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# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

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In April 2022, the consumer price index at the national level increased by 1,8% compared to the previous month, while the consumer price index increased by almost 5,9% in a whole year.

The consumer price index increased by 1,8% during the month of April 2022 compared to the previous month. This variation is the result of the 3,0% increase in the food products index and the 0,9% in the non-food products index..

The increases in food products observed between March and April 2022 mainly concern «Fruits» with 12,3%, «Fish and seafood» with 9,8%, «Oils and fats» with 5,0%, «Vegetables» with 2,9%, «Meats» with 1,8%, «Bread and cereals» with 1,4% and «Coffee, tea and cocoa» with 0,3%. On the other hand, prices fell by 0,5% for «Milk, cheese and eggs». For non-food products, the increase mainly concerned the prices of «Fuel» with 13,2%. The most significant increases in the CPI were recorded n Al Hoceima with 3,6%, in Fes with 3,3%, in Dakhla with 2,3%, in Oujda, Rabat, Safi and Errachidia with 2,0%, in Kenitra and Tangier with 1,9%, in Marrakech, Meknes and Laayoune

with 1,6%, in Tetouan with 1,5%, in Casablanca and Beni Mellal with 1,3% and in Agadir with 1.2%.

Compared to the same month of the previous year, the consumer price index recorded an increase of 5,9% during the month of April 2022 as a consequence of the increase in the food products index of 9,1% and that of non-food products by 3,7%. For non-food products the variations range from a stagnation in «Health» to an increase of 12,4% for «Transport»

Under these conditions, the underlying inflation indicator, which excludes products with volatile prices and products with public prices, would have known during the month of April 2022 an increase of 0,8% compared to the month of March 2022 and 4,4% compared to April 2021.

Table 1: Consumer price index at national level: April 2022 (base 2017: 100)

	_		N	Variation(%)					
<b>Products divisions</b>	Weightings	April	January	February	March	April	35 4	3Months	12Months
		2021	2022	2022	2022	2022	Month		
Food products	39,009	103.9	105.0	106.1	110.1	113.4	3.0	8.0	9.1
01 – Food products and non-alcoholic beverages	37,502	103.0	104.0	105.1	109.4	112.7	3.0	8.4	9.4
02 - Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1,507	125.4	129.7	129.7	129.8	129.8	0.0	0.1	3.5
Non food products	60,991	103.8	105.8	106.1	106.6	107.6	0.9	1.6	3.7
03 – Clothing and shoes	4,323	104.2	106.9	106.9	107.4	109.1	1.6	2.1	4.7
04 - Housing, water, electricity and other fuels	14,575	102.2	103.1	103.2	103.3	103.3	0.0	0.2	1.1
05 - Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home	4,407	101.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	104.8	0.3	1.1	3.4
06 - Health	7,741	101.8	101.7	101.7	101.8	101.8	0.0	0.1	0.0
07 - Transport	10,04	105.1	109.9	111.0	113.3	118.1	4.2	7.5	12.4
08 - Communication	2,958	103.8	103.7	103.8	103.8	103.9	0.1	0.2	0.1
09 – Leisure and culture	2,735	99.8	101.5	101.6	101.6	101.7	0.1	0.2	1.9
10 - Education	5,636	110.3	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	0.0	0.0	1.3
11 - Restaurants and hotels	1,461	104.2	105.6	105.4	105.4	105.2	-0.2	-0.4	1.0
12 – Various goods and services	7,115	105.2	108.8	109.0	109.2	109.5	0.3	0.6	4.1
General index	100.0	103.8	105.5	106.1	108.0	109.9	1.8	4.2	5.9

In April 2022, the consumer price index of households in the city of Al Hoceima increased by 3,6% compared to the previous month. On an annual basis, the consumer price index increased by 6,3%.

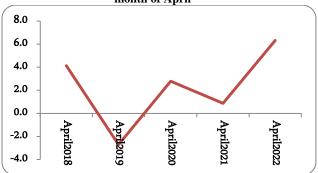
Over one month, the food product price index increased by 5,5% in April 2022 compared to March 2022, due to the rise in the prices of «Fish and seafood» by 26,6%, of «Vegetables» by 6,5%, of «Fruits» by 4,7%, of «Oils and fats» by 3,9%, of «Milk, cheese and eggs» by 1,4%, of «Meats» by 1,1%, of «Bread and cereals» by 0,2% and of «Food products not elsewhere classified» by 0,1%. The monthly variation in the index of non-food products also increased by 1,6%. This increase is due to the rise in the prices of the following divisions: «Transport» by 7,3%, «Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home» by 1,5%, «Various goods and services» by 1.3%, «Clothing and shoes» by 1.0% and «Leisure and culture» by 0,3%. Also, the drop in the indices of the prices of «Health» by (-0,1%) and the stagnation of the indices of the other divisions did not affect the general evolution.

