.0 | 78.4 | 6.9 | 19.6 | 31.5 | 18.1 | 5.3 | 31.4 | 15.4 | 24.0 |
| September | 203.8 | 10.7 | 35.4 | 65.9 | 21.1 | 31.0 | 85.4 | 7.9 | 19.1 | 32.4 | 18.3 | 5.5 | 35.2 | 16.3 | 27.4 |
| October | 210.2 | 9.1 | 36.2 | 74.2 | 24.8 | 31.8 | 88.9 | 8.9 | 22.6 | 31.3 | 19.2 | 5.2 | 32.9 | 15.8 | 28.2 |
| November | 209.8 | 8.2 | 39.5 | 74.7 | 26.8 | 33.6 | 101.1 | 8.6 | 24.3 | 34.7 | 18.6 | 5.6 | 35.5 | 16.6 | 28.5 |
| December | 251.5 | 8.4 | 45.6 | 103.4 | 27.6 | 44.9 | 166.1 | 12.1 | 31.2 | 48.6 | 20.3 | 4.7 | 38.7 | 21.4 | 43.8 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 202.6 | 6.5 | 39.8 | 75.0 | 25.3 | 27.6 | 76.1 | 9.1 | 19.2 | 35.5 | 16.2 | 4.5 | 29.0 | 15.2 | 31.1 |
| February | 199.1 | 6.2 | 34.9 | 70.2 | 24.1 | 24.7 | 70.5 | 7.4 | 20.2 | 32.7 | 13.7 | 4.4 | 31.6 | 16.3 | 25.7 |
| March | 225.7 | 8.0 | 38.9 | 79.6 | 24.1 | 31.6 | 81.2 | 9.2 | 22.0 | 36.6 | 16.0 | 5.7 | 36.3 | 16.6 | 25.4 |
| April | 207.7 | 7.6 | 33.7 | 71.1 | 22.7 | 34.3 | 85.7 | 10.3 | 19.0 | 32.2 | 13.6 | 4.8 | 33.9 | 15.5 | 25.6 |
| May | 208.3 | 7.5 | 34.0 | 67.8 | 22.7 | 34.3 | 90.5 | 9.9 | 18.2 | 35.8 | 13.6 | 5.9 | 37.2 | 14.0 | 23.4 |
| June | 211.9 | 7.1 | 33.3 | 64.6 | 21.8 | 36.3 | 90.0 | 9.9 | 17.9 | 38.1 | 15.8 | 5.4 | 39.7 | 14.1 | 22.4 |
| July | 212.0 | 7.5 | 35.3 | 72.4 | 25.8 | 34.7 | 86.8 | 9.0 | 16.6 | 35.2 | 18.8 | 6.4 | 37.7 | 14.7 | 27.3 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 202.6 | 10.3 | 39.8 | 64.3 | n.p. | 28.2 | 91.8 | 8.1 | 20.4 | 30.8 | 16.8 | 3.9 | 31.8 | 14.1 | n.p. |
| June | 203.7 | 10.5 | 39.0 | 66.1 | n.p. | 29.0 | 91.4 | 7.9 | 20.0 | 31.4 | 17.1 | 4.3 | 32.3 | 15.0 | n.p. |
| July | 205.1 | 10.6 | 37.9 | 68.0 | n.p. | 30.0 | 91.1 | 7.9 | 20.0 | 32.2 | 17.4 | 4.7 | 32.7 | 15.9 | n.p. |
| August | 206.6 | 10.4 | 37.0 | 69.6 | n.p. | 31.2 | 90.9 | 8.0 | 20.1 | 33.2 | 17.9 | 5.0 | 32.7 | 16.5 | n.p. |
| September | 208.1 | 9.9 | 36.6 | 70.9 | n.p. | 32.0 | 90.6 | 8.3 | 20.2 | 34.1 | 18.2 | 5.1 | 32.4 | 17.0 | n.p. |
| October | 209.8 | 9.0 | 36.7 | 72.1 | n.p. | 32.5 | 90.7 | 8.6 | 20.3 | 34.9 | 18.3 | 5.1 | 32.2 | 17.3 | n.p. |
| November | 211.6 | 8.1 | 37.4 | 73.1 | n.p. | 32.6 | 91.0 | 8.9 | 20.6 | 35.5 | 18.1 | 5.1 | 32.3 | 17.2 | n.p. |
| December | 212.9 | 7.4 | 38.0 | 73.9 | n.p. | 32.5 | 91.3 | 9.3 | 21.1 | 35.9 | 17.5 | 5.1 | 32.8 | 16.9 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 213.6 | 7.1 | 38.3 | 74.2 | n.p. | 32.3 | 91.5 | 9.5 | 21.7 | 36.1 | 16.6 | 5.1 | 33.7 | 16.5 | n.p. |
| February | 213.7 | 7.2 | 37.9 | 74.0 | n.p. | 32.2 | 91.7 | 9.6 | 22.3 | 36.0 | 15.8 | 5.2 | 35.1 | 16.1 | n.p. |
| March | 213.5 | 7.5 | 37.2 | 73.7 | n.p. | 32.4 | 92.3 | 9.6 | 22.5 | 35.9 | 15.3 | 5.2 | 36.5 | 15.7 | n.p. |
| April | 213.5 | 7.8 | 36.5 | 73.8 | n.p. | 32.8 | 92.8 | 9.5 | 22.2 | 35.9 | 15.2 | 5.4 | 37.6 | 15.4 | n.p. |
| May | 213.7 | 7.9 | 36.1 | 74.2 | n.p. | 33.2 | 93.2 | 9.4 | 21.6 | 35.9 | 15.5 | 5.5 | 38.3 | 15.2 | n.p. |
| June | 214.1 | 7.9 | 35.9 | 74.8 | n.p. | 33.7 | 93.5 | 9.3 | 21.0 | 36.1 | 16.1 | 5.7 | 38.7 | 15.0 | n.p. |
| July | 214.9 | 7.9 | 36.0 | 75.8 | n.p. | 34.1 | 93.6 | 9.3 | 20.0 | 36.3 | 16.7 | 5.9 | 38.7 | 14.7 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.7 | 1.0 | -0.5 | 2.7 | n.p. | 1.4 | 0.0 | -2.4 | -3.3 | 1.3 | 0.6 | 8.3 | 2.3 | 6.0 | n.p. |
| June | 0.5 | 1.9 | -2.0 | 2.8 | n.p. | 2.8 | -0.4 | -2.5 | -2.0 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 10.3 | 1.6 | 6.4 | n.p. |
| July | 0.7 | 1.0 | -2.8 | 2.9 | n.p. | 3.4 | -0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 9.3 | 1.2 | 6.0 | n.p. |
| August | 0.7 | -1.9 | -2.4 | 2.4 | n.p. | 4.0 | -0.2 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 6.4 | 0.0 | 3.8 | n.p. |
| September | 0.7 | -4.8 | -1.1 | 1.9 | n.p. | 2.6 | -0.3 | 3.8 | 0.5 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 2.0 | -0.9 | 3.0 | n.p. |
| October | 0.8 | -9.1 | 0.3 | 1.7 | n.p. | 1.6 | 0.1 | 3.6 | 0.5 | 2.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 1.8 | n.p. |
| November | 0.9 | -10.0 | 1.9 | 1.4 | n.p. | 0.3 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 1.5 | 1.7 | -1.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | -0.6 | n.p. |
| December | 0.6 | -8.6 | 1.6 | 1.1 | n.p. | -0.3 | 0.3 | 4.5 | 2.4 | 1.1 | -3.3 | 0.0 | 1.5 | -1.7 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.3 | -4.1 | 0.8 | 0.4 | n.p. | -0.6 | 0.2 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 0.6 | -5.1 | 0.0 | 2.7 | -2.4 | n.p. |
| February | 0.0 | 1.4 | -1.0 | -0.3 | n.p. | -0.3 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 2.8 | -0.3 | -4.8 | 2.0 | 4.2 | -2.4 | n.p. |
| March | -0.1 | 4.2 | -1.8 | -0.4 | n.p. | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.9 | -0.3 | -3.2 | 0.0 | 4.0 | -2.5 | n.p. |
| April | 0.0 | 4.0 | -1.9 | 0.1 | n.p. | 1.2 | 0.5 | -1.0 | -1.3 | 0.0 | -0.7 | 3.8 | 3.0 | -1.9 | n.p. |
| May | 0.1 | 1.3 | -1.1 | 0.5 | n.p. | 1.2 | 0.4 | -1.1 | -2.7 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | -1.3 | n.p. |
| June | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 0.8 | n.p. | 1.5 | 0.3 | -1.1 | -2.8 | 0.6 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 1.0 | -1.3 | n.p. |
| July | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 1.3 | n.p. | 1.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | -4.8 | 0.6 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 0.0 | -2.0 | n.p. |

