

Industrial production

March 2013

The index measures the monthly evolution of the volume of industrial production (excluding construction). With effect from January 2013 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2010 using the Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In March 2013 the industrial production index seasonally adjusted decreased by 0.8% compared with the previous month. The percentage change of the average of the last three months with respect to the previous three months was -0.4.

The calendar adjusted industrial production index decreased by 5.2 % compared with March 2012 (calendar working days in March 2013 being 21 versus 22 days in March 2012); in the period January- March 2013 the percentage change was -4.2 compared with the same period of 2012.

The unadjusted index of industrial production decreased by 9.5% compared with March 2012.

Indices of industrial production (a). March 2013 (b)

Indices	Index (2010=100)	Percentage changes on the previous period		Percentage changes on the same period of the previous year	
		Mar13	Jan13-Mar13	Mar13	Jan-Mar13
		Feb13	Oct12-Dec12	Mar12	Jan-Mar12
Industrial production seasonally adjusted	91.3	-0.8	-0.4	-	-
Industrial production calendar adjusted	99.4	-	-	-5.2	-4.2
Industrial production not adjusted	95.3	-	-	-9.5	-6.1
<i>Calendar working days</i>	21				

(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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