

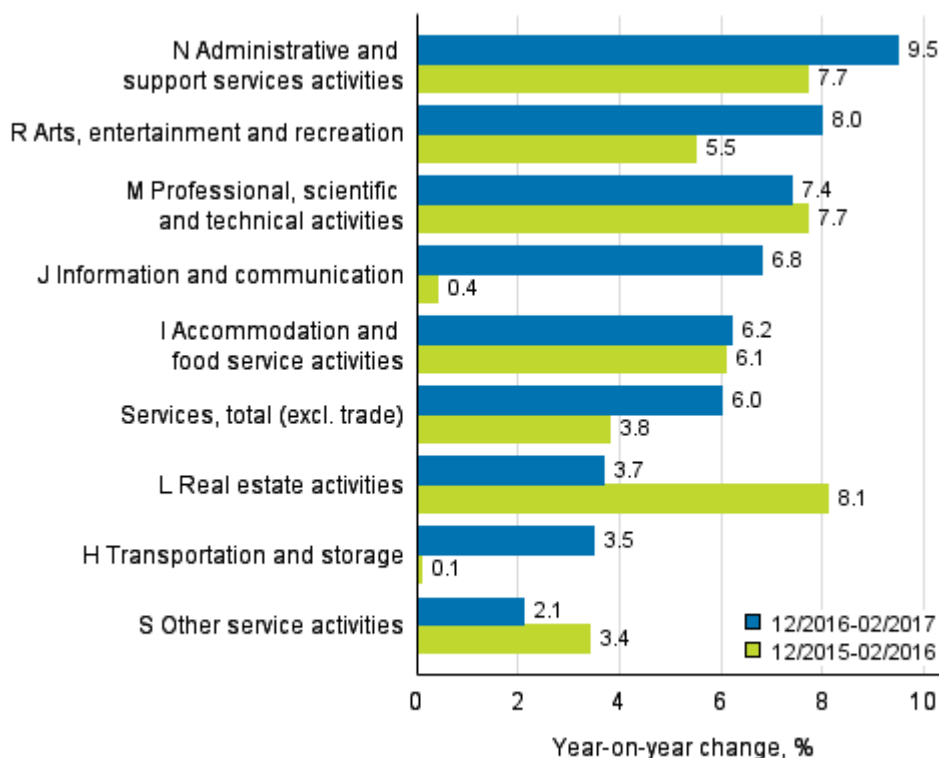
Turnover in service industries

2017, February

Turnover in service industries increased by 6 per cent year-on-year in December to February

According to Statistics Finland, turnover in service industries grew by six per cent in December to February from the corresponding period of the year before. Of the industries, administrative and support service activities continued to grow by 9.5 per cent. The development of professional, scientific and technical activities slowed down slightly from the year before (+7.4%). The development of information and communication and transportation and storage activities improved most year-on-year. Services are here examined exclusive of trade.

Three months' year-on-year change in turnover in services (TOL 2008)



Source: Statistics Finland

Administrative and support service activities were boosted most by employment activities (+17.4%) and renting and leasing activities (+13.3%). The growth in security and investigation activities slowed down further (+6.4%). In the period one year ago the industry grew by 14.7 per cent. Professional, scientific and technical activities were supported by the sub-industry other professional, scientific and technical activities (+14.2%) while research and development (-4.9%) restrained the development. In information and communication activities, most growth took place in computer programming, consultancy and related activities (+11.5%).

Transportation and storage activities grew by 3.5 per cent year-on-year. Water transport (+5.6%) boosted the industry most.

The main industry other service activities still developed slowly. Of its sub-industries, the turnover of repair of computers and personal and household goods decreased by 7.4 per cent.

Changes in the Tax Administration's self-assessed tax data have not so far had an effect on the data of turnover indices

The effects of the changes in the Tax Administration's self-assessed tax data have been analysed in Statistics Finland's turnover indices. Based on the analyses, the changes have thus far not been found to have significant effects on enterprises' VAT reporting in terms of statistics production. More information about this in [Changes in the periodic tax return data used in turnover indices](#).

