

Price indices of sold production of industry and construction and assembly production in August 2018

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0.0%

In industry remained unchanged in comparison to the previous month

According to preliminary data in August 2018 the prices of sold production of industry were at the similar level to the one recorded in the previous month. It is estimated that the prices of construction and assembly production in August 2018 increased by 0.3% in comparison to July this year.

According to preliminary data in August 2018 the prices of sold production of industry were higher by 3.0% in comparison to August 2017. The prices increase was also recorded in construction and assembly production – by 3.2%. In the period January–August 2018 the prices of sold production of industry were higher by 1.8% in comparison to the corresponding period 2017 (when the growth was recorded – by 3.4%) and the prices of construction and assembly production increased by 2.3% (the growth in the previous year – by 0.3%).

The prices in industry in August 2018 in annual terms were higher by 3.0%, in construction – by 3.2%

In August 2018 in comparison to the previous month this year the drop of prices was recorded in sections: mining and quarrying and in water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities. However, they increased in the section electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply. In comparison to corresponding month of the previous year prices in all sections of industry increased.

SPECIFICATION	VII 2018		VIII 2018		I-VIII 2018	
	VI 2018=100	corresponding period of 2017=100	VII 2018=100	XII 2017=100	I-VIII 2017=100	
PRICE INDICES OF SOLD PRODUCTION OF INDUSTRY						
TOTAL	100,1	103,4	103,0	100,0	102,5	101,8
Mining and quarrying	97,1*	105,1*	104,2	99,1	100,3	103,2
Manufacturing	100,2	103,7*	103,2	100,0	102,7	101,9
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	100,1	100,1	100,8	100,6	102,1	99,7
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	100,2*	101,7*	101,1	99,9	101,0	101,2
PRICE INDICES OF CONSTRUCTION AND ASSEMBLY PRODUCTION						
TOTAL	100,3	103,1	103,2	100,3	102,1	102,3

* Data revised.

The prices of sold production of industry

According to preliminary data in August 2018, **the prices of sold production of industry** of which in section manufacturing remained at a level similar to the one recorded in the previous month. The growth of prices was recorded among others in manufacturing of tobacco products (by 0.7%), of beverages (by 0.5%), of products of wood, cork, straw, of printing and reproduction of recorded media (by 0.4% each), of food products, of coke and refined petroleum products, of pharmaceutical products, of metal products (by 0.3% each), of computer, electronic and optical products (by 0.2%), of other non-metallic mineral products and of furniture (by 0.1% each). The prices in manufacturing of leather and related products remained unchanged to the one recorded in July 2018. The drop of prices was recorded among other things in manufacture of paper and paper products, of electrical equipment as well as of other transport equipment (by 0.1% each), of textiles, of rubber and plastic products, of machinery and equipment n.e.c. (by 0.2% each), of chemicals and chemical products (by 0.3%), of wearing apparel (by 0.4%), of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers (by 0.6%), of metal products (by 0.7%). The price in section electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply increased by 0.6%. The drop of prices was recorded in section water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities by 0.1% and in section mining and quarrying by 0.9% of which mining of metal ores (by 4.6%) with the growth in prices in mining of coal and lignite by 1.1%.

In August 2018 the prices of sold production of industry were higher by 3.0% than a year earlier. The biggest rise of prices was recorded in mining and quarrying by 4.2% of which the most in mining of coal and lignite (by 10.8%) with the drop in prices in mining of metal ores (by 6.9%). The prices increased in manufacturing by 3.2%, in which the most in manufacturing of coke and refined petroleum products (by 30.7%). The growth of prices was also recorded among others in manufacture of metal products (by 7.1%), of paper and paper products (by 5.0%), of leather and related products (by 4.7%), of other non-metallic mineral products (by 3.7%), of chemicals and chemical products (by 3.6%), of wearing apparel (by 3.5%), of tobacco products (by 3.4%), of products of wood, cork, straw and wicker (by 2.7%), of textiles (by 2.3%), of printing and reproduction of recorded media, of metal products (by 1.9% each), of beverages (by 1.3%), of rubber and plastic products (by 0.9%), of furniture (by 0.8%), of electrical equipment (by 0.4%), of pharmaceutical products (of 0.3%), of machinery and equipment (by 0.1%). The prices in manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers remained at the similar level which was recorded last year. The drop of prices was recorded among other things in manufacture of other transport equipment (of 0.1%), of food products (of 0.3%), as well as of computer, electronic and optical products (of 1.1%). The prices in section water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities increased by 1.1% and in section electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply – by 0.8%.

