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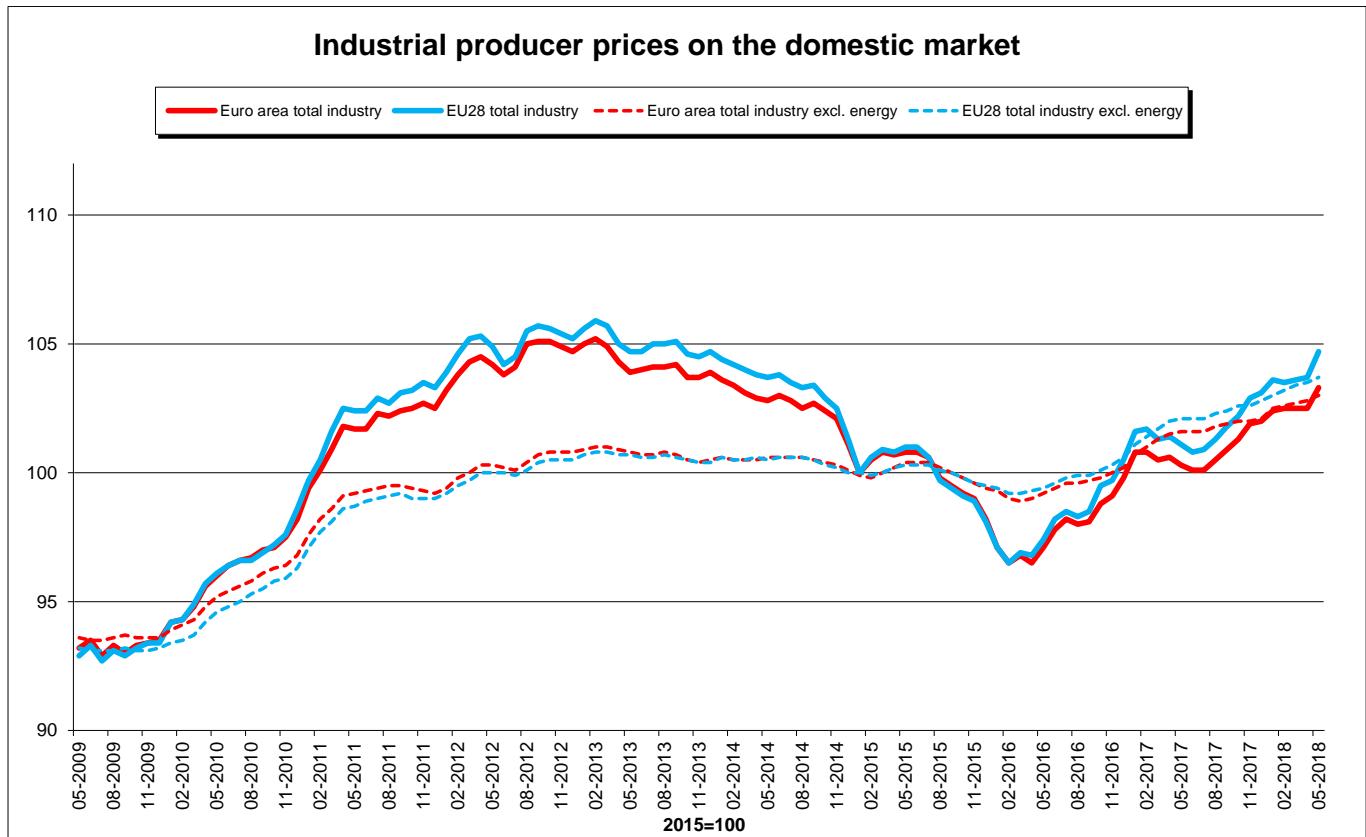
May 2018 compared with April 2018

Industrial producer prices up by 0.8% in euro area

Up by 1.0% in the EU28

In May 2018, compared with April 2018, industrial producer prices rose by 0.8% in the **euro area** (EA19) and by 1.0% in the **EU28**, according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In April 2018, prices remained unchanged in the **euro area** and increased by 0.1% in **EU28**.

In May 2018, compared with May 2017, industrial producer prices rose by 3.0% in the **euro area** and by 3.6% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The 0.8% increase in industrial producer prices in total industry in the **euro area** in May 2018, compared with April 2018, is due to rises of 2.6% in the energy sector, of 0.3% for intermediate goods and of 0.1% for durable consumer goods, while prices remained stable for capital goods and for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.2%.

