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FOREWORD

This publication provides monthly Consumer Price Indices of Somaliland composite which is based on two main market baskets of Hargeisa urban households that was further sampled into 110 outlets. However, the current Consumer Price Index was constructed using weights derived from the results of the 2012 **Somaliland Household budget survey (SHS)**. During the exercise, markets were combined into the Index. Only the household final consumption expenditure data for the Hargeisa domain were analyzed and used to compute the Somaliland CPI weights. The ***Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose (COICOP)*** is used.

The ***elementary aggregate*** (EA) level, indices were computed using the Jevons (Geometric Mean) method for all items. The modified Laspeyres index used to compute ***higher level indices***. The national CPI computed as weighted average of Hargeisa markets.

Acronyms and Definitions

COICOP: Classification of Individuals Consumption According to Purpose - is a nomenclature developed by the United Nations Statistics Division to classify and analyse individual consumption expenditures incurred by households, non-profit institutions serving households and general government according to their purpose.

CPI: Consumer Price Index – a general indicator of price levels paid by households for consumer goods and services.

CPI basket: A commonly used term for the goods and services priced for the purpose of compiling the CPI.

Elementary aggregate (EA): The lowest level of commodity classification in the CPI, and the only level for which index numbers are constructed by direct reference to price data.

Inflation: A term commonly used to refer to changes in price levels. A rise in prices is called inflation, and a persistent fall is called deflation.


Jevons price index: An elementary price index defined as the un-weighted geometric average of the sample price relatives. It can also be defined as the un-weighted geometric average of the sample price relatives. It can be defined as the un-weighted geometric average of the current to base period price relatives.

Laspeyres price index: the laspeyres price index is an index formula used in price statistics for measuring the price development of the basket of goods and services consumed in the base period. The question it answers is how much a basket that consumers bought in the base period would cost in the current period.

Outlet: The interface between a supplier of products and the consumer. It may be a shop, a market stall, a catalogue etc. also referred to as a “retail outlet”, although it can include wholesale outlets which also sell directly to the consumers.

Outlier: The term used to describe any extreme value in a set of data, such as a price or price relative that requires further investigation or has been verified as incorrect price relative: a measure of price movements: the ratio of the price level in one period to the price level in another.

Reference base: The period in which the CPI is given a value of 100.0. The CPI is currently on a reference base of 2012.



Weight: The measure of the importance of an item in the index regimen relative to the other items. Weights can be expressed in either quantity or value terms. Value weights are used in the CPI.

Computation of the Monthly Inflation (M-o-M):

Monthly Inflation is calculated as the percentage change between the CPI of the current month and the CPI of the previous month.

Computation of the Annual Inflation (Y-o-Y):

Annual Inflation is calculated as the percentage change between CPI of the current month and the CPI of the same month but for the previous year.

Core:

Core contains goods and services, but does not include the food crop and energy. (This measure of inflation always excludes the above mentioned items which their prices are more volatile).

1.0 HIGH LIGHTS OF CPI FOR MARCH 2020

The Central Statistics Department of the Ministry of Planning & National Development (MoPND), has released the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the Month of March 2020 (Base year 2012=100).

1.1 ANNUAL INFLATION

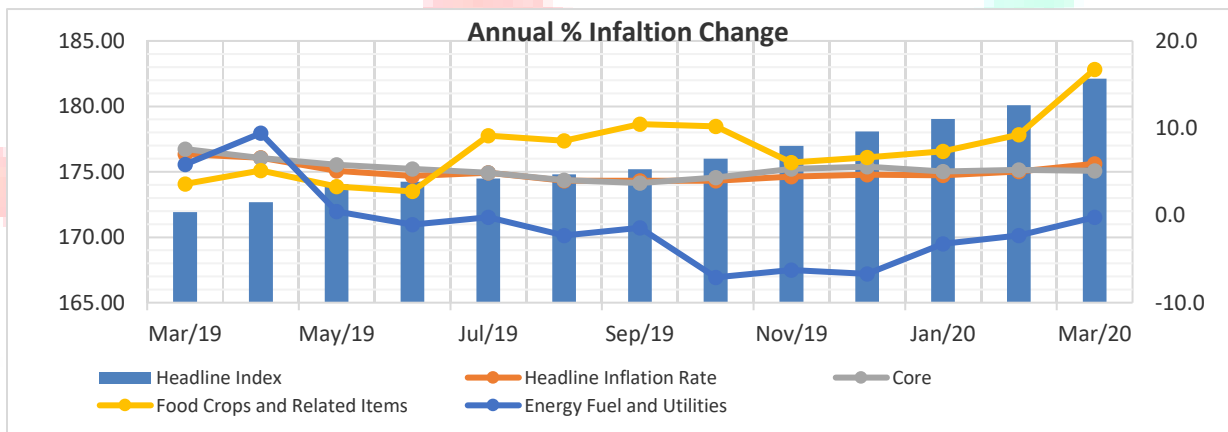
The **Annual Headline Inflation** for the year ending March 2020 is recorded as 5.9 percent compared to the 5.0 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

The decreased **Annual Core Inflation** of 5.1 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 5.2 percent for the year ended February 2020. This was driven by the **Maize** flour inflation decreased that 21.7 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 22.4 percent recorded for the ended year February 2020. Similarly, **Sorghum and grain flour** inflation decreased to 10.0 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 11.0 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. In particular, **Yoghurt** inflation decreased by 3.5 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 6.3 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. Also, **Services** inflation increased by 2.1 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 1.4 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

Annual inflation of **Food Crops** increased 16.7 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 9.3 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. The drivers of changes were **oranges**; which increased to 35.7 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 13.8 percent registered for the year ending February 2020. Meanwhile, the **tangerines** inflation registered an increase of 34.7 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to the 2.1 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. Similarly, **Green paper** increased 19.3 percent for the ending year march 2020 compared to the 15.5 percent for the year ended February 2020. In addition, the **Garlic (Toon)** inflation increased 31.3 percent for the ending year March 2020 compared to 12.0 percent for the year ended February 2020.

The **Annual Energy Fuel and Utilities** inflation increased **minus** 0.2 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared **minus** 2.3 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. The drivers were **water private supplier's** inflation which increased 11.8 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared to 6.9 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020. The drivers were **petrol** inflation increased by **minus** 1.2 percent for the year ending march compared to **minus** 7.8 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

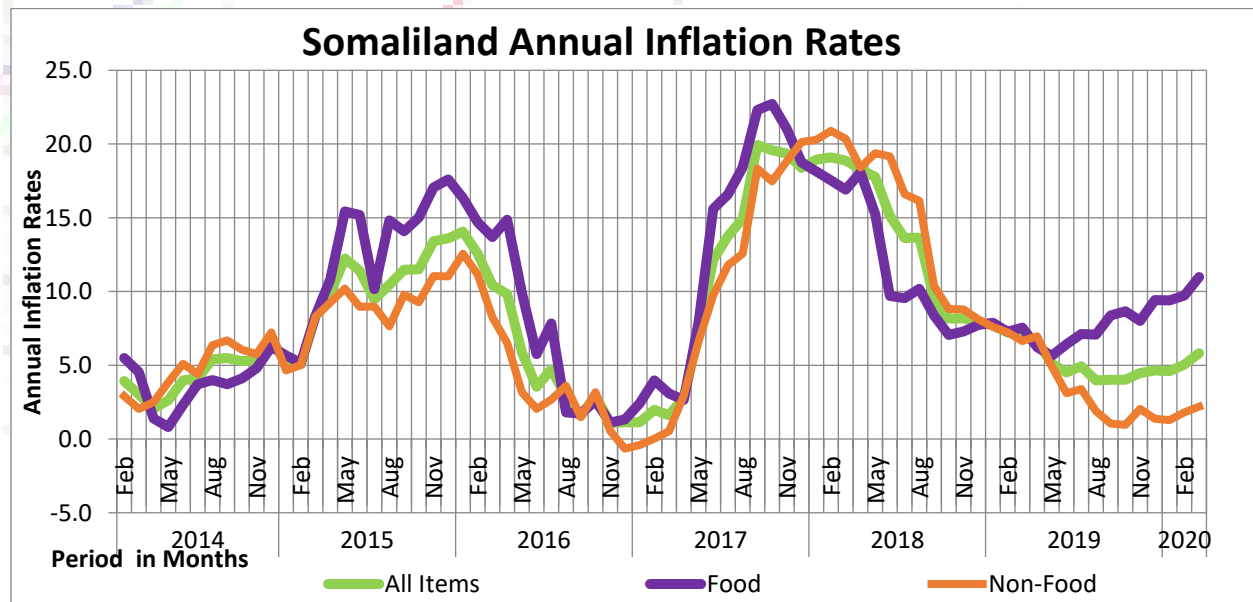
Graph 1.1: Somaliland Headline Index and Annual Inflation rates for 3 major components, March 2019–March 2020: (2012 = 100)



