



## Target Corporation November Sales From Continuing Operations Up 9.1 Percent

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MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 1 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Target Corporation (NYSE: TGT) today reported that its net retail sales from continuing operations (principally Target Stores) for the four weeks ended November 26, 2005 increased 9.1 percent to \$4.583 billion from \$4.203 billion for the four-week period ended November 27, 2004. On this same basis, comparable-store sales increased 2.6 percent from fiscal November 2004.

"Target's comparable store sales for the month of November increased in line with our revised outlook of 2 to 3 percent. Our performance strengthened as the month progressed and sales growth for the Thanksgiving week was consistent with our original expectations," said Bob Ulrich, chairman and chief executive officer of Target Corporation. "Our outlook for this year's holiday season remains optimistic and we continue to expect that we will achieve profitable market share gains."

	Sales (millions)	Total Sales % Change	Comparable Stores This Year	% Change Last Year
Continuing Operations November	\$4,583	9.1	2.6	3.2
Year-to-Date	\$39,285	12.2	5.8	4.9

Target Corporation operates Target Stores, a chain of large, general merchandise discount stores consisting of 1,400 locations in 47 states, as well as an on-line business called Target.com. Forward-looking statements in this release should be read in conjunction with the cautionary statements in Exhibit (99)C to the company's Second Quarter 2005 Form 10-Q. Comments regarding the company's sales results are available in a pre-recorded telephone message that may be accessed by calling 612-761-6500. Target Corporation news releases are available at <http://www.target.com> or <http://www.prnewswire.com>.

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