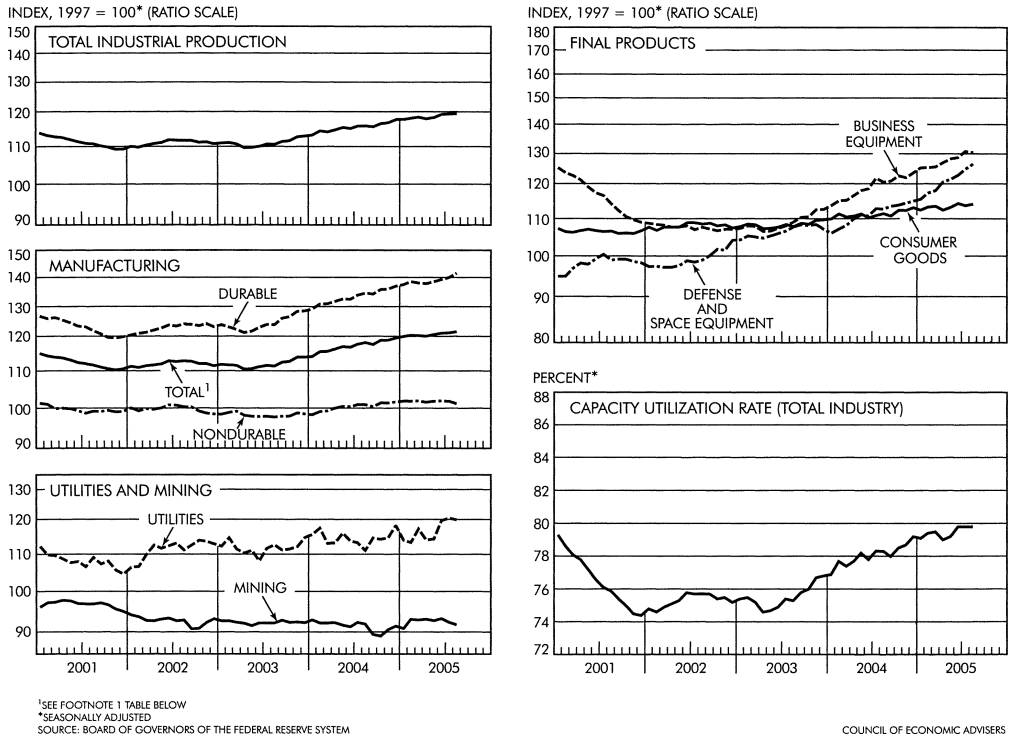
PRODUCTION AND BUSINESS ACTIVITY

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION AND CAPACITY UTILIZATION

Industrial production rose in August; capacity utilization was unchanged.



[1]SEE FOOTNOTE 1 TABLE BELOW
*SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
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[Monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Period	Total industrial production [1]			Industry production indexes, 1997=100						Capacity utilization rate (output as percent of capacity) [1]	
		Percent change [2]		Manufacturing				Mining	Utilities		
	Index, 1997=100	From preceding month	From year earlier	Total [1]	Durable	Nondurable	Other (non-NAICS) [1]			Total industry	Total manufacturing
1995	89.4		4.8	88.1	82.1	96.2	93.0	96.7	97.2	83.7	82.8
1996	93.2		4.3	92.2	89.1	96.4	92.3	98.3	100.0	82.7	81.4
1997	100.0		7.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	83.7	82.8
1998	105.8		5.8	106.6	110.5	101.5	106.5	98.5	102.6	82.9	81.8
1999	110.6		4.5	112.2	120.1	102.2	109.9	93.6	105.5	82.2	81.1
2000	115.4		4.3	117.3	129.4	102.8	112.2	95.8	108.6	82.0	80.6
2001	111.3		−3.6	112.3	123.1	99.4	105.7	96.7	108.1	76.6	74.5
2002	111.0		−.3	111.9	122.8	99.6	100.5	92.6	111.4	75.3	73.5
2003	110.9		.0	111.9	124.4	98.1	99.5	92.2	111.9	75.5	73.7
2004	115.5		4.2	117.2	133.0	100.2	103.4	91.4	115.0	78.1	76.7
2004: Aug	116.0	0.1	5.0	118.3	134.4	100.7	105.9	91.9	111.1	78.3	77.2
Sept	115.7	−.3	3.9	117.7	134.1	100.2	104.0	89.4	114.8	78.0	76.8
Oct	116.6	.8	4.6	119.0	135.7	101.2	103.8	89.0	114.3	78.5	77.5
Nov	116.9	.3	3.8	119.1	135.9	101.2	104.4	90.6	114.9	78.7	77.5
Dec	117.9	.8	4.4	119.7	136.8	101.4	106.1	91.4	118.5	79.2	77.9
2005: Jan	117.8	−.1	4.0	120.2	137.3	101.6	107.8	90.8	114.0	79.1	78.1
Feb	118.3	.5	3.4	120.6	138.4	101.6	107.1	93.0	113.4	79.4	78.3
Mar	118.6	.2	3.9	120.5	137.9	101.7	108.3	92.9	117.5	79.5	78.1
Apr	118.1	−.4	2.9	120.3	137.7	101.3	108.4	93.0	114.1	79.0	77.8
May [r]	118.5	.3	2.5	120.8	138.4	101.6	109.5	92.7	114.4	79.2	78.1
June [r]	119.4	.8	3.7	121.2	139.2	101.7	108.6	93.2	120.0	79.8	78.3
July [r]	119.5	.1	3.1	121.3	139.9	101.6	107.5	92.3	120.8	79.8	78.3
Aug [p]	119.7	.1	3.1	121.7	141.4	101.0	106.8	91.7	120.2	79.8	78.4

[1] Total industry and total manufacturing series include manufacturing as defined in the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) plus those industries—logging and newspaper, periodical, book and directory-publishing—that have traditionally been included in manufacturing.

[2] Percent changes based on unrounded indexes.

NOTE.—Data based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) except series as defined in footnote 1.

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