
STATISTICAL PUBLICATIONS ISSUED IN THE FIRST NINE MONTHS OF 2013

- elaboration, coordination, issuing, dissemination

The National Institute of Statistics continued to develop an **intensive and appreciated activity** for the collection, production, coordination and dissemination of accurate, credible data and information provided in time to the users, **including by statistical publications**, issued during January-September 2013 period.

Official statistical data and information were put at the disposal of central and local public institutions, of all the users from various fields: media, research and education of all levels, natural persons etc. – free of charge or with pay. Data requirements were generally solved under efficient and timing conditions.

We point out one of the important stipulations regarding the **coordination and functioning of the National Statistical System** (Law no.226/2009): *“The National Institute of Statistics, member of the European statistical system (...) cooperates and coordinates its activities for the growth of efficiency, reduction of response task of primary data suppliers for the improvement of statistical data quality and for their dissemination”*.

Regarding **the statistical publications** it should be underlined, on our opinion, the necessity of knowledge and deepening to a great extent the legislative stipulations, attributions and responsibilities by which it is provided and carried out permanently the respect of unitary character of statistical indicators methodology by activity fields. The following are taken into account: Methodological notes (explanations), the classifications and nomenclatures approved, methods and techniques of data collection and processing finalizing, translation, editing, pre-press and printing.

The whole activity is carried out according to the legal stipulations regarding the organization and functioning of official statistics in Romania (Law 226/June 5, 2009 with later modifications and completions) and of the Code of Practice of European statistics (EC Regulation no.223/March 11, 2009) in order to meet the requirements of users information at national and international level).

The activities carried out for the issue of statistical publications within the National Institute of Statistics were and are coordinated at various levels. Since the first stage of design/concept for the project/concept of each

publication structure stipulated in the Annual National Statistical Programme, till the processing, issue and dissemination, there are provided important activities of coordination carried out, by case, by chiefs of offices, deputy directors, general directors, general secretary, vice presidents and president.

Out of those **167 titles of statistical publications** issued in the first nine months of 2013, which represent 70.2% of total titles stipulated for the whole year, we refer to those five monthly statistical bulletins, publications with the highest frequency of issue. INS issued nine titles of Monthly Statistical Bulletin, Prices Statistical Bulletin, International Trade Statistical Bulletin, Industry Statistical Bulletin and Monthly Statistical Bulletin of counties, 45 issues as total.

There should be pointed out data and information regarding consumer price indices, international trade industry, construction, labour force, demographic indicators, other macroeconomic indicators – requests which held the first places for a long time.

Specific explanations regarding the number of bulletins issued, their content, authors, coordinators, others

MONTHLY STATISTICAL BULLETIN

Issues: no.11, 12/2012,
no.1,2,3,4,5, 6,7/2013

Coordinator of publication: INS president

Coordinators of edition: INS vice presidents, INS General Secretary, president cabinet Director, General Director, chief of office (General Direction of National Accounts and Macroeconomic Syntheses)

Authors: chief of office, councilors, experts, Director, General Director of Direction of National Accounts and Macroeconomic Syntheses; general directors, directors, chief of office, experts of General Direction of Economic Statistics, General Direction of Demography and Social Statistics; Director and chief of office of Direction of International Trade Statistics.

The publication includes data and information regarding the economic and social evolution of Romania in various periods of time. There were presented monthly and quarterly data and information of industry, investments, construction, agriculture, interior trade, international trade, services, social indicators, national accounts, economy and finances.

Monthly Statistical Bulletin – important synthesis publication is bilingual (Romanian/English), has 240 pages in average, A4 format, paper support and CD.



The translation of this publication into English is provided by the Direction of European Affairs and International Cooperation, make up by General Direction of National Accounts and Macroeconomic Syntheses; pre-press and printing – General Direction of IT and Statistical Infrastructure (coordination by General Director and Director).

PRICES STATISTICAL BULLETIN

Issues: no.11, 12/2012,
no.1,2,3,4,5,6,7/2013

Coordinator of publication:

INS vice president

Coordinators of edition: General Director (General Director of National Accounts and Macroeconomic Syntheses), Director (Direction of Prices Statistics)

Authors: Deputy Director, chief of office, councilor in the Direction of Prices Statistics and Direction of Short Term Economic Indicators Statistics.

Prices Statistical Bulletin – important synthesis publication – presents monthly evolution of inflation rate, and consumer price indices (food goods, non-food goods and tariffs of services) – according to the Classification of products and services by activities.

