

## Consumer Price Index, base period June 2019

### April 2022

*The Central Bureau of Statistics presents the most important findings for the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the month of April 2022.*

#### Consumer Price Index for the month of April 2022

The CPI for April 2022 is 102.16, an increase of 0.7% compared to the index of March 2022 (101.47) and accumulating an increase of 1.5% up to and including April of this year.

The percentage change of the CPI over the last twelve (12) months (April 2021 to April 2022) is 4.7, an increase of 5.1 percentage points (ppts) compared to the percentage change for the same period of last year (-0.4%).

The period average percentage change of the CPI for the period April 2021 - April 2022 is 2.6%, an increase of 4.9 ppts compared to the period average percentage change over the period April 2020 - April 2021 (-2.3%).

During this month, four (4) of the twelve (12) sectors registered increases in prices. The increases that had the greatest influence on the CPI were registered for the "Transport" (7.5%) and "Food and non-alcoholic beverages" (1.5%) sectors, which contributed with an effect of 1.04 and 0.17 ppts, respectively. The increases in the remaining sectors had an effect of 0.03 ppts on the CPI of April 2022.

Aforementioned increases were partially offset mainly by decreases in the indices for the "Clothing and footwear" (-9.0%) and "Household operation" (1.7%) sectors, causing an effect of -0.25 and -0.16 ppts, respectively. The decreases in the remaining sectors had an effect of -0.15 ppts on the CPI of April 2022.

The increase in the "Transport" sector was mainly due to an increase in the category "Operation of personal transport equipment" (7.7%), which contributed to an effect of 0.68. The increase in the "Food and non-alcoholic beverages" sector was mainly due to an increase in the category "Food" (1.7%), which contributed to an effect of 0.16 ppts.

The decrease in the "Clothing and footwear" sector was mainly due to a decrease in the category "Clothing" (-9.0%), which contributed to an effect of -0.19 ppts. The decrease in the "Household operation" sector was mainly due to a decrease in the category "Household appliances" (-8.0%), which contributed to an effect of -0.21 ppts.

#### Consumption basket

The consumption basket of the CPI consists of 408 goods and services. Compared to March 2022, 44.6% of these products had an increase in price, causing an effect of 1.84 ppts, while 40.4% showed a decrease, contributing to an effect of -1.17 ppts and the remaining 15.0% had no change in price. The prices of goods increased by 0.8% and caused an influence of 0.49 ppts. The prices of services showed an increase of 0.5% and had an influence of 0.19 ppts on the CPI of April 2022.

#### Core inflation

The CPIC (core inflation) - CPI excluding the effect of energy and food – was 1.2% in April 2022. The energy index - which consists of the products: electricity, water, gasoline and diesel – was 8.8%. The food index showed an increase of 3.0%.

#### Subsistence level

The subsistence level for a household consisting of two (2) adults and two (2) children (aged 0-14 years) in April 2022 is Afl. 5,003, an increase of Afl. 253 compared to April 2021 (Afl. 4,750). The subsistence level for a single adult household is Afl. 2,382, an increase of Afl. 120 compared to April 2021 (Afl. 2,262).


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|--|---|--------|
| <b>CPI</b> (BASE JUN 2019 = 100)   |   |        |
| Index  | ↑ | 102.16 |
| Monthly  | ↑ | 0.7    |
| Year-to-date   | ↑ | 1.5    |
| End of period  | ↑ | 4.7    |
| Period average   | ↑ | 2.6    |
| Goods  | ↑ | 0.8    |
| Services   | ↑ | 0.5    |
| <b>CPIC</b> (based on period average inflation)  |   |        |
| CPIC   | ↑ | 1.2    |
| Energy   | ↑ | 8.8    |
| Food   | ↑ | 3.0    |
| <b>SUBSISTENCE LEVEL</b> in AFL.   |   |        |
| 1 adult  | ↑ | 2,382  |
| 2 adults + 2 children  | ↑ | 5,003  |
| CPIC: CPI excluding the effect of energy and food.   |   |        |
| Energy: Electricity, water, gasoline and diesel.   |   |        |
| SUBSISTENCE LEVEL: The minimum level of income which is perceived necessary to achieve an adequate standard of living.                   |   |        |

Table 1 Overview percentage change of the CPI

|                              | Apr-21 | May-21 | Jun-21 | Jul-21 | Aug-21 | Sep-21 | Oct-21 | Nov-21 | Dec-21 | Jan-22 | Feb-22 | Mar-22 | Apr-22 |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Index</b>                 | 97.57  | 97.39  | 98.09  | 98.53  | 98.84  | 99.24  | 99.31  | 99.90  | 100.60 | 100.07 | 100.44 | 101.47 | 102.16 |
| <b>Monthly</b>               | 0.0    | -0.2   | 0.7    | 0.5    | 0.3    | 0.4    | 0.1    | 0.6    | 0.7    | -0.5   | 0.4    | 1.0    | 0.7    |
| <b>Year-to-date</b>          | 0.5    | 0.3    | 1.1    | 1.5    | 1.8    | 2.2    | 2.3    | 2.9    | 3.6    | -0.5   | -0.2   | 0.9    | 1.5    |
| <b>End of period</b>         | -0.4   | -0.2   | 1.0    | 1.8    | 1.4    | 2.2    | 2.4    | 3.1    | 3.6    | 3.3    | 3.5    | 4.0    | 4.7    |
| <b>Period average</b>        | -2.3   | -2.2   | -1.8   | -1.4   | -1.1   | -0.7   | -0.3   | 0.2    | 0.7    | 1.2    | 1.7    | 2.1    | 2.6    |
| <b>Goods</b>                 | 1.2    | -0.4   | 0.6    | 0.8    | 0.4    | 0.9    | -0.7   | 0.7    | 1.4    | -0.6   | 0.1    | 1.6    | 0.8    |
| <b>Services</b>              | -0.1   | 0.2    | 0.8    | 0.0    | 0.2    | -0.2   | 1.1    | 0.5    | -0.2   | -0.5   | 0.7    | 0.2    | 0.5    |
| <b>CPIC</b>                  | -1.4   | -1.7   | -1.6   | -1.4   | -1.3   | -1.2   | -0.9   | -0.7   | -0.3   | 0.1    | 0.5    | 0.8    | 1.2    |
| <b>Energy</b>                | -6.1   | -4.1   | -2.4   | -0.9   | 0.6    | 2.0    | 3.4    | 5.1    | 6.7    | 7.5    | 8.2    | 8.7    | 8.8    |
| <b>Food</b>                  | -2.6   | -2.6   | -2.5   | -2.3   | -2.1   | -1.7   | -1.4   | -0.9   | -0.3   | 0.4    | 1.2    | 2.0    | 3.0    |
| <b>1 adult</b>               | 2,262  | 2,263  | 2,271  | 2,293  | 2,294  | 2,304  | 2,311  | 2,331  | 2,337  | 2,343  | 2,348  | 2,372  | 2,382  |
| <b>2 adults + 2 children</b> | 4,750  | 4,752  | 4,770  | 4,815  | 4,817  | 4,839  | 4,854  | 4,896  | 4,907  | 4,920  | 4,931  | 4,980  | 5,003  |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Table 2 Percentage change by sector

