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	Increase			
	no change or virtually unchanged			
	Decrease			
Groups	Percent change compared to			
	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
General Index	2.3		28.1	
Major Groups:				
1- Food and Beverages	1.1		38.7	
2- Tobacco	6.3		58.5	
3- Clothing and Footwear	3.6		38.5	
4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.0		14.5	
5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine- Household Maintenance	4.7		35.8	
6- Health	4.0		24.3	
7- Transport	3.0		20.7	
8- Communication	0.3		6.7	
9- Recreation and Culture	4.3		31.1	
10- Education	0.2		15.0	
11- Restaurants and Hotels	6.5		37.1	
12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.1		43.8	
Special Groups:				
1- Goods	2.2		34.4	
2- Services	2.4		20.1	
3 - Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.0		14.5	

## **Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran**

Shahrivar 1391

(1383=100)

The Consumer Price Index (**CPI**) increased 2.3 percent in Shahrivar 1391. The index level of 348.8 (1383=100) was 28.1 percent higher than in Shahrivar 1390.

For the first Six months of 1391, the Consumer Price Index rose 26.1 percent, compared to the similar period in 1390.

The inflation rate has advanced 24.0 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index turned up 1.1 percent in Shahrivar, largely due to the advances in the indices for eggs by 25.4 percent, livestock meat 2.2 percent, milk 12.1 percent, orange 11.1 percent, yoghurt 9.0 percent, banana 38.7 percent, cheese 7.3 percent, rice 2.3 percent, candy, chocolate, jam and honey 4.9 percent, nuts 6.2 percent, tea 7.6 percent, lettuce 12.3 percent, cucumber 4.1 percent, tomato paste 5.2 percent, pulses 2.8 percent, biscuit, cake and cookies 2.7 percent, beverages 3.0 percent, butter 4.0 percent, vegetable oils 1.3 percent, eggplant 8.8 percent, pasta 4.2 percent, sugar and sugar lump 1.3 percent, fish (from the Caspian Sea) 2.2 percent, and cultured fish 4.9 percent. Within the food and beverages group, decreases in the indices for poultry by 13.1 percent, apple 5.3 percent, root vegetables 7.2 percent, tomato 12.3 percent, grapes 10.9 percent, peach 7.2 percent, lime 1.5 percent, and green beans 5.4 percent, were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco increased 6.3 percent in Shahrivar, reflecting 6.2 percent increase in the index for cigarettes (produced from imported tobacco).

The clothing and footwear index rose 3.6 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for ready to wear clothing by 3.8 percent. Advances of the indices for footwear by 3.4 percent, clothing materials 4.1 percent, and tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 2.2 percent accounted for the rise of this group index as well.

During this month, the housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels index went up 2.0 percent which was attributed to the advance of the index for rental equivalence of owner occupied houses by 2.0 percent. The indices for rent of residential houses and

maintenance and repair services of the dwelling rose 2.1 percent and 3.1 percent, respectively.

The furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance index increased 4.7 percent, mainly due to the rises in the indices for household appliances by 7.0 percent, glassware, tableware and household utensils 5.4 percent, furniture and furnishings, carpets and other floor coverings 2.8 percent, goods and services for routine household maintenance 4.3 percent, household textiles 3.7 percent, and tools and equipment for house 9.5 percent.

The index for health advanced 4.0 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for hospital services by 6.5 percent and medical, paramedical and dental services 3.0 percent mainly accounted for the Shahrivar rise of this group index. The index for medical products, appliances and equipment was up 3.1 percent.

The transport index went up 3.0 percent that was principally attributed to the advance in the index for motorcars by 6.6 percent. Increases in the indices for passenger transport by road and operation of personal transport equipment each by 1.4 percent, and motorcycles 5.3 percent accounted for the rise of this group index as well.

The index for communication increased 0.3 percent in Shahrivar.

The index for recreation and culture rose 4.3 percent, largely due to the increases in the indices for stationery by 13.6 percent, package holidays 2.4 percent, musical instruments 5.8 percent, flowers 2.5 percent, and bicycle (for children) 2.0 percent.

The education index advanced 0.2 percent in this month.

The index for restaurants and hotels increased 6.5 percent in Shahrivar as the index for food away from home advanced 6.5 percent.

