

Consumer price index

2 □ 1989 Monthly

PRICES: Sharp increase for EUR 12 in January (+ 0.7%).

Substantial rises in most of the Member States raised the CPI for the Community as a whole by 0.7% in January compared with December 1988.

In fact, a strong increase can be observed for most of the Member States: Portugal (1.3%), Germany (1.1%), Spain (1.0%), Italy (0.8%), Luxembourg (0.7%), the U.K. (0.6%), Denmark (0.5%), France (0.4%) and Belgium (0.4%).

The Netherlands (-0.9%) and Greece (-0.3%) recorded a decrease of the index, due to a seasonal effect: winter sales of clothing and footwear.

The acceleration in January pushed up the inflation rate over the year for the EC to 4.8% (January 1989 compared with January 1988; a year ago this rate was only 3.1% (*)).

This phenomenon was found in the majority of the Member States as may be seen from the following figures:

	January			January	
	89/88	88/87		89/88	88/87
Netherlands	0.9	0.4	Denmark	4.6	4.3
Belgium	2.4	0.9	Italy	5.7	5.2
Luxembourg	2.5	0.6	Spain	6.3	4.5
Germany	2.6	0.7	U.K.	7.5	3.3
Ireland	:	:	Portugal	12.2	8.5
France	3.3	2.4	Greece	13.8	14.3

The non-EC countries reported in this publication also recorded significant increases in January: USA, Canada and Finland 0.5%, Switzerland 0.6%, Austria and Norway 0.7%, Sweden 1.2%. Only Japan registered a slight increase of 0.1%.

(*) For the calculation of the EUR-12 index Eurostat has introduced for 1989 the weights of the year 1986. At the same time a revision of the weights for the previous years became necessary; the correction of the weights caused a modification of the values of the general index for EUR-12 from January 1987 onwards.

GENERAL INDEX EXCLUDING TOBACCO

In the framework of the Commission's program "Europe against cancer" Eurostat regularly calculates and publishes an index excluding tobacco products. The aim of this index is to make clear to the public and the social partners the effects of adjustments in taxation on tobacco products which are foreseen in the program "Europe against cancer". See pages 8 and 9 in this bulletin.



