



INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDICES IN MAY 2025

The Industrial Production Index increased by 0.5% in May 2025 compared to the previous month. The data are preliminary and seasonally adjusted.

In comparison with May 2024, a decrease of 6.6% was registered in the calendar-adjusted Industrial Production Index.

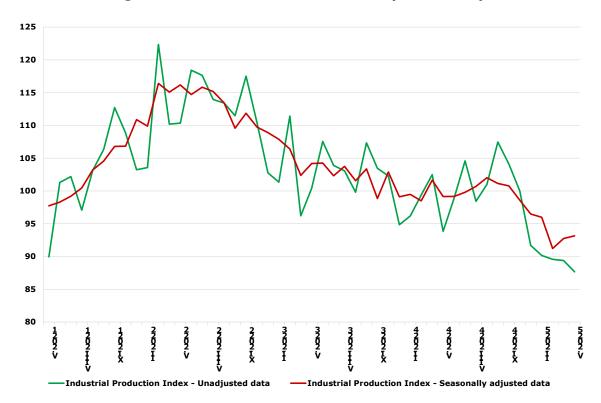


Figure 1. Industrial Production Indices (2021 = 100)

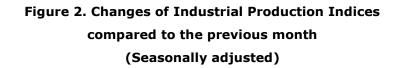
Monthly changes

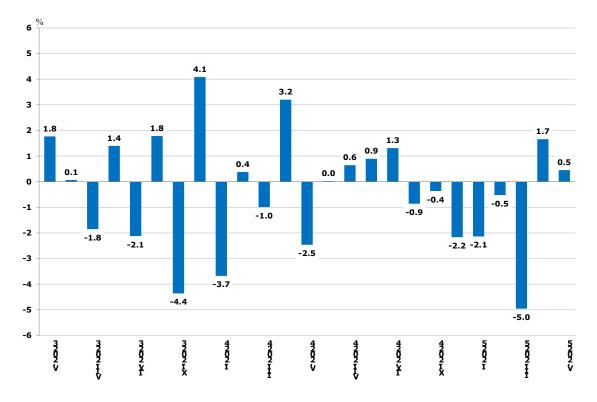
In May 2025, compared to the previous month, an increase was seen in the manufacturing - by 1.7%, and in the mining and quarrying industry - by 0.4%, while a decline was registered in the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply - by 8.0%.

More significant rise in the manufacturing was reported in the manufacture of other nonmetallic mineral products - by 11.6%, and in the manufacture of chemicals and chemical products - by 6.4%.

A decrease was reported in the manufacture of tobacco products - by 11.8%, and in the manufacture of textiles - by 11.3%.

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Annual changes

On an annual basis, a decrease of the Industrial Production Index was observed in the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply - by 26.6%, in the manufacturing - by 2.0%, while an increase was registered in the mining and quarrying industry - by 8.4%.

In the manufacturing, a significant decline in production, compared to the same month of the previous year, was seen in the manufacture of basic metals - by 36.5%, in the manufacture of textiles - by 25.4%, and in the manufacture of paper and paper products - by 23.9%.

A rise was reported in the manufacture of tobacco products - by 47.4%, and in the manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products - by 24.0%.

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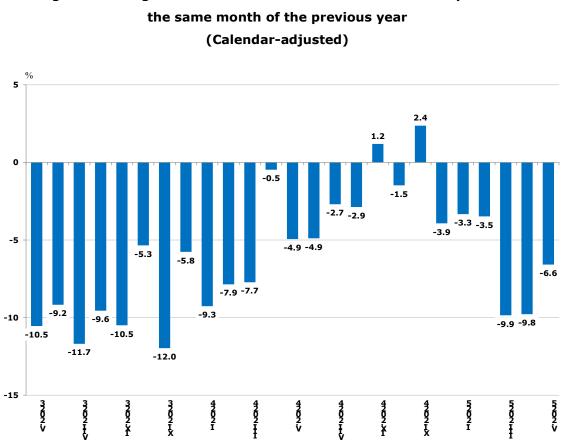


Figure 3. Changes of the Industrial Production Indices compared to

Methodological notes

The monthly indices of industrial production are calculated in accordance with the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2019/2152 of the European Parliament and of the Council on European Business Statistics.

