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The industry turnover, in nominal terms, increased by 20.7% in January 2018 compared to January 2017

In January 2018, the industry turnover, per total (domestic and non-domestic market), in nominal terms, increased compared to the previous month by 2.2% and compared to the corresponding month of the previous year by 20.7%.

Industry turnover value indices

gross series

	JANUARY 201 8	JANUARY 2018 in % as against:	
	DECEMBER 2017	JANUARY 2017	
Industry - total	102.2	120.7	
- by sections:			
Mining and quarrying	82.8	93.3	
Manufacturing	103.0	121.9	
- by main industrial groups:			
Intermediate goods industry	108.3	123.2	
Capital goods industry	107.3	123.9	
Durable goods industry	105.2	114.1	
Non-durable goods industry	91.4	113.2	
Energy industry	90.3	119.8	

Table data in xls format

Monthly evolution of the industry turnover, by CANE Rev. 2 sections - January 2010 – January 2018 -



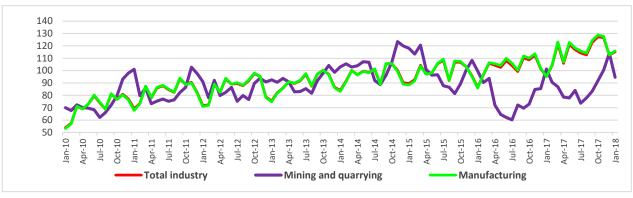


Chart data in xls format (I.2017-I.2018)

January 2018 as against December 2017

As against the previous month, in January 2018 the industry turnover increased per total by 2.2% due to increases registered in manufacturing (+3.0%). The mining and quarrying industry decreased by 17.2%.

By main industrial groups, there were increases as follows: in intermediate goods industry (+8.3%), in capital goods industry (+7.3%) and in durable goods industry (+5.2%). Drops were registered in the energy industry (-9.7%) and in non-durable goods industry (-8.6%).

January 2018 compared to January 2017

As against January 2017, in January 2018 the industry turnover globally increased by 20.7% due to rises in manufacturing (+21.9%). The mining and quarrying industry decreased by 6.7%.

By main industrial groups, there were rises as follows: in capital goods industry (+23.9%), in intermediate goods industry (+23.2%), in energy industry (+19.8%), in durable goods industry (+14.1%) and in non-durable goods industry (+13.2%).

Additional information:

- ✓ **IMPORTANT!** In order to highlight the changes in the economy structure, starting with the data release for January 2018 reference month the base year used for the calculation of the indices, for all short-term indicators, was changed from 2010 to 2015.
- ✓ The changing of the base year involves the updating of the weighting system, to reflect the structural modifications occurred in the national economy activities. These modifications determined the proper recalculation and revision of the data series previously published.
- ✓ These changes will appear in press releases, statistical publications published by the INS and in the TEMPO online database.
- ✓ Turnover represents the total revenue recorded by the enterprise during the reference period; both from its core business and its secondary activities. Turnover does not include VAT and income from the sale or transfer of fixed assets.
- ✓ Turnover value indices are Laspeyres-type indices and they measure its evolution on total, by sections, by CANE Rev.2 divisions, as well as by large industrial groups.

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 statistical publications Monthly Statistical Bulletin (date of issue March 26, 2018), Industry Statistical Bulletin (date of issue March 21, 2018) and the INS TEMPO online database (the data for January 2018 will be available on March 20, 2018).

The next issue of the press release will be on Thursday, April 12, 2018.

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