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Esfand 1388

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(1383 = 100)

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Summary Results of the Producer Price Index in Iran

Esfand 1388

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increase



no change or virtually unchanged



decrease



Groups	Percent change compared to			
	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
General Index	0.9		9.5	
Major Groups:				
1- Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry	0.7		5.5	
2- Fishing	5.7		19.1	
3- Manufacturing	0.4		10.5	
4- Hotels and Restaurants	3.4		19.4	
5- Transport, Storage and Communications	1.6		5.7	
6- Education	0.0		14.9	
7- Health and Social Work	1.3		23.3	
8- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	1.9		22.3	
Special Groups:				
1- Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry and Fishing	0.9		5.8	
2- Manufacturing	0.4		10.5	
3- Services	1.5		11.2	

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The Producer Price Index (**PPI**) went up 0.9 percent in Esfand 1388. The index level of 189.0 was 9.5 percent higher than in Esfand 1387.

On average, the Producer Price Index in 1388 increased 7.4 percent compared to the previous year.

In Esfand, the agriculture, hunting and forestry group index went up 0.7 percent.

The advance in the index for Persian Gulf fish principally caused 5.7 percent increase in the group index for fishing.

The manufacturing group index rose 0.4 percent.

The 3.4 percent advance in the group index of hotels and restaurants was mostly due to the increase in the index for hotel.

As a result of rising in index for bus trip fare, the transport, storage and communications group index moved up 1.6 percent.

The education group index was virtually unchanged.

The advance in the index for medical and dental practice activities largely caused 1.3 percent rise in the health and social work group index.

The other community, social and personal service activities group index went up 1.9 percent.

Producer Price Index in Iran (1383=100)

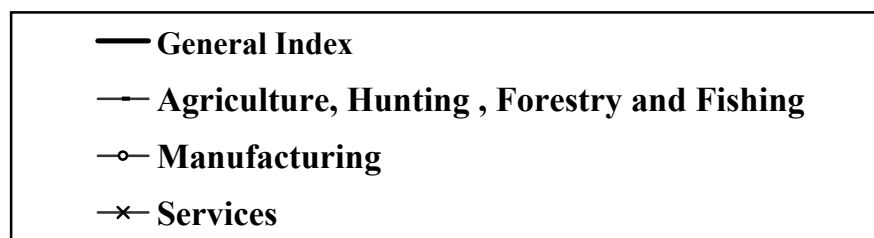
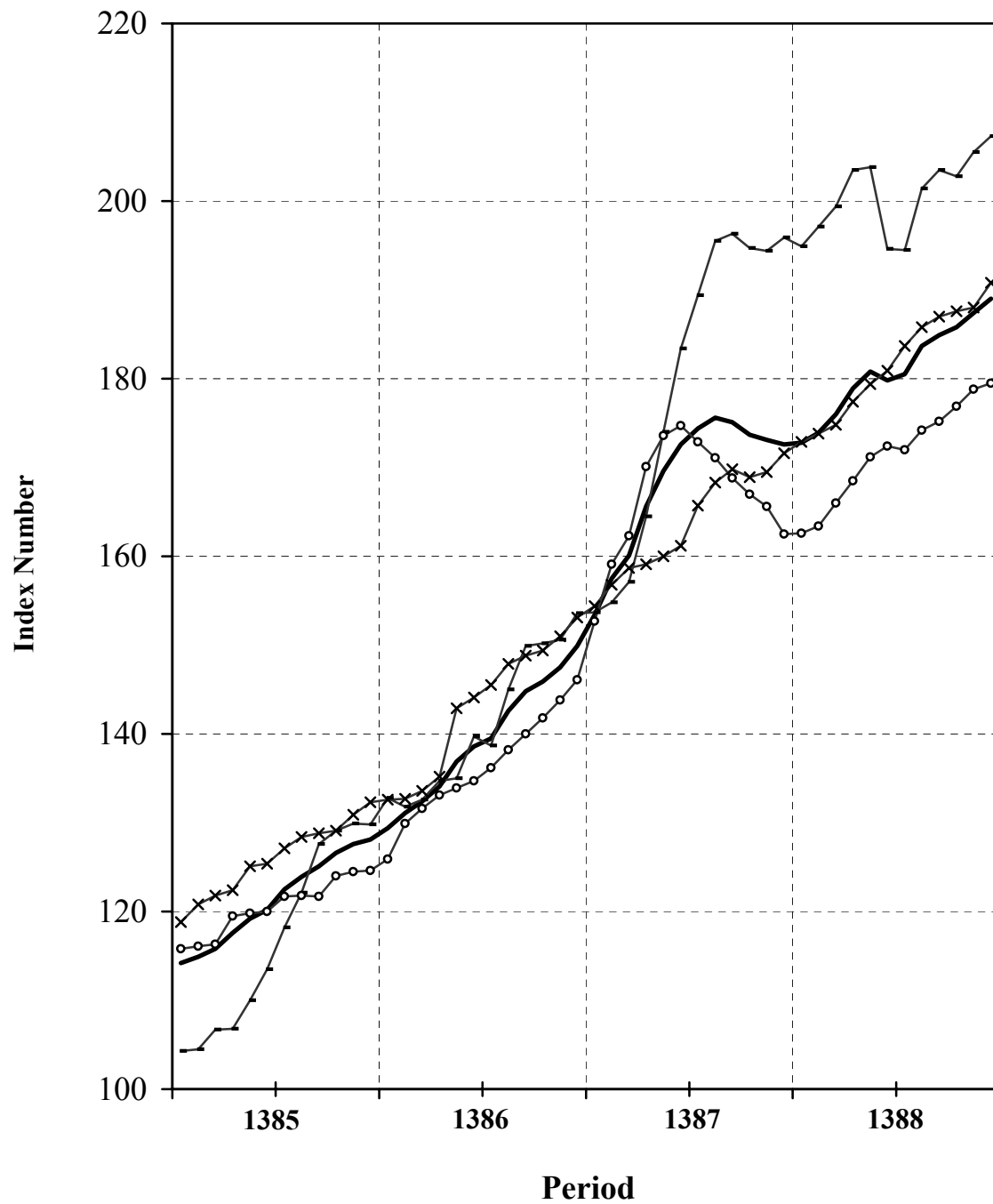


