# Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

**Consumer price index in Palestine recorded an increase during October 10/2022**

 **as a result of the increase in the prices of dried and fresh vegetables,**

**eggs and potatoes**

The overall Consumer Price Index CPI for Palestine during October 2022 **recorded an increase by 0.42%** compared with September 2022 (0.84% in Gaza Strip, by 0.40% in Jerusalem J1\*, and by 0.30% in the West Bank\*\*).

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

| **Sub Groups** | **Percent Change** |
| --- | --- |
| Dried Vegetables | + 11.72% |
| Fresh Vegetables | + 10.57% |
| Eggs | + 7.54% |
| Potatoes | + 6.18% |
| Fresh Chicken | + 1.56% |
| Rice | + 0.92% |
| Gas | + 0.72% |
| Fresh Fruit | - 2.02% |
| Liquid Fuel for Car "Diesel" | - 1.86% |
| Flour of Cereals "White Flour" | - 1.43% |
| Fresh Meat | - 0.75% |

The Palestinian CPI during First Ten month of 2022 increased by 3.65% compared with same period of the previous year (4.56% in Jerusalem J1\*, 3.64% in the West Bank\*\*, and by 3.13% in Gaza Strip).

The Palestinian CPI during October 2022 increased by 4.39% compared with October 2021 (5.22% in Jerusalem J1\*, 4.44% in the West Bank\*\*, and by 3.74% 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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