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### General notes

- Owing to the rounding off of figures, the sum of the separate items will sometimes differ from the total shown.
- ... denotes not available
- denotes a value equal to nil
- 0 denotes a value between nil and half of the measuring unit

## Labour: Employment in the non-agricultural sectors<sup>1,6,7</sup> Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2000 = 100

Period	Public sector			Private sector						Grand total (7009L)
	General government <sup>2</sup>	Business enterprises <sup>3</sup>	Total	Mining	Manu- facturing	Construc- tion	Trade <sup>4</sup>	Financial institutions <sup>5</sup>	Total	
	(7000L)	(7001L)	(7002L)	(7003L)	(7004L)	(7005L)	(7006L)	(7007L)	(7008L)	
<b>Number in 2000</b>	<b>1 455 550</b>	<b>162 258</b>	<b>1 617 807</b>	<b>416 270</b>	<b>1 296 166</b>	<b>222 420</b>	<b>873 118</b>	<b>196 555</b>	<b>3 116 351</b>	<b>4 734 158</b>
2004 .....	100.3	64.6	96.7	109.6	96.3	134.2	151.1	618.5	163.5	140.7
2005 .....	103.4	61.1	99.1	106.7	91.5	190.5	158.4	764.4	176.7	150.2
2006 .....	107.9	64.5	103.5	110.7	100.1	205.7	185.2	874.2	200.1	167.1
2007 .....	112.6	66.6	108.0	119.6	101.8	211.7	199.0	936.9	211.0	175.8
2008 .....	118.1	66.3	112.9	124.8	100.2	211.7	198.1	970.3	213.2	178.9
2009 .....	121.9	66.1	116.3	118.1	93.5	194.6	190.4	924.3	203.3	173.6
2010 .....	124.9	63.8	118.7	119.9	90.3	183.9	189.1	903.8	200.1	172.3
2011 .....	130.9	64.5	124.2	124.0	89.0	190.1	191.1	925.9	202.9	176.0
2003: 04 .....	99.0	66.5	95.8	104.6	96.8	128.6	144.4	544.0	155.4	135.0
2004: 01 .....	98.9	65.8	95.5	108.9	97.7	120.8	148.4	553.3	157.7	136.5
02 .....	100.0	65.1	96.5	110.1	97.7	123.7	147.3	564.5	159.1	137.7
03 .....	100.5	64.3	96.9	109.8	98.7	125.9	152.5	562.9	161.3	139.3
04 .....	101.6	63.2	97.7	109.6	90.8	166.5	156.1	793.1	175.8	149.2
2005: 01 .....	102.3	62.6	98.3	108.3	90.8	169.7	156.1	744.6	172.9	147.4
02 .....	103.0	60.7	98.8	106.6	91.3	193.8	158.1	754.1	176.2	149.7
03 .....	103.9	60.6	99.6	106.3	91.7	197.0	158.8	769.9	177.9	151.1
04 .....	104.2	60.5	99.8	105.6	92.1	201.6	160.5	789.1	179.7	152.4
2006: 01 .....	104.9	60.5	100.4	107.5	92.2	204.2	161.3	795.9	180.5	153.1
02 .....	108.3	65.7	104.0	110.0	102.9	206.0	191.7	892.3	205.5	170.8
03 .....	108.7	65.8	104.4	111.0	102.7	206.6	192.6	897.8	206.5	171.6
04 .....	109.7	66.0	105.3	114.4	102.7	206.2	195.3	910.8	207.9	172.9
2007: 01 .....	111.2	66.8	106.7	116.8	102.2	209.4	197.2	930.1	209.6	174.5
02 .....	111.7	66.8	107.2	119.2	102.2	213.1	199.2	932.4	211.1	175.6
03 .....	113.2	66.6	108.6	120.9	101.4	213.8	200.5	939.0	211.5	176.3
04 .....	114.2	66.0	109.4	121.6	101.4	210.3	199.3	946.1	211.7	176.7
2008: 01 .....	116.4	65.9	111.3	122.4	101.4	212.8	200.4	961.8	213.5	178.6
02 .....	116.5	65.8	111.4	124.9	100.8	210.5	198.7	972.5	213.6	178.7
03 .....	118.6	66.8	113.4	127.1	100.2	209.9	197.0	977.4	213.5	179.3
04 .....	120.7	66.7	115.2	124.8	98.3	213.4	196.6	969.4	212.1	179.0
2009: 01 .....	120.8	65.8	115.3	120.7	95.6	203.7	193.8	953.4	207.9	176.2
02 .....	122.4	64.2	116.6	118.1	94.2	198.3	192.6	930.9	204.5	174.4
03 .....	122.1	71.0	117.0	116.3	92.9	189.0	187.9	905.3	200.6	172.0
04 .....	122.4	63.5	116.4	117.2	91.4	187.3	187.3	907.5	200.1	171.5
2010: 01 .....	123.0	63.8	117.0	118.7	91.5	187.1	188.0	892.6	199.5	171.3
02 .....	124.5	63.5	118.4	119.4	90.3	184.8	188.3	901.6	199.8	172.0
03 .....	125.2	62.8	118.9	120.5	89.5	183.6	190.0	905.5	200.0	172.3
04 .....	126.7	65.1	120.6	121.1	89.7	180.1	189.9	915.6	201.0	173.5
2011: 01 .....	131.5	65.0	124.9	123.6	89.5	183.8	189.6	919.5	201.7	175.4
02 .....	130.3	63.8	123.6	124.3	88.7	188.4	191.1	927.2	202.7	175.7
03 .....	130.7	63.7	124.0	123.7	88.8	196.4	192.2	931.7	203.9	176.6
04 .....	131.0	65.4	124.4	124.5	89.1	191.8	191.7	925.4	203.2	176.3