| Sector                               | Weight coefficient | Effect Mar - Apr | Percentage changes |                        |                               |                                |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
|                                      |                    |                  | Monthly Mar - Apr  | Year-to-date Dec - Apr | End of period Apr 21 - Apr 22 | Period average Apr 21 - Apr 22 |
| <b>CPI</b>                           | <b>10,000.0</b>    | <b>0.68</b>      | <b>0.7</b>         | <b>1.5</b>             | <b>4.7</b>                    | <b>2.6</b>                     |
| 01. Food and non-alcoholic beverages | 1,087.7            | 0.17             | 1.5                | 3.6                    | 8.3                           | 2.9                            |
| 02. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco  | 78.2               | 0.00             | 0.1                | 1.9                    | 3.4                           | 1.2                            |
| 03. Clothing and footwear            | 276.8              | -0.25            | -9.0               | -3.1                   | 10.2                          | 0.4                            |
| 04. Housing                          | 2,522.2            | -0.04            | -0.2               | 0.1                    | 0.2                           | 0.8                            |
| 05. Household operation              | 929.2              | -0.16            | -1.7               | -4.8                   | 1.8                           | 1.2                            |
| 06. Health                           | 223.1              | -0.06            | -2.9               | -2.7                   | -4.1                          | -2.9                           |
| 07. Transport                        | 1,257.4            | 1.04             | 7.5                | 14.6                   | 20.1                          | 14.4                           |
| 08. Communications                   | 849.6              | -0.01            | -0.1               | -1.6                   | -2.5                          | -0.8                           |
| 09. Recreation and culture           | 1,013.3            | -0.04            | -0.4               | -2.3                   | 4.2                           | 0.6                            |
| 10. Education                        | 98.0               | 0.00             | 0.0                | 0.0                    | 4.6                           | 3.5                            |
| 11. Restaurants and hotels           | 442.0              | 0.03             | 0.5                | 3.0                    | 6.0                           | 2.2                            |
| 12. Miscellaneous goods and services | 1,222.6            | -0.01            | 0.0                | 0.1                    | 2.4                           | 0.9                            |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Table 3 Categories with the greatest positive effect on the CPI of April 2022

| Category                                  | Monthly change | Effect |
|---|----------------|--------|
| Operation of personal transport equipment | 7.7            | 0.68   |
| Purchase of vehicles                      | 5.4            | 0.25   |
| Food                                      | 1.7            | 0.16   |
| Transport services                        | 25.5           | 0.11   |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Table 4 Categories with the greatest negative effect on the CPI of April 2022

| Category                                   | Monthly change | Effect |
|--|----------------|--------|
| Household appliances                       | -8.0           | -0.21  |
| Clothing                                   | -9.0           | -0.19  |
| Medical products, appliances and equipment | -6.2           | -0.09  |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

## Change in prices of crude oil, utilities, gasoline and diesel in April 2022

The prices of utilities (electricity and water), gasoline and diesel are for the greater part determined by international crude oil prices. In April 2022 the average price per barrel of crude oil (US\$ 102.29) had a decrease of US\$ 6.29 (-5.8%) compared to March 2022 (US\$ 108.58).

The prices of electricity and water did not change compared to March 2022. Subsequently, the average electricity price per household remained at Afl. 240.09, while the average price of water per household remained at Afl. 137.05.

In April 2022 the price of gasoline registered an increase of Afl. 30.00 cents (11.5%) and had an effect of 0.61 ppts on the CPI. The price of diesel registered an increase of Afl. 45.70 cents (20.0%) and had an effect of 0.07 ppts on the CPI of April 2022.

In April 2022, utilities, gasoline and diesel as a group showed an increase in price of 4.1% compared to March 2022, and had an influence of 0.68 ppts on the CPI, while the remaining 404 goods and services, as a group, were unchanged and had no effect on the CPI.

Table 6 Effect on the CPI of April 2022 of goods and services which are dependent on crude oil prices

| Category                     | Weight   | Monthly change | Effect |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------|--------|
| Electricity                  | 810.2    | 0.0            | 0.00   |
| Gasoline                     | 430.5    | 11.5           | 0.61   |
| Water                        | 367.3    | 0.0            | 0.00   |
| Diesel                       | 30.2     | 20.0           | 0.07   |
| Total group                  | 1,638.1  | 4.1            | 0.68   |
| Remaining goods and services | 8,361.9  | 0.0            | 0.00   |
| CPI                          | 10,000.0 | 0.7            | 0.68   |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Table 5 Prices of crude oil, utilities, gasoline and diesel, 2021 - 2022

| Month                 | 2021         |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               | 2022         |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                       | Crude oil    | Total energy charge ≤ 500 kWh | Total energy charge 501-1000 kWh | Electricity   | Water         | Gasoline      | Diesel        | Crude oil    | Total energy charge ≤ 500 kWh | Total energy charge 501-1000 kWh | Electricity   | Water         | Gasoline      | Diesel        |
| January               | 51.23        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 185.90        | 152.40        | 83.06        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 230.60        | 195.00        |
| March                 | 59.10        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 196.30        | 158.60        | 91.32        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 245.70        | 214.10        |
| April                 | 61.52        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 221.60        | 175.80        | 102.29       | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 291.00        | 274.50        |
| May                   | 65.17        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 222.10        | 174.60        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| June                  | 70.97        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 225.80        | 183.00        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| July                  | 72.61        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 230.70        | 188.70        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| August                | 67.62        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 235.70        | 189.30        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| September             | 70.50        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 233.60        | 185.60        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| October               | 80.49        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 234.20        | 193.20        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| November              | 80.13        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 246.40        | 209.00        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| December              | 71.41        | 31.09                         | 31.99                            | 240.09        | 137.05        | 239.00        | 202.30        |              |                               |                                  |               |               |               |               |
| <b>Yearly Average</b> | <b>67.78</b> | <b>31.09</b>                  | <b>31.99</b>                     | <b>240.09</b> | <b>137.05</b> | <b>223.34</b> | <b>181.95</b> | <b>96.31</b> | <b>31.09</b>                  | <b>31.99</b>                     | <b>240.09</b> | <b>137.05</b> | <b>257.08</b> | <b>228.10</b> |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

<sup>1</sup> Average West Texas Intermediate (WTI) crude oil price per barrel in US\$ (Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration)

<sup>2</sup> Total energy charge in Afl. cents per kWh

<sup>3</sup> Electricity price in Afl. is based on an average household usage of 725.5 kWh

<sup>4</sup> Water price in Afl. is based on an average household usage in m<sup>3</sup>

<sup>5</sup> Gasoline and diesel prices in Afl. cents per liter

## Change in prices of Food & catering services in April 2022

The “Food & catering services” index showed an increase of 1.2% in April 2022, after an increase of 0.6% in March 2022. The index for “Food at home” showed an increase of 1.5% in April, as nine (9) of the eleven (11) “Food at home” indices increased in April 2022. The “Bread and cereals” index registered the largest increase (3.9%) in April 2022. Furthermore, other significant increases were posted in the indices for “Fish and other seafood” (3.7%), “Milk, cheese and eggs” (2.7%), “Vegetables” (2.5%) and “Sugar, jam, honey and other confectionery” (1.8%).

The only decreases were registered in the indices of “Potatoes and other tubers” (-2.8%) and “Fruit” (-0.7%).

Over the last twelve (12) months, the “Food & catering services” has increased by 7.5%. The “Food at home” index showed an increase of 8.3%, where all of the “Food at home” indices increased over the last year. The “Oils and fats” index increased by 21.1%, the largest increase among the “Food at home” food groups. Furthermore, other significant increases were posted in the indices for “Fruit” (11.8%), “Meat” (9.3%), “Bread and cereals” (9.1%) and “Fish and other seafood” (8.6%).

