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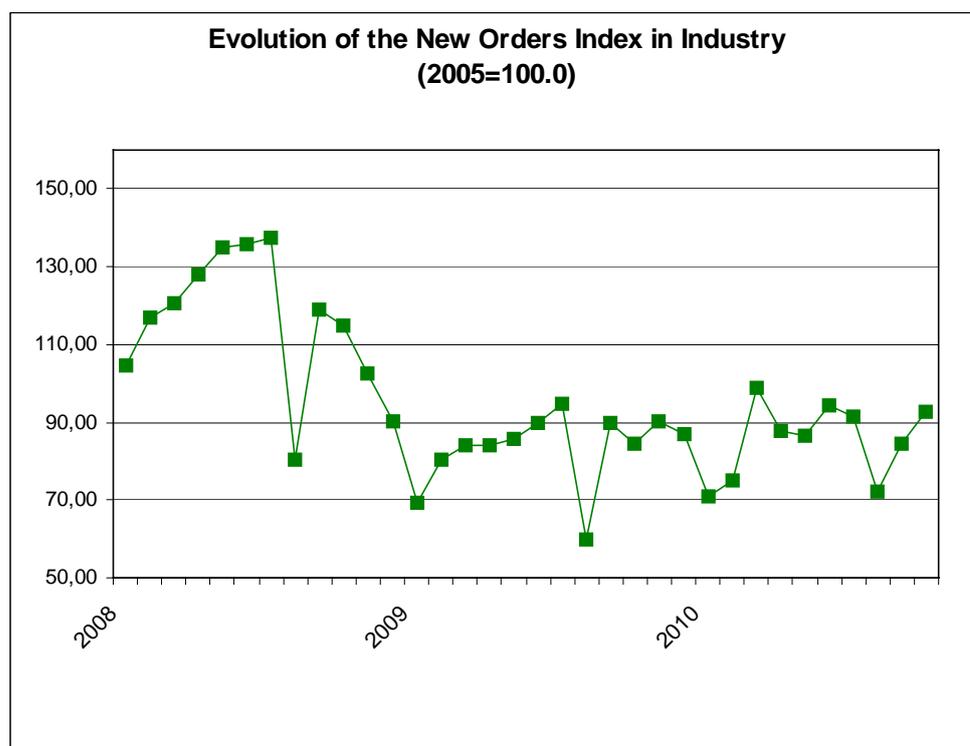
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The New Orders Index in Industry recorded a rise of 9.6% in October 2010 compared with October 2009.

### NEW ORDERS INDEX IN INDUSTRY: October 2010

The New Orders Index in Industry (both domestic and non-domestic market) in October 2010 compared with October 2009 recorded a rise of 9.6%. In October 2009, the annual rate of change of the New Orders in Industry was -26.1%.

The average New Orders Index in Industry for the 12-month period from November 2009 to October 2010, compared with the 12-month period from November 2008 to October 2009, rose by 1.7%. In October 2009, the corresponding average rate of change of the New Orders Index in Industry was -28.1%.



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The increase of the New Orders Index in Industry by 9.6% in October 2010, compared with October 2009, was due to the annual changes of the indices of the markets as following:

- The New Orders Index in Industry for the domestic market fell by 8.6%.
- The New Orders Index in Industry for the non-domestic market rose by 42.1%.

The increase of the New Orders Index in Industry for the non-domestic market by 42.1% in October 2010, compared with October 2009, was due to the annual changes as following:

- The New Orders Index in Industry for the Eurozone countries rose by 31.3%.
- The New Orders Index in Industry for the non-Eurozone countries rose by 54.7%.

