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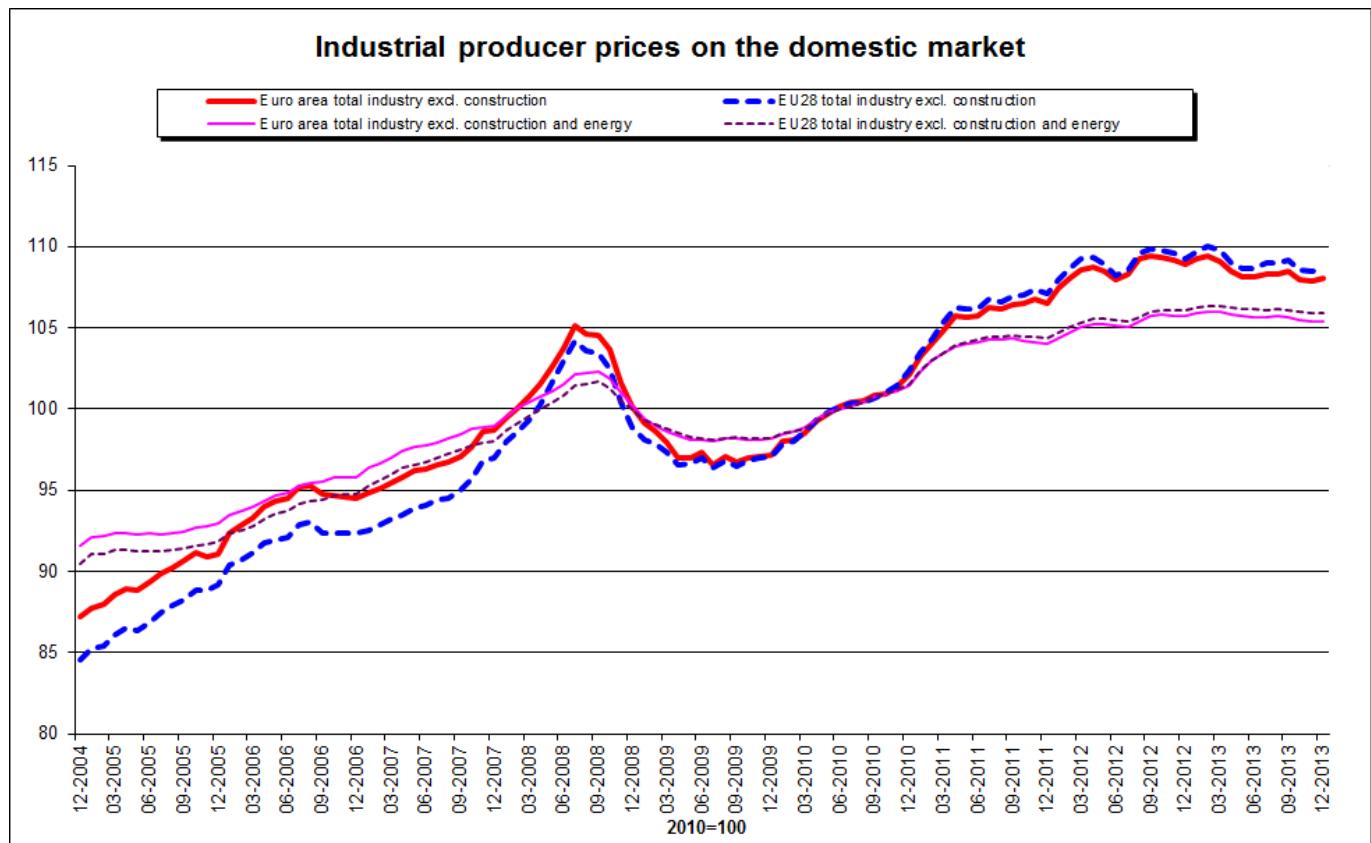
December 2013 compared with November 2013

Industrial producer prices up by 0.2% in both euro area and EU28

In December 2013, compared with November 2013, industrial producer prices¹ rose by 0.2% in both the **euro area**² (EA17) and the **EU28**², according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In November³ prices fell by 0.1% in both zones.

