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Producer Price Index in Iran Azar 1382

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Monthly Report

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Summary Results of the Producer Price Index in Iran

Azar 1382

Percent change compared to

Groups	previous month	similar month of the previous year		
General Index	1.0	15.8		
Major Groups:				
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry	1.5	16.9		
2- Fishing	7.2	9.0		
3- Mining and Quarrying	0.0	9.0 1 9.8 1		
4- Manufacturing	0.5	9.6		
5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	0.0	17.9		
6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles	0.7	17.1 17.0 17.0 22.8		
7- Hotels and Restaurants	1.4	17.0		
8- Transport, Storage and Communications	0.0	22.8		
9- Financial Intermediation	4.5	75.0		
10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	1.8	16.7		
11- Education	8.7	17.5		
12- Health and Social Work	0.6	17.5		
13- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	0.3	27.8		
Special Groups:				
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing	1.6	16.7		
2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing	0.5	9.9		
and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	_			
3- Services	1.3	23.2		

Producer Price Index in Iran

Azar 1382 (1376 = 100)

The Producer Price Index **(PPI)** went up 1.0 percent in Azar 1382. Showing the index point of 253.6, the **PPI** was 15.8 percent higher than the similar month in 1381.

During the first nine months of the current Iranian year, the Producer Price Index rose 16.0 percent compared to the similar period in 1381.

The PPI, on the average, increased 15.9 percent during the last twelve months leading to Azar 1382 compared with the similar preceding period.

In this month, the agriculture, animal husbandry and forestry group index went up 1.5 percent, which was attributed to the increase in the prices of corn, sesame seed, domestic potato, wild cotton, vegetables (except patch vegetables), live animals, milk, domestic ginned cotton and non- forest wood. In this group the prices of citrus and egg decreased.

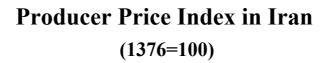
The advance in the prices of Persian Gulf fish caused 7.2 percent increase in the group index of fishing. In this group the prices of Iranian river fish declined.

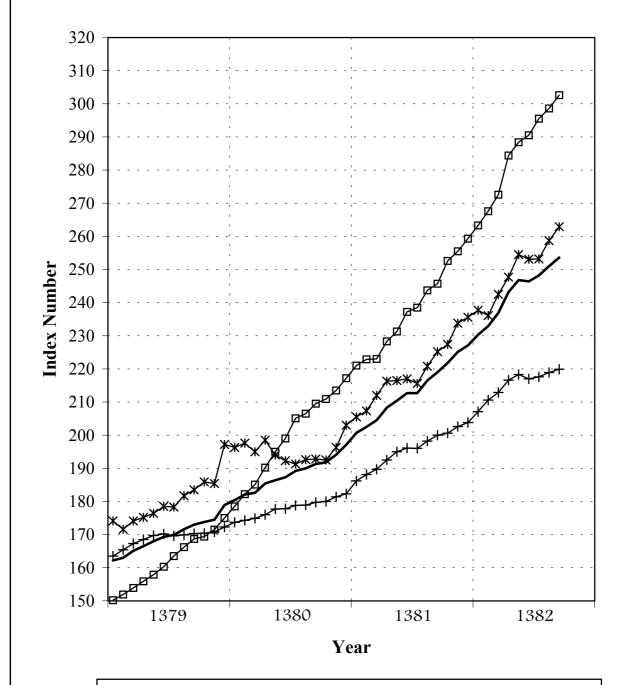
The mining and quarrying group index, the electricity, gas and water supply group index and the transport, storage and communications group index remained unchanged.

The manufacturing group index, the repairing of motor vehicles group index and the hotels and restaurants group index rose 0.5 percent, 0.7 percent and 1.4 percent, respectively.

The 4.5 percent increase in the group index of financial intermediation was due to the rise in the service charge of stock exchange.

The real estate, renting and business activities group index, the education group index, the health and social work group index and the other community, social and personal service activities group index went up 1.8 percent, 8.7 percent, 0.6 percent and 0.3 percent, respectively.