Source: CPI unit/Economic Section/CSD.

Graph 1.2: Somaliland Annual Inflation Rates

Also demonstrates that for the entire period from Jan 2014 to March 2020, it measured annual inflation, which has a Negative impact on the households more especially those with a fixed income together with those with very low income and without any savings at all. The same graph shows that food prices were instable compared to non-food prices. Food prices changed more frequently and sharply mostly due the seasonal factors and exchange rate.



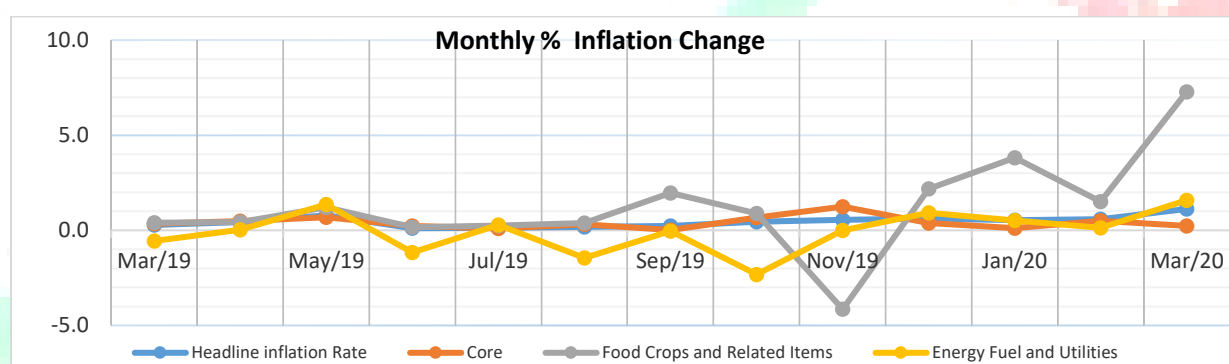
CPI Unit/Economic Section/CSD

2.0 MONTHLY INFLATION

The monthly headline inflation for March 2020 increased 1.1 percent compared to the 0.6 percent recorded February 2020.

Monthly food inflation of March 2020 increased 2.1 percent compared 0.4 percent recorded in February 2020. Food crops and related items monthly inflation increased 7.8 percent in March 2020 compared 1.5 percent recorded in February 2020. In addition core monthly inflation decreased 0.2 percent during March 2020 compared 0.5 percent recorded in February 2020. Similarly, the monthly Energy Fuel and Utilities inflation increased by 1.6 percent for the month of March 2020 compared 0.1 percent recorded during February 2020.

Graph 2.1: Somaliland Headline Monthly Inflation rates for 3 major components, March_2020-January_2019.



CPI Unit/Economic Section/CSD.

Note: The CPI compilation from March 2020, still the market prices scores on high trend fluctuation of food items. The depreciation of Somaliland shilling still high 8,435/=SLSH per one dollar.

