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Summary Results of the Producer Price Index in Iran

Azar 1386

(1376 = 100)

increase

no change

		d	ecrease	₹			
	Po	Percent change compared to					
Groups	previo	us month	similar month of the previous year				
General Index	1.7		17.2	D			
Major Groups:							
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry	1.9	♪	16.9	♪			
2- Fishing	5.2	F	12.2	⊅			
3- Mining and Quarrying	3.7	₹	10.4	₹			
4- Manufacturing	1.6	♪	16.6	₽			
5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	0.4	D	6.8	♪			
6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles	1.7	D	15.0	⊅			
7- Hotels and Restaurants	1.8	₽	19.3	♪			
8- Transport, Storage and Communications	0.1	D	17.7	♪			
9- Financial Intermediation	0.8	₹	1.9	₹			
10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	3.9	D	24.6	Ď			
11- Education	2.1	Ð	12.2	⊅			
12- Health and Social Work	1.0	D	23.4	∌			
13- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	1.0	♪	16.6	⊅			
Special Groups:							
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry and Fishing	1.8	∌	16.8	♪			
2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing		\triangle		\wedge			
and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	1.5	Σ	15.7	\sum_{i}			
3- Services	1.9	→	19.2	₽			

Producer Price Index in Iran

Azar 1386

(1376 = 100)

The Producer Price Index (**PPI**) went up 1.7 percent in Azar 1386. Showing the index point of 429.9, the **PPI** was 17.2 percent higher than the similar month in 1385.

During the first nine months of the current Iranian year, the Producer Price Index rose 16.1 percent compared to the similar period in 1385.

The Producer Price Index increased 16.0 percent during the last twelve months leading to Azar 1386, compared with the similar preceding period.

In Azar, the agriculture, animal husbandry and forestry group index went up 1.9 percent, which was mainly attributed to the rise in the indices of rice, corn, sesame seed, saffron (domestic use), live animals and milk, poultry, egg and honey. In this group the prices of garden vegetables and citrus declined.

The fall in the indices of the Caspian Sea fish and the Persian Gulf fish mainly caused 5.2 percent decrease in the group index of fishing. In this group, the price of Iranian river fish increased.

The mining and quarrying group index moved down 3.7 percent.

The manufacturing group index went up 1.6 percent, which was mainly due to the rise in the indices of chicken, solid and liquid vegetable oil, confection, threads, hand-made carpet and rug (domestic use), machine-made carpet and rag, shoes, paper and paper products, exported sulfur, exported propane and butane, plastics in primary forms and synthetic rubber, brick, plaster, exported copper, vehicle cylinder, trucks and furniture. In this group, the indices of processed sheepskin, iron beam and iron coil declined.

The electricity, gas and water supply group index and the repairing of motor vehicles group index went up 0.4 percent and 1.7 percent, respectively.

The advance in the indices of hotels and inns and buffets caused 1.8 percent rise in the group index of hotels and restaurants.

The transport, storage and communications group index increased 0.1 percent.

The financial intermediation group index fell 0.8 percent.

The real estate, renting and business activities group index went up 3.9 percent, which was mainly attributed to the rise in the prices of constructional services.

The education group index increased 2.1 percent.

The health and social work group index and the other community, social and personal service activities group index moved up 1.0 percent each.

