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Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers Mordad 1393

(July 23 – August 22, 2014) (1390=100)

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Summary Results of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Mordad 1393

(1390=100)

Increase

no change or virtually unchanged

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Groups	previous	month	similar month of the previous year			
General Index	1.3	₽	14.7	Ď		
Major Groups:						
1- Food and Beverages	0.8	D	6.8	D		
2- Tobacco	0.9	₹	7.8	₹		
3- Clothing and Footwear	1.1	D	19.6	D		
4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.2	D	16.2	D		
5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine- Household Maintenance	0.5	D	9.8	D		
6- Health	3.2	D	32.1	D		
7- Transport	0	\Leftrightarrow	25.2	D		
8- Communication	0.2	₹	12.7	Ď		
9- Recreation and Culture	0.5	D	18.0	D		
10- Education	0.3	D	13.3	D		
11- Restaurants and Hotels	2.2	D	19.2	D		
12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services	0.8	Ď	15.6	∑		
Special Groups:						
1- Goods	0.7	D	11.2	D		
2- Services	2.0	D	20.3	∑		
3 - Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	2.2	₽	16.2	D		

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran

Mordad 1393

(1390=100)

The Consumer Price Index (**CPI**) increased 1.3 percent in Mordad 1393¹. The index level of 199.3 was 14.7 percent higher than in Mordad 1392.

For the first five months of 1393, the consumer price index rose 15.6 percent, compared to the similar period in 1392.

The inflation rate has advanced 23.2 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index increased 0.8 percent in Mordad, largely due to the increases in the indices for dairy products and egg by 3.8 percent, cucumber 26.1 percent, rice 1.9 percent, lettuce 24.0 percent, tomato 7.7 percent, beverages 2.3 percent, fish 2.6 percent, pasta 5.1 percent, poultry 0.4 percent, "candy, chocolate, jam and honey" and "nuts" each 0.7 percent, beef 0.4 percent, biscuit, cake and cookies 0.9 percent, oils and fats 0.5 percent, salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products 1.5 percent, onion 2.7 percent, vegetable products 0.6 percent, eggplant 1.4 percent, and meat products 0.9 percent. Within the food and beverages group, decreases in the indices for arboreal fruits except citrus by 6.1 percent, lime 19.9 percent, potato 7.9 percent, watermelon 5.5 percent, melon 1.2 percent, and green beans 7.9 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco went down 0.9 percent in Mordad, reflecting 1.2 percent decrease in the index for imported cigarettes.

The clothing and footwear index rose 1.1 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for ready to wear clothing by 1.0 percent. Advances in the indices for footwear by 1.2 percent, clothing materials 1.8 percent, and tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 1.3 percent accounted for the rise of this group index as well.

During this month, the housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels index increased 2.2 percent which was attributed to the advances of the indices for "rental equivalence of owner occupied houses" and "rent of residential houses" each by 2.1 percent and maintenance and repair services of the dwelling 1.1 percent.

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¹ The current Iranian year begins from march 21, 2014 and ends in march 20, 2015.

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 by 0.7 percent, household appliances 0.5 percent, "goods and services for routine household maintenance" and "carpets and other floor coverings" each 0.7 percent, and household textiles 0.5 percent.

The index for health went up 3.2 percent, mostly as a result of the increases in the indices for hospital services by 6.3 percent and medical, paramedical and dental services 2.4 percent. Advance of the index for medical products, appliances and equipment by 0.3 percent accounted for the rise of this group as well.

The transport index was virtually unchanged in Mordad. Within this group increases in the indices for transport services by 0.9 percent, and maintenance and repair of personal transport equipment 2.0 percent and decrease in the index for personal transport vehicles by 0.6 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for communication was down 0.2 percent in Mordad.

The recreation and culture index increased 0.5 percent that principally was attributed to the advances of the indices for package holidays by 1.5 percent, recreational and cultural services 2.0 percent, other recreational items and equipment 1.1 percent, and stationery 1.0 percent. Within this group decrease in the index for audio- visual, photographic and information processing equipment by 1.1 percent was also considerable in this month.

The education index went up 0.3 percent over this month, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for supplementary courses tuition fees by 2.2 percent.

