

Retail Trade Indices (RTI). Base 2005

November 2011. *Provisional data*

Main results

- The **General Retail Trade Index** at constant prices registers an **interannual variation of -7.2% in November**, one tenth lower than that registered in October.
- The **average rate** of retail sector sales stands at -5.7% during the first eleven months of the year, as compared with the same period of 2010.
- **All of the distribution classes** decrease their sales as compared with November 2010.
- **Employment** in the retail sector **decreases 0.8%** interannually.
- **All Autonomous Communities** present negative interannual variations in their retail sales in November. Employment decreases in eleven of them.

Evolution of trade, in general and by type of product

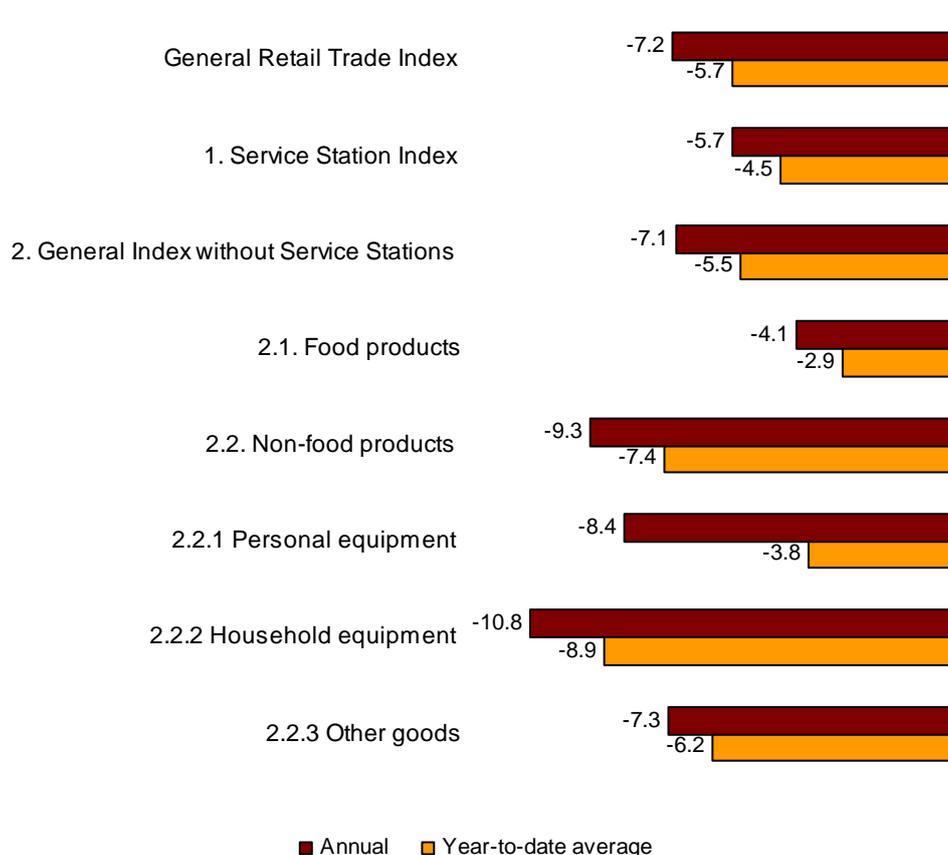
Sales in retail trade at constant prices (that is, after eliminating the prices effect) registered an interannual variation of -7.2% in November 2011, indicating a one tenth decrease, as compared with the rate from October.

Sales, excluding service stations, presented an annual rate of -7.1%. The breakdown of these sales by type of product showed a decrease in both food products (-4.1%) and non-food products (-9.3%). Among the latter, Household equipment (-10.8%) registered the greatest decrease.

In turn, sales in service stations, after adjusting the prices effect, decreased 5.7%, as compared with November 2010.

The average rate of the General Retail Trade Index during the first eleven months of the year presented a -5.7% variation, as compared with the same period last year. This rate stood one tenth below that registered in October.

**Annual and average rates at constant prices
General index and by type of product**



Evolution of trade, by distribution class

All of the distribution classes presented a decrease in sales in November, as compared with the same month last year. *Large chain stores* (-2.7%) presented the smallest decrease.

During the first eleven months of the year, the average sales had a negative variation in all distribution classes, as compared with the same period last year.

