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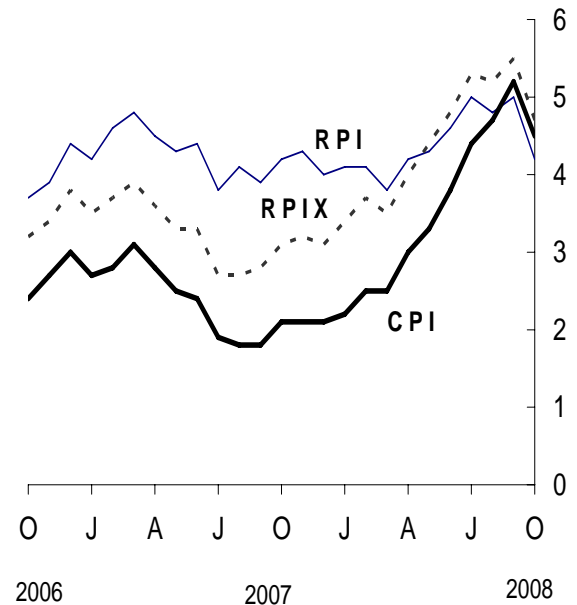


## Consumer price indices October 2008

In the year to October, the consumer prices index (CPI) rose by 4.5 per cent, down from 5.2 per cent in September.

In the year to October, the all items retail prices index (RPI) rose by 4.2 per cent, down from 5.0 per cent in September.

Over the same period, the all items RPI excluding mortgage interest payments index (RPIX) rose by 4.7 per cent, down from 5.5 per cent in September.



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	Consumer prices index (CPI)		All items retail prices index (RPI)		All items RPI excluding mortgage interest payments (RPIX)	
	Index (2005 =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
2008 May	108.3	3.3	215.1	4.3	208.7	4.4
Jun	109.0	3.8	216.8	4.6	210.4	4.8
Jul	109.0	4.4	216.5	5.0	210.0	5.3
Aug	109.7	4.7	217.2	4.8	210.6	5.2
Sep	110.3	5.2	218.4	5.0	211.8	5.5
Oct	110.0	4.5	217.7	4.2	211.1	4.7

## Main contributions to the change in the 12-month rate<sup>1</sup>

### CPI

The largest downward contribution to the change in the CPI annual rate came from transport costs. Within this, the largest effect came from the price of fuels and lubricants which fell this year but rose last year; the decrease this year was triggered by a sharp fall in the price of crude oil. The average price of petrol fell by 7.1 pence per litre between September and October this year, to stand at 104.5 pence, compared with a rise of 2.7 pence last year. Diesel prices fell by 7.0 pence per litre this year, to stand at 116.3 pence, compared with a rise of 3.0 pence last year. There was also a large downward effect from transport services where the price of air transport fell, compared with a rise last year, and the price of sea transport fell by more than last year. Within air fares the effect came mainly from the cost of European flights.

There was another large downward contribution from food and non-alcoholic beverages. The effect came largely from the price of meat, which fell this year compared with a rise last year. Prices fell for a range of pork products; beef prices fell, with discounting in a range of supermarkets; and, overall, chicken prices rose by less than last year. There was a small downward effect from biscuits. There was a partially offsetting upward effect from the price of milk.

There were further large downward contributions from:

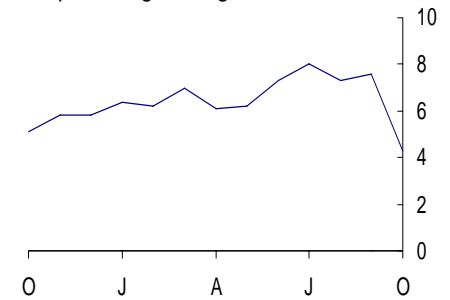
- recreation and culture where, overall, prices fell this year compared with a rise last year. The effect came mainly from pre-recorded DVDs and computer games;
- miscellaneous goods and services where, overall, bank charges decreased and home delivery charges rose by less than last year; and
- education services where the upward effect from increased tuition fees is less than the previous year.

There was a small downward effect from clothing and footwear, where prices fell this year but were little changed last year.

There was a small upward contribution from housing and household services. The largest effect came from housing rents which increased by more than last year.

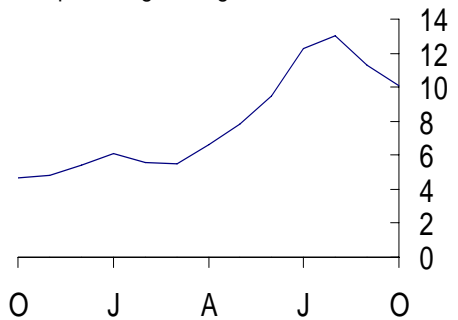
#### Transport

CPI percentage changes over 12 months



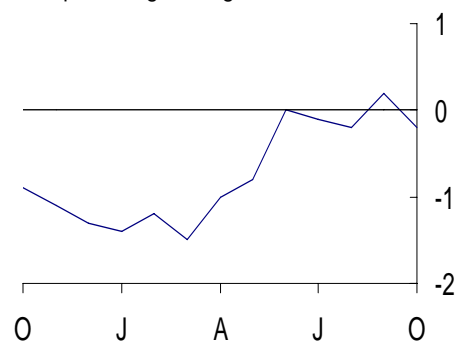
#### Food and non-alcoholic beverages

CPI percentage changes over 12 months



#### Recreation and culture

CPI percentage changes over 12 months



<sup>1</sup> The CPI and RPI use different classification systems. Background Note 11 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 downward contribution came from motoring expenditure. Within this the largest downward effect came from petrol and oil. As in the CPI, the price of petrol and diesel fell this year but rose a year ago. There was also a downward effect from the purchase of motor vehicles, with prices falling by more than last year.

There was another large downward contribution from food where, overall, prices rose by less than last year. The effect came mainly from biscuits and cakes, bacon and other meat, which includes sausages, pork pies and canned meat. These were partly offset by milk, where prices rose by more than last year.

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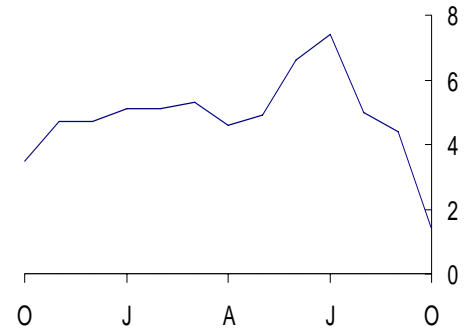
- Housing where the largest effect came from house depreciation, which is excluded from the CPI. This was partly offset by rent, which rose by more than last year.
- Fares and other travel where other travel costs, particularly air fares, fell this year but rose last year.
- Household services, mainly due to fees and subscriptions where the effect from increased tuition fees is less than the previous year.

There were small downward contributions from:

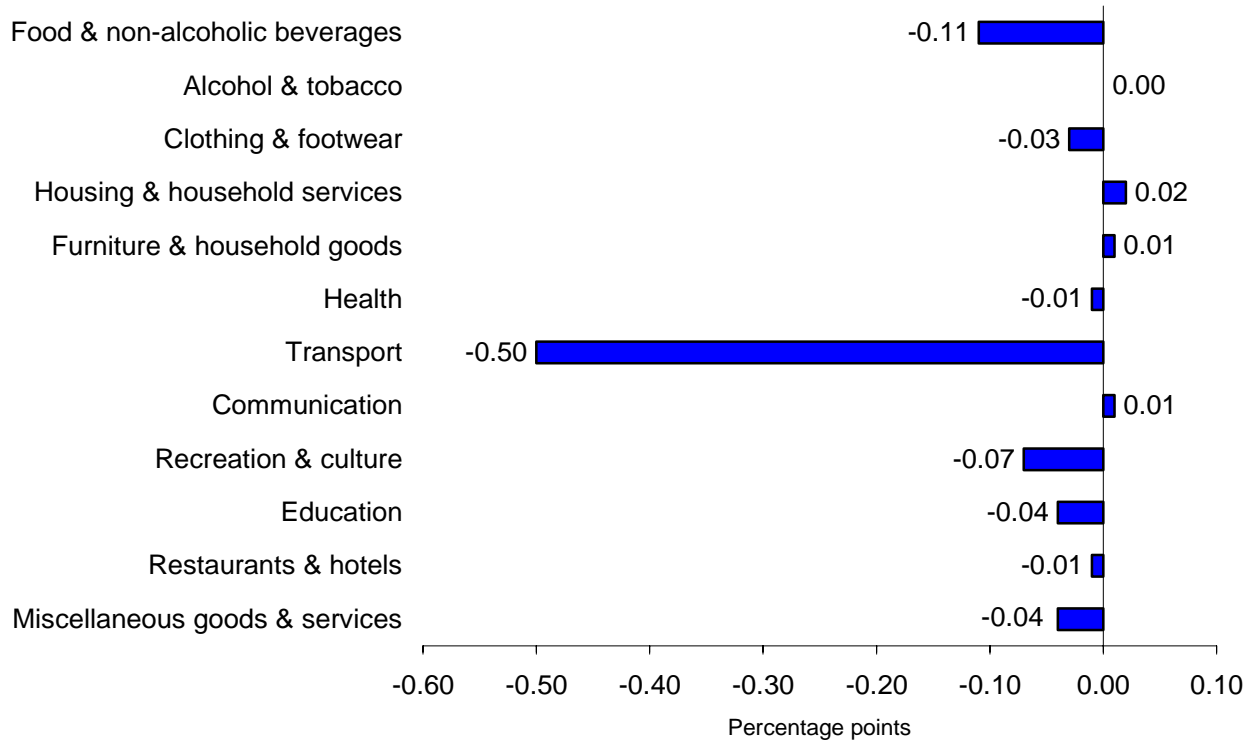
- Leisure goods where, overall, prices fell by more than last year. The effect came from audio-visual equipment, pre-recorded DVDs, computer games and newspapers;
- Clothing and footwear where the largest effect came from children's wear where prices fell this year but rose last year;
- Fuel and light where there was a sharp fall in the price of heating oil; and
- Personal goods and services where prices were largely unchanged this year but rose last year.

There was a small upward contribution from alcoholic drink where the price of beer rose this year but fell last year.

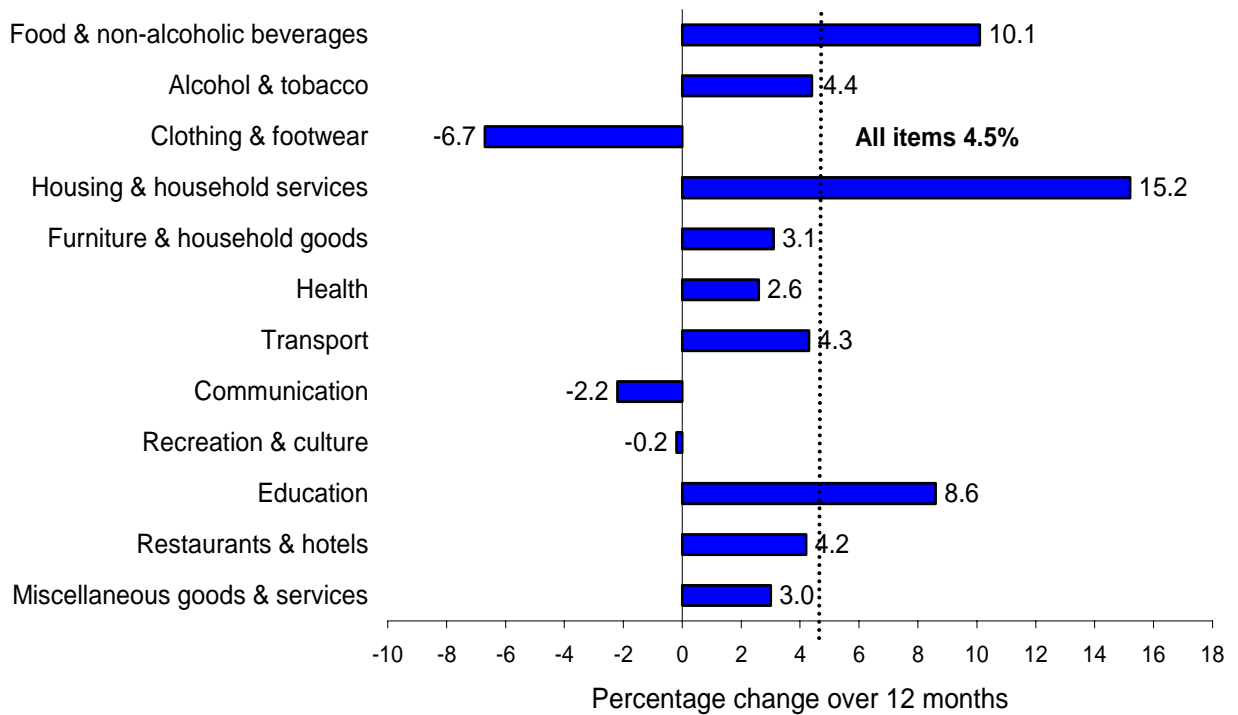
**Motoring expenditure**  
RPI percentage changes over 12 months



**CPI main contributions<sup>1</sup> to the change in the all items 12 - month rate between September 2008 and October 2008 (-0.7 percentage points)**

