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Industrial producer prices in Austria went up by 6.0% in September 2026

Energy and intermediate goods significantly more expensive

Vienna, 2026-10-30 – According to Statistics Austria, the industrial producer price index reached 122.4 points (base year 2021) in September 2026, representing a 6.0% increase compared with September 2025. This marked a continuation of the trend towards rising producer prices. In August 2026, the year-over-year change was +4.7%; in July 2026, it was +3.3%.

Energy prices increased by 11.4%, prices for intermediate goods rose by 7.4%

The main drivers behind the 6.0% rise in the industrial producer price index in September 2026 were price increases for energy (+11.4%) and intermediate goods (+7.4%). The rise in energy prices continued to accelerate compared with previous months (August 2026: +7.3%, July 2026: +2.6%). In September 2026, intermediate goods rose in price by an average of 7.4% compared with the same month a year earlier, indicating that the upward price trend is continuing. In August and July 2026, the year-over-year rates of change for intermediate goods were +7.2% and +6.6%, respectively. Capital goods recorded an average price increase of 1.4% in September 2026, following a 1.0% increase in August 2026. Consumer goods showed a 0.3% price increase compared to September 2025, marking the same rate of growth as in the previous month (August 2026: +0.3%).

Producer prices in September 2026 were 1.2% higher than in the previous month

Compared with the previous month, August 2026, the industrial producer price index rose overall by 1.2%. On a month-over-month basis, prices went up particularly in the electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (+3.6%). The price increase in the manufacture of paper and paper products was 1.0%. By contrast, prices in the manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products (−0.3%), as well as in the manufacture of textiles (−0.2%), fell compared with the previous month.

For detailed results and further information please refer to our website.

Information on methodology:

What is the industrial producer price index?

Producer prices quantify the amount that producers receive from their customers for the sale of their products. The industrial producer price index shows the average monthly price change of activities in the respective economic sector as well as the average price change of industrial products and the associated services that are manufactured or provided by companies in Austria and sold in Austria and abroad. This includes activities and products in mining and quarrying, the manufacture of goods and energy and water supply. The ex-works sales price is calculated excluding value-added tax and after deduction of all discounts granted but including all statutory duties and taxes on the goods.

Who is Statistics Austria?

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