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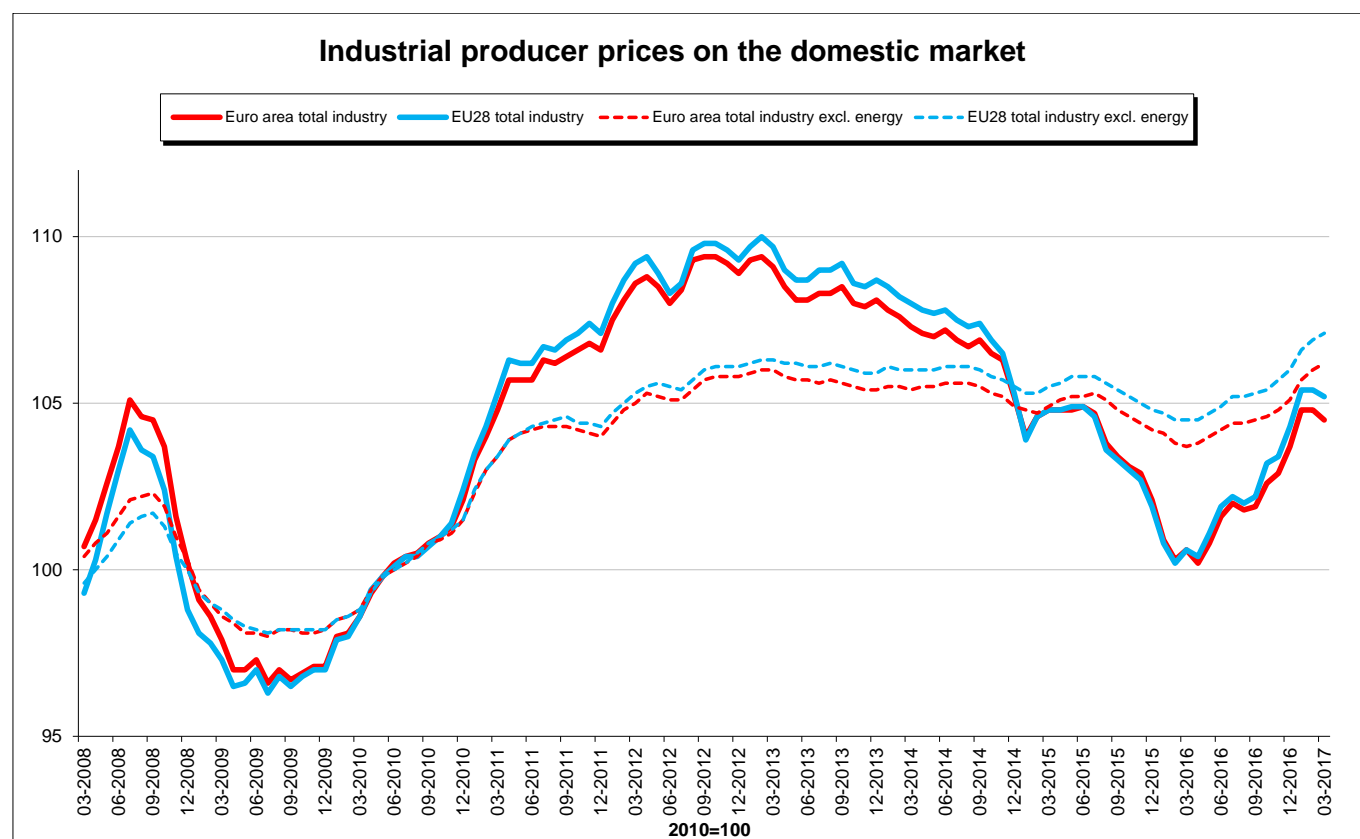
March 2017 compared with February 2017

Industrial producer prices down by 0.3% in euro area

Down by 0.2% in EU28

In March 2017, compared with February 2017, industrial producer prices fell by 0.3% in the **euro area** (EA19) and by 0.2% in the **EU28**, according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In February 2017 prices remained stable in both zones.

In March 2017, compared with March 2016, industrial producer prices rose by 3.9% in the **euro area** and by 4.6% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The 0.3% decrease in industrial producer prices in total industry in the **euro area** in March 2017, compared with February 2017, is due to a price fall of 1.7% in the energy sector, while prices rose by 0.1% for both capital goods and non-durable consumer goods, by 0.2% for durable consumer goods and by 0.5% for intermediate goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.2%.

In the **EU28**, the 0.2% decrease is due to a price fall of 1.6% in the energy sector, while prices rose by 0.1% for capital goods, by 0.2% for both durable and non-durable consumer goods and by 0.4% for intermediate goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.2%.

The largest decreases in industrial producer prices were observed in **Denmark** (-1.3%), **Estonia** (-1.1%), **Greece** (-0.9%), **Spain** and the **Netherlands** (both -0.8%), and the highest increases in **Cyprus** (+1.3%), **Lithuania** (+1.1%) and **Ireland** (+0.9%).

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The 3.9% increase in industrial producer prices in total industry in the **euro area** in March 2017, compared with March 2016, is due to rises of 8.2% in the energy sector, of 3.9% for intermediate goods, of 2.2% for non-durable consumer goods, of 0.9% for capital goods and of 0.7% for durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 2.4%.

In the **EU28**, the 4.6% price increase is due to rises of 11.9% in the energy sector, of 3.8% for intermediate goods, of 2.2% for non-durable consumer goods, of 1.2% for capital goods and of 0.9% for durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 2.5%.

The largest increases in industrial producer prices were recorded in **Belgium** (+12.4%), the **Netherlands** (+9.2%) and the **United Kingdom** (+8.8%), while a decrease was observed in **Luxembourg** (-3.2%).

Geographical information

The **euro area** (EA19) includes Belgium, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovakia and Finland.

The **European Union** (EU28) includes Belgium, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Croatia, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Hungary, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Finland, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

Methods and definitions

The **index of producer prices** shows (in the national currency of the country concerned) changes in the ex-works sale prices of all products sold on the domestic market, excluding imports. Euro area and EU indices refer to overall weighted price changes. The figures are not calendar day or seasonally adjusted.

Total industry covers NACE rev.2 sections B to D + E36.

Revisions and timetable

Compared with data issued in the News Release 54/2017 of 3 April 2017, the monthly percentage change for February 2017 remains unchanged at 0.0% in the euro area and has been revised from +0.1% to 0.0% in the EU28. The annual percentage change remains unchanged at +4.5% in the euro area and has been revised from +5.3% to +5.2% in the EU28.

For more information

Eurostat database section on short-term business statistics

Eurostat Statistics Explained article on the index of producer prices

The weights of the Member States in the EU and euro area aggregates (see file EU-28_EA-19_NEWS_RELEASE_WEIGHTINGS_2010)

Eurostat €-indicators release calendar

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Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with previous month

	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
EA19						
Total industry	0.7	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.0	-0.3
Total industry excluding energy	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.2
Intermediate goods	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.5
Energy	2.5	0.5	2.0	2.5	-1.0	-1.7
Capital goods	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2
Non-durable consumer goods	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1
EU28						
Total industry	1.0	0.2	0.9	1.1	0.0	-0.2
Total industry excluding energy	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.2
Intermediate goods	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.4
Energy	3.4	0.3	2.8	2.3	-0.6	-1.6
Capital goods	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
Non-durable consumer goods	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2

The source dataset is available [here](#).

