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COMMENTARY

HEADLINE CPI

The National Consumer Price Index (CPI) rose 0.7 percent to 107.3 in September 2021. Through the year, compared to the same month in 2020, the National CPI rose 1.8 percent.

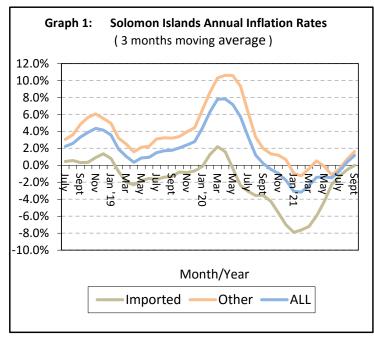
The most significant changes by major expenditure groups from the previous month include:

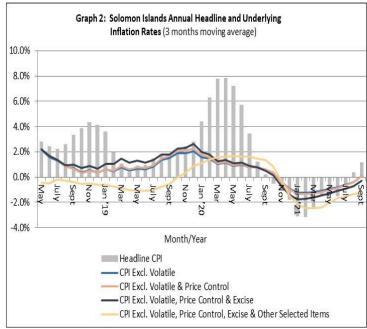
- Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages: (-0.2%),
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics: (+2.8),
- Clothing & Footwear: (-0.1%)
- Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: (+1.2%),
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance: (-0.1%),
- Transport: (+0.5%),
- Miscellaneous goods & services: (+0.1%)

The Solomon Islands inflation rate for the month of September 2021 calculated on a 3-months moving average basis was +1.2%. The corresponding inflation rates for imported items was stable (0.0%) overall, while other (domestic) items inflation rate was +1.6%.

UNDERLYING INFLATION

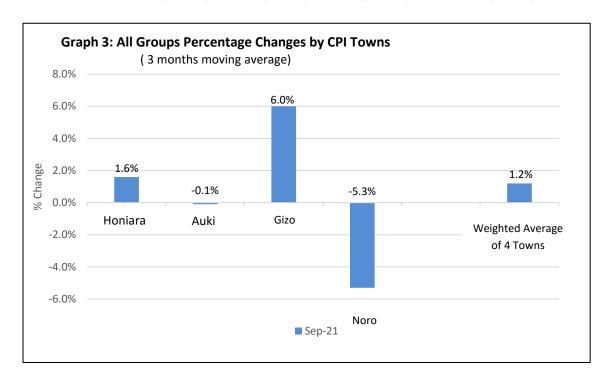
The Solomon Islands underlying rates of inflation based on a 3-months moving average was observed between -1.2% and 0.1% for September 2021.





COMPONENT CONTRIBUTION BY CPI TOWN

The headline inflation rates for the respective provincial towns calculated on a 3-months moving average basis were: Honiara: (+1.6%); Auki: (-0.1%); Gizo: (+6.0%); and Noro: (-5.3%).



The main percentage changes in index by CPI town and expenditure group from the previous month include:

Honiara: (+0.7%)

The most significant changes in movements include:

- Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages: (-0.5%)
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics: (+3.3%)
- Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: (+1.0%)
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance: (-0.2%)
- Transport: (+0.5%)

Auki: (+0.4%)

The main contributors to the movements were:

• Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: (+1.6%)

Gizo: (+2.1%)

The main drivers to this movements were:

- Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages: (+3.1%)
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco & narcotics: (+2.8%)
- Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: (+3.6%)
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance: (-0.2%)
- Miscellaneous goods & services: (+0.6%)

Noro: (+0.3%)

The main contributors to the movements were:

- Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages: (+1.0%)
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco & narcotics: (-2.6%)

- Clothing & Footwear: (-2.3%)
- Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: (+1.3%)
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance: (+0.6%)
- Miscellaneous goods & services: (-2.4%)

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Table 1.0: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

Year/ Month	Food & Non-Alcoholic	Alcoholic beverages, tobacco	Clothing &	Housing, water, electricity, gas	Furnishings, household equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation &	Education	Restaurants &	Miscellaneous goods &	All Items
rear/ World	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	culture	Luucation	hotels	services	rtems
2019 August	101.4	118.2	100.2	107.7	96.4	99.4	104.5	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	99.6	105.1
September October	101.5 102.4	122.3 127.1	100.2 100.2	107.9 108.7	96.5 96.5	99.4 99.4	103.8 103.9	100.0 100.0	101.0 101.0	128.4 128.4	103.4 103.4	99.6 99.6	105.5 106.6
November	102.4	128.1	100.2	109.0	96.5	99.4	104.2	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	99.6	106.9
December	102.1	129.4	100.2	109.1	96.5	99.4	104.3	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	99.6	106.9
2020 January	103.3	170.9	99.9	109.4	96.9	108.4	104.5	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	99.6	112.4
February	103.9	171.7	99.9	109.1	96.9	108.4	104.5	100.0 100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4 103.4	99.2	112.7
March April	104.8 105.4	170.6 170.7	99.8 99.9	109.8 108.9	96.8 97.1	108.4 108.4	102.9 99.7	100.0	101.0 101.0	128.4 128.4	103.4	99.2 99.5	112.7 112.2
May	105.5	168.1	99.9	107.0	96.6	108.5	97.0	100.0	100.9	128.4	103.4	99.7	111.1
June	104.5	139.9	99.9	107.2	96.5	108.5	95.7	100.0	100.9	128.4	103.4	99.9	107.2
July	104.0	130.2	100.0	105.7	96.9	108.5	96.6	100.0	100.9	128.4	103.4	99.9	105.8
August	102.5	128.4	99.9	107.2	96.9	108.5	95.7	100.0	100.9	128.4	103.4	99.9	105.1
September October	102.2 101.6	132.5 129.7	100.0 99.9	106.8 107.7	97.0 97.0	108.5 108.5	95.4 96.5	100.0 100.0	101.0 101.0	128.4 128.4	103.4 103.4	100.0 100.0	105.4 105.2
November	98.7	140.6	99.9	107.3	96.6	108.5	96.1	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	100.0	105.4
December	97.7	133.1	99.9	108.0	96.6	108.5	96.1	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	100.0	104.2
2021 January r	96.7	152.4	100.8	110.3	93.5	108.4	97.6	100.0	101.7	124.3	103.4	100.0	106.7
February March	98.2 101.2	179.1 185.4	102.7 102.7	110.1 111.3	92.7 92.9	106.1 106.1	98.7 97.6	100.0 100.0	100.8 100.8	124.3 124.3	103.4 103.4	99.0 99.0	110.6 112.4
April	100.2	161.7	102.7	112.4	93.0	106.1	100.1	100.0	100.8	124.3	103.4	99.0	109.8
May	99.9	160.1	101.9	110.2	93.3	106.1	99.9	100.0	100.8	124.5	103.4	108.4	109.2
June July	100.1 100.0	137.6 131.5	101.9 101.3	109.7 110.6	93.2 94.3	106.5 106.5	100.2 100.9	100.0 100.0	102.5 102.2	124.5 124.5	103.4 103.4	108.6 108.6	106.6 106.1
August	99.4	131.5	101.3	110.6	94.3 95.3	106.5	100.9	100.0	102.2	124.5	103.4	108.6	106.1
September	99.2	137.2	100.3	113.1	95.2	106.5	102.8	100.0	100.9	124.5	103.4	108.5	107.3
Percentag	e Change in the C	PI by Group											
	(a) on the previo	ous month											
2019 August	-0.7	1.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.1
September October	0.1 0.9	3.5 3.9	0.0	0.2 0.7	0.1 0.0	0.0	-0.7 0.1	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.4 1.0
November	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
December	-0.7	1.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2020 January	1.2	32.1	-0.3	0.3	0.4	9.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1
February March	0.6 0.9	0.3 -0.6	0.0 -0.1	-0.3 0.6	0.0 -0.1	0.0	0.0 -1.5	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	-0.4 0.0	0.3
April	0.9	-0.6	0.1	-0.8	0.3	0.0	-1.5 -3.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.4
May	0.1	-1.5	0.0	-1.7	-0.5	0.1	-2.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	-1.0
June	-0.9	-16.8	0.0	0.3	-0.1	0.0	-1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	-3.5
July	-0.5	-6.9	0.1	-1.4	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.3
August September	-1.4 -0.3	-1.4 3.2	-0.1 0.1	1.3 -0.4	0.0 0.1	0.0	-0.9 -0.3	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.1	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.1	-0.7 0.3
October	-0.6	-2.1	-0.1	0.8	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
November	-2.9	8.4	0.0	-0.4	-0.4	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
December	-1.0	-5.3	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.1
2021 January	-1.0	14.5	0.9	2.1	-3.2	-0.1	1.6	0.0	0.7	-3.2	0.0	0.0	2.4
February	1.6	17.5	1.9	-0.2	-0.9	-2.1	1.1	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	-1.0	3.7
March	3.1	3.5	0.0	1.1	0.2	0.0	-1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
April	-1.0	-12.6	-1.0	1.0	0.1	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.3
May	-0.3	-1.2	0.2	-2.0	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	9.5	-0.5
June	0.2	-14.1	0.0	-0.5	-0.1	0.4	0.3	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	-2.4
July	-0.1	-4.4	-0.6	0.8	1.2	0.0	0.7	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.5
August	-0.6	1.4	-0.9	1.1	1.1	0.0	1.4	0.0	-1.3	0.0	0.0	-0.2	0.5
September	-0.2	2.8	-0.1	1.2	-0.1	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.7
		month a year ago											
2019 August	-1.8	7.3	0.2	7.6	-0.8	-0.6	0.6	0.0	1	4.6	0.0	0.7	1.8
September October	-0.8 2.0	7.6 9.9	0.2 0.2	4.6 5.7	-1.0 -0.3	-0.6 -0.6	-0.3 -1.6	0.0 0.0	1.0 1.0	4.6 4.6	0.0 0.0	0.7 0.7	1.5 2.8
November	2.5	10.2	0.2	5.2	-0.6	-0.6	-2.3	0.0	1.0	4.6	0.0	0.7	2.8
December	1.8	11.7	0.2	4.8	-0.6	-0.6	-2.3	0.0	1.0	4.6	0.0	0.7	2.7
2020 January	3.1	46.6	0.0	0.4	-0.1	9.1	0.9	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.0	0.5	7.6
February March	1.8 2.0	49.4 48.1	-0.2 -0.3	3.9 -0.4	0.2 0.2	9.1 9.1	3.9 1.2	0.0 0.0	0.5 0.5	-0.1 -0.1	0.0 0.0	0.1 -0.3	8.6 7.2
April	4.9	47.5	-0.3	-0.4 1.1	1.0	9.1	-3.4	0.0	0.5	-0.1 -0.1	0.0	0.0	7.7
May	5.5	45.4	-0.3	-0.7	0.3	9.2	-6.7	0.0	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.2	6.6
June	4.5	20.2	-0.3	0.4	0.1	9.2	-9.1	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.3	2.9
July	1.9	11.5	-0.2	-1.8	0.5	9.2	-6.8	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.8
August September	1.1 0.7	8.6 8.3	-0.3 -0.2	-0.5 -1.0	0.5 0.5	9.2 9.2	-8.4 -8.1	0.0 0.0	-0.1 0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.3 0.4	0.0 -0.1
October	-0.8	2.0	-0.2	-0.9	0.5	9.2	-7.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-1.3
November	-4.0	9.5	-0.3	-1.6	0.1	9.2	-7.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-1.5
December	-4.3	2.6	-0.3	-1.0	0.1	9.2	-7.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-2.5
2021 January February	-6.4 -5.5	-11.0 4.3	0.9 2.8	0.8 0.9	-3.5 -4.3	0.0 -2.1	-6.6 -5.6	0.0 0.0	0.7 -0.2	-3.2 -3.2	0.0 0.0	0.4 -0.2	-5.1 -1.9
March	-3.4	4.3 8.7	2.0	1.4	-4.3 -4.0	-2.1 -2.1	-5.0 -5.2	0.0	-0.2	-3.2	0.0	-0.2	-0.3
April	-4.9	-5.1	1.8	3.2	-4.2	-2.1	0.4	0.0	-0.2	-3.2	0.0	-0.5	-2.1
May	-5.3	-4.8	2.0	3.1	-3.4	-2.2	3.0	0.0	-0.1	-3.0	0.0	8.7	-1.7
June	-4.8	-4.0	1.9	2.9	-3.7	-2.1	2.7	0.0	0.4	-3.1	0.0	5.7	-1.5
July August/r	-3.8 -3.0	1.0 3.9	1.3 0.5	4.5 4.3	-2.7 -1.7	-1.8 -1.8	4.5 6.9	0.0 0.0	1.3 0.0	-3.0 -3.0	0.0 0.0	8.7 8.5	0.3 1.4
September	-3.0 -2.9	3.9 3.5	0.5	4.3 5.9	-1.7 -1.9	-1.8 -1.8	7.8	0.0	-0.1	-3.0	0.0	8.5 8.5	1.4
Cohiguing	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	V.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0