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- Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.
- National departments, local authorities, provinces and statutory bodies.
- Transnet, Sapos, Telkom and SABC.
- Including catering and accommodation services.
- Banking institutions, building societies and insurance companies. From the third quarter of 2002, also inclusive of real-estate and business services.
- From the first quarter of 1998 basic data originate from the *Survey of Employment and Earnings* in selected industries by Statistics South Africa, and are not strictly comparable with earlier data.
- From the third quarter of 2002, basic data originate from a new expanded *Survey of Employment and Earnings* and from the fourth quarter of 2004 from the *Quarterly Employment Statistics* survey by Statistics South Africa.

## Labour: Labour costs in the non-agricultural sectors<sup>1,3,4</sup>

### Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2000 = 100

Period	Remuneration per worker (Indices: 2000 = 100)						Labour productivity (Index: 2000=100) (7014L)	Nominal unit labour costs (Index: 2000=100) (7015L)
	At current prices			At constant prices <sup>2</sup>				
	Public sector (7011L)	Private sector (7012L)	Total (7013L)	Public sector (7011D)	Private sector (7012D)	Total (7013D)		
2004	144.6	139.4	135.8	109.7	105.7	103.0	81.9	165.8
2005	154.6	143.5	140.8	111.6	103.5	101.6	80.8	174.2
2006	164.2	163.7	156.6	112.1	111.6	106.8	77.0	203.9
2007	175.5	177.4	168.9	111.1	112.3	106.9	77.2	218.7
2008	198.3	199.5	190.5	114.5	115.1	109.9	78.5	242.7
2009	220.6	221.9	213.0	117.3	118.0	113.2	79.8	266.7
2010	250.5	251.0	241.7	123.1	123.3	118.7	82.8	292.0
2011	267.2	268.6	258.9	122.1	122.8	118.3	83.5	310.0
2003: 04	136.3	131.7	128.6	106.3	102.7	100.3	82.3	156.3
2004: 01	141.0	135.2	132.2	108.5	103.9	101.6	82.7	159.9
02	141.3	139.9	135.4	108.8	107.6	104.2	83.0	163.1
03	142.5	141.6	136.8	108.6	107.8	104.2	83.4	164.1
04	153.7	140.8	138.6	113.0	103.5	101.9	78.7	176.2
2005: 01	151.1	140.3	137.8	112.2	104.1	102.3	80.5	171.2
02	154.9	141.2	139.3	112.5	102.5	101.2	80.7	172.6
03	154.5	144.7	141.6	111.4	104.2	102.0	81.1	174.7
04	157.8	147.7	144.5	110.3	103.2	101.0	81.0	178.4
2006: 01	161.1	150.8	147.5	113.9	106.5	104.3	81.9	180.1
02	160.3	163.5	155.2	112.0	114.1	108.4	74.7	207.9
03	167.3	166.9	159.3	112.3	111.9	106.9	75.5	211.0
04	168.1	173.9	164.4	110.2	113.9	107.7	76.0	216.4
2007: 01	166.9	170.3	161.7	108.8	110.9	105.3	76.5	211.2
02	171.8	176.1	167.0	110.8	113.5	107.7	76.7	217.7
03	178.9	178.3	170.4	113.0	112.5	107.6	77.3	220.4
04	184.4	185.0	176.6	112.0	112.2	107.2	78.3	225.6
2008: 01	185.5	190.6	180.8	112.0	115.0	109.1	77.9	232.0
02	199.4	197.2	189.1	116.6	115.2	110.5	78.8	240.0
03	202.5	203.0	194.1	115.4	115.7	110.6	78.7	246.6
04	205.8	207.1	198.1	113.9	114.5	109.6	78.5	252.3
2009: 01	207.9	211.1	201.7	114.2	115.9	110.8	78.5	257.0
02	213.1	215.4	206.4	114.7	115.8	111.0	79.0	261.4
03	216.1	227.0	215.3	114.9	120.5	114.4	80.5	267.6
04	245.2	234.2	228.5	125.4	119.7	116.8	81.4	280.8
2010: 01	245.2	241.7	233.7	125.6	123.7	119.7	82.3	284.0
02	245.9	248.7	238.8	121.9	123.1	118.3	82.6	289.2
03	246.2	254.2	242.6	120.1	123.9	118.3	83.0	292.5
04	264.6	259.2	251.5	124.9	122.2	118.6	83.3	302.1
2011: 01	250.4	260.8	248.9	119.4	124.3	118.6	83.3	298.8
02	262.8	266.2	256.0	121.4	122.9	118.2	83.4	307.1
03	281.0	270.4	264.1	126.5	121.6	118.8	83.3	317.1
04	274.5	277.0	266.7	121.3	122.3	117.8	84.1	317.1

