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IN THE NAME OF GOD Summary Results of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Mehr 1392 (1390=100)Increase no change or virtually unchanged Decrease Percent change compared to similar month of previous month Groups the previous year 1.2 36.6 **General Index Major Groups:** 0.9 45.6 **1- Food and Beverages** F Â 47.9 1.1 2- Tobacco Ŷ $\widehat{\mathcal{N}}$ 2.6 52.1 **3-** Clothing and Footwear Ŷ Ŷ 4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels 1.0 20.1 Ŷ $\widehat{\mathbf{A}}$ 5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-0.5 55.8 **Household Maintenance** Ŷ Ŷ 41.2 2.1 6- Health Ŷ $\widehat{\mathbf{A}}$ 0.3 34.0 7- Transport Ŷ 8- Communication 0 8.4 Ŷ $\widehat{\mathcal{A}}$ 35.8 3.5 9- Recreation and Culture Ŷ Ŷ 5.6 15.6 **10- Education** Ŷ 1.4 38.2 **11- Restaurants and Hotels A** 55.7 1.2 12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services **Special Groups:** 1.1 **44.9** 1- Goods 1.4 25.6 2- Services 20.1 1.0 3 - Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Mehr 1392 (1390=100)

The Consumer Price Index (**CPI**) increased 1.2 percent in Mehr 1392. The index level of 178.7 was 36.6 percent higher than in Mehr 1391.

For the first seven months of 1392, the consumer price index rose 42.0 percent, compared to the similar period in 1391.

The inflation rate has advanced 40.4 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index increased 0.9 percent in Mehr, largely due to the increases in the indices for cucumber by 28.7 percent, poultry 5.5 percent, butter 19.1 percent, milk products 1.8 percent, livestock meat 0.6 percent, sugar, sugar lump, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionary 1.6 percent, vegetable products 3.3 percent, milk 1.1 percent, potato 2.9 percent, kiwi fruit 10.6 percent, pasta 4.5 percent, zucchini 15.5 percent, beverages 0.7 percent, biscuit, cake and cookies 1.4 percent, tomato 1.3 percent, salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products 2.1 percent, canned fish and cultured fish each by 2.4 percent, and fish (from the Caspian sea) 3.7 percent. Within the food and beverages group decreases in the indices for citrus by 9.3 percent, apple 4.1 percent, pomegranate 14.4 percent, banana 5.2 percent, eggs 3.4 percent, rice 0.5 percent, lettuce 5.6 percent, pulses 2.4 percent, carrot 14.0 percent, onion 4.7 percent and eggplant 1.1 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco went down 1.1 percent in Mehr, reflecting 1.0 percent and 1.6 percent decreases in the indices for imported cigarettes and domestic cigarettes, respectively.

The clothing and footwear index rose 2.6 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for ready to wear clothing by 3.1 percent. Advances of the indices for footwear by 2.0 percent, tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 1.7 percent, and clothing materials 0.5 percent accounted for the rise of this group index as well.

During this month, the housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels index increased 1.0 percent which was attributed to the advances of the indices for rental equivalence

of owner occupied houses and rent of residential houses each by 1.0 percent, and maintenance and repair services of the dwelling 2.1 percent.

The furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance index rose 0.5 percent, mainly due to the rises in the indices for glassware, tableware and household utensils and goods and services for routine household maintenance each by 1.2 percent, and household textiles 0.7 percent. The indices for household appliances and tools and equipment for house advanced by 0.1 percent and 0.4 percent, respectively.

The index for health was up 2.1 percent, mostly as a result of the increases in the indices for medical, paramedical and dental services by 2.4 percent, hospital services 2.6 percent, and medical products, appliances and equipment 0.8 percent.

The transport index rose 0.3 percent which was attributed to the increases of the indices for passenger transport by road by 1.1 percent, and operation of personal transport equipment 0.4 percent.

The communication index was unchanged in Mehr.

The index for recreation and culture went up 3.5 percent, largely due to the increases in the indices for newspapers, books and stationery by 18.7 percent, other recreational items and equipment 1.4 percent, recreational and cultural services 1.2 percent, and audio-visual, photographic and information processing equipment 0.4 percent. The index for package holidays decreased by 1.8 percent.

