



Consumer Price Index

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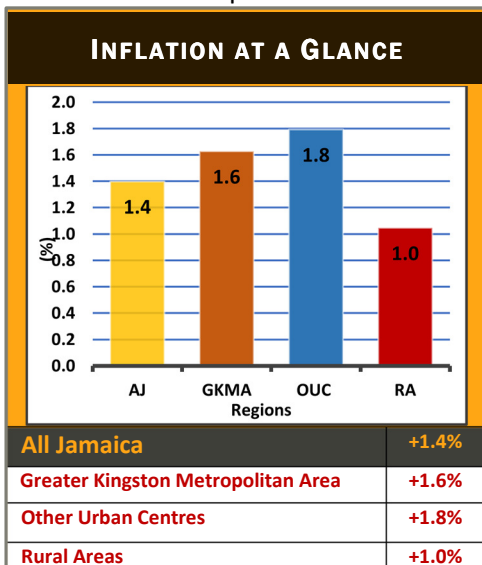
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The All Jamaica Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased by 1.4 per cent for September 2022. The main contributor to this increase was a 4.1 per cent rise in the index for the **'Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels'** division, due mainly



to the upward movement of 9.2 per cent in the **'Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels'** group. The rise in this group's index was mainly due to the cessation of the Government of Jamaica's 20.0 per cent subsidy on electricity bills for customers who used 200 kilowatts per hour or less. The inflation rate was also impacted by a 1.1 per cent increase in the index for the division **'Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages'**, primarily attributed to the 3.5 per cent rise in the index for the class **'Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses'**. Additionally, an upward movement of 5.3 per cent in the index for the **'Education'** division contributed to the increase in the inflation rate. This resulted from higher tuition fees charged by private primary-level institutions. However, the index for the **'Transport'** division fell by 0.3 per cent, as a result of lower petrol prices.

The **point-to-point** inflation rate as at September 2022 was 9.3 per cent, while that for the **fiscal year-to-date** was 4.2 per cent.

Table I: All Jamaica, Divisional Indices and Movement (Base period 2019 = 100)

ALL JAMAICA MONTHLY MOVEMENTS:

MONTH	YEAR	(%)
September	2022	+1.4
August	2022	+0.9
July	2022	+0.7
June	2022	+0.8
May	2022	+0.3
April	2022	- 0.1
March	2022	+1.6
February	2022	+0.8
January	2022	+0.6
December	2021	+0.8
November	2021	+0.0
October	2021	+1.0
September	2021	+2.3

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	SEPT 2022	AUG 2022	Past Month	Point to Point	Fiscal Year 22/23	Calendar Year to Date
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	125.5	123.8	1.4	9.3	4.2	6.7
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	134.2	132.7	1.1	10.5	6.4	10.3
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	116.7	116.0	0.5	9.5	3.9	6.4
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	117.1	116.2	0.8	5.8	2.9	4.2
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	121.2	116.4	4.1	8.5	1.2	2.9
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	121.4	121.0	0.4	10.2	2.4	7.7
06 HEALTH	114.8	114.5	0.3	4.3	1.8	2.9
07 TRANSPORT	119.9	120.3	-0.3	6.1	2.0	4.5
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	99.5	99.5	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	118.2	116.2	1.7	8.6	4.3	6.2
10 EDUCATION	121.7	115.6	5.3	7.7	5.6	5.6
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	140.9	140.8	0.1	19.4	8.9	9.3
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	108.2	108.2	0.0	3.8	0.0	0.0
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	118.9	118.3	0.5	7.6	3.8	5.7

