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# PRESS RELEASE EVOLUTION OF TURNOVER OF ENTERPRISES IN RETAIL TRADE SEPTEMBER – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2022

The Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) with this sectoral publication, presents in detail the evolution of the sales/turnover of all classes of activity of the retail trade section. Retail trade is the basic business model of the modern consumer supply chain, through the resale of material goods or services and the promotion of products for profit.

Therefore, retail trade has always been an important productive tertiary sector of the Greek economy with a significant contribution to the Gross Domestic Product.

In addition, monitoring the aggregates of the retail trade, leads to conclusions on the evolution of consumption (in terms of volume, characteristics, preferences and substitution of products) of the Greek society, the citizens and the enterprises of the country.

This current publication is part of the sequel of the Press Releases published by ELSTAT (<u>link PR</u>) since April 2020, incorporating the most recent data on turnover from Administrative Sources for **September and 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2022**.

In particular, ELSTAT announces a) quarterly data on turnover for <u>all enterprises</u> classified in the activity classes of the retail trade divisions and b) monthly data on turnover for <u>the enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping</u> classified in the activity classes of the retail trade divisions, for the total of Greece and per Region of Greece.

In addition, ELSTAT announces a) quarterly data on turnover for <u>all enterprises</u> classified in the activity classes of the retail trade divisions, <u>excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes</u> and b) monthly data on turnover for <u>the enterprises obliged to double-entry</u> <u>accounting bookkeeping</u> classified in the activity classes of the retail trade divisions, <u>excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes</u>, for the total of Greece and per Region of Greece.

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# 1. Total of Enterprises of Retail Trade

## Quarterly Data (Tables 1, 3)

For the total of enterprises in retail trade, the turnover in the **third quarter of 2022** amounted to 16.73 billion euro, recording an increase of 12.5% in comparison with the third quarter of 2021, when the respective turnover was 14.88 billion euro and an increase of 8.6% in comparison with the second quarter of 2022, when the respective turnover was 15.41 billion euro.

The activities that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in the **third quarter of 2022** compared with the corresponding quarter of 2021 are:

- Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores, increase 53.3%.
- Retail sale via stalls and markets of textiles, clothing and footwear, increase 43.7%.

The activity that recorded the <u>biggest decrease</u> in turnover in the **third quarter of 2022** compared with the corresponding quarter of 2021 is:

• Retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods in specialized stores, decrease 1.4%.

The Regions that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in the **third quarter of 2022** compared with the third quarter of 2021 are:

- Region of Notio Aigaio, increase 25.5%.
- Region of Ionia Nissia, increase 25.3%.

## 2. Enterprises in retail trade divisions obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping (Tables 2, 4)

For the **enterprises in retail trade divisions obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping**, for which data are available on a monthly base, the turnover in September 2022 amounted to 3.32 billion euro, recording an increase of 16.1% in comparison with September 2021, when the respective turnover was 2.86 billion euro and an increase of 3.0% in comparison with August 2022, when the respective turnover was 3.23 billion euro.

The activities that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in **September 2022** compared with September 2021 are:

- Retail sale of electrical household appliances in specialized stores, increase 46.1%.
- Sale of cars and light motor vehicles, increase 31.7%.

The Regions that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in **September 2022** compared with September 2021 are:

- Region of Notio Aigaio, increase 32.8%
- Region of Dytiki Makedonia, increase 25.2%.

The Regions that recorded the <u>biggest decrease</u> in turnover in **September 2022** compared with September 2021 are:

• Region of Kriti, decrease 1.3%

# 3. Enterprises in retail trade divisions, excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes<sup>1</sup> (Tables 1, 2, 3, 4)

For the **enterprises in retail trade divisions, excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes,** the turnover in the third quarter of 2022 amounted to 6.15 billion euro, recording an increase of 8.5% in comparison with the third quarter of 2021, when the respective turnover was 5.67 billion euro and an increase of 11.2% in comparison with the second quarter of 2022, when the respective turnover was 5.53 billion euro.

The Regions that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in the **third quarter of 2022** compared with the corresponding quarter of 2021 are:

- Region of Notio Aigaio, increase 24.9%.
- Region of Ionia Nissia, increase 21.5%.

