

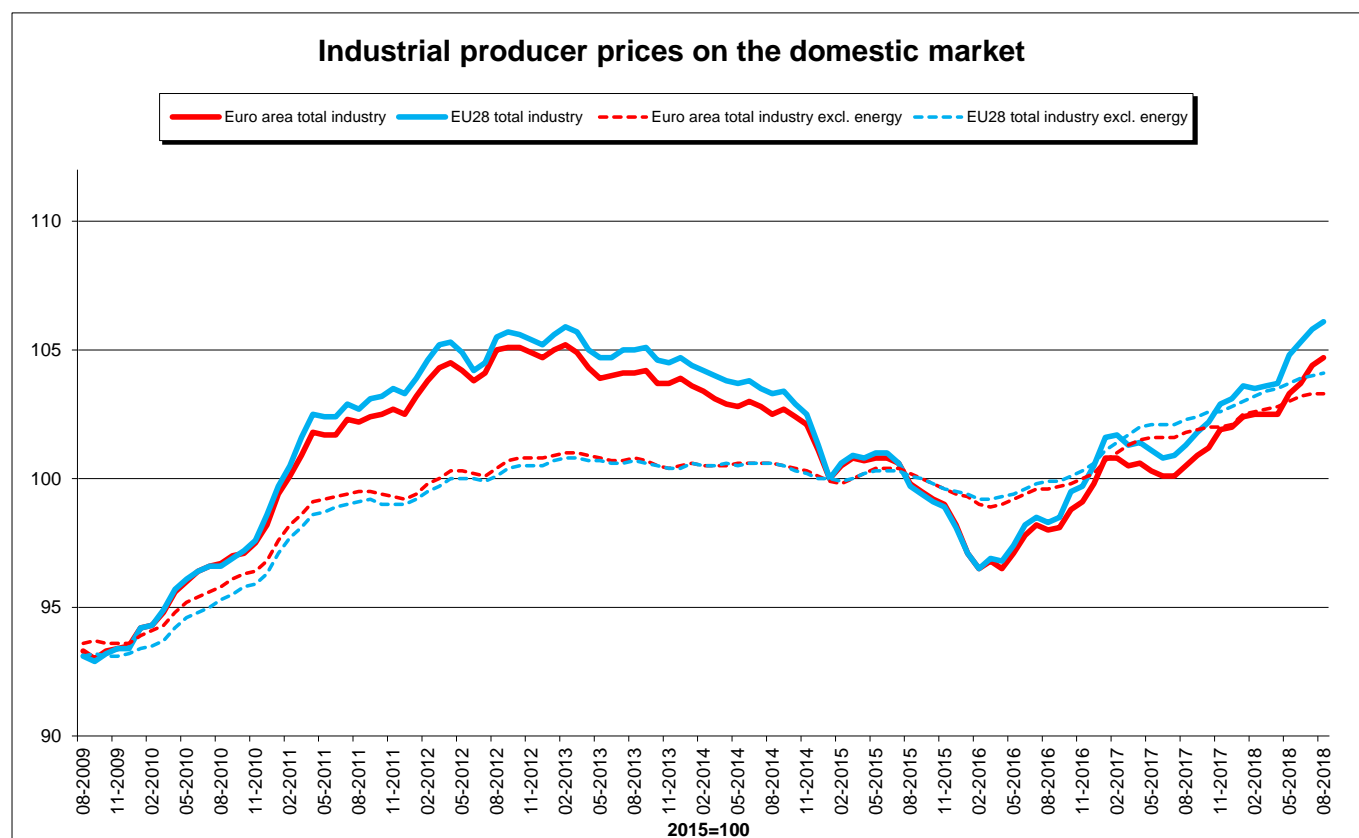
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August 2018 compared with July 2018

Industrial producer prices up by 0.3% in both euro area and EU28

In August 2018, compared with July 2018, industrial producer prices rose by 0.3% in both the **euro area** (EA19) and the **EU28**, according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In July 2018, prices increased by 0.7% in the **euro area** and by 0.5% in **EU28**.

In August 2018, compared with August 2017, industrial producer prices rose by 4.2% in the **euro area** and by 4.7% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

Industrial producer prices in the **euro area** in August 2018, compared with July 2018, rose by 0.9% in the energy sector, by 0.2% for durable consumer goods and by 0.1% for intermediate goods and non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy remained stable.

