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New orders received in Industry - July 2012

In July 2012, new orders in industry decreased (-1.1%)

Warning: "New orders received in industry - December 2012" will be the last issue of new orders index in industry.

New orders index has been issued since 2003 to meet a new European requirement. Eurostat intended to build a leading indicator of industrial production in the European Union. As the index obtained had not achieved its aim, Eurostat removed the requirement in 2012. In order to cut the administrative burden on business, INSEE decided to no longer investigate new orders received monthly. Monthly business surveys will continue to provide qualitative information on the state of order levels in industry.

In July 2012, new orders received in industry (except heavy transport equipment) decreased 1.1%. New orders had already decreased in June (-1.0%).

Non-domestic new orders slightly increased by 0.3%.

During the last three months, new orders decreased in industry (-1.6%)

During the last three months (q-o-q), new orders decreased in the "other manufacturing" sector (-2.5%) and in the "electrical and electronic equipment" sector (-1.8%). However, new orders increased in the car industry (+1.2%).

Over the same period, non-domestic new orders increased by 2.2%.

Compared to last year, new orders were slightly higher (+0.2%)

The level of new orders during the last three months was 0.2% higher than a year ago. The level of nondomestic new orders inceased in a more sustained pace (+5.7%).

Industrial new orders variations

2005 based, SA-WDA changes in %

				Quarter on	Year on
NA : (A 17), [A	Weight	July /	June	quarter	year
88] Industries :	*	June	/ May	change	change (1)
Manufacturing,					
for new orders					
(except heavy					
transport					
equipment)	931	-1.1	-1.0	-1.6	0.2
non domestic	477	0.3	-2.5	2.2	5.7
(C3) Manufacture					
of electrical and					
electronic equip-					
ment and ma-					
chinery	212	2.0	-1.8	-1.8	-8.3
[29] Manufacture					
of motor vehicles,					
trailers and semi-					
trailers	240	-2.9	3.9	1.2	6.6
(C5) Other manu-					
facturing	479	-1.3	-2.2	-2.5	0.9

^{*:} Total Manufacturing for new orders = 1000

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⁽¹⁾ Last three months / three same months of previous year The codes correspond to the level of aggregation (A 17) and [A 88] of the "NA" aggregate classification based on NAF rev.2. Source: INSEE