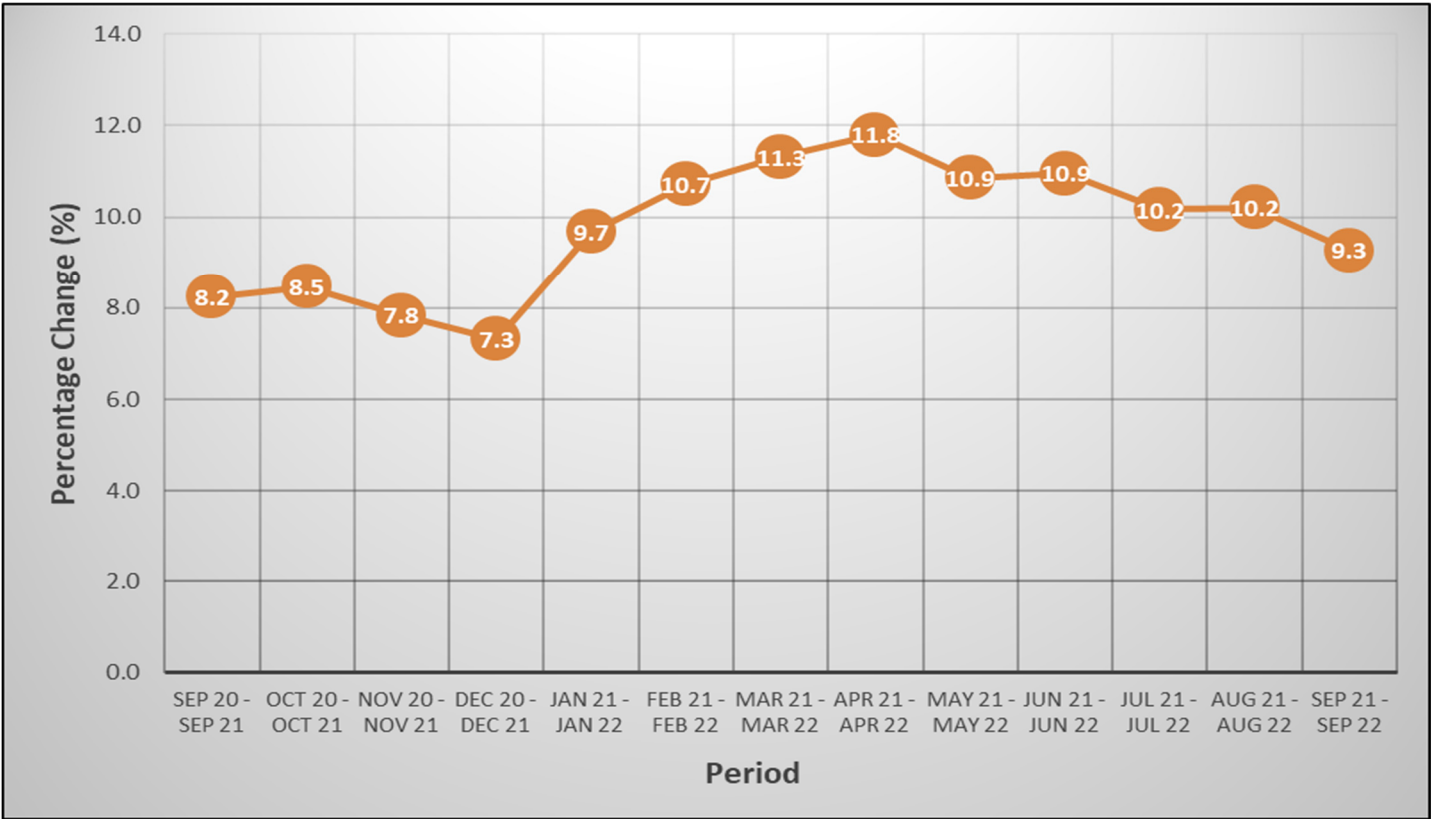
CPI Point-to-Point, September 2022

In September 2022, the year-over-year inflation rate for the All Jamaica, All Items CPI was 9.3 per cent. This inflation rate was mainly attributed to increases in the index for the divisions, **‘Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages’**, **‘Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Fuels’** and **‘Restaurants and Accommodations Services’**.

The index for **‘Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages’** rose by 10.5 per cent. Higher prices for items within the classes, *‘Cereal and cereal products’* and *‘Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals’* were the chief contributors. The index for *‘Cereal and cereal product’*, which rose by 16.4 per cent, continued to be impacted by increased prices for flour, rice and bread. The index for *‘Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals’* rose by 17.7 per cent and was largely the result of increased prices for chicken, turkey neck, and other meat products.

