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**Turnover Index in Industry<sup>1,2,3,4</sup>**  
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The National Statistical Service of Greece publishes the Turnover Index in Industry, with base year 2000=100.0, for April 2008, according to provisional<sup>5</sup> results, as follows:

- The Turnover Index in Industry (both domestic and non-domestic market) in April 2008, as compared to April 2007, rose by 20.3%. A year earlier, the annual rate of change was -0.4%.
  
- The average Turnover Index in Industry for the 12-month period May 2007 - April 2008, as compared to the 12-month period May 2006 - April 2007, rose by 7.3%. A year earlier, the corresponding average rate of change was 8.6%.

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<sup>1</sup> The Turnover Index in Industry is a new index with base year 2000=100.0, covering the period from 2000 onwards. The compilation and publication of the new index is based on the framework of requirements of the Council Regulation (EC) No 1165/98 concerning short-term statistics (STS-R), as well as the amendment Regulation (EC) No 1158/05 of the European Parliament and Council, amending the Council Regulation (EC) No 1165/98.

<sup>2</sup> The Turnover Index is an important business indicator and shows the monthly evolution of the market of goods and services in industry. The purpose of this index is to measure the monthly activity of the industrial sector in terms of value. Turnover comprises the totals invoiced (without VAT) by the observation units during the reference period and corresponds to the market sales of goods or services supplied to third parties. The purposes and the characteristics of the Turnover Index apply, as well, to the indices for the distinction between domestic and non-domestic turnover.

<sup>3</sup> The Turnover Index in Industry covers the whole country and is compiled for all activities listed in Sections C (mining and quarrying) and D (manufacturing) of the NACE Rev.1 classification.

<sup>4</sup> The weights, taking into consideration the need to distinct turnover to domestic and non-domestic market with a further split of the non-domestic market to Eurozone and non-Eurozone market, are based on the total turnover values of the products that were disposed to the domestic and to the two zones of the non-domestic market, during the base year (200=100,0), according to the results of the Annual Industrial Survey, the annual PRODCOM Survey, the annual Mining – Quarrying Survey and the annual External Trade Survey of the year 2000.

<sup>5</sup> The data is provisional when first released and become final as soon as all gathered data become definite. More specifically, the data released for the most recent month is provisional and is published together with revised data of the previous month.

The increase of the Turnover Index in Industry by 20.3% in April 2008, as compared to April 2007, was due to the annual changes as following:

- by Industrial Sections

- Mining and quarrying turnover rose by 6.9%.
- Manufacturing turnover rose by 20.5%.

- by Main Industrial Groupings

- Energy turnover rose by 32.0%.
- Intermediate Goods turnover rose by 14.6%.
- Capital Goods turnover rose by 13.9%.
- Consumer Durables turnover rose by 21.1%.
- Consumer Non-Durables turnover rose by 18.0%.

In addition, the increase of the Turnover Index in Industry by 20.3% in April 2008, as compared to April 2007, was due to the annual changes of the indices of the markets as following:

- The Turnover Index in Industry for the domestic market rose by 19.2%.
- The Turnover Index in Industry for the non-domestic market rose by 24.7%.

The increase of the Turnover Index in Industry for the non-domestic market by 24.7% in April 2008, as compared to April 2007, was due to the annual changes as following:

- The Turnover Index in Industry for the Eurozone countries rose by 48.8%.
- The Turnover Index in Industry for the non-Eurozone countries rose by 17.2%.

