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## Retail Trade Turnover, Employment, Wages and Salaries and Hours worked Indexes October 2008

### Year on year rate in Retail trade turnover remained negative

In October 2008 the seasonally adjusted index for retail trade turnover at constant prices registered a year-on-year growth rate of -0.8% (-0.6% in September). Employment and wages and salaries presented year-on-year growth rates of 1.6% and 9.3%, respectively. The year-on-year growth rate of the number of hours worked, adjusted for working days, was 1.9%.