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Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers Ordibehesht 1392

(April 21 – May 21, 2013) (1390=100)

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Summary Results of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Ordibehesht 1392

(1390=100)

Increase

	Percent change compared to							
Groups	previous	s month	similar month of the previous year					
General Index	2.0	Ď	41.7	Ð				
Major Groups:								
1- Food and Beverages	0.4	₽	51.4	₽				
2- Tobacco	4.6	₽	90.7	₽				
3- Clothing and Footwear	3.5	₽	63.5	₽				
4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.7	∑	17.8	⊅				
5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine- Household Maintenance	3.5	₽	80.1	₽				
6- Health	2.6	₽	34.3	∌				
7- Transport	2.6	₽	49.5	D				
8- Communication	0.1	D	13.5	Ð				
9- Recreation and Culture	0.9	D	56.6	D				
10- Education	0.2	Ď	11.5	D				
11- Restaurants and Hotels	3.9	D	51.6	D				
12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.4	D	70.0	D				
Special Groups:								
1- Goods	1.4	D	55.0	₽				
2- Services	2.8	D	24.7	D				
3 - Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.7	D	17.8	₽				

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Ordibehesht 1392

(1391=100)

The Consumer Price Index (**CPI**) increased 2.0 percent in Ordibehesht 1392. The index level of 163.7 was 41.7 percent higher than in Ordibehesht 1391.

For the first two months of 1392, the Consumer Price Index rose 41.9 percent, compared to the similar period in 1391.

The inflation rate has advanced 34.0 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index increased 0.4 percent in Ordibehesht, largely due to the advances in the indices for rice by 5.1 percent, vegetable oils 19.4 percent, potato 37.6 percent, apple 14.2 percent, sugar, sugar lump, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionary 6.1 percent, beverages 4.8 percent, nuts 4.6 percent, pulses 7.7 percent, beef 1.7 percent, biscuit, cake and cookies 5.2 percent, eggplant 15.0 percent, carrot 40.3 percent, lime 26.5 percent, salt, spices and sauces, condiments and food products 5.1 percent, tomato paste 5.0 percent, fish (from the Persian Gulf and the Oman sea) 3.0 percent, canned fish 4.1 percent, date 6.8 percent, pasta 2.9 percent, kiwi fruit 3.9 percent, and eggs 0.6 percent. Within the food and beverages group, decreases in the indices for tomato 38.8 percent, watermelon 39.1 percent, onion 35.9 percent, cucumber 12.2 percent, leafy green vegetables 4.5 percent, banana 5.4 percent, poultry 1.1 percent, and zucchini 5.4 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco went up 4.6 percent in Ordibehesht, reflecting 5.2 percent rise in the index for imported cigarettes. The index for domestic cigarettes also advanced 3.2 percent.

The clothing and footwear index rose 3.5 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for ready to wear clothing by 3.3 percent. Advances of the indices for footwear by 3.6 percent, clothing materials 5.5 percent, and tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 2.6 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 2.7 percent which was principally attributed to the increases of the indices for rental

equivalence of owner occupied houses by 2.9 percent, rent of residential houses 3.0 percent, and maintenance and repair services of the dwelling 3.7 percent.

The furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance index advanced 3.5 percent, mainly due to the rises in the indices for household appliances by 4.1 percent, glassware, tableware and household utensils 5.0 percent, household textiles 4.9 percent, goods and services for routine household maintenance 2.9 percent, carpets 3.5 percent, and tools and equipment for house 5.7 percent.

The index for health was up 2.6 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for medical, paramedical and dental services by 3.7 percent. Advances of the indices for hospital services by 2.4 percent and medical products, appliances and equipment 0.6 percent accounted for the rise of this group as well.

The transport index went up 2.6 percent which was attributed to the increases of the indices for passenger transport by road by 5.7 percent, operation of personal transport equipment 3.4 percent, and motorcycles 5.3 percent.

The index for communication was up 0.1 percent in Ordibehesht.

The index for recreation and culture turn up 0.9 percent, largely due to the increases in the indices for recreational and cultural services by 2.5 percent, stationery 3.9 percent, and TV, radio, recording and reproduction of sound and pictures 0.8 percent.

The education index advanced 0.2 percent over this month that was principally attributed to the rise of the index for supplementary courses tuition fees by 1.7 percent.

The index for restaurants and hotels increased 3.9 percent that was principally attributed to the advance in the index for food away from home by 4.0 percent.

The miscellaneous goods and services index went up 4.4 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 4.8 percent, goldsmith wage 5.1 percent, and personal effects 3.1 percent were the major reasons for this rise.

