

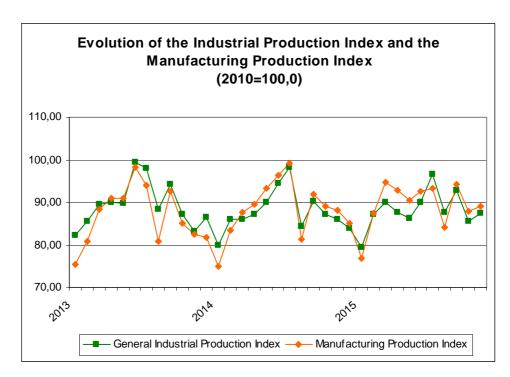
PRESS RELEASE

PRODUCTION INDEX IN INDUSTRY: November 2015

The Production Index in Industry (IPI), base year 2010=100.0, according to working day adjusted data, in November 2015 compared with November 2014 recorded an increase of 1.8%. In November 2014, the annual rate of change of the IPI was 3.3% (Table 1).

In the 11-month period from January 2015 to November 2015, according to working day adjusted data, the average rate of change of the IPI was 0.1%. In November 2014, the corresponding average rate of change of the IPI was -1.9% (Table 2).

The seasonally adjusted Production Index in Industry (IPI), after eliminating the monthly effects (e.g. holidays, tourist period etc), in November 2015 compared with October 2015 recorded an increase of 3.2% (Table 4).



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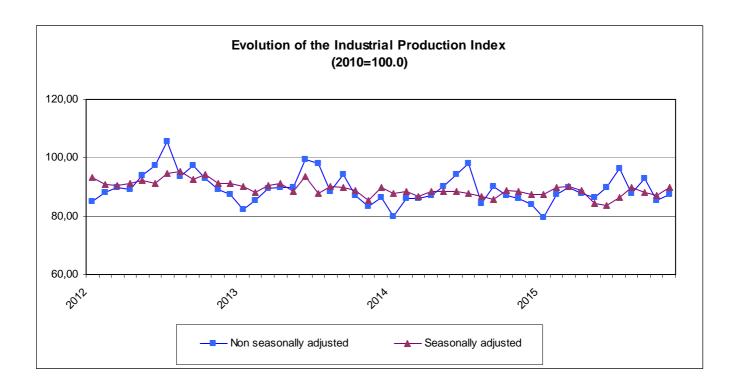
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The tables of the Industrial Production Index are available on the ELSTAT website: http://www.statistics.gr/en/statistics/-/publication/DKT21/-

The following graph depicts the evolution of seasonally and non seasonally adjusted overall Industrial Production Index.



It should be noted that the whole series with seasonally adjusted indices is recalculated every time a new observation is added in time series. Therefore, the seasonally adjusted data differ from the published data of the previous Press Release.

1. Annual rates of change of November 2015 compared with November 2014 (Table 1)

The IPI, according to working day adjusted data, in November 2015, compared with November 2014, increased by 1.8% due to the annual changes of the sub-indices of the industrial sections:

- a. Mining and quarrying production decreased by 1.3%.
- b. Manufacturing production increased by 1.1%.
- c. Electricity production increased by 5.5%.
- d. Water supply production increased by 1.0%.

2. Average rates of change of the period January - November 2015 compared with January - November 2014 (Table 2)

The IPI, according to working day adjusted data, in the 11-month period January – November 2015, compared with the period January – November 2014, increased by 0.1% due to the 11-month average rates of change of the sub-indices of the industrial sections:

- a. Mining and quarrying production decreased by 8.0%.
- b. Manufacturing production increased by 1.0%.
- c. Electricity production decreased by 0.7%.
- d. Water supply production increased by 1.9%.

