



## Average Prices of Goods and Services

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## Introduction:

As part of its efforts to draw a clear picture of what is going on in the Kingdom's markets, the General Authority for Statistics has constructed several indicators through which the movements of prices of goods and services and the changes that may occur from time to time in the retail market (Consumer Price Index) as well as wholesale prices (Wholesale Price Index) according to a methodology specific to each.

Since the prices collected for the goods and services included in the creation of the Indices of consumer price index and wholesale prices are carried out according to the regulations of their own methodology, including the way in which the basket of goods and services as well as commodity specifications are determined, the need to work to follow the movement of prices of goods and services in the markets according to A different statistical approach and methodology that is flexible and inclusive in the name of "average prices in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia" in response to the need of a large number of beneficiaries who want to obtain prices of some goods directly without using these prices to calculate other indicators except change ratios from period to period.

## First: Definitionally Data

### Definition:

Average prices are defined as a statistical metric of the changes in any term prices with classifications of fixed and specific period.

### Description:

An indicator that measures the movements of the prices of goods and services in the markets according to a statistical methodology that follows special regulations and restrictions that are comprehensive, flexible and quality by calculating average prices, monthly, quarterly and annual changes at the city level and at the Kingdom's level. As well as the most significant monthly relative changes.

### Related Terms and Definitions:

#### Goods and Services:

Most consumed goods and services by household consumer for living purposes.

#### Point of Sale:

Establishments or units from which the price data of goods and services included in the basket of goods are collected, such as retail stores such as grocery stores and clothing stores, as well as various consumer services such as physicians, tailoring, car maintenance, apartments and hotels, Head) and other service shops.

#### Average Prices:

The sum of the product's total price divided by the number of pricing.

#### Constructional Goods:

Main goods that are related to the construction of housing and government contracts (Iron, Cables, etc.).

#### Continuity:

To guarantee the continuity of practicing the activity for a long period of time.

#### Frequency:

Purchasing movement in the sale point.

#### Rate Change:

The rate of change between an existing period and a previous period.

## Objectives:

The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's average price program aims at the publication of the prices of retail goods and services and their changes from time to time, concerning a list of goods and services of interest to the consumer, where their specifications are determined accurately to calculate their average prices within every sole city and at the level of the Kingdom as a whole.

## Periodic Publication:

The results of average prices of goods and services are published monthly.

## Data Source:

Data are collected from retail sources, factories, suppliers and service delivery stores.

## Coverage:

### Spatial Coverage

The survey of price averages covers all 13 regions of the Kingdom, where price data are collected from sixteen major cities representing thirteen cities, including the administrative regions (Riyadh, Makkah, Madinah, Buraydah, Dammam, Abha, Tabuk, Hail, Arar, Jazan, Najran, Baha, and Sakaka) as well as three other cities (Jeddah, Taif, Hofuf).

### Time Coverage:

Most goods and services basket items are collected monthly according to a specific pricing plan.

## Used Classification Methodology:

Special classification appropriate to the nature of the program and includes a list of the basket of goods and services that meet the interests and needs of beneficiaries, according to the following classification:

Classification of Goods by Use of Material	Group	No. Items
Goods of Final Consumption	Food Goods	88
	Non-Food Goods	15
	Service Goods	13
Intermediate Consumption Goods	Feed and Livestock	8
	Construction	37
Total		161



## Goods and Services Basket:

The basket of goods and services was selected based on the relative importance of the consumer and the requests of the beneficiaries, after reviewing the availability of those items with fixed specifications in all the research areas.

## Main Results and Indicators:

- 1) Average prices and monthly, quarterly and annual changes for all cities.
- 2) Average monthly prices of cities.
- 3) Quarterly, semi-annual and annual average prices for all cities.
- 4) Monthly price averages for all cities.
- 5) Highlights of monthly relative changes.
- 6) Average prices of some construction materials for all cities during the year.

## Beneficiaries:

1. Departments that are concerned with statistical analysis and reports in the Authority.
2. Regional and international organizations.
3. Academic researchers and investors.
4. Number of other beneficiaries (internal and external).

## Benefits:

Data of the average prices of goods and services are a statistical means of:

1. Supports the implementation of some appropriate economic decisions by the official authorities through monitoring the movements of average prices of goods and services and its components.
2. Supporting researchers and investors by knowing the average prices of goods and services in the Kingdom.
3. Measuring changes in prices of goods and services that the consumer buys from time to time.
4. It can be relied upon in the economic and statistical analyzes of price movements and future forecasts during different periods of time.
5. Data on average goods and services prices help estimate contractors' compensation in government contracts.

## Second: Survey Methodology

### Research Requirements:

To determine their requirements and needs, the survey should be conducted in consultation with the clients benefiting from the results of average prices of goods and services. This communication continues to ensure that the needs of the beneficiaries are met during the development processes of the survey.



## Designing the Survey Form:

In the first beginnings of creating the survey in (2009), a paper form was designed to collect data from points of sale. The design was formed to refer to geographical indications to reach points of sale such as:(shop number, shop name, city, neighborhood, alley number, sector number, block number, street, location, and coordinates).

The form also includes a description of the item or service to be monitored for its price, specifications and changes, such as: (item code, item name, specifications, unit, price, analysis code and field notes).

In the year 2016, the form was applied electronically to the collection of data through electronic devices. The electronic form included additional data added to the original data included in the paper form, such as: (activation of the coordination feature, increasing the quality and reliability of prices, data is collected through tablets technology).

## The Frame:

The general framework of the establishments census was based on the selection of the sample based on the consumer price index sample, in addition to the construction goods.

## The Sample:

The basket of goods and services was selected based on their importance to the family, the construction goods were selected as the main goods in the construction of the house for the family and government contracts. While the points of sale from which prices of different goods and services were collected were based on:

1. Use the framework of the enumeration of enterprises.
2. Several factors are available at the selected point of sale such as (permanence, frequency).
3. Consider the spread of points of sale at the city level in all directions.
4. Considering the diversity of point of sale (hypermarket, supermarket, catering, specialized shop, shop).

## Sampling Unit:

The sampling units in the survey of price averages are:

1. Consumer goods obtained by the individual from points of sale at the retail price or factories and suppliers.
2. The service received by the individual from points of service delivery at retail price.

## Collecting Data:

The method of data collection was determined according to several controls and criteria as follows:

1. Commitment to the approved pricing method with the specifications guide for each item in the survey.
2. Adopt the method of collecting price data from point of sale personally by interviewing.
3. Data collection using tablets instead of writings for more efficiency.
4. Approve the price of the day of visit to the point of sale according to the approved pricing plan for the item.
5. Commitment to the standard specified for each item.

