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Consumer Price Index

June 2024

Tirana, on July 08, 2024: Consumer Price Index in June 2024 arrived 116.4 against December 2020 as reference period.

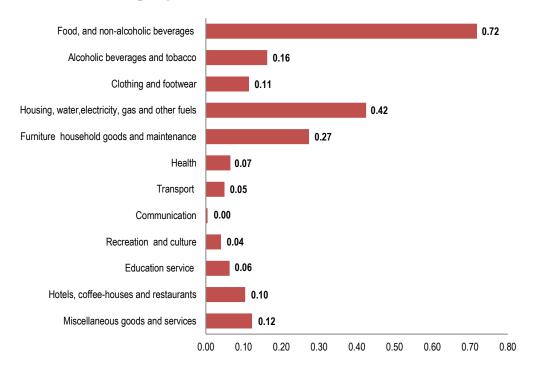
The annual rate of consumer price index in June 2024 is 2.1 %, a year before was 4.5 %. Compared with May 2024 the monthly change of consumer price index is -0.4 %.



Contribution of main groups in yearly changes of CPI: Annual growth rate in June was influenced mostly from prices of group "Food and non-alcoholic beverage" by +0.72 p.p., followed by "Housing, water, electricity and other fuel" group contributed by +0.42 p.p.. Also, prices of "Furniture household goods and maintenance" group influenced by +0.27 p.p., prices of "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco" group influenced by +0.16 p.p., prices of "Miscellaneous goods and services" group contributed by +0.12 p.p., prices of "Clothing and footwear" group contributed by +0.11 p.p., prices of "Hotels, coffee-house and restaurants" group contributed by +0.10 p.p., prices of "Health" group contributed by +0.07 p.p., prices of "Education service" group contributed by +0.06 p.p., prices of "Transport" group contributed by +0.05 p.p., prices of "Recreation and culture" group contributed by +0.04 p.p..

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Fig. 2 Contribute of main groups in annual rate



Yearly rates of main groups: Compared to June 2023, prices increased the most in the "Furniture household goods and maintenance" group by 3.7 %, followed by "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco" by 3.3 %, "Clothing and footwear" by 3.2 %, "Housing, water, electricity and other fuel", "Hotels, coffee-house and restaurants" and "Miscellaneous goods and services" by 2.2 % each of them, "Education service" by 2.1 %, "Food and non-alcoholic beverage" by 2.0 %, "Recreation and culture" groups by 1.9 %, "Health" by 1.7 %, "Transport" by 0.9 % and "Communication" by 0.1 %.

Within the food group prices of "milk, cheese and eggs" subgroup signed an increased by 3.4 %, followed by "fish" by 3.3 %, "sugar, jam honey, syrup, chocolates and sweets" by 2.9 %, "vegetables included potatoes" by 2.6 %, "meat" by 2.5 %, etc.

Monthly rates of main groups: Compared with May 2024 prices of "Food and non-alcoholic beverage" group decreased by 1.1 %, followed by "Transport" by 0.4 %. On the other hand, prices of "Clothing and footwear" increased by 0.4 %, followed by "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco" by 0.3 %, "Furniture household goods and maintenance" by 0.2 %, "Hotels, coffee-house and restaurants" by 0.1 %

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Tab. 1 Consumer Price Index

Code	Groups	Weights	06-23	07-23	08-23	09-23	10-23	11-23	12-23	01-24	02-24	03-24	04-24	05-24	06-24
	Total	100	114.0	113.8	114.5	115.3	115.4	115.3	115.8	116.4	116.8	117.3	117.1	116.8	116.4
1	Food, and non- alcoholic beverages	34.6	127.4	126.7	127.2	128.7	128.7	128.1	129.6	131.2	132.2	133.4	132.5	131.5	130.0
2	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	4.9	110.3	110.8	110.8	111.0	111.2	111.2	112.4	112.5	112.6	112.9	113.4	113.6	114.0
3	Clothing and footwear	3.8	106.2	106.7	106.6	107.5	108.1	108.2	108.7	108.9	108.9	108.8	108.9	109.2	109.6
4	Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	20.0	105.4	105.4	106.6	106.6	106.7	106.8	107.5	107.5	107.6	107.7	107.6	107.7	107.7
5	Fumiture household goods and maintenance	7.4	111.0	111.2	111.6	112.0	112.8	112.5	112.6	113.4	113.8	113.9	114.2	114.8	115.1
6	Health	3.5	102.3	102.5	102.7	103.0	103.1	103.1	103.2	103.5	103.9	103.9	104.0	104.0	104.0
7	Transport	6.2	109.0	109.8	112.8	114.3	114.6	114.3	111.8	111.4	111.2	111.6	111.8	110.5	110.0
8	Communication	3.0	104.9	104.9	104.9	105.0	105.0	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	105.0	105.0
9	Recreation and culture	2.2	111.8	110.8	110.9	112.3	112.3	111.3	111.3	111.4	111.6	112.0	113.2	113.9	113.9
10	Education service	3.3	103.0	103.0	103.2	104.9	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.2	105.1
11	Hotels, coffee-houses and restaurants	5.6	111.8	112.5	113.0	113.0	113.3	113.3	113.5	113.7	113.7	113.8	114.0	114.1	114.2
12	Miscellaneous goods and services	5.5	105.2	105.4	105.6	105.9	105.9	106.0	106.6	106.8	107.2	107.3	107.4	107.6	107.5

