

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX 2010 = 100

JUNE 2015 Rev

Code	Description	WEIGHTS	% CHANGE						
			Jun 2015	Jun 2014	Jun 2013	May 2015	Jun 2015/ Jun 2014	Jun 2014/ Jun 2013	Jun 2015/ May 2015
0	ALL PRODUCTS	100.00	106.96	108.50	109.95	107.28	-1.42	-1.32	-0.30
11.01	FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	20.35	116.68	115.46	114.95	116.91	1.06	0.44	-0.19
11.02	ALCOHOL BEVERAGES, TOBACCO & NARCOTICS	1.83	123.68	121.72	119.67	123.37	1.61	1.71	0.25
11.03	CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	3.66	99.58	101.42	102.42	100.49	-1.82	-0.97	-0.90
11.04	HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS & OTHER FUELS	29.05	103.45	106.40	105.95	103.31	-2.77	0.42	0.13
11.05	FURNISHING, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT & ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	4.50	108.45	110.34	111.33	108.63	-1.72	-0.89	-0.17
11.06	HEALTH	1.94	130.76	126.68	125.86	130.05	3.22	0.65	0.55
11.07	TRANSPORT	18.72	108.81	113.95	110.99	110.40	-4.51	2.67	-1.44
11.08	COMMUNICATION	10.03	90.96	90.96	112.09	90.96	0.00	-18.85	0.00
11.09	RECREATION AND CULTURE	2.71	106.65	106.37	104.25	106.65	0.26	2.04	0.00
11.10	EDUCATION	0.83	122.33	118.43	113.99	122.33	3.29	3.90	0.00
11.11	RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS	1.81	107.25	107.25	107.24	107.25	0.00	0.01	0.00
11.12	MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	4.59	105.79	104.32	104.17	105.90	1.41	0.15	-0.11

The above table shows the computation of the Consumer Price Index for the month of June 2015, with changes for the previous month May 2015 and the corresponding month of last year June 2014. The overall index moved from 107.28 index points in May 2015 to 106.96 index points in June 2015 representing a decline of 0.30%. An examination of the various groups revealed the following:

The major group "Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages" which has the second highest weight share declined by 0.19% resulting from a decline in the price of Bakery Product excluding Bread by 0.15%, Beef and Veal 0.74%, Mutton 0.53%, Poultry 0.02%, Delicatessen and other Meat Preparation 0.12%, Preserved Fish 0.68%, Preserved Milk 0.99%, Butter 0.33%, Cooking Oil 0.36%, Fresh Fruit 1.75%, Fresh Vegetables 0.43%, Potatoes 1.52%, Preserved Vegetables 0.16% and Soft Drinks Concentrates 0.97%. Despite these decreases there were noticeable increases within the said group for example, Pasta Products 0.51%, Pork 2.19%, Eggs 1.80%, Jams Marmalades and Honey 0.93% and Hot Beverages 0.35%.

"Clothing and Footwear" declined by 0.90% due to a decline in the price of Garments 1.11% and Footwear 1.30%. "Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance" declined by 0.17%, due to a price reduction in Household Utensils 6.09% and Non-Durable Household Goods 0.22%. "Transport" declined by 1.44% resulting from a decline in the price of Passenger Transport by Air 14.29%, despite a 2.56% increase in the price of Motor Vehicle Fuel. "Miscellaneous Goods and Services" also declined by 0.11% due to a price decrease in Personal Care Products of 0.25%. The other groups recorded increases between 0.13% and 0.55% as a result of the following price increases Spirits 1.00%, Tobacco 0.86%, Electricity 0.29%, Cooking Gas 2.03%, Medical Products 2.90%, and Medical Service 1.93%.

Relative to the corresponding month of last year the Consumer Price Index moved from 108.50 index points in June 2014 to 106.96 index points in June 2015 representing a decline of 1.42%. The major group recorded the following decreases; "Clothing and Footwear" 1.82%, "Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels 2.77%", "Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance" 1.72% and "Transport" 4.51%. The following items contributed to these decreases, Garments 2.91% and Footwear 1.37%, Rental for Housing 0.36%, Electricity 8.77%, Cooking Gas 12.43%, Living-room and Dining-room Furniture 15.72%, Household Utensils 7.25%, Small Tools 2.49%, Motor Vehicle Fuel 10.96% and Passenger Transport by Air 19.16%.

All the other groups recorded increases between 0.26% and 3.29% due to price increase of Rice 0.83%, Beef and Veal 5.52%, Pork 8.38%, Poultry 3.40%, Delicatessen and Other Meat Preparations 1.42%, Frozen Fish 3.74%, Cheese 8.40%, Butter 2.16%, Margarine 2.78%, Fresh Fruit 2.17%, Honey 14.91%, Hot Beverage 3.33%, Spirits 2.32%, Tobacco 4.50%, Pharmaceutical Products 3.84%, Books 6.18%, Pre-primary and Primary Education 2.12%, Tertiary Education 3.84 and Personal Care Products 2.83% .

Accordingly, the inflation rate for the period June 2015 is negative 1.42%. This can be compared to a decreased of 1.32% for the same period 2014.

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