

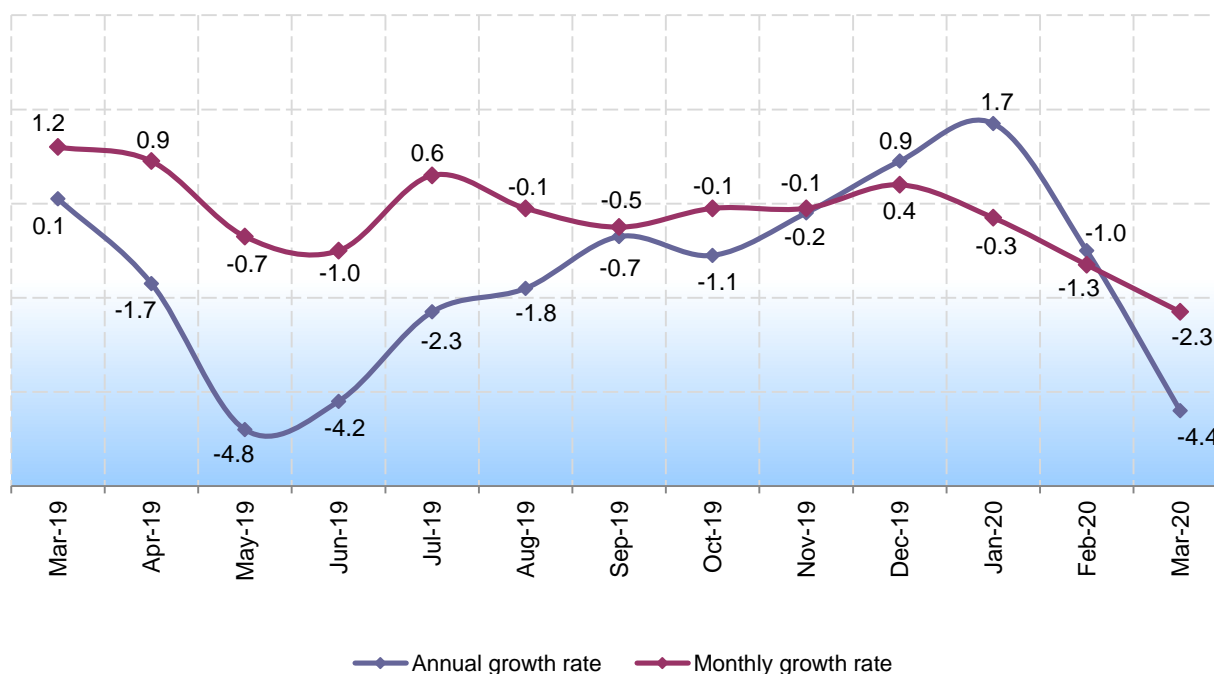
Producer price indices of industrial products for export March 2020^(p)

Producer prices of industrial products for export in Montenegro in March 2020 compared with February of the same year decreased for 2.3%.

Export prices of industrial products for March 2020 compared with the same month of previous year decreased for 4.4%.

Growth rate of producer prices of industrial products for export in period January-March 2020 compared with the same period of previous year is -1.2%.

Graph 1. Growth rate of export prices, in %



- ❖ **Annual growth rate** – change in prices in a month of current year compared with the same month of the previous year, in %.
- ❖ **Monthly growth rate** – change in prices in a month compared with the previous month, in %.

Table 1. Producer price indices of industrial products for export

NACE Rev.2	Name	Mar 2020 Ø 2019	Mar 2020 Feb 2020	Mar 2020 Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2020
	TOTAL	96.1	97.7	95.6	98.8
B	Mining and quarrying	93.2	96.7	91.5	95.0
05	Mining of coal	99.7	103.1	97.7	97.4
07	Mining of metal ores	92.3	96.0	90.5	94.5
08	Other mining and quarrying	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
C	Manufacturing	96.7	97.9	96.3	99.4
10	Manufacture of food products	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9
11	Manufacture of beverages	102.9	105.5	102.8	101.7
12	Manufacture of tobacco products	94.4	100.0	94.4	94.4
14	Manufacture of wearing apparel	100.2	100.0	100.3	100.3
16	Manufacture of wood products, cork and similar	98.4	100.0	98.2	98.8
17	Manufacture of paper and paper products	102.6	101.7	103.0	101.8
20	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	104.8	100.0	100.0	100.0
21	Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and preparations	100.2	100.0	100.3	100.3
22	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
23	Manufacture of other non-metal minerals	100.4	100.0	100.5	100.5
24	Manufacture of basic metals	93.5	94.8	93.0	98.9
28	Manufacture of other machinery and equipment	100.1	100.0	100.1	100.1

Table 2. Special aggregates

BY PURPOSE OF CONSUMPTION	Mar 2020 Ø 2019	Mar 2020 Feb 2020	Mar 2020 Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2020 Jan-Mar 2019
Energy	99.7	103.1	97.7	97.4
Intermediate goods, except energy	94.1	95.8	93.4	98.1
Capital goods	100.1	100.0	100.1	100.1
Non-durable consumer goods	100.9	102.7	100.9	100.4

METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

The methodology by which the indices of producer prices for export are calculated is in line with the methodology for calculating the producer price indices of industrial products for domestic market and it is based on principles and recommendations of international statistics. The aim of this survey is to calculate the overall index of producer prices of industrial products (for domestic and foreign markets) and it is also used as a short-term indicator in macroeconomic analysis and views. This survey is conducted on a representative sample.

This survey includes companies classified in the sections of mining and quarrying and manufacturing of the NACE Rev. 2 classification, with more than five employees that meet the unit of measurement prescribed by the Nomenclature of industrial products per unit of product. It also includes companies classified in other sections of the NACE Rev. 2 classification, which are composed of industrial drives or other organizational forms that are engaged in industrial production. Sample and weights are based on annual industrial survey and foreign trade survey. The most important products from each area are selected for price monitoring, i.e. products with the highest realization on the foreign market, and the selection of producers were made according to their participation in the production of individual products.

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Special aggregates:

Energy – Includes activities of extraction, production, processing and distribution of energy.

Intermediate goods – Include products that are final product of manufacturing process, but can also be used as an input to other production processes.

Capital goods – Include heavy equipment which require relatively large investments, and are purchased for use over a long period of time.

Non-durable consumer goods – Include products for mass consumption, purchased by consumers for daily or frequent use.

Since January 2018, the index reference period for the calculation of Producer price index of industrial products for export is 2015=100. This methodological change is at the same time a request from Eurostat, and it refers to all short-term statistics.

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