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2012 Weights (Total country)

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PRICE UPDATING OF WEIGHTS

The weights as calculated using the data from the Income and expenditure of households, 2010/2011 survey, are price updated to December 2012.

EXPENDITURE QUINTILES

The boundaries of the quintiles were obtained by calculating the quintiles (five equal groups) of the total number of households in South Africa and selecting the total expenditure of the top household (ranked according to expenditure) as the expenditure cut-off point in each of the quintiles.

The five quintile categories were defined according to total expenditure per household as at 2010/2011 and price updated to December 2012. These categories are as follows –

quintile 1 - up to R 21 399;
quintile 2 - R 21 400 up to R 35 750;
quintile 3 - R 35 751 up to R 61 624;
quintile 4 - R 61 625 up to R 142 083; and
quintile 5 - R 142 084 and more.

FUTHER INFORMATION

For further information refer to the Income and Expenditure Survey statistical release (P0100). This information is available on the Stats SA website: www.statssa.gov.za

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

DETAILED WEIGHTS – Total country

Product/expenditure group		CPI						
		Expenditure quintile						Pensioners
		Total	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	
All items		100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Expenditure quintile	1	3.52	100.00					
	2	6.68		100.00				
	3	10.75			100.00			
	4	19.58				100.00		
	5	59.47					100.00	
Goods		52.40	73.10	70.27	65.63	57.36	45.15	50.35
Services		47.60	26.90	29.73	34.37	42.64	54.85	49.65
All items excluding housing		76.86	83.86	84.63	82.66	77.23	74.41	71.85
All items excluding food and non-alcoholic beverages		81.81	58.88	60.48	66.15	76.78	90.04	79.75
1. FOOD AND NON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		18.19	41.12	39.52	33.85	23.22	9.96	20.25
1.1 FOOD		16.88	39.06	37.41	31.82	21.60	9.01	18.97
1.1.1 BREAD AND CEREALS		4.83	14.70	13.27	10.68	6.09	1.82	6.02
	Rice	0.61	1.84	1.88	1.50	0.79	0.18	0.71
	Bread	2.08	5.97	4.74	4.01	2.80	0.97	2.35
	Pasta	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.06
	Cakes	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.09	0.11
	Other bread and cereal products	1.96	6.74	6.50	4.98	2.31	0.50	2.79
1.1.2 MEAT		5.02	9.13	9.22	8.50	6.75	3.10	5.02
	Beef	1.31	1.56	1.84	1.89	1.86	0.95	1.28
	Pork	0.14	0.08	0.09	0.14	0.18	0.14	0.13
	Lamb	0.40	0.21	0.22	0.34	0.52	0.39	0.33
	Poultry	2.18	6.13	5.75	4.78	2.92	0.83	2.35
	Dried, salted or smoked meat	0.92	1.03	1.20	1.26	1.19	0.73	0.86
	Other preserved or processed meat	0.07	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.08	0.06	0.07
1.1.3 FISH		0.42	0.96	0.89	0.72	0.47	0.26	0.43
	Fresh, chilled or frozen fish	0.14	0.17	0.20	0.18	0.14	0.12	0.14
	Other preserved or processed fish and seafood	0.28	0.79	0.69	0.54	0.33	0.14	0.29
1.1.4 MILK, CHEESE AND EGGS		1.82	3.22	3.14	2.80	2.34	1.25	2.01
	Whole milk	0.68	1.06	1.06	1.01	0.92	0.47	0.72
	Low fat milk	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.10	0.12
	Preserved milk	0.13	0.30	0.34	0.28	0.20	0.04	0.18
	Yoghurt	0.15	0.15	0.21	0.22	0.19	0.13	0.15
	Cheese	0.21	0.05	0.06	0.10	0.23	0.24	0.21
	Other milk products	0.20	0.69	0.53	0.40	0.23	0.08	0.23
	Eggs	0.39	0.93	0.91	0.76	0.52	0.19	0.40
1.1.5 OILS AND FATS		0.72	1.99	1.96	1.59	0.93	0.29	0.80
	Margarine and other vegetable fats	0.29	0.39	0.55	0.54	0.43	0.17	0.31
	Edible oils	0.43	1.60	1.41	1.05	0.50	0.12	0.49
1.1.6 FRUIT		0.22	0.24	0.28	0.29	0.24	0.19	0.27
	Bananas	0.08	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.10	0.07	0.10
	Apples	0.10	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.11	0.07	0.10
	Seasonal fruit	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07
1.1.7 VEGETABLES		1.94	4.91	4.43	3.57	2.29	1.08	2.28
	Leaf and stem vegetables	0.03	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.03
	Cabbages	0.12	0.57	0.38	0.27	0.11	0.03	0.16
	Vegetables cultivated for their fruit	0.57	1.27	1.07	0.88	0.66	0.39	0.65
	Root crops, non-starchy bulbs and mushrooms	0.27	0.62	0.58	0.49	0.33	0.15	0.29
	Dried vegetables	0.11	0.46	0.47	0.33	0.14	0.02	0.21
	Other preserved or processed vegetables	0.20	0.34	0.37	0.35	0.24	0.13	0.22
	Potatoes	0.38	1.24	1.17	0.84	0.46	0.13	0.51
	Other tubers and products of tubers	0.26	0.31	0.34	0.36	0.32	0.21	0.21
1.1.8 SUGAR, SWEETS AND DESSERTS		0.83	2.12	2.12	1.68	0.97	0.40	1.09
	Sugar	0.63	2.06	2.04	1.54	0.77	0.17	0.92