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| Month | FOOD..... | | | SERVICE..... | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS..... | | | | | | OTHER..... | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 265.4 | 7.5 | 62.3 | 79.6 | 54.0 | 45.6 | 90.2 | 9.5 | 20.6 | 49.3 | 15.3 | 5.9 | 32.8 | 26.0 | 32.9 |
| June | 265.9 | 8.2 | 60.0 | 77.2 | 47.2 | 44.8 | 84.6 | 10.1 | 23.5 | 50.4 | 15.7 | 6.2 | 31.1 | 27.3 | 36.6 |
| July | 283.4 | 7.7 | 63.7 | 82.5 | 49.2 | 43.9 | 78.3 | 10.0 | 24.5 | 55.5 | 16.7 | 6.9 | 34.6 | 27.6 | 42.3 |
| August | 257.0 | 7.1 | 66.6 | 77.8 | 49.0 | 39.4 | 72.8 | 8.7 | 24.9 | 49.1 | 14.7 | 6.5 | 33.2 | 27.0 | 40.8 |
| September | 268.5 | 7.9 | 77.9 | 84.7 | 53.7 | 39.9 | 81.8 | 10.0 | 22.3 | 53.9 | 14.5 | 8.0 | 37.4 | 27.8 | 44.8 |
| October | 268.9 | 7.5 | 72.7 | 92.1 | 54.3 | 39.7 | 91.4 | 11.4 | 25.8 | 47.7 | 15.1 | 6.9 | 38.0 | 25.7 | 47.0 |
| November | 262.7 | 7.5 | 78.8 | 93.7 | 54.5 | 42.5 | 99.0 | 10.9 | 27.1 | 54.1 | 16.3 | 7.2 | 36.7 | 28.1 | 48.0 |
| December | 322.3 | 9.7 | 88.6 | 121.8 | 66.4 | 71.7 | 166.2 | 13.4 | 39.4 | 84.9 | 15.8 | 7.7 | 43.7 | 40.3 | 75.8 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 258.7 | 6.1 | 82.8 | 90.7 | 57.0 | 43.5 | 75.3 | 10.7 | 22.1 | 54.2 | 14.6 | 6.4 | 31.6 | 31.4 | 39.7 |
| February | 250.5 | 6.2 | 80.7 | 83.4 | 52.8 | 38.8 | 68.8 | 8.0 | 22.6 | 50.8 | 15.1 | 6.8 | 29.5 | 30.5 | 39.2 |
| March | 282.1 | 7.5 | 87.0 | 95.9 | 68.0 | 40.9 | 80.9 | 9.3 | 25.2 | 50.0 | 14.4 | 8.5 | 34.7 | 29.3 | 38.3 |
| April | 256.1 | 6.8 | 85.0 | 88.9 | 56.8 | 44.5 | 85.8 | 11.2 | 24.6 | 50.8 | 13.3 | 7.8 | 30.6 | 22.6 | 39.7 |
| May | 259.7 | 7.2 | 87.5 | 81.4 | 52.3 | 48.3 | 94.5 | 12.1 | 23.4 | 52.5 | 13.9 | 8.5 | 33.1 | 24.0 | 43.8 |
| June | 262.2 | 7.6 | 84.3 | 82.9 | 51.5 | 49.6 | 92.5 | 11.6 | 23.4 | 55.5 | 14.7 | 8.5 | 36.3 | 24.5 | 45.9 |
| July | 274.6 | 7.7 | 85.2 | 95.5 | 63.4 | 46.5 | 81.3 | 10.9 | 23.5 | 51.7 | 14.5 | 8.4 | 40.8 | 27.2 | 47.8 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 267.8 | 8.0 | 63.7 | 85.2 | n.p. | 43.7 | 87.9 | 9.2 | 24.8 | 49.5 | 15.9 | 6.3 | 32.1 | 28.0 | n.p. |
| June | 271.1 | 7.8 | 65.1 | 85.4 | n.p. | 42.5 | 88.0 | 9.4 | 25.3 | 51.1 | 15.7 | 6.4 | 33.3 | 28.3 | n.p. |
| July | 273.1 | 7.8 | 67.0 | 85.5 | n.p. | 41.6 | 88.4 | 9.8 | 25.5 | 52.3 | 15.4 | 6.6 | 34.3 | 28.2 | n.p. |
| August | 273.5 | 7.9 | 69.3 | 85.9 | n.p. | 41.1 | 89.0 | 10.2 | 25.2 | 52.9 | 15.0 | 6.8 | 35.2 | 27.9 | n.p. |
| September | 272.4 | 7.9 | 71.8 | 87.1 | n.p. | 41.2 | 89.5 | 10.4 | 24.7 | 53.6 | 14.7 | 6.9 | 35.7 | 27.9 | n.p. |
| October | 271.1 | 7.8 | 74.4 | 88.7 | n.p. | 42.3 | 90.1 | 10.5 | 24.1 | 54.4 | 14.6 | 7.0 | 35.9 | 28.3 | n.p. |
| November | 270.3 | 7.6 | 77.0 | 90.3 | n.p. | 44.2 | 90.4 | 10.5 | 23.9 | 55.4 | 14.7 | 7.1 | 35.7 | 29.2 | n.p. |
