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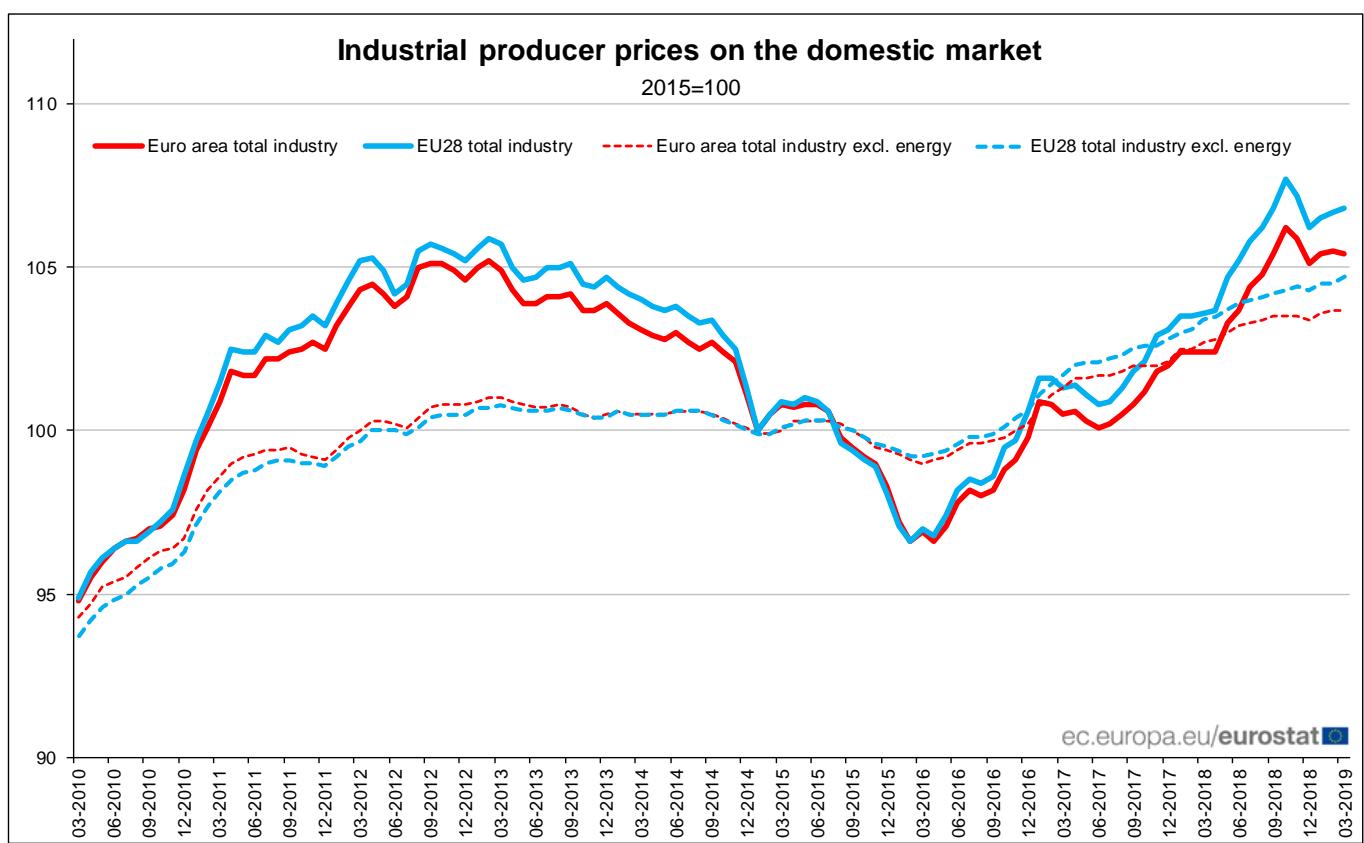
March 2019 compared with February 2019

Industrial producer prices down by 0.1% in euro area

Up by 0.1% in EU28

In March 2019, compared with February 2019, industrial producer prices fell by 0.1% in the **euro area** (EA19) and rose by 0.1% in the **EU28**, according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In February 2019, prices increased by 0.1% in the **euro area** and by 0.2% in the **EU28**.

In March 2019, compared with March 2018, industrial producer prices rose by 2.9% in the **euro area** and by 3.1% in the **EU28**.

**Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State**

Industrial producer prices in the **euro area** in March 2019, compared with February 2019, fell by 0.5% for the energy sector, remained stable for non-durable consumer goods, and rose by 0.1% for both capital goods and durable consumer goods and by 0.2% for intermediate goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy remained stable.

In the **EU28**, industrial producer prices rose by 0.2% for intermediate goods, by 0.1% for capital goods, durable consumer goods and non-durable consumer goods, while prices in the energy sector remained stable. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 0.2%.

The largest decreases in industrial producer prices were recorded in **Denmark** (-1.6%), **Cyprus** (-1.2%) and **Estonia** (-0.8%), while the highest increases were observed in **Greece** (+1.1%), **Luxembourg** and **Romania** (both +0.8%).

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

Industrial producer prices in the **euro area** in March 2019, compared with March 2018, rose by 7.8% in the energy sector, by 1.5% for both capital goods and durable consumer goods, by 1.3% for intermediate goods and by 0.1% for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.0%.

In the **EU28**, industrial producer prices rose by 8.2% in the energy sector, by 1.7% for intermediate goods, by 1.6% for durable consumer goods, by 1.5% for capital goods and by 0.5% for non-durable consumer goods. Prices in total industry excluding energy rose by 1.3%.

Industrial producer prices rose in all Member States, with the highest increases recorded in **Romania** (+6.7%), **Belgium** (+6.4%), **Latvia** (+6.1%) and **Hungary** (+5.5%).

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, Czechia, 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 56/2019 of 2 April 2019, the monthly percentage change for February 2019 remains unchanged at +0.1% in the euro area and at +0.2% in the EU28. The annual percentage change remains unchanged at +3.0% in the euro area and at +3.1% 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

	Oct-18	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19
EA19						
Total industry	0.8	-0.3	-0.8	0.3	0.1	-0.1
Total industry excluding energy	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0
Intermediate goods	0.1	0.1	-0.4	0.1	0.0	0.2
Energy	2.6	-0.9	-2.6	0.4	0.1	-0.5
Capital goods	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1
Non-durable consumer goods	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EU28						
Total industry	0.8	-0.5	-0.9	0.3	0.2	0.1
Total industry excluding energy	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.0	0.2
Intermediate goods	0.1	0.1	-0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2
Energy	2.8	-2.3	-3.7	0.4	0.9	0.0
Capital goods	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.1
Non-durable consumer goods	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1

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

Total industry	Oct-18	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19
EA19	0.8	-0.3	-0.8	0.3	0.1	-0.1
EU28	0.8	-0.5	-0.9	0.3	0.2	0.1
Belgium	3.6	0.7	-2.1	-1.0	0.2	0.3
Bulgaria	0.8	0.1	-0.5	0.2	1.5	0.0
Czechia	0.7	-0.1	-1.1	1.0	0.3	0.5
Denmark	0.6	1.2	-3.0	0.8	-0.6	-1.6
Germany	0.3	0.1	-0.4	0.4	0.0	-0.2
Estonia	-0.8	1.7	0.2	1.2	-1.5	-0.8
Ireland	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.0
Greece	0.9	-2.7	-2.3	1.1	1.2	1.1
Spain	0.0	-1.0	-1.0	0.2	0.0	-0.3
France	0.3	0.5	-1.0	0.3	0.4	0.0
Croatia	0.5	-0.6	-1.2	0.1	0.5	0.6
Italy	1.8	-0.7	-0.6	0.0	-0.2	0.0
Cyprus	-0.3	0.1	-0.2	-1.6	0.1	-1.2
Latvia	-0.6	0.3	0.7	-0.1	1.2	-0.4
Lithuania	0.8	-1.2	-1.1	0.3	0.7	-0.6
Luxembourg	0.1	0.0	0.2	1.8	0.0	0.8
Hungary	0.7	-0.4	-0.5	0.5	-0.1	0.3
Malta	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.4
Netherlands	0.7	-1.3	-1.6	2.2	-0.1	-0.1
Austria	0.6	-0.3	-1.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2
Poland	0.4	-0.4	-1.1	0.4	0.5	0.2
Portugal	0.3	-0.9	-1.0	0.5	-0.4	-0.3
Romania	1.7	-0.4	-0.2	0.9	0.7	0.8
Slovenia	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.8	0.3
Slovakia	1.3	-1.0	-0.9	0.4	1.8	0.4
Finland	0.3	0.4	-0.4	-0.1	0.3	-0.3
Sweden	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.9	-0.1	0.2
United Kingdom	1.0	-1.9	-1.8	0.0	0.9	0.7
Norway	-0.4	-0.3	-0.3	0.4	0.5	-0.4
Switzerland	0.5	0.2	-0.3	-0.5	0.2	0.2

