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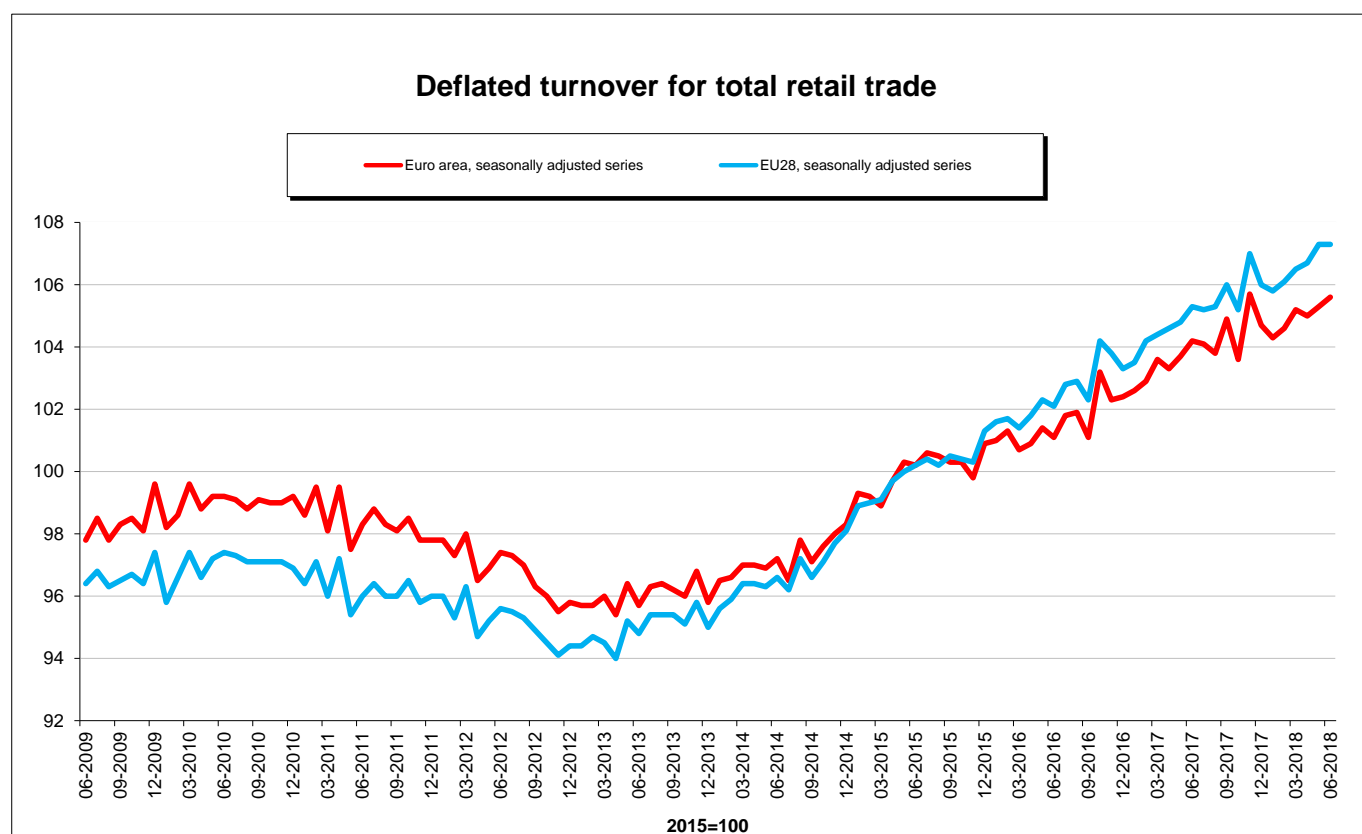
June 2018 compared with May 2018

Volume of retail trade up by 0.3% in euro area

Stable in EU28

In June 2018 compared with May 2018, the seasonally adjusted volume of retail trade increased by 0.3% in the **euro area** (EA19) and remained stable in the **EU28**, according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In May, the retail trade volume increased by 0.3% in the **euro area** and by 0.6% in the **EU28**.

