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### **PREFACE**

Index numbers serve as an essential statistical tool for measuring relative changes in economic and social variables. They help in identifying general trends in prices, production, wages, and other key indicators. As a result, index numbers play a crucial role in business planning, policy formulation, and economic analysis.

The Department of Economics & Statistics compiles a wide range of index numbers, including the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Industrial Workers and Agricultural Labourers with base year 2011-12=100, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Rural, Urban and Combined sectors with base year 2018=100, the Wholesale Price Index (WPI) for Agricultural Commodities with base year 2015-16=100 (Agricultural Year), the Parity Index Numbers with base year 1952-53=100 (Agricultural Year), and the Wage Index Numbers with base year 2019-20=100 (Agricultural Year).

This publication "***Report on Analysis of Indices– 2024***", presents the Wage Index Numbers for the year 2024; the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Rural, Urban and Combined sectors for 2024; the Consumer Price Index for Industrial Workers and Agricultural Labourers for 2023; the Parity Index Numbers for 2023; and the Wholesale Price Index (WPI) for Agricultural Commodities for 2023. The report is the result of the collective effort of the officers of the Prices Division in this Directorate. I acknowledge and appreciate the dedicated work of Smt. Sindu K. Assistant Director, in preparing this report under the supervision and guidance of Smt. Shailamma K. Additional Director (Prices).

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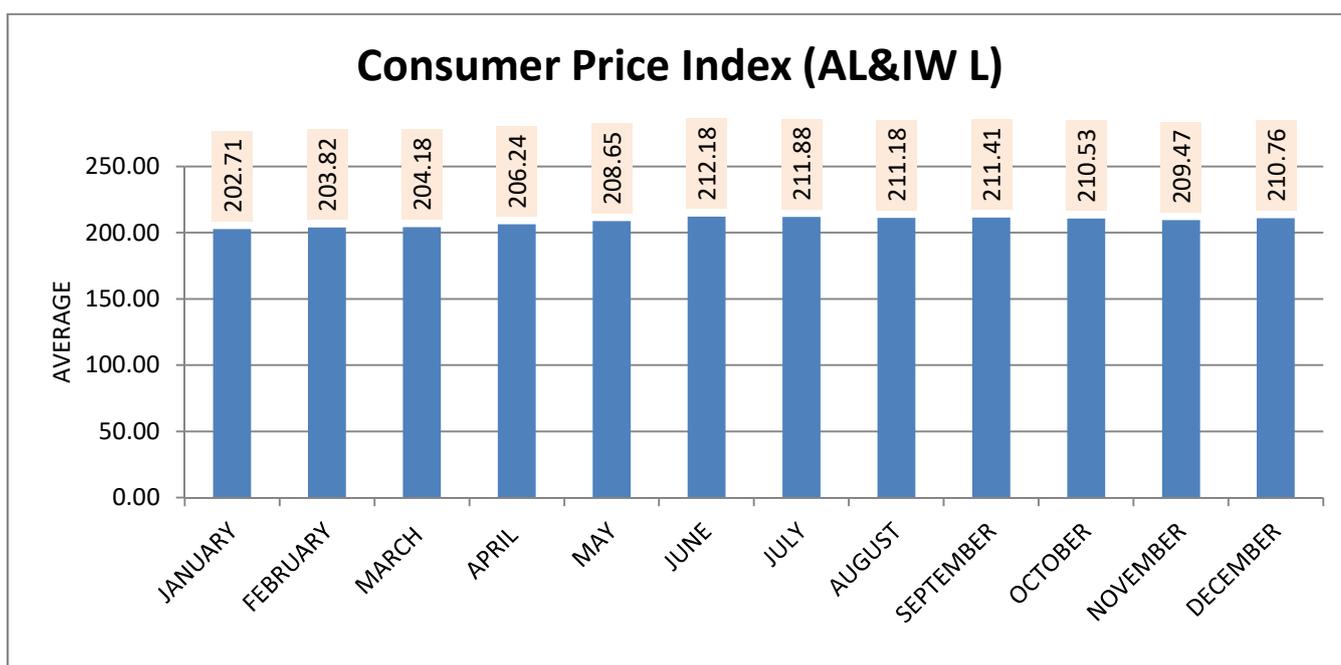
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## Consumer Price Index (AL&IW)

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The monthly index shows a steady upward movement during the first half of the year, starting at 202.71 in January and rising consistently to reach 212.18 in June. This indicates a gradual strengthening trend. From July onward, the values remain relatively stable, fluctuating only slightly between 211.88 and 210.53 through October, suggesting a period of mild correction and stabilization. In November, the index dips marginally to 209.47, before increasing again to 210.76 in December. Overall, the annual pattern reflects moderate growth in the first six months followed by a stable phase with small variations towards the end of the year, resulting in a balanced yearly average.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
AVERAGE	202.71	203.82	204.18	206.24	208.65	212.18	211.88	211.18	211.41	210.53	209.47	210.76



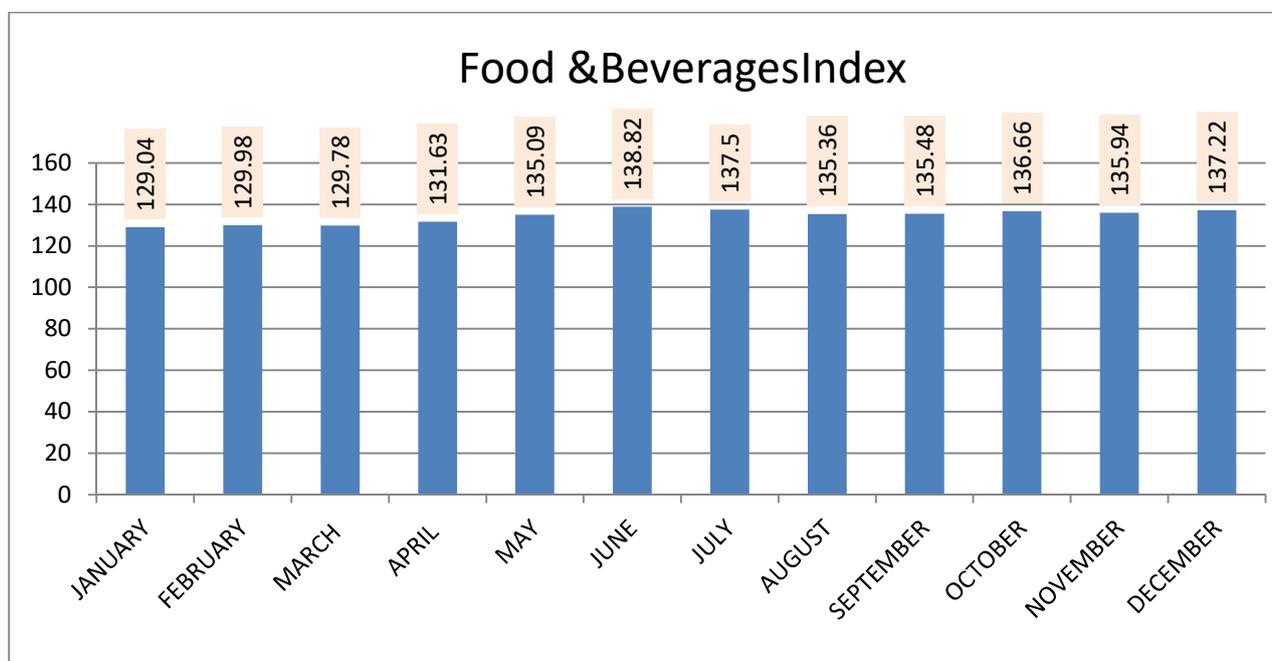
## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX KERALA

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### Food & Beverages Index

The monthly trend in Food & Beverages shows a generally upward movement throughout the year, with a few moderate fluctuations. Beginning at 129.04 in January, the index rises steadily to reach 138.82 by June, marking the highest point in the first half of the year. A slight decline follows in July and August, dropping to 137.5 and then 135.36, before stabilizing around similar levels in September and October. The values increase slightly again toward the end of the year, ending at 137.22 in December. Overall, the data suggests a gradual rise in food and beverage costs, influenced by seasonal variations but maintaining an upward annual trend.

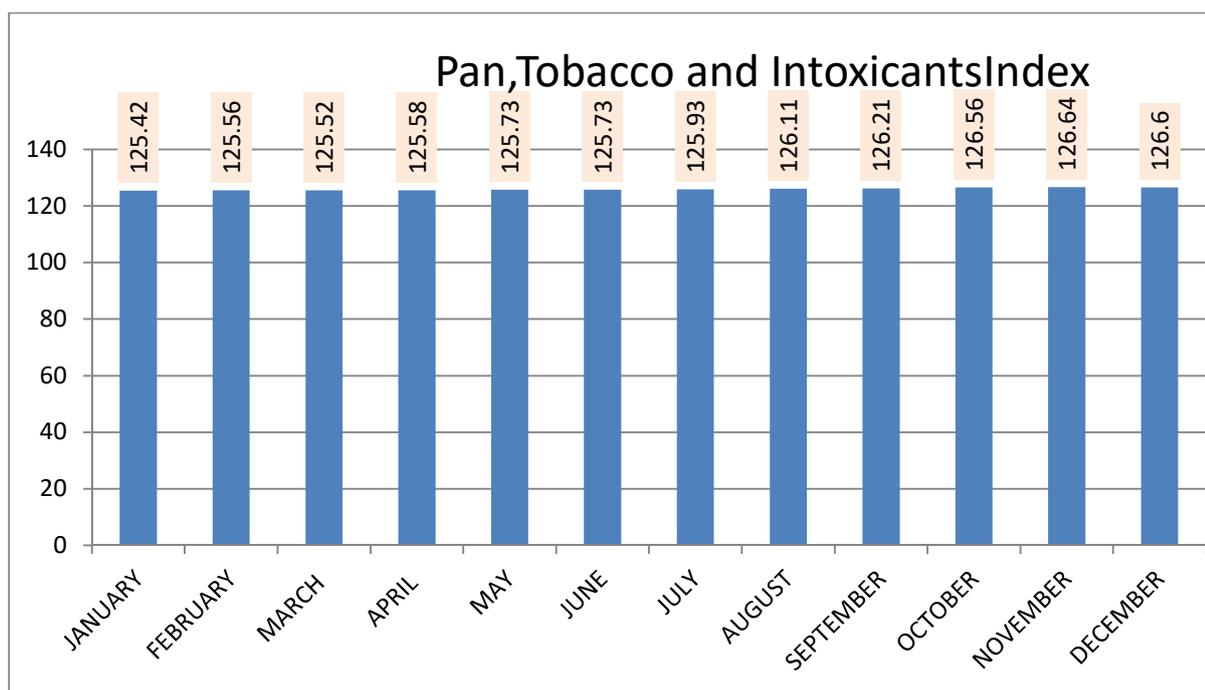
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	129.04	129.98	129.78	131.63	135.09	138.82	137.5	135.36	135.48	136.66	135.94	137.22



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The monthly trend for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants shows a steady and consistent increase throughout the year, with only minimal fluctuations. Starting at 125.42 in January, the index rises gradually each month, reaching 125.73 by May and June. A slight upward shift continues from July onward, with values increasing from 125.93 to a peak of 126.64 in November. December shows a minor dip to 126.60, though it remains higher than most earlier months. Overall, the data indicates a slow but persistent upward trend, suggesting stable increases in the prices of pan, tobacco, and intoxicant products over the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	125.42	125.56	125.52	125.58	125.73	125.73	125.93	126.11	126.21	126.56	126.64	126.6



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, indicating consistent price increases across months. The index begins at 120.15 in January and remains relatively stable until April, with only marginal fluctuations. From May onwards, the index records a more noticeable rise, reaching 121.38 in May and continuing its upward movement through the monsoon and festival seasons. By July, it increases to 122.38, reflecting higher demand and seasonal factors. After a brief easing in August, prices rise again, touching 122.81 in October and 122.91 in November, before reaching the yearly peak of 123.05 in December. Overall, the data highlights a gradual and consistent price escalation in the Clothing & Footwear category, with the most significant increases observed in the latter half of the year.

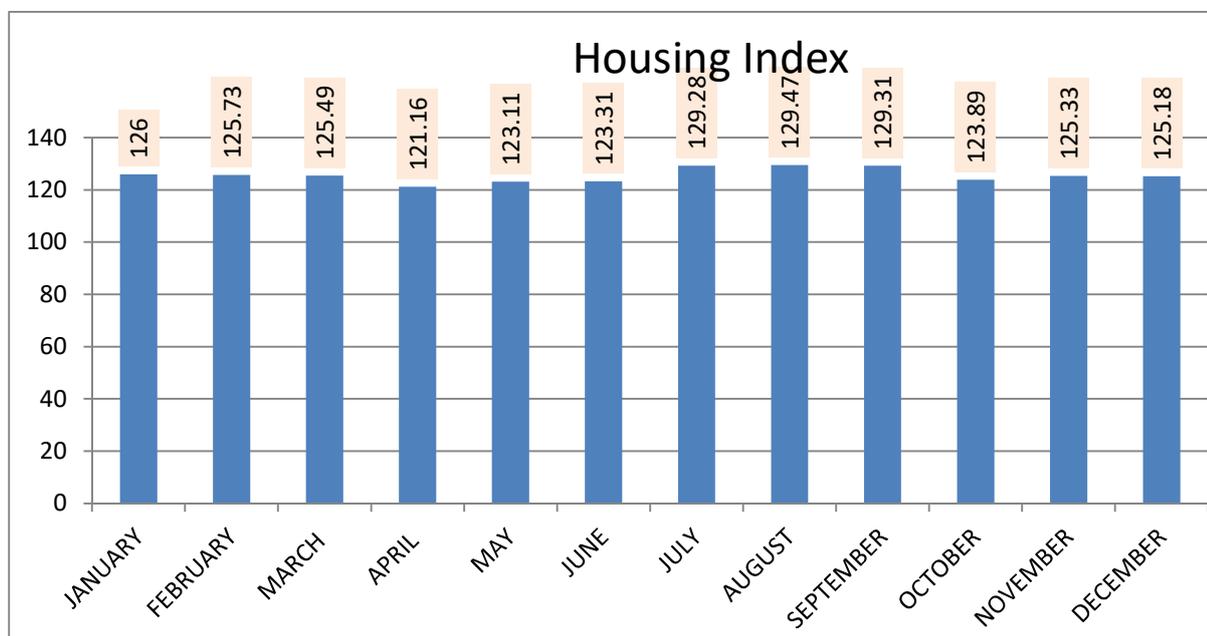
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	120.15	120.24	120.51	120.46	121.38	121.87	122.38	122.16	122.38	122.81	122.91	123.05



## Housing Index

The Housing index displays noticeable fluctuations over the year, with both declines and sharp increases at different stages. The index starts at 126 in January and slightly decreases through February (125.73) and March (125.49) before witnessing a significant drop in April to 121.16, marking the lowest point of the year. This decline is followed by a moderate recovery in May (123.11) and June (123.31). From July onwards, the index rises sharply, reaching its peak in July (129.28) and August (129.47), indicating increased housing-related expenses during this period. In September, the index remains high at 129.31, after which it declines again to 123.89 in October. A slight improvement occurs in November (125.33), followed by a small dip in December (125.18). Overall, the Housing index shows significant mid-year escalation surrounded by periods of decline, reflecting varying market conditions and seasonal influences.

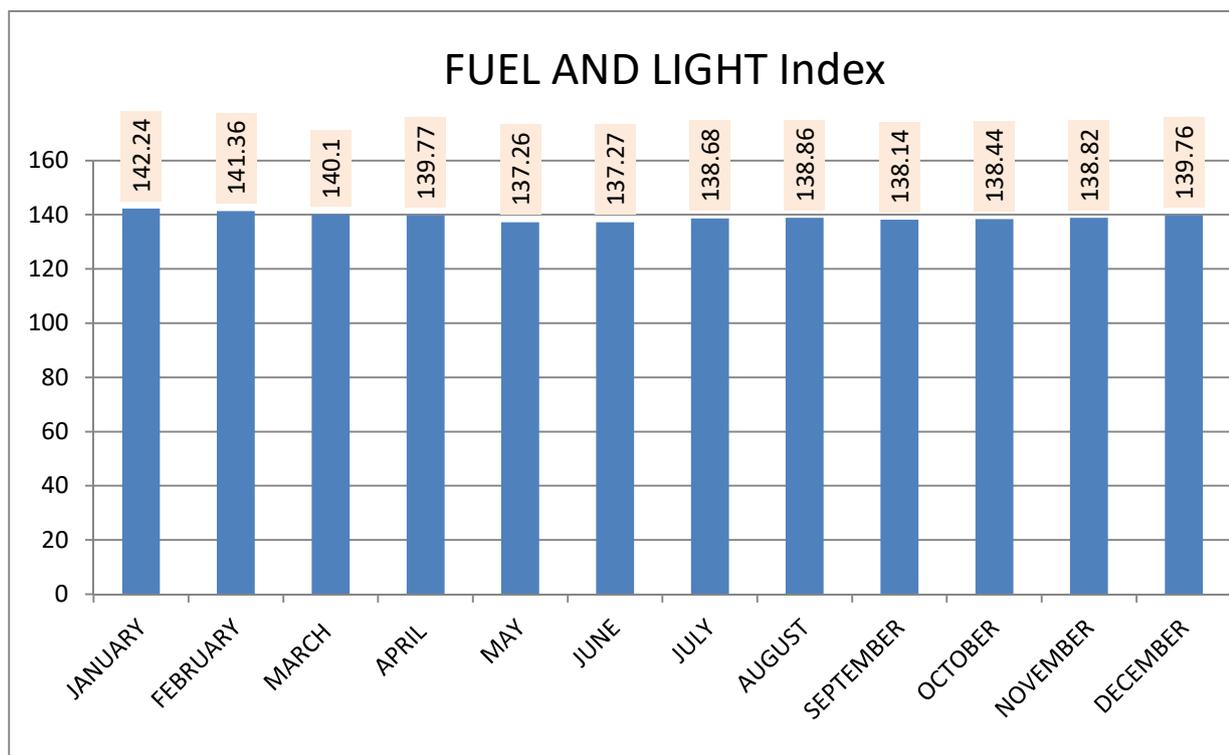
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	126	125.73	125.49	121.16	123.11	123.31	129.28	129.47	129.31	123.89	125.33	125.18



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows a gradual downward trend in the early part of the year, followed by mild fluctuations in the later months. The index begins at 142.24 in January and steadily declines through February (141.36) and March (140.10), reaching its lowest point in May at 137.26. From June onward, the index stabilizes near the same level, with only slight variations. A modest rise appears in July (138.68) and August (138.86), though the values remain below the early-year levels. After a small dip in September (138.14), the index again shows minor upward movement in October (138.44) and November (138.82), before ending the year at 139.76 in December. Overall, the data indicates a consistent decline in the first half of the year, followed by stable but slightly fluctuating prices in the second half.

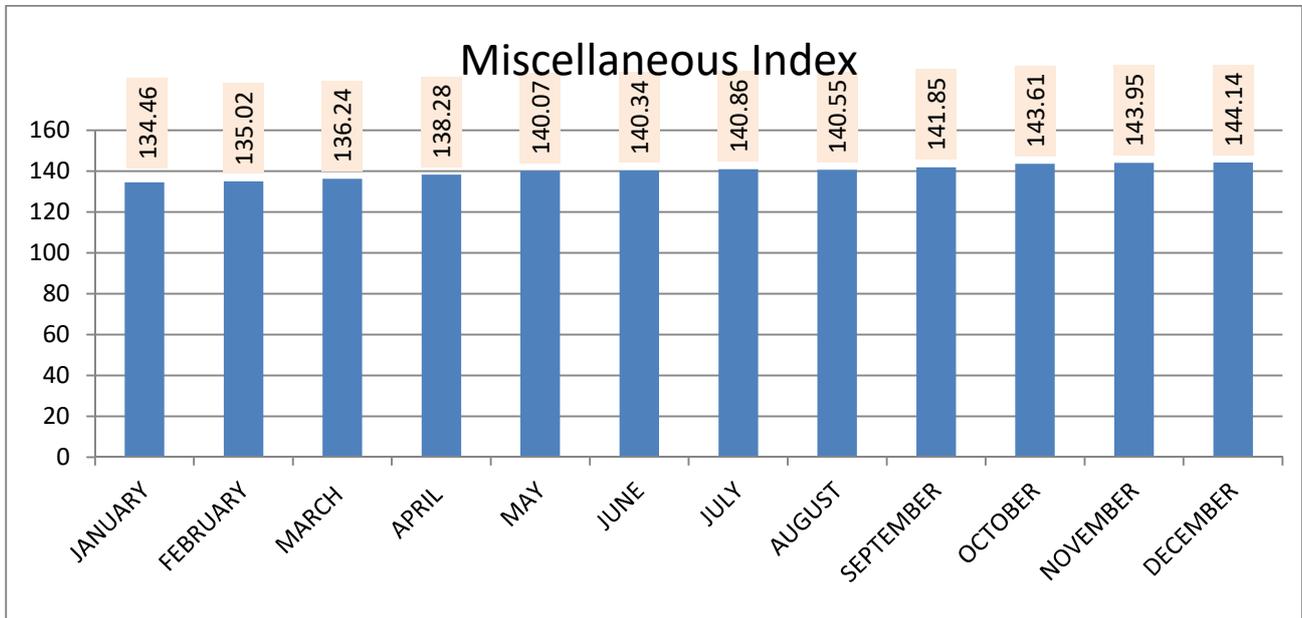
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	142.24	141.36	140.1	139.77	137.26	137.27	138.68	138.86	138.14	138.44	138.82	139.76



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a steady and continuous upward trend throughout the year, indicating persistent increases in prices across various services and expenditures. Starting at 134.46 in January, the index rises gradually through February (135.02) and March (136.24), followed by a sharper increase in April (138.28) and May (140.07). From June to August, the index remains relatively stable, with only minor fluctuations around 140–141. However, a further rise is observed from September (141.85) onward, culminating in a significant increase during the last quarter. The index reaches 143.61 in October, 143.95 in November, and peaks at 144.14 in December, marking the highest value of the year. Overall, the Miscellaneous index reflects consistent and progressive price increases, especially during the second half of the year.

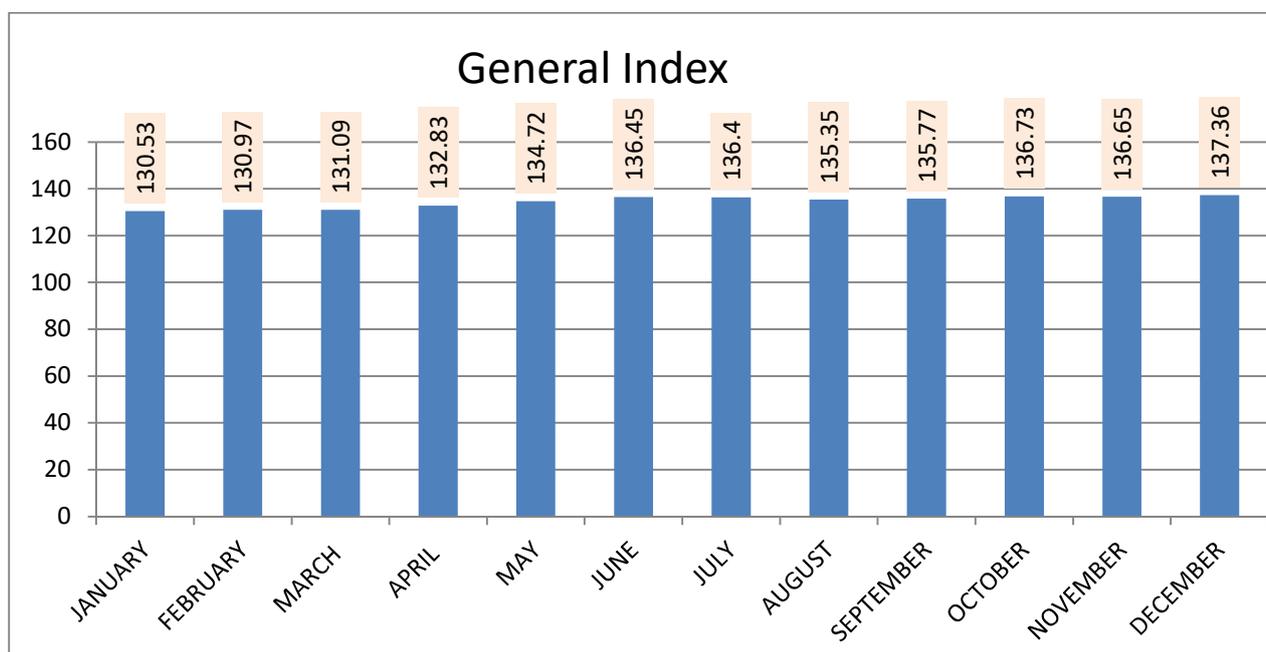
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	134.46	135.02	136.24	138.28	140.07	140.34	140.86	140.55	141.85	143.61	143.95	144.14



## General Index

The General index shows a steady upward movement throughout the year, marked by both gradual increases and minor fluctuations. The index starts at 130.53 in January and rises slightly to 130.97 in February and 131.09 in March. A more noticeable increase occurs in April, reaching 132.83, followed by a continued rise in May to 134.72 and in June to 136.45. In July, the index shows a slight dip to 136.40 and further decreases to 135.35 in August. However, it recovers in September to 135.77 and continues its upward trend in October, reaching 136.73. A small decline is seen in November at 136.65, before the index ends the year at its highest point of 137.36 in December. Overall, the General index reflects a consistent annual increase with brief periods of mild decline in the middle months.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	130.53	130.97	131.09	132.83	134.72	136.45	136.4	135.35	135.77	136.73	136.65	137.36



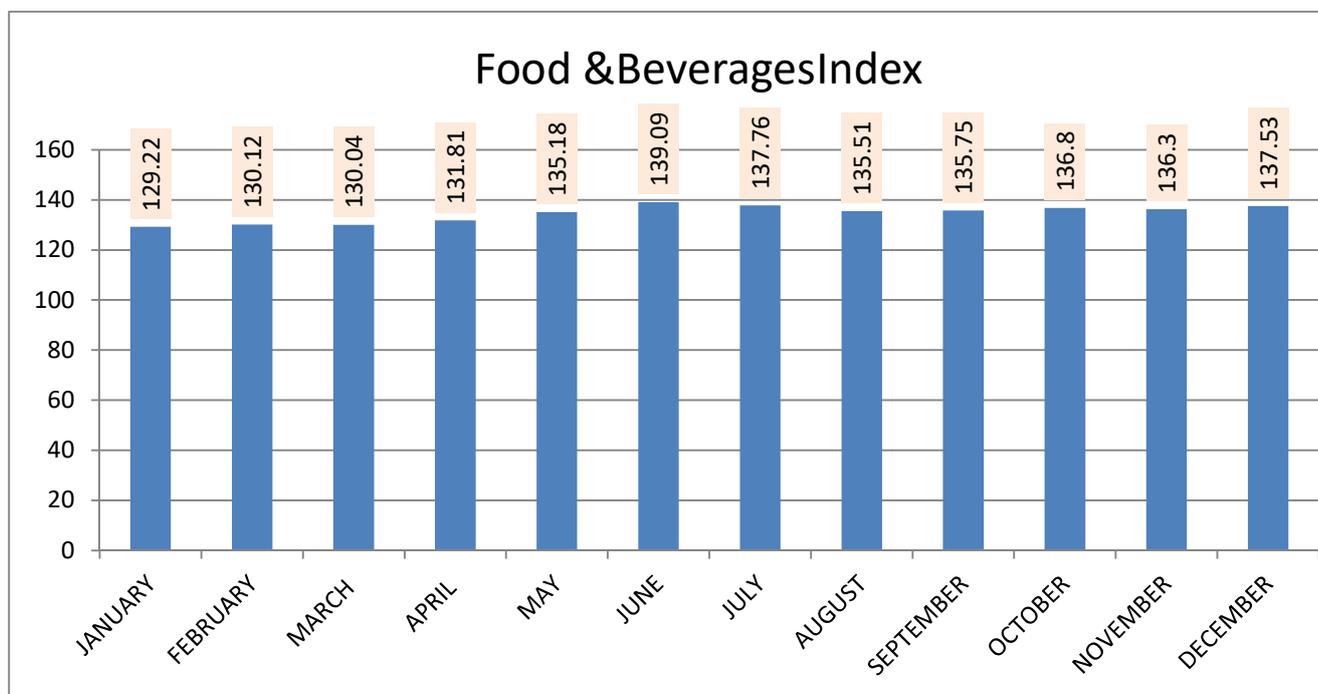
## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX RURAL

( Detailed table is attached in PRICE STATISTICS2024 Page No: 814 )

### Food &Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index shows a generally rising trend over the year, although a few fluctuations interrupt the overall growth pattern. The index starts at 129.22 in January and increases slightly to 130.12 in February, followed by a small decline to 130.04 in March. A stronger rise is seen in April, reaching 131.81, and the upward movement continues into May and June, when the index climbs to 135.18 and then to its yearly peak of 139.09. In July, the index drops to 137.76 and declines further in August to 135.51. A mild recovery occurs in September at 135.75, followed by another rise in October to 136.80. November records a small dip to 136.30, before the index ends the year with an increase to 137.53 in December. Overall, the Food & Beverages index reflects a significant rise in the first half of the year, with moderate fluctuations in the second half.

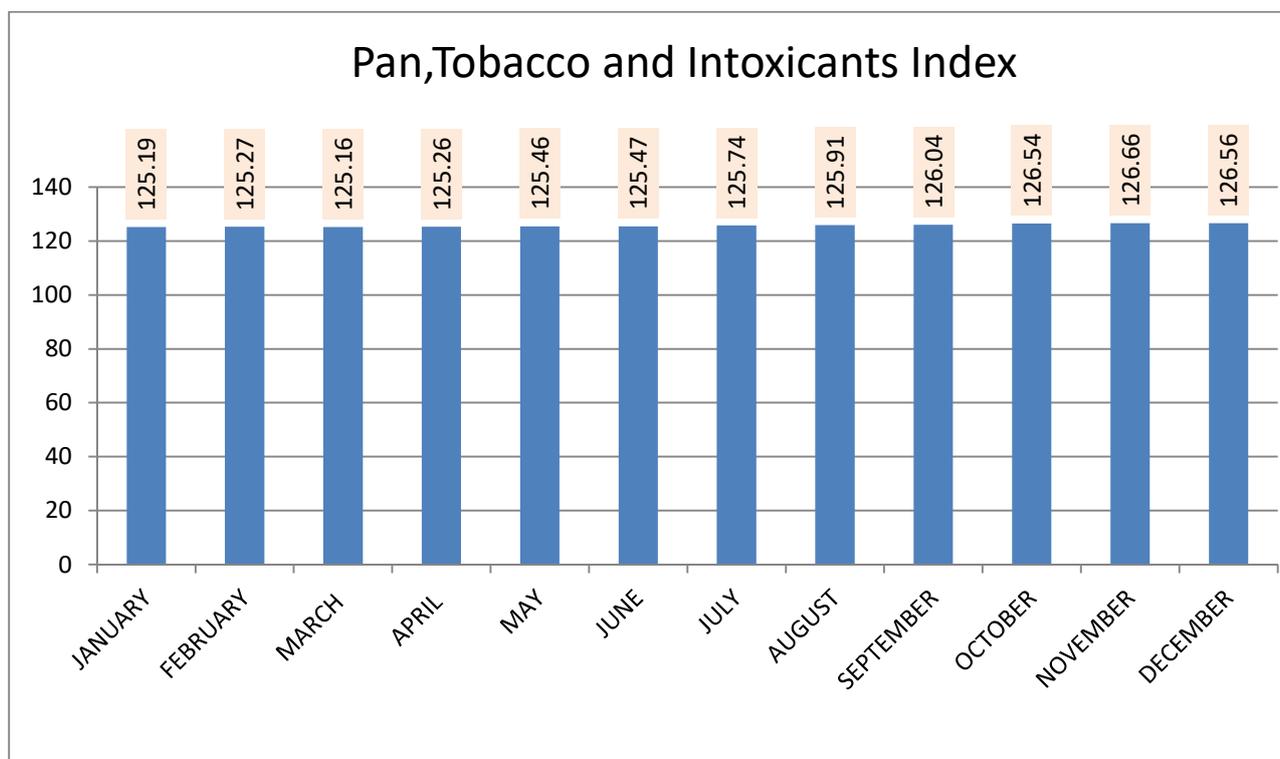
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food &Beverages Index	129.22	130.12	130.04	131.81	135.18	139.09	137.76	135.51	135.75	136.8	136.3	137.53



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants

The Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants index remains largely stable throughout the year, showing only minimal month-to-month variations. The index starts at 125.19 in January and shows slight upward and downward movements in the early months, reaching 125.27 in February and 125.16 in March. From April onward, the index gradually increases, rising to 125.26 in April, 125.46 in May, and 125.47 in June. A steady upward trend continues through July and August, reaching 125.74 and 125.91 respectively. This rising pattern extends into September at 126.04, followed by a more noticeable increase in October to 126.54 and in November to 126.66, which marks the highest point of the year. The index ends the year with a slight dip to 126.56 in December. Overall, the data reflects a consistently stable index with a gentle upward movement across the year.

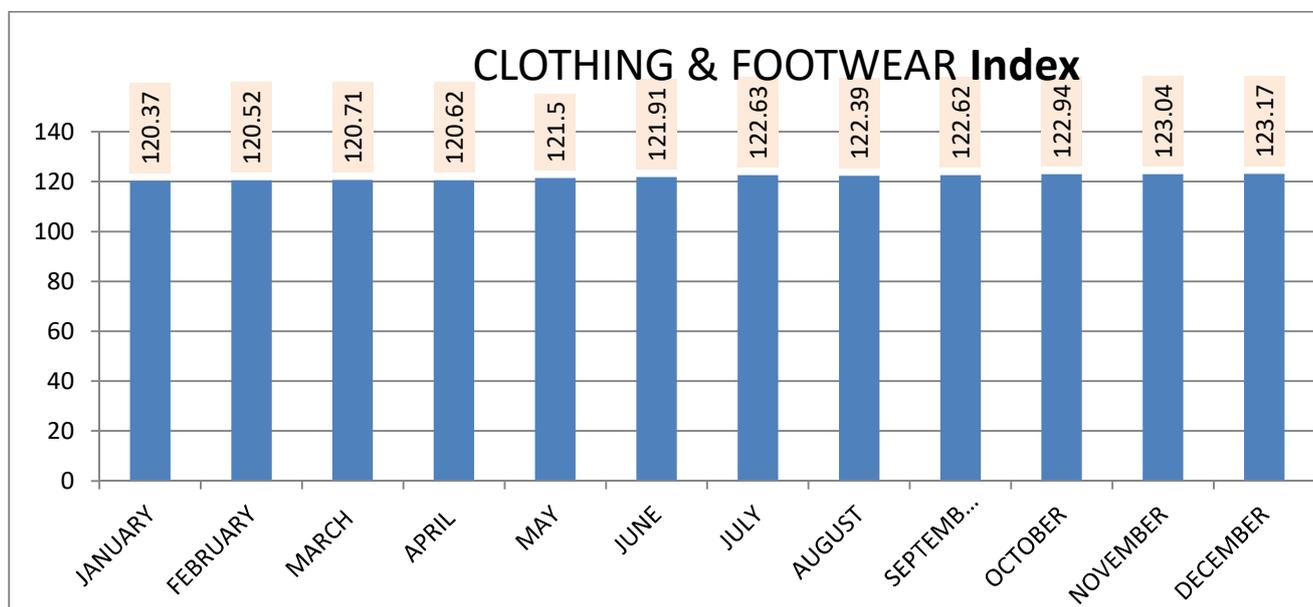
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	125.19	125.27	125.16	125.26	125.46	125.47	125.74	125.91	126.04	126.54	126.66	126.56



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, with only minor monthly variations. The index begins at 120.37 in January and rises gradually to 120.52 in February and 120.71 in March. A slight dip occurs in April at 120.62, but the index quickly resumes its upward movement in May, reaching 121.50, followed by a further rise to 121.91 in June. The index increases more noticeably in July to 122.63, then shows a small decline in August to 122.39. However, it picks up again in September at 122.62 and continues to climb through October at 122.94 and November at 123.04, before closing the year at its highest level of 123.17 in December. Overall, the Clothing & Footwear index reflects a consistent and gradual increase over the year, with only slight fluctuations in a few months.

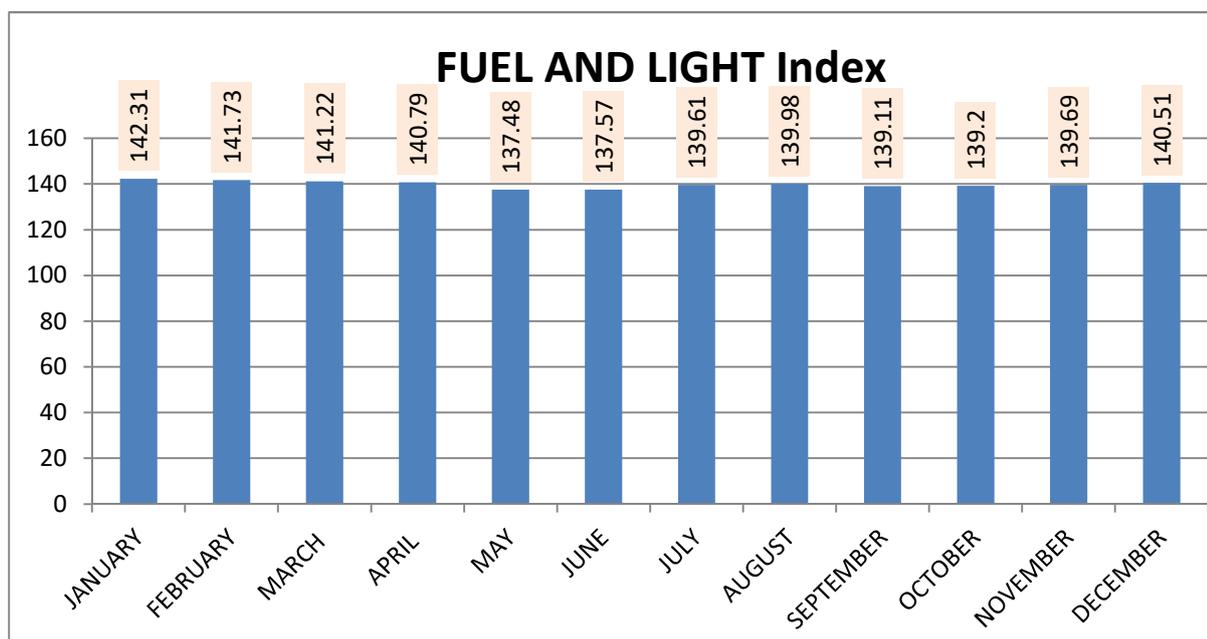
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	120.37	120.52	120.71	120.62	121.5	121.91	122.63	122.39	122.62	122.94	123.04	123.17



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows a declining trend in the first half of the year, followed by mild fluctuations and partial recovery in the later months. The index begins at 142.31 in January and gradually decreases through February at 141.73 and March at 141.22, continuing its downward movement to 140.79 in April. The lowest point is recorded in May at 137.48, after which the index stabilizes slightly, with a small rise to 137.57 in June. From July onward, the index shows a moderate upward trend, increasing to 139.61 in July and 139.98 in August. A minor dip occurs in September at 139.11, followed by small increases in October at 139.20 and November at 139.69. The index ends the year with a further rise to 140.51 in December. Overall, the data indicates a significant early-year decline followed by gradual stabilization and mild recovery in the latter months.

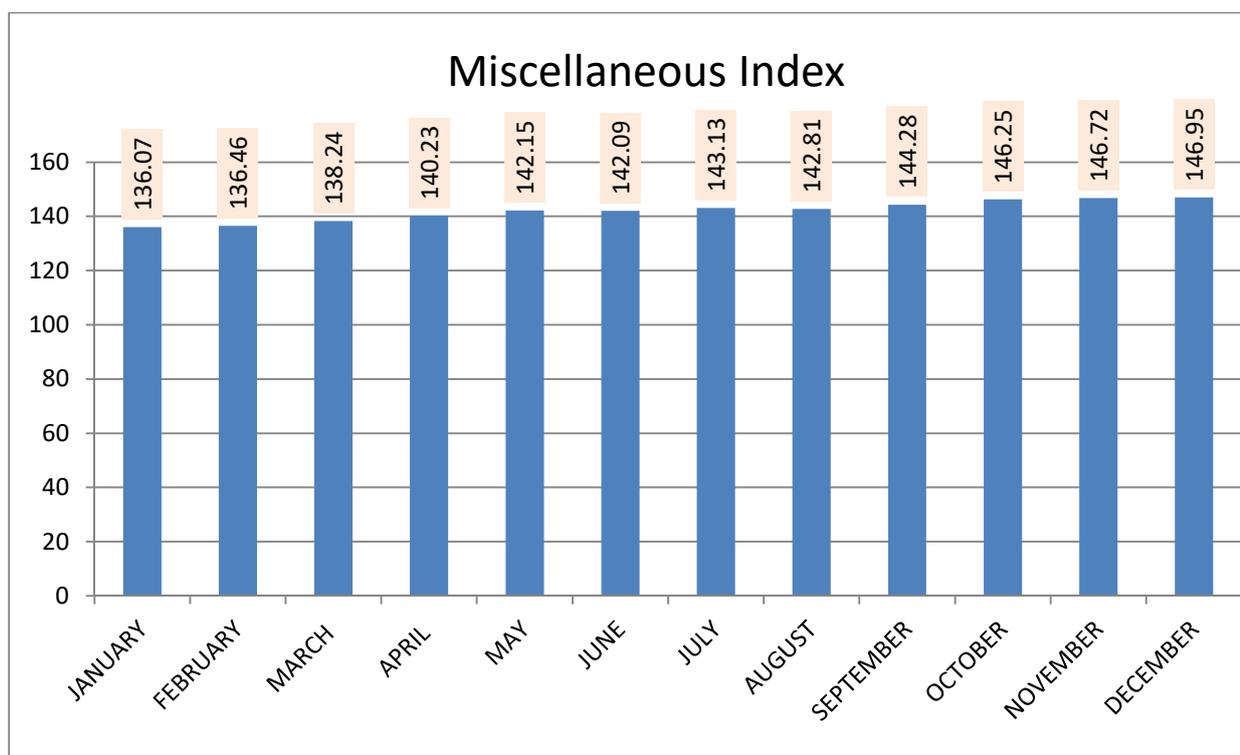
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	142.31	141.73	141.22	140.79	137.48	137.57	139.61	139.98	139.11	139.2	139.69	140.51



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a consistent upward trend throughout the year, with only minor fluctuations along the way. Starting at 136.07 in January, the index rises to 136.46 in February and climbs further to 138.24 in March. A sharper increase is seen in April at 140.23, followed by steady growth in May to 142.15. Although June records a slight dip to 142.09, the index resumes its upward movement in July at 143.13. A small decline in August to 142.81 is short-lived, as the index rises again in September to 144.28. Strong increases are observed in the final quarter, reaching 146.25 in October, 146.72 in November, and closing the year at its highest value of 146.95 in December. Overall, the Miscellaneous index reflects a clear and persistent rise, indicating continued increases in prices within this category throughout the year.

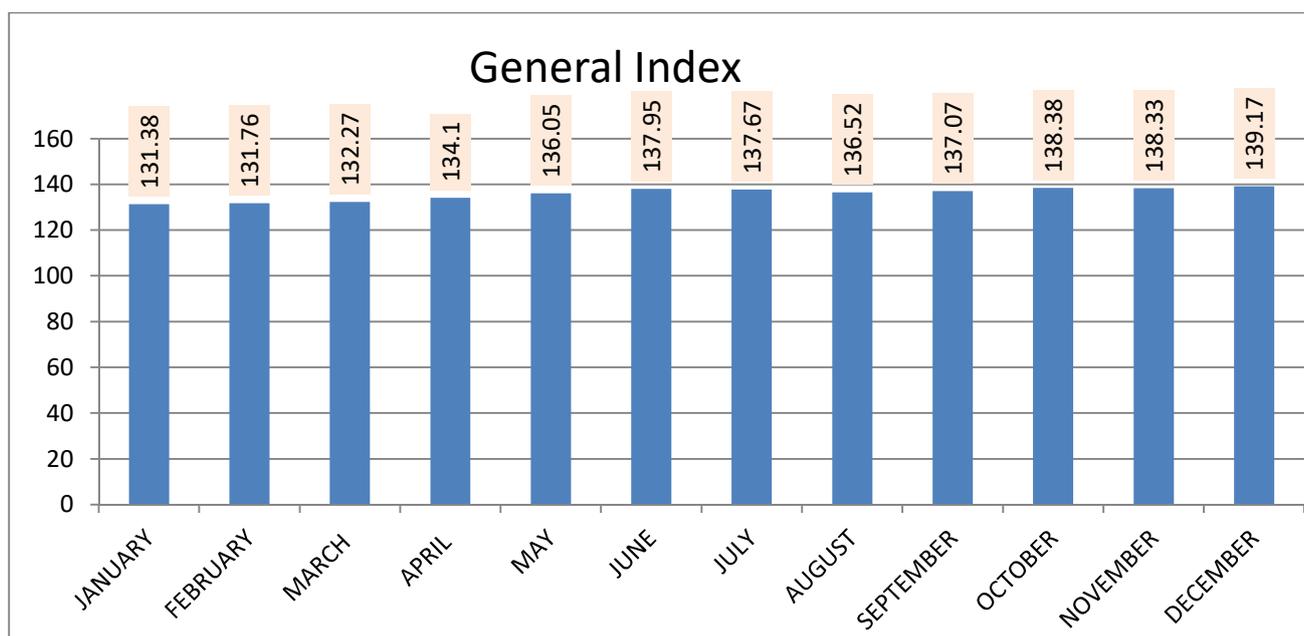
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	136.07	136.46	138.24	140.23	142.15	142.09	143.13	142.81	144.28	146.25	146.72	146.95



## General Index

The General index shows a steady upward movement over the year, with only minor fluctuations during a few months. The index begins at 131.38 in January and increases gradually to 131.76 in February and 132.27 in March. A more notable rise occurs in April, reaching 134.10, followed by continued growth in May at 136.05 and in June at 137.95. In July, the index shows a slight decline to 137.67 and dips further in August to 136.52. However, it recovers in September at 137.07 and continues its upward trend into October, reaching 138.38. A small dip occurs in November at 138.33, before the index ends the year at its highest point of 139.17 in December. Overall, the General index reflects a consistent annual increase, with brief mid-year declines followed by a strong recovery toward the end of the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	131.38	131.76	132.27	134.1	136.05	137.95	137.67	136.52	137.07	138.38	138.33	139.17



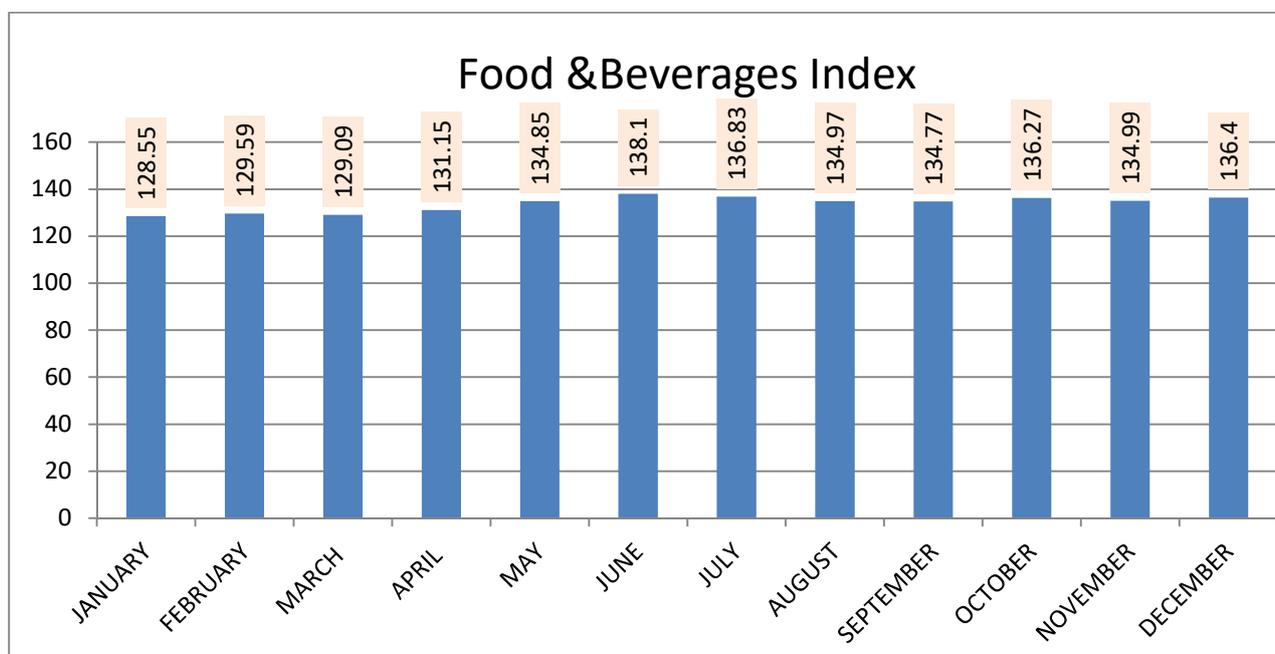
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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index shows a generally rising trend during the first half of the year, followed by moderate fluctuations in the later months. The index starts at 128.55 in January and increases to 129.59 in February, before recording a slight decline to 129.09 in March. A stronger upward movement appears in April at 131.15, continuing through May at 134.85 and reaching a peak of 138.10 in June. In July, the index falls slightly to 136.83 and declines further in August to 134.97 and in September to 134.77. A mild recovery occurs in October at 136.27, followed by another decrease to 134.99 in November. The year ends with an upward movement in December, reaching 136.40. Overall, the Food & Beverages index reflects significant early-year growth, followed by alternating increases and decreases in the second half.

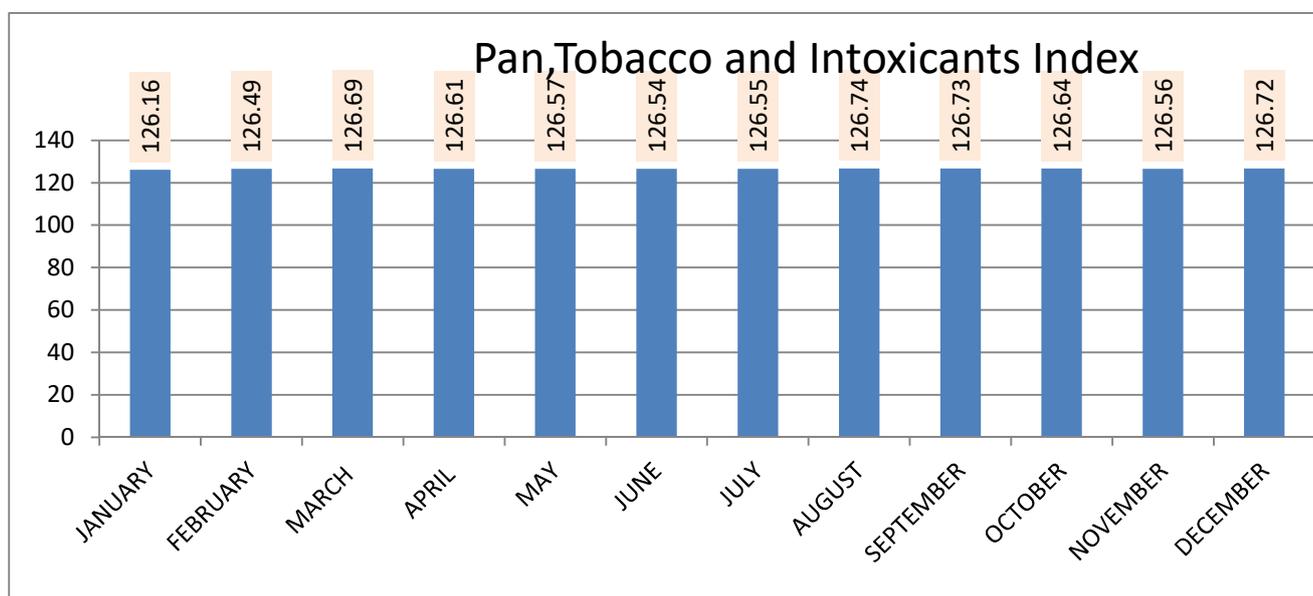
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	128.55	129.59	129.09	131.15	134.85	138.1	136.83	134.97	134.77	136.27	134.99	136.4



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants index remains largely stable throughout the year, showing only very small month-to-month variations. The index begins at 126.16 in January and rises gently to 126.49 in February and 126.69 in March. A slight dip occurs in April at 126.61, followed by marginal decreases in May at 126.57 and June at 126.54. The index remains almost unchanged in July at 126.55, then increases to 126.74 in August. A similar value is recorded in September at 126.73, after which the index decreases slightly to 126.64 in October and 126.56 in November. The year ends with a small rise to 126.72 in December. Overall, the index shows a pattern of minimal fluctuations, reflecting a stable price trend within this category.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	126.16	126.49	126.69	126.61	126.57	126.54	126.55	126.74	126.73	126.64	126.56	126.72



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index shows a gentle upward trend over the year, with only minor fluctuations during certain months. The index begins at 119.61 in January and remains almost unchanged in February at 119.57. A small increase occurs in March to 120.00 and continues in April at 120.08. From May onward, the index rises more steadily, reaching 121.09 in May and climbing further to 121.78 in both June and July. A slight dip occurs in August at 121.61, but the index recovers in September to 121.79. The upward momentum strengthens in the last quarter, with the index increasing to 122.48 in October, 122.60 in November, and ending the year at 122.75 in December. Overall, the Clothing & Footwear index reflects a smooth and consistent rise across the year, with only minimal month-to-month variations.

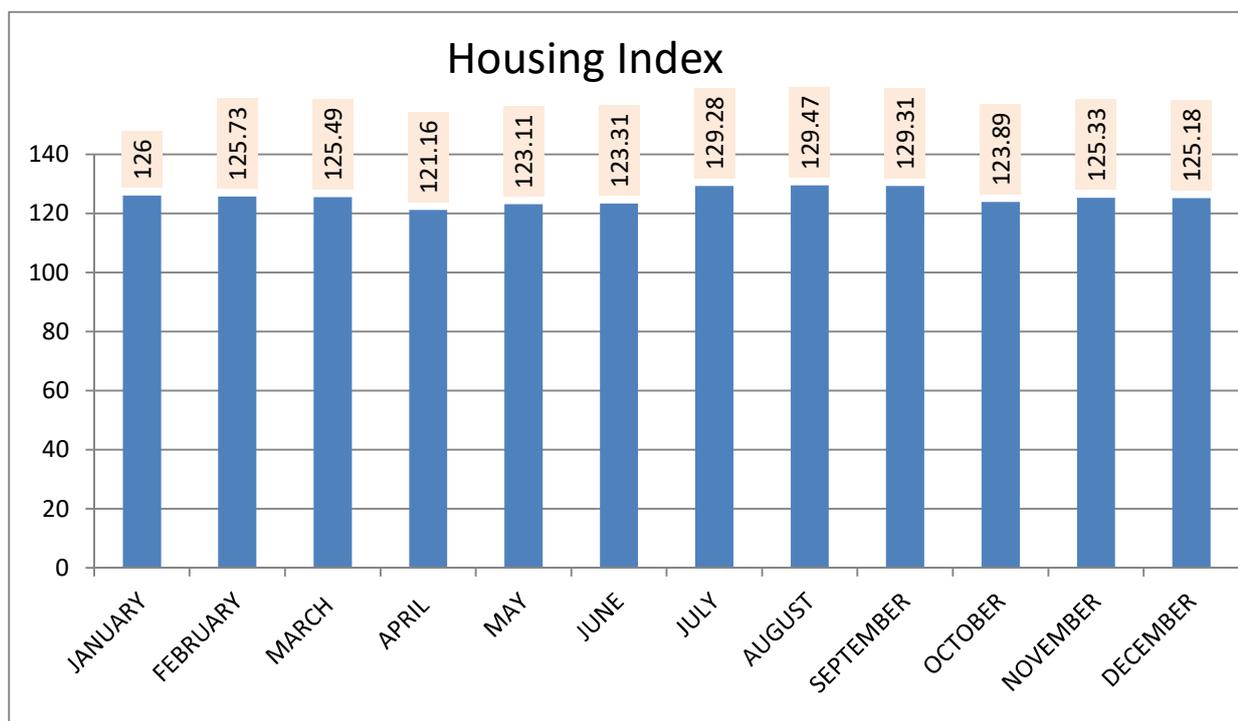
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	119.61	119.57	120	120.08	121.09	121.78	121.78	121.61	121.79	122.48	122.6	122.75



## Housing Index

The Housing index shows significant fluctuations throughout the year. It starts at 126 in January and gradually decreases to 125.73 in February and 125.49 in March, followed by a sharp decline in April to 121.16, marking the lowest point of the year. A modest recovery occurs in May at 123.11 and in June at 123.31. The index then rises sharply in July and August, reaching its peak at 129.28 and 129.47 respectively. In September, it remains high at 129.31, but declines significantly in October to 123.89. A slight recovery is observed in November at 125.33, followed by a minor dip in December at 125.18. Overall, the Housing index reflects pronounced mid-year increases surrounded by early and late-year declines, indicating considerable seasonal and market fluctuations.

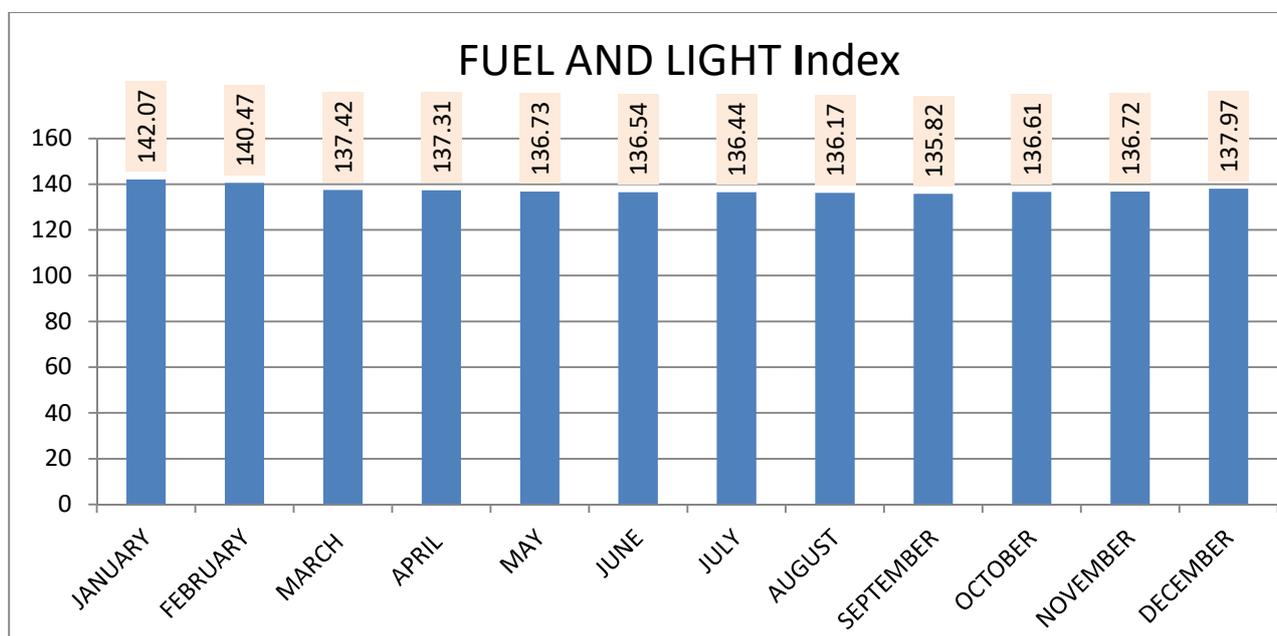
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	126	125.73	125.49	121.16	123.11	123.31	129.28	129.47	129.31	123.89	125.33	125.18



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows a declining trend in the first half of the year, followed by relative stability and a slight recovery towards the end. The index starts at 142.07 in January and drops steadily to 140.47 in February and 137.42 in March. A slight decrease continues through April at 137.31 and May at 136.73, with minor reductions in June and July to 136.54 and 136.44 respectively. August and September record further small declines, reaching 136.17 and 135.82. A modest recovery occurs in October at 136.61, followed by slight increases in November at 136.72 and December at 137.97. Overall, the Fuel and Light index reflects a sharp early-year decline, followed by relative stability and a gradual upward trend towards the end of the year.

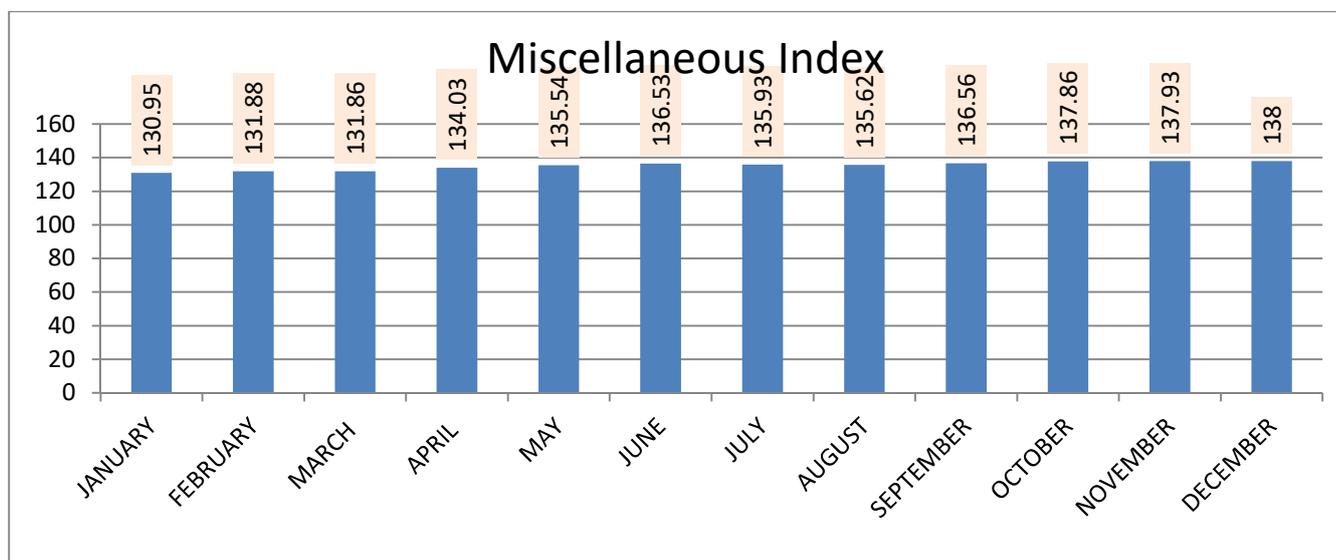
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	142.07	140.47	137.42	137.31	136.73	136.54	136.44	136.17	135.82	136.61	136.72	137.97



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations in certain months. The index begins at 130.95 in January and rises to 131.88 in February, remaining almost unchanged in March at 131.86. A stronger increase occurs in April at 134.03, followed by continued growth in May and June at 135.54 and 136.53 respectively. A slight decline is observed in July and August, with the index dropping to 135.93 and 135.62. The upward trend resumes in September at 136.56 and continues steadily through October at 137.86, November at 137.93, and reaches its highest value of 138 in December. Overall, the Miscellaneous index reflects consistent annual growth with only minor mid-year fluctuations.

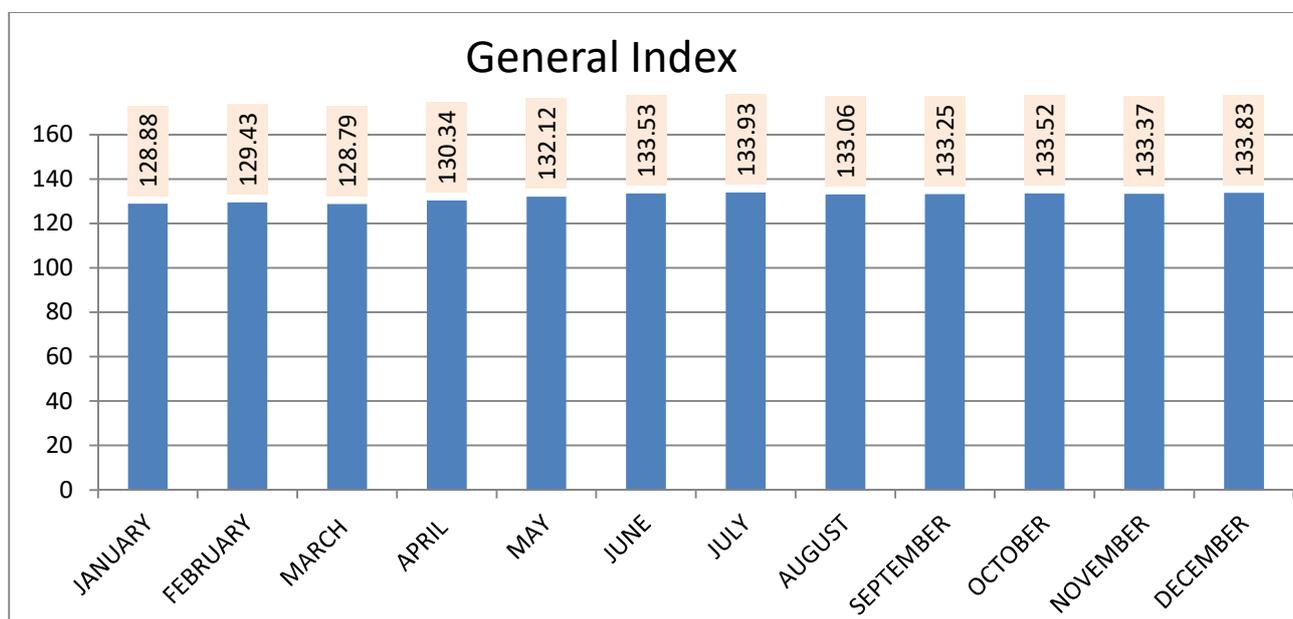
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	130.95	131.88	131.86	134.03	135.54	136.53	135.93	135.62	136.56	137.86	137.93	138



## General Index

The General index shows a gradual upward trend over the year, with some minor fluctuations along the way. The index begins at 128.88 in January and rises to 129.43 in February, before dipping slightly to 128.79 in March. A noticeable increase occurs in April at 130.34, followed by steady growth in May and June at 132.12 and 133.53 respectively. The index continues to rise slightly in July at 133.93, but decreases in August to 133.06. A modest recovery occurs in September at 133.25, with minor fluctuations in October at 133.52 and November at 133.37. The year ends with an increase to 133.83 in December. Overall, the General index reflects a consistent upward trend, tempered by small mid-year variations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	128.88	129.43	128.79	130.34	132.12	133.53	133.93	133.06	133.25	133.52	133.37	133.83



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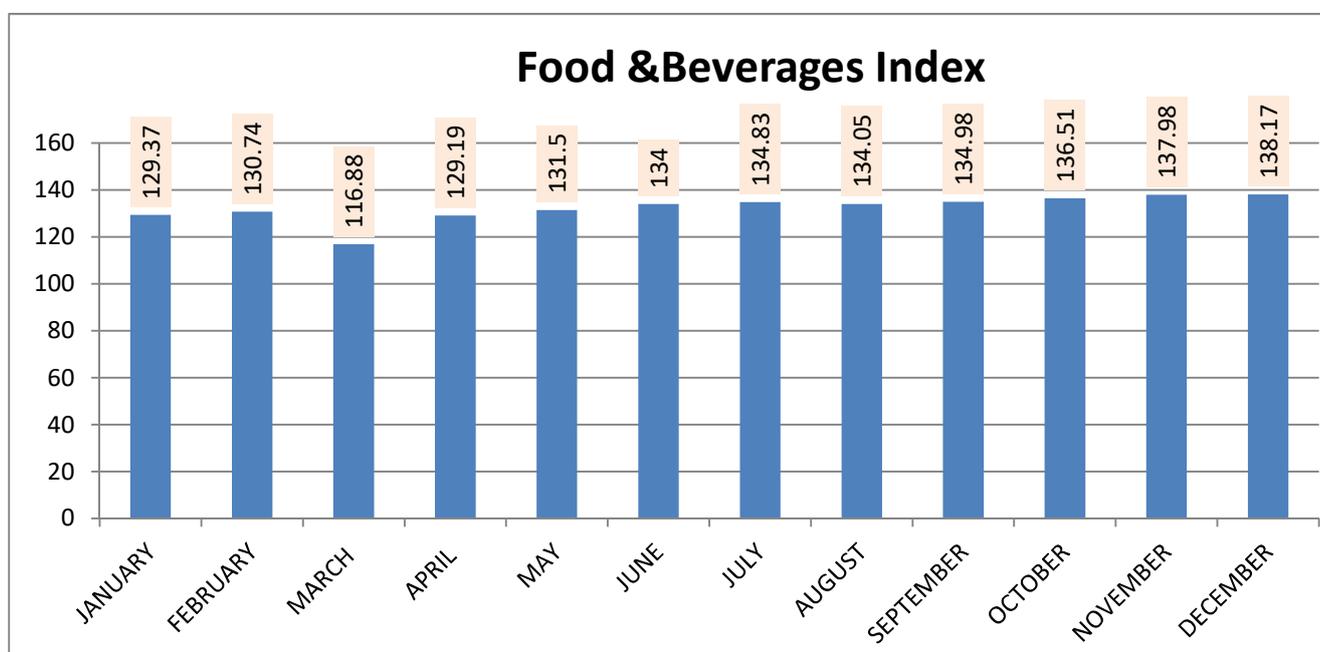
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#### FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index

The Food & Beverages index shows a generally upward trend throughout the year, although it experiences a sharp decline in March. The index starts at 129.37 in January and rises to 130.74 in February, before dropping significantly to 116.88 in March. A strong recovery occurs in April at 129.19, followed by steady increases in May and June at 131.50 and 134.00 respectively. The index continues to rise in July to 134.83, with a slight dip in August at 134.05. From September onward, the index resumes its upward trend, reaching 134.98 in September, 136.51 in October, 137.98 in November, and ending the year at 138.17 in December. Overall, the Food & Beverages index reflects a sharp early-year fluctuation, followed by sustained growth through the remainder of the year.

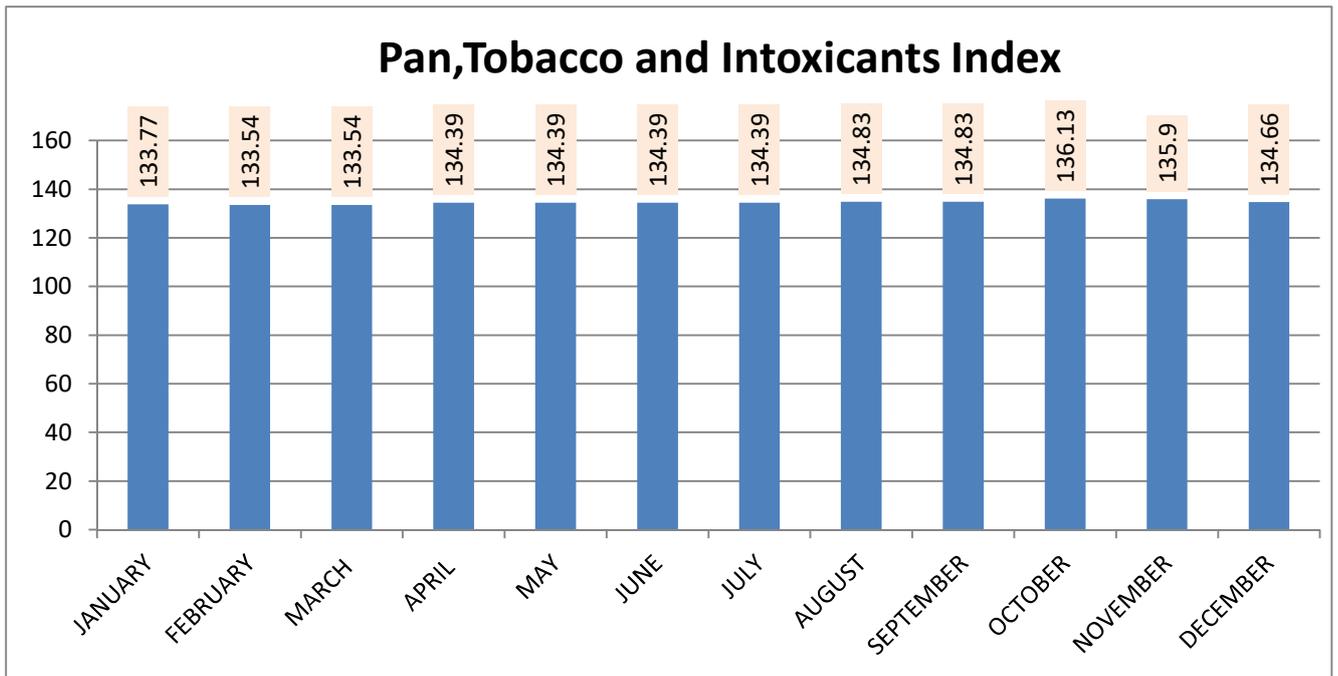
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	129.37	130.74	116.88	129.19	131.5	134	134.83	134.05	134.98	136.51	137.98	138.17



### PAN, TOBACCO AND INTOXICANTS Index

The Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants index remains largely stable throughout the year, with minor fluctuations. The index begins at 133.77 in January and slightly decreases to 133.54 in February and March. A gradual increase occurs in April through July, reaching 134.39, and the index remains steady at this level for several months. In August, a small rise takes it to 134.83, which is maintained in September. A more noticeable increase occurs in October, reaching 136.13, followed by a slight decline to 135.90 in November. The index then decreases further to 134.66 in December. Overall, the index reflects stability with minor increases and decreases, showing limited volatility throughout the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	133.77	133.54	133.54	134.39	134.39	134.39	134.39	134.83	134.83	136.13	135.9	134.66



### CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations in certain months. The index starts at 120.34 in January and rises gradually to 120.83 in February and 121.16 in March, followed by a slight increase to 121.40 in April. A stronger rise occurs in May at 123.65, continuing to 125.28 in June. The index remains nearly stable in July at 125.24, before increasing again in August to 125.72. From September onward, the index continues to rise gradually, reaching 126.01 in September, 126.22 in October, 126.28 in November, and ending the year at 126.29 in December. Overall, the Clothing & Footwear index reflects consistent growth with minor month-to-month variations throughout the year.

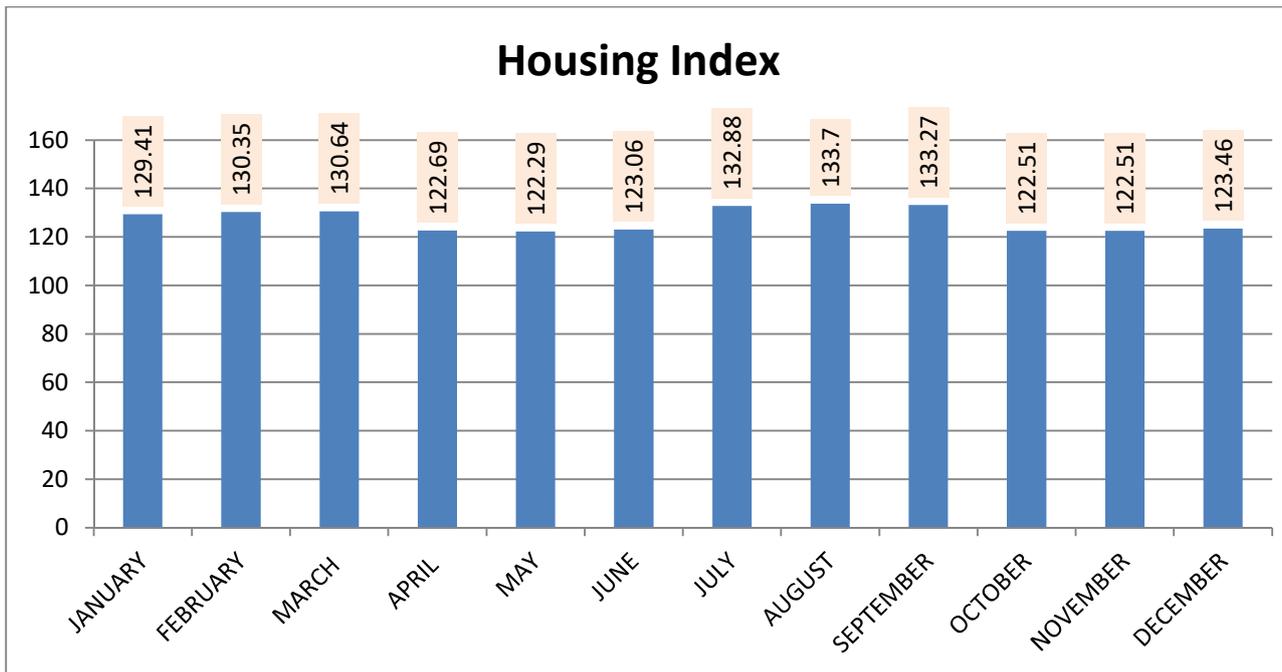
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<b>CLOTHING &amp; FOOTWEAR Index</b>	120.34	120.83	121.16	121.4	123.65	125.28	125.24	125.72	126.01	126.22	126.28	126.29



## HOUSING INDEX

The Housing index shows significant fluctuations throughout the year. It starts at 129.41 in January and rises gradually to 130.35 in February and 130.64 in March, followed by a sharp decline in April and May to 122.69 and 122.29 respectively. A moderate recovery occurs in June at 123.06, before a sharp increase in July and August, reaching 132.88 and 133.70, the highest levels of the year. The index slightly decreases in September to 133.27 and then drops significantly in October and November to 122.51, maintaining this level before a small recovery in December at 123.46. Overall, the Housing index reflects pronounced mid-year peaks surrounded by early and late-year declines, indicating strong seasonal and market fluctuations.

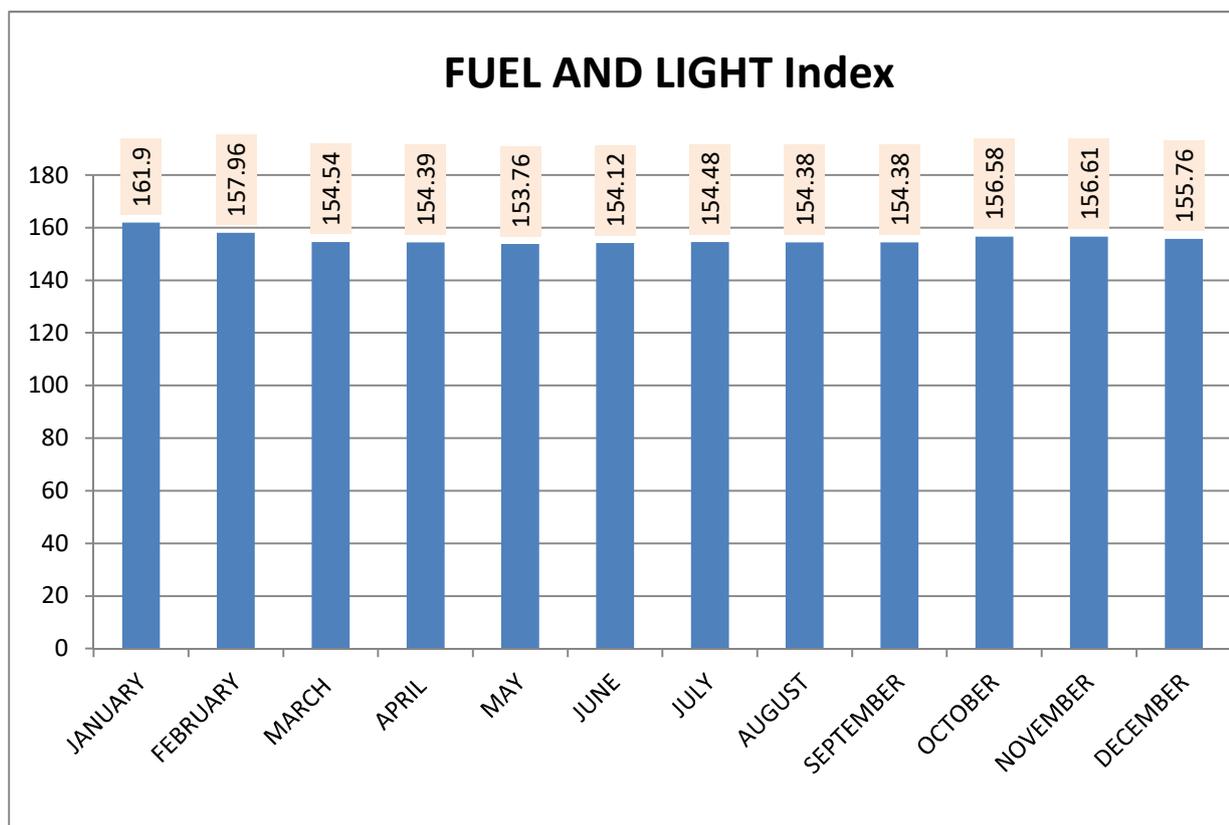
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Housing Index	129.41	130.35	130.64	122.69	122.29	123.06	132.88	133.7	133.27	122.51	122.51	123.46



## FUEL AND LIGHT INDEX

The prices for Fuel and Light showed a gradual decline during the initial months of the year, dropping from 161.9 in January to 153.76 in May. From June onwards, the prices remained relatively stable, fluctuating slightly between 154.12 and 154.48 until August. A minor increase was observed in October and November, reaching 156.58 and 156.61 respectively, before a slight decline to 155.76 in December. Overall, the year witnessed a moderate decrease in prices during the first half, followed by stability with small fluctuations in the latter half.

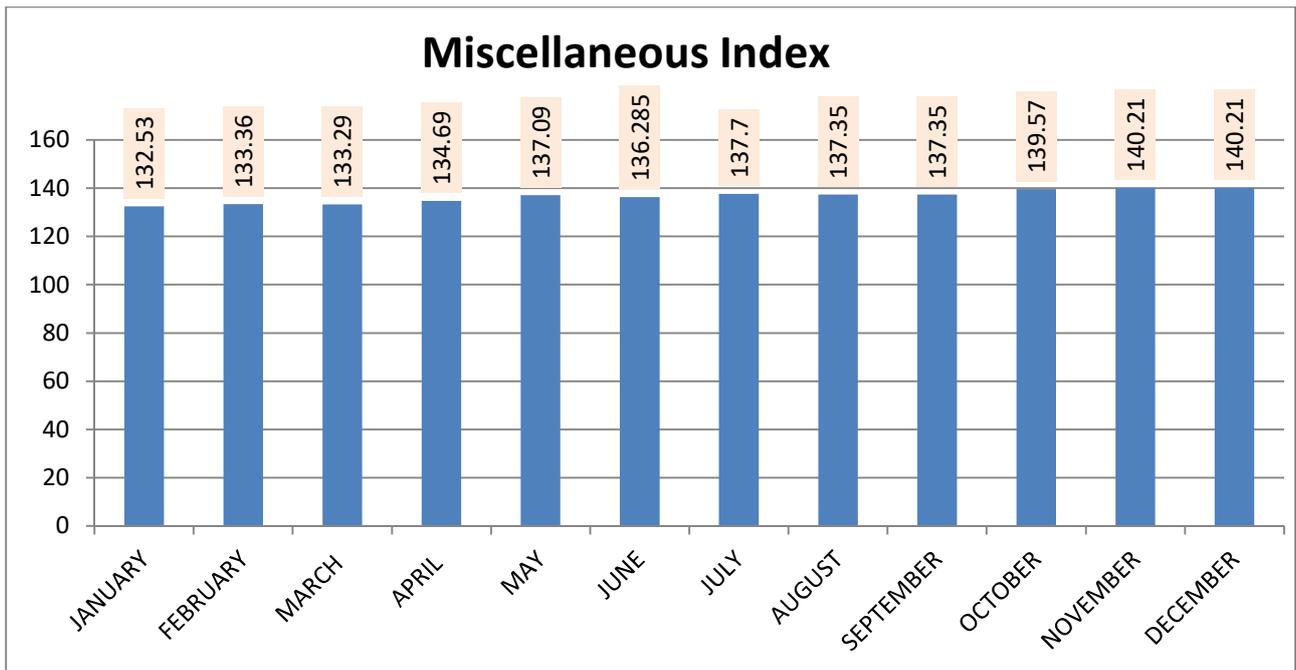
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	161.9	157.96	154.54	154.39	153.76	154.12	154.48	154.38	154.38	156.58	156.61	155.76



### Miscellaneous Index

The prices for Miscellaneous items showed a gradual upward trend throughout the year. Starting at 132.53 in January, the prices increased steadily, reaching 137.09 by May. Minor fluctuations were observed in June and July, with prices at 136.29 and 137.7 respectively, followed by stability between August and September at around 137.35. The latter part of the year saw a further rise, peaking at 140.21 in November and remaining unchanged in December. Overall, the year experienced a consistent increase in prices with slight mid-year variations.

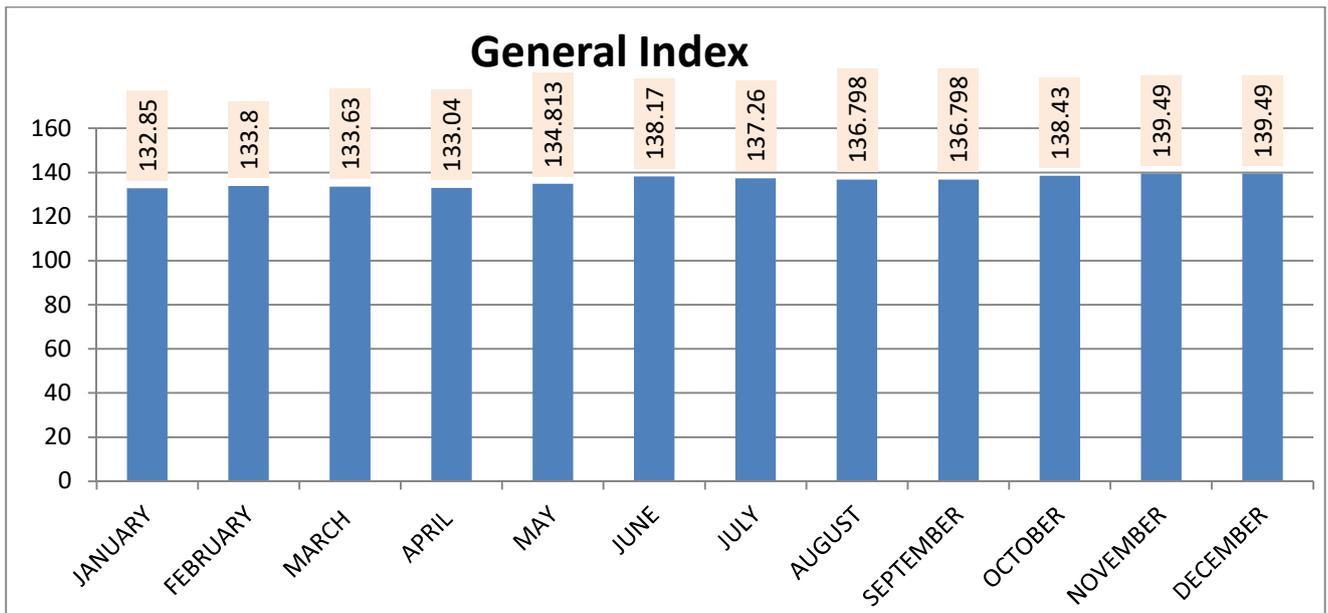
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	132.53	133.36	133.29	134.69	137.09	136.285	137.7	137.35	137.35	139.57	140.21	140.21



### General Index

The prices for General items exhibited a gradual increase over the year with minor fluctuations. Starting at 132.85 in January, the prices rose steadily to 134.81 by May. June saw a notable jump to 138.17, followed by a slight decline in July and August, reaching 137.26 and 136.798 respectively. Prices stabilized in September at 136.80 before increasing again in October and November, peaking at 139.49, and remaining unchanged in December. Overall, the year showed an upward trend with occasional mid-year fluctuations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	132.85	133.8	133.63	133.04	134.813	138.17	137.26	136.798	136.798	138.43	139.49	139.49

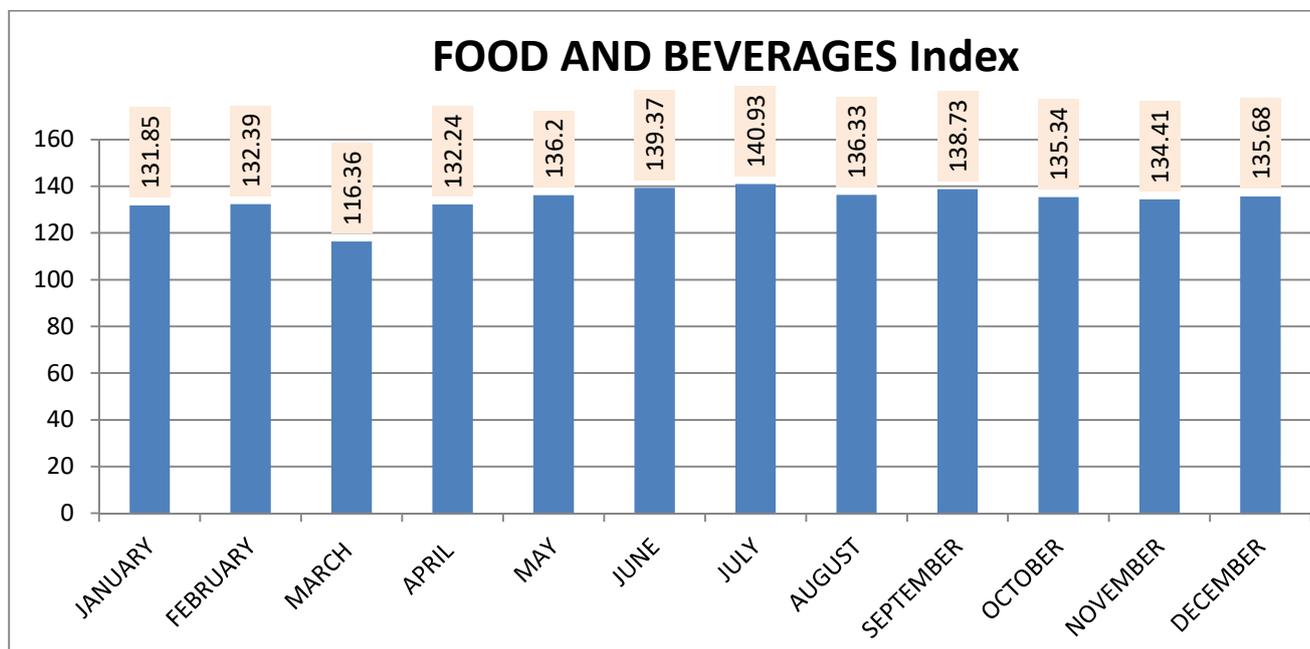


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### FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index

The prices for Food & Beverages showed notable fluctuations throughout the year. Beginning at 131.85 in January, prices rose slightly in February to 132.39 but then dropped sharply to 116.36 in March. From April onwards, prices rebounded, reaching 136.2 in May and peaking at 140.93 in July. A slight decline followed in August to 136.33, with minor fluctuations in the remaining months, ending the year at 135.68 in December. Overall, the year experienced significant mid-year increases after an early sharp dip, followed by moderate variations towards the end.

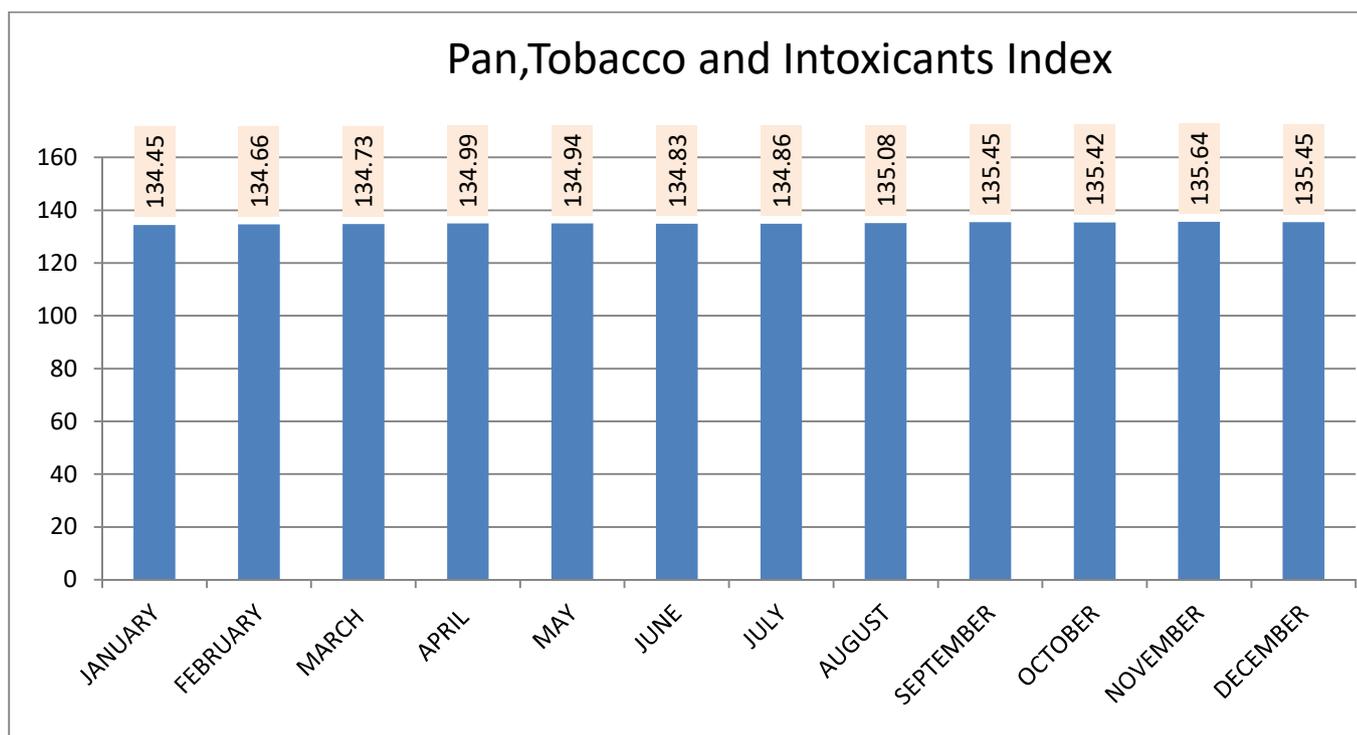
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	131.85	132.39	116.36	132.24	136.2	139.37	140.93	136.33	138.73	135.34	134.41	135.68



### PAN , TOBACCO AND INTOXICANTS Index

The prices for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants remained relatively stable throughout the year, with only minor fluctuations. Starting at 134.45 in January, prices showed a gradual increase, reaching 134.99 in April. A slight decline occurred in May and June, followed by small incremental rises in July through September, peaking at 135.45 in September. The prices remained almost steady for the rest of the year, ending at 135.45 in December. Overall, the year exhibited stability with minimal variations in prices.

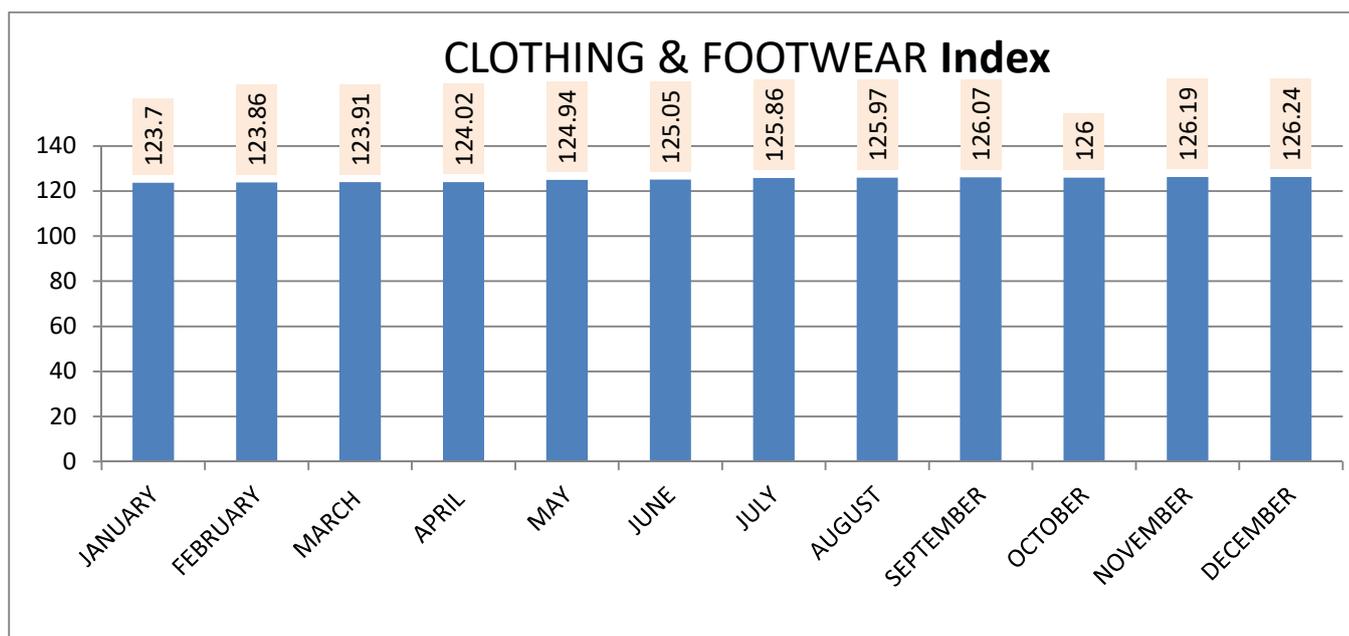
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	134.45	134.66	134.73	134.99	134.94	134.83	134.86	135.08	135.45	135.42	135.64	135.45



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The prices for Clothing & Footwear showed a steady upward trend throughout the year. Beginning at 123.7 in January, prices rose gradually each month, reaching 124.94 in May. The increase continued at a slower pace over the subsequent months, peaking at 126.24 in December. Overall, the year exhibited a consistent, moderate rise in prices with minimal fluctuations, indicating relative stability in this category.

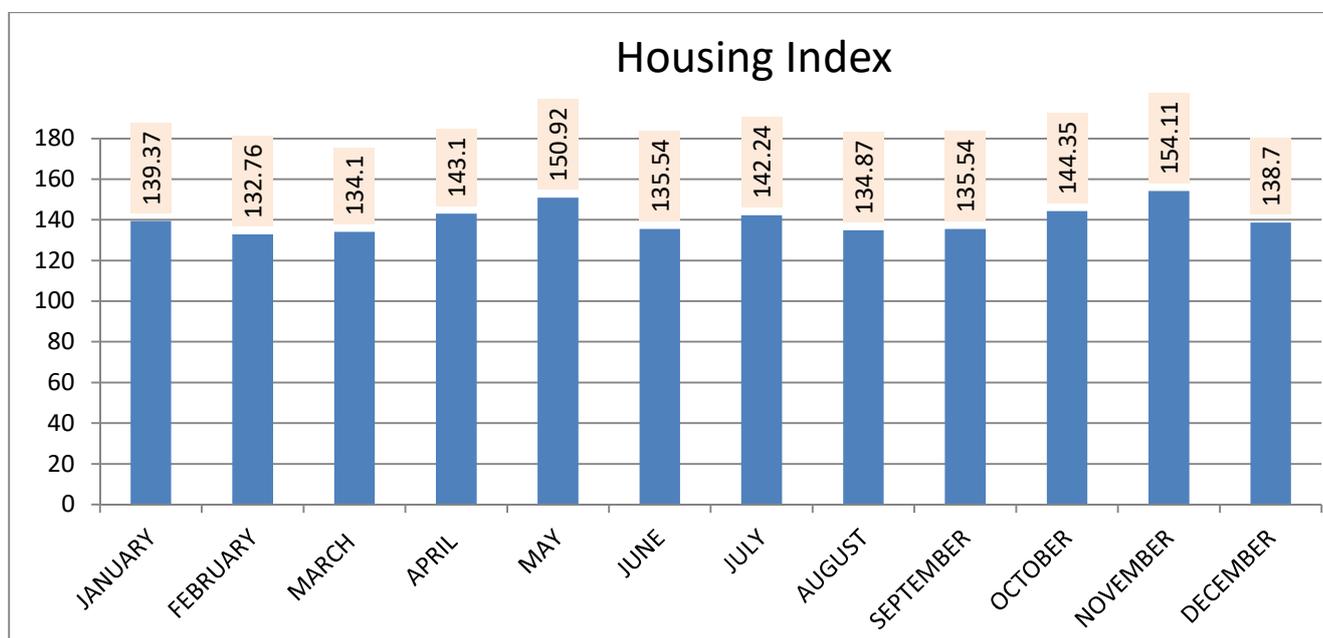
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	123.7	123.86	123.91	124.02	124.94	125.05	125.86	125.97	126.07	126	126.19	126.24



## Housing Index

The prices for Housing showed significant fluctuations throughout the year. Starting at 139.37 in January, prices dropped to 132.76 in February but rose slightly to 134.1 in March. A sharp increase occurred in April and May, reaching 143.1 and 150.92 respectively, followed by a decline to 135.54 in June. July saw another rise to 142.24, which was followed by a drop to 134.87 in August. From September to November, prices increased again, peaking at 154.11 in November before falling to 138.7 in December. Overall, the year experienced high volatility, with several sharp rises and falls in housing prices.

