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Industry Turnover, Employment, Wages and Hours worked Indexes September 2007

DECREASE IN INDUSTRY TURNOVER EMPLOYMENT AND WORKING HOURS¹DOWN, WAGES UP

In September 2007 the year-on-year change in Industry turnover stood at -0.5%, slowing down by 3.5 percentage points (p.p.). This change was determined by the slowness in sales for both markets, domestic and external, particularly in the last one.

Also on a year-on year base, employment and hours worked (working day adjusted) decreased 0.8% and 2.0%, respectively, while wages rose by 1.0%.

¹ Working day adjusted