Introduction

The publication traditionally contains the results of production statistics collected via year questionnaire Prum 2-01, which is filled-in by all enterprises (both legal and natural persons) with prevailing industrial activity and employing 20 or more persons. Since 2000 the production survey is based on eight-digit PRODCOM nomenclature, more precisely on its ten-digit national version. Due to confidential data protection the complete results cannot be published. However, the following pages contain information on all non-confidential products with non-zero production.

Due to changes in the applied nomenclature and also with regard to the needs of long time series the publication is divided into two parts:

<u>**Part A**</u> contains the most recent (2008) total production and production sold data and their indices according to the list of products valid for the reference year ((CZ-PRODCOM 2008, which is the national version of PRODCOM 2008).

<u>Part B</u> presents long-term time series of selected word defined aggregates, which bridge changes in the used list of products.

The CZ-PRODCOM list, which is used for production survey and which is used in the part A of this publication, reflects the new system of economic classifications (NACE Rev.2/CPA 2008.) Its codes therefore differ from the PRODCZECH list, which has been used previously.Data of the year 2007 were originally surveyed according to the PRODCZECH list, which was based on NACE Rev 1.1/CPA 2002 classifications. Where possible the historical data were converted into the new nomenclature. At the same time their revision was carried out.

Symbol used in the tables:

- *i.d.* The figure cannot be published due to protection of individual data
- . The figure is not available
- *x* The figure is not applicable