3.0 ANNUAL INFLATION BY COICOP DIVISIONS

01. Food and Non-alcoholic beverages.

The annual inflation for Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages increased to 10.5 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 9.1 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020

03. Clothing and Footwear

The Annual Inflation for Clothing and Footwear increased to 3.4 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 3.0 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

04. Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels

The Annual inflation for Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased to 1.1 percent for the year ending march 2020 minus 0.2 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

06. Health

The annual Health inflation increased to 9.3 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 7.3 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

07. Transport

The annual Inflation for Transport increased to 0.6 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared **minus** 0.7 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

09. Recreation and Culture

The Annual inflation for Recreation and Furniture increased to 3.1 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared **minus** 0.8 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

11. Restaurants and Hotels:

The Annual Inflation for Restaurants and Hotels increased to 0.7 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 0.4 percent recorded for the year ended February 2020.

12. Miscellaneous Goods and Services

The Annual Inflation for Miscellaneous Goods and Services increased by 7.1 percent for the year ending March 2020 compared 4.3 percent for the year ended February 2020.

3.1 MONTHLY INFLATION BY COICOP DIVISIONS

01. Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages

The monthly inflation of **Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages** increased by 2.1 percent for March 2020 compared 1.0 percent of February 2020.

03. Clothing and Footwear

The monthly inflation of Clothing and Footwear increased 0.7 percent for March 2020 (0.5) percent recorded February 2020

05. Health

The monthly inflation of Health increased by 1.6 percent for March 2020 compared 0.9 percent recorded February 2020.

08. Communication

The monthly inflation for communication increased to 3.6 percent for March 2020 compared to (7.7) percent recorded February 2020

09. Recreation and Culture

The monthly inflation of Recreation and Culture increased 2.2 percent March 2020 compared to 1.8 percent of February 2020.

4.0 Additional information

The COVID-19 has affected some goods and services negatively particularly households with fixed, low and middle income. The below table shows goods and services affected by COVID-19 in Hargeisa market specially Citrus fruits (Lemon) inflation is highly increased by march 2020 compared to February 2020 **35.1 percent and 12.9 percent** consequently, also Root crops specially Garlic inflation increased by **6.7 percent** of march 2020 compared to **(4.7) percent** of February 2020. Additionally most important items in household daily consumption increment are caused by the public opinions of COVID-19 prevention and fear from shortage of these goods.

Please, see list below of division and class price gradually increased.

2020	March	February 2020
1. 01.1.2.1. Bread	8.1%	4.3%
2. 01.1.6.1. Citrus fruits (Fresh, chilled or frozen)(all lemon)	35.1%	12.9%
3. 01.1.7.3. Vegetable cultivated for their fruits (Qaji)	19.3%	15.5%
4. 01.1.7.3.1. Roots crops, non-starchy bulbs & mushrooms (Toon & Basbaas)	6.7%	(4.7)%
5. 01.1.9.2.5. Salt , Species & culinary herbs/ other species	11.8%	9.9%
6. 06.2.1.1. Medical service & doctors' fees consultation	40.7%	37.7%
7. 09.4.2.4. Other services for wedding photography	20.8%	12.3%
8. 12.1.3.1.4/8. Other appliances, articles & product for household	1.8%	(1.4)%

ANNEX1: Somaliland Consumer Price Index (CPI) and Inflation for Core, Food Crops, & EFU: (March-2017 – March2020).