| December | 269.7 | 7.3 | 79.6 | 91.5 | n.p. | 46.2 | 90.4 | 10.5 | 24.3 | 56.3 | 14.9 | 7.2 | 35.1 | 30.0 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 268.7 | 7.1 | 82.0 | 91.8 | n.p. | 47.8 | 90.4 | 10.6 | 25.2 | 56.7 | 15.2 | 7.4 | 34.4 | 30.2 | n.p. |
| February | 267.5 | 6.9 | 84.2 | 91.6 | n.p. | 48.4 | 90.5 | 10.7 | 26.3 | 56.5 | 15.4 | 7.7 | 33.9 | 29.7 | n.p. |
| March | 266.5 | 6.9 | 86.0 | 91.4 | n.p. | 48.1 | 91.1 | 10.8 | 27.0 | 55.6 | 15.3 | 8.0 | 34.0 | 28.6 | n.p. |
| April | 266.2 | 7.0 | 87.3 | 91.7 | n.p. | 47.4 | 91.8 | 11.0 | 27.2 | 54.3 | 15.1 | 8.2 | 34.6 | 27.4 | n.p. |
| May | 266.5 | 7.2 | 88.3 | 92.5 | n.p. | 46.7 | 92.4 | 11.1 | 27.0 | 53.4 | 14.7 | 8.3 | 35.5 | 26.5 | n.p. |
| June | 267.3 | 7.4 | 89.1 | 93.5 | n.p. | 46.3 | 92.8 | 11.1 | 26.5 | 52.7 | 14.4 | 8.3 | 36.6 | 26.1 | n.p. |
| July | 269.0 | 7.6 | 89.6 | 94.8 | n.p. | 45.9 | 92.7 | 11.1 | 25.9 | 52.4 | 14.0 | 8.3 | 37.7 | 26.0 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 1.6 | -2.4 | 1.8 | 1.1 | n.p. | -2.9 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 2.9 | 2.6 | n.p. |
| June | 1.2 | -2.5 | 2.2 | 0.2 | n.p. | -2.7 | 0.1 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 3.2 | -1.3 | 1.6 | 3.7 | 1.1 | n.p. |
| July | 0.7 | 0.0 | 2.9 | 0.1 | n.p. | -2.1 | 0.5 | 4.3 | 0.8 | 2.3 | -1.9 | 3.1 | 3.0 | -0.4 | n.p. |
| August | 0.1 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 0.5 | n.p. | -1.2 | 0.7 | 4.1 | -1.2 | 1.1 | -2.6 | 3.0 | 2.6 | -1.1 | n.p. |
| September | -0.4 | 0.0 | 3.6 | 1.4 | n.p. | 0.2 | 0.6 | 2.0 | -2.0 | 1.3 | -2.0 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| October | -0.5 | -1.3 | 3.6 | 1.8 | n.p. | 2.7 | 0.7 | 1.0 | -2.4 | 1.5 | -0.7 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 1.4 | n.p. |
| November | -0.3 | -2.6 | 3.5 | 1.8 | n.p. | 4.5 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.8 | 1.8 | 0.7 | 1.4 | -0.6 | 3.2 | n.p. |
| December | -0.2 | -3.9 | 3.4 | 1.3 | n.p. | 4.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.4 | -1.7 | 2.7 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | -0.4 | -2.7 | 3.0 | 0.3 | n.p. | 3.5 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 2.8 | -2.0 | 0.7 | n.p. |
| February | -0.4 | -2.8 | 2.7 | -0.2 | n.p. | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 4.4 | -0.4 | 1.3 | 4.1 | -1.5 | -1.7 | n.p. |
| March | -0.4 | 0.0 | 2.1 | -0.2 | n.p. | -0.6 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 2.7 | -1.6 | -0.6 | 3.9 | 0.3 | -3.7 | n.p. |
| April | -0.1 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 0.3 | n.p. | -1.5 | 0.8 | 1.9 | 0.7 | -2.3 | -1.3 | 2.5 | 1.8 | -4.2 | n.p. |
| May | 0.1 | 2.9 | 1.1 | 0.9 | n.p. | -1.5 | 0.7 | 0.9 | -0.7 | -1.7 | -2.6 | 1.2 | 2.6 | -3.3 | n.p. |
| June | 0.3 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 1.1 | n.p. | -0.9 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -1.9 | -1.3 | -2.0 | 0.0 | 3.1 | -1.5 | n.p. |
| July | 0.6 | 2.7 | 0.6 | 1.4 | n.p. | -0.9 | -0.1 | 0.0 | -2.3 | -0.6 | -2.8 | 0.0 | 3.0 | -0.4 | n.p. |