- —General Index
- ** Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing
- + Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply
- **──** Services

Table 1
Producer Price Index in Iran
Index Number and their Percent Changes

Azar 1382 (1376 = 100)

	1370	Index		Darcan	t Change		
	Base	Number				Azar1381	
Description				Azar 1382		compared to:	
Description	Year	in Azar	previous	mpared to: similar month of	previous	similar month of	
	Weight	1382	month	the previous year	month	the previous year	
Genral Index	100.00	253.6	1.0	15.8	1.2	14.5	
	100.00	255.0	1.0	13.0	1,2	14.5	
Major Groups and their Selected Sub Groups:	23.19	262.6	1.5	16.9	2.2	16.7	
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry		262.6			2.2	16.7 16.6	
Agriculture, animal husbandry and related services	22.94	262.9	1.4	16.8			
Agriculture	12.56	278.3	1.2	14.1	3.0	15.3	
Cereals, pulses and other products	5.23	261.8	1.4	10.1	0.7	16.0	
Cereals	3.50	257.3	0.7	6.4	0.8	19.5	
Pulses	0.39	230.2	-0.6	13.5	-1.1	-9.7	
Oil seeds	0.34	219.6	3.5	18.3	0.3	-2.1	
Other products	1.00	304.4	3.8	19.5	1.2	20.2	
Vegetables	3.31	317.7	5.8	11.5	7.1	13.6	
Patch vegetables	0.67	232.1	-1.6	1.9	19.3	17.8	
Garden Vegetables	0.87	313.5	9.0	33.5	3.7	5.4	
Leaf vegetables	0.47	313.7	12.0	-6.3	6.7	21.9	
Root vegetables	0.21	340.1	27.3	63.9	4.6	16.6	
Other vegetables	1.09	371.1	1.6	4.9	5.3	13.4	
Fruits, dried fruits, spices and tea	4.02	267.2	-3.1	22.5	1.8	16.1	
Citrus	0.85	299.7	-16.3	25.6	-3.3	35.6	
Fruits with seeds and stones	1.62	314.6	2.3	34.5	4.7	13.9	
Dried fruits	1.33	201.0	1.4	1.6	2.3	11.3	
Spices and tea	0.22	193.7	-0.3	30.3	-1.2	-10.9	
Animal husbandry	10.09	245.3	1.6	20.9	1.1	18.9	
Live animals	6.48	266.9	1.9	23.1	1.3	27.9	
Milk	1.75	218.5	3.3	22.8	-0.2	-4.1	
Other animals and animals product	1.86	195.1	-1.7	9.5	1.7	10.8	
Related services to agriculture and animal							
husbandary	0.29	215.2	9.5	20.6	3.3	6.0	
Forestry	0.25	227.9	9.1	25.6	0.9	28.5	
2- Fishing	0.42	282.2	7.2	9.0	-6.6	23.0	
3- Mining and Quarrying	0.94	159.7	0.0	9.8	0.0	-9.1	
4- Manufacturing	45.17	219.2	0.5	9.6	1.1	11.9	
Food products and beverages	11.21	258.6	-0.3	11.2	0.6	14.3	
Meat and its products, compotes and							
conserves, butter and vegetable oils	5.66	277.9	-1.2	12.3	0.7	16.8	
Dairy products	1.59	234.2	1.3	11.2	0.4	11.8	
Wheat flour, starch and its products and							
prepared animal feeds	0.66	223.1	0.1	4.7	0.1	5.8	
Other food prouducts	2.90	242.2	0.5	11.5	0.5	11.0	

Table 1 (Continued)

