## **CONSUMER PRICE INDEX** (Base: January – December 2017 = 100)

June 2018	May 2019	June 2019
102.8	104.4	103.4

The main contributors to the change in the index between May and June 2019 were:

Commodity	Change in index point		
Vegetables	-0.7		
Culinary herbs	-0.1		
Traders' rice	+0.1		
Other food products	-0.1		
Cooking gas	-0.1		
Gasolene	-0.2		
Other goods and services	+0.1		
Total	-1.0		

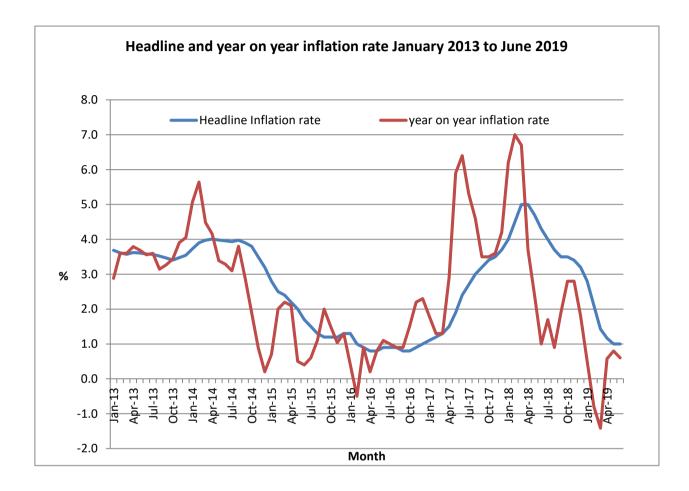
Division	May 2019	June 2019	% change <sup>1</sup> in index between May and June 2019
1. Food and non-alcoholic beverages	109.5	106.3	-3.0
2. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	104.9	105.2	+0.3
3. Clothing and footwear	104.5	104.8	+0.3
4. Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	98.2	97.5	-0.7
5. Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	103.5	103.6	+0.1
6. Health	105.0	105.0	-
7. Transport	104.4	103.0	-1.3
8. Communication	99.2	99.2	-
9. Recreation and culture	101.4	101.7	+0.3
10. Education	100.0	100.0	-
11. Restaurants and hotels	104.4	104.5	+0.1
12. Miscellaneous goods and services	103.2	103.8	+0.6
All Divisions	<u>104.4</u>	<u>103.4</u>	-1.0
All Divisions, excluding "Alcoholic beverages and tobacco"	<u>104.3</u>	<u>103.2</u>	-1.1

Sub-indices for the twelve divisions of consumption expenditure for the month of June 2019 compared to May 2019 are shown below:

<sup>1/</sup>% change has been computed from unrounded indices and hence may vary slightly from the change in rounded indices.

The **headline** inflation rate for the twelve months ending June 2019 works out to 1.0%, compared to 4.3% for the twelve months ending June 2018.

The **year-on-year** inflation rate for June 2019, as measured by the change in the CPI for June 2019 relative to June 2018 works out to 0.6%.



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

Source: Statistics Mauritius Port Louis 05 July 2019