



PCBS Press Release

Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS):

Wholesale Price Index Increased by 1.29% and Producer Price Index Increased by 0.58% during the Third Quarter 2010 Compared with the Second Quarter 2010, in the Palestinian Territory

The results indicated that there was an increase in the price index for the Palestinian Territory with its 2007 base year (2007=100) as follow:

The overall Wholesale Price Index (WHI) reached 114.36 in the 3rd quarter 2010, with 1.29% increase compared with the 2nd quarter 2010, and the overall Producer Price Index (PPI) reached 113.44 in the 3rd quarter 2010, with 0.58% increase compared with the 2nd quarter 2010.

Analysis of wholesale price developments for this quarter indicates **changes in** the following major groups as follow:

- Agriculture goods:	+ 1.88 %
- Manufacturing group:	+ 1.05 %
- Mining and quarrying :	+ 0.61 %
- Fishing:	+ 0.21 %

Analysis of producer price developments for this quarter indicates **changes in** the following major groups as follow:

- Agriculture goods:	+ 1.07 %
- Manufacturing group:	+ 0.30 %
- Mining and quarrying :	+ 0.73 %
- Fishing:	+ 0.00 %