3. Monthly rates of change of November 2015 compared with October 2015 (Table 4)

The IPI⁽¹⁾, according to seasonally adjusted data, in November 2015, compared with October 2015, increased by 3.2% due to the monthly changes of the sub-indices of the main industrial groupings:

- a. Energy production increased by 4.2%.
- b. Intermediate goods production increased by 3.7%.
- c. Capital goods production decreased by 0.2%.
- d. Consumer Durables production increased by 6.3%.
- e. Consumer Non-Durables production increased by 1.6%.

⁽¹⁾ The seasonally adjusted Industrial Production Index is computed as the weighted average of the seasonally adjusted MIGs.

Table 1: Annual rates of change of the Industrial Production Index

Base year: 2010=100.0

Dranah			November	Rate of change (%)			
Branch code	Branch name	2015*	2014	2013	• ,		
	OVERALL	87.46	85.95	83.19	2015/2014	2014/2013	
В	MINING AND QUARRYING	84.8	85.9	76.3	-1.3	12.6	
05	Mining of coal and lignite	82.9	90.5	79.3	-8.4	14.1	
06	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	56.4	55.1	71.6	2.3	-23.0	
07	Mining of metal ores	87.6	84.5	85.0	3.6	-0.5	
08	Other mining and quarrying products	90.6	79.3	66.7	14.3	18.8	
С	MANUFACTURING	89.1	88.2	82.4	1.1	7.0	
10	Food	85.6	86.8	78.4	-1.4	10.8	
11	Beverages	65.6	56.3	61.1	16.4	-7.8	
12	Tobacco products	130.8	119.3	117.4	9.7	1.6	
13	Textiles	68.8	64.7	63.5	6.4	1.9	
14	Wearing apparel	52.9	63.8	65.4	-17.2	-2.5	
15	Leather and related products	51.0	48.0	60.2	6.2	-20.3	
16	Wood and cork	46.5	40.9	48.6	13.7	-15.8	
17	Paper and paper products	93.1	95.6	88.2	-2.6	8.4	
18	Printing and recording services	57.5	58.6	66.5	-1.9	-11.8	
19	Coke and refined petroleum products	137.1	134.5	104.8	1.9	28.3	
20	Chemicals and chemical products	88.6	79.8	82.5	11.1	-3.3	
21	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	100.2	103.0	101.8	-2.7	1.2	
22	Rubber and plastic products	98.4	94.6	90.8	4.0	4.1	
23	Other non-metallic mineral products	66.8	59.3	52.0	12.7	14.0	
24	Basic metals	98.0	110.2	101.1	-11.0	9.0	
25	Fabricated metal products	69.7	69.1	77.3	0.9	-10.7	
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	105.9	84.0	110.1	26.0	-23.7	
27	Electrical equipment	68.1	61.6	73.4	10.5	-16.0	
28	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	93.6	90.3	77.2	3.7	16.9	
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	47.9	90.2	62.7	-46.9	43.9	
30	Other transport equipment	24.3	23.5	84.6	3.1	-72.2	
31	Furniture	50.9	52.5	57.1	-3.1	-8.0	
32	Other manufactured goods	83.6	85.8	86.2	-2.5	-0.5	
33	Repair and installation services of machinery and equipment	73.7	87.4	86.9	-15.7	0.5	
D	ELECTRICITY	81.8	77.5	86.7	5.5	-10.7	
35	Production and distribution of electricity	81.8	77.5	86.7	5.5	-10.7	
E	WATER SUPPLY	92.6	91.7	89.8	1.0	2.2	
36	Treatment and supply services of natural water	92.6	91.7	89.8	1.0	2.2	
	MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS						
1	Energy	97.8	95.4	91.2	2.5	4.7	
2	Intermediate goods	84.6	82.6	79.2	2.5	4.2	
3	Capital goods	66.3	74.9	78.9	-11.4	-5.1	
4	Consumer Durables	60.4	57.6	66.4	4.9	-13.2	
5	Consumer Non-Durables	82.0	80.1	77.7	2.4	3.0	

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Table 2: Average rates of change (%) of the period January – November for the years 2013-2015 of the **Industrial Production Index**

