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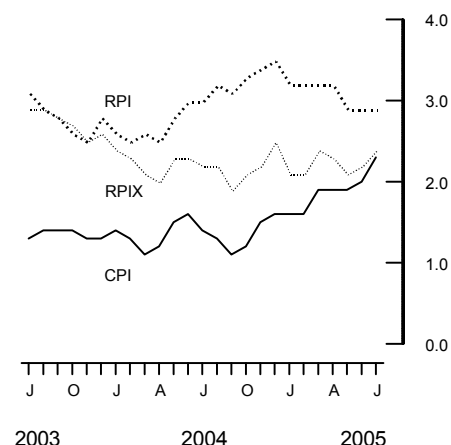
Consumer price indices July 2005

In the year to July, the consumer prices index (CPI) rose by 2.3 per cent, up from 2.0 per cent in June.

In the year to July, the all items retail prices index (RPI) rose by 2.9 per cent, unchanged from June.

Over the same period, the all items excluding mortgage interest payments index (RPIX) rose by 2.4 per cent, up from 2.2 per cent in June.

CPI, RPI and RPIX 12-month percentage changes



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| | | Consumer prices index (CPI) | | All items retail prices index (RPI) | | All items RPI excluding mortgage interest payments (RPIX) | |
|------|-----|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| | | Index (1996 =100) | Per cent change over 12 months | Index (Jan 1987 =100) | Per cent change over 12 months | Index (Jan 1987 =100) | Per cent change over 12 months |
| 2005 | Feb | 112.2 | 1.6 | 189.6 | 3.2 | 185.9 | 2.1 |
| | Mar | 112.7 | 1.9 | 190.5 | 3.2 | 186.8 | 2.4 |
| | Apr | 113.1 | 1.9 | 191.6 | 3.2 | 187.8 | 2.3 |
| | May | 113.5 | 1.9 | 192.0 | 2.9 | 188.2 | 2.1 |
| | Jun | 113.5 | 2.0 | 192.2 | 2.9 | 188.3 | 2.2 |
| | Jul | 113.6 | 2.3 | 192.2 | 2.9 | 188.3 | 2.4 |

Main contributions to the change in the 12-month rate¹

CPI

The largest upward effect on the CPI annual rate came from transport, with large contributions from:

- Fuels and lubricants, where petrol pump prices rose this year, reflecting increases in crude oil prices, but fell a year ago; and
- Transport services, mainly due to air travel, where its higher weight in this year's index more than offset a smaller increase in fares when compared with a year ago. There was also a small upward effect from sea fares which rose by more than a year ago.

Further large upward effects came from:

- Furniture and household goods, mainly due to furniture and furnishings where prices were little changed this year, with price recoveries from some major retail chains offsetting summer sales in other outlets. Last year, prices fell overall, as is more usual in July; and
- Miscellaneous goods and services with prices rising by more than a year ago, particularly for financial services where charges were increased on some banking services. There was also a small upward effect from insurance.

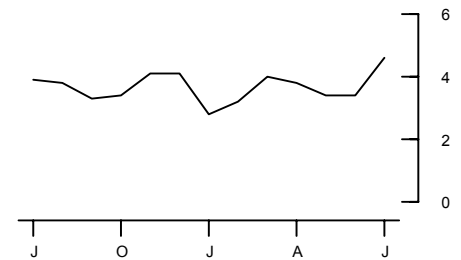
Small upward effects came from:

- Restaurants and hotels, due to changes in the costs of both accommodation services and catering services;
- Housing and household services, mainly due to rents increasing by more than in the previous year; and
- Health, where costs rose by more than last year.

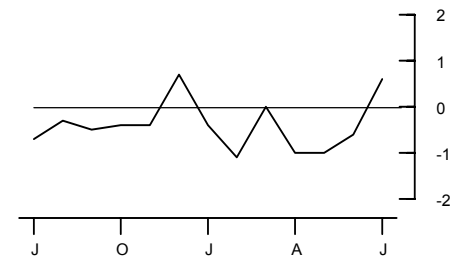
The largest downward effect on the CPI annual rate came from food and non-alcoholic drinks, mainly due to fruit prices which fell by more than a year ago, especially for strawberries and grapes. There was also a small downward contribution from changes in meat prices.

A further large downward effect came from recreation and culture. The cost of July package holidays, mainly to Mediterranean destinations, fell this year but rose a year ago. There was also a small downward contribution from games, toys and hobbies, with the price of children's toys falling by more than last year. A partially offsetting upward effect came from changes in the price of books.

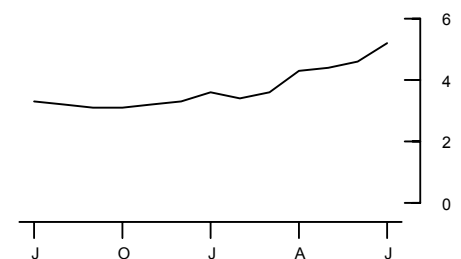
Transport
CPI percentage changes over 12 months



Furniture and household goods
CPI percentage changes over 12 months



Miscellaneous goods and services
CPI percentage changes over 12 months



¹ The CPI and RPI use different classification systems. Background Note 12 shows how, for each of the two indices, the main categories contributing to changes in the 12-month rate relate to each other.

RPI

The largest upward effect on the RPI annual rate came from motoring expenditure. This was mainly due to fuel prices which rose this year but fell a year ago. There were also small upward effects from vehicle tax and insurance, with insurance premiums rising by more than a year ago, and motor vehicle purchase costs, where the price of second hand cars fell by less than last year.

A further large upward effect came from household goods, in particular furniture, where prices rose this year but fell a year ago.

Small upward effects came from:

- Alcoholic drinks, with prices rising this year but falling last year, particularly for wines and spirits off-sales; and
- Household services, mainly due to fees and subscriptions rising by more than a year ago.

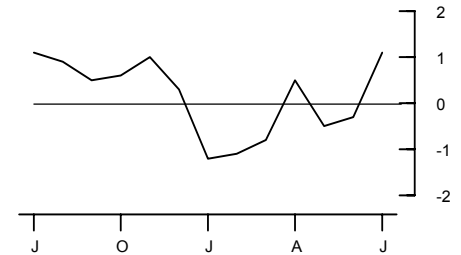
The largest downward effect on the RPI annual rate came from housing, particularly mortgage interest payments. Last June's quarter point increase in the repo rate, which was passed on to borrowers last July, has now dropped out of the 12-month comparison. There was also a large downward effect from the house depreciation component, with house prices rising by less than a year earlier.

A further large downward effect came from food, mainly due to fresh fruit where prices fell by more than a year ago, especially for strawberries and grapes.

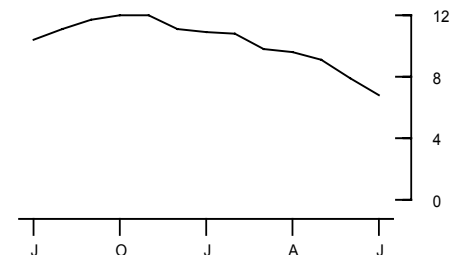
Small downward effects came from:

- Leisure services, mainly due to foreign holidays, with reductions in the cost of July holidays, mainly to Mediterranean destinations, recorded this year compared with increases last year.
- Tobacco, where cigarette prices were little changed this year but rose a year ago.

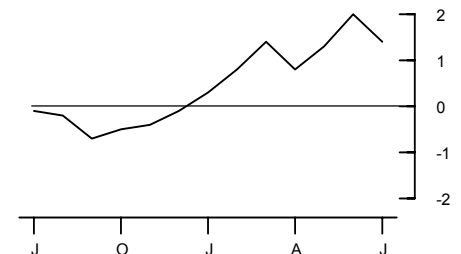
Motoring expenditure
RPI percentage changes over 12 months



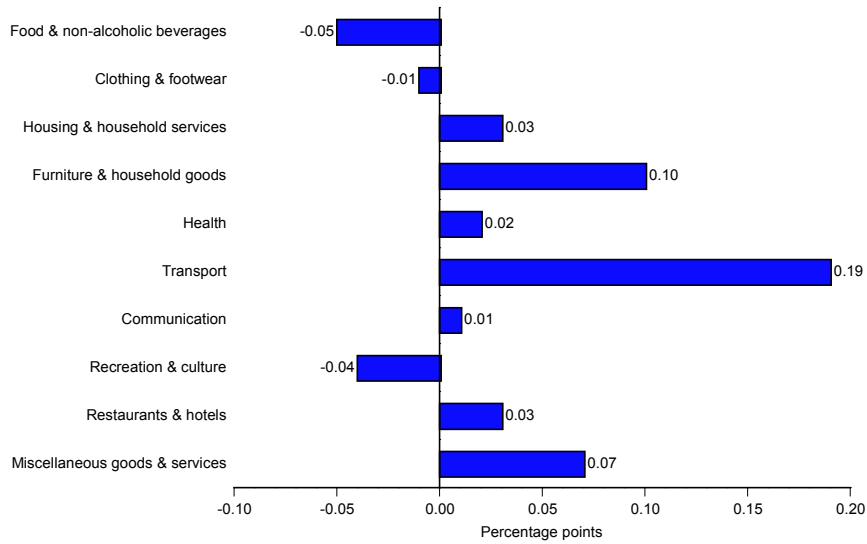
Housing
RPI percentage changes over 12 months



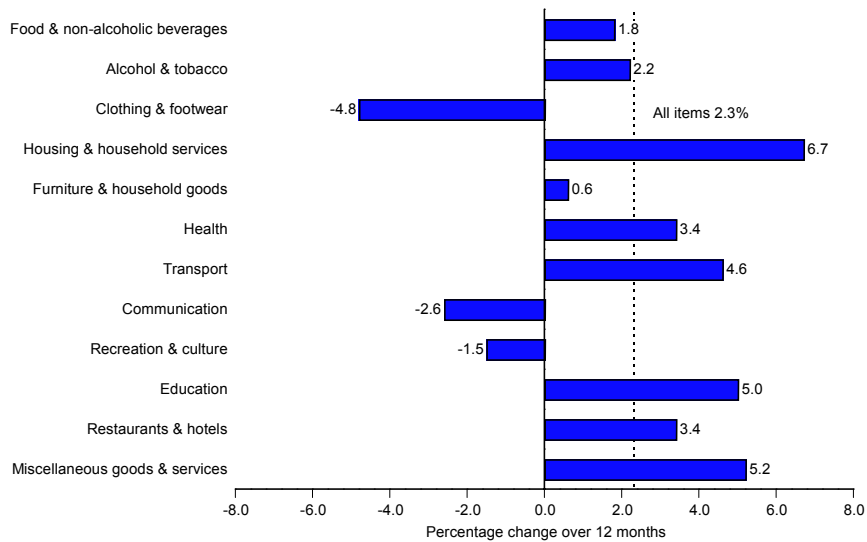
Food
RPI percentage changes over 12 months



CPI main contributions¹ to the change in the 12-month rate between June and July 2005 (0.3 percentage points)

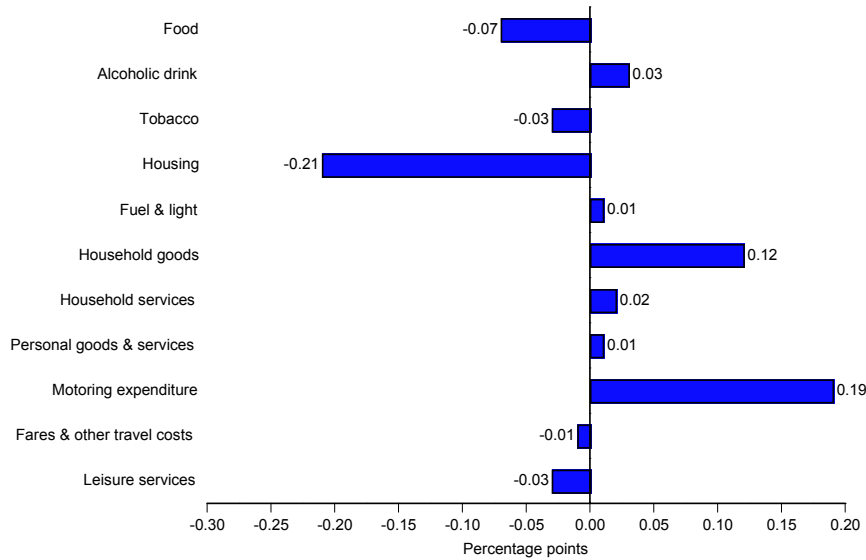


CPI comparison of 12-month percentage changes

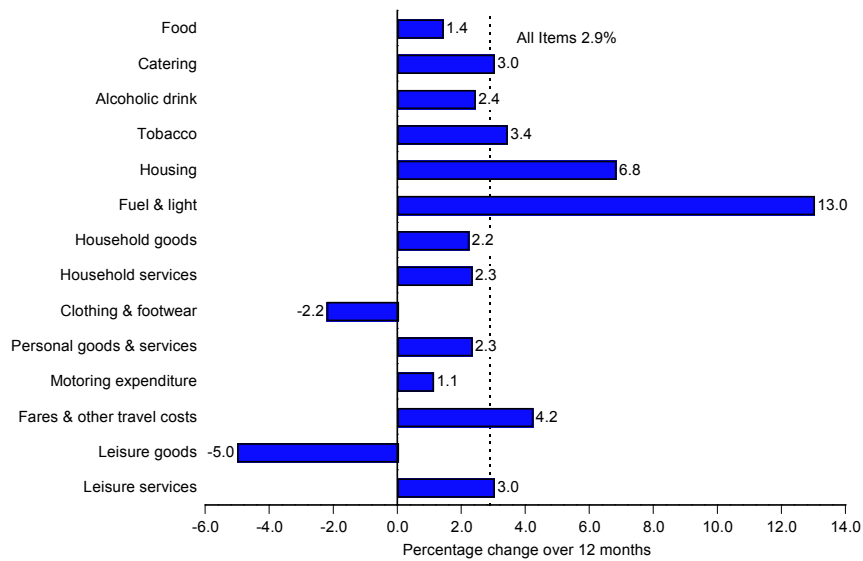


¹ Individual contributions to the change in the 12-month rate may not sum to the total due to rounding.

RPI main contributions¹ to the change in the all items 12-month rate between June and July 2005 (0.0 percentage points)



RPI comparison of 12-month percentage changes



¹ Individual contributions to the change in the 12-month rate may not sum to the total due to rounding.

BACKGROUND NOTES

UK consumer price indices

1. The consumer prices index (CPI) is the main United Kingdom domestic measure of inflation for macroeconomic purposes. The uses of the retail prices index (RPI) include indexation of pensions, state benefits and index-linked gilts. Both measure the average change from month to month in the prices of consumer goods and services purchased in the UK, although there are differences in coverage and methodology. A detailed description of these differences is given in the paper entitled "*The New Inflation Target: the Statistical Perspective*". This paper is available on the National Statistics website:
www.statistics.gov.uk/StatBase/Product.asp?vlnk=10913 The differences are also summarised below in note 12. Prior to 10 December 2003, the CPI was published in the UK as the harmonised index of consumer prices (HICP).
2. Both the CPI and the RPI are compiled each month using the same underlying price data, based on a large and representative selection of around 650 individual goods and services for which price movements are measured in around 150 areas throughout the UK. Around 120,000 separate price quotations are used every month to compile the indices.
3. Detailed figures for the CPI and RPI can be found in *Focus on Consumer Price Indices* on the National Statistics website, together with this First Release and additional briefing notes on the latest published figures. Further information is available from the contact numbers on the front page of this release.
4. The CPI and RPI can be thought of as measuring the monthly cost of a very large shopping basket comprising all the different kinds of goods and services bought by consumers in the UK. As the prices of individual items in the basket vary over time, the total cost of the basket will change. The spending patterns on which the CPI and RPI are based are reviewed annually. Details of the items included in the CPI and RPI baskets in 2005 are available from the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=1059 The expenditure weights used to compile the indices are also updated each year. Details of the updated CPI and RPI weights for 2005 are available from the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=1112
5. A full description of the methodology used to construct the CPI and RPI is given in the *Consumer Price Indices Technical Manual 2005 edition*, which is available from the National Statistics website:
www.statistics.gov.uk/statbase/Product.asp?vlnk=2328

The consumer prices index (Tables 1 to 6)

6. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, in his Pre-Budget Report statement on 10 December 2003, said that with immediate effect the inflation target for the United Kingdom will be defined in terms of the CPI measure of inflation. The inflation target is specified as a 2 per cent increase for the 12-month rate of change in the CPI. Further details are available at: www.hm-treasury.gov.uk

7. New tables (5 and 6) of CPI data have been published from the February 2005 First Release. These tables provide a more detailed analysis of the goods and services components of the CPI, as well as special aggregate indices and related measures of the all items CPI excluding various components. An article providing more information about these new series is available to download from the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=1060

The harmonised index of consumer prices (Table 7)

8. HICPs are calculated in each Member State of the European Union, according to rules specified in a series of European Regulations developed by the EU statistical office in conjunction with the EU Member States. In the UK, the HICP is known as the CPI, but the two remain one and the same index.
9. HICPs are used to compare inflation rates across the European Union. Since January 1999 it has also been used by the European Central Bank (ECB) as the measure of price stability across the euro area. Further details are available from the National Statistics website, www.statistics.gov.uk/hicp, and in an ECB Press Notice of 13 October 1998, *A stability-oriented monetary policy strategy for the European System of Central Banks*, available at: www.ecb.int/press/html/index.en.html

The retail prices index (Tables 1, 8 and 9)

10. The RPI is the most familiar general purpose measure of inflation in the United Kingdom and is continuously available from June 1947. Further details are available from the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/rpi.
11. The RPI is used for a variety of purposes including the indexation of various incomes and prices. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, in his Pre-Budget Report statement on 10 December 2003, confirmed that uprating of pensions, benefits and index-linked gilts will continue to be calculated with reference to the RPI or its derivatives.

