

Retail Trade Indices (RTI). Base 2010
February 2013. *Provisional data*

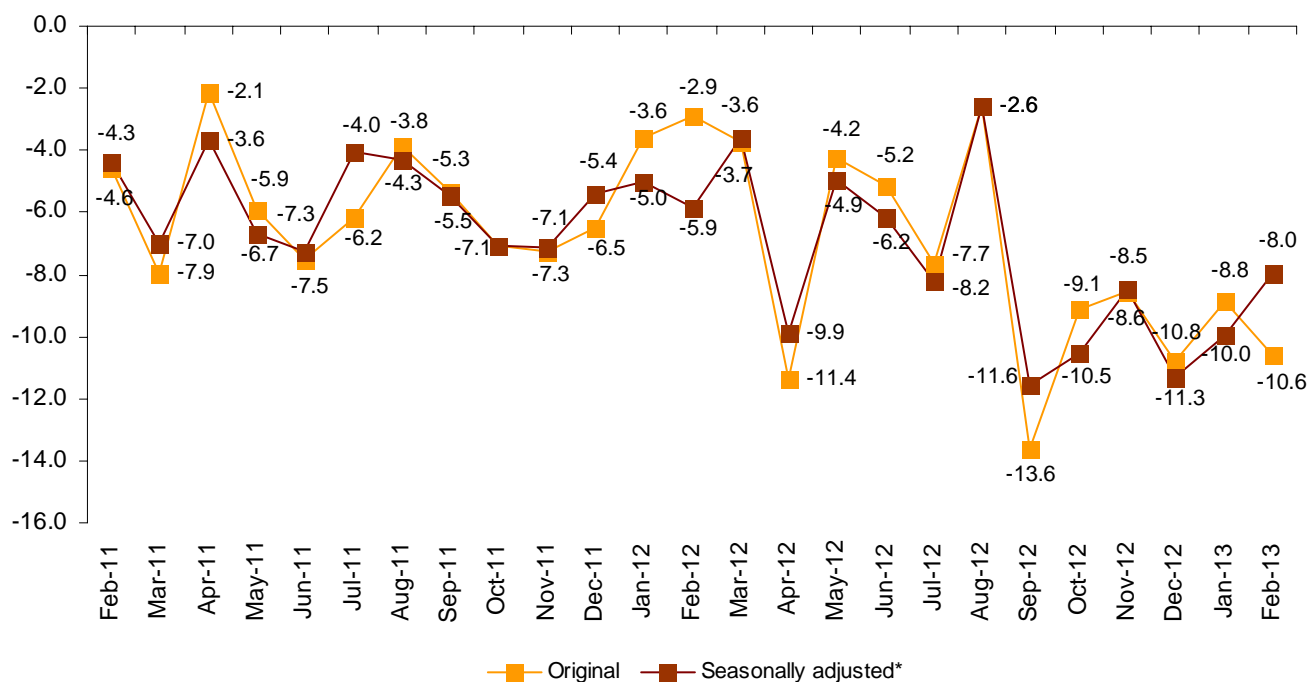
The General Retail Trade Index annual rate at constant prices stands at -10.6% in the original series and at -8.0% adjusted for seasonal effects

The monthly change adjusted for the calendar and seasonal effects stands at 0.6%

The General Retail Trade Index annual change at constant prices stood at -10.6% in February, almost 2 points below that registered in January.

After adjusting the calendar and seasonal effects, the annual change registered a -8.0% variation, 2 points higher than the rate registered in January.

Retail Trade General Index at constant prices
Annual rate



*Seasonally adjusted: Adjusted for season and calendar effects

Annual performance of trade, by products

Retail sales, not including the services stations, registered an annual change of -10.2% at constant prices. Breaking down the sales by type of product, we can observe that *Food* decreased 7.0% and *Non-food products* dropped 12.4%.

After adjusting the calendar and seasonal effects, all products showed negative rates, as compared with the previous year.

