

Consumer Price Index

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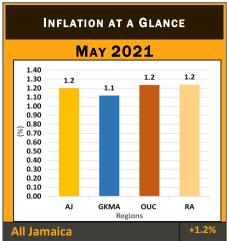




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MAY 2021

The All Jamaica Consumer Price Index increased by 1.2 per cent in May 2021. This upward movement was primarily as a result of the 3.4 per cent rise in the index for the 'Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels' division. This was due mainly to an increase in



All Jamaica	+1.2%
Greater Kingston Metropolitan Area	+1.1%
Other Urban Centres	+1.2%
Rural Areas	+1.2%

ALL JAMAICA MONTHLY MOVEMENTS:

MONTH	YEAR	(%)
May	2021	+1.2
April	2021	-0.5
March	2021	+1.1
February	2021	-0.1
January	2021	-1.6
December	2020	+1.3
November	2020	+0.6
October	2020	+0.8
September	2020	+0.2
August	2020	+0.2
July	2020	+0.5
June	2020	+1.4

the rates for electricity, water and sewage. The index for the heavily weighted 'Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages' division rose by 1.1 per cent for the review period. Higher prices for starchy tubers such as yam, green banana and potatoes resulted in a upward movement of 3.0 per cent in the index for the class 'Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses'. Additionally, there was a 0.7 per cent increase in the index for the 'Transport' division which was largely due to higher prices for fuels.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 1.7 per cent, the point-to-point was 5.0 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 1.2 per cent as at May 2021.

Table I: All Jamaica, Divisional Indices and Movements

(Base period 2019 = 100)

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	MAY 2021	APR 2021	Past Month	Fiscal Year to date 21/22	Calendar Year to Date	Point to Point
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	109.0	107.7	1.2	1.2	1.7	5.0
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	111.2	110.0	1.1	1.1	0.5	5.4
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	105.1	104.6	0.5	0.5	1.1	2.8
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	108.7	108.3	0.4	0.4	1.0	4.8
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	111.8	108.1	3.4	3.4	5.3	4.8
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	108.3	107.8	0.5	0.5	1.6	5.1
06 HEALTH	108.6	108.4	0.2	0.2	1.4	4.5
07 TRANSPORT	102.9	102.2	0.7	0.7	2.0	3.2
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	98.9	98.6	0.3	0.3	0.5	-1.0
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	106.3	106.2	0.1	0.1	0.7	4.7
10 EDUCATION	110.3	110.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.6
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	107.8	107.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	4.2
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	104.3	104.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	108.6	108.2	0.4	0.4	1.4	5.3

CPI Division Movements

FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES



The index for the 'Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages' division increased by 1.1 per cent for May 2021. For the 'Food' group, there was a similar 1.1 per cent increase in the index, mainly attributed to the class 'Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses' where prices rose 3.0 per cent rise. This upward movement was influenced by higher prices for starchy tubers such as yam, green banana and potatoes. However, lower prices for sweet pepper, carrot and lettuce tempered the movement of this class. Other classes registering increases were: 'Cereals and cereal products' 0.6 per cent, 'Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals' 0.6 per cent, 'Fish and Seafood' 0.5 per cent and 'Fruits and nuts' 2.2 per cent. The index for the 'Non-Alcoholic Beverages' group, increased by 0.2 per cent.

As at May 2021, the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 0.5 per cent, the point-to-point 5.4 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date 1.1 per cent for this division.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS



The index for this division increased by 0.5 per cent for May 2021. The main contributor to this movement was an increase of 0.7 per cent in the index for the group 'Alcoholic Beverages'.

For this division, as at May 2021, the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 1.1 per cent, the point-to-point was 2.8 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 0.5 per cent.

CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR



The index for the 'Clothing and Footwear' division increased by 0.4 per cent for May 2021. Within this division, the index for the two groups 'Clothing' and 'Footwear' each increased by 0.4 per cent.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 1.0 per cent, the point-to-point 4.8 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 0.4 per cent as at May 2021.

HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS



The index for the 'Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels' division increased by 3.4 per cent. This movement was impacted mainly by the 9.6 per cent increase in the index for the group 'Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels' and a 2.0 per cent increase in the index for the group 'Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Related to the Dwelling'. Higher electricity rates influenced the movement in the former group, while increased water and sewage rates impacted the latter.

For this division, the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 5.3 per cent, the point-to-point 4.8 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 3.4 per cent as at May 2021.

FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE



The index for the 'Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance' division increased by 0.5 per cent. This was due primarily to the 0.5 per cent increase in the index for the group 'Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance' as a result of increased prices for some household non-durable items such as laundry soaps, detergents and other cleaning products. All other groups in the division also registered increases: 'Furniture, Furnishing and Loose Carpets' moved up by 0.6 per cent and 'Household Appliances' by 0.5 per cent.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate for this division was 1.6 per cent, the point-to-point 5.1 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 0.5 per cent as at May 2021.

HEALTH



The index for the 'Health' division went up by 0.2 per cent for May 2021. This was due mainly to the 0.3 per cent increase in the index for the group 'Medicines and Health Products'. The index for the 'Outpatient Care Services' group went up by 0.1 per cent.

For May 2021 the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 1.4 per cent, the point-to-point rate 4.5 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 0.2 per cent.

TRANSPORT



There was a 0.7 per cent rise in the index for the 'Transport' division for May 2021. This was largely as a result of higher petrol prices for personal transport equipment.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 2.0 per cent, the point-to point rate 3.2 per cent, while the fiscal year-to-date was 0.7 per cent as at May 2021.

Information and Communication



The index for the 'Information and Communication' division increased by 0.3 per cent for May 2021. This movement was influenced mainly by higher costs for some information and communication services.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate for this division was 0.5 per cent, the point-to-point rate -1.0 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date was 0.3 per cent for the review period.

RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE



The index for 'Recreation, Sport and Culture' rose by 0.1 per cent for the period under review. The movement was mainly influenced by the 0.3 per cent increase in the index for the group 'Garden Products and Pets' and the 0.1 per cent upward movement in the index for the group 'Newspapers, Books and Stationery'.

For this division, the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 0.7 per cent, the point-to-point 4.7 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date inflation rate was 0.1 per cent as at May 2021.

RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES



The index for the division 'Restaurants and Accommodation Services' increased by 0.3 per cent for May 2021. Higher prices for meals consumed from fast food restaurants, resulted in the index for the group 'Food and Beverage Serving Services' increasing by 0.2 per cent, while increased costs for accommodation led to the 5.3 per cent increase in the index for 'Accommodation Services'.

For this division, the calendar year-to-date inflation rate was 0.4 per cent, the point-to-point 4.2 per cent, while the fiscal year-to-date inflation rate was 0.3 per cent as at May 2021.

PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES



The index for 'Personal Care, Social Protection and Miscellaneous Goods and Services' increased by 0.4 per cent for May 2021. For this division, prices continued to move upwards for some personal care items.

The calendar year-to-date inflation rate for this division was 1.4 per cent, the point-to-point was 5.3 per cent and the fiscal year-to-date inflation was 0.4 per cent for the period under review.

TABLE II. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: ALL JAMAICA, MAY 2021