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1. Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.
2. Deflated by the non-agricultural gross domestic product deflator.
3. From the first quarter of 1998 basic data originate from the *Survey of Employment and Earnings* in selected industries by Statistics South Africa, and are not strictly comparable with earlier data.
4. From the third quarter of 2002, basic data originate from a new expanded *Survey of Employment and Earnings* by Statistics South Africa and from the fourth quarter of 2004 from the *Quarterly Employment Statistics* survey by Statistics South Africa.

## Manufacturing: Production, sales and utilisation of production capacity<sup>1</sup> Seasonally adjusted

Period	Sales <sup>2,3</sup> (Index: 2000 = 100) (7082T)	Volume of production <sup>2</sup> Indices: 2005 = 100			Percentage utilisation of production capacity <sup>5</sup>			Labour <sup>4</sup> productivity (Index: 2000 = 100) (7079L)	Nominal <sup>4</sup> unit labour costs (Index: 2000 = 100) (7080L)
		Durable goods (7083N)	Non-durable goods (7084N)	Total (7085N)	Durable goods (7076L)	Non-durable goods (7077L)	Total (7078L)		
2004 .....	113.5	97.5	96.9	97.2	85.9	83.2	84.4	114.1	122.9
2005 .....	115.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	87.0	83.8	85.4	119.1	124.9
2006 .....	122.4	107.3	102.6	104.8	87.6	83.7	85.6	123.7	127.2
2007 .....	129.0	111.9	107.7	109.7	87.4	84.4	85.8	130.6	128.5
2008 .....	133.2	108.6	112.0	110.4	83.8	83.9	83.8	133.6	140.2
2009 .....	111.7	88.5	103.0	96.1	75.3	80.6	78.1	124.6	167.7
2010 .....	116.6	93.6	107.4	100.9	79.1	80.8	80.0	135.5	175.2
2011 .....	120.8	97.3	109.0	103.5	79.4	80.9	80.2	140.9	183.1
2009: Apr .....	107.7	85.1	101.1	93.6	...	...	...	...	...
May .....	110.2	86.2	101.7	94.4	...	...	...	...	...
Jun .....	109.2	85.5	101.1	93.7	74.7	80.7	77.8	120.8	168.3
Jul .....	110.2	87.5	104.3	96.3	...	...	...	...	...
Aug .....	111.4	88.5	100.9	95.0	...	...	...	...	...
Sep .....	113.6	90.6	102.9	97.1	75.3	79.8	77.7	125.5	171.8
Oct .....	112.6	91.4	104.7	98.4	...	...	...	...	...
Nov .....	113.9	93.2	102.8	98.2	...	...	...	...	...
Dec .....	117.1	95.2	104.2	99.9	77.6	80.0	78.8	131.1	167.4
2010: Jan .....	115.5	96.2	104.6	100.6	...	...	...	...	...
Feb .....	112.5	91.6	103.9	98.1	...	...	...	...	...
Mar .....	116.0	95.6	106.9	101.5	78.9	80.7	79.8	132.5	172.2
Apr .....	113.1	94.4	104.8	99.9	...	...	...	...	...
May .....	117.6	95.2	108.8	102.3	...	...	...	...	...
Jun .....	117.3	94.4	110.4	102.8	79.6	80.9	80.3	136.5	173.3
Jul .....	118.7	95.5	111.7	104.0	...	...	...	...	...
Aug .....	115.8	87.3	109.2	98.8	...	...	...	...	...
Sep .....	115.3	86.6	108.2	97.9	77.0	81.1	79.1	135.8	176.9
Oct .....	118.1	95.0	108.1	101.9	...	...	...	...	...
Nov .....	119.3	98.1	106.3	102.4	...	...	...	...	...
Dec .....	119.4	94.1	106.3	100.5	81.0	80.5	80.7	137.3	178.5
2011: Jan .....	119.1	97.0	108.4	103.0	...	...	...	...	...
Feb .....	118.0	98.3	109.0	103.9	...	...	...	...	...
Mar .....	117.4	99.0	109.1	104.3	80.1	80.7	80.4	140.5	180.5
Apr .....	118.1	98.8	108.2	103.8	...	...	...	...	...
May .....	118.7	97.0	106.9	102.2	...	...	...	...	...
Jun .....	121.0	99.2	107.5	103.6	80.1	81.5	80.8	140.9	184.4
Jul .....	114.3	90.5	105.9	98.6	...	...	...	...	...
Aug .....	123.1	96.9	110.4	104.0	...	...	...	...	...
Sep .....	129.7	99.9	110.4	105.4	77.9	80.9	79.5	140.2	184.2
Oct .....	121.9	97.8	108.6	103.5	...	...	...	...	...
Nov .....	122.5	98.8	111.8	105.6	...	...	...	...	...
Dec .....	125.6	94.8	111.3	103.5	79.5	80.6	80.1	141.8	183.4
2012: Jan .....	122.0	96.8	111.3	104.4	...	...	...	...	...
Feb .....	124.6	101.8	113.9	108.2	...	...	...	...	...
Mar .....	120.1	96.3	107.9	102.4	80.1	80.9	80.5	-	-

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1. Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.
2. Since January 1995 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
3. At constant 2000 prices.
4. From the third quarter of 2002, basic data originate from a new expanded *Survey of Employment and Earnings* and from the fourth quarter of 2004 from the Quarterly Employment Statistics survey by Statistics South Africa.
5. Comparability break from December 2003 due to a new survey based on Statistics South Africa's new business register.

