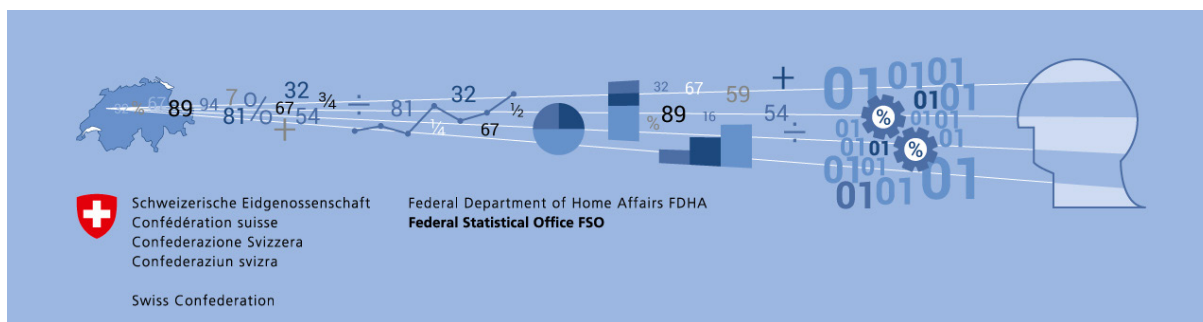




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05 Prices

Producer and Import Price Index in April 2025

Producer and Import Price Index rose by 0.1% in April

The **Producer and Import Price Index** increased in April 2025 by 0.1% compared with the previous month, reaching 106.9 points (December 2020 = 100). Prices rose for machinery in particular. In contrast, petroleum and natural gas became cheaper. Compared with April 2024, the price level of the whole range of domestic and imported products fell by 0.5%. These are the results of the Federal Statistical Office (FSO).

In particular, higher prices for machinery were responsible for the increase in the **Producer Price Index** compared with the previous month. Petroleum products and electrical equipment also became more expensive, as did meat and meat products. In contrast, lower prices were seen for orthopaedic and prosthetic devices.

Higher prices compared with March 2025 were recorded in the **Import Price Index**, particularly for machinery. Prices also rose for gasoline, medical and dental instruments and supplies and for furniture. By contrast, petroleum and natural gas, kerosene, raw aluminium, mobile computers and green coffee became cheaper.

Main results	Index level	Change in % compared with	
	(Base Dec. 2020 = 100)	previous month	April 2024
April 2025			
Producer and Import Price Index (Total)	106.9	0.1	-0.5
- Producer Price Index	107.0	0.2	0.0
- Import Price Index	106.7	0.0	-1.8
Manufactured products			
- Domestic sales	111.3	0.2	0.5
- Exports	100.9	0.2	-0.5

Applicable prices

The prices of domestic products are surveyed for the domestic market at the first marketing stage (i.e. ex works). These ex works prices include neither valued added tax nor consumption tax (e.g. on tobacco, alcohol or petroleum products).

For exports, net sales prices are surveyed FOB (free on board) which, pursuant to definition, do not include valued added tax.

For imports, prices are surveyed at the Swiss border minus valued added, consumption and customs taxes.

In general, the market prices (transaction prices) for products are surveyed at the time of ordering. Price reductions (discounts) are deducted. Prices in foreign currencies are converted at the exchange rate on the first working day of the survey reference period in Swiss francs. The reference period always covers the period from the 1st to 8th of the survey month. This provision allows the results for the reference month to be calculated and published in the course of the subsequent month.

Producer price index for selected services

Over a period of several years, the producer price index has gradually been extended to the service sector. The latest results are available at (in German and French):

<https://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/en/home/statistics/prices/producer-prices-import-prices/services.html>

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Producer and Import Price Index, December 2020 = 100

