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### **January 2013's monthly index of economic activity, IMACEC.**

According to preliminary information, in January the Imacec increased 6.7%, over the same month a year before. The seasonally-adjusted series rose 0.1% with respect to the previous month, and 6.5% over the same month last year. Meanwhile, the cyclical trend series recorded an annualized expansion of 5.4%. The month came with the same number of working days as January 2012.

The result of the month reflected, mainly, growth in mining, services and trade activities.

In accordance with the calendar of national accounts and estimated gross GDP for 2012 disclosure, these figures, as well as revisions to figures of the years 2010 and 2011, will be published next 18 March. Imacec series will be revised to adjust for incoming data.