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**Table I**  
**Annual rates of change of the Turnover Index in Industry (Total Market)**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Branch code	Branch name	April 2008*	April 2007	April 2006	Rate of change (%) 08*/07	Rate of change (%) 07/06
	<b>Overall Index</b>	156.3	129.9	130.4	20.3	-0.4
<b>C</b>	<b>Mining and Quarrying</b>	142.7	133.5	125.5	6.9	6.4
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-
13	Mining of metal ores	67.6	83.8	107.3	-19.4	-21.9
14	Other mining and quarrying	172.1	156.8	141.5	9.8	10.8
<b>D</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	156.5	129.8	130.5	20.5	-0.5
15	Food and beverages	151.1	119.6	119.7	26.3	-0.1
16	Tobacco products	137.1	136.9	130.7	0.1	4.7
17	Textiles	62.1	66.6	63.7	-6.7	4.6
18	Wearing apparel	89.3	80.8	90.2	10.5	-10.5
19	Leather and footwear	127.1	100.2	115.0	26.9	-12.9
20	Wood and cork	90.1	90.4	82.9	-0.3	9.0
21	Pulp, paper and paper products	114.6	102.8	92.6	11.5	11.0
22	Publishing, printing	138.3	127.8	133.3	8.2	-4.1
23	Coke and petroleum	203.8	154.4	155.5	32.0	-0.7
24	Chemicals and chemical products	155.6	141.9	140.1	9.7	1.2
25	Rubber and plastic products	138.3	128.3	119.7	7.8	7.1
26	Other non-metallic mineral products	158.4	147.2	148.3	7.6	-0.8
27	Basic metals	208.3	173.0	163.9	20.4	5.6
28	Fabricated metal products	120.0	115.7	148.8	3.7	-22.3
29	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	157.9	120.6	138.0	30.9	-12.6
30	Office machinery and computers	308.1	449.7	218.8	-31.5	105.5
31	Electrical machinery and apparatus n. e. c.	185.8	138.2	144.2	34.5	-4.2
32	Radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	32.0	24.5	57.2	30.9	-57.2
33	Medical, precision and optical instruments	186.0	178.4	170.3	4.3	4.8
34	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	60.5	33.1	42.7	83.1	-22.5
35	Other transport equipment	259.5	253.2	147.8	2.5	71.3
36	Furniture; manufacturing n. e. c.	133.5	111.8	103.4	19.4	8.1
37	Recycling	374.6	361.4	177.2	3.6	103.9
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
1	Energy	202.6	153.6	154.6	32.0	-0.7
2	Intermediate goods	157.4	137.3	130.9	14.6	4.9
3	Capital goods	110.8	97.3	117.4	13.9	-17.1
4	Consumer Durables	129.9	107.2	109.3	21.1	-1.9
5	Consumer Non-Durables	135.9	115.2	118.0	18.0	-2.4

\*Provisional data

Note: 1. The indices are calculated with infinite decimal figures and are rounded up to one decimal figure when published.  
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**Table II**  
**Annual rates of change of the Turnover Index in Industry for the Domestic Market**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Branch code	Branch name	April 2008*	April 2007	April 2006	Rate of change (%) 08*/07	Rate of change (%) 07/06
	<b>Overall Index</b>	149.5	125.4	127.2	19.2	-1.4
<b>C</b>	<b>Mining and Quarrying</b>	139.2	132.5	122.6	5.1	8.0
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-
13	Mining of metal ores	123.1	119.4	125.3	3.1	-4.7
14	Other mining and quarrying	158.7	150.8	137.9	5.3	9.3
<b>D</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	149.6	125.3	127.3	19.4	-1.6
15	Food and beverages	154.1	122.1	120.4	26.2	1.4
16	Tobacco products	153.8	150.2	149.6	2.4	0.4
17	Textiles	53.8	59.2	57.1	-9.1	3.7
18	Wearing apparel	126.1	103.4	124.7	22.0	-17.1
19	Leather and footwear	128.2	99.7	116.1	28.6	-14.2
20	Wood and cork	88.8	87.3	82.3	1.6	6.2
21	Pulp, paper and paper products	112.2	101.5	92.2	10.6	10.1
22	Publishing, printing	132.9	124.5	130.4	6.7	-4.5
23	Coke and petroleum	198.3	156.4	160.7	26.8	-2.7
24	Chemicals and chemical products	131.3	123.4	121.8	6.4	1.3
25	Rubber and plastic products	127.1	113.4	114.8	12.1	-1.2
26	Other non-metallic mineral products	165.9	158.3	156.1	4.8	1.4
27	Basic metals	193.5	144.4	142.3	33.9	1.5
28	Fabricated metal products	103.5	104.8	153.1	-1.2	-31.5
29	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	128.7	92.5	111.3	39.2	-16.9
30	Office machinery and computers	299.7	442.7	164.2	-32.3	169.6
31	Electrical machinery and apparatus n. e. c.	129.7	117.7	106.6	10.1	10.5
32	Radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	27.6	19.6	40.6	40.3	-51.7
33	Medical, precision and optical instruments	125.5	122.6	138.9	2.4	-11.8
34	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	49.4	27.6	40.7	79.3	-32.4
35	Other transport equipment	250.9	247.1	138.4	1.5	78.6
36	Furniture; manufacturing n. e. c.	142.6	117.1	111.2	21.8	5.3
37	Recycling	457.2	448.9	215.9	1.9	107.9
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
1	Energy	196.7	155.1	159.4	26.8	-2.7
2	Intermediate goods	143.9	124.6	120.2	15.5	3.7
3	Capital goods	97.1	86.4	107.4	12.4	-19.5
4	Consumer Durables	134.3	109.4	106.4	22.8	2.8
5	Consumer Non-Durables	141.0	119.5	121.6	18.0	-1.7