Table 1.1: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

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	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month		beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
=	Change in the Cl												
		ving average on same		-									
2019 August	-1.5	8.8	0.2	6.6	-2.6	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.9	4.7	-1.3	0.7	1.7
September	-1.0	8.1	0.2	6.0	-1.8	-0.6	-0.2	0.0	1.0	4.6	-0.7	0.7	1.8
October	-0.2	8.3	0.2	5.9	-0.7	-0.6	-0.4	0.0	1.0	4.6	0.0	0.7	2.1
November	1.2	9.3	0.2	5.2	-0.7	-0.6	-1.4	0.0	1.0	4.6	0.0	0.7	2.4
December 2020 January	2.1 2.5	10.6 22.9	0.2	5.2	-0.5 -0.4	-0.6	-2.1 -1.3	0.0	1.0 0.8	4.6	0.0 0.0	0.7 0.6	2.8
February	2.2	36.1	0.1 0.0	3.4 3.0	-0.4 -0.2	2.6 5.8	-1. 3 0.7	0.0 0.0	0.7	3.0 1.4	0.0	0.4	4.4 6.3
March	2.3	48.1	-0.2	1.3	0.1	9.1	2.0	0.0	0.7	-0.1	0.0	0.4	7.8
April	2.9	48.4	-0.2	1.5	0.1	9.1	0.5	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	7.8
May	4.1	47.0	-0.3	0.0	0.5	9.1	-3.0	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.0	0.0	7.2
June	5.0	37.7	-0.3	0.2	0.5	9.1	-6.4	0.0	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.2	5.7
July	3.9	25.6	-0.3	-0.7	0.3	9.2	-7.6	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.2	3.4
August	2.5	13.4	-0.3	-0.6	0.4	9.2	-8.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.2
September	1.2	9.5	-0.2	-1.1	0.5	9.2	-7.8	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2
October	0.3	6.3	-0.3	-0.8	0.5	9.2	-7.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-0.5
November	-1.4	6.6	-0.3	-1.2	0.4	9.2	-7.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-1.0
December	-3.0	4.7	-0.3	-1.2	0.2	9.2	-7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-1.8
2021 January	-4.9	-0.7	0.1	-0.6	-1.1	5.9	-7.4	0.0	0.2	-0.9	0.0	0.4	-3.1
February	-5.4	-1.7	1.1	0.2	-2.6	2.2	-6.7	0.0	0.2	-1.9	0.0	0.2	-3.2
March	-5.1	0.7	2.2	1.0	-4.0	-1.4	-5.8	0.0	0.1	-3.2	0.0	0.0	-2.4
April	-4.6	2.6	2.5	1.8	-4.2	-2.1	-3.5	0.0	-0.2	-3.2	0.0	-0.3	-1.4
May	-4.6	-0.4	2.2	2.5	-3.9	-2.2	-0.7	0.0	-0.2	-3.1	0.0	2.7	-1.4
June	-4.8 -4.5	-4.0 -2.1	1.9	2.9 3.3	-3.7 -3.2	-2.1 -2.0	2.7 4.0	0.0	0.4	-3.1	0.0	6.5 8.7	-1.5
July August	-4.5 -3.7	-2.1 1.0	1.8 1.3	3.3 3.7	-3.2 -2.6	-2.0 -1.8	4.0 5.3	0.0 0.0	0.9 1.0	-3.0 -3.0	0.0 0.0	8.6	-0.7 0.4
September	-3.3	2.8	0.7	4.9	-2.1	-1.8	6.4	0.0	0.4	-3.0	0.0	8.6	1.2
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Consumer	Price Index - An	nual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	90.1	49.1	82.3	57.2	93.6	56.5	90.3	119.7	81.1	85.5	69.7	99.5	79.0
2011	94.0	56.4	83.3	68.5	98.0	55.9	98.0	84.2	83.0	89.1	80.5	103.2	84.8
2012	97.9	58.7	83.9	79.8	102.3	71.9	98.0	78.4	87.5	89.6	89.2	108.6	89.8
2013	100.3	64.3	92.1	92.7	100.8	78.0	100.0	78.4	87.5	83.9	95.1	111.3	94.6
2014	103.5	80.9	95.9	101.0	101.8	84.9	101.2	78.4	87.5	88.1	96.1	114.9	99.6
2015	100.4	82.3	104.6	100.7	103.2	93.2	97.3	100.0	96.1	94.2	96.1	116.9	99.0
2016 2017	100.9	91.9	103.9	99.2	102.6	100.0	97.3	100.0	99.6	94.2	96.1	110.7	99.5
2017	100.0 101.9	100.0 112.1	100.0 100.1	100.0 102.2	100.0 98.6	100.0 100.0	100.0 104.3	100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0	100.0 122.7	100.0 104.6	100.0 99.0	100.0 103.5
2019	101.5	119.7	100.1	108.0	96.5	99.4	103.6	100.0	100.8	128.5	103.4	99.5	105.2
2020	102.8	148.9	99.9	107.8	96.8	108.5	98.4	100.0	101.0	128.4	103.4	99.7	108.3
	(d) Annual Perce		00.0	101.0	00.0	100.0	00.11	100.0	101.0	120.1	100.1	00.1	100.0
2010	-2.9	11.8	8.7	-0.9	3.8	1.1	7.2	-11.0	1.0	11.9	7.9	5.5	0.9
2011	4.4	14.8	1.2	19.7	4.7	-1.1	8.5	-29.6	2.4	4.3	15.4	3.7	7.4
2012	4.1	4.0	0.7	16.5	4.4	28.5	0.0	-6.9	5.4	0.5	10.8	5.2	5.9
2013	2.4	9.5	9.8	16.1	-1.4	8.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	-6.3	6.6	2.5	5.3
2014	3.2	25.8	4.1	9.0	1.0	8.8	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	3.3	5.3
2015	-3.0	1.8	9.1	-0.3	1.4	9.8	-3.9	27.5	9.8	7.0	0.0	1.7	-0.6
2016	0.5	11.6	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	-5.3	0.5
2017	-0.9	8.9	-3.7	0.8	-2.6	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.4	6.1	4.0	-9.7	0.5
2018	1.9	12.1	0.1	2.2	-1.4	0.0	4.3	0.0	0.0	22.7	4.7	-1.0	3.5
2019	-0.4	6.8	0.0	5.7	-2.1	-0.6	-0.7	0.0	0.8	4.7	-1.2	0.5	1.6
2020	1.3	24.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.3	9.1	-5.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	3.0

Table 2.0: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index of Imported Items by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

		Food 9	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing water	Eurnichings household			Recreation	Missellaneous	All
Year/ Mo	nth	Food &	Alcoholic	_	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household	Health	Transport		Miscellaneous	
rear/ IVIO	nun	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	пеанн	Transport	&	goods &	Items
	_	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance			culture	services	
2019	August	98.3	100.0	100.4	98.1	94.9	98.0	105.6	101.1	99.6	99.2
	September	98.4	100.0	100.4	97.4	95.1	98.0	103.9	101.1	99.6	98.9
	October	101.2	100.0	100.4	97.5	95.1	98.0	104.3	101.1	99.6	100.4
	November	101.5	100.0	100.4	98.2	95.1	98.0	105.0	101.1	99.6	100.7
	December	101.7	100.0	100.3	98.3	95.1	98.0	105.3	101.1	99.5	100.9
2020	January	101.5	100.0	100.4	98.4	95.1	98.0	105.8	101.1	99.5	100.9
	February	101.6	100.0	100.4	100.2	95.0	98.0	105.9	101.1	99.1	101.0
	March	101.8	100.0	100.3	99.4	94.9	98.0	101.6	101.1	99.1	100.2
	April	101.3	100.0	100.4	97.1	95.3	98.0	93.7	101.1	99.4	98.2
	May	101.7	100.0	100.4	93.3	94.6	98.2	86.7	101.1	99.7	96.7
	June	100.9	100.0	100.4	94.0	94.4	98.2	83.5	101.0	99.9	95.7
	July	100.9	100.0	100.5	94.6	94.9	98.2	85.7	101.0	99.9	96.2
	August	99.9	100.0	100.4	94.8	94.9	98.2	83.5	101.1	99.9	95.3
	September	99.6	100.0	100.5	94.8	94.9	98.2	82.6	101.1	100.0	95.0
	October	99.4	100.0	100.4	94.7	94.9	98.2	85.5	101.1	100.1	95.5
	November	94.4	100.0	100.4	94.4	94.3	98.2	84.5	101.1	100.1	92.6
	December	94.4	100.0	100.4	94.9	94.3	98.2	84.5	101.1	100.1	92.7
2021	January	94.2	103.4	100.4	97.9	90.4	98.0	88.3	101.8	100.0	93.3
	February	93.9	104.3	102.6	98.1	89.4	98.0	90.9	100.7	98.9	93.7
	March	93.9	104.3	102.6	100.0	89.6	98.0	88.2	100.8	98.9	93.3
	April	93.7	104.3	101.5	100.3	89.7	98.0	94.5	100.8	98.8	94.5
	May	93.3	89.8	101.7	100.3	90.2	98.0	94.0	100.8	109.2	94.6
	June	93.6	89.8	101.5	101.2	90.2	99.4	94.9	102.7	109.4	95.0
	July	93.3	88.3	100.9	104.4	89.0	99.4	96.9	102.4	109.4	95.3
	August Sentember	92.5	88.3 87.6	99.9 99.8	104.7	90.4	99.4	99.1	100.9	109.3	95.4 95.8
	September	92.9	0.18	99.8	104.5	90.2	99.4	100.2	100.9	109.3	95.8
	Percentage	e Change in the C	PI by Group								
	reicentage	-									
		(a) on the previo									
	August /r	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.3
	September /r	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.7	0.2	0.0	-1.6	0.0	0.0	-0.3
	October /r	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	1.5
	November /r	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.3
	December /r	0.2	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	-0.1	0.2
2020	January	-0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	February/r	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.8	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.4	0.1
	March/r	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.8	-0.1	0.0	-4.1	0.0	0.0	-0.8
	April /r	-0.5	0.0	0.1	-2.3	0.4	0.0	-7.8	0.0	0.3	-2.0
	May/r	0.4	0.0	0.0	-3.9	-0.7	0.2	-7.5	0.0	0.3	-1.5
		-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.8	-0.7	0.2	-7.5 -3.7	-0.1	0.2	-1.0
	June /r										
	July /r	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.5
	August /r	-1.0	0.0	-0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	-2.6	0.1	0.0	-0.9
	September /r	-0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.1	0.0	0.1	-0.3
	October	-0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	3.5	0.0	0.1	0.5
	November	-5.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3	-0.6	0.0	-1.2	0.0	0.0	-3.0
	December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
2021	January	1.6	9.5	0.4	-2.5	-4.7	3.9	-10.1	0.7	-0.1	0.6
	February	-0.3	0.9	2.2	0.2	-1.1	0.0	2.9	-1.1	-1.1	0.4
	March	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.2	0.0	-3.0	0.1	0.0	-0.4
	April	-0.2	0.0	-1.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	7.1	0.0	-0.1	1.3
	May	-0.4	-13.9	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.0	-0.5	0.0	10.5	0.1
	June	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.9	0.0	1.4	1.0	1.9	0.2	0.4
	July	-0.3	-1.7	-0.6	3.2	-1.3	0.0	2.1	-0.3	0.0	0.3
	August	-0.9	0.0	-1.0	0.3	1.6	0.0	2.3	-1.5	-0.1	0.1
	September	0.4	-0.8	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.4
		• •	month a year ago								
2019	August	-0.4	0.0	0.3	-5.0	-0.8	-2.0	-1.0	1.1	0.9	-0.7
	September	-0.7	0.0	0.3	-5.8	-0.7	-2.0	-2.9	1.1	0.9	-1.3
	October	2.6	0.0	0.3	-6.8	0.3	-2.0	-6.0	1.1	0.9	-0.4
	November	2.7	0.0	0.3	-8.1	-0.2	-2.0	-7.5	1.1	0.9	-0.9
	December	2.9	0.0	0.2	-8.1	-0.1	-2.0	-7.1	1.1	0.8	-0.7
2020	January	2.0	0.0	0.3	-1.2	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.6	0.5	1.2
	February	2.4	0.0	0.0	4.7	-0.4	0.0	9.3	0.6	0.1	3.4
	•			-0.1	3.3	-0.4		2.3	0.6	-0.3	2.0
		27	0.0						0.0	-0.0	
i .	March	2.7	0.0				0.0		0.5	0.0	0.6
	April	2.6	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.3	0.0	-8.9	0.5	0.0	-0.6
	April May	2.6 3.4	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	-0.3 -4.7	0.3 -0.5	0.0 0.2	-8.9 -17.3	0.5	0.3	-2.4
	April May June	2.6 3.4 2.5	0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1	0.3 -0.5 -0.7	0.0 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6	0.5 0.3	0.3 0.3	-2.4 -4.0
	April May June July	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3	0.5 0.3 -0.1	0.3 0.3 0.3	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7
	April May June July August	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9
	April May June July	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3	0.5 0.3 -0.1	0.3 0.3 0.3	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7
	April May June July August	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9
	April May June July August September	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9
	April May June July August September October	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9
	April May June July August September October November	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0
2021	April May June July August September October November December	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9 -3.5	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1
2021	April May June July August September October November December January	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0 -7.2 -7.2	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.1	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9 -3.5 -0.5	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8 -16.5	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.5 0.6 0.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1 -7.5
2021	April May June July August September October November December January February March	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0 -7.2 -7.2 -7.6 -7.8	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9 -3.5 -0.5 -2.1	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8 -4.9 -5.9 -5.6	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8 -16.5 -14.2 -13.2	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.7 -0.4	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.5 0.6 0.5 -0.2 -0.2	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1 -7.5 -7.2 -6.9
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2021	April May June July August September October November December January February March	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0 -7.2 -7.2 -7.6 -7.8	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9 -3.5 -0.5 -2.1	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8 -4.9 -5.9 -5.6	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8 -16.5 -14.2 -13.2	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.7 -0.4	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.5 0.6 0.5 -0.2 -0.2	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1 -7.5 -7.2 -6.9
2021	April May June July August September October November December January February March April May June	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0 -7.2 -7.6 -7.8 -7.5 -8.3 -7.2	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 2.2 2.3 1.1 1.3	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.5 -0.5 -2.1 0.6 3.3 7.5 7.7	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8 -4.9 -5.9 -5.6 -5.9 -4.7 -4.4	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.0 0.0	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8 -16.5 -14.2 -13.2 0.9 8.4 13.7	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.7 -0.4 -0.3 -0.3 1.7	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.5 0.6 9.5 9.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1 -7.5 -7.2 -6.9 -3.8 -2.2 -0.7
2021	April May June July August September October November December January February March April May	2.6 3.4 2.5 2.4 1.6 1.2 -1.8 -7.0 -7.2 -7.6 -7.8 -7.5 -8.3	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 2.2 2.3 1.1 1.3	-0.3 -4.7 -4.1 -3.9 -3.4 -2.7 -2.9 -3.9 -3.5 -0.5 -2.1 -0.6 -3.3 -7.5	0.3 -0.5 -0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.8 -0.8 -4.9 -5.9 -5.6 -5.9 -4.7	0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2	-8.9 -17.3 -22.6 -17.3 -20.9 -20.5 -18.0 -19.5 -19.8 -16.5 -14.2 -13.2 0.9 8.4	0.5 0.3 -0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.7 -0.4 -0.3 -0.3	0.3 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.5 0.6 0.5 -0.2 -0.6 9.5	-2.4 -4.0 -2.7 -3.9 -4.9 -8.0 -8.1 -7.5 -7.2 -6.9 -3.8 -2.2

Table 2.1: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index of Imported Items by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