In the **EU28**, the 1.0% increase is due to rises of 3.4% in the energy sector, of 0.3% for intermediate goods and durable consumer goods and of 0.1% for capital goods, while prices remained stable for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.2%.

The highest increases in industrial producer prices were observed in **Greece (+2.4%)**, **Portugal (+1.9%)**, **Cyprus** and **Hungary** (both +1.8%), while decreases were observed in **Ireland (-0.5%)** and **Latvia (-0.3%)**.

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The 3.0% increase in industrial producer prices in total industry in the **euro area** in May 2018, compared with May 2017, is due to rises of 7.6% in the energy sector, of 2.4% for intermediate goods, of 1.1% for durable consumer goods, of 0.9% for capital goods and of 0.3% for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.4%.

In the **EU28**, the 3.6% price increase is due to rises of 10.8% in the energy sector, of 2.7% for intermediate goods, of 1.3% for durable consumer goods, of 1.0% for capital goods and of 0.5% for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.6%.

The highest increases in industrial producer prices were recorded in the **United Kingdom (+6.7%)**, **Belgium (+6.5%)**, **Estonia**, **Greece** and **Hungary** (all +5.5%), while decreases were observed in **Ireland (-2.7%)** and **Luxembourg (-0.5%)**.

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 91/2018 of 4 June 2018, the monthly percentage change for April 2018 remains unchanged at 0.0% in the euro area and at +0.1% in the EU28. The annual percentage change has been revised from +2.0% to +1.9% in the euro area and from +2.4% to +2.3% 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_2015)

Eurostat €-indicators release calendar

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Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with previous month

	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18
EA19						
Total industry	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.8
Total industry excluding energy	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Intermediate goods	0.1	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Energy	0.3	0.6	-0.2	-0.4	-0.5	2.6
Capital goods	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Durable consumer goods	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Non-durable consumer goods	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.0
EU28						
Total industry	0.2	0.5	-0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0
Total industry excluding energy	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Intermediate goods	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Energy	0.4	1.0	-0.7	-0.3	0.3	3.4
Capital goods	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3
Non-durable consumer goods	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0

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

Total industry	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18
EA19	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.8
EU28	0.2	0.5	-0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0
Belgium	-0.1	0.6	-0.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.3
Bulgaria	0.1	1.0	-0.5	0.1	0.4	0.5
Czech Republic	0.3	0.5	-0.4	0.3	0.2	1.0
Denmark	-1.1	1.1	1.4	0.6	0.1	1.4
Germany	0.3	0.4	-0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4
Estonia	-0.3	2.9	2.2	0.6	-1.4	0.0
Ireland	0.1	0.2	0.2	-0.6	-0.3	-0.5
Greece	0.0	0.7	-1.1	-0.3	1.8	2.4
Spain	0.2	0.1	0.1	-1.1	0.7	1.2
France	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	-0.8	0.6
Croatia	-0.1	0.1	-0.5	-0.1	0.5	0.8
Italy	0.0	0.8	0.3	0.2	-0.7	1.0
Cyprus	-0.1	0.5	-0.3	0.5	0.4	1.8
Latvia	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.1	1.1	-0.3
Lithuania	-0.5	0.5	-0.2	-0.3	0.8	1.1
Luxembourg	0.7	0.3	0.8	-0.3	0.3	0.7
Hungary	-0.1	0.9	0.6	0.0	0.0	1.8
Malta	0.0	0.2	-0.3	0.1	0.0	0.1
Netherlands	-0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.6	0.6	1.2
Austria	-0.1	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.5	0.7
Poland	-0.2	0.1	-0.1	0.6	0.4	1.2
Portugal	-0.2	1.5	-0.4	-0.9	0.5	1.9
Romania	-0.3	1.5	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.9
Slovenia	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.3	-0.1	0.1
Slovakia	0.7	1.4	1.0	-0.1	0.4	0.1
Finland	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	-0.1	0.5
Sweden	1.1	0.9	0.2	0.6	-0.6	0.3
United Kingdom	0.8	0.3	-0.5	0.0	0.9	1.6
Norway	0.6	1.6	1.1	0.1	-0.3	0.4
Switzerland	0.1	0.2	0.0	-0.1	1.4	:

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

Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with same month of previous year

