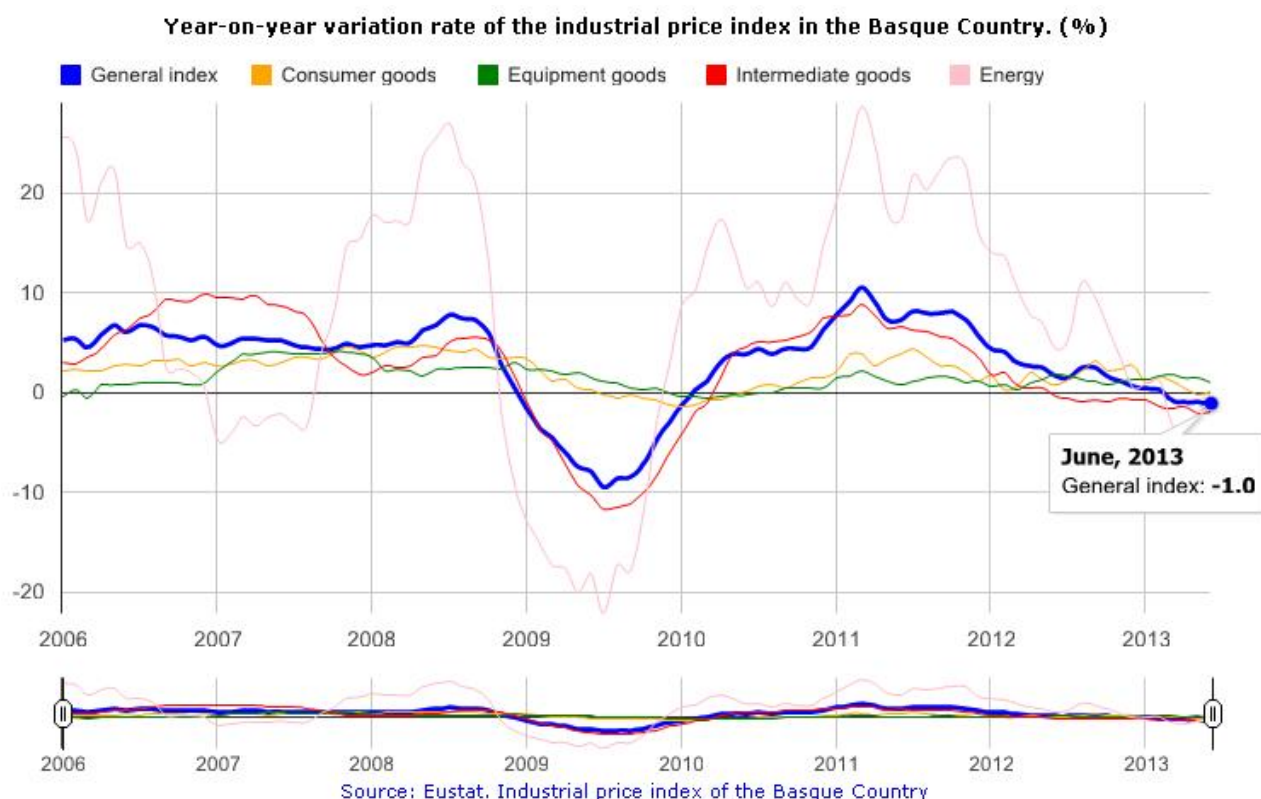


INDUSTRIAL PRICE INDEX OF THE BASQUE COUNTRY (IPRI) JUNE 2013

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They were 1.0% down on the previous year (June 2013 on June 2012)

Industrial prices in the Basque Country fell by 0.3% in June 2013 compared to the previous month, according to EUSTAT data. With these data, the year-on-year rate for June, which indicates the fluctuation in industrial prices over the last twelve months, registered a drop of 1.0%.



A more detailed sectorial analysis shows that the most inflationary branches in June 2013, with regard to the previous month, were *Furniture & Other Manufacturing Industries* (0.5%), *Chemical Industry* and *Textile, Garments, Leather & Footwear*, both with an increase of 0.2%. On the other hand, the sectors that experienced the largest falls in prices were *Extraction Industries* (-2.1%), *Electricity, Gas & Steam* (-1.3%) and *Manufacture of Pharmaceutical Products* (-1.0%).

During the year-on-year period, June 2013 on June 2012, the highest price rises were recorded by *Manufacture of Pharmaceutical Products* and *Coke Plants & Oil Refining*, both with an increase of 2.2%, and *Manufacture of Machinery & Equipment* and *Textile, Garments, Leather & Footwear*, which rose by 2.0%. On the other hand, prices fell in *Electricity, Gas & Steam* (-5.1%), *Metallurgy & Metal Products* (-2.9%), and *Furniture & Other Manufacturing Industries* (-1.7%), among others.

According to the classification of goods by economic destination, the evolution of prices in the large sector groups in June was negative for nearly all of them. The price of *Energy* was down by

1.2%, while the prices of *Intermediate Goods* and *Equipment Goods* both fell by 0.1%. *Consumer Goods* as a whole were unchanged (0.0%), due to the fact that prices of *Consumer Non-Durables* fell (-0.1%), while *Consumer Durables* rose by 0.3%.

The variation in prices for these large goods groups in the year-on-year period was different for each one. Prices corresponding to *Energy* fell by 1.4%, similar to the prices of *Intermediate Goods*, down by 2.0%. *Equipment Goods* registered an increase in prices of 1.1%, while those of *Consumer Goods* rose by 0.2%. Amongst the latter, the prices of *Consumer Durables* rose by 0.3%, and *Consumer Non-Durables* were up by 0.2%.

Industrial Price Index of the Basque Country. Variation rate. June 2013 (p)

	INDEX	% VARIATION		
		Jun2013 / Mai2013	Jun2013 / Jun2012	Jun2013 / Dec2012
GENERAL INDEX	109,0	-0,3	-1,0	-0,4
SECTOR DIVISIONS				
Mining industries	96,4	-2,1	-1,4	1,5
Manufacturing industry	107,3	-0,2	-0,3	-0,2
Electricity, gas and steam	121,8	-1,3	-5,1	-1,6
ECONOMIC DESTINATION OF GOODS				
Consumer goods	104,6	0,0	0,2	-0,9
Durable consumer goods	101,4	0,3	0,3	0,4
Non-durable consumer goods	105,8	-0,1	0,2	-1,3
Equipment goods	104,1	-0,1	1,1	1,1
Intermediate goods	104,7	-0,1	-2,0	-1,1
Energy	125,1	-1,2	-1,4	0,0

Base 2010=100

(p) Provisional

Source: Eustat. Industrial Price Index of the Basque Country (IPRI)

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