

Industrial turnover and new orders

May 2015

The industrial turnover index measures the monthly evolution of sales by industrial enterprises at current prices. The new orders index is an indicator of the value of future deliveries of products (and services directly linked to these products) to be provided by industrial producers. Since 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 May 2015 the seasonally adjusted turnover index increased by 1.2% compared to the previous month (1.1% in domestic market and +1.3% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was +1.2% (+1.3% in domestic market and +1.0% in non-domestic market).

In May 2015 the seasonally adjusted industrial new orders index decreased by 2.5% compared with April 2015 (+0.3% in domestic market and -6.3% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was +2.2% (+3.9% in domestic market and -0.2% in non-domestic market).

With respect to the same month of the previous year the calendar adjusted industrial turnover index increased by 2.4% (calendar working days in May 2015 being 20 versus 21 days in May 2014).

In May 2015 the unadjusted industrial new orders index decreased by -0.5% with respect to the same month of the previous year.

In May 2015 the seasonally adjusted volume turnover index (only for the manufacture sector) increased by 1.2% compared with April 2015.

INDUSTRIAL TURNOVER AND NEW ORDERS INDICES (BASE 2010=100) - May 2015

	Seasonally adjusted			Calendar adjusted (a)			Unadjusted		
	Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes	
	May 15	<u>May 15</u> Apr 15	<u>Mar-May 15</u> Dec 14- Feb 15	May 15	<u>May 15</u> May 14	<u>Jan-May 15</u> Jan-May 14	May 15	<u>May 15</u> May 14	<u>Jan-May 15</u> Jan-May 14
Turnover index	99.8	+1.2	+1.2	104.7	+2.4	0.0	99.3	-0.9	+0.1
Domestic market	91.1	+1.1	+1.3	95.5	+0.6	-1.3	91.0	-2.4	-1.1
Non-domestic market	121.7	+1.3	+1.0	127.7	+5.8	+2.6	120.3	+1.9	+2.7
New orders index	98.7	-2.5	+2.2	-	-	-	98.1	-0.5	+1.4
Domestic market	89.9	+0.3	+3.9	-	-	-	89.9	+4.9	+3.6
Non-domestic market	114.6	-6.3	-0.2	-	-	-	112.9	-7.5	-1.5

⁽a) New orders indices are not calendar adjusted because these effects are not statistically relevant

For more details please refer to the Italian version

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

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