National indices by products

	Deflected index	% of variation Annual	Seasonally adjusted deflected index	% of variation Annual
GENERAL INDEX	74.1	-10.6	83.2	-8.0
1. Service Stations	76.6	-13.5	81.6	-11.3
2. GENERAL WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	74.1	-10.2	83.9	-7.2
2.1. Food	80.9	-7.0	91.5	-4.1
2.2. Non-food products	69.3	-12.4	78.1	-9.7
2.2.1 Personal equipment	73.4	-8.0	86.1	-5.9
2.2.2 Household equipment	67.6	-12.7	75.5	-9.2
2.2.3 Other goods	74.1	-12.1	79.8	-10.0

Performance of trade, by distribution class

All distribution classes decreased in sales in February, as compared with the same month of 2012. *Large chain stores* presented the lowest decrease (-4.1%) and *Single retail stores*, the greatest drop (-13.0%).

After adjusting the calendar and seasonal effects, all distribution class presented negative annual rates.

National Indices by distribution class

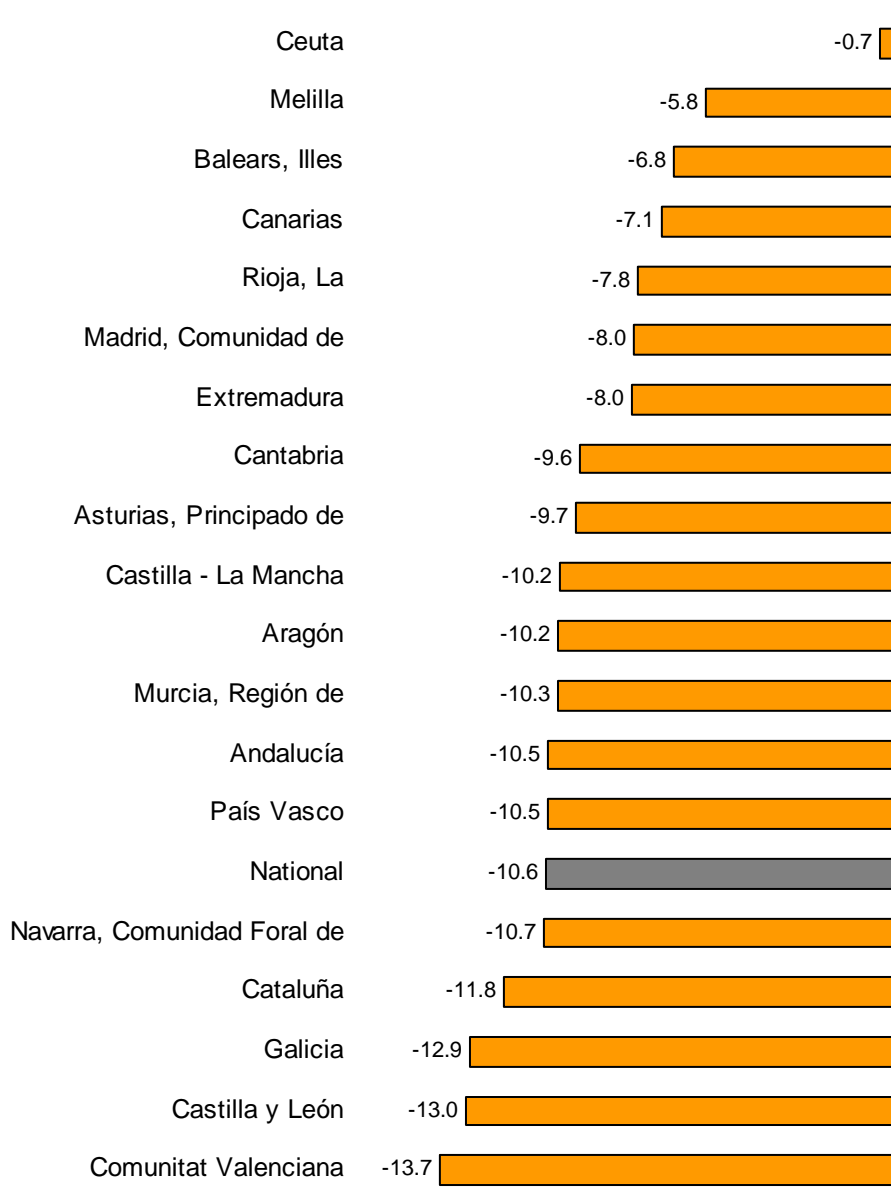
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1. Service Stations	76.6	-13.5	81.6	-11.3
2. GENERAL WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	74.1	-10.2	83.9	-7.2
2.1. Single retail stores	72.3	-13.0	78.4	-10.9
2.2. Small chain stores	70.9	-11.5	80.4	-8.7
2.3. Large chain stores	83.7	-4.1	96.6	-0.6
2.4. Department stores	66.8	-11.1	79.0	-10.2

Results by Autonomous Community. Variation rates in trade

All Autonomous Communities presented negative annual rates in Retail Sales in February. The greatest decreases were registered in Comunitat Valenciana (-13.7%), Castilla y León (-13.0%) and Galicia (-12.9%).

