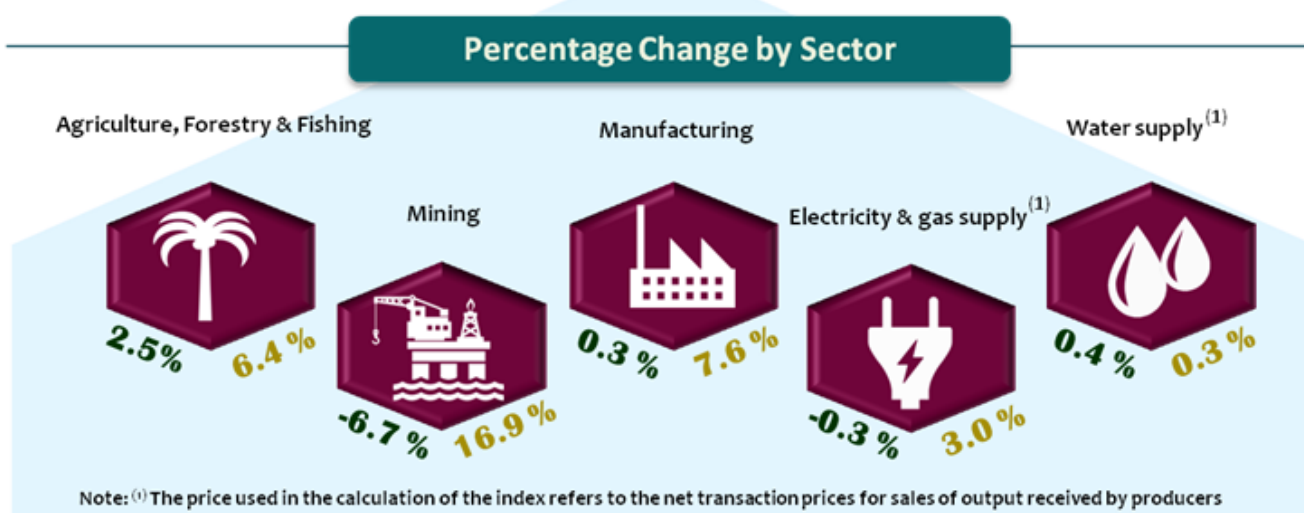
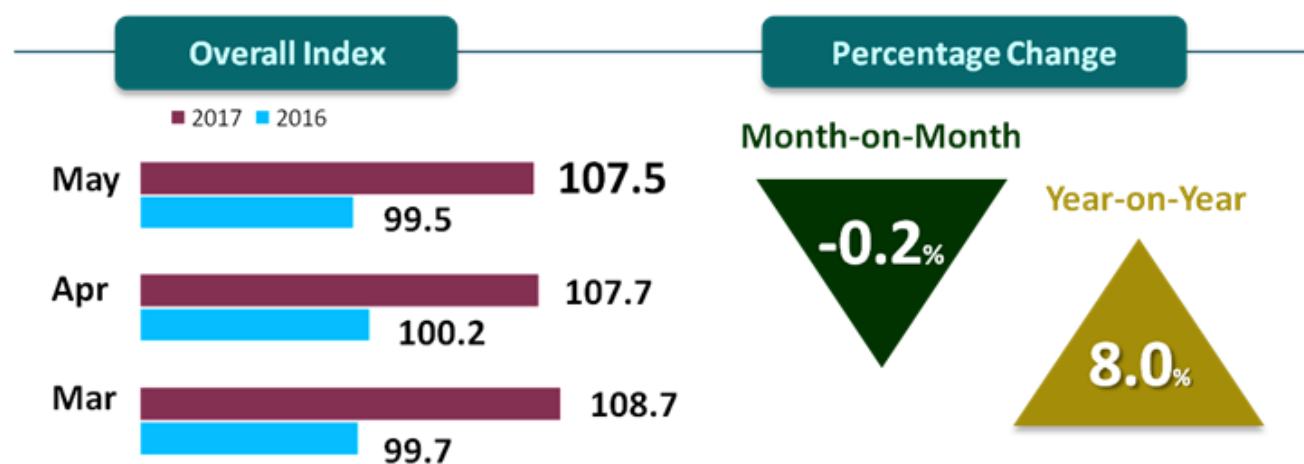




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PRODUCER PRICE INDEX MALAYSIA MAY 2017

PPI for Local Production increased 8.0% in May 2017 compared to May 2016



Source: Producer Price Index Local Production (2010=100), May 2017

Producer Price Index (2010=100) by Sector (MSIC 2008)

