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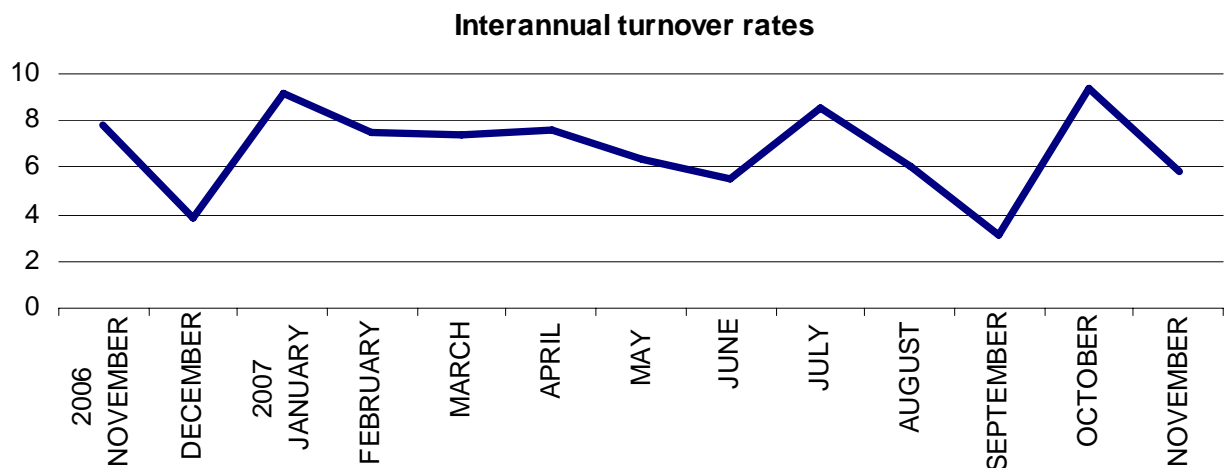
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The interannual rate of employed persons increases 2.0%

The market Services Sector turnover increased 5.8% in November as compared with the same month of 2006.

All sectors contributed to this growth. Services Rendered to Companies was the sector that experienced the largest growth, with an interannual rate of 9.1%. It was followed by Tourism (6.5%), Information Technologies (6.4%), Trade (5.5%) and Transport (4.6%) sectors.

In the area of Services Rendered to Companies, the most dynamic activities were Advertising (12.1%), Technical Services (11.1%) and Investigation and Security Services (10.7%). Of the remaining activities, it was worth noting the interannual growth experienced by the turnover rates for Information Technologies Services (13.0%).



Castilla y León and Extremadura register the highest interannual turnover growth rates

Castilla y León was the Autonomous Community that registered the highest interannual turnover growth during the month of November, with an interannual rate of 10.9%. It was followed by Extremadura, with an increase of 10.3%.

Conversely, Aragón (1.0%) and Cantabria (3.7%) presented the least growth in turnover.

The interannual employment rate increases 2.0%

Employment in the Services Sector experienced an interannual growth of 2.0% in November.

For yet another month, Services Rendered to Companies was the sector that registered the largest increase in employed personnel, with a rate of 3.0%. Within this sector, the growth in employment in Investigation and Security Services (7.3%) and in Advertising (4.5%) was especially noteworthy.

In the other sectors, employed personnel reached rates of 2.8% in Information Technologies, 2.5% in Transport, 1.5% in Trade and 1.3% in Tourism.

Principado de Asturias and Galicia register the highest increases in employed personnel

Principado de Asturias and Galicia were the Autonomous Communities that registered the highest increase in employed personnel in the Services Sector during the month of November, both with an interannual rate of 2.9%. It was followed by Extremadura, with an increase of 2.8%.

In contrast, the lowest growth rates in employment were observed in Región de Murcia, with an increase of 0.9%, and Comunitat Valenciana and in Canarias, both with an increase of 1.1%.

