

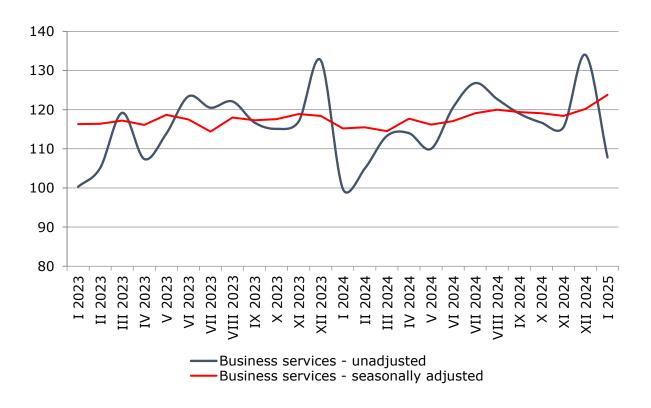


SERVICES PRODUCTION INDICES IN JANUARY 2025

In January 2025, the total production index in **Services of the business economy**¹ increased by 3.0% compared to the previous month. The data are preliminary and seasonally adjusted.

Compared to January 2024, an increase of 7.6% was registered in the calendar-adjusted index according to preliminary data.



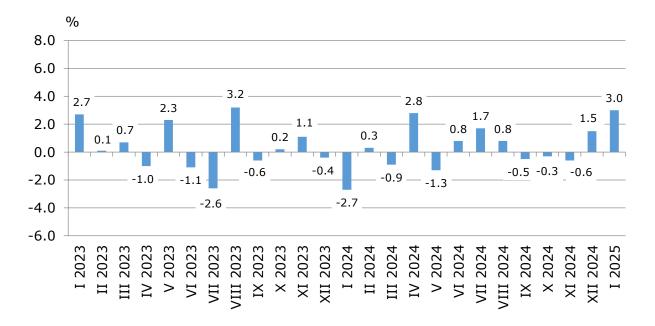


¹ Business services include the following sectors from NACE.BG - 2008: H - Transportation and storage, I - Accommodation and food service activities, J - Information and communication, L - Real estate activities, M_STS - Professional, scientific and technical activities (specific grouping under Regulation (EU) 2019/2152), and N - Administrative and support service activities.

Monthly changes

An increase, compared to the previous month, was reported in the following sectors: 'Professional, scientific and technical activities' - by 6.5%, 'Administrative and support service activities' - by 5.9%, 'Information and communication' - by 4.8%, and 'Accommodation and food service activities' - by 0.6%. A decline was seen in the following sectors: 'Real estate activities' - by 0.5%, and 'Transportation and storage' - by 0.3%.

Figure 2. Changes of production indices for Business services compared to the previous month (Seasonally adjusted data)



Annual changes

On an annual basis, a rise was observed in all sectors: 'Information and communication' - by 11.9%, 'Professional, scientific and technical activities' - by 11.5%, 'Real estate activities' - by 10.0%, 'Transportation and storage' - by 4.7%, 'Accommodation and food service activities' - by 2.7%, and 'Administrative and support service activities' - by 1.6%.

% 25.0 20.0 15.0 8.6 10.0 5.0 1.9 0.0 -0.2 -0.9 -0.5 -0.8 -2.0 -5.0 -10.0 I 2024 II 2024 III 2024 IV 202 X 2023 XI 2023 XII 2023 VIII 2023 IX 2023 VII 2024 /III 2024 VII 2023

Figure 3. Changes of production indices for Business services compared to the same month of the previous year (Calendar-adjusted data)

Methodological notes

Monthly indices of production in services are calculated and published two months after the reference period (M+2) in accordance with the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2019/2152 of the European Parliament and of the Council for European Business Statistics.

Production indices in services are calculated by deflating the turnover indices for each activity with the corresponding producer price indices. The purpose of the production index is to measure changes in output volume at monthly intervals. The indices are calculated with 2021 as a base year.

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

Calendar adjustment is an adjustment for variations caused by calendar effects, a 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 some activities).

