



## Annual average of wholesale prices increases by (+3.4%) for 2020

The average annual of wholesale price index for 2020 increased by +3.4% Compared to 2019. it was mainly influenced by the rise in the prices of **Agricultural and Fishing products** by +12.5%, due to its weight in the index, in addition to the overall impact of raising VAT from (5%) To (15%) in July 2020.

### Live animals, animal and agricultural products were the most influential

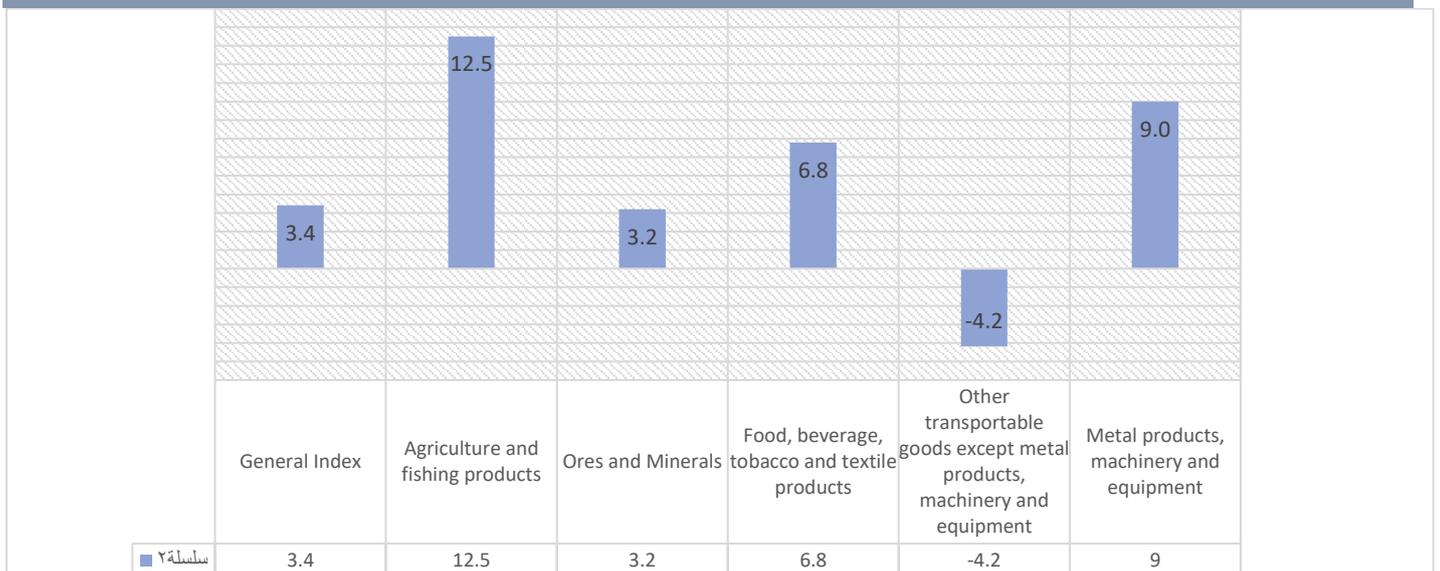
- Agriculture and fishery products recorded the highest annual increase by +12.5%, due to the rise in the prices of Live animals and animal products by +22.3%, as well as the rise in the prices of **Agricultural products** by +9.7%.
- **Metal Products, Machinery and Equipment** increased by +9.0%, affected by the rise in the price of Medical Equipment by +14.4%, General purpose machinery (+14.0%), and Transport equipment (+10.1%).
- **Food Products, Beverages, Tobacco and Textiles** products increased by +6.8%, As a result of the increase in the prices of Meat, fish, fruits, vegetables, oils and fats by +11.8%, and prices of Grain mills, starch and other food products by +6.4%.
- **Ores and Minerals** and increased by +3.2%, as a result of the risen prices of stones and sand by +3.2%.
- In contrast, the share of **Other Transportable Goods** decreased on average by %4.2- due to a decrease in the prices of refined petroleum products (%12.2-) and basic chemicals.(%7.0-)



## Average annual of wholesale prices by doors for 2020

General record and doors	Average index during the year:		
	2020	2019	Percentage change %
<b>General Index</b>	<b>123.2</b>	<b>119.1</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>Agriculture and fishery products</b>	<b>113.0</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>12.5</b>
<b>Ores and Minerals</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>97.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>
<b>Food products, beverages, tobacco and textiles</b>	<b>114.7</b>	<b>107.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>Other transportable goods, except metal products, machinery and equipment</b>	<b>139.5</b>	<b>145.6</b>	<b>-4.2</b>
<b>Metal products, machinery and equipment</b>	<b>115.7</b>	<b>106.1</b>	<b>9.0</b>

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