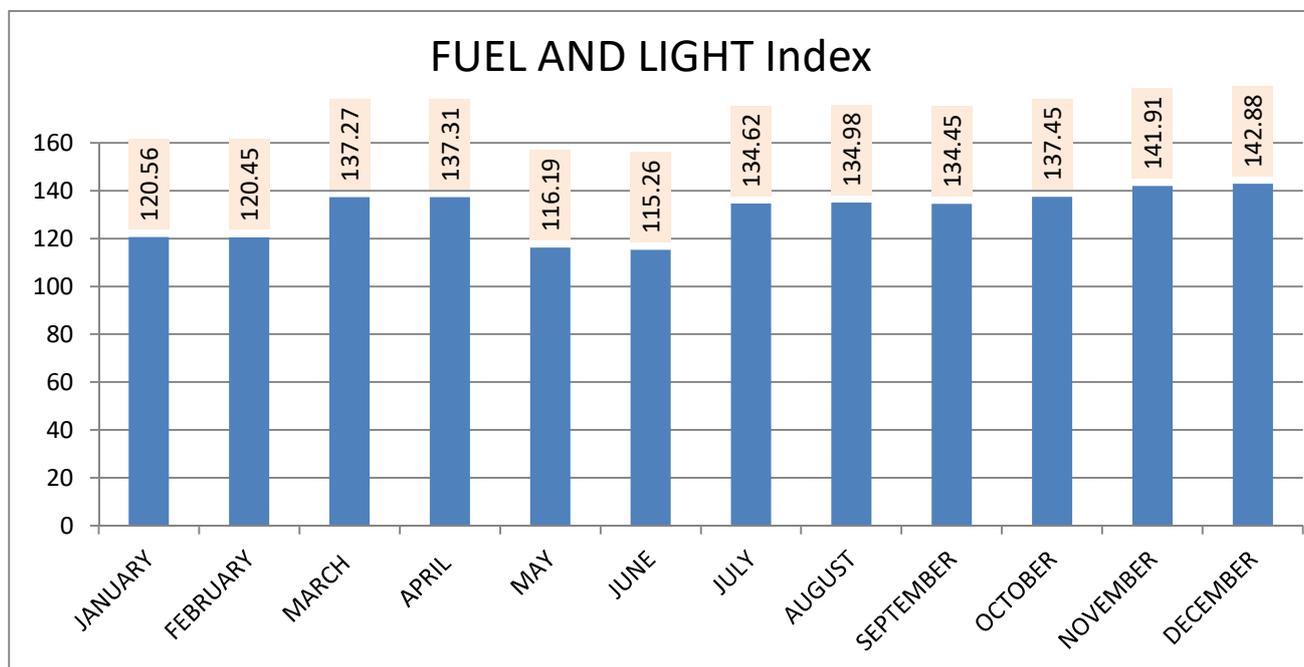
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	139.37	132.76	134.1	143.1	150.92	135.54	142.24	134.87	135.54	144.35	154.11	138.7



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The prices for Fuel and Light exhibited considerable fluctuations throughout the year. Starting at 120.56 in January, prices remained almost stable in February before rising sharply to 137.27 in March and 137.31 in April. A notable decline followed in May and June, dropping to 116.19 and 115.26 respectively. Prices then rebounded in July and August to 134.62 and 134.98, followed by minor fluctuations in September and October. The year ended with an upward trend, reaching 141.91 in November and 142.88 in December. Overall, the year experienced significant volatility, with sharp rises and falls in prices.

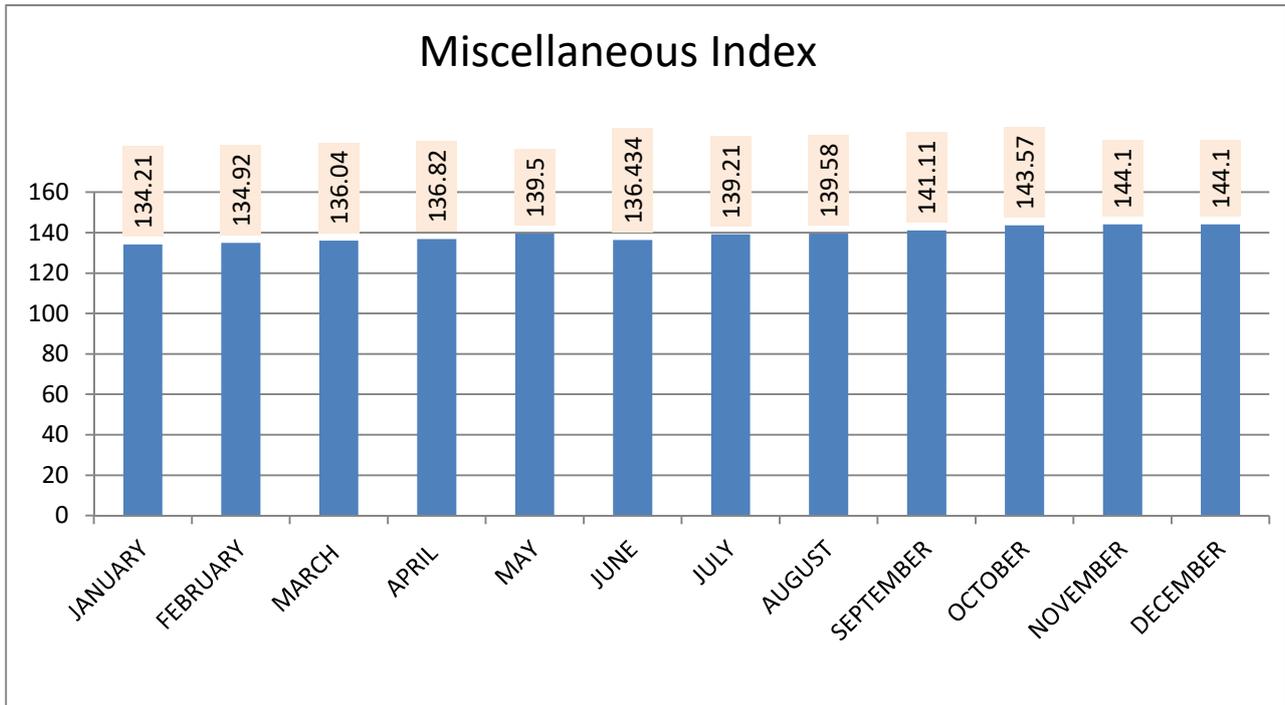
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	120.56	120.45	137.27	137.31	116.19	115.26	134.62	134.98	134.45	137.45	141.91	142.88



### Miscellaneous Index

The prices for Miscellaneous items showed a steady upward trend throughout the year, with minor mid-year fluctuations. Beginning at 134.21 in January, prices gradually increased to 139.5 in May, followed by a slight dip to 136.43 in June. Prices then rebounded, rising steadily from July onwards, reaching 144.1 in November and remaining unchanged in December. Overall, the year exhibited a consistent increase in prices, reflecting moderate growth with minor fluctuations in the middle months.

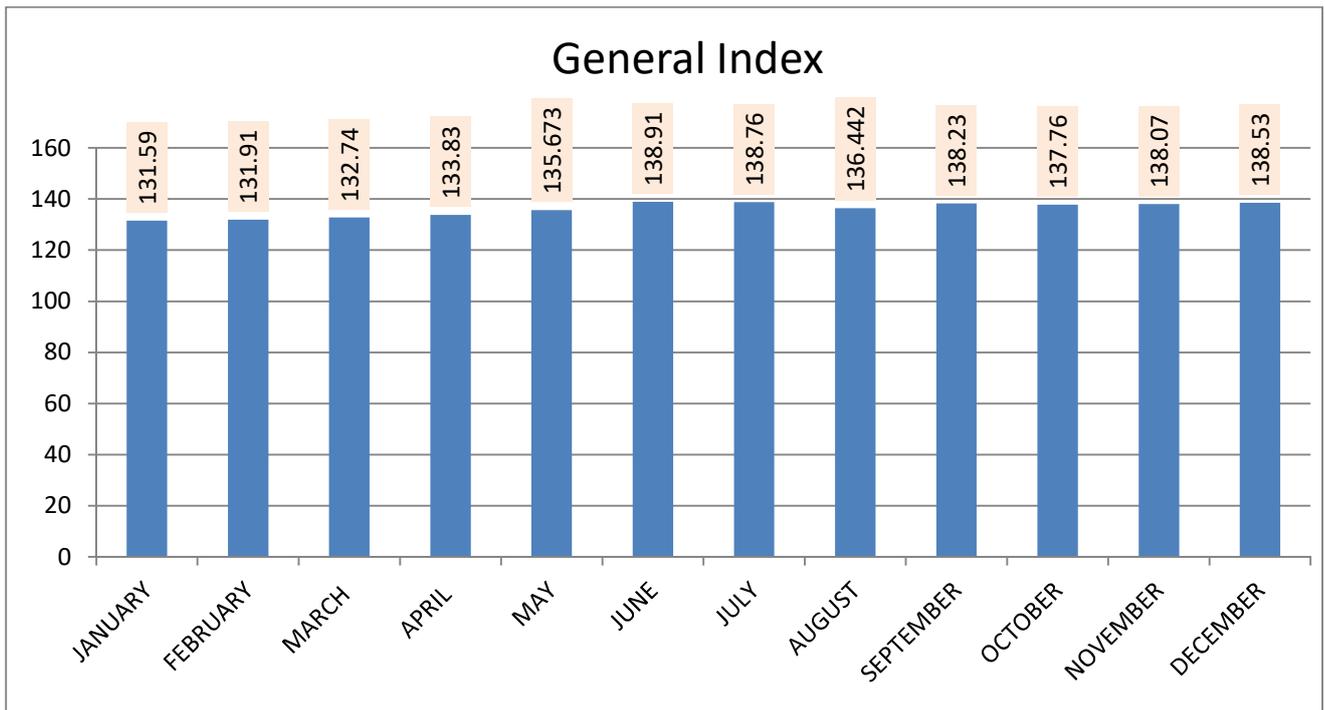
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Miscellaneous Index	134.21	134.92	136.04	136.82	139.5	136.434	139.21	139.58	141.11	143.57	144.1	144.1



### General Index

The prices for General items showed a gradual upward trend over the year with some minor fluctuations. Starting at 131.59 in January, prices increased steadily, reaching 135.67 in May and 138.91 in June. A slight decline occurred in July and August, with prices at 138.76 and 136.44 respectively, followed by a rebound in September to 138.23. Prices remained relatively stable in the last quarter, ending at 138.53 in December. Overall, the year demonstrated a consistent increase with occasional mid-year fluctuations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	131.59	131.91	132.74	133.83	135.673	138.91	138.76	136.442	138.23	137.76	138.07	138.53

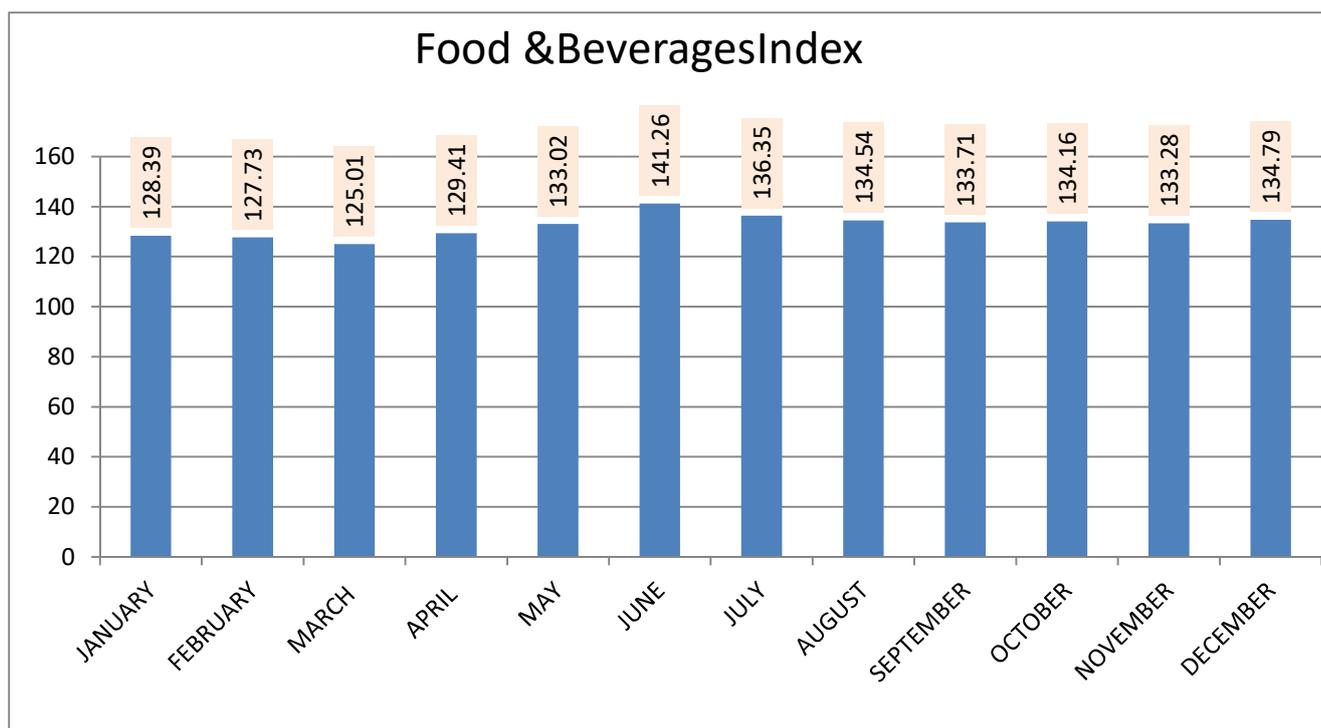


## PATHANAMTHITTA

### Food & Beverages Index

The prices for General items showed a gradual upward trend over the year with some minor fluctuations. Starting at 131.59 in January, prices increased steadily, reaching 135.67 in May and 138.91 in June. A slight decline occurred in July and August, with prices at 138.76 and 136.44 respectively, followed by a rebound in September to 138.23. Prices remained relatively stable in the last quarter, ending at 138.53 in December. Overall, the year demonstrated a consistent increase with occasional mid-year fluctuations.

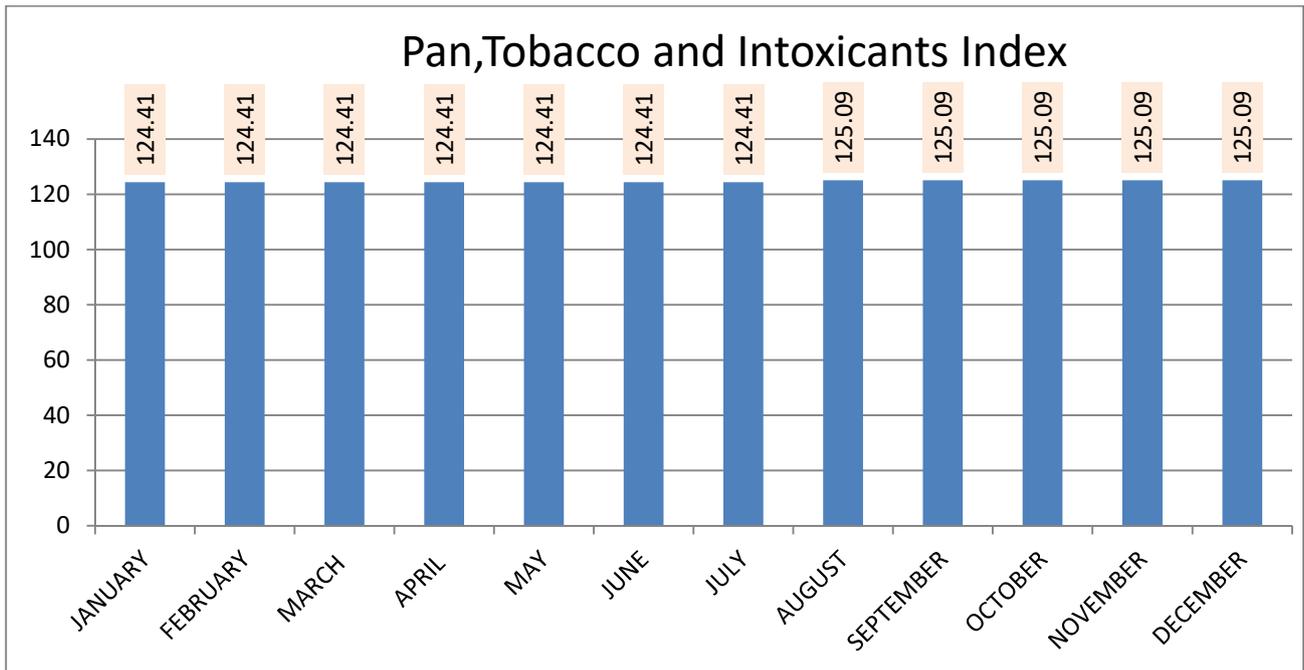
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	128.39	127.73	125.01	129.41	133.02	141.26	136.35	134.54	133.71	134.16	133.28	134.79



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The prices for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants remained remarkably stable throughout the year. Starting at 124.41 in January, prices did not change for the first seven months. A slight increase occurred in August, rising to 125.09, and remained steady at this level through December. Overall, the year exhibited minimal variation, reflecting strong price stability in this category.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	124.41	124.41	124.41	124.41	124.41	124.41	124.41	125.09	125.09	125.09	125.09	125.09



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The prices for Clothing & Footwear showed a steady upward trend throughout the year. Beginning at 127.12 in January, prices increased gradually each month, reaching 128.67 in June. Minor fluctuations were observed in July and August, with prices at 128.75 and 128.26 respectively. The latter part of the year saw a more pronounced rise, peaking at 130.32 in October and remaining stable through December. Overall, the year exhibited a consistent increase in prices with slight mid-year variations

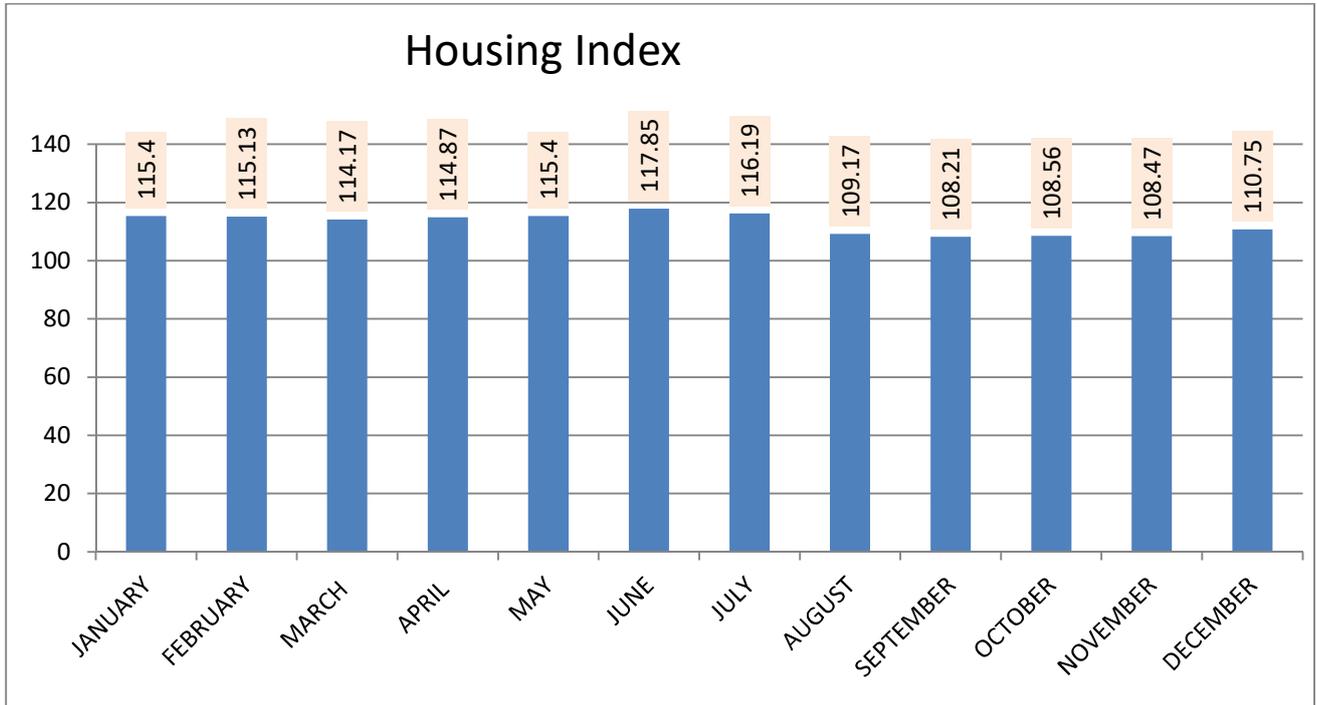
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	127.12	127.35	127.43	127.67	128.15	128.67	128.75	128.26	129.02	130.32	130.32	130.32



### Housing Index

The prices for Housing showed moderate fluctuations throughout the year. Starting at 115.4 in January, prices slightly declined to 114.17 in March before recovering to 115.4 in May. A notable increase occurred in June, reaching 117.85, followed by a gradual decline over the next few months, hitting the lowest point of 108.21 in September. Prices remained relatively stable in October and November, and rose slightly to 110.75 in December. Overall, the year exhibited a pattern of moderate volatility with an early-year stability, mid-year peak, and late-year decline followed by a minor recovery.

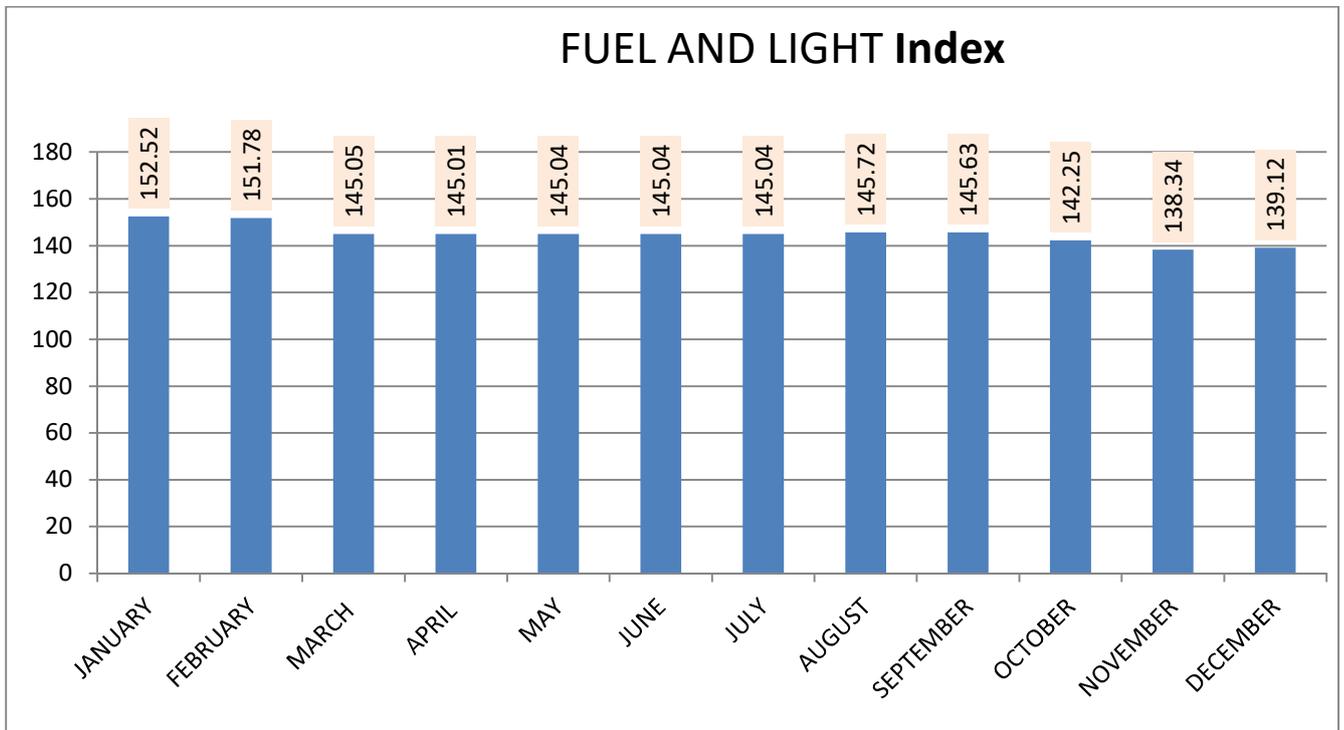
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	115.4	115.13	114.17	114.87	115.4	117.85	116.19	109.17	108.21	108.56	108.47	110.75



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The prices for Fuel and Light showed a gradual decline over the year. Starting at 152.52 in January, prices decreased slightly to 151.78 in February and then fell more sharply to 145.05 in March, remaining nearly stable through July. A minor increase occurred in August and September, reaching 145.72 and 145.63 respectively, followed by a steady decline in October and November to 142.25 and 138.34. Prices rose slightly to 139.12 in December. Overall, the year exhibited a downward trend with minor mid-year fluctuations.

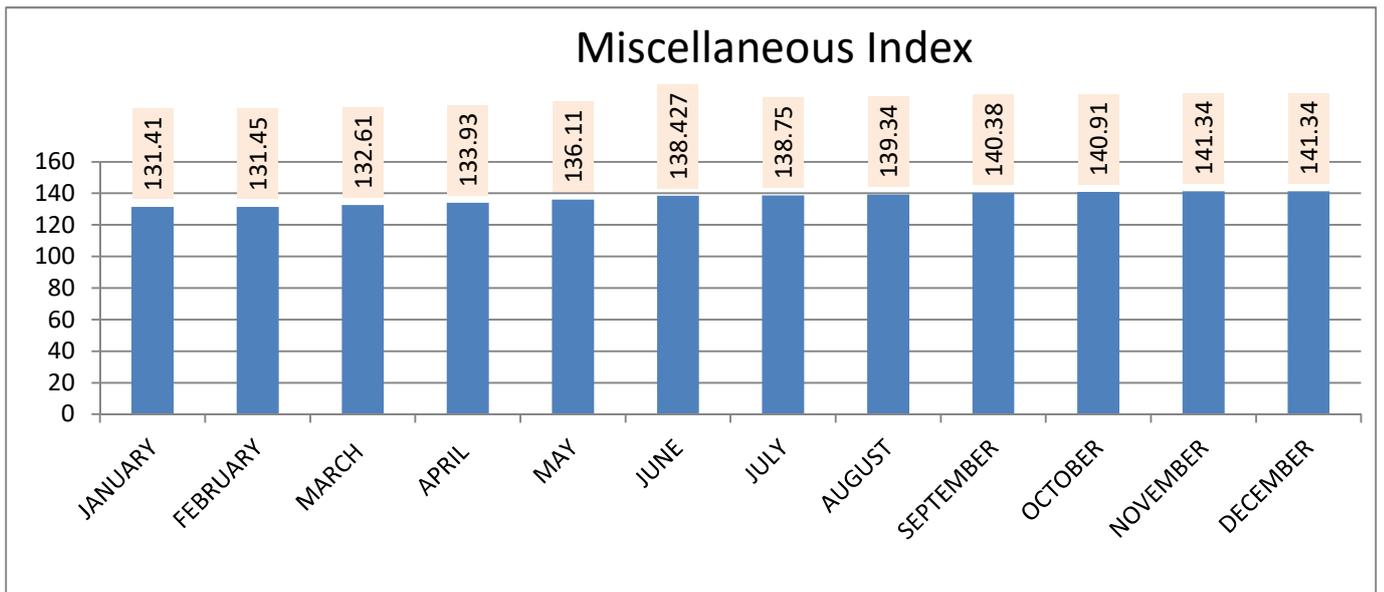
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	152.52	151.78	145.05	145.01	145.04	145.04	145.04	145.72	145.63	142.25	138.34	139.12



### Miscellaneous Index

The prices for miscellaneous items showed a steady upward trend throughout the year. Starting at 131.41 in January, prices rose gradually to 136.11 in May, followed by continued increases in the following months. By August, prices reached 139.34, and the upward trend continued into the final quarter, peaking at 141.34 in November and remaining unchanged in December. Overall, the year exhibited consistent growth in prices with minor month-to-month variations.

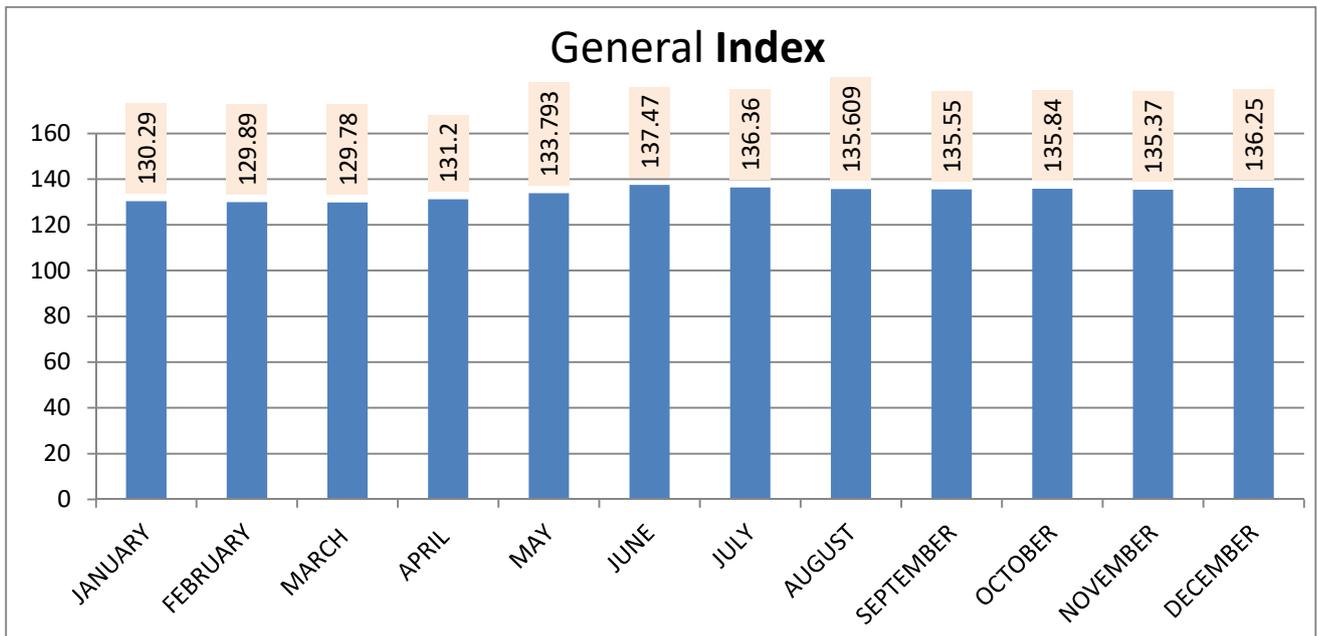
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	131.41	131.45	132.61	133.93	136.11	138.427	138.75	139.34	140.38	140.91	141.34	141.34



### General Index

The prices for General items showed a gradual upward trend over the year with some fluctuations. Beginning at 130.29 in January, prices declined slightly in February and March to 129.89 and 129.78 respectively, before rising to 133.79 in May. June saw a notable increase to 137.47, followed by a slight decline in July and August, reaching 136.36 and 135.61 respectively. Prices remained relatively stable in the last quarter, ending at 136.25 in December. Overall, the year exhibited moderate growth with occasional mid-year fluctuations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index 1	130.29	129.89	129.78	131.2	133.793	137.47	136.36	135.609	135.55	135.84	135.37	136.25

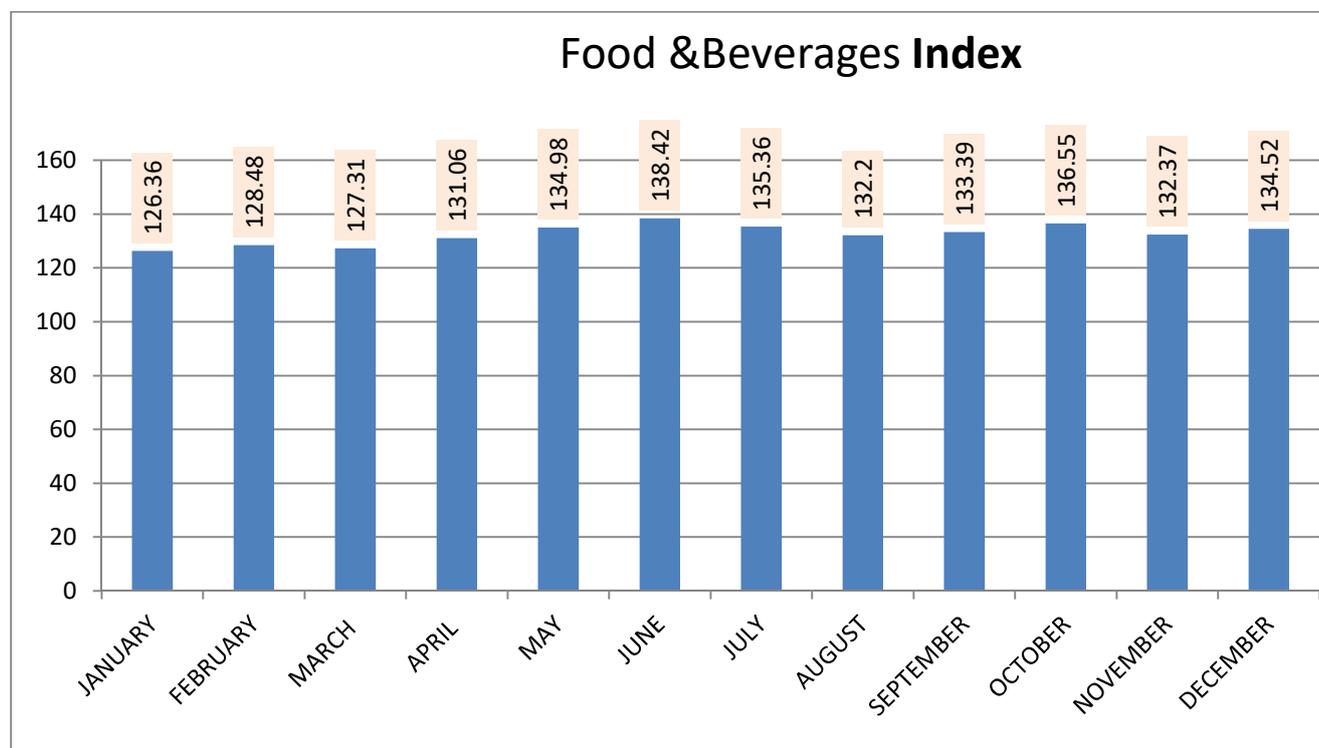


## ALAPPUZHA

### Food & Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index showed notable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 126.36 in January and increased to 128.48 in February. A slight dip was observed in March at 127.31, followed by a steady rise to 131.06 in April and 134.98 in May. The index peaked in June at 138.42 before experiencing a decline to 135.36 in July and further to 132.20 in August. September saw a minor increase to 133.39, and the upward trend continued in October, reaching 136.55. However, a drop occurred in November to 132.37, with a slight recovery to 134.52 in December. Overall, the Food & Beverages index exhibited moderate volatility with the highest value in June and the lowest in January, reflecting seasonal and market-driven variations in food prices.

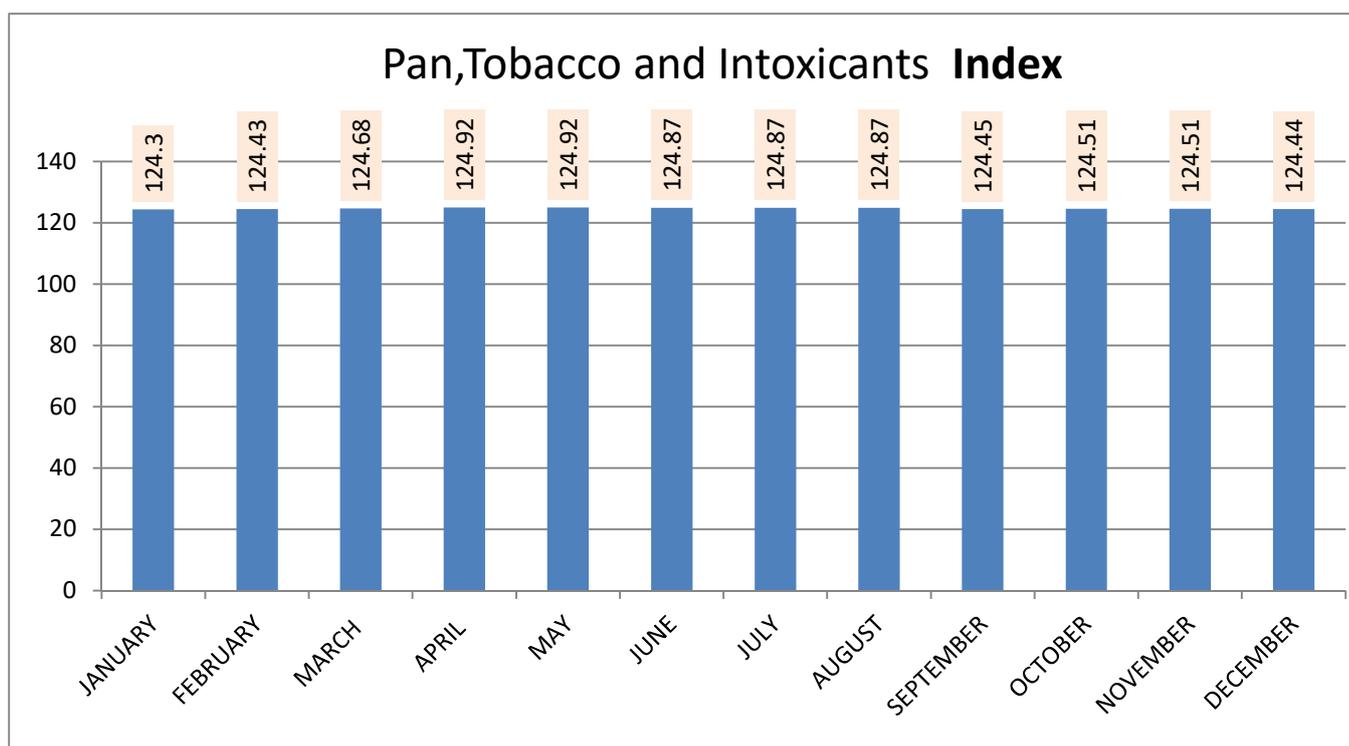
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	126.36	128.48	127.31	131.06	134.98	138.42	135.36	132.2	133.39	136.55	132.37	134.52



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants index remained largely stable throughout the year, showing minimal fluctuations. It started at 124.30 in January and experienced a slight increase to 124.43 in February and 124.68 in March. The index continued a gradual rise, reaching its peak of 124.92 in April and May, before marginally declining to 124.87 in June, July, and August. A slight decrease occurred in September to 124.45, followed by a small recovery to 124.51 in October and November, and a minor dip to 124.44 in December. Overall, the index demonstrated remarkable stability over the year, reflecting consistent pricing in this commodity group with only minor seasonal or market-driven variations.

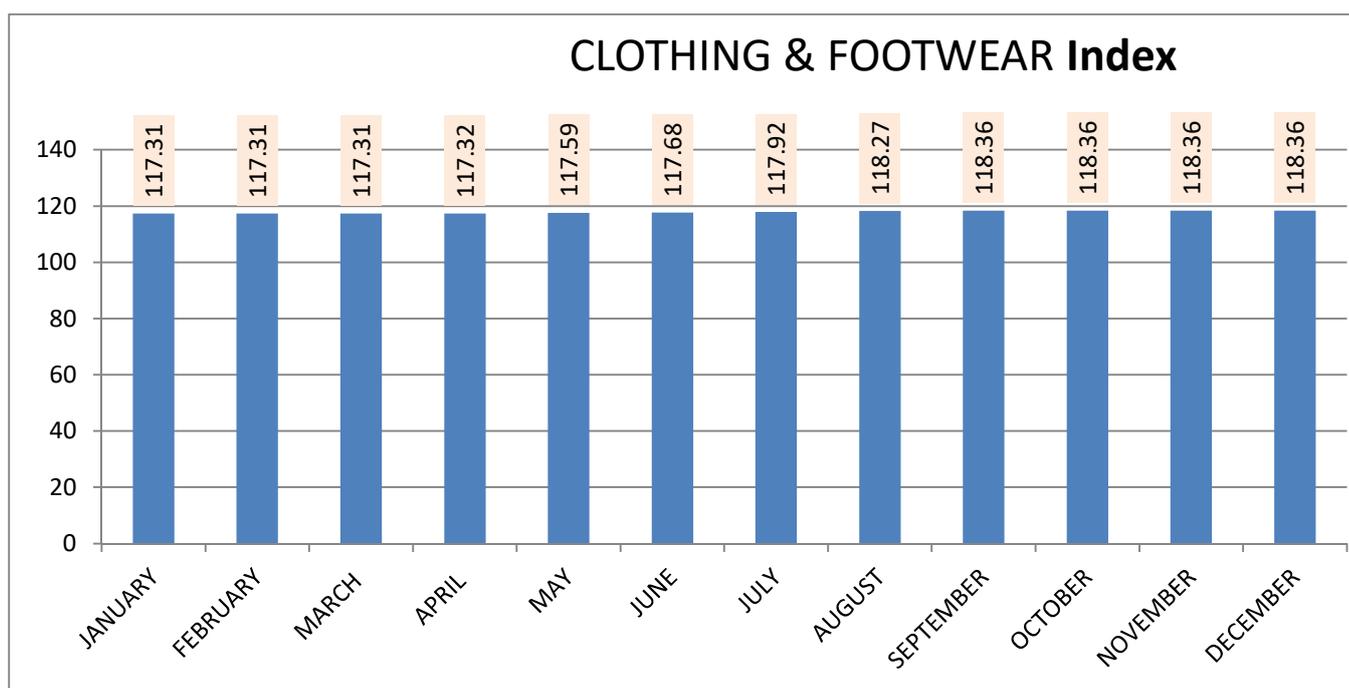
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	124.3	124.43	124.68	124.92	124.92	124.87	124.87	124.87	124.45	124.51	124.51	124.44



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR

The Clothing & Footwear index exhibited a slow but steady upward trend over the year. It remained stable at 117.31 from January to March, with a minimal increase to 117.32 in April. The index then gradually rose to 117.59 in May, 117.68 in June, and 117.92 in July. A further increase was observed in August at 118.27, reaching 118.36 from September through December, where it remained constant. Overall, the index showed modest growth, indicating a gradual increase in clothing and footwear prices with limited fluctuations throughout the year.

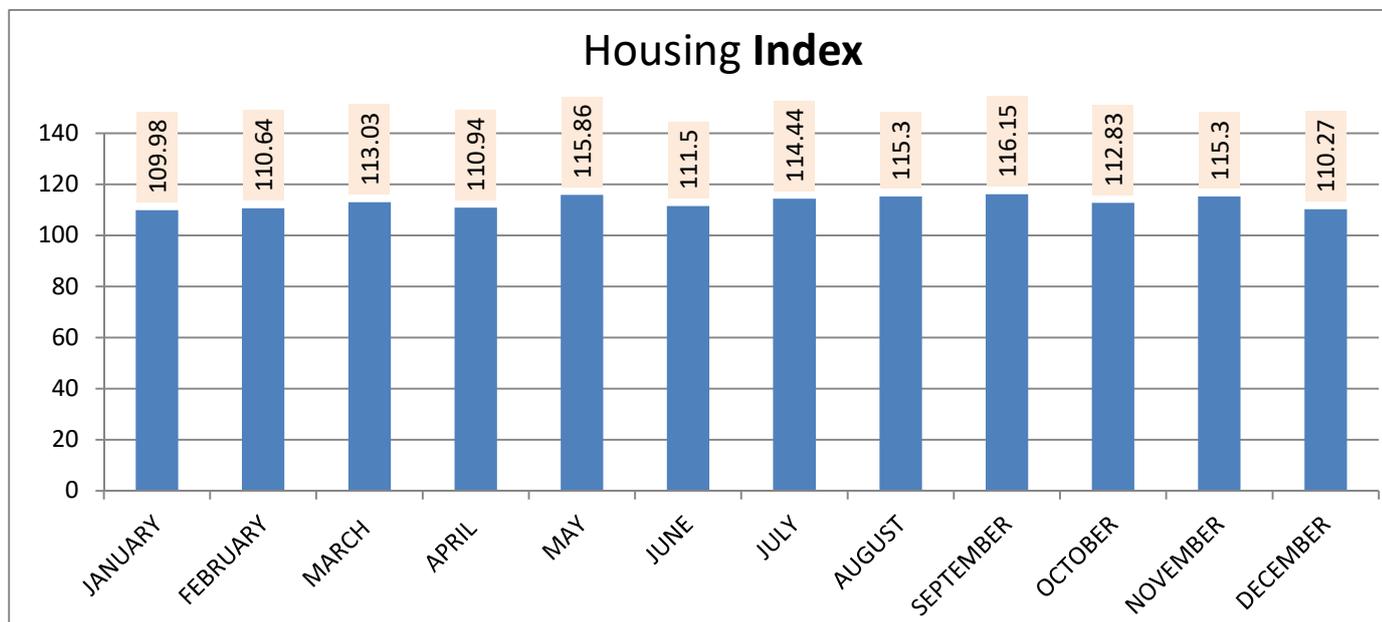
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	117.31	117.31	117.31	117.32	117.59	117.68	117.92	118.27	118.36	118.36	118.36	118.36



## Housing Index

The Housing index showed noticeable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 109.98 in January and rose to 110.64 in February, followed by a sharper increase to 113.03 in March. A slight decline occurred in April to 110.94, but the index surged again to 115.86 in May. June saw a dip to 111.50, and it increased to 114.44 in July and 115.30 in August. The index peaked at 116.15 in September, then declined to 112.83 in October, recovered to 115.30 in November, and finally dropped to 110.27 in December. Overall, the Housing index displayed moderate volatility over the year, reflecting seasonal and market-related variations in housing costs.

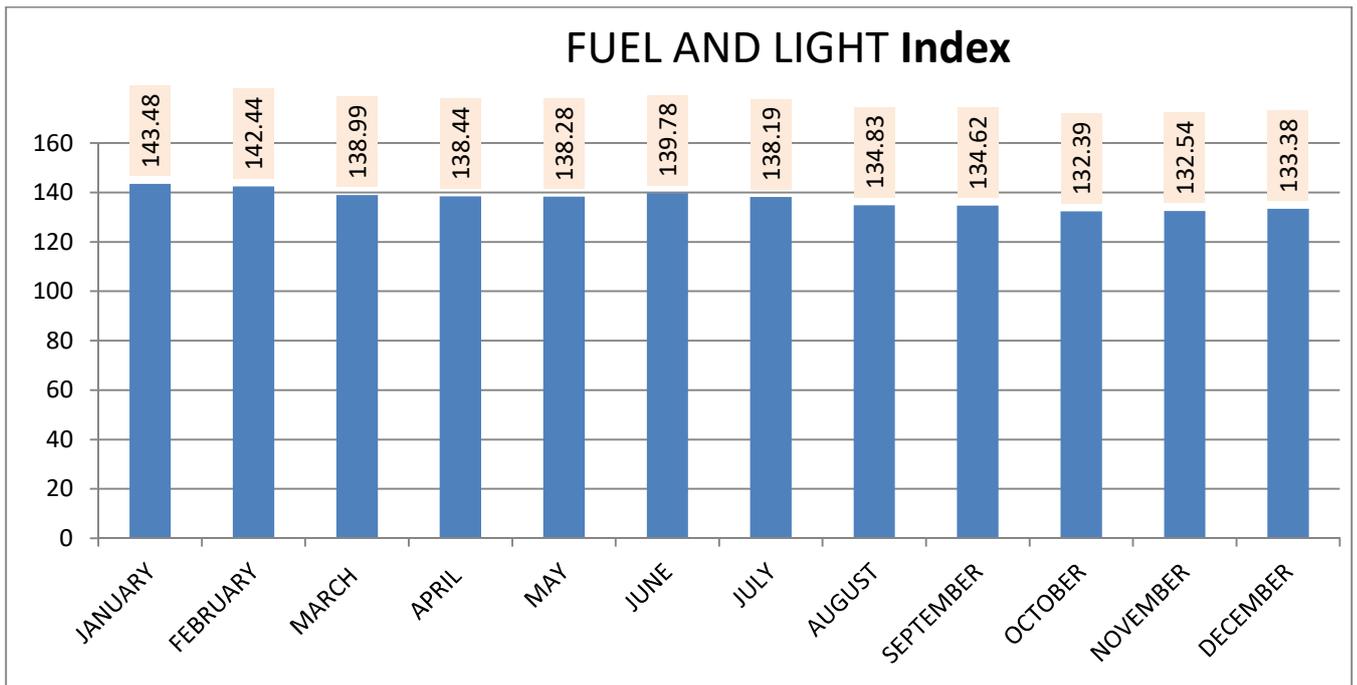
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	109.98	110.64	113.03	110.94	115.86	111.5	114.44	115.3	116.15	112.83	115.3	110.27



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index showed a general declining trend throughout the year. It started at 143.48 in January, slightly decreased to 142.44 in February, and continued to fall to 138.99 in March and 138.44 in April. A minor decrease occurred in May to 138.28, followed by a small rise to 139.78 in June. The index then dropped again to 138.19 in July, 134.83 in August, and 134.62 in September. The downward trend continued in October to 132.39, with slight increases to 132.54 in November and 133.38 in December. Overall, the Fuel and Light index experienced a steady decline with minor recoveries, reflecting fluctuations in energy prices over the year.

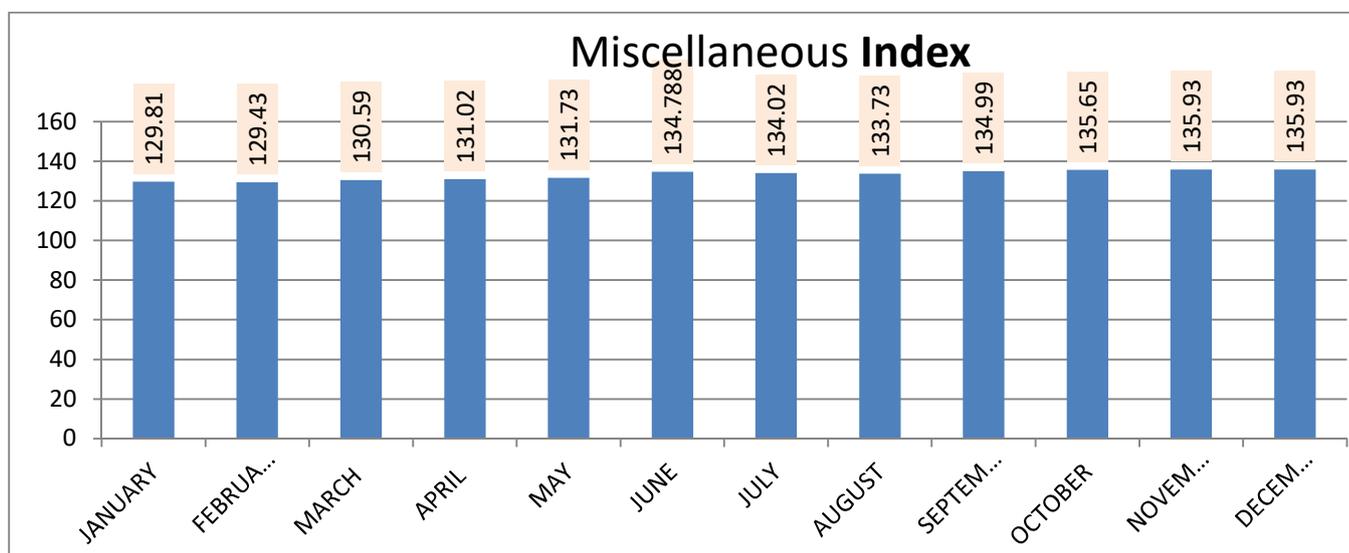
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	143.48	142.44	138.99	138.44	138.28	139.78	138.19	134.83	134.62	132.39	132.54	133.38



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index showed a gradual upward trend throughout the year. It started at 129.81 in January and slightly declined to 129.43 in February before increasing to 130.59 in March and 131.02 in April. A steady rise continued with 131.73 in May and 134.79 in June, followed by minor fluctuations at 134.02 in July and 133.73 in August. The index climbed again to 134.99 in September, reaching 135.65 in October, and peaked at 135.93 in November, remaining constant in December. Overall, the Miscellaneous index exhibited moderate growth over the year, reflecting gradual increases in prices for various goods and services under this category.

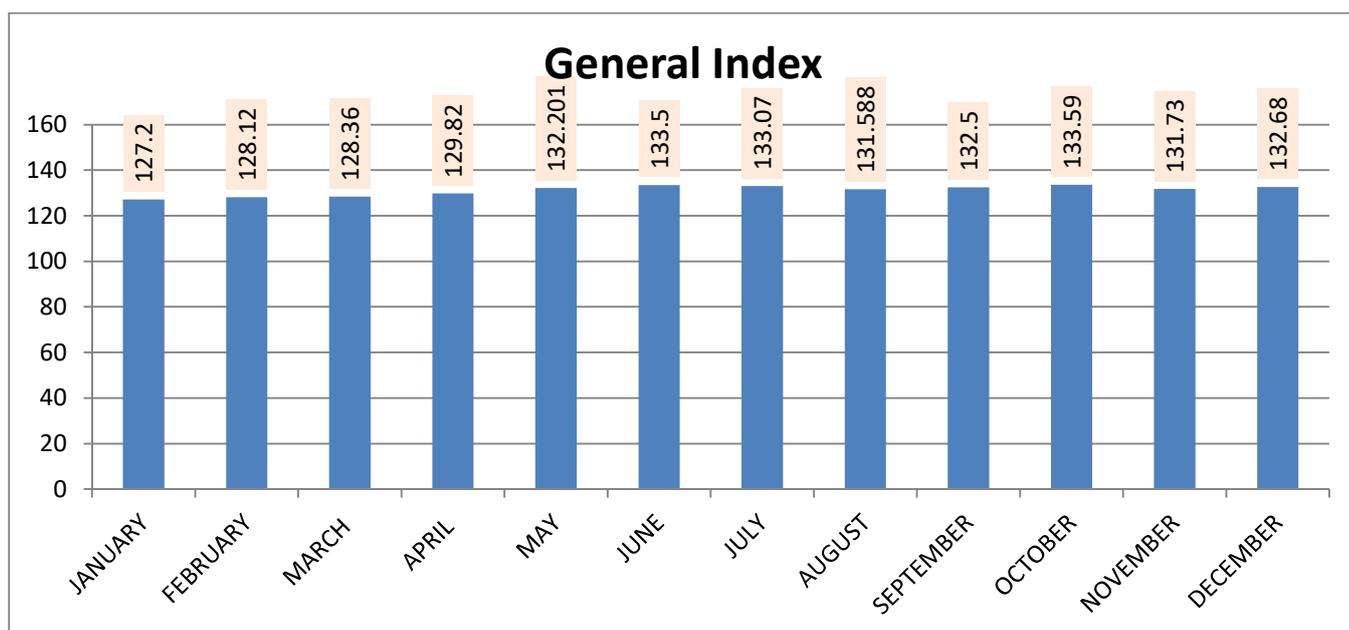
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	129.81	129.43	130.59	131.02	131.73	134.788	134.02	133.73	134.99	135.65	135.93	135.93



### General Index

The General index exhibited a steady upward trend during the first half of the year, starting at 127.20 in January and rising to 128.12 in February and 128.36 in March. A sharper increase was observed in April to 129.82, followed by a significant jump to 132.20 in May and 133.50 in June. The index slightly declined to 133.07 in July and further to 131.59 in August, before rising again to 132.50 in September and 133.59 in October. A small decrease occurred in November to 131.73, with a modest recovery to 132.68 in December. Overall, the General index showed moderate fluctuations with a general upward trend, reflecting gradual increases in the overall price level throughout the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	127.2	128.12	128.36	129.82	132.201	133.5	133.07	131.588	132.5	133.59	131.73	132.68

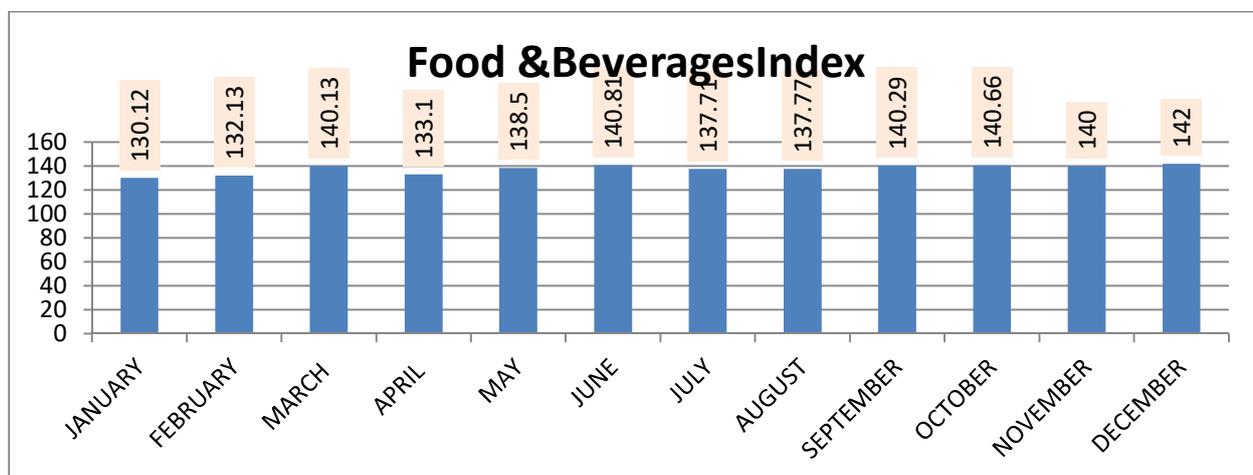


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index showed significant fluctuations over the year, reflecting variability in food prices. It started at 130.12 in January and rose to 132.13 in February, followed by a sharp increase to 140.13 in March. A decline occurred in April to 133.10, but the index rebounded to 138.50 in May and 140.81 in June. A slight drop was seen in July to 137.71, remaining nearly stable at 137.77 in August. September recorded an increase to 140.29, continuing to 140.66 in October, followed by a slight decrease to 140.00 in November and a rise to 142.00 in December. Overall, the Food & Beverages index experienced high volatility, indicating fluctuating food prices throughout the year with

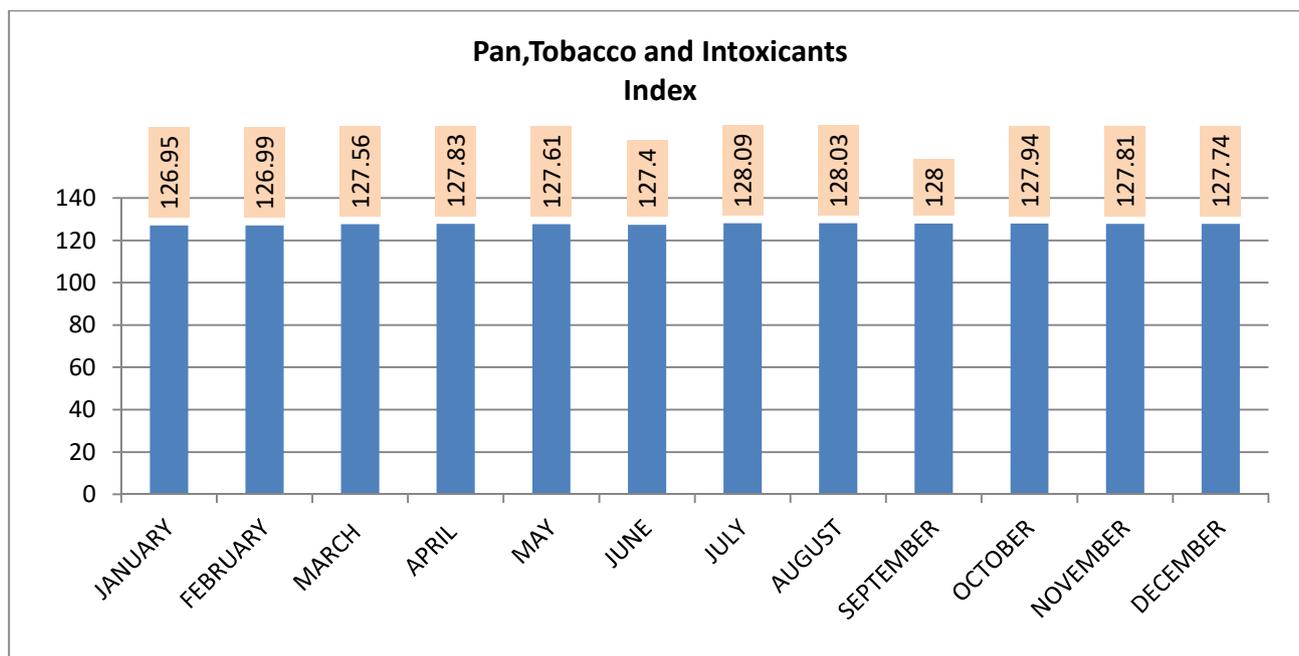
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>Food &amp; Beverages Index</b>	130.12	132.13	140.13	133.1	138.5	140.81	137.71	137.77	140.29	140.66	140	142



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Food & Beverages index showed significant fluctuations over the year, reflecting variability in food prices. It started at 130.12 in January and rose to 132.13 in February, followed by a sharp increase to 140.13 in March. A decline occurred in April to 133.10, but the index rebounded to 138.50 in May and 140.81 in June. A slight drop was seen in July to 137.71, remaining nearly stable at 137.77 in August. September recorded an increase to 140.29, continuing to 140.66 in October, followed by a slight decrease to 140.00 in November and a rise to 142.00 in December. Overall, the Food & Beverages index experienced high volatility, indicating fluctuating food prices throughout the year.

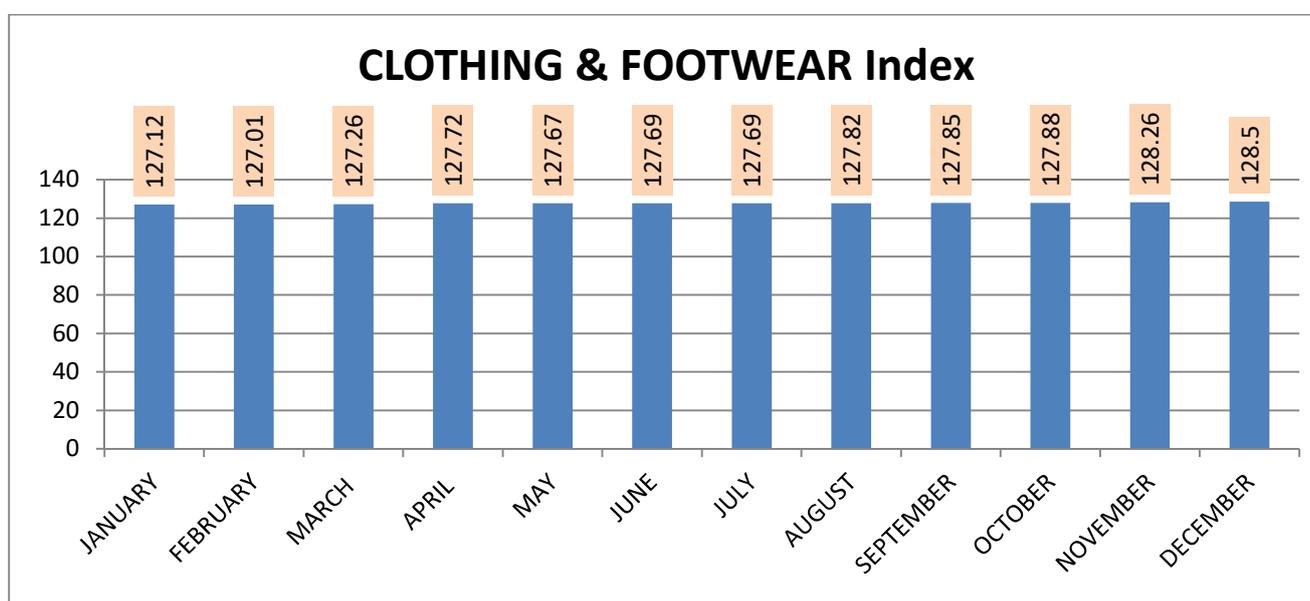
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	126.95	126.99	127.56	127.83	127.61	127.4	128.09	128.03	128	127.94	127.81	127.74



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index showed mild but consistent movements throughout the year. It began at 127.12 in January and recorded a slight decline to 127.01 in February, followed by a small rise to 127.26 in March. The index continued to increase steadily to 127.72 in April and remained almost stable through May and June at around 127.67–127.69. A gradual upward trend resumed from July onward, with the index reaching 127.82 in August, 127.85 in September, and 127.88 in October. It rose further to 128.26 in November and ended the year at 128.50 in December. Overall, the Clothing & Footwear index displayed slow and steady growth, reflecting marginal increases in prices across the category with minimal volatility.

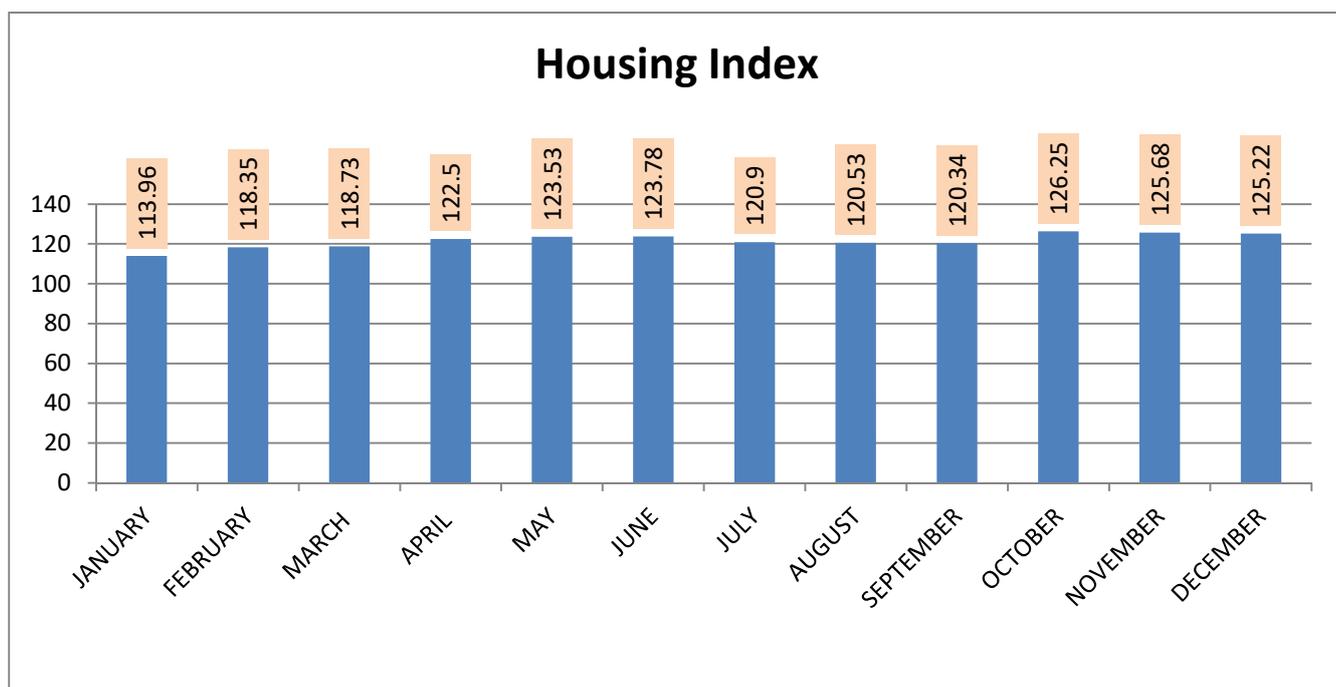
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	127.12	127.01	127.26	127.72	127.67	127.69	127.69	127.82	127.85	127.88	128.26	128.5



## Housing Index

The housing index shows a generally rising trend over the year, starting at 113.96 in January and increasing steadily to reach 123.78 by June. A slight dip is observed in July, August, and September, where the index moves down to around 120. However, from October onwards, the index rises again, touching the highest level of the year at 126.25 in October before settling slightly lower at 125.68 in November and 125.22 in December. Overall, the data indicates moderate fluctuations with a clear upward movement, particularly in the first half and towards the end of the year.

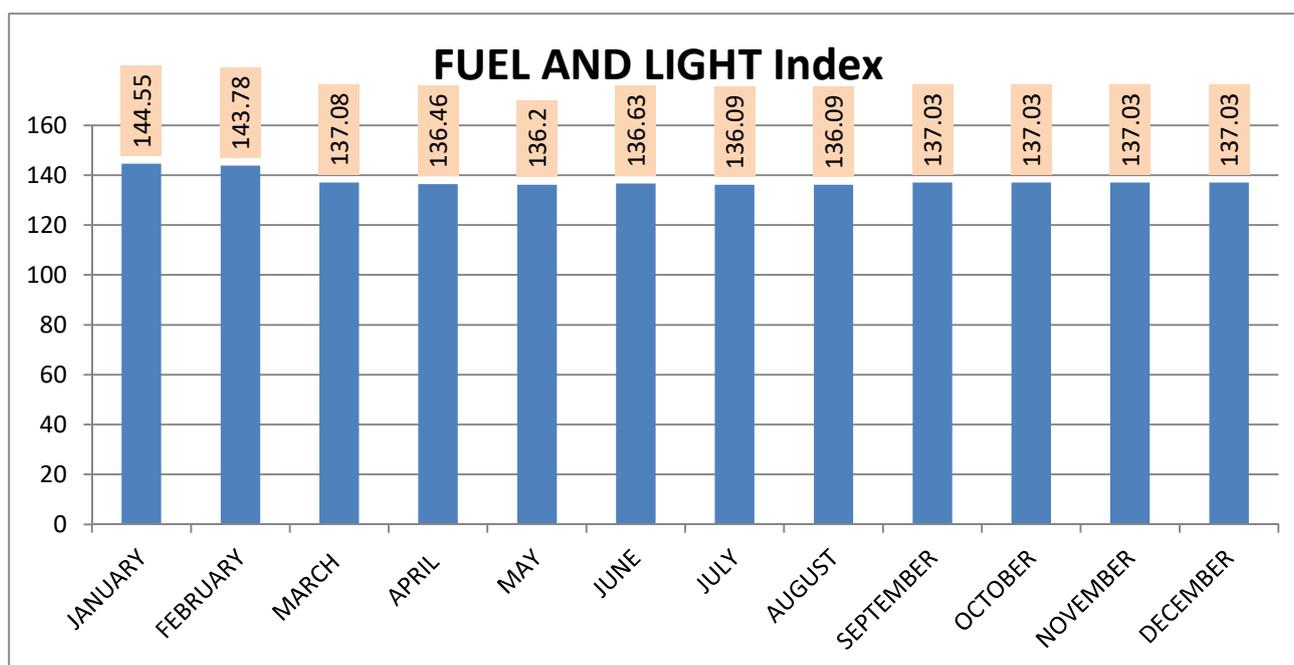
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	113.96	118.35	118.73	122.5	123.53	123.78	120.9	120.53	120.34	126.25	125.68	125.22



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The fuel and light index shows a noticeable decline in the early months, decreasing from 144.55 in January to 136.2 by May. This indicates a steady reduction in prices or consumption costs during the first half of the year. From June to August, the index remains relatively stable at around 136, showing minimal variation. A slight increase is observed in September, where the index rises to 137.03, and this level is maintained consistently through October, November, and December. Overall, the data reflects an initial downward trend followed by a period of stability towards the end of the year.

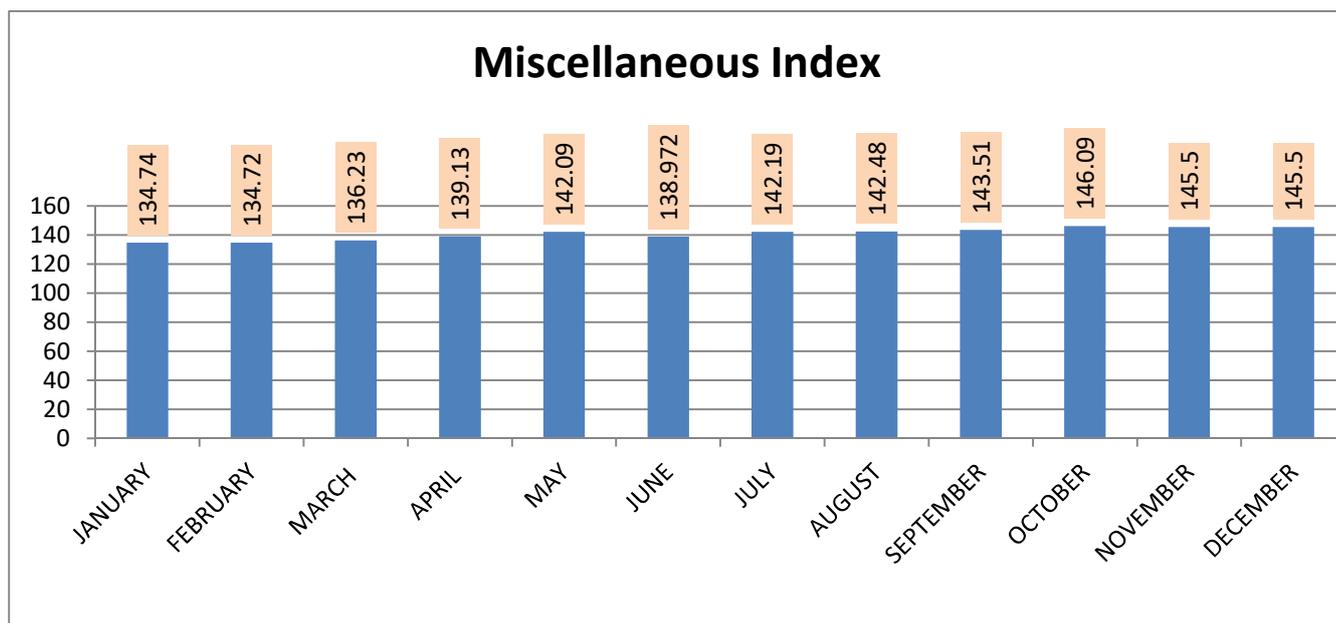
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
FUEL AND LIGHT Index	144.55	143.78	137.08	136.46	136.2	136.63	136.09	136.09	137.03	137.03	137.03	137.03



### Miscellaneous Index

The miscellaneous index shows a gradual upward trend over the year, beginning at 134.74 in January and rising to 136.23 in March. A sharper increase is seen from April to May, where the index moves from 139.13 to 142.09. Although there is a slight dip in June to 138.97, the index quickly recovers in July and August, reaching 142.19 and 142.48 respectively. The upward momentum continues through September and October, peaking at 146.09, before settling marginally lower at 145.5 in November and December. Overall, the data indicates steady growth with minor fluctuations, reflecting increasing expenditure in the miscellaneous category throughout the year.

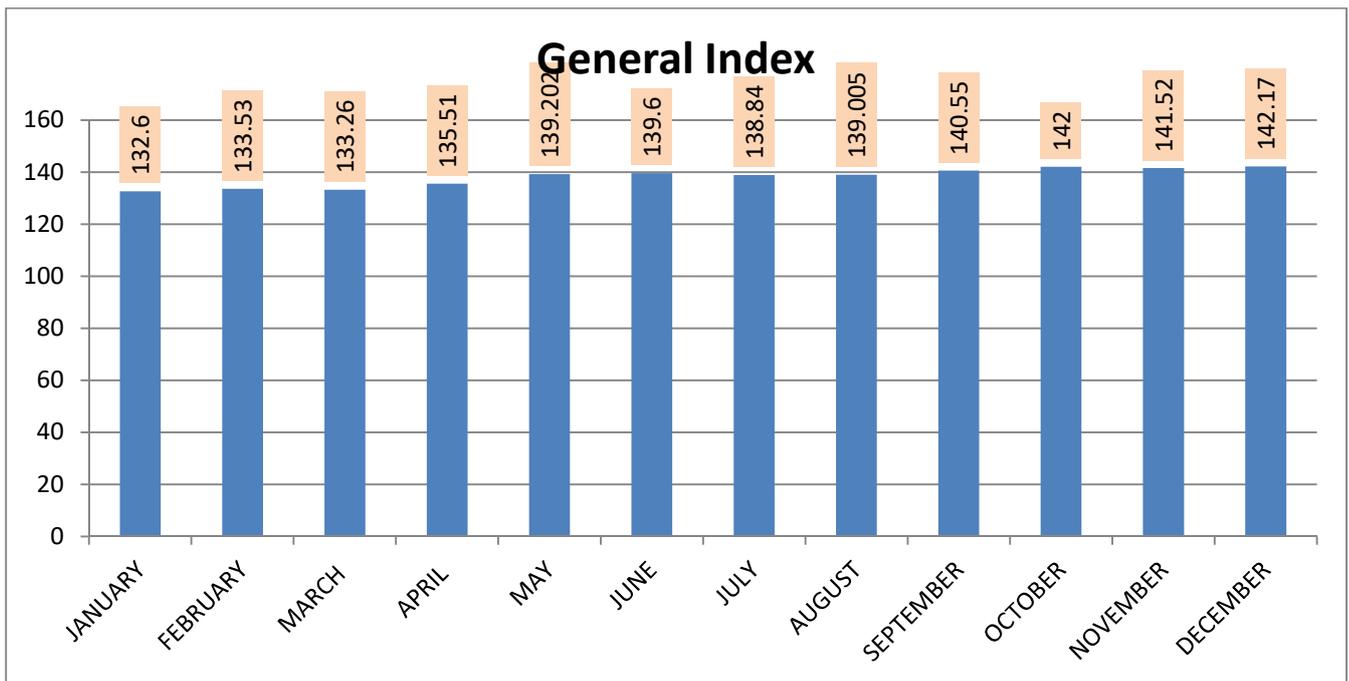
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	134.74	134.72	136.23	139.13	142.09	138.972	142.19	142.48	143.51	146.09	145.5	145.5



### General Index

The general index shows a steady upward movement throughout the year, beginning at 132.6 in January and rising to 133.53 in February. After a slight dip in March, the index increases again from April onward, reaching 139.6 by June. A minor fluctuation is seen in July and August, but the overall trend remains positive, with the index climbing to 140.55 in September. The index continues its upward momentum in the last quarter, touching 142 in October and ending the year at 142.17 in December. Overall, the data reflects consistent growth with only minor month-to-month variations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	132.6	133.53	133.26	135.51	139.202	139.6	138.84	139.005	140.55	142	141.52	142.17

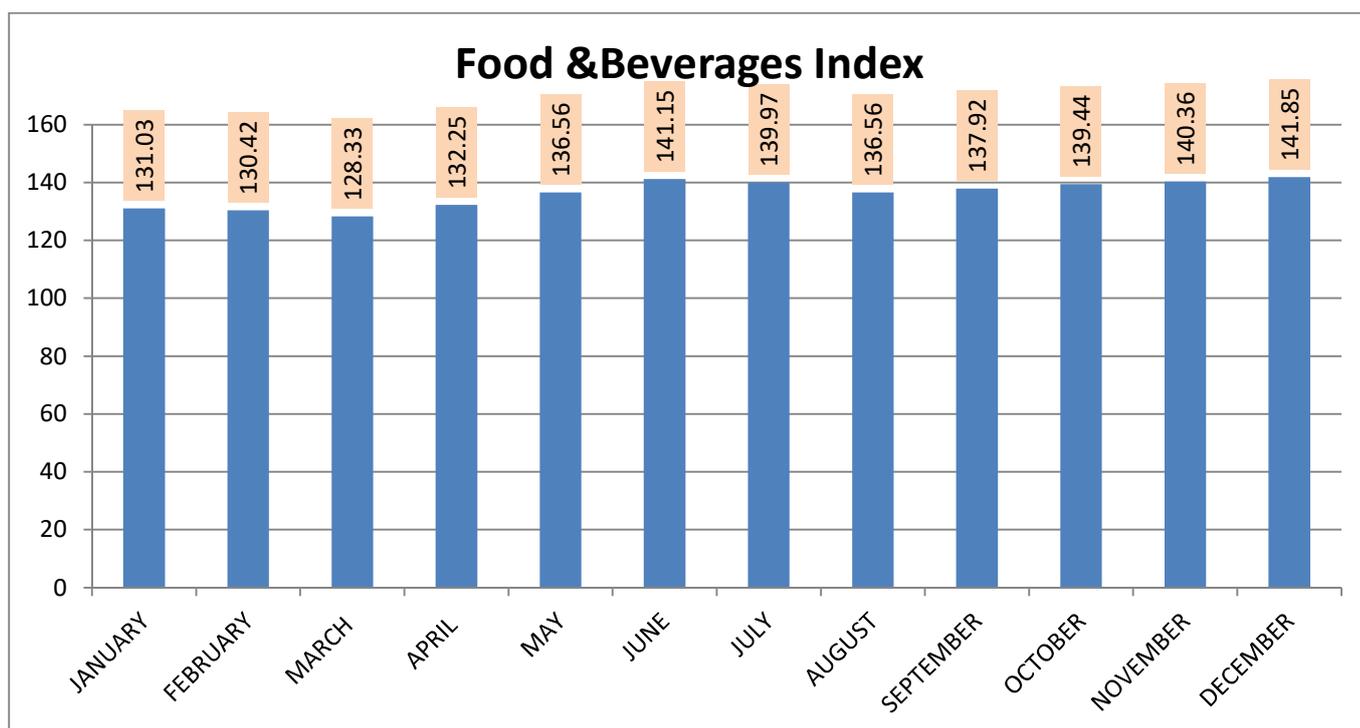


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**Food & Beverages Index**

The food and beverages index shows moderate fluctuations over the year, beginning at 131.03 in January and dipping slightly to 128.33 in March. From April onward, the index rises steadily, reaching 141.15 in June, indicating increased prices during the mid-year period. A slight decline is seen in July and August, but the index stabilizes above 136. In the later months, the index again shows an upward trend, reaching 139.44 in October and ending the year at 141.85 in December. Overall, the data reflects a mix of short-term fluctuations with a clear upward movement in food and beverage prices toward the end of the year.

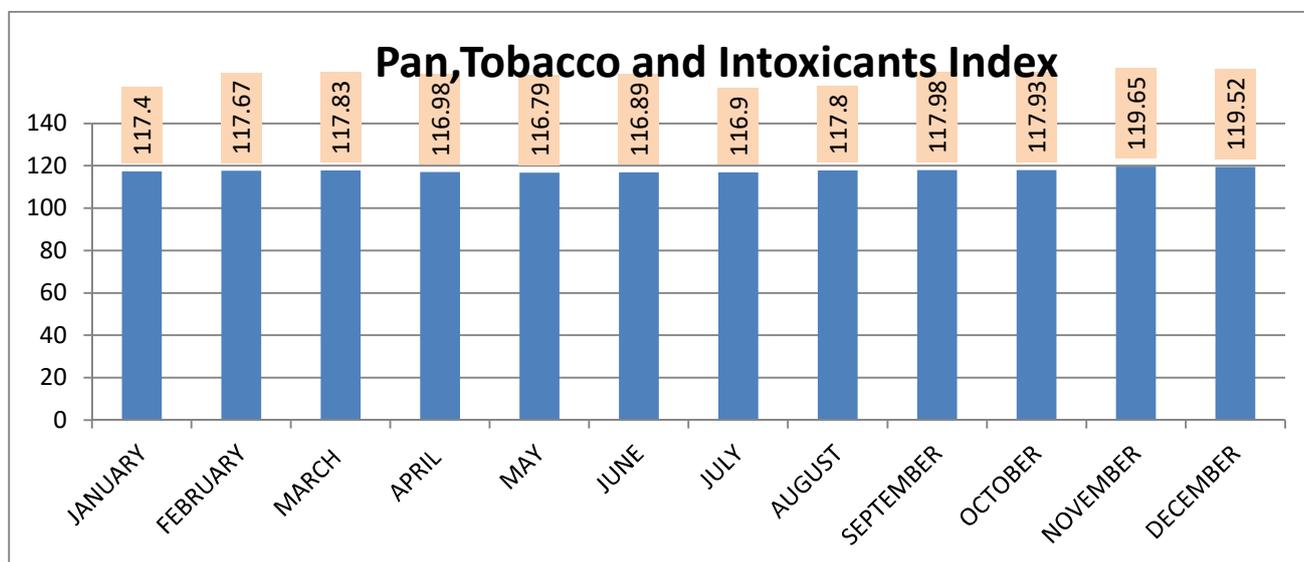
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Food & Beverages Index	131.03	130.42	128.33	132.25	136.56	141.15	139.97	136.56	137.92	139.44	140.36	141.85



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The pan, tobacco and intoxicants index shows minimal fluctuations throughout the year, beginning at 117.4 in January and rising slightly to 117.83 in March. A small decline is observed in April and May, when the index falls to around 116.8, indicating a brief easing in prices. From June onward, the index stabilizes near 117 and gradually increases again in August and September. A more notable rise appears in October and November, with the index reaching 119.65, before settling slightly lower at 119.52 in December. Overall, the data reflects a largely stable trend with only minor variations across the months.

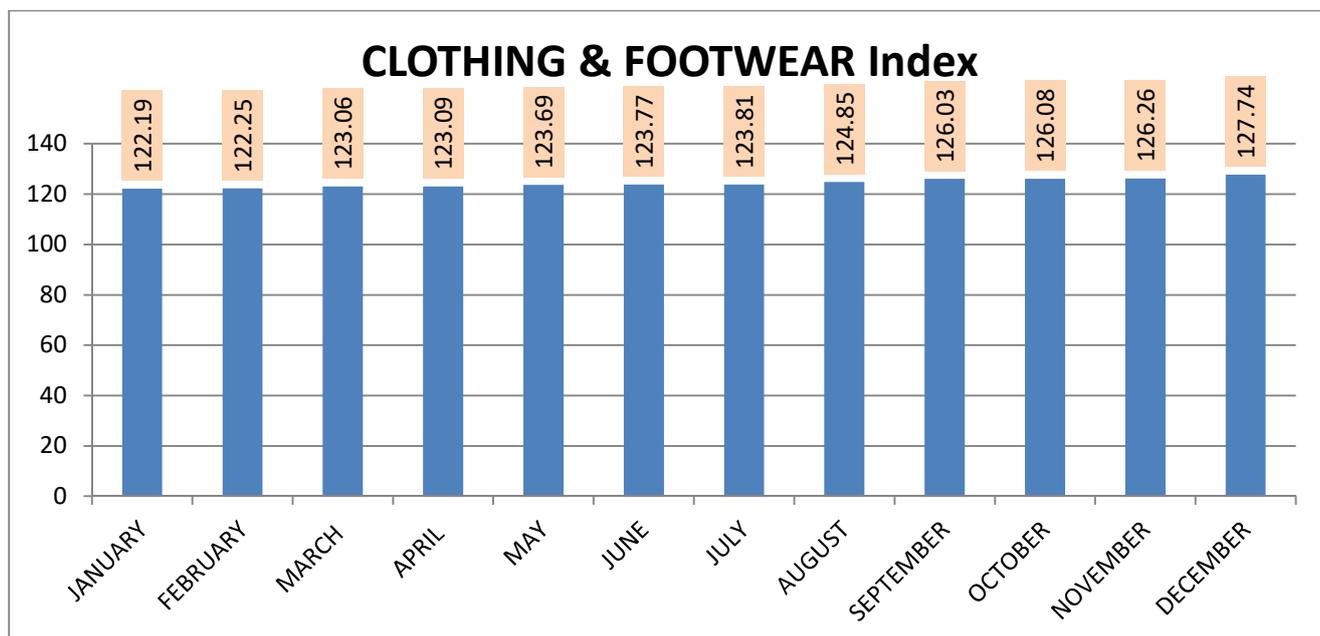
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	117.4	117.67	117.83	116.98	116.79	116.89	116.9	117.8	117.98	117.93	119.65	119.52



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The clothing and footwear index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, starting at 122.19 in January and moving slightly higher each month. The index rises gradually to 123.77 by June, reflecting modest increases in prices during the first half of the year. From July onward, the growth becomes more pronounced, with the index reaching 124.85 in August and continuing its upward movement through the final quarter. The highest values are recorded in November and December at 126.26 and 127.74 respectively. Overall, the data indicates consistent price growth in clothing and footwear across the year, with the sharpest increases occurring toward the end of the year.

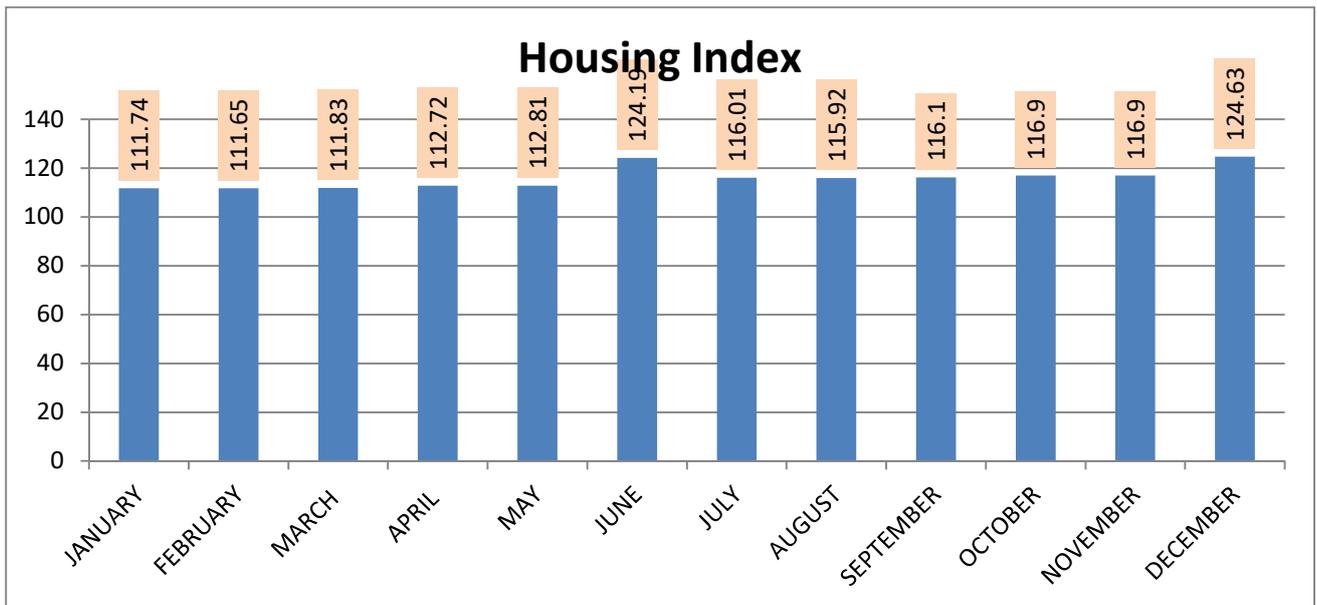
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	122.19	122.25	123.06	123.09	123.69	123.77	123.81	124.85	126.03	126.08	126.26	127.74



## Housing Index

The housing index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, starting at 111.74 in January and remaining almost stable through February and March. A slight increase is seen in April and May, with the index rising to 112.81. A sharp jump occurs in June, when the index reaches 124.19, followed by a noticeable decline in July and August as it drops to around 116. The index remains relatively steady through September and October, before rising again sharply in December to 124.63. Overall, the data reflects periods of stability in the early months, a sudden spike in mid-year, and another significant rise toward the end of the year.

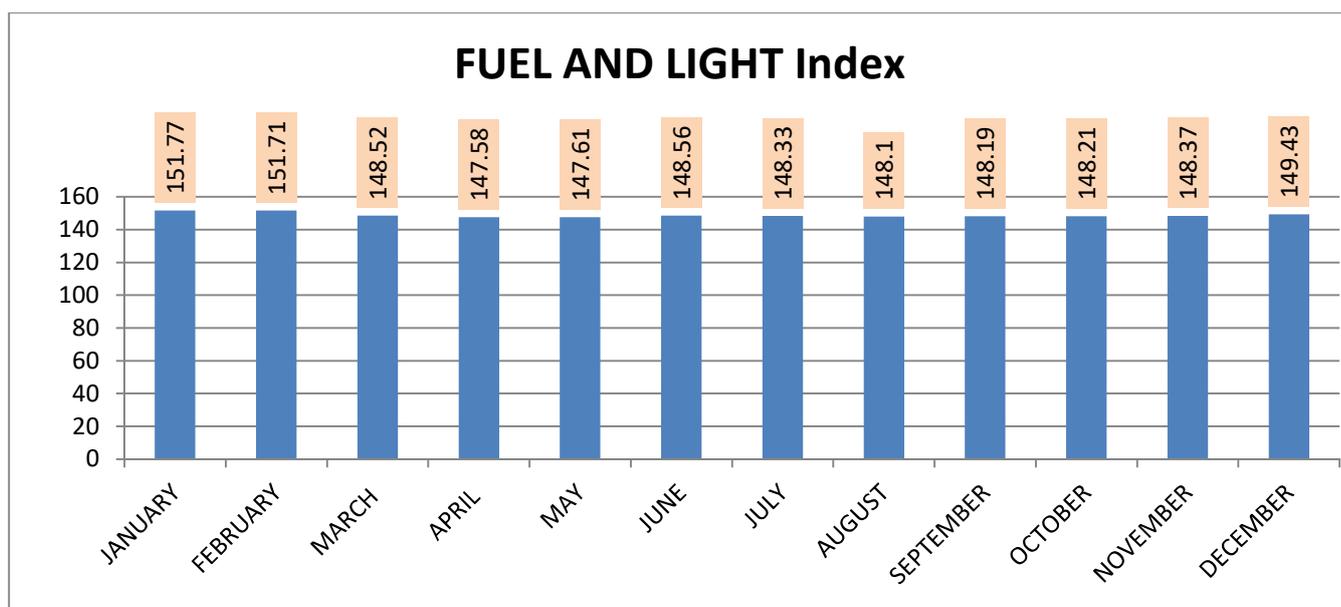
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Housing Index	111.74	111.65	111.83	112.72	112.81	124.19	116.01	115.92	116.1	116.9	116.9	124.63



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The fuel and light index shows a gradual declining trend in the early part of the year, moving from 151.77 in January to 147.58 in April. A slight increase occurs in May and June, with the index rising to 148.56, followed by minor fluctuations through the monsoon months. From July to October, the index remains relatively stable around 148, indicating minimal variation in prices. A small upward movement is seen toward the end of the year, with the index reaching 149.43 in December. Overall, the data presents a gentle downward movement in the initial months, followed by a period of stability and a modest increase toward the year-end.

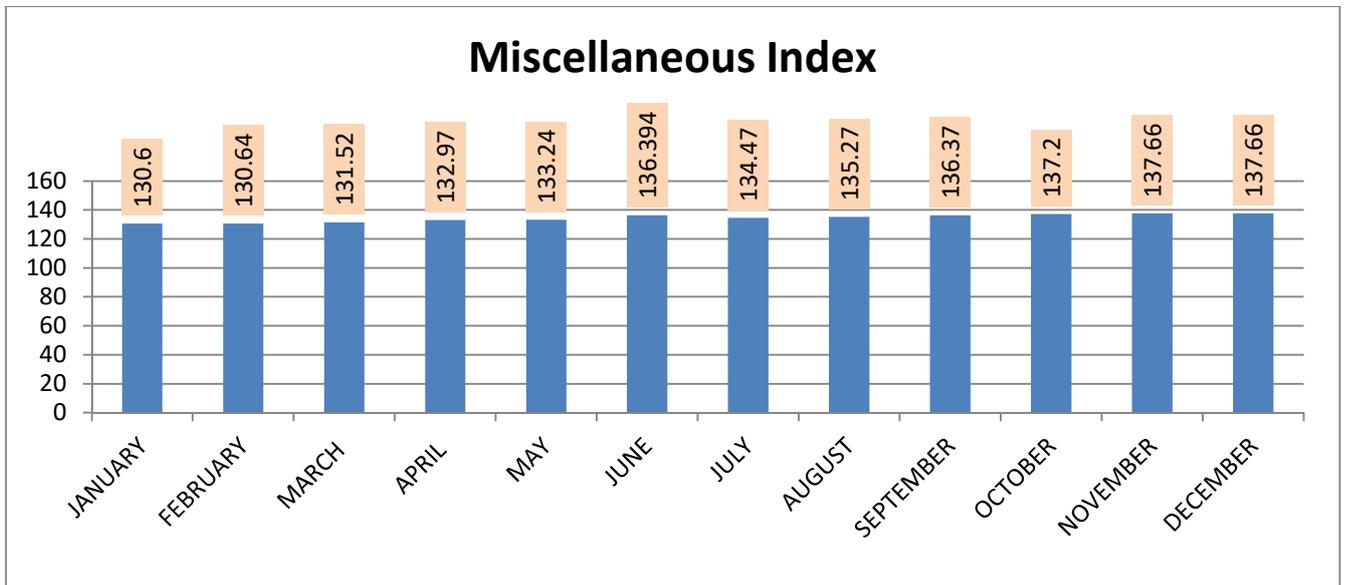
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	151.77	151.71	148.52	147.58	147.61	148.56	148.33	148.1	148.19	148.21	148.37	149.43



### Miscellaneous Index

The miscellaneous index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, beginning at 130.6 in January and rising slowly to 131.52 in March. A more noticeable increase occurs from April to June, with the index reaching 136.39, although June shows a slight irregular rise compared to the preceding months. A brief dip is seen in July at 134.47, but the index recovers quickly in August and continues to climb through September and October. The index reaches 137.66 in November and remains unchanged in December. Overall, the data reflects consistent growth with minor mid-year fluctuations, indicating a general rise in miscellaneous expenses over the year.

