

# Table 1 - Consumer Price Index & Present Change

## COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

1st Quarter 2003 = 100

Groups	2nd Qtr 2008	1st Qtr 2008	2nd Qtr 2007	To 2nd Qtr 08 fm 1st Qtr 08	To 2nd Qtr 08 fm 2nd Qtr 07
All Items	120.9	114.1	113.7	6.8	7.2
Food	112.4	112.0	106.2	0.4	6.2
Alcoholic Beverages	107.2	106.4	103.9	0.8	3.3
Housing and Utilities	161.6	141.0	144.5	20.6	17.1
Apparel	101.3	102.4	102.1	-1.1	-0.8
Transportation	103.2	100.0	100.0	3.2	3.2
Medical Care	107.9	107.9	101.1	0.0	6.8
Recreation	99.8	102.4	100.4	-2.6	-0.6
Education and Communication	100.5	100.5	100.6	0.0	-0.1
Other Goods and Services	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0

Source: Central Statistics Division, Department of Commerce

# Table 2 - Consumer Price Index For 9 Selected Groups

## COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

1st Quarter 2003 = 100

Year & Quarter	All Items	Food	Alcoholic Beverages	Housing Utilities	Apparel	Transportation	Medical Care	Recreation	Education and Communication	Other Goods & Services
2003.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2003.2	99.9	100.3	100.2	100.0	100.2	99.7	100.0	99.3	99.8	100.0
2003.3	99.8	100.7	100.0	99.2	101.0	99.7	100.0	99.1	100.2	100.0
2003.4	99.6	100.5	99.9	97.9	100.5	100.5	100.0	96.3	99.6	100.0
2004.1	100.2	103.1	99.9	98.3	100.9	100.5	100.0	95.6	99.5	100.0
2004.2	100.9	104.1	99.7	97.7	99.8	100.9	100.0	101.5	99.6	108.3
2004.3	100.5	105.2	100.1	97.4	95.5	100.0	100.0	98.9	98.7	108.3
2004.4	101.2	107.4	99.9	98.0	92.6	100.2	100.0	98.6	100.9	108.3
2005.1	101.3	106.9	100.0	98.2	98.0	100.6	100.0	98.8	98.0	108.3
2005.2	101.6	107.7	101.3	98.3	96.6	100.7	100.0	101.5	98.4	108.3
2005.3	100.2	100.4	100.4	100.1	96.3	100.3	100.1	99.6	101.4	100.0
2005.4	100.6	99.6	100.1	102.2	99.5	100.0	99.8	100.8	101.1	100.0
2006.1	101.3	101.0	100.4	101.5	114.0	100.3	106.5	103.0	100.8	100.0
2006.2	100.3	100.2	100.0	101.0	100.5	100.0	100.0	100.7	100.0	100.0
2006.3	111.3	101.3	100.0	139.7	100.5	100.0	100.0	102.2	100.1	100.0
2006.4	111.7	102.3	100.0	140.5	100.3	100.0	100.0	99.1	100.5	100.0
2007.1	112.4	104.9	103.9	140.9	101.8	100.0	100.0	100.3	100.8	100.0
2007.2	113.7	106.2	103.9	144.5	102.1	100.0	101.1	100.4	100.6	100.0
2007.3	113.8	106.5	103.9	144.6	102.3	100.0	101.1	100.8	100.6	100.0
2007.4	114.1	107.4	104.3	144.9	102.3	100.0	101.1	101.0	100.6	100.0
2008.1	114.1	112.0	106.4	141.0	102.4	100.0	107.9	102.4	100.5	100.0
2008.2	120.9	112.4	107.2	161.6	101.3	103.2	107.9	99.8	100.5	100.0

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## Table 3 - Historical CPIs For Selected Groups

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS  
1st Quarter 2003 = 100

Year & Quarter Wgts	Alcoholic		Housing		Medical		Education		Other Goods		All Items
	Food 19.02	Beverages 1.72	Utilities 27.73	Apparel 2.24	Transportation 33.52	Care 2.36	Recreation 2.44	Communication 5.68	& Services 5.30	100.0	
2000.1	111.3		103.1	108.5	97.0	84.3					99.3
2000.2	110.1		103.5	107.4	99.1	92.5					101.8
2000.3	112.2		104.7	107.9	101.4	93.1					103.2
2000.4	109.0		100.7	108.0	101.4	92.6					101.4
2001.1	106.0		101.3	108.0	101.2	92.2					100.3
2001.2	107.3		101.2	107.5	100.6	92.2					100.6
2001.3	106.7		104.2	107.5	100.2	92.1					100.8
2001.4	107.7		102.3	108.4	98.8	91.9					100.7
2002.1	106.0		102.8	107.2	99.5	97.9					102.2
2002.2	103.7		98.4	107.9	101.0	97.6					100.8
2002.3	102.3		101.3	107.7	101.0	97.7					100.8
2002.4	99.6		100.3	101.5	101.2	97.7					99.4
2003.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2003.2	100.3	100.2	100.0	100.2	99.7	100.0	99.3	99.8	100.0	100.0	99.9
2003.3	100.7	100.0	99.2	101.0	99.7	100.0	99.1	100.2	100.0	100.0	99.8
2003.4	100.5	99.9	97.9	100.5	100.5	100.0	96.3	99.6	100.0	100.0	99.6
2004.1	103.1	99.9	98.3	100.9	100.5	100.0	95.6	99.5	100.0	100.0	100.2
2004.2	104.1	99.7	97.7	99.8	100.9	100.0	101.5	99.6	108.3	100.9	100.9
2004.3	105.2	100.1	97.4	95.5	100.0	100.0	98.9	98.7	108.3	100.5	100.5
2004.4	107.4	99.9	98.0	92.6	100.2	100.0	98.6	100.9	108.3	101.2	101.2
2005.1	106.9	100.0	98.2	98.0	100.6	100.0	98.8	98.0	108.3	101.3	101.3
2005.2	107.7	101.3	98.3	96.6	100.7	100.0	101.5	98.4	108.3	101.6	101.6
2005.3	100.4	100.4	100.1	96.3	100.3	100.1	99.6	101.4	100.0	100.2	100.2
2005.4	99.6	100.1	102.2	99.5	100.0	99.8	100.8	101.1	100.0	100.6	100.6
2006.1	101.0	100.4	101.5	114.0	100.3	106.5	103.0	100.8	100.0	101.3	101.3
2006.2	100.2	100.0	101.0	100.5	100.0	100.0	100.7	100.0	100.0	100.3	100.3
2006.3	101.3	100.0	139.7	100.5	100.0	100.0	102.2	100.1	100.0	111.3	111.3
2006.4	102.3	100.0	140.5	100.3	100.0	100.0	99.1	100.5	100.0	111.7	111.7
2007.1	104.9	103.9	140.9	101.8	100.0	100.0	100.3	100.8	100.0	112.4	112.4
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2007.4	107.4	104.3	144.9	102.3	100.0	101.1	101.0	100.6	100.0	114.1	114.1
2008.1	112.0	106.4	141.0	102.4	100.0	107.9	102.4	100.5	100.0	114.1	114.1
2008.2	112.4	107.7	161.6	101.3	103.2	107.9	99.8	100.5	100.0	120.9	120.9

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1 The previous Consumer Price Index had only 5 major groups rather than the 9 that are in the revised CPI. Nevertheless, these historical CPIs will provide users with some indication of historical price movement of the CPI.