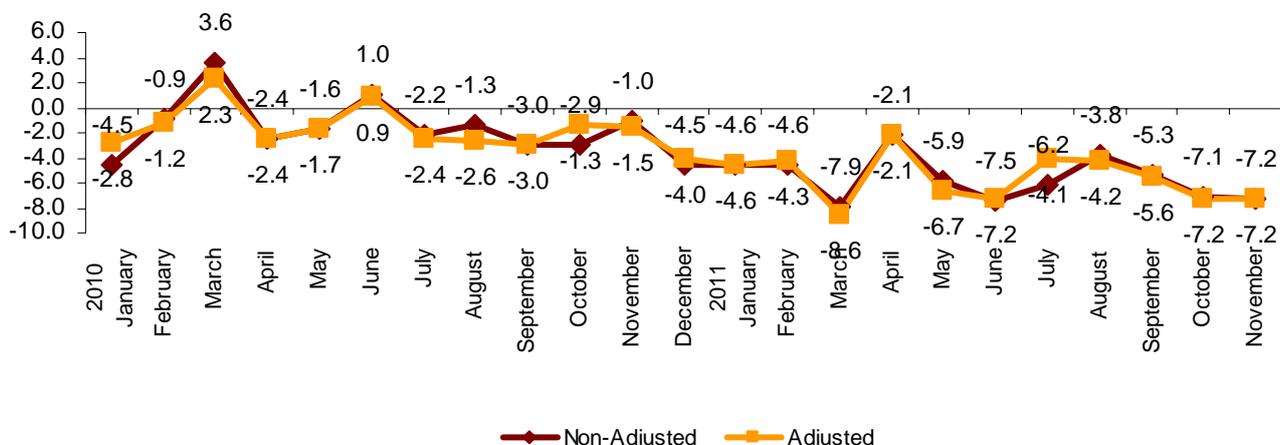
National Indices by distribution class

	Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	79.9	-7.2	-5.7
1. Service Station Index	88.4	-5.7	-4.5
2. General Index without Service Stations	80.0	-7.1	-5.5
2.1. Single retail stores	72.5	-8.3	-7.0
2.2. Small chain stores	72.7	-7.6	-7.2
2.3. Large chain stores	107.3	-2.7	-0.6
2.4. Department stores	75.4	-9.8	-7.0

Evolution of trade, adjusted for the calendar effect

The General Retail Trade Index was not affected by the calendar effect with an interannual rate of -7.2% , due to the fact that November 2011 had the same number of working days as the previous year. The interannual variation of the adjusted index was the same than that registered in October.

Annual evolution of the deflated RTI Adjusted and unadjusted general index



Evolution of employment, by distribution class

The employment index in the Retail Trade sector in October showed an annual rate of -0.8% , five tenths below that registered in October. Employment increased 0.2% in *Service stations*.

By distribution class, only *Large chain stores* registered a positive interannual rate, standing at 1.2% .

In the Retail Trade sector as a whole, average employment registered a rate of -0.4% in the first eleven months of the year, as compared with the same period the previous year.