In turn, Illes Balears (-6.8%) and Canarias (-7.1%) registered the slightest decreases.

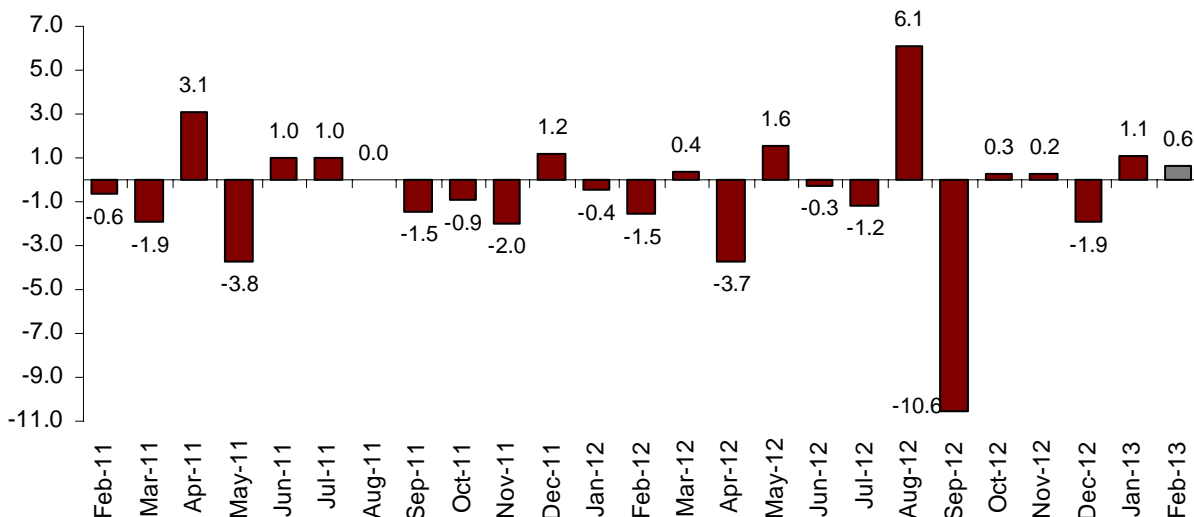
General Index by Autonomous Cities and Communities. Annual sales rate



Monthly performance of the RTI adjusted for the calendar and seasonal effects

The monthly change of the Retail Trade General Index between the months of February and January, after adjusting the calendar and seasonal effects was 0.6%. This rate was almost five tenths higher than that registered in January.

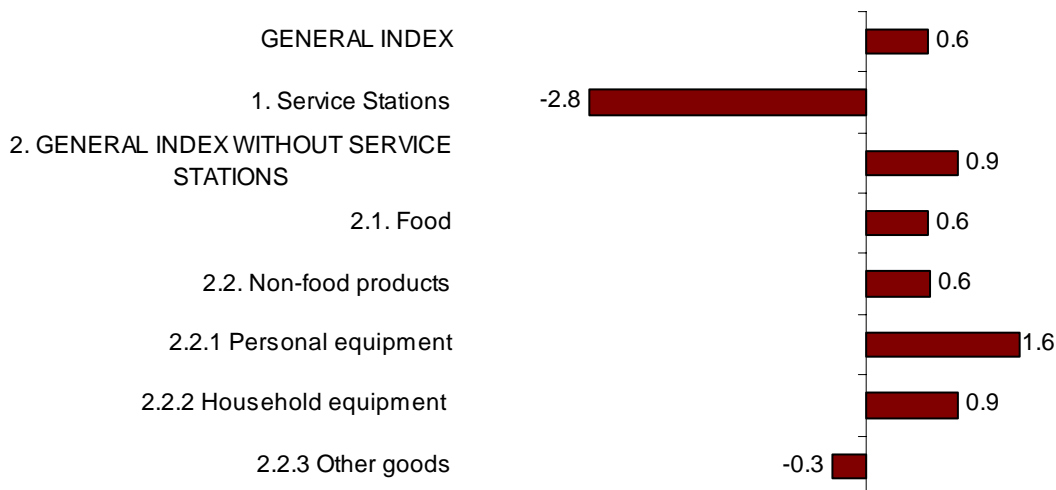
**General Index of Retail Trade at constant prices
Adjusted for seasonally and calendar effects. Monthly Rate**



