



PRICE INDICES IN AGRICULTURE, SECOND QUARTER OF 2013¹

Indices of producer prices in the agriculture

The index of producer prices in the agriculture in the second quarter of 2013 increased by 4.1% as comparison with the same quarter of 2012 and decreased by 0.6% compared to 2012. The crop output index increased compared to the same quarter of previous year by 4.7% and the animal output index increased by 3.4%. A Decrease was registered in the crop production compared to the previous year by 1.8% and in the livestock - by 1.2% (Table 1).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2012 higher are the prices of: soft wheat - by 11.1%, maize - by 11.3%, potatoes - by 60.7%, tomatoes, under glass - by 47.6%, apples - by 70.7%, chickens - by 10.4% and eggs - 11.6%.

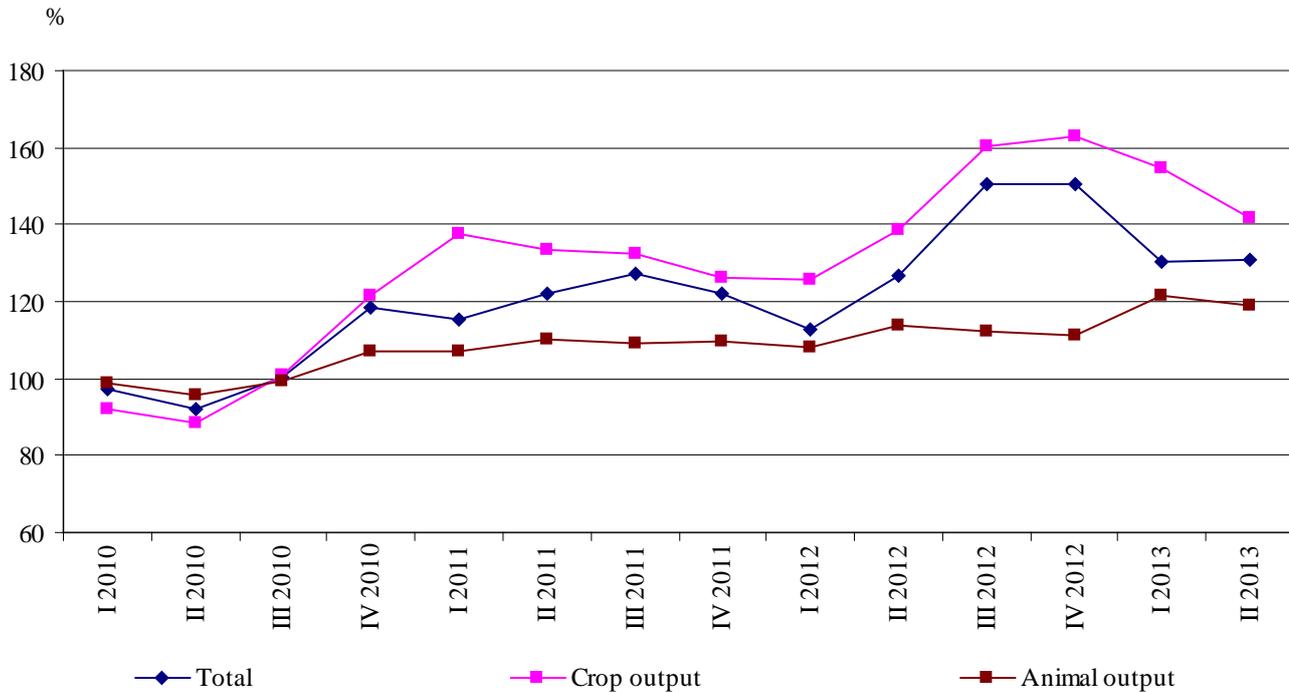
A decrease was registered compared to previous year in the prices of: wheat - by 5.7%, barley - by 7.9%, beans - by 26.1% and sunflower - by 4.7%. In the livestock an increase was registered in the prices of: cows for fattening - by 7.9%, pigs - by 2.9%, chickens - by 7.4% and cow milk - by 1.4%.

1. Producer prices indices in agriculture for the second quarter of 2013

	2010 = 100	Corresponding quarter of 2012 = 100	(Per cent) 2012 = 100
Total	131.0	104.1	99.4
Crop output	141.7	104.7	98.2
Animal output	119.1	103.4	101.2

¹The methodology of the surveys and detailed information are presented on the NSI web page - <http://www.nsi.bg/otrasalen.php?otr=29>

**Figure 1. Producer prices indices in agriculture, by quarters
(2010 = 100)**



Indices of prices of goods and services currently consumed in agriculture

The index of prices of goods and services currently consumed in agriculture in the second quarter of 2013 was 2.0% above the level in the same quarter of previous year and by 0.2% compared to 2012.

An increase was registered compared to the same quarter of 2012 in the prices of: seeds and planting stock - by 9.8%, fertilizers - by 1.3% and animal feeding stuffs - by 7.5%.

The same trend was observed towards 2012. An increase was registered in the prices of seeds and planting stock - by 4.9%, fertilizers - by 2.1% and animal feeding stuffs - by 2.2% (Table 2).



2. Prices indices of the goods and services currently consumed in agriculture, second quarter of 2013

(Per cent)

	2010 = 100	Corresponding quarter of 2012 = 100	2012 = 100
Total	117.6	102.0	100.2
Seeds and planting stock	109.8	109.8	104.9
Energy, fuels and others	119.0	99.9	99.0
Fertilizers	144.7	101.3	102.1
Plant protection products	96.4	94.3	95.4
Veterinary medical products	102.7	99.6	97.2
Animal feeding stuffs	131.3	107.5	102.2
Maintenance of materials	105.2	101.2	101.1
Maintenance of buildings	104.7	101.6	101.4
Other goods and services	105.5	100.8	100.7

Figure 2. Prices indices of the goods and services currently consumed in agriculture, by quarters (2010=100)