	(100.0), 11	9	rriverus						
	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household			Recreation	Miscellaneous	All
'ear/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance			culture	services	
Percentag	e Change in the CP									
	(c) 3 months mo	oving average on san	e period a year							
2019 August	-0.9	0.0	0.3	-5.2	-3.5	-2.0	-2.2	1.0	0.9	-1.4
September	-0.7	0.0	0.3	-5.3	-2.2	-2.0	-2.8	1.1	0.9	-1.4
October	0.5	0.0	0.3	-5.9	-0.4	-2.0	-3.4	1.1	0.9	-0.8
November	1.6	0.0	0.3	-6.9	-0.2	-2.0	-5.5	1.1	0.9	-0.9
December	2.8	0.0	0.3	-7.7	0.0	-2.0	-6.9	1.1	0.9	-0.7
2020 January	2.6	0.0	0.3	-5.9	-0.1	-1.3	-4.7	0.9	0.7	-0.1
February	2.5	0.0	0.2	-1.8	-0.2	-0.7	0.6	0.8	0.5	1.2
March	2.4	0.0	0.1	2.2	-0.3	0.0	4.1	0.6	0.1	2.2
April	2.6	0.0	0.0	2.6	-0.2	0.0	0.7	0.6	-0.1	1.6
May	2.9	0.0	0.0	-0.6	-0.2	0.1	-8.2	0.5	0.0	-0.3
June	2.8	0.0	-0.2	-3.0	-0.3	0.1	-16.4	0.4	0.2	-2.4
July	2.8	0.0	0.0	-4.2	-0.4	0.2	-19.1	0.2	0.3	-3.1
August	2.2	0.0	0.0	-3.8	-0.2	0.2	-20.3	0.1	0.3	-3.6
September	1.8	0.0	0.1	-3.3	-0.1	0.2	-19.6	0.0	0.3	-3.5
October	0.3	0.0	0.0	-3.0	-0.1	0.2	-19.8	0.0	0.4	-4.3
November	-2.6	0.0	0.0	-3.1	-0.4	0.2	-19.3	0.0	0.5	-5.6
December	-5.3	0.0	0.0	-3.4	-0.6	0.2	-19.1	0.0	0.5	-7.0
2021 January	-7.1	1.1	0.0	-2.6	-2.2	0.1	-18.6	0.2	0.5	-7.9
February	-7.3	2.6	0.8	-2.0	-3.9	0.1	-16.8	0.1	0.3	-7.6
March	-7.5	4.0	1.5	-0.7	-5.5	0.0	-14.7	0.0	0.0	-7.2
April	-7.6	4.3	1.9	0.6	-5.8	0.0	-9.2	-0.3	-0.3	-6.0
May	-7.8	-0.5	1.6	3.7	-5.4	-0.1	-1.9	-0.3	2.9	-4.3
June	-7.7	-5.4	1.2	6.1	-5.0	0.3	7.4	0.4	6.2	-2.2
July	-7.7	-10.7	0.9	8.5	-5.1	0.7	11.7	0.9	9.5	-1.3
August	-7.4	-11.2	0.3	9.5	-5.1	-1.6	15.1	1.0	9.5	-0.5
September	-7.2	-11.9	-0.3	10.3	-5.3	1.2	17.6	0.3	9.4	0.0
Consumer	Price Index - Annu	al (2017 =100.0)								
2010	98.4	95.3	88.3	87.2	93.2	81.6	103.3	80.0	99.5	95.5
2011	102.5	97.7	87.8	103.0	96.4	79.8	122.6	82.0	103.8	102.2
2012	105.3	98.8	88.7	106.3	103.0	82.6	119.8	86.8	110.1	105.1
2013	106.2	99.8	100.2	107.6	101.7	101.4	118.5	86.8	113.1	106.3
2014	102.3	99.8	100.3	106.8	102.6	100.6	118.2	86.8	117.3	104.8
2015	105.0	99.9	100.5	99.3	104.1	100.0	104.2	95.9	119.6	104.4
2016	104.4	100.0	99.3	99.4	103.6	100.0	97.3	99.5	112.4	102.9
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018	99.3	100.0	100.3	104.1	97.8	100.0	107.1	100.0	98.8	100.7
2019 / r	99.4	100.0	100.4	97.7	95.1	98.0	103.7	100.8	99.4	99.4
2020	99.8	100.0	100.4	95.9	94.8	98.1	90.3	101.1	99.7	96.7
2020	(d) Annual Perce		100.4	00.0	0-1.0	00.1	00.0	101.1	00.1	00.1
2010	-6.0	entage Change 5.2	1.6	8.4	2.2	2.5	12.6	1.0	6.5	0.1
2010	4.2	2.5	-0.6	18.0	3.4	-2.3	18.7	2.5	6.5 4.3	0.1
2011										7.0
	2.7	1.2	1.0	3.2	6.9	3.6	-2.3 1.1	5.8	6.0	2.8
2013	0.9	1.0	13.0	1.3	-1.3	22.8	-1.1 0.2	0.0	2.7	1.2
2014	-3.7	0.0	0.0	-0.7	0.9	-0.8	-0.2	0.0	3.8	-1.4
2015	2.6	0.1	0.2	-7.0	1.5	-0.6	-11.9	10.5	2.0	-0.4
2016	-0.5	0.1	-1.2	0.1	-0.5	0.0	-6.7	3.8	-6.0	-1.4
2017	-4.3	0.0	0.7	0.6	-3.5	0.0	2.8	0.5	-11.0	-2.8
2018	-0.6	0.0	0.3	4.1	-2.2	0.0	7.1	0.0	-1.2	0.7
2019 / r	0.1	0.0	0.1	-6.1	-2.7	-2.0	-3.2	0.8	0.7	-1.4
2020	0.4	0.0	0.0	-1.9	-0.3	0.1	-12.9	0.2	0.3	-2.7

Table 3.0: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index of Other Items by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household		_		Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	beverages, tobacco narcotics	& footwear	electricity, gas & other fuels	equipment & routine household maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	& culture	Education	& hotels	goods & services	Items
2019 August	103.6	118.6	99.3	109.0	100.0	100.0	104.3	100.0	100.3	128.4	103.4	100.0	108.0
September	103.7	122.7	99.3	109.4	100.0	100.0	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	108.9
October November	102.8 103.3	127.5 128.6	99.3 99.3	110.2 110.5	99.9 99.9	100.0 100.0	104.3 104.3	100.0 100.0	99.9 99.9	128.4 128.4	103.4 103.4	100.0 100.0	109.7 110.1
December	101.7	129.9	99.3	110.5	99.9	100.0	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	109.9
2020 January	104.2	171.8	96.7	111.0	101.3	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	118.2
February	105.3	172.5	96.7	110.3	101.6	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	118.4
March	107.0	171.4	96.7	111.2	101.5	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	118.9
April	108.4	171.6	96.7	110.5	101.8	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	119.1
May	108.3	168.9	96.7	108.9	101.7	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	118.3
June	107.1	140.5	96.7	109.0	101.8	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	112.9
July	106.2	130.7	96.7	107.2	101.7	113.1	104.3	100.0	99.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	110.5
August September	104.3 104.0	128.9 133.0	96.7 96.7	109.0 108.4	102.0 102.0	113.1 113.1	104.3 104.3	100.0 100.0	99.9 100.2	128.4 128.4	103.4 103.4	100.0 100.0	110.1 110.6
October	103.0	130.2	96.7	109.5	102.1	113.1	104.3	100.0	100.2	128.4	103.4	100.0	110.1
November	102.0	141.1	96.7	109.1	102.0	113.1	104.3	100.0	100.6	128.4	103.4	100.0	111.7
December	100.1	133.6	96.7	109.8	102.0	113.1	104.3	100.0	100.9	128.4	103.4	100.0	110.0
2021 January	98.3	153.1	104.1	112.0	100.8	113.1	104.3	100.0	100.9	124.3	103.4	100.0	113.3
February	101.5	180.0	104.1	111.7	100.8	109.6	104.3	100.0	100.9	124.3	103.4	100.0	118.9
March April	107.4 105.6	186.4 162.7	104.1 104.1	112.8 114.1	100.8 100.9	109.6 109.6	104.3 104.3	100.0 100.0	100.9 100.9	124.3 124.3	103.4 103.4	100.0 100.0	121.9 117.5
May	105.4	160.9	104.1	111.5	100.7	109.6	104.3	100.0	100.9	124.5	102.0	104.5	116.5
June	105.5	138.2	104.9	110.9	100.7	109.6	104.2	100.0	100.9	124.5	101.7	104.5	112.3
July	105.7	132.0	104.9	111.4	107.0	109.6	104.1	100.0	100.7	124.5	102.2	104.5	111.5
August	105.2	134.0	104.2	112.7	107.1	109.6	105.0	100.0	100.4	124.5	102.7	104.5	112.1
September	104.4	137.8	104.2	114.3	107.1	109.6	105.0	100.0	100.4	124.5	102.7	104.5	113.0
-	ge Change in the CP												
2019 August	(a) on the previous n		0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
September	-1.1 0.1	1.3 3.5	0.0	0.2	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1 -0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8
October	-0.9	3.9	0.0	0.7	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
November	0.5	0.9	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
December	-1.5	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
2020 January	2.5	32.3	-2.6	0.5	1.4	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6
February	1.1	0.2	0.0	-0.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
March	1.6	-0.6	0.0	0.8	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
April	1.3	0.1	0.0	-0.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
May	-0.1	-1.6	0.0	-1.4	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.7
June July	-1.1 -0.8	-16.8 -7.0	0.0 0.0	0.2 -1.7	0.1 -0.1	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-4.6 -2.1
August	-1.8	-1.4	0.0	1.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.4
September	-0.3	3.2	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
October	-1.0	-2.1	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.5
November	-1.0	8.4	0.0	-0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5
December	-1.9	-5.3	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.5
2021 January	-1.8	14.6	7.7	2.0	-1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-3.2	0.0	0.0	3.0
February	3.3	17.6	0.0	-0.3	0.0	-3.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9
March	5.8	3.6	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5
April May	-1.7 -0.2	-12.7 -1.1	0.0 0.0	1.2 -2.3	0.1 -0.2	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0 0.2	0.0 -1.4	0.0 4.5	-3.6 -0.9
June	0.1	-14.1	0.8	-0.5	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	-3.6
July	0.2	-4.5	0.0	0.5	6.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.5	0.0	-0.7
August	-0.5	1.5	-0.7	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5
September	-0.8	2.8	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8
	(b) on the same more												
2019 August	-3.0	7.3	-0.3	9.5	-0.8	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.3	4.6	0.0	0.0	3.0
September October	-0.9 1.3	7.5 9.9	-0.3 -0.3	6.2 7.5	-1.6 -1.7	0.0	1.5 1.5	0.0 0.0	-0.1 -0.1	4.6 4.6	0.0	0.0	3.0 4.4
November	2.3	9.9 10.4	-0.3 -0.3	7.5 7.2	-1.7 -1.7	0.0	1.5	0.0	-0.1 -0.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	4.4
December	0.8	11.9	-0.3	6.7	-1.7	0.0	1.2	0.0	-0.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	4.4
2020 January	4.0	47.0	-1.7	0.7	-0.3	13.1	0.8	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.5
February	1.3	49.7	-2.2	3.9	1.7	13.1	0.6	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.9
March	1.5	48.4	-2.2	-0.8	1.6	13.1	0.4	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	9.6
April	6.8	47.9	-2.2	1.3	2.7	13.1	0.2	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	11.4
May	7.4	45.7	-2.6	-0.3	2.3	13.1	0.2	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.8
June July	6.4 1.3	20.4 11.6	-2.6 -2.6	0.9 -1.5	2.0 1.7	13.1 13.1	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	-0.2 -0.3	-0.1 0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8 2.3
August	0.7	8.7	-2.6	0.0	2.0	13.1	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9
September	0.7	8.4	-2.6	-0.9	2.0	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7
October	0.2	2.1	-2.6	-0.6	2.2	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
November	-1.3	9.5	-2.6	-1.3	2.1	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5
December	-1.6	2.6	-2.6	-0.6	2.1	13.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
2021 January	-5.7	-11.0	7.7	0.9	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.2	0.0	0.0	-4.1
February March	-3.6 0.4	4.3 8.8	7.7 7.7	1.3 1.4	-0.8 -0.7	-3.1 -3.1	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	1.0 1.0	-3.2 -3.2	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.4 2.5
April	-2.6	-5.2	7.7	3.3	-0.9	-3.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.2	0.0	0.0	-1.3
May	-2.7	-4.7	7.7	2.5	-1.0	-3.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.0	-1.4	4.5	-1.5
June	-1.5	-1.6	8.5	1.7	-1.1	-3.1	-0.1	0.0	1.0	-3.0	-1.6	4.5	-0.5
July	-0.5	1.0	8.5	3.7	5.2	-3.1	-0.2	0.0	0.8	-3.0	-1.2	4.5	0.9
August September	0.9 0.4	4.0 3.6	7.8 7.8	3.4 5.4	5.0 5.0	-3.1 -3.1	0.7 0.7	0.0 0.0	0.5 0.2	-3.0 -3.0	-0.7 -0.7	4.5 4.5	1.8 2.2
Copicilios	V.T	0.0	1.0	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	V-L	0.0	V.1	7.0	

Table 3.1: Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index of Other Items by Group (2017=100.0), Weighted Average 4 Towns

