



## Palestinian Producer Price Index

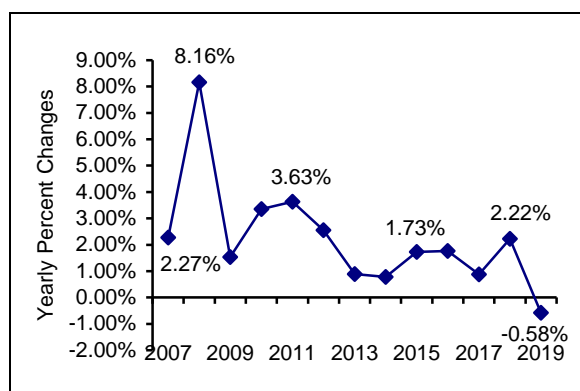
### Decrease in the Producer Price<sup>1</sup> Index (PPI) during 2019

The overall PPI in Palestine with its base year (2018=100) reached **99.42 in 2019, which indicates a decrease by 0.58% compared to 2018.**

Prices of PPI for 2019 decreased due to the decrease in the prices of goods in **Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities group by 3.26%**, the prices of goods in **Mining and quarrying group decreased by 1.82%**, the prices of goods in **Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply group by 1.06%**, the prices of goods in **Agriculture, forestry and fishing group by 0.72%**, and the prices of goods in **Manufacturing group by 0.29%** in 2019 compared to 2018.

The prices of **locally consumed products decreased by 0.60%**, and the prices of **local exported products decreased by 0.42%**.

### Yearly Percent Changes in PPI in Palestine for 2007 – 2019



## Producer Price Index during December, 12/2019

### Decrease in the Producer Price Index (PPI) during December, 12/2019

The overall Producer Price Index (PPI) for Palestine with its base year (2018 = 100) reached 98.33 in December 2019, as it decreased by 0.54% compared to November 2019.

### PPI for locally consumed products

Producer Price Index for locally consumed products (2018=100) reached 98.30 in December 2019, which indicates a decrease of 0.62% compared to November 2019.

### PPI for local exported products

Producer Price Index for local exported products (2018=100) reached 98.44 in December 2019, which indicates an increase of 0.16% compared to November 2019.

The changes of PPI for December 2019 were traced back to changes in prices of the following major activities compared to the previous month:

Major Activities	% Change
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	- 3.58%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing goods	- 0.76%
Mining and quarrying	0.00%
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	+ 1.83%
Manufacturing	+ 0.08%

1 The producer's price is the amount receivable by the producer from the purchaser for a unit of a good or service produced as output minus any VAT, or similar deductible tax, invoiced to the purchaser. The producer's prices exclude any transport charges invoiced separately by the producer.



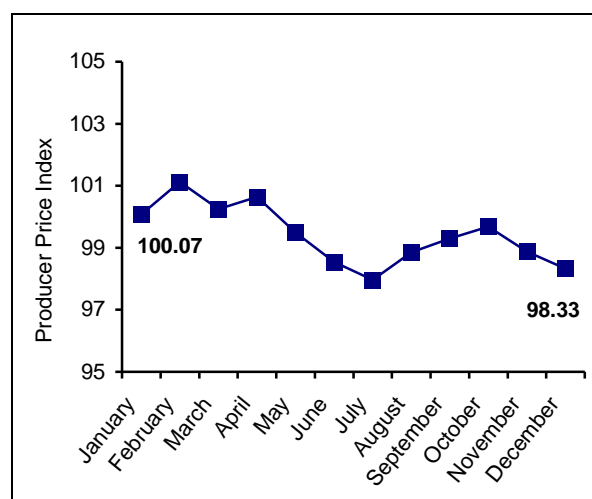
**The table shows monthly percent changes in  
Palestinian PPI for the months:  
January – December 2019:**

Month	Local Products	Exported Products	All Products
January	- 0.01	- 0.17	- 0.03
February	+ 1.09	+ 0.77	+ 1.06
March	- 0.96	- 0.13	- 0.87
April	+ 0.43	- 0.01	+ 0.39
May	- 1.12	- 1.34	- 1.14
June	- 0.89	- 1.46	- 0.95
July	- 0.71	+ 0.44	- 0.59
August	+ 0.99	+ 0.08	+ 0.91
September	+ 0.43	+ 0.65	+ 0.45
October	+ 0.49	- 0.58	+ 0.38
November	- 0.84	- 0.64	- 0.82
December	- 0.62	+ 0.16	- 0.54
<b>2019 Com. 2018</b>	<b>- 0.60</b>	<b>- 0.42</b>	<b>- 0.58</b>

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**The trend line of the PPI in Palestine, for the  
months: January -December 2019  
(Base Year 2018 = 100)**



**Notice:**

- The base year of Producer Price Index has been updated to be 2018.