Product/expenditure group		CPI							Pensioners
		Expenditure quintile							
		Total	One	Two	Three	Four	Five		
1.1.9 OTHER FOOD	Chocolate	0.09	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.10	0.11	0.08	
	Confectionery products	0.08	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.09	0.06	
	Ice cream	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	
		1.08	1.79	2.10	1.99	1.52	0.62	1.05	
	Sauces, condiments	0.30	0.30	0.40	0.45	0.36	0.24	0.31	
	Salt, spices and culinary herbs	0.21	0.46	0.45	0.37	0.26	0.13	0.22	
Other food	0.57	1.03	1.25	1.17	0.90	0.25	0.52		
1.2 NON – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		1.31	2.06	2.11	2.03	1.62	0.95	1.28	
1.2.1 HOT BEVERAGES		0.35	0.71	0.66	0.60	0.41	0.23	0.48	
	Coffee	0.18	0.26	0.28	0.27	0.22	0.14	0.24	
	Tea	0.15	0.45	0.37	0.32	0.18	0.06	0.22	
	Cocoa and powdered chocolate	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.02	
1.2.2 COLD BEVERAGES		0.96	1.35	1.45	1.43	1.21	0.72	0.80	
	Mineral water	0.04	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	
	Soft drinks	0.61	1.00	1.03	0.98	0.78	0.42	0.49	
	Fruit juices	0.31	0.33	0.39	0.42	0.40	0.26	0.28	
2. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO		5.37	12.05	8.55	7.68	6.91	3.70	4.19	
2.1 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		3.97	9.17	6.74	5.83	5.09	2.64	3.04	
	Spirits and liqueurs	0.72	0.53	0.37	0.62	0.70	0.79	0.46	
	Wine	0.53	0.67	0.40	0.23	0.27	0.68	0.82	
	Spirit coolers and ciders	0.10	0.04	0.04	0.16	0.14	0.09	0.05	
	Beer	2.62	7.93	5.93	4.82	3.98	1.08	1.71	
2.2 TOBACCO		1.40	2.88	1.81	1.85	1.82	1.06	1.15	
	Cigarettes	1.33	2.03	1.47	1.70	1.77	1.06	1.01	
	Other tobacco	0.07	0.85	0.34	0.15	0.05	0.00	0.14	
3. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR		4.37	6.32	6.75	6.50	5.57	3.21	3.36	
3.1 CLOTHING		2.95	4.14	4.39	4.31	3.72	2.22	2.22	
	Clothes for men	0.94	1.44	1.34	1.35	1.17	0.72	0.69	
	Clothes for women	1.03	1.08	1.22	1.24	1.22	0.91	0.80	
	Clothes for children and infants	0.98	1.62	1.83	1.72	1.33	0.59	0.73	
3.2 FOOTWEAR		1.42	2.18	2.36	2.19	1.85	0.99	1.14	
	Footwear for men	0.58	0.92	0.89	0.86	0.76	0.41	0.42	
	Footwear for women	0.45	0.54	0.64	0.59	0.56	0.36	0.39	
	Footwear for children and infants	0.39	0.72	0.83	0.74	0.53	0.22	0.33	
4. HOUSING AND UTILITIES		23.14	16.14	15.37	17.34	22.77	25.59	28.15	
4.1 ACTUAL RENTALS FOR HOUSING		4.22	4.72	3.64	4.35	6.46	3.47	1.59	
	Rentals paid by tenants for houses	2.45	3.15	2.23	2.71	3.76	1.93	0.90	
	Rentals paid by tenants for flats	1.10	1.02	0.86	1.02	1.72	0.95	0.43	
	Rentals paid by tenants for townhouses	0.67	0.55	0.55	0.62	0.98	0.59	0.26	
4.2 OWNERS EQUIVALENT RENT		10.95	4.74	5.27	6.11	8.14	13.76	17.72	
	Owners equivalent rent for houses	10.07	4.56	5.07	5.81	7.60	12.54	16.34	
	Owners equivalent rent for flats	0.19	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.14	0.25	0.32	
	Owners equivalent rent for townhouses	0.69	0.12	0.13	0.22	0.40	0.97	1.06	
4.3 MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR		1.39	0.31	0.56	0.86	1.30	1.68	1.64	
	Materials for the maintenance and repair of the dwelling	1.11	0.25	0.44	0.73	1.07	1.32	1.40	
	Services for the maintenance and repair of the dwelling	0.28	0.06	0.12	0.13	0.23	0.36	0.24	
4.4 WATER AND OTHER SERVICES		2.45	0.67	0.99	1.42	2.29	2.96	2.82	
	Water supply	1.35	0.56	0.77	1.09	1.55	1.45	1.30	
	Assessment rates	1.10	0.11	0.22	0.33	0.74	1.51	1.52	
4.5 ELECTRICITY AND OTHER FUELS		4.13	5.70	4.91	4.60	4.58	3.72	4.38	
	Electricity	4.05	5.34	4.68	4.45	4.53	3.67	4.20	
	Liquid fuels	0.08	0.36	0.23	0.15	0.05	0.05	0.18	
5. HOUSEHOLD CONTENTS, EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE		4.93	3.57	4.45	4.45	4.32	5.35	4.92	
5.1 FURNISHINGS AND FLOOR COVERINGS	Furniture and furnishing	0.59	0.26	0.53	0.75	0.87	0.50	0.40	
5.2 HOUSEHOLD TEXTILES	Household textiles	0.72	1.07	1.17	1.16	0.90	0.51	0.69	
5.3 HOUSEHOLD		0.67	0.68	1.16	1.10	0.89	0.45	0.52	