The index for “Food away from home” increased by 0.5% in April 2022 and has increased by 5.5% over the last twelve (12) months.

In April 2022, “Food at home” and “Food away from home” as a group showed an increase in price of 1.2% compared to March 2022, and had an influence of 0.19 ppts on the CPI, while the remaining goods and services, as a group, experienced an increase in price of 0.6%, causing an effect of 0.49 ppts on the CPI.

Table 8 Effect on the CPI of April 2022 of Food at home and Food away from home

| Category                            | Weight          | Monthly change | Effect      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|
| <i>Food at home</i>                 | 1,087.7         | 1.5            | 0.17        |
| <i>Food away from home</i>          | 429.8           | 0.5            | 0.02        |
| <b>Total group</b>                  | <b>1,517.5</b>  | <b>1.2</b>     | <b>0.19</b> |
| <i>Remaining goods and services</i> | 8,482.5         | 0.6            | 0.49        |
| <b>CPI</b>                          | <b>10,000.0</b> | <b>0.7</b>     | <b>0.68</b> |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Table 7 Percentage change for Food & catering services

|  | Weight coefficient | Indices       |               |               | Percentage changes |                   |                               | Effect            |                               |
|--|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
|  |                    | Apr-21        | Mar-22        | Apr-22        | Monthly Feb - Mar  | Monthly Mar - Apr | End of period Apr 21 - Apr 22 | Monthly Mar - Apr | End of period Apr 21 - Apr 22 |
|  |                    |               |               |               |                    |                   |                               |                   |                               |
| <b>Food &amp; catering services</b>              | <b>1,517.5</b>     | <b>98.35</b>  | <b>104.41</b> | <b>105.68</b> | <b>0.6</b>         | <b>1.2</b>        | <b>7.5</b>                    | <b>0.191</b>      | <b>1.141</b>                  |
| <b>Food at home</b>                              | <b>1,087.7</b>     | <b>96.54</b>  | <b>102.97</b> | <b>104.52</b> | <b>0.7</b>         | <b>1.5</b>        | <b>8.3</b>                    | <b>0.166</b>      | <b>0.889</b>                  |
| <i>Bread and cereals</i>                         | 178.1              | 96.47         | 101.30        | 105.23        | 0.7                | 3.9               | 9.1                           | 0.069             | 0.160                         |
| <i>Meat</i>                                      | 242.5              | 99.20         | 107.77        | 108.40        | 1.6                | 0.6               | 9.3                           | 0.015             | 0.229                         |
| <i>Fish and other seafood</i>                    | 49.0               | 98.99         | 103.59        | 107.46        | 0.2                | 3.7               | 8.6                           | 0.019             | 0.043                         |
| <i>Milk, cheese and eggs</i>                     | 135.3              | 101.72        | 105.51        | 108.38        | 0.3                | 2.7               | 6.5                           | 0.038             | 0.092                         |
| <i>Oils and fats</i>                             | 32.2               | 95.54         | 115.20        | 115.67        | 1.5                | 0.4               | 21.1                          | 0.001             | 0.066                         |
| <i>Fruit</i>                                     | 97.6               | 91.29         | 102.83        | 102.07        | -0.6               | -0.7              | 11.8                          | -0.007            | 0.108                         |
| <i>Potatoes and other tubers</i>                 | 18.2               | 75.12         | 82.01         | 79.70         | 6.3                | -2.8              | 6.1                           | -0.004            | 0.009                         |
| <i>Vegetables</i>                                | 89.1               | 80.72         | 84.28         | 86.39         | -1.0               | 2.5               | 7.0                           | 0.019             | 0.052                         |
| <i>Sugar, jam, honey and other confectionery</i> | 42.0               | 101.39        | 104.62        | 106.53        | 0.0                | 1.8               | 5.1                           | 0.008             | 0.022                         |
| <i>Food products n.e.c.</i>                      | 80.1               | 99.21         | 103.55        | 104.37        | 0.9                | 0.8               | 5.2                           | 0.006             | 0.042                         |
| <i>Non-alcoholic beverages</i>                   | 123.6              | 100.35        | 105.45        | 105.64        | 0.5                | 0.2               | 5.3                           | 0.002             | 0.012                         |
| <b>Food away from home</b>                       | <b>429.8</b>       | <b>102.93</b> | <b>108.06</b> | <b>108.64</b> | <b>0.3</b>         | <b>0.5</b>        | <b>5.5</b>                    | <b>0.024</b>      | <b>0.251</b>                  |
| <b>Other goods and services</b>                  | <b>8,482.5</b>     | <b>97.43</b>  | <b>100.94</b> | <b>101.53</b> | <b>1.1</b>         | <b>0.6</b>        | <b>4.2</b>                    | <b>0.487</b>      | <b>3.557</b>                  |
| <i>Other goods</i>                               | 4,735.8            | 96.00         | 100.23        | 100.92        | 1.8                | 0.7               | 5.1                           | 0.321             | 2.387                         |
| <i>Other services</i>                            | 3,746.7            | 99.25         | 101.85        | 102.30        | 0.2                | 0.4               | 3.1                           | 0.167             | 1.170                         |
| <b>CPI</b>                                       | <b>10,000.0</b>    | <b>97.57</b>  | <b>101.47</b> | <b>102.16</b> | <b>1.0</b>         | <b>0.7</b>        | <b>4.7</b>                    | <b>0.678</b>      | <b>4.698</b>                  |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

**APPENDIX 1**
**Monthly & Yearly Changes (%) in the Consumer Price Index for April 2022, Total Population (Jun 2019 = 100)**

