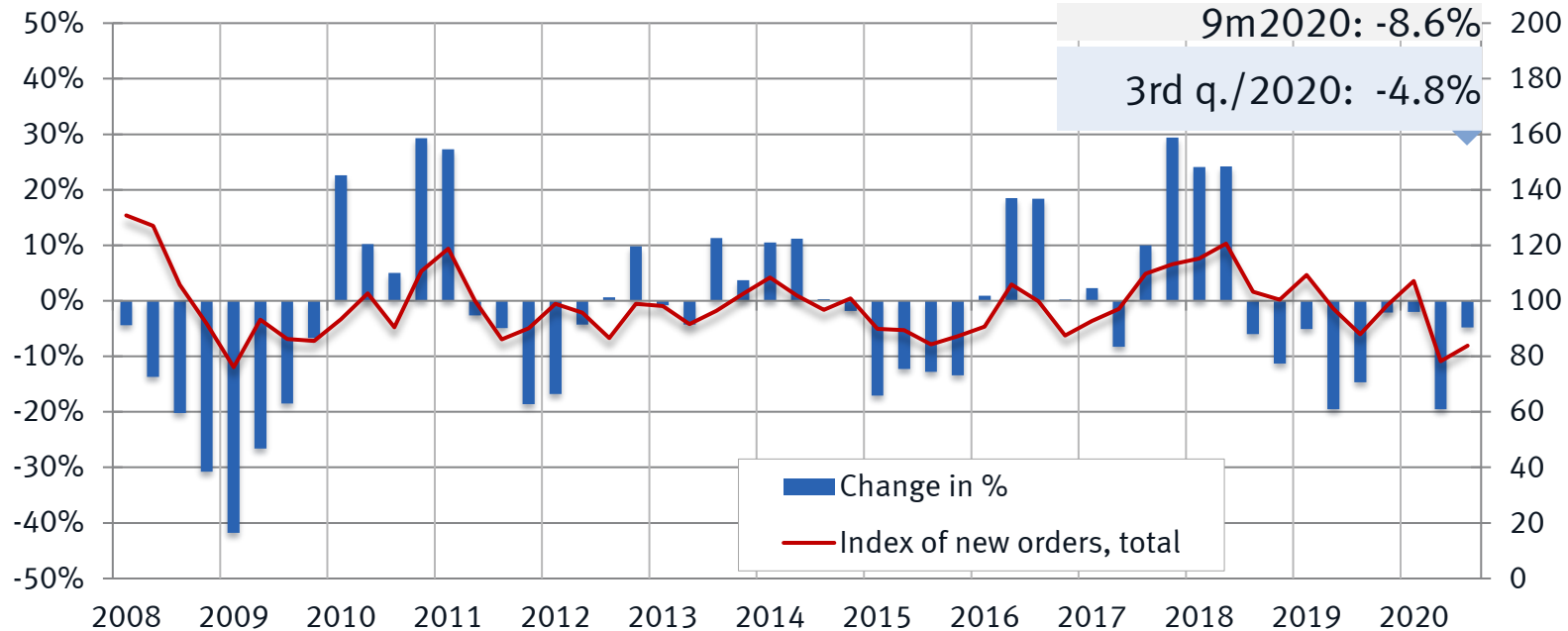


# Current situation of the Swiss mechanical and electrical engineering industries (MEM industries)

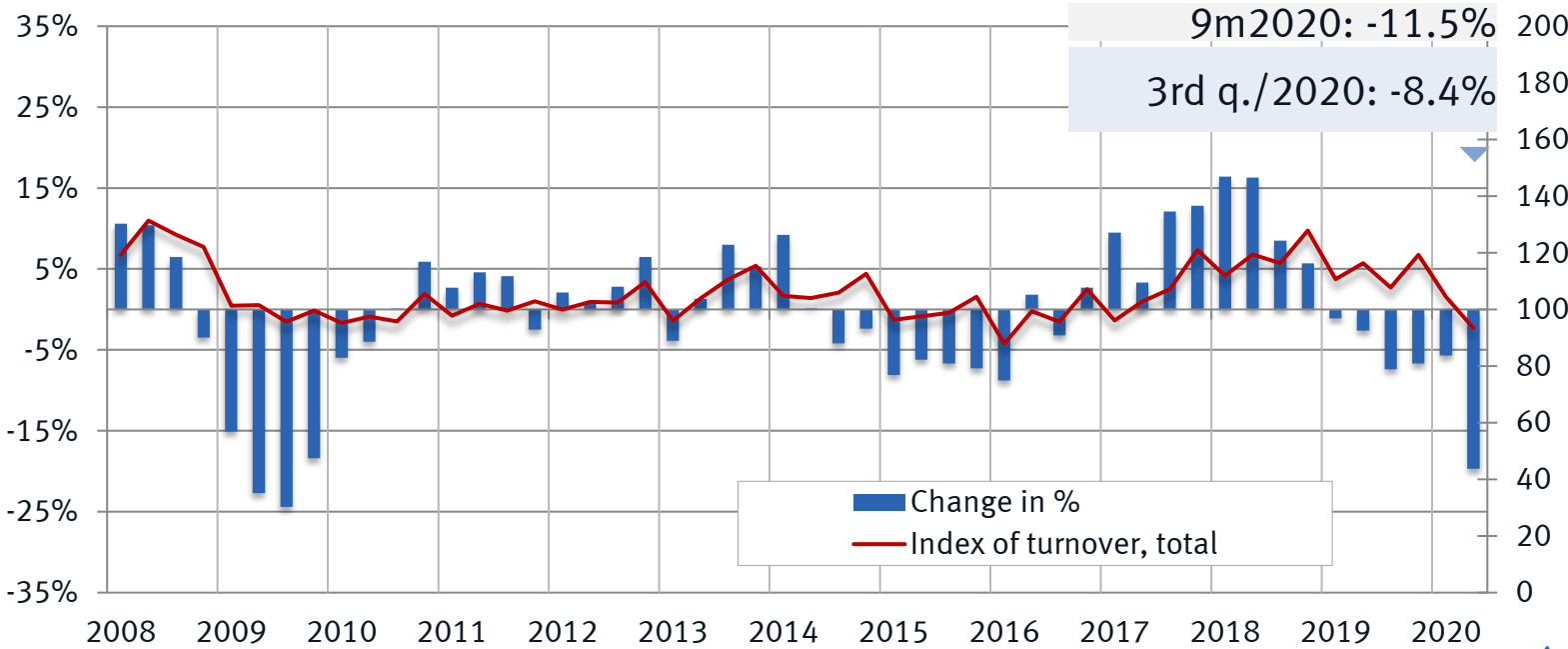
# New orders received by the MEM industries

Swissmem quarterly statistics (Q1 2001=100)



