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Producer Price Index in Iran
Mehr 1386
(September 23 - October 22, 2007)
Monthly Report

Summary Results of the Producer Price Index in Iran

Mehr 1386

increase



no change



decrease



Percent change compared to

Groups

previous month

similar month of
the previous year

General Index

1.6



16.0



Major Groups:

1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry

0.6



16.2



2- Fishing

10.1



10.7



3- Mining and Quarrying

1.7



12.7



4- Manufacturing

1.8



14.2



5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

1.0



6.4



6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles

0.4



14.8



7- Hotels and Restaurants

1.0



16.2



8- Transport, Storage and Communications

2.2



17.6



9- Financial Intermediation

1.5



2.3



10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities

2.1



22.1



11- Education

4.7



13.0



12- Health and Social Work

1.9



22.3



13- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities

7.0



15.7



Special Groups:

1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing

0.8



16.2



2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

1.8



13.9



3- Services

2.1



18.3



Producer Price Index in Iran

Mehr 1386

(1376 = 100)

The Producer Price Index (**PPI**) went up 1.6 percent in Mehr 1386. Showing the index point of 414.7, the **PPI** was 16.0 percent higher than the similar month in 1385.

During the first seven months of the current Iranian year, the Producer Price Index rose 15.8 percent compared to the similar period in 1385.

The Producer Price Index increased 15.5 percent during the last twelve months leading to Mehr 1386, compared with the similar preceding period.

In Mehr, the agriculture, animal husbandry and forestry group index went up 0.6 percent.

The advance in the prices of Caspian Sea fish mainly caused 10.1 percent increase in the group index of fishing.

The mining and quarrying group index rose 1.7 percent.

The manufacturing group index went up 1.8 percent, which was mainly attributed to the rise in the prices of mutton, exported processed sheep skins, solid vegetable oil, pasteurized butter, sport shoes, textbooks, exported propane and butane, hand and bath soaps, asphalt, iron rod, iron profile, copper wire, exported copper, plumb ingot, heat reservoirs, road roller and copper cable. In this group index, the price of chicken declined.

The advance in the prices of electricity energy and water (for household usage) mainly caused 1.0 percent increase in the group index of electricity, gas and water supply.

The repairing of motor vehicles group index went up 0.4 percent.

The fall in the charge of hotels and inns mainly caused 1.0 percent decrease in the group index of hotels and restaurants.

The transport, storage and communications group index rose 2.2 percent, which was mainly due to the advance in the fare of taxi agency and road transportation.

The reduction in the price of third party insurance mainly caused 1.5 percent fall in the group index of financial intermediation.

The real estate, renting and business activities group index went up 2.1 percent, which was mainly attributed to the rise in the prices of constructional services.

The advance in the tuition fees of private schools mainly caused 4.7 percent increase in the group index of education.

The health and social work group index went up 1.9 percent, which was mainly due to the rise in the prices of medical activities.

The increase in the cost of funeral mainly caused 7.0 percent jump in the group index of other community, social and personal service activities.

Producer Price Index in Iran (1376 = 100)

