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Palestinian Wholesale Price Index, Second Quarter 2011

The overall Wholesale Price¹ Index (WPI) in the Palestinian Territory with its base year (2007=100) reached 117.82 in the second quarter 2011, which indicates an increase by 0.60% compared to the first quarter 2011.

Wholesale Price Index for imported products (2007=100) reached 117.52 in the second quarter 2011, which indicates an increase by 0.69% compared to the first quarter 2011.

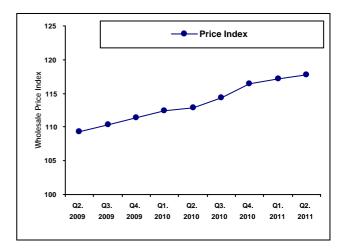
Wholesale Price Index for local consumed products (2007=100) reached 119.76 in the second quarter 2011, which indicates an increase by 0.60% compared to the first quarter 2011.

The changes of the Wholesale Price Index for second quarter is traced back to changes in the prices of the following major activities compared to the previous quarter:

Major Groups	%Change
Agriculture goods:	+ 0.33 %
Fishing:	+ 0.23 %
Mining and quarrying:	- 0.77 %
Manufacturing group:	+ 0.74%

¹ The resale (sale without transformation) of new and used goods to retailers, industrial, commercial, institutional or professional users, to other wholesalers, or to those acting as agents or brokers in buying merchandise for, or selling merchandise to such persons or companies. The wholesale price includes VAT and any transport charges.

The trend line for the wholesale price index in the Palestinian Territory, for the period: second quarter 2009 - second quarter 2011 (Base year 2007=100)



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