The Monthly Industrial Production and Industrial Turnover Indices measure changes in production and turnover values of industrial enterprises. This information can be used to access the current economic development and for short-term forecasts. Indices do not measure the actual production level; they aim to measure the average change in the value of production between two points in time. Indices are compiled based on information collected through a representative sampling survey on industrial enterprises. The sample covers enterprises with an annual turnover of more than 97% of the total turnover in the industry.

The Industrial Production Indices are calculated at a constant base year, that is to say they are weighted with the structure of the value added at factor costs in the base year.

Seasonal adjustment is a statistical method which eliminates the seasonal component of the time series.

Calendar adjustment is an adjustment for variations in the monthly data, caused by calendar effects, the different number of calendar and working days in the months, national holidays and outliers (for example, the presence of more non-working days in May could contribute to the decline in production in some activities).

Since July 2024, all dynamic rows have been recalculated based on 2021 as base year and have been published in IS Infostat.

Annex

Table 1

Changes of Industrial Production Indices compared to the previous month¹

							(Per cent)			
	NACE.BG -	2024	2025							
Economic activities	2008	XII	I	п	111	IV	۷*			
Industry	B_TO_E36	-2.2	-2.1	-0.5	-5.0	1.7	0.5			
Mining and quarrying	В	20.9	-19.3	-6.2	5.6	-1.4	0.4			
Mining of coal and lignite	B05	63.9	-56.3	8.7	-37.4	15.6	-5.3			
Extraction of crude petroleum and natural	5.0.0									
gas Mining of metal ores	B06 B07									
Other mining and quarrying	B08	5.8	-9.9	-2.6	1.4	-3.5	0.9			
Mining support service activities	B03 B09	-8.4	8.3	-21.5	8.9	6.0	-1.9			
Manufacturing	C									
-	C10	-2.1	-1.8	-1.4	-0.4	-1.8	1.7			
Manufacture of food products Manufacture of beverages	C10 C11	-1.1	-3.9	-7.4	0.9	1.7	1.0			
-	C11 C12	3.2	-0.5	-2.2	-4.9	1.7	-1.5			
Manufacture of tobacco products Manufacture of textiles	C12 C13	14.3	14.4	6.7	-1.2	27.4	-11.8			
Manufacture of wearing apparel	C13 C14	-0.4	-6.5	2.6	-1.0	1.9	-11.3			
Manufacture of leather and related	014	-16.1	0.6	-1.0	-4.7	4.0	-6.1			
products Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture;	C15	-7.3	2.2	-4.2	-1.9	14.0	-5.3			
manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	C16	0.5	-2.2	-3.6	-2.4	-2.6	-4.7			
Manufacture of paper and paper products	C17	-10.5	-9.8	3.2	-1.9	-0.9	-3.4			
Printing and reproduction of recorded										
media Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum	C18	-3.3	-0.5	-3.2	6.2	-3.1	1.3			
products	C19									
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	C20	-7.2	-4.4	-3.5	-0.5	-2.0	6.4			
Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical	620	7.2	-1-1	5.5	0.5	2.0	0.4			
products and pharmaceutical preparations	C21	7.6	-2.9	-8.8	6.7	-5.1	1.4			
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral	C22	-1.2	-4.5	-0.9	1.1	0.7	-2.8			
products	C23	17.3	1.3	-12.8	4.1	-7.6	11.6			
Manufacture of basic metals	C24	-20.7	0.8	3.2	0.6	-3.4	1.2			
Manufacture of fabricated metal products,	005	2.0		16.0	12.0		2.0			
except machinery and equipment Manufacture of computer, electronic and	C25	-2.9	14.6	-16.8	12.9	-6.6	-2.9			
optical products	C26	-2.6	-15.3	17.0	12.4	-17.6	2.7			
Manufacture of electrical equipment	C27	-7.8	2.0	-2.5	2.9	9.8	-6.1			
Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	C28	4.0	0.3	5.2	2.5	-7.2	1.9			
Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and										
semi-trailers	C29	-6.1	17.9	-1.1	3.8	-1.0	4.9			
Manufacture of other transport equipment	C30	6.3	-1.3	18.6	-32.5	26.5	-5.9			
Manufacture of furniture	C31	1.7	-0.8	12.4	7.9	-7.8	5.2			
Other manufacturing Repair and installation of machinery and	C32	9.6	-17.0	20.0	-15.0	16.2	0.0			
equipment	C33	6.0	11.9	-15.2	-3.8	5.2	-4.8			
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	D	-19.1	20.6	10.7	-43.0	53.9	-8.0			
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	D35	-19.1	20.6	10.7	-43.0	53.9	-8.0			

¹ Seasonally adjusted.