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| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Footwear stores | Domestic hardware stores, jewellers | Electrical goods stores | Furniture stores | Floor coverings stores | Pharmacies | Newsagents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 67.8 | 5.1 | 13.4 | 21.5 | 4.8 | 12.7 | 21.9 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 11.6 | 3.6 | 1.5 | 7.9 | 10.9 | 9.6 |
| June | 68.3 | 4.6 | 11.4 | 22.0 | 5.2 | 18.9 | 18.8 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 9.7 | 3.7 | 1.3 | 6.5 | 8.9 | 12.9 |
| July | 74.1 | 4.6 | 12.5 | 23.1 | 5.4 | 13.1 | 19.4 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 10.1 | 4.3 | 1.6 | 7.3 | 10.5 | 10.8 |
| August | 67.5 | 4.4 | 12.5 | 23.6 | 4.9 | 11.3 | 17.5 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 10.1 | 3.6 | 1.7 | 7.4 | 9.8 | 11.1 |
| September | 72.9 | 4.4 | 12.8 | 24.5 | 5.1 | 11.7 | 19.4 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 10.2 | 4.0 | 1.3 | 8.8 | 9.6 | 14.1 |
| October | 75.2 | 4.4 | 12.8 | 28.2 | 5.9 | 12.3 | 19.3 | 2.6 | 3.8 | 9.0 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 8.7 | 10.3 | 14.4 |
| November | 74.9 | 4.4 | 13.0 | 27.0 | 6.0 | 15.5 | 22.2 | 2.8 | 4.3 | 10.8 | 4.5 | 1.6 | 9.6 | 10.1 | 15.7 |
| December | 90.0 | 5.1 | 14.2 | 31.5 | 7.8 | 18.7 | 39.0 | 4.1 | 6.8 | 15.2 | 4.9 | 1.7 | 13.3 | 14.0 | 21.0 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 71.2 | 3.8 | 13.9 | 29.5 | 6.0 | 12.5 | 18.5 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 9.5 | 3.3 | 1.2 | 9.6 | 9.5 | 12.2 |
| February | 70.8 | 3.7 | 13.3 | 25.7 | 5.3 | 12.3 | 15.5 | 3.0 | 3.3 | 9.5 | 3.3 | 1.3 | 8.2 | 10.9 | 11.5 |
| March | 77.3 | 3.8 | 14.1 | 25.7 | 6.3 | 15.4 | 20.0 | 2.6 | 4.3 | 11.2 | 3.9 | 1.8 | 10.6 | 10.6 | 10.2 |
| April | 68.8 | 3.4 | 12.5 | 26.0 | 5.7 | 17.2 | 18.6 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 10.4 | 4.1 | 1.8 | 9.8 | 9.0 | 9.9 |
| May | 71.5 | 3.2 | 12.2 | 24.7 | 5.8 | 18.2 | 21.5 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 12.6 | 4.4 | 1.9 | 9.8 | 10.5 | 9.9 |
| June | 72.1 | 3.4 | 11.9 | 22.2 | 5.4 | 14.7 | 18.6 | 2.6 | 3.5 | 12.1 | 4.8 | 2.0 | 10.9 | 10.0 | 9.8 |
| July | 74.8 | 3.5 | 12.1 | 27.9 | 5.7 | 15.2 | 18.7 | 2.6 | 3.6 | 10.8 | 4.3 | 1.8 | 11.3 | 9.4 | 10.5 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 71.2 | 5.1 | 13.2 | 23.1 | n.p. | 13.9 | 21.2 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 10.9 | 3.8 | 1.5 | 7.4 | 11.2 | n.p. |
| June | 71.6 | 5.0 | 12.9 | 23.8 | n.p. | 13.9 | 21.3 | 2.6 | 3.2 | 10.3 | 3.8 | 1.4 | 7.4 | 11.0 | n.p. |
| July | 72.3 | 4.8 | 12.7 | 24.8 | n.p. | 13.9 | 21.2 | 2.6 | 3.2 | 10.0 | 3.9 | 1.4 | 7.5 | 10.8 | n.p. |
| August | 73.1 | 4.6 | 12.6 | 25.7 | n.p. | 13.8 | 21.0 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 9.9 | 4.0 | 1.4 | 7.8 | 10.7 | n.p. |
| September | 73.7 | 4.4 | 12.6 | 26.4 | n.p. | 13.7 | 20.8 | 2.8 | 3.5 | 10.0 | 4.0 | 1.4 | 8.3 | 10.6 | n.p. |
| October | 74.2 | 4.3 | 12.8 | 26.8 | n.p. | 13.4 | 20.8 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 10.3 | 4.1 | 1.4 | 8.8 | 10.5 | n.p. |
| November | 74.5 | 4.2 | 13.0 | 26.8 | n.p. | 13.4 | 20.9 | 2.9 | 3.7 | 10.6 | 4.0 | 1.5 | 9.4 | 10.4 | n.p. |
| December | 74.5 | 4.1 | 13.2 | 26.6 | n.p. | 13.7 | 20.9 | 2.9 | 3.8 | 10.8 | 3.9 | 1.5 | 9.8 | 10.2 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 74.1 | 4.0 | 13.4 | 26.3 | n.p. | 14.3 | 20.8 | 2.9 | 3.9 | 11.0 | 3.9 | 1.6 | 10.1 | 10.1 | n.p. |
| February | 73.6 | 3.9 | 13.5 | 26.0 | n.p. | 15.0 | 20.7 | 2.8 | 4.0 | 11.3 | 3.9 | 1.7 | 10.2 | 10.1 | n.p. |
| March | 73.4 | 3.7 | 13.4 | 25.9 | n.p. | 15.6 | 20.6 | 2.8 | 4.1 | 11.5 | 4.1 | 1.8 | 10.3 | 10.1 | n.p. |
| April | 73.8 | 3.6 | 13.2 | 26.1 | n.p. | 16.1 | 20.6 | 2.7 | 4.1 | 11.6 | 4.2 | 1.9 | 10.4 | 10.2 | n.p. |
| May | 74.4 | 3.6 | 12.8 | 26.3 | n.p. | 16.4 | 20.7 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 11.6 | 4.4 | 1.9 | 10.5 | 10.4 | n.p. |
| June | 75.2 | 3.5 | 12.5 | 26.7 | n.p. | 16.4 | 20.8 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 11.6 | 4.5 | 1.9 | 10.7 | 10.5 | n.p. |
| July | 76.1 | 3.5 | 12.2 | 27.0 | n.p. | 16.3 | 21.0 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 11.5 | 4.6 | 2.0 | 10.9 | 10.5 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.4 | -3.8 | -0.8 | 1.3 | n.p. | -0.7 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -5.7 | -5.2 | -5.0 | 0.0 | 1.4 | -2.6 | n.p. |
| June | 0.6 | -2.0 | -2.3 | 3.0 | n.p. | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -3.0 | -5.5 | 0.0 | -6.7 | 0.0 | -1.8 | n.p. |
| July | 1.0 | -4.0 | -1.6 | 4.2 | n.p. | 0.0 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -2.9 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 1.4 | -1.8 | n.p. |
| August | 1.1 | -4.2 | -0.8 | 3.6 | n.p. | -0.7 | -0.9 | 3.8 | 3.1 | -1.0 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 4.0 | -0.9 | n.p. |
| September | 0.8 | -4.3 | 0.0 | 2.7 | n.p. | -0.7 | -1.0 | 3.7 | 6.1 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.4 | -0.9 | n.p. |
| October | 0.7 | -2.3 | 1.6 | 1.5 | n.p. | -2.2 | 0.0 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.5 | 0.0 | 6.0 | -0.9 | n.p. |
| November | 0.4 | -2.3 | 1.6 | 0.0 | n.p. | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | -2.4 | 7.1 | 6.8 | -1.0 | n.p. |
| December | 0.0 | -2.4 | 1.5 | -0.7 | n.p. | 2.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 1.9 | -2.5 | 0.0 | 4.3 | -1.9 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | -0.5 | -2.4 | 1.5 | -1.1 | n.p. | 4.4 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 6.7 | 3.1 | -1.0 | n.p. |
| February | -0.7 | -2.5 | 0.7 | -1.1 | n.p. | 4.9 | -0.5 | -3.4 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 6.3 | 1.0 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| March | -0.3 | -5.1 | -0.7 | -0.4 | n.p. | 4.0 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 5.1 | 5.9 | 1.0 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| April | 0.5 | -2.7 | -1.5 | 0.8 | n.p. | 3.2 | 0.0 | -3.6 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 2.4 | 5.6 | 1.0 | 1.0 | n.p. |
| May | 0.8 | 0.0 | -3.0 | 0.8 | n.p. | 1.9 | 0.5 | -3.7 | 2.4 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 2.0 | n.p. |
| June | 1.1 | -2.8 | -2.3 | 1.5 | n.p. | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.3 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 1.0 | n.p. |
| July | 1.2 | 0.0 | -2.4 | 1.1 | n.p. | -0.6 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.9 | 2.2 | 5.3 | 1.9 | 0.0 | n.p. |