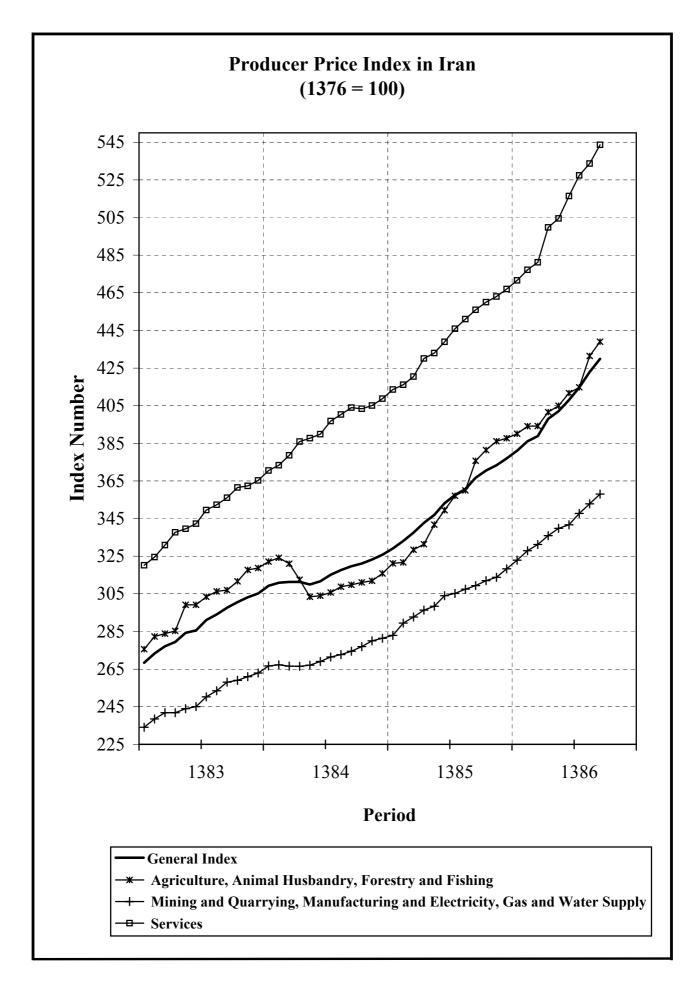


Table 1
Producer Price Index in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes

Azar 1386 (1376 = 100)

		Index	Percent	cent Change		
	Base	Number	Azar 1386		Azar 1385	
Description	Year	in	compared to:		compared to:	
	Weight	A 1206	previous	similar month of	previous	similar month of
		Azar 1386	month	the previous year	month	the previous year
Genral Index	100.00	429.9	1.7	17.2	1.7	14.7
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:						
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry	23.19	439.1	1.9	16.9	4.5	21.8
Agriculture, animal husbandry and related services	22.94	439.5	2.0	16.9	4.5	21.8
Agriculture	12.56	462.2	0.6	14.9	4.4	21.3
Cereals, pulses and other products	5.23	422.8	1.5	14.5	0.5	15.6
Cereals	3.50	387.1	2.0	12.5	0.2	8.0
Pulses	0.39	475.6	-1.5	-1.3	-0.2	45.8
Oil seeds	0.34	341.3	6.9	18.8	-1.9	-1.4
Other products	1.00	555.9	0.0	25.8	2.3	34.6
Vegetables	3.31	496.7	-1.2	4.2	7.7	21.4
Patch vegetables	0.67	354.2	0.0	-16.0	-0.1	59.4
Garden vegetables	0.87	572.2	-4.5	11.4	21.1	43.1
Leaf vegetables	0.47	518.5	1.3	21.2	1.6	8.8
Root vegetables	0.21	411.8	1.2	-20.5	25.4	14.1
Other vegetables	1.09	530.0	-0.2	7.1	1.9	1.6
Fruits, dried fruits, spices and tea	4.02	485.2	1.2	26.5	6.4	29.2
Citrus	0.85	536.5	-1.8	42.1	15.6	41.8
Fruits with seeds and pits	1.62	581.7	2.0	23.9	4.7	38.6
Dried fruits	1.33	349.7	0.4	11.5	3.7	9.4
Spices and tea	0.22	395.6	14.5	100.3	0.1	15.8
Animal husbandry	10.09	417.1	4.0	19.9	4.7	22.8
Live animals	6.48	465.5	2.7	20.4	4.5	25.7
Milk	1.75	346.2	5.8	19.8	3.0	20.0
Other animals and animals product	1.86	315.5	9.4	17.1	7.6	12.6
Related services to agriculture and animal						
husbandry	0.29	240.6	0.8	6.1	0.0	11.2
Forestry	0.25	397.4	-7.6	21.9	2.8	21.4
2- Fishing	0.42	432.9	-5.2	12.2	-2.1	-2.4
3- Mining and Quarrying	0.94	262.5	-3.7	-10.4	7.1	39.6
4- Manufacturing	45.17	360.7	1.6	16.6	0.5	12.9
Food products and beverages	11.21	395.6	1.7	18.1	1.1	10.9
Meat and its products, compotes and						
conserves, butter and vegetable oils	5.66	423.7	2.0	19.1	1.4	13.7
Dairy products	1.59	355.3	1.2	15.5	0.3	9.3
Wheat flour, starch and its products and						
prepared animal feeds	0.66	400.4	0.4	16.0	0.1	2.2
Other food products	2.90	371.0	1.5	19.3	1.4	8.9

Table 1 (continued)

