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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS WITH BASE YEAR 2010=100 FOR RURAL, URBAN & COMBINED FOR THE QUARTER JANUARY-MARCH 2021

The Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Nagaland is releasing the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Rural, Urban & Combined with Base year 2010=100 for the Quarter January-March 2021. In addition to CPI for Rural, Urban & Combined, Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) for Rural, Urban and Combined are also estimated and released for the same Quarter. All Nagaland Inflation rates (on point to point basis i.e. current Quarter over the 4th Quarter 2020) and monthly changes based on General Indices and Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) are also provided.

The State General (all-Groups), Group and Sub-Group level for CPI & CFPI numbers for the 1st quarter for Rural, Urban and Combined are given in **Annexure I**. The General Indices for the 1st quarter for Rural, Urban & Combined are 144.64, 138.88 & 139.82 respectively. The CFPI for Rural, Urban & Combined are 143.72, 142.98 & 141.05 respectively.

The monthly changes in the General Indices show that in the rural areas, the CPI (General) has increased by 0.11% during the period January-February and further increased by 0.83% during the period February-March. In the Urban areas, the CPI (General) has increased by 0.31% during the period January-February, whereas, during the period February-March the index has decreased by -0.15%. In the Combined sector (Rural and Urban) the index has increased by 0.07% during the period January-February and further increased by 0.07% during the period February-March. The CFPI in the rural areas has increased by 0.21% during January-February and further the index has increased by 0.99% during the period February-March. In the urban areas, the CFPI has increased by 0.08% during January-February, whereas, during the period February-March the index has decreased by -0.16%. The CFPI in the combined sector has increased by 0.12% during January-February and further increased by 0.19% during the period February-March.

All Nagaland quarterly inflation rates (%) based on CPI (General) and CFPI

	Current quarter (January-March) over previous quarter (October-December 2020)										
Indices	Rural	Urban	Combined								
CPI (General)	-2.96	-1.25	-3.08								
CFPI	-4.51	-3.91	-5.30								

The 1st quarter inflation rates base on CPI (General) for Rural, Urban and Combined have shown a decreasing rate of -1.88%, -1.44% and -2.41% respectively over the 4th quarter 2020. Similarly, the CFPI for Rural, Urban and Combined also decreases by -4.51%, -3.91% and -5.30% respectively over the 4th quarter 2020.

Annexure I

	Annexure I Consumer Price Index For Rural, Urban and Combined (January-March) 2021													1			
Base Year 2010= 100																	
	Sub-		Rural				Urban				Combined			CPI (Jan-March)			
Group	Group	Description	Weights	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Weights	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Weights	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Rural	Urban	Combined
	a	Cereals & Products	17.89	126.28	127.62	128.99	13.70	125.27	125.27	125.39	16.56	125.18	125.86	126.51	127.63	125.31	125.85
	b	Pulses & Products	0.64	122.78	121.60	124.48	1.15	116.91	117.53	117.76	0.79	120.90	120.43	121.92	122.95	117.40	121.08
	c	Oils and Fats	2.26	141.63	143.38	145.19	2.30	155.08	157.52	160.81	2.28	148.04	150.17	152.71	143.40	157.81	150.31
	d	Meat, Fish and Eggs	17.94	149.76	152.88	151.86	18.37	154.26	154.03	153.85	18.12	152.41	153.90	153.35	151.50	154.05	153.22
	e	Milk and Products	6.22	101.76	102.70	102.63	5.32	103.99	103.77	103.96	5.97	103.14	103.39	103.47	102.36	103.91	103.33
	f	Condiments and Spices	2.53	162.74	164.91	171.16	2.37	175.04	177.72	183.17	2.49	144.30	146.88	148.49	166.27	178.65	146.56
	g	Vegetables	8.98	178.77	170.80	176.18	8.08	157.40	158.12	152.73	8.74	162.71	159.30	158.57	175.25	156.08	160.19
	h	Fruits	2.62	179.12	177.46	180.54	3.42	162.16	160.22	162.96	2.72	172.22	169.53	171.84	179.04	161.78	171.20
	i	Sugar	1.00	129.56	129.56	131.89	0.80	126.89	126.89	126.89	0.95	126.67	126.67	127.83	130.33	126.89	127.06
	j	Non alcoholic beverages	3.61	136.07	138.67	140.20	3.38	127.94	130.13	131.15	3.55	133.08	133.62	134.87	138.31	129.74	133.86
	k	Prepared meals etc.	3.73	127.39	134.84	138.00	4.31	113.31	113.40	113.29	3.91	119.65	121.66	124.67	133.41	113.33	121.99
I		Food Group	67.42	141.79	142.62	144.15	63.20	140.16	140.38	140.21	66.07	139.15	139.51	139.95	142.85	140.25	139.54
II		Pan, Supari, Tobacco & Intoxicants	2.43	202.56	202.30	216.59	2.47	178.90	179.03	176.49	2.45	199.43	199.41	205.36	207.15	178.14	201.40
III		Fuel & Light	11.76	150.01	150.84	147.09	8.46	142.87	145.32	144.55	10.82	137.48	138.49	136.64	149.31	144.25	
IV		Housing	0.00	130.01	150.04	147.07	0.16	147.27	147.27	147.27	0.05	147.27	147.27	144.19	0.00	147.27	146.25
	a	Clothing &Bedding	5.72	144.85	138.02	141.90	8.22	142.89	142.98	141.87	6.47	141.00	137.66	139.12	141.59	142.58	
		Footwear	1.92	152.77	151.63	158.69	2.61	113.57	113.57	114.62	2.13	149.81	149.26	149.88	154.36	113.92	149.65
\mathbf{v}	-	Clothing and Bedding	7.64	146.84	141.44	146.12	10.83	135.82	135.89	135.30	8.60	143.18	140.53	141.79		135.67	141.83
	a	Medical Care	1.52	113.65	116.67	115.69	1.40	112.27	127.74	112.27	1.49	112.64	108.35	108.52	115.34	117.43	
	b	etc.	6.25	148.50	147.95	144.60	8.78	134.78	134.79	135.65	7.01	140.00	139.75	139.49	147.02	135.08	139.75
	с	amusement	0.01	106.01	112.91	119.56	0.03	112.66	112.66	112.88	0.02	115.26	118.97	122.29	112.83	112.73	118.84
	d	Communication	0.04	133.38	134.10	133.99	0.06	157.45	157.46	158.51	0.05	147.49	148.15	148.32	133.82	157.81	147.99
	e	Personal Care & Effects	0.06	137.09	137.27	137.90	0.07	137.04	137.24	136.31	0.06	136.53	136.71	136.91	137.42	136.86	136.72
	f	Household requisites	2.83	123.37	123.23	126.31	4.48	108.04	109.82	110.07	3.32	115.54	115.79	116.98	124.30	109.31	116.10
	g	Others	0.04	153.66	154.26	165.78	0.06	137.60	137.60	137.60	0.05	148.70	148.99	154.75	157.90	137.60	150.81
VI		Miscellaneous	10.75	136.80	136.89	135.66	14.88	124.68	126.68	125.81	12.00	129.85	129.25	129.48	136.45	125.72	129.52
General Index (All Groups)		100.00	144.09	144.34	145.50	100.00	138.58	139.24	138.81	100.00	139.67	139.71	140.08	144.64	138.88	139.82	
Consumer Food Price Index		60.08	143.04	143.35	144.78	55.51	142.98	143.10	142.85	58.61	140.82	141.05	141.28	143.72	142.98	141.05	