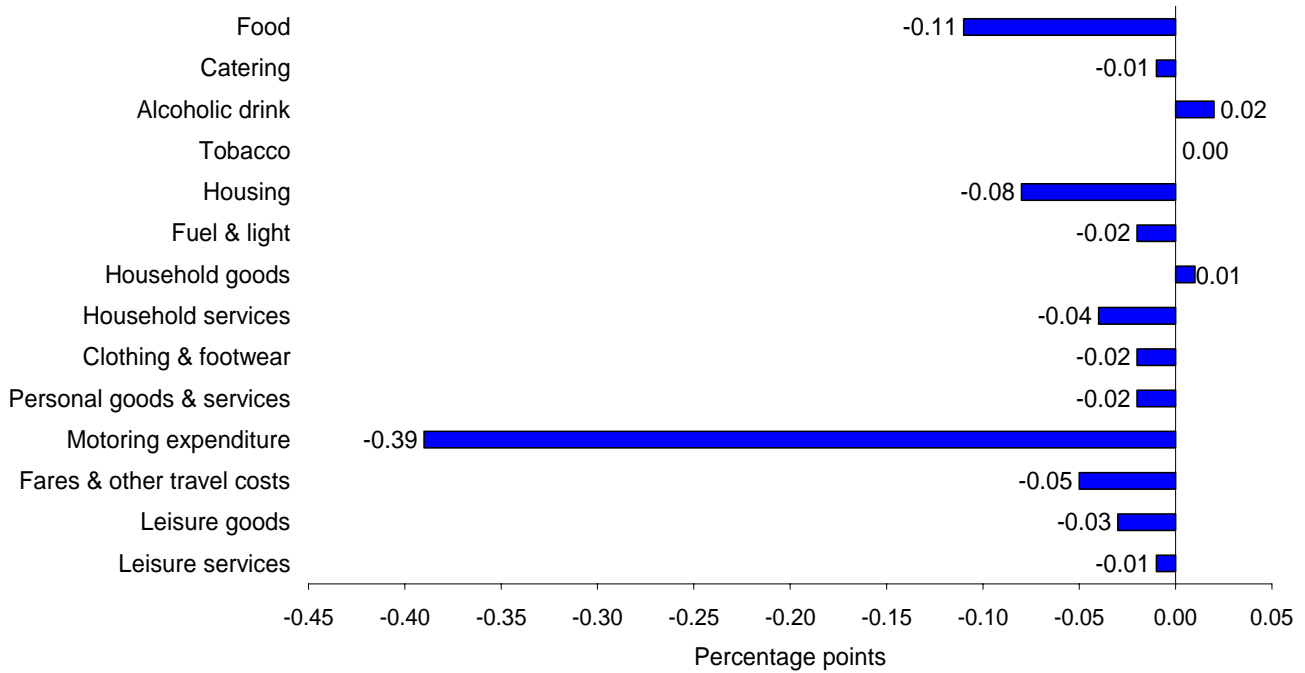


**CPI comparison of the 12-month percentage changes**

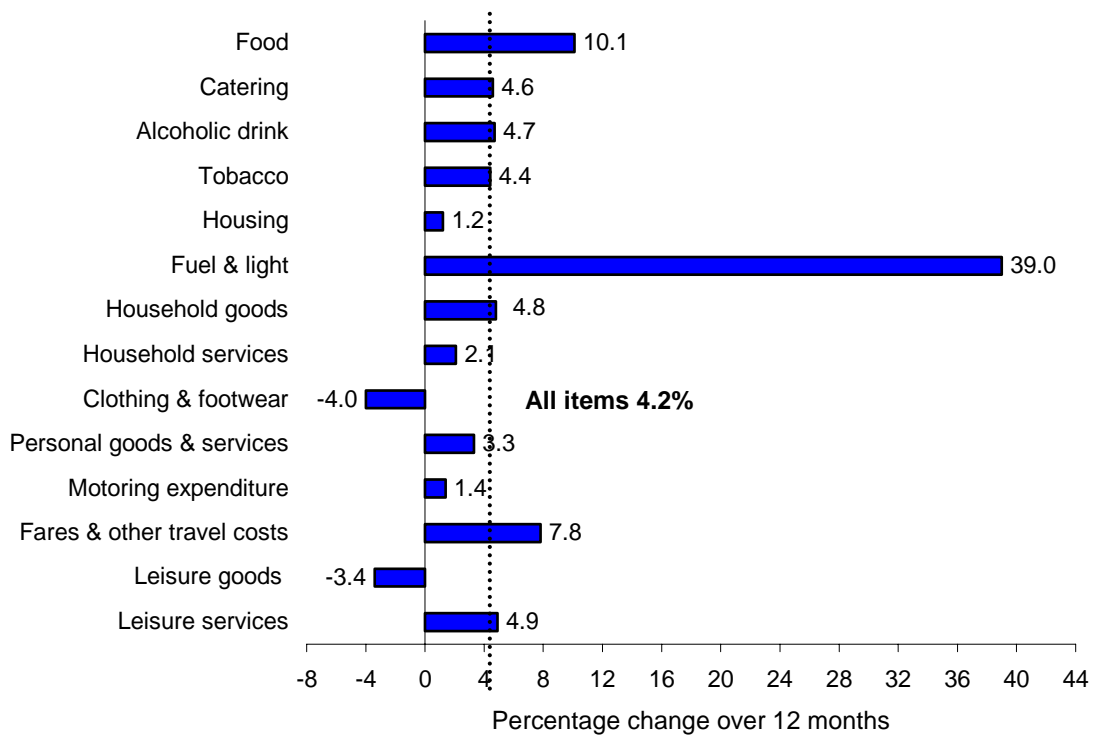


1. Individual contributions may not sum to the total due to rounding.

**RPI main contributions<sup>1</sup> to the change in the all items 12-month rate between September 2008 and October 2008 (-0.8 percentage points)**

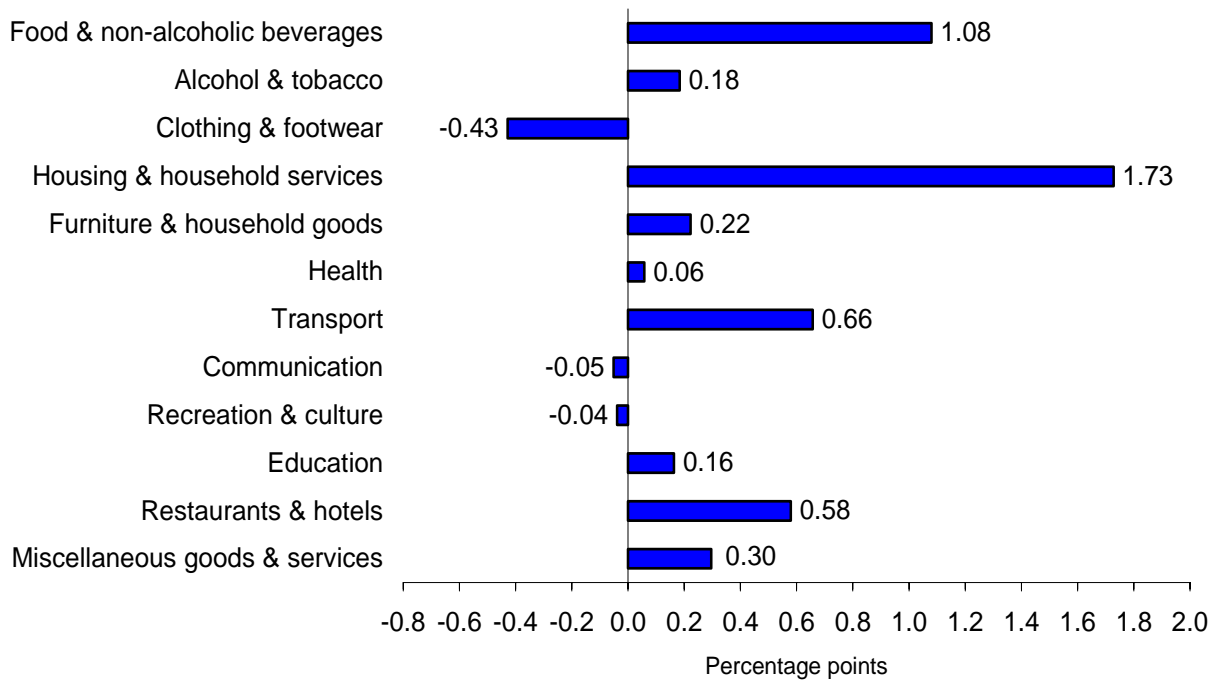


**RPI comparison of the 12-month percentage changes**



1. Individual contributions may not sum to the total due to rounding.

**CPI main contributions<sup>1</sup> to the all items 12-month rate (4.5 percentage points)**



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The largest contribution to the 4.5 per cent 12-month rate came from housing and household services (1.7 percentage points) where gas prices have risen by 50.8 per cent over the year and electricity prices have risen by 31.3 per cent.

Food and non-alcoholic drink contributed 1.1 percentage points to the 12-month rate. Overall prices rose by 10.1 per cent; the largest price rises are for bread and cereals, meat, milk, cheese and eggs and oils and fats.

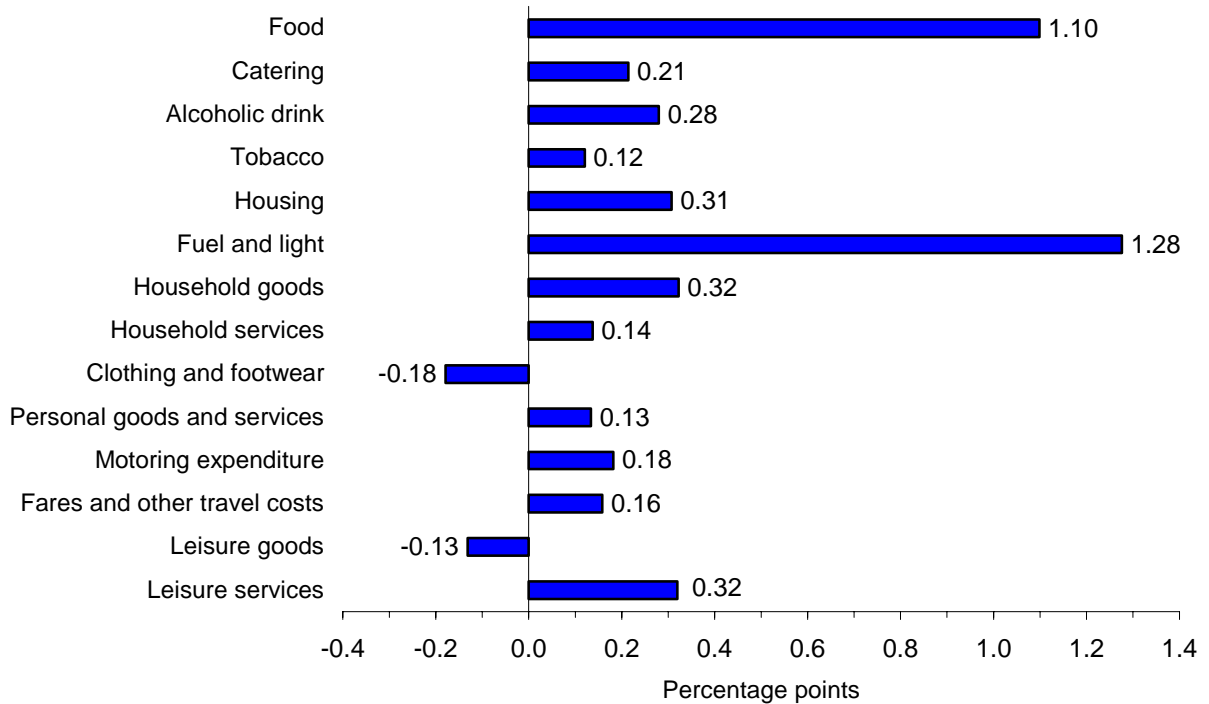
Transport costs contributed 0.7 percentage points to the 12-month rate. The largest increases were for fuels and lubricants where prices rose by 9.2 per cent and air transport where fares increased by 13.8 per cent.

Restaurants and hotels contributed 0.6 percentage points to the 12-month change. Overall, prices rose by 4.2 per cent.

In contrast, prices of clothing and footwear fell by 6.7 per cent over the 12 months to October and this had a downward pull of 0.4 percentage points.

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**RPI main contributions<sup>1</sup> to the all items 12-month rate (4.2 percentage points)**



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The largest contribution to the 4.2 per cent 12-month rate came from fuel and light (1.3 percentage points) with the largest effect coming from increases in gas and electricity tariffs.

Food contributed 1.1 percentage points to the 12-month rate. Overall prices rose by 10.1 per cent; the higher price rises are for beef, lamb, pork, poultry, bacon, processed fish, bread, cereals, biscuits and cakes, potatoes and processed vegetables.

As with the CPI, there was an offsetting effect from clothing and footwear where prices fell by 4.0 per cent over the year. There was also an offsetting effect from leisure goods where, overall, prices fell by 3.4 per cent over the year. The largest effect came from a 17.7 per cent fall in audio-visual equipment.

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## BACKGROUND NOTES

### Relevance

1. The consumer prices index (CPI) is the main United Kingdom domestic measure of consumer price inflation for macroeconomic purposes. It forms the basis for the Government's inflation target that the Bank of England's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) is required to achieve.
2. Internationally, the CPI is known as the Harmonised Index of Consumer Prices (HICP). HICPs are calculated in each Member State of the European Union, according to rules specified in a series of European Regulations developed by Eurostat in conjunction with the EU Member States. 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.
3. The retail prices index (RPI) is the most long-standing general purpose measure of inflation in the United Kingdom and is available from June 1947. It is used for a variety of purposes by both government and external users including the indexation of various incomes and prices and the uprating of pensions, benefits and index-linked gilts.

### Methodology

4. The CPI and the RPI are compiled 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 randomly selected areas throughout the UK. Around 120,000 separate price quotations are used every month to compile the indices. The outlets in which the prices are collected are selected randomly. Expenditure weights are held constant for one year at a time.
5. The selection of goods and services that are priced to compile the CPI and RPI is reviewed annually. The contents of the 2008 basket are described in an article published on the National Statistics website at:  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=1951>  
The expenditure weights used to compile the indices are also updated each year. Additional details of the updated CPI and RPI weights for 2008 are available from the National Statistics website in an article entitled Consumer Prices Index and Retail Prices Index: Updating Weights for 2008:  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?id=1991>
6. Rates of change for the CPI are calculated from unrounded index levels, rather than on the published indices, which are rounded to one decimal place. The use of unrounded indices increases the accuracy of the calculation. The unrounded index levels are available on request. By contrast, rates of change for the RPI are calculated from the published rounded indices.

## Reliability

7. Once the RPI indices are published they are never revised. CPI indices are revisable although past revisions have been minimal with the exception of those arising from re-referencing of the CPI to 2005=100, which took place with the publication of the January 2006 indices.

## Comparability

8. The CPI's coverage of goods and services was extended in stages in the areas of health, education, childcare and insurance, with effect from the January 2000, 2001, and 2002 indices. In 2000, there was also a change to the population basis for the weights which was broadened from private households to include expenditure by foreign visitors and residents of institutional households. Further details can be found in a series of articles: [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/about/methodology\\_by\\_theme/cpi](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/about/methodology_by_theme/cpi)
9. The official CPI series starts in 1996 but estimates for earlier periods are available back to 1988. These estimates are broadly consistent with data from 1996 but should be treated with some caution. The following article provides more detail: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?ID=31>
10. RPI data are available back to 1947 but have been re-referenced on several occasions since then, generally accompanied by changes to the coverage and/or structure of the detailed sub-components. Details of these changes are given in Appendices 1 and 2 of the CPI Technical Manual: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/statbase/Product.asp?vlnk=2328>

## Coherence

11. The CPI and RPI both measure the average change from month to month in the prices of consumer goods and services purchased in the UK. However, they differ in both coverage and methodology. A detailed description of these differences is given in an article entitled "The New Inflation Target: the Statistical Perspective": [www.statistics.gov.uk/StatBase/Product.asp?vlnk=10913](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/StatBase/Product.asp?vlnk=10913). The differences are summarised below:
  - In the CPI, the geometric mean is used to combine the individual prices into elementary indices 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). In addition, the CPI excludes the annual road fund licence and, from 2006, TV licences which are classified as taxes in the UK National Accounts, and Trades Union subscriptions which by convention are not part of household expenditure
  - 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

- The CPI is categorised according to 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 following table:

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. Mortgage interest payments, 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. New car prices in the RPI 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

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

### Accessibility

13. This release includes the October 2008 data, collected on 14 October 2008. Future publication dates are 16 December, 20 January, 17 February, 24 March, 21 April and 19 May. The European Commission (Eurostat) released figures for the harmonised index of consumer prices (HICP) for the month of October 2008 for EU member states excluding the UK, together with an EU average, on 14 November 2008. Further information on HICP for the European Union, Eurozone and other EU Member States is available from Eurostat's HICP web page:

[http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/pls/portal/url/page/PGP\\_DS\\_HICP](http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/pls/portal/url/page/PGP_DS_HICP)

### Further information

14. A more detailed quality report for this First Release is available at:  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/CCI/article.asp?ID=1585>

15. A full description of how the CPI and RPI are compiled is given in the Consumer Price Indices Technical Manual 2007 edition:  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/statbase/Product.asp?vlnk=2328>

### 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. Complete runs of series in this release are available to download free of charge at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/timeseries> .