### **Data Collection Tools:**

Researchers in the field collect data from tablet devices equipped with technical support programs.

### **Upload and Archive Data and Metadata Collected on Databases:**

In the field, the researcher performs the direct input of the data collected using the handheld devices in all the research cities.

- Tablets are linked to a central database where processing is automated.
- Using researchers for the synchronization feature available on tablets, data collected directly on the databases are loaded.

### **Auditing Data and Assuring Its Quality:**

Auditing data and assuring its quality can be done by:

1. Making sure of prices and data comprehension and logicality.
2. Revising all prices and editing them if needed (all over the city and all over Saudi Arabia)
3. Checking the revision reports and editing them if needed.
4. Using technology to revise the other elements of data quality (autocorrecting rules, coordinates...etc.) so that the pricing plan can be implemented quickly.
5. Constant follow up by the program supervisor and the regions supervisors.
6. Applying a re-visiting form by (the supervisor or quality observer). The form would ask for another visit to the sale point, from which data are collected, just to make sure that all data are correct and accurate.
7. Comparing the randomly chosen commodity prices.
8. Applying commodity Concealment processors and resources change.

### **Follow-up with Data Collectors:**

Data collection is subject to automatic follow-up by connecting and synchronizing the supervisor's desktop software with the tablets used by the researcher to alert them to the presence of observations or errors about the data entered into the system. The team of specialists in the central administration and branches and offices of the



Authority have frequent periodic visits to each city of research according to a specific time schedule, and the quality sample is automatically withdrawn at the level of the city and researcher and alerting researchers to the existence of any observations or errors about the data entered into the system.

### Follow-up of Data Providers:

Survey supervisors in various regions of the Kingdom periodically conduct several visits and communications to several data providers to verify the validity of the data collected and the way the interviewer interviewed the data provider.

### Equations used and calculation process:

The average price of goods and services is calculated on an arithmetic basis.

The rate of change in prices of goods and services is calculated as follows:

Change rate = (average of current period - average of previous period) / average of previous period × 100.

### Downloading the Output of Databases:

All data outputs resulting from the calculations are loaded and saved to editable databases.

### Review and Process Outputs:

The Department reviews and processes the data through an automated audit system and correction rules developed to detect errors and irregular numbers.

### Data Confidentiality:

Commitment to data confidentiality and use them for statistical purposes of the General Authority for Statistics only.

### Publishing:

Data are published according to the following methodology:

1. Publishing the commodity and services average price results monthly.
2. Publishing them on specified and announced dates on the authority official website.
3. The authority official website [www.stats.gov.sa](http://www.stats.gov.sa) is a certified and official publishing platform.
4. Providing all kinds of beneficiaries with the results using the appropriate mechanism.

### Evaluation and Data Quality:

To ensure the highest accuracy in the data, it is necessary to follow the progress of work in all stages of the office and field and to ensure the complete collection of data according to the specific specifications and periodicity of each of the items included in the program. The main lines for the application of quality are as follows:

- Preparation of various software to examine the data and ensure accuracy, and development continuously.
- Use tablet pricing devices and set up special programs linked to POS sites to ensure that the researcher arrives at the desired site and adheres to the pricing timing as well.
- A team of specialists in the central administration and branches and offices of the Authority to conduct frequent periodic visits to each city of research according to a specific time schedule so that the quality sample is drawn automatically and deliberately at the level of the city and researcher.
- Evaluate work periodically.
- Monitoring and studying the remarks and suggestions received from the beneficiaries of the results to improve the quality of the data in the future.



## Movements of average prices of goods and services (Tables)

متوسطات الأسعار والتغيرات الشهرية والربعية والسنوية لجميع المدن (شهر مارس ٢٠١٩)  
Average prices monthly, quarterly and annual changes for All cities (March 2019)

جدول ١-١

Table 1-1

Item	Unit	متوسطات الأسعار Average Prices				نسبة التغير من مارس ٢٠١٩ إلى present change for MAR 2019 to				الوحدة	البند		
		مارس MAR 2019	فبراير FEB 2019	ديسمبر DEC 2018	مارس MAR 2018	فبراير FEB 2019	ديسمبر DEC 2018	مارس MAR 2019	ديسمبر DEC 2018				
<b>First:Goods of final Consumption</b>										<b>أولاً : سلع الاستهلاك النهائي</b>			
<b>Food commodities</b>										<b>السلع الغذائية</b>			
Wheat flour, local, brown(Grain Silos)	1kg	2.45	2.44	2.48	2.4	0.04	-1.57	1.88	ج.م	ج.م	دقيق محلي أحمر(صوامع القالب)		
Wheat flour, local,white(Grain Silos)	2kg	3.8	3.81	3.81	3.72	-0.26	-0.24	1.99	ج.م	ج.م	دقيق محلي أبيض(صوامع القالب)		
Rice, Basmati, White Indian (Al Mehideb)	10kg	83.53	83.09	82.84	83.41	0.53	0.84	0.15	ج.م	ج.م	أرز سمبتي أبيض هندي(المهيدب)		
Rice, Maza Indian (Abu Kas)	10kg	69.35	69.95	68.95	67.72	-0.87	0.58	2.41	ج.م	ج.م	أرز مزة هندي (أبو كاس)		
Sheariya, Perfetto	250gm	4.66	4.68	4.62	4.62	-0.28	0.91	1	ج.م	ج.م	شعيروة بيرفكتو		
Macaroni, Perfetto, Local	500gm	4.72	4.72	4.66	4.72	0.13	1.31	0.13	ج.م	ج.م	مكرونة بيرفكتو محلي		
Soup of Oats, canned (Quaker)	500gm	8.49	8.43	8.45	8.78	0.66	0.47	-3.35	ج.م	ج.م	شورة على شوفان		
Bread, white	4loaves	1.04	1.04	1.03	1.03	0	0.39	0.19	ج.م	ج.م	خبز أبيض مفروم		
Cattle Meat, fresh	1kg	37.82	37.68	37.7	38.09	0.37	0.34	-0.7	ج.م	ج.م	لحم بقر طازج		
Sheep Meat, fresh	1kg	48.25	48.26	48.08	47.03	-0.01	0.37	2.61	ج.م	ج.م	لحم خان طازج		
Camel Meat, fresh	1kg	39.38	39.5	38.85	38.4	-0.31	1.36	2.54	ج.م	ج.م	لحم حمل طازج		
Sheep Meat, cooled imported	1kg	37.59	37.18	36.95	38.64	1.11	1.74	-2.71	ج.م	ج.م	لحم خان مبرد مستورد		
Chicken, fresh, local (Faqih)	900gm	13.33	13.34	13.28	13.04	-0.1	0.32	2.17	ج.م	ج.م	دجاج طازج محلي(فقىه)		
Chicken, frozen, local (Al wataniya)	900gm	12.14	12.11	12.04	11.66	0.26	0.77	4.11	ج.م	ج.م	دجاج محمد محلى(وطيب)		
Chicken, frozen imported (Doux)	900gm	12.75	12.6	12.64	11.33	1.13	0.81	12.49	ج.م	ج.م	دجاج محمد مستورد(دو)		
Fish, fresh, (Kanaad)	1kg	55.41	55.28	55.07	54.84	0.24	0.62	1.04	ج.م	ج.م	سمك طازج خفيف		
Fish, fresh, (Hamour)	1kg	44.86	45.36	44.98	44.28	-1.1	-0.28	1.29	ج.م	ج.م	سمك طازج هامور		
Shrimp, peeled, fresh	1kg	76.67	77.15	76.04	77.42	-0.62	0.83	-0.96	ج.م	ج.م	روبيان طازج مفشر		
Milk, fresh, local (Al Maraai)	1L	4.53	4.53	4.53	4.18	0	0	8.33	لتر	لتر	حليب طازج محلى(الم Araai)		
Milk, Liquid, Canned (Boni)	170gm	2.7	2.67	2.66	2.74	1.2	1.39	-1.57	ج.م	ج.م	حليب سائل معلب(بونى)		
Milk, Powder, canned (Nido)	1.8kg	57.03	57.52	57.15	58.68	-0.85	-0.2	-2.81	ج.م	ج.م	حليب بودرة معلب(نيدو)		
)Milk, Newborn Babies (Similac 1)	400 gm	30.19	30.21	30.12	30.08	-0.07	0.24	0.37	ج.م	ج.م	حليب أطفال حديثي الولادة(سميلاك ١)		
Milk, fresh, local (Al Saffi)	1.5L	5.39	5.37	5.37	5.22	0.28	0.37	3.34	لتر	لتر	لبن طازج محلى(الصافى)		
Yoghurt, (Al Saffi)	170gm	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	0	0.19	-0.29	ج.م	ج.م	لبن زبادي - روب(الصافى)		
Cream, (Al Tag)	155 gm	4.69	4.69	4.69	4.57	0.02	0.06	2.76	ج.م	ج.م	قشطة الناج		
Cheese, Canned, Schieder Kraft	106 gm	5.18	5.17	5.22	5.09	0.06	-0.73	1.69	ج.م	ج.م	جبنة شيدر علب(كريفت)		
Cheese, Cupped, Local (Al Marrai)	500 gm	15.1	15.03	15.43	15.49	0.52	-2.14	-2.48	ج.م	ج.م	جبنة كاسات محلى(الم Araui)		
Cheese, Cupped imported, (Kraft)	140gm	6.25	6.26	6.26	6.23	-0.27	-0.18	0.26	ج.م	ج.م	جبنة كاسات مستورد(كريفت)		
Cheese, triangles (Lavache qur)	Pack	3.91	3.92	3.91	3.92	-0.28	-0.1	-0.36	ج.م	ج.م	جبنة مثلثات (لابتش كريفي)		
Eggs, local, medium	plate	14.81	15.01	15.42	13.32	-1.34	-3.94	11.19	ج.م	ج.م	بيض محلى		
Butter, Lurpak	100gm	5.18	5.2	5.02	5.03	-0.33	3.17	2.94	ج.م	ج.م	زبدة (لورباتك)		
Olive oil, imported (Al Wazir)	500ml	17.52	17.67	17.8	17.33	-0.83	-1.56	1.13	مل	مل	زيت زيتون مستورد(الوازير)		
Maize oil, (cooking), Afiya	1.8L	21.21	21.28	21.52	21.96	-0.36	-1.46	-3.43	لتر	لتر	زيت ذرة (لطهفي) عافية		
Vegetable oil, (frying) Al arabi	1.8L	15.3	15.31	15.36	15.1	-0.09	-0.44	1.29	لتر	لتر	زيت نباتي (القلبي) العربي		
Pumpkin	1kg	6.79	6.42	5.87	6.09	5.71	15.58	11.57	ج.م	ج.م	قرع عسلاني		
Cabbage, white	1kg	3.16	3.2	3.19	2.91	-1.31	-1.1	8.56	ج.م	ج.م	ملحوف أبيض		
Parsley	Bundle	0.97	0.97	1.01	0.99	0.52	-3.87	-1.52	ج.م	ج.م	بقدونس		
Spinach	Bundle	1.1	1.12	1.16	1.11	-1.52	-5.43	-0.81	ج.م	ج.م	سبخ		
Beans, green	1kg	10.11	10.07	10.89	10.8	0.45	-7.12	-6.38	ج.م	ج.م	فاصللا خضراء		
Tomatoes, local	1kg	4.7	4.55	5	4.66	3.41	-5.9	0.94	ج.م	ج.م	طماطم محلى		
Tomatoes, imported	1kg	4.96	4.8	5.33	4.77	3.31	-6.94	3.98	ج.م	ج.م	طماطم مستورد		
Garlic, Chinese	1kg	8.07	7.94	7.98	8.82	1.62	1.18	-8.44	ج.م	ج.م	ثوم صيني		
Okra, local	1kg	16.48	16.09	16.03	15.36	2.47	2.84	7.28	ج.م	ج.م	باقة محلى		