The index for the division **‘Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Fuels’** increased by 8.5 per cent, mainly due to the 14.9 per cent rise in the index for the group *‘Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels’*. Contributing to this group’s increase was the cessation of the Government of Jamaica’s 20.0 per cent subsidy on electricity bills for customers who used 200 kilowatts per hour (kwh) or less. The subsidy was implemented for four months ending in August 2022.

There was a 19.4 per cent increase in the index for the division **‘Restaurants and Accommodation Services’**. This resulted from higher prices at *‘Food and Beverages Serving Services’* establishments for the review period.



All Jamaica, Point-to-Point inflation rate, September 2020 – September 2022

CPI Division Movements, September 2022

FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES



+1.1%

The index for the division **'Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages'** increased by 1.1 per cent for September 2022, as there were increases in the index for the groups, 'Food' (1.1%) and 'Non-Alcoholic Beverages' (0.8%). Impacting the 'Food' group was the 3.5 per cent rise in the index for the class *'Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses'*. This was due largely to the continued upward trend in the prices for some agricultural produce such as carrot, tomato, Irish and sweet potatoes. Other classes impacting the movement of the group were: 'Oils and Fats' (1.9%), 'Milk, other dairy products and eggs' (0.8%), 'Cereals and cereal products' (0.7%) and 'Fish and Seafood' (0.6%). For the 'Non-Alcoholic Beverages' group, increases were recorded for all classes: 'Fruit and Vegetable Juices' (0.9%), 'Water, Soft drinks, and Other non-alcoholic beverages' (0.8%) and 'Coffee, Tea, Cocoa' (0.8%).

The point-to-point inflation rate for this division was 10.5 per cent.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS



+0.5%

The index for **'Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics'** increased by 0.5 per cent for the period under review. This upward movement was mainly a result of the 0.7 per cent increase in the index for the 'Alcoholic Beverages' group, as prices continued to rise for the classes 'Spirits and Liquors' (1.0%), 'Wine' (0.8%) and 'Beer' (0.7%).

The point-to-point inflation rate was 9.5 per cent.

CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR



+0.8%

The index for the division **'Clothing and Footwear'** rose by 0.8 per cent for September 2022. The two groups, 'Clothing' and 'Footwear' registered increases of 0.7 per cent and 0.9 per cent respectively. For 'Clothing', the increased cost of school uniform materials was the main contributing factor, while higher prices for children's shoes impacted the index for 'Footwear'.

The point-to-point inflation rate for the division was 5.8 per cent.

HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS



+4.1 %

The index for the **'Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels'** division moved upwards by 4.1 per cent. This movement was largely attributed to a rise of 9.2 per cent in the index for the group 'Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels', due to the ending of the Government of Jamaica's subsidy of 20.0 per cent on electricity bills for customers who used 200 kwh or less. Also contributing to the division's movement were higher rates for water and sewage which resulted in the index for the group 'Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Relating to the Dwelling' increasing by 0.6 per cent. The index for the group 'Maintenance, Repair and Security of the Dwelling' rose by 0.5 per cent as a result of higher prices for paint.

The point-to-point inflation rate for this division was 8.5 per cent.

FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE



+0.4 %

Similar to the previous month, the index for the **'Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance'** division increased by 0.4 per cent. All groups within the division registered increases in their index with 'Household Textiles' (0.6%), 'Tools and Equipment for House and Garden' (0.4%) and 'Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance' (0.4%) having the highest increases.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 10.2 per cent for this division.

HEALTH



+0.3%

The **'Health'** division had a 0.3 per cent increase in its index for September 2022. This was due primarily to the 0.3 per cent increase in the index for the group **'Medicines and Health Products'** influenced mainly by higher prices for some prescription drugs. Also impacting the movement of the division was the 0.7 per cent increase in the index for the group **'Out Patient Care Services'** due mainly to an increase in the fees charged by some general practitioners.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 4.3 per cent.

TRANSPORT



-0.3%

There was a 0.3 per cent fall in the index for the **'Transport'** division for the review month. This was largely the result of a 2.0 per cent decline in the index for the class **'Fuels and Lubricants for personal transport equipment'** due to lower prices for 87 and 90 unleaded gasoline.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 6.1 per cent.

RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE



+1.7%

The index for the **'Recreation, Sport and Culture'** division increased by 1.7 per cent. This movement was mainly due to a 2.1 per cent increase for the group **'Newspapers, Books and Stationery'** due to higher prices for school books and stationery supplies.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 8.6 per cent.

EDUCATION



+5.3%

The index for the **'Education'** division rose by 5.3 per cent for September 2022. This was attributed to higher tuition fees for private schools at the primary education level for the new school year.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 7.7 per cent.

RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES



+0.1%

The index for the **'Restaurants and Accommodation Services'** division increased by 0.1 per cent. The division was impacted by higher prices for some meals consumed away from home.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 19.4 per cent.

PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES



+0.5%

The index for the division **'Personal Care, Social Protection and Miscellaneous Goods and Services'** increased by 0.5 per cent for the period under review. This was due primarily to increased prices for some personal care products such as toilet tissue, paper towel, lotion and toothpaste.

The point-to-point inflation rate was 7.6 per cent.

TABLE II. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: ALL JAMAICA, SEPTEMBER 2022

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	SEPT 2022 Index	AUG 2022 Index	Past Month	Point to Point	Fiscal Year 22/23	Calendar Year to Date
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	125.5	123.8	1.4	9.3	4.2	9.3
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	134.2	132.7	1.1	10.5	6.4	10.5
01.1 FOOD	134.7	133.2	1.1	10.5	6.5	10.5
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	136.8	135.8	0.7	16.4	8.6	16.4
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	143.1	142.8	0.2	17.7	5.2	17.7
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	131.3	130.6	0.6	11.8	3.4	11.8
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	128.6	127.6	0.8	12.9	5.3	12.9
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	139.5	136.8	1.9	16.9	9.1	16.9
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	122.5	123.4	-0.7	7.1	-0.5	7.1
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	137.3	132.7	3.5	-0.2	11.2	-0.2
<i>Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)</i>	133.9	132.3	1.2	-4.0	16.5	-4.0
<i>Vegetables</i>	138.6	132.7	4.4	1.5	9.6	1.5
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	127.8	127.3	0.4	8.5	3.5	8.5
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	124.9	123.7	1.0	7.8	4.5	7.8
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	125.3	124.3	0.8	11.2	5.5	11.2
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	125.7	124.6	0.9	11.6	5.2	11.6
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	127.1	126.0	0.8	10.9	6.4	10.9
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 01.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	124.6	123.5	0.8	11.4	5.4	11.4
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	116.7	116.0	0.5	9.5	3.9	9.5
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	117.1	116.2	0.8	5.8	2.9	5.8
<i>03.1 CLOTHING</i>	117.9	117.1	0.7	6.1	3.2	6.1
<i>03.2 FOOTWEAR</i>	115.4	114.3	0.9	5.1	2.2	5.1
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	121.2	116.4	4.1	8.5	1.2	8.5
<i>04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	126.0	123.9	1.7	7.8	1.0	7.8
<i>04.2 IMPUTED RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	106.4	104.7	1.6	2.2	2.3	2.2
<i>04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING</i>	125.7	125.0	0.5	10.6	4.3	10.6
<i>04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING</i>	113.8	113.0	0.6	12.5	2.4	12.5
<i>04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS</i>	145.3	133.0	9.2	14.9	-0.5	14.9
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	121.4	121.0	0.4	10.2	2.4	10.2
<i>05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS</i>	121.6	121.2	0.3	5.0	1.8	5.0
<i>05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES</i>	118.3	117.6	0.6	4.3	2.2	4.3
<i>05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES</i>	118.6	118.5	0.1	8.7	2.0	8.7
<i>05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN</i>	114.0	113.4	0.4	4.3	1.9	4.3
<i>05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE</i>	122.4	122.0	0.4	11.9	2.5	11.9
06 HEALTH	114.8	114.5	0.3	4.3	1.8	4.3
<i>06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS</i>	115.5	115.1	0.3	4.2	1.7	4.2
<i>06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES</i>	115.7	114.9	0.7	7.3	3.6	7.3
<i>06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES</i>	105.2	105.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3
07 TRANSPORT	119.9	120.3	-0.3	6.1	2.0	6.1
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	99.5	99.5	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.3
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	118.2	116.2	1.7	8.6	4.3	8.6
10 EDUCATION	121.7	115.6	5.3	7.7	5.6	7.7
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	140.9	140.8	0.1	19.4	8.9	19.4
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	108.2	108.2	0.0	3.8	0.0	3.8
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	118.9	118.3	0.5	7.6	3.8	7.6