	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18
EA19						
Total industry	2.2	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.9	3.0
Total industry excluding energy	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.4
Intermediate goods	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.4
Energy	3.0	1.1	1.9	3.6	3.5	7.6
Capital goods	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9
Durable consumer goods	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1
Non-durable consumer goods	1.4	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.5	0.3
EU28						
Total industry	2.6	2.0	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.6
Total industry excluding energy	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.6
Intermediate goods	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.7
Energy	3.6	2.3	2.3	4.3	5.1	10.8
Capital goods	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Durable consumer goods	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.3
Non-durable consumer goods	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.5

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Total industry	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18
EA19	2.2	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.9	3.0
EU28	2.6	2.0	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.6
Belgium	5.3	3.8	3.2	3.8	4.2	6.5
Bulgaria	5.1	5.6	4.4	4.8	3.9	4.8
Czech Republic	0.7	0.5	-0.3	0.1	0.0	1.5
Denmark	0.8	0.7	1.4	3.2	3.6	5.1
Germany	2.3	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.6
Estonia	1.7	3.2	5.4	7.3	5.6	5.5
Ireland	-1.9	-1.9	-0.6	-1.6	-1.9	-2.7
Greece	1.7	1.6	-0.7	-0.2	1.1	5.5
Spain	1.8	0.0	1.3	1.2	1.8	2.9
France	2.2	1.3	1.5	2.2	1.7	2.9
Croatia	2.1	1.5	1.0	1.3	1.4	2.8
Italy	2.2	1.8	1.8	2.2	1.4	2.7
Cyprus	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-1.1	-0.9	0.4
Latvia	2.8	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.6	4.0
Lithuania	3.8	3.2	2.4	1.1	1.4	4.0
Luxembourg	-1.9	-3.5	-1.0	-1.4	-1.3	-0.5
Hungary	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.3	5.5
Malta	0.6	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
Netherlands	1.7	0.6	0.0	1.0	1.5	3.2
Austria	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.7	2.0	3.1
Poland	2.0	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.8	3.6
Portugal	1.8	0.6	0.9	0.4	1.0	3.4
Romania	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.5	4.1	5.3
Slovenia	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.5	2.0	1.8
Slovakia	2.1	2.7	3.2	3.3	4.3	4.7
Finland	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.9	2.7	3.2
Sweden	2.6	2.9	3.1	4.0	4.2	5.0
United Kingdom	4.8	4.0	3.2	3.7	4.5	6.7
Norway	3.4	4.6	4.7	5.9	6.0	6.4
Switzerland	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	1.7	:

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Industrial producer prices indices on the domestic market for total industry
 (base year 2015)

