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Industry Turnover, Employment, Wages and Hours worked Indexes October 2009

## Year-On-Year rate in Industry Turnover less negative Employment, Wages and Hours worked declined

In October 2009, the year-on-year growth rate of nominal Industry Turnover was -10.1% (-13.5% in September). This rate was determined as a result of variations of the same trend but of different intensity in the sales for both markets, domestic, -8.1% (-12.7% in September) and external, -13.5% (-14.9% on the previous month). Also in year-on-year terms, employment, wages and salaries and hours worked (adjusted of calendar effects) registered negative change rates of -6.2%, -5.0% and -7.8%, respectively.