GROUP	Core	Food Crops	EFU	Headline index	Monthly % Change				Annual % Change				
					Core	Food Crops	EFU	Head-Line inflation	Core	Food Crops	EFU	Head-Line inflation	
Weights	814.08	95.33	90.59	1000.000									
Calendar Years													
2016		134.61	136.88	115.79	133.12	1.9	-0.1	-1.5	1.4	4.1	-11.4	-9.1	1.1
2017	Jan	135.29	136.63	116.66	133.73	0.4	-0.2	0.7	0.4	3.5	-9.7	-7.0	1.1
	Feb	135.67	143.44	112.86	134.34	0.3	5.0	-3.3	0.5	3.6	-4.1	-6.3	2.0
	Mar	135.74	151.48	113.98	135.27	0.0	5.6	1.0	0.7	2.5	-1.0	-3.8	1.6
	Apr	137.35	153.27	117.11	137.04	1.2	1.2	2.7	1.3	3.3	-1.6	4.4	2.8
	May	140.99	158.16	122.10	140.91	2.5	3.2	4.3	2.7	7.2	2.8	13.0	7.1
	Aug	144.99	163.58	127.70	145.20	2.8	3.4	4.6	3.0	12.1	6.0	22.3	12.2
	Jul	145.92	164.07	131.72	146.36	1.0	1.3	3.2	1.1	12.7	14.3	25.8	13.8
	Aug	148.07	160.73	133.05	147.91	1.5	-2.0	1.0	1.1	13.1	23.3	24.8	14.9
	Sep	153.45	175.88	133.38	153.77	3.6	9.4	0.2	4.0	17.4	33.5	30.3	19.9
	Oct	155.42	181.83	139.31	156.48	1.3	3.4	4.4	1.8	19.1	26.9	15.0	19.6
	Nov	155.89	179.53	139.30	156.64	0.3	-1.3	4.4	0.1	18.0	31.1	18.5	19.4
	Dec	156.54	180.80	143.00	157.63	0.4	0.7	2.7	0.6	16.3	32.1	23.5	18.4
2018	Jan	158.09	181.30	142.62	158.90	1.0	0.3	-0.3	0.8	17.0	32.7	22.2	18.9
	Feb	159.21	180.98	143.51	159.86	0.7	-0.2	0.6	0.6	17.5	26.2	27.1	19.1
	Mar	159.53	186.38	143.52	160.64	0.2	3.0	0.6	0.5	17.7	23.0	25.9	18.9
	Apr	161.87	184.50	138.84	161.95	1.5	-1.0	-3.7	0.8	18.0	20.4	18.0	18.3
	May	163.91	190.00	153.30	165.43	1.3	3.0	10.4	2.2	16.5	20.1	25.5	17.6
	Aug	165.28	191.38	153.81	166.73	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.7	14.3	17.0	20.5	15.1
	Jul	166.14	180.59	152.93	166.32	-0.5	-5.6	-0.6	-0.2	13.9	10.1	16.1	13.6
	Aug	168.03	182.28	153.96	168.12	1.1	0.9	0.7	1.1	13.5	13.4	15.7	13.7
	Sep	168.47	182.66	152.55	168.47	0.3	0.0	-0.5	0.2	9.9	3.9	14.4	9.6
	Oct	168.75	184.73	158.10	169.24	0.1	1.1	3.6	0.5	8.6	1.6	13.5	8.2
	Nov	169.16	183.96	156.68	169.44	0.3	-0.4	-0.9	0.1	8.5	2.5	12.5	8.2
	Dec	169.45	187.02	158.85	170.17	0.2	1.7	1.4	0.4	8.3	3.4	11.4	8.0
2019	Jan	170.54	192.84	153.98	171.15	0.6	3.1	-3.1	0.6	7.9	6.4	8.0	7.7
	Feb	170.96	191.62	149.93	171.03	0.3	0.3	-0.8	0.2	7.5	6.3	6.4	7.2
	Mar	171.67	193.12	151.43	171.88	0.4	0.4	-0.6	0.3	7.6	3.6	5.5	7.0
	Apr	172.50	193.98	151.92	172.68	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.4	6.6	5.1	9.4	6.6
	May	173.68	196.31	154.41	174.09	0.7	1.2	1.6	0.8	5.8	3.3	0.7	5.1
	Jun	174.07	196.64	152.22	174.24	0.2	0.2	-1.7	0.1	5.3	2.8	-1.6	4.5
	Jul	174.26	197.12	152.64	174.50	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	4.9	9.2	-0.2	4.9
	Aug	174.81	197.88	150.43	174.80	0.3	0.4	-1.5	0.2	4.0	8.6	-2.3	4.0
	Sep	174.91	201.93	150.36	175.24	0.1	2.0	-1.5	0.3	3.8	10.5	-1.4	4.0
	Oct	176.07	204.81	146.88	176.05	0.7	0.9	-2.3	0.5	4.4	10.2	-6.5	4.1
	Nov	178.34	195.14	146.88	177.09	1.3	-4.1	-2.3	-0.6	5.4	6.1	-6.3	4.5
	Dec	178.90	199.42	148.23	178.08	0.4	2.2	0.9	0.6	5.6	6.7	-6.7	4.7
2020	Jan	179.10	207.02	149.00	179.05	0.1	3.8	0.5	0.5	5.0	7.4	-3.2	4.6
	Feb	179.99	210.15	149.20	180.07	0.5	1.5	0.1	0.6	5.2	9.3	-2.3	5.6
	Mar	180.19	225.46	151.56	182.11	0.2	7.8	1.6	1.1	5.1	16.7	-0.2	5.9

Source: CPI Unit/Economic Section/Central Statistics Department.

