# **Central Bank of Nigeria**



# Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI) Survey Report

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# **PURCHASING MANAGERS' INDEX (PMI) MARCH 2019 REPORT**

#### 1.0 Introduction

The March 2019 PMI survey was conducted by the Statistics Department of the Central Bank of Nigeria during the period March 11-15, 2019. The respondents were purchasing and supply executives of manufacturing and non-manufacturing organizations in all 36 states in Nigeria and the Federal Capital Territory (FCT). The Bank makes no representation regarding the individual companies, other than the information they have provided. The data contained herein further provides input for policy decisions.

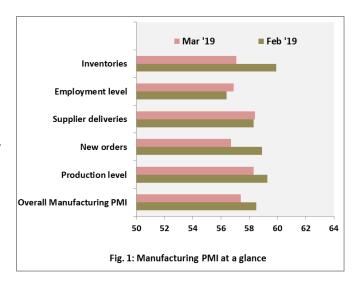
### 1.1 Data and Method of Presentation

The Manufacturing and Non-Manufacturing PMI Report on businesses is based on survey responses, indicating the changes in the level of business activities in the current month compared with the preceding month. For each of the indicators measured, this report shows the diffusion index of the responses. The diffusion index is computed as the percentage of responses with positive change plus half of the percentage of those reporting no change, except for supplier delivery time, which is computed as the percentage of responses with negative change plus half of the percentage of those reporting no change. The composite PMI for the manufacturing sector is computed as the weighted average of five diffusion indices, namely: production level, level of new orders, suppliers' delivery time, employment level and raw materials inventory/work in progress, with assigned weights of 25%, 30%, 15%, 10% and 20%, respectively. The composite PMI for the non-manufacturing sector is computed from four diffusion indices, namely: business activity, level of new orders, employment level and raw materials inventory, with equal weights of 25% each.

A composite PMI above 50 points indicates that the manufacturing/non-manufacturing economy is generally expanding, 50 points indicates no change and below 50 points indicates that it is generally contracting. The subsectors reporting growth are listed in the order of highest to lowest growth, while those reporting contraction are listed in the order of the highest to the lowest contraction.

#### 2.0 Manufacturing PMI Report

Production level, supplier delivery time, employment level and inventories grew at a faster rate while new orders grew at a slower rate in March 2019



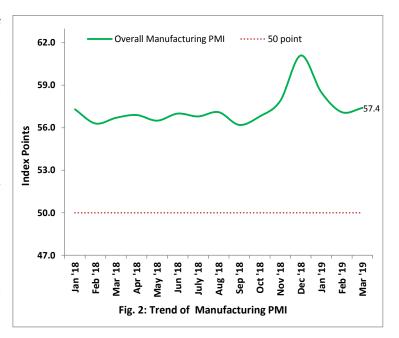
The Manufacturing PMI in the month of March stood at 57.4 index points, indicating expansion in the manufacturing sector for the twentyfourth consecutive month (Fig. 2 and Table 1). The index grew at a faster rate when compared to the index in the previous month. Eleven of the 14 subsectors surveyed reported growth in the review month in the following order: cement; food, beverage & tobacco products; fabricated metal products; furniture & related products; paper products; chemical & pharmaceutical products; plastics & rubber products; electrical equipment; printing & related activities; support transportation equipment and nonmetallic mineral products. The Textile, apparel, leather & footwear; Petroleum & coal products and primary metal subsectors recorded decline in the review period.

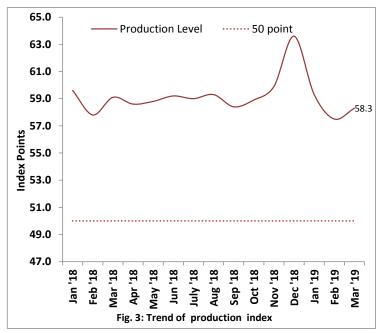
#### 2.1 Production Level

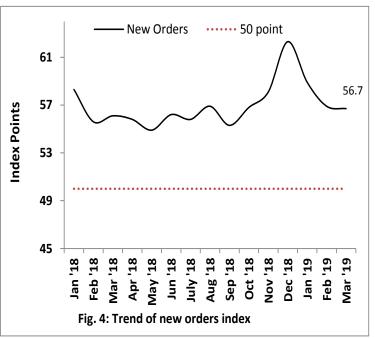
At 58.3 points, the production level index for the manufacturing sector grew for the twenty-fifth consecutive month in March 2019. The index indicated a faster growth in the current month, when compared to its level in the month of February 2019. Nine of the 14 manufacturing subsectors recorded increased production level, while 5 recorded decline (Fig. 3 and Table 2).

#### 2.2 New Orders

At 56.7 points, the new orders index grew for the twenty-fourth consecutive month, indicating increase in new orders in March 2019. Eight subsectors reported growth, 4 remained unchanged, while 2 contracted in the review month (Fig. 4 and Table 3).







## 2.3 Supplier Delivery Time

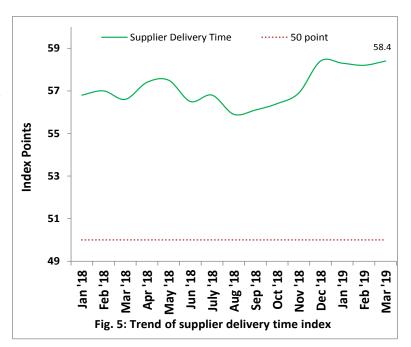
The manufacturing supplier delivery time index stood at 58.4 points in March 2019, indicating faster supplier delivery time. The index has recorded growth for twenty-second consecutive months. Eleven of the 14 subsectors recorded improved suppliers' delivery time, while 1 remained unchanged and 2 recorded decline in the review period (Fig. 5 and Table 4).

