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Increase of 0.4% in the Consumer Price Index (CPI), June 2022

- The CPI increased 0.4% in June 2022 compared to May 2022. It was 105.9 points compared to 105.5 points in the previous month (base: average 2020 = 100.0 points). The CPI excluding housing has increased 0.3% and was 106.2 points. The CPI excluding vegetables and fruit increased 0.8% and was 106.2 points. The CPI excluding energy increased 0.1% and was 105.1 points.
- Prices of the following groups increased in particular: transport 2.4%, housing 0.7%, culture and entertainment 0.7% and health 0.6%.
- Prices of the following groups decreased in particular: vegetables and fruit 8.5% and clothing and footwear 3.4%.
- Since the start of the year the CPI increased 3.2%. The CPI excluding housing increased 3.7%. The CPI excluding fruit and vegetables increased 3.3% and the CPI excluding energy increased 2.6%.
- Over the past 12 months (June 2022 compared to June 2021) the CPI increased 4.4%, the CPI excluding housing increased 4.5%, the CPI excluding vegetables and fruit increased 4.7% and the CPI excluding energy increased 3.9%.
- In June 2022 the seasonally adjusted CPI increased 0.5%, the seasonally adjusted CPI excluding housing increased 0.4% and the seasonally adjusted CPI excluding vegetables, fruit and housing increased 0.7%.
- Based on the trend data for the period March 2022 - June 2022, the annual pace of increase in the CPI was 5.0% and the annual pace of increase in the CPI excluding housing and annual pace of increase CPI excluding vegetables, fruit and housing was 5.3%, each.

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Diagram 1 – Monthly Percentage Change in CPI during the Past 12 Months

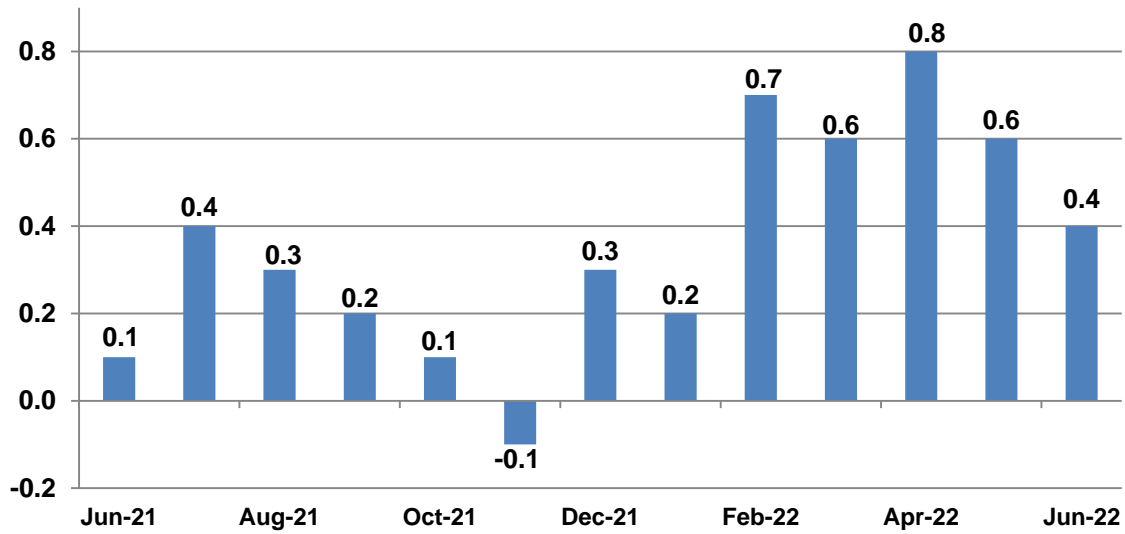


Diagram 2 – CPI 12-Month Inflation Rate for the Past 10 Years Product and Service



Groups that Particularly Influenced the Index This Month:

<i>Product / Service Group</i>	<i>Percentage Change</i>	<i>Contribution to Index's Percentage Change</i>
vehicle fuel and lubricants	8.6	0.2750
owned dwellings services	0.9	0.1478
vehicle insurance	2.2	0.0497
recreation, holidays and trips	3.8	0.0304
rent	0.4	0.0240
reading and nonfiction books	-16.8	-0.0178
clothing and footwear	-3.4	-0.0873
fresh vegetables and fruit	-10.9	-0.2928

Major Changes in Primary Consumption Items

Food (excluding vegetables and fruit)

The food price index increased 0.4%

The following increased in particular: baking and cake decorating products (4.1%), cookies and biscuits (3.9%), prepared vegetable salads (3.0%), processed fish (2.9%), tahini (2.4%), concentrates and syrups (2.3%) , other meat (1.9%), white flour (1.8%), cheese (1.6%), products at kiosks and convenience stores (1.6%), canned meat, sausage and hot dogs (1.6%), jam, honey and comfiture (1.2%) and ice cream and popsicles (1.0%).

The following decreased in particular: chicken, fresh (3.8%), chicken and turkey liver (3.4%), beef, internal parts (3.4%), malt beer (2.5%) , natural fruit juices (2.1%), chicken and turkey breast (1.2%) and chicken leg quarters (1.1%).

Vegetables and Fruit

The vegetables and fruit index decreased 8.5%.

The fresh fruit index decreased 18.6 % and the fresh vegetables index decreased 4.9 %. The frozen, pickled and canned vegetables index remained unchanged and the dried, preserved and frozen fruit index increased 1.4%.