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Corchorus, local	Bundle	2.31	2.27	2.25	2.25	1.54	2.67	2.53	حرفة	ملوحة محلية	
Eggplants, black, local	1kg	4.26	4.26	4.59	4.55	-0.14	-7.26	-6.4	كجم	باذنجان أسود محلية	
Zucchini, local	1kg	5.37	5.21	5.72	5.04	2.99	-6.21	6.51	كجم	كوسة محلية	
Cucumbers, local	1kg	4.52	4.46	4.43	4.95	1.17	1.87	-8.77	كجم	خيار محلية	
Peppers, green, local	1kg	8	8	8.72	7.39	0.01	-8.25	8.28	كجم	فاصل أحمر ناد محلية	
Chili, green, local	1kg	8.99	9.05	9.28	8.48	-0.64	-3.08	6.04	كجم	فاصل أحمر حار محلية	
Lettuce, local	1kg	5.92	6.1	7.01	5.52	-3.05	-15.64	7.17	كجم	خس محلية	
WaterCress, local	Bundle	0.97	0.96	1	0.98	1.05	-3.88	-1.33	حزمة	جرجير محلية	
Onion, local	1kg	3.02	3.11	3.14	3.09	-2.61	-3.82	-2.23	كجم	بصل مدور مسْتُور	
Onion, imported	1kg	3.56	3.59	3.65	3.52	-0.97	-2.55	0.99	كجم	بصل مدور مستور	
Beans, Meddames (Hadaeq California)	Pack	3.75	3.76	3.72	3.67	-0.05	0.97	2.21	علبة	فول مدمس (حدائق كاليفورنيا)	
Tomatoes, Paste, local (Saudia)	135gm	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.52	-0.2	-0.13	0.33	135 جم	صلصة طماطم محلية (السعودية)	
Lentils	1kg	8.3	8.37	8.56	9.08	-0.85	-3.07	-8.6	كجم	عدس	
Potatoes, medium, local	1kg	3.48	3.59	3.8	3.14	-3.2	-8.43	10.77	كجم	بطاطس وسط محلية	
Carrots, local	1kg	4.41	4.38	4.74	4.64	0.59	-7.06	-4.96	كجم	جزر محلية	
Fig, local	1kg	14.49	14.36	15.28	19.26	0.93	-5.17	-24.77	كجم	تين محلية	
Plums	1kg	13.67	13.85	12.94	13.52	-1.31	5.59	1.05	كجم	برقوق / بحافر تركي	
Banana, Philippines Alsharbatli	1kg	5.07	4.96	5.05	5.77	2.2	0.42	-12.25	كجم	موز الشريطي الفلبيني	
Apples, red, American	1kg	7.38	7.5	7.51	7.51	-1.63	-1.82	-1.78	كجم	تفاح أحمر أمريكي	
Apples, Yellow	1kg	7.32	7.36	7.48	7.52	-0.56	-2.19	-2.74	كجم	تفاح أصفر	
Grapes, local	1kg	10.91	10.77	11.19	11.66	1.31	-2.55	-6.46	كجم	عناب محلية	
Grapes, Lebanese	1kg	13.2	13.52	13.11	13.69	-2.42	0.7	-3.57	كجم	عناب لبناني	
Orange, Abu Sorra Egyptian	1kg	4.3	4.13	4.9	4.42	4.11	-12.18	-2.63	كجم	برتقال أبو صرة مصرى	
Mandarin, Pakistani	1kg	5.57	5.44	6.15	5.63	2.3	-9.48	-1.08	كجم	دوسهمي باكستاني	
Watermelon, local	1kg	2.66	2.77	2.42	2.9	-4.15	9.74	-8.34	كجم	حبوب (قطن) محلية	
Melon, local	1kg	4.41	4.45	3.76	4.87	-0.83	17.42	-9.38	كجم	شمام محلية	
Pears, Medium, Lebanese	1kg	10.97	11.19	11.05	11.12	-1.9	-0.7	-1.36	كجم	كفرنيري وسط لبناني	
Dates, Rotab	1kg	12.8	12.94	12.91	13.11	-1.07	-0.8	-2.32	كجم	تمر (وطب)	
Peach, Lebanese	1kg	15.11	15	15.01	16.2	0.72	0.65	-6.76	كجم	خوخ لبناني	
Pomegranates, Indian	1kg	12.39	12.92	14.31	13.07	-4.1	-13.47	-5.22	كجم	رمان هندي	
Lemon, medium, Africa	1kg	6.87	6.74	6.99	7.13	2	-1.72	-3.67	كجم	ليمون وسط أفريقي	
Mango, Pakistani	1kg	13.14	13.05	12.76	12.95	0.68	3.02	1.51	كجم	منجا باكستاني	
Dates, (Maknoz) Khilas	1kg	14.89	14.73	14.43	14.75	1.05	3.15	0.94	كجم	تمر (مکنو) اخلاص	
Olives, black, Spanish	1kg	16.7	16.76	16.25	15.54	-0.32	2.82	7.49	كجم	زتون أسود إسباني	
Sugar, soft, Al Ossra	10kg	27.59	27.79	27.98	30.04	-0.71	-1.39	-8.16	كجم	سكر ناعم (الأسرة)	
Honey, imported (Langilis)	1kg	64.56	63.6	62.38	61.92	1.5	3.49	4.26	كجم	عسل نحل مستورد (الإنجليز)	
Tea, black, loose	1.2 kg	42.66	42.8	43.01	42.3	-0.33	-0.81	0.84	كجم	شاي أسود فرط (بيعم)	
Coffee beans, Hrari	1kg	36.34	36.42	36.25	36.53	-0.23	0.25	-0.53	كجم	بن حب - هراري	
Coffee beans, Loqmati	1kg	26.32	26.34	25.73	26.84	-0.05	2.32	-1.92	كجم	بن حب - لقماتي	
Coffee, instant, (Nescafé)	100gm	19.17	19.12	18.92	18.93	0.29	1.31	1.25	100 جم	قهوة سريعة التحضير ( Nescafé )	
Cardamom, American	1kg	110.76	109.33	102.84	95.23	1.3	7.7	16.3	كجم	هيل أمريكي	
Cardomom, Indian	1kg	112.63	116.68	109.48	102.28	-3.47	2.88	10.12	كجم	هيل هندي	
Soft Drinks	Pack	2.52	2.51	2.51	2.45	0.16	0.16	2.61	علبة	مشروبات غازية محلية	
Water, Healthy	1.5L	2.02	2.03	2.03	2	-0.54	-0.2	1.3	لتر	مياه صحية	
Juice, orange, canned local (Rani)	Pack	1.05	1.05	1.04	1.04	0.48	0.77	1.16	علبة	عصير برتقال محلى (رانى)	



