

Index numbers of industrial and construction-assembly production in January 2012^{a)}

Index numbers of industrial and construction-assembly production in enterprises in which the number of employees exceeds 9 persons in real time (constant prices) were:

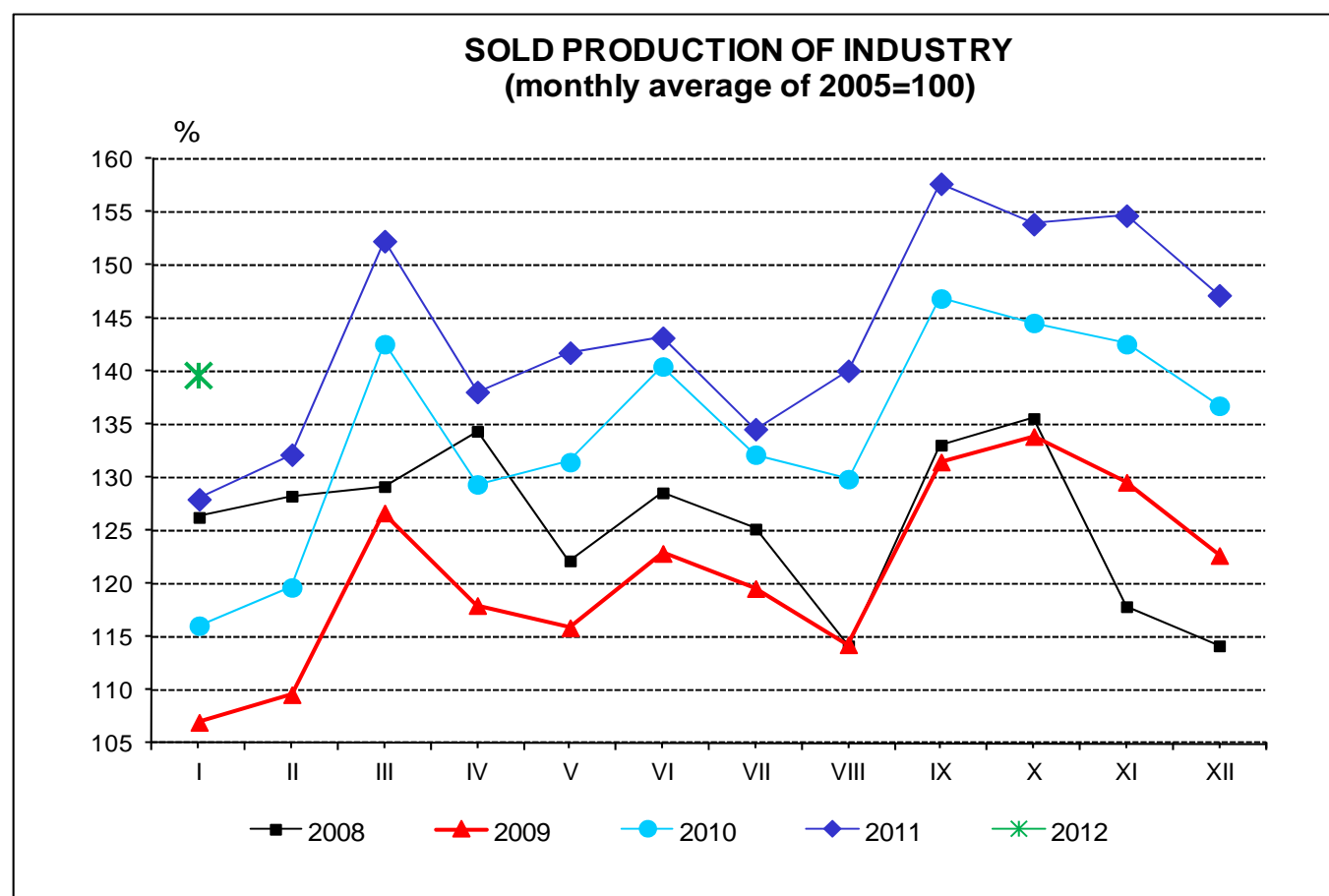
Specification	I 2012		
	previous month = 100	corresponding period of previous year = 100	monthly average of 2005 = 100
INDUSTRIAL UNITS			
Total	94.9	109.0	139.6
incl.:			
minig and quarrying	91.2	99.7	78.6
manufacturing	95.1	110.7	146.5
electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	95.8	96.8	116.6
water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities	87.7	106.1	127.2
CONSTRUCTION UNITS			
Total	35.5	132.2	107.5

^{a)} Reported data; comprise enterprises employing over 9 persons.

According to the preliminary data **sold production of industry** in constant prices (in enterprises employing more than 9 persons) in January of 2012 was by 9.0% higher than in the previous year, but lower by 5.1% than in December of 2011. After eliminating the seasonal factors, sold production of industry reached the level higher by 9.1% than in the corresponding month of the previous year and by 0.4% higher than in December of 2011.

As compared to January of 2011, an increase in sold production was reported in 29 (out of 34) industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of metal products – by 25.7%, manufacture of machinery and equipment – by 18.2%, manufacture of chemicals and chemical products – by 15.4%, manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products – by 15.0%, manufacture of products of wood, cork, straw and wicker – by 14.2% and manufacture of rubber and plastics products – by 13.7%. A drop in sold production of industry, as compared to January of 2011, was recorded in 5 divisions, among others, in, mining of coal and lignite – by 12.9% and in manufacture of pharmaceutical products – by 7.0%.

Indices of sold production of industry in comparison with an average monthly level in 2005 are presented in the graph below:



According to preliminary data, **construction and assembly production** (in constant prices), including investment and repair work, carried out domestically by construction enterprises employing more than 9 persons, was in January of 2012 by 32.2% higher than a year before, and by 64.5% lower than in December of 2011. After eliminating the seasonal factors, construction and assembly production reached the level by 0.1% higher than in December of the previous year, and it was by 18.6% higher than in the corresponding month of the previous year (a growth not deviating considerably from the corresponding monthly records in the previous year).

In relation to January of 2011, an increase in production was recorded in all divisions of construction, including in entities specialising in civil engineering – by 69.1%, in entities dealing mainly with specialised construction activities – by 33.4%, and in entities whose basic type of activity is the construction of buildings – by 12.5%.

Indices of the construction and assembly production, in comparison with an average monthly level in 2005 are presented in the graph below:

