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PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (GOODS)

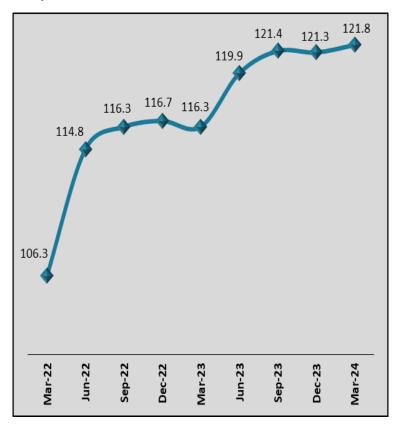
March Quarter 2024

[Base: Average 4 quarters 2019 = 100.0]

The Producer Price Index (Goods) measures the average change over time in the prices received by domestic producers of goods, that is, the prices of goods as and when they leave the factory or the producers' premises. Information contained in this release are used to estimate Gross Domestic Product at Constant Prices.

The PPI (Goods) survey covers the following industries; Mining & Quarrying, Manufacturing, Electricity and Water.

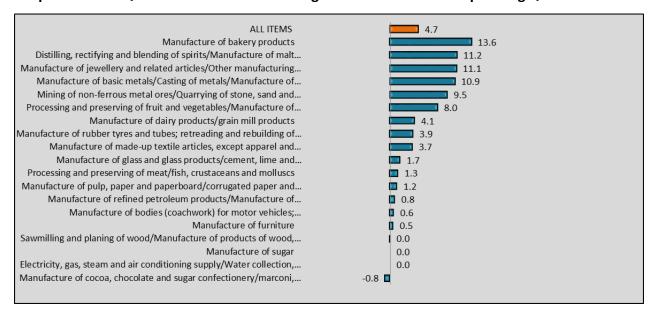




Key Facts

- The All Items PPI (Goods) index stood at 121.8 for the March quarter of 2024, representing an increase of 4.7 percent and 0.4 percent when compared to the previous corresponding and previous quarter respectively.
- The movement of the "All Items" index is largely influenced by the following;
 - 1) Manufacture of jewellery and related articles/Other manufacturing not elsewhere specified/Repair of machinery/Repair of electronic and optical equipment/electrical equipment which rose by 7.6%;
- 2) Manufacture of basic metals/Casting of metals/Manufacture of structural metal products, tanks, reservoirs and steam generators/other fabricated metal products; metalworking service activities which rose by 4.8%; and
- 3) Manufacture of dairy products/grain mill products which rose by 1.0%.

Graph 2: March Quarter 2024 - Percent Change Over Previous Corresponding Quarter



Please find attached the following:

Table 1: 2019 Base Yearly & Quarterly PPI series.

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The Producer Price Index for June Quarter 2024 will be released on 17th September, 2024.

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Table 1

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX [Base: Average 4 quarters 2019 = 100.0]