Table 1-1

Item	Unit	متوسطات الأسعار Average Prices				نسبة التغير من مارس ٢٠١٩ إلى present change for MAR 2019 to				الوحدة	البند
		مارس MAR 2019	فبراير FEB 2019	ديسمبر DEC 2018	مارس MAR 2018	فبراير FEB 2019	ديسمبر DEC 2018	مارس MAR 2018	فبراير FEB 2019		
<b>السلع غير الغذائية</b>											
Cigarettes, Marlboro	Pack	25.07	25.07	25.14	25.08	0	-0.27	-0.05	عليه	سجائر مارلboro	
Men summer dress (Al Aseel)	thope	82.77	83.65	82.94	82.04	-1.05	-0.2	0.9	ثوب	ثوب صيفي رجالى(الأصل)	
Shemagh, (Al Bassam)	shemagh	109.64	109.18	108.95	107.59	0.42	0.63	1.9	شمعان	شماع(البسام)	
Egal, Syrian	Egal	27.1	27.55	26.91	27.25	-1.65	0.7	-0.57	عقال	عقال سوري	
Shirt, internal, half sleeve (Al Aseel)	shirt	11.48	11.45	11.62	11.49	0.34	-1.2	-0.01	فانلة داخلية نصف كم(الأصل)	فانلة داخلية نصف كم(الأصل)	
Men's long trousers, (Al Aseel)	trousers	16.38	16.37	16.48	16.57	0.05	-0.61	-1.12	سروال	سروال طويل رجالى(الأصل)	
Women's Mantle National	abayah	104.58	104.22	105.78	103.65	0.35	-1.13	0.9	عباءة	عباءة نسائية	
Headdress, National	veil	23.86	24.17	23.86	24.19	-1.29	0.01	-1.37	شبطة	شبطة (طربة)	
Coal, local	1kg	7.3	7.34	7.29	7.35	-0.63	0.08	-0.72	كجم	فحم	
Soap, powder for clothes (Tide)	110 gm	1.54	1.55	1.55	1.57	-0.45	-0.84	-1.6	110 جم	صابون بودرة للملابس(تيد)	
Soap, liquid for utensils (Fairy)	1L	12.98	12.73	12.66	12.25	1.96	2.52	5.95	1 اتر	صابون سائل للأواني(فيري)	
Bleach for Clothes (Clorox)	Gallon	16.25	16.3	15.9	15.5	-0.31	2.2	4.83	غالون	دواء غسيل (ميض ملايس) كلوركس	
Tissue paper, local (Fine)	Pack	2.78	2.68	2.63	2.61	3.43	5.59	6.53	علبة	مناديل ورق محلب(فابن)	
Children diaper, local (Pampers)	Size 5	59.03	59.32	58.04	57.57	-0.49	1.71	2.54	0 عمود	حفاضات أطفال حمليه(پامبرز)	
Insecticide, spray (Reid)	Packag	9.56	9.71	9.89	9.9	-1.5	-3.34	-3.44	عبوة	مبيد حشرات بخاخ(ريد)	
<b>الخدمات</b>											
Laundry's expenses of cleaning and ironing clothes	Service	3.44	3.43	3.44	3.39	0.15	-0.2	1.36	خدمة	نفقات تنظيف وكوكي الملابس بالمعسلة	
Sewing for men and boys	Garment	85.59	84.9	84.67	84.66	0.82	1.09	1.11	تفصيل ثوب	خياطة للرجال والأولاد	
Sewing for women and girls	Garment	56.6	55.45	55.95	54.45	2.07	1.16	3.95	تفصيل ثوب	خياطة للنساء والبنات	
Revealed a general practitioner	Visit	47.3	47.52	47.64	46.62	-0.47	-0.73	1.47	زيارة	كشف طبيب عام	
Revealed a dentist	Visit	157.63	153.91	148.79	148.28	2.42	5.94	6.31	زيارة	كشف طبيب اسنان	
Detection pediatrician	Visit	66.18	65.62	66.43	65.09	0.85	-0.38	1.67	زيارة	كشف طبيب اطفال	
Fix a car (mechanics)	Repair Cost	90.5	90.59	91.47	91.6	-0.1	-1.06	-1.2	اجرة اصلاح	اطفال سارة (ميكانيكا)	
Oil change	Cost	79.92	79.72	79.98	78.9	0.25	-0.07	1.29	تكلفة	تغبر زيت	
The expenses of parties and weddings	Cost	13073.61	13365.97	13276.39	13804.17	-2.19	-1.53	-5.29	تكلفة	نفقات الحفلات والافراح	
The cost of cooking the sacrificial	Cost	245.66	245.82	241.57	239.49	-0.06	1.7	2.58	تكلفة	تكلفة طبخ الذبيحة	
Furnished apartment	Cost	221.03	216.84	220.91	219.07	1.93	0.05	0.89	تكلفة	نفقة مفروشه	
Hotel accommodation	One-Room Fees	423.69	436.13	441.53	454.37	-2.85	-4.04	-6.75	اجرة غرفة واحده	اقامة بالفنادق	
Hairdresser for men and boys	Hairdresse Fees	15.26	15.15	15.05	14.9	0.67	1.36	2.4	اجرة حلقة	حلاله للرجال والأولاد	
<b>ثانياً : سلع الاستهلاك الوسيط</b>											
<b>الأغذية والحيوانات الحية</b>											
<b>Feed and livestock</b>											
Barley, imported	50kg	40.7	40.7	40.77	40.8	0	-0.18	-0.25	كيسين ٥٠ كجم	شعير مستورد	
Sheep, Najdi	1shep	1129.49	1112.08	1108.08	1047.95	1.57	1.93	7.78	خرف	غنم نجدي	
Sheep, Naemi	1shep	1123.67	1111.68	1085.05	1005.51	1.08	3.56	11.75	خرف	غنم نعيمي	
Sheep, Barbari	1shep	441	438.75	431.13	425.68	0.51	2.29	3.6	خرف	غنم ببرى	
Sheep, Soakny	1shep	742.5	736.14	714.43	733.86	0.86	3.93	1.18	خرف	غنم سواكنى	
Sheep, Bohooves	1shep	1028.28	1013.97	971.9	964.31	1.41	5.8	6.63	خرف	غنم دري	
Billy goat	shep1	716.43	712.14	700.98	675.71	0.6	2.2	6.03	تبس	تبس بليدى (جدع)	
<b>السلع الأنشائية</b>											
Reinforcing iron, 6mm national	Ton	3261.26	3230.73	3208.75	3240.27	0.95	1.64	0.65	طن	ديد تسليج ٦مم وطني	
Reinforcing iron, 8mm national	Ton	2819.44	2574.91	2519.91	2651.59	9.5	11.89	6.33	طن	ديد تسليج ٨مم وطني	
Reinforcing iron, 10mm national	Ton	2826.23	2584.81	2532.79	2646.16	9.34	11.59	6.81	طن	ديد تسليج ١٠مم وطني	
Reinforcing iron, 12mm national	Ton	2476.06	2308.81	2226.92	2350.83	7.24	11.19	5.33	طن	ديد تسليج ١٢مم وطني	
Reinforcing iron, 14mm national	Ton	2476.4	2309.12	2227.61	2350.74	7.24	11.17	5.35	طن	ديد تسليج ١٤مم وطني	



