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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – December 2011

(Base Period: Average Prices August 2010 = 100)

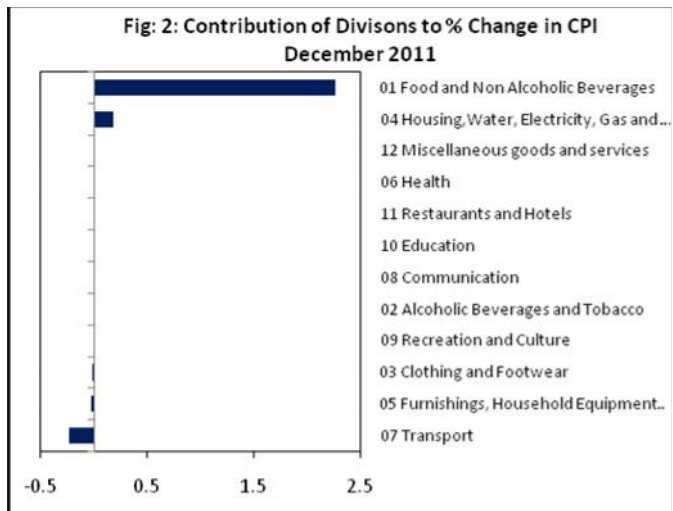
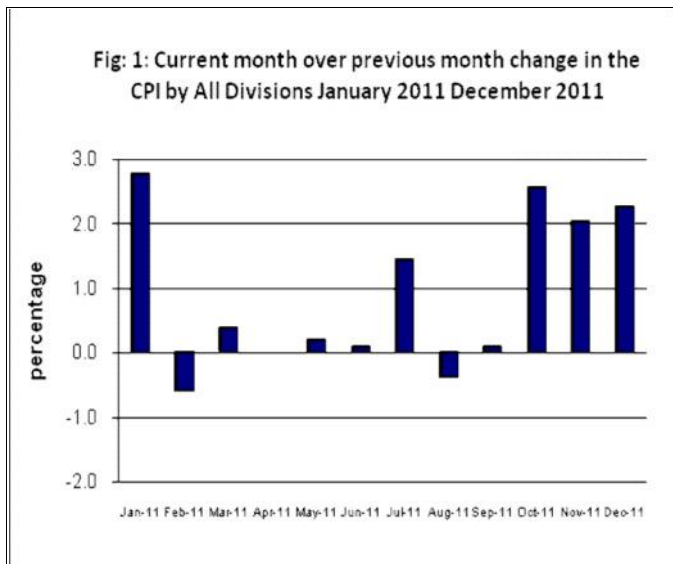
SUMMARY

The All Items Consumer Price Index for the month of December 2011 recorded an increase of 2.3 percent when compared to the previous month, and an increase of 11.4 percent when compared to the same month of last year.

The increase of the Local Goods component by 4.2 percent, due to higher prices for market staples, was the main contributor to the 2.3 percent in the All Items Consumer Price Index. The Imported Goods Component recorded a decrease of 0.6 percent. Depicted in Fig 1 are the month to month percentage changes in the Consumer Price Index by all Divisions from January to December 2011.

Total All Divisions Contribution

A positive contribution from the Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages along with Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels were the main contributor to the overall increase of 2.3 percent in the All Division Consumer Price Index. Negative contribution was registered for the Transport index of 0.2 percent. Contributions of all Divisions to the overall percentage change in the Consumer Price Index in October 2011 are shown in Fig 2.

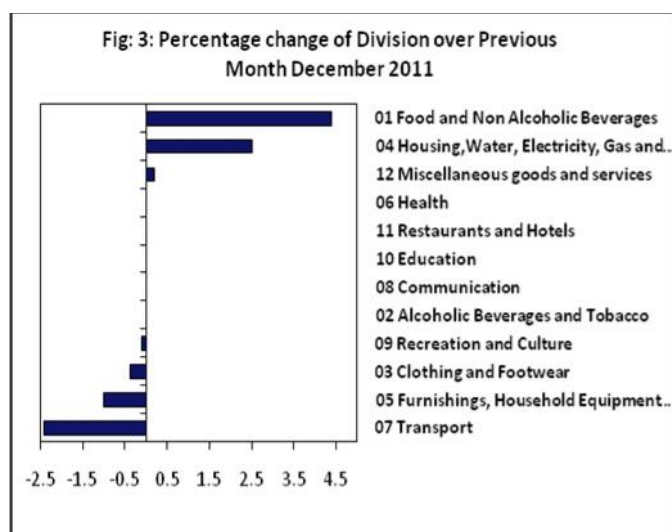


Consumer Price Index (% Change)

The 2.3 percent increase in the Overall Index was mainly due to an increase of 4.4 percent in Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages index. The Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels and Miscellaneous Goods and Services indices

also recorded an increase of 2.5 and 0.2 percent respectively. No changes were recorded for the other indices namely Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco, Health, Communication, Education and Restaurants.

