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■ Turnover in large-scale food retailing - March 2017

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Increase by 1.0% over the last three months

Over the last three months, the turnover in large-scale food retailing rose by 1.0% compared to the previous three months. Over that period, sales of automotive fuel shot up (+8.6%) buoyed above all by the fuel price increase. Sales also went up in non-food products (+2.0%) while they decreased moderately in food products (-0.5%). The turnover grew more in supermarkets (+1.5%) than in hypermarkets (+0.6%).

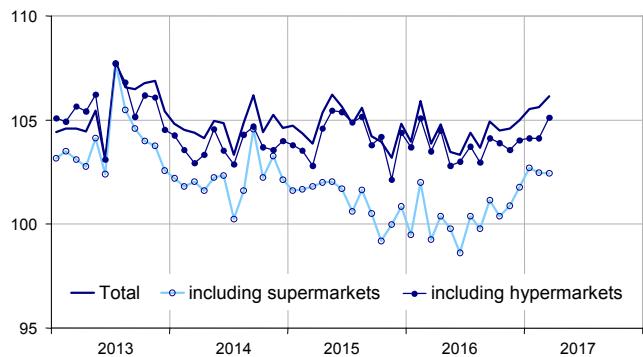
Growth by 1.1% over a year

The turnover of the past three months in large-scale food retailing rose over a year (+1.1%). On the one hand, sales of automotive fuel surged (+18.6%), boosted by the upturn in fuel prices. On the other hand, the turnover in food products declined (-1.1%) and shrank even more in non-food products (-3.1%).

Year on year, sales increased more sharply for supermarkets (+2.3%) than for hypermarkets (+0.3%).

Turnover in large-scale food retailing by type of retail stores

SA-WDA value, Base year 2010



Source: INSEE - Monthly survey of large-scale food retail activities (Emagsa)

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Kind of stores or kind of products	Variation en %				
	Mar/ Feb.	Feb./ Jan.	Jan./ Dec.	q-o-q (1)	y-o-y (2)
Turnover (*)	0.5	0.1	0.5	1.0	1.1
including					
Sales of food products(**)	0.7	0.4	-1.4	-0.5	-1.1
Sales of non-food products(**)	2.5	0.7	5.2	2.0	-3.1
Sales of automotive fuel(**)	-0.7	-3.6	7.5	8.6	18.6
including					
Supermarkets(***)	0.0	-0.2	0.9	1.5	2.3
Hypermarkets(***)	0.9	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.3

(1) Quarter-on-quarter: last three months / previous three months

(2) Year-on-year: last three months / same three months of previous year

(*) : including sales not in stores

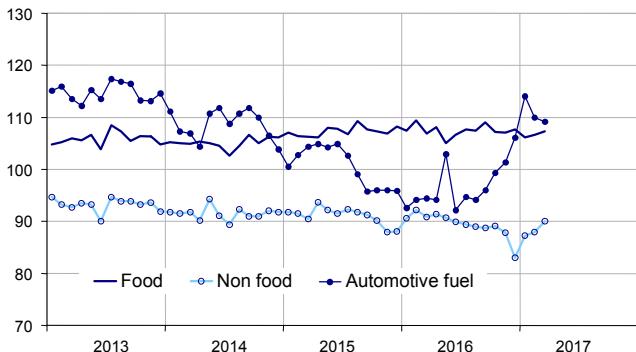
(**) : sold in supermarkets or hypermarkets

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Turnover in super and hypermarkets by type of products

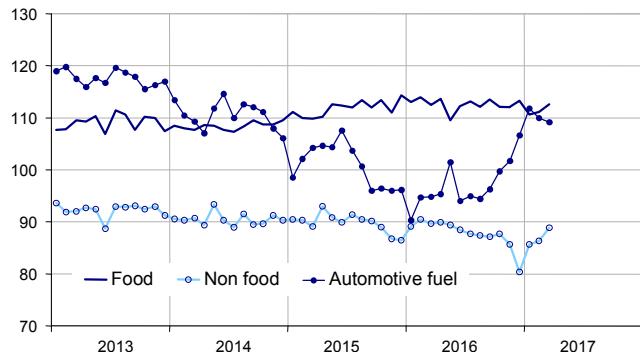
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Turnover by type of retail stores and type of products

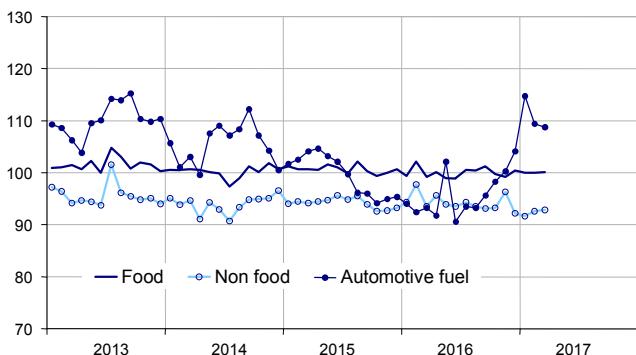
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Revisions of variations

in percentage point

	Feb./Jan.	Jan./Dec.	Dec./Nov.	Q4 2016/Q3 2016	2016/2015
Large-scale food retailing	0,08	0,02	0,10	0,20	0,02
Raw serie	-0,04	0,00	0,23	0,18	0,00
SA-WDA parameters	0,12	0,02	-0,13	0,02	0,02

How to read it: Within large scale food retailing, the SA-WDA variation between January and February 2017 is revised by 0.08 points.

Source: INSEE - Monthly survey of large-scale food retail activities (Emagsa)

Revisions

The variation in the turnover of large-scale food-retailing for February 2017 has been revised upwards by 0.1 points to +0.1% instead of 0.0% previously published. This revision is mainly due to the update of seasonal adjustment parameters.

For more information :

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