Base year: 2010=100.0

Branch		Average indice	s of the period	Rate of change (%)		
code	Branch name	2015*	2014	2013	2015/2014	2014/2013
	OVERALL	88.2	88.1	89.8	0.1	-1.9
В	MINING AND QUARRYING	80.5	87.4	86.8	-8.0	0.8
05	Mining of coal and lignite	81.6	90.6	95.6	-9.9	-5.2
06	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	59.1	56.7	66.0	4.3	-14.1
07	Mining of metal ores	78.3	85.2	82.6	-8.2	3.2
08	Other mining and quarrying products	80.9	84.2	70.9	-3.9	18.9
С	MANUFACTURING	89.4	88.6	87.2	1.0	1.6
10	Food	94.7	95.1	92.5	-0.3	2.8
11	Beverages	91.8	88.9	89.3	3.3	-0.5
12	Tobacco products	117.5	96.6	103.8	21.6	-6.9
13	Textiles	62.0	61.1	68.6	1.6	-11.0
14	Wearing apparel	54.1	64.1	67.7	-15.6	-5.3
15	Leather and related products	45.6	54.1	62.1	-15.8	-12.9
16	Wood and cork	38.5	41.6	45.9	-7.5	-9.3
17	Paper and paper products	98.7	97.0	90.3	1.8	7.4
18	Printing and recording services	53.4	56.6	58.0	-5.8	-2.3
19	Coke and refined petroleum products	118.6	117.5	110.3	0.9	6.6
20	Chemicals and chemical products Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical	95.0	93.4	92.1	1.7	1.5
21	preparations	102.2	97.6	101.9	4.7	-4.2
22	Rubber and plastic products	92.4	89.6	88.2	3.2	1.6
23	Other non-metallic mineral products	55.3	56.3	55.1	-1.8	2.2
24	Basic metals	107.9	102.6	97.0	5.1	5.7
25	Fabricated metal products	74.9	79.1	79.3	-5.3	-0.3
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	120.2	94.5	87.7	27.2	7.7
27	Electrical equipment	67.1	63.0	72.0	6.5	-12.5
28	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	82.8	81.6	77.6	1.4	5.2
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	53.9	61.6	58.3	-12.6	5.7
30	Other transport equipment	29.1	27.1	56.6	7.3	-52.1
31	Furniture	46.1	46.3	45.9	-0.4	0.9
32 33	Other manufactured goods Repair and installation services of machinery and	87.7 54.6	81.7 66.8	77.5 66.8	7.3 -18.3	5.4 0.02
D	equipment ELECTRICITY	84.6	85.2	98.0	-10.3 - 0.7	-13.0
35						
33 E	Production and distribution of electricity WATER SUPPLY	84.6 98.6	85.2 96.7	98.0 97.6	-0.7 1.9	-13.0 -0.9
36	Treatment and supply services of natural water MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS	98.6	96.7	97.6	1.9	-0.9
1	Energy	94.8	95.5	100.9	-0.7	-5.4
2	Intermediate goods	82.9	82.2	80.1	0.9	2.6
3	Capital goods	60.2	64.5	65.7	-6.6	-1.8
4	Consumer Durables	55.5	54.6	59.6	1.5	-8.3
5	Consumer Non-Durables	92.3	90.7	90.5	1.7	0.2

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Table 3: Monthly changes of the Industrial Production Index

