

## Industrial Production Prices Index June 2020

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### **Industrial Production Prices Index decreased by 5.7%**

Industrial Production Prices Index recorded a year-on-year change rate of -5.7% in June (-6.6% in the previous month), decisively influenced by *Energy*. In fact, excluding this grouping the reduction was 1.8% (1.7% in May). The monthly change rate was 0.5% (-0.5% in the same month of 2019). In the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2020, the year-on-year change rate of the total index was -5.9% (-1.2% in the previous quarter). In this quarter, excluding *Energy* grouping the index diminished 1.5% (-0.8% in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter).

The information in this press release referring June 2020 reflects the situation determined by the pandemic COVID-10, either in economic behavior either in the amount of data for compilation of results presented. We call for the best collaboration by firms, households and public entities in answering, despite the present difficulties, to Statistics Portugal. The quality of official statistics depends crucially on this collaboration, which INE thanks in advance.

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