Differences between the CPI and the RPI (Table 10)

12. While the methodology of the CPI is similar to the RPI, it differs in the following ways:
 - In the CPI, the geometric mean is used to combine the individual prices at the most basic level whereas the RPI uses arithmetic means.
 - The CPI excludes a number of RPI series mainly relating to housing costs (for example, council tax), and in particular to owner occupiers' housing costs (including mortgage interest payments, house depreciation, and buildings insurance).
 - The CPI includes series for university accommodation fees, foreign students' university tuition fees, and unit trust and stockbrokers charges, none of which are included in the RPI.
 - Coverage of the CPI is based on the international classification system, COICOP (classification of individual consumption by purpose). The way in which this maps to the RPI groupings is shown in the table on the following page :

| COICOP Divisions | RPI Groups |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 01 Food & non-alcoholic beverages | Food |
| 02 Alcohol & tobacco | Alcoholic drink (off sales) Tobacco |
| 03 Clothing & footwear | Clothing & footwear |
| 04 Housing & household services | Housing (exc. MIPs, depreciation, council tax & building insurance) Fuel & light |
| 05 Furniture & household goods | Household goods Domestic services |
| 06 Health | Personal goods & services (health-related items) |
| 07 Transport | Motoring expenditure Fares & other travel costs |
| 08 Communication | Household services (exc. domestic services & fees and subscriptions) |
| 09 Recreation & culture | Leisure goods Leisure services |
| 10 Education | Fees & subscriptions (education-related items) |
| 11 Restaurants & hotels | Catering Alcoholic drink (on sales) |
| 12 Miscellaneous goods & services | Personal goods & services (non health-related items) Fees & subscriptions (non education-related items) |

- The index for the purchase of new cars in the CPI is quality adjusted and based on actual published prices for new cars, whereas in the RPI new car prices are imputed from movements in second hand car prices.
- The CPI weights are based on expenditure by all private households, foreign visitors to the UK and residents of institutional households. In the RPI, weights are based on expenditure by private households only, excluding the highest income households and pensioner households mainly dependent on state benefits.
- In the construction of the CPI weights, amounts paid out in insurance claims are distributed among the COICOP headings according to the nature of the claims' expenditure, with the residual (the service charge) being allocated to the relevant insurance heading. For the RPI weights, total expenditure (that is, gross of claims paid out) is assigned to the relevant insurance heading.

13. A breakdown of the difference between the CPI and RPI annual rates of inflation is shown in Table 10.

14. The coverage of the CPI was extended in stages with effect from the January 2000, 2001, and 2002 indices, and CPI methodology has also evolved since its launch. Details of these extensions can be found in a series of Economic Trends articles available from the National Statistics website:
www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi

Publication dates

15. Future publication dates are 13 September, 18 October, 15 November, 13 December 2005, 17 January 2006 and 14 February 2006. The European Commission will release HICP figures for the month of July for EU Member States, together with an EU average, on 18 August.

General

16. Details of the policy governing the release of new data are available from the press office. Also available is a list of the names of those given pre-publication access to contents of this release.
17. Once the RPI indices are published they are never revised. CPI indices can in principle be revised but past revisions have been minimal. There are no revisions to the CPI in this release.
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1 CPI, RPI and other selected indices: the latest three years

| | Consumer prices index (CPI) ¹ | | All items retail prices index (RPI) | | All items RPI excluding | | | |
|----------|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| | Index (1996=100) | Percentage change over 12 months | Index (Jan 13, 1987=100) | Percentage change over 12 months | mortgage interest payments (RPIX) | | mortgage interest payments and indirect taxes (RPIY) ² | |
| | | | | | Index (Jan 13, 1987=100) | Percentage change over 12 months | Index (Jan 13, 1987=100) | Percentage change over 12 months |
| | CHVJ | CJYR | CHAW | CZBH | CHMK | CDKQ | CBZW | CBZX |
| 2002 Jul | 108.1 | 1.1 | 175.9 | 1.5 | 174.8 | 2.0 | 167.0 | 1.9 |
| Aug | 108.4 | 1.0 | 176.4 | 1.4 | 175.3 | 1.9 | 167.6 | 1.8 |
| Sep | 108.7 | 1.0 | 177.6 | 1.7 | 176.4 | 2.1 | 168.7 | 2.0 |
| Oct | 108.9 | 1.4 | 177.9 | 2.1 | 176.6 | 2.3 | 169.1 | 2.4 |
| Nov | 108.9 | 1.6 | 178.2 | 2.6 | 177.0 | 2.8 | 169.6 | 2.9 |
| Dec | 109.3 | 1.7 | 178.5 | 2.9 | 177.2 | 2.7 | 169.8 | 2.9 |
| 2003 Jan | 108.6 | 1.4 | 178.4 | 2.9 | 177.1 | 2.7 | 169.8 | 2.9 |
| Feb | 109.0 | 1.6 | 179.3 | 3.2 | 177.9 | 3.0 | 170.6 | 3.1 |
| Mar | 109.4 | 1.6 | 179.9 | 3.1 | 178.7 | 3.0 | 171.4 | 3.2 |
| Apr | 109.7 | 1.5 | 181.2 | 3.1 | 180.0 | 3.0 | 171.8 | 2.9 |
| May | 109.7 | 1.2 | 181.5 | 3.0 | 180.2 | 2.9 | 171.9 | 2.7 |
| Jun | 109.6 | 1.1 | 181.3 | 2.9 | 180.0 | 2.8 | 171.7 | 2.7 |
| Jul | 109.5 | 1.3 | 181.3 | 3.1 | 179.9 | 2.9 | 171.6 | 2.8 |
| Aug | 109.9 | 1.4 | 181.6 | 2.9 | 180.4 | 2.9 | 172.2 | 2.7 |
| Sep | 110.2 | 1.4 | 182.5 | 2.8 | 181.3 | 2.8 | 173.2 | 2.7 |
| Oct | 110.4 | 1.4 | 182.6 | 2.6 | 181.3 | 2.7 | 173.1 | 2.4 |
| Nov | 110.3 | 1.3 | 182.7 | 2.5 | 181.4 | 2.5 | 173.1 | 2.1 |
| Dec | 110.7 | 1.3 | 183.5 | 2.8 | 181.8 | 2.6 | 173.5 | 2.2 |
| 2004 Jan | 110.1 | 1.4 | 183.1 | 2.6 | 181.4 | 2.4 | 173.2 | 2.0 |
| Feb | 110.4 | 1.3 | 183.8 | 2.5 | 182.0 | 2.3 | 173.9 | 1.9 |
| Mar | 110.6 | 1.1 | 184.6 | 2.6 | 182.5 | 2.1 | 174.3 | 1.7 |
| Apr | 111.0 | 1.2 | 185.7 | 2.5 | 183.6 | 2.0 | 174.9 | 1.8 |
| May | 111.4 | 1.5 | 186.5 | 2.8 | 184.3 | 2.3 | 175.6 | 2.2 |
| Jun | 111.3 | 1.6 | 186.8 | 3.0 | 184.2 | 2.3 | 175.6 | 2.3 |
| Jul | 111.0 | 1.4 | 186.8 | 3.0 | 183.8 | 2.2 | 175.1 | 2.0 |
| Aug | 111.3 | 1.3 | 187.4 | 3.2 | 184.3 | 2.2 | 175.7 | 2.0 |
| Sep | 111.4 | 1.1 | 188.1 | 3.1 | 184.7 | 1.9 | 176.1 | 1.7 |
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1 Inflation rates prior to 1997 and index levels prior to 1996 are estimated. Further details are given in *Economic Trends No. 541 December 1998*. These details are also available on the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=31

2 The taxes excluded are council tax, VAT, duties, vehicle excise duty, insurance tax and air passenger duty.

Source: National Statistics

2 CPI: Detailed figures for 12 July 2005

| | Percentage change over | | | | Percentage change over | | |
|--|------------------------|-------|---------|---|------------------------|-------|---------|
| | Index (1996=100) | 1 mth | 12 mths | | Index (1996=100) | 1 mth | 12 mths |
| CPI (overall index) | 113.6 | 0.1 | 2.3 | | | | |
| 01 Food and non-alcoholic beverages | 108.3 | -1.1 | 1.8 | 06.2 Out-patient services (Dec 1999=100) | 121.2 | 0.2 | 6.7 |
| 02 Alcoholic beverages and tobacco | 137.2 | 0.2 | 2.2 | 06.2.1/3 Medical services & paramedical services (Dec 1999=100) | 117.5 | 0.2 | 9.3 |
| 03 Clothing and footwear | 59.3 | -4.0 | -4.8 | 06.2.2 Dental services (Dec 1999=100) | 126.8 | 0.2 | 4.2 |
| 04 Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels | 126.2 | 0.5 | 6.7 | 06.3 Hospital services (Dec 2000=100) | 137.6 | 2.0 | 6.6 |
| 05 Furniture, household equipment and maintenance | 97.0 | -0.9 | 0.6 | 07.1 Purchase of vehicles | 87.9 | -0.1 | -1.1 |
| 06 Health | 130.9 | 0.8 | 3.4 | 07.1.1A New cars | 99.8 | 0.3 | 1.6 |
| 07 Transport | 128.4 | 2.5 | 4.6 | 07.1.1B Second-hand cars | 76.9 | -1.0 | -5.9 |
| 08 Communication | 81.5 | -0.9 | -2.6 | 07.1.2/3 Motorcycles and bicycles | 87.6 | -0.3 | -2.3 |
| 09 Recreation and culture | 101.9 | -0.5 | -1.5 | 07.2 Operation of personal transport equipment | 155.3 | 1.8 | 7.5 |
| 10 Education | 162.2 | - | 5.0 | 07.2.1 Spare parts and accessories | 109.8 | - | 1.6 |
| 11 Restaurants and hotels | 135.9 | 0.3 | 3.4 | 07.2.2 Fuels and lubricants | 156.6 | 3.3 | 9.8 |
| 12 Miscellaneous goods and services | 130.5 | 0.9 | 5.2 | 07.2.3 Maintenance and repairs | 165.9 | 0.1 | 6.4 |
| | | | | 07.2.4 Other services | 150.4 | 2.9 | 6.4 |
| All goods | 97.1 | -0.8 | 0.5 | 07.3 Transport services | 155.9 | 7.9 | 7.7 |
| All services | 140.4 | 1.1 | 4.5 | 07.3.1 Passenger transport by railway | 131.4 | -0.2 | 3.0 |
| 01.1 Food | 108.7 | -1.5 | 1.8 | 07.3.2 Passenger transport by road | 149.1 | 0.5 | 5.9 |
| 01.1.1 Bread and cereals | 105.3 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 07.3.3 Passenger transport by air | 140.8 | 20.9 | 7.9 |
| 01.1.2 Meat | 103.9 | -0.4 | 0.7 | 07.3.4 Passenger transport by sea and inland waterway | 161.1 | 26.5 | -9.7 |
| 01.1.3 Fish | 126.3 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 08.1 Postal services | 121.3 | - | 4.3 |
| 01.1.4 Milk, cheese and eggs | 107.8 | -0.3 | 2.8 | 08.2/3 Telephone and telefax equipment and services | 78.7 | -0.9 | -3.1 |
| 01.1.5 Oils and fats | 97.4 | 1.4 | -3.6 | 09.1 Audio-visual equipment and related products | 39.8 | -1.5 | -11.9 |
| 01.1.6 Fruit | 109.3 | -11.1 | 1.8 | 09.1.1 Reception and reproduction of sound and pictures | 37.3 | -2.1 | -12.4 |
| 01.1.7 Vegetables including potatoes and tubers | 104.9 | -2.4 | 4.0 | 09.1.2 Photographic, cinematographic and optical equipment | 46.1 | -5.3 | -20.1 |
| 01.1.8 Sugar, jam, syrups, chocolate and confectionery | 120.8 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 09.1.3 Data processing equipment | 8.2 | -1.2 | -22.6 |
| 01.1.9 Food products (nec) | 104.6 | -0.7 | 0.1 | 09.1.4 Recording media | 77.0 | -0.5 | -3.4 |
| 01.2 Non-alcoholic beverages | 104.7 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 09.1.5 Repair of audio-visual equipment & related products | 152.5 | 0.6 | 5.9 |
| 01.2.1 Coffee, tea and cocoa | 98.4 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 09.2 Oth. major durables for recreation & culture (Dec 1999=100) | 110.2 | 0.1 | 0.8 |
| 01.2.2 Mineral waters, soft drinks and juices | 106.8 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 09.2.1/2 Major durables for in/outdoor recreation (Dec 1999=100) | 110.2 | 0.1 | 0.8 |
| 02.1 Alcoholic beverages | 103.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 09.3 Other recreational items, gardens and pets | 86.3 | -1.5 | -2.5 |
| 02.1.1 Spirits | 103.0 | -0.3 | - | 09.3.1 Games, toys and hobbies | 68.4 | -2.1 | -4.1 |
| 02.1.2 Wine | 106.7 | 1.2 | 2.8 | 09.3.2 Equipment for sport and open-air recreation | 76.4 | -1.0 | -5.0 |
| 02.1.3 Beer | 98.1 | -0.2 | -3.1 | 09.3.3 Gardens, plants and flowers | 94.2 | -1.5 | -2.1 |
| 02.2 Tobacco | 172.0 | 0.1 | 3.4 | 09.3.4/5 Pets, related products and services | 120.2 | - | 3.0 |
| 03.1 Clothing | 57.9 | -4.3 | -4.9 | 09.4 Recreational and cultural services | 134.7 | 0.8 | 3.4 |
| 03.1.2 Garments | 55.6 | -4.6 | -5.4 | 09.4.1 Recreational and sporting services | 141.3 | 0.2 | 3.9 |
| 03.1.3 Other clothing and clothing accessories | 80.7 | -1.1 | 2.4 | 09.4.2 Cultural services | 129.9 | 1.1 | 3.2 |
| 03.1.4 Cleaning, repair and hire of clothing | 136.4 | 0.1 | 4.8 | 09.5 Books, newspapers and stationery | 124.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 |
| 03.2 Footwear including repairs | 69.3 | -2.3 | -4.3 | 09.5.1 Books | 126.5 | 3.0 | 3.7 |
| 04.1 Actual rentals for housing | 129.7 | 0.6 | 3.9 | 09.5.2 Newspapers and periodicals | 134.1 | -0.8 | 0.5 |
| 04.3 Regular maintenance and repair of the dwelling | 134.2 | 0.3 | 3.2 | 09.5.3/4 Misc. printed matter, stationery, drawing materials | 108.9 | -0.4 | -0.6 |
| 04.3.1 Materials for maintenance and repair | 103.2 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 09.6 Package holidays | 152.1 | -0.5 | 1.3 |
| 04.3.2 Services for maintenance and repair | 173.8 | 0.5 | 5.3 | 10.0 Education | 162.2 | - | 5.0 |
| 04.4 Water supply and misc. services for the dwelling | 137.8 | - | 11.4 | 11.1 Catering services | 133.7 | 0.1 | 3.0 |
| 04.4.1 Water supply | 140.5 | - | 13.5 | 11.1.1 Restaurants & cafes | 132.7 | 0.2 | 2.9 |
| 04.4.3 Sewerage collection | 134.5 | - | 9.3 | 11.1.2 Canteens | 147.5 | 0.1 | 2.9 |
| 04.5 Electricity, gas and other fuels | 116.3 | 0.3 | 12.3 | 11.2 Accommodation services | 150.0 | 1.4 | 6.2 |
| 04.5.1 Electricity | 102.6 | - | 9.4 | 12.1 Personal care | 111.0 | -0.3 | 0.8 |
| 04.5.2 Gas | 125.8 | 0.2 | 12.8 | 12.1.1 Hairdressing and personal grooming establishments | 157.8 | 0.2 | 4.5 |
| 04.5.3 Liquid fuels | 195.4 | 7.0 | 50.3 | 12.1.2/3 Appliances and products for personal care | 96.7 | -0.5 | -0.5 |
| 04.5.4 Solid fuels | 134.0 | -0.1 | 10.5 | 12.3 Personal effects (nec) | 94.7 | -1.7 | -1.3 |
| 05.1 Furniture, furnishings and carpets | 103.6 | -0.4 | 3.6 | 12.3.1 Jewellery, clocks and watches | 102.1 | -1.4 | -1.6 |
| 05.1.1 Furniture and furnishings | 102.7 | -0.1 | 4.5 | 12.3.2 Other personal effects | 83.3 | -2.6 | -1.0 |
| 05.1.2 Carpets and other floor coverings | 107.0 | -1.2 | 1.0 | 12.4 Social protection (Dec 1999=100) | 137.9 | 0.6 | 5.7 |
| 05.2 Household textiles | 79.3 | -4.3 | -5.0 | 12.5 Insurance | 167.4 | 2.1 | 1.3 |
| 05.3 Household appliances, fitting and repairs | 81.4 | 0.2 | -1.8 | 12.5.2 House contents insurance | 132.2 | 0.6 | -1.4 |
| 05.3.1/2 Major appliances and small electric goods | 74.6 | 0.3 | -2.5 | 12.5.3 Health insurance (Dec 1999=100) | 153.4 | 2.1 | 4.9 |
| 05.3.3 Repair of household appliances | 150.0 | 0.2 | 3.0 | 12.5.4 Transport insurance | 181.0 | 2.5 | 0.3 |
| 05.4 Glassware, tableware and household utensils | 84.1 | -2.2 | -4.5 | 12.6 Financial services (nec) | 76.7 | 2.5 | 10.8 |
| 05.5 Tools and equipment for house and garden | 83.7 | -0.1 | -2.0 | 12.6.2 Other financial services (nec) | 76.7 | 2.5 | 10.8 |
| 05.6 Goods and services for routine maintenance | 119.4 | -0.3 | 2.2 | 12.7 Other services (nec) | 176.2 | 1.2 | 8.3 |
| 05.6.1 Non-durable household goods | 89.8 | -0.8 | 0.2 | | | | |
| 05.6.2 Domestic services and household services | 160.9 | 0.2 | 4.2 | | | | |
| 06.1 Medical products, appliances and equipment | 113.5 | 0.2 | - | | | | |
| 06.1.1 Pharmaceutical products | 107.0 | 0.6 | -0.5 | | | | |
| 06.1.2/3 Other medical and therapeutic equipment | 119.7 | -0.1 | 0.2 | | | | |

