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NEW RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION IN NOVEMBER 2005

The U.S. Census Bureau and the Department of Housing and Urban Development jointly announced the following new residential construction statistics for November 2005:

BUILDING PERMITS

Privately-owned housing units authorized by building permits in November were at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 2,155,000. This is 2.5 percent ($\pm 1.0\%$) above the revised October rate of 2,103,000 and is 3.0 percent ($\pm 1.2\%$) above the November 2004 estimate of 2,093,000.

Single-family authorizations in November were at a rate of 1,710,000; this is 0.2 percent ($\pm 1.0\%$)* above the October figure of 1,707,000. Authorizations of units in buildings with five units or more were at a rate of 361,000 in November.

HOUSING STARTS

Privately-owned housing starts in November were at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 2,123,000. This is 5.3 percent ($\pm 7.7\%$)* above the revised October estimate of 2,017,000 and is 17.5 percent ($\pm 6.8\%$) above the November 2004 rate of 1,807,000.

Single-family housing starts in November 2005 were at a rate of 1,808,000; this is 4.8 percent ($\pm 8.3\%$)* above the October figure of 1,725,000. The November rate for units in buildings with five units or more was 277,000.

HOUSING COMPLETIONS

Privately-owned housing completions in November were at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1,837,000. This is 4.9 percent ($\pm 5.8\%$)* below the revised October estimate of 1,932,000, but is 6.5 percent ($\pm 7.4\%$)* above the November 2004 rate of 1,725,000.

Single-family housing completions in November 2005 were at a rate of 1,579,000; this is 0.6 percent ($\pm 7.0\%$)* below the October figure of 1,588,000. The November rate for units in buildings with five units or more was 238,000.

New Residential Construction data for December 2005 will be released on Thursday, January 19, 2006, at 8:30 A.M. EST. The scheduled release dates for 2006 are as follows: January 19, February 16, March 16, April 18, May 16, June 20, July 19, August 16, September 19, October 18, November 17, December 19.

Our Internet site is: <http://www.census.gov/newresconst>

EXPLANATORY NOTES

In interpreting changes in the statistics in this release, note that month-to-month changes in seasonally adjusted statistics often show movements which may be irregular. It may take 4 months to establish an underlying trend for building permit authorizations, 6 months for total starts, and 6 months for total completions. The statistics in this release are estimated from sample surveys and are subject to sampling variability as well as nonsampling error including bias and variance from response, nonreporting, and undercoverage. Estimated relative standard errors of the most recent data are shown in the tables. Whenever a statement such as "2.5 percent ($\pm 3.2\%$) above" appears in the text, this indicates the range (-0.7 to +5.7 percent) in which the actual percent change is likely to have occurred. All ranges given for percent changes are 90-percent confidence intervals and account only for sampling variability. If a range does not contain zero, the change is statistically significant. If it does contain zero, the change is not statistically significant; that is, it is uncertain whether there was an increase or decrease. The same policies apply to the confidence intervals for percent changes shown in the tables. On average, the preliminary seasonally adjusted estimates of total building permits, housing starts and housing completions are revised about one percent. Explanations of confidence intervals and sampling variability can be found on our web site listed above.

* 90% confidence interval includes zero. The Census Bureau does not have sufficient statistical evidence to conclude that the actual change is different from zero.

Table 1. New Privately-Owned Housing Units Authorized in Permit-Issuing Places

[Thousands of units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding]