Statistical key figures in April 2025

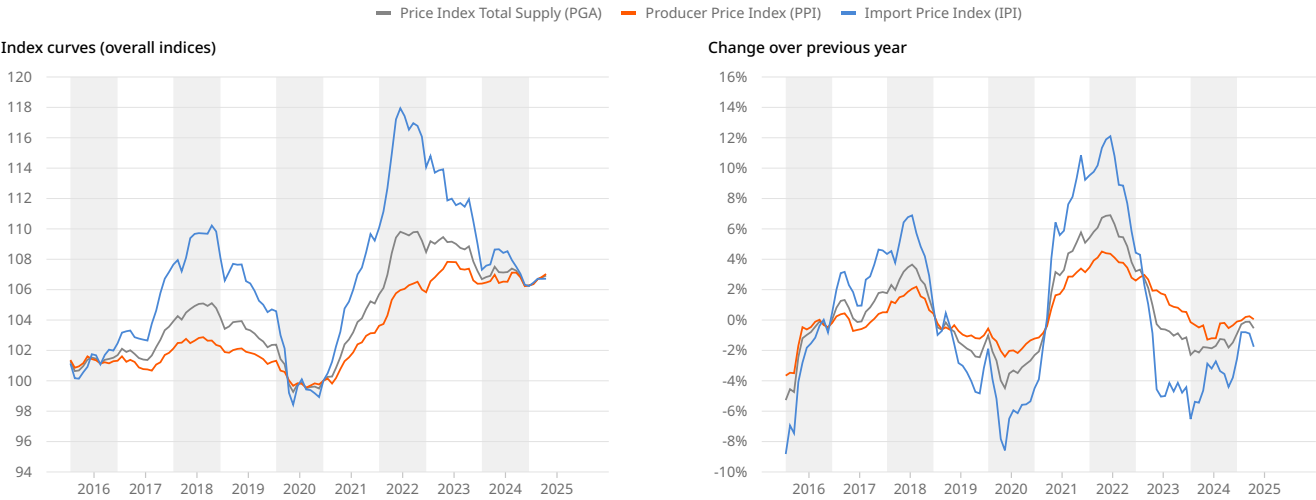
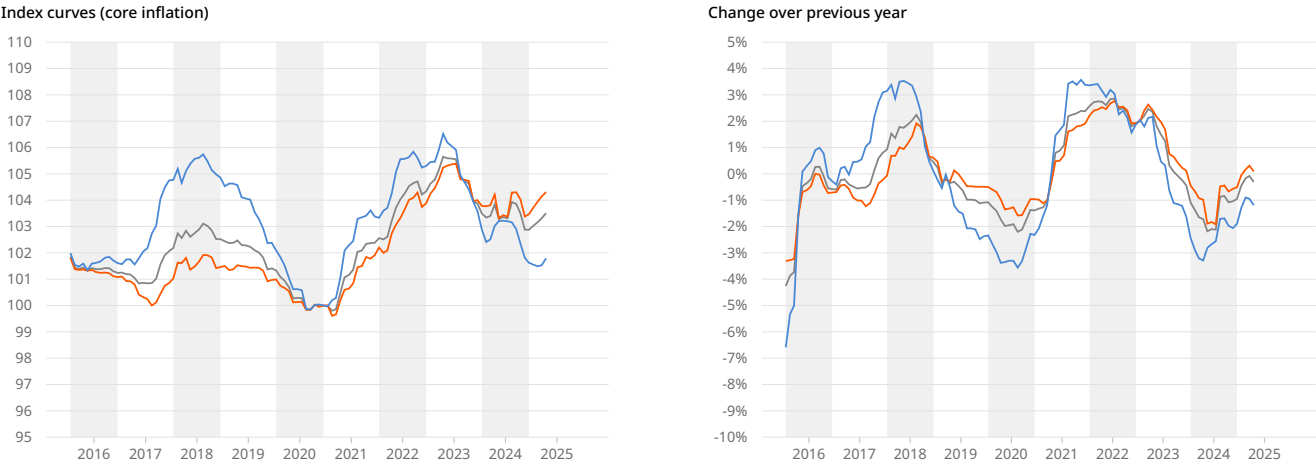
Main product groups	Weight in %	Index	Change compared with prev. mon		Change compared with prev. year in %
			in %	Contribution to monthly change	
Producer Price Index: Total	100.0000	107.0	0.2	0.186	0.0
Agricultural and forestry products	2.0714	110.7	-0.3	-0.006	3.1
Stone, sand and gravel, salt	0.5816	106.5	0.0	0.000	-0.4
Manufactured products	92.7394	105.2	0.2	0.196	-0.1
Food products, beverages, tobacco products	9.7630	110.7	0.2	0.023	3.7
Textiles, wearing apparel, leather and related products, shoes	0.8706	109.0	0.0	0.000	0.3
Timber products	2.3191	122.3	-0.1	-0.002	0.3
Paper and paper products, printing	1.6073	115.0	0.0	0.000	0.2
Petroleum products	0.7139	158.0	3.2	0.032	-15.2
Chemical and pharmaceutical products	29.8095	93.5	0.0	0.000	-1.6
Rubber and plastic products	2.2682	111.1	0.0	0.000	2.4
Non-metallic mineral products	1.9258	115.2	0.0	0.000	-0.3
Basic metals, metal products	7.2602	117.1	0.3	0.026	-0.1
Computer, electronic and optical products, watches	14.5092	107.7	0.0	-0.005	-0.1
Electrical equipment	5.8293	106.9	0.4	0.024	1.2
Machinery	9.6393	109.2	1.1	0.103	0.6
Motor vehicles, motor vehicle parts, other transport equipment	1.0376	107.8	0.0	0.000	1.7
Furniture and other manufacturing	3.7788	102.7	-0.5	-0.018	-0.4
Repair and installation of machinery and equipment	1.4076	105.1	0.9	0.012	1.5
Electricity and gas supply	3.2092	167.3	-0.1	-0.005	1.8
Water treatment and distribution, waste collection, recovery	1.3984	86.4	0.2	0.002	-4.0
Manufactured products: domestic sales	41.4213	111.3	0.2	0.205	0.5
Manufactured products: exports	58.5787	100.9	0.2	0.187	-0.5
Agricultural and forestry products	2.0714	110.7	-0.3	-0.006	3.1
Intermediate goods	28.0695	111.3	0.2	0.044	0.6
Capital goods	27.5147	107.9	0.4	0.099	0.1
Consumer durables	1.9576	105.8	-0.1	-0.003	-0.3
Consumer non-durables	35.0655	97.1	0.1	0.023	-0.1
Energy	4.1181	162.7	0.4	0.027	-1.5