	·						1	T				T	
	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	I - I				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
Percentag	ige Change in the (CPI by Group											
	(c) 3 months mov	ing average on same p	eriod a year a	go									
2019 August	-2.0	8.8	-0.6	8.4	-0.6	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.2	4.7	-1.3	0.0	3.3
September	-1.2	8.1	-0.4	7.7	-0.9	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.1	4.6	-0.7	0.0	3.3
October	-0.9	8.3	-0.3	7.7	-1.3	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	4.6	0.0	0.0	3.5
November	0.9	9.3	-0.3	7.0	-1.6	0.0	1.4	0.0	-0.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	4.0
December	1.5	10.7	-0.3	7.1	-1.7	0.0	1.3	0.0	-0.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	4.5
2020 January	2.4	23.1	-0.8	4.8	-1.2	4.4	1.1	0.0	-0.1	3.0	0.0	0.0	6.5
February	2.0	36.4	-1.4	3.7	-0.1	8.7	0.8	0.0	-0.2	1.4	0.0	0.0	8.6
March	2.2	48.4	-2.1	1.2	1.0	13.1	0.6	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.3
April	3.2	48.7	-2.2	1.4	2.0	13.1	0.4	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.6
May	5.2	47.4	-2.4	0.1	2.2	13.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	10.6
June	6.9	38.0	-2.5	0.6	2.3	13.1	0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	9.3
July	5.0	25.9	-2.6	-0.3	2.0	13.1	0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	6.3
August	2.7	13.5	-2.6	-0.1	1.9	13.1	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3
September	0.8	9.5	-2.6	-0.7	1.9	13.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
October	0.4	6.3	-2.6	-0.5	2.1	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3
November	-0.3	6.6	-2.6	-0.9	2.1	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
December	-0.9	4.7	-2.6	-0.8	2.1	13.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
2021 January	-2.8	-0.8	0.7	-0.3	1.2	8.4	0.0	0.0	0.9	-1.1	0.0	0.0	-0.9
February	-3.6	-1.7	4.2	0.5	0.3	2.9	0.0	0.0	1.0	-2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.2
March	-2.9	0.7	7.7	1.2	-0.7	-2.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.2	0.0	0.0	-0.4
April	-1.9	2.6	7.7	2.0	-0.8	-3.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.2	0.0	0.0	0.5
May	-1.6	-0.4	7.7	2.4	-0.9	-3.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.1	-0.5	1.5	-0.1
June	-2.3	-4.0	7.9	2.5	-1.0	-3.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-3.1	-1.0	3.0	-1.1
July	-1.6	-2.0	8.2	2.6	1.0	-3.1	-0.1	0.0	0.9	-3.0	-1.4	4.5	-0.4
August	-0.4	1.0	8.2	3.0	3.0	-3.1	0.1	0.0	0.8	-3.0	-1.2	4.5	0.7
September	0.3	2.9	8.0	4.2	5.1	-3.1	0.4	0.0	0.5	-3.0	-0.8	4.5	1.6
Consume	er Price Index - Anı	nual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	84.6	47.1	73.7	51.6	95.0	44.4	83.7	119.7	100.0	85.5	69.7	99.1	70.7
2011	88.5	54.7	76.9	62.1	104.5	44.4	85.6	84.2	100.0	89.1	80.5	99.1	76.2
2012	93.1	57.0	76.9	74.9	99.2	66.7	87.0	78.4	100.0	89.6	89.2	99.1	82.2
2013	96.4	62.7	80.4	89.8	97.2	66.7	90.6	78.4	100.0	83.9	95.1	100.0	88.7
2014	104.3	80.0	89.6	99.9	98.6	77.3	92.6	78.4	100.0	88.1	96.1	100.0	96.9
2015	97.3	81.6	110.4	101.0	99.6	89.9	93.8	100.0	100.0	94.2	96.1	100.0	96.3
2016	98.6	91.5	110.4	99.2	98.8	100.0	97.3	100.0	100.0	94.2	96.1	100.0	97.8
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018	103.7	112.5	99.8	101.9	100.6	100.0	102.8	100.0	100.0	122.7	104.6	100.0	104.8
2019	102.7	120.1	99.1	109.4	100.0	100.0	104.1	100.0	100.1	128.5	103.4	100.0	108.1
2020	105.0	149.5	96.7	109.5	101.8	113.1	104.3	100.0	100.1	128.4	103.4	100.0	114.1
	(d) Annual Percer		****										
2010	-0.5	12.4	23.6	-3.5	10.7	0.0	4.1	-11.0	0.0	11.9	7.9	0.0	1.4
2011	4.5	15.9	4.2	20.3	10.0	0.0	2.2	-29.6	0.0	4.3	15.4	0.0	7.7
2012	5.2	4.2	0.0	20.6	-5.0	50.0	1.7	-6.9	0.0	0.5	10.8	0.0	8.0
2013	3.6	10.1	4.7	20.0	-2.0	0.0	4.1	0.0	0.0	-6.3	6.6	0.9	7.9
2014	8.1	27.6	11.3	11.2	1.4	15.9	2.2	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	0.0	9.3
	V. I				1.0	16.3	1.3	27.5	0.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	-0.7
2015	-6.7	1.9	23.3	1.1		10.0	1.0	21.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
2015 2016	-6.7 1.3	1.9 12.2	23.3	1.1 -1.8			37	0.0					16
2016	1.3	12.2	0.0	-1.8	-0.9	11.2	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
2016 2017	1.3 1.4	12.2 9.3	0.0 -9.5	-1.8 0.8	-0.9 1.2	11.2 0.0	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0 6.1	0.0 4.0	0.0	2.2
2016	1.3	12.2	0.0	-1.8	-0.9	11.2			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

Table 4.0: Solomon Islands CPI and Measures of Underlying Inflation, Weighted Average 4 Towns

			Measur	cs of officer tyllig	g Inflation (Exclusi	IV. Excl. Volati
100rl	Month	Headline CPI	I Food Wolekile	II. Excl. Volatile	III. Excl. Volatile,	
i Cai /	WIGHTH	Headillie Ci i	I. Excl. Volatile	Items & Price	Price Control &	Price Contro
			Items	Control	Excise	Excise & Othe
						Selected Iten
2019	August	105.1	100.7	100.8	101.4	98.9
	September	105.5	100.9	101.0	101.6	98.9
	October	106.6	101.7	101.8	102.6	100.0
	November	106.9	101.8	101.9	102.7	100.2
	December	106.9	101.9	102.0	102.8	100.5
2020	January	112.4	102.0	102.1	102.9	100.8
	February March	112.7	101.9	102.1	102.8	100.8
	April	112.7 112.2	102.1 101.9	102.3	103.1 102.8	100.7
				102.1		100.5
	May June	111.1 107.2	101.6 101.6	101.7 101.7	102.4 102.3	100.6 100.3
	July	107.2	101.3	101.7	101.9	100.5
	August	105.1	101.5	101.4	101.9	100.3
	September	105.4	101.3	101.5	101.9	100.1
	October	105.2	101.5	101.6	102.1	100.1
	November	105.4	100.5	100.6	100.8	98.2
	December	104.2	100.6	100.7	100.9	98.1
2021	January	106.7	100.9	100.9	101.3	98.7
2021						
	February	110.6	100.6	100.7	101.1	97.9
	March	112.4	100.9	101.0	101.4	98.3
	April	109.8	101.1	101.2	101.7	98.6
	May	109.2	100.8	100.8	101.3	98.8
	June	106.6	100.8	100.8	101.2	99.0
	July	106.1	101.1	101.2	101.4	98.9
				101.2 101.6		
	August	106.5	101.4		101.7	99.0
	September	107.3	101.8	101.9	102.1	99.2
Per	rcentage change	e, on the same month a	year ago			
	J					
2019	August	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.3	-0.3
	September	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.6	-0.5
	October	2.8	2.2	2.4	2.8	8.0
	November	2.8	2.0	2.1	2.6	8.0
	December	2.7	2.0	2.1	2.5	1.1
2020	January	7.6	8.0	0.8	1.0	1.4
	February	8.6	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.7
	March	7.2	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.6
	April	7.7	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6
	May	6.6	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.8
	June	2.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.5
	July	8.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.5
	August	0.0	0.8	8.0	0.7	1.3
	September	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.3	1.2
	October	-1.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.5	0.0
	November	-1.5	-1.3	-1.4	-1.9	-2.0
	December	-2.5	-1.3	-1.4	-1.8	-2.4
2021	January	-5.1	-1.1	-1.3	-1.6	-2.1
	February	-1.9	-1.3	-1.4	-1.7	-2.9
	March	-0.3	-1.2	-1.3	-1.6	-2.4
	April	-2.1	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.9
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	May	-1.7	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.8
	June	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.3
	July	0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.6	-1.6
	August	1.3	-0.1	0.0	-0.4	-1.2
	September	1.8	0.5	0.4	0.2	-0.9
		1.0			0.2	
Per	centage change				0.2	
		, 3 months moving ave	rage on the same pe	riod a year ago		
	August	, 3 months moving ave	rage on the same pe	riod a year ago 1.5	1.8	-0.7
	August September	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5	riod a year ago 1.5 1.7	1.8 1.8	-0.7 -0.5
	August September October	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9	riod a year ago 1.5 1.7 2.1	1.8 1.8 2.2	-0.7 -0.5 0.0
	August September October November	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9	riod a year ago 1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4
2019	August September October November December	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9
2019	August September October November December January	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9
2019	August September October November December January February	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5	riod a year ago 1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1
2019	August September October November December January February March	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4
2019	August September October November December January February March April	, 3 months moving ave	rage on the same pe 1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6
2019	August September October November December January February March April May	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.8	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.8 7.2 5.7	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8 0.8	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.1
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.8 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November	, 3 months moving ave 1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0	1.3 1.5 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4 -0.9	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4 -0.4	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7 -1.4	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8 -0.3 -1.5
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December January	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0 -1.8 -3.1	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4 -0.9	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4 -0.4 -1.0 -1.3	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7 -1.4 -1.8	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8 -0.3 -1.5
2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December January February	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0 -1.8 -3.1	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4 -0.9 -1.2	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4 -0.4 -1.0 -1.3	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7 -1.4 -1.8 -1.7	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8 -0.3 -1.5 -2.2
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2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December January February	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0 -1.8 -3.1	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4 -0.9 -1.2	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4 -0.4 -1.0 -1.3	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7 -1.4 -1.8 -1.7	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8 -0.3 -1.5 -2.2
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2019	August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December January February March April May June July August September October November December January February March April May June	1.7 1.8 2.1 2.4 2.8 4.4 6.3 7.8 7.2 5.7 3.4 1.2 0.2 -0.5 -1.0 -1.8 -3.1 -3.2 -2.4 -1.4 -1.4 -1.5	1.3 1.5 1.9 1.9 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.0 1.1 0.9 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.3 -0.4 -0.9 -1.2 -1.2 -1.1 -0.9 -0.8	1.5 1.7 2.1 2.1 2.2 1.7 1.6 1.1 1.2 1.0 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.6 0.4 -0.4 -1.0 -1.3 -1.3 -1.3 -1.2 -1.0 -0.9	1.8 1.8 2.2 2.3 2.6 2.0 1.8 1.2 1.4 1.1 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.5 0.2 -0.7 -1.4 -1.8 -1.7 -1.6 -1.5 -1.3 -1.1	-0.7 -0.5 0.0 0.4 0.9 1.1 1.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.3 0.8 -0.3 -1.5 -2.2 -2.4 -2.4 -2.4 -2.0 -1.7
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Table 5.0: Honiara Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

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	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
2019 August	101.2	119.1	100.4	112.3	96.5	100.0	104.1	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	105.9
September	100.9	123.6	100.4	112.5	96.7	100.0	103.4	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	106.3
October	102.2	124.8	100.4	113.2	96.7	100.0	103.5	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	107.0
November	102.5	126.2	100.4	113.8	96.7	100.0	103.9	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	107.5
December	101.7	127.7	100.4	114.4	96.7	100.0	104.0	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	107.5
2020 January	103.1	176.0	100.0	115.8	97.2	109.6	104.2	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	114.2
February	103.7	177.0	100.0	114.4	97.4	109.6	104.2	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	114.3
March	104.7	175.7	100.0	114.5	97.3	109.6	102.4	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	114.1
April	104.9	175.8	100.0	113.5	97.3	109.6	99.0	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	113.4
May	105.2	173.0	100.0	111.0	96.7	109.6	96.0	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	112.2
June	104.2	140.1	100.0	110.9	96.6	109.6	94.6	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	107.6
July	103.6	129.0	100.0	110.4	96.7	109.6	95.6	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	106.1
August	101.9	126.9	100.0	111.7	96.8	109.6	94.6	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	105.3
September	101.7	131.5	100.0	111.2	96.8	109.6	94.3	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	105.7
October	101.5	128.4	100.0	112.2	96.8	109.6	95.6	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	105.6
November	98.5	140.8	100.0	111.7	96.2	109.6	95.2	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	106.0
December	97.2	132.2	100.0	111.7	96.2	109.6	95.2	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	104.5
2021 January	96.3	154.4	101.0	116.0	92.5	109.6	96.8	100.0	100.7	124.9	104.0	98.9	107.8
February	97.3	185.1	103.1	113.5	91.6	107.1	98.0	100.0	99.7	124.9	104.0	97.9	111.6
March	100.8	192.2	103.1	115.7	91.8	107.1	96.8	100.0	99.7	124.9	104.0	97.9	113.8
April	99.3	166.2	102.2	118.2	91.8	107.1	99.5	100.0	99.7	124.9	104.0	97.9	111.1
May	99.1	166.4	102.3	116.1	92.1	107.1	99.3	100.0	99.7	124.9	102.7	108.5	110.8
June	99.3	140.9	102.1	115.5	92.1	107.5	99.7	100.0	101.6	124.9	102.7	102.7	107.6
July	99.0	133.8	101.5	116.0	93.2	107.5	100.6	100.0	101.2	124.9	103.3	102.7	106.9
August	98.4	135.3	100.5	117.5	94.4	113.2	101.5	100.0	99.7	124.9	103.8	102.7	107.3
September	97.9	139.7	100.5	118.7	94.2	107.5	102.0	100.0	99.7	124.9	103.8	102.7	108.0
Percentage	e Change in the C	PI by Group											
	(a) on the previou	us month											
2019 August	-1.0	1.4	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
September	-0.3	3.8	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
October	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
November	0.3	1.1	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
December	-0.8	1.2	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2020 January	1.4	37.8	-0.4	1.2	0.5	9.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2
February	0.6	0.6	0.0	-1.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
March	1.0	-0.7	0.0	0.1	-0.1	0.0	-1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
April	0.2	0.1	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	-3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6
May	0.3	-1.6	0.0	-2.2	-0.6	0.0	-3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.1
June	-1.0	-19.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-4.1
July	-0.6	-7.9	0.0	-0.5	0.1	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.4
August	-1.6	-1.6	0.0	1.2	0.1	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8
September	-0.2	3.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
October	-0.2	-2.4	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
November	-3.0	9.7	0.0	-0.4	-0.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
December	-1.3	-6.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.4
2021 January	-0.9	16.8	1.0	3.8	-3.8	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.7	-3.1	0.0	0.0	3.2
February	1.0	19.9	2.1	-2.2	-1.0	-2.3	1.2	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	-1.0	3.5
March	3.6	3.8	0.0	1.9	0.2	0.0	-1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
April	-1.5	-13.5	-0.9	2.2	0.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.4
May	-0.2	0.1	0.1	-1.8	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.3	10.8	-0.3
June	0.2	-15.3	-0.2	-0.5	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	1.3	-2.8
July	-0.3	-5.0	-0.6	0.4	1.2	0.0	0.9	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.6	0.0	-0.7
August	-0.6	1.1	-1.0	1.3	1.3	0.0	0.9	0.0	-1.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.4
September	-0.5	3.3	0.0	1.0	-0.2	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
	(b) on the same i	month a year ago											
2019 August	-2.0	8.2	0.3	12.5	-1.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.6
September	-1.4	8.4	0.3	8.0	-1.1	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.1
October	1.9	7.5	0.3	9.0	-0.3	0.0	-2.1	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.9
November	2.3	8.1	0.3	8.5	-0.7	0.0	-2.7	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	3.0
December	1.5	9.8	0.3	8.7	-0.7	0.0	-2.7	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	3.0
2020 January	2.8	50.3	-0.1	4.8	0.0	9.6	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.9
February	1.5	53.6	-0.4	7.3	0.5	9.6	4.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8
March	1.7	52.1	-0.4	1.5	0.3	9.6	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.9
April	4.3	51.6	-0.4	3.0	0.8	9.6	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.2
May	5.2	49.1	-0.4	-0.7	0.2	9.6	-7.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9
June	4.3	19.7	-0.4	0.1	0.0	9.6	-9.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4
July	1.4	9.8	-0.4	-0.8	0.2	9.6	-7.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
August	0.7	6.5	-0.4	-0.5	0.3	9.6	-9.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6
September	0.8	6.4	-0.4	-1.2	0.1	9.6	-8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6
October	-0.7	2.9	-0.4	-0.9	0.1	9.6	-7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.3
November	-3.9	11.6	-0.4	-1.8	-0.5	9.6	-8.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.4
December	-4.4	3.5	-0.4	-2.4	-0.5	9.6	-8.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.8
2021 January	-6.6	-12.3	1.0	0.2	-4.8	0.0	-7.1	0.0	0.7	-3.1	0.0	0.0	-5.6
February	-6.2	4.6	3.1	-0.8	-6.0	-2.3	-6.0	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	0.0	-1.0	-2.4
March	-3.7	9.4	3.1	1.0	-5.7	-2.3	-5.5	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	0.0	-1.0	-0.3
April	-5.3	-5.5	2.2	4.1	-5.7	-2.3	0.5	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	0.0	-1.0	-2.0
May	-5.8	-3.8	2.3	4.6	-4.8	-2.3	3.4	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	-1.3	9.7	-1.2
June	-4.7	0.6	2.1	4.1	-4.7	-1.9	5.4	0.0	1.6	-3.1	-1.3	3.8	0.0
July	-4.4	3.7	1.5	5.1	-3.6	-1.9	5.2	0.0	1.2	-3.1	-0.7	3.8	0.8
August	-3.4	6.6	0.5	5.2	-2.5	3.3	7.3	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	-0.2	3.8	1.9
September	-3.7	6.2	0.5	6.7	-2.7	-1.9	8.2	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	-0.2	3.8	2.2