Over one year, the price index of food products increased by 8,3% in April 2022 compared to April 2021, under the effect of the rise which affected the prices of «Oils and fats» by 22,7%, of «Vegetables» by 21,4%, of «Bread and cereals» by 10,3%, of «Food products not elsewhere classified» by 9,8%, of «Meats» by 7,2%, of «Fish and seafood» by 5,6%, of «Milk, cheese and eggs» by 3,8%, of «Coffee, tea and cocoa» by 0,3%, of «Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery» of 0,2%, of «Mineral waters, refreshing drinks and fruit and vegetable juices» by 0,1%, of «Wines and fermented drinks» by 3,2% and of «Tobacco» by 4.4%

The annual variation in the index for non-food products also increased by 4,1%. While the

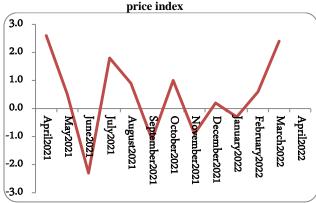
variation in the prices of the divisions that constitute the non-food products fluctuated between a decrease of (-0,6%) for «Communication» and an increase of 18,2% for «Transport».

### 1-Annual evolution (%) of the consumer price index for the month of April



Reading: In April 2022, the consumer price index increased by (+6,3%) compared to April 2021

#### 2- Evolution of the monthly variation (%) of the consumer



Reading: The level of price variation in April 2022 increased by (+3.6%) after being (+2.4%) in March 2022

Table 2: Consumer price index of the city of Al Hoceima: April2022 (base 2017: 100)

		Monthly index						Variation (%)			
Products divisions	Weightings	April	January	February	March	April					
		2021	2022	2022	2022	2022	Month	3Months	12Months		
Food products	49,716	105.5	103.3	104.2	108.3	114.3	5.5	10.6	8.3		
01 – Food products and non-alcoholic beverages	48,371	104.9	102.5	103.4	107.7	113.8	5.7	11.0	8.5		
02 - Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1,345	126.0	131.2	131.3	131.3	131.3	0.0	0.1	4.2		
Non food products	50,284	103.2	104.5	105.0	105.7	107.4	1.6	2.8	4.1		
03 – Clothing and shoes	5,155	108.7	109.9	109.7	109.6	110.7	1.0	0.7	1.8		
04 - Housing, water, electricity and other fuels	11,732	99.8	99.9	99.9	101.2	101.2	0.0	1.3	1.4		
05 - Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home	3,094	101.7	103.3	103.6	104.0	105.6	1.5	2.2	3.8		
06 - Health	6,413	101.2	101.0	101.0	101.0	100.9	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3		
07 - Transport	7,704	108.4	113.8	116.6	119.4	128.1	7.3	12.6	18.2		
08 - Communication	2,892	101.6	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	0.0	0.0	-0.6		
09 – Leisure and culture	1,933	94.4	95.2	95.2	95.7	96.0	0.3	0.8	1.7		
10 - Education	3,842	109.4	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	0.0	0.0	1.5		
11 - Restaurants and hotels	2,258	100.8	102.7	103.1	103.1	103.1	0.0	0.4	2.3		
12 - Various goods and services	5,261	101.7	102.2	102.4	102.5	103.8	1.3	1.6	2.1		
General index	100,0	104.3	103.9	104.5	107.0	110.9	3.6	6.7	6.3		

In April 2022, the consumer price index for households in the city of Tangier increased by 1.9% compared to the previous month. On an annual basis, the consumer price index increased by 6.2%.

