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Summary Results of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Dey 1396 (1395=100)

Increase

	Percent change compared to						
Groups	previous month						
General Index	0.4	Ŷ	9.7	Ŷ			
Major Groups:							
1- Food and Beverages	0.4	Ŷ	13.7	Ŷ			
2- Tobacco	0.2	Ŷ	1.1	J.			
3- Clothing and Footwear	0.2	Ŷ	4.9	£			
4- Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	0.3	£	8.8	£			
5- Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine- Household Maintenance	0.8	£	8.2	Ъ́Г			
6- Health	0.6	Ŷ	8.5	Ĵ			
7- Transport	0.4	Ŷ	6.4	Ŷ			
8- Communication	0.8	Ŷ	0.8	Ŷ			
9- Recreation and Culture	1.2	Ŷ	10.0	Ŷ			
10- Education	0.5	Ŷ	14.1	Ŷ			
11- Restaurants and Hotels	0.8	Ŷ	11.8	Ŷ			
12- Miscellaneous Goods and Services	1.2	Ŷ	11.6	Ъ́р			
Special Groups:							
1- Goods	0.4	Ŷ	9.7	Ŷ			
2- Services	0.5	Ŷ	9.6	Ŷ			

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Dey 1396 (1395=100)

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased 0.4 percent in Dey 1396¹. The index level of 112.4 was 9.7 percent higher than in Dey 1395.

For the first ten months of 1396, the consumer price index rose 9.8 percent compared to the similar period in 1395.

The inflation rate has advanced 10.0 percent over the last twelve months.

The food and beverages index increased 0.4 percent in Dey, mainly due to the increases in the indices for fresh fruits (except orange, sweet lemon, and lime) by 4.4 percent, rice 2.2 percent, egg 7.5 percent, milk products 1.2 percent, nuts 1.6 percent, leafy green vegetables 2.3 percent, beverages 0.9 percent, sugar, sugar lump, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionary 0.7 percent, milk 1.0 percent, "fish and seafood" and "biscuit, cake and cookies" each 1.1 percent, beef 0.4 percent, oils and fats 0.6 percent, eggplant 2.8 percent, vegetable products 1.4 percent, green beans 10.5 percent, and salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products 0.9 percent. Within the food and beverages group, decreases in the indices for fresh vegetables (except leafy green vegetables, eggplant, and green beans) by 8.3 percent, meat (except beef) 0.8 percent, orange 4.4 percent, sweet lemon 3.6 percent, lime 2.3 percent, and pulses 0.3 percent were also considerable in this month.

The index for tobacco rose 0.2 percent in Dey, largely due to the increases in the indices for imported cigarettes by 0.2 percent and domestic cigarettes 0.3 percent.

The clothing and footwear index increased 0.2 percent, mostly as a result of the increases in the indices for footwear by 0.6 percent, clothing materials 1.5 percent, and tailoring, cleaning and laundering wage 1.0 percent. The index for ready to wear clothing decreased by 0.1 percent in this month.

During this month, the housing, water, electricity, gas, and other fuels index went up 0.3 percent which was attributed to the advances of the indices for rental

¹ The current Iranian year begins from March 21, 2017.

equivalence of owner occupied houses by 0.4 percent, rent of residential houses 0.3 percent, and maintenance and repair services of the dwelling 0.5 percent.

The furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance index rose 0.8 percent, largely due to the increases in the indices for "household appliances" and "goods and services for routine household maintenance" each by 1.1 percent, glassware, tableware and household utensils 1.2 percent, household textiles 0.9 percent, and carpets and other floor coverings 0.2 percent.

The index for health increased 0.6 percent, mostly as a result of the increases in the indices for medical, paramedical and dental services by 0.7 percent, medical products, appliances and equipment 0.6 percent, and hospital services 0.5 percent.

The transport index went up 0.4 percent in Dey that was principally attributed to the increases in the indices for operation of personal transport equipment by 0.5 percent, and passenger transport by road 0.7 percent.