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MONTHLY TURNOVER, By industry—Australian Capital Territory: Original and trend

| Month | FOOD | | | SERVICE | | HOUSEHOLD GOODS | | | | | | OTHER | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Grocers, confectioners, tobacco-nists | Butchers | Other food stores | Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs | Cafes, restaurants | Clothing and fabric stores | Department and general stores | Foot-wear stores | Domestic hard-ware stores, jewellers | Elect-rical goods stores | Furn-iture stores | Floor cover-ings stores | Pharma-cies | News-agents | Other stores |
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 50.2 | 2.2 | 10.9 | 10.9 | 8.2 | 13.0 | 24.5 | 2.4 | 3.8 | 11.3 | 4.3 | 2.1 | 5.6 | 6.3 | 9.3 |
| June | 47.5 | 2.0 | 11.2 | 11.0 | 6.5 | 11.6 | 24.5 | 2.3 | 3.9 | 8.9 | 5.5 | 1.8 | 5.3 | 6.9 | 8.4 |
| July | 51.3 | 2.2 | 11.8 | 14.3 | 8.7 | 11.2 | 19.8 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 8.9 | 4.8 | 2.0 | 5.6 | 7.8 | 8.8 |
| August | 48.7 | 2.0 | 11.2 | 12.4 | 8.8 | 9.4 | 18.0 | 1.8 | 3.8 | 8.5 | 4.1 | 2.1 | 5.6 | 7.8 | 10.0 |
| September | 51.0 | 2.2 | 12.3 | 12.3 | 8.3 | 10.7 | 21.0 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 8.4 | 4.5 | 2.0 | 5.4 | 7.2 | 10.3 |
| October | 54.0 | 2.3 | 12.2 | 12.9 | 11.4 | 10.6 | 22.4 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 8.6 | 4.9 | 2.3 | 5.3 | 7.3 | 9.9 |
| November | 52.8 | 2.3 | 12.3 | 12.9 | 10.2 | 10.9 | 24.0 | 1.9 | 2.8 | 8.6 | 5.0 | 2.5 | 5.9 | 7.7 | 11.0 |
| December | 60.5 | 3.5 | 13.7 | 12.4 | 14.4 | 18.5 | 43.4 | 3.0 | 6.3 | 13.4 | 5.0 | 2.2 | 9.0 | 11.6 | 15.7 |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 52.5 | 2.8 | 9.5 | 10.1 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 18.8 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 8.7 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 8.0 |
| February | 50.3 | 2.6 | 9.8 | 9.3 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 17.2 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 7.6 | 4.3 | 1.9 | 5.2 | 8.2 | 7.8 |
| March | 55.4 | 3.3 | 12.5 | 13.5 | 12.7 | 11.1 | 21.9 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 7.4 | 4.8 | 2.2 | 4.7 | 8.9 | 10.4 |
| April | 51.6 | 3.3 | 10.7 | 13.7 | 11.6 | 11.3 | 22.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 7.3 | 4.3 | 1.9 | 4.2 | 7.3 | 10.1 |
| May | 52.8 | 3.3 | 10.4 | 12.5 | 10.9 | 11.2 | 23.5 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 7.4 | 4.9 | 2.4 | 4.6 | 8.0 | 8.8 |
| June | 52.0 | 3.1 | 10.8 | 11.9 | 10.4 | 10.5 | 23.4 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 7.4 | 4.8 | 2.1 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 9.1 |
| July | 51.8 | 3.4 | 11.8 | 13.3 | 10.3 | 9.7 | 22.8 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 8.5 | 5.5 | 2.4 | 4.6 | 8.1 | 10.2 |
| TREND ESTIMATES (\$ million) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 50.1 | 2.2 | 11.5 | 11.8 | n.p. | 11.1 | 23.5 | 2.2 | 4.4 | 9.9 | 4.7 | 1.8 | 5.5 | 7.0 | n.p. |
| June | 50.2 | 2.1 | 11.4 | 12.2 | n.p. | 10.9 | 23.2 | 2.2 | 4.3 | 9.5 | 4.6 | 1.8 | 5.5 | 7.3 | n.p. |
| July | 50.3 | 2.1 | 11.5 | 12.5 | n.p. | 10.7 | 22.9 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 9.0 | 4.7 | 1.9 | 5.5 | 7.5 | n.p. |
| August | 50.7 | 2.1 | 11.7 | 12.6 | n.p. | 10.7 | 22.6 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 8.8 | 4.7 | 2.0 | 5.4 | 7.7 | n.p. |
| September | 51.2 | 2.2 | 11.9 | 12.5 | n.p. | 10.9 | 22.4 | 2.2 | 3.3 | 8.8 | 4.7 | 2.1 | 5.5 | 7.8 | n.p. |
| October | 51.9 | 2.3 | 12.0 | 12.1 | n.p. | 11.3 | 22.4 | 2.2 | 3.0 | 9.2 | 4.7 | 2.2 | 5.7 | 7.9 | n.p. |
| November | 52.7 | 2.5 | 12.0 | 11.7 | n.p. | 11.9 | 22.6 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 9.5 | 4.7 | 2.2 | 6.0 | 8.0 | n.p. |
