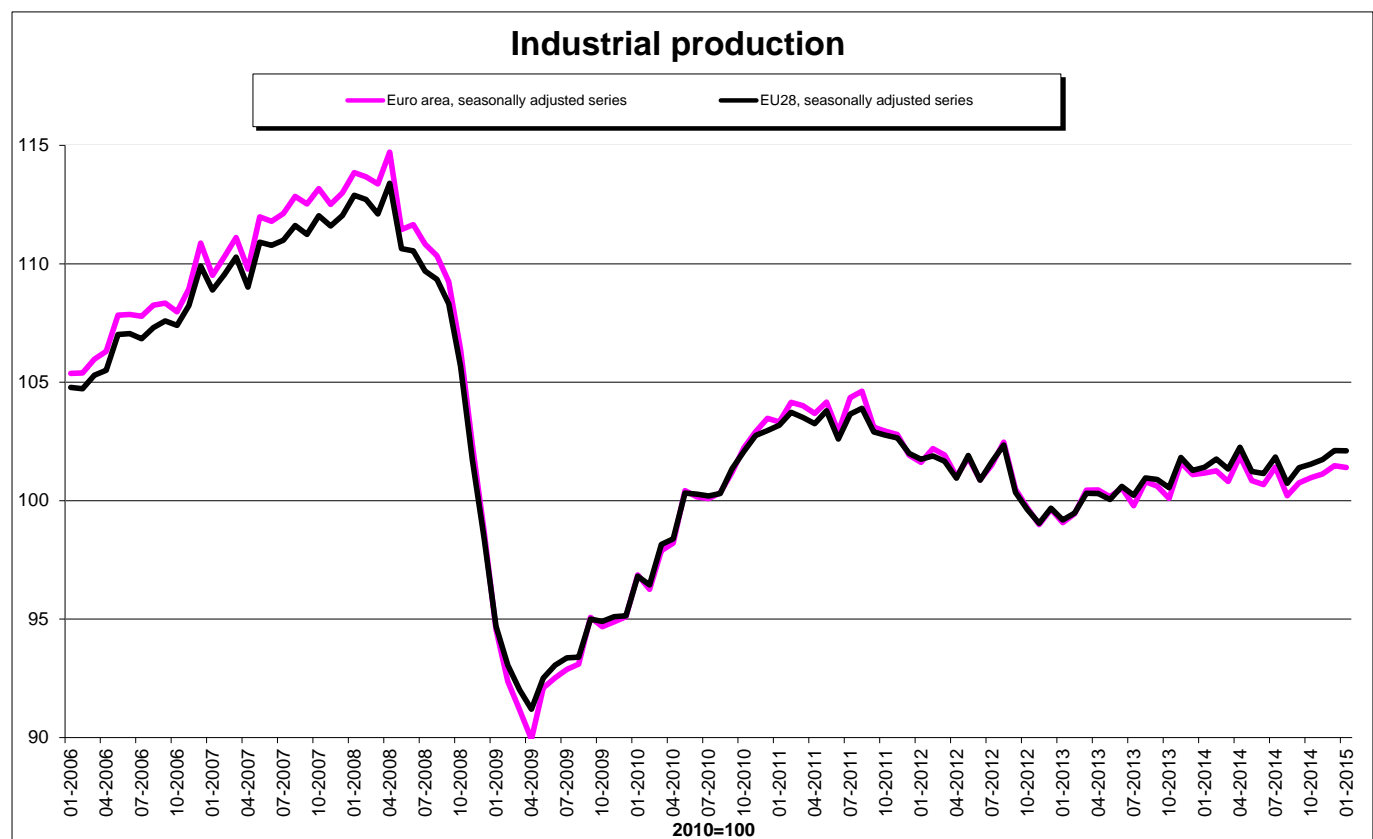


January 2015 compared with December 2014

Industrial production down by 0.1% in euro area Stable in EU28

In January 2015 compared with December 2014, seasonally adjusted industrial production¹ fell by 0.1% in the **euro area**² (EA19) and remained stable in the **EU28**², according to estimates from **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**. In December 2014³ industrial production rose by 0.3% and 0.4% respectively.

