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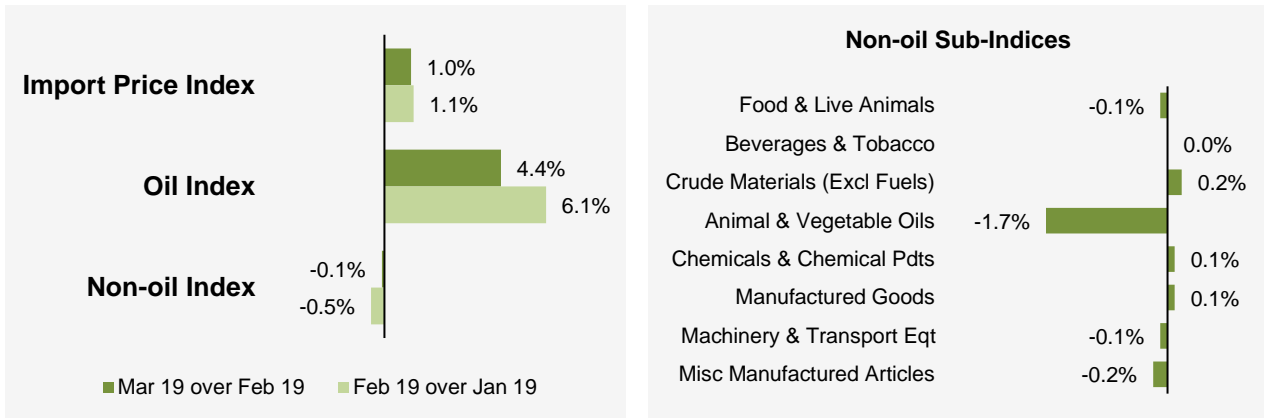
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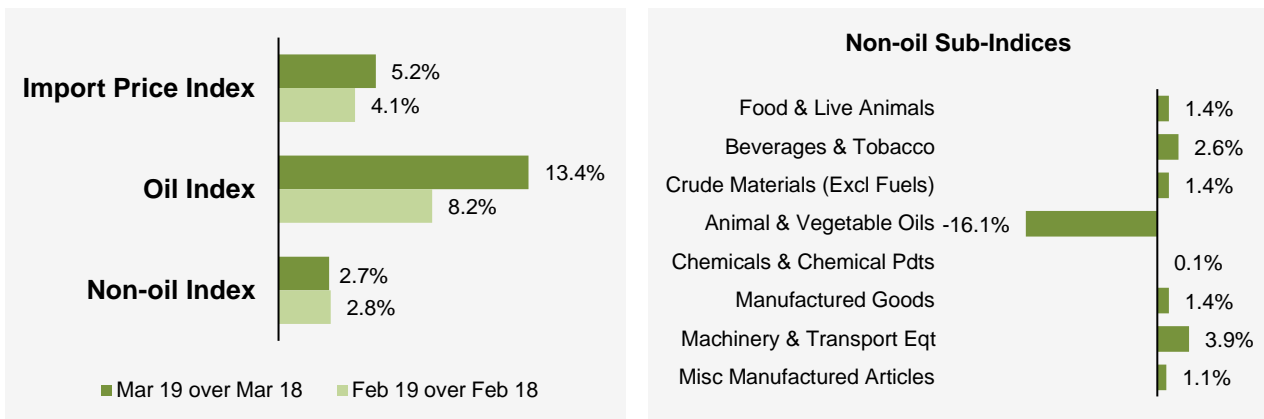
Month-on-Month Change



The Import Price Index rose 1.0% in March 2019, following the 1.1% increase in February 2019. The Oil index increased 4.4%, less than the 6.1% gain in the previous month. The Non-oil index fell 0.1%, after decreasing 0.5% in February 2019.

Among the Non-oil sub-indices, decreases led by the Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles (-0.2%) and Machinery & Transport Equipment (-0.1%) indices were partially moderated by increases in the Chemicals & Chemical Products (0.1%) and Manufactured Goods (0.1%) indices.

Year-on-Year Change

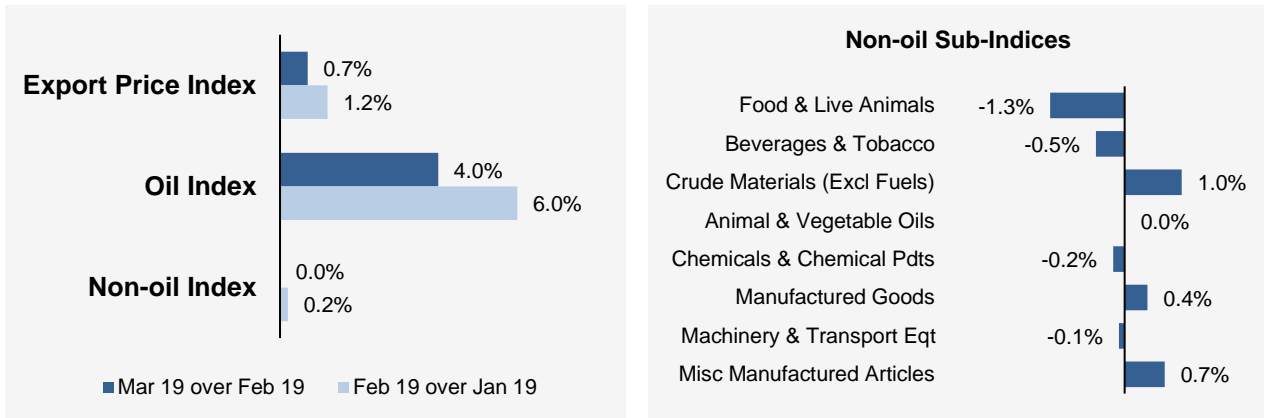


The Import Price Index rose 5.2% in March 2019 from a year ago, following the 4.1% increase in February 2019. The Oil and Non-oil indices increased 13.4% and 2.7% respectively.

