Table 1.3 YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGES OF THE RETAIL PRICE INDEX IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION IN PERCENT (2000 = 100)

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|---|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|------|-------|------|
| | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May |
| All items | 4.1 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 2.5r | 1.7 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 1.2 |
| A. Food | 6.0 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 5.6r | 3.1 | 2.8r | 1.0 | -1.1 | -0.1 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| B. Beverages and Tobacco C. Crude Materials, Inedible | 3.0 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 2.7 |
| Except Fuels 1/ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | -21.0 | 0.7 |
| D. Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials 2/ | 19.8 | 18.2 | 17.8 | 17.0 | 18.2 | 14.6 | 13.5 | 8.7 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 6.0 | -6.1 | -0.6 |
| E. Chemicals, Including Animal and Vegetable Oils and Fats 3/ | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.2 |
| F. Mftd. Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials 4/ | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| G. Machinery and Transport Equipment 5/ | 2.4 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| H. Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 |

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- 2/ Excludes petroleum oil, coal, coke and carbon.
- 3/ Excludes basic and industrial chemical, animal and vegetable oils and fats, fertilizers and limes, crude dye stuffs and tanning extracts.
- 4/ Excludes leather and manufatures, other than rubber and related products, other wood cane and cork products, pulp paper and paperboard containers, abaca, clay products, primary metals.
- 5/ Excludes agricultural machinery and equipment, communications equipment, general and accounting machines and transport equipment.

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division, Prices and Indicators Section
Industry and Trade Statistics Department
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^{1/} Excludes copra, textile fibers, cork, crude fertilizers, logs, metalliferous and metal crops, which are mostly industrial crude materials.