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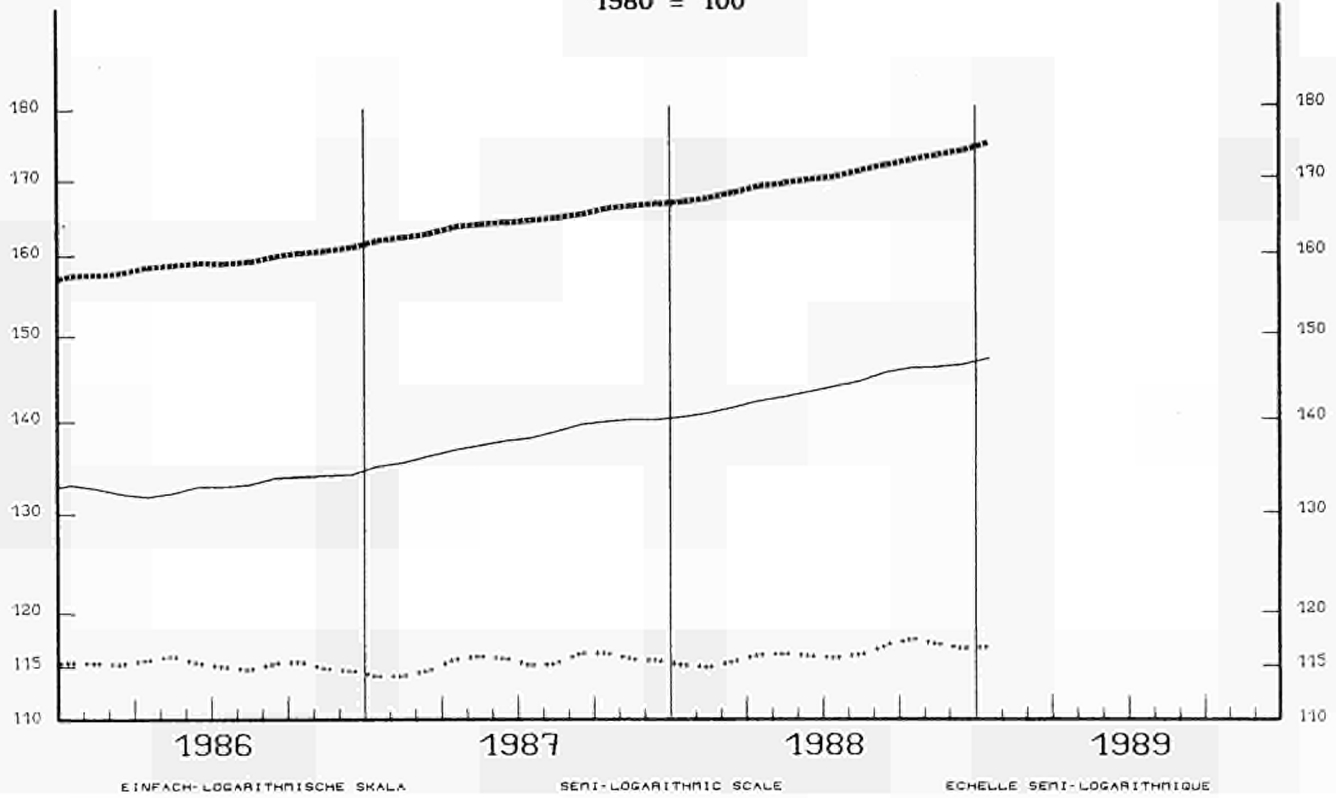
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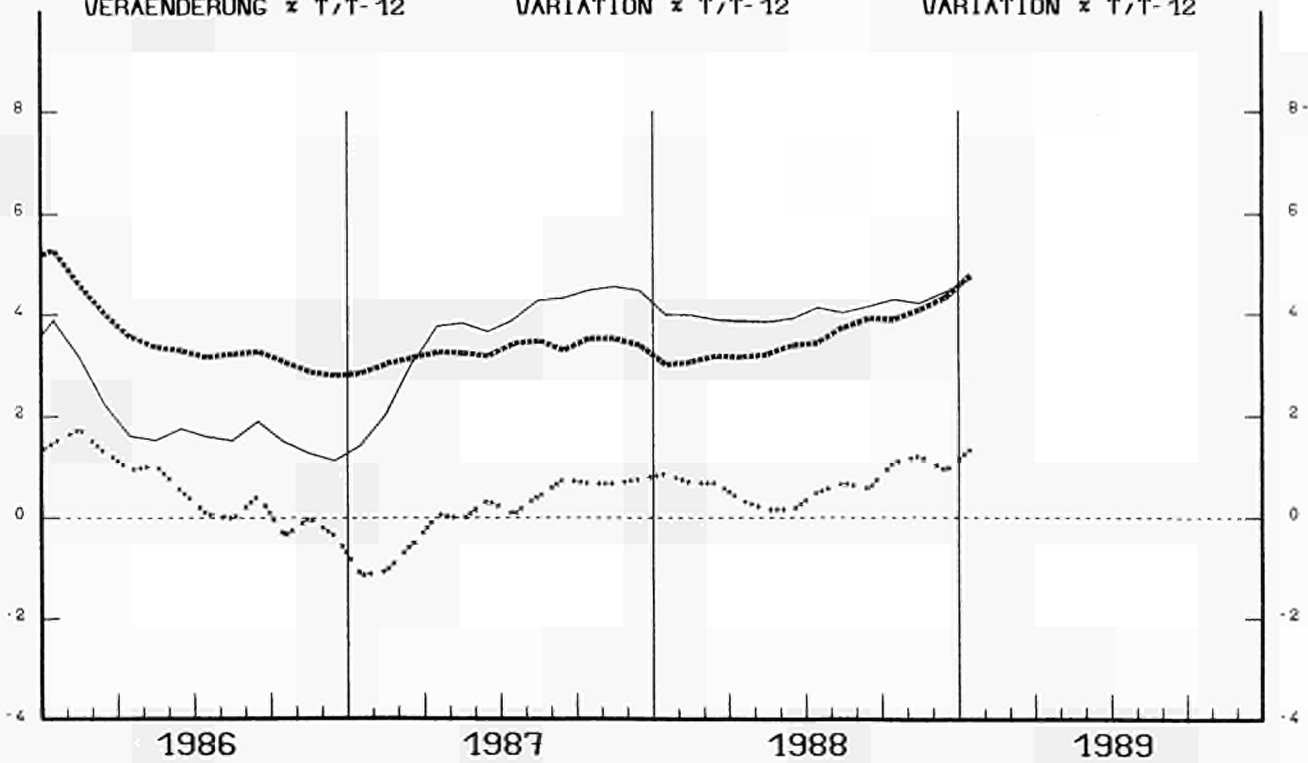