In June 2018 compared with June 2017 the calendar adjusted retail sales index increased by 1.2% in the **euro area** and by 1.9% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by retail sector and by Member State

The 0.3% increase in the volume of retail trade in the **euro area** in June 2018, compared with May 2018, is due to rises of 0.7% in "food, drinks and tobacco" and of 0.6% in automotive fuels, while non-food products fell by 0.3%. In the **EU28**, the unchanged volume of retail trade is due to increases of 0.4% in "food, drinks and tobacco" and of 0.1% in automotive fuel, while non-food products fell by 0.4%.

Among Member States for which data are available, the highest increases in the total retail trade volume were registered in **Germany** (+1.2%), **Spain** and **Poland** (both +0.7%). The largest decreases were observed in **Sweden** and **Finland** (both -2.1%) as well as **Estonia** (-1.9%).

Annual comparison by retail sector and by Member State

The 1.2% increase in the volume of retail trade in the **euro area** in June 2018, compared with June 2017, is due to rises of 1.7% for "food, drinks and tobacco" and of 1.3% for non-food products, while automotive fuels fell by 0.6%. In the **EU28**, the 1.9% increase in retail trade volume is due to increases of 2.0% for "food, drinks and tobacco", 1.9% for non-food products and 1.2% for automotive fuel.

Among Member States for which data are available, the highest yearly increases in the total retail trade volume were registered in **Romania** (+7.8%), **Lithuania** (+7.2%), **Hungary** (+6.1%) and **Bulgaria** (+6.0%). The largest decreases were observed in **Malta** (-1.5%), **Austria** (-1.4%) and **Estonia** (-1.2%).

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 the volume of retail trade** measures the evolution of the turnover in retail trade, adjusted for price changes (deflated), i.e. the evolution of the total amount of goods sold, based on data adjusted for calendar and seasonal effects.

Seasonally adjusted euro area and EU series are calculated by aggregating the seasonally adjusted national data. Eurostat carries out the seasonal adjustment of the data for those countries that do not adjust their data for seasonal effects.

Missing observations from Member States for recent months are estimated for the calculation of the euro area and the EU aggregates.

Revisions and timetable

Data of previous months have been revised compared to those issued in the News Release [109/2018](#) of 3 July 2018. The monthly percentage change for May 2018 has been revised from 0.0% to +0.3% in the euro area and from +0.3% to +0.6% in the EU28. The annual percentage change was revised from +1.4% to +1.6% in the euro area and from +2.3% to +2.5% in the EU28.

For more information

Eurostat [database section](#) on short-term business statistics

Eurostat [Statistics Explained article](#) on the index of retail trade

The [weights of the Member States](#) in the EU and euro area aggregates

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Volume of retail trade
% change compared with the previous month*

	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18
EA19						
Total retail trade	-0.4	0.3	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.3
Food, drinks, tobacco	-0.6	1.1	0.7	-1.3	1.1	0.7
Non-food products (except automotive fuel), of which:	0.0	-0.2	0.1	1.6	-0.8	-0.3
Textiles, clothing, footwear	-1.6	0.7	0.2	2.2	-2.9	-0.2
Electrical goods and furniture	1.3	-1.0	0.1	1.4	-0.3	0.7
Computer equipment, books and other	0.2	-0.4	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0
Pharmaceutical and medical goods	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	-0.4	0.2
Mail orders and internet	-1.3	-2.6	3.5	2.9	-2.5	3.9
Automotive fuel in specialised stores	-0.1	0.8	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.6
EU28						
Total retail trade	-0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.0
Food, drinks, tobacco	-0.7	1.2	0.6	-1.0	1.3	0.4
Non-food products (except automotive fuel), of which:	0.1	-0.4	0.2	1.4	-0.1	-0.4
Textiles, clothing, footwear	-0.8	-0.3	0.1	2.2	-1.6	-0.3
Electrical goods and furniture	1.2	-0.7	0.2	1.7	0.0	0.5
Computer equipment, books and other	-0.1	-0.9	-0.6	2.3	0.2	-0.8
Pharmaceutical and medical goods	1.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.2
Mail orders and internet	-1.0	-1.3	2.7	1.9	-0.2	2.3
Automotive fuel in specialised stores	0.5	0.8	-0.9	1.2	0.4	0.1