The miscellaneous goods and services index went up 3.1 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 2.9 percent, goldsmith wage 6.5 percent, and school handbags 12.0 percent were the major reasons for this rise.

# **Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran** (1383=100)

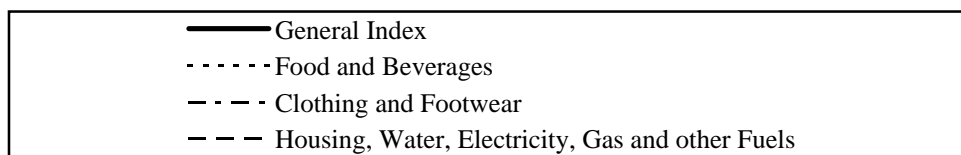
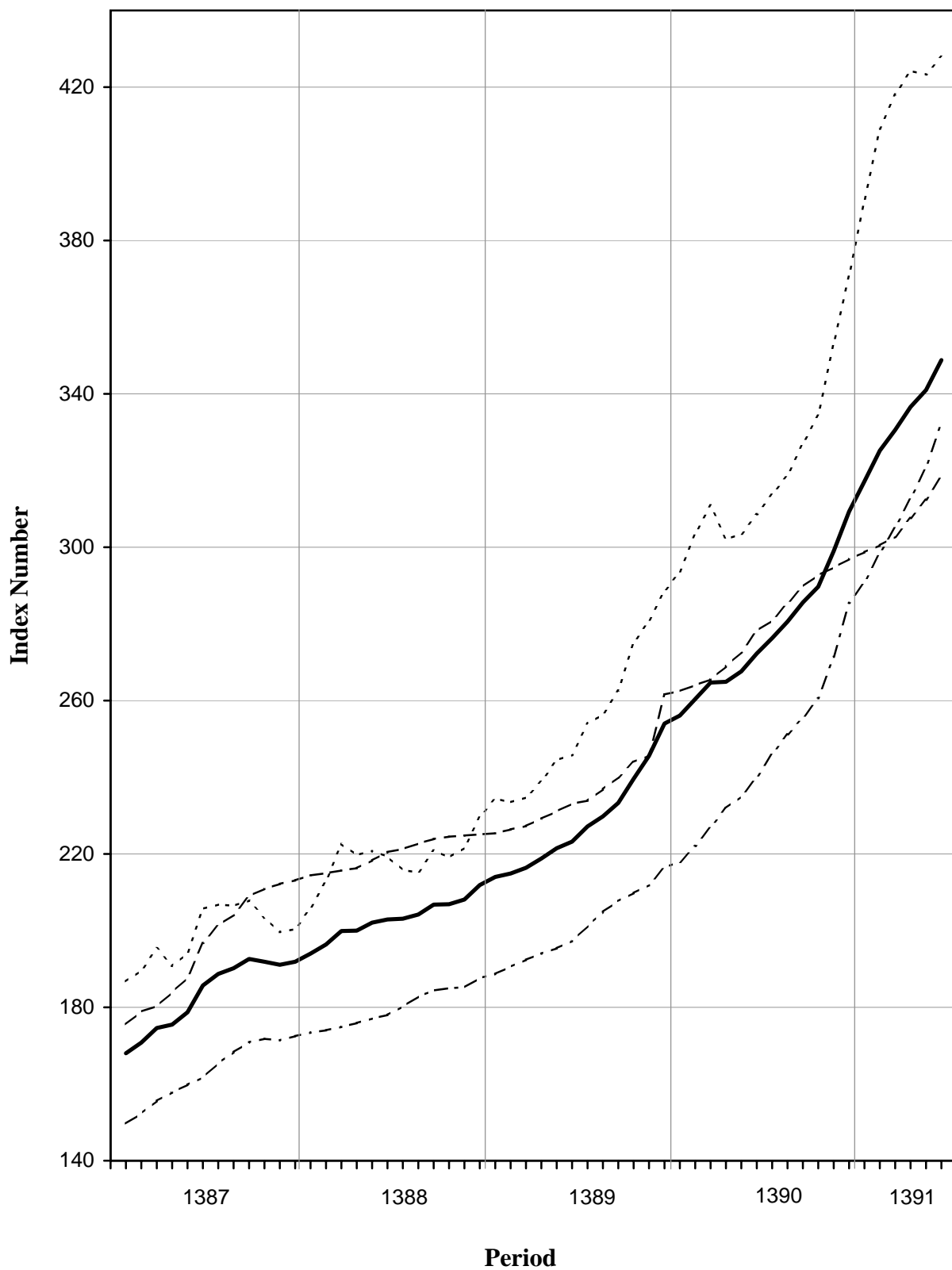


