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### **INDEKS HARGA PENGGUNA**

#### *Consumer Price Index*

(Jan 2015=100)

**MAC 2020**  
***March 2020***



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JABATAN PERANCANGAN EKONOMI DAN STATISTIK  
KEMENTERIAN KEWANGAN DAN EKONOMI**

**TAJUK UTAMA: INDEKS HARGA PENGGUNA (IHP) MENINGKAT SEBANYAK 1.6 PERATUS  
TAHUN-KE-TAHUN BAGI BULAN MAC 2020**

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1. IHP bagi bulan Mac 2020 meningkat sebanyak 1.6 peratus tahun-ke-tahun berbanding dengan bulan Mac 2019. Harga Makanan dan Minuman Ringan mencatatkan peningkatan sebanyak 1.1 peratus. Manakala, harga Bukan Makanan mencatatkan peningkatan sebanyak 1.8 peratus.
2. Peningkatan IHP adalah didorong oleh peningkatan harga dan kos Pelbagai Barangan dan Perkhidmatan (10.9 peratus); Restoran dan Hotel (4.8 peratus) dan Makanan dan Minuman Ringan (1.1 peratus). Walau bagaimanapun, peningkatan IHP ini diimbangi oleh penurunan harga dan kos Pengangkutan (0.9 peratus), Perhubungan (1.2 peratus), dan Pakaian dan Kasut (0.7 peratus).
3. Kenaikan bagi harga Pelbagai Barangan dan Perkhidmatan adalah disebabkan oleh peningkatan harga insuran. Manakala, peningkatan harga Restoran dan Hotel adalah disebabkan oleh peningkatan harga perkhidmatan catering luar. Dalam pada itu, peningkatan bagi harga Makanan dan Minuman Ringan adalah disebabkan oleh peningkatan harga sayur-sayuran.
4. Bagi perubahan bulan-ke-bulan, IHP bagi bulan Mac 2020 meningkat sebanyak 0.3 peratus berbanding dengan bulan Februari 2020. Indeks Makanan dan Minuman Ringan dan Indeks Bukan Makanan masing-masing menunjukkan peningkatan sebanyak 0.1 peratus dan 0.4 peratus.
5. IHP mengukur perubahan harga barangan dan perkhidmatan yang dibayar oleh pengguna dalam satu tempoh masa yang ditetapkan dan dikumpulkan setiap bulan. Senarai barangan dan perkhidmatan dalam IHP adalah berdasarkan maklumat perbelanjaan purata sebuah keluarga yang diperolehi melalui Kajian Perbelanjaan Keluarga. Laporan penuh IHP bagi bulan Mac 2020 boleh didapati melalui laman sesawang JPES: [www.deps.gov.bn](http://www.deps.gov.bn).

# INDEKS HARGA PENGGUNA (IHP)

## MAC 2020



IHP mengukur perubahan harga pada sebakul tetap barangan dan perkhidmatan yang dibeli oleh sebahagian besar isi rumah di Negara Brunei Darussalam.

Perubahan tahunan (%)  
Mac 2020 / Mac 2019

Perubahan bulanan (%)  
Mac 2020 / Feb 2020



# INDEKS HARGA PENGGUNA (IHP)

## MAC 2020



### Tiga Penyumbang Utama Kepada Perubahan Tahunan





**MEDIA RELEASE**  
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**MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND ECONOMY**

**HEADLINE: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) INCREASED BY 1.6 PER CENT  
YEAR-ON-YEAR IN MARCH 2020**

