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# Retail Sales Index and Food & Beverage Services Index June 2025

Retail trade and food & beverage (F&B) services are integral to Singapore's domestic consumption, catering to consumers' daily needs and enjoyment. Retailers sell merchandise directly to consumers while F&B operators provide prepared food and drinks for consumption on-premises or take-away. The Retail Sales Index (RSI) and Food & Beverage Services Index (FSI) measure the performance of the retail trade and F&B services industries in Singapore respectively, based on the monthly sales of businesses (which include online sales) in these industries. The key indicators also include a snapshot of the proportion of sales conducted online.

KEY INDICATORS OF RETAIL TRADE						
		Year-on-Year	Month-on-Month (Seasonally adjusted)			
	Total Retail Sales	<b>+</b> 2.3%	<b>▼</b> -1.2%			
U	<b>Excluding Motor Vehicles</b>	<b>+</b> 0.4%	<b>▼</b> -1.4%			
		Sales Value	Online Sales Proportion			
\$	Total Retail Sales	\$4.0 Billion	13.6%			
	Excluding Motor Vehicles	\$3.3 Billion	16.2%			
Online Sales Proportion						
(Out of the total sales of the respective industry)	Supermarkets & Hypermarkets	Computer & Telecommunications Equipment	Furniture & Household Equipment			
	12.3%	56.2%	32.8%			

KEY INDICATORS OF FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICES					
	Total Food & Beverage Sales	Year-on-Year	Month-on-Month (Seasonally adjusted)		
•		<b>+</b> 0.1%	<b>▼</b> -1.5%		
<b>9</b>	Total Food & Beverage Sales	Sales Value	Online Sales Proportion		
		\$962 Million	26.7%		

### **OVERVIEW - RETAIL TRADE**

On a year-on-year basis, retail sales rose 2.3% in June 2025, extending the 1.3% growth in May 2025. Excluding motor vehicles, retail sales increased 0.4%, compared to the flat growth in May 2025. On a seasonally adjusted basis, retail sales fell 1.2% in June 2025 over the previous month. Excluding motor vehicles, seasonally adjusted retail sales decreased 1.4% compared to May 2025.

The estimated total retail sales value in June 2025 was \$4.0 billion. Of this, an estimated 13.6% were from online retail sales, higher than the 12.3% recorded in May 2025. Excluding motor vehicles, the total retail sales value was about \$3.3 billion, of which 16.2% were from online retail sales. Online retail sales made up 56.2%, 32.8% and 12.3% of the total sales of the Computer & Telecommunications Equipment, Furniture & Household Equipment and Supermarkets & Hypermarkets industries respectively.

## Year-on-Year Change (at Current Prices)

Within the retail trade sector, majority of the industries recorded year-on-year growth in sales in June 2025. The Motor Vehicles industry saw a 14.6% increase, which corresponded to a higher COE quota. Similarly, sales of Computer & Telecommunications Equipment, Optical Goods & Books and Recreational Goods increased 7.3%, 5.9% and 5.6% respectively.

In contrast, Petrol Service Stations and retailers of Food & Alcohol recorded year-on-year declines in sales of 5.9% and 5.2% respectively in June 2025.

## **Month-on-Month Change**

(at Current Prices, Seasonally Adjusted)

On a seasonally adjusted month-on-month basis, sales of Computer & Telecommunications Equipment, Minimarts & Convenience Stores and Supermarkets & Hypermarkets saw declines in sales of between 3.8% and 5.1%.

Conversely, sales of the Department Stores and Watches & Jewellery industries rose 3.7% and 3.0% respectively in June 2025.

## **Change in Retail Sales By Industry**

**Department Stores** 

**Supermarkets & Hypermarkets** 

Mini-marts & Convenience Stores

Year-on-Year



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year +1.3%



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year -2.6%



Month-on-Month

**Food & Alcohol** 

Year-on-Year



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year +14.6%



**Motor Vehicles** 

Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year



**Petrol Service Stations** 

Month-on-Month +2.7%

Cosmetics, Toiletries & Medical Goods

Year-on-Year +4.8%



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year



**Wearing Apparel & Footwear** 

Month-on-Month +0.5%

Year-on-Year +1.3%



**Furniture & Household** 

**Equipment** 

Month-on-Month +1.2%

**Recreational Goods** 

Watches & Jewellery

Computer & Telecommunications Equipment

Year-on-Year +5.6%



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year +5.5%



Month-on-Month +3.0%

Year-on-Year +7.3%



Month-on-Month

**Optical Goods & Books** 

Year-on-Year +5.9%



Month-on-Month

Year-on-Year **-10.2%** 



Month-on-Month

Month-on-Month values are seasonally adjusted.

#### **OVERVIEW - FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICES**

Sales of food & beverage (F&B) services increased 0.1% in June 2025 on a year-on-year basis, following the 1.0% growth in May 2025. On a seasonally adjusted basis, sales of F&B services fell 1.5% in June 2025 compared to the previous month.

The total sales value of F&B services in June 2025 was estimated at \$962 million. Of this, an estimated 26.7% were from online sales, compared to the 26.6% recorded in May 2025.

## Year-on-Year Change (at Current Prices)

Within the F&B services sector, Food Caterers and Fast Food Outlets registered growth in sales of 18.5% and 2.3% respectively in June 2025.

In contrast, turnover of Restaurants as well as Cafes, Food Courts & Other Eating Places decreased 5.6% and 0.1% respectively during this period.

## **Month-on-Month Change**

(at Current Prices, Seasonally Adjusted)

On a seasonally adjusted month-on-month basis, sales of Cafes, Food Courts & Other Eating Places, Food Caterers and Fast Food Outlets declined 3.5%, 2.6% and 1.0% respectively.