The index for communication increased 0.8 percent, mostly as a result of the increase in the index for telephone and telefax equipment by 4.1 percent.

The recreation and culture index rose 1.2 percent in Dey, largely due to the increases in the indices for package holidays by 3.7 percent, audio-visual, photographic and information processing equipment 0.6 percent, other recreational items and equipment 0.7 percent, recreational and cultural services 0.5 percent, and stationery 0.8 percent.

The education index advanced 0.5 percent over this month.

The index for restaurants and hotels rose 0.8 percent, mainly due to the advances in the indices for food away from home by 0.8 percent and catering services 0.6 percent.

The miscellaneous goods and services index increased 1.2 percent in this month. Increases in the indices for personal care by 1.0 percent, goldsmith wage 4.7 percent, fees for legal services 1.5 percent, and personal effects 0.8 percent were the major reasons for this rise.

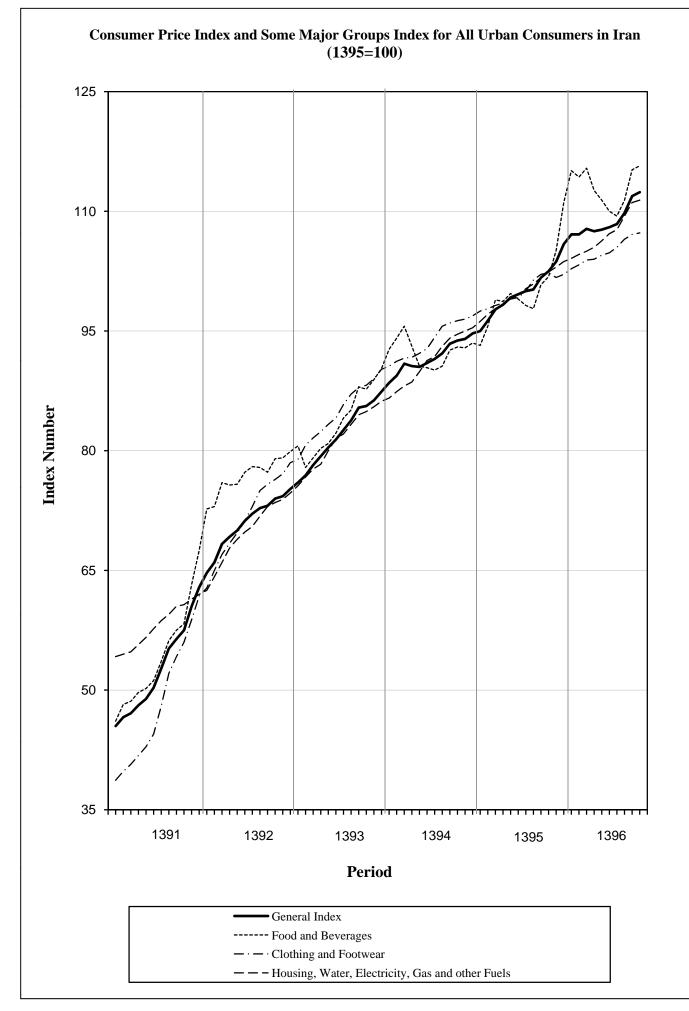


Table 1 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes Dey 1396 (1395=100)