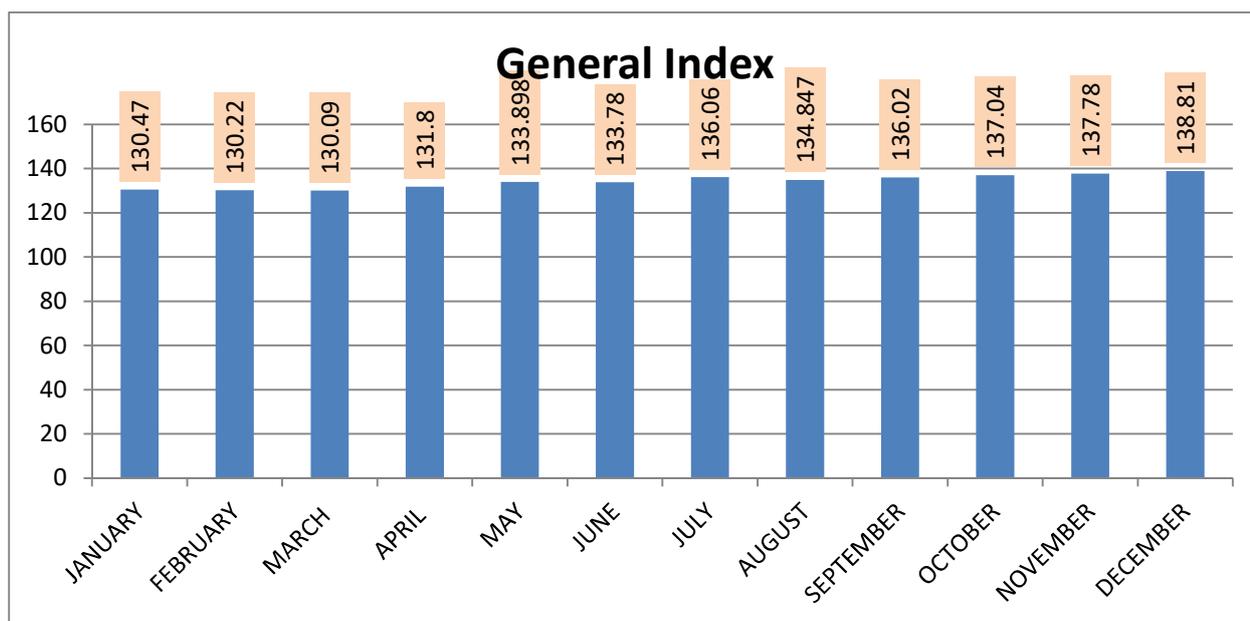
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Miscellaneous Index	130.6	130.64	131.52	132.97	133.24	136.394	134.47	135.27	136.37	137.2	137.66	137.66



### General Index

The general index shows mild fluctuations in the early months, starting at 130.47 in January and dipping slightly to 130.09 in March. From April onward, the index begins to rise, reaching 133.90 in May before showing a small correction in June. A sharper increase is recorded in July at 136.06, followed by a slight dip in August. The upward trend resumes from September through December, with the index reaching 138.81 by the end of the year. Overall, the data indicates a gradual and consistent rise in the general index, marked by minor mid-year variations but a clear upward movement towards the year-end.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	130.47	130.22	130.09	131.8	133.898	133.78	136.06	134.847	136.02	137.04	137.78	138.81

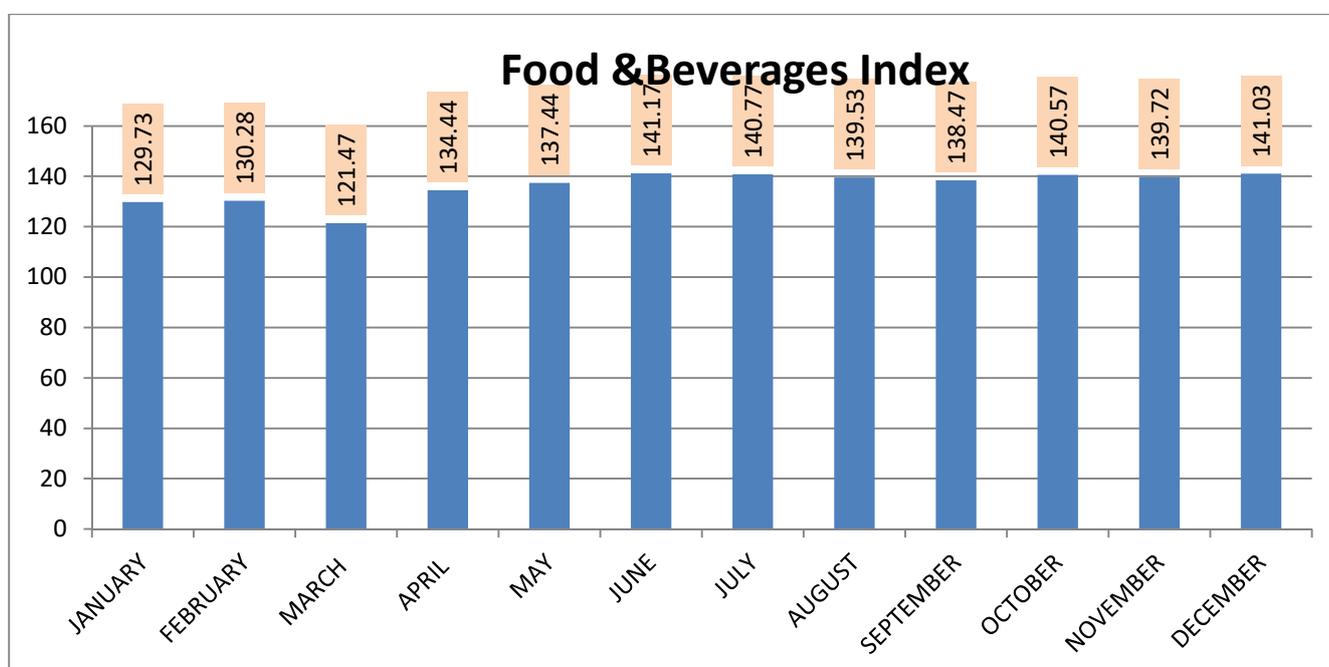


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### Food & Beverages Index

The consumer price index for food and beverages shows notable fluctuations throughout the year. Starting at 129.73 in January, it slightly increased to 130.28 in February before dropping to 121.47 in March. A significant rise occurred in April, reaching 134.44, followed by steady increases in May and June, peaking at 141.17. The index then slightly declined to 140.77 in July and continued a gradual decrease to 138.47 in September. In October, it rose again to 140.57, slightly fell to 139.72 in November, and ended the year at 141.03 in December. Overall, the data indicate seasonal variations with a general upward trend in the second half of the year.

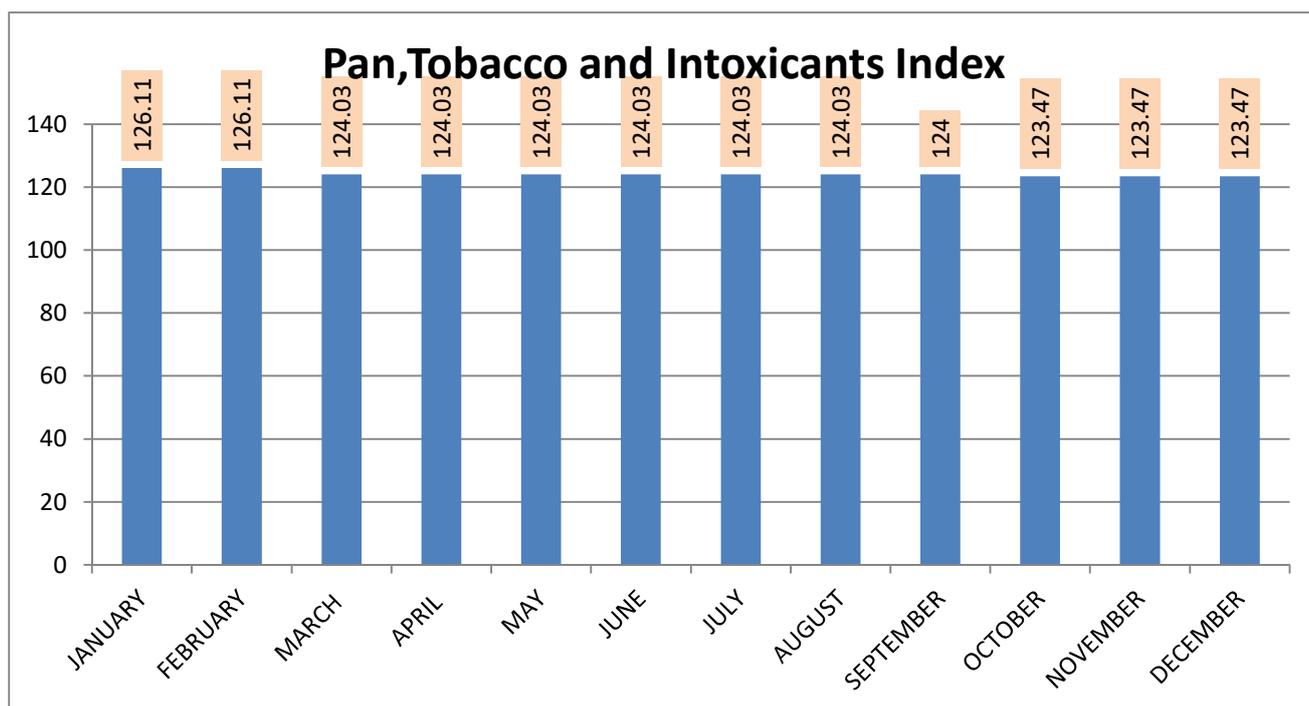
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Food & Beverages Index	129.73	130.28	121.47	134.44	137.44	141.17	140.77	139.53	138.47	140.57	139.72	141.03



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants remained relatively stable throughout the year. It started at 126.11 in January and February, before declining to 124.03 in March and maintaining this level until August. A slight decrease to 124 occurred in September, followed by a further drop to 123.47 in October, which remained constant through November and December. Overall, the year experienced a gradual but modest decline in the index, indicating minimal fluctuations in the prices of these commodities.

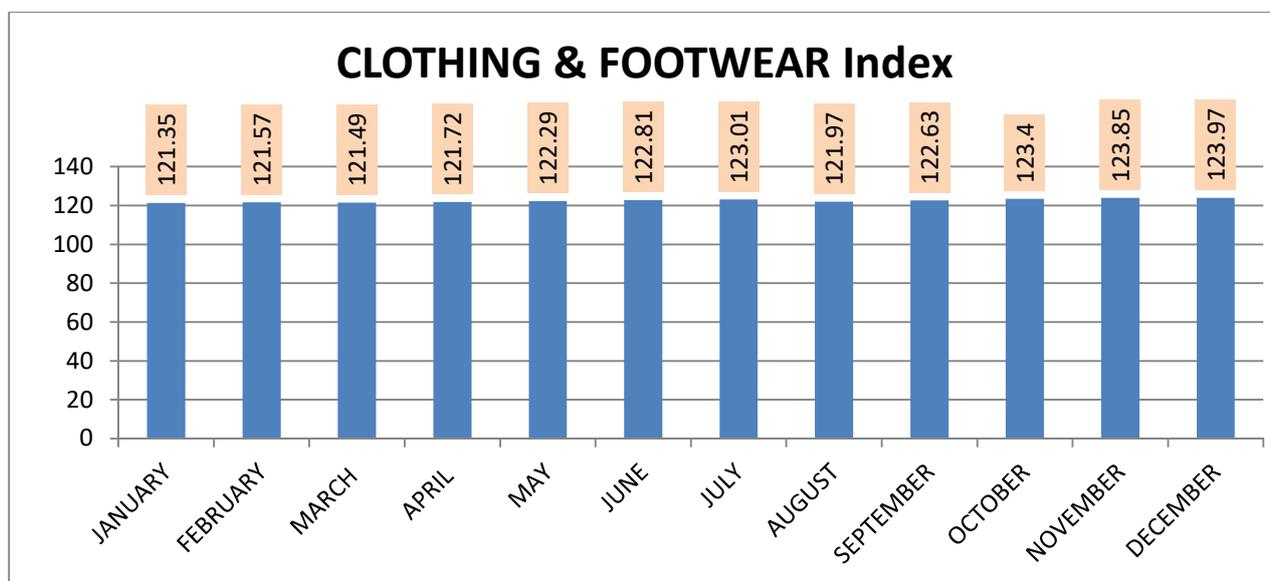
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	126.11	126.11	124.03	124.03	124.03	124.03	124.03	124.03	124	123.47	123.47	123.47



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The index for Clothing and Footwear showed a gradual upward trend over the year. It began at 121.35 in January and slightly increased to 121.57 in February. Minor fluctuations occurred in the following months, with the index reaching 122.29 in May and 122.81 in June. The highest values were observed towards the end of the year, with 123.85 in November and 123.97 in December. Overall, the year experienced a steady but moderate increase, indicating a slow rise in prices for clothing and footwear.

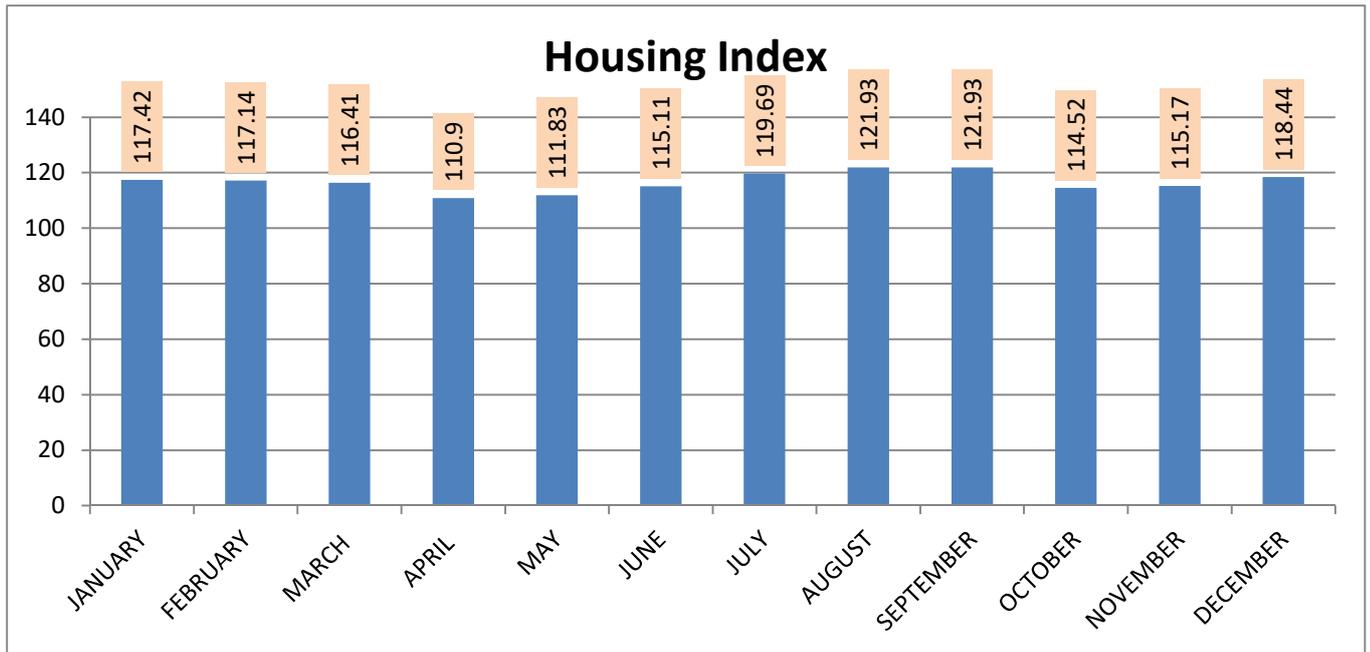
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	121.35	121.57	121.49	121.72	122.29	122.81	123.01	121.97	122.63	123.4	123.85	123.97



## Housing Index

The Housing index showed notable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 117.42 in January and gradually declined to 116.41 in March, followed by a sharper drop to 110.9 in April. A gradual recovery occurred in the next months, reaching 119.69 in July and 121.93 in August and September. However, the index fell again to 114.52 in October before slightly increasing to 115.17 in November and ending the year at 118.44 in December. Overall, the year experienced significant variations, reflecting periods of both decline and recovery in housing prices.

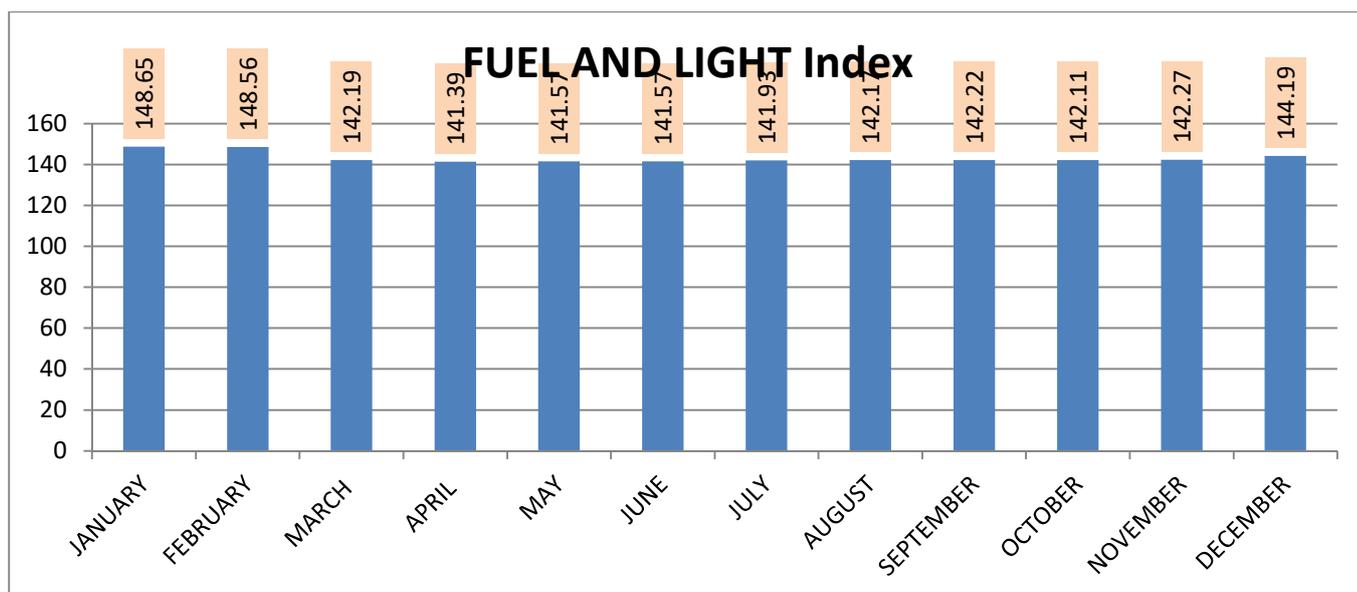
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	117.42	117.14	116.41	110.9	111.83	115.11	119.69	121.93	121.93	114.52	115.17	118.44



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index experienced a noticeable decline in the first half of the year, starting at 148.65 in January and slightly decreasing to 148.56 in February. A sharper drop occurred in March and April, reaching 142.19 and 141.39 respectively. From May onwards, the index remained relatively stable, fluctuating slightly around 141.57 to 142.27, before rising to 144.19 in December. Overall, the year saw an initial decline followed by a period of stability and a modest increase toward the end, indicating moderate fluctuations in fuel and light prices.

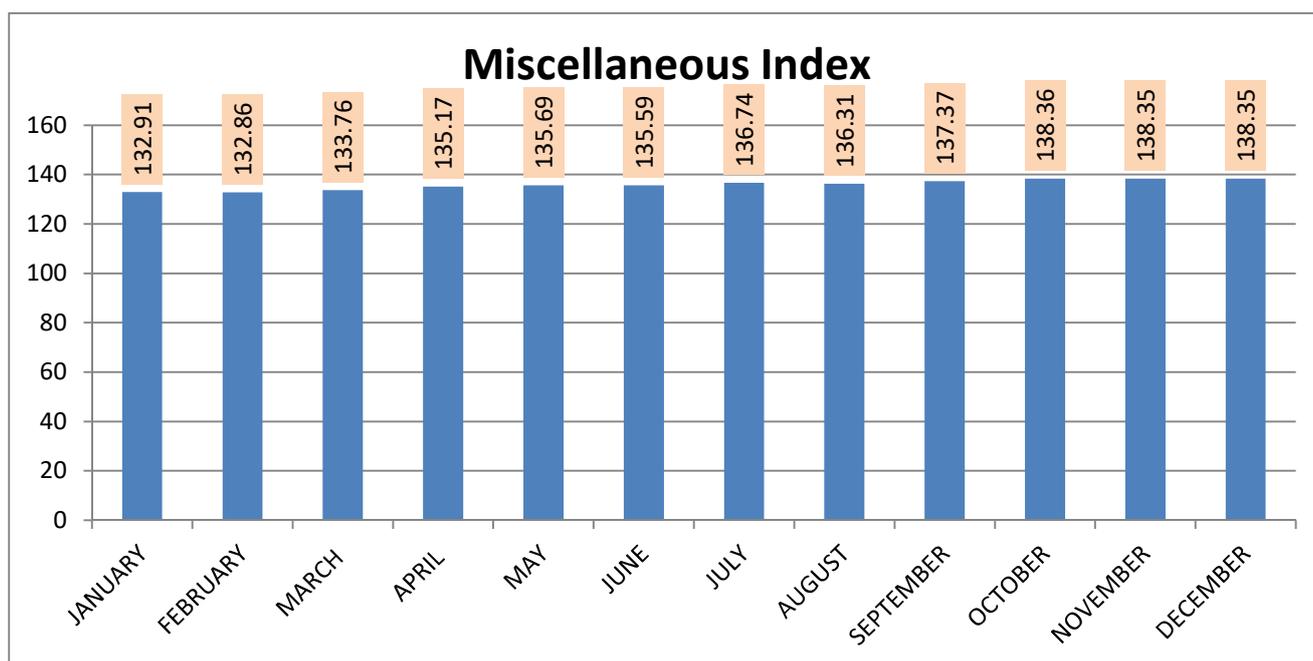
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	148.65	148.56	142.19	141.39	141.57	141.57	141.93	142.17	142.22	142.11	142.27	144.19



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index showed a steady upward trend throughout the year. It started at 132.91 in January and remained nearly stable in February at 132.86. From March onwards, the index gradually increased, reaching 135.69 in May and 136.74 in July. The upward trend continued in the later months, with the index peaking at 138.36 in October and remaining steady at 138.35 in November and December. Overall, the year experienced a consistent rise in the prices of miscellaneous items, indicating moderate but continuous growth.

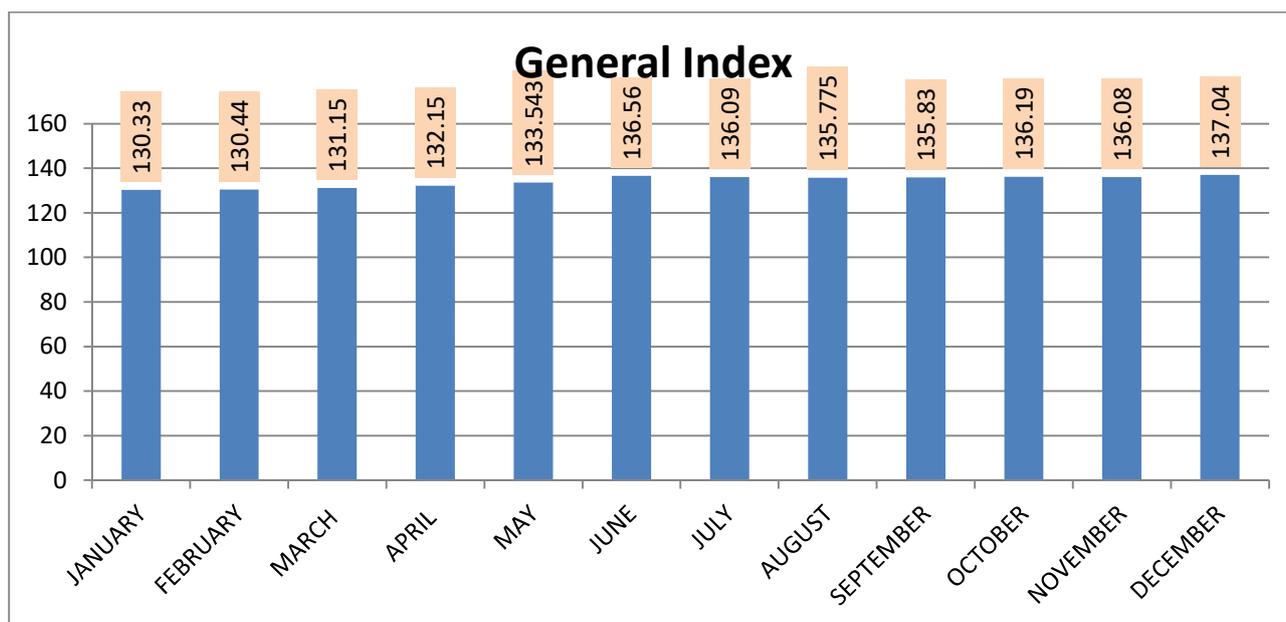
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Miscellaneous Index	132.91	132.86	133.76	135.17	135.69	135.59	136.74	136.31	137.37	138.36	138.35	138.35



### General Index

The General index showed a consistent upward trend throughout the year. It started at 130.33 in January and gradually increased to 131.15 in March and 132.15 in April. The index rose more sharply in May and June, reaching 133.54 and 136.56 respectively. A slight fluctuation was observed in July and August, with values of 136.09 and 135.78, followed by minor variations in the subsequent months. The year ended with the index at 137.04 in December, indicating an overall steady increase in general prices over the period.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	130.33	130.44	131.15	132.15	133.543	136.56	136.09	135.775	135.83	136.19	136.08	137.04

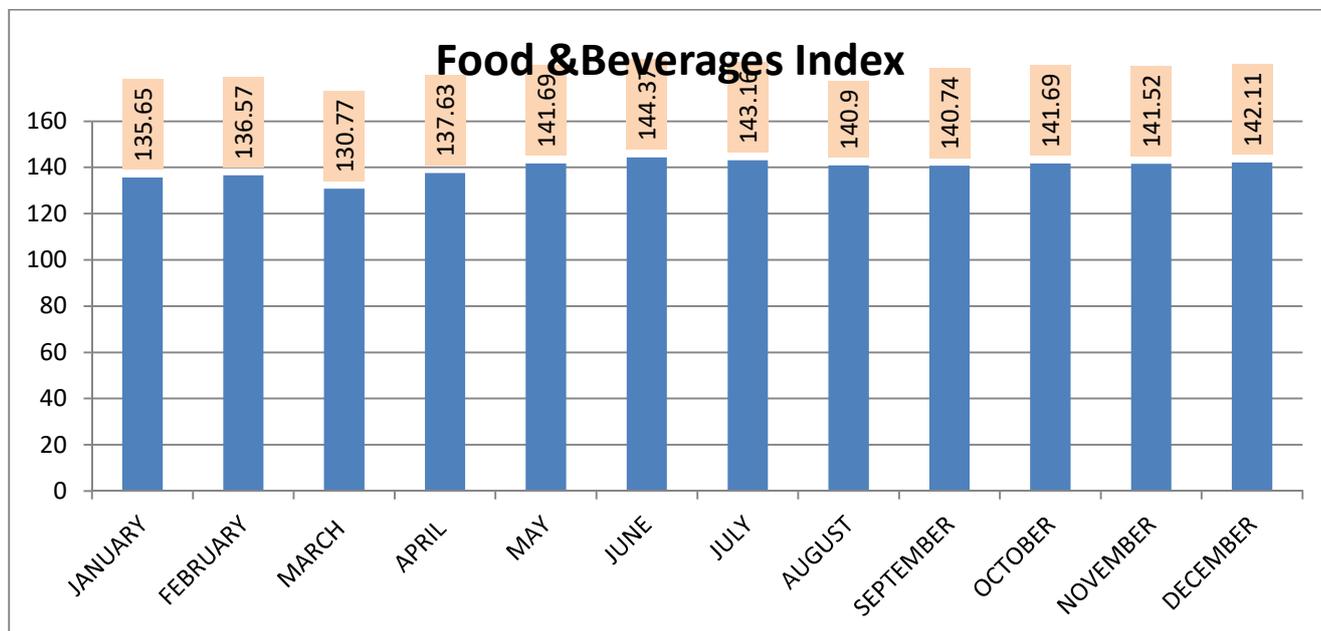


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food and Beverages index showed significant fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 135.65 in January and rose slightly to 136.57 in February before dropping sharply to 130.77 in March. A strong recovery occurred in April, reaching 137.63, and the index continued to rise to 141.69 in May and 144.37 in June. Slight declines were observed in July and August, with values of 143.16 and 140.9, followed by relative stability around 140.74 to 141.69 in the following months. The year ended with a slight increase to 142.11 in December. Overall, the index experienced notable ups and downs, reflecting fluctuating prices in food and beverages.

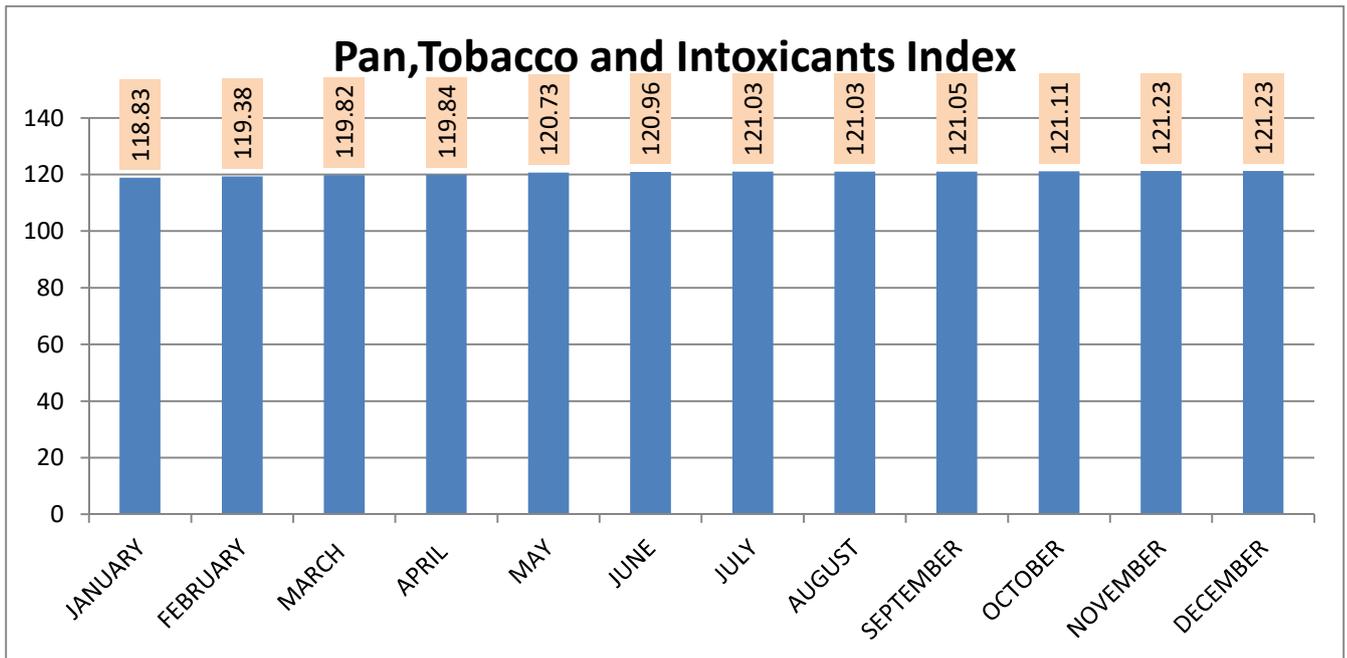
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	135.65	136.57	130.77	137.63	141.69	144.37	143.16	140.9	140.74	141.69	141.52	142.11



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants showed a gradual upward trend throughout the year. It started at 118.83 in January and steadily increased to 119.82 in March and 119.84 in April. The upward movement continued in the following months, reaching 120.73 in May and 121.03 in July and August. Slight increases were observed in the later months, with the index ending the year at 121.23 in November and December. Overall, the year experienced a slow but consistent rise, indicating a steady increase in the prices of these commodities.

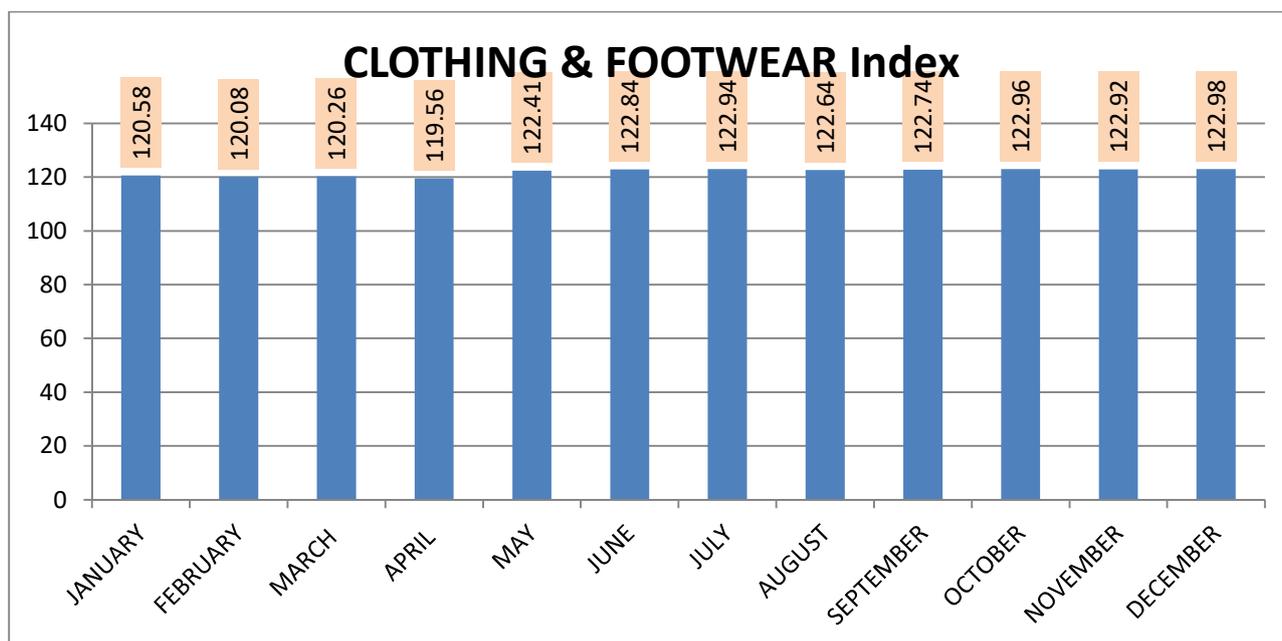
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	118.83	119.38	119.82	119.84	120.73	120.96	121.03	121.03	121.05	121.11	121.23	121.23



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The index for Clothing and Footwear showed moderate fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 120.58 in January and slightly declined to 120.08 in February, followed by minor changes in March and April, reaching 120.26 and 119.56 respectively. A notable increase occurred in May, rising to 122.41, and the index remained relatively stable in the following months, fluctuating slightly between 122.64 and 122.98. The year ended at 122.98 in December, indicating an overall gradual rise in clothing and footwear prices despite some fluctuations in the early months.

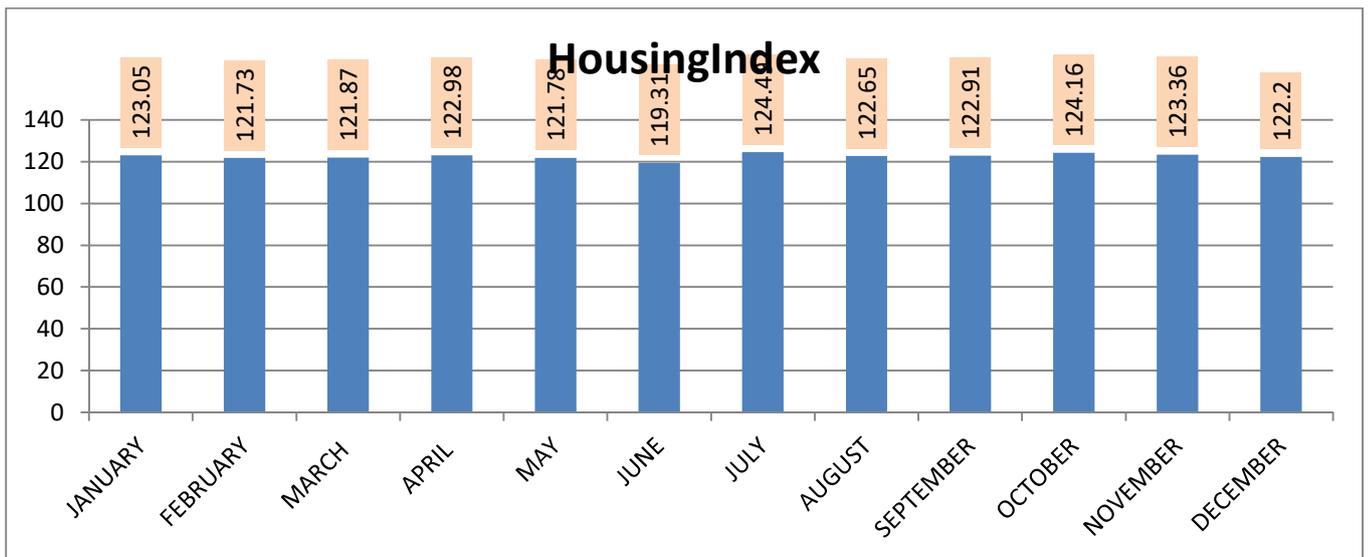
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	120.58	120.08	120.26	119.56	122.41	122.84	122.94	122.64	122.74	122.96	122.92	122.98



### Housing Index

The Housing index experienced noticeable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 123.05 in January and declined to 121.73 in February, remaining around 121.87 in March. A slight recovery occurred in April, reaching 122.98, but the index fell again to 121.78 in May and 119.31 in June. In July, it rose sharply to 124.49, followed by minor fluctuations in the following months, ending at 122.2 in December. Overall, the year showed significant variations, reflecting periods of both decline and recovery in housing prices.

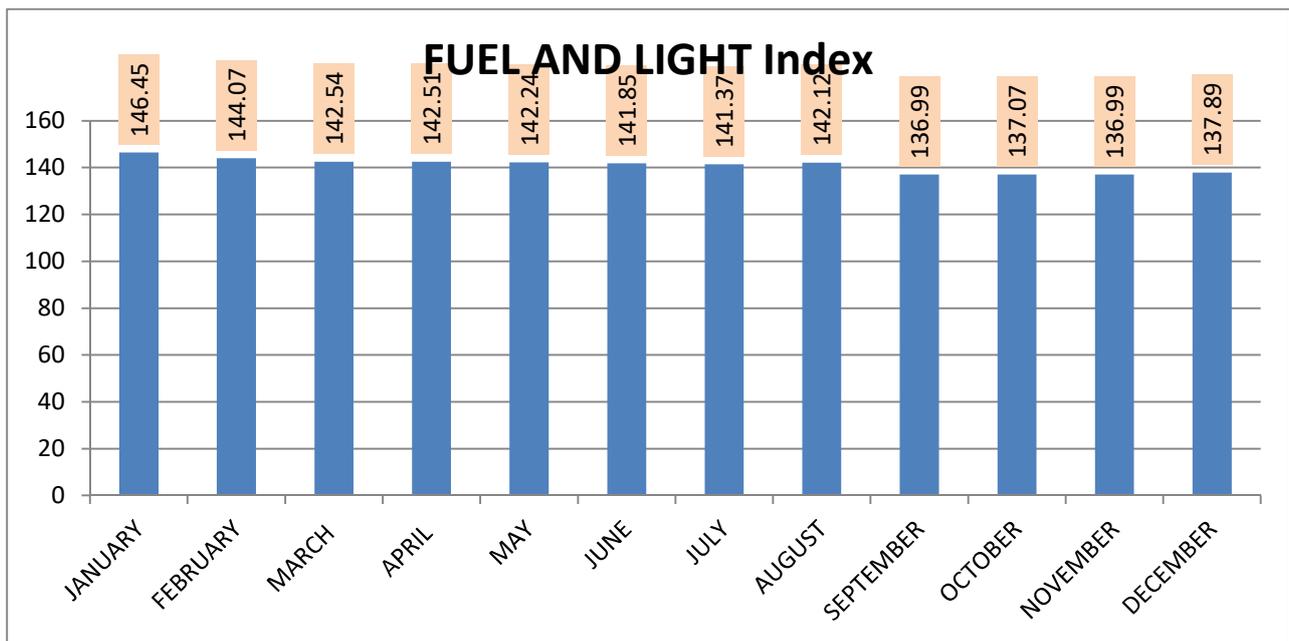
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	123.05	121.73	121.87	122.98	121.78	119.31	124.49	122.65	122.91	124.16	123.36	122.2



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index showed a general downward trend during the year with some fluctuations. It began at 146.45 in January and declined steadily to 142.54 in March and 142.51 in April. Minor decreases continued through June and July, reaching 141.37, followed by a slight rise to 142.12 in August. A sharper drop occurred in September to 136.99, remaining almost unchanged in October and November, before a small increase to 137.89 in December. Overall, the year experienced a gradual decline with occasional minor recoveries in fuel and light prices.

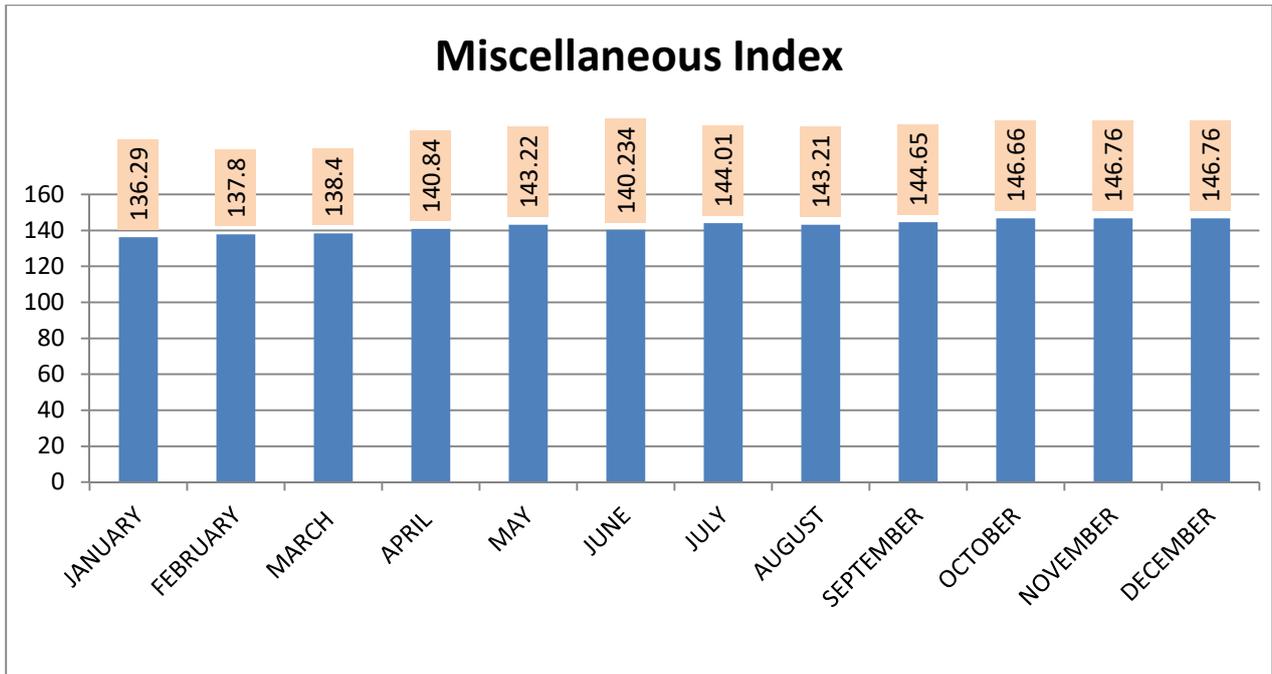
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	146.45	144.07	142.54	142.51	142.24	141.85	141.37	142.12	136.99	137.07	136.99	137.89



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index showed a steady upward trend throughout the year with some minor fluctuations. It started at 136.29 in January and increased to 138.4 in March, followed by a notable rise to 140.84 in April and 143.22 in May. A slight dip occurred in June to 140.23, but the index recovered to 144.01 in July and remained relatively stable in the following months, reaching 146.76 in November and December. Overall, the year experienced consistent growth in miscellaneous prices, with only minor variations.

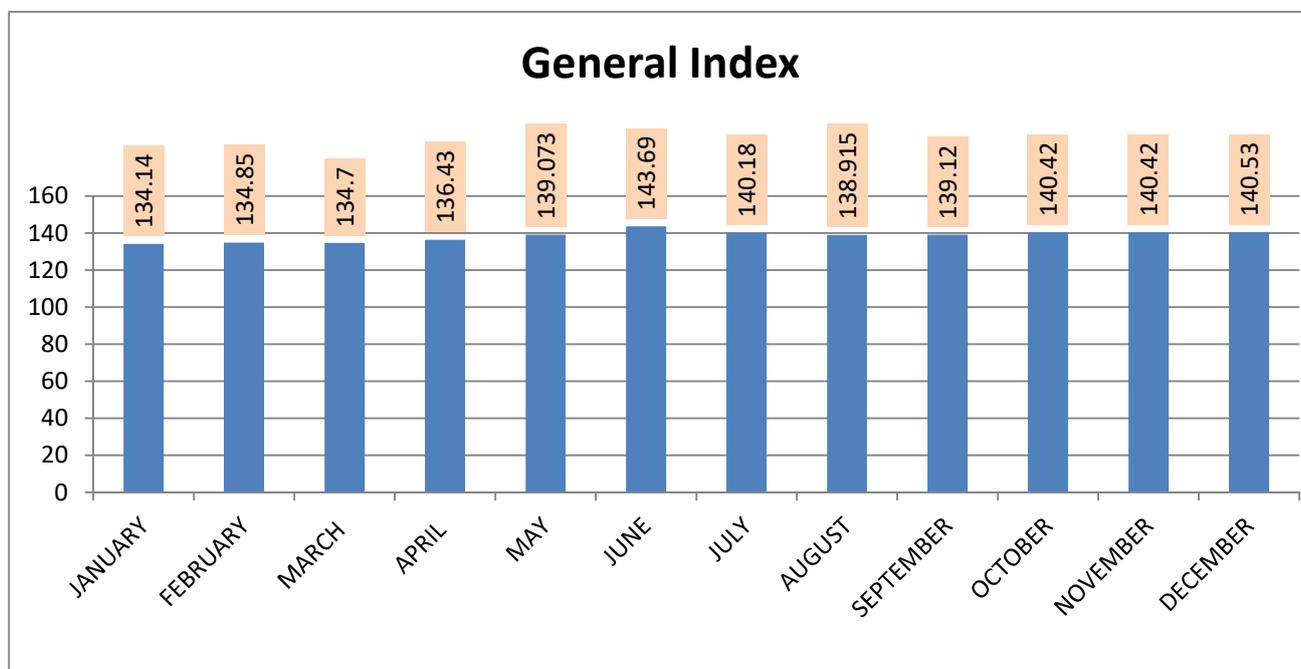
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	136.29	137.8	138.4	140.84	143.22	140.234	144.01	143.21	144.65	146.66	146.76	146.76



## General Index

The General index showed a steady upward trend throughout the year with some fluctuations. It began at 134.14 in January and rose gradually to 134.85 in February and 136.43 in April. A more significant increase occurred in May and June, reaching 139.07 and 143.69 respectively. Minor declines were observed in July and August, with values of 140.18 and 138.92, followed by slight recovery in the remaining months, ending at 140.53 in December. Overall, the year reflected a general increase in prices, with periods of minor fluctuation.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	134.14	134.85	134.7	136.43	139.073	143.69	140.18	138.915	139.12	140.42	140.42	140.53

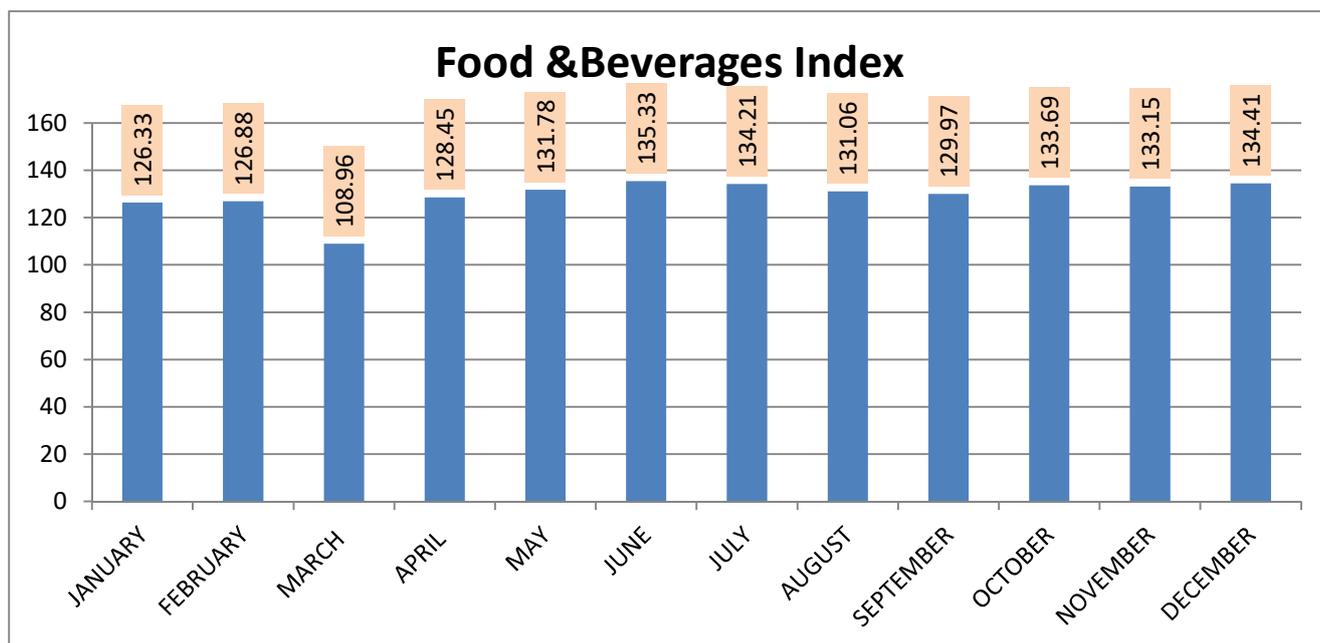


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food and Beverages index showed significant fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 126.33 in January and rose slightly to 126.88 in February, followed by a sharp decline to 108.96 in March. A strong recovery occurred in April, reaching 128.45, and the upward trend continued to 135.33 in June. Minor declines were observed in July and August, with values of 134.21 and 131.06, followed by a gradual recovery in the remaining months, ending at 134.41 in December. Overall, the year experienced notable ups and downs, reflecting considerable variation in food and beverage prices.

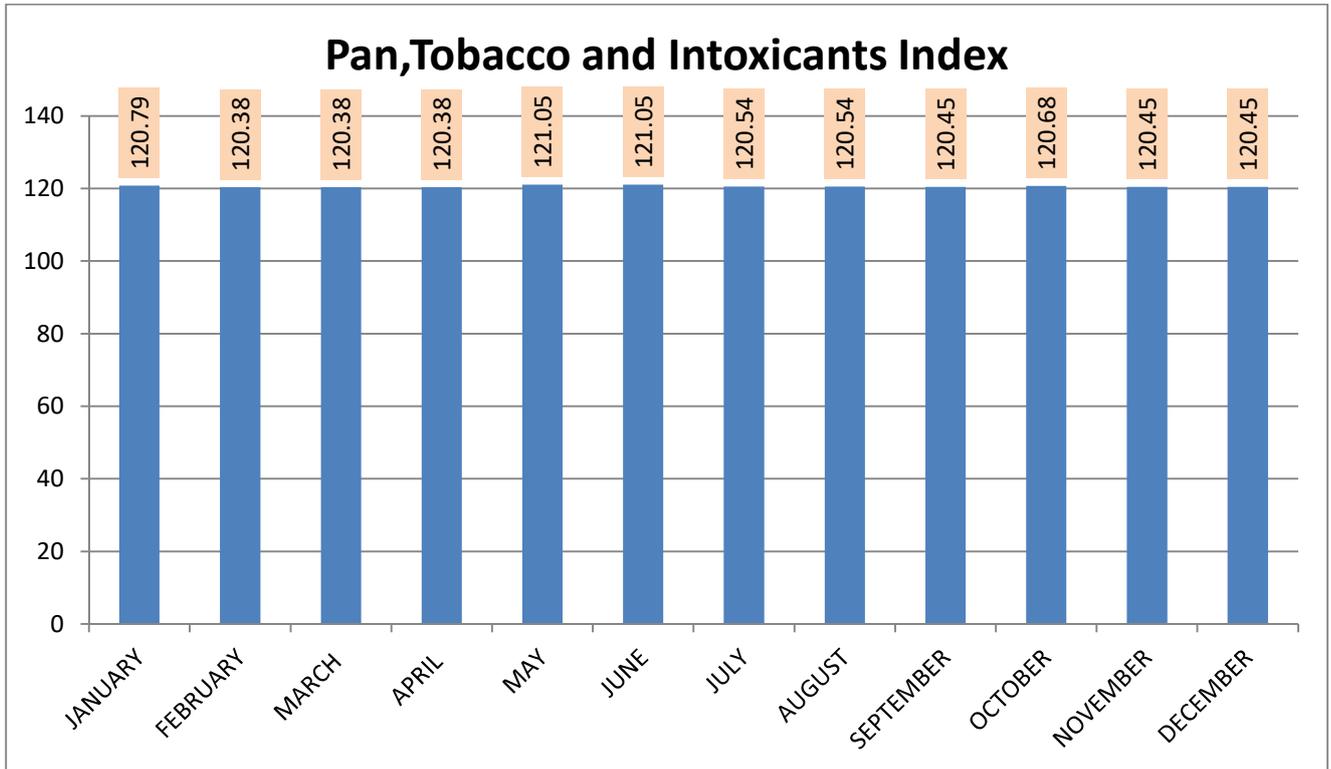
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Food & Beverages Index	126.33	126.88	108.96	128.45	131.78	135.33	134.21	131.06	129.97	133.69	133.15	134.41



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants remained largely stable throughout the year. It started at 120.79 in January and experienced a slight decline to 120.38 in February, maintaining this level through April. A modest increase occurred in May and June, reaching 121.05, followed by minor fluctuations in the following months. The index ended the year at 120.45 in November and December. Overall, the year showed minimal variation, indicating relatively stable prices for these commodities.

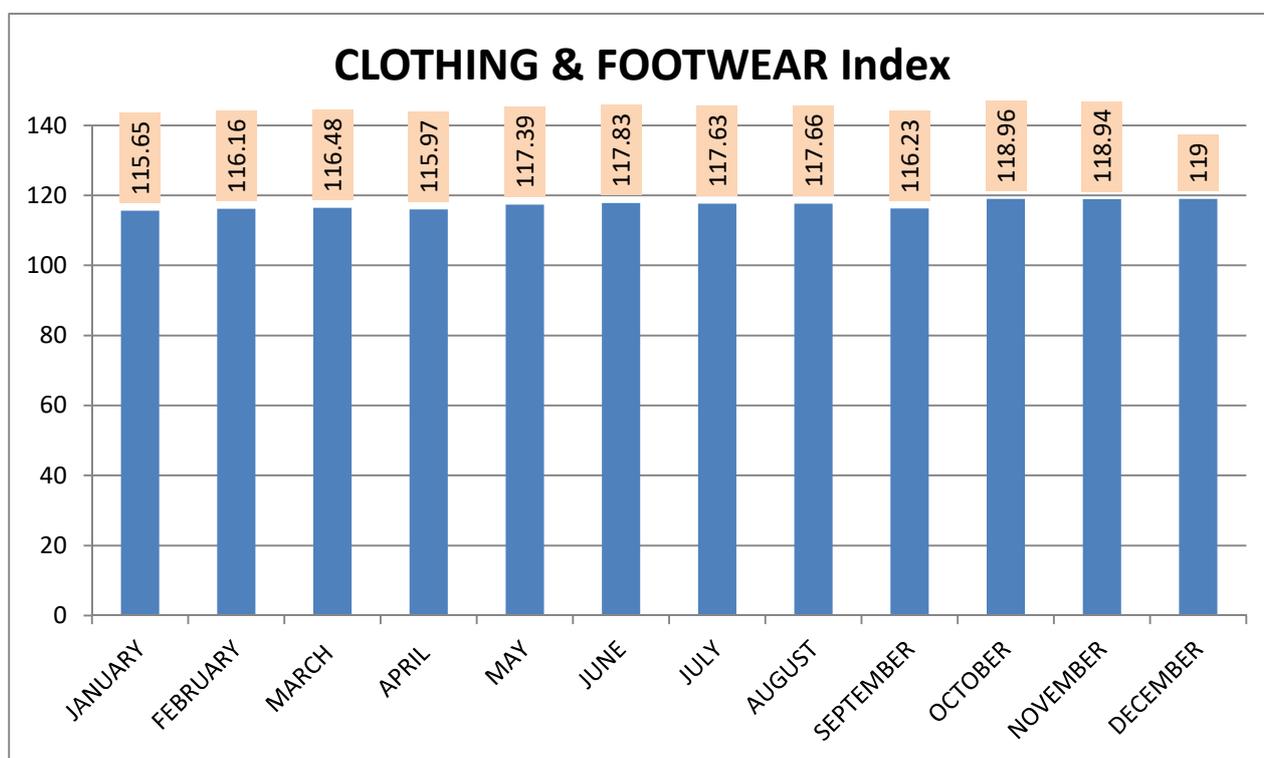
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	120.79	120.38	120.38	120.38	121.05	121.05	120.54	120.54	120.45	120.68	120.45	120.45



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The index for Clothing and Footwear showed a gradual upward trend throughout the year with some fluctuations. It started at 115.65 in January and rose steadily to 116.48 in March, before slightly declining to 115.97 in April. The index increased again in May and June, reaching 117.83, and remained relatively stable during the following months. Minor fluctuations occurred in September, but the index peaked at 119 in December. Overall, the year experienced a steady rise in clothing and footwear prices, despite occasional small variations.

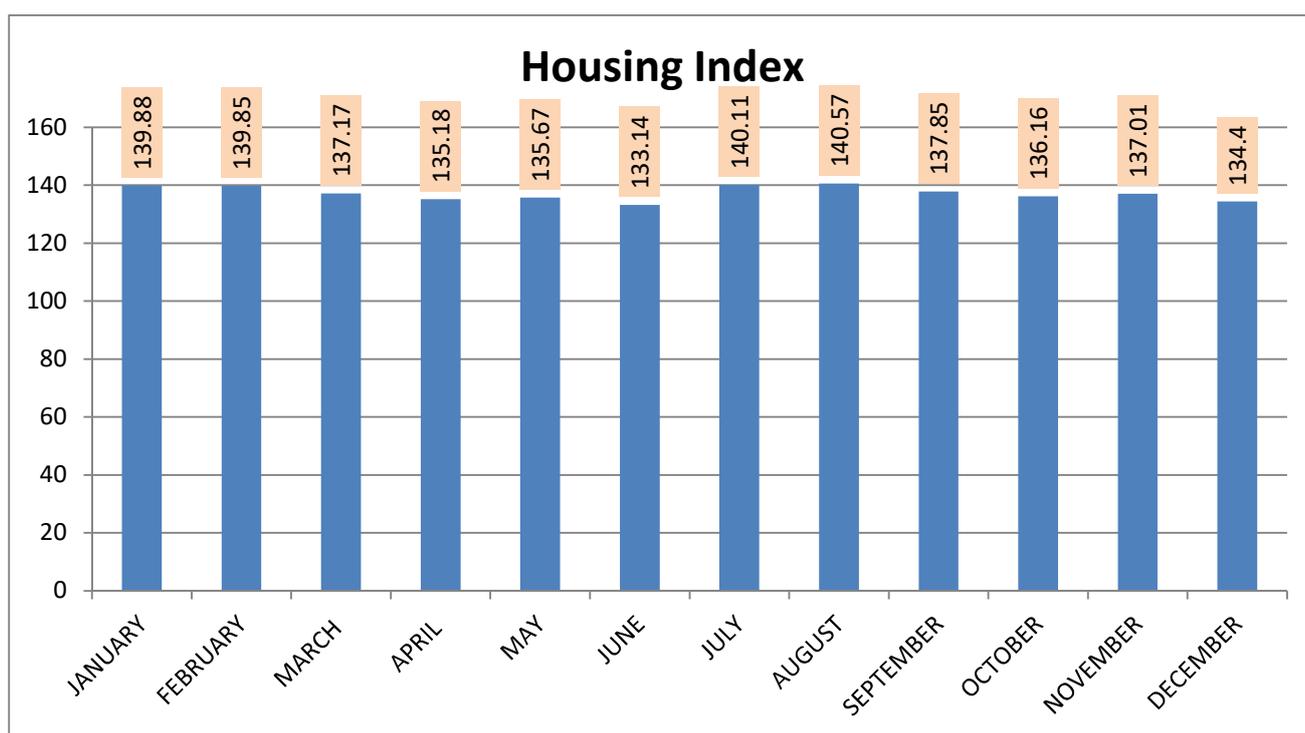
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	115.65	116.16	116.48	115.97	117.39	117.83	117.63	117.66	116.23	118.96	118.94	119



## Housing Index

The Housing index showed considerable fluctuations throughout the year. It began at 139.88 in January and remained nearly stable in February at 139.85, before declining to 137.17 in March and further to 135.18 in April. Minor fluctuations occurred in May and June, with values of 135.67 and 133.14 respectively, followed by a sharp rise to 140.11 in July and 140.57 in August. The index then declined again in the last months, ending at 134.4 in December. Overall, the year reflected significant variability in housing prices, with periods of both rise and decline.

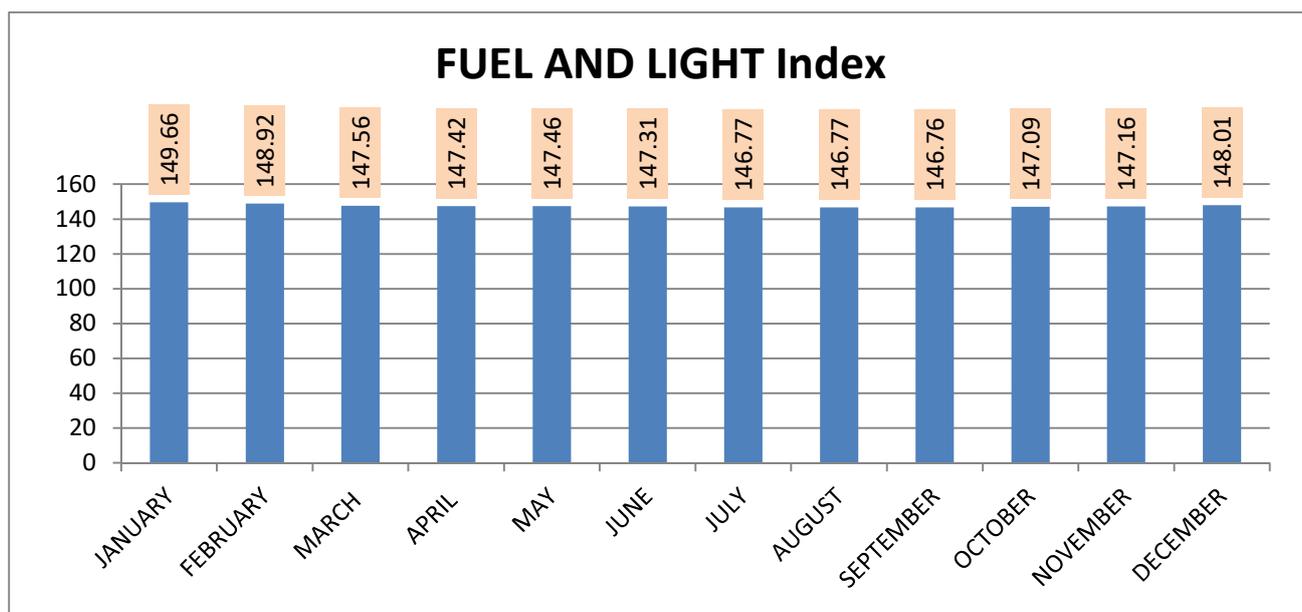
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	139.88	139.85	137.17	135.18	135.67	133.14	140.11	140.57	137.85	136.16	137.01	134.4



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index showed a gradual decline in the first half of the year, starting at 149.66 in January and decreasing to 147.42 in April. Minor fluctuations were observed from May to August, with values remaining around 147.31 to 146.77. The index stayed relatively stable in September and October, followed by slight increases in November and December, ending at 148.01. Overall, the year experienced a modest decline initially, followed by stabilization and a slight recovery toward the end, indicating moderate fluctuations in fuel and light prices.

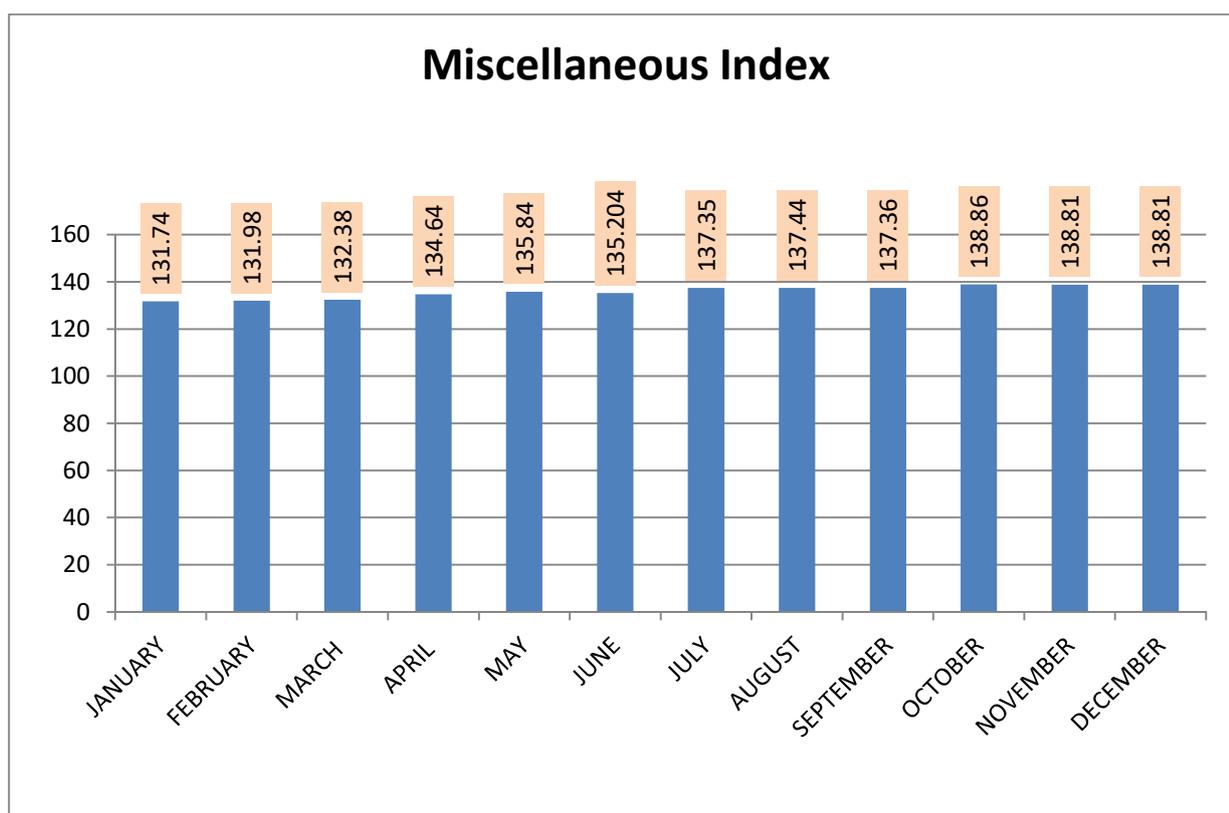
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	149.66	148.92	147.56	147.42	147.46	147.31	146.77	146.77	146.76	147.09	147.16	148.01



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index showed a steady upward trend throughout the year. It started at 131.74 in January and rose gradually to 132.38 in March, followed by a notable increase to 134.64 in April and 135.84 in May. Minor fluctuations occurred in June, but the index continued to rise, reaching 137.35 in July and 137.44 in August. The upward trend persisted in the remaining months, ending at 138.81 in November and December. Overall, the year reflected consistent growth in miscellaneous prices with only slight variations.

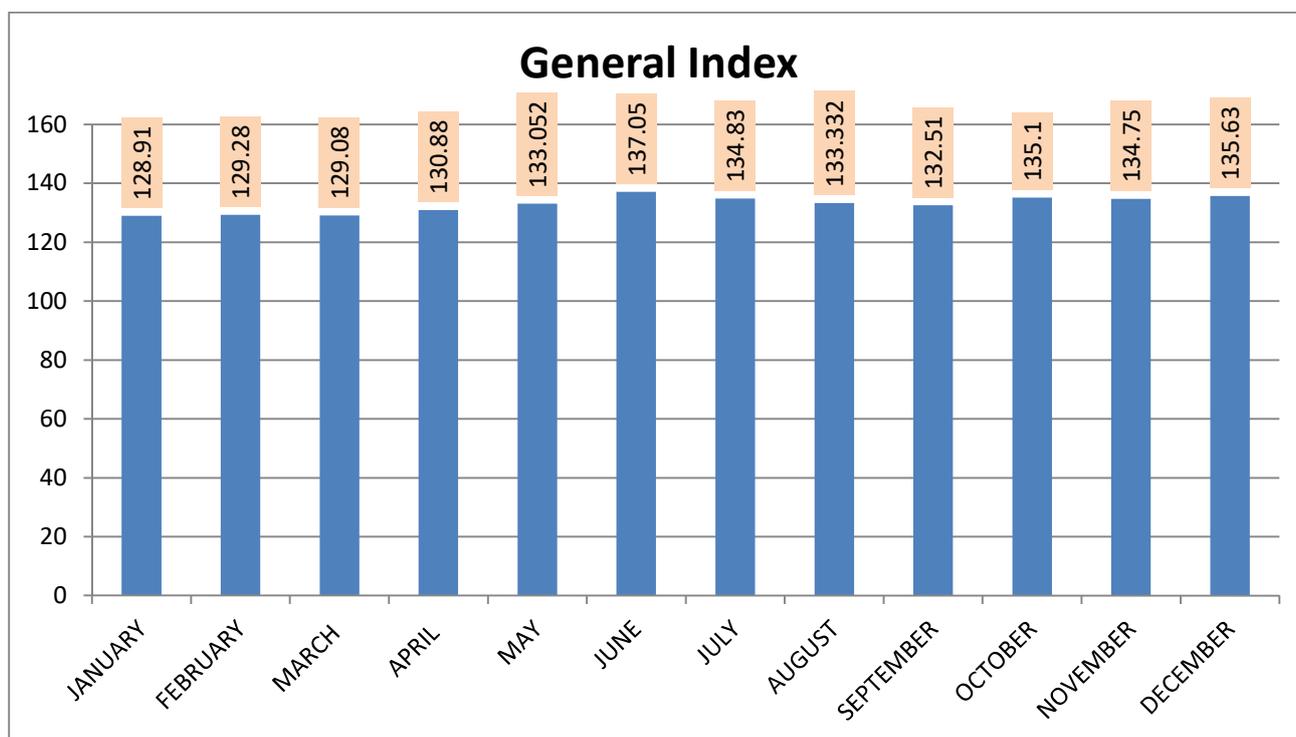
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Miscellaneous Index	131.74	131.98	132.38	134.64	135.84	135.204	137.35	137.44	137.36	138.86	138.81	138.81



## General Index

The General index showed a consistent upward trend during the first half of the year. It started at 128.91 in January and rose gradually to 129.28 in February, with minor fluctuations in March at 129.08. A stronger increase was observed in April and May, reaching 130.88 and 133.05 respectively, followed by a peak of 137.05 in June. The index then experienced some decline and fluctuations in the following months, falling to 132.51 in September before rising again to end the year at 135.63 in December. Overall, the year reflected steady growth in general prices, with periods of fluctuation in the latter half.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	128.91	129.28	129.08	130.88	133.052	137.05	134.83	133.332	132.51	135.1	134.75	135.63

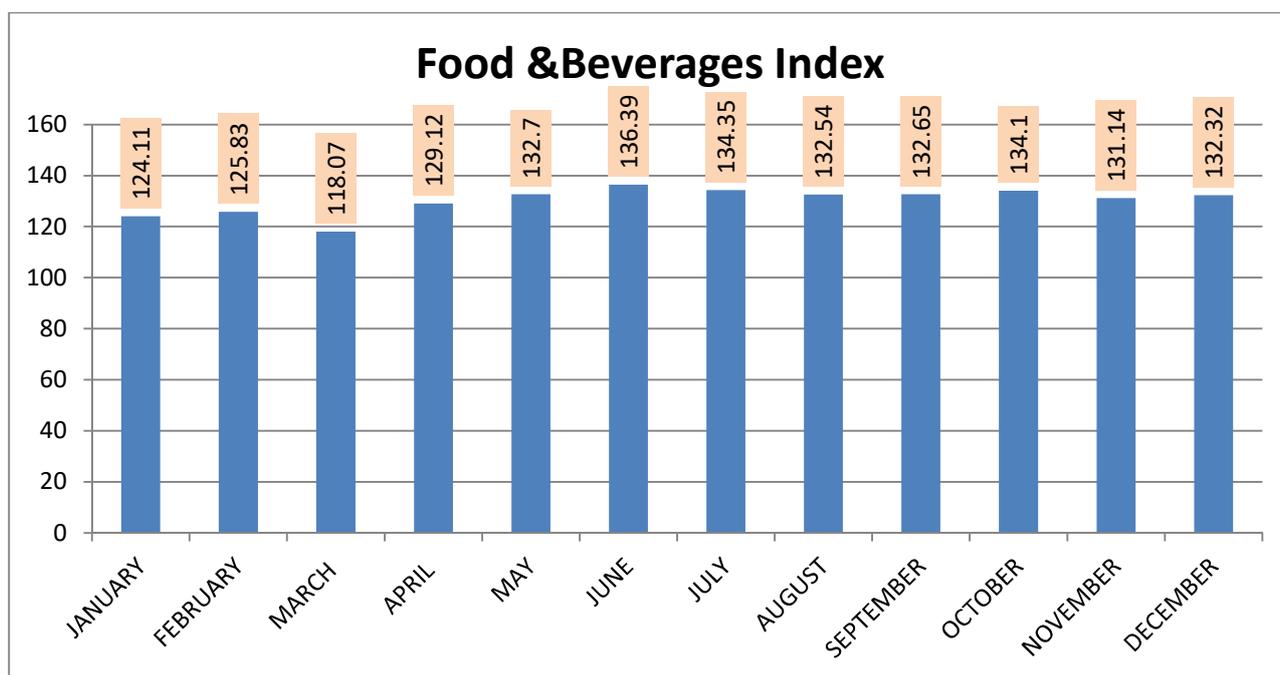


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food and Beverages index showed considerable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 124.11 in January and rose to 125.83 in February, before dropping sharply to 118.07 in March. A strong recovery occurred in April, reaching 129.12, followed by a steady increase to 136.39 in June. Slight declines were observed in July and August, with values of 134.35 and 132.54, and the index remained relatively stable through September and October. Minor fluctuations continued in the last two months, ending at 132.32 in December. Overall, the year reflected significant ups and downs, indicating varying price trends in food and beverages.

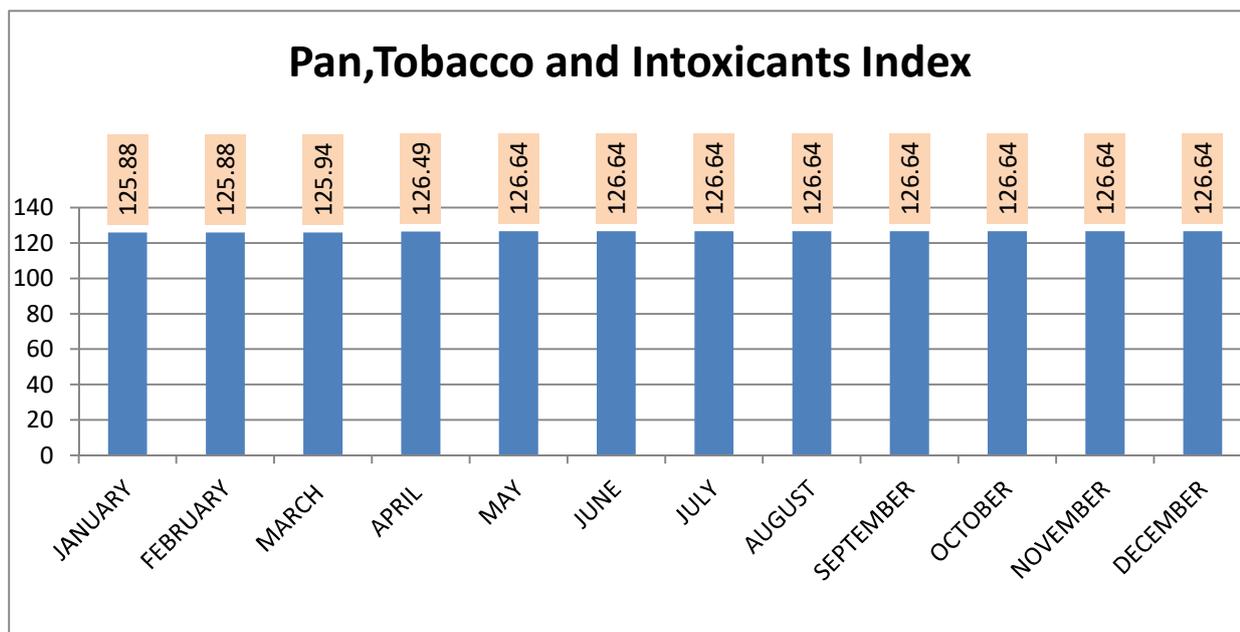
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Food & Beverages Index	124.11	125.83	118.07	129.12	132.7	136.39	134.35	132.54	132.65	134.1	131.14	132.32



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants remained largely stable throughout the year. It started at 125.88 in January and February, with a slight increase to 125.94 in March. From April onwards, the index rose marginally to 126.49 and 126.64 in May, maintaining this level consistently for the rest of the year through December. Overall, the year showed minimal variation, indicating stable prices for these commodities.

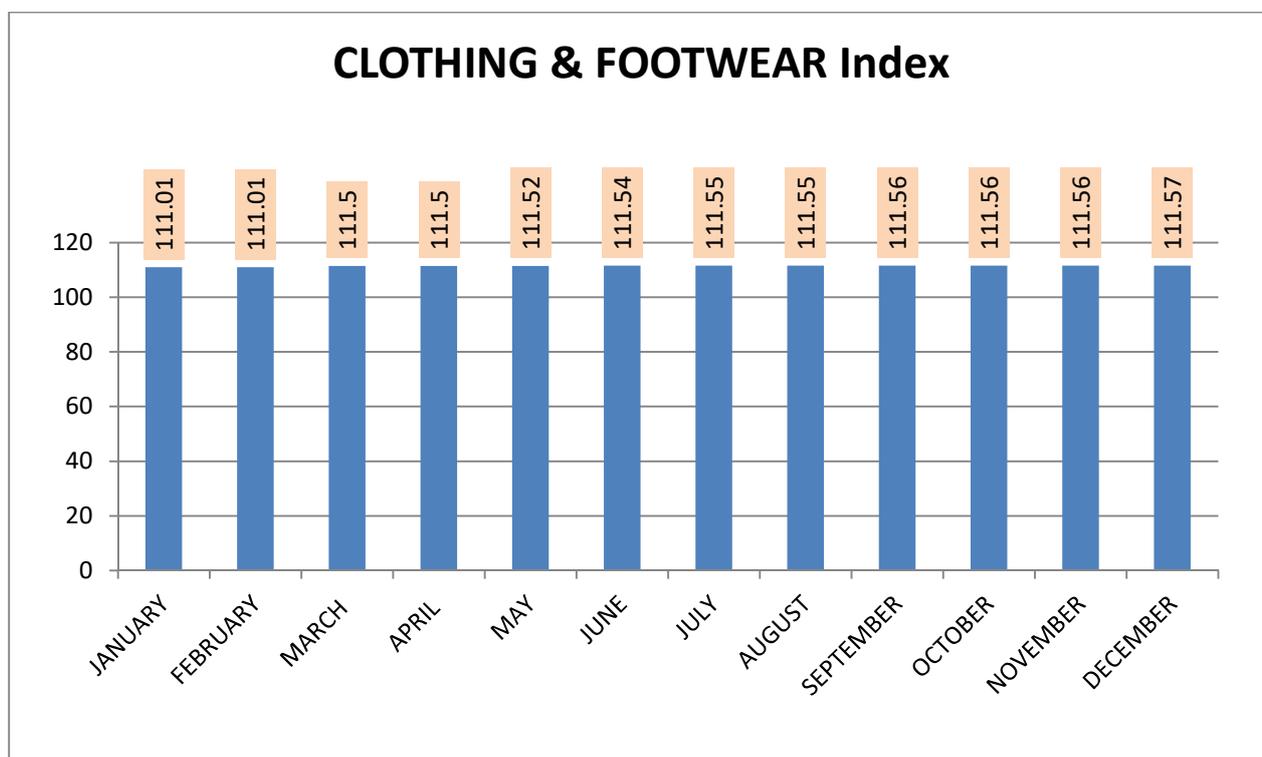
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	125.88	125.88	125.94	126.49	126.64	126.64	126.64	126.64	126.64	126.64	126.64	126.64



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The index for Clothing and Footwear remained very stable throughout the year. It started at 111.01 in January and February, with a slight increase to 111.5 in March and April. Minor incremental rises continued in the following months, reaching 111.57 in December. Overall, the year showed minimal variation, indicating highly stable prices for clothing and footwear.

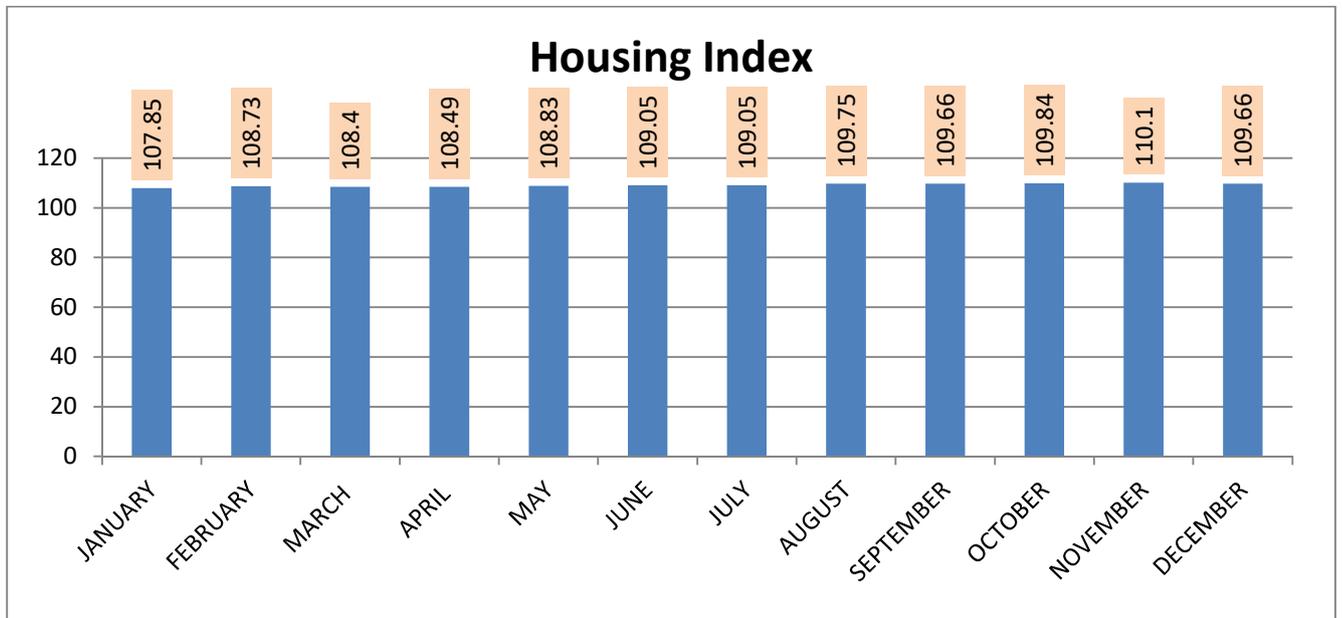
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	111.01	111.01	111.5	111.5	111.52	111.54	111.55	111.55	111.56	111.56	111.56	111.57



### Housing Index

The Housing index showed a gradual upward trend throughout the year with minor fluctuations. It started at 107.85 in January and increased to 108.73 in February, remaining around 108.4–108.49 in March and April. A steady rise continued in the following months, reaching 109.05 in June and peaking at 110.1 in November, before slightly declining to 109.66 in December. Overall, the year reflected a slow but consistent increase in housing prices.

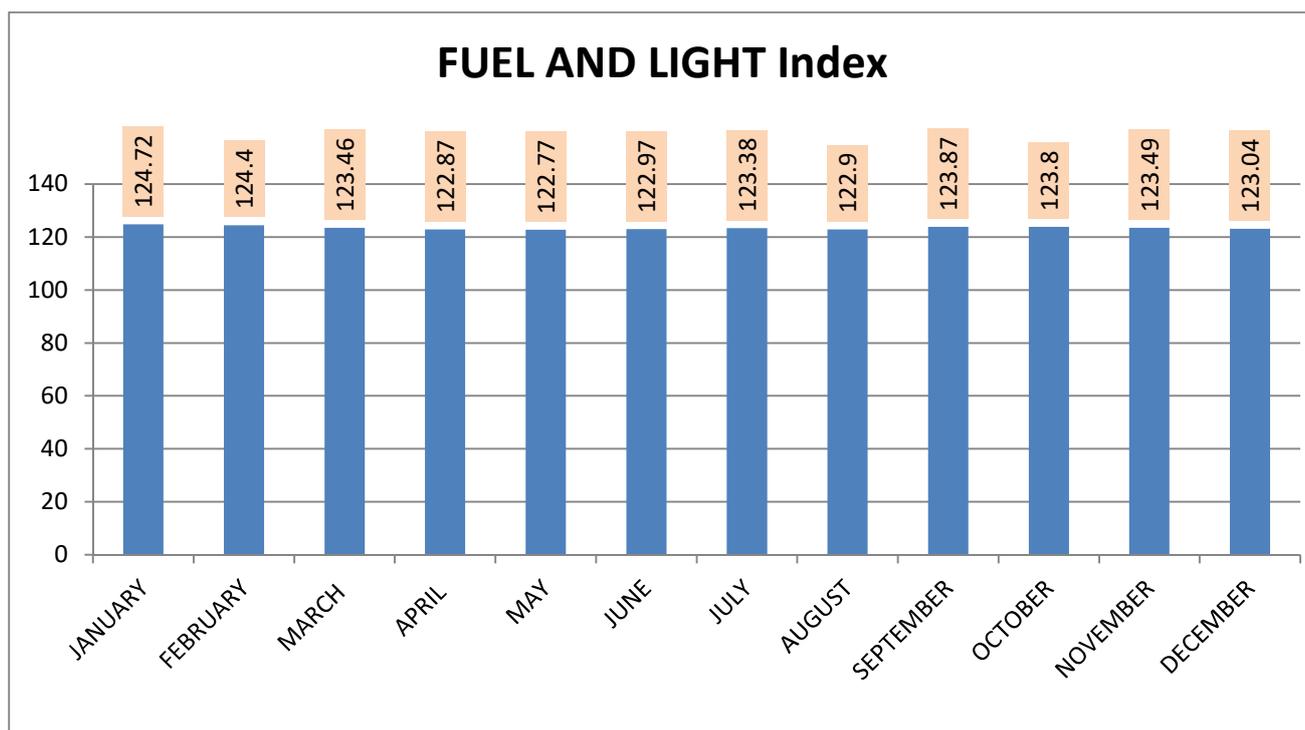
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	107.85	108.73	108.4	108.49	108.83	109.05	109.05	109.75	109.66	109.84	110.1	109.66



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index showed a gradual decline during the first half of the year. It started at 124.72 in January and decreased to 123.46 in March and 122.87 in April, with minor fluctuations continuing through June. A slight recovery occurred in July at 123.38, but the index fluctuated around 122.9–123.87 in the following months. The year ended at 123.04 in December. Overall, the index reflected moderate variations, with a general downward trend in the first half and minor recovery later in the year.

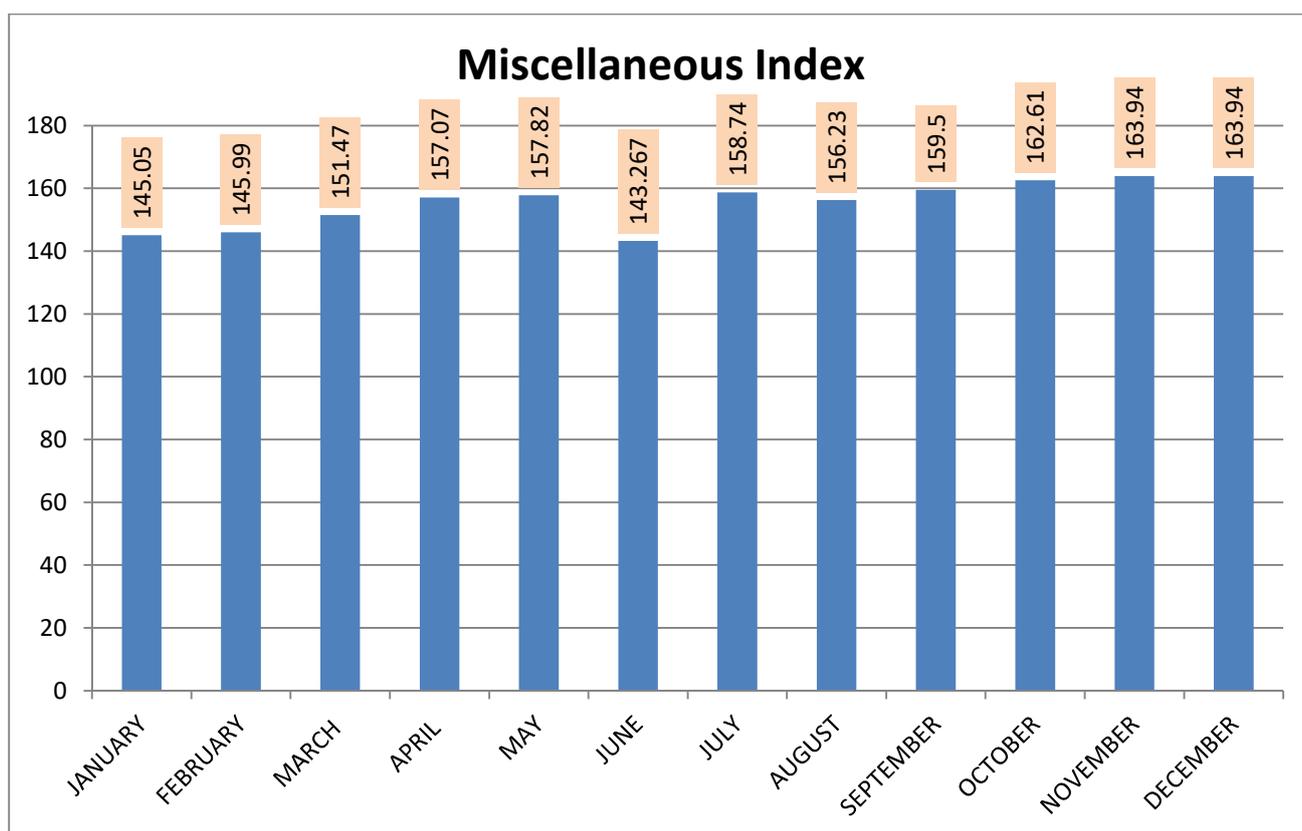
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FUEL AND LIGHT Index	124.72	124.4	123.46	122.87	122.77	122.97	123.38	122.9	123.87	123.8	123.49	123.04



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index showed significant fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 145.05 in January and gradually increased to 151.47 in March and 157.07 in April, with a slight rise to 157.82 in May. A notable dip occurred in June, dropping to 143.27, followed by a recovery to 158.74 in July. The index continued to rise, reaching 162.61 in October and peaking at 163.94 in November and December. Overall, the year reflected considerable variation, with periods of both decline and strong growth in miscellaneous prices.

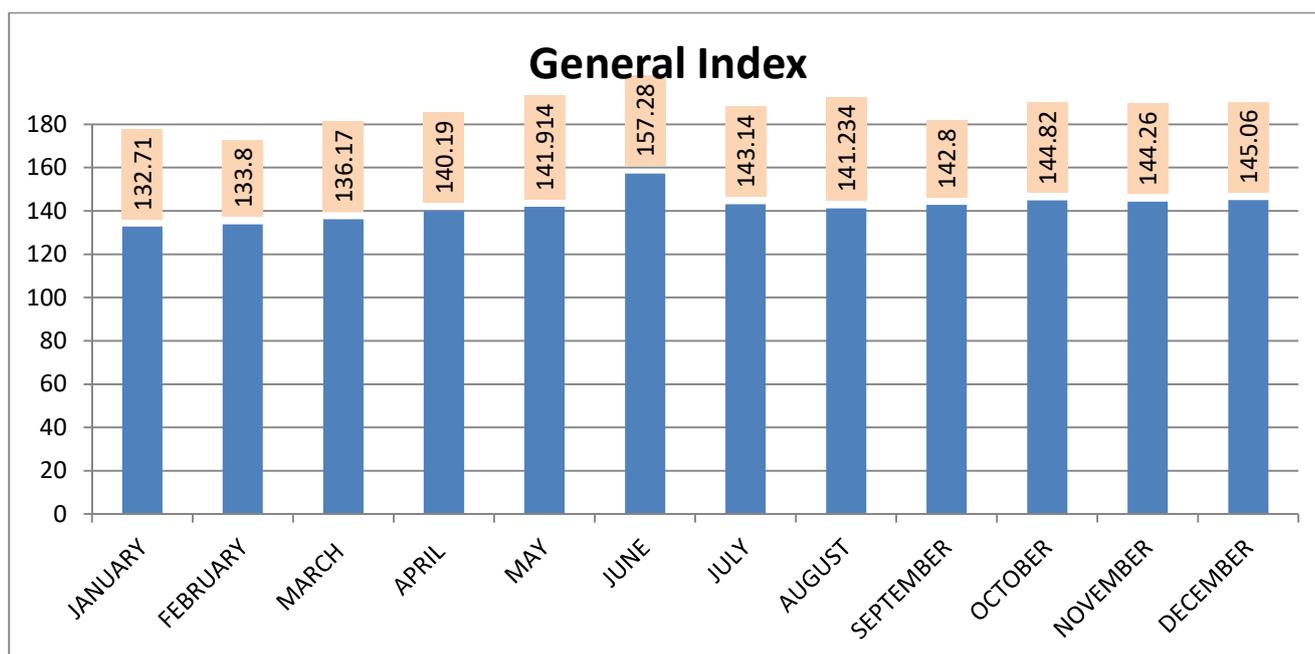
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Miscellaneous Index	145.05	145.99	151.47	157.07	157.82	143.267	158.74	156.23	159.5	162.61	163.94	163.94



### General Index

The General index showed a strong upward trend in the first half of the year, starting at 132.71 in January and rising steadily to 136.17 in March and 140.19 in April. The increase continued through May and June, reaching 141.91 and peaking sharply at 157.28 in June. A decline followed in July and August to 143.14 and 141.23, before minor fluctuations in the remaining months, ending at 145.06 in December. Overall, the year reflected significant growth with notable volatility, particularly in the middle of the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
General Index	132.71	133.8	136.17	140.19	141.914	157.28	143.14	141.234	142.8	144.82	144.26	145.06

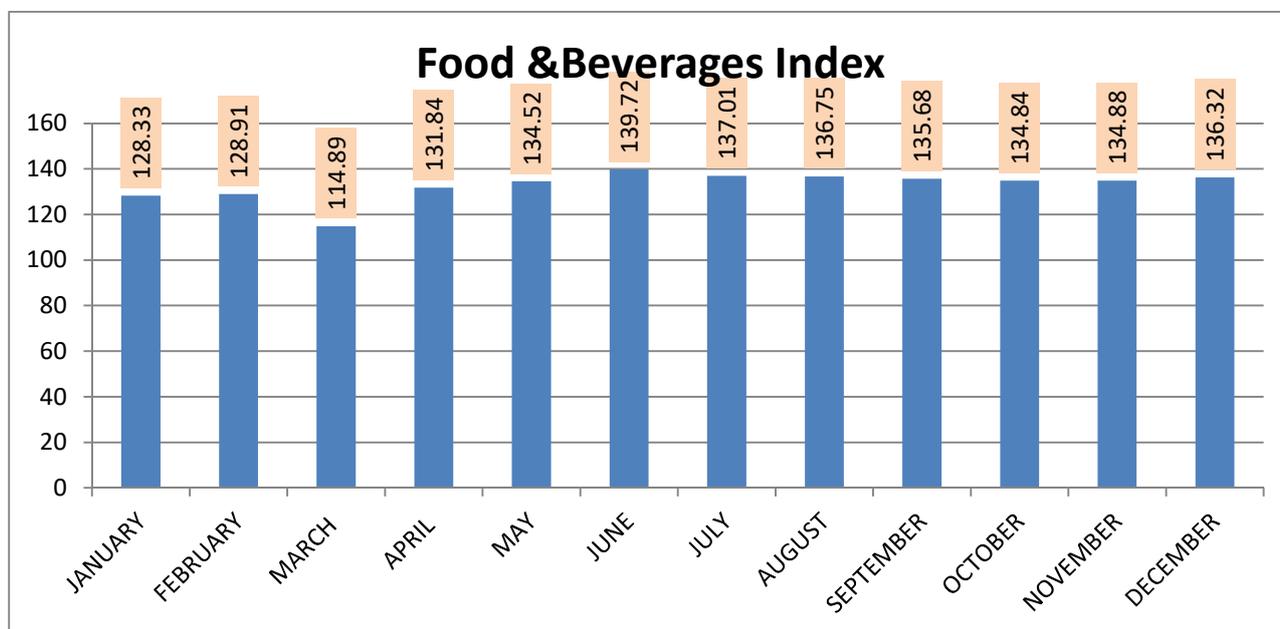


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food and Beverages index showed notable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 128.33 in January and rose slightly to 128.91 in February, followed by a sharp decline to 114.89 in March. A strong recovery occurred in April, reaching 131.84, and the index continued to rise to 139.72 in June. Minor declines were observed in July and August, with values of 137.01 and 136.75, and the index remained relatively stable through the remaining months, ending at 136.32 in December. Overall, the year reflected significant variation, with periods of sharp decline and recovery in food and beverage prices.

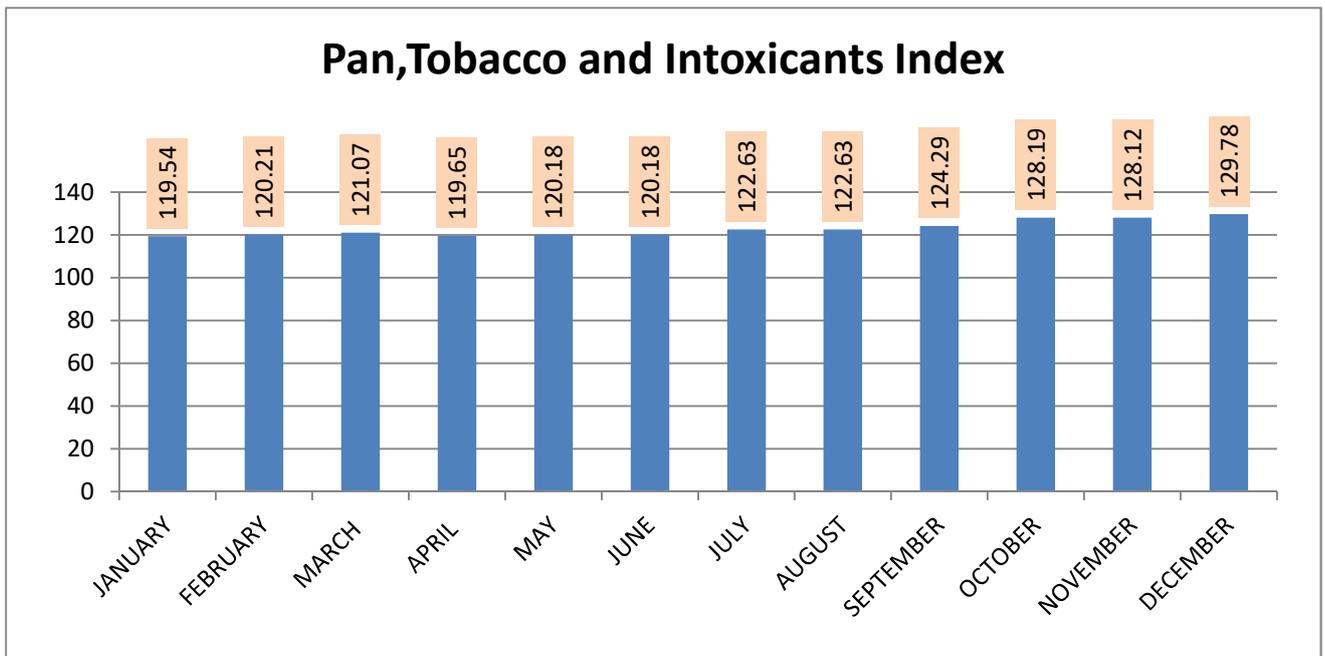
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	128.33	128.91	114.89	131.84	134.52	139.72	137.01	136.75	135.68	134.84	134.88	136.32



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants showed noticeable fluctuations across the year. It began at 119.54 in January and increased to 120.21 in February and 121.07 in March. A slight dip occurred in April, bringing the index down to 119.65, but it recovered to 120.18 in May and June. A significant rise was observed from July onward, reaching 122.63 in both July and August, followed by further increases in September and October, peaking at 128.19. The index continued to rise slightly in November and ended the year at 129.78 in December. Overall, the year displayed a clear upward trend with periods of moderate fluctuations.

