PRODUCER PRICE INDEX - MANUFACTURING (Base year 2007 = 100)

February 2015	January 2016	February 2016
133.2	135.0	134.1

The Producer Price Index for the manufacturing sector (PPI-M) registered a decrease of 0.9 point or -0.7% from January 2016 to February 2016. This decrease was mainly due to lower prices in "Manufacture of Food products and beverages" and "Manufacture of basic metals".

Compared to February 2015, the PPI-M for February 2016 was higher by 0.9 point or 0.7%.

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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