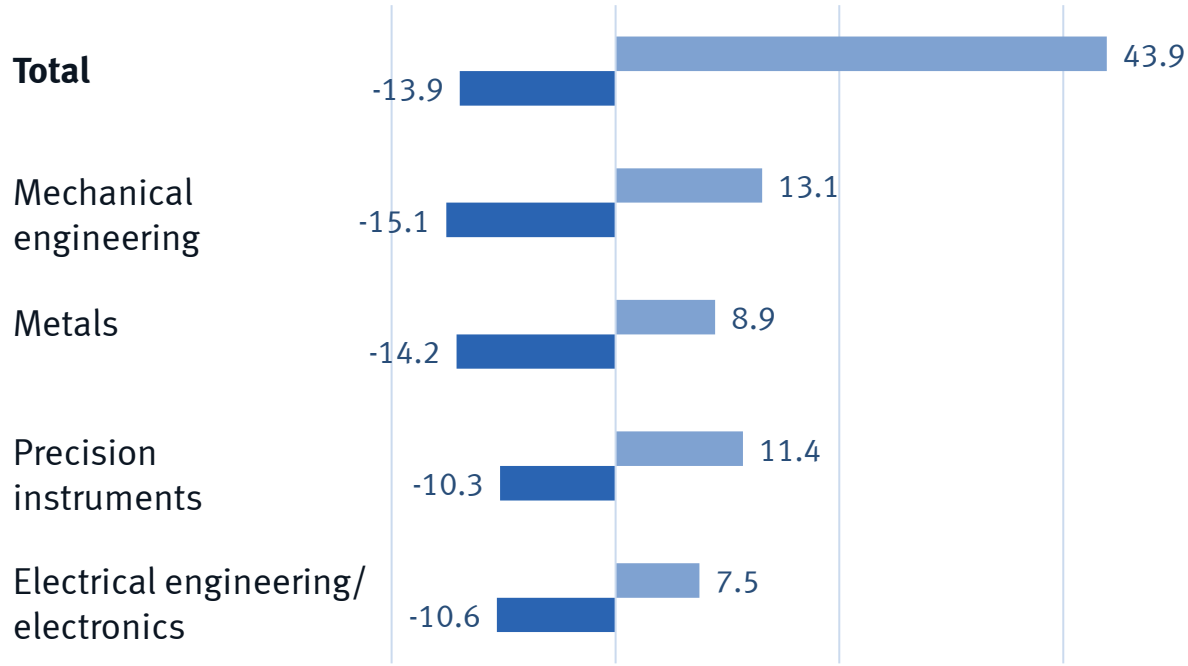
# Turnover of the MEM industries

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# Exports of the MEM industries Jan. to Sep. 2020