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Reinforcing iron, 16mm national	Ton	2475.91	2308.67	2226.92	2350.74	7.24	11.18	5.32	طن	حدب تسليح ٦ امم وطني	
Reinforcing iron, 18mm national	Ton	2476.12	2312.89	2226.38	2350.37	7.06	11.22	5.35	طن	حدب تسليح ٨ امم وطني	
Iron-binding cables Chinese	10Kg	43.48	43.19	42.97	41.85	0.66	1.18	3.88	كجم ١٠	كيابيل ربط الحديد صيني	
Cement, black, National	50kg	13.23	13.21	12.7	13.03	0.16	4.16	1.56	كيس ٥ كجم	إسمنت أسود وطني	
Cement, white, National	50kg	38.58	38.74	38.67	38.8	-0.39	-0.22	-0.56	كيس ٥ كجم	إسمنت أبيض وطني	
Block, black, 15cm	1000Blocks	1393.4	1364.97	1364.21	1429.02	2.08	2.14	-2.49	بلكه ١٠٠٠ متر مربع	بلاوك اسود مقاس ١٥ سم	
Block, black, 20cm	1000Blocks	1452.13	1426.28	1425.72	1495.95	1.81	1.85	-2.93	بلكه ١٠٠٠ متر مربع	بلاوك اسود مقاس ٢٠ سم	
Marble tiles, National	2m	21.26	21.28	21.28	21.5	-0.1	-0.08	-1.13	متر مربع	بلاط كسر رخام بلدي	
Wood, Chilian	3m	1002.12	995.68	1003.27	1003.5	0.65	-0.11	-0.14	متر مربع	خشب تشيلي	
Wood, Romanian	3m	1004.2	1014.86	1002.52	1011.69	-1.05	0.17	-0.74	متر مربع	خشب روماني	
Wood, Teak, African	3m	4470	4503.07	4537.91	4514.76	-0.73	-1.5	-0.99	متر مربع	خشب تيك أفريقاني	
Wood, Ablakash Indonesian	3m	2406.36	2401.57	2383.99	2401.64	0.2	0.94	0.2	متر مربع	خشب أبلakash إندونيسي	
Electrical wires, 2.5mm national	m	0.74	0.74	0.75	0.76	0.13	-0.27	-2.36	متر	أسلاك كهربائية ٢.٥مم وطني	
Electrical wires, 4mm national	m	1.1	1.09	1.1	1.12	0.83	-0.18	-2.23	متر	أسلاك كهربائية ٤مم وطني	
Electrical wires, 6mm national	m	1.7	1.7	1.71	1.73	0.18	-0.18	-1.62	متر	أسلاك كهربائية ٦مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 10mm national	m	13.25	13.08	13.18	13.41	1.29	0.52	-1.14	متر	كابل كهربائية ١٠مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 25mm national	m	29.15	28.97	29.33	29.75	0.65	-0.59	-2	متر	كابل كهربائية ٢٥مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 35mm national	m	37.66	37.15	37.6	37.98	1.38	0.16	-0.83	متر	كابل كهربائية ٣٥مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 50mm national	m	51.39	50.77	51.39	52.49	1.22	-0.01	-2.11	متر	كابل كهربائية ٥٠مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 70mm national	m	74.52	73.24	74.25	73.56	1.75	0.35	1.29	متر	كابل كهربائية ٧٠مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 95mm national	m	102.99	102.62	102.65	102.87	0.36	0.34	0.12	متر	كابل كهربائية ٩٥مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 120mm national	m	130.25	129.51	130.59	128.05	0.57	-0.26	1.72	متر	كابل كهربائية ١٢٠مم وطني	
Electrical cables, 300mm national	m	319.5	317.95	319.04	316.64	0.49	0.15	0.9	متر	كابل كهربائية ٣٠٠مم وطني	
Sand, soft, white	3m	50.14	50	49.79	49.91	0.28	0.7	0.46	متر مربع	رمل ناعم أبيض	
Mixed Sand (sand and pebble)	3m	42.87	42.87	42.46	42.07	0.01	0.96	1.89	متر مربع	مخلوط (رمل و بحص)	
Red Sand	3m	22.75	22.81	22.69	22.95	-0.26	0.27	-0.87	متر مربع	رمل أحمر	
Resistant Concrete 350 K	3m	189.98	190.82	186.1	190.63	-0.44	2.09	-0.34	متر مربع	خرسانة مقاومة ٣٥٠ كـ	
Resistant Concrete 250 K	3m	172.49	172.95	169.32	172.06	-0.26	1.88	0.26	متر مربع	خرسانة مقاومة ٢٥٠ كـ	
Normal Concrete 350 K	3m	181.81	181.32	176.43	180.38	0.27	3.05	0.79	متر مربع	خرسانة عادي ٣٥٠ كـ	
Normal Concrete 250 K	3m	163.23	163.73	160.27	162.03	-0.31	1.84	0.74	متر مربع	خرسانة عادي ٢٥٠ كـ	
National Gypsum	40 kg	10.96	10.95	11.14	11.35	0.12	-1.66	-3.42	كيس ٤٠ كجم	جبس وطني	
Aluminum (Saudi, Arch side)	5.8 m	65.64	66.01	66.84	66.16	-0.56	-1.8	-0.79	متر مربع	المنيوم (لحق جنب سعودي)	

(\*) Has been modified for the specification of the item

(\*) يوجد تعديل لمواصفة البند



## The Most Prominent Relative Changes Monthly

For All cities



السلع والخدمات التي سجلت أكبر نسبة ارتفاع خلال شهر  
مارس ٢٠١٩ مقارنة بشهر فبراير ٢٠١٩

Goods and services that recorded the highest percentage increase during the month