| DESCRIPTION   | WEIGHT<br>coefficient | 2021<br>Apr   | 2021<br>Dec   | 2022<br>Mar   | 2022<br>Apr   | Monthly<br>Mar - Apr | Ytd<br>Dec - Apr | End of period<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 | Period average<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 |
|---|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Food and non-alcoholic beverages</b>                           | <b>1,087.7</b>        | <b>96.54</b>  | <b>100.89</b> | <b>102.97</b> | <b>104.52</b> | <b>1.5</b>           | <b>3.6</b>       | <b>8.3</b>                       | <b>2.9</b>                        |
| Food  | 964.1                 | 96.05         | 100.68        | 102.65        | 104.37        | 1.7                  | 3.7              | 8.7                              | 3.0                               |
| Non-alcoholic beverages   | 123.6                 | 100.35        | 102.51        | 105.45        | 105.64        | 0.2                  | 3.1              | 5.3                              | 2.1                               |
| <b>Alcoholic beverages and tobacco</b>                            | <b>78.2</b>           | <b>100.57</b> | <b>101.99</b> | <b>103.87</b> | <b>103.96</b> | <b>0.1</b>           | <b>1.9</b>       | <b>3.4</b>                       | <b>1.2</b>                        |
| Alcoholic beverages for consumption at home                       | 62.2                  | 99.07         | 100.77        | 102.65        | 102.75        | 0.1                  | 2.0              | 3.7                              | 1.1                               |
| Tobacco   | 16.0                  | 106.38        | 106.74        | 108.59        | 108.64        | 0.0                  | 1.8              | 2.1                              | 1.6                               |
| <b>Clothing and footwear</b>                                      | <b>276.8</b>          | <b>82.91</b>  | <b>94.29</b>  | <b>100.41</b> | <b>91.41</b>  | <b>-9.0</b>          | <b>-3.1</b>      | <b>10.2</b>                      | <b>0.4</b>                        |
| Clothing  | 212.8                 | 83.73         | 95.07         | 102.66        | 93.43         | -9.0                 | -1.7             | 11.6                             | 2.3                               |
| Footwear  | 64.0                  | 80.18         | 91.70         | 92.93         | 84.67         | -8.9                 | -7.7             | 5.6                              | -6.0                              |
| <b>Housing</b>  | <b>2,522.2</b>        | <b>98.35</b>  | <b>98.42</b>  | <b>98.68</b>  | <b>98.53</b>  | <b>-0.2</b>          | <b>0.1</b>       | <b>0.2</b>                       | <b>0.8</b>                        |
| Actual rentals for housing  | 666.7                 | 102.76        | 103.79        | 104.18        | 104.30        | 0.1                  | 0.5              | 1.5                              | 1.5                               |
| Imputed rentals for housing                                       | 34.4                  | 98.61         | 99.65         | 94.02         | 92.26         | -1.9                 | -7.4             | -6.4                             | -0.7                              |
| Maintenance and repair of the dwelling                            | 517.0                 | 102.37        | 101.30        | 101.63        | 100.84        | -0.8                 | -0.5             | -1.5                             | 1.7                               |
| Water supply and miscellaneous services relating to the dwelling  | 463.6                 | 101.35        | 101.35        | 102.28        | 102.28        | 0.0                  | 0.9              | 0.9                              | 0.2                               |
| Electricity, gas and other fuels                                  | 840.4                 | 90.72         | 90.72         | 90.72         | 90.72         | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| <b>Household operation</b>  | <b>929.2</b>          | <b>96.00</b>  | <b>102.68</b> | <b>99.48</b>  | <b>97.78</b>  | <b>-1.7</b>          | <b>-4.8</b>      | <b>1.8</b>                       | <b>1.2</b>                        |
| Furniture, furnishings, carpets and other floor coverings         | 128.8                 | 81.50         | 80.70         | 82.00         | 78.91         | -3.8                 | -2.2             | -3.2                             | -6.3                              |
| Household textiles  | 58.6                  | 77.46         | 80.43         | 77.89         | 76.97         | -1.2                 | -4.3             | -0.6                             | -6.2                              |
| Household appliances  | 246.0                 | 95.47         | 110.28        | 105.50        | 97.05         | -8.0                 | -12.0            | 1.6                              | 4.8                               |
| Glassware, tableware and household utensils                       | 17.2                  | 78.56         | 81.49         | 78.70         | 69.28         | -12.0                | -15.0            | -11.8                            | -15.2                             |
| Tools and equipment for house and garden                          | 58.2                  | 114.99        | 152.35        | 121.71        | 134.33        | 10.4                 | -11.8            | 16.8                             | 14.3                              |
| Goods and services for routine household maintenance and cleaning | 420.5                 | 101.42        | 102.07        | 102.09        | 102.99        | 0.9                  | 0.9              | 1.5                              | 0.5                               |
| <b>Health</b>   | <b>223.1</b>          | <b>96.47</b>  | <b>95.13</b>  | <b>95.37</b>  | <b>92.56</b>  | <b>-2.9</b>          | <b>-2.7</b>      | <b>-4.1</b>                      | <b>-2.9</b>                       |
| Medical products, appliances and equipment                        | 152.3                 | 95.97         | 93.77         | 94.27         | 88.42         | -6.2                 | -5.7             | -7.9                             | -3.6                              |
| Out-patient services  | 52.4                  | 95.61         | 95.71         | 97.63         | 99.53         | 1.9                  | 4.0              | 4.1                              | -2.2                              |
| Other treatments  | 7.8                   | 92.77         | 92.14         | 94.44         | 96.75         | 2.4                  | 5.0              | 4.3                              | -3.5                              |
| Health products and services n.e.c.                               | 10.5                  | 110.69        | 113.97        | 100.73        | 114.59        | 13.8                 | 0.5              | 3.5                              | 2.8                               |
| <b>Transport</b>  | <b>1,257.4</b>        | <b>100.35</b> | <b>105.20</b> | <b>112.18</b> | <b>120.57</b> | <b>7.5</b>           | <b>14.6</b>      | <b>20.1</b>                      | <b>14.4</b>                       |
| Purchase of vehicles  | 442.6                 | 98.75         | 98.87         | 105.93        | 111.64        | 5.4                  | 12.9             | 13.1                             | 5.0                               |
| Operation of personal transport equipment                         | 763.3                 | 102.68        | 109.54        | 117.44        | 126.44        | 7.7                  | 15.4             | 23.1                             | 20.4                              |
| Transport services  | 51.5                  | 79.63         | 95.34         | 87.89         | 110.30        | 25.5                 | 15.7             | 38.5                             | 11.0                              |
| <b>Communications</b>   | <b>849.6</b>          | <b>100.09</b> | <b>99.24</b>  | <b>97.72</b>  | <b>97.61</b>  | <b>-0.1</b>          | <b>-1.6</b>      | <b>-2.5</b>                      | <b>-0.8</b>                       |
| Telephone and telefax equipment                                   | 43.8                  | 99.46         | 83.07         | 73.98         | 71.96         | -2.7                 | -13.4            | -27.7                            | -11.7                             |
| Telephone and telefax services                                    | 805.8                 | 100.12        | 100.12        | 99.01         | 99.01         | 0.0                  | -1.1             | -1.1                             | -0.2                              |
| <b>Recreation and culture</b>                                     | <b>1,013.3</b>        | <b>94.23</b>  | <b>100.46</b> | <b>98.57</b>  | <b>98.17</b>  | <b>-0.4</b>          | <b>-2.3</b>      | <b>4.2</b>                       | <b>0.6</b>                        |
| Audio-visual, photographic and information processing equipment   | 58.5                  | 83.65         | 122.78        | 102.13        | 93.57         | -8.4                 | -23.8            | 11.9                             | 8.4                               |
| Other major durables for recreation and culture                   | 20.0                  | 100.60        | 92.12         | 99.29         | 103.17        | 3.9                  | 12.0             | 2.6                              | -5.0                              |
| Other recreational items and equipment; gardens and pets          | 266.6                 | 97.72         | 100.58        | 100.81        | 100.74        | -0.1                 | 0.2              | 3.1                              | 0.0                               |
| Recreational and cultural services                                | 309.1                 | 99.81         | 101.77        | 101.84        | 101.89        | 0.1                  | 0.1              | 2.1                              | 1.8                               |
| Newspapers, books and stationery                                  | 43.7                  | 83.67         | 81.73         | 71.65         | 83.70         | 16.8                 | 2.4              | 0.0                              | -5.6                              |
| Holidays  | 315.4                 | 88.85         | 98.07         | 96.48         | 94.90         | -1.6                 | -3.2             | 6.8                              | -0.1                              |
| <b>Education</b>  | <b>98.0</b>           | <b>100.17</b> | <b>104.79</b> | <b>104.79</b> | <b>104.79</b> | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>       | <b>4.6</b>                       | <b>3.5</b>                        |
| Pre primary and primary education                                 | 24.0                  | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| Secondary education   | 43.4                  | 100.00        | 110.44        | 110.44        | 110.44        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 10.4                             | 7.8                               |
| Post-secondary non-tertiary education                             | 4.6                   | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| Tertiary education  | 23.6                  | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 100.00        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| Education not definable by level                                  | 2.5                   | 106.67        | 106.67        | 106.67        | 106.67        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| <b>Restaurants and hotels</b>                                     | <b>442.0</b>          | <b>101.48</b> | <b>104.39</b> | <b>107.00</b> | <b>107.57</b> | <b>0.5</b>           | <b>3.0</b>       | <b>6.0</b>                       | <b>2.2</b>                        |
| Catering services   | 429.8                 | 102.93        | 105.43        | 108.06        | 108.64        | 0.5                  | 3.0              | 5.5                              | 2.9                               |
| Accommodation services  | 12.2                  | 50.27         | 67.78         | 69.52         | 69.80         | 0.4                  | 3.0              | 38.8                             | -26.1                             |
| <b>Miscellaneous goods and services</b>                           | <b>1,222.6</b>        | <b>97.95</b>  | <b>100.23</b> | <b>100.33</b> | <b>100.29</b> | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.1</b>       | <b>2.4</b>                       | <b>0.9</b>                        |
| Personal care   | 427.1                 | 96.52         | 96.70         | 97.35         | 97.69         | 0.3                  | 1.0              | 1.2                              | -0.3                              |
| Personal effects n.e.c.   | 106.6                 | 89.62         | 95.53         | 94.07         | 92.27         | -1.9                 | -3.4             | 3.0                              | -1.1                              |
| Social protection   | 78.2                  | 100.00        | 126.67        | 126.67        | 126.67        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 26.7                             | 16.7                              |
| Insurance   | 610.7                 | 100.14        | 100.14        | 100.14        | 100.14        | 0.0                  | 0.0              | 0.0                              | 0.0                               |
| <b>CPI</b>  | <b>10,000.0</b>       | <b>97.57</b>  | <b>100.60</b> | <b>101.47</b> | <b>102.16</b> | <b>0.7</b>           | <b>1.5</b>       | <b>4.7</b>                       | <b>2.6</b>                        |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



