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In January 2018 the Producer Price Index (PPI) for Industrial Products increased by 1.6 percent over December 2017, while the index increased by 8.0 percent compared to January 2017.

In January prices for **electrical energy, gas, steam and hot water** were up by 14.3 percent **compared to the previous month**, which resulted in a 1.83 percentage point contribution to the overall monthly PPI change.

Prices for **products from mining and quarrying** increased by 1.6 percent, contributing 0.11 percentage points to the overall monthly PPI change.

Prices for **manufactured products** were down by 0.5 percent, which resulted in a -0.37 percentage point contribution to the overall monthly PPI change. Prices decreased mainly for food products, beverages and tobacco (-0.7 percent).

The **annual PPI** rate was mainly affected by price changes for the following products:

- **Manufactured products**: prices grew by 6.9 percent, contributing 5.59 percentage points to the overall annual index growth. Prices were up mainly for food products, beverages and tobacco (6.7 percent), also for basic metals and fabricated metal products (12.3 percent);
- Electrical energy, gas, steam and hot water: prices increased by 14.0 percent and contributed 1.91 percentage points to the overall PPI change;
- **Products from mining and quarrying:** prices were 9.4 percent higher, with the relevant contribution of 0.48 percentage points to the overall annual PPI growth.

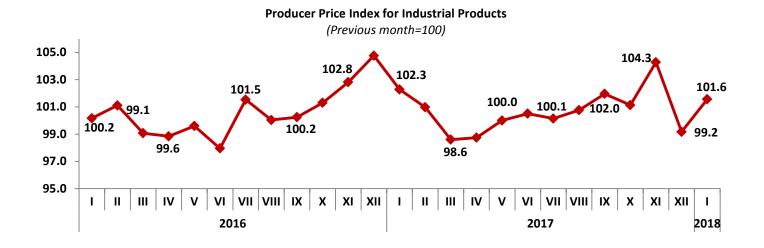
The following table presents the Producer Price Index over December 2017 and January 2017, with the relevant contributions of the products to the changes in the overall index.

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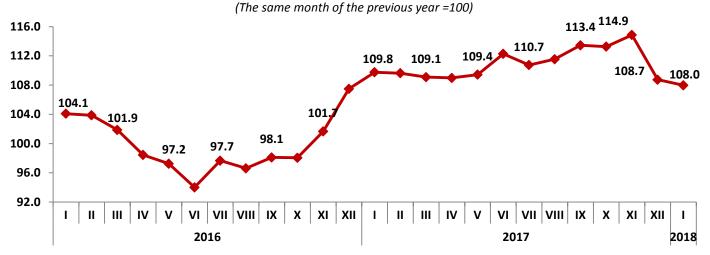
Code	Groups	Over December 2017	Contributions ¹ to monthly changes	Over January 2017	Contributions ¹ to annual changes
	Total	101.6	1.56	108.0	7.98
С	Products from mining and quarrying	101.6	0.11	109.4	0.48
CA	Coal and lignite; peat; crude petroleum and natural gas; uranium and thorium	100.0	0.00	111.5	0.08
СВ	Metal ores and other mining and quarrying products	101.7	0.11	108.9	0.39
D	Manufactured products	99.5	-0.37	106.9	5.59
DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	99.3	-0.28	106.7	2.53
DB	Textiles and textile products	100.9	0.02	99.6	-0.01
DC	Leather and leather products	95.3	-0.01	95.3	-0.01
DD	Wood and products of wood and cork (except furniture); articles of straw and plaiting materials	105.1	0.16	114.3	0.28
DE	Pulp, paper and paper products; recorded media; printing services	100.6	0.02	96.7	-0.12
DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	100.0	0.00	117.6	0.04
DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man- made fibres	98.7	-0.07	108.2	0.51
DH	Rubber and plastic products	98.3	-0.05	108.3	0.22
DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	99.8	-0.02	102.5	0.25
DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	99.3	-0.08	112.3	1.74
DK	Machinery and equipment n.e.c.	100.0	0.00	88.4	-0.06
DL	Electrical and optical equipment	93.9	-0.05	117.3	0.14
DM	Transport equipment	97.5	-0.01	105.1	0.04
DN	Other manufactured goods n.e.c.	99.8	0.00	103.8	0.06
Е	Electrical energy, gas, steam and hot water	114.3	1.83	114.0	1.91

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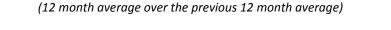
¹ Individual contributions may not sum up to the total changes in the index due to rounding.

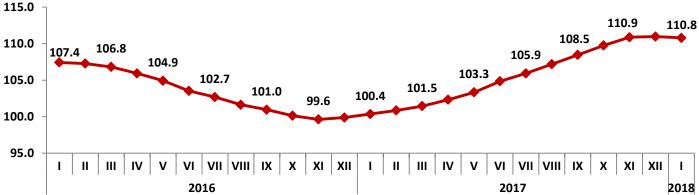


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