Nacional Employment Indices

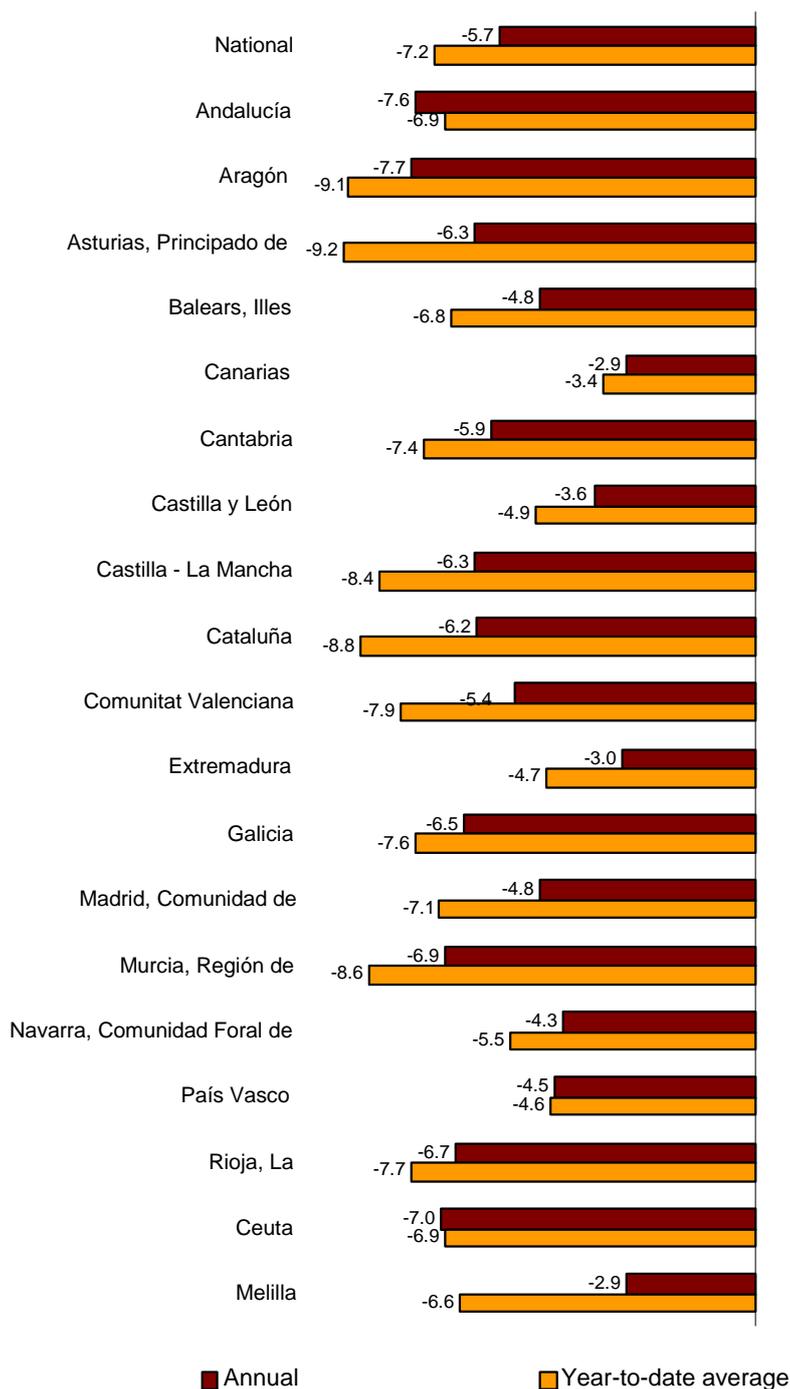
	Deflated Index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	97.2	-0.8	-0.4
1. Service Station Index	99.0	0.2	-0.4
2. General Index without Service Stations	97.1	-0.8	-0.4
2.1. Single retail stores	96.5	-0.4	0.1
2.2. Small chain stores	88.3	-3.1	-2.2
2.3. Large chain stores	113.8	1.2	1.3
2.4. Department stores	93.7	-3.2	-2.2

Results by Autonomous Community. Variation rates in sales

Retail sales decreased in the interannual rate in all Autonomous Communities. Principado de Asturias (−9.2%) and Aragón (−9.1%) registered the greatest decreases.

Canarias (−3.4%) was the Community that registered the smallest decreases.