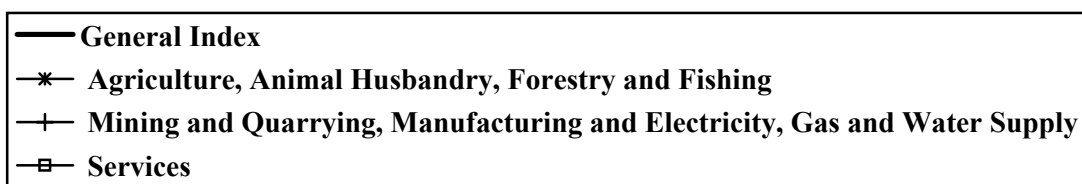
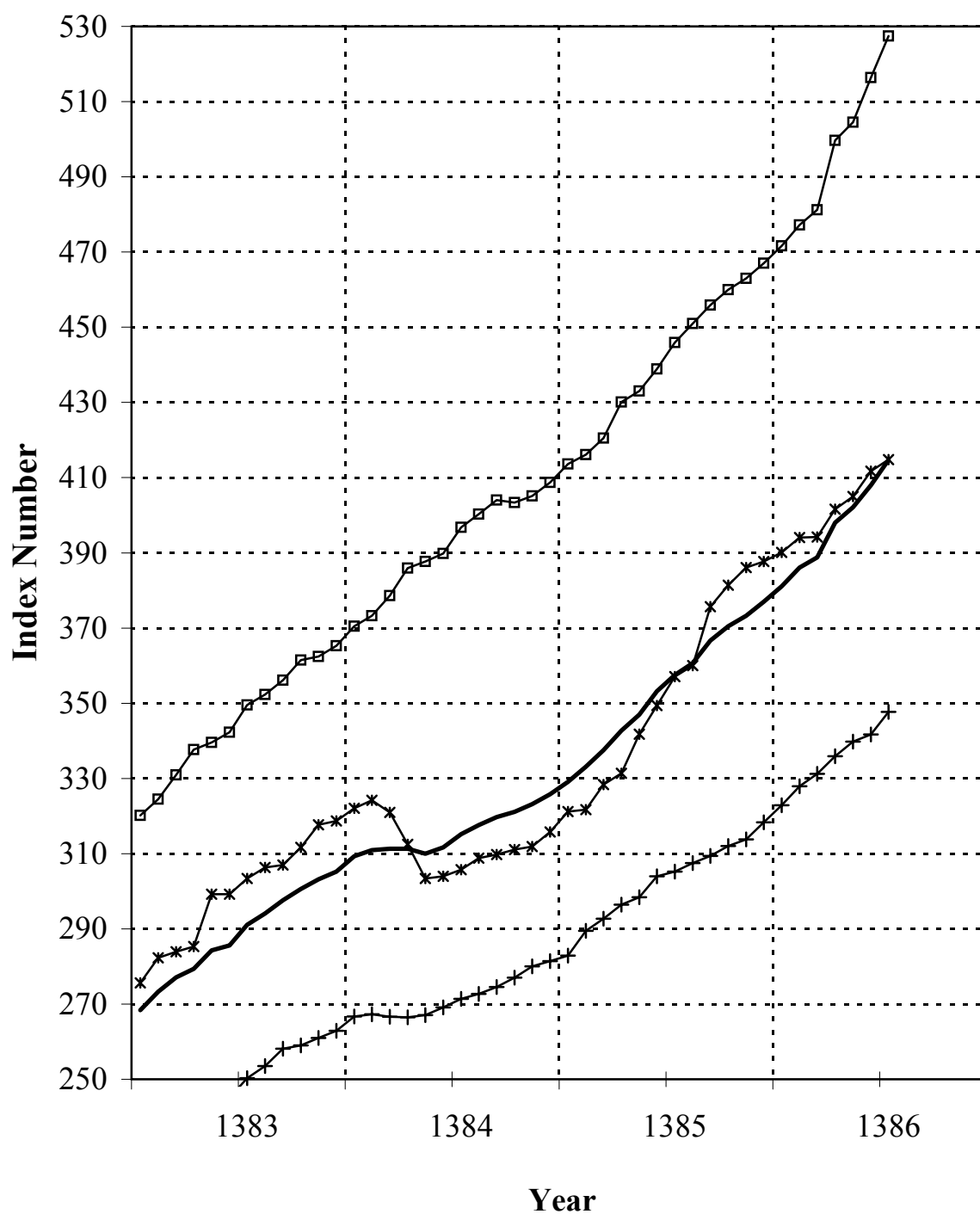