All Non-oil sub-indices increased with the exception of the Animal & Vegetable Oils (-16.1%) index. Higher prices were registered for Machinery & Transport Equipment (3.9%), Beverages & Tobacco (2.6%), Food & Live Animals (1.4%), Crude Materials (1.4%), Manufactured Goods (1.4%), Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles (1.1%) and Chemicals & Chemical Products (0.1%).

Export Price Index (2018 = 100) March 2019

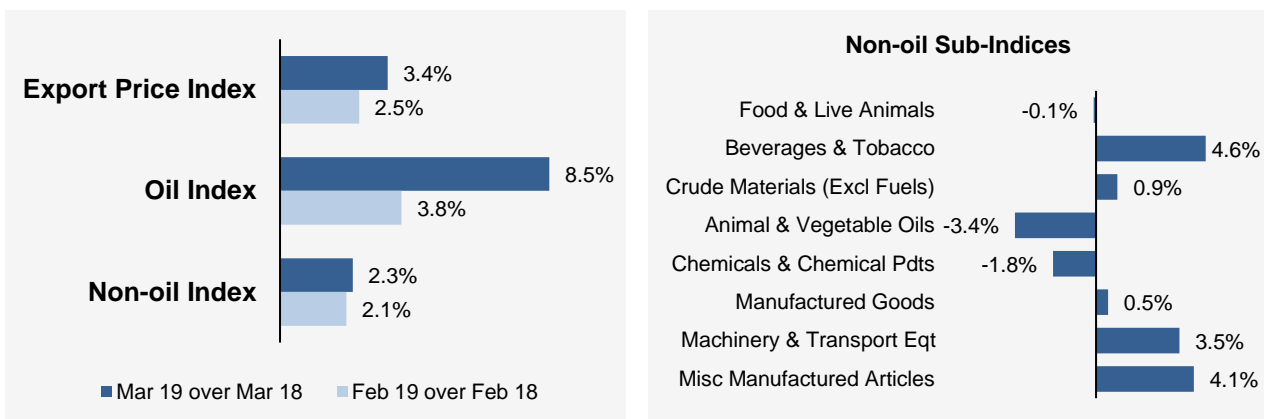
Month-on-Month Change



The Export Price Index rose 0.7% in March 2019, extending the 1.2% increase from February 2019. The Oil index increased 4.0%, following the 6.0% gain in the previous month. The Non-oil index remained unchanged in March 2019, after increasing 0.2% in the previous month.

Among the Non-oil sub-indices, increases led by the Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles (0.7%) and Manufactured Goods (0.4%) indices were partially offset by decreases in the Food & Live Animals (-1.3%) and Machinery & Transport Equipment (-0.1%) indices.

Year-on-Year Change



The Export Price Index rose 3.4% in March 2019 over the previous year, after the 2.5% increase in February 2019. The Oil and Non-oil indices climbed 8.5% and 2.3% respectively.

For the Non-oil sub-indices, increases in the Beverages & Tobacco (4.6%), Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles (4.1%), Machinery & Transport Equipment (3.5%), Crude Materials (0.9%) and Manufactured Goods (0.5%) indices were partially moderated by decreases in the Animal & Vegetable Oils (-3.4%), Chemicals & Chemical Products (-1.8%) and Food & Live Animals (-0.1%) indices.

Technical Note

The **Import Price Index (IPI)** is used primarily as an indicator to track the price trends of imported goods into Singapore. Prices of imports, valued at cif (cost, insurance and freight) are obtained monthly from major importers. The weighting pattern of the index is derived from import statistics for 2018.

The **Export Price Index (EPI)** measures changes in the price of all exports of merchandise from Singapore, including re-exports. In general, prices are obtained from major exporters of the selected commodities. Prices used in the index computation, are the prices of goods that physically leave Singapore's main ports of export; also termed as free on board prices. The weights of the index are derived from the distribution of export by commodity in 2018.

2018 Rebasing of the IPI and EPI

The Singapore Department of Statistics (DOS) has completed the rebasing of the Import and Export Price Indices from base year 2012 to 2018. The rebasing exercise is conducted periodically to ensure that the 'basket' of commodities remain relevant to changing imports and exports patterns.

Commodity Section	Import Price Index		Export Price Index	
	2012-based	2018-based	2012-based	2018-based
All items	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Oil	3,316	2,590	2,605	1,978
Non-oil	6,684	7,410	7,395	8,022
Food & Live Animals	215	247	124	236
Beverages & Tobacco	86	112	87	103
Crude Materials (Excl Fuels)	83	84	60	91
Animal & Vegetable Oils Fats & Waxes	37	27	8	5
Chemicals & Chemical Products	694	888	1,344	1,525
Manufactured Goods	635	505	381	318
Machinery & Transport Equipment	4,205	4,690	4,595	4,836
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	729	857	796	908

An Information Paper on the Rebasing of Import and Export Price Indices (2018=100) is available on the department's website at <https://www.singstat.gov.sg/ppi#Producer-and-International-Trade-Prices>.

Index Formula

The 2018-based series is compiled using the Laspeyres formula where the price and weight reference periods are aligned to the year 2018. The geometric mean formula has been adopted in the computation of unweighted elementary aggregate price indices. The arithmetic mean formula is applied in compiling indices at higher levels of aggregation where weights of specific sub-indices are available.

Measurement of Changes in Price Indices

Change over previous month compares the index of the month with that of the preceding month. Such comparisons measure the change in the price index between two consecutive months. They serve as useful short-term indicators of the price movements.

