

Industrial production

January 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 January 2012 the industrial production seasonally adjusted index decreased by 2.5% compared with the previous month. The percentage change of the average of the last three months with respect to the previous three months was -1.9%

The calendar adjusted industrial production index decreased by 5.0% compared with January 2011 (calendar working days being 21 versus 20 days in January 2011).

The unadjusted industrial production index decreased by 2.1% compared with January 2011

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

	Index (2005=100)	Percentage changes		
		<u>Jan 12</u> Dec 11	<u>Nov - Jan 12</u> Aug - Oct 11	<u>Jan 12</u> Jan 11
Industrial production seasonally adjusted	85.2	-2.5	-1.9	-
Industrial production calendar adjusted	77.6	-	-	-5.0
Industrial production unadjusted	78.5	-	-	-2.1
Calendar working days	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

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