## Indicators of real economic activity<sup>1</sup>

### Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2005 = 100

Period	Mining production <sup>2</sup>			Building plans passed <sup>4</sup>	Buildings completed <sup>4</sup>	Trade			Electric current generated <sup>5</sup>
	Gold	Non gold	Total			Retail sales <sup>4,7</sup>	Wholesale sales <sup>4,6</sup>	Number of new vehicles sold <sup>3</sup>	
	(7060N)	(7061N)	(7062N)			(7086T)	(7087T)	(7067N)	
2004 .....	114.8	95.8	98.8	73.4	78.9	77.1	128.5	72.8	99.9
2005 .....	99.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	83.5	132.2	100.0	100.0
2006 .....	91.8	100.1	98.7	108.1	121.7	93.7	140.7	115.7	103.6
2007 .....	86.0	100.2	97.8	112.1	144.9	99.9	148.7	109.5	107.6
2008 .....	72.9	96.5	92.3	93.6	151.7	100.0	159.9	86.4	105.5
2009 .....	67.0	90.1	86.2	73.8	128.0	96.5	144.7	64.0	101.9
2010 .....	63.8	97.2	91.5	68.4	98.0	101.3	148.7	79.8	106.0
2011 .....	61.0	97.3	91.0	67.7	93.3	107.3	158.0	92.3	107.2
2009: Jun .....	65.4	93.1	88.4	64.3	146.1	96.0	143.1	65.5	101.4
Jul .....	66.2	94.3	89.5	72.4	116.1	96.2	142.5	64.9	104.0
Aug .....	65.2	90.2	85.9	64.5	127.4	95.7	142.1	62.5	105.0
Sep .....	65.9	89.3	85.3	70.5	113.8	96.2	140.8	65.1	105.1
Oct .....	64.9	91.3	86.8	71.4	114.2	95.1	143.8	66.3	102.9
Nov .....	64.4	92.9	88.0	73.3	110.6	95.6	140.6	67.5	104.5
Dec .....	63.8	92.2	87.3	66.2	147.7	96.7	145.7	65.3	105.1
2010: Jan .....	57.8	96.4	89.8	57.1	88.8	98.9	143.1	74.7	106.0
Feb .....	63.5	95.8	90.3	71.6	83.9	99.2	145.4	75.5	105.6
Mar .....	62.7	101.3	94.6	74.8	97.3	99.7	148.4	77.5	107.0
Apr .....	64.4	88.9	84.7	67.7	100.1	99.1	145.9	78.4	105.9
May .....	65.7	86.2	82.7	69.0	137.5	100.6	149.6	82.0	105.4
Jun .....	65.5	95.6	90.4	72.6	89.2	103.3	146.6	79.0	105.9
Jul .....	63.9	97.7	91.9	68.2	120.7	102.7	149.1	78.7	105.0
Aug .....	68.5	100.3	94.8	64.0	95.5	101.7	150.3	84.5	105.2
Sep .....	60.4	102.1	94.9	76.7	76.2	101.6	150.8	75.4	104.0
Oct .....	63.9	101.0	94.6	67.9	98.7	102.3	147.0	81.4	107.6
Nov .....	65.0	102.1	95.7	67.5	97.2	102.8	152.4	86.5	107.7
Dec .....	64.7	99.0	93.1	63.2	90.9	103.7	155.6	84.4	106.4
2011: Jan .....	64.7	98.9	93.0	71.5	80.1	104.9	151.8	88.6	107.4
Feb .....	61.0	101.1	94.2	61.4	90.5	104.4	150.7	89.8	108.1
Mar .....	65.0	99.5	93.5	74.7	111.0	104.5	153.6	91.2	108.4
Apr .....	63.0	103.1	96.1	60.4	99.9	108.0	155.5	89.3	109.1
May .....	61.2	97.8	91.5	67.9	98.9	103.4	155.7	87.1	108.3
Jun .....	61.0	94.9	89.0	70.7	105.1	105.5	158.7	88.3	107.0
Jul .....	61.3	94.3	88.6	61.4	85.6	106.9	155.5	88.1	104.8
Aug .....	54.3	96.7	89.4	64.8	75.0	108.3	160.1	93.5	105.3
Sep .....	58.4	96.2	89.6	64.2	90.1	109.3	166.3	98.1	106.1
Oct .....	61.1	86.5	82.0	71.3	101.0	110.2	160.6	96.9	106.9
Nov .....	61.4	97.8	91.5	70.7	93.2	110.2	160.3	96.4	107.2
Dec .....	59.1	100.2	93.1	73.4	89.5	111.4	166.6	100.4	107.4
2012: Jan .....	58.8	93.6	87.6	67.7	85.1	110.4	166.2	98.0	108.2
Feb .....	60.7	83.0	79.2	67.6	95.0	107.7	170.4	101.9	108.4
Mar .....	57.4	89.4	83.9	56.9	97.0	110.0	164.5	96.1	104.6
Apr .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98.7	103.1
May .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	104.4	-

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1. Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa, unless otherwise indicated.
2. Since January 1990 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
3. Source of basic data: National Association of Automobile Manufacturers of South Africa.
4. Since January 1995 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
5. Since January 1989 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
6. At constant 2000 prices.
7. At constant 2008 prices. Index: 2008 = 100. Seasonally adjusted by Statistics South Africa from January 2002.

