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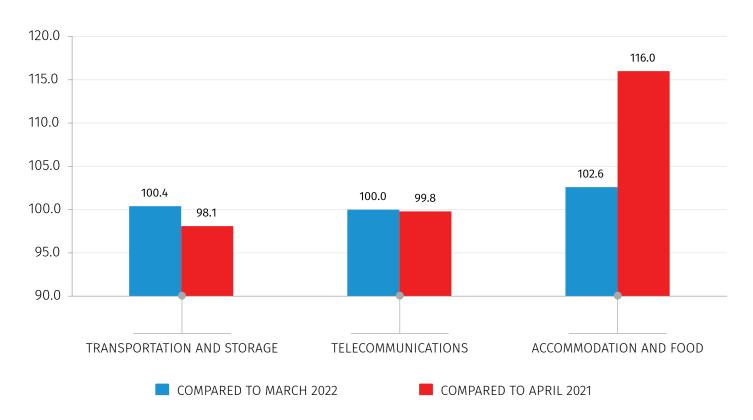
#### PRODUCER PRICE INDICES FOR SERVICES IN GEORGIA

**APRIL 2022** 

**KEY POINTS:** 

- Producer Price Index for Transportation and Storage Services increased by 0.4 percent compared to the previous month and decreased by 1.9 percent compared to April 2021;
- **Producer Price Index for Telecommunication Services** decreased by 0.02 percent compared to the previous month and by 0.2 percent compared to the same month of the previous year;
- Producer Price Index for Accommodation and Food Services increased by 2.6 percent compared to the previous month, while the overall annual index went up by 16.0 percent.

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## PRODUCER PRICE INDEX FOR TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE SERVICES

Producer Price Index for Transportation and Storage Services increased by 0.4 percent compared to the previous month. In the mentioned period the prices decreased by 0.5 percent for the group of land transport services and transport services via pipelines. Along with this, the prices increased for air transport services by 3.3 percent, while for water transport services the prices remained unchanged. Besides, the prices were 1.3 percent lower for warehousing and support services for transportation.

Compared to April 2021 the overall index decreased by 1.9 percent. The prices went down for land transport services and transport services via pipelines by 0.7 percent, for water transport services by 12.5 percent, for air transport services by 5.6 percent and for warehousing and support services for transportation by 8.4 percent.

The following table presents the Producer Price Index for Transportation and Storage Services in April 2022 compared to the same month of the previous year and the relevant contributions of the main subgroups to the change in the overall index.

CODE	GROUPS AND SUBGROUPS	OVER APRIL 2021	CONTRIBUTIONS* TO ANNUAL CHANGES
Н	TOTAL	98.1	-1.87
49	Land transport services and transport services via pipelines	99.3	-0.56
50	Water transport services	87.5	-0.52
51	Air transport services	94.4	-0.63
52	Warehousing and support services for transportation	91.6	-0.16

<sup>\*</sup>Individual contributions may not sum up to the total changes in the index due to rounding.



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#### PRODUCER PRICE INDEX FOR TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES

The total Producer Price Index for Telecommunication Services decreased by 0.02 percent compared to the previous month. In the mentioned period the prices were 0.5 percent lower for other telecommunications services.

The overall index went down by 0.2 percent **compared to the same month of the previous year**. In the mentioned period the prices were 0.1 percent higher for wireless telecommunications services and 0.8 percent lower for other telecommunications services.

The following table presents the Producer Price Index for Telecommunication Services in April 2022 compared to the same month of the previous year and the relevant contributions of the main subgroups to the change in the overall index.

CODE	GROUPS AND SUBGROUPS	OVER APRIL 2021	CONTRIBUTIONS* TO ANNUAL CHANGES
J	TOTAL	99.8	-0.19
61.2	Wireless telecommunications services	100.1	0.06
61.9	Other telecommunications services	99.2	-0.25

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# PRODUCER PRICE INDEX FOR ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICES

Producer Price Index for Accommodation and Food Services increased by 2.6 percent **compared to the previous month**. The prices were higher for accommodation services by 3.9 percent and also, for food and beverage serving services by 1.0 percent.

The overall index posted a 16.0 percent increase **compared to April 2021**. The prices increased by 11.8 percent for food and beverage serving services and by 18.7 percent for accommodation services.

The following table presents the Producer Price Index for Accommodation and Food Services in April 2022 compared to the same month of the previous year and the relevant contributions of the main subgroups to the change in the overall index.

CODE	GROUPS AND SUBGROUPS	OVER APRIL 2021	CONTRIBUTIONS* TO ANNUAL CHANGES
1	TOTAL	116.0	16.01
55	Accommodation services	118.7	11.02
56	Food and beverage serving services	111.8	4.99

<sup>\*</sup>Individual contributions may not sum up to the total changes in the index due to rounding.

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