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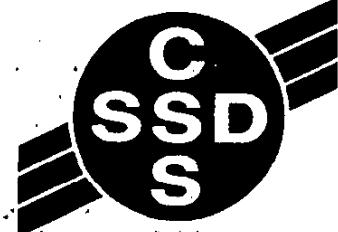
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GROOTHANDELVERKOPE NEEM TOE VIR 1995

Die totale waarde van groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir die jaar 1995 bedra R196 495,6 miljoen, wat 17,4% hoër is as vir 1994. Dit verteenwoordig 'n toename van 7,4% in reële terme (teen konstante 1990-pryse).

Die groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Desember 1995 bedra R16 896,3 miljoen, wat na seisoenaanpassing 3,1% hoër is as vir November 1995. Groothandelaars in diverse goedere, wat die grootste markaandeel het, toon die grootste persentasie toename (+9,9%) in hul seisoensaangepaste verkope. Afnames in seisoensaangepaste verkope het voorgekom by groothandelaars in kantoor- en winkeltoerusting, boeke en skryfbehoeftes (-6,9%) en groothandelaars in farmaseutiese en chemiese produktes (-2,0%).

Die waarde van groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Desember 1995 is 1,2% hoër as die verwagte verkope vir Desember 1995 soos deur die groothandelaars in die vooruitsig gestel (kyk statistiese vrystelling P6141.1 van 25 Januarie 1996).

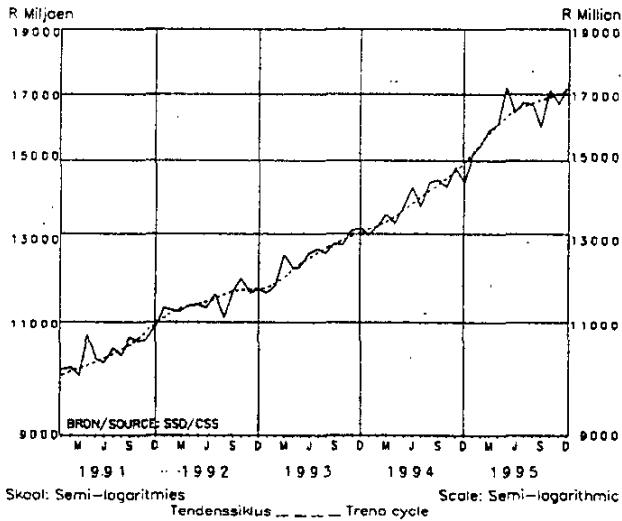
WHOLESALE TRADE SALES INCREASE FOR 1995

The total value of wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for the year 1995 amounts to R196 495,6 million, which is 17,4% higher than for 1994. This represents an increase of 7,4% in real terms (at constant 1990 prices).

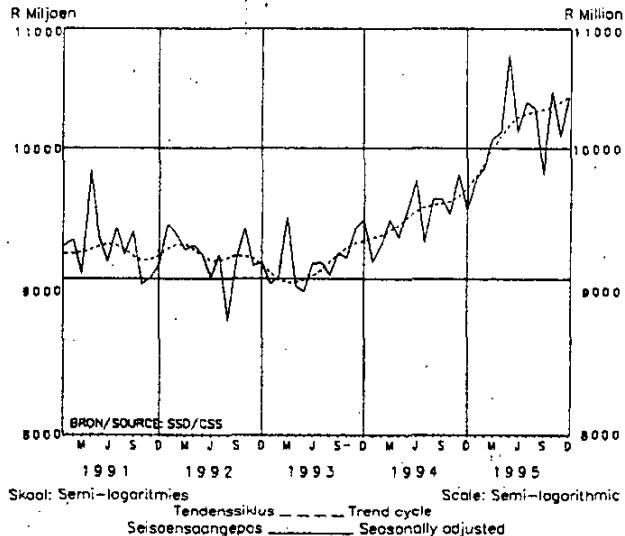
The wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for December 1995 amount to R16 896,3 million, which is 3,1% higher than for November 1995 after seasonal adjustment. Wholesalers in miscellaneous goods, which have the largest market share, reflect the largest percentage increase (+9,9%) in their seasonally adjusted sales. Decreases in seasonally adjusted sales occurred in respect of wholesalers in office and shop equipment, books and stationery (-6,9%) and wholesalers in pharmaceutical and chemical products (-2,0%).

The value of wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for December 1995 is 1,2% higher than the expected sales for December 1995 as foreseen by the wholesalers (see statistical release P6141.1 of 25 January 1996).

