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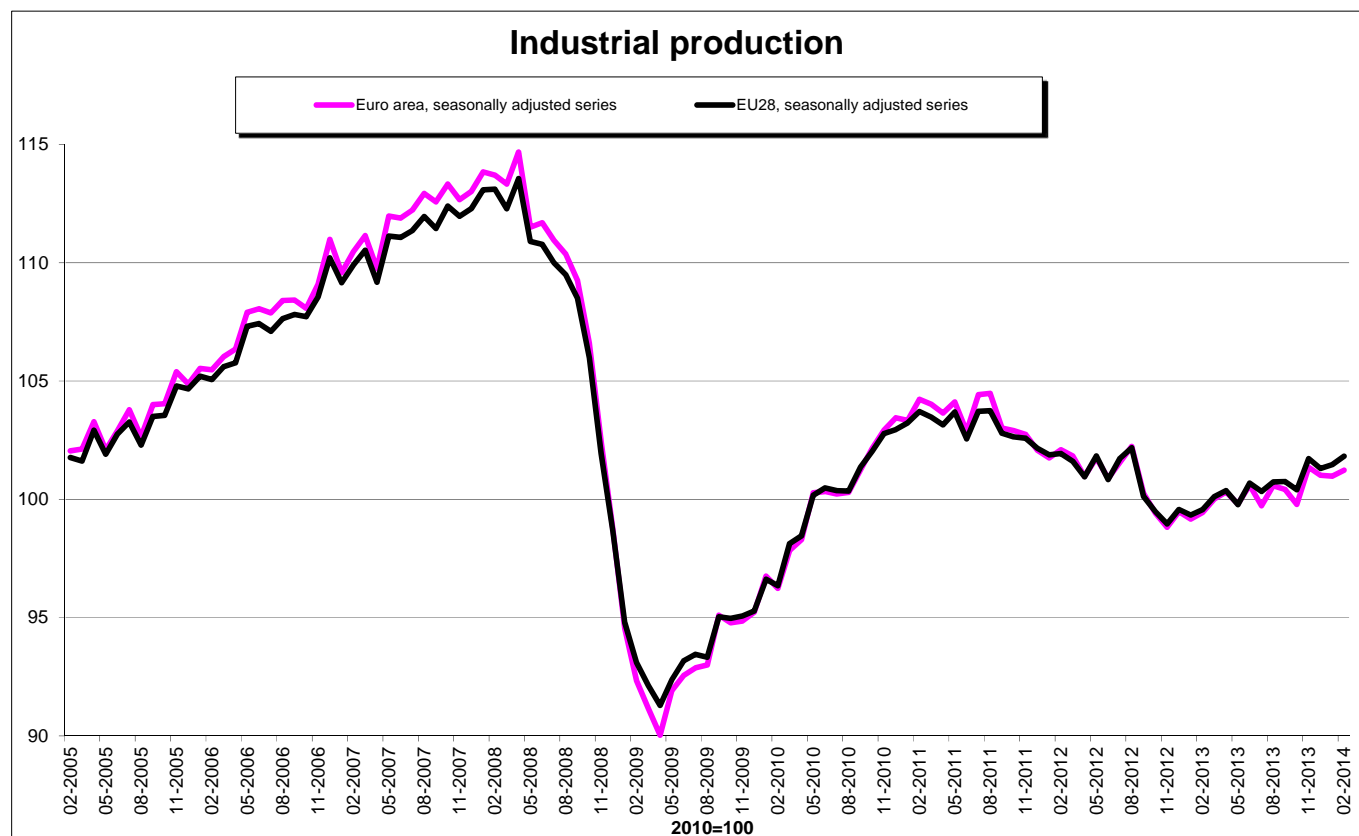
February 2014 compared with January 2014

Industrial production up by 0.2% in euro area

Up by 0.4% in EU28

In February 2014 compared with January, seasonally adjusted industrial production¹ rose by 0.2% in the **euro area**² (EA18) and by 0.4% in the **EU28**², according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In January³ industrial production remained stable in the **euro area** and increased by 0.2% in the **EU28**.