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

Total retail trade	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18
EA19	-0.4	0.3	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.3
EU28	-0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.0
Belgium	-2.4	1.3	0.6	-1.6	3.0	-0.2
Bulgaria	-0.2	-0.2	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.3
Czech Republic	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.5	c
Denmark	-0.5	0.1	0.7	-0.5	1.5	-0.1
Germany	-0.5	-0.3	0.3	1.4	-1.5	1.2
Estonia	-2.5	1.9	0.7	-2.3	3.0	-1.9
Ireland	1.1	0.0	-1.9	1.9	1.6	0.2
Greece	-0.5	1.3	-0.8	0.8	c	c
Spain	0.1	0.5	0.3	-0.7	0.0	0.7
France	-0.6	0.9	1.6	-1.7	1.1	-0.1
Croatia	1.8	-1.2	0.7	0.2	4.7	c
Italy	-0.5	0.8	-0.3	-0.7	0.7	0.0
Cyprus	2.3	0.1	1.2	-1.6	0.9	c
Latvia	1.6	-2.3	2.1	-1.2	3.3	-1.0
Lithuania	0.2	-0.7	1.2	2.0	0.9	0.0
Luxembourg	0.9	-0.6	1.4	-1.4	1.2	-0.3
Hungary	1.1	0.0	1.0	-0.2	1.5	-0.2
Malta	-1.1	-0.1	0.1	-1.4	0.8	-0.3
Netherlands	1.0	-0.8	0.8	2.2	-0.7	c
Austria	1.3	-0.6	1.6	0.0	-0.3	-0.9
Poland	1.0	0.9	-0.2	0.3	-0.1	0.7
Portugal	0.0	-0.2	1.7	-3.5	4.6	-1.2
Romania	-1.4	-2.8	1.0	2.1	2.0	-0.2
Slovenia	-0.4	-0.3	1.3	-1.7	3.4	0.5
Slovakia	-0.9	0.4	0.9	-0.6	0.8	-0.6
Finland	0.5	-0.5	0.2	-0.7	2.1	-2.1
Sweden	-1.0	-0.3	2.0	0.6	0.1	-2.1
United Kingdom	-0.1	0.8	-0.8	1.4	1.8	-0.5
Norway	-0.4	0.3	0.4	0.6	2.0	-2.9
Switzerland	-0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	-1.0	0.5

* Calendar and seasonally adjusted

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

Volume of retail trade
% change compared with the same month of the previous year*

	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18
EA19						
Total retail trade	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.2
Food, drinks, tobacco	0.1	1.9	2.5	-0.4	1.9	1.7
Non-food products (except automotive fuel), of which:	3.0	1.9	1.0	3.4	1.7	1.3
Textiles, clothing, footwear	-0.5	-1.6	-2.5	2.3	-2.4	-1.0
Electrical goods and furniture	2.8	0.8	-0.5	1.4	1.9	1.6
Computer equipment, books and other	2.5	1.4	-0.8	2.7	2.6	1.9
Pharmaceutical and medical goods	2.5	3.6	2.6	2.9	1.1	1.5
Mail orders and internet	7.6	3.9	6.0	10.0	4.5	9.8
Automotive fuel in specialised stores	-1.2	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.0	-0.6
EU28						
Total retail trade	1.9	1.8	2.3	1.5	2.5	1.9
Food, drinks, tobacco	-0.3	1.4	2.6	-1.1	2.1	2.0
Non-food products (except automotive fuel), of which:	3.5	1.8	2.0	3.3	2.9	1.9
Textiles, clothing, footwear	0.4	-1.6	-2.7	1.5	-1.1	-0.6
Electrical goods and furniture	3.1	1.2	0.3	1.4	3.4	2.7
Computer equipment, books and other	2.5	-0.2	0.0	4.2	2.3	0.3
Pharmaceutical and medical goods	4.7	6.2	5.2	5.6	4.7	5.1
Mail orders and internet	9.3	5.5	8.1	8.7	7.8	9.7
Automotive fuel in specialised stores	1.3	2.6	1.6	2.6	2.2	1.2