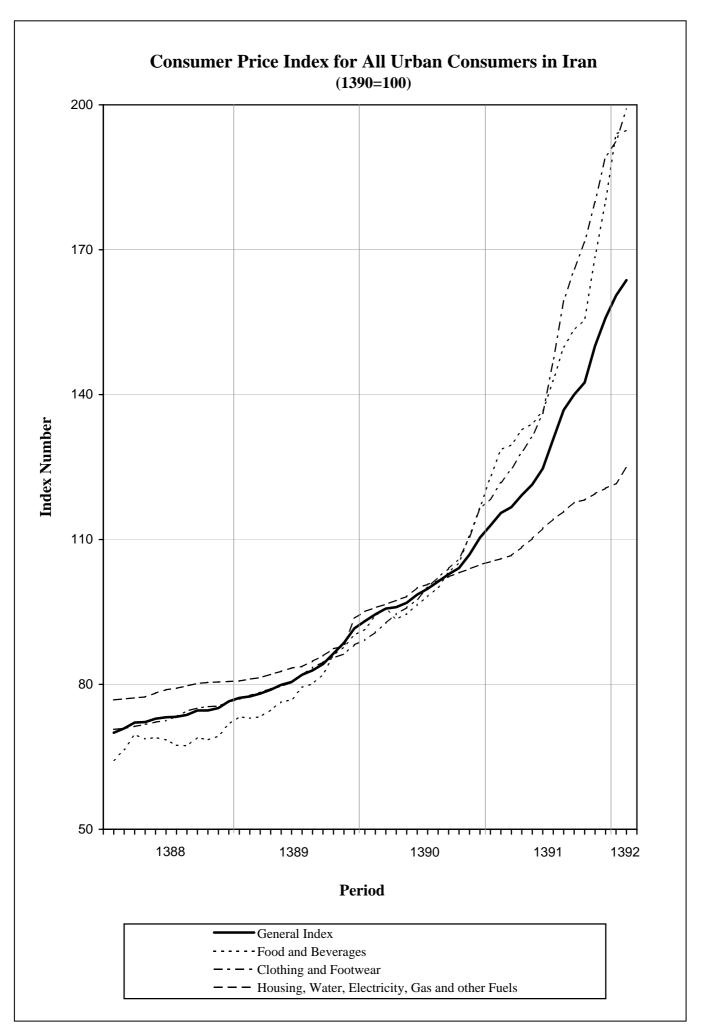


Table 1

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran

Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes Ordibehesht 1392 (1390=100)

		Index	Percent Change					
.	Base	Number		libehesht1392		ibehesht 1391		
Description	Year	in Oudibabaabt		compared to	compared to			
	Weight	1392		the previous year	•	similar month of the previous year		
General Index	100.0	163.7	2.0	41.7	2.3	22.2		
Major Groups and selected sub groups:								
1-Food and Beverages	27.38	194.7	0.4	51.4	4.6	36.5		
Food	26.27	194.2	0.2	50.5	4.6	36.7		
Bread and cereals	5.05	181.3	3.5	59.3	1.5	21.5		
Meat	6.12	184.8	0.1	40.2	1.6	39.6		
Fish and seafood	0.73	211.6	1.4	69.4	1.1	39.7		
Dairy products and eggs	3.07	181.9	0.9	51.6	2.7	40.7		
Fats and oils	0.94	194.5	15.3	56.0	7.6	38.4		
Fruit and nut	5.38	217.8	2.1	50.7	14.8	32.4		
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.42	211.1	-12.2	47.9	2.6	65.4		
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.23	178.4	6.1	53.7	2.5	28.1		
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.33	181.4	5.1	63.6	2.9	17.9		
Beverages	1.11	209.5	4.8	74.3	3.4	32.4		
2-Tobacco	0.35	271.4	4.6	90.7	4.2	51.4		
3-Clothing and Footwear	4.94	199.1	3.5	63.5	2.9	34.1		
4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	124.9	2.7	17.8	0.6	10.5		
Rent of residential houses	7.51	124.5	3.0	17.8	0.6	9.6		
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	20.92	124.0	2.9	17.4	0.6	9.4		
Maintenance and repair services	1.71	168.3	3.7	46.9	2.2	23.6		
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-	5.13	214.9	3.5	80.1	3.0	28.1		
Household Maintenance								
6-Health	6.98	146.8	2.6	34.3	1.6	17.5		
7-Transport	9.87	163.1	2.6	49.5	0.6	14.5		
8-Communication	2.38	116.4	0.1	13.5	0.3	4.0		
9-Recreation and Culture	2.85	180.7	0.9	56.6	-0.4	24.1		
10-Education	2.24	121.2	0.2	11.5	0.2	16.1		
11-Restaurants and Hotels	1.86	179.5	3.9	51.6	2.5	27.2		
12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.20	205.4	4.4	70.0	4.0	32.5		
Special Groups:								
1-Goods	52.68	189.1	1.4	55.0	3.4	29.8		
2-Services	47.32	134.7	2.8	24.7	0.9	13.7		
3-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	124.9	2.7	17.8	0.6	10.5		

Table 2 **Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran**

General and Major Groups Index Numbers (1390=100)

Description	General	Food		Clothing	Housing, Water,	Furnishings, Household	/			Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous
,	Index	and	Tobacco	-	Electricity, Gas	Equipment and Routine	Health	Transport	Communication	and	Education	and	Goods and
Period		Beverages		Footwear	and other Fuels	Household Maintenance		1		Culture		Hotels	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
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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
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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
Ordibehesht	163.7	194.7	271.4	199.1	124.9	214.9	146.8	163.1	116.4	180.7	121.2	179.5	205.4