

User oriented quality report

Annual Survey of Production and Sales of Manufactured Products (PRODCOM)

Generally

The annual Survey of Production and Sales of Industrial Products (PRODCOM) is an annual survey, which is carried out since 1993, pursuant to [Council Regulation \(EEC\) No. 3924/91, of 19 December 1991](#), on the establishment of a Community survey on industrial production.

The title comes from the French “PRODUCTION COMMUNAUTAIRE” (Community Production).

Purpose of the survey – main variables

The main purpose of PRODCOM statistics is the collection and dissemination of statistics on production of industrial products, which takes place in Greece, as well as on the sold production which may take place out of Greece.

The statistical outputs for each industrial product are:

- The physical volume of total production manufactured (in units of measurement as defined in the PRODCOM list) for the reference year,
- The physical volume of production sold (in units of measurement as defined in the PRODCOM list) for the reference year, regardless the time of production,
- The value of production sold (in euros) for the reference year.

Within the PRODCOM framework the following are also recorded:

- Contract processing, per PRODCOM heading (only quantity of production and contractor’s payment),
- Industrial services (treatment, repairs and maintenance and assembly work).

Legal basis

The PRODCOM survey is carried out pursuant to [Council Regulation \(EEC\) No. 3924/91, of 19 December 1991](#), on the establishment of a Community survey on industrial production and to [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 912/2004, of 29 April 2004](#) on the implementation of the Council Regulation.

Statistical classification

The classification of industrial products is based on each year’s PRODCOM list. The basic building blocks of the PRODCOM list are the [Statistical Classification of Economic Activities in the European Community](#) (NACE Rev. 2), as well as the [European Classification of Products by Activity \(CPA\)](#). More specifically, the 8-digit PRODCOM headings correspond to NACE Rev.2 at 4-digit level and to CPA 2009 at 6-digit level.

The classification of the 2014 PRODCOM survey was based on the PRODCOM list for 2014 ([Commission Regulation \(EU\) 842/2014, of 4 July 2014](#)) and of the 2013 PRODCOM survey on the PRODCOM list for 2013 ([Commission Regulation \(EU\) No 936/2013, of 12 September 2013](#))

Coverage of economic activities

The survey covers the divisions [07-33](#) of the Statistical Classification of Economic Activities in the European Community (NACE Rev. 2) under sections B (Mining and Quarrying) and C (Manufacturing).

Statistical population (reference population)

The surveyed population are all the active enterprises in sections B (mining) and C (manufacturing) of NACE Rev.2, with an average annual employment of 10 persons and more. However, in some cases, depending on the representativeness of the product and of the turnover, enterprises that employ less than 10 persons are surveyed as well.

The frame used for determining the surveyed units is based on the **Business Register of ELSTAT**, which is updated through the results of surveys conducted by ELSTAT.

Geographical coverage

The whole of the country

Reference period

Calendar year

Unit of measure

The quantity of production and the quantity of sales is recorded in units (kg, g, m², etc.), according to the Prodcom headings on the PRODCOM list of each year. The value of sales is reported in euros.

Publication of data

Prodcom data are available on ELSTAT'S website since 1993.

References

More information (tabulated data, metadata, questionnaire) on the Survey on the Production and Sales of Manufactured Products are available on the portal of ELSTAT (<http://www.statistics.gr/en/home/>), Section Industry, Trade, Services, Transport, Subsection Manufacturing Products, Manufacturing Products (PRODCOM): Production and Sales.

Sections (2-digit) of economic activity covered by the PRODCOM survey

Classification of Economic Activity (NACE Rev.2)	Economic Activity
07	Mining of metal ores
08	Other mining and quarrying
10	Manufacture of food products
11	Manufacture of beverages
12	Manufacture of tobacco products
13	Manufacture of textiles
14	Manufacture of wearing apparel
15	Manufacture of leather and related products
16	Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials
17	Manufacture of paper and paper products
18	Printing and reproduction of recorded media
19	Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products
20	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products
21	Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations
22	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products
23	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products
24	Manufacture of basic metals
25	Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment
26	Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products
27	Manufacture of electrical equipment
28	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.
29	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers
30	Manufacture of other transport equipment
31	Manufacture of furniture
32	Other manufacturing
33	Repair and installation of machinery and equipment