

Table 17: MONTHLY INFLATION RATE, 2023  
(Index = Base: Nov 2022=100)

Major Groups	Monthly inflation rate, 2023											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Food and beverages including fish	2.16	0.12	1.11	-1.85	0.05	0.55	0.25	1.60	-0.90	0.63	0.11	1.21
Food and beverages excluding fish	1.41	0.85	1.15	-2.76	-0.04	1.01	0.17	1.17	-0.47	-1.17	-0.03	1.26
Fish Index	5.19	-2.70	0.96	1.75	0.38	-1.20	0.55	3.24	-2.51	1.47	0.66	1.01
Tobacco and Alcohols	2.24	0.08	-0.10	0.09	4.14	4.35	0.23	0.12	0.02	0.23	-0.91	0.00
Clothing & footwear	0.68	0.11	0.17	-0.33	-0.03	0.00	-0.19	0.02	0.02	0.52	-0.02	0.02
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	-0.32	0.79	-1.82	0.56	-0.17	0.58	-0.10	-0.26	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00
Actual rentals for housing	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furnishing, household equip., Carpets & Other	-1.68	-0.11	-0.30	1.21	0.17	-0.68	0.04	0.05	-0.02	0.58	-0.01	-1.43
Floor covering	-0.03	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.00	-0.01	0.07	0.00	0.08	0.42	0.04	-0.03
Health	-0.46	-0.49	-0.16	0.05	0.05	-0.28	-0.42	0.09	-0.23	0.03	0.23	0.04
Information & Communication	-1.87	0.66	-0.80	-0.02	-0.12	0.17	-0.25	0.14	0.04	0.45	0.12	0.30
Recreation, Sports & Culture	-0.66	0.00	0.00	0.03	-0.24	0.00	0.04	-0.03	-0.01	0.82	0.08	2.71
Education Services	-0.28	0.00	0.00	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.18	0.00	0.00
Restaurants and Accommodation services	4.58	0.28	0.04	-0.19	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.19	-0.03	0.01
Insurance and Financial Services	2.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Personal Care, Social Protection and	0.36	0.42	-0.01	0.50	0.27	-0.07	0.11	0.13	0.19	0.13	0.13	0.07
Miscellaneous goods and services	0.57	0.28	-0.69	-0.50	0.22	0.23	0.00	0.37	-0.12	-0.16	0.01	0.16
All groups CPI (Total)	0.34	0.44	-0.78	-0.62	0.21	0.31	-0.03	0.22	0.62	-0.25	-0.03	0.11
Total excluding fish												

Major Groups	Monthly inflation rate, 2023											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Food and beverages including fish	1.55	0.45	-0.05	-1.48	0.71	0.57	0.51	1.24	0.25	-1.02	-0.79	0.48
Food and beverages excluding fish	1.20	0.52	0.32	-2.44	-0.76	0.76	0.67	1.34	0.32	-1.25	-0.88	0.91
Fish Index	3.13	0.15	-1.71	2.86	0.46	-0.22	-0.17	0.83	0.05	0.01	-0.39	-1.36
Tobacco and Alcohols	5.57	0.13	-0.23	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.00	0.24	-1.14	0.15
Clothing & footwear	0.76	0.03	0.00	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.09	0.05	0.00	-0.60	0.00	0.00
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	-0.29	0.40	-1.60	-1.10	1.46	-0.07	-0.19	-0.21	0.23	0.00	-0.23	-0.45
Actual rentals for housing	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furnishing, household equip., Carpets & Other	-2.56	-0.37	0.17	1.35	0.00	0.02	-0.12	0.06	0.15	1.34	-0.18	-0.60
Floor covering	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Health	0.00	-0.25	0.01	0.16	0.12	-0.43	-0.60	0.22	0.36	-0.10	0.14	0.09
Information & Communication	-2.59	0.68	-0.84	0.00	0.13	0.25	-0.28	0.14	0.04	0.71	0.12	0.92
Recreation, Sports & Culture	-0.20	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.52	0.00	0.00	0.07	-0.02	0.01	0.00	4.79
Education Services	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Restaurants and Accommodation services	6.74	0.00	0.00	-0.27	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.67	0.00	0.00
Insurance and Financial Services	2.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Personal Care, Social Protection and	0.35	0.31	0.08	0.60	0.20	0.07	0.14	0.21	0.04	0.36	0.27	0.24
Miscellaneous goods and services	0.59	0.22	-0.62	-0.53	0.36	0.09	-0.01	0.22	0.16	-0.02	-0.30	0.04
All groups CPI (Total)	0.49	0.22	-0.58	-0.66	0.39	0.10	0.00	0.20	0.17	-0.02	-0.29	0.09
Total excluding fish												

