



PRICE INDICES IN AGRICULTURE

FIRST QUARTER IN 2010

1. Indices of producer prices in agriculture

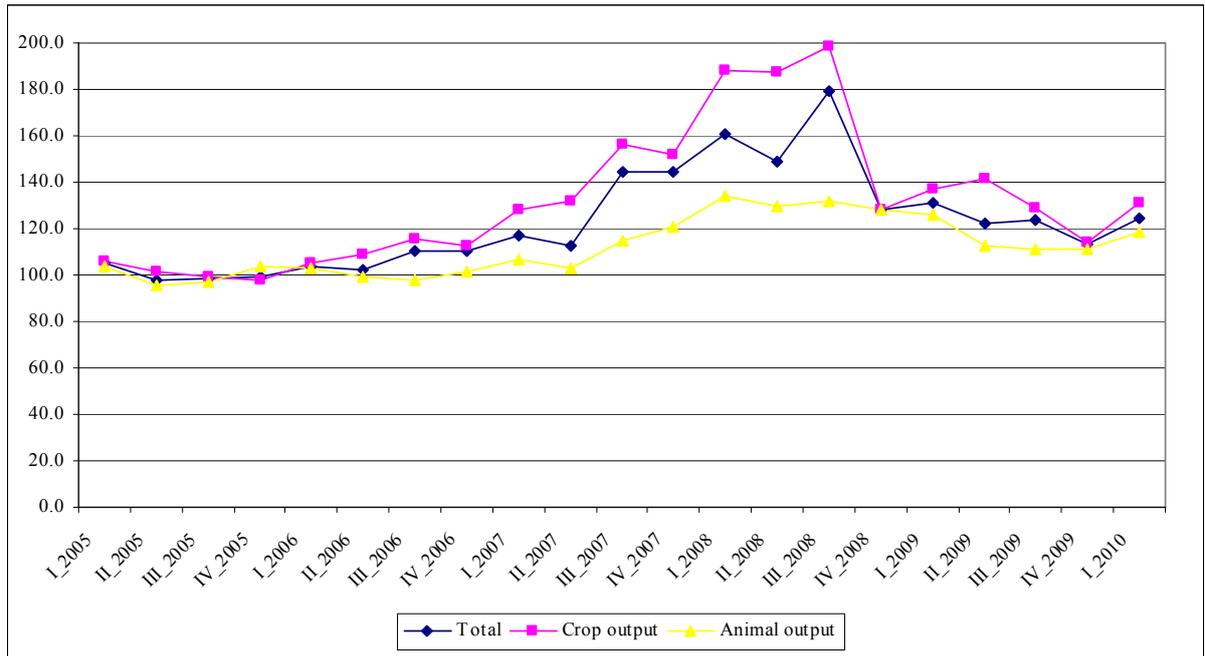
The index of producer prices in agriculture decreases by 8.1% in the first quarter of 2010 as compared to the same quarter 2009. Decreases were registered in the crop by 10.5%, and in livestock – by 5.3%. Reduction was recorded in: cereals – by 9.2%, industrial crops – by 11.7%, live animals – by 2.8% and animal products – by 7.3%. The prices decrease for wheat – by 10.2%, maize – by 4.9%, feed barley – by 23.4%, sunflower – by 12.7%, potatoes – by 16.0%, tomatoes and cucumbers under glass – by 13.8 and 5.1%, young cattle – by 2.2%, chicken – by 8.6% and cow milk – by 9.2%. The prices increase for beans, cabbages, dry onions, calves, pigs, lambs and eggs.

Table1

Producer prices indices in agriculture in first quarter 2010

	2005=100	Corresponding quarter in 2009 =100	2009 = 100
Total	124.5	91.9	99.6
Crop output	130.8	89.5	98.6
Animal output	118.2	94.7	100.7

Producer prices indices in agriculture (2005=100)



2. Indices of prices of means of production used in agriculture

The index of prices of means of production used in agriculture for the first quarter of 2010 is 2.6% below the same quarter of 2009. Decreases were registered in the fertilizers - by 13.2%, electricity – by 5.0%, animal feeding stuffs – by 2.1%, veterinary-medical products – by 2.0%. The prices increase for seeds and planting stocks and plant protection products – by 6.0% and 0.4%. The prices increase for phosphates fertilizers - by 11.5%, insecticides – by 4.3%, herbicides – by 4.3% and straights feeding stuffs – by 3.7%.

Table 2

Goods and services currently consumed in agriculture in first quarter 2010

	2005=100	Corresponding quarter in 2009 =100	2009 = 100
Total	132.1	97.4	98.5
Seeds and planting stock	137.8	106.0	102.6
Energy, fuels and other	127.5	95.0	97.8
Fertilizers	153.2	86.8	89.1
Plant protection products	101.3	100.4	98.6
Veterinary medical products	115.9	98.0	98.7
Animal feeding stuffs	127.2	97.9	99.4
Maintenance of materials	157.5	102.4	101.3
Maintenance of buildings	133.3	102.4	100.8
Other goods and services	136.1	103.4	101.8

Goods and services currently consumed in agriculture (2005=100)