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# 1 CPI, RPI and other selected indices: the latest three years

	Consumer prices index (CPI) <sup>1</sup>		Consumer prices index excluding indirect taxes (CPIY) <sup>3</sup>		Consumer prices index at constant tax rates (CPI-CT)		All items retail prices index (RPI)		All items RPI excluding			
	Index (2005=100)	Percentage change over 12 months	Index (2005=100)	Percentage change over 12 months	Index (2005=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) <sup>2</sup>	
		Index (2005=100)		Percentage change over 12 months		Index (2005=100)		Percentage change over 12 months	Index (Jan 13, 1987=100)	Percentage change over 12 months	Index (Jan 13, 1987=100)	Percentage change over 12 months
	D7BT	D7G7	EL2Q	EL2S	EAC7	EAD6	CHAW	CZBH	CHMK	CDKQ	CBZW	CBZX
2005 Oct	100.7	2.3	100.8	2.5	100.7	2.3	193.3	2.5	189.5	2.4	180.7	2.3
Nov	100.7	2.1	100.8	2.3	100.7	2.1	193.6	2.4	189.7	2.3	180.9	2.3
Dec	101.0	1.9	101.1	2.1	101.0	1.8	194.1	2.2	190.2	2.0	181.5	2.0
2006 Jan	100.5	1.9	100.6	2.1	100.5	1.9	193.4	2.4	189.4	2.3	180.7	2.3
Feb	100.9	2.0	100.9	2.1	100.8	2.0	194.2	2.4	190.1	2.3	181.4	2.3
Mar	101.1	1.8	101.1	1.9	101.1	1.7	195.0	2.4	190.8	2.1	182.2	2.2
Apr	101.7	2.0	101.7	2.1	101.6	2.0	196.5	2.6	192.3	2.4	183.2	2.3
May	102.2	2.2	102.3	2.3	102.1	2.2	197.7	3.0	193.6	2.9	184.5	2.8
Jun	102.5	2.5	102.6	2.6	102.4	2.4	198.5	3.3	194.2	3.1	185.2	3.2
Jul	102.5	2.4	102.6	2.4	102.4	2.3	198.5	3.3	194.2	3.1	185.2	3.2
Aug	102.9	2.5	103.0	2.6	102.8	2.4	199.2	3.4	194.9	3.3	186.0	3.4
Sep	103.0	2.4	103.2	2.6	102.9	2.3	200.1	3.6	195.3	3.2	186.4	3.3
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Dec	104.0	3.0	104.3	3.2	103.9	2.9	202.7	4.4	197.4	3.8	188.6	3.9
2007 Jan	103.2	2.7	103.5	2.9	103.1	2.6	201.6	4.2	196.1	3.5	187.3	3.7
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May	104.8	2.5	105.0	2.6	104.5	2.3	206.2	4.3	200.0	3.3	190.7	3.4
Jun	105.0	2.4	105.2	2.5	104.7	2.2	207.3	4.4	200.7	3.3	191.4	3.3
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Sep	104.8	1.8	105.0	1.7	104.5	1.6	208.0	3.9	200.8	2.8	191.6	2.8
Oct	105.3	2.1	105.5	1.9	104.9	1.8	208.9	4.2	201.6	3.1	192.3	3.0
Nov	105.6	2.1	105.8	1.9	105.2	1.8	209.7	4.3	202.4	3.2	193.2	3.0
Dec	106.2	2.1	106.4	2.0	105.8	1.9	210.9	4.0	203.5	3.1	194.4	3.1
2008 Jan	105.5	2.2	105.7	2.1	105.1	2.0	209.8	4.1	202.7	3.4	193.5	3.3
Feb	106.3	2.5	106.5	2.5	105.9	2.3	211.4	4.1	204.3	3.7	195.2	3.6
Mar	106.7	2.5	107.0	2.6	106.3	2.3	212.1	3.8	205.3	3.5	196.3	3.6
Apr	107.6	3.0	107.7	3.0	107.0	2.7	214.0	4.2	207.2	4.0	197.5	3.9
May	108.3	3.3	108.5	3.3	107.7	3.1	215.1	4.3	208.7	4.4	199.0	4.4
Jun	109.0	3.8	109.3	3.9	108.5	3.6	216.8	4.6	210.4	4.8	200.8	4.9
Jul	109.0	4.4	109.3	4.5	108.4	4.2	216.5	5.0	210.0	5.3	200.4	5.4
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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](http://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.

3 The taxes excluded are VAT, duties, insurance premium tax, air passenger duty, stamp duty on share transactions.

Source: National Statistics

# 2 CPI: Detailed figures for 14 October 2008

	Percentage change over				Percentage change over		
	Index (2005=100)	1 mth	12 mths		Index (2005=100)	1 mth	12 mths
<b>CPI (overall index)</b>	110.0	-0.2	4.5				
01 Food and non-alcoholic beverages	120.1	0.4	10.1	<b>06.2 Out-patient services</b>	112.6	-	2.8
02 Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	111.4	-0.2	4.4	06.2.1/3 Medical services & paramedical services	109.8	-	2.6
03 Clothing and footwear	86.3	-0.6	-6.7	06.2.2 Dental services	115.8	-0.1	2.9
04 Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	131.6	0.4	15.2	<b>06.3 Hospital services</b>	121.2	0.6	5.4
05 Furniture, household equipment and maintenance	104.0	-1.0	3.1	<b>07.1 Purchase of vehicles</b>	96.2	-0.6	-2.7
06 Health	110.4	0.2	2.6	07.1.1A New cars	104.6	0.2	1.7
07 Transport	111.3	-2.2	4.3	07.1.1B Second-hand cars	82.8	-2.1	-10.5
08 Communication	94.1	-	-2.2	07.1.2/3 Motorcycles and bicycles	106.8	0.6	8.4
09 Recreation and culture	97.4	-0.4	-0.2	<b>07.2 Operation of personal transport equipment</b>	119.6	-3.1	7.2
10 Education	144.6	6.2	8.6	07.2.1 Spare parts and accessories	106.9	0.5	3.1
11 Restaurants and hotels	112.5	0.3	4.2	07.2.2 Fuels and lubricants	122.1	-6.1	9.2
12 Miscellaneous goods and services	109.6	0.2	3.0	07.2.3 Maintenance and repairs	119.6	0.6	6.1
<b>All goods</b>	107.6	-0.7	4.6	07.2.4 Other services	113.0	0.3	2.1
<b>All services</b>	113.0	0.3	4.3	<b>07.3 Transport services</b>	117.1	-2.5	8.2
<b>01.1 Food</b>	121.4	0.4	11.2	07.3.1 Passenger transport by railway	114.1	0.2	4.1
01.1.1 Bread and cereals	122.1	-0.5	14.0	07.3.2 Passenger transport by road	114.0	0.5	5.4
01.1.2 Meat	119.8	-1.4	14.3	07.3.3 Passenger transport by air	110.2	-6.2	13.8
01.1.3 Fish	126.9	0.7	6.1	07.3.4 Passenger transport by sea and inland waterway	125.2	-12.1	5.3
01.1.4 Milk, cheese and eggs	129.1	2.3	12.8	<b>08.1 Postal services</b>	129.8	0.2	6.9
01.1.5 Oils and fats	133.2	-2.3	11.3	<b>08.2/3 Telephone and telefax equipment and services</b>	92.7	-	-2.6
01.1.6 Fruit	114.3	5.3	5.4	<b>09.1 Audio-visual equipment and related products</b>	65.3	-3.1	-13.8
01.1.7 Vegetables including potatoes and tubers	122.0	-0.3	9.9	09.1.1 Reception and reproduction of sound and pictures	63.1	-1.9	-13.1
01.1.8 Sugar, jam, syrups, chocolate and confectionery	117.7	0.9	8.9	09.1.2 Photographic, cinematographic and optical equipment	41.4	-0.9	-23.6
01.1.9 Food products (nec)	108.2	-0.5	7.0	09.1.3 Data processing equipment	50.4	-2.4	-21.4
<b>01.2 Non-alcoholic beverages</b>	111.4	0.6	2.5	09.1.4 Recording media	85.3	-4.9	-9.1
01.2.1 Coffee, tea and cocoa	119.1	1.6	9.8	09.1.5 Repair of audio-visual equipment & related products	112.2	-	3.1
01.2.2 Mineral waters, soft drinks and juices	109.1	0.2	0.5	<b>09.2 Oth. major durables for recreation &amp; culture</b>	103.7	0.5	2.6
<b>02.1 Alcoholic beverages</b>	105.5	-0.6	4.2	09.2.1/2 Major durables for in/outdoor recreation	103.7	0.5	2.6
02.1.1 Spirits	105.8	-3.3	4.4	<b>09.3 Other recreational items, gardens and pets</b>	97.6	-0.1	0.1
02.1.2 Wine	107.1	0.3	4.4	09.3.1 Games, toys and hobbies	90.9	-0.7	-3.1
02.1.3 Beer	101.5	0.9	3.5	09.3.2 Equipment for sport and open-air recreation	101.4	1.4	2.9
<b>02.2 Tobacco</b>	115.7	-	4.4	09.3.3 Gardens, plants and flowers	103.1	0.9	2.8
<b>03.1 Clothing</b>	85.5	-0.6	-7.2	09.3.4/5 Pets, related products and services	113.8	-	6.6
03.1.2 Garments	84.3	-0.7	-7.8	<b>09.4 Recreational and cultural services</b>	114.0	0.4	3.0
03.1.3 Other clothing and clothing accessories	98.8	0.2	-0.5	09.4.1 Recreational and sporting services	118.3	-0.1	4.5
03.1.4 Cleaning, repair and hire of clothing	113.5	0.2	4.0	09.4.2 Cultural services	112.0	0.7	2.3
<b>03.2 Footwear including repairs</b>	91.8	-0.2	-3.2	<b>09.5 Books, newspapers and stationery</b>	110.4	-0.4	3.2
<b>04.1 Actual rentals for housing</b>	111.4	0.9	3.6	09.5.1 Books	109.7	-2.3	0.5
<b>04.3 Regular maintenance and repair of the dwelling</b>	113.9	0.4	6.3	09.5.2 Newspapers and periodicals	116.6	0.3	4.6
04.3.1 Materials for maintenance and repair	112.7	0.5	7.4	09.5.3/4 Misc. printed matter, stationery, drawing materials	102.4	0.7	4.2
04.3.2 Services for maintenance and repair	115.9	0.3	4.8	<b>09.6 Package holidays</b>	106.6	0.2	5.8
<b>04.4 Water supply and misc. services for the dwelling</b>	122.9	-	6.5	<b>10.0 Education</b>	144.6	6.2	8.6
04.4.1 Water supply	122.2	-	5.7	<b>11.1 Catering services</b>	112.6	0.2	4.6
04.4.3 Sewerage collection	123.3	-	7.3	11.1.1 Restaurants & cafes	112.6	0.2	4.7
<b>04.5 Electricity, gas and other fuels</b>	180.0	-0.1	39.3	11.1.2 Canteens	112.8	0.4	3.5
04.5.1 Electricity	168.8	0.7	31.3	<b>11.2 Accommodation services</b>	111.6	0.3	2.1
04.5.2 Gas	200.7	0.2	50.8	<b>12.1 Personal care</b>	108.4	0.9	2.9
04.5.3 Liquid fuels	152.4	-14.5	26.0	12.1.1 Hairdressing and personal grooming establishments	112.7	0.2	3.9
04.5.4 Solid fuels	158.6	9.3	34.8	12.1.2/3 Appliances and products for personal care	106.9	1.2	2.5
<b>05.1 Furniture, furnishings and carpets</b>	106.3	-1.8	4.8	<b>12.3 Personal effects (nec)</b>	111.2	-0.5	4.9
05.1.1 Furniture and furnishings	106.2	-1.7	4.8	12.3.1 Jewellery, clocks and watches	116.2	0.4	6.8
05.1.2 Carpets and other floor coverings	106.4	-2.4	4.6	12.3.2 Other personal effects	101.6	-2.7	0.7
<b>05.2 Household textiles</b>	89.9	-1.1	-1.8	<b>12.4 Social protection</b>	118.3	0.4	4.7
<b>05.3 Household appliances, fitting and repairs</b>	97.3	-0.4	0.5	<b>12.5 Insurance</b>	107.5	-0.1	0.9
05.3.1/2 Major appliances and small electric goods	95.8	-0.7	-0.2	12.5.2 House contents insurance	96.9	0.1	-5.0
05.3.3 Repair of household appliances	110.4	1.5	6.5	12.5.3 Health insurance	123.8	-	5.4
<b>05.4 Glassware, tableware and household utensils</b>	101.7	-0.5	1.2	12.5.4 Transport insurance	105.8	-0.2	1.6
<b>05.5 Tools and equipment for house and garden</b>	103.8	0.4	2.1	<b>12.6 Financial services (nec)</b>	104.0	-0.3	2.0
<b>05.6 Goods and services for routine maintenance</b>	114.6	-0.2	6.2	12.6.2 Other financial services (nec)	104.0	-0.3	2.0
05.6.1 Non-durable household goods	112.6	-0.7	7.6	<b>12.7 Other services (nec)</b>	116.5	0.2	4.0
05.6.2 Domestic services and household services	116.2	0.3	4.8				
<b>06.1 Medical products, appliances and equipment</b>	101.5	-0.1	0.4				
06.1.1 Pharmaceutical products	101.4	-0.2	-0.6				
06.1.2/3 Other medical and therapeutic equipment	101.8	-	1.4				

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### 3 CPI: Detailed figures by divisions, groups and classes