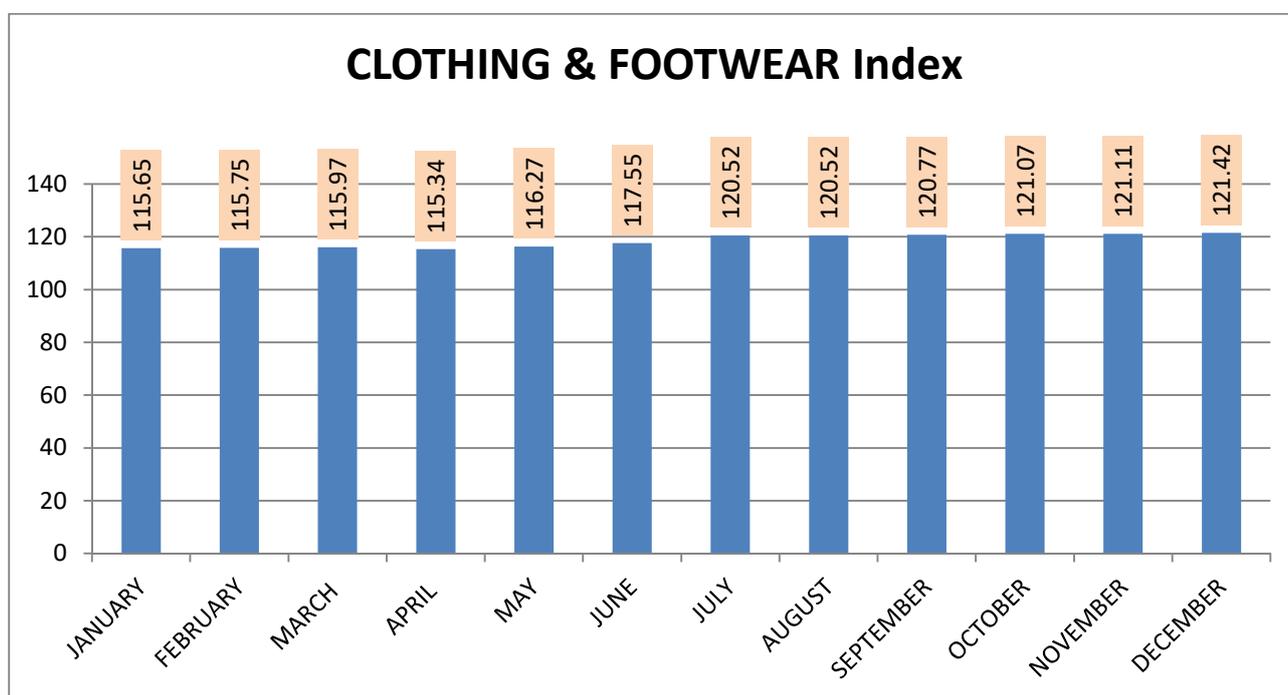
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Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	119.54	120.21	121.07	119.65	120.18	120.18	122.63	122.63	124.29	128.19	128.12	129.78



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing and Footwear index shows a generally upward trend throughout the year, beginning at 115.65 in January and rising gradually to 121.42 by December. Although there is a slight dip in April to 115.34, the overall movement remains positive, with steady increases from May onward. A notable rise occurs from June to July, where the index moves from 117.55 to 120.52, indicating increased price or demand pressures during this period. From July to December, the index stabilizes at a higher level, with only minor month-to-month variations, reflecting consistent growth in prices. Overall, the trend suggests a sustained increase in the cost of clothing and footwear items over the year.

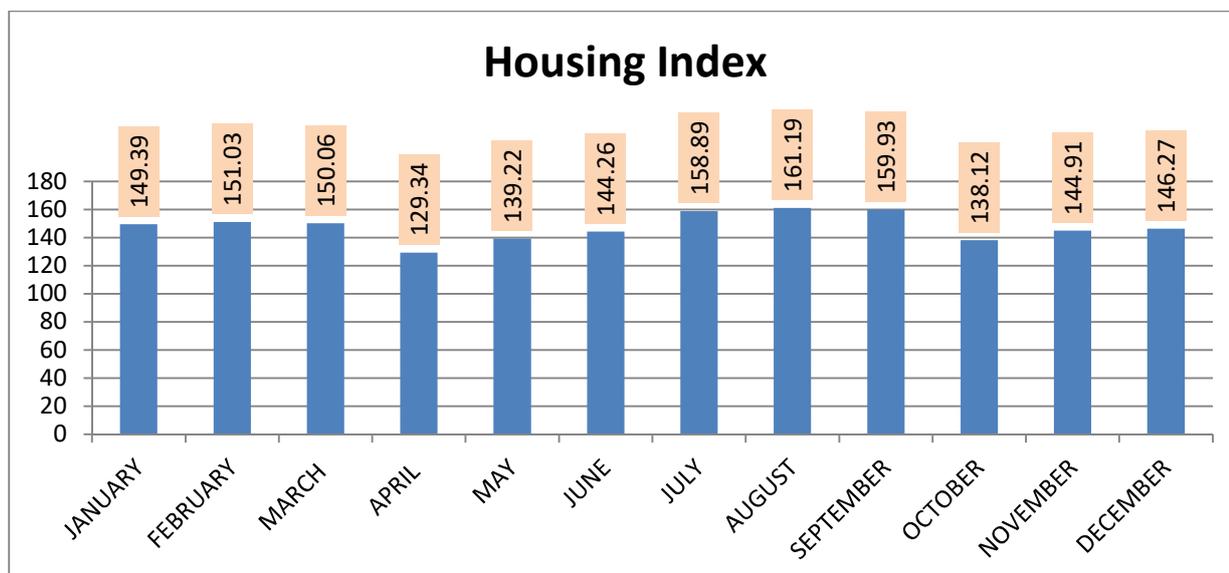
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CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index	115.65	115.75	115.97	115.34	116.27	117.55	120.52	120.52	120.77	121.07	121.11	121.42



## Housing Index

The Housing index shows notable fluctuations throughout the year. It starts at 149.39 in January and rises slightly to 151.03 in February, followed by a small dip to 150.06 in March. However, April records a sharp decline to 129.34, indicating a significant drop in housing-related costs during that month. From May onward, the index begins to recover, rising steadily from 139.22 in May to 158.89 in July and reaching its yearly peak of 161.19 in August. After this peak, the index shows a mild decline to 159.93 in September, followed by a more noticeable drop to 138.12 in October. It then increases again to 144.91 in November and closes the year at 146.27 in December. Overall, the data reflects a year marked by mid-year escalation in housing costs, with considerable volatility before and after the peak.

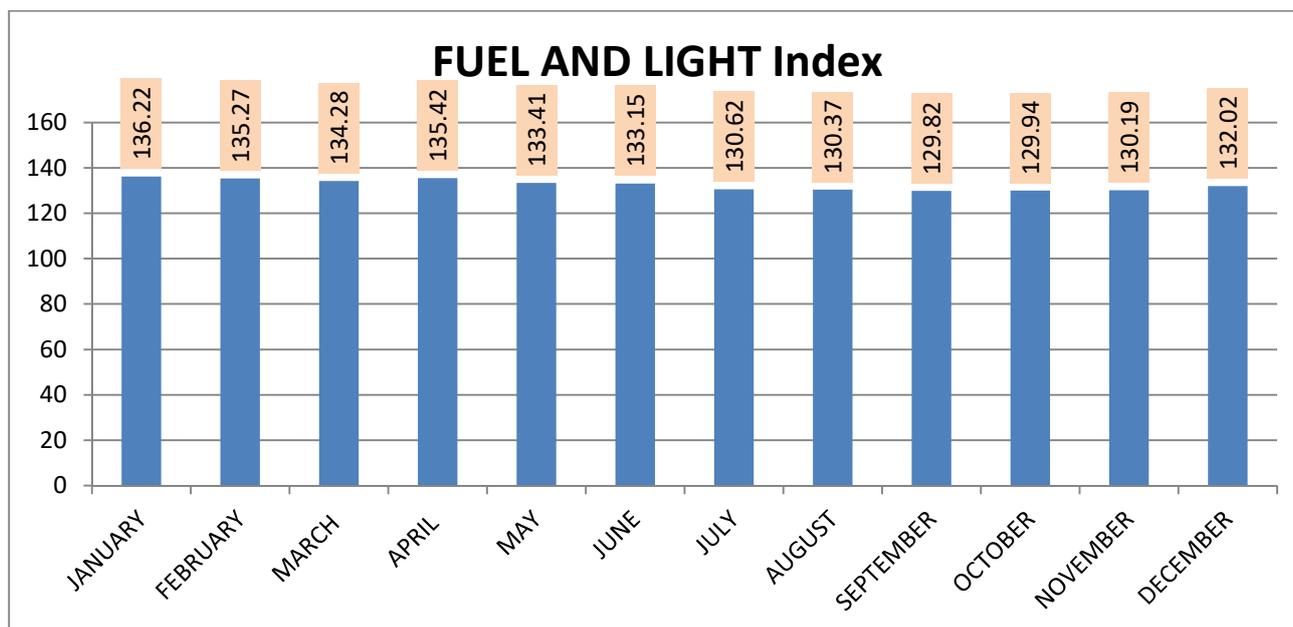
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Housing Index	149.39	151.03	150.06	129.34	139.22	144.26	158.89	161.19	159.93	138.12	144.91	146.27



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows a gradual downward trend over the year, with minor fluctuations. It begins at 136.22 in January and steadily decreases through the following months, reaching 134.28 in March and further dropping to 133.15 by June. The decline continues into July and August, where the index reaches its lowest point of 130.37. September shows a slight dip to 129.82, which is the lowest value of the year. From October onward, the index begins a mild recovery, rising to 129.94, then 130.19 in November, and finally reaching 132.02 in December. Overall, the year reflects a consistent reduction in fuel and light costs during the first nine months, followed by a modest upward correction toward the end of the year.

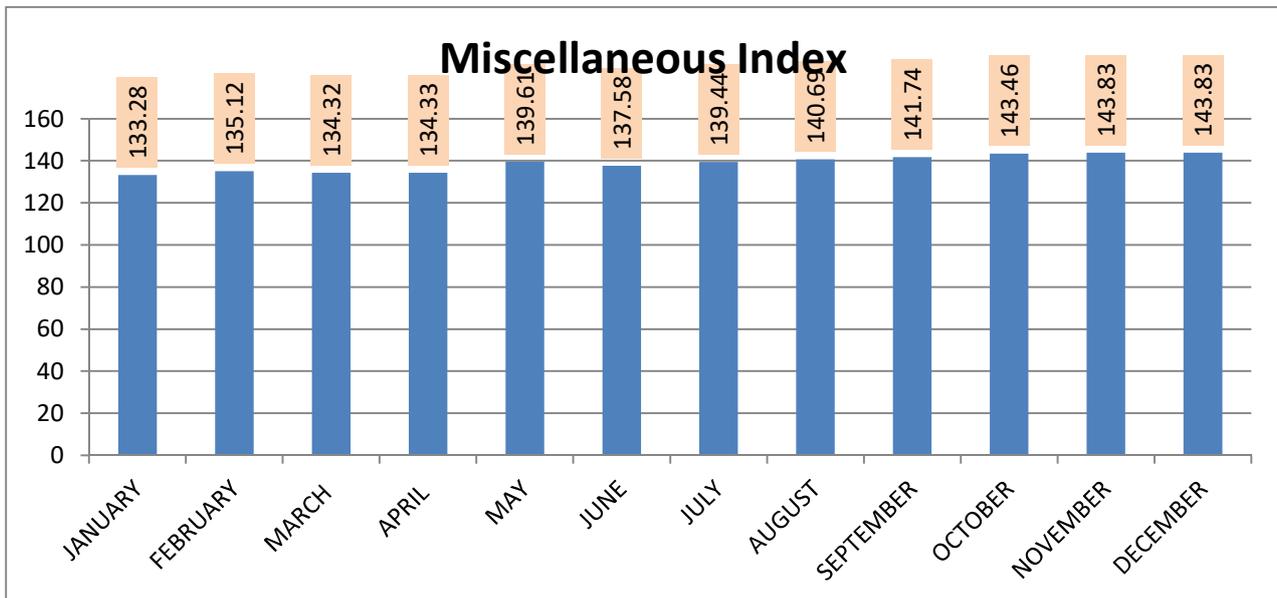
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<b>FUEL AND LIGHT Index</b>	136.22	135.27	134.28	135.42	133.41	133.15	130.62	130.37	129.82	129.94	130.19	132.02



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a generally rising trend over the year, with a few moderate fluctuations. The index starts at 133.28 in January and increases to 135.12 in February, followed by a slight dip to 134.32 in March. From April onward, the values remain relatively steady before rising significantly to 139.61 in May. Although there is a small decline to 137.58 in June, the index moves upward again in July and August, reaching 139.44 and 140.69 respectively. This upward momentum continues into September, October, and November, with values of 141.74, 143.46, and 143.83. The year ends with the same index value of 143.83 in December. Overall, the data indicates a consistent increase in miscellaneous expenses throughout the year, especially in the latter half.

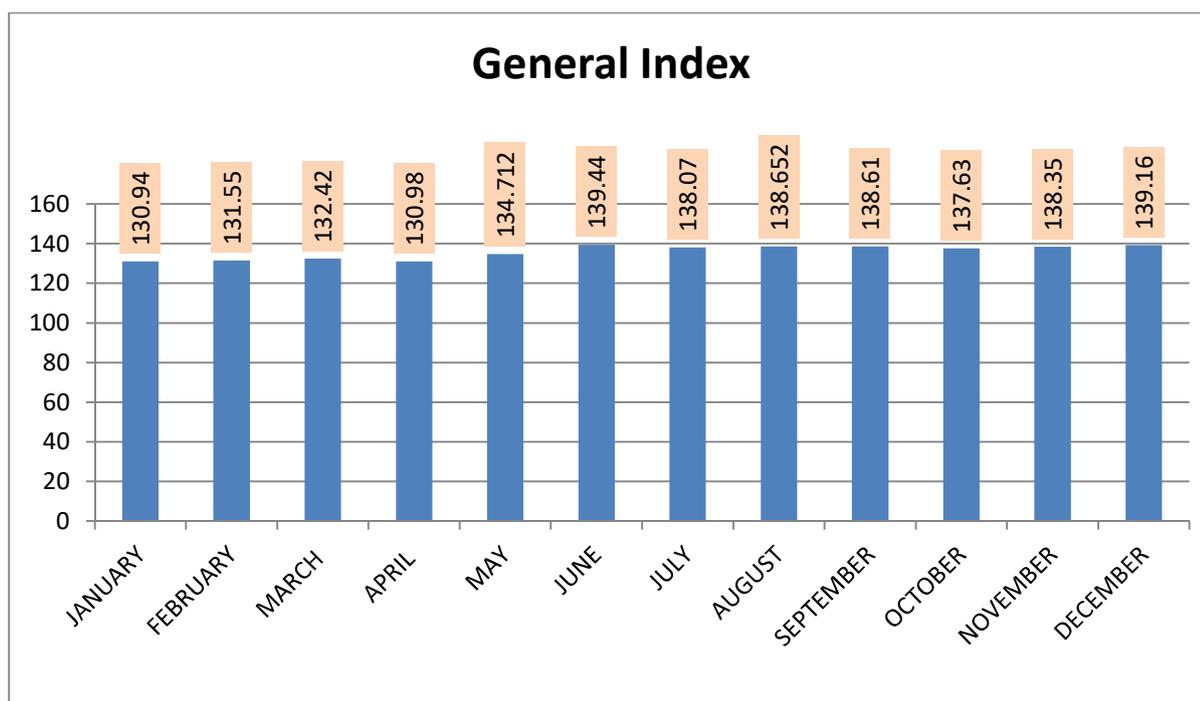
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	133.28	135.12	134.32	134.33	139.61	137.58	139.44	140.69	141.74	143.46	143.83	143.83



## General Index

The General index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, with an overall upward trend. It begins at 130.94 in January and rises slightly to 131.55 in February, followed by a further increase to 132.42 in March. However, the index dips marginally to 130.98 in April before increasing steadily to 134.712 in May and peaking at 139.44 in June. In July and August, the index stabilizes around 138.07 and 138.652, showing only minor variations. September records a similar value of 138.61, but a slight decline appears in October at 137.63. The index recovers slightly in November at 138.35 and continues its upward movement to reach 139.16 in December. Overall, the data indicates a gradual increase with mid-year peaks and small fluctuations toward the end of the year.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>General Index</b>	130.94	131.55	132.42	130.98	134.712	139.44	138.07	138.652	138.61	137.63	138.35	139.16

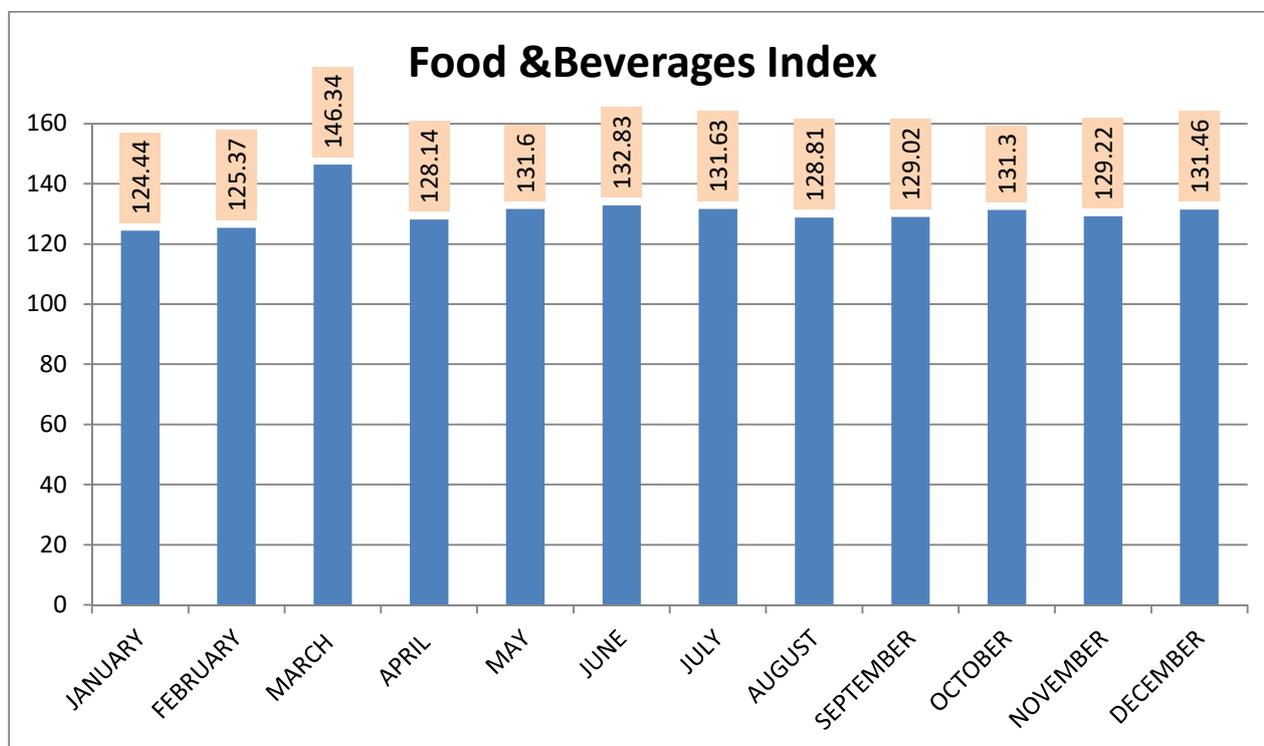


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index shows noticeable fluctuations throughout the year, reflecting varying price movements across months. It begins at 124.44 in January and rises slightly to 125.37 in February. A sharp increase occurs in March, reaching 146.34, indicating a significant spike in prices during that month. However, the index drops back to 128.14 in April and continues with moderate increases through May (131.6) and June (132.83). In July, the index falls slightly to 131.63 and declines further to 128.81 in August. A small recovery is seen in September at 129.02, followed by another rise in October to 131.3. Prices again dip marginally in November to 129.22, before increasing to 131.46 in December. Overall, the data shows a major peak in March, followed by moderate and stabilizing movements during the rest of the year.

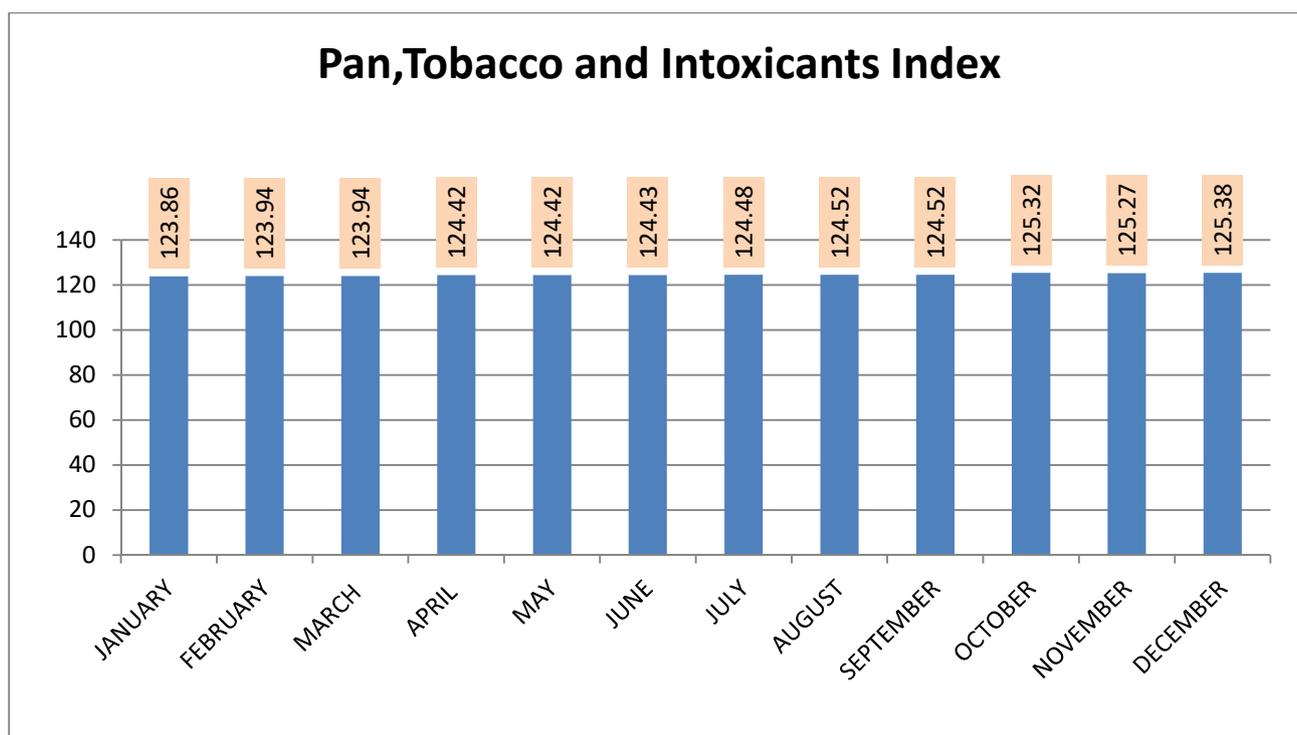
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Food & Beverages Index	124.44	125.37	146.34	128.14	131.6	132.83	131.63	128.81	129.02	131.3	129.22	131.46



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The index for Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants shows very mild and steady movements throughout the year, indicating stable pricing with gradual increases. It starts at 123.86 in January and shows a marginal rise to 123.94 in February and March. A small increase occurs in April, reaching 124.42, and the index remains almost unchanged through May and June. From July onward, slight monthly increments continue, with the index reaching 124.48 in July and 124.52 in both August and September. A more noticeable rise appears in October at 125.32, followed by a small dip to 125.27 in November, before ending the year slightly higher at 125.38 in December. Overall, the category shows consistent but minimal upward movement, reflecting stable and predictable price behaviour across the year.

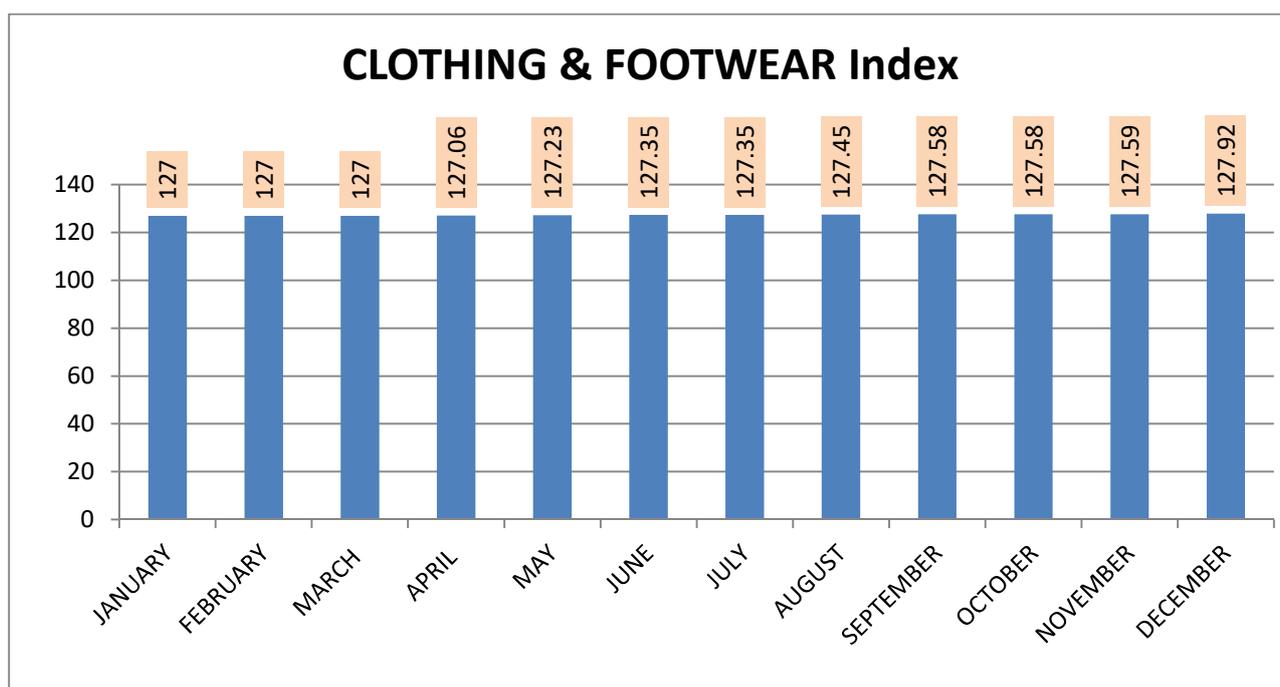
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	123.86	123.94	123.94	124.42	124.42	124.43	124.48	124.52	124.52	125.32	125.27	125.38



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index remains largely stable throughout the year, showing only slight and gradual increases. It begins at 127 in January and stays unchanged through March, indicating no price movement in the first quarter. A minimal rise starts in April at 127.06, followed by small monthly increments through May and June. The index continues this gentle upward trend, reaching 127.35 in July and 127.45 in August. By September, it rises to 127.58 and remains steady in October, before inching up to 127.59 in November. The year ends with a slightly higher value of 127.92 in December. Overall, the price changes are minimal, reflecting a stable market with very mild upward pressure across Clothing & Footwear items.

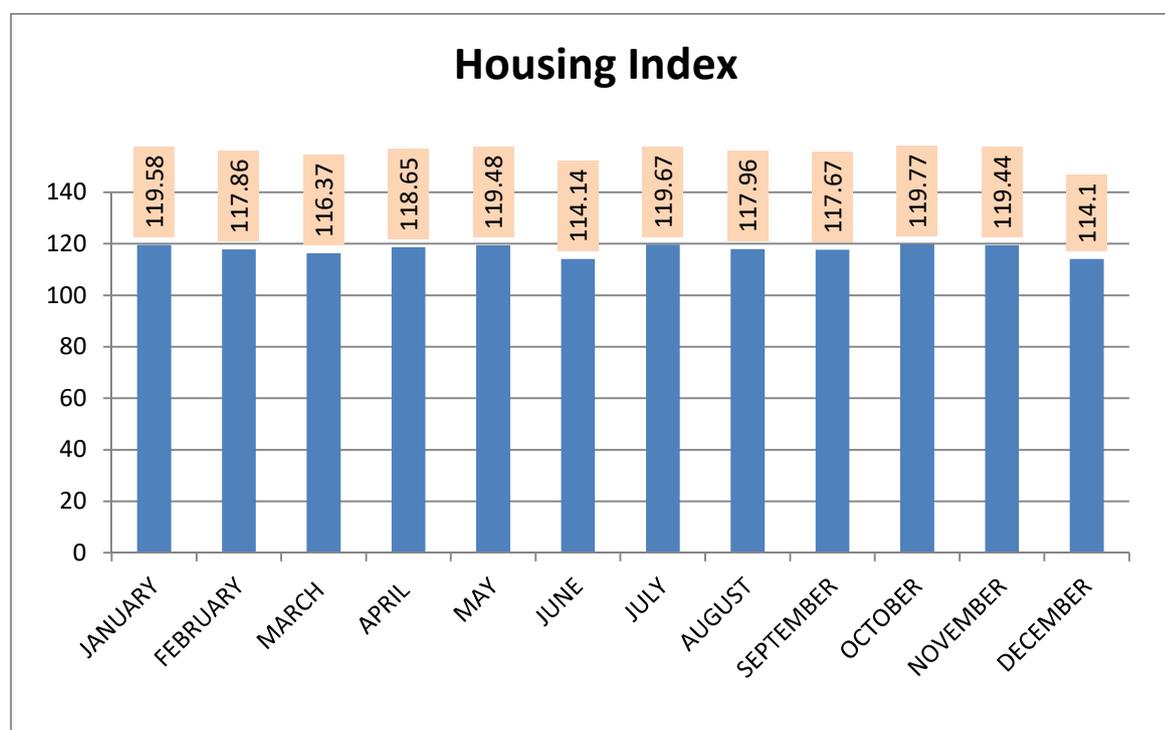
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<b>CLOTHING &amp; FOOTWEAR Index</b>	127	127	127	127.06	127.23	127.35	127.35	127.45	127.58	127.58	127.59	127.92



## Housing Index

The Housing index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, reflecting alternating periods of increases and declines. It starts at 119.58 in January but drops to 117.86 in February and further to 116.37 in March, indicating a weakening trend in the first quarter. In April, the index rises to 118.65 and continues upward to 119.48 in May, suggesting a temporary recovery. However, June records a noticeable dip to 114.14, the lowest value of the year. A sharp rebound follows in July at 119.67, after which the index slightly decreases to 117.96 in August and 117.67 in September. Toward the end of the year, it climbs again to 119.77 in October and remains relatively steady at 119.44 in November. December sees another fall to 114.1, matching June's low. Overall, the Housing index displays repeated up-and-down movements, with no consistent trend, ending the year on a weaker note.

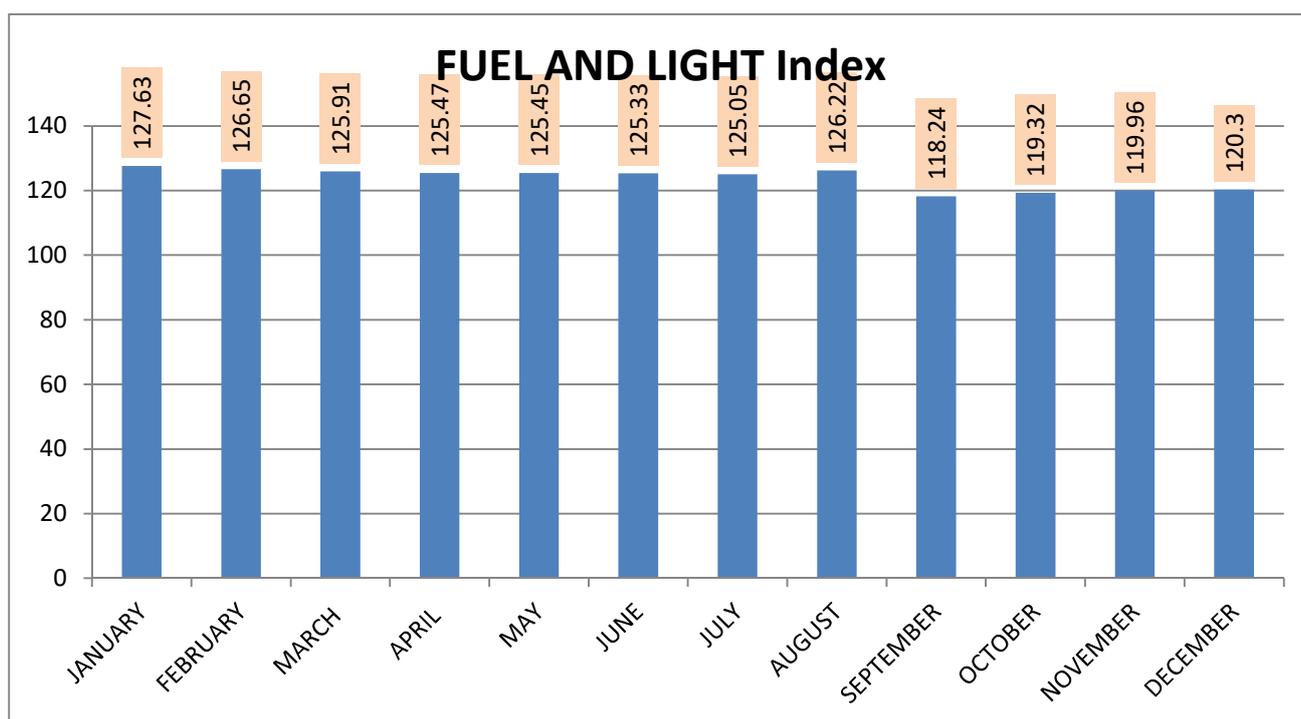
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>Housing Index</b>	119.58	117.86	116.37	118.65	119.48	114.14	119.67	117.96	117.67	119.77	119.44	114.1



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows a generally declining trend during the first eight months of the year, followed by a sharp drop in September and a modest recovery toward December. The index begins at 127.63 in January and gradually falls each month, reaching 125.05 in July, reflecting a steady reduction in prices or consumption-related costs. In August, it rises slightly to 126.22, but September records a significant fall to 118.24—the lowest point of the year. After this steep decline, the index shows a gradual improvement, increasing to 119.32 in October, 119.96 in November, and finally 120.3 in December. Overall, the year is characterized by an early steady decline, a major dip in September, and a mild recovery toward the end.

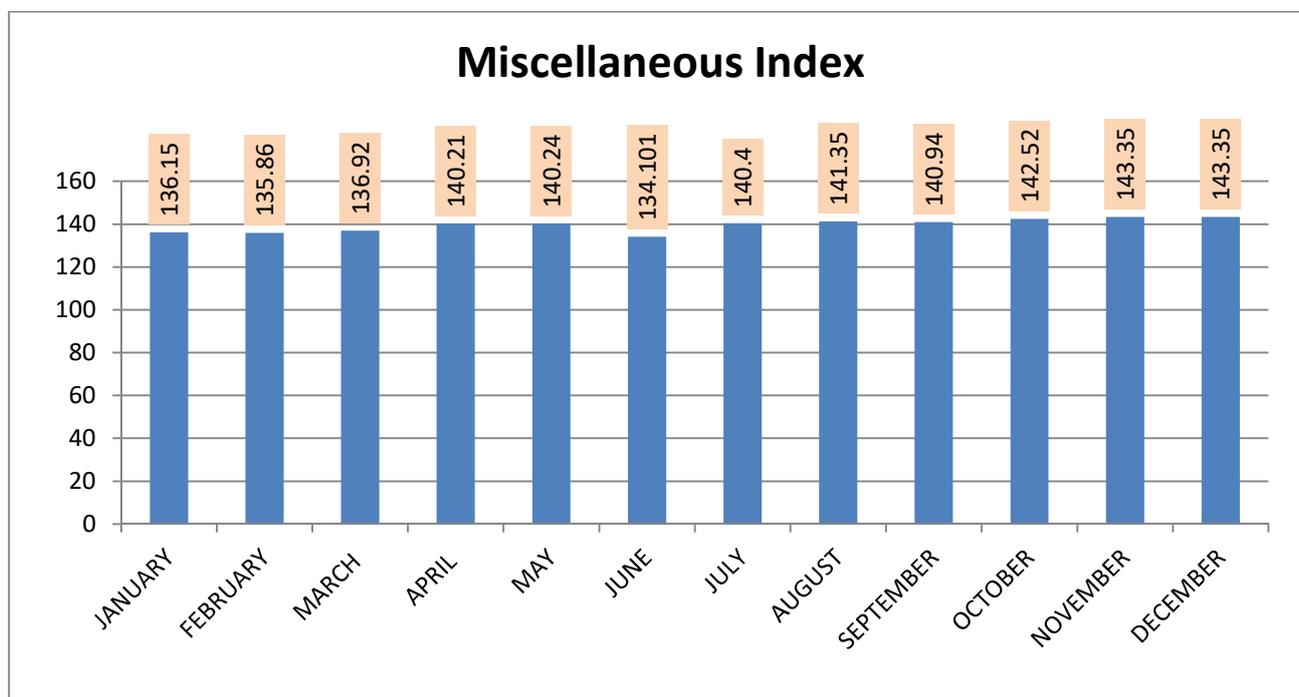
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<b>FUEL AND LIGHT Index</b>	127.63	126.65	125.91	125.47	125.45	125.33	125.05	126.22	118.24	119.32	119.96	120.3



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, with a generally rising trend despite some mid-year variations. The index starts at 136.15 in January and dips slightly to 135.86 in February, followed by an increase to 136.92 in March. A sharper rise is seen in April and May, reaching around 140.21–140.24, indicating higher prices or service costs in this category. In June, the index drops noticeably to 134.101, the lowest point of the year, suggesting a temporary decline in prices. However, it rebounds strongly from July onward, reaching 140.4 in July and continuing to rise through August and September. The upward movement persists in the final months, touching 142.52 in October and peaking at 143.35 in both November and December. Overall, the index demonstrates a general upward progression, with a mid-year dip followed by a sustained increase toward the year’s end.

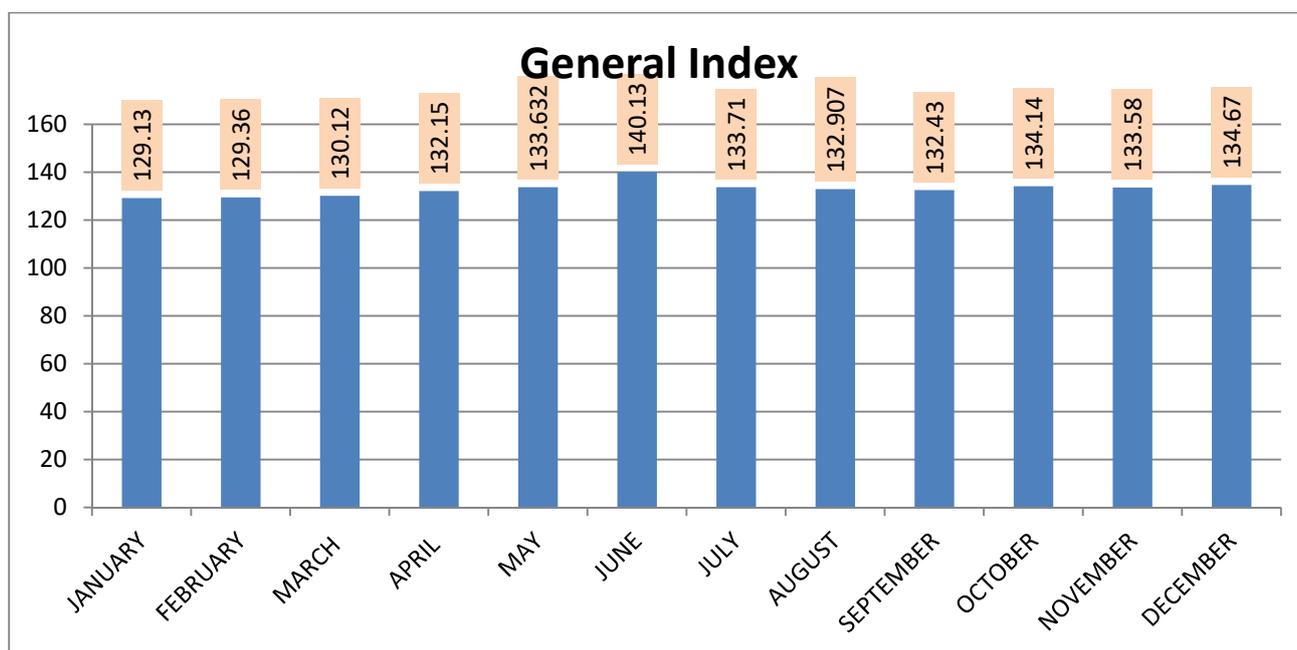
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Miscellaneous Index	136.15	135.86	136.92	140.21	140.24	134.101	140.4	141.35	140.94	142.52	143.35	143.35



## General Index

The General index shows a steady upward movement through most of the year, with noticeable fluctuations in the middle months. It begins at 129.13 in January and gradually increases to 130.12 by March, indicating mild early-year inflation. The index rises further in April and May, reaching 133.632, reflecting continued price increases. A sharp jump occurs in June, where the index peaks at 140.13—the highest value of the year—suggesting significant cost pressures during this month. However, this surge is followed by a decline in July and August, dropping to around 132–133 levels. The index remains relatively stable through September and October before slightly rising again in November and December, ending the year at 134.67. Overall, the trend shows moderate inflation with a mid-year spike followed by stabilization toward the year’s end.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>General Index</b>	129.13	129.36	130.12	132.15	133.632	140.13	133.71	132.907	132.43	134.14	133.58	134.67

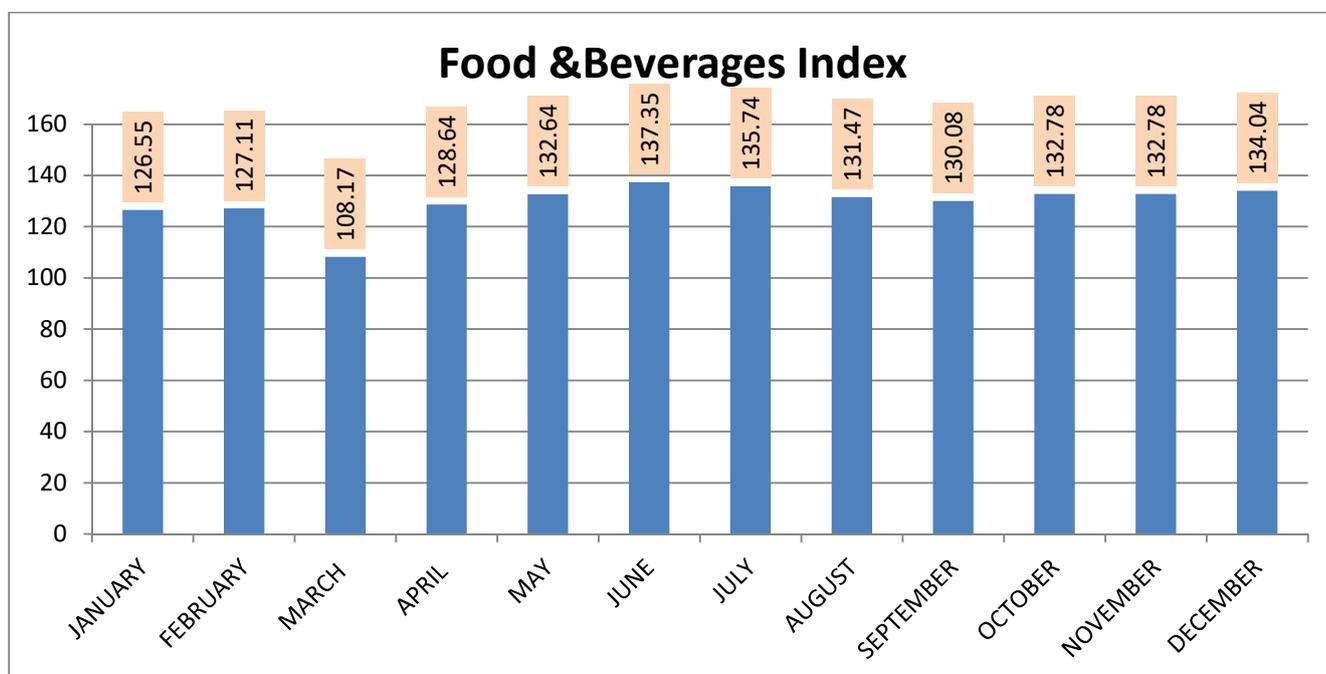


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**Food & Beverages Index**

The Food & Beverages index shows significant month-to-month variation, marked by both sharp declines and strong recoveries. The year begins with moderate levels in January (126.55) and February (127.11). However, March records a steep drop to 108.17, indicating a notable decline in food prices or a temporary correction. From April onward, the index rebounds sharply to 128.64 and continues to rise through May and June, peaking at 137.35 in June. This suggests increased price pressure during the early monsoon period. In July, the index slightly declines to 135.74 and continues its downward movement through August (131.47) and September (130.08). A mild recovery is seen in October and November, stabilizing at 132.78, and the year ends with a further rise to 134.04 in December. Overall, the trend reflects high volatility with a major dip in March, strong mid-year growth, and moderate stabilization towards the end of the year.

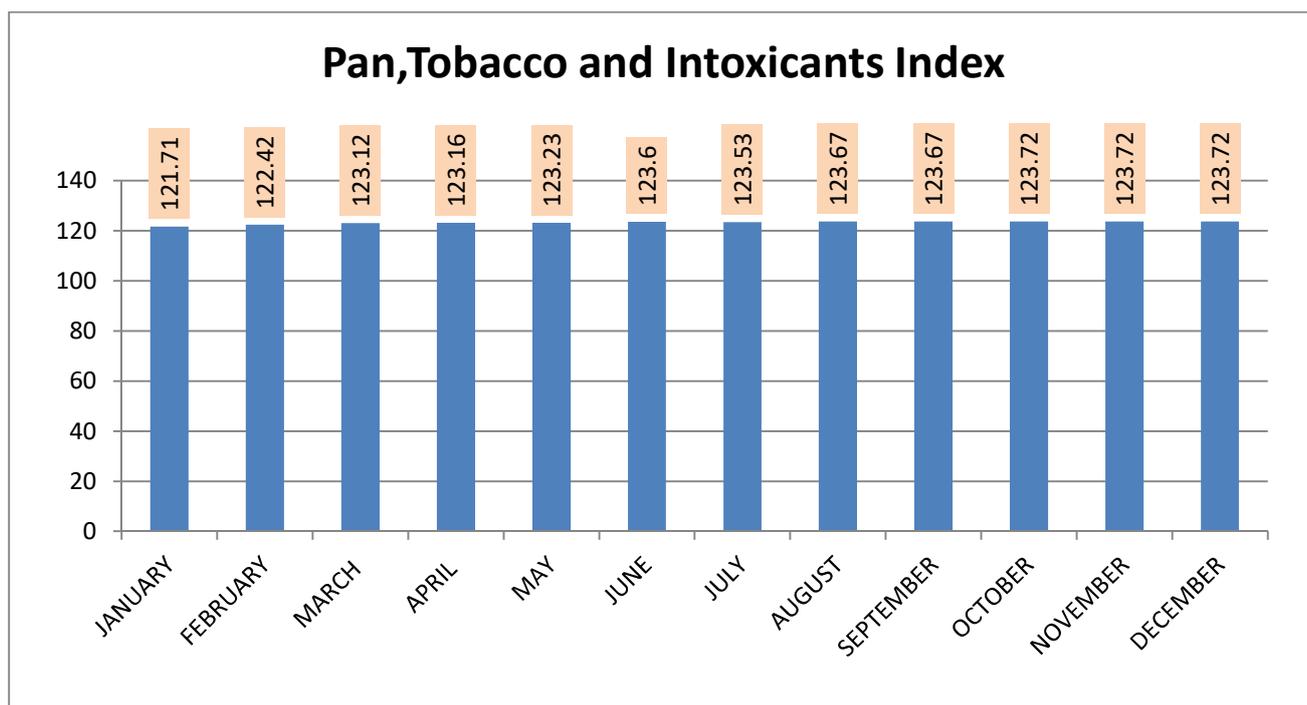
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<b>Food &amp; Beverages Index</b>	126.55	127.11	108.17	128.64	132.64	137.35	135.74	131.47	130.08	132.78	132.78	134.04



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants index shows a steady and consistent upward movement throughout the year, indicating gradual price increases with minimal fluctuations. Starting at 121.71 in January, the index rises to 122.42 in February and continues its upward trajectory in March (123.12). A slight but steady increase is observed from April to June, reaching 123.6 in June. Prices remain relatively stable from July onward, fluctuating only marginally between 123.53 and 123.72. The index eventually stabilizes at 123.72 from October to December. Overall, the category shows a smooth and controlled price rise over the year, with no major volatility

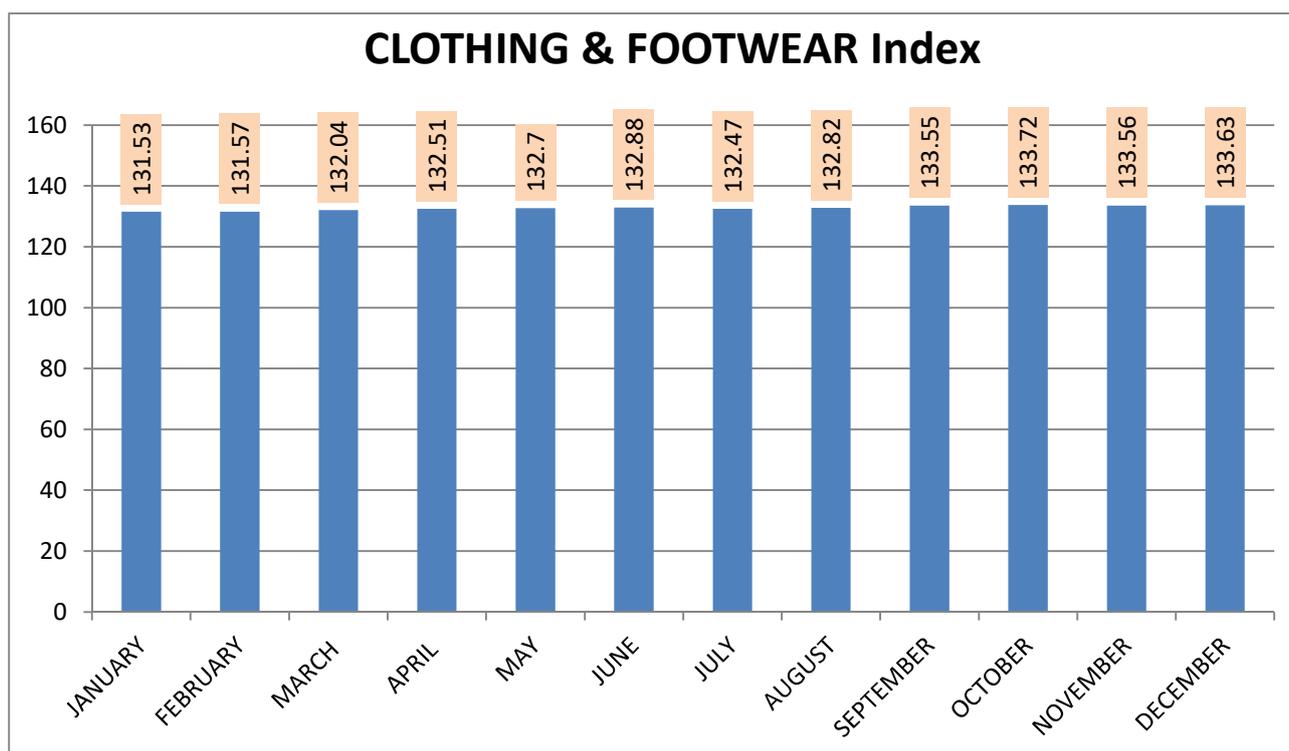
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<b>Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index</b>	121.71	122.42	123.12	123.16	123.23	123.6	123.53	123.67	123.67	123.72	123.72	123.72



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing and Footwear index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, reflecting gradual price increases with only minor month-to-month variations. The index starts at 131.53 in January and rises slightly to 131.57 in February. A more noticeable increase occurs from March (132.04) to June (132.88), indicating a period of consistent growth. Although there is a small dip in July to 132.47, the index quickly recovers in August (132.82) and continues its upward momentum. The highest levels are recorded in September (133.55) and October (133.72), followed by slight adjustments in November (133.56) and December (133.63). Overall, the year reflects a stable and moderate rise in clothing and footwear prices.

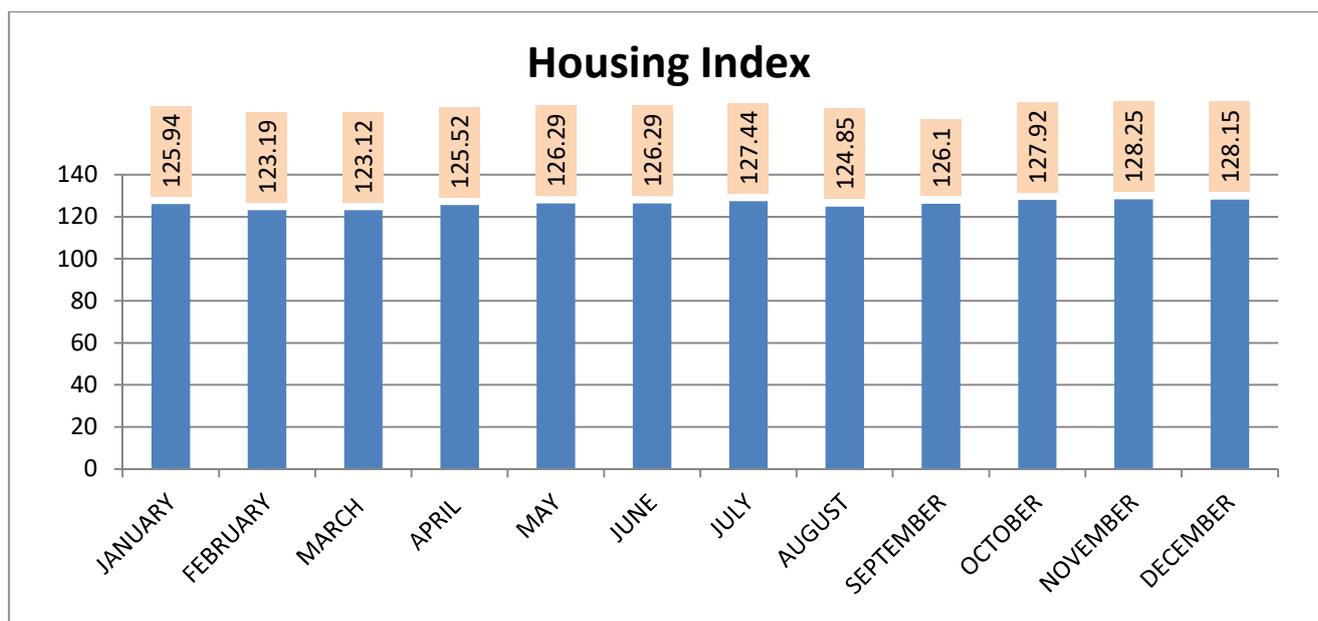
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<b>CLOTHING &amp; FOOTWEAR Index</b>	131.53	131.57	132.04	132.51	132.7	132.88	132.47	132.82	133.55	133.72	133.56	133.63



## Housing Index

The Housing index shows moderate fluctuations with an overall upward trend throughout the year. It starts at 125.94 in January and declines to 123.19 in February, remaining almost steady in March at 123.12. A recovery begins in April, reaching 125.52, and continues through May and June at 126.29. The index rises further to 127.44 in July but falls slightly to 124.85 in August. From September onward, the index climbs again, reaching 126.1 in September and peaking at 128.25 in November, before a minor decline to 128.15 in December. Overall, the year reflects periods of both decline and growth, with a net increase in housing prices by the end of the year.

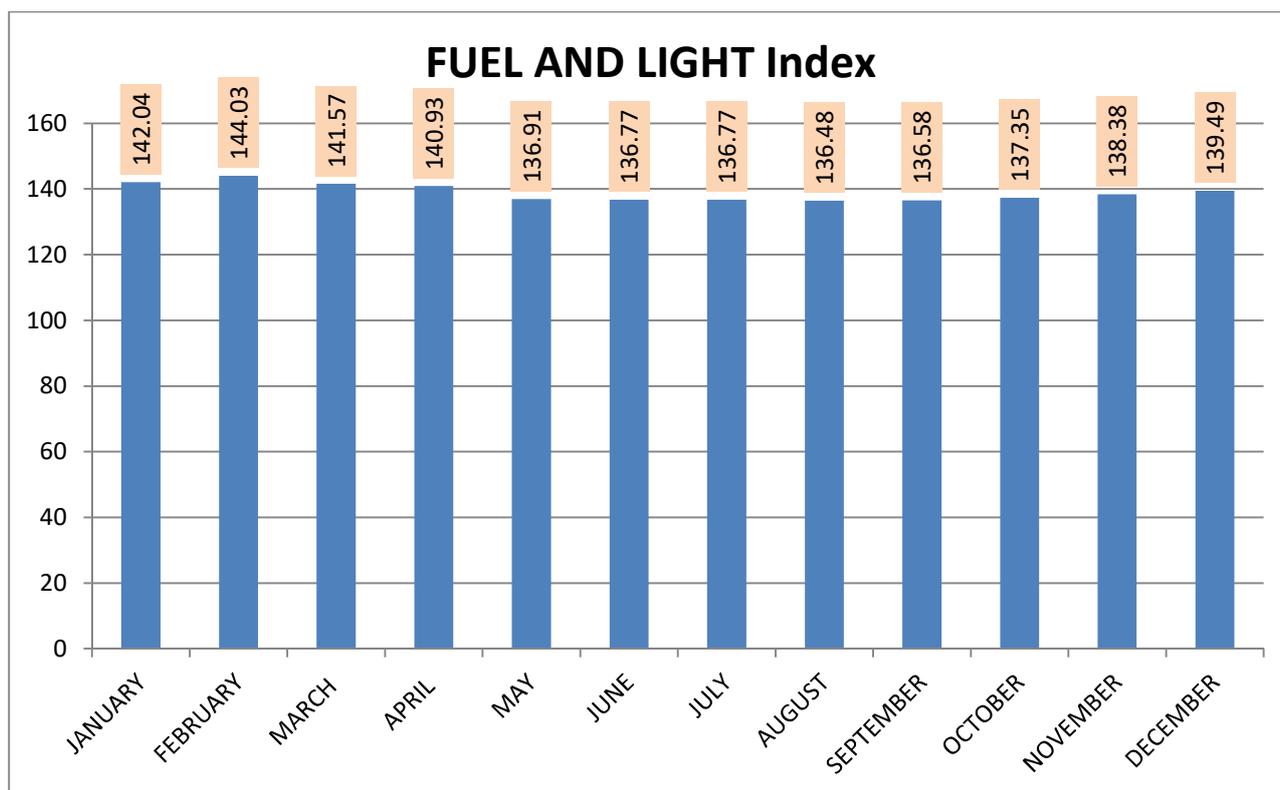
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>Housing Index</b>	125.94	123.19	123.12	125.52	126.29	126.29	127.44	124.85	126.1	127.92	128.25	128.15



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows fluctuations throughout the year, with a general downward trend in the first half followed by a gradual recovery. The index begins at 142.04 in January and rises slightly to 144.03 in February, before declining to 141.57 in March and 140.93 in April. A more significant decrease occurs in May and June, reaching 136.91 and 136.77 respectively, and it remains relatively stable through July and August. A gradual increase is observed from September onward, with values rising to 136.58 in September, 137.35 in October, 138.38 in November, and ending the year at 139.49 in December. Overall, the year reflects an initial decline followed by a steady recovery in fuel and light costs.

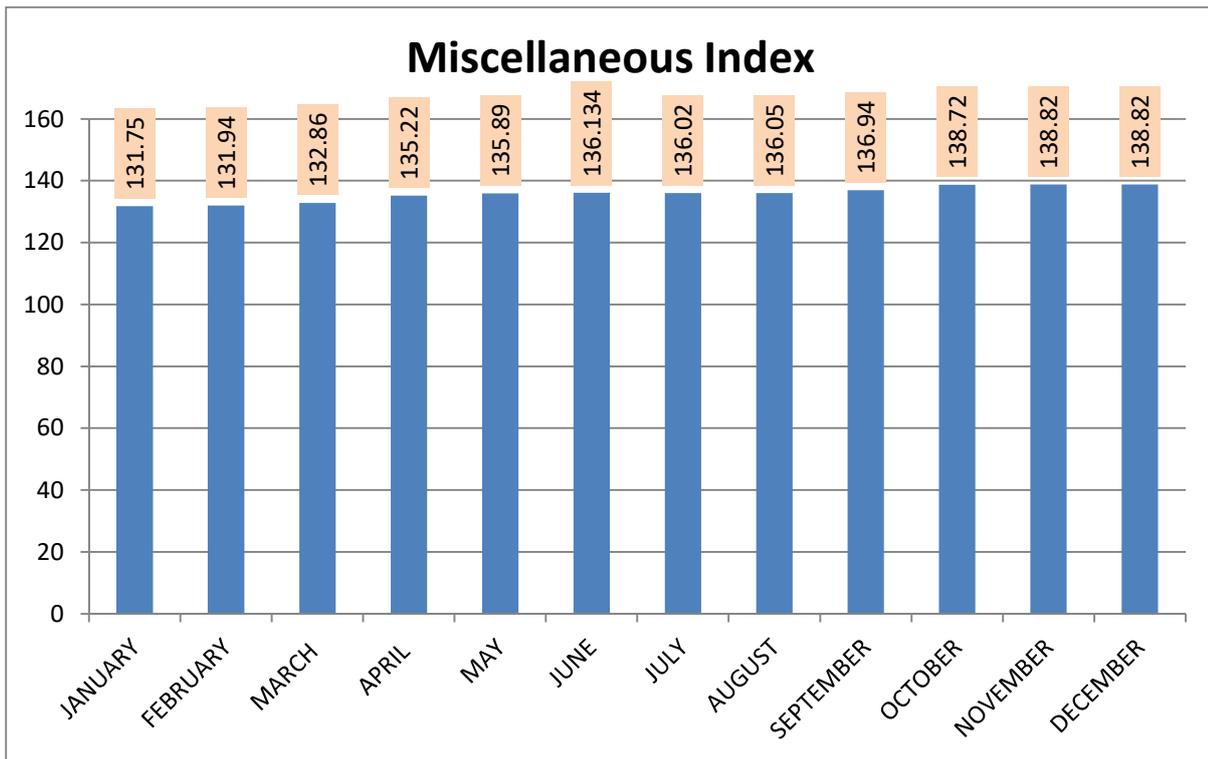
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<b>FUEL AND LIGHT Index</b>	142.04	144.03	141.57	140.93	136.91	136.77	136.77	136.48	136.58	137.35	138.38	139.49



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year with minor month-to-month fluctuations. It starts at 131.75 in January and gradually rises to 132.86 in March, followed by a more notable increase to 135.22 in April and 135.89 in May. Small fluctuations occur in June through August, with values around 136.02–136.134. The index then continues its upward momentum, reaching 136.94 in September and further rising to 138.72 in October. It stabilizes toward the end of the year at 138.82 in both November and December. Overall, the data reflects a consistent increase in miscellaneous prices over the year.

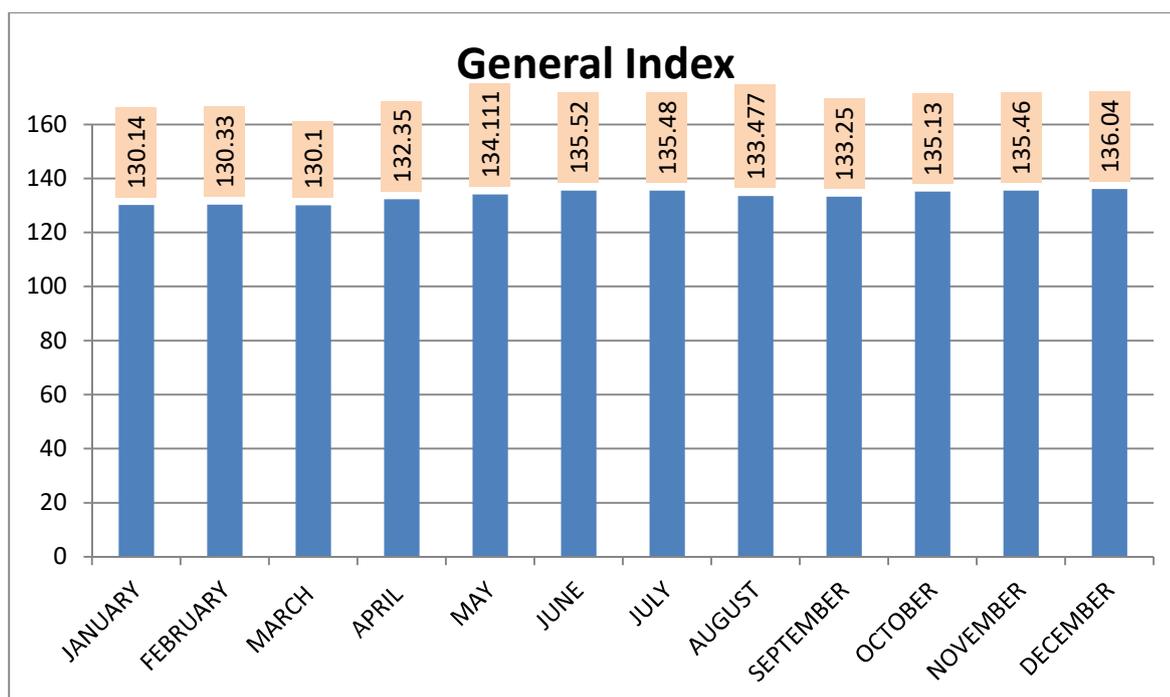
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	131.75	131.94	132.86	135.22	135.89	136.134	136.02	136.05	136.94	138.72	138.82	138.82



## General Index

The General index shows a gradual upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations in some months. It begins at 130.14 in January and rises slightly to 130.33 in February, followed by a small dip to 130.1 in March. A stronger increase occurs from April through June, reaching 132.35 in April, 134.111 in May, and 135.52 in June. The index remains relatively stable in July at 135.48 but decreases slightly in August and September to 133.477 and 133.25 respectively. From October onward, the index rises again, reaching 135.13 in October, 135.46 in November, and ending the year at 136.04 in December. Overall, the data indicates steady growth in general prices, with some mid-year fluctuations.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>General Index</b>	130.14	130.33	130.1	132.35	134.111	135.52	135.48	133.477	133.25	135.13	135.46	136.04

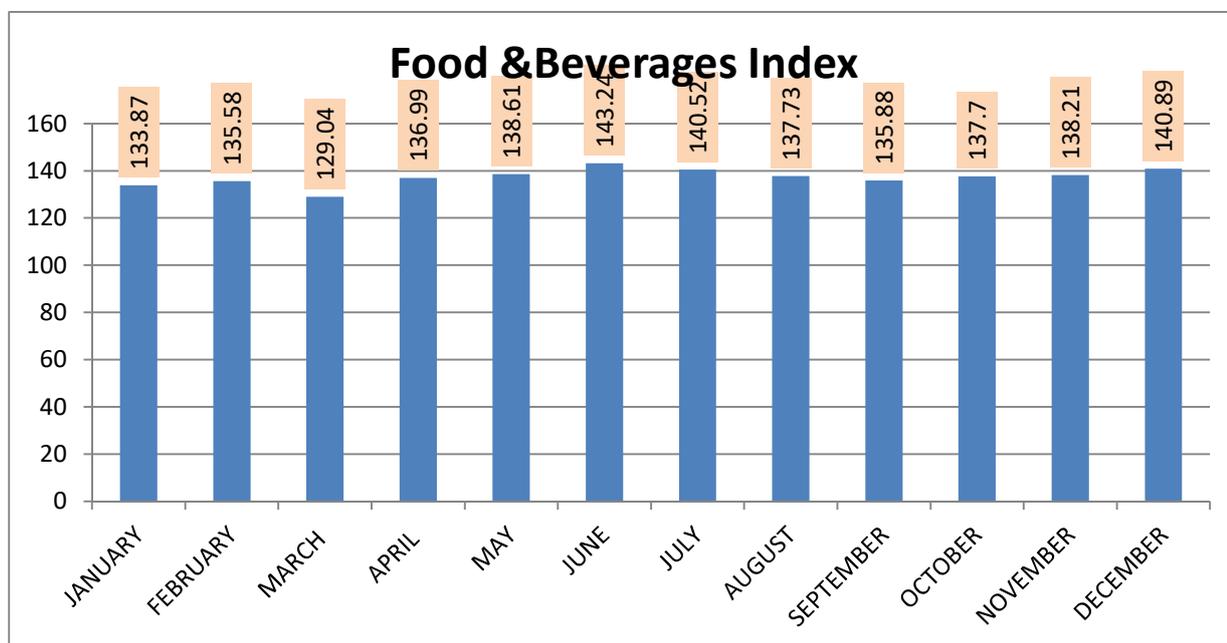


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### Food & Beverages Index

The Food & Beverages index shows notable fluctuations throughout the year, reflecting periods of both decline and recovery. It begins at 133.87 in January and rises to 135.58 in February, followed by a sharp drop to 129.04 in March. A strong recovery occurs in April at 136.99, with continued growth through May and June, reaching 138.61 and 143.24 respectively. The index then declines slightly in July and August to 140.52 and 137.73, followed by a further decrease in September to 135.88. A mild recovery is seen in October and November at 137.7 and 138.21, and the year ends on a higher note at 140.89 in December. Overall, the data indicates a volatile year with a mid-year peak and gradual stabilization toward the end.

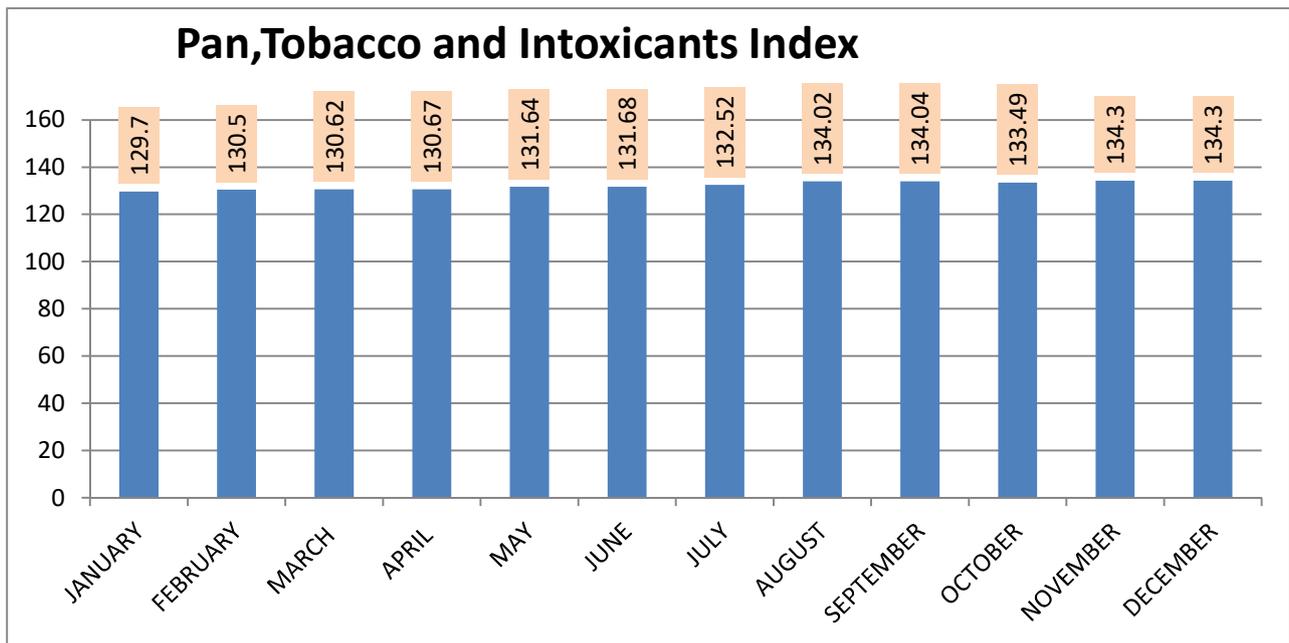
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>Food &amp; Beverages Index</b>	133.87	135.58	129.04	136.99	138.61	143.24	140.52	137.73	135.88	137.7	138.21	140.89



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Pan, Tobacco, and Intoxicants index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations. It begins at 129.7 in January and rises gradually to 130.5 in February and 130.62 in March. A small increase continues through April and May, reaching 130.67 and 131.64 respectively, and the index remains relatively stable in June at 131.68. From July onward, the index climbs steadily, reaching 132.52 in July and 134.02 in August. Minor fluctuations are observed in September and October, with values of 134.04 and 133.49, before rising again to 134.3 in November and December. Overall, the index reflects a consistent increase in prices with slight mid-year variations.

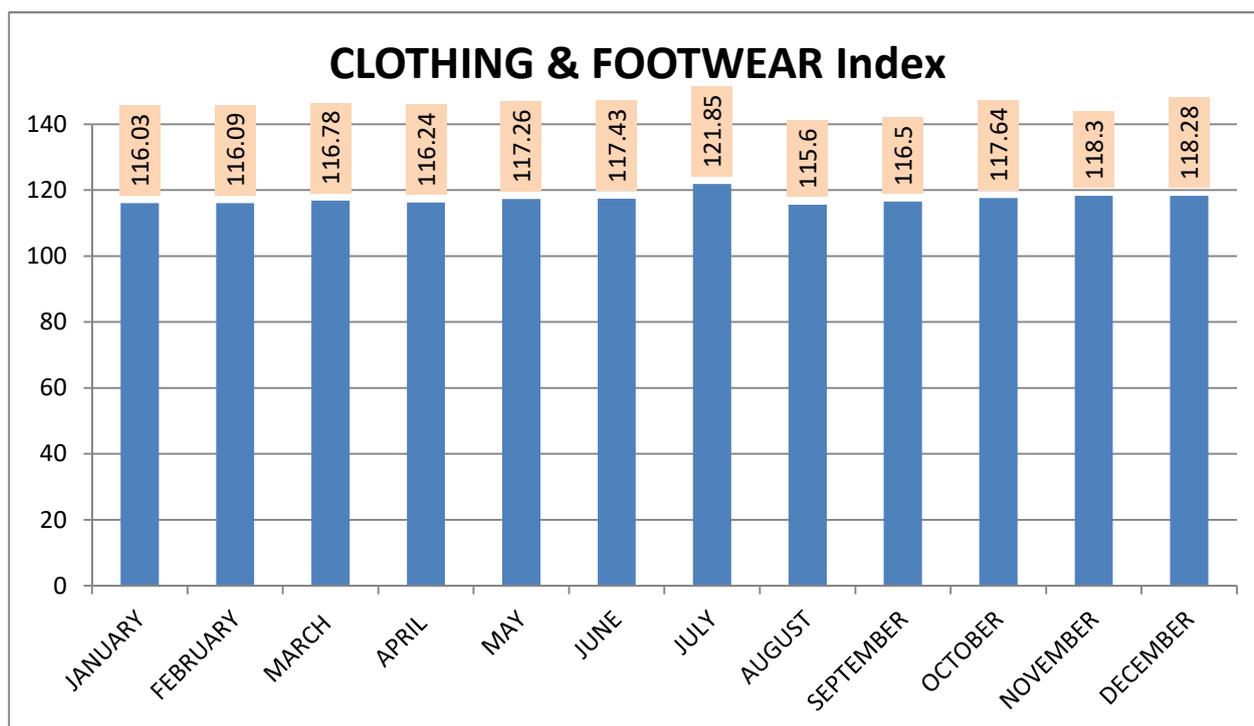
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index	129.7	130.5	130.62	130.67	131.64	131.68	132.52	134.02	134.04	133.49	134.3	134.3



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Clothing & Footwear index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, with periods of both increase and decline. It begins at 116.03 in January and rises slightly to 116.09 in February and 116.78 in March, followed by a small dip to 116.24 in April. A gradual increase occurs in May and June, reaching 117.26 and 117.43 respectively. A sharp spike is observed in July, with the index rising to 121.85, before dropping significantly to 115.6 in August. The index recovers gradually in the remaining months, reaching 116.5 in September, 117.64 in October, and peaking at 118.3 in November, ending slightly lower at 118.28 in December. Overall, the year reflects noticeable volatility, with a mid-year spike and subsequent stabilization in clothing and footwear prices.

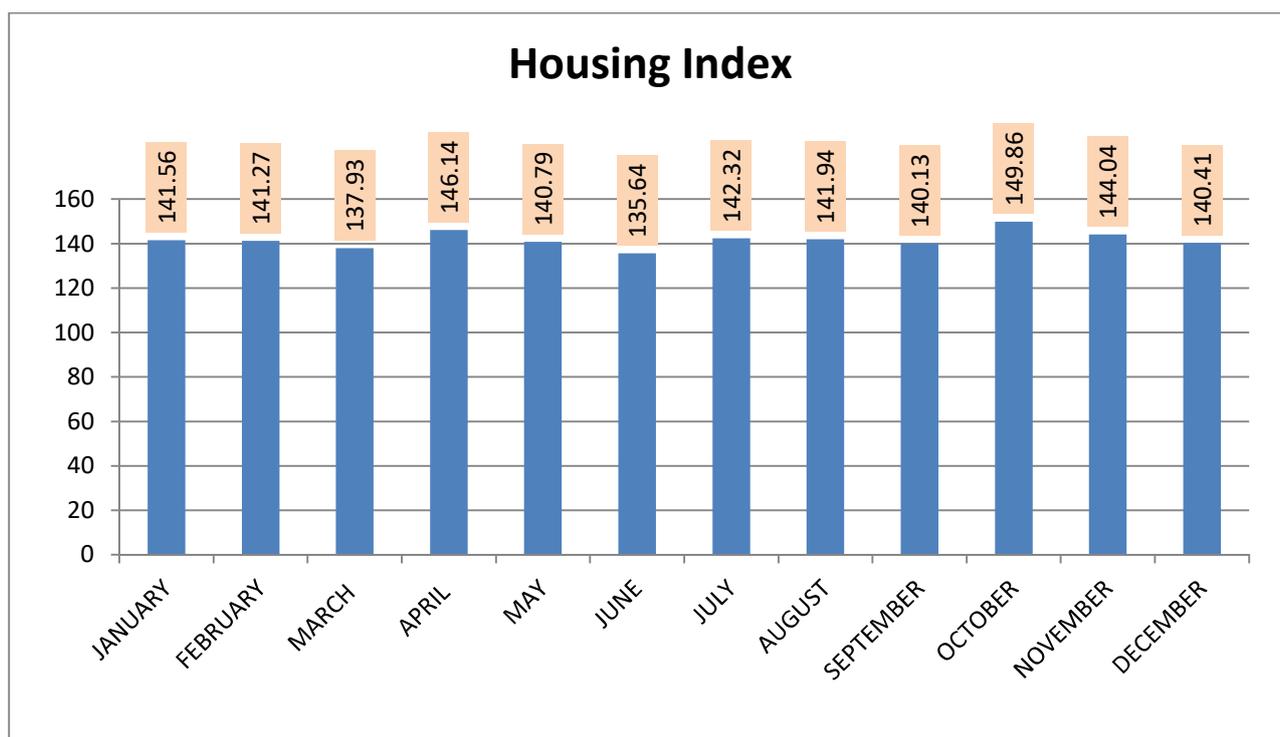
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<b>CLOTHING &amp; FOOTWEAR Index</b>	116.03	116.09	116.78	116.24	117.26	117.43	121.85	115.6	116.5	117.64	118.3	118.28



## Housing Index

The Housing index shows significant fluctuations throughout the year, reflecting periods of both sharp increases and declines. It starts at 141.56 in January and remains relatively stable in February at 141.27, before dropping to 137.93 in March. A sharp rise occurs in April, reaching 146.14, followed by a decline to 140.79 in May and further down to 135.64 in June. The index recovers to 142.32 in July and remains fairly steady in August at 141.94. Minor fluctuations continue in September at 140.13, followed by a peak in October at 149.86. November and December see a decrease to 144.04 and 140.41 respectively. Overall, the year reflects a volatile trend in housing prices, with multiple periods of recovery and decline.

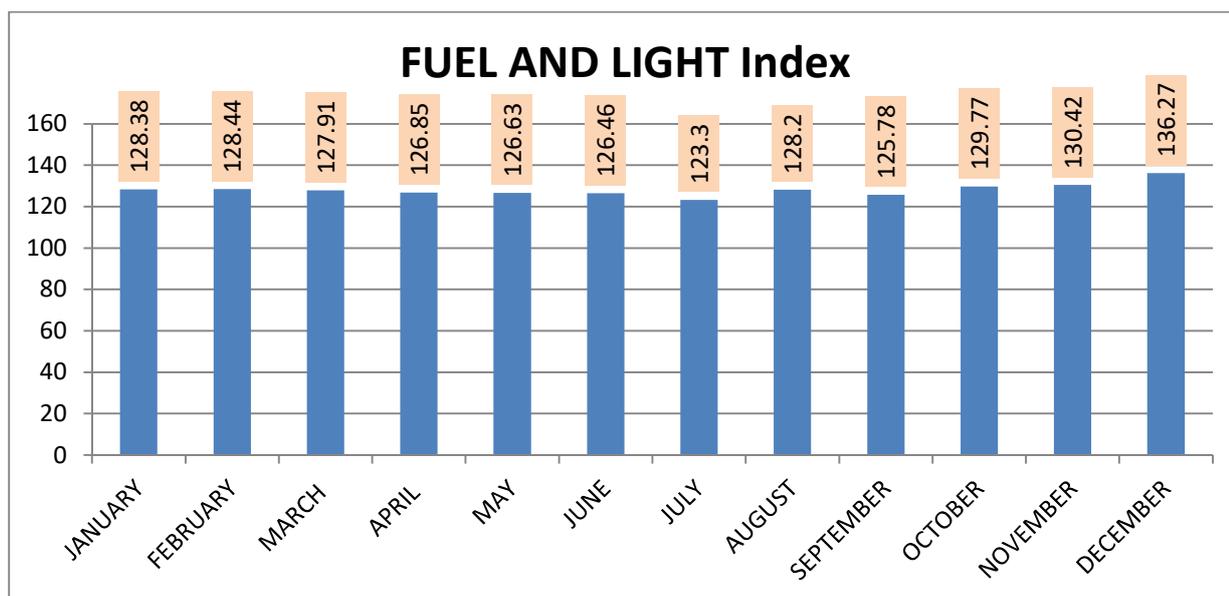
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>Housing Index</b>	141.56	141.27	137.93	146.14	140.79	135.64	142.32	141.94	140.13	149.86	144.04	140.41



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Fuel and Light index shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, with a general decline in the first half followed by a strong recovery in the latter months. The index begins at 128.38 in January and remains almost stable in February at 128.44, before gradually decreasing to 127.91 in March and 126.85 in April. Small declines continue through May and June, reaching 126.63 and 126.46 respectively, followed by a sharper drop to 123.3 in July. A recovery begins in August at 128.2, with minor fluctuations in September at 125.78. The index rises significantly in October and November to 129.77 and 130.42, culminating in a peak of 136.27 in December. Overall, the year shows an early decline in fuel and light costs, followed by a marked increase toward the end of the year.

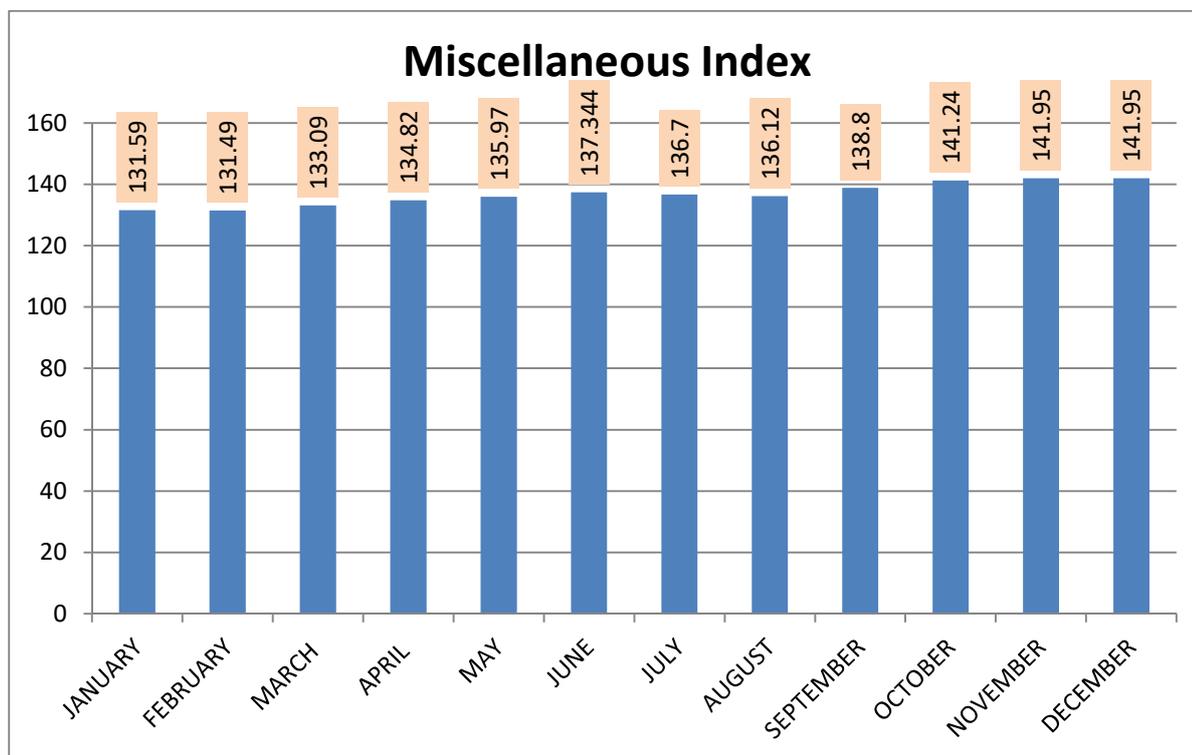
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<b>FUEL AND LIGHT Index</b>	128.38	128.44	127.91	126.85	126.63	126.46	123.3	128.2	125.78	129.77	130.42	136.27



### Miscellaneous Index

The Miscellaneous index shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations in some months. It starts at 131.59 in January and dips slightly to 131.49 in February, before rising to 133.09 in March and 134.82 in April. Moderate growth continues through May and June, reaching 135.97 and 137.344 respectively, followed by a slight decline in July and August to 136.7 and 136.12. From September onward, the index resumes its upward momentum, rising to 138.8 in September and 141.24 in October, and stabilizing at 141.95 in both November and December. Overall, the year reflects a consistent increase in miscellaneous prices, with a mid-year minor dip and strong growth toward the end of the year.

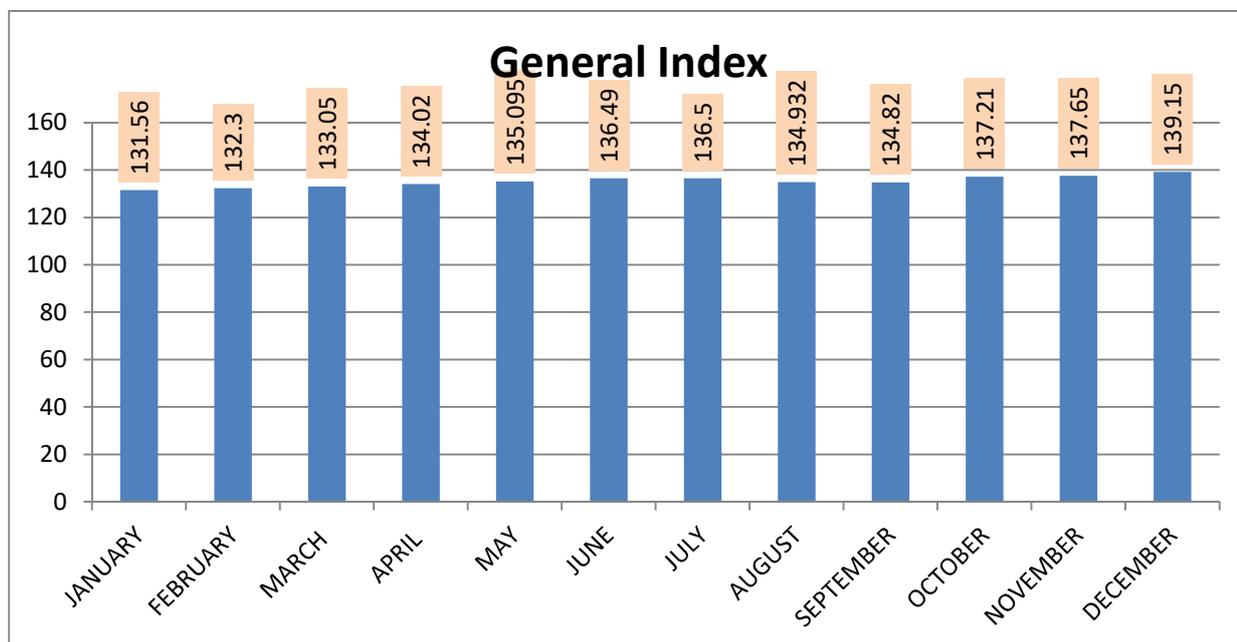
MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Miscellaneous Index	131.59	131.49	133.09	134.82	135.97	137.344	136.7	136.12	138.8	141.24	141.95	141.95



## General Index

The General index shows a consistent upward trend throughout the year, with minor fluctuations in some months. It begins at 131.56 in January and gradually rises to 132.3 in February and 133.05 in March. Moderate growth continues through April and May, reaching 134.02 and 135.095 respectively, followed by further increases in June and July to 136.49 and 136.5. A slight dip occurs in August and September, with values of 134.932 and 134.82, before the index resumes its upward trend in October at 137.21. November sees a small increase to 137.65, and the year ends at 139.15 in December. Overall, the data indicates steady growth in general prices, with a brief mid-year slowdown.

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<b>General Index</b>	131.56	132.3	133.05	134.02	135.095	136.49	136.5	134.932	134.82	137.21	137.65	139.15



## DISTRICT WISE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX URBAN/RURAL

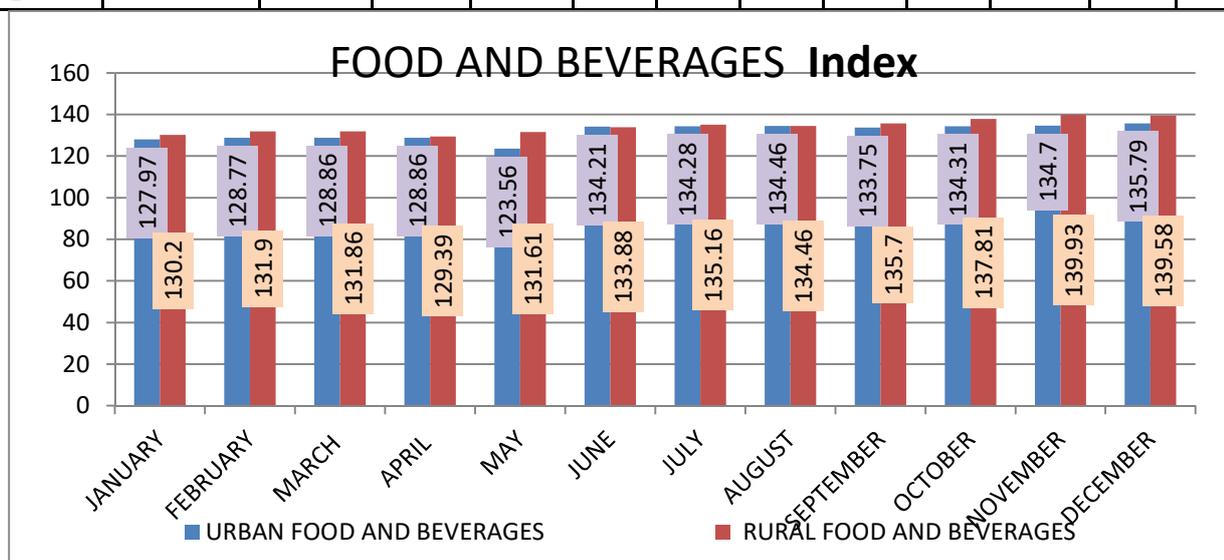
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### THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

#### FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 127.97 in January and rises slightly to 128.77 in February and 128.86 in March and April, showing relative stability in the first quarter. A decline occurs in May to 123.56, followed by a strong recovery in June (134.21) and a slight increase through July and August, reaching 134.46. Minor fluctuations occur in September and October, with values of 133.75 and 134.31, and the year ends at 135.79 in December. Overall, urban prices show moderate volatility with a notable dip in May and gradual recovery afterward. In rural areas, the index begins higher at 130.2 in January and rises steadily to 131.9 in February and 131.86 in March, followed by a slight dip to 129.39 in April. From May onward, the index climbs consistently, reaching 131.61 in May, 133.88 in June, and 135.16 in July. Small variations occur in August and September, with values of 134.46 and 135.7, followed by a steady rise in the final quarter to 137.81 in October, 139.93 in November, and a slight dip to 139.58 in December. Overall, rural prices exhibit a steady upward trend with higher year-end values compared to urban areas.

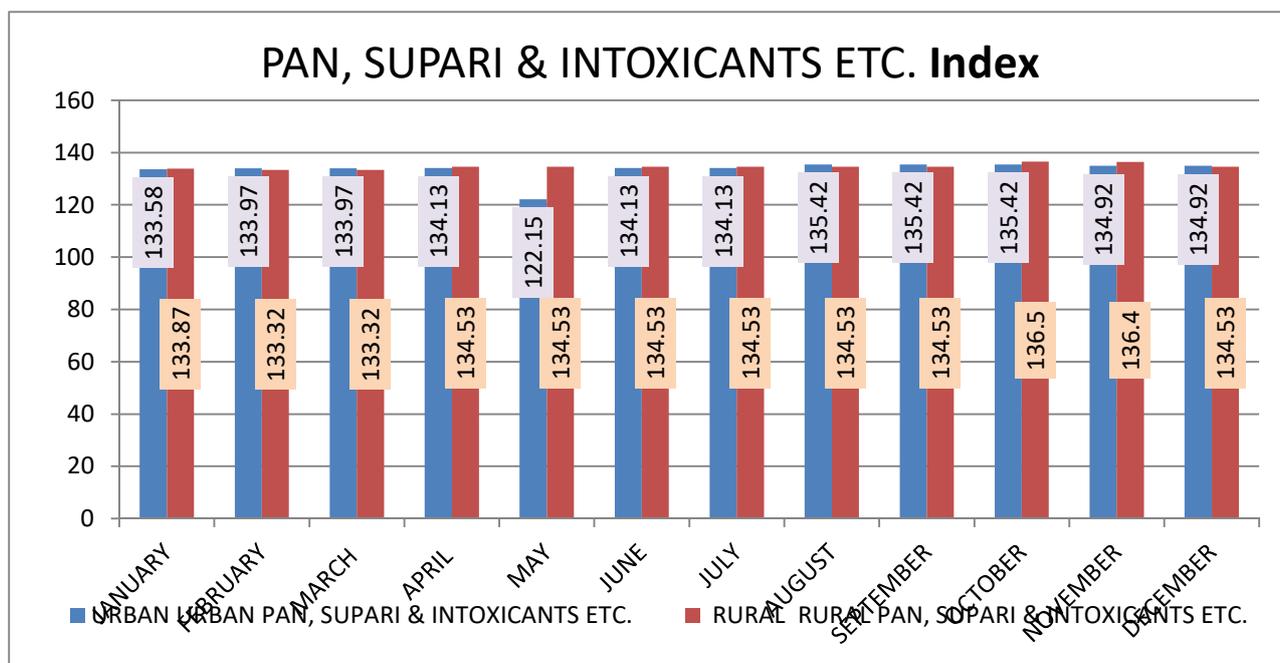
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URBAN	FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index	127.97	128.77	128.86	128.86	123.56	134.21	134.28	134.46	133.75	134.31	134.7	135.79
RURAL	FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index	130.2	131.9	131.86	129.39	131.61	133.88	135.16	134.46	135.7	137.81	139.93	139.58



### PAN, SUPARI & INTOXICANTS ETC. Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 133.58 in January and rises slightly to 133.97 in February and March, reaching 134.13 in April, showing relative stability. A sharp decline occurs in May to 122.15, followed by an immediate recovery to 134.13 in June and July. The index rises further to 135.42 in August and remains stable through October, before a slight decrease to 134.92 in November and December. Overall, urban prices show a sudden dip in May but quickly stabilize at higher levels for the remainder of the year. In rural areas, the index begins at 133.87 in January and declines slightly to 133.32 in February and March, before increasing to 134.53 in April, where it remains stable through September. In October, the index rises to 136.5 and slightly declines to 136.4 in November, returning to 134.53 in December. Overall, rural prices exhibit more stability for most of the year, with a brief peak in October and November.

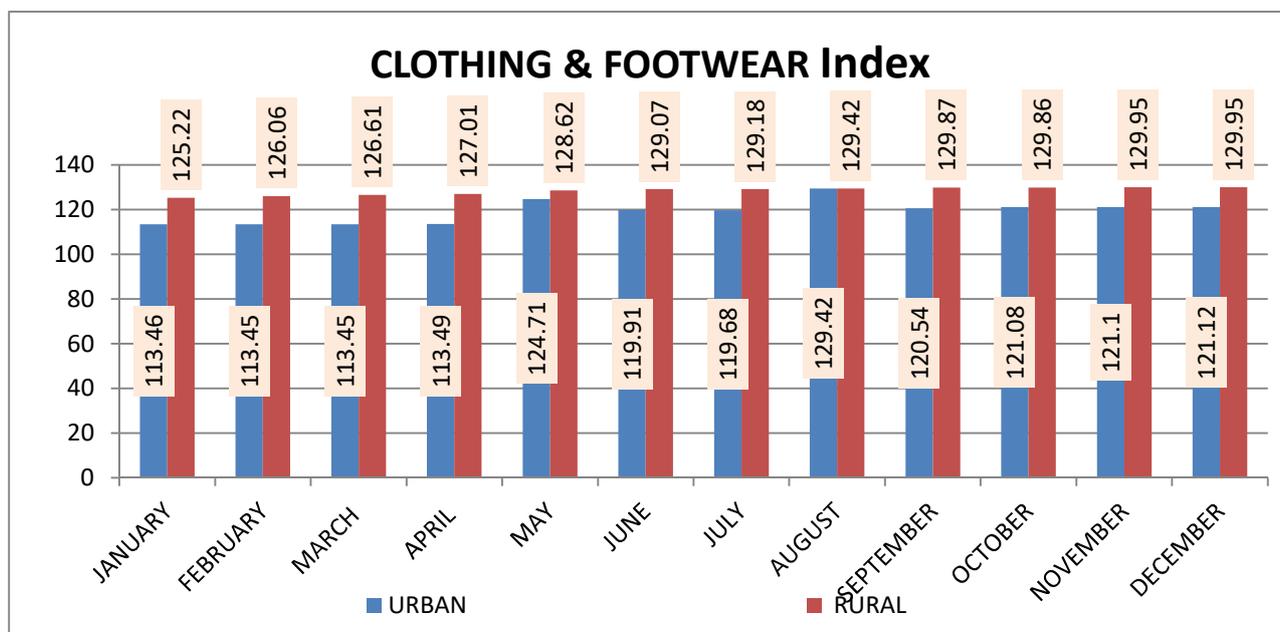
TVM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	133.58	133.97	133.97	134.13	122.15	134.13	134.13	135.42	135.42	135.42	134.92	134.92
RURAL Index	133.87	133.32	133.32	134.53	134.53	134.53	134.53	134.53	134.53	136.5	136.4	134.53



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In urban areas, the index begins at 113.46 in January and remains almost stable through April, with minor fluctuations around 113.45–113.49. A sharp rise occurs in May to 124.71, followed by a decline to 119.91 in June and 119.68 in July. A significant increase is observed in August, reaching 129.42, but this is followed by a drop to 120.54 in September. The index then shows slight increases in the last three months, ending at 121.12 in December. Overall, urban prices are highly volatile, with several sharp rises and falls throughout the year. In rural areas, the index starts at 125.22 in January and rises gradually to 126.06 in February, 126.61 in March, and 127.01 in April. Steady growth continues through May to August, reaching 128.62–129.42, with minor increases in September through December, ending at 129.95. Rural prices show a smooth and consistent upward trend with very little volatility.

