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Index numbers of sold production of industry in April 2021^{a)}

↑44.5%

Increase in sold production of industry as compared to April 2020

In April 2021, sold production of industry was by 44.5% higher than in April 2020, when a decrease was recorded by 24.6% as compared to the previous year, whereas in comparison with March 2021, it decreased by 9.2%. In the period January-April of 2021, sold production of industry was by 15.5% higher than in the corresponding period of 2020, which saw a decrease by 5.6%.

After eliminating the seasonal factors, in April 2021 sold production of industry reached the level higher by 44.7% than in the corresponding month of 2020 and by 0.4% lower as compared to March 2021.

After seasonal adjustment, an increase in sold industrial production in April 2021 amounted to 44.7% per year

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



In April 2021, as compared to the previous year, an increase of production was recorded in all main industrial groupings. The production of durable consumer goods went up – by 146.3% (a large decrease of 48.0% in the previous year), capital goods – by 109.5% (a significant decrease of 51.0% in the previous year), intermediate goods – by 43.3% (a decrease of 18.3% in the previous year), non-durable consumer goods – by 14.1% (a decrease of 14.7% in the previous year) and energy – by 7.6% (a decrease of 10.6% in the previous year).

^{a)} Reported data; comprise enterprises with 10 or more persons employed.

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

SPECIFICATION	04 2021			01-04 2021 ^{a)}
	03 2020=100	04 2021=100	monthly average of 2015=100	01-04 2020=100
INDUSTRY	90.8	144.5	133.9	115.5
Mining and quarrying	92.9	102.3	82.6	98.2
Manufacturing	90.6	150.6	137.5	116.7
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	89.8	111.5	117.4	109.5
Water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities	101.5	120.1	141.9	112.7

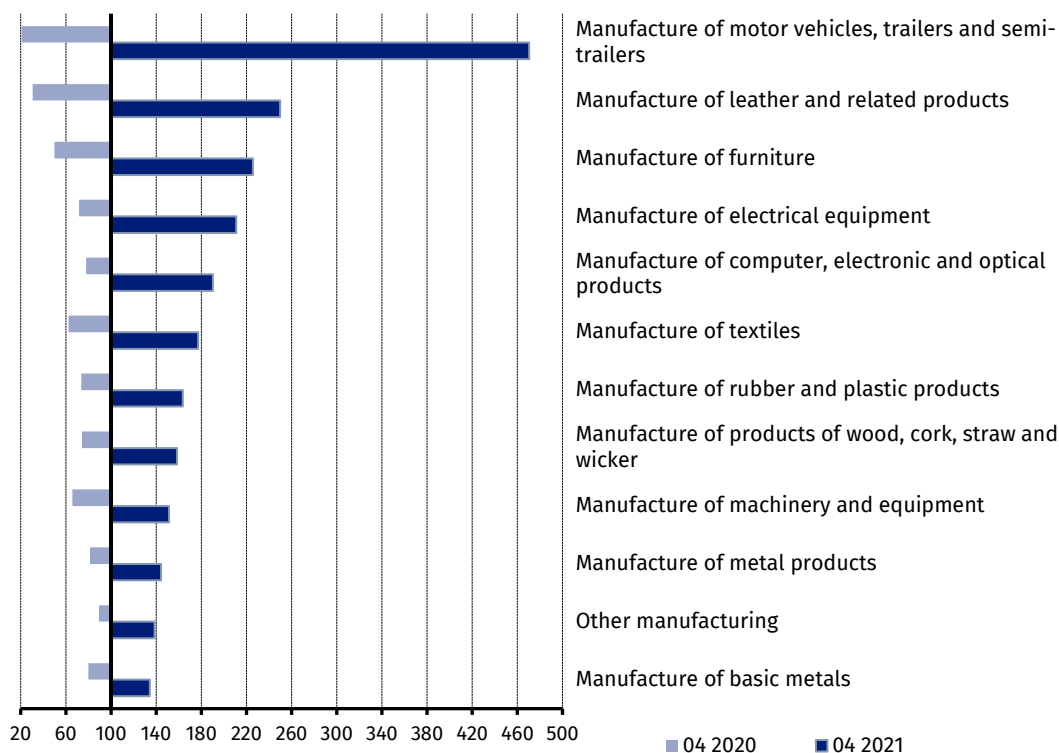
^{a)} Data including final information on production and prices in March and reported data – in April.

