

Why the sad face?

CBI trades survey shows retailers are feeling ...



Nervous

Grocers

Other retail outlets

Clothing shops



Fearful

Hardware, china
and DIY shops



Unhappy

Specialist food shops

Booksellers &
stationers

Chemists



Despairing

Footwear &
leather shops

Durable
household goods outlets

Furniture &
carpet outlets

Categories based on percentage balances for July 29 to August 13.

Nervous = +7 to -25% **Fearful** = -26 to -50% **Unhappy** = -51 to -75% **Despairing** = -76 to -100%