Table 1 (Continued)		Index	Percent Change				
	Base	Number	Azar 1382 compared to:		Azar1381 compared to:		
Description	Year	in					
	Weight	Azar	previous	similar month of	previous	similar month of	
		1382	month	the previous year	month	the previous year	
Beverages	0.40	258.2	-0.1	3.8	0.0	22.1	
Tobacco products	0.17	214.6	0.0	15.5	0.0	13.2	
Textiles	4.94	159.2	0.5	7.9	1.0	2.6	
Spinning and weaving	1.99	151.7	0.9	6.2	0.4	0.8	
Other textiles	1.89	159.9	0.3	11.1	1.7	3.2	
Knitted and crocheted fabrics and articles	1.06	171.9	0.2	5.5	0.7	4.5	
Wearing apparel	2.52	144.2	0.3	9.4	0.5	0.1	
Leather and leather products	1.69	148.5	0.5	4.2	0.1	2.2	
Wood and wooden products	0.54	212.3	2.4	12.6	0.1	12.3	
Paper and paper products	0.49	177.5	-0.1	8.3	0.7	-0.3	
Publishing, printing and reproduction	0.30	212.6	0.0	2.9	2.9	17.2	
Carbon and refined petroleum products	1.98	414.4	0.8	20.7	0.0	26.9	
Chemical and petrochemical products	3.80	252.2	1.0	8.1	0.3	10.7	
Rubber and plastic product	0.87	183.0	0.1	2.7	0.2	0.2	
Non - metallic mineral products	2.23	275.0	2.3	13.0	0.1	33.9	
Basic metals	4.15	216.0	0.6	9.0	7.9	17.0	
Fabricated metallic products except machinery	0.91	199.0	0.1	9.3	0.0	7.8	
Machinery	2.93	171.1	0.0	3.1	-0.1	6.1	
Transformers and electrical equipment	0.94	189.5	0.1	6.4	0.0	0.3	
Radio, televisionand communication equipment	0.38	131.3	0.0	-6.4	0.0	4.2	
Medical, precision and optical instruments	0.12	198.1	0.1	4.2	0.1	-7.3	
Motor vehicles and related equipment	3.41	172.7	0.0	-0.6	0.0	5.0	
Other transport equipment	0.37	136.2	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	
Furniture and other manufacturing	1.19	233.1	6.4	22.5	1.7	14.4	
5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	1.80	269.1	0.0	17.9	-1.2	7.5	
6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles	0.32	242.9	0.7	17.1	1.8	13.7	
7- Hotels and Restaurants	0.73	297.0	1.4	17.0	0.6	19.1	
8- Transport, Storage and Communications	10.53	277.5	0.0	22.8	0.0	13.7	
Land transport	9.38	280.5	0.0	23.6	0.0	15.5	
Air transport	0.42	330.4	0.0	19.2	0.0	-4.5	
Post and telecommunications	0.59	195.0	0.0	16.9	0.0	9.1	
9- Financial Intermediation	1.17	653.3	4.5	75.0	1.6	18.5	
10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	11.19	286.8	1.8	16.7	1.7	21.0	
11- Education	0.59	364.5	8.7	17.5	0.0	24.0	
12- Health and Social Work	2.23	303.8	0.6	17.5	0.3	17.0	
13- Other Community, Social and Personal							
Service Activities	1.72	311.9	0.3	27.8	0.3	11.0	
Special Groups:							
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry							
and Fishing	23.61	262.9	1.6	16.7	2.0	16.8	
2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing							
and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	47.91	219.9	0.5	9.9	0.9	11.3	
3- Services	28.48	302.6	1.3	23.2	0.8	17.3	

Table 2

Producer Price Index in Iran

General, Major and Special Groups Index Numbers

(1376 = 100)

Description			Major Groups								
Description		Agriculture,									
	General	Animal		Mining		Electricity,	Repairing	Hotels	Transport,		
	Index	Husbandry	Fishing	&	Manufacturing	Gas &	of	&	Storage		
Period		&	~ 0	Quarrying	g	Water	Motor	Restaurants	&		
		Forestry		Quarrying		Supply	Vehicles	restaurants	Communications		
1369	18.0	18.6		16.7	16.8	8.8	Venicies	15.1	14.1		
1370	22.1	22.9		27.0	21.0	11.0		19.3	18.6		
1371	28.2	29.2		34.9	26.8	19.0		26.0	24.7		
1372	34.9	35.8		36.9	33.7	24.6		33.7	32.2		
1373	46.4	46.9		41.3	46.3	45.4		44.6	45.5		
1374	68.5	74.1		65.8	69.8	55.9		64.9	65.8		
1375	86.5	87.8		90.0	90.1	66.9		84.9	84.2		
1376	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
1377	118.7	122.6	128.0	122.8	117.0	131.4	121.1	125.7	115.3		
1378	145.9	152.7	152.5	130.5	145.7	166.8	146.6	156.7	138.1		
1379	169.6	180.0	190.8	152.8	168.5	190.8	161.9	185.2	152.1		
1380	188.1	194.9	211.8	146.1	177.3	211.6	178.7	210.0	188.3		
1381	213.4	218.7	260.7	151.2	195.5	226.0	201.2	246.7	223.1		
1381:											
Azar	219.0	224.6	259.0	145.4	200.0	228.3	207.5	253.8	226.0		
Dey	221.8	226.9	258.5	146.8	200.6	228.3	209.9	256.7	236.5		
Bahman	225.1	233.4	259.0	146.9	202.8	228.3	211.5	258.1	236.7		
Esfand	227.1	235.7	225.7	149.2	204.0	228.3	215.1	261.0	240.4		
1382:											
Farvardin	230.3	237.7	239.8	152.0	207.3	230.5	218.1	269.3	241.9		
Ordibehesht	232.9	235.6	264.1	152.0	209.6	266.7	220.2	273.8	244.9		
Khordad	236.9	241.8	279.3	152.0	211.8	272.2	225.5	279.8	246.9		
Tir	243.2	246.9	290.1	159.3	215.5	272.3	230.7	284.7	264.3		
Mordad	246.8	254.0	284.7	159.4	217.4	271.8	232.4	287.2	266.0		
Shahrivar	246.4	252.4	292.6	159.4	216.0	271.1	236.1	290.3	267.8		
Mehr	248.2	252.8	274.3	159.7	216.8	268.6	237.8	292.2	277.4		
Aban	251.0	258.6	263.3	159.7	218.1	269.1	241.1	293.0	277.5		
Azar	253.6	262.6	282.2	159.7	219.2	269.1	242.9	297.0	277.5		

