

# Index numbers of sold production of industry in August 2019<sup>a)</sup>

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Index number of sold production of industry, as compared to August 2018

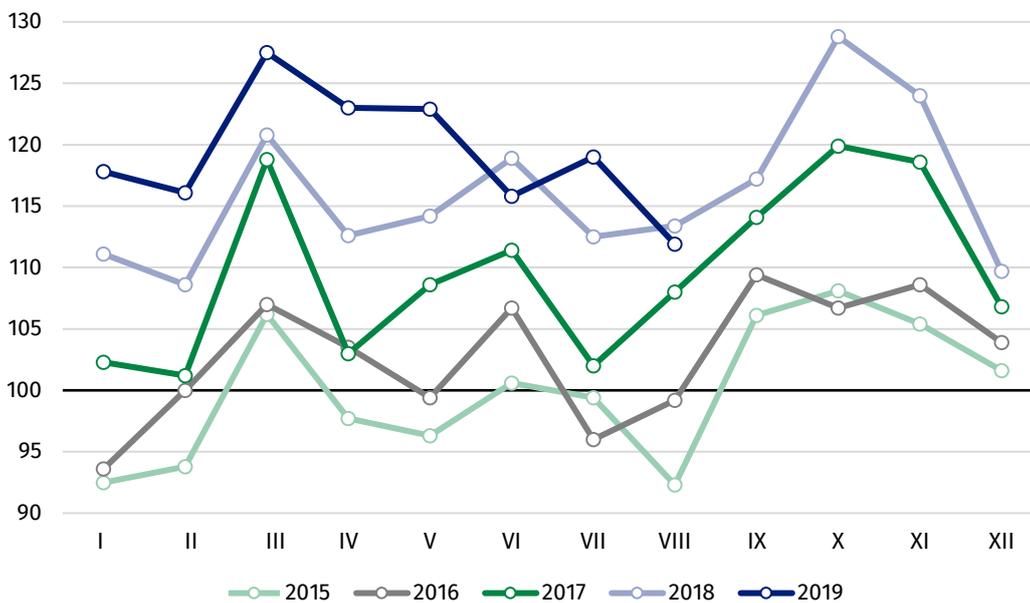
In August 2019, sold production of industry was by 1.3% lower than in August 2018, when the growth was recorded by 5.0%, whereas in comparison with July 2019, it decreased by 6.0%. In the period January-August of 2019, sold production of industry was by 4.3% higher than in the corresponding period of 2018, when an increase of 6.5% was recorded.

Decrease in sold production of industry in August 2019 amounted to 1.3%, against an increase of 5.0% in the previous year

After eliminating the seasonal factors, in August 2019 sold production of industry reached the level higher by 1.7% than in the corresponding month of 2018 and by 1.2% lower as compared to July 2019.

After seasonal adjustment, an increase in sold industrial production in August 2019 amounted to 1.7% per year

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



In most of the main industrial groupings, in August 2019, as compared to the previous year, a decrease of production was recorded. The production of capital goods decreased by 4.5%, energy – by 4.4% and intermediate goods – by 0.8%. A slight increase was observed in the production of durable consumer goods – by 0.6% and non-durable consumer goods – by 0.2%.

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

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

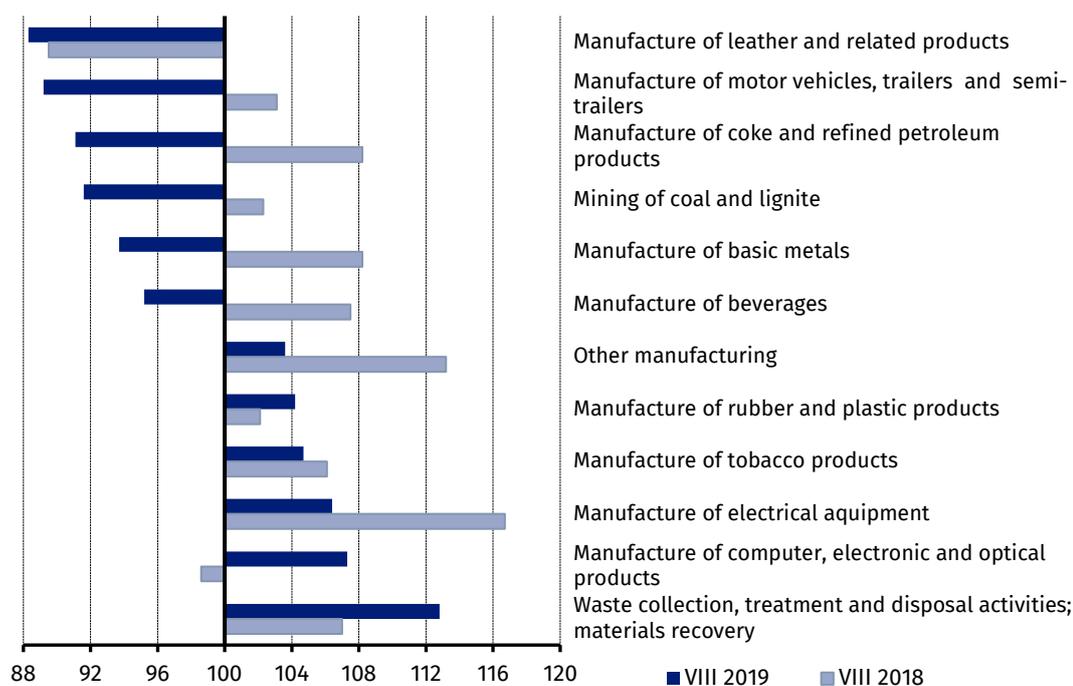
SPECIFICATION	VIII 2019			I-VIII 2019 <sup>b)</sup>
	VII 2019=100	VIII 2018=100	monthly average of 2015=100	I-VIII 2018=100
<b>INDUSTRY</b>	<b>94.0</b>	<b>98.7</b>	<b>111.9</b>	<b>104.3</b>
Mining and quarrying	100.5	91.6	86.5	102.6
Manufacturing	93.1	98.7	114.5	104.6
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	103.2	99.7	93.4	100.4
Water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities	97.9	106.6	123.3	109.9

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

According to the preliminary data, in August 2019, as compared to August 2018, a decrease in sold production (in constant prices) was reported in 18 (out of 34) industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers – by 10.8%, manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products – by 8.9%, in mining of coal and lignite – by 8.4%, in manufacture of basic metals – by 6.3%, manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products – by 4.6%. An increase in sold production of industry, as compared to August 2018, was recorded in 16 divisions, among others in manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products – by 7.3%, manufacture of electrical equipment – by 6.4%, manufacture of rubber and plastic products – by 4.2%.

Share of production value of industry divisions, which saw an decrease in their index numbers, stood at 62.2%

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