The education index advanced 5.6 percent over this month that was principally attributed to the rise in the index for private schools tuition fees by 21.3 percent. Advance of the index for supplementary courses tuition fees by 3.3 percent was also considerable in this month.

The index for restaurants and hotels increased 1.4 percent, mainly due to the advance in the index for food away from home by 1.6 percent.

The miscellaneous goods and services index went up 1.2 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 1.2 percent, fees for legal services 5.2 percent, school bags 3.6 percent, and funeral expenses 9.6 percent were the major reasons for this rise. The index for goldsmith wage turned down by 1.7 percent.

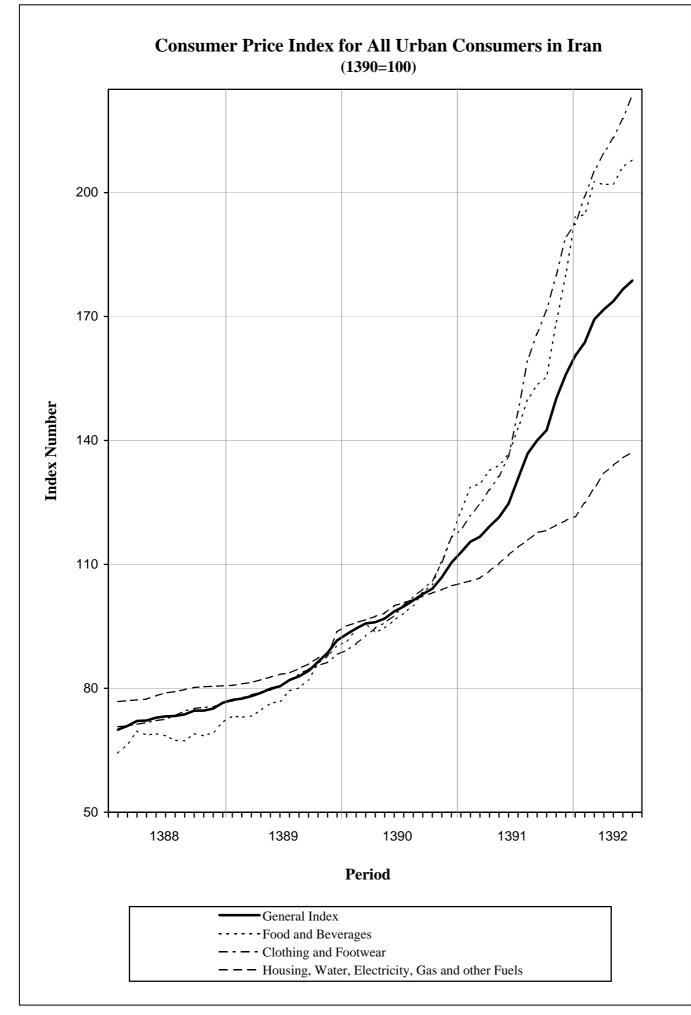


Table 1 **Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran** Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes Mehr 1392

(1390=100)