Period	United States				Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Total	In structures with --			Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit
		1 unit	2 to 4 units	5 units or more								
Seasonally adjusted annual rate												
2004: November	2,093	1,588	90	415	203	128	353	281	947	742	590	437
December	2,081	1,620	90	371	191	123	392	304	948	768	550	425
2005: January	2,136	1,635	84	417	195	119	356	280	1,040	807	545	429
February	2,093	1,624	83	386	189	116	381	300	974	777	549	431
March	2,021	1,552	85	384	184	107	349	269	961	756	527	420
April	2,148	1,640	78	430	200	117	379	289	1,011	795	558	439
May	2,062	1,628	85	349	191	120	354	282	968	781	549	445
June	2,132	1,653	87	392	213	124	361	286	1,032	810	526	433
July	2,171	1,690	99	382	200	130	379	297	1,010	809	582	454
August	2,138	1,676	86	376	186	130	353	287	1,064	830	535	429
September	2,219	1,767	88	364	208	139	362	296	1,036	843	613	489
October ^f	2,103	1,707	82	314	189	125	369	303	1,009	833	536	446
November^p	2,155	1,710	84	361	198	114	373	294	1,018	867	566	435
Average RSE (%) ¹	1	1	3	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Percent Change:												
<i>November 2005 from October 2005</i>	<i>2.5%</i>	<i>0.2%</i>	<i>2.4%</i>	<i>15.0%</i>	<i>4.8%</i>	<i>-8.8%</i>	<i>1.1%</i>	<i>-3.0%</i>	<i>0.9%</i>	<i>4.1%</i>	<i>5.6%</i>	<i>-2.5%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval³</i>	<i>± 1.0</i>	<i>± 1.0</i>	<i>± 2.1</i>	<i>± 3.4</i>	<i>± 1.9</i>	<i>± 2.6</i>	<i>± 4.7</i>	<i>± 5.5</i>	<i>± 1.1</i>	<i>± 1.2</i>	<i>± 2.0</i>	<i>± 2.3</i>
<i>November 2005 from November 2004</i>	<i>3.0%</i>	<i>7.7%</i>	<i>-6.7%</i>	<i>-13.0%</i>	<i>-2.5%</i>	<i>-10.9%</i>	<i>5.7%</i>	<i>4.6%</i>	<i>7.5%</i>	<i>16.8%</i>	<i>-4.1%</i>	<i>-0.5%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval³</i>	<i>± 1.2</i>	<i>± 0.8</i>	<i>± 10.5</i>	<i>± 4.0</i>	<i>± 2.3</i>	<i>± 3.1</i>	<i>± 4.2</i>	<i>± 4.9</i>	<i>± 1.4</i>	<i>± 1.5</i>	<i>± 2.1</i>	<i>± 2.4</i>
Not seasonally adjusted												
19,000-Place Universe												
2003	1,889.2	1,460.9	82.5	345.8	182.4	124.4	371.0	287.3	849.3	670.1	486.5	379.0
2004 ²	2,052.1	1,596.4	90.0	365.6	196.5	131.4	365.4	290.6	949.7	745.5	540.5	429.0
20,000-Place Universe												
2004 ²	2,070.1	1,613.4	90.4	366.2	197.0	131.8	370.5	295.5	960.8	756.1	541.9	430.0
RSE (%)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
2004: Year to Date ²	1,914.7	1,502.0	86.4	326.3	181.4	122.8	352.8	285.2	884.5	698.2	496.0	395.8
2005: Year to Date ²	1,990.7	1,565.9	78.8	346.0	184.0	116.1	340.0	272.2	947.8	761.0	518.9	416.7
RSE (%)	(Z)	(Z)	2	(Z)	1	1	1	1	(Z)	(Z)	1	1
Year to Date Percent Change⁴												
<i>90% Confidence Interval³</i>	<i>± 0.7</i>	<i>± 0.8</i>	<i>± 3.0</i>	<i>± 1.0</i>	<i>± 1.8</i>	<i>± 2.3</i>	<i>± 1.3</i>	<i>± 1.5</i>	<i>± 0.5</i>	<i>± 0.6</i>	<i>± 1.1</i>	<i>± 1.2</i>
2004: November	156.4	114.6	7.6	34.2	16.5	10.1	28.0	21.1	69.7	52.8	42.3	30.7
December	155.2	113.8	6.8	34.6	14.4	8.5	26.4	19.0	71.5	55.4	42.9	31.0
2005: January	138.2	105.1	4.8	28.2	11.1	6.6	16.8	13.3	74.4	57.3	35.9	28.0
February	145.4	113.0	5.4	27.1	11.0	6.4	21.3	17.2	74.5	59.0	38.6	30.3
March	185.6	147.6	7.8	30.2	15.1	9.1	30.4	24.5	90.8	73.5	49.3	40.4
April	192.2	151.7	6.9	33.7	17.8	10.7	35.6	28.5	89.1	72.1	49.7	40.3
May	189.9	153.7	7.6	28.6	18.3	12.1	34.9	28.6	88.2	71.5	48.5	41.4
June	207.9	164.1	8.9	34.9	22.2	12.9	35.5	29.3	96.0	78.0	54.2	43.9
July	182.9	143.7	7.5	31.7	18.0	11.9	33.3	26.5	84.1	67.0	47.5	38.3
August	201.2	159.3	8.4	33.5	18.0	12.5	35.2	28.3	98.1	78.2	49.9	40.4
September	191.3	150.0	7.9	33.3	18.4	12.5	33.5	27.0	86.1	69.2	53.3	41.3
October ^f	172.6	137.5	7.1	28.0	16.0	10.8	34.1	26.9	79.7	65.0	42.8	34.8
November^p	159.3	122.4	6.9	30.0	16.1	8.9	29.4	21.8	73.1	61.3	40.8	30.4
Average RSE (%) ¹	1	1	3	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1

