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Prices statistics

Indices of producer prices of agricultural and fishing products, August 2018

Producer prices of agricultural and fishing products in August 2018 in relation to July 2018 were decreased by 0.6% on average. Prices in August 2018 were decreased by 6.8% in relation to August 2017.

Observed by main product groups in July 2018 in relation to the previous month, the fall in prices was noted in the groups Fruit (-7.5%), Industrial crops (-7.0%) and Potatoes (-2.4%). The rise in prices was noted in the groups Vegetables (5.1%) and Cereals (4.1%).

Prices of other products weren't significantly changed.

Indices of producers' prices of products of agriculture and fishing

 Republic of Serbia¹⁾

	$\frac{\text{VIII 2018}}{\text{VIII 2017}}$	$\frac{\text{VIII 2018}}{\text{VII 2018}}$	$\frac{\text{VIII 2018}}{\text{Ø 2017}}$	$\frac{\text{I-VIII 2018}}{\text{Ø 2017}}$	$\frac{\text{I-VIII 2018}}{\text{I-VIII 2017}}$	$\frac{\text{VIII 2018}}{\text{XII 2017}}$
<i>By sectors</i>						
Agriculture and fishing	93.2	99.4	94.6	98.0	98.2	93.7
Agriculture	93.2	99.4	94.7	98.0	98.2	93.8
Crop production	94.0	100.3	94.7	99.2	99.9	93.2
Fruit growing and viticulture	70.8	92.5	72.9	82.8	82.6	71.5
Livestock breeding	96.5	99.6	98.9	99.6	99.2	98.8
Domestic processing	104.5	100.5	105.0	103.4	104.7	103.4
Fishing	86.2	98.3	86.3	93.2	98.8	83.5
<i>By groups of product, total</i>						
Cereals	98.2	104.1	98.6	98.9	99.9	96.6
Wheat	98.9	105.7	98.8	97.0	97.9	96.7
Maize	95.7	98.4	97.4	101.6	102.6	96.2
Industrial crops	83.2	93.0	84.6	96.4	96.6	84.3
Potatoes	150.9	97.6	143.0	125.1	135.4	119.4
Vegetables	128.0	105.1	125.3	121.4	117.9	124.5
Fruit	70.8	92.5	72.9	82.8	82.6	71.5
Animals	91.0	99.9	97.0	96.0	95.0	99.4
Cattle	113.0	101.2	113.0	103.7	103.4	113.8
Pigs	81.2	98.8	89.8	90.9	89.3	92.4
Poultry	90.0	104.0	93.9	99.6	100.8	96.5
Animal products	103.4	99.2	101.0	103.0	103.2	98.1
Milk	104.7	99.9	103.0	104.2	105.2	98.4
Eggs	96.5	99.8	86.9	92.6	88.5	92.2

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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