This publication is bilingual (Romanian/English), has 80 pages in average, A4 format, paper support and CD.



STATISTICAL BULLETIN OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

Issues: no.10,11,12/2012,
no.1,2,3,4,5,6/2013

Coordinator of publication:

INS vice president

Coordinators of edition: General Director (General Direction of Economic Statistics); director, deputy director (Direction of International Trade Statistics)

Authors: chief of office, councilor, expert Direction of International Trade Statistics; councilor of Director of administration, processing of administrative data.

The publication provides statistical data and information regarding the characteristics of international trade (monthly exchange rate, exports and



import by countries and groups of countries, top of main partner countries, monthly evolution of international trade by nomenclatures and classifications).

Statistical bulletin of international trade is bilingual (Romanian/English), has 120 pages in average, A4 format, paper support and CD.

INDUSTRY STATISTICAL BULLETIN

Issues: no.11,12/2012, no.1,2,3,4,5,6,7/2013

Coordinator of publication:

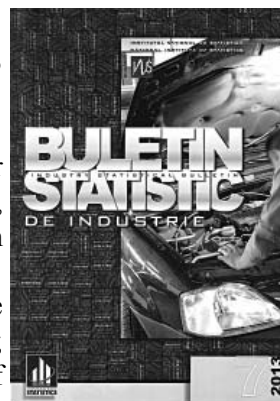
INS vice president

Coordinators of edition: General Director (General Direction of Economic Statistics); director, deputy director (Direction of Price Statistics, Direction of short term Economic Indicators Statistics).

Authors: expert, councilor, chief of office in the Direction of Short Term Economic Indicators Statistics; councilor (Direction of Price Statistics, Direction of International Trade Statistics); chief of office, expert (Office of Salary Statistics).

The publication provides data and information regarding the evolution of industrial activity, industrial price indices, of labour productivity in industry and of industrial production prices, turnover value indices, number of employees and nominal average earnings, main primary energy resources, balance of electric energy, natural gas, existent fuel stocks in thermo-power stations.

Industry Statistical Bulletin is bilingual (Romanian/English), has 110 pages in average, A4 format, paper support and CD.



MONTHLY STATISTICAL BULLETIN OF COUNTIES

Issues: no.11,12/2012, no.1,2,3,4,5,6,7/2013

Coordinator of publication: INS president

Coordinators of edition: Deputy director (Public Policies Unit), INS specialized directions, regional statistical directions, county statistical directions.

Authors: Deputy Director, councilor in the Public Policies Unit

The publication presents two main categories of indicators: economic and social at national level and economic and social at county level.

The indicators are presented by activity fields: industry, interior trade, services, international trade, tourism, prices, labour force, social indicators,



construction (at county level), registrations of trade companies with foreign participation in subscribed capital.

Monthly Statistical Bulletin of counties provides data and information for those 41 counties and Bucharest municipality. The publication has 270 pages in average, A4 format, paper support and CD. The make up and lay out of this bulletin is monthly provided by councilors and experts (Public Policies Unit); pre-press and printing activity – General Direction of IT and Statistical Infrastructure and Direction of Issuing the Statistical Publications (coordinators: general director and director).

For the publications issued during January-September 2013 period, the dissemination activity has continued according to the stipulations of Annual National Statistical Programme with deadlines set up in the Calendar/Catalogue of statistical publications and services INS 2013.

Among other statistical publications issued, it should be also pointed out the big number and diversity of titles for those with annual and quarterly periodicity.

The authors who wrote these publications as well as their coordinators aim at respecting the deadlines set up and provide accurate statistical data and information.

It should be appreciated that the **statistical publications issued** by the National Institute of Statistics, no matter of their periodicity – monthly, quarterly, annual, others – present suggestive graph representations, useful and clear **methodological notes (explanations)** regarding legislative stipulations in force, addressing all the suppliers and users of official data and information.

Till the end of 2013, during October-December period, within the National Institute of Statistics are to be elaborated, coordinated and disseminated other important statistical publications, as follows: Monthly Statistical Bulletin no.8,9 and 10/2013, Price Statistical Bulletin no.8,9 and 10/2013, Statistical Bulletin of International Trade no.7,8 and 9/2013, Industry Statistical Bulletin no.8,9 and 10/2013, Monthly Statistical Bulletin of Counties no.8,9 and 10/2013.

There will be also issued statistical publications with quarterly, annual periodicity and other periodicities, being continued the process of dissemination to the domestic and international users.

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