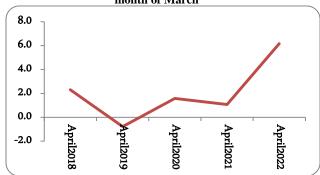
**Over one month,** the food product price index increased by 3,2% in April 2022 compared to March 2022, due to the rise in the prices of «Fruits» by 15,0%, of «Oils and fats» by 5,8%, of «Fish and seafood» by 5,2%, of «Vegetables» by 2,8%, of «Meats» by 2,3%, of «Bread and cereals» by 0,7%, of «Mineral waters, refreshing drinks and fruit and vegetable juices» by 0,6%, of «Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery» by 0,5% and of «Coffee, tea and cocoa» by 0,3%.

The monthly variation in the index of non-food products also increased by 1,2%. This increase is due to the rise in the prices of the following divisions: «Transport» by 4,8%, «Clothing and shoes» by 4,0%, «Housing, water, electricity and other fuels» and «Various goods and services» by 0,2%, and «Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home» by 0,1%. Also, the drop in the indices of the prices of «Leisure and culture» by (-0,4%) and of «Health» by (-0,1%), and the stagnation of the indices of the other divisions did not affect the general evolution.

Over one year, the price index of food products increased by 9,7% in April 2022 compared to April 2021, under the effect of the rise which affected the prices of «Oils and fats» by 23,1%, of «Vegetables» by 21,0%, of «Fish and seafood» by 14,6%, of «Meats» by 9,9%, of «Bread and cereals» by 9,3%, of «Coffee, tea and cocoa» by 5,7%, of «Milk, cheese and eggs» by 3,3%, of «Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery» of 2,9%, of «Mineral waters, refreshing drinks and fruit and vegetable juices» by 1,6%, of «Food products not elsewhere classified» by 1,0%, of «Beer» by 3,7% and of «Tobacco» by 3,4%.

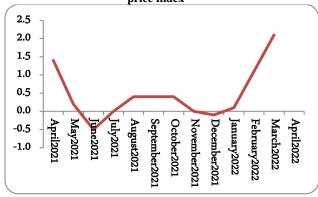
The annual variation in the index for non-food products also increased by 4,0%, While the increase in the prices of the divisions that constitute the non-food products fluctuated between a a decrease of (-0,5%) for «Leisure and culture» and an increase of 14,1% for «Transport».

## 3-Annual evolution (%) of the consumer price index for the month of March



<u>Reading:</u> In April 2022, the consumer price index increased by (+6,2%) compared to April 2021

### 4- Evolution of the monthly variation (%) of the consumer price index



Reading: The level of price variation in April 2022 increased by (+1,9%) after being (+2,1%) in March 2022

Table 3: Consumer price index of the city of Tangier: April2022 (base 2017: 100)

		Monthly index					Variation (%)		
Products divisions	Weightings	April	January	February	March	n April	Month	3Months	12Months
		2021	2022	2022	2022	2022		Civionens	
Food products	36,115	104.8	104.4	106.7	111.4	114.9	3.2	10.1	9.7
01 - Food products and non-alcoholic beverages	34,708	103.9	103.3	105.7	110.6	114.3	3.3	10.6	10.0
02 - Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1,407	126.1	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	0.0	0.0	3.3
Non food products	63,885	103.4	105.0	105.6	106.3	107.6	1.2	2.4	4.0
03 – Clothing and shoes	6,449	99.9	101.9	101.9	102.0	106.1	4.0	4.1	6.2
04 - Housing, water, electricity and other fuels	16,656	102.6	103.9	104.0	104.1	104.3	0.2	0.4	1.7
05 - Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home	4,100	100.2	103.0	104.3	104.4	104.5	0.1	1.5	4.3
06 – Health	8,218	108.8	109.2	109.2	109.4	109.3	-0.1	0.1	0.5
07 – Transport	9,751	103.8	107.2	109.0	113.0	118.4	4.8	10.4	14.1
08 - Communication	3,199	103.0	103.1	104.6	105.0	105.0	0.0	1.8	1.9
09 – Leisure and culture	2,350	99.0	98.8	99.5	98.9	98.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.5
10 - Education	5,047	103.4	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	0.0	0.0	0.3
11 - Restaurants and hotels	1,280	103.6	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	0.0	0.0	4.1
12 - Various goods and services	6,835	105.5	107.2	107.9	108.3	108.5	0.2	1.2	2.8
General index	100,0	103.9	104.8	106.0	108.2	110.3	1.9	5.2	6.2

In April 2022, the consumer price index for households in the city of Tetouan increased by 1,5% compared to the previous month. On an annual basis, the consumer price index increased by 5,8%.