TABLE I

CONSUMER PRICES

GENERAL INDEX

	EUR 12	B	DK	D	GR	E	F	IRL	I	L	NL	P	UK	
	Price indices							1985=100						
Annual average														
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1986	103.6	101.3	103.6	99.7	123.0	108.8	102.7	103.8	105.8	100.3	100.2	111.8	103.4	
1987	107.0	102.9	107.8	100.0	143.2	114.5	105.9	107.1	110.9	100.2	99.8	122.2	107.7	
1988	110.8	104.1	112.7	101.2	162.5	120.0	108.7	109.4	116.5	101.7	100.6	133.9	113.0	
1988														
January	108.6	102.9	110.2	100.4	152.5	117.4	107.0	:	114.0	100.9	99.5	127.8	109.2	
February	108.9	103.2	111.1	100.7	151.8	117.7	107.2	108.4	114.5	100.9	99.7	129.6	109.6	
March	109.4	103.3	111.5	100.7	156.4	118.5	107.5	:	115.0	101.1	100.2	130.5	110.0	
April	109.9	103.7	111.9	101.0	159.6	118.1	108.0	:	115.3	101.1	100.5	131.0	111.8	
May	110.2	103.8	112.8	101.2	160.0	118.0	108.3	108.9	115.7	101.2	100.6	131.4	112.3	
June	110.5	104.0	112.8	101.3	162.1	118.5	108.6	:	116.1	101.4	100.5	132.1	112.7	
July	110.8	104.3	112.3	101.2	161.7	120.0	109.0	:	116.3	101.8	100.6	133.2	112.8	
August	111.3	104.5	113.0	101.3	162.1	121.2	109.3	109.8	116.8	102.0	100.9	135.1	114.1	
September	111.8	104.7	113.7	101.3	166.9	122.4	109.6	:	117.4	102.1	101.2	136.6	114.6	
October	112.3	104.7	113.9	101.4	171.0	122.5	109.8	:	118.3	102.3	101.3	137.8	115.7	
November	112.7	104.6	114.7	101.7	172.2	122.5	109.9	110.5	119.2	102.6	101.4	139.9	116.3	
December	113.0	105.0	114.7	101.9	174.1	123.5	110.1	:	119.5	102.6	101.3	141.5	116.6	
1989														
January	113.8P	105.4	115.2	103.0	173.6	124.7	110.5	:	120.5P	103.4	100.4	143.4	117.3	
	Rates of increase over one month (IRL 3 months)							(T/T-1)						
1988														
Jan/Dec	0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.6	0.2	:	0.5	0.1	-0.6	0.8	0.0	
Feb./Jan.	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.2	-0.5	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.2	1.4	0.4	
March/Feb.	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.1	3.0	0.7	0.3	:	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.4	
April/March	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	2.0	-0.4	0.5	:	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3	1.6	
May/April	0.2	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	
June/May	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.2	1.3	0.4	0.3	:	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.5	0.4	
July/June	0.2	0.3	-0.4	-0.1	-0.3	1.3	0.3	:	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.1	
August/July	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.3	1.0	0.3	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.3	1.4	1.1	
Sept./August	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.0	3.0	1.0	0.2	:	0.5	0.1	0.3	1.1	0.5	
Oct./Setp.	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	2.5	0.1	0.2	:	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.9	1.0	
Nov./Oct.	0.3	-0.1	0.7	0.2	0.7	-0.1	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.1	1.5	0.5	
Dec./Nov.	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.2	1.1	0.8	0.2	:	0.3	0.0	-0.1	1.2	0.3	
1989														
Jan/Dec	0.7P	0.4	0.5	1.1	-0.3	1.0	0.4	:	0.8P	0.7	-0.9	1.3	0.6	
	Rates of increase over 12 months							(T/T-12)						
1988/87														
January	3.1	0.9	4.3	0.7	14.3	4.5	2.4	:	5.2	0.6	0.4	8.5	3.3	
February	3.1	1.0	5.2	0.9	13.4	4.4	2.4	2.0	5.0	0.6	0.4	8.9	3.3	
March	3.2	1.0	4.7	1.0	13.2	4.5	2.5	:	5.2	0.8	0.7	8.2	3.5	
April	3.2	1.0	4.7	1.0	13.0	3.9	2.5	:	5.1	1.0	0.8	8.0	3.9	
May	3.2	1.0	4.6	1.1	12.5	3.9	2.5	1.9	5.0	1.2	0.9	8.3	4.2	
June	3.4	1.1	4.6	1.1	11.8	4.3	2.6	:	5.0	1.5	0.9	9.2	4.6	
July	3.5	1.0	4.1	1.0	13.2	4.6	2.7	:	5.0	2.0	1.0	9.7	4.8	
August	3.8	0.9	4.5	1.2	14.0	5.7	2.8	2.1	5.0	1.8	1.0	10.0	5.7	
September	4.0	1.2	4.5	1.4	14.8	5.7	3.0	:	4.9	1.8	1.0	11.0	5.9	
October	3.9	1.3	4.2	1.3	14.1	5.2	3.0	:	4.9	2.0	0.9	10.7	6.4	
November	4.1	1.6	4.6	1.6	14.1	5.4	3.0	2.7	5.3	2.1	1.1	11.9	6.4	
December	4.3	1.9	4.5	1.6	14.0	5.9	3.1	:	5.4	1.9	1.2	11.7	6.8	
1989/88														
January	4.8P	2.4	4.6	2.6	13.8	6.3	3.3	:	5.7P	2.5	0.9	12.2	7.5	

