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DEPARTMENT STORE INVENTORY PRICE INDEXES— Jan. 2011

National basis, January 1941=100, unless otherwise noted

	Indexes			Percent change to Jan. 2011 from—	
	Jan. 2010	July 2010	Jan. 2011	Jan. 2010	July 2010
1. Piece Goods	497.1	447.8	446.7	-10.1	-0.2
2. Domestic and Draperies	405.7	385.8	378.6	-6.7	-1.9
3. Women's and Children's Shoes	682.1	671.9	672.9	-1.3	0.1
4. Men's Shoes	920.0	920.3	925.7	0.6	0.6
5. Infants' Wear	567.9	555.8	559.3	-1.5	0.6
6. Women's Underwear	620.6	672.5	700.5	12.9	4.2
7. Women's Hosiery	381.1	383.3	372.8	-2.2	-2.7
8. Women's and Girls' Accessories	623.2	603.2	581.8	-6.6	-3.5
9. Women's Outerwear and Girls' Wear	325.8	315.2	322.5	-1.0	2.3
10. Men's Clothing	494.6	510.2	504.6	2.0	-1.1
11. Men's Furnishings	557.5	553.9	561.9	0.8	1.4
12. Boys' Clothing and Furnishings	396.6	379.3	410.8	3.6	8.3
13. Jewelry	976.6	1006.0	1046.6	7.2	4.0
14. Notions	878.7	859.9	887.1	1.0	3.2
15. Toilet Articles and Drugs	1042.5	1059.3	1047.4	0.5	-1.1
16. Furniture and Bedding	577.5	550.3	550.7	-4.6	0.1
17. Floor Coverings	614.1	609.5	597.2	-2.8	-2.0
18. Housewares	666.4	658.6	659.5	-1.0	0.1
19. Major Appliances	203.1	203.4	198.3	-2.4	-2.5
20. Radio and Television	24.6	23.6	22.6	-8.1	-4.2
21. Recreation and Education ¹	73.7	74.2	72.6	-1.5	-2.2
22. Home Improvements ¹	154.9	155.3	156.8	1.2	1.0
23. Automotive Accessories ¹	137.4	138.8	140.3	2.1	1.1
1-15. Soft Goods	549.7	547.5	553.8	0.7	1.2
16-20. Durable Goods	350.5	344.4	341.4	-2.6	-0.9
21-23. Miscellaneous Goods ¹	97.0	97.8	97.2	0.2	-0.6
Store Total ²	484.1	481.6	484.4	0.1	0.6

¹ Indexes on a January 1986=100 base.

² The Store Total index covers all departments, with the following exceptions: candy, food, liquor, tobacco, as well as contract departments.

NOTE: Indexes for previous periods and a brief description of the methods used in calculating the indexes may be obtained by contacting the Bureau of Labor Statistics at (202) 691-6968. The application of these indexes in the preparation of tax returns is solely within the jurisdiction of the Internal Revenue Service. Treasury Decision No. 5605 accords the use of the elective inventory method by taxpayers employing the retail inventory method.

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