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FOR MALAYSIA PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (PPI) LOCAL PRODUCTION
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PPI for local production increased 10.6% in April 2021

PUTRAJAYA, 31st May 2021 – Department of Statistics, Malaysia has released the report on Producer Price Index (PPI) local production for April 2021. PPI local production continued to increase with a growth of 10.6 per cent in April 2021, 3.9 point higher than 6.7 per cent recorded last month.

Commenting on the report, Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin, highlighted, "The growth was driven by the Mining index which surged 92.4 per cent from 32.0 per cent in the previous month. The sharp rise was mainly due to a low base effect and continued rise in commodity and raw material prices, as a result of the recovery in global demand and various supply constraints. The Agriculture, forestry & fishing index continued to increase 49.8 per cent as compared to 41.1 per cent in the previous month. Subsequently, Manufacturing and Water supply indices also registered an increase of 3.5 per cent and 1.2 per cent respectively. Meanwhile, Electricity & gas supply index decline 0.8 per cent."

He added that, "On a monthly basis, the PPI local production registered marginal increase of 0.8 per cent in April 2021 as compared to 0.7 per cent in the previous month. All sectors showed a momentum of growth; Agriculture, forestry & fishing (2.8%), Mining (1.2%), Water supply (0.6%), Manufacturing (0.5%) and Electricity & gas supply (0.3%)."

The Department of Statistics Malaysia also reported that for stages of processing, the index of Crude materials for further processing surged to 55.8 per cent in April 2021 as compared to 31.8 per cent recorded in March 2021. The index of Intermediate

materials, supplies & components also increased 4.8 per cent. Meanwhile, Finished goods index recorded negative 0.7 per cent, due to lower price in semiconductor related to electric & electronics components and motor vehicles. However, Finished goods related to food products registered an increase of 3.8 per cent.

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KENYATAAN MEDIA
INDEKS HARGA PENGELUAR (IHPR) PENGELUARAN TEMPATAN MALAYSIA
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IHPR untuk Pengeluaran Tempatan naik 10.6% pada April 2021

PUTRAJAYA, 31 Mei 2021 – Pada hari ini, Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia menerbitkan, Indeks Harga Pengeluar (IHPR) pengeluaran tempatan bagi bulan April 2021. IHPR pengeluaran tempatan terus meningkat dengan pertumbuhan 10.6 peratus pada April 2021, 3.9 mata lebih tinggi daripada 6.7 peratus yang dicatatkan pada bulan lalu.

Mengulas laporan tersebut, Ketua Perangkawan Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin, berkata, "Pertumbuhan ini didorong oleh indeks Perlombongan yang melonjak 92.4 peratus berbanding 32.0 peratus pada bulan sebelumnya. Kenaikan mendadak ini terutamanya disebabkan oleh *low base effect* dan kenaikan berterusan harga komoditi dan bahan mentah akibat pemulihan permintaan global dan pelbagai kekangan penawaran. Indeks Pertanian, perhutanan & perikanan terus meningkat 49.8 peratus berbanding 41.1 peratus pada bulan sebelumnya. Seterusnya, indeks Pembuatan dan Bekalan air mencatatkan kenaikan masing-masing 3.5 peratus dan 1.2 peratus. Sementara itu, indeks Bekalan elektrik dan gas turun 0.8 peratus."

Jelas beliau lagi, "Bagi perbandingan bulanan, IHPR pengeluaran tempatan mencatatkan kenaikan marginal 0.8 peratus pada April 2021 berbanding 0.7 peratus yang dicatatkan pada bulan sebelumnya. Semua sektor menunjukkan momentum pertumbuhan; Pertanian, perhutanan & perikanan (2.8%), Perlombongan (1.2%), Bekalan air (0.6%), Pembuatan (0.5%) dan Bekalan elektrik & gas (0.3%)."

Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia turut melaporkan bagi IHPR pengeluaran tempatan tahun ke tahun mengikut peringkat pemprosesan, indeks Bahan mentah untuk diproseskan selanjutnya melonjak kepada 55.8 peratus pada April 2021 berbanding 31.8 peratus yang dicatatkan pada bulan Mac 2021. Indeks Bahan perantaraan, bekalan & komponen turut meningkat 4.8 peratus. Sementara itu, indeks Barang siap mencatatkan negatif 0.7 peratus disebabkan harga semikonduktor yang lebih rendah yang berkaitan dengan komponen elektrik & elektronik dan kenderaan bermotor. Walau bagaimanapun, barang siap yang berkaitan dengan produk makanan mencatatkan kenaikan sebanyak 3.8 peratus.

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