

# Monthly Survey of Manufacturing: Flash estimate, January 2022

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Given the rapidly evolving economic situation, Statistics Canada is providing an advance estimate of sales in the manufacturing sector for January. Advance results for January indicate that manufacturing sales rose 1.3%, largely driven by higher sales in the petroleum and coal product, wood product, as well as beverage and tobacco industries.

This estimate was calculated based on a weighted response rate of 71.7%. The average final response rate for the survey over the previous 12 months has been 94.1%. As Statistics Canada continues to collect data for the January reference month, this early indicator is subject to a higher revision rate than our regular monthly release.

## Note to readers

*The percentage change is calculated using seasonally adjusted data in current dollars.*

*This flash estimate is a special product published in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic to provide Canadians with timely information on the manufacturing sector. The official estimate of manufacturing sales for the month of January 2022, which will be based on a more complete set of survey and administrative data, is scheduled for release on March 15, 2022.*

## Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2101.

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