In February 2014 compared with February 2013⁴, industrial production grew by 1.7% in the **euro area** and by 2.1% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The increase of 0.2% in industrial production in the **euro area** in February 2014, compared with January 2014, is due to production of intermediate goods rising by 0.6% and non-durable consumer goods by 0.5%, while capital goods remained stable and durable consumer goods fell by 1.2% and energy by 1.7%.

In the **EU28**, the increase of 0.4% is due to production of non-durable consumer goods rising by 0.9%, intermediate goods by 0.5% and capital goods by 0.2%, while durable consumer goods fell by 0.7% and energy by 1.4%.

The highest increases in industrial production were registered in **Malta** (+5.4%), **Ireland** (+5.0%) and **Lithuania** (+2.5%), and the largest decreases in **Croatia** (-2.8%), **Estonia** (-2.2%) and **Romania** (-1.3%).

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The increase of 1.7% in industrial production in the **euro area** in February 2014, compared with February 2013, is due to production of intermediate goods rising by 4.2%, capital goods by 4.0% and non-durable consumer goods by 2.8%, while production of durable consumer goods fell by 0.6% and energy by 8.5%.

In the **EU28**, the increase of 2.1% is due to production of intermediate goods rising by 4.6%, capital goods by 4.5%, non-durable consumer goods by 2.7% and durable consumer goods by 1.5%, while production of energy fell by 7.2%.

The highest increases in industrial production were registered in **Slovakia** (+9.0%), **Romania** (+8.9%) and **Hungary** (+8.2%), and the largest decreases in the **Netherlands** (-8.9%), **Finland** (-5.4%) and **Lithuania** (-2.1%).

1. The index of industrial production measures the evolution of the volume of production for industry excluding construction, based on data adjusted for working day and seasonal effects. Seasonally adjusted euro area and EU series are calculated by aggregating the seasonally adjusted national data. Eurostat carries out the seasonal adjustment of the data for those countries that do not adjust their data for seasonal effects. Missing observations from Member States for recent months are estimated for the calculation of the euro area and the EU.
The weights of the Member States in the EU and euro area aggregates can be found at:
<https://circabc.europa.eu/w/browse/5e6d1e48-056c-4c6a-8278-3ab138bcf575>
See file: EU-28_EA-18_NEWS_RELEASE_WEIGHTINGS_2010
More detailed data can be found in the short-term statistics database on the Eurostat website:
http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/short_term_business_statistics/data/database
2. The euro area (EA18) includes Belgium, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovakia and Finland.
The European Union (EU28) includes Belgium, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Croatia, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Hungary, the Netherlands, Austria, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Finland, Sweden and the United Kingdom. The tables also include Norway.
3. Data of previous months have been revised compared to those issued in the News Release 38/2014 of 12 March 2014. The monthly growth rates for January 2014 have been revised from -0.2% to 0.0% for the EA18 and from +0.1% to +0.2% for the EU28. The annual growth rates have been revised from +2.1% to +1.6% for the EA18 and from +2.4% to +1.9% for the EU28.
4. Based on data adjusted for working days.

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Industrial production
% change compared with previous month*

	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14
EA18						
Total industry	-0.2	-0.6	1.6	-0.3	0.0	0.2
Intermediate goods	-0.3	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.6
Energy	1.4	-3.2	2.7	-2.9	-1.8	-1.7
Capital goods	-0.8	-1.0	2.8	-0.7	0.7	0.0
Durable consumer goods	-1.5	-1.7	1.2	0.9	1.6	-1.2
Non-durable consumer goods	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.5
EU28						
Total industry	0.0	-0.3	1.3	-0.4	0.2	0.4
Intermediate goods	-0.2	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.5
Energy	0.4	-2.2	1.9	-2.2	-1.4	-1.4
Capital goods	-0.3	-0.8	2.4	-0.9	1.0	0.2
Durable consumer goods	-0.9	-1.4	1.0	0.1	2.4	-0.7
Non-durable consumer goods	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	-0.3	0.9

