

Quality declaration Volume Indices of Industrial Production

0 General information on statistical product		
0.1	Name	Volume Indices of Industrial Production
0.2	Subject area	Industry
0.3	Responsible Authority, Office, Person, etc.	Ms. Anahit Avetisyan Head Industry and Energy Statistics Division Armstat 3 Government house, Republic Avenue Yerevan, 0010, Republic of Armenia Telephone: +374 11 523 543 E-mail: anahitavetisyan@armstat.am , info@armstat.am
0.4	Purpose and History	The main purpose is to provide up-to-date short-term and annual information on the changes in RA manufacturing industry during the reference period. The calculation of indicators has a long history and has been maintained since the 20-es of the 20th century. It has been regularly improved throughout the years to ensure the comparability with international classifications, composition and of indicators and other standards.
0.5	Users and Application	The main users of the statistical information are the state government and local self-government bodies, public, scientific-educational, financial organizations, business society, mass media, international organizations, etc. Information on volume indices of industrial production is applied for the purpose of strategy development in the mentioned field (industry), analysis of business environment and solutions of strategic tasks, and other purposes.
0.6	Information Sources	The main information source that is being used is the data collected on a monthly basis from legal persons and individual entrepreneurs.
0.7	Legal Authority to Collect Data	The data are collected based on the Law on "Official Statistics" and "Five Year Statistical Program", as well as the Resolution No. 05-N of RA State Council on Statistics "On Approval of the Procedure for the collection of statistical data" dated 20 June 2016 and Resolution "On Approval of Annual Statistical

		Program”.
0.8	Response Burden (Primary information providers)	The response burden is not measured.
1 Content		
1.1	Description of content	<p>To provide comparability over time the volume indices of industrial production are calculated on a monthly, quarterly and annual basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The reference month rate as compared with the same month of the previous year. • The reference month rate as compared with the previous month. • The reference period rate as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year. • The reference quarterly rate as compares with the corresponding quarter of the previous year. • The reference quarter rate as compared with the previous quarter. • The reference annual rate as compared with the previous year.
1.2	Statistical concepts	<p>Basic Concepts</p> <p>The physical volume indices of industrial production are a relative indicator, which characterizes dynamic changes of the volume of industrial production by value expression in comparable periods. It is calculated by bringing the product volumes comparable. The product evaluation is based on comparable prices on the basis of an industrial producer price index. As a weight are taken the prices of the previous year. The chain index is used to construct dynamic rows.</p> <p>Industry Coverage</p> <p>Statistical observations include the Armenian Classification of Types of Economic Activity (NACE Rev.2) by the following industry types: Mining industry (section B), Manufacturing (section C), Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply (section D), Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste</p>

		<p>Management and Recycling (section E).</p> <p>Groups 05, 06, and 09 of the NACE Rev.2 are not included due to the fact that those activities are missing.</p> <p>Geographic Coverage</p> <p>All Armenian marzes and Yerevan city are included.</p> <p>Publication Groupings</p> <p>Data is published with approximately 30 industrial groupings. The indicator volume of realization of industrial product is also published according to the number of employees: micro (less than 5 employees), small (from 6 to 50 employees), medium (from 51 to 100 employees) and large (101 and more employees).</p>
2 Time		
2.1	Reference period	Monthly and annual
2.2	Date of publication	The up to date information is published on the 25 th day following the reference period. Monthly first publication is made on the 35/36 th day following the reference period, while the annual data is published in the fourth quarter following the reference period.
2.3	Punctuality	Data are published according to schedule of annual programs publication and no delays from defined deadlines have been recorded.
2.4	Frequency	Monthly, annual
3 Accuracy		
3.1	Overall Accuracy	There are no specific quantitative evaluations related to the overall accuracy. The information is mainly based on the sample survey of legal persons and individual entrepreneurs. The mandatory provision of statistical information by economic entities is stipulated in the relevant legal documents regulating the statistics sphere.
3.2	Sources of Inaccuracy	Representative sampling is used for data collection. The statistical register is used for the sampling population.

