

Press Release

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Swedish ICA stores – April sales figures

Sales in the Swedish ICA stores rose by 9.7% in April 2014 compared with the corresponding month last year. In like-for-like stores the sales increase was 9.0%. Easter 2014 was in April compared with March in 2013. In terms of sales, Easter is an important holiday and had a positive impact on store sales in April compared with last year.

		April 2014			January-April 2014		
Store sales,		Change	Change		Change	Change	
excl. VAT	SEKm	all stores	like-for-like	SEKm	all stores	like-for-like	
Maxi ICA Stormarknad	2,658	11.9%	11.6%	9,656	2.9%	2.3%	
ICA Kvantum	2,124	11.0%	9.1%	7,952	3.4%	2.1%	
ICA Supermarket	2,707	7.6%	6.6%	10,191	1.5%	0.7%	
ICA Nära	1,307	7.8%	9.0%	4,884	1.1%	2.2%	
Total	8,796	9.7%	9.0%	32,683	2.3%	1.7%	

In April 2014, sales in the Swedish ICA stores totalled SEK 8,796 million excluding VAT, which is an increase of 9.7% compared with the same month in the previous year. Sales in January-April 2014 amounted to SEK 32,683 million, an increase of 2.3% compared with the previous year.

The Easter holiday is assessed to have increased store sales with approximately 7% during April 2014.

At 30 April 2014, the number of ICA stores in Sweden was 1,320.

Store sales for May will be published on Tuesday, 10 June 2014 at 08.45. CET. To see all publication dates in 2014, please visit ICA Gruppen's website http://www.icagruppen.se/en/investor-relations/calendar/.

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