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	MAY 2021	APR 2021	Past	Fiscal Year to date	Calendar Year to	Point to
DIVISIONS, GROOTS AND CEASSES	Index	Index	Month	21/22	Date	Point
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	109.0	107.7	1.2	1.2	1.7	5.0
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	111.2	110.0	1.1	1.1	0.5	5.4
01.1 FOOD	111.2	110.0	1.1	1.1	0.4	5.4
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	111.4	110.7	0.6	0.6	3.1	7.6
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	114.8	114.1	0.6	0.6	2.3	9.6
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	113.4	112.8	0.5	0.5	2.3	6.9
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	109.5	109.0	0.5	0.5	1.8	5.8
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	111.4	110.9	0.4	0.4	2.0	7.0
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	109.9	107.6	2.2	2.2	2.8	3.8
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	107.8	104.7	3.0	3.0	-6.2	-0.5
Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)	115.0	102.0	12.8	12.8	11.3	8.3
Vegetables	104.8	105.6	-0.7	-0.7	-11.4	-4.0
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	113.1	112.6	0.4	0.4	1.4	6.2
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	110.1	110.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	6.5
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	109.9	109.7	0.2	0.2	1.1	4.8
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	110.3	110.1	0.2	0.2	0.8	4.5
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	110.7	110.2	0.5	0.5	1.7	5.6
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 0.1.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	109.3	109.2	0.1	0.1	0.9	4.8
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	105.1	104.6	0.5	0.5	1.1	2.8
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	108.7	108.3	0.4	0.4	1.0	4.8
03.1 CLOTHING	109.2	108.7	0.4	0.4	1.1	5.2
03.2 FOOTWEAR	107.8	107.3	0.4	0.4	0.9	3.9
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	111.8	108.1	3.4	3.4	5.3	4.8
04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING	115.5	115.5	0.0	0.0	13.1	10.5
04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING	108.1	107.2	0.8	0.8	2.4	5.2
04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING	101.4	99.4	2.0	2.0	2.3	-10.7
04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	127.6	116.4	9.6	9.6	9.2	17.7
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD	108.3	107.8	0.5	0.5	1.6	5.1
MAINTENANCE						
05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS	112.6	111.9	0.6	0.6	2.6	7.8
05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES	111.3	110.9	0.3	0.3	1.6	5.3
05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	106.8	106.3	0.5	0.5	0.9	3.7
05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN	107.0	106.8	0.2	0.2	1.7	3.8
05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	107.8	107.3	0.5	0.5	1.6	5.1
OG 1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS	108.6 109.4	108.4 109.0	0.2 0.3	0.2 0.3	1.4 1.6	4.5 5.0
06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS 06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES	105.7	105.6	0.3	0.3	0.4	4.1
06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES	104.8	104.8	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.7
07 TRANSPORT	104.8	104.8	0.7	0.7	2.0	3.2
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	98.9	98.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	-1.0
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	106.3	106.2	0.3	0.3	0.7	4.7
10 EDUCATION	110.3	110.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.6
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	107.8	107.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	4.2
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	104.3	104.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS						
AND SERVICES	108.6	108.2	0.4	0.4	1.4	5.3

TABLE III. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: GREATER KINGSTON METROPOLITAN AREA, MAY 2021

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	MAY 2021 Index	APR 2021 Index	Past Month	Fiscal Year to date 21/22	Calendar Year to Date	Point to Point
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	107.7	106.6	1.1	1.1	1.6	4.6
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	111.4	110.2	1.0	1.0	0.1	5.2
01.1 FOOD	111.5	110.3	1.1	1.1	0.1	5.2
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	112.2	111.7	0.4	0.4	2.5	7.3
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	118.3	117.5	0.7	0.7	2.9	11.7
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	114.5	113.9	0.6	0.6	2.4	7.4
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	109.1	108.8	0.3	0.3	1.7	5.6
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	111.5	111.2	0.3	0.3	2.5	7.5
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	104.4	102.5	1.9	1.9	3.5	7.0
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	107.8	104.6	3.1	3.1	-7.9	-3.8
Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)	120.2	106.3	13.1	13.1	10.7	11.9
Vegetables	103.0	103.9	-0.9	-0.9	-13.8	-9.5
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	113.0	112.4	0.6	0.6	1.8	6.5
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	106.6	106.7	-0.1	-0.1	-0.6	3.6
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	109.2	109.1	0.1	0.1	0.8	4.6
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	108.3	108.2	0.1	0.1	0.5	4.7
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	110.5	110.2	0.2	0.2	1.4	4.7
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 0.1.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	109.4	109.3	0.0	0.0	0.9	4.8
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	104.3	103.6	0.7	0.7	1.1	2.6
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	107.5	107.0	0.4	0.4	1.3	4.4
03.1 CLOTHING	107.8	107.3	0.5	0.5	1.6	4.8
03.2 FOOTWEAR	107.0	106.6	0.4	0.4	0.7	3.8
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	106.7	103.9	2.7	2.7	4.8	2.8
04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING	109.6	109.6	0.0	0.0	13.9	9.6
04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING	106.2	105.3	0.9	0.9	1.8	4.7
04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING	103.1	101.0	2.0	2.0	2.3	-10.7
04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	128.5	116.9	9.9	9.9	9.1	18.4
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD						
MAINTENANCE	109.5	108.7	0.7	0.7	1.6	5.3
05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS	111.1	110.7	0.4	0.4	2.0	6.8
05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES	111.9	111.4	0.4	0.4	1.8	5.2
05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	114.3	113.7	0.5	0.5	1.5	4.7
05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN	110.3	110.3	0.0	0.0	1.1	3.5
05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	108.6	107.7	0.9	0.9	1.7	5.4
06 HEALTH	114.6	114.4	0.1	0.1	0.9	4.3
06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS	117.3	117.1	0.1	0.1	1.0	4.8
06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES	107.5	107.5	0.1	0.1	0.8	5.5
06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES	100.1	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
07 TRANSPORT	102.6	101.8	0.8	0.8	2.2	3.3
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	96.8	96.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	-3.0
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	105.8	105.8	0.0	0.0	0.5	4.3
10 EDUCATION	116.0	116.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.1
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	106.2	105.8	0.4	0.4	0.6	4.3
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	104.0	104.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	108.2	107.8	0.4	0.4	1.2	5.2