		Index	Percent Change				
	Base	Number					
Description	Year Weight	in Dey		compared to similar month of		compared to	
	weight	1396	•	the previous year	*		
General Index	100.0	112.4	0.4	9.7	0.8	9.3	
Major Groups and selected sub groups:							
1-Food and Beverages	25.51	115.7	0.4	13.7	1.0	9.5	
Food	24.52	115.7	0.4	13.7	1.0	9.5	
Bread and cereals	4.43	116.3	1.7	10.7	1.4	18.3	
Meat	5.31	118.0	-0.6	13.6	1.8	16.5	
Fish and seafood	0.61	109.1	1.1	5.7	1.8	11.4	
Dairy products and eggs	2.96	119.9	2.7	16.5	1.2	5.5	
Oils and fats	0.84	115.5	0.6	10.1	2.5	11.0	
Fruit and nut	5.51	106.3	2.4	12.4	1.8	12.4	
Vegetables, pulses and vegetable products	3.46	127.0	-4.2	21.6	-2.2	-9.7	
Sugar, sugar lump, jam,honey,chocolate and confectionary	1.05	114.2	0.7	10.4	0.6	14.3	
Salt, spices, sauces, condiments and food products	0.33	110.2	0.9	7.5	0.7	9.9	
Beverages	1.0	118.1	0.9	14.9	0.9	10.4	
2-Tobacco	0.37	101.8	0.2	1.1	0	10.9	
3-Clothing and Footwear	4.62	107.3	0.2	4.9	0.2	6.3	
4-Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	37.05	111.4	0.3	8.8	0.7	8.2	
Rent of residential houses	7.71	111.8	0.3	9.3	0.7	8.3	
Rental equivalence of owner occupied houses	25.43	112.0	0.4	9.4	0.7	8.6	
Maintenance and repair services	1.67	110.3	0.5	7.6	0.8	9.1	
Water	0.49	100.0	0	0	0	0	
Electricity, gas and other fuels	1.75	103.4	0	0	0	5.0	
5-Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine-	4.33	110.6	0.8	8.2	1.1	6.3	
Household Maintenance							
6-Health	7.83	113.1	0.6	8.5	0.6	17.0	
7-Transport	8.90	108.8	0.4	6.4	0.7	7.9	
8-Communication	2.30	106.6	0.8	0.8	6.8	7.2	
9-Recreation and Culture	2.07	113.3	1.2	10.0	0.2	8.8	
10-Education	2.03	119.6	0.5	14.1	0.3	11.3	
11-Restaurants and Hotels	1.82	114.5	0.8	11.8	1.2	9.2	
12-Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.17	114.4	1.2	11.6	1.1	9.5	
Special Groups:							
1-Goods	48.45	112.0	0.4	9.7	0.8	8.0	
2-Services	51.55	112.8	0.5	9.6	0.9	10.9	

Table 2 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers in Iran General and Major Groups Index Numbers (1395=100)