	Weights	Index (2005=100)						Percentage change over 12 months					
		2008	2008 May	2008 Jun	2008 Jul	2008 Aug	2008 Sep	2008 Oct	2008 May	2008 Jun	2008 Jul	2008 Aug	2008 Sep
<b>CPI (overall index)</b>	1 000	108.3	109.0	109.0	109.7	110.3	110.0	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.7	5.2	4.5
01 Food and non-alcoholic beverages	109	115.1	117.5	118.4	120.0	119.6	120.1	7.8	9.5	12.3	13.0	11.3	10.1
02 Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	42	112.0	111.9	111.4	111.8	111.7	111.4	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.4
03 Clothing and footwear	63	87.8	86.5	83.8	84.9	86.8	86.3	-6.3	-7.5	-6.7	-6.7	-6.2	-6.7
04 Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	115	122.3	122.5	123.0	125.6	131.1	131.6	6.3	7.0	7.6	10.1	15.0	15.2
05 Furniture, household equipment and maintenance	67	103.5	105.9	102.6	103.4	105.1	104.0	1.7	1.8	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.1
06 Health	22	109.0	109.3	110.1	110.3	110.2	110.4	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.6
07 Transport	152	112.7	114.6	116.6	116.5	113.8	111.3	6.2	7.3	8.0	7.3	7.6	4.3
08 Communication	23	94.3	94.9	94.1	94.3	94.1	94.1	-2.4	-1.3	-0.7	-3.0	-2.7	-2.2
09 Recreation and culture	152	97.3	97.6	96.9	97.3	97.8	97.4	-0.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.2	-0.2
10 Education	19	133.2	133.2	133.2	133.2	136.2	144.6	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	10.8	8.6
11 Restaurants and hotels	137	110.8	111.1	111.6	111.7	112.2	112.5	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.2
12 Miscellaneous goods and services	99	108.5	108.6	109.0	109.2	109.4	109.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.4	3.4	3.0
<b>All goods</b>	547	106.2	107.2	106.4	107.1	108.4	107.6	3.0	3.8	4.7	5.1	5.7	4.6
<b>All services</b>	453	110.8	111.2	112.2	112.9	112.6	113.0	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.3
<b>01.1 Food</b>	95	115.7	118.5	119.4	121.0	120.9	121.4	8.7	10.6	13.7	14.5	12.7	11.2
01.1.1 Bread and cereals	16	115.8	119.2	121.2	123.0	122.8	122.1	9.1	11.9	15.9	17.4	15.7	14.0
01.1.2 Meat	21	112.4	116.0	119.3	120.5	121.5	119.8	8.8	11.2	16.3	17.1	19.1	14.3
01.1.3 Fish	5	123.8	119.6	121.7	125.4	126.0	126.9	6.7	1.5	5.1	7.5	7.5	6.1
01.1.4 Milk, cheese and eggs	14	122.5	125.3	125.5	126.4	126.1	129.1	16.6	19.1	19.0	19.0	11.7	12.8
01.1.5 Oils and fats	2	128.7	137.3	137.2	136.7	136.3	133.2	20.1	28.2	29.5	30.1	15.5	11.3
01.1.6 Fruit	9	105.2	111.6	106.8	111.4	108.6	114.3	2.4	8.2	10.7	13.0	6.1	5.4
01.1.7 Vegetables including potatoes and tubers	15	120.1	121.9	122.4	122.6	122.3	122.0	7.2	7.4	11.1	10.2	10.8	9.9
01.1.8 Sugar, jam, syrups, chocolate and confectionery	11	114.0	114.4	114.9	116.9	116.7	117.7	6.3	6.7	7.6	8.5	8.1	8.9
01.1.9 Food products (nec)	2	103.0	104.8	106.9	108.3	108.8	108.2	2.6	3.4	6.4	8.3	7.6	7.0
<b>01.2 Non-alcoholic beverages</b>	14	111.0	111.0	112.0	112.7	110.8	111.4	1.7	1.9	2.7	3.4	1.7	2.5
01.2.1 Coffee, tea and cocoa	3	112.5	112.8	115.6	118.3	117.2	119.1	2.3	3.5	5.6	8.7	6.5	9.8
01.2.2 Mineral waters, soft drinks and juices	11	110.4	110.4	110.8	111.0	108.8	109.1	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.9	0.4	0.5
<b>02.1 Alcoholic beverages</b>	18	107.1	106.7	105.7	106.5	106.2	105.5	5.4	4.4	4.0	4.3	3.9	4.2
02.1.1 Spirits	5	110.5	109.0	108.4	110.3	109.4	105.8	9.2	7.1	7.9	7.9	6.1	4.4
02.1.2 Wine	9	106.7	107.2	106.6	106.8	106.7	107.1	4.7	3.9	3.8	4.6	4.5	4.4
02.1.3 Beer	4	103.4	102.5	100.1	100.8	100.6	101.5	2.3	2.1	-0.5	-0.7	0.2	3.5
<b>02.2 Tobacco</b>	24	115.5	115.6	115.6	115.6	115.7	115.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4
<b>03.1 Clothing</b>	55	87.2	85.8	82.7	84.0	86.0	85.5	-6.7	-8.0	-7.3	-7.4	-6.7	-7.2
03.1.2 Garments	51	86.1	84.7	81.4	82.8	84.9	84.3	-7.3	-8.6	-7.9	-7.9	-7.2	-7.8
03.1.3 Other clothing and clothing accessories	3	99.2	98.1	96.9	96.5	98.6	98.8	0.0	-1.6	-1.2	-1.5	-0.6	-0.5
03.1.4 Cleaning, repair and hire of clothing	1	110.7	110.9	112.4	112.8	113.2	113.5	3.2	2.5	3.5	3.7	3.8	4.0
<b>03.2 Footwear including repairs</b>	8	92.3	91.8	91.1	91.8	92.0	91.8	-3.7	-4.2	-2.5	-2.6	-2.7	-3.2
<b>04.1 Actual rentals for housing</b>	51	109.9	110.0	110.2	110.3	110.4	111.4	3.4	3.4	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.6
<b>04.3 Regular maintenance and repair of the dwelling</b>	18	110.0	110.3	111.6	112.4	113.5	113.9	4.5	4.0	4.8	5.4	6.2	6.3
04.3.1 Materials for maintenance and repair	10	107.9	108.2	109.2	110.2	112.1	112.7	5.0	4.2	4.4	5.4	6.9	7.4
04.3.2 Services for maintenance and repair	8	113.1	113.4	115.1	115.4	115.6	115.9	3.8	3.8	5.2	5.3	5.3	4.8
<b>04.4 Water supply and misc. services for the dwelling</b>	11	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
04.4.1 Water supply	5	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
04.4.3 Sewerage collection	6	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
<b>04.5 Electricity, gas and other fuels</b>	37	150.3	150.9	151.6	160.4	180.2	180.0	11.2	13.8	16.1	24.0	39.5	39.3
04.5.1 Electricity	17	145.7	145.7	145.7	151.9	167.6	168.8	9.6	11.2	12.6	18.0	30.3	31.3
04.5.2 Gas	15	153.8	153.8	154.1	171.8	200.3	200.7	7.1	10.2	12.9	27.7	49.9	50.8
04.5.3 Liquid fuels	2	196.8	205.4	215.8	183.0	178.3	152.4	84.4	87.8	92.2	66.4	52.8	26.0
04.5.4 Solid fuels	1	127.7	130.4	131.7	133.2	145.1	158.6	12.4	15.2	16.6	17.7	26.8	34.8
<b>05.1 Furniture, furnishings and carpets</b>	28	106.4	112.2	104.7	105.3	108.3	106.3	3.1	3.6	5.4	5.0	4.4	4.8
05.1.1 Furniture and furnishings	22	105.7	113.3	103.8	104.6	108.0	106.2	2.5	2.5	4.9	4.6	3.8	4.8
05.1.2 Carpets and other floor coverings	6	108.5	107.7	107.3	107.5	109.0	106.4	5.3	7.7	7.2	6.0	6.6	4.6
<b>05.2 Household textiles</b>	8	91.8	90.3	89.4	90.3	90.9	89.9	-1.7	-3.6	-1.7	-2.6	-2.9	-1.8
<b>05.3 Household appliances, fitting and repairs</b>	9	96.4	97.1	96.1	97.5	97.8	97.3	-0.3	1.2	0.0	2.2	0.3	0.5
05.3.1/2 Major appliances and small electric goods	8	95.1	95.8	94.7	96.1	96.4	95.8	-0.9	0.7	-0.6	1.8	-0.2	-0.2
05.3.3 Repair of household appliances	1	107.5	107.9	108.4	108.5	108.8	110.4	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.0	6.5
<b>05.4 Glassware, tableware and household utensils</b>	7	101.5	100.6	100.3	101.0	102.2	101.7	1.1	-0.4	1.0	1.7	2.4	1.2
<b>05.5 Tools and equipment for house and garden</b>	5	102.6	103.1	102.5	103.1	103.5	103.8	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.9	1.5	2.1
<b>05.6 Goods and services for routine maintenance</b>	10	111.2	112.0	112.8	114.2	114.9	114.6	3.0	3.2	4.3	5.7	6.2	6.2
05.6.1 Non-durable household goods	5	108.2	108.7	110.1	112.5	113.3	112.6	1.8	2.0	3.9	6.9	7.7	7.6
05.6.2 Domestic services and household services	5	113.7	114.7	115.1	115.2	115.8	116.2	4.0	4.3	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.8
<b>06.1 Medical products, appliances and equipment</b>	10	101.2	101.2	101.6	101.8	101.6	101.5	0.5	0.5	1.4	1.3	0.8	0.4
06.1.1 Pharmaceutical products	5	101.7	101.5	102.0	102.4	101.6	101.4	0.1	0.3	1.5	1.2	0.1	-0.6
06.1.2/3 Other medical and therapeutic equipment	5	101.0	101.3	101.5	101.5	101.8	101.8	0.8	0.7	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4

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# 3 CPI: Detailed figures by divisions, groups and classes

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	Weights	Index (2005=100)						Percentage change over 12 months					
		2008	2008		2008		2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	
			May	Jun	Jul	Aug							Sep
<b>06.2 Out-patient services</b>	4	111.9	112.1	112.3	112.4	112.7	112.6	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.8
06.2.1/3 Medical services & paramedical services	2	108.9	109.1	109.3	109.4	109.8	109.8	3.3	3.0	3.2	2.9	3.0	2.6
06.2.2 Dental services	2	115.2	115.5	115.7	115.7	115.9	115.8	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.9
<b>06.3 Hospital services</b>	8	118.0	118.4	120.4	120.5	120.5	121.2	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.4
<b>07.1 Purchase of vehicles</b>	48	98.6	98.1	97.9	97.4	96.8	96.2	-1.5	-1.7	-1.5	-1.7	-2.1	-2.7
07.1.1A New cars	26	103.5	103.5	103.8	104.0	104.4	104.6	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.7
07.1.1B Second-hand cars	19	91.0	89.8	88.7	87.0	84.6	82.8	-5.1	-5.7	-5.7	-6.8	-8.9	-10.5
07.1.2/3 Motorcycles and bicycles	3	97.7	99.3	100.8	102.8	106.2	106.8	-2.8	-0.2	1.1	2.9	7.7	8.4
<b>07.2 Operation of personal transport equipment</b>	72	122.8	126.3	127.2	124.1	123.4	119.6	12.1	14.3	15.2	12.5	12.3	7.2
07.2.1 Spare parts and accessories	5	105.3	105.6	105.3	105.7	106.4	106.9	3.0	2.7	2.2	1.8	2.2	3.1
07.2.2 Fuels and lubricants	38	130.7	137.1	138.6	132.1	130.1	122.1	19.5	24.0	25.7	20.6	19.6	9.2
07.2.3 Maintenance and repairs	23	116.5	117.1	117.6	118.1	118.9	119.6	5.0	4.8	5.1	5.2	5.8	6.1
07.2.4 Other services	6	112.1	112.1	112.2	112.2	112.6	113.0	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.3	2.1
<b>07.3 Transport services</b>	32	113.3	115.5	123.7	130.4	120.0	117.1	4.7	5.1	6.0	8.4	11.7	8.2
07.3.1 Passenger transport by railway	8	114.6	114.1	114.6	114.7	113.9	114.1	4.8	4.3	4.5	4.1	3.5	4.1
07.3.2 Passenger transport by road	14	112.0	111.8	112.8	113.4	113.3	114.0	4.7	3.8	4.4	4.7	4.5	5.4
07.3.3 Passenger transport by air	8	102.4	108.5	131.0	145.5	117.5	110.2	3.4	5.4	8.9	12.6	26.5	13.8
07.3.4 Passenger transport by sea and inland waterway	2	115.0	124.2	135.2	167.1	142.4	125.2	-3.7	0.4	-9.7	2.7	17.2	5.3
<b>08.1 Postal services</b>	1	129.5	129.5	129.5	129.5	129.5	129.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9
<b>08.2/3 Telephone and telefax equipment and services</b>	22	92.8	93.4	92.7	92.9	92.7	92.7	-2.8	-1.7	-1.0	-3.4	-3.1	-2.6
<b>09.1 Audio-visual equipment and related products</b>	27	70.3	70.2	68.6	67.9	67.4	65.3	-14.0	-12.2	-11.9	-12.7	-12.2	-13.8
09.1.1 Reception and reproduction of sound and pictures	6	66.7	65.4	64.8	64.9	64.3	63.1	-13.3	-12.7	-12.0	-12.8	-12.5	-13.1
09.1.2 Photographic, cinematographic and optical equipment	4	46.1	44.7	44.5	42.4	41.8	41.4	-25.2	-21.7	-19.2	-22.7	-22.1	-23.6
09.1.3 Data processing equipment	5	54.4	54.3	54.2	52.1	51.7	50.4	-23.8	-23.3	-20.7	-22.6	-20.2	-21.4
09.1.4 Recording media	11	92.2	93.8	89.5	90.1	89.7	85.3	-7.1	-4.4	-6.3	-5.8	-6.6	-9.1
09.1.5 Repair of audio-visual equipment & related products	1	110.8	111.1	111.2	111.5	112.2	112.2	3.4	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.4	3.1
<b>09.2 Other major durables for recreation &amp; culture</b>	9	102.7	102.8	102.6	103.0	103.1	103.7	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.6
09.2.1/2 Major durables for in/outdoor recreation	9	102.7	102.8	102.6	103.0	103.1	103.7	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.6
<b>09.3 Other recreational items, gardens and pets</b>	38	96.6	97.7	95.4	96.6	97.7	97.6	-0.1	1.5	-0.3	0.0	0.4	0.1
09.3.1 Games, toys and hobbies	22	90.9	91.8	88.1	89.8	91.5	90.9	-2.0	-0.1	-3.2	-3.4	-2.2	-3.1
09.3.2 Equipment for sport and open-air recreation	4	98.1	98.8	99.1	100.3	99.9	101.4	-0.7	-0.4	1.0	2.0	1.4	2.9
09.3.3 Gardens, plants and flowers	5	103.0	104.1	103.0	103.0	102.2	103.1	2.6	4.7	3.3	3.4	2.1	2.8
09.3.4/5 Pets, related products and services	7	110.1	111.7	112.5	112.7	113.8	113.8	4.0	5.3	5.7	7.2	7.0	6.6
<b>09.4 Recreational and cultural services</b>	32	111.6	111.5	111.9	112.2	113.5	114.0	2.5	1.9	3.1	2.6	3.3	3.0
09.4.1 Recreational and sporting services	11	114.4	114.5	115.0	115.2	118.5	118.3	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.3	4.5
09.4.2 Cultural services	21	110.3	110.2	110.6	110.9	111.2	112.0	1.2	0.3	2.0	1.3	2.2	2.3
<b>09.5 Books, newspapers and stationery</b>	17	111.7	110.9	111.4	110.4	110.8	110.4	6.4	5.9	5.3	4.0	3.8	3.2
09.5.1 Books	5	117.8	113.7	115.2	113.1	112.2	109.7	12.8	9.9	8.1	4.4	2.3	0.5
09.5.2 Newspapers and periodicals	7	115.7	116.4	116.2	115.1	116.2	116.6	5.8	6.3	5.7	4.7	5.1	4.6
09.5.3/4 Misc. printed matter, stationery, drawing materials	5	99.8	100.2	100.8	101.0	101.6	102.4	0.7	1.3	2.1	3.0	3.8	4.2
<b>09.6 Package holidays</b>	29	102.8	103.6	104.3	105.8	106.4	106.6	3.0	4.0	4.2	5.4	5.9	5.8
<b>10.0 Education</b>	19	133.2	133.2	133.2	133.2	136.2	144.6	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	10.8	8.6
<b>11.1 Catering services</b>	118	111.0	111.3	111.6	111.9	112.3	112.6	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6
11.1.1 Restaurants & cafes	106	110.9	111.3	111.6	111.9	112.3	112.6	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.8	4.7
11.1.2 Canteens	12	111.2	111.1	111.5	111.9	112.4	112.8	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.5
<b>11.2 Accommodation services</b>	19	110.1	110.1	111.3	110.3	111.3	111.6	2.1	1.6	2.7	1.6	2.1	2.1
<b>12.1 Personal care</b>	30	106.7	106.7	107.1	107.7	107.4	108.4	1.6	2.0	2.4	3.5	3.3	2.9
12.1.1 Hairdressing and personal grooming establishments	8	111.1	111.5	111.9	112.2	112.4	112.7	3.6	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.0	3.9
12.1.2/3 Appliances and products for personal care	22	105.1	105.0	105.4	106.2	105.6	106.9	0.9	1.4	1.9	3.3	3.0	2.5
<b>12.3 Personal effects (nec)</b>	10	110.5	110.3	109.0	110.3	111.8	111.2	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.6	5.2	4.9
12.3.1 Jewellery, clocks and watches	7	114.1	114.7	113.6	115.0	115.8	116.2	5.7	6.5	6.0	6.4	6.5	6.8
12.3.2 Other personal effects	3	104.0	101.9	100.4	101.2	104.4	101.6	1.9	0.0	0.5	0.4	2.3	0.7
<b>12.4 Social protection</b>	12	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.3	117.8	118.3	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.7	4.7
<b>12.5 Insurance</b>	8	109.3	108.4	108.7	107.8	107.5	107.5	4.2	3.4	2.8	1.8	1.3	0.9
12.5.2 House contents insurance	2	109.0	103.9	101.7	101.4	96.8	96.9	4.7	1.5	-0.6	-1.4	-6.0	-5.0
12.5.3 Health insurance	2	121.2	121.2	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	7.0	7.0	6.4	6.4	6.4	5.4
12.5.4 Transport insurance	4	104.7	105.3	105.8	104.3	106.0	105.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	1.0	2.4	1.6
<b>12.6 Financial services (nec)</b>	28	102.8	103.2	104.3	104.0	104.3	104.0	0.0	0.3	0.6	2.1	2.1	2.0
12.6.2 Other financial services (nec)	28	102.8	103.2	104.3	104.0	104.3	104.0	0.0	0.3	0.6	2.1	2.1	2.0
<b>12.7 Other services (nec)</b>	11	115.4	115.8	115.9	116.0	116.3	116.5	6.4	6.0	5.7	5.3	5.3	4.0