TABLE III. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: GREATER KINGSTON METROPOLITAN AREA, SEPTEMBER 2022

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	SEPT 2022 Index	AUG 2022 Index	Past Month	Point to Point	Fiscal Year 22/23	Calendar Year to Date
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	124.2	122.2	1.6	9.8	4.4	6.9
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	136.6	134.6	1.6	11.6	6.7	10.8
01.1 FOOD	137.4	135.2	1.6	11.5	6.7	10.9
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	137.3	136.3	0.7	16.4	8.3	11.7
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	148.1	147.5	0.5	18.8	6.6	12.1
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	135.6	134.4	0.8	13.4	4.1	9.6
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	129.6	128.1	1.2	13.7	5.8	10.3
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	143.9	141.8	1.5	19.9	9.6	14.7
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	116.1	116.4	-0.3	5.5	-1.6	1.2
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	144.7	137.5	5.3	1.9	10.3	13.8
<i>Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)</i>	144.7	141.4	2.3	-2.0	15.4	17.9
<i>Vegetables</i>	144.7	136.0	6.4	3.7	8.6	12.4
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	131.1	130.0	0.9	11.4	5.4	9.6
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	121.6	120.9	0.5	7.6	5.2	7.7
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	126.3	125.1	1.0	13.1	6.1	10.1
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	125.7	124.6	0.9	13.8	5.9	9.8
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	129.0	127.6	1.1	12.9	7.3	11.2
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 01.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	126.4	125.2	0.9	13.3	6.1	10.4
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	116.7	116.0	0.6	10.2	4.6	6.5
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	116.4	115.7	0.6	6.6	3.2	4.8
<i>03.1 CLOTHING</i>	117.6	116.9	0.6	7.3	3.7	5.4
<i>03.2 FOOTWEAR</i>	114.1	113.4	0.6	5.1	2.2	3.7
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	115.4	111.5	3.5	8.4	1.2	2.6
<i>04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	119.5	119.6	0.0	8.4	-2.4	1.5
<i>04.2 IMPUTED RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	101.3	99.8	1.4	3.3	1.9	1.6
<i>04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING</i>	125.1	124.5	0.5	11.7	4.8	7.6
<i>04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING</i>	115.6	114.9	0.6	12.5	2.4	6.4
<i>04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS</i>	146.6	132.7	10.5	15.8	0.5	2.6
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	122.9	122.2	0.5	10.3	2.3	8.4
<i>05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS</i>	122.8	121.7	0.9	7.6	3.5	4.9
<i>05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES</i>	119.7	119.4	0.2	5.7	2.8	4.4
<i>05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES</i>	124.1	124.1	0.0	6.6	1.8	3.8
<i>05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN</i>	117.3	116.8	0.4	5.0	1.2	3.5
<i>05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE</i>	123.2	122.4	0.6	11.4	2.2	9.8
06 HEALTH	122.3	122.0	0.3	5.1	2.2	3.6
<i>06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS</i>	125.2	124.7	0.3	5.0	2.1	3.6
<i>06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES</i>	119.3	119.1	0.1	7.9	3.4	5.3
<i>06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES</i>	100.3	100.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1
07 TRANSPORT	117.7	118.0	-0.3	7.2	2.4	5.3
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	97.4	97.4	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	118.2	116.2	1.7	8.6	5.1	6.6
10 EDUCATION	130.7	123.1	6.2	9.9	7.0	7.0
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	139.7	139.5	0.1	20.3	9.4	10.0
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	107.7	107.7	0.0	3.5	0.0	0.0
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	120.2	119.4	0.7	8.7	3.8	6.8

