

Historical Data Files for the Empire State Manufacturing Survey

Historical monthly data for all of the Empire State Manufacturing Survey diffusion indexes, as well as aggregate proportion series (percentage of firms reporting increases, decreases, and no change) are available from July 2001 to the most current month.

The columns in the accompanying file correspond to the following variables where:

- **\$=c** for a current variable, or
- **\$=f** for a future (six-month forecast) variable
- **#=s** for seasonally adjusted (SA) data, or
- **#=n** for not seasonally adjusted (NSA) data.

For example "gacdfsa" represents the seasonally adjusted general activity diffusion index.

Variable names and definitions appear in the files as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Definition</u>
ga\$d#a	current/future general activity; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
ga\$n#a	current/future general activity; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
ga\$i#a	current/future general activity; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
ga\$di#a	current/future general activity; diffusion index; SA/NSA
no\$d#a	current/future new orders; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
no\$n#a	current/future new orders; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
no\$i#a	current/future new orders; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
no\$di#a	current/future new orders; diffusion index; SA/NSA
sh\$d#a	current/future shipments; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
sh\$n#a	current/future shipments; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
sh\$i#a	current/future shipments; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
sh\$di#a	current/future shipments; diffusion index; SA/NSA
dt\$d#a	current/future delivery time; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
dt\$n#a	current/future delivery time; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
dt\$i#a	current/future delivery time; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
dt\$di#a	current/future delivery time; diffusion index; SA/NSA
iv\$d#a	current/future inventories; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
iv\$n#a	current/future inventories; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
iv\$i#a	current/future inventories; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
iv\$di#a	current/future inventories; diffusion index; SA/NSA
uo\$d#a	current/future unfilled orders; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
uo\$n#a	current/future unfilled orders; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
uo\$i#a	current/future unfilled orders; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
uo\$di#a	current/future unfilled orders; diffusion index; SA/NSA

pp\$d#a	current/future price paid; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
pp\$n#a	current/future price paid; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
pp\$i#a	current/future price paid; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
pp\$di#a	current/future price paid; diffusion index; SA/NSA
pr\$d#a	current/future prices received; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
pr\$n#a	current/future prices received; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
pr\$i#a	current/future prices received; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
pr\$di#a	current/future prices received; diffusion index; SA/NSA
ne\$d#a	current/future employment; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
ne\$n#a	current/future employment; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
ne\$i#a	current/future employment; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
ne\$di#a	current/future employment; diffusion index; SA/NSA
aw\$d#a	current/future workhours; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA
aw\$n#a	current/future workhours; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA
aw\$i#a	current/future workhours; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA
aw\$di#a	current/future workhours; diffusion index; SA/NSA
ced#a	future capital expenditure; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA ¹
cen#a	future capital expenditure; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA ¹
cei#a	future capital expenditure; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA ¹
cedi#a	future capital expenditure; diffusion index; SA/NSA ¹
tsfd#a	future technology spending; percent reporting decreases; SA/NSA ¹
tsfn#a	future technology spending; percent reporting no change; SA/NSA ¹
tsfi#a	future technology spending; percent reporting increases; SA/NSA ¹
tsfdi#a	future technology spending; diffusion index; SA/NSA ¹

¹ These variables are only available as a six-month forward forecast.