Core inflation ¹⁾	90.4465	104.3	0.2	0.139	0.1
Import Price Index: Total	100.0000	106.7	0.0	0.016	-1.8
Agricultural products	1.8769	142.1	-0.6	-0.014	17.7
Mining and quarrying products	1.5903	200.6	-5.8	-0.185	-8.5
Manufactured products	96.5328	104.5	0.2	0.215	-2.0
Food products, beverages, tobacco products	5.0468	113.8	0.5	0.025	4.3
Textiles, wearing apparel, leather and related products, shoes	7.0884	104.0	0.0	0.000	-0.1
Timber products	1.1761	116.0	0.0	0.000	-0.3
Paper and paper products	1.4007	107.1	0.0	0.000	-1.6
Petroleum products	2.6323	170.8	0.0	-0.001	-17.1
Chemical and pharmaceutical products	28.1239	94.5	0.0	-0.009	-2.8
Rubber and plastic products	3.3334	108.8	0.0	0.000	-0.9
Non-metallic mineral products	1.6343	118.6	0.0	0.000	0.6
Basic metals, metal products	7.5282	116.0	0.0	0.001	-1.0
Computer, electronic and optical products	9.1448	92.0	0.0	0.002	-3.6
Electrical equipment	4.9474	103.2	0.2	0.010	-1.1
Machinery	8.1482	105.9	1.3	0.107	-0.4
Motor vehicles, motor vehicle parts, other transport equipment	10.8729	105.2	0.0	0.000	-1.0
Furniture and other manufacturing	5.4554	108.8	1.5	0.081	1.9
Agricultural products	1.8769	142.1	-0.6	-0.014	17.7
Intermediate goods	27.0753	109.5	0.1	0.027	-1.2
Capital goods	28.9669	102.5	0.4	0.113	-1.5
Consumer durables	4.9830	105.4	1.3	0.061	1.0
Consumer non-durables	33.0429	96.7	0.1	0.016	-1.0
Energy	4.0550	185.3	-2.6	-0.186	-14.1
Core inflation ¹⁾	89.4018	101.8	0.3	0.218	-1.2
Price Index Total Supply: Total ²⁾	100.0000	106.9	0.1	0.131	-0.5
Core inflation ¹⁾	90.1118	103.5	0.2	0.164	-0.3
Price Index Total Supply, Domestic Supply: Total ³⁾	100.0000	110.7	0.1	0.100	-0.5
¹⁾ Total excluding raw materials and any product groups close to raw materials whose prices are subject to high volatility (in particular agricultural products, meat, petroleum products, metals, gas).					
²⁾ Total of producer price index (67.0869%) and import price index (32.9131%).					
³⁾ Total of producer price index, domestic supply (45.7786%), and import price index (54.2214%).					