In December 2013, compared with December 2012, industrial producer prices decreased by 0.8% in the **euro area** and by 0.6% in the **EU28**.

The average industrial producer prices for the year 2013, compared with 2012, dropped by 0.2% in the **euro area** and remained stable in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison

In December 2013, compared with November 2013, prices in total industry excluding construction and the energy sector remained stable in both the **euro area** and the **EU28**. Prices in the energy sector increased by 0.5% and 0.7% respectively. Non-durable consumer goods rose by 0.1% in the **euro area** and remained stable in the **EU28**. In both zones, intermediate goods, capital goods and durable consumer goods all remained stable.

Among the Member States for which data are available, the highest increases were registered in **Spain** (+1.1%), the **Czech Republic** and **Sweden** (both +0.8%), and the largest decreases in **Estonia** (-1.7%), **Latvia** (-0.9%) and **Lithuania** (-0.6%).

Annual comparison

In December 2013, compared with December 2012, prices in total industry excluding construction and the energy sector fell by 0.3% in the **euro area** and by 0.1% in the **EU28**. Prices in the energy sector decreased by 2.0% and 1.5% respectively. Intermediate goods dropped by 1.7% in the **euro area** and by 1.5% in the **EU28**. In both zones, durable consumer goods increased by 0.6%. Capital goods gained 0.6% in the **euro area** and 0.7% in the **EU28**. Non-durable consumer goods rose by 0.9% and 1.0% respectively.

Among the Member States for which data are available, the largest decreases were observed in **Cyprus** (-5.2%), **Belgium** (-3.6%), **Bulgaria** (-2.8%), **Croatia** and the **Netherlands** (both -2.6%), and the highest increases in **Estonia** (+7.2%), the **Czech Republic** (+1.8%), **Ireland** (+1.4%) and **Romania** (+1.0%).

1. 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 working day and/or seasonally adjusted. Missing observations from Member States for recent months are estimated for the calculation of the euro area and the EU.
The weights of the Member States in the EU and euro area aggregates can be found at:
<https://circabc.europa.eu/w/browse/5e6d1e48-056c-4c6a-8278-3ab138bcf575>
See file: EU28_EA17_NEWS_RELEASE_WEIGHTINGS_2010
More detailed data can be found in the short-term statistics database on the Eurostat website:
http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/short_term_business_statistics/data/database
2. Up to 31 December 2013, the euro area (EA17) included Belgium, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Cyprus, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovakia and Finland. From 1 January 2014 the euro area (EA18) also includes Latvia.
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.
As part of Eurostat's guidelines for the dissemination of data when the euro area is enlarged, the aggregate data series commented on in this News Release refer to the official composition in the most recent month for which data is available. **Thus News Releases with data for months up to December 2013 comment on EA17 series, while Releases with data for January 2014 onwards will comment on EA18 series.**
Eurostat's guidelines can be found on the Eurostat website:
http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/cache/ITY_PUBLIC/GUIDE_ENLARG_2007/EN/GUIDE_ENLARG_2007-EN.PDF
The tables also include Norway and Switzerland.
3. Compared with data issued in the News Release 2/2014 of 7 January 2014, the monthly and annual growth rates for November 2013 remain unchanged in both zones.

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Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with previous month

	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13
EA17						
Total industry excluding construction	0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
Total industry excluding construction and energy	-0.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Intermediate goods	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.0
Energy	0.7	0.1	0.6	-1.3	0.0	0.5
Capital goods	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Durable consumer goods	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	0.2	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	0.1
EU28						
Total industry excluding construction	0.3	0.0	0.1	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
Total industry excluding construction and energy	0.0	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Intermediate goods	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	0.0
Energy	1.4	0.3	0.4	-1.6	-0.4	0.7
Capital goods	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Durable consumer goods	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0