**CROOTHANDELVERKOPE
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Tydperk - Period	Verkope - (Diamante uitgesluit) Sales - (Excluding diamonds)		Percentasieverandering van verkope Percentage change of sales	
	Teen heersende prys At current prices	Teen konstante 1990-pryse At constant 1990 prices	Teen heersende pryse At current prices	Teen konstante 1990-pryse At constant 1990 prices
	R. Milj./Mill.			
Werklike waardes/Actual values				
Okt./Okt. 1995 - Des./Dec. 1995	53 267,2	32 196,0	+17,2	+7,5
Okt./Okt. 1994 - Des./Dec. 1994	45 456,2	29 957,0		
Seisoensaangepaste waardes/ Seasonally adjusted values				
Okt./Okt. 1995 - Des./Dec. 1995	50 957,2	30 977,9	+3,3	+1,6
Jul. 1995 - Sep. 1995	49 340,3	30 476,8		

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OPMERKINGS

Hierdie statistiese vrystelling toon finale ramings van die groothandelverkope in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika (die voormalige TBVC-state is voor Januarie 1995 uitgesluit). Die opname word op 'n firmabasis gedoen. Die resultate van die steekproefopname word verhef om die totale groothandelverkope te verteenwoordig. Beide die werklike en seisoensaangepaste waardes van groothandelverkope volgens soort besigheid teen heersende sowel as konstante 1990-pryse word getoon. Die waarde van verkope teen konstante 1990-pryse ten opsigte van elke soort besigheid is verkry deur die verkoopwaarde teen heersende pryse met behulp van subindeks van die produksieprysindeks op basis 1990 = 100 te defleer.

Groothandelverkope teen heersende pryse sluit BTW in.

'n Voorlopige raming van totale groothandelverkope word in statistiese vrystelling P6141.1 gepubliseer.

Simbole gebruik

- * = hersien
- = nie van toepassing nie

NOTES

This statistical release shows final estimates of the wholesale trade sales in the Republic of South Africa (the former TBVC states are excluded before January 1995). The survey is conducted on a firm basis. The results of the sample survey are raised to represent the total wholesale trade sales. Both actual and seasonally adjusted values of wholesale trade sales according to type of business at current as well as constant 1990 prices are shown. The value of sales at constant 1990 prices in respect of each type of business is obtained by deflating the sales value at current prices by means of sub-indices of the production price index on base 1990 = 100.

Wholesale trade sales at current prices include VAT.

A preliminary estimate of total wholesale trade sales is published in statistical release P6141.1.

Simbols used

- * = revised
- = not applicable

GROOTHANDELVERKOE VOLGENS SOORT BESIGHEID
TABEL 1.1 - TEEN HEERSENDE PRISE

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WHOLESALE TRADE SALES BY TYPE OF BUSINESS
TABLE 1.1 - AT CURRENT PRICES

Werklike waardes -
Actual values

Seisoensaangepaste waardes -
Seasonally adjusted values

Soort besigheid Type of business	Des. / Dec. 1995	Nov. 1995	Des. / Dec. 1994	Jan. 1995	Des. / Dec. 1994	Des. / Dec. 1995	Nov. 1995	Okt. / Oct. 1995	Sep. 1995	Des. / Dec. 1994
Totaal/Total										
Diamante ingesluit	16 992,3	18 686,8*	14 218,1	200 737,5	171 211,0					
Including diamonds	16 896,3	18 358,3*	14 117,2	196 495,6	167 350,7	17 184,3	16 664,0	17 108,9	15 958,0	14 357,8
Diamante uitgesluit										
Excluding diamonds										
Voedsel, drank en tabak	4 183,4	3 514,8	3 333,9	39 583,8	32 431,4	3 515,1	3 406,4	3 379,7	3 404,1	2 800,9
Foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco	934,0	1 042,5	856,5	9 606,1	8 655,2	821,8	809,9	843,8	770,2	756,1
Lewende hawe en landbouaproducte/Livestock and farm produce										
Tekstiele, klerasie en skoesele	414,9	523,5	290,1	4 915,1	4 404,0	499,2	467,1	415,3	351,9	340,5
Textiles, clothing and footwear										
Mebels en huishouidelike benodigdhede	484,8	605,3	434,5	4 991,7	4 909,0	446,5	436,1	424,4	418,5	403,5
Furniture and household requisites										
Kantoor-, boekse en skryfbehoeftes	797,1	1 085,8	659,5	10 407,3	8 814,4	941,2	1 011,3	900,9	861,6	772,3
Office and shop equipment, books and stationery										
Diamante, juweliers- en silwerware	96,0	333,5	101,0	4 246,9	3 860,4	-	-	-	-	
Diamonds, jewellery and silverware										
Farmaseutiese en chemiese produkte	1 480,4	1 693,3*	1 236,8	16 799,2	15 159,2	1 514,0	1 544,3	1 558,2	1 521,2	1 269,3
Pharmaceutical and chemical products										
Konstruksie- en boumatereiale	1 413,4	2 017,9	1 286,1	20 885,7	18 339,1	1 818,5	1 752,2	1 764,5	1 725,2	1 656,6
Construction and building materials										
Masjinerie en toerusting (myn, nywerheid en landbou)	2 319,1	2 790,0	1 743,0	29 519,1	25 671,4	2 763,8	2 626,3	2 675,0	2 242,7	2 068,5
Machinery and equipment (mining, industrial and agricultural)										
Diverse/Miscellaneous	4 869,2	5 110,7	4 276,8	57 813,2	48 966,9	5 045,6	4 591,0	5 204,5	4 855,4	4 434,3