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

SERVICES PRODUCTION INDICES IN JANUARY 2025

Annex

Table 1

Changes of production indices in services¹ (Compared to the previous month)

(Per cent)

		(P6							
Economic activities	NACE.BG -	2024							
Economic activities	2008	VIII	IX	x	XI	XII	I*		
Services of the business economy (except		<u> </u>	I	l	I				
trade and financial and insurance activities)	HTNXK	0.8	-0.5	-0.3	-0.6	1.5	3.0		
Transportation and storage	Н	-3.1	0.4	3.7	-3.6	4.5	-0.3		
Land transport and transport via pipelines	H49	-2.8	-0.1	2.5	-2.0	2.9	-0.3		
Water transport	H50	6.3	-8.1	0.1	2.2	7.2	4.2		
Air transport	H51	-8.7	11.9	20.5	-22.3	30.4	-17.1		
Warehousing and support activities for	==								
transportation	H52	-3.1	-0.5	1.5	-2.5	4.9	4.0		
Postal and courier activities	H53	-2.2	-0.9	5.4	-0.2	-6.5	1.6		
Accommodation and food service activities	I	-0.6	0.3	-0.2	0.5	-0.3	0.6		
Accommodation	155	-1.1	-0.8	-3.9	-0.7	0.5	-0.8		
Food and beverage service activities	I56	-0.1	0.8	3.0	1.5	-0.7	1.9		
Information and communication	J	0.4	1.4	-1.3	-3.2	3.9	4.8		
Publishing activities	J58	36.0	-42.7	-1.3	4.6	-4.7	16.4		
Motion picture, video, television programme									
production; programming and broadcasting activities	J59	-20.3	25.3	-2.6	0.3	-23.1	36.0		
Programming and broadcasting activities	J60	-20.3 7.3	-3.0	-2.0 -2.5	-5.5	7.1	9.1		
Telecommunications						-0.9	-5.5		
Computer programming, consultancy and related	J61	-1.3	4.1	0.1	-1.8	-0.9	-5.5		
activities	J62	1.3	1.7	-2.1	-1.6	4.8	7.7		
Information service activities	J63	-5.7	6.7	-2.2	-23.1	41.3	19.4		
Real estate activities	L	2.2	6.8	-6.8	-7.9	14.9	-0.5		
Professional, scientific and technical activities	_		0.0	0.0	7.5		0.0		
(specific grouping under Regulation (EU)									
2019/2152)	M_STS	7.9	-8.2	-0.4	3.9	-4.8	6.5		
Legal and accounting activities	M69	9.3	-5.3	-0.3	-7.7	-3.8	19.8		
Management consultancy activities	M702	17.3	-12.7	-14.9	17.8	-17.6	-4.9		
Architectural and engineering activities; technical									
testing and analysis	M71	3.8	-4.0	6.0	9.0	-4.8	23.6		
Advertising and market research	M73	0.5	-3.8	8.4	-5.5	10.5	-7.7		
Other professional, scientific and technical activities	M74	4.7	-13.6	5.0	4.3	-0.6	-6.4		
Administrative and support service activities	N	0.3	0.7	-2.3	10.6	-6.6	5.9		
Rental and leasing activities	N77	-8.0	0.9	-1.2	-3.7	-0.7	5.7		
Employment activities	N78	1.7	3.0	-0.3	2.8	13.2	1.2		
Travel agency, tour operator reservation service	NZO	2.4	2.6	4.4	1.0	1.0			
and related activities	N79	3.4	-3.6	-4.4	1.9	1.3	4.4		
Security and investigation activities	N80	5.9	-1.4	-5.5	4.2	-0.4	16.8		
Services to buildings and landscape activities Office administrative, office support and other	N81	-1.0	3.7	1.7	6.7	-1.8	2.7		
business support activities	N82	-1.7	3.5	-0.8	41.6	-30.0	-1.9		

Seasonally adjusted data.Preliminary data.