**Table 1: Annual rates of change of the New Orders Index in Industry (Total Market)**

**Base year: 2005=100.0**

Branch code	Branch name	October			Rate of change (%)	
		2010*	2009	2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	92.8	84.6	114.5	9.6	-26.1
<b>C</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	92.8	84.6	114.5	9.6	-26.1
<b>13</b>	Textiles	53.1	64.7	89.5	-18.0	-27.7
<b>14</b>	Wearing apparel	64.9	74.9	109.0	-13.3	-31.3
<b>17</b>	Paper and paper products	121.2	115.4	126.4	5.0	-8.7
<b>20</b>	Chemicals and chemical products	97.3	85.6	103.7	13.7	-17.5
<b>21</b>	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	139.5	162.5	131.7	-14.2	23.3
<b>24</b>	Basic metals	113.2	76.5	128.1	48.0	-40.3
<b>25</b>	Fabricated metal products	68.4	90.8	114.3	-24.7	-20.5
<b>26</b>	Computers, electronic and optical products	54.7	55.4	96.3	-1.3	-42.5
<b>27</b>	Electrical equipment	104.4	83.0	97.4	25.8	-14.8
<b>28</b>	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	56.9	94.3	117.1	-39.7	-19.5
<b>29</b>	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	46.4	58.4	77.0	-20.5	-24.2
<b>30</b>	Other transport equipment	37.6	41.2	109.3	-8.7	-62.3
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
<b>1</b>	Energy					
<b>2</b>	Intermediate goods	108.0	83.1	118.7	30.0	-30.0
<b>3</b>	Capital goods	47.4	74.0	109.4	-35.9	-32.4
<b>4</b>	Consumer Durables	72.5	62.4	75.9	16.2	-17.9
<b>5</b>	Consumer Non-Durables	87.9	103.9	113.1	-15.4	-8.1

\* Provisional data

Note:

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.

**Table 2: Annual rates of change of the New Orders Index in Industry for the Domestic Market**

**Base year: 2005=100.0**

Branch code	Branch name	October			Rate of change (%)	
		2010*	2009	2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	73.3	80.2	108.5	-8.6	-26.1
<b>C</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	73.3	80.2	108.5	-8.6	-26.1
<b>13</b>	Textiles	43.4	62.2	83.3	-30.2	-25.4
<b>14</b>	Wearing apparel	73.5	93.7	129.5	-21.6	-27.7
<b>17</b>	Paper and paper products	122.0	116.8	125.6	4.4	-7.0
<b>20</b>	Chemicals and chemical products	79.9	79.7	92.6	0.3	-13.9
<b>21</b>	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	105.5	123.0	115.4	-14.2	6.6
<b>24</b>	Basic metals	76.1	75.6	118.0	0.8	-35.9
<b>25</b>	Fabricated metal products	57.5	80.3	110.2	-28.4	-27.1
<b>26</b>	Computers, electronic and optical products	46.4	43.2	111.5	7.4	-61.3
<b>27</b>	Electrical equipment	97.6	77.4	104.1	26.1	-25.6
<b>28</b>	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	48.0	103.3	101.1	-53.6	2.2
<b>29</b>	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	30.1	48.3	75.4	-37.6	-35.9
<b>30</b>	Other transport equipment	13.3	13.5	100.0	-1.8	-86.5
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
<b>1</b>	Energy					
<b>2</b>	Intermediate goods	83.2	82.4	111.1	1.0	-25.9
<b>3</b>	Capital goods	33.4	60.1	103.0	-44.4	-41.7
<b>4</b>	Consumer Durables	105.7	57.6	84.2	83.5	-31.6
<b>5</b>	Consumer Non-Durables	80.4	98.8	111.1	-18.7	-11.0

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**Table 3: Annual rates of change of the New Orders Index in Industry for the Non - Domestic Market**