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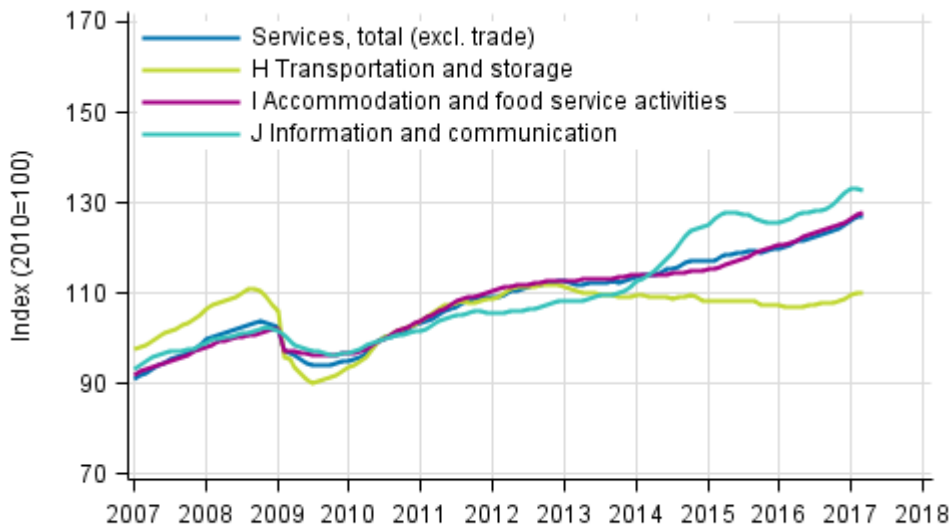
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Appendix table 1. Year-on-year change in turnover by industry, % (TOL 2008)

	Year-on-year change by three-month period, %				Year-on-year change in the latest month, %
	03-05/2016	06-08/2016	09-11/2016	12/2016-02/2017	02/2017
HIJLMNRS Other service activities total	3.6	3.0	4.4	6.0	3.9
H Transportation and storage	0.1	-1.0	0.5	3.5	1.5
I Accommodation and food service activities	6.0	4.3	4.3	6.2	5.8
J Information and communication	1.1	0.1	4.2	6.8	4.4
L=68 Real estate activities	3.8	3.9	3.0	3.7	6.4
M Professional, scientific and technical activities	7.9	6.9	8.8	7.4	4.4
N Administrative and support services activities	9.3	8.3	8.6	9.5	6.3
R Arts, entertainment and recreation	2.4	7.3	6.3	8.0	1.6
S Other service activities	4.7	4.8	1.0	2.1	0.9

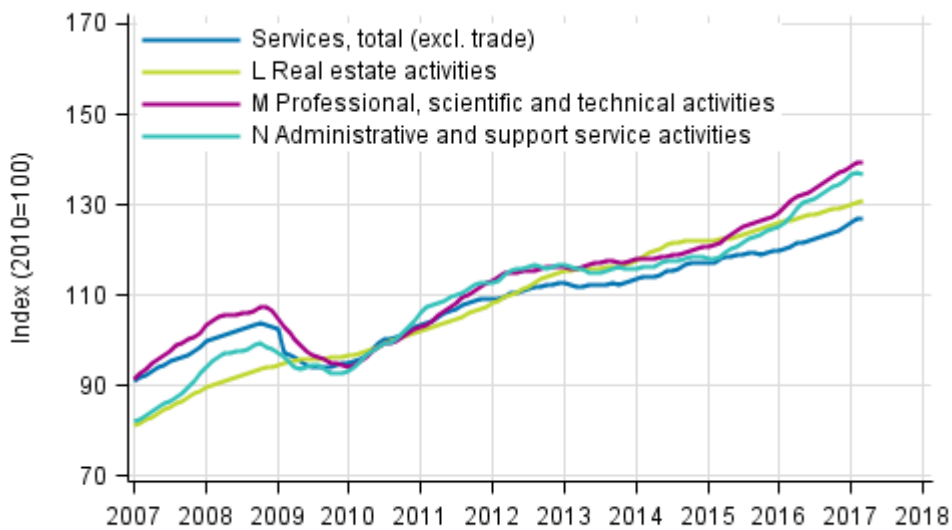
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Appendix figure 1. Turnover of service industries, trend series (TOL 2008)



Source: Statistics Finland

Appendix figure 2. Turnover of service industries, trend series (TOL 2008)



Source: Statistics Finland

Revisions in these statistics

The data of the statistics have become revised according to the table below. For more information about data revisions, see Section 3 of the quality description (only in Finnish).

