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# producer price indices iN 3RDquarter of 2014

**Compared to Q2 2014, agricultural producer prices fell by 6.2% in Q3 2014. In comparison to Q2 2014, prices of market services went down by 0.6% in Q3 2014. In Q3 2014, industrial producer prices increased by 0.2% in compared to the previous quarter. According to an estimate, construction work prices were higher by 0.1%. Prices of agricultural producers and industrial producer prices in Q3 2014 compared to Q3 2013 were both lower by 2.4% and 0.1%, respectively. According to an estimate, construction work prices in Q3 2014 compared to the corresponding period of 2013 were higher by 0.5%. In Q3 2014, prices of market services grew by 1.2% in total compared to Q3 2013.**

Compared to **Q2 2014,** **agricultural producer** prices went down by 6.2% in **Q3 2014**.Prices of fresh vegetables (-16.5%), fruit (-11.8%), cereals (-8.1%) and oil plants (-14.7%) decreased. Among animal products price increases were recorded in pigs for slaughter (+6.7%), poultry (+0.6%) and cattle for slaughter (+0.5%). Prices of milk (-3.0%) and eggs (-7.7%) went down.

Prices of **agricultural producers** in **Q3 2014** compared to **Q3 2013** were lower by 2.4%. Prices of crop products fell by 9.2%. Animal products increased (+6.1%). Lower prices in crop products were mainly affected by prices of potatoes (-35.2%), cereals (-8.0%), oil plants (-7.9%), fresh vegetables (-16.4%) and fruit (-14.3%). Prices of animal products were higher due to price growth of milk (+12.8%), eggs (+8.1%) and pigs for slaughter (+1.5%). On the decrease were prices of poultry (-2.3%).

**In comparison with Q2 2014,** prices of **industrial producers** increased by 0.2% in Q3 2014. Prices went up the most in ‘coke, refined petroleum products’ and ‘chemicals and chemical products’ (+1.0% both). Prices went down in ‘food products, beverages, tobacco’ (-0.3%), ‘mining and quarrying’ (-0.2%), ‘rubber and plastic products, other non-metallic mineral products’ (-0.1%).

Prices of **industrial producers** decreased by 0.1% in **Q3 2014 y-o-y** (-0.2% in Q2 2014). Prices went down in ‘electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning’ (-8.7%) and ‘mining and quarrying’ (-2.8%) and ‘basic pharmaceutical products’ (-1.3%). Prices were lower in ‘food products, beverages, tobacco’ (-0.5%). Prices rose the most in ‘wood, wood products, paper, printing’ (+4.3%), ‘transport equipment’ (+4.2%) and ‘basic metals, fabricated metal products’ (+3.1%). Prices increased in ‘chemicals and chemical products’ (+3.0%) and ‘coke, refined petroleum products’ (+1.2%).

According to an estimate, **construction work** prices in **Q3 2014** compared to **Q2 2014** (after specification) were higher by 0.1%; prices of construction material input increased by 0.3%.

According to an estimate, **construction work** prices **in Q3 2014** **compared to the corresponding period of 2013** (after specification) increased by 0.5%, prices of construction material input grew by 1.5%.

**In comparison to Q2 2014,** prices of **market services** decreased by 0.6% in **Q3 2014**. Lower were especially prices of ‘advertising and market research services’ (-10.0%). Increasing were prices in ‘financial services, except insurance and pension funding’ (+2.8%), prices of ‘architectural and engineering services’ (+0.8%) and prices of ‘land transport services and transport services via pipelines’ (+0.2%). Prices of market services excluding advertising services were higher by 0.3%.

**In Q3 2014,** prices of **market services** grew by 1.2% in total compared to **Q3 2013**.Price increases were recorded for ‘postal and courier services’ (+3.0%), ‘financial services, except insurance and pension funding’ (+5.8%) and ‘insurance services’ (+2.7%). Higher prices were also in ‘land transport services and transport services via pipelines’ (+2.6%) and ‘warehousing and support services for transportation’ (+1.7%). Prices of ‘advertising and market research services’ were lower by 3.1%. Prices of market services excluding advertising services grew by 1.5%.

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