



Industry Production, Orders and Turnover Statistics

Description

The Industry Production, Orders and Turnover Statistics (INDPAU) is a short-term economic statistic describing the evolution of production, orders and turnover in the industry.

Along with indicators for the industry, those for the construction industry (BAPAU), retail trade (DHU) and services (DLU) cover the remaining branches of the national economy.

Available since: 1999

Survey population: Business and Enterprise Register (BER)

Survey units: Enterprises, establishments, activities

Features registered:

- Turnover (split into domestic and from exports), monthly
- Orders (split into domestic and from exports), quarterly

Orders on hand, quarterly

Methodology

Sample survey:

The survey population is comprised of all enterprises active in the industry which are domiciled in Switzerland. Data are collected on a quarterly basis and the data requested are on a monthly or quarterly basis. The survey draws on data from secondary sources for:

- Energy and water supply
- Refining of petroleum

The sample consists of about 3500 enterprises. Micro enterprises are not included in the sample.

Participation is mandatory. The enterprises (establishments) are contacted by post, telephone or email. The data are collected by means of paper or electronic forms (eSurvey).

Degree of regionalisation:
Switzerland

Periodicity:
Quarterly

Reference period:
Month (turnover), quarter (orders)

The results are published in the form of working-day and seasonally adjusted indices. These indices are broken down by branches of the economy (see General Classification of Economic Activities, NOGA 2008) and by main industrial groupings (goods) as well as by origin (foreign or domestic).

Revision:
Introduced in 1965. Revisions: 1970, 1975, 1995 and 2011
The revision programme provides for the weighting base and scheme to be changed every 5 years. The corresponding years must end in X5 and X0.

Legal bases

Ordinance on the Conduct of Federal Statistical Surveys, 30 June 1993 (SR 431.012.1)

Organization

Federal Statistical Office (FSO)

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