

Industrial turnover and new orders

April 2017

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 April 2017 the seasonally adjusted turnover index decreased by -0.5% compared to the previous month (-1.9% in domestic market and +2.2% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was +0.6% (+0.7% in domestic market and +0.2% in non-domestic market).

In April 2017 the seasonally adjusted industrial new orders index decreased by -0.7% compared with March 2017 (-0.4% in domestic market and -1.0% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was +0.8% (-2.0% in domestic market and +4.8% in non-domestic market).

With respect to the same month of the previous year the calendar adjusted industrial turnover index increased by +4.0% (calendar working days in April 2017 being 18 versus 20 days in April 2016).

In April 2017 the unadjusted industrial new orders index increased by +6.0% with respect to the same month of the previous year.

In April 2017 the seasonally adjusted volume turnover index (only for the manufacture sector) decreased by -0.6% compared with March 2017.

	Seasonally adjusted			Calendar adjusted (a)			Unadjusted		
	Index Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes		
	Apr 17	<u>Apr 17</u>	Feb-Apr 17	Apr 17	<u>Apr 17</u>	Jan-Apr 17	Apr 17	<u>Apr 17</u>	Jan-Apr 17
		Mar 17	Nov 16-Jan 17		Apr 16	Jan-Apr 16		Apr 16	Jan-Apr 16
Turnover index	102.4	-0.5	+0.6	99.9	+4.0	+4.4	93.3	-2.5	+4.6
Domestic market	93.0	-1.9	+0.7	90.4	+3.0	+4.7	84.4	-3.1	+4.9
Non-domestic market	126.0	+2.2	+0.2	124.0	+6.0	+3.9	114.9	-1.3	+3.9
New orders index	102.2	-0.7	+0.8	-	-	-	93.5	-2.2	+6.0
Domestic market	91.2	-0.4	-2.0	-	-	-	83.2	-1.3	+3.1
Non-domestic market	122.2	-1.0	+4.8	-	-	-	112.1	-3.4	+9.9

INDUSTRIAL TURNOVER AND NEW ORDERS INDICES (BASE 2010=100). April 2017

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

For more details please refer to the Italian version

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