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Total retail trade	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18
EA19	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.2
EU28	1.9	1.8	2.3	1.5	2.5	1.9
Belgium	-2.7	0.8	-0.1	-1.5	-0.1	-0.3
Bulgaria	4.4	3.0	2.4	5.1	6.2	6.0
Czech Republic	8.1	6.2	4.5	5.0	4.9	c
Denmark	0.1	0.5	1.8	-0.1	3.5	2.7
Germany	2.3	1.1	0.0	3.1	0.7	1.1
Estonia	-1.1	2.3	1.6	-1.3	2.4	-1.2
Ireland	6.4	6.5	3.4	3.1	5.0	5.1
Greece	1.0	-0.4	1.5	1.6	c	c
Spain	2.0	2.1	1.7	0.2	-0.3	0.3
France	2.4	2.9	4.5	2.2	3.0	2.5
Croatia	5.3	0.0	2.0	5.2	9.2	c
Italy	-2.6	0.2	-0.3	-2.3	0.0	-0.5
Cyprus	10.4	8.0	9.8	4.9	4.5	c
Latvia	6.3	3.5	6.3	3.0	6.9	5.6
Lithuania	5.2	3.0	5.2	7.0	7.1	7.2
Luxembourg	3.2	1.7	6.7	-1.2	2.3	2.0
Hungary	7.8	6.7	7.3	6.1	7.6	6.1
Malta	5.5	4.7	3.5	-3.0	-0.5	-1.5
Netherlands	2.7	2.5	2.1	5.0	3.2	c
Austria	0.8	0.1	0.5	1.5	0.7	-1.4
Poland	5.5	7.1	6.0	6.6	5.6	5.5
Portugal	5.7	4.5	5.5	1.1	5.6	3.5
Romania	11.7	4.7	4.3	7.2	7.0	7.8
Slovenia	-0.4	-1.7	0.6	-0.8	4.1	4.8
Slovakia	4.3	5.0	5.1	2.8	3.5	1.2
Finland	3.2	2.3	2.9	0.9	4.4	0.1
Sweden	0.1	-0.2	3.0	3.5	3.5	0.4
United Kingdom	1.7	0.6	3.6	-1.4	4.0	2.9
Norway	1.9	1.1	1.2	1.9	3.1	-0.3
Switzerland	-0.4	-0.2	-1.0	3.1	0.4	0.3

* Calendar adjusted

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Deflated turnover indices for total retail trade, calendar and seasonally adjusted
(base year 2015)

