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**Business Turnover Index (BTI). Base 2015**  
**August 2020. Provisional data**

**The monthly variation of the Business Turnover<sup>1</sup> stands at -0.4%,  
after seasonal and calendar adjustment**

**The annual rate stands at -13.6% both in the seasonal and  
calendar adjusted series and in the original series**

**Main results**

- In the month of August, the turnover of companies registered a monthly decrease of 0.4%. This decline is due to the decrease in Trade compared to July, of 2.3%.
- The Extractive and quarrying industries (1.6%) was the sector with the best monthly evolution.
- Company turnover still failed to reach the records of a year ago; overall it was down 13.6% compared to August 2019. All sectors showed negative annual rates. *Non-financial market services* registered the greatest decrease (-24.2%).

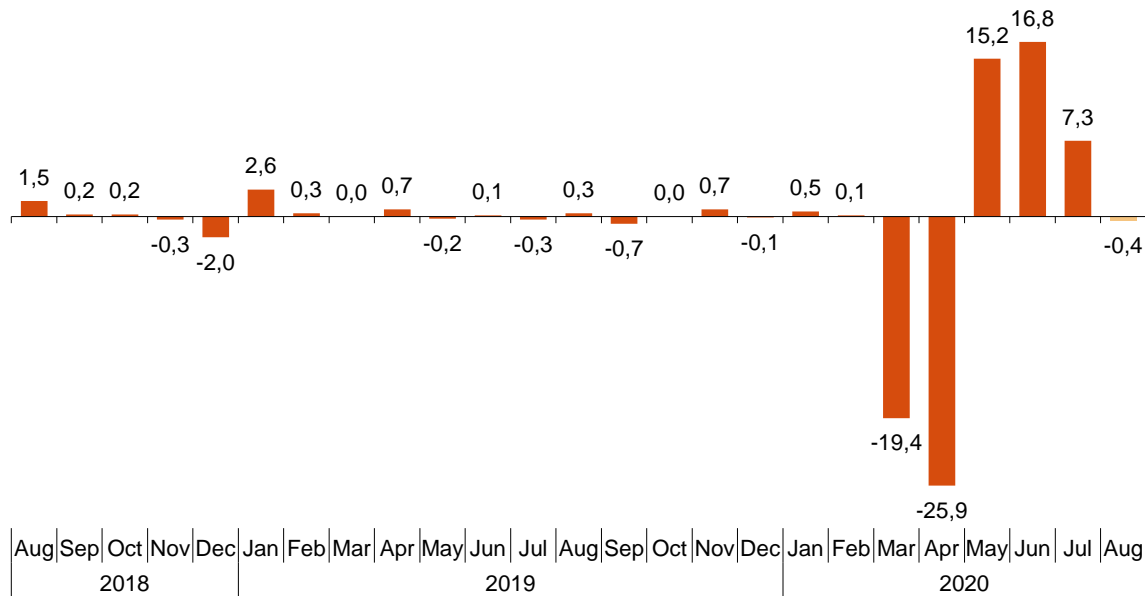
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<sup>1</sup> As reflected in the methodology of this value index, the information is presented in current terms (nominal terms), this is, without adjusting the price variation effects.

**Monthly trend of Business Turnover**

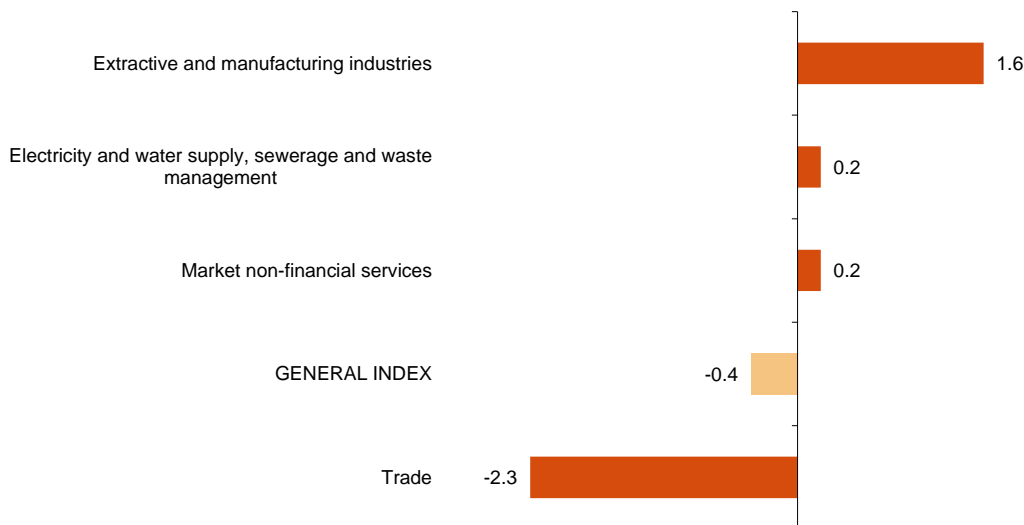
The monthly variation of the seasonally and calendar adjusted Business Turnover Index between the months of August and July of 2020 stood at -0.4%. This rate was 7.7 points lower than the previous month.

