

Production in the construction sector

IV quarter 2009

The production index in construction approximates the quarterly evolution of the output of the construction sector. Since the first quarter 2009 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2005 using the new Ateco 2007 classification (Italian edition of Nace Rev. 2).

In the fourth quarter 2009 the seasonally adjusted index decreased by 0.9% compared with the previous quarter.

The calendar adjusted production index fell by 8.2% compared with the fourth quarter of 2008; in the average of 2009 the index decreased by 11.3% compared to the average of the previous year.

The unadjusted index declined by 7.5% compared with the fourth quarter 2008.

Indices of production in construction . IV quarter 2009 (a)

	Index (2005=100)	Percentage changes		
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Production seasonally adjusted	95.6	-0.9	-	-
Production calendar adjusted	97.5	-	-8.2	-11.3
Production unadjusted	98.2	-	-7.5	-11.4

(a) Data are provisional and subject to revisions.

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at <http://con.istat.it/amerigo/default.asp?lg=E>

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