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**Table III**  
**Annual rates of change of the Turnover Index in Industry for the Non - Domestic Market**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Branch code	Branch name	April 2008*	April 2007	April 2006	Rate of change (%) 08*/07	Rate of change (%) 07/06
	<b>Overall Index</b>	177.8	142.6	138.3	24.7	3.2
<b>C</b>	<b>Mining and Quarrying</b>	140.6	141.2	128.5	-0.4	9.8
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-
13	Mining of metal ores	29.4	59.4	94.9	-50.6	-37.4
14	Other mining and quarrying	197.6	183.1	145.8	7.9	25.6
<b>D</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	178.6	142.6	138.4	25.2	3.0
15	Food and beverages	146.5	111.5	121.1	31.3	-7.9
16	Tobacco products	105.1	111.6	94.8	-5.8	17.7
17	Textiles	74.8	76.8	73.5	-2.5	4.5
18	Wearing apparel	56.5	61.9	59.2	-8.8	4.6
19	Leather and footwear	109.2	84.7	92.7	28.9	-8.6
20	Wood and cork	95.7	115.5	87.2	-17.1	32.3
21	Pulp, paper and paper products	132.9	108.5	89.7	22.5	20.9
22	Publishing, printing	384.9	331.0	263.1	16.3	25.8
23	Coke and petroleum	218.5	149.3	141.4	46.4	5.5
24	Chemicals and chemical products	260.0	220.5	218.0	17.9	1.1
25	Rubber and plastic products	168.9	170.1	135.4	-0.7	25.6
26	Other non-metallic mineral products	123.8	94.9	111.1	30.4	-14.6
27	Basic metals	225.2	210.1	188.7	7.1	11.4
28	Fabricated metal products	190.1	162.7	124.3	16.8	30.9
29	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	242.4	204.4	218.6	18.6	-6.5
30	Office machinery and computers	509.5	694.4	858.9	-26.6	-19.1
31	Electrical machinery and apparatus n. e. c.	301.7	178.9	220.8	68.7	-19.0
32	Radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	43.0	36.4	97.8	18.3	-62.8
33	Medical, precision and optical instruments	243.7	231.2	197.2	5.4	17.3
34	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	444.7	220.6	119.1	101.6	85.3
35	Other transport equipment	469.7	323.4	392.7	45.2	-17.7
36	Furniture; manufacturing n. e. c.	71.5	73.7	45.4	-2.9	62.3
37	Recycling	154.7	128.6	74.4	20.3	72.9
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
1	Energy	218.5	149.3	141.4	46.4	5.5
2	Intermediate goods	189.3	167.7	155.5	12.9	7.8
3	Capital goods	176.7	151.9	164.6	16.3	-7.7
4	Consumer Durables	116.3	99.0	126.3	17.5	-21.6
5	Consumer Non-Durables	120.4	100.4	105.3	19.9	-4.7

