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Summary

This is the monthly publication of the Producer Price Index (PPI) for August 2026. Please note that the sample, weights, and methodology used to compile the PPI were updated starting with the November 2025 index. The index has also been updated, with 2024 = 100. Rates of change for periods prior to November 2025 have not been revised; however, minor differences from previously published indices may occur at the first decimal place due to rounding.

On annual basis:

- General Producer Price Index increased by 21.1 percent,
- Local Producer Price Index increased by 18.9 percent,
- Export Producer Price Index increased by 25.1 percent.

On monthly basis:

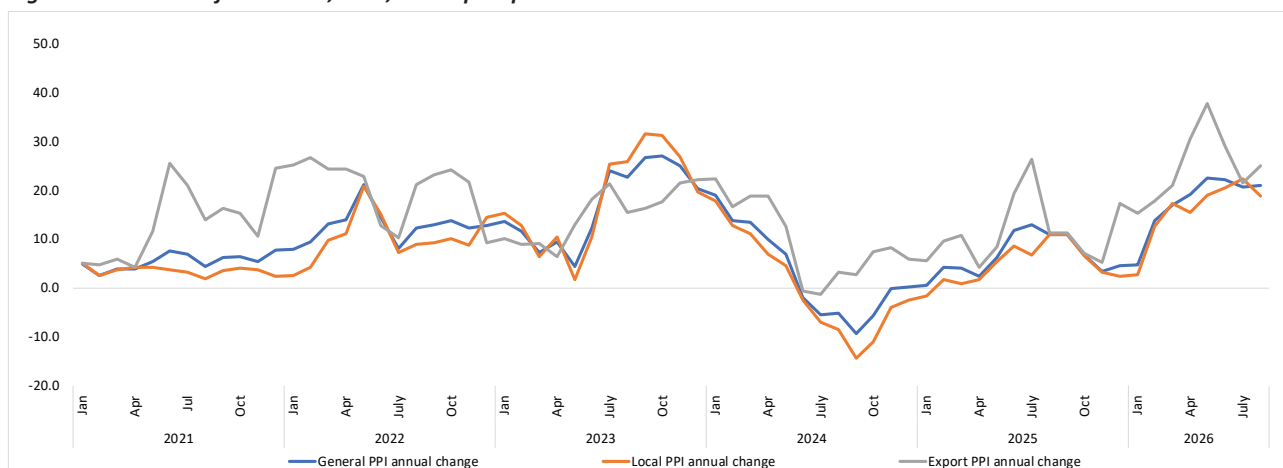
- General Producer Price Index decreased by 0.2 percent,
- Local Producer Price Index increased by 0.2 percent,
- Export Producer Price Index decreased by 3.7 percent.

Table 1: Producer Price Index, General, Local and Exports

	2025					2026							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Annual change													
General PPI	11.0	13.4	6.8	3.4	4.6	4.8	13.9	17.0	19.3	22.6	22.3	20.8	21.1
Local PPI	11.0	13.0	6.7	3.3	2.4	2.8	12.7	17.3	15.5	19.0	20.6	22.4	18.9
Export PPI	11.2	15.0	7.0	5.3	17.3	15.3	17.9	21.0	30.7	37.8	29.2	21.5	25.1
Monthly change													
General PPI	-0.4	2.5	-0.8	0.2	0.6	1.1	7.7	2.1	0.2	5.3	0.4	0.5	-0.2
Local PPI	3.2	0.4	-0.5	0.0	-0.4	1.3	8.4	1.8	0.4	4.7	0.8	0.6	0.2
Export PPI	-6.4	7.0	-1.6	2.0	9.0	-1.3	1.9	5.2	-1.7	10.2	-3.3	0.1	-3.7

Source: NISR

Figure 1: Annual PPI for General, local, and export products



Source: NISR

1. Introduction

The Producer Price Index (PPI) measures the average change over time in prices received by domestic producers to produce their goods and services. The PPI for Rwanda is published on a monthly basis. It presents price changes for all aggregated products, products for local sales, and those for exports, and covers mining, manufacturing, and utilities.

2. General Producer Price Index

Table below presents the percentage changes on a monthly and annual basis.

Table 2: Producer Price Index, General Index summary

ISIC rev. 4 Description	Weights	Percentage change in August 2026	
		on July 2026	on August 2025
General index	1000	-0.2	21.1
Mining and quarrying	52	-9.9	59.5
Manufacturing	872	0.4	21.0
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	54	0.0	0.0
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	22	0.0	0.0

Source: NISR

In August 2026, the general PPI increased by 21.1 percent when compared to the same month of 2025. This is due to an increase of 59.5 percent in prices of mining activities and an increase of 21 percent in prices of manufacturing activities.

On a monthly basis, the general PPI decreased by 0.2 percent. This is due to a decrease of 9.9 percent in prices of mining activities while prices of manufacturing activities increased by 0.4 percent.

3. Local Producer Price Index

The table below presents the percentage changes on a monthly and annual basis.

Table 3: Producer Price Index, Local Index summary

ISIC rev. 4 Description	Weights	Percentage change in August 2026	
		on July 2026	on August 2025
General index	1000	0.2	18.9
Manufacturing	916	0.2	20.7
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	60	0.0	0.0
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	24	0.0	0.0

Source: NISR

In August 2026, the local PPI increased by 18.9 percent when compared to the same month of 2025. This is due to an increase of 20.7 percent in prices of manufacturing activities.

On a monthly basis, the local PPI increased by 0.2 percent. This is due to an increase of 0.2 percent in prices of manufacturing activities.

4. Export Producer Price Index

The table below presents the percentage changes on monthly and annual basis.