For the **enterprises in retail trade divisions, excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes, obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping**, for which data are available on a monthly basis, the turnover in September 2022 amounted to 0.98 billion euro, recording an increase of 15.3% in comparison with September 2021, when the respective turnover was 0.85 billion euro and an increase of 7.1% in comparison with August 2022, when the respective turnover was 0.91 billion euro.

The Regions that recorded the <u>biggest increase</u> in turnover in **September 2022** compared with September 2021 are:

- Region of Voreio Aigaio, increase 48.6%.
- Region of Dytiki Makedonia, increase 45.8%.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Activity classes 4511, 4519, 4520, 4531, 4532, 4540, 4711, 4721, 4722, 4723, 4724, 4725, 4729, 4730 and 4781 are not included.

# Table 1: Turnover for the total of enterprises in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification)

				nover usand €)		Annual Rate of Change (%) 2022/2021		Quarterly Rate of Change (%) 3rd Quarter / 2nd Quarter	
Code NACE Rev.2	Description	2nd Quarter 2021	3rd Quarter 2021	2nd Quarter 2022	3rd Quarter 2022	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	2021	2022
4511	Sale of cars and light motor vehicles	1,518,535	1,246,453	1,689,563	1,586,280	11.3	27.3	-17.9	-6.1
4519	Sale of other motor vehicles	125,626	105,201	109,856	106,235	-12.6	1.0	-16.3	-3.3
4520	Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	249,937	272,879	289,261	304,349	15.7	11.5	9.2	5.2
4531	Wholesale trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories	405,994	435,264	460,829	474,634	13.5	9.0	7.2	3.0
4532	Retail trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories	107,110	117,962	118,590	127,773	10.7	8.3	10.1	7.7
4540	Sale, maintenance and repair of motorcycles and related parts and accessories	166,078	155,367	201,232	183,238	21.2	17.9	-6.4	-8.9
4711	Retail sale in non-specialized stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	3,829,813	4,171,630	4,108,031	4,616,258	7.3	10.7	8.9	12.4
4719	Other retail sale in non-specialized stores	540,155	***	579,014	652,961	7.2	***	***	12.8
4721	Retail sale of fruit and vegetables in specialized stores	106,627	120,522	***	***	***	***	13.0	***
4722	Retail sale of meat and meat products in specialized stores	279,916	***	303,697	326,172	8.5	***	***	7.4
4723	Retail sale of fish, crustaceans and molluscs in specialized stores	51,577	62,029	54,716	66,969	6.1	8.0	20.3	22.4
4724	Retail sale of bread, cakes, flour confectionery and sugar confectionery in specialized stores	131,742	161,646	158,529	187,561	20.3	16.0	22.7	18.3
4725	Retail sale of beverages in specialized stores	37,585	51,563	46,121	57,667	22.7	11.8	37.2	25.0
4726	Retail sale of tobacco products in specialized stores	50,577	55,899	52,751	60,857	4.3	8.9	10.5	15.4
4729	Other retail sale of food in specialized stores	120,916	121,053	128,154	129,748	6.0	7.2	0.1	1.2
4730	Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialized stores	1,534,567	1,877,590	2,076,264	2,267,144	35.3	20.7	22.4	9.2
4741	Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software in specialized stores	214,726	***	230,841	290,450	7.5	***	***	25.8
4742	Retail sale of telecommunications equipment in specialized stores	130,781	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
4743	Retail sale of audio and video equipment in specialized stores	15,485	17,528	15,447	19,256	-0.2	9.9	13.2	24.7
4751	Retail sale of textiles in specialized stores	90,779	96,604	95,639	100,777	5.4	4.3	6.4	5.4
4752	Retail sale of hardware, paints and glass in specialized stores	378,250	373,104	440,430	431,617	16.4	15.7	-1.4	-2.0
4753	Retail sale of carpets, rugs, wall and floor coverings in specialized stores	8,965	***	10,495	11,389	17.1	***	***	8.5
4754	Retail sale of electrical household appliances in specialized stores	310,899	***	290,202	380,744	-6.7	***	***	31.2
4759	Retail sale of furniture, lighting equipment and other household articles in specialized stores	204,779	222,600	224,950	244,893	9.9	10.0	8.7	8.9

