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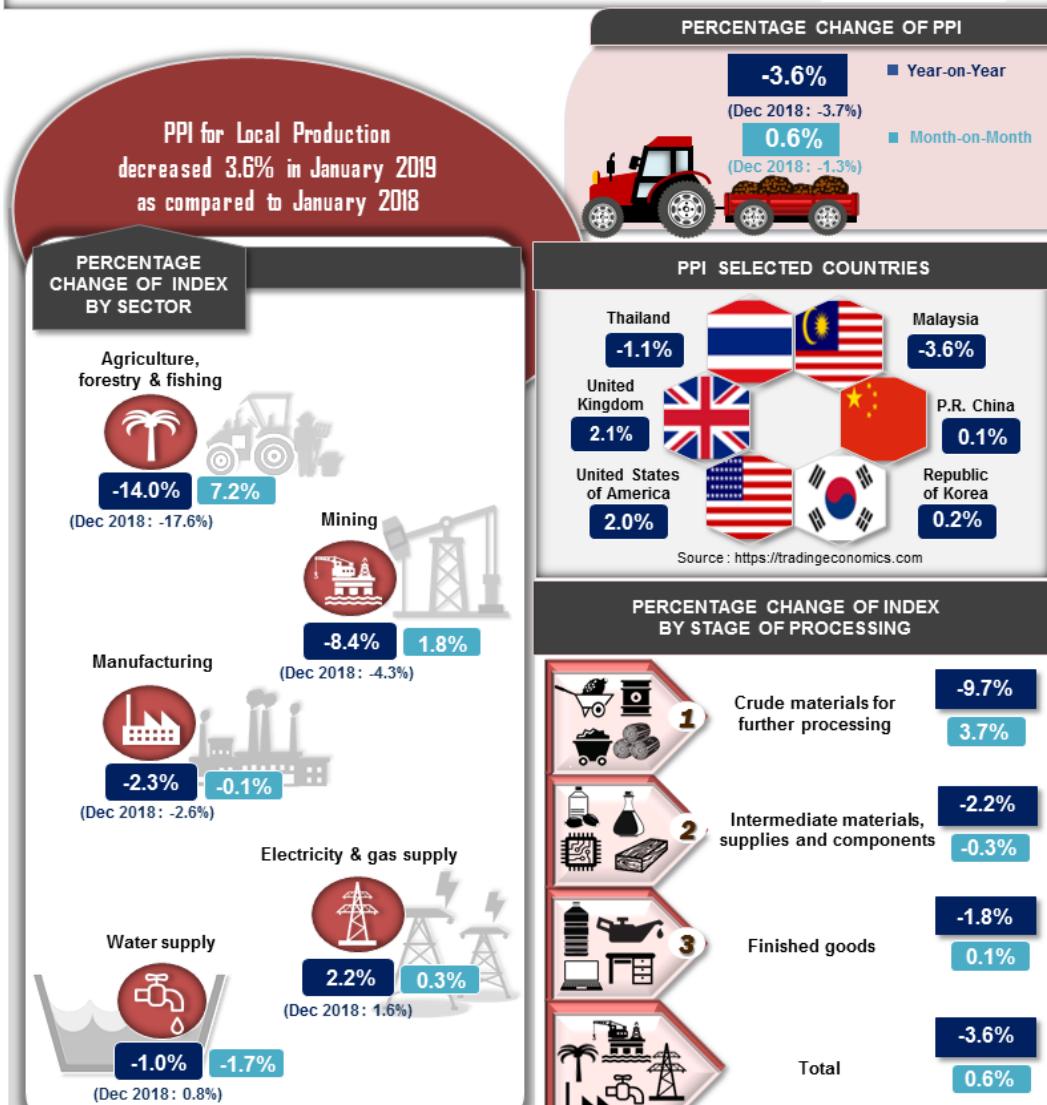


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**PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (PPI)
FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION**

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Source : Producer Price Index Local Production (2010=100), January 2019

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

The Producer Price Index (PPI) for local production decreased 3.6 per cent in January 2019 as compared to the same period of the preceding year. The decline was led by the index of Agriculture, forestry & fishing (-14.0%), Mining (-8.4%), Manufacturing (-2.3%) and Water supply (-1.0%). Meanwhile, the index of Electricity & gas supply edged up by 2.2 per cent.

On monthly basis, the PPI for local production rose 0.6 per cent as compared to 1.3 per cent decline in December 2018. The increase was supported by the index of Agriculture, forestry & fishing (+7.2%), Mining (+1.8%) and Electricity & gas supply (+0.3%). However, the index of Water supply and Manufacturing decreased 1.7 per cent and 0.1 per cent respectively.

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

Sector	Code	Weights	Jan 2019	Index		Percentage Change		Month-on-Month		
				Nov 2018/ Nov 2017	Dec 2018/ Dec 2017	Jan 2019/ Jan 2018	Nov 2018/ Oct 2018	Dec 2018/ Nov 2018	Jan 2019/ Dec 2018	
Total		100.000	104.4	-2.9	-3.7	-3.6	-2.8	-1.3	0.6	
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	A	6.730	94.7	-22.7	-17.6	-14.0	-6.4	0.9	7.2	
Mining	B	7.927	95.3	4.5	-4.3	-8.4	-16.4	-8.9	1.8	
Manufacturing	C	81.571	105.9	-1.8	-2.6	-2.3	-0.7	-0.7	-0.1	
Electricity & gas supply	D	3.442	116.6	1.2	1.6	2.2	0.3	0.1	0.3	
Water supply	E	0.330	113.0	-0.1	0.8	-1.0	0.5	0.6	-1.7	

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX BY STAGE OF PROCESSING

In January 2019, the PPI for local production at all stage of processing showed a decline as compared to the same month last year. Index of Crude materials for further processing registered the highest rate of decline at 9.7 per cent, followed by Intermediate materials, supplies & components (-2.2%) and Finished goods (-1.8%).

As compared to the previous month, the PPI for local production of Crude materials for further processing rose 3.7 per cent, while Finished goods increased 0.1 per cent. On the other hand, Intermediate materials, supplies & components declined 0.3 per cent.

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

Stage of Processing	Code	Weights	Jan 2019	Index		Percentage Change		Month-on-Month	
				Year-on-Year	Nov 2018/ Nov 20178	Dec 2018/ Dec 2017	Jan 2019/ Jan 2018	Nov 2018/ Oct 2018	Dec 2018/ Nov 2018
Total		100.000	104.4	-2.9	-3.7	-3.6	-2.8	-1.3	0.6
Crude materials for further processing	1	16.410	102.9	-6.9	-9.9	-9.7	-10.9	-5.5	3.7
Intermediate materials, supplies and components	2	56.119	106.5	-1.5	-2.3	-2.2	-0.6	-0.7	-0.3
Finished goods	3	27.471	101.0	-2.6	-1.9	-1.8	-0.9	0.7	0.1

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