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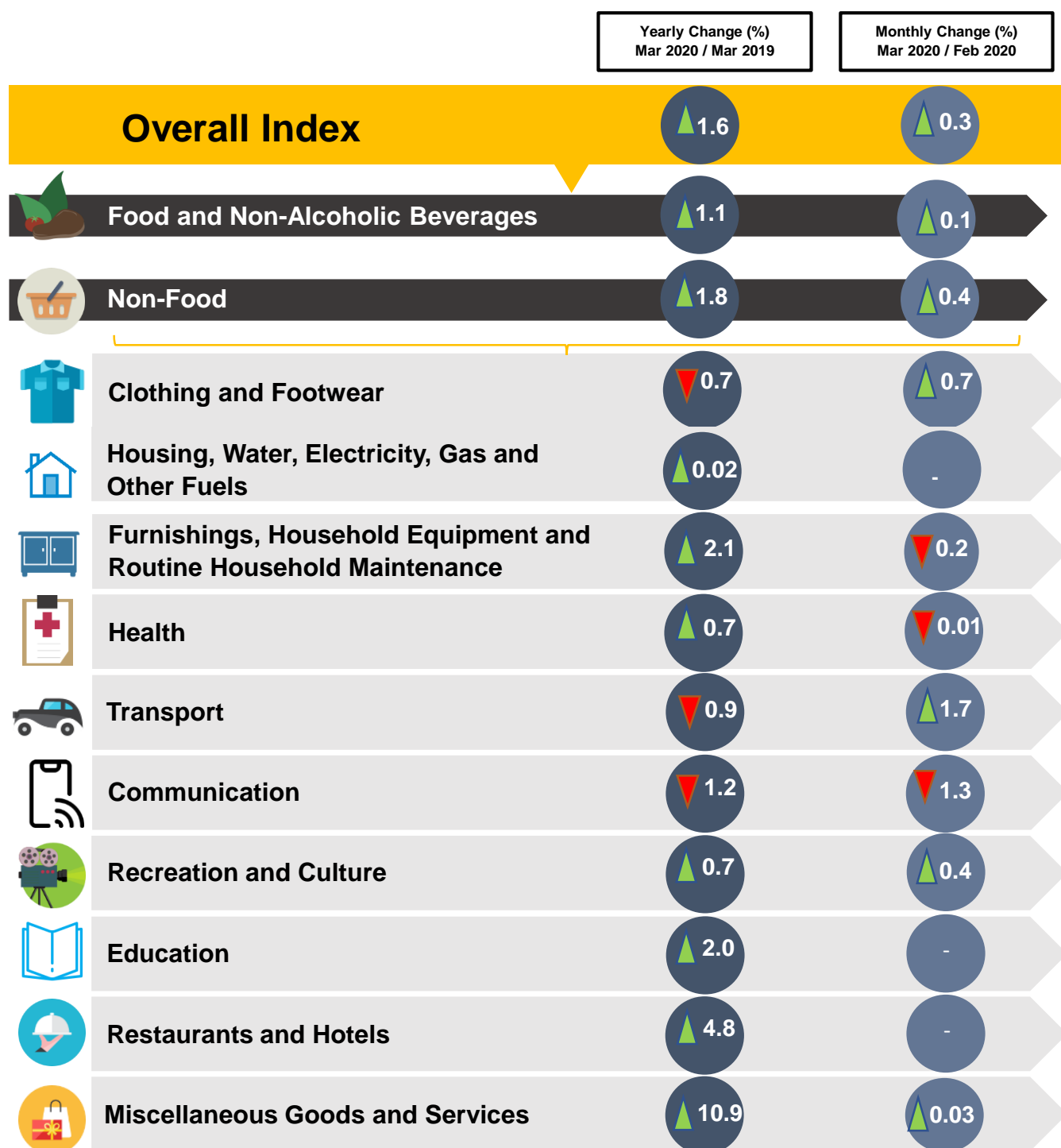
1. *The CPI in March 2020 increased by 1.6 per cent year-on-year compared to March 2019. Prices of Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages increased by 1.1 per cent. Meanwhile, Non-Food prices increased by 1.8 per cent.*
2. *The CPI increase was largely attributed to increases in the prices and costs of Miscellaneous Goods and Services (10.9 per cent); Restaurants and Hotels (4.8 per cent); and Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages (1.1 per cent). However, this was moderated by the decrease in price of Transport (0.9 per cent), Communication (1.2 per cent), and Clothing and Footwear (0.7 per cent).*
3. *Prices of Miscellaneous Goods and Services increase mainly due to a rise in prices of insurance. Meanwhile, the increase in the prices of Restaurant and Hotels was due to increase in price of catering services. The increase in Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages was due to a rise in prices of vegetables.*
4. *On a month-on-month basis, the CPI in March 2020 increased by 0.3 per cent compared to January 2020. The Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages Index and the Non-Food Index have both increased by 0.1 per cent and 0.4 per cent, respectively.*
5. *The CPI is a measure of price changes of goods and services paid by the consumer in a specified period and compiled on a monthly basis. The list of goods and services in the CPI is based on the average expenditure per household from the Household Expenditure Survey (HES). The CPI full report for March 2020 is available from DEPS's website: [www.deps.gov.bn](http://www.deps.gov.bn).*

# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI)

## MARCH 2020



CPI measures the changes in prices of a fixed basket of goods and services purchased by the majority of household in Brunei Darussalam.



Source: Department of Economic Planning and Statistics,  
Ministry of Finance and Economy

# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI)

## MARCH 2020



### TOP 3 CONTRIBUTORS TO YEARLY CHANGES

1



**Miscellaneous Goods and Services**

▲ 10.9

Prices of Insurance

2



**Restaurants and Hotels**

▲ 4.8

Prices of Catering Services

3



**Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages**

▲ 1.1

Prices of Vegetables