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	and other Fuels	Household Maintenance				Culture		Hotels	Services
1369	1.00	0.70	1.50	1.80	1.10	1.90	0.30	1.30	6.80	3.90	0.70	0.60	0.70
1370	1.20	0.90	1.60	2.00	1.3	2.00	0.40	1.70	7.80	3.80	0.80	0.80	0.80
1371	1.50	1.20	1.60	2.20	1.7	2.20	0.60	2.10	8.50	3.60	1.10	1.00	0.90
1372	1.80	1.40	2.00	2.50	2.0	2.70	0.90	2.60	10.20	4.30	1.60	1.20	1.30
1373	2.50	2.00	3.00	3.50	2.4	3.90	1.30	3.70	16.40	6.60	2.30	1.60	1.90
1374	3.70	3.20	5.20	5.60	3.1	6.00	1.70	5.30	27.60	11.70	3.40	2.40	2.80
1375	4.50	3.70	5.00	7.50	4.2	7.10	2.20	6.10	35.00	14.70	4.20	3.10	3.60
1376	5.30	4.20	5.50	8.50	5.4	7.60	2.80	7.00	37.00	15.30	4.90	3.50	4.00
1377	6.30	5.20	7.10	9.00	6.6	8.20	3.50	8.10	42.90	15.70	5.50	4.40	4.50
1378	7.50	6.40	9.20	9.50	7.8	9.40	4.30	10.30	51.30	18.60	6.50	5.40	5.50
1379	8.50	6.90	9.20	10.40	9.2	10.50	5.20	11.20	55.20	18.70	8.10	6.40	6.30
1380	9.40	7.40	9.50	10.80	11.0	10.90	6.00	12.10	55.70	18.60	10.50	7.20	7.50
1381	10.90	8.90	12.70	11.30	13.1	11.50	7.00	13.40	60.00	18.50	12.70	8.40	8.20
1382	12.60	10.30	14.20	12.20	15.6	12.60	8.20	15.20	65.80	18.60	15.10	9.80	9.80
1383	14.50	11.70	15.70	13.30	18.4	14.60	9.60	16.90	73.90	18.60	18.30	11.40	11.20
1384	16.1	13.0	16.6	14.4	20.5	16.3	11.1	17.6	72.4	19.7	21.7	12.7	12.4
1385	18.0	14.7	18.0	15.6	23.3	18.2	12.6	18.8	71.9	20.8	26.2	14.2	14.3
1386	21.3	17.9	22.1	17.9	28.2	21.2	14.8	21.4	71.8	22.5	29.9	16.6	16.7
1387	26.7	23.3	26.4	21.7	36.1	26.2	18.2	25.1	71.6	24.8	34.3	21.5	20.6
1388	29.5	25.6	34.3	23.9	40.5	27.3	21.7	26.6	71.9	27.0	39.7	24.9	23.3
1389	33.2	29.8	35.1	26.7	43.5	29.8	26.0	30.6	71.8	30.1	44.8	29.0	26.3
1390	40.3	37.5	37.3	32.7	51.4	35.3	30.4	39.0	73.1	34.5	51.1	34.2	32.1
1391	52.6	54.2	68.1	48.3	58.0	53.2	38.0	55.0	78.6	48.6	58.3	47.5	47.0
1392	70.9	76.8	99.9	71.7	69.7	81.4	52.5	67.8	84.2	65.7	65.7	66.2	70.8
1393 1394	81.9 91.7	83.8 92.4	93.8 90.9	84.9 93.8	81.4 91.3	90.0 95.1	69.2 85.7	84.1 93.4	93.3 96.6	80.1 92.1	74.0 86.2	78.6 91.4	82.0 91.2
1394	100.0	92.4 100.0	90.9 100.0	93.8 100.0	100.0	100.0	00.7 100.0	93.4 100.0	100.0	92.1 100.0	100.0	100.0	91.2 100.0
1395:	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
Dey	102.5	101.8	100.7	102.3	102.4	102.2	104.2	102.3	105.8	103.0	104.8	102.4	102.5
Bahman	103.7	105.1	100.6	101.7	103.0	102.8	104.7	102.8	105.8	103.8	104.8	103.2	103.0
Esfand	105.9	111.1	100.6	102.1	103.7	103.8	105.4	103.2	105.5	110.1	104.9	104.6	103.9
1396:													
Farvardin	107.1	115.1	100.8	102.8	104.1	103.9	105.8	103.6	106.1	104.6	104.9	106.0	104.4
Ordibehesht	107.1	114.3	101.7	103.3	104.6	104.4	106.2	103.5	105.4	104.7	105.0	107.2	105.2
Khordad	107.8	115.4	102.1	103.9	105.0	105.8	107.0	104.0	105.0	104.9	105.5	107.4	106.0
Tir	107.5	112.6	101.6	104.0	105.5	106.4	107.4	104.8	105.2	105.8	105.7	108.9	107.1
Mordad	107.7	111.4	101.6	104.5	106.3	106.9	108.7	105.3	105.7	106.7	105.9	110.1	108.1
Shahrivar	108.0	110.0	101.5	104.8	107.2	107.8	110.0	105.9	104.9	109.6	106.2	111.2	109.2
Mehr	108.4	109.4	101.4	105.5	107.7	108.1	110.5	106.6	105.4	110.7	112.1	112.2	109.8
Aban	109.8	111.4	101.5	106.5	109.4	108.7	111.5	106.8	105.8	110.9	112.8	112.9	110.7
Azar	111.9	115.2	101.6	107.1	111.1	109.7	112.4	108.4	105.8	112.0	119.0	113.6	113.0
Dey	112.4	115.7	101.8	107.3	111.4	110.6	113.1	108.8	106.6	113.3	119.6	114.5	114.4