Decreases were recorded for Transport of 2.4 percent, Furnishing Household Equipment and Maintenance of 1.0 percent, Clothing and Footwear of 0.4 percent and Recreation and Culture of 0.1 percent. Graphically presented in Fig 3 is the October 2011 percentage change of Divisions over September 2011.



Local Goods Component

The Local Goods Component of the Consumer Price Index registered an increase of 4.2 percent when compared to the previous month. This increase was mainly due to higher prices recorded for taro, banana, breadfruit, taamu, tomatoes and electricity (kwh).

Imported Goods Component

The Imported Goods Component of the Consumer Price Index registered a decrease of 0.6 percent when compared to the previous month. This decrease was mainly due to lower prices recorded for fuel (petrol, diesel, kerosene).

Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages Index

Higher Prices were recorded for taro, banana, breadfruit, taamu and tomatoes were the main contributors to an increase of 4.4 percent in the Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages index.



Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels Index

Higher price recorded for electricity (kwh), timber (2*4, dressed) and nails were the main contributors to an increase of 2.5 percent in the Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels index.

Transport Index

A decrease of 2.4 percent in the Transport index was mainly due to lower prices recorded for fuel (petrol and diesel)

Furnishing, Household Equipment, and Maintenance Index

Lower prices recorded for sefe (3 shelves) was the main contributor to a decrease of 1.0 percent in the Furnishing, Household Equipment and Maintenance index.

Clothing and Footwear Index

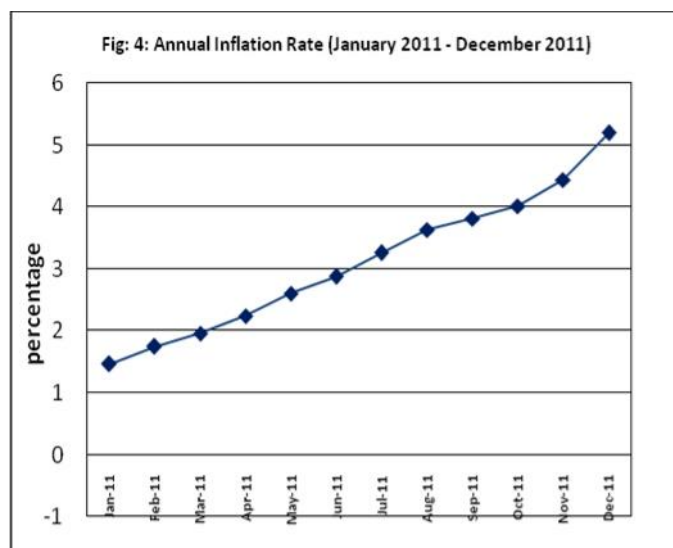
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Underlying Indices

The All Items Underlying Index for December 2011 registered a decrease of 0.1 percent when compared to November 2011, but an increase of 1.9 percent when compared to December 2010. The Local Items Underlying Index recorded a decrease of 0.3 percent while the Imported Items Underlying Index showed no change from the previous month.

Inflation Rate

The twelve months ending December 2011 compared to the twelve months ending December 2010 shows an increase of 5.2 percent. Presented in Fig 4 are the Annual inflation rates (January 2011-December 2011).

