

MONTSERRAT'S CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND INFLATION RATES -Base year January 2014

Expenditure Categories	Weight	2016												2017											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Inflation Rate (month to month % change)		0.12	(1.22)	(0.35)	0.82	0.11	0.51	(0.21)	(0.31)	(0.06)	(0.18)	0.46	(0.97)	2.43	(0.38)	(0.54)	0.55	0.18	0.16	...	...	...	...	...	...
All Items	99.91	99.02	97.81	97.47	98.27	98.38	98.88	98.67	98.36	98.30	98.12	98.57	97.61	99.98	99.60	99.06	99.60	99.78	99.94	...	...	...	...	...	...
Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages	16.32	99.24	98.93	97.83	98.69	98.91	99.30	98.79	98.67	98.82	99.28	99.07	98.90	99.44	98.07	97.92	98.79	99.35	99.20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco & Narcotics	0.43	99.48	99.50	99.54	99.51	100.10	100.15	99.13	99.39	99.40	99.40	99.40	99.63	100.19	99.72	99.72	99.80	99.99	100.02	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clothing & Footwear	4.76	97.14	97.14	97.14	97.14	97.14	97.15	97.20	97.20	97.20	92.73	92.73	92.73	94.45	94.45	94.40	92.65	92.60	92.60	...	...	...	...	...	...
Housing, Utilities, Gas & Fuels	33.05	99.59	97.65	96.76	98.54	98.32	99.41	99.96	99.75	99.33	99.97	101.37	98.70	101.47	100.88	99.44	100.70	101.29	102.07	...	...	...	...	...	...
Household Furnishings, Supplies & Maintenance	3.48	103.08	102.98	102.85	101.65	101.67	101.70	101.43	101.44	101.44	99.36	99.59	99.54	98.38	98.28	98.35	98.33	98.12	98.12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Health	1.89	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.42	104.05	104.05	104.05	104.05	104.05	104.05	...	...	...	...	...	...
Transport	18.08	93.94	91.42	91.51	92.06	92.82	93.24	91.60	90.51	90.85	90.85	91.12	91.18	98.57	99.07	98.93	99.05	98.52	98.13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Communication	8.33	101.76	101.76	103.35	103.35	103.35	103.35	103.35	103.35	103.35	100.65	100.65	100.65	100.40	100.40	100.40	101.01	100.98	100.98	...	...	...	...	...	...
Recreation & Culture	2.44	98.89	98.89	98.89	98.89	98.87	98.88	97.87	97.49	97.49	99.24	98.90	99.16	96.36	96.36	96.36	97.73	97.80	97.80	...	...	...	...	...	...
Education	2.85	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.66	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	102.95	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hotels & Restaurants	2.11	101.41	101.41	101.41	101.41	101.41	101.05	101.05	101.05	101.05	101.05	101.05	101.05	101.28	101.28	101.28	100.32	100.32	100.32	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	6.17	102.23	101.70	101.75	101.71	101.71	101.72	102.46	102.55	102.08	102.09	101.77	100.39	100.82	100.06	99.85	99.58	99.58	99.65	...	...	...	...	...	...

Source: Eastern Caribbean Central Bank