## Table 1: Turnover for the total of enterprises in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) (continue)

				nover usand €)	-	Rate of C	nual hange (%) /2021	Quarterly Rate of Change (%) 3rd Quarter / 2nd Quarter	
Code NACE Rev.2	Description	2nd Quarter 2021	3rd Quarter 2021	2nd Quarter 2022	3rd Quarter 2022	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	2021	2022
4761	Retail sale of books in specialized stores	38,265	62,185	40,340	66,439	5.4	6.8	62.5	64.7
4762	Retail sale of newspapers and stationery in specialized stores	30,709	42,510	34,119	48,011	11.1	12.9	38.4	40.7
4763	Retail sale of music and video recordings in specialized stores	2,000	2,540	2,553	***	27.7	***	27.0	***
4764	Retail sale of sporting equipment in specialized stores	174,572	180,386	180,680	192,663	3.5	6.8	3.3	6.6
4765	Retail sale of games and toys in specialized stores	208,665	228,758	228,851	256,547	9.7	12.1	9.6	12.1
4771	Retail sale of clothing in specialized stores	648,094	804,725	798,274	858,464	23.2	6.7	24.2	7.5
4772	Retail sale of footwear and leather goods in specialized stores	114,622	121,895	134,414	144,441	17.3	18.5	6.3	7.5
4773	Dispensing chemist in specialized stores	1,023,082	1,033,825	1,060,422	1,062,179	3.6	2.7	1.1	0.2
4774	Retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods in specialized stores	33,380	30,806	31,052	30,389	-7.0	-1.4	-7.7	-2.1
4775	Retail sale of cosmetic and toilet articles in specialized stores	169,870	272,547	245,833	333,166	44.7	22.2	60.4	35.5
4776	Retail sale of flowers, plants, seeds, fertilisers, pet animals and pet food in specialized stores	155,027	115,028	171,766	133,105	10.8	15.7	-25.8	-22.5
4777	Retail sale of watches and jewellery in specialised stores	79,137	140,471	112,614	171,096	42.3	21.8	77.5	51.9
4778	Other retail sale of new goods in specialized stores	178,106	252,831	242,009	323,961	35.9	28.1	42.0	33.9
4779	Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores	3,224	3,185	4,219	4,883	30.9	53.3	-1.2	15.7
4781	Retail sale via stalls and markets of food, beverages and tobacco products	26,013	24,244	29,900	27,288	14.9	12.6	-6.8	-8.7
4782	Retail sale via stalls and markets of textiles, clothing and footwear	1,907	1,959	2,172	2,816	13.9	43.7	2.7	29.7
4789	Retail sale via stalls and markets of other goods	9,179	10,012	10,665	11,695	16.2	16.8	9.1	9.7
4791	Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	224,978	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
4799	Other retail sale not in stores, stalls or markets	29,001	30,284	33,012	35,876	13.8	18.5	4.4	8.7
	Total without vehicles, food and fuel classes <sup>(1)</sup>	5,069,214	5,667,933	5,533,032	6,151,976	9.1	8.5	11.8	11.2
	Total		14,875,374	15,410,304	16,733,972	12.0	12.5	8.1	8.6

<sup>&</sup>lt;u>Notes</u>:

<sup>-</sup> The table and the total include the turnover of the economic class "4531: Wholesale trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories", given that several enterprises classified in this class have as secondary activity retail trade and in order to present all classes of division "45: Wholesale and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles".

<sup>-</sup> Enterprises with single-entry accounting bookkeeping are obliged to submit data to tax authorities on a quarterly basis, while enterprises with double-entry accounting bookkeeping are obliged to submit data on a monthly basis. Therefore, for the total of enterprises, data are available only on a quarterly basis.

<sup>(\*\*\*)</sup> Extraordinary transactions were recorded in the data. Therefore, they are not published as they are not comparable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> In the "Total without vehicles, food and fuel classes" the economic activities 4511, 4519, 4520, 4531, 4532, 4540, 4711, 4721, 4722, 4723, 4724, 4725, 4729, 4730 and 4781 are not included.