Monthly performance of trade, by products

After adjusting the calendar and seasonal effects, the general index without service stations registered a monthly rate of 0.9%. By products, both *Food* and *Non-food products* increased 0.6%. Among the non-food products, *Other goods* is the only type of product that showed a negative rate (-0.3%).

**General Index by type of products at constant prices.
Adjusted for seasonal and calendar effects. Monthly rate**



Monthly performance of trade, by distribution class

After adjusting for calendar and seasonal effects, all distribution classes showed positive monthly rates, except for *Large chain stores* that registered the greatest increase (1.8%).

**General Index by distribution class at constant prices.
Adjusted for seasonal and calendar effects. Monthly rate**



Performance of employment

The employment index in the Retail Trade sector in February presented an annual rate of -2.0%, as compared with the same month of 2012. This rate was three tenths higher than that registered in January.

Employment decreased 3.5% in *Service stations*.

All distribution classes registered negative rates, except *Large chain stores* that increased unemployment 0.4% as compared with the same month of the previous year.

National Employment Indices by distribution class

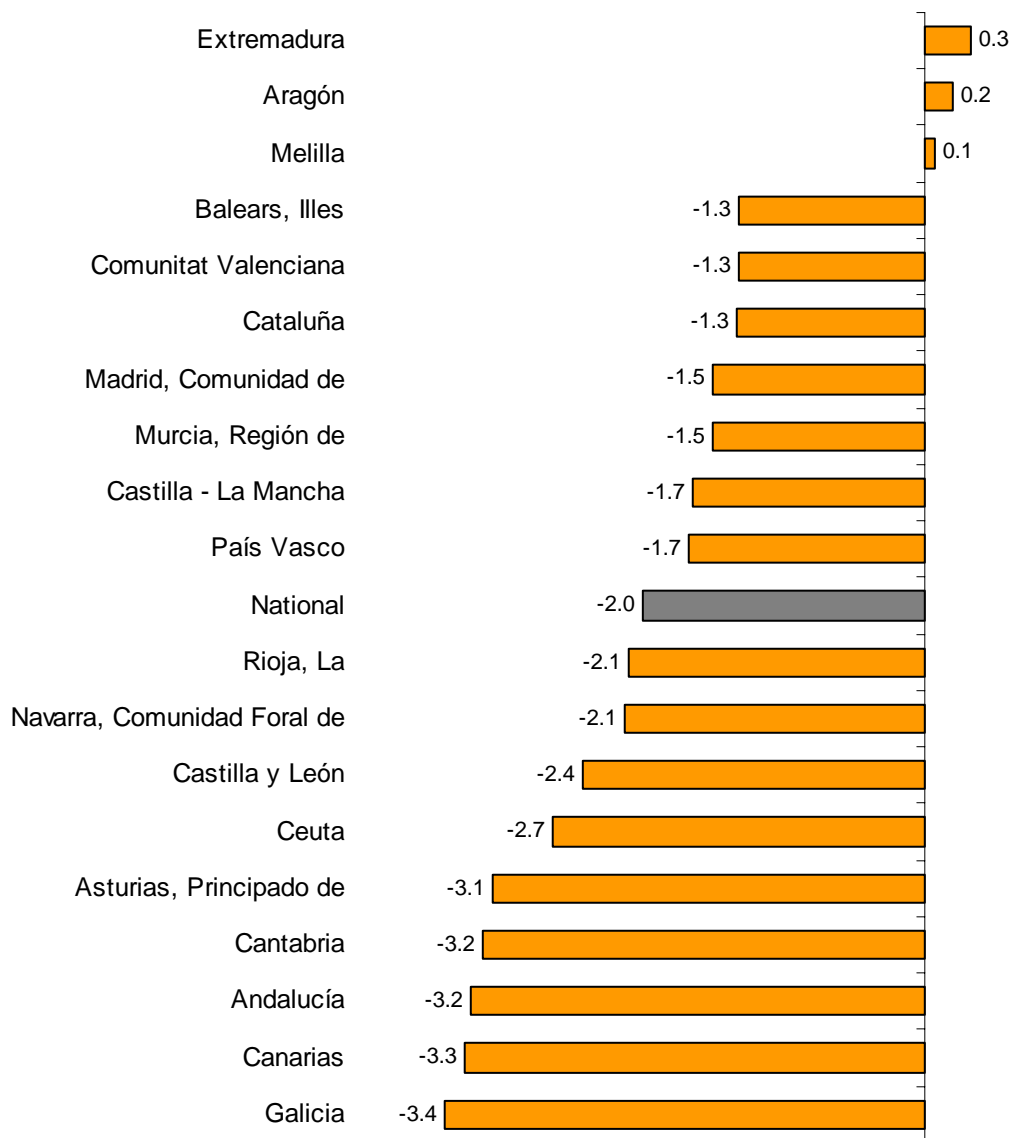
	Index	% of variation	
		Monthly	Annual
GENERAL INDEX	95.2	-0.7	-2.0
1. Service stations	94.5	-0.4	-3.5
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	95.2	-0.7	-2.0
2.1. Single retail stores	96.5	-0.4	-1.8
2.2. Small chain stores	88.4	-0.9	-4.8
2.3. Large chain stores	101.0	-0.8	0.4
2.4. Department stores	90.6	-1.1	-2.3