Base year: 2010=100.0

	Base year: 2						
Branch code	Branch name	November	October	Rate of change (%)			
Code		2015*	2015**	Nov. 15/ Oct. 15			
	OVERALL	87.46	85.54	2.2			
В	MINING AND QUARRYING	84.8	76.5	10.8			
05	Mining of coal and lignite	82.9	73.3	13.1			
06	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	56.4	60.0	-6.0			
07	Mining of metal ores	87.6	71.9	21.9			
08	Other mining and quarrying products	90.6	87.0	4.2			
С	MANUFACTURING	89.1	87.9	1.3			
10	Food	85.6	91.1	-6.1			
11	Beverages	65.6	64.1	2.3			
12	Tobacco products	130.8	119.3	9.7			
13	Textiles	68.8	66.3	3.7			
14	Wearing apparel	52.9	50.8	4.1			
15	Leather and related products	51.0	55.5	-8.2			
16	Wood and cork	46.5	40.4	15.1			
17	Paper and paper products	93.1	95.5	-2.5			
18	Printing and recording services	57.5	51.4	11.9			
19	Coke and refined petroleum products	137.1	126.6	8.3			
20	Chemicals and chemical products Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical	88.6	92.2	-3.8			
21	preparations	100.2	104.7	-4.3			
22	Rubber and plastic products	98.4	97.8	0.6			
23	Other non-metallic mineral products	66.8	57.5	16.3			
24	Basic metals	98.0	107.0	-8.4			
25	Fabricated metal products	69.7	71.2	-2.2			
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	105.9	72.3	46.5			
27	Electrical equipment	68.1	66.9	1.8			
28	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	93.6	100.1	-6.5			
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	47.9	45.5	5.3			
30	Other transport equipment	24.3	27.2	-10.6			
31	Furniture	50.9	46.3	9.8			
32	Other manufactured goods	83.6	90.7	-7.8			
33	Repair and installation services of machinery and equipment	73.7	61.7	19.4			
D	ELECTRICITY	81.8	78.0	4.9			
35 _	Production and distribution of electricity	81.8	78.0	4.9			
E	WATER SUPPLY	92.6	97.2	-4.7			
36	Treatment and supply services of natural water	92.6	97.2	-4.7			
	MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS						
1	Energy	97.8	92.5	5.8			
2	Intermediate goods	84.6	83.7	1.0			
3	Capital goods	66.3	62.4	6.3			
4	Consumer Durables	60.4	54.6	10.6			
5	Consumer Non-Durables	82.0	84.5	-3.0			

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Table 4: Monthly changes of the seasonally adjusted Industrial Production Index

Base year: 2010=100.0

			Dase year. 2010=10			
Branch code	Branch name	November	October	Rate of change (%)		
		2015*	2015**	Nov. 15/ Oct. 15		
	OVERALL	90.0	87.2	3.2		
В	MINING AND QUARRYING	84.6	73.5	15.0		
05	Mining of coal and lignite	85.3	71.5	19.4		
06	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	61.0	62.2	-1.9		
07	Mining of metal ores	83.0	70.3	18.1		
80	Other mining and quarrying products	88.1	76.2	15.7		
С	MANUFACTURING	90.0	88.1	2.2		
10	Food	94.7	93.6	1.1		
11	Beverages	91.7	88.5	3.6		
12	Tobacco products	120.7	111.9	7.9		
13	Textiles	61.5	61.5	0.01		
14	Wearing apparel	50.6	50.1	1.0		
15	Leather and related products	46.1	43.6	5.8		
16	Wood and cork	41.5	37.3	11.3		
17	Paper and paper products	94.1	97.1	-3.1		
18	Printing and recording services	54.2	51.1	6.0		
19	Coke and refined petroleum products	128.9	128.0	0.6		
20	Chemicals and chemical products Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical	96.7	91.1	6.2		
21	preparations	97.5	101.5	-3.9		
22	Rubber and plastic products	93.3	90.6	2.9		
23	Other non-metallic mineral products	62.6	52.3	19.7		
24	Basic metals	95.2	106.2	-10.3		
25	Fabricated metal products	70.5	71.5	-1.4		
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	115.0	87.2	31.9		
27	Electrical equipment	64.9	64.5	0.6		
28	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	90.2	94.3	-4.3		
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	38.5	45.9	-16.3		
30	Other transport equipment	19.5	24.5	-20.2		
31	Furniture	45.6	42.9	6.3		
32	Other manufactured goods	84.5	90.2	-6.3		
33	Repair and installation services of machinery and equipment	55.5	54.3	2.1		
D	ELECTRICITY	85.7	83.0	3.2		
35	Production and distribution of electricity	85.7	83.0	3.2		
E	WATER SUPPLY	98.0	96.5	1.5		
36	Treatment and supply services of natural water	98.0	96.5	1.5		
	MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS					
1	Energy	100.6	96.6	4.2		
2	Intermediate goods	82.1	79.2	3.7		
3	Capital goods	59.1	59.2	-0.2		
4	Consumer Durables	55.4	52.2	6.3		
5	Consumer Non-Durables	91.5	90.1	1.6		