Consumer prices: All urban areas<sup>1</sup>Goods<sup>5</sup>Seasonally adjusted<sup>4</sup>

Indices: 2008 = 100

Period	Food and non-alcoholic beverages (7145N)	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco (7146N)	Clothing and footwear <sup>6</sup> (7147N)	Housing and utilities (7148N)	Household contents, equipment and maintenance (7149N)	Health (7150N)	Transport (7151N)	Communication (7152N)	Recreation and culture <sup>3</sup> (7153N)	Miscellaneous goods (7154N)	Total goods (7155N)
<b>Weights<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>15.68</b>	<b>5.58</b>	<b>4.11</b>	<b>3.55</b>	<b>3.87</b>	<b>0.57</b>	<b>15.60</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>2.94</b>	<b>1.99</b>	<b>54.20</b>
2005 .....	74.6	79.7	107.3	75.0	99.1	86.9	93.5	99.5	97.5	88.6	82.8
2006 .....	79.2	85.9	97.7	79.4	98.0	89.8	94.6	97.5	97.1	90.0	85.4
2007 .....	86.7	92.9	88.9	86.6	98.3	93.6	95.2	98.0	97.7	93.6	89.7
2008 .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2009 .....	109.5	111.1	104.9	119.8	105.7	111.9	97.8	89.6	108.8	113.8	106.4
2010 .....	111.0	121.4	106.8	136.0	103.2	118.9	100.4	65.6	106.1	115.2	109.5
2011 .....	118.9	128.8	109.3	152.6	102.0	124.0	105.0	47.8	103.1	115.9	114.9
2009: Jul.....	109.8	110.8	105.1	122.9	106.4	113.0	98.3	90.3	110.2	114.9	106.8
Aug.....	109.9	113.6	106.7	124.9	106.7	114.2	98.0	87.7	109.5	115.8	107.4
Sep.....	109.5	114.6	107.1	126.1	106.1	115.0	99.4	85.5	109.4	115.8	107.9
Oct.....	110.3	115.1	107.4	126.7	105.5	114.8	98.9	82.3	108.9	115.1	107.9
Nov.....	110.1	115.8	107.2	127.7	104.9	114.9	99.5	80.0	109.0	115.3	108.2
Dec.....	110.1	116.6	106.8	128.3	104.6	114.6	100.8	78.3	109.8	115.5	108.7
2010: Jan.....	110.1	117.5	106.2	128.9	104.7	114.8	101.0	76.0	109.5	116.7	108.5
Feb.....	110.5	117.3	105.6	130.1	104.3	114.9	102.4	75.1	108.8	116.4	109.1
Mar.....	110.7	120.0	105.0	131.8	104.1	116.1	101.8	72.1	109.9	115.8	109.5