* Preliminary data.

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Table 2

Changes of Industrial Production Indices compared to the same month of the previous year²

							(Per cent)			
	NACE.BG -	2024	2025							
Economic activities	2008	XII	I	п	111	IV	v *			
Industry	B_TO_E36	-3.9	-3.3	-3.5	-9.9	-9.8	-6.6			
Mining and quarrying	В	8.0	-4.5	-1.6	2.7	-3.7	8.4			
Mining of coal and lignite	B05	26.9	-18.7	22.4	-52.0	-62.8	-54.8			
Extraction of crude petroleum and natural	5.0.0									
gas Mining of metal ores	B06 B07									
-	B07 B08	-4.1	-16.8	-14.8	-2.3	-17.5	-5.6			
Other mining and quarrying		-13.7	-1.5	-38.3	-25.7	-21.3	-14.6			
Mining support service activities	B09									
Manufacturing	C	-1.2	-0.3	-5.6	-4.4	-7.3	-2.0			
Manufacture of food products	C10	-3.5	-10.6	-16.7	-15.1	-14.6	-6.7			
Manufacture of beverages	C11	-3.5	-7.7	-10.4	-10.4	-15.3	-6.8			
Manufacture of tobacco products	C12	17.6	61.0	44.5	20.5	49.1	47.4			
Manufacture of textiles	C13	-14.6	-17.7	-19.3	-14.2	-10.8	-25.4			
Manufacture of wearing apparel	C14	-23.0	-17.5	-16.2	-19.3	-11.8	-19.7			
Manufacture of leather and related products Manufacture of wood and of products of	C15	-21.8	-3.3	-13.7	-8.7	4.4	-2.3			
wood and cork, except furniture;										
manufacture of articles of straw and	C1C	0.4	6.0	-15.4	-12.7	0.0	-12.2			
plaiting materials Manufacture of paper and paper products	C16	9.4	-6.9			-9.8				
Printing and reproduction of recorded	C17	-10.6	-21.6	-19.5	-17.2	-23.8	-23.9			
media	C18	-14.9	-6.9	-8.2	-1.1	-5.4	-1.5			
Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	C19									
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical										
products Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical	C20	5.6	-0.1	-6.0	-6.2	-15.3	-10.2			
products and pharmaceutical preparations	C21	29.5	4.2	-17.3	-10.1	-8.3	-7.5			
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	C22	-0.3	0.3	-0.1	-1.6	-3.1	-3.9			
Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral	C 22	11.0	22.0	2.2	10.7	2.0	24.0			
products Manufacture of basic metals	C23 C24	11.8	32.0	-2.2	10.7	-3.8	24.0			
Manufacture of fabricated metal products,	624	-36.2	-34.1	-36.0	-34.5	-38.7	-36.5			
except machinery and equipment	C25	23.9	27.4	5.6	25.2	8.1	10.7			
Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products	C26	17.8	-15.7	-14.3	24.7	-1.0	7.0			
Manufacture of electrical equipment	C27	-8.5	1.2	-11.7	-4.5	20.4	11.1			
Manufacture of machinery and equipment			1.2		4.5					
n.e.c. Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and	C28	-4.3	8.2	6.7	11.8	5.1	10.7			
semi-trailers	C29	-14.6	-9.1	-6.5	5.4	-8.1	7.3			
Manufacture of other transport equipment	C30	1.6	33.3	54.6	-27.8	6.1	-1.7			
Manufacture of furniture	C31	-6.7	-2.8	11.8	18.3	12.5	19.0			
Other manufacturing	C32	-4.2	-20.7	8.5	-6.6	10.6	13.2			
Repair and installation of machinery and										
equipment Electricity, gas, steam and air	C33	-9.0	9.4	-3.9	-0.9	-13.6	-10.1			
conditioning supply	D	-28.8	-13.6	11.2	-34.5	-12.0	-26.6			
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	D35	-28.8	-13.6	11.2	-34.5	-12.0	-26.6			
	233	20.0	1010		5 115	-2.0	20.0			

² Calendar-adjusted.