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Source: National Statistics

3 CPI: Detailed figures by divisions, groups and classes

| | Weights | Index (1996=100) | | | | | | Percentage change over 12 months | | | | | |
|--|---------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | 2005 | 2005 Feb | 2005 Mar | 2005 Apr | 2005 May | 2005 Jun | 2005 Jul | 2005 Feb | 2005 Mar | 2005 Apr | 2005 May | 2005 Jun |
| CPI (overall index) | 1 000 | 112.2 | 112.7 | 113.1 | 113.5 | 113.5 | 113.6 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 |
| 01 Food and non-alcoholic beverages | 106 | 108.8 | 109.7 | 108.7 | 109.5 | 109.5 | 108.3 | 0.8 | 1.7 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 2.2 | 1.8 |
| 02 Alcoholic beverages and tobacco | 46 | 135.4 | 134.7 | 136.2 | 136.8 | 136.9 | 137.2 | 3.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.2 |
| 03 Clothing and footwear | 63 | 61.7 | 62.2 | 62.0 | 62.0 | 61.8 | 59.3 | -5.8 | -5.2 | -5.2 | -5.5 | -4.8 | -4.8 |
| 04 Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels | 105 | 122.3 | 122.7 | 125.2 | 125.4 | 125.6 | 126.2 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 |
| 05 Furniture, household equipment and maintenance | 65 | 96.6 | 98.2 | 96.9 | 97.7 | 97.9 | 97.0 | -1.1 | 0.0 | -1.0 | -1.0 | -0.6 | 0.6 |
| 06 Health | 24 | 128.5 | 128.7 | 129.4 | 129.7 | 129.8 | 130.9 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.4 |
| 07 Transport | 148 | 122.3 | 123.2 | 123.9 | 125.2 | 125.3 | 128.4 | 3.2 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 4.6 |
| 08 Communication | 25 | 82.4 | 82.3 | 82.4 | 82.0 | 82.2 | 81.5 | -2.7 | -2.9 | -3.2 | -3.5 | -3.0 | -2.6 |
| 09 Recreation and culture | 151 | 102.3 | 102.3 | 102.8 | 102.5 | 102.4 | 101.9 | -0.7 | -0.8 | -0.6 | -0.6 | -1.2 | -1.5 |
| 10 Education | 17 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 |
| 11 Restaurants and hotels | 139 | 133.4 | 133.8 | 134.9 | 135.3 | 135.5 | 135.9 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 3.4 |
| 12 Miscellaneous goods and services | 111 | 128.1 | 128.4 | 129.0 | 129.2 | 129.4 | 130.5 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 5.2 |
| All goods | 536 | 97.2 | 97.7 | 97.8 | 97.9 | 97.9 | 97.1 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| All services | 464 | 136.4 | 136.8 | 137.9 | 138.7 | 138.9 | 140.4 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.5 |
| 01.1 Food | 93 | 109.4 | 110.5 | 109.4 | 110.2 | 110.3 | 108.7 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 1.8 |
| 01.1.1 Bread and cereals | 15 | 105.8 | 105.5 | 105.1 | 105.1 | 105.5 | 105.3 | 1.3 | 0.8 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| 01.1.2 Meat | 23 | 104.1 | 104.2 | 103.6 | 104.2 | 104.3 | 103.9 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.2 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 0.7 |
| 01.1.3 Fish | 4 | 123.5 | 125.5 | 125.7 | 126.6 | 125.8 | 126.3 | -0.2 | 0.2 | -0.5 | 2.6 | 0.6 | 1.5 |
| 01.1.4 Milk, cheese and eggs | 13 | 105.3 | 107.9 | 107.7 | 107.6 | 108.1 | 107.8 | -0.1 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 2.8 |
| 01.1.5 Oils and fats | 2 | 101.3 | 99.8 | 99.0 | 97.5 | 96.1 | 97.4 | 0.9 | -0.1 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -4.0 | -3.6 |
| 01.1.6 Fruit | 8 | 109.8 | 110.4 | 110.1 | 118.6 | 122.9 | 109.3 | -3.7 | -1.3 | -1.3 | 0.9 | 8.3 | 1.8 |
| 01.1.7 Vegetables including potatoes and tubers | 14 | 112.9 | 116.8 | 111.0 | 109.5 | 107.5 | 104.9 | 5.9 | 8.9 | 5.8 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.0 |
| 01.1.8 Sugar, jam, syrups, chocolate and confectionery | 12 | 118.4 | 118.9 | 119.6 | 120.7 | 120.5 | 120.8 | 3.0 | 3.7 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 2.5 |
| 01.1.9 Food products (nec) | 2 | 105.9 | 105.8 | 105.3 | 105.7 | 105.3 | 104.6 | -0.8 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| 01.2 Non-alcoholic beverages | 13 | 103.8 | 103.7 | 103.5 | 103.9 | 103.3 | 104.7 | -1.2 | -1.0 | -1.1 | -0.7 | -0.6 | 1.0 |
| 01.2.1 Coffee, tea and cocoa | 3 | 94.9 | 94.9 | 94.6 | 97.2 | 95.8 | 98.4 | -4.5 | -2.5 | -3.2 | 0.6 | -0.7 | 1.7 |
| 01.2.2 Mineral waters, soft drinks and juices | 10 | 106.8 | 106.7 | 106.5 | 106.1 | 105.8 | 106.8 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -0.5 | -1.2 | -0.6 | 0.7 |
| 02.1 Alcoholic beverages | 20 | 102.8 | 101.5 | 101.9 | 102.9 | 103.0 | 103.5 | -0.3 | -1.9 | -1.9 | -1.4 | -0.5 | 0.6 |
| 02.1.1 Spirits | 5 | 103.0 | 102.6 | 102.4 | 104.0 | 103.3 | 103.0 | -0.6 | -1.0 | -1.7 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| 02.1.2 Wine | 10 | 104.5 | 102.4 | 103.5 | 104.9 | 105.4 | 106.7 | 1.6 | -1.3 | -0.7 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 2.8 |
| 02.1.3 Beer | 5 | 99.3 | 98.8 | 98.7 | 98.4 | 98.3 | 98.1 | -3.4 | -4.2 | -4.2 | -5.7 | -4.2 | -3.1 |
| 02.2 Tobacco | 26 | 168.9 | 168.9 | 171.8 | 171.9 | 171.9 | 172.0 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.4 |
| 03.1 Clothing | 54 | 60.3 | 60.8 | 60.6 | 60.8 | 60.5 | 57.9 | -6.2 | -5.3 | -5.5 | -5.4 | -4.7 | -4.9 |
| 03.1.2 Garments | 51 | 58.1 | 58.6 | 58.4 | 58.5 | 58.3 | 55.6 | -6.6 | -5.8 | -5.8 | -5.9 | -5.0 | -5.4 |
| 03.1.3 Other clothing and clothing accessories | 2 | 80.6 | 81.6 | 81.8 | 81.5 | 81.6 | 80.7 | -1.5 | -0.1 | -0.7 | -0.5 | 0.6 | 2.4 |
| 03.1.4 Cleaning, repair and hire of clothing | 1 | 134.8 | 135.2 | 135.3 | 136.1 | 136.2 | 136.4 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 4.8 |
| 03.2 Footwear including repairs | 9 | 72.0 | 72.1 | 71.5 | 71.0 | 70.9 | 69.3 | -3.4 | -4.0 | -4.9 | -5.5 | -5.5 | -4.3 |
| 04.1 Actual rentals for housing | 47 | 126.5 | 126.5 | 128.8 | 128.9 | 128.9 | 129.7 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.9 |
| 04.3 Regular maintenance and repair of the dwelling | 20 | 132.3 | 132.8 | 132.8 | 133.9 | 133.8 | 134.2 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 3.2 |
| 04.3.1 Materials for maintenance and repair | 12 | 102.3 | 102.6 | 102.4 | 103.4 | 103.0 | 103.2 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 1.8 |
| 04.3.2 Services for maintenance and repair | 8 | 169.8 | 170.7 | 171.4 | 172.3 | 172.9 | 173.8 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.3 |
| 04.4 Water supply and misc. services for the dwelling | 10 | 123.7 | 123.7 | 137.8 | 137.8 | 137.8 | 137.8 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.4 |
| 04.4.1 Water supply | 5 | 123.8 | 123.8 | 140.5 | 140.5 | 140.5 | 140.5 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 13.5 | 13.5 | 13.5 | 13.5 |
| 04.4.3 Sewerage collection | 5 | 123.1 | 123.1 | 134.5 | 134.5 | 134.5 | 134.5 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.3 |
| 04.5 Electricity, gas and other fuels | 28 | 113.5 | 114.5 | 115.1 | 115.2 | 115.9 | 116.3 | 13.6 | 13.4 | 12.5 | 11.8 | 12.3 | 12.3 |
| 04.5.1 Electricity | 14 | 101.1 | 101.7 | 102.1 | 102.4 | 102.6 | 102.6 | 11.7 | 11.3 | 10.5 | 10.1 | 9.7 | 9.4 |
| 04.5.2 Gas | 12 | 123.9 | 124.2 | 124.7 | 125.2 | 125.6 | 125.8 | 14.8 | 13.5 | 12.9 | 13.0 | 13.1 | 12.8 |
| 04.5.3 Liquid fuels | 1 | 148.8 | 169.7 | 175.9 | 166.0 | 182.6 | 195.4 | 28.9 | 45.3 | 38.7 | 21.5 | 41.9 | 50.3 |
| 04.5.4 Solid fuels | 1 | 135.6 | 136.0 | 136.0 | 134.7 | 134.2 | 134.0 | 11.1 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.3 | 10.5 |
| 05.1 Furniture, furnishings and carpets | 25 | 100.0 | 104.9 | 101.8 | 103.2 | 104.0 | 103.6 | -1.1 | 2.4 | -0.4 | -0.2 | 0.5 | 3.6 |
| 05.1.1 Furniture and furnishings | 19 | 98.4 | 104.6 | 100.3 | 101.5 | 102.8 | 102.7 | -1.5 | 2.9 | -0.6 | -0.5 | 0.4 | 4.5 |
| 05.1.2 Carpets and other floor coverings | 6 | 105.9 | 105.9 | 107.2 | 109.0 | 108.3 | 107.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 1.0 |
| 05.2 Household textiles | 8 | 82.9 | 83.9 | 82.5 | 83.3 | 82.9 | 79.3 | -2.9 | -2.3 | -2.9 | -3.8 | -3.6 | -5.0 |
| 05.3 Household appliances, fitting and repairs | 8 | 82.4 | 80.7 | 81.3 | 81.1 | 81.2 | 81.4 | -1.0 | -2.7 | -1.7 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -1.8 |
| 05.3.1/2 Major appliances and small electric goods | 7 | 75.7 | 74.0 | 74.6 | 74.3 | 74.4 | 74.6 | -1.7 | -3.4 | -2.4 | -2.9 | -3.0 | -2.5 |
| 05.3.3 Repair of household appliances | 1 | 149.2 | 149.3 | 149.4 | 149.8 | 149.7 | 150.0 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.5 | 3.0 |
| 05.4 Glassware, tableware and household utensils | 8 | 86.9 | 86.9 | 85.5 | 86.1 | 86.0 | 84.1 | -4.7 | -4.4 | -5.4 | -5.0 | -4.2 | -4.5 |
| 05.5 Tools and equipment for house and garden | 6 | 84.4 | 84.0 | 84.1 | 83.8 | 83.8 | 83.7 | -2.1 | -2.6 | -1.8 | -2.3 | -2.2 | -2.0 |
| 05.6 Goods and services for routine maintenance | 10 | 117.6 | 117.6 | 118.2 | 119.5 | 119.7 | 119.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 2.2 |
| 05.6.1 Non-durable household goods | 5 | 88.5 | 88.1 | 88.7 | 90.4 | 90.5 | 89.8 | -3.7 | -4.4 | -2.6 | -0.6 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| 05.6.2 Domestic services and household services | 5 | 158.3 | 158.9 | 159.5 | 160.0 | 160.5 | 160.9 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.2 |
| 06.1 Medical products, appliances and equipment | 12 | 113.5 | 113.6 | 114.0 | 113.5 | 113.3 | 113.5 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 |
| 06.1.1 Pharmaceutical products | 6 | 106.7 | 106.8 | 107.6 | 106.7 | 106.4 | 107.0 | -0.2 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -0.8 | -0.5 |
| 06.1.2/3 Other medical and therapeutic equipment | 6 | 119.9 | 120.1 | 120.0 | 120.0 | 119.8 | 119.7 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |

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Source: National Statistics

3 CPI: Detailed figures by divisions, groups and classes

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| | Weights | Index (1996=100) | | | | | | | Percentage change over 12 months | | | | | |
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| | | 2005 | 2005 Feb | 2005 Mar | 2005 Apr | 2005 May | 2005 Jun | 2005 Jul | 2005 Feb | 2005 Mar | 2005 Apr | 2005 May | 2005 Jun | 2005 Jul |
| 06.2 Out-patient services (Dec 1999=100) | 4 | 118.5 | 118.4 | 118.6 | 120.3 | 120.9 | 121.2 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 6.7 | |
| 06.2.1/3 Medical services & paramedical services (Dec 1999=100) | 2 | 116.0 | 115.6 | 115.9 | 116.3 | 117.3 | 117.5 | 6.0 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 6.2 | 9.3 | |
| 06.2.2 Dental services (Dec 1999=100) | 2 | 122.8 | 123.0 | 123.2 | 126.3 | 126.5 | 126.8 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 4.2 | |
| 06.3 Hospital services (Dec 2000=100) | 8 | 131.8 | 132.0 | 133.7 | 134.5 | 134.9 | 137.6 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 6.6 | |
| 07.1 Purchase of vehicles | 53 | 88.4 | 88.5 | 88.5 | 88.1 | 88.0 | 87.9 | -1.3 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -1.5 | -1.2 | -1.1 | |
| 07.1.1A New cars | 33 | 99.2 | 99.4 | 99.4 | 99.5 | 99.5 | 99.8 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | |
| 07.1.1B Second-hand cars | 17 | 79.5 | 79.4 | 79.2 | 78.2 | 77.7 | 76.9 | -7.2 | -6.7 | -6.5 | -6.6 | -6.0 | -5.9 | |
| 07.1.2/3 Motorcycles and bicycles | 3 | 86.7 | 87.7 | 87.8 | 87.5 | 87.9 | 87.6 | -2.8 | -1.8 | -1.7 | -2.2 | -1.9 | -2.3 | |
| 07.2 Operation of personal transport equipment | 63 | 147.7 | 148.9 | 152.1 | 152.0 | 152.6 | 155.3 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 7.6 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 7.5 | |
| 07.2.1 Spare parts and accessories | 6 | 109.9 | 109.5 | 109.7 | 109.4 | 109.8 | 109.8 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.6 | |
| 07.2.2 Fuels and lubricants | 27 | 143.1 | 146.1 | 152.4 | 151.6 | 151.6 | 156.6 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 10.4 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 9.8 | |
| 07.2.3 Maintenance and repairs | 24 | 162.8 | 162.7 | 163.6 | 164.4 | 165.7 | 165.9 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 6.4 | |
| 07.2.4 Other services | 6 | 144.3 | 144.2 | 144.4 | 144.9 | 146.2 | 150.4 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 6.4 | |
| 07.3 Transport services | 32 | 137.3 | 139.5 | 137.5 | 144.7 | 144.5 | 155.9 | 6.1 | 8.8 | 4.6 | 7.3 | 6.5 | 7.7 | |
| 07.3.1 Passenger transport by railway | 8 | 130.4 | 130.1 | 131.1 | 130.5 | 131.7 | 131.4 | 4.3 | 4.6 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.0 | |
| 07.3.2 Passenger transport by road | 14 | 145.4 | 146.6 | 147.4 | 147.7 | 148.3 | 149.1 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.9 | |
| 07.3.3 Passenger transport by air | 8 | 101.9 | 107.2 | 99.7 | 118.1 | 116.5 | 140.8 | 2.0 | 12.7 | -0.4 | 11.3 | 9.3 | 7.9 | |
| 07.3.4 Passenger transport by sea and inland waterway | 2 | 122.5 | 119.7 | 121.3 | 130.7 | 127.4 | 161.1 | 7.4 | 4.5 | -6.2 | -13.4 | -17.5 | -9.7 | |
| 08.1 Postal services | 2 | 116.6 | 116.6 | 121.3 | 121.3 | 121.3 | 121.3 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | |
| 08.2/3 Telephone and telefax equipment and services | 23 | 79.9 | 79.8 | 79.6 | 79.2 | 79.4 | 78.7 | -3.2 | -3.4 | -3.9 | -4.2 | -3.5 | -3.1 | |
| 09.1 Audio-visual equipment and related products | 25 | 41.9 | 41.6 | 41.5 | 41.3 | 40.4 | 39.8 | -10.9 | -10.5 | -9.8 | -9.2 | -11.8 | -11.9 | |
| 09.1.1 Reception and reproduction of sound and pictures | 6 | 39.8 | 39.3 | 38.4 | 38.5 | 38.1 | 37.3 | -9.5 | -9.9 | -11.5 | -10.5 | -11.4 | -12.4 | |
| 09.1.2 Photographic, cinematographic and optical equipment | 4 | 51.3 | 50.6 | 51.5 | 50.8 | 48.7 | 46.1 | -15.3 | -16.1 | -14.3 | -14.8 | -17.2 | -20.1 | |
| 09.1.3 Data processing equipment | 5 | 9.4 | 9.2 | 8.9 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 8.2 | -19.0 | -19.3 | -19.8 | -21.1 | -24.5 | -22.6 | |
| 09.1.4 Recording media | 9 | 76.3 | 76.3 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 77.4 | 77.0 | -5.7 | -5.1 | -1.8 | -0.1 | -3.6 | -3.4 | |
| 09.1.5 Repair of audio-visual equipment & related products | 1 | 148.4 | 149.5 | 150.6 | 151.2 | 151.6 | 152.5 | 5.7 | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 5.6 | 5.9 | |
| 09.2 Other major durables for recreation & culture (Dec 1999=100) | 9 | 110.0 | 110.0 | 109.8 | 110.1 | 110.1 | 110.2 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.8 | |
| 09.2.1/2 Major durables for in/outdoor recreation (Dec 1999=100) | 9 | 110.0 | 110.0 | 109.8 | 110.1 | 110.1 | 110.2 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.8 | |
| 09.3 Other recreational items, gardens and pets | 37 | 87.4 | 87.7 | 87.7 | 86.9 | 87.6 | 86.3 | -2.0 | -2.2 | -1.8 | -1.9 | -1.8 | -2.5 | |
| 09.3.1 Games, toys and hobbies | 20 | 69.6 | 70.0 | 70.1 | 69.1 | 69.9 | 68.4 | -3.5 | -3.7 | -3.2 | -3.8 | -3.3 | -4.1 | |
| 09.3.2 Equipment for sport and open-air recreation | 4 | 77.1 | 77.6 | 77.7 | 77.2 | 77.2 | 76.4 | -6.0 | -4.4 | -3.8 | -4.3 | -4.3 | -5.0 | |
| 09.3.3 Gardens, plants and flowers | 6 | 97.7 | 97.4 | 94.9 | 94.7 | 95.6 | 94.2 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -2.3 | -0.8 | -1.6 | -2.1 | |
| 09.3.4/5 Pets, related products and services | 7 | 118.2 | 118.5 | 120.0 | 120.0 | 120.2 | 120.2 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.0 | |
| 09.4 Recreational and cultural services | 33 | 130.6 | 131.1 | 133.4 | 133.7 | 133.6 | 134.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 3.4 | |
| 09.4.1 Recreational and sporting services | 9 | 139.6 | 139.6 | 140.4 | 140.9 | 141.0 | 141.3 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 3.9 | |
| 09.4.2 Cultural services | 24 | 125.0 | 125.6 | 128.4 | 128.7 | 128.5 | 129.9 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 3.2 | |
| 09.5 Books, newspapers and stationery | 18 | 122.6 | 122.5 | 122.4 | 122.9 | 123.5 | 124.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.0 | |
| 09.5.1 Books | 5 | 125.9 | 123.8 | 121.9 | 120.7 | 122.8 | 126.5 | 3.1 | 1.8 | -0.2 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 3.7 | |
| 09.5.2 Newspapers and periodicals | 7 | 132.7 | 133.0 | 134.3 | 134.9 | 135.2 | 134.1 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 0.5 | |
| 09.5.3/4 Misc. printed matter, stationery, drawing materials | 6 | 106.9 | 107.8 | 107.8 | 109.5 | 109.3 | 108.9 | -2.0 | -2.0 | -1.1 | -0.4 | -0.5 | -0.6 | |
| 09.6 Package holidays | 29 | 152.9 | 153.2 | 153.8 | 153.3 | 152.8 | 152.1 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 2.3 | 1.3 | |
| 10.0 Education | 17 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | |
| 11.1 Catering services | 121 | 131.5 | 131.9 | 132.9 | 133.3 | 133.5 | 133.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 3.0 | |
| 11.1.1 Restaurants & cafes | 108 | 130.5 | 130.9 | 131.8 | 132.3 | 132.5 | 132.7 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.9 | |
| 11.1.2 Canteens | 13 | 146.0 | 146.1 | 147.1 | 147.6 | 147.4 | 147.5 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.9 | |
| 11.2 Accommodation services | 18 | 145.4 | 145.4 | 147.5 | 147.6 | 147.9 | 150.0 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 5.5 | 5.3 | 6.2 | |
| 12.1 Personal care | 29 | 111.7 | 112.2 | 111.4 | 111.7 | 111.3 | 111.0 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.8 | |
| 12.1.1 Hairdressing and personal grooming establishments | 8 | 154.9 | 155.8 | 156.7 | 157.2 | 157.5 | 157.8 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.5 | |
| 12.1.2/3 Appliances and products for personal care | 21 | 98.3 | 98.6 | 97.5 | 97.7 | 97.2 | 96.7 | -1.4 | -0.5 | -1.3 | -0.6 | -0.5 | -0.5 | |
| 12.3 Personal effects (nec) | 11 | 96.1 | 96.8 | 96.8 | 95.6 | 96.3 | 94.7 | -1.2 | -0.8 | -0.5 | -1.8 | -1.1 | -1.3 | |
| 12.3.1 Jewellery, clocks and watches | 8 | 103.6 | 104.2 | 103.8 | 102.2 | 103.5 | 102.1 | -1.4 | -1.3 | -1.2 | -2.7 | -1.4 | -1.6 | |
| 12.3.2 Other personal effects | 3 | 84.7 | 85.7 | 86.4 | 86.3 | 85.5 | 83.3 | -0.9 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.3 | -0.5 | -1.0 | |
| 12.4 Social protection (Dec 1999=100) | 13 | 134.8 | 134.8 | 135.6 | 136.3 | 137.1 | 137.9 | 6.1 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.7 | |
| 12.5 Insurance | 8 | 164.0 | 163.5 | 163.8 | 164.1 | 163.9 | 167.4 | -1.0 | -1.3 | -1.1 | -0.4 | -0.5 | 1.3 | |
| 12.5.2 House contents insurance | 1 | 130.2 | 130.7 | 130.3 | 130.3 | 131.4 | 132.2 | -3.3 | -2.9 | -3.6 | -3.6 | -2.7 | -1.4 | |
| 12.5.3 Health insurance (Dec 1999=100) | 2 | 148.5 | 148.5 | 150.2 | 150.2 | 150.2 | 153.4 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 4.9 | |
| 12.5.4 Transport insurance | 5 | 178.1 | 177.0 | 176.8 | 177.3 | 176.6 | 181.0 | -2.8 | -3.4 | -2.3 | -0.8 | -1.2 | 0.3 | |
| 12.6 Financial services (nec) | 26 | 73.2 | 73.2 | 74.7 | 74.8 | 74.8 | 76.7 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 8.6 | 10.8 | |
| 12.6.2 Other financial services (nec) | 26 | 73.2 | 73.2 | 74.7 | 74.8 | 74.8 | 76.7 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 8.6 | 10.8 | |
| 12.7 Other services (nec) | 24 | 171.3 | 171.6 | 172.6 | 173.2 | 174.1 | 176.2 | 8.8 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 8.2 | 8.1 | 8.3 | |

Key: - zero or negligible .. not available (nec) not elsewhere covered

Source: National Statistics

4 CPI: Detailed figures by division¹

| | Food and non-alcoholic beverages | Alcoholic beverages and tobacco | Clothing and footwear | Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels | Furniture, household equipment & routine maintenance | Health ² | Transport | Communication | Recreation and culture | Education ² | Restaurants and hotels | Miscellaneous goods and services ² | CPI (overall index) |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|---------------------|-----------|---------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---|---------------------|
| COICOP Division | 01 | 02 | 03 | 04 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 08 | 09 | 10 | 11 | 12 | |
| Weights | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | CHZR | CHZS | CHZT | CHZU | CHZV | CHZW | CHZX | CHZY | CHZZ | CJUU | CJUV | CJUW | CHZQ |
| 2005 | 106 | 46 | 63 | 105 | 65 | 24 | 148 | 25 | 151 | 17 | 139 | 111 | 1 000 |
| Monthly indices (1996=100) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | CHVK | CHVL | CHVM | CHVN | CHVO | CHVP | CHVQ | CHVR | CHVS | CHVT | CHVU | CHVV | CHVJ |
| 2003 Jul | 106.3 | 131.4 | 65.5 | 114.2 | 97.1 | 125.0 | 118.1 | 84.6 | 104.2 | 147.6 | 127.8 | 120.1 | 109.5 |
| Aug | 106.3 | 132.1 | 66.9 | 114.3 | 97.3 | 125.1 | 118.7 | 84.6 | 104.4 | 147.6 | 128.0 | 120.6 | 109.9 |
| Sep | 107.1 | 132.0 | 68.7 | 114.6 | 98.5 | 125.4 | 117.4 | 85.0 | 104.4 | 151.3 | 128.3 | 121.0 | 110.2 |
| Oct | 107.3 | 132.2 | 68.4 | 114.9 | 97.6 | 125.8 | 117.2 | 84.7 | 104.3 | 154.5 | 128.5 | 122.5 | 110.4 |
| Nov | 107.6 | 131.1 | 68.6 | 115.0 | 98.4 | 125.9 | 116.4 | 84.2 | 104.1 | 154.5 | 128.9 | 122.5 | 110.3 |
| Dec | 108.0 | 130.7 | 67.8 | 115.2 | 99.5 | 125.0 | 118.5 | 84.2 | 104.0 | 154.5 | 129.1 | 122.7 | 110.7 |
| 2004 Jan | 107.6 | 131.5 | 65.7 | 115.4 | 96.6 | 125.4 | 117.9 | 84.2 | 103.2 | 154.5 | 129.3 | 123.6 | 110.1 |
| Feb | 107.9 | 131.5 | 65.5 | 115.5 | 97.7 | 125.1 | 118.5 | 84.7 | 103.0 | 154.5 | 129.4 | 123.9 | 110.4 |
| Mar | 107.9 | 131.8 | 65.6 | 116.0 | 98.2 | 125.4 | 118.5 | 84.8 | 103.1 | 154.5 | 130.1 | 123.9 | 110.6 |
| Apr | 107.6 | 133.5 | 65.4 | 117.6 | 97.9 | 126.0 | 119.4 | 85.1 | 103.4 | 154.5 | 130.5 | 123.7 | 111.0 |
| May | 108.0 | 133.8 | 65.6 | 117.9 | 98.7 | 126.2 | 121.1 | 85.0 | 103.1 | 154.5 | 130.9 | 123.8 | 111.4 |
| Jun | 107.1 | 133.8 | 64.9 | 118.1 | 98.5 | 126.4 | 121.2 | 84.7 | 103.6 | 154.5 | 131.2 | 123.7 | 111.3 |
| Jul | 106.4 | 134.2 | 62.3 | 118.3 | 96.4 | 126.6 | 122.7 | 83.7 | 103.4 | 154.5 | 131.4 | 124.1 | 111.0 |
| Aug | 106.1 | 134.7 | 63.1 | 118.6 | 97.0 | 126.5 | 123.2 | 83.6 | 103.4 | 154.5 | 131.7 | 124.4 | 111.3 |
| Sep | 106.4 | 134.9 | 64.7 | 118.9 | 98.0 | 127.1 | 121.3 | 82.8 | 103.4 | 158.2 | 131.8 | 124.7 | 111.4 |
| Oct | 106.7 | 134.8 | 64.8 | 119.9 | 97.2 | 127.6 | 121.2 | 82.9 | 103.3 | 162.2 | 132.2 | 126.3 | 111.7 |
| Nov | 107.1 | 134.1 | 65.0 | 120.7 | 98.0 | 127.7 | 121.2 | 82.6 | 103.2 | 162.2 | 132.6 | 126.4 | 111.9 |
| Dec | 107.8 | 133.4 | 64.2 | 121.4 | 100.2 | 127.5 | 123.3 | 82.3 | 103.4 | 162.2 | 132.9 | 126.7 | 112.5 |
| 2005 Jan | 108.0 | 134.8 | 61.8 | 122.1 | 96.2 | 128.4 | 121.2 | 82.2 | 102.8 | 162.2 | 133.1 | 128.0 | 111.9 |
| Feb | 108.8 | 135.4 | 61.7 | 122.3 | 96.6 | 128.5 | 122.3 | 82.4 | 102.3 | 162.2 | 133.4 | 128.1 | 112.2 |
| Mar | 109.7 | 134.7 | 62.2 | 122.7 | 98.2 | 128.7 | 123.2 | 82.3 | 102.3 | 162.2 | 133.8 | 128.4 | 112.7 |
| Apr | 108.7 | 136.2 | 62.0 | 125.2 | 96.9 | 129.4 | 123.9 | 82.4 | 102.8 | 162.2 | 134.9 | 129.0 | 113.1 |
| May | 109.5 | 136.8 | 62.0 | 125.4 | 97.7 | 129.7 | 125.2 | 82.0 | 102.5 | 162.2 | 135.3 | 129.2 | 113.5 |
| Jun | 109.5 | 136.9 | 61.8 | 125.6 | 97.9 | 129.8 | 125.3 | 82.2 | 102.4 | 162.2 | 135.5 | 129.4 | 113.5 |
| Jul | 108.3 | 137.2 | 59.3 | 126.2 | 97.0 | 130.9 | 128.4 | 81.5 | 101.9 | 162.2 | 135.9 | 130.5 | 113.6 |
| Percentage change on a year earlier | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | CJYS | CJYT | CJYU | CJYV | CJYW | CJYX | CJYY | CJYZ | CJZA | CJZB | CJZC | CJZD | CJYR |
| 2003 Jul | 1.4 | 1.5 | -2.2 | 1.8 | -0.1 | 3.9 | 2.2 | 1.0 | -1.0 | 8.5 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.3 |
| Aug | 1.6 | 2.4 | -1.2 | 1.8 | -0.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 | 0.7 | -1.5 | 8.5 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 1.4 |
| Sep | 2.2 | 1.9 | -3.4 | 2.0 | -0.3 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 1.1 | -1.7 | 8.7 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 1.4 |
| Oct | 2.2 | 2.2 | -3.3 | 2.1 | -0.3 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 0.4 | -2.0 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 1.4 |
| Nov | 2.6 | 1.6 | -4.3 | 2.2 | -0.3 | 3.6 | 3.7 | -0.4 | -2.3 | 4.7 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 1.3 |
| Dec | 3.0 | 1.8 | -3.6 | 2.2 | -0.6 | 3.0 | 3.0 | -0.2 | -2.2 | 4.7 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 1.3 |
| 2004 Jan | 2.6 | 1.7 | -2.5 | 2.3 | -0.2 | 2.6 | 3.1 | -0.4 | -2.5 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 1.4 |
| Feb | 2.2 | 1.6 | -4.0 | 2.2 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 3.0 | 0.2 | -2.8 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 4.3 | 1.3 |
| Mar | 1.9 | 1.9 | -4.5 | 2.7 | -0.7 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.2 | -2.6 | 4.7 | 3.1 | 4.1 | 1.1 |
| Apr | 1.2 | 2.1 | -4.7 | 3.4 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 1.4 | 0.7 | -2.2 | 4.7 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 1.2 |
| May | 1.0 | 2.0 | -4.5 | 3.7 | -0.1 | 2.0 | 3.7 | 0.5 | -2.0 | 4.7 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 1.5 |
| Jun | 0.8 | 1.9 | -4.7 | 3.8 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 3.9 | 1.0 | -1.1 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Jul | 0.1 | 2.1 | -4.9 | 3.6 | -0.7 | 1.3 | 3.9 | -1.1 | -0.8 | 4.7 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 1.4 |
| Aug | -0.2 | 2.0 | -5.7 | 3.8 | -0.3 | 1.1 | 3.8 | -1.2 | -1.0 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 1.3 |
| Sep | -0.7 | 2.2 | -5.8 | 3.8 | -0.5 | 1.4 | 3.3 | -2.6 | -1.0 | 4.6 | 2.7 | 3.1 | 1.1 |
| Oct | -0.6 | 2.0 | -5.3 | 4.4 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 3.4 | -2.1 | -1.0 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 1.2 |
| Nov | -0.5 | 2.3 | -5.2 | 5.0 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 4.1 | -1.9 | -0.9 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 1.5 |
| Dec | -0.2 | 2.1 | -5.3 | 5.4 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 4.1 | -2.3 | -0.6 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 1.6 |
| 2005 Jan | 0.4 | 2.5 | -5.9 | 5.8 | -0.4 | 2.4 | 2.8 | -2.4 | -0.4 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Feb | 0.8 | 3.0 | -5.8 | 5.9 | -1.1 | 2.7 | 3.2 | -2.7 | -0.7 | 5.0 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 1.6 |
| Mar | 1.7 | 2.2 | -5.2 | 5.8 | - | 2.6 | 4.0 | -2.9 | -0.8 | 5.0 | 2.8 | 3.6 | 1.9 |
| Apr | 1.0 | 2.0 | -5.2 | 6.5 | -1.0 | 2.7 | 3.8 | -3.2 | -0.6 | 5.0 | 3.4 | 4.3 | 1.9 |
| May | 1.4 | 2.2 | -5.5 | 6.4 | -1.0 | 2.8 | 3.4 | -3.5 | -0.6 | 5.0 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 1.9 |
| Jun | 2.2 | 2.3 | -4.8 | 6.4 | -0.6 | 2.7 | 3.4 | -3.0 | -1.2 | 5.0 | 3.3 | 4.6 | 2.0 |
| Jul | 1.8 | 2.2 | -4.8 | 6.7 | 0.6 | 3.4 | 4.6 | -2.6 | -1.5 | 5.0 | 3.4 | 5.2 | 2.3 |