Total industry	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14
EA18	-0.2	-0.6	1.6	-0.3	0.0	0.2
EU28	0.0	-0.3	1.3	-0.4	0.2	0.4
Belgium	0.5	1.6	1.3	-0.6	-0.6	:
Bulgaria	0.5	0.6	-0.1	-0.2	1.8	0.7
Czech Republic	-1.4	1.8	1.3	-0.3	-0.4	1.7
Denmark	2.1	2.0	-3.1	-2.0	0.0	0.8
Germany	-0.7	-1.0	2.5	-0.1	0.3	0.4
Estonia	0.4	0.8	-0.7	-4.2	4.2	-2.2
Ireland	2.3	-4.9	3.4	-2.2	-0.3	5.0
Greece	-0.3	-0.5	-1.4	2.6	0.0	-0.5
Spain	0.4	-0.9	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.7
France	-0.5	-0.3	1.3	-0.4	-0.4	0.2
Croatia	-3.0	1.3	3.3	-2.7	5.4	-2.8
Italy	0.4	0.7	0.1	-0.8	1.1	-0.5
Cyprus	-12.2	0.3	-4.3	3.4	-0.1	:
Latvia	0.1	0.4	-0.5	-1.5	-3.1	0.9
Lithuania	-1.5	5.9	-5.0	-1.4	-2.6	2.5
Luxembourg	0.6	0.3	1.7	4.3	-5.0	:
Hungary	1.8	-0.5	-0.1	-1.8	3.2	1.6
Malta	2.5	-6.6	2.4	-0.9	-3.6	5.4
Netherlands	0.8	-2.9	3.4	-2.0	-5.3	-0.2
Austria	0.0	0.1	-0.4	0.8	2.8	:
Poland	-0.2	0.6	1.5	-2.5	2.4	-0.9
Portugal	0.3	-0.2	1.9	-0.2	0.3	-0.2
Romania	2.3	2.6	-0.7	-0.6	3.2	-1.3
Slovenia	-0.4	0.6	-0.1	2.3	-1.1	-0.6
Slovakia	0.7	0.7	1.6	-1.0	2.0	-0.2
Finland	-0.4	-0.1	0.1	-0.4	-3.5	-0.1
Sweden	0.3	-1.8	4.8	-0.9	0.1	1.5
United Kingdom	0.8	0.2	-0.2	0.5	0.0	0.9
Norway	-0.2	-2.6	1.6	0.5	1.2	0.7

* Working day and seasonally adjusted

: Data not available

Industrial production

% change compared with same month of the previous year*

	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14
EA18						
Total industry	0.2	0.4	2.7	1.2	1.6	1.7
Intermediate goods	0.1	1.5	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.2
Energy	-0.7	-3.1	0.4	-1.5	-4.9	-8.5
Capital goods	0.2	1.3	4.2	1.8	4.7	4.0
Durable consumer goods	-2.7	-4.7	-1.3	-1.6	1.7	-0.6
Non-durable consumer goods	1.0	0.3	1.9	0.0	-0.1	2.8
EU28						
Total industry	0.6	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.9	2.1
Intermediate goods	0.6	2.0	3.6	3.5	4.5	4.6
Energy	-1.3	-2.8	-0.6	-2.1	-4.7	-7.2
Capital goods	1.0	2.0	4.4	2.1	4.8	4.5
Durable consumer goods	-1.6	-3.8	-0.3	-1.3	2.4	1.5
Non-durable consumer goods	1.0	0.6	2.0	1.0	-0.5	2.7

