

Domain: Trade - services

In March 2017, the wholesale turnover increased by 11.3% compared to March 2016

- As against the previous month, in March 2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, in nominal terms, increased as gross series by **30.0%** and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **4.6%**.
- As against the corresponding month of the previous year, **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, in nominal terms, increased both as gross series by **11.3%** and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **9.1%**.
- As against the period 1.I-31.III.2016, in the period 1.I-31.III.2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, in nominal terms, increased both as gross series and as adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality by **6.3%** and by **6.2%**, respectively.

Monthly evolution of the wholesale turnover in accordance to CANE Rev. 2
(adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality)
- January 2010 - March 2017 -

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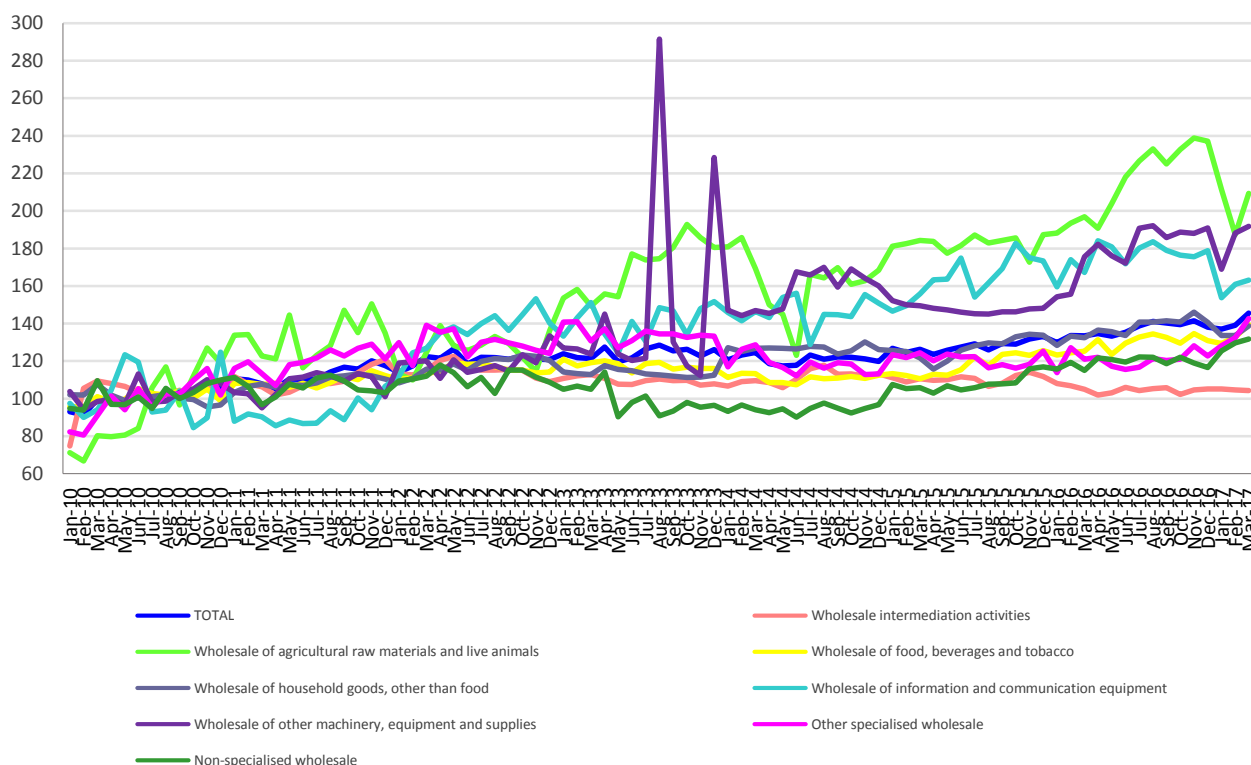


Chart data in xls (III.2016-III.2017)