| December | 53.4 | 2.8 | 11.8 | 11.5 | n.p. | 12.4 | 22.9 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 9.6 | 4.7 | 2.3 | 6.1 | 8.2 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 53.8 | 3.0 | 11.5 | 11.6 | n.p. | 12.6 | 23.2 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 9.3 | 4.6 | 2.3 | 6.1 | 8.3 | n.p. |
| February | 53.9 | 3.1 | 11.1 | 12.0 | n.p. | 12.4 | 23.5 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 8.7 | 4.6 | 2.2 | 5.9 | 8.3 | n.p. |
| March | 53.9 | 3.2 | 11.0 | 12.4 | n.p. | 11.9 | 23.8 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 8.1 | 4.6 | 2.2 | 5.4 | 8.3 | n.p. |
| April | 53.8 | 3.2 | 10.9 | 12.7 | n.p. | 11.2 | 24.0 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 7.6 | 4.7 | 2.1 | 5.0 | 8.3 | n.p. |
| May | 53.7 | 3.3 | 11.0 | 12.9 | n.p. | 10.4 | 24.0 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 7.4 | 4.8 | 2.1 | 4.7 | 8.4 | n.p. |
| June | 53.6 | 3.3 | 11.0 | 13.0 | n.p. | 9.8 | 24.0 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 7.3 | 5.0 | 2.1 | 4.5 | 8.4 | n.p. |
| July | 53.4 | 3.4 | 11.2 | 13.1 | n.p. | 9.3 | 23.9 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 7.3 | 5.1 | 2.1 | 4.4 | 8.5 | n.p. |
| TREND ESTIMATES (% change from preceding month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 0.0 | 4.8 | -0.9 | 3.5 | n.p. | -1.8 | -0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -1.0 | 0.0 | -5.3 | 1.9 | 4.5 | n.p. |
| June | 0.2 | -4.5 | -0.9 | 3.4 | n.p. | -1.8 | -1.3 | 0.0 | -2.3 | -4.0 | -2.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.3 | n.p. |
| July | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 2.5 | n.p. | -1.8 | -1.3 | 0.0 | -7.0 | -5.3 | 2.2 | 5.6 | 0.0 | 2.7 | n.p. |
| August | 0.8 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 0.8 | n.p. | 0.0 | -1.3 | 0.0 | -7.5 | -2.2 | 0.0 | 5.3 | -1.8 | 2.7 | n.p. |
| September | 1.0 | 4.8 | 1.7 | -0.8 | n.p. | 1.9 | -0.9 | 0.0 | -10.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.0 | 1.9 | 1.3 | n.p. |
| October | 1.4 | 4.5 | 0.8 | -3.2 | n.p. | 3.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -9.1 | 4.5 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 3.6 | 1.3 | n.p. |
| November | 1.5 | 8.7 | 0.0 | -3.3 | n.p. | 5.3 | 0.9 | 0.0 | -6.7 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.3 | 1.3 | n.p. |
| December | 1.3 | 12.0 | -1.7 | -1.7 | n.p. | 4.2 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 1.7 | 2.5 | n.p. |
| 1994 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.7 | 7.1 | -2.5 | 0.9 | n.p. | 1.6 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 3.6 | -3.1 | -2.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | n.p. |
| February | 0.2 | 3.3 | -3.5 | 3.4 | n.p. | -1.6 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -6.5 | 0.0 | -4.3 | -3.3 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| March | 0.0 | 3.2 | -0.9 | 3.3 | n.p. | -4.0 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -6.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -8.5 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| April | -0.2 | 0.0 | -0.9 | 2.4 | n.p. | -5.9 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -6.2 | 2.2 | -4.5 | -7.4 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| May | -0.2 | 3.1 | 0.9 | 1.6 | n.p. | -7.1 | 0.0 | -4.5 | -3.4 | -2.6 | 2.1 | 0.0 | -6.0 | 1.2 | n.p. |
| June | -0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 | n.p. | -5.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -3.6 | -1.4 | 4.2 | 0.0 | -4.3 | 0.0 | n.p. |
| July | -0.4 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 0.8 | n.p. | -5.1 | -0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | -2.2 | 1.2 | n.p. |

