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# Agricultural Producers

## Price Index

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## Briefing

This publication provides an analysis of the results of the Agriculture Producer Price Index (**APPI**) for September 2017 with the base year 2016. In addition, the publication provides the results of calculating the contributions ratios of the Agriculture groups in the overall percentage change.

## Key Points

- The prices of the Agriculture Producer Price Index (APPI) increased by 29.5% during September 2017 compared with 2016, where the APPI was 129.5% in September 2017 compared to the base year 2016.
- The prices of the Agriculture Producer Price Index (APPI) increase by 36.5% during September 2017 compared with August 2017, where the APPI rose up from 94.9% in August 2017 to 129.5% in September 2017.
- “Tomato” group contributed by 116.7% in the overall increase in the APPI in September 2017 compared to August 2017, where the prices of this group increased by 32.9% and it has a weight of 65.2%.
- “Marrow” Group contributed 7.8% in alleviating the overall increase achieved during September 2017 compared to August 2017, where the prices of this group decreased by 15.7% and the weight is 5.6%.
- The drop in prices of the "Hot pepper" group in September 2017 compared to August 2017 by 9.8% contributed 7.5% in the reduction of the increase in September compared to August 2017, where the weight of this group is 10.6%

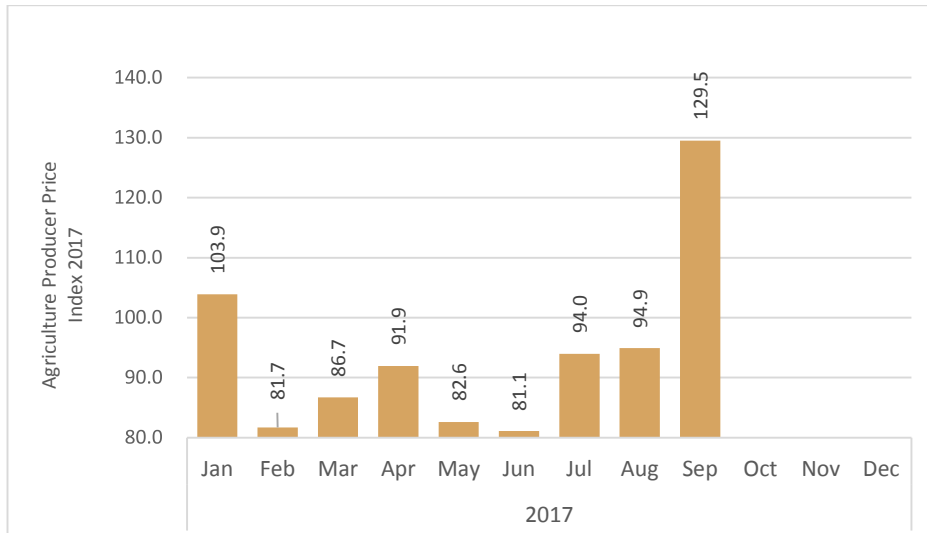
**Table (1):** Percentage change in the APPI groups and the contribution of each Product to the total change during the month of September 2017 compared to August 2017.

| Product              | Weight       | Percentage Change | Contribution  |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Potato               | 2.9          | -                 | -             |
| cabbage              | 4.2          | -                 | -             |
| hot pepper           | 10.6         | 9.8-              | 7.5-          |
| paprika              | 0.2          | 4.4-              | -             |
| Marrow               | 5.6          | 15.7-             | 7.8-          |
| Eggplant             | 1.2          | 9.5-              | 0.5-          |
| Cucumber             | 1.3          | 33.1-             | 1.7-          |
| Tomatoes             | 65.2         | 32.9              | 116.7         |
| Red watermelon       | 0.2          | -                 | -             |
| melon                | 0.3          | -                 | -             |
| lettuce              | 0.9          | -                 | -             |
| Onions               | 1.3          | -                 | -             |
| parsley              | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| Green beans          | 0.8          | -                 | -             |
| Beetroot             | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| Carrots              | 0.2          | -                 | -             |
| Flower / Cauliflower | 1.2          | -                 | -             |
| Pumpkin              | 1.0          | 16.7              | 0.8           |
| coriander            | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| Okra                 | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| Radishes             | 0.3          | -                 | -             |
| corn                 | 2.5          | -                 | -             |
| broccoli             | 0.1          | -                 | -             |
| Green pumpkin        | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| dates                | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| Lemon                | 0.0          | -                 | -             |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>100.0</b> | <b>36.5</b>       | <b>100.00</b> |

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

(-): were no price during the month

**Figure 1: Agricultural Producer Price Index for the Months of 2017.**



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## Notes

### Technical notes

For better understanding of the statistical indicators mentioned in this summary, please refer to the accompanied technical notes on the SCAD website.

### Data sources

Data are obtained through the Farmers Service Center in Abu Dhabi. The data are processed and passed to the Prices and Income Section at Statistic Centre – Abu Dhabi for further editing and compilation.

### More information and detailed release

For more information about the agriculture producer price index (**APPI**) and other official statistics, please visit the statistics link on the SCAD website at <http://www.scad.ae>

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