		Index	Percent Change					
Description	Base	Number		Mehr 1392	Mehr 1391			
Description	Year Weight	in Mehr		compared to similar month of	compared to previous similar month of			
	() eight	1392	^	the previous year	<u>^</u>			
General Index	100.0	178.7	1.2	36.6	4.9	31.1		
Major Groups and selected sub groups:								
1-Food and Beverages	27.38	208.0	0.9	45.6	4.6	45.5		
Food	26.27	207.1	0.9	45.5	4.2	44.9		
Bread and cereals	5.05	193.8	0.4	38.4	5.6	38.3		
Meat	6.12	197.5	2.2	37.7	-0.6	50.3		
Fish and seafood	0.73	236.7	0.3	44.1	4.8	65.5		
Dairy products and eggs	3.07	206.4	0.7	21.3	8.2	56.6		
Fats and oils	0.94	223.7	4.8	53.4	5.7	43.6		
Fruit and nut	5.38	219.6	-2.4	67.5	5.4	34.5		
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.42	218.5	3.7	68.6	3.6	51.2		
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.23	198.7	1.6	44.8	6.5	35.0		
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.33	211.5	2.1	59.5	3.8	31.4		
Beverages	1.11	231.8	0.7	46.3	13.1	56.8		
2-Tobacco	0.35	270.0	-1.1	47.9	19.7	90.2		
3-Clothing and Footwear	4.94	223.6	2.6	52.1	8.0	46.9		
4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	137.2	1.0	20.1	1.7	13.4		
Rent of residential houses	7.51	137.6	1.0	20.8	1.5	13.4		
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	20.92	137.2	1.0	20.8	1.5	13.1		
Maintenance and repair services	1.71	186.3	2.1	36.5	5.8	35.4		
Water	0.53	121.2	0	0	0	1.0		
Electricity, gas and other fuels	2.16	101.0	0	0	0	1.0		
5-Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-	5.13	235.8	0.5	55.8	12.2	51.6		
Household Maintenance								
6-Health	6.98	180.4	2.1	41.2	3.6	25.3		
7-Transport	9.87	174.2	0.3	34.0	8.4	29.2		
8-Communication	2.38	115.2	0	8.4	1.7	7.0		
9-Recreation and Culture	2.85	195.5	3.5	35.8	10.7	44.7		
10-Education	2.24	130.1	5.6	15.6	2.6	16.9		
11-Restaurants and Hotels	1.86	196.4	1.4	38.2	3.9	41.3		
12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.20	225.2	1.2	55.7	7.0	44.0		
Special Groups:								
1-Goods	52.68	204.6	1.1	44.9	6.8	42.3		
2-Services	47.32	149.2	1.4	25.6	2.4	18.2		
3-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	137.2	1.0	20.1	1.7	13.4		

Table 2Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in IranGeneral and Major Groups Index Numbers

(1390=100)

	General Index 2.5 3.0 3.7	Food and Beverages 1.9	Tobacco	Clothing and	Electricity, Gas	Furnishings,Household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous
Period 1369 1370	2.5 3.0	Beverages				Equipment and Routine	Health	Transport	Communication	and	Education	and	Goods and
1369 1370	3.0			Footwear	and other Fuels	Household Maintenance		F		Culture		Hotels	Services
1370	3.0		3.9	5.3	2.1	5.4	1.0	3.3	9.3	8.4	1.4	1.7	3.4
		2.4	4.3	5.9	2.6	5.8	1.3	4.5	10.7	8.3	1.8	2.2	3.8
1071	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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
	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:	100.0	1 10 0	400.0	4 47 0		151.0	407.0	400.0	400.0		110 5		1110
	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
	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
	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
2	142.5	155.5	225.6 244.3	171.6	118.2	180.0 189.3	137.9	144.0	114.1	163.3	120.7	153.6	171.1 170.6
	150.1 155.9	168.5 180.0	244.3 251.5	179.9 189.3	119.5 120.6	204.6	139.1 141.3	163.0 163.1	115.1 116.7	169.7 179.5	120.8 120.9	158.8 166.3	179.6 190.1
1392:	155.9	180.0	251.5	189.3	120.6	204.0	141.3	103.1	110.7	179.5	120.9	100.3	190.1
	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
	160.5	194.0 194.7	259.4 271.4	192.3	121.0	207.7 214.9	143.1	163.1	116.3	179.1	121.0	172.7	205.4
	169.3	202.6	271.4	205.2	124.9	214.9	140.8	168.0	116.1	182.9	121.2	179.5	205.4 211.1
	171.7	202.0	275.9	205.2 209.5	132.0	228.0	165.8	170.8	114.4	182.9	121.7	185.9	211.1
	173.7	201.9	275.0	209.3 213.3	134.0	230.6	171.4	170.8	115.2	186.5	122.1	188.5	214.2
	176.6	202.1	273.1	213.3	135.8	234.6	176.7	172.0	115.2	188.8	123.2	193.7	210.5
	178.7	208.0	270.0	223.6	137.2	235.8	180.4	174.2	115.2	195.5	130.1	195.7	225.2

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