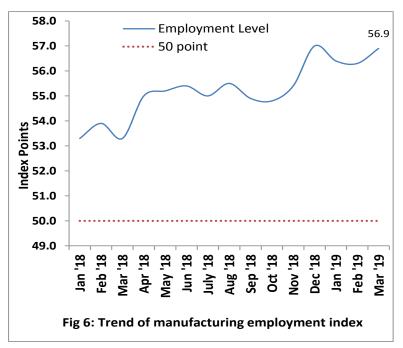
### 2.4 Employment Level

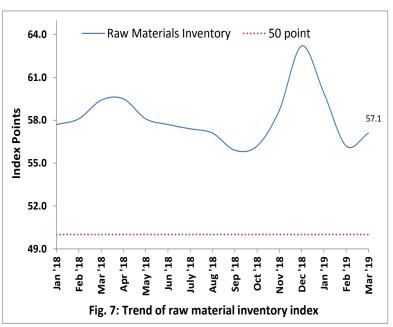
The employment level index for March 2019 stood at 56.9 points, indicating growth in employment level for the twenty-third consecutive month. Of the 14 subsectors, 9 reported employment increased level, reported unchanged employment level while 4 reported decreased employment in the review month (Fig. 6 and Table 5).

#### 2.5 Raw material Inventories

The Manufacturing sector inventories index grew for the twenty-fourth consecutive month in March 2019. At 57.1 points, the index grew at a faster rate when compared to its level in February 2019. Eight of the 14 subsectors recorded growth, 3 recorded unchanged, while 3 reported declined raw material inventories in the review month (Fig. 7 and Table 6).



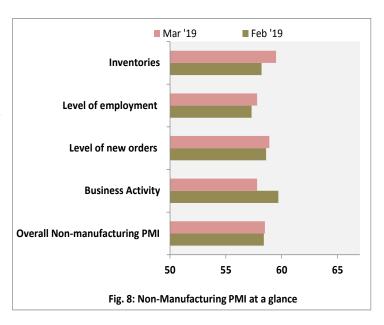


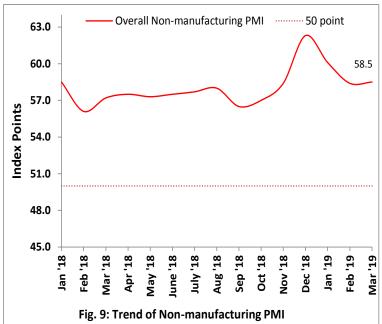


### 3.0 Non-Manufacturing PMI Report

New orders, employment level and inventories grew at a faster rate, while Business activity grew at a slower rate in March 2019

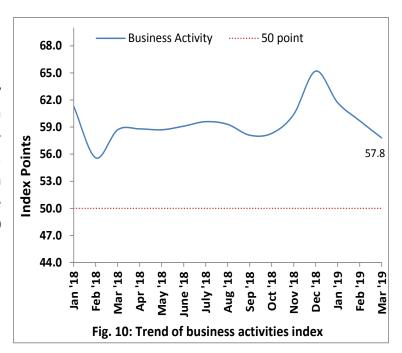
The composite PMI for the non-manufacturing sector stood at 58.5 points in March 2019, indicating expansion in the Non-manufacturing PMI for the twenty-third consecutive month. The index grew at a faster rate when compared to that in February 2019. Fourteen of the 17 surveyed subsectors recorded growth in the following order: utilities; health care & social assistance; agriculture; information & communication; real estate, rental & leasing; repair, maintenance/washing of motor vehicles; construction; educational services; wholesale trade; finance & insurance; electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply; professional, scientific, & technical services; accommodation & food services and water supply, sewage & waste management. The transportation & warehousing remained unchanged management of companies entertainment & recreation declined (Fig. 9 and Table 7).





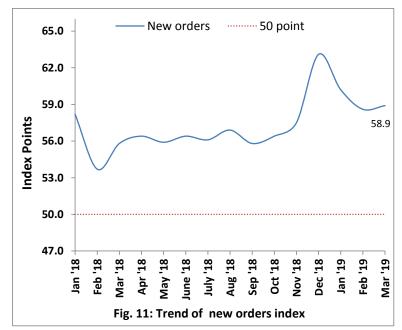
#### 3.1 Business Activity

At 57.8 points, the business activity index grew for the twenty-fourth consecutive month at a slower rate, indicating contraction in non-manufacturing business activity in March 2019. Thirteen subsectors recorded growth in business activity, 1 remained unchanged while 3 recorded decline in the review month (Fig 10 Table 8).



#### 3.2 New Orders

At 58.9 points, new orders index grew for the twenty-fourth consecutive month in March 2019. Of the 17 subsectors, 13 recorded growth in new orders, while 1 remained unchanged and 3 recorded decline in the review month (Fig 11 Table 9).



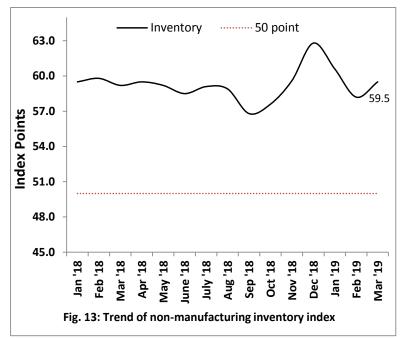
# 3.3 Employment Level

The employment level Index for the non-manufacturing sector stood at 59.5 points, indicating growth in employment for the twenty-third consecutive month. Fourteen subsectors recorded growth in employment level while 3 declined in the review period (Fig 12 Table 10).