Base year: 2005=100.0

Branch code	Branch name	October			Rate of change (%)	
		2010*	2009	2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	124.2	87.4	124.3	42.1	-29.7
<b>C</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	124.2	87.4	124.3	42.1	-29.7
<b>13</b>	Textiles	65.4	67.2	96.4	-2.8	-30.2
<b>14</b>	Wearing apparel	58.2	59.6	93.7	-2.2	-36.4
<b>17</b>	Paper and paper products	113.8	102.9	133.4	10.6	-22.8
<b>20</b>	Chemicals and chemical products	138.4	99.4	130.2	39.2	-23.7
<b>21</b>	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	308.0	358.2	212.8	-14.0	68.4
<b>24</b>	Basic metals	149.9	77.4	138.5	93.6	-44.1
<b>25</b>	Fabricated metal products	110.4	125.8	129.0	-12.2	-2.5
<b>26</b>	Computers, electronic and optical products	57.5	60.5	88.1	-5.0	-31.3
<b>27</b>	Electrical equipment	123.9	87.2	88.0	42.1	-0.8
<b>28</b>	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	67.8	75.9	133.4	-10.7	-43.1
<b>29</b>	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	129.6	104.0	72.9	24.6	42.6
<b>30</b>	Other transport equipment	41.7	50.7	151.1	-17.7	-66.4
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
<b>1</b>	Energy					
<b>2</b>	Intermediate goods	142.3	83.4	128.9	70.7	-35.3
<b>3</b>	Capital goods	67.0	88.4	123.8	-24.2	-28.6
<b>4</b>	Consumer Durables	43.2	66.0	67.7	-34.5	-2.4
<b>5</b>	Consumer Non-Durables	99.7	109.9	117.6	-9.3	-6.6

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**Table 4: Annual rates of change of the New Orders Index in Industry for the Eurozone Countries**

Base year: 2005=100.0

Branch code	Branch name	October			Rate of change (%)	
		2010*	2009	2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	117.3	89.3	128.3	31.3	-30.4
C	MANUFACTURING	117.3	89.3	128.3	31.3	-30.4
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
1	Energy					
2	Intermediate goods	146.1	95.5	145.4	53.0	-34.3
3	Capital goods	49.7	54.3	113.4	-8.6	-52.1
4	Consumer Durables	49.9	66.1	67.0	-24.5	-1.4
5	Consumer Non-Durables	84.6	96.1	102.0	-11.9	-5.8

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**Table 5: Annual rates of change of the New Orders Index in Industry for the Non - Eurozone Countries**

Base year: 2005=100.0

Branch code	Branch name	October			Rate of change (%)	
		2010*	2009	2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	130.9	84.7	122.7	54.7	-31.0
C	MANUFACTURING	130.9	84.7	122.7	54.7	-31.0
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
1	Energy					
2	Intermediate goods	141.5	76.3	120.0	85.5	-36.4
3	Capital goods	86.9	131.0	132.9	-33.7	-1.4
4	Consumer Durables	28.7	70.7	72.0	-59.4	-1.8
5	Consumer Non-Durables	104.4	107.1	139.5	-2.5	-23.2

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**Table 6: Evolution of the New Orders Index in Industry (Total Market)****Base year: 2005=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 (%)
2009 X	84.6	-26.1	80.2	-26.1	87.4	-29.7
XI	90.4	-11.7	83.1	-14.8	99.4	-9.3
XII	87.1	-3.2	83.9	-7.5	90.7	5.2
2010 I	71.1	2.4	65.3	-7.1	79.5	11.5
II	75.0	-6.5	68.5	-14.9	85.0	2.2
III	98.9	17.4	91.1	5.9	110.7	30.2
IV	87.6	4.3	76.3	-11.4	105.7	27.0
V	86.5	0.8	72.7	-18.3	108.6	30.3
VI	94.5	5.3	81.2	-13.4	116.0	36.0
VII	91.4	-3.4	76.0	-20.2	116.3	28.6
VIII	72.2	20.9	58.8	-7.1	95.4	78.4
IX	84.5	-5.9	71.6	-22.6	104.9	26.6
*X	92.8	9.6	73.3	-8.6	124.2	42.1

\*Provisional data

**Table 7: Evolution of the New Orders Index in Industry for the Non – Domestic Market****Base year: 2005=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 (%)
2009 X	87.4	-29.7	89.3	-30.4	84.7	-31.0
XI	99.4	-9.3	102.6	-4.3	97.4	-14.2
XII	90.7	5.2	83.7	-8.9	94.3	16.7
2010 I	79.5	11.5	81.8	4.5	75.5	18.9
II	85.0	2.2	86.7	4.3	81.5	-2.6
III	110.7	30.2	111.6	42.4	109.8	21.9
IV	105.7	27.0	107.6	32.3	105.0	24.6
V	108.6	30.3	103.8	34.8	113.2	27.3
VI	116.0	36.0	111.6	36.2	122.8	40.4
VII	116.3	28.6	113.3	26.4	120.9	37.3
VIII	95.4	78.4	84.7	95.7	106.1	62.6
IX	104.9	26.6	108.2	31.2	101.6	19.8
*X	124.2	42.1	117.3	31.3	130.9	54.7