In January 2015 compared with January 2014⁴, industrial production increased by 1.2% in the **euro area** and by 1.5% in the **EU28**.



Monthly comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The decrease of 0.1% in industrial production in the **euro area** in January 2015, compared with December 2014, is due to production of durable consumer goods falling by 2.2% and intermediate goods by 0.5%, while capital goods and non-durable consumer goods both increased by 0.1% and energy by 0.9%.

Industrial production remained stable in the **EU28** as production of energy rose by 0.6% and intermediate goods and non-durable consumer goods were both stable, while capital goods fell by 0.3% and durable consumer goods by 1.7%.

Among Member States for which data are available, the largest decreases in industrial production were registered in **Croatia** (-4.0%), **Latvia** (-3.1%), **Finland** (-2.5%) and **Lithuania** (-2.3%), and the highest increases in **Malta** (+6.1%), **Hungary** (+4.3%) and **Bulgaria** (+2.0%).

Annual comparison by main industrial grouping and by Member State

The increase of 1.2% in industrial production in the **euro area** in January 2015, compared with January 2014, is due to production of energy rising by 2.9%, non-durable consumer goods by 2.7%, durable consumer goods by 2.5%, capital goods by 1.4% and intermediate goods by 0.7%.

In the **EU28**, the increase of 1.5% is due to production of durable consumer goods rising by 2.9%, non-durable consumer goods by 2.3%, capital goods by 1.8%, energy by 1.3% and intermediate goods by 1.2%.

Among Member States for which data are available, the highest increases in industrial production were registered in **Ireland** (+8.8%), **Malta** (+8.1%) and **Hungary** (+7.8%), and the largest decreases in **Croatia** (-4.9%), **Finland** (-4.2%) and **Latvia** (-3.5%).

1. The index of industrial production measures the evolution of the volume of production for industry excluding construction, based on data adjusted for working day 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.

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>

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More detailed data can be found in the short-term business statistics database on the Eurostat website:

<http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/short-term-business-statistics/data/database>

More information about the industrial production index can be found in Statistics explained:

[http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php/Industrial_production_\(volume\)_index_overview](http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php/Industrial_production_(volume)_index_overview)


2. 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.
The tables also include Norway.
3. Compared with data issued in the News Release 28/2015 of 12 February 2015, the monthly percentage changes for December 2014 have been revised from 0.0% to +0.3% in the euro area and from +0.1% to +0.4% in the EU28. The annual percentage changes have been revised from -0.2% to +0.6% in the euro area and from +0.3% to +0.9% in the EU28.
4. Based on data adjusted for working days.


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Industrial production
% change compared with previous month*

	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15
EA19						
Total industry	-1.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	-0.1
Intermediate goods	-1.0	-0.3	0.2	0.2	1.2	-0.5
Energy	1.1	0.2	-1.2	-0.5	1.0	0.9
Capital goods	-3.1	2.0	-0.1	-0.1	1.1	0.1
Durable consumer goods	-0.7	-1.3	0.8	1.5	2.0	-2.2
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	-0.4	1.4	0.7	-1.8	0.1
EU28						
Total industry	-1.1	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.0
Intermediate goods	-0.8	-0.1	0.1	0.4	1.0	0.0
Energy	0.9	0.3	-0.6	-0.7	0.4	0.6
Capital goods	-3.1	1.9	-0.1	0.1	1.3	-0.3
Durable consumer goods	-0.1	-0.6	0.5	1.3	1.8	-1.7
Non-durable consumer goods	0.2	-0.3	1.0	0.6	-1.3	0.0

