

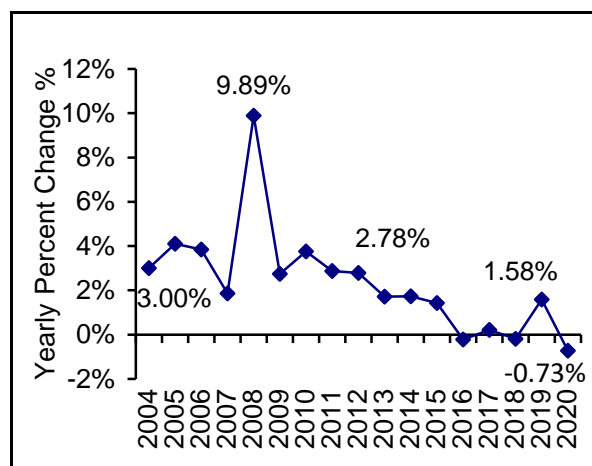


Decrease in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) in Palestine during 2020 by 0.73%

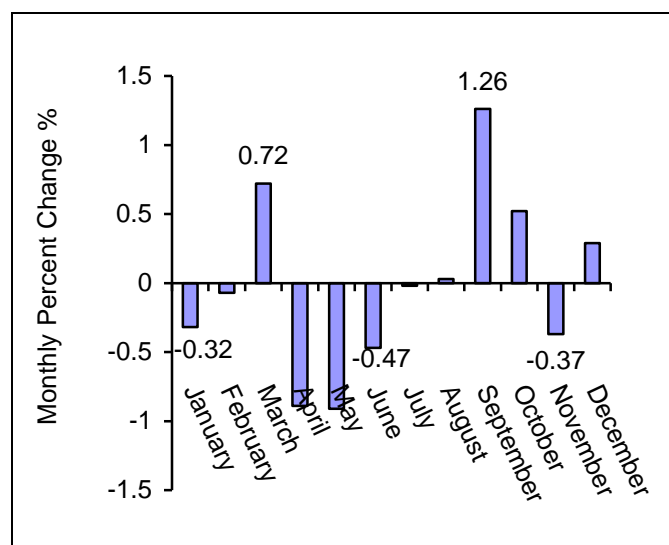
The overall CPI for Palestine during 2020 **Recorded a Decrease by 0.73%** compared with 2019 (by 0.90% in the West Bank**, by 0.52% in Gaza Strip, while it Increased by 0.74% in Jerusalem J1*).

The changes in Palestinian CPI for 2020 were traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure major and sub groups compared with previous year:

Yearly percent changes in Consumer price index in Palestine for: 2004 – 2020



Monthly percent changes in Consumer price index in Palestine for the months of 2020



Major and Sub Groups	%Change
Liquid Fuel for Car "Petrol"	- 10.19%
Fresh Chicken	- 7.74%
Fresh Vegetables	- 7.15%
Vegetable Oils	- 6.37%
Liquid Fuel for Car "Diesel"	- 3.76%
Clothing and Footwear	- 3.33%
Fresh Fruit	- 1.21%
Gas	- 1.06%
Dried Vegetables	+ 10.66%
Eggs	+ 4.87%
Short Grain Rice	+ 3.18%
Passenger transport by road	+ 1.92%

Notes:

*Data represent those parts of Jerusalem, which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

**Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem, which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

Please note that the press release in English is brief compared to the Arabic version

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