Indices of the wholesale turnover

		MARCH 2017 in % as against :		1.I-31.III.2017/ 1.I-31.III.2016
		FEBRUARY 2017	MARCH 2016	-%-
TOTAL	B	130.0	111.3	106.3
	S	104.6	109.1	106.2
Wholesale intermediation activities	B	114.5	98.8	97.8
	S	99.6	99.4	98.2
Wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals	B	134.0	98.6	98.2
	S	111.7	106.4	105.1
Wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco	B	126.6	113.1	108.0
	S	105.1	111.3	107.6
Wholesale of household goods, other than food	B	118.7	106.2	102.2
	S	103.8	104.8	103.1
Wholesale of information and communication equipment	B	126.4	102.4	97.7
	S	101.4	97.5	95.4
Wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies	B	127.1	112.5	104.2
	S	102.0	109.3	113.0
Other specialised wholesale	B	150.6	123.2	115.9
	S	107.7	117.8	111.4
Non-specialised wholesale	B	124.0	116.4	111.5
	S	101.6	114.6	110.5

Note: B= gross series; S= adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality

[Table data in xls format](#)

March 2017 as against February 2017

As against the previous month, in March 2017 the **wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, gross series, in nominal terms, globally increased by 30.0% due to the increments registered by the other specialised wholesale (+50.6%), by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (+34.0%), by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+27.1%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+26.6%), by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (+26.4%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+24.0%), by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+18.7%) and by the wholesale intermediation activities (+14.5%).

As against the previous month, in March 2017 the **wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, in nominal terms, globally increased by 4.6% due to the increments registered by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (+11.7%), by the other specialised wholesale (+7.7%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+5.1%), by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+3.8%), by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+2.0%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+1.6%) and by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (+1.4%). The wholesale intermediation activities decreased by 0.4%.

March 2017 as against March 2016

As against March 2016, in March 2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, gross series, in nominal terms, registered an increase of 11.3% due to the increments registered by the other specialised wholesale (+23.2%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+16.4%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+13.1%), by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+12.5%), by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+6.2%) and by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (+2.4%). Drops were registered by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (-1.4%) and by the wholesale intermediation activities (-1.2%).

As against March 2016, in March 2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, in nominal terms, registered an increase of 9.1% due to the increments registered by the other specialised wholesale (+17.8%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+14.6%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+11.3%), by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+9.3%), by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (+6.4%) and by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+4.8%). Drops were registered by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (-2.5%) and by the wholesale intermediation activities (-0.6%).

Period 1.I-31.III.2017 as against period 1.I-31.III.2016

As against period 1.I-31.III.2016, in the period 1.I-31.III.2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, gross series, in nominal terms, registered an increase of 6.3% due to the increments registered by the other specialised wholesale (+15.9%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+11.5%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+8.0%), by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+4.2%) and by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+2.2%). Drops were registered by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (-2.3%), by the wholesale intermediation activities (-2.2%), by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (-1.8%)

As against period 1.I-31.III.2016, in the period 1.I-31.III.2017 **the wholesale turnover (excluding the trade with motor vehicles and motorcycles)**, adjusted series according to the number of working days and to seasonality, in nominal terms, registered an increase of 6.2% due to the increments registered by the wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies (+13.0%), by the other specialised wholesale (+11.4%), by the non-specialised wholesale (+10.5%), by the wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco (+7.6%), by the wholesale of agricultural raw materials and live animals (+5.1%) and by the wholesale of household goods, other than food (+3.1%). Drops were registered by the wholesale of information and communication equipment (-4.6%) and by the wholesale intermediation activities (-1.8%).

Additional information:

For the correct interpretation of the indicators, please see the [Methodological Notes attached to the press release on the homepage](#).

For more information, see the Monthly Statistical Bulletin (date of issue May 26, 2017) and the INS TEMPO online database (the data for March 2017 will be available on May 16, 2017).

The next issue of the press release will be on Friday, June 16, 2017.

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