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17.1 Retail trade, by kind of business and by province, percentage and percentage distribution, 1982-85

| Kind of business and province | 1982 \$'000,000 | 1983 \$'000,000 | 1984 \$'000,000 | 1985 \$'000,000 | Percentage change 1984-85 | Percentage distribution 1985 |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Kind of business | | | | | | |
| Combination stores (groceries and meat) | 19,906.2 | 21,027.4 | 22,341.4 | 23,776.7 | + 6.4 | 18.4 |
| Grocery, confectionery and sundries stores | 4,938.4 | 5,209.7 | 5,703.1 | 6,154.8 | + 7.9 | 4.8 |
| All other food stores | 1,945.9 | 2,048.8 | 2,144.6 | 2,325.6 | + 8.4 | 1.8 |
| Department stores | 10,208.1 | 10,930.5 | 11,384.9 | 12,038.6 | + 5.7 | 9.3 |
| General merchandise stores | 2,080.1 | 2,312.0 | 2,395.1 | 2,698.9 | + 12.7 | 2.1 |
| General stores | 1,898.4 | 1,909.8 | 1,890.9 | 1,982.7 | + 4.9 | 1.5 |
| Variety stores | 1,071.3 | 1,129.9 | 1,207.0 | 1,266.9 | + 5.0 | 1.0 |
| Motor vehicle dealers | 14,413.0 | 17,198.0 | 20,846.5 | 26,026.6 | + 24.8 | 20.1 |
| Used car dealers | 461.5 | 501.1 | 559.0 | 654.9 | + 17.2 | 0.5 |
| Service stations | 8,728.5 | 8,949.5 | 9,732.5 | 11,100.7 | + 14.1 | 8.6 |
| Garages | 1,376.2 | 1,345.8 | 1,580.9 | 1,484.2 | - 6.1 | 1.1 |
| Automotive parts and accessories stores | 2,175.0 | 2,492.9 | 2,606.2 | 2,801.8 | + 7.5 | 2.2 |
| Men's clothing stores | 1,113.7 | 1,249.8 | 1,323.5 | 1,324.1 | - | 1.0 |
| Women's clothing stores | 1,913.0 | 2,137.0 | 2,396.4 | 2,777.2 | + 15.9 | 2.1 |
| Family clothing stores | 1,275.1 | 1,487.1 | 1,575.4 | 1,867.4 | + 18.5 | 1.4 |
| Specialty shoe stores | 135.2 | 147.4 | 162.8 | 212.0 | + 30.2 | 0.2 |
| Family shoe stores | 882.4 | 967.8 | 1,008.3 | 1,075.8 | + 6.7 | 0.8 |
| Hardware stores | 887.6 | 984.0 | 1,046.5 | 1,157.6 | + 10.6 | 0.9 |
| Household furniture stores | 1,209.5 | 1,551.0 | 1,698.7 | 1,542.2 | - 9.2 | 1.2 |
| Household appliance stores | 381.9 | 487.4 | 453.0 | 527.4 | + 16.4 | 0.4 |
| Furniture, TV, radio and appliance stores | 510.0 | 669.8 | 831.5 | 1,144.9 | + 37.7 | 0.9 |
| Pharmacies, patent medicine and cosmetics stores | 3,913.7 | 4,294.0 | 4,727.2 | 5,356.6 | + 13.3 | 4.1 |
| Book and stationery stores | 465.9 | 513.8 | 565.3 | 715.4 | + 26.6 | 0.6 |
| Florists | 380.6 | 400.7 | 452.8 | 471.5 | + 4.1 | 0.4 |
| Jewellery stores | 822.5 | 837.9 | 867.1 | 932.0 | + 7.5 | 0.7 |
| Sporting goods and accessories stores | 1,289.9 | 1,401.1 | 1,640.5 | 1,868.3 | + 13.9 | 1.4 |
| Personal accessories stores | 1,378.5 | 1,416.6 | 1,559.3 | 1,719.4 | + 10.3 | 1.3 |
| All other stores | 11,876.6 | 12,642.2 | 13,379.8 | 14,442.3 | + 7.9 | 11.2 |
| Total | 97,638.5 | 106,243.0 | 116,079.9 | 129,446.3 | + 11.5 | 100.0 |
| Province or territory | | | | | | |
| Newfoundland | 1,761.2 | 1,970.5 | 2,071.1 | 2,254.1 | + 8.8 | 1.7 |
| Prince Edward Island | 412.4 | 471.7 | 520.7 | 547.5 | + 5.1 | 0.4 |
| Nova Scotia | 3,097.8 | 3,533.8 | 4,048.0 | 4,579.6 | + 13.1 | 3.5 |
| New Brunswick | 2,448.6 | 2,719.3 | 2,927.4 | 3,171.5 | + 8.3 | 2.5 |
| Quebec | 23,496.8 | 25,783.8 | 29,005.9 | 31,782.3 | + 9.6 | 24.6 |
| Ontario | 35,543.3 | 39,446.1 | 43,465.7 | 49,003.6 | + 12.7 | 37.9 |
| Manitoba | 3,830.0 | 4,099.9 | 4,513.7 | 5,200.8 | + 15.2 | 4.0 |
| Saskatchewan | 4,042.1 | 4,357.1 | 4,354.4 | 4,704.0 | + 8.0 | 3.6 |
| Alberta | 10,941.3 | 11,303.5 | 11,833.4 | 13,523.5 | + 14.3 | 10.4 |
| British Columbia | 11,766.2 | 12,256.9 | 13,004.6 | 14,303.6 | + 10.0 | 11.1 |
| Yukon and Northwest Territories | 298.8 | 300.3 | 334.8 | 375.8 | + 12.2 | 0.3 |

17.2 Sales of chain and independent stores, by kind of business, 1982-85

| Kind of business | Chain stores | | | Independent stores | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | 1982 \$'000,000 | 1983 \$'000,000 | Per- centage change 1982-83 | 1982 \$'000,000 | 1983 \$'000,000 | Per- centage change 1982-83 |
| Combination stores (groceries and meat) | 13,239.6 | 13,621.8 | + 2.9 | 6,666.6 | 7,405.6 | + 11.1 |
| Grocery, confectionery and sundries stores | 1,340.5 | 1,497.7 | + 11.7 | 3,597.8 | 3,712.0 | + 3.2 |
| All other food stores | 138.4 | 179.4 | + 29.6 | 1,807.6 | 1,869.4 | + 3.4 |
| Department stores | 10,208.1 | 10,930.5 | + 7.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| General merchandise stores | 1,677.2 | 1,825.4 | + 8.8 | 402.8 | 486.6 | + 20.8 |
| General stores | 733.5 | 752.5 | + 2.6 | 1,164.9 | 1,157.3 | - 0.7 |
| Variety stores | 882.4 | 943.3 | + 6.9 | 189.0 | 186.6 | - 1.3 |
| Motor vehicle dealers | 133.6 | 152.0 | + 13.8 | 14,279.4 | 17,046.0 | + 19.4 |
| Used car dealers | — | — | — | 461.5 | 501.1 | + 8.6 |
| Service stations | 1,784.3 | 1,808.9 | + 1.4 | 6,944.1 | 7,140.6 | + 2.8 |
| Garages | — | — | — | 1,376.2 | 1,345.8 | - 2.2 |
| Automotive parts and accessories stores | 130.3 | 155.3 | + 19.2 | 2,044.7 | 2,337.6 | + 14.3 |