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**GROOTHANDELVERKOPE VIR FEBRUARIE 1994 HOËR AS VERWAG**

*Die waarde van groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Februarie 1994 is 3,8% hoër as die verwagte verkope vir Februarie 1994.*

Die totale waarde van groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Februarie 1994 bedra R12 662,9 miljoen, wat R1 288,5 miljoen (3,8%) hoër is as die verwagte verkope vir Februarie 1994 soos deur die groothandelaars in die vooruitsig gestel en gepubliseer in statistiese vrystelling P6141.1 van 24 Maart 1994. Hierdie verskil is hoofsaaklik toe te skryf aan beter as verwagte verkope deur groothandelaars in masjinerie en toerusting en in diverse goedere. Die verwagte groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Maart 1994 bedra R12 481,3 miljoen (soos gepubliseer in statistiese vrystelling P6141.1 van 4 Mei 1994) en toon na seisoenaanpassing 'n afname van 3,7% vergeleke met die finale gegewens vir Februarie 1994.

Die totale groothandelverkope (diamante uitgesluit) vir Februarie 1994 toon na seisoenaanpassing 'n toename van 1,6% vergeleke met Januarie 1994. Groothandelaars in tekstiele, klerasie en skoel isal het 'n toename van 13,3% in verkope aangeteken en groothandelaars in diverse goedere 'n toename van 12,0% na relatiewe lae verkope vir Januarie 1994. Hierdie toenames is in 'n groot mate teëgewerk deur afnames in die verkope van groothandelaars in masjinerie en toerusting (-4,7%), konstruksie en boumateriaal (-3,9%), en lewende hawe en landbouprodukte (-3,9%).

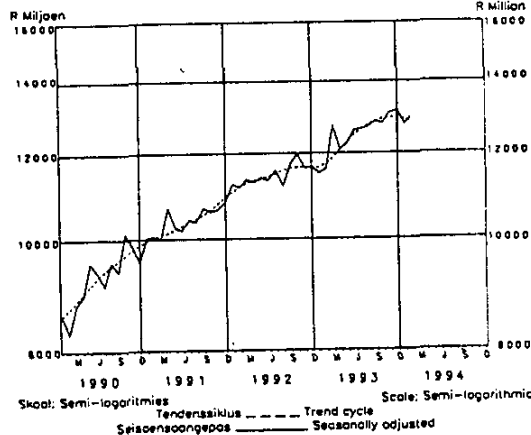
**WHOLESALE TRADE SALES FOR FEBRUARY 1994 HIGHER THAN EXPECTED**

*The value of wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for February 1994 is 3,8% higher than the expected sales for February 1994.*

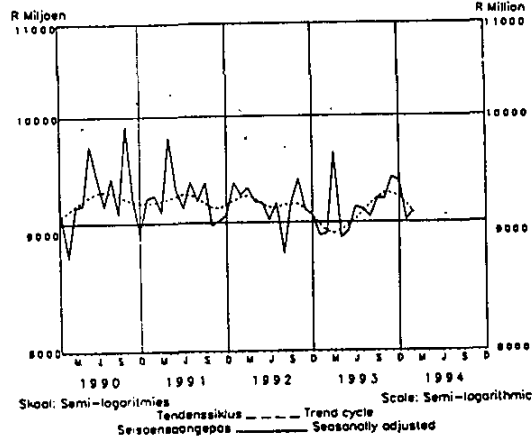
The total value of wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for February 1994 amounts to R12 662,9 million, which is R1 288,5 million (3,8%) higher than the expected sales for February 1994 as foreseen by the wholesalers and published in statistical release P6141.1 of 24 March 1994. This difference is mainly due to better than expected sales by wholesalers in machinery and equipment and in miscellaneous goods. The expected wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for March 1994 amount to R12 481,3 million (as published in statistical release P6141.1 of 4 May 1994) and reflect a decrease of 3,7% after seasonal adjustment compared with the final data for February 1994.

The total wholesale trade sales (excluding diamonds) for February 1994 reflect an increase of 1,6% after seasonal adjustment compared with January 1994. Wholesalers in textiles, clothing and footwear recorded an increase of 13,3% in sales and wholesalers in miscellaneous goods an increase of 12,0% after relatively low sales for January 1994. These increases were to a large extent counteracted by decreases in the sales of wholesalers in machinery and equipment (-4,7%), construction and building materials (-3,9%), and livestock and produce (-3,9%).

GROOTHANDELVERKOPE  
UITGESONDERD DIAMANTE  
HEERSENDE PRYSE / CURRENT PRICES



WHOLESALE TRADE SALES  
EXCLUDING DIAMONDS  
KONSTANTE 1990-PRYSE / CONSTANT 1990 PRICES



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Tydperk - Period	Verkope - (Diamante uitgesluit) Sales - (Excluding diamonds)		Persentasieverandering van verkope Percentage change of sales	
	Teen heersende pryse 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				
Des./Dec. 1993 - Feb. 1994	37 206,0	26 243,2	+11,5	+2,3
Des./Dec. 1992 - Feb. 1993	33 365,1	25 645,4		
Seisoensaangepaste waardes/ Seasonally adjusted values				
Des./Dec. 1993 - Feb. 1994	38 810,9	27 471,8	+0,4	-1,2
Sep. 1993 - Nov. 1993	38 663,1	27 816,9		

  
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## OPMERKINGS

Hierdie statistiese vrystelling toon finale ramings van die groothandelverkope. 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 sub-indekse 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.