The former TBVC states are included as from the January 1995 survey. Information available to the CSS indicates that the total wholesale trade sales of these states for January 1995 amounted to approximately 0,4% of the total.

GROOTHANDELVERKOEPE VOLGENS SOORT BESIGHEID
TABEL 1.2 - TEEN KONSTANTE 1990-PRYSE

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WHOLESALE TRADE SALES BY TYPE OF BUSINESS
TABLE 1.2 - AT CONSTANT 1990 PRICE

Soort besigheid Type of business	Werklike waardes - Actual values			Seisoensaangepaste waardes - Seasonally adjusted values			
	Des. / Dec. 1995	Nov. 1995	Des. / Dec. 1994	Jan. - 1995	Des. / Dec. 1995	Oct. 1995	Des. / Dec. 1994
Totaal/Total	10 174,9	11 419,5*	9 320,3	126 076,9	118 354,1	-	-
Diamante ingesluit							
Includind diamonds	10 089,9	11 124,0*	9 224,8	122 144,5	113 748,1	10 417,9	10 466,6
Diamante uitgesluit						1 093,4	9 788,9
Excluding diamonds						1 796,7	9 520,5
Voedsel, drank en tabak	2 190,8	1 857,3	1 956,6	21 748,2	20 142,4	1 841,3	1 842,6
Foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco						443,2	444,0
Lewende hawe en land- bouwprodukte/Livestock and farm produce	500,3	562,7	499,8	5 370,1	5 269,0	440,3	431,9
Tekstiele, klerasie en skoesele	259,1	328,6	195,0	3 151,4	3 056,1	315,5	292,1
Textiles, clothing and footwear						260,3	227,5
Weudeis en huishou- deike benodighede	288,8	362,4	275,8	3 044,2	3 231,8	266,2	262,0
Furniture and house- hold requisites						256,4	256,3
Kantoor- en winkeloe- rusting, boeke en skryfbehoeftes	461,9	632,7	413,2	6 194,4	5 728,0	546,5	531,6
Office and shop equip- ment, books and stationery						501,0	485,0
Diamante, juweliers- en silwerware	85,0	295,4	95,4	3 932,4	4 605,9	-	-
Diamonds, jewellery and silverware						-	-
Farmaseutiese en che- miese produkte	881,9	1 015,3*	817,1	11 548,5	10 274,0	897,1	921,5
pharmaceutical and chemical products						939,5	921,2
Konstruksie- en bouma- teriale	861,5	1 237,0	854,3	13 088,3	12 482,7	1 099,0	1 069,0
Construction and buil- ding materials						083,0	1 067,8
Masjinerie en toerus- ting (myn, nywerheid en landbou)	1 462,8	1 770,8	1 197,3	19 190,8	18 266,4	1 747,9	1 666,0
Machinery and equip- ment (mining, indus- trial and agricultur- al)						1 699,4	1 440,3
Diverse/Miscellaneous	3 182,9	3 357,2	3 015,7	38 808,7	35 297,7	3 290,7	3 016,5
Die voormalige TBVC-state is vanaf die Januarie 1995 opname ingesluit.						3 436,8	3 214,7
The former TBVC states are included as from the January 1995 survey.						3 123,2	