Key: - zero or negligible

¹ Inflation rates prior to 1997 and index levels prior to 1996 are estimated. Further details are given in *Economic Trends No. 541 December 1998*. These details are also available on the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi/article.asp?ID=31

² The coverage of these categories was extended in January 2000; further extensions to coverage came into effect in January 2001 for health and miscellaneous goods and services; the coverage of miscellaneous goods and services was further extended with effect from January 2002 (details are given in a series of Economic Trends articles available on the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi)

Source: National Statistics

5 CPI: Detailed goods and services breakdown

| | Weights | Index (1996=100) | | | | | | Percentage change over 12 months | | | | | | Percentage change over 1 month |
|--|---------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|--------------------------------|
| | | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 |
| | | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Jul |
| CPI (overall index) | 1 000 | 112.2 | 112.7 | 113.1 | 113.5 | 113.5 | 113.6 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 0.1 |
| All goods | 536 | 97.2 | 97.7 | 97.8 | 97.9 | 97.9 | 97.1 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | -0.8 |
| Food, alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 152 | 116.6 | 117.1 | 116.8 | 117.5 | 117.5 | 116.7 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 2.2 | 1.8 | -0.7 |
| Processed food & non-alcoholic beverages | 57 | 107.4 | 107.9 | 107.8 | 108.0 | 108.1 | 108.3 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.2 |
| Non-processed food | 49 | 109.9 | 111.3 | 109.3 | 110.7 | 110.7 | 107.6 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 3.5 | 1.9 | -2.8 |
| Seasonal food | 26 | 115.2 | 117.9 | 114.6 | 116.5 | 116.7 | 111.0 | 1.9 | 4.3 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 5.2 | 3.0 | -4.9 |
| Meat | 23 | 104.1 | 104.2 | 103.6 | 104.2 | 104.3 | 103.9 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.2 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 0.7 | -0.4 |
| Alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 46 | 135.4 | 134.7 | 136.2 | 136.8 | 136.9 | 137.2 | 3.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 0.2 |
| Industrial goods¹ | 384 | 89.7 | 90.3 | 90.4 | 90.4 | 90.4 | 89.6 | -0.9 | -0.6 | -0.3 | -0.8 | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.9 |
| Energy | 55 | 127.7 | 129.6 | 132.8 | 132.4 | 132.8 | 135.3 | 9.6 | 10.0 | 11.6 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 11.2 | 1.9 |
| Electricity, gas & miscellaneous energy | 27 | 111.9 | 112.4 | 112.8 | 113.2 | 113.4 | 113.5 | 13.0 | 12.3 | 11.5 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 10.9 | 0.1 |
| Liquid fuels, vehicle fuels & lubricants | 28 | 144.3 | 148.0 | 154.3 | 153.2 | 153.7 | 159.0 | 6.4 | 8.0 | 11.3 | 5.4 | 6.4 | 11.2 | 3.4 |
| Non-energy industrial goods | 329 | 83.5 | 83.9 | 83.7 | 83.7 | 83.6 | 82.5 | -2.6 | -2.2 | -2.2 | -2.2 | -2.2 | -1.9 | -1.3 |
| Clothing & footwear goods | 62 | 60.8 | 61.2 | 61.0 | 61.0 | 60.8 | 58.3 | -5.9 | -5.3 | -5.4 | -5.7 | -5.0 | -4.9 | -4.1 |
| Housing goods | 76 | 95.1 | 96.5 | 96.2 | 97.0 | 97.1 | 96.3 | -0.8 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.4 | -0.8 |
| Household goods | 59 | 91.8 | 93.5 | 92.0 | 92.8 | 93.1 | 92.1 | -1.7 | -0.4 | -1.6 | -1.6 | -1.1 | 0.2 | -1.1 |
| Water supply; materials for maintenance & repair | 17 | 109.9 | 110.2 | 114.4 | 115.1 | 114.8 | 115.0 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 0.2 |
| Medical products, appliances & equipment | 12 | 113.5 | 113.6 | 114.0 | 113.5 | 113.3 | 113.5 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Vehicles, spare parts & accessories | 59 | 90.7 | 90.8 | 90.7 | 90.4 | 90.3 | 90.2 | -1.1 | -1.0 | -1.1 | -1.2 | -1.1 | -0.9 | -0.1 |
| Recreational goods | 88 | 78.1 | 78.0 | 77.9 | 77.6 | 77.5 | 76.7 | -3.8 | -3.9 | -3.6 | -3.4 | -4.1 | -4.4 | -1.0 |
| Audio-visual goods | 24 | 38.6 | 38.2 | 38.2 | 38.0 | 37.1 | 36.5 | -11.5 | -11.4 | -10.3 | -9.7 | -12.5 | -12.7 | -1.6 |
| Other recreational goods | 64 | 101.6 | 101.8 | 101.7 | 101.3 | 102.0 | 101.2 | -0.7 | -1.0 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -0.7 | -1.0 | -0.8 |
| Miscellaneous goods | 32 | 97.8 | 98.2 | 97.5 | 97.3 | 97.1 | 96.3 | -1.3 | -0.6 | -1.0 | -0.9 | -0.7 | -0.7 | -0.8 |
| All services | 464 | 136.4 | 136.8 | 137.9 | 138.7 | 138.9 | 140.4 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.5 | 1.1 |
| Housing services | 67 | 134.0 | 134.1 | 136.8 | 137.0 | 137.1 | 137.8 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 0.5 |
| Actual rentals for housing | 47 | 126.5 | 126.5 | 128.8 | 128.9 | 128.9 | 129.7 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 0.6 |
| Primary housing services | 14 | 149.3 | 149.8 | 155.0 | 155.5 | 155.9 | 156.4 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.3 | 0.3 |
| Other housing services | 6 | 157.6 | 158.1 | 158.5 | 159.1 | 159.5 | 159.9 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.0 | 0.3 |
| Travel & transport services | 67 | 150.2 | 151.3 | 150.5 | 154.6 | 155.0 | 161.8 | 5.8 | 6.9 | 4.9 | 6.3 | 5.9 | 6.9 | 4.4 |
| Services for personal transport equipment | 30 | 158.3 | 158.2 | 158.9 | 159.6 | 161.0 | 162.0 | 6.3 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 0.6 |
| Transport services | 32 | 137.3 | 139.5 | 137.5 | 144.7 | 144.5 | 155.9 | 6.1 | 8.8 | 4.6 | 7.3 | 6.5 | 7.7 | 7.9 |
| Transport insurance | 5 | 178.1 | 177.0 | 176.8 | 177.3 | 176.6 | 181.0 | -2.8 | -3.4 | -2.3 | -0.8 | -1.2 | 0.3 | 2.5 |
| Communication | 25 | 82.4 | 82.3 | 82.4 | 82.0 | 82.2 | 81.5 | -2.7 | -2.9 | -3.2 | -3.5 | -3.0 | -2.6 | -0.9 |
| Recreational & personal services | 211 | 136.4 | 136.8 | 138.0 | 138.3 | 138.3 | 138.8 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 0.4 |
| Package holidays & accommodation | 47 | 151.4 | 151.6 | 152.8 | 152.5 | 152.3 | 152.8 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 0.3 |
| Other recreational & personal services | 164 | 132.4 | 132.8 | 134.1 | 134.5 | 134.6 | 135.0 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 0.3 |
| Catering services | 121 | 131.5 | 131.9 | 132.9 | 133.3 | 133.5 | 133.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 0.1 |
| Non-catering recreational & personal services | 43 | 135.0 | 135.5 | 137.5 | 137.9 | 137.9 | 138.8 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 0.7 |
| Miscellaneous & other services | 94 | 156.3 | 156.4 | 157.9 | 158.4 | 158.8 | 160.9 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.9 | 7.7 | 1.3 |
| Miscellaneous services | 65 | 149.8 | 149.9 | 151.6 | 152.1 | 152.6 | 155.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.6 | 8.6 | 1.6 |
| Medical services (Dec 1999=100) | 12 | 129.6 | 129.6 | 130.8 | 132.0 | 132.4 | 134.3 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 5.6 | 5.3 | 6.6 | 1.4 |
| Education | 17 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 162.2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 | - |
| Special aggregates² | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Durables | 117 | 82.0 | 82.6 | 81.9 | 81.8 | 81.7 | 81.3 | -2.4 | -1.8 | -2.4 | -2.6 | -2.6 | -1.8 | -0.5 |
| Semi-durables | 131 | 71.7 | 72.1 | 71.9 | 71.8 | 71.8 | 69.8 | -4.4 | -3.9 | -3.7 | -4.0 | -3.6 | -3.7 | -2.8 |
| Non-durables | 81 | 107.6 | 107.8 | 108.5 | 108.9 | 108.7 | 108.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.1 | -0.3 |
| Seasonal food | 26 | 115.2 | 117.9 | 114.6 | 116.5 | 116.7 | 111.0 | 1.9 | 4.3 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 5.2 | 3.0 | -4.9 |
| Non-seasonal food | 67 | 107.2 | 107.6 | 107.4 | 107.7 | 107.9 | 107.7 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 1.3 | -0.2 |
| Energy, food, alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 207 | 119.5 | 120.3 | 120.9 | 121.3 | 121.4 | 121.4 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 4.3 | - |
| Energy & unprocessed food | 104 | 119.6 | 121.3 | 121.8 | 122.3 | 122.6 | 122.2 | 5.4 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 5.2 | 6.3 | 6.8 | -0.3 |
| Energy & seasonal food | 81 | 124.0 | 126.1 | 127.0 | 127.5 | 127.8 | 127.4 | 7.1 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 7.6 | 8.5 | -0.3 |
| Tobacco | 26 | 168.9 | 168.9 | 171.8 | 171.9 | 171.9 | 172.0 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.4 | 0.1 |
| Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels | 105 | 122.3 | 122.7 | 125.2 | 125.4 | 125.6 | 126.2 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 0.5 |
| Education, health & social protection ³ | 54 | 148.0 | 148.0 | 148.6 | 149.0 | 149.2 | 150.0 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.5 | 0.5 |
| All items excluding | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Energy | 945 | 111.1 | 111.6 | 111.9 | 112.3 | 112.3 | 112.3 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.9 | - |
| Energy, food, alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 793 | 109.9 | 110.3 | 110.7 | 111.1 | 111.1 | 111.2 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 0.1 |
| Energy & unprocessed food | 896 | 111.3 | 111.6 | 112.1 | 112.4 | 112.5 | 112.6 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 0.1 |
| Seasonal food | 974 | 112.1 | 112.5 | 113.0 | 113.4 | 113.4 | 113.7 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 0.3 |
| Energy & seasonal food | 919 | 111.0 | 111.3 | 111.7 | 112.1 | 112.2 | 112.3 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 0.1 |
| Tobacco | 974 | 110.6 | 111.1 | 111.5 | 111.9 | 112.0 | 112.0 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.3 | - |
| Alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 954 | 110.8 | 111.4 | 111.8 | 112.1 | 112.2 | 112.2 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | - |
| Liquid fuels, vehicle fuels & lubricants | 972 | 110.9 | 111.3 | 111.6 | 112.1 | 112.1 | 112.1 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.1 | - |
| Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels | 895 | 111.0 | 111.5 | 111.7 | 112.1 | 112.2 | 112.2 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.9 | - |
| Education, health & social protection | 946 | 111.0 | 111.5 | 111.9 | 112.3 | 112.3 | 112.4 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 0.1 |

Key: - zero or negligible

3 The coverage of this special aggregate has changed extensively since January 2000, when Social protection was first included and extensions to the Education and Health divisions also took effect. Health was further extended with effect from January 2001. Details are given in a series of Economic Trends articles available on the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi

1 For further information on the composition of the industrial goods aggregates, see 'The Consumer Prices Index: Goods and Services Indices and Special Aggregates', which can be downloaded from: www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?id=1060

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Source: National Statistics

6 CPI goods and services: the latest three years

Percentage change over 12 months

| | Goods components | | | | | Services components | | | | | |
|----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|--|--------------|-------------------------------|--|---|---------------|---|--------------|
| | Food & non-alcoholic beverages | Alcoholic beverages & tobacco | Energy ¹ | Non-energy industrial goods ² | All goods | Housing services ³ | Travel & transport services ³ | Recreational & personal services ³ | Communication | Miscellaneous & other services ³ | All services |
| Weights | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | CHZR 106 | CHZS 46 | A9F3 55 | A9ER 329 | ICVH 536 | A9FG 67 | A9FJ 67 | A9FL 211 | CHZY 25 | A9FQ 94 | ICVI 464 |
| Monthly | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 Jul | CJYS -0.2 | CJYT 2.5 | A9HX -2.2 | A9HN -2.3 | JKWV -1.4 | A9IC 3.4 | A9IF 4.8 | A9IH 4.7 | CJYZ 1.1 | A9IM 4.7 | JKWW 4.1 |
| Aug | -0.1 | 2.0 | -1.5 | -2.8 | -1.7 | 3.3 | 4.9 | 4.9 | -0.2 | 4.7 | 4.2 |
| Sep | 0.2 | 2.0 | -1.1 | -2.7 | -1.5 | 3.4 | 3.8 | 5.0 | -0.1 | 3.8 | 4.1 |
| Oct | 0.2 | 1.6 | 0.4 | -2.4 | -1.3 | 3.3 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.4 | 6.2 | 4.5 |
| Nov | 0.4 | 1.7 | 3.4 | -2.4 | -0.9 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 0.1 | 6.0 | 4.5 |
| Dec | -0.2 | 1.7 | 4.3 | -2.9 | -1.2 | 3.3 | 7.9 | 5.0 | - | 6.0 | 5.0 |
| 2003 Jan | -1.1 | 1.7 | 4.0 | -2.6 | -1.3 | 2.9 | 5.6 | 4.9 | 0.5 | 4.5 | 4.4 |
| Feb | -0.4 | 1.6 | 4.8 | -2.2 | -0.8 | 2.9 | 6.2 | 4.8 | 0.2 | 4.4 | 4.4 |
| Mar | -0.3 | 1.6 | 6.1 | -2.4 | -0.8 | 2.9 | 5.6 | 4.7 | 1.0 | 4.3 | 4.2 |
| Apr | 0.3 | 2.5 | 2.6 | -2.2 | -0.8 | 2.3 | 8.7 | 4.1 | 0.7 | 3.3 | 4.1 |
| May | 1.2 | 1.9 | 0.9 | -2.1 | -0.8 | 2.2 | 6.8 | 3.7 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 3.7 |
| Jun | 1.3 | 2.2 | 1.1 | -2.2 | -0.7 | 2.2 | 5.4 | 3.3 | - | 3.5 | 3.3 |
| Jul | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.6 | -1.9 | -0.6 | 2.5 | 5.0 | 3.2 | 1.0 | 4.7 | 3.5 |
| Aug | 1.6 | 2.4 | 2.3 | -1.5 | -0.1 | 2.5 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 0.7 | 4.6 | 3.2 |
| Sep | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.0 | -1.8 | -0.3 | 2.5 | 6.5 | 2.6 | 1.1 | 4.9 | 3.5 |
| Oct | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.0 | -1.8 | -0.2 | 2.5 | 6.4 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 4.2 | 3.2 |
| Nov | 2.6 | 1.6 | 2.4 | -1.9 | -0.2 | 2.5 | 7.0 | 2.2 | -0.4 | 4.3 | 3.2 |
| Dec | 3.0 | 1.8 | 2.8 | -1.9 | - | 2.5 | 5.0 | 2.0 | -0.2 | 4.2 | 2.9 |
| 2004 Jan | 2.6 | 1.7 | 2.1 | -1.5 | - | 2.5 | 5.8 | 1.8 | -0.4 | 5.9 | 3.1 |
| Feb | 2.2 | 1.6 | 1.7 | -1.8 | -0.4 | 2.6 | 5.8 | 1.7 | 0.2 | 6.1 | 3.2 |
| Mar | 1.9 | 1.9 | 0.9 | -2.1 | -0.6 | 2.7 | 4.9 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 6.1 | 3.1 |
| Apr | 1.2 | 2.1 | 2.8 | -1.9 | -0.5 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 5.9 | 3.0 |
| May | 1.0 | 2.0 | 7.6 | -2.1 | -0.1 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 2.2 | 0.5 | 5.8 | 3.3 |
| Jun | 0.8 | 1.9 | 7.9 | -1.6 | - | 3.1 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 5.5 | 3.3 |
| Jul | 0.1 | 2.1 | 7.1 | -1.9 | -0.3 | 3.1 | 5.4 | 2.5 | -1.1 | 5.0 | 3.4 |
| Aug | -0.2 | 2.0 | 7.2 | -2.3 | -0.7 | 3.2 | 5.8 | 2.7 | -1.2 | 5.1 | 3.5 |
| Sep | -0.7 | 2.2 | 7.1 | -2.4 | -0.8 | 3.2 | 4.8 | 2.6 | -2.6 | 4.9 | 3.2 |
| Oct | -0.6 | 2.0 | 9.2 | -2.4 | -0.6 | 3.4 | 4.3 | 2.8 | -2.1 | 5.0 | 3.3 |
| Nov | -0.5 | 2.3 | 10.9 | -2.4 | -0.4 | 3.5 | 5.7 | 2.9 | -1.9 | 5.0 | 3.5 |
| Dec | -0.2 | 2.1 | 10.6 | -2.0 | -0.1 | 3.5 | 6.3 | 3.0 | -2.3 | 5.0 | 3.7 |
| 2005 Jan | 0.4 | 2.5 | 9.1 | -2.2 | -0.2 | 3.6 | 5.4 | 3.2 | -2.4 | 5.5 | 3.8 |
| Feb | 0.8 | 3.0 | 9.6 | -2.6 | -0.2 | 3.6 | 5.8 | 3.3 | -2.7 | 5.5 | 3.8 |
| Mar | 1.7 | 2.2 | 10.0 | -2.2 | 0.1 | 3.6 | 6.9 | 3.2 | -2.9 | 5.5 | 4.0 |
| Apr | 1.0 | 2.0 | 11.6 | -2.2 | 0.2 | 4.3 | 4.9 | 3.4 | -3.2 | 6.5 | 4.0 |
| May | 1.4 | 2.2 | 8.3 | -2.2 | -0.1 | 4.3 | 6.3 | 3.4 | -3.5 | 6.6 | 4.2 |
| Jun | 2.2 | 2.3 | 8.7 | -2.2 | 0.2 | 4.2 | 5.9 | 3.1 | -3.0 | 6.9 | 4.2 |
| Jul | 1.8 | 2.2 | 11.2 | -1.9 | 0.5 | 4.4 | 6.9 | 3.2 | -2.6 | 7.7 | 4.5 |

