

# Uphill slog

**TOTAL RETAIL SALES** ↓ **8.5%** (y-o-y)

**TOTAL EXCLUDING MOTOR SALES** ↓ **-7.7%** (y-o-y)

% CHANGE IN RETAIL SALES IN JULY 2020	Y-O-Y (%)	M-O-M* (%)
Department stores	↓ <b>-32.1</b>	↑ <b>109.4</b>
Supermarkets and hypermarkets	↑ <b>28.6</b>	↓ <b>-9.8</b>
Mini-marts and convenience stores	↑ <b>3.8</b>	↓ <b>-4.8</b>
Food and alcohol	↓ <b>-42.9</b>	↑ <b>2.6</b>
Motor vehicles	↓ <b>-12.8</b>	↑ <b>100.3</b>
Petrol service stations	↓ <b>-24.1</b>	↑ <b>14.2</b>
Cosmetics, toiletries and medical goods	↓ <b>-29.3</b>	↑ <b>4.5</b>
Wearing apparel and footwear	↓ <b>-27.7</b>	↑ <b>82.7</b>
Furniture and household equipment	↑ <b>9.6</b>	↑ <b>36.2</b>
Recreational goods	↑ <b>1.6</b>	↑ <b>62.2</b>
Watches and jewellery	↓ <b>-21.0</b>	↑ <b>66.3</b>
Computer and telecommunications equipment	↑ <b>27.4</b>	↑ <b>6.0</b>
Optical goods and books	↓ <b>-20.4</b>	↑ <b>29.7</b>
Others	↓ <b>-15.3</b>	↑ <b>46.1</b>

Note: \*Seasonally adjusted.

The gradual resumption of business activities due to the Covid-19 situation started on June 2, 2020 for Phase One and June 19, 2020 for Phase Two.

Source: Department of Statistics