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

Source: National Statistics

# 4 CPI: Detailed figures by division<sup>1</sup>

	Food and non-alcoholic beverages	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	Clothing and footwear	Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	Furniture, household equipment & routine maintenance	Health <sup>2</sup>	Transport	Communication	Recreation and culture	Education <sup>2</sup>	Restaurants and hotels	Miscellaneous goods and services <sup>2</sup>	CPI (overall index)
COICOP Division	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	
<b>Weights</b>													
2008	CHZR 109	CHZS 42	CHZT 63	CHZU 115	CHZV 67	CHZW 22	CHZX 152	CHZY 23	CHZZ 152	CJUU 19	CJUV 137	CJUW 99	CHZQ 1 000
<b>Monthly indices (2005=100)</b>													
	D7BU	D7BV	D7BW	D7BX	D7BY	D7BZ	D7C2	D7C3	D7C4	D7C5	D7C6	D7C7	D7BT
2006 Oct	104.2	103.9	96.6	112.7	99.0	104.2	101.5	100.4	98.6	117.8	104.2	105.0	103.2
Nov	105.1	103.4	97.2	113.7	100.0	104.1	101.1	100.3	98.7	117.8	104.5	105.0	103.4
Dec	105.4	103.0	96.0	114.5	103.3	104.2	102.8	99.9	99.2	117.8	104.7	104.9	104.0
2007 Jan	104.4	104.5	92.0	114.9	98.3	104.8	102.1	99.0	98.3	117.8	104.9	105.1	103.2
Feb	105.4	105.1	91.9	115.1	99.6	104.9	102.8	98.1	98.4	117.8	105.2	105.8	103.7
Mar	106.0	105.6	92.8	115.0	102.9	104.8	103.1	98.1	98.2	117.8	105.7	106.2	104.2
Apr	106.2	107.0	93.7	115.7	100.7	105.5	104.5	97.2	98.3	117.8	106.3	105.8	104.5
May	106.7	106.8	93.7	115.0	101.8	105.8	106.1	96.6	98.0	117.8	106.6	105.7	104.8
Jun	107.3	107.1	93.6	114.5	104.0	106.1	106.8	96.1	97.6	117.8	106.9	105.8	105.0
Jul	105.5	106.9	89.8	114.3	99.7	106.6	108.0	94.8	97.0	117.8	107.2	106.1	104.4
Aug	106.1	107.0	91.1	114.0	100.3	106.8	108.6	97.2	97.5	117.8	107.4	105.6	104.7
Sep	107.4	107.1	92.5	114.0	102.1	107.1	105.7	96.6	97.6	122.9	107.6	105.8	104.8
Oct	109.1	106.8	92.5	114.3	100.8	107.5	106.6	96.2	97.7	133.2	107.9	106.4	105.3
Nov	110.1	106.4	92.9	114.6	101.6	107.3	107.0	96.3	97.6	133.2	108.0	106.6	105.6
Dec	111.1	105.7	92.2	114.7	104.2	107.6	108.7	96.2	98.0	133.2	108.3	106.8	106.2
2008 Jan	110.8	106.9	87.5	115.4	100.0	108.1	108.6	95.8	97.0	133.2	108.3	106.8	105.5
Feb	111.3	108.1	87.6	119.1	101.3	108.2	109.1	94.3	97.2	133.2	108.7	107.1	106.3
Mar	111.8	108.2	87.9	119.5	103.5	108.4	110.3	94.2	96.8	133.2	109.2	107.5	106.7
Apr	113.2	111.5	87.8	122.0	102.1	108.9	110.8	94.4	97.3	133.2	110.4	108.3	107.6
May	115.1	112.0	87.8	122.3	103.5	109.0	112.7	94.3	97.3	133.2	110.8	108.5	108.3
Jun	117.5	111.9	86.5	122.5	105.9	109.3	114.6	94.9	97.6	133.2	111.1	108.6	109.0
Jul	118.4	111.4	83.8	123.0	102.6	110.1	116.6	94.1	96.9	133.2	111.6	109.0	109.0
Aug	120.0	111.8	84.9	125.6	103.4	110.3	116.5	94.3	97.3	133.2	111.7	109.2	109.7
Sep	119.6	111.7	86.8	131.1	105.1	110.2	113.8	94.1	97.8	136.2	112.2	109.4	110.3
Oct	120.1	111.4	86.3	131.6	104.0	110.4	111.3	94.1	97.4	144.6	112.5	109.6	110.0
<b>Percentage change on a year earlier</b>													
	D7G8	D7G9	D7GA	D7GB	D7GC	D7GD	D7GE	D7GF	D7GG	D7GH	D7GI	D7GJ	D7G7
2006 Oct	4.7	3.2	-3.3	10.8	-0.4	3.1	-0.5	0.9	-1.1	14.0	3.0	3.8	2.4
Nov	5.0	2.7	-3.2	11.1	-0.5	3.1	0.8	0.7	-0.7	14.0	3.2	3.5	2.7
Dec	4.6	2.7	-4.1	11.4	0.6	3.9	2.1	0.5	-0.3	14.0	3.2	3.3	3.0
2007 Jan	3.9	3.5	-4.1	11.2	0.5	3.8	0.9	-1.8	-0.3	14.0	3.3	3.1	2.7
Feb	4.4	4.2	-4.2	11.1	1.2	3.7	1.4	-2.8	-1.0	14.0	3.3	3.6	2.8
Mar	5.6	4.4	-3.9	10.1	2.7	3.7	1.6	-2.8	-0.7	14.0	3.4	3.7	3.1
Apr	6.0	4.5	-2.8	7.9	2.2	3.2	1.5	-3.7	-0.8	14.0	3.8	2.4	2.8
May	5.0	4.2	-3.6	5.7	2.5	3.1	2.5	-3.2	-0.8	14.0	3.5	2.2	2.5
Jun	4.8	3.4	-3.2	4.3	3.8	3.4	3.2	-3.9	-1.1	14.0	3.7	1.8	2.4
Jul	2.8	3.4	-2.6	3.5	1.6	3.4	2.4	-5.0	-1.4	14.0	3.6	2.0	1.9
Aug	3.0	3.1	-3.5	2.8	1.2	3.3	2.6	-2.0	-0.9	14.0	3.6	1.1	1.8
Sep	3.7	3.2	-4.0	2.3	1.5	3.4	2.7	-3.0	-1.0	13.9	3.7	1.0	1.8
Oct	4.7	2.7	-4.3	1.4	1.8	3.2	5.1	-4.2	-0.9	13.2	3.5	1.3	2.1
Nov	4.8	2.9	-4.4	0.8	1.7	3.1	5.8	-4.0	-1.1	13.2	3.4	1.6	2.1
Dec	5.4	2.7	-3.9	0.2	0.9	3.3	5.8	-3.8	-1.3	13.2	3.4	1.9	2.1
2008 Jan	6.1	2.2	-4.9	0.4	1.7	3.1	6.4	-3.2	-1.4	13.2	3.3	1.5	2.2
Feb	5.6	2.9	-4.7	3.5	1.7	3.1	6.2	-3.9	-1.2	13.2	3.3	1.2	2.5
Mar	5.5	2.5	-5.3	3.9	0.5	3.5	7.0	-4.0	-1.5	13.2	3.3	1.2	2.5
Apr	6.6	4.2	-6.3	5.4	1.4	3.3	6.1	-2.9	-1.0	13.2	3.8	2.3	3.0
May	7.8	4.9	-6.3	6.3	1.7	3.0	6.2	-2.4	-0.8	13.2	3.9	2.6	3.3
Jun	9.5	4.5	-7.5	7.0	1.8	3.0	7.3	-1.3	-	13.2	3.9	2.7	3.8
Jul	12.3	4.3	-6.7	7.6	2.8	3.3	8.0	-0.7	-0.1	13.2	4.1	2.8	4.4
Aug	13.0	4.4	-6.7	10.1	3.2	3.2	7.3	-3.0	-0.2	13.2	4.0	3.4	4.7
Sep	11.3	4.3	-6.2	15.0	2.9	2.9	7.6	-2.7	0.2	10.8	4.3	3.4	5.2
Oct	10.1	4.4	-6.7	15.2	3.1	2.6	4.3	-2.2	-0.2	8.6	4.2	3.0	4.5

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](http://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](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi))

Source: National Statistics

# 5 CPI: Detailed goods and services breakdown<sup>1</sup>

	Weights	Index (2005=100)						Percentage change over 12 months						Percentage change over 1 month
		2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008
		May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Oct
<b>CPI (overall index)</b>	1 000	108.3	109.0	109.0	109.7	110.3	110.0	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.7	5.2	4.5	-0.2
<b>All goods</b>	547	106.2	107.2	106.4	107.1	108.4	107.6	3.0	3.8	4.7	5.1	5.7	4.6	-0.7
<b>Food, alcoholic beverages &amp; tobacco</b>	151	114.2	115.9	116.4	117.6	117.3	117.6	7.0	8.0	9.9	10.5	9.3	8.5	0.3
Processed food & non-alcoholic beverages	59	115.7	117.7	118.7	120.0	119.4	120.1	8.5	10.3	11.8	12.7	9.7	9.7	0.6
Non-processed food	50	114.3	117.2	118.1	119.9	119.8	120.1	7.0	8.6	12.7	13.4	13.2	10.5	0.3
Seasonal food	29	115.9	118.3	117.2	119.5	118.5	120.4	5.7	6.7	10.2	10.8	8.9	7.8	1.6
Meat	21	112.4	116.0	119.3	120.5	121.5	119.8	8.8	11.2	16.3	17.1	19.1	14.3	-1.4
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	42	112.0	111.9	111.4	111.8	111.7	111.4	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.4	-0.2
<b>Industrial goods</b>	396	103.4	104.1	102.9	103.4	105.2	104.1	1.5	2.2	2.8	3.0	4.4	3.1	-1.1
Energy	73	140.9	144.7	145.8	146.4	154.4	149.9	15.6	19.0	21.1	22.4	29.7	24.2	-2.9
Electricity, gas & miscellaneous energy	33	148.9	149.0	149.2	160.4	181.7	182.9	8.6	10.9	12.9	22.4	39.2	40.3	0.7
Liquid fuels, vehicle fuels & lubricants	40	133.1	139.6	141.5	134.0	131.8	123.1	21.8	26.3	28.3	22.2	20.9	9.8	-6.6
Non-energy industrial goods	323	96.7	96.9	95.2	95.7	96.4	95.9	-1.5	-1.4	-1.2	-1.1	-1.0	-1.4	-0.6
Clothing & footwear goods	62	87.5	86.2	83.3	84.5	86.4	85.9	-6.5	-7.7	-6.9	-6.9	-6.3	-6.9	-0.6
Housing goods	76	104.4	106.5	103.6	104.5	106.2	105.2	2.2	2.2	3.1	3.6	3.5	3.7	-0.9
Household goods	61	102.5	105.0	101.3	102.3	104.0	102.8	1.5	1.5	2.7	3.1	2.7	3.0	-1.2
Water supply; materials for maintenance & repair	15	112.4	112.6	113.3	114.0	115.3	115.7	5.2	4.7	4.8	5.5	6.5	6.8	0.3
Medical products, appliances & equipment	10	101.2	101.2	101.6	101.8	101.6	101.5	0.5	0.5	1.4	1.3	0.8	0.4	-0.1
Vehicles, spare parts & accessories	53	99.2	98.9	98.6	98.2	97.7	97.2	-1.1	-1.2	-1.1	-1.4	-1.7	-2.2	-0.5
Recreational goods	90	90.9	91.2	89.8	89.8	90.2	89.3	-3.1	-1.9	-2.6	-3.0	-2.7	-3.4	-0.9
Audio-visual goods	26	69.0	68.9	67.3	66.5	66.0	63.9	-14.6	-12.8	-12.4	-13.2	-12.8	-14.5	-3.2
Other recreational goods	64	101.4	101.8	100.5	101.1	101.9	101.8	1.9	2.7	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.3	-0.1
Miscellaneous goods	32	106.9	106.8	106.6	107.5	107.6	108.3	2.0	2.3	2.6	3.7	3.7	3.2	0.6
<b>All services</b>	453	110.8	111.2	112.2	112.9	112.6	113.0	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.3	0.3
<b>Housing services</b>	73	111.5	111.5	111.8	111.9	111.9	112.7	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.6	4.0	0.7
Actual rentals for housing	51	109.9	110.0	110.2	110.3	110.4	111.4	3.4	3.4	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.6	0.9
Primary housing services	16	116.2	115.7	116.3	116.4	115.9	116.1	5.2	4.9	5.3	5.3	4.7	4.6	0.1
Other housing services	6	112.8	113.7	114.1	114.2	114.8	115.3	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.7	5.1	0.5
<b>Travel &amp; transport services</b>	65	113.8	115.2	119.6	123.1	118.2	116.9	4.5	4.7	5.3	6.6	8.3	6.6	-1.0
Services for personal transport equipment	29	115.6	116.1	116.5	116.9	117.6	118.2	4.5	4.3	4.5	4.5	5.1	5.3	0.5
Transport services	32	113.3	115.5	123.7	130.4	120.0	117.1	4.7	5.1	6.0	8.4	11.7	8.2	-2.5
Transport insurance	4	104.7	105.3	105.8	104.3	106.0	105.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	1.0	2.4	1.6	-0.2
<b>Communication</b>	23	94.3	94.9	94.1	94.3	94.1	94.1	-2.4	-1.3	-0.7	-3.0	-2.7	-2.2	-
<b>Recreational &amp; personal services</b>	208	109.8	110.1	110.7	111.0	111.6	111.9	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.2	0.3
Package holidays & accommodation	48	105.7	106.1	107.1	107.6	108.3	108.6	2.6	3.1	3.6	3.9	4.4	4.3	0.2
Other recreational & personal services	160	111.1	111.3	111.7	112.0	112.6	112.9	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.2	0.3
Catering services	118	111.0	111.3	111.6	111.9	112.3	112.6	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6	0.2
Non-catering recreational & personal services	42	111.4	111.5	111.9	112.2	113.3	113.7	2.7	2.3	3.3	2.9	3.4	3.2	0.4
<b>Miscellaneous &amp; other services</b>	84	114.9	115.3	116.0	115.9	116.7	118.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.3	4.5	1.4
Miscellaneous services	53	109.1	109.5	110.3	110.2	110.5	110.5	2.7	2.8	2.8	3.5	3.5	3.1	-
Medical services	12	115.9	116.3	117.7	117.7	117.8	118.3	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.5	0.4
Education	19	133.2	133.2	133.2	133.2	136.2	144.6	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	10.8	8.6	6.2
<b>Special aggregates</b>														
Durables	115	94.9	96.0	93.9	93.8	94.2	93.3	-2.1	-1.6	-1.0	-1.2	-1.4	-1.7	-0.9
Semi-durables	132	92.5	91.9	89.4	90.5	91.8	90.9	-3.4	-3.8	-4.0	-4.1	-3.7	-4.2	-1.0
Non-durables	76	107.1	107.4	107.8	108.3	108.6	109.1	2.6	3.0	3.3	4.2	4.3	4.1	0.5
Seasonal food	29	115.9	118.3	117.2	119.5	118.5	120.4	5.7	6.7	10.2	10.8	8.9	7.8	1.6
Non-seasonal food	66	115.6	118.6	120.4	121.7	121.9	121.9	10.1	12.4	15.3	16.2	14.4	12.7	-0.1
Energy, food, alcoholic beverages & tobacco	224	122.1	124.4	125.1	126.1	128.3	127.2	9.7	11.6	13.5	14.4	15.8	13.5	-0.9
Energy & unprocessed food	123	129.3	132.7	133.7	134.8	139.2	136.9	12.1	14.8	17.7	18.8	22.9	18.6	-1.7
Energy & seasonal food	102	133.3	136.7	137.2	138.2	143.5	141.0	12.7	15.5	17.9	19.1	23.7	19.5	-1.7
Tobacco	24	115.5	115.6	115.6	115.6	115.7	115.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4	-
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	115	122.3	122.5	123.0	125.6	131.1	131.6	6.3	7.0	7.6	10.1	15.0	15.2	0.4
Education, health & social protection <sup>2</sup>	53	118.2	118.5	119.0	119.1	120.1	123.0	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.0	5.2	2.4
<i>All items excluding</i>														
Energy	927	106.1	106.7	106.6	107.2	107.4	107.4	2.4	2.7	3.2	3.4	3.4	2.9	-
Energy, food, alcoholic beverages & tobacco	776	104.6	105.0	104.8	105.4	105.5	105.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.2	1.9	-
Energy & unprocessed food	877	105.7	106.1	105.9	106.6	106.7	106.7	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.5	-
Seasonal food	971	108.1	108.8	108.8	109.4	110.1	109.7	3.3	3.7	4.3	4.5	5.1	4.3	-0.3
Energy & seasonal food	898	105.8	106.3	106.2	106.9	107.0	107.0	2.3	2.5	2.9	3.1	3.2	2.8	-
Tobacco	976	108.1	108.9	108.8	109.5	110.1	109.9	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.7	5.2	4.5	-0.2
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	958	108.1	108.9	108.9	109.6	110.2	110.0	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.7	5.3	4.5	-0.2
Liquid fuels, vehicle fuels & lubricants	960	107.3	107.9	107.8	108.7	109.4	109.5	2.6	2.9	3.5	4.0	4.6	4.2	-
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	885	106.6	107.4	107.3	107.8	107.8	107.5	3.0	3.4	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.1	-0.3
Education, health & social protection	947	107.7	108.5	108.5	109.2	109.7	109.3	3.1	3.6	4.3	4.6	5.2	4.4	-0.4