## Table 2: Turnover for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification)

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY				NOVER usand €)	Rate of C	nual hange (%) /2021	Monthly Rate of Change (%) September/ August		
Code NACE Rev.2	Description	August 2021	September 2021	August 2022	September 2022	August	September	2021	2022
4511	Sale of cars and light motor vehicles	323,072	370,967	460,557	488,742	42.6	31.7	14.8	6.1
4519	Sale of other motor vehicles	21,530	27,968	22,803	29,409	5.9	5.2	29.9	29.0
4520	Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	16,886	22,405	20,399 <sup>\$</sup>	27,089 <sup>\$</sup>	20.8 <sup>\$</sup>	20.9 <sup>*</sup>	32.7	32.8
4531	Wholesale trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories	86,561	120,068	99,575	134,999	15.0	12.4	38.7	35.6
4532	Retail trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
4540	Sale, maintenance and repair of motorcycles and related parts and accessories	25,794	36,506	29,763	46,178	15.4	26.5	41.5	55.2
4711	Retail sale in non-specialized stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating	1,148,482	1,125,681	1,283,534	1,244,218	11.8	10.5	-2.0	-3.1
4719	Other retail sale in non-specialized stores	49,451	51,127	57,950	53,136	17.2	3.9	3.4	-8.3
4721	Retail sale of fruit and vegetables in specialized stores	9,495	7,933	***	***	***	***	-16.5	***
4722	Retail sale of meat and meat products in specialized stores	23,439	***	28,011 <sup>*</sup>	27,564 <sup>*</sup>	19.5 <sup>*</sup>	***	***	-1.6
4723	Retail sale of fish, crustaceans and molluscs in specialized stores	3,432	3,217	4,014 <sup>*</sup>	3,293 <sup>*</sup>	17.0 <sup>\$</sup>	2.4 <sup>*</sup>	-6.3	-18.0
4724	Retail sale of bread, cakes, flour confectionery and sugar confectionery in specialized stores	9,812	9,739	11,239	11,403	14.5	17.1	-0.7	1.5
4725	Retail sale of beverages in specialized stores	4,519	4,608	5,259	4,725	16.4	2.5	2.0	-10.2
4726	Retail sale of tobacco products in specialized stores	2,305	2,083	3,165 <sup>*</sup>	2,880 <sup>\$</sup>	37.3 <sup>*</sup>	38.3 <sup>*</sup>	-9.6	-9.0
4729	Other retail sale of food in specialized stores	10,667	12,692	11,841	13,432	11.0	5.8	19.0	13.4
4730	Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialized stores	254,143	236,501	313,755	291,378	23.5	23.2	-6.9	-7.1
4741	Retail sale of computers, peripheral units and software in specialized stores	69,883	86,228	84,331	108,286	20.7	25.6	23.4	28.4
4742	Retail sale of telecommunications equipment in specialized stores	26,395	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
4743	Retail sale of audio and video equipment in specialized stores	3,147	3,259	3,800 <sup>\$</sup>	4,643 <sup>\$</sup>	20.7 <sup>*</sup>	42.5 <sup>*</sup>	3.6	22.2
4751	Retail sale of textiles in specialized stores	2,440	2,750	2,318 <sup>**</sup>	2,610**	-5.0**	-5.1 <sup>**</sup>	12.7	12.6
4752	Retail sale of hardware, paints and glass in specialized stores	37,047	46,655	45,342	57,019	22.4	22.2	25.9	25.8
4753	Retail sale of carpets, rugs, wall and floor coverings in specialized stores	955	***	1,070	2,262	12.0	***	***	111.4
4754	Retail sale of electrical household appliances in specialized stores	78,289	77,082	99,031	112,646	26.5	46.1	-1.5	13.7
4759	Retail sale of furniture, lighting equipment and other household articles in specialized stores	35,990	46,616	45,226	49,203	25.7	5.5	29.5	8.8

Table 2: Turnover for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) (continue)