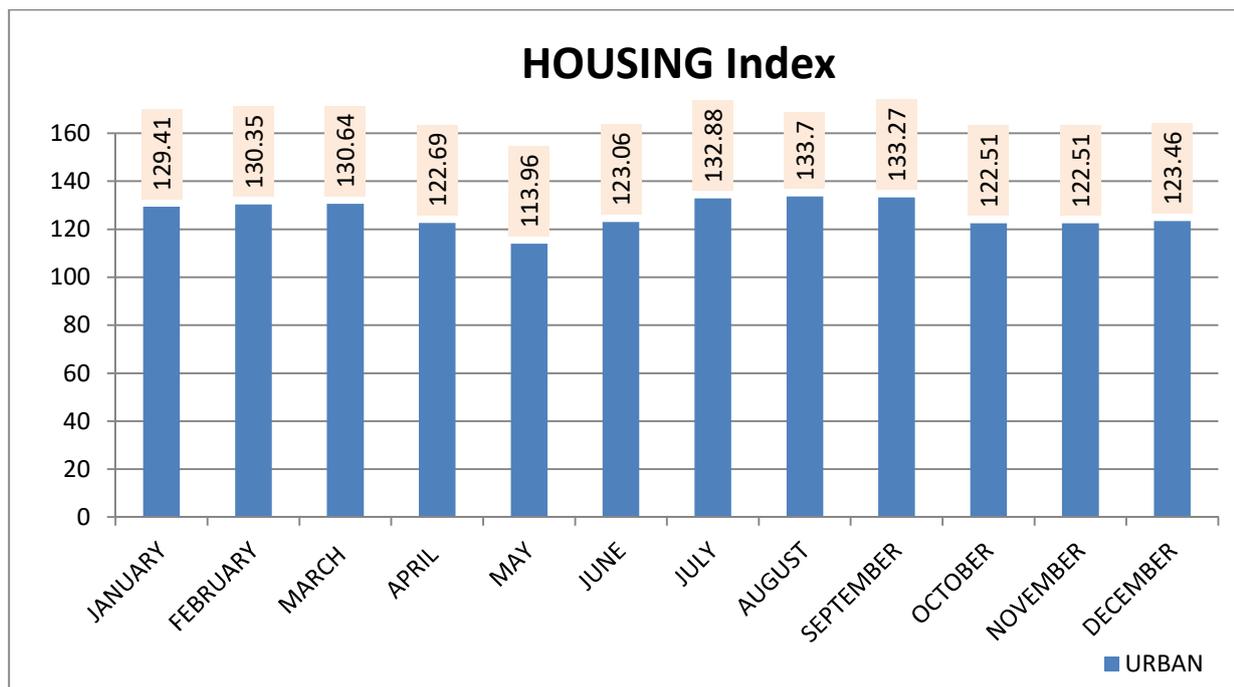
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URBAN Index	113.46	113.45	113.45	113.49	124.71	119.91	119.68	129.42	120.54	121.08	121.1	121.12
RURAL Index	125.22	126.06	126.61	127.01	128.62	129.07	129.18	129.42	129.87	129.86	129.95	129.95



## HOUSING Index

The index in urban Thiruvananthapuram shows significant fluctuations throughout the year. It begins at 129.41 in January and rises steadily to 130.35 in February and 130.64 in March. A sharp decline occurs in April and May, dropping to 122.69 and then further to 113.96, indicating a notable decrease in prices during this period. Recovery begins in June at 123.06, followed by a strong increase in July and August, reaching 132.88 and 133.7 respectively. A slight decline occurs in September to 133.27, and a more pronounced drop is observed in October and November, stabilizing at 122.51. The year ends with a modest rise to 123.46 in December. Overall, the index reflects a highly volatile trend with periods of sharp decline and strong recovery.

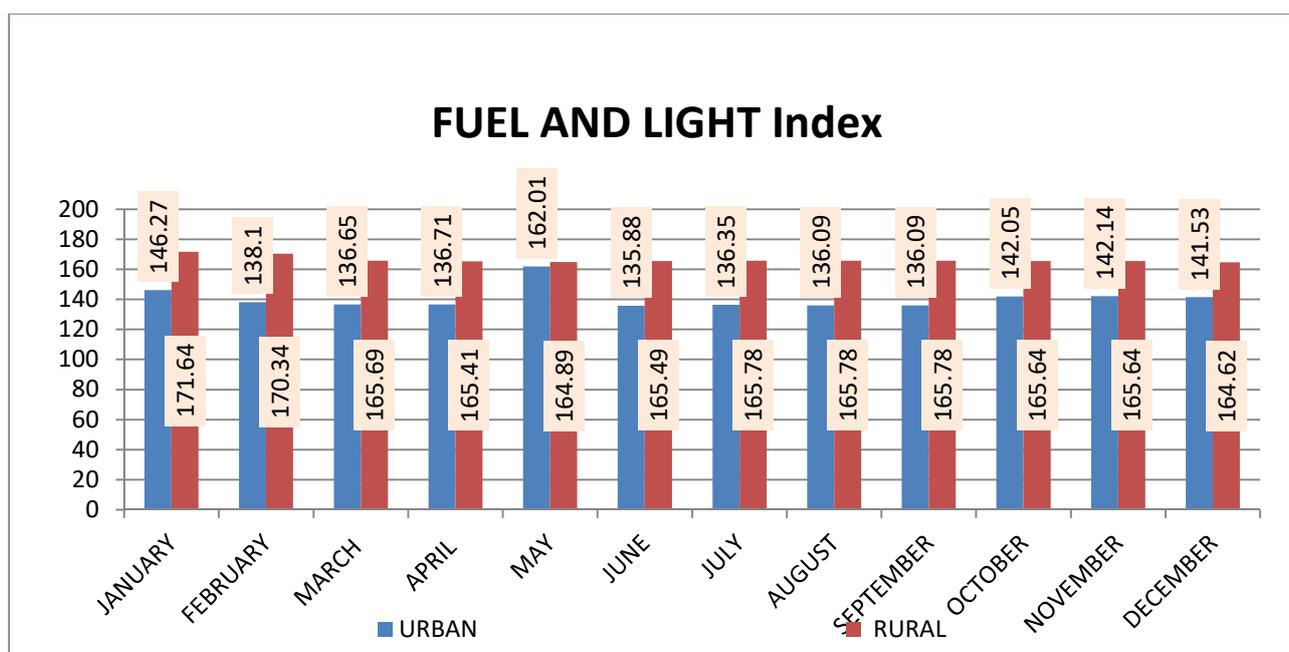
TVM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	129.41	130.35	130.64	122.69	113.96	123.06	132.88	133.7	133.27	122.51	122.51	123.46



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In urban areas, the index begins at 146.27 in January and declines steadily to 138.1 in February and 136.65 in March, remaining almost stable in April at 136.71. A sharp rise occurs in May, reaching 162.01, followed by a sudden drop to 135.88 in June. The index then remains relatively stable through July and August around 136.35–136.09, with no change in September. A moderate increase is seen in October and November, reaching 142.05 and 142.14, before a slight decline to 141.53 in December. Overall, urban prices show considerable volatility with sharp peaks and troughs throughout the year. In rural areas, the index starts higher at 171.64 in January and shows a gradual decline to 170.34 in February and 165.69 in March, remaining around 165.41–165.78 through August and September. Slight decreases occur in October through December, ending at 164.62. Overall, rural prices are consistently higher than urban prices and display a stable trend with only minor declines over the year. This indicates that rural areas maintain steadier and higher prices, while urban areas experience large fluctuations during the year.

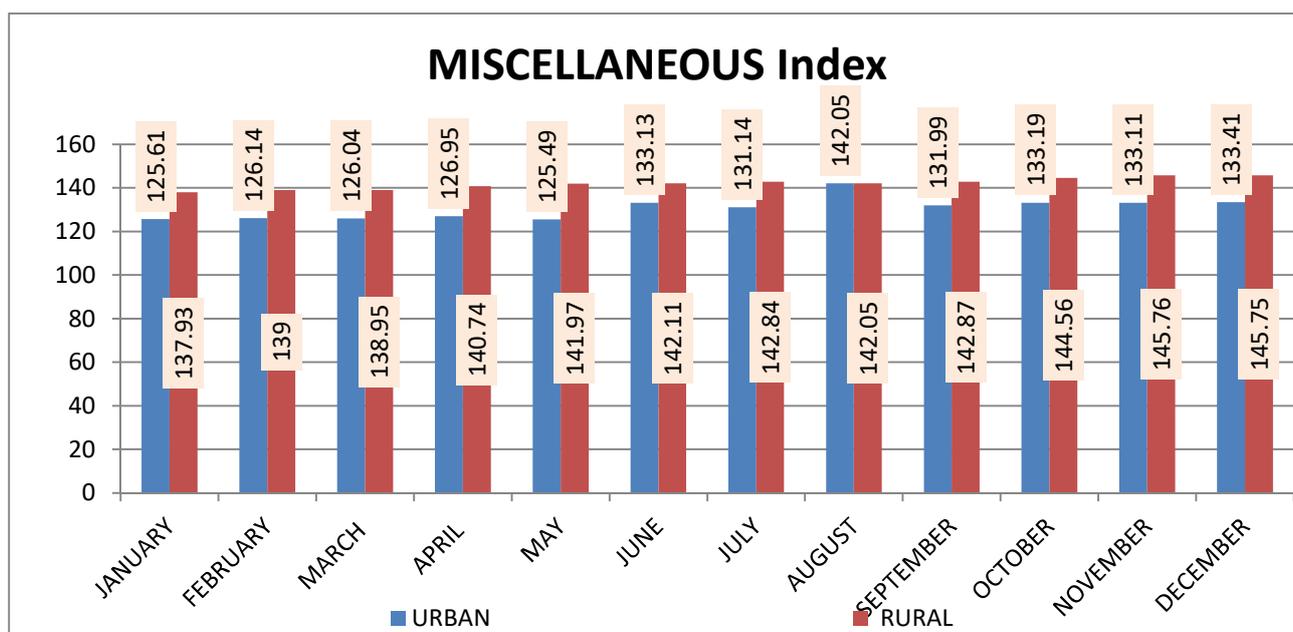
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URBAN Index	146.27	138.1	136.65	136.71	162.01	135.88	136.35	136.09	136.09	142.05	142.14	141.53
RURAL Index	171.64	170.34	165.69	165.41	164.89	165.49	165.78	165.78	165.78	165.64	165.64	164.62



### MISCELLANEOUS Index

In urban areas, the index begins at 125.61 in January and rises slightly to 126.14 in February, remaining around 126.04–126.95 through March and April. A minor decline occurs in May to 125.49, followed by a strong increase to 133.13 in June. The index fluctuates moderately in July at 131.14, peaks sharply in August at 142.05, and then drops to 131.99 in September. A gradual recovery is observed in the last three months, ending at 133.41 in December. Overall, urban prices show considerable volatility with sudden peaks and declines during the year. In rural areas, the index starts at 137.93 in January and rises steadily to 139 in February and 138.95 in March, continuing upward through April to 140.74. Moderate growth continues throughout the year, reaching 141.97 in May, 142.11 in June, and peaking at 145.76 in November before a slight decline to 145.75 in December. Rural prices remain consistently higher than urban prices and exhibit a steady upward trend with minor fluctuations. Overall, rural areas show stability and sustained growth, while urban areas experience sharper month-to-month changes.

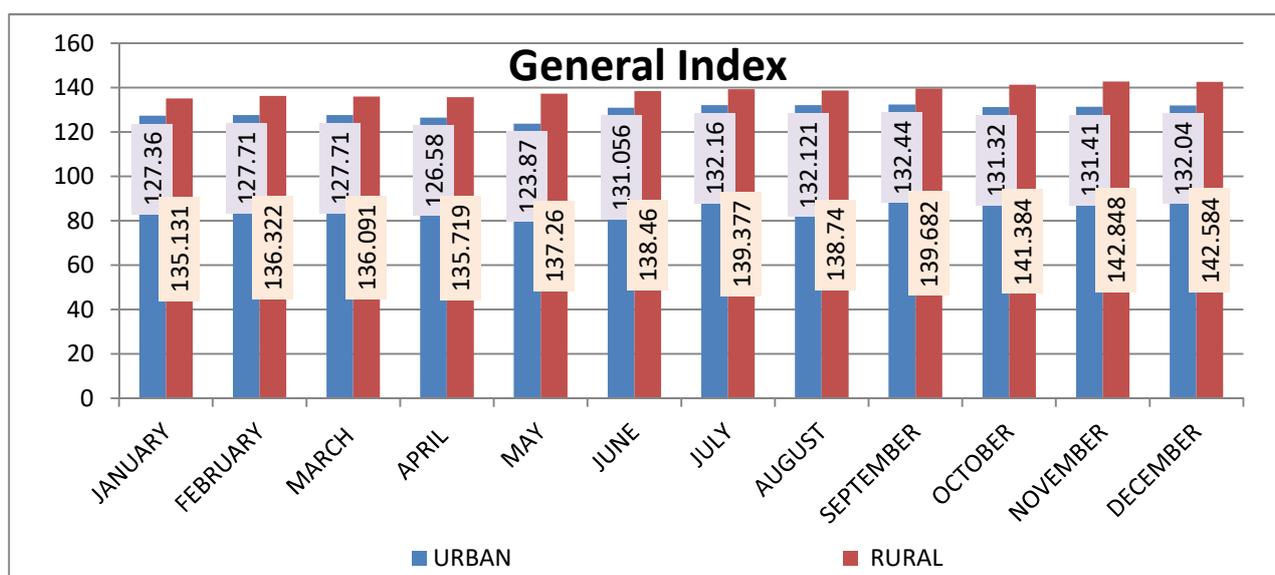
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URBAN Index	125.61	126.14	126.04	126.95	125.49	133.13	131.14	142.05	131.99	133.19	133.11	133.41
RURAL Index	137.93	139	138.95	140.74	141.97	142.11	142.84	142.05	142.87	144.56	145.76	145.75



## General Index

In urban areas, the index begins at 127.36 in January and rises slightly to 127.71 in February and March, before dipping to 126.58 in April. A decline continues in May to 123.87, followed by a strong recovery in June at 131.056. The index increases further in July and August, reaching 132.16 and 132.121, and remains relatively stable in September at 132.44. Minor fluctuations occur in October and November at 131.32 and 131.41, ending the year slightly higher at 132.04 in December. Overall, urban prices show moderate volatility with periods of decline and recovery. In rural areas, the index starts higher at 135.13 in January and rises steadily to 136.32 in February, with a slight dip to 136.09 in March and 135.72 in April. Growth resumes in May at 137.26 and continues steadily through June and July, reaching 138.46 and 139.38, followed by minor fluctuations in August and September at 138.74 and 139.68. The index increases further in October and November to 141.38 and 142.85, ending slightly lower at 142.58 in December. Overall, rural prices remain consistently higher than urban prices and show a steady upward trend with minor fluctuations. Rural areas maintain steadier and higher prices, while urban prices exhibit more volatility throughout the year.

TVM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	127.36	127.71	127.71	126.58	123.87	131.056	132.16	132.121	132.44	131.32	131.41	132.04
RURAL Index	135.13	136.32	136.09	135.72	137.26	138.46	139.38	138.74	139.68	141.38	142.85	142.58

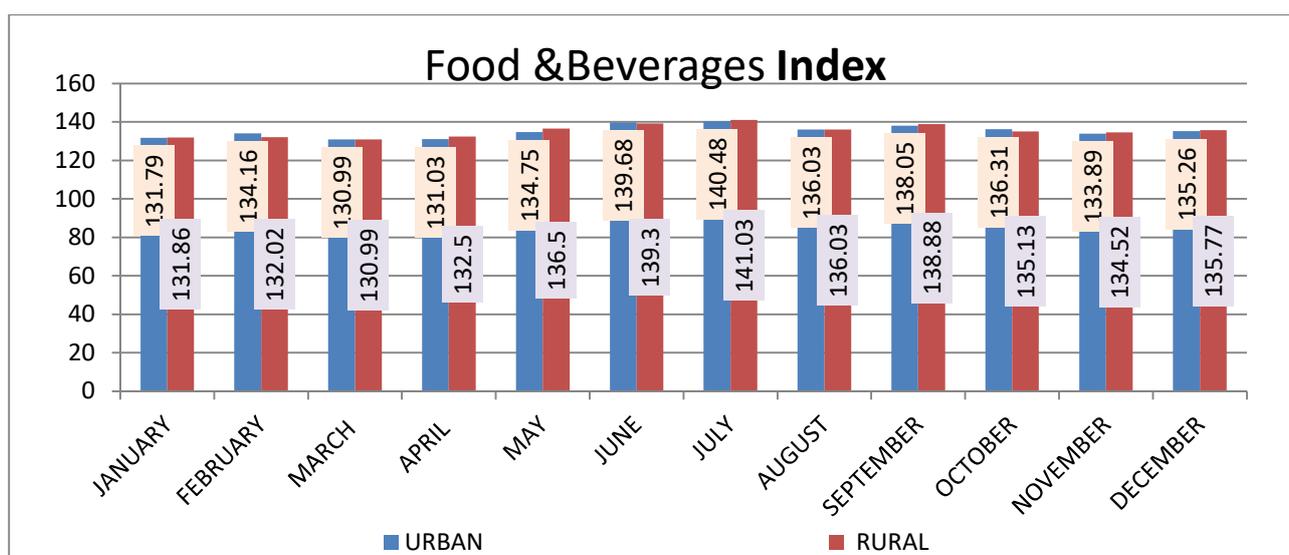


## KOLLAM

### Food & Beverages Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 131.79 in January and rises to 134.16 in February, before dipping slightly to 130.99 in March and stabilizing at 131.03 in April. A strong increase occurs in May and June, reaching 134.75 and 139.68, followed by a further rise to 140.48 in July. The index then decreases to 136.03 in August, followed by minor fluctuations through September and October at 138.05 and 136.31, before declining to 133.89 in November and recovering slightly to 135.26 in December. Overall, urban prices show moderate fluctuations with periods of rise and fall. In rural areas, the index begins at 131.86 in January and increases gradually to 132.02 in February, remaining at 130.99 in March and slightly rising to 132.5 in April. Steady growth continues in May through July, reaching 136.5, 139.3, and 141.03, followed by a decline to 136.03 in August. Minor fluctuations occur from September to December, ending at 135.77. Rural prices remain slightly higher than urban prices for most months and show a generally upward trend with moderate variations. Overall, both urban and rural areas experience similar trends, but rural prices are slightly higher and show steadier growth throughout the year.

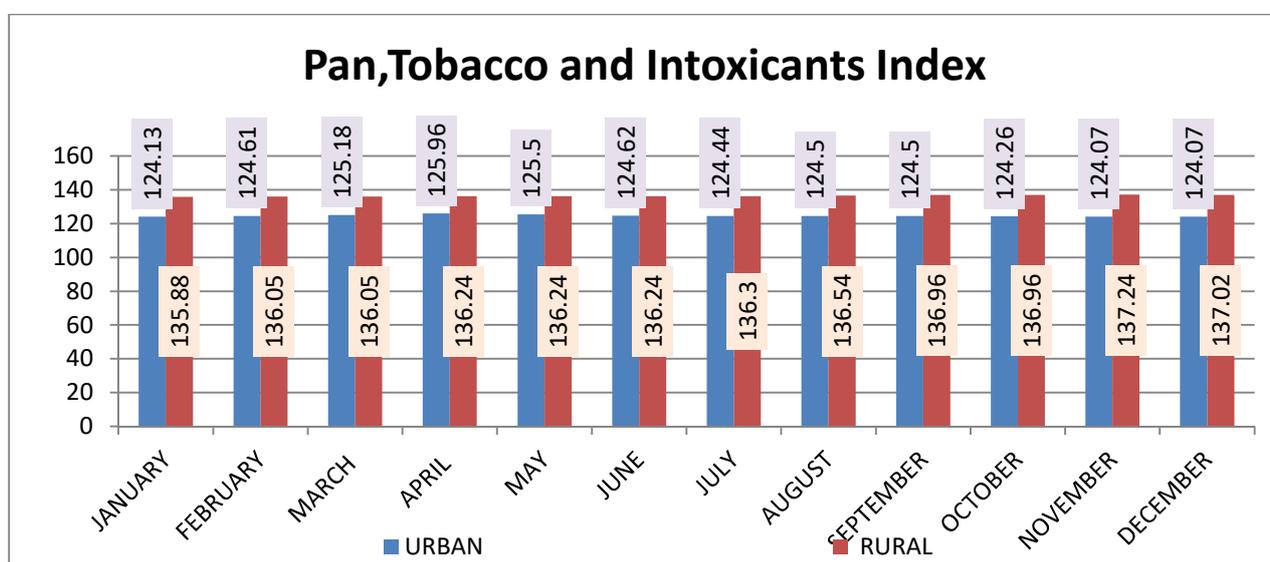
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	131.79	134.16	130.99	131.03	134.75	139.68	140.48	136.03	138.05	136.31	133.89	135.26
RURAL	131.86	132.02	130.99	132.5	136.5	139.3	141.03	136.03	138.88	135.13	134.52	135.77



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 124.13 in January and rises gradually to 124.61 in February, 125.18 in March, and 125.96 in April. A slight decline occurs in May to 125.5, followed by a minor downward trend through June to August, reaching 124.44–124.5. The index remains relatively stable in the remaining months, ending at 124.07 in December. Overall, urban prices show minimal fluctuations and maintain a relatively steady level throughout the year. In rural areas, the index begins higher at 135.88 in January and rises steadily to 136.05 in February and March, and 136.24 in April. It remains stable through May and June, followed by small increases from July to September, reaching 136.3–136.96. The index continues to rise slightly in October and November, peaking at 137.24, before a small decline to 137.02 in December. Rural prices remain consistently higher than urban prices and show a steady upward trend with minor fluctuations. Overall, rural areas maintain higher and more steadily increasing prices, while urban areas experience relative stability with minimal monthly variations.

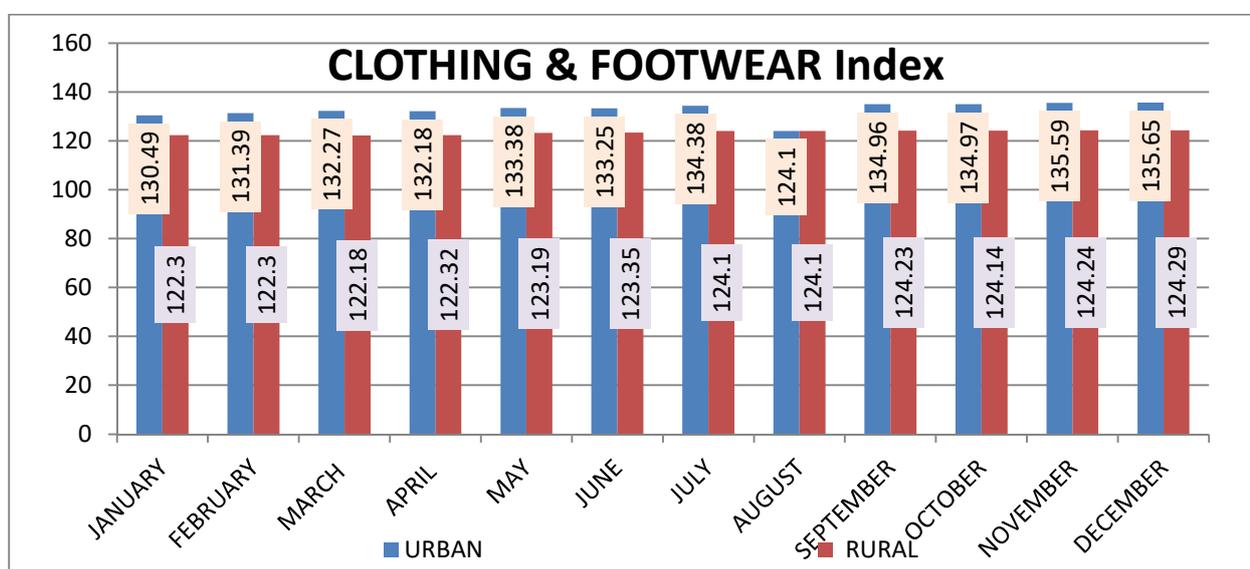
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	124.13	124.61	125.18	125.96	125.5	124.62	124.44	124.5	124.5	124.26	124.07	124.07
RURAL Index	135.88	136.05	136.05	136.24	136.24	136.24	136.3	136.54	136.96	136.96	137.24	137.02



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 130.49 in January and rises steadily to 131.39 in February and 132.27 in March, maintaining a similar level at 132.18 in April. Growth continues gradually in May through July, reaching 133.38, 133.25, and 134.38, before a sharp drop to 124.1 in August. The index recovers in September at 134.96 and remains relatively stable through December, ending at 135.65. Overall, urban prices show considerable volatility, including a sharp decline in August, followed by a steady recovery. In rural areas, the index begins lower at 122.3 in January and remains mostly stable through March and April around 122.18–122.32. A gradual increase is observed from May to July, reaching 123.19–124.1, and remains stable through December, ending at 124.29. Rural prices exhibit a consistent upward trend with minor fluctuations and remain lower than urban prices throughout the year. Overall, urban areas experience higher and more volatile prices, while rural areas show stable and slowly increasing trends.

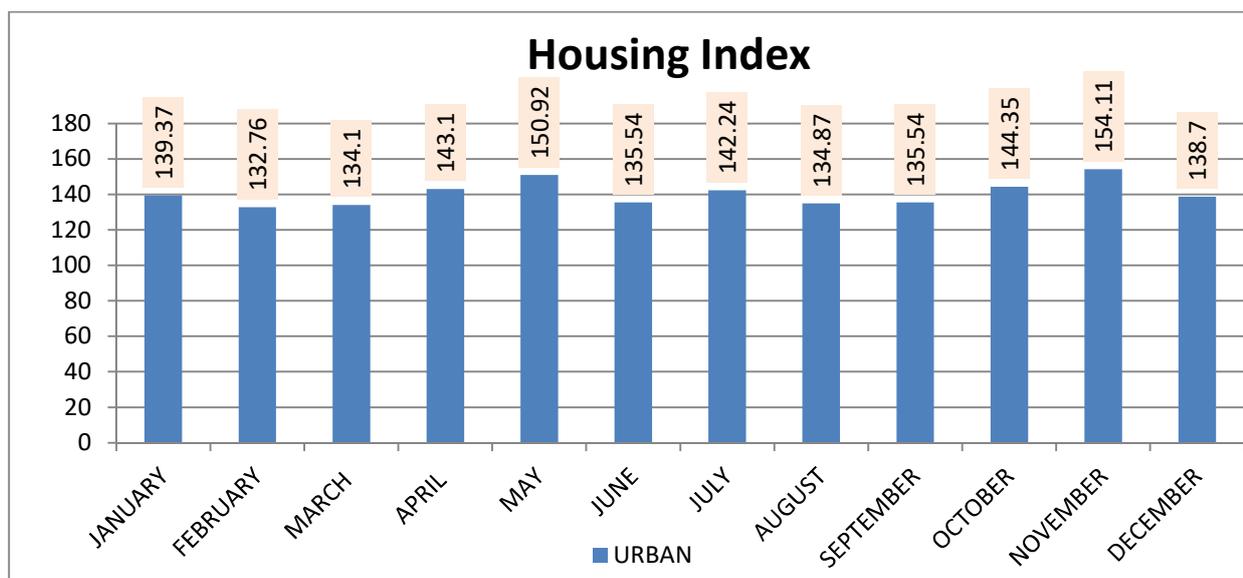
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	130.49	131.39	132.27	132.18	133.38	133.25	134.38	124.1	134.96	134.97	135.59	135.65
RURAL Index	122.3	122.3	122.18	122.32	123.19	123.35	124.1	124.1	124.23	124.14	124.24	124.29



## Housing Index

The urban index in Kollam shows significant fluctuations throughout the year. It begins at 139.37 in January and declines sharply to 132.76 in February, followed by a slight rise to 134.1 in March. A strong increase occurs in April and May, reaching 143.1 and 150.92, before dropping again to 135.54 in June. The index recovers in July to 142.24, then falls to 134.87 in August, and slightly rises to 135.54 in September. A notable upward trend is seen in October and November, reaching 144.35 and 154.11, before declining to 138.7 in December. Overall, urban prices in Kollam show high volatility with sharp rises and falls throughout the year.

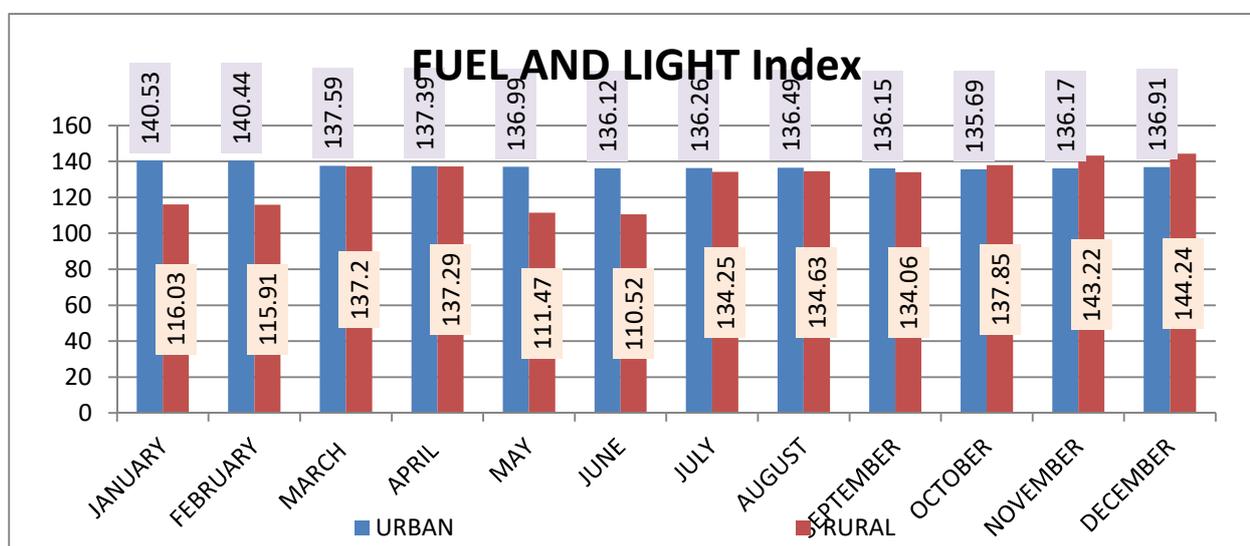
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	139.37	132.76	134.1	143.1	150.92	135.54	142.24	134.87	135.54	144.35	154.11	138.7



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 140.53 in January and remains nearly stable at 140.44 in February. A gradual decline occurs from March to May, reaching 136.99, followed by minor fluctuations from June to December, ending at 136.91. Overall, urban prices show a slow downward trend with limited month-to-month variation. In rural areas, the index begins lower at 116.03 in January and remains almost unchanged in February at 115.91. A sharp rise occurs in March and April to 137.2 and 137.29, followed by a steep decline in May and June to 111.47 and 110.52. Recovery begins in July, reaching 134.25 and 134.63 in August, with minor fluctuations until October. A significant increase is observed in November and December, ending at 144.24. Rural prices show high volatility with sharp declines and rises throughout the year, in contrast to the more stable urban trend. Overall, urban prices remain relatively stable, while rural prices exhibit large fluctuations and end the year at a higher level than urban prices.

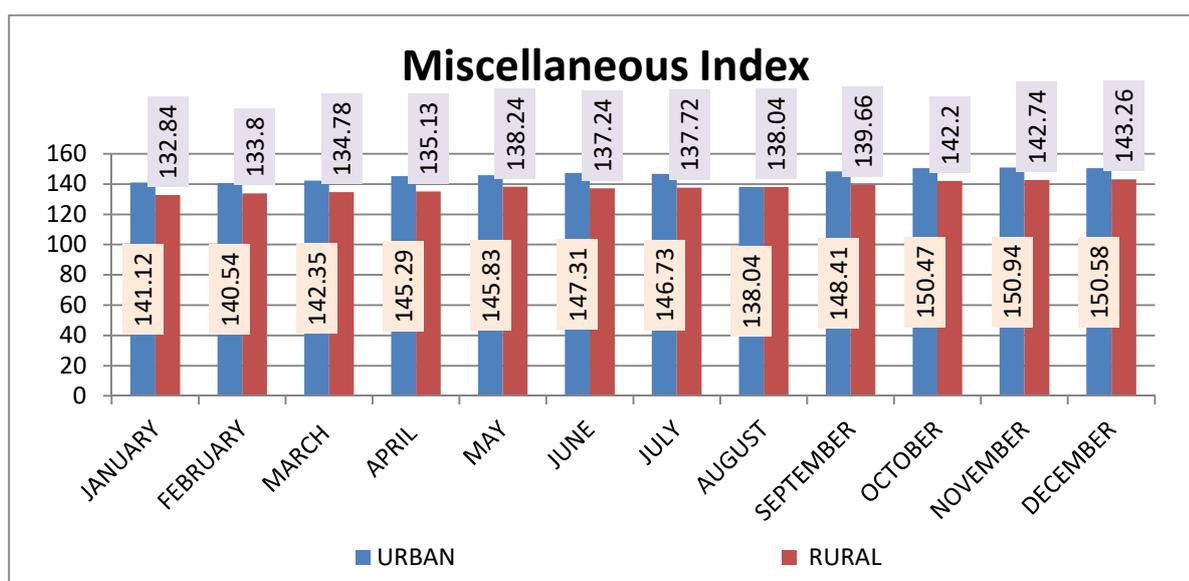
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	140.53	140.44	137.59	137.39	136.99	136.12	136.26	136.49	136.15	135.69	136.17	136.91
RURAL Index	116.03	115.91	137.2	137.29	111.47	110.52	134.25	134.63	134.06	137.85	143.22	144.24



### Miscellaneous Index

In urban areas, the index begins at 141.12 in January and decreases slightly to 140.54 in February, before rising steadily to 142.35 in March and 145.29 in April. Growth continues through May and June, reaching 145.83 and 147.31, followed by a minor decline to 146.73 in July and a sharp drop to 138.04 in August. The index recovers strongly in September at 148.41 and continues rising to 150.47 and 150.94 in October and November, ending slightly lower at 150.58 in December. Overall, urban prices exhibit significant volatility with sharp rises and drops during the year. In rural areas, the index starts at 132.84 in January and increases gradually through February to 133.8 and March to 134.78, continuing a steady rise to 135.13 in April. Growth continues moderately through May to July, reaching 138.24, 137.24, and 137.72, followed by minor fluctuations in August and September at 138.04 and 139.66. A steady increase occurs from October to December, ending at 143.26. Rural prices remain consistently lower than urban prices but show a steady upward trend with moderate fluctuations. Overall, urban prices are higher and more volatile, while rural prices show steady and consistent growth throughout the year.

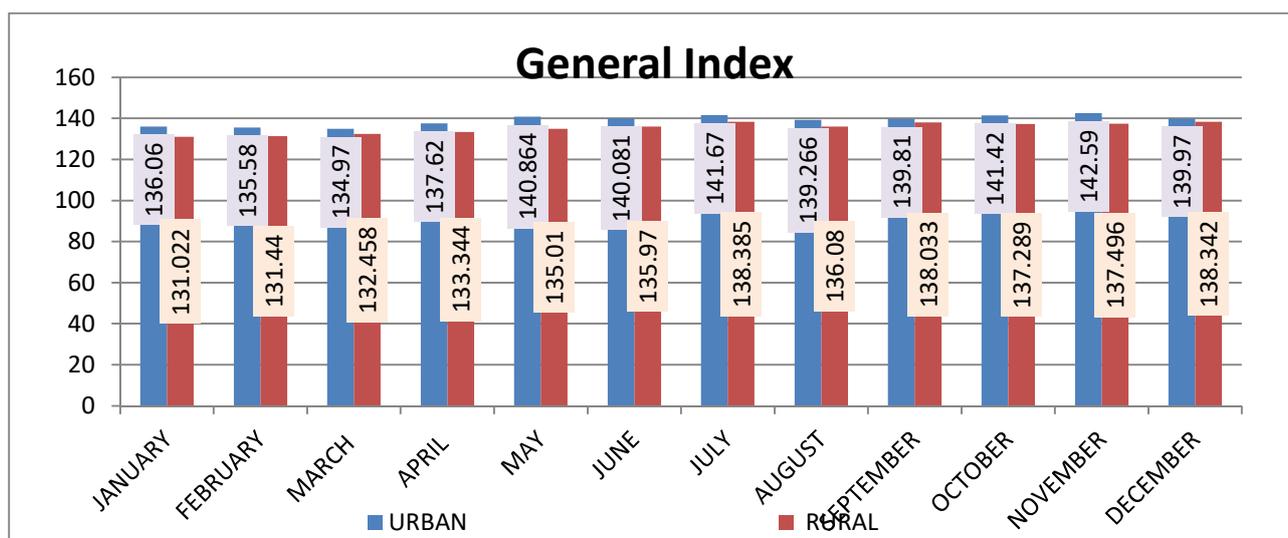
KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	141.12	140.54	142.35	145.29	145.83	147.31	146.73	138.04	148.41	150.47	150.94	150.58
RURAL Index	132.84	133.8	134.78	135.13	138.24	137.24	137.72	138.04	139.66	142.2	142.74	143.26



### General Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 136.06 in January and declines gradually to 135.58 in February and 134.97 in March. A noticeable increase occurs in April at 137.62, continuing to 140.864 in May. The index slightly decreases to 140.081 in June before rising again to 141.67 in July. Minor fluctuations are observed from August to October, ranging between 139.266 and 141.42, followed by a rise to 142.59 in November and a decline to 139.97 in December. Overall, urban prices show moderate volatility with periods of both increase and slight decline. In rural areas, the index begins lower at 131.022 in January and rises steadily to 131.44 in February and 132.458 in March. Gradual growth continues through April and May, reaching 133.344 and 135.01, and further to 135.97 in June. A sharp increase occurs in July at 138.385, followed by a minor dip in August to 136.08. The index remains relatively stable through October at 138.033 and 137.289, before ending the year slightly higher at 138.342 in December. Rural prices exhibit steady growth with minor fluctuations and remain consistently lower than urban prices. Overall, urban areas experience higher and more volatile prices, while rural areas show steady and moderate growth throughout the year.

KLM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	136.06	135.58	134.97	137.62	140.864	140.081	141.67	139.266	139.81	141.42	142.59	139.97
RURAL Index	131.022	131.44	132.458	133.344	135.01	135.97	138.385	136.08	138.033	137.289	137.496	138.342

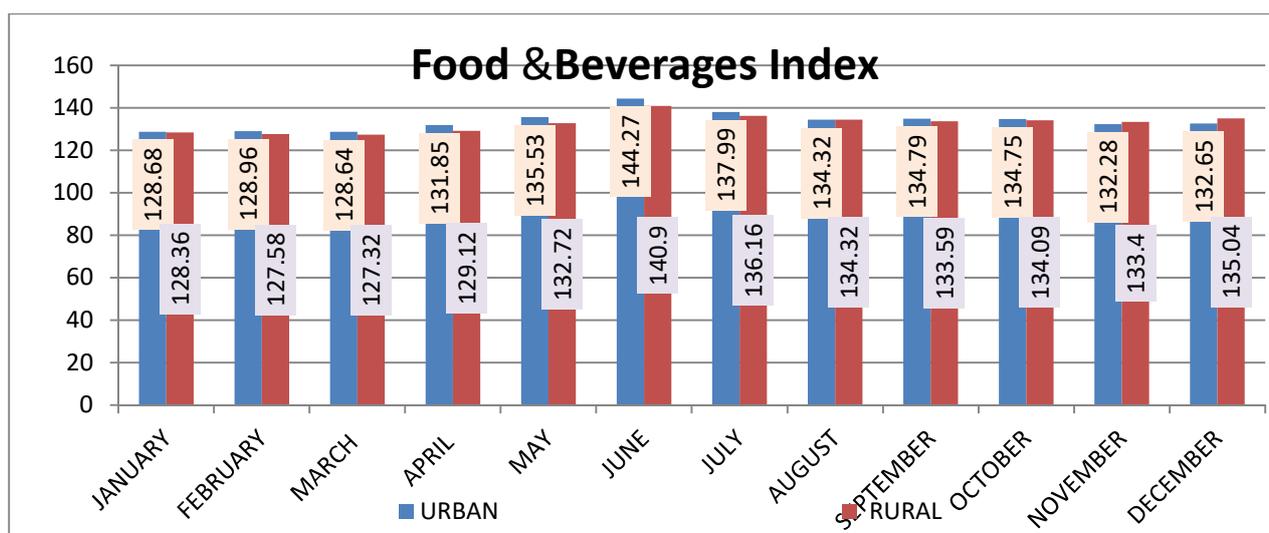


## PATHANAMTHITTA

### Food & Beverages Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 128.68 in January and remains nearly stable in February and March at 128.96 and 128.64. A steady rise occurs from April to June, reaching 131.85, 135.53, and a peak of 144.27 in June. A sharp decline follows in July to 137.99 and continues downward to 134.32 in August. Minor fluctuations occur from September to December, ending at 132.65. Overall, urban prices show significant volatility, with a steep peak in June followed by a gradual decline. In rural areas, the index begins slightly lower at 128.36 in January and decreases marginally to 127.58 and 127.32 in February and March. Growth begins in April, reaching 129.12, 132.72, and peaking at 140.9 in June, similar to urban trends. A decline follows in July to 136.16 and August to 134.32, with minor fluctuations through December, ending at 135.04. Rural prices remain close to urban prices but exhibit slightly more stability in the latter months. Overall, both urban and rural areas experience a peak in June followed by a gradual decrease, with urban areas showing higher volatility than rural areas.

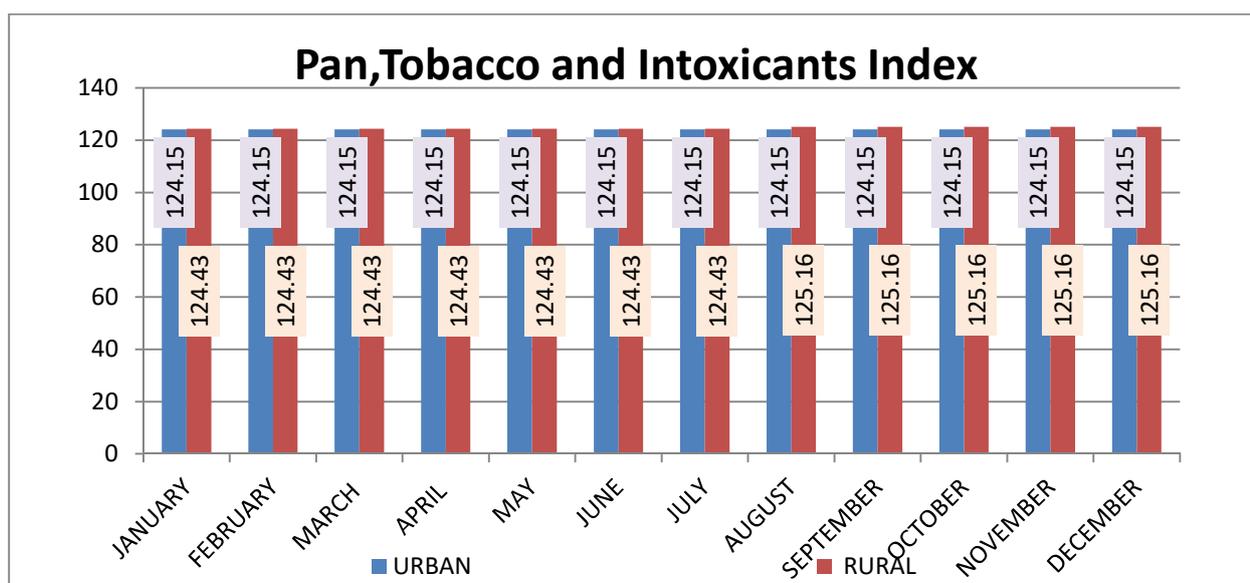
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URBAN Index	128.68	128.96	128.64	131.85	135.53	144.27	137.99	134.32	134.79	134.75	132.28	132.65
RURAL Index	128.36	127.58	127.32	129.12	132.72	140.9	136.16	134.32	133.59	134.09	133.4	135.04



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In urban areas, the index remains constant at 124.15 for all twelve months, indicating no change in prices over the year. In rural areas, the index starts at 124.43 from January to July and shows a slight increase to 125.16 from August onwards, remaining at this level through December. Overall, both urban and rural prices are very stable, with only a minor rise observed in rural areas during the latter part of the year.

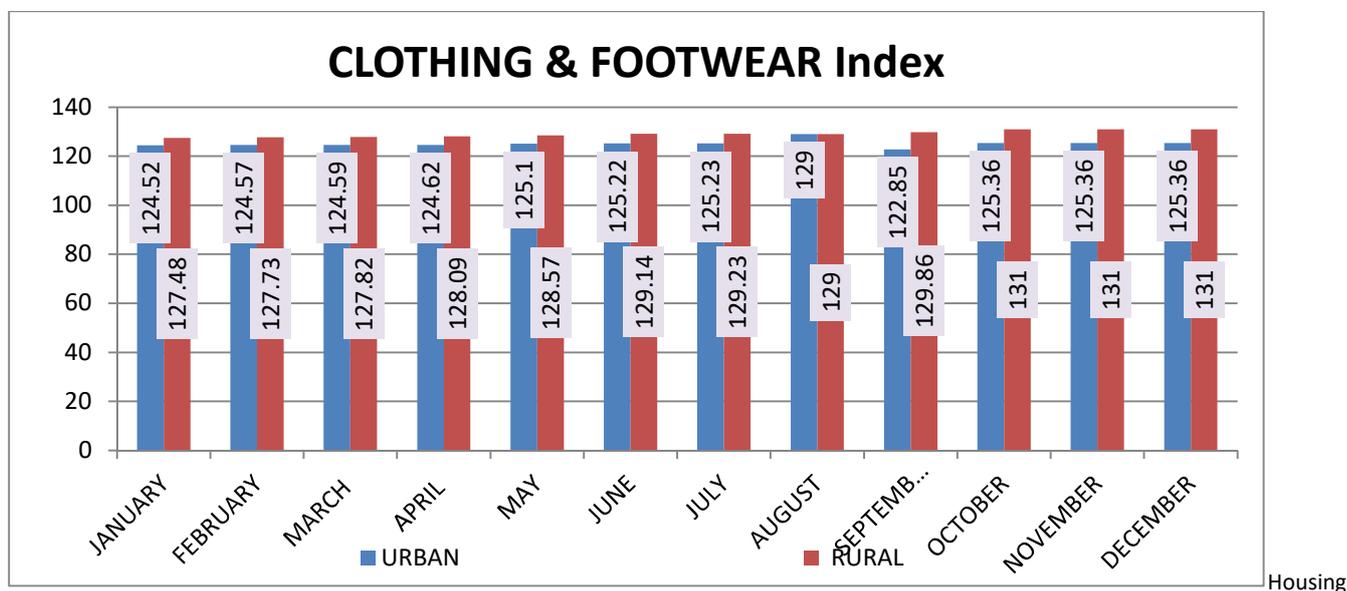
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URBAN Index	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15
RURAL Index	124.43	124.43	124.43	124.43	124.43	124.43	124.43	125.16	125.16	125.16	125.16	125.16



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 124.52 in January and shows a gradual increase to 125.23 in July, followed by a sharp rise to 129 in August. A notable drop occurs in September to 122.85, after which the index recovers to 125.36 from October through December. Overall, urban prices exhibit moderate volatility with a pronounced peak in August and a dip in September. In rural areas, the index begins at 127.48 in January and steadily rises to 129.23 in July, reaching a minor peak of 129 in August. From September onwards, the index increases further, reaching 131 in October and remaining stable through December. Rural prices show a steady upward trend with minor fluctuations, ending the year higher than urban prices. Overall, urban prices are more volatile, while rural prices exhibit a consistent increase throughout the year.

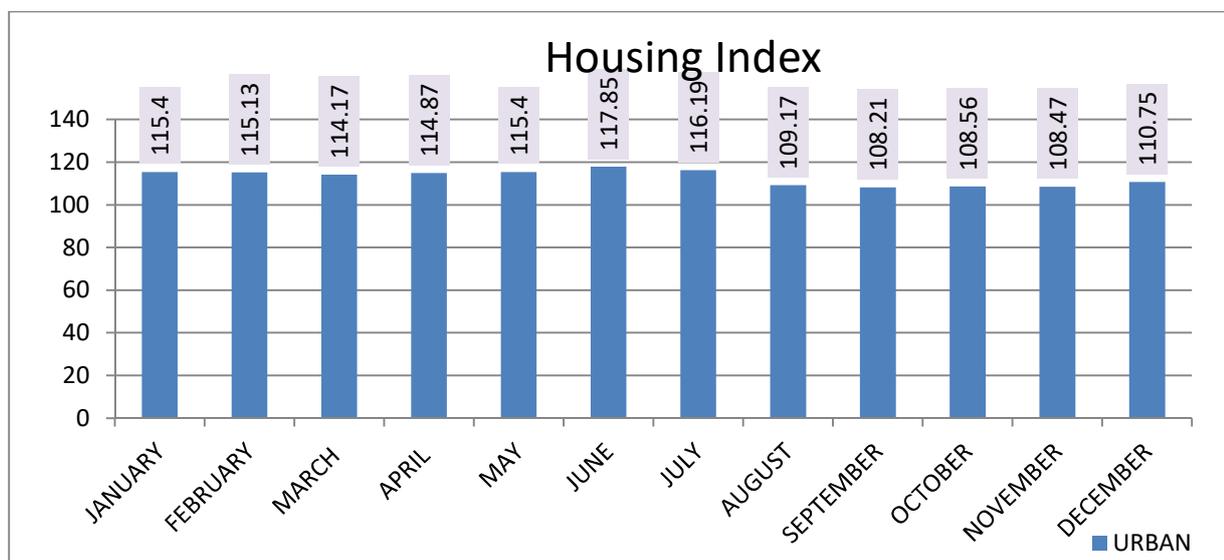
PTA	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	124.52	124.57	124.59	124.62	125.1	125.22	125.23	129	122.85	125.36	125.36	125.36
RURAL Index	127.48	127.73	127.82	128.09	128.57	129.14	129.23	129	129.86	131	131	131



## HOUSING Index

It starts at 115.4 in January and declines slightly to 115.13 in February and further to 114.17 in March. A modest recovery occurs in April at 114.87, reaching 115.4 again in May. The index rises more noticeably in June to 117.85, followed by a slight decline to 116.19 in July. A sharp drop occurs in August and September, reaching 109.17 and 108.21, with minor recovery in October and November at 108.56 and 108.47. By December, the index rises slightly to 110.75. Overall, urban prices in Pathanamthitta show moderate volatility, with a peak in June and a significant decline in late summer months before a small recovery at year-end.

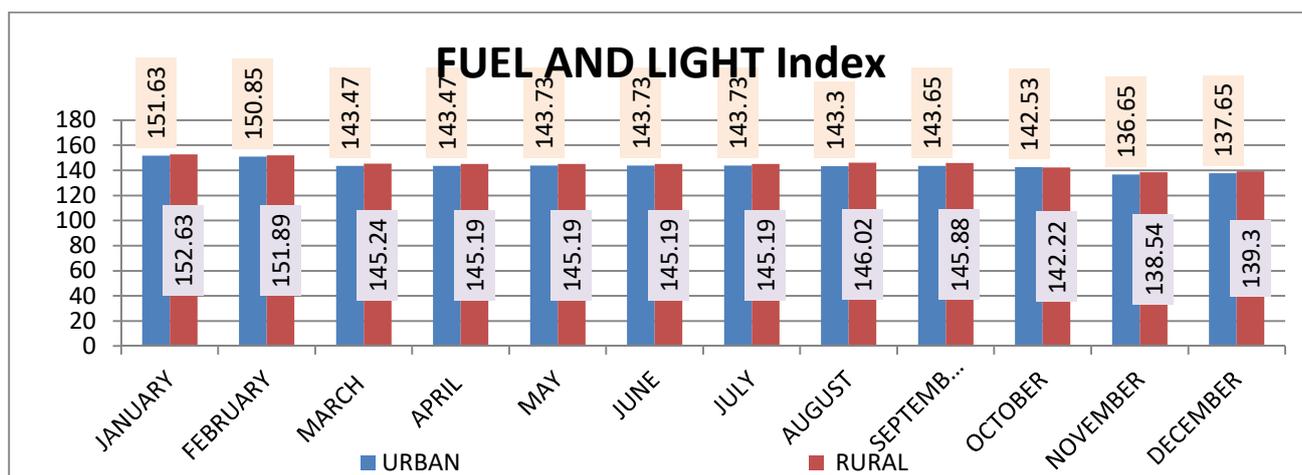
PTA	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	115.4	115.13	114.17	114.87	115.4	117.85	116.19	109.17	108.21	108.56	108.47	110.75



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 151.63 in January and gradually declines to 150.85 in February and further to 143.47 in March and April. A slight rise occurs in May and June to 143.73, remaining stable through July. Minor fluctuations follow from August to October, with values around 143.3 to 142.53. A sharper decline occurs in November to 136.65, with a small recovery in December at 137.65. Overall, urban prices show a downward trend with moderate volatility, especially in the latter part of the year. In rural areas, the index begins slightly higher at 152.63 in January and decreases steadily to 151.89 in February and 145.24 in March. The index remains mostly stable from April to July at around 145.19, followed by a minor rise to 146.02 in August. A gradual decline continues from September to November, reaching 138.54, with a small increase in December to 139.3. Rural prices mirror the urban trend but show slightly less volatility and end the year marginally higher than urban prices. Overall, both urban and rural areas experience a general decline in prices over the year, with urban areas showing sharper fluctuations.

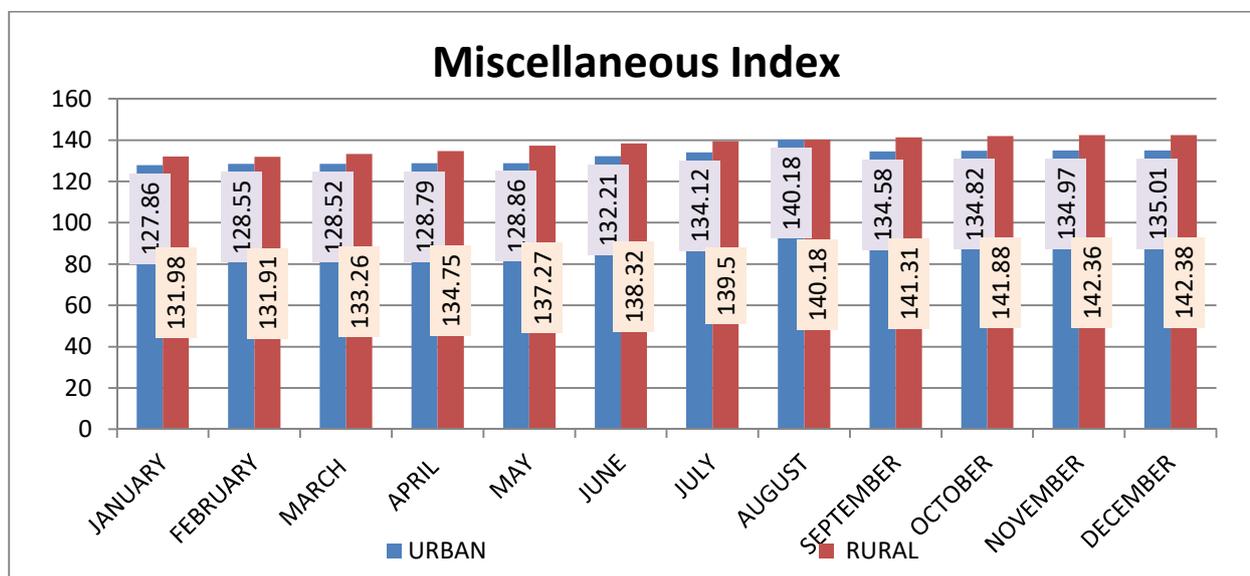
PTA	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	151.63	150.85	143.47	143.47	143.73	143.73	143.73	143.3	143.65	142.53	136.65	137.65
RURAL Index	152.63	151.89	145.24	145.19	145.19	145.19	145.19	146.02	145.88	142.22	138.54	139.3



### Miscellaneous Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 127.86 in January and gradually increases to 128.86 by May. A noticeable rise occurs in June and July, reaching 132.21 and 134.12, followed by a peak at 140.18 in August. After August, the index slightly declines to 134.58 in September, then stabilizes around 134.82–135.01 through December. Urban prices show moderate growth with a significant peak in August. In rural areas, the index begins at 131.98 in January and rises steadily to 137.27 by May. Continued growth is observed from June to August, reaching 140.18, and the index maintains an upward trend thereafter, ending the year at 142.38 in December. Rural prices show a consistent upward trend with steady growth throughout the year. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced price increases, with rural areas showing a steadier rise and urban areas displaying a sharper peak in August.

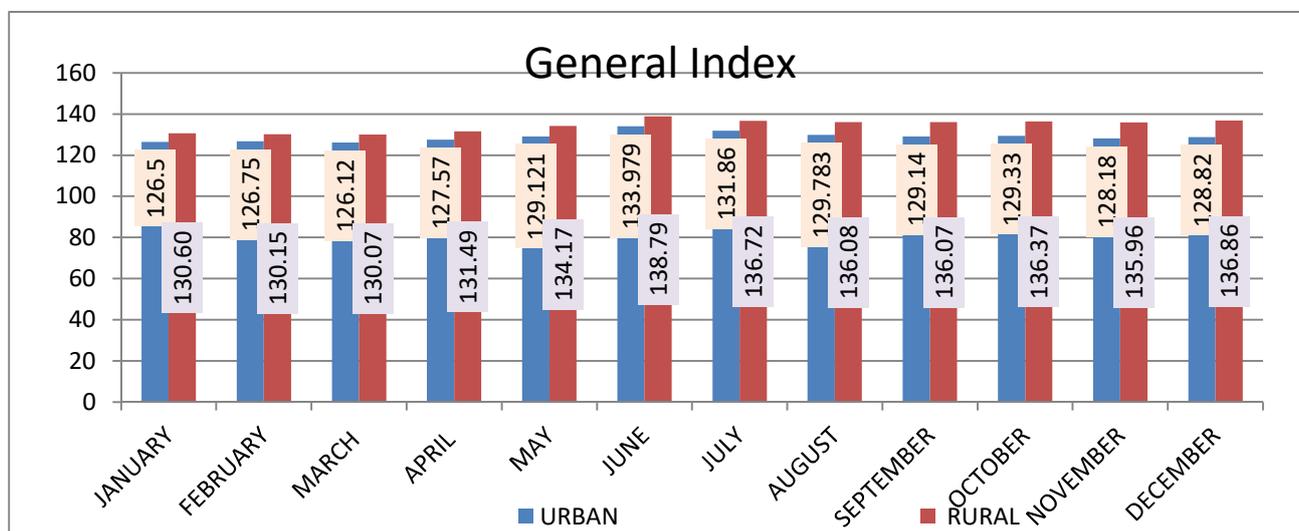
PTA	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	127.86	128.55	128.52	128.79	128.86	132.21	134.12	140.18	134.58	134.82	134.97	135.01
RURAL Index	131.98	131.91	133.26	134.75	137.27	138.32	139.5	140.18	141.31	141.88	142.36	142.38



## GENERAL Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 126.5 in January and remains relatively stable through March. A rise is seen in April and May, reaching 129.121, followed by a sharp peak in June at 133.979. After June, the index declines to 131.86 in July and continues decreasing to around 128.82 by December, showing moderate fluctuations in the latter half of the year. In rural areas, the index begins at 130.60 in January and remains stable through March. A steady increase occurs from April to June, peaking at 138.79, followed by a minor decline in July and August. From September to December, the index stabilizes around 136–136.86, showing a relatively smoother trend compared to urban areas. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced growth in the first half of the year, with urban areas showing sharper fluctuations, while rural areas displayed a steadier trend and ended the year at a higher level than urban areas.

PTA	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.5	126.75	126.12	127.57	129.121	133.979	131.86	129.783	129.14	129.33	128.18	128.82
RURAL Index	130.60	130.15	130.07	131.49	134.17	138.79	136.72	136.08	136.07	136.37	135.96	136.86

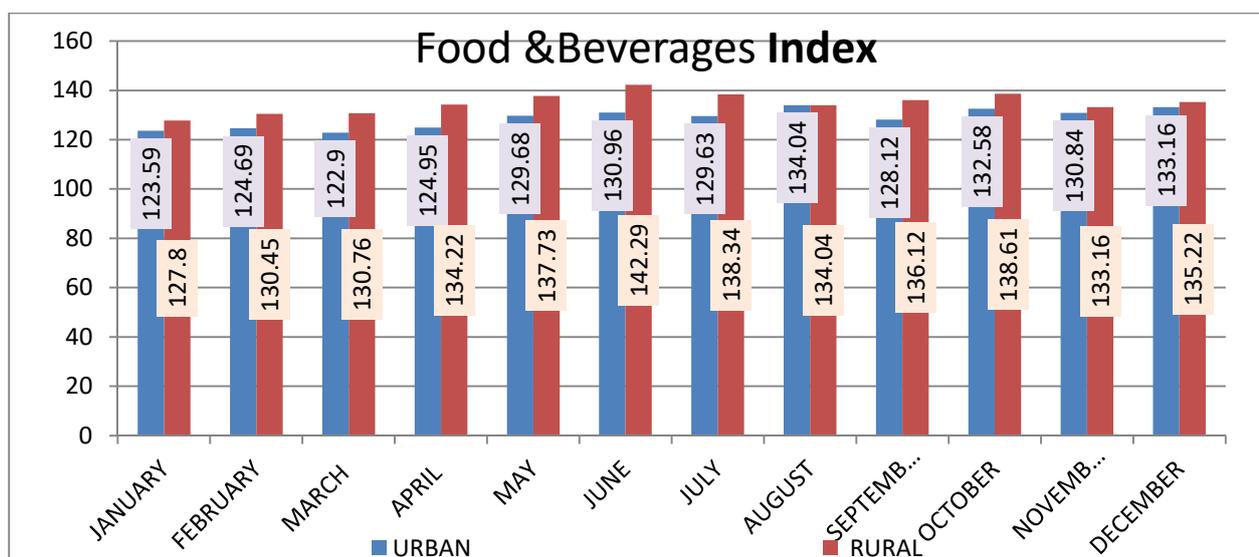


## ALAPPUZHA

### Food & Beverages Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 123.59 in January and rises steadily to 124.95 in April, followed by a sharper increase in May and June, reaching 130.96. Minor fluctuations occur in July and August, with the index peaking at 134.04 in August. The latter months show moderate variation, ending at 133.16 in December. Overall, urban prices show a clear upward trend with some fluctuations, particularly in the mid-year months. In rural areas, the index begins at 127.8 in January and increases consistently, reaching a peak of 142.29 in June. A decline follows in July and August, stabilizing around 134–136 in September and October. The year ends with a slight rise, at 135.22 in December. Rural prices exhibit a stronger upward trend in the first half of the year, followed by moderate stabilization in the second half. Overall, both urban and rural areas in Alappuzha experienced growth in prices, with rural areas showing a higher peak and urban areas showing more mid-year fluctuations.

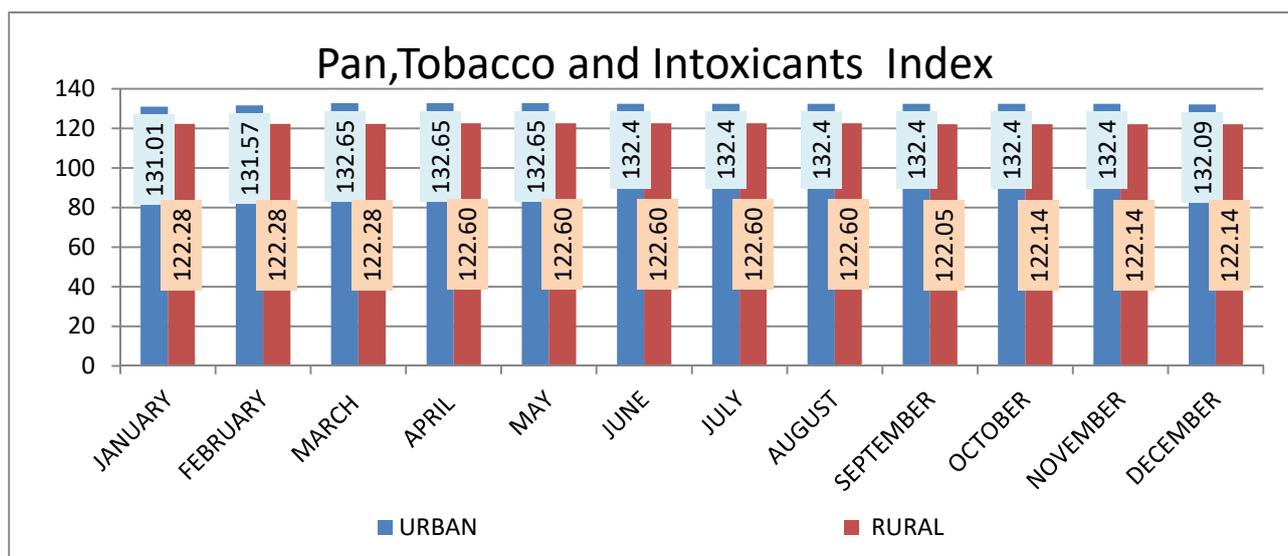
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URBAN Index	123.59	124.69	122.9	124.95	129.68	130.96	129.63	134.04	128.12	132.58	130.84	133.16
RURAL Index	127.8	130.45	130.76	134.22	137.73	142.29	138.34	134.04	136.12	138.61	133.16	135.22



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In urban areas, the index starts at 131.01 in January and gradually increases to 132.65 by March and April. From May onwards, it remains almost steady around 132.4, with a slight decline to 132.09 in December, indicating minimal fluctuations overall. In rural areas, the index begins at 122.28 in January and remains largely constant through June, with a minor rise to 122.6 from April to August. A slight dip occurs in September to 122.05, followed by stabilization around 122.14 until December. Overall, both urban and rural indices exhibit stability throughout the year, with urban areas maintaining a higher index level than rural areas.

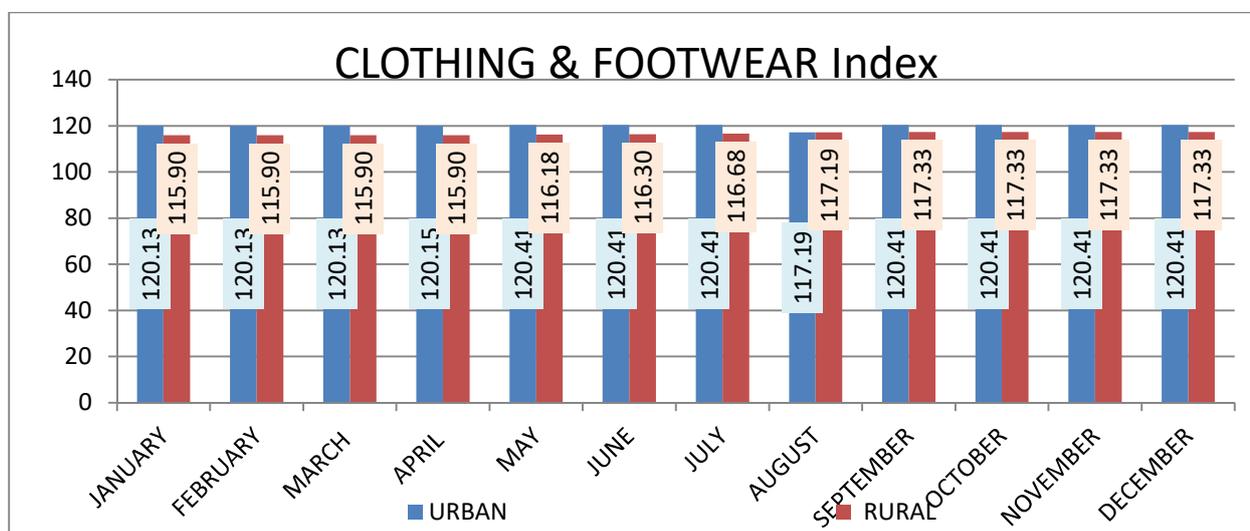
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URBAN Index	131.01	131.57	132.65	132.65	132.65	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.09
RURAL Index	122.28	122.28	122.28	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.05	122.14	122.14	122.14



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The index in Alappuzha remained relatively stable throughout the year in both urban and rural areas, with only minor fluctuations. In urban areas, the index started at 120.13 in January and remained constant through March. It slightly increased to 120.15 in April and further to 120.41 from May, except for a dip to 117.19 in August, before returning to 120.41 for the rest of the year. In rural areas, the index began at 115.90 in January and stayed steady until April. A gradual rise was observed from May onwards, reaching 116.18 in May, 116.30 in June, 116.68 in July, and 117.19 in August. It then increased slightly to 117.33 in September and remained constant until December. Overall, the year showed stability with small variations, and urban areas consistently maintained a higher index than rural areas.

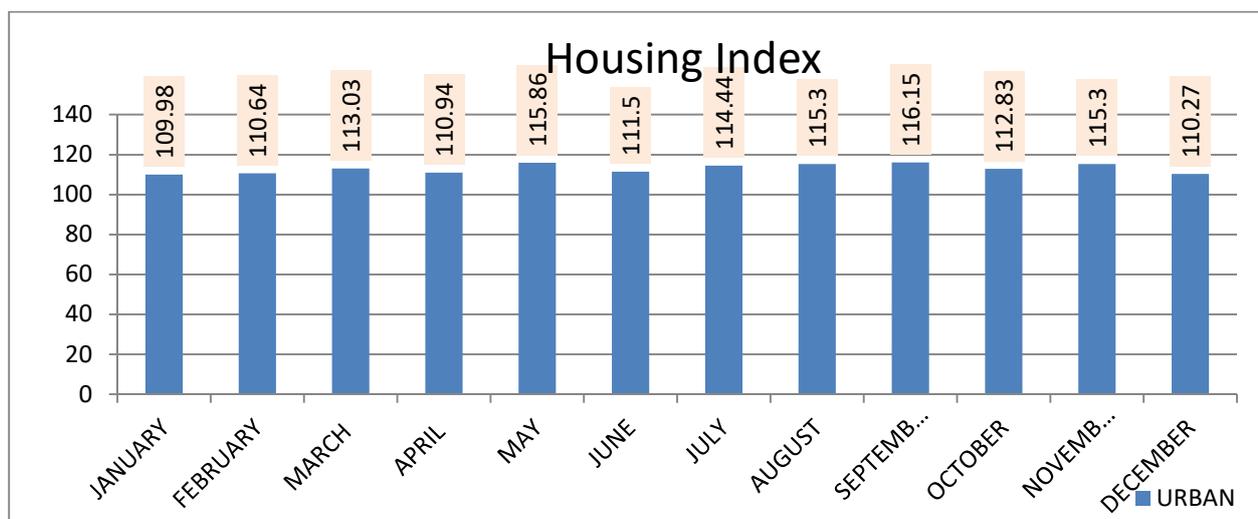
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URBAN Index	120.13	120.13	120.13	120.15	120.41	120.41	120.41	117.19	120.41	120.41	120.41	120.41
RURAL Index	115.90	115.90	115.90	115.90	116.18	116.30	116.68	117.19	117.33	117.33	117.33	117.33



## Housing Index

In Alappuzha, the urban index showed notable fluctuations throughout the year. It started at 109.98 in January and rose slightly to 110.64 in February, followed by a sharper increase to 113.03 in March. In April, the index fell to 110.94, then climbed to 115.86 in May. A decline to 111.5 was observed in June, followed by a recovery to 114.44 in July and a further increase to 115.3 in August. The index reached its peak for the year at 116.15 in September, before dropping to 112.83 in October. It rose again to 115.3 in November and ended the year at 110.27 in December. Overall, the urban index in Alappuzha experienced significant variations, reflecting alternating periods of increase and decrease.

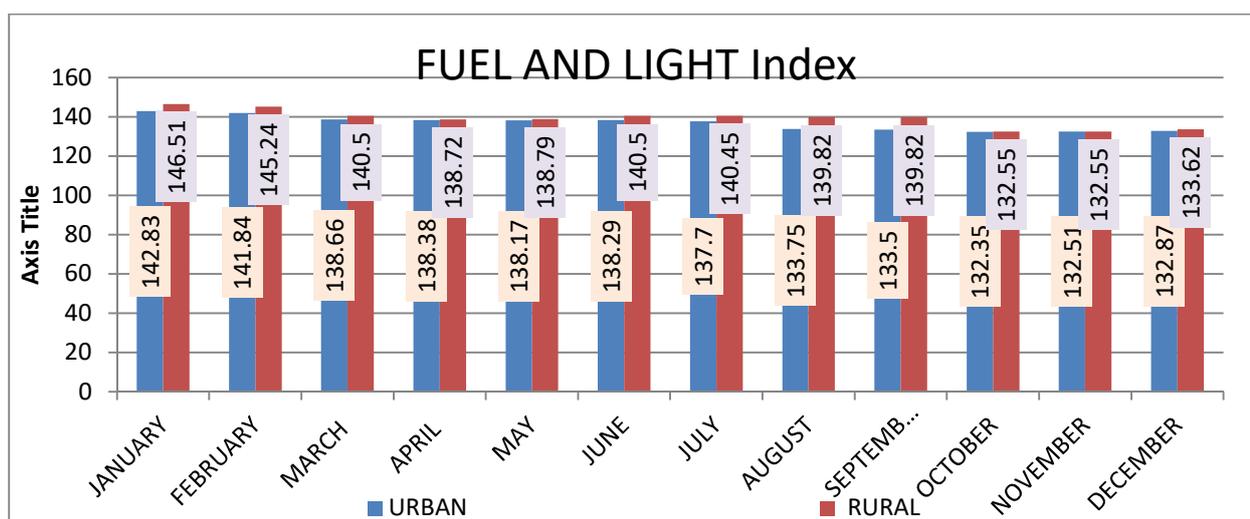
ALP	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	109.98	110.64	113.03	110.94	115.86	111.5	114.44	115.3	116.15	112.83	115.3	110.27



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Alappuzha, both urban and rural indices exhibited notable fluctuations over the year. The urban index began at 142.83 in January and gradually declined to 141.84 in February and 138.66 in March. A slight decrease followed in April and May, with values of 138.38 and 138.17 respectively, and minor fluctuations continued through the mid-year, reaching 137.7 in July and dropping further to 133.75 in August. The year ended with the urban index at 132.87 in December. The rural index started at a higher level of 146.51 in January, fell steadily to 145.24 in February and 140.5 in March, and remained around 138–140 during the mid-year months. It dropped more sharply in October and November to 132.55, before a slight recovery to 133.62 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices showed a downward trend with intermittent periods of stability and minor recoveries.

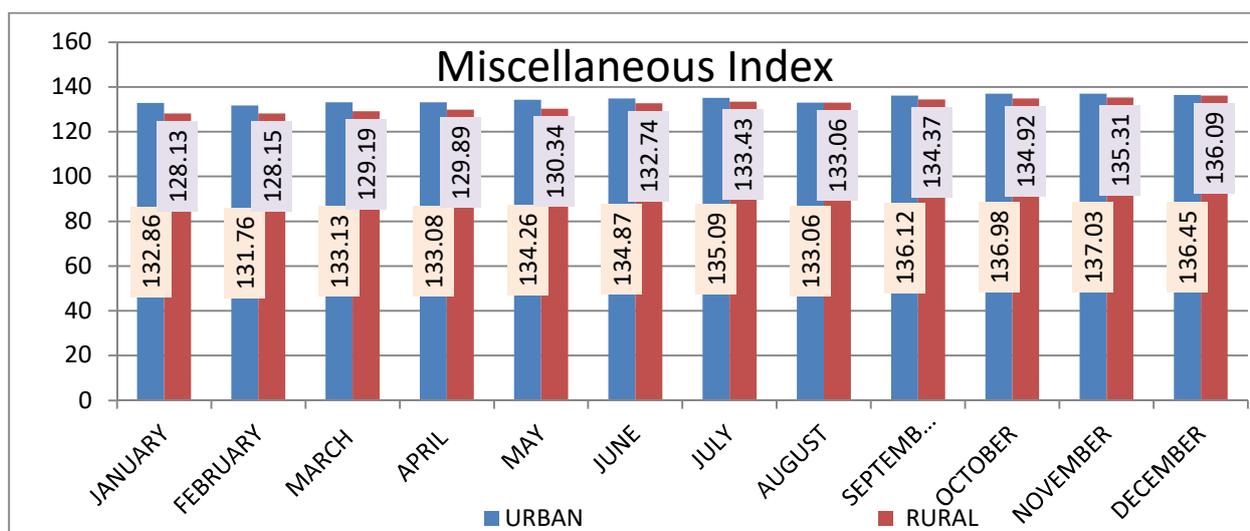
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URBAN Index	142.83	141.84	138.66	138.38	138.17	138.29	137.7	133.75	133.5	132.35	132.51	132.87
RURAL Index	146.51	145.24	140.5	138.72	138.79	140.5	140.45	139.82	139.82	132.55	132.55	133.62



### Miscellaneous Index

In Alappuzha, the urban and rural indices showed steady growth with minor fluctuations throughout the year. The urban index started at 132.86 in January and slightly declined to 131.76 in February, before gradually increasing to 133.13 in March and 134.87 by June. It reached a peak of 137.03 in November and ended the year at 136.45 in December. The rural index began at 128.13 in January and showed a gradual upward trend, rising to 132.74 in June and peaking at 136.09 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices exhibited consistent growth, with rural areas showing a slightly steadier increase compared to urban areas.

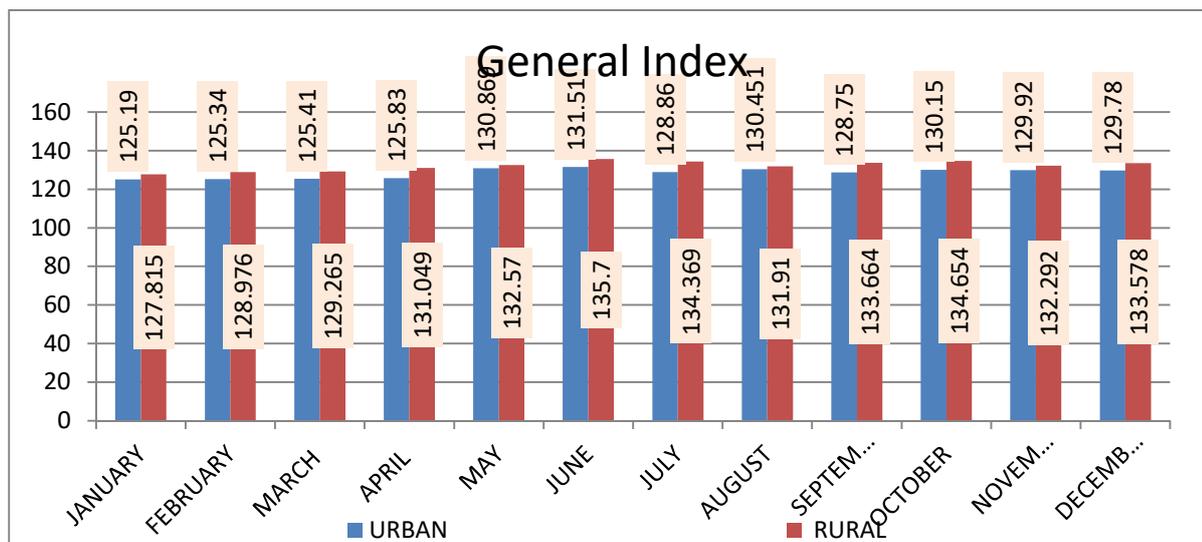
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URBAN Index	132.86	131.76	133.13	133.08	134.26	134.87	135.09	133.06	136.12	136.98	137.03	136.45
RURAL Index	128.13	128.15	129.19	129.89	130.34	132.74	133.43	133.06	134.37	134.92	135.31	136.09



### General Index

In Alappuzha, the urban and rural indices displayed moderate fluctuations throughout the year. The urban index started at 125.19 in January and gradually increased to 125.83 by April, then rose sharply to 130.87 in May, peaking at 131.51 in June before declining to 128.86 in July. Minor variations followed, with the index ending at 129.78 in December. The rural index began at 127.82 in January and showed a steady upward trend, reaching 135.70 in June, followed by slight fluctuations, and closed the year at 133.58 in December. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced growth, with the rural index showing a more consistent upward trend compared to urban areas.

ALP	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.19	125.34	125.41	125.83	130.869	131.51	128.86	130.451	128.75	130.15	129.92	129.78
RURAL Index	127.82	128.98	129.27	131.05	132.57	135.70	134.37	131.91	133.66	134.65	132.29	133.58

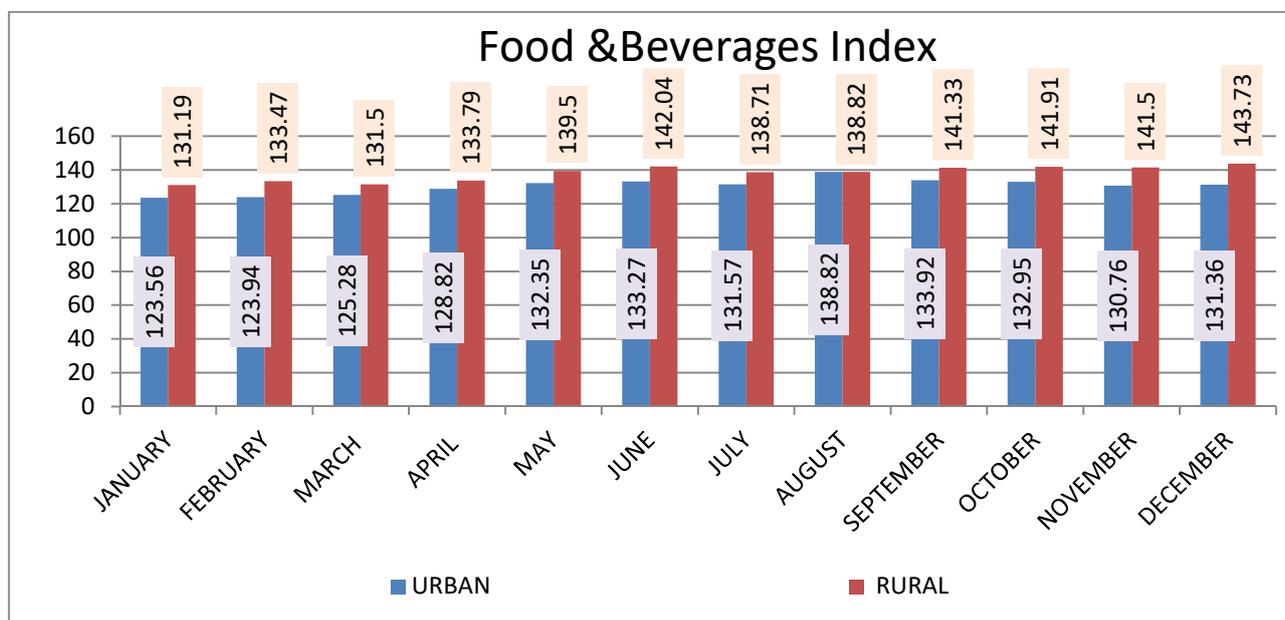


## KOTTAYAM

### Food & Beverages Index

In Kottayam, both urban and rural indices showed notable fluctuations over the year. The urban index started at 123.56 in January and rose steadily to 128.82 in April, reaching a peak of 138.82 in August before gradually declining to 131.36 in December. The rural index began higher at 131.19 in January and exhibited a more pronounced upward trend, reaching 142.04 in June and maintaining relatively high values in the following months, closing the year at 143.73 in December. Overall, the rural index consistently remained above the urban index, indicating stronger price movements in rural areas, while urban prices experienced sharper short-term variations.

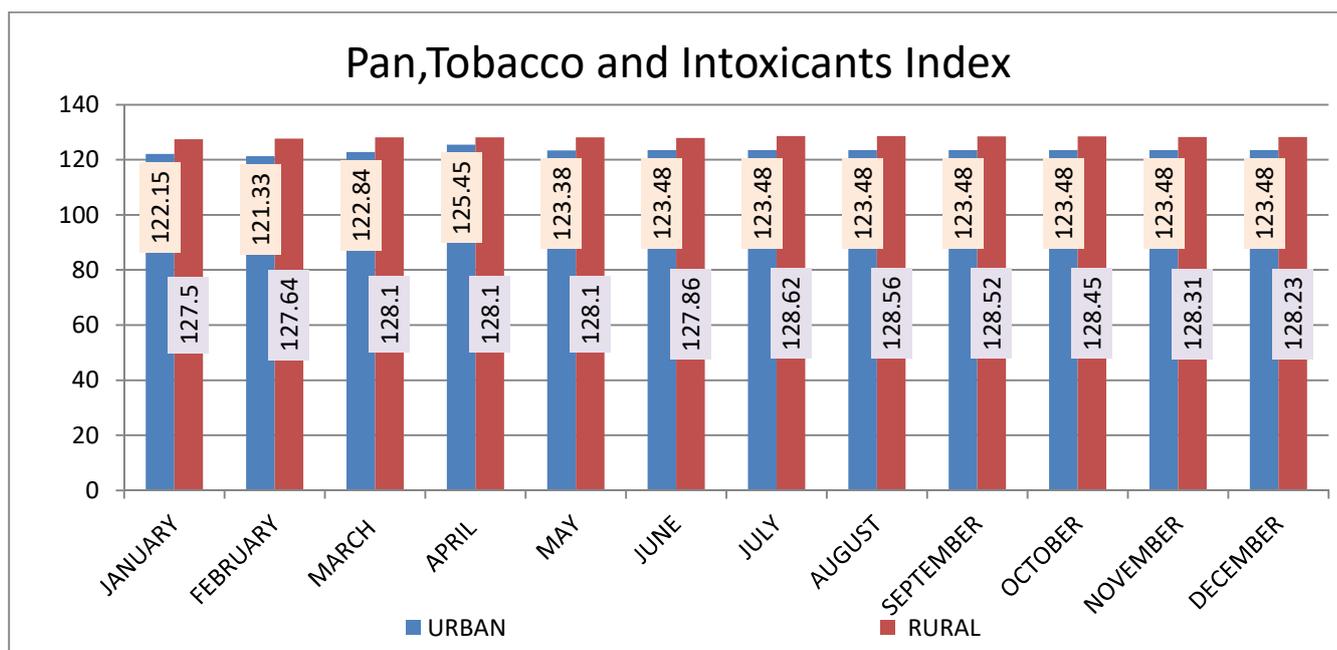
KTM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	123.56	123.94	125.28	128.82	132.35	133.27	131.57	138.82	133.92	132.95	130.76	131.36
RURAL Index	131.19	133.47	131.5	133.79	139.5	142.04	138.71	138.82	141.33	141.91	141.5	143.73



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In Kottayam, the urban index showed minor fluctuations throughout the year, starting at 122.15 in January and peaking at 125.45 in April, before stabilizing at 123.48 from June through December. The rural index remained consistently higher than the urban index, beginning at 127.5 in January and showing slight variations over the months, ending at 128.23 in December. Overall, rural prices were relatively stable with a gentle upward trend, while urban prices experienced a small peak in April before leveling off for the remainder of the year.

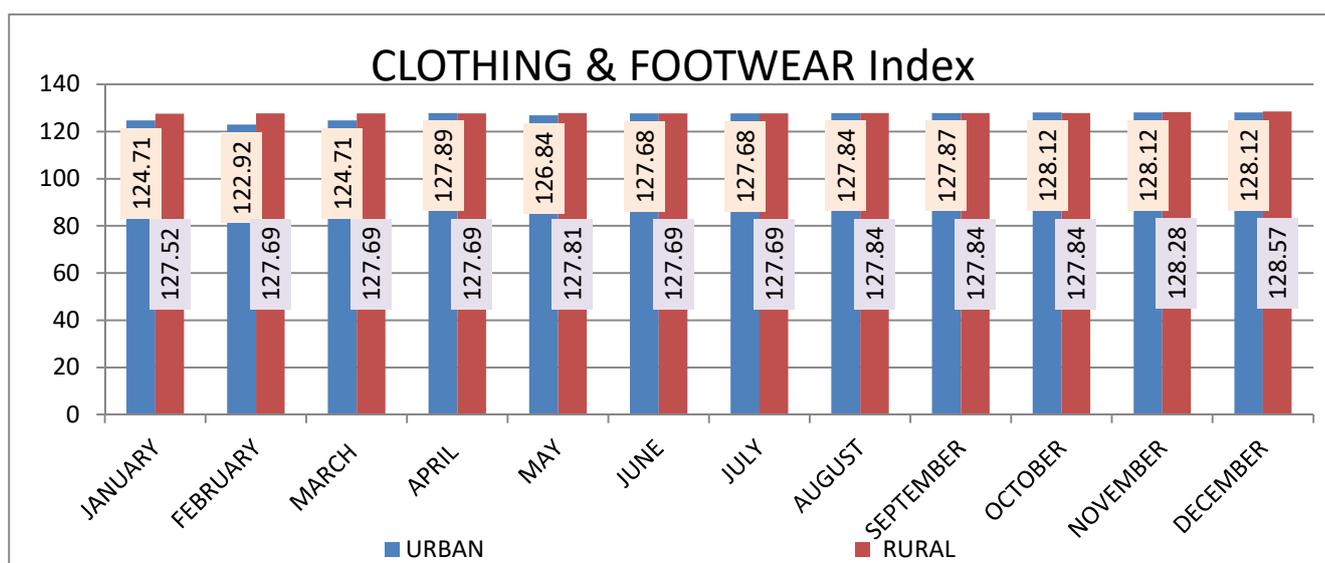
KTM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	122.15	121.33	122.84	125.45	123.38	123.48	123.48	123.48	123.48	123.48	123.48	123.48
RURAL Index	127.5	127.64	128.1	128.1	128.1	127.86	128.62	128.56	128.52	128.45	128.31	128.23



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In Kottayam, the urban index exhibited moderate fluctuations over the year. It started at 124.71 in January, dipped to 122.92 in February, and then rose to 127.89 in April. From May onwards, urban prices stabilized around 127–128, ending at 128.12 in December. The rural index remained relatively stable throughout the year, starting at 127.52 in January and gradually increasing to 128.57 by December. Overall, rural prices showed steadier growth, while urban prices experienced more noticeable short-term fluctuations before leveling off.

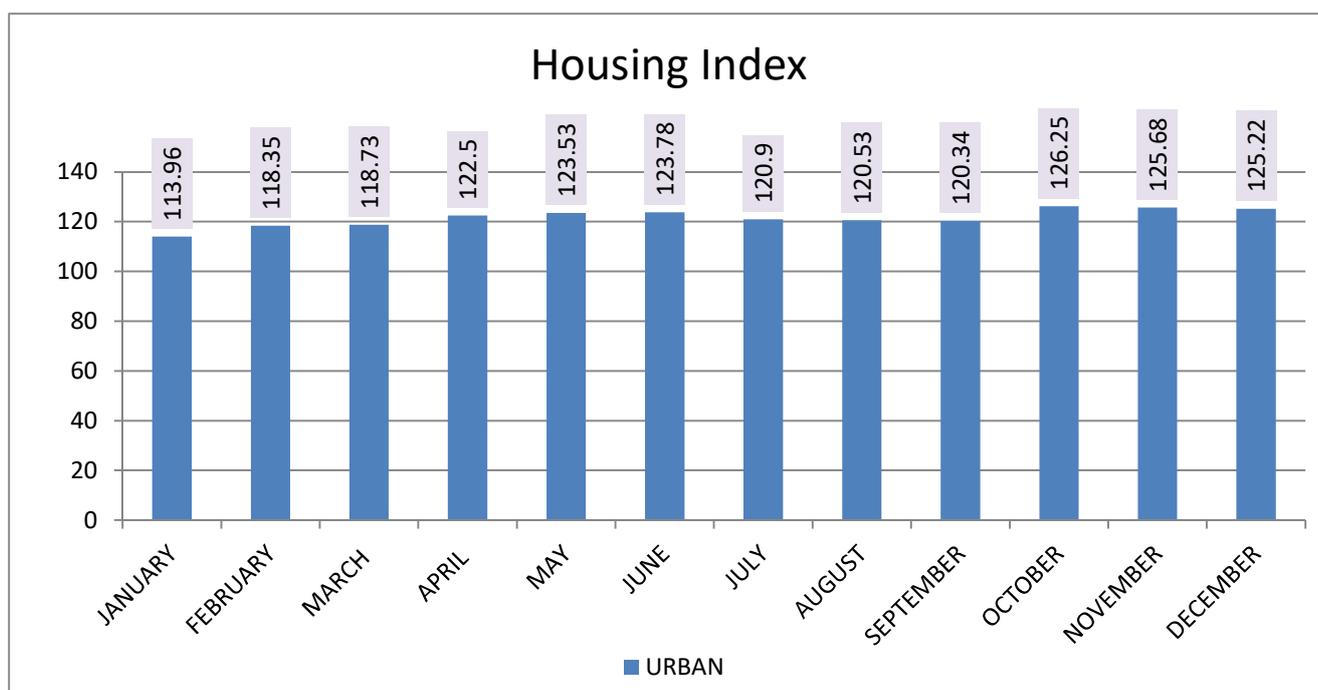
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URBAN Index	124.71	122.92	124.71	127.89	126.84	127.68	127.68	127.84	127.87	128.12	128.12	128.12
RURAL Index	127.52	127.69	127.69	127.69	127.81	127.69	127.69	127.84	127.84	127.84	128.28	128.57



## Housing Index

In Kottayam, the urban index showed significant fluctuations throughout the year. It began at 113.96 in January and rose steadily to 122.5 in April, continuing to 123.78 in June. A decline followed in July through September, reaching 120.34, before increasing again to 126.25 in October. The index then slightly decreased, ending at 125.22 in December. Overall, the year experienced periods of both sharp increases and moderate declines, reflecting variable urban price movements.

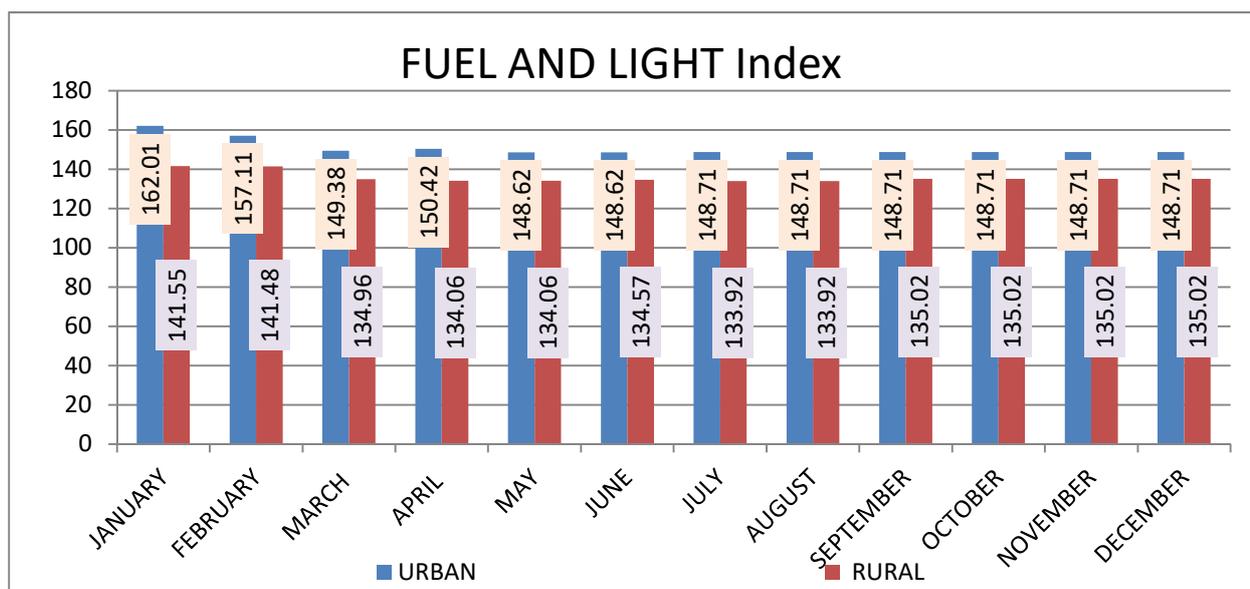
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URBAN Index	113.96	118.35	118.73	122.5	123.53	123.78	120.9	120.53	120.34	126.25	125.68	125.22



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Kottayam, the urban index showed a declining trend in the first half of the year, starting at 162.01 in January and falling to 148.62 by May and June, after which it stabilized at 148.71 for the remainder of the year. The rural index also declined initially, from 141.55 in January to 134.06 in April and May, followed by slight fluctuations, ending the year at 135.02. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced a downward trend early in the year, with stability observed in the latter months.

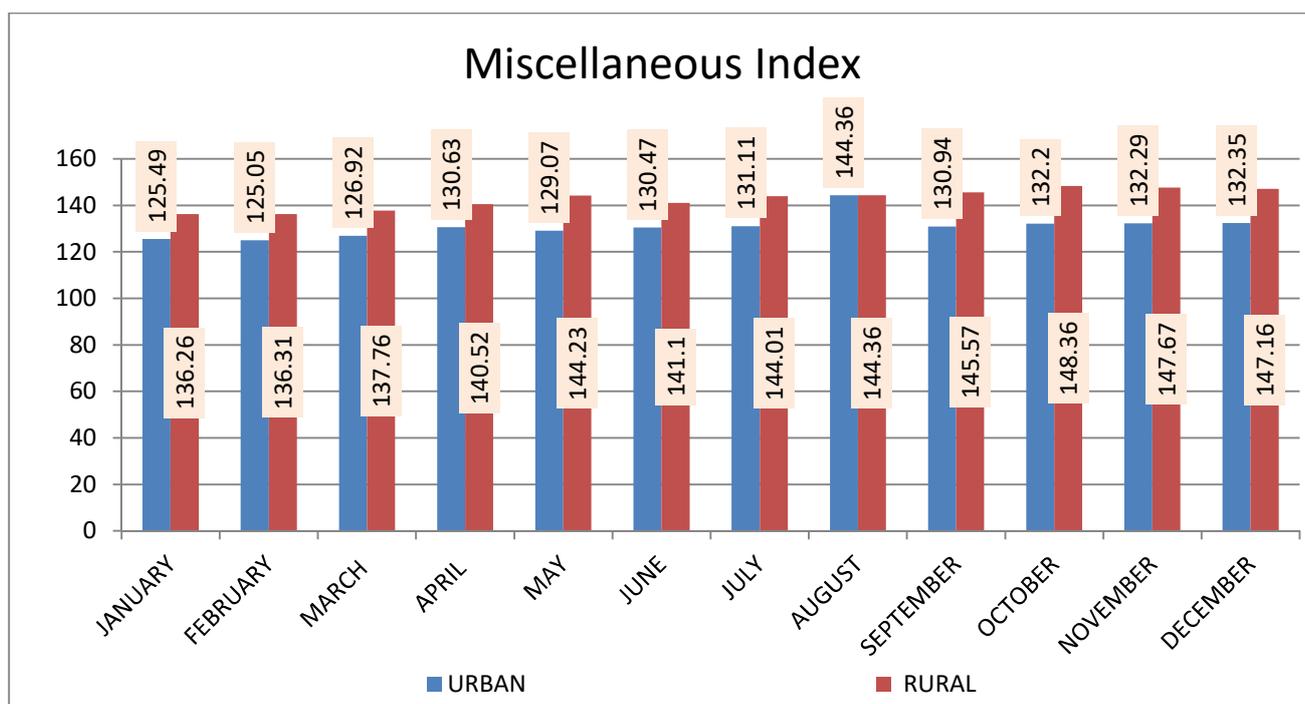
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URBAN Index	162.01	157.11	149.38	150.42	148.62	148.62	148.71	148.71	148.71	148.71	148.71	148.71
RURAL Index	141.55	141.48	134.96	134.06	134.06	134.57	133.92	133.92	135.02	135.02	135.02	135.02



## Miscellaneous Index

In Kottayam, the urban index started at 125.49 in January and showed moderate fluctuations throughout the year, peaking at 144.36 in August before slightly stabilizing around 132 by December. The rural index was consistently higher than the urban index, beginning at 136.26 in January and generally rising throughout the year, reaching a peak of 148.36 in October before slightly declining to 147.16 in December. Overall, both urban and rural areas showed an upward trend, with rural areas experiencing a stronger and more consistent increase.

