CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

(Base: January – December 2012 = 100)

July 2014	June 2015	July 2015	
106.8	107.2	107.4	

The main contributors to the change in the index between June and July 2015 were:

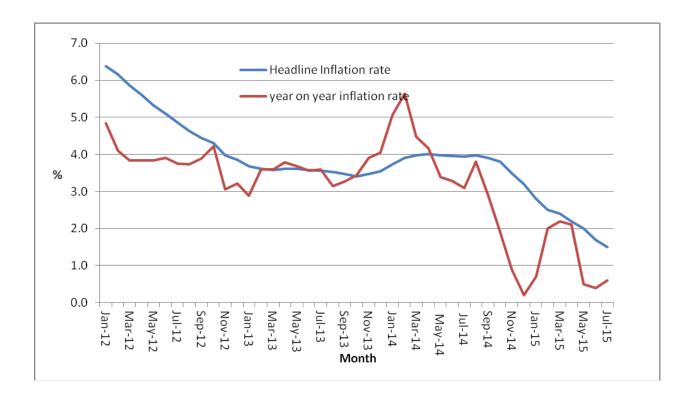
Commodity	Change in index point		
Vegetables	+0.2		
Meat	+0.1		
Mobile phone charges	-0.1		
Internet connection fees	+0.1		
Other goods and services	-0.1		
Total	+0.2		

Sub-indices for the twelve divisions of consumption expenditure for the month of July 2015 compared to June 2015 are shown below:

Division	June 2015	July 2015	% change in index between June and July 2015
1. Food and non alcoholic beverages	107.0	107.9	+0.8
2. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	119.9	119.9	-
3. Clothing and footwear	113.4	113.5	+0.1
4. Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	101.0	101.0	-
5. Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	105.9	106.0	+0.1
6. Health	113.6	114.0	+0.4
7. Transport	103.5	103.3	-0.2
8. Communication	95.7	94.7	-1.0
Recreation and culture	106.9	107.4	+0.5
10. Education	105.6	105.6	-
11. Restaurants and hotels	112.6	113.0	+0.4
12. Miscellaneous goods and services	105.5	105.3	-0.2
All Divisions	<u>107.2</u>	107.4	+0.2
All Divisions, excluding "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco"	<u>105.8</u>	<u>106.1</u>	+0.3

The **headline** inflation rate for the twelve months ending July 2015 works out to 1.5%, compared to 3.9% for the twelve months ending July 2014.

The **year-on-year** inflation rate for July 2015, as measured by the change in the CPI for July 2015 relative to July 2014, works out to 0.6%.



Detailed CPI series available at http://statsmauritius.govmu.org/CPI and Inflation

Source: Statistics Mauritius
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