Table 5.1: Honiara Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
ear/ Month		beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
Percentage	e Change in the Cl	PI by Group											
		ving average on same											
2019 August	-1.5	9.4	0.3	10.8	-2.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	5.1	-1.0	0.0	2.5
September	-1.2	8.9	0.3	10.1	-1.9	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	5.1	-0.5	0.0	2.4
October	-0.5	8.0	0.3	9.8	-0.9	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.5
November	0.9	8.0	0.3	8.5	-0.7	0.0	-1.8	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.7
December	1.9	8.5	0.3	8.8	-0.6	0.0	-2.5	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	3.0
2020 January	2.2	22.8	0.2	7.4	-0.5	3.2	-1.5	0.0	0.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	5.0
February	1.9	37.9	-0.1	6.9	-0.1	6.4	0.7	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	7.2
March	2.0	52.0	-0.3	4.5	0.3	9.6	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.9
April	2.5	52.4	-0.4	3.9	0.6	9.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.6
May	3.7	50.9	-0.4	1.3	0.4	9.6	-3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7
June	4.6	40.1	-0.4	0.8	0.3	9.6	-7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8
July	3.6	26.1	-0.4	-0.5	0.1	9.6	-8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2
August	2.1	12.0	-0.4	-0.4	0.2	9.6	-8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
September	1.0	7.6	-0.4	-0.8	0.2	9.6	-8.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3
October	0.3	5.3	-0.4	-0.9	0.2	9.6	-8.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8
November	-1.3	7.0	-0.4	-1.3	-0.1	9.6	-8.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.1
December	-3.0	6.0	-0.4	-1.7	-0.3	9.6	-8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.8
2021 January	-5.0	-0.6	0.1	-1.3	-2.0	6.2	-8.0	0.0	0.2	-1.0	0.0	0.0	-3.3
February	-5.7	-1.9	1.2	-1.0	-3.8	2.2	-7.2	0.0	0.1	-2.1	0.0	-0.3	-3.6
March April	-5.5 -5.1	0.6 2.8	2.4 2.8	0.1 1.5	-5.5 -5.8	-1.5 -2.3	-6.2 -3.7	0.0 0.0	0.0 -0.3	-3.1 -3.1	0.0 0.0	-0.7 -1.0	-2.7 -1.6
May	-5.0	0.1	2.5	3.2	-5.4	-2.3	-0.6	0.0	-0.3	-3.1	-0.4	2.6	-1.2
June	-5.3	-3.1	2.2	4.3	-5.0	-2.2	3.1	0.0	0.3	-3.1	-0.8	1.8	-1.1
July	-5.0	-0.2	2.0	4.6	-4.3	-2.0	4.7	0.0	0.8	-3.1	-1.1	3.4	-0.2
August	-4.2	3.5	1.4	4.8	-3.6	-0.2	6.0	0.0	0.8	-3.1	-0.7	3.8	0.9
September	-3.9	5.5	0.8	5.7	-2.9	-1.9	6.9	0.0	0.2	-3.1	-0.4	3.8	1.6
Consumer	Price Index - Annu	ual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	90.1	49.1	82.3	57.2	93.6	56.5	90.3	119.7	81.1	85.5	69.7	99.5	79.0
2011	94.0	56.4	83.3	68.5	98.0	55.9	98.0	84.2	83.0	89.1	80.5	103.2	84.8
2012	97.9	58.7	83.9	79.8	102.3	71.9	98.0	78.4	87.5	89.6	89.2	108.6	89.8
2013	100.3	64.3	92.1	92.7	100.8	78.0	100.0	78.4	87.5	83.9	95.1	111.3	94.6
2014	103.5	80.9	95.9	101.0	101.8	84.9	101.2	78.4	87.5	88.1	96.1	114.9	99.6
2015	100.4	82.3	104.6	100.7	103.2	93.2	97.3	100.0	96.1	94.2	96.1	116.9	99.0
2016	100.9	91.9	103.9	99.2	102.6	100.0	97.3	100.0	99.6	94.2	96.1	110.7	99.5
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018	101.9	112.2	100.2	102.5	98.7	100.0	104.3	100.0	100.0	122.7	104.9	99.0	103.6
2019 / r	101.4	119.6	100.4	111.7	96.7	100.0	103.2	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	105.8
2020	102.5	150.5	100.0	112.4	96.8	109.6	97.6	100.0	100.0	128.9	104.0	98.9	109.1
	(d) Annual Perce	ntage Change											
2010	-2.9	11.8	8.7	-0.9	3.8	1.1	7.2	-11.0	1.0	11.9	7.9	5.5	0.9
2011	4.4	14.8	1.2	19.7	4.7	-1.1	8.5	-29.6	2.4	4.3	15.4	3.7	7.4
2012	4.1	4.0	0.7	16.5	4.4	28.5	0.0	-6.9	5.4	0.5	10.8	5.2	5.9
2013	2.4	9.5	9.8	16.1	-1.4	8.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	-6.3	6.6	2.5	5.3
2014	3.2	25.8	4.1	9.0	1.0	8.8	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	3.3	5.3
2015	-3.0	1.8	9.1	-0.3	1.4	9.8	-3.9	27.5	9.8	7.0	0.0	1.7	-0.6
2016	0.5	11.6	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	-5.3	0.5
2017	-0.9	8.9	-3.7	0.8	-2.6	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.4	6.1	4.0	-9.7	0.5
2018	1.9	12.2	0.2	2.5	-1.3	0.0	4.3	0.0	0.0	22.7	4.9	-1.0	3.6
2019	-0.5	6.6	0.2	8.9	-2.0	0.0	-1.1	0.0	0.0	5.1	-0.9	-0.1	2.1
2020	1.1	25.8	-0.4	0.7	0.1	9.6	-5.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.1

Table 6.0: Auki Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

Year/ Month	Food & Non-Alcoholic	Alcoholic beverages, tobacco	Clothing &	Housing, water, electricity, gas	Furnishings, household equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation &	Education	Restaurants &	Miscellaneous goods &	All Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance		·		culture		hotels	services	
2019 August	105.9	115.3	98.8	116.9	98.7	70.2	113.0	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	109.4
September	105.9	116.5	98.8	116.9	98.7	70.2	113.0	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	109.5
October November	105.9 107.6	117.0 117.0	98.8 98.8	118.5 119.0	98.7 98.7	70.2 70.2	113.0 113.0	100.0 100.0	113.4 113.4	123.7 123.7	105.5 105.5	115.8 115.8	109.9 110.6
December	107.0	117.0	98.8	118.2	98.7	70.2	113.0	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	110.0
2020 January	108.2	117.0	98.8	116.8	98.8	70.2	113.1	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	110.5
February	108.7	117.0	98.8	119.4	98.9	70.2	113.1	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	111.2
March	112.0	117.0	98.8	122.4	99.1	70.2	111.8	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	115.8	112.9
April	115.5	117.0	101.6	121.2	99.4	70.2	109.2	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	123.1	114.0
May	112.6	113.0	101.6	122.8	99.5	72.8	109.2	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.0	112.8
June	110.6	117.1	101.6	124.1	99.4	72.8	109.2	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.7
July August	110.6 110.6	117.1 117.1	101.6 101.6	119.4 122.4	99.4 99.4	72.8 72.8	108.6 108.6	100.0 100.0	113.4 113.4	123.7 123.7	105.5 105.5	131.8 131.8	111.8 112.3
September	110.6	117.1	101.6	121.4	99.4	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.1
October	107.7	117.0	101.6	123.0	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	111.2
November	108.2	117.0	101.6	122.3	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	111.3
December	108.8	117.4	101.6	124.4	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.0
2021 January	109.7	117.8	101.6	125.5	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.5
February	110.6	118.2	101.6	125.4	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	113.0
March	110.6	118.7	101.6	126.8	99.2	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	113.2
April May	110.5 109.5	118.7 118.7	101.6 101.6	128.2 122.6	99.2 99.2	72.8 72.8	108.6 108.6	100.0 100.0	113.4 113.4	123.7 123.7	105.5 105.5	131.8 131.8	113.5 112.1
June	112.1	114.1	101.0	121.7	99.3	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.4
July	110.8	110.3	101.2	123.3	99.3	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	111.8
August	110.8	110.3	101.2	124.1	99.3	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	111.9
September	110.8	110.3	101.2	126.1	99.3	72.8	108.6	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	131.8	112.3
Percentag	e Change in the C	PI by Group											
2019 August	(a) on the previou 3.1	us month 0.2	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
September	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
October	0.0	0.4	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
November	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
December	0.5	0.0	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
2020 January	0.1	0.0	0.0	-1.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
February	0.5	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
March April	3.0 3.1	0.0 0.0	0.0 2.8	2.5 -1.0	0.2 0.3	0.0	-1.1 -2.3	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 6.3	1.5 1.0
May	-2.5	-3.4	0.0	1.3	0.1	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	-1.1
June	-1.8	3.6	0.0	1.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	-0.1
July	0.0	0.0	0.0	-3.8	0.0	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8
August	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
October	-2.6	-0.1	0.0	1.3	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8
November December	0.5 0.6	0.0 0.3	0.0	-0.6 1.7	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.1 0.6
2021 January	0.8	0.3	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
February	0.8	0.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
March	0.0	0.4	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
April	-0.1	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
May	-0.9	0.0	0.0	-4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.2
June	2.4	-3.9	-0.4	-0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
July	-1.2	-3.3	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.5
August	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
2019 August	(b) on the same in 2.2	month a year ago 0.1	-1.3	10.6	0.6	-29.8	8.2	0.0	13.4	0.8	0.0	17.1	4.1
September	2.3	1.1	-1.3	4.2	-1.1	-29.8	8.1	0.0	13.4	0.8	0.0	17.1	3.0
October	2.3	1.6	-1.3	6.6	-1.5	-29.8	7.0	0.0	13.4	-1.1	0.0	17.1	3.4
November	3.9	1.6	-1.3	6.1	-2.8	-29.8	6.3	0.0	13.4	0.8	0.0	17.1	3.8
December	4.3	1.6	-1.3	4.4	-2.0	-29.8	8.4	0.0	13.4	0.8	0.0	17.1	3.9
2020 January	7.2 5.6	9.7	0.3	4.3	-1.8 1.2	0.0	1.3	0.0	1.7	-0.9	0.0	10.6	4.9
February March	5.6 11.6	2.3 2.3	0.0	13.5 7.3	-1.2 0.9	0.0	2.4 0.6	0.0 0.0	1.7 1.7	0.0	0.0 0.0	10.6 0.0	5.3 6.2
April	14.7	2.3	2.8	7.3 8.4	1.8	0.0	-2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	7.4
May	13.4	-1.2	2.8	9.9	4.5	3.7	-3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.1	6.9
June	11.8	1.9	2.8	11.3	0.7	3.7	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	6.7
July	7.7	1.7	2.8	3.9	0.7	3.7	-4.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	3.8
August	4.4	1.6	2.8	4.7	0.7	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	2.7
September	4.4	0.5	2.8	3.8	0.7	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	2.4
October	1.7	0.0	2.8	3.8	0.5	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.2
November December	0.6 0.6	0.0 0.3	2.8 2.8	2.8 5.2	0.5 0.5	3.7 3.7	-3.9 -3.9	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0	0.0 0.0	13.8 13.8	0.6 1.2
2021 January	0.6 1.4	0.3 0.7	2.8 2.8	5.∠ 7.4	0.5 0.4	3.7 3.7	-3.9 -4.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	13.8	1.8
February	1.4	1.0	2.8	5.0	0.4	3.7	-4.0 -4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.6
March	-1.3	1.5	2.8	3.6	0.1	3.7	-2.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	0.3
April	-4.3	1.5	0.0	5.8	-0.2	3.7	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	-0.4
May	-0.9	0.0	0.0	-4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.2
June	1.4	-2.6	-0.4	-1.9	-0.1	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3
July	0.2	-5.8	-0.4	3.3	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
July	0.2	-5.8	-0.4	3.3	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
August	0.2	-5.8	-0.4	1.4	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.4
September	0.2	-5.8	-0.4	3.9	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2