Total industry	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15
EA19	-1.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	-0.1
EA18	-1.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.4	-0.1
EU28	-1.1	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.0
Belgium	-1.0	2.8	-1.3	1.3	-0.8	:
Bulgaria	-0.7	1.7	0.8	0.2	1.0	2.0
Czech Republic	-3.7	5.0	-0.5	1.2	0.6	:
Denmark	3.9	-1.4	-0.4	-0.4	0.5	-1.5
Germany	-2.8	1.4	0.4	0.1	1.2	0.0
Estonia	-2.4	1.5	-1.5	1.3	-1.7	-1.5
Ireland	-1.3	2.3	6.9	4.4	-11.9	-0.1
Greece	-1.6	-0.4	2.8	-0.1	-1.4	:
Spain	-0.1	0.8	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	0.2
France	-0.1	-0.1	-0.8	-0.3	1.5	0.4
Croatia	-4.0	4.5	0.2	2.7	-0.3	-4.0
Italy	0.3	-0.9	0.0	0.3	0.4	-0.7
Cyprus	2.7	-3.9	-0.6	-1.8	0.2	:
Latvia	-0.6	1.2	0.0	-2.0	0.1	-3.1
Lithuania	-3.0	2.7	5.6	-1.0	-2.8	-2.3
Luxembourg	-0.8	1.2	-0.1	0.7	5.6	:
Hungary	-5.7	3.0	-2.7	3.2	-1.5	4.3
Malta	-1.2	3.3	3.5	-2.6	-3.5	6.1
Netherlands	0.8	-1.6	-0.7	0.4	-0.5	:
Austria	-2.1	1.2	0.5	-0.7	0.7	:
Poland	-1.2	1.1	0.4	0.1	2.2	0.3
Portugal	1.7	-4.4	2.6	-0.1	-2.3	1.2
Romania	-1.2	1.5	0.5	-0.2	0.1	0.9
Slovenia	-3.0	-0.3	2.3	-0.9	0.2	:
Slovakia	0.5	-0.6	1.2	-0.7	0.7	:
Finland	-0.4	0.5	0.0	-0.2	0.3	-2.5
Sweden	-0.4	-0.9	1.1	-0.1	1.4	0.1
United Kingdom	-0.3	0.6	-0.2	0.1	-0.2	-0.1
Norway	-0.2	3.5	0.4	-2.0	0.3	-3.0

* Working day and seasonally adjusted
: Data not available

Industrial production

% change compared with same month of the previous year*

	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15
EA19						
Total industry	-0.5	0.1	0.7	-0.6	0.6	1.2
Intermediate goods	0.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.9	0.0	0.7
Energy	-2.9	-3.3	-2.3	-5.5	-1.7	2.9
Capital goods	-2.0	1.4	1.4	-1.0	1.8	1.4
Durable consumer goods	-1.9	-3.9	0.2	0.0	0.4	2.5
Non-durable consumer goods	3.0	1.8	3.4	3.5	1.6	2.7
EU28						
Total industry	-0.2	0.5	0.8	-0.2	0.9	1.5
Intermediate goods	0.9	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.9	1.2
Energy	-3.3	-3.1	-2.0	-4.8	-1.8	1.3
Capital goods	-1.3	1.6	1.6	-0.2	2.5	1.8
Durable consumer goods	0.7	-1.0	2.0	2.0	3.2	2.9
Non-durable consumer goods	2.7	1.7	2.6	2.7	1.0	2.3

