



# Press Release

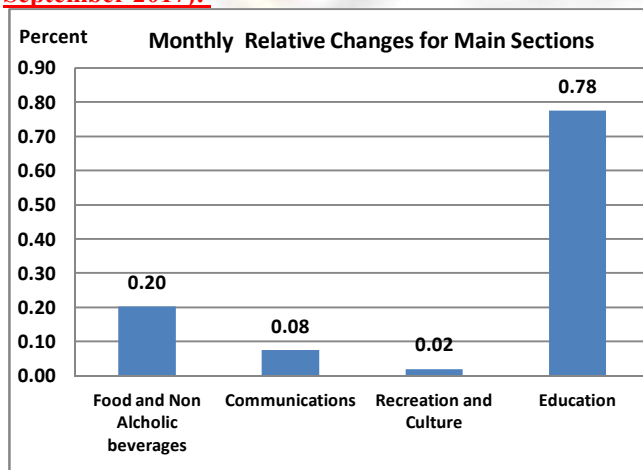
## Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

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### Monthly inflation recorded 0.9% in October 2017

- The Consumer Price Index for total Egypt recorded (264.8) during October 2017 which is increased by (0.9%) compared with September 2017.
- This increase is due to increasing in the price of (Vegetables) by (1.7%), (Milk, cheese and eggs) by (1.8%), (Fish and Seafood) by (1.1%), (Telephone and fax service) by (7.2%), (Recreation and Culture) by (0.9%), (Newspapers, books and Stationery) by (3.7%), (Education) by (19.8%) .. Despite of decreasing in (Meat and Poultry) by (-1.2%) and (Fruit) by (-1.4%).
- The annual inflation rate for October 2017 was (31.8%) compared with October 2016 which recorded (32.9%) in September 2017.

#### First: CPI Monthly change (October 2017 compared with September 2017):



1-(Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages) section was raised up by (0.4%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.20) due to the following changes:

- (Vegetables) group is increased by (1.7%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.23) due to increasing the price of (Okra) by (30.6%), (Tomatoes) by (3.5%) and (Potatoes) by (8.6%).
- (Milk, cheese and eggs) group is increased by (1.8%) which contributing in the monthly headline change by (0.12) due to the increase in the price of (Cheese) by (9.2%) .. Despite of decreasing in (Eggs) by (-2.6%).
- (Fish and Seafood) group is increased by (1.1%) which contributing in the monthly headline change by (0.03) due to the increase in the price of (Fresh fish) by (0.8%).
- (Oils and Fats) group is increased by (0.5%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.02) due to the increase in the price of (Imported Butter) by (9.6%).

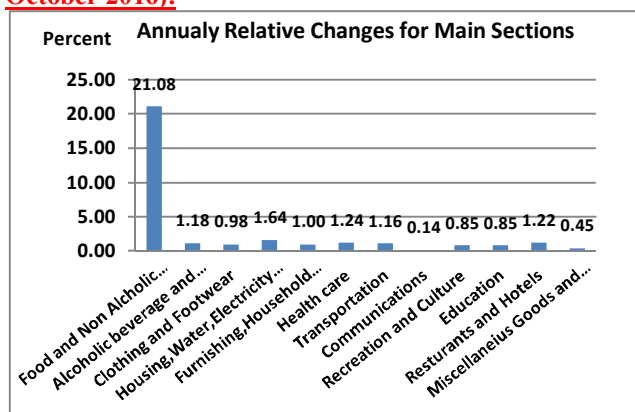
- (Coffee, Tea and Cocoa) group is increased by (2.0%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.02) due to the increase in the price of (Tea) by (2.1%).
- (Fruits) group is decreased by (-1.4%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (-0.04) due to decreasing the price of (Citrus) by (-0.8%), (Dates) by (-16.7%) and (pomegranate) by (-26.5%),.
- (Meat and Poultry) group is decreased by (-1.2%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (-0.17) due to decreasing the price of (Poultry) by (-3.7%).

2- (Communications) section is increased by (7.0%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.08) due to the increase in the price of (Household Telephone bill & Recharge Cards) by (5.7%).