Total industry	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14
EA18	0.2	0.4	2.7	1.2	1.6	1.7
EU28	0.6	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.9	2.1
Belgium	0.2	5.7	7.3	0.4	3.7	:
Bulgaria	2.2	4.2	4.4	0.0	2.5	6.5
Czech Republic	2.2	6.0	8.8	6.7	5.7	6.7
Denmark	-0.7	3.1	-1.4	-1.2	-3.9	-0.4
Germany	0.7	1.2	4.1	3.2	4.1	4.0
Estonia	0.2	7.0	3.0	-6.0	-1.2	0.2
Ireland	10.4	-0.6	4.0	-6.8	-2.9	2.9
Greece	-1.9	-5.2	-5.5	0.6	0.9	1.4
Spain	1.0	-1.4	2.3	2.3	1.5	3.2
France	-0.4	-0.1	1.6	-0.1	-1.2	-1.0
Croatia	-3.9	-3.4	-0.7	-2.9	2.3	1.6
Italy	-2.9	-0.4	0.9	-1.2	1.2	0.4
Cyprus	-13.3	-10.5	-13.9	-7.9	-6.1	:
Latvia	0.8	1.7	0.5	-4.0	-5.5	-1.7
Lithuania	0.4	-0.2	-2.3	-4.8	-7.6	-2.1
Luxembourg	0.6	1.5	6.6	9.1	5.1	:
Hungary	3.0	5.9	6.1	4.4	6.1	8.2
Malta	0.5	-11.7	-7.9	-7.3	-13.6	-0.4
Netherlands	1.1	-0.9	2.2	-0.6	-5.9	-8.9
Austria	1.2	0.7	-0.3	0.5	4.0	:
Poland	3.9	4.4	7.6	4.4	6.5	5.3
Portugal	1.6	3.3	3.6	5.8	4.9	4.1
Romania	8.3	10.8	9.4	8.4	10.5	8.9
Slovenia	-0.9	-1.0	1.6	4.3	1.8	-1.1
Slovakia	6.4	7.1	12.9	12.7	12.9	9.0
Finland	-1.8	-2.5	-1.2	-2.1	-6.9	-5.4
Sweden	-3.0	-7.3	-0.4	-2.8	-0.6	1.5
United Kingdom	2.1	2.9	2.1	1.7	2.2	2.8
Norway	-1.5	-7.6	-2.4	-2.2	2.5	5.1

* Working day adjusted

: Data not available

Production indices for total industry, working day and seasonally adjusted
(base year 2010)