Key: - zero or negligible

3 For further information on all of these services components, see 'The Consumer Prices Index: Goods and Services Indices and Special Aggregates', which can be downloaded from: www.statistics.gov.uk/ccj/article.asp?id=1060

1 Comprises 'Electricity, gas and other fuels' (group 04.5) and 'Fuels and lubricants' (class 07.2.2).

2 Comprises all other goods elements of the CPI. For further information, see 'The Consumer Prices Index: Goods and Services Indices and Special Aggregates', which can be downloaded from: www.statistics.gov.uk/ccj/article.asp?id=1060

Source: National Statistics

7 HICP¹ - International comparisons: EU countries

Percentage change over 12 months

| | Austria | Belgium | Cyprus | Czech Republic | Denmark | Estonia | Finland | France | Germany | Greece | Hungary | Irish Republic | Italy | Latvia |
|----------|---------|---------|--------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|----------------|-------|--------|
| | CLNL | CLNM | A4KR | A4KS | CLNN | A4KT | CLNO | CLNP | CLNQ | CLNR | A4KU | CLNT | CLNU | A4KV |
| 2000 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 4.9 | 3.9 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 2.9 | 10.0 | 5.3 | 2.6 | 2.6 |
| 2001 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 4.5 | 2.3 | 5.6 | 2.7 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 3.7 | 9.1 | 4.0 | 2.3 | 2.5 |
| 2002 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 5.2 | 4.7 | 2.6 | 2.0 |
| 2003 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 4.0 | -0.1 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 4.7 | 4.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 |
| 2004 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 0.9 | 3.0 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 3.0 | 6.8 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 6.2 |
| 2003 Jul | 1.0 | 1.4 | 2.6 | -0.3 | 1.8 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 0.8 | 3.5 | 4.7 | 3.9 | 2.9 | 3.7 |
| Aug | 1.0 | 1.6 | 2.4 | -0.2 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 4.7 | 3.9 | 2.7 | 3.4 |
| Sep | 1.4 | 1.7 | 3.3 | - | 1.7 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 3.2 |
| Oct | 1.1 | 1.4 | 3.7 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 4.8 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 3.3 |
| Nov | 1.3 | 1.8 | 3.8 | 0.9 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 3.2 | 5.6 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 3.7 |
| Dec | 1.3 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 2.4 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 5.6 | 2.9 | 2.5 | 3.5 |
| 2004 Jan | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 3.1 | 6.7 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 4.0 |
| Feb | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 1.9 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 7.0 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 4.3 |
| Mar | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 2.1 | 0.4 | 0.7 | -0.4 | 1.9 | 1.1 | 2.9 | 6.6 | 1.8 | 2.3 | 4.7 |
| Apr | 1.5 | 1.7 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 1.5 | -0.4 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 3.1 | 7.0 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 5.0 |
| May | 2.1 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 1.1 | 3.7 | -0.1 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 3.1 | 7.8 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 6.1 |
| Jun | 2.3 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 0.9 | 4.4 | -0.1 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 7.5 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 6.1 |
| Jul | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 1.1 | 4.0 | 0.2 | 2.6 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 7.2 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 6.7 |
| Aug | 2.2 | 2.0 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 0.9 | 3.9 | 0.3 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 7.2 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 7.8 |
| Sep | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.2 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.9 | 6.7 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 7.7 |
| Oct | 2.4 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 3.3 | 6.4 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 7.2 |
| Nov | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 1.0 | 4.4 | 0.2 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 3.2 | 5.7 | 2.8 | 2.0 | 7.2 |
| Dec | 2.5 | 1.9 | 3.9 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 4.8 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 5.5 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 7.4 |
| 2005 Jan | 2.4 | 2.0 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 4.2 | -0.2 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 6.7 |
| Feb | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 4.6 | - | 1.9 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 7.0 |
| Mar | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 4.8 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 6.6 |
| Apr | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 4.7 | 1.1 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 7.1 |
| May | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 2.9 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 6.5 |
| Jun | 2.0* | 2.7 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 3.2 | 1.0 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 6.6 |
| Jul | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

| | Lithuania | Luxembourg | Malta | Netherlands | Poland | Portugal | Slovakia | Slovenia | Spain | Sweden | United Kingdom ¹ | EICP ² EU 15 average | EICP ² EU 25 average ³ | Monetary Union Area average ⁴ |
|----------|-----------|------------|-------|-------------|--------|----------|----------|----------|-------|--------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| | A4KW | CLNV | A4KX | CLNW | A4KY | CLNY | A4KZ | A4L2 | CLNZ | CLOA | CJYR | CLNX | A4L3 | CLNS |
| 2000 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 2.3 | 10.1 | 2.8 | 12.2 | 8.9 | 3.5 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 1.9 | .. | 2.1 |
| 2001 | 1.3 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 4.4 | 7.2 | 8.6 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 2.2 | .. | 2.3 |
| 2002 | 0.4 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 3.9 | 1.9 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 7.5 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 2.1 | .. | 2.3 |
| 2003 | -1.1 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 0.7 | 3.3 | 8.5 | 5.7 | 3.1 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 2.0 | .. | 2.1 |
| 2004 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 7.4 | 3.6 | 3.1 | 1.0 | 1.3 | .. | 2.0 | 2.1 |
| 2003 Jul | -0.8 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 8.5 | 6.1 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 1.3 | 1.8 | .. | 1.9 |
| Aug | -0.9 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 9.0 | 5.7 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 1.4 | 2.0 | .. | 2.1 |
| Sep | -0.8 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 0.7 | 3.2 | 9.3 | 5.1 | 3.0 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 2.0 | .. | 2.2 |
| Oct | -1.3 | 1.8 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 2.8 | 9.5 | 4.9 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.9 | .. | 2.0 |
| Nov | -0.9 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 2.3 | 9.5 | 5.3 | 2.9 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 2.0 | .. | 2.2 |
| Dec | -1.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 9.3 | 4.7 | 2.7 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.8 | .. | 2.0 |
| 2004 Jan | -1.2 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 8.2 | 4.0 | 2.3 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.8 | .. | 1.9 |
| Feb | -1.2 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 8.4 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 0.2 | 1.3 | 1.5 | .. | 1.6 |
| Mar | -0.9 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 7.9 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | .. | 1.7 |
| Apr | -0.7 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 1.5 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 7.8 | 3.6 | 2.7 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.8 | .. | 2.0 |
| May | 1.0 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 1.7 | 3.5 | 2.4 | 8.2 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 1.5 | .. | 2.3 | 2.5 |
| Jun | 1.0 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 1.5 | 4.3 | 3.7 | 8.1 | 3.9 | 3.5 | 1.2 | 1.6 | .. | 2.3 | 2.4 |
| Jul | 1.8 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 1.2 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 8.3 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 1.2 | 1.4 | .. | 2.2 | 2.3 |
| Aug | 2.2 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 1.2 | 4.9 | 2.4 | 7.0 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 1.2 | 1.3 | .. | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| Sep | 3.0 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 1.1 | 4.7 | 2.1 | 6.4 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | .. | 2.0 | 2.1 |
| Oct | 3.1 | 4.1 | 2.7 | 1.5 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 6.3 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 1.2 | .. | 2.2 | 2.4 |
| Nov | 2.9 | 4.0 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 4.5 | 2.6 | 6.0 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 1.5 | .. | 2.1 | 2.2 |
| Dec | 2.8 | 3.5 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 4.4 | 2.6 | 5.8 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 0.9 | 1.6 | .. | 2.2 | 2.4 |
| 2005 Jan | 2.8 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 3.8 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 0.5 | 1.6 | .. | 2.0 | 1.9 |
| Feb | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 3.7 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 1.2 | 1.6 | .. | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Mar | 3.3 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 1.5 | 3.4 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 | .. | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Apr | 3.2 | 3.7 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 0.4 | 1.9 | .. | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| May | 1.9 | 3.7 | 2.4 | 1.1 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 0.2 | 1.9 | .. | 2.0 [†] | 2.0 [†] |
| Jun | 2.0 | 3.2 | 2.1 | 1.5* | 1.4 | 0.6 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 3.2 | 0.8 | 2.0 | .. | 2.0* | 2.1* |
| Jul | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2.3 | .. | .. | .. |

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† Date of earliest revision † Estimated

1 Published as the CPI in the UK.

2 The EICP (European Index of Consumer Prices) is the official EU aggregate. It covers 15 member states until April 2004 and 25 member states from May 2004, the new member states being integrated using a chain index formula.

The EU 25 annual average for 2004 is calculated from the EU 15 average from January to April and the EU 25 average from May to December.

3 The coverage of the European Union was extended to include Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia and Slovenia with effect from 1 May 2004.

4 The coverage of the Monetary Union Area index was extended to include Greece with effect from Jan 2001.

Sources: National Statistics; Eurostat

| | Weights | Index (January 1987=100) | | | | | | Percentage change over 12 months | | | | | | Percentage change over 1 month |
|---|---------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------------------------------|
| | | 2005 | | | | | | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 |
| | | | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | | | | | | | |
| ALL ITEMS | 1 000 | 189.6 | 190.5 | 191.6 | 192.0 | 192.2 | 192.2 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.9 | - |
| Food and catering | 159 | 172.4 | 173.4 | 172.7 | 173.7 | 173.6 | 172.4 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 1.9 | -0.7 |
| Alcohol and tobacco | 96 | 236.9 | 236.8 | 239.4 | 240.2 | 240.5 | 241.0 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 0.2 |
| Housing and household expenditure | 387 | 214.9 | 216.3 | 218.3 | 219.0 | 219.7 | 220.2 | 7.4 [†] | 7.1 | 6.7 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 5.7 | 0.2 |
| Personal expenditure | 89 | 130.2 | 131.4 | 131.4 | 131.4 | 131.4 | 128.8 | -1.1 | -0.5 | -0.6 | -0.7 | -0.2 | -0.2 | -2.0 |
| Travel and leisure | 269 | 177.6 | 178.1 | 179.3 | 179.1 | 178.9 | 180.2 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| Consumer durables ¹ | 122 | 95.0 | 96.7 | 95.6 | 95.9 | 95.8 | 94.0 | -3.1 | -1.8 | -2.6 | -2.7 | -2.7 | -1.7 | -1.9 |
| Seasonal food | 19 | 143.6 | 147.3 | 142.3 | 145.1 | 145.4 | 136.4 | 2.6 | 5.4 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 6.3 | 3.3 | -6.2 |
| Food excluding seasonal | 91 | 155.6 | 156.1 | 155.8 | 156.4 | 156.2 | 156.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.0 | - |
| All items excluding seasonal food | 981 | 190.8 | 191.6 | 192.9 | 193.2 | 193.4 | 193.7 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 0.2 |
| All items excluding food | 890 | 195.9 | 196.8 | 198.2 | 198.6 | 198.8 | 199.1 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 3.1 | 0.2 |
| All goods | 510 | 151.4 | 152.7 | 152.7 | 152.9 | 152.9 | 152.1 | -0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.7 | -0.5 |
| All services | 352 | 231.5 | 231.9 | 234.1 | 234.8 | 235.1 | 236.6 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 0.6 |
| Other indices | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All items excluding: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| mortgage interest payments (RPIX) | 950 | 185.9 | 186.8 | 187.8 | 188.2 | 188.3 | 188.3 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.4 | - |
| housing | 776 | 171.9 | 173.0 | 173.3 | 173.7 | 173.8 | 173.5 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.8 | -0.2 |
| mortgage interest payments and indirect taxes (RPIY) ² | | 177.4 | 178.3 | 179.0 | 179.4 | 179.5 | 179.5 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.5 | - |
| mortgage interest payments and council tax | 911 | 183.4 | 184.3 | 185.1 | 185.5 | 185.6 | 185.5 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.4 | -0.1 |
| mortgage interest payments and depreciation ³ | 901 | 180.4 | 181.4 | 182.4 | 182.7 | 182.8 | 182.7 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 2.1 | -0.1 |
| Food | 110 | 154.0 | 155.1 | 153.8 | 154.9 | 154.8 | 153.1 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 1.4 | -1.1 |
| Bread | 4 | 153.5 | 152.9 | 152.0 | 152.6 | 153.8 | 154.1 | -0.4 | -1.2 | -3.3 | -2.6 | -1.5 | -1.0 | 0.2 |
| Cereals | 3 | 144.9 | 144.5 | 144.8 | 144.7 | 145.0 | 144.7 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 3.6 | 3.4 | -0.2 |
| Biscuits and cakes | 6 | 165.5 | 165.2 | 164.5 | 164.7 | 165.1 | 164.4 | -0.2 | -0.5 | -0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.4 |
| Beef | 4 | 132.8 | 132.7 | 131.4 | 133.9 | 135.7 | 135.0 | -1.3 | -1.9 | -2.2 | -1.2 | 1.0 | 0.1 | -0.5 |
| Lamb | 2 | 188.1 | 189.2 | 189.4 | 190.4 | 192.9 | 191.3 | 0.9 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 1.5 | -0.8 |
| of which home-killed lamb | 1 | 184.9 | 185.1 | 186.5 | 190.3 | 195.1 | 192.7 | -3.8 | -5.1 | -4.2 | -3.8 | 0.1 | -0.7 | -1.2 |
| imported lamb | 1 | 187.5 | 189.3 | 188.3 | 186.5 | 186.8 | 185.9 | 5.6 | 10.3 | 6.6 | 7.4 | 5.1 | 3.5 | -0.5 |
| Pork | 1 | 157.9 | 159.5 | 157.7 | 160.6 | 159.0 | 159.7 | -1.9 | 0.5 | -0.8 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 0.4 |
| Bacon | 2 | 171.3 | 174.5 | 173.3 | 173.7 | 173.6 | 170.3 | -2.3 | 0.4 | -0.3 | -0.2 | 0.1 | -1.5 | -1.9 |
| Poultry | 3 | 114.0 | 114.9 | 111.7 | 116.8 | 111.5 | 113.4 | -3.1 | -6.2 | -8.9 | -2.1 | -3.3 | -5.3 | 1.7 |
| Other meat | 7 | 145.0 | 144.4 | 144.3 | 144.1 | 144.3 | 144.0 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 2.9 | 2.5 | -0.2 |
| Fish | 4 | 153.8 | 154.9 | 154.4 | 155.0 | 153.5 | 152.3 | 0.5 | 0.7 | -0.8 | 1.8 | -0.3 | -0.9 | -0.8 |
| of which fresh fish | 2 | 160.8 | 162.3 | 161.1 | 162.5 | 162.0 | 164.1 | 0.2 | 0.6 | -1.5 | 1.8 | -0.2 | 1.2 | 1.3 |
| processed fish | 2 | 147.0 | 147.8 | 147.9 | 147.8 | 145.3 | 141.2 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 0.7 | 2.1 | 0.6 | -2.1 | -2.8 |
| Butter | 1 | 173.7 | 173.1 | 173.2 | 173.1 | 173.2 | 172.8 | 0.9 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -0.2 |
| Oils and fats | 1 | 139.2 | 136.3 | 135.9 | 133.2 | 130.1 | 133.1 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 1.4 | -4.8 | -4.0 | 2.3 |
| Cheese | 3 | 170.0 | 171.5 | 170.9 | 170.8 | 172.1 | 171.9 | -1.3 | -0.8 | -1.0 | -0.6 | 0.9 | 0.6 | -0.1 |
| Eggs | 1 | 159.4 | 159.4 | 160.2 | 159.5 | 160.4 | 159.6 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -0.1 | 0.1 | -0.5 |
| Milk, fresh | 5 | 174.7 | 183.6 | 184.1 | 184.4 | 184.6 | 184.7 | 0.6 | 6.0 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 0.1 |
| Milk products | 4 | 142.5 | 143.0 | 141.6 | 141.4 | 142.3 | 141.6 | -1.0 | -0.3 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.4 | 0.1 | -0.5 |
| Tea | 1 | 144.8 | 144.4 | 144.8 | 147.1 | 139.7 | 146.9 | -6.3 | -5.8 | -5.7 | -2.8 | -5.8 | -1.9 | 5.2 |
| Coffee and other hot drinks | 1 | 112.1 | 112.2 | 112.3 | 115.4 | 117.3 | 118.0 | -2.5 | 0.1 | -0.2 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 4.5 | 0.6 |
| Soft drinks | 12 | 186.6 | 186.4 | 186.1 | 185.6 | 185.6 | 186.9 | 0.2 | -0.3 | -0.2 | -0.7 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.7 |
| Sugar and preserves | 1 | 153.7 | 154.1 | 152.6 | 152.3 | 154.9 | 154.7 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 2.1 | -0.1 |
| Sweets and chocolates | 11 | 179.5 | 180.1 | 182.0 | 184.1 | 183.7 | 184.4 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 0.4 |
| Potatoes | 5 | 154.0 | 154.2 | 154.2 | 153.9 | 152.6 | 147.5 | -1.0 | -1.2 | -1.4 | -4.4 | -5.0 | -4.9 | -3.3 |
| of which unprocessed potatoes | 2 | 143.9 | 143.4 | 144.8 | 146.4 | 145.0 | 132.4 | -3.0 | -5.7 | -5.3 | -10.8 | -11.1 | -12.3 | -8.7 |
| potato products | 3 | 152.0 | 152.7 | 151.7 | 150.0 | 148.9 | 149.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.5 | -0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Vegetables other than potatoes | 9 | 144.0 | 151.4 | 140.9 | 137.4 | 134.5 | 131.2 | 9.5 | 15.0 | 10.5 | 9.3 | 10.6 | 9.8 | -2.5 |
| of which fresh vegetables | 7 | 133.8 | 142.2 | 129.7 | 125.6 | 122.1 | 118.2 | 11.8 | 18.4 | 12.7 | 10.6 | 12.1 | 11.0 | -3.2 |
| processed vegetables | 2 | 167.7 | 169.1 | 169.2 | 169.6 | 169.8 | 169.7 | 1.8 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 5.0 | 5.6 | 5.8 | -0.1 |
| Fruit | 7 | 141.3 | 141.8 | 141.6 | 152.8 | 157.4 | 140.8 | -3.4 | -1.3 | -1.1 | 1.1 | 8.8 | 2.2 | -10.5 |
| of which fresh fruit | 6 | 137.2 | 137.8 | 137.6 | 150.3 | 155.5 | 136.6 | -3.9 | -1.5 | -1.4 | 1.2 | 10.1 | 2.5 | -12.2 |
| processed fruit | 1 | 152.4 | 152.3 | 151.8 | 152.3 | 152.5 | 152.6 | 0.0 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| Other foods | 12 | 153.0 | 152.8 | 152.0 | 152.4 | 152.4 | 151.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | -0.6 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.8 |
| Catering | 49 | 236.4 | 236.9 | 238.1 | 238.9 | 238.9 | 239.4 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 0.2 |
| Restaurant meals | 25 | 231.3 | 231.9 | 233.5 | 234.4 | 234.3 | 234.8 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 0.2 |
| Canteen meals | 5 | 287.4 | 287.5 | 288.8 | 290.4 | 290.3 | 290.4 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.6 | - |
| Take-aways and snacks | 19 | 226.7 | 227.3 | 227.8 | 228.4 | 228.6 | 229.1 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 0.2 |
| Alcoholic drink | 67 | 205.4 | 205.3 | 207.1 | 208.1 | 208.4 | 209.0 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 0.3 |
| Beer | 37 | 222.2 | 223.0 | 225.0 | 225.6 | 226.2 | 226.5 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 0.1 |
| on sales | 31 | 238.3 | 239.4 | 242.1 | 243.1 | 243.7 | 244.1 | 3.3 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 0.2 |
| off sales | 6 | 149.6 | 149.3 | 148.9 | 148.0 | 148.6 | 148.4 | -3.2 | -3.6 | -3.9 | -5.3 | -3.4 | -2.5 | -0.1 |
| Wines and spirits | 30 | 182.9 | 181.9 | 183.3 | 184.7 | 184.7 | 185.5 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 0.4 |
| on sales | 16 | 225.4 | 226.1 | 227.8 | 228.3 | 228.7 | 229.1 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 0.2 |
| off sales | 14 | 156.0 | 153.5 | 154.7 | 156.8 | 156.6 | 157.8 | 1.1 | -1.0 | -0.6 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.9 | 0.8 |