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY		TURNOVER (in thousand €)				Annual Rate of Change (%) 2022/2021		Monthly Rate of Change (%) September/ August	
Code NACE Rev.2	Description	August 2021	September 2021	August 2022	September 2022	August	September	2021	2022
4761	Retail sale of books in specialized stores	5,358	8,238	5,889	9,326 <sup>*</sup>	9.9	13.2 <sup>*</sup>	53.8	58.4 <sup>*</sup>
4762	Retail sale of newspapers and stationery in specialized stores	2,249	2,738	2,720	3,098	20.9	13.1	21.7	13.9
4763	Retail sale of music and video recordings in specialized stores	54	74	63	75	16.7	1.4	37.0	19.0
4764	Retail sale of sporting equipment in specialized stores	39,117	42,627	41,958	45,390	7.3	6.5	9.0	8.2
4765	Retail sale of games and toys in specialized stores	66,384	75,096	82,258	81,463	23.9	8.5	13.1	-1.0
4771	Retail sale of clothing in specialized stores	143,380	160,082	166,042	175,805	15.8	9.8	11.6	5.9
4772	Retail sale of footwear and leather goods in specialized stores	19,035	15,732	24,720	20,263	29.9	28.8	-17.4	-18.0
4773	Dispensing chemist in specialized stores	31,375	34,353	37,648 <sup>*</sup>	39,457 <sup>*</sup>	20.0 <sup>\$</sup>	14.9 <sup>*</sup>	9.5	4.8
4774	Retail sale of medical and orthopaedic goods in specialized stores	3,076	3,634	***	***	***	***	18.1	***
4775	Retail sale of cosmetic and toilet articles in specialized stores	78,889	75,156	100,221	88,780	27.0	18.1	-4.7	-11.4
4776	Retail sale of flowers, plants, seeds, fertilisers, pet animals and pet food in specialized stores	6,570	7,482	7,447*	9,201*	13.3 <sup>*</sup>	23.0 <sup>*</sup>	13.9	23.6
4777	Retail sale of watches and jewellery in specialised stores	23,005	21,541	28,593	25,808	24.3	19.8	-6.4	-9.7
4778	Other retail sale of new goods in specialized stores	13,219	12,267	16,980 <sup>\$</sup>	15,900 <sup>\$</sup>	28.5 <sup>*</sup>	29.6 <sup>*</sup>	-7.2	-6.4
4779	Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores	145	212	***	***	***	***	46.2	***
4781	Retail sale via stalls and markets of food, beverages and tobacco products	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
4782	Retail sale via stalls and markets of textiles, clothing and footwear	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
4789	Retail sale via stalls and markets of other goods	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
4791	Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	27,491	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
4799	Other retail sale not in stores, stalls or markets	1,125	1,552	1,329 <sup>\$</sup>	1,724 <sup>\$</sup>	18.1 <sup>*</sup>	11.1 <sup>*</sup>	38.0	29.7
	Total without vehicles, food and fuel classes <sup>(1)</sup>	766,376	849,024	914,243	978,910	19.3	15.3	10.8	7.1
	Total	2,714,413	2,862,821	3,225,286	3,322,425	18.8	16.1	5.5	3.0

Notes:

The table and the total include the turnover of the economic class "4531: Wholesale trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories", given that several enterprises classified in this class have as secondary activity retail trade and in order to present all classes of division "45: Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles".

(\*) Data are not published due to statistical confidentiality reasons and regarding the protection of the identity of the reporting enterprises.

(\*\*\*) Extraordinary transactions were recorded in the data. Therefore, they are not published as they are not comparable.

\* It includes the turnover of enterprises that changed the submission of data to tax authorities from a <u>quarterly basis</u> to a <u>monthly basis</u>.

\*\* It includes the turnover of enterprises that changed the submission of data to tax authorities from a monthly basis to a guarterly basis.

(1) In the "Total without vehicles, food and fuel classes" the economic activities 4511, 4519, 4520, 4531, 4532, 4540, 4711, 4721, 4722, 4723, 4724, 4725, 4729, 4730 and 4781 are not included.

Table 3: Turnover (in thousand €) for the Total of Retail Trade and for the Total of Retail Trade excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes, per Region of Greece.

REGION / REGIONAL UNIT	for	TURNOVER the Total of Retail Tı (in thousand €)	rade	TURNOVER for the Total of Retail Trade excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes <sup>(1)</sup> (in thousand €)				
	3rd Quarter 2021	3rd Quarter 2022	3rd Quarter 2022/2021 (%)	3rd Quarter 2021	3rd Quarter 2022	3rd Quarter 2022/2021 (%)		
REGION OF ANATOLIKI MAKEDONIA, THRAKI	444,008	492,956	11.0	184,243	196,142	6.5		
REGION OF KENTRIKI MAKEDONIA	2,135,934	2,334,219	9.3	628,766	662,922	5.4		
Regional Unit of Thessaloniki	1,544,867	1,672,071	8.2	382,878	398,593	4.1		
REGION OF DYTIKI MAKEDONIA	179,535	200,298	11.6	74,982	82,614	10.2		
REGION OF IPEIROS	276,663	301,351	8.9	113,415	119,464	5.3		
REGION OF THESSALIA	489,325	529,951	8.3	216,581	226,342	4.5		
REGION OF STEREA ELLADA	372,990	399,723	7.2	173,834	181,551	4.4		
REGION OF IONIA NISSIA	328,516	411,698	25.3	126,555	153,749	21.5		
REGION OF DYTIKI ELLADA	476,321	517,676	8.7	204,265	215,141	5.3		
REGION OF PELOPONNISOS	488,553	537,389	10.0	197,348	209,197	6.0		
REGION OF ATTIKI	8,085,775	9,152,494	13.2	3,085,120	3,315,705	7.5		
REGION OF VOREIO AIGAIO	172,137	190,850	10.9	80,807	90,768	12.3		
REGION OF NOTIO AIGAIO	640,117	803,461	25.5	275,789	344,473	24.9		
REGION OF KRITI	785,500	861,905	9.7	306,228	353,906	15.6		
Total	14,875,374	16,733,972	12.5	5,667,933	6,151,976	8.5		