	02/13	03/13	04/13	05/13	06/13	07/13	08/13	09/13	10/13	11/13	12/13	01/14	02/14
EA18	99.4	100.0	100.3	99.8	100.6	99.7	100.6	100.4	99.8	101.3	101.0	101.0	101.2
EU28	99.6	100.1	100.4	99.8	100.7	100.3	100.7	100.8	100.4	101.7	101.3	101.5	101.8
Belgium	98.3	100.2	99.4	101.5	102.1	103.3	101.3	101.8	103.4	104.8	104.1	103.5	:
Bulgaria	104.7	103.1	104.7	101.3	103.5	105.5	107.0	107.5	108.1	108.0	107.8	109.8	110.6
Czech Republic	103.8	103.7	102.9	104.2	103.7	104.4	107.7	106.2	108.0	109.5	109.2	108.8	110.6
Denmark	101.2	104.0	103.2	101.4	102.2	104.6	101.6	103.7	105.8	102.5	100.5	100.5	101.3
Germany	104.7	105.8	106.3	104.9	107.2	105.9	107.7	106.9	105.8	108.4	108.3	108.6	109.0
Estonia	121.8	127.3	123.1	125.9	125.7	128.1	124.3	124.8	125.8	124.9	119.6	124.6	121.9
Ireland	96.1	95.6	97.7	95.4	104.0	96.7	95.9	98.1	93.3	96.5	94.4	94.1	98.8
Greece	84.7	85.8	86.6	84.6	87.0	85.0	86.0	85.8	85.4	84.2	86.4	86.5	86.0
Spain	89.0	90.3	89.5	89.7	90.0	89.8	90.3	90.7	89.9	90.7	90.8	91.0	91.6
France	99.2	98.3	100.5	99.7	98.6	97.9	98.6	98.1	97.8	99.1	98.7	98.3	98.5
Croatia	92.5	94.0	92.0	90.1	91.7	91.2	92.1	89.3	90.5	93.5	91.0	95.9	93.2
Italy	91.9	91.3	91.2	91.4	91.9	91.4	91.1	91.5	92.1	92.2	91.5	92.5	92.0
Cyprus	73.1	72.5	75.0	72.5	72.7	72.6	81.0	71.1	71.3	68.2	70.5	70.4	:
Latvia	112.0	112.6	113.0	115.3	114.8	116.8	114.8	114.9	115.3	114.7	113.0	109.5	110.5
Lithuania	114.7	120.1	113.3	107.2	108.5	111.7	115.5	113.8	120.5	114.5	112.9	110.0	112.8
Luxembourg	94.0	93.8	91.5	92.7	91.9	94.7	96.6	97.2	97.4	99.1	103.4	98.3	:
Hungary	102.8	103.7	105.1	103.9	105.3	106.2	106.5	108.4	107.9	107.8	105.9	109.3	111.0
Malta	101.0	102.9	103.6	103.2	101.8	95.2	100.7	103.2	96.4	98.8	97.9	94.4	99.5
Netherlands	101.2	103.6	100.4	101.4	97.5	96.4	98.8	99.6	96.7	100.0	98.0	92.8	92.6
Austria	105.7	106.1	108.2	107.4	106.3	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.5	107.1	108.0	111.0	:
Poland	107.5	107.6	109.0	109.9	111.0	112.3	112.5	112.3	113.0	114.7	111.8	114.5	113.5
Portugal	91.8	92.6	93.3	94.5	95.1	92.4	93.9	94.2	94.0	95.8	95.6	95.9	95.7
Romania	114.5	113.8	119.6	113.9	115.1	120.6	118.5	121.2	124.4	123.5	122.7	126.6	125.0
Slovenia	101.2	98.4	100.0	98.6	99.9	99.3	99.4	99.0	99.6	99.5	101.8	100.7	100.1
Slovakia	116.6	116.9	117.8	118.3	119.4	119.4	120.6	121.4	122.2	124.1	122.8	125.2	124.9
Finland	96.0	98.6	94.7	96.1	94.9	96.4	96.1	95.7	95.6	95.7	95.3	92.0	91.9
Sweden	97.0	98.3	97.1	92.7	95.4	98.4	94.6	94.9	93.2	97.7	96.8	96.9	98.4
United Kingdom	95.5	95.6	95.5	95.5	96.8	96.8	95.9	96.7	96.9	96.7	97.2	97.2	98.1
Norway	90.2	91.0	94.8	95.0	95.3	98.9	94.0	93.8	91.4	92.9	93.4	94.5	95.2

: Data not available

Production indices for total industry, working day adjusted
(base year 2010)

