

Industrial turnover and new orders

May 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 May 2017 the seasonally adjusted turnover index increased by +1.5% compared to the previous month (+1.6% in domestic market and +1.2% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was +0.9% (+0.9% in domestic market and +0.7% in non-domestic market).

In May 2017 the seasonally adjusted industrial new orders index increased by +4.3% compared with April 2017 (+3.9% in domestic market and +4.9% in non-domestic market). The percentage change of the average of the last three months compared to the previous three months was -1.0% (-1.2% in domestic market and -0.8% in non-domestic market).

With respect to the same month of the previous year the calendar adjusted industrial turnover index increased by +7.6% (calendar working days in May 2017 being the same as in May 2016).

In May 2017 the unadjusted industrial new orders index increased by +13.7% with respect to the same month of the previous year.

In May 2017 the seasonally adjusted volume turnover index (only for the manufacture sector) increased by +1.9% compared with April 2017.

INDUSTRIAL TURNOVER AND NEW ORDERS INDICES (BASE 2010=100) – May 2017

	Seasonally adjusted			Calendar adjusted (a)			Unadjusted		
	Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes		Index	Percentage changes	
	May 17	May 17 Apr 17	Mar-May 17 Dec 16-Feb 17	May 17	May 17 May 16	Jan-May 17 Jan-May 16	May 17	May 17 May 16	Jan-May 17 Jan-May 16
Turnover index	104.3	+1.5	+0.9	109.9	+7.6	+5.1	111.2	+7.5	+5.2
<i>Domestic market</i>	94.8	+1.6	+0.9	99.7	+6.7	+5.1	100.9	+6.8	+5.3
<i>Non-domestic market</i>	128.1	+1.2	+0.7	135.5	+9.3	+5.0	137.2	+9.1	+5.1
New orders index	107.0	+4.3	-1.0	-	-	-	112.6	+13.7	+7.5
<i>Domestic market</i>	95.1	+3.9	-1.2	-	-	-	102.0	+12.1	+4.9
<i>Non-domestic market</i>	128.7	+4.9	-0.8	-	-	-	131.8	+16.2	+11.1

(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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