

Turnover in Services Quarter III 2016

The Services turnover index measures the quarterly change recorded in sales at current prices by enterprises belonging to the domain of services. Starting from the first quarter of 2013 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2010 using the Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In the third quarter of 2016 the Services turnover index increased by 1.2% compared to the third quarter of 2015. In particular, the index increased by 3.8% for Accommodation and food service activities, by 1.6% for Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles, by 1.4% for Professional, scientific and technical activities and by 1.0% for Information and communication. The index decreased by 1.5% for Transport, Warehousing and support activities and by 0.1% for Administrative and support service activities.

SERVICES TURNOVER INDICES. Quarter III 2016 (a) - Seasonally unadjusted and adjusted data

ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (NACE REV. 2)	Percentage changes on the same quarter of the previous year		Percentage changes on the previous quarter	
	Q III 2016		Q III 2016	
	Q III 2015		Q II 2016	
G. Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles *	+1.6		+0.1	
G 45 Trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	+9.6		-0.3	
G 45.1 Sale of motor vehicles	+13.8		-0.1	
G 45.2 Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	-1.8		-0.7	
G 45.3 Sale of motor vehicle parts and accessories	+2.7		-0.7	
G 45.4 Sale, maintenance and repair of motorcycles, related parts and accessories	+1.5		-2.9	
G 46 Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	0.0		+0.1	
H. Transport, Warehousing and support activities	-1.5		-0.9	
H 49 Land transport and transport via pipelines	-1.3		-1.4	
H 50 Water transport	-7.4		-1.7	
H 51 Air transport	-3.4		-1.8	
H 52 Warehousing and support activities for transportations	-0.3		0.0	
H 53 Postal and courier activities	+2.2		-0.9	
I. Accommodation and food service activities	+3.8		+3.0	
I 55 Accommodation	+3.8		-	
I 56 Food and beverage service activities	+3.7		-	
J. Information and communication	+1.0		-0.2	
J (58, 59, 60) Publishing, Motion picture, Programming and Broadcasting	+0.5		-	
J (61) Telecommunications services	+1.2		-	
J (62, 63) Computer consultancy and Information services	+1.1		-	
M. Professional, scientific and technical activities	+1.4		+0.1	
M 69 Legal and accounting activities	+2.2		-	
M 70.2 Management consultancy activities	+1.8		-	
M 71 Architectural and engineering activities; technical testing and analysis	+0.9		-	
M 73 Advertising and market research	+4.0		-	
M 74 Other professional, scientific and technical activities	-1.8		-	
N. Administrative and support service activities	-0.1		+0.1	
N 78 Employment activities	+2.9		-	
N 79 Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related activities	+2.0		-	
N 80 Security and investigation activities	-2.3		-	
N 81.2 Cleaning activities	-0.3		-	
N 82 Office administrative, office support and other business support activities	-2.2		-	
Services Turnover Index	+1.2		+0.1	

(a) Data are provisional and subject to revisions. * Except G 47 Retail trade

In the third quarter of 2016 the seasonally adjusted Services turnover index increased by 0.1% compared to the previous quarter. In particular, the index increased in Accommodation and food service activities (+3.0%), in Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (+0.1%), in Professional, scientific and technical activities (+0.1%) and in Administrative and support service activities (+0.1%). The index decreased in Transport, Warehousing and support activities (-0.9%) and in Information and communication (-0.2%).

For more details please refer to the Italian version

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