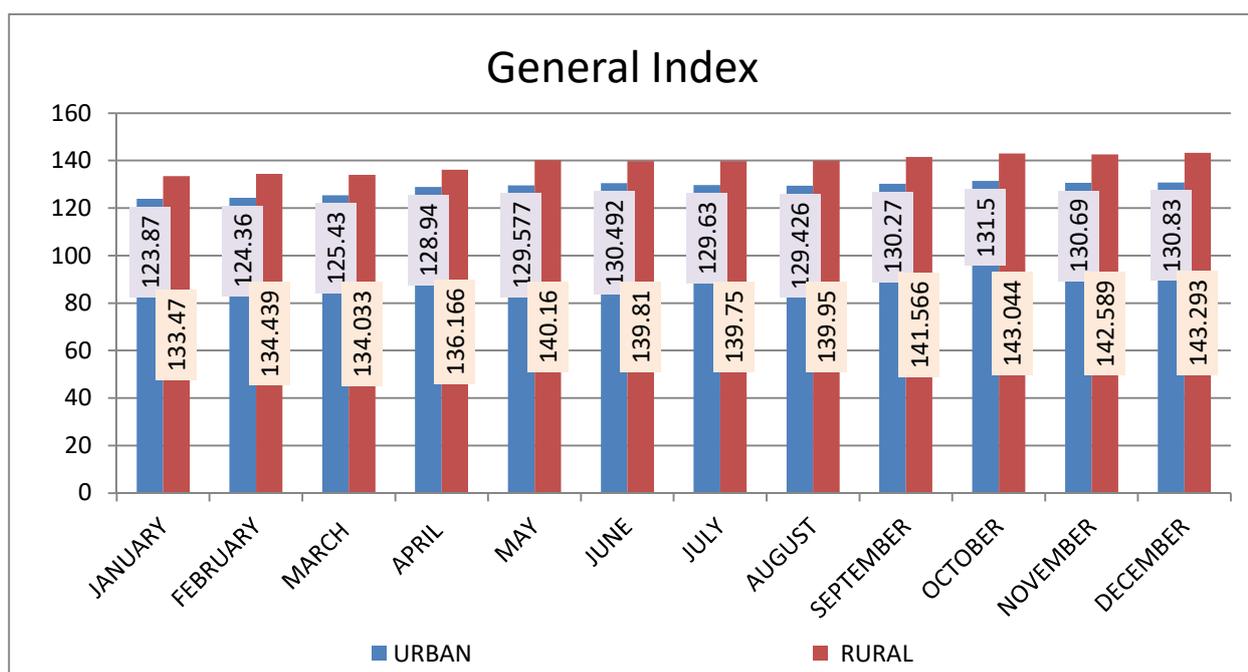
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URBAN Index	125.49	125.05	126.92	130.63	129.07	130.47	131.11	144.36	130.94	132.2	132.29	132.35
RURAL Index	136.26	136.31	137.76	140.52	144.23	141.1	144.01	144.36	145.57	148.36	147.67	147.16



## General Index

In Kottayam, the urban index began at 123.87 in January and showed a gradual upward trend, peaking at 131.5 in October before slightly declining to 130.83 in December. The rural index started higher at 133.47 in January and experienced fluctuations throughout the year, reaching a peak of 143.044 in October, followed by a notable decline to 136.856 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices displayed growth trends, with rural areas maintaining higher values and more pronounced variability compared to urban areas.

KTM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	123.87	124.36	125.43	128.94	129.577	130.492	129.63	129.426	130.27	131.5	130.69	130.83
RURAL Index	133.47	134.439	134.033	136.166	140.16	139.81	139.75	139.95	141.566	143.044	135.955	136.856

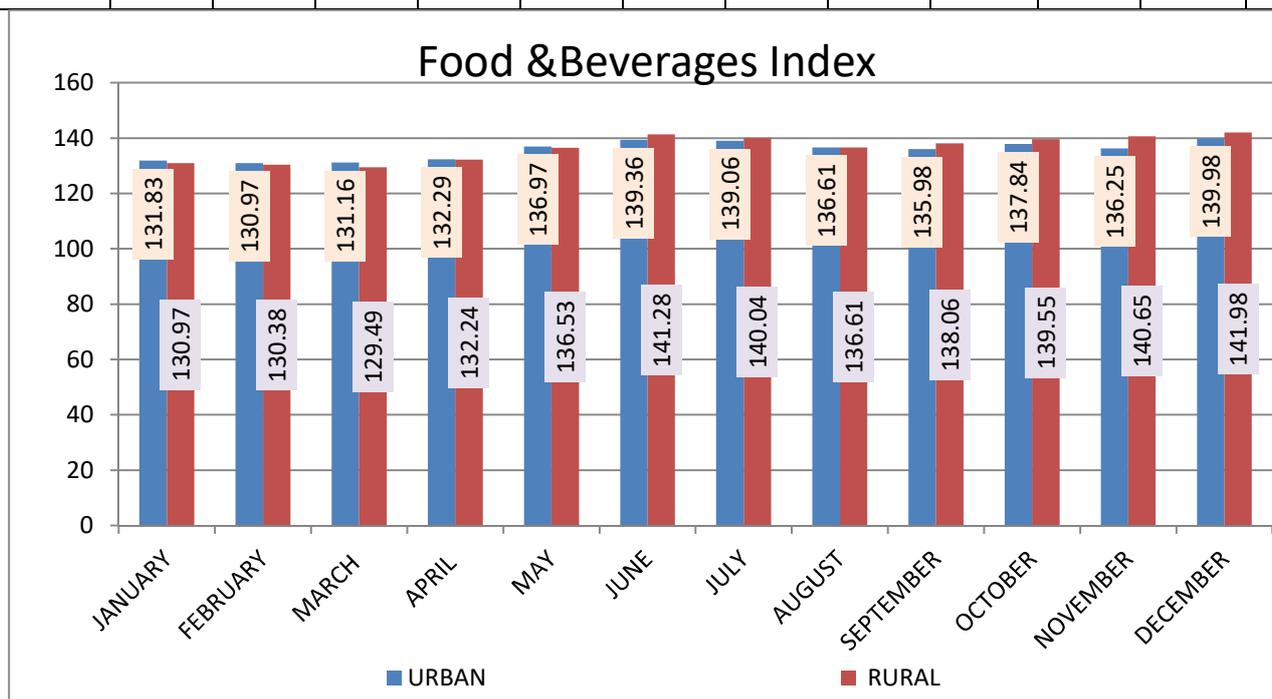


## IDUKKI

### Food & Beverages Index

In Idukki, the urban index started at 131.83 in January and showed a general increasing trend over the year, reaching 139.98 in December, with minor fluctuations in between. The rural index began slightly lower at 130.97 in January but surpassed the urban index from May onwards, peaking at 141.98 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices displayed upward trends, with rural areas experiencing slightly higher growth and more pronounced fluctuations compared to urban areas.

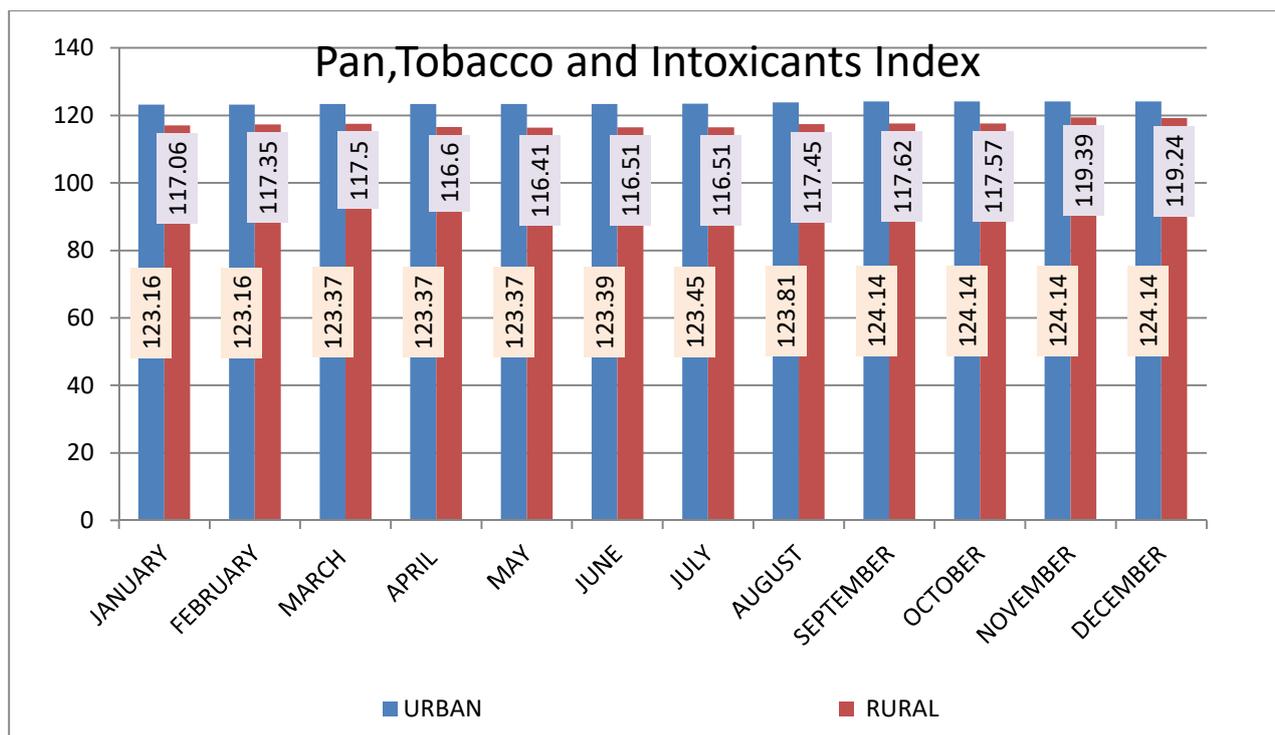
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URBAN Index	131.83	130.97	131.16	132.29	136.97	139.36	139.06	136.61	135.98	137.84	136.25	139.98
RURAL Index	130.97	130.38	129.49	132.24	136.53	141.28	140.04	136.61	138.06	139.55	140.65	141.98



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In Idukki, the urban index remained relatively stable throughout the year, starting at 123.16 in January and gradually rising to 124.14 by December, showing minimal fluctuations. The rural index began lower at 117.06 in January and experienced slight variations over the months, with a notable increase from October, reaching 119.24 in December. Overall, urban areas maintained a consistently higher index than rural areas, while rural areas showed moderate growth, particularly in the latter part of the year.

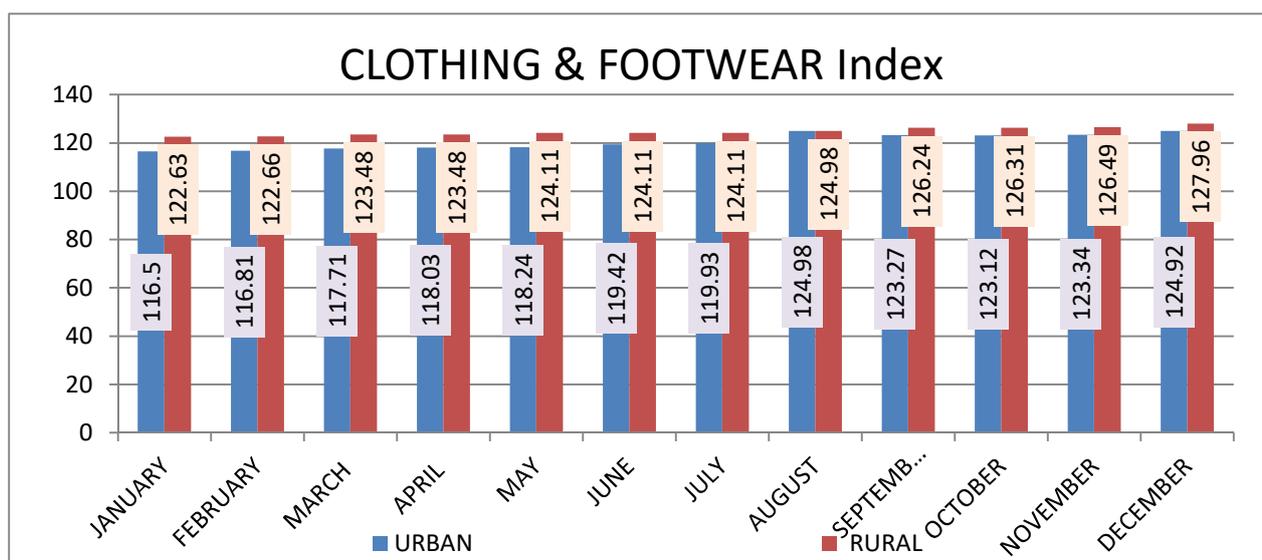
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URBAN Index	123.16	123.16	123.37	123.37	123.37	123.39	123.45	123.81	124.14	124.14	124.14	124.14
RURAL Index	117.06	117.35	117.5	116.6	116.41	116.51	116.51	117.45	117.62	117.57	119.39	119.24



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In Idukki, the urban index showed a steady upward trend throughout the year, starting at 116.5 in January and reaching 124.92 by December, with a notable peak of 124.98 in August. The rural index also increased consistently, beginning at 122.63 in January and rising to 127.96 in December, with a high of 126.49 in November. Overall, rural areas maintained a higher index than urban areas throughout the year, and both regions experienced gradual growth, with the most significant increases occurring between June and December.

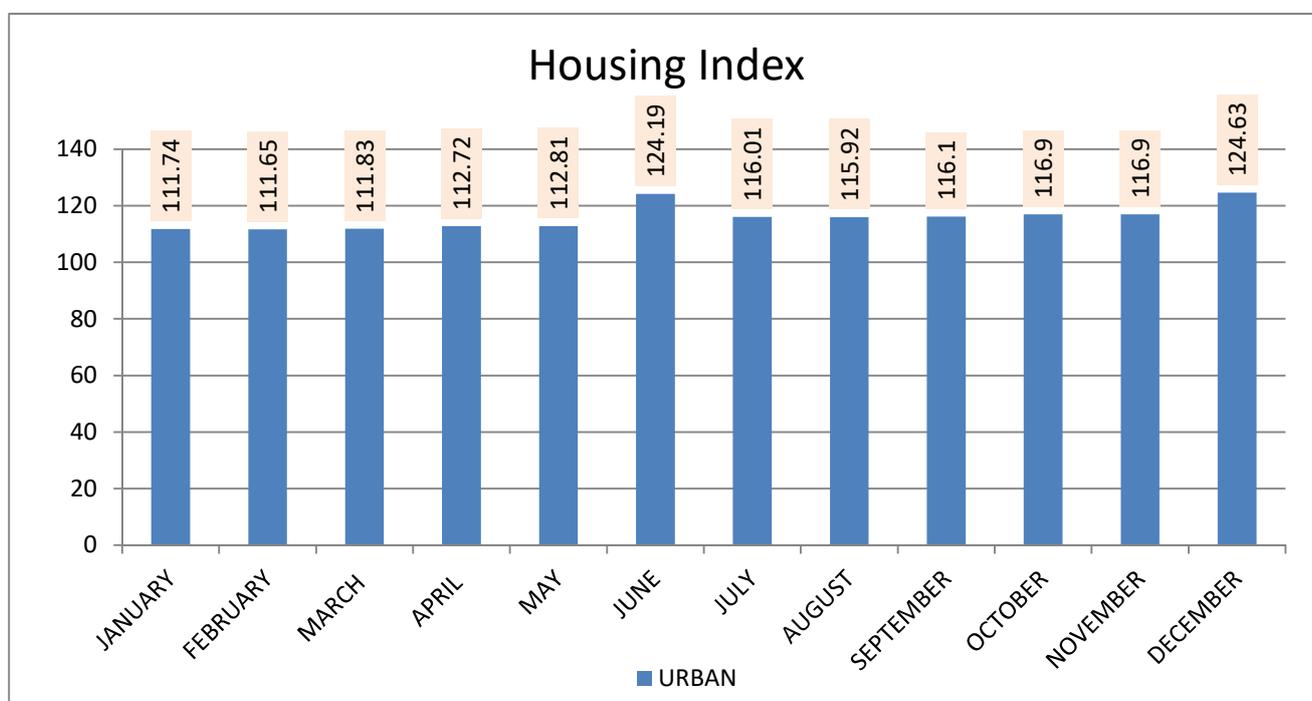
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URBAN Index	116.5	116.81	117.71	118.03	118.24	119.42	119.93	124.98	123.27	123.12	123.34	124.92
RURAL Index	122.63	122.66	123.48	123.48	124.11	124.11	124.11	124.98	126.24	126.31	126.49	127.96



### Housing Index

In Idukki, the urban index showed relatively minor fluctuations during the first half of the year, starting at 111.74 in January and gradually increasing to 112.81 in May. A significant rise occurred in June, reaching 124.19, followed by a decline to 115.92 in August. From September onward, the index remained relatively stable around 116, before peaking again at 124.63 in December. Overall, the data indicate notable spikes in June and December, while the rest of the year saw moderate variations.

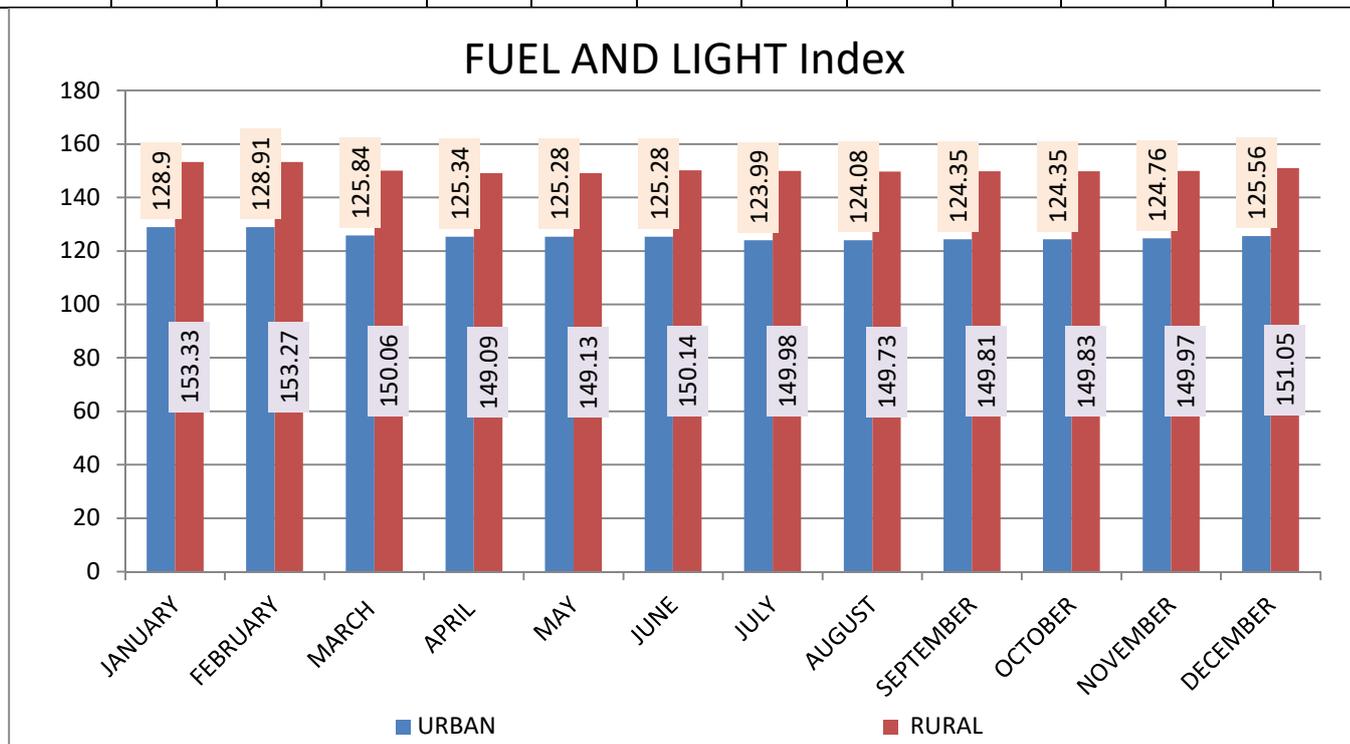
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URBAN Index	111.74	111.65	111.83	112.72	112.81	124.19	116.01	115.92	116.1	116.9	116.9	124.63



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Idukki, the urban index started at 128.9 in January and remained almost steady in February at 128.91. It then declined gradually from March to July, reaching a low of 123.99, followed by a slight recovery to 125.56 in December. The rural index began higher at 153.33 in January and showed a gradual decline until May, stabilizing around 149–150 for most of the year before a minor increase to 151.05 in December. Overall, urban prices experienced a gentle downward trend with slight recovery at year-end, while rural prices remained relatively higher with moderate fluctuations.

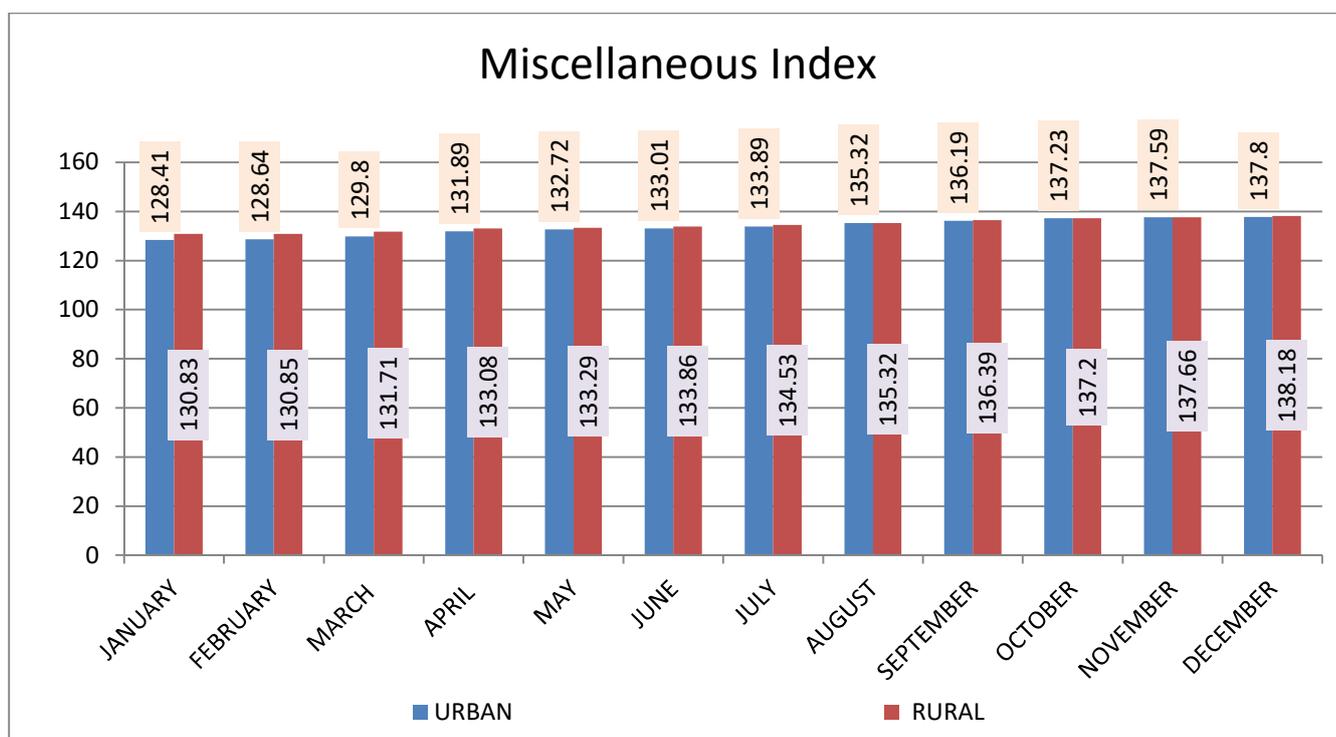
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URBAN Index	128.9	128.91	125.84	125.34	125.28	125.28	123.99	124.08	124.35	124.35	124.76	125.56
RURAL Index	153.33	153.27	150.06	149.09	149.13	150.14	149.98	149.73	149.81	149.83	149.97	151.05



### Miscellaneous Index

In Idukki, the urban index showed a consistent upward trend throughout the year, starting at 128.41 in January and steadily rising to 137.8 by December. Similarly, the rural index followed a parallel trajectory, beginning at 130.83 in January and increasing gradually to reach 138.18 in December. Both urban and rural areas experienced continuous growth in prices over the year, with rural prices remaining slightly higher than urban prices throughout.

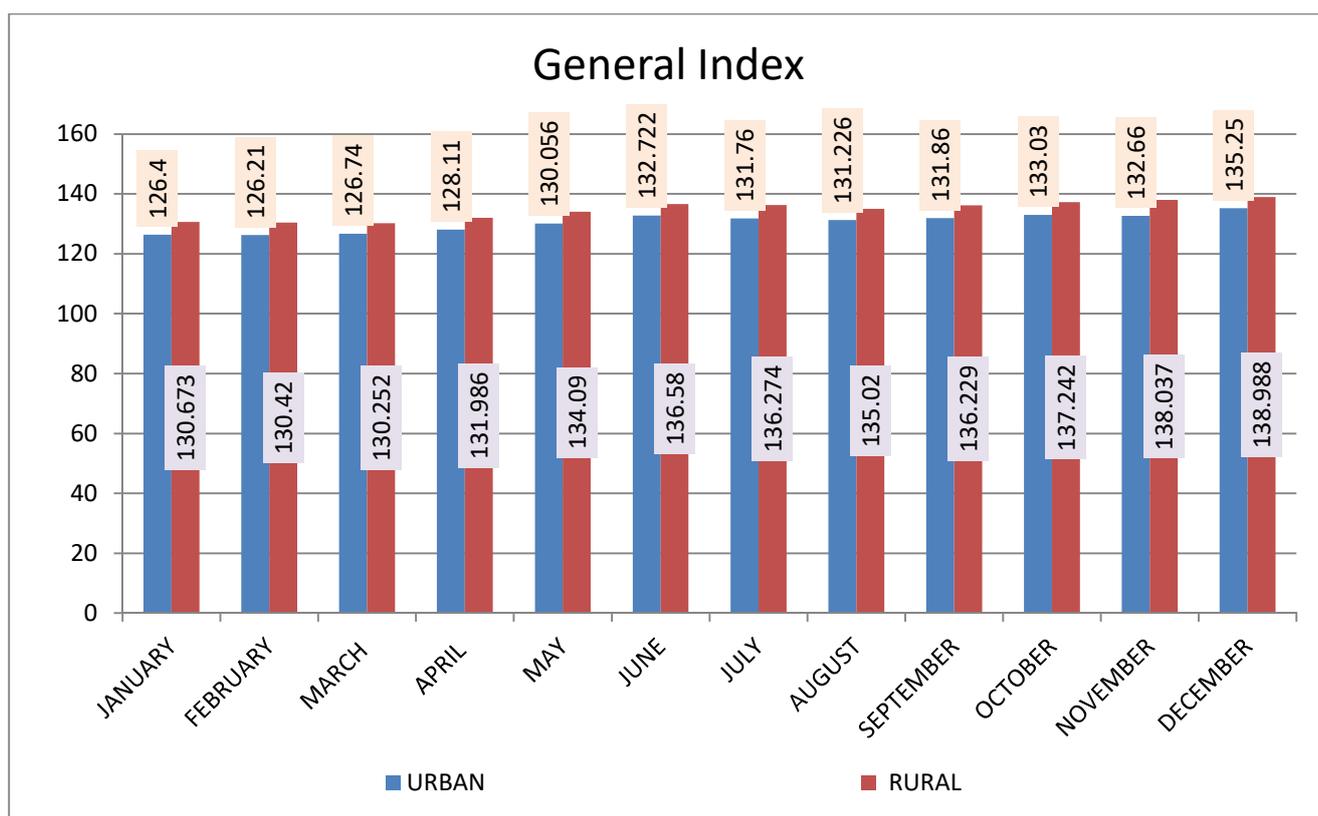
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URBAN Index	128.41	128.64	129.8	131.89	132.72	133.01	133.89	135.32	136.19	137.23	137.59	137.8
RURAL Index	130.83	130.85	131.71	133.08	133.29	133.86	134.53	135.32	136.39	137.2	137.66	138.18



### General Index

In Idukki, the urban price index showed a generally upward trend over the year, starting at 126.4 in January and rising to 135.25 by December, with minor fluctuations in mid-year months. The rural index followed a similar increasing pattern, beginning at 130.673 in January and reaching 138.988 in December, consistently staying above the urban index. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced gradual price growth throughout the year, with rural prices slightly higher than urban prices at all times.

IDK	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.4	126.21	126.74	128.11	130.056	132.722	131.76	131.226	131.86	133.03	132.66	135.25
RURAL Index	130.673	130.42	130.252	131.986	134.09	136.58	136.274	135.02	136.229	137.242	138.037	138.988

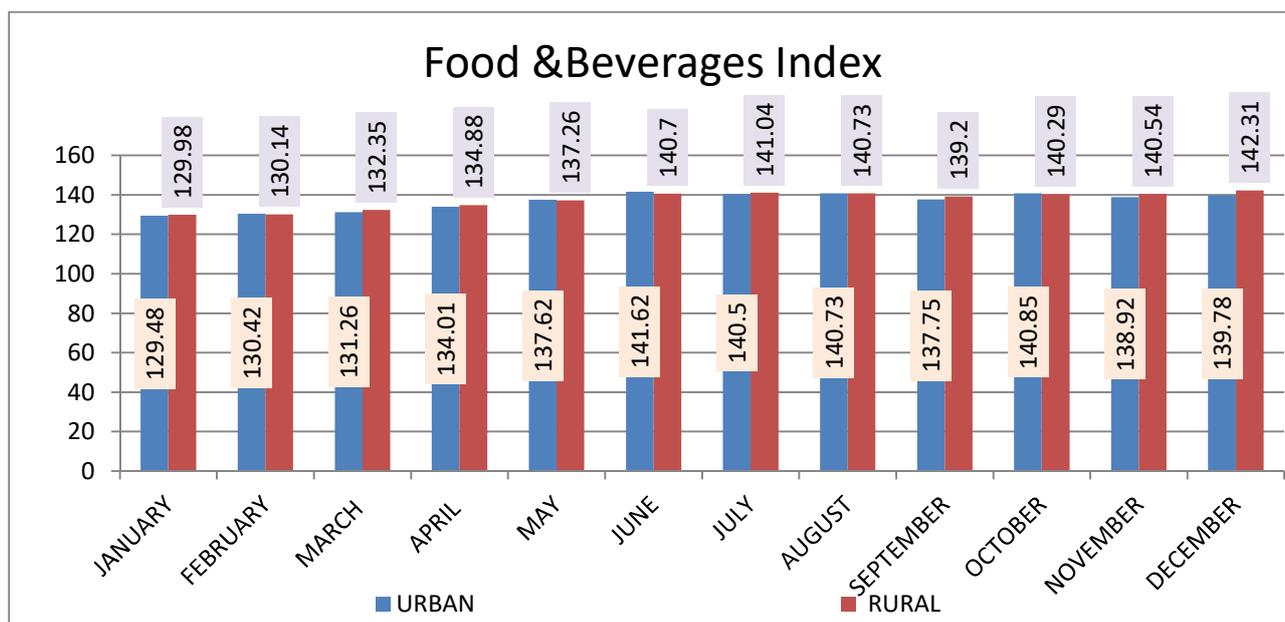


## ERNAKULAM

### Food & Beverages Index

In Ernakulam, both urban and rural price indices exhibited an overall rising trend throughout the year. The urban index started at 129.48 in January and increased to 139.78 in December, with notable peaks in June (141.62) and July (140.5). The rural index began slightly higher at 129.98 in January and rose steadily to 142.31 in December, maintaining slightly higher values than the urban index for most months. Both urban and rural areas experienced moderate fluctuations, but the overall movement indicates a gradual increase in prices over the year.

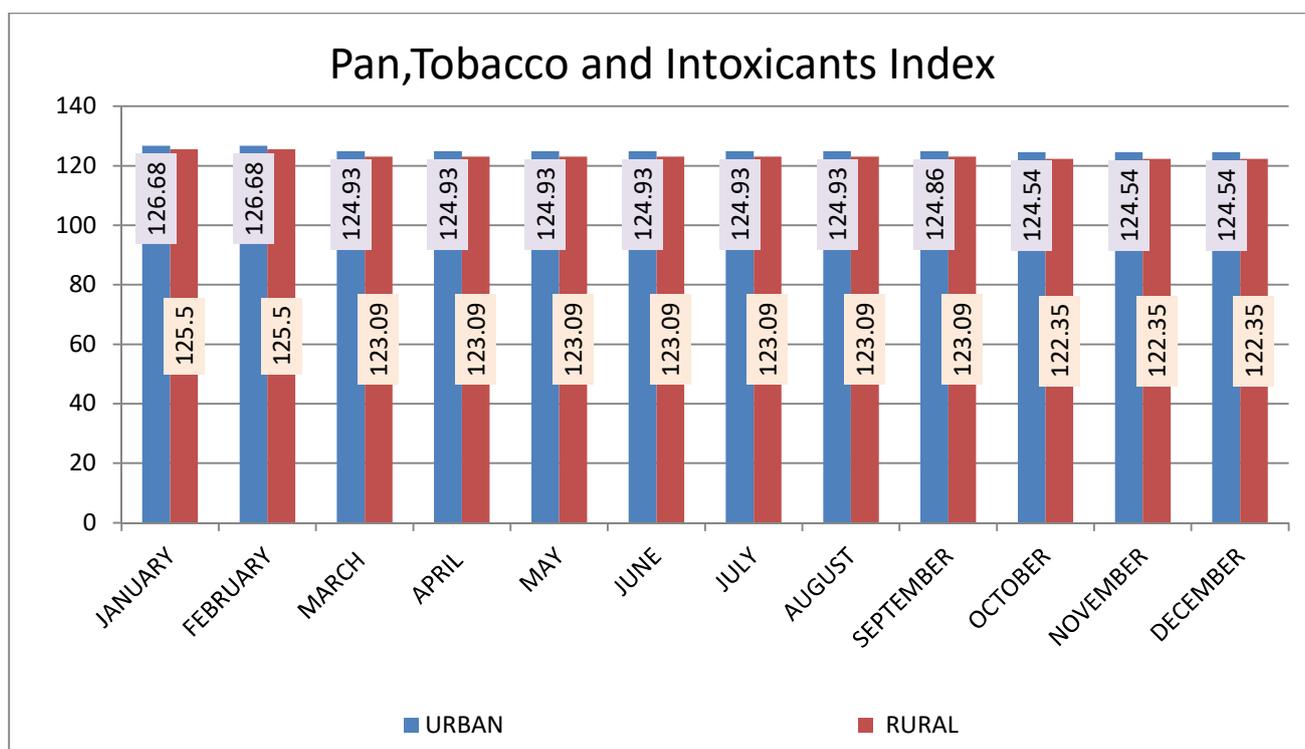
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URBAN Index	129.48	130.42	131.26	134.01	137.62	141.62	140.5	140.73	137.75	140.85	138.92	139.78
RURAL Index	129.98	130.14	132.35	134.88	137.26	140.7	141.04	140.73	139.2	140.29	140.54	142.31



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In Ernakulam, the price indices for both urban and rural areas remained relatively stable throughout the year, with only slight fluctuations. The urban index started at 126.68 in January and gradually declined to 124.54 by December, while the rural index began at 125.5 and decreased to 122.35 by year-end. Overall, both urban and rural indices show minor downward trends, indicating a slight reduction in prices over the year.

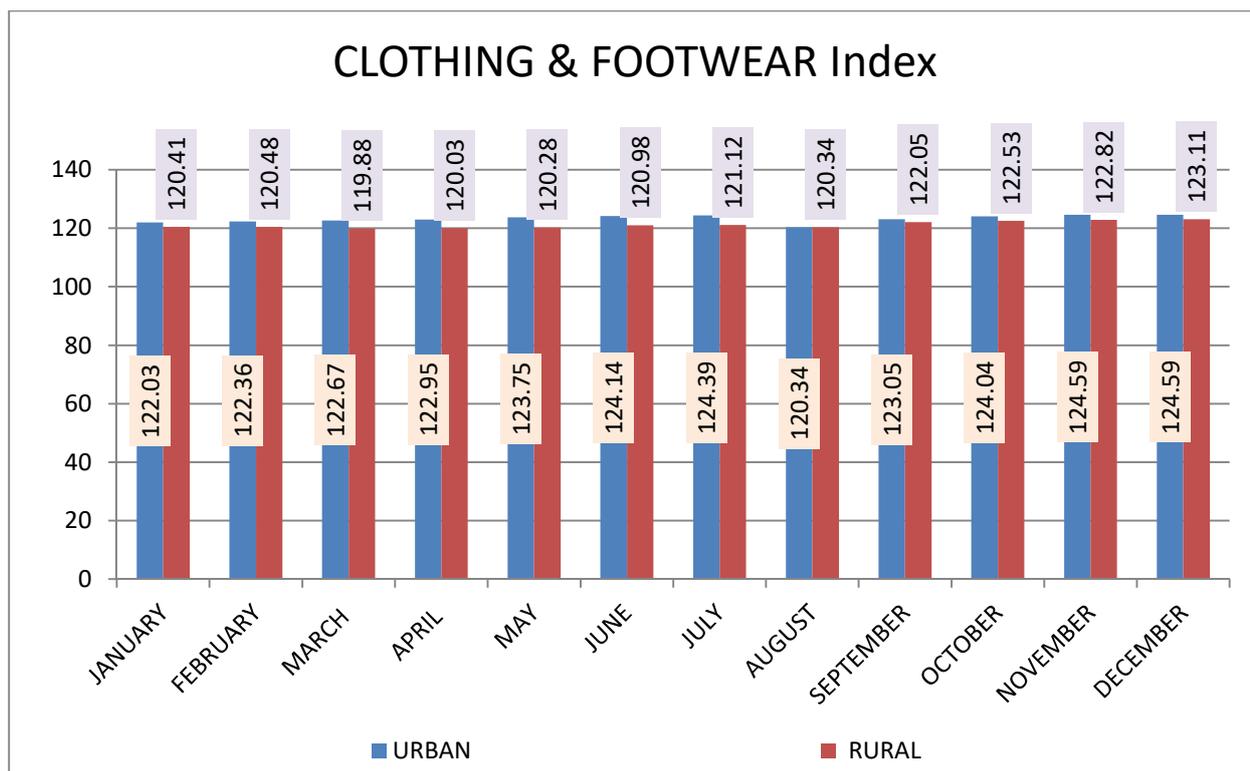
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URBAN Index	126.68	126.68	124.93	124.93	124.93	124.93	124.93	124.93	124.86	124.54	124.54	124.54
RURAL Index	125.5	125.5	123.09	123.09	123.09	123.09	123.09	123.09	123.09	122.35	122.35	122.35



### CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR Index

In Ernakulam, the food and beverages price indices for both urban and rural areas show moderate fluctuations throughout the year. The urban index started at 122.03 in January and gradually increased to 124.59 by December, with a slight dip to 120.34 in August. Similarly, the rural index began at 120.41 and rose steadily to 123.11 by the end of the year, showing minor decreases in March and April. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced a gradual upward trend in prices over the year, with occasional small declines.

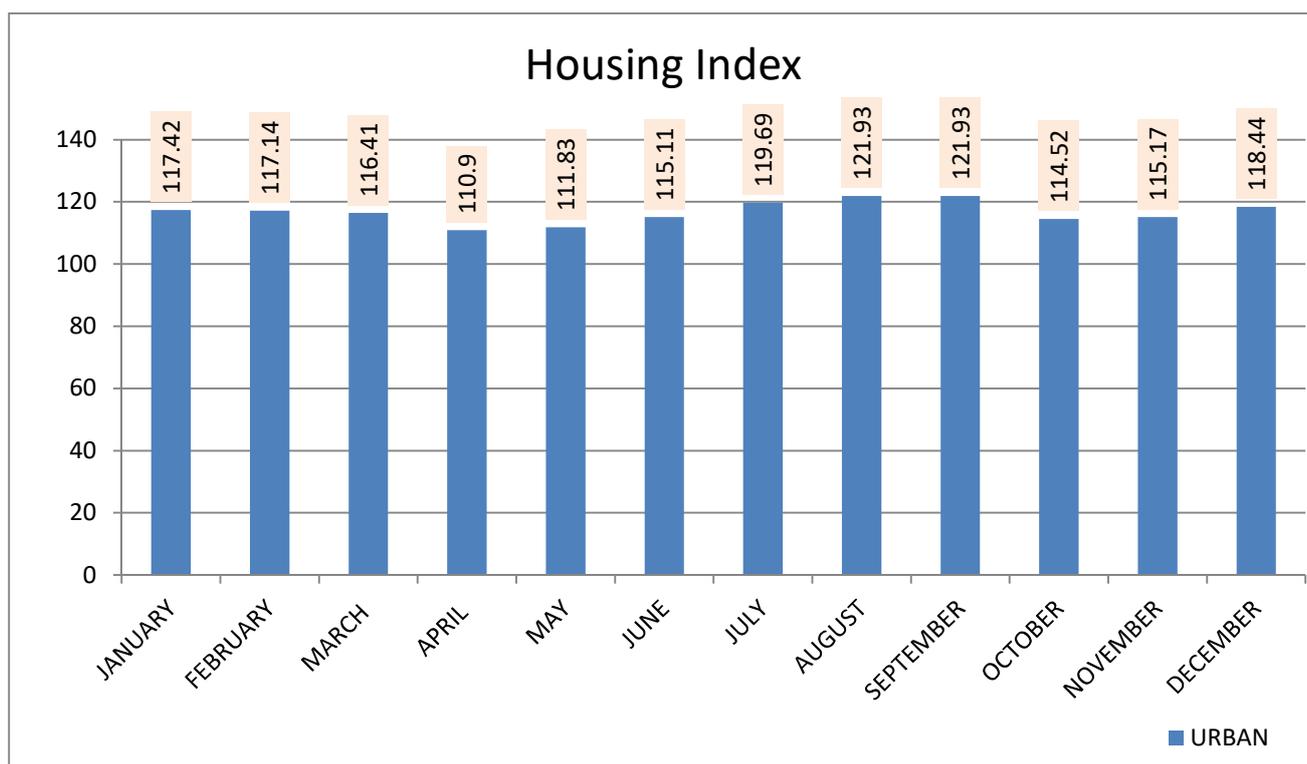
EKM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	122.03	122.36	122.67	122.95	123.75	124.14	124.39	120.34	123.05	124.04	124.59	124.59
RURAL Index	120.41	120.48	119.88	120.03	120.28	120.98	121.12	120.34	122.05	122.53	122.82	123.11



### Housing Index

In Ernakulam, the price index for the given category in urban areas shows notable fluctuations over the year. It started at 117.42 in January and gradually declined to 110.9 in April, reflecting a period of price reduction. From May onwards, the index increased steadily, reaching a peak of 121.93 in August and September. This was followed by a decline to 114.52 in October before rising again to 118.44 in December. Overall, the urban area experienced both downward and upward movements, indicating moderate price volatility throughout the year.

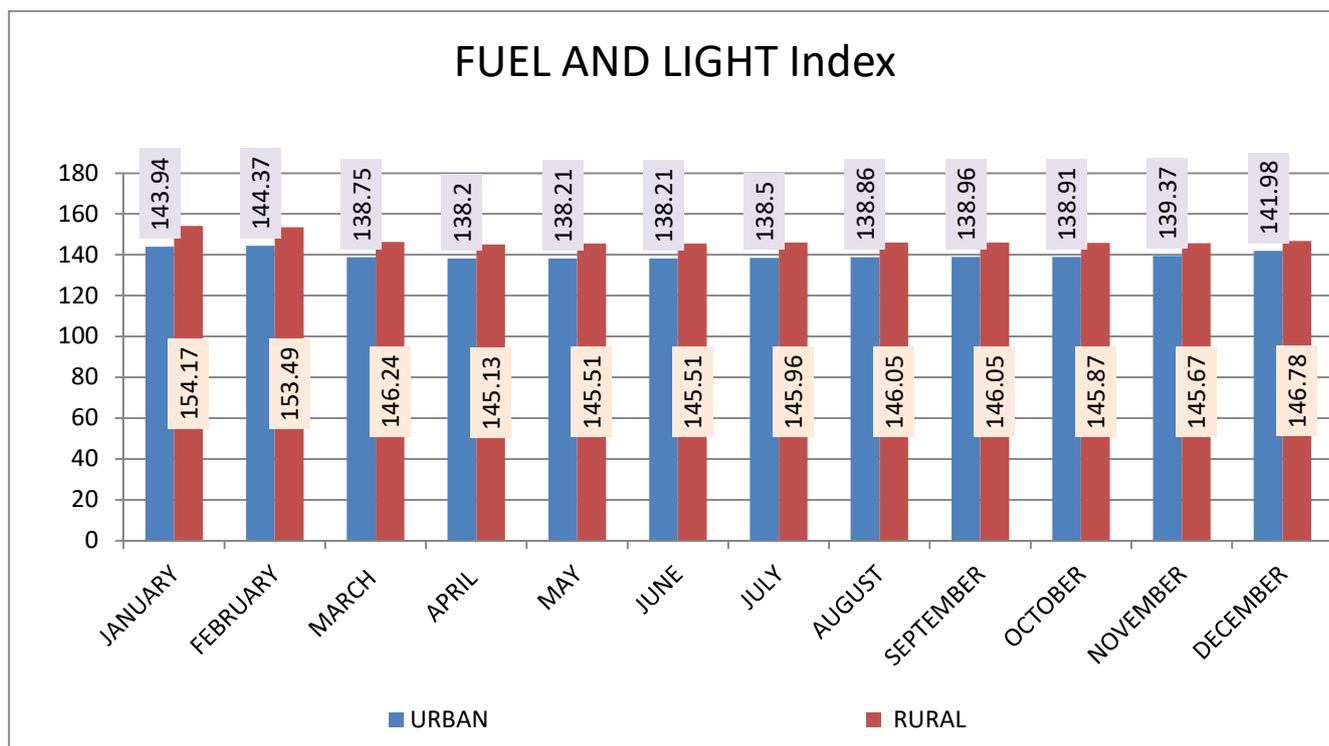
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URBAN Index	117.42	117.14	116.41	110.9	111.83	115.11	119.69	121.93	121.93	114.52	115.17	118.44



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Ernakulam, the price index shows distinct patterns in urban and rural areas throughout the year. In urban areas, the index began at 143.94 in January and slightly increased to 144.37 in February, followed by a sharp decline to 138.2 by April. From May onwards, the index remained relatively stable around 138–139, ending the year at 141.98 in December. In rural areas, the index started higher at 154.17 in January and gradually decreased to 145.13 in April. After April, the rural index remained mostly steady around 145–146, closing the year at 146.78 in December. Overall, both urban and rural areas experienced a decline in the first few months, followed by a period of stability, with rural prices consistently higher than urban prices throughout the year.

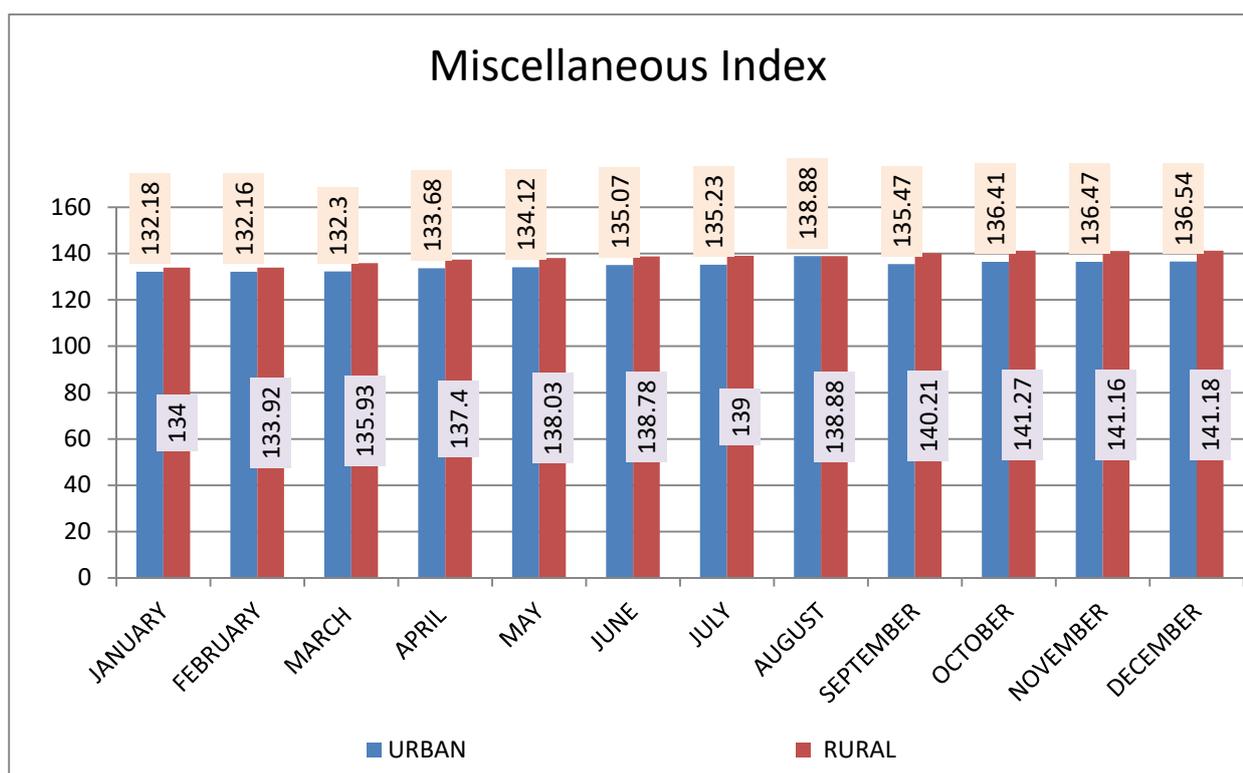
EKM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	143.94	144.37	138.75	138.2	138.21	138.21	138.5	138.86	138.96	138.91	139.37	141.98
RURAL Index	154.17	153.49	146.24	145.13	145.51	145.51	145.96	146.05	146.05	145.87	145.67	146.78



### Miscellaneous Index

In Ernakulam, the price index for urban areas started at 132.18 in January and remained almost stable in February and March. It rose gradually from April, reaching 138.88 in August, before slightly fluctuating and ending the year at 136.54 in December. In rural areas, the index began at 134 in January and showed a steady increase throughout the year, peaking at 141.27 in October and closing at 141.18 in December. Overall, rural prices were consistently higher than urban prices, and both areas experienced moderate upward trends over the year, with rural areas showing slightly stronger growth.

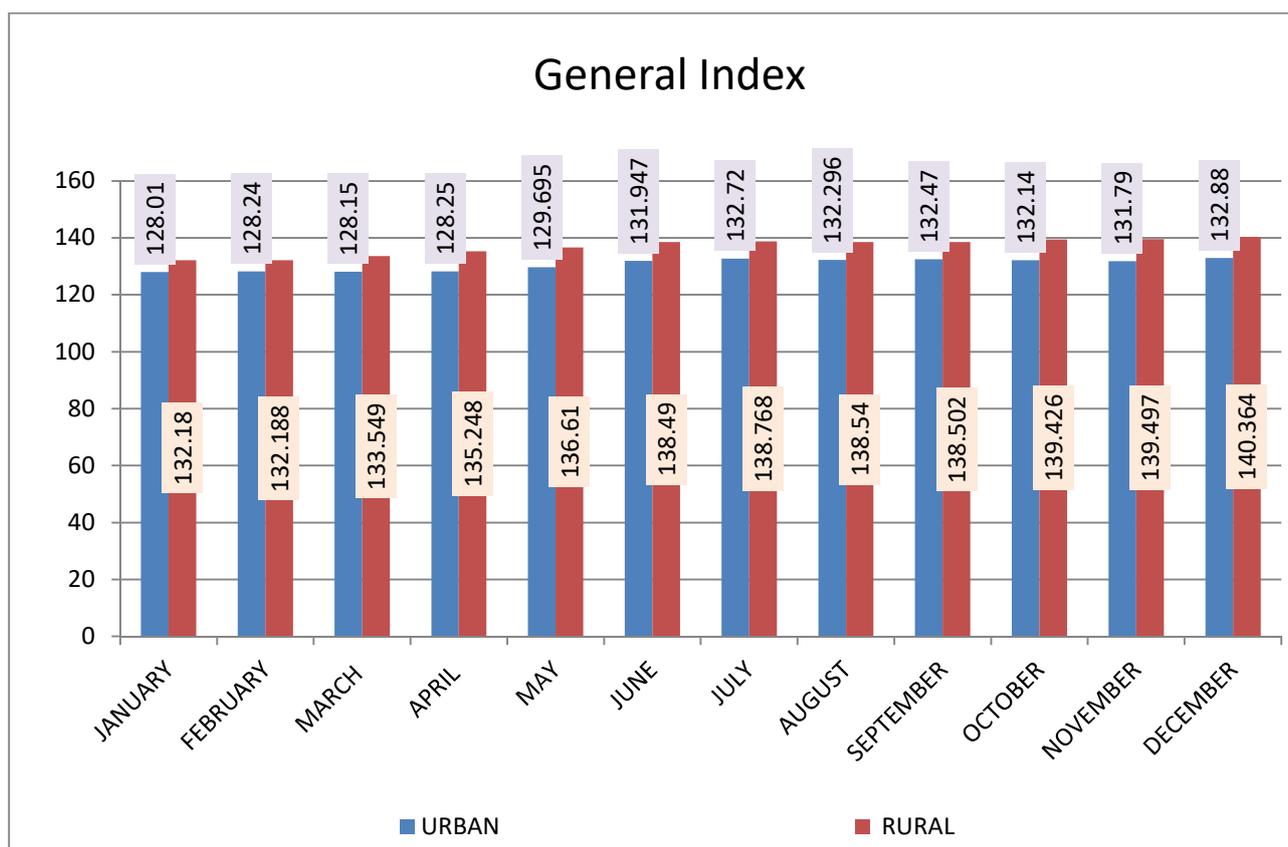
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URBAN Index	132.18	132.16	132.3	133.68	134.12	135.07	135.23	138.88	135.47	136.41	136.47	136.54
RURAL Index	134	133.92	135.93	137.4	138.03	138.78	139	138.88	140.21	141.27	141.16	141.18



### General Index

In Ernakulam, the urban price index began at 128.01 in January and remained fairly stable through April. From May onwards, it showed a steady upward trend, peaking at 132.88 in December. Rural prices started higher at 132.18 in January and exhibited a more consistent rise throughout the year, reaching 140.36 in December. Overall, rural areas consistently recorded higher prices than urban areas, and both regions showed moderate to significant upward trends over the year, with rural prices rising more sharply.

EKM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	128.01	128.24	128.15	128.25	129.695	131.947	132.72	132.296	132.47	132.14	131.79	132.88
RURAL Index	132.18	132.188	133.549	135.248	136.61	138.49	138.768	138.54	138.502	139.426	139.497	140.364

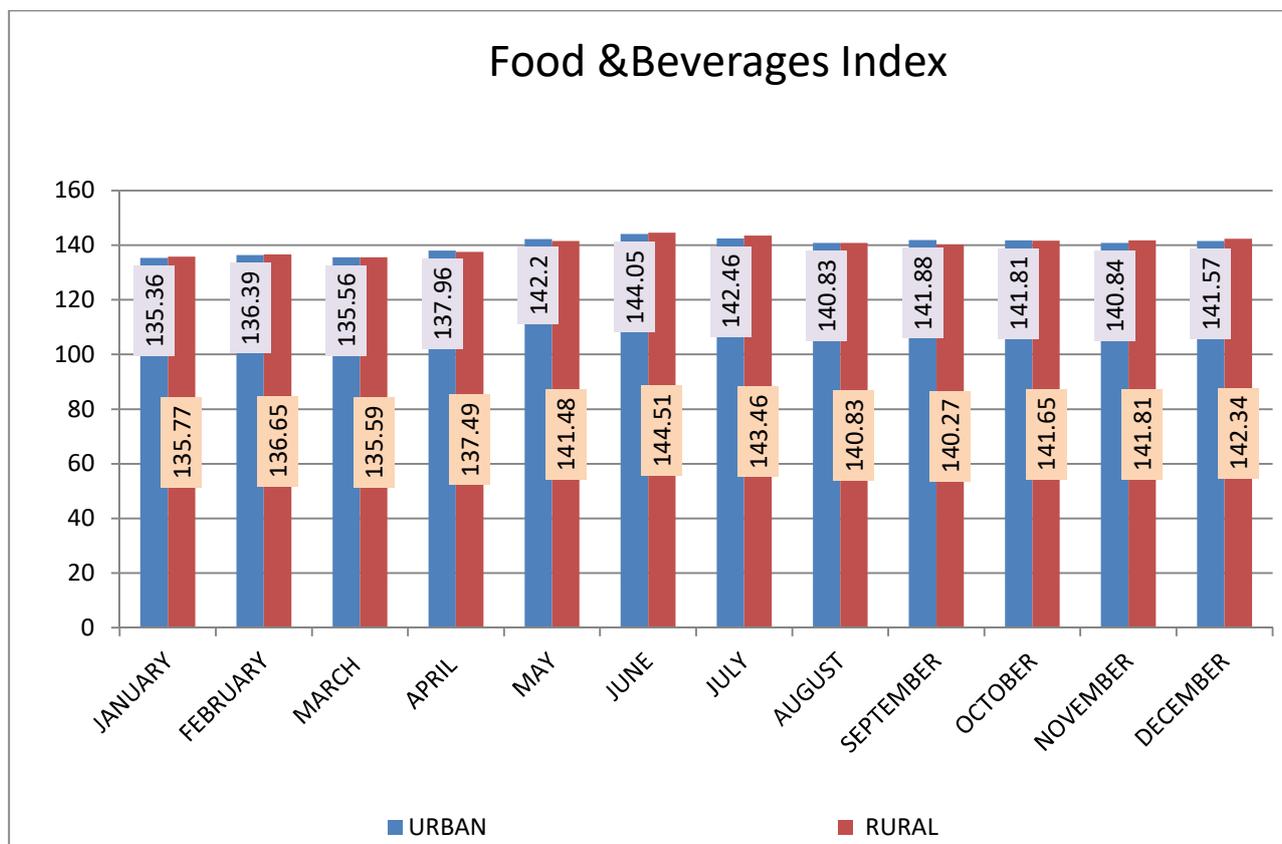


## THRISSUR

### Food & Beverages Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index started at 135.36 in January and experienced gradual increases, peaking at 144.05 in June, before stabilizing around 140–142 in the latter months, ending at 141.57 in December. Rural prices began slightly higher at 135.77 in January and followed a similar pattern, reaching 144.51 in June and then moderating, finishing at 142.34 in December. Overall, rural prices remained marginally higher than urban prices throughout the year, and both areas showed noticeable increases in the middle of the year, followed by relative stabilization toward the year-end.

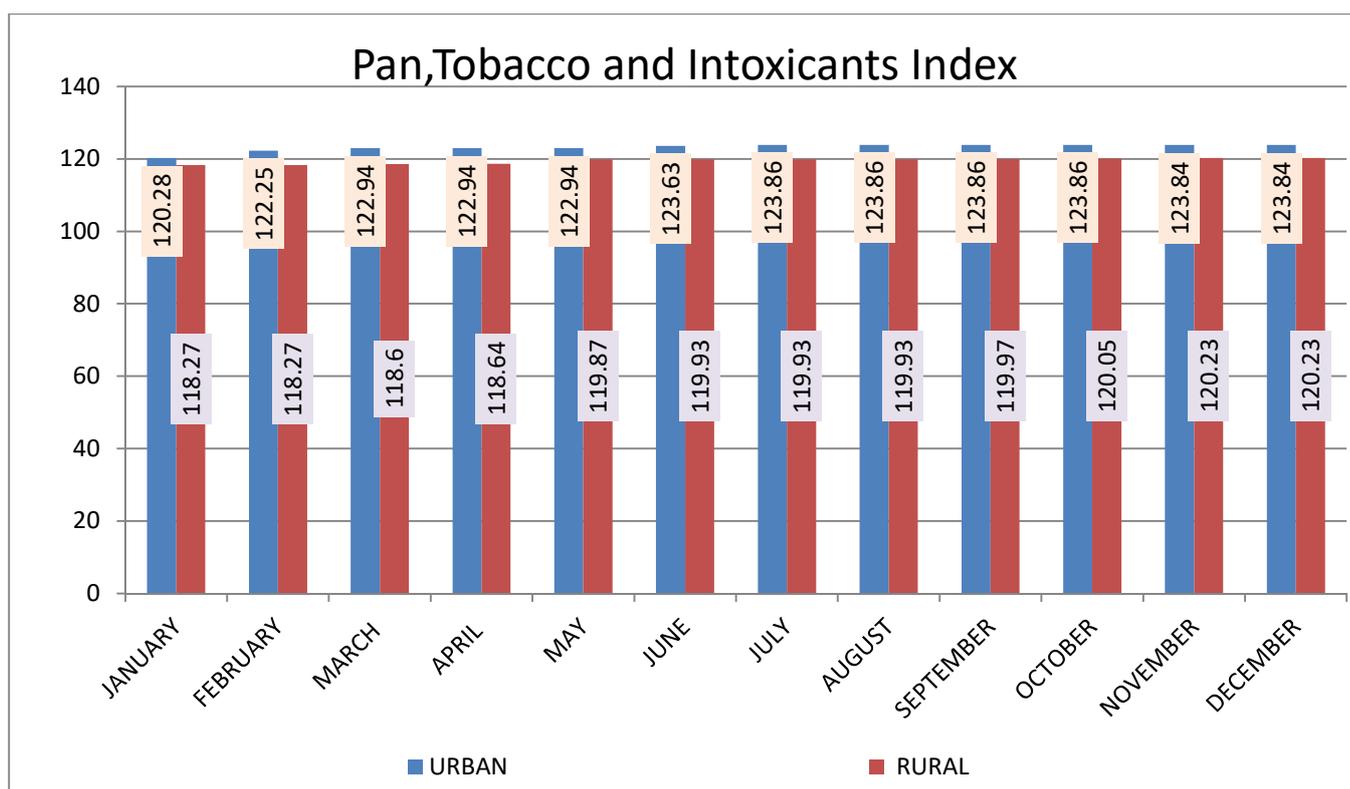
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URBAN Index	135.36	136.39	135.56	137.96	142.2	144.05	142.46	140.83	141.88	141.81	140.84	141.57
RURAL Index	135.77	136.65	135.59	137.49	141.48	144.51	143.46	140.83	140.27	141.65	141.81	142.34



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index began at 120.28 in January and showed a gradual increase, reaching a peak of 123.86 between July and September, before slightly declining to 123.84 in November and December. Rural prices started lower at 118.27 in January and increased steadily throughout the year, ending at 120.23 in December. Overall, urban prices remained consistently higher than rural prices, with both showing moderate and stable growth over the year.

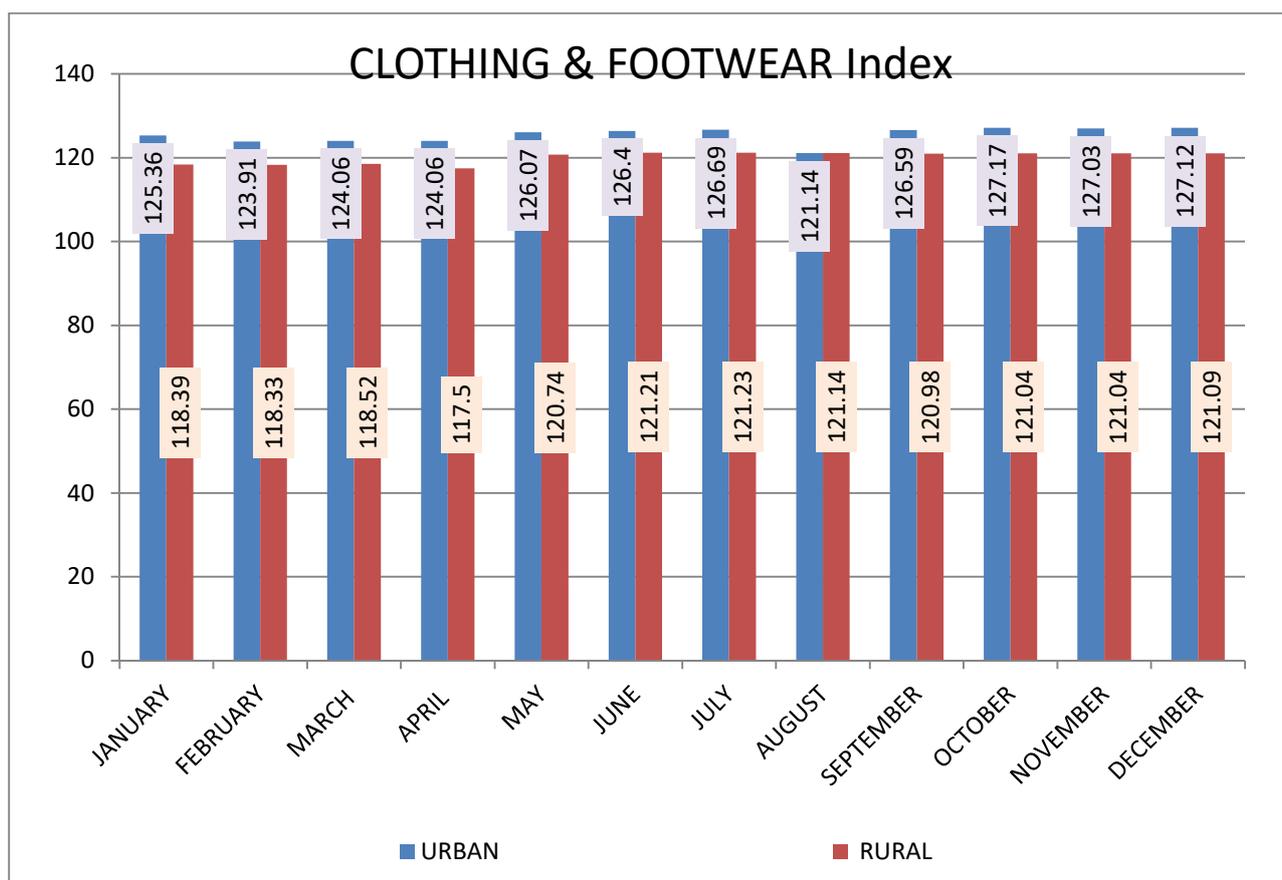
THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	120.28	122.25	122.94	122.94	122.94	123.63	123.86	123.86	123.86	123.86	123.84	123.84
RURAL Index	118.27	118.27	118.6	118.64	119.87	119.93	119.93	119.93	119.97	120.05	120.23	120.23



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index started at 125.36 in January and experienced slight fluctuations throughout the year, dipping to 121.14 in August before rising again to reach 127.12 in December. Rural prices began lower at 118.39 in January and remained relatively stable, with a gradual increase to 121.09 by December. Overall, urban prices were consistently higher than rural prices, with both showing moderate variations and a general upward trend toward the end of the year.

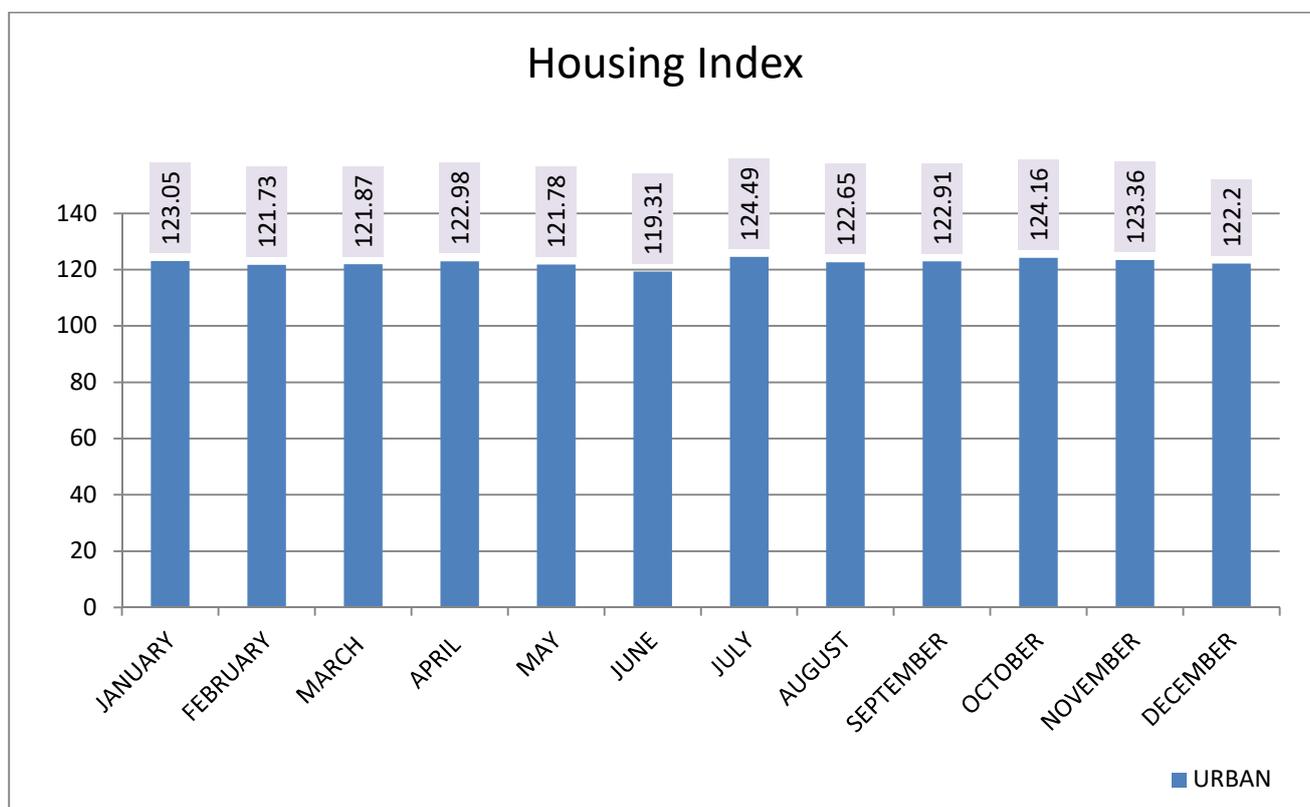
THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.36	123.91	124.06	124.06	126.07	126.4	126.69	121.14	126.59	127.17	127.03	127.12
RURAL Index	118.39	118.33	118.52	117.5	120.74	121.21	121.23	121.14	120.98	121.04	121.04	121.09



### Housing Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index started at 123.05 in January and showed fluctuations throughout the year. It declined to a low of 119.31 in June, then rose to 124.49 in July, before gradually stabilizing around 122–124 for the remaining months, ending at 122.2 in December. Overall, the index exhibited moderate variation with a slight downward trend in the mid-year followed by a recovery in the later months.

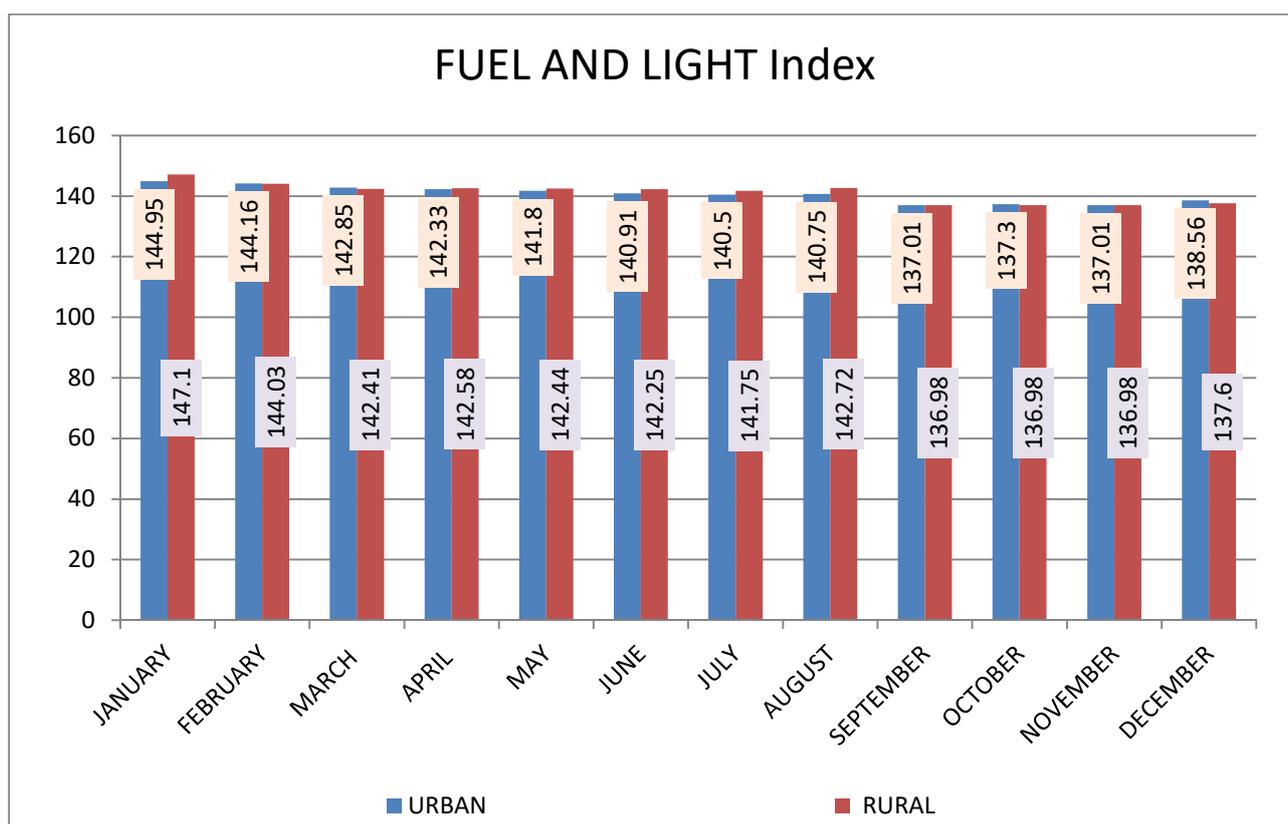
THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	123.05	121.73	121.87	122.98	121.78	119.31	124.49	122.65	122.91	124.16	123.36	122.2



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index started at 144.95 in January and gradually declined over the first half of the year, reaching 140.5 in July. From August onwards, it further decreased to 137.01 in September and November, before slightly rising to 138.56 in December. The rural index followed a similar pattern, starting at 147.1 in January, gradually declining to 141.75 in July, dropping sharply to 136.98 from September to November, and ending at 137.6 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices show a steady decline through the year with minor recoveries towards December.

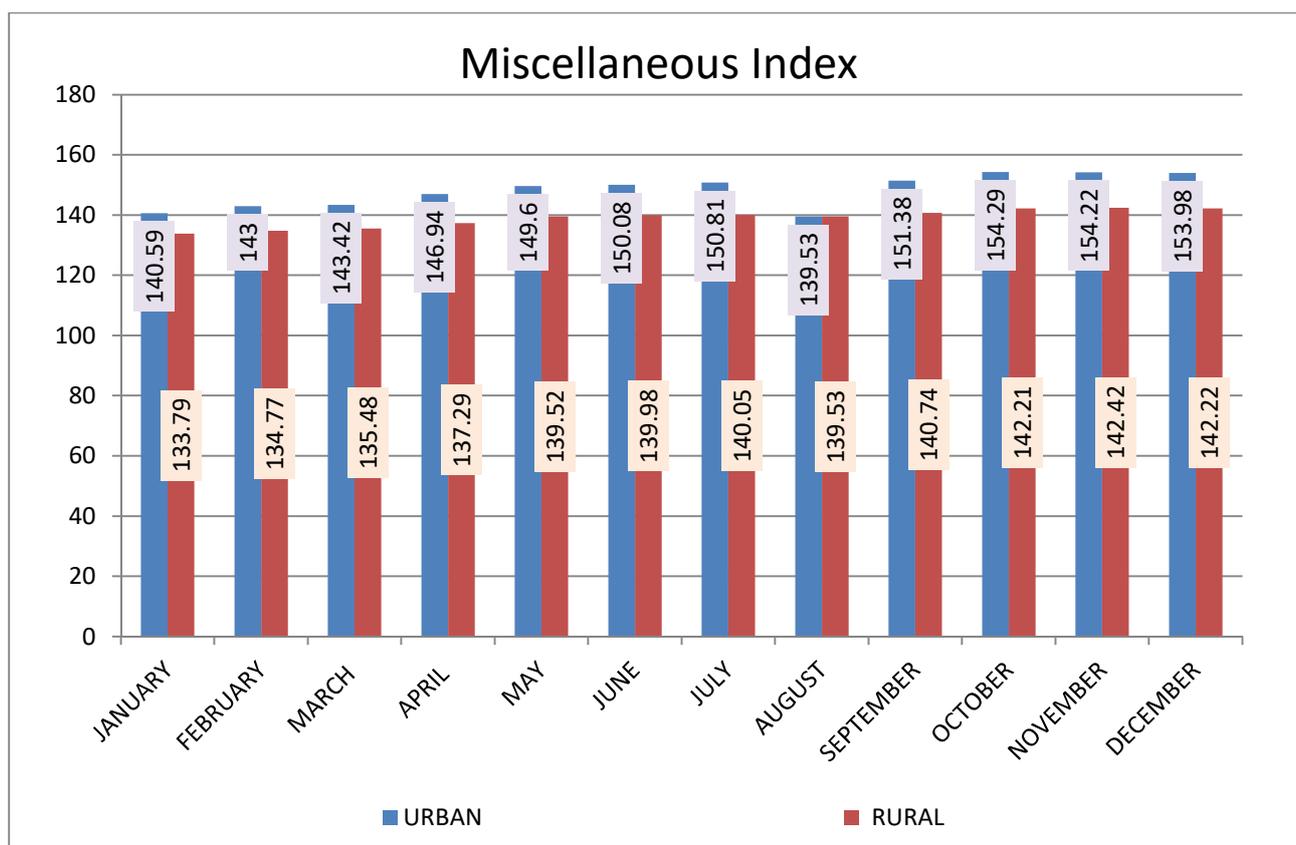
THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	144.95	144.16	142.85	142.33	141.8	140.91	140.5	140.75	137.01	137.3	137.01	138.56
RURAL Index	147.1	144.03	142.41	142.58	142.44	142.25	141.75	142.72	136.98	136.98	136.98	137.6



### Miscellaneous

In Thrissur, the urban price index showed a rising trend in the first half of the year, starting at 140.59 in January and reaching 150.81 in July. However, in August it dipped to 139.53 before climbing again to a peak of 154.29 in October, and then slightly declining to 153.98 in December. The rural index also showed a steady upward trend, starting at 133.79 in January and gradually increasing to 140.05 in July, with minor fluctuations in the following months, ending at 142.22 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices indicate a significant rise over the year, with the urban index showing more pronounced fluctuations.

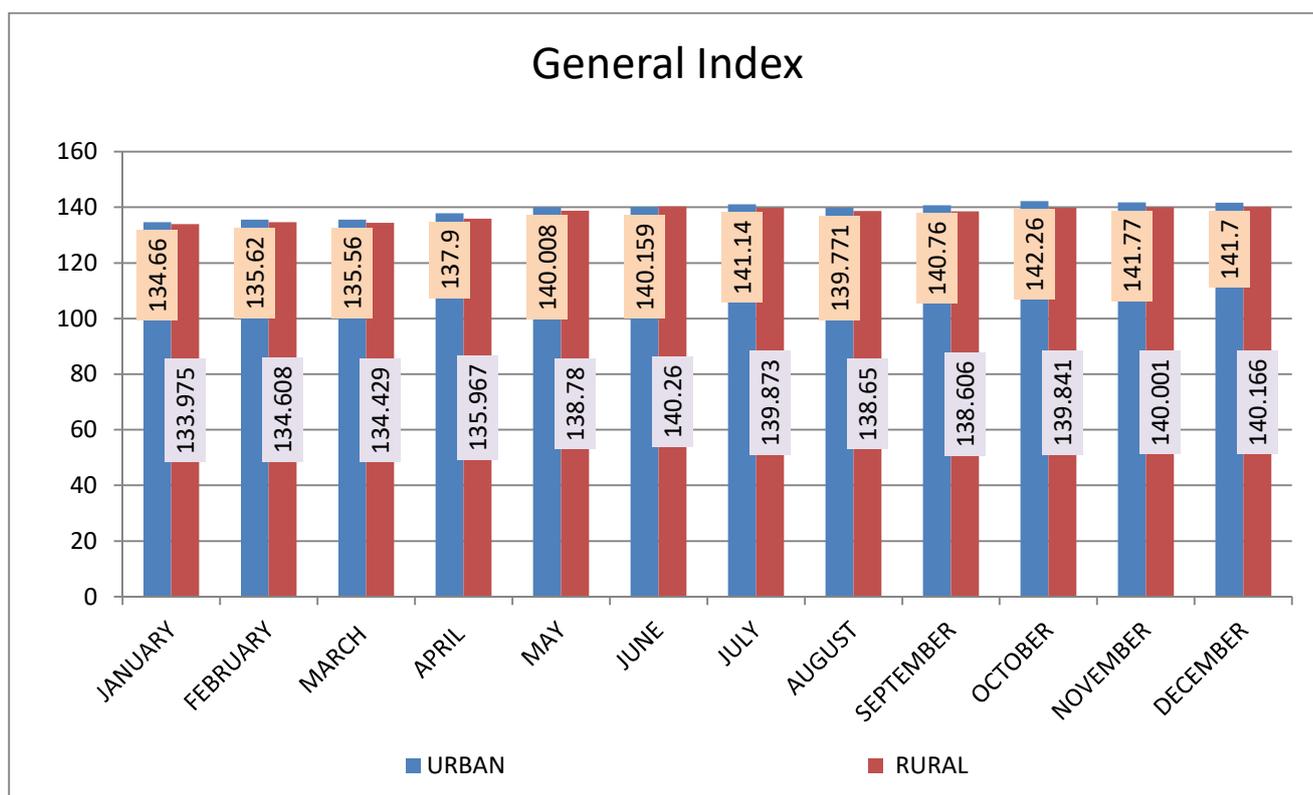
THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	140.59	143	143.42	146.94	149.6	150.08	150.81	139.53	151.38	154.29	154.22	153.98
RURAL Index	133.79	134.77	135.48	137.29	139.52	139.98	140.05	139.53	140.74	142.21	142.42	142.22



### General Index

In Thrissur, the urban price index showed a generally increasing trend throughout the year, starting at 134.66 in January and gradually rising to 141.14 by July. It experienced minor fluctuations in the later months, reaching 142.26 in October and slightly declining to 141.7 in December. The rural index also followed a similar upward trend, beginning at 133.98 in January and steadily increasing to 140.26 in June, with slight variations afterward, ending the year at 140.17 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices indicate steady growth, with urban prices showing slightly higher variability than rural prices.

THSR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	134.66	135.62	135.56	137.9	140.008	140.159	141.14	139.771	140.76	142.26	141.77	141.7
RURAL Index	133.975	134.608	134.429	135.967	138.78	140.26	139.873	138.65	138.606	139.841	140.001	140.166

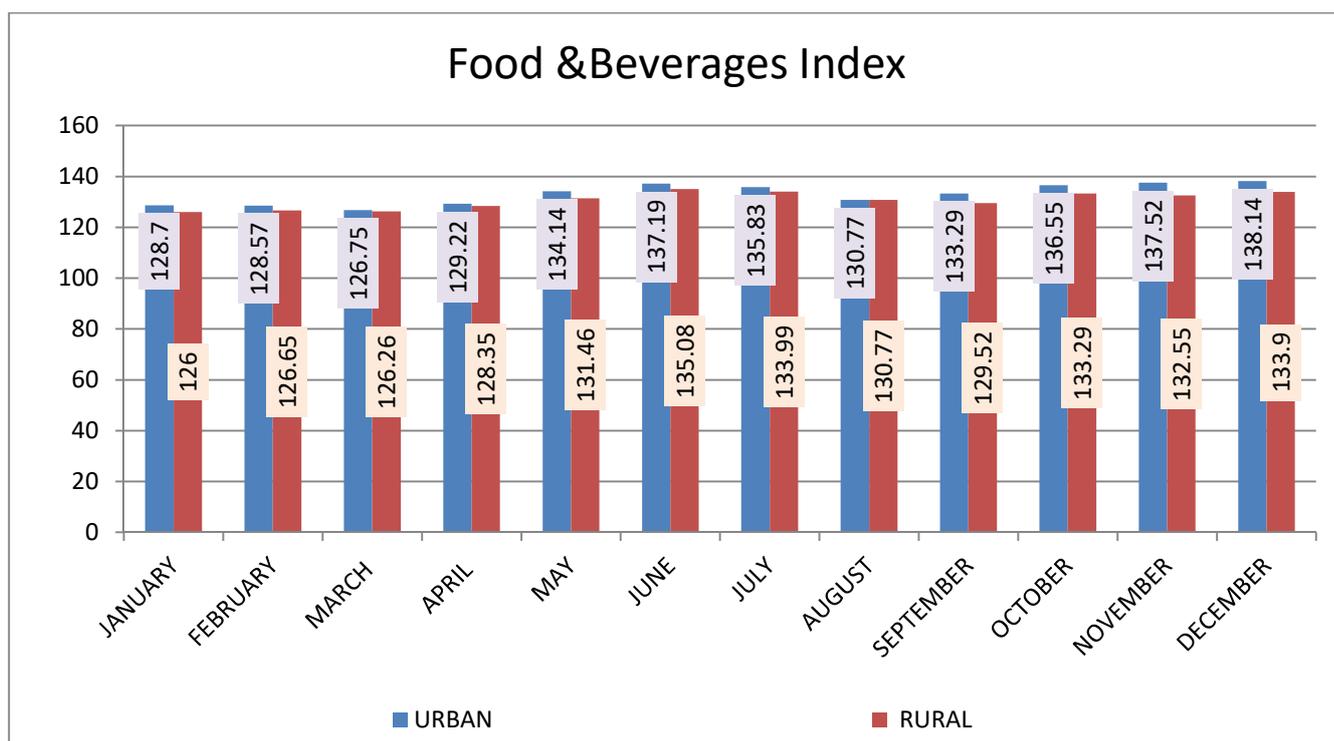


## PALAKKAD

### Food & Beverages Index

In Palakkad, the urban price index began the year at 128.7 in January and showed fluctuations over the months, reaching 137.19 in June. After a slight dip to 130.77 in August, it increased again, ending at 138.14 in December. The rural index started at 126 in January and followed a similar fluctuating trend, rising to 135.08 in June, slightly declining in August and September, and closing the year at 133.9 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices show an upward trend with moderate monthly variations, with urban prices generally higher than rural prices throughout the year

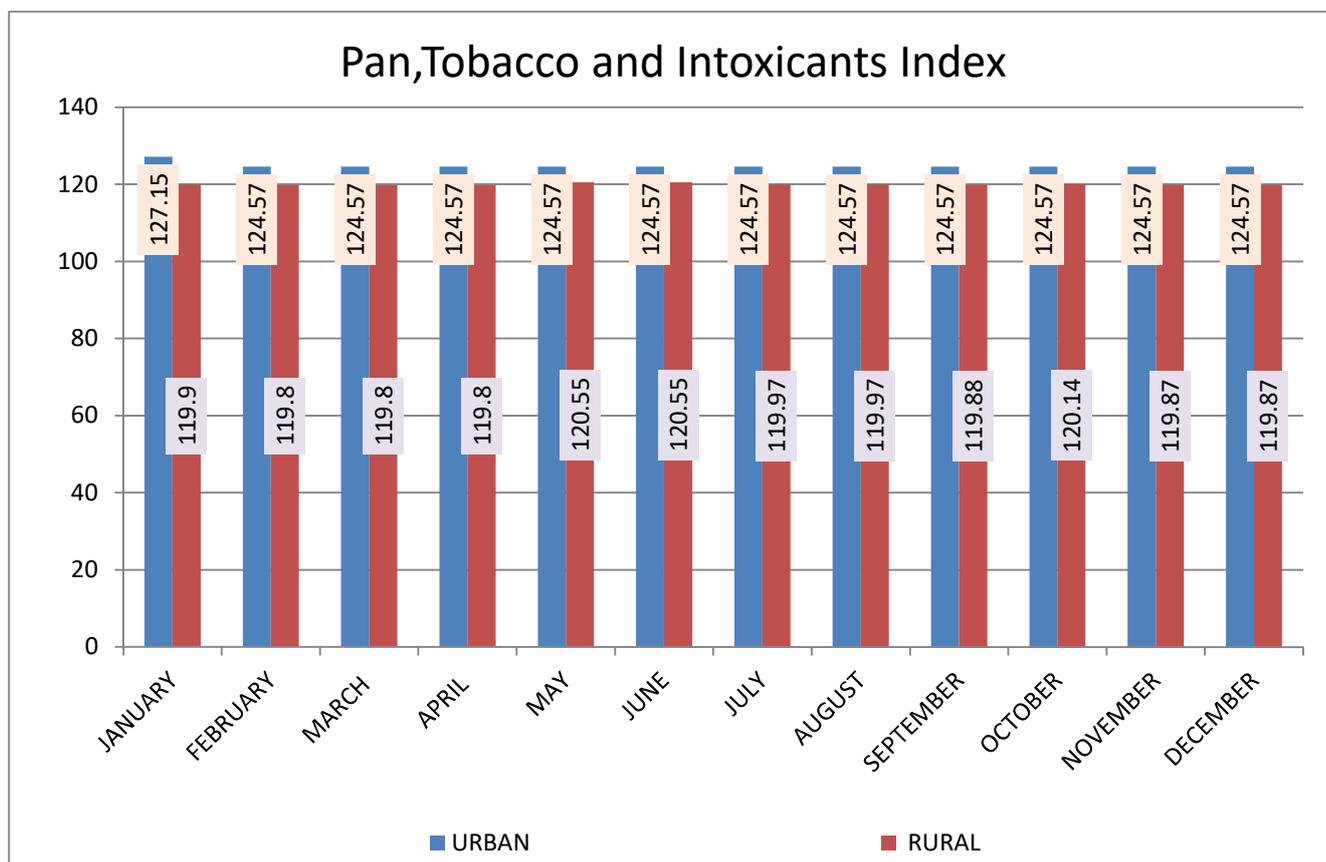
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URBAN Index	128.7	128.57	126.75	129.22	134.14	137.19	135.83	130.77	133.29	136.55	137.52	138.14
RURAL Index	126	126.65	126.26	128.35	131.46	135.08	133.99	130.77	129.52	133.29	132.55	133.9



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

In Palakkad, the urban price index remained completely stable throughout the year at 124.57, showing no fluctuations from January to December. The rural index started at 119.9 in January and remained almost steady, with minor variations, reaching 119.87 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices indicate remarkable stability over the year, with urban prices consistently higher than rural prices

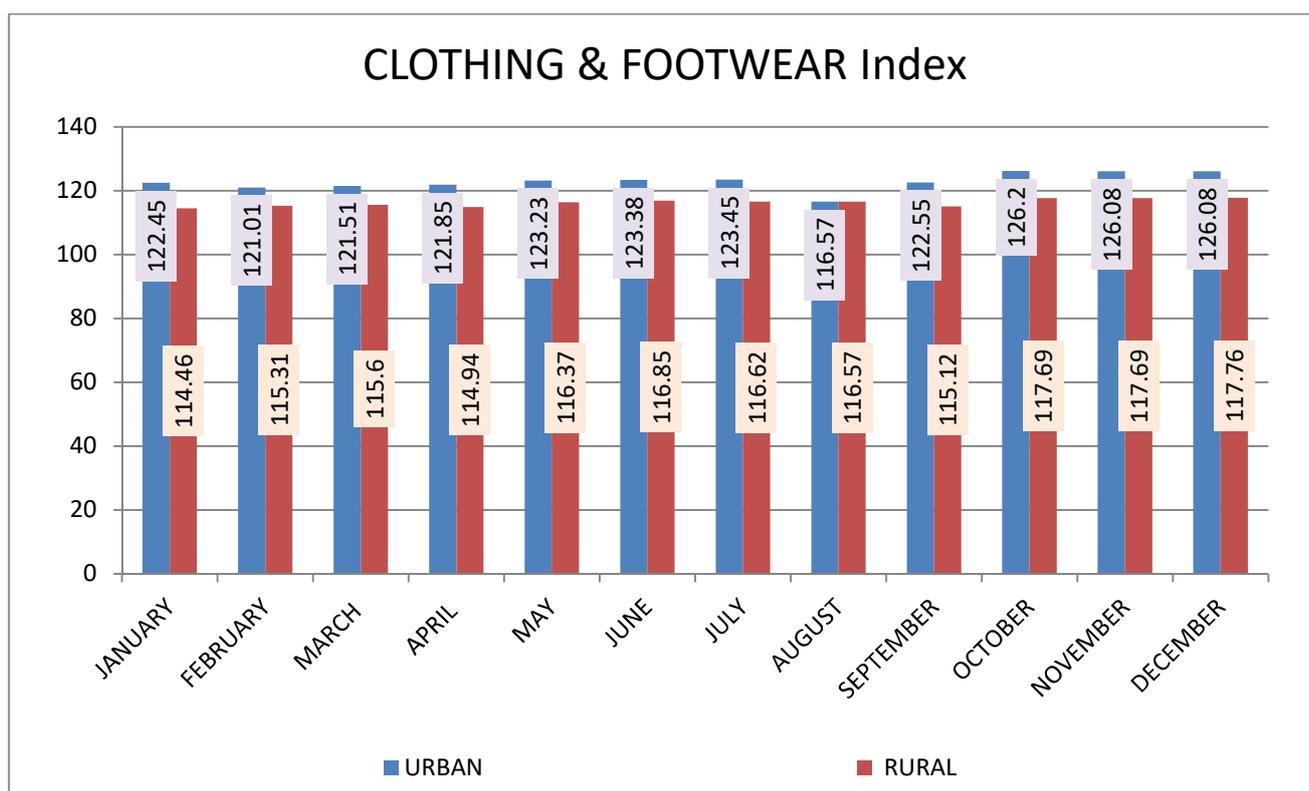
PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	127.15	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57	124.57
RURAL Index	119.9	119.8	119.8	119.8	120.55	120.55	119.97	119.97	119.88	120.14	119.87	119.87



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

In Palakkad, the urban price index showed moderate fluctuations throughout the year. It began at 122.45 in January, dipped to a low of 116.57 in August, and then rose to 126.08 by December, indicating an overall upward trend despite mid-year decline. The rural index started at 114.46 in January and experienced smaller variations, reaching 117.76 in December. Urban prices remained consistently higher than rural prices, and both indices show a general increasing trend toward the end of the year.

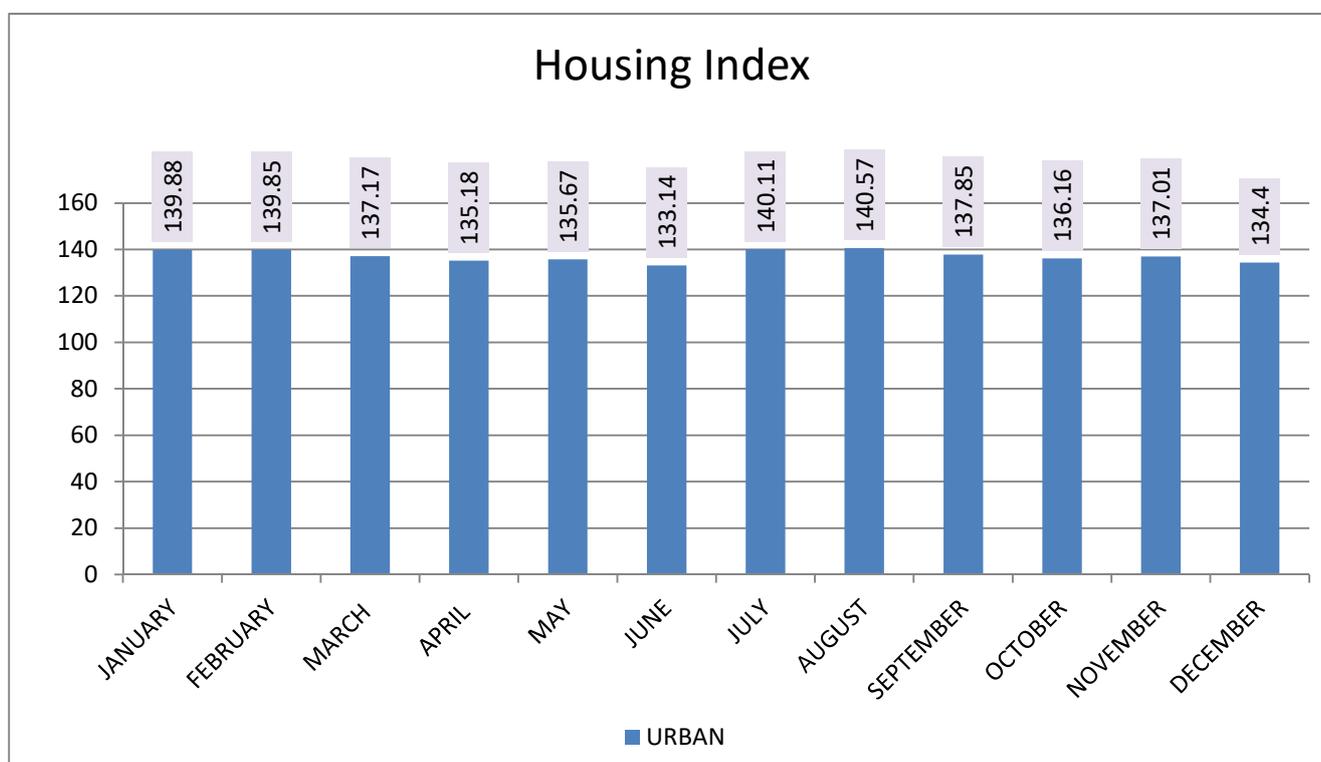
PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	122.45	121.01	121.51	121.85	123.23	123.38	123.45	116.57	122.55	126.2	126.08	126.08
RURAL Index	114.46	115.31	115.6	114.94	116.37	116.85	116.62	116.57	115.12	117.69	117.69	117.76



### Housing Index

In Palakkad, the urban price index showed noticeable fluctuations over the year. It started at 139.88 in January and slightly declined to 137.17 by March, followed by a further drop to 133.14 in June. Mid-year, the index rebounded to 140.57 in August, before gradually decreasing to 134.4 in December. Overall, the urban prices experienced ups and downs with a slight downward trend toward the end of the year.

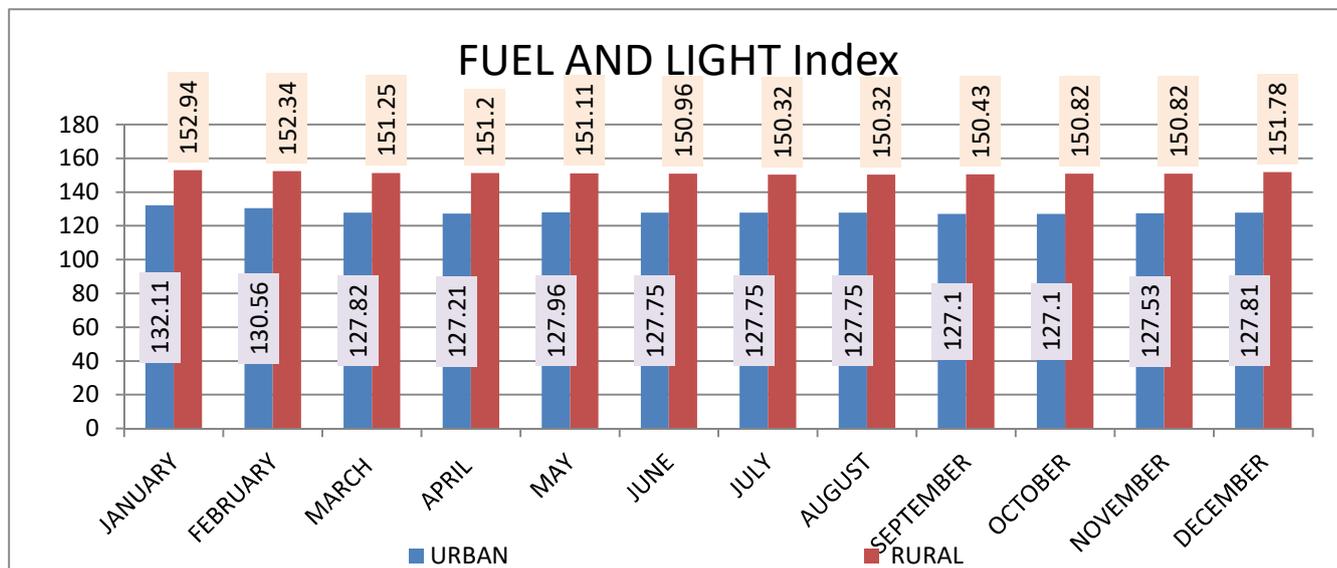
PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	139.88	139.85	137.17	135.18	135.67	133.14	140.11	140.57	137.85	136.16	137.01	134.4



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

In Palakkad, index for urban areas shows a gradual decline from January to September, falling from 132.11 to 127.10, indicating a steady downward trend in prices or related economic conditions during this period. From October to December, the index stabilizes slightly, ending at 127.81. In contrast, the rural index consistently remains much higher than the urban index, starting at 152.94 in January and showing only a mild downward movement until August, after which it stabilizes around 150.82 before rising slightly to 151.78 in December. Overall, the data reflects a more stable pattern in rural areas compared to urban areas, where a clearer declining trend is observed across the year.