Total industry	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13
EA17	0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
EA18	0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
EU28	0.3	0.0	0.1	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
Belgium	0.4	-1.4	-0.8	-0.5	0.0	0.3
Bulgaria	0.0	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.0
Czech Republic	0.2	-0.1	0.1	-0.5	0.7	0.8
Denmark	-0.1	1.1	0.4	-1.1	-1.1	-0.3
Germany	-0.1	-0.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.1
Estonia	-5.0	1.7	1.0	0.2	-1.8	-1.7
Ireland	0.3	1.3	-0.6	-0.5	0.0	-0.1
Greece	0.9	0.1	-0.3	-0.9	0.1	0.1
Spain	0.9	-0.1	0.2	-0.5	-0.8	1.1
France	0.7	0.1	0.4	-0.3	0.5	0.2
Croatia	-0.3	0.3	0.0	-1.3	-0.7	0.0
Italy	-0.4	0.1	0.0	-1.0	-0.1	-0.1
Cyprus	-0.4	-0.2	-1.0	0.1	-1.8	-0.2
Latvia	0.3	0.1	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	-0.9
Lithuania	0.3	-0.1	0.3	-0.6	-0.1	-0.6
Luxembourg	-1.1	2.1	0.2	-1.7	0.8	:
Hungary	0.4	0.6	-0.3	-1.3	-1.3	0.5
Malta	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Netherlands	0.6	0.1	0.2	-0.8	0.4	0.3
Austria	0.2	0.1	0.5	-0.4	0.0	-0.2
Poland	0.3	-0.2	0.2	-0.5	-0.2	0.0
Portugal	0.7	0.0	-0.3	-0.4	-0.6	0.4
Romania	0.0	-0.6	0.2	-0.3	-0.2	0.0
Slovenia	-0.1	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2
Slovakia	-0.5	0.5	0.1	-0.3	-0.7	-0.1
Finland	-0.1	0.6	0.0	-0.4	-0.5	-0.1
Sweden	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.8
United Kingdom	1.4	0.2	-0.1	-1.0	-0.4	0.3
Norway	2.1	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3
Switzerland	0.0	0.2	0.1	-0.3	0.1	0.1

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Industrial producer prices on the domestic market

% change compared with same month of previous year

	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13
EA17						
Total industry excluding construction	0.0	-0.9	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.8
Total industry excluding construction and energy	0.5	0.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Intermediate goods	-0.6	-1.1	-1.6	-1.8	-1.7	-1.7
Energy	-1.5	-3.7	-2.9	-3.7	-3.3	-2.0
Capital goods	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Durable consumer goods	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6
Non-durable consumer goods	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.1	0.9	0.9
EU28						
Total industry excluding construction	0.4	-0.5	-0.6	-1.1	-1.0	-0.6
Total industry excluding construction and energy	0.6	0.5	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1
Intermediate goods	-0.5	-0.9	-1.4	-1.6	-1.5	-1.5
Energy	0.1	-2.6	-2.3	-3.4	-3.1	-1.5
Capital goods	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7
Durable consumer goods	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6
Non-durable consumer goods	2.3	2.1	1.7	1.3	1.0	1.0

