



# Press Release

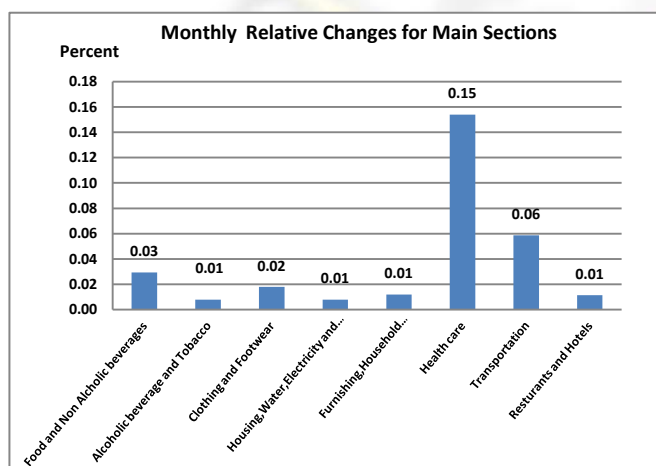
## Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

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### **The monthly inflation rate increases to (0.3%) in May 2018**

- The Consumer Price Index for total Egypt recorded (274.7) during May 2018 which is increased by (0.3%) compared with April 2018.
- This increase is due to increasing in the price of (Bread and cereals) by (7.9%), (Meat and Poultry) by (2.4%), (Fruits) by (1.9%), (Milk, cheese and eggs) by (0.5%), (Oils and Fats) by (0.7%), (Coffee, Tea and Cocoa) by (0.7%), (Clothing and Footwear) by (0.4%), (Furnishing, Household Equipment and Maintenance) by (0.4%), (Health care) by (3.2%), (Transportation) by (1.7%), (Restaurants and hotels) by (0.3%) .. Despite of decreasing in (Vegetables) by (-7.3%) and (Fish and Seafood) by (-1.1%).
- The annual inflation rate for May 2018 is (11.5%) compared with May 2017... Which recorded (30.9%) in April 2017.

#### **First: CPI Monthly change (May 2018 compared with April 2018):**



1- (Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages) section was increased by (0.1%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.03) due to the following changes:

- (Bread and cereals) group is increased by (7.9%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.65) (due to the increase in the price of (Rice) by (15.7%) and (Dry Bakery products) by (0.2%).
- (Meat and Poultry) group is increased by (2.4%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.34) due to the increase in price of (Poultry) by (5.4%) and ( Fresh & Frozen red meat ) by (0.7%).
- (Fruits) group is increased by (1.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.06) due to the increase in the price of (Citrus) by (1.2%).
- (Milk, cheese and eggs) group is increased by (0.5%) which contributing in the monthly headline change by (0.03) due to the decrease in the price of (Cheese) by (0.2%) and (Full Cream Milk) by (1.3%) ... Despite of increasing Eggs) by (-0.2%).
- (Oils and Fats) group is increased by (0.7%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.02) due to the increase in the price of (Butter and Ghee) by (1.5%), (Margarine) by (0.4%) and (Olive oil) by (0.4%).

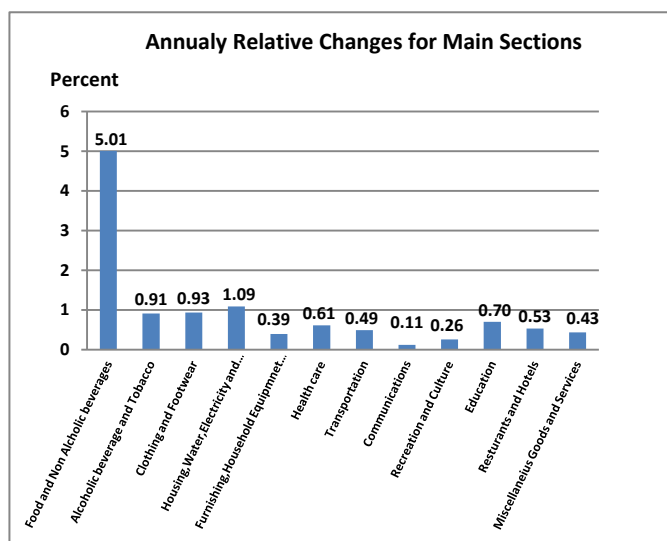
- (Coffee, Tea and Cocoa) group is increased by (0.7%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.01) due to the increase in the price of (Tea) by (0.7%) and (Coffee) by (0.7%).

- (Fish and Seafood) group is decreased by (-1.1%) which contributing in the monthly headline change by (-0.03) due to the increase in the price of (Fresh and frozen fish) by (1.2%) and (Seafood) by (-1.5%).

- (Vegetables) group is decreased by (-7.3%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (-0.94) due to decreasing in the price of (Tomatoes) by (-24.1%) and (Green pepper) by (-22.6%).