In the **EU28**, industrial producer prices rose by 1.0% in the energy sector and by 0.1% for intermediate goods and durable consumer goods, while prices remained stable for capital goods and non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.1%.

Industrial producer prices increased in all Member States for which data are available. The highest increases were observed in **Latvia** (+2.1%), **Romania** (+1.0%), **Denmark** (+0.8%), **Belgium** and **Hungary** (both +0.6%).

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

Industrial producer prices in the **euro area** in August 2018, compared with August 2017, rose by 12.0% in the energy sector, by 3.2% for intermediate goods and by 1.3% for durable consumer goods, while prices remained stable for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.5%.

In the **EU28**, industrial producer prices rose by 15.0% in the energy sector, by 3.4% for intermediate goods, by 1.6% for durable consumer goods, by 1.1% for capital goods and by 0.2% for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.8%.

The highest increases in industrial producer prices were recorded in **Denmark** (+10.3%), **Belgium** (+9.5%), **Estonia** (+9.2%) and **Hungary** (+8.4%), while the only decrease was observed in **Ireland** (-2.8%).

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 137/2018 of 4 September 2018, the monthly percentage change for July 2018 has been revised in the euro area from +0.4% to +0.7% and from +0.3% to +0.5% in the EU28. The annual percentage change has been revised in the euro area from +4.0% to +4.3% and from +4.7% to +4.9% 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

	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18
EA19						
Total industry	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.3
Total industry excluding energy	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0
Intermediate goods	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1
Energy	-0.4	-0.5	2.6	1.0	2.4	0.9
Capital goods	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	:
Durable consumer goods	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2
Non-durable consumer goods	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
EU28						
Total industry	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.3
Total industry excluding energy	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Intermediate goods	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1
Energy	-0.3	0.4	3.7	1.3	1.4	1.0
Capital goods	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
Durable consumer goods	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0

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Total industry	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18
EA19	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.3
EU28	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.3
Belgium	-0.2	-0.1	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.6
Bulgaria	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.2
Czech Republic	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.1
Denmark	0.6	0.1	1.4	2.6	1.3	0.8
Germany	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	:
Estonia	0.6	-1.4	0.0	2.1	2.3	0.5
Ireland	-0.6	-0.3	-0.5	0.2	-0.1	0.0
Greece	-0.3	1.8	2.4	-0.6	0.5	0.2
Spain	-1.1	0.7	1.3	1.0	0.5	0.5
France	0.2	-0.8	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.2
Croatia	-0.1	0.5	0.8	-0.1	0.7	0.1
Italy	0.2	-0.7	1.0	0.3	1.8	0.5
Cyprus	0.5	0.5	2.7	0.1	1.8	0.1
Latvia	0.1	1.1	-0.3	1.5	1.3	2.1
Lithuania	-0.3	0.8	1.1	0.5	0.7	0.4
Luxembourg	-0.4	0.5	0.9	-1.1	0.8	0.0
Hungary	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.6	0.1	0.6
Malta	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Netherlands	0.6	0.5	1.2	0.6	0.1	0.2
Austria	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.4
Poland	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.3
Portugal	-0.9	0.6	1.9	0.7	0.4	0.2
Romania	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.6	-0.5	1.0
Slovenia	0.3	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1
Slovakia	-0.1	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.8	0.1
Finland	0.6	-0.1	0.5	1.2	0.7	0.4
Sweden	0.6	-0.6	0.3	0.9	1.1	0.2
United Kingdom	0.1	0.9	2.0	0.6	-0.4	0.4
Norway	0.1	-0.3	0.4	3.2	1.1	0.3
Switzerland	-0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.0

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Industrial producer prices on the domestic market
% change compared with same month of previous year

	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18
EA19						
Total industry	2.0	1.9	3.0	3.6	4.3	4.2
Total industry excluding energy	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5
Intermediate goods	2.2	2.1	2.5	3.0	3.2	3.2
Energy	3.6	3.5	7.6	9.3	11.9	12.0
Capital goods	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	:
Durable consumer goods	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3
Non-durable consumer goods	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0
EU28						
Total industry	2.3	2.3	3.7	4.5	4.9	4.7
Total industry excluding energy	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8
Intermediate goods	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.3	3.5	3.4
Energy	4.3	5.2	11.2	14.1	15.5	15.0
Capital goods	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Durable consumer goods	1.1	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.6
Non-durable consumer goods	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.2

