

**PRODUCER PRICE INDEX – MANUFACTURING (PPI-M)**  
*(Base year 2013 = 100)*

<b>August 2017</b>	<b>July 2018</b>	<b>August 2018</b>
<b>105.2</b>	<b>108.1</b>	<b>108.3</b>

The Producer Price Index for the manufacturing sector (PPI-M) registered an increase of 0.2 point or 0.2% from July 2018 to August 2018. This increase was mainly due to higher prices in “Other transport equipment” and “Food products and beverages”, partly offset by lower prices of “Printing and reproduction of recorded media”.

Compared to August 2017, the PPI-M for August 2018 was higher by 3.1 points or 2.9%.

It is to be noted that the above figures are provisional.

Revised figures are usually published on a quarterly basis at

<http://statsmauritius.govmu.org/English/StatsbySubj/Pages/Manufacturing.aspx>.

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