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**Table8: Average indices and rates of change (%) of the 12-month periods of New Orders Index in Industry (Total Market)**

**Base year: 2005=100.0**

Branch code	Branch name	Average Indices of 12-month periods			Rate of change (%)	Rate of change (%)
		Nov. 2009- Oct. 2010*	Nov. 2008- Oct. 2009	Nov. 2007- Oct. 2008	2010/2009	2009/2008
	<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	86.0	84.5	117.6	1.7	-28.1
<b>C</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	86.0	84.5	117.6	1.7	-28.1
13	Textiles	51.7	60.0	81.9	-13.7	-26.8
14	Wearing apparel	61.3	74.4	92.6	-17.5	-19.7
17	Paper and paper products	114.0	112.9	122.1	1.0	-7.5
20	Chemicals and chemical products	90.2	85.2	108.4	5.8	-21.4
21	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	137.2	136.7	115.8	0.4	18.0
24	Basic metals	95.5	76.9	141.5	24.2	-45.6
25	Fabricated metal products	77.5	90.0	114.7	-13.8	-21.6
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	47.0	62.0	95.0	-24.2	-34.8
27	Electrical equipment	82.0	77.4	113.7	6.0	-31.9
28	Machinery and equipment n. e. c.	88.1	96.9	124.7	-9.1	-22.3
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	69.4	75.3	86.2	-7.9	-12.6
30	Other transport equipment	39.4	88.4	89.0	-55.4	-0.7
	<b>MAIN INDUSTRIAL GROUPINGS</b>					
1	Energy					
2	Intermediate goods	94.2	83.2	129.1	13.3	-35.5
3	Capital goods	60.1	82.6	102.1	-27.3	-19.1
4	Consumer Durables	57.4	57.9	79.7	-0.8	-27.4
5	Consumer Non-Durables	88.0	96.1	101.1	-8.4	-5.0

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## METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

**Generally** The New Orders Index in Industry is being compiled since 2006.

<b>Purpose of the index</b>	The purpose of this index is to assess the future evolution of demand for goods and services in industry as an indication of future production. An order is defined as the value of the contract which links a producer and a third party in respect of the provision of goods and services by producer. The New Orders Index is also suitable to indicate whether the demand originates from the domestic or the non-domestic market.
<b>Legal basis</b>	The compilation and publication of this 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. Furthermore, this index 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.
<b>Reference period</b>	Month
<b>Base year</b>	2005=100.0.
<b>Revision</b>	The last revision of the New Orders Index in Industry with base year 2005=100.0 is done in the framework of the Short – Term Statistics (STS) Council Regulation (EC) No 1165/98 concerning short-term statistics. According to this regulation the index in question is updated every five years, in years ending in 0 or 5.
<b>Statistical classifications</b>	At the level of categories of economic activities the new 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 Commission Regulation 656/2007. At product level, the new Eurostat classification CPA 2008 was used, according to the Council Regulation 451/2008.
<b>Geographical coverage</b>	The Index covers the whole country.
<b>Coverage of economic activities</b>	The New Orders Index in Industry covers the whole country and is compiled for the activities listed in Section D (manufacturing) of the NACE Rev.2 classification and specifically only for the divisions: 13,14,17, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30.
<b>Computation of the Index</b>	The New Orders Index in Industry is a fixed base index. This index is calculated initially at the four-digit level of economic activity and subsequently, with the implementation of appropriate weighting coefficients, the index is calculated at higher levels (three-level, two-level and one-level of economic activity) or at the level of Main Industrial Groupings (MIGs).
<b>Publication of data</b>	The New Orders Index with the new base year (2005) is being released since April 2009 with January 2009 as first reference month. Data with base year 2005=100.0 are available from January 2000 onwards.
<b>References</b>	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 ( <a href="http://www.statistics.gr">www.statistics.gr</a> ).