



**Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics
(PCBS)**

**Increase in the Consumer Price Index
CPI during September, 09/2021**

The overall CPI for Palestine during September 2021 **Recorded an increase by 0.43%** compared with August 2021 (by 0.53% in the West Bank**, by 0.47% in Jerusalem J1*, and by 0.12% in Gaza Strip).

The changes in Palestinian CPI for September 2021 were traced back to changes in prices of the following expenditure sub groups compared with previous month:

Sub Groups	Percent Change
Eggs	+ 17.61%
Fresh Vegetables	+ 9.48%
Fresh Chicken	+ 4.04%
Dried Vegetables	+ 2.70%
Potatoes and other Tubers	- 2.39%
Fresh Meat	- 1.10%
Fresh Fruit	- 0.96%

The Palestinian CPI during September 2021 increased by 1.72% compared with September 2020 (by 2.60% in Jerusalem J1*, by 1.72% in the West Bank**, and by 1.18% in Gaza Strip).

Notice for Users:

- Due to COVID-19 pandemic and inability to conduct face-to-face interview, data for Consumer Price Index has been collected using mobile phones, in all of the Palestinian Governorates' interviews.

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.

Please note that the press release in English is brief compared to the Arabic version

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