<u>Table 1: Year-on-year percentage changes in the indices of industrial production</u>
<u>by industry group and selected component industry</u>
(Year 2000 = 100)

	% change		
Industry group / Selected component industry	3rd Qtr. 2007 compared with 3rd Qtr. 2006 (Revised)	4th Qtr. 2007 compared with 4th Qtr. 2006 (Provisional)	2007 compared with 2006 (Provisional)
1. Food, beverages and tobacco	+14.0	+9.1	+13.9
2. Wearing apparel (except footwear)	-20.6	+0.1	-20.1
3. Textiles (including knitting)	-16.4	+3.1	-8.1
4. Paper products and printing	+3.8	-0.4	+1.8
5. Chemical, rubber, plastic and non-metallic mineral products	+9.6	+4.1	+10.0
within which: Plastic products	(-12.2)	(-3.8)	(-8.1)
6. Basic metals and fabricated metal products	-8.6	-3.3	-1.7
within which: Fabricated metal products (except machinery and equipment)	(-7.7)	(-1.4)	(-1.3)
7. Electrical and electronic products, machinery, professional equipment and optical goods	-10.2	-14.4	-13.2
within which: Consumer electrical and electronic products	(-10.5)	(-4.7)	(-12.2)
Machinery, equipment, apparatus, parts and components	(-15.6)	(-16.3)	(-16.3)
8. Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	+5.2	+2.9	+3.2
All manufacturing industries	-2.1	-0.3	-1.5

Notes:

- 1. Four selected component industries, which carry relatively large weights and are major components of the relevant industry groups, are also included in the above table. For easy reading, the figures of these selected component industries are shown in brackets.
- 2. The Hong Kong Standard Industrial Classification (HSIC) is used to form the industry groups and selected component industries presented in the above table. For the coverage of the industry groups and component industries in terms of HSIC codes, please refer to the "Quarterly Index of Industrial Production, 4th Quarter 2007" report.

<u>Table 2: Year-on-year percentage changes in the producer price indices by industry group</u> (Year 2000 = 100)

		% change		
Industry group	3rd Qtr. 2007 compared with 3rd Qtr. 2006 (Revised)	4th Qtr. 2007 compared with 4th Qtr. 2006 (Provisional)	2007 compared with 2006 (Provisional)	
1. Wearing apparel (except footwear)	-0.1	+2.3	+0.6	
2. Textiles (including knitting)	+2.5	+3.4	+2.3	
3. Paper products and printing	+1.4	+0.2	+1.0	
4. Plastic products	+3.6	+2.5	+4.3	
5. Fabricated metal products (except machinery and equipment)	+5.3	+4.9	+4.9	
6. Consumer electrical and electronic products	-2.3	-1.8	-1.4	
7. Machinery, equipment, apparatus, parts and components	-1.9	-2.6	-0.1	
8. Other manufacturing industries	+4.2	+8.3	+5.2	
All manufacturing industries	+2.5	+4.2	+3.0	

Notes: The Hong Kong Standard Industrial Classification (HSIC) is used to form the industry groups. For the coverage of the industry groups in terms of HSIC codes, please refer to the "Quarterly Producer Price Indices for Manufacturing Industries, 4th Quarter 2007" report.