ANNEX 1: Somaliland Consumer Price Index (CPI) by COICOP Division: (Feb- 2012-Mar-2020) = 100

Div.	PARTICULARS	Weight	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
	Headline (all items index)	1,000.000	171.92	172.68	174.05	174.24	174.50	174.80	175.24	176.05	177.03	178.08	179.03	180.07	181.91
01	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	417.57	183.36	185.11	187.29	187.32	187.87	188.55	192.16	194.45	193.39	195.91	197.79	198.44	202.56
02	Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco & Narcotics	45.57	196.10	196.10	198.51	196.17	201.96	201.96	178.95	182.21	208.62	208.62	205.02	215.82	201.79
03	Clothing And Footwear	57.33	172.40	172.65	173.90	173.95	175.55	174.75	174.20	175.32	176.15	176.41	178.01	177.03	178.21
04	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	141.02	177.13	177.13	178.19	178.91	187.87	180.00	179.95	177.41	177.66	174.83	177.38	177.43	179.03
05	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	55.49	155.78	155.84	156.95	157.38	178.70	158.05	158.19	159.10	159.36	161.75	163.39	163.17	160.46
06	Health	25.55	169.64	169.75	170.12	170.47	170.12	170.54	170.83	171.02	171.18	172.52	181.03	182.59	185.48
07	Transport	88.51	120.64	120.68	121.07	121.55	121.43	119.25	119.23	120.61	120.34	121.87	120.04	120.01	121.37
08	Communication	29.93	186.09	186.09	186.09	186.58	185.87	185.87	186.11	185.91	185.95	187.74	173.30	173.30	179.62
09	Recreation and Culture	22.46	152.16	152.38	152.03	150.29	148.61	148.83	148.96	149.36	149.87	150.83	153.53	153.57	156.93
10	Education	36.88	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	149.46	148.41	148.91	148.86
11	Restaurants and Hotels	33.52	167.81	167.81	168.04	168.04	165.96	165.96	165.95	165.84	166.48	166.47	167.39	167.85	165.92
12	Miscellaneous Goods and Services	46.25	168.51	168.51	168.97	170.13	169.66	169.01	168.96	167.00	167.33	167.36	169.93	175.68	180.55

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department.

ANNEX 2: Somaliland Consumer Price Indices and Inflation Rates for Food & Non-Food (March_2018–March_2020)

GROUP	Weights	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
Headline Index	1000.0000	171.92	172.68	174.05	174.24	174.50	174.80	175.24	176.05	177.03	178.08	179.03	180.07	181.91
Food	387.0796	182.31	184.19	186.55	186.59	187.18	187.91	191.68	194.07	193.06	195.78	197.51	198.22	202.34
Non - Food	612.9204	165.36	165.41	166.16	166.32	166.46	166.53	164.87	164.73	166.90	166.89	167.36	168.61	169.01
Monthly % Change														
Headline		0.3	0.4	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	1.0
Food		0.9	1.0	1.3	0.02	0.3	0.4	2.0	1.2	-0.5	1.4	0.9	0.4	2.1
Non - Food		-0.2	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	-1.0	-0.1	1.3	0.0	0.3	0.7	0.2
Annual % Change														
Headline		7.0	6.6	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.7	4.6	5.0	5.8
Food		7.6	6.2	5.6	6.4	7.1	7.1	8.4	8.7	8.0	9.4	9.4	9.7	11.0
Non - Food		6.7	7.0	4.9	3.1	3.4	1.9	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.8	2.2

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department.

ANNEX 3: Somaliland Monthly Inflation by COICOP Divisions (March_2019-March_2020).

