

# Index numbers of sold production of industry in February 2021<sup>a)</sup>

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**↑2.7%**

Increase in sold production of industry as compared to February 2020

In February 2021, sold production of industry was by 2.7% higher than in February 2020, when an increase was recorded by 4.8% as compared to the previous year, whereas in comparison with January 2021, it increased by 4.3%. In the period January-February of 2021, sold production of industry was by 2.0% higher than in the corresponding period of 2020, which saw a growth by 2.7%.

After eliminating the seasonal factors, in February 2021 sold production of industry reached the level higher by 4.5% than in the corresponding month of 2020 and by 0.4% higher as compared to January 2021.

After seasonal adjustment, an increase in sold industrial production in February 2021 amounted to 4.5% per year

**Chart 1. Sold production of industry (average monthly level in 2015=100)**



In February 2021, as compared to the previous year, a decrease of production was recorded in three main industrial groupings. The production of capital goods decreased by 3.5%, energy – by 2.9% and non-durable consumer goods – by 2.1%. An increase was observed in the production of durable consumer goods – by 13.3% and intermediate goods – by 6.2%.

<sup>a)</sup> Reported data; comprise enterprises with 10 or more persons employed.

**Table 1. Index numbers of sold production of industry (constant prices)**

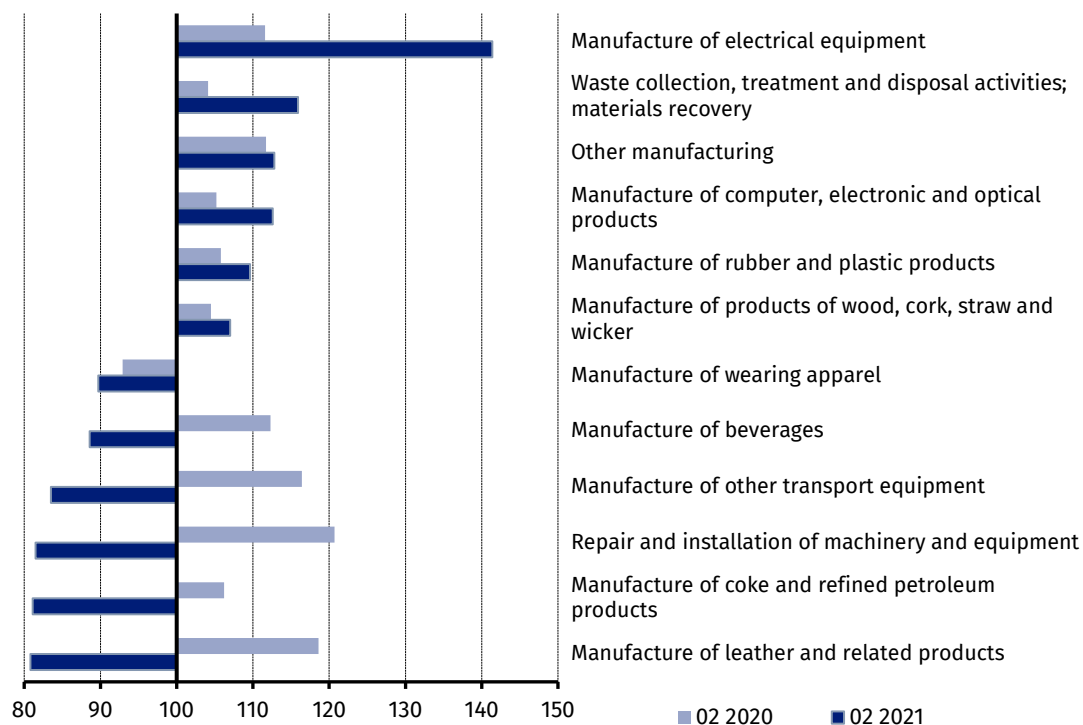
SPECIFICATION	02 2021			01-02 2021 <sup>a)</sup>
	01 2020=100	02 2021=100	monthly average of 2015=100	01-02 2020=100
<b>INDUSTRY</b>	<b>104.3</b>	<b>102.7</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>102.0</b>
Mining and quarrying	112.0	93.9	74.9	95.5
Manufacturing	104.8	102.7	126.3	101.8
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	97.2	104.3	133.5	104.7
Water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities	103.0	108.2	127.5	108.0

<sup>a)</sup> Data including final information on production and prices in February and reported data – in January.