	02/11	02/12	02/13	03/13	04/13	05/13	06/13	07/13	08/13	09/13	10/13	11/13	12/13	01/14	02/14
EA18	102.7	100.5	97.6	107.8	98.7	100.1	103.4	101.2	84.6	104.4	105.3	106.4	96.7	96.6	99.2
EU28	101.6	99.6	97.2	107.7	98.5	99.9	103.2	100.2	87.1	104.4	105.9	106.8	97.4	97.2	99.2
Belgium	104.0	100.1	93.6	112.8	98.3	100.3	107.4	97.4	91.9	104.5	108.3	108.4	103.3	99.3	:
Bulgaria	98.4	94.6	95.9	103.2	100.4	96.4	104.8	110.2	104.4	107.5	112.5	114.8	113.9	105.1	102.1
Czech Republic	100.8	101.5	99.8	109.9	102.9	105.3	107.4	97.3	100.2	109.1	115.5	117.9	103.8	103.0	106.5
Denmark	96.9	101.2	97.3	107.6	98.9	101.1	105.8	92.5	98.6	109.4	115.6	110.8	95.3	100.9	96.9
Germany	102.2	103.3	101.1	113.6	104.9	103.1	108.8	106.1	100.4	111.6	111.1	115.4	102.8	101.2	105.1
Estonia	108.6	114.0	114.2	134.4	121.6	130.7	126.3	116.7	123.3	129.6	135.7	131.0	113.9	118.9	114.4
Ireland	100.6	98.7	97.8	106.7	98.6	101.2	110.7	90.4	93.0	95.5	91.6	92.7	84.7	96.7	100.7
Greece	93.3	84.6	81.0	85.2	85.1	84.8	94.1	94.2	83.4	91.1	83.7	80.7	83.5	79.0	82.1
Spain	100.8	93.3	88.7	95.5	86.5	93.5	94.5	96.1	71.5	93.1	94.1	93.6	84.2	89.3	91.5
France	104.9	102.5	100.5	108.5	101.5	95.3	103.4	97.1	72.1	101.1	103.2	102.0	99.2	99.7	99.5
Croatia	91.3	88.9	85.3	96.3	92.1	94.7	93.7	95.2	88.0	90.0	94.2	96.2	90.9	85.7	86.7
Italy	103.9	96.4	92.1	98.9	88.6	99.3	96.8	104.5	58.6	98.5	100.8	96.5	80.3	87.0	92.5
Cyprus	88.6	80.9	66.6	70.2	71.3	76.1	78.9	86.0	66.2	76.8	73.9	67.7	71.6	64.1	:
Latvia	95.0	101.9	99.9	109.6	111.9	112.2	116.5	117.2	120.9	118.7	128.1	119.2	114.7	99.7	98.2
Lithuania	106.1	106.3	109.2	122.9	110.6	105.6	110.1	110.8	116.5	115.8	121.0	116.6	114.1	108.9	106.9
Luxembourg	100.6	95.4	90.2	100.5	93.6	94.2	93.5	96.8	82.7	100.2	104.6	100.8	99.5	94.7	:
Hungary	102.7	99.8	98.1	108.9	101.3	103.8	106.9	102.8	97.6	115.5	116.9	119.2	102.0	105.0	106.1
Malta	98.1	102.7	96.0	109.5	105.5	105.6	105.2	102.5	95.5	106.9	99.4	97.6	86.5	89.5	95.6
Netherlands	105.0	109.6	105.6	112.8	96.3	95.5	92.8	84.6	84.1	96.2	100.6	109.5	107.2	100.9	96.2
Austria	98.7	95.8	97.7	113.2	106.8	106.6	109.5	107.9	97.9	115.3	113.1	115.1	107.1	96.0	:
Poland	99.0	103.0	101.4	113.2	107.6	108.6	112.1	110.0	108.0	118.7	122.4	119.6	107.0	108.1	106.8
Portugal	101.8	93.6	92.3	96.0	91.7	97.9	97.7	96.4	79.6	97.3	96.2	98.6	88.0	96.8	96.1
Romania	102.4	104.8	111.5	123.5	121.6	114.8	119.5	122.5	107.7	127.4	132.9	132.1	116.9	121.1	121.4
Slovenia	96.6	95.5	97.5	105.7	98.9	101.1	104.8	98.7	85.5	105.2	106.0	105.0	93.9	94.9	96.4
Slovakia	103.2	109.5	111.7	120.7	118.7	127.4	118.1	107.7	107.7	126.1	132.1	140.1	110.8	126.2	121.8
Finland	92.0	89.4	82.8	103.0	88.3	102.6	92.7	87.5	97.5	101.3	109.0	104.8	108.8	76.5	78.3
Sweden	101.7	95.8	93.7	106.9	96.9	95.6	99.6	80.1	85.9	100.1	99.3	102.9	98.3	93.2	95.1
United Kingdom	97.0	94.0	93.1	104.7	92.4	95.0	97.6	95.6	90.0	97.6	100.1	100.8	95.5	94.9	95.7
Norway	97.7	100.5	89.9	95.1	91.0	95.7	89.3	87.6	91.7	87.5	95.6	98.5	97.2	102.4	94.5

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