

### STATISTICAL BULLETIN: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

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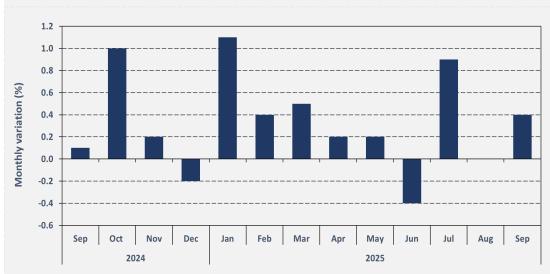
Note: This document is a translation of the official Spanish version of the CPI bulletin.

- In In September, the monthly variation of the CPI was 0.4%.
- The most notable increases were in the division of food and non-alcoholic beverages and the division of recreation, sports, and culture. The most notable decrease was in the division of information and communication.

In September 2025, the monthly variation of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) was 0.4%, the cumulative variation in the year to date was 3.3%, and the twelve-month variation was 4.4%.

## **Development of the CPI**

Monthly variations (September 2024 – September 2025)



In September, nine of the thirteen divisions of the CPI basket had positive impacts on the monthly variation of the index, three divisions had negative impacts, and one division had no impact. Among the divisions with increases in prices, the most notable were food and non-alcoholic beverages (0.8%), which had an impact of 0.185 percentage points (pp), and recreation, sports, and culture (1.3%), which had an impact of 0.059 pp. The remaining divisions with positive influence on the variation of the CPI had a combined impact of 0.225 pp. Among the divisions with monthly decreases in prices, the most notable was information and communication (-0.2%), which had an impact of -0.014 pp.

# Variations and impacts by division Base year 2023=100, September 2025

| Division                             | Weighting | Index  | Variation            |                         |                       | Impact (pp) |          |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|----------|
|                                      |           |        | Monthly <sup>1</sup> | Cumulative <sup>2</sup> | 12-month <sup>3</sup> | Monthly⁴    | 12-month |
| Food and non-alcoholic beverages     | 22.15348  | 109.92 | 0.8                  | 3.8                     | 4.9                   | 0.185       | 1.093    |
| Alcoholic beverages and tobacco      | 3.68125   | 107.04 | -0.3                 | 4.4                     | 3.9                   | -0.009      | 0.140    |
| Clothing and footwear                | 2.9004    | 96.08  | 1.4                  | 0.1                     | -2.8                  | 0.035       | -0.078   |
| Housing and basic services           | 16.7633   | 119.53 | 0.3                  | 6.0                     | 9.8                   | 0.050       | 1.715    |
| Household furnishing and maintenance | 6.18583   | 102.36 | 0.5                  | 1.1                     | 0.3                   | 0.031       | 0.017    |
| Health                               | 8.21206   | 108.81 | 0.2                  | 3.9                     | 4.9                   | 0.018       | 0.402    |
| Transport                            | 13.45108  | 102.20 | 0.0                  | 0.3                     | 0.4                   | -0.004      | 0.058    |
| Information and communication        | 6.64634   | 102.33 | -0.2                 | 1.1                     | 0.4                   | -0.014      | 0.027    |
| Recreation, sports, and culture      | 4.75354   | 105.63 | 1.3                  | 2.3                     | 3.2                   | 0.059       | 0.149    |
| Education                            | 4.19831   | 113.22 | 0.0                  | 5.2                     | 5.3                   | 0.000       | 0.227    |
| Restaurants and accommodation        | 6.22047   | 116.38 | 0.7                  | 4.8                     | 6.6                   | 0.047       | 0.429    |
| Insurance and financial services     | 1.10487   | 101.02 | 0.4                  | -1.4                    | 2.0                   | 0.004       | 0.021    |
| Miscellaneous goods and services     | 3.72905   | 109.44 | 1.1                  | 3.7                     | 5.4                   | 0.040       | 0.201    |

(1) This figure refers to the percentage variation of the index from the previous month to the current month.

- (2) This figure refers to the percentage variation of the index from December of the previous year to the current month.
- (3) This figure refers to the percentage variation of the index between the current month and the same month of the previous year.
- (4) The sum of the impacts is equal to the monthly variation of the CPI, and it may vary if calculated with more decimals.

CPI September 2025 Base year 2023=100

**Overall CPI** 

109.14

CPI 12-month Variation

4.4%



CPI monthly variation

0.4%



CPI without volatile products

Monthly variation

0.4%



CPI except food and energy

Monthly variation

0.4%



**Energy** 

Monthly variation

-0.2%



Food

Monthly variation

0.8%





#### **Divisions**

#### Division 1: Food and non-alcoholic beverages



Food and non-alcoholic beverages increased in ten of its fifteen classes compared to the previous month. The most important increases were in vegetables, legumes, and tubers (3.7%), which had an impact of 0.079 pp, and bread, cereal, flour, and pasta (1.3%), which had an impact of 0.055 pp. Of the eighty-one products of the division, fifty-five increased in prices, notably tomatoes (19.0%), which had an impact of 0.053 pp, and bread (1.7%), which had an impact of 0.036 pp. The remaining products with positive influence on the CPI had a combined impact of 0.200 pp.

#### Division 9: Recreation, sports, and culture



Monthly increases were observed in eight of the fourteen classes of this division. The most important increases were in package tours (6.4%), which had an impact of 0.024 pp, and games, toys, and items for celebrations (5.1%), which had an impact of 0.019 pp. Of the twenty-five products of the division, thirteen increased in prices, notably international package tours (8.5%), which had an impact of 0.026 pp, and toys (9.0%), which had an impact of 0.019 pp. The remaining products with positive influences on the CPI had a combined impact of 0.029 pp.

#### **Division 8: Information and communication**



The division of information and communication decreased in three of its eight classes. The most important decreases were in subscription to audiovisual content (-1.8%), which had an impact of -0.015 pp, and audiovisual equipment (-1.5%), which had an impact of -0.007 pp. Of the nine products of the division, three decreased in prices, notably subscription to audiovisual content (-1.8%), which had an impact of -0.015 pp, and televisions (-1.7%), which had an impact of -0.007 pp.

#### **Products**

#### **Tomatoes**

In September, the monthly variation in the price of tomatoes was 19.0%, which had an impact of 0.053 pp on the variation of the overall CPI. The cumulative variation was 15.3%.

# Food purchased in restaurants, cafes, and similar establishments

The monthly variation in the price of this product was 0.8%, which had an impact of 0.044 pp, and the cumulative variation was 5.0%.

#### **Bread**

The monthly variation in the price of bread was 1.7%, which had an impact of 0.036 pp, and the cumulative variation was 4.9%.

#### Interurban bus transport

The monthly variation in the price of this product was 12.8%, which had an impact of 0.033 pp, and its cumulative variation was 8.5%.

#### Beef

The monthly variation in the price of beef was -2.3%, which had an impact of -0.052 pp, and the cumulative variation was 4.0%.

#### International air transport

The monthly variation in the price of this product was -9.4%, which had an impact of -0.049 pp, and the cumulative variation was -17.3%.



The CPI is used for the following purposes:

- Official measurement of inflation in Chile.
- Determing factor in the variation of the UF and UTM.
- Measurement for adjusting and upating contracts and monetary values.

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