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		Expenditure quintile							
		Total	One	Two	Three	Four	Five		
APPLIANCES	Large appliances	0.54	0.49	0.96	0.90	0.74	0.36	0.41	
	Small appliances	0.13	0.19	0.20	0.20	0.15	0.09	0.11	
5.4 GLASSWARE, TABLEWARE AND HOUSEHOLD UTENSILS		0.12	0.14	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.09	0.09	
	Glass and crystal ware, table ware	0.06	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.05	0.05	
	Cutlery, flatware and silverware	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.01	
	Kitchen and domestic utensils	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.03	
5.5 TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN	Small tools and accessories	0.07	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.09	0.07	
5.6 HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND SERVICES		2.76	1.36	1.38	1.24	1.46	3.71	3.15	
	Cleaning and maintenance products	0.62	1.28	1.27	1.06	0.74	0.40	0.71	
	Domestic services	2.14	0.08	0.11	0.18	0.72	3.31	2.44	
6. HEALTH		1.39	1.28	1.19	1.11	1.21	1.53	1.90	
6.1 MEDICAL PRODUCTS	Pharmaceutical products	0.71	0.72	0.66	0.63	0.68	0.75	0.94	
6.2 MEDICAL SERVICES		0.68	0.56	0.53	0.48	0.53	0.78	0.96	
6.2.1 OUT-PATIENT SERVICES		0.66	0.56	0.53	0.48	0.51	0.76	0.92	
	Medical services	0.56	0.56	0.51	0.47	0.49	0.60	0.57	
	Dental services	0.10	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.16	0.35	
6.2.2 HOSPITAL SERVICES	Hospital Services	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.02	0.04	
7. TRANSPORT		16.07	7.47	9.90	12.09	14.16	18.62	14.01	
7.1 PURCHASE OF VEHICLES		5.46	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.42	9.03	4.21	
	Purchase of new motor cars	4.82	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.13	8.06	3.71	
	Purchase of second-hand motor cars	0.64	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.29	0.97	0.50	
7.2 PERSONAL VEHICLE OPERATION		6.90	0.28	1.24	3.44	7.77	8.26	6.48	
	Spare parts and accessories	0.66	0.02	0.08	0.25	0.70	0.82	0.47	
	Petrol	5.38	0.15	0.95	2.86	6.28	6.34	5.29	
	Maintenance and repair	0.31	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.20	0.46	0.33	
	Other personal transport services	0.55	0.11	0.20	0.30	0.59	0.64	0.39	
7.3 PUBLIC TRANSPORT		3.71	7.19	8.65	8.60	5.97	1.33	3.32	
	Railway	0.08	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.11	0.03	0.04	
	Road	3.35	6.99	8.47	8.41	5.81	0.84	2.73	
	Air	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.05	0.46	0.55	
8. COMMUNICATION		2.54	2.56	2.47	2.36	2.47	2.60	2.31	
	Postal services	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	
	Telephone equipment	0.14	0.21	0.20	0.21	0.18	0.11	0.08	
	Telephone service	2.37	2.33	2.25	2.13	2.26	2.46	2.20	
9. RECREATION AND CULTURE		4.07	1.69	2.30	2.83	3.29	4.89	3.56	
9.1 RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT		0.74	0.42	0.52	0.58	0.72	0.82	0.40	
	Equipment for the reception, recording and reproduction of sound and pictures	0.33	0.33	0.38	0.40	0.36	0.30	0.21	
	Photographic and cinematographic equipment	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.01	
	Information processing equipment	0.32	0.05	0.08	0.12	0.29	0.41	0.13	
	Recording media for pictures and sound	0.07	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.05	
9.2 OTHER RECREATIONAL ITEMS		0.76	0.12	0.16	0.24	0.37	1.10	0.69	
	Games, toys and hobbies	0.10	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.15	0.07	
	Outdoor recreation items	0.27	0.06	0.04	0.08	0.09	0.40	0.20	
	Garden products	0.08	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.12	0.09	
	Pet products	0.31	0.04	0.07	0.09	0.22	0.43	0.33	
9.3 RECREATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES		1.83	0.84	1.26	1.58	1.64	2.05	1.60	
	Recreational and sporting services	0.30	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.10	0.44	0.20	
	Cinemas, theatres, concerts	0.13	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.19	0.09	
	Television licence and subscription	0.20	0.08	0.10	0.16	0.26	0.21	0.19	
	Games of chance	1.20	0.71	1.08	1.34	1.21	1.21	1.12	
9.4 NEWSPAPERS, BOOKS AND STATIONERY		0.56	0.31	0.36	0.43	0.54	0.62	0.47	
	Books	0.19	0.02	0.05	0.07	0.13	0.26	0.11	
	Newspapers and periodicals	0.33	0.25	0.26	0.32	0.37	0.33	0.33	
	Stationery and drawing materials	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	
9.5 PACKAGE HOLIDAYS	Package holidays	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.30	0.40	
10. EDUCATION		2.66	0.32	0.54	1.23	2.06	3.49	0.98	