APPENDIX 2

Effect on the Consumer Price Index per sector and category for April 2022, Total Population (Jun 2019 = 100)

| DESCRIPTION   | WEIGHT<br>coefficient | Monthly<br>Mar - Apr | Ytd<br>Dec - Apr | End of period<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 | Period average<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Food and non-alcoholic beverages</b>                           | <b>1,087.7</b>        | <b>0.17</b>          | <b>0.39</b>      | <b>0.89</b>                      | <b>0.31</b>                       |
| Food  | 964.1                 | 0.16                 | 0.35             | 0.82                             | 0.29                              |
| Non-alcoholic beverages   | 123.6                 | 0.00                 | 0.04             | 0.07                             | 0.03                              |
| <b>Alcoholic beverages and tobacco</b>                            | <b>78.2</b>           | <b>0.00</b>          | <b>0.02</b>      | <b>0.03</b>                      | <b>0.01</b>                       |
| Alcoholic beverages for consumption at home                       | 62.2                  | 0.00                 | 0.01             | 0.02                             | 0.01                              |
| Tobacco   | 16.0                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>Clothing and footwear</b>                                      | <b>276.8</b>          | <b>-0.25</b>         | <b>-0.08</b>     | <b>0.24</b>                      | <b>0.01</b>                       |
| Clothing  | 212.8                 | -0.19                | -0.03            | 0.21                             | 0.05                              |
| Footwear  | 64.0                  | -0.05                | -0.04            | 0.03                             | -0.04                             |
| <b>Housing</b>  | <b>2,522.2</b>        | <b>-0.04</b>         | <b>0.03</b>      | <b>0.05</b>                      | <b>0.21</b>                       |
| Actual rentals for housing  | 666.7                 | 0.01                 | 0.03             | 0.11                             | 0.10                              |
| Imputed rentals for housing                                       | 34.4                  | -0.01                | -0.03            | -0.02                            | 0.00                              |
| Maintenance and repair of the dwelling                            | 517.0                 | -0.04                | -0.02            | -0.08                            | 0.09                              |
| Water supply and miscellaneous services relating to the dwelling  | 463.6                 | 0.00                 | 0.04             | 0.04                             | 0.01                              |
| Electricity, gas and other fuels                                  | 840.4                 | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>Household operation</b>  | <b>929.2</b>          | <b>-0.16</b>         | <b>-0.45</b>     | <b>0.17</b>                      | <b>0.11</b>                       |
| Furniture, furnishings, carpets and other floor coverings         | 128.8                 | -0.04                | -0.02            | -0.03                            | -0.07                             |
| Household textiles  | 58.6                  | -0.01                | -0.02            | 0.00                             | -0.03                             |
| Household appliances  | 246.0                 | -0.21                | -0.32            | 0.04                             | 0.12                              |
| Glassware, tableware and household utensils                       | 17.2                  | -0.02                | -0.02            | -0.02                            | -0.02                             |
| Tools and equipment for house and garden                          | 58.2                  | 0.07                 | -0.10            | 0.12                             | 0.09                              |
| Goods and services for routine household maintenance and cleaning | 420.5                 | 0.04                 | 0.04             | 0.07                             | 0.02                              |
| <b>Health</b>   | <b>223.1</b>          | <b>-0.06</b>         | <b>-0.06</b>     | <b>-0.09</b>                     | <b>-0.07</b>                      |
| Medical products, appliances and equipment                        | 152.3                 | -0.09                | -0.08            | -0.12                            | -0.05                             |
| Out-patient services  | 52.4                  | 0.01                 | 0.02             | 0.02                             | -0.01                             |
| Other treatments  | 7.8                   | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| Health products and services n.e.c.                               | 10.5                  | 0.01                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>Transport</b>  | <b>1,257.4</b>        | <b>1.04</b>          | <b>1.92</b>      | <b>2.61</b>                      | <b>1.73</b>                       |
| Purchase of vehicles  | 442.6                 | 0.25                 | 0.56             | 0.58                             | 0.22                              |
| Operation of personal transport equipment                         | 763.3                 | 0.68                 | 1.28             | 1.86                             | 1.47                              |
| Transport services  | 51.5                  | 0.11                 | 0.08             | 0.16                             | 0.05                              |
| <b>Communications</b>   | <b>849.6</b>          | <b>-0.01</b>         | <b>-0.14</b>     | <b>-0.22</b>                     | <b>-0.07</b>                      |
| Telephone and telefax equipment                                   | 43.8                  | -0.01                | -0.05            | -0.12                            | -0.05                             |
| Telephone and telefax services                                    | 805.8                 | 0.00                 | -0.09            | -0.09                            | -0.02                             |
| <b>Recreation and culture</b>                                     | <b>1,013.3</b>        | <b>-0.04</b>         | <b>-0.23</b>     | <b>0.41</b>                      | <b>0.07</b>                       |
| Audio-visual, photographic and information processing equipment   | 58.5                  | -0.05                | -0.17            | 0.06                             | 0.04                              |
| Other major durables for recreation and culture                   | 20.0                  | 0.01                 | 0.02             | 0.01                             | -0.01                             |
| Other recreational items and equipment; gardens and pets          | 266.6                 | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.08                             | 0.00                              |
| Recreational and cultural services                                | 309.1                 | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.07                             | 0.06                              |
| Newspapers, books and stationery                                  | 43.7                  | 0.05                 | 0.01             | 0.00                             | -0.02                             |
| Holidays  | 315.4                 | -0.05                | -0.10            | 0.20                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>Education</b>  | <b>98.0</b>           | <b>0.00</b>          | <b>0.00</b>      | <b>0.05</b>                      | <b>0.03</b>                       |
| Pre primary and primary education                                 | 24.0                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| Secondary education   | 43.4                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.05                             | 0.03                              |
| Post-secondary non-tertiary education                             | 4.6                   | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| Tertiary education  | 23.6                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| Education not definable by level                                  | 2.5                   | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>Restaurants and hotels</b>                                     | <b>442.0</b>          | <b>0.02</b>          | <b>0.14</b>      | <b>0.28</b>                      | <b>0.10</b>                       |
| Catering services   | 429.8                 | 0.02                 | 0.14             | 0.25                             | 0.13                              |
| Accommodation services  | 12.2                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.02                             | -0.03                             |
| <b>Miscellaneous goods and services</b>                           | <b>1,222.6</b>        | <b>0.00</b>          | <b>0.01</b>      | <b>0.29</b>                      | <b>0.11</b>                       |
| Personal care   | 427.1                 | 0.01                 | 0.04             | 0.05                             | -0.01                             |
| Personal effects n.e.c.   | 106.6                 | -0.02                | -0.03            | 0.03                             | -0.01                             |
| Social protection   | 78.2                  | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.21                             | 0.13                              |
| Insurance   | 610.7                 | 0.00                 | 0.00             | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| <b>CPI</b>  | <b>10,000.0</b>       | <b>0.68</b>          | <b>1.55</b>      | <b>4.70</b>                      | <b>2.56</b>                       |

