# Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

**Increase in the Consumer Price Index during June,06/2016**

The overall Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Palestine during June 2016 increased by 0.22% compared with May 2016 (by 1.75% in Jerusalem J1\*, and by 0.55% in the West Bank\*\*, while it decreased by 0.33% in Gaza Strip).

The CPI during June 2016 decreased by 0.14% compared with June 2015 (by 1.18% in Jerusalem J1\*, and by 1.12% in the West Bank\*\*, while it increased by 0.75% in Gaza Strip).

The CPI during the first half of 2016 increased by 0.19% compared with the same period of the previous year (by 0.24% in the West Bank\*\*, while it decreased by 1.63% in Jerusalem J1\*, and slightly decreased by 0.02% in Gaza Strip).

The change in (CPI) in Palestine for June 2016 is traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure sub groups compared with previous month:

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| **Sub Groups** | **Change** |
| Potatoes and other Tubers |  + 8.88% |
| Eggs | + 6.55% |
| Liquid Fuel for House | + 4.96% |
| Dried Vegetables | + 3.87% |
| Fresh Vegetables | + 3.40% |
| Liquid Fuel for Cars | + 3.34% |
| Fresh Meat | + 1.87% |
| Fresh Fruit | + 1.26% |
| Education Services | + 1.14% |
| Medical Care | + 0.89% |
| Flour | - 1.99% |
| Gas | - 1.77% |
| Fresh Poultry | - 1.43% |

**The consumer price index in Palestine for June 2015 – June 2016**

**(Base Year 2010=100)**

**Notes**:

* The data of Jerusalem J1\* includes that part of Jerusalem governorate which was annexed forcefully by Israel following its occupation of the West Bank in 1967.
* The data of West Bank\*\* doesn't include that part of Jerusalem governorate which was annexed forcefully by Israel following its occupation of the West Bank in 1967.