The prices of construction and assembly production

It is estimated that **the prices of construction and assembly production** in August 2018 were higher by 0.3% than in the previous month. The growth of prices was recorded in civil engineering (by 0.4%), in construction of buildings as well as in specialised construction activities (by 0.3% each).

In comparison to August of the previous year, the prices of construction and assembly production were higher by 3.2% of which the prices in construction of buildings (by 3.5%), in civil engineering (by 3.3%) as well as in specialised construction activities (by 2.8%).

In August 2018 in comparison to the previous month the biggest growth of prices was recorded in manufacture of tobacco products by 0.7% each (in comparison to December 2017 the rise was 2.4% and in comparison to August of the previous year – 3.4%)

In August 2018 in comparison to August of the previous year the biggest growth of prices was recorded in manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products by 30.7% (in comparison to December 2017 the growth was 17.1%, and in comparison to the previous month – 0.3%)

Prices in construction in August 2018 in annual terms increased in all divisions of construction.

Chart 1. Dynamics of prices in 2018 (XII previous year = 100)

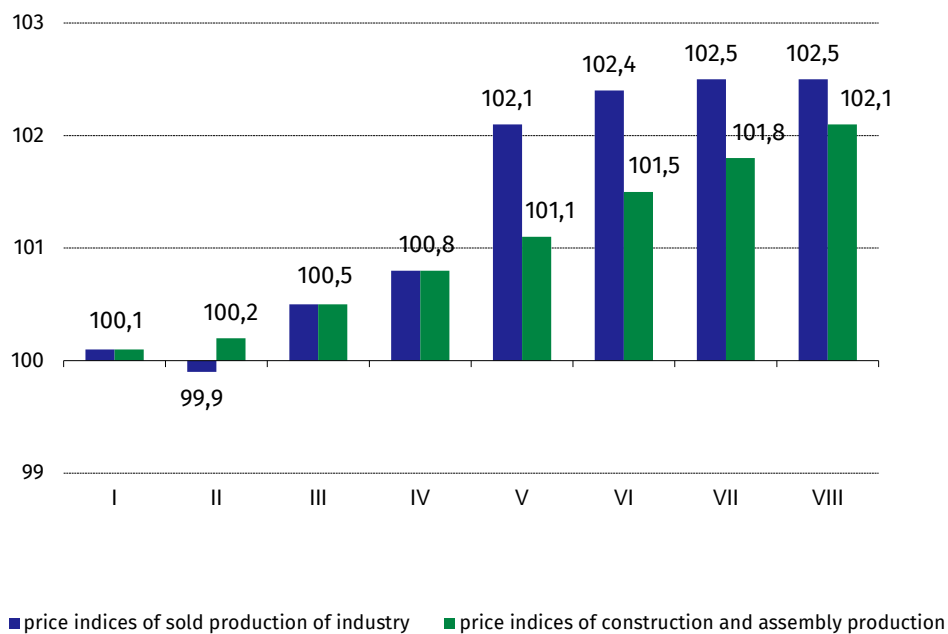


Chart 2. Dynamics of prices of sold production of industry in 2017-2018 (XII previous year = 100)

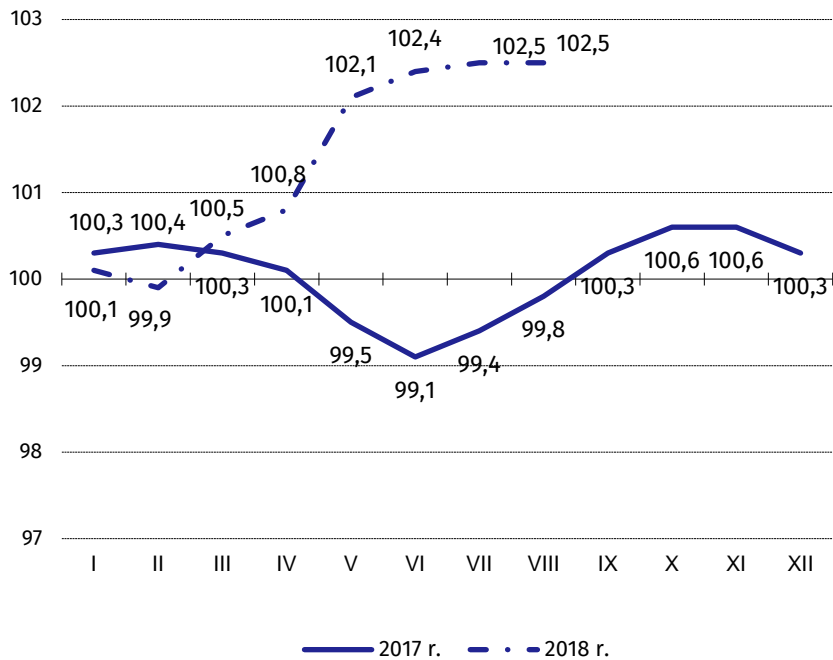


Chart 3. Dynamics of prices of assembly and construction production in 2017-2018 (XII previous year = 100)