APPENDIX 3

Monthly & Yearly Changes (%) and effect in the Food & catering services for April 2022, Total Population (Jun 2019 = 100)

| DESCRIPTION                                      | WEIGHT<br>coefficient | % Change             |                                  | Effect               |                                  |
|--|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
|  |                       | Monthly<br>Mar - Apr | End of period<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 | Monthly<br>Mar - Apr | End of period<br>Apr 21 - Apr 22 |
| <b>Food &amp; catering services</b>              | <b>1,517.5</b>        | <b>1.2</b>           | <b>7.5</b>                       | <b>0.191</b>         | <b>1.141</b>                     |
| <b>Food at home</b>                              | <b>1,087.7</b>        | <b>1.5</b>           | <b>8.3</b>                       | <b>0.166</b>         | <b>0.889</b>                     |
| <b>Bread and cereals</b>                         | <b>178.1</b>          | <b>3.9</b>           | <b>9.1</b>                       | <b>0.069</b>         | <b>0.160</b>                     |
| Rice   | 23.5                  | -0.2                 | 3.7                              | 0.000                | 0.009                            |
| Bread  | 72.1                  | 8.3                  | 16.0                             | 0.063                | 0.118                            |
| Pasta products                                   | 9.2                   | 1.9                  | 14.6                             | 0.002                | 0.013                            |
| Other cereals and cereal products                | 73.3                  | 0.6                  | 2.8                              | 0.004                | 0.019                            |
| <b>Meat</b>                                      | <b>242.5</b>          | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>9.3</b>                       | <b>0.015</b>         | <b>0.229</b>                     |
| Bovine   | 67.3                  | -0.7                 | 10.9                             | -0.005               | 0.076                            |
| Swine  | 25.5                  | -1.5                 | 6.1                              | -0.004               | 0.017                            |
| Poultry  | 75.7                  | 2.3                  | 14.2                             | 0.018                | 0.101                            |
| Other meat and meat preparations                 | 74.0                  | 0.9                  | 4.5                              | 0.007                | 0.035                            |
| <b>Fish and other seafood</b>                    | <b>49.0</b>           | <b>3.7</b>           | <b>8.6</b>                       | <b>0.019</b>         | <b>0.043</b>                     |
| Fish and seafood preparations                    | 49.0                  | 3.7                  | 8.6                              | 0.019                | 0.043                            |
| <b>Milk, cheese and eggs</b>                     | <b>135.3</b>          | <b>2.7</b>           | <b>6.5</b>                       | <b>0.038</b>         | <b>0.092</b>                     |
| Cheese   | 55.4                  | 1.3                  | 4.2                              | 0.007                | 0.025                            |
| Eggs   | 16.6                  | 14.1                 | 27.1                             | 0.027                | 0.049                            |
| Milk   | 40.0                  | 0.6                  | 4.6                              | 0.002                | 0.019                            |
| Other milk products                              | 23.3                  | 0.5                  | 0.0                              | 0.001                | 0.000                            |
| <b>Oils and fats</b>                             | <b>32.2</b>           | <b>0.4</b>           | <b>21.1</b>                      | <b>0.001</b>         | <b>0.066</b>                     |
| Corn oil   | 2.8                   | 0.5                  | 32.7                             | 0.000                | 0.010                            |
| Butter and margarine                             | 9.2                   | 2.5                  | 11.2                             | 0.002                | 0.010                            |
| Other oils and fats                              | 20.1                  | -0.5                 | 23.9                             | -0.001               | 0.046                            |
| <b>Fruit</b>                                     | <b>97.6</b>           | <b>-0.7</b>          | <b>11.8</b>                      | <b>-0.007</b>        | <b>0.108</b>                     |
| Oranges  | 9.4                   | -3.8                 | 20.4                             | -0.005               | 0.022                            |
| Bananas and plantains                            | 19.9                  | 4.3                  | 18.9                             | 0.007                | 0.026                            |
| Apples   | 9.3                   | 1.6                  | 10.5                             | 0.002                | 0.010                            |
| Avocado  | 5.0                   | -0.6                 | 0.8                              | 0.000                | 0.000                            |
| Grapes   | 9.2                   | -12.7                | 9.5                              | -0.014               | 0.009                            |
| Nuts   | 11.9                  | 0.5                  | 0.2                              | 0.001                | 0.000                            |
| Lemons and mandarins                             | 6.0                   | 5.5                  | 24.1                             | 0.003                | 0.012                            |
| Cherries and strawberries                        | 8.8                   | -1.5                 | 25.8                             | -0.002               | 0.027                            |
| Melons and watermelons                           | 7.7                   | -0.6                 | 5.3                              | 0.000                | 0.003                            |
| Papayas and pineapples                           | 6.9                   | -3.2                 | -6.8                             | -0.002               | -0.004                           |
| Other fruits and fruit products                  | 3.5                   | 14.8                 | 4.9                              | 0.005                | 0.002                            |
| <b>Potatoes and other tubers</b>                 | <b>18.2</b>           | <b>-2.8</b>          | <b>6.1</b>                       | <b>-0.004</b>        | <b>0.009</b>                     |
| Potatoes   | 12.2                  | -3.9                 | 4.6                              | -0.003               | 0.004                            |
| Other tubers                                     | 2.0                   | -0.7                 | 9.5                              | 0.000                | 0.002                            |
| Sweet potatoes and yucca                         | 4.0                   | -1.5                 | 7.6                              | -0.001               | 0.003                            |
| <b>Vegetables</b>                                | <b>89.1</b>           | <b>2.5</b>           | <b>7.0</b>                       | <b>0.019</b>         | <b>0.052</b>                     |
| Lettuce  | 6.8                   | 49.7                 | 79.9                             | 0.015                | 0.021                            |
| Tomatoes   | 9.7                   | -4.8                 | 2.3                              | -0.004               | 0.002                            |
| Onions and garlic                                | 18.7                  | 0.5                  | 1.3                              | 0.001                | 0.002                            |
| Celery and broccoli                              | 15.3                  | 8.5                  | 22.8                             | 0.010                | 0.025                            |
| Other vegetables                                 | 15.3                  | -3.1                 | -1.1                             | -0.004               | -0.002                           |
| Other preserved or processed vegetables          | 8.4                   | 0.0                  | 0.2                              | 0.000                | 0.000                            |
| Frozen vegetable mixtures                        | 14.8                  | 0.9                  | 2.8                              | 0.001                | 0.004                            |
| <b>Sugar, jam, honey and other confectionery</b> | <b>42.0</b>           | <b>1.8</b>           | <b>5.1</b>                       | <b>0.008</b>         | <b>0.022</b>                     |
| Sugar  | 12.1                  | 2.8                  | 8.0                              | 0.004                | 0.011                            |
| Jams and jellies                                 | 2.5                   | 0.8                  | -2.5                             | 0.000                | -0.001                           |
| Other confectionery products                     | 27.5                  | 1.5                  | 4.3                              | 0.004                | 0.012                            |
| <b>Food products n.e.c.</b>                      | <b>80.1</b>           | <b>0.8</b>           | <b>5.2</b>                       | <b>0.006</b>         | <b>0.042</b>                     |
| Other food products                              | 80.1                  | 0.8                  | 5.2                              | 0.006                | 0.042                            |
| <b>Non-alcoholic beverages</b>                   | <b>123.6</b>          | <b>0.2</b>           | <b>5.3</b>                       | <b>0.002</b>         | <b>0.067</b>                     |
| Coffee and tea                                   | 20.9                  | -0.2                 | 1.2                              | 0.000                | 0.003                            |
| Other non-alcoholic beverages                    | 14.6                  | 0.7                  | 1.3                              | 0.001                | 0.002                            |
| Soft and sports drinks                           | 31.0                  | 0.2                  | 4.8                              | 0.001                | 0.016                            |
| Fruit juices                                     | 57.1                  | 0.2                  | 8.0                              | 0.001                | 0.046                            |
| <b>Food away from home</b>                       | <b>429.8</b>          | <b>0.5</b>           | <b>5.5</b>                       | <b>0.024</b>         | <b>0.251</b>                     |
| Food and beverage consumption away from home     | 429.8                 | 0.5                  | 5.5                              | 0.024                | 0.251                            |
| <b>Other goods and services</b>                  | <b>8,482.5</b>        | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>4.2</b>                       | <b>0.487</b>         | <b>3.557</b>                     |
| Other goods                                      | 4,735.8               | 0.7                  | 5.1                              | 0.321                | 2.387                            |
| Other services                                   | 3,746.7               | 0.4                  | 3.1                              | 0.167                | 1.170                            |
| <b>CPI</b>                                       | <b>10,000</b>         | <b>0.7</b>           | <b>4.7</b>                       | <b>0.678</b>         | <b>4.698</b>                     |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