		<p>Sampling is stratified according to the activity types and size based on the number of employees.</p> <p>The general population consists of 63 economic units. In case of no submission of statistical data on defined date the data of the previous period are repeated.</p>
3.3	Measures on accuracy/ Measurability	
4 Comparability		
4.1	Comparability over Time	<p>Before 1998 the data (indicators) were provided in accordance with the All Union Classification of Branches of Economy (AUCOBONE). During the years 1998-200 Rev 3 of the International Classifications of Branches of Economy (ISIC) was in use (UN). Since 2002 the data are provided in accordance with the Republic of Armenia classifications of branches of economy (worked out by the NSS based on NACE international classifications). Since 2010 the second revision is used.</p>
4.2	Comparability with Other Statistics	<p>There is comparability with other sources, for example the survey of economic activities of enterprises.</p>
4.3	Coherence between Provisional and Final Statistics	<p>Data published for the first time is qualified as preliminary. Modified data is accompanied with explanatory footnotes. Preliminary data is reviewed in accordance with the adjustments and other corrections submitted by economic entities. The final data is presented in annual publications</p>
5 Accessibility		
5.1	Forms of Dissemination	<p>Publications</p> <p>Monthly publications</p> <p>«Monthly Information Report on Social Economic Situation of RA (Armenian, Russian)</p> <p>«Main Indicators of Industrial Companies according to Economic Activity 2 digit Classification (Armenian): statistical bulletin.</p>

		<p>Quarterly publications</p> <p>Statistical bulletin on Main Indicators of Industrial Companies according to Economic Activity by 2 digit Classification, by marzes (Armenian):</p> <p>Statistical bulletin «Main Indicators of Industrial Companies according to the Number of Employees and Economic Activity types by 2 digit Classification(Armenian)</p> <p>Semi-annual publications</p> <p>Statistical Bulletin «Main Indicators of Industrial Companies by Economic Activity by 5 digit Classification (Armenian)</p> <p>Annual publications</p> <p>«Statistical Yearbook of Armenia» (Armenian, Russian, English)</p> <p>«Armenian Marzes in Figures” (Armenian, English) statistical book</p> <p>Other</p> <p>«Armenian Industry» is published once every 5 years (Armenian and English).</p> <p>Databases:</p> <p>http://armstatbank.am/pxweb/hy/ArmStatBank/?rxid=602c2fcf-531f-4ed9-b9ad-42a1c546a1b6</p> <p>Internet Address</p> <p>The publications are available in electronic format on the web in Armenian (full version), Russian and English via the following address: http://www.armstat.am/am/?nid=82</p>
5.2	Basic material: Storage and Usability	<p>The report forms submitted by the respondents are preserved both in paper and electronic forms. The electronic data base contains information on;</p> <p>For legal persons</p> <p>a) state registration code</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) registration number of the tax payer c) state registration regular number d) full name of the legal entity e) legal type of the enterprise f) home address of the legal person (postal address), phone number, as well as, if necessary the fax and email address, g) main type of activity, h) net turnover received from the sales of products, goods, performed works and services (without VAT and excise tax). i) average listed number of employees. <p>For individual entrepreneurs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) the name and the last name of the entrepreneur b) state registration code c) registration number d) registration date e) home address f) state registration address (in case it does not correspond with the home address), phone number, as well as if necessary the fax and email address, g) the main type of activity net turnover received from the sales of products, goods, performed works and services (without VAT and excise tax) h) average listed number of employees.
5.3	Documentation	Information is available under the General Statistical Business-Process Model at https://www.armstat.am/en/?nid=672 .
5.4	Other information	Additional documentation is available in the Metadata subsection of the Statistics section of the Armstat official website, in line with IMF Special Data Dissemination Standards, in Armenian, Russian and English languages, at https://www.armstat.am/en/?nid=549 .
6 Supplementary documentation		
		No supplementary documentation is available.

