CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

(Base: January – December 2012 = 100)

September 2014	August 2015	September 2015	
106.5	108.4	108.6	

The main contributors to the change in the index between August and September 2015 were:

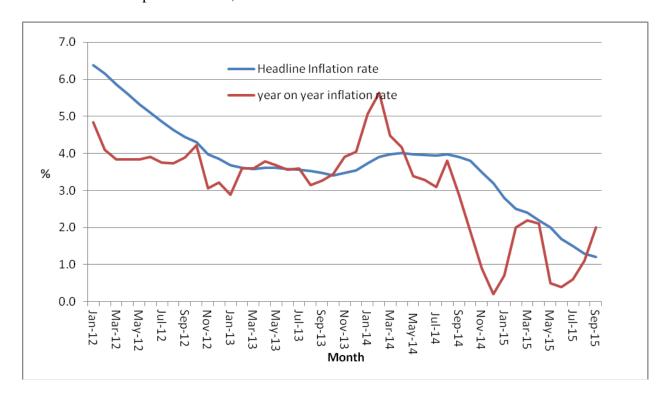
Commodity	Change in index point	
Vegetables	+0.1	
Air tickets	-0.1	
Other goods and services	+0.2	
Total	+0.2	

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

Division	August 2015	September 2015	% change in index between August and September 2015
Food and non alcoholic beverages	110.7	111.2	+0.5
2. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	119.9	120.2	+0.3
3. Clothing and footwear	114.0	115.0	+0.9
4. Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	101.1	101.2	+0.1
5. Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	106.4	106.7	+0.3
6. Health	114.2	114.5	+0.3
7. Transport	103.8	103.4	-0.4
8. Communication	94.9	94.9	-
9. Recreation and culture	107.8	107.8	-
10. Education	105.6	105.6	-
11. Restaurants and hotels	113.8	113.4	-0.4
12. Miscellaneous goods and services	105.6	106.0	+0.4
All Divisions	108.4	108.6	+0.2
All Divisions, excluding "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco"	<u>107.2</u>	<u>107.3</u>	+0.1

The **headline** inflation rate for the twelve months ending September 2015 works out to 1.2%, compared to 3.9% for the twelve months ending September 2014

The **year-on-year** inflation rate for September 2015, as measured by the change in the CPI for September 2015 relative to September 2014, works out to 2.0%.



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

Source: Statistics Mauritius

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