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Farvardin 1392**

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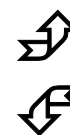
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Summary Results of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran
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Groups	Percent change compared to			
	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
General Index	3.0		42.2	
Major Groups:				
1- Food and Beverages	7.8		57.9	
2- Tobacco	3.1		89.9	
3- Clothing and Footwear	1.6		62.4	
4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	0.8		15.4	
5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine- Household Maintenance	1.5		79.4	
6- Health	1.3		33.0	
7- Transport	2.6		46.5	
8- Communication	0.3		13.7	
9- Recreation and Culture	0.2		54.5	
10- Education	0.1		11.5	
11- Restaurants and Hotels	3.8		49.5	
12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.5		69.3	
Special Groups:				
1- Goods	4.2		58.0	
2- Services	1.0		22.4	
3 - Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	0.8		15.4	

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The Consumer Price Index (**CPI**) increased 3.0 percent in Farvardin 1392. The index level of 160.5 was 42.2 percent higher than in Farvardin 1391.

The inflation rate has advanced 32.3 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index increased 7.8 percent in Farvardin, largely due to the advances in the indices for fresh fruit by 32.2 percent, fresh vegetable 25.9 percent, rice 6.2 percent, livestock meat 2.2 percent, candy, chocolate, jam and honey 3.3 percent, beverages 1.8 percent, walnut 7.4 percent, pulses 3.2 percent, biscuit, cake and cookies 2.0 percent, sugar and sugar lump 3.5 percent, tomato paste 3.7 percent, salt, spices and sauces, condiments and food products 3.0 percent, vegetable oils 1.2 percent, yoghurt 0.8 percent, pasta 3.4 percent, and cheese 0.6 percent. Within the food and beverages group, decreases in the indices for poultry by 9.8 percent, eggs 6.1 percent and fish 1.3 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco went up 3.1 percent in Farvardin, reflecting 4.0 percent rise in the index for imported cigarettes.

The clothing and footwear index rose 1.6 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for ready to wear clothing by 1.6 percent. Advances of the indices for footwear by 1.2 percent, clothing materials 2.1 percent, and tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 1.8 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 0.8 percent which was attributed to the increases of the indices for rental equivalence of owner occupied houses and rent of residential houses each by 0.7 percent and maintenance and repair services of the dwelling 2.7 percent.

The furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance index advanced 1.5 percent. Increases in the indices for glassware, tableware and household

utensils by 2.6 percent, household appliances 1.4 percent, carpets and other floor coverings 2.1 percent, goods and services for routine household maintenance 1.3 percent, tools and equipment for house 3.2 percent, and household textiles 1.0 percent, also contributed to this advance.

The index for health was up 1.3 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for medical, paramedical and dental services by 1.9 percent. Advances of the indices for "hospital services" and "medical products, appliances and equipment" each by 0.6 percent accounted for the rise of this group index as well.

The transport index went down 2.6 percent which was attributed to the decrease of the index for motorcars by 7.0 percent. Within the transport group increases in the indices for operation of personal transport equipment by 1.5 percent, transport services 0.8 percent, and motorcycles 5.3 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for communication was down 0.3 percent in Farvardin.

The index for recreation and culture turn down 0.2 percent, largely due to the decrease in the index for package holidays by 6.0 percent. Within this group, increases in the indices for recreational and cultural services by 2.0 percent, TV, radio, recording and reproduction of sound and pictures 0.5 percent, and stationery 1.7 percent were also considerable in this month.

The education index advanced 0.1 percent over this month that was principally attributed to the rise of the index for supplementary courses tuition fees by 0.3 percent.

The index for restaurants and hotels increased 3.8 percent, mainly due to the advance in the index for food away from home by 3.7 percent.

The miscellaneous goods and services index rose 3.5 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 3.9 percent, funeral expenses 28.8 percent, personal effects 2.6 percent, and goldsmith wage 1.6 percent were the major reasons for this rise.

