

# IX. PRICES

## 1. AVERAGE ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

(1990 = 100)

	1993	1994	1995	1996
All items	1227.5	2296.3	3722.0	8300.2

## 2. AVERAGE ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOR THE POPULATION

(Preceding year = 100)

	1993	1994	1995	1996
Foods	155.6	191.2	158.8	221.3
Non-Foods	150.8	190.3	161.6	221.0
Services	176.0	159.3	161.2	242.3

## 3. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY MONTH IN 1995

Year	1995												
	Base months												
Month	XII	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
1994													
XII	<b>100.0</b>												
1995													
I	<b>103.9</b>	100.0											
II	<b>107.8</b>	103.8	100.0										
III	<b>111.4</b>	107.3	103.4	100.0									
IV	<b>112.5</b>	108.4	104.4	101.0	100.0								
V	<b>114.6</b>	110.4	106.4	102.9	101.9	100.0							
VI	<b>115.2</b>	110.9	106.9	103.4	102.4	100.5	100.0						
VII	<b>117.0</b>	112.6	108.5	105.0	103.9	102.0	101.5	100.0					
VIII	<b>117.6</b>	113.2	109.1	105.5	104.5	102.6	102.1	100.5	100.0				
IX	<b>123.2</b>	118.6	114.3	110.6	109.4	107.4	106.9	105.3	104.8	100.0			
X	<b>126.3</b>	121.6	117.2	113.4	112.2	110.2	109.6	108.0	107.4	102.5	100.0		
XI	<b>129.5</b>	124.7	120.2	116.3	115.1	113.0	112.4	110.8	110.2	105.2	102.6	100.0	
XII	<b>132.9</b>	128.0	123.3	119.3	118.1	115.9	115.3	113.6	113.0	107.9	105.2	102.6	100.0

#### 4. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY MONTH IN 1996

Year	1996												
	Base months												
Month	XII	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
1995													
XII	<b>100.0</b>												
1996													
I	<b>102.3</b>	100.0											
II	<b>104.2</b>	101.9	100.0										
III	<b>106.0</b>	103.7	101.7	100.0									
IV	<b>109.1</b>	106.7	104.7	102.9	100.0								
V	<b>122.7</b>	120.0	117.7	115.7	112.5	100.0							
VI	<b>147.5</b>	144.3	141.6	139.2	135.2	120.2	100.0						
VII	<b>181.9</b>	177.9	174.6	171.6	166.8	148.3	123.3	100.0					
VIII	<b>213.0</b>	208.3	204.4	200.9	195.2	173.6	144.4	117.1	100.0				
IX	<b>253.0</b>	247.4	242.7	238.7	231.9	206.2	171.5	139.0	118.8	100.0			
X	<b>295.1</b>	288.6	283.2	278.4	270.5	240.6	200.1	162.2	138.6	116.7	100.0		
XI	<b>323.6</b>	316.5	310.5	305.3	296.6	263.8	219.4	177.9	151.9	127.9	109.7	100.0	
XII	<b>410.8</b>	401.7	394.2	387.6	376.6	334.8	278.5	225.8	192.9	162.4	139.2	126.9	100.0

#### 5. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS IN 1997

Year	1996		1997	
	Base months			
Month	December	January	February	March
1996				
December	100.0			
1997				
January	143.5	100.0		
February	491.9	342.7	100.0	
March	552.3	384.8	112.3	100.0

#### 6. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY MAIN COMMODITY GROUP

Commodity groups	December 1996 as % to December 1995	1997		
		January	February	March
		December 1996 = 100		
<b>Total</b>	<b>410.8</b>	<b>143.5</b>	<b>491.9</b>	<b>552.3</b>
Foods	401.7	145.8	541.2	580.5
Spirits	343.2	136.5	564.4	629.0
Tobacco products	354.8	152.4	645.7	658.6
Housing	333.6	154.5	533.1	597.9
Household energy	551.6	131.1	173.3	440.7
Furniture and household equipment	444.6	152.7	596.9	506.2
Clothing, footwear and toiletries	367.5	143.6	558.4	507.9
Hygiene and health care	366.6	140.4	605.1	622.9
Education and recreation	351.1	140.0	326.2	328.9
Transport and communications	504.6	136.1	348.3	550.5
Others	238.7	131.1	271.0	342.7