March 2019 comparing to February 2019

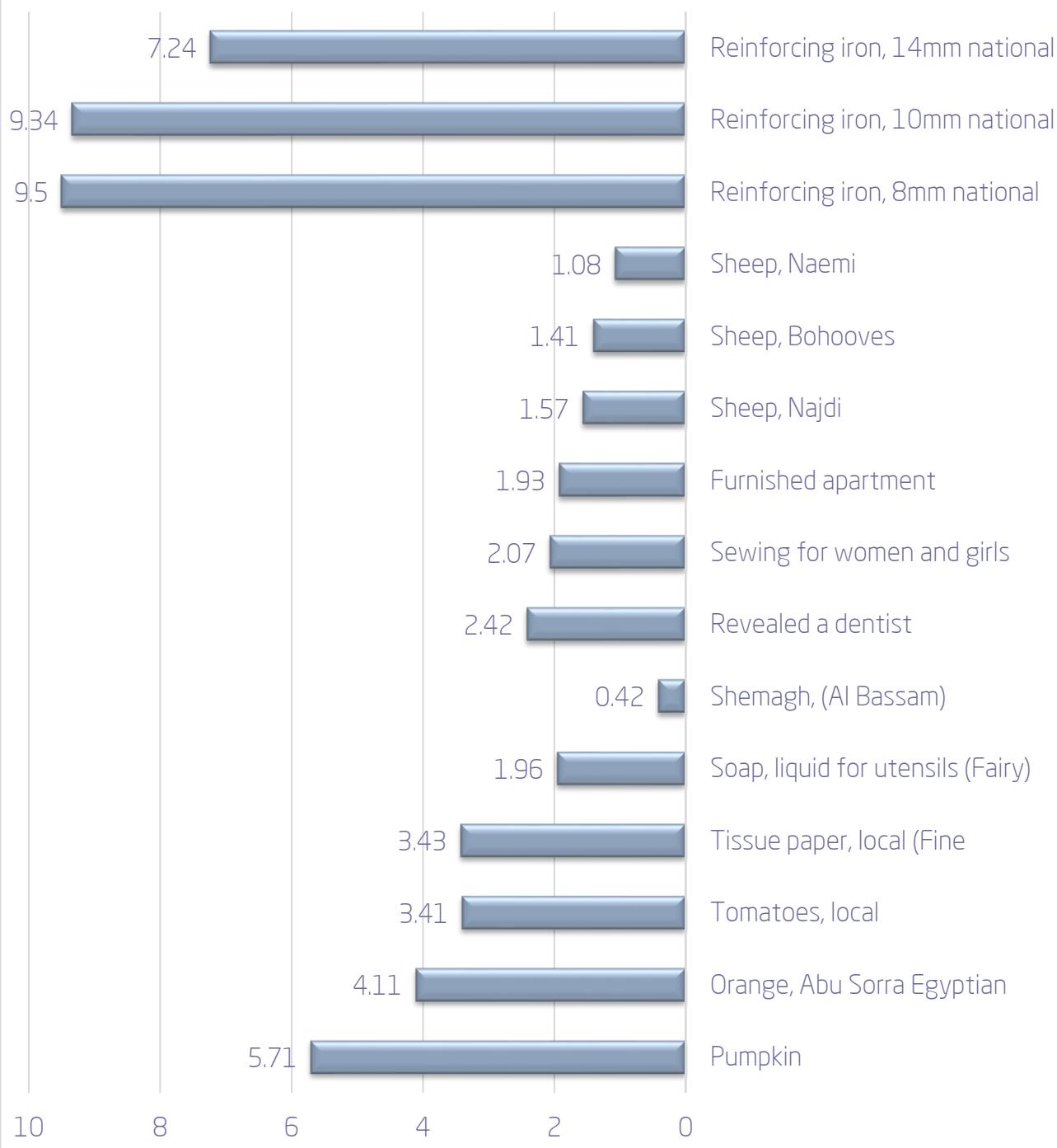
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جدول ٥ (١)

البند	نسبة التغير Percent Change	Item
أولاً : سلع الاستهلاك النهائي السلع الغذائية		First: Goods of final Consumption Food commodities
قرع عسلي	5.71	Pumpkin
برتقال أبو صرة مصرى	4.11	Orange, Abu Serra Egyptian
طماطم محلية	3.41	Tomatoes, local
طماطم مسروق	3.31	Tomatoes, imported
كوسة محلية	2.99	Zucchini, local
السلع غير الغذائية		Non-food goods
مناديل ورق محلية(فابن)	3.43	Tissue paper, local (Fine)
صابون سائل للأواني(موري)	1.96	Soap, liquid for utensils (Fairy)
شمام(البسام)	0.42	Shemagh, (Al Bassam)
عبادة نسائية	0.35	Women's Mantle National
فانلة داخلية نصف كم(الأصيل)	0.34	Shirt, internal, half sleeve (Al Aseel)
الخدمات		Services
كشاف طبيب اسنان	2.42	Revealed a dentist
خياطة للنساء والبنات	2.07	Sewing for women and girls
شقه مفروشه	1.93	Furnished apartment
كشف طبيب اطفال	0.85	Detection pediatrician
خياطة للرجال والأولاد	0.82	Sewing for men and boys
ثانياً : سلع الاستهلاك الوسيط الأعلاف والحيوانات الحية		Second: Intermediate consumption goods Feed and livestock
غنم نجدي	1.57	Sheep, Najdi
غنم حربى	1.41	Sheep, Bohooves
غنم نعيمى	1.08	Sheep, Naemi
غنم سواكتى	0.86	Sheep, Soakny
تيس بلدى (جذع)	0.6	Billy goat
السلع الانشائية		Constructional goods
حديد تسليح ٨مم وطنى	9.5	Reinforcing iron, 8mm national
حديد تسليح ١٠مم وطنى	9.34	Reinforcing iron, 10mm national
حديد تسليح ١٤مم وطنى	7.24	Reinforcing iron, 14mm national
حديد تسليح ١٢مم وطنى	7.24	Reinforcing iron, 12mm national
حديد تسليح ١٦مم وطنى	7.24	Reinforcing iron, 16mm national



Goods and services that recorded the highest percentage increase in March 2019 comparing to February 2019



السلع والخدمات التي سجلت أكبر نسبة انخفاض خلال شهر  
مارس ٢٠١٩ مقارنة بشهر فبراير ٢٠١٩

Goods and services that recorded the highest percentage decrease during the month  
March 2019 comparing to February 2019