Table 1
Producer Price Index in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes
 Esfand 1388
 (1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Esfand 1388	Percent Change			
			Esfand 1388 compared to		Esfand 1387 compared to	
			previous month	similar month of the previous year	previous month	similar month of the previous year
General Index	100.00	189.0	0.9	9.5	-0.3	15.1
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:*						
1-Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry	21.35	207.0	0.7	5.5	0.9	28.1
Growing of crops; market gardening; horticulture	15.53	210.5	0.4	2.3	-0.3	35.8
Growing of cereals and other crops n.e.c.	7.65	207.1	0.0	2.0	0.0	48.7
Cereals	4.85	196.9	0.0	-4.2	0.0	52.7
Froge plant	1.25	248.5	0.0	6.8	0.0	69.6
Industrial plant	1.18	185.4	0.0	31.3	0.0	16.5
Pulses	0.37	269.2	0.0	1.0	0.0	28.9
Growing of vegetables, horticultural specialties and nursery products	2.47	202.4	2.9	-1.6	-2.0	9.0
Patch vegetables	0.94	163.7	7.1	-9.8	-0.2	39.0
Root vegetables	0.75	215.4	0.1	45.7	-1.1	-34.6
Garden vegetables	0.57	161.3	2.0	-33.3	0.0	35.0
Leaf vegetables	0.13	222.8	7.4	82.5	-36.2	-24.0
Other products	0.09	746.5	0.0	-12.3	0.0	43.1
Growing of fruit, nuts, beverage and spice crops	5.40	218.9	-0.2	4.3	0.0	34.4
Half tropical fruits	1.81	284.6	-0.4	29.7	0.1	12.7
Fruits with seeds	1.34	129.6	0.0	-29.5	0.0	34.2
Fruits with pits	0.88	192.3	0.0	97.8	0.0	5.0
Fresh nuts	0.77	180.3	0.0	2.1	0.0	14.1
Fruits with tiny pits	0.61	306.3	0.0	-30.8	0.0	151.0
Farming of animals	5.82	197.8	1.7	15.8	5.1	8.4
Farming of cattle, sheep and goats	2.16	238.5	0.3	47.9	1.4	2.2
Production of raw milk	1.86	188.3	-1.4	-3.1	2.2	23.4
Farming of birds	1.13	152.5	11.8	5.2	16.0	1.3
Other animal farming	0.67	169.6	5.1	-5.5	12.3	-1.0
2- Fishing	0.63	218.7	5.7	19.1	-3.9	9.7
Persian Gulf fish	0.35	242.4	9.1	31.3	-5.8	-2.7
Caspian Sea fish	0.06	152.9	2.7	24.2	-9.9	46.7
Aquaculture	0.22	198.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	28.5
3- Manufacturing	48.06	179.5	0.4	10.5	-1.8	11.2
Manufacture of food products and beverages	5.84	182.8	1.3	6.0	-0.4	16.0
Production, processing and preservation of meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, oils and fats	1.83	158.6	1.1	-1.1	-1.2	11.9
Manufacture of dairy products	0.89	153.7	0.2	2.7	0.1	16.2

