

## US Textile Indicators:

	Latest Month <sup>+</sup>	Previous Month <sup>++</sup>	Year Ago
<b>Textile mill employment</b> (Bureau of Labor Statistics, thousands)	123.6	123.6	124.6
<b>Mill product employment</b> (BLS, thousands)	123.2	123.2	125.8
<b>Textile mill weekly earnings</b> (BLS)	\$552.56	\$566.04	\$520.67
<b>Mill product weekly earnings</b> (BLS)	\$444.66	\$464.88	\$448.53
<b>Textile mill weekly hours worked</b> (BLS)	40.8	42.4	37.9
<b>Mill product weekly hours worked</b> (BLS)	37.6	38.9	37.9
<b>Textile mill production</b> (Federal Reserve Board, 2002=100)	61.7	62.2	54.2
<b>Textile product production</b> (FRB, 2002=100)	67.9	68.3	66.5
<b>Textile capacity utilization</b> (FRB)	67.4	67.6	67.9
<b>Producer price index, textiles &amp; apparel</b> (BLS, 1982=100)	131.7	131.9	129.4
Man-made fibers (1982=100)	111.3	114.2	113.7
Processed yarns & threads (1982=100)	129.7	130.2	119.0
Greige fabrics (1982=100)	130.0	128.6	127.3
Finished fabrics (1982=100)	138.4	137.8	134.5
Home furnishings (1982=100)	131.3	131.4	128.9
Carpet (1982=100)	170.5	172.4	167.6
<b>Import price index, textile &amp; fabrics</b> (BLS, Dec. 2005=100)	115.4	116.3	112.4
<b>Import price index, textile mill products</b> (BLS, Dec. 2005=100)	101.9	101.5	98.8
<b>*Manufacturers' textile mill sales</b> (Dept. of Commerce, millions)	\$2,387	\$2,347	\$2,087
<b>**Manufacturers' textile product sales</b> (DOC, millions)	\$1,921	\$1,912	\$1,797
<b>Manufacturers' textile mill inventories</b> (DOC, millions)	\$3,011	\$2,996	\$3,351
<b>Manufacturers' textile product inventories</b> (DOC, millions)	\$2,868	\$2,862	\$2,849
<b>Inventory-to-sales ratio, textile mills</b>	1.26	1.28	1.61
<b>Inventory-to-sales ratio, textile products</b>	1.49	1.50	1.59
<b>Clothing &amp; accessories retail sales</b> (DOC, millions, seasonally adjusted)	\$18,249	\$18,147	\$17,259
<b>Imports</b> (DOC, millions, June year-to-date total)	\$33,307	\$26,375	\$30,865
<b>Exports</b> (DOC, millions, June year-to-date total)	\$6,469	\$5,508	\$5,387

## US Economic Indicators:

<b>Employment</b> (BLS, thousands)	139,119	139,420	140,038
<b>Unemployment rate</b> (BLS)	9.5	9.7	9.5
<b>Industrial production index</b> (FRB, 2002=100)	103.4	103.4	95.6
<b>Consumer price index</b> (BLS, 1982-84=100)	218.2	218.0	213.9
<b>Producer price index</b> (BLS, 1982=100)	183.7	185.0	174.1
<b>Personal income</b> (DOC, billions)	\$12,186.5	\$12,069.4	\$11,952.7
<b>Disposable personal income</b> (DOC, billions)	\$11,103.4	\$11,003.3	\$10,765.4
<b>Disposable personal income per capita</b> (DOC)	\$35,920	\$35,665	\$35,124
<b>Housing starts</b> (DOC, thousands, seasonally adjusted)	549	578	583
<b>Operating rates — all industries</b> (FRB)	74.1	74.1	68.2

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\*Textile mill numbers include yarns, spinning, texturing, throwing and twisting, and all types of fabrics and finishing.

\*\*Textile products numbers include carpet and rugs, curtains, draperies, other home textiles, canvas, tire cord, and fabric and textile bags.