Revision of annual changes in turnover in main industries¹⁾

Industry / Reference period		Year-on-year change,%		Revision, percentage point
		1st release	Latest release (2017-05-15)	
HIJLMNRS Other service activities total	09/2016	5.7	4.7	-1.0
	10/2016	4.2	3.5	-0.7
	11/2016	5.4	4.9	-0.5
	12/2016	4.7	4.3	-0.4
	01/2017	11.2	10.2	-1.0
H Transportation and storage	09/2016	1.2	0.8	-0.4
	10/2016	-0.6	-0.9	-0.3
	11/2016	1.6	1.5	-0.1
	12/2016	3.2	3.1	-0.1
	01/2017	7.2	6.2	-1.0
I Accommodation and food service activities	09/2016	7.0	6.4	-0.6
	10/2016	3.2	2.0	-1.2
	11/2016	5.0	4.5	-0.5
	12/2016	5.7	5.1	-0.6
	01/2017	8.9	8.0	-0.9
J Information and communication	09/2016	4.3	3.5	-0.8
	10/2016	5.3	4.8	-0.5
	11/2016	4.9	4.4	-0.5
	12/2016	6.6	6.5	-0.1
	01/2017	9.7	9.4	-0.3
L=68 Real estate activities	09/2016	5.8	4.0	-1.8
	10/2016	4.9	3.6	-1.3
	11/2016	3.5	1.5	-2.0
	12/2016	-1.3	-2.6	-1.3
	01/2017	12.9	10.7	-2.2
M Professional, scientific and technical activities	09/2016	10.4	8.0	-2.4
	10/2016	10.1	8.1	-2.0
	11/2016	10.8	10.3	-0.5
	12/2016	4.9	4.2	-0.7
	01/2017	18.3	16.0	-2.3
N Administrative and support services activities	09/2016	10.1	9.5	-0.6
	10/2016	5.9	5.9	0.0
	11/2016	11.3	10.5	-0.8
	12/2016	10.1	9.7	-0.4
	01/2017	13.4	12.7	-0.7
R Arts, entertainment and recreation	09/2016	11.2	10.7	-0.5
	10/2016	7.3	6.9	-0.4
	11/2016	2.6	1.7	-0.9
	12/2016	7.5	7.4	-0.1
	01/2017	15.8	15.5	-0.3

Industry / Reference period		Year-on-year change, %		Revision, percentage point
		1st release	Latest release (2017-05-15)	
S Other service activities	09/2016	3.5	2.4	-1.1
	10/2016	-4.5	-4.4	0.1
	11/2016	5.3	4.9	-0.4
	12/2016	0.2	-0.4	-0.6
	01/2017	7.1	6.7	-0.4

1) The 1st release refers to the time when data for the reference period were released for the first time. The revision describes the difference of annual change percentages between the first and latest release.

Revision of long-term annual changes in turnover in main industries

Industry	Year	Average ¹⁾	Average for absolute values ²⁾
HIJLMNRS Other service activities total	2013	-0,8	0,8
	2014	-0,7	0,7
	2015	-0,8	0,8
H Transportation and storage	2013	-0,5	0,5
	2014	-0,1	0,4
	2015	-0,4	0,4
I Accommodation and food service activities	2013	-0,8	0,8
	2014	-0,8	0,8
	2015	-0,5	0,8
J Information and communication	2013	-0,6	0,7
	2014	-0,3	0,5
	2015	-0,5	0,5
L=68 Real estate activities	2013	-1,3	1,3
	2014	-0,8	0,9
	2015	-1,6	1,6
M Professional, scientific and technical activities	2013	-1,7	1,7
	2014	-2,0	2,0
	2015	-2,0	2,0
N Administrative and support services activities	2013	-0,4	0,6
	2014	-1,1	1,2
	2015	-0,8	0,8
R Arts, entertainment and recreation	2013	-0,3	0,6
	2014	-0,6	0,8
	2015	-0,4	0,6
S Other service activities	2013	-1,3	2,3
	2014	-0,7	1,0
	2015	-1,2	1,0

1) Average for data revised between the first and seventh release in the statistical reference year.

2) Average for absolute values of differences between the first and seventh release.

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