TABLE IV. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: OTHER URBAN CENTRES, SEPTEMBER 2022

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	SEPT 2022 Index	AUG 2022 Index	Past Month	Point to Point	Fiscal Year 22/23	Calendar Year to Date
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	128.0	125.7	1.8	9.3	4.4	7.0
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	133.5	131.8	1.3	10.9	6.9	10.8
01.1 FOOD	133.9	132.2	1.3	10.9	7.0	10.9
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	136.6	135.2	1.0	17.0	8.5	11.8
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	143.4	143.4	0.0	17.4	4.6	10.1
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	133.8	132.6	0.9	13.4	4.5	10.6
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	129.3	128.5	0.7	12.8	4.3	8.4
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	139.8	137.4	1.8	17.7	9.5	13.9
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	121.5	122.3	-0.6	5.3	-0.9	1.1
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	133.5	128.1	4.2	1.3	14.7	17.2
<i>Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)</i>	132.5	131.5	0.8	-7.8	20.3	16.3
<i>Vegetables</i>	134.0	126.7	5.8	6.7	12.7	17.6
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	126.3	125.8	0.4	8.5	3.1	6.3
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	122.1	120.5	1.4	7.5	5.3	8.1
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	126.4	125.2	1.0	10.9	5.4	8.3
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	131.0	129.6	1.0	12.7	6.0	9.2
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	127.8	126.5	1.0	10.7	5.8	8.9
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 01.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	122.6	121.5	0.9	10.0	4.8	7.6
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	116.8	116.0	0.7	9.4	3.5	6.4
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	120.3	119.3	0.8	7.0	3.3	4.8
<i>03.1 CLOTHING</i>	122.7	121.8	0.7	7.8	3.7	5.1
<i>03.2 FOOTWEAR</i>	115.2	114.0	1.1	5.0	2.3	4.1
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	130.6	123.8	5.5	8.6	1.8	4.1
<i>04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	147.2	140.2	5.0	6.8	4.6	4.9
<i>04.2 IMPUTED RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	124.4	119.0	4.6	3.4	3.7	6.5
<i>04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING</i>	123.3	122.5	0.6	11.6	4.1	7.4
<i>04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING</i>	112.9	112.2	0.6	12.5	2.4	6.4
<i>04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS</i>	142.4	130.7	9.0	13.9	-1.3	0.4
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	123.0	122.5	0.4	11.4	2.3	8.4
<i>05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS</i>	119.7	119.5	0.1	4.9	1.3	2.0
<i>05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES</i>	117.8	117.1	0.7	4.1	2.0	3.2
<i>05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES</i>	119.8	119.7	0.1	9.8	2.0	4.2
<i>05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN</i>	107.0	107.0	0.0	1.6	0.6	1.0
<i>05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE</i>	125.1	124.5	0.5	13.6	2.6	10.7
06 HEALTH	113.0	112.6	0.3	3.8	1.7	2.7
<i>06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS</i>	113.2	112.9	0.3	3.7	1.5	2.5
<i>06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES</i>	116.1	115.0	0.9	7.0	3.6	5.2
<i>06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES</i>	104.6	104.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
07 TRANSPORT	121.1	121.3	-0.1	5.7	2.0	4.2
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	100.3	100.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.2
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	117.8	115.8	1.7	8.5	3.6	5.8
10 EDUCATION	115.0	109.6	5.0	6.6	4.9	4.9
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	138.9	138.8	0.1	19.3	8.7	9.2
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	108.2	108.2	0.0	3.8	0.0	0.0
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	119.0	118.4	0.5	7.4	3.7	5.4

TABLE V. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: RURAL AREAS, SEPTEMBER 2022