Key: - zero or negligible

Index date for JULY: 12 July 2005

1 Consumer durables: Furniture, furnishings, electrical appliances and other household equipment, men's, women's and children's outerwear, footwear, audio-visual equipment, CDs and tapes, toys, photographic and sports goods.

2 The taxes excluded are council tax, VAT, duties, vehicle excise duty, insurance tax and air passenger duty. There are no weights available for RPIY.

3 This series has been constructed using the index for all items excluding mortgage interest payments prior to February 1995.

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| | Weights | Index (January 1987=100) | | | | | | Percentage change over 12 months | | | | | | Percentage change over 1 month |
|-------------------------------------|---------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------------------------|
| | | 2005 | | | | | | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 |
| | | | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | | | | | | | |
| Tobacco | 29 | 323.4 | 323.4 | 328.9 | 329.0 | 329.1 | 329.3 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.4 | 0.1 |
| Cigarettes | 26 | 330.4 | 330.4 | 336.2 | 336.3 | 336.4 | 336.6 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.4 | 0.1 |
| Other tobacco | 3 | 258.5 | 258.4 | 261.8 | 261.6 | 261.6 | 261.7 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 3.3 | - |
| Housing | 224 | 281.3 | 281.8 | 287.2 | 287.9 | 288.6 | 289.9 | 10.8 | 9.8 | 9.6 | 9.1 | 7.9 | 6.8 | 0.5 |
| Rent | 42 | 265.9 | 265.9 | 270.4 | 270.6 | 270.6 | 272.2 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 0.6 |
| Mortgage interest payments | 50 | 285.1 | 287.2 | 289.4 | 291.4 | 293.5 | 295.6 | 28.4 | 23.3 | 23.3 | 22.8 | 17.6 | 13.0 | 0.7 |
| Depreciation (Jan 1995 = 100) | 49 | 253.9 | 253.4 | 255.1 | 255.1 | 256.0 | 257.5 | 13.6 | 12.4 | 11.7 | 9.9 | 8.8 | 7.3 | 0.6 |
| Council tax and rates | 39 | 257.7 | 257.7 | 268.1 | 268.1 | 268.1 | 268.1 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | - |
| Water and other charges | 11 | 301.6 | 301.6 | 335.7 | 335.7 | 335.7 | 335.7 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 11.3 | 11.3 | 11.3 | 11.3 | - |
| Repairs and maintenance charges | 12 | 292.0 | 293.5 | 294.6 | 296.2 | 297.3 | 299.2 | 5.6 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 0.6 |
| Do-it-yourself materials | 14 | 156.3 | 156.7 | 156.5 | 157.4 | 157.2 | 157.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 0.3 |
| Dwelling insurance and ground rent | 7 | 268.0 | 268.2 | 268.7 | 268.6 | 270.0 | 271.0 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 0.4 |
| Fuel and light | 31 | 153.7 | 155.4 | 156.3 | 156.2 | 157.4 | 158.2 | 13.9 | 13.9 | 13.0 | 12.1 | 12.8 | 13.0 | 0.5 |
| Coal and solid fuels | 1 | 173.1 | 173.5 | 173.5 | 172.0 | 171.3 | 171.0 | 11.1 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 10.4 | -0.2 |
| Electricity | 15 | 148.6 | 149.4 | 150.1 | 150.5 | 150.7 | 150.8 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 10.4 | 10.1 | 9.6 | 9.4 | 0.1 |
| Gas | 13 | 152.7 | 153.1 | 153.7 | 154.3 | 154.9 | 155.1 | 15.2 | 13.9 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.3 | 13.3 | 0.1 |
| Oil and other fuels | 2 | 197.0 | 218.7 | 225.2 | 214.9 | 232.0 | 245.4 | 22.0 | 34.3 | 30.6 | 17.8 | 33.0 | 38.1 | 5.8 |
| Household goods | 71 | 142.7 | 146.3 | 143.7 | 145.3 | 146.0 | 145.3 | -0.7 | 1.1 | -0.3 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 2.2 | -0.5 |
| Furniture | 24 | 155.0 | 167.2 | 158.4 | 161.2 | 164.2 | 165.4 | -0.4 | 5.6 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 7.9 | 0.7 |
| Furnishings | 14 | 154.7 | 156.1 | 156.5 | 159.3 | 158.2 | 154.5 | 0.7 | 1.8 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.6 | -2.3 |
| Electrical appliances | 8 | 82.6 | 79.8 | 79.6 | 78.9 | 78.5 | 78.0 | -2.2 | -4.8 | -4.8 | -5.5 | -6.3 | -6.0 | -0.6 |
| Other household equipment | 5 | 139.6 | 140.7 | 139.5 | 139.8 | 139.4 | 136.9 | -2.5 | -1.8 | -2.2 | -2.2 | -2.1 | -2.5 | -1.8 |
| Household consumables | 14 | 155.1 | 155.3 | 155.4 | 157.5 | 157.8 | 156.9 | -2.6 | -3.0 | -1.6 | -0.6 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.6 |
| Pet care | 6 | 162.1 | 162.4 | 164.4 | 164.2 | 164.6 | 164.6 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | - |
| Household services | 61 | 182.4 | 182.7 | 183.5 | 183.4 | 184.0 | 183.9 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.3 | -0.1 |
| Postage | 1 | 169.9 | 169.9 | 176.8 | 176.8 | 176.8 | 176.8 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.2 | - |
| Telephones, telemessages, etc | 23 | 89.3 | 89.4 | 89.4 | 89.2 | 89.4 | 88.5 | -2.2 | -2.6 | -2.9 | -3.1 | -2.5 | -2.3 | -1.0 |
| Domestic services | 11 | 271.7 | 272.3 | 273.2 | 274.1 | 275.3 | 276.5 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 0.4 |
| Fees and subscriptions | 26 | 254.8 | 255.0 | 257.1 | 256.8 | 257.8 | 259.5 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 0.7 |
| Clothing and footwear | 48 | 95.4 | 96.6 | 96.5 | 96.4 | 96.2 | 92.7 | -3.0 | -2.3 | -2.4 | -2.6 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -3.6 |
| Men's outerwear | 9 | 95.6 | 97.5 | 97.6 | 97.8 | 97.6 | 94.6 | -4.0 | -3.2 | -3.6 | -3.7 | -3.1 | -1.6 | -3.1 |
| Women's outerwear | 17 | 69.7 | 70.8 | 70.9 | 71.3 | 71.0 | 66.6 | -4.1 | -2.9 | -2.3 | -2.2 | -1.4 | -3.2 | -6.2 |
| Childrens' outerwear | 6 | 90.0 | 91.0 | 90.9 | 89.7 | 89.1 | 87.6 | -4.8 | -3.4 | -3.2 | -4.4 | -3.9 | -3.3 | -1.7 |
| Other clothing | 6 | 149.4 | 150.8 | 150.3 | 149.4 | 149.8 | 147.6 | -0.7 | 0.1 | -0.1 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -1.5 |
| Footwear | 10 | 111.8 | 112.2 | 111.7 | 110.9 | 110.9 | 108.7 | -1.0 | -1.7 | -2.4 | -3.1 | -3.0 | -2.0 | -2.0 |
| Personal goods and services | 41 | 201.7 | 202.9 | 203.0 | 203.5 | 203.7 | 203.5 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 2.3 | -0.1 |
| Personal articles | 12 | 131.4 | 132.1 | 132.0 | 131.4 | 132.0 | 130.3 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -1.3 |
| Chemists goods | 16 | 186.6 | 188.0 | 187.6 | 188.6 | 188.0 | 188.3 | -0.7 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.2 |
| Personal services | 13 | 333.1 | 334.0 | 336.0 | 337.8 | 338.5 | 341.3 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 0.8 |
| Motoring expenditure | 136 | 181.7 | 182.4 | 184.5 | 183.6 | 183.2 | 184.8 | -1.1 | -0.8 | 0.5 | -0.5 | -0.3 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| Purchase of motor vehicles | 59 | 111.9 | 111.8 | 111.4 | 110.3 | 109.6 | 108.6 | -6.7 | -6.1 | -6.1 | -6.0 | -5.6 | -5.4 | -0.9 |
| Maintenance of motor vehicles | 19 | 272.1 | 271.9 | 273.3 | 274.4 | 276.5 | 276.7 | 6.2 | 5.9 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 6.2 | 5.7 | 0.1 |
| Petrol and oil | 35 | 235.7 | 240.7 | 251.0 | 249.7 | 249.7 | 257.9 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 10.3 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 9.8 | 3.3 |
| Vehicle tax and insurance | 23 | 278.5 | 277.2 | 278.4 | 278.9 | 278.1 | 283.5 | -2.9 | -3.4 | -1.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Fares and other travel costs | 19 | 218.1 | 219.8 | 218.0 | 225.3 | 226.0 | 238.0 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 2.8 | 4.5 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 5.3 |
| Rail fares ¹ | 5 | 242.0 | 237.2 | 239.8 | 237.9 | 240.9 | 240.1 | 6.1 | 4.6 | 3.6 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 2.9 | -0.3 |
| Bus and coach fares | 4 | 250.4 | 253.6 | 254.9 | 255.1 | 256.4 | 257.7 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 7.3 | 0.5 |
| Other travel costs | 10 | 188.1 | 191.6 | 187.4 | 199.7 | 199.4 | 218.7 | 2.6 | 6.3 | 1.4 | 5.0 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 9.7 |
| Leisure goods | 46 | 96.1 | 95.8 | 95.5 | 95.0 | 94.8 | 93.9 | -4.2 | -4.4 | -4.3 | -4.1 | -4.9 | -5.0 | -0.9 |
| Audio-visual equipment | 10 | 21.4 | 21.0 | 20.5 | 20.2 | 19.8 | 19.6 | -13.0 | -13.6 | -14.2 | -14.8 | -16.5 | -15.9 | -1.0 |
| CDs and tapes | 6 | 99.7 | 99.7 | 102.3 | 102.7 | 101.3 | 100.7 | -3.9 | -3.6 | -0.7 | 0.8 | -2.2 | -2.1 | -0.6 |
| Toys, photographic and sports goods | 13 | 94.7 | 95.2 | 95.6 | 94.7 | 95.0 | 93.4 | -3.9 | -3.8 | -3.2 | -3.3 | -3.4 | -3.9 | -1.7 |
| Books and newspapers | 10 | 233.5 | 232.5 | 232.8 | 232.8 | 234.7 | 235.5 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 0.3 |
| Gardening products | 7 | 146.9 | 146.1 | 144.0 | 143.7 | 144.9 | 143.1 | -1.3 | -2.1 | -3.2 | -2.9 | -3.2 | -3.4 | -1.2 |
| Leisure services | 68 | 258.6 | 259.3 | 261.4 | 261.4 | 261.1 | 261.7 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 0.2 |
| Television licences and rentals | 12 | 157.0 | 157.0 | 158.9 | 158.9 | 159.0 | 159.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | -0.9 | 0.4 |
| Entertainment and other recreation | 17 | 324.2 | 326.3 | 329.6 | 331.3 | 331.5 | 335.4 | 5.9 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 7.4 | 1.2 |
| Foreign holidays (Jan 1993 = 100) | 32 | 170.6 | 170.9 | 171.5 | 170.9 | 170.3 | 169.5 | 3.1 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 1.2 | -0.5 |
| UK holidays (Jan 1994 = 100) | 7 | 151.5 | 151.9 | 154.4 | 154.8 | 155.3 | 156.6 | 5.6 | 5.5 | 6.6 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 6.4 | 0.8 |

Key: - zero or negligible

Source: National Statistics

1 As announced in the March First Release (www.statistics.gov.uk/pdfdir/cpi0405.pdf), an error exists in the Rail Fares Component of the RPI for January and February 2005.