By product groups. change compared with previous year

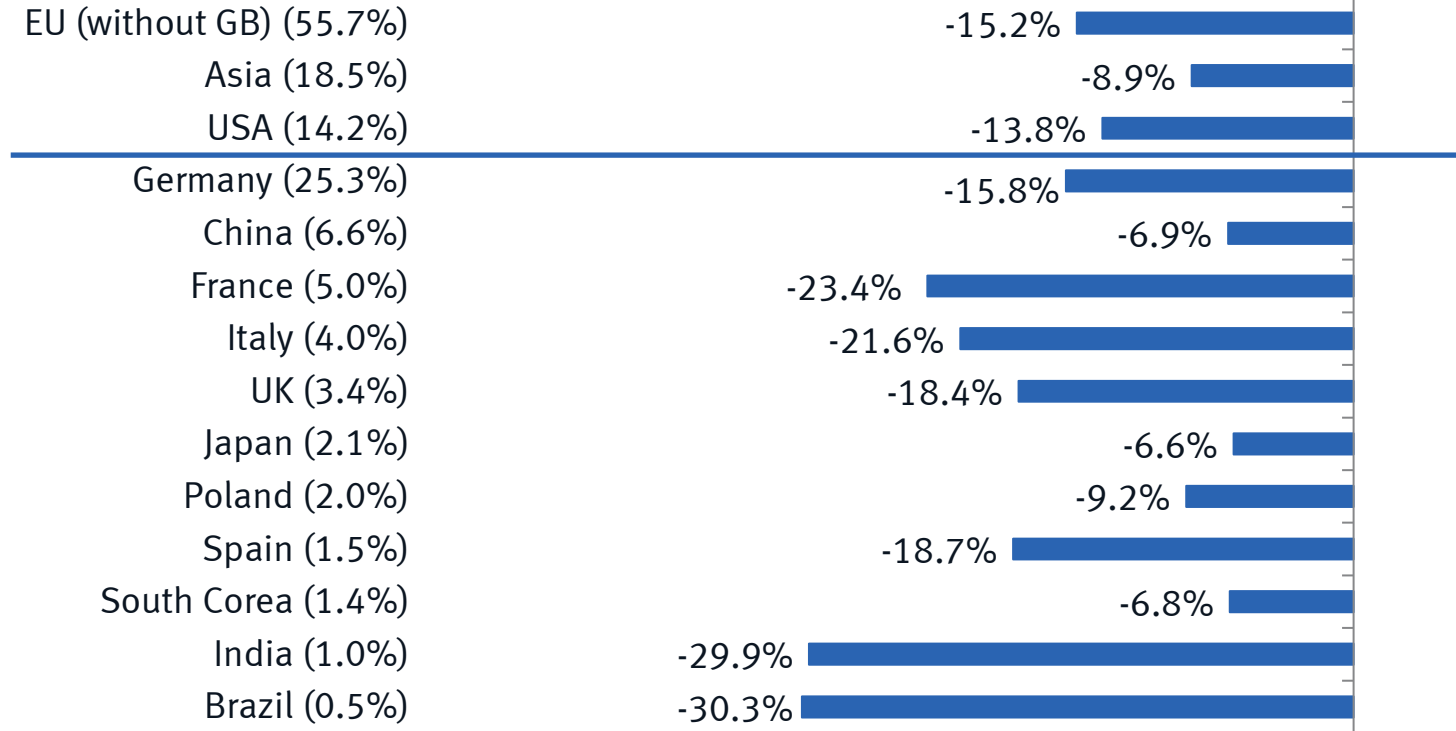


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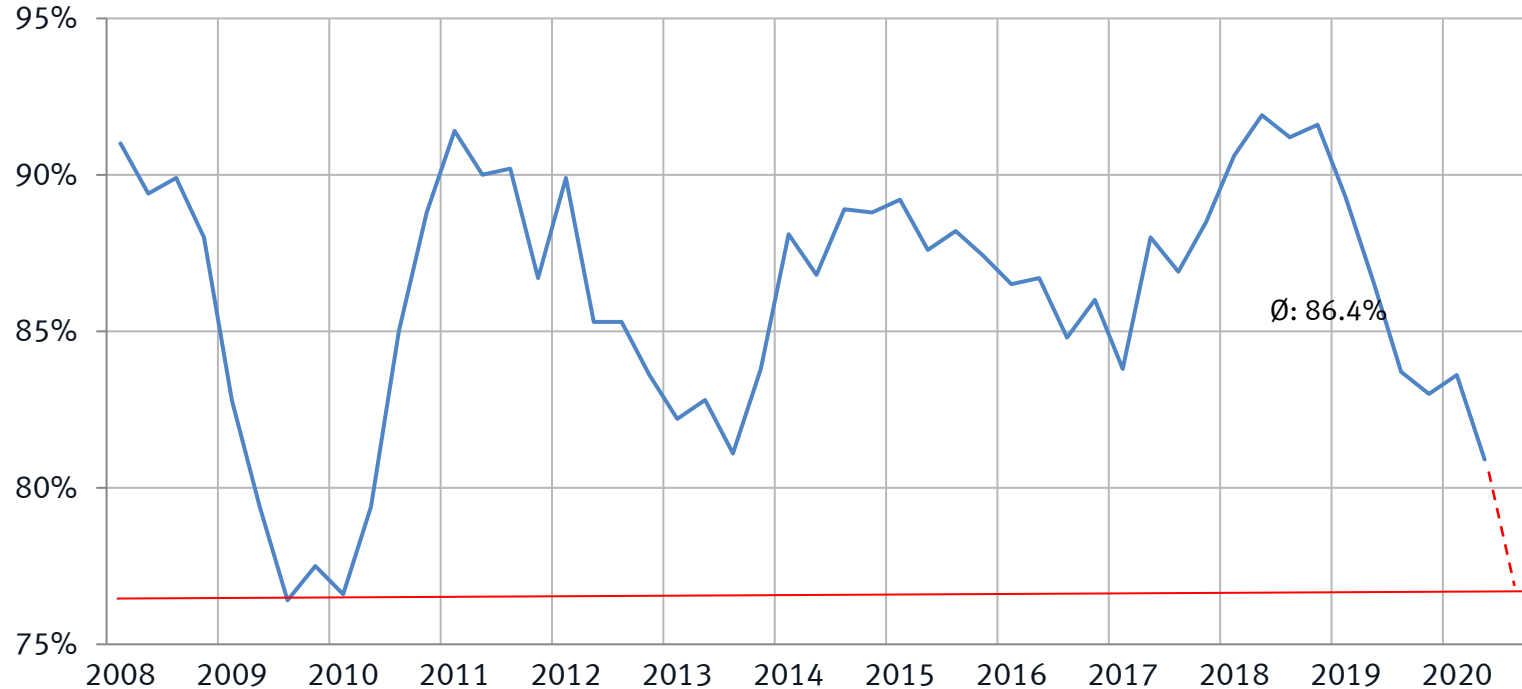
# Exports of the MEM industries Jan. to Sept. 2020

Share of total MEM exports

Change in % over previous year



# Capacity utilization of the MEM industries



# Workforce in the MEM industries

(Full-time and part-time; as at August 2020)

Year	Employees	Δ in % versus previous year
2004	309.800	- 1.4
2008	350.400	3.6
2009	336.800	- 3.9
2010	329.100	- 2.3
2015	325.700	- 1.3
2016	317.500	- 2.5
2017	312.300	- 1.6
2018	318.800	2.1
2019	323.400	1.4

	2019	2020	Δ in % to same quarter of previous year
Q1	322.500	322.800	0.1
Q2	323.900	319.600	-1.3
Q3	324'900	318'300	-2,0

The sampling method used for compiling the employment statistics was modified in Q2 2020. According to the FSO, the time series for the period 2018-2020 has been adjusted accordingly.

Source: Besta statistics (FSO); Swissemem calculations  
Annual values: average of all four quarters – rounded to the nearest 100

