

## Index numbers of industrial and construction-assembly production in September 2016<sup>a)</sup>

In September of 2016, **sold production of industry** was by 3.2% higher than in September of 2015, whereas a decrease of 15.3% was reported in **construction-assembly production**. In the period January-September of 2016, sold production of industry was by 3.8% higher than in the corresponding period of 2015 which saw a 4.5% increase, whereas construction-assembly production was by 14.9% lower than in the corresponding period of 2015 which saw a 2.0% increase.

Index numbers of industrial and construction-assembly production in real time (constant prices) were:

Specification	IX		I-IX <sup>b)</sup>	IX
	previous month = 100	corresponding period of previous year = 100		monthly average of 2010 = 100
<b>INDUSTRIAL UNITS</b>				
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>110.4</b>	<b>103.2</b>	<b>103.8</b>	<b>131.4</b>
mining and quarrying.....	119.6	107.5	95.5	110.5
manufacturing.....	110.5	104.1	104.8	138.9
electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply.....	106.7	88.4	96.1	79.0
water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities.....	101.2	102.9	103.0	124.2
<b>CONSTRUCTION UNITS</b>				
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>118.7</b>	<b>84.7</b>	<b>85.1</b>	<b>102.6</b>

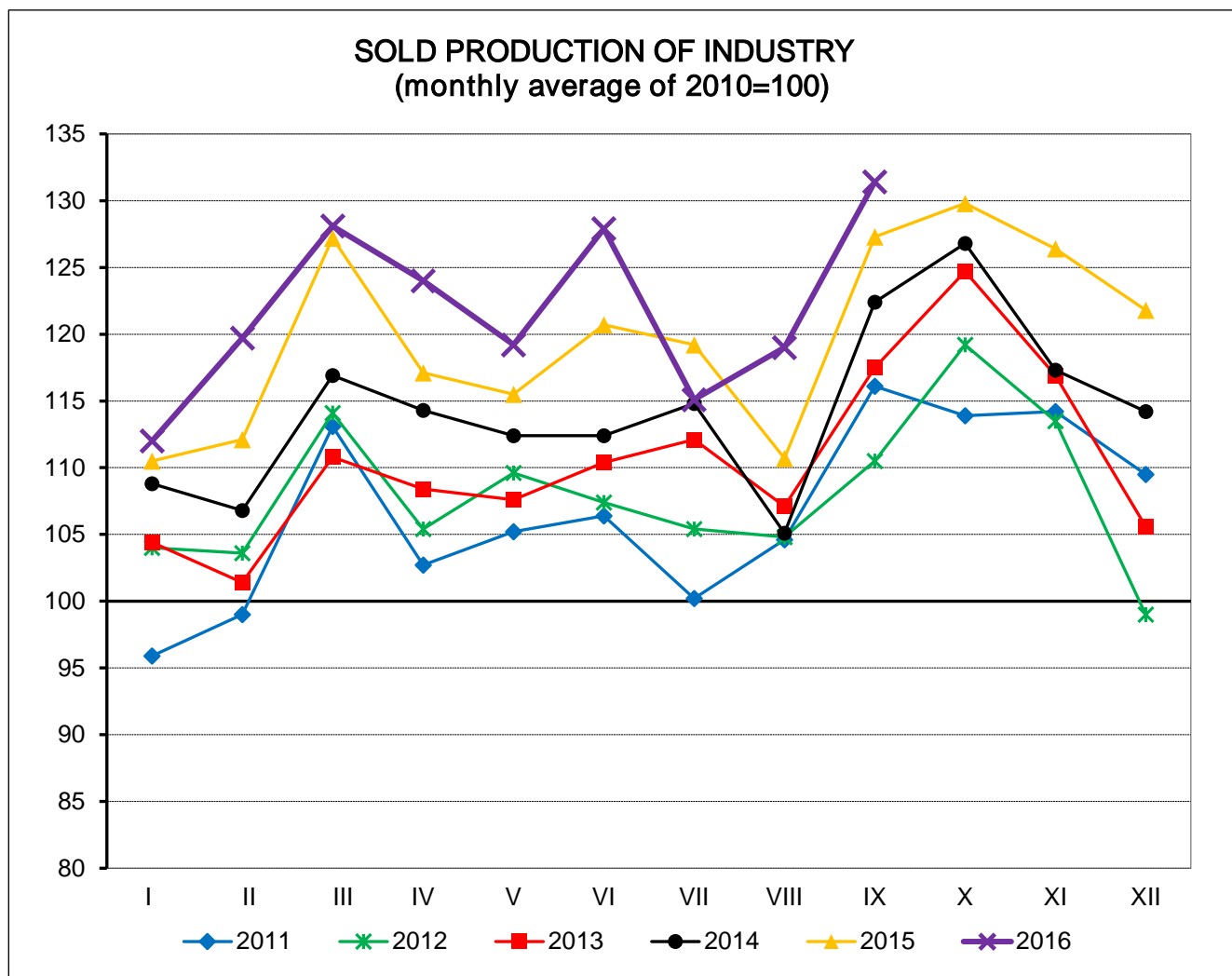
<sup>a)</sup> Reported data; comprise enterprises employing over 9 persons.

<sup>b)</sup> Data including final information on production and prices in August and reported data – in September.

According to the preliminary data, **sold production of industry** in constant prices (in enterprises employing more than 9 persons), in September of 2016, was by 3.2% higher than in the previous year (when an increase of 4.0% was recorded) and by 10.4% higher than in August of 2016. After eliminating the seasonal factors, sold production of industry reached the level higher by 3.3% than in the corresponding month of 2015 and by 0.2% lower as compared to August of 2016.

As compared to September of 2015, an increase in sold production was reported in 26 (out of 34) industry divisions, among others, in mining of coal and lignite – by 17.3% (a decrease of 6.1% a year earlier), manufacture of textiles – by 16.3%, manufacture of furniture – by 14.0%, manufacture of machinery and equipment – by 12.2%, manufacture of metal products – by 9.9%, manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers – by 8.4%, manufacture of other non-metallic mineral product – by 7.8%, manufacture of food products – by 6.5%. A decrease in sold production of industry, as compared to September of 2015, was recorded in 8 divisions, among others, in electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply – by 11.6%, manufacture of chemicals and chemical products – by 2.2%, manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products – by 2.1%.

Indices of sold production of industry in comparison with an average monthly level in 2010 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 September of 2016 by 15.3% lower than a year before and by 18.7% higher in comparison to August of 2016. After eliminating the seasonal factors, construction and assembly production reached the level by 15.9% lower than in September of 2015 and by 3.3% higher in comparison to August of 2016.

In relation to September of 2015, a decrease in production was recorded in all divisions of construction: in entities specialising in civil engineering – by 22.5%, in entities dealing mainly with specialised construction activities – by 11.1% and in entities whose basic type of activity is the construction of buildings – by 8.6%.

In comparison to August of 2016, an increase in production was recorded in entities dealing mainly with specialised construction activities – by 27.4%, in entities specialising in civil engineering – by 17.1% and in entities whose basic type of activity is the construction of buildings – by 14.0%.

Indices of the construction and assembly production, in comparison with an average monthly level in 2010, are presented in the graph below:

