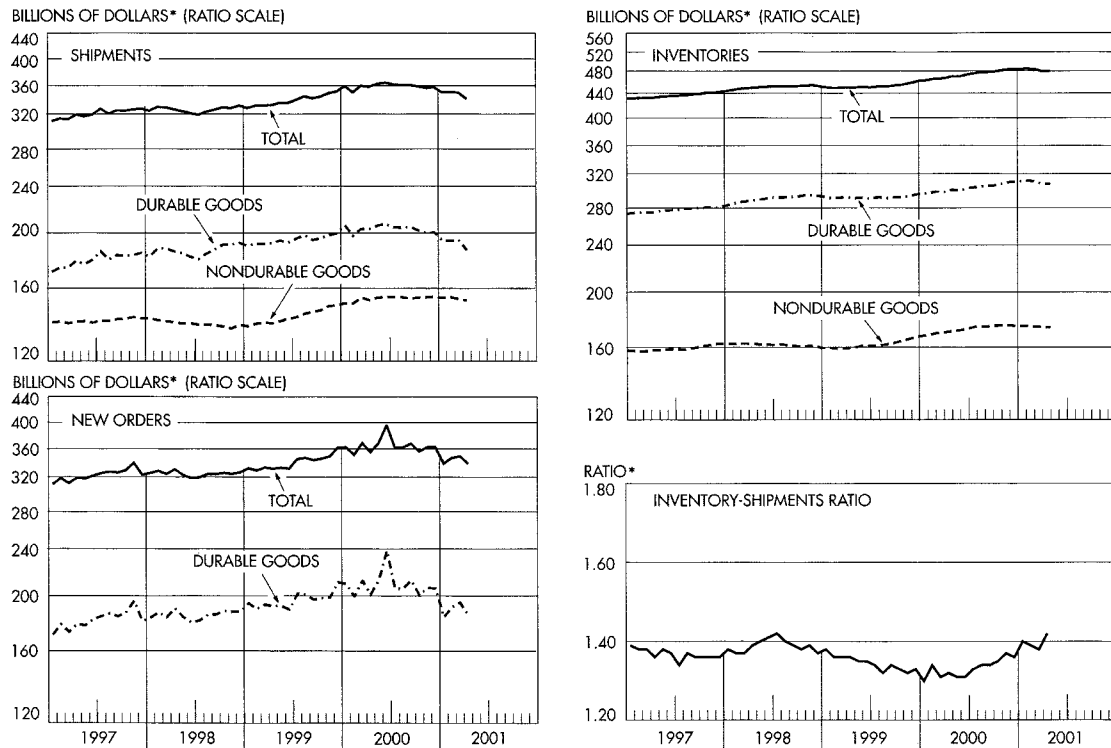


MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS, INVENTORIES, AND ORDERS

In April, manufacturers' shipments and new and unfilled orders fell; inventories rose. (Series revised.)



*SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
SOURCE: DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Period	Manufacturers' shipments ¹			Manufacturers' inventories ²			Manufacturers' new orders ¹			Manufacturers' unfilled orders ²	Manufacturers' inventory—shipments ratio ³
	Total	Durable goods	Nondurable goods	Total	Durable goods	Nondurable goods	Total	Durable goods			
								Total	Capital goods industries, nondefense		
Millions of dollars, seasonally adjusted, except as noted											
1992 ^r	242,002	126,572	115,430	379,440	238,676	140,764	249,649	131,653	40,681	458,396	1.56
1993 ^r	251,708	133,712	117,996	380,316	239,252	141,064	249,649	131,653	40,681	433,853	1.51
1994 ^r	269,843	147,005	122,838	400,527	253,629	146,898	270,566	147,728	45,175	442,658	1.44
1995 ^r	289,973	158,568	131,405	425,337	267,807	157,530	291,293	159,888	51,011	459,123	1.44
1996 ^r	299,766	164,883	134,883	430,918	272,876	158,042	303,179	168,297	54,066	500,050	1.43
1997 ^r	319,558	178,949	140,610	443,818	281,273	162,545	321,585	180,975	60,697	525,176	1.37
1998 ^r	324,984	185,966	139,019	452,155	292,549	159,606	323,739	184,720	62,133	510,220	1.39
1999 ^r	336,940	193,896	143,043	462,474	295,290	167,184	338,511	195,468	64,162	530,844	1.35
2000 ^r	356,739	202,918	153,822	483,544	309,545	173,999	362,473	208,651	73,451	600,036	1.33
2000: Apr ^r	355,386	202,660	152,726	470,673	299,969	170,704	353,058	200,332	72,418	542,444	1.32
May ^r	359,570	205,283	154,287	470,778	299,491	171,287	365,805	211,518	71,487	548,679	1.31
June ^r	361,374	206,705	154,669	474,676	302,143	172,533	393,155	238,486	80,057	580,460	1.31
July ^r	358,736	203,939	154,797	477,179	303,251	173,928	359,717	204,920	73,099	581,441	1.33
Aug ^r	358,110	203,527	154,583	478,477	304,834	173,643	359,772	205,189	73,868	583,103	1.34
Sept ^r	357,996	204,364	153,632	479,234	305,012	174,222	365,389	211,757	77,242	590,496	1.34
Oct ^r	355,921	201,626	154,295	482,000	307,469	174,531	353,920	199,625	70,539	588,495	1.35
Nov ^r	353,838	199,406	154,432	483,892	309,335	174,557	360,079	205,647	74,776	594,736	1.37
Dec ^r	354,689	199,840	154,849	483,544	309,545	173,999	359,989	205,140	77,992	600,036	1.36
2001: Jan ^r	347,550	193,473	154,077	485,307	311,246	174,061	337,201	183,124	67,813	589,687	1.40
Feb ^r	347,983	193,401	154,582	484,353	310,564	173,789	344,908	190,326	68,010	586,612	1.39
Mar ^r	347,486	194,082	153,404	480,579	307,133	173,446	347,359	193,955	68,344	586,485	1.38
Apr ^p	338,949	186,354	152,595	480,959	307,502	173,457	336,939	184,344	65,196	584,475	1.42

¹ Annual data are averages of monthly not seasonally adjusted figures; monthly data are seasonally adjusted totals for month. Shipments are the same as sales.

² Seasonally adjusted, end of period.

³ Annual data are averages of seasonally adjusted monthly ratios.

Note.—Effective May 2001, data reflect changeover to North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS). Data on NAICS basis are available beginning 1992.

Data beginning 1992 also reflect benchmarking and other changes. Data for nondurable new orders are no longer available.

For details, see Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census publication, M3-(00), *Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories, and Orders, 1992-2000*, issued May 2001.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.