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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX—June, 2024 (Base: January, 2015 = 100)

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Acting Director of Statistics

GENERAL INDEX

The Rate of Inflation, which measures the percentage change in the All Items Index for the month of June 2024 over June 2023, was 0.7%. This rate is less than that observed for the period June 2023 over the period June 2022, which was 5.8%.

The All Items Index calculated from the prices collected for the month of June 2024 was 123.7, representing an increase of 0.1 point or 0.1% above the All Items Index for May 2024.

SECTION INDICES

FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

The Index for Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages increased from 147.4 in May 2024 to 148.6 in June 2024, reflecting an increase of 0.8%. Contributing significantly to this increase was the general upward movement in the prices of tomatoes, parboiled rice, fresh whole chicken, irish potatoes, pumpkin, brown sugar, celery, ochores, chives and green sweet peppers. However, the full impact of these price increases were offset by the general decrease in the prices of cucumber, fresh carite, fresh king fish, cheddar cheese, frozen whole chicken, fresh red fish, fresh salmon, soyabean oil, table margarine and grapes.

Price changes in this section for the month of June 2024 accounted for a net overall increase of 0.2 points.

OTHER SECTIONS

A further review of the data for June 2024 compared with May 2024 reflected an increase in the sub-index for Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of 0.2%. This period also showed a decrease in the sub-index for Clothing and Footwear of 0.9%. All other sections remained unchanged.

Changes in consumer prices in June 2024 compared with those of June 2023 reflected in various sections of the Index are shown hereunder:

Sections	Percentage Change June 2023—June 2024
All Items	0.7
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	2.3
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.3
Clothing and Footwear	-2.2
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	-1.7
Home Ownership	-2.1
Rent	1.9
Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	0.0
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	-2.0
Health	7.7
Transport	-0.4
Communication	8.5
Recreation and Culture	-1.9
Education	0.0
Hotels, Cafés and Restaurants	2.7
Miscellaneous Goods and Services	2.3

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GENERAL INDEX AND SECTION INDICES
Figures for June, 2024

Period	Section Indices													Miscellaneous Goods and Services			
	Satee Boodoo - Director of Statistics (Ag)																
	All Items Jan 2015 =100	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels				Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture		Education	Hotels, Cafes and Restaurants	
Weights	173	9	57	Total	Home-ownership	Rent	Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	60	67	41	147	45	66	10	25	85	
Average	1000			275	193	22											
January - June 2022	115.2	129.9	119.0	112.7	115.0	107.8	100.7	100.7	108.7	140.8	112.7	109.5	108.2	102.5	122.1	113.6	
January - June 2023	123.0	146.2	121.1	114.7	117.4	109.5	100.7	100.7	115.7	144.1	126.6	110.3	119.8	102.5	133.8	122.0	
January - June 2024	123.8	147.3	125.3	113.1	115.2	111.3	100.7	100.7	113.6	155.4	126.7	118.8	120.6	102.5	138.6	124.7	
2022 January	114.1	128.1	117.9	111.8	113.8	107.7	100.7	100.7	108.0	141.7	110.6	109.9	106.9	102.5	120.6	113.2	
February	114.4	129.6	118.7	111.8	113.8	107.7	100.7	100.7	108.0	141.8	110.6	109.9	106.9	102.5	120.6	113.2	
March	114.4	129.3	119.6	111.8	113.8	107.7	100.7	100.7	108.0	140.8	110.6	109.9	106.9	102.5	120.6	113.2	
April	115.9	130.0	119.4	113.5	116.1	107.8	100.7	100.7	109.3	140.2	114.8	109.9	109.9	102.5	123.5	114.0	
May	115.9	130.4	119.7	113.5	116.1	107.8	100.7	100.7	109.3	140.0	114.8	109.9	109.9	102.5	123.5	114.0	
June	116.2	132.0	118.6	113.5	116.1	107.8	100.7	100.7	109.3	140.1	114.8	109.0	109.0	102.5	123.5	114.0	
July	118.0	135.8	119.4	114.2	116.9	108.8	100.7	100.7	112.8	141.6	117.7	109.0	110.3	102.5	125.2	115.1	
August	118.6	139.2	119.3	114.2	116.9	108.8	100.7	100.7	112.8	142.3	117.7	109.0	110.3	102.5	125.2	115.1	
September	119.0	141.5	118.8	114.2	116.9	108.8	100.7	100.7	112.8	142.6	117.7	109.0	110.3	102.5	125.2	115.1	
October	122.5	144.5	115.9	115.9	119.0	109.7	100.7	100.7	117.2	142.9	126.2	110.1	114.5	102.5	130.7	119.8	
November	122.7	145.9	116.7	115.9	119.0	109.7	100.7	100.7	117.2	142.7	126.2	110.1	114.5	102.5	130.7	119.8	
December	123.2	149.0	116.5	115.9	119.0	109.7	100.7	100.7	117.2	142.7	126.2	110.1	114.5	102.5	130.7	119.8	
2023 January	123.6	150.3	118.2	115.0	117.9	109.6	100.7	100.7	115.2	143.5	126.1	110.1	118.7	102.5	132.6	121.6	
February	123.1	147.8	118.6	115.0	117.9	109.6	100.7	100.7	115.2	143.9	126.1	110.1	118.7	102.5	132.6	121.6	
March	122.8	146.1	121.1	115.0	117.9	109.6	100.7	100.7	115.2	143.5	126.1	110.1	118.7	102.5	132.6	121.6	
April	122.8	144.5	122.6	114.3	116.8	109.4	100.7	100.7	116.1	144.5	127.1	110.4	120.9	102.5	134.9	122.3	
May	122.5	143.0	123.1	114.3	116.8	109.4	100.7	100.7	116.1	144.6	127.1	110.4	120.9	102.5	134.9	122.3	
June	122.9	145.3	123.2	114.3	116.8	109.4	100.7	100.7	116.1	144.8	127.1	110.4	120.9	102.5	134.9	122.3	
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September	123.6	148.2	123.9	114.2	116.8	110.4	100.7	100.7	116.8	145.4	126.9	110.6	122.0	102.5	135.5	122.8	
October	124.1	147.2	124.5	114.4	116.8	110.9	100.7	100.7	115.7	153.0	127.2	114.4	123.0	102.5	137.3	123.8	
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NOTE: To link the previous or old base (January 2003 = 100) to the new base (January 2015 = 100), at the All Items level, multiply the All Items Index of the new base by 2.307. The Index values previously published are unaffected by the name change.