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**Export and Import Price Indices of Industrial Products.  
Base 2005  
November 2008. *Provisional data***

**The General Export Price Index interannual rate increases 1.8% in  
November**

**Import prices increase 0.7% as compared with November 2007**

The General Export Price Index registered a 1.8% increase in November 2008 with regard to the same month from the previous year.

By economic destination of the goods, the interannual variation rates were 3.1% for Consumer goods (0.2% for Durable consumer goods and 3.7% for Non-durable consumer goods), 0.6% for Capital goods, 3.8% for Intermediate goods and -10.7% for Energy.

In terms of monthly variation, the General Export Price Index registered a 1.5% decrease in November, as compared with the month of October 2008.

Considering classification by economic destination of the goods, the variation rates in comparison with the previous month were -1.4% for Intermediate goods and -16.6% for Energy. Consumer goods and Capital goods did not experience any monthly variation.

**The General Import Price Index interannual rate increases 0.7% in November**

The General Import Price Index registered a 0.7% increase in November 2008, as compared with the same month from the previous year.

By economic destination of the goods, the interannual variation rates were 4.1% for Consumer goods (0.9% for Durable consumer goods and 5.0% for Non-durable consumer goods), 1.8% for Capital goods, 4.6% for Intermediate goods and -10.1% for Energy.

Regarding monthly variation, the General Import Price Index decreased 3.8% in November as compared with October 2008.

Considering classification by economic destination of the goods, the variation rates with regard to the previous month were 0.8% for Consumer goods (0.6% for Durable consumer goods and 0.8% for Non-durable consumer goods), 0.3% for Capital goods, -1.8% for Intermediate goods and -17.6% for Energy.

## Export Price Indices

Period	General Index		Consumer Goods		Capital Goods		Intermediate Goods		Energy	
	% variation on		% variation on		% variation on		% variation on		% variation on	
	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year
2007 November	0.1	1.5	0.3	0.8	-0.1	0.4	-1.1	0.4	8.3	24.0
December	0.2	1.9	0.2	1.5	0.0	0.4	-0.4	-0.1	4.8	30.7
2008 January	0.3	2.1	0.7	1.6	0.0	0.1	1.0	0.4	-3.0	36.3
February	0.5	1.9	0.4	1.7	0.1	0.0	0.8	0.5	-0.2	27.5
March	0.4	1.9	-0.1	1.6	-0.2	-0.2	0.5	1.2	5.4	23.3
April	0.5	2.5	0.2	2.1	-0.1	-0.3	0.3	0.8	5.3	35.8
May	0.9	2.8	0.0	2.0	0.0	-0.3	0.9	0.6	9.5	44.5
June	0.7	3.4	0.4	2.3	0.1	-0.2	0.5	1.0	6.6	51.8
July	0.8	4.3	0.1	2.4	0.2	-0.1	1.2	2.4	4.6	58.8
August	0.2	4.4	0.2	2.3	0.3	0.1	0.8	3.3	-4.4	51.7
September	0.2	4.9	0.6	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.3	4.8	-0.9	47.2
October	-1.3	3.4	0.5	3.4	0.1	0.5	-0.6	4.2	-17.8	16.0
November	-1.5	1.8	0.0	3.1	0.0	0.6	-1.4	3.8	-16.6	-10.7

## Import Price Indices

Period	General Index		Consumer Goods		Capital Goods		Intermediate Goods		Energy	
	% variation on		% variation on		% variation on		% variation on		% variation on	
	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year	Previous month	Same month previous year
2007 November	0.5	4.1	-0.2	0.7	-0.2	0.0	-1.1	0.7	5.1	23.0
December	0.6	4.9	0.3	1.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.7	3.6	29.1
2008 January	0.5	6.7	0.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.9	1.8	0.3	40.1
February	0.8	6.8	0.4	1.4	-0.1	0.3	1.2	1.8	1.9	39.6
March	0.4	6.8	-0.8	0.7	-0.5	-0.2	0.6	2.1	2.2	39.0
April	1.0	6.8	-0.1	0.6	0.0	-0.2	0.8	2.2	4.2	38.3
May	2.7	9.1	0.2	0.7	0.1	-0.1	1.3	3.0	11.3	50.4
June	1.9	10.3	0.4	1.1	-0.1	-0.3	0.7	3.4	7.3	55.5
July	0.6	10.6	-0.5	0.5	0.1	-0.1	1.0	4.7	1.5	53.5
August	-0.9	9.6	1.2	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.8	5.8	-6.0	45.0
September	-0.8	8.6	0.7	1.8	0.4	0.6	0.4	6.5	-5.0	35.4
October	-2.1	5.2	1.2	3.1	0.6	1.3	-1.1	5.3	-10.6	14.7
November	-3.8	0.7	0.8	4.1	0.3	1.8	-1.8	4.6	-17.6	-10.1

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## Import and Export Price Indices for Industrial Products. Base 2005 November 2008

Provisional data

### Export Price Indices Total industry and main Industrial groupings<sup>1</sup>

	Index	% variation over the		
		Previous month	December previous year	Same month previous year
TOTAL INDUSTRY	108.5	-1.5	1.6	1.8
Consumer Goods	105.3	0.0	2.9	3.1
-Durable consumer goods	95.5	-0.4	0.2	0.2
-Non-durable consumer goods	107.4	0.0	3.5	3.7
Capital goods	102.4	0.0	0.6	0.6
Intermediate goods	116.2	-1.4	4.3	3.8
Energy	117.1	-16.6	-14.8	-10.7

### Import Price Indices Total industry and Main Industrial groupings<sup>1</sup>

	Index	% variation over the		
		Previous month	December previous year	Same month previous year
TOTAL INDUSTRY	110.4	-3.8	0.1	0.7
Consumer Goods	106.5	0.8	3.8	4.1
-Durable consumer goods	97.6	0.6	0.7	0.9
-Non-durable consumer goods	109.2	0.8	4.7	5.0
Capital goods	101.1	0.3	1.7	1.8
Intermediate goods	117.0	-1.8	4.7	4.6
Energy	125.1	-17.6	-13.2	-10.1

<sup>1</sup> Commission Regulation (EC) No 586/2001 of 26 March 2001

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