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FSIC	Description		Yearly				Quarterly												
		Weights						Jun	Sep	Dec	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Mar	Jun	un Sep	Dec	Mar
			2019 [p]	2020 [p] 2	2021 [p] 2	2022 [p] 2	2023 [p]	2021 [p] 2	2021 [p] 2	2021 [p]	2022 [p] 2	2022 [p]	2022 [p] :	2022 [p] 2	2023 [p] 2	2023 [p] :	2023 [p] 2	2023 [p] :	2024 [p]
0729/0810/0899	Mining of non-ferrous metal ores/Quarrying of stone, sand and clay/Mining and quarrying nec	51.1	100.0	121.2	121.8	128.3	138.7	122.0	119.5	123.5	125.1	130.9	128.5	128.6	131.5	141.1	139.5	142.7	144.0
1010/1020	Processing and preserving of meat/fish, crustaceans and molluscs	101.1	100.0	99.1	97.5	115.1	120.4	99.3	98.0	93.5	106.2	118.1	118.1	118.1	119.1	120.3	121.0	121.2	120.6
1030/1040	Processing and preserving of fruit and vegetables/Manufacture of vegetable and animal oils and fats	10.3	100.0	98.0	102.2	114.1	130.9	100.3	104.6	104.6	104.4	114.6	118.8	118.8	122.0	137.4	132.4	131.8	131.8
1050/1061	Manufacture of dairy products/grain mill products	85.6	100.0	98.7	100.5	106.8	112.7	100.0	101.6	101.6	101.9	108.3	108.2	108.8	108.8	115.6	114.2	112.2	113.3
1071	Manufacture of bakery products	36.8	100.0	106.6	106.5	116.3	131.1	106.6	106.6	106.6	107.1	119.1	119.4	119.4	119.4	134.5	135.0	135.6	135.6
1072	Manufacture of sugar	48.9	100.0	100.4	100.1	119.3	120.0	100.7	99.9	99.1	118.3	118.8	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0
1073/1074/1079/1080	Manufacture of cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery/marconi, noodles, couscous and similar farinaceous products/other food products n.e.c./prepared animal feeds	26.2	100.0	99.3	103.4	107.5	105.7	99.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.8	106.8	105.0	105.4	105.6	105.9
1101/1103/1104/1105	/ Distilling, rectifying and blending of spirits/Manufacture of malt liquors and																		
1200	malt/soft drinks; production of mineral waters and other bottled waters/Pounding and packing of Yaqona (Kava)/Manufacture of tobacco products	168.8	100.0	102.3	102.1	110.8	120.3	101.9	104.0	106.1	99.7	112.0	114.9	116.6	111.1	120.8	124.5	125.0	123.5
1390/1410/1520	Manufacture of made-up textile articles, except apparel and manufacture of cordage, rope, twine and netting /Manufacture of wearing apparel/footwear and leather products	53.0	100.0	104.6	105.7	110.1	112.5	104.7	105.6	107.7	108.7	110.5	110.5	110.7	111.0	110.9	114.0	114.3	115.1
1610/1620	Sawmilling and planning of wood/Manufacture of products of wood, cork, straw and plaiting materials	48.7	100.0	103.2	102.7	107.2	114.6	102.2	102.2	102.2	99.0	109.4	109.4	111.1	114.1	114.1	116.0	114.1	114.1
1701/1702/1709/1811		49.0	100.0	97.4	87.7	95.6	98.3	86.5	86.2	87.4	90.3	97.2	97.2	97.9	97.7	97.7	98.9	98.9	98.9
	/ Manufacture of refined petroleum products/Manufacture of fertilizers and nitrogen compounds/Manufacture of basic chemical, plastics and synthetic rubber/pesticides and other agrochemical products/paints, varnishes and similar coatings, printing ink and mastics/soap and detergents, cleaning and polishing preparations, perfumes and toilet preparations/other chemical products n.e.c./pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemical and botanical products	52.8	100.0	99.8	106.1	133.2	142.3	100.4	110.8	111.9	111.6	138.9	140.8	141.3	141.3	142.6	142.6	142.5	142.5
2211/2220	Manufacture of rubber tyres and tubes; retreading and rebuilding of rubber tyres/plastic products	16.5	100.0	105.9	122.2	121.0	117.9	126.5	123.6	122.5	125.7	124.6	116.8	116.8	116.5	113.3	121.0	121.0	121.0
2310/2394/2395	Manufacture of glass and glass products/cement, lime and plaster/articles of concrete, cement and plaster	28.1	100.0	100.7	101.8	120.3	134.5	99.5	102.4	105.8	104.1	110.2	133.4	133.4	133.4	134.9	134.9	134.9	135.7
2410/2431/2510/2590	Manufacture of basic metals/Casting of metals/Manufacture of structural metal products, tanks, reservoirs and steam generators/other fabricated metal products; metalworking service activities	60.4	100.0	99.1	103.9	121.9	129.8	105.1	105.9	108.3	116.2	121.9	125.5	124.1	125.4	126.2	134.8	132.7	139.1
2920/2930/3010	Manufacture of bodies (coachwork) for motor vehicles; manufacture of trailers and semi-trailers/Manufacture of parts and accessories for motor vehicles/Building of ships and floating structures including building of pleasure and sporting boats	10.0	100.0	101.7	103.4	106.2	106.3	102.7	102.7	105.4	105.7	106.3	106.3	106.3	105.7	106.3	107.0	106.3	106.3
3100	Manufacture of furniture	17.7	100.0	100.5	100.4	107.1	109.6	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.9	109.9	109.9
3210/3299/3312/3313, 3314	/ Manufacture of jewellery and related articles/Other manufacturing not elsewhere specified/Repair of machinery/Repair of electronic and optical	11.0	100.0	107.5	120.9	215.3	247.2	116.8	119.1	130.9	154.2	219.7	243.6	243.6	243.6	243.6	250.0	251.5	270.7
3510/3600	equipment/electrical equipment Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply/Water collection, treatment and supply	124.0	100.0	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2
	All Items Mining & Quarrying	1000.0 51.1	100.0 100.0	102.1 121.2	102.8 121.8	113.5 128.3	119.7 138.7	102.5 122.0	103.6 119.5	104.3 123.5	106.3 125.1	114.8 130.9	116.3 128.5	116.7 128.6	116.3 131.5	119.9 141.1	121.4 139.5	121.3 142.7	121.8 144.0
	Manufacturing Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply/Water collection,	824.9 124.0	100.0	101.0	101.9	114.5	121.4	101.4	103.0	103.5	105.9	115.8 101.2	117.8 101.2	118.3 101.2	117.6	121.4	123.3	123.0 101.2	123.6
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Note: For Technical Notes on Producer Price Index (Goods), please refer to - https://www.statsfiji.gov.fj/component/advlisting/?view=download&format=raw&fileId=6534