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Export and Import Price Indices of Industrial Products. 2005 Base
December 2006. *Provisional data*

The General Export Price Index increases 3.1% in the interannual rate

Import prices increase 2.2%

The General Export Price Index increases 3.1% in December 2006 with regard to the same month from the previous year.

By economic destination of the goods, the variation rates with regard to the same month from the previous year are -0.6% for consumer goods (-2.2% for durable consumer goods and -0.3% for non-durable consumer goods), 0.9% for capital goods, 9.0% for intermediate goods and -3.5% for energy.

Regarding the variation with respect to the previous month, the General Export Price Index registered in December a decrease of 0.3% with respect to the month of November 2006.

Considering classification by economic destination of the goods, the variation rates with respect to the previous month are -0.5% for consumer goods (-1% for durable consumer goods and -0.4% for non-durable consumer goods), -0.3% for intermediate goods and -1.8% for energy. Capital goods have not experienced variation.

The General Import Price Index increases 2.2% in December

The General Import Price Index increases 2.2% in December 2006 with respect to the same month from the previous year.

By economic destination of the goods, the variation rates with respect to the same month from the previous year are 0.1% for consumer goods (-2.1% for durable consumer goods and 0.8% for non-durable consumer goods), -0.5% for capital goods, 7.9% for intermediate goods and 0.5% for energy.

Regarding the variation with respect to the previous month, the General Import Price Index decreases 0.5% with respect to November 2006.

Considering the classification by economic destination of the goods, the variation rates with respect to the previous month are -0.1% for consumer goods (-0.3% for durable consumer goods and no variation for non-durable consumer goods), 0.1% for capital goods, -0.3% for intermediate goods and -1.7% 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 prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year
December 2005	0.2		0.6		0.1		0.3		-0.7	
January 2006	1.0	4.6	0.9	3.1	0.3	1.8	1.1	4.0	4.5	46.7
February 2006	0.4	4.5	0.5	3.5	0.2	1.8	0.8	4.2	0.2	38.7
March 2006	0.3	4.6	0.2	3.7	-0.3	1.6	0.7	5.1	2.3	31.2
April 2006	0.6	4.7	-0.3	3.4	-0.1	1.0	1.7	6.6	0.9	26.7
May 2006	0.3	5.1	-0.2	3.0	0.0	0.9	1.1	7.8	0.4	33.5
June 2006	0.1	4.4	-0.2	2.1	0.2	0.8	0.0	7.7	-0.2	20.3
July 2006	0.5	4.5	-0.2	1.8	0.0	0.7	1.3	9.1	2.4	15.7
August 2006	0.1	4.4	0.1	2.1	-0.1	0.8	0.4	9.2	0.7	11.3
September 2006	0.0	3.8	0.0	1.4	0.4	1.2	0.5	9.6	-6.1	-2.1
October 2006	0.3	3.6	-0.5	0.9	0.3	1.2	1.5	10.1	-4.6	-6.5
November 2006	-0.2	3.6	-0.4	0.5	0.0	1.0	-0.1	9.7	-1.7	-2.4
December 2006	-0.3	3.1	-0.5	-0.6	0.0	0.9	-0.3	9.0	-1.8	-3.5

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 prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year	Previous month	Same month prev. year
December 2005	-0.3		-0.4		0.0		0.2		-1.4	
January 2006	0.8	7.3	0.0	2.9	0.2	-0.8	0.8	3.5	2.9	48.7
February 2006	1.2	8.0	0.3	3.2	0.1	-0.4	0.8	3.9	4.8	49.1
March 2006	0.2	7.2	-0.3	3.2	-0.1	-0.1	1.0	5.2	0.1	35.8
April 2006	1.1	7.3	-0.2	2.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.1	6.0	5.0	35.4
May 2006	-0.2	7.5	-0.8	1.3	-0.2	-0.6	0.9	7.4	-1.0	38.9
June 2006	0.5	6.1	0.6	0.8	0.3	-0.6	0.3	7.4	0.6	26.5
July 2006	0.8	5.8	0.2	0.4	0.1	-0.2	1.3	9.2	2.7	20.6
August 2006	0.1	5.1	-0.1	0.6	-0.4	-0.3	0.2	8.8	0.6	15.5
September 2006	-1.1	3.2	0.5	0.7	-0.1	-0.2	0.5	9.0	-7.4	3.4
October 2006	-0.1	3.0	0.3	0.7	0.1	-0.1	1.1	9.3	-2.9	1.7
November 2006	-0.5	2.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	0.1	8.5	-2.7	0.7
December 2006	-0.5	2.2	-0.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.5	-0.3	7.9	-1.7	0.5

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