**Over one month,** the food product price index increased by 2,7% in April 2022 compared to March 2022, due to the rise in the prices of «Fish and seafood» by 17,8%, of «Fruits» by 13,0%, of «Meats» by 2,1%, of «Oils and fats» by 1,8%, of «Food products not elsewhere classified» by 0,4% and of «Bread and cereals» by 0,1%.

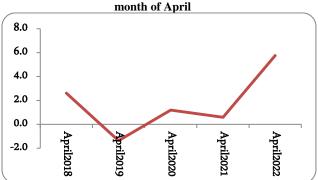
The monthly variation in the index of non-food products also increased by 0,6%. This increase is due to the rise in the prices of the following divisions: «Transport» by 2,4%, «Clothing and shoes» by 2,3%, «Leisure and culture» and «Various goods and services» by 0,5%, and «Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home» by 0,1%. Also, the drop in the indices of the prices of «Health» by (-0,1%) and the stagnation of the indices of the other divisions did not affect the general evolution.

Over one year, the price index of food products increased by 8,4% in April 2022 compared to April 2021, under the effect of the rise which affected the prices of «Oils and fats» by 17,5%, of «Vegetables» by 15,5%, of «Bread and cereals» by 13,6%, of «Fish and seafood» by 13,4%, of «Meats» by 9,0%, of «Food products not elsewhere classified» by 7,3%, of «Coffee, tea and cocoa» by 7,0%, of «Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery» by 2,3%, of «Milk, cheese and eggs» by 1,9%, of «Mineral waters, refreshing drinks and fruit and vegetable juices» by 0,2% and of «Tobacco» by 3,4%.

The annual variation in the index for non-food products also increased by 3,9%. While the variation in the prices of the non-food products

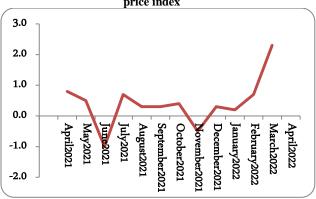
divisions fluctuated between a decrease of (-0,3%) for «Health» and an increase of 18,3% for «Transport».

#### 5-Annual evolution (%) of the consumer price index for the



Reading: In April 2022, the consumer price index increased by (+5,8%) compared to April 2021

### 6- Evolution of the monthly variation (%) of the consumer price index



<u>Reading:</u> The level of price variation in March 2022 increased by (+1,5%) after being (+2,3%) in March 2022

Table 4: Consumer price index for the city of Tetouan: April2022 (2017 base:100)

		Monthly index					Variation (%)		
<b>Products divisions</b>	Weightings	April	January	February	March	April	Month	3Months	12Months
		2021	2022	2022	2022	2022			
Food products	40,725	103.6	104.2	105.4	109.4	112.3	2.7	7.8	8.4
01 - Food products and non-alcoholic beverages	38,964	102.6	103.0	104.2	108.4	111.5	2.9	8.3	8.7
02 - Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1,761	126.5	130.8	130.8	130.8	130.8	0.0	0.0	3.4
Non food products	59,275	101.6	103.2	103.7	104.9	105.5	0.6	2.2	3.9
03 – Clothing and shoes	5,835	100.4	101.3	102.0	102.3	104.7	2.3	3.4	4.3
04 - Housing, water, electricity and other fuels	14,202	101.4	101.9	101.9	102.1	102.1	0.0	0.2	0.7
05 - Furniture, household items and routine maintenance of the home	5,602	97.1	100.5	101.6	102.1	102.2	0.1	1.7	5.3
06 - Health	6,594	100.7	100.4	100.4	100.5	100.4	-0.1	0.0	-0.3
07 - Transport	7,416	103.5	109.1	111.4	119.5	122.4	2.4	12.2	18.3
08 - Communication	2,560	98.1	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	0.0	0.0	0.7
09 – Leisure and culture	2,432	95.9	97.9	98.1	98.0	98.5	0.5	0.6	2.7
10 - Education	5,358	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
11 - Restaurants and hotels	2,468	100.0	102.9	102.2	102.2	102.2	0.0	-0.7	2.2
12 - Various goods and services	6,808	104.5	106.7	106.7	107.1	107.6	0.5	0.8	3.0
General index	100,0	102.4	103.6	104.3	106.7	108.3	1.5	4.5	5.8