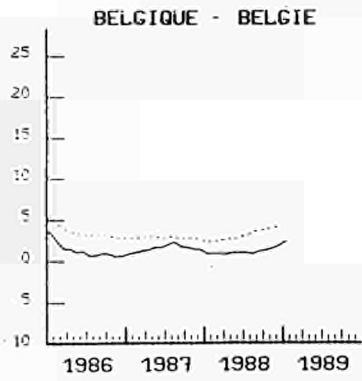
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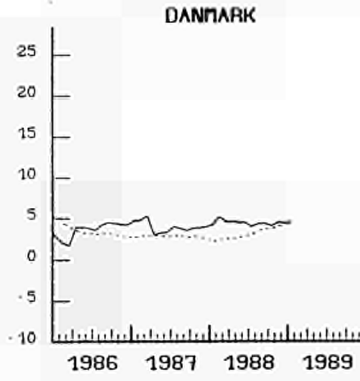
GENERAL INDEX

	U.S.A	Japan	Switzerland	Austria	Norway	Sweden	Finland	Canada
	Price indices				1985=100			
Annual average								
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	101.9	100.6	100.8	101.7	107.2	104.2	103.6	104.1
1987	105.7	100.7	102.2	103.1	116.5	108.6	107.4	108.7
1988	110.0	101.4	104.2	105.1	124.3	114.9	112.7	113.1
1988								
January	107.6	100.6	103.2	103.9	120.8	111.6	109.8	110.7
February	107.9	100.4	103.7	104.1	121.7	112.5	110.1	111.1
March	108.3	100.8	104.0	104.4	123.4	113.0	110.7	111.6
April	108.9	101.3	104.2	104.5	123.7	114.0	111.5	112.0
May	109.3	101.4	104.0	104.3	123.9	114.3	112.4	112.7
June	109.7	101.2	104.1	105.0	124.6	114.7	113.0	112.9
July	110.2	101.0	103.9	106.2	124.6	115.2	112.9	113.6
August	110.8	101.3	104.2	106.5	124.5	115.4	113.1	113.9
September	111.4	102.1	104.3	105.9	126.1	116.3	114.2	114.0
October	111.8	102.6	104.5	105.6	126.2	117.2	114.4	114.5
November	111.9	102.2	104.9	105.5	126.2	117.4	114.6	114.9
December	112.1	101.9	105.0	105.5	126.2	117.7	115.5	114.9
1989								
January	112.6	102.0P	105.6	106.2	127.1	119.0	116.1	115.4
	Rates of increase over one month (IRL 3 months)				(T/T-1)			
1988								
Jan/Dec	0.3	-0.3	0.2	0.4	1.2	0.5	1.2	0.2
Feb./Jan.	0.3	-0.2	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.4
March/Feb.	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
April/March	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.7	0.4
May/April	0.3	0.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.6
June/May	0.4	-0.2	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.1
July/June	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	1.2	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.6
August/July	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3
Sept./August	0.7	0.8	0.1	-0.6	1.3	0.7	1.0	0.1
Oct./Setp.	0.3	0.5	0.2	-0.3	0.1	0.8	0.1	0.5
Nov./Oct.	0.1	-0.4	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3
Dec./Nov.	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.0
1989								
Jan/Dec	0.5	0.1P	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.5
	Rates of increase over 12 months				(T/T-12)			
1988/87								
January	4.0	0.9	1.5	1.9	7.0	4.4	3.8	4.1
February	3.9	0.7	1.8	2.2	6.8	5.2	3.8	4.1
March	3.9	0.7	1.8	2.3	7.2	5.5	3.8	4.1
April	3.9	0.3	1.9	2.2	7.2	6.1	4.2	4.0
May	3.9	0.2	2.3	1.7	7.1	6.4	4.8	4.1
June	4.0	0.2	2.0	1.4	7.1	6.9	5.1	3.9
July	4.1	0.5	1.8	2.1	6.8	6.1	5.0	3.8
August	4.0	0.7	1.8	1.8	6.6	5.8	4.9	4.0
September	4.2	0.6	2.0	1.9	6.4	5.5	5.5	4.1
October	4.2	1.1	1.8	1.8	6.4	5.9	5.5	4.2
November	4.2	1.2	1.9	2.0	6.2	5.7	5.6	4.1
December	4.4	1.0	2.0	1.9	5.6	6.0	6.6	4.0
1989/88								
January	4.7	1.4P	2.3	2.2	5.2	6.6	5.8	4.3