Table 6.1: Auki Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
rear/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
Percentag	e Change in the Cl												
2040 August		ving average on same			0.5	00.0	0.4	0.0	40.4	0.0	0.0	47.4	2.4
2019 August September	-0.6 1.2	5.4 3.1	-1.3 -1.3	10.0 7.7	-0.5 -0.5	-29.8 -29.8	8.1 8.1	0.0	13.4 13.4	0.8 0.8	0.0 0.0	17.1 17.1	3.4 3.5
October	2.3	0.9	-1.3 -1.3	7.0	-0.5	-29.8	7.8	0.0	13.4	0.0	0.0	17.1	3.5
November	2.8	1.4	-1.3	5.6	-1.8	-29.8	7.1	0.0	13.4	0.2	0.0	17.1	3.4
December	3.5	1.6	-1.3	5.7	-2.1	-29.8	7.2	0.0	13.4	0.2	0.0	17.1	3.7
2020 January	5.1	4.1	-0.8	4.9	-2.2	-22.1	5.2	0.0	9.2	0.2	0.0	14.8	4.2
February	5.7	4.4	-0.3	7.3	-1.7	-12.4	3.9	0.0	5.3	0.0	0.0	12.7	4.7
March	8.1	4.6	0.1	8.2	-0.7	0.0	1.4	0.0	1.7	-0.3	0.0	6.8	5.5
April	10.6	2.3	0.9	9.6	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	5.5	6.3
May	13.2	1.1	1.9	8.5	2.4	1.2	-1.8	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.9
June	13.3	1.0	2.8	9.9	2.3	2.5	-3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.1	7.0
July	10.9	0.8	2.8	8.3	1.9	3.7	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.6	5.8
August	7.9	1.7	2.8	6.6	0.7	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	4.4
September	5.5	1.3	2.8	4.2	0.7	3.7	-4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	2.9
October	3.5	0.7	2.8	4.1	0.6	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	2.1
November	2.2	0.2	2.8	3.5	0.6	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.4
December	1.0	0.1	2.8	3.9	0.5	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.0
2021 January	0.9	0.3	2.8	5.1	0.5	3.7	-3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.2
February	1.3	0.7	2.8	5.9	0.4	3.7	-4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.5
March	0.6	1.1	2.8	5.3	0.3	3.7	-3.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.2
April	-1.3	1.3	1.9	4.8	0.1	3.7	-2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.5	0.5
May	-2.8	2.6	0.9	3.1	-0.1	2.4	-1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9	-0.3
June	-1.9	1.3	-0.1	1.2	-0.2	1.2	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	-0.4
July	-0.4	-1.2	-0.3	0.4	-0.2	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	-0.3
August	0.6	-4.7	-0.4	0.9	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
September	0.2	-5.8	-0.4	2.8	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
Auki Cons	umer Price Index -	- Annual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	90.1	49.1	82.3	57.2	93.6	56.5	90.3	119.7	81.1	85.5	69.7	99.5	79.0
2011	94.0	56.4	83.3	68.5	98.0	55.9	98.0	84.2	83.0	89.1	80.5	103.2	84.8
2012	97.9	58.7	83.9	79.8	102.3	71.9	98.0	78.4	87.5	89.6	89.2	108.6	89.8
2013	100.3	64.3	92.1	92.7	100.8	78.0	100.0	78.4	87.5	83.9	95.1	111.3	94.6
2014	103.5	80.9	95.9	101.0	101.8	84.9	101.2	78.4	87.5	88.1	96.1	114.9	99.6
2015	100.4	82.3	104.6	100.7	103.2	93.2	97.3	100.0	96.1	94.2	96.1	116.9	99.0
2016	100.9	91.9	103.9	99.2	102.6	100.0	97.3	100.0	99.6	94.2	96.1	110.7	99.5
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018 2019	103.0 103.3	112.4 114.8	100.2 98.8	106.0 114.2	99.8 98.6	100.0 70.2	104.1 112.5	100.0 100.0	100.0 112.9	122.9 123.8	105.5 105.5	99.0 114.0	104.6 107.7
2020	110.3	114.6	100.9	121.6	90.0	71.9	109.8	100.0	113.4	123.7	105.5	127.0	112.1
	(d) Annual Perce		100.0	121.0	UU.L	I IIV	100.0	100.0	i IV.T	120.1	100.0	121.0	114.1
2010	-2.9	11.8	8.7	-0.9	3.8	1.1	7.2	-11.0	1.0	11.9	7.9	5.5	0.9
2011	4.4	14.8	1.2	19.7	4.7	-1.1	8.5	-29.6	2.4	4.3	15.4	3.7	7.4
2012	4.1	4.0	0.7	16.5	4.4	28.5	0.0	-6.9	5.4	0.5	10.8	5.2	5.9
2013	2.4	9.5	9.8	16.1	-1.4	8.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	-6.3	6.6	2.5	5.3
2014	3.2	25.8	4.1	9.0	1.0	8.8	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	3.3	5.3
2015	-3.0	1.8	9.1	-0.3	1.4	9.8	-3.9	27.5	9.8	7.0	0.0	1.7	-0.6
2016	0.5	11.6	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	-5.3	0.5
2017	-0.9	8.9	-3.7	0.8	-2.6	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.4	6.1	4.0	-9.7	0.5
2018	3.0	12.4	0.2	6.0	-0.2	0.0	4.1	0.0	0.0	22.9	5.5	-1.0	4.6
2019	0.3	2.1	-1.4	7.8	-1.2	-29.8	8.1	0.0	12.9	0.7	0.0	15.1	3.0
2020	6.9	1.7	2.2	6.5	0.7	2.5	-2.4	0.0	0.4	-0.1	0.0	11.5	4.1

Table 7.0: Gizo Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

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		Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Y	ear/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
		Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	ĺ
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2019	August	102.8	107.8	101.5	103.4	102.1	100.0	108.0	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.7	104.4
	September	105.2	107.8	101.5	103.4	102.1	100.0	108.0	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.7	105.4
	October	100.8	107.8	101.5	104.4	102.1	100.0	108.0	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.7	103.6
	November	101.5	107.8	101.4	104.8	102.1	100.0	108.0	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.7	104.0
	December	101.8	107.8	100.2	104.2	102.1	100.0	108.0	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.1	104.0
2020	January	101.9	107.8	100.2	103.3	102.1	100.0	108.3	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.1	103.9
2020	-			99.9										
	February	101.5	107.8		103.9	101.7	100.0	108.3	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.1	103.8
	March	102.2	107.8	100.1	105.9	102.0	100.0	108.3	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.1	104.4
	April	104.4	107.8	98.2	104.6	102.0	100.0	107.7	100.0	107.2	125.0	105.0	105.1	105.1
	May	107.4	107.8	98.2	103.0	102.5	100.0	106.6	100.0	106.0	125.0	105.0	105.5	106.0
	June	107.0	107.8	99.2	102.9	101.5	100.0	106.6	100.0	105.0	125.0	105.0	105.6	105.8
	July	107.0	107.8	98.2	102.9	101.5	100.0	106.6	100.0	105.0	125.0	105.0	105.6	105.8
		107.0	107.8	98.8	105.2	101.5	100.0	106.6	100.0	105.0	125.0	105.0	105.6	106.1
	August													
	September	105.9	107.8	98.9	104.3	101.3	100.0	106.6	100.0	105.9	125.0	105.0	105.6	105.5
	October	104.9	107.8	99.0	105.7	101.2	100.0	106.6	100.0	107.0	125.0	105.0	105.6	105.3
	November	101.9	108.0	97.5	105.2	101.1	100.0	106.6	100.0	108.2	125.0	105.0	105.8	103.9
	December	103.5	108.0	98.4	106.8	101.2	100.0	106.6	100.0	109.7	125.0	105.0	105.7	104.9
2021	January	96.4	108.0	97.9	107.8	101.7	100.0	106.7	100.0	109.7	126.9	105.0	105.2	101.9
	-			98.8							126.9			
	February	107.8	108.0		106.9	101.7	100.0	106.7	100.0	109.7		105.0	105.2	106.9
	March	108.9	109.4	100.3	106.9	101.7	100.0	106.7	100.0	109.7	126.9	105.0	105.2	107.5
	April	112.9	99.8	98.4	107.3	101.5	100.0	106.7	100.0	109.7	126.9	105.0	105.2	108.3
	May	113.5	109.4	98.9	103.0	101.7	100.0	106.7	100.0	109.7	130.7	98.7	105.5	109.0
	June	109.8	114.2	98.7	102.3	101.4	100.0	105.0	100.0	109.7	130.7	93.2	105.2	107.4
	July	114.0	123.6	98.8	103.7	101.5	100.0	103.3	100.0	109.4	130.7	98.7	105.2	110.1
		114.6	125.1	98.7	113.5	101.5	100.0	103.3	100.0	109.4	130.7	98.7	105.2	111.9
	August													
	September	118.2	128.6	98.7	117.6	101.3	100.0	103.3	100.0	109.4	130.7	98.7	105.7	114.3
	Dorconto C'	ango in the OD!	v Group											
	Percentage Ch	ange in the CPI by												
		(a) on the previou												
2019	August	1.4	-1.1	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
	September	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	October	-4.2	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.7
	November	0.7	0.0	-0.1	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
	December	0.3	0.0	-1.2	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6	0.0
2000														
2020	January	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
	February	-0.4	0.0	-0.3	0.6	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
	March	0.7	0.0	0.2	1.9	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
	April	2.2	0.0	-1.9	-1.2	0.0	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
	May	2.9	0.0	0.0	-1.5	0.5	0.0	-1.0	0.0	-1.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.9
	June	-0.4	0.0	1.0	-0.1	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.2
	July	0.0	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	August	0.0	0.0	0.6	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
	September	-1.0	0.0	0.1	-0.9	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6
	October	-0.9	0.0	0.1	1.3	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
	November	-2.9	0.2	-1.5	-0.5	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	-1.3
	December	1.6	0.0	0.9	1.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.0
	January	-6.9	0.0	-0.5	0.9	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	-0.5	-2.9
2021	-													
	February	11.8	0.0	0.9	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9
	March	1.0	1.3	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
	April	3.7	-8.8	-1.9	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
	May	0.5	0.0	0.5	-4.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	-6.0	0.3	-0.2
	-			-0.2			0.0	-1.6		0.0	0.0			
	June	-3.3	4.4		-0.7	-0.3			0.0			-5.6	-0.3	-1.5
	July	3.8	8.2	0.1	1.4	0.1	0.0	-1.6	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4
	August	0.5	1.2	-0.1	9.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.6
	September	3.1	2.8	0.0	3.6	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	2.1
		(b) on the same r												
2019	August	-0.9	-1.2	1.5	4.2	3.5	0.0	3.3	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	1.0
	September	2.1	-4.1	1.5	-1.0	2.9	0.0	3.3	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	1.2
	October	0.0	-5.6	1.5	0.4	4.2	0.0	2.7	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	0.3
	November	0.9	-5.9	1.4	-0.4	3.8	0.0	1.7	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	0.4
	December	1.3	-5.7	0.2	-1.6	3.8	0.0	1.1	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.3	0.3
າດາດ	January	1.4	-6.3	0.2	-0.8	3.8	0.0	2.3	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	0.4
2020	-													
	February	-0.4	-4.9	-0.2	5.8	4.1	0.0	2.9	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	8.0
	March	-0.5	-5.1	0.0	-0.1	4.4	0.0	2.0	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	-0.2
	April	3.7	-5.4	-1.9	2.5	5.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	1.6
	May	6.0	-2.8	-3.2	-1.8	3.4	0.0	-1.1	0.0	6.0	-1.3	0.0	6.7	2.1
	June	5.3	-2.2	-2.2	0.2	1.1	0.0	-1.6	0.0	5.0	-1.3	0.0	4.0	1.9
	July	5.5	-1.1	-3.2	-0.6	-0.6	0.0	-1.3	0.0	-1.9	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.8
	August	4.1	0.0	-2.7	1.7	-0.6	0.0	-1.3	0.0	-2.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.6
	September	0.7	0.0	-2.6	0.9	-0.8	0.0	-1.3	0.0	-1.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.1
	October	4.1	0.0	-2.5	1.2	-0.9	0.0	-1.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.6
	November	0.4	0.2	-3.8	0.4	-1.0	0.0	-1.3	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.1
	December	1.7	0.2	-1.8	2.5	-0.9	0.0	-1.3	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.9
2024	January	-5.4	0.2	-2.3	4.4	-0.4	0.0	-1.5	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.1	-1.9
2021	-													
	February	6.2	0.2	-1.1	2.9	0.0	0.0	-1.5	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.1	3.0
	March	6.6	1.5	0.2	0.9	-0.3	0.0	-1.5	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.1	3.0
	April	8.1	-7.4	0.2	2.6	-0.5	0.0	-0.9	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.1	3.0
	May	5.7	1.5	0.7	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.1	0.0	3.5	4.6	-6.0	0.0	2.8
		2.6	5.9	-0.5	-0.6	-0.1	0.0	-1.5	0.0	4.5	4.6	-11.2	-0.4	1.5
	June													
	July	6.5	14.7	0.6	8.0	0.0	0.0	-3.1	0.0	4.2	4.6	-6.0	-0.4	4.1
	August	7.1	16.0	-0.1	7.9	0.0	0.0	-3.1	0.0	4.2	4.6	-6.0	-0.5	5.5
	September	11.6	19.3	-0.2	12.8	0.0	0.0	-3.1	0.0	3.3	4.6	-6.0	0.1	8.3

Table 7.1: Gizo Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month	Non-Alcoholic	beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
Percentag	e Change in the CI												
		ving average on same											
2019 August	-1.0	1.6	1.4	2.7	2.1	0.0	3.2	0.0	4.7	2.3	-0.3	5.5	0.8
September	-0.1	-1.1	1.4	1.6	2.9	0.0	3.2	0.0	7.1	1.9	-0.2	6.9	0.9
October	0.4	-3.7	1.5	1.2	3.5	0.0	3.1	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	0.8
November	1.0	-5.2	1.5	-0.3	3.6	0.0	2.5	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.9	0.6
December	0.7	-5.7	1.0	-0.5	3.9	0.0	1.8	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.0	6.7	0.3
2020 January	1.2	-6.0	0.6	-0.9	3.8	0.0	1.7	0.0	7.2	0.8	0.0	6.5	0.4
February	0.8	-5.6	0.1	1.0	3.9	0.0	2.1	0.0	7.2	-0.3	0.0	6.3	0.5
March	0.2	-5.4	0.0	1.6	4.1	0.0	2.4	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	0.3
April	0.9	-5.1	-0.7	2.7	4.6	0.0	1.7	0.0	7.2	-1.3	0.0	6.3	0.7
May	3.1	-4.5 2.5	-1.7	0.2	4.4	0.0	0.4	0.0	6.8	-1.3	0.0	6.4	1.2
June	5.0	-3.5	-2.4	0.3	3.2	0.0	-0.8	0.0	6.1	-1.3	0.0	5.6	1.9
July	5.6	-2.0	-2.8	-0.7	1.3	0.0	-1.3	0.0	2.9	-0.9	0.0	3.5	2.0
August	5.0	-1.1	-2.7	0.5	0.0	0.0	-1.4 4.2	0.0	0.3	-0.5	0.0	1.2	1.8
September	3.4	-0.4	-2.8	0.7	-0.7	0.0	-1.3	0.0	-1.7 1.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	1.2
October November	2.9 1.7	0.0 0.1	-2.6 -3.0	1.3 0.8	-0.8 -0.9	0.0	-1.3 -1.3	0.0 0.0	-1.2 -0.2	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	-0.1	1.1 0.5
												0.0	
December 2024 January	2.0	0.1	-2.7	1.4	-0.9	0.0	-1.3	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.8
2021 January February	-1.1 0.8	0.2 0.2	-2.7 -1.7	2.4 3.2	-0.8 -0.4	0.0 0.0	-1.4 -1.4	0.0 0.0	1.9 2.3	0.5 1.0	0.0 0.0	0.3 0.3	-0.4 0.6
March	2.5	0.6	-1.1	2.7	-0.2	0.0	-1.5	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.3	1.3
April	7.0	-1.9	-0.2	2.2	-0.3	0.0	-1.3	0.0	2.3	1.5	0.0	0.1	3.0
May	6.8	1.5	0.4	1.3	-0.5	0.0	-0.8	0.0	2.7	2.5	-2.0	0.1	3.2
June	5.5	3.0	0.1	0.7	-0.5	0.0	-0.8	0.0	3.4	3.5	-5.7	-0.1	2.7
July	4.9	7.4	0.3	0.1	-0.3	0.0	-1.5	0.0	4.1	4.6	-6.0	-0.3	2.8
August	5.4	12.2	0.0	2.7 7.2	0.0	0.0	-2.6	0.0	4.3	4.6	-6.0	-0.4	3.7 6.0
September	8.4	16.7	0.1	1.2	0.0	0.0	-3.1	0.0	3.9	4.6	-6.0	-0.3	0.0
		Annual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	90.1	49.1	82.3	57.2	93.6	56.5	90.3	119.7	81.1	85.5	69.7	99.5	79.0
2011	94.0	56.4	83.3	68.5	98.0	55.9	98.0	84.2	83.0	89.1	80.5	103.2	84.8
2012	97.9	58.7	83.9	79.8	102.3	71.9	98.0	78.4	87.5	89.6	89.2	108.6	89.8
2013	100.3	64.3	92.1	92.7	100.8	78.0	100.0	78.4	87.5	83.9	95.1	111.3	94.6
2014	103.5	80.9	95.9	101.0	101.8	84.9	101.2	78.4	87.5	88.1	96.1	114.9	99.6
2015	100.4	82.3	104.6	100.7	103.2	93.2	97.3	100.0	96.1	94.2	96.1	116.9	99.0
2016	100.9	91.9	103.9	99.2	102.6	100.0	97.3	100.0	99.6	94.2	96.1	110.7	99.5
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018	102.2	111.5	100.1	102.7	99.1	100.0	104.3	100.0	100.0	122.7	105.3	99.0	103.4
2019 / r	101.9	110.4	100.9	103.5	100.2	100.0	107.4	100.0	103.6	125.9	105.0	102.5	104.0
2020	104.6 (d) Annual Perce	107.8	98.9	104.5	101.6	100.0	107.1	100.0	106.7	125.0	105.0	105.5	105.0
0040	. ,	• •	0.7	0.0	0.0	44	7.0	44.0	4.0	44.0	7.0		0.0
2010	-2.9	11.8	8.7	-0.9 40.7	3.8	1.1	7.2	-11.0	1.0	11.9	7.9	5.5	0.9
2011	4.4	14.8	1.2	19.7	4.7	-1.1	8.5	-29.6	2.4	4.3	15.4	3.7	7.4
2012	4.1	4.0	0.7	16.5	4.4	28.5	0.0	-6.9 0.0	5.4	0.5	10.8	5.2	5.9
2013	2.4	9.5	9.8	16.1	-1.4 1.0	8.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	-6.3 = 0	6.6	2.5	5.3
2014	3.2	25.8	4.1	9.0	1.0	8.8	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	3.3	5.3
2015	-3.0	1.8	9.1	-0.3	1.4	9.8	-3.9	27.5	9.8	7.0	0.0	1.7	-0.6
2016	0.5	11.6	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	-5.3 0.7	0.5
2017	-0.9	8.9	-3.7	0.8	-2.6	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.4	6.1	4.0	-9.7	0.5
2018	2.1	11.5	0.1	2.7	-0.9	0.0	4.3	0.0	0.0	22.7	5.3	-1.0	3.4
2019	-0.3	-1.0	0.7	0.8	1.1	0.0	3.0	0.0	3.6	2.6	-0.3	3.5	0.5
2020	2.7	-2.3	-2.0	1.0	1.4	0.0	-0.3	0.0	3.0	-0.7	0.0	2.9	1.1