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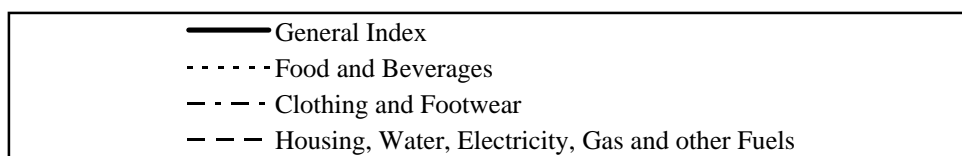
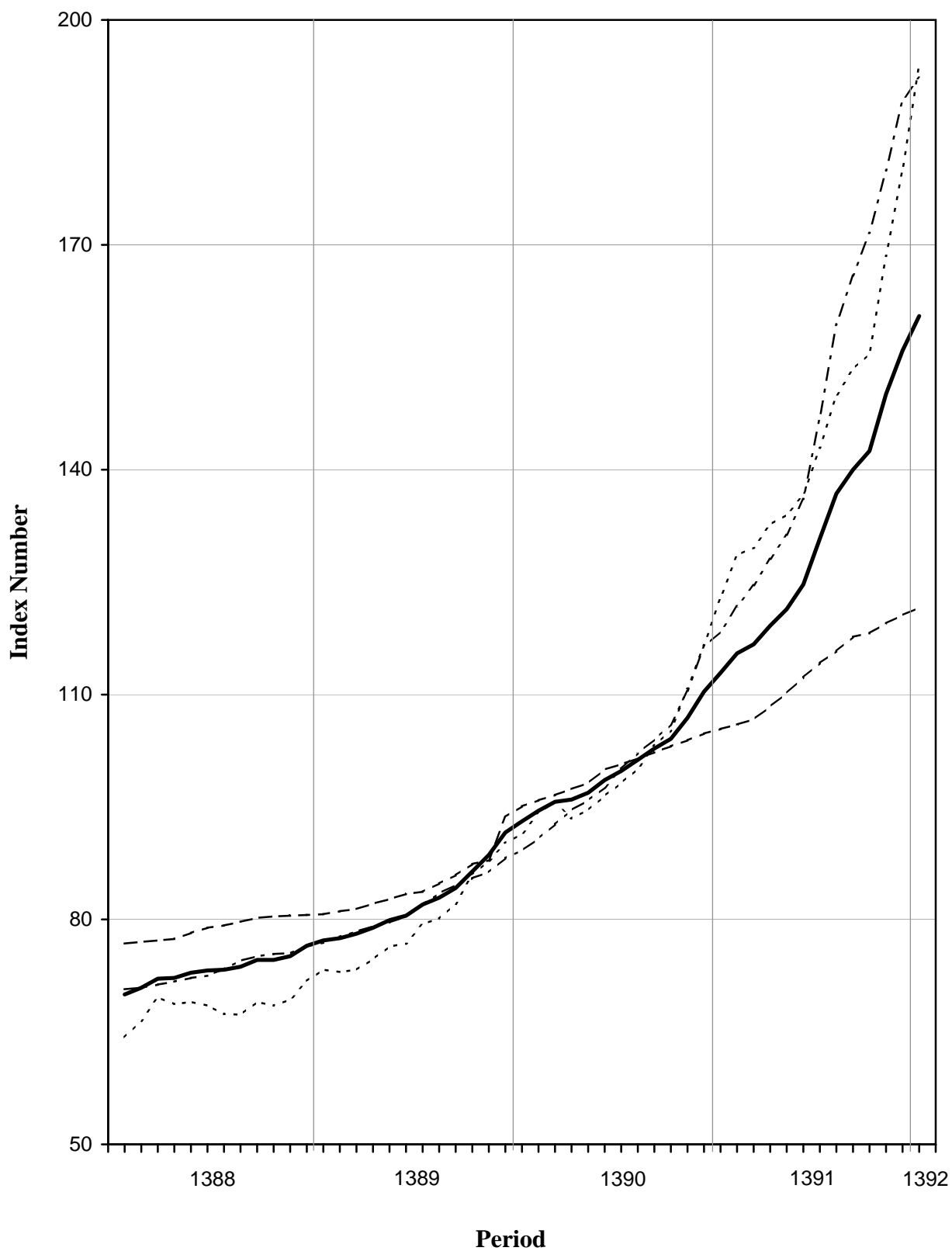


