

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

Table 1
The Inflation Rates of 66 Cities in September 2009, Calendar Year 2009, and
Year on Year by Expenditure Group (2007 = 100)

Expenditure Group	CPI September 2008	CPI December 2008	CPI September 2009	Inflation Rate of September 2009 *)	Inflation Rate of Calendar 2009 **)	Inflation Rate of Year on Year ***)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
General	113.25	113.86	116.46	1.05	2.28	2.83
1 Foodstuff	121.97	122.70	128.32	2.43	4.58	5.21
2 Prepared food, Beverages, Cigarette and Tobacco	112.25	114.98	121.65	1.08	5.80	8.37
3 Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Fuel	111.90	113.02	114.32	0.18	1.15	2.16
4 Clothing	109.45	112.27	116.32	1.28	3.61	6.28
5 Health	107.94	109.13	112.71	0.29	3.28	4.42
6 Education, Recreation and Sport	108.95	109.84	113.56	0.43	3.39	4.23
7 Transportation, Communication and Financial Services	110.51	107.26	103.78	0.89	-3.24	-6.09

*) *Change in percents CPI September 2009 to CPI of the previous month.*

**) *Change in percents CPI September 2009 to CPI in December 2008.*

***) *Change in percents CPI September 2009 to CPI in September 2008.*

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) in September 2009 was 116.46 or inflated 1.05% from August 2009 at 115.25. In September 2009, the changes of each expenditure group as follows: the foodstuff increased from 125.28 to 128.32 or inflated 2.43%; the prepared food, beverages, cigarette and tobacco increased from 120.35 to 121.65 or inflated 1.08%; the housing, water, electricity, gas and fuel increased from 114.12 to 114.32 or inflated 0.18%; the clothing increased from 114.85 to 116.32 or inflated 1.28%; the health increased from 112.38 to 112.71 or inflated 0.29%; the education, recreation and sport increased from 113.07 to 113.56 or inflated 0.43%, and the transportation, communication and financial services decreased from 102.86 to 103.78 or inflated 0.89%.

The inflation in September 2009 was mainly caused by price increases of several commodities, i.e.: red chili, sugar, interurban transportation fare, purebred chicken meat,

fresh fish, gold accessories, passenger plane fare, rice, beef, orange, garlic, academy/university tuition fees, instant noodle, free-range chicken meat, string bean, creeping water-plant, potato, mustard greens, tofu, soybean fermented cake, apple, papaya, banana, small chili, coconut, fried chicken, porridge of rice, cooked noodle, cooked rice & side dishes served together, clove-flavored cigarette, filter cigarette, rental house fee, wages of labor, household fuel, T-shirt, recreation fare, gasoline, and train fare. Meanwhile, the prices of the following commodities were decreased, i.e.: purebred chicken eggs, shallot, and tomato (vegetable).

Table 2
The Inflation Rate of September 2009, Calendar Year 2009 and Year on Year by Component Group

Component Group	CPI September 2008	CPI December 2008	CPI September 2009	Inflation Rate of September 2009	Inflation Rate of Calendar 2009	Inflation Rate of Year on Year
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
General	113.25	113.86	116.46	1.05	2.28	2.83
Core	109.13	110.60	114.43	0.80	3.46	4.86
Administered Price	119.29	117.05	112.45	0.29	-3.93	-5.73
Volatile	122.77	123.13	128.88	2.67	4.67	4.98

In September 2009, the core of CPI changed from 113.52 to 114.43 or inflated 0.80% (see Table 2). The administered price component changed from 112.13 to 112.45 or inflated 0.29% and the volatile component changed from 125.53 to 128.88 or inflated 2.67%. The core inflation rate of calendar 2009 and year on year (September 2009 to September 2008) were 3.46% and 4.86% respectively. While inflation rate of the volatile component of calendar 2009 and year on year were 4.67% and 4.98%. On the other hand, deflation rate of the administered price component of calendar 2009 and year on year were -3.93% and -5.73% respectively.