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	Pre-primary and primary education	0.87	0.15	0.19	0.33	0.59	1.17	0.25
	Secondary education	0.67	0.13	0.19	0.29	0.49	0.88	0.17
	Tertiary education	1.12	0.04	0.16	0.61	0.98	1.44	0.56
11. RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS		3.33	2.23	2.36	2.85	2.85	3.74	2.85
11.1 CATERING SERVICES	Restaurants	2.43	2.14	2.26	2.65	2.52	2.39	1.75
11.2 ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	Hotels	0.90	0.09	0.10	0.20	0.33	1.35	1.10
12. MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES		13.94	5.25	6.60	7.71	11.17	17.32	13.52
12.1 PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS		1.95	2.15	2.73	2.63	2.42	1.57	1.68
12.1.1 PERSONAL CARE	Personal care items	1.63	1.92	2.47	2.36	2.14	1.22	1.44
12.1.2 PERSONAL EFFECTS		0.32	0.23	0.26	0.27	0.28	0.35	0.24
	Jewellery, clocks and watches	0.14	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.10	0.17	0.09
	Travel goods and other carriers	0.12	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.14	0.11	0.10
	Other personal effects	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.05
12.2 PERSONAL CARE SERVICES	Crèches, nurseries	0.33	0.19	0.25	0.35	0.33	0.35	0.13
12.3 INSURANCE		9.08	1.34	1.48	2.07	5.52	12.83	9.07
	Insurance connected with the dwelling	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.15	0.98	0.70
	Insurance connected with health	7.12	0.09	0.35	0.91	4.08	10.42	7.23
	Insurance connected with transport	0.54	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.18	0.85	0.40
	Other Insurance	0.80	1.25	1.13	1.13	1.11	0.58	0.74
12.4 FINANCIAL SERVICES N.E.C.	Bank charges	1.14	0.87	0.92	1.00	1.11	1.21	0.71
12.5 OTHER SERVICES	Funeral services	1.44	0.70	1.22	1.66	1.79	1.36	1.93