Table 2

Changes of production indices in services¹ (Compared to the same month of the previous year)

(Per cent)

	•	(1	er cent)				
Economic activities	NACE.BG -		2025				
Economic activities	2008	VIII	IX	х	XI	XII	I*
Services of the business economy (except	1	<u>I</u>		l.	l		
trade and financial and insurance activities)	HTNXK	1.7	2.1	1.2	-0.8	0.7	7.6
Transportation and storage	Н	-0.5	1.7	2.5	1.0	6.5	4.7
Land transport and transport via pipelines	H49	-0.5	2.0	3.2	3.6	7.1	3.0
Water transport	H50	-11.7	-14.5	-23.9	-22.7	-22.8	19.9
Air transport	H51	-4.7	8.4	25.2	9.2	59.8	19.7
Warehousing and support activities for							
transportation	H52	-1.6	-2.5	-5.4	-8.0	-0.6	6.6
Postal and courier activities	H53	14.3	13.0	17.9	18.3	10.8	1.5
Accommodation and food service activities	I	5.3	4.0	2.6	3.7	0.1	2.7
Accommodation	I55	15.8	16.3	9.6	5.6	0.9	-2.2
Food and beverage service activities	I56	-5.8	-6.4	-1.6	2.5	-0.4	6.4
Information and communication	J	2.9	4.0	3.4	-0.4	0.4	11.9
Publishing activities	J58	63.2	-14.5	-3.1	-13.3	-20.3	19.9
Motion picture, video, television programme							
production; programming and broadcasting	150	20 C	20.2	0.7	41.0	24.6	20.0
activities	J59	-20.6	39.2	-8.7	41.0	-24.6	20.0
Programming and broadcasting activities	J60	-11.0	-14.1	-8.7	-17.5	-3.6	7.3
Telecommunications Computer programming, consultancy and related	J61	4.2	11.9	12.8	7.4	6.6	-1.0
activities	J62	1.3	-1.1	-0.1	-0.4	-1.1	17.0
Information service activities	J63	-5.4	8.5	-2.3	-27.4	9.8	38.3
Real estate activities	105 L	-11.5	- 4.5	-8.6	-29.0	- 5.6	10.0
Professional, scientific and technical activities	_	-11.5	-4.5	-0.0	-29.0	-5.0	10.0
(specific grouping under Regulation (EU)							
2019/2152)	M_STS	6.3	2.6	2.5	6.0	-1.9	11.5
Legal and accounting activities	M69	15.1	3.8	7.6	-7.9	-11.7	19.3
Management consultancy activities	M702	120.7	66.2	36.1	48.4	22.6	-6.0
Architectural and engineering activities; technical							
testing and analysis	M71	-7.3	-14.6	-1.0	17.6	-2.4	46.3
Advertising and market research	M73	-10.8	-20.0	-12.0	-13.7	-6.0	-13.7
Other professional, scientific and technical activities	M74	-33.5	-13.8	-10.4	-6.0	-6.9	5.1
Administrative and support service activities	N	-0.4	-0.1	-5.2	0.6	0.7	1.6
Rental and leasing activities	N77	12.3	12.9	-0.2	-10.8	-1.0	-30.6
Employment activities	N78	-6.9	-9.2	-9.5	-8.2	13.1	21.9
Travel agency, tour operator reservation service							
and related activities	N79	9.7	-0.3	-12.1	-14.0	-4.0	14.2
Security and investigation activities	N80	-5.8	-1.3	-7.8	-8.3	-5.0	19.3
Services to buildings and landscape activities Office administrative, office support and other	N81	-17.0	-11.9	-8.7	0.5	0.6	3.0
business support activities	N82	-0.8	3.6	3.6	29.0	2.1	-3.9

¹ Calendar-adjusted data.* Preliminary data.

Table 3 Production indices in services - seasonally adjusted (2021 = 100)