**Business Turnover Index, Total. Seasonally and calendar adjusted**  
Monthly rate. Percentage



Of the four analyzed sectors, *Extractive and manufacturing industries* showed the highest increase (1.6%). On the other hand *Trade* showed the only decrease (-2.3%).

**Business Turnover Indices, Total and by sectors. Seasonally and calendar adjusted. August 2020.** Monthly rate. Percentage

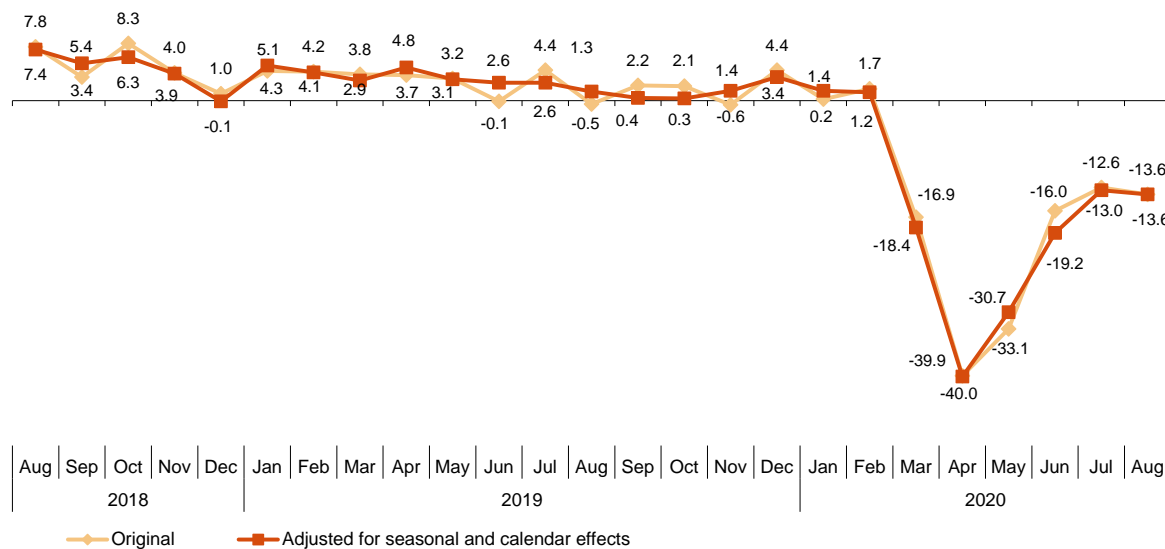


## Annual trend of the Business Turnover

The Total Business Turnover Index, once adjusted for seasonal and calendar effects, showed a variation of  $-13.6\%$  in August, as compared with the same month of the previous year. This rate was six tenths lower than the one registered in July.

The BTI original series registered an annual variation of  $-13.6\%$ . This rate was a point lower than the one in July.

### Business Turnover Index, Total. Seasonally and calendar adjusted. August 2020. Annual rates. Percentage



The seasonally and calendar adjusted indices showed negative annual rates in all the analysed sectors.