# 3.4 Non-manufacturing Inventory

At 59.5 points, non-manufacturing inventory index grew for the twentythird consecutive month, indicating growth in inventories in the review period. Of the seventeen surveyed subsectors, 15 recorded higher while inventories, 1 remained unchanged and 1 recorded declined inventories in March 2019 (Fig 13 Table 11).



#### **APPENDICES**

**Table 1: Details of Overall Manufacturing PMI** 

Index	February 2019 Index*	March 2019 Index*	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend** (Months)
Composite PMI \1	57.1	57.4	0.3	Growing	Faster	24
Production level	57.5	58.3	0.8	Growing	Faster	25
New orders	56.9	56.7	-0.2	Growing	Slower	24
Supplier delivery time	58.2	58.4	0.2	Growing	Faster	22
Employment level	56.3	56.9	0.6	Growing	Faster	23
Raw materials/WIP Inventory	56.2	57.1	0.9	Growing	Faster	24
New Export Orders	39.7	47.9	8.2	Declining	Slower	49
Output Prices	53.7	62.3	8.6	Growing	Faster	39
Input Prices	60.9	57.6	-3.3	Growing	Slower	57
Quantity of Purchases	52.1	51.8	-0.3	Growing	Slower	6
Outstanding Business/Backlog of Work	44.1	47.6	3.5	Declining	Slower	16
Stock of Finished Goods	55.4	60.7	5.3	Growing	Faster	12
Manufacturing Sub-Sectors						
Cement	54.2	64.2	10.0	Growing	Faster	6
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	56.5	57.6	1.1	Growing	Faster	14
Electrical equipment	70.4	53.3	-17.1	Growing	Slower	14
Fabricated metal products	53.2	61.3	8.1	Growing	Faster	9
Food, beverage & tobacco products	58.7	61.7	3.0	Growing	Faster	30
Furniture & related products	55.6	59.1	3.5	Growing	Faster	10
Nonmetallic mineral products	56.7	52.4	-4.3	Growing	Slower	10
Paper products	51.4	58.0	6.6	Growing	Faster	6
Petroleum & coal products	74.2 59.9	48.1 55.5	-26.1 -4.4	Declining	From Expansion Slower	1
Plastics & rubber products Primary metal	59.9 45.8	55.5 49.5	-4.4 3.7	Growing Declining	Slower	8 2
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Printing & related support activities	55.0	53.3	-1.7	Growing	Slower	12
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear Transportation equipment	57.5 64.9	47.0 53.1	-10.5 -11.8	Declining Growing	From Expansion Slower	1 7

<sup>\1</sup> The composite PMI is a weighted average of the following diffusion indices: production level, new orders, supplier deliveries, employment level and inventories. The weights assigned to these variables are 25%, 30%, 15%, 10% and 20% respectively.

**Table 2: Details of Production PMI** 

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
PRODUCTION PMI	57.5	58.3	0.8	Growing	Faster	25
Cement	50.0	75.0	25.0	Growing	From No Change	1
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	56.9	64.7	7.8	Growing	Faster	14
Electrical equipment	78.6	41.7	-36.9	Declining	From Expansion	1
Fabricated metal products	50.0	65.2	15.2	Growing	From No Change	1
Food, beverage & tobacco products	61.6	61.2	-0.4	Growing	Slower	30
Furniture & related products	57.4	63.0	5.6	Growing	Faster	10
Nonmetallic mineral products	53.8	53.1	-0.7	Growing	Slower	9
Paper products	38.9	66.7	27.8	Growing	From Contraction	1
Petroleum & coal products	100.0	37.5	-62.5	Declining	From Expansion	1
Plastics & rubber products	64.0	53.6	-10.4	Growing	Slower	8
Primary metal	41.7	42.3	0.6	Declining	Slower	2
Printing & related support activities	54.5	55.3	0.8	Growing	Faster	12
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear	50.0	42.1	-7.9	Declining	From No Change	1
Transportation equipment	70.0	37.5	-32.5	Declining	From Expansion	1

<sup>\*</sup>The series index is a diffusion index defined as a weighted percentage of high, same and low with 1.0, 0.5 and 0.0 as weights respectively.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Number of month moving in current direction

**Table 3: Details of New Orders PMI** 

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
NEW ORDERS PMI	56.9	56.7	-0.2	Growing	Slower	24
Cement	58.3	50.0	-8.3	No Change	From Expansion	1
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	52.8	52.9	0.1	Growing	Faster	13
Electrical equipment	64.3	50.0	-14.3	No Change	From Expansion	1
Fabricated metal products	51.5	59.1	7.6	Growing	Faster	9
Food, beverage & tobacco products	60.4	62.6	2.2	Growing	Faster	30
Furniture & related products	59.3	56.5	-2.8	Growing	Slower	10
Nonmetallic mineral products	57.7	56.3	-1.4	Growing	Slower	2
Paper products	55.6	44.4	-11.2	Declining	From Expansion	1
Petroleum & coal products	50.0	50.0	0.0	No Change	Flat	2
Plastics & rubber products	56.0	57.1	1.1	Growing	Faster	5
Primary metal	41.7	50.0	8.3	No Change	From Contraction	1
Printing & related support activities	54.5	57.5	3.0	Growing	Faster	11
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear	60.0	42.1	-17.9	Declining	From Expansion	1
Transportation equipment	70.0	66.7	-3.3	Growing	Slower	2