	05/15	05/16	05/17	06/17	07/17	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18
EA19	100.8	97.1	100.3	100.1	100.1	100.5	100.9	101.3	101.9	102.0	102.4	102.5	102.5	102.5	103.3
EU28	101.0	97.4	101.1	100.8	100.9	101.3	101.8	102.2	102.9	103.1	103.6	103.5	103.6	103.7	104.7
Belgium	101.9	96.7	105.3	104.4	104.1	105.0	106.4	108.9	110.8	110.7	111.4	111.0	110.8	110.7	112.1
Bulgaria	101.2	96.6	100.1	99.7	102.1	102.5	102.8	102.8	103.3	103.4	104.4	103.9	104.0	104.4	104.9
Czech Republic	101.3	96.5	98.7	98.0	97.8	98.0	98.4	98.4	98.3	98.6	99.1	98.7	99.0	99.2	100.2
Denmark	101.5	97.2	101.3	100.2	101.1	101.2	102.6	101.1	102.9	101.8	102.9	104.3	104.9	105.0	106.5
Germany	100.5	97.8	100.5	100.5	100.6	100.8	101.2	101.4	101.5	101.8	102.2	102.1	102.3	102.7	103.1
Estonia	100.5	96.9	100.3	100.0	101.5	101.7	102.1	101.6	101.8	101.5	104.4	106.7	107.3	105.8	105.8
Ireland	100.0	101.1	100.3	100.4	100.5	100.5	100.7	100.6	98.5	98.6	98.8	99.0	98.4	98.1	97.6
Greece	103.4	94.9	97.8	96.6	96.8	97.4	98.6	98.6	99.7	99.7	100.4	99.3	99.0	100.8	103.2
Spain	101.1	95.4	100.5	100.4	100.3	100.3	100.9	101.7	102.2	102.4	102.5	102.6	101.5	102.2	103.4
France	100.4	97.0	99.1	98.8	98.9	99.4	99.8	100.0	101.7	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.2	101.4	102.0
Croatia	101.8	95.4	97.6	96.9	97.0	97.6	98.0	98.3	99.6	99.5	99.6	99.1	99.0	99.5	100.3
Italy	101.0	96.9	100.0	99.8	99.8	100.3	100.3	100.7	101.1	101.1	101.9	102.2	102.4	101.7	102.7
Cyprus	99.7	93.7	99.7	99.8	100.3	100.4	99.3	98.9	97.3	97.2	97.7	97.4	97.9	98.3	100.1
Latvia	100.4	96.1	98.5	99.2	99.6	99.6	100.0	99.5	99.4	99.7	100.8	101.5	101.6	102.7	102.4
Lithuania	102.1	96.4	99.5	98.9	99.4	99.7	100.5	100.9	102.1	101.6	102.1	101.9	101.6	102.4	103.5
Luxembourg	100.8	98.0	97.3	97.5	92.2	92.5	93.9	94.5	94.3	95.0	95.3	96.1	95.8	96.1	96.8
Hungary	101.4	96.5	101.0	100.8	99.7	100.6	101.5	102.2	103.3	103.2	104.1	104.7	104.7	104.7	106.6
Malta	98.6	99.5	100.2	100.2	100.2	100.4	100.4	100.3	100.4	100.4	100.6	100.3	100.4	100.4	100.5
Netherlands	101.9	96.8	101.6	100.9	100.5	100.7	101.7	101.9	102.6	102.5	102.6	102.5	103.1	103.7	104.9
Austria	100.6	97.0	98.9	98.8	98.6	98.8	99.4	99.8	100.6	100.5	100.9	100.8	100.8	101.3	102.0
Poland	100.5	99.7	104.2	103.8	104.1	104.5	105.2	105.5	105.8	105.6	105.7	105.6	106.2	106.6	107.9
Portugal	101.3	97.2	101.2	101.1	101.3	101.4	101.7	102.0	102.1	101.9	103.4	103.0	102.1	102.6	104.6
Romania	100.7	97.0	99.7	99.5	99.6	100.3	100.6	101.4	102.2	101.9	103.4	103.5	103.7	104.1	105.0
Slovenia	100.3	98.4	99.9	99.8	99.9	100.0	100.2	100.2	100.6	100.7	101.1	101.4	101.7	101.6	101.7
Slovakia	101.1	95.2	97.1	97.0	96.5	97.3	97.6	98.0	98.2	98.9	100.3	101.3	101.2	101.6	101.7
Finland	100.6	97.8	100.9	100.5	100.9	101.1	101.3	101.3	101.8	102.1	102.6	103.1	103.7	103.6	104.1
Sweden	100.6	98.2	103.0	102.5	103.3	103.1	103.6	104.2	105.3	106.5	107.5	107.7	108.4	107.8	108.1
United Kingdom	102.2	98.6	104.8	104.1	104.3	105.5	106.5	107.1	108.3	109.2	109.5	109.0	109.0	110.0	111.8
Norway	101.9	100.0	102.3	100.2	100.4	101.0	102.8	102.9	105.1	105.7	107.4	108.6	108.7	108.4	108.8
Switzerland	100.2	98.5	98.3	98.2	98.1	98.2	98.4	98.4	98.6	98.7	98.9	98.8	98.8	100.2	:

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Industrial producer prices indices on the domestic market for total industry excluding energy
 (base year 2015)

