

Turnover in Services

Quarter II 2018

The Services turnover index measures the quarterly change recorded in sales at current prices by enterprises belonging to the domain of services. Starting from the first quarter of 2018 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2015 according to the ATECO 2007 Classification of Economic Activities (Italian edition of NACE Rev. 2).

In the second quarter of 2018 the Services turnover index increased by 2.7% compared to the second quarter of 2017. In particular, the index increased by 3.7% for Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles, by 3.0% for Administrative and support service activities, by 2.4% for Accommodation and food service activities, by 1.9% for Transportation and storage and by 0.3% for Information and communication. The index decreased by 0.5% for Professional, scientific and technical activities.

SERVICES TURNOVER INDICES. Quarter II 2018 (a) - Seasonally adjusted and unadjusted data

ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (ATECO 2007-NACE Rev. 2)	Percentage changes on the previous quarter	Percentage changes on the same quarter of the previous year
	Q II 2018 Q I 2018	Q II 2018 Q II 2017
G. Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles *	+1.1	+3.7
G 45 Trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	+1.2	+4.1
G 45.1 Sale of motor vehicles	+1.3	+4.5
G 45.2 Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	+0.2	+3.1
G 45.3 Sale of motor vehicle parts and accessories	+1.5	+3.6
G 45.4 Sale, maintenance and repair of motorcycles, related parts and accessories	+0.1	-0.8
G 46 Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	+1.0	+3.6
H. Transportation and storage	+0.4	+1.9
H 49 Land transport and transport via pipelines	+0.2	+1.6
H 50 Water transport	-0.5	-4.2
H 51 Air transport	+0.4	+3.4
H 52 Warehousing and support activities for transportation	+0.9	+3.2
H 53 Postal and courier activities	-0.6	+4.2
I. Accommodation and food service activities	+0.5	+2.4
I 55 Accommodation	-	+2.8
I 56 Food and beverage service activities	-	+2.4
J. Information and communication	-0.2	+0.3
J (58, 59, 60) Publishing, motion picture, programming and broadcasting	-	+1.7
J (61) Telecommunications services	-	-3.9
J (62, 63) Computer consultancy and Information services	-	+3.2
M. Professional, scientific and technical activities	-0.1	-0.5
M 69 Legal and accounting activities	-	+0.4
M 70.2 Management consultancy activities	-	+1.5
M 71 Architectural and engineering activities; technical testing and analysis	-	-6.8
M 73 Advertising and market research	-	+0.5
M 74 Other professional, scientific and technical activities	-	+5.0
N. Administrative and support service activities	-0.8	+3.0
N 78 Employment activities	-	+14.7
N 79 Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related activities	-	+0.7
N 80 Security and investigation activities	-	0.0
N 81.2 Cleaning activities	-	+5.3
N 82 Office administrative, office support and other business support activities	-	-0.8
Services Turnover Index	+0.7	+2.7

(a) Data are provisional and subject to revisions.

* Except G 47 Retail trade

In the second quarter of 2018 the seasonally adjusted Services turnover index increased by 0.7% compared to the previous quarter. In particular, the index increased in Wholesale trade, trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (+1.1%), in Accommodation and food service activities (+0.5%) and in Transportation and storage (+0.4). The index decreased in Administrative and support service activities (-0.8%), in Information and communication (-0.2%) and in Professional, scientific and technical activities (-0.1%).

For more details please refer to the Italian version of the [Turnover in services](#) press release

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