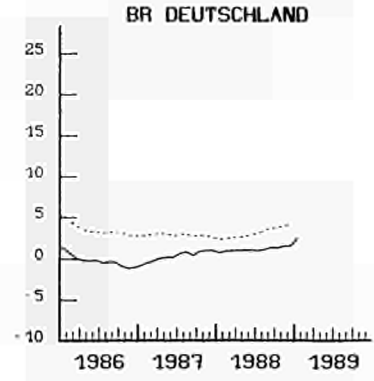
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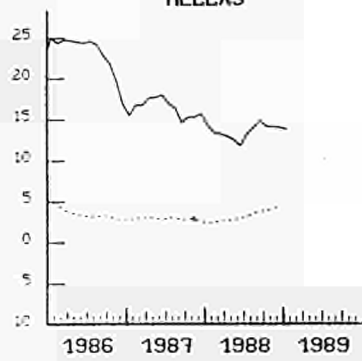
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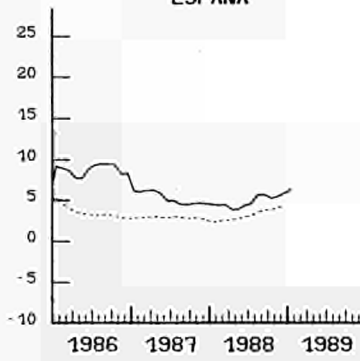
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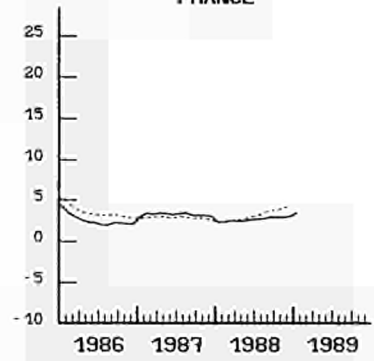
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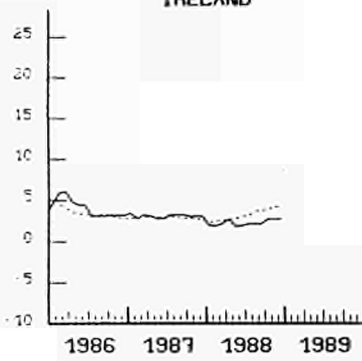
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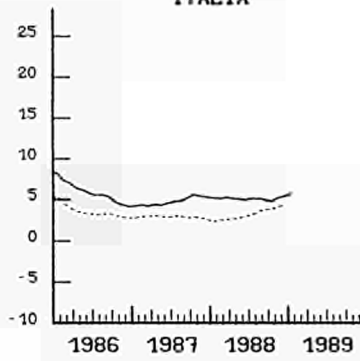
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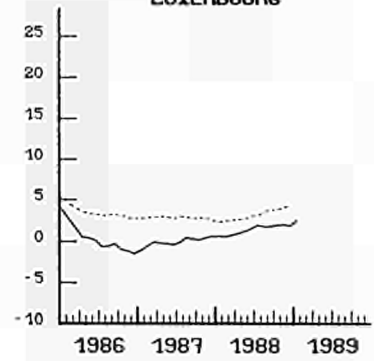
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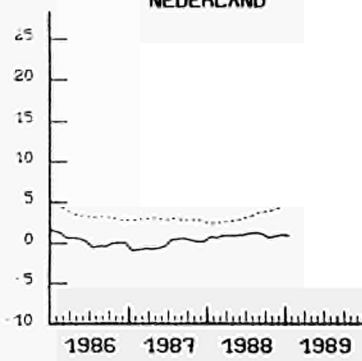
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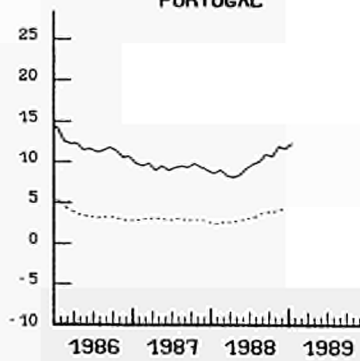
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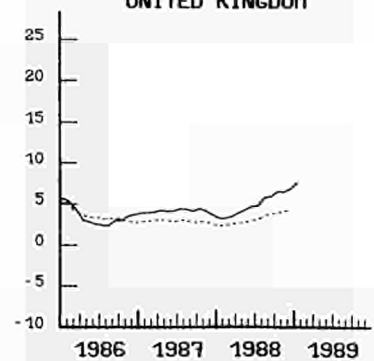
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UNITED KINGDOM