DIVISIONS, GROUPS AND CLASSES	SEPT 2022 Index	AUG 2022 Index	Past Month	Point to Point	Fiscal Year 22/23	Calendar Year to Date
ALL DIVISIONS - ALL ITEMS	125.3	124.0	1.0	8.8	4.0	6.5
01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	133.1	132.1	0.7	9.8	6.0	9.8
01.1 FOOD	133.5	132.6	0.7	9.7	6.1	10.0
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products (ND)	136.6	135.7	0.7	16.1	8.7	11.5
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals (ND)	139.9	139.8	0.1	17.2	4.6	10.3
01.1.3 Fish and Seafood (ND)	128.0	127.7	0.3	10.2	2.5	7.2
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs (ND)	127.6	126.9	0.6	12.4	5.5	9.3
01.1.5 Oils and Fats (ND)	136.9	133.9	2.3	14.9	8.6	12.5
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts (ND)	127.1	128.3	-0.9	8.7	0.3	3.4
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses (ND)	134.9	132.1	2.1	-2.0	10.2	13.4
<i>Tubers, Plantains and cooking Banana (Starchy Foods)</i>	129.1	128.0	0.8	-3.1	15.4	14.4
<i>Vegetables</i>	137.1	133.7	2.6	-1.8	8.7	13.0
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts (ND)	126.6	126.5	0.1	6.9	2.5	5.8
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c. (ND)	128.0	126.6	1.1	8.0	3.8	7.7
01.2 NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	124.2	123.4	0.7	9.9	5.1	7.3
01.2.1 Fruit and vegetable juices (ND)	123.2	122.3	0.7	9.3	4.4	6.0
01.2.2, 01.2.3, 01.2.4 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa	125.8	125.0	0.6	10.4	6.2	8.6
01.2.5, 01.2.6, 01.2.9 Water, Soft drinks and Other non-alcoholic beverages	123.9	123.1	0.7	10.0	5.1	7.5
02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTICS	116.5	116.0	0.4	9.1	3.5	6.3
03 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	116.0	115.0	0.8	4.8	2.5	3.6
<i>03.1 CLOTHING</i>	115.9	115.0	0.8	4.6	2.7	3.4
<i>03.2 FOOTWEAR</i>	116.2	115.1	1.0	5.1	2.2	4.0
04 HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	121.8	117.3	3.8	9.3	1.0	2.5
<i>04.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	119.8	117.5	2.0	7.2	4.3	5.9
<i>04.2 IMPUTED RENTALS FOR HOUSING</i>	103.3	103.2	0.0	2.4	2.0	2.2
<i>04.3 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND SECURITY OF THE DWELLING</i>	127.7	127.0	0.5	8.8	4.0	5.0
<i>04.4 WATER SUPPLY AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATING TO THE DWELLING</i>	112.6	111.9	0.6	12.5	2.4	6.4
<i>04.5 ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS</i>	145.8	134.3	8.6	14.9	-0.7	1.2
05 FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	119.9	119.6	0.2	9.6	2.4	7.0
<i>05.1 FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, AND LOOSE CARPETS</i>	122.0	121.8	0.2	4.2	1.5	2.1
<i>05.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES</i>	117.9	117.1	0.7	3.8	2.1	3.1
<i>05.3 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES</i>	115.1	115.0	0.1	9.7	2.1	4.1
<i>05.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN</i>	115.3	114.6	0.6	5.0	2.5	3.5
<i>05.6 GOODS AND SERVICES FOR ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE</i>	120.7	120.5	0.2	11.3	2.7	8.7
06 HEALTH	111.4	111.1	0.3	4.2	1.6	2.7
<i>06.1 MEDICINES AND HEALTH PRODUCTS</i>	111.4	111.1	0.3	4.1	1.5	2.5
<i>06.2 OUTPATIENT CARE SERVICES</i>	113.1	112.1	0.9	7.1	3.7	5.3
<i>06.4 OTHER HEALTH SERVICES</i>	109.1	109.1	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1
07 TRANSPORT	120.7	121.1	-0.3	5.5	1.9	4.1
08 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	100.6	100.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1
09 RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	118.6	116.5	1.8	8.8	3.6	5.9
10 EDUCATION	116.3	111.3	4.5	6.2	4.4	4.4
11 RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	142.9	142.9	0.0	18.7	8.7	8.9
12 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	108.6	108.6	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0
13 PERSONAL CARE, SOCIAL PROTECTION AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	118.1	117.6	0.4	6.9	3.9	5.3



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