

## Industrial turnover and new orders

August 2018

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 2018 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2015 using the Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In August 2018 the seasonally adjusted turnover index increased by 1.2% compared to the previous month (+0.2% in domestic market and +3.1% in non-domestic market); the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months increased by 0.6% (+0.2% in domestic market and +1.6% in non-domestic market).

In August 2018 the seasonally adjusted industrial new orders index increased by 4.9% compared to the previous month (+0.5% in domestic market and +11.0% in non-domestic market); the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months increased by 0.6% (-0.7% in domestic market and +2.4% in non-domestic market).

With respect to the same month of the previous year the calendar adjusted industrial turnover index increased by 3.2% (calendar working days in August 2018 being the same as in August 2017), +1.2% in domestic market and +7.0% in non-domestic market.

In August 2018 the unadjusted industrial new orders index increased by 0.9% with respect to the same month of the previous year (-7.5% in domestic market and +11.6% in non-domestic market).

In August 2018 the seasonally adjusted volume turnover index (only for the manufacturing sector) increased by 0.9% compared with July 2018.

### INDUSTRIAL TURNOVER AND NEW ORDERS INDICES (BASE 2015=100). August 2018

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			CALENDAR ADJUSTED (a)			UNADJUSTED		
	Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes	
	Aug 18	<u>Aug 18</u> Jul 18	<u>Jun-Aug 18</u> Mar-May 18	Aug 18	<u>Aug 18</u> Aug 17	<u>Jan-Aug 18</u> Jan-Aug 17	Aug 18	<u>Aug 18</u> Aug 17	<u>Jan-Aug 18</u> Jan-Aug 17
Turnover index	110.1	+1.2	+0.6	77.2	+3.2	+3.9	78.2	+3.2	+4.6
Domestic market	107.6	+0.2	+0.2	74.3	+1.2	+3.3	75.3	+1.3	+4.0
Non-domestic market	115.1	+3.1	+1.6	82.8	+7.0	+5.0	84.0	+6.9	+5.9
New orders index	114.3	+4.9	+0.6	-	-	-	74.9	+0.9	+4.0
Domestic market	107.5	+0.5	-0.7	-	-	-	64.9	-7.5	+2.9
Non-domestic market	124.1	+11.0	+2.4	-	-	-	89.2	+11.6	+5.5

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

### For more details please refer to the Italian version

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

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