#### Notes:

In the table the Regional Unit of Thessaloniki is presented separately.

<sup>(1)</sup> In the "Total of Retail Trade, excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes" the economic activities 4511, 4519, 4520, 4531, 4532, 4540, 4711, 4721, 4722, 4723, 4724, 4725, 4729, 4730 and 4781 are not included.

Table 4: Turnover (in thousand €) for the Total or Retail Trade and for the Total of Retail Trade excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes, for all enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping, per Region of Greece.

REGION / REGIONAL UNIT	for t	TURNOVER the Total of Retail Tr (in thousand €)	ade	TURNOVER for the Total of Retail Trade excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes <sup>(1)</sup> (in thousand €)				
	September 2021	September 2022	September 2022/2021 (%)	September 2021	September 2022	September 2022/2021 (%)		
REGION OF ANATOLIKI MAKEDONIA, THRAKI	33,989	40,859	20.2	11,642	13,379	14.9		
REGION OF KENTRIKI MAKEDONIA	368,904	414,158	12.3	49,360	57,201 <sup>\$</sup>	15.9 <sup>\$</sup>		
Regional Unit of Thessaloniki	336,629	376,598	11.9	36,229	40,964 <sup>\$</sup>	13.1 <sup>\$</sup>		
REGION OF DYTIKI MAKEDONIA	13,605	17,038	25.2	3,721	5,425	45.8		
REGION OF IPEIROS	22,874	24,811	8.5	6,077	6,393	5.2		
REGION OF THESSALIA	38,387	42,466 <sup>\$</sup>	10.6 <sup>*</sup>	14,995	15,190 <sup>\$</sup>	1.3 <sup>*</sup>		
REGION OF STEREA ELLADA	23,120	25,533	10.4	10,738	13,753 <sup>\$</sup>	28.1 <sup>\$</sup>		
REGION OF IONIA NISSIA	24,253	26,578	9.6	6,519	7,640 <sup>\$</sup>	17.2 <sup>\$</sup>		
REGION OF DYTIKI ELLADA	34,727	40,812 <sup>\$</sup>	17.5 <sup>*</sup>	8,220	10,081 <sup>\$</sup>	22.6 <sup>*</sup>		
REGION OF PELOPONNISOS	28,501	32,823 <sup>\$</sup>	15.2 <sup>*</sup>	5,201	5,898 <sup>\$</sup>	13.4 <sup>\$</sup>		
REGION OF ATTIKI	2,113,789	2,479,380	17.3	686,949	785,854	14.4		
REGION OF VOREIO AIGAIO	12,178	14,136	16.1	4,715	7,005	48.6		
REGION OF NOTIO AIGAIO	50,469	67,042	32.8	12,772	18,283 <sup>\$</sup>	43.2 <sup>*</sup>		
REGION OF KRITI	98,024	96,786	-1.3	28,113	32,808	16.7		
Total	2,862,821	3,322,425	16.1	849,024	978,910	15.3		

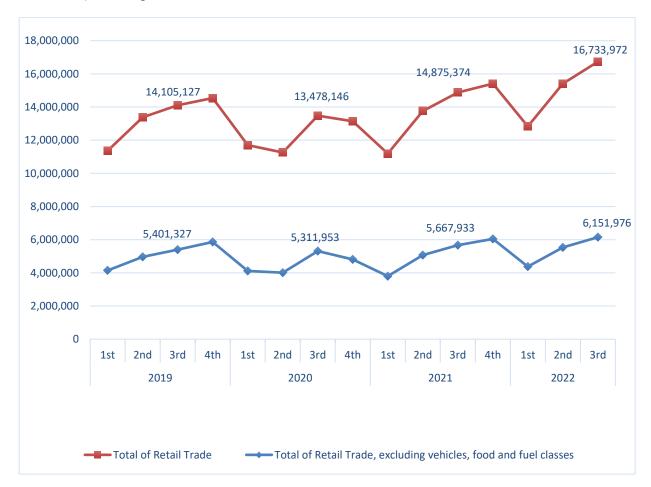
## Notes:

