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Prices statistics

Indices of producer prices of agricultural and fishing products in Republic of Serbia, March 2013

Producer prices of agricultural and fishing products in March 2013 in relation to February 2013 increased by 3.4% on average. Prices in March 2013 increased by 17.3% in relation to March 2012.

Observed by main product groups in February 2013 in relation to the previous month, the significant rise in prices was noted in the groups Cereals (6.4%) and Industrial crops (4.3%). The significant fall in prices was noted in the groups Potatoes (-7.5%), Fruit (-6.9%), Fresh Fish (-2.7%) and Animals (-1.6%).

Prices of other products didn't change significantly.

Indices of producers' prices of products of agriculture and fishing

 Republic of Serbia¹⁾

	$\frac{\text{III 2013}}{\text{III 2012}}$	$\frac{\text{III 2013}}{\text{II 2013}}$	$\frac{\text{III 2013}}{\text{Ø 2012}}$	$\frac{\text{I-III 2013}}{\text{Ø 2012}}$	$\frac{\text{I-III 2013}}{\text{I-III 2012}}$	$\frac{\text{III 2013}}{\text{XII 2012}}$
<i>By sectors</i>						
Agriculture and fishing	117.3	103.4	109.5	108.2	118.7	102.4
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Crop production	123.4	104.8	115.9	112.9	126.2	107.1
Fruit growing and viticulture	115.2	93.1	103.4	108.2	119.0	96.6
Livestock breeding	109.8	99.2	101.8	104.1	112.4	97.4
Domestic processing	101.3	102.0	107.4	104.5	104.4	106.6
Fishing	118.9	97.3	109.0	110.3	122.5	105.6
<i>By groups of product, total</i>						
Cereals	125.6	106.4	117.9	115.3	126.5	102.8
Wheat	120.5	96.8	107.2	113.0	128.9	89.1
Maize	122.1	92.0	103.0	113.1	135.5	88.6
Industrial crops	107.0	104.3	101.6	99.9	123.4	102.4
Potatoes	225.5	99.0	161.0	153.0	187.2	108.9
Vegetables	113.5	99.0	113.4	108.6	113.8	118.8
Fruit	115.2	93.1	103.4	108.2	119.0	96.6
Animals	108.7	98.4	94.2	98.1	112.6	93.6
Cattle	99.2	99.4	93.8	95.8	102.3	95.1
Pigs	111.3	97.6	91.9	98.2	116.7	90.3
Poultry	115.5	101.8	105.9	101.6	114.2	108.5
Animal products	110.8	100.0	108.6	109.2	112.2	99.6
Milk	112.2	100.1	108.9	109.4	112.6	99.6
Eggs	84.0	101.4	103.3	103.7	100.0	102.0

¹⁾ Starting from 1999 the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia has not at disposal and may not provide available certain data relative to Kosovo and Metohia and therefore these data are not included in the coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).

Methodological explanations

The aim of the survey is the calculation of average prices and indices of producer prices of agricultural and fishing products. Average prices of agricultural and fishing products are calculated based on quantities and values of purchased and sold products, obtained from the Trade Statistics and Agricultural Statistics. Starting from 2013, indices of producer prices of agricultural and fishing products shall be calculated according to the new methodology that is harmonized with the European standards.

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