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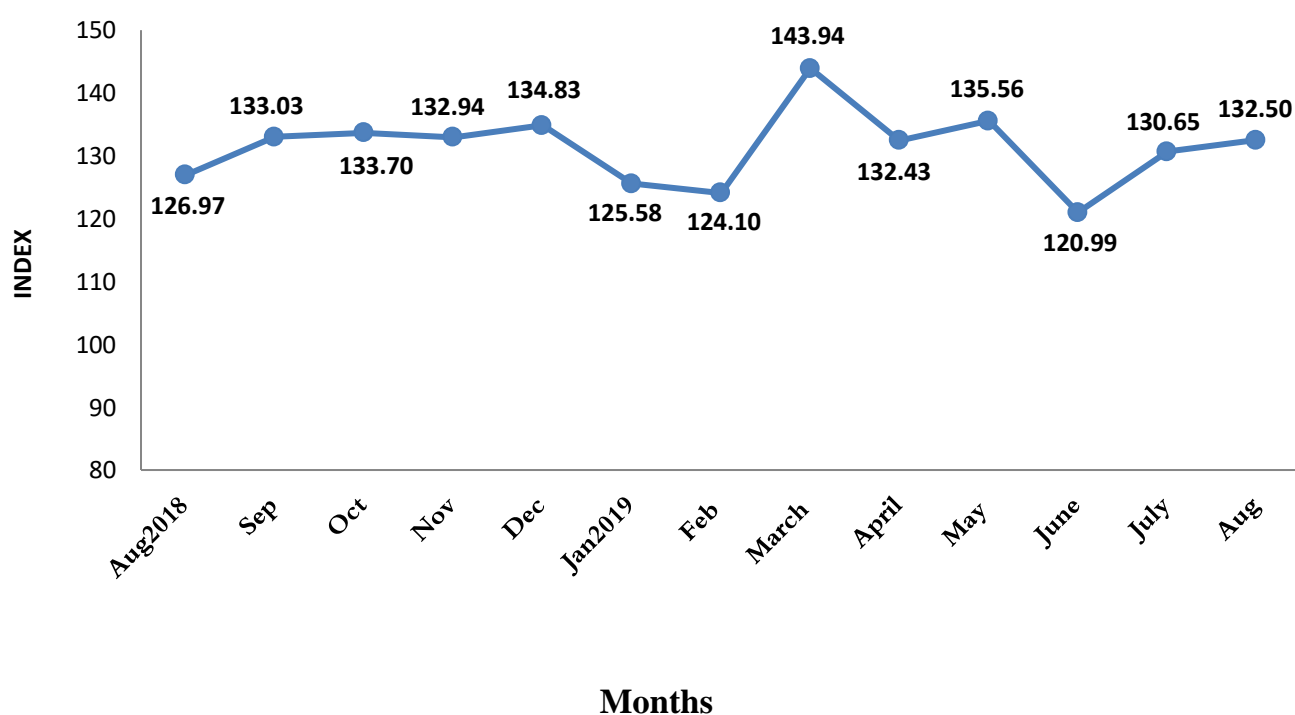
Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

1.4% Increase in Manufacturing and extractive index during August 2019

Central Agency for public mobilization and statistics (CAPMAS) issued on 21 /10/ 2019 primary data of the production index of manufacturing and extractive industries for August 2019.

The manufacturing and extractive industries index (without crude oil and petroleum products) is 132.50 during August 2019 (primary) compared to 130.65 during July 2019 (final) an increase of 1.4%.

Manufacturing and Extractive Index from August 2018 to August 2019

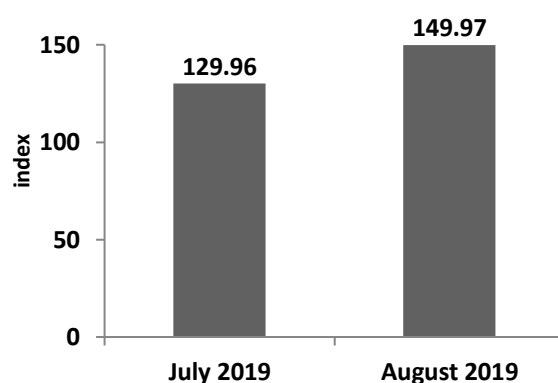


An increase at the level of the following economic activities:



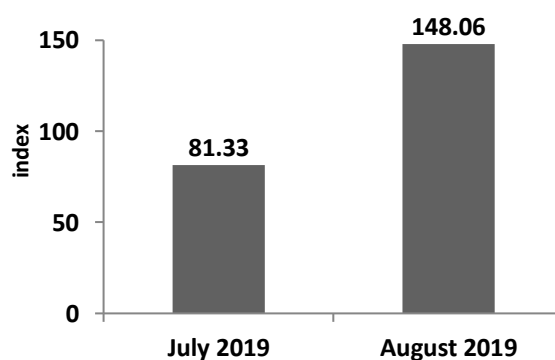
Manufacture of food products

- The Manufacture of food products reached 149.97 in August 2019 compared to July 2019, where it reached 129.96, an increase of 15.40 %. Due to the availability of raw materials and increased demand and increase the amount of ground wheat.



Manufacture of paper and paper products

- Manufacture of paper and paper products reached 148.06 in August 2019 compared to July 2019 which reached 81.33, an increase of 86.1%, Due to the needs of the market.

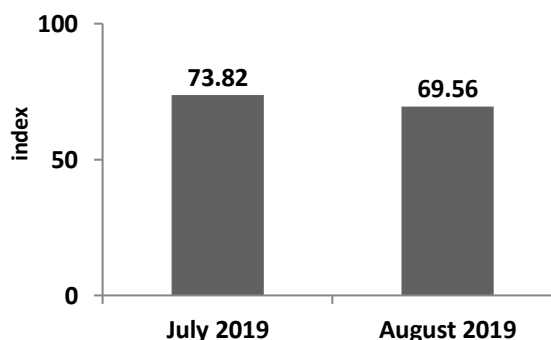


A decrease at the level of the following economic activities:



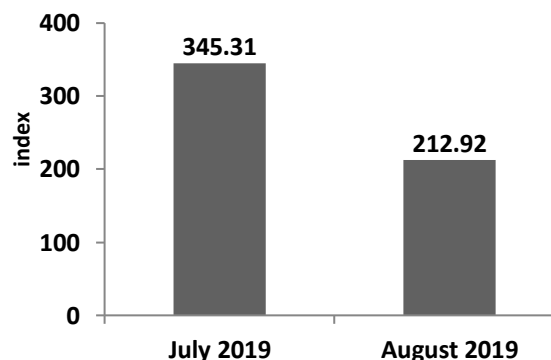
Manufacture of basic metals (Includes iron and steel - aluminum - other metals)

- The Manufacture of basic metals (Includes iron and steel - aluminum - other metals) reached 69.56 in August 2019 compared to July 2019, where it reached 73.82 a decrease of 5.8% Due to Low amount of coal supplied for furnaces and low demand..



Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.

- The Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c. reached 212.92 during the month of August 2019 compared to July 2019, reaching 345.31 a decrease of 38.3%, Due to supplies and contracts.



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