



Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

Palestinian Producer Price Index, July, 07/2018

Increase in the Producer Price¹ Index (PPI) during July 2018

The overall Producer Price Index (PPI) for Palestine with its base month (December 2015 = 100) reached 106.11 in July 2018, as it increased by 1.39% compared to June 2018.

PPI for locally consumed products

Producer Price Index for locally consumed products (December 2015 = 100) reached 106.81 in July 2018, which indicates an increase of 1.52% compared to June 2018.

PPI for local exported products

Producer Price Index for local exported products (December 2015 = 100) reached 100.03 in July 2018, which indicates an increase of 0.26% compared to June 2018.

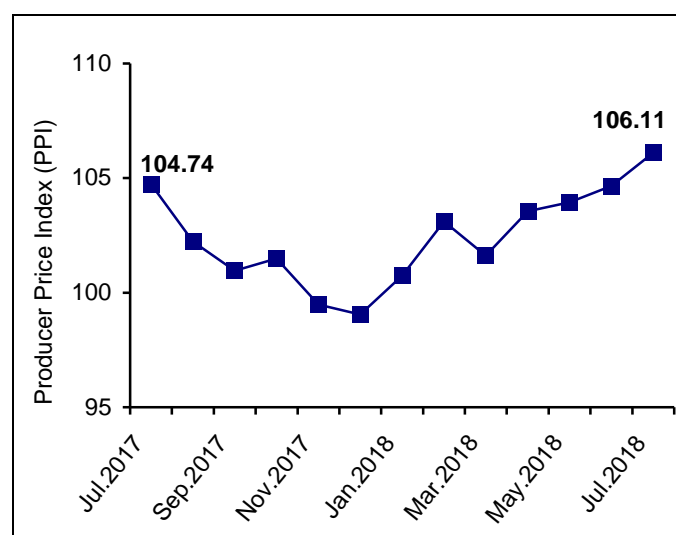
**The changes of PPI for July 2018 were traced
back to changes in prices of the following
major activities compared to
the previous month:**

Major Activities	% Change
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	+ 7.85%
Manufacturing	+ 0.50%
Mining and quarrying	0.00%
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	- 1.08%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing goods	- 0.11%

**The table shows Monthly percent changes in
Palestinian PPI for the period
January – July 2018:**

Month	Local Products	Exported Products	Total Products
January	+ 1.92	+ 0.09	+ 1.73
February	+ 2.63	- 0.07	+ 2.34
March	- 1.59	- 0.12	- 1.44
April	+ 2.03	+ 0.80	+ 1.91
May	+ 0.40	+ 0.10	+ 0.37
June	+ 0.80	- 0.26	+ 0.69
July	+ 1.52	+ 0.26	+ 1.39

**The trend line of the PPI in Palestine, for the
period: July 2017 - July 2018
(Base Month December 2015 = 100)**



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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.