Total industry	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15
EA19	-0.5	0.1	0.7	-0.6	0.6	1.2
EA18	-0.5	0.1	0.7	-0.6	0.6	1.2
EU28	-0.2	0.5	0.8	-0.2	0.9	1.5
Belgium	0.1	2.4	-0.2	-1.2	-2.4	:
Bulgaria	-2.3	0.5	-0.5	0.3	1.4	1.7
Czech Republic	-3.3	5.9	3.2	4.7	4.7	:
Denmark	4.6	4.0	-1.4	0.5	1.5	0.1
Germany	-1.8	0.4	1.3	-0.4	1.0	1.0
Estonia	2.8	4.0	1.6	4.2	7.9	1.8
Ireland	17.9	20.2	36.7	29.0	17.8	8.8
Greece	-6.2	-4.9	-0.5	2.5	-4.2	:
Spain	0.1	1.3	1.4	-0.1	0.2	0.6
France	0.1	-0.3	-1.3	-3.3	0.5	1.6
Croatia	-4.7	3.8	2.7	2.8	5.3	-4.9
Italy	-0.7	-2.7	-3.0	-1.9	0.1	-2.2
Cyprus	0.8	0.0	-1.1	-1.7	-2.9	:
Latvia	-1.2	0.8	0.6	-2.2	-0.6	-3.5
Lithuania	-4.4	-0.1	2.5	5.3	2.7	3.2
Luxembourg	4.3	5.0	3.8	3.0	9.0	:
Hungary	2.8	5.5	1.6	5.5	4.6	7.8
Malta	-9.7	-6.4	6.0	-1.6	-5.0	8.1
Netherlands	0.5	-2.3	-1.4	-3.7	-2.2	:
Austria	-1.9	-0.3	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	:
Poland	0.5	2.2	2.0	0.7	6.2	4.4
Portugal	2.3	-2.3	0.6	-1.3	-1.6	-1.8
Romania	2.4	3.9	3.7	2.7	3.2	3.6
Slovenia	1.2	1.0	3.9	2.8	0.2	:
Slovakia	3.8	0.4	2.8	-3.3	0.6	:
Finland	-3.4	-1.1	-0.6	-1.3	0.0	-4.2
Sweden	-1.7	-4.1	0.9	-4.1	-1.0	-0.8
United Kingdom	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.4	1.9
Norway	2.4	7.8	10.8	4.3	3.5	-0.5

* Working day adjusted

: Data not available

Production indices for total industry, working day and seasonally adjusted
(base year 2010)