	06/17	07/17	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18
EA19	104.2	104.1	103.8	104.9	103.6	105.7	104.7	104.3	104.6	105.2	105.0	105.3	105.6
EU28	105.3	105.2	105.3	106.0	105.2	107.0	106.0	105.8	106.1	106.5	106.7	107.3	107.3
Belgium	101.0	98.1	98.3	99.3	98.1	101.1	100.1	97.7	99.0	99.6	98.0	100.9	100.7
Bulgaria	109.5	109.9	110.5	110.5	111.3	111.6	112.2	112.0	111.8	112.8	114.3	115.0	115.4
Czech Republic	110.9	111.0	111.6	112.7	112.1	113.7	114.0	114.8	114.9	115.0	115.6	116.2	c
Denmark	101.6	102.0	101.7	102.7	101.6	103.2	103.0	102.5	102.6	103.3	102.8	104.3	104.2
Germany	105.6	105.2	104.7	106.3	105.0	106.9	106.0	105.5	105.2	105.5	107.0	105.4	106.7
Estonia	107.1	105.4	104.9	106.0	105.7	105.7	107.4	104.7	106.7	107.4	104.9	108.0	105.9
Ireland	106.9	107.6	108.0	108.1	108.0	110.5	109.1	110.3	110.3	108.2	110.3	112.1	112.3
Greece	101.4	103.2	100.3	100.3	100.6	99.7	101.3	100.8	102.1	101.3	102.1	c	c
Spain	105.8	105.0	104.9	105.6	103.8	106.2	105.0	105.1	105.6	105.9	105.2	105.2	105.9
France	106.0	106.8	106.8	108.6	106.3	110.1	108.1	107.4	108.4	110.1	108.2	109.4	109.3
Croatia	106.2	106.3	106.5	105.6	105.2	106.5	106.0	107.9	106.6	107.3	107.5	112.5	c
Italy	100.3	100.0	100.0	99.9	99.6	100.0	99.6	99.1	99.9	99.6	98.9	99.6	99.6
Cyprus	112.6	111.9	111.9	113.7	113.4	114.9	114.2	116.8	116.9	118.3	116.4	117.5	c
Latvia	106.0	106.8	107.7	107.2	107.1	108.9	109.2	111.0	108.4	110.7	109.4	113.0	111.9
Lithuania	110.7	111.1	111.9	111.7	111.9	113.3	114.5	114.7	113.9	115.3	117.6	118.7	118.7
Luxembourg	34.5	34.5	34.2	34.7	34.4	34.8	34.6	34.9	34.7	35.2	34.7	35.1	35.0
Hungary	110.4	109.9	110.4	111.7	112.5	113.1	113.5	114.8	114.8	115.9	115.7	117.4	117.2
Malta	107.2	106.9	107.3	108.9	108.0	107.1	109.3	108.1	108.0	108.1	106.6	107.4	107.1
Netherlands	104.8	105.2	104.3	105.3	105.1	107.0	105.3	106.4	105.5	106.3	108.6	107.8	c
Austria	103.3	102.7	101.6	102.9	101.0	103.3	100.8	102.1	101.5	103.1	103.1	102.8	101.9
Poland	112.0	112.3	112.3	113.1	113.4	116.3	115.3	116.4	117.4	117.2	117.6	117.5	118.3
Portugal	107.7	107.6	107.1	108.0	106.2	109.4	109.8	109.8	109.6	111.5	107.6	112.6	111.3
Romania	123.2	125.2	128.8	129.0	128.4	129.7	131.9	130.1	126.5	127.8	130.5	133.1	132.9
Slovenia	111.1	112.6	111.5	111.7	112.7	115.2	112.8	112.4	112.1	113.6	111.7	115.5	116.1
Slovakia	109.4	107.6	109.0	108.8	109.3	110.3	111.0	110.0	110.4	111.4	110.7	111.6	110.9
Finland	105.0	104.9	104.9	105.4	105.2	106.6	105.9	106.4	105.9	106.1	105.4	107.6	105.3
Sweden	104.1	104.7	104.3	104.9	105.0	106.3	105.4	104.3	104.0	106.1	106.7	106.8	104.6
United Kingdom	106.3	106.3	107.5	106.5	107.1	107.9	106.6	106.5	107.4	106.5	108.0	109.9	109.4
Norway	102.4	102.7	102.1	101.3	101.1	103.2	102.2	101.8	102.1	102.5	103.1	105.2	102.2
Switzerland	98.8	97.7	96.9	97.9	97.3	99.1	98.4	98.1	98.5	99.0	99.4	98.4	98.9

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Deflated turnover indices for total retail trade, calendar adjusted
(base year 2015)