The index for restaurants and hotels rose 2.2 percent, mainly due to the advance in the index for food away from home by 2.4 percent. Advances of the indices for catering services by 1.6 percent and accommodation services 1.4 percent accounted for the rise of this group as well.

The miscellaneous goods and services index increased 0.8 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 1.0 percent, personal effects 0.8 percent, and fees for legal services 0.7 percent were the major reasons for this rise.

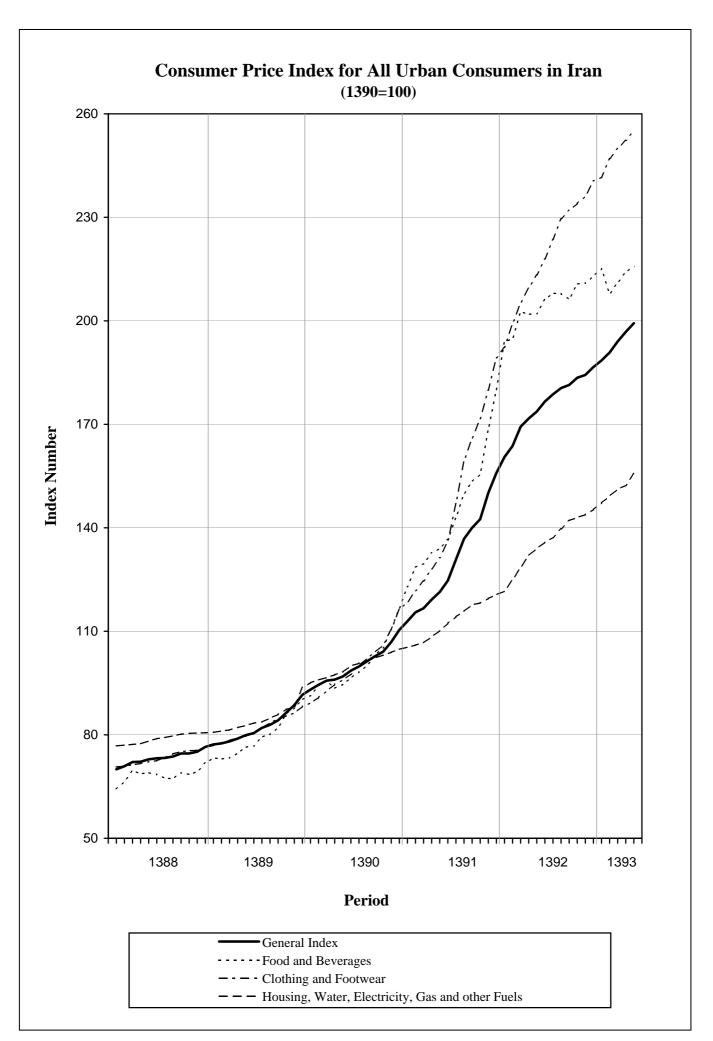


Table 1

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran

Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes Mordad 1393 (1390=100)