Table 2 (Continued)

Description		Major Groups					Special Groups			
Description							Agriculture,			
	General	Financial	Real Estate,		Health &	Other Community	Animal	Mining & Quarrying,		
	Index	Intermediation	Renting &	Education	Social	Social & Personal	Husbandry,	Manufacturing	Services	
Period			Business		Work	Service Activities	Forestry &	& Electricity, Gas		
\ \			Activities		WOIN		Fishing	& Water Supply		
1369	18.0	60.2	20.6	15.5	10.3		18.6	16.4	20.8	
1370	22.1	61.8	24.4	19.8	14.3		23.0	20.5	24.6	
1371	28.2	69.0	30.4	28.2	20.4		29.2	26.4	30.8	
1372	34.9	77.0	36.4	41.2	27.6		35.8	33.3	37.6	
1373	46.4	77.4	44.4	58.1	38.0		46.9	46.2	46.3	
1374	68.5	99.2	56.8	74.1	53.5		74.1	69.1	61.6	
1375	86.5	99.6	76.5	94.5	76.1		87.8	89.0	80.0	
1376	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1377	118.7	100.2	119.3	110.4	122.7	118.0	122.7	117.7	117.2	
1378	145.9	120.1	139.2	132.0	153.6	141.8	152.7	146.2	139.7	
1379	169.6	156.6	164.4	168.9	183.7	170.8	180.1	169.0	162.0	
1380	188.1	267.7	195.8	224.2	213.7	216.5	195.2	178.0	199.4	
1381	213.4	370.3	234.1	275.9	251.4	242.0	219.4	195.7	238.2	
1381:										
Azar	219.0	373.3	245.7	310.1	258.5	244.1	225.2	200.0	245.7	
Dey	221.8	400.0	249.9	310.1	260.1	245.5	227.4	200.6	252.6	
Bahman	225.1	424.0	254.0	310.0	262.5	246.4	233.8	202.6	255.5	
Esfand	227.1	418.7	257.3	310.1	263.9	263.9	235.6	203.8	259.3	
1382:										
Farvardin	230.3	431.2	260.3	310.1	266.6	284.5	237.7	207.1	263.3	
Ordibehesht	232.9	460.9	263.3	310.1	275.8	285.3	236.1	210.6	267.6	
Khordad	236.9	511.2	266.2	310.1	285.7	285.9	242.5	212.9	272.6	
Tir	243.2	594.8	269.2	310.1	290.6	289.1	247.7	216.6	284.4	
Mordad	246.8	623.2	272.7	310.4	296.2	297.2	254.5	218.3	288.4	
Shahrivar	246.4	603.8	275.7	311.9	299.0	305.2	253.1	217.0	290.5	
Mehr	248.2	601.1	278.7	318.7	300.8	306.2	253.2	217.6	295.5	
Aban	251.0	625.3	281.8	335.2	302.1	311.0	258.7	218.9	298.6	
Azar	253.6	653.3	286.8	364.5	303.8	311.9	262.9	219.9	302.6	