## NOTES

This statistical release shows final estimates of the wholesale trade sales. 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 kind of business at current as well as constant 1990 prices are shown. The value of sales at constant 1990 prices in respect of each kind 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.

**GROOTHANDELVERKOPE VOLGENS SOORT BESIGHEID**  
**TABEL 1.1 - TEEN HEERSENDE PRYSE**
**WHOLESALE TRADE SALES BY KIND OF BUSINESS**  
**TABLE 1.1 - AT CURRENT PRICES**

R Milj./Mill.

Soort besigheid Kind of business	Werklike waardes - Actual values				Seisoensangepaste waardes - Seasonally adjusted values				
	Feb. 1994	Jan. 1994	Feb. 1993	Jan. - Feb. 1994   1993	Feb. 1994	Jan. 1994	Des./ Dec. 1993	Nov. 1993	Feb. 1993
Totaal/Total	13 109,0	11 840,1	11 542,4	24 949,1	22 391,0				
Diamante ingesluit Including diamonds	12 662,9	11 618,2	11 374,4	24 281,1	21 878,3				
Diamante uitgesluit Excluding diamonds	2 429,4	2 507,0	2 384,5	4 936,5	4 854,5				
Voedsel, drank en tabak Foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco	639,2	624,7	388,0	1 263,9	766,3				
Lewende hawe en land- bouprodukte	281,7	196,7	270,0	478,4	477,5				
Livestock and produce									
Tekstiele, klerasie en skoeisel	344,9	247,6	336,6	592,5	596,3				
Textiles, clothing and footwear									
Meubels en huishou- delike benodigdhede	683,1	571,1	525,3	1 254,2	987,9				
Furniture and house- hold requisites									
Kantoor- en winkeluit- rusting, boeke en skryfbehoeftes	446,0	221,9	168,1	668,0	512,6				
Office and shop equip- ment, books and stationery									
Diamante, juweliers- en silwerware	1 179,9	1 071,0	1 130,4	2 250,9	2 132,0				
Diamonds, jewellery and silverware									
Farmaseutiese en che- miese produkte	1 315,0	1 135,5	1 301,7	2 450,4	2 341,6				
Pharmaceutical and chemical products									
Konstruksie- en bouma- teriaal	2 031,8	1 937,8	1 805,3	3 969,6	3 402,7				
Construction and buil- ding materials									
Masjinerie en vitrus- ting (myn, nywerheid en landbou)	3 758,0	3 326,6	3 232,4	7 084,6	6 319,6				
Machinery and equip- ment (mining, indus- trial and agricul- tural)									
Diverse/Miscellaneous	3 867,2	3 454,1	3 766,8	3 762,4	3 333,5				

**GROOTHANDELVERKOPE VOLGENS SOORT BESIGHEID  
TABEL 1.2 - TEEN KONSTANTE 1990-PRYSE**
**WHOLESALE TRADE SALES BY KIND OF BUSINESS  
TABLE 1.2 - AT CONSTANT 1990 PRICE**

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Soort besigheid Kind of business	Werklike waardes - Actual values				Seisoensaangepaste waardes - Seasonally adjusted values				
	Feb. 1994	Jan. 1994	Feb. 1993	Jan. - Feb. 1994   1993	Feb. 1994	Jan. 1994	Des./ Dec. 1993	Nov. 1993	Feb. 1993
Totaal/Total	9 420,1	8 469,1	8 843,4	17 889,2	17 233,6				
Diamante ingesluit Including diamonds	8 890,5	8 205,5	8 703,4	17 096,0	16 806,3			9 406,6	8 895,5
Diamante uitgesluit Excluding diamonds	1 606,5	1 680,2	1 728,1	3 286,7	3 548,9			1 945,7	1 906,5
Voedsel, drank en tabak Foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco	420,5	412,7	284,3	833,2	562,6			449,7	272,4
Lewende hawe en land- bouprodukte	203,4	142,1	210,2	345,5	371,7			245,1	227,3
Tekstiele, klerasie en skoelise	234,5	169,2	245,3	403,7	435,7			262,5	291,7
Textiles, clothing and footwear	456,0	381,4	377,5	837,3	710,1			388,2	414,0
Meubels en huisshou- delike benodigdhede	529,6	263,5	140,1	793,2	427,3			414,0	366,0
Furniture and house- hold requisites									
Kantoor- en winkeluit- rusting, boeke en skryfbehoeftes									
Office and shop equip- ment, books and stationery									
Diamante, juweliere- en silwerware	818,0	743,4	851,2	1 561,4	1 605,6			882,5	872,4
Diamonds, jewellery and silverware									
Farmasoutiese en che- miese produkte	913,5	803,6	984,1	1 717,0	1 784,4			967,8	982,7
Pharmaceutical and chemical products									
Konstruksie- en bouma- teriale	1 486,2	1 432,9	1 416,9	2 919,2	2 688,6			1 446,1	1 392,1
Construction and built- ing materials									
Masjinerie en vitrus- ting (myn, nywerheid en landbou)									
Machinery and equip- ment (mining, indus- trial and agricul- tural)									
Diverse/Miscellaneous	2 752,0	2 440,2	2 605,8	5 192,1	5 098,6			2 806,7	2 701,5