- 2- (Alcoholic beverage and Tobacco) Section increased by (0.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.01) due to the increasing in the price of (Alcoholic beverage) by (0.3%) and (Tobacco) by (0.2%).
- 3- (Clothing and Footwear) Section increased by (0.4%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.02) due to increasing in the price of (clothes) by (0.3%) and (Foot wear) by (0.5%).
- 4- (Furnishing, Household Equipment and Maintenance) section is increased by (0.4%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.01) due to the increase in the price of (household appliances) by (0.1%), (Goods and services for routine household maintenance) by (0.4%), (Furniture, Furnishings, carpets and other floor covering) by (0.5%) and (Glassware, tableware and household utensils) by (0.7%).
- 5- (Health care) section is increased by (3.2%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.15) due to increasing in the price of (Medical products, appliance and equipment) by (5.6%), (Out patient services) by (0.2%) and (Hospital Services) by (0.2%).
- 6- (Transportation) section is increased by (1.7%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.06) due to increasing in the price of (Purchasing new Vehicles) by (0.9%) and (Transport services) by (2.7%).
- 7- (Restaurants and hotels) section is increased by (0.3%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.01) due to the increase in the price (Catering services) by (0.3%).

**Second: CPI annual change ( May 2018 compared with May 2017):**

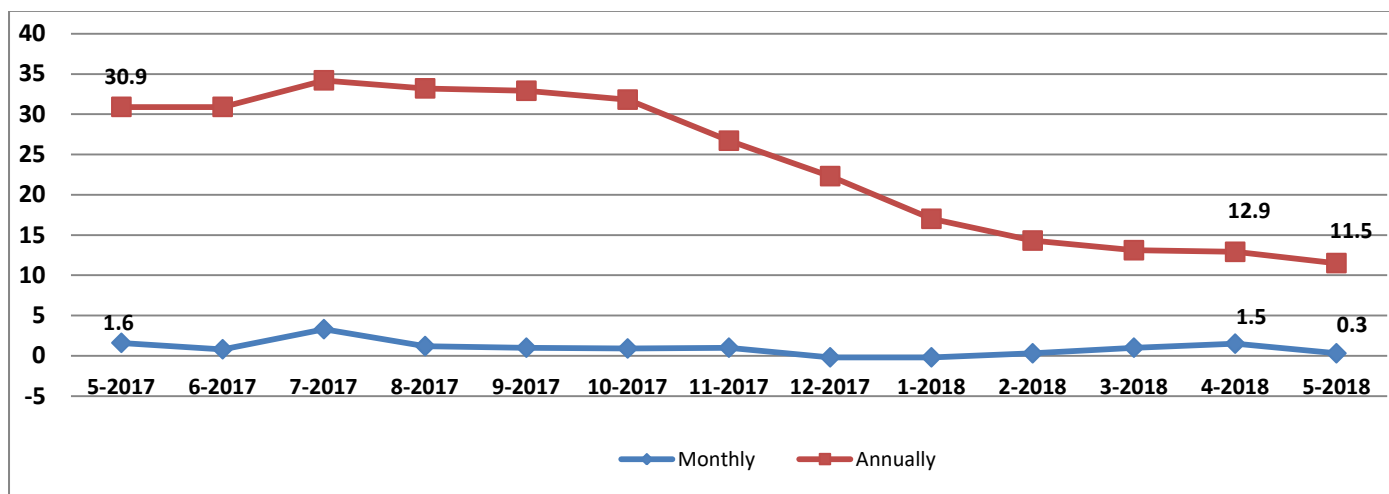


1- (Food and Beverage) section was raised up (8.8%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (5.01) due to the following changes:

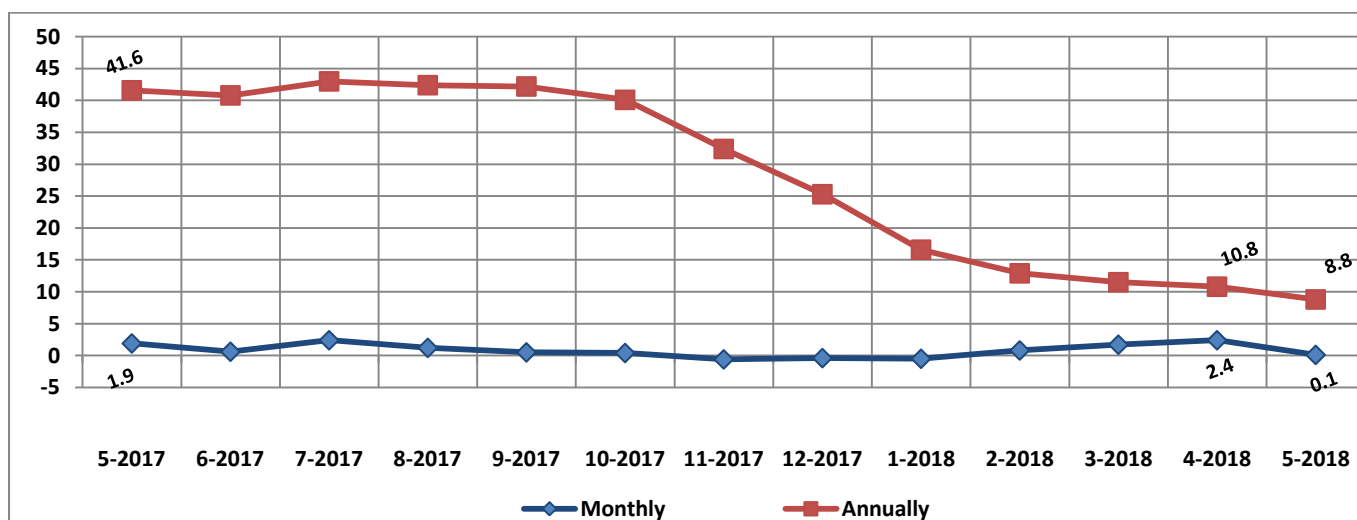
- (Vegetables) group is increased by (3.1%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.43) due to increasing in the price of Potatoes by (25.5%), (Onions) by (1.2%) and (Dry Vegetables) by (1.4%).
- (Milk, cheese and eggs) group is increased by (20.3%) which contributing in the annual headline change by (1.30) due to the increase in the price of (Full-fat milk) by (29.2%), (Cheese) by (20.2%) and (Eggs) by (13.1%).
- (Meat and Poultry) group is increased by (7.4%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.12) due to the increase in price of (Fresh & Frozen red meat) by (12.3%).
- (Fruits) group is increased by (8.8%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.29) due to the increase in the price of (Citrus) by (11.8%) and (Dry Fruits) by (11.0%).
- (Bread and cereals) group is increased by (16.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.29) (due to the increase in the price of (Bread) by (15.7%) and (Rice) by (30.7%).
- (Fish and Seafood) group is increased by (1.3%) which contributing in the annual headline change by (0.04) due to the increase in the price of (Smoked and Salt fish) by (16.9%) and (Seafood) by (17.1%).
- (Oils and Fats) group is increased by (7.7%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.29) due to the increase in the price of (Butter and Ghee) by (20.2%), (Margarine) by (1.9%) and (Olive oil) by (17.5%).
- (Coffee, Tea and Cocoa) group is increased by (14.0%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.13) due to the increase in the price of (Tea) by (14.8%) and (Coffee) by (5.6%).
- (Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery) group is increased by (6.1%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.10) due to the increase in the price of (Jam) by (8.9%) & (Confectionery) by (17.0%).

- 2- (Alcoholic beverage and Tobacco) Section increased by (21.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.91) due to the increasing in the price of (Tobacco) by (21.2%).
- 3- (Clothing and Footwear) Section increased by (24.6%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.93) due to increasing in the price of (clothes) by (24.4%) and (Foot wear) by (30.6%).
- 4- (Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas And Other Fuels), is increased by (10.7%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.09) due to the increase in the price of (Electricity, gas and fuels) by (25.6%) , (Maintenance and repair of the dwelling) by (4.3%) and ( Water supply and miscellaneous services relating to the dwelling ) by (38.8%).
- 5- (Furnishing, Household Equipment and Maintenance) section is increased by (13.1%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.39) due to the increase in the price of (household appliances) by (1.4%), (Furniture, Furnishings) by (6.1%), (Household Textiles) by (14.0%) and (Goods and services for routine household maintenance) by (18.5%).
- 6- (Health care) Section is increased by (12.7%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.61) due to the increase in the price of (Medical Products, appliance and Equipment) by (9.7%), (Patients Private clinics services) by (23.0%) and (Hospital services) by (7.9%).
- 7- (Communications) section is increased by (11.0%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.11) due to increasing in the price of (Telephone and fax service) by (11.2%).
- 8- (Transportation) section is increased by (14.4%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.49) due to increasing in the price of (Operation of personal Transport equipment) by (26.7%) and (Transport services) by (12.2%).
- 9- (Recreation and Culture) section is increased by (11.6%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.26) due to the increase in the price of (Newspapers, books and stationery) by (19.7%) and (Package Holidays) by (11.6%).
- 10- (Restaurants and hotels) section is increased by (11.8%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.53) due to the increase in the price (Catering services) by (11.9%) and (Accommodation services) by (6.7%).
- 11- (Miscellaneous Goods and Services) section is increased by (19.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.43) due to the increase in the price (Personal Care) by (25.2%), (Personal Effects) by (4.2%) and (Insurance) by (19.1%).

### Third: CPI Monthly and Annually Changes for Total Egypt (May 2017 - May 2018):



### Fourth: CPI Monthly and Annually percent of change for Food and beverages for total Egypt (May 2017 - May 2018)



### Fifth: CPI Annually Changes May 2018 for years (2007 - 2018):