¹Preliminary. ²Revised. RSE Relative standard error. S Does not meet publication standards because tests for identifiable and stable seasonality do not meet reliability standards.

X Not applicable. Z Relative standard error is less than 0.5 percent.

³Average RSE for the latest 6-month period

²Reflects revisions not distributed to months.

³See the Explanatory Notes in the accompanying text for an explanation of 90% confidence interval

⁴Computed using unrounded data

Table 2. New Privately-Owned Housing Units Authorized, but Not Started, at End of Period

[Not seasonally adjusted. Thousands of units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding]

Period	United States				Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Total	In structures with --			Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit
		1 unit	2 to 4 units	5 units or more								
2004: November	202.7	134.8	8.3	59.6	25.7	10.5	27.5	19.0	103.8	72.4	45.7	33.0
December	215.5	138.1	10.6	66.8	28.8	10.1	26.4	17.6	109.3	77.0	51.1	33.5
2005: January	202.1	131.5	9.1	61.5	27.9	12.3	26.5	19.5	102.5	68.6	45.2	31.2
February	197.7	131.2	9.1	57.4	27.0	12.0	25.8	20.2	100.9	67.1	44.0	31.9
March	221.2	154.0	9.1	58.1	24.0	11.2	30.0	24.1	118.0	82.8	49.2	35.8
April	229.5	164.9	8.6	56.0	25.9	13.4	35.7	29.1	112.5	79.7	55.4	42.7
May	219.6	157.6	8.9	53.1	26.8	14.7	31.1	25.8	112.0	79.0	49.7	38.2
June	232.6	170.3	9.7	52.6	29.3	15.5	31.1	25.0	113.8	83.5	58.4	46.3
July	222.0	161.4	9.4	51.2	28.5	15.6	30.2	24.3	107.5	79.6	55.8	42.0
August	231.2	165.0	9.8	56.4	27.8	16.4	30.5	23.9	120.8	87.4	52.1	37.3
September ^f	231.2	166.9	7.9	56.5	27.1	17.0	27.6	22.0	122.9	88.3	53.6	39.7
October ^f	221.8	161.2	8.4	52.2	26.9	15.8	30.8	23.9	114.1	83.8	50.1	37.7
November^p	217.7	156.3	9.1	52.2	27.2	15.1	29.0	21.9	113.6	85.7	48.0	33.6
Average RSE (%) ¹	3	4	14	7	8	12	8	10	5	6	7	8
Percent Change:²												
<i>November 2005 from October 2005</i>	-1.9%	-3.0%	9.2%	0.0%	1.1%	-4.3%	-5.8%	-8.3%	-0.5%	2.3%	-4.2%	-11.0%
<i>90% Confidence Interval³</i>	± 3.2	± 3.6	± 17.6	± 7.8	± 12.4	± 10.4	± 10.7	± 13.3	± 3.7	± 4.4	± 6.6	± 7.1
<i>November 2005 from November 2004</i>	7.4%	15.9%	10.7%	-12.3%	5.6%	43.6%	5.3%	15.7%	9.4%	18.5%	5.0%	1.7%
<i>90% Confidence Interval³</i>	± 8.1	± 10.5	± 35.9	± 12.0	± 18.2	± 40.4	± 20.9	± 30.9	± 13.0	± 12.8	± 15.0	± 18.8

^pPreliminary. ^fRevised. RSE Relative Standard Error.¹Average RSE for the latest 6-month period.²Computed using unrounded data.³See the Explanatory Notes in the accompanying text for an explanation of 90% confidence intervals

Note: These data represent the number of housing units authorized in all months up to and including the last day of the reporting period and not started as of that date without regard to the months of original permit issuance. Cancelled, abandoned, expired, and revoked permits are excluded.