Change over same period of previous year measures change in the index over a twelve-month period. Such comparisons compare the movement in the price index between similar months in two consecutive years.

Index Revision

The indices may be revised when late returns and amendments received from respondents are incorporated.

Dissemination of Data

The Import and Export Price Indices are available on the SingStat Website (www.singstat.gov.sg/tablebuilder). Excel tables for this month's report are available at <https://www.singstat.gov.sg/publications/economy/import-export-price-indices> or through the QR code below:



Import Price Index (2018 = 100) March 2019

Chart 1: Index

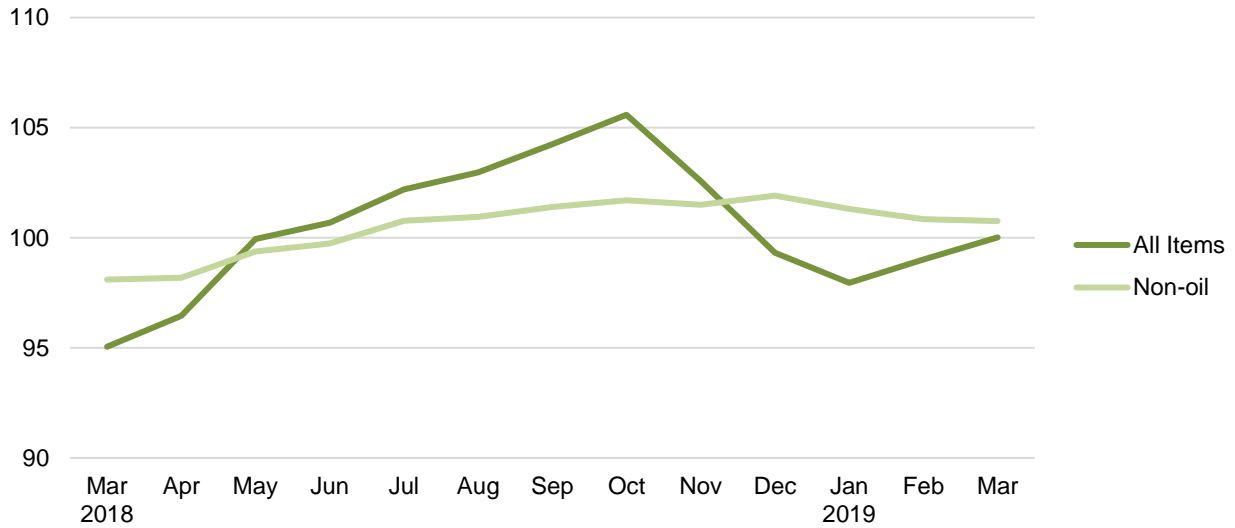


Chart 2: Month-on-month Change

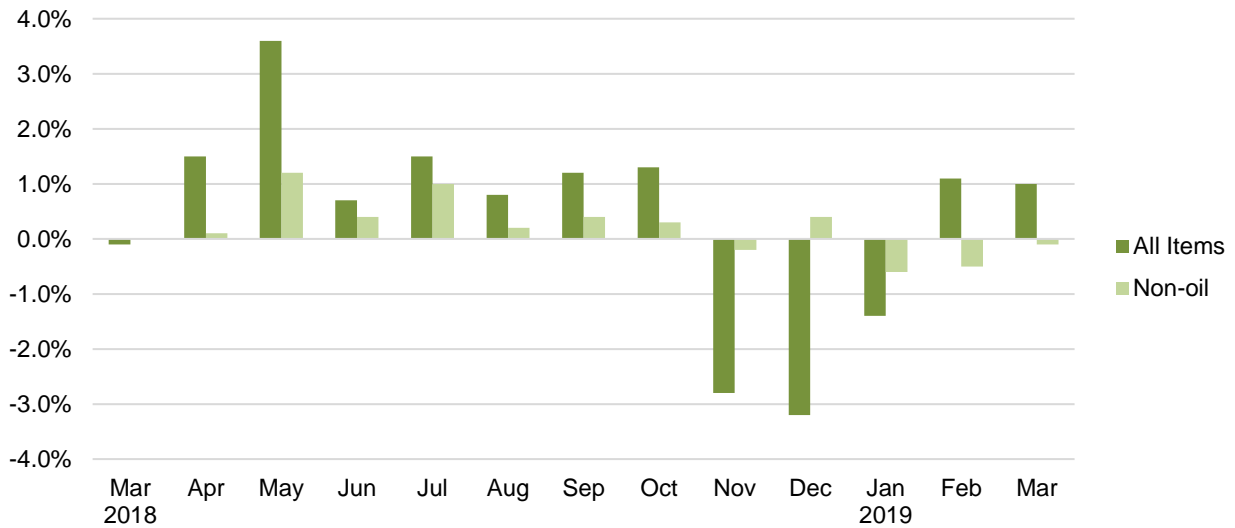
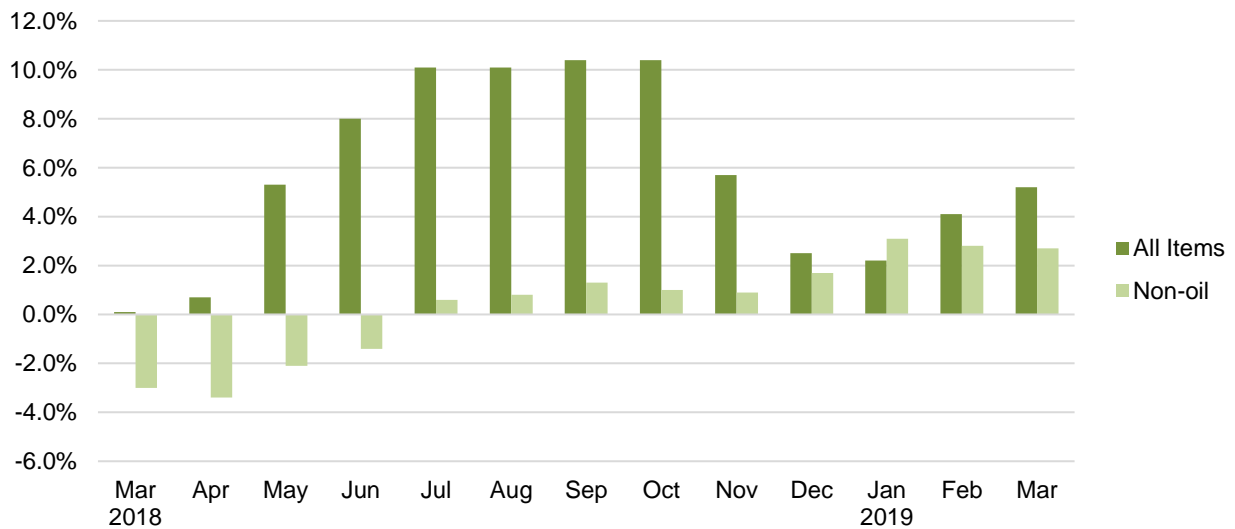


