



Palestinian Producer Price Index, Increase in the PPI during May,05/ 2014

The overall Producer Price¹ Index (PPI) for Palestine with its base year (2011=100) reached 102.57 in May 2014, as it increased by 1.20% compared to April 2014.

Producer Price Index for locally consumed products (2011=100) reached 102.57 in May 2014, which indicates an increase by 1.33% compared to April 2014.

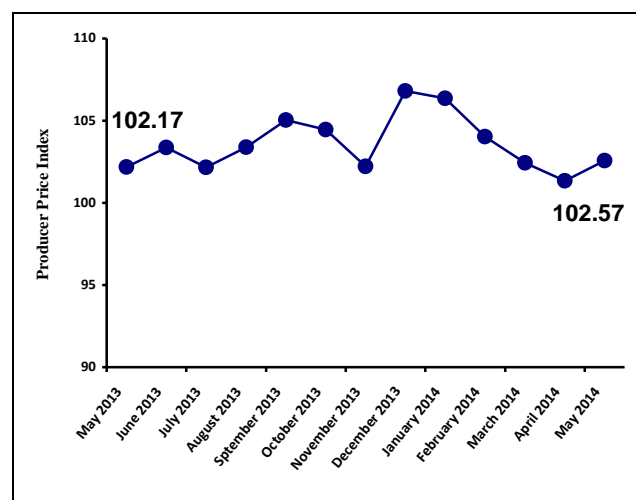
Producer Price Index for exported products (2011=100) reached 102.57 in May 2014, which indicates a slight decrease by 0.02% compared to April 2014.

The changes of Producer Price Index for May 2014 were traced back to changes in prices of the following major activities compared to the previous month:

Major Groups	Change
Agriculture goods:	+ 3.47%
Manufacturing group:	+ 0.03%
Fishing:	- 6.04%
Mining and quarrying:	0.00%

¹ 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.

The trend line for the Producer Price Index in Palestine, for the period: May 2013 - May 2014 (Base Year 2011=100)



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