Table 3. New Privately-Owned Housing Units Started

[Thousands of units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding]

Period	United States				Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Total	In structures with --			Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit
		1 unit	2 to 4 units	5 units or more								
Seasonally adjusted annual rate												
2004: November	1,807	1,484	(S)	284	161	121	318	262	851	698	477	403
December	2,050	1,713	(S)	289	195	140	379	332	955	785	521	456
2005: January	2,188	1,769	(S)	371	164	131	332	276	1,138	927	554	435
February	2,228	1,808	(S)	368	207	155	433	352	1,018	849	570	452
March	1,833	1,550	(S)	249	210	136	311	295	830	710	482	409
April	2,027	1,640	(S)	340	189	125	326	273	1,021	849	491	393
May	2,041	1,724	(S)	280	185	137	387	331	926	794	543	462
June	2,065	1,716	(S)	312	194	148	341	300	1,033	837	497	431
July	2,062	1,732	(S)	294	196	137	369	320	986	826	511	449
August	2,081	1,719	(S)	319	203	134	376	304	935	800	567	481
September ^r	2,160	1,791	(S)	310	195	145	378	322	1,014	859	573	465
October ^r	2,017	1,725	(S)	261	163	138	332	299	1,002	845	520	443
November^p	2,123	1,808	(S)	277	181	128	373	321	989	852	580	507
Average RSE (%) ¹	3	3	(X)	10	12	13	6	6	5	5	6	6
Percent Change:												
<i>November 2005 from October 2005</i>	<i>5.3%</i>	<i>4.8%</i>	<i>(S)</i>	<i>6.1%</i>	<i>11.0%</i>	<i>-7.2%</i>	<i>12.3%</i>	<i>7.4%</i>	<i>-1.3%</i>	<i>0.8%</i>	<i>11.5%</i>	<i>14.4%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 7.7</i>	<i>± 8.3</i>	<i>(X)</i>	<i>± 24.5</i>	<i>± 46.0</i>	<i>± 33.0</i>	<i>± 19.2</i>	<i>± 20.1</i>	<i>± 8.4</i>	<i>± 10.0</i>	<i>± 14.7</i>	<i>± 15.7</i>
<i>November 2005 from November 2004</i>	<i>17.5%</i>	<i>21.8%</i>	<i>(S)</i>	<i>-2.5%</i>	<i>12.4%</i>	<i>5.8%</i>	<i>17.3%</i>	<i>22.5%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>	<i>22.1%</i>	<i>21.6%</i>	<i>25.8%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 6.8</i>	<i>± 7.0</i>	<i>(X)</i>	<i>± 25.3</i>	<i>± 37.5</i>	<i>± 31.9</i>	<i>± 17.9</i>	<i>± 21.0</i>	<i>± 9.4</i>	<i>± 11.8</i>	<i>± 14.9</i>	<i>± 14.1</i>
Not seasonally adjusted												
2003	1,847.7	1,499.0	33.5	315.2	162.6	115.9	374.1	309.0	838.7	686.3	472.3	387.8
2004	1,955.8	1,610.5	42.3	303.0	175.4	127.7	355.7	306.4	908.5	743.4	516.2	433.1
RSE (%)	1	1	9	3	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	2
2004: Year to Date	1,815.6	1,495.1	38.7	281.8	161.0	117.4	331.4	285.5	842.8	690.2	480.4	402.0
2005: Year to Date	1,928.3	1,607.4	38.6	282.2	175.7	127.3	336.7	289.7	918.4	772.8	497.4	417.6
RSE (%)	3	3	26	12	19	16	6	8	4	5	6	6
<i>Year to Date Percent Change³</i>	<i>6.2%</i>	<i>7.5%</i>	<i>-0.3%</i>	<i>0.2%</i>	<i>9.1%</i>	<i>8.4%</i>	<i>1.6%</i>	<i>1.5%</i>	<i>9.0%</i>	<i>12.0%</i>	<i>3.5%</i>	<i>3.9%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 1.9</i>	<i>± 2.4</i>	<i>± 24.4</i>	<i>± 7.3</i>	<i>± 6.0</i>	<i>± 9.8</i>	<i>± 4.1</i>	<i>± 4.6</i>	<i>± 2.8</i>	<i>± 3.8</i>	<i>± 3.7</i>	<i>± 4.6</i>
2004: November	138.1	111.0	3.3	23.8	13.2	9.8	25.8	21.1	63.2	50.4	35.8	29.6
December	140.2	115.4	3.6	21.3	14.4	10.3	24.4	20.9	65.6	53.2	35.8	31.0
2005: January	142.9	114.3	3.3	25.3	8.7	6.5	15.9	12.1	80.2	65.9	37.9	29.8
February	149.1	121.1	3.5	24.5	11.1	7.7	23.8	18.4	74.7	63.4	39.5	31.6
March	156.2	133.4	2.8	20.0	16.5	10.5	24.8	23.5	72.7	63.1	42.2	36.3
April	184.6	151.5	4.0	29.1	16.9	11.4	29.6	25.1	95.5	80.7	42.7	34.3
May	197.9	170.4	3.2	24.4	17.6	13.5	40.2	35.4	85.6	74.1	54.5	47.5
June	192.8	162.8	3.2	26.9	19.5	15.5	35.0	31.4	93.1	76.2	45.3	39.6
July	187.6	158.0	3.2	26.3	18.3	13.0	34.5	30.1	88.3	74.0	46.5	41.0
August	192.0	158.6	3.9	29.5	19.8	13.4	36.7	30.1	83.7	71.2	51.8	43.9
September ^r	187.9	154.0	5.4	28.5	17.7	13.1	35.8	30.6	84.7	70.5	49.7	39.7
October ^r	177.4	149.8	2.9	24.6	14.9	12.5	30.1	27.0	87.5	72.7	44.9	37.7
November^p	159.8	133.5	3.2	23.1	14.7	10.2	30.4	26.0	72.5	61.1	42.3	36.2
Average RSE (%) ¹	3	3	24	10	12	13	6	6	5	5	6	6

