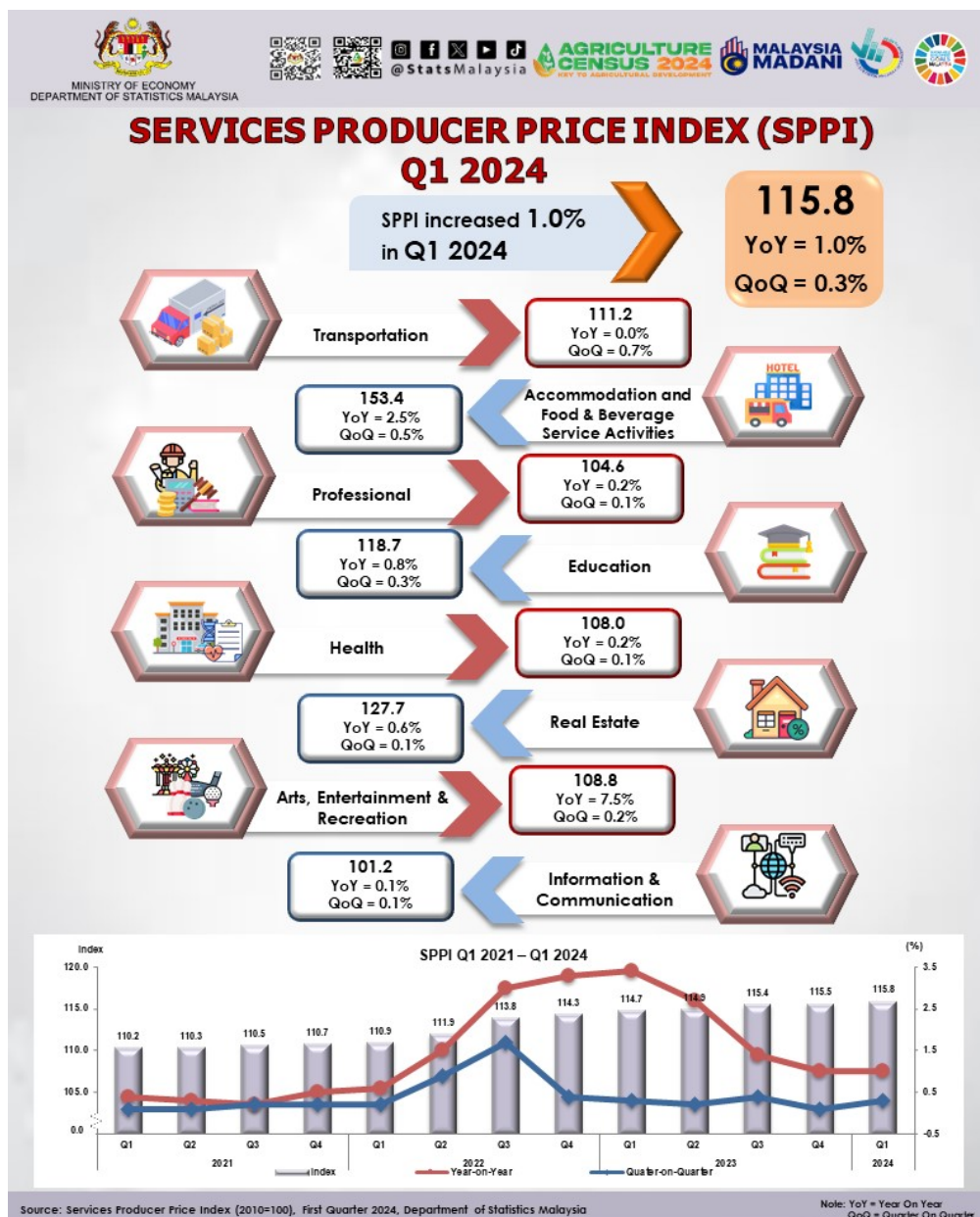




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SERVICES PRODUCER PRICE INDEX, FIRST QUARTER 2024



SERVICES PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (2010=100)

FIRST QUARTER 2024

- The Services Producer Price Index (SPPI) averaged 115.8 points in the first quarter of 2024, an increase of 1.0 per cent same as recorded in the fourth quarter of 2023.
- All subsectors recorded an increase in this quarter except Transportation which remained unchanged. Arts, Entertainment & Recreation subsector rose by 7.5 per cent (Q4 2023: 5.5%) attributed to the increase in the Other Amusement & Recreation Activities (2.1%). Accommodation and Food & Beverage Service Activities went up by 2.5 per cent (Q4 2023: 3.4%) due to increases in Beverage Service Activities (3.3%) and Restaurants & Mobile Food Service Activities (2.8%). In the meantime, the other subsectors that recorded slight increases were Education (0.8%) and Real Estate Activities (0.6%). Meanwhile, both Health and Professional indices inclined by 0.2 per cent, followed by Information & Communication by 0.1 per cent.
- On a quarter-on-quarter basis comparison showed that SPPI increased by 0.3 per cent as compared to 0.1 per cent recorded in the previous quarter.
- The increase was contributed by Transportation (0.7%), Accommodation and Food & Beverage Service Activities (0.5%), Education (0.3%) and Arts, Entertainment & Recreation (0.2%). In the meantime, other subsectors, Real Estate Activities, Health, Information & Communication and Professional indices recorded an increase of 0.1 per cent respectively.

Table 1: Services Producer Price Index (2010=100), First Quarter 2024

Subsector	Index		Percentage Change (%)		
	Q1 2023	Q4 2023	Q1 2024	Q1 2024/ Q4 2023	Q1 2024/ Q1 2023
TOTAL	114.7	115.5	115.8	0.3	1.0
Transportation	111.2	110.4	111.2	0.7	0.0
Accommodation and Food & Beverage Service Activities	149.6	152.7	153.4	0.5	2.5
Information & Communication	101.1	101.1	101.2	0.1	0.1
Real Estate Activities	126.9	127.6	127.7	0.1	0.6
Professional	104.4	104.5	104.6	0.1	0.2
Education	117.8	118.4	118.7	0.3	0.8
Health	107.8	107.9	108.0	0.1	0.2
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	101.2	108.6	108.8	0.2	7.5

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