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Total industry	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18
EA19	2.0	1.9	3.0	3.6	4.3	4.2
EU28	2.3	2.3	3.7	4.5	4.9	4.7
Belgium	3.8	4.2	6.5	8.4	9.8	9.5
Bulgaria	4.8	3.9	4.8	5.7	3.3	3.1
Czech Republic	0.1	0.0	1.5	2.9	3.4	3.3
Denmark	3.2	3.6	5.1	9.1	9.5	10.3
Germany	2.0	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.1	:
Estonia	7.3	5.6	5.5	8.0	8.9	9.2
Ireland	-1.6	-1.9	-2.7	-2.6	-2.8	-2.8
Greece	-0.2	1.1	5.5	6.2	6.5	6.1
Spain	1.2	1.8	3.0	4.1	4.7	5.2
France	2.2	1.7	3.0	3.3	3.9	3.6
Croatia	1.3	1.4	2.8	3.4	4.0	3.5
Italy	2.2	1.4	2.7	3.2	5.1	5.1
Cyprus	-1.1	-0.8	1.4	1.4	2.7	2.7
Latvia	4.0	4.6	4.0	4.7	5.6	7.8
Lithuania	1.1	1.4	4.0	5.2	5.3	5.4
Luxembourg	-2.0	-1.6	-0.6	-1.9	4.6	4.2
Hungary	3.5	3.3	5.5	7.4	8.7	8.4
Malta	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.5
Netherlands	1.0	1.4	3.1	4.5	5.0	5.0
Austria	1.7	2.0	3.1	3.6	4.2	4.4
Poland	1.5	1.8	3.6	4.1	3.9	3.8
Portugal	0.4	1.1	3.4	4.2	4.3	4.4
Romania	3.5	4.1	5.3	6.1	5.5	5.9
Slovenia	2.5	2.0	1.8	2.1	2.3	2.3
Slovakia	3.3	4.3	4.7	5.6	6.9	6.2
Finland	2.9	2.7	3.2	4.8	5.1	5.2
Sweden	4.0	4.2	5.0	6.4	6.8	7.2
United Kingdom	3.8	4.6	7.2	8.5	7.9	7.0
Norway	5.9	6.0	6.4	12.1	13.0	12.7
Switzerland	0.3	0.6	1.1	1.6	1.8	1.7