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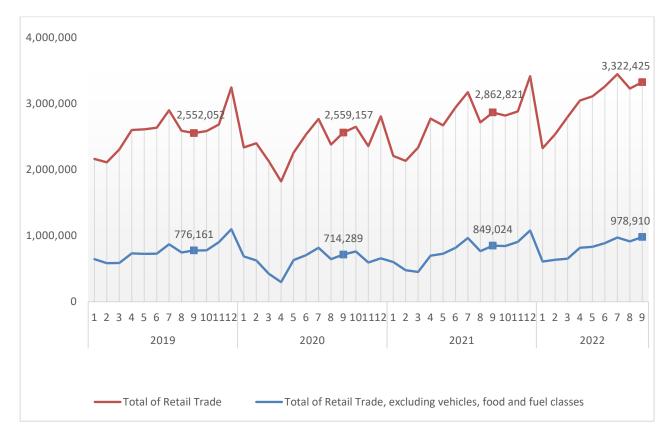
(1) In the "Total of Retail Trade, excluding vehicle, food and fuel classes" the economic activities 4511, 4519, 4520, 4531, 4532, 4540, 4711, 4721, 4722, 4723, 4724, 4725, 4729, 4730 and 4781 are not included.

\* It includes the turnover of enterprises that changed the submission of data to tax authorities from a <u>quarterly basis</u> to a <u>monthly basis</u>.

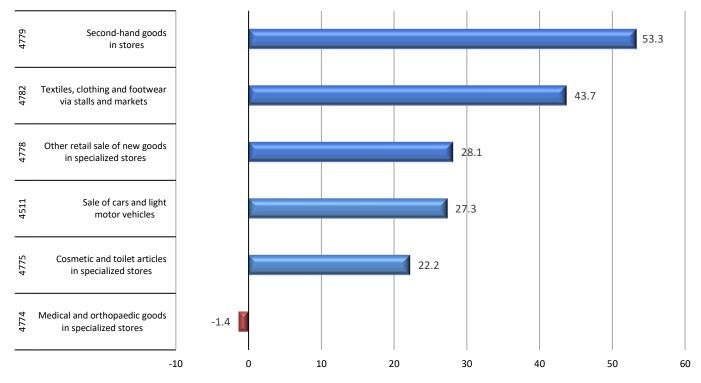
**Graph 1:** Turnover (in thousand euro) for the total of enterprises in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) and for the total of enterprises in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification), excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes.



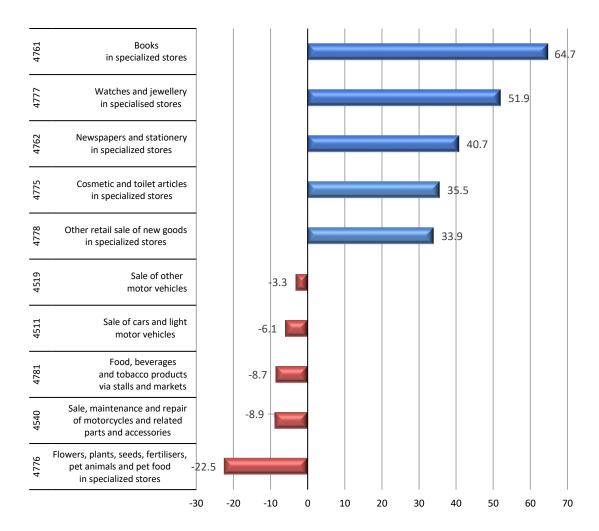
**Graph 2:** Turnover (in thousand euro) for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) and for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification), excluding vehicles, food and fuel classes



