Retail Sales Dashboard – July 2021

Source: Knight Frank, ONS, Oxford Economics, Macrobond



Headline Figures

V	Most recent month YoY growth (%)	Most recent 3 month YoY growth (%)	
Value*	3.6	11.0	
Volume*	1.8	9.2	

*Seasonally adjusted, excluding fuel. Including fuel values (5.4%); volumes (2.4%)

Key Messages

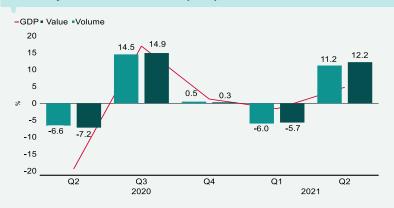
- Retail sales values and volumes saw YoY growth of +3.6 and +1.8% respectively - robust figures leveraged against a largely operational retail market in July 2020 (+3.4%).
- Although marking a third month of deceleration from initial pent up demand (MoM values -2.6%; volumes -2.4%), figures indicate a return to more sustainable patterns of spend.
- Headline growth continues to be driven by recovery in non-food categories (+8.7%) with return to the office and socialising (clothing +18.5%; footwear +28.5%).

Monthly Performance YoY - All Retail



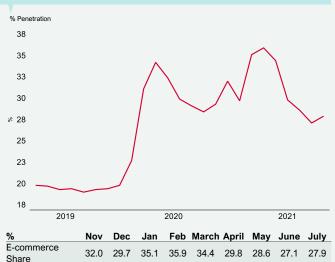
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%	May	June	July
Volumes (NSA)	20.6	6.9	1.1
Values (NSA)	22.1	8.9	2.8
Volumes (SA)	21.5	6.8	0.9
Values (SA)	22.6	9.1	2.7

Quarterly Performance vs GDP (QoQ)

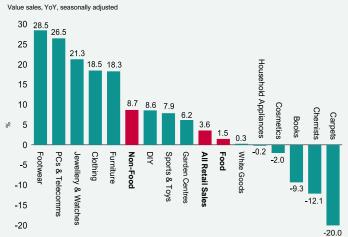


	2020			2021	
%	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
Volume	-6.6	14.5	0.5	-6	11.2
Value	-7.2	14.9	0.3	-5.7	12.2
GDP Growth	-19.5	17.0	1.3	-1.6	4.8

E-commerce Share of Retail Spend



Monthly Performance YoY - by Sub-Sector



Monthly Performance YoY - Food vs. Non-Food



% May June July Non-Food 85.6 27.9 8.7 Food -3.9 1.0 1.5

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