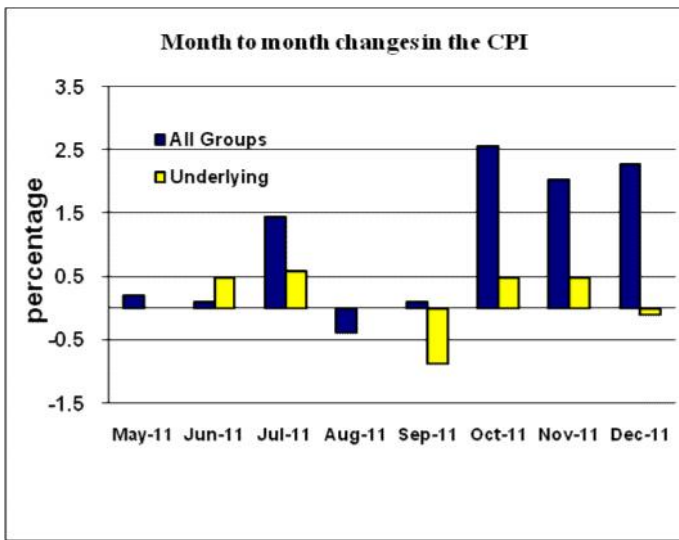


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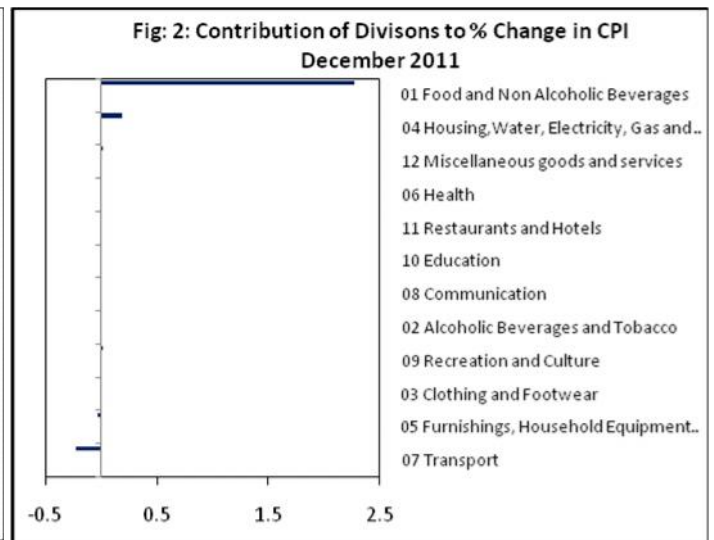
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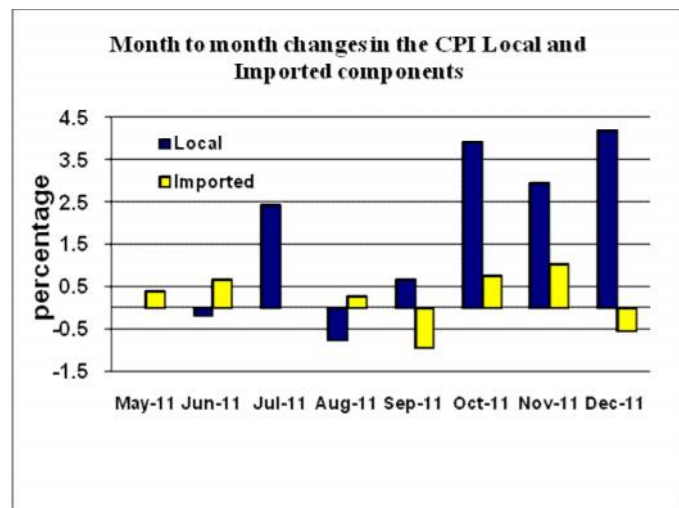
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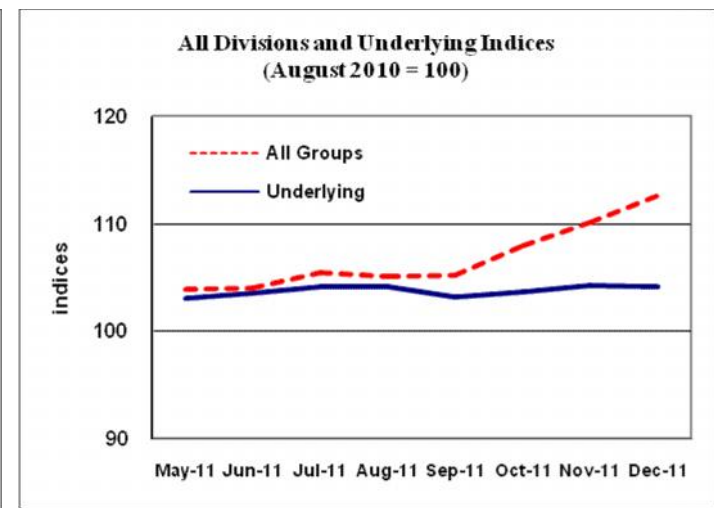
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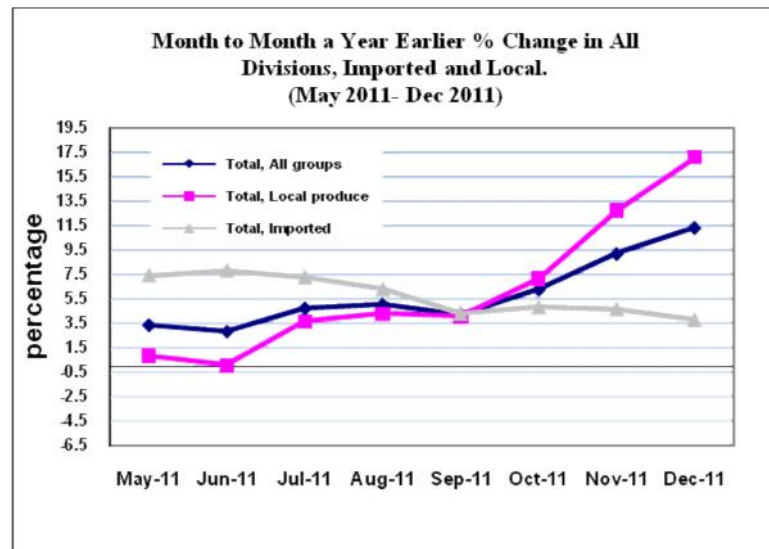