Total industry	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
EA19	0.7	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.0	-0.3
EU28	1.0	0.2	0.9	1.1	0.0	-0.2
Belgium	2.5	1.4	1.7	2.1	0.2	-0.7
Bulgaria	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.6	-0.3
Czech Republic	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.5	-0.1
Denmark	1.7	1.0	-0.2	1.2	0.7	-1.3
Germany	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.0
Estonia	2.6	1.2	-0.6	1.4	0.0	-1.1
Ireland	0.4	1.4	-0.5	1.0	0.8	0.9
Greece	1.5	-0.7	2.7	0.8	1.3	-0.9
Spain	1.5	0.2	1.6	1.8	-1.2	-0.8
France	0.7	0.6	0.9	1.0	-0.3	-0.5
Croatia	1.1	-1.3	1.8	0.7	0.0	-0.4
Italy	-0.1	-0.2	0.6	1.2	0.3	-0.1
Cyprus	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.4	0.0	1.3
Latvia	-0.8	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	-0.1
Lithuania	1.0	0.7	0.2	1.0	0.6	1.1
Luxembourg	-0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.6	-0.4	0.2
Hungary	1.0	0.7	1.2	0.9	0.5	0.1
Malta	0.0	0.1	0.2	2.3	0.0	0.1
Netherlands	2.4	0.5	1.9	1.5	0.4	-0.8
Austria	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.5	-0.1	-0.3
Poland	0.7	1.1	1.4	0.7	0.3	0.1
Portugal	0.7	-0.2	1.1	2.6	-1.5	-0.7
Romania	1.0	-0.1	0.6	1.3	-0.2	0.2
Slovenia	-0.2	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.1	-0.1
Slovakia	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.5	0.4	-0.2
Finland	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.0
Sweden	2.0	0.9	1.3	0.7	0.0	-0.3
United Kingdom	2.2	-0.3	1.4	1.0	0.4	0.0
Norway	1.9	1.5	0.0	0.4	1.0	-1.1
Switzerland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.2	0.0

The source dataset is available [here](#).

Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with same month of previous year

	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
EA19						
Total industry	-0.5	0.0	1.6	3.9	4.5	3.9
Total industry excluding energy	0.0	0.4	0.9	1.5	2.1	2.4
Intermediate goods	-0.8	0.1	0.8	2.1	3.3	3.9