Apr.....	110.7	120.6	105.3	133.0	103.4	116.5	101.6	70.1	106.7	115.6	109.5
May.....	111.0	121.3	105.6	133.1	103.0	116.4	101.1	67.7	106.2	116.5	109.4
Jun.....	110.8	121.4	105.8	132.5	103.0	118.7	99.3	66.4	105.6	115.5	108.9
Jul.....	111.2	122.2	106.6	138.2	103.0	120.4	98.6	64.8	104.8	114.8	108.9
Aug.....	111.6	121.7	107.7	138.8	102.7	121.0	98.3	62.5	104.0	114.4	109.1
Sep.....	111.1	122.5	108.3	139.9	102.6	121.6	98.5	60.3	103.9	113.8	109.3
Oct.....	111.1	123.1	108.9	140.8	102.5	121.9	99.9	59.7	104.7	114.4	109.9
Nov.....	111.6	124.1	108.6	141.9	102.6	122.4	101.3	57.5	104.8	114.7	110.9
Dec.....	112.0	124.8	108.1	142.8	102.3	122.5	101.6	55.3	104.8	113.8	111.2
2011: Jan.....	113.6	126.0	107.2	144.0	102.2	122.6	104.0	53.0	103.9	114.7	111.8
Feb.....	114.5	125.8	106.9	145.9	101.6	122.9	104.9	51.8	104.1	114.6	112.4
Mar.....	116.1	126.0	106.8	148.2	101.7	123.0	105.2	50.7	104.8	115.3	113.3
Apr.....	116.0	127.3	107.4	149.9	101.3	123.2	105.1	50.2	104.6	114.3	113.5
May.....	117.7	128.1	107.9	150.5	101.9	123.1	105.0	48.1	104.6	116.4	114.3
Jun.....	118.6	128.5	108.4	150.2	101.9	122.4	103.9	47.6	104.2	116.4	114.4
Jul.....	119.4	129.5	109.1	155.2	102.2	123.4	103.1	46.8	103.2	116.7	114.5
Aug.....	119.6	129.4	110.2	155.4	102.5	123.9	103.6	46.6	102.3	116.8	114.9
Sep.....	120.7	129.6	111.2	155.8	102.2	124.4	104.4	45.7	102.0	116.3	115.6
Oct.....	123.0	130.5	111.9	157.1	102.6	126.1	105.9	45.0	100.6	117.1	117.1
Nov.....	123.6	131.9	112.2	158.7	102.1	126.1	107.5	44.5	101.5	116.0	118.0
Dec.....	124.4	132.8	112.1	160.0	102.1	126.5	107.7	43.1	101.1	116.0	118.6
2012: Jan.....	125.3	133.8	111.5	161.8	102.3	126.7	109.2	42.4	101.2	115.9	119.1
Feb.....	125.4	134.0	111.3	164.3	101.9	126.9	110.2	42.5	101.9	117.1	119.6
Mar.....	126.0	135.5	111.5	166.7	102.1	126.6	109.8	42.2	100.6	117.1	119.8
Apr.....	126.0	136.3	111.8	168.7	102.2	127.5	110.4	42.0	101.8	117.5	120.5