Key: - zero or negligible

<sup>2</sup> 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](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cpi)

<sup>1</sup> For further information on the composition of the indices shown, 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](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?id=1060)

# 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 <sup>1</sup>	Non-energy industrial goods <sup>2</sup>	All goods	Housing services <sup>3</sup>	Travel & transport services <sup>3</sup>	Recreational & personal services <sup>3</sup>	Communication	Miscellaneous & other services <sup>3</sup>	All services
<b>Weights</b>											
2008	CHZR 109	CHZS 42	A9F3 73	A9ER 323	ICVH 547	A9FG 73	A9FJ 65	A9FL 208	CHZY 23	A9FQ 84	ICVI 453
<b>Monthly</b>											
2005 Oct	D7G8 1.5	D7G9 1.9	DKL5 13.9	DKK3 -2.1	D7NM 0.6	DKN2 4.0	DKN5 7.2	DKN7 3.3	D7GF -1.6	DKO4 6.6	D7NN 4.4
Nov	1.7	2.5	11.1	-2.0	0.4	3.9	5.8	3.1	-1.2	6.6	4.1
Dec	1.7	2.5	10.2	-2.1	0.3	4.0	3.4	3.1	-1.0	6.6	3.8
2006 Jan	1.2	2.3	12.8	-2.3	0.3	3.9	6.1	2.9	0.5	5.6	3.9
Feb	1.1	1.6	12.5	-1.7	0.6	3.9	4.8	2.9	0.4	5.6	3.7
Mar	-0.4	2.5	12.2	-1.9	0.2	3.9	4.4	2.9	0.5	5.7	3.7
Apr	0.3	2.5	14.4	-2.2	0.5	3.3	6.5	2.7	0.3	5.7	3.8
May	1.1	2.2	19.3	-1.9	1.3	3.3	2.8	2.9	-0.4	5.6	3.3
Jun	1.8	3.3	19.8	-1.7	1.7	3.4	3.2	2.9	-0.3	5.6	3.4
Jul	3.2	2.8	19.4	-2.0	1.8	3.4	2.4	2.9	0.3	4.9	3.2
Aug	3.4	3.3	17.9	-1.3	2.2	3.4	1.6	2.8	-0.7	4.7	2.9
Sep	4.0	3.4	11.6	-1.0	1.8	3.3	3.0	2.8	-0.2	5.3	3.2
Oct	4.7	3.2	9.8	-1.3	1.5	3.4	2.5	3.0	0.9	6.7	3.6
Nov	5.0	2.7	11.7	-1.1	1.8	3.5	3.7	3.1	0.7	6.4	3.7
Dec	4.6	2.7	14.9	-0.8	2.3	3.5	4.1	3.1	0.5	6.4	3.8
2007 Jan	3.9	3.5	12.8	-0.9	2.0	3.8	3.1	3.2	-1.8	6.1	3.6
Feb	4.4	4.2	11.8	-1.0	2.0	3.7	5.0	3.2	-2.8	6.1	3.8
Mar	5.6	4.4	11.6	-0.5	2.5	3.7	4.2	3.3	-2.8	6.1	3.7
Apr	6.0	4.5	7.9	-0.3	2.3	3.8	3.8	3.3	-3.7	4.5	3.3
May	5.0	4.2	4.4	-0.4	1.6	3.8	6.4	3.1	-3.2	4.4	3.6
Jun	4.8	3.4	3.3	-0.4	1.4	3.7	6.8	3.3	-3.9	4.4	3.7
Jul	2.8	3.4	0.9	-0.8	0.5	3.6	6.3	3.2	-5.0	4.4	3.5
Aug	3.0	3.1	-0.5	-1.1	0.1	3.5	7.6	3.4	-2.0	3.9	3.8
Sep	3.7	3.2	1.5	-1.2	0.4	3.5	4.9	3.4	-3.0	4.0	3.4
Oct	4.7	2.7	3.9	-1.1	1.0	3.7	5.9	3.3	-4.2	3.8	3.4
Nov	4.8	2.9	5.3	-1.2	1.1	3.7	4.6	3.2	-4.0	4.0	3.2
Dec	5.4	2.7	4.4	-1.3	1.1	3.6	5.0	3.2	-3.8	4.1	3.3
2008 Jan	6.1	2.2	5.8	-1.4	1.3	3.7	5.1	3.0	-3.2	4.0	3.3
Feb	5.6	2.9	11.4	-1.4	1.9	3.7	4.2	3.1	-3.9	4.0	3.1
Mar	5.5	2.5	12.0	-1.8	1.7	3.8	5.9	3.1	-4.0	4.0	3.4
Apr	6.6	4.2	13.6	-1.7	2.3	3.9	4.7	3.4	-2.9	5.3	3.7
May	7.8	4.9	15.6	-1.5	3.0	3.9	4.5	3.6	-2.4	5.3	3.8
Jun	9.5	4.5	19.0	-1.4	3.8	3.8	4.7	3.6	-1.3	5.3	3.9
Jul	12.3	4.3	21.1	-1.2	4.7	3.6	5.3	4.0	-0.7	5.3	4.1
Aug	13.0	4.4	22.4	-1.1	5.1	3.7	6.6	4.0	-3.0	5.7	4.3
Sep	11.3	4.3	29.7	-1.0	5.7	3.6	8.3	4.3	-2.7	5.3	4.6
Oct	10.1	4.4	24.2	-1.4	4.6	4.0	6.6	4.2	-2.2	4.5	4.3

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/cci/article.asp?id=1060](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/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/cci/article.asp?id=1060](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/cci/article.asp?id=1060)

Source: National Statistics

# 7 HICP<sup>1</sup> - International comparisons: EU countries

Percentage change over 12 months

	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria	Cyprus	Czech Republic	Denmark	Estonia	Finland	France	Germany	Greece	Hungary	Ireland	Italy	Latvia
	D7SK	D7SL	GHY8	D7RO	D7RP	D7SM	D7RQ	D7SN	D7SO	D7SP	D7SQ	D7RR	D7SS	D7ST	D7RS
2005	2.1	2.5	6.0	2.0	1.6	1.7	4.1	0.8	1.9	1.9	3.5	3.5	2.2	2.2	6.9
2006	1.7	2.3	7.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	4.4	1.3	1.9	1.8	3.3	4.0	2.7	2.2	6.6
2007	2.2	1.8	7.6	2.2	3.0	1.7	6.7	1.6	1.6	2.3	3.0	7.9	2.9	2.0	10.1
2006 Oct	1.3	1.7	5.2	1.7	0.8	1.4	3.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	3.1	6.3	2.2	1.9	5.6
Nov	1.6	2.0	5.9	1.3	1.0	1.8	4.7	1.3	1.6	1.5	3.2	6.4	2.4	2.0	6.3
Dec	1.6	2.1	6.1	1.5	1.5	1.7	5.1	1.2	1.7	1.4	3.2	6.6	3.0	2.1	6.8
2007 Jan	1.7	1.7	6.8	1.4	1.4	1.8	5.0	1.3	1.4	1.8	3.0	8.4	2.9	1.9	7.1
Feb	1.7	1.8	4.6	1.2	1.7	1.9	4.6	1.2	1.2	1.9	3.0	9.0	2.6	2.1	7.2
Mar	1.9	1.8	4.4	1.4	2.1	1.9	5.6	1.6	1.2	2.0	2.8	9.0	2.9	2.1	8.5
Apr	1.8	1.8	4.4	1.6	2.7	1.7	5.6	1.5	1.3	2.0	2.6	8.7	2.9	1.8	8.8
May	1.9	1.3	4.5	1.9	2.4	1.7	5.9	1.3	1.2	2.0	2.6	8.4	2.7	1.9	7.8
Jun	1.9	1.3	5.3	1.7	2.6	1.3	6.0	1.4	1.3	2.0	2.6	8.5	2.8	1.9	8.9
Jul	2.0	1.3	6.8	2.3	2.5	1.1	6.5	1.6	1.2	2.0	2.7	8.3	2.7	1.7	9.5
Aug	1.7	1.2	9.3	2.2	2.6	0.9	6.1	1.3	1.3	2.0	2.7	7.1	2.3	1.7	10.2
Sep	2.1	1.4	11.0	2.3	2.8	1.2	7.5	1.7	1.6	2.7	2.9	6.4	2.9	1.7	11.5
Oct	2.9	2.2	10.6	2.7	4.0	1.8	8.7	1.8	2.1	2.7	3.0	6.9	3.0	2.3	13.2
Nov	3.2	2.9	11.4	3.2	5.1	2.5	9.3	2.2	2.6	3.3	3.9	7.2	3.5	2.6	13.7
Dec	3.5	3.1	11.6	3.7	5.5	2.4	9.7	1.9	2.8	3.1	3.9	7.4	3.2	2.8	14.0
2008 Jan	3.1	3.5	11.7	4.1	7.9	3.0	11.3	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.9	7.4	3.1	3.1	15.6
Feb	3.1	3.6	12.2	4.7	7.6	3.3	11.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	4.5	6.7	3.5	3.1	16.5
Mar	3.5	4.4	13.2	4.4	7.1	3.3	11.2	3.6	3.5	3.3	4.4	6.7	3.7	3.6	16.6
Apr	3.4	4.1	13.4	4.3	6.7	3.4	11.6	3.3	3.4	2.6	4.4	6.8	3.3	3.6	17.4
May	3.7	5.1	14.0	4.6	6.8	3.6	11.4	4.1	3.7	3.1	4.9	6.9	3.7	3.7	17.7
Jun	4.0	5.8	14.7	5.2	6.6	4.2	11.5	4.3	4.0	3.4	4.9	6.6	3.9	4.0	17.5
Jul	3.8	5.9	14.4	5.3	6.8	4.4	11.2	4.3	4.0	3.5	4.9	7.0	3.6	4.0	16.5
Aug	3.6	5.4	11.8	5.1	6.2	4.8	11.1	4.6	3.5	3.3	4.8	6.4	3.2	4.2	15.6
Sep	3.7*	5.5	11.4	5.0	6.4	4.5	10.8	4.7	3.3	3.0	4.7	5.6	3.2	3.9	14.7
Oct	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Netherlands	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Slovakia	Slovenia	Spain	Sweden	United Kingdom <sup>1</sup>	EICP <sup>2</sup> EU 25 average <sup>3</sup>	EICP <sup>2</sup> EU 27 average <sup>3</sup>	Monetary Union Area average <sup>4</sup>
	D7RT	D7SU	D7RU	D7SV	D7RV	D7SX	GHY7	D7RW	D7RX	D7SY	D7SZ	D7G7	D7RY	GJ2E	D7SR
2005	2.7	3.8	2.5	1.5	2.2	2.1	9.1	2.8	2.5	3.4	0.8	2.1	2.2	..	2.2
2006	3.8	3.0	2.6	1.7	1.3	3.0	6.6	4.3	2.5	3.6	1.5	2.3	2.2	..	2.2
2007	5.8	2.7	0.7	1.6	2.6	2.4	4.9	1.9	3.8	2.8	1.7	2.3	..	2.4	2.1
2006 Oct	3.7	0.6	1.7	1.3	1.1	2.6	4.8	3.1	1.5	2.6	1.2	2.4	1.8	..	1.6
Nov	4.4	1.8	0.9	1.6	1.3	2.4	4.7	3.7	2.4	2.7	1.5	2.7	2.1	..	1.9
Dec	4.5	2.3	0.8	1.7	1.4	2.5	4.9	3.7	3.0	2.7	1.4	3.0	2.2	..	1.9
2007 Jan	4.0	2.3	1.2	1.2	1.6	2.6	4.1	2.2	2.8	2.4	1.6	2.7	..	2.1	1.8
Feb	4.4	1.8	0.8	1.4	1.9	2.3	3.9	2.0	2.3	2.5	1.7	2.8	..	2.2	1.9
Mar	4.8	2.4	0.5	1.9	2.4	2.4	3.7	2.1	2.6	2.5	1.6	3.1	..	2.3	1.9
Apr	4.9	2.5	-1.1	1.9	2.2	2.8	3.8	2.0	2.9	2.5	1.6	2.8	..	2.2	1.9
May	5.0	2.3	-1.0	2.0	2.3	2.4	3.9	1.5	3.1	2.4	1.2	2.5	..	2.1	1.9
Jun	5.0	2.3	-0.6	1.8	2.6	2.4	3.9	1.5	3.8	2.5	1.3	2.4	..	2.2	1.9
Jul	5.1	2.0	-0.2	1.4	2.5	2.3	4.1	1.2	4.0	2.3	1.4	1.9	..	2.0	1.8
Aug	5.6	1.9	0.6	1.1	2.1	1.9	5.0	1.2	3.4	2.2	1.2	1.8	..	1.9	1.7
Sep	7.1	2.5	0.9	1.3	2.7	2.0	6.1	1.7	3.6	2.7	1.6	1.8	..	2.3	2.1
Oct	7.6	3.6	1.6	1.6	3.1	2.5	6.9	2.4	5.1	3.6	1.9	2.1	..	2.7	2.6
Nov	7.9	4.0	2.9	1.8	3.7	2.8	6.8	2.3	5.7	4.1	2.4	2.1	..	3.1	3.1
Dec	8.2	4.3	3.1	1.6	4.2	2.7	6.7	2.5	5.7	4.3	2.5	2.1	..	3.2	3.1
2008 Jan	10.0	4.2	3.8	1.8	4.4	2.9	7.3	3.2	6.4	4.4	3.0	2.2	..	3.4	3.2
Feb	10.9	4.2	4.0	2.0	4.6	2.9	8.0	3.4	6.4	4.4	2.9	2.5	..	3.5	3.3
Mar	11.4	4.4	4.3	1.9	4.4	3.1	8.7	3.6	6.6	4.6	3.3	2.5	..	3.7	3.6
Apr	11.9	4.3	4.1	1.7	4.3	2.5	8.7	3.7	6.2	4.2	3.2	3.0	..	3.6	3.3
May	12.3	4.8	4.1	2.1	4.3	2.8	8.5	4.0	6.2	4.7	3.7	3.3	..	4.0	3.7
Jun	12.7	5.3	4.4	2.3	4.3	3.4	8.7	4.3	6.8	5.1	4.0	3.8	..	4.2	4.0
Jul	12.4	5.8	5.6	3.0	4.5	3.1	9.1	4.4	6.9	5.3	3.8	4.4	..	4.4	4.0
Aug	12.2	4.8	5.4	3.0	4.4	3.1	8.1	4.4	6.0	4.9	4.1	4.7	..	4.3†	3.8
Sep	11.3	4.8	4.9	2.8*	4.1	3.2	7.3	4.5	5.6	4.6	4.2	5.2	..	4.2*	3.6*
Oct	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.5	..	..	3.2*

Key: - zero or negligible .. Not available \* Provisional

† 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, 25 member states from May 2004, and 27 members from Jan 2007, 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 from 1 May 2004 and Bulgaria and Romania from 1 Jan 2007.

