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## Industry Turnover, Employment, Wages and Hours worked Indexes October 2007

### ACCELERATION IN INDUSTRY TURNOVER

#### EMPLOYMENT DECLINED, GROWTH IN WAGES AND WORKING HOURS<sup>1</sup> PERSISTED

In October 2007 the year-on-year growth rate in Industry turnover rose by 9.4%, stepping up 10.4 percentage points (p.p.). This rate was determined by the acceleration in sales in both, domestic and external, markets. Also on a year-on-year base employment declined 1.0%, wages and salaries increased 0.3%, hours worked (working day adjusted) persisted.

<sup>1</sup> Working day adjusted

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