	06/15	06/16	06/17	07/17	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18
EA19	99.2	100.3	103.4	104.6	105.3	102.5	104.8	106.2	125.9	99.4	92.6	103.3	102.6	104.5	104.6
EU28	99.4	101.3	104.5	106.0	106.1	103.5	106.4	109.6	128.1	98.8	94.0	103.9	103.9	106.6	106.5
Belgium	102.2	100.6	102.3	100.4	92.1	97.5	100.1	98.2	119.3	97.5	87.0	100.4	97.3	102.1	102.0
Bulgaria	99.8	108.7	111.5	117.8	119.6	113.1	114.5	111.1	125.0	97.9	95.2	109.0	111.3	115.8	118.2
Czech Republic	99.4	105.2	112.1	107.9	109.3	112.0	113.5	123.2	139.1	102.8	98.8	113.2	111.9	117.0	c
Denmark	101.0	102.8	103.0	101.2	102.2	97.5	100.5	107.6	126.0	94.6	87.4	99.9	102.8	109.2	105.8
Germany	97.9	99.2	103.2	105.7	101.2	103.3	107.1	111.3	125.7	97.6	93.7	106.8	107.7	104.9	104.3
Estonia	104.2	107.3	111.8	112.7	109.5	103.9	107.0	102.7	122.0	95.8	90.5	103.8	101.5	113.2	110.5
Ireland	96.2	97.8	104.0	105.0	106.0	102.8	104.1	121.9	150.8	101.6	105.0	98.2	102.6	107.7	109.3
Greece	101.2	97.5	101.2	107.8	105.5	99.2	99.4	95.8	116.5	95.6	99.2	95.0	101.9	c	c
Spain	98.2	103.9	106.5	115.1	103.7	104.0	102.0	103.3	123.3	106.4	92.6	102.1	100.8	102.5	106.8
France	100.3	102.2	105.5	94.2	120.4	105.2	107.3	108.5	134.5	104.5	95.6	106.4	104.9	107.8	108.1
Croatia	106.0	105.4	113.3	130.2	130.6	110.5	104.4	96.3	112.4	87.6	82.8	99.2	104.1	111.9	c
Italy	96.8	97.0	98.1	107.7	98.2	98.9	102.0	99.7	120.7	94.0	88.1	96.4	93.0	99.0	97.6
Cyprus	101.4	107.3	116.0	123.0	115.9	116.0	114.2	110.3	137.6	105.5	98.3	109.3	112.6	115.9	c
Latvia	101.7	103.6	107.4	114.5	117.0	108.8	109.9	105.3	124.0	101.0	92.2	105.1	104.5	114.6	113.4
Lithuania	102.0	108.5	111.9	116.8	119.5	110.7	114.3	110.8	132.7	104.9	97.2	111.8	113.1	122.4	120.0
Luxembourg	133.4	47.7	34.6	35.6	31.0	34.4	35.4	34.4	40.7	32.6	30.2	36.6	33.8	35.3	35.3
Hungary	98.4	104.4	110.4	115.7	116.2	113.6	117.5	115.6	135.8	96.7	94.1	112.4	112.1	117.2	117.1
Malta	102.0	104.4	109.8	112.4	108.9	107.6	111.1	107.8	128.8	99.3	95.3	103.0	102.9	107.8	108.1
Netherlands	103.2	103.7	107.5	107.6	101.3	102.4	107.0	107.9	121.6	102.2	91.6	104.1	107.4	111.0	c
Austria	98.3	98.4	101.6	104.3	99.7	100.6	103.7	103.6	119.3	95.9	91.0	104.2	102.8	101.3	100.2
Poland	100.9	106.1	112.4	114.5	115.2	114.3	117.4	111.8	134.0	104.1	102.4	118.8	117.6	117.6	118.6
Portugal	96.8	100.3	105.5	116.5	117.0	107.9	105.6	108.2	133.7	100.8	94.4	106.4	101.0	109.1	109.2
Romania	98.4	113.0	122.2	132.0	140.6	134.2	132.8	135.6	148.0	109.6	104.6	120.5	128.9	132.8	131.7
Slovenia	100.9	103.9	113.0	117.0	114.4	114.5	117.7	113.3	124.7	105.2	97.6	112.6	108.5	113.2	118.4
Slovakia	101.6	104.2	112.4	106.2	108.2	107.8	111.1	113.3	129.3	99.0	98.5	111.8	108.7	113.6	113.7
Finland	105.3	106.8	110.0	112.3	108.5	102.3	104.9	104.9	128.4	94.5	88.6	101.3	101.2	111.8	110.1
Sweden	106.1	109.3	110.5	109.0	105.8	100.8	105.9	107.2	124.0	93.3	87.6	102.3	104.7	111.6	110.9
United Kingdom	98.5	101.3	103.8	106.0	103.5	102.3	107.2	119.6	133.5	95.8	98.0	101.3	102.9	107.6	106.8
Norway	106.8	106.6	109.1	103.9	105.4	97.3	100.3	106.5	126.1	93.0	86.2	96.0	95.5	111.2	108.8
Switzerland	99.9	96.2	97.8	97.6	91.4	93.9	97.8	104.8	120.2	93.5	86.8	98.5	96.7	100.1	98.1

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