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X Not applicable.

¹Average RSE for the latest 6-month period.

²See the Explanatory Notes in the accompanying text for an explanation of 90% confidence intervals.

³Computed using unrounded data.

Table 5. New Privately-Owned Housing Units Completed

[Thousands of units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding]

Period	United States				Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Total	In structures with --			Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit	Total	1 unit
		1 unit	2 to 4 units	5 units or more								
Seasonally adjusted annual rate												
2004: November	1,725	1,436	(S)	267	151	103	310	253	825	715	439	365
December	1,911	1,649	(S)	234	144	133	360	315	845	701	562	500
2005: January	1,883	1,576	(S)	261	154	128	331	308	862	700	536	440
February	1,922	1,622	(S)	248	187	128	385	327	893	774	457	393
March	1,797	1,534	(S)	234	151	111	333	299	811	692	502	432
April	1,944	1,638	(S)	277	166	140	353	316	915	745	510	437
May	2,097	1,744	(S)	305	169	128	437	370	963	786	528	460
June	1,963	1,682	(S)	249	204	178	370	320	920	761	469	423
July	1,889	1,652	(S)	199	145	125	338	298	886	768	520	461
August	1,933	1,630	(S)	255	206	131	356	308	857	737	514	454
September ^f	1,953	1,665	(S)	255	167	120	333	287	941	808	512	450
October ^f	1,932	1,588	(S)	316	148	102	345	293	929	780	510	413
November^p	1,837	1,579	(S)	238	154	137	327	282	875	747	481	413
Average RSE (%) ¹	4	4	(X)	12	13	12	8	8	6	6	6	7
<i>Percent Change:</i>												
<i>November 2005 from October 2005</i>	<i>-4.9%</i>	<i>-0.6%</i>	<i>(S)</i>	<i>-24.7%</i>	<i>4.1%</i>	<i>34.3%</i>	<i>-5.2%</i>	<i>-3.8%</i>	<i>-5.8%</i>	<i>-4.2%</i>	<i>-5.7%</i>	<i>0.0%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 5.8</i>	<i>± 7.0</i>	<i>(X)</i>	<i>± 17.8</i>	<i>± 22.6</i>	<i>± 32.9</i>	<i>± 14.6</i>	<i>± 15.9</i>	<i>± 9.4</i>	<i>± 10.5</i>	<i>± 10.8</i>	<i>± 13.8</i>
<i>November 2005 from November 2004</i>	<i>6.5%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>	<i>(S)</i>	<i>-10.9%</i>	<i>2.0%</i>	<i>33.0%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>	<i>11.5%</i>	<i>6.1%</i>	<i>4.5%</i>	<i>9.6%</i>	<i>13.2%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 7.4</i>	<i>± 8.9</i>	<i>(X)</i>	<i>± 22.3</i>	<i>± 19.0</i>	<i>± 23.4</i>	<i>± 18.6</i>	<i>± 23.1</i>	<i>± 11.2</i>	<i>± 11.7</i>	<i>± 14.9</i>	<i>± 18.3</i>