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^{3.} The whole time-series with seasonally adjusted indices is recalculated every time a new observation is added in the time-series

Table 5: Comparisons of the overall Industrial Production Index

Base year: 2010=100.0

					Base	year: 2010=100.0
Year ar	nd month	Overall index	Monthly rates of change	Annual rates of change	Annual average index	Annual average rates of change
			%	%	(moving average)	%
2013:	1	82.3	-6.0	-3.1	92.2	-1.9
	2	85.5	3.9	-2.8	92.0	-1.6
	3	89.4	4.6	-0.4	92.0	-1.1
	4	90.0	0.6	1.0	92.1	-0.8
	5	89.8	-0.2	-4.4	91.7	-1.0
	6	99.5	10.8	2.3	91.9	-0.9
	7	98.0	-1.5	-7.2	91.3	-1.3
	8	88.5	-9.8	-5.5	90.8	-2.0
	9	94.3	6.6	-3.2	90.6	-1.7
	10	87.2	-7.5	-6.1	90.1	-2.6
	11	83.2	-4.6	-6.6	89.6	-2.9
	12	86.4	3.8	-1.4	89.5	-3.2
Annual	average	89.5	-	-	89.5	-3.2
2014:	1	80.0	-7.4	-2.8	89.3	-3.2
	2	85.9	7.4	0.5	89.4	-2.9
	3	85.9	-0.04	-3.9	89.1	-3.2
	4	87.1	1.4	-3.2	88.8	-3.5
	5	90.1	3.4	0.3	88.8	-3.1
	6	94.4	4.7	-5.2	88.4	-3.8
	7	98.1	4.0	0.1	88.4	-3.1
	8	84.3	-14.1	-4.7	88.1	-3.0
	9	90.2	7.0	-4.3	87.7	-3.1
	10	87.2	-3.4	-0.02	87.7	-2.6
	11	86.0	-1.4	3.3	88.0	-1.8
	12	84.0	-2.3	-2.7	87.8	-1.9
Annual	average	87.8	-	-	87.8	-1.9
2015:	1	79.5	-5.4	-0.7	87.7	-1.8
	2	87.3	9.9	1.6	87.8	-1.7
	3	90.0	3.1	4.7	88.2	-1.0
	4	87.7	-2.6	0.6	88.2	-0.7
	5	86.3	-1.6	-4.3	87.9	-1.1
	6	89.9	4.2	-4.7	87.5	-1.0
	7	96.5	7.3	-1.7	87.4	-1.2
	8	87.8	-9.0	4.1	87.7	-0.5
	9	92.8	5.8	2.9	87.9	0.2
	10	85.5	-7.8	-1.9	87.8	0.02
	11*	87.5	2.2	1.8	87.9	-0.1

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Table 6: Monthly evolution of the seasonally adjusted general Industrial Production Index and Main Industrial Groupings