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
		2008	2008		2008		2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008
			May	Jun	Jul	Aug								
<b>ALL ITEMS</b>	1 000	215.1	216.8	216.5	217.2	218.4	217.7	4.3	4.6	5.0	4.8	5.0	4.2	-0.3
Food and catering	158	196.0	199.2	200.6	202.4	202.3	203.1	6.8	8.0	9.8	10.3	9.2	8.4	0.4
Alcohol and tobacco	86	268.9	269.1	268.7	269.2	269.6	269.7	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.7	-
Housing and household expenditure	417	258.3	260.2	258.3	260.2	264.3	264.2	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.3	5.2	4.9	-
Personal expenditure	83	133.5	132.8	130.9	132.1	133.7	133.3	-0.4	-0.8	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.6	-0.3
Travel and leisure	256	190.7	192.9	194.1	192.6	191.0	188.5	3.5	4.6	5.1	4.0	4.0	2.1	-1.3
Consumer durables <sup>1</sup>	104	92.7	94.4	90.2	90.8	92.6	91.3	-1.8	-1.5	-0.9	-1.2	-1.2	-1.6	-1.4
Seasonal food	20	166.7	171.2	167.5	170.7	167.8	171.9	7.6	8.8	12.3	11.9	9.5	8.8	2.4
Food excluding seasonal	91	178.0	181.7	184.5	186.1	186.3	186.2	7.8	9.8	12.2	13.0	11.6	10.4	-0.1
All items excluding seasonal food	980	216.3	218.0	217.7	218.4	219.7	218.9	4.2	4.5	4.9	4.6	4.9	4.1	-0.4
All items excluding food	889	221.9	223.3	222.7	223.2	224.3	223.8	3.9	4.0	4.2	3.8	4.3	3.5	-0.4
All goods	474	164.3	166.7	165.5	165.1	165.3	163.9	4.1	5.0	6.0	5.4	4.8	3.7	-0.8
All services	372	269.0	269.6	271.0	274.2	278.0	279.1	4.7	4.9	5.1	6.0	7.6	7.4	0.4
<b>Other indices</b>														
All items excluding:														
mortgage interest payments (RPIX)	940	208.7	210.4	210.0	210.6	211.8	211.1	4.4	4.8	5.3	5.2	5.5	4.7	-0.3
housing	746	191.2	193.2	192.8	193.5	194.8	194.0	4.3	5.0	5.8	5.8	6.2	5.3	-0.4
mortgage interest payments and indirect taxes (RPIY) <sup>2</sup>		199.0	200.8	200.4	201.2	202.4	201.7	4.4	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.6	4.9	-0.3
mortgage interest payments and council tax	901	205.5	207.2	206.8	207.5	208.7	207.9	4.4	4.9	5.4	5.3	5.6	4.7	-0.4
mortgage interest payments and depreciation <sup>3</sup>	885	201.9	203.7	203.3	204.0	205.4	204.8	4.3	4.9	5.5	5.5	6.0	5.2	-0.3
<b>Food</b>	111	176.6	180.5	182.0	183.9	183.5	184.3	7.8	9.7	12.2	12.8	11.2	10.1	0.4
Bread	5	202.5	205.6	209.1	212.1	212.7	211.6	14.7	16.8	20.0	21.6	18.0	16.5	-0.5
Cereals	4	165.0	170.0	171.6	174.4	174.3	172.6	11.1	12.7	17.5	18.6	16.9	15.8	-1.0
Biscuits and cakes	6	185.3	193.6	201.6	202.3	204.1	202.6	6.1	11.0	16.6	17.1	18.5	12.9	-0.7
Beef	4	156.5	167.5	169.4	171.0	172.1	169.1	10.9	17.6	19.8	21.1	23.1	21.1	-1.7
Lamb	2	205.5	211.0	213.1	211.3	214.2	214.0	6.7	10.2	11.6	10.3	15.2	16.7	-0.1
of which home-killed lamb	1	220.4	228.1	231.7	230.4	226.6	223.7	11.8	14.6	18.3	18.1	19.3	20.4	-1.3
imported lamb	1	186.4	189.6	190.2	188.0	197.4	200.0	1.2	5.2	4.4	2.1	10.7	13.0	1.3
Pork	1	176.7	180.0	191.1	193.8	198.3	197.0	10.9	13.6	24.7	26.5	23.5	23.0	-0.7
Bacon	2	202.0	203.9	210.8	211.4	214.3	211.1	10.9	10.0	15.9	16.1	21.3	11.1	-1.5
Poultry	4	125.4	133.1	137.3	132.4	133.5	134.5	12.7	16.8	23.7	17.6	20.9	15.1	0.7
Other meat	7	157.7	160.5	165.0	168.4	169.1	167.3	5.6	7.0	11.1	13.4	13.8	11.2	-1.1
Fish	4	187.3	180.8	183.8	192.3	192.9	193.6	7.9	2.8	5.8	10.7	10.4	8.5	0.4
of which fresh fish	2	196.3	188.0	187.0	194.3	191.4	193.4	4.4	-1.4	0.0	1.5	1.3	-0.6	1.0
processed fish	2	178.1	173.3	179.6	189.1	192.6	192.2	11.3	7.0	11.5	20.4	19.3	17.8	-0.2
Butter	1	229.0	227.1	233.7	236.5	236.1	229.4	31.9	31.5	36.5	39.3	18.2	12.7	-2.8
Oils and fats	1	161.8	177.8	176.6	175.2	173.8	170.2	12.9	23.6	23.9	23.9	12.5	9.0	-2.1
Cheese	3	206.3	209.8	208.3	212.0	211.9	212.0	16.3	18.7	18.0	19.6	16.4	14.5	-
Eggs	1	250.8	249.4	246.8	249.0	251.6	250.7	38.8	37.1	35.9	30.5	27.7	17.1	-0.4
Milk, fresh	5	220.8	231.8	231.2	231.0	231.0	243.9	14.2	19.4	19.4	19.1	6.1	11.3	5.6
Milk products	4	168.3	167.9	170.8	171.7	171.1	171.1	11.6	11.2	11.8	11.6	9.7	9.3	-
Tea	1	166.1	169.3	175.2	172.6	174.4	175.3	2.5	6.8	8.3	9.6	8.7	8.5	0.5
Coffee and other hot drinks	1	126.1	126.2	128.1	134.5	131.4	134.1	0.6	0.7	2.9	6.9	4.2	9.4	2.1
Soft drinks	12	204.7	204.7	205.3	205.6	202.7	202.8	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.2	1.2	1.0	-
Sugar and preserves	1	170.8	174.6	173.6	173.7	173.4	172.2	4.2	5.6	6.4	7.2	6.0	4.7	-0.7
Sweets and chocolates	10	211.8	211.9	212.2	216.4	217.1	217.7	6.1	6.2	6.7	7.7	7.7	8.1	0.3
Potatoes	5	176.5	188.9	189.6	192.5	191.7	186.1	3.5	9.8	16.5	17.9	18.0	14.5	-2.9
of which unprocessed potatoes	2	179.4	198.1	195.3	201.2	195.5	188.9	7.6	16.9	27.9	33.0	27.0	22.7	-3.4
potato products	3	166.5	174.3	177.2	178.1	180.4	175.9	0.8	4.9	9.3	8.5	12.0	9.3	-2.5
Vegetables other than potatoes	9	165.1	164.5	164.7	163.4	163.1	164.9	8.8	6.3	9.9	6.7	8.0	8.1	1.1
of which fresh vegetables	7	148.5	148.0	147.4	145.7	144.5	147.5	7.6	4.7	8.5	4.2	5.4	7.2	2.1
processed vegetables	2	214.4	213.8	217.5	218.8	222.9	218.5	13.2	12.1	14.6	16.0	17.4	11.5	-2.0
Fruit	8	155.1	163.4	156.4	163.0	158.9	167.6	2.7	7.4	10.2	12.6	6.1	5.5	5.5
of which fresh fruit	7	153.4	162.2	153.5	160.8	156.6	166.2	3.6	8.6	11.4	13.7	6.7	5.5	6.1
processed fruit	1	149.1	152.9	158.0	159.3	156.3	158.0	-2.8	-0.4	3.5	6.1	2.2	4.8	1.1
Other foods	10	158.7	161.2	163.5	166.3	164.7	165.7	3.9	5.4	7.0	9.1	7.1	7.1	0.6
<b>Catering</b>	47	263.2	264.0	265.2	266.1	267.3	268.0	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.6	0.3
Restaurant meals	26	256.7	257.6	258.4	259.0	260.1	260.7	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.1	0.2
Canteen meals	4	324.7	324.7	325.3	326.3	330.4	331.4	4.1	3.8	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.2	0.3
Take-aways and snacks	17	252.7	253.7	255.3	256.6	257.5	258.2	4.5	4.5	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.2	0.3
<b>Alcoholic drink</b>	59	229.8	230.0	229.5	230.1	230.5	230.6	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.7	-
Beer	31	250.9	251.1	250.4	250.8	251.4	252.1	4.2	4.2	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.6	0.3
on sales	26	273.5	274.1	274.5	274.7	275.5	276.0	4.5	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.9	0.2
off sales	5	153.5	152.2	148.8	149.5	149.7	150.8	1.9	1.4	-1.1	-1.3	0.1	3.1	0.7
Wines and spirits	28	202.3	202.5	202.2	203.1	203.2	202.6	5.3	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.0	4.9	-0.3
on sales	15	253.7	254.5	254.8	255.3	256.0	256.7	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.7	0.3
off sales	13	168.6	168.4	167.6	168.8	168.5	167.0	6.5	5.3	5.7	6.0	5.6	5.1	-0.9

Key: - zero or negligible

Index date for October: 14 October 2008

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
		2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008
		May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Oct
<b>Tobacco</b>	27	379.8	380.0	379.9	379.9	380.4	380.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	-
Cigarettes	24	388.7	388.9	388.8	388.7	389.3	389.4	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	-
Other tobacco	3	298.9	299.1	299.0	299.3	299.1	299.2	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	-
<b>Housing</b>	254	341.6	342.0	342.2	343.1	343.6	343.7	4.5	3.4	2.9	1.8	1.5	1.2	-
Rent	59	298.2	298.5	299.0	299.3	299.4	302.4	3.8	3.8	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.8	1.0
Mortgage interest payments	60	389.2	391.4	393.5	395.8	397.8	399.7	4.0	0.8	0.6	-2.7	-2.9	-2.8	0.5
Depreciation (Jan 1995 = 100)	55	304.1	304.2	301.9	301.1	298.1	293.3	4.5	3.6	1.7	0.3	-1.6	-3.6	-1.6
Council tax and rates	39	302.6	302.6	302.6	302.6	302.6	302.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	-
Water and other charges	12	401.7	401.7	401.7	401.7	401.7	401.7	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	-
Repairs and maintenance charges	12	342.1	343.0	348.4	349.6	350.1	351.2	4.2	4.2	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.3	0.3
Do-it-yourself materials	9	172.3	172.7	173.4	174.9	177.7	178.4	4.8	4.4	4.1	5.0	6.2	6.6	0.4
Dwelling insurance and ground rent	8	318.5	312.5	310.2	321.0	339.6	337.9	12.5	10.7	9.7	11.0	16.1	15.8	-0.5
<b>Fuel and light</b>	33	241.6	242.6	244.1	256.9	287.7	286.8	12.3	14.9	17.2	24.6	39.6	39.0	-0.3
Coal and solid fuels	1	224.2	228.8	231.3	233.7	255.6	278.8	12.4	15.3	16.7	17.8	27.3	35.0	9.1
Electricity	16	222.0	222.0	222.0	231.5	255.3	257.2	9.6	11.2	12.6	18.0	30.3	31.4	0.7
Gas	13	244.4	244.4	244.4	273.5	320.5	320.5	7.2	10.3	12.9	28.2	51.3	51.9	-
Oil and other fuels	3	437.6	453.7	477.8	415.7	406.6	361.6	71.5	74.2	78.9	58.4	47.2	26.7	-11.1
<b>Household goods</b>	66	155.7	161.7	154.6	155.6	158.6	156.8	2.8	3.7	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.8	-1.1
Furniture	23	181.9	202.2	179.4	180.2	187.2	182.9	4.5	5.8	7.6	6.9	5.8	6.9	-2.3
Furnishings	12	173.6	170.5	169.8	170.5	172.7	169.5	5.5	6.2	6.8	5.4	5.4	4.7	-1.9
Electrical appliances	7	69.7	69.5	68.3	69.5	69.2	69.0	-6.1	-5.4	-6.1	-3.9	-6.0	-5.6	-0.3
Other household equipment	4	149.7	148.4	147.6	148.9	151.7	150.4	2.6	0.9	2.6	2.3	4.5	3.2	-0.9
Household consumables	13	166.1	167.1	168.1	169.7	170.4	171.5	1.8	2.6	3.7	5.6	5.8	6.3	0.6
Pet care	7	181.6	184.4	185.9	186.1	188.3	188.5	4.5	5.6	6.1	7.1	7.4	7.2	0.1
<b>Household services</b>	64	203.7	203.6	202.5	202.8	203.3	205.6	4.5	4.5	4.2	3.4	2.7	2.1	1.1
Postage	1	226.9	226.9	226.9	226.9	226.9	227.4	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	0.2
Telephones, telemessages, etc	21	84.0	84.6	83.7	83.8	83.7	83.7	-1.5	-0.4	-0.1	-2.3	-2.1	-1.6	-
Domestic services	13	315.6	317.4	318.1	318.7	320.6	322.2	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.6	0.5
Fees and subscriptions	29	317.6	314.5	313.0	313.3	314.7	321.7	8.9	8.1	7.1	7.0	5.3	3.6	2.2
<b>Clothing and footwear</b>	42	91.9	90.8	88.2	89.4	91.2	90.7	-3.5	-4.4	-3.7	-3.7	-3.5	-4.0	-0.5
Men's outerwear	8	94.8	94.3	91.2	91.4	94.1	94.2	-3.0	-3.1	-2.8	-3.7	-2.1	-2.3	0.1
Women's outerwear	15	63.3	61.9	58.8	60.4	62.2	61.5	-7.9	-9.8	-8.3	-8.1	-8.4	-8.6	-1.1
Children's outerwear	5	88.7	87.5	86.1	87.1	88.6	87.7	1.0	0.0	-2.0	-0.8	-1.4	-4.2	-1.0
Other clothing	6	150.0	149.7	148.4	149.1	150.6	150.0	-0.3	-0.7	0.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-0.4
Footwear	8	111.1	110.6	109.9	110.5	111.0	110.8	-0.6	-1.0	0.5	0.2	0.3	-0.3	-0.2
<b>Personal goods and services</b>	41	222.3	222.3	222.5	223.7	224.4	224.4	3.3	3.2	3.6	3.9	3.8	3.3	-
Personal articles	11	145.4	145.1	143.6	144.6	146.7	145.6	3.9	3.5	3.6	3.7	4.3	3.9	-0.7
Chemists goods	15	196.5	196.4	196.7	198.2	197.6	198.2	1.8	1.7	2.3	3.2	2.7	2.1	0.3
Personal services	15	386.1	387.2	390.5	390.9	391.5	392.5	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.2	0.3
<b>Motoring expenditure</b>	133	199.6	203.3	203.9	198.9	196.9	192.6	4.9	6.6	7.4	5.0	4.4	1.4	-2.2
Purchase of motor vehicles	49	99.8	98.6	97.4	95.6	93.2	91.3	-4.9	-5.3	-5.3	-6.4	-8.4	-10.0	-2.0
Maintenance of motor vehicles	19	324.5	326.2	327.6	329.3	331.5	333.6	5.6	5.4	5.7	5.7	6.3	6.8	0.6
Petrol and oil	43	328.7	349.4	354.7	338.2	333.9	318.7	18.4	24.0	26.4	20.8	20.7	12.1	-4.6
Vehicle tax and insurance	22	305.2	306.8	308.1	304.3	308.6	308.3	3.6	3.6	3.6	2.1	3.4	2.9	-0.1
<b>Fares and other travel costs</b>	20	254.4	258.3	273.9	284.8	267.3	263.4	3.9	4.2	5.7	7.1	10.1	7.8	-1.5
Rail fares	5	274.9	273.7	275.0	275.1	272.9	273.6	4.9	4.2	4.3	3.8	3.1	3.9	0.3
Bus and coach fares	4	288.9	287.6	291.9	294.4	293.9	295.6	5.7	4.1	5.6	6.1	6.1	7.7	0.6
Other travel costs	11	222.2	229.0	251.6	267.8	241.5	234.9	2.9	4.2	6.2	8.8	14.6	9.5	-2.7
<b>Leisure goods</b>	38	88.1	88.1	87.1	86.7	86.7	85.9	-2.3	-1.3	-1.8	-2.8	-2.7	-3.4	-0.9
Audio-visual equipment	8	12.4	12.3	12.2	12.0	11.9	11.6	-17.9	-17.4	-15.9	-17.2	-16.2	-17.7	-2.5
CDs and tapes	4	100.5	102.5	98.0	98.6	98.7	93.6	-3.1	-0.2	-2.3	-1.9	-2.0	-4.9	-5.2
Toys, photographic and sports goods	10	85.2	85.2	83.8	84.2	85.0	84.8	-3.1	-1.7	-2.2	-3.0	-2.4	-2.9	-0.2
Books and newspapers	10	279.1	276.2	277.0	274.2	275.2	273.3	8.9	7.9	6.9	5.1	4.8	3.9	-0.7
Gardening products	6	148.3	150.4	148.7	149.0	147.7	149.1	1.6	4.0	2.7	2.9	1.9	2.8	0.9
<b>Leisure services</b>	65	284.6	285.7	287.1	289.4	292.3	293.2	3.9	4.1	4.4	4.8	5.1	4.9	0.3
Television licences and rentals	11	170.3	170.3	170.2	170.2	170.2	172.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.2
Entertainment and other recreation	16	386.9	386.7	386.7	388.2	398.0	397.5	5.4	4.5	5.3	4.6	4.8	4.7	-0.1
Foreign holidays (Jan 1993 = 100)	31	178.9	180.4	181.9	184.6	185.7	186.2	4.3	5.3	5.4	6.6	7.0	6.7	0.3
UK holidays (Jan 1994 = 100)	7	173.7	173.9	175.3	175.4	176.5	176.9	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.3	2.7	2.9	0.2