	01/14	02/14	03/14	04/14	05/14	06/14	07/14	08/14	09/14	10/14	11/14	12/14	01/15
EA19	101.2	101.3	100.8	101.9	100.8	100.7	101.4	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.1	101.5	101.4
EA18	101.1	101.2	100.8	101.9	100.8	100.6	101.4	100.2	100.7	100.9	101.1	101.4	101.4
EU28	101.4	101.8	101.3	102.3	101.2	101.1	101.8	100.7	101.4	101.5	101.7	102.1	102.1
Belgium	102.8	104.8	102.3	104.0	103.4	105.8	102.7	101.7	104.6	103.2	104.5	103.6	:
Bulgaria	110.0	108.4	106.0	107.0	105.8	105.2	106.3	105.6	107.4	108.3	108.4	109.6	111.7
Czech Republic	107.7	109.4	109.9	110.4	109.0	109.5	110.2	106.2	111.5	111.0	112.3	113.0	:
Denmark	102.2	104.1	103.0	103.6	102.2	99.1	101.7	105.7	104.2	103.8	103.4	103.9	102.3
Germany	108.2	108.3	108.2	108.2	107.1	107.4	108.9	105.9	107.4	107.8	107.9	109.2	109.2
Estonia	124.9	123.3	126.0	129.3	130.0	129.3	132.9	129.7	131.6	129.6	131.3	129.1	127.1
Ireland	102.0	107.8	111.0	128.3	124.8	100.0	113.8	112.3	114.9	122.8	128.2	112.9	112.8
Greece	87.9	88.7	86.3	88.1	88.1	87.3	86.5	85.1	84.7	87.1	86.9	85.7	:
Spain	90.8	91.5	91.0	92.2	91.5	90.8	90.9	90.8	91.5	91.2	90.9	91.1	91.3
France	98.1	98.4	97.9	97.9	96.4	97.8	98.2	98.1	98.0	97.2	96.9	98.4	98.8
Croatia	96.1	93.0	94.3	91.5	91.5	90.6	92.4	88.7	92.7	92.9	95.4	95.1	91.3
Italy	92.3	91.7	91.3	91.8	90.6	91.4	90.5	90.8	90.0	90.0	90.3	90.7	90.1
Cyprus	71.9	72.7	73.4	72.1	72.8	73.2	72.6	74.5	71.6	71.2	69.9	70.0	:
Latvia	112.1	112.4	112.6	114.4	114.3	112.7	113.7	113.0	114.3	114.3	112.1	112.2	108.7
Lithuania	109.7	112.6	109.1	114.2	116.5	113.3	115.0	111.6	114.6	121.0	119.8	116.4	113.7
Luxembourg	97.2	100.1	98.3	101.2	100.3	99.5	100.8	100.1	101.3	101.2	101.9	107.7	:
Hungary	109.0	110.9	111.6	114.1	113.5	115.5	117.1	110.4	113.7	110.6	114.1	112.4	117.2
Malta	90.8	94.6	98.1	89.9	90.9	98.0	92.9	91.7	94.7	98.1	95.5	92.2	97.7
Netherlands	96.2	94.2	93.9	97.5	98.6	96.5	97.4	98.2	96.6	95.9	96.3	95.8	:
Austria	111.4	109.9	107.0	108.8	107.3	109.4	108.7	106.4	107.7	108.2	107.4	108.2	:
Poland	113.7	113.8	113.5	114.6	112.9	113.4	114.8	113.4	114.7	115.2	115.3	117.8	118.2
Portugal	95.3	94.9	90.9	97.1	94.5	94.2	95.3	96.9	92.6	95.0	94.9	92.7	93.8
Romania	126.2	126.8	127.7	126.1	127.6	128.3	128.4	126.9	128.8	129.4	129.2	129.3	130.5
Slovenia	99.1	98.6	100.7	100.7	100.2	101.9	103.6	100.5	100.2	102.5	101.6	101.8	:
Slovakia	122.5	123.2	122.7	123.2	123.6	124.1	124.0	124.6	123.9	125.4	124.5	125.4	:
Finland	94.4	93.1	93.9	93.4	93.6	92.7	93.5	93.1	93.6	93.6	93.4	93.7	91.4
Sweden	95.8	97.2	95.0	96.2	93.2	94.6	93.9	93.5	92.7	93.7	93.6	94.9	95.0
United Kingdom	96.4	97.6	97.6	97.7	97.3	97.3	97.5	97.3	97.9	97.7	97.8	97.6	97.6
Norway	95.7	95.6	97.6	97.1	91.2	96.6	96.3	96.1	99.5	99.9	97.9	98.2	95.3

: Data not available

Production indices for total industry, working day adjusted
(base year 2010)

