

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

<b>August 2020</b>	<b>July 2021</b>	<b>August 2021</b>
<b>115.6</b>	<b>125.9</b>	<b>126.6</b>

The Producer Price Index for the manufacturing sector (PPI-M) registered an increase of 0.7 point or 0.6% from July 2021 to August 2021. This increase was mainly due to higher prices of “Fabricated metal products”, “Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers”, “Rubber and plastic products”, “Printing and reproduction of recorded media”, “Wood and products of wood & cork; articles of straw and plaiting materials/ Paper and paper products” and “Basic metals”, partly offset by lower prices in “Food products and beverages”.

Compared to August 2020, the PPI-M for August 2021 was higher by 11.0 points or 9.5%.

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

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