Main contributions to the change in the total index in April 2025

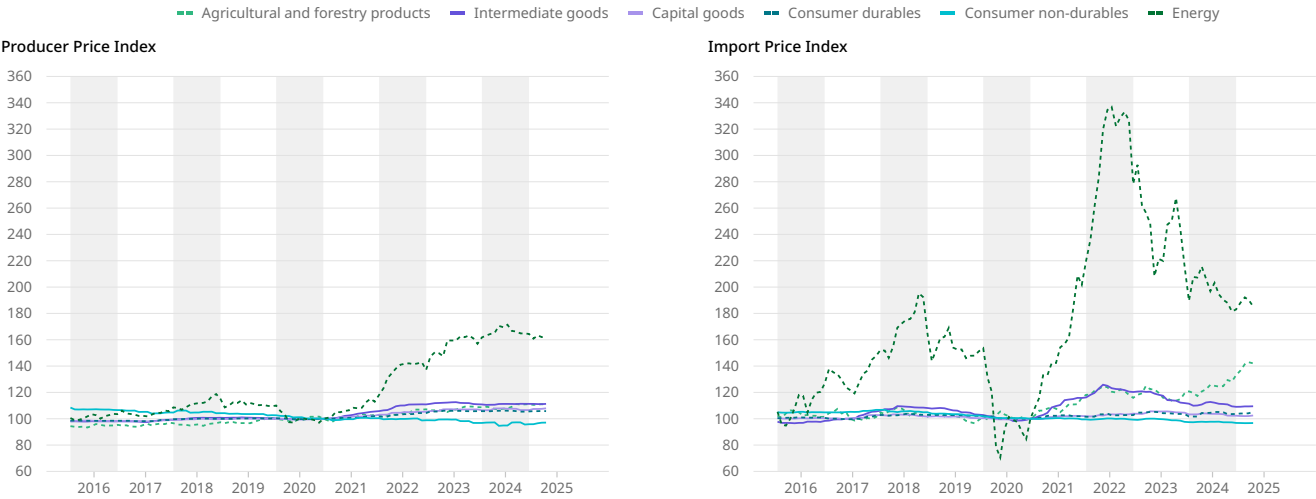
Item	Contribution to the change in the total index compared with the previous survey	Weight in %	Index	Change compared with March 2025 in %	Change compared with previous year in %
Producer Price Index					
Machinery	0.103	9.6393	109.2	1.1	0.6
Petroleum products	0.032	0.7139	158.0	3.2	-15.2
Electrical equipment	0.024	5.8293	106.9	0.4	1.2
Meat and meat products	0.023	1.9800	108.7	1.2	3.2
Metal products	0.016	5.6900	114.1	0.3	-0.4
Repair of machinery	0.012	0.7491	105.2	1.6	1.8
Basic metals, semi-finished metal products	0.010	1.5702	128.2	0.5	0.8
Irradiation, electromedical and electrotherapeutic equipment	0.010	3.2076	102.2	0.3	1.4
Electronic components and boards	-0.010	2.5950	111.9	-0.4	0.9
Watches	-0.015	6.1561	109.7	-0.2	-2.0
Raw milk	-0.016	0.5232	108.3	-2.9	3.4
Orthopaedic and prosthetic devices	-0.026	1.2353	98.4	-2.2	-1.9
Import Price Index					
Machinery	0.107	8.1482	105.9	1.3	-0.4
Gasoline	0.052	0.5614	176.5	6.0	-19.5
Medical and dental instruments and supplies	0.025	1.2560	104.8	2.0	2.0
Furniture	0.022	1.8310	107.0	1.2	-2.2
Cocoa and chocolate products	0.015	0.2809	181.2	3.3	30.0
Watches	0.015	0.9200	100.8	1.7	1.3
Communication equipment	0.015	2.1558	89.4	0.8	-3.8
Steel	0.013	1.1182	115.9	1.1	-4.1
Pome and stone fruits	0.011	0.0821	136.3	11.7	2.8
Cutlery and tools	0.010	1.0020	103.9	1.1	-0.2
Electrical equipment	0.010	4.9474	103.2	0.2	-1.1
Table grapes	-0.011	0.0431	120.7	-18.4	-5.7
Orthopaedic and prosthetic devices	-0.012	0.7529	110.7	-1.5	-0.6
Steel and light metal frameworks	-0.013	0.9023	120.5	-1.2	-2.2
Instruments and appliances for measuring and testing	-0.014	1.2355	106.6	-1.1	-0.8
Green coffee	-0.027	0.3363	246.6	-3.3	55.0
Mobile computers	-0.028	0.8540	71.7	-4.6	-17.6
Raw aluminium	-0.036	0.4289	123.4	-6.8	3.0
Kerosene	-0.063	0.5850	180.8	-5.9	-18.3
Petroleum and natural gas	-0.185	1.4128	212.4	-6.2	-9.2

Producer and Import Price Index

All indices: Base December 2020 = 100



Development by product type



Data as on: 30.04.2025

Source: FSO – Producer and Import Price Index

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