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Producer and Import Price Index in March 2018

## Producer and Import Price Index fell by 0.2% in March 2018

Neuchâtel, 16 April 2018 (FSO) – The Producer and Import Price Index fell in March 2018 by 0.2% compared with the previous month, reaching 102.3 points (December 2015 = 100). This decline was due in particular to lower prices for petroleum products and pharmaceutical preparations. Compared with March 2017, the price level of the whole range of domestic and imported products rose by 2.0%. These are some of the findings from the Federal Statistical Office (FSO).

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