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

	08/15	08/16	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18	07/18	08/18
EA19	99.8	98.0	100.5	100.9	101.2	101.9	102.0	102.4	102.5	102.5	102.5	103.3	103.7	104.4	104.7
EU28	99.7	98.3	101.3	101.8	102.2	102.9	103.1	103.6	103.5	103.6	103.7	104.8	105.3	105.8	106.1
Belgium	99.4	97.9	105.0	106.4	108.9	110.8	110.7	111.4	111.0	110.8	110.7	112.1	113.2	114.3	115.0
Bulgaria	99.5	96.8	102.5	102.8	102.8	103.3	103.4	104.4	103.9	104.0	104.4	104.9	105.4	105.5	105.7
Czech Republic	99.9	96.6	98.0	98.4	98.4	98.3	98.6	99.1	98.7	99.0	99.2	100.2	100.8	101.1	101.2
Denmark	99.6	98.3	101.2	102.6	101.1	102.9	101.8	102.9	104.3	104.9	105.0	106.5	109.3	110.7	111.6
Germany	100.1	98.4	100.8	101.2	101.4	101.5	101.8	102.2	102.1	102.3	102.7	103.1	103.5	103.7	:
Estonia	100.1	96.2	101.7	102.1	101.6	101.8	101.5	104.4	106.7	107.3	105.8	105.8	108.0	110.5	111.1
Ireland	100.3	100.3	100.5	100.7	100.6	98.5	98.6	98.8	99.0	98.4	98.1	97.6	97.8	97.7	97.7
Greece	98.3	94.3	97.4	98.6	98.6	99.7	99.7	100.4	99.3	99.0	100.8	103.2	102.6	103.1	103.3
Spain	100.3	97.1	100.3	100.9	101.7	102.2	102.4	102.5	102.6	101.5	102.2	103.5	104.5	105.0	105.5
France	99.2	97.4	99.4	99.8	100.0	101.7	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.2	101.4	102.1	102.1	102.8	103.0
Croatia	99.5	94.6	97.6	98.0	98.3	99.6	99.5	99.6	99.1	99.0	99.5	100.3	100.2	100.9	101.0
Italy	99.7	98.7	100.3	100.3	100.7	101.1	101.1	101.9	102.2	102.4	101.7	102.7	103.0	104.9	105.4
Cyprus	100.6	96.7	100.4	99.3	98.9	97.3	97.2	97.7	97.4	97.9	98.4	101.1	101.2	103.0	103.1
Latvia	99.7	96.7	99.6	100.0	99.5	99.4	99.7	100.8	101.5	101.6	102.7	102.4	103.9	105.2	107.4
Lithuania	99.0	96.0	99.7	100.5	100.9	102.1	101.6	102.1	101.9	101.6	102.4	103.5	104.0	104.7	105.1
Luxembourg	99.9	97.8	92.5	93.9	94.5	94.3	95.0	95.3	95.7	95.3	95.8	96.7	95.6	96.4	96.4
Hungary	100.1	96.7	100.6	101.5	102.2	103.3	103.2	104.1	104.7	104.7	104.7	106.6	108.3	108.4	109.1
Malta	98.4	99.6	100.5	100.4	100.4	100.5	100.5	100.7	100.5	100.5	100.8	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0
Netherlands	100.0	97.2	100.7	101.7	101.8	102.5	102.5	102.6	102.5	103.1	103.6	104.8	105.4	105.5	105.7
Austria	99.9	97.6	98.8	99.4	99.8	100.6	100.5	100.9	100.8	100.8	101.3	102.0	102.4	102.7	103.1
Poland	99.7	99.9	104.5	105.2	105.5	105.8	105.6	105.7	105.6	106.2	106.6	107.9	108.1	108.2	108.5
Portugal	100.6	98.6	101.4	101.7	102.0	102.1	101.9	103.4	103.0	102.1	102.7	104.6	105.3	105.7	105.9
Romania	99.6	96.8	100.3	100.6	101.4	102.2	101.9	103.4	103.5	103.7	104.1	105.0	105.6	105.1	106.2
Slovenia	100.1	98.5	100.0	100.2	100.2	100.6	100.7	101.1	101.4	101.7	101.6	101.7	101.9	102.2	102.3
Slovakia	99.9	95.2	97.3	97.6	98.0	98.2	98.9	100.3	101.3	101.2	101.6	101.7	102.4	103.2	103.3
Finland	100.0	98.2	101.1	101.3	101.3	101.8	102.1	102.6	103.1	103.7	103.6	104.1	105.3	106.0	106.4
Sweden	98.9	99.6	103.1	103.6	104.2	105.3	106.5	107.5	107.7	108.4	107.8	108.1	109.1	110.3	110.5
United Kingdom	98.8	100.2	105.5	106.5	107.1	108.3	109.2	109.5	109.0	109.1	110.1	112.3	113.0	112.5	112.9
Norway	97.5	99.6	101.0	102.8	102.9	105.1	105.7	107.4	108.6	108.7	108.4	108.8	112.3	113.5	113.8
Switzerland	99.4	98.5	98.2	98.4	98.4	98.6	98.7	98.9	98.9	98.8	99.1	99.4	99.8	99.9	99.9

