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Industry Turnover, Employment, Wages and salaries and Hours worked Indices October 2020

Industry Turnover Index dropped 8.4%

Industry Turnover Index recorded a nominal year-on-year decline of 8.4% in October (-1.8% in the previous month). Without the *Energy* grouping, sales fell 6.3% (null variation in September). The indices for the domestic and non-domestic markets registered variations of -9.4% and -6.9% (-1.5% and -2.3% in September), respectively. Employment, wages and salaries and hours worked indices¹ year-on-year change rates were -2.8%, 0.0% and -8.2% (-3.1% 0.1% and -4.2% in September, in the same order).

Despite the circumstances determined by the pandemic COVID-19, Statistics Portugal calls for the best collaboration by companies, families and public entities in responding to Statistics Portugal's data requests. The quality of official statistics, particularly its ability to identify the impacts of the pandemic COVID-19, crucially depends on this collaboration, which Statistics Portugal thanks in advance.

¹ Data adjusted of calendar effects