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1. Source: Statistics South Africa (Stats SA). Published according to the COICOP Classification.

2. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2000 were applied to data as from January 2002 up to December 2008. New weights based on the expenditure patterns in 2005 were applied to data as from 2009. These new weights are shown.

3. According to the new methodology applied by Stats SA. Some historical data are not available.

4. Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.

5. Component series have been linked backwards with related components of the new consumer price index for all urban areas, before January 2008, where data allowed. Fixed factors were used based on January 2008.

6. As from January 2008 the clothing and footwear index no longer reflects the impact of promotional sales prices on the price level due to a change in methodology by Stats SA.

**Consumer prices: All urban areas<sup>1</sup>**  
**Services and total<sup>5</sup>**  
**Seasonally adjusted<sup>4</sup>**

Indices: 2008 = 100

Period	Housing and utilities (7160N)	Household contents, equipment and maintenance (7161N)	Health (7162N)	Transport (7163N)	Communication (7164N)	Recreation and culture (7165N)	Education (7166N)	Restaurants and hotels <sup>3</sup> (7167N)	Miscellaneous services (7168N)	Total services (7169N)	Total CPI (7170N)
<b>Weights<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>19.01</b>	<b>1.99</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>3.20</b>	<b>2.91</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>2.19</b>	<b>2.78</b>	<b>11.57</b>	<b>45.80</b>	<b>100.00</b>
2005 .....	76.1	81.9	88.3	96.4	99.4	96.2	82.9	-	89.8	83.5	83.1
2006 .....	79.4	84.0	91.8	97.2	97.4	97.4	88.1	-	92.0	86.2	85.7
2007 .....	89.6	90.8	95.7	98.2	98.0	98.6	93.8	-	96.0	92.8	91.0
2008 .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2009 .....	105.7	106.3	110.1	107.8	102.0	118.0	109.9	110.9	111.2	108.0	107.1
2010 .....	111.1	112.7	119.2	111.0	102.9	124.8	120.3	118.8	119.8	114.3	111.7
2011 .....	117.1	119.4	127.3	118.3	103.0	129.7	130.7	124.6	125.4	120.1	117.3
2009: Jul.....	106.9	108.4	111.0	107.9	101.3	120.1	110.8	111.2	112.4	109.1	107.8
Aug.....	106.0	108.1	111.4	107.7	103.3	121.3	111.4	112.1	112.7	109.0	108.2
Sep.....	107.7	107.8	111.8	107.4	103.3	121.9	112.0	112.8	113.3	109.7	108.7
Oct.....	106.6	107.0	112.4	107.8	103.5	122.2	112.6	113.0	113.7	109.6	108.7
Nov.....	107.4	107.6	113.3	108.7	103.5	122.0	113.2	113.6	114.2	110.0	109.1
Dec.....	107.1	109.3	114.1	109.0	103.4	122.1	113.8	114.6	114.7	110.5	109.6
2010: Jan.....	108.0	109.4	109.9	109.7	103.2	124.4	114.7	115.8	114.7	111.0	109.6
Feb.....	108.8	110.3	117.8	110.7	103.2	123.2	115.2	116.4	118.9	112.5	110.7
Mar.....	109.5	110.5	117.9	111.3	102.5	122.6	118.4	116.7	119.8	113.1	111.0
Apr.....	110.3	111.2	118.2	112.1	102.7	122.2	118.9	117.2	119.9	113.7	111.3
May.....	111.1	111.9	118.5	111.5	102.9	122.3	119.5	118.0	120.5	114.3	111.7
Jun.....	110.9	113.5	119.1	110.9	103.0	122.6	120.2	121.7	119.9	114.3	111.4
