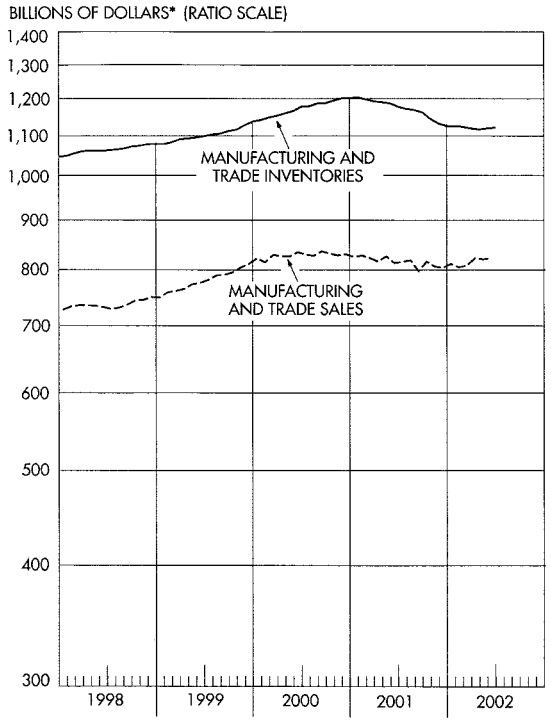
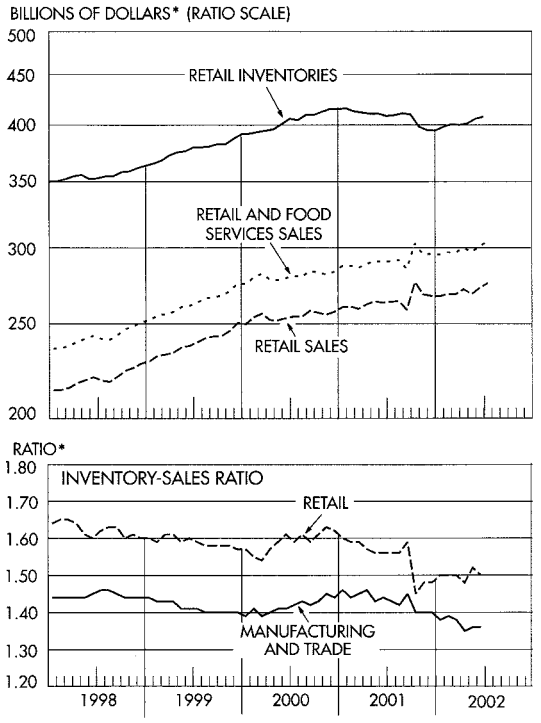
BUSINESS SALES AND INVENTORIES—Manufacturing and Trade

In June, manufacturing and trade sales rose 0.3 percent and inventories rose $2.4 billion. According to advance estimates, retail sales rose 1.2 percent in July; retail and food services sales also rose 1.2 percent.





* SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
SOURCE: DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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[Millions of dollars, except ratios; seasonally adjusted, except as noted]

Period	Manufacturing and trade [1]			Wholesale			Retail			Retail and food services sales [2]
	Sales [2]	Inventories [3]	Inventory-sales ratio [4]	Sales [2]	Inventories [3]	Inventory sales ratio [4]	Sales [2]	Inventories [3]	Inventory sales ratio [4]	
1992	537,899	837,873	1.53	144,302	194,463	1.32	154,268	267,808	1.68	171,219
1993	564,458	864,841	1.51	150,833	202,730	1.31	164,837	285,906	1.69	182,841
1994	605,983	927,859	1.47	161,133	219,766	1.30	178,932	312,019	1.67	197,735
1995	648,961	986,329	1.49	176,227	236,145	1.31	188,235	329,536	1.72	207,704
1996	680,673	1,005,021	1.47	186,649	238,782	1.28	200,190	340,335	1.68	220,431
1997	716,672	1,044,981	1.43	194,541	256,417	1.27	209,112	350,763	1.65	230,616
1998	736,556	1,076,471	1.45	198,319	269,412	1.33	219,507	364,288	1.62	242,228
1999	779,798	1,134,734	1.41	211,756	285,686	1.31	239,013	392,501	1.59	262,803
2000	827,951	1,198,395	1.42	229,313	304,678	1.30	254,928	416,475	1.59	280,427
2001	815,111	1,122,990	1.43	226,313	288,014	1.32	263,987	395,814	1.55	290,713
2001: June[r]	812,935	1,174,448	1.44	224,588	301,309	1.34	262,956	409,630	1.56	289,681
July[r]	815,340	1,168,768	1.43	225,958	297,972	1.32	263,562	410,408	1.56	290,367
Aug	818,222	1,165,434	1.42	227,530	297,130	1.31	264,038	412,220	1.56	291,073
Sept	797,312	1,158,937	1.45	225,481	295,863	1.31	258,609	411,033	1.59	285,006
Oct	815,570	1,141,500	1.40	221,161	292,811	1.32	276,275	399,642	1.45	302,770
Nov	806,128	1,129,548	1.40	222,704	289,487	1.30	268,345	396,256	1.48	295,036
Dec	803,854	1,122,990	1.40	220,380	288,014	1.31	267,283	395,814	1.48	295,232
2002: Jan	811,196	1,122,911	1.38	223,023	286,994	1.29	267,002	399,269	1.50	294,852
Feb	804,624	1,120,288	1.39	224,738	284,508	1.27	268,410	401,693	1.50	296,468
Mar	808,644	1,116,303	1.38	224,855	283,732	1.26	268,196	401,137	1.50	296,199
Apr	822,615	1,113,864	1.35	228,131	281,193	1.23	271,522	402,518	1.48	299,642
May[r]	820,227	1,116,527	1.36	228,052	281,080	1.23	268,439	406,855	1.52	296,567
June[p]	822,725	1,118,949	1.36	229,505	281,858	1.23	[r]272,410	408,861	1.50	[r]300,748
July[p]	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	275,649	.....	.....	304,279

[1] See page 21 for manufacturing.
[2] Annual data are averages of monthly not seasonally adjusted figures; monthly data are seasonally adjusted totals for month.
[3] Seasonally adjusted, end of period.
[4] Annual data are averages of seasonally adjusted monthly ratios.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

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