Table 4: Details of Supplier Delivery Time PMI

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
SUPPLIER DELIVERY TIME PMI	58.2	58.4	0.2	Growing	Faster	22
Cement	66.7	58.3	-8.4	Growing	Slower	2
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	54.2	54.4	0.2	Growing	Faster	9
Electrical equipment	71.4	41.7	-29.7	Declining	From Expansion	1
Fabricated metal products	58.8	65.2	6.4	Growing	Faster	13
Food, beverage & tobacco products	52.7	54.0	1.3	Growing	Faster	9
Furniture & related products	63.0	65.2	2.2	Growing	Faster	4
Nonmetallic mineral products	65.4	59.4	-6.0	Growing	Slower	11
Paper products	66.7	66.7	0.0	Growing	Flat	10
Petroleum & coal products	83.3	25.0	-58.3	Declining	From Expansion	1
Plastics & rubber products	62.0	58.9	-3.1	Growing	Slower	10
Primary metal	58.3	57.7	-0.6	Growing	Slower	4
Printing & related support activities	59.1	72.5	13.4	Growing	Faster	6
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear	60.0	65.8	5.8	Growing	Faster	19
Transportation equipment	62.5	50.0	-12.5	No Change	From Expansion	1

Table 5: Details of Employment Level PMI

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
EMPLOYMENT LEVEL PMI	56.3	56.9	0.6	Growing	Faster	23
Cement	50.0	66.7	16.7	Growing	From No Change	1
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	63.9	61.8	-2.1	Growing	Slower	14
Electrical equipment	71.4	58.3	-13.1	Growing	Slower	4
Fabricated metal products	54.4	57.6	3.2	Growing	Faster	5
Food, beverage & tobacco products	56.7	65.8	9.1	Growing	Faster	11
Furniture & related products	46.3	47.8	1.5	Declining	Slower	2
Nonmetallic mineral products	50.0	37.5	-12.5	Declining	From No Change	1
Paper products	50.0	55.6	5.6	Growing	From No Change	1
Petroleum & coal products	66.7	75.0	8.3	Growing	Faster	2
Plastics & rubber products	60.0	50.0	-10.0	No Change	From Expansion	1
Primary metal	50.0	57.7	7.7	Growing	From No Change	1
Printing & related support activities	56.8	40.0	-16.8	Declining	From Expansion	1
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear	60.0	44.7	-15.3	Declining	From Expansion	1
Transportation equipment	50.0	62.5	12.5	Growing	From No Change	1

Table 6: Details of Raw Materials Inventory PMI

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
RAW MATERIALS INVENTORY PMI	56.2	57.1	0.9	Growing	Faster	24
Cement	41.7	83.3	41.6	Growing	From Contraction	1
Chemical & pharmaceutical products	55.6	50.0	-5.6	No Change	From Expansion	1
Electrical equipment	64.3	100.0	35.7	Growing	Faster	3
Fabricated metal products	55.9	60.0	4.1	Growing	Faster	6
Food, beverage & tobacco products	59.8	63.6	3.8	Growing	Faster	30
Furniture & related products	48.1	70.0	21.9	Growing	From Contraction	1
Nonmetallic mineral products	61.5	58.3	-3.2	Growing	Slower	6
Paper products	50.0	68.8	18.8	Growing	From No Change	1
Petroleum & coal products	83.3	50.0	-33.3	No Change	From Expansion	1
Plastics & rubber products	58.3	61.4	3.1	Growing	Faster	8
Primary metal	41.7	37.5	-4.2	Declining	Faster	2
Printing & related support activities	47.7	33.3	-14.4	Declining	Faster	3
Textile, apparel, leather & footwear	60.0	50.0	-10.0	No Change	From Expansion	1
Transportation equipment	70.0	37.5	-32.5	Declining	From Expansion	1

Table 7: Non-Manufacturing at a Glance

	February	March			Rate	
Index	2019	2019	Difference	Direction	of	Trend
	Index	Index			Change	(Months)
Composite PMI \1	58.4	58.5	0.1	Growing	Faster	23
Business Activity	59.7	57.8	-1.9	Growing	Slower	24
Level of new orders/customers/incoming business	58.6	58.9	0.3	Growing	Faster	24
Employment Level	57.3	57.8	0.5	Growing	Faster	23
Inventory	58.2	59.5	1.3	Growing	Faster	23
Average price of Inputs (volume weighted)	50.3	50.5	0.2	Growing	Faster	41
Level of outstanding business/ Backlog of work	38.8	40.3	1.5	Declining	Slower	57
New Exports orders	36.2	39.4	3.2	Declining	Slower	57
Imports	42.2	38.7	-3.5	Declining	Faster	57
Inventory (sentiments)	44.6	44.2	-0.4	Declining	Faster	57
Non-manufacturing sub-sectors						
Accommodation & food services	54.9	54.9	0.0	Growing	Flat	9
Agriculture	55.8	63.7	7.9	Growing	Faster	34
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	68.5	48.2	-20.3	Declining	From Expansion	1
Construction	54.1	61.4	7.3	Growing	Faster	6
Educational services	60.1	59.3	-0.8	Growing	Slower	9
Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	55.9	56.6	0.7	Growing	Faster	5
Finance & insurance	62.8	56.8	-6.0	Growing	Slower	25
Health care & social assistance	57.2	64.4	7.2	Growing	Faster	23
Information & communication	62.9	62.5	-0.4	Growing	Slower	24
Management of companies	70.8	37.5	-33.3	Declining	From Expansion	1
Professional, scientific, & technical services	53.1	56.6	3.5	Growing	Faster	5
Real estate rental & leasing	59.8	62.2	2.4	Growing	Faster	13
Repair, Maintenance/Washing Of Motor Vehicles	60.7	61.6	0.9	Growing	Faster	10
Transportation & warehousing	58.1	50.0	-8.1	No Change	From Expansion	1
Utilities	63.5	71.4	7.9	Growing	Faster	4
Water supply, sewage & waste management	53.0	53.1	0.1	Growing	Faster	5
Wholesale/Retail trade	59.3	57.2	-2.1	Growing	Slower	22

