

Industrial production

October 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 October 2012 the industrial production index seasonally adjusted decreased by 1.1% compared with the previous month. The percentage change of the average of the last three months with respect to the previous three months was -0.5%.

The calendar adjusted industrial production index decreased by 6.2% compared with October 2011 (calendar working days in October 2012 being 23 versus 21 days in October 2011); in the period January-October 2012 the percentage change was -6.5 compared with the same period of 2011.

The unadjusted index of industrial production decreased by 0.3% compared with October 2011.

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

Indices	Index (2005=100)	Percentage changes on the previous period		Percentage changes on the same period of the previous year	
		Oct 12	Aug 12-Oct 12	Oct 12	Jan-Oct 12
		Sep 12	May 12-Jul 12	Oct 11	Jan-Oct 11
Industrial production seasonally adjusted	81.8	-1.1	-0.5	-	-
Industrial production calendar adjusted	88.6	-	-	-6.2	-6.5
Industrial production not adjusted	91.2	-	-	-0.3	-5.8
<i>Calendar working days</i>	23				

(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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