Table 1
Producer Price Index in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes
 Mehr 1386
 (1376 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Mehr 1386	Percent Change			
			Mehr 1386 compared to:		Mehr 1385 compared to:	
			previous month	similar month of the previous year	previous month	similar month of the previous year
Genral Index	100.00	414.7	1.6	16.0	1.2	13.4
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:						
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry	23.19	414.4	0.6	16.2	2.4	17.2
Agriculture, animal husbandry and related services	22.94	414.3	0.5	16.1	2.4	17.3
Agriculture	12.56	442.4	1.5	16.9	2.6	16.9
Cereals, pulses and other products	5.23	414.2	2.0	14.1	6.0	17.2
Cereals	3.50	377.7	2.2	10.6	1.5	9.6
Pulses	0.39	473.6	5.2	-1.7	17.1	59.1
Oil seeds	0.34	293.4	2.2	-4.1	2.8	1.7
Other products	1.00	561.4	0.4	36.5	16.9	33.3
Vegetables	3.31	488.4	1.3	8.4	-0.1	19.8
Patch vegetables	0.67	392.7	-2.0	-14.6	7.3	91.5
Garden vegetables	0.87	539.0	3.0	31.7	-2.6	19.5
Leaf vegetables	0.47	515.0	6.7	18.0	6.9	15.2
Root vegetables	0.21	414.2	-3.6	-2.7	-9.8	11.6
Other vegetables	1.09	509.0	0.1	4.1	-3.0	0.9
Fruits, dried fruits, spices and tea	4.02	441.1	1.0	29.8	1.2	13.5
Citrus	0.85	538.4	3.0	73.2	3.6	-3.2
Fruits with seeds and pits	1.62	511.3	0.5	25.4	-1.2	26.0
Dried fruits	1.33	326.1	-0.1	8.0	3.9	9.0
Spices and tea	0.22	247.3	1.4	36.7	0.7	5.5
Animal husbandry	10.09	384.7	-0.8	15.2	2.1	17.9
Live animals	6.48	429.9	-0.2	16.4	2.2	20.1
Milk	1.75	320.1	0.1	14.9	0.8	15.7
Other animals and animals product	1.86	288.2	-4.6	9.7	2.8	9.8
Related services to agriculture and animal husbandry	0.29	229.8	0.0	1.5	0.0	11.1
Forestry	0.25	423.0	6.4	37.0	-0.1	15.0
2- Fishing	0.42	436.5	10.1	10.7	-4.5	-0.3
3- Mining and Quarrying	0.94	295.2	1.7	12.7	0.6	30.5
4- Manufacturing	45.17	349.2	1.8	14.2	0.4	12.8
Food products and beverages	11.21	382.8	1.1	15.9	1.4	9.6
Meat and its products, compotes and conserves, butter and vegetable oils	5.66	404.9	1.5	15.4	1.5	11.9
Dairy products	1.59	350.0	0.6	14.1	1.3	10.1
Wheat flour, starch and its products and prepared animal feeds	0.66	394.3	0.7	15.1	0.4	1.5
Other food products	2.90	363.7	0.8	20.1	1.7	7.2

Table 1 (continued)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Mehr 1386	Percent Change			
			Mehr 1386 compared to:		Mehr 1385 compared to:	
			previous month	similar month of the previous year	previous month	similar month of the previous year
Beverages	0.40	321.8	0.4	4.8	0.0	6.3
Tobacco products	0.17	299.6	0.0	16.2	0.0	1.3
Textiles	4.94	253.4	0.6	13.3	0.8	12.8
Spinning and weaving	1.99	209.2	0.2	9.5	0.2	7.5
Other textiles	1.89	301.3	0.7	16.2	1.2	18.7
Knitted and crocheted fabrics and articles	1.06	251.0	1.3	13.7	1.1	10.1
Wearing apparel	2.52	197.5	0.7	11.7	-0.8	5.0
Leather and leather products	1.69	205.1	1.7	15.1	1.4	6.4
Wood and wooden products	0.54	318.9	0.4	14.4	0.8	11.6
Paper and paper products	0.49	280.6	1.9	13.1	0.4	9.2
Publishing, printing and reproduction	0.30	325.6	2.4	17.6	3.6	5.6
Carbon and refined petroleum products	1.98	561.9	0.6	12.2	-0.7	1.7
Chemical and petrochemical products	3.80	440.0	3.6	14.7	-2.1	12.2
Rubber and plastic products	0.87	296.2	0.9	13.1	0.5	17.3
Non - metallic mineral products	2.23	388.7	0.9	11.1	0.3	3.8
Basic metals	4.15	543.5	3.7	18.5	0.8	35.0
Fabricated metallic products except machinery	0.91	366.0	4.5	21.0	1.5	9.7
Machinery	2.93	240.8	0.4	15.0	0.4	7.5
Transformers and electrical equipment	0.94	405.0	3.1	5.5	0.0	44.7
Radio, television and communication equipment	0.38	119.9	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.1
Medical, precision and optical instruments	0.12	279.8	0.0	16.1	0.0	5.8
Motor vehicles and related equipment	3.41	195.9	0.1	3.3	0.3	2.7
Other transport equipment	0.37	167.6	0.1	21.1	0.0	0.9
Furniture and other manufacturing	1.19	450.1	4.3	13.5	0.6	31.7
5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	1.80	336.5	1.0	6.4	-0.4	-0.1
6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles	0.32	432.9	0.4	14.8	0.7	17.3
7- Hotels and Restaurants	0.73	493.5	-1.0	16.2	0.3	11.3
8- Transport, Storage and Communications	10.53	447.1	2.2	17.6	1.1	8.0
Land transport	9.38	460.5	2.4	18.2	1.2	8.6
Air transport	0.42	504.1	0.7	20.4	0.0	1.1
Post and telecommunications	0.59	209.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
9- Financial Intermediation	1.17	873.3	-1.5	2.3	0.3	2.1
10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	11.19	543.4	2.1	22.1	1.8	16.3
11- Education	0.59	698.7	4.7	13.0	10.1	29.8
12- Health and Social Work	2.23	620.4	1.9	22.3	1.2	17.4
13- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	1.72	532.2	7.0	15.7	1.7	11.7
Special Groups:						
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing	23.61	414.8	0.8	16.2	2.2	16.8
2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	47.91	347.7	1.8	13.9	0.4	12.5
3- Services	28.48	527.4	2.1	18.3	1.6	12.4