Table 1. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX.

(Base Period : Average Prices August 2010 = 100)

Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment, and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
<i>Weights</i>	1000	502	97	17	78	31	16	97	58	34	31	15	24
2010													
December	101.1	101.9	103.8	100.5	99.0	99.2	102.7	99.3	99.9	97.3	100.0	100.0	100.7
2011													
January	103.9	107.0	104.3	101.3	100.0	100.1	100.6	100.3	100.0	97.1	100.0	100.0	99.9
February	103.3	105.0	104.7	103.2	102.5	100.8	100.6	101.1	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	99.4
March	103.7	105.6	104.7	102.5	103.2	100.1	100.8	101.8	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	100.3
April	103.7	104.6	105.1	103.2	104.2	100.9	100.6	106.2	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	99.3
May	103.9	104.0	105.4	102.9	108.5	100.3	100.6	107.1	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	99.3
June	104.0	103.5	105.4	102.9	109.8	99.9	101.8	109.8	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	100.8
July	105.5	107.5	103.4	102.7	108.7	99.5	97.9	107.6	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	100.6
August	105.1	106.5	105.4	105.3	107.5	100.5	97.9	107.6	100.0	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.6
September	105.2	106.4	105.4	105.4	107.8	101.3	97.9	107.9	100.0	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.2
October	107.9 (a)	111.7	105.4	105.7	107.9 (a)	101.5	95.1	108.6 (a)	100.0	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.4
November	110.1	115.7	105.4	106.2	107.4	101.0	95.3	111.7	100.0	98.1	100.0	100.0	101.4
December (P)	112.6	120.8	105.4	105.8	110.1	100.0	95.3	109.0	100.0	98.0	100.0	100.0	101.6
<u>Percentage Change (P)</u>													
Dec 2011 over Nov 2011	2.3	4.4	0.0	-0.4	2.5	-1.0	0.0	-2.4	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
Dec 2011 over Dec 2010	11.4	18.5	1.5	5.3	11.2	0.8	-7.2	9.8	0.1	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.9

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ALL ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX													
Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment, and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
<i>Weights</i>	480	348	<i>n.a.</i>	17	17	31	14	13	<i>n.a.</i>	2	<i>n.a.</i>	15	24
2010													
December	102.2	103.4		100.5	95.7	99.2	103.1	95.0		92.5		100.0	100.7
2011													
January	102.5	104.0		101.3	95.7	100.1	100.7	91.7		90.1		100.0	99.9
February	103.1	104.7		103.2	96.3	100.8	100.7	91.7		90.1		100.0	99.4
March	102.8	104.1		102.5	98.9	100.1	100.9	91.7		90.1		100.0	100.3
April	103.0	104.4		103.2	98.5	100.9	100.7	91.7		89.8		100.0	99.3
May	103.0	104.4		102.9	99.7	100.3	100.7	91.7		90.1		100.0	99.3
June	103.5	104.7		102.9	98.8	99.9	102.1	98.3		90.1		100.0	100.8
July	104.1	105.7		102.7	101.6	99.5	97.6	97.3		89.8		100.0	100.6
August	104.1	105.7		105.3	99.7	100.5	97.6	95.0		88.9		100.0	100.6
September	103.2	104.3		105.4	100.9	101.3	97.6	95.0		88.6		100.0	100.2
October	103.7	105.0		105.7	101.6	101.5	94.3	98.1		88.6		100.0	100.4
November	104.2	105.6		106.2	102.4	101.0	94.6	98.1		88.6		100.0	101.4
December (P)	104.1	105.5		105.8	104.0	100.0	94.6	98.1		87.0		100.0	101.6
		102.6											
<u>Percentage Change (P)</u>													
Dec 2011 over	-0.1	-0.1		-0.4	1.6	-1.0	0.0	0.0		-1.8		0.0	0.2
Nov 2011													
Dec 2011 over	1.9	2.1		5.2	8.6	0.9	-8.3	3.3		-6.0		0.0	0.9
Dec 2010													