According to the preliminary data, in April 2021, as compared to April 2020, an increase in sold production (in constant prices) was reported in 32 (out of 34) industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers – by 370.5% (a decrease of 78.9% in the previous year), manufacture of furniture – by 125.8% (a decrease of 50.2%), manufacture of electrical equipment – by 111.0% (a decrease of 28.3%), manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products – by 90.4% (a decrease of 21.9%), manufacture of rubber and plastic products – by 63.6% (a decrease of 26.2%), manufacture of products of wood, cork, straw and wicker – by 58.5% (a decrease of 25.6%), manufacture of machinery and equipment – by 51.3% (a decrease of 34.2%).

A decrease in sold production of industry, as compared to April 2020, was recorded in 2 divisions of the Mining and quarrying section.

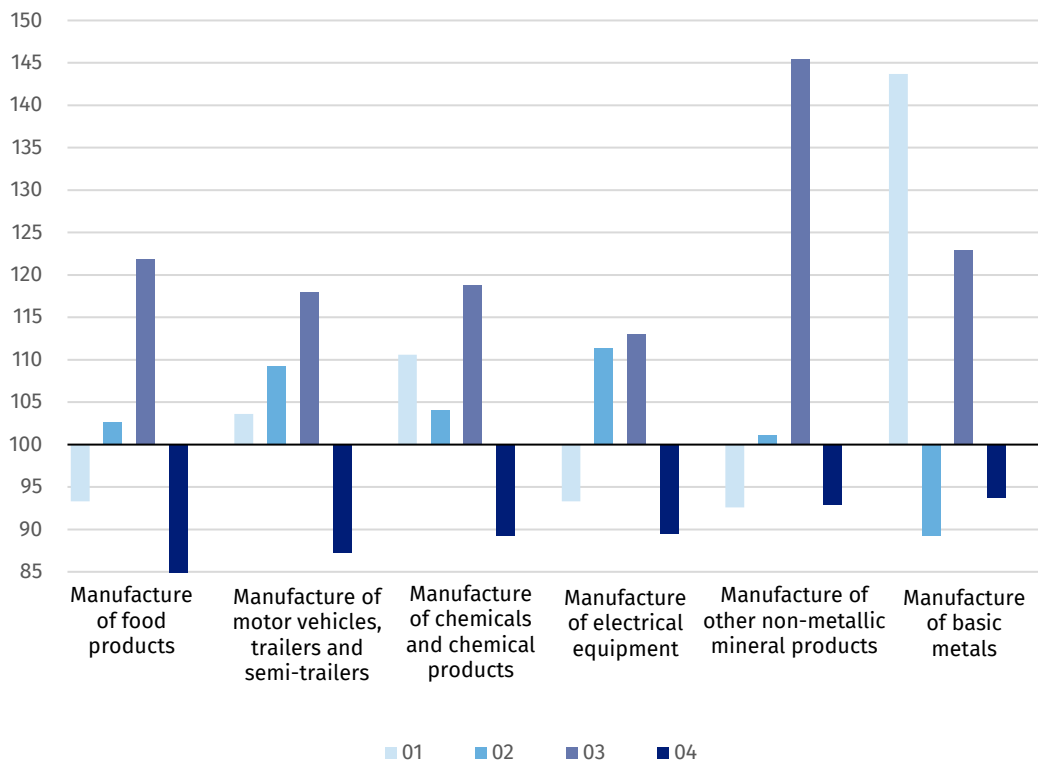
Share of production value of industry divisions, which saw an increase in comparison to April 2020, stood at 98.6%

Chart 2. Index numbers of sold production of industry by selected NACE divisions (constant prices; previous year =100)



As compared to March 2021, a decrease in sold production (in constant prices) in April 2021 was recorded in 30 industry divisions, among others, in manufacture of food products – by 15.1%, manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers – by 12.8%, manufacture of chemicals and chemical products – by 10.8%, manufacture of electrical equipment and manufacture of machinery and equipment – by 10.5% each, in electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply – by 10.2%, in mining of coal and lignite – by 9.6%, in manufacture of rubber and plastic products – by 7.3%,
 An increase in sold production of industry, as compared to March 2021, was recorded in 4 divisions, including in waste collection, treatment and disposal activities; materials recovery – by 2.8%.

Chart 3. Index numbers of sold production of industry by selected NACE divisions (constant prices; previous month =100)



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[Sold production of industry](#)

[Seasonally un-adjusted volume index of sold production of industry](#)

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[Production of capital goods](#)

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