Energy	-1.6	-0.8	3.8	10.4	11.4	8.2
Capital goods	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9
Durable consumer goods	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7
Non-durable consumer goods	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.9	2.2
EU28						
Total industry	0.2	0.7	2.4	4.6	5.2	4.6
Total industry excluding energy	0.2	0.7	1.1	1.8	2.3	2.5
Intermediate goods	-0.5	0.3	1.1	2.2	3.3	3.8
Energy	0.4	1.4	7.3	14.2	15.7	11.9
Capital goods	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2
Durable consumer goods	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Non-durable consumer goods	0.6	0.9	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.2

The source dataset is available [here](#).

Total industry	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
EA19	-0.5	0.0	1.6	3.9	4.5	3.9
EU28	0.2	0.7	2.4	4.6	5.2	4.6
Belgium	2.2	4.1	8.0	13.3	14.8	12.4
Bulgaria	-1.4	-0.6	0.7	2.0	2.9	2.1
Czech Republic	-1.7	-1.3	-0.3	2.0	3.2	3.1
Denmark	0.5	2.4	4.6	4.1	7.6	5.3
Germany	-0.4	0.1	0.8	2.3	3.0	2.9
Estonia	-0.4	1.8	3.2	0.2	5.6	2.8
Ireland	-0.8	0.5	0.3	2.7	4.9	6.0
Greece	-1.3	-2.1	3.0	6.9	8.8	6.0
Spain	0.3	0.6	2.9	7.6	7.5	6.0
France	-1.0	-0.6	1.6	3.5	3.7	2.9
Croatia	-2.0	-2.7	0.1	1.7	2.5	1.1
Italy	-0.6	-0.3	0.9	2.9	3.7	3.4
Cyprus	-2.0	-0.2	0.1	1.8	1.9	5.3
Latvia	-2.6	-2.6	-1.5	-1.3	0.5	1.1
Lithuania	-0.3	0.4	1.6	0.8	3.3	5.0
Luxembourg	-7.3	-6.9	-6.2	-3.6	-3.5	-3.2
Hungary	-1.2	-0.5	1.2	4.3	6.9	6.5
Malta	0.4	0.2	0.3	2.4	2.4	2.5
Netherlands	-0.6	0.4	4.9	8.8	10.9	9.2
Austria	-1.0	-0.4	0.5	2.0	3.0	2.5
Poland	1.3	2.4	4.0	6.0	6.8	6.4
Portugal	0.3	0.7	2.8	5.5	4.6	3.6
Romania	-0.7	-0.8	0.1	2.2	3.1	3.2
Slovenia	-1.2	-0.8	-0.3	0.2	0.7	0.9
Slovakia	-2.9	-2.6	-1.8	1.0	3.2	3.8
Finland	0.1	0.8	2.1	3.2	4.5	4.2
Sweden	2.0	3.2	4.4	5.3	5.6	4.8
United Kingdom	4.5	4.8	7.6	9.9	10.3	8.8
Norway	1.4	1.8	4.6	4.2	7.9	5.3
Switzerland	-0.5	-0.9	-0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3