		Mar_19	Apr_18	May_19	Jun_19	Jul_19	Aug_19	Sep_19	Oct_19	Nov_19	Dec_19	Jan_20	Feb_20	Mar_20
Div.	PARTICULARS													
	Headline	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	1.0
01	<i>Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages</i>	0.8	1.0	1.2	0.02	0.3	0.4	1.9	1.2	-0.5	1.3	1.0	0.3	2.1
02	<i>Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco & Narcotics</i>	0.0	0.0	1.2	-1.2	2.9	0.0	-11.4	1.8	14.5	0.0	-1.7	5.3	-6.5
03	<i>Clothing And Footwear</i>	0.3	0.1	0.7	0.03	0.9	-0.5	-0.3	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.9	-0.5	0.7
04	<i>Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels</i>	-0.4	0.0	0.6	0.4	5.0	-4.2	0.0	-1.4	0.1	-1.6	1.5	0.0	0.9
05	<i>Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance</i>	-0.2	0.0	0.7	0.3	13.5	-11.6	0.1	0.6	0.2	1.5	1.0	-0.1	-1.7
06	<i>Health</i>	-0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.8	4.9	0.9	1.6
07	<i>Transport</i>	-0.2	0.0	0.3	0.4	-0.1	-1.8	0.0	1.2	-0.2	1.3	-1.5	0.0	1.1
08	<i>Communication</i>	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.3	-0.4	0.0	0.1	-0.1	0.0	1.0	-7.7	0.0	3.6
09	<i>Recreation and Culture</i>	-1.7	0.1	-0.2	-1.1	-1.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.8	0.0	2.2
10	<i>Education</i>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.7	0.3	0.0
11	<i>Restaurants and Hotels</i>	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.0	-1.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.3	-1.1
12	<i>Miscellaneous Goods and Services</i>	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.7	-0.3	-0.4	0.0	-1.2	0.2	0.0	1.5	3.4	2.8

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department.

ANNEX 4: Somaliland Annual Inflation by COICOP Divisions (March_2019- March_2020).

Div	PARTICULARS	Mar_19	Apr_18	May_19	Jun_19	Jul_19	Aug_19	Sep_19	Oct_19	Nov_19	Dec_19	Jan_20	Feb_20	Mar_20
	Headline	7.0	6.6	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.7	4.6	5.0	5.8
01	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	7.4	6.4	5.8	6.1	6.6	6.6	7.8	8.1	7.4	8.7	8.8	9.1	10.5
02	Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco & Narcotics	8.8	13.2	16.1	13.9	17.2	0.6	-7.4	-0.7	14.0	11.8	6.2	10.1	2.9
03	Clothing and Footwear	13.7	9.9	6.9	5.3	5.7	4.9	4.1	4.4	4.9	3.9	3.5	3.0	3.4
04	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels	4.3	5.7	3.4	1.5	7.1	2.2	2.0	-1.2	-0.9	-3.2	0.0	-0.2	1.1
05	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	11.6	8.5	7.2	7.4	1.9	6.6	6.0	5.9	4.9	6.0	6.4	4.6	3.0
06	Health	4.8	1.8	0.9	1.0	14.9	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.8	6.4	7.3	9.3
07	Transport	1.7	6.9	-1.2	-2.8	-0.5	-2.3	-1.9	-1.3	-1.3	-1.0	-2.3	-0.7	0.6
08	Communication	17.3	9.4	9.2	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.4	2.5	3.3	-6.6	-7.2	-3.5
09	Recreation and Culture	3.7	4.3	1.5	-1.0	-2.1	-2.0	-2.0	-1.5	-1.5	-0.9	-0.3	-0.8	3.1
10	Education	3.0	-0.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	0.2	0.2	0.0	-0.7	-0.4	-0.4
11	Restaurants and Hotels	6.6	5.4	5.0	4.7	3.5	3.4	2.6	2.3	1.6	1.6	0.4	0.7	-1.1
12	Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.1	7.2	5.3	3.6	3.7	2.6	3.2	2.1	1.4	1.0	1.2	4.3	7.1

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department.