<sup>\1</sup> The composite PMI is a simple average of the following diffusion (series) indices: business activity, new orders, employment level and inventories

Table 8: Business activity at a Glance

Index	February March Index 2019 2019 Difference Index Index		Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)	
BUSINESS ACTIVITY PMI	59.7	57.8	-1.9	Growing	Slower	24
Accommodation & food services	53.9	52.7	-1.2	Growing	Slower	9
Agriculture	59.1	60.5	1.4	Growing	Faster	34
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	71.4	50.0	-21.4	No Change	From Expansion	1
Construction	55.0	64.3	9.3	Growing	Faster	5
Educational services	65.9	56.3	-9.6	Growing	Slower	19
Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	50.0	52.9	2.9	Growing	From No Change	1
Finance & insurance	68.2	56.3	-11.9	Growing	Slower	24
Health care & social assistance	52.8	64.3	11.5	Growing	Faster	6
Information & communication	70.8	63.5	-7.3	Growing	Slower	24
Management of companies	75.0	25.0	-50.0	Declining	From Expansion	1
Professional, scientific, & technical services	52.5	44.1	-8.4	Declining	From Expansion	1
Real estate rental & leasing	63.3	63.3	0.0	Growing	Flat	11
Repair, Maintenance/Washing Of Motor Vehicles.	67.9	60.7	-7.2	Growing	Slower	6
Transportation & warehousing	64.7	52.6	-12.1	Growing	Slower	5
Utilities	62.5	64.3	1.8	Growing	Faster	4
Water supply, sewage & waste management	41.7	43.8	2.1	Declining	Slower	2
Wholesale/Retail trade	57.9	61.2	3.3	Growing	Faster	9

**Table 9: New Orders at a Glance** 

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
NEW ORDERS PMI	58.6	58.9	0.3	Growing	Faster	24
Accommodation & food services	56.6	51.9	-4.7	Growing	Slower	9
Agriculture	47.0	70.3	23.3	Growing	From Contraction	1
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	78.6	50.0	-28.6	No Change	From Expansion	1
Construction	51.3	61.4	10.1	Growing	Faster	5
Educational services	60.2	62.5	2.3	Growing	Faster	9
Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	55.9	47.1	-8.8	Declining	From Expansion	1
Finance & insurance	64.9	59.8	-5.1	Growing	Slower	25
Health care & social assistance	58.5	66.7	8.2	Growing	Faster	6
Information & communication	65.3	63.5	-1.8	Growing	Slower	24
Management of companies	75.0	25.0	-50.0	Declining	From Expansion	1
Professional, scientific, & technical services	60.0	58.8	-1.2	Growing	Slower	5
Real estate rental & leasing	51.1	63.3	12.2	Growing	Faster	5
Repair, Maintenance/Washing Of Motor Vehicles	60.7	57.1	-3.6	Growing	Slower	6
Transportation & warehousing	58.8	47.4	-11.4	Declining	From Expansion	1
Utilities	62.5	78.6	16.1	Growing	Faster	4
Water supply, sewage & waste management	45.5	62.5	17.0	Growing	From Contraction	1
Wholesale/Retail trade	60.7	55.7	-5.0	Growing	Slower	22

**Table 10: Employment at a Glance** 

Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
EMPLOYMENT LEVEL PMI	57.3	57.8	0.5	Growing	Faster	23
Accommodation & food services	52.7	57.6	4.9	Growing	Faster	7
Agriculture	62.1	59.2	-2.9	Growing	Slower	23
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	57.1	42.9	-14.2	Declining	From Expansion	1
Construction	55.0	62.9	7.9	Growing	Faster	6
Educational services	71.6	60.0	-11.6	Growing	Slower	9
Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	50.0	58.8	8.8	Growing	From No Change	1
Finance & insurance	58.9	54.3	-4.6	Growing	Slower	22
Health care & social assistance	57.6	59.9	2.3	Growing	Faster	22
Information & communication	56.9	61.5	4.6	Growing	Faster	6
Management of companies	50.0	25.0	-25.0	Declining	From No Change	1
Professional, scientific, & technical services	52.6	67.6	15.0	Growing	Faster	5
Real estate rental & leasing	56.7	55.6	-1.1	Growing	Slower	10
Repair, Maintenance/Washing Of Motor Vehicles	53.6	64.3	10.7	Growing	Faster	17
Transportation & warehousing	55.9	38.9	-17.0	Declining	From Expansion	1
Utilities	62.5	78.6	16.1	Growing	Faster	3
Water supply, sewage & waste management	66.7	62.5	-4.2	Growing	Slower	4
Wholesale/Retail trade	56.7	57.9	1.2	Growing	Faster	10