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**Table IV**  
**Annual rates of change of the Turnover Index in Industry for the Eurozone Countries**  
(2000 = 100,0)

Codes	Non – Domestic Market Eurozone Countries	April 2008*	April 2007	April 2006	Rate of change (%) 08*/07	Rate of change (%) 07/06
	<b>Overall Index</b>	158.6	106.6	98.7	48.8	8.0
	<b>Industrial Sections</b>					
C	Mining and Quarrying	129.2	172.4	130.9	-25.1	31.7
D	Manufacturing	159.3	104.9	97.9	51.9	7.2
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
1	Energy	456.0	25.4	0.0	1693.3	0.0
2	Intermediate goods	153.8	138.7	117.1	10.9	18.4
3	Capital goods	214.0	180.2	172.0	18.7	4.8
4	Consumer Durables	143.3	85.2	147.4	68.1	-42.2
5	Consumer Non-Durables	98.7	73.2	81.7	34.8	-10.4

\*Provisional data

**Table V**  
**Annual rates of change of the Turnover Index in Industry for the Non - Eurozone Countries**  
(2000 = 100,0)

Codes	Non – Domestic Market Non - Eurozone Countries	April 2008*	April 2007	April 2006	Rate of change (%) 08*/07	Rate of change (%) 07/06
	<b>Overall Index</b>	196.0	167.3	166.3	17.2	0.6
	<b>Industrial Sections</b>					
C	Mining and Quarrying	153.4	105.6	126.8	45.2	-16.7
D	Manufacturing	196.7	168.3	166.9	16.9	0.8
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
1	Energy	195.7	161.2	155.0	21.4	3.9
2	Intermediate goods	230.1	203.1	204.2	13.3	-0.5
3	Capital goods	190.1	134.4	173.0	41.5	-22.3
4	Consumer Durables	91.2	96.1	78.8	-5.1	21.9
5	Consumer Non-Durables	151.3	141.2	136.4	7.2	3.5

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**Table VI**  
**Evolution of the Turnover Index in Industry (Total Market)**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Year-month	Overall Index (Total Market)		Turnover Index in Industry for the Domestic Market		Turnover Index in Industry for the Non - Domestic Market	
	Index	Annual rate of change (%)	Index	Annual rate of change (%)	Index	Annual rate of change (%)
2007 IV	129.9	-0.4	125.4	-1.4	142.6	3.2
V	147.9	-3.3	141.4	-1.0	166.6	-10.9
VI	150.7	-3.3	141.6	-3.6	175.9	-4.4
VII	159.0	4.7	152.4	4.8	179.2	5.0
VIII	124.7	-1.7	120.7	-0.1	134.8	-7.1
IX	148.2	4.2	140.6	2.4	170.5	9.8
X	158.0	10.9	151.4	9.1	177.8	16.8
XI	159.1	13.5	149.7	7.9	186.8	33.8
XII	152.0	10.4	144.1	7.1	174.2	20.6
2008 I	149.6	17.9	146.1	18.0	157.8	19.4
II	154.1	20.8	148.9	22.0	166.2	16.7
III	152.3	-1.7	143.8	-0.5	179.9	-2.6
*IV	156.3	20.3	149.5	19.2	177.8	24.7

\*Provisional data

**Table VII**  
**Evolution of the Turnover Index in Industry for the Non – Domestic Market**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Year-month	Overall Index (Non – Domestic Market)		Turnover Index in Industry for Eurozone Countries		Turnover Index in Industry for Non - Eurozone Countries	
	Index	Annual rate of change (%)	Index	Annual rate of change (%)	Index	Annual rate of change (%)
2007 IV	142.6	3.2	106.6	8.0	167.3	0.6
V	166.6	-10.9	130.7	6.6	195.0	-15.8
VI	175.9	-4.4	117.9	-14.1	216.9	-1.1
VII	179.2	5.0	129.2	2.8	212.2	4.1
VIII	134.8	-7.1	79.9	-23.0	174.5	-1.5
IX	170.5	9.8	118.5	-3.9	208.1	17.2
X	177.8	16.8	119.2	16.0	219.2	17.4
XI	186.8	33.8	123.1	8.3	230.9	47.7
XII	174.2	20.6	95.9	6.0	226.6	23.8
2008 I	157.8	19.4	127.1	15.1	178.4	20.9
II	166.2	16.7	168.1	46.8	170.2	4.0
III	179.9	-2.6	151.5	7.0	203.6	-6.8
*IV	177.8	24.7	158.6	48.8	196.0	17.2