(P): Provisional figures

(a): Revised figures

Note: n.a. Not applicable

Table 2. AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Commodities	Weight	Unit	2010			2011		
			Oct	Nov	Dec	Oct	Nov	Dec (P)
Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages								
Chicken Leg Quarters	41.8	lb	1.89	1.95	1.90	1.94	1.96	1.97
Taro	41.2	lb	1.09	0.97	0.91	1.33	1.64	2.02
Rice short grain	26.5	lb	1.66	1.66	1.65	1.47	1.58	1.61
Mutton (Pure Flap)	25.5	lb	5.99	6.01	6.18	6.56	6.66	6.66
Bread	22.3	loaf	1.93	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.91
Taamu	18.9	lb	1.09	0.82	1.02	1.85	2.07	2.24
Sugar Brown	18.7	lb	1.31	1.54	1.59	1.73	1.75	1.78
Fish (piece)	14.5	lb	4.42	4.17	4.96	6.50	6.55	6.32
Mineral Water	12.4	500mls	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.70	1.70	1.70
Chicken Wings (a)	12.0	lb	5.43	5.58	6.02	4.77	4.55	4.72
Fish (string)	11.7	lb	3.31	3.64	2.80	3.50	3.50	3.55
Koko Samoa	11.5	sml cup	5.36	5.07	4.64	4.57	4.57	4.43
Biscuits Sky Flakes (a)	11.0	850g	13.90	13.53	13.48	13.88	13.90	14.15
Bananas	10.5	lb	0.48	0.47	0.42	0.52	0.51	0.72
Fish (large)	10.2	lb	6.82	6.16	6.78	5.35	5.75	5.84
Butter Anchor	9.4	lb	9.18	9.18	9.53	11.48	11.75	11.73
Soft Drink Coke	9.2	750mls	3.61	3.61	3.63	3.71	3.71	3.71
Ramen Maggie	8.8	85g	0.97	0.97	0.98	1.02	1.02	1.02
Canned fish Early Dawn Tomato Sauce	7.4	15oz	5.30	5.30	5.30	5.30	4.40	4.40
Canned fish Five star Tomato Sauce (a)	7.4	15oz	2.43	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30
Canned fish Soifua Tomato Sauce (a)	7.4	15oz	2.30	2.33	2.33	2.43	2.43	2.43
Conned Beef Palm	7.0	12oz	11.45	11.15	11.17	10.90	10.98	11.25
Flour	6.8	lb	1.22	1.23	1.14	1.27	1.30	1.26
Canned Beef Pacific	6.7	12oz	2.30	2.30	2.50	13.36	13.36	13.51
Canned fish King Pacific Natural Oil (a)	6.5	15oz	2.30	2.30	2.50	2.90	2.90	2.30
Yam	6.3	lb	1.40	1.33	1.12	1.52	1.56	1.67
Canned fish 555 Natural Oil (a)	6.3	15oz	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40
Canned fish Sea Queen Natural Oil (a)	6.2	15oz	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.73	2.73	2.73
Canned fish Early Dawn Natural Oil	6.1	15oz	5.03	5.03	5.03	4.70	4.70	4.60
Oil Cooking oil (a)	5.8	500mls	6.35	6.35	6.35	6.53	6.53	6.53
Taro Leaves	5.5	lb	2.54	2.84	3.45	3.04	3.16	2.91
Milk Devondale	5.1	ltr	4.08	4.10	4.08	4.32	4.34	4.36
Coconuts	5.1	lb	0.22	0.22	0.25	0.24	0.24	0.28
Chinese Cabbage	5.0	lb	1.26	1.98	1.97	1.80	2.30	2.38
Salted Beef	4.9	lb	4.99	5.22	5.15	5.87	5.79	5.72
Milk Anchor	4.8	ltr	3.90	3.94	3.96	4.31	4.28	4.26
Eggs	4.3	doz	6.04	6.46	6.49	6.49	6.54	6.33
Stewing beef	4.3	lb	4.98	4.90	4.80	5.24	5.24	5.24
Breadfruit	4.2	lb	0.69	0.52	0.48	0.66	0.60	0.70
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco								
Beer Vailima	32.3	355mls	4.07	4.09	4.10	4.17	4.17	4.17
Cigarettes Pall Mall Filter	21.7	20rolls	8.14	8.14	8.14	8.31	8.31	8.31
Cigarettes Pall Mall Menthol	20.0	20rolls	8.14	8.14	8.14	8.31	8.31	8.31
Spirit Volka nip	6.3	nip	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33
Spirit whisky nip	6.3	nip	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33	10.33
Clothing and Footwear								
School Uniform	5.4	each	24.00	24.00	24.00	27.00	27.00	27.00
le Solosolo	2.1	2yds	6.00	5.68	5.68	5.85	5.85	5.85
Jandals soft rubber	2.1	10.5	7.43	7.93	7.76	7.82	7.82	7.82
Jandals hard rubber	1.6	8	4.25	4.25	4.50	4.25	4.25	4.25

Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels								
Electricity	56.9	kwh	0.94	0.92	0.92	1.01	1.00	1.03
Roofing iron	5.2	12ft	65.27	63.13	58.53	61.20	61.20	61.20
Cement	4.4	40kg	21.75	21.38	21.38	21.13	21.25	21.73
Natural gas	3.5	20lb	70.50	70.50	70.50	76.80	76.80	76.80
Kerosene	2.1	ltr	2.24	2.23	2.23	2.68	2.81	2.79
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance								
Washing soap	4.3	bar	2.93	2.80	2.88	3.10	3.10	3.20
Refridgerator	3.7	331ltrs	2690.00	2490.00	2490.00	2490.00	2490.00	2490.00
Sheeting material	3.3	yd	12.45	12.95	12.95	12.95	12.95	12.95
washing powder boom (a)	3.1	200g	1.43	1.75	1.45	1.55	1.55	1.45
washing powder cold power	2.9	200g	2.05	2.05	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.15
Sefe 3 sheves (a)	2.7	48*48	565.00	565.00	565.00	565.00	565.00	490.00
Kerosene stove 2 burners	2.0	each	157.67	157.67	157.67	161.83	157.67	157.67
Mosquito coil	2.0	box	1.27	1.31	1.32	1.26	1.26	1.26
Health								
Paracetamol	3.7	20tablet	2.13	2.13	2.13	1.75	1.75	1.75
Magnesium Trisilicate	3.6	120mls	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.28	8.28	8.28
Cough Mixture	3.6	100mls	9.90	9.90	9.90	9.48	9.48	9.48
Hospital Charge	2.1	per night	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Transport								
Petrol	39.1	ltr	2.39	2.38	2.41	2.91	3.05	2.88
Labour charge car repair	9.1	min crg	50.00	50.00	50.00	51.67	51.67	51.67
Air Fares Apia-Auckland-Apia	7.8	return	1308.50	1403.70	1468.95	1571.43	1727.00	1727.00
Air Fares Fagalii-Pago	7.8	return	380.00	380.00	380.00	365.00	360.00	360.00
Bus Fares Apia-Motootua Hosp	3.7	per trip	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80
Bus Fares Apia-Malua	3.7	per trip	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Bus Fares Apia-Falefa	3.7	per trip	3.20	3.20	3.20	3.20	3.20	3.20
Car Tyre 205/70R(14)	3.7	size 14	199.00	224.00	224.00	230.00	230.00	230.00
Taxi Fares PO-Motootua Hosp	3.3	per trip	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
Taxi Fares Po-Malua	3.3	per trip	26.10	26.10	26.10	26.10	26.10	26.10
Taxi Fares PO-Falefa	3.3	per trip	36.00	36.00	36.00	36.00	36.00	36.00
Diesel	2.8	ltr	2.46	2.45	2.47	2.89	3.02	3.00
Car Registration 1500-2000 cc	2.0	ann rate	248.00	248.00	248.00	248.00	248.00	248.00
Boat Fares Mulifanua-Salelologa	1.3	one way	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
Communication								
Telephone local call	23.6	1 min	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
Telephone NZ call	10.6	3 mins	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55
Telephone USA call	10.6	3 mins	5.37	5.37	5.37	5.37	5.37	5.37
Telephone Rental	10.6	monthly	24.15	24.15	24.15	24.15	24.15	24.15
Internet Prepaid Rates (a)	2.6	30 mins	5.10	5.10	5.10	5.10	5.10	5.10
PO Box rental (small box)	0.2	ann rate	60.00	60.00	60.00	80.00	80.00	80.00
Recreation and Culture								
National Lotto (a)	23.6	ticket	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
Tattslotto	3.8	ticket	15.00	15.00	12.00	13.50	13.50	13.50
News Paper Samoa Observer	2.7	each	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
Education								
School Fees Primary	10.5	Yr 4	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
School Fees Secondary	8.1	Yr 10	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
School Fees Primary	7.6	Yr 8	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
School Fees (NUS registration)	5.1	tertiary	241.00	241.00	241.00	241.00	241.00	241.00
Restaurants								
Meal (Fish & Chips)	11.0	1 serve	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
Meal (Pinati)	3.7	1 serve	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Miscellaneous goods and services								
Toilet soap	7.6	90g	1.06	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10
Diapers (16kg & over)	7.2	24pkt	37.46	37.46	37.46	36.83	37.03	37.22
Toilet Paper	3.6	roll	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.05	1.05