In contrast, turnover of Restaurants increased 0.9% in June 2025.

#### Change in Food & Beverage Sales By Industry **Fast Food Outlets** Restaurants Month-on-Month Year-on-Year Year-on-Year Month-on-Month +0.9% +2.3% -5.6% -1.0% **Food Caterers** Cafes, Food Courts & Other Eating Places Year-on-Year Month-on-Month Year-on-Year Month-on-Month +18.5% -2.6% -0.1% -3.5%

Month-on-Month values are seasonally adjusted.

Table 1 Percentage Change of Retail Sales Index (2017=100)						
	Year-on-Year		Month-on-Month (Seasonally Adjusted)			
Industry	at Current Prices		at Current Prices			
	May 25/ May 24	Jun 25/ Jun 24	May 25/ Apr 25	Jun 25/ May 25		
Total	1.3	2.3	1.0	-1.2		
Total (excl. Motor Vehicles)	0.0	0.4	-0.6	-1.4		
Department Stores	-3.9	-0.2	3.2	3.7		
Supermarkets & Hypermarkets	7.3	1.3	4.2	-3.8		
Mini-marts & Convenience Stores	-0.2	-2.6	-2.2	-4.1		
Food & Alcohol	-3.6	-5.2	-3.6	-2.5		
Motor Vehicles	10.4	14.6	11.9	-0.4		
Petrol Service Stations	-9.4	-5.9	0.1	2.7		
Cosmetics, Toiletries & Medical Goods	2.8	4.8	2.7	0.3		
Wearing Apparel & Footwear	-5.3	-2.6	3.8	0.5		
Furniture & Household Equipment	-1.8	1.3	1.1	1.2		
Recreational Goods	6.9	5.6	3.4	-2.5		
Watches & Jewellery	-1.9	5.5	-11.3	3.0		
Computer & Telecommunications Equipment	8.8	7.3	-4.3	-5.1		
Optical Goods & Books	4.7	5.9	2.7	-1.0		
Others	-5.0	-10.2	-2.7	-9.6		

Table 2 Percentage Change of Food & Beverage Services Index (2017=100)						
	Year-on-Year		Month-on-Month (Seasonally Adjusted)			
Industry	at Current prices		at Current prices			
	May 25/ May 24	Jun 25/ Jun 24	May 25/ Apr 25	Jun 25/ May 25		
Total	1.0	0.1	1.4	-1.5		
Restaurants	-4.9	-5.6	1.0	0.9		
Fast Food Outlets	1.2	2.3	1.3	-1.0		
Food Caterers	16.1	18.5	-0.1	-2.6		
Cafes, Food Courts & Other Eating Places	2.6	-0.1	2.3	-3.5		

### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

#### Introduction

The Retail Sales Index (RSI) and Food & Beverage Services Index (FSI) measure the short-term performance of the retail trade and food & beverage (F&B) services industries based on the sales records of trade and F&B services establishments respectively. Sales figure refers to the value of retail goods or food & beverages sold to consumers during the month, excluding taxes on products such as Goods and Services Tax (GST), Additional Registration Fee (ARF) and Certificates of Entitlement (COE).

The RSI and FSI are available at current prices and in volume terms. The indices at current prices measure the changes of sales values which can result from changes in both price and quantity, while the indices in volume terms measure the changes in the volume of economic activity by removing the price effect.

#### **Data Collection**

Data used to compile the RSI and FSI are obtained primarily from the monthly surveys of retail trade and F&B services establishments. Retail trade establishments sell merchandise directly to the consumers, while F&B services establishments sell prepared food and drinks for consumption on premises or on a take-away basis.

## **Index Compilation**

To derive the RSI and FSI at detailed industry level, the monthly sales for that industry is divided by the average monthly sales for the same industry in the reference year. The overall RSI and FSI are then computed by combining the sales indices of the detailed industries, using weights which measure each industry's relative importance in the overall retail trade and F&B services industries respectively.

To derive the indices in chained volume terms, the sales indices at current prices at detailed industry level are first deflated by the appropriate price indices. These component indices are then weighted using previous years' weights to derive the overall indices in chained volume terms. The reference year of the indices is 2017.

## Online Retail and Food & Beverage Sales Proportions

The retail trade statistics covers:

- (a) (multi-channel) retailers in Singapore that sell via both physical stores and online/e-commerce sites;
- (b) retailers in Singapore that sell via physical stores only; and
- (c) retailers in Singapore that sell mainly via online/ecommerce sites.

The food & beverage services statistics covers all sales transactions of F&B establishments regardless of mode (including those transacted via food delivery platforms).

The proportion of online retail and F&B sales¹ out of the respective industry's total retail and F&B sales is estimated for the overall retail trade sector, selected retail industries and the overall food & beverage services sector.

#### Seasonal Adjustment

Seasonal effects are observed in both the RSI and FSI as there are usually intra-year periodic variations that repeat during the fixed period of time every year. To better reflect the underlying trend of the monthly sales, both indices are seasonally adjusted to remove the seasonal effects.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Online retail and F&B sales refers to the sales of goods where the order is received remotely and the price and terms of sale are agreed upon via online means, e.g. through company's website, third-party websites (e.g., online marketplaces, food delivery platforms), or mobile applications, regardless of how or where the goods are delivered or collected. This excludes orders made via telephone calls, facsimile, in-premise orders via kiosks or QR codes, and manually typed emails or messages. Payment may or may not be made online.



More information is available on the SingStat Website at **go.gov.sg/services-latest-data** 

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For data tables relating to:

Retail Sales Index: go.gov.sg/rsi

Food & Beverage Services Index: go.gov.sg/fsi

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