Chart 3: Year-on-year Change



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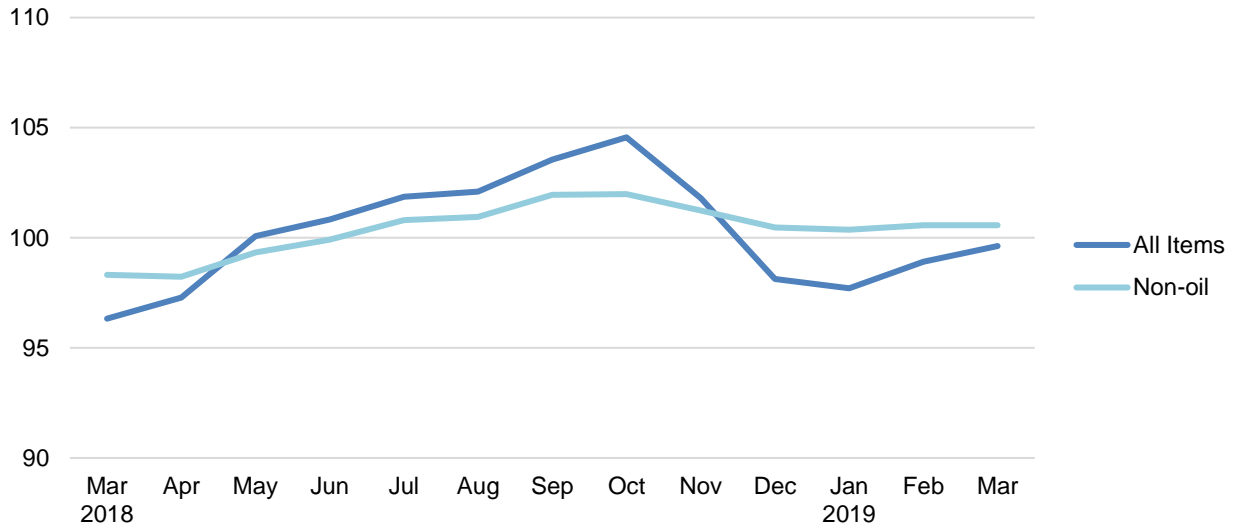


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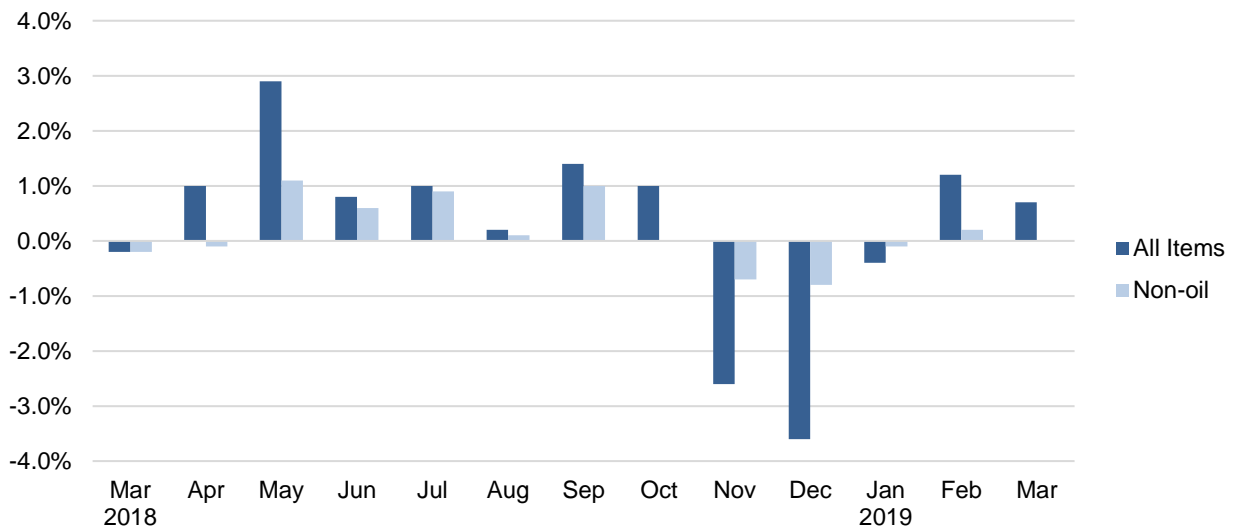


