

**Table 1. Total Manufacturers' Shipments<sup>1</sup>**

[Estimates are shown in millions of dollars and are based on data from the Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories, and Orders Survey.]

Industry	Seasonally Adjusted						Not Seasonally Adjusted				
	Monthly			Percent Change			Monthly			Percent Change	
	Sep. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 2019 <sup>f</sup>	Sep. 2018	Sep./Aug. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug./July 2019 <sup>r</sup>	Sep. 2019/2018	Sep. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 2019 <sup>f</sup>	Sep. 2018	Sep/Aug 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Sep. 2019/2018
All manufacturing industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##
Durable goods industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##
Nondurable goods industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##

<sup>p</sup> Preliminary

<sup>f</sup> Revised data due to late receipts and concurrent seasonal adjustment.

Note: Estimates of manufacturers' shipments, inventories and orders are subject to survey error and revision. One major component of survey error is nonsampling error, which includes errors of coverage, response, and nonreporting. Since the survey panel is not a probability sample, estimates of sampling error cannot be calculated. For further details on survey design, methodology, and data limitations see <<http://www.census.gov/manufacturing/m3/>>.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories, and Orders (M3) Survey, September Total manufacturing Advance Report, *Month, Day, Year*. Information on data sources and methodology can be found on our website at <[www.census.gov/manufacturing/m3/how\\_the\\_data\\_are\\_collected/index.html](http://www.census.gov/manufacturing/m3/how_the_data_are_collected/index.html)>.

**Table 2. Total Manufacturers' Inventories<sup>1</sup>**

[Estimates are shown in millions of dollars and are based on data from the Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories, and Orders Survey.]

Industry	Seasonally Adjusted						Not Seasonally Adjusted				
	Monthly			Percent Change			Monthly			Percent Change	
	Sep. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 2019 <sup>f</sup>	Sep. 2018	Sep./Aug. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug./July 2019 <sup>r</sup>	Sep. 2019/2018	Sep. 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 2019 <sup>f</sup>	Sep. 2018	Sep/Aug 2019 <sup>p</sup>	Sep. 2019/2018
All manufacturing industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##
Durable goods industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##
Nondurable goods industries.....	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##	##	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	XXX,XXX	##	##

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