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6.3% increase in the value of industrial Production in the second quarter (April - June) 2014

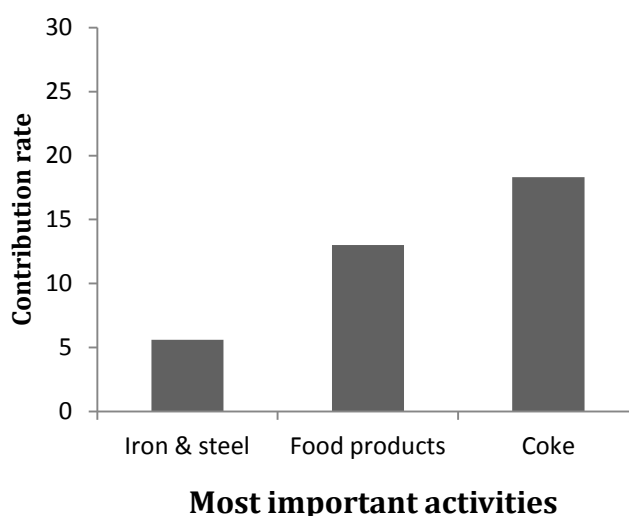
Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 1/1/2015, the Quarterly Statistical Bulletin for industrial production of public / public business and private sector establishments which have more than 25 employees for the second quarter(April/june) 2014.

The most important indicators are:

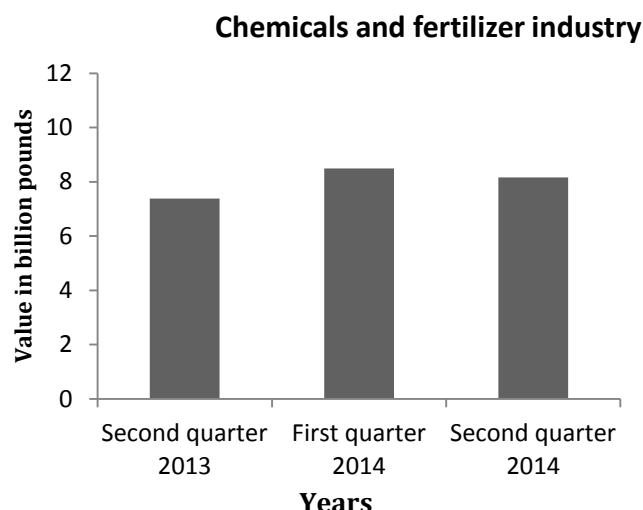
The value of industrial production (excluding petroleum) reached 84.86 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2014 compared to 85.05 billion pounds during the first quarter of the same year, a decline of 0.22%, while the value of production (the second quarter) 2013 (the same quarter) was 79.82 billion pounds, an increase of 6.32% .

- Coke activity represents the largest share in the most important economic activities, it had a share of 18.3% of the total value of industrial production, followed by food products industry by 13.0%, followed by iron & steel industry by 5.6% of the total value of industrial production.

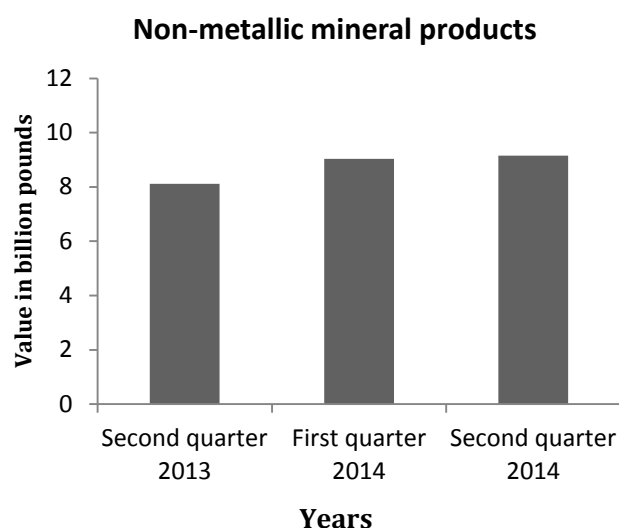
Contribution rate of the most important economics activities



- The value of production in Chemicals and fertilizers industry reached 8.16 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2014 versus 8.49 billion pounds in the first quarter of 2014, it decreased by 3.89%. While the value of production reached 7.38 billion pounds for the second quarter of 2013, it increased by 10.48%.



- The value of production in Non-metallic mineral products reached 8.41 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2014 versus 9.03 billion pounds in the first quarter of 2014, it decreased by 6.91%. While the value of production reached 8.11 billion pounds for the second quarter of 2013 it increased of 3.68%.



- The value of production in iron and steel industry reached 9.48 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2014 versus 10.92 billion pounds in the first quarter of 2013, it decreased by 13.14%. While the value of production reached 10.31 billion pounds for the second quarter of 2013, it decreased by 8.06%.