9 RPI goods and services¹: the latest three years

Percentage change over 12 months

| | Goods components | | | | All goods | Services components | | | | All services |
|----------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|
| | Food | Alcohol & tobacco | Petrol & oil ² | Other goods ³ | | Rent | Utilities ⁴ | "Shop" services ⁵ | "Non-shop" services ⁶ | |
| Weights | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | CZGZ 110 | CBVW 96 | DOHB 37 | DOHC 267 | DOHD 510 | CZXD 42 | DOHE 68 | DOHF 133 | DOHG 109 | DOHH 352 |
| Monthly | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 Jul | CCYY -0.3 | CZBK 2.9 | DOGQ -5.3 | DOGI -1.7 | DOGD -0.9 | CZCQ 2.4 | DOGF 2.3 | DOGG 5.1 | DOGH 5.9 | DOGE 4.5 |
| Aug | -0.1 | 2.7 | -4.2 | -2.4 | -1.1 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 5.3 | 6.1 | 4.6 |
| Sep | 0.2 | 2.6 | -2.6 | -2.5 | -0.9 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 5.6 | 6.4 | 4.8 |
| Oct | 0.1 | 2.4 | -0.6 | -2.2 | -0.7 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 5.2 | 7.1 | 4.8 |
| Nov | 0.2 | 2.4 | 4.1 | -1.9 | -0.1 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 5.3 | 6.8 | 4.8 |
| Dec | -0.4 | 2.5 | 5.8 | -2.1 | -0.4 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 5.4 | 6.9 | 4.8 |
| 2003 Jan | -1.1 | 2.5 | 7.2 | -2.1 | -0.3 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 5.0 | 7.5 | 4.6 |
| Feb | -0.5 | 2.4 | 9.1 | -1.7 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 0.7 | 5.1 | 7.3 | 4.5 |
| Mar | -0.3 | 2.5 | 11.5 | -1.8 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 4.9 | 7.3 | 4.5 |
| Apr | 0.3 | 2.9 | 4.5 | -1.7 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 4.2 | 7.4 | 4.2 |
| May | 1.4 | 2.7 | 0.9 | -1.6 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 4.0 | 6.9 | 4.1 |
| Jun | 1.6 | 2.7 | 0.9 | -1.4 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 4.2 | 6.5 | 4.0 |
| Jul | 1.9 | 2.4 | 1.9 | -1.4 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 4.3 | 6.6 | 4.2 |
| Aug | 1.8 | 2.7 | 3.1 | -1.0 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 6.1 | 4.0 |
| Sep | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.1 | -1.0 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 3.6 |
| Oct | 2.4 | 2.6 | 1.8 | -1.0 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 4.3 | 3.7 | 3.4 |
| Nov | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.7 | -1.1 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 4.3 | 2.9 | 3.0 |
| Dec | 2.9 | 2.4 | 3.1 | -1.1 | 0.7 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 4.1 | 3.8 | 3.3 |
| 2004 Jan | 2.6 | 2.3 | 1.3 | -0.6 | 0.8 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 |
| Feb | 2.2 | 2.3 | -0.4 | -0.8 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 3.0 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 3.0 |
| Mar | 1.9 | 2.5 | -2.8 | -1.3 | -0.1 | 1.9 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 2.3 | 3.1 |
| Apr | 1.3 | 2.6 | - | -1.3 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 1.5 | 3.1 |
| May | 0.8 | 2.4 | 8.9 | -1.5 | 0.5 | 2.1 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 3.1 |
| Jun | 0.5 | 2.4 | 9.5 | -1.5 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 4.5 | 4.0 | 1.9 | 3.2 |
| Jul | -0.1 | 2.5 | 8.1 | -1.9 | 0.1 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 4.2 | 2.5 | 3.3 |
| Aug | -0.2 | 2.4 | 8.1 | -2.1 | -0.1 | 2.3 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 2.9 | 3.4 |
| Sep | -0.7 | 2.4 | 8.0 | -2.5 | -0.4 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 4.1 | 2.5 | 3.2 |
| Oct | -0.5 | 2.4 | 11.1 | -2.4 | -0.2 | 2.6 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 2.6 | 3.3 |
| Nov | -0.4 | 2.4 | 11.9 | -2.6 | -0.1 | 2.8 | 4.8 | 4.0 | 3.1 | 3.7 |
| Dec | -0.1 | 2.4 | 9.1 | -2.0 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 5.8 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 4.1 |
| 2005 Jan | 0.3 | 2.7 | 5.2 | -2.8 | -0.5 | 3.0 | 6.4 | 4.2 | 2.7 | 4.0 |
| Feb | 0.8 | 3.0 | 6.4 | -2.9 | -0.4 | 3.1 | 5.9 | 4.3 | 2.3 | 3.8 |
| Mar | 1.4 | 2.4 | 8.1 | -2.2 | 0.2 | 3.1 | 5.4 | 4.3 | 2.6 | 3.8 |
| Apr | 0.8 | 2.6 | 11.4 | -2.5 | 0.1 | 3.6 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 2.7 | 4.0 |
| May | 1.3 | 2.7 | 5.5 | -2.5 | -0.1 | 3.6 | 5.7 | 4.3 | 3.0 | 4.1 |
| Jun | 2.0 | 2.7 | 6.6 | -2.3 | 0.2 | 3.5 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 2.7 | 4.0 |
| Jul | 1.4 | 2.7 | 11.3 | -1.7 | 0.7 | 3.8 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 2.7 | 4.0 |

Key: - zero or negligible

1 All components of the RPI are included in the above breakdown with the exception of mortgage interest payments, council tax and depreciation.

2 Including fuel oil.

3 The 'other goods' category comprises DIY materials, coal & solid fuels, household goods, clothing & footwear, personal articles, chemists goods, purchase of motor vehicles and leisure goods.

4 The 'utilities' category comprises water, electricity, gas, postage, telephone charges and rail fares.

5 The 'shop services' category comprises catering, repairs & maintenance charges, domestic services, personal services, maintenance of motor vehicles, TV licence & rentals and entertainment & recreation charges.

6 The 'non-shop services' category comprises dwelling insurance & ground rent, fees and subscriptions, vehicle tax and insurance, bus & coach fares, other travel costs, foreign holidays and UK holidays.

Source: National Statistics

10 A breakdown of the differences between CPI and RPI

| Difference between annual rates CPI - RPI | | Breakdown of differences (unrounded figures) ¹ | | | | | | | |
|--|------|---|-------|----------------------------|---|-------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| | | housing components excluded from CPI | | | other differences in coverage of goods and services | | | other differences including weights ³ | |
| rounded figures | | unrounded figures | total | mortgage interest payments | other housing components | IEIS | formula effect ² | IEIU | |
| | JRZW | JRZX | JRZY | JRZZ | IEIR | IEIS | IEIT | IEIU | |
| 2000 Jul | -2.3 | -2.41 | -1.71 | -1.09 | -0.62 | 0.09 | -0.64 | -0.15 | |
| Aug | -2.4 | -2.39 | -1.75 | -1.10 | -0.64 | 0.06 | -0.66 | -0.04 | |
| Sep | -2.3 | -2.34 | -1.71 | -1.08 | -0.63 | 0.03 | -0.68 | 0.01 | |
| Oct | -2.1 | -2.06 | -1.59 | -1.03 | -0.55 | 0.07 | -0.65 | 0.11 | |
| Nov | -2.2 | -2.16 | -1.53 | -1.02 | -0.51 | -0.01 | -0.66 | 0.04 | |
| Dec | -2.0 | -2.10 | -1.44 | -0.87 | -0.56 | -0.03 | -0.61 | -0.03 | |
| 2001 Jan | -1.8 | -1.81 | -1.38 | -0.89 | -0.49 | 0.05 | -0.58 | 0.11 | |
| Feb | -1.9 | -1.85 | -1.29 | -0.74 | -0.55 | -0.15 | -0.56 | 0.15 | |
| Mar | -1.3 | -1.36 | -0.89 | -0.34 | -0.55 | -0.11 | -0.57 | 0.22 | |
| Apr | -0.7 | -0.60 | -0.34 | 0.18 | -0.53 | 0.03 | -0.52 | 0.23 | |
| May | -0.4 | -0.43 | -0.12 | 0.35 | -0.47 | 0.04 | -0.52 | 0.16 | |
| Jun | -0.2 | -0.21 | 0.12 | 0.53 | -0.41 | 0.02 | -0.50 | 0.15 | |
| Jul | -0.2 | -0.21 | 0.03 | 0.53 | -0.51 | 0.18 | -0.51 | 0.09 | |
| Aug | -0.3 | -0.24 | 0.03 | 0.56 | -0.52 | 0.20 | -0.49 | 0.02 | |
| Sep | -0.4 | -0.38 | 0.07 | 0.61 | -0.55 | - | -0.45 | - | |
| Oct | -0.4 | -0.36 | 0.22 | 0.76 | -0.54 | -0.04 | -0.48 | -0.05 | |
| Nov | -0.1 | -0.11 | 0.33 | 0.89 | -0.56 | -0.08 | -0.44 | 0.09 | |
| Dec | 0.3 | 0.33 | 0.67 | 1.17 | -0.50 | 0.02 | -0.48 | 0.11 | |
| 2002 Jan | 0.3 | 0.32 | 0.75 | 1.22 | -0.47 | -0.04 | -0.50 | 0.10 | |
| Feb | 0.5 | 0.44 | 0.79 | 1.20 | -0.41 | 0.02 | -0.42 | 0.05 | |
| Mar | 0.2 | 0.23 | 0.55 | 0.95 | -0.40 | 0.09 | -0.42 | 0.01 | |
| Apr | -0.2 | -0.12 | 0.32 | 0.84 | -0.52 | -0.02 | -0.42 | 0.01 | |
| May | -0.3 | -0.30 | 0.04 | 0.66 | -0.62 | 0.01 | -0.42 | 0.07 | |
| Jun | -0.4 | -0.40 | -0.27 | 0.46 | -0.74 | 0.13 | -0.42 | 0.15 | |
| Jul | -0.4 | -0.38 | -0.28 | 0.48 | -0.76 | 0.17 | -0.41 | 0.15 | |
| Aug | -0.4 | -0.41 | -0.33 | 0.47 | -0.80 | 0.20 | -0.43 | 0.15 | |
| Sep | -0.7 | -0.70 | -0.47 | 0.38 | -0.85 | 0.12 | -0.43 | 0.07 | |
| Oct | -0.7 | -0.71 | -0.72 | 0.25 | -0.97 | 0.15 | -0.41 | 0.27 | |
| Nov | -1.0 | -1.10 | -0.94 | 0.13 | -1.06 | 0.10 | -0.43 | 0.17 | |
| Dec | -1.2 | -1.27 | -1.33 | -0.18 | -1.15 | 0.40 | -0.47 | 0.12 | |
| 2003 Jan | -1.5 | -1.61 | -1.41 | -0.19 | -1.22 | 0.24 | -0.42 | -0.01 | |
| Feb | -1.6 | -1.60 | -1.41 | -0.20 | -1.21 | 0.24 | -0.43 | - | |
| Mar | -1.5 | -1.59 | -1.28 | -0.11 | -1.17 | 0.18 | -0.43 | -0.07 | |
| Apr | -1.6 | -1.67 | -1.44 | -0.11 | -1.32 | 0.12 | -0.44 | 0.08 | |
| May | -1.8 | -1.73 | -1.39 | -0.12 | -1.26 | 0.05 | -0.44 | 0.05 | |
| Jun | -1.8 | -1.82 | -1.32 | -0.12 | -1.20 | -0.06 | -0.46 | 0.01 | |
| Jul | -1.8 | -1.73 | -1.24 | -0.12 | -1.13 | -0.24 | -0.43 | 0.19 | |
| Aug | -1.5 | -1.56 | -1.08 | 0.01 | -1.09 | -0.31 | -0.41 | 0.24 | |
| Sep | -1.4 | -1.35 | -1.06 | 0.01 | -1.07 | 0.01 | -0.44 | 0.14 | |
| Oct | -1.2 | -1.29 | -0.99 | 0.01 | -0.99 | 0.04 | -0.44 | 0.10 | |
| Nov | -1.2 | -1.17 | -0.99 | -0.02 | -0.97 | 0.19 | -0.43 | 0.07 | |
| Dec | -1.5 | -1.51 | -1.11 | -0.20 | -0.91 | -0.22 | -0.42 | 0.23 | |
| 2004 Jan | -1.2 | -1.19 | -1.07 | -0.21 | -0.86 | 0.02 | -0.42 | 0.28 | |
| Feb | -1.2 | -1.23 | -1.10 | -0.21 | -0.89 | 0.05 | -0.43 | 0.26 | |
| Mar | -1.5 | -1.47 | -1.47 | -0.48 | -0.99 | 0.07 | -0.41 | 0.34 | |
| Apr | -1.3 | -1.36 | -1.32 | -0.50 | -0.82 | 0.08 | -0.43 | 0.30 | |
| May | -1.3 | -1.30 | -1.36 | -0.50 | -0.86 | 0.13 | -0.44 | 0.38 | |
| Jun | -1.4 | -1.46 | -1.59 | -0.69 | -0.90 | 0.14 | -0.43 | 0.42 | |
| Jul | -1.6 | -1.66 | -1.82 | -0.88 | -0.94 | 0.15 | -0.42 | 0.43 | |
| Aug | -1.9 | -1.89 | -1.96 | -1.03 | -0.93 | 0.18 | -0.47 | 0.36 | |
| Sep | -2.0 | -1.97 | -2.13 | -1.18 | -0.95 | 0.20 | -0.45 | 0.42 | |
| Oct | -2.1 | -2.07 | -2.17 | -1.19 | -0.99 | 0.22 | -0.46 | 0.34 | |
| Nov | -1.9 | -1.98 | -2.11 | -1.19 | -0.92 | 0.24 | -0.47 | 0.36 | |
| Dec | -1.9 | -1.84 | -1.91 | -1.00 | -0.91 | 0.24 | -0.49 | 0.32 | |
| 2005 Jan | -1.6 | -1.55 | -1.94 | -1.03 | -0.92 | 0.23 | -0.48 | 0.65 | |
| Feb | -1.6 | -1.50 | -1.92 | -1.03 | -0.89 | 0.23 | -0.51 | 0.69 | |
| Mar | -1.3 | -1.32 | -1.64 | -0.86 | -0.79 | 0.22 | -0.53 | 0.62 | |
| Apr | -1.3 | -1.22 | -1.54 | -0.86 | -0.68 | 0.25 | -0.52 | 0.59 | |
| May | -1.0 | -1.07 | -1.43 | -0.85 | -0.58 | 0.27 | -0.50 | 0.60 | |
| Jun | -0.9 | -0.87 | -1.18 | -0.67 | -0.51 | 0.29 | -0.52 | 0.54 | |
| Jul | -0.6 | -0.57 | -0.89 | -0.48 | -0.40 | 0.31 | -0.53 | 0.55 | |

1 The differences due to housing, coverage and formula effect are all calculated independently and are not additive.

Source: National Statistics

2 Difference due to use of different formulae to aggregate prices at the most basic level.

3 This difference is derived as a residual.

Chart for Table 1 – July 2005
CPI, RPI and other selected indices

Percentage changes over 12 months: the latest three years

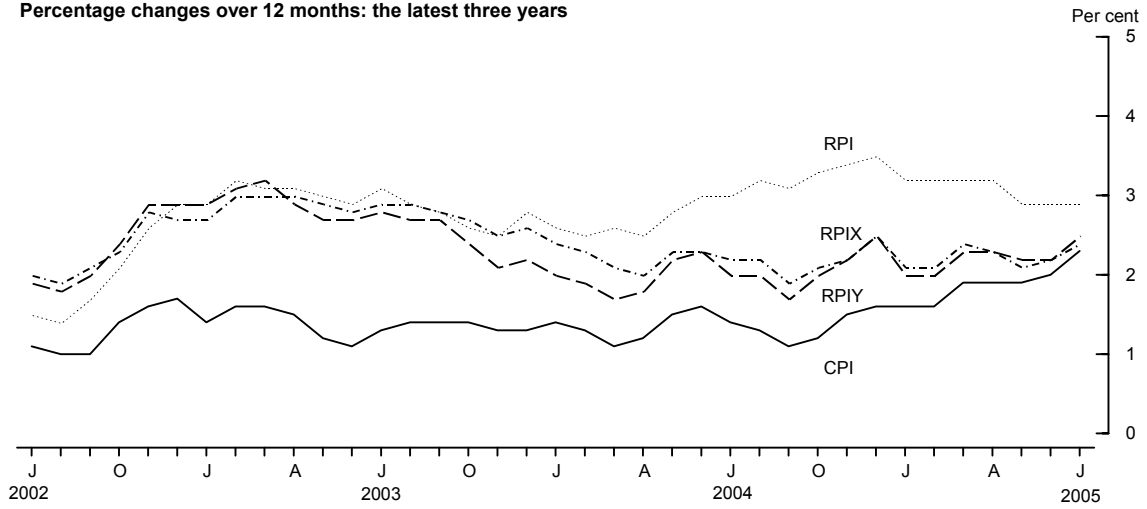


Chart for Table 6 – July 2005
CPI Goods and Services

Percentage changes over 12 months: the latest three years

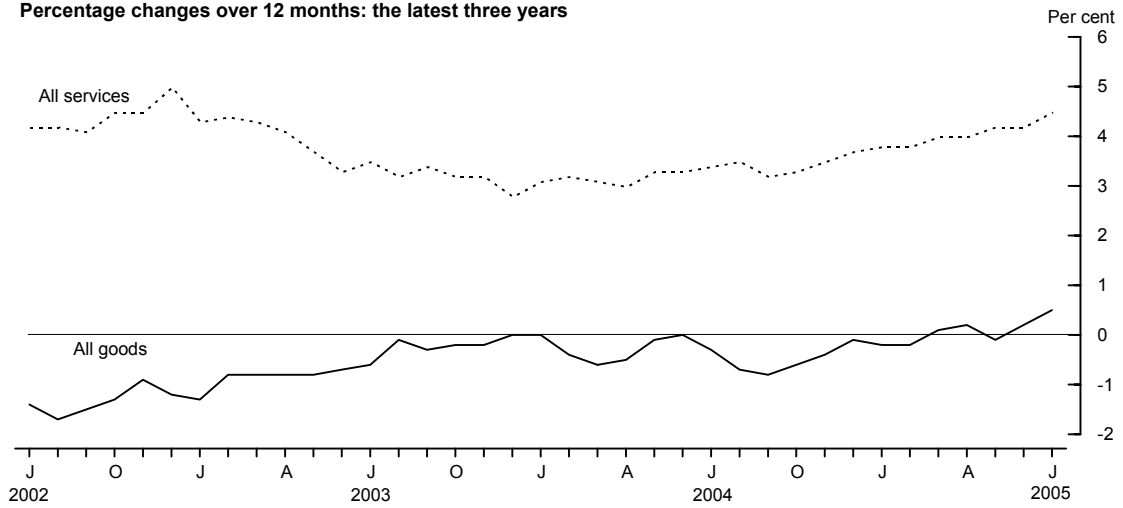


Chart for Table 9 – July 2005
RPI Goods and Services

Percentage changes over 12 months: the latest three years