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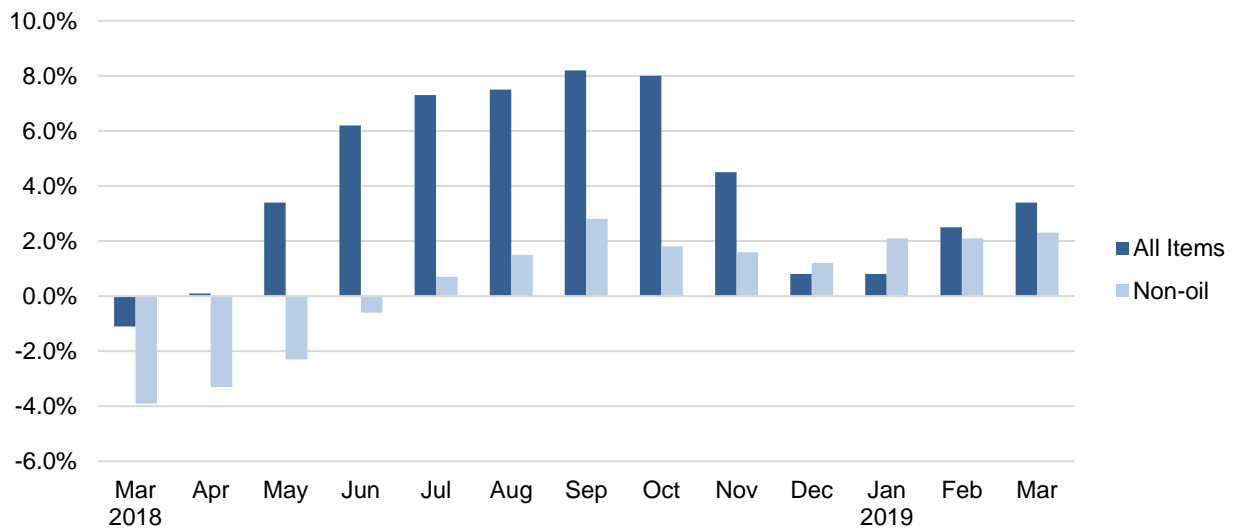


Table 1 Import Price Index

March 2019

Commodity section / division	Weights	Index (2018=100)			% Change		
					Feb 2019	Mar 2019	Mar 2019
		Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2018
All Items	10,000	98.0	99.0	100.0	1.1	1.0	5.2
Non-oil Items	7,410	101.3	100.8	100.8	-0.5	-0.1	2.7
Food & Live Animals	247	101.2	100.2	100.1	-1.0	-0.1	1.4
Live animals	9	99.8	100.1	98.5	0.4	-1.6	-1.8
Meat & meat preparations	31	98.3	97.6	96.5	-0.7	-1.1	-4.4
Dairy products & birds' eggs	30	103.3	103.7	102.5	0.4	-1.1	7.0
Fish seafood & preparations	34	101.3	101.0	101.3	-0.4	0.4	0.7
Cereals & cereal preparations	24	101.1	100.9	100.7	-0.2	-0.2	2.5
Vegetables & fruit	48	102.5	99.8	99.7	-2.7	-0.1	2.2
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	9	99.1	99.2	97.6	-	-1.6	-1.8
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices & manufactures	28	98.4	94.5	96.7	-4.0	2.3	-3.8
Animal feeding stuff (excl unmilled cereals)	4	100.4	98.5	98.3	-1.8	-0.2	-2.7
Miscellaneous food preparations	31	103.9	104.4	104.6	0.5	0.2	7.8
Beverages & Tobacco	112	100.7	100.6	100.7	-0.1	-	2.6
Beverages	84	100.4	100.3	100.4	-0.1	0.1	1.3
Tobacco & manufactures	28	101.9	101.7	101.6	-0.2	-0.1	6.6
Crude Materials (excl fuels)	84	99.7	100.1	100.2	0.4	0.2	1.4
Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	2	97.2	97.1	98.2	-	1.1	0.4
Crude rubber	19	101.3	104.1	104.0	2.8	-0.1	7.5
Cork & wood	3	104.4	104.4	105.3	-	0.8	5.7
Crude fertilizers & minerals	30	100.6	100.5	100.5	-0.1	-	1.5
Metalliferous ores & metal scrap	17	94.4	93.4	93.8	-1.1	0.5	-7.7
Crude animal & vegetable materials nes	13	101.2	101.4	101.7	0.2	0.3	4.6
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants & Related Materials	2,590	88.3	93.8	97.9	6.1	4.4	13.4
Petroleum & products & related materials	2,431	87.9	93.9	97.9	6.9	4.3	13.3
Gas	159	95.2	91.5	96.9	-3.9	6.0	14.2
Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	27	91.3	90.7	89.2	-0.6	-1.7	-16.1
Fixed vegetable fats & oils	27	91.3	90.7	89.2	-0.6	-1.7	-16.1
Chemicals & Chemical Products	888	99.1	98.7	98.8	-0.4	0.1	0.1
Organic chemicals	216	97.6	95.9	96.0	-1.8	0.1	-2.7
Inorganic chemicals	35	96.8	100.9	103.6	4.1	2.7	-1.9
Dyeing, tanning & colouring materials	33	102.0	101.4	101.5	-0.7	0.1	3.1
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	101	103.9	103.5	104.6	-0.4	1.1	5.3
Essential oils & perfume; toilet cleaning products	147	100.7	100.7	100.3	-	-0.4	1.4
Plastics in primary forms	164	94.7	94.4	94.0	-0.3	-0.4	-4.7
Plastics in non-primary forms	38	102.0	101.6	101.5	-0.4	-0.1	2.7
Chemical materials & products nes	154	100.5	100.5	100.3	-	-0.2	3.5
Manufactured Goods	505	99.3	100.3	100.5	1.0	0.1	1.4
Rubber manufactures nes	25	98.5	98.5	99.4	-	0.9	-0.5
Paper manufactures	51	100.0	98.6	98.7	-1.3	0.1	3.0
Textile manufactures	26	101.1	101.0	100.8	-0.2	-0.2	3.1
Non-metal mineral manufactures nes	60	100.0	100.1	100.7	0.1	0.7	1.0
Iron & steel	131	98.6	102.4	101.9	3.8	-0.5	2.7
Non-ferrous metals	84	97.4	98.4	99.1	1.0	0.7	-0.5
Manufactures of metals nes	128	100.6	100.6	100.6	-0.1	-	1.0
Machinery & Transport Equipment	4,690	102.1	101.4	101.3	-0.7	-0.1	3.9
Power-generating machinery & equipment	526	103.8	103.5	103.6	-0.3	0.1	5.9
Machinery specialized for particular industries	306	100.6	100.4	100.4	-0.2	-	3.0
Metal working machinery	23	99.7	99.4	99.5	-0.2	-	-1.2
General industrial machinery	281	100.6	100.7	99.4	0.1	-1.3	1.6
Office machines & data-processing machines	457	103.1	102.8	102.6	-0.3	-0.2	7.9
Telecommunication apparatus	390	103.8	103.9	103.8	0.1	-0.1	2.8
Electrical machinery apparatus nes, electrical parts	2,542	101.7	100.6	100.5	-1.1	-0.1	3.4
Road vehicles	164	101.9	101.3	102.0	-0.7	0.7	3.5
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	857	100.9	100.7	100.5	-0.2	-0.2	1.1
Prefab building, sanitary plumbing, lighting nes	12	106.8	106.8	106.8	-	-	6.8
Furniture, bedding, mattresses, cushions & others	26	100.0	100.0	99.8	-	-0.3	-0.2
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	54	104.6	105.0	105.0	0.4	-	5.5
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	79	100.9	100.6	100.7	-0.2	0.1	1.9
Footwear	24	100.2	100.2	100.5	-	0.3	1.2
Professional scientific & controlling instruments	275	102.0	101.7	101.3	-0.4	-0.4	2.8
Photographic & optical goods nes; watches & clocks	106	100.5	100.0	100.1	-0.5	0.1	0.3
Miscellaneous manufactured articles nes	283	99.2	99.2	98.8	-	-0.4	-1.5