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Table 3

Industrial Production Indices (Seasonally adjusted, 2021 = 100)

NACE.BG -				20		2025							
2008	v	VI	VII	VIII	IX	x	XI	XII	I	II	III	IV	۷*
В_ТО_ЕЗ6	99.1	99.2	99.8	100.7	102.0	101.1	100.8	98.6	96.5	96.0	91.2	92.7	93.1
в	76.0	77.2	83.8	102.4	112.0	85.9	87.2	105.4	85.1	79.8	84.3	83.1	83.4
B05	38.7	46.7	58.8	48.4	42.6	19.3	55.2	90.5	39.5	43.0	26.9	31.1	29.5
B06													
B07	101.2	100.0	99.6	111.2	118.3	107.8	104.7	110.8	99.9	97.3	98.6	95.1	96.0
B08	89.5	87.6	88.6	87.8	81.6	84.6	86.3	79.0	85.6	67.2	73.2	77.6	76.1
B09													
с	103.0	105.6	104.9	106.9	105.9	107.5	107.4	105.2	103.3	101.8	101.4	99.6	101.3
C10	98.3	103.0	103.6	103.7	103.1	107.9	100.6	99.5	95.6	88.6	89.4	90.9	91.9
C11	102.4	106.9	106.0	105.4	109.2	102.9	99.5	102.7	102.1	99.9	95.0	96.7	95.2
C12	70.5	59.9	69.6	78.7	80.6	77.9	66.2	75.6	86.5	92.3	91.2	116.3	102.6
C13	63.9	66.1	62.5	58.0	72.3	61.0	56.3	56.1	52.4	53.8	53.3	54.3	48.1
C14	88.9	91.6	90.2	88.4	87.8	90.0	92.8	77.9	78.4	77.6	74.0	76.9	72.2
C15	66.1	62.7	61.9	62.7	59.3	67.2	66.8	61.9	63.3	60.6	59.5	67.8	64.2
C16	88.7	88.7	87.6	86.2	92.4	87.7	91.5	92.0	89.9	86.7	84.6	82.4	78.6
C17	93.4	94.2	99.9	91.5	97.6	93.4	91.3	81.7	73.7	76.1	74.7	73.9	71.5
C18	93.5	98.6	91.4	87.8	94.6	92.1	94.5	91.4	90.9	88.1	93.5	90.6	91.7
C19													
C20	108.5	117.1	100.8	109.7	103.7	98.9	109.9	101.9	97.4	94.0	93.5	91.7	97.5
C21	117.7	115.2	114.3	125.7	108.6	121.0	112.2	120.8	117.3	107.0	114.1	108.3	109.8
C22	82.5	84.4	84.1	83.8	84.8	81.6	86.3	85.3	81.5	80.7	81.6	82.1	79.8
C23	86.1	90.0	94.5	85.8	86.5	91.0	95.7	112.3	113.7	99.1	103.2	95.3	106.4
C24	118.1	122.0	100.3	92.9	100.1	94.6	90.5	71.7	72.3	74.6	75.0	72.5	73.4
C25	145.8	145.2	164.3	175.0	162.1	185.4	171.7	166.8	191.1	159.0	179.5	167.7	162.9
C26	94.7	102.2	105.1	101.6	107.8	104.8	111.6	108.7	92.1	107.7	121.1	99.7	102.4
C27	91.3	96.8	98.8	103.0	98.9	103.5	104.8	96.6	98.5	96.1	98.9	108.5	101.9
C28	85.3	85.4	83.9	92.6	95.0	95.9	89.6	93.1	93.4	98.2	100.7	93.5	95.3
C29	114.8	106.7	116.9	116.5	105.5	98.0	102.3	96.0	113.2	111.9	116.2	115.0	120.6
C30	98.2	94.4	87.5	133.1	100.9	113.3	99.2	105.5	104.1	123.5	83.3	105.4	99.2
C31	80.0	76.1	75.3	81.5	79.4	81.3	79.5	80.8	80.2	90.1	97.3	89.7	94.4
C32	116.8	120.2	116.8	109.7	99.7	130.1	121.8	133.5	110.7	132.9	112.9	131.2	131.2
С33	114.8	113.7	110.6	110.8	121.9	133.9	107.4	113.8	127.4	108.0	103.9	109.3	104.0
D	90.7	69.2	86.2	71.5	89.2	84.4	77.6	62.8	75.8	83.9	47.8	73.5	67.6
D35	90.7	69.2	86.2	71.5	89.2	84.4	77.6	62.8	75.8	83.9	47.8	73.5	67.6

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Table 4

Industrial Production Indices (Calendar-adjusted, 2021 = 100)