Among the fresh fruit, the following decreased in particular: watermelon (54.5%), apricots (34.2%), peaches (30.5%) , table grapes (24.0%), sugar melons (23.0%) bananas (16.6%), and plums (rose 6.8% compared to October 2021).

The following increased in particular: avocados (3.8%), pears (3.2%) and oranges (1.9%).

Among the fresh vegetables, the following decreased in particular: eggplant (20.1%), corn on the cob (17.8%), tomatoes (17.4%), fresh beans (8.9%) , onions, leeks, and scallions (4.4%), cucumbers (3.7%), squash (2.3%), garlic (2.1%), beets (1.7%) , carrots (1.5%) , culinary herbs (1.4%) and pumpkin and butternut squash (1.1%).

The following increased in particular: broccoli (12.5%), cabbage (6.5%), radishes (6.0%), cauliflower (5.1%), peppers (4.9%) and kohlrabi (4.9%).

Among the processed vegetables and fruit, the following increased in particular: frozen vegetables (3.5%) and dried fruit (1.2%).

The following decreased in particular: almonds (1.9%) and preserved and frozen fruit (1.8%).

Housing

The housing price index increased 0.7%.

The owned dwellings services index increased 0.9% and the rent index increased 0.4%.

The rent section without public rent also rose by 0.4 percent.

It should be noted that about 90 percent of the tenants are under an existing contract and therefore the index for them remains almost unchanged.

For 7.5 percent of tenants who renewed a contract, there was an increase of about 3 percent.

For 2.5 percent of the tenants (apartments in the sample that had a tenant turnover), there was an increase of about 6.5 percent in the rent.

Owned Dwellings Services

The owned dwellings services index increased 0.9% in June 2022 compared to May 2022. The increase in rental prices set in contracts signed in May 2022 – June 2022, compared to contracts signed in April 2022 – May 2022.

Dwelling Maintenance

The dwelling maintenance index increased 0.3%.

The following increased in particular: dishwashing products (2.3%), liquid and powdered laundry detergent (1.9%), glazier service (1.3%), painting, whitewashing, etc. (1.2%) and gas for domestic consumption (1.0%).

Furniture and Household Equipment

The furniture and household equipment index decreased 0.4%.

The following decreased in particular: bedding and towels (7.5%), home decorations (2.7%), outdoor furniture (2.7%), cooking and baking utensils (2.6%), flowers and plants (2.1%), serving dishes and storage containers (1.9%), kitchen accessories (1.9%), mugs, cups, and glasses (1.7%) and lampshades, chandeliers and table lamps (1.3%).

The following increased in particular: closets, buffets, shelves, dressers, etc. (1.4%), carpets (1.4%) and fan (1.1%).

Clothing and Footwear

The clothing and footwear index decreased 3.4%; the seasonally adjusted index decreased 2.1%.

The clothing index decreased 3.8% and the footwear index decreased 1.8%.

Among clothing item, the following decreased in particular: outerwear (4.4%), miscellaneous clothing such as swimsuits (3.5%), sports and exercise clothes etc. (3.3%) and underwear (1.5%).

Among clothing item, the following increased in particular: fabrics and sewing accessories (1.3%) and women's hosiery (1.0%).

Among footwear item, the following decreased in particular: children's footwear (2.3%), women's footwear (2.2%) and men's footwear (1.1%).

Health

The health index increased 0.6%.

The following increased in particular: glasses and associated optical products (4.4%) , private surgery services (3.9%) and dietary supplements (1.3%) .

The following decreased in particular: oral hygiene products (3.2%).

Education, Culture and Entertainment

The education, culture and entertainment index increased 0.5%.

The education services index increased 0.2% and the culture and entertainment index increased 0.7%.

The following increased in particular: recreation, holidays and trips (3.8%), religious articles (1.8%), pets and associated products (1.8%) , holding celebrations (1.3%) ,swimming pool or health club membership (1.1%) and assembly and educational toys (1.0%).

The following decreased in particular: reading and nonfiction books (16.8%) and baby toys (1.7%).

Transport and Communication

The transport and communication index increased 2.3 %.

The transport index increased 2.4 % and the communication index decreased 0.1%.

The following increased in particular: car rental for domestic travel (22.6%), vehicle fuel and lubricants (8.6%), hauling services (5.6%), domestic flights (2.6%), vehicle insurance (2.2%), driving lessons (1.3%) and cars (1.0%).

Miscellaneous

The miscellaneous index increased 0.2%.

The following increased in particular: cigarettes, manufactured abroad (1.1%).

The following decreased in particular: bags, school bags, etc. (2.8%), hair products and accessories (2.0%) and toiletries and bath products (1.9%).

The price indices will be published at the following times during the next 12 months:

Index for Month	To be published on date	Time
July 2022	Monday, August 15, 2022	18:30

August 2022	Thursday, September 15, 2022	18:30
September 2022	Friday, October 14, 2022	14:00
October 2022	Tuesday, November 15, 2022	18:30
November 2022	Thursday, December 15, 2022	18:30
December 2022 and Annual Summary of 2022	Sunday, January 15, 2023	18:30
January 2023	Wednesday, February 15, 2023	18:30
February 2023	Wednesday, March 15, 2023	18:30
March 2023	Friday, April 14, 2023	14:00
April 2023	Monday, May 15, 2023	18:30
May 2023	Thursday, June 15, 2023	18:30
June 2023	Friday, July 14, 2023	14:00