Base year: 2010=100.0

		Overall	Index	Ener	gy	Intermed	liate goods	Capita	al goods	Consume	er Durables		mer Non- rables
Year - mo	onth	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)	Index	Monthly rates of change (%)
2013:	1	90.3	-0.9	101.5	-6.2	79.9	-0.6	71.3	7.5	62.5	6.6	90.4	6.4
	2	88.2	-2.4	99.8	-1.7	77.4	-3.2	67.2	-5.8	60.5	-3.2	88.5	-2.0
	3	90.5	2.7	106.1	6.3	76.9	-0.6	68.3	1.7	59.7	-1.3	88.4	-0.1
	4	91.4	0.9	102.0	-3.8	82.6	7.4	66.8	-2.3	63.5	6.4	91.9	3.9
	5	88.5	-3.1	99.1	-2.9	76.9	-6.8	74.2	11.1	55.9	-11.9	89.8	-2.3
	6	93.5	5.6	107.2	8.2	80.3	4.4	70.2	-5.4	61.0	9.1	93.9	4.6
	7	87.8	-6.1	96.9	-9.6	80.8	0.6	68.6	-2.2	59.1	-3.2	87.5	-6.8
	8	90.3	2.9	103.2	6.5	82.5	2.2	67.9	-1.0	63.0	6.7	86.1	-1.7
	9	89.7	-0.7	101.7	-1.4	79.3	-3.9	68.4	0.8	57.9	-8.2	89.2	3.6
	10	88.7	-1.1	99.8	-1.9	79.1	-0.3	69.2	1.1	57.5	-0.7	88.6	-0.7
	11	85.5	-3.6	93.9	-5.9	76.9	-2.7	69.7	0.7	61.2	6.5	86.8	-1.9
	12	89.8	5.0	101.7	8.4	80.0	4.1	71.0	1.9	55.8	-8.7	88.5	1.9
Annual average		89.5		101.1		79.4		69.4		59.8		89.1	
2014:	1	87.9	-2.1	96.5	-5.1	80.9	1.1	66.4	-6.5	57.7	3.4	89.0	0.6
	2	88.6	0.8	96.2	-0.3	82.8	2.3	70.1	5.6	58.4	1.2	89.3	0.2
	3	86.6	-2.2	92.0	-4.4	82.3	-0.5	68.7	-2.0	52.9	-9.4	89.1	-0.2
	4	88.5	2.2	96.1	4.4	81.7	-0.8	66.3	-3.5	55.5	4.9	91.2	2.4
	5	88.6	0.2	96.8	0.7	82.5	1.0	67.1	1.2	54.5	-1.8	89.8	-1.5
	6	88.3	-0.3	97.4	0.6	80.6	-2.3	71.2	6.1	54.5	0.02	88.8	-1.1
	7	87.9	-0.5	92.7	-4.8	82.4	2.2	66.1	-7.2	55.7	2.2	93.1	4.8
	8	86.7	-1.3	92.3	-0.4	81.7	-0.8	74.8	13.2	58.0	4.1	88.0	-5.4
	9	85.8	-1.1	94.9	2.8	79.1	-3.2	63.4	-15.2	54.1	-6.8	86.2	-2.1
	10	88.7	3.4	98.7	4.0	80.2	1.5	69.9	10.2	53.6	-0.9	88.9	3.2
	11	88.5	-0.2	98.2	-0.5	80.2	-0.1	66.6	-4.7	53.0	-1.1	89.8	1.0
	12	87.6	-1.1	93.9	-4.4	82.2	2.6	67.7	1.6	61.3	15.8	89.8	0.02
Annual average		87.8		95.5		81.4		68.2		55.8		89.4	
2015:	1	87.4	-0.2	96.6	2.9	78.2	-4.8	72.1	6.5	55.0	-10.3	88.7	-1.3
	2	90.0	2.9	97.5	0.9	82.6	5.6	68.7	-4.7	54.1	-1.6	93.3	5.2
	3	90.3	0.3	96.4	-1.1	84.6	2.5	70.4	2.4	57.6	6.5	93.3	0.1
	4	88.8	-1.6	94.5	-2.0	84.5	-0.1	67.5	-4.1	58.2	0.9	91.6	-1.8
	5	84.5	-4.9	82.5	-12.7	87.1	3.1	63.7	-5.7	58.5	0.6	91.0	-0.7
	6	83.8	-0.8	83.4	1.1	85.7	-1.7	60.4	-5.1	55.3	-5.4	89.7	-1.4
	7	86.5	3.2	98.2	17.8	75.5	-11.8	61.3	1.5	49.9	-9.7	88.1	-1.8
	8	89.8	3.9	97.1	-1.2	86.1	14.0	53.6	-12.7	71.0	42.2	92.4	4.8
	9	88.3	-1.7	99.7	2.8	77.2	-10.3	62.2	16.1	53.4	-24.8	90.6	-1.9
	10	87.2	-1.2	96.6	-3.2	79.2	2.6	59.2	-4.8	52.2	-2.3	90.1	-0.6
	11	90.0	3.2	100.6	4.2	82.1	3.7	59.1	-0.2	55.4	6.3	91.5	1.6
Notes:													