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MONTHLY TURNOVER, By broad industry—Northern Territory: Original

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| <i>Month</i> | <i>Food</i> | <i>Service</i> | <i>Household goods</i> | <i>Other</i> |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------|
| ORIGINAL (\$ million) | | | | |
| 1993 | | | | |
| May | 44.0 | 18.2 | 20.6 | 9.2 |
| June | 43.5 | 18.0 | 21.1 | 8.8 |
| July | 48.4 | 19.2 | 21.6 | 10.8 |
| August | 46.6 | 17.9 | 21.2 | 9.5 |
| September | 45.4 | 18.0 | 21.8 | 11.7 |
| October | 45.4 | 17.7 | 21.7 | 9.9 |
| November | 44.4 | 17.4 | 23.4 | 9.8 |
| December | 48.5 | 17.9 | 30.1 | 12.2 |
| 1994 | | | | |
| January | 40.9 | 14.2 | 18.0 | 8.1 |
| February | 40.0 | 14.0 | 17.3 | 8.6 |
| March | 43.9 | 17.1 | 20.1 | 11.3 |
| April | 41.3 | 16.2 | 18.1 | 10.8 |
| May | 44.7 | 17.8 | 20.9 | 12.7 |
| June | 46.4 | 17.5 | 21.1 | 14.2 |
| July | 51.4 | 18.9 | 21.7 | 16.4 |

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ORIGINAL (% change from previous month)

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|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1993 | | | | |
| May | 0.2 | 5.8 | 9.0 | 3.4 |
| June | -1.1 | -1.1 | 2.4 | -4.3 |
| July | 11.3 | 6.7 | 2.4 | 22.7 |
| August | -3.7 | -6.8 | -1.9 | -12.0 |
| September | -2.6 | 0.6 | 2.8 | 23.2 |
| October | 0.0 | -1.7 | -0.5 | -15.4 |
| November | -2.2 | -1.7 | 7.8 | -1.0 |
| December | 9.2 | 2.9 | 28.6 | 24.5 |
| 1994 | | | | |
| January | -15.7 | -20.7 | -40.2 | -33.6 |
| February | -2.2 | -1.4 | -3.9 | 6.2 |
| March | 9.8 | 22.1 | 16.2 | 31.4 |
| April | -5.9 | -5.3 | -10.0 | -4.4 |
| May | 8.2 | 9.9 | 15.5 | 17.6 |
| June | 3.8 | -1.7 | 1.0 | 11.8 |
| July | 10.8 | 8.0 | 2.8 | 15.5 |

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

- 1 This publication presents monthly estimates of the value of turnover of retail businesses classified by industry, and by State.
- 2 Estimates of turnover contained in this publication are based on a survey of 6,500 retail and selected service businesses (or over 19,000 outlets). All 'large' businesses are included in the survey, while a sample of 'smaller' businesses is selected. The 'large' businesses contribute approximately 50% of the total estimate.

