

Government of Macao Special Administrative Region Statistics and Census Service

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- The average Tourist Price Index (TPI) for the whole year of 2015 (138.39) decreased by 0.86% year-on-year, the first annual decline recorded since the index was first published. Notable decrease was observed in the price index of Accommodation, while price index of Food, Alcoholic Drinks & Tobacco; Entertainment & Cultural Activities; and Restaurant Services registered marked increase.
- TPI for the fourth quarter of 2015 (141.29) decreased by 3.03% year-on-year, attributable to lower charges for hotel accommodation and reduced prices of clothing.
- The TPI increased by 7.48% quarter-to-quarter. Price index of Accommodation and Clothing & Footwear went up due to rising hotel room rates during the National Day holidays, the Macao Grand Prix and Christmas holidays, as well as new arrival of winter clothing. Meanwhile, lower airfare to/from Southeast Asia drove down the price index of Transport & Communications.

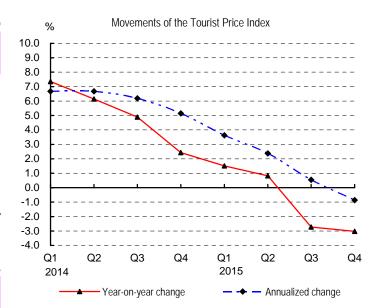
Tourist Price Index 10/2009 - 09/2010 = 1			9 - 09/2010 = 100	
	Annual	Current Quarter	Previous Quarter	Same Quarter Last Year
Index Value	138.39	141.29	131.46	145.71
Quarter-to-quarter change (%)		7.48	-2.34	7.82
Year-on-year change (%)	-0.86	-3.03	-2.72	2.43
Annualized change (%)		-0.86	0.55	5.15

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Changes of the TPI %					
Goods and Services	Weight	Quarter- to- quarter	Year- on- year	Annualized	
Index	100.00	7.48	-3.03	-0.86	
Food, Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco	12.78	0.70	3.86	4.53	
Clothing & Footwear	15.81	9.50	-4.18	-1.78	
Accommodation	23.06	25.19	-10.34	-7.08	
Restaurant Services	17.47	0.15	1.42	4.02	
Transport & Communications	8.11	-0.60	-2.08	1.46	
Medicine & Personal Goods	6.33	0.56	0.91	0.46	
Entertainment & Cultural Activities	2.07	-	2.89	4.22	
Miscellaneous Goods	14.38	0.49	-0.35	-0.89	

⁻ Absolute value equals zero



Historical Data					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Year-on-year change (%)					
Annual	11.13	15.46	6.05	6.80	5.15
4 th Quarter	11.63	18.85	4.45	6.33	2.43

For additional information: http://www.dsec.gov.mo/e/index_tourist.aspx



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