



**Palestinian Central Bureau of
Statistics (PCBS)**

**Increase in the consumer price index in
Palestine as a result of the increase in
the prices of fresh chicken, eggs,
Cigarettes and Transportation during
January, 01/2023**

The overall Consumer Price Index CPI for Palestine during January 2023 **recorded an increase by 0.34%** compared with December 2022 (0.78% in the West Bank**, while the CPI decreased by 0.76% in Gaza Strip, and by 0.15% in Jerusalem J1*).

The changes in Palestinian CPI during January 2023 were traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure sub groups compared with previous month:

Sub Groups	Percent Change
Eggs	+ 3.62%
Cigarettes	+ 3.22%
Fresh Chicken	+ 2.67%
Potatoes	- 19.40%
Fresh Vegetables	- 8.03%
Dried Vegetables	- 5.24%

The Palestinian CPI during January 2023 increased by 3.73% compared with January 2022 (4.43% in Jerusalem J1*, 4.24% in the West Bank**, and by 1.69% in Gaza Strip).

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.

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