Table 4: Producer Price Index, Exports Index summary

ISIC rev. 4 Description	Weights	Percentage change in August 2026	
		on July 2026	on August 2025
General Index	1000	-3.7	25.1
Mining and quarrying	506	-9.9	59.5
Manufacturing	494	3.0	-12.6

Source: NISR

In August 2026, the export PPI increased by 25.1 percent when compared to the same month of 2025. This is due to an increase of 59.5 percent in prices of mining activities. Manufacturing activities decreased by 12.6 percent.

On a monthly basis, the export PPI decreased by 3.7 percent. This is due to a decrease of 9.9 percent in prices of mining activities. Manufacturing activities increased by 3 percent.

Technical note on PPI

The Producer Price Index (PPI) measures the average change over time in the prices received by domestic producers of goods and services, which are outputs of production or enter into the production process.

NISR publishes PPI data for Mining, Manufacturing, and Utilities; it is published on a monthly basis, about 4 weeks following the month under review.

The establishments are classified according to ISIC rev.4. Products from establishments with significant secondary activities are classified according to the products' characteristics, rather than the establishment's main activity.

The weights used in the PPI for Rwanda refer to the value of output (turnover without taxes) of establishments as reported in the 2024 National Accounts.

The point of pricing is the establishment. The price is the selling price received by the producer for the selected product as it leaves the factory gate. In general, prices are collected each month from the selected establishment by considering the mid-point of each month of the month under review.

The formula used in the PPI calculation is a monthly chained Laspeyres-type formula.

Annex 1: Producer Price Index, General

Level	Categories	Weights	Index (2024=100)			Percentage change in August 2026		Contributions ¹ :
			Aug-25	July-26	Aug-26	on July-26	on Aug- 25	12 months
1	General Index	1000	107.1	129.9	129.7	-0.2	21.1	21.1
	Mining and quarrying	52	101.1	179.0	161.3	-9.9	59.5	2.7
2	Mining of metal ores	52	101.1	179.0	161.3	-9.9	59.5	2.7
	Manufacturing	872	106.6	128.5	129.0	0.4	21.0	16.8
2	Manufacture of food products	359	105.9	129.9	131.1	0.9	23.8	8.8
2	Manufacture of beverages	188	109.9	137.2	137.2	0.0	24.8	5.0
2	Manufacture of textiles	18	100.0	92.8	92.8	0.0	-7.2	-0.1
2	Manufacture of paper and paper products	43	100.0	119.0	119.0	0.0	19.0	0.8
2	Printing and reproduction of recorded media	14	104.3	104.3	104.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	88	110.0	121.6	121.6	0.0	10.5	1.0
2	Manufacture of rubber and plastics products	19	100.4	113.0	113.0	0.0	12.5	0.2
2	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	78	100.7	115.2	115.3	0.1	14.5	1.1
2	Manufacture of basic metals	44		120.4	120.4	0.0		0.0
2	Manufacture of furniture	22	101.8	101.6	101.6	0.0	-0.2	0.0
	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	54	100.0	134.8	134.8	0.0	34.8	1.6
2	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	54	100.0	134.8	134.8	0.0	34.8	1.6
	Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	22	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Water collection, treatment and supply	22	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Source: NISR

(¹) "Contributions" take into account both the growth rate and the relative weight of each category to explain the percentage change observed

Annex 2: Producer Price Index, Local

Level	Categories	Weights	Index (2024=100)			Percentage change in August 2026		Contributions ¹ :
			Aug-25	July-26	Aug-26	on July-26	on Aug- 25	12 months
1	General Index	1000	106.7	126.6	126.9	0.2	18.9	18.9
	Manufacturing	916	105.3	126.8	127.1	0.2	20.7	17.1
2	Manufacture of food products	351	103.3	129.1	130.0	0.7	25.8	8.7
2	Manufacture of beverages	209	109.9	137.2	137.2	0.0	24.8	5.3
2	Manufacture of textiles	20	100.0	92.8	92.8	0.0	-7.2	-0.1
2	Manufacture of paper and paper products	48	100.0	119.0	119.0	0.0	19.0	0.8
2	Printing and reproduction of recorded media	15	104.3	104.3	104.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	90	109.8	122.3	122.3	0.0	11.4	1.0
2	Manufacture of rubber and plastics products	21	100.0	115.9	115.9	0.0	15.9	0.3
2	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	87	100.7	115.2	115.3	0.1	14.5	1.2
2	Manufacture of basic metals	49		117.9	117.9	0.0		0.0
2	Manufacture of furniture	24	101.8	101.6	101.6	0.0	-0.2	0.0
	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	61	100.0	134.8	134.8	0.0	34.8	1.8
2	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	24	100.0	134.8	134.8	0.0	34.8	1.8
	Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	24	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Water collection, treatment and supply	24	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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Annex 3: Producer Price Index, Exports

Level	Categories	Weights	Index (2024=100)			Percentage change in August 2026		Contributions ¹ :
			Aug-25	July-26	Aug-26	on July-26	on Aug- 25	12 months
1	General Index	1000	108.2	140.6	135.4	-3.7	25.1	25.1
	Mining and quarrying	506	101.1	179.0	161.3	-9.9	59.5	30.7
2	Mining of non-ferrous metal ores	506	101.1	179.0	161.3	-9.9	59.5	30.7
	Manufacturing	494	110.0	96.3	98.8	2.6	-10.2	-5.6
2	Manufacture of food products	422	110.0	93.3	96.1	3.0	-12.6	-5.6
2	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	73	111.7	111.8	112.0	0.2	0.3	0.0

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