NACE.BG -	2024												2025
2008	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	х	XI	XII	I*
HTNXK	115.2	115.5	114.5	117.7	116.2	117.1	119.1	120.0	119.4	119.1	118.4	120.2	123.8
Н	109.1	111.3	111.3	117.2	110.8	109.7	113.0	109.5	109.9	114.0	109.9	114.9	114.5
H49	103.9	108.0	105.8	111.2	104.7	105.2	107.0	104.0	104.0	106.6	104.4	107.4	107.1
H50	119.2	128.0	119.3	132.4	121.0	131.4	128.0	136.1	125.0	125.1	127.9	137.1	142.8
H51	215.5	223.6	226.8	266.2	283.2	255.0	250.9	229.1	256.4	309.1	240.3	313.3	259.8
H52	105.0	103.9	109.2	111.3	103.8	100.9	107.0	103.6	103.1	104.7	102.1	107.1	111.4
H53	123.8	120.7	116.7	128.9	118.1	120.2	130.2	127.3	126.2	133.1	132.8	124.2	126.2
I	141.3	143.6	143.8	144.6	142.9	143.7	144.4	143.6	144.0	143.7	144.4	144.0	144.9
155	177.3	177.9	179.6	182.3	182.0	188.6	190.7	188.6	187.2	179.9	178.6	179.4	177.9
156	120.1	122.9	122.0	122.1	120.7	119.7	117.9	117.8	118.8	122.3	124.2	123.2	125.6
J	113.4	114.9	113.9	115.8	117.5	115.9	119.7	120.3	122.0	120.4	116.6	121.1	126.9
J58	82.5	89.2	85.8	88.8	92.4	88.6	110.6	150.4	86.2	85.1	89.0	84.8	98.6
J59	93.2	104.8	101.9	92.2	83.1	123.6	109.6	87.4	109.5	106.7	107.0	82.2	111.8
J60	80.3	96.4	71.4	96.3	82.0	75.0	76.6	82.1	79.7	77.7	73.5	78.7	85.8
J61	116.3	120.1	118.8	118.0	121.4	120.9	122.2	120.7	125.6	125.7	123.4	122.4	115.7
J62	116.5	114.1	116.5	118.1	120.0	116.8	121.2	122.7	124.9	122.3	120.3	126.1	135.7
J63	113.9	119.0	106.9	120.2	121.0	110.6	122.6	115.6	123.3	120.6	92.7	130.9	156.3
L	92.4	95.3	92.7	101.4	95.5	105.3	94.9	97.0	103.5	96.5	88.9	102.2	101.6
M_STS	117.5	114.8	110.8	114.4	115.2	119.0	125.6	135.6	124.4	124.0	128.8	122.6	130.6
M69	115.0	118.1	108.6	113.6	130.0	117.7	124.9	136.5	129.3	128.9	119.0	114.4	137.2
M702	145.5	140.9	104.0	117.8	116.7	144.3	170.4	199.9	174.5	148.4	174.8	144.1	136.9
M71	102.8	97.1	116.4	111.4	111.1	105.2	109.7	113.9	109.4	116.0	126.4	120.3	148.8
M73	134.8	125.3	118.2	128.6	114.9	123.9	115.2	115.8	111.5	120.8	114.1	126.0	116.3
M74	101.2	102.6	106.4	105.3	102.9	112.2	115.4	120.8	104.4	109.6	114.3	113.6	106.3
N	123.0	115.6	116.9	113.3	116.3	117.9	114.9	115.2	116.0	113.3	125.3	117.0	123.8
N77	172.1	122.8	129.3	122.7	116.3	126.3	129.3	119.0	120.1	118.6	114.2	113.4	119.8
N78	112.0	112.0	116.4	97.7	124.6	121.1	111.1	112.9	116.3	115.9	119.1	134.9	136.5
N79	193.7	194.4	193.1	197.0	197.0	205.7	200.6	207.4	199.9	191.1	194.7	197.3	205.9
N80	97.8	102.7	101.0	100.9	103.2	98.8	97.6	103.4	101.9	96.3	100.4	99.9	116.7
N81	111.0	108.4	112.2	113.6	103.3	108.3	101.2	100.2	103.9	105.6	112.7	110.7	113.6
N82	109.6	107.2	107.1	106.1	107.5	110.9	107.4	105.6	109.3	108.4	153.4	107.4	105.3

^{*} Preliminary data.