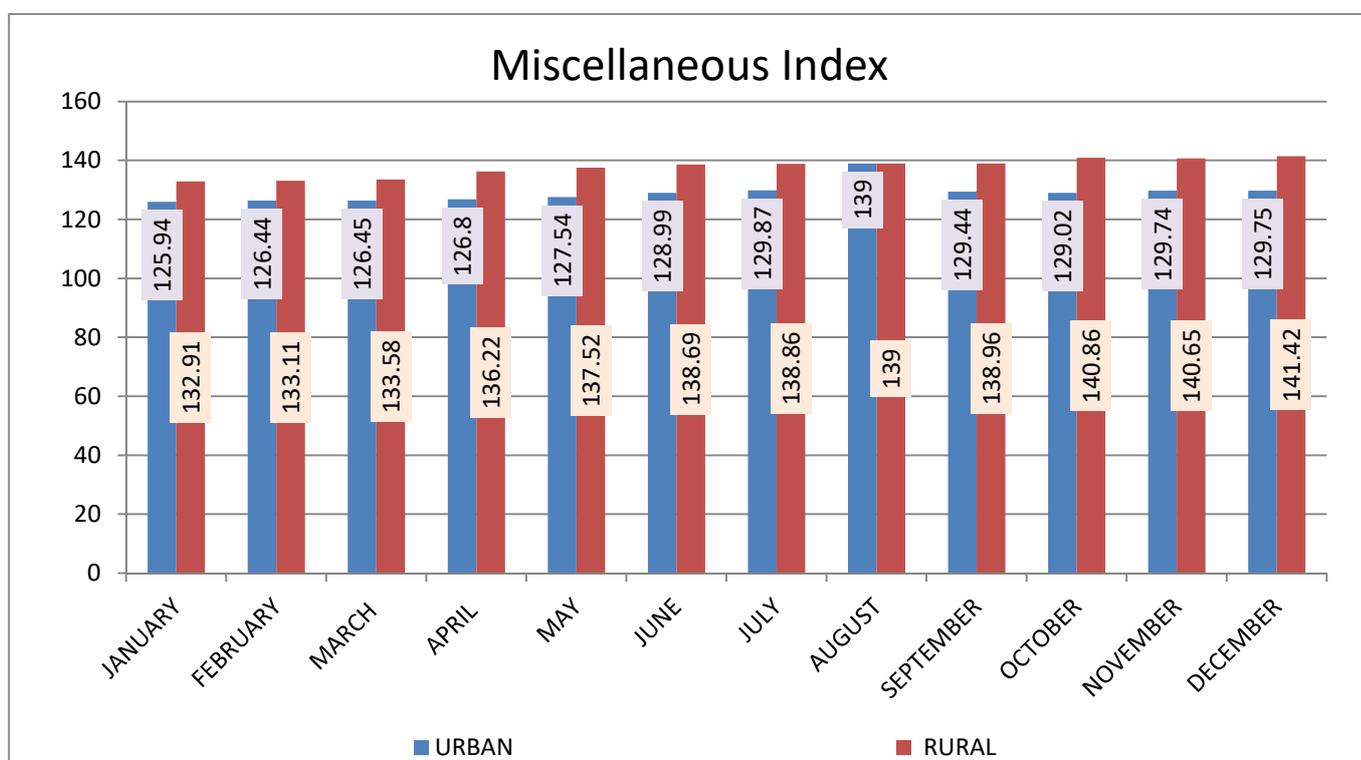
PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	132.11	130.56	127.82	127.21	127.96	127.75	127.75	127.75	127.1	127.1	127.53	127.81
RURAL Index	152.94	152.34	151.25	151.2	151.11	150.96	150.32	150.32	150.43	150.82	150.82	151.78



## Miscellaneous Index

In Palakkad, index for urban areas shows a steady upward movement from January to July, rising from 125.94 to 129.87, indicating gradual improvement or increased price levels during this period. A sharp rise is seen in August at 139, after which the index declines to 129.44 in September and stabilizes around 129 through the remaining months, ending at 129.75 in December. In rural areas, the index shows a more consistent upward trend throughout the year, starting at 132.91 in January and rising steadily to 141.42 by December. The rural index remains higher than the urban index in every month, reflecting relatively stronger or more sustained price levels. Overall, the data indicates moderate fluctuations in urban areas with a sudden spike in August, while rural areas show a smoother and more continuous increase across the year.

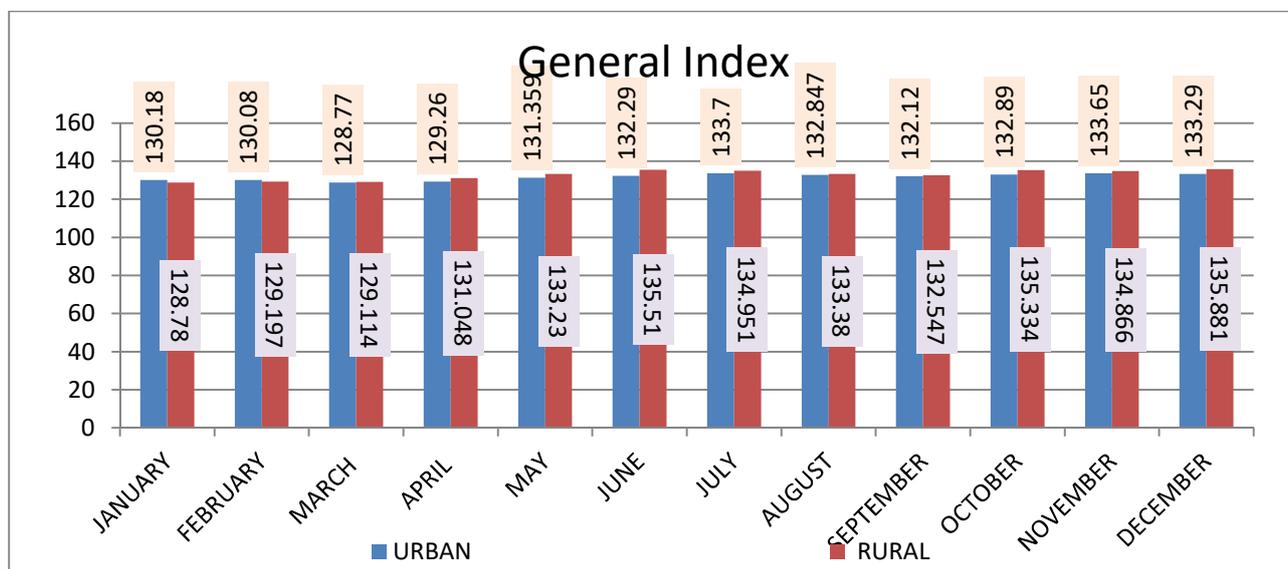
PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.94	126.44	126.45	126.8	127.54	128.99	129.87	139	129.44	129.02	129.74	129.75
RURAL Index	132.91	133.11	133.58	136.22	137.52	138.69	138.86	139	138.96	140.86	140.65	141.42



### General Index

In palakkadu, index for urban areas shows a mild fluctuation throughout the year, starting at 130.18 in January and dipping slightly to 128.77 in March. From April onward, the index gradually increases, reaching 133.70 in July, followed by a small decline in August and September. It then rises again toward the end of the year, ending at 133.29 in December, indicating stable but moderate upward movement overall. In rural areas, the index begins at 128.78 in January and shows a more consistent upward trend compared to the urban index. The values rise steadily from March to June, peaking at 135.51, followed by slight fluctuations in the subsequent months. The index reaches its highest point of 135.881 in December. Overall, rural indices remain closely aligned with urban values in the early months but surpass them in the later months, reflecting relatively stronger or more stable price levels in rural areas toward the end of the year.

PLKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	130.18	130.08	128.77	129.26	131.359	132.29	133.7	132.847	132.12	132.89	133.65	133.29
RURAL Index	128.78	129.197	129.114	131.048	133.23	135.51	134.951	133.38	132.547	135.334	134.866	135.881

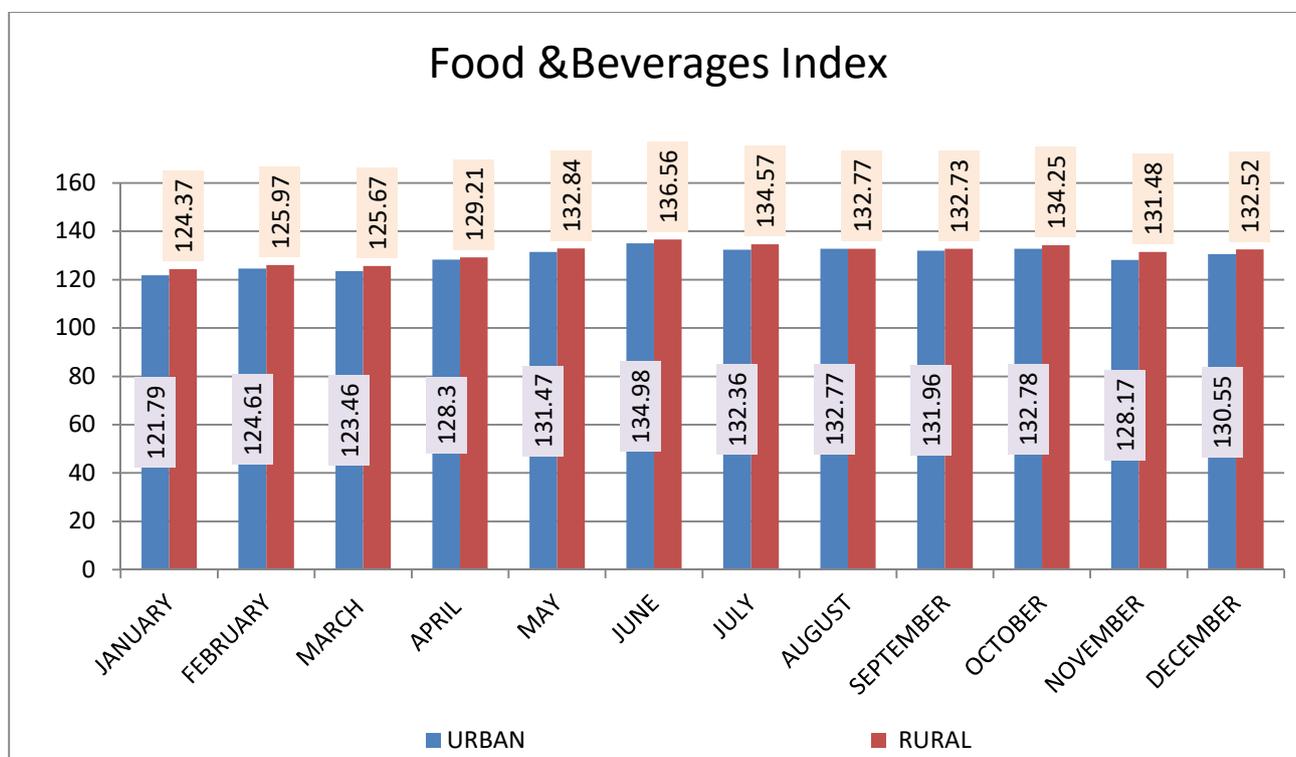


## MALAPPURAM

### Food & Beverages Index

The Malappuram index for urban areas shows noticeable fluctuations throughout the year, starting at 121.79 in January and rising steadily to reach a peak of 134.98 in June. After this mid-year high, the index declines slightly in July and remains relatively stable from August to October, before dipping to 128.17 in November and ending the year moderately higher at 130.55. In rural areas, the index consistently remains above the urban values, beginning at 124.37 in January and increasing steadily to a peak of 136.56 in June. A slight decline is seen in July and August, followed by minor fluctuations in the remaining months, closing the year at 132.52. Overall, both urban and rural indices for Malappuram show a strong upward trend in the first half of the year, with rural values remaining higher throughout, indicating relatively stronger or more sustained price levels in rural areas.

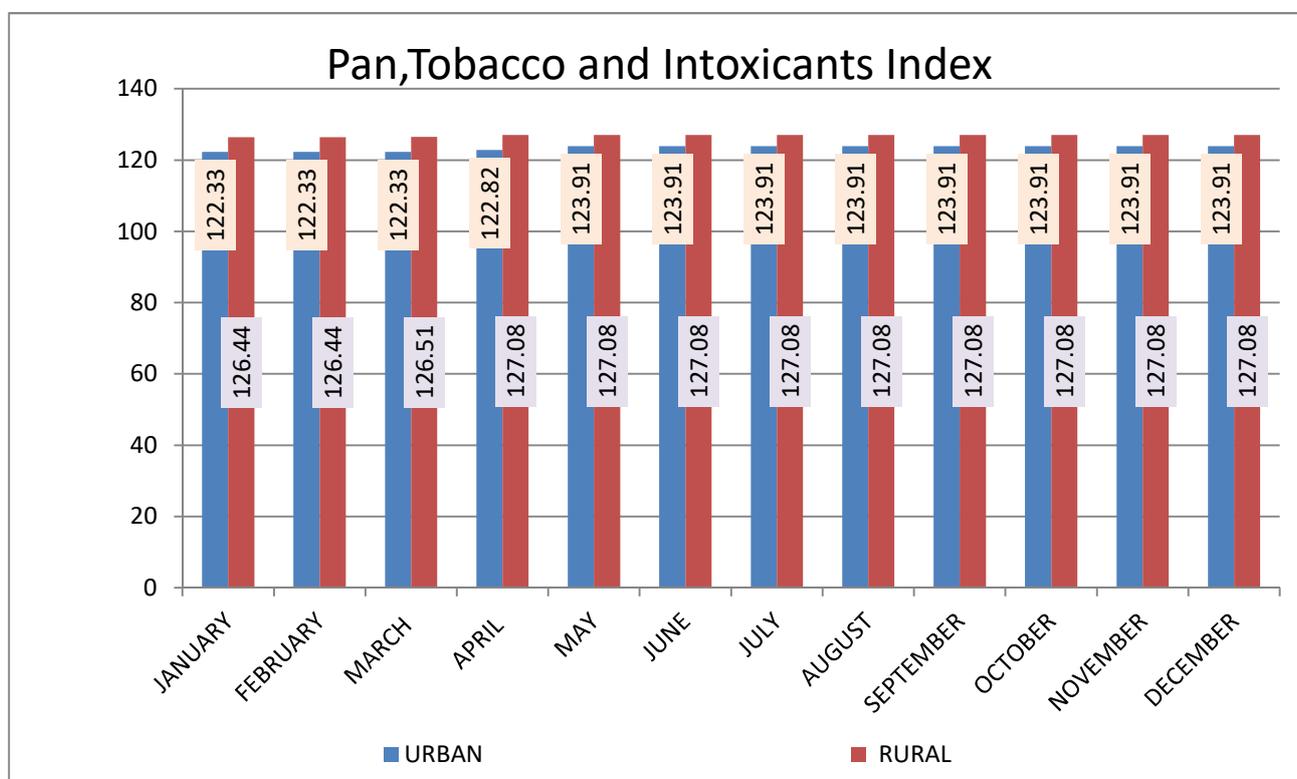
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URBAN Index	121.79	124.61	123.46	128.3	131.47	134.98	132.36	132.77	131.96	132.78	128.17	130.55
RURAL Index	124.37	125.97	125.67	129.21	132.84	136.56	134.57	132.77	132.73	134.25	131.48	132.52



## Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Malappuram index for urban areas remains almost entirely stable throughout the year, starting at 122.33 from January to March and showing only a slight rise to 122.82 in April. From May onward, the index increases marginally to 123.91 and stays fixed at this level for the rest of the year, indicating minimal price movement or very stable conditions. In rural areas, the index shows a similarly steady pattern, beginning at 126.44 in January and February, with a slight increase to 126.51 in March and reaching 127.08 in April. From April onward, the index remains unchanged for the remaining months. Overall, both urban and rural indices display consistent stability, with rural values maintaining a slightly higher level than urban values throughout the year, suggesting a uniform and steady price environment across Malappuram district.

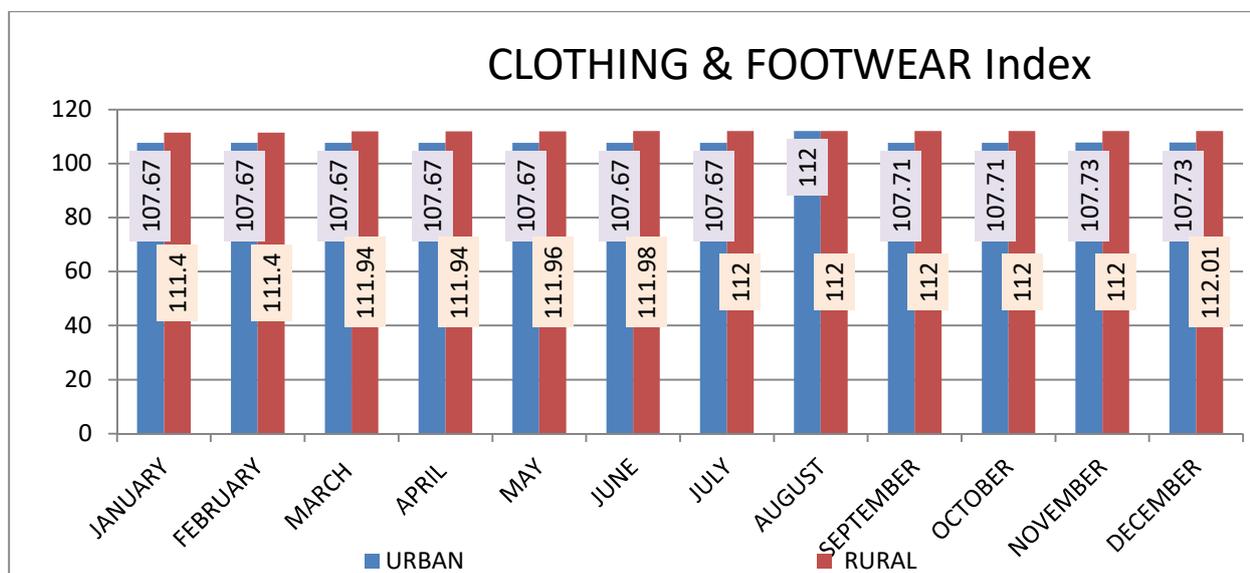
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URBAN Index	122.33	122.33	122.33	122.82	123.91	123.91	123.91	123.91	123.91	123.91	123.91	123.91
RURAL Index	126.44	126.44	126.51	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08	127.08



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Malappuram index for urban areas remains completely stable from January to July at 107.67, showing no fluctuation during this period. A slight increase is recorded in August, where the index rises to 112, before dropping back to around 107.71 in September and remaining almost unchanged through the rest of the year, ending at 107.73 in December. In rural areas, the index shows very minimal variation, starting at 111.40 in January and increasing gradually to 111.94 in March. From April to August, the index rises marginally to 112 and remains stable at this level until November, with only a slight uptick to 112.01 in December. Overall, Malappuram’s urban and rural indices display very high stability throughout the year, with rural values consistently remaining above urban values, indicating slightly higher or steadier price levels in rural areas.

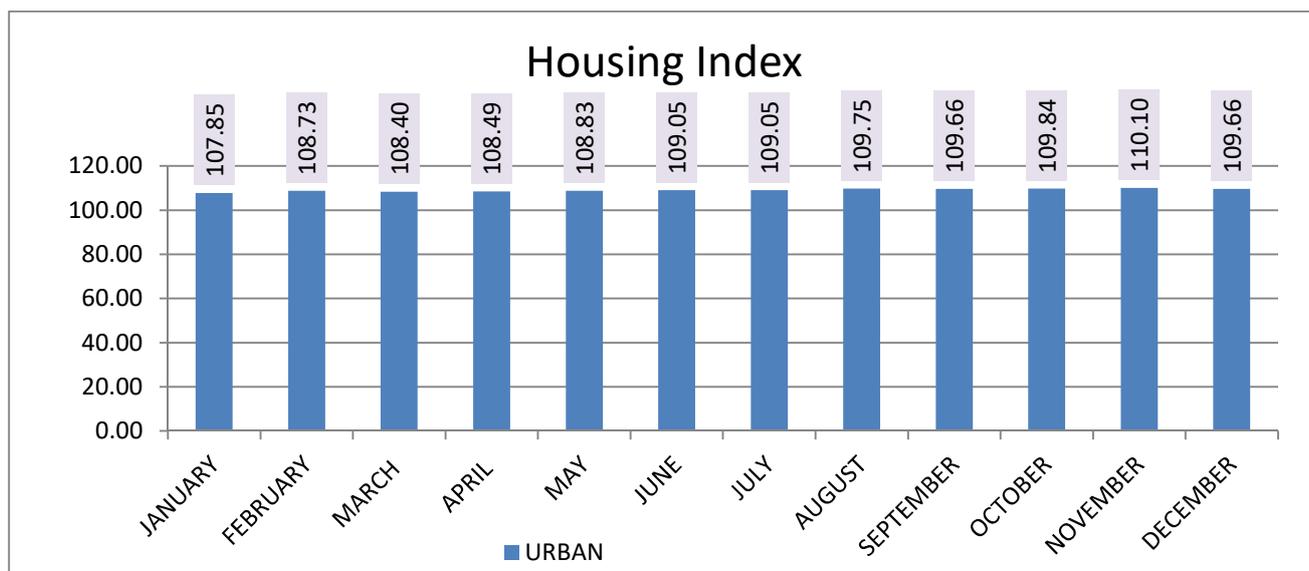
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URBAN Index	107.67	107.67	107.67	107.67	107.67	107.67	107.67	112	107.71	107.71	107.73	107.73
RURAL Index	111.4	111.4	111.94	111.94	111.96	111.98	112	112	112	112	112	112.01



## Housing Index

The Malappuram urban index shows a steady and gradual upward movement throughout the year. It starts at 107.85 in January and increases to 108.73 in February, followed by a slight dip to 108.40 in March. From April onward, the index rises slowly but consistently, reaching 109.05 in June and July. A more noticeable increase occurs in August at 109.75, after which the index remains stable with minor fluctuations, peaking at 110.10 in November before ending slightly lower at 109.66 in December. Overall, the data reflects a smooth upward trend with small month-to-month variations, indicating generally stable but gradually increasing price levels in Malappuram’s urban sector over the year.

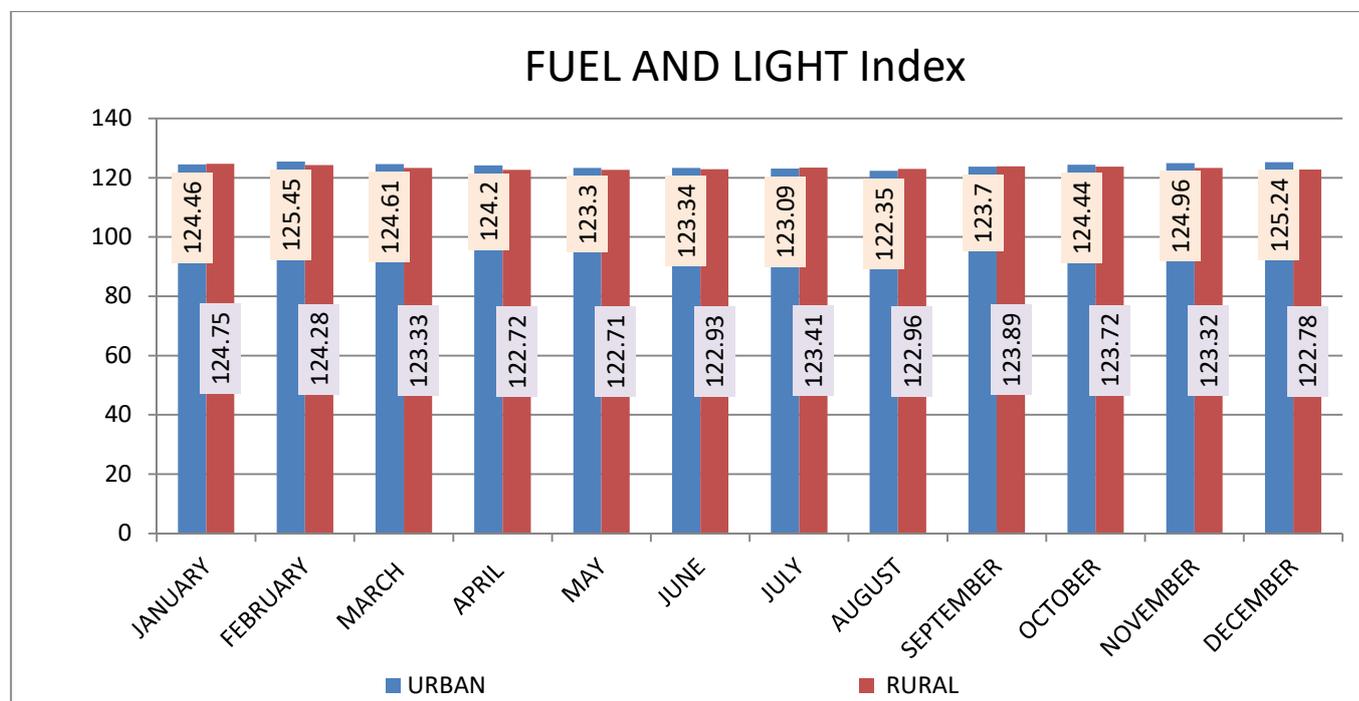
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URBAN Index	107.85	108.73	108.40	108.49	108.83	109.05	109.05	109.75	109.66	109.84	110.10	109.66



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The Malappuram index shows moderate month-to-month fluctuations in both urban and rural areas, with neither category showing a strong upward or downward trend across the year. In urban areas, the index begins at 124.46 in January and rises slightly to 125.45 in February before declining through the middle months, reaching its lowest point of 122.35 in August. From September onward, the index recovers gradually and ends the year at 125.24 in December, indicating a mild rebound after mid-year weakening. In rural areas, the index starts at 124.75 in January and shows a gradual decline up to April and May, reaching 122.71. Small fluctuations continue through the remaining months, with a slight rise in September at 123.89, followed by mild variations and ending at 122.78 in December. Overall, both urban and rural indices show soft movement with slight mid-year dips and late-year stabilization, with urban values generally ending stronger than rural values.

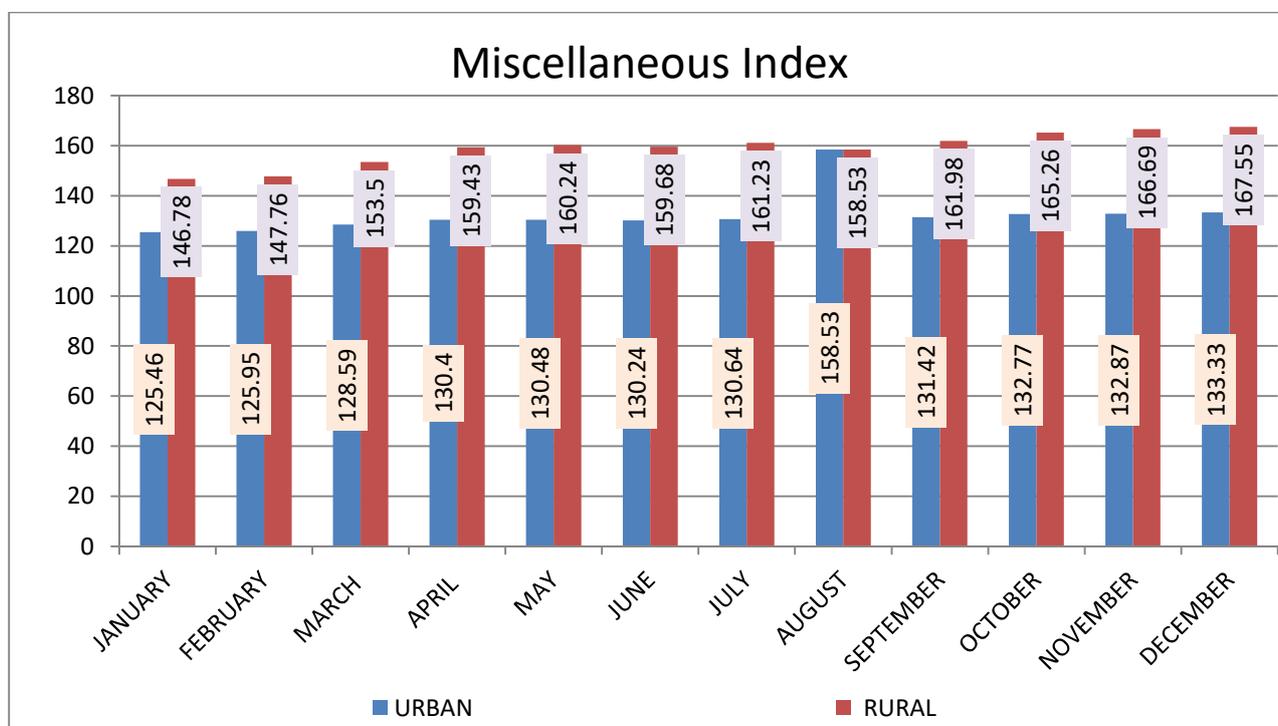
MLPM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	124.46	125.45	124.61	124.2	123.3	123.34	123.09	122.35	123.7	124.44	124.96	125.24
RURAL Index	124.75	124.28	123.33	122.72	122.71	122.93	123.41	122.96	123.89	123.72	123.32	122.78



## Miscellaneous Index

The Malappuram index for urban areas shows a steady upward movement from January to July, rising from 125.46 to 130.64, indicating consistent price increases during the first half of the year. In August, the index shows an exceptional spike to 158.53, suggesting a short-term surge influenced by seasonal or market-specific factors. After this sharp rise, the index returns to normal levels in September at 131.42 and continues to grow moderately through the end of the year, reaching 133.33 in December. In rural areas, the index displays a stronger and more sustained upward trend. Starting at 146.78 in January, it rises steadily each month, peaking at 161.23 in July. A similar unusual spike is observed in August at 158.53, mirroring the urban pattern, after which the index continues to rise again, reaching 167.55 in December.

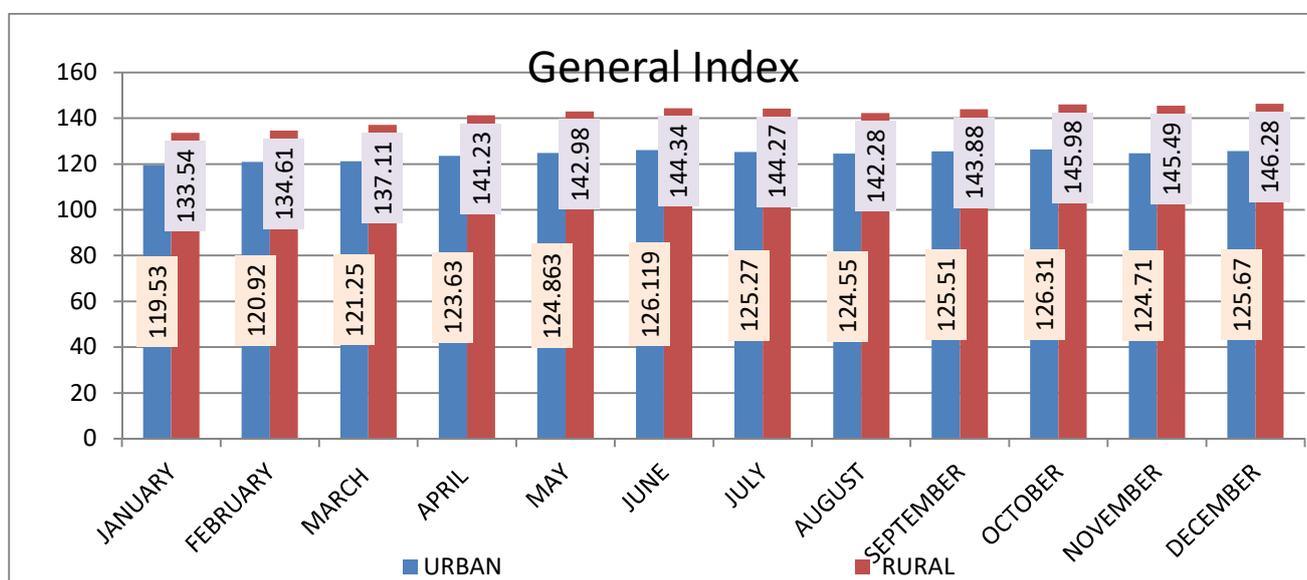
MLPM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.46	125.95	128.59	130.4	130.48	130.24	130.64	158.53	131.42	132.77	132.87	133.33
RURAL Index	146.78	147.76	153.5	159.43	160.24	159.68	161.23	158.53	161.98	165.26	166.69	167.55



## General Index

The Malappuram index for urban areas shows a steady upward trend in the first half of the year, beginning at 119.53 in January and rising consistently to reach 126.12 in June. A slight decline follows in July and August, with the index dipping to 124.55, before recovering gradually from September onward and ending the year at 125.67 in December. Overall, the urban index reflects mild fluctuations but maintains a generally stable pattern with moderate growth across the year. In rural areas, the index shows a stronger and more consistent upward movement throughout the year. Starting at 133.54 in January, it rises steadily month after month, peaking at 144.34 in June and showing minor variations thereafter. Although there is a small dip in August, the index rebounds and continues its upward trend, reaching 146.28 in December. Rural values remain significantly higher than urban values across all months, indicating relatively stronger and more sustained price levels in rural Malappuram.

MLPM	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	119.53	120.92	121.25	123.63	124.863	126.119	125.27	124.55	125.51	126.31	124.71	125.67
RURAL Index	133.54	134.61	137.11	141.23	142.98	144.34	144.27	142.28	143.88	145.98	145.49	146.28

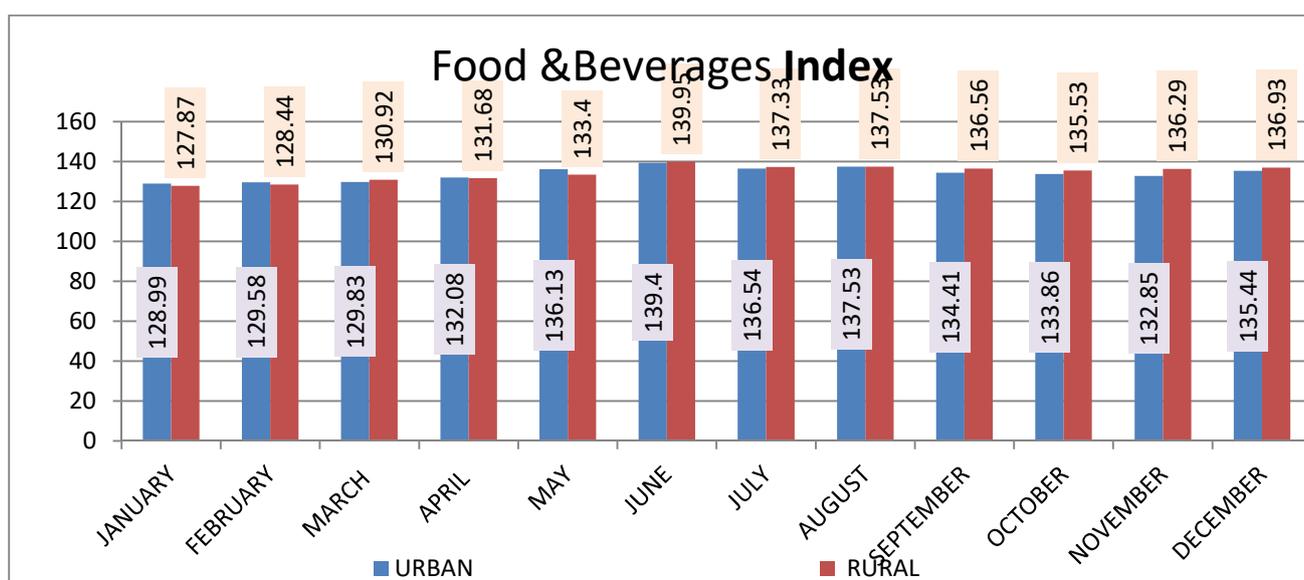


## KOZHIKKODE

### Food & Beverages Index

The Kozhikode index for urban areas shows a generally rising trend in the first half of the year, starting at 128.99 in January and increasing steadily to reach a peak of 139.40 in June. After this high point, the index declines slightly in July and fluctuates modestly through the remaining months, ending the year at 135.44. Despite mid-year variations, the overall movement reflects a moderate upward trend across the year. In rural areas, the index also shows a consistent upward movement in the early months, beginning at 127.87 in January and reaching 139.95 in June, which is the highest point for the year. The index then stabilizes with minor fluctuations from July to December, closing at 136.93. Rural values remain close to or slightly above urban values through most months, indicating relatively stable and robust price levels in rural Kozhikode. Overall, both urban and rural indices display similar patterns: strong growth up to mid-year followed by mild fluctuations, reflecting a generally strengthening price environment across Kozhikode in the year.

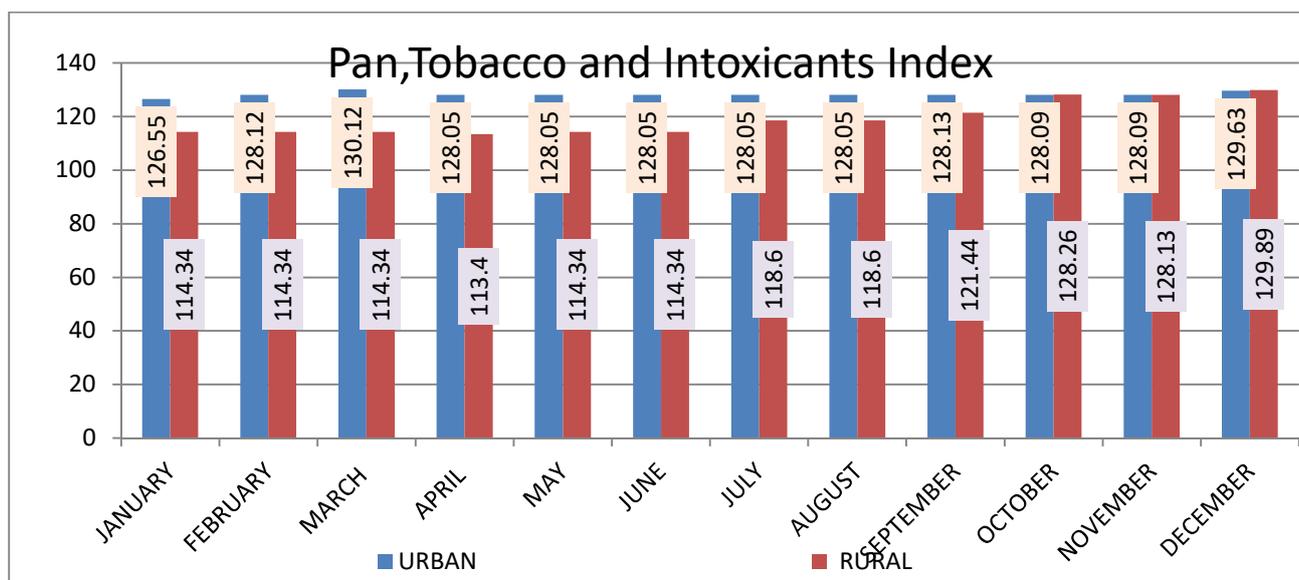
KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	128.99	129.58	129.83	132.08	136.13	139.4	136.54	137.53	134.41	133.86	132.85	135.44
RURAL Index	127.87	128.44	130.92	131.68	133.4	139.95	137.33	137.53	136.56	135.53	136.29	136.93



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The Kozhikode index for urban areas shows gradual movement during the year. It begins at 126.55 in January and increases slightly to 130.12 in March. A small decline appears in April, after which the index remains almost unchanged from May to August at 128.05. From September onward, minor fluctuations occur, and the index ends the year at 129.63, indicating a stable price environment with only mild variations. In rural areas, the index remains completely stable at 114.34 from January to March, dips slightly to 113.40 in April, and then returns to 114.34 in May and June. A notable rise begins in July, where the index increases to 118.60 and continues upward through the following months. The index reaches 121.44 in September and increases further to finish the year at 129.89 in December. Compared to the urban index, the rural index shows a more pronounced rise in the second half of the year. Overall, the urban index reflects stability with mild fluctuations, while the rural index shows a clear upward trend in the later months, indicating strengthening price levels in rural Kozhikode toward the end of the year.

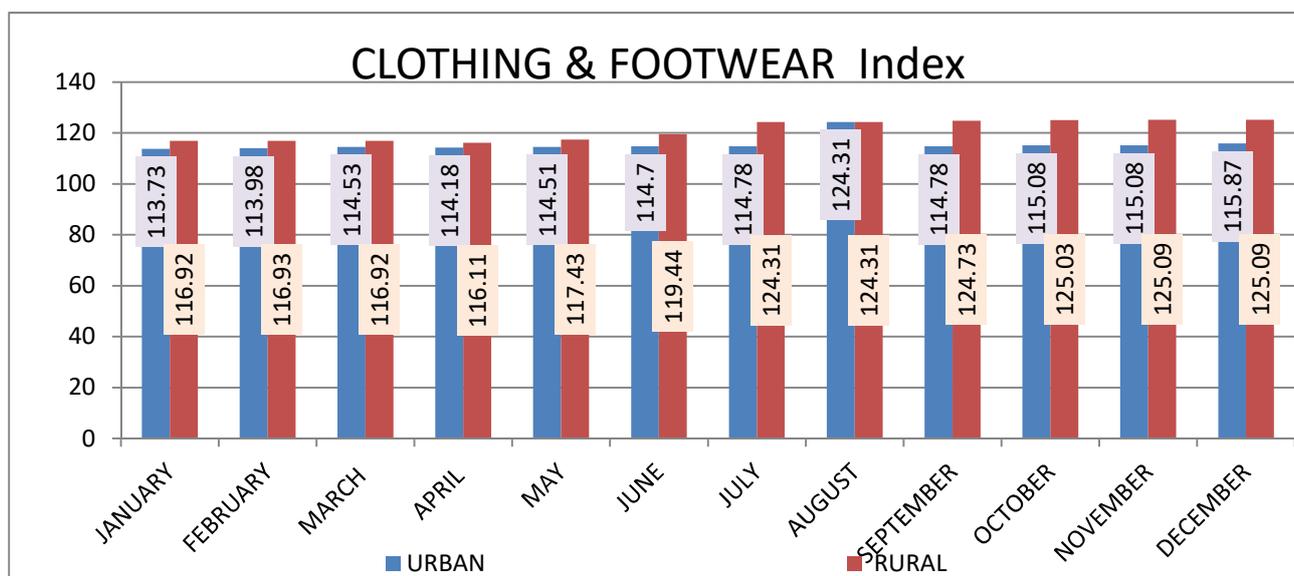
KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.55	128.12	130.12	128.05	128.05	128.05	128.05	128.05	128.13	128.09	128.09	129.63
RURAL Index	114.34	114.34	114.34	113.4	114.34	114.34	118.6	118.6	121.44	128.26	128.13	129.89



## CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The Kozhikode urban index remains largely stable throughout the year, starting at 113.73 in January and showing only small monthly variations up to July, with values fluctuating between 113.98 and 114.78. In August, there is a sharp temporary spike to 124.31, after which the index drops back to normal levels in September and continues with slight increases toward the end of the year, finishing at 115.87 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects a stable price environment with one brief but notable surge in August. In rural areas, the index also shows steady movement with only minor fluctuations in the first half of the year, starting at 116.92 in January and gradually increasing to 119.44 in June. As with the urban index, a sharp rise occurs in July and August, reaching 124.31. After this peak, the index continues to move upward slightly, ending the year at 125.09. Rural values remain consistently higher than urban values, indicating stronger or more sustained price levels in rural Kozhikode. Overall, both indices reveal a mostly stable pattern with a distinct mid-year spike, after which values return to normal but stabilize slightly higher than earlier months.

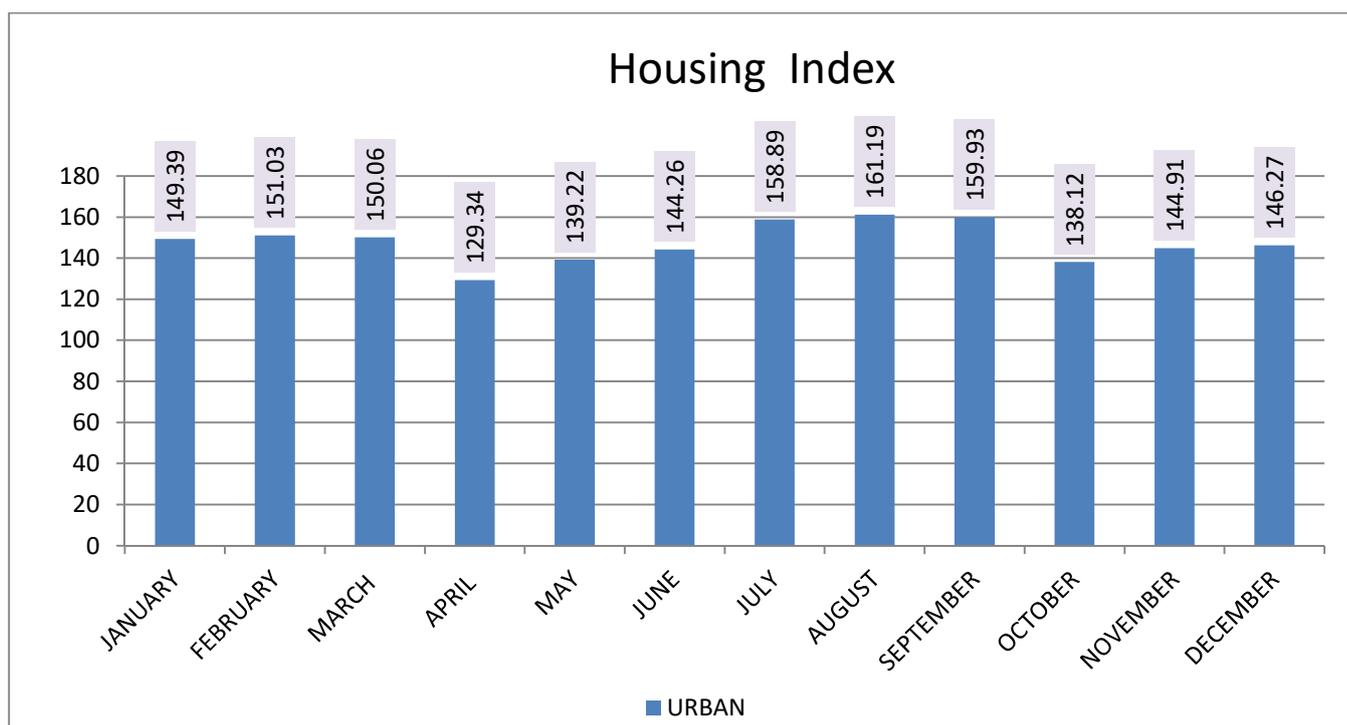
KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	113.73	113.98	114.53	114.18	114.51	114.7	114.78	124.31	114.78	115.08	115.08	115.87
RURAL Index	116.92	116.93	116.92	116.11	117.43	119.44	124.31	124.31	124.73	125.03	125.09	125.09



## Housing Index

The Kozhikode (KKD) urban index shows significant fluctuations throughout the year, beginning at 149.39 in January and rising to 151.03 in February. A slight decline follows in March, after which the index drops sharply to 129.34 in April, indicating a notable fall in price levels. From May onward, the index begins to recover, increasing steadily and reaching a peak of 161.19 in August. After this high point, the index experiences a gradual decline through September and October but still remains at moderately high levels compared to the mid-year dip. By December, the index settles at 146.27, reflecting partial stabilization. Overall, the year displays a combination of sharp mid-year variations and a strong recovery phase, highlighting considerable volatility in Kozhikode’s urban price levels.

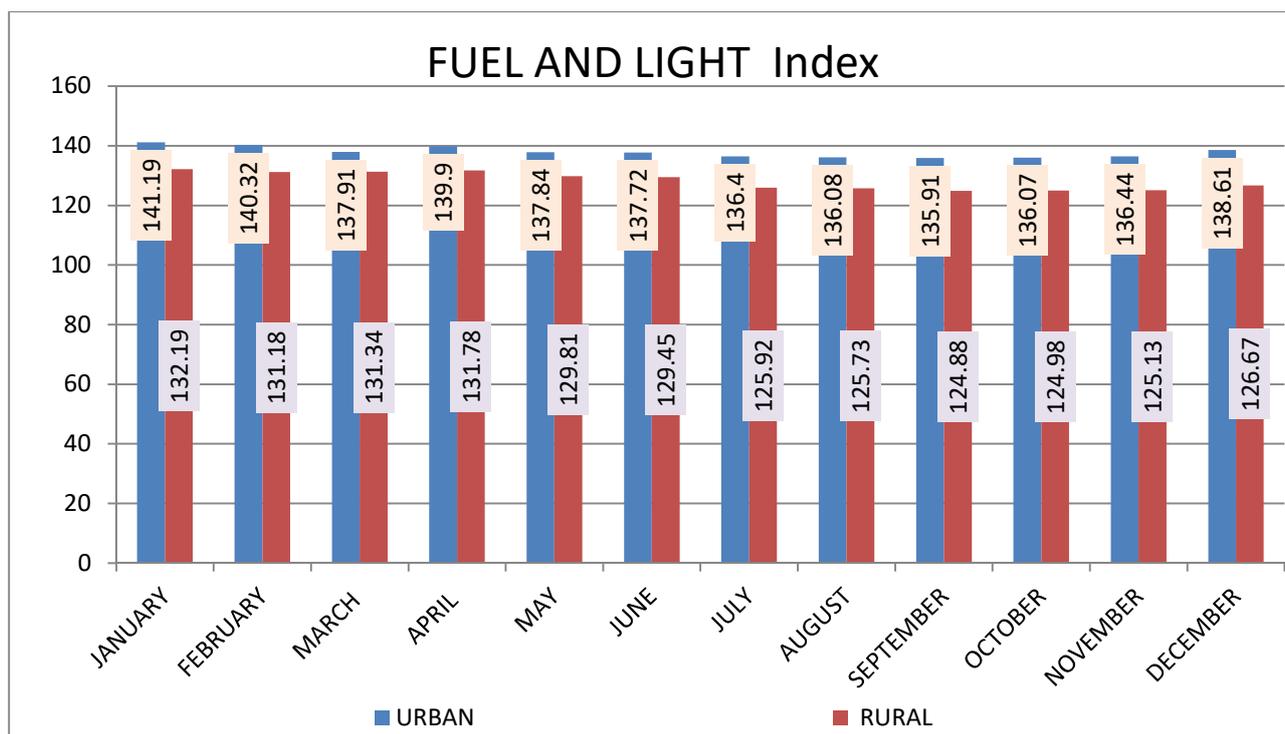
KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	149.39	151.03	150.06	129.34	139.22	144.26	158.89	161.19	159.93	138.12	144.91	146.27



## FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The urban price index in Kozhikode shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, beginning at 141.19 in January and gradually declining to its lowest level of 135.91 in September. A slight recovery is seen towards the end of the year, reaching 138.61 in December. Overall, the urban index reflects a mild downward trend with minor month-to-month variations. In contrast, the rural index starts at a lower level of 132.19 in January and follows a steadier downward movement, reaching its yearly low of 124.88 in September. The index shows a small upward movement in the last quarter, ending at 126.67 in December. Compared with the urban index, the rural values remain consistently lower and show a more stable pattern with fewer fluctuations.

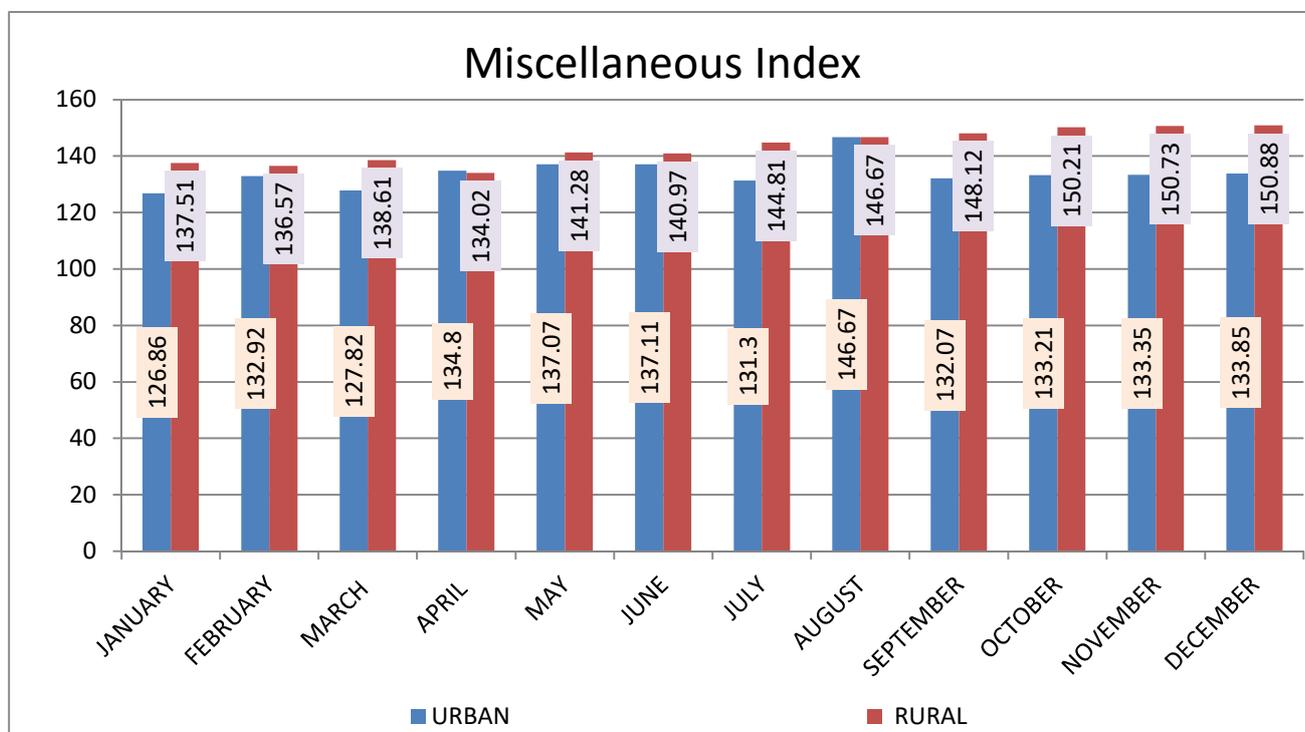
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URBAN Index	141.19	140.32	137.91	139.9	137.84	137.72	136.4	136.08	135.91	136.07	136.44	138.61
RURAL Index	132.19	131.18	131.34	131.78	129.81	129.45	125.92	125.73	124.88	124.98	125.13	126.67



### Miscellaneous Index

The urban index in Kozhikode shows noticeable monthly fluctuations, starting at 126.86 in January and rising sharply to 132.92 in February. After a slight fall in March, the index climbs again in April and May, reaching 137.11 in June. A decline is seen in July, followed by a sudden peak of 146.67 in August. However, the index drops again in September before stabilizing around 133 to 134 levels in the last quarter of the year. Overall, the urban trend reflects significant variability with both sharp increases and declines. In contrast, the rural index starts higher at 137.51 in January and shows a more consistent upward movement across the year, despite small fluctuations in a few months. The index rises steadily from 138.61 in March to 148.12 in September, reaching a peak of 150.88 in December. Compared to urban areas, rural values remain higher throughout the year and display a clearer, more sustained upward trend.

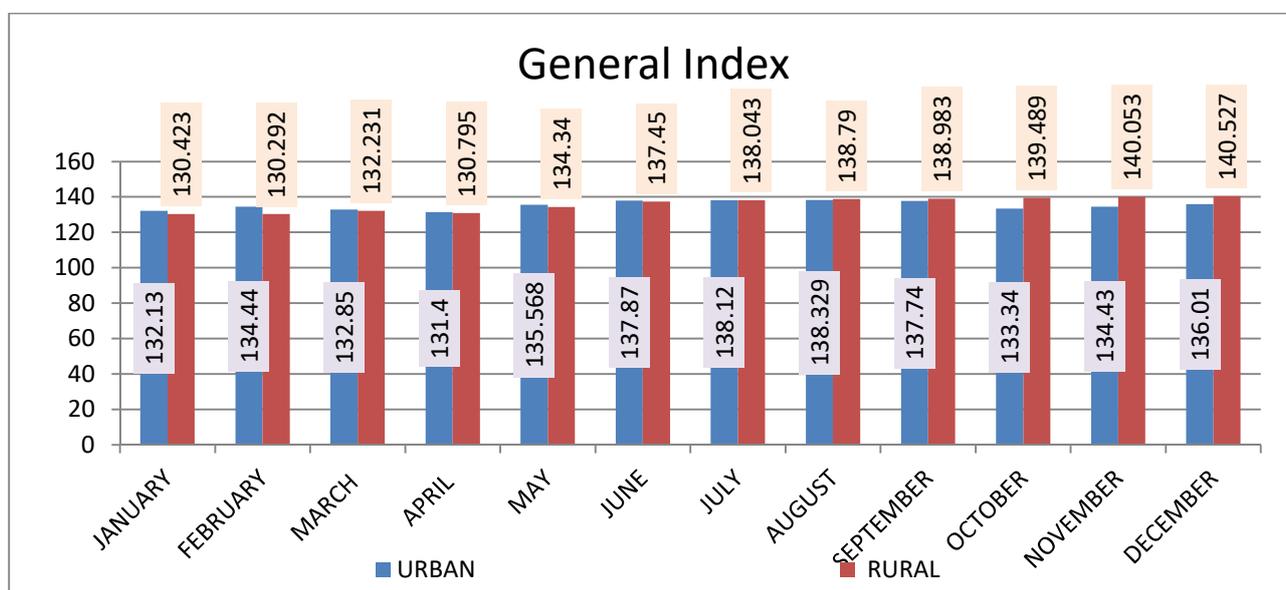
KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.86	132.92	127.82	134.8	137.07	137.11	131.3	146.67	132.07	133.21	133.35	133.85
RURAL Index	137.51	136.57	138.61	134.02	141.28	140.97	144.81	146.67	148.12	150.21	150.73	150.88



### General Index

The urban index in Kozhikode shows moderate month-to-month variations, beginning at 132.13 in January and rising to 134.44 in February. A slight dip appears in March and April, but the index climbs again from May onward, reaching 138.33 in August. After a small decline in September and October, the index stabilizes toward the end of the year, finishing at 136.01 in December. Overall, the urban trend remains fairly steady with mild fluctuations and a gradual upward movement across the year. The rural index starts at 130.42 in January and remains relatively stable in the early months, with only small variations until April. From May onward, the index shows a steady rise, increasing continuously from 134.34 in May to 140.53 in December. Compared with the urban index, the rural values follow a smoother and more consistent upward trend, ending the year higher and showing sustained price growth across the months.

KKD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	132.13	134.44	132.85	131.4	135.568	137.87	138.12	138.329	137.74	133.34	134.43	136.01
RURAL Index	130.423	130.292	132.231	130.795	134.34	137.45	138.043	138.79	138.983	139.489	140.053	140.527

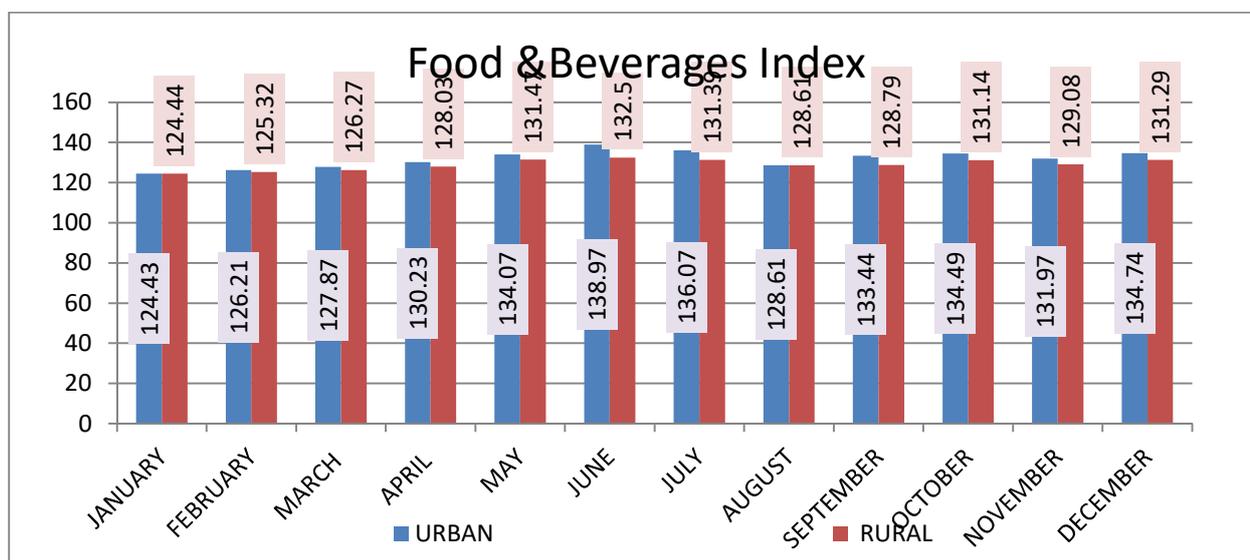


## WAYANAD

### FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index

The urban index in Wayanad shows notable monthly variations, starting at 124.43 in January and rising steadily to 130.23 in April. A sharper increase is seen in May and June, with the index peaking at 138.97 in June. However, it dips to 128.61 in August before recovering in the following months, ending the year at 134.74 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects periods of strong growth followed by short-term declines, indicating moderate volatility. The rural index begins at 124.44 in January and shows a smoother, more gradual upward trend compared to the urban index. It rises steadily through the first half of the year, reaching 132.50 in June. A slight dip occurs in July and August, after which the index stabilizes and moves upward again, ending at 131.29 in December. Compared with urban areas, the rural trend displays more consistency and less fluctuation, maintaining a steady growth pattern throughout the year.

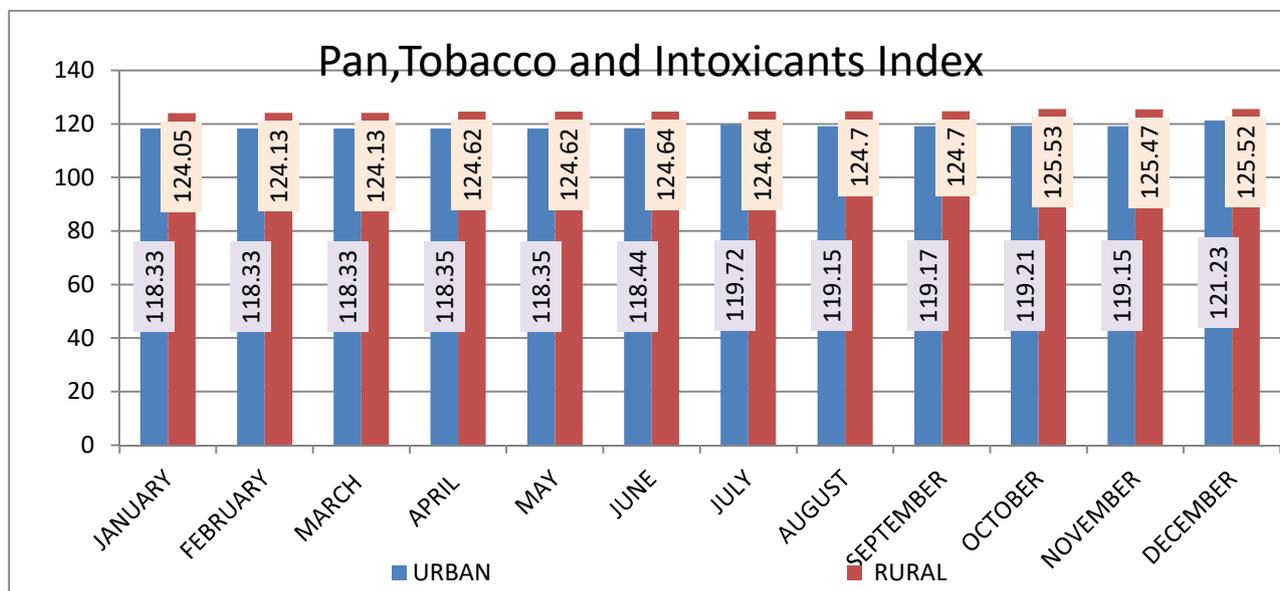
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URBAN Index	124.43	126.21	127.87	130.23	134.07	138.97	136.07	128.61	133.44	134.49	131.97	134.74
RURAL Index	124.44	125.32	126.27	128.03	131.47	132.5	131.39	128.61	128.79	131.14	129.08	131.29



### Pan,Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The urban index in Wayanad remains almost constant during the first half of the year, holding steady at around 118.33 to 118.44 from January to June. A gradual increase begins in July, with the index rising slightly each month and reaching 119.21 by October. A sharper rise in December brings the index to 121.23, marking the highest level of the year. Overall, the urban trend shows minimal fluctuations early in the year, followed by a slow but steady upward movement in the later months. The rural index starts at 124.05 in January and remains very stable throughout the year, showing only slight month-to-month increases. The index rises marginally from 124.05 in January to around 124.70 by August. A slightly higher increase is seen from September onward, reaching 125.52 in December. Compared with the urban index, the rural index stays consistently higher and exhibits a smooth, steady upward trend with very little variability.

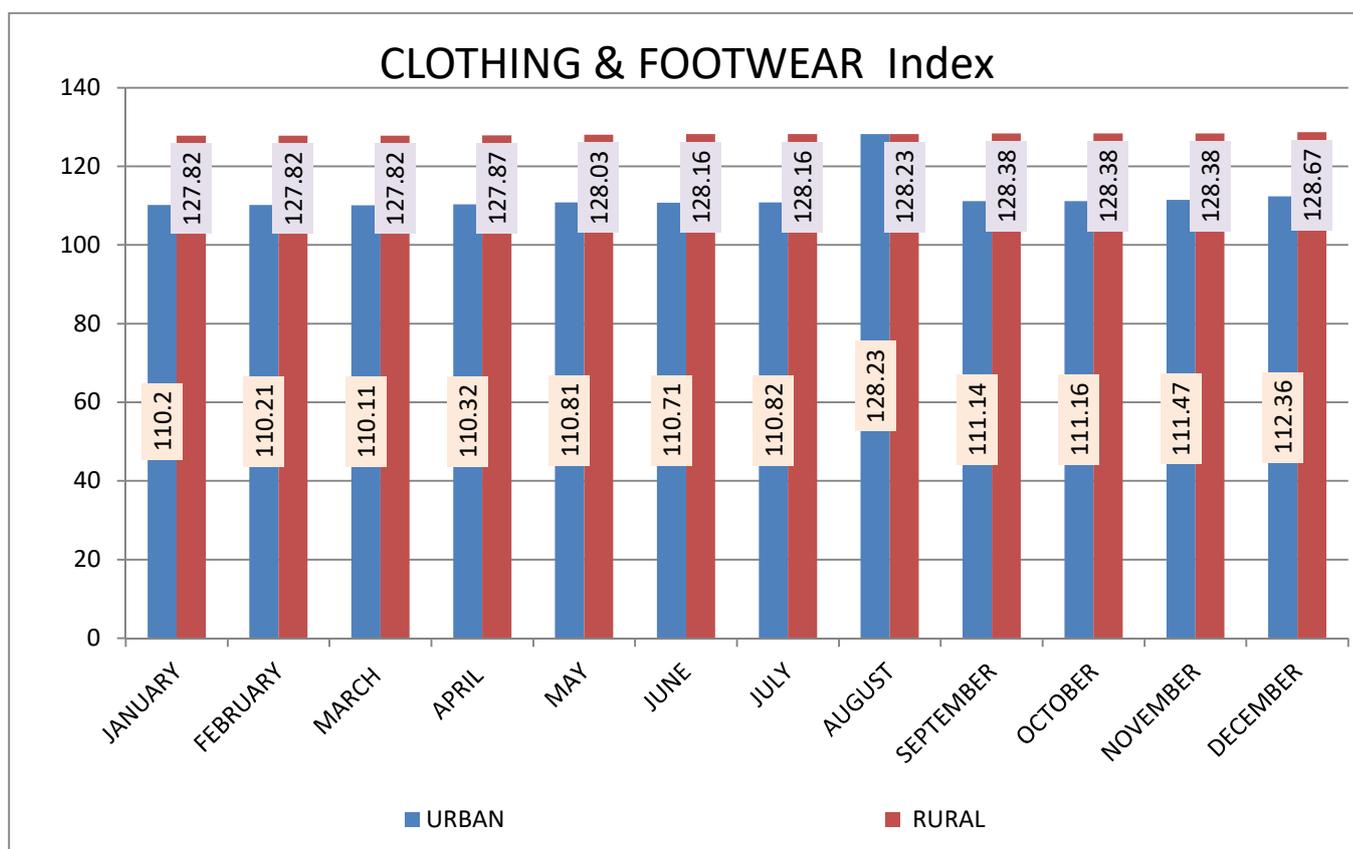
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URBAN Index	118.33	118.33	118.33	118.35	118.35	118.44	119.72	119.15	119.17	119.21	119.15	121.23
RURAL Index	124.05	124.13	124.13	124.62	124.62	124.64	124.64	124.7	124.7	125.53	125.47	125.52



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The WYD index for 2024 shows a largely steady trend in both urban and rural sectors, with minor month-to-month fluctuations. In urban areas, the index remains stable from January to July, staying close to 110, before a sharp spike to 128.23 in August. After this sudden rise, the index returns to normal levels in September and continues a gradual upward movement until December, reaching 112.36. In contrast, the rural index displays a consistent pattern throughout the year, starting at 127.82 in January and moving upward slightly each month. The rural values show very minimal variation, ending at 128.67 in December. Overall, the rural index remains significantly higher and more stable compared to the urban index, which experiences a brief but notable surge in August.

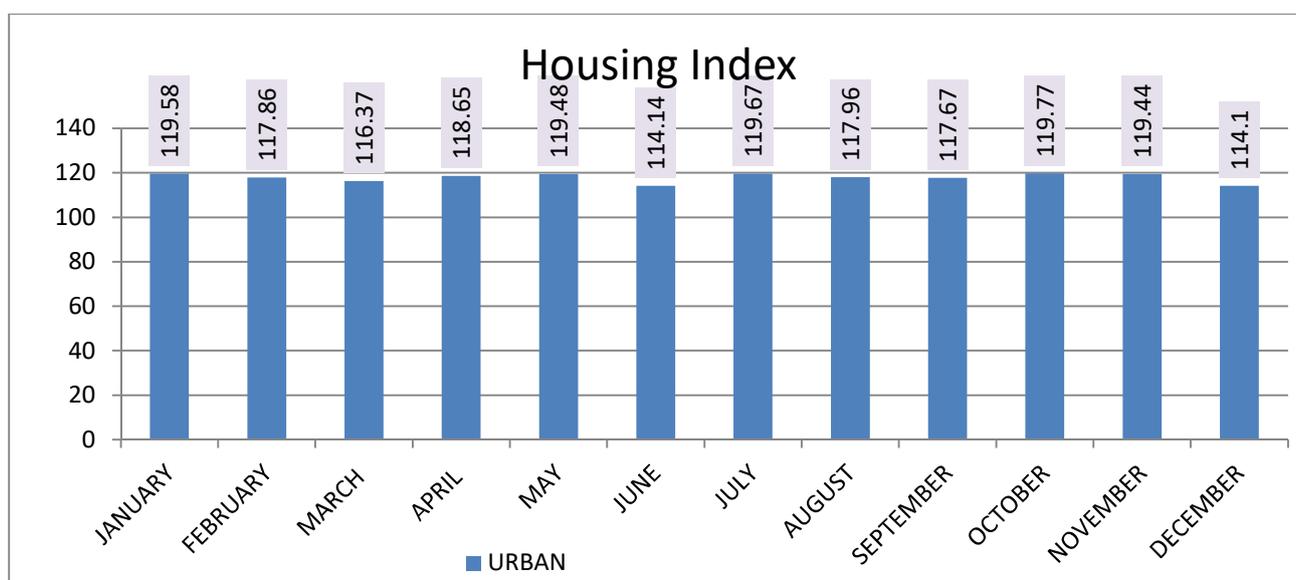
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URBAN Index	110.2	110.21	110.11	110.32	110.81	110.71	110.82	128.23	111.14	111.16	111.47	112.36
RURAL Index	127.82	127.82	127.82	127.87	128.03	128.16	128.16	128.23	128.38	128.38	128.38	128.67



## Housing Index

The urban index in Wayanad shows noticeable fluctuations throughout the year, beginning at 119.58 in January and dropping to 117.86 in February and 116.37 in March. A recovery is seen in April and May, with the index rising to 119.48. However, a sharp decline occurs in June, reaching 114.14, followed by another rise in July. The values continue to fluctuate mildly between August and November, before falling again to 114.10 in December. Overall, the trend reflects an unstable pattern with repeated rises and falls, indicating significant month-to-month variability in urban price behaviour.

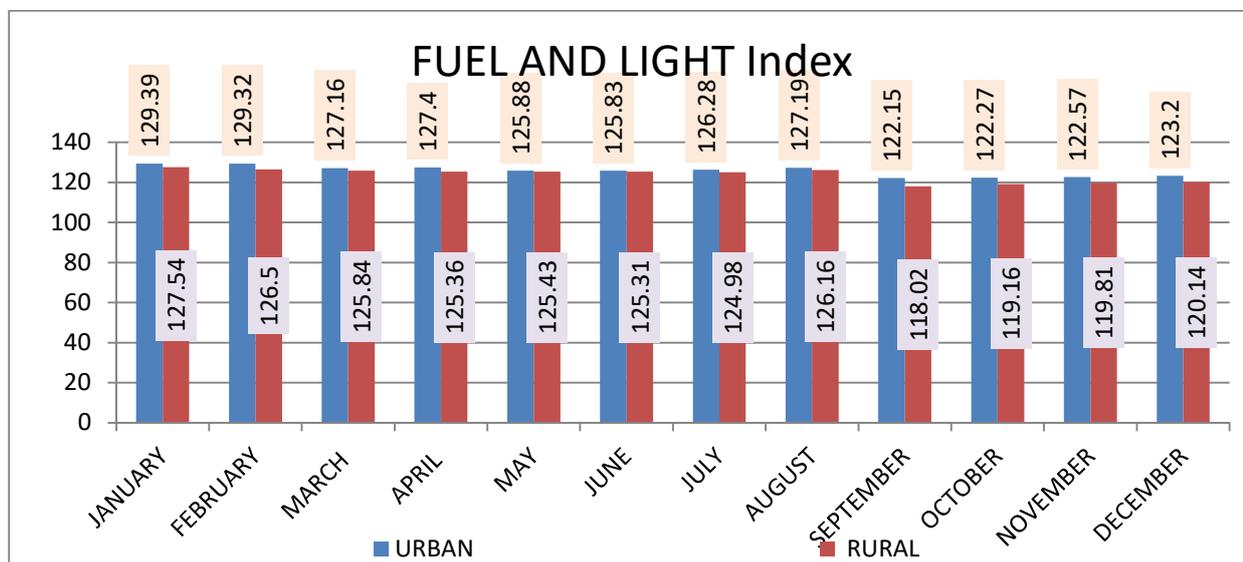
WYD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	119.58	117.86	116.37	118.65	119.48	114.14	119.67	117.96	117.67	119.77	119.44	114.1



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The urban index in Wayanad shows a gradual downward trend during the first half of the year, starting at 129.39 in January and falling steadily to 125.83 in June. A slight recovery is seen in July and August, but the index drops sharply to 122.15 in September. The values remain relatively stable in the final months, ending at 123.20 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects a general decline with minor recoveries and a noticeable dip in September. The rural index also follows a mostly downward movement, beginning at 127.54 in January and decreasing consistently to 124.98 in July. A brief rise occurs in August, but the index falls sharply to 118.02 in September, mirroring the urban pattern. The index stabilizes slightly toward the end of the year, ending at 120.14 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are lower during the latter part of the year and show a similar declining trend with a pronounced dip in September.

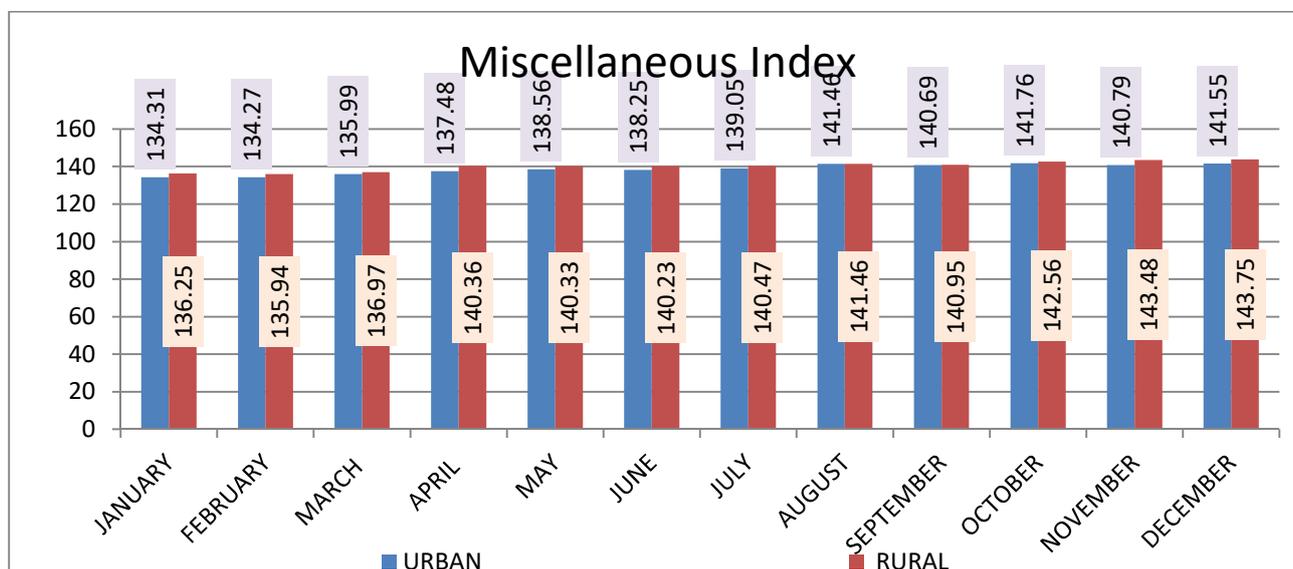
WYD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	129.39	129.32	127.16	127.4	125.88	125.83	126.28	127.19	122.15	122.27	122.57	123.2
RURAL Index	127.54	126.5	125.84	125.36	125.43	125.31	124.98	126.16	118.02	119.16	119.81	120.14



### Miscellaneous Index

The urban index in Wayanad shows a gradual downward trend during the first half of the year, starting at 129.39 in January and falling steadily to 125.83 in June. A slight recovery is seen in July and August, but the index drops sharply to 122.15 in September. The values remain relatively stable in the final months, ending at 123.20 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects a general decline with minor recoveries and a noticeable dip in September. The rural index also follows a mostly downward movement, beginning at 127.54 in January and decreasing consistently to 124.98 in July. A brief rise occurs in August, but the index falls sharply to 118.02 in September, mirroring the urban pattern. The index stabilizes slightly toward the end of the year, ending at 120.14 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are lower during the latter part of the year and show a similar declining trend with a pronounced dip in September.

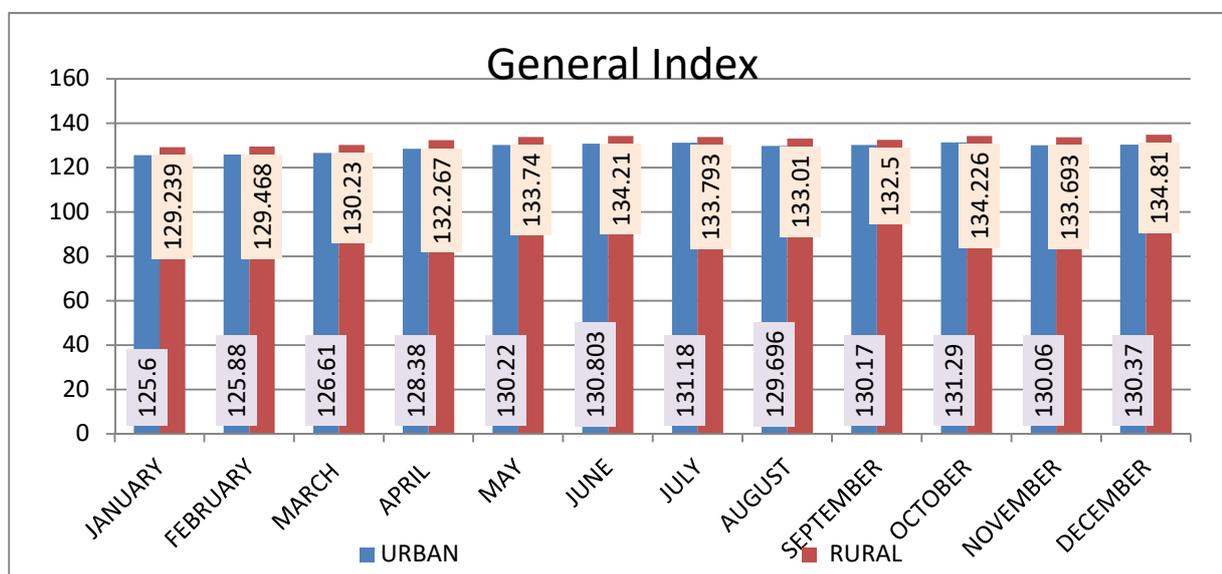
WYD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	134.31	134.27	135.99	137.48	138.56	138.25	139.05	141.46	140.69	141.76	140.79	141.55
RURAL Index	136.25	135.94	136.97	140.36	140.33	140.23	140.47	141.46	140.95	142.56	143.48	143.75



## General Index

The urban index in Wayanad shows a steady upward movement during the year, starting at 125.60 in January and gradually rising to 130.80 in June. A slight increase continues in July, followed by a small dip in August. The index recovers again from September onward, reaching around 131.29 in October and ending at 130.37 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects a generally increasing pattern with only minor fluctuations in the later months. The rural index follows a similar upward trend but at consistently higher levels compared to the urban index. Beginning at 129.24 in January, the index rises steadily to 134.21 by June. Although there are small fluctuations from July to September, the overall trend remains stable. A moderate rise is observed in the last quarter, ending at 134.81 in December. Compared with the urban index, the rural index displays stronger and more sustained growth throughout the year.

WYD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.6	125.88	126.61	128.38	130.22	130.803	131.18	129.696	130.17	131.29	130.06	130.37
RURAL Index	129.239	129.468	130.23	132.267	133.74	134.21	133.793	133.01	132.5	134.226	133.693	134.81

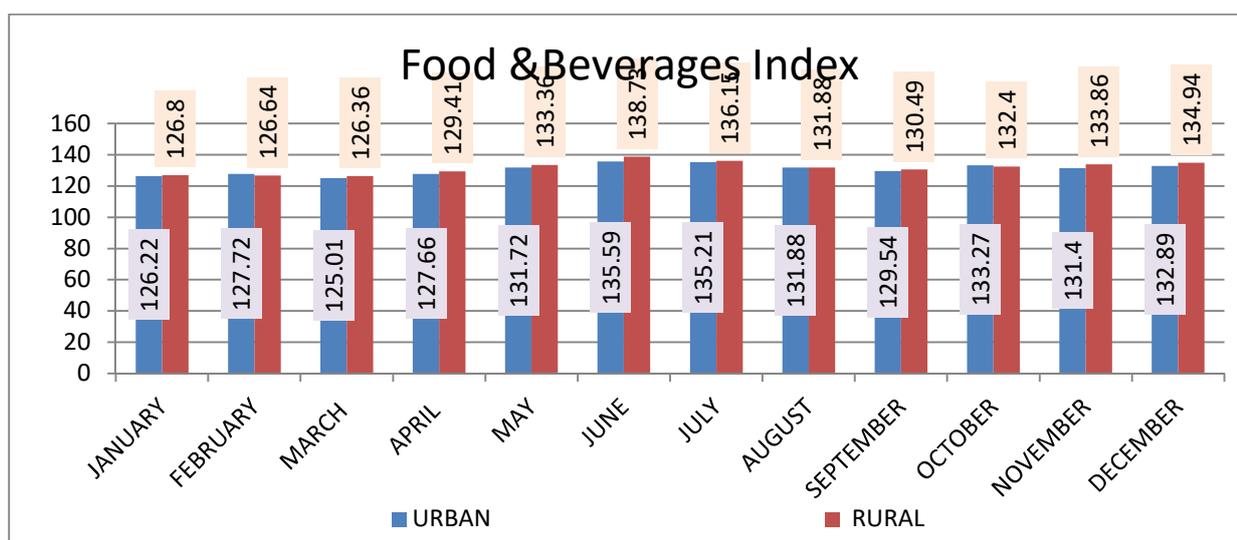


## KANNUR

### FOOD AND BEVERAGES Index

The urban index in Kannur shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, beginning at 126.22 in January and rising slightly in February before dipping in March. A steady upward movement appears from April to June, reaching a peak of 135.59 in June. The index then declines during July and August, followed by another fall in September. A recovery is seen in October, and the index stabilizes around 132–133 levels toward the end of the year. Overall, the urban trend reflects alternating periods of increase and decline with a mid-year peak. The rural index starts at 126.80 in January and remains relatively stable in the early months, with a gradual rise beginning in April. The index climbs steadily to reach its highest point of 138.73 in June. Similar to the urban trend, rural values fall during July, August, and September before rising again in the last quarter, ending at 134.94 in December. Compared with the urban index, the rural index remains consistently higher and shows a clearer upward trend, even though both exhibit similar mid-year peaks and late-year recovery.

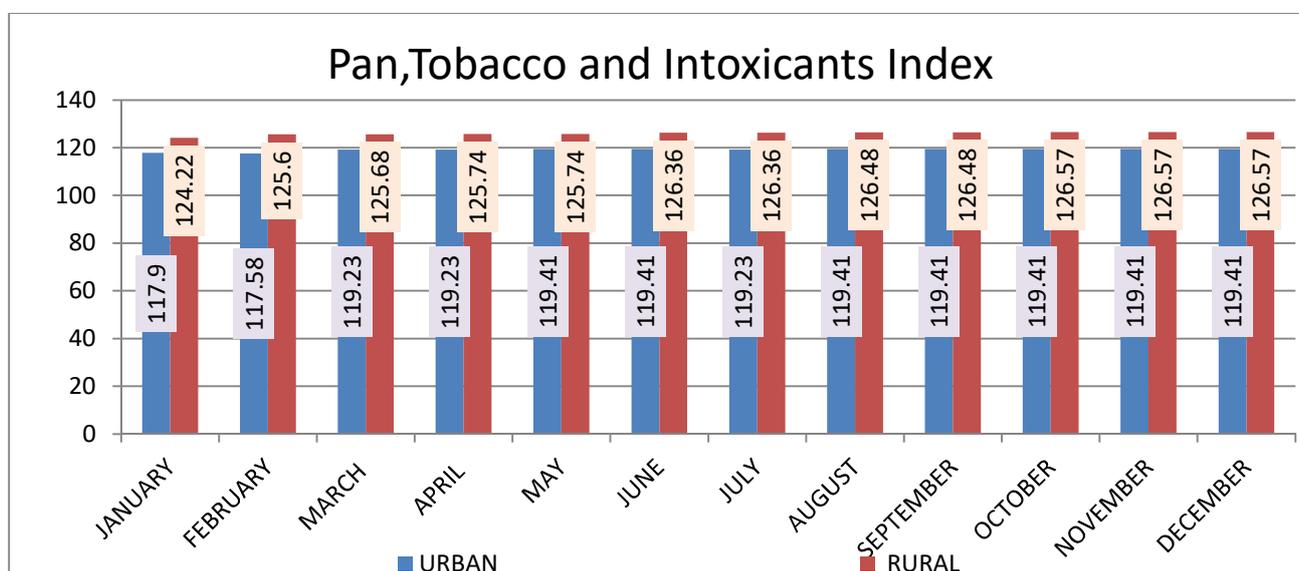
KNR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.22	127.72	125.01	127.66	131.72	135.59	135.21	131.88	129.54	133.27	131.4	132.89
RURAL Index	126.8	126.64	126.36	129.41	133.36	138.73	136.15	131.88	130.49	132.4	133.86	134.94



## Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The urban index in Kannur remains highly stable throughout the year, starting at 117.90 in January and showing only very small month-to-month changes. After a slight dip in February, the index rises to 119.23 in March and stays near this level for the rest of the year, with minor variations between 119.23 and 119.41. This indicates a steady price situation in urban areas with minimal fluctuations. The rural index begins at 124.22 in January and shows a smooth, gradual upward trend during the year. Small but consistent increases are seen from February to June, reaching 126.36, and the index continues to rise slightly thereafter, ending at 126.57 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values remain higher throughout the year and display a more defined upward movement, though still with very low volatility.

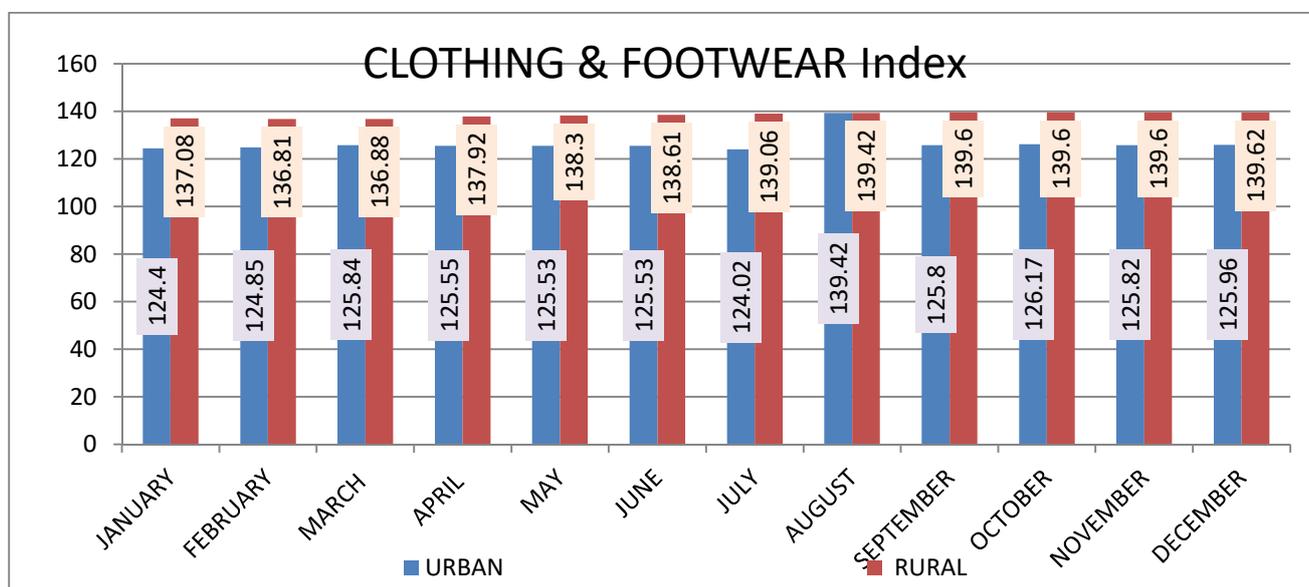
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URBAN Index	117.9	117.58	119.23	119.23	119.41	119.41	119.23	119.41	119.41	119.41	119.41	119.41
RURAL Index	124.22	125.6	125.68	125.74	125.74	126.36	126.36	126.48	126.48	126.57	126.57	126.57



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The urban index in Kannur shows moderate fluctuations across the year, starting at 124.40 in January and rising steadily to 125.84 in March. A slight decline follows in April and May, and the index stabilizes around 125.53 in June. A notable dip occurs in July, but August records a sudden spike to 139.42, after which the index drops back to normal levels in September. The last quarter shows stable values around 125–126, ending at 125.96 in December. Overall, the urban trend is mostly stable, except for an unusual peak in August. The rural index begins at 137.08 in January and remains consistently high throughout the year, showing only slight month-to-month increases. The index steadily rises from 136.81 in February to around 139.60 in September and stays almost unchanged through the final months, reaching 139.62 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are significantly higher and display a smooth, consistent upward trend without any major fluctuations.

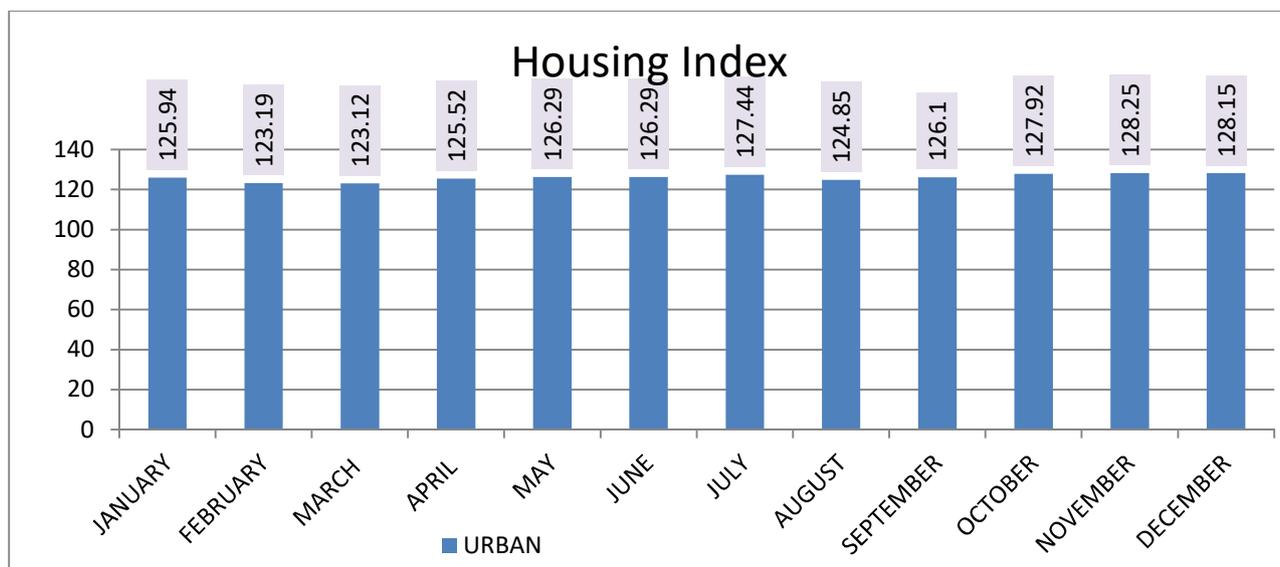
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URBAN Index	124.4	124.85	125.84	125.55	125.53	125.53	124.02	139.42	125.8	126.17	125.82	125.96
RURAL Index	137.08	136.81	136.88	137.92	138.3	138.61	139.06	139.42	139.6	139.6	139.6	139.62



### Housing Index

The urban index in Kannur shows moderate variations throughout the year, starting at 125.94 in January and dropping to 123.19 in February. The index remains almost stable in March before rising again in April and May, reaching 126.29 in June. A slight increase continues into July, followed by a dip in August. From September onward, the index moves upward once again, peaking at 128.25 in November and ending slightly lower at 128.15 in December. Overall, the trend reflects mild month-to-month fluctuations with a gradual increase during the latter part of the year.

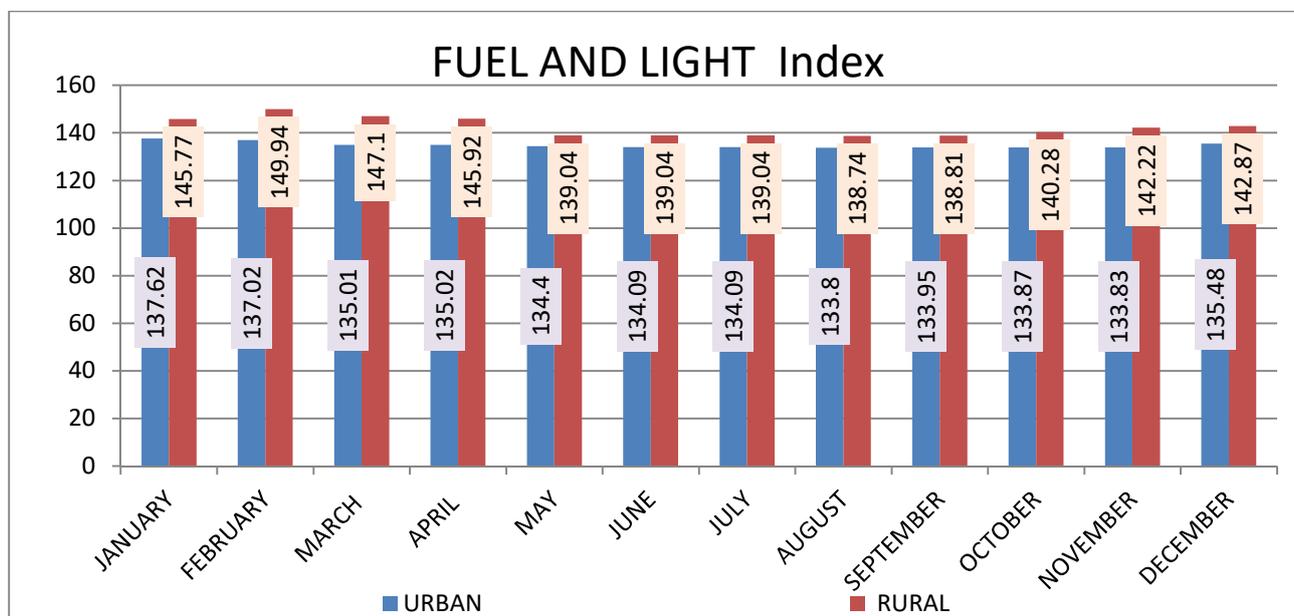
KNR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	125.94	123.19	123.12	125.52	126.29	126.29	127.44	124.85	126.1	127.92	128.25	128.15



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The urban index in Kannur shows a gentle downward trend during the first half of the year, starting at 137.62 in January and steadily decreasing to 134.09 by June. The index remains relatively stable from July to October, fluctuating only slightly around 133.8 to 133.95. A small rise occurs toward the end of the year, with the index reaching 135.48 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects mild and gradual variations with a slight recovery in the final months. The rural index begins at 145.77 in January and rises sharply to 149.94 in February before declining to 147.10 in March. A more significant drop occurs in May and June, bringing the index down to 139.04, after which it stabilizes around this level through August. From September onward, the index shows a steady upward movement, reaching 142.87 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are consistently higher and exhibit more pronounced fluctuations, including a mid-year decline followed by a gradual recovery toward the year's end.

