

**Table 1. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX.**  
(Base Period : Average Prices February 2016 = 100)

| Group                             | All Items     | Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment, and Maintenance | Health     | Transport    | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education   | Restaurants | Miscellaneous goods and services |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|---|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Weights</b>                    | <b>1000.0</b> | <b>403.7</b>                     | <b>128.4</b>                               | <b>21.2</b>           | <b>119.6</b>                                     | <b>30.8</b>                                       | <b>4.6</b> | <b>148.5</b> | <b>51.5</b>   | <b>6.1</b>             | <b>19.7</b> | <b>22.4</b> | <b>43.5</b>                      |
| Ave - 2013                        | 99.5          | 98.1                             | 93.2                                       | 95.3                  | 110.6  | 100.1   | 86.3       | 110.4        | 100.1         | 99.3                   | 98.3        | 85.6        | 104.3                            |
| Ave - 2014                        | 99.1          | 94.8                             | 96.1                                       | 98.9                  | 114.3  | 98.9  | 97.3       | 115.8        | 100.1         | 99.7                   | 98.3        | 92.2        | 101.9                            |
| Ave - 2015                        | 99.8          | 97.9                             | 97.7                                       | 98.6                  | 106.0  | 99.7  | 99.9       | 108.7        | 100.0         | 99.9                   | 100.0       | 98.7        | 99.2                             |
| 2015                              |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| July                              | 100.9         | 99.2                             | 96.3                                       | 100.1                 | 104.3  | 99.8  | 100.0      | 115.3        | 100.1         | 99.9                   | 100.0       | 100.0       | 98.5                             |
| August                            | 98.4          | 96.4                             | 95.6                                       | 99.7                  | 97.8   | 100.7   | 100.0      | 110.3        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.0                             |
| September                         | 97.3          | 93.5                             | 98.1                                       | 99.0                  | 97.7   | 100.7   | 100.0      | 112.1        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.0                             |
| October                           | 99.2          | 96.7                             | 98.1                                       | 98.2                  | 104.6  | 100.6   | 100.0      | 108.5        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.3                             |
| November                          | 99.6          | 98.3                             | 99.2                                       | 99.1                  | 104.9  | 99.9  | 100.0      | 103.4        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.5                             |
| December                          | 100.4         | 101.2                            | 99.2                                       | 98.7                  | 94.8   | 100.2   | 100.0      | 102.2        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.4                             |
| 2016                              |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| January                           | 104.4         | 106.9                            | 100.2                                      | 98.9                  | 103.7  | 100.1   | 100.0      | 105.3        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 101.6                            |
| February                          | 100.0         | 100.0                            | 100.0                                      | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0   | 100.0      | 100.0        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| March                             | 99.6          | 100.6                            | 99.7                                       | 99.7                  | 96.7   | 100.1   | 100.2      | 98.7         | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.9                             |
| April                             | 99.4          | 101.8                            | 99.8                                       | 99.9                  | 95.8   | 99.5  | 100.2      | 95.1         | 100.0         | 93.9                   | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.5                            |
| May                               | 100.2         | 102.3                            | 99.8                                       | 99.8                  | 94.7   | 98.4  | 98.0       | 99.8         | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 101.2                            |
| June                              | 101.6         | 105.9                            | 99.8                                       | 99.2                  | 92.9   | 98.5  | 98.0       | 100.7        | 100.0         | 98.3                   | 100.0       | 100.0       | 102.1                            |
| July (P)                          | 103.4         | 106.5                            | 105.8                                      | 99.2                  | 93.1   | 99.3  | 96.7       | 106.0        | 100.0         | 94.1                   | 102.2       | 100.0       | 101.7                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b>      |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2016            | 1.8%          | 0.6%                             | 6.0%                                       | 0.0%                  | 0.2%   | 0.8%  | -1.3%      | 5.3%         | 0.0%          | -4.3%                  | 2.2%        | 0.0%        | -0.4%                            |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015            | 2.5%          | 7.3%                             | 9.8%                                       | -0.9%                 | -10.8%   | -0.5%   | -3.3%      | -8.1%        | -0.1%         | -5.8%                  | 2.2%        | 0.0%        | 3.2%                             |
| <b>ALL ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX</b> |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| Group                             | All Items     | Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment, and Maintenance | Health     | Transport    | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education   | Restaurants | Miscellaneous goods and services |
| <b>Weights</b>                    | <b>586.7</b>  | <b>345.3</b>                     | <b>n.a</b>                                 | <b>21.2</b>           | <b>24.2</b>                                      | <b>30.8</b>                                       | <b>3.5</b> | <b>26.4</b>  | <b>51.5</b>   | <b>5.6</b>             | <b>12.3</b> | <b>22.4</b> | <b>43.5</b>                      |
| Ave - 2013                        | 103.8         | 105.9                            |  | 95.3                  | 101.9  | 100.0   | 97.6       | 104.8        |               | 94.7                   |             | 85.6        | 104.3                            |
| Ave - 2014                        | 105.0         | 107.3                            |  | 98.9                  | 102.2  | 98.9  | 96.5       | 102.9        |               | 95.4                   |             | 92.1        | 102.0                            |
| Ave - 2015                        | 102.5         | 103.5                            |  | 98.7                  | 101.7  | 99.7  | 99.8       | 101.9        |               | 98.3                   |             | 98.7        | 99.2                             |
| 2015                              |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| July                              | 101.2         | 101.8                            |  | 100.1                 | 101.7  | 99.8  | 99.9       | 100.0        |               | 97.4                   |             | 100.0       | 98.6                             |
| August                            | 100.6         | 100.8                            |  | 99.8                  | 101.9  | 100.7   | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 99.0                             |
| September                         | 100.5         | 0.0                              |  | 99.1                  | 102.2  | 100.7   | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 99.0                             |
| October                           | 101.2         | 101.8                            |  | 98.2                  | 101.0  | 100.6   | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 99.2                             |
| November                          | 101.0         | 101.5                            |  | 99.1                  | 101.6  | 99.9  | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 99.5                             |
| December                          | 100.7         | 100.9                            |  | 98.8                  | 101.5  | 100.1   | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 99.4                             |
| 2016                              |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| January                           | 100.6         | 100.7                            |  | 99.0                  | 101.0  | 100.1   | 100.0      | 100.0        |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       | 101.5                            |
| February                          | 100.0         | 100.0                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0   | 100.0      | 100.0        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| March                             | 100.2         | 100.5                            |  | 99.7                  | 97.4   | 100.1   | 100.3      | 100.0        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 99.9                             |
| April                             | 100.6         | 101.3                            |  | 99.9                  | 97.5   | 99.5  | 100.3      | 100.0        | 100.0         | 93.4                   | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.5                            |
| May                               | 100.5         | 101.0                            |  | 99.8                  | 97.6   | 98.4  | 97.4       | 100.0        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 101.2                            |
| June                              | 103.3         | 105.7                            |  | 99.2                  | 97.9   | 98.5  | 97.4       | 100.2        | 100.0         | 98.2                   | 100.0       | 100.0       | 102.1                            |
| July (P)                          | 102.9         | 105.0                            |  | 99.2                  | 97.5   | 99.3  | 95.7       | 100.4        | 100.0         | 93.7                   | 103.5       | 100.0       | 101.7                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b>      |               |                                  |  |                       |  |   |            |              |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2016            | -0.4%         | -0.7%                            |  | 0.0%                  | -0.4%  | 0.8%  | -1.8%      | 0.2%         | 0.0%          | -4.6%                  | 3.5%        | 0.0%        | -0.4%                            |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015            | 1.6%          | 3.1%                             |  | -0.9%                 | -4.1%  | -0.5%   | -4.3%      | 0.4%         | n.a           | -3.8%                  | n.a         | 0.0%        | 3.2%                             |

Source : Samoa Bureau Statistics

(P) : Provisional figures

█ : Revised figures

Note : n.a. Not applicable

**Table 2. AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES**

| Commodities  | Wt   | Unit      | 2015   |        |        | 2016   |        |          |
|--|------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|
|  |      |           | May    | June   | July   | May    | June   | July (P) |
| <b>01 Food and non-alcoholic beverages</b>                                   |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Leg Quarters Chicken   | 62.2 | lb        | 2.20   | 2.20   | 1.34   | 1.34   | 1.67   | 1.62     |
| Raw Sugar  | 21.3 | 1 lb      | 1.12   | 1.04   | 1.05   | 1.21   | 1.17   | 1.23     |
| Bread  | 17.2 | loaf      | 1.70   | 1.70   | 1.76   | 1.78   | 1.78   | 1.82     |
| Corned Beef (a)  | 15.9 | 12 oz     |        |        |        | 8.58   | 8.58   | 8.55     |
| Taro   | 15.2 | 1 lb      | 0.88   | 0.93   | 0.91   | 1.26   | 1.42   | 1.53     |
| Re-packed medium grain rice  | 13.4 | 1 lb      | 1.58   | 1.50   | 1.47   | 1.60   | 1.59   | 1.61     |
| Prepacked medium grain rice (a)  | 13.4 | 2 lb      |        |        |        | 3.57   | 3.57   | 3.47     |
| Canned fish between \$3.00 and \$3.99 Natural Oil                            | 12.7 | 15 oz     | 3.02   | 3.02   | 3.92   | 3.26   | 3.29   | 3.27     |
| Bongo  | 10.2 | 20grms    | 0.60   | 0.60   | 0.68   | 0.81   | 0.81   | 0.81     |
| Keke Saina Biscuits (a)  | 9.2  | pkt 10    |        |        |        | 5.84   | 6.08   | 6.00     |
| Tip Top Ice Cream (a)  | 9.2  | 2 ltr     |        |        |        | 14.87  | 14.87  | 14.73    |
| Ramen maggie   | 9.0  | 85gms     | 1.10   | 1.10   | 1.08   | 1.11   | 1.11   | 1.10     |
| Fish (Piece)   | 7.9  | lb        | 6.63   | 6.47   | 7.25   | 5.59   | 5.77   | 6.89     |
| Butter Anchor  | 7.7  | 1lb       | 12.00  | 12.00  | 10.82  | 11.71  | 11.71  | 11.84    |
| Round Pancake (a)  | 7.5  | sml       |        |        |        | 0.15   | 0.15   | 0.15     |
| Mutton Flaps   | 6.6  | lb        | 9.90   | 9.90   | 7.10   | 6.69   | 6.72   | 6.91     |
| Canned fish \$4:00 or over N/Oil   | 6.4  | 15 oz     | 4.48   | 4.48   | 4.58   | 4.50   | 4.47   | 4.76     |
| Canned fish under \$3.00 in N/Oil  | 6.4  | 15 oz     | 3.13   | 3.13   | 3.57   | 3.20   | 3.20   | 3.14     |
| Wings Turkey   | 6.3  | lb        | 2.70   | 2.70   | 2.97   | 2.73   | 2.73   | 2.68     |
| Fish (string)  | 6.0  | lb        | 3.90   | 3.90   | 3.11   | 2.74   | 2.53   | 2.22     |
| Fish (large)   | 6.0  | lb        | 3.96   | 4.40   | 4.44   | 4.07   | 4.13   | 4.04     |
| <b>02 Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics</b>                         |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Lager Beer   | 37.9 | 355 mls   | 3.23   | 3.23   | 3.24   | 3.39   | 3.38   | 3.43     |
| Pall Mall Filter Cigarettes (Red)  | 24.3 | 20 rolls  | 10.00  | 10.00  | 10.00  | 10.50  | 10.50  | 11.50    |
| Pall Mall Menthol Cigarettes (Green)   | 24.3 | 20 rolls  | 10.00  | 10.00  | 10.00  | 10.50  | 10.50  | 11.50    |
| Beer (a)   | 16.3 | 330 mls   |        |        |        | 3.20   | 3.20   | 3.31     |
| Winfield Tobacco (a)   | 12.6 | packet    |        |        |        | 12.90  | 12.90  | 14.60    |
| <b>03 Clothing and footwear</b>  |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Uniform le Faitaga College boys  | 4.3  | size 8-10 | 34.00  | 34.00  | 31.50  | 33.00  | 33.00  | 33.00    |
| Uniform Pa'ave (a)   | 3.7  | size 7    |        |        |        | 33.67  | 33.67  | 33.67    |
| <b>04 Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels</b>                   |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Electricity  | 50.6 | kwh       | 0.87   | 0.82   | 0.80   | 0.77   | 0.73   | 0.73     |
| Reservoir treated Water  | 28.5 | 15-40 m3  | 1.40   | 1.40   | 1.40   | 1.40   | 1.40   | 1.40     |
| Liquid gas   | 15.8 | 20 lb     | 65.50  | 63.00  | 63.00  | 63.00  | 63.00  | 63.00    |
| Government house Rent  | 12.2 | 2 b/room  | 500.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 500.00   |
| <b>05 Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance</b> |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Washing powder (a)   | 6.3  | 200g      |        |        |        | 1.82   | 1.86   | 1.88     |
| Soap yellow Washing soap   | 5.9  | bar       | 3.00   | 3.00   | 2.90   | 2.89   | 2.86   | 2.82     |
| Mosquito coil  | 4.4  | 12 coil   | 1.20   | 1.20   | 1.30   | 1.30   | 1.30   | 1.45     |
| <b>06 Health</b>   |      |           |        |        |        |        |        |          |
| Amoxicillin mg Tablets (a)   | 2.5  | 500 mg    |        |        |        | 7.28   | 7.28   | 6.87     |
| Hospital Charge  | 1.1  | night     | 10.00  | 10.00  | 30.00  | 22.50  | 22.50  | 22.50    |

**Table 3. IMPORTED GOODS COMPONENT OF THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**  
(Base Period : Average Prices February 2016 = 100)

| Group                                  | All Items    | Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics | Clothing and Footwear | Housing,Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance | Health     | Transport   | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education  | Restaurants | Miscellaneous goods and services |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|---|--|------------|-------------|---------------|------------------------|------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Weights</b>                         | <b>494.7</b> | <b>269.1</b>                     | <b>23.8</b>                                | <b>15.2</b>           | <b>28.3</b>                                     | <b>26.9</b>                                      | <b>2.5</b> | <b>88.6</b> | <i>n.a</i>    | <b>5.6</b>             | <i>n.a</i> | <i>n.a</i>  | <b>34.7</b>                      |
| Ave - 2013                             | 109.5        | 107.6                            | 109.6                                      | 101.7                 | 108.7   | 98.9   | 99.2       | 137.1       |               | 89.9                   |            |             | 104.3                            |
| Ave - 2014                             | 110.7        | 109.6                            | 110.8                                      | 100.9                 | 108.7   | 98.2   | 98.0       | 138.3       |               | 91.3                   |            |             | 102.0                            |
| Ave - 2015                             | 104.5        | 104.5                            | 103.0                                      | 99.5                  | 104.5   | 99.1   | 100.5      | 114.0       |               | 96.8                   |            |             | 99.2                             |
| 2015                                   |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| July                                   | 103.2        | 102.1                            | 97.6                                       | 100.2                 | 104.9   | 99.1   | 99.9       | 119.3       |               | 95.1                   |            |             | 98.6                             |
| August                                 | 102.6        | 100.8                            | 94.0                                       | 99.7                  | 105.3   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 122.4       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.0                             |
| September                              | 102.0        | 100.6                            | 94.0                                       | 98.4                  | 104.9   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 117.8       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.0                             |
| October                                | 102.4        | 102.2                            | 94.0                                       | 96.9                  | 102.6   | 100.2  | 100.0      | 112.3       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.2                             |
| November                               | 102.3        | 101.6                            | 100.0                                      | 98.4                  | 103.6   | 99.8   | 100.0      | 112.4       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.5                             |
| December                               | 101.4        | 101.2                            | 100.7                                      | 97.9                  | 102.8   | 100.1  | 100.0      | 106.4       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.4                             |
| 2016                                   |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| January                                | 101.1        | 100.5                            | 101.4                                      | 98.2                  | 102.4   | 100.1  | 100.0      | 105.7       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 101.5                            |
| February                               | 100.0        | 100.0                            | 100.0                                      | 100.0                 | 100.0   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 100.0                            |
| March                                  | 99.4         | 100.7                            | 100.0                                      | 99.7                  | 96.1  | 100.1  | 100.4      | 95.8        |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.8                             |
| April                                  | 99.4         | 101.7                            | 100.7                                      | 99.8                  | 96.7  | 99.4   | 100.4      | 92.6        |               | 93.4                   |            |             | 100.6                            |
| May                                    | 100.3        | 101.2                            | 100.7                                      | 99.8                  | 98.0  | 98.2   | 96.2       | 98.4        |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 101.5                            |
| June                                   | 103.9        | 107.1                            | 100.8                                      | 99.6                  | 98.8  | 98.3   | 96.2       | 100.5       |               | 98.2                   |            |             | 102.6                            |
| July (P)                               | 104.9        | 106.1                            | 109.1                                      | 99.6                  | 99.6  | 99.2   | 93.8       | 106.8       |               | 93.7                   |            |             | 102.1                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b>           |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2016                 | 0.9%         | -0.9%                            | 8.3%                                       | 0.0%                  | 0.7%  | 0.9%   | -2.5%      | 6.3%        |               | -4.6%                  |            |             | -0.5%                            |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015                 | 1.7%         | 3.9%                             | 11.8%                                      | -0.6%                 | -5.1%   | 0.1%   | -6.1%      | -10.5%      |               | -1.5%                  |            |             | 3.6%                             |
| <b>IMPORTED ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX</b> |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
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| <b>Weights</b>                         | <b>401.2</b> | <b>269.1</b>                     | <i>n.a</i>                                 | <b>15.2</b>           | <b>24.2</b>                                     | <b>26.9</b>                                      | <b>2.5</b> | <b>23.0</b> | <i>n.a</i>    | <b>5.6</b>             | <i>n.a</i> | <i>n.a</i>  | <b>34.7</b>                      |
| Ave - 2013                             | 106.1        | 107.6                            |  | 101.7                 | 102.7   | 98.9   | 99.2       | 114.8       |               | 89.9                   |            |             | 104.3                            |
| Ave - 2014                             | 107.3        | 109.6                            |  | 100.9                 | 102.5   | 98.2   | 98.0       | 108.9       |               | 91.3                   |            |             | 102.0                            |
| Ave - 2015                             | 103.4        | 104.5                            |  | 99.5                  | 102.0   | 99.1   | 100.5      | 105.9       |               | 96.8                   |            |             | 99.2                             |
| 2015                                   |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| July                                   | 101.4        | 102.1                            |  | 100.2                 | 101.9   | 99.1   | 99.9       | 99.9        |               | 95.1                   |            |             | 98.6                             |
| August                                 | 100.6        | 100.8                            |  | 99.7                  | 102.2   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.0                             |
| September                              | 100.5        | 100.6                            |  | 98.4                  | 102.4   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.0                             |
| October                                | 101.6        | 102.2                            |  | 96.9                  | 101.2   | 100.2  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.2                             |
| November                               | 101.2        | 101.6                            |  | 98.4                  | 101.8   | 99.8   | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.5                             |
| December                               | 100.8        | 101.2                            |  | 97.9                  | 101.8   | 100.1  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.4                             |
| 2016                                   |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| January                                | 100.5        | 100.5                            |  | 98.2                  | 101.1   | 100.1  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 101.5                            |
| February                               | 100.0        | 100.0                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 100.0                            |
| March                                  | 100.3        | 100.7                            |  | 99.7                  | 97.4  | 100.1  | 100.4      | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 99.8                             |
| April                                  | 100.9        | 101.7                            |  | 99.8                  | 97.5  | 99.4   | 100.4      | 100.0       |               | 93.4                   |            |             | 100.6                            |
| May                                    | 100.7        | 101.2                            |  | 99.8                  | 97.6  | 98.2   | 96.2       | 100.0       |               | 100.0                  |            |             | 101.5                            |
| June                                   | 104.7        | 107.1                            |  | 99.6                  | 97.9  | 98.3   | 96.2       | 100.0       |               | 98.2                   |            |             | 102.6                            |
| July (P)                               | 103.9        | 106.1                            |  | 99.6                  | 97.5  | 99.2   | 93.8       | 100.2       |               | 93.7                   |            |             | 102.1                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b>           |              |                                  |  |                       |   |  |            |             |               |                        |            |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2016                 | -0.7%        | -0.9%                            |  | 0.0%                  | -0.4%   | 0.9%   | -2.5%      | 0.2%        |               | -4.6%                  |            |             | -0.5%                            |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015                 | 2.4%         | 3.9%                             |  | -0.6%                 | -4.3%   | 0.1%   | -6.1%      | 0.3%        |               | -1.5%                  |            |             | 3.6%                             |

Source : Samoa Bureau Statistics

(P) : Provisional figures

■ : Revised figures

Note: n.a. Not applicable

**Table 4. LOCAL GOODS COMPONENT OF THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**  
(Base Period : Average Prices February 2016 = 100)

| Group                        | All Items    | Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance | Health     | Transport   | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education   | Restaurants | Miscellaneous goods and services |
|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--|------------|-------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Weights</b>               | <b>505.3</b> | <b>134.6</b>                     | <b>104.6</b>                               | <b>6.0</b>            | <b>91.3</b>                                      | <b>3.9</b>                                       | <b>2.2</b> | <b>59.9</b> | <b>51.5</b>   | <b>0.4</b>             | <b>19.7</b> | <b>22.4</b> | <b>8.8</b>                       |
| Ave - 2013                   | 93.3         | 89.6                             | 90.3                                       | 86.6                  | 111.2  | 103.4  | 56.3       | 91.4        | 100.1         | 99.6                   | 98.2        | 85.6        |                                  |
| Ave - 2014                   | 91.9         | 81.5                             | 93.4                                       | 96.3                  | 115.9  | 100.8  | 95.8       | 99.8        | 100.1         | 100.0                  | 98.2        | 92.1        |                                  |
| Ave - 2015                   | 96.9         | 92.0                             | 96.7                                       | 97.6                  | 106.4  | 101.3  | 98.2       | 104.9       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 98.7        |                                  |
| 2015                         |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |             |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| July                         | 99.3         | 96.5                             | 96.1                                       | 100.0                 | 104.2  | 101.7  | 100.0      | 112.4       | 100.1         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| August                       | 95.8         | 92.3                             | 95.9                                       | 100.0                 | 95.8   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 101.6       | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| September                    | 94.4         | 87.0                             | 98.9                                       | 100.0                 | 95.8   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 107.8       | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| October                      | 97.2         | 91.8                             | 98.9                                       | 100.0                 | 105.2  | 101.7  | 100.0      | 105.6       | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| November                     | 98.0         | 95.3                             | 99.0                                       | 100.0                 | 105.2  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 96.9        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| December                     | 99.7         | 101.2                            | 99.0                                       | 100.0                 | 92.7   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 99.2        | 99.9          | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| 2016                         |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |             |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| January                      | 106.3        | 112.6                            | 100.0                                      | 100.0                 | 104.2  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 105.0       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       |                                  |
| February                     | 100.0        | 100.0                            | 100.0                                      | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| March                        | 99.8         | 100.4                            | 99.6                                       | 99.6                  | 96.8   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 103.0       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| April                        | 99.5         | 102.2                            | 99.6                                       | 100.0                 | 95.5   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 98.7        | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| May                          | 100.2        | 104.6                            | 99.6                                       | 100.0                 | 93.6   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 101.9       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| June                         | 99.3         | 103.5                            | 99.5                                       | 98.2                  | 91.1   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.9       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| July (P)                     | 102.0        | 107.3                            | 105.0                                      | 98.2                  | 91.1   | 100.0  | 100.0      | 104.8       | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 102.2       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b> |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |             |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2016       | 2.7%         | 3.7%                             | 5.5%                                       | 0.0%                  | 0.0%   | 0.0%   | 0.0%       | 3.8%        | 0.0%          | 0.0%                   | 2.2%        | 0.0%        | 0.0%                             |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015       | 2.7%         | 11.2%                            | 9.3%                                       | -1.8%                 | -12.5%   | -1.7%  | 0.0%       | -6.8%       | -0.1%         | 0.0%                   | 2.2%        | 0.0%        |                                  |

**LOCAL ITEMS UNDERLYING INDEX**

| Group                        | All Items    | Food and Non Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment and Maintenance | Health     | Transport  | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education   | Restaurants | Miscellaneous goods and services |
|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--|------------|------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Weights</b>               | <b>185.5</b> | <b>76.1</b>                      | <b>n.a</b>                                 | <b>6.0</b>            | <b>n.a</b>                                       | <b>3.9</b>                                       | <b>1.0</b> | <b>3.4</b> | <b>51.5</b>   | <b>n.a</b>             | <b>12.3</b> | <b>22.4</b> | <b>8.8</b>                       |
| Ave - 2013                   | 97.2         | 100.3                            |  | 86.6                  | 93.4   | 103.4  | 80.0       | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 85.6        |                                  |
| Ave - 2014                   | 98.3         | 99.7                             |  | 96.3                  | 98.3   | 100.8  | 80.0       | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 92.1        |                                  |
| Ave - 2015                   | 99.9         | 100.3                            |  | 97.6                  | 98.8   | 101.3  | 91.7       | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 98.7        |                                  |
| 2015                         |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |            |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| July                         | 100.6        | 100.8                            |  | 100.0                 | 99.0   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| August                       | 100.6        | 100.8                            |  | 100.0                 | 99.0   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| September                    | 100.7        | 101.0                            |  | 100.0                 | 99.0   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| October                      | 100.3        | 100.3                            |  | 100.0                 | 98.8   | 101.7  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| November                     | 100.7        | 101.1                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| December                     | 100.1        | 100.2                            |  | 100.0                 | 98.4   | 100.3  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| 2016                         |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |            |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| January                      | 100.8        | 101.3                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      |               | 100.0                  |             | 100.0       |                                  |
| February                     | 100.0        | 100.0                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| March                        | 99.9         | 99.8                             |  | 99.6                  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| April                        | 100.1        | 100.2                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| May                          | 100.1        | 100.2                            |  | 100.0                 | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 100.0      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| June                         | 100.3        | 100.8                            |  | 98.2                  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 101.8      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 100.0       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| July (P)                     | 100.7        | 101.1                            |  | 98.2                  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0      | 101.8      | 100.0         | 100.0                  | 103.5       | 100.0       | 100.0                            |
| <b>Percentage Change (P)</b> |              |                                  |  |                       |  |  |            |            |               |                        |             |             |                                  |
| Jul 2016 over Jun 2015       | 0.4%         | 0.3%                             |  | 0.0%                  |  | 0.0%   | 0.0%       | 0.0%       | 0.0%          |                        | 3.5%        | 0.0%        | 0.0%                             |
| Jul 2016 over Jul 2015       | 0.1%         | 0.3%                             |  | -1.8%                 |  | -1.7%  | 0.0%       | 1.8%       | n.a           |                        | n.a         | 0.0%        | n.a                              |

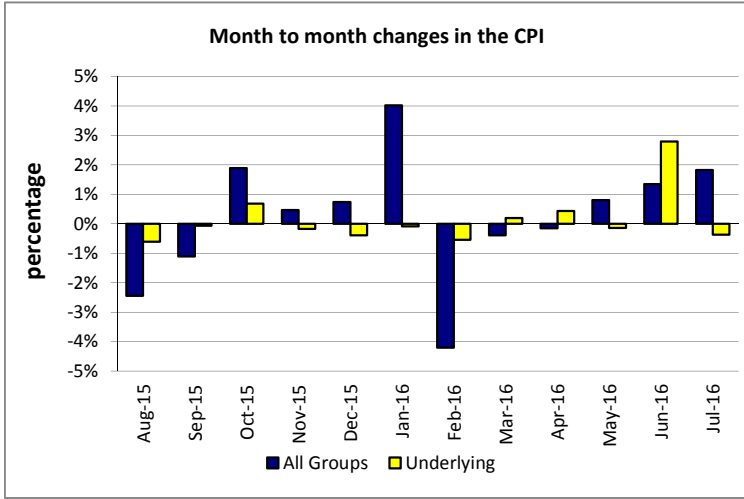
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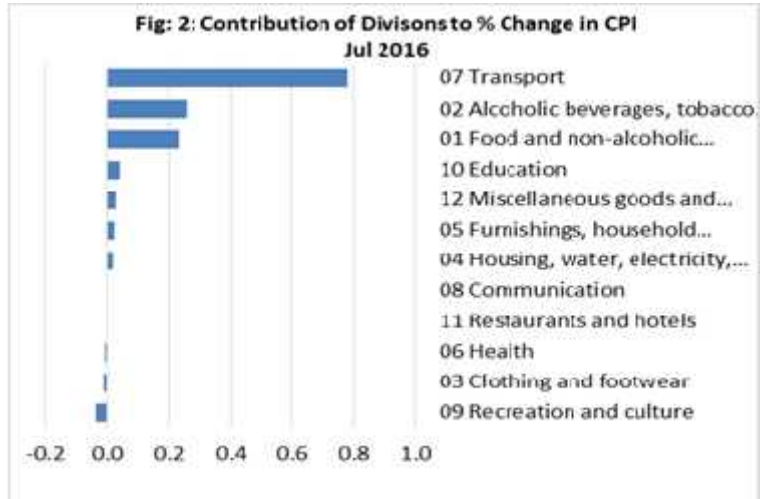
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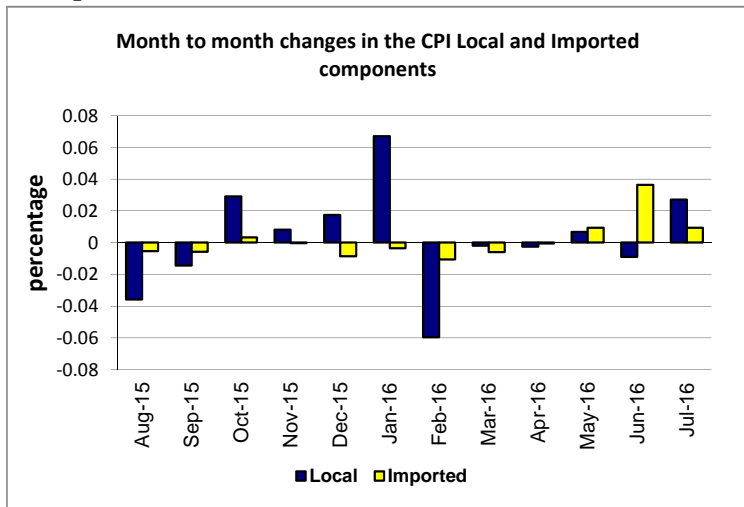
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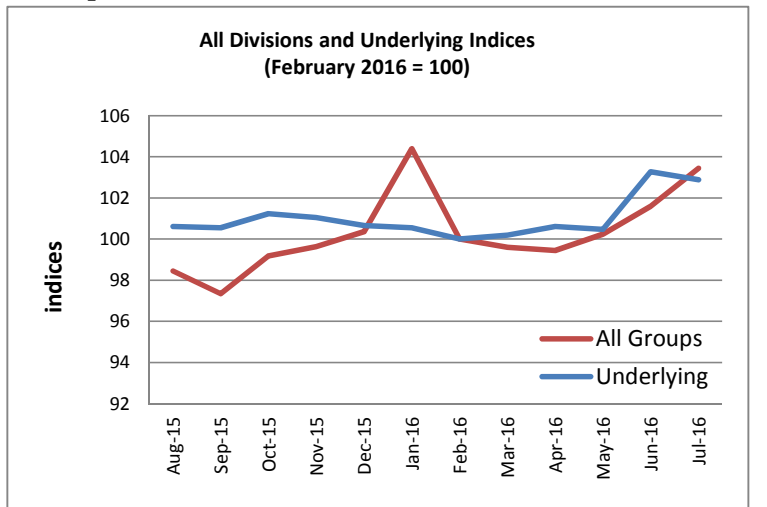
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**Graph.3**



**Graph.4**



**Graph.5**