*As a few of subgroups are not mentioned in the table, therefore the total weights of subgroups in a few cases do not add up to the total weights of major groups.

Table 1 (continued)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Esfand 1388	Percent Change			
			Esfand 1388 compared to		Esfand 1387 compared to	
			previous month	similar month of the previous year	previous month	similar month of the previous year
Manufacture of grain mill products, starches and starch products, and prepared animal feeds	1.02	240.2	-0.7	4.4	-1.2	14.5
Manufacture of other food products	1.51	195.4	4.3	20.6	0.0	16.1
Manufacture of beverages	0.59	170.1	0.0	-0.5	2.0	33.8
Manufacture of tobacco products	0.15	115.5	0.0	6.0	0.0	3.5
Manufacture of textiles	1.97	173.0	0.5	11.7	-0.6	3.1
Spinning, weaving and finishing of textiles	1.11	142.2	0.4	8.8	-1.4	-0.1
Manufacture of other textiles	0.83	213.9	0.6	14.6	0.2	5.8
Manufacture of knitted and crocheted fabrics and articles	0.02	179.2	0.5	0.9	0.4	21.1
Manufacture of wearing apparel; dressing and dyeing of fur	0.08	164.4	0.0	0.2	-0.7	15.2
Tanning and dressing of leather; manufacture of luggage, handbags, saddlery, harness and footwear	0.19	186.2	1.5	6.0	-1.0	11.2
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	0.13	152.2	0.0	2.5	-2.4	2.8
Manufacture of paper and paper products	0.54	171.6	0.0	-5.6	-0.2	4.5
Manufacture of coke, refined petroleum products	5.60	220.1	-2.3	19.6	-1.9	35.6
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	4.78	203.9	0.7	25.9	2.5	1.1
Manufacture of rubber and plastics products	1.24	201.3	1.3	8.7	-0.1	6.7
Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	3.02	165.2	-0.1	0.4	0.2	32.4
Manufacture of basic metals	6.84	204.6	1.5	13.6	-8.7	-0.8
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	0.73	202.1	1.6	-5.3	-0.5	16.3
Manufacture of machinery for mining, quarrying and construction	0.24	181.7	0.0	3.5	0.0	8.6
Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	0.41	97.2	0.0	-5.0	-5.5	-11.0
Manufacture of medical, precision and optical instruments, watches and clocks	0.10	170.2	0.0	-0.1	0.3	17.3
Manufacture of motor vehicles	9.17	131.6	0.1	3.7	-1.2	10.6
Manufacture of other transport equipment	0.30	124.9	7.4	6.0	-3.2	-8.8
4- Hotels and Restaurants	0.88	244.9	3.4	19.4	1.2	24.1
Hotels and other provision of short-stay accommodation	0.26	274.8	8.0	28.4	2.1	18.5
Restaurants and canteens	0.62	232.3	1.3	15.5	0.8	26.7
5- Transport, Storage and Communications	21.04	162.4	1.6	5.7	1.4	6.1
Land transport	17.57	170.2	1.9	6.5	1.5	5.4
Air transport	1.03	167.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	25.3
Post and telecommunications	2.42	104.4	0.0	0.8	0.2	2.7
6- Education	2.43	233.9	0.0	14.9	0.1	16.3
7- Health and Social Work	3.95	265.3	1.3	23.3	0.9	22.6
8- Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	1.66	281.0	1.9	22.3	1.8	31.1
Special Groups:						
1- Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry and Fishing	21.98	207.3	0.9	5.8	0.8	27.5
2- Manufacturing	48.06	179.5	0.4	10.5	-1.9	11.2
3- Services	29.96	190.8	1.5	11.2	1.2	11.7