SCOPE AND COVERAGE

- 3 The scope of the survey:
 - includes the following retail trade businesses (Australian Standard Industrial Classification [ASIC]):
 - department and general stores (4814, 4815)
 - clothing and fabric stores (4843, 4844, 4847)
 - footwear stores (4845)
 - floor coverings stores (4848)
 - furniture stores (4849)
 - domestic hardware stores, jewellers (4853, 4854)
 - electrical goods stores (4855, 4856)
 - grocers, confectioners, tobacconists (4881)
 - butchers (4882)
 - other food stores (4883, 4885, 4886)
 - liquor stores (4884)
 - pharmacies (4891)
 - newsagents (4894)
 - other stores (4892, 4893, 4895-4897)
 - excludes the following retail trade businesses:
 - motor vehicle dealers, service stations, etc (4861-4868)
 - milk and bread vendors (4878-4879)
 - shoe repairers (4846)
 - electrical appliance repairers n.e.c. (4857)
 - includes the following selected service businesses:
 - cafes and restaurants (9231)
 - hotels, etc (mainly drinking places) (9232)
 - licensed clubs (9241-9243)
 - hairdressers (9351,9352).
 - excludes businesses which do not have employees.

DEFINITION OF TURNOVER

- 4 Turnover includes retail sales; wholesale sales; takings from repairs, meals and hiring of goods (except for rent, leasing and hiring of land and buildings); and commissions from agency activity (e.g. commissions received from collecting dry cleaning, selling lottery tickets, etc).

INDUSTRY DESCRIPTION

- 5 The description of the industries for which statistics are published in this publication align with the titles given in ASIC, except for the following groupings:
 - Other food stores: ASIC classes 4883, 4885, 4886
 - Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs: ASIC classes 9232, 4884, 9241,9242, 9243
 - Clothing and fabrics stores: ASIC classes 4843, 4844, 4847
 - Electrical goods stores: ASIC classes 4855, 4856
 - Other stores: ASIC classes 4892, 4893, 4895, 4896, 4897, 9351, 9352

CONSTANT PRICE STATISTICS

6 To enable analysis of the movement of retail activity in 'real' terms, estimates of retail turnover at constant (average 1989–90) prices are compiled each quarter. Constant price retail turnover series are derived by deflating the original current price series of retail turnover by specially compiled indexes of price change.

RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

7 The two types of error possible in an estimate based on a sample survey are: *Non sampling error* which arises from inaccuracies in collecting, recording and processing the data. The most significant of these errors are: misreporting of data items; deficiencies in coverage; non-response; and processing errors. Every effort is made to minimise reporting error by the careful design of questionnaires, intensive training and supervision of interviewers, and efficient data processing procedures. Where there is known non-sampling error — such as an approximate 1 to 2% non-response rate — it is considered that the effect is negligible.

Sampling error which occurs because a sample, rather than the entire population, is surveyed. One measure of the likely difference resulting from not including all establishments in the survey is given by the standard error, see below.

STANDARD ERRORS

8 There are about two chances in three that a sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the figure that would have been obtained if all in-scope units had been included, and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors.

9 Seasonally adjusted, trend and constant price estimates are also subject to sampling variability. For seasonally adjusted estimates, the standard errors are approximately the same percentage of the estimate as for the unadjusted series. For trend estimates, the standard errors are likely to be smaller. For constant price estimates, the standard errors may be up to 10 per cent higher than those for the corresponding current price estimates because of the sampling variability contained in the prices data used to deflate the current price estimates.

10 The standard errors for some industries in some States are relatively high and users are advised to exercise caution in interpreting movements for such series. Users interested in obtaining the standard errors for any series or further information should contact the person shown in the Inquiries box on page 1 of this publication.

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT

11 Seasonal adjustment is a means of removing the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation from the series so that the effects of other influences can be more clearly recognised.

12 In the seasonal adjustment of the turnover estimates, account has been taken of both normal seasonal factors and 'trading-day' effects (arising from the varying length of each month and the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, etc. in the month). For total turnover for Australia, adjustment has also been made for the effects of change in the date of Easter and Australia Day holidays. Seasonal adjustment does not remove from the series the effect of irregular influences (e.g. abnormal weather, industrial disputes) and the seasonally adjusted estimates still reflect the sampling and non-sampling errors to which the original estimates are subject.

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TREND ESTIMATES

13 The smoothing of seasonally adjusted series to create trend estimates is a means of reducing the impact of the irregular component of the series. The trend estimates are derived by applying a 13-term Henderson-weighted moving average to the respective seasonally adjusted series. These trend series are used to analyse the underlying behaviour of the series over time.

14 While this smoothing technique enables estimates of trend to be produced for the latest month, it does result in revisions to the estimates for the most recent months as data for subsequent months become available. Generally subsequent revisions become smaller and after 3 months have a negligible impact on the series. For more information see *A Guide to Interpreting Time Series — Monitoring "Trends" — An Overview* (1348.0).

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SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

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ASIC Australian Standard Industrial Classification
r revised

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