3- (Recreation and Culture) section is increased by (0.9%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.02) due to the increase in the price of (Newspapers, books and stationery) by (3.7%).

4- (Education) section is increased by (19.8%) which contributes in the monthly headline change by (0.78) due to the increase in the price of (Pre-Primary School) by (19.7%), (Secondary School) by (21.2%) and (Tertiary Education) by (18.2%).

## Second: CPI annual change ( October 2017 compared with October 2016):



1- (Food and Beverage) section was raised up (40.1%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (21.08) due to the following changes:

- (Meat and Poultry) group is increased by (38.7%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (5.32) due to the increase in price of (Fresh & Frozen red meat) by (48.4%) and (Poultry) by (21.7%).
- (Vegetables) group is increased by (41.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (5.45) due to increasing in the price of Potatoes by (19.7%), (Onions) by (26.7%), (Tomatoes) by (78.0%) and (Dry Vegetables) by (31.1%).
- (Milk, cheese and eggs) group is increased by (52.1%) which contributing in the annual headline change by (3.10) due to the increase in the price of (Full-fat milk) by (53.4%), (Cheese) by (62.1%) and (Eggs) by (40.9%).
- (Bread and cereals) group is increased by (30.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (2.34) (due to the increase in the price of (Rice) by (28.7%), (Dry Bakery products) by (16.5%), (Bread) by (18.6%), (Macaroni) by (20.1%) and (Flour) by (59.0%).
- (Oils and Fats) group is increased by (36.4%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.28) due to the increase in the price of (Oil food) by (30.4%), (Butter and Ghee) by (52.1%), (Margarine) by (25.8%) and Imported Butter by (96.8%).
- (Fruits) group is increased by (38.4%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.12) due to the increase in the price of (Bananas) by (33.4%), (Citrus) by (96.3%) and (Dry Fruits) by (35.5%).
- (Fish and Seafood) group is increased by (46.7%) which contributing in the annual headline change by (1.14) due to the increase in the price of (Fresh and frozen fish) by (43.8%), (Smoked and Salt fish) by (57.2%) and (Seafood) by (51.9%).
- (Coffee, Tea and Cocoa) group is increased by (65.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.50) due to the increase in the price of (Tea) by (67.6%) and (Coffee) by (44.8%).
- (Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery) group is increased by (31.6%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.52) due to the increase in the price of Sugar by (17.3%), (Jam) by (46.2%) & (Halva) by (64.2%).
- (Other Food Products) group is increased by (31.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.18) due to the increase in the price of spices by (30.9%).

- (Mineral waters, Soft drinks, Fruit & Vegetable juices) group is increased by (46.3%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.14) due to the increase in the price of (Soft drinks) by (46.9%) and (Fruit & Vegetable juices) by (48.2%).

2- (Alcoholic beverage and Tobacco) Section increased by (25.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.18) due to the increasing in the price of (Cigarettes) by (25.8%).

3- (Clothing and Footwear) Section increased by (23.6%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.98) due to increasing in the price of (clothes) by (24.1%) and (Foot wear) by (27.2%).

4- (Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas And Other Fuels), is increased by (13.5%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.64) due to the increase in the price of (Electricity, gas and fuels) by (32.6%) and (Water supply and miscellaneous services relating to the dwelling) by (43.9%).

5- (Furnishing, Household Equipment and Maintenance) section is increased by (33.4%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.00) due to the increase in the price of (household appliances) by (30.9%), (Furnishing, Household Equipment) by (17.3%) (Household Textiles) by (11.0%) and (Goods and services for routine household maintenance) by (38.7%).

6- (Health care) Section is increased by (23.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.24) due to the increase in the price of (Medical Products, appliance and Equipment) by (17.5%), (Patients Private clinics services) by (42.6%) and (Hospital services) by (19.1%).

7- (Communications) section is increased by (11.0%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.14) due to increasing in the price of (Telephone and fax service) by (11.2%).

8- (Transportation) section is increased by (33.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.16) due to increasing in the price of (Purchasing new Vehicles) by (13.7%), (Operation of personal Transport equipment) by (63.3%) and (Transport services) by (27.1%).

