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Consumer Price Index in May 2013

Consumer Price Index: May 2013

- The Consumer Price Index was 107.3(2010=100) in May 2013. The index was unchanged from the preceding month and rose 1.0 percent from May 2012.
- The index excluding agricultural products and oils was 106.3 in May 2013. The index increased 0.4 percent from the preceding month and rose 1.6 percent from May 2012.

< The Current Trend of Consumer Price Index >

(2010=100, %)

CPI (2010=100)	2012			2013				
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May
All items	106.9	106.5	106.7	107.3	107.6	107.4	107.3	107.3
Percent changes from the preceding month	-0.1	-0.4	0.2	0.6	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.0
Percent changes over the last 12 months	2.1	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.0
Excluding agricultural products and oils	105.2	105.3	105.5	105.9	106.1	105.9	105.9	106.3
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.4
Percent changes over the last 12 months	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.6

< Month-on-month changes >

- The index for Clothing and footwear and Miscellaneous goods and services increased 1.5 percent respectively in May. The index for Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels and Health went up 0.2 percent respectively in May. The index for Communication, Education and Restaurants and hotels increased 0.1 percent respectively in May. The index for Recreation and culture went up 0.4 percent respectively in May.
- The index for Food and non-alcoholic beverages and Transport decreased 0.8 percent and 1.3 percent respectively in May.
- The index for Alcoholic beverages and tobacco and Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance remained unchanged in May.

< Consumer Price Index and major components >

(2010=100, %)

Expenditure category	Number of Items	Weights	May 2012			May 2013		
			Index	Percent changes from the preceding month	Percent changes from May 2011	Index	Percent changes from the preceding month	Percent changes from May 2012
All items	481	1000.0	106.2	0.2	2.5	107.3	0.0	1.0
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	134	135.9	112.3	-0.1	6.4	112.9	-0.8	0.5
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	8	12.4	101.8	-0.3	0.6	103.8	0.0	2.0
Clothing and footwear	34	62.3	108.3	1.8	5.0	110.8	1.5	2.3
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	21	169.7	108.8	0.1	4.5	113.0	0.2	3.9
Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance	49	37.9	107.0	0.6	3.4	106.5	0.0	-0.5
Health	28	73.1	102.7	0.3	1.3	103.6	0.2	0.9
Transport	32	109.2	111.9	-0.2	4.9	109.0	-1.3	-2.6
Communication	8	57.8	95.9	0.0	-3.4	95.9	0.1	0.0
Recreation and culture	64	53.0	102.0	0.1	0.0	102.8	0.4	0.8
Education	20	114.1	102.9	0.3	1.2	103.9	0.1	1.0
Restaurants and hotels	42	120.4	105.3	0.2	1.0	106.9	0.1	1.5
Miscellaneous goods and services	41	54.2	98.8	0.2	-4.5	98.3	1.5	-0.5