	05/15	05/16	05/17	06/17	07/17	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18
EA19	100.4	99.2	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.8	101.9	102.0	102.0	102.1	102.5	102.6	102.7	102.8	103.0
EU28	100.3	99.4	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.3	102.4	102.6	102.6	102.8	103.0	103.2	103.4	103.5	103.7
Belgium	101.3	98.3	103.8	103.7	103.7	104.3	104.7	105.0	105.1	105.4	105.7	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.6
Bulgaria	100.7	99.2	101.9	101.7	101.9	102.2	102.5	102.7	102.8	103.0	103.0	102.7	102.8	103.1	103.3
Czech Republic	100.6	97.8	99.9	99.5	99.3	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.1	99.4	99.4	99.2	99.5	99.4	100.1
Denmark	100.1	100.3	101.9	101.8	101.7	102.0	102.1	101.9	101.7	101.7	101.8	102.0	102.2	102.4	102.4
Germany	100.2	99.5	102.0	102.1	102.2	102.3	102.4	102.6	102.5	102.6	103.1	103.3	103.4	103.6	103.8
Estonia	100.3	98.3	100.8	100.8	101.6	101.6	101.2	102.0	101.8	101.9	103.8	104.4	104.2	104.3	104.5
Ireland	100.0	101.1	100.3	100.4	100.5	100.5	100.7	100.6	98.4	98.6	98.8	99.0	98.4	98.2	97.7
Greece	100.2	99.4	99.6	99.5	99.6	99.8	100.0	99.8	99.7	99.8	99.8	99.6	99.6	99.7	99.7
Spain	100.4	99.4	102.0	101.9	101.9	102.0	102.1	102.2	102.2	102.3	102.7	102.9	103.0	103.1	103.0
France	100.4	98.9	100.5	100.6	100.4	100.6	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.8	101.1	101.1	101.4	101.4	101.6
Croatia	100.3	98.4	98.9	98.7	98.7	99.0	99.2	99.2	99.3	99.4	99.3	99.2	99.2	99.0	99.0
Italy	100.2	99.3	101.3	101.3	101.4	101.5	101.6	101.8	101.8	101.9	102.1	102.1	102.3	102.3	102.3
Cyprus	99.7	99.1	99.8	100.1	100.4	100.4	100.7	100.2	100.4	100.3	99.8	99.3	99.5	99.9	100.3
Latvia	100.4	98.6	101.9	102.3	103.1	103.2	103.9	103.9	103.9	104.3	105.3	105.9	106.0	106.5	106.2
Lithuania	100.9	97.5	102.6	102.3	102.9	102.5	102.5	102.6	103.1	102.7	102.9	102.5	102.7	103.1	103.2
Luxembourg	100.6	99.9	102.0	102.4	102.2	102.7	104.9	105.8	105.5	106.7	106.9	108.1	107.7	108.2	109.4
Hungary	100.4	100.0	104.7	104.7	104.4	104.6	105.3	105.9	106.3	106.5	107.0	107.6	107.7	107.8	108.5
Malta	99.8	101.1	102.2	102.3	102.3	102.5	102.5	102.4	102.5	102.6	102.8	102.7	102.9	102.9	103.0
Netherlands	101.5	98.9	103.6	103.2	102.9	102.8	103.3	103.4	103.4	103.3	103.7	104.0	104.4	104.7	105.0
Austria	100.3	99.3	101.6	101.8	101.7	101.9	101.9	102.0	102.1	102.0	102.5	102.7	102.9	103.1	103.3
Poland	99.7	100.8	104.2	104.5	104.7	105.0	105.6	105.4	105.5	105.2	105.1	105.4	105.8	105.8	106.2
Portugal	100.1	100.1	101.1	101.1	101.5	101.6	101.5	101.5	101.7	101.8	102.1	102.1	101.9	102.2	102.4
Romania	100.0	99.5	102.6	102.8	102.8	103.0	103.7	103.8	103.9	104.2	105.1	105.4	105.7	106.0	105.9
Slovenia	100.5	98.7	100.7	100.5	100.7	100.8	100.9	101.0	101.4	101.5	101.9	101.9	102.2	102.1	102.2
Slovakia	100.3	97.9	99.7	100.0	99.3	100.2	100.2	100.4	100.4	100.8	100.9	101.0	101.0	101.2	101.0
Finland	100.5	98.2	100.5	100.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.6	100.8	101.3	101.7	101.9	102.2	102.4	102.7
Sweden	100.7	99.5	103.2	103.3	103.8	103.5	103.5	103.7	104.1	104.7	105.3	105.3	105.6	106.2	107.0
United Kingdom	100.3	100.3	104.2	104.2	104.3	104.6	104.8	105.1	105.3	106.1	105.7	106.0	106.3	106.5	106.8
Norway	99.7	103.0	104.3	104.2	104.4	104.2	104.3	104.3	104.5	104.5	105.3	105.9	106.5	106.8	107.1
Switzerland	99.9	98.9	98.7	98.5	98.4	98.4	98.5	98.6	98.6	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.8	99.6	:

: Data not available

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