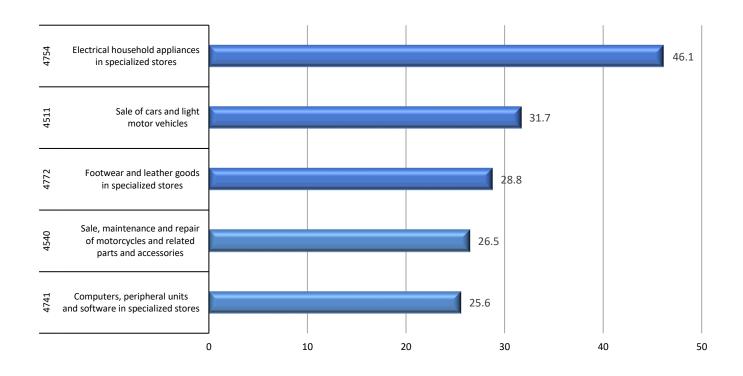
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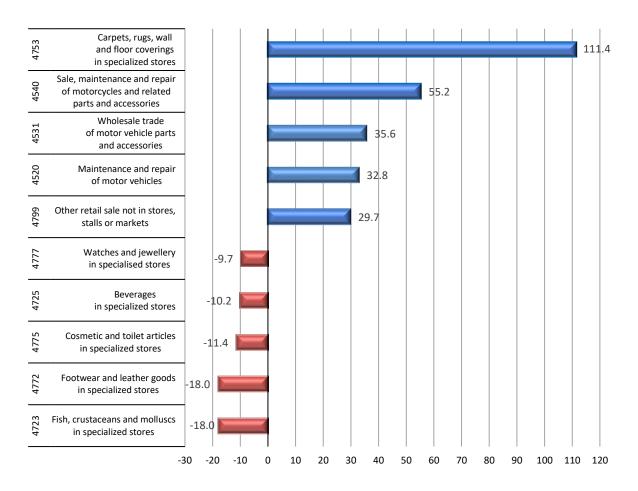
Graph 4: Biggest changes (%) for the total of enterprises classified in the activity classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev. 2 classification) 3rd Quarter 2022 / 2nd Quarter 2022



**Graph 5**: Biggest changes (%) for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) **September 2022 / September 2021** 



**Graph 6:** Biggest changes (%) for the total of enterprises obliged to double-entry accounting bookkeeping in all classes of the retail trade divisions (divisions 45 and 47 of NACE Rev.2 classification) **September 2022 / August 2022** 



## **METHODOLOGICAL NOTES**

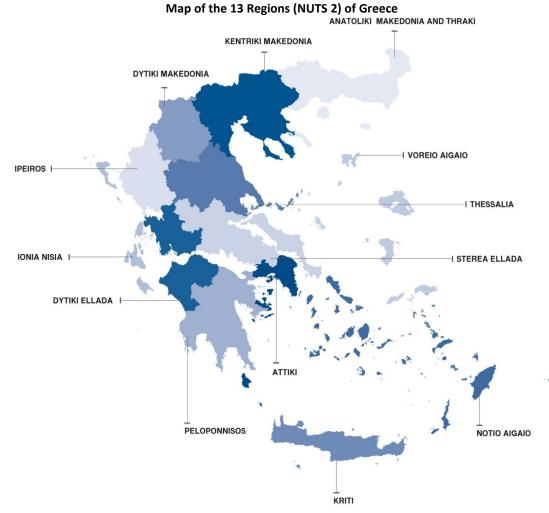
**Generally** The statistical data presented in this Press Release have been compiled on the basis of the linking and processing of primary data from the following sources:

- The final Statistical Business Register of ELSTAT, of the reference year 2019.
- Administrative transactions files (tax, etc) of the reference years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

In particular, the following primary data have been used per source:

- Active enterprises and the economic activity class according to the final Statistical Business Register of ELSTAT of the reference year 2019.
- Income data from administrative transactions files of the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

**Statistical** For the economic activities, the European statistical classification of economic activities <u>NACE Rev. 2</u> is used. **classifications** 



**Reference Period** September – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2022

Statistical unit The statistical unit is the legal unit (distinct TIN – Tax Identification Numbers).

**Comparability** The announced statistical data are comparable with the data of the final Statistical Business Register of ELSTAT, of the reference year 2019 (relevant link from the webpage of ELSTAT, where tables and information on the methodology applied are provided <u>Statistical Business Register</u>).

**References** Analytical tables are available under ELSTAT's website (<u>www.statistics.gr</u>) at the following link: <u>https://www.statistics.gr/en/statistics/-/publication/SBR04/-</u>