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Table 2 Export Price Index

March 2019

Commodity section / division	Weights	Index (2018=100)			% Change		
					Feb 2019	Mar 2019	Mar 2019
		Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2018
All Items	10,000	97.7	98.9	99.6	1.2	0.7	3.4
Non-oil Items	8,022	100.4	100.6	100.6	0.2	-	2.3
Food & Live Animals	236	99.8	99.2	97.9	-0.5	-1.3	-0.1
Dairy products & birds' eggs	5	100.3	100.5	101.5	0.3	1.0	1.6
Fish seafood & preparations	9	100.6	97.3	98.8	-3.3	1.6	-2.1
Cereals & cereal preparations	7	99.8	99.8	100.1	-	0.3	1.1
Vegetables & fruit	8	90.4	90.3	89.9	-0.2	-0.4	-11.6
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	3	100.1	99.8	98.3	-0.3	-1.4	-2.4
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices & manufactures	26	100.1	100.2	100.2	0.1	-	2.0
Animal feeding stuff (excl unmilled cereals)	7	106.8	105.4	107.1	-1.3	1.6	10.2
Miscellaneous food preparations	171	99.8	99.3	97.3	-0.5	-2.0	-0.2
Beverages & Tobacco	103	102.5	102.5	102.0	-0.1	-0.5	4.6
Beverages	75	102.5	101.8	101.8	-0.7	0.1	4.2
Tobacco & manufactures	28	102.7	104.4	102.4	1.6	-1.9	5.5
Crude Materials (excl fuels)	91	97.7	96.4	97.4	-1.3	1.0	0.9
Crude rubber	35	100.6	100.3	100.6	-0.3	0.3	7.3
Pulp and waste paper	26	102.8	97.0	99.1	-5.7	2.2	5.4
Metalliferous ores & metal scrap	26	88.8	90.4	90.9	1.9	0.6	-10.0
Crude animal & vegetable materials nes	4	96.6	97.8	99.1	1.3	1.3	-7.3
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants & Related Materials	1,978	86.9	92.1	95.8	6.0	4.0	8.5
Petroleum & products & related materials	1,978	86.9	92.1	95.8	6.0	4.0	8.5
Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	5	99.0	96.6	96.6	-2.5	-	-3.4
Fixed vegetable fats & oils	5	99.0	96.6	96.6	-2.5	-	-3.4
Chemicals & Chemical Products	1,525	96.7	96.2	96.0	-0.5	-0.2	-1.8
Organic chemicals	428	93.1	92.5	92.5	-0.6	-	-4.1
Inorganic chemicals	14	103.6	103.6	104.4	0.1	0.8	6.8
Dyeing, tanning & colouring materials	37	103.7	103.9	103.8	0.2	-0.1	7.3
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	250	99.5	99.5	99.9	-	0.4	-0.2
Essential oils & perfume; toilet cleaning products	232	99.0	99.1	99.2	0.1	0.1	-0.3
Plastics in primary forms	355	96.3	94.8	93.8	-1.6	-1.1	-3.1
Plastics in non-primary forms	29	100.0	99.9	99.6	-0.1	-0.4	0.4
Chemical materials & products nes	181	96.7	96.4	96.6	-0.2	0.2	-0.8
Manufactured Goods	318	98.3	99.3	99.7	1.0	0.4	0.5
Rubber manufactures nes	22	97.2	97.0	97.0	-0.2	-	-2.4
Paper manufactures	41	97.9	98.1	98.3	0.2	0.2	-0.8
Textile manufactures	19	100.9	100.1	99.8	-0.8	-0.3	-0.5
Non-metal mineral manufactures nes	14	100.6	100.3	100.2	-0.3	-	-
Iron & steel	66	103.0	103.9	104.0	0.8	0.1	7.0
Non-ferrous metals	67	92.2	96.9	98.8	5.0	2.0	-1.4
Manufactures of metals nes	89	98.9	98.6	98.5	-0.4	-0.1	-1.1
Machinery & Transport Equipment	4,836	101.4	102.0	101.9	0.5	-0.1	3.5
Power-generating machinery & equipment	418	99.6	99.8	99.8	0.1	-	1.2
Machinery specialized for particular industries	437	102.7	108.6	108.6	5.8	-	7.2
Metal working machinery	25	102.4	103.3	102.5	0.9	-0.7	3.6
General industrial machinery	212	100.2	99.9	99.9	-0.3	-	-0.3
Office machines & data-processing machines	467	100.8	101.7	101.2	0.8	-0.5	3.8
Telecommunication apparatus	366	98.5	97.9	97.9	-0.7	-	-1.8
Electrical machinery apparatus nes, electrical parts	2,814	102.0	102.0	102.0	-0.1	-	4.2
Road vehicles	98	102.0	102.7	102.3	0.7	-0.4	3.1
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	908	101.8	101.6	102.3	-0.2	0.7	4.1
Prefab building, sanitary plumbing, lighting nes	3	99.4	99.2	99.0	-0.2	-0.2	-1.8
Furniture, bedding, mattresses, cushions & others	5	101.2	101.0	101.0	-0.2	-	3.3
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	37	99.3	98.9	99.6	-0.4	0.7	2.4
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	40	106.7	109.4	107.0	2.5	-2.1	16.5
Footwear	14	101.8	100.2	100.2	-1.6	0.1	3.2
Professional scientific & controlling instruments	365	101.9	101.7	102.0	-0.2	0.4	4.6
Photographic & optical goods nes; watches & clocks	98	98.9	99.2	99.5	0.4	0.3	-2.0
Miscellaneous manufactured articles nes	345	102.2	101.7	103.3	-0.5	1.6	4.2