Table 8.0: Noro Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

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		od &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Mont			beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beve	erages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
2019 August	t 11	10.1	116.8	101.4	108.8	97.6	100.0	106.4	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	108.5
Septen		11.4	117.2	101.4	109.2	97.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.0
Octobe		11.8	117.0	101.4	110.1	97.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.3
Novem		11.7	117.0	101.4	110.5	97.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.3
Decem														
		11.1	117.0	101.4	109.9	97.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.0
2020 Janua	•	09.3	117.5	102.5	111.6	97.3	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	108.5
Februa	•	12.4	117.5	102.2	110.9	95.2	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.6
March	11	14.5	117.5	99.7	111.8	95.1	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	110.5
April	11	15.3	117.5	99.7	110.7	99.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	111.0
May	11	14.0	117.5	99.7	106.6	99.5	100.0	106.6	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	110.0
June	11	13.3	119.7	99.7	107.1	99.5	100.0	105.5	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	99.7	109.9
July		13.9	119.9	101.9	105.3	103.6	100.0	105.5	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	99.7	110.2
August		14.0	120.1	100.4	107.5	103.5	100.0	105.9	100.0	103.1	126.8	105.5	99.8	110.6
Septer		11.9	120.1	100.7	106.9	103.8	100.0	104.9	100.0	103.1	126.8	105.5	103.1	109.6
Octobe		06.5	120.1	100.2	109.0	102.8	100.0	103.3	100.0	103.1	126.8	105.5	103.3	107.3
Novem		01.0	119.0	99.9	109.4	104.3	100.0	101.8	100.0	103.1	126.8	105.5	103.3	104.8
Decem	mber 10	01.1	119.0	99.9	110.7	104.3	100.0	101.8	100.0	103.1	126.8	105.5	103.3	105.0
2021 Janua	ary /r 10	02.0	119.0	99.9	111.6	104.3	100.0	102.1	100.0	103.1	106.0	105.5	103.3	105.2
Februa	ary 10	02.6	119.0	99.9	114.0	104.3	100.0	102.2	100.0	103.1	106.0	105.5	102.2	105.7
March	•	01.8	119.0	99.8	114.5	104.6	100.0	102.4	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	101.2	105.5
April		03.1	113.2	97.2	114.7	105.2	100.0	102.9	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	101.2	105.5
		01.9	99.4	97.2	111.0	105.9	100.0	102.9	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	100.0	101.9
May														
June		02.0	99.4	101.0	110.5	106.7	100.0	102.1	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	99.5	102.1
July		05.3	99.4	100.6	111.4	107.6	100.0	101.4	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	103.4	104.4
August		02.5	102.4	98.2	112.5	108.7	100.0	103.4	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	108.6	104.1
Septen		03.5	99.7	95.9	114.0	109.4	100.0	103.4	100.0	104.1	106.0	105.5	106.0	104.4
Pero	centage Change	e in the CP	I by Group											
	(a) on th	he previou	s month											
2019 August		1.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.2	-0.5
Septen		1.2	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
Octobe		0.4	-0.2	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
Novem			0.0		0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		0.1		0.0										
Decem		0.5	0.0	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3
2020 Janua	ary -1	1.6	0.4	1.1	1.5	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.5
Februa	ary 2	2.8	0.0	-0.3	-0.6	-2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
March	ı 1	1.9	0.0	-2.4	0.8	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
April	0	0.7	0.0	0.0	-1.0	4.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
May	-1	1.1	0.0	0.0	-3.7	-0.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.9
June		0.6	1.9	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	-0.1
July		0.5	0.2	2.2	-1.7	4.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
												0.0		
August		0.1	0.2	-1.5	2.1	-0.1	0.0	0.4	0.0	1.0	0.0		0.1	0.4
Septen		1.8	0.0	0.3	-0.6	0.3	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	-0.9
Octobe		4.8	0.0	-0.5	2.0	-1.0	0.0	-1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	-2.1
Novem	nber -5	5.2	-0.9	-0.3	0.4	1.5	0.0	-1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.3
Decem	mber 0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
2021 Janua	ary 0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	-16.4	0.0	0.0	0.2
Februa	•	0.6	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.1	0.5
March	•	0.8	0.0	-0.1	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	-1.0	-0.2
April		1.3	-4.9	-2.6	0.2	0.6	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
May		1.2	-12.2	0.0	-3.2	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.2	-3.4
June		0.1	0.0	3.9	-0.5	0.8	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.5	0.2
July		3.2	0.0	-0.4	0.8	0.8	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	1.5
August	it -2	2.7	3.0	-2.4	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	-0.3
Septen	mber 1	1.0	-2.6	-2.3	1.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.4	0.3
	/h\ **	ho com-	onth a year a											
			onth a year ago											_
2019 August		3.0	4.6	1.3	9.2	-0.4	0.0	1.8	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	3.2
Septen		3.7	0.5	1.3	4.8	-0.8	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	2.3
Octobe	er 6	6.4	-0.8	1.3	6.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	3.5
Novem	nber 5	5.7	-1.3	1.3	5.2	-0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	2.9
Decem	mber 3	3.7	-0.8	1.3	4.0	-0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	2.1
2020 Janua	ary 2	2.1	-1.3	2.4	0.2	-0.6	0.0	1.1	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	0.9
Februa	-	6.3	0.7	1.9	4.6	-2.2	0.0	2.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	3.5
March	•	B.O	0.3	-0.6	-0.9	-2.3	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	3.3
		8.8	-0.2	-0.6	1.4	2.6		0.5		2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	4.0
April							0.0		0.0					
May		5.4	-0.2	-0.6	-2.5	2.5	0.0	0.8	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	2.1
June		1.6	2.4	-1.7	-0.9	1.9	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2	8.0
July		2.2	2.6	0.5	-3.2	6.1	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.1
August	it 3	3.5	2.8	-1.0	-1.2	6.0	0.0	-0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	1.9
Septen	mber 0	0.4	2.5	-0.7	-2.1	6.4	0.0	-1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	0.6
Octobe		4.7	2.6	-1.2	-1.0	5.3	0.0	-2.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	-1.8
Novem		9.6	1.7	-1.5	-1.0	6.9	0.0	-4.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	-4.1
Decem		9.0	1.7	-1.5	0.7	6.9	0.0	-4.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	-3.7
וופטפע														
2024 1	-	6.7	1.3	-2.5	0.0	7.2	0.0	-3.7	0.0	1.0	-16.4	0.0	6.3	-3.0
2021 Janua	ary -8	8.7	1.3	-2.3	2.8	9.6	0.0	-3.6	0.0	1.0	-16.4	0.0	5.1	-3.6
Februa		11.1	1.3	0.1	2.4	10.0	0.0	-3.4	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	4.1	-4.5
	ı -1			-2.5	3.6	5.6	0.0	-2.9	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	4.1	-5.0
Februa		10.6	-3.7	-2.5										
Februa March April	-1					6.4	0.0	-3.5	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	2.9	-7.4
Februa March April May	-1 -1	10.6	-15.4	-2.5	4.1	6.4 7.2	0.0	-3.5 -3.2	0.0	2.0	-16.4 -16.4		2.9 -0.2	-7.4 -7.1
Februa March April May June	-1 -1 -1	10.6 10.0	-15.4 -17.0	-2.5 1.3	4.1 3.2	7.2	0.0	-3.2	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	-0.2	-7.1
Februa March April May June July	-1 -1 -7	10.6 10.0 7.6	-15.4 -17.0 -17.1	-2.5 1.3 -1.3	4.1 3.2 5.8	7.2 3.9	0.0	-3.2 -3.9	0.0 0.0	2.0 2.0	-16.4 -16.4	0.0 0.0	-0.2 3.7	-7.1 -5.3
Februa March April May June	-1 -1 -7 st -1	10.6 10.0	-15.4 -17.0	-2.5 1.3	4.1 3.2	7.2	0.0	-3.2	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	-0.2	-7.1

Table 8.1: Noro Consumer Price Index by Group (2017=100.0)

	Food &	Alcoholic	Clothing	Housing, water,	Furnishings, household				Recreation		Restaurants	Miscellaneous	All
Year/ Month		beverages, tobacco	&	electricity, gas	equipment & routine	Health	Transport	Communication	&	Education	&	goods &	Items
	Beverages	narcotics	footwear	& other fuels	household maintenance				culture		hotels	services	
	2010.00			W 0 11 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1			ļ	!				3011100	
Percentag	e Change in the C												
		ving average on same											
2019 July	7.2	10.2	0.9	7.0	-2.2	0.0	1.6	0.0	1.4	3.3	0.0	0.3	5.2
August	6.2	7.9	1.3	7.9	-1.6	0.0	1.5	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-0.4	4.7
September	4.5	4.7	1.3	6.9	-1.1	0.0	1.5	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.3	3.5
October	4.4	1.4	1.3	6.6	-0.4	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	3.0
November	5.2	-0.5	1.3	5.3	-0.4	0.0	0.7	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	2.9
December	5.3	-1.0	1.3	5.1	-0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	2.1	3.3	0.0	-1.7	2.8
2020 January	3.8	-1.2	1.7	3.1	-0.4	0.0	0.3	0.0	2.1	2.2	0.0	-1.7	2.0
February	4.0	-0.5	1.9	2.9	-1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	2.1	1.1	0.0	-1.7	2.2
March	5.5	-0.1	1.2	1.2	-1.7	0.0	1.5	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	2.6
April	7.7	0.3	0.2	1.6	-0.6	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	3.6
May	7.4	0.0	-0.6	-0.7	0.9	0.0	0.9	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.7	3.1
June	5.2	0.7	-1.0	-0.7	2.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	-1.2	2.3
July	3.1	1.6	-0.6	-2.2	3.5	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	-0.2	1.4
August	2.5	2.6	-0.7	-1.8	4.7	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.3
September	2.1	2.6	-0.4	-2.2	6.2	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	3.3	1.2
October	-0.3	2.6	-1.0	-1.4	5.9	0.0	-1.4	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.2
November	-4.6	2.3	-1.1	-1.4	6.2	0.0	-2.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	-1.8
December	-7.8	2.0	-1.4	-0.4	6.4	0.0	-3.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	-3.2
2021 January	-8.4	1.6	-1.8	-0.1	7.0	0.0	-3.9	0.0	1.0	-5.5	0.0	6.3	-3.6
February	-8.1	1.4	-2.1	1.2	7.9	0.0	-3.7	0.0	1.0	-10.9	0.0	5.9	-3.4
March	-8.9	1.3	-1.6	1.7	8.9	0.0	-3.6	0.0	1.3	-16.4	0.0	5.2	-3.7
April	-10.1	-0.4	-1.6	2.9	8.3	0.0	-3.3	0.0	1.6	-16.4	0.0	4.5	-4.3
May	-10.8	-5.9	-1.6	3.4	7.3	0.0	-3.3	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	3.7	-5.6
June	-10.4	-12.0	-1.2	3.6	6.4	0.0	-3.2	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	2.2	-6.5
July	-9.4	-16.5	-0.8	4.4	5.8	0.0	-3.5	0.0	2.0	-16.4	0.0	2.1	-6.0
August	-9.2	-16.3	-0.7	4.5	5.3	0.0	-3.2	0.0	1.6	-16.4	0.0	4.1	-5.8
September	-8.4	-16.3	-2.7	5.7	4.8	0.0	-2.6	0.0	1.3	-16.4	0.0	5.1	-5.3
Consume	r Price Index - Ann	ual (2017 =100.0)											
2010	90.1	49.1	82.3	57.2	93.6	56.5	90.3	119.7	81.1	85.5	69.7	99.5	79.0
2011	94.0	56.4	83.3	68.5	98.0	55.9	98.0	84.2	83.0	89.1	80.5	103.2	84.8
2012	97.9	58.7	83.9	79.8	102.3	71.9	98.0	78.4	87.5	89.6	89.2	108.6	89.8
2013 2014	100.3 103.5	64.3 80.9	92.1 95.9	92.7 101.0	100.8 101.8	78.0 84.9	100.0 101.2	78.4 78.4	87.5 87.5	83.9 88.1	95.1 96.1	111.3 114.9	94.6 99.6
2014	100.4	82.3	104.6	100.7	103.2	93.2	97.3	100.0	96.1	94.2	96.1	116.9	99.0
2016	100.9	91.9	103.9	99.2	102.6	100.0	97.3	100.0	99.6	94.2	96.1	110.7	99.5
2017	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2018	104.2	113.1	100.2	102.6	98.9	100.0	104.2	100.0	100.0	122.7	105.5	99.0	104.5
2019	111.1	117.0	101.4	109.9	97.6	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	109.0
2020	109.3	117.5	102.5	111.6	97.3	100.0	106.0	100.0	102.1	126.8	105.5	97.2	108.5
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2010	-2.9	11.8	8.7	-0.9	3.8	1.1	7.2	-11.0	1.0	11.9	7.9	5.5	0.9
2011	4.4	14.8	1.2	19.7	4.7	-1.1 20.5	8.5	-29.6	2.4	4.3	15.4	3.7 5.2	7.4 5.0
2012 2013	4.1 2.4	4.0 9.5	0.7 9.8	16.5 16.1	4.4 -1.4	28.5 8.5	0.0 2.0	-6.9 0.0	5.4 0.0	0.5 -6.3	10.8 6.6	5.2 2.5	5.9 5.3
2013	3.2	9.5 25.8	4.1	9.0	1.0	8.8	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.1	3.3	5.3
2015	-3.0	1.8	9.1	-0.3	1.4	9.8	-3.9	27.5	9.8	7.0	0.0	1.7	-0.6
2016	0.5	11.6	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	-5.3	0.5
2017	-0.9	8.9	-3.7	0.8	-2.6	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.4	6.1	4.0	-9.7	0.5
2018	4.2	13.1	0.2	2.6	-1.1	0.0	4.2	0.0	0.0	22.7	5.5	-1.0	4.5
2019	4.9	3.7	0.7	6.7	-1.4	0.0	1.3	0.0	1.2	3.3	0.0	-0.7	3.5
2020	4.3	3.5	1.0	5.9	-1.4	0.0	1.2	0.0	1.4	3.1	0.0	-0.8	3.1