Tab. 2 Annual rate of CPI

														%
Code	Groups	06-23/06-22	07-23/07-22	08-23/08-22	09-23/09-22	10-23/10-22	11-23/11-22	12-23/12-22	01-24/01-23	02-24/02-23	03-24/03-23	04-24/04-23	05-24/05-23	06-24/06-23
	Total	4.5	4.2	4.0	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.4	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.1
1	Food, and non-alcoholic beverages	10.3	9.0	7.8	7.9	7.4	7.1	6.7	5.3	2.7	2.0	1.5	1.9	2.0
2	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	3.7	3.8	3.2	3.0	3.6	3.5	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.3
3	Clothing and footwear	4.4	4.3	4.4	3.2	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.2
4	Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	2.1	1.3	2.3	2.1	1.6	1.9	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2
5	Fumiture household goods and maintenance	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.4	5.2	4.8	4.6	5.0	4.7	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.7
6	Health	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
7	Transport	-16.2	-12.4	-10.0	-7.2	-8.3	-4.0	-3.3	-4.3	-1.6	-0.3	1.0	1.1	0.9
8	Communication	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1
9	Recreation and culture	10.3	9.5	3.9	4.9	7.6	6.0	5.4	5.0	4.9	3.8	4.4	3.7	1.9
10	Education service	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1
11	Hotels, coffee-houses and restaurants	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.4	2.2
12	Miscellaneous goods and services	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.8	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.3	2.7	2.5	2.2

Tab. 3 Monthly rate of CPI

														%
Code	Groups	06-23	07-23	08-23	09-23	10-23	11-23	12-23	01-24	02-24	03-24	04-24	05-24	06-24
	Total	-0.3	-0.1	0.6	0.7	0.1	-0.2	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4
1	Food. and non-alcoholic beverages	-1.2	-0.6	0.4	1.1	0.0	-0.4	1.1	1.3	0.7	1.0	-0.7	-0.7	-1.1
2	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3
3	Clothing and footwear	0.4	0.4	-0.1	0.8	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.4
4	Housing, water. Electricity, gas and other fuels	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
5	Furniture household goods and maintenance	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2
6	Health	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
7	Transport	-0.3	0.7	2.8	1.3	0.3	-0.3	-2.1	-0.4	-0.2	0.3	0.2	-1.1	-0.4
8	Communication	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
9	Recreation and culture	1.8	-0.9	0.1	1.2	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.6	0.0
10	Education service	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	Hotels, coffee-houses and restaurants	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
12	Miscellaneous goods and services	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0

Methodology

Methodological changes

In January of each year some methodological changes and new developments were carried out in CPI:

- Update of weights: Weights are changed; they are now based on the average expenditure from 2022 Household Budget Survey.
- Update of basket: The list of goods and service content 331 products.
- Update of list of the outlets where the prices are collected is updated.

Started from January 2021, the consumer price index is calculated with the new base period. December 2020 is considered as the base period (December 2020 = 100).

- Definitions

The annual rate measures the price change between the current month and the same month of the previous year. This measure is responsive to recent changes in price levels but can be influenced by one-off effect in either month

The monthly rate measures the price change between current month and previous month. Although upto-date it can be affected by seasonal and other effects.

The 12-month average rate compares average Consumer Price Indices and the latest 12 month to the average of the previous 12 months.