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October 2016's monthly index of economic activity, IMACEC

According to preliminary information, last October the IMACEC fell 0.4% over the same month a year before. The seasonally-adjusted series fell 1.1% with respect to the previous month, and increased 0.3% in twelve months. The month came with two business days less than October 2015.

The mining IMACEC dropped 7.1%, while the non-mining index increased 0.3%. The latter reflected an increase in services, partly offset by the fall in manufacturing industry. In seasonally-adjusted terms, and compared with the previous month, the mining IMACEC fell 5.6% and the non-mining IMACEC dropped 0.7%.