TABLE IV. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: OTHER URBAN CENTRES, MAY 2021

	MAY	APR	Past	Fiscal Year	Calendar	Point
DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	2021	2021	Month	to date	Year to	to
	Index	Index		21/22	Date	Point
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	111.0	109.6	1.2	1.2	1.5	5.5
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	110.0	108.8	1.1	1.1	0.5	5.8
01.1 FOOD	109.9	108.7	1.2	1.2	0.5	5.8
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	110.7	110.2	0.5	0.5	3.4	7.9
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	114.9	114.3	0.5	0.5	2.3	9.9
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	114.0	113.4	0.5	0.5	2.1	6.6
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	109.9	109.3	0.6	0.6	1.6	5.6
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	110.3	109.6	0.7	0.7	2.1	7.5
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	109.3	108.1	1.2	1.2	3.3	5.2
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	102.7	98.9	3.9	3.9	-6.1	0.1
Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)	115.6	102.5	12.8	12.8	8.1	7.0
Vegetables	97.1	97.4	-0.4	-0.4	-11.9	-3.3
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	113.0	112.7	0.2	0.2	1.3	6.7
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	108.5	108.9	-0.4	-0.4	-0.3	5.0
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	111.2	110.8	0.3	0.3	1.1	5.1
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	113.7	113.6	0.1	0.1	1.2	4.7
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	111.7	111.3	0.4	0.4	1.6	5.7
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 0.1.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	108.8	108.5	0.3	0.3	0.7	5.1
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	105.3	104.9	0.4	0.4	1.4	2.9
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	109.6	109.0	0.5	0.5	1.3	6.1
03.1 CLOTHING	110.6	110.0	0.5	0.5	1.4	6.6
03.2 FOOTWEAR	107.5	106.8	0.7	0.7	1.1	5.0
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	120.3	116.3	3.5	3.5	4.1	5.1
04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING	134.2	134.2	0.0	0.0	11.7	11.9
04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING	106.3	105.6	0.7	0.7	2.3	4.1
04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING	100.7	98.7	2.0	2.0	2.3	-10.7
04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	126.5	115.3	9.8	9.8	8.7	17.0
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD	108.7	108.3	0.4	0.4	1.4	4.8
MAINTENANCE	100.7	106.5	0.4	0.4	1.4	4.0
05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS	111.1	110.3	0.7	0.7	2.6	7.5
05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES	110.6	110.2	0.3	0.3	1.7	5.8
05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	106.6	106.0	0.5	0.5	0.6	3.4
05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN	104.1	103.7	0.4	0.4	1.5	4.4
05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	108.6	108.3	0.3	0.3	1.3	4.6
06 HEALTH	107.5	107.2	0.2	0.2	1.5	5.1
06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS	107.8	107.5	0.3	0.3	1.8	5.5
06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES	106.7	106.7	0.1	0.1	0.3	4.0
06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES	104.5	104.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9
07 TRANSPORT	102.6	101.9	0.7	0.7	2.2	3.1
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	99.8	99.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	-0.2
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	106.4	106.4	0.1	0.1	0.9	4.9
10 EDUCATION	105.3	105.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	27.3
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	106.2	106.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	4.0
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	104.3	104.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS	109.1	108.7	0.4	0.4	1.4	5.5
AND SERVICES	109.1	100./	0.4	0.4	1.4	5.5