### Business Turnover Index, Total and by sectors August 2020. Annual rates

|   | Unadjusted index<br>Annual rate (%) | Seasonally and calendar adjusted<br>Annual rate (%) |
|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| <b>TOTAL INDEX</b>  | <b>-13.6</b>                        | <b>-13.6</b>  |
| Extractive and manufacturing industries                     | -9.9                                | -10.0   |
| Electricity and water supply, sewerage and waste management | -9.4                                | -9.5  |
| Trade   | -10.1                               | -10.2   |
| Market non-financial services                               | -24.3                               | -24.2   |

## Revisions and data update

On the press release day, INE has updated BTI data series corresponding to the last 13 months. In the case of calendar adjusted and seasonally and calendar adjusted series, according to INE standard, the series are revised since its beginning. The results are available at INEBase.

## Methodological note

The Business Turnover Index (BTI) is a short-term synthesis statistical operation aiming at obtaining an indicator to measure the short-term evolution of turnover, as a whole, for non-financial economic sectors: *Extractive and manufacturing industries, Electrical energy and water, Trade and Non-financial services.*

**Survey Type:** ongoing monthly.

**Base year:** 2015.

**Population scope:** the business turnover Index provides a comprehensive and weighted measure of the business turnover for the economic sectors *Extractive and manufacturing industries, the Supplying of electricity and water, Treatment and management of waste, Trade and Non-financial market Services.*

**Geographical scope:** the whole country.

**Results reference period:** calendar month.

**Information sources:** it is compiled using information from three statistical operations carried out by INE: Industry turnover indices (ITI), service sector activity indicators (SSAI) and retail trade indices (RTI). In addition, existing information from administrative registers is utilized: sales declared by large companies in their VAT returns in the sector not covered by the surveys previously mentioned.

Further information is available in the methodology:

[http://www.ine.es/dyngs/INEbase/en/operacion.htm?c=Estadistica\\_C&cid=1254736176958&menu=metodologia&idp=1254735576715](http://www.ine.es/dyngs/INEbase/en/operacion.htm?c=Estadistica_C&cid=1254736176958&menu=metodologia&idp=1254735576715)

And in the standardized methodological report:

<http://www.ine.es/dynt3/metadatos/en/RespuestaDatos.html?oe=30083>

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## Business Turnover Indices. Base 2015 August 2020

Provisional data

### 1. Business Turnover Indices, Total and by sectors Seasonally and calendar adjusted

|   | Index        | Rate (%)    |              |                      |
|---|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------------------|
|   |              | Monthly     | Annual       | Year-to-date average |
| <b>TOTAL INDEX</b>  | <b>102.5</b> | <b>-0.4</b> | <b>-13.6</b> | <b>-16.6</b>         |
| Extractive and manufacturing industries                     | 102.9        | 1.6         | -10.0        | -15.5                |
| Electricity and water supply, sewerage and waste management | 89.6         | 0.2         | -9.5         | -13.2                |
| Trade   | 109.8        | -2.3        | -10.2        | -14.2                |
| Market non-financial services                               | 93.4         | 0.2         | -24.2        | -22.9                |

### 2. Business Turnover Indices, Total and by sectors Calendar adjusted

|   | Index       | Rate (%)     |                      |
|---|-------------|--------------|----------------------|
|   |             | Annual       | Year-to-date average |
| <b>TOTAL INDEX</b>  | <b>92.3</b> | <b>-13.6</b> | <b>-16.9</b>         |
| Extractive and manufacturing industries                     | 81.3        | -9.9         | -15.9                |
| Electricity and water supply, sewerage and waste management | 70.2        | -7.8         | -15.4                |
| Trade   | 100.9       | -10.1        | -14.4                |
| Market non-financial services                               | 90.5        | -24.3        | -23.7                |

### 3. Business Turnover Indices, Total and by sectors Unadjusted

|   | Index       | Rate (%)     |                      | Effect Annual |
|---|-------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------|
|   |             | Annual       | Year-to-date average |               |
| <b>TOTAL INDEX</b>  | <b>91.5</b> | <b>-13.6</b> | <b>-16.6</b>         |               |
| Extractive and manufacturing industries                     | 80.2        | -9.9         | -15.5                | -2.397        |
| Electricity and water supply, sewerage and waste management | 89.4        | -9.4         | -13.4                | -0.603        |
| Trade   | 100.2       | -10.1        | -14.1                | -4.501        |
| Market non-financial services                               | 90.2        | -24.3        | -23.5                | -6.135        |