Notes:
1. The index numbers are calculated by multiplying the index number from last month by the month-to-month growth rates reported by the current sample of companies in the statistical program. The baseline, set at 100, is based on the average monthly data for the year 2010.
2. The book-to-bill ratios are calculated using actual volume data and not the index numbers. Because bookings and shipments have different baselines, they cannot be used to calculate the ratios accurately.