



## Palestinian Consumer Price Index

### Decrease in the CPI of October 2012 compared with previous month

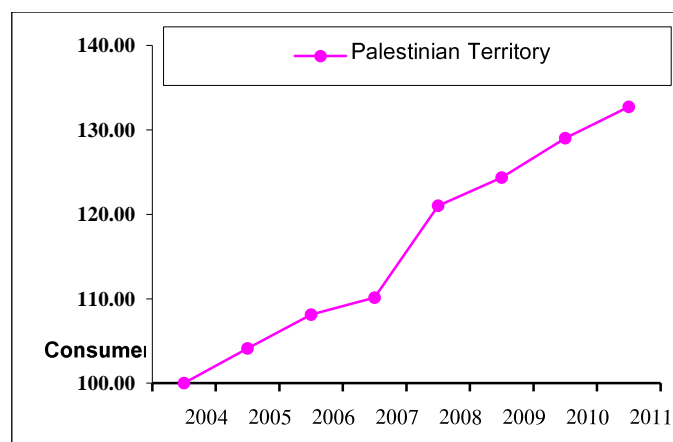
The overall Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the Palestinian Territory during October 2012 decreased by 0.60% compared with September 2012 (0.84% in the West Bank, 0.47% in Jerusalem J1\*, 0.90% in Gaza Strip).

The CPI during October 2012 increased by 3.24% compared with October 2011 (5.53% in the West Bank, 3.81% in Jerusalem J1\*, 0.30% in Gaza Strip).

The CPI during first Ten months of 2012 increased by 2.95% compared with the same period of the previous year (4.27% in the West Bank, 3.21% in Jerusalem J1\*, 0.56% in Gaza Strip)

The change in Consumer Price Index (CPI) for October 2012 is traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure sub groups compared to the previous month:

### The trend line for the consumer price index in Palestinian Territory for 2004 – 2011



#### Note:

\* Jerusalem J1: those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israel in 1967

The data of West Bank doesn't cover Jerusalem J1.

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