## 7. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY COMMODITY

Commodity groups	December 1996 as % to December 1995	1997		
		January	February	March
December 1996 = 100				
<b>Foods</b>	<b>406.6</b>	<b>145.9</b>	<b>550.5</b>	<b>583.5</b>
<b>Non-Foods</b>	<b>427.0</b>	<b>144.9</b>	<b>532.5</b>	<b>548.2</b>
<b>Services</b>	<b>406.7</b>	<b>133.5</b>	<b>228.2</b>	<b>457.3</b>
Rice	682.9	147.7	592.7	416.7
Flour	651.8	140.8	387.0	530.6
Bread	574.5	128.7	314.2	492.2
Bread and paste products	395.6	134.6	438.7	544.7
Meat	311.5	153.6	785.2	776.2
Pork	292.1	157.0	800.5	752.0
Veal	260.0	159.6	849.4	822.3
Poultry meat	427.9	122.6	707.5	660.4
Meat products	297.7	158.7	743.3	757.0
Milk	331.4	131.9	388.0	527.7
Yoghurt	348.1	139.3	396.6	523.3
White cheese	312.1	165.7	751.8	689.1
Yellow cheese	313.6	176.5	712.0	595.3
Eggs	318.6	168.4	517.6	439.6
Vegetable oils	341.3	121.2	483.2	440.9
Butter	373.7	153.4	609.8	669.5
Fresh fruits	456.1	128.1	507.2	471.1
Compots	271.9	130.0	623.4	682.4
Jam, jelly, preserves and marmalade	310.2	157.6	812.4	798.8
Fresh vegetables	430.4	178.1	639.6	656.7
Pulses	267.6	158.0	721.4	672.8
Potatoes	385.3	192.9	625.2	511.9
Sugar and sugar products	517.2	154.2	693.5	564.4
Sugar	545.5	153.6	747.0	531.0
Chocolate products	523.0	150.1	525.8	547.5
Coffee	593.6	143.4	509.8	344.1
Soft drinks	359.9	156.6	650.1	691.2
Wine	293.5	145.7	719.2	812.8
Brandy	278.0	147.7	640.0	730.2
Tobacco products	354.8	152.4	645.7	658.6
Cement	384.6	161.5	861.0	910.1
Bricks	332.5	178.6	831.8	1010.7
Faience tiles	324.3	140.1	1034.7	921.3
Liquid heating and lighting fuels	628.9	138.0	284.0	529.8
Electricity	607.6	143.0	168.0	496.1
Central heating and piped hot water	501.2	100.3	100.3	256.4
Furniture	335.4	142.4	550.6	509.4
Flooring	476.6	146.6	632.6	577.8
Refrigerators	509.6	137.5	474.6	335.1
Cookers	473.6	146.9	524.6	412.5
Washing machines	484.2	142.9	496.1	349.5

## 7. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY COMMODITY

(Continued and end)

Commodity groups	December 1996 as % to December 1995	1997		
		January	February	March
		December 1996 = 100		
Men's clothing	358.5	140.3	538.8	471.2
Ladies' clothing	332.7	141.8	561.7	524.1
Children's clothing	376.4	144.2	503.0	472.9
Wool fabrics	437.5	173.2	773.4	678.5
Cotton fabrics	366.6	173.7	854.1	716.7
Silk fabrics	508.2	148.7	644.8	551.9
Men's footwear	411.7	150.2	600.9	496.2
Ladies' footwear	372.8	145.9	601.5	510.9
Children's footwear	389.8	135.2	572.6	592.0
Repairs to footwear	260.0	149.1	268.8	527.3
Toiletries and beauty services	424.3	149.8	654.4	604.6
Medicines	313.0	132.2	617.2	708.1
Radio and TV repairs	270.1	120.0	235.5	288.1
Newspapers and magazines	268.6	111.7	157.5	179.0
Cinema	303.1	115.9	218.7	257.7
Theatre	184.2	133.1	190.4	240.1
Urban passenger transport	401.3	138.0	307.7	434.7
Railway transport	300.8	100.0	139.6	332.5
Road transport	424.3	132.9	505.0	579.4
Hotels	238.7	131.1	271.0	342.7

## 8. PRODUCERS' PRICE INDEX NUMBERS BY INDUSTRY SUB-BRANCH

(Preceding year = 100)

Sub-branches	1993	1994	1995	1996
<b>Total</b>	<b>126.9</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>152.7</b>	<b>237.7</b>
Production of electricity, steam and hot water	134.9	142.0	156.4	286.3
Coal mining	109.7	132.1	137.0	285.7
Extraction of oil and gas	110.2	162.7	117.4	253.3
Ferrous metallurgy (incl. ore-mining)	118.4	177.9	153.8	227.2
Non-ferrous metallurgy (incl. ore-mining)	97.9	228.1	176.2	209.0
Machine-building and metal-working industry	140.5	183.1	153.5	237.1
Electrical and electronic industry	109.7	184.9	165.4	202.1
Chemical and oil processing industry (incl. rubber)	118.0	178.0	138.8	246.3
Building materials industry	132.0	166.2	153.5	220.6
Logging and manufacture of wood and wood products	141.2	153.0	172.3	191.7
Manufacture of cellulose, paper and paper products	129.2	187.4	186.8	180.2
Manufacture of glass and glass products, china, earthenware	128.4	176.8	164.8	185.3
Textile and knitwear	128.8	189.7	157.5	221.0
Manufacture of wearing apparel	138.2	164.5	180.2	173.3
Leather, furriery and footwear industry	137.3	202.4	164.2	197.8
Printing industry	136.4	194.9	191.9	258.1
Manufacture of food, beverages and tobacco	144.2	173.4	152.6	228.1
Other branches of industry	157.5	150.7	203.0	205.9