Total industry	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13
EA17	0.0	-0.9	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.8
EA18	0.0	-0.9	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.8
EU28	0.4	-0.5	-0.6	-1.1	-1.0	-0.6
Belgium	1.6	0.2	-0.9	-2.2	-2.7	-3.6
Bulgaria	-1.8	-2.9	-3.5	-3.9	-4.0	-2.8
Czech Republic	1.1	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.6	1.8
Denmark	5.1	3.2	2.5	1.3	-0.5	0.0
Germany	0.1	-0.4	-0.4	-0.7	-0.7	-0.4
Estonia	8.4	9.7	10.8	10.9	8.7	7.2
Ireland	2.9	2.7	2.1	1.6	0.8	1.4
Greece	-0.4	-1.8	-1.4	-1.3	-0.4	0.0
Spain	1.2	-0.1	0.1	-0.2	-0.5	0.6
France	0.2	-0.7	-0.6	-1.4	-0.7	-0.1
Croatia	0.6	-0.6	-1.6	-3.0	-2.6	-2.6
Italy	-1.5	-2.4	-2.2	-2.5	-2.3	-2.1
Cyprus	-3.0	-3.6	-4.6	-4.9	-5.6	-5.2
Latvia	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.3	-0.4
Lithuania	-1.3	-2.4	-2.4	-1.9	-1.4	-1.8
Luxembourg	-0.5	1.9	2.4	0.0	0.7	:
Hungary	-0.3	0.4	-0.2	-1.3	-2.0	-1.4
Malta	0.9	0.3	-0.1	0.1	-0.3	-0.1
Netherlands	-0.5	-2.0	-2.6	-3.8	-3.2	-2.6
Austria	-0.9	-1.4	-1.3	-1.8	-1.5	-1.1
Poland	-0.9	-1.4	-1.7	-1.7	-1.6	-1.2
Portugal	1.2	-0.4	-1.4	-1.3	-1.3	-0.1
Romania	4.0	2.3	1.8	0.9	0.9	1.0
Slovenia	0.1	0.2	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.3
Slovakia	-0.6	-0.7	-0.8	-1.4	-2.0	-1.7
Finland	1.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	-0.1
Sweden	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1
United Kingdom	3.2	1.6	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.9
Norway	6.3	5.0	4.9	3.8	4.1	2.9
Switzerland	0.1	0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.1