**Annual and average rates at constant prices
General index by Autonomous Cities and Communities**

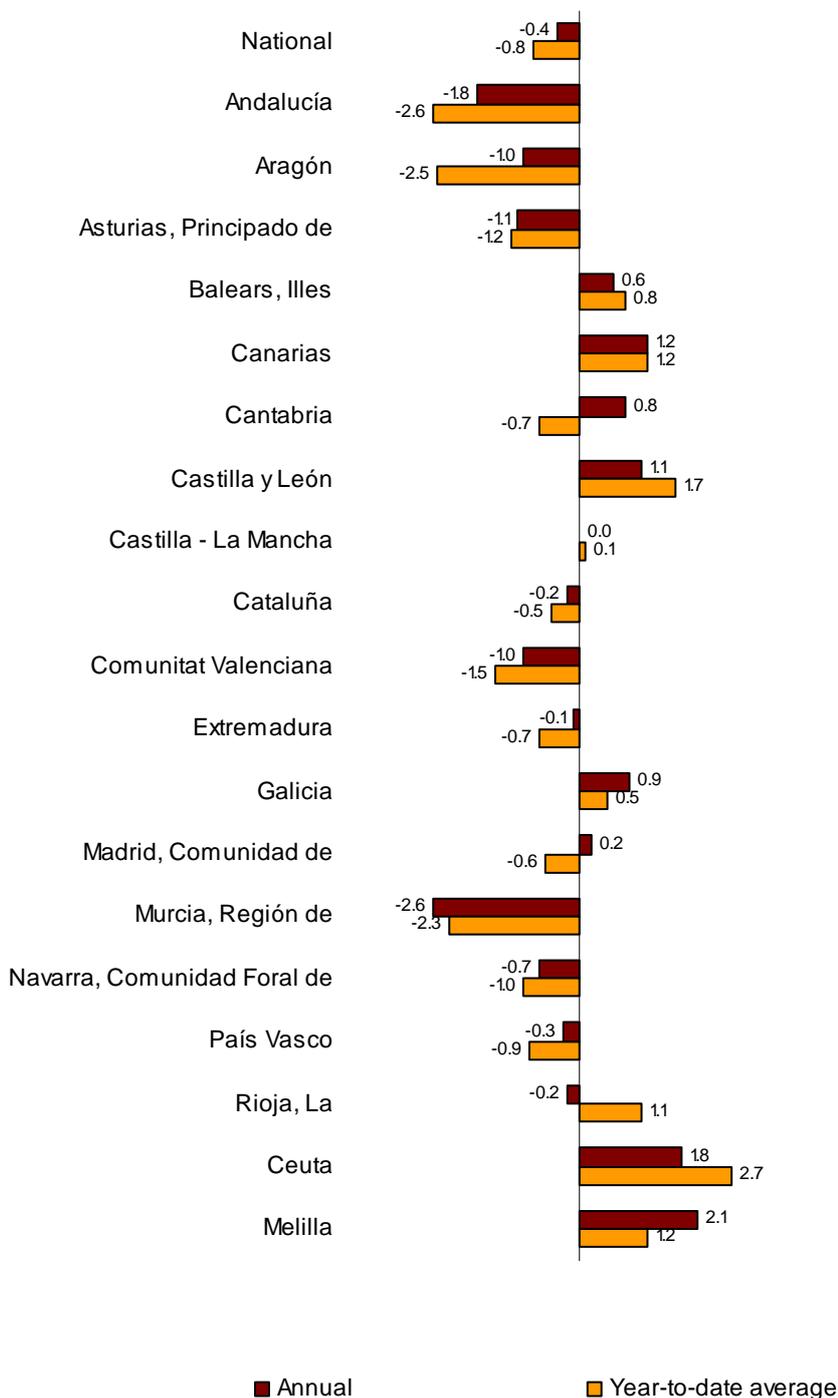


Results by Autonomous Community. Employment variation rates

Employment in retail trade decreased in eleven Autonomous Communities. Andalucía (-2.6%) and Aragón (-2.5%) presented the greatest decreases.

Castilla y León (1.7%) was the Community that presented the greatest increases in employment.

**Annual and average rates of the employment index
General index by Autonomous Cities and Communities**



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1. National indices

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	94.8	-3.7	-1.6	79.9	-7.2	-5.7
1. Service Station Index	125.2	7.5	11.1	88.4	-5.7	-4.5
2. General Index without Service Stations	92.4	-4.7	-2.7	80.0	-7.1	-5.5
2.1. Food products	105.9	-1.0	0.3	88.3	-4.1	-2.9
2.2. Non-food products	84.2	-7.4	-4.9	75.5	-9.3	-7.4
2.2.1 Personal equipment	87.7	-8.0	-3.6	78.4	-8.4	-3.8
2.2.2 Household equipment	71.5	-9.8	-7.9	63.6	-10.8	-8.9
2.2.3 Other goods	92.5	-5.3	-3.7	82.9	-7.3	-6.2

2. National Indices by distribution class

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	94.8	-3.7	-1.6	79.9	-7.2	-5.7
1. Service Station Index	125.2	7.5	11.1	88.4	-5.7	-4.5
2. General Index without Service Stations	92.4	-4.7	-2.7	80.0	-7.1	-5.5
2.1. Single retail stores	83.7	-6.0	-4.3	72.5	-8.3	-7.0
2.2. Small chain stores	84.0	-5.2	-4.4	72.7	-7.6	-7.2
2.3. Large chain stores	123.9	-0.2	2.3	107.3	-2.7	-0.6
2.4. Department stores	87.1	-7.5	-4.3	75.4	-9.8	-7.0

3. Department Store Indices

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
Department Store Index	87.1	-7.5	-4.3	75.4	-9.8	-7.0
1. Food products	92.4	-2.2	-0.9	77.0	-5.3	-4.0
2. Non-food products	84.5	-10.1	-5.9	75.8	-12.0	-8.3