Table 1  
**Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran**  
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes  
Shahrivar 1391  
(1383=100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Shahrivar 1391	Percent Change			
			Shahrivar 1391 compared to previous month		Shahrivar 1390 compared to previous month	
<b>General Index</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>348.8</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>22.0</b>
<b>Major Groups and selected sub groups:</b>						
<b>1-Food and Beverages</b>	<b>28.49</b>	<b>427.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>38.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>25.5</b>
Food	27.26	433.6	1.0	38.7	1.7	25.9
Bread and cereals	4.56	531.4	1.3	28.9	0.3	71.7
Meat	6.74	429.4	-2.7	44.9	-2.0	4.0
Fish and seafood	0.79	444.3	2.1	55.1	0.3	16.1
Dairy products and eggs	3.47	407.0	12.4	53.9	3.3	35.0
Fats and oils	0.97	490.4	2.0	35.0	-0.3	79.4
Fruit and nut	5.26	383.6	-1.6	33.2	5.2	10.6
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.87	398.1	0	46.7	7.4	17.1
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.27	468.3	3.4	22.9	0.1	50.1
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.32	383.5	4.9	26.0	1.0	1.5
Beverages	1.23	294.9	4.9	38.6	1.3	14.6
<b>2-Tobacco</b>	<b>0.52</b>	<b>359.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>58.5</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>2.9</b>
<b>3-Clothing and Footwear</b>	<b>6.22</b>	<b>332.4</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>38.5</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>21.6</b>
<b>4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels</b>	<b>28.60</b>	<b>318.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>19.3</b>
Rent of residential houses	5.80	299.3	2.1	14.6	1.6	10.8
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	19.17	301.0	2.0	14.4	1.5	10.7
Maintenance and repair services	1.82	443.9	3.1	30.7	1.5	17.1
Water	0.44	288.4	0	1.0	54.7	116.3
Electricity, gas and other fuels	1.37	484.5	0.2	1.5	0	297.4
<b>5-Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-Household Maintenance</b>	<b>6.26</b>	<b>323.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>35.8</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>18.7</b>
<b>6-Health</b>	<b>5.54</b>	<b>399.7</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>24.3</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>18.8</b>
<b>7-Transport</b>	<b>11.97</b>	<b>276.5</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>32.2</b>
<b>8-Communication</b>	<b>1.63</b>	<b>105.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<b>9-Recreation and Culture</b>	<b>3.80</b>	<b>240.4</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>31.1</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>12.9</b>
<b>10-Education</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>305.2</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>12.1</b>
<b>11-Restaurants and Hotels</b>	<b>1.72</b>	<b>407.8</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>18.4</b>
<b>12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services</b>	<b>3.18</b>	<b>400.4</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>20.2</b>
<b>Special Groups:</b>						
<b>1-Goods</b>	<b>57.13</b>	<b>358.8</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>34.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>28.4</b>
<b>2-Services</b>	<b>42.87</b>	<b>335.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>14.8</b>
<b>3-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels</b>	<b>28.60</b>	<b>318.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>19.3</b>

Table 2  
**Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran**  
General and Major Groups Index Numbers  
(1383=100)