	01/12	01/13	01/14	02/14	03/14	04/14	05/14	06/14	07/14	08/14	09/14	10/14	11/14	12/14	01/15
EA19	97.3	95.1	96.8	99.4	108.4	100.5	100.7	103.8	103.1	84.2	104.9	106.2	106.0	97.7	97.9
EA18	97.3	95.0	96.7	99.4	108.4	100.5	100.7	103.8	103.1	84.1	104.8	106.2	106.0	97.6	97.9
EU28	97.8	95.4	97.3	99.5	108.8	100.9	101.1	103.9	101.9	86.9	105.1	106.8	106.7	98.6	98.7
Belgium	98.7	96.6	99.7	103.2	111.3	104.0	102.6	112.0	94.7	92.4	110.4	109.0	105.2	102.8	:
Bulgaria	95.5	102.5	104.8	101.7	106.8	105.4	101.0	105.3	109.9	102.4	107.6	113.3	115.6	113.5	106.6
Czech Republic	101.7	97.0	102.3	105.5	117.0	110.9	109.7	113.3	102.6	96.9	115.0	118.6	120.8	108.1	:
Denmark	101.6	104.2	102.6	101.0	106.0	99.7	101.9	101.0	88.7	103.2	108.9	113.4	111.9	99.4	102.7
Germany	99.6	97.2	101.1	104.6	116.3	106.7	104.9	109.0	109.8	98.5	112.2	112.7	115.0	103.9	102.1
Estonia	114.6	121.8	118.8	115.3	132.7	128.0	135.2	130.1	121.6	128.9	136.9	139.7	137.8	122.4	120.9
Ireland	97.0	94.4	100.9	103.7	120.9	127.6	127.8	107.9	111.8	104.9	119.1	123.0	125.1	106.8	109.8
Greece	84.8	82.1	79.7	85.7	85.1	86.7	89.4	93.5	96.3	82.4	89.2	86.4	85.0	82.8	:
Spain	93.0	87.9	88.9	91.3	96.1	90.4	95.7	94.9	96.9	71.6	94.4	95.3	93.5	84.4	89.5
France	103.4	100.8	99.9	99.6	107.9	99.6	91.4	103.3	97.4	72.3	100.8	102.1	98.9	100.1	101.5
Croatia	81.0	83.8	85.7	86.6	97.0	92.6	95.9	92.2	96.5	83.9	93.4	96.7	98.9	95.8	81.5
Italy	88.9	85.9	87.0	92.5	98.7	89.9	97.6	97.1	102.8	58.2	95.8	97.8	94.7	80.4	85.1
Cyprus	79.7	67.9	64.1	65.6	70.6	68.5	76.4	80.1	86.6	66.5	77.1	73.2	67.4	69.9	:
Latvia	103.6	105.5	101.1	99.0	108.7	113.7	110.2	114.2	114.8	119.5	119.6	128.9	116.6	114.1	97.5
Lithuania	108.7	117.7	108.5	106.9	111.1	110.9	116.8	113.6	113.9	111.3	116.3	123.6	123.0	117.8	112.0
Luxembourg	95.3	89.1	93.5	97.7	107.6	100.8	101.5	99.8	102.4	85.2	103.5	106.8	102.6	108.2	:
Hungary	100.7	99.1	105.3	105.7	117.3	111.1	113.9	118.3	114.8	100.1	121.0	117.9	125.9	106.7	113.5
Malta	98.3	103.7	87.6	89.9	105.9	91.0	91.1	102.6	99.6	85.2	98.2	103.3	94.5	80.4	94.7
Netherlands	104.3	107.2	102.4	98.0	102.1	93.9	93.8	91.6	86.5	84.5	94.0	99.2	105.4	104.8	:
Austria	91.3	93.4	97.1	101.8	113.8	107.8	106.2	113.5	109.2	96.3	115.4	113.6	114.8	107.6	:
Poland	103.4	101.3	107.8	107.4	119.3	113.4	110.9	114.0	112.5	108.2	120.9	124.5	120.0	113.3	112.5
Portugal	94.0	92.1	96.2	95.3	94.9	95.1	98.5	97.6	100.0	81.3	95.5	96.6	97.3	85.9	94.5
Romania	104.2	110.4	121.5	122.8	137.2	123.4	132.9	129.4	128.9	110.5	132.0	137.8	136.5	120.7	125.9
Slovenia	94.9	92.8	92.8	94.4	108.3	99.6	102.5	107.3	104.2	86.2	105.9	109.5	107.2	94.0	:
Slovakia	105.2	111.9	119.2	120.2	125.6	123.3	132.7	127.2	112.1	111.9	126.8	136.2	135.0	111.3	:
Finland	83.6	79.7	76.2	78.5	97.5	85.7	97.3	89.9	84.9	94.6	100.0	107.9	105.7	108.0	73.0
Sweden	101.3	93.7	93.2	94.8	103.2	97.1	93.5	98.9	76.6	84.4	96.0	100.2	98.8	97.6	92.5
United Kingdom	96.9	93.1	94.1	95.5	106.0	96.0	97.6	98.3	96.3	90.3	98.7	100.0	101.6	95.5	95.9
Norway	108.7	99.9	102.5	94.5	101.8	93.9	91.9	92.1	85.1	93.9	94.3	105.9	102.7	100.5	102.0

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