Results by Autonomous Community. Employment variation rates

Employment in Retail Trade decreased its annual rate in all the Autonomous Communities, except for Extremadura (0.3%) and Aragón (0.2%).

The greatest drops were registered in Galicia (−3.4%) and Canarias (−3.3%).

General Index by Autonomous Cities and Communities Employment Index. Annual Rate



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1. National indices by products

	Index	% variation			Deflated index	% variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
GENERAL INDEX	80.2	-14.8	-7.4	-6.5	74.1	-14.9	-10.6	-9.7
1. Service stations	98.4	-4.8	-9.6	-7.3	76.6	-7.4	-13.5	-10.8
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE	78.3	-15.9	-7.1	-6.4	74.1	-15.7	-10.2	-9.5
2.1. Food	87.7	-4.6	-3.8	-2.6	80.9	-4.5	-7.0	-6.1
2.2. Non-food products	72.1	-23.0	-9.6	-8.9	69.3	-22.8	-12.4	-11.7
2.2.1 Personal equipment	67.3	-37.0	-8.2	-8.8	73.4	-35.8	-8.0	-8.7
2.2.2 Household equipment	69.3	-13.6	-11.5	-10.7	67.6	-13.6	-12.7	-11.9
2.2.3 Other goods	77.1	-17.8	-9.3	-7.9	74.1	-17.5	-12.1	-10.7

2. National Indices by distribution class

	Index	% variation			Deflated index	% variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
GENERAL INDEX	80.2	-14.8	-7.4	-6.5	74.1	-14.9	-10.6	-9.7
1. Service stations	98.4	-4.8	-9.6	-7.3	76.6	-7.4	-13.5	-10.8
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE	78.3	-15.9	-7.1	-6.4	74.1	-15.7	-10.2	-9.5
2.1. Single retail stores	76.4	-10.7	-10.0	-9.6	72.3	-10.5	-13.0	-12.6
2.2. Small chain stores	74.9	-18.9	-8.5	-7.5	70.9	-18.7	-11.5	-10.5
2.3. Large chain stores	88.4	-13.9	-0.8	0.5	83.7	-13.7	-4.1	-2.8
2.4. Department stores	70.6	-27.1	-8.1	-8.0	66.8	-26.9	-11.1	-11.1

3. Department Store Indices

	Index	% variation			Deflated index	% variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
DEPARTMENT STORES INDICES	70.6	-27.1	-8.1	-8.0	66.8	-26.9	-11.1	-11.1
1. Food products	81.8	-5.2	-2.6	-2.9	75.4	-5.0	-5.8	-6.4
2. Non-food products	65.2	-36.2	-11.1	-10.3	62.6	-36.0	-13.9	-13.1