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

	12/10	12/11	12/12	01/13	02/13	03/13	04/13	05/13	06/13	07/13	08/13	09/13	10/13	11/13	12/13
EA17	102.1	106.5	108.9	109.3	109.4	109.1	108.5	108.1	108.1	108.3	108.3	108.4	107.9	107.9	108.1
EA18	102.1	106.5	108.9	109.3	109.4	109.1	108.5	108.1	108.1	108.3	108.3	108.5	108.0	107.9	108.1
EU28	102.4	107.1	109.3	109.7	110.0	109.7	109.0	108.7	108.7	109.0	109.0	109.2	108.6	108.5	108.7
Belgium	103.2	107.9	114.8	114.9	114.9	114.8	113.3	112.8	112.8	113.2	111.7	110.8	110.3	110.3	110.7
Bulgaria	105.5	109.8	115.4	114.4	115.0	113.8	112.7	112.5	112.4	112.4	112.7	112.4	112.2	112.2	112.2
Czech Republic	101.9	106.5	107.8	109.0	109.0	109.0	108.5	108.2	108.3	108.5	108.4	108.5	108.0	108.8	109.7
Denmark	104.0	106.5	111.7	112.1	112.9	113.0	113.4	112.5	113.0	112.9	114.1	114.6	113.3	112.0	111.7
Germany	102.0	105.6	107.1	107.7	107.5	107.2	107.2	106.8	106.8	106.7	106.6	106.9	106.7	106.6	106.7
Estonia	102.6	105.9	108.7	117.4	117.5	119.7	119.9	115.6	123.4	117.2	119.2	120.4	120.7	118.5	116.5
Ireland	101.9	107.4	110.0	109.3	110.2	112.2	111.5	111.0	111.1	111.4	112.9	112.2	111.6	111.6	111.5
Greece	103.3	109.1	111.4	112.1	114.1	112.9	111.4	111.5	111.3	112.3	112.4	112.1	111.1	111.2	111.4
Spain	102.7	107.8	111.3	112.6	112.9	111.2	109.9	111.1	111.2	112.2	112.1	112.3	111.7	110.8	111.9
France	102.1	106.7	108.8	109.6	110.1	110.1	108.7	107.4	107.0	107.8	107.9	108.3	108.0	108.5	108.7
Croatia	102.1	108.0	115.4	114.9	115.3	115.4	115.1	114.4	114.7	114.4	114.7	114.7	113.2	112.4	112.4
Italy	101.1	106.7	109.3	108.6	108.8	108.8	108.3	108.2	108.6	108.2	108.3	108.3	107.2	107.1	107.0
Cyprus	101.1	109.2	114.7	114.0	114.3	113.6	113.4	112.7	112.5	112.1	111.9	110.8	110.9	108.9	108.7
Latvia	101.9	110.9	115.5	115.6	115.3	115.0	116.3	116.1	115.7	116.1	116.2	116.5	116.2	116.1	115.1
Lithuania	103.3	113.2	116.5	117.8	118.1	117.6	116.2	116.2	115.3	115.7	115.5	115.9	115.2	115.1	114.4
Luxembourg	98.8	104.7	108.5	110.1	110.4	110.2	109.9	109.6	109.1	107.9	110.1	110.4	108.5	109.3	:
Hungary	102.7	110.3	111.2	111.0	112.3	112.2	111.2	110.9	111.1	111.5	112.2	111.9	110.5	109.1	109.6
Malta	101.3	103.0	105.6	105.6	105.7	105.8	105.7	105.7	106.0	105.8	105.5	105.4	105.4	105.4	105.5
Netherlands	104.9	110.5	115.0	114.0	114.6	114.1	112.5	111.8	111.2	111.9	112.0	112.2	111.3	111.7	112.0
Austria	102.2	105.3	105.4	105.6	105.6	105.2	104.9	104.4	104.0	104.2	104.3	104.8	104.4	104.4	104.2
Poland	102.9	110.1	110.9	110.8	111.1	110.5	109.7	109.8	110.1	110.4	110.2	110.4	109.8	109.6	109.6
Portugal	102.0	105.8	108.8	109.8	110.0	110.0	109.1	109.0	108.9	109.7	109.7	109.4	109.0	108.3	108.7
Romania	102.8	108.9	114.0	116.3	116.7	116.5	116.1	116.0	116.1	116.1	115.4	115.6	115.3	115.2	115.2
Slovenia	101.3	104.0	105.0	105.1	105.0	105.4	105.4	105.3	105.2	105.1	105.3	105.2	105.1	105.0	104.7
Slovakia	100.8	103.3	107.1	107.6	107.1	107.0	107.1	106.5	106.3	105.8	106.3	106.4	106.1	105.4	105.3
Finland	103.6	105.4	108.6	108.9	109.6	109.9	109.2	109.0	109.0	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.1	108.6	108.5
Sweden	103.6	100.3	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.4	99.6	98.9	98.8	99.2	99.4	99.8	99.9	100.0	100.8
United Kingdom	103.6	111.0	111.8	112.5	114.2	114.2	112.8	112.4	112.3	113.9	114.1	114.0	112.9	112.5	112.8
Norway	107.0	107.2	109.7	109.6	109.9	111.1	110.6	109.3	108.7	111.0	111.8	112.4	112.4	112.6	112.9
Switzerland	100.0	99.7	99.4	99.3	99.5	99.4	99.5	99.2	99.2	99.3	99.5	99.6	99.4	99.4	99.5

: Data not available

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

	12/10	12/11	12/12	01/13	02/13	03/13	04/13	05/13	06/13	07/13	08/13	09/13	10/13	11/13	12/13
EA17	101.5	104.0	105.7	105.9	106.0	106.0	105.8	105.7	105.7	105.6	105.7	105.6	105.5	105.4	105.4
EA18	101.5	104.0	105.8	105.9	106.0	106.0	105.8	105.7	105.7	105.6	105.7	105.6	105.5	105.4	105.4
EU28	101.5	104.3	106.1	106.2	106.3	106.3	106.2	106.2	106.1	106.1	106.2	106.1	106.0	105.9	105.9
Belgium	102.2	104.6	108.1	108.4	108.5	109.1	108.3	108.1	107.8	107.8	107.9	108.3	108.0	108.0	108.1
Bulgaria	102.7	106.4	111.4	111.6	111.8	111.7	111.1	111.3	110.8	110.2	110.0	109.4	109.2	109.3	109.2
Czech Republic	101.6	105.3	106.5	107.1	106.8	106.9	106.6	106.5	106.3	106.4	106.3	106.4	106.1	107.1	107.8
Denmark	101.4	104.8	108.1	108.0	108.2	108.2	108.4	108.3	108.6	108.4	108.3	108.2	108.0	108.1	108.1
Germany	101.5	103.6	105.1	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.1	105.1	105.0	104.9	105.0	104.9	105.0	104.9	104.9
Estonia	102.9	105.6	108.8	109.8	109.9	110.1	110.5	111.0	111.1	111.7	111.3	111.1	111.7	112.0	111.8
Ireland	101.1	103.6	105.3	105.8	106.1	106.5	106.9	107.4	107.9	108.5	108.8	108.4	108.2	108.3	108.6
Greece	101.2	103.2	103.7	103.8	103.7	103.6	103.7	103.7	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.2	103.2	103.0
Spain	101.8	104.1	106.9	107.2	107.4	107.3	107.1	106.9	106.7	106.6	106.5	106.5	106.2	106.0	105.8
France	101.2	104.1	105.6	105.9	105.9	106.0	105.9	105.6	105.7	105.7	105.8	105.7	105.2	105.2	105.2
Croatia	101.4	104.2	106.5	106.3	106.7	106.5	106.6	106.9	107.0	106.8	106.6	106.4	105.8	105.6	105.2
Italy	100.9	103.7	105.0	105.0	105.1	105.0	104.9	105.0	105.0	104.9	105.0	104.9	104.9	104.7	104.9
Cyprus	101.6	104.0	106.2	105.8	106.1	106.8	106.7	106.8	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.4	106.6	106.4	106.1
Latvia	102.5	108.1	110.2	110.5	110.9	111.0	110.8	111.3	110.9	111.2	111.1	111.4	111.1	111.3	111.6
Lithuania	102.2	107.3	109.0	109.4	109.5	109.5	108.7	108.8	109.2	108.7	108.6	108.7	108.6	108.6	107.8
Luxembourg	101.6	105.9	105.4	106.8	106.6	106.7	106.2	106.0	105.7	104.5	105.3	105.4	105.5	105.7	:
Hungary	102.7	107.1	109.7	110.7	111.0	111.5	111.5	111.1	111.1	111.0	111.3	111.2	110.8	110.6	110.3
Malta	101.9	104.7	108.7	108.9	109.0	109.2	109.0	109.1	109.4	109.3	108.8	108.7	108.6	108.6	108.7
Netherlands	103.8	109.1	113.0	113.1	113.6	113.0	112.1	111.6	111.3	111.8	112.0	111.7	111.0	111.0	111.2
Austria	101.6	103.6	104.8	105.0	105.0	105.1	105.3	105.3	105.2	105.0	105.0	105.0	104.9	104.9	104.9
Poland	102.0	107.9	108.6	108.6	108.3	108.0	107.7	108.0	108.1	108.2	108.3	108.5	108.2	108.0	108.0
Portugal	101.1	102.2	104.0	104.3	104.1	104.4	104.1	104.1	104.0	104.2	104.0	103.8	104.1	103.5	103.4
Romania	103.3	109.0	115.1	115.0	114.8	114.9	114.9	114.7	114.8	114.7	114.2	114.1	114.3	114.1	114.2
Slovenia	101.5	104.2	105.4	105.5	105.6	105.7	105.7	105.6	105.6	105.4	105.7	105.6	105.6	105.4	105.2
Slovakia	100.5	101.7	102.6	102.6	103.3	103.5	103.8	103.3	103.2	102.8	102.4	102.6	102.1	101.9	101.9
Finland	101.8	104.7	107.0	107.4	107.7	108.2	108.1	108.4	108.3	107.9	108.1	107.8	107.7	107.5	107.5
Sweden	101.4	101.9	101.6	101.9	101.8	101.5	101.6	102.0	102.2	102.4	102.3	102.3	102.1	102.1	102.4
United Kingdom	101.5	105.3	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.1	108.1	108.2	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.2
Norway	101.9	105.0	107.1	107.6	107.7	109.0	108.8	109.3	108.6	109.6	109.8	109.6	109.9	109.9	109.8
Switzerland	100.0	99.0	98.8	98.7	98.8	98.8	98.9	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	99.0

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