TABLE V. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: RURAL AREAS, MAY 2021

	MAY	APR	Past	Fiscal Year	Calendar	Point
DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	2021 Index	2021 Index	Month	to date 21/22	Year to Date	to Point
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	109.0		1.2	1.2	1.8	5.1
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	111.6	107.6 110.4	1.1	1.1	0.6	5.3
01-1 FOOD 01.1 FOOD	111.7	110.4	1.1	1.1	0.6	5.3
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	111.3	110.4	0.7	0.7	3.4	7.6
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	112.5	111.8	0.6	0.6	1.8	8.2
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	112.6	112.0	0.5	0.5	2.4	6.8
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	109.6	109.0	0.6	0.6	2.0	6.0
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	111.8	111.4	0.4	0.4	1.6	6.6
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	113.8	110.7	2.8	2.8	2.1	1.4
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	110.2	107.5	2.5	2.5	-5.3	1.2
Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)	112.0	99.4	12.7	12.7	13.2	7.0
Vegetables	109.5	110.4	-0.8	-0.8	-9.8	-0.9
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	113.2	112.7	0.4	0.4	1.2	5.9
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	112.8	113.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.5	8.8
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	109.9	109.6	0.3	0.3	1.2	4.8
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	110.2	109.8	0.3	0.3	0.9	4.2
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	110.0	109.2	0.7	0.7	2.1	6.0
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 0.1.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	109.7	109.7	0.0	0.0	1.0	4.6
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	105.5	105.1	0.4	0.4	1.0	2.9
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	109.0	108.6	0.4	0.4	0.7	4.4
03.1 CLOTHING	109.3	108.9	0.3	0.3	0.7	4.8
03.2 FOOTWEAR	108.4	108.0	0.4	0.4	0.8	3.5
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	111.6	107.2	4.1	4.1	6.4	6.3
04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING	111.0	111.0	0.0	0.0	13.1	11.0
04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING	110.9	110.1	0.7	0.7	3.1	6.5
04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING	100.4	98.4	2.0	2.0	2.3	-10.7
04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	127.6	116.6	9.4	9.4	9.4	17.5
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE						
HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	107.5	107.1	0.4	0.4	1.7	5.2
05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS	113.9	113.1	0.7	0.7	3.0	8.3
05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES	111.3	111.1	0.2	0.2	1.4	5.1
05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	102.7	102.2	0.5	0.5	0.6	3.3
05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN	107.0	106.8	0.2	0.2	1.9	3.8
05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	107.0	106.6	0.4	0.4	1.6	5.1
06 HEALTH	105.7	105.4	0.3	0.3	1.6	4.4
06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS	105.7	105.3	0.4	0.4	1.9	4.8
06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES	103.9	103.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	3.2
06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES	108.7	108.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.0
07 TRANSPORT	103.2	102.5	0.7	0.7	1.9	3.2
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	100.1	99.8	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	106.9	106.8	0.1	0.1	0.9	5.1
10 EDUCATION	107.0	107.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.7
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	109.7	109.6	0.1	0.1	0.2	4.3
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	104.5	104.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS						
GOODS AND SERVICES	108.5	108.2	0.3	0.3	1.4	5.4



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