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## **Industrial New Orders**

March 2010

## Industrial new orders year on year rate more negative

In the quarter ended in March 2010, new orders in industry declined 6.9% in year-on-year terms (-2.0% in February), reflecting decreases in both markets. In the domestic market there was a decrease of 6.1% after a positive change in February (2.4%) and the external market decreased by 7.6% (-5.9% the previous month).