

Domain: Industry

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION UP 6.0%

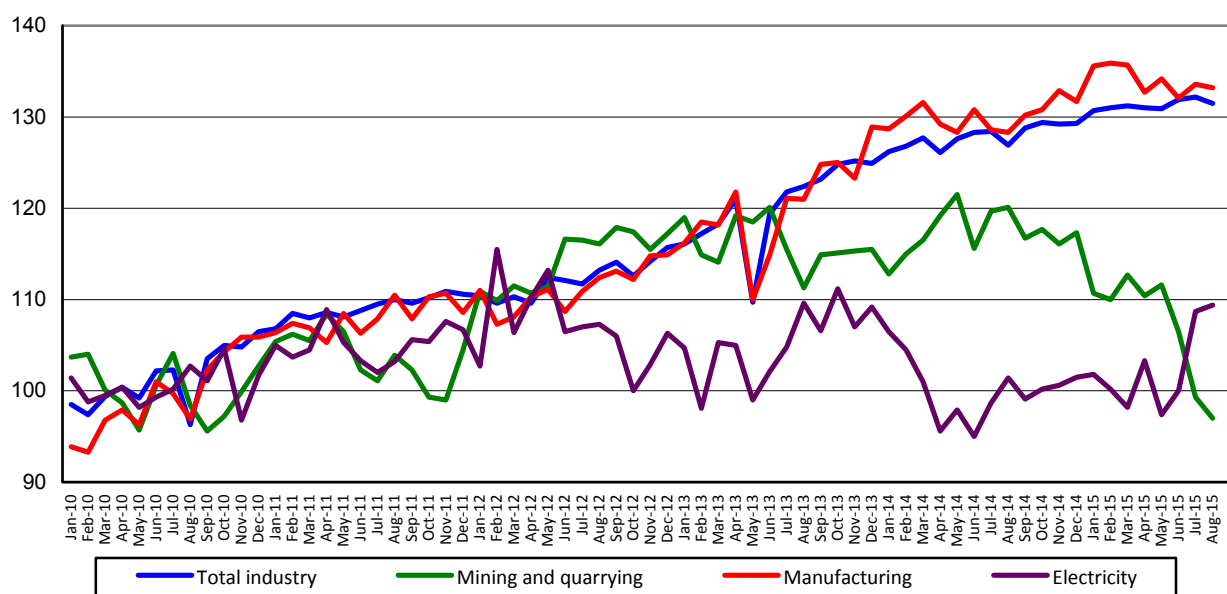
- In **August 2015**, industrial production fell by 18.4% as gross series compared to the previous month and was down 0.5% as series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality.
- **Compared to the same month of the previous year**, industrial production increased both as gross series and as series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality, by 6.0% and 3.6%, respectively.
- In the **1.I-31.VIII.2015 period**, compared to the 1.I-31.VIII.2014, industrial production rose by 2.9% as gross series and was up 3.2% as series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality.

Monthly evolution of industrial production

- January 2010-August 2015 -

- series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality -

2010=100



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In **August 2015**, industrial production (**the gross series**) decreased by 18.4% compared to the previous month due to drops in all three industrial sectors: manufacturing (-20.5%), the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (-1.1%) and mining and quarrying (-0.2%).

Industrial production (**the series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality**) was down 0.5% from the previous month due to decreases in mining and quarrying (-2.3%) and manufacturing (-0.3%). The electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply was up 0.6%.

Compared to the same month of the previous year, industrial production (**the gross series**) increased by 6.0% due to rises in the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (+9.3%) and manufacturing (+7.0%). Mining and quarrying dropped 19.2%.

Industrial production (**the series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality**) was up 3.6% due to the fact that the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply was up 7.9% and manufacturing rose by 3.9%. A 19.2% decrease was reported for mining and quarrying.

In **the 1.I-31.VIII.2015 period**, industrial production (**the gross series**) increased by 2.9% compared to the 1.I-31.VIII.2014 period due to rises in manufacturing (+3.5%) and the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (+1.9%). Mining and quarrying dropped 9.2%.

Industrial production (**the series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality**) was 3.2% higher in the 1.I-31.VIII.2015 period than in the 1.I-31.VIII.2014 period due to the fact that manufacturing rose by 3.6% and the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply was up 2.3%. An 8.7% decrease was reported for mining and quarrying.

Industrial Production Indices, for the total and by section of industry

- percentages -

Industrial Production Index – IPI		August 2015 compared to:		1.I-31.VIII.2015/ 1.I-31.VIII.2014
		July 2015	August 2014	
TOTAL	G	81.6	106.0	102.9
	S	99.5	103.6	103.2
Mining and quarrying	G	99.8	80.8	90.8
	S	97.7	80.8	91.3
Manufacturing	G	79.5	107.0	103.5
	S	99.7	103.9	103.6
Electricity	G	98.9	109.3	101.9
	S	100.6	107.9	102.3

G = gross series; S = series adjusted by number of working days and seasonality

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Additional information:

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

For more information, see the Monthly Statistical Bulletin and the Industry Statistical Bulletin (date of issue 19 October 2015), as well as the TEMPO online database of the NIS (the data for August 2015 will be available as of 12 October).

Comparative data at EU level can be obtained from the Eurostat press release which comes out on Wednesday, 14 October 2015, and which can be accessed at the following address: <http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/main>.

The next press release on Industrial Production Indices will be issued on Tuesday, 10 November 2015.

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