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EXPLANATORY NOTES

METHODOLOGY

The consumer price indices given here are the national indices which have different names in each country. As far as trends are concerned, the general index published by EUROSTAT always corresponds to the general index published by the country. The component items of this general index are groups of national indices aggregated according to a harmonized classification conforming to the ESA (European System of Integrated Economic Accounts). For these groups, the price trends correspond to the trends noted by the national indices for the same classification field. The field covered by the general index varies according to country: as regards the population concerned (specific income bracket, certain socio-professional categories or total households), the geographical areas used (capital, urban areas, country as a whole, etc.) or differences in treatments of expenditure on rent, health care, etc... Finally, there is no uniform method for seasonal adjustments. A fixed base system is used in some countries, whereas in others a chain system is used (variable weightings). The reference years used at national level for the indices vary according to country. For ease of comparison, EUROSTAT has chosen 1985 as the common year for the presentation of these indices.

THE CALCULATION OF THE EUR-12 INDEX

The Eur-12 index as calculated by EUROSTAT is a weighted average of national price indices. The weight used is the proportion of each country in the final consumption of households for EUR-12. The values of this consumption in national currency are converted into purchasing power standard (PPS); for this purpose the purchasing power parities of the G.D.P. are used. Up to 1987 purchasing power parities are those which result from the 1980 enquiry, from 1988 onwards they are those from the 1985 enquiry. The index calculated is a chain index of the "Laspeyres" type with weights changing each year. However, the weights are lagged by three years since the national accounts data needed become available only after three years. For example: the weights used for 1989 are those of 1986, for 1988 those of 1985. Moreover, national accounts data are often revised leading to revisions of the consumption weights. In order to avoid continuous modifications in the EUR-12 index for previous periods, EUROSTAT has decided to "freeze" the weights which are used. Thus the EUR-12 index will not be affected by revisions of the national accounts. However when Member States carry out major revisions in the price series for past years, EUR-12 data will be calculated using these new series.