(a) : New commodity from August 2010

(P) : Provisional figures

Table 3. IMPORTED GOODS COMPONENT OF THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

(Base Period : Average Prices August 2010 = 100)

Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
<i>Weights</i>	424.8	272.0	17.1	10.9	17.5	22.7	12.8	46.8	<i>n.a.</i>	1.3	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	23.7
2010													
December	102.7	104.1	112.3	100.8	95.3	99.9	103.3	97.2		86.7			100.7
2011													
January	103.8	104.9	112.3	102.1	96.1	101.2	100.8	101.9		82.4			99.9
February	104.3	105.6	112.3	103.0	96.6	101.3	100.8	102.9		82.4			99.4
March	104.0	104.7	112.3	101.9	99.7	100.2	100.9	104.1		82.4			100.3
April	104.9	104.8	112.3	103.0	100.6	101.4	100.8	111.3		81.9			99.3
May	105.3	104.8	113.2	102.4	102.2	100.7	100.8	114.3		82.4			99.3
June	106.0	105.4	113.2	102.4	100.8	101.5	102.2	116.3		82.4			100.8
July	106.0	106.3	113.2	102.0	102.9	100.8	97.4	111.6		81.9			100.6
August	106.3	106.6	113.2	102.1	101.1	100.8	97.4	113.6		80.4			100.6
September	105.3	104.9	113.2	102.2	102.3	101.5	97.4	114.2		79.9			100.2
October	106.1	(a)	113.2	102.6	102.7	(a)	101.8	94.0	115.0	(a)			100.4
November	107.2	106.7	113.2	103.4	104.1	101.2	94.2	120.0		79.9			101.4
December (P)	106.6	106.7	113.2	102.8	105.6	100.7	94.2	114.3		77.0			101.6
<i>Percentage Change (P)</i>													
Dec 2011 over Nov 2011	-0.6	0.0	0.0	-0.6	1.4	-0.5	0.0	-4.7		-3.7			0.2
Dec 2011 over Dec 2010	3.8	2.5	0.8	1.9	10.8	0.7	-8.8	17.5		-11.3			0.9

IMPORTED ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX													
Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
Weights	362.8	272.0	<i>n.a.</i>	10.9	15.4	22.7	12.8	4.0	<i>n.a.</i>	1.3	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	23.7
2010													
December	103.1	104.1		100.8	95.3	99.9	103.3	112.7		86.7			100.7
2011													
January	103.6	104.9		102.1	95.3	101.2	100.8	102.0		82.4			99.9
February	104.1	105.6		103.0	95.8	101.3	100.8	101.8		82.4			99.4
March	103.6	104.7		101.9	98.6	100.2	100.9	101.8		82.4			100.3
April	103.6	104.8		103.0	98.1	101.4	100.8	101.9		81.9			99.3
May	103.6	104.8		102.4	99.4	100.7	100.8	101.9		82.4			99.3
June	104.4	105.4		102.4	98.3	101.5	102.2	116.2		82.4			100.8
July	104.9	106.3		102.0	101.2	100.8	97.4	112.9		81.9			100.6
August	105.0	106.6		102.1	99.1	100.8	97.4	112.9		80.4			100.6
September	103.8	104.9		102.2	100.3	101.5	97.4	112.8		79.9			100.2
October	104.7	106.0		102.6	101.1	101.8	94.0	115.4		79.9			100.4
November	105.3	106.7		103.4	101.9	101.2	94.2	115.3		79.9			101.4
December (P)	105.3	106.7		102.8	103.8	100.7	94.2	115.3		77.0			101.6
<u>Percentage Change (P)</u>													
Dec 2011 over Nov 2011	0.0	0.0		-0.6	1.8	-0.5	0.0	0.0		-3.7			0.2
Dec 2011 over Dec 2010	2.1	2.5		1.9	8.8	0.7	-8.8	2.3		-11.3			0.9