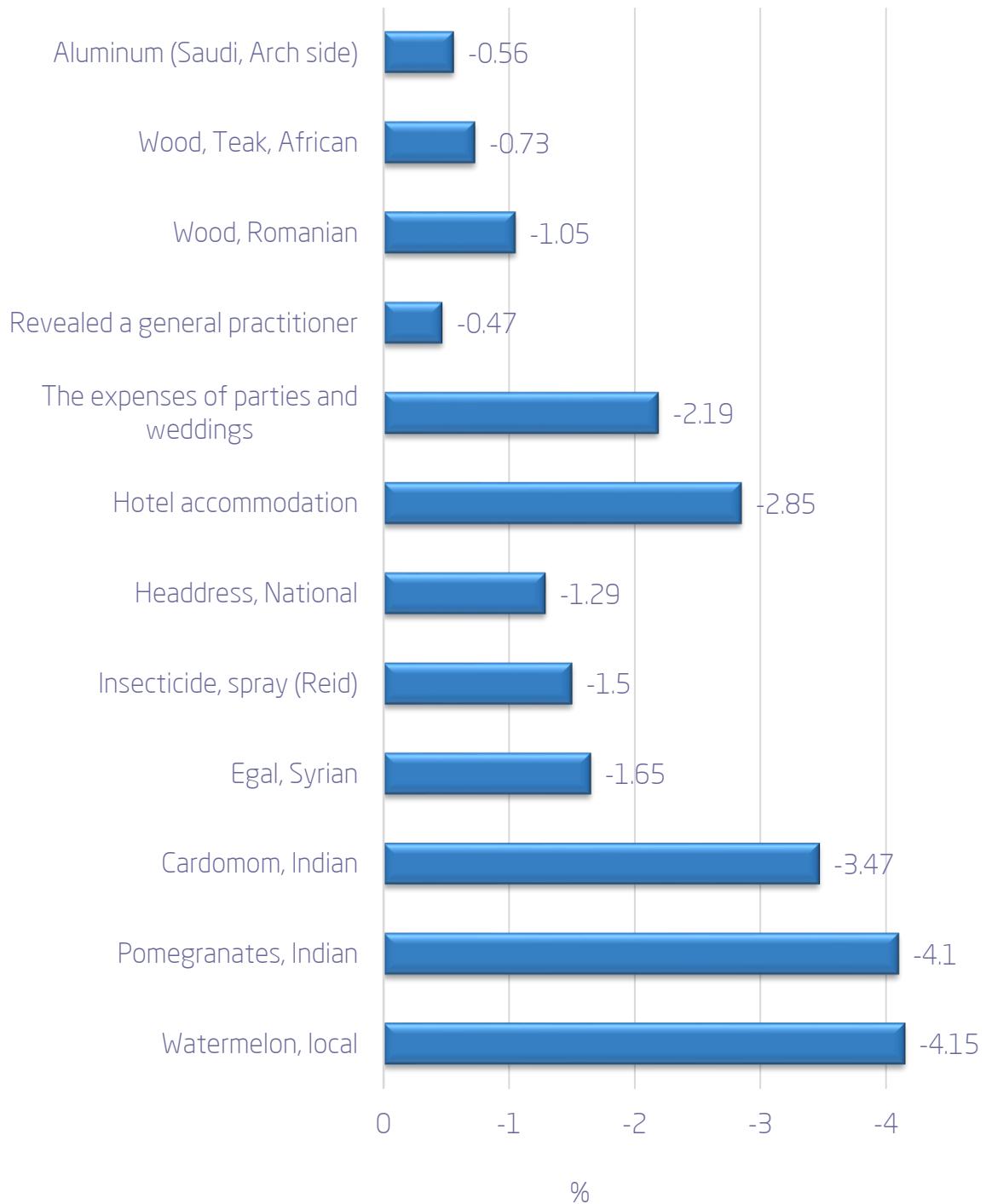
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جدول ٥-١ (٢)

البند	نسبة التغير Percent Change	Item
أولاً : سلع الاستهلاك النهائي		First: Goods of final Consumption
السلع الغذائية		Food commodities
جبن (بطيخ) محلي	-4.15	Watermelon, local
رمان هندي	-4.1	Pomegranates, Indian
هيل هندي	-3.47	Cardomom, Indian
بطاطس وسط محلي	-3.2	Potatoes, medium, local
خس محلی	-3.05	Lettuce, local
السلع غير الغذائية		Non-food goods
عقال سوري	-1.65	Egal, Syrian
ميدي حشرات بخاخ(ريد)	-1.5	Insecticide, spray (Reid)
شيلة (طربة)	-1.29	Headdress, National
ثوب صيفي رجالـي(الأصلـي)	-1.05	Men summer dress (Al Aseel)
فهد	-0.63	Coal, local
الخدمات		Services
اقامة بالفنادق	-2.85	Hotel accommodation
نفقات الحفلات والأفراح	-2.19	The expenses of parties and weddings
كشف طبيب عام	-0.47	Revealed a general practitioner
اصلاح سيارة (ميكانيكا)	-0.1	Fix a car (mechanics)
تكلفة طبخ الذبيحة	-0.06	The cost of cooking the sacrificial
ثانياً : سلع الاستهلاك الوسيط		Second: Intermediate consumption goods
السلع الانشائية		Constructional goods
خشب روماني	-1.05	Wood, Romanian
خشب تيك أمريكي	-0.73	Wood, Teak, African
الألمنيوم (حلق جنب سعودي)	-0.56	Aluminum (Saudi, Arch side)
خرسانة مقاوم ٣٥ ك	-0.44	Resistant Concrete 350 K
إسمنت أبيض وطني	-0.39	Cement, white, National



Goods and services that recorded the highest percentage decrease in March 2019 comparing to February 2019





**متوسطات أسعار السلع والخدمات**  
Average Prices of goods & services

الهيئة العامة للإحصاء  
General Authority for Statistics

متوسط أسعار بعض المواد الانشائية لجميع المدن خلال عام ٢٠١٩م

Average prices of some construction materials all cities during 2019

Saudi Riyals

ريال سعودي

الأخشاب Timber	الكيابل Cabling	الأسمنت Cement	الحديد Iron	الخرسانة الجاهزة Ready-mixed concrete	التاريخ الهجري Hijri Date	الشهر Month
(متر مكعب) M3	(متر طولي) M	(كيلو ٥٠ كيس) Bag ( 50 ) kg	(طن) Ton	(متر مكعب) M3		
2273.3	31.3	12.7	2218.5	154.28	١٤٣٧/١٢/٢١ قبل	متوسط عام ٢٠١٩م Annavaerge
2629.6	30.86	13.01	2443	175.48	1440/04/25 1440/05/25	يناير Jan
2633.44	30.94	13.11	2519	177.2	1440/05/26 1440/06/23	فبراير Feb
2626.16	31.26	13.12	2687	176.88	1440/06/24 1440/07/24	مارس Mar