4. National Indices adjusted for calendar effect

	Index	% variation			Deflated index	% variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
GENERAL INDEX	80.7	-13.2	-4.7	-5.8	74.5	-13.3	-7.9	-9.0
1. Service Station	98.8	-4.0	-7.9	-6.6	77.0	-6.4	-11.4	-9.9
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	78.9	-14.2	-3.9	-5.6	74.6	-14.0	-7.1	-8.7
2.1. Food	88.2	-3.0	-1.2	-1.9	81.4	-2.8	-4.1	-5.1
2.2. Non-food products	72.7	-21.3	-5.9	-8.0	69.8	-21.0	-9.2	-11.1
2.2.1. Personal equipment	67.7	-35.8	-5.2	-8.3	73.8	-34.6	-5.1	-8.2
2.2.2. Household equipment	69.9	-11.2	-7.7	-9.8	68.2	-11.2	-9.0	-11.0
2.2.3. Other goods	77.6	-16.1	-6.4	-7.3	74.6	-15.8	-9.2	-10.1
DISTRIBUTION CLASS								
3. Single retail stores	76.8	-8.9	-7.8	-9.3	72.6	-8.7	-10.8	-12.3
4. Small chain stores	75.5	-16.9	-5.3	-6.9	71.4	-16.7	-8.3	-9.9
5. Large chain stores	89.0	-11.8	2.7	1.2	84.3	-11.6	-0.5	-2.1
6. Department stores	71.1	-25.9	-5.2	-7.4	67.2	-25.7	-8.3	-10.4

5. National Indices adjusted for seasonal effects and by calendar

	Index	% variation			Deflated index	% variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
GENERAL INDEX	91.5	1.1	-4.7	-5.8	83.2	0.6	-8.0	-9.0
1. Service Station	106.2	-1.0	-7.9	-6.7	81.6	-2.8	-11.3	-10.1
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	89.8	1.0	-4.2	-5.6	83.9	0.9	-7.2	-8.5
2.1. Food	98.6	0.1	-2.3	-2.3	91.5	0.6	-4.1	-5.1
2.2. Non-food products	83.7	0.8	-6.4	-8.0	78.1	0.6	-9.7	-11.1
2.2.1. Personal equipment	86.4	1.8	-5.7	-7.8	86.1	1.6	-5.9	-7.8
2.2.2. Household equipment	77.8	1.1	-7.9	-9.7	75.5	0.9	-9.2	-10.9
2.2.3. Other goods	85.3	-0.2	-7.2	-7.7	79.8	-0.3	-10.0	-10.6
DISTRIBUTION CLASS								
3. Single retail stores	84.2	0.3	-7.8	-9.3	78.4	0.1	-10.9	-12.3
4. Small chain stores	86.3	0.5	-5.6	-7.0	80.4	0.3	-8.7	-10.0
5. Large chain stores	103.6	2.0	2.6	1.3	96.6	1.8	-0.6	-2.0
6. Department stores	85.1	0.3	-7.1	-7.6	79.0	0.2	-10.2	-10.8

6. General Retail Trade Index adjusted for seasonal effects and by calendar

	% of variation					
	Annual ¹		Quarterly ²		Monthly ³	
	Current Prices	Constant Prices	Current Prices	Constant Prices	Current Prices	Constant Prices
2009	-7.1	-5.5				
2010	0.7	-1.7				
2011	-1.6	-5.6				
2012	-4.4	-7.3				
2013	-5.8	-9.0				
2011 QI	-0.8	-5.3	-1.1	-3.0		
QII	-1.5	-5.9	-0.1	-0.7		
QIII	-0.7	-4.6	0.0	-0.2		
QIV	-3.3	-6.5	-2.1	-2.8		
2012 QI	-2.4	-4.8	-0.2	-1.2		
QII	-4.6	-7.1	-2.4	-3.0		
QIII	-3.9	-7.4	0.7	-0.6		
QIV	-6.6	-10.1	-4.8	-5.6		
2013 QI	-5.8	-9.0	0.6	0.2		
2012 FEB	-3.4	-5.9			-1.2	-1.5
MAR	-1.2	-3.6			0.6	0.4
APR	-7.5	-9.9			-3.0	-3.7
MAY	-2.4	-4.9			1.3	1.6
JUN	-4.0	-6.2			-0.5	-0.3
JUL	-5.4	-8.2			-0.3	-1.2
AUG	1.2	-2.6			6.9	6.1
SEP	-7.6	-11.6			-10.0	-10.6
OCT	-6.7	-10.5			0.6	0.3
NOV	-5.1	-8.5			0.0	0.2
DEC	-8.0	-11.3			-1.9	-1.9
JAN	-6.8	-10.0			1.4	1.1
2013 FEB	-4.7	-8.0			1.1	0.6

