



## Palestinian Producer Price Index of May 2011

The overall Producer Price<sup>1</sup> Index (PPI) in the Palestinian territory with its base month (January 2011=100) reached 95.96 in May 2011, which indicates a decrease by 1.98% compared to April 2011.

Producer Price Index for exported products (January 2011=100) reached 98.97 in May 2011, which indicates a decrease by 1.20% compared to April 2011.

Producer Price Index for local consumed products (January 2011=100) reached 95.67 in May 2011, which indicates a decrease by 2.06% compared to April 2011.

The changes of the Producer Price Index for May is traced back to changes in the prices of the following major activities compared to the previous month:

Major Groups	%Change
Agriculture goods:	- 3.89 %
Fishing:	- 6.42 %
Mining and quarrying:	+ 0.66 %
Manufacturing group:	- 1.02%

<sup>1</sup> 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.

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