TABLE III

CONSUMER PRICES

GENERAL INDEX EXCLUDING TOBACCO PRODUCTS

	EUR 12	B	DK	D	GR	E	F	IRL	I	L	NL	P	UK
	General index excluding tobacco products							1985=100					
Annual average													
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	103.5	101.2	103.5	99.7	123.2	109.8	102.4	103.5	105.8	100.1	100.3	111.7	103.2
1987	107.0	102.7	107.8	100.0	143.4	115.5	105.7	106.7	110.7	100.0	100.1	122.1	107.5
1988	110.8	103.9	112.7	101.2	161.9	121.1	108.4	109.0	116.2	101.4	101.0	133.9	112.8
1987													
December	107.5	102.9	109.7	100.2	153.1	117.7	106.7	:	113.1	100.5	100.7	126.7	109.0
1988													
January	108.6	102.8	110.1	100.4	152.2	118.4	106.9	:	113.7	100.6	99.9	127.8	109.0
February	108.9	103.1	111.0	100.7	151.1	118.7	107.1	107.8	114.3	100.7	100.0	129.6	109.4
March	109.3	103.1	111.4	100.7	155.8	119.6	107.4	:	114.7	100.9	100.5	130.5	109.9
April	109.9	103.6	111.9	101.0	159.1	119.2	107.8	:	115.1	100.9	100.9	131.0	111.6
May	110.1	103.7	112.9	101.2	159.5	119.1	108.0	108.4	115.5	100.9	100.9	131.4	112.0
June	110.5	103.9	112.8	101.3	161.6	119.6	108.3	:	115.9	101.1	100.9	132.1	112.5
July	110.7	104.2	112.3	101.2	161.0	121.1	108.7	:	116.1	101.5	100.9	133.2	112.6
August	111.3	104.4	113.1	101.2	161.2	122.3	109.0	109.3	116.6	101.7	101.3	135.1	113.9
September	111.8	104.5	113.7	101.3	166.1	123.5	109.2	:	117.2	101.8	101.6	136.6	114.5
October	112.3	104.6	113.9	101.4	170.4	123.7	109.5	:	118.1	102.0	101.7	137.9	115.6
November	112.6	104.5	114.8	101.6	171.6	123.6	109.6	110.3P	118.6	102.4	101.8	140.0	116.2
December	113.0P	104.9	114.8	101.8	173.5	124.6	109.8	:	119.1	102.3	101.7	141.7P	116.5
	Rates of increase over one month (IRL 3 months)							(T/T-1)					
1987													
Dec./Nov.	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.4	0.1	:	0.1	0.2	-0.2	1.4	-0.1
1988													
Jan/Dec87	0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.2	-0.6	0.7	0.2	:	0.5	0.1	-0.8	0.8	0.0
Feb./Jan.	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.2	-0.7	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.2	1.4	0.4
March/Feb.	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.1	3.1	0.7	0.3	:	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.4
April/March	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	2.1	-0.4	0.4	:	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	1.6
May/April	0.2	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.4
June/May	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.2	1.3	0.4	0.2	:	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.5	0.4
July/June	0.2	0.3	-0.4	-0.1	-0.4	1.3	0.4	:	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.1
August/July	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.0	0.1	1.0	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.1	0.3	1.4	1.1
Sept./August	0.5	0.1	0.6	0.1	3.1	1.0	0.2	:	0.5	0.1	0.3	1.1	0.6
Oct./Sept.	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	2.5	0.1	0.2	:	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.9	1.0
Nov./Oct.	0.3	-0.1	0.7	0.2	0.7	-0.1	0.1	0.9P	0.4	0.3	0.1	1.5	0.5
Dec./Nov.	0.3P	0.4	0.0	0.2	1.2	0.8	0.2	:	0.4	-0.1	-0.1	1.2P	0.2
	Rates of increase over 12 months							(T/T-12)					
1987/86													
December	2.6	1.4	4.2	1.0	15.7	4.5	3.1	:	4.9	0.6	0.1	8.7	3.8
1988/87													
January	3.1	0.9	4.4	0.8	13.8	4.6	2.3	:	5.0	0.6	0.8	8.3	3.4
February	3.1	1.0	5.3	0.9	12.7	4.4	2.4	1.9	4.9	0.5	0.7	8.8	3.4
March	3.2	1.0	4.8	1.0	12.7	4.5	2.5	:	5.1	0.7	0.9	8.2	3.6
April	3.2	1.0	4.7	1.1	12.5	3.9	2.4	:	5.0	1.0	0.9	8.0	3.9
May	3.2	1.0	4.6	1.1	12.1	3.9	2.4	1.8	4.8	1.1	0.9	8.3	4.1
June	3.3	1.1	4.6	1.2	11.3	4.3	2.5	:	4.8	1.5	1.0	9.1	4.6
July	3.4	1.0	4.2	1.1	12.6	4.6	2.5	:	4.9	1.9	1.2	9.7	4.8
August	3.8	0.9	4.5	1.2	13.3	5.7	2.6	2.1	5.0	1.7	1.2	10.0	5.7
September	3.9	1.2	4.5	1.4	14.2	5.7	2.8	:	4.7	1.7	1.1	11.0	5.9
October	4.0	1.4	4.2	1.4	13.4	5.3	2.8	:	5.0	1.9	0.7	10.8	6.5
November	4.1	1.6	4.7	1.6	13.5	5.4	2.8	2.9P	5.0	2.0	0.8	12.0	6.5
December	4.3P	1.9	4.6	1.7	13.3	5.9	2.9	:	5.3	1.8	1.0	11.8P	6.9