Major Groups	Monthly inflation rate, 2023											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Food and beverages including fish	2.71	0.17	2.15	-2.18	0.71	0.53	0.02	1.91	-1.90	-0.28	0.91	1.84
Food and beverages excluding fish	1.60	1.17	1.92	-3.04	0.63	1.24	-0.28	1.02	-1.20	-1.09	0.76	1.59
Fish Index	6.75	-0.79	2.99	0.94	1.01	-1.93	1.08	5.03	-4.25	2.56	1.41	2.69
Tobacco and Alcohols	-1.18	0.04	-0.13	0.11	4.48	9.55	0.47	0.05	-0.01	0.22	0.00	-0.17
Clothing & footwear	0.59	0.19	0.36	-0.86	-0.08	0.00	-0.51	0.00	0.04	-0.43	-0.04	0.04
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	-0.44	2.64	-12.91	2.27	4.54	3.00	0.31	-0.52	1.55	-2.08	1.38	-1.82
Actual rentals for housing	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furnishing, household equip., Carpets & Other	-0.84	-0.14	0.75	1.08	0.23	1.36	0.20	0.20	0.10	0.16	0.15	-2.14
Floor covering	-0.06	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	-0.03	0.17	-0.01	0.18	0.26	0.08	-0.06
Health	-0.88	0.08	-0.28	-0.04	0.00	-0.17	-0.30	0.00	-0.67	0.03	0.00	0.00
Information & Communication	-0.90	0.55	-0.75	-0.05	-0.10	0.06	-0.44	0.14	0.03	0.11	0.12	0.99
Recreation, Sports & Culture	0.08	0.21	0.00	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.08	0.00	0.00	-1.25	0.17	0.48
Education Services	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.64	0.00	0.00
Restaurants and Accommodation services	0.00	0.91	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.05	0.15	-0.87	-0.10	0.03
Insurance and Financial Services	1.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Personal Care, Social Protection and	0.54	0.61	0.09	0.51	0.58	0.21	0.10	0.09	0.17	0.07	0.02	-1.01
Miscellaneous goods and services	0.51	0.38	-0.80	-0.46	0.01	0.44	0.02	0.40	-0.52	0.86	0.46	0.33
All groups CPI (Total)	0.09	0.78	-1.09	-0.56	-0.07	0.63	-0.06	0.25	-0.21	-0.59	0.38	0.13
Total excluding fish												

Source: Monthly Bureau of Statistics

Table 17A: MONTHLY INFLATION RATE, 2024  
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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Food and beverages including fish	-0.15	1.09	1.29	0.39	-0.96	0.75	0.66	1.24	-0.06	-0.35	-0.19	1.16
Food and beverages excluding fish	-0.16	0.80	0.83	0.16	-0.72	0.78	0.30	1.27	0.61	-0.77	-0.14	1.29
Fish Index	0.98	2.30	1.55	0.17	-1.91	0.60	1.26	1.11	0.60	1.37	0.36	0.65
Tobacco and Alcohols	-0.10	0.15	0.17	0.07	-0.14	0.20	-0.01	0.09	0.14	-0.03	0.28	16.35
Clothing & footwear	-0.24	-0.11	0.00	-0.62	0.02	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.15	0.04	1.07	-0.06
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	-0.39	0.73	-4.64	-3.08	7.55	1.47	-0.09	-0.35	0.51	0.55	1.18	-0.48
Actual rentals for housing	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furnishing, household equip., Carpets & Other	-1.17	-0.28	-0.30	-0.45	0.04	1.30	0.21	0.00	0.10	0.13	0.11	0.93
Floor covering	1.51	0.45	0.03	0.21	0.00	0.73	0.13	0.46	0.51	0.05	0.01	0.08
Health	-0.34	-0.41	0.14	-0.32	-0.99	0.46	0.07	-0.02	0.24	0.02	0.63	0.26
Information & Communication	-0.46	0.26	-0.12	-0.62	-0.16	-0.23	-0.84	-0.04	-0.18	0.77	-1.06	-1.22
Recreation, Sports & Culture	-0.09	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.29	0.07	-0.03	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.34
Education Services	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.70	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.00
Restaurants and Accommodation services	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.58
Insurance and Financial Services	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.85	0.00
Personal Care, Social Protection and	0.10	0.07	0.10	0.25	0.07	0.38	0.00	0.13	0.12	0.19	-0.25	0.30
Miscellaneous goods and services	-0.17	0.46	-0.87	-0.74	1.51	0.72	0.09	0.18	0.17	0.46	1.47	1.11
All groups CPI (Total)	-0.18	0.36	-1.08	-0.85	1.70	0.73	-0.01	0.13	0.32	-0.24	2.62	1.13
Total excluding fish												

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Food and beverages including fish	0.43	2.22	0.72	1.20	0.85	0.18	0.36	1.94	0.34	-1.05	0.46	0.33
Food and beverages excluding fish	-0.29	1.59	0.17	0.65	0.74	0.30	0.67	1.73	0.96	-1.20	0.04	1.16
Fish Index	-1.12	3.17	3.19	4.08	-1.32	-0.31	-0.99	2.85	-2.34	-0.38	2.31	-3.23
Tobacco and Alcohols	0.11	0.29	0.24	0.36	-0.30	0.40	0.00	0.18	0.17	-0.08	0.83	19.59
Clothing & footwear	-0.29	0.00	0.00	-0.29	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.69	-0.02
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	-0.37	0.47	-2.68	-2.85	6.42	-0.03	-0.07	0.14	0.14	-0.37	0.10	-0.28
Actual rentals for housing	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furnishing, household equip., Carpets & Other	-1.57	-0.47	-0.74	0.08	0.04							