Jul.....	111.9	114.3	119.7	110.6	103.2	123.9	120.9	118.3	120.0	114.7	111.6
Aug.....	111.7	114.2	120.4	110.8	102.6	126.8	121.6	119.2	120.5	115.0	111.8
Sep.....	112.8	114.2	121.0	110.0	102.7	126.7	122.3	120.0	120.3	115.3	112.0
Oct.....	112.3	113.7	121.7	110.8	102.9	127.3	123.1	120.1	120.6	115.3	112.4
Nov.....	113.1	114.3	122.5	111.8	103.0	127.8	123.9	121.0	121.1	116.0	113.1
Dec.....	113.0	114.9	123.8	111.8	103.1	128.2	124.7	121.1	121.5	116.4	113.6
2011: Jan.....	113.8	115.8	120.7	111.6	102.9	128.3	125.6	121.4	121.3	116.6	113.7
Feb.....	114.6	116.6	124.5	114.0	103.0	127.8	125.9	121.9	123.5	117.5	114.8
Mar.....	115.2	117.6	124.9	114.3	103.2	127.2	128.4	122.3	123.5	118.1	115.5
Apr.....	115.9	118.3	125.6	114.2	103.6	128.0	129.0	123.3	124.0	118.8	116.0
May.....	116.6	119.1	126.2	114.2	103.7	128.0	129.4	124.1	124.7	119.4	116.8
Jun.....	117.0	119.4	126.9	119.7	103.9	128.3	130.2	123.0	125.6	120.1	117.0
Jul.....	117.9	120.1	127.6	120.6	103.9	129.0	131.1	124.6	125.6	120.7	117.4
Aug.....	118.2	120.5	128.4	120.8	102.2	129.0	132.0	125.9	126.2	121.1	117.7
Sep.....	118.5	121.0	129.2	121.1	102.2	131.6	132.9	126.5	126.2	121.4	118.4
Oct.....	118.7	121.1	130.1	122.0	102.5	132.3	133.8	127.0	127.2	122.0	119.3
Nov.....	119.3	121.7	131.0	122.6	102.6	133.5	134.8	127.5	128.0	122.7	120.1
Dec.....	119.3	122.1	132.2	124.8	102.7	134.0	135.8	127.9	128.6	123.2	120.7
2012: Jan.....	119.9	122.9	129.4	125.6	102.6	133.7	136.9	128.3	129.7	123.8	121.3
Feb.....	120.6	123.6	132.2	126.4	102.4	134.2	137.1	128.8	130.2	124.3	121.8
Mar.....	121.3	124.2	132.6	128.6	102.6	133.8	139.8	129.7	130.5	124.9	122.2
Apr.....	121.9	124.9	133.5	128.9	103.2	133.0	139.9	130.9	131.4	125.7	122.9

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1. Source: Statistics South Africa (Stats SA). Published according to the COICOP Classification.
2. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2000 were applied to data as from January 2002 up to December 2008. New weights base on the expenditure patterns in 2005 were applied to data as from 2009. These new weights are shown.
3. According to the new methodology applied by Stats SA. Some historical data are not available.
4. Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.
5. Component series have been linked backwards with related components of the new consumer price index for all urban areas, before January 2008, where data allowed. Fixed factors were used based on January 2008.



## Consumer prices: All urban areas<sup>1</sup>

### Goods<sup>5</sup>

Percentage change<sup>4</sup>

Period	Food and non-alcoholic beverages (7145A)	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco (7146A)	Clothing and footwear <sup>6</sup> (7147A)	Housing and utilities (7148A)	Household contents, equipment and maintenance (7149A)	Health (7150A)	Transport (7151A)	Communication (7152A)	Recreation and culture <sup>3</sup> (7153A)	Miscellaneous goods (7154A)	Total goods (7155A)
<b>Weights<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>15.68</b>	<b>5.58</b>	<b>4.11</b>	<b>3.55</b>	<b>3.87</b>	<b>0.57</b>	<b>15.60</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>2.94</b