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6.3% the average decrease of the producer's prices index for November 2019 compared with the same month of 2018

The monthly report issued by the Department of Statistics indicates a decrease in the producer's prices index for November 2019 to reach 117.3 against 125.2 for the same month of 2018 recorded a decrease by 6.3%. This mainly was a result of a decrease in the price of the manufacturing Industries by 5.66 percentage points with a relative importance of 86.0% and the price of quarrying production by 0.71 percentage points with a relative importance of 8.2% .Meanwhile, there was an increase in the price of electricity production by 0.12 percentage points with a relative importance of 5.8%.

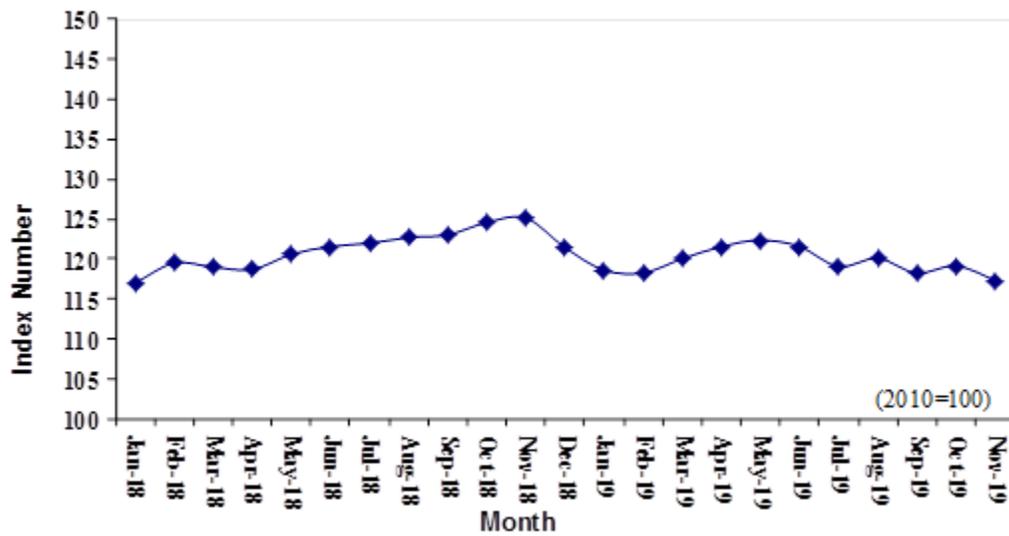
The report indicates a decrease in the producer's prices index for November 2019 to reach 117.3 against 119.2 compared with the previous month (October) of 2019 leading a decrease by 1.5%. This has resulted mainly from a decrease in the price of the manufacturing Industries by 1.24 percentage points with a relative importance of 86.0% , quarrying production by 0.22 percentage points with a relative importance of 8.2% and the price of electricity production by 0.08 percentage points with a relative importance of 5.8%.

During the first eleven months of 2019 we notice that, there was a decrease in the producer's prices index to reach 119.66 against 121.25 for the same period of 2018 to record a decrease by 1.3%.This mainly has resulted from a decrease in the price of manufacturing production by 1.80 percentage points with a relative importance of 86.0% and the price of electricity production by 0.09 percentage points with a relative importance of 5.8%. Meanwhile there was an increase in the price of the quarrying

Industries by 0.58 percentage points with a relative importance of 8.2%.

The following figure shows the trend of the producer's prices index for 2018 and 2019

Fig 1: The PPI Index Number by months for 2018& 2019



**The monthly and accumulative average change of the producer's prices index during
2018 and 2019**

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Year												
Monthly 2018	0.6	2.2	-0.4	-0.3	1.6	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.3	1.3	0.5	-3.0
Monthly 2019	-2.3	-1.0	1.5	1.3	0.5	-0.6	-2.1	0.8	-1.6	0.4	-1.5	
Accumulative 2019	1.4	0.2	0.4	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-1.3	