Note:

¹ **Annual rate:** Variation of a period over the same period of the previous year

² **Quarterly rate:** Variation of a quarter over the previous quarter. In the current quarter it is the average to date over the previous quarter

³ **Monthly rate:** Variation of a month over the previous month

7. National Employment Indices by distribution class

	Index	% of variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
GENERAL INDEX	95.2	-0.7	-2.0	-2.2
1. Service stations	94.5	-0.4	-3.5	-3.3
2. GENERAL INDEX WITHOUT SERVICE STATIONS	95.2	-0.7	-2.0	-2.1
2.1. Single retail stores	96.5	-0.4	-1.8	-1.8
2.2. Small chain stores	88.4	-0.9	-4.8	-5.3
2.3. Large chain stores	101.0	-0.8	0.4	0.5
2.4. Department stores	90.6	-1.1	-2.3	-3.0

8. General Retail Trade Indices by Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% of variation		Average year to date	Deflated index	% of variation		Average year to date
		Monthly	Annual			Monthly	Annual	
NATIONAL INDEX	80.2	-14.8	-7.4	-6.5	74.1	-14.9	-10.6	-9.7
Andalucía	76.6	-15.4	-7.3	-6.0	71.0	-15.7	-10.5	-9.2
Aragón	82.3	-12.8	-7.1	-5.2	76.1	-13.0	-10.2	-8.3
Asturias, Principado de	79.3	-16.4	-6.5	-6.7	73.2	-16.6	-9.7	-9.8
Balears, Illes	76.6	-9.6	-3.1	-1.7	70.9	-9.6	-6.8	-5.4
Canarias	86.0	-17.2	-4.8	-4.1	81.1	-17.1	-7.1	-6.6
Cantabria	78.2	-16.0	-5.3	-5.4	71.5	-15.9	-9.6	-9.6
Castilla y León	81.8	-15.2	-9.5	-8.3	74.8	-15.4	-13.0	-11.8
Castilla - La Mancha	80.9	-12.8	-6.8	-4.7	74.1	-13.0	-10.2	-8.0
Cataluña	79.6	-14.0	-8.2	-7.8	72.9	-14.0	-11.8	-11.4
Comunitat Valenciana	78.0	-14.2	-10.7	-8.9	71.9	-14.4	-13.7	-12.0
Extremadura	88.0	-12.7	-4.4	-3.3	81.3	-12.9	-8.0	-6.8
Galicia	79.5	-15.5	-9.9	-9.2	73.7	-15.7	-12.9	-12.0
Madrid, Comunidad de	82.8	-15.6	-5.2	-4.9	76.8	-15.8	-8.0	-7.6
Murcia, Región de	77.3	-13.9	-6.7	-6.4	71.4	-14.2	-10.3	-9.9
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	82.5	-14.8	-7.6	-5.0	76.4	-15.0	-10.7	-8.1
País Vasco	82.4	-15.5	-7.8	-7.3	76.9	-15.6	-10.5	-10.0
Rioja, La	82.0	-16.8	-4.3	-3.5	75.3	-16.9	-7.8	-7.0
Ceuta	83.4	-12.2	1.2	-3.3	79.8	-12.0	-0.7	-5.2
Melilla	85.7	-12.2	-4.4	-2.8	82.5	-12.2	-5.8	-4.2

