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

**Consumer Prices** **Continued its Increase within the fourth month respectively as a result of the increase in the prices of fresh chicken, fresh vegetables, fruit, and fuel during April, 04/2022**

The overall Consumer Price Index CPI for Palestine during April 2022 **recorded an increase by 1.08%** compared with March 2022 (1.26% in the West Bank\*\*, 0.78% in Jerusalem J1\*, and by 0.72% in Gaza Strip).

The changes in Palestinian CPI for April 2022 were traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure sub groups compared with previous month:

| **Sub Groups** | **Percent Change** |
| --- | --- |
| Fresh Chicken | + 10.32% |
| Fresh Vegetables | + 10.16% |
| Liquid Fuel for Car  |  |
| Diesel | + 5.80% |
| Petrol | + 3.28% |
| Fresh Fruit | + 3.79% |
| Fresh meat | + 1.93% |
| Dried Vegetables | - 9.03% |
| Eggs | - 7.33% |
| Potatoes and other Tubers | - 3.56% |

The Palestinian CPI during April 2022 increased by 3.78% compared with April 2021 (4.31% in Jerusalem J1\*, 4.30% in Gaza Strip, and 3.51% in the West Bank\*\*).

**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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