Table 2
Producer Price Index in Iran
General and Major Groups Index Numbers
(1383=100)

Description Period	General Index	Major Groups								Special Groups		
		Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry	Fishing	Manufacturing	Hotels and Restaurants	Transport, Storage and Communications	Education	Health and Social Work	Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities	Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry and Fishing	Manufacturing	Services
1376	34.7	33.5	29.9	40.3	29.8	32.8	24.4	28.5	28.0	33.4	40.1	29.0
1377	41.2	41.1	38.3	47.1	37.4	37.8	26.9	35.0	33.0	41.0	47.2	34.0
1378	50.6	51.1	45.6	58.7	46.7	45.3	32.2	43.8	39.7	51.0	58.7	40.5
1379	58.8	60.3	57.1	67.9	55.1	49.9	41.2	52.4	47.8	60.2	67.8	46.9
1380	65.3	65.3	63.4	71.4	62.5	61.8	54.7	60.9	60.5	65.2	71.4	57.8
1381	74.0	73.2	78.0	78.8	73.4	73.2	67.3	71.6	67.7	73.3	78.5	69.0
1382	85.6	84.8	81.6	87.2	86.2	87.6	81.4	84.2	84.7	84.8	87.1	84.3
1383	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1384	108.8	103.2	115.7	108.2	112.1	111.9	118.7	118.6	115.1	103.6	108.2	113.5
1385	121.4	116.6	127.3	120.5	125.3	121.5	143.4	136.9	132.6	116.9	120.5	126.0
1386	139.5	141.2	142.4	136.3	148.0	136.2	163.5	162.9	158.1	141.2	136.3	143.5
1387	168.6	179.7	173.3	166.7	192.1	149.1	187.5	201.2	209.7	179.5	166.7	163.7
1388	181.1	200.6	203.8	171.7	225.8	158.1	217.4	243.7	260.2	200.7	171.7	181.8
1387												
Esfand	172.6	196.3	183.7	162.5	205.1	153.7	203.6	215.2	229.8	195.9	162.5	171.6
1388												
Farvardin	172.8	195.2	186.3	162.6	210.5	154.5	203.6	216.8	236.1	194.9	162.6	172.9
Ordibehesht	173.9	196.9	202.6	163.4	213.9	154.6	203.9	218.6	244.5	197.1	163.4	173.8
Khordad	176.0	199.4	198.5	166.0	216.3	155.1	204.9	221.6	247.8	199.4	166.0	174.8
Tir	178.8	203.1	203.8	168.5	218.9	157.1	205.5	227.1	252.2	203.1	168.5	177.4
Mordad	180.8	203.6	210.1	171.2	221.8	157.3	205.8	239.7	254.8	203.8	171.2	179.4
Shahrivar	179.8	194.2	207.6	172.4	222.9	157.5	206.6	248.0	257.7	194.6	172.4	180.9
Mehr	180.5	194.4	200.7	172.0	227.5	159.3	213.1	252.2	263.9	194.5	172.0	183.7
Aban	183.7	201.2	207.8	174.2	230.1	159.5	229.7	254.7	266.8	201.4	174.2	185.8
Azar	184.9	203.6	200.4	175.2	232.3	159.7	233.7	257.8	270.6	203.5	175.2	187.0
Dey	185.8	202.9	201.5	176.9	234.0	160.0	233.8	260.2	271.4	202.8	176.9	187.6
Bahman	187.4	205.5	207.0	178.8	236.8	159.8	233.8	261.8	275.7	205.5	178.8	188.0
Esfand	189.0	207.0	218.7	179.5	244.9	162.4	233.9	265.3	281.0	207.3	179.5	190.8