**Table 11: Inventory at a Glance** 

Table 11. Inventory at a Glance						
Index	February 2019 Index	March 2019 Index	Difference	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend (Months)
INVENTORY PMI	58.2	59.5	1.3	Growing	Faster	23
Accommodation & food services	56.5	57.4	0.9	Growing	Faster	9
Agriculture	54.8	64.9	10.1	Growing	Faster	6
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	66.7	50.0	-16.7	No Change	From Expansion	1
Construction	55.3	57.1	1.8	Growing	Faster	9
Educational services	42.5	58.5	16.0	Growing	From Contraction	1
Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	67.6	67.6	0.0	Growing	Flat	6
Finance & insurance	59.1	56.8	-2.3	Growing	Slower	14
Health care & social assistance	60.0	66.9	6.9	Growing	Faster	23
Information & communication	58.6	61.5	2.9	Growing	Faster	11
Management of companies	83.3	75.0	-8.3	Growing	Slower	2
Professional, scientific, & technical services	47.4	55.9	8.5	Growing	From Contraction	1
Real estate rental & leasing	68.2	66.7	-1.5	Growing	Slower	13
Repair, Maintenance/Washing Of Motor Vehicles	60.7	64.3	3.6	Growing	Faster	6
Transportation & warehousing	53.1	61.1	8.0	Growing	Faster	2
Utilities	66.7	64.3	-2.4	Growing	Slower	8
Water supply, sewage & waste management	58.3	43.8	-14.5	Declining	From Expansion	1
Wholesale/Retail trade	61.8	54.0	-7.8	Growing	Slower	20