^{1.} The indices are calculated with infinite decimal figures and are rounded up to one decimal figure when published.

^{2.} Percentage changes are calculated on the basis of indices with infinite decimal figures and are rounded up to one decimal figure when published.

^{3.} The whole time-series with seasonally adjusted indices is recalculated every time a new observation is added in the time-series.

METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Generally The Industrial Production Index (IPI) is being compiled since 1959.

Purpose of the index

The IPI is an important business cycle indicator, which shows the monthly activity in the Mining-Quarrying, Manufacturing, Electricity and Water Supply sectors. A more specific object of the Industrial Production Index is to compare the magnitude (volume) of the current month's output at any given time with the corresponding figure for a given base period. The IPI shows the evolution of value added, at factor cost, of production, at constant prices.

Legal basis

The compilation of IPI is governed by Council Regulation (EEC) No.1165/98 "concerning short-term statistics". Furthermore, the IPI is governed by the Regulation (EEC) No.1893/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council, by the Commission Regulation (EEC) No.656/2007 and by the Regulation (EEC) No.451/2008 of the Council.

Reference period Month

Base year 2010=100.0.

Revision

The IPI is a fixed base index. Pursuant to the provisions of Council Regulation No 1165/98 concerning short-term statistics, the index in question is updated every five (5) years in years ending in 0 or 5.

Statistical classifications

At the level of categories of economic activities the Eurostat classification NACE Rev. 2 was used (Regulation 1893/2006), while at the level of main industrial groups, the allocation of two-digit and three-digit NACE Rev. 2 headings to categories of aggregate classification was used, in accordance with the Council Regulation 656/2007. At product level, the Eurostat classification CPA 2008 was used, according to the Council Regulation 451/2008.

Geographical coverage

The Index covers the whole country.

Coverage of economic activities

The index covers all the sections of industry, the main industrial groups, all the levels of economic activities (divisions, groups, classes) and the level of products.

Statistical survey

The data are collected from a sample of 1,338 enterprises. The survey covers a total of 354 products and the measurement of the surveyed products is made in terms of output quantities or in terms of production value or turnover, according to the specific situation in each branch of economic activity.

Seasonal adjustment

Seasonal adjustment is the procedure followed to remove the impact of seasonality on the timeseries in order to improve the comparability over time. The method used is the TRAMO-SEAT method with the use of JDemetra+ 2.0.0.

For the seasonal adjustment of the Industrial Production Index at 2-digit level of NACE Rev.2, at section level (B – Mining – Quarrying, C – Manuafcturing, D – Electricity and E – Water Supply) and for the Main Industrial Groupings (MIGs), the direct approach is applied, namely each time-series is seasonally adjusted independently. For the overall Industrial Production Index, the indirect approach is applied, with the seasonally adjusted IPI being computed by aggregating the seasonally adjusted MIGs using appropriate weights.

Publication of data

The IPI with the new base year (2010) is being released since August 2014 with June 2014 as first reference month. Data with base year 2010=100.0 are available from January 2000 onwards.

More information about the methodology concerning the compilation and calculation of the index and for the time series is available on the Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) website (www.statistics.gr).