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1.1. Monthly turnover indices by sectors

	Index November	% variation on same period, previous year	
		Month	Accumulated Average
GENERAL INDEX	117.8	5.8	6.9
1. TRADE	118.8	5.5	6.7
Vehicles and automotive fuel	114.7	2.3	5.4
Wholesale trade	124.7	6.9	7.9
Retail trade	109.6	4.4	5.1
2. TOURISM	95.5	6.5	5.3
Hotels and restaurants	98.7	7.0	4.9
Travel agencies	85.2	4.7	6.5
3. TRANSPORT SERVICES	118.4	4.6	6.4
Land transport	119.3	4.9	5.8
Water transport	94.6	-4.1	1.8
Air transport	114.3	9.2	7.8
Supporting and auxiliary transport activities	119.4	3.9	6.9
Post and courier activities	120.3	1.4	6.6
4. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES	118.4	6.4	7.5
Telecommunications	105.1	1.7	3.3
Computer and related activities	133.3	13.0	13.7
Motion pictures and radio and television activities	138.1	9.3	11.3
5. BUSINESS SERVICES	125.9	9.1	10.1
Legal, accounting and auditing activities	119.6	9.3	10.7
Architectural and engineering activities	128.7	11.1	9.5
Advertising	136.5	12.1	10.3
Labour recruitment and provision of personnel	137.8	6.2	10.5
Investigation and security activities	127.4	10.7	11.9
Industrial cleaning	124.9	8.7	10.0
Miscellaneous business activities n.e.c.	115.8	2.8	8.7

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1.2. Monthly indices of persons employed by sectors

	Index November	% variation on same period, previous year	
		Month	Accumulated Average
GENERAL INDEX	105.8	2.0	2.6
1. TRADE	105.2	1.5	2.1
Vehicles and automotive fuel	103.5	1.5	1.6
Wholesale trade	107.1	1.4	2.8
Retail trade	104.3	1.6	1.8
2. TOURISM	99.9	1.3	1.2
Hotels and restaurants	99.7	1.3	1.2
Travel agencies	104.2	1.4	2.4
3. TRANSPORT SERVICES	106.0	2.5	2.8
Land transport	106.9	2.8	3.4
Water transport	101.4	0.6	3.4
Air transport	100.2	0.2	-0.9
Supporting and auxiliary transport activities	106.2	3.3	2.5
Post and courier activities	103.5	0.7	1.2
4. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES	107.9	2.8	3.0
Telecommunications	95.7	-2.9	-2.5
Computer and related activities	113.5	4.7	5.4
Motion pictures and radio and television activities	104.7	2.5	1.4
5. BUSINESS SERVICES	110.5	3.0	4.0
Legal, accounting and auditing activities	109.0	2.6	2.7
Architectural and engineering activities	111.6	4.3	5.1
Advertising	106.9	4.5	4.8
Labour recruitment and provision of personnel	118.4	0.7	5.4
Investigation and security activities	116.5	7.3	7.0
Industrial cleaning	109.6	4.0	4.2
Miscellaneous business activities n.e.c.	105.0	0.9	1.9

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1.3. General turnover indices by regions

	Index November	% variation on same period, previous year	
		Month	Accumulated Average
NATIONAL TOTAL	117.8	5.8	6.9
Andalucía	115.2	7.3	6.3
Aragón	117.4	1.0	6.3
Asturias (Principado de)	115.8	4.3	6.2
Balears (Illes)	88.5	6.7	5.4
Canarias	115.1	6.0	6.3
Cantabria	110.0	3.7	4.6
Castilla y León	120.8	10.9	8.1
Castilla-La Mancha	115.5	7.9	6.9
Cataluña	120.5	4.7	8.4
Comunitat Valenciana	115.8	6.3	6.0
Extremadura	117.1	10.3	6.9
Galicia	119.9	7.6	9.4
Madrid (Comunidad de)	119.9	5.2	6.0
Murcia (Región de)	117.9	6.8	5.8
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	120.8	6.6	8.9
País Vasco	119.6	4.5	7.4
Rioja (La)	121.9	5.4	9.4

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1.4. General indices of persons employed by regions

	Index November	% variation on same period, previous year	
		Month	Accumulated Average
NATIONAL TOTAL	105.8	2.0	2.6
Andalucía	105.7	2.5	3.2
Aragón	105.7	2.5	2.3
Asturias (Principado de)	106.0	2.9	3.1
Balears (Illes)	94.4	2.1	3.9
Canarias	104.0	2.4	1.8
Cantabria	105.5	1.4	2.1
Castilla y León	106.6	2.3	3.3
Castilla-La Mancha	104.8	1.9	1.9
Cataluña	105.0	2.1	2.2
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