Table 1
Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes
Farvardin 1392
(1390=100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Farvardin 1392	Percent Change			
			Farvardin1392 compared to previous similar month of the previous year		Farvardin 1391 compared to previous similar month of the previous year	
General Index	100.0	160.5	3.0	42.2	2.3	21.3
Major Groups and selected sub groups:						
1-Food and Beverages	27.38	194.0	7.8	57.9	5.4	34.5
Food	26.27	193.9	8.1	57.3	5.6	34.8
Bread and cereals	5.05	175.2	3.5	56.3	2.4	33.3
Meat	6.12	184.6	-1.4	42.3	8.7	37.0
Fish and seafood	0.73	208.6	-0.8	68.9	3.2	37.7
Dairy products and eggs	3.07	180.2	-0.5	54.1	2.5	36.4
Fats and oils	0.94	168.7	1.1	45.6	3.9	34.3
Fruit and nut	5.38	213.3	26.4	69.4	12.4	25.5
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.42	240.4	20.4	72.8	1.2	49.6
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.23	168.1	3.3	48.4	1.9	27.9
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.33	172.6	3.0	60.1	2.0	14.6
Beverages	1.11	200.0	1.8	72.1	2.8	28.7
2-Tobacco	0.35	259.4	3.1	89.9	4.4	45.3
3-Clothing and Footwear	4.94	192.3	1.6	62.4	1.7	32.7
4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	121.6	0.8	15.4	0.6	10.8
Rent of residential houses	7.51	120.9	0.7	15.0	0.5	9.9
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	20.92	120.5	0.7	14.8	0.5	9.7
Maintenance and repair services	1.71	162.3	2.7	44.8	2.5	23.5
Water	0.53	121.2	0	1.0	0	66.9
Electricity, gas and other fuels	2.16	101.0	0	1.0	0	0
5-Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-Household Maintenance	5.13	207.7	1.5	79.4	1.4	26.4
6-Health	6.98	143.1	1.3	33.0	0.8	16.6
7-Transport	9.87	158.9	-2.6	46.5	1.2	14.7
8-Communication	2.38	116.3	-0.3	13.7	-1.0	3.0
9-Recreation and Culture	2.85	179.1	-0.2	54.5	0.3	25.0
10-Education	2.24	121.0	0.1	11.5	0.1	16.3
11-Restaurants and Hotels	1.86	172.7	3.8	49.5	4.2	26.0
12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.20	196.7	3.5	69.3	2.6	29.0
Special Groups:						
1-Goods	52.68	186.4	4.2	58.0	3.5	28.1
2-Services	47.32	131.0	1.0	22.4	0.8	13.6
3-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	121.6	0.8	15.4	0.6	10.8

Table 2
Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran
General and Major Groups Index Numbers
(1390=100)