Producer Price Index in Iran
General, Major and Special Groups Index Numbers
(1376 = 100)

Description Period	General Index	Major Groups							
		Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry	Fishing	Mining and Quarrying	Manufacturing	Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	Repairing of Motor Vehicles	Hotels and Restaurants	Transport, Storage and Communications
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
1382	246.8	253.3	272.9	157.7	216.4	266.7	236.3	289.5	266.8
1383	288.3	298.6	334.3	170.6	248.2	315.1	280.2	335.9	304.7
1384	315.6	311.2	385.3	198.8	271.4	317.7	323.9	377.9	342.3
1385	354.0	352.6	404.0	268.1	302.6	317.7	376.5	425.6	376.1
1385:									
Mehr	357.5	356.5	394.3	262.0	305.7	316.2	377.2	424.7	380.2
Azar	366.7	375.5	385.9	292.9	309.4	317.1	387.3	436.6	381.1
Dey	370.5	380.5	429.4	310.6	311.7	319.1	389.7	439.8	384.0
Bahman	373.3	385.4	425.7	297.8	313.9	320.0	393.9	444.1	384.6
Esfand	377.0	386.7	438.9	283.8	318.9	320.7	400.0	452.6	391.2
1386:									
Farvardin	381.1	390.3	378.6	290.8	323.6	321.3	405.5	462.6	391.5
Ordibehesht	386.1	394.3	381.3	290.8	329.0	321.6	411.1	468.2	392.2
Khordad	388.8	394.2	395.1	298.5	332.2	322.9	417.3	473.8	395.5
Tir	398.0	401.5	408.4	297.5	337.1	324.6	422.7	486.2	429.7
Mordad	402.1	404.8	415.7	293.7	341.1	332.3	427.0	494.4	433.0
Shahrivar	408.0	412.0	396.5	290.2	343.1	333.1	431.0	498.4	437.4
Mehr	414.7	414.4	436.5	295.2	349.2	336.5	432.9	493.5	447.1

Table 2 (continued)

Description Period	General Index	Major Groups					Special Groups		
		Financial Intermediation	Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	Education	Health and Social Work	Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing	Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	Services
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
1382	246.8	598.1	278.8	333.6	295.5	302.9	253.7	217.1	291.1
1383	288.3	801.4	331.7	409.9	350.9	357.6	299.2	249.2	345.2
1384	315.6	848.9	380.6	494.3	422.0	405.1	312.5	271.7	392.0
1385	354.0	845.6	441.4	605.4	498.3	453.5	353.5	302.5	441.3
1385:									
Mehr	357.5	853.8	445.0	618.2	507.3	460.0	357.1	305.2	445.9
Aban	360.7	856.5	453.2	660.1	511.8	461.8	360.0	307.5	451.0
Azar	366.7	869.3	462.5	660.9	515.7	463.2	375.7	309.4	455.9
Dey	370.5	867.3	468.7	661.1	521.0	465.2	381.4	312.0	460.0
Bahman	373.3	865.0	475.1	661.1	522.3	467.4	386.1	313.8	463.0
Esfand	377.0	861.2	476.3	661.1	531.6	471.2	387.7	318.3	467.0
1386:									
Farvardin	381.1	863.2	482.1	661.1	538.5	493.1	390.1	322.9	471.6
Ordibehesht	386.1	929.6	487.8	661.1	548.4	482.1	394.1	327.9	477.2
Khordad	388.8	924.5	491.7	661.1	562.8	484.5	394.2	331.2	481.2
Tir	398.0	941.0	500.3	661.4	577.7	487.9	401.6	335.9	499.7
Mordad	402.1	913.4	508.2	662.2	589.5	494.7	405.0	339.8	504.5
Shahrivar	408.0	886.2	532.2	667.4	608.9	497.3	411.7	341.7	516.4
Mehr	414.7	873.3	543.4	698.7	620.4	532.2	414.8	347.7	527.4