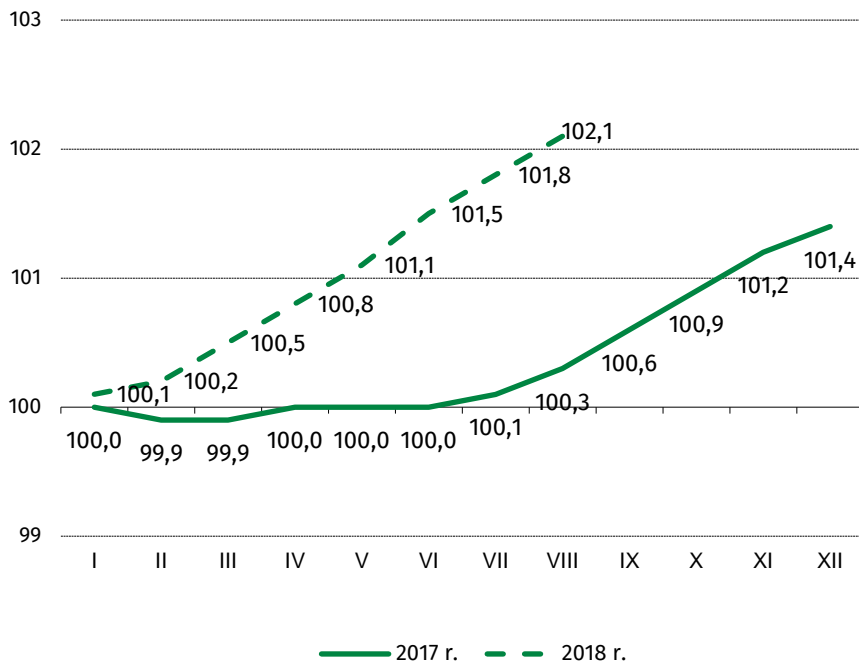
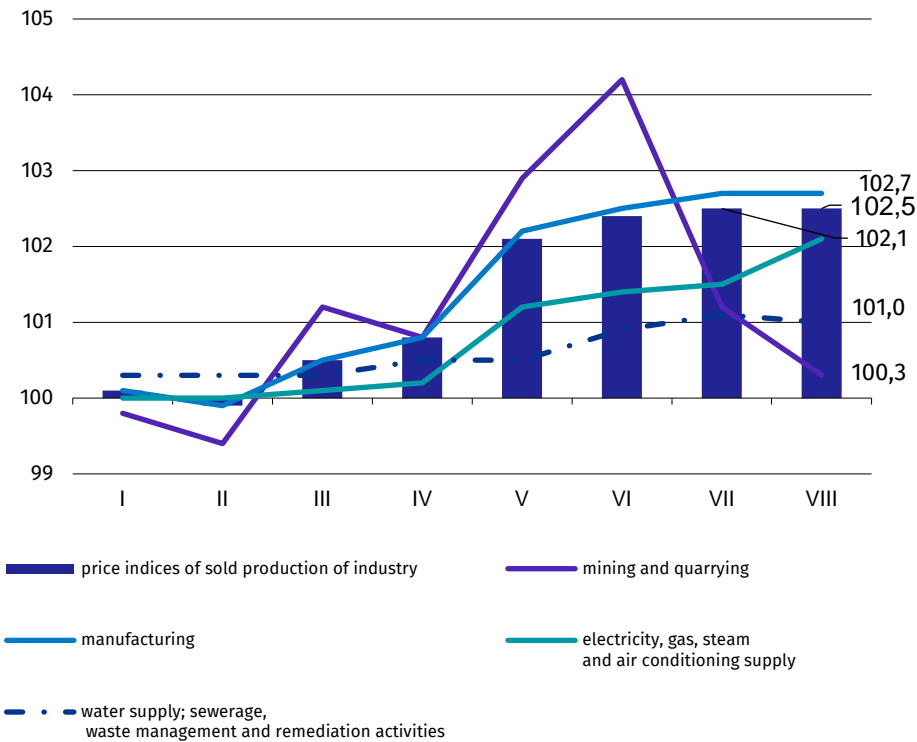


Chart 4. Dynamics of prices of sold production of industry sections in 2018 (XII previous year = 100)



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