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**Table VIII**  
**Average indices and rates of change (%) of the 12-month periods**  
**of Turnover Index in Industry (Total Market)**  
*(2000 = 100,0)*

Branch code	Branch name	Average Indices of 12-month periods			Rate of change (%) 2008*/2007	Rate of change (%) 2007/2006
		May 2007- Apr.2008*	May 2006- Apr.2007	May 2005- Apr.2006		
	<b>Overall Index</b>	151.0	140.8	129.6	7.3	8.6
<b>C</b>	<b>Mining and Quarrying</b>	144.8	143.4	127.5	1.0	12.4
<b>11</b>	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	65.5	64.5	55.2	1.5	16.9
<b>13</b>	Mining of metal ores	80.3	84.1	95.2	-4.4	-11.7
<b>14</b>	Other mining and quarrying	165.8	163.3	141.3	1.5	15.6
<b>D</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	151.1	140.7	129.6	7.4	8.6
<b>15</b>	Food and beverages	141.8	128.1	121.9	10.7	5.1
<b>16</b>	Tobacco products	138.0	136.1	137.1	1.4	-0.7
<b>17</b>	Textiles	68.8	73.3	71.5	-6.1	2.4
<b>18</b>	Wearing apparel	84.4	85.0	83.8	-0.8	1.5
<b>19</b>	Leather and footwear	97.8	96.9	94.2	0.9	2.9
<b>20</b>	Wood and cork	98.7	101.1	90.3	-2.3	12.0
<b>21</b>	Pulp, paper and paper products	113.3	104.6	96.9	8.3	7.9
<b>22</b>	Publishing, printing	132.7	132.5	122.5	0.2	8.2
<b>23</b>	Coke and petroleum	200.7	167.9	158.6	19.5	5.8
<b>24</b>	Chemicals and chemical products	146.6	143.9	136.9	1.9	5.1
<b>25</b>	Rubber and plastic products	141.4	134.6	125.7	5.1	7.0
<b>26</b>	Other non-metallic mineral products	156.8	164.2	139.2	-4.5	18.0
<b>27</b>	Basic metals	189.6	194.1	154.2	-2.3	25.9
<b>28</b>	Fabricated metal products	130.8	137.5	133.1	-4.9	3.3
<b>29</b>	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	144.6	141.4	130.2	2.3	8.6
<b>30</b>	Office machinery and computers	892.4	523.8	137.1	70.4	281.9
<b>31</b>	Electrical machinery and apparatus n. e. c.	171.2	157.5	124.7	8.6	26.4
<b>32</b>	Radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	48.3	63.3	59.5	-23.7	6.4
<b>33</b>	Medical, precision and optical instruments	177.2	194.2	162.9	-8.8	19.2
<b>34</b>	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	62.1	58.5	69.7	6.1	-16.1
<b>35</b>	Other transport equipment	198.9	147.7	173.3	34.7	-14.8
<b>36</b>	Furniture; manufacturing n. e. c.	129.8	119.9	106.5	8.3	12.6
<b>37</b>	Recycling	266.2	250.6	193.6	6.2	29.4
	<b>Main Industrial Groupings</b>					
<b>1</b>	Energy	199.9	167.3	158.0	19.5	5.9
<b>2</b>	Intermediate goods	149.8	147.7	127.0	1.4	16.3
<b>3</b>	Capital goods	111.5	112.4	110.4	-0.7	1.8
<b>4</b>	Consumer Durables	133.0	126.6	115.7	5.1	9.4
<b>5</b>	Consumer Non-Durables	129.1	122.8	118.3	5.1	3.8

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