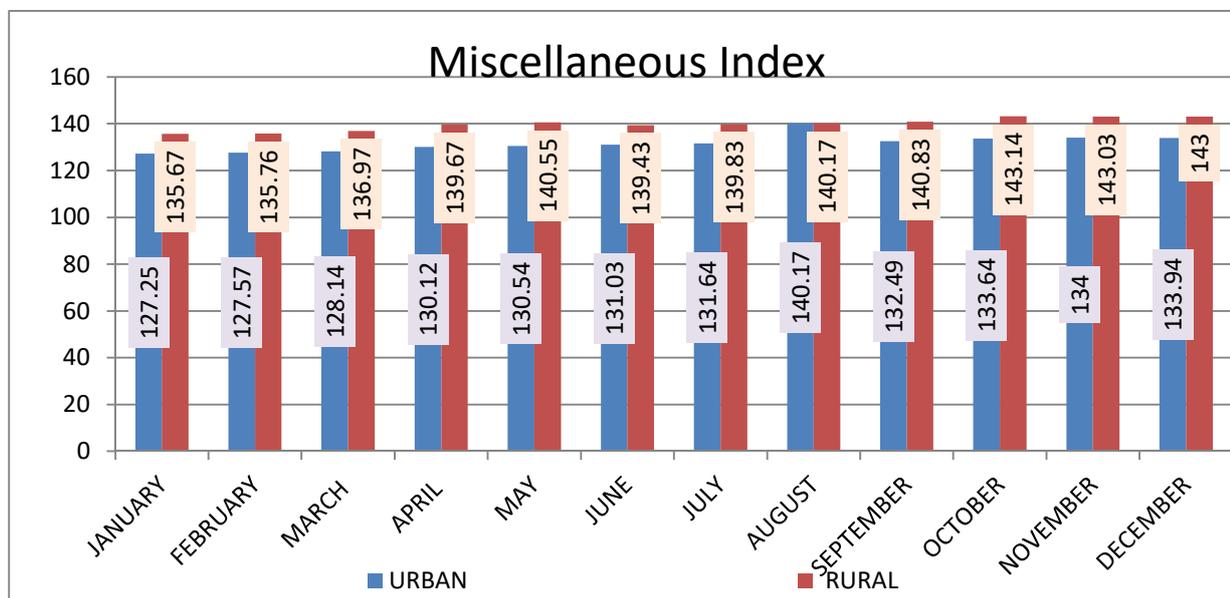
KNR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	137.62	137.02	135.01	135.02	134.4	134.09	134.09	133.8	133.95	133.87	133.83	135.48
RURAL Index	145.77	149.94	147.1	145.92	139.04	139.04	139.04	138.74	138.81	140.28	142.22	142.87



### Miscellaneous Index

The urban index in Kannur shows a steady upward movement through most of the year, beginning at 127.25 in January and gradually rising to 131.64 in July. In August, the index records a sharp and unusual spike to 140.17, before returning to more typical levels in September. The final quarter shows continued stability with values around 133–134, ending at 133.94 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects consistent growth with one notable peak in August. The rural index starts at 135.67 in January and follows a mostly upward trend throughout the year. The index climbs steadily to 140.55 in May, dips slightly in June, and rises again in July and August. From September onward, the rural index shows a clear increase, reaching its highest level of 143.14 in October and settling slightly lower at 143 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values remain consistently higher and display a smoother, more continuous upward trend without sharp fluctuations.

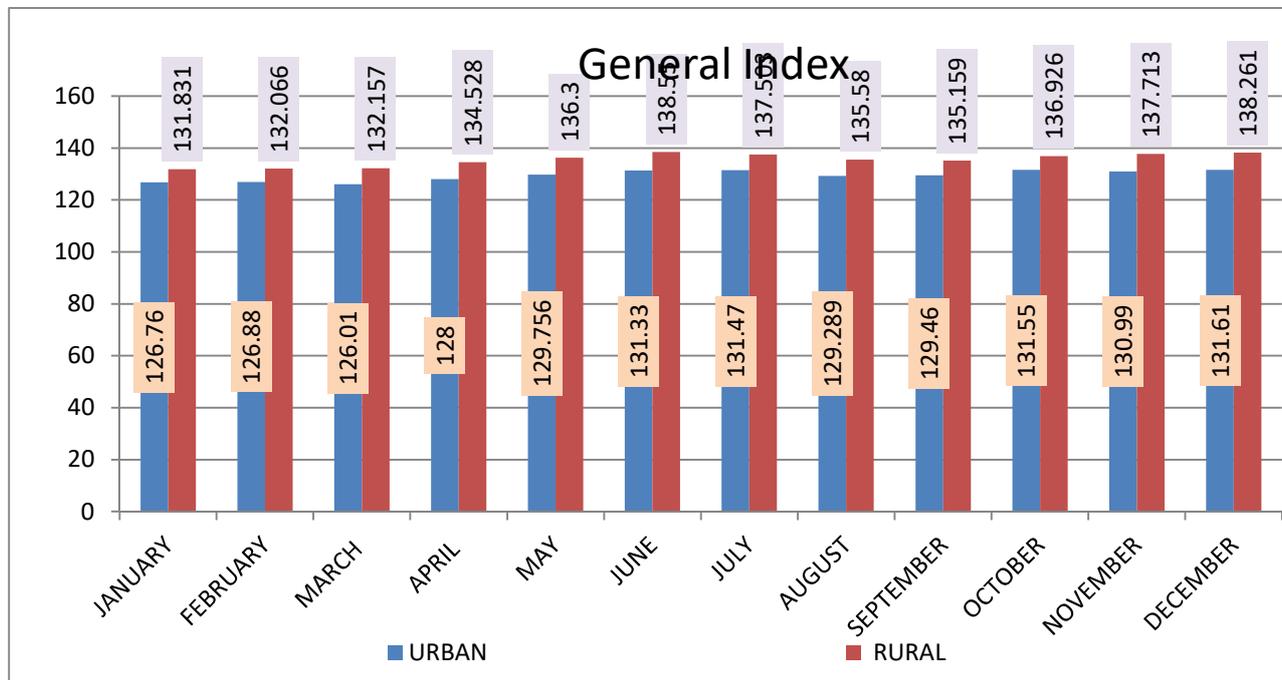
KNR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	127.25	127.57	128.14	130.12	130.54	131.03	131.64	140.17	132.49	133.64	134	133.94
RURAL Index	135.67	135.76	136.97	139.67	140.55	139.43	139.83	140.17	140.83	143.14	143.03	143



### General Index

The urban index in Kannur shows moderate variations across the year, beginning at 126.76 in January and increasing slightly in February. A small dip occurs in March, followed by a steady rise through April, May, and June, reaching 131.47 in July. The index declines in August but stabilizes again from September onward, rising to 131.61 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects gradual growth with minor mid-year fluctuations. The rural index starts higher at 131.83 in January and shows a clear upward movement during the first half of the year, rising steadily to 138.55 in June. A slight decline is observed in July and August, but the index regains momentum from September onward, ending at 138.26 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values remain consistently higher and exhibit a stronger, more continuous upward trend, despite small fluctuations in the middle of the year.

KNR	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	126.76	126.88	126.01	128	129.756	131.33	131.47	129.289	129.46	131.55	130.99	131.61
RURAL Index	131.831	132.066	132.157	134.528	136.3	138.55	137.503	135.58	135.159	136.926	137.713	138.261

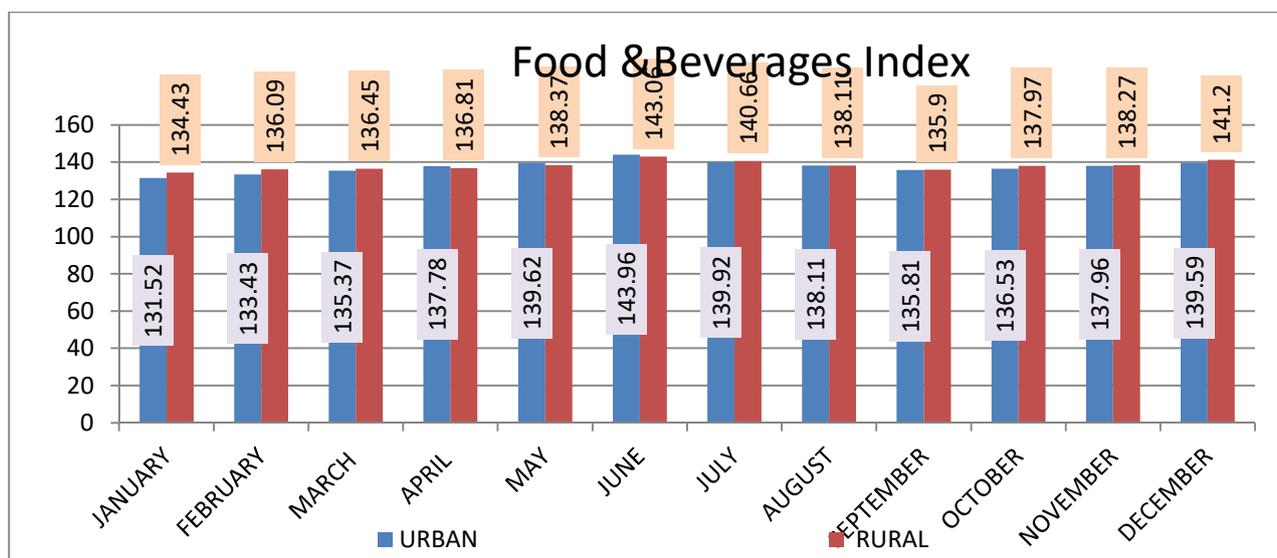


## KASARGOD

### Food & Beverages Index

The urban index in Kasargod shows a steady rise from January to June, increasing from 131.52 to a peak of 143.96. After June, the index declines slightly in July and August, followed by a gradual easing through September. A mild recovery begins in October and continues through December, ending at 139.59. Overall, the urban trend reflects strong growth in the first half of the year, moderate fluctuations in the middle months, and a stable recovery toward the end. The rural index follows a similar pattern, starting at 134.43 in January and rising consistently to 143.06 in June. After this peak, the index dips in July and August and continues to soften slightly in September. From October onward, the rural index shows a gentle upward movement, closing at 141.20 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values remain slightly higher throughout the year and exhibit smoother month-to-month variations, with a clear rise–dip–recovery pattern.

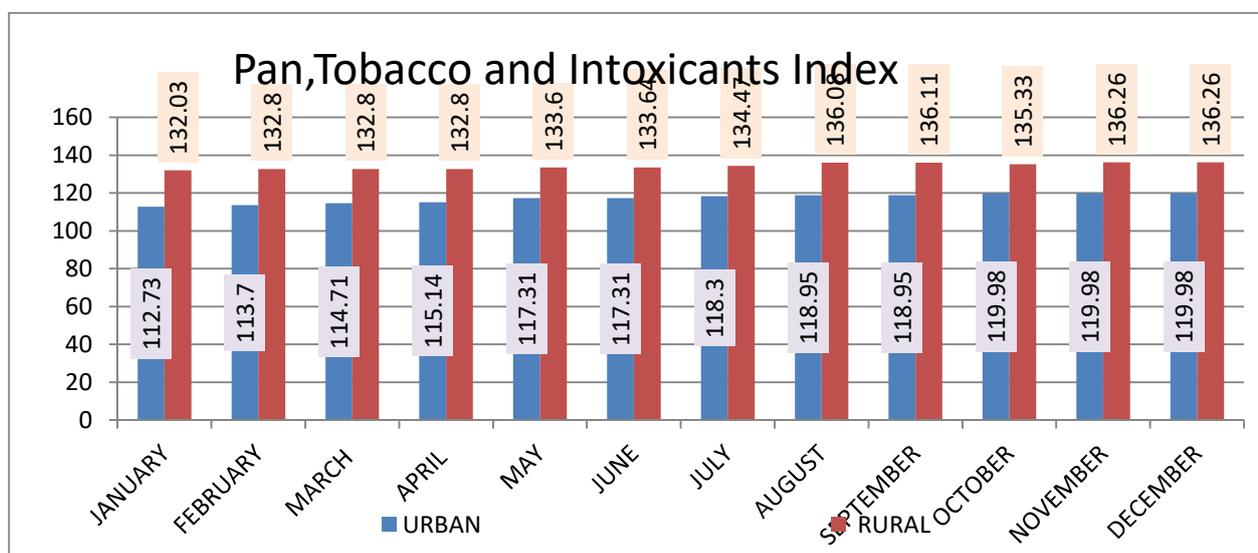
KSD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	131.52	133.43	135.37	137.78	139.62	143.96	139.92	138.11	135.81	136.53	137.96	139.59
RURAL Index	134.43	136.09	136.45	136.81	138.37	143.06	140.66	138.11	135.9	137.97	138.27	141.2



### Pan, Tobacco and Intoxicants Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, beginning at 112.73 in January and gradually rising to 117.31 by May and June. A continued increase is observed from July onward, reaching 119.98 in October, and the index remains stable at this level through December. Overall, the urban trend reflects consistent growth with minimal fluctuations. The rural index starts higher at 132.03 in January and remains almost stable in the first few months. A gradual rise begins in May, reaching 134.47 in July, followed by a sharper increase to 136.08 in August. Minor fluctuations occur in the later months, and the index ends at 136.26 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are consistently higher and show a more pronounced upward trend, with slight month-to-month variations.

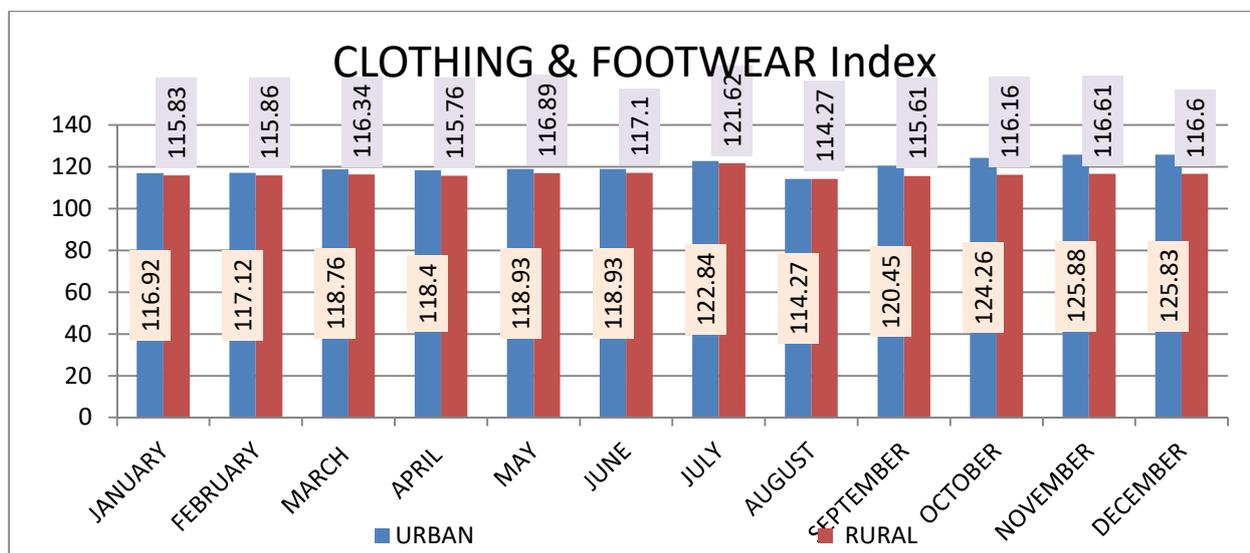
KSD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	112.73	113.7	114.71	115.14	117.31	117.31	118.3	118.95	118.95	119.98	119.98	119.98
RURAL Index	132.03	132.8	132.8	132.8	133.6	133.64	134.47	136.08	136.11	135.33	136.26	136.26



### CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, starting at 116.92 in January and rising gradually to 118.93 by June. A notable spike occurs in July, reaching 122.84, followed by a sharp drop to 114.27 in August. After this dip, the index recovers steadily, climbing to 125.88 in November and slightly decreasing to 125.83 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects significant month-to-month variability with a strong recovery toward the end of the year. The rural index begins at 115.83 in January and remains relatively stable during the first half of the year, with small increases up to 117.10 in June. Similar to the urban trend, a sharp rise occurs in July, reaching 121.62, followed by a decline to 114.27 in August. The index then recovers slightly and stabilizes around 116 by the year-end, closing at 116.60 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are lower in the latter months and exhibit smaller overall fluctuations, showing a steadier trend except for the mid-year spike.

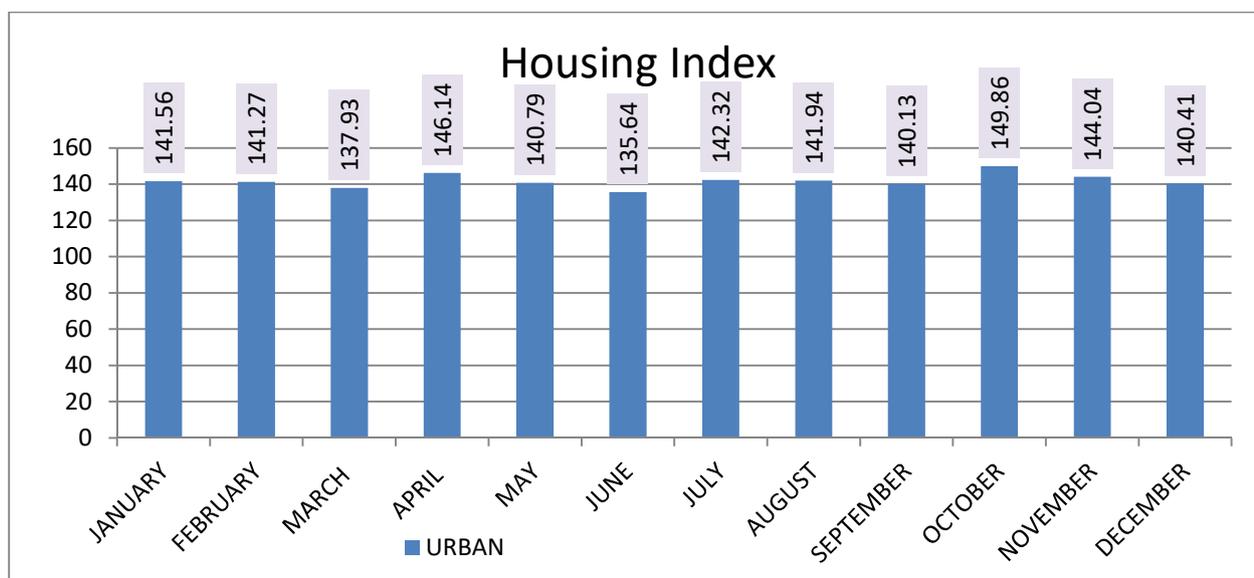
KSD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	116.92	117.12	118.76	118.4	118.93	118.93	122.84	114.27	120.45	124.26	125.88	125.83
RURAL Index	115.83	115.86	116.34	115.76	116.89	117.1	121.62	114.27	115.61	116.16	116.61	116.6



## Housing Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows significant fluctuations throughout the year. It starts at 141.56 in January and remains nearly stable in February before dropping to 137.93 in March. A sharp rise occurs in April, reaching 146.14, followed by a decline in May and June to 135.64. The index climbs again in July and August, fluctuating around 141–142, and dips slightly in September. A notable peak is observed in October at 149.86, after which the index declines to 140.41 in December. Overall, the trend reflects high volatility with multiple sharp rises and falls over the year.

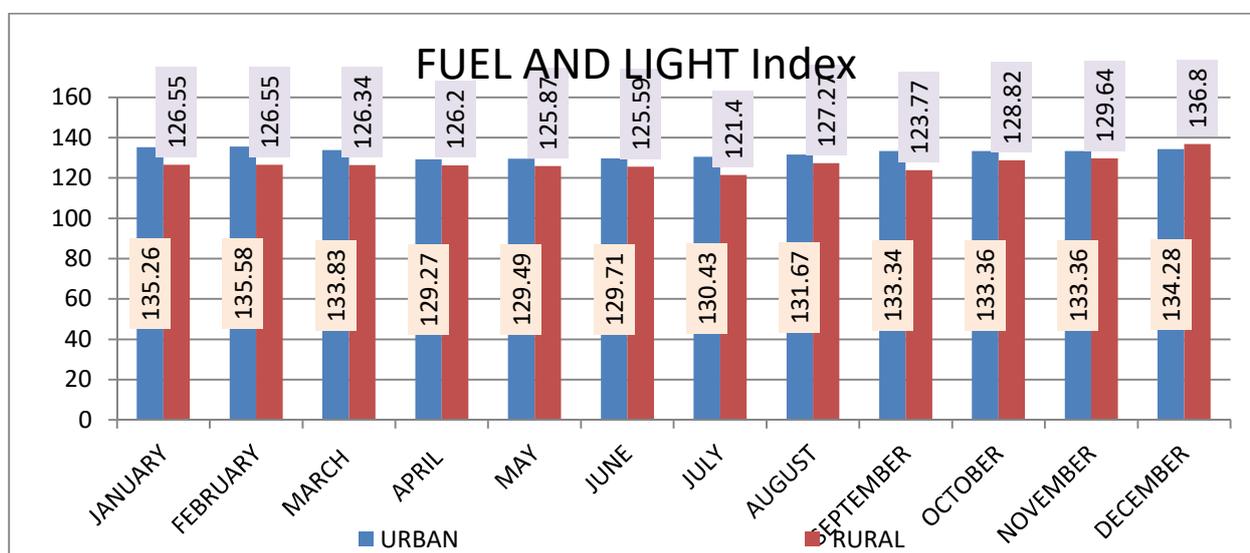
KSD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	141.56	141.27	137.93	146.14	140.79	135.64	142.32	141.94	140.13	149.86	144.04	140.41



### FUEL AND LIGHT Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, starting at 135.26 in January and remaining relatively stable in February and March. A decline is observed in April, reaching 129.27, and the index remains around 129–130 through June and July. From August onward, the index gradually rises, reaching 134.28 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects an initial dip in the middle of the year followed by a steady recovery toward the end. The rural index begins at 126.55 in January and remains nearly stable in the first few months. A gradual decline occurs until July, reaching 121.40, followed by a rebound in August. The index then fluctuates slightly in September and October before rising more sharply in November and December, ending at 136.80. Compared with the urban index, rural values start lower but show a stronger recovery in the final months, reflecting greater volatility throughout the year.

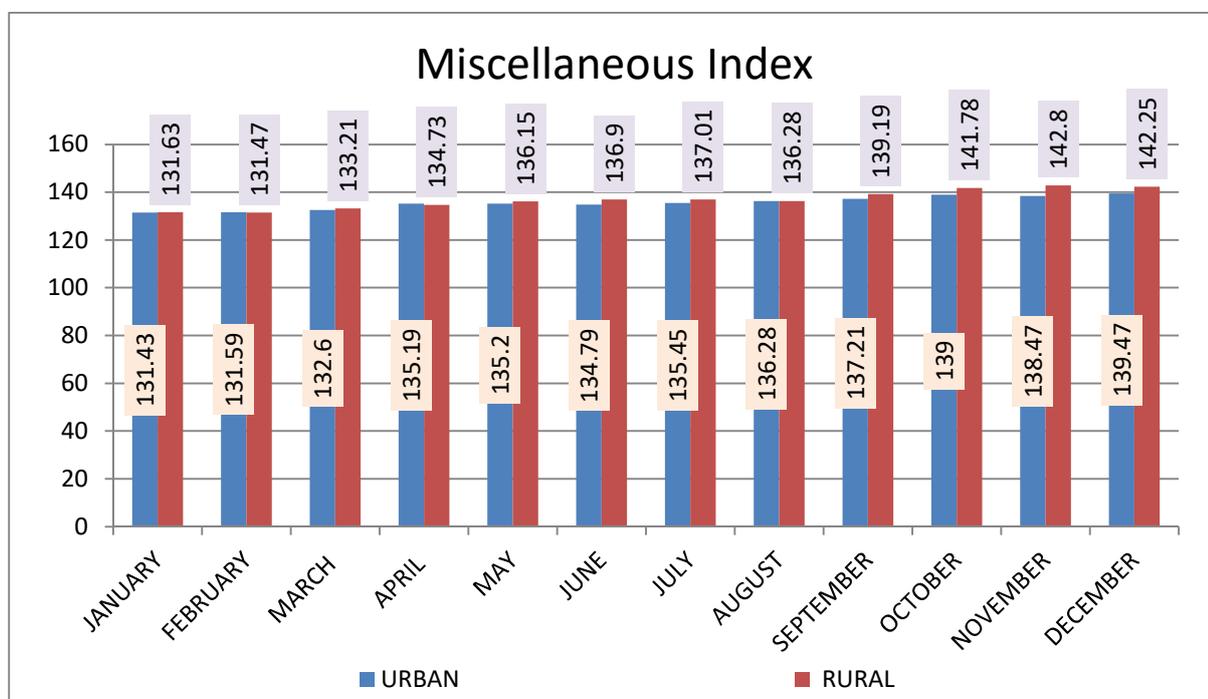
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URBAN Index	135.26	135.58	133.83	129.27	129.49	129.71	130.43	131.67	133.34	133.36	133.36	134.28
RURAL Index	126.55	126.55	126.34	126.2	125.87	125.59	121.4	127.27	123.77	128.82	129.64	136.8



### Miscellaneous Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows a steady upward trend throughout the year. Starting at 131.43 in January, it rises gradually to 135.45 by July and continues to increase, reaching 139.00 in October. Minor fluctuations are observed in November and December, with the index ending at 139.47. Overall, the urban trend reflects consistent growth with only slight month-to-month variations. The rural index begins at 131.63 in January and shows a smooth upward trajectory, reaching 137.01 in July. The increase continues in the last quarter, peaking at 142.80 in November before slightly declining to 142.25 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values remain consistently higher from mid-year onward and display a stronger, more sustained upward trend with steady month-to-month growth.

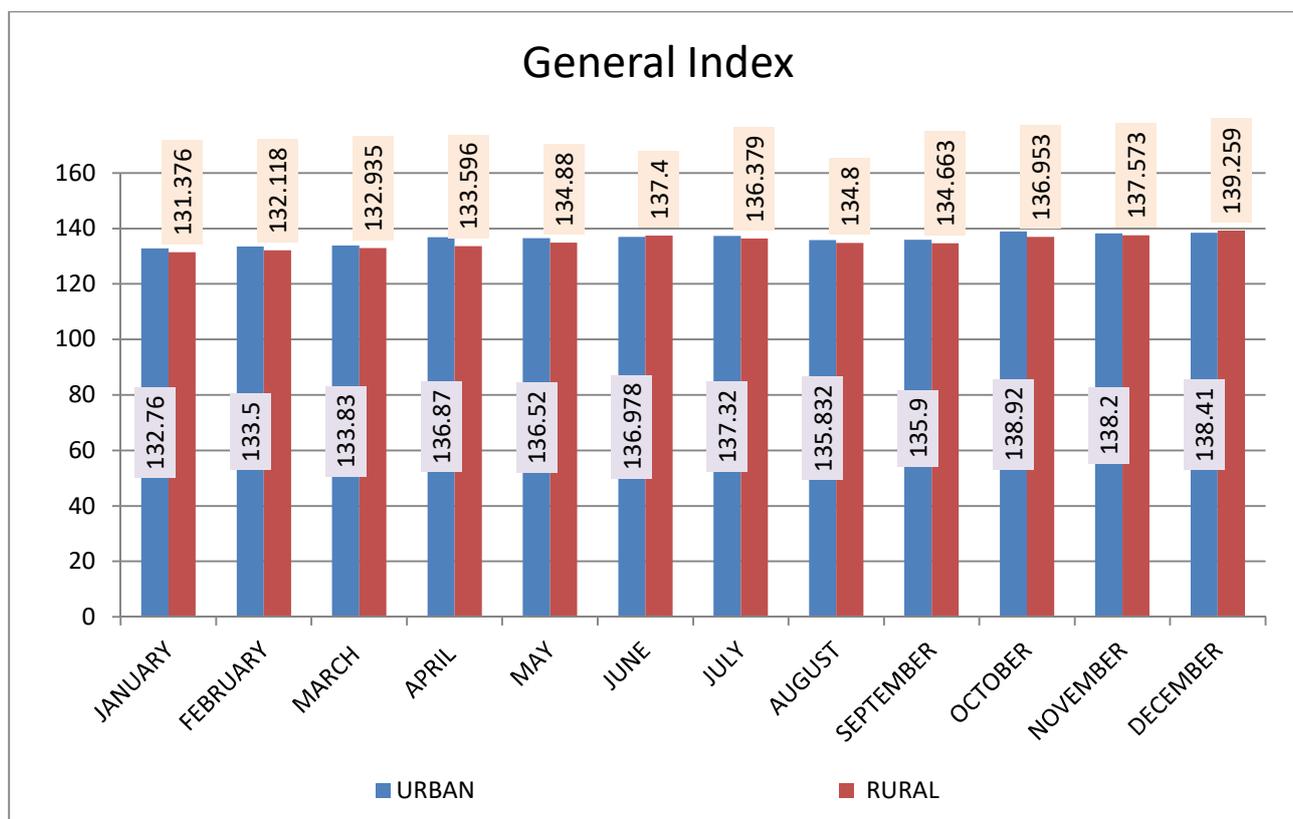
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URBAN Index	131.43	131.59	132.6	135.19	135.2	134.79	135.45	136.28	137.21	139	138.47	139.47
RURAL Index	131.63	131.47	133.21	134.73	136.15	136.9	137.01	136.28	139.19	141.78	142.8	142.25



### General Index

The urban index in Kasaragod shows a gradual upward trend during the year, beginning at 132.76 in January and rising steadily to 137.32 by July. A slight decline occurs in August and September, followed by a recovery in the last quarter, reaching 138.41 in December. Overall, the urban trend reflects consistent growth with minor mid-year fluctuations. The rural index starts at 131.38 in January and rises steadily to 137.40 in June, followed by a small decline in July and August. The index then fluctuates slightly in September and October, ending the year at 139.26 in December. Compared with the urban index, rural values are generally lower in the first half of the year but surpass urban levels toward the end, showing a stronger and more sustained growth in the latter months.

KSD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
URBAN Index	132.76	133.5	133.83	136.87	136.52	136.978	137.32	135.832	135.9	138.92	138.2	138.41
RURAL Index	131.376	132.118	132.935	133.596	134.88	137.4	136.379	134.8	134.663	136.953	137.573	139.259

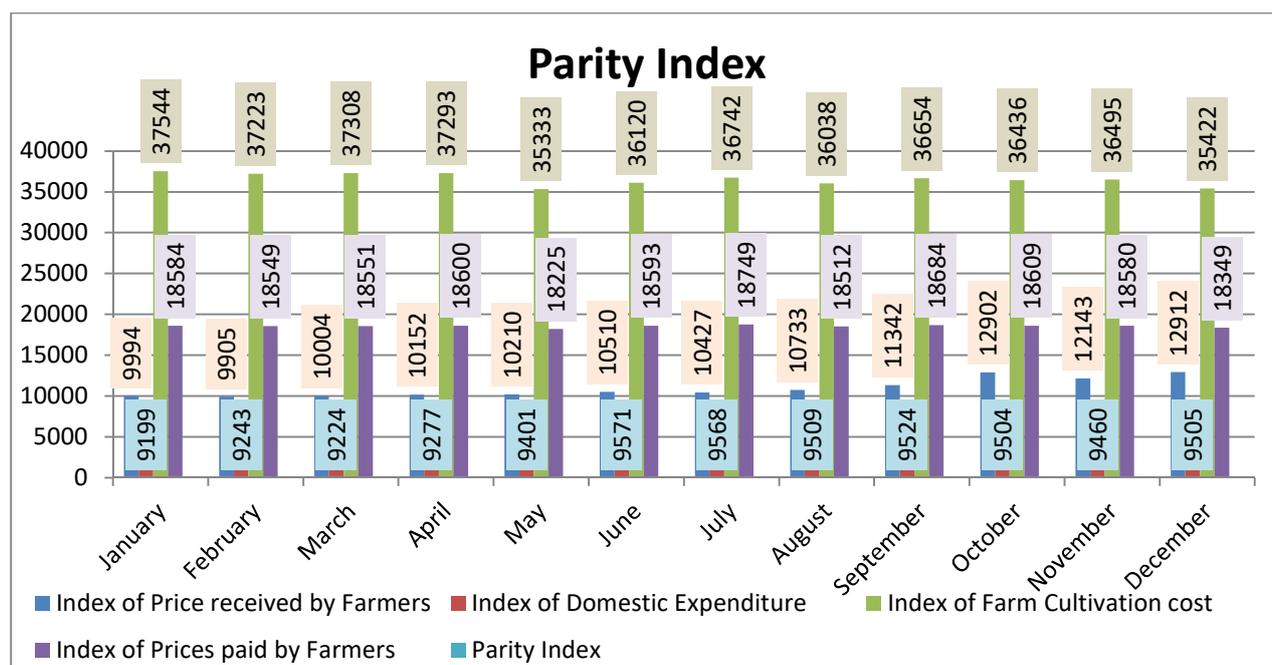


## Parity Index

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Based on the monthly indices, the price situation of farmers shows a generally improving trend over the year, particularly in the second half. The *Index of Prices Received by Farmers* remains relatively stable from January to April, followed by a steady increase from May onwards, reaching its peak in October and December. In contrast, the *Index of Domestic Expenditure* shows only marginal fluctuations throughout the year, indicating relative stability in household consumption costs. The *Index of Farm Cultivation Cost* remains high but displays minor variations, with a noticeable decline during May and December. The *Index of Prices Paid by Farmers* stays largely stable with slight month-to-month changes, reflecting controlled input price movements. As a result of the faster rise in prices received compared to prices paid, the *Parity Index* improves progressively from 54 in January to 70 in December, with a sharp increase during the post-monsoon period. This upward movement in the parity index indicates an overall improvement in the economic position of farmers over the year, particularly during the harvest season, as their income growth outpaced the rise in cultivation and domestic expenditure costs.

Month	Index of Price received by Farmers	Index of Domestic Expenditure	Index of Farm Cultivation cost	Index of Prices paid by Farmers	Parity Index
January	9994	9199	37544	18584	54
February	9905	9243	37223	18549	53
March	10004	9224	37308	18551	54
April	10152	9277	37293	18600	55
May	10210	9401	35333	18225	56
June	10510	9571	36120	18593	57
July	10427	9568	36742	18749	56
August	10733	9509	36038	18512	58
September	11342	9524	36654	18684	61
October	12902	9504	36436	18609	69
November	12143	9460	36495	18580	65
December	12912	9505	35422	18349	70



## Group-wise Wholesale Price Index of Agricultural Commodities

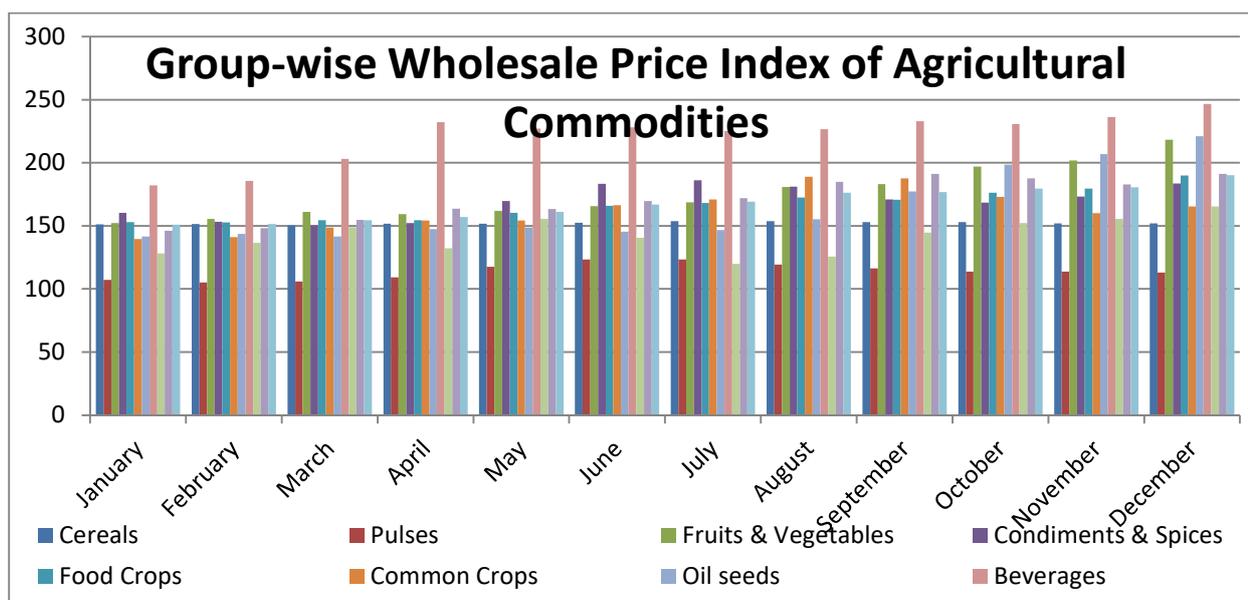
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The annual movement of crop group indices shows a clear upward trend across most categories, reflecting broad-based price and cost increases in the agricultural sector. **Cereals** remain relatively stable throughout the year, fluctuating narrowly between 150.4 and 153.8, indicating steady market conditions. **Pulses**, however, display more variation, rising from 107.2 in January to a peak of 123.5 in June and July before gradually declining toward December. **Fruits and Vegetables** show the most pronounced increase, moving sharply from 152.22 in January to 218.32 in December, signalling strong seasonal and demand-driven price pressures. **Condiments and Spices** also exhibit significant fluctuations, increasing steadily until June, dipping slightly in September and October, and rising again by year-end. **Food Crops** and **Common Crops** follow a similar upward pattern, reflecting broad cost and price escalations across staple categories. **Oilseeds** show a strong rise from 141.64 in January to 221.06 in December, indicating increased market value and possibly higher demand. The **Beverages** index remains consistently high, climbing from 181.99 to 246.60, while **Other Non-Food Items** and **Non-Food Crops** also show moderate increases toward the latter part of the year. Overall, the **All Crops** index rises steadily from 151.0 in January to 190.27 in December, highlighting a general increase in agricultural prices and cost pressures across almost all crop groups during the year.

Group-wise Wholesale Price Index of Agricultural Commodities

Base : 2015-16=100

Month	Cereals	Pulses	Fruits & Vegetables	Condiments & Spices	Food Crops	Common Crops	Oil seeds	Beverages	Other Non food Items	Non - Food crops	All crops
January	151.2	107.2	152.22	160.34	153.05	139.57	141.64	181.99	128.17	146.1	151
February	151.4	105.1	155.48	153.18	152.74	141.23	143.61	185.7	136.44	148.23	151.41
March	150.4	105.9	161.21	150.37	154.43	148.68	141.6	203.13	148.84	154.8	154.54
April	151.7	109.2	159.22	152.36	154.43	154.38	147.47	232.25	132.3	163.7	157.15
May	151.7	117.6	161.94	169.65	160.26	154.17	148.67	227.11	155.46	163.4	161.19
June	152.6	123.5	165.63	183.36	165.82	166.44	145.49	228.09	140.57	169.8	166.98
July	153.7	123.4	168.61	186.03	168.16	171.06	146.58	225.09	119.9	172	169.3
August	153.8	119.3	180.92	181.15	172.54	188.85	155.34	226.73	125.69	185	176.22
September	153.1	116.4	183	170.93	170.65	187.78	177.25	232.91	144.71	191.1	176.67
October	153.1	113.8	196.97	168.33	176.38	173.04	198.67	230.58	152.15	187.59	179.68
November	152	113.9	201.71	173.26	179.54	160.07	206.83	236.3	155.5	182.9	180.53
December	152.1	112.9	218.32	183.62	189.85	165.4	221.06	246.6	165.4	191.26	190.27



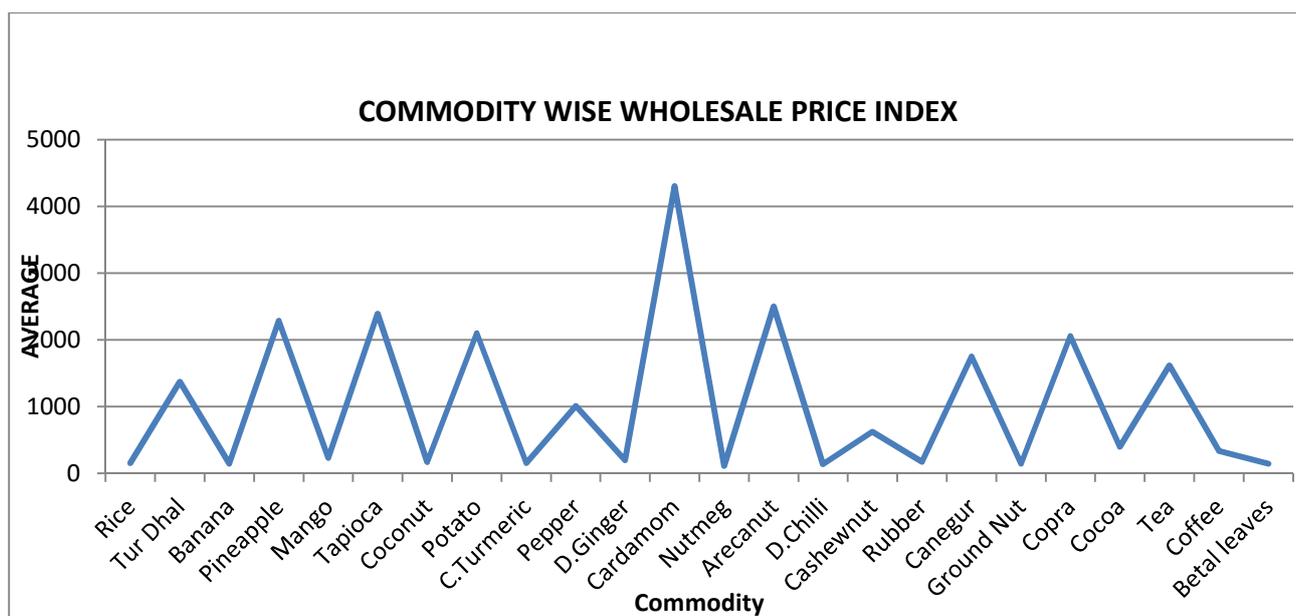
## COMMODITY WISE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX

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The average price data across major agricultural commodities reveal substantial variation between categories. High-value plantation crops such as cardamom (4306), arecanut (2503), potato (2101.4), tapioca (2391), copra (2055.1), and tea (1617.7) dominate the upper end of the price spectrum. Spices like pepper (1011.8) and dry ginger (195.26) also exhibit significant price levels, highlighting their commercial importance. Fruits such as pineapple (2286.4) and mango (232.55) show notable price averages, while banana (145.47) remains comparatively moderate. Essential staples such as rice (152.31) and groundnut (142.01) fall in the lower range, reflecting their wider availability and stable production. Plantation products like coffee (333.73) and cocoa (397.39) show mid-range values, indicating steady but less volatile market conditions. Commodities such as nutmeg (111.44), dry chilli (134.18), betel leaves (145.2), and coconut (166.97) remain relatively stable. Overall, the price structure suggests that high-value plantation and spice crops account for the largest share of price variation, while staple food items and commonly produced crops maintain moderate and stable average price levels.

COMMODITY WISE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX

Commodity	AVERAGE (Index)
Rice	152.31
Tur Dhal	1373.9
Banana	145.47
Pineapple	2286.4
Mango	232.55
Tapioca	2391
Coconut	166.97
Potato	2101.4
C.Turmeric	152.88
Pepper	1011.8
D.Ginger	195.26
Cardamom	4306
Nutmeg	111.44
Arecanut	2503
D.Chilli	134.18
Cashewnut	621
Rubber	174.16
Canegur	1753.1
Ground Nut	142.01
Copra	2055.1
Cocoa	397.39
Tea	1617.7
Coffee	333.73
Betal leaves	145.2



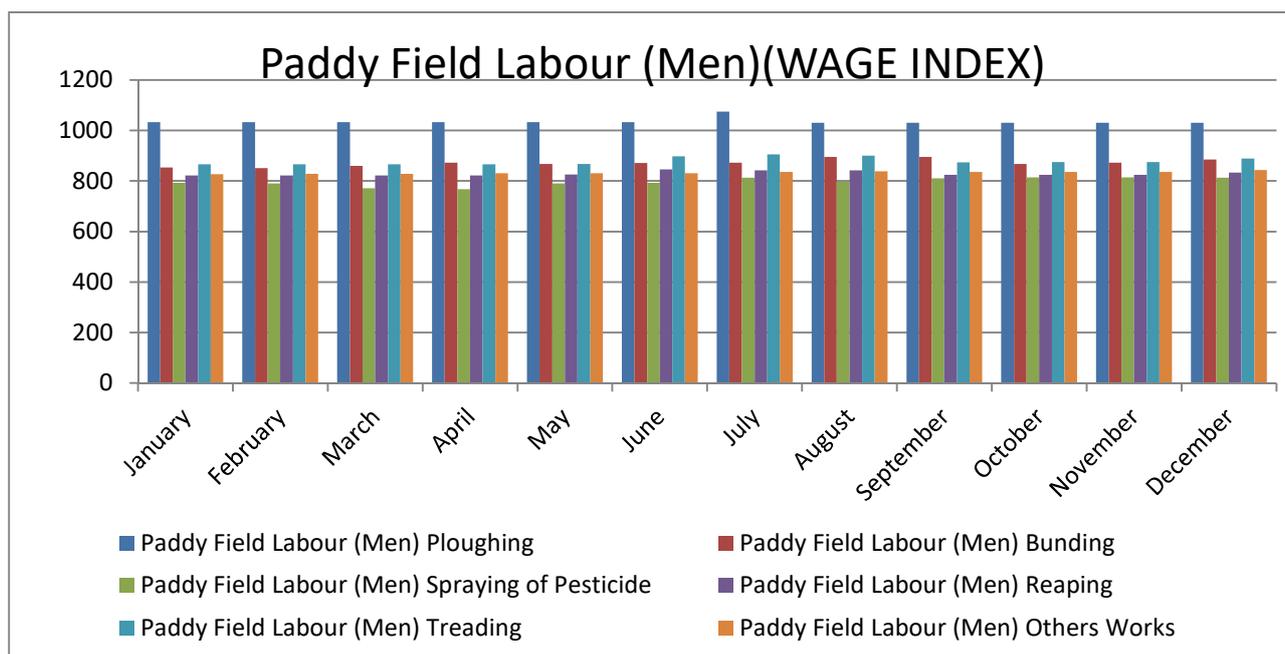
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## Statement Showing the WAGES (Paddy Field Labourers)

### Paddy Field Labour (Men)

The monthly wage pattern for paddy field labour (men) shows relative stability throughout the year, with slight fluctuations across different agricultural operations. **Ploughing** maintains a uniform rate of 1033 from January to June, increasing marginally to 1075 in July before settling back to 1030 from August onwards. **Bunding** wages show moderate variations, rising from 853 in January to a peak of 895 in August and September, indicating higher labour demand during field preparation periods. **Spraying of pesticides** ranges between 768 and 815, with the lowest rate in April and a gradual rise toward the end of the year, suggesting seasonal differences in plant protection activities. **Reaping** remains steady at around 822–846, with a noticeable increase in June and July, aligning with peak harvesting activities. **Treading** wages follow a similar trend, increasing from 866 in January to a peak of 905 in July before stabilizing around the mid-870s toward the year-end. **Other works** show a gentle upward movement from 827 in January to 843 in December. Overall, the data indicate that labour charges rise slightly during peak agricultural activity months such as June to August, reflecting the seasonal intensity of farming operations and associated labour demand.

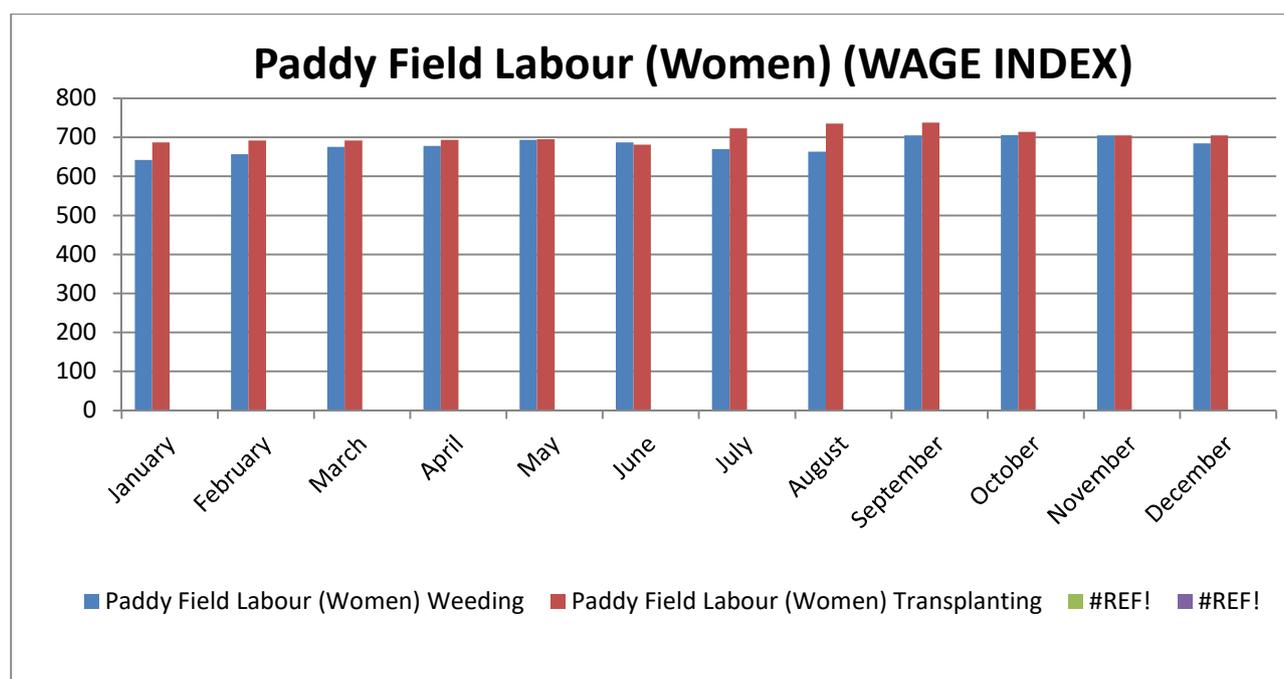
Paddy Field Labour (Men)(WAGE INDEX)						
MONTH	Ploughing	Bunding	Spraying of Pesticide	Reaping	Treading	Others Works
January	1033	853	793	822	866	827
February	1033	851	790	822	866	828
March	1033	860	771	822	866	828
April	1033	872	768	822	866	831
May	1033	868	790	826	867	831
June	1033	871	793	846	898	831
July	1075	873	813	842	905	836
August	1030	895	797	842	900	839
September	1030	895	811	825	874	836
October	1030	868	814	825	875	836
November	1030	873	815	825	875	836
December	1030	885	813	834	889	843



### **Paddy Field Labour (Women) (WAGE INDEX)**

The monthly wage pattern for women working in paddy fields shows moderate fluctuations across different agricultural activities, reflecting seasonal labour demand. **Weeding** wages increase steadily from 642 in January to a peak of 705 in September and October, indicating higher labour requirements during crop maintenance stages. **Transplanting** shows a gradual rise from 687 in January to 738 in September, with the highest rate recorded in August (735) and September (738), aligning with the peak transplanting season. **Reaping** wages display more variability, starting at 692 in January, rising to 718 in May, and reaching the highest level of 752 in June, which corresponds to intensified harvesting activity. The wages then fluctuate moderately before rising again to 739 in December. **Other works** remain relatively stable throughout the year, ranging from 671 to 700, with slight increases toward the end of the year. Overall, the data show that women's labour wages rise notably during cultivation and harvesting cycles—particularly in May to September—highlighting the increased workload and seasonal importance of their role in paddy cultivation.

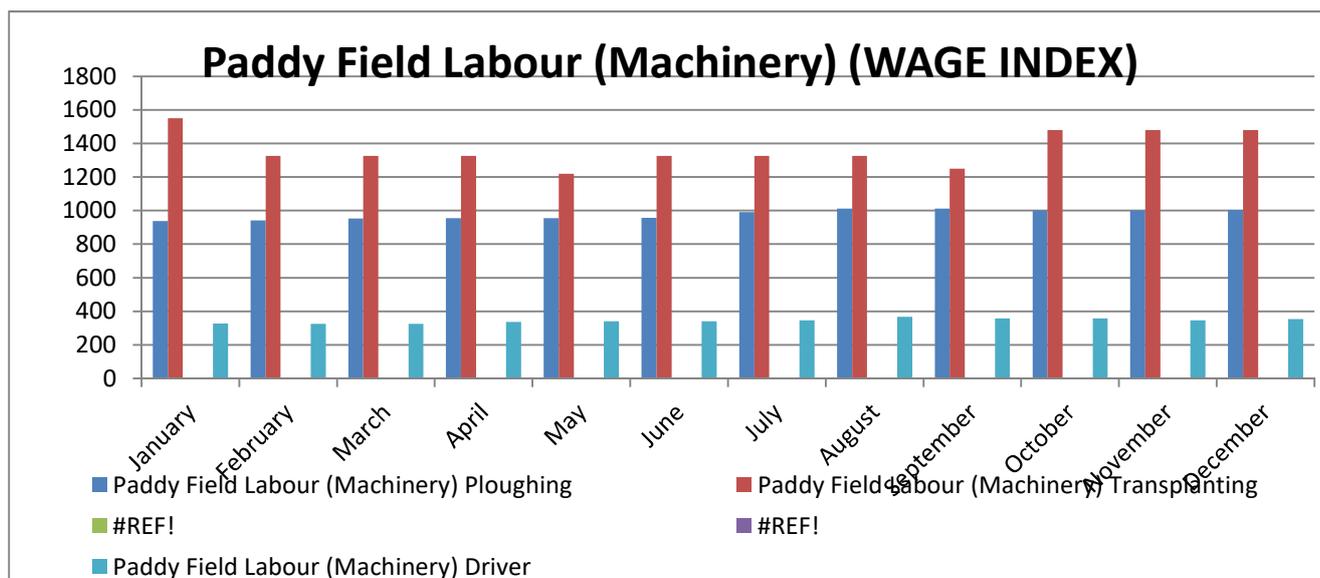
Paddy Field Labour (Women) (WAGE INDEX)				
MONTH	Weeding	Transplanting	Reaping	Others Works
January	642	687	692	671
February	657	692	680	671
March	676	692	680	671
April	678	694	683	675
May	694	695	718	683
June	687	681	752	683
July	670	723	742	698
August	663	735	739	698
September	705	738	693	698
October	706	714	681	698
November	705	705	696	700
December	685	705	739	700



### Paddy Field Labour (Machinery) (WAGE INDEX)

The annual pattern of machinery-related labour charges in paddy cultivation shows notable fluctuations driven by seasonal agricultural activities. **Ploughing** rates rise gradually from 937 in January to a peak of 1012 in August and September, reflecting increased demand for land preparation during the monsoon cropping season. **Transplanting** charges remain stable at 1325 for most months, with a dip to 1220 in May and a rise to 1480 in October, November, and December, indicating higher machine use and demand during late-season transplanting. **Reaping** shows significant variation, starting at 1839 in January and reaching its highest level of 1978 in October, aligning with peak harvesting periods. **Treading** charges remain stable at 1392 up to May, then increase to around 1560 during June to August, before declining again in September and October, reflecting seasonal post-harvest processing needs. **Driver charges** fluctuate modestly between 326 and 367, with the highest rates in August when machine utilisation is at its peak. Overall, the data indicate higher machinery and driver costs during the primary cultivation and harvesting months, demonstrating the seasonal intensity of mechanised agricultural operations.

Paddy Field Labour (Machinery) (WAGE INDEX)					
MONTH	Ploughing	Transplanting	Reaping	Treading	Driver
January	937	1550	1839	1392	326
February	941	1325	1870	1392	326
March	953	1325	1870	1392	326
April	955	1325	1870	1392	336
May	954	1220	1811	1392	340
June	956	1325	1668	1564	340
July	991	1325	1735	1561	346
August	1012	1325	1789	1561	367
September	1012	1250	1831	1359	358
October	1000	1480	1978	1359	358
November	1000	1480	1871	1359	346
December	1004	1480	1853	1445	354

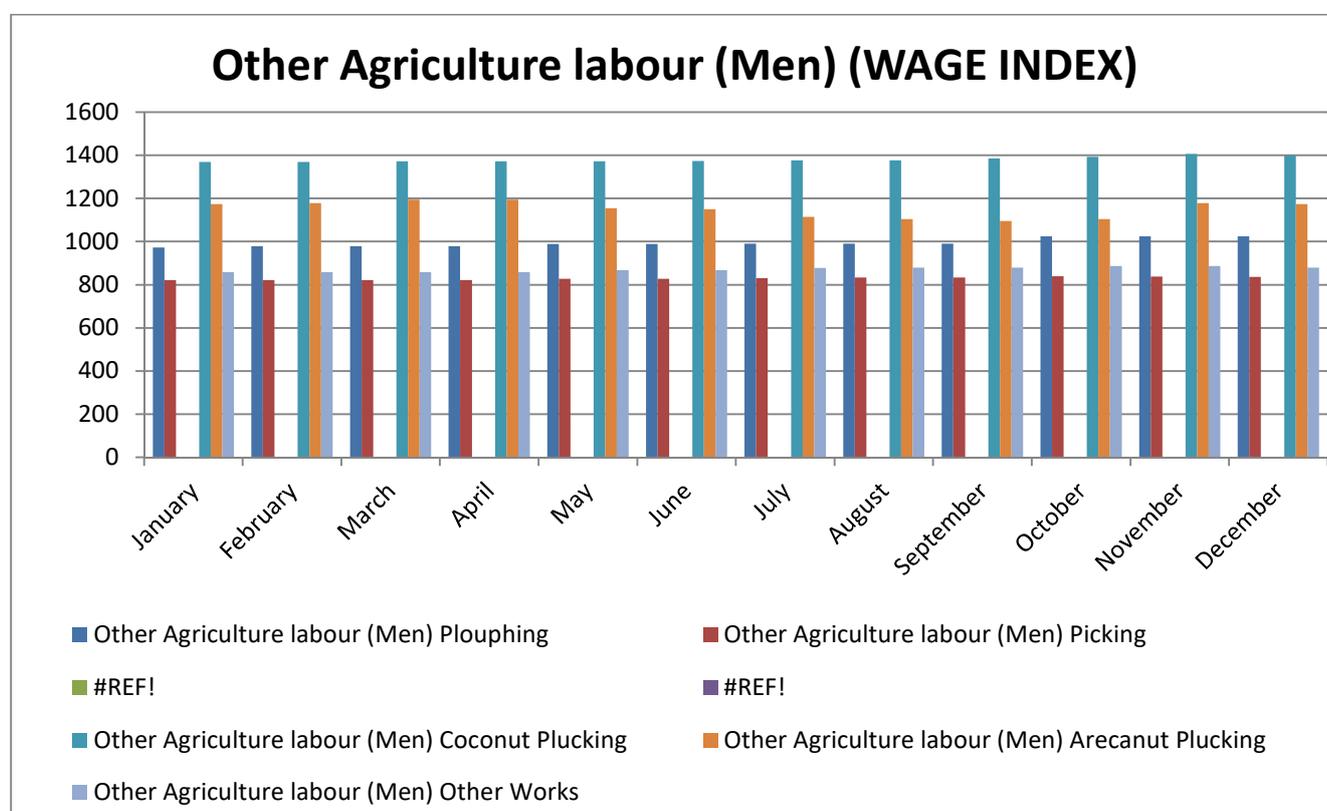


## Statement Showing the Wages of Skilled Labour and Other Agricultural labours (Men and Women)

### Other Agriculture labour (Men) (WAGE INDEX)

The wage pattern for male labourers engaged in various agricultural activities outside paddy cultivation shows moderate fluctuations throughout the year, reflecting seasonal work intensity and crop-specific labour demand. **Ploughing** charges increase gradually from 972 in January to 1025 by October, remaining stable through December, indicating higher demand toward the end of the year. **Picking** wages remain steady around 821–840, with slight rises in May, July, and October, suggesting periodic increases in harvesting activity. Wages for **works related to rubber cultivation** remain constant at 786 across all months, showing minimal variation in this category. In contrast, **rubber tapping** wages rise steadily from 990 in January to 1037 in December, reflecting increased seasonal workload and higher productivity demand. **Coconut plucking** wages show a gradual rise from 1369 in January to a high of 1406 in November, highlighting peak harvest periods. **Arecanut plucking** wages fluctuate more noticeably, starting at 1174 in January, dropping slightly mid-year, and then rising again to reach 1178 in November, mirroring the seasonal cycle of arecanut harvesting. **Other works** show mild increases—from 859 in January to about 887 in October and November—indicating stable but slightly rising labour requirements. Overall, the data demonstrate that labour charges for rubber tapping, coconut plucking, and ploughing experience more pronounced increases, reflecting higher effort and seasonal demand, while other categories remain relatively stable.

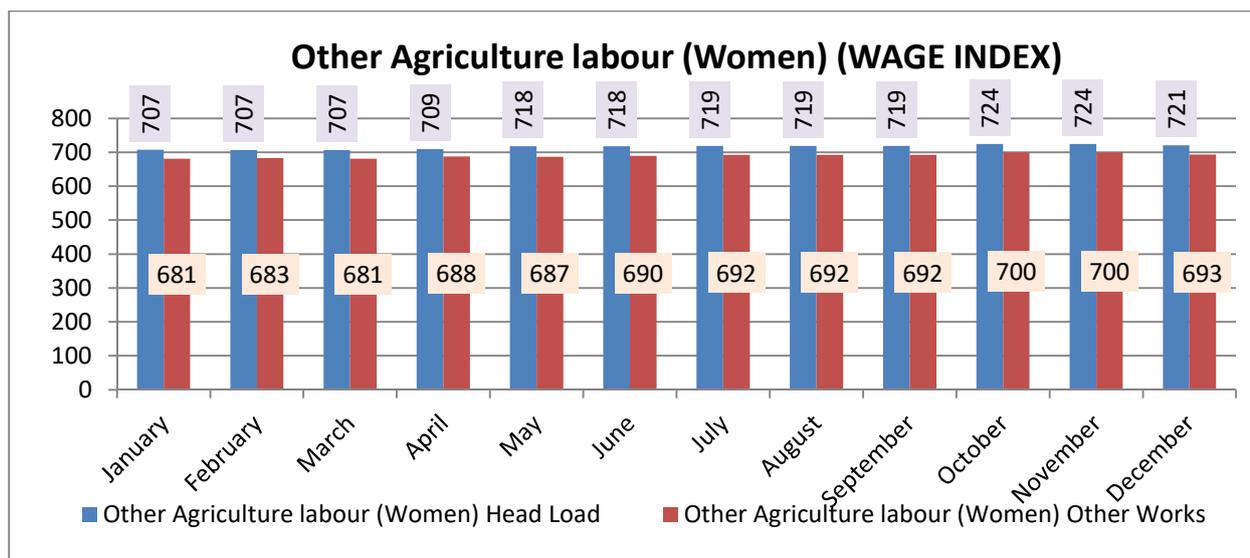
Other Agriculture labour (Men) (WAGE INDEX)							
MONTH	Ploughing	Picking	Works related with Rubber Cultivation	Rubber Tapping (400 Trees)	Coconut Plucking	Arecanut Plucking	Other Works
January	972	821	786	990	1369	1174	859
February	978	821	786	990	1369	1178	859
March	978	821	786	990	1372	1194	859
April	978	821	786	989	1372	1194	859
May	989	828	786	993	1372	1154	867
June	989	828	786	994	1374	1150	867
July	990	831	783	1021	1376	1115	878
August	990	833	783	1021	1376	1105	880
September	990	833	783	1021	1386	1095	880
October	1025	840	783	1029	1393	1105	887
November	1025	838	783	1029	1406	1178	887
December	1025	836	783	1037	1399	1174	880



### Other Agriculture labour (Women) (WAGE INDEX)

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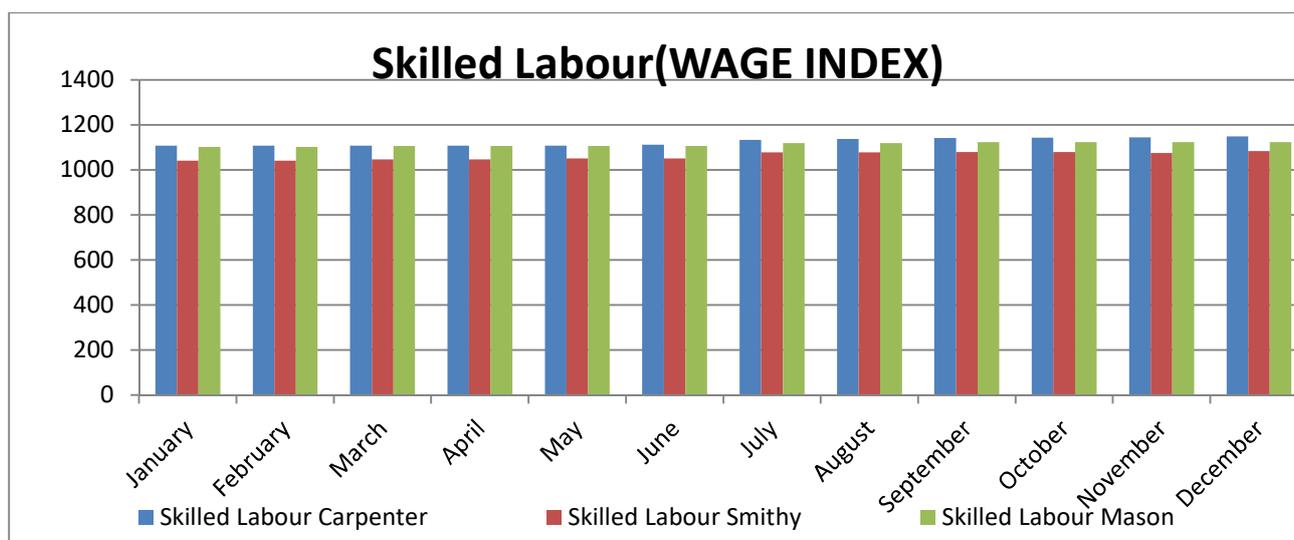
Other Agriculture labour (Women) (WAGE INDEX)		
MONTH	Head Load	Other Works
January	707	681
February	707	683
March	707	681
April	709	688
May	718	687
June	718	690
July	719	692
August	719	692
September	719	692
October	724	700
November	724	700
December	721	693



### Skilled Labour(WAGE INDEX)

The wages of skilled labourers—carpenters, smiths, and masons—show a steady upward trend throughout the year, reflecting increasing demand and rising labour costs. **Carpenter** wages remain stable at 1108 from January to May, gradually increasing thereafter and reaching 1149 by December, indicating consistent growth in skilled carpentry demand. **Smithy** wages also show a similar pattern, rising from 1041 in January to 1084 in December, with notable increments in July and September, pointing to increased seasonal or project-based requirements. **Mason** wages follow a comparable trajectory, moving from 1102 in January to a peak of 1124 in October and November, before slightly easing to 1123 in December. Overall, the data highlight a clear and progressive increase in wages for all skilled labour categories, demonstrating sustained demand for skilled craftsmanship and construction-related activities throughout the year.

Skilled Labour(WAGE INDEX)			
MONTH	Carpenter	Smithy	Mason
January	1108	1041	1102
February	1108	1041	1102
March	1108	1047	1106
April	1108	1047	1106
May	1108	1051	1107
June	1112	1051	1107
July	1134	1078	1119
August	1138	1078	1119
September	1142	1080	1123
October	1143	1080	1124
November	1145	1075	1124
December	1149	1084	1123

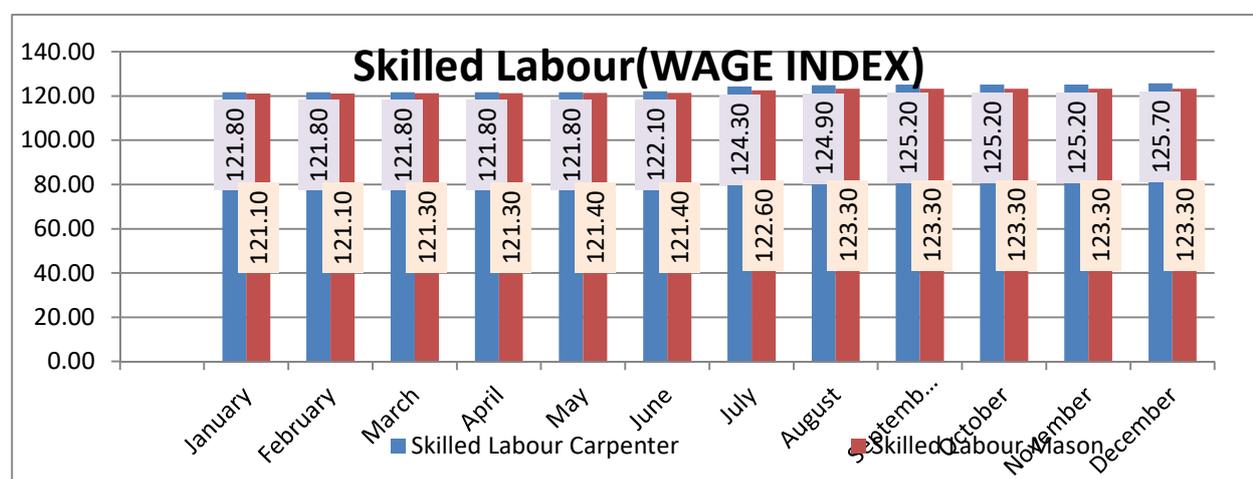


## INDEX NUMBER OF WAGES OF RURAL SKILLED WORKERS AND AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

### Skilled Labour(WAGE INDEX)

The skilled labour index for carpenters and masons shows a steady and consistent upward movement over the year, indicating rising labour demand and increasing wage levels in construction-related activities. **Carpenter** indices remain stable at 121.80 from January to May, followed by a gradual rise beginning in June and reaching 125.70 by December, reflecting sustained demand for carpentry work throughout the latter half of the year. **Mason** indices show a similar pattern, starting at 121.10 in January and slowly increasing to 123.30 by August, after which the index stabilizes at the same level through December. The overall trend highlights a moderate yet steady increase in skilled labour costs, with carpenters showing slightly faster growth compared to masons. This suggests a marginally higher demand or workload for carpentry services during the year, while masonry work remained comparatively stable after mid-year.

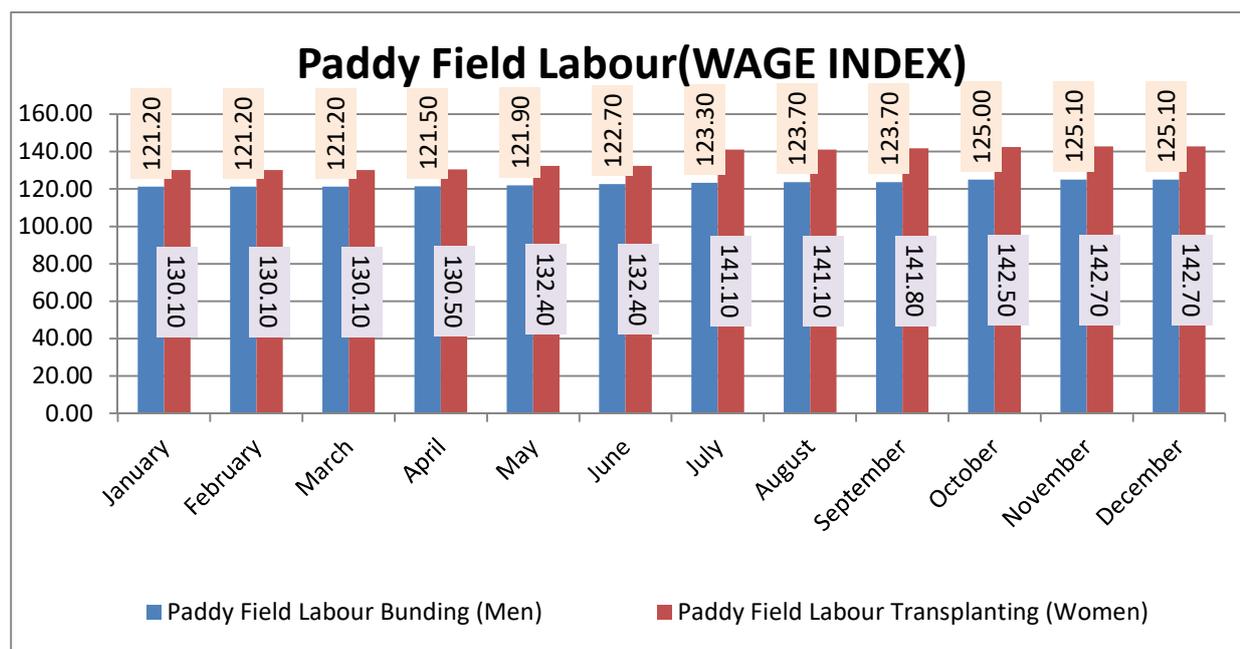
Month	Skilled Labour(WAGE INDEX)	
	Carpenter	Mason
January	121.80	121.10
February	121.80	121.10
March	121.80	121.30
April	121.80	121.30
May	121.80	121.40
June	122.10	121.40
July	124.30	122.60
August	124.90	123.30
September	125.20	123.30
October	125.20	123.30
November	125.20	123.30
December	125.70	123.30



### Paddy Field Labour(WAGE INDEX)

The index of paddy field labour for both bunding (men) and transplanting (women) shows a steady upward trend throughout the year, reflecting increased labour demand and rising wage levels during peak agricultural seasons. **Bunding** begins at an index value of 121.20 from January to March, gradually increasing to 121.50 in April and reaching 125.10 by November and December, indicating a consistent rise in labour intensity and cost as the agricultural cycle progresses. **Transplanting (women)** shows even more pronounced growth, starting at 130.10 in the initial months and rising steadily to 132.40 in May and June. A significant increase occurs in July, with the index reaching 141.10, followed by further growth to 142.70 by November and December, corresponding to peak transplanting and field preparation periods. Overall, the data highlight stronger seasonal fluctuations in women's transplanting labour compared to men's bunding work, demonstrating the critical role and higher seasonal demand for women workers during intensive cultivation phases.

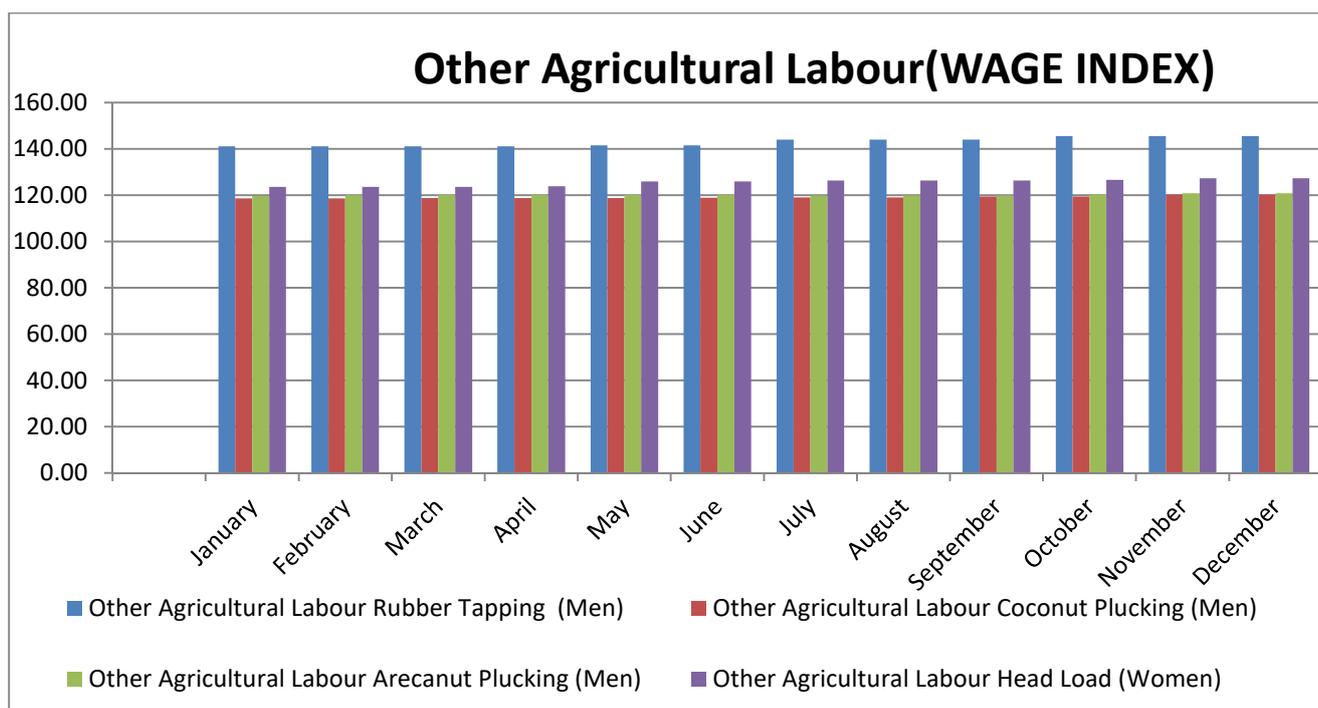
Month	Paddy Field Labour(WAGE INDEX)	
	Bunding	Transplanting
	(Men)	(Women)
January	121.20	130.10
February	121.20	130.10
March	121.20	130.10
April	121.50	130.50
May	121.90	132.40
June	122.70	132.40
July	123.30	141.10
August	123.70	141.10
September	123.70	141.80
October	125.00	142.50
November	125.10	142.70
December	125.10	142.70



### Other Agricultural Labour(WAGE INDEX)

The index of other agricultural labour activities shows gradual but consistent increases across the year, **Rubber tapping (men)** maintains a stable index of 141.10 from January to April, increasing marginally to 141.50 in May and June, and reaching a peak of 145.50 from October to December, indicating higher labour intensity during peak tapping periods. **Coconut plucking (men)** starts at 118.70 and shows slight month-to-month increases, reaching 120.30 by November and December. **Arecanut plucking (men)** fluctuates narrowly around 119.70 to 120.90, with gradual increases toward the year-end, consistent with the harvest cycles of arecanut. **Head load work (women)** shows steady growth throughout the year, starting at 123.60 in January and rising to 127.40 by November and December, indicating increased workload and higher labour requirements during post-harvest handling and transport. Overall, the data demonstrate modest but clear upward trends across all categories, with rubber tapping showing the strongest seasonal increase, while coconut and arecanut plucking exhibit more moderate variations.

Month	Other Agricultural Labour(WAGE INDEX)			
	Rubber Tapping (Men)	Coconut Plucking (Men)	Arecanut Plucking (Men)	Head Load (Women)
January	141.10	118.70	119.70	123.60
February	141.10	118.70	120.00	123.60
March	141.10	118.80	120.20	123.60
April	141.10	118.80	120.20	123.90
May	141.50	118.80	120.20	125.90
June	141.50	118.90	120.20	125.90
July	144.10	119.00	119.90	126.40
August	144.10	119.00	119.90	126.40
September	144.10	119.50	119.90	126.40
October	145.50	119.50	120.30	126.60
November	145.50	120.30	120.90	127.40
December	145.50	120.30	120.90	127.40

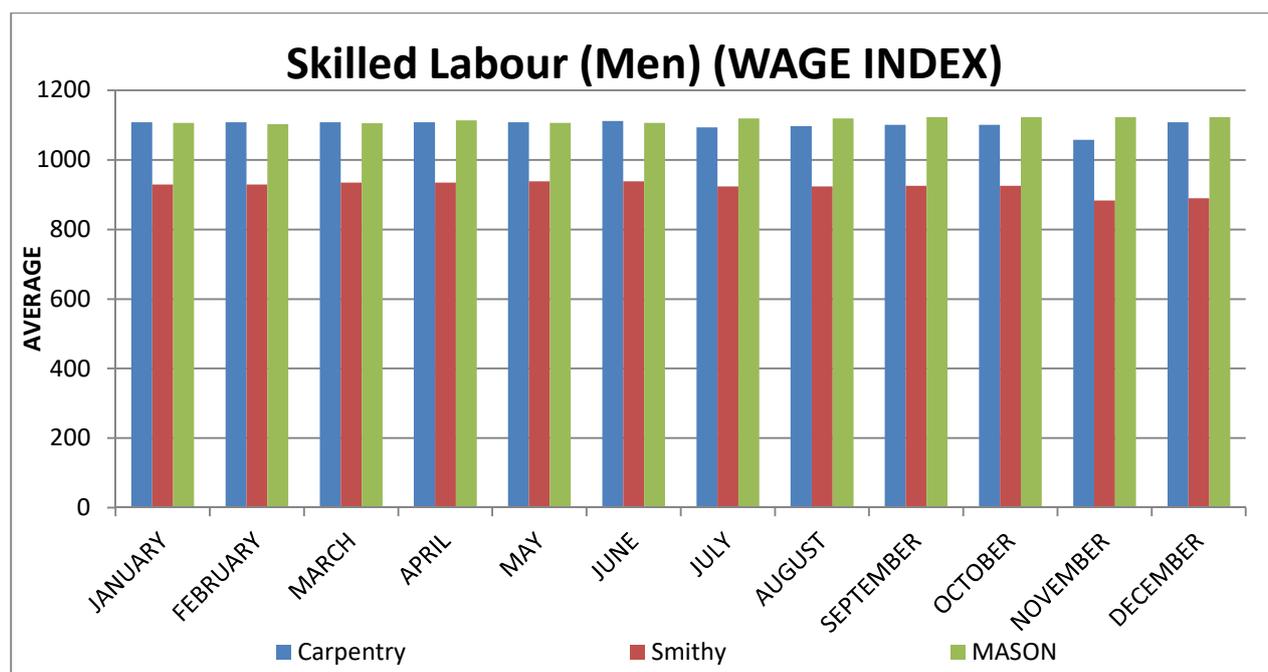


## STATEMENT SHOWING THE AGRICULTURAL WAGES

### Skilled Labour (Men) :CARPENTRY,MASON AND SMITHY(WAGE INDEX)

The wage indices of skilled male labour in carpentry, smithy, and masonry exhibit moderate fluctuations over the year with distinct trade-wise patterns. The *carpentry wage index* remains largely stable around 1108 from January to May, shows a marginal increase in June, dips during July and August, and then recovers in the later months, except for a notable decline in November before returning to earlier levels in December. The *smithy wage index* records minor variations during the first half of the year, peaks slightly in May and June, and then declines during the monsoon months, with a sharper reduction observed in November, followed by a modest recovery in December. In contrast, the *masonry wage index* shows a gradual and consistent upward trend from January onwards, with more pronounced increases from April and stability at higher levels from July to December. Overall, the data indicate that while carpentry and smithy wages experienced short-term seasonal fluctuations, masonry wages remained comparatively stronger and more stable.

Skilled Labour (Men) (WAGE INDEX)	Carpentry	Smithy	MASON
JANUARY	1108.036	929.46	1106.11
FEBRUARY	1108.036	929.46	1102.32
MARCH	1108.036	934.82	1105.89
APRIL	1108.036	934.82	1113.52
MAY	1108.036	938.39	1106.61
JUNE	1111.607	938.39	1106.61
JULY	1093.75	924.11	1119.11
AUGUST	1097.321	924.11	1119.11
SEPTEMBER	1100.893	925.89	1122.68
OCTOBER	1100.893	925.89	1122.68
NOVEMBER	1058.036	883.04	1122.68
DECEMBER	1108.036	890.18	1122.68

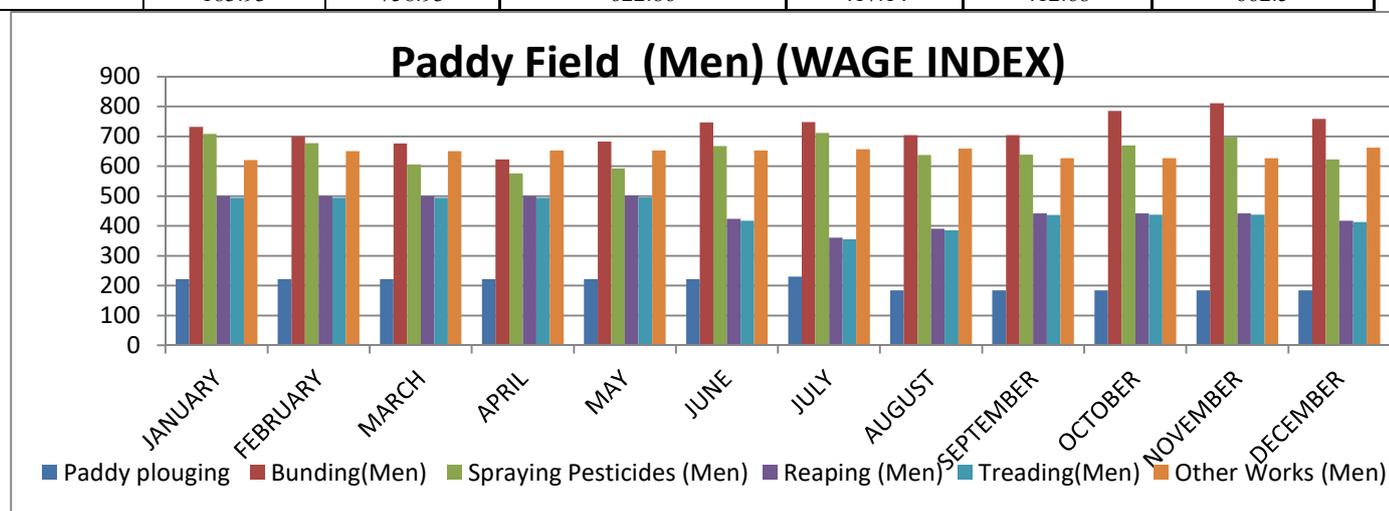


## Works Related to Paddy Field

### **Paddy Field (Men) :Paddy ploughing, Bunding(Men, Spraying Pesticides (Men), Reaping (Men), Treading(Men) and Other Works (Men) (WAGE INDEX)**

The wage rates of male labourers engaged in paddy field operations show clear seasonal movements across different agricultural activities. Wages for *paddy ploughing* remain unchanged from January to June, rise slightly in July, and then decline sharply from August onwards, indicating reduced demand for ploughing activities in the latter part of the year. *Bunding* wages record a steady decline from January to April, followed by a sustained increase from May, reaching the highest levels during October and November, reflecting intensified field preparation during peak cultivation periods. Wages for *spraying pesticides* decrease consistently from January to April, improve during the monsoon months, and remain relatively stable towards the end of the year. *Reaping* and *treading* wages remain stable during the first five months, experience a sharp fall in June and July, and then recover gradually from August, corresponding with harvesting operations. In contrast, wages for *other works* show a generally upward trend with minor fluctuations, peaking in December.

Paddy Field (Men) (WAGE INDEX)	Paddy ploughing	Bunding(Men)	Spraying Pesticides (Men)	Reaping (Men)	Treading(Men)	Other Works (Men)
JANUARY	221.43	731.43	707.86	499.29	494.82	620.54
FEBRUARY	221.43	699.29	677.5	499.29	494.82	650.89
MARCH	221.43	676.07	606.07	499.29	494.82	650.89
APRIL	221.43	622.5	575.71	499.29	494.82	652.68
MAY	221.43	682.14	592.5	501.79	495.54	652.68
JUNE	221.43	746.43	667.86	423.21	416.96	652.68
JULY	230.36	748.21	711.79	360.71	355.36	657.14
AUGUST	183.93	703.57	637.5	391.07	385.71	658.93
SEPTEMBER	183.93	703.57	639.29	442.14	436.79	626.79
OCTOBER	183.93	785.71	669.64	442.14	437.68	626.79
NOVEMBER	183.93	810.71	696.43	442.14	437.68	626.79
DECEMBER	183.93	758.93	622.86	417.14	412.68	662.5

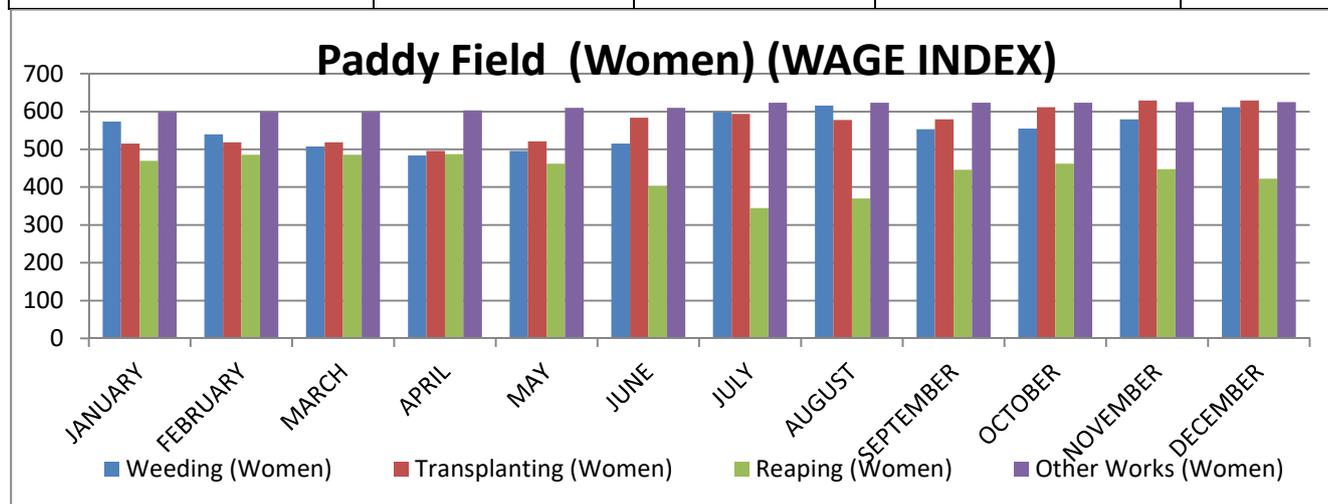


## Paddy Field (Women) (WAGE INDEX)

### Weeding (Women), Transplanting (Women), Reaping (Women) and Other Works (Women)

The wage rates of women labourers engaged in paddy field operations exhibit distinct seasonal variations across different activities. Wages for *weeding* decline steadily from January to April, followed by a gradual increase from May onwards, reaching higher levels during August and December, reflecting increased labour demand during peak agricultural periods. *Transplanting* wages show a generally upward trend over the year, with a notable rise from June onwards and the highest levels recorded during October to December, indicating intensified planting activity and labour scarcity during these months. In contrast, wages for *reaping* decrease consistently from January to July, hit a low during the mid-year period, and then recover moderately towards the end of the year, corresponding to harvesting cycles. Wages for *other works* remain relatively stable throughout the year with only marginal increases.

Paddy Field (Women) (WAGE INDEX)	Weeding (Women)	Transplanting (Women)	Reaping (Women)	Other Works (Women)
JANUARY	573.39	515.36	469.82	599.11
FEBRUARY	539.46	518.93	485.89	599.11
MARCH	507.32	518.93	485.89	599.11
APRIL	484.11	495.71	487.68	602.68
MAY	495.54	521.43	461.61	609.82
JUNE	515.18	583.93	402.68	609.82
JULY	598.21	593.75	344.64	623.21
AUGUST	616.07	577.68	369.64	623.21
SEPTEMBER	553.57	579.46	445.71	623.21
OCTOBER	554.46	611.61	461.79	623.21
NOVEMBER	579.46	629.46	447.5	625
DECEMBER	611.61	629.46	422.5	625

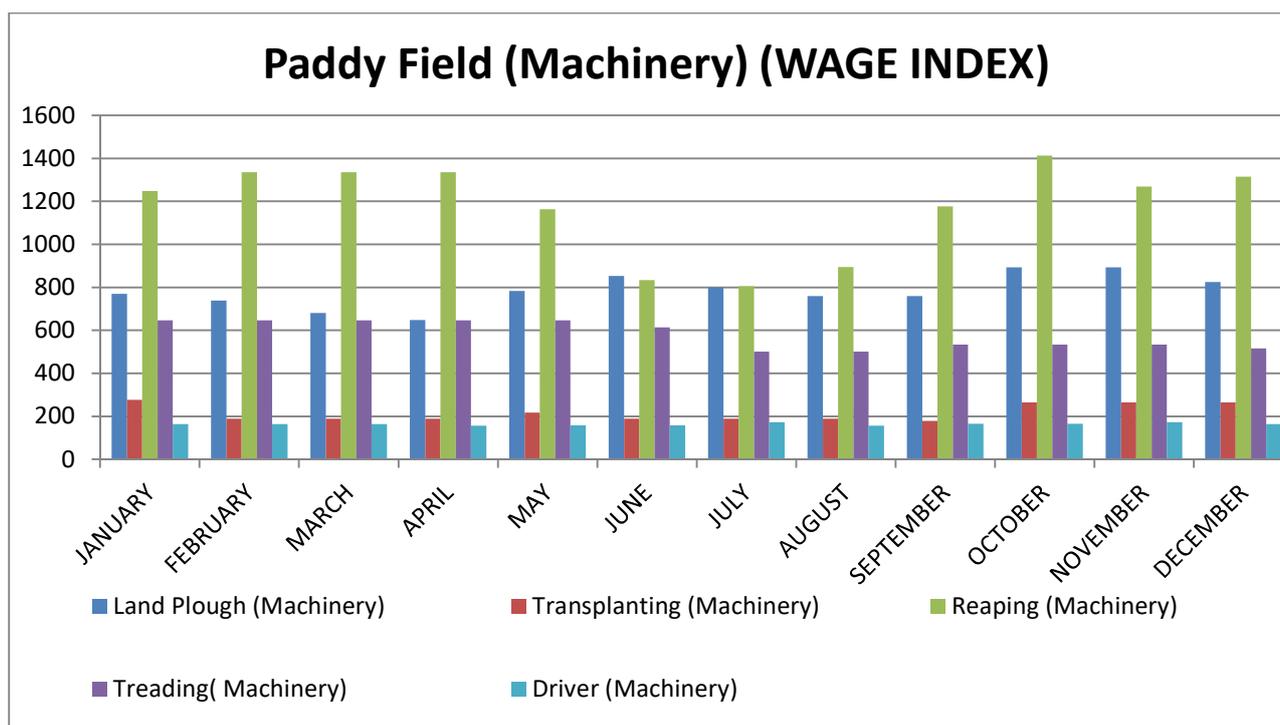


## Works Related to Paddy Field (Machinery) (WAGE INDEX)

Land Plough (Machinery), Transplanting (Machinery), Reaping (Machinery), Treading( Machinery)and Driver (Machinery).

The **charges for machinery used in paddy field operations** show noticeable month-to-month variations. Charges for *land ploughing (machinery)* decline steadily from January to April, rise sharply in May and June, and remain relatively high during the post-monsoon months, indicating increased field preparation requirements. *Machinery-based transplanting* charges remain high during the first four months, decline significantly during May to July, and then increase again from August onwards, peaking in October, which corresponds with the main planting season. Charges for *machinery reaping* remain stable during the first half of the year, decrease during the monsoon months, and recover moderately towards the end of the year. *Machinery treading* charges show a general downward trend from January to July, followed by a slight improvement during the later months. The *driver charges* remain largely stable throughout the year with only minor fluctuations.

Paddy Field (Machinery) (WAGE INDEX)	Land Plough (Machinery)	Transplanting(Machinery)	Reaping (Machinery)	Treading(Machinery)	Driver (Machinery)
JANUARY	769.64	276.79	1248.21	646.43	163.21
FEBRUARY	739.29	189.29	1335.71	646.43	163.21
MARCH	680.36	189.29	1335.71	646.43	163.21
APRIL	648.21	189.29	1335.71	646.43	156.07
MAY	783.93	217.86	1164.29	646.43	157.86
JUNE	853.57	189.29	833.93	614.29	157.86
JULY	800	189.29	805.36	501.79	173.21
AUGUST	758.93	189.29	894.64	501.79	157.14
SEPTEMBER	758.93	178.57	1176.79	533.93	166.07
OCTOBER	892.86	264.29	1412.5	533.93	166.07
NOVEMBER	892.86	264.29	1269.64	533.93	173.21
DECEMBER	825	264.29	1315.22	516.07	164.29



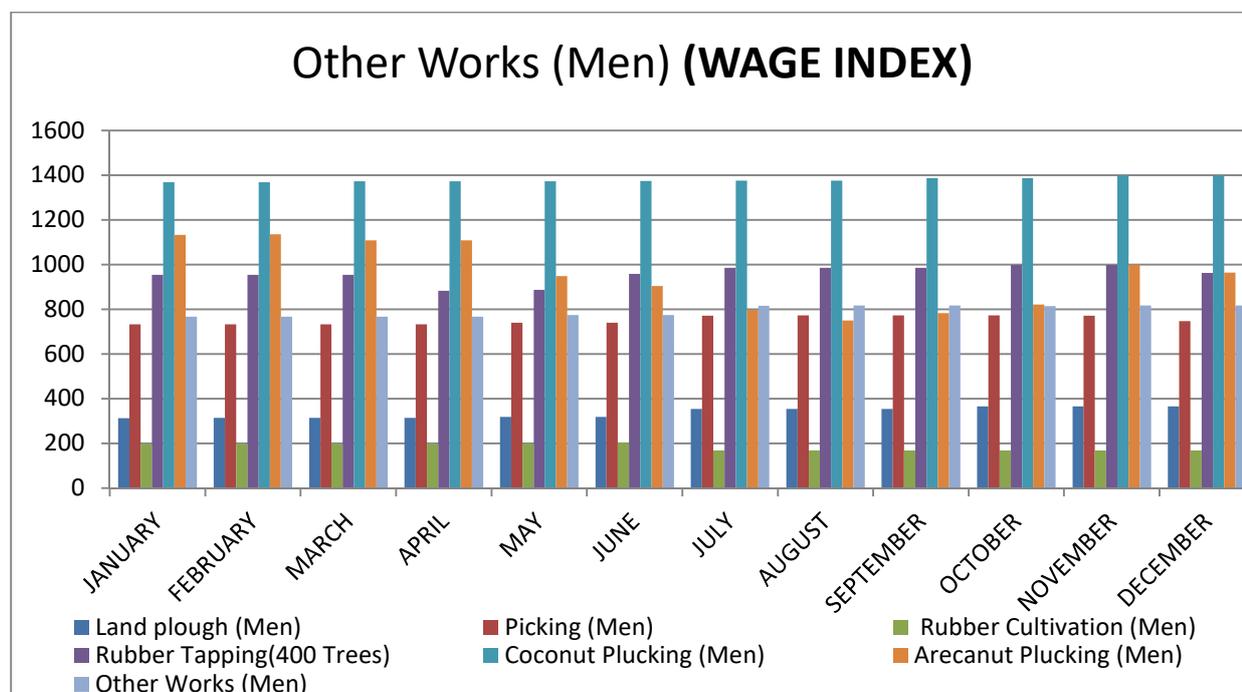
### Other Works (Men) (WAGE INDEX)

#### Other Cultivable Land Works;

#### Land plough (Men), Picking (Men) Rubber Cultivation (Men) Rubber Tapping(400 Trees) Coconut Plucking (Men) Arecanut Plucking (Men) Other Works (Men)

The wage rates of male labourers engaged in other agricultural and plantation-related works show varied trends across different activities over the year. Wages for *general other works* record a gradual increase from January to December, indicating steady growth in demand for miscellaneous farm labour. *Land ploughing* wages remain largely stable during the first half of the year, rise during the monsoon months, and ease slightly towards December. *Picking* wages show a slight increase in June but decline from July onwards and remain at lower levels during the rest of the year, reflecting reduced labour requirements. In *rubber cultivation*, wages remain stable in the early months, decline in April, and then rise steadily from May to November before easing slightly in December. *Rubber tapping (400 trees)* wages show a consistent upward trend throughout the year, pointing to sustained and increasing demand for skilled tapping labour. In contrast, wages for *coconut plucking* decline sharply from March to August, followed by a recovery towards the end of the year. *Arecanut plucking* wages remain relatively stable with minor fluctuations. Overall, the data reflect seasonal influences and crop-specific labour demand patterns across plantation and allied agricultural activities.

Other Works (Men) (WAGE INDEX)	Land plough (Men)	Picking (Men)	Rubber Cultivation (Men)	Rubber Tapping(400 Trees)	Coconut Plucking (Men)	Arecanut Plucking (Men)	Other Works (Men)
JANUARY	312.5	733.21	196.43	954.64	1368.57	1132.14	766.96
FEBRUARY	314.29	733.21	196.43	954.64	1368.57	1135.71	766.96
MARCH	314.29	733.21	196.43	954.64	1372.14	1108.93	766.96
APRIL	314.29	733.21	196.43	883.21	1372.14	1108.93	766.96
MAY	317.86	739.29	196.43	886.79	1372.14	948.21	774.11
JUNE	317.86	739.29	203.7	958.21	1373.93	903.57	774.11
JULY	353.57	771.43	167.86	985	1375.71	796.43	815.18
AUGUST	353.57	773.21	167.86	985	1375.71	750	816.96
SEPTEMBER	353.57	773.21	167.86	985	1386.43	782.14	816.96
OCTOBER	366.07	773.21	167.86	998.21	1386.43	821.43	813.89
NOVEMBER	366.07	771.43	167.86	998.21	1398.93	1000	816.96
DECEMBER	366.07	746.43	167.86	962.5	1398.93	964.29	816.96



### Other Cultivable Land Works (Women): Head Load (Women), Head Load (Women) (WAGE INDEX)

The wage rates of women labourers engaged in other works and head load activities remain relatively stable throughout the year with only marginal fluctuations. Wages for *other works* stay constant from January to March, increase slightly during April to June, and then decline in July, after which they remain steady up to December. *Head load* wages show minor month-to-month variations, with a small decline observed in March, followed by a gradual increase during April to June and relative stability during the remaining months.

Other Works (women) (WAGE INDEX)	Head Load (Women)	Other Works
JANUARY	631.43	681.25
FEBRUARY	631.43	683.04
MARCH	631.43	656.25
APRIL	633.21	688.39
MAY	641.07	686.61
JUNE	641.07	690.18
JULY	616.07	666.96
AUGUST	616.07	666.96
SEPTEMBER	616.07	666.96
OCTOBER	617.86	667.86
NOVEMBER	617.86	667.86
DECEMBER	617.86	667.86