According to the preliminary data, in February 2021, as compared to February 2020, an increase in sold production (in constant prices) was reported in 17 (out of 34) industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of electrical equipment – by 41.4%, manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products – by 12.6%, manufacture of rubber and plastic products – by 9.6%, manufacture of products of wood, cork, straw and wicker – by 7.0%, manufacture of metal products – by 6.5%, manufacture of chemicals and chemical products – by 6.4%, manufacture of paper and paper products – by 5.9%, manufacture of food products – by 3.2%. A decrease in sold production of industry, as compared to February 2020, was recorded in 16 divisions, among others, in manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products – by 18.9%, in repair and installation of machinery and equipment – by 18.5 %, in manufacture of other transport equipment – by 16.5%, manufacture of beverages – by 11.4%, manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products – by 7.9%, manufacture of basic metals – by 5.2%.

Share of production value of industry divisions, which saw an increase in comparison to February 2020, stood at 66.5%

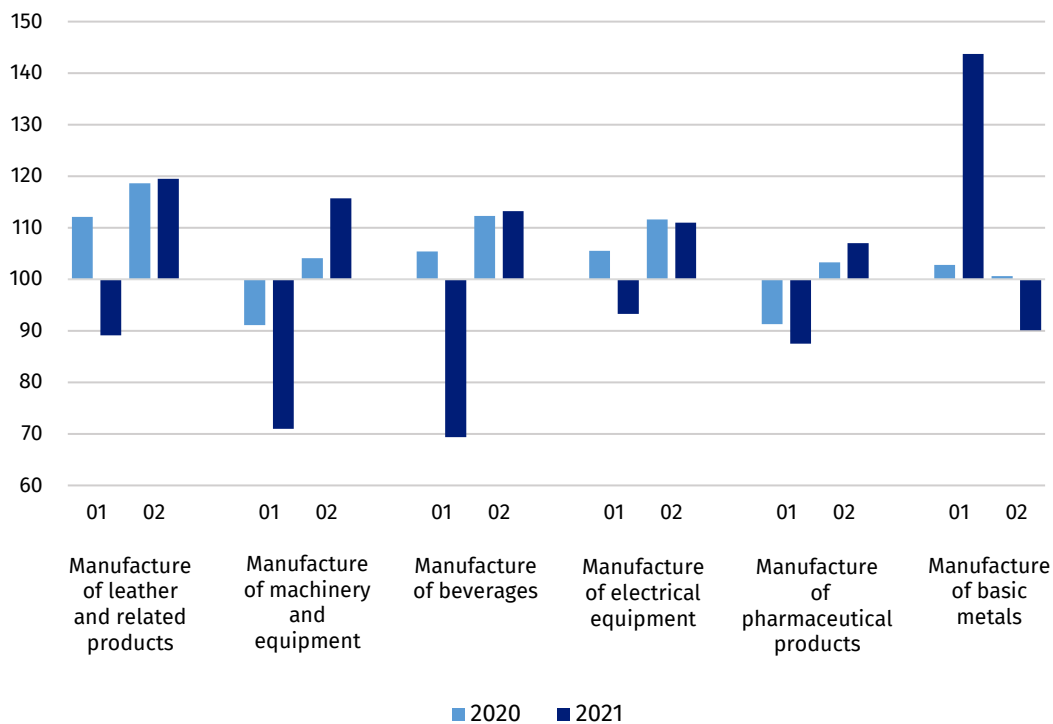
**Chart 2. Index numbers of sold production of industry by selected NACE divisions (constant prices; previous year =100)**



As compared to January 2021, an increase in sold production (in constant prices) in February 2021 was recorded in 25 industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of machinery and equipment – by 15.7%, manufacture of beverages – by 13.2%, manufacture of other transport equipment – by 12.9%, manufacture of metal products – by 12.2%, manufacture of electrical equipment – by 11.0%, manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers – by 9.0%, manufacture of rubber and plastic products – by 7.3%.

A decrease in sold production of industry, as compared to January 2021, was recorded in 9 divisions, among others, in manufacture of basic metals – by 9.9%, in repair and installation of machinery and equipment – by 6.9%, in manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products – by 5.2%, manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products – by 3.5%, in electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply – by 2.8%.

**Chart 3. Index numbers of sold production of industry by selected NACE divisions (constant prices; previous month =100)**



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[Sold production of industry](#)

[Seasonally un-adjusted volume index of sold production of industry](#)

[Seasonally adjusted volume index of sold production of industry](#)

[Production of capital goods](#)

[Production of non-durable consumer goods](#)

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