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Table 3 Import Price Index

Section	All Items	Non-oil Items	Food & Live Animals	Beverages & Tobacco	Crude Materials	Mineral Fuels	Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	Chemicals & Chemical Products	Manufactured Goods	Machinery & Transport Equipment	Misc. Manufactured Articles
Weights	10,000	7,410	247	112	84	2,590	27	888	505	4,690	857
Index (2018=100)											
2015	95.1	102.4	102.0	99.8	105.3	74.8	102.0	98.0	99.2	103.9	101.0
2016	90.1	100.4	99.5	99.6	97.8	61.5	110.6	93.8	92.3	102.4	101.8
2017	95.3	101.0	101.2	100.2	100.5	79.7	114.7	96.7	96.4	102.2	101.6
2018	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018											
Mar	95.1	98.1	98.7	98.2	98.8	86.3	106.4	98.7	99.1	97.5	99.4
Apr	96.5	98.2	98.0	99.4	98.0	91.5	104.3	98.8	99.1	97.8	99.1
May	99.9	99.4	99.1	100.2	99.8	101.6	103.6	99.7	100.3	99.1	100.0
Jun	100.7	99.7	99.2	100.4	100.5	103.4	101.1	100.0	100.8	99.5	100.2
Jul	102.2	100.8	100.1	100.7	101.4	106.3	100.0	100.8	100.9	100.9	100.4
Aug	103.0	100.9	100.8	100.9	101.6	108.7	97.8	101.0	100.8	101.1	100.4
Sep	104.2	101.4	101.1	101.0	101.2	112.4	96.1	101.4	100.4	101.7	100.6
Oct	105.6	101.7	101.2	101.0	100.8	116.7	94.3	101.7	100.6	102.1	100.8
Nov	102.6	101.5	100.8	101.0	100.7	105.7	90.4	101.0	100.0	102.1	100.3
Dec	99.3	101.9	101.0	100.9	100.4	91.9	90.3	100.2	100.1	102.9	100.3
2019											
Jan	98.0	101.3	101.2	100.7	99.7	88.3	91.3	99.1	99.3	102.1	100.9
Feb	99.0	100.8	100.2	100.6	100.1	93.8	90.7	98.7	100.3	101.4	100.7
Mar	100.0	100.8	100.1	100.7	100.2	97.9	89.2	98.8	100.5	101.3	100.5
Percentage Change over same period of previous year (%)											
2016	-5.3	-2.0	-2.5	-0.3	-7.1	-17.8	8.5	-4.3	-7.0	-1.4	0.8
2017	5.8	0.6	1.7	0.7	2.7	29.5	3.7	3.1	4.5	-0.3	-0.1
2018	4.9	-1.0	-1.2	-0.2	-0.5	25.5	-12.8	3.4	3.7	-2.1	-1.6
2018											
Mar	0.1	-3.0	-2.2	-2.0	-2.8	11.0	-10.7	1.5	2.9	-4.6	-2.7
Apr	0.7	-3.4	-2.7	-0.7	-3.4	14.7	-9.2	1.8	3.7	-5.2	-3.3
May	5.3	-2.1	-1.7	-0.1	-0.5	32.4	-11.4	3.4	5.1	-4.0	-1.8
Jun	8.0	-1.4	-1.7	0.2	1.7	45.0	-11.1	4.6	5.8	-3.2	-1.6
Jul	10.1	0.6	-0.8	0.8	2.8	46.2	-9.6	6.7	6.2	-0.7	-0.5
Aug	10.1	0.8	-0.2	0.2	2.3	44.8	-10.9	6.3	4.7	-0.2	-0.6
Sep	10.4	1.3	-0.4	0.5	1.1	42.6	-14.7	5.9	3.7	0.7	-0.6
Oct	10.4	1.0	0.2	1.1	0.5	43.1	-16.1	4.7	2.7	0.5	-0.4
Nov	5.7	0.9	-0.4	1.2	0.7	21.1	-18.0	4.3	2.3	0.6	-0.6
Dec	2.5	1.7	-0.3	1.3	0.8	5.0	-14.6	2.6	2.5	1.9	0.3
2019											
Jan	2.2	3.1	1.2	2.6	1.4	-0.6	-15.4	1.0	0.5	4.3	1.9
Feb	4.1	2.8	0.3	2.5	1.6	8.2	-15.8	0.2	1.4	4.0	1.5
Mar	5.2	2.7	1.4	2.6	1.4	13.4	-16.1	0.1	1.4	3.9	1.1