**Table 12: Manufacturing PMI Data Series** 

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Month	COMPOSITE	Production Level	New Orders	Supplier Delivery Time	Employment Level	Raw Materials Inventory	New Export Orders	Output Prices	Input Prices	Quantity of Purchases	Backlog of Work	Stock of Finished Goods
Jul '14	51.3	55.2	53.0	46.4	46.9	52.9	43.6	50.6	54.2	53.3	46.4	47.2
Aug '14	49.7	49.7	51.2	49.9	45.9	52.2	40.8	48.6	52.7	50.8	45.4	48.6
Sep '14	54.0	57.4	57.6	46.4	49.3	55.7	45.4	49.3	52.9	55.1	46.9	49.8
Oct '14	51.9	55.1	55.3	46.2	46.8	52.4	45.9	49.7	56.7	57.1	50.5	51.7
Nov '14	52.2	55.1	56.9	45.1	47.2	51.7	46.0	53.3	60.9	56.0	50.0	47.6
Dec '14	49.8	51.2	51.1	49.7	46.8	48.4	44.6	53.6	56.3	51.4	47.5	51.1
Jan '15	50.2	50.4	49.3	51.3	51.1	49.3	47.7	48.7	55.6	52.5	48.8	45.5
Feb '15	53.0	57.4	54.7	43.8	50.0	56.4	50.1	54.0	60.9	58.0	50.7	53.7
Mar '15	48.9	52.1	48.9	47.8	46.4	47.1	38.1	50.1	56.4	48.7	44.5	46.5
Apr '15	52.0	56.9	54.1	42.7	48.9	53.9	43.0	50.2	54.4	53.0	48.3	48.7
May '15	49.4	53.6	49.7	44.6	48.0	48.0	36.9	51.6	59.0	50.5	44.9	45.6
Jun '15	49.5	51.5	50.8	42.0	48.5	53.3	40.0	49.2	56.7	53.0	45.3	49.3
Jul '15	47.8	49.7	46.2	43.5	48.4	52.6	40.1	47.9	55.0	51.7	45.2	45.3
Aug '15	48.4	51.0	50.1	43.1	44.8	52.4	37.6	49.0	53.1	50.2	43.7	46.1
Sep '15	50.7	54.9	52.1	46.8	47.1	49.0	40.3	47.5	52.8	51.0	42.5	43.2
Oct '15	49.2	52.0	49.3	42.7	48.4	53.1	39.8	49.1	53.8	48.3	45.6	46.8
Nov '15	51.2	55.4	52.9	47.3	45.5	52.2	38.7	46.2	52.8	51.0	46.0	46.9
Dec '15	51.2	55.4	52.7	45.2	47.5	52.7	38.0	48.6	56.5	54.5	45.1	46.4
Jan 16	47.2	49.3	46.2	48.4	46.0	45.8	38.3	52.6	56.7	49.9	44.2	46.3
Feb '16	45.5	45.0	43.0	52.8	45.0	44.7	39.2	53.0	57.0	42.8	38.5	44.4
Mar '16	45.9	46.6	43.0	50.6	45.5	47.1	37.8	56.4	60.9	41.6	41.2	43.8
Apr '16	43.7	42.7	41.8	52.2	42.0	43.0	36.3	63.9	67.8	43.6	42.6	41.6
May '16	45.8	47.9	42.7	50.2	45.7	43.9	38.7	59.6	68.4	42.7	37.0	40.1
Jun '16	41.9	40.2	37.0	55.6	42.2	39.4	35.3	61.4	70.0	39.0	40.2	36.0
Jul '16	44.1	43.0	42.4	51.7	43.8	41.4	38.5	60.8	64.2	41.6	41.9	39.0
Aug '16	42.1	40.5	37.5	57.4	40.4	40.0	31.2	64.1	69.8	39.9	38.3	38.3
Sep '16	42.5	40.9	38.7	55.6	41.2	40.9	26.3	66.5	74.0	42.8	37.1	42.4
Oct '16	44.1	42.3	40.3	57.7	42.2	42.9	37.3	65.2	71.8	43.5	39.2	39.9
Nov '16	46.0	46.9	45.1	53.2	40.6	46.1	39.6	65.7	71.2	48.1	45.2	42.0
Dec '16	52.0	57.6	51.8	47.9	48.6	51.6	37.2	70.4	73.2	52.7	45.3	48.5
Jan '17	48.2	51.3	47.9	48.5	45.3	46.3	33.1	67.9	71.4	48.4	43.6	46.9
Feb '17	44.6	45.2	44.0	48.7	41.7	44.8	38.4	69.9	70.9	47.7	43.2	43.9
Mar '17	47.7	50.8	45.6	51.3	43.6	49.1	38.5	65.0	68.3	50.1	43.6	45.1
Apr '17	51.1	58.5	50.1	47.5	46.6	50.6	37.7	65.1	69.2	45.1	40.0	46.4
May '17	52.5	58.7	50.5	49.9	50.7	50.8	37.6	61.3	68.4	46.1	42.3	51.8
June '17	52.9	58.2	51.0	50.3	51.1	52.3	32.6	62.7	66.6	46.2	43.9	49.1
July '17	54.1	59.3	52.7	51.3	51.8	53.6	37.5	60.4	64.1	48.0	42.1	48.5
Aug '17	53.6	57.4	52.3	52.0	51.5	54.9	36.7	58.8	64.9	49.0	47.9	51.6
Sep '17	55.3	58.8	53.5	55.4	52.8	56.4	30.4	58.2	65.7	49.4	51.9	50.4
Oct '17	55.0	58.4	52.8	55.5	53.1	56.5	35.5	55.4	62.7	49.6	50.8	50.0
Nov '17	55.9	59.3	54.3	56.0	53.7	57.1	37.6	54.0	64.3	48.1	50.0	48.8
Dec '17	59.3	63.2	60.0	57.4	53.9	61.1	40.2	54.3	63.4	53.6	45.7	47.4
Jan '18	57.3	59.6	58.3	56.8	53.3	57.7	35.1	55.0	63.3	49.1	42.9	45.4
Feb '18	56.3	57.8	55.6	57.0	53.9	58.1	42.0	55.9	65.4	54.3	37.6	53.3
Mar '18	56.7	59.1	56.1	56.6	53.3	59.4	36.4	52.1	61.1	54.1	42.1	48.7
Apr '18	56.9	58.6	55.8	57.4	55.0	59.5	37.6	51.3	62.4	52.9	41.4	51.1
May '18	56.5	58.8	54.9	57.5	55.2	58.1	40.1	53.9	61.8	50.8	38.5	55.8
June '18	57.0	59.2	56.2	56.5	55.4	57.7	37.6		61.9	47.6		51.1
July '18	56.8	59.0		56.8	55.0	57.4	39.4	52.3	60.7	51.1	40.7	51.3
Aug '18	57.1	59.3	56.9	55.9	55.5	57.1	39.7	50.1	59.3	50.1	43.1	50.7
Sep '18	56.2	58.4	55.3	56.1	54.9	55.9	37.1	52.4	57.5	49.4	42.2	50.5
Oct '18	56.8	58.9	56.8	56.4	54.8	56.2	39.9	51.2	56.7	50.9	39.6	51.5
Nov '18	57.9	59.9	58.1	56.9	55.4	58.7	41.2	51.9	57.8	52.2	40.0	53.8
Dec '18	61.1	63.6	62.3	58.4	57.0	63.2	42.1	51.6	61.3	56.1	41.7	50.6
Jan '19	58.5	59.3	58.9	58.3	56.4	59.9	41.4	52.5	62.2	52.5	42.1	52.3
Feb '19	57.1	57.5	56.9	58.2	56.3	56.2	39.7	53.7	60.9	52.1	44.1	55.4
Mar '19	57.4	58.3	56.7	58.4	56.9	57.1	47.9		57.6	51.8	47.6	
iviai 19	37.4	30.3	30.7	50.4	30.9	3/.1	47.9	02.3	37.0	31.8	47.0	00.7