(P): Provisional figures

(a): Revised figures

Note: n.a. Not applicable

Table 4. LOCAL GOODS COMPONENT OF THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
(Base Period : Average Prices August
2010 = 100)

Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
Weights	575.2	229.8	79.6	6.4	60.6	8.6	3.0	50.3	58.2	32.7	31.3	14.7	n.a.
2010													
December	99.9	99.3	102.0	100.0	100.0	97.1	100.0	101.2	99.9	97.7	100.0	100.0	
2011													
January	104.0	109.4	102.6	100.0	101.2	97.1	100.0	98.8	100.0	97.7	100.0	100.0	
February	102.5	104.3	103.0	103.5	104.2	99.2	100.0	99.4	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
March	103.5	106.6	103.0	103.5	104.2	100.0	100.0	99.6	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
April	102.8	104.3	103.5	103.5	105.3	99.7	100.0	101.4	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
May	102.8	103.1	103.7	103.9	110.4	99.5	100.0	100.5	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
June	102.6	101.3	103.7	103.9	112.3	95.9	100.0	103.8	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
July	105.1	109.0	101.3	103.9	110.4	95.9	100.0	104.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
August	104.3	106.4	103.7	110.9	109.3	99.5	100.0	102.1	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
September	105.0	108.3	103.7	110.9	109.4	100.6	100.0	102.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
October	109.1	118.3	103.7	110.9	109.3	100.6	100.0	102.6	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
November	112.3	126.3	103.7	110.9	108.3	100.6	100.0	104.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
December (P)	117.0	137.4	103.7	110.9	111.4	98.3	100.0	104.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	
<u>Percentage Change (P)</u>													
Dec 2011 over Nov 2011	4.2	8.8	0.0	0.0	2.8	-2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Dec 2011 over Dec 2010	17.2	38.4	1.7	10.9	11.3	1.2	0.0	2.8	0.1	1.2	0.0	0.0	

Table 4..cont'd..

LOCAL ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX													
Group	All Items	Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants	Miscellaneous goods and services
Weights	117.4	75.5	n.a.	6.4	1.2	8.6	0.9	9.1	n.a.	1.0	n.a.	14.7	n.a.
2010													
December	99.3	100.8		100.0	100.4	97.1	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
2011													
January	99.1	100.5		100.0	100.6	97.1	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
February	100.0	101.3		103.5	102.5	99.2	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
March	100.5	101.9		103.5	102.5	100.0	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
April	101.0	102.8		103.5	103.0	99.7	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
May	101.1	102.9		103.9	103.0	99.5	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
June	100.8	102.5		103.9	104.8	95.9	100.0	90.5		100.0		100.0	
July	101.5	103.4		103.9	107.7	95.9	100.0	90.5		100.0		100.0	
August	101.4	102.7		110.9	107.9	99.5	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
September	101.1	102.2		110.9	108.4	100.6	100.0	87.2		100.0		100.0	
October	100.9	101.4		110.9	108.1	100.6	100.0	90.5		100.0		100.0	
November	100.9	101.4		110.9	108.1	100.6	100.0	90.5		100.0		100.0	
December (P)	100.6	101.3		110.9	106.6	98.3	100.0	90.5		100.0		100.0	
<u>Percentage Change (P)</u>													
Dec 2011 over Nov 2011	-0.3	-0.1		0.0	-1.4	-2.3	0.0	0.0		0.0		0.0	
Dec 2011 over Dec 2010	1.3	0.5		10.9	6.2	1.2	0.0	3.8		0.0		0.0	

(P): Provisional figures

Note: n.a. Not applicable

