



## Press Release

# Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

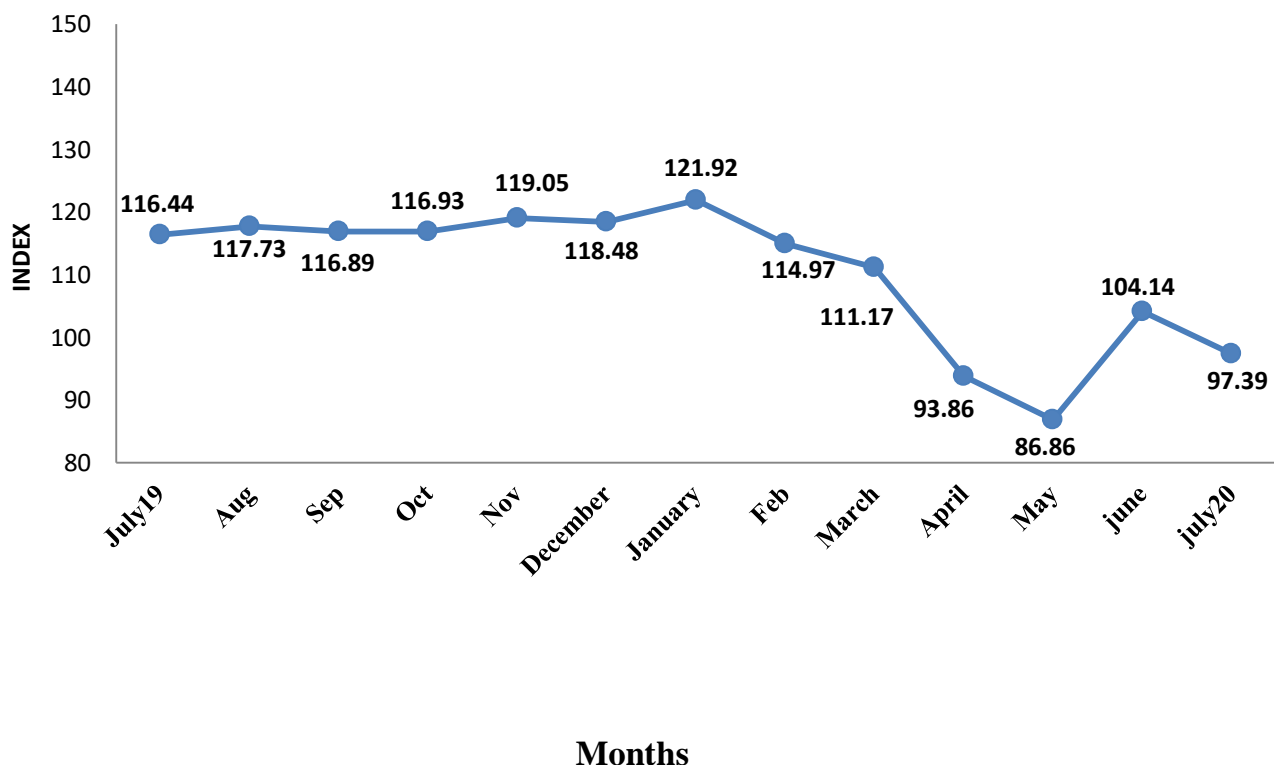
### **6.5 % Decrease in Manufacturing and extractive index during July 2020**

Central Agency for public mobilization and statistics (CAPMAS) issued on 23/9/2020 primary data of manufacturing and extractive industries of production index of July 2020.

CAPMAS has updated the index methodology using the base year 2012/2013 and at the level of main divisions of industrial activity according to Industrial Activity Manual (ISIC Rev.4) and by using the monthly figure (for producer prices based on 2012/2013).

The manufacturing and extractive industries index (excluding crude oil and petroleum products) is 97.39 during July 2020 (primary) compared to 104.14 during June 2020 (final) a decrease by 6.5 %.

