

16.16 Capacity utilization rates, by quarter, 1971-86

| Year | Quarter | Manufacturing industries | | | Year | Quarter | Manufacturing industries | | |
|------|---------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------|------|---------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| | | Durable goods | Non-durable goods | Total | | | Durable goods | Non-durable goods | Total |
| 1971 | 1st | 80.1 | 85.5 | 82.7 | 1979 | 1st | 89.1 | 87.5 | 88.3 |
| | 2nd | 82.2 | 85.6 | 83.8 | | 2nd | 87.8 | 87.6 | 87.7 |
| | 3rd | 84.1 | 87.2 | 85.6 | | 3rd | 87.8 | 87.7 | 87.8 |
| | 4th | 85.0 | 87.6 | 86.3 | | 4th | 86.0 | 87.6 | 86.8 |
| 1972 | 1st | 83.0 | 87.8 | 85.3 | 1980 | 1st | 84.9 | 87.8 | 86.3 |
| | 2nd | 84.7 | 89.7 | 87.1 | | 2nd | 79.0 | 85.2 | 81.9 |
| | 3rd | 86.0 | 90.2 | 88.0 | | 3rd | 78.7 | 84.3 | 81.3 |
| | 4th | 89.0 | 91.5 | 90.2 | | 4th | 80.3 | 84.8 | 82.4 |
| 1973 | 1st | 93.3 | 92.6 | 93.0 | 1981 | 1st | 79.7 | 85.1 | 82.2 |
| | 2nd | 91.9 | 92.8 | 92.3 | | 2nd | 81.2 | 85.8 | 83.4 |
| | 3rd | 92.9 | 91.6 | 92.3 | | 3rd | 77.2 | 82.8 | 79.9 |
| | 4th | 93.4 | 93.8 | 93.6 | | 4th | 73.0 | 81.0 | 76.8 |
| 1974 | 1st | 96.3 | 94.3 | 95.3 | 1982 | 1st | 70.1 | 78.3 | 74.0 |
| | 2nd | 93.8 | 92.4 | 93.1 | | 2nd | 65.9 | 74.9 | 70.1 |
| | 3rd | 91.7 | 90.0 | 90.9 | | 3rd | 62.5 | 73.9 | 67.9 |
| | 4th | 89.0 | 87.1 | 88.1 | | 4th | 60.2 | 73.4 | 66.4 |
| 1975 | 1st | 82.6 | 84.1 | 83.3 | 1983 | 1st | 62.2 | 76.7 | 69.0 |
| | 2nd | 81.8 | 82.0 | 81.9 | | 2nd | 65.2 | 78.0 | 71.2 |
| | 3rd | 82.2 | 80.3 | 81.3 | | 3rd | 67.5 | 79.2 | 73.0 |
| | 4th | 83.1 | 80.1 | 81.7 | | 4th | 71.1 | 80.1 | 75.3 |
| 1976 | 1st | 83.6 | 82.7 | 83.2 | 1984 | 1st | 71.3 | 78.6 | 74.7 |
| | 2nd | 84.5 | 86.6 | 85.5 | | 2nd | 71.8 | 80.9 | 76.1 |
| | 3rd | 83.4 | 86.2 | 84.7 | | 3rd | 73.3 | 80.9 | 76.9 |
| | 4th | 82.2 | 84.5 | 83.3 | | 4th | 72.8 | 80.6 | 76.5 |
| 1977 | 1st | 83.9 | 84.3 | 84.1 | 1985 | 1st | 73.8 | 80.0 | 76.7 |
| | 2nd | 82.7 | 83.9 | 83.3 | | 2nd | 75.3 | 80.2 | 77.6 |
| | 3rd | 82.3 | 83.1 | 82.6 | | 3rd | 76.9 | 81.7 | 79.2 |
| | 4th | 82.0 | 83.0 | 82.5 | | 4th | 76.0 | 82.3 | 79.0 |
| 1978 | 1st | 81.3 | 84.2 | 82.7 | 1986 | 1st | 74.7 | 82.5 | 78.4 |
| | 2nd | 84.3 | 84.8 | 84.5 | | 2nd | 73.6 | 82.2 | 77.6 |
| | 3rd | 84.8 | 85.7 | 85.2 | | | | | |
| | 4th | 87.5 | 87.6 | 87.5 | | | | | |

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