About the Bulletin

Concepts and Definitions

Consumer Price Index (CPI): The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in the price levels of a basket of consumer goods and services purchased by households at a specified time relative to a base year. The current CPI is referred to as the Solomon Islands CPI given its coverage of Honiara urban, Auki urban, Gizo urban and Noro urban as a proxy for the country.

The Solomon Islands CPI is the weighted average of the four urban localities priced. These collected representative prices are aggregated using the data from the 2012/13 Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES). Further details are discussed in the Data Quality Statement below and in the Technical Note: 1/2018 CPI – Series 3 Reweight released in September 2018.

Inflation: The percentage change in the CPI from one period relative to another is referred to as a measure of inflation. The CPI is often referred to as the headline CPI generating the official headline inflation. In Solomon Islands, inflation is limited to the current CPI basket of goods and services and thus does not represent all price movements of all goods and services in the economy. It is generally a broad measure of the cost of living in the country.

Underlying Inflation: The underlying inflation (or the underlying rate of inflation) measure attempts to isolate the effects of the price shocks in inflation while retaining persistent movements. Such a measure is more useful than the headline inflation for purposes of analysis such as in developing and monitoring monetary and fiscal policies. This measure is often referred to as core inflation depending on the choice of the type of underlying rate measure. Four underlying rate measures have been produced based on the exclusion approach and mentioned below. More details can be sourced from any copy of a 2017 CPI publication (annex 1):

- I. All CPI excluding Volatile Items. The volatile items include: Fruit and Vegetables + Fresh seafood + Betel nut + Motor vehicle fuel (petrol & diesel) + Fuel for household utilities (kerosene)
- II. All CPI excluding Volatile Items and Price Control Items: The price control items include: First Grade Taiyo can fish + Bus fares + Taxi fares
- III. All CPI excluding Volatile, Price Control and Excise Items: The excise items include Alcohol + Tobacco
- IV. All CPI excluding Volatile, Price Control, Excise Items and Other Selected Items: The other selected items include: house rent (public service), telephone charges, electricity and water, 3rd party insurance, transport fares and education.

Symbols used

r: revised, p: preliminary, e: estimated, na: not available, --: no items in this category, —: nil or rounded to zero Small discrepancies between totals and sums are due to rounding.

Upcoming Releases

October CPI Week beginning November 15th, 2021

November CPI Week beginning December 6th, 2021

December CPI Week beginning January 10th, 2022

Data Quality Statement: Consumer Price Index

Data Source:	Price survey (collections) of selected retail outlets and markets by the National Statistics Office (SINSO)
Institutional Environment:	Data Collector(s): The SINSO collects the data from various retail outlets, the main Honiara Central Market, other betel nut area markets, and certain service providers.
	Collection authority: The data is collected under the Statistics Act 1970 (and 2007 Amendments) and the Census Act 1959. Data Compiler(s): The SINSO compiles the data.
	Additional information: Statistical confidentiality is guaranteed under the Statistics Act 1970 (and 2007 Amendments).
Relevance:	Data coverage: The SINSO collects price data on a wide range of consumer goods and services that constitutes an updated Solomon Islands 'basket' of 205 items based on the 2012/13 Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES). This basket reflects broadly the spending behavior of households in urban areas of Honiara (Guadalcanal Province), Auki (Malaita), Gizo (Western Province) and Noro (Western Province). The basket of items by national and urban locality are classified according to 12 main expenditure categories or groups: 1. Food & non-alcoholic
	beverages, 2. Alcoholic beverages, tobacco & narcotics, 3. Clothing & footwear, 4. Housing, water electricity, gas & other fuels, 5. Furnishings, household equipment & routine household maintenance, 6. Health, 7. Transport, 8. Communication, 9. Recreation & culture e, 10. Education

(168 items).

The goods and services that are included in the basket and their relative importance represented by the weights allocated from expenditure information from the HIES 2012/13 are shown in the table below:

11. Restaurants & hotels, 12. Miscellaneous goods & services. The respective basket of items for the four urban areas include Honiara (205 items), Auki (169 items), Gizo (176 items) and Noro

Division	Solomon Islands	Auki	Gizo	Noro	Honiara	Honiara weight to SI	Auki, Gizo & Noro weight to SI
All Groups	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	88.102	11.898
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	34.290	40.300	43.624	41.784	33.262	85.462	14.538
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics	12.446	11.531	9.727	11.801	12.639	89.467	10.533
Clothing and footwear	2.616	3.615	2.618	2.178	2.590	87.240	12.760
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	16.585	17.423	13.045	11.834	16.920	89.879	10.121
Furnishings, hh equip & routine hh maintenance	2.998	3.230	3.504	5.142	2.869	84.301	15.699
Health	0.272	0.140	0.170	0.099	0.290	94.029	5.971
Transport	17.549	11.649	14.069	13.041	18.174	91.242	8.758
Communication	6.329	6.506	5.440	7.620	6.303	87.743	12.257
Recreation and culture	1.372	1.367	1.700	2.076	1.326	85.142	14.858
Education	2.656	2.006	3.251	1.934	2.691	89.261	10.739
Restaurants and hotels	1.417	1.048	1.610	0.784	1.453	90.366	9.634
Miscellaneous goods and services	1.470	1.186	1.242	1.707	1.482	88.852	11.148

Honiara has the biggest weight (88.1%) relative to the national average/all other urban areas and thus price movements in the Honiara CPI/basket has a relatively bigger effect on the national average and the CPIs of most of the other small towns, although the extent of price movements can be attributed to varying local demand and supply conditions.

Across all Expenditure Groups, Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages (34.2%), Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, Other Fuels (16.6%) and Transport (17.5%) are three most important consumer expenditures and thus have a bigger combined effect on price movements in the CPI baskets of all urban areas.

Level of geography: The scope of the Solomon Islands national CPI includes provincial urban centers of Honiara, Auki, Noro and Gizo.

Summary details of the process of updating the new basket and the reweight process based on the 2012-13 HIES can be sourced from the Technical Note 1/2018 Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index – Series 3 Reweight.

Key Data Items: Key indicators include: headline inflation and underlying inflation by main expenditure categories and by locality, and headline CPI by imported and domestic items These indicators are presented periodically (i.e, month on month and 3-months moving average) and released on monthly frequency. The annual (year on year) series is made available on request.

The underlying or core inflation measures include: I. All CPI excluding Volatile Items; II. All CPI excluding Volatile Items and Price Control Items; III. All CPI excluding Volatile, Price Control and Excise Items; and IV. All CPI excluding Volatile, Price Control, Excise Items and Other Selected Items. Technical notes can be sourced from previous publications (annex 1).

Compilation methodology: The SINSO applies the internationally recognized Laspeyers method based on the weighted Laspeyres' index for computing the CPI. In the current updated CPI, price relatives are calculated as geometric means and used to create the price index following international best practice. The rebase period is 2013=100 and the index reference period for the time series is 2017=100. This method is applied by locality where separate CPIs for Honiara, Auki, Gizo and Noro are produced and then aggregated as a weighted average for the national index. The exclusion based method is applied in deriving the underlying inflation rate measures.

Standard classifications: The SINSO used to adopt the UN Classification Of Individual Consumption according to Purpose (COICOP) to classify data within the Solomon Islands context but has now harmonized its classification with the pacific regional COICOP for regional comparability purposes.

International standards have been followed as closely as practical in developing the weights for the new series (2017=100) of the CPI. The ILO CPI Manual (2004) has been the primary reference, followed by ILO Resolution II: Resolution Concerning Consumer Price Indices (2003). In instances where the treatment of commodities has differed from international standards, the reasons have been to acknowledge practical difficulties in price collection, to take account of specific national conditions, or to ensure that the CPI is a robust measure of exposure to price change.

Numerator/Denominator Source: The numerators and denominators for percentages are from the same data source.

Additional information: The CPI and inflation are key economic indicators that are able to inform the country's key monetary and fiscal (budgetary) policies, and inform the general public about the general cost of living in Honiara or the country. Apart from the availability of other official price measures, other uses of the CPI include informing decision making and assessments about inflation adjusted wage indexation policies.

The CPI is also used as a deflator of other economic data. For example, the CPI and its components are used to adjust Gross Domestic Product by Expenditure (GDP-E) in current prices for price changes and to convert these series into inflation adjusted series or GDP at constant prices.

Caution must be considered in terms on interpreting data when disaggregated into sub-national (locality) level due to the relative size of the sample (basket), relative size and nature of CPI outlets and markets, and household (consumer) behavior when making inferences on the type of indicator.

Timeliness:

Data collected: The SINSO collects the prices of fresh fruit, vegetables and meat weekly and collects the prices of all other items during any one day in the second half of the month.

Data available: The data is usually available 2 weeks after the reference month.

Referenced Period: The data is published for a particular calendar month. The data is published on a monthly, quarterly (3-months moving average) and annual frequencies.

Additional information: There are sometimes revisions to data after release where data for missing prices becomes available or if adjustments need to be made to accommodate changes following recognized statistical techniques.

Accuracy:

Method of Collection: The SINSO collects data mainly by direct approach (visits) in the collections of prices in retail outlets and markets, and by face-to-face approach from selected service providers.

Data Adjustments: Data are sometimes adjusted to accommodate changes in product specifications and branding following recognized statistical techniques

Additional information: The SINSO uses a quality assurance process to minimize data quality issues, item specifications issues and processing errors.

Coherence:

Consistency over time: The data is consistent over time since 1992. The series was linked (spliced) in 2005 to maintain consistency in series back to the 1992 base year. Due to the loss of past data records as a consequence of the ethnic tensions from 1998 to 2003, the SINSO has not officially published a linked series prior to 1992. However, users who possess older records of the data are able to link back the series to meet their own interests.

Progressive improvements in definitions and methods have been applied since the first iteration of the index. Prior to independence in 1978 and up to mid-1990s (with the conduct of the 1982 and 1990/91 sample Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIESs, limited coverage), the Retail Price Index (RPI) was the first index used as a measure of the changes in the prices of goods and services in Honiara. The weighting scheme and the basket of goods and services captured in the 1982 HIES reflected predominantly residents and expatriate household expenditures in urban Honiara.

In 2005/6, another HIES covering Solomon Islands citizen/resident households was undertaken to update of the CPI weights based on the 1990/91 survey. The updated CPI with base period (2005=100) followed similar methods in reweighting and in updating the basket which included 187 items. In 2012/13, the SINSO undertook another HIES. The data from the 2012/13 HIES formed the basis for the current updated CPI (Series 3 - Honiara) with a new reference period (2017=100). This is now being released through this publication (First Release: Honiara Consumer Price Index: Series 3). The process of updating the new basket and the reweighting process is now expanded to include other provincial towns of Auki, Noro and Gizo. Further basic information can be obtained from the Technical Note 1/2018 Solomon Islands Consumer Price Index – Series 3 Reweight.

The SINSO plans through the National Statistics Development Strategy (NSDS) 2015-16 to 2035 that the CPI weights and basket of goods and services be regularly updated approximately every 10 years (more preferably 5-years) from data from the conduct of HIES.

Additional information: There are no actual price data for some months of the year 2000 during
the period of 'The Tensions'. During the civil unrest period in 1998 to 2003, the SINSO also lost a
number of data files and records during this period.

Actual prices collected for the provincial localities (Gizo, Noro, Auki) started from July 2017. Data prior to July 2017 used Honiara prices as proxies.

Interpretability:

The movement in index from one period relative to another can be expressed as a percentage change. In the Solomon Islands context, this percentage change is referred very broadly as headline inflation. The following example illustrates and interprets the percentage change:

If we look at the Honiara CPI (All Items) for July 2018 = 103.0 and the same period last year, July 2017 (All Items) CPI=100.5 periods, the index point is the difference between the two index levels, but it is more meaningful to express this movement as a percentage change. Thus, we can calculate the percentage change by subtracting the index value of the previous period (July 2017) from the current period (July 2018) and dividing the resulting value by the index value of the previous period (July 2017) and then multiplying by 100.

Thus, $[(103.0-100.5)/100.5] \times 100 = (2.50/100.5) \times 100 = 0.0248756 \times 100 = 2.5\%$ (rounded to one decimal point). This implies that prices have increased by 2.5% since July 2017 or from the period July 2017 to July 2018.

Similar interpretations can be applied to various periods of comparisons of interest. The SINSO officially reports the headline CPI and headline inflation based on the 3-months moving average period, on the same period in the preceding year. However, data by month and annual are provided for users to support their choice of a particular period for CPI and inflation.

Accessibility:

Users can request unpublished data for issues of statistical bulletins that have already been released by contacting the Prices Unit. There are no costs associated with the provision of this data.

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