

Industrial production

December 2012

The index measures the monthly evolution of the volume of industrial production (excluding construction). Since January 2009 the indices have been calculated with reference to the base year 2005 using the new Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In December 2012 the industrial production index seasonally adjusted increased by 0.4% compared with the previous month. The percentage change of the average of the last three months with respect to the previous three months was -2.2%.

The calendar adjusted industrial production index decreased by 6.6% compared with December 2011 (calendar working days in December 2012 being 19 versus 20 in December 2011); in the average of 2012 the percentage change was -6.7 compared with the average of the previous year.

The unadjusted index of industrial production decreased by 9.3% compared with December 2011.

Indices	Index (2005=100)	Percentage changes on the previous period		Percentage changes on the same period of the previous year	
		<u>Dec 12</u> Nov 12	Oct 12-Dec 12 Jul 12-Sep 12	<u>Dec 12</u> Dec 11	Jan-Dec 12 Jan-Dec 11
Industrial production seasonally adjusted	81.0	+0.4	-2.2	-	-
Industrial production calendar adjusted	71.8	-	-	-6.6	-6.7
Industrial production not adjusted	69.9	-	-	-9.3	-6.2
Calendar working days	19				

Indices of industrial production (a). December 2012 (b)

(a) Excluding construction.

(b) Data are provisional and subject to revisions. The first revision takes place with the dissemination of the following month and takes into account additional information received from enterprises; up until 2010 further revisions have been published every six months (on occasion of the press release of April and October). Since 2011 data are revised with a yearly occurrence on occasion of the press release of April.

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en

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