<b>Description</b> <b>Period</b>	General Index	Food and Beverages	Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings,Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants and Hotels	Miscellaneous Goods and Services
1369	6.8	6.1	9.2	13.0	6.0	13.0	3.2	7.6	9.2	15.6	3.8	5.1	9.8
1370	8.2	7.8	10.2	14.6	7.2	13.9	4.2	10.4	10.6	15.4	4.9	6.5	10.8
1371	10.2	10.1	10.1	16.1	9.1	15.5	6.5	12.8	11.5	15.4	7.0	8.7	12.4
1372	12.5	12.4	12.8	18.6	10.8	18.7	9.3	15.4	13.8	18.7	10.2	10.9	15.0
1373	16.9	16.9	19.3	25.8	13.0	26.8	13.1	22.1	22.3	29.5	14.4	14.1	19.4
1374	25.2	27.2	32.9	41.7	16.8	41.7	17.4	31.6	37.4	50.5	18.3	20.8	27.9
1375	31.0	31.3	31.9	56.1	22.7	49.2	23.4	36.6	47.5	62.7	23.4	27.4	37.8
1376	36.4	35.7	34.9	63.8	29.6	52.5	29.6	41.9	50.1	62.6	24.8	30.5	46.0
1377	43.0	44.4	45.4	67.1	35.7	56.1	36.2	48.0	58.1	65.7	27.4	38.3	51.0
1378	51.6	54.3	58.8	71.5	42.4	64.4	45.0	61.4	69.4	78.0	32.2	47.4	60.3
1379	58.2	59.3	58.9	77.7	50.3	71.8	54.4	66.6	74.8	81.2	41.0	55.9	67.9
1380	64.8	63.6	60.2	81.4	59.7	74.3	62.7	71.9	75.5	88.3	54.6	62.9	73.2
1381	75.0	75.7	81.1	84.7	71.4	78.5	72.9	79.3	81.2	89.8	67.6	73.6	78.9
1382	86.7	87.5	90.6	91.2	84.6	86.1	85.2	90.1	89.0	96.0	81.7	86.3	88.7
1383	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1384	110.4	111.1	105.7	108.4	111.6	111.8	115.7	104.6	98.1	106.0	118.7	111.7	111.0
1385	123.5	125.6	114.8	117.5	126.6	124.6	131.7	111.6	97.3	112.0	143.4	124.4	127.8
1386	146.2	152.8	140.7	134.8	153.4	144.6	154.1	126.7	97.1	121.2	163.5	145.6	148.7
1387	183.3	198.9	167.8	163.1	196.2	179.0	190.0	149.0	96.9	133.6	187.5	189.0	184.3
1388	203.0	218.6	218.3	179.7	220.2	186.6	226.0	157.8	97.3	145.3	217.4	218.3	207.6
1389	228.2	254.1	223.4	200.9	236.2	203.7	270.9	181.2	97.1	162.1	245.3	254.7	234.7
1390	277.2	320.0	237.6	245.4	279.3	240.8	317.5	231.2	98.9	185.5	279.7	300.5	286.3
<b>1390</b>													
Shahrivar	272.3	308.6	226.7	240.0	278.2	238.5	321.5	229.0	98.8	183.4	265.4	297.5	278.5
Mehr	276.3	313.8	228.9	246.1	280.9	241.0	324.8	233.0	98.8	185.7	273.6	303.2	283.5
Aban	280.6	318.7	229.0	251.2	285.4	243.1	326.9	235.4	98.9	188.3	299.3	306.5	286.7
Azar	285.6	327.1	230.5	255.5	289.8	245.6	331.2	237.2	98.9	191.4	299.9	309.8	291.6
Dey	289.7	334.4	235.8	260.6	292.7	250.2	333.9	237.9	99.4	194.2	300.1	313.6	296.9
Bahman	299.0	353.2	265.5	271.4	294.7	257.8	337.0	240.3	100.5	200.4	300.4	320.8	333.7
Esfand	309.3	370.9	303.5	285.5	296.9	275.0	341.8	249.8	101.3	213.4	301.1	333.7	343.8
<b>1391</b>													
Farvardin	317.2	390.4	315.7	290.8	298.7	278.8	345.4	250.6	101.2	220.4	301.3	347.9	352.6
Ordibehesht	325.2	409.1	327.9	298.5	300.5	286.2	351.6	252.7	101.9	221.3	302.1	356.4	362.9
Khordad	330.6	418.1	326.7	305.2	302.7	292.1	360.8	255.3	104.6	222.1	303.2	363.5	372.4
Tir	336.6	424.2	329.4	312.7	307.6	300.5	370.0	261.6	104.3	226.7	304.1	377.4	378.2
Mordad	341.0	423.3	338.0	320.8	312.4	309.2	384.5	268.4	105.1	230.5	304.6	383.0	388.4
Shahrivar	348.8	427.9	359.4	332.4	318.5	323.8	399.7	276.5	105.4	240.4	305.2	407.8	400.4