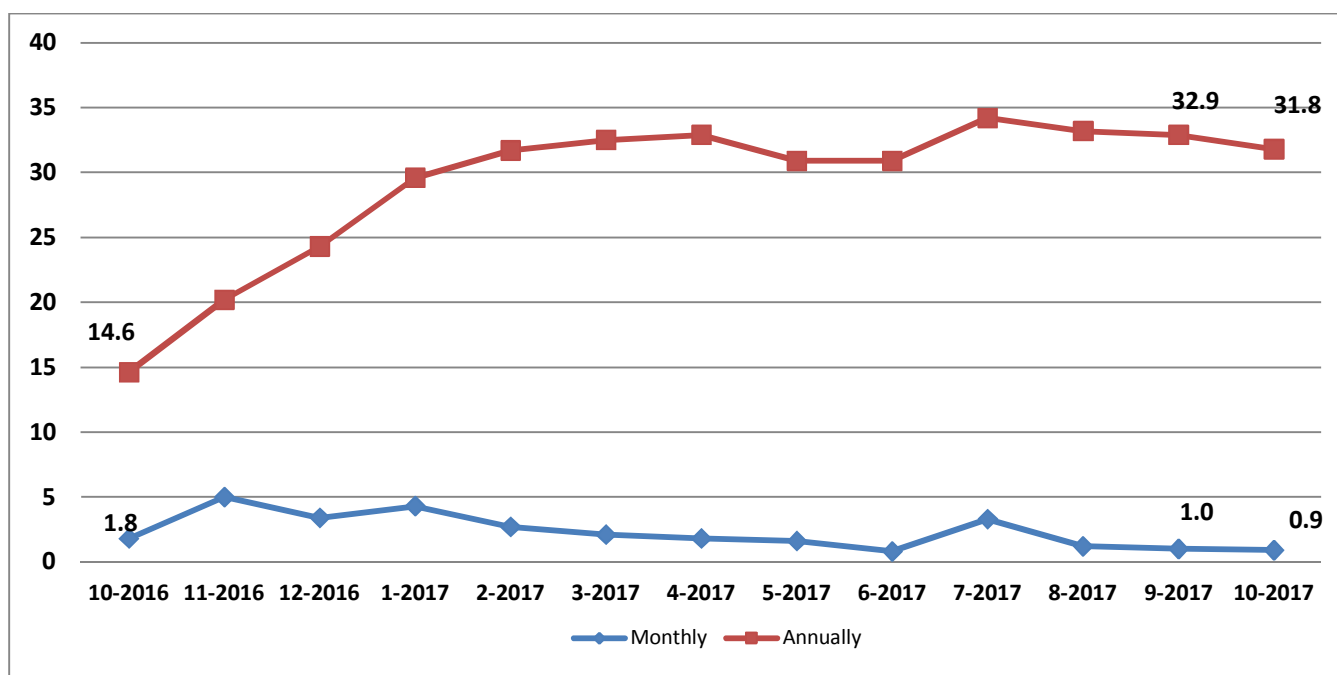
9- (Recreation and Culture) section is increased by (41.5%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.85) due to the increase in the price of (Newspapers, books and stationery) by (19.4%) and (Package Holidays) by (59.8%).

10- (Education) section is increased by (19.8%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.85) due to the increase in the price of (Pre-Primary School) by (19.7%), (Secondary School) by (21.2%) and (Tertiary Education) by (18.2%).

11- (Restaurants and hotels) section is increased by (25.2%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (1.22) due to the increase in the price (Catering services) by (25.3%).

12- (Miscellaneous Goods and Services) section is increased by (18.9%) which contributes in the annual headline change by (0.45) due to the increase in the price (Personal Care) by (23.8%) and (Gold) by (13.9%).

### Third: CPI Monthly and Annually Changes for Total Egypt (October 2016 - October 2017):



### Fourth: CPI Monthly and Annually percent of change for Food and beverages for total Egypt (October 2016 - October 2017)