Description		Index	Percent Change				
		Number	Azar 1386		Azar 1385		
		in	compared to:		compared to:		
	Year Weight			similar month of	previous	similar month of	
		Azar 1386	month	the previous year	month	the previous year	
Beverages	0.40	326.8	0.4	7.6	0.1	4.9	
Tobacco products	0.17	299.6	0.0	7.5	0.0	9.5	
Textiles	4.94	264.2	2.7	16.4	0.8	9.4	
Spinning and weaving	1.99	214.4	1.7	11.3	0.2	7.1	
Other textiles	1.89	316.4	4.2	19.4	1.3	10.3	
Knitted and crocheted fabrics and articles	1.06	264.7	1.1	18.3	0.5	11.4	
Wearing apparel	2.52	202.2	1.2	11.5	1.7	7.0	
Leather and leather products	1.69	211.6	2.0	17.2	0.7	6.8	
Wood and wooden products	0.54	326.7	2.2	15.9	0.6	12.2	
Paper and paper products	0.49	304.8	4.8	21.2	0.6	10.0	
Publishing, printing and reproduction	0.30	325.6	0.0	15.4	2.9	7.6	
Carbon and refined petroleum products	1.98	572.7	0.9	13.7	0.3	4.3	
Chemical and petrochemical products	3.80	479.0	5.6	24.7	-0.9	9.8	
Rubber and plastic products	0.87	300.6	0.0	11.2	0.0	18.3	
Non - metallic mineral products	2.23	399.8	1.8	14.0	0.1	3.6	
Basic metals	4.15	550.4	-0.6	17.8	1.1	34.3	
Fabricated metallic products except machinery	0.91	367.9	0.2	21.1	0.2	9.8	
Machinery	2.93	247.1	1.1	14.6	0.2	10.3	
Transformers and electrical equipment	0.94	394.7	0.0	4.5	-1.1	40.3	
Radio, television and communication equipment	0.38	107.1	0.0	-12.1	1.0	2.1	
Medical, precision and optical instruments	0.12	284.7	0.9	17.3	0.0	6.6	
Motor vehicles and related equipment	3.41	196.7	0.3	3.7	0.2	2.9	
Other transport equipment	0.37	171.4	0.1	18.9	0.1	5.2	
Furniture and other manufacturing	1.19	490.7	1.3	22.2	-1.3	26.3	
5- Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	1.80	338.6	0.4	6.8	0.3	0.2	
6- Repairing of Motor Vehicles		445.4	1.7	15.0	0.8	17.8	
7- Hotels and Restaurants	0.32 0.73	520.9	1.8	19.3	1.0	13.8	
8- Transport, Storage and Communications	10.53	448.6	0.1	17.7	0.1	7.8	
Land transport	9.38	462.1	0.1	18.3	0.2	8.4	
Air transport	0.42	505.4	-0.1	20.7	0.0	0.9	
Post and telecommunications	0.59	209.6	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	
9- Financial Intermediation	1.17	853.1	-0.8	-1.9	1.5	2.8	
10- Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	11.19	576.5	3.9	24.6	2.1	17.8	
11- Education	0.59	741.5	2.1	12.2	0.1	19.1	
12- Health and Social Work	2.23	636.5	1.0	23.4	0.8	17.8	
13- Other Community, Social and Personal							
Service Activities	1.72	540.0	1.0	16.6	0.3	11.9	
Special Groups:							
1- Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Forestry							
and Fishing	23.61	439.0	1.8	16.8	4.4	21.3	
2- Mining and Quarrying, Manufacturing							
and Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	47.91	358.0	1.5	15.7	0.6	12.7	
3- Services	28.48	543.6	1.9	19.2	1.1	12.8	

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General, Major and Special Groups Index Numbers (1376 = 100)

Description		Major Groups								
Description		Agriculture,								
	General	Animal		Mining		Electricity,	Repairing	Hotels	Transport,	
	Index	Husbandry	Fishing	and	Manufacturing	Gas and	of	and	Storage	
Period		and	8	Quarrying		Water	Motor	Restaurants	and	
101104		Forestry		Quarrying		Supply	Vehicles	restaurants	Communications	
1370	22.1	22.9		27.0	21.0	11.0	Venicies	19.3	18.6	
1370	28.2	29.2		34.9	26.8	19.0		26.0	24.7	
1371	34.9	35.8		36.9	33.7	24.6		33.7	32.2	
1372	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:										
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	
Aban	422.9	430.9	456.5	272.7	355.1	337.4	437.9	511.5	448.1	
Azar	429.9	439.1	432.9	262.5	360.7	338.6	445.4	520.9	448.6	

Table 2 (continued)

Description		Major Groups				Special Groups			
Description							Agriculture,		
	General	Financial	Real Estate,		Health and	Other Community,	Animal	Mining and Quarrying,	
	Index	Intermediation	Renting and	Education	Social	Social and Personal	Husbandry,	Manufacturing	Services
Period	macx	memediation	Business	Education	Work	Service Activities	Forestry and	and Electricity, Gas	Sel vices
renou					WOIK	Service Activities	•	1	
1270	22.1	(1.0	Activities	10.0	142		Fishing	and Water Supply	24.6
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:									
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
Aban	422.9	860.3	554.8	726.3	630.1	534.6	431.4	352.8	533.7
Azar	429.9	853.1	576.5	741.5	636.5	540.0	439.0	358.0	543.6