Table 4 Export Price Index

Section	All Items	Non-oil Items	Food & Live Animals	Beverages & Tobacco	Crude Materials	Mineral Fuels	Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	Chemicals & Chemical Products	Manufactured Goods	Machinery & Transport Equipment	Misc. Manufactured Articles
Weights	10,000	8,022	236	103	91	1,978	5	1,525	318	4,836	908
Index (2018=100)											
2015	99.5	104.6	105.1	101.4	94.4	79.9	97.8	102.2	99.1	107.4	97.3
2016	94.2	101.8	102.2	103.4	88.0	64.7	97.7	96.8	95.6	104.2	100.8
2017	96.9	100.9	100.0	101.7	101.1	81.4	102.8	97.7	98.2	102.0	101.5
2018	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018											
Mar	96.3	98.3	98.0	97.5	96.5	88.3	100.0	97.8	99.2	98.5	98.3
Apr	97.3	98.2	98.5	98.4	96.9	93.5	100.2	97.9	99.9	98.3	97.8
May	100.1	99.3	97.7	99.6	98.5	103.1	100.7	99.6	100.8	99.4	98.8
Jun	100.8	99.9	99.5	99.8	99.8	104.6	100.5	100.4	101.4	99.8	99.2
Jul	101.9	100.8	101.3	100.7	100.4	106.1	100.6	101.7	100.7	100.5	100.7
Aug	102.1	100.9	102.2	100.1	102.4	106.8	100.2	101.7	99.8	100.9	100.2
Sep	103.5	101.9	101.2	101.3	102.1	110.0	100.2	102.4	99.7	102.2	100.6
Oct	104.6	102.0	101.8	101.8	103.6	115.0	100.1	102.6	100.8	101.7	102.7
Nov	101.8	101.2	101.4	102.5	103.5	104.1	99.6	101.6	99.7	100.9	102.6
Dec	98.1	100.5	100.2	101.8	103.2	88.6	98.6	99.2	99.1	100.6	102.2
2019											
Jan	97.7	100.4	99.8	102.5	97.7	86.9	99.0	96.7	98.3	101.4	101.8
Feb	98.9	100.6	99.2	102.5	96.4	92.1	96.6	96.2	99.3	102.0	101.6
Mar	99.6	100.6	97.9	102.0	97.4	95.8	96.6	96.0	99.7	101.9	102.3
Percentage Change over same period of previous year (%)											
2016	-5.4	-2.7	-2.8	2.0	-6.7	-19.0	-	-5.2	-3.6	-3.0	3.6
2017	2.9	-0.9	-2.2	-1.7	14.9	25.7	5.2	0.9	2.7	-2.1	0.7
2018	3.2	-0.9	-	-1.7	-1.1	22.9	-2.7	2.3	1.9	-1.9	-1.5
2018											
Mar	-1.1	-3.9	-2.0	-5.2	-8.3	12.6	-7.4	-1.7	1.1	-4.9	-3.8
Apr	0.1	-3.3	-2.9	-4.1	-5.7	16.7	-5.7	-0.6	2.1	-4.3	-4.4
May	3.4	-2.3	-3.5	-2.3	-2.2	32.3	-2.9	1.6	2.9	-3.6	-3.1
Jun	6.2	-0.6	-1.4	-2.8	1.3	42.1	-0.8	3.8	4.8	-1.9	-2.3
Jul	7.3	0.7	2.7	-0.3	2.9	41.4	0.3	5.9	3.3	-0.8	-0.4
Aug	7.5	1.5	4.0	-0.8	2.8	37.0	0.9	6.1	1.6	0.5	-0.5
Sep	8.2	2.8	3.0	1.2	1.5	33.8	1.1	6.5	1.0	2.4	0.1
Oct	8.0	1.8	2.5	1.6	3.7	36.7	-0.4	5.2	1.9	0.8	2.0
Nov	4.5	1.6	1.3	2.6	4.6	16.9	-1.0	4.2	1.2	0.7	2.0
Dec	0.8	1.2	0.6	2.4	3.8	-1.5	-1.5	1.0	1.0	0.9	2.5
2019											
Jan	0.8	2.1	0.5	4.4	1.2	-4.8	-0.6	-0.6	-0.8	2.9	3.3
Feb	2.5	2.1	0.4	4.1	-0.1	3.8	-3.1	-1.7	-0.5	3.4	3.3
Mar	3.4	2.3	-0.1	4.6	0.9	8.5	-3.4	-1.8	0.5	3.5	4.1

NOTATIONS

- nes not elsewhere specified
- nil or negligible

NOTES

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