



# The Northwest Indiana COINCIDENT INDEX

July 2015

**141.1**

Index  
Value

(+0.3)

(change)

**Weak  
Growth**  
(+0-1%)

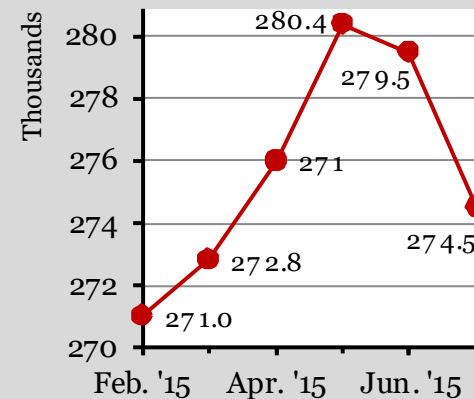
Six-month  
Forecast

## July 2015 Release

In July the Northwest Indiana Coincident Index rose 0.3 points to 141.1. This growth was driven primarily by an increase in monthly steel production, which was 2% higher than June and 13% higher than at the start of the year. This recovery in steel production was, unfortunately, tempered by a significant decline in regional employment.

The Northwest Indiana Coincident Index measures the current pulse of the economy in Northwest Indiana. The current value of the Index and a six-month forecast is released every month in a brief update. Analysis and further details are released in quarterly summaries. For additional information about the NWI Coincident Index as well as past releases please visit [www.iun.edu/business/nwi/](http://www.iun.edu/business/nwi/)

## NWI Employment



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