9. General Indices without Service Stations, by Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% of variation		Average year to date	Deflated index	% of variation		Average year to date
		Monthly	Annual			Monthly	Annual	
NATIONAL INDEX	78.3	-15.9	-7.1	-6.4	74.1	-15.7	-10.2	-9.5
Andalucía	74.1	-17.1	-6.9	-5.5	70.4	-17.1	-10.0	-8.6
Aragón	80.2	-13.7	-6.4	-4.9	75.6	-13.5	-9.4	-8.1
Asturias, Principado de	78.6	-17.0	-6.6	-7.0	74.3	-16.9	-9.5	-9.9
Balears, Illes	75.1	-10.6	-3.6	-2.1	71.5	-10.2	-6.7	-5.3
Canarias	82.7	-18.6	-6.5	-5.8	81.3	-18.3	-7.5	-7.0
Cantabria	74.2	-18.6	-7.6	-7.3	69.8	-18.1	-11.4	-11.0
Castilla y León	80.7	-16.2	-7.6	-7.2	75.5	-16.1	-10.8	-10.4
Castilla - La Mancha	79.0	-13.5	-5.7	-3.8	74.0	-13.3	-8.9	-7.0
Cataluña	76.8	-15.2	-7.7	-7.8	71.9	-14.9	-11.3	-11.4
Comunitat Valenciana	76.4	-15.2	-10.0	-8.2	72.2	-15.0	-13.2	-11.4
Extremadura	84.7	-14.6	-4.4	-3.1	80.1	-14.5	-7.9	-6.5
Galicia	78.0	-16.6	-10.3	-9.6	73.9	-16.4	-13.2	-12.4
Madrid, Comunidad de	83.5	-16.1	-4.7	-4.6	79.1	-15.9	-7.5	-7.4
Murcia, Región de	73.8	-15.4	-7.2	-7.1	69.9	-15.4	-10.7	-10.5
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	79.3	-16.2	-7.6	-5.1	74.9	-16.1	-10.6	-8.2
País Vasco	80.9	-16.1	-8.3	-8.0	77.1	-15.8	-11.0	-10.7
Rioja, La	79.7	-17.8	-3.8	-3.3	74.6	-17.6	-7.3	-6.9
Ceuta	82.2	-13.1	0.9	-3.8	79.7	-12.7	-1.0	-5.6
Melilla	84.7	-13.1	-4.6	-2.8	83.0	-12.7	-6.1	-4.4

10. General Employment Indices by Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% of variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
NATIONAL INDEX	95.2	-0.7	-2.0	-2.2
Andalucía	91.7	-0.3	-3.2	-3.8
Aragón	95.4	-0.6	0.2	0.0
Asturias, Principado de	93.6	-0.6	-3.1	-3.0
Balears, Illes	93.5	-0.3	-1.3	-1.4
Canarias	97.8	-0.9	-3.3	-3.3
Cantabria	95.6	-0.4	-3.2	-3.4
Castilla y León	97.6	-0.7	-2.4	-2.4
Castilla - La Mancha	96.8	-0.4	-1.7	-1.9
Cataluña	96.9	-0.7	-1.3	-1.5
Comunitat Valenciana	95.3	-0.8	-1.3	-1.2
Extremadura	99.0	-0.2	0.3	0.5
Galicia	96.3	-1.1	-3.4	-3.2
Madrid, Comunidad de	94.9	-0.8	-1.5	-1.8
Murcia, Región de	93.6	-0.3	-1.5	-1.6
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	94.0	-1.0	-2.1	-2.1
País Vasco	95.5	-1.0	-1.7	-1.3
Rioja, La	97.0	-0.2	-2.1	-2.3
Ceuta	99.3	0.0	-2.7	-2.5
Melilla	100.0	0.3	0.1	-0.6

11. General Employment Indices without Service Stations, by Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% of variation		
		Monthly	Annual	Average year to date
NATIONAL INDEX	95.2	-0.7	-2.0	-2.1
Andalucía	91.6	-0.2	-3.2	-3.8
Aragón	95.4	-0.6	0.4	0.2
Asturias, Principado de	93.5	-0.6	-3.1	-3.0
Balears, Illes	93.4	-0.3	-1.3	-1.4
Canarias	97.5	-1.0	-3.4	-3.4
Cantabria	95.5	-0.4	-3.2	-3.4
Castilla y León	97.7	-0.8	-2.4	-2.3
Castilla - La Mancha	97.2	-0.4	-1.3	-1.6
Cataluña	97.0	-0.7	-1.3	-1.4
Comunitat Valenciana	95.4	-0.8	-1.2	-1.1
Extremadura	99.0	-0.2	0.2	0.4
Galicia	96.4	-1.0	-3.4	-3.2
Madrid, Comunidad de	94.9	-0.8	-1.5	-1.8
Murcia, Región de	93.6	-0.3	-1.4	-1.5
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	94.0	-1.0	-2.0	-1.9
País Vasco	95.4	-1.0	-1.7	-1.3
Rioja, La	97.3	-0.2	-2.2	-2.4
Ceuta	99.6	0.1	-2.4	-2.3
Melilla	100.1	0.2	0.1	-0.5