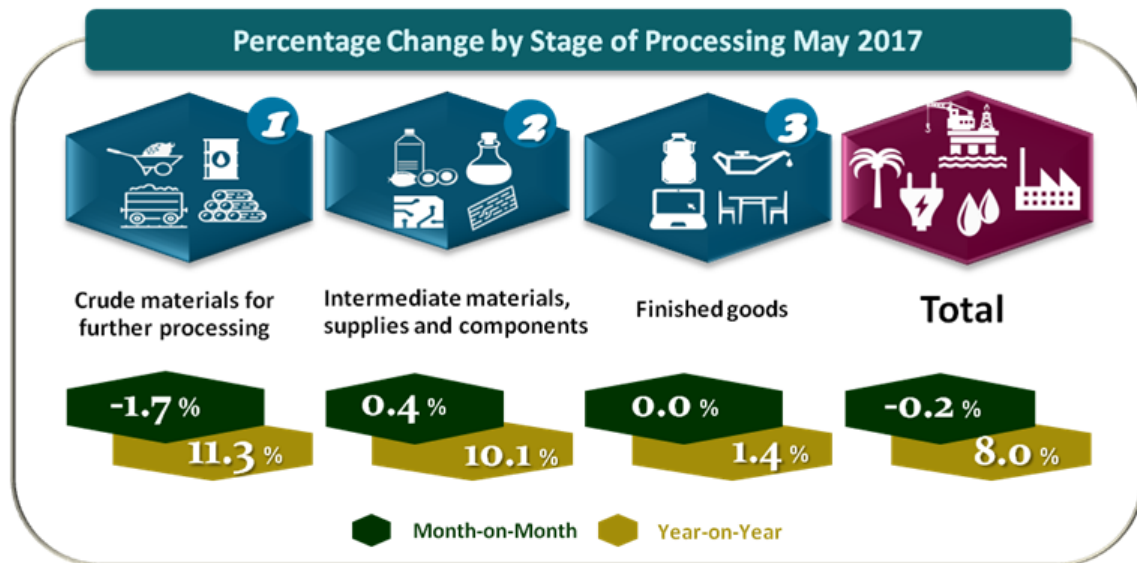
Year-on-year comparison showed that the Producer Price Index (PPI) for local production increased 8.0 per cent in May 2017. The highest increase was recorded by Mining index (+16.9%) followed by Manufacturing (+7.6%), Agriculture, forestry & fishing (+6.4%), Electricity & gas supply (+3.0%) and Water supply (+0.3%).

The PPI for local production declined by 0.2 per cent in May 2017 compared to April 2017. This was due to decreases in two sectors namely, Mining (-6.7%) and Electricity & gas supply (-0.3%). However, Agriculture, forestry & fishing inclined (+2.5%), Water supply (+0.4%) and Manufacturing (+0.3%). [Table I]

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

Sector	Code	Weights	Index	Percentage Change Month-on-Month			Percentage Change Year-on-Year		
			May 2017	Mar 2017/ Feb 2016	April 2017/ Mar 2017	May 2017/ April 2017	Mar 2017/ Mar 2016	April 2017/ April 2016	May 2017/ May 2016
Total		100.0	107.5	▼ -1.5	▼ -0.9	▼ -0.2	▲ 9.0	▲ 7.5	▲ 8.0
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	A	8.2	112.7	▼ -8.5	▼ -6.1	▲ 2.5	▲ 13.8	▲ 4.0	▲ 6.4
Mining	B	9.7	85.1	▼ -2.6	▼ -1.0	▼ -6.7	▲ 33.3	▲ 32.0	▲ 16.9
Manufacturing	C	78.8	109.4	▼ -0.7	▼ -0.5	▲ 0.3	▲ 6.7	▲ 5.9	▲ 7.6
Electricity & gas supply	D	3.1	114.2	▲ 0.3	▼ -0.3	▼ -0.3	▲ 3.3	▲ 4.2	▲ 3.0
Water supply	E	0.3	114.5	▲ 1.0	▲ 0.1	▲ 0.4	▲ 1.0	▼ -1.0	▲ 0.3

Producer Price Index by Stage of Processing



Source: Producer Price Index Local Production (2010=100), May 2017



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The PPI for local production by stage of processing (SOP) declined 0.2 per cent in May 2017 compared to the previous month. This decline was due to a decrease in the index for Crude materials for further processing (-1.7%). Meanwhile, the index for intermediate materials, supplies and components recorded an increase of 0.4 per cent and the index for Finished goods remained unchanged.

As compared with the same month a year ago, the PPI for local production by SOP for May 2017 increased 8.0 per cent. This was due to increases in index for Crude materials for further processing (+11.3%), Intermediate materials, supplies and components (+10.1%) and Finished goods (+1.4%). [Table II]

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

Stage of Processing	Code	Weights	Index	Percentage Change Month-on-Month			Percentage Change Year-on-Year		
			May 2017	Mar 2017/ Feb 2016	April 2017/ Mar 2017	May 2017/ April 2017	Mar 2017/ Mar 2016	April 2017/ April 2016	May 2017/ May 2016
Total		100.0	107.5	▼ -1.5	▼ -0.9	▼ -0.2	▲ 9.0	▲ 7.5	▲ 8.0
Crude materials for further processing	1	20.3	104.3	▼ -6.1	▼ -1.9	▼ -1.7	▲ 21.2	▲ 17.8	▲ 11.3
Intermediate materials, supplies and components	2	53.6	110.5	▼ -0.7	▼ -1.0	▲ 0.4	▲ 8.6	▲ 6.9	▲ 10.1
Finished goods	3	26.1	103.8	▲ 0.3	▼ -0.1	◀ 0.0	▲ 1.5	▲ 1.4	▲ 1.4

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