TABLE IV

CONSUMER PRICES

TOBACCO PRODUCTS

	EUR 12	B	DK	D	GR	E	F	IRL	I	L	NL	P	UK
	Tobacco products							1985=100					
Annual average													
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	108.6	108.0	107.3	103.2	118.6	112.0	106.5	110.0	105.9	107.8	101.3	118.5	114.3
1987	114.2	113.3	109.6	103.1	137.6	120.6	111.9	116.4	116.7	110.0	104.3	133.6	117.8
1988	121.3	114.3	112.3	104.3	198.1	124.2	122.4	119.9	125.8	115.1	104.4	146.4	121.7
1987													
December	116.6	114.2	110.2	102.9	140.2	120.7	113.9	:	124.1	112.0	103.5	146.4	119.2
1988													
January	117.9	114.2	112.3	102.9	172.4	120.7	113.9	:	124.1	112.0	103.5	146.4	119.4
February	118.8	114.2	112.3	102.9	191.3	124.4	113.9	119.8	124.1	112.0	103.5	146.4	119.5
March	118.8	114.2	112.3	102.9	191.3	124.5	113.9	:	124.1	112.0	103.5	146.4	119.6
April	119.9	114.2	112.3	102.9	191.3	124.5	118.5	:	124.1	112.0	103.5	146.4	121.5
May	121.0	114.2	112.3	103.8	191.3	124.5	124.4	119.9	124.1	116.1	103.5	146.4	122.1
June	120.9	114.3	112.3	103.8	191.3	124.5	124.4	:	124.1	116.1	103.5	146.4	121.9
July	121.5	114.3	112.3	103.8	199.0	124.5	126.6	:	124.1	116.1	103.5	146.4	121.8
August	121.9	114.3	112.3	103.8	209.9	124.5	126.6	119.9	124.1	116.1	103.5	146.4	121.9
September	121.9	114.3	112.3	103.8	209.9	124.5	126.6	:	124.1	116.1	104.3	146.4	122.2
October	122.1	114.3	112.3	103.8	209.9	124.5	126.6	:	124.1	116.1	104.3	146.4	122.7
November	125.2	114.4	112.3	109.0	209.9	124.5	126.6	119.9	134.1	116.1	104.8	146.4	123.8
December	125.3P	114.5	112.3	109.0	209.9	125.5	126.6	:	134.1	120.1	104.8	146.4	123.9
	Rates of increase over one month (IRL 3 months)							(T/T-1)					
1987													
Dec./Nov.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
1988													
Jan/Dec87	1.1	0.0	1.9	0.0	23.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
Feb./Jan.	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	3.1	0.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
March/Feb.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
April/March	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
May/April	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	0.5
June/May	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
July/June	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	1.8	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
August/July	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Sept./August	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
Oct./Sept.	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
Nov./Oct.	2.6	0.1	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.9
Dec./Nov.	0.1P	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	:	0.0	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.1
	Rates of increase over 12 months							(T/T-12)					
1987/86													
December	5.7	4.3	0.6	-0.6	17.3	5.9	4.2	:	17.2	2.0	1.4	23.2	1.2
1988/87													
January	4.9	4.1	2.6	-0.6	44.3	0.1	4.2	:	8.7	2.0	0.0	22.8	1.4
February	5.3	2.8	2.6	-0.6	46.9	3.3	4.2	3.4	8.7	2.0	0.0	22.8	1.6
March	4.7	1.3	2.6	-0.6	36.5	3.2	4.1	:	8.7	2.0	0.0	11.1	1.7
April	5.4	0.7	2.6	-0.5	36.5	3.2	6.3	:	8.7	2.0	0.0	11.1	3.4
May	6.3	0.3	2.6	0.3	36.5	3.2	11.7	3.3	8.7	5.7	0.0	10.5	3.9
June	6.4	0.3	2.6	0.9	36.5	3.2	11.7	:	8.7	5.7	0.0	10.5	3.8
July	6.9	0.3	2.6	0.9	41.9	3.2	13.7	:	8.7	5.8	0.0	10.5	3.7
August	7.0	0.3	2.6	0.9	49.7	3.2	11.3	3.0	8.7	5.8	0.0	10.5	4.1
September	7.0	0.3	2.6	0.9	49.7	3.2	11.2	:	8.7	5.8	0.0	10.5	4.1
October	4.9	0.2	2.6	0.9	49.7	3.2	11.2	:	0.0	5.8	0.0	0.0	3.7
November	7.4	0.2	1.9	5.9	49.7	3.2	11.2	2.3	8.1	5.8	0.5	0.0	4.0
December	7.5P	0.3	1.9	5.9	49.7	3.2	11.2	:	8.1	7.2	0.5	0.0	4.0

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