Not seasonally adjusted												
2003	1,678.7	1,386.3	31.5	260.8	154.6	113.6	332.2	274.2	755.6	635.5	436.2	363.1
2004	1,841.9	1,531.5	23.5	286.9	155.9	118.9	362.4	303.6	840.4	699.8	483.3	409.2
RSE (%)	1	1	9	3	4	5	3	3	2	2	3	3
2004: Year to Date	1,657.8	1,370.7	21.0	266.1	142.1	106.1	328.7	273.9	757.9	630.1	429.1	360.6
2005: Year to Date	1,738.5	1,469.9	33.6	235.0	152.2	116.4	320.6	278.9	810.8	682.1	454.9	392.5
RSE (%)	3	3	38	12	11	11	9	10	5	5	6	7
<i>Year to Date Percent Change³</i>	<i>4.9%</i>	<i>7.2%</i>	<i>59.7%</i>	<i>-11.7%</i>	<i>7.1%</i>	<i>9.7%</i>	<i>-2.5%</i>	<i>1.8%</i>	<i>7.0%</i>	<i>8.3%</i>	<i>6.0%</i>	<i>8.9%</i>
<i>90% Confidence Interval²</i>	<i>± 2.6</i>	<i>± 2.9</i>	<i>± 33.4</i>	<i>± 6.5</i>	<i>± 8.9</i>	<i>± 9.0</i>	<i>± 5.4</i>	<i>± 5.8</i>	<i>± 4.4</i>	<i>± 4.6</i>	<i>± 5.0</i>	<i>± 5.9</i>
2004: November	150.4	128.7	1.6	20.1	13.8	10.2	28.3	24.1	70.6	62.3	37.7	32.1
December	184.1	160.8	2.4	20.8	13.8	12.8	33.6	29.7	82.5	69.7	54.2	48.6
2005: January	130.9	109.8	3.2	18.0	10.9	9.1	21.7	20.2	60.5	49.4	37.8	31.2
February	132.0	111.7	3.5	16.7	12.8	8.8	25.4	21.5	61.9	53.8	31.9	27.5
March	135.7	116.7	2.1	17.0	10.4	7.5	23.3	20.9	62.5	53.9	39.5	34.4
April	150.7	126.7	2.2	21.8	12.3	10.3	27.3	24.4	71.0	57.7	40.1	34.4
May	176.3	145.3	4.2	26.8	14.1	10.5	36.5	30.6	81.7	66.2	44.1	38.0
June	171.0	144.5	3.0	23.4	16.9	14.4	31.0	26.3	81.9	66.9	41.2	36.9
July	158.5	136.3	3.5	18.6	12.3	10.3	28.8	25.1	74.1	63.1	43.3	37.8
August	178.3	145.0	5.2	28.1	19.9	11.6	33.8	28.5	78.7	65.5	46.0	39.4
September ^f	172.0	147.8	2.8	21.4	15.1	11.1	31.3	27.4	80.7	69.5	45.0	39.7
October ^f	174.5	146.7	2.3	25.6	13.8	10.0	32.0	27.8	83.5	71.5	45.2	37.3
November^p	158.6	139.4	1.5	17.7	13.9	12.6	29.6	26.3	74.3	64.8	40.8	35.8
Average RSE (%) ¹	4	4	30	12	13	12	8	8	6	6	6	7

^pPreliminary. ^fRevised. RSE Relative standard error. S Does not meet publication standards because tests for identifiable and stable seasonality do not meet reliability standards.

X Not applicable.

¹Average RSE for the latest 6-month period.

²See the Explanatory Notes in the accompanying text for an explanation of 90% confidence intervals.

³Computed using unrounded data.