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

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

	Oct-18	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19
EA19						
Total industry	4.9	4.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.9
Total industry excluding energy	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.0
Intermediate goods	2.6	2.6	2.2	1.6	1.3	1.3
Energy	14.6	11.0	7.8	7.4	7.9	7.8
Capital goods	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.5
Durable consumer goods	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5
Non-durable consumer goods	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1
EU28						
Total industry	5.5	4.2	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1
Total industry excluding energy	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3
Intermediate goods	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.0	1.7	1.7
Energy	17.3	11.6	7.1	6.3	8.0	8.2
Capital goods	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5
Durable consumer goods	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.5

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

Total industry	Oct-18	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19
EA19	4.9	4.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.9
EU28	5.5	4.2	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1
Belgium	10.4	9.3	7.1	5.4	5.9	6.4
Bulgaria	3.9	3.5	2.9	2.1	4.1	4.0
Czechia	3.9	3.9	2.4	2.9	3.6	3.8
Denmark	9.9	9.2	7.1	6.8	4.7	2.4
Germany	3.6	3.5	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.5
Estonia	7.1	8.6	9.2	7.4	3.5	2.1
Ireland	-2.7	-0.6	-0.4	-0.1	0.4	1.0
Greece	6.2	2.2	-0.1	0.3	2.6	4.0
Spain	4.5	2.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.5
France	3.9	2.7	1.4	1.7	2.1	1.9
Croatia	3.7	1.7	0.6	0.6	1.6	2.3
Italy	7.1	5.8	5.2	4.4	3.9	3.7
Cyprus	6.2	8.0	7.9	5.6	6.1	4.3
Latvia	6.5	6.9	7.3	6.1	6.6	6.1
Lithuania	6.4	3.8	3.2	2.6	3.5	3.2
Luxembourg	2.3	2.5	2.0	3.5	3.0	4.3
Hungary	8.4	6.9	6.4	6.0	5.3	5.5
Malta	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.1
Netherlands	5.6	3.5	1.9	4.0	4.0	3.3
Austria	4.4	3.3	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.1
Poland	3.7	3.0	2.1	2.4	2.9	2.5
Portugal	4.0	2.8	2.0	1.4	1.4	1.9
Romania	7.0	5.8	5.9	5.3	6.0	6.7
Slovenia	1.8	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.6	1.6
Slovakia	7.2	5.9	4.2	3.2	4.0	4.5
Finland	5.1	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.5	2.6
Sweden	7.0	6.7	5.5	5.5	5.2	4.7
United Kingdom	7.9	4.7	2.0	1.7	3.1	3.8
Norway	11.2	8.6	7.7	6.4	5.8	5.2
Switzerland	2.1	2.1	1.7	1.0	1.2	1.5