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

	08/15	08/16	08/17	09/17	10/17	11/17	12/17	01/18	02/18	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18	07/18	08/18
EA19	100.2	99.6	101.8	101.9	102.0	102.0	102.1	102.5	102.6	102.7	102.8	103.0	103.2	103.3	103.3
EU28	100.1	99.9	102.3	102.4	102.6	102.6	102.8	103.0	103.2	103.4	103.5	103.7	103.9	104.0	104.1
Belgium	100.4	99.4	104.3	104.7	105.0	105.1	105.4	105.7	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.6	107.2	107.1	107.1
Bulgaria	99.8	99.7	102.2	102.5	102.7	102.8	103.0	103.0	102.7	102.8	103.1	103.3	103.9	103.5	103.7
Czech Republic	99.9	98.0	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.1	99.4	99.4	99.2	99.5	99.4	100.1	100.5	100.8	100.9
Denmark	100.0	100.8	102.0	102.1	101.9	101.7	101.7	101.8	102.0	102.2	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.8	102.7
Germany	100.1	99.9	102.3	102.4	102.6	102.5	102.6	103.1	103.3	103.4	103.6	103.8	104.0	104.1	:
Estonia	99.6	98.1	101.6	101.2	102.0	101.8	101.9	103.8	104.4	104.2	104.3	104.5	103.7	104.3	104.4
Ireland	100.3	100.3	100.5	100.7	100.6	98.4	98.6	98.8	99.0	98.4	98.2	97.7	97.9	97.8	97.8
Greece	100.2	99.4	99.8	100.0	99.8	99.7	99.8	99.8	99.6	99.6	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.6	99.7
Spain	100.4	99.9	102.0	102.1	102.2	102.2	102.3	102.7	102.9	103.0	103.1	103.0	103.2	103.2	103.1
France	100.2	99.0	100.6	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.8	101.1	101.1	101.4	101.4	101.7	101.7	101.8	101.8
Croatia	100.1	98.0	99.0	99.2	99.2	99.3	99.4	99.3	99.2	99.2	99.0	99.0	98.6	98.9	99.0
Italy	100.2	99.7	101.5	101.6	101.8	101.8	101.9	102.1	102.1	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.5	102.6	102.7
Cyprus	99.6	99.6	100.4	100.7	100.2	100.4	100.3	99.8	99.3	99.5	99.9	100.3	100.4	100.7	100.8
Latvia	99.7	98.4	103.2	103.9	103.9	103.9	104.3	105.3	105.9	106.0	106.5	106.2	106.3	107.1	107.5
Lithuania	100.0	98.4	102.5	102.5	102.6	103.1	102.7	102.9	102.5	102.7	103.1	103.2	103.1	103.3	103.7
Luxembourg	100.5	102.5	102.7	104.9	105.8	105.5	106.7	107.0	107.5	107.0	107.8	109.2	107.4	106.5	106.5
Hungary	100.9	100.2	104.6	105.3	105.9	106.3	106.5	107.0	107.6	107.7	107.8	108.5	109.7	110.0	110.2
Malta	99.5	101.4	102.6	102.5	102.5	102.6	102.6	103.0	102.9	103.0	103.4	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8
Netherlands	100.4	99.8	102.8	103.3	103.4	103.4	103.3	103.7	104.0	104.4	104.7	105.0	105.6	105.7	105.8
Austria	99.9	99.7	101.9	101.9	102.0	102.1	102.0	102.5	102.7	102.9	103.1	103.3	103.4	103.6	103.7
Poland	99.9	101.3	105.0	105.6	105.4	105.5	105.2	105.1	105.4	105.8	105.8	106.2	106.3	106.5	106.7
Portugal	100.7	100.3	101.6	101.5	101.5	101.7	101.8	102.1	102.1	101.9	102.2	102.5	102.8	103.0	103.1
Romania	100.0	99.7	103.0	103.7	103.8	103.9	104.2	105.1	105.4	105.7	106.0	105.9	106.5	106.5	106.7
Slovenia	100.1	98.8	100.8	100.9	101.0	101.4	101.5	101.9	101.9	102.2	102.1	102.2	102.4	102.7	102.9
Slovakia	99.8	98.0	100.2	100.2	100.4	100.4	100.8	100.9	101.0	101.0	101.2	101.0	101.3	101.9	102.0
Finland	100.0	98.3	100.5	100.5	100.6	100.8	101.3	101.7	101.9	102.2	102.4	102.7	103.3	103.3	103.3
Sweden	100.2	100.7	103.5	103.5	103.7	104.1	104.7	105.3	105.3	105.6	106.2	107.0	107.7	107.8	107.8
United Kingdom	99.9	100.9	104.6	104.8	105.1	105.3	106.1	105.7	106.0	106.3	106.6	106.8	107.0	106.9	107.1
Norway	100.2	103.0	104.2	104.3	104.3	104.5	104.5	105.3	105.9	106.5	106.8	107.1	107.2	107.2	107.5
Switzerland	99.4	99.1	98.4	98.5	98.6	98.6	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.8	98.9	99.1	99.4	99.5	99.5

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