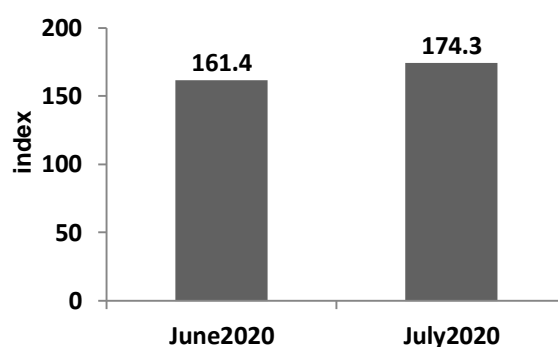
**Manufacturing and Extractive Index (excluding petroluem) from July 2019 to July2020**



## An increase at the level of the following economic activities:

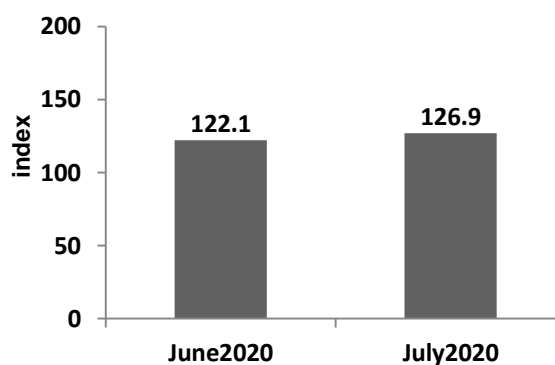
- Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers reached 174.3 in July 2020 compared to June 2020 which reached 161.4 an increase by 8.0%, due to increased demand and sales.

**Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers**



- Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and its preparations reached 126.9 in July 2020 compared to June 2020 which reached 122.1, an increase by 3.9 %, Due to the increased demand for pharmaceutical, chemical and pharmaceutical preparations due to the circumstances of Corona pandemic

**Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations**

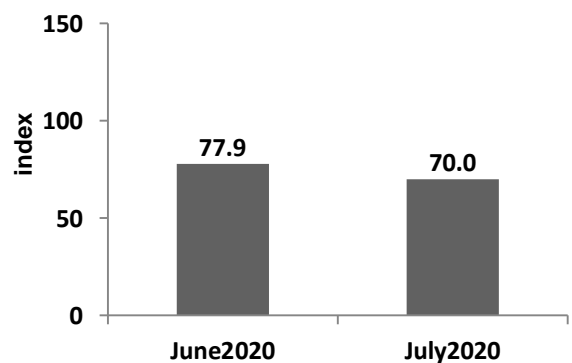


## A decrease at the level of the following economic activities:



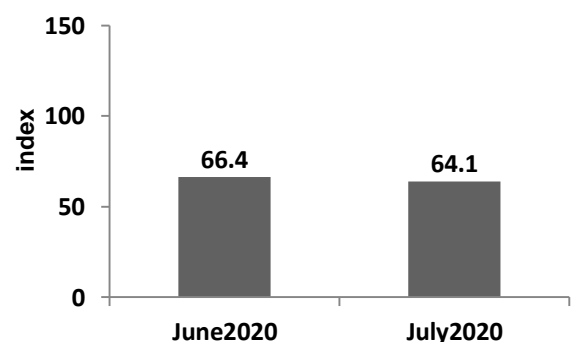
### Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products (Bricks, Glass and Cement)

- Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products (Bricks, Glass and Cement) reached 70.0 during July 2020 compared to June 2020, reaching 77.9 a decrease by 10.1 %, Due to decrease in demand for construction products after the decisions to stop construction.



### Manufacture of paper and its products

- Manufacture of paper and paper products reached 64.1 in July 2020 compared to June 2020, where it reached 66.4, a decrease by 3.5 % due to importing paper from abroad at lower prices and weak current demand due to e-learning trend.



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