

Table 1. Variance estimates for selected Producer Price Index Final Demand-Intermediate Demand indexes, 1-month and 12-month median absolute percent changes and median 1-month and 12-month percent change standard errors, 2015

Index	Index code	1-month median absolute percent change	1-month median standard error	12-month median absolute percent change	12-month median standard error
Final demand	FD4	0.30	0.11	0.94	0.23
Final demand goods	FD41	0.64	0.12	4.17	0.25
Final demand services	FD42	0.19	0.16	0.90	0.34
Final demand construction	FD43	0.04	0.03	1.91	0.11
Final demand less foods, energy, and trade services	FD49116	0.10	0.05	0.72	0.15
Processed goods for intermediate demand	ID61	0.85	0.16	6.71	0.31
Unprocessed goods for intermediate demand	ID62	3.35	0.23	24.62	0.40
Services for intermediate demand	ID63	0.18	0.14	1.35	0.35
Stage 4 intermediate demand	ID54	0.26	0.09	1.12	0.22
Stage 3 intermediate demand	ID53	0.86	0.15	5.24	0.29
Stage 2 intermediate demand	ID52	0.67	0.11	12.00	0.27
Stage 1 intermediate demand	ID51	1.07	0.21	7.74	0.51

NOTE: Some indexes in this table, primarily PPIs that include data for agricultural products, to varying degrees are constructed using price information not directly sampled by PPI. Secondary source data, mainly from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, but also other sources, are considered a census of available price information. No sampling variability exists in those percent change estimates, so the standard error values are zero. The FD-ID index for Unprocessed Foodstuffs and Feedstuffs is constructed almost exclusively from non-sampled price data, and at certain levels of aggregation, other FD-ID indexes include both sampled and non-sampled data. For more information, refer to the section titled "PPI Sampling" in the methodology paper that accompanies this year's PPI variance publication.