The source dataset is available [here](#).

Industrial producer prices indices on the domestic market for total industry
(base year 2010)

	03/14	03/15	03/16	04/16	05/16	06/16	07/16	08/16	09/16	10/16	11/16	12/16	01/17	02/17	03/17
EA19	107.3	104.8	100.6	100.2	100.8	101.6	102.0	101.8	101.9	102.6	102.9	103.7	104.8	104.8	104.5
EU28	108.0	104.8	100.6	100.4	101.1	101.9	102.2	102.0	102.2	103.2	103.4	104.3	105.4	105.4	105.2
Belgium	109.3	104.3	97.7	96.8	99.4	100.9	101.1	100.7	102.2	104.8	106.3	108.1	110.4	110.6	109.8
Bulgaria	112.0	111.5	107.0	106.5	106.4	106.8	106.7	106.5	106.8	107.3	107.5	108.3	108.9	109.5	109.2
Czech Republic	108.1	104.9	100.2	100.3	100.7	101.0	101.0	100.8	101.1	101.6	101.7	102.2	102.9	103.4	103.3
Denmark	111.0	104.7	99.5	100.0	100.3	102.8	101.5	101.4	101.7	103.4	104.4	104.2	105.5	106.2	104.8
Germany	106.3	104.6	101.5	101.5	101.8	102.3	102.5	102.4	102.2	102.9	103.2	103.5	104.2	104.4	104.4
Estonia	114.7	114.2	109.7	108.7	109.3	111.1	108.5	108.5	109.1	111.9	113.2	112.5	114.1	114.1	112.8
Ireland	111.3	107.4	101.2	102.5	103.1	104.2	104.3	103.2	103.1	103.5	105.0	104.5	105.5	106.3	107.3
Greece	110.8	107.5	97.8	98.0	99.3	99.8	98.8	98.6	99.0	100.5	99.8	102.5	103.3	104.6	103.7
Spain	109.5	108.1	102.3	102.1	103.0	105.0	105.0	104.8	105.1	106.7	106.9	108.6	110.6	109.3	108.4
France	108.0	105.9	101.8	101.1	101.6	102.0	102.1	102.1	102.4	103.1	103.7	104.6	105.6	105.3	104.8
Croatia	111.8	108.8	103.4	101.9	102.0	103.2	102.5	101.1	102.6	103.7	102.4	104.2	104.9	104.9	104.5
Italy	106.7	103.5	99.5	98.6	99.4	99.9	101.5	101.3	101.2	101.1	100.9	101.5	102.7	103.0	102.9
Cyprus	108.0	102.2	96.4	96.3	97.1	96.9	99.4	99.6	99.8	99.8	99.7	99.8	100.2	100.2	101.5
Latvia	115.6	115.1	110.6	110.4	109.9	110.0	110.0	110.7	110.9	110.0	110.2	111.0	111.3	111.9	111.8
Lithuania	112.5	102.3	95.9	96.0	96.5	97.5	96.9	96.1	96.1	97.1	97.8	98.0	99.0	99.6	100.7
Luxembourg	103.5	104.6	99.2	99.1	99.4	99.8	95.9	95.9	95.6	95.4	95.2	95.6	96.2	95.8	96.0
Hungary	109.3	105.6	100.2	100.2	101.8	103.0	103.0	102.0	102.3	103.3	104.0	105.2	106.1	106.6	106.7
Malta	106.1	104.2	100.7	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.6	100.8	103.1	103.1	103.2
Netherlands	110.0	103.0	93.2	92.8	94.5	96.8	96.6	94.9	96.0	98.3	98.8	100.7	102.2	102.6	101.8
Austria	103.3	101.7	97.6	97.7	97.9	98.4	98.4	98.5	98.5	99.1	99.4	99.9	100.4	100.3	100.0
Poland	109.3	106.5	104.1	104.5	105.6	106.0	105.8	105.8	106.2	106.9	108.1	109.6	110.4	110.7	110.8
Portugal	107.6	103.1	99.6	99.3	99.8	101.5	101.6	101.2	101.2	101.9	101.7	102.8	105.5	103.9	103.2
Romania	115.3	115.3	110.9	110.7	110.9	111.6	111.3	110.9	111.2	112.3	112.2	112.9	114.4	114.2	114.4
Slovenia	103.8	103.8	101.8	101.7	101.9	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.1	101.9	101.9	102.3	102.7	102.8	102.7
Slovakia	102.5	99.1	93.0	92.9	93.2	93.6	93.7	93.2	93.5	93.9	94.4	94.9	96.3	96.7	96.5
Finland	108.0	106.7	102.9	103.0	103.5	103.9	103.7	103.8	104.0	105.0	105.6	106.0	106.8	107.2	107.2
Sweden	100.2	100.2	98.3	97.3	97.1	98.1	98.1	98.5	98.4	100.4	101.3	102.6	103.3	103.3	103.0
United Kingdom	112.3	103.7	99.3	100.0	100.8	101.9	102.3	102.4	103.0	105.3	105.0	106.5	107.6	108.0	108.0
Norway	111.3	107.8	103.5	104.5	106.3	108.4	107.0	105.8	105.1	107.1	108.7	108.7	109.1	110.2	109.0
Switzerland	99.3	96.7	93.9	94.0	94.2	94.4	94.3	94.1	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.4	94.2	94.2