ANNEX 5: Somaliland Consumer Price Index (CPI) and Annual Inflation for Food Crops, Other Goods, Services and Energy Fuel & Utilities:


Weights		Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
Group														
Headline Index	1000.0000	171.92	172.68	174.05	174.24	174.48	174.80	175.20	176.00	176.98	178.08	179.05	180.08	182.11
Food Crops and Related Items	95.33	193.12	193.98	196.31	196.64	197.12	197.88	201.79	203.59	195.14	199.42	207.02	210.15	225.46
Other Goods	629.71	177.84	178.91	180.42	180.91	181.44	182.05	182.17	183.69	186.41	187.19	187.16	187.93	188.24
Services	184.37	150.59	150.59	150.66	150.73	149.71	150.09	149.84	149.79	150.17	150.59	151.62	152.92	153.74
Energy Fuel and Utilities	90.59	151.88	151.92	154.00	152.22	152.64	150.43	150.36	146.88	146.88	148.23	149.00	149.20	151.56
Monthly % Change														
Headline		0.3	0.4	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	1.1
Food Crops and Related Items		0.4	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	2.0	0.9	-4.1	2.2	3.8	1.5	7.3
Other Goods		0.5	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.8	1.5	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.2
Services		-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.7	0.3	-0.2	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.5
Energy Fuel and Utilities		-0.6	0.0	1.4	-1.2	0.3	-1.5	0.0	-2.3	0.0	0.9	0.5	0.1	1.6
Annual % Change														
Headline		7.0	6.6	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.7	4.6	5.0	5.9
Food Crops and Related Items		3.6	5.1	3.3	2.8	9.2	8.6	10.5	10.2	6.1	6.7	7.4	9.3	16.7
Other Goods		8.6	7.0	6.7	6.4	6.0	4.8	4.5	5.3	6.6	6.9	6.1	6.2	5.8
Services		3.8	4.9	2.3	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.7	1.4	2.1
Energy Fuel and Utilities		5.8	9.4	0.5	-1.0	-0.2	-2.3	-1.4	-7.1	-6.3	-6.7	-3.2	-2.3	-0.2

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department

ANNEX 6: Somaliland Consumer Price Indices and for Annual Food Class Inflation (March_ 2019–March_ 2020) = 100

Classes	Weights	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
		Headline Index	1000.0000	182.31	184.19	186.55	186.59	187.18	187.91	191.68	194.07	193.06	195.78	197.51
Food Headline Annual Inflation	387.1043	7.6	6.2	5.5	6.4	7.1	7.1	8.4	8.7	8.0	9.4	9.4	9.7	11.3
Bread and cereals		11.3	10.1	7.2	9.5	7.3	6.4	6.5	8.6	9.0	9.8	9.4	8.9	6.2
Meat		19.2	14.9	14.3	22.1	19.1	20.4	21.1	20.3	22.7	27.3	22.3	22.9	24.7
Fish and Sea Food		-2.3	16.3	2.4	5.5	5.1	10.9	8.3	8.3	9.0	8.3	7.7	8.9	9.5
Milk, cheese and eggs		13.5	13.2	3.1	7.8	7.6	4.5	4.8	4.1	5.5	0.6	1.2	0.8	-0.3
Oils and Fats		2.6	3.9	6.8	4.0	4.3	2.7	5.1	5.2	7.0	6.8	1.9	3.5	3.0
Fruits		2.0	1.8	3.7	1.3	8.0	10.7	12.6	14.4	11.2	13.8	20.8	21.6	33.1
Vegetables		4.9	7.9	3.0	3.9	10.1	6.9	8.8	6.9	2.2	1.2	-2.7	-0.2	4.2
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate, and confectionery		-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-5.2	-5.2	-7.0	-7.2	-14.7	-14.8	-11.5	-1.3	-3.2	-7.0
Food Products n.e.c.		-4.0	-3.0	-3.8	-4.2	-1.9	-1.0	5.5	7.3	11.9	12.6	14.3	15.1	15.3
Food Headline Monthly Inflation		0.9	1.0	1.3	0.02	0.3	0.4	2.0	1.2	-0.5	1.4	0.9	0.4	2.1

Source: CPI unit/Economic section/Central Statistics Department.



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