

Macro Insights

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IIP slumps to -0.1% in Aug'24

IIP falls into negative zone with 0.1% degrowth observed in Aug'24 vis-à-vis 4.8% growth observed in July'24. In Aug'23, India's industrial output had grown by 10.9%.

Highlights

- IIP contracted for the first time in August'24 since October'22
- In Sector wise performance, only manufacturing sector recorded expansion, expanding by 1%.
- Mining and electricity sector contracted by 4.3% and 3.7% respectively (as shown in table 1).
- Amongst Use Based, highest growth was observed in consumer durables (5.2%) while de-growth was in Consumer Non-Durables (-4.5%) and primary goods (-2.6%) (as shown in table 2).
- Capital goods faced the sharpest decline from 11.8% to 0.7% in August'24.



Chart 1: IIP- Aug 2024



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Table 1: IIP growth % (Sector-wise)

| Component | Weight | Aug'23 | July'24 | Aug'24 | Apr- Aug'23 | Apr- Aug'24 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|---------|--------|----------------|----------------|
| Mining | 14.37% | 12.3 | 3.8 | -4.3 | 8.3 | 4.8 |
| Manufacturing | 77.63% | 10.0 | 4.4 | 1.0 | 6.0 | 3.6 |
| Electricity | 7.99% | 15.3 | 7.9 | -3.7 | 5.4 | 7.1 |
| IIP Index -General | 100.0% | 10.9 | 4.7 | -0.1 | 6.2 | 4.2 |

Table 2: IIP growth % (Usage-wise)

| Component | Weight | Aug'23 | July'24 | Aug'24 | Apr- Aug'23 | Apr- Aug'24 |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|---------|--------|----------------|----------------|
| Primary Goods | 34.05% | 12.4 | 5.9 | -2.6 | 6.1 | 4.8 |
| Capital Goods | 8.22% | 13.1 | 11.8 | 0.7 | 6.7 | 4.3 |
| Intermediate Goods | 17.22% | 7.4 | 6.4 | 3.0 | 4.2 | 3.9 |
| Infra/Construction Goods | 12.34% | 15.7 | 4.6 | 1.9 | 13.6 | 5.9 |
| Consumer Durables | 12.84% | 6.0 | 8.3 | 5.2 | -1.2 | 9.0 |
| Consumer Non- Durables | 15.33% | 9.9 | -4.3 | -4.5 | 7.7 | -2.0 |

Views:

- Decline in IIP can be attributed to heavy rainfall in August adversely impacting mining activities along with a higher base.
- A broad way recovery in the private consumption remains crucial for the industry activity to pick up going forward. It must be highlighted that in Q1GDP data for FY'25, the recovery in private consumption expenditure compared to last year abodes well for future.
- Owing to good monsoon, private consumption is expected to get further boost due to improvement in Kharif sowing.
- With festive season round the corner recovery in private consumption expenditure is expected to improve, stimulating manufacturing which hold the highest weightage of 77.63%.

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