		Index	Percent Change					
Description	Base	Number		Iordad 1393	Mordad 1392			
Description	Year Weight	in Mordad		compared to similar month of		compared to		
		1393	•	the previous year	*			
General Index	100.0	199.3	1.3	14.7	1.2	43.1		
Major Groups and selected sub groups:								
1-Food and Beverages	27.38	215.8	0.8	6.8	0.1	50.8		
Food	26.27	214.4	0.8	6.6	0	50.0		
Bread and cereals	5.05	209.0	1.6	8.7	0.7	48.8		
Meat	6.12	204.1	0.2	5.0	1.8	30.6		
Fish and seafood	0.73	264.5	2.0	15.1	2.7	52.4		
Dairy products and egg	3.07	226.7	3.8	16.0	4.9	39.7		
Oils and fats	0.94	235.2	0.5	14.1	1.1	53.4		
Fruit and nut	5.38	205.5	-4.6	-5.0	-6.8	74.5		
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.42	217.5	4.6	5.7	1.2	62.9		
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.23	222.1	0.5	16.0	1.6	54.5		
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.33	244.3	1.5	21.0	3.0	67.1		
Beverages	1.11	251.8	2.3	10.5	2.4	70.4		
2-Tobacco	0.35	253.5	-0.9	-7.8	-0.6	90.0		
3-Clothing and Footwear	4.94	255.1	1.1	19.6	1.8	62.5		
4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	155.7	2.2	16.2	1.5	21.6		
Rent of residential houses	7.51	154.2	2.1	14.8	1.6	22.3		
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	20.92	153.9	2.1	15.0	1.6	22.0		
Maintenance and repair services	1.71	216.3	1.1	20.7	1.8	43.4		
Water	0.53	172.6	18.6	42.4	0	0		
Electricity, gas and other fuels	2.16	123.2	0	22.0	0	0		
5-Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-	5.13	253.2	0.5	9.8	1.1	79.2		
Household Maintenance								
6-Health	6.98	226.4	3.2	32.1	3.4	44.9		
7-Transport	9.87	216.4	0	25.2	1.2	49.1		
8-Communication	2.38	129.8	-0.2	12.7	0.7	10.5		
9-Recreation and Culture	2.85	220.0	0.5	18.0	2.2	52.0		
10-Education	2.24	139.0	0.3	13.3	0.5	12.2		
11-Restaurants and Hotels	1.86	224.6	2.2	19.2	1.4	46.9		
12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.20	252.3	0.8	15.6	1.9	67.5		
Special Groups:								
1-Goods	52.68	221.1	0.7	11.2	0.8	54.8		
2-Services	47.32	174.4	2.0	20.3	1.7	28.0		
3-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	32.82	155.7	2.2	16.2	1.5	21.6		

 ${\bf Table~2} \\ {\bf Consumer~Price~Index~for~All~Urban~Consumers~in~Iran}$

General and Major Groups Index Numbers (1390=100)

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Description	General	Food		Clothing	Housing, Water,	Furnishings, Household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous
	Index	and	Tobacco	and	Electricity, Gas	Equipment and Routine	Health	Transport	Communication	and	Education	and	Goods and
Period		Beverages		Footwear		Household Maintenance				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
1392	175.9	204.9	267.6	219.4	135.7	230.7	172.6	173.9	115.2	190.0	128.5	193.2	220.8
1392:													
Mordad	173.7	202.1	275.0	213.3	134.0	230.6	171.4	172.8	115.2	186.5	122.7	188.5	218.3
Shahrivar	176.6	206.2	273.1	217.9	135.8	234.6	176.7	173.7	115.2	188.8	123.2	193.7	222.6
Mehr	178.7	208.0	270.0	223.6	137.2	235.8	180.4	174.2	115.2	195.5	130.1	196.4	225.2
Aban	180.5	207.9	268.6	229.6	139.7	237.6	182.4	177.1	114.7	197.1	130.8	198.9	227.9
Azar	181.4	206.2	266.3	232.0	142.1	238.1	184.5	178.7	114.9	196.0	137.1	201.2	229.4
Dey	183.5 184.3	210.7 210.9	262.7 257.4	234.0 236.1	143.0 143.8	239.0 239.2	185.9 187.0	180.7 183.1	114.7 114.6	195.9 195.9	137.1 137.2	203.6 205.8	230.7 232.2
Bahman Esfand	186.6	210.9	257.4 254.3	240.5	145.8	239.2 242.5	189.8	185.6	114.6	204.4	137.2	205.8 208.7	232.2
1393:	100.0	213.0	204.0	∠ 4 0.5	140.0	∠ 1 ∠.J	103.0	103.0	1 14.5	204.4	137.2	200.1	200.0
Farvardin	188.5	215.1	255.9	241.6	147.2	243.8	190.8	187.0	114.2	209.3	137.5	212.3	238.7
Ordibehesht	190.8	207.8	258.2	247.0	149.2	248.3	193.3	211.8	128.9	210.0	137.7	215.9	244.6
Khordad	194.0	211.1	257.9	249.9	151.2	251.2	203.6	213.9	130.3	218.9	137.9	218.7	247.6
Tir	196.8	214.1	255.7	252.3	152.3	252.0	219.4	216.3	130.0	218.9	138.6	219.8	250.4
Mordad	199.3	215.8	253.5	255.1	155.7	253.2	226.4	216.4	129.8	220.0	139.0	224.6	252.3