**Table 13: Non-Manufacturing PMI Data Series** 

Table 15.	ivon-ivia	iiuiactui	ilig Pivii L	ata Serie	:5					
Month	COMPOSITE	Business Activity	New orders	Employment Level	Inventory	Average Input Price	Backlog of Work	New Exports Orders	Imports	Inventories (sentiment)
			_			-			_	
Jul '14	55.0	58.9	55.9	50.2	55.2	54.0	46.2	44.0	47.3	47.8
Aug '14	58.9	60.6	59.8	58.3	57.0	56.1	47.0	46.1	46.4	48.1
Sep '14	54.7	57.1	57.5	49.9	54.3	52.8	46.2	40.7	45.2	47.6
Oct '14	57.3	59.6	59.4	53.9	56.4	53.3	46.4	40.8	44.9	43.8
Nov '14	59.6	62.5	63.6	57.9	54.6	57.3	49.6	45.2	47.5	48.1
Dec '14	53.8	56.2	56.0	51.4	51.5	54.5	45.6	43.6	46.5	43.8
Jan '15	50.6	48.8	50.4	51.2	51.9	48.8	43.2	41.1	44.3	47.0
Feb '15	54.0	54.2	54.7	52.5	54.5	54.1	46.0	43.0	44.6	46.1
Mar '15	48.6	49.7	51.1	45.6	48.0	49.8	46.5	39.9	44.2	40.2
Apr '15	53.7	58.2	56.8	49.1	50.8	51.5	46.6	41.1	44.5	43.0
May '15	51.7	52.9	53.1	49.7	51.1	51.3	44.1	37.2	39.1	44.3
Jun '15	50.1	51.5	50.3	46.4	52.0	48.5	44.4	36.9	40.4	42.7
Jul '15	50.0	50.4	51.4	48.6	49.5	50.3	43.8	39.1	39.2	44.0
Aug '15	50.7	52.3	52.4	48.0	50.1	50.7	43.0	39.8	38.3	44.0
Sep '15	50.1	52.1	52.3	47.0	49.1	48.7	44.5	42.9	41.4	45.9
Oct '15	51.9	54.2	54.1	49.3	50.1	49.9	43.9	40.3	42.4	45.2
Nov '15	49.6	52.9	51.6	45.6	48.5	51.8	42.8	37.7	39.0	41.8
Dec '15	53.4	55.9	56.4	50.0	51.5	54.7	47.0	41.9	42.7	47.2
Jan 16	46.9	46.2	46.4	47.0	47.9	57.3	44.3	36.2	39.0	41.6
Feb '16	44.3	43.7	42.0	44.5	47.1	53.6	39.6	37.5	36.6	43.6
Mar '16	45.4	46.3	44.7	43.9	46.5	58.5	43.8	34.3	35.0	41.1
Apr '16	44.3	44.2	42.2	43.3	47.6	62.2	43.1	31.8	33.1	39.8
May '16	44.3	44.3	41.3	44.6	46.9	62.9	38.1	33.2	35.0	40.3
Jun '16	42.3	40.2	39.6	42.5	47.1	60.7	39.6	33.2	34.7	38.5
Jul '16	43.2	42.8	42.3	41.9	45.8	60.4	38.6	30.0	32.7	38.0
Aug '16	43.7	43.6	42.0	41.4	47.7	60.8	39.4	32.9	34.2	39.4
Sep '16	41.0	39.9	40.0	40.3	43.9	63.1	39.6	28.6	30.2	37.9
Oct '16	43.4	43.0	42.7	41.5	46.4	65.3	40.9	32.8	33.8	38.7
Nov '16	42.8	43.0	42.3	40.2	45.5	66.8	42.4	30.8	34.0	41.1
Dec '16	47.1	48.2	46.9	43.8	49.5	64.0	41.5	33.8	35.5	41.6
Jan '17	49.4	50.6	49.4	45.6	52.0	65.6	43.6	32.5	36.1	45.5
Feb '17	44.5	45.4		42.6	44.9	65.4		33.4	34.5	
Mar '17	47.1	49.8		44.0	-	62.1		33.1	34.5	
Apr '17	49.5	53.3	50.5	45.5	48.6	63.1	41.6	29.2	33.2	41.1
May '17	52.7	56.2	53.2	50.2	51.4	62.7	45.3	31.6	34.1	43.6
June '17	54.2	57.0	54.6	53.4	51.8	58.6		30.3	33.5	42.7
July '17	54.4	56.8		54.0	51.9	58.1	42.9	32.0	36.8	41.5
Aug '17	54.1	56.1	53.5	54.4	52.3	54.5		34.5	34.8	42.0
Sep '17	54.9	56.8	55.4	54.7	52.9	56.9	42.2	31.2	35.9	44.2
Oct '17	55.3 57.6	57.5	55.7	54.4 54.6	53.4	56.4 55.7		29.6	35.4	38.9 40.6
Nov '17 Dec '17	57.6 62.1	59.4 67.4		54.6 55.7	58.0 62.9	55.7 56.1	43.6 44.6	28.8 34.6	33.3 39.1	40.6
Jan '18	58.5	61.3		55.7	59.5	56.1	44.6	34.6	35.1	40.3
								31.0	35.1	
Feb '18	56.1	55.6 59.7	53.7	55.3 55.1	59.8	52.8 50.3				40.3
Mar '18	57.2 57.5	58.7 58.8	55.8 56.4	55.1 55.3	59.2 59.5	50.3 50.3	42.9 41.5	39.0 34.2	38.5 34.9	44.1 45.0
Apr '18										
May '18 June '18	57.3 57.5	58.7 59.1	55.9 56.4	55.6 55.9	59.2 58.5	50.8 52.2	40.6	36.4 33.2	38.4 40.1	46.2 42.4
June 18 July '18	57.5 57.7	59.1	56.4	55.9 56.2	58.5 59.1	52.2	44.0	42.1	40.1	42.4 45.0
Aug '18	58.0	59.8	56.9	56.7	58.9	50.8		42.1	40.3	45.0 44.8
Sep '18	56.5	59.3	55.8	55.4	56.8	50.8	43.3	40.1	41.3	44.8
Oct '18	57.0	58.3	55.8 56.4	55.7	57.6	50.7	41.5	39.7	42.2	45.7 45.5
Nov '18	58.4	60.4	57.5	56.2	57.6 59.6	52.6	42.8	39.7	39.4	45.5 45.9
		65.2							41.3	
Dec '18	62.3		63.1	57.9	62.8 60.6	52.4 52.2		42.0	41.3	45.8 45.5
Jan '19	60.1	61.7	60.2	57.7	60.6	52.2 50.2	40.1	38.1		45.5
Feb '19	58.4	59.7	58.6	57.3	58.2	50.3	38.8	36.2	42.2	44.6
Mar '19	58.5	57.8	58.9	57.8	59.5	50.5	40.3	39.4	38.7	44.2