Key: - zero or negligible

Source: National Statistics

# 9 RPI goods and services<sup>1</sup>: the latest three years

Percentage change over 12 months

	Goods components				All goods	Services components				All services
	Food	Alcohol & tobacco	Petrol & oil <sup>2</sup>	Other goods <sup>3</sup>		Rent	Utilities <sup>4</sup>	"Shop" services <sup>5</sup>	"Non-shop" services <sup>6</sup>	
<b>Weights</b>										
	CZGZ	CBVW	DOHB	DOHC	DOHD	CZXD	DOHE	DOHF	DOHG	DOHH
2008	111	86	46	231	474	59	68	133	112	372
<b>Monthly</b>										
	CCYY	CZBK	DOGQ	DOGI	DOGD	CZCQ	DOGF	DOGG	DOGH	DOGE
2005 Oct	1.0	2.7	14.0	-1.7	0.9	3.2	7.4	4.5	2.1	4.1
Nov	1.3	2.9	8.6	-1.4	0.7	3.2	7.7	4.6	1.8	4.1
Dec	1.1	2.9	8.0	-1.3	0.7	3.2	7.3	4.6	0.6	3.7
2006 Jan	0.8	2.8	13.6	-1.4	1.0	3.0	7.2	4.3	1.3	3.8
Feb	0.8	2.5	12.9	-1.1	1.1	3.0	7.4	4.2	1.2	3.8
Mar	-0.5	3.0	10.1	-1.2	0.6	3.0	8.6	4.1	1.7	4.1
Apr	0.2	2.7	9.6	-1.3	0.7	2.8	9.9	4.2	2.3	4.6
May	0.9	2.7	13.8	-0.8	1.4	2.8	11.7	4.1	1.5	4.6
Jun	1.5	3.2	12.4	-0.5	1.6	2.9	12.9	4.1	1.8	5.0
Jul	2.7	3.0	10.7	-0.9	1.5	3.0	13.8	4.1	1.5	5.0
Aug	2.9	3.4	7.6	-0.2	1.8	3.0	13.9	4.0	1.7	5.1
Sep	3.5	3.4	-3.4	0.4	1.2	2.9	14.2	4.0	2.3	5.3
Oct	4.2	3.3	-7.6	-	0.8	2.9	15.1	4.2	3.3	5.8
Nov	4.5	3.2	-4.6	0.1	1.2	3.0	15.0	4.1	3.9	6.0
Dec	4.1	3.2	0.6	0.4	1.8	3.0	15.0	4.1	4.0	6.1
2007 Jan	3.7	3.6	-2.6	-0.3	1.1	3.3	14.2	4.2	4.6	6.1
Feb	4.0	4.0	-4.3	-	1.2	3.2	13.7	4.3	5.4	6.3
Mar	5.1	4.1	-1.7	0.5	2.0	3.2	12.2	4.4	4.8	5.9
Apr	5.6	4.5	-1.7	0.6	2.1	3.1	8.5	4.1	4.2	4.9
May	4.8	4.1	-2.0	0.6	1.9	3.2	5.3	4.1	5.1	4.6
Jun	4.8	3.7	0.3	0.8	2.2	3.3	3.0	4.2	5.0	4.1
Jul	3.1	3.7	-1.8	-0.2	1.2	3.3	1.3	3.9	5.1	3.7
Aug	3.4	3.5	-2.4	-0.5	0.9	3.2	1.3	4.2	5.8	4.0
Sep	4.2	3.6	2.9	-0.6	1.5	3.3	0.3	4.1	5.0	3.6
Oct	5.1	3.2	11.7	-0.5	2.4	3.7	-2.0	4.1	5.1	3.2
Nov	5.3	3.1	17.4	-0.6	2.8	3.7	-3.1	4.2	4.5	2.7
Dec	6.1	3.0	17.0	-0.9	2.8	3.6	-3.7	4.1	5.3	2.8
2008 Jan	6.6	2.7	20.2	-0.6	3.3	3.8	-3.6	4.2	5.0	2.8
Feb	6.1	3.1	21.4	-0.6	3.3	3.7	0.9	4.2	4.7	3.6
Mar	6.0	2.9	22.3	-1.2	3.1	3.8	1.0	4.1	5.3	3.8
Apr	6.9	4.3	20.3	-0.9	3.6	3.9	3.3	4.4	5.2	4.3
May	7.8	4.6	21.3	-0.8	4.1	3.8	4.6	4.4	5.5	4.7
Jun	9.7	4.5	26.8	-0.6	5.0	3.8	6.0	4.3	5.6	4.9
Jul	12.2	4.3	29.3	-0.3	6.0	3.2	6.9	4.7	5.6	5.1
Aug	12.8	4.4	22.8	-0.4	5.4	3.3	10.4	4.7	6.1	6.0
Sep	11.2	4.4	22.2	-0.8	4.8	3.3	17.7	4.9	6.9	7.6
Oct	10.1	4.7	13.0	-1.3	3.7	3.8	18.3	4.7	5.8	7.4

**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) <sup>1</sup>						
		housing components excluded from CPI			other differences in coverage of goods and services		formula effect <sup>2</sup>	other differences including weights <sup>3</sup>
	rounded figures	unrounded figures	total	mortgage interest payments	other housing components			
	D7G2	D7G3	D7G4	D7G5	D7FU	D7FV	D7FW	D7FX
2003 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	-1.4	-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	-1.8	-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	-1.5	-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
Aug	-0.4	-0.37	-0.84	-0.48	-0.36	0.33	-0.49	0.64
Sep	-0.2	-0.20	-0.43	-0.17	-0.27	0.30	-0.52	0.45
Oct	-0.2	-0.17	-0.37	-0.17	-0.20	0.30	-0.52	0.42
Nov	-0.3	-0.29	-0.36	-0.16	-0.21	0.27	-0.52	0.32
Dec	-0.3	-0.30	-0.35	-0.16	-0.19	0.28	-0.51	0.29
2006 Jan	-0.5	-0.45	-0.29	-0.15	-0.14	0.30	-0.48	0.02
Feb	-0.4	-0.39	-0.32	-0.15	-0.17	0.30	-0.51	0.14
Mar	-0.6	-0.51	-0.36	-0.16	-0.20	0.32	-0.55	0.08
Apr	-0.6	-0.52	-0.33	-0.14	-0.19	0.32	-0.51	-0.01
May	-0.8	-0.72	-0.32	-0.11	-0.20	0.32	-0.54	-0.19
Jun	-0.8	-0.75	-0.26	-0.09	-0.17	0.31	-0.52	-0.27
Jul	-0.9	-0.86	-0.25	-0.09	-0.16	0.28	-0.54	-0.35
Aug	-0.9	-0.95	-0.25	-0.08	-0.17	0.24	-0.54	-0.39
Sep	-1.2	-1.22	-0.71	-0.48	-0.23	0.22	-0.56	-0.17
Oct	-1.3	-1.23	-0.74	-0.49	-0.25	0.24	-0.55	-0.17
Nov	-1.2	-1.20	-0.73	-0.48	-0.24	0.24	-0.55	-0.16
Dec	-1.4	-1.46	-0.91	-0.68	-0.24	0.23	-0.56	-0.22
2007 Jan	-1.5	-1.53	-1.01	-0.72	-0.29	0.23	-0.59	-0.16
Feb	-1.8	-1.78	-1.21	-0.91	-0.30	0.19	-0.55	-0.21
Mar	-1.7	-1.75	-1.21	-0.90	-0.31	0.26	-0.57	-0.24
Apr	-1.7	-1.77	-1.21	-0.91	-0.30	0.21	-0.60	-0.17
May	-1.8	-1.79	-1.28	-0.94	-0.33	0.19	-0.59	-0.11
Jun	-2.0	-2.04	-1.49	-1.13	-0.36	0.21	-0.64	-0.12
Jul	-1.9	-2.00	-1.65	-1.17	-0.47	0.23	-0.54	-0.05
Aug	-2.3	-2.29	-1.87	-1.38	-0.49	0.24	-0.57	-0.10
Sep	-2.1	-2.21	-1.62	-1.15	-0.46	0.28	-0.60	-0.27
Oct	-2.1	-2.15	-1.54	-1.12	-0.41	0.28	-0.60	-0.30
Nov	-2.2	-2.20	-1.52	-1.12	-0.40	0.29	-0.59	-0.38
Dec	-1.9	-1.95	-1.30	-0.91	-0.39	0.31	-0.55	-0.41
2008 Jan	-1.9	-1.87	-1.07	-0.67	-0.39	0.36	-0.59	-0.58
Feb	-1.6	-1.61	-0.73	-0.47	-0.27	0.36	-0.59	-0.65
Mar	-1.3	-1.34	-0.49	-0.26	-0.23	0.30	-0.55	-0.60
Apr	-1.2	-1.21	-0.34	-0.23	-0.11	0.32	-0.52	-0.67
May	-1.0	-0.95	-0.02	0.01	-0.03	0.32	-0.52	-0.73
Jun	-0.8	-0.78	0.35	0.23	0.12	0.31	-0.54	-0.90
Jul	-0.6	-0.60	0.60	0.27	0.32	0.31	-0.53	-0.97
Aug	-0.1	-0.07	0.89	0.49	0.40	0.32	-0.49	-0.79
Sep	0.2	0.22	1.02	0.51	0.51	0.36	-0.46	-0.70
Oct	0.3	0.21	1.01	0.46	0.55	0.39	-0.47	-0.71

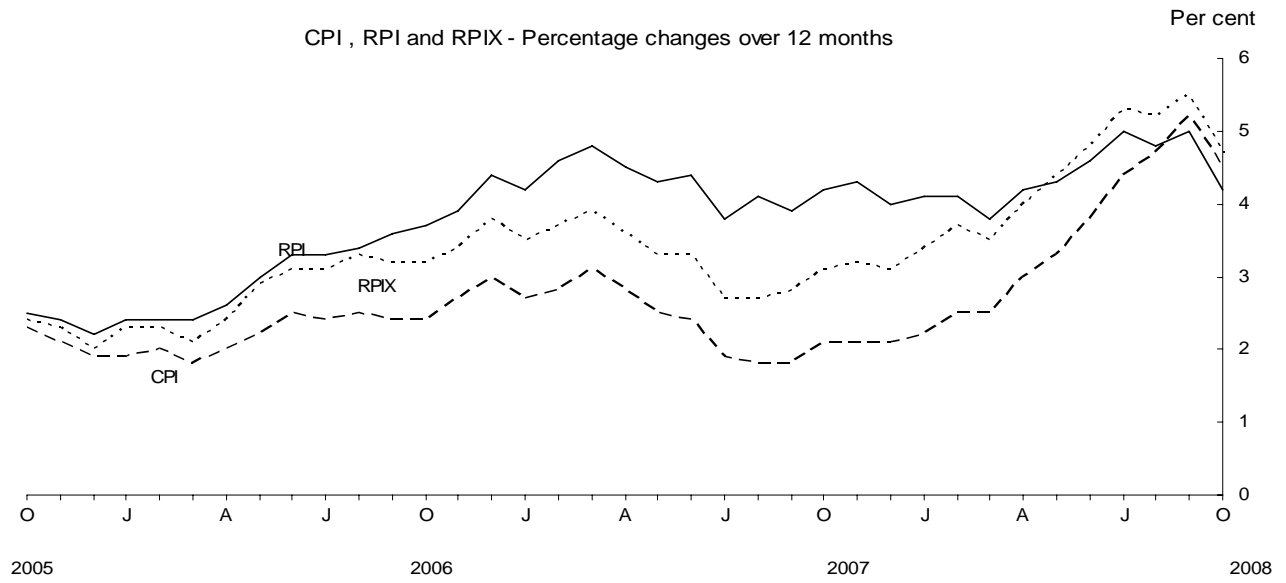
1 The differences due to housing, coverage and formula effect are all calculated independently and are not additive.

Source: National Statistics

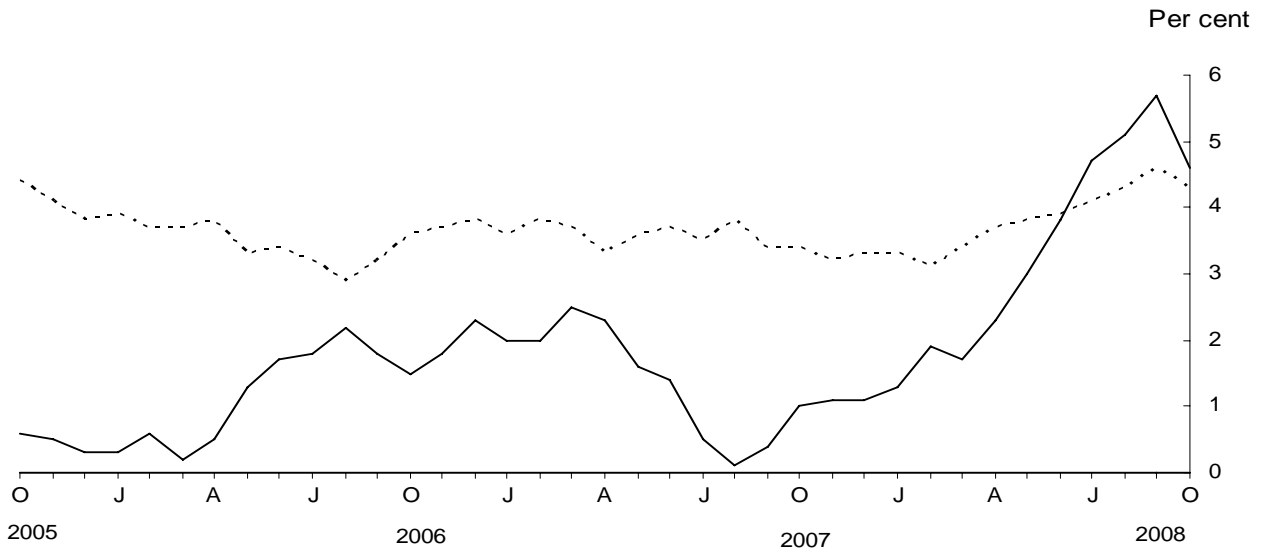
2 Difference due to use of different formulae to aggregate prices at the most basic level.

3 This difference is derived as a residual.

CPI,RPI and Other Related Indices



CPI goods and services - Percentage changes over 12 months: the latest three years



RPI goods and services - Percentage changes over 12 months: the latest three