Table 4

Production indices in services - calendar-adjusted (2021 = 100)

NACE.BG -		2024											
2008	I	II	III	IV	v	VI	VII	VIII	IX	x	ΧI	XII	1*
HTNXK	99.3	104.4	114.3	112.2	112.1	124.2	129.8	126.8	122.5	117.6	114.9	134.4	106.8
н	93.2	101.9	113.9	116.0	110.2	115.6	126.2	111.1	111.4	118.7	110.2	110.4	97.6
H49	88.5	102.8	112.9	112.0	104.2	109.4	115.4	98.5	101.8	112.9	109.5	104.7	91.1
H50	90.7	104.8	117.5	135.3	130.2	135.8	153.3	151.0	129.5	134.9	116.6	133.2	108.8
H51	118.7	124.2	149.7	209.2	281.8	326.8	424.3	373.6	350.6	301.8	131.9	212.9	142.0
H52	94.5	94.5	110.5	111.1	103.4	105.1	116.6	106.8	104.3	108.0	100.9	104.9	100.7
H53	119.4	116.5	121.3	129.2	113.6	120.8	127.4	119.1	118.7	134.4	146.7	136.3	121.2
I	113.9	120.1	127.3	126.6	136.3	161.3	202.4	222.1	158.1	121.4	109.5	124.9	116.9
I55	133.1	144.2	146.5	148.1	159.5	220.4	302.2	341.3	219.5	132.0	114.2	136.3	130.2
156	102.7	106.0	116.0	114.0	122.7	126.9	144.1	152.5	122.3	115.1	106.7	118.2	109.2
J	102.5	104.7	117.4	109.9	112.9	120.0	117.4	113.4	121.3	122.0	119.7	150.8	114.7
J58	71.5	72.9	73.3	77.2	82.4	93.7	135.1	149.8	105.7	89.0	91.0	96.4	85.8
J59	69.2	84.8	100.6	80.6	71.7	123.0	98.8	70.1	93.1	123.4	122.8	153.7	83.1
J60	56.1	89.6	74.8	99.6	87.4	79.0	64.5	60.1	75.0	95.8	100.5	82.5	60.1
J61	109.7	110.7	116.0	112.4	120.8	124.8	124.2	123.5	130.2	126.3	123.8	134.4	108.6
J62	104.0	103.4	126.1	111.4	113.2	122.5	115.6	111.1	121.2	123.6	120.2	168.8	121.6
J63	104.0	113.8	110.3	119.1	114.5	107.3	116.4	102.0	116.4	115.1	115.6	158.7	143.9
L	87.1	91.7	91.3	94.8	87.7	109.3	96.8	97.7	111.2	91.4	85.5	123.4	95.9
M_STS	96.9	103.3	114.7	110.6	108.7	125.4	126.4	126.0	122.3	122.8	129.4	168.8	108.1
M69	101.2	108.7	114.6	118.5	129.0	125.8	127.7	122.7	122.6	123.9	114.3	142.7	120.8
M702	120.1	125.9	105.5	108.6	101.7	155.1	179.0	197.9	195.9	145.4	167.4	187.1	113.0
M71	79.4	84.2	121.7	102.9	100.3	107.7	108.7	109.8	97.5	109.6	127.5	199.2	116.1
M73	96.8	106.7	116.9	129.3	115.2	128.9	111.3	98.8	105.0	134.8	134.7	168.4	83.5
M74	93.9	98.9	112.7	98.8	97.4	118.6	113.1	108.3	102.3	109.0	111.9	145.1	98.6
N	104.6	105.0	110.5	109.6	114.5	128.1	126.7	127.0	126.1	111.7	121.1	118.4	106.3
N77	140.4	109.9	123.0	130.9	124.2	130.0	141.2	121.5	121.6	113.1	115.3	123.3	97.4
N78	99.2	108.1	116.0	101.7	123.1	120.5	110.4	111.2	114.4	117.6	119.1	155.4	121.0
N79	105.0	115.4	126.4	139.4	162.0	301.7	326.0	370.5	323.1	167.3	95.8	123.0	119.9
N80	89.5	101.0	98.6	99.7	101.7	98.9	98.9	105.6	103.9	98.9	99.6	107.6	106.8
N81	94.8	98.6	110.2	112.7	106.6	116.5	109.9	103.4	102.9	106.0	112.7	116.3	97.7
N82	105.8	104.0	109.0	101.7	106.5	119.1	105.8	100.2	111.7	108.3	167.5	104.8	101.6

^{*} Preliminary data.