NACE.BG -				20	2025								
2008	v	VI	VII	VIII	IX	x	XI	XII	I	п	III	IV	V *
B_TO_E36	94.8	101.3	103.1	98.6	102.7	106.0	104.9	101.7	90.8	90.7	91.8	89.1	88.6
в	70.8	74.1	80.8	101.3	119.5	95.8	92.5	119.3	82.6	75.1	81.8	75.5	76.7
B05	17.5	24.2	51.3	44.0	48.8	40.9	71.6	112.5	55.1	45.4	19.3	9.6	7.9
B06													
B07	96.7	97.2	87.6	115.5	137.9	109.8	96.3	124.1	92.4	84.8	95.4	90.6	91.3
B08	92.4	93.7	92.4	90.9	86.0	95.7	96.1	78.6	62.8	52.7	69.6	76.1	78.9
B09													
с	102.0	111.4	108.7	103.6	107.0	115.6	111.3	102.6	93.4	93.1	103.7	98.0	99.9
C10	97.2	103.9	103.2	104.8	106.7	119.7	103.4	103.0	87.3	77.0	88.7	87.6	90.7
C11	103.9	127.7	131.0	129.8	120.3	95.7	90.4	95.0	74.6	72.5	86.4	93.0	96.8
C12	80.9	72.5	87.8	84.7	90.1	82.5	64.3	73.8	52.9	63.4	96.4	127.3	119.2
C13	67.4	71.4	63.0	47.3	73.6	64.6	59.2	51.5	47.5	54.1	56.6	54.0	50.3
C14	81.9	98.0	102.0	82.5	87.0	92.4	95.5	73.8	80.9	77.3	72.4	69.7	65.8
C15	62.0	66.9	68.0	50.8	58.2	74.7	77.4	56.9	62.6	58.5	62.5	67.3	60.6
C16	92.8	93.3	93.6	83.5	95.4	93.9	97.6	86.3	76.1	77.4	85.6	82.7	81.4
C17	93.4	97.9	103.2	85.9	96.7	99.8	95.7	75.1	69.2	70.9	77.0	71.0	71.1
C18	93.4	101.9	90.8	81.1	91.3	98.9	107.0	96.9	81.8	79.5	95.6	89.1	92.0
C19													
C20	107.6	120.8	101.5	104.6	102.3	99.4	112.4	100.9	91.7	89.2	101.8	92.7	96.7
C21	115.8	123.5	111.2	114.6	100.4	129.4	112.0	127.1	114.0	96.2	125.0	106.2	107.1
C22	82.7	88.7	87.9	79.0	87.6	89.9	88.0	77.4	74.7	75.5	84.6	81.8	79.4
C23	91.0	95.3	102.8	89.8	91.9	101.3	101.8	103.3	84.9	83.3	103.3	96.1	112.8
C24	119.5	123.3	97.3	83.1	95.6	97.8	92.8	65.1	70.9	71.9	80.3	73.1	75.9
C25	142.0	152.8	176.9	173.4	162.4	196.3	189.1	173.3	153.8	139.7	180.7	169.5	157.2
C26	92.2	107.3	109.0	89.8	108.5	117.4	116.6	104.3	85.5	104.7	127.9	96.8	98.7
C27	85.7	104.9	103.2	96.1	101.2	110.3	112.3	86.6	91.6	95.9	102.5	107.9	95.2
C28	84.2	90.9	87.4	81.5	96.7	104.7	94.1	89.5	83.7	95.5	107.7	94.7	93.3
C29	110.8	108.4	107.9	103.6	107.9	105.7	114.2	84.9	115.7	114.9	125.6	114.9	118.8
C30	99.7	104.3	89.0	130.0	97.0	123.5	97.1	89.7	81.5	124.3	81.7	110.4	98.0
C31	79.0	81.2	77.9	77.7	80.4	88.0	84.5	81.6	70.2	83.9	103.1	87.9	93.9
C32	114.4	137.5	117.7	110.0	103.7	144.1	130.0	122.4	95.2	117.3	113.2	127.5	129.5
C33	108.9	116.9	112.0	107.8	128.1	141.5	117.3	150.2	94.3	92.0	103.3	99.3	97.8
D	70.0	64.1	91.9	76.2	77.3	73.8	86.8	81.8	87.2	90.7	53.4	63.4	51.4
D35	70.0	64.1	91.9	76.2	77.3	73.8	86.8	81.8	87.2	90.7	53.4	63.4	51.4

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