Description Period	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	2.5	1.9	3.9	5.3	2.1	5.4	1.0	3.3	9.3	8.4	1.4	1.7	3.4
1370	3.0	2.4	4.3	5.9	2.6	5.8	1.3	4.5	10.7	8.3	1.8	2.2	3.8
1371	3.7	3.2	4.3	6.6	3.3	6.4	2.0	5.5	11.6	8.3	2.5	2.9	4.3
1372	4.5	3.9	5.4	7.6	3.9	7.8	2.9	6.7	14.0	10.1	3.6	3.6	5.2
1373	6.1	5.3	8.1	10.5	4.7	11.1	4.1	9.6	22.5	15.9	5.1	4.7	6.8
1374	9.1	8.5	13.8	17.0	6.0	17.3	5.5	13.7	37.8	27.2	6.5	6.9	9.7
1375	11.2	9.8	13.4	22.9	8.1	20.4	7.4	15.8	48.0	33.8	8.4	9.1	13.2
1376	13.1	11.2	14.7	26.0	10.6	21.8	9.3	18.1	50.7	33.7	8.9	10.2	16.1
1377	15.5	13.9	19.1	27.3	12.8	23.3	11.4	20.8	58.7	35.4	9.8	12.7	17.8
1378	18.6	17.0	24.7	29.1	15.2	26.7	14.2	26.6	70.2	42.0	11.5	15.8	21.1
1379	21.0	18.5	24.8	31.7	18.0	29.8	17.1	28.8	75.6	43.8	14.7	18.6	23.7
1380	23.4	19.9	25.3	33.2	21.4	30.9	19.8	31.1	76.3	47.6	19.5	20.9	25.6
1381	27.1	23.7	34.1	34.5	25.6	32.6	23.0	34.3	82.1	48.4	24.2	24.5	27.6
1382	31.3	27.3	38.1	37.2	30.3	35.8	26.8	39.0	90.0	51.8	29.2	28.7	31.0
1383	36.1	31.3	42.1	40.8	35.8	41.5	31.5	43.3	101.1	53.9	35.8	33.3	34.9
1384	39.8	34.7	44.5	44.2	40.0	46.4	36.4	45.2	99.2	57.1	42.4	37.2	38.8
1385	44.6	39.3	48.3	47.9	45.3	51.7	41.5	48.3	98.4	60.4	51.3	41.4	44.6
1386	52.7	47.8	59.2	54.9	54.9	60.0	48.5	54.8	98.2	65.3	58.5	48.5	51.9
1387	66.1	62.2	70.6	66.5	70.2	74.2	59.9	64.4	98.0	72.0	67.0	62.9	64.4
1388	73.2	68.3	91.9	73.3	78.8	77.4	71.2	68.2	98.4	78.3	77.7	72.7	72.5
1389	82.3	79.4	94.0	81.9	84.6	84.5	85.3	78.4	98.2	87.4	87.7	84.8	82.0
1390	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
1391	130.5	144.6	182.5	147.8	112.9	150.9	124.7	129.5	107.5	141.0	114.1	138.7	146.6
1391:													
Farvardin	112.9	122.9	136.6	118.4	105.4	115.8	107.6	108.5	102.3	115.9	108.5	115.5	116.2
Ordibehesht	115.5	128.6	142.3	121.8	106.0	119.3	109.3	109.1	102.6	115.4	108.7	118.4	120.8
Khordad	116.7	129.6	141.7	124.6	106.7	121.5	111.7	110.2	103.6	116.7	109.1	121.1	124.0
Tir	119.2	132.7	141.6	128.1	108.4	125.2	113.7	112.6	103.3	120.0	109.3	126.2	126.7
Mordad	121.4	134.0	144.7	131.3	110.2	128.7	118.3	115.9	104.3	122.7	109.4	128.3	130.3
Shahrivar	124.7	136.6	152.5	136.1	112.3	134.9	123.3	119.9	104.5	130.1	109.6	136.8	135.2
Mehr	130.8	142.9	182.6	147.0	114.2	151.3	127.8	130.0	106.3	144.0	112.5	142.1	144.6
Aban	136.8	149.9	208.3	159.4	115.8	166.7	131.6	137.7	108.2	156.4	119.2	147.2	156.2
Azar	140.0	153.4	218.6	165.9	117.7	173.6	134.6	139.9	109.2	157.9	120.6	150.4	164.3
Dey	142.5	155.5	225.6	171.6	118.2	180.0	137.9	144.0	114.1	163.3	120.7	153.6	171.1
Bahman	150.1	168.5	244.3	179.9	119.5	189.3	139.1	163.0	115.1	169.7	120.8	158.8	179.6
Esfand	155.9	180.0	251.5	189.3	120.6	204.6	141.3	163.1	116.7	179.5	120.9	166.3	190.1
1392:													
Farvardin	160.5	194.0	259.4	192.3	121.6	207.7	143.1	158.9	116.3	179.1	121.0	172.7	196.7