The source dataset is available [here](#).

Industrial producer prices indices on the domestic market for total industry excluding energy
(base year 2010)

	03/14	03/15	03/16	04/16	05/16	06/16	07/16	08/16	09/16	10/16	11/16	12/16	01/17	02/17	03/17
EA19	105.4	104.9	103.7	103.8	104.0	104.2	104.4	104.4	104.5	104.6	104.8	105.1	105.7	106.0	106.2
EU28	106.0	105.5	104.5	104.5	104.7	104.9	105.2	105.2	105.3	105.4	105.7	106.0	106.6	106.9	107.1
Belgium	107.5	105.0	102.2	102.7	103.3	103.8	104.4	104.5	104.7	105.2	106.2	106.5	107.3	108.3	108.6
Bulgaria	108.9	109.4	108.9	108.6	108.4	108.5	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.2	110.1	110.5	110.7	111.6	111.6
Czech Republic	108.2	106.6	104.2	104.0	104.1	104.2	104.3	104.3	104.4	104.7	104.9	105.0	105.7	106.1	106.3
Denmark	108.4	107.2	107.8	107.6	107.7	108.2	108.3	108.2	108.4	108.3	108.2	108.5	109.3	109.2	109.1
Germany	105.0	104.6	103.9	103.9	104.0	104.2	104.5	104.5	104.6	104.6	104.9	105.2	105.8	106.1	106.3
Estonia	112.3	111.1	109.0	108.2	108.1	107.4	108.2	107.8	107.9	107.7	108.6	109.2	110.1	110.4	110.4
Ireland	108.7	106.9	106.4	106.9	107.0	106.9	107.0	106.5	106.6	106.5	106.8	107.2	107.0	107.7	108.3
Greece	102.8	102.9	102.1	102.2	102.3	102.3	102.2	102.3	102.1	102.1	102.3	102.2	102.2	102.6	102.8
Spain	105.6	106.1	105.0	105.2	105.5	105.9	106.1	106.0	105.9	106.0	106.3	106.6	107.3	107.7	108.0
France	105.2	104.2	102.9	102.9	103.1	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.3	103.4	103.5	103.9	104.2	104.4
Croatia	104.9	104.2	102.7	102.4	102.5	102.3	102.3	102.1	102.4	102.7	102.5	102.6	102.7	102.8	102.8
Italy	105.0	105.1	104.0	104.1	104.3	104.5	104.6	104.7	104.8	104.8	104.9	105.1	105.6	105.8	106.1
Cyprus	106.4	105.7	104.5	104.4	104.3	104.1	104.6	104.8	104.9	104.9	104.8	105.1	104.3	104.2	104.5
Latvia	111.8	111.3	108.6	109.1	108.6	108.7	108.9	108.3	108.7	108.8	109.4	110.2	110.4	111.0	110.9
Lithuania	107.5	104.1	101.1	101.2	100.9	101.0	101.9	101.8	102.0	102.1	102.8	102.5	104.2	104.6	106.1
Luxembourg	104.6	109.1	104.8	105.0	105.6	106.7	107.6	107.6	106.8	106.8	106.4	107.2	109.3	108.4	108.8
Hungary	112.2	110.9	111.6	111.6	112.5	113.1	113.3	112.8	112.9	113.2	114.1	114.4	115.3	116.3	117.0
Malta	109.6	110.2	111.9	111.6	111.6	111.7	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.5	111.7	112.1	116.0	116.0	116.1
Netherlands	110.8	106.5	101.9	102.4	103.4	104.4	104.8	104.3	105.1	106.1	106.2	107.2	109.0	109.8	109.9
Austria	104.9	105.0	103.7	103.8	104.0	104.0	104.3	104.5	104.4	104.5	104.7	104.8	105.3	105.6	105.8
Poland	107.7	106.4	106.5	106.7	107.3	107.4	107.7	107.9	108.3	108.4	109.2	109.7	110.3	110.6	111.0
Portugal	102.2	102.1	102.0	101.9	102.6	102.7	102.9	102.8	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.9	103.2	103.4	103.8
Romania	114.6	114.8	113.9	114.0	114.2	114.7	115.0	114.7	114.7	115.0	115.2	115.4	115.7	116.4	117.0
Slovenia	104.9	105.4	103.5	103.3	103.6	103.7	103.8	103.7	103.9	103.7	103.7	104.1	104.6	104.8	104.8
Slovakia	101.9	100.9	99.3	99.0	99.0	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.0	99.1	99.2	98.9	97.9	98.7	99.1
Finland	107.8	108.3	106.2	106.2	106.1	105.9	106.2	106.3	106.4	106.4	106.9	107.2	108.0	108.2	108.8
Sweden	102.5	104.0	103.8	103.4	103.5	103.9	104.3	104.7	104.5	104.7	105.3	105.9	106.6	106.6	106.8
United Kingdom	108.8	108.2	108.2	108.4	108.2	108.4	108.7	108.9	109.1	109.9	110.0	110.1	110.8	111.2	111.5
Norway	111.0	113.7	117.8	118.0	118.3	118.3	118.6	118.3	117.8	117.9	117.8	118.1	118.4	119.0	119.2
Switzerland	98.7	97.1	95.1	95.1	95.1	95.2	95.2	95.3	95.2	95.2	95.1	95.1	95.0	95.0	95.0

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