4. National Indices. Adjusted for calendar effect

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	95.5	-3.7	-1.5	80.5	-7.2	-5.6
1. Service Station Index	125.7	7.5	11.1	88.8	-5.7	-4.4
2. General Index without Service Stations	93.1	-4.7	-2.6	80.7	-7.1	-5.4
2.1. Department Store Index	87.5	-7.5	-4.2	75.8	-9.8	-6.9

5. Annual rates of National indices

	General Retail Trade Index				General Index without Service Stations			
	Current Prices		Constant Prices		Current Prices		Constant Prices	
	Original	Adjusted ¹	Original	Adjusted ¹	Original	Adjusted ¹	Original	Adjusted ¹
2010 November	1.9	1.4	-1.0	-1.5	1.1	0.6	-0.7	-1.2
December	-0.6	-0.1	-4.5	-4.0	-1.7	-1.2	-3.9	-3.4
2011 January	-0.3	-0.3	-4.6	-4.6	-1.7	-1.7	-4.5	-4.5
February	0.1	0.4	-4.6	-4.3	-1.6	-1.4	-4.6	-4.3
March	-3.3	-4.0	-7.9	-8.6	-5.1	-5.8	-8.1	-8.8
April	2.7	2.7	-2.1	-2.1	1.8	1.8	-1.5	-1.5
March	-1.6	-2.3	-5.9	-6.7	-2.6	-3.3	-5.8	-6.6
June	-3.8	-3.4	-7.5	-7.2	-4.8	-4.4	-7.4	-7.0
July	-2.3	-0.1	-6.2	-4.1	-3.2	-1.0	-5.8	-3.5
August	-0.1	-0.4	-3.8	-4.2	-0.9	-1.2	-3.4	-3.8
September	-1.3	-1.6	-5.3	-5.6	-2.4	-2.7	-5.1	-5.4
October	-3.3	-3.4	-7.1	-7.2	-4.3	-4.4	-6.9	-7.0
November	-3.7	-3.7	-7.2	-7.2	-4.7	-4.7	-7.1	-7.1

¹ Index rates adjusted for calendar effects

6. National Employment Indices by distribution class

	Index	% variation on		
		Previous month	Same month	Year-to-date average
General Retail Trade Index	97.2	-0.1	-0.8	-0.4
1. Service Station Index	99.0	-0.8	0.2	-0.4
2. General Index without Service Stations	97.1	-0.1	-0.8	-0.4
2.1. Single retail stores	96.5	-0.5	-0.4	0.1
2.2. Small chain stores	88.3	-0.3	-3.1	-2.2
2.3. Large chain stores	113.8	0.9	1.2	1.3
2.4. Department stores	93.7	0.8	-3.2	-2.2

7. General Retail Trade Indices of Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
National total	94.8	-3.7	-1.6	79.9	-7.2	-5.7
Andalucía	90.1	-3.5	-3.5	76.0	-6.9	-7.6
Aragón	93.6	-5.4	-3.6	78.5	-9.1	-7.7
Asturias, Principado de	97.0	-5.6	-1.9	81.7	-9.2	-6.3
Balears, Illes	78.6	-3.4	-0.9	66.9	-6.8	-4.8
Canarias	93.9	-0.5	0.5	82.2	-3.4	-2.9
Cantabria	98.1	-3.9	-1.7	82.0	-7.4	-5.9
Castilla y León	103.4	-0.9	1.0	86.2	-4.9	-3.6
Castilla - La Mancha	97.0	-4.5	-1.6	81.3	-8.4	-6.3
Cataluña	96.0	-5.2	-2.1	80.3	-8.8	-6.2
Comunitat Valenciana	87.8	-4.4	-1.2	74.3	-7.9	-5.4
Extremadura	107.6	-1.0	1.2	90.9	-4.7	-3.0
Galicia	98.0	-4.0	-2.4	82.5	-7.6	-6.5
Madrid, Comunidad de	98.7	-3.5	-0.6	83.8	-7.1	-4.8
Murcia, Región de	92.2	-5.2	-2.9	76.9	-8.6	-6.9
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	100.9	-1.7	-0.3	85.3	-5.5	-4.3
País Vasco	100.3	-1.1	-0.6	84.0	-4.6	-4.5
Rioja, La	92.0	-3.7	-2.1	76.4	-7.7	-6.7
Ceuta	102.9	-3.9	-4.1	87.5	-6.9	-7.0
Melilla	109.5	-4.0	0.0	92.3	-6.6	-2.9

