

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX

2nd QUARTER/2010

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Industrial Production Index (IPI) of Macao increased by 5.5% over the first quarter to 26.8 in the second quarter of 2010, on account of the increase in electricity generation that pushed up the production index of Electricity to rise by 10.7% quarter-to-quarter. On the other hand, production index of the Manufacturing Sector decreased further by 3.1% from 9.7 in the first quarter to 9.4, of which the indices of Manufacture of Wearing Apparel and Manufacture of Textiles dropped by 8.3% and 6.1% respectively.

Compared with the second quarter of 2009, IPI for this quarter fell by 42.4%. Production index of the Manufacturing Sector dropped by 33.3%, upon the 46.6% and 34.3% decrease in the indices of Manufacture of Wearing Apparel and Manufacture of Textiles. Albeit rising electricity generation quarter-to-quarter, production index of Electricity dropped by 51.6% year-on-year, bringing the index of Electricity, Gas & Water Supply down by 44.5%.

Industrial Production Index

2003=100

Industry	Weight	2009	2010		Change (%)	
		Q2	Q1	Q2	Quarter-to-quarter	Year-on-year
Global Index	100.0	46.5	25.4	26.8	5.5	-42.4
Manufacturing	66.4	14.1	9.7	9.4	-3.1	-33.3
Manufacture of Tobacco	0.9	133.8	122.8	136.0	10.7	1.6
Manufacture of Textiles	10.7	14.0	9.8	9.2	-6.1	-34.3
Manufacture of Wearing Apparel	46.4	10.3	6.0	5.5	-8.3	-46.6
Manufacture of Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	1.5	81.1	78.4	74.5	-5.0	-8.1
Others	6.9	9.9	4.6	4.8	4.3	-51.5
Electricity, Gas & Water Supply	33.6	110.6	56.5	61.4	8.7	-44.5
Electricity	29.6	108.8	47.6	52.7	10.7	-51.6
Water Supply	4.0	124.1	122.5	126.4	3.2	1.9

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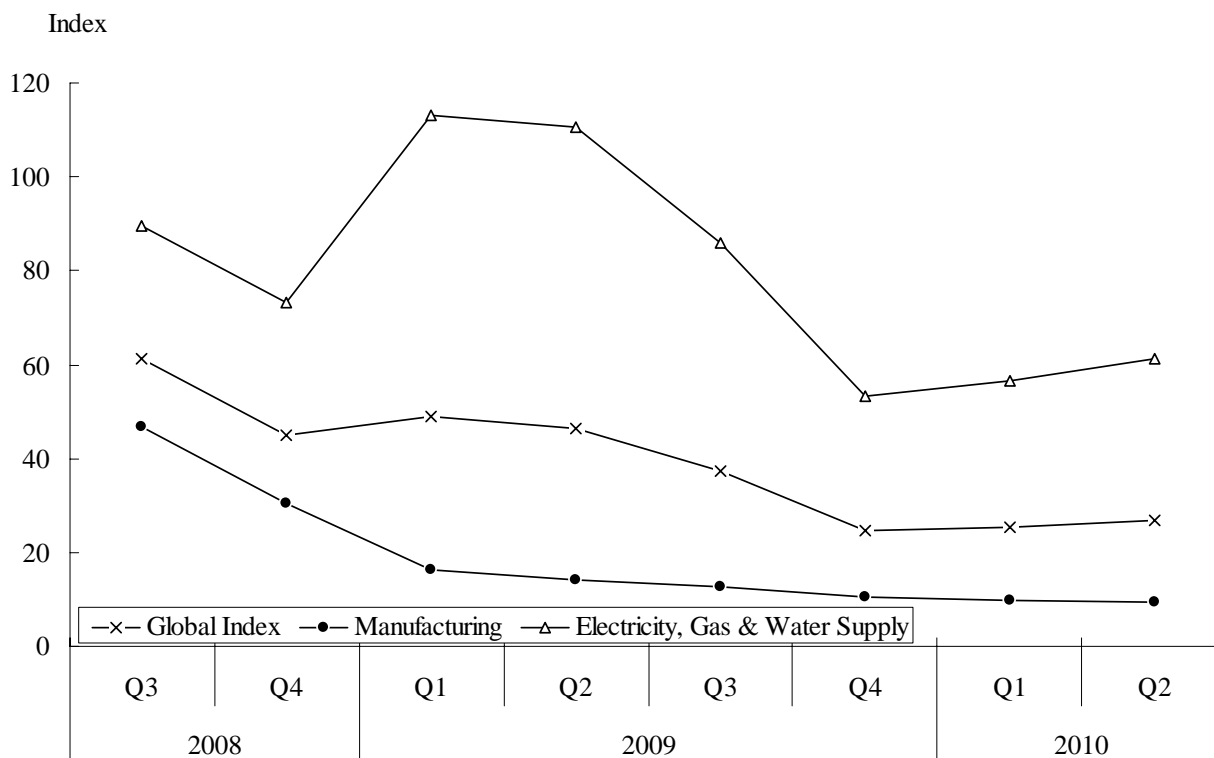
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Changes of Industrial Production Index



Methodology

Industrial Production Index (IPI) reflects changes in the output of the Manufacturing Sector; and Electricity & Water Supply industries of Macao. The 2003-based IPI is compiled using the Laspeyres Index, with the weight for each individual industry being derived according to its relative importance in the total value added of all industries in 2003.

For the compilation of the IPI of the Manufacturing sector, as the local manufacturing products are mainly for export purposes, the quantity of the respective domestic exports was employed, except the IPI of the Manufacturing of Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products in which the sales volume of concrete and the production volume of cement were used. As for the IPI of Electricity & Water Supply, the total production of electricity and the volume of water treated were employed.

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