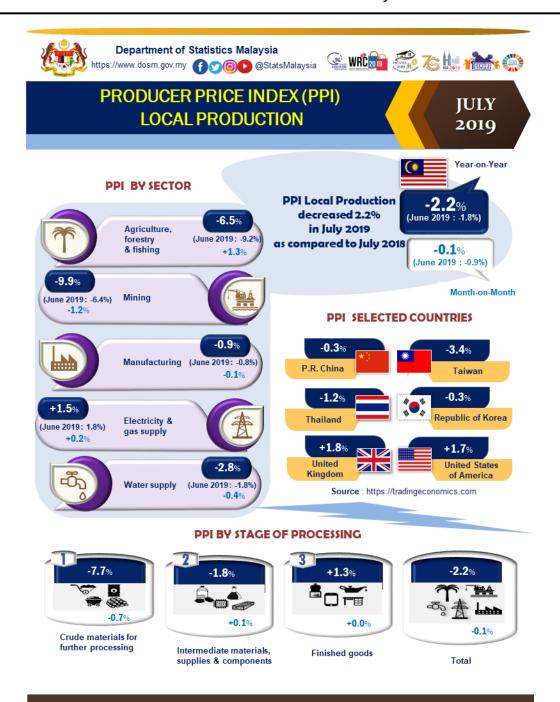


PRODUCER PRICE INDEX MALAYSIA JULY 2019



Source: Producer Price Index Local Production (2010=100) July 2019, Department of Statistics Malaysia

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (2010=100) BY SECTOR (MSIC 2008)

The Producer Price Index (PPI) local production decreased 2.2 per cent in July 2019 as compared to the same month of the preceding year. The Mining index showed the highest decline at 9.9 per cent, followed by Agriculture, forestry & fishing (-6.5%), Water supply (-2.8%) and Manufacturing (-0.9%) indices. Meanwhile, the index of Electricity & gas supply edged up by 1.5 per cent.

As compared to the previous month, the PPI local production declined 0.1 per cent in July 2019. The index of Mining registered the highest rate of decline at 1.2 per cent, followed by Water supply (-0.4%) and Manufacturing (-0.1%) indices. In contrast, Agriculture, forestry & fishing and Electricity & gas supply indices increased 1.3 per cent and 0.2 per cent respectively. The PPI local production for the period of January to July 2019 registered a decrease of 2.0 per cent as compared to the same period last year.

Table 1: Producer Price Index (2010=100) Local Production by Sector (MSIC 2008), Malaysia

			Index	Year	-on-Year	Percenta	ge Change Month-on-Month			
Sector	Code	Weights	July 2019	May 2019/ May 2018	June 2019/ June 2018	July 2019/ July 2018	May 2019/ Apr 2019	June 2019/ May 2019	July 2019/ June 2019	
Total		100.000	104.4	-1.5	-1.8	-2.2	0.2	-0.9	-0.1	
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	Α	6.730	91.1	-12.8	-9.2	-6.5	-1.6	1.1	1.3	
Mining	В	7.927	99.3	-0.4	-6.4	-9.9	2.7	-8.7	-1.2	
Manufacturing	с	81.571	105.7	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	0.1	-0.3	-0.1	
Electricity & gas supply	D	3.442	118.0	1.2	1.8	1.5	0.1	-0.2	0.2	
Water supply	E	0.330	111.4	-2.3	-1.8	-2.8	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX BY STAGE OF PROCESSING

In July 2019, the PPI local production by stage of processing (SOP) declined 2.2 per cent. The decrease was attributed by Crude materials for further processing (-7.7%) and Intermediate materials, supplies & components (-1.8%) indices. Conversely, the index of Finished goods rose 1.3 per cent.

On a monthly basis, the PPI local production by SOP for July 2019 decreased 0.1 per cent. This was due to the index of Crude materials for further processing (-0.7%). On the other hand, the index of Intermediate materials, supplies & components increased 0.1 per cent while the Finished goods index was unchanged.

Table 2: Producer Price Index (2010=100), Local Production by Stage of Processing

			Index	Percentago Year-on-Year			e Change Month-on-Month			
Stage of Processing	Code	Weights	July 2019	May 2019/ May 2018	June 2019/ June 2018	July 2019/ July 2018	May 2019/ Apr 2019	June 2019/ May 2019	July 2019/ June 2019	
Total		100.000	104.4	-1.5	-1.8	-2.2	0.2	0.9	-0.1	
Crude materials for further processing	1	16.410	103.7	-5.0	-7.0	-7.7	0.2	-3.8	-0.7	
Intermediate materials, supplies and components	2	56.119	105.9	-0.8	-1.4	-1.8	0.2	-0.8	0.1	
Finished goods	3	27.471	101.5	0.1	1.3	1.3	0.4	0.4	0.0	

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