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

	Index	% variation		Deflated index	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average		Annual	Year-to-date average
National total	92.4	-4.7	-2.7	80.0	-7.1	-5.5
Andalucía	88.7	-5.1	-4.7	77.1	-7.3	-7.3
Aragón	93.4	-5.5	-4.0	80.0	-8.2	-6.9
Asturias, Principado de	96.1	-6.2	-2.4	83.0	-8.8	-5.7
Balears, Illes	78.0	-3.9	-1.5	68.4	-5.9	-3.9
Canarias	92.0	-1.1	-0.2	84.0	-2.0	-1.6
Cantabria	95.5	-5.3	-2.7	82.1	-7.5	-5.4
Castilla y León	100.5	-2.0	-0.3	85.8	-5.0	-3.6
Castilla - La Mancha	96.5	-5.3	-2.3	83.1	-8.2	-5.8
Cataluña	94.8	-6.0	-2.9	81.3	-8.5	-5.7
Comunitat Valenciana	85.9	-5.5	-2.3	74.8	-7.8	-5.0
Extremadura	102.6	-2.3	-0.5	89.0	-4.8	-3.3
Galicia	95.4	-5.2	-3.3	82.5	-7.7	-6.1
Madrid, Comunidad de	92.6	-4.7	-2.9	80.8	-7.2	-5.6
Murcia, Región de	91.5	-6.3	-3.7	78.5	-8.4	-6.0
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	96.7	-3.3	-2.6	83.7	-6.1	-5.3
País Vasco	98.3	-1.8	-1.2	84.2	-4.1	-4.0
Rioja, La	91.3	-3.8	-2.9	77.6	-6.9	-6.4
Ceuta	105.4	-4.0	-4.2	92.5	-6.2	-6.4
Melilla	107.6	-4.6	0.0	93.4	-6.3	-2.1

9. General Employment Indices of Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Index	% variation on		
		Previous month	Same month previous year	Year-to-date average
National total	97.2	-0.1	-0.8	-0.4
Andalucía	93.1	0.9	-2.6	-1.8
Aragón	95.2	-0.5	-2.5	-1.0
Asturias, Principado de	102.2	-0.6	-1.2	-1.1
Balears, Illes	92.4	-2.9	0.8	0.6
Canarias	96.2	0.8	1.2	1.2
Cantabria	104.2	-0.1	-0.7	0.8
Castilla y León	105.5	0.5	1.7	1.1
Castilla - La Mancha	98.2	-0.3	0.1	0.0
Cataluña	96.6	0.5	-0.5	-0.2
Comunitat Valenciana	95.4	0.6	-1.5	-1.0
Extremadura	100.5	-0.1	-0.7	-0.1
Galicia	103.0	0.1	0.5	0.9
Madrid, Comunidad de	97.9	-2.3	-0.6	0.2
Murcia, Región de	97.4	-0.2	-2.3	-2.6
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	98.2	-0.2	-1.0	-0.7
País Vasco	99.7	0.4	-0.9	-0.3
Rioja, La	98.3	-0.2	1.1	-0.2
Ceuta	104.3	-0.7	2.7	1.8
Melilla	103.6	-0.5	1.2	2.1

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

	Index	% variation on		
		Previous month	Same month previous year	Year-to-date average
National total	97.1	-0.1	-0.8	-0.4
Andalucía	93.3	0.9	-2.6	-1.7
Aragón	95.0	-0.4	-2.7	-1.1
Asturias, Principado de	102.5	-0.6	-1.4	-1.2
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Castilla - La Mancha	98.5	-0.3	0.0	0.0
Cataluña	96.5	0.6	-0.4	-0.2
Comunitat Valenciana	95.3	0.6	-1.6	-1.0
Extremadura	100.9	-0.1	-0.6	-0.1
Galicia	103.4	0.1	0.7	1.0
Madrid, Comunidad de	97.5	-2.4	-0.7	0.3
Murcia, Región de	97.5	-0.1	-2.4	-2.5
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	97.9	-0.2	-1.1	-0.8
País Vasco	99.5	0.4	-1.0	-0.3
Rioja, La	98.5	-0.2	1.1	0.1
Ceuta	104.6	-0.4	2.9	1.8
Melilla	103.9	-0.4	1.4	2.2

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