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

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

	03/16	03/17	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18	07/18	08/18	09/18	10/18	11/18	12/18	01/19	02/19	03/19
EA19	96.9	100.5	102.4	102.4	103.3	103.7	104.4	104.8	105.4	106.2	105.9	105.1	105.4	105.5	105.4
EU28	97.0	101.3	103.6	103.7	104.7	105.2	105.8	106.2	106.8	107.7	107.2	106.2	106.5	106.7	106.8
Belgium	95.0	106.7	110.8	110.7	112.1	113.2	114.3	115.1	116.0	120.2	121.1	118.6	117.4	117.6	117.9
Bulgaria	97.2	99.2	104.0	104.4	104.9	105.4	105.5	105.7	106.0	106.8	106.9	106.4	106.6	108.2	108.2
Czechia	96.0	98.9	99.0	99.2	100.2	100.8	101.1	101.2	101.5	102.2	102.1	101.0	102.0	102.3	102.8
Denmark	96.4	101.6	104.9	105.0	106.5	109.3	110.7	111.6	110.4	111.1	112.4	109.0	109.9	109.2	107.4
Germany	97.8	100.3	102.1	102.5	103.0	103.4	103.6	103.9	104.5	104.8	104.9	104.5	104.9	104.9	104.7
Estonia	97.3	100.0	107.3	105.8	105.8	108.0	110.5	111.1	109.7	108.8	110.6	110.8	112.1	110.4	109.5
Ireland	99.6	100.0	98.4	98.1	97.6	97.8	97.7	97.7	97.9	97.9	97.9	98.2	98.7	99.4	99.4
Greece	93.5	99.2	99.0	100.8	103.2	102.6	103.1	103.3	103.8	104.7	101.9	99.6	100.7	101.9	103.0
Spain	94.8	100.3	101.5	102.2	103.5	104.5	105.0	105.4	106.3	106.3	105.2	104.1	104.3	104.3	104.0
France	97.1	100.0	102.2	101.4	102.1	102.1	102.7	103.1	103.6	103.9	104.4	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.1
Croatia	96.7	97.7	99.0	99.5	100.3	100.2	100.9	101.0	101.4	101.9	101.3	100.1	100.2	100.7	101.3
Italy	97.0	100.2	102.4	101.7	102.7	103.0	104.9	105.5	105.9	107.8	107.0	106.4	106.4	106.2	106.2
Cyprus	92.7	99.0	97.9	98.4	101.1	101.2	104.3	104.4	105.3	105.0	105.1	104.9	103.2	103.3	102.1
Latvia	96.7	97.7	101.6	102.7	102.4	103.9	105.2	107.4	106.6	106.0	106.3	107.0	106.9	108.2	107.8
Lithuania	95.8	100.7	102.2	102.9	104.1	104.4	105.1	105.6	106.7	107.6	106.3	105.1	105.4	106.1	105.5
Luxembourg	97.0	97.2	95.3	95.8	96.7	95.6	96.4	96.1	96.6	96.7	96.7	96.9	98.6	98.6	99.4
Hungary	95.0	101.2	104.7	104.7	106.6	108.3	108.4	109.1	110.0	110.8	110.4	109.8	110.3	110.2	110.5
Malta	100.0	100.7	101.3	101.5	101.9	101.9	101.8	102.0	102.0	101.9	101.9	101.9	102.0	102.0	102.4
Netherlands	95.4	102.1	103.1	103.6	104.8	105.4	105.6	105.9	106.8	107.5	106.1	104.4	106.7	106.6	106.5
Austria	96.7	99.1	100.8	101.3	102.0	102.4	102.7	103.1	103.6	104.2	103.9	102.8	103.1	103.1	102.9
Poland	98.2	104.6	106.2	106.6	107.9	108.1	108.2	108.5	109.0	109.4	109.0	107.8	108.2	108.7	108.9
Portugal	97.1	101.8	101.9	102.4	104.2	104.8	105.2	105.4	105.8	106.1	105.1	104.0	104.5	104.1	103.8
Romania	96.9	100.2	103.7	104.1	105.0	105.6	105.1	106.2	106.7	108.5	108.1	107.9	108.9	109.7	110.6
Slovenia	98.4	99.2	101.7	101.6	101.7	101.9	102.2	102.3	102.2	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.2	103.0	103.3
Slovakia	94.9	98.0	101.2	101.6	101.7	102.4	103.2	103.3	103.8	105.1	104.0	103.1	103.5	105.4	105.8
Finland	97.5	100.8	103.7	103.6	104.1	105.3	106.0	106.4	106.2	106.5	106.9	106.5	106.4	106.7	106.4
Sweden	99.4	104.2	108.4	107.8	108.1	109.1	110.3	110.5	111.2	111.5	112.4	112.4	113.4	113.3	113.5
United Kingdom	97.2	105.1	109.1	110.1	112.3	112.9	112.5	113.2	114.5	115.6	113.4	111.4	111.4	112.4	113.2
Norway	97.4	102.6	108.7	108.4	108.8	112.3	113.5	113.8	114.9	114.4	114.1	113.8	114.3	114.9	114.4
Switzerland	98.3	98.5	98.8	99.1	99.4	99.8	99.9	99.9	100.0	100.5	100.7	100.4	99.9	100.1	100.3

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

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

	03/16	03/17	03/18	04/18	05/18	06/18	07/18	08/18	09/18	10/18	11/18	12/18	01/19	02/19	03/19
EA19	99.0	101.3	102.7	102.8	103.0	103.2	103.3	103.4	103.5	103.5	103.5	103.4	103.6	103.7	103.7
EU28	99.2	101.7	103.4	103.5	103.7	103.9	104.0	104.1	104.2	104.3	104.4	104.3	104.5	104.5	104.7
Belgium	97.3	103.3	106.1	106.1	106.6	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.8	108.1	108.2	107.4	107.2	107.5	107.5
Bulgaria	99.6	102.1	102.8	103.1	103.3	103.9	103.5	103.7	103.9	104.4	104.7	104.6	104.6	105.0	105.6
Czechia	97.9	99.8	99.5	99.4	100.1	100.5	100.8	100.9	100.9	101.4	101.8	101.4	101.6	101.7	101.9
Denmark	100.4	101.6	102.2	102.4	102.4	102.3	102.8	102.7	102.5	102.8	102.9	103.0	103.5	103.7	103.7
Germany	99.4	101.7	103.4	103.6	103.8	104.0	104.1	104.2	104.3	104.3	104.4	104.3	104.7	104.7	104.8
Estonia	99.2	100.4	104.2	104.3	104.5	103.7	104.3	104.4	104.1	104.4	104.9	105.3	105.5	105.1	105.3
Ireland	99.6	100.0	98.4	98.2	97.7	97.9	97.8	97.8	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.2	98.8	99.5	99.5
Greece	99.2	99.8	99.6	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.6	99.7	99.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Spain	99.0	101.8	103.0	103.1	103.0	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.1	103.2	103.1	102.8	103.0	103.0	103.1
France	98.7	100.3	101.4	101.4	101.7	101.7	101.8	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	102.0	102.1
Croatia	98.6	98.7	99.2	99.0	99.0	98.6	98.9	99.0	99.1	99.1	99.2	99.2	99.4	99.3	99.3
Italy	99.0	101.0	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.5	102.6	102.7	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	103.0	102.9	102.9
Cyprus	99.2	99.4	99.5	99.9	100.3	100.4	100.7	100.8	101.0	100.8	100.6	100.3	100.4	100.4	100.9
Latvia	98.6	100.6	106.0	106.5	106.2	106.3	107.1	107.5	108.1	108.1	109.0	109.4	110.0	109.8	109.8
Lithuania	97.7	102.6	102.7	103.1	103.2	103.1	103.3	103.7	103.9	103.9	104.0	104.2	104.4	104.2	104.1
Luxembourg	98.0	101.9	107.0	107.8	109.2	107.4	106.5	106.0	106.8	107.0	106.9	107.1	107.8	107.8	109.1
Hungary	99.1	104.0	107.7	107.8	108.5	109.7	110.0	110.2	110.4	110.8	110.8	110.7	110.8	111.2	111.9
Malta	102.1	103.1	104.9	105.2	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.8	105.9	105.8	105.8	105.7	105.7	105.9	106.5
Netherlands	97.6	103.8	104.4	104.7	105.0	105.6	105.8	105.9	106.3	106.5	105.9	105.0	106.1	106.0	106.3
Austria	99.0	101.0	102.9	103.1	103.3	103.4	103.6	103.8	103.7	103.8	103.7	103.6	104.0	104.1	104.2
Poland	100.1	104.1	105.8	105.8	106.2	106.3	106.5	106.7	107.1	107.0	107.1	107.0	106.9	107.0	107.1
Portugal	99.5	101.0	101.5	101.8	102.1	102.3	102.6	102.7	102.8	102.9	103.0	103.1	103.1	103.0	102.9
Romania	99.3	101.7	105.7	106.0	105.9	106.5	106.5	106.7	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.2	107.7	108.5	109.0
Slovenia	98.6	99.9	102.2	102.1	102.2	102.4	102.7	102.9	102.7	102.4	102.3	102.3	102.7	102.8	102.9
Slovakia	98.3	99.8	101.0	101.2	101.0	101.3	101.9	102.0	102.1	103.9	102.5	102.5	102.9	102.3	102.8
Finland	98.5	100.1	102.2	102.4	102.7	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.4	103.7	103.8	103.9	104.1	104.0
Sweden	99.8	102.7	105.6	106.2	107.0	107.7	107.8	107.8	108.3	108.3	108.6	108.6	109.0	109.2	109.9
United Kingdom	100.3	103.5	106.3	106.6	106.8	107.0	106.9	107.2	107.6	107.7	107.9	108.1	108.2	108.2	108.4
Norway	101.3	98.1	99.2	99.1	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.2	100.8	101.1	100.7	101.4	101.9	101.7	101.7
Switzerland	98.9	98.8	98.8	98.9	99.1	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.6	99.7	99.7	99.8	99.8	99.9

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