**APPENDIX 4**

**Overview of the Consumer Price Index (CPI), 2021 - 2022 (Jun 2019 = 100)**

|                         | Base<br>Jun-19<br>=100.0 | Base<br>Jun-19<br>=100.0 | Base<br>Jun-19<br>=100.0 | Base<br>Jun-19<br>=100.0 | YEAR: 2022 |                 |        |                   | YEAR: 2021 |                 |        |                   |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------------|--------|-------------------|------------|-----------------|--------|-------------------|
|                         |                          |                          |                          |                          | CHANGE     |                 |        |                   | CHANGE     |                 |        |                   |
|                         |                          |                          |                          |                          | Monthly    | Year-to<br>date | Yearly | Period<br>average | Monthly    | Year-to<br>date | Yearly | Period<br>average |
|                         | <b>Jan.'21</b>           | <b>Dec.'20</b>           | <b>Jan.'22</b>           | <b>Dec.'21</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 96.89                    | 97.06                    | 100.07                   | 100.60                   | -0.5       | -0.5            | 3.3    | 1.2               | -0.2       | -0.2            | -2.7   | -1.8              |
| Low Income              | 96.80                    | 96.95                    | 99.81                    | 100.16                   | -0.3       | -0.3            | 3.1    |                   | -0.2       | -0.2            | -2.4   |                   |
| High Income             | 96.91                    | 97.10                    | 100.17                   | 100.80                   | -0.6       | -0.6            | 3.4    |                   | -0.2       | -0.2            | -2.8   |                   |
|                         | <b>Feb.'21</b>           | <b>Jan.'21</b>           | <b>Feb.'22</b>           | <b>Jan.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 97.00                    | 96.89                    | 100.44                   | 100.07                   | 0.4        | -0.2            | 3.5    | 1.7               | 0.1        | -0.1            | -1.9   | -2.2              |
| Low Income              | 96.92                    | 96.80                    | 100.27                   | 99.81                    | 0.5        | 0.1             | 3.5    |                   | 0.1        | 0.0             | -1.7   |                   |
| High Income             | 97.01                    | 96.91                    | 100.49                   | 100.17                   | 0.3        | -0.3            | 3.6    |                   | 0.1        | -0.1            | -2.1   |                   |
|                         | <b>Mar.'21</b>           | <b>Feb.'21</b>           | <b>Mar.'22</b>           | <b>Feb.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 97.59                    | 97.00                    | 101.47                   | 100.44                   | 1.0        | 0.9             | 4.0    | 2.1               | 0.6        | 0.5             | -1.1   | -2.3              |
| Low Income              | 97.49                    | 96.92                    | 101.03                   | 100.27                   | 0.8        | 0.9             | 3.6    |                   | 0.6        | 0.6             | -0.9   |                   |
| High Income             | 97.63                    | 97.01                    | 101.66                   | 100.49                   | 1.2        | 0.9             | 4.1    |                   | 0.6        | 0.5             | -1.2   |                   |
|                         | <b>Apr.'21</b>           | <b>Mar.'21</b>           | <b>Apr.'22</b>           | <b>Mar.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 97.57                    | 97.59                    | 102.16                   | 101.47                   | 0.7        | 1.5             | 4.7    | 2.6               | -0.02      | 0.5             | -0.4   | -2.3              |
| Low Income              | 97.52                    | 97.49                    | 101.62                   | 101.03                   | 0.6        | 1.5             | 4.2    |                   | 0.03       | 0.6             | -0.1   |                   |
| High Income             | 97.58                    | 97.63                    | 102.39                   | 101.66                   | 0.7        | 1.6             | 4.9    |                   | -0.05      | 0.5             | -0.5   |                   |
|                         | <b>May'21</b>            | <b>Apr.'21</b>           | <b>May'22</b>            | <b>Apr.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 97.39                    | 97.57                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | -0.2       | 0.3             | -0.2   | -2.2              |
| Low Income              | 97.31                    | 97.52                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | -0.2       | 0.4             | -0.1   |                   |
| High Income             | 97.42                    | 97.58                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | -0.2       | 0.3             | -0.3   |                   |
|                         | <b>Jun'21</b>            | <b>May'21</b>            | <b>Jun'22</b>            | <b>May'22</b>            |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 98.09                    | 97.39                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 1.1             | 1.0    | -1.8              |
| Low Income              | 97.94                    | 97.31                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.6        | 1.0             | 1.1    |                   |
| High Income             | 98.14                    | 97.42                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 1.1             | 0.9    |                   |
|                         | <b>Jul'21</b>            | <b>Jun'21</b>            | <b>Jul'22</b>            | <b>Jun'22</b>            |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 98.53                    | 98.09                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.5        | 1.5             | 1.8    | -1.4              |
| Low Income              | 98.24                    | 97.94                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.3        | 1.3             | 1.3    |                   |
| High Income             | 98.65                    | 98.14                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.5        | 1.6             | 2.0    |                   |
|                         | <b>Aug.'21</b>           | <b>Jul'21</b>            | <b>Aug.'22</b>           | <b>Jul'22</b>            |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 98.84                    | 98.53                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.3        | 1.8             | 1.4    | -1.1              |
| Low Income              | 98.61                    | 98.24                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.4        | 1.7             | 1.1    |                   |
| High Income             | 98.93                    | 98.65                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.3        | 1.9             | 1.6    |                   |
|                         | <b>Sep.'21</b>           | <b>Aug.'21</b>           | <b>Sep.'22</b>           | <b>Aug.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 99.24                    | 98.84                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.4        | 2.2             | 2.2    | -0.7              |
| Low Income              | 99.08                    | 98.61                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.5        | 2.2             | 2.0    |                   |
| High Income             | 99.30                    | 98.93                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.4        | 2.3             | 2.2    |                   |
|                         | <b>Oct.'21</b>           | <b>Sep.'21</b>           | <b>Oct.'22</b>           | <b>Sep.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 99.31                    | 99.24                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.1        | 2.3             | 2.4    | -0.3              |
| Low Income              | 99.11                    | 99.08                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.0        | 2.2             | 2.1    |                   |
| High Income             | 99.38                    | 99.30                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.1        | 2.3             | 2.5    |                   |
|                         | <b>Nov.'21</b>           | <b>Oct.'21</b>           | <b>Nov.'22</b>           | <b>Oct.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 99.90                    | 99.31                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.6        | 2.9             | 3.1    | 0.2               |
| Low Income              | 99.50                    | 99.11                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.4        | 2.6             | 2.6    |                   |
| High Income             | 100.08                   | 99.38                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 3.1             | 3.3    |                   |
|                         | <b>Dec.'21</b>           | <b>Nov.'21</b>           | <b>Dec.'22</b>           | <b>Nov.'22</b>           |            |                 |        |                   |            |                 |        |                   |
| <u>Total Population</u> | 100.60                   | 99.90                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 3.6             | 3.6    | 0.7               |
| Low Income              | 100.16                   | 99.50                    |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 3.3             | 3.3    |                   |
| High Income             | 100.80                   | 100.08                   |                          |                          |            |                 |        |                   | 0.7        | 3.8             | 3.8    |                   |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Please note: CPI for the period Jun 2019 - Sep 2020 have been revised and corrected



**APPENDIX 5**

**Prices of crude oil, utilities and gasoline, 2001 - 2022**

| Month               | Crude oil <sup>1</sup> | Electricity components           |                |              |                           |                          | Water <sup>5</sup> | Gasoline <sup>6</sup> | Diesel <sup>6</sup> |
|---------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
|                     |                        | Total energy charge <sup>2</sup> |                |              | Fixed charge <sup>3</sup> | Electricity <sup>4</sup> |                    |                       |                     |
|                     |                        | ≤ 500 kWh                        | 501 - 1000 kWh | > 1001 kWh   |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| Average 2001        | 26.01                  | 24.59                            | 22.09          | 22.09        | 0.00                      | 172.79                   | 89.40              | 128.34                | 90.10               |
| Average 2002        | 26.06                  | 24.89                            | 22.39          | 22.39        | 0.00                      | 174.91                   | 90.82              | 127.20                | 88.68               |
| Average 2003        | 34.49                  | 27.02                            | 24.52          | 24.52        | 0.00                      | 190.38                   | 99.21              | 139.21                | 100.18              |
| Average 2004        | 41.31                  | 27.18                            | 24.68          | 24.68        | 0.00                      | 191.57                   | 100.02             | 152.51                | 113.05              |
| Average 2005        | 56.36                  | 31.10                            | 28.60          | 28.60        | 0.00                      | 219.97                   | 113.69             | 167.74                | 136.04              |
| Average 2006        | 66.12                  | 35.91                            | 33.41          | 33.41        | 0.00                      | 254.88                   | 128.70             | 176.22                | 149.77              |
| Average 2007        | 72.08                  | 36.59                            | 34.09          | 34.09        | 0.00                      | 259.84                   | 133.59             | 200.43                | 168.38              |
| Average 2008        | 99.87                  | 45.67                            | 43.17          | 43.17        | 0.00                      | 325.67                   | 161.80             | 228.19                | 214.48              |
| Average 2009        | 61.46                  | 37.33                            | 34.83          | 34.83        | 0.00                      | 265.17                   | 139.60             | 175.15                | 142.53              |
| Average 2010        | 79.22                  | 43.92                            | 41.42          | 41.42        | 0.00                      | 312.98                   | 159.21             | 193.43                | 163.22              |
| Average 2011        | 94.74                  | 47.58                            | 47.57          | 47.57        | 0.00                      | 345.14                   | 177.47             | 229.48                | 203.46              |
| Average 2012        | 94.25                  | 47.68                            | 51.21          | 53.46        | 0.00                      | 353.85                   | 171.13             | 235.53                | 210.07              |
| Average 2013        | 98.00                  | 41.10                            | 44.90          | 58.40        | 0.00                      | 306.75                   | 137.05             | 229.48                | 205.83              |
| Average 2014        | 93.49                  | 42.58                            | 45.32          | 57.77        | 0.63                      | 315.71                   | 137.05             | 224.24                | 200.21              |
| Average 2015        | 48.71                  | 47.02                            | 46.56          | 55.87        | 2.50                      | 342.59                   | 137.05             | 179.74                | 147.80              |
| Average 2016        | 43.17                  | 40.40                            | 41.80          | 47.64        | 12.50                     | 308.76                   | 137.05             | 165.87                | 131.12              |
| Average 2017        | 50.85                  | 34.52                            | 35.72          | 45.93        | 12.50                     | 265.65                   | 137.05             | 180.79                | 147.69              |
| Average 2018        | 65.08                  | 34.52                            | 35.72          | 45.93        | 12.50                     | 265.65                   | 137.05             | 204.95                | 177.59              |
| Average 2019        | 56.84                  | 34.52                            | 35.72          | 45.93        | 12.50                     | 265.65                   | 137.05             | 202.67                | 176.53              |
| Average 2020        | 39.25                  | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 177.93                | 143.26              |
| Average 2021        | 67.78                  | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 223.34                | 181.95              |
| January-22          | 83.06                  | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 230.60                | 195.00              |
| February-22         | 91.32                  | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 245.70                | 214.10              |
| March-22            | 108.58                 | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 261.00                | 228.80              |
| April-22            | 102.29                 | 31.09                            | 31.99          | 42.09        | 12.50                     | 240.09                   | 137.05             | 291.00                | 274.50              |
| May-22              |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| June-22             |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| July-22             |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| August-22           |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| September-22        |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| October-22          |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| November-22         |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| December-22         |                        |                                  |                |              |                           |                          |                    |                       |                     |
| <b>Average 2022</b> | <b>96.31</b>           | <b>31.09</b>                     | <b>31.99</b>   | <b>42.09</b> | <b>12.50</b>              | <b>240.09</b>            | <b>137.05</b>      | <b>257.08</b>         | <b>228.10</b>       |

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

<sup>1</sup> Average West Texas Intermediate (WTI) crude oil price per barrel in US\$ (Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration)

<sup>2</sup> Total energy charge in Afl. cents per kWh

<sup>3</sup> Fixed charge was introduced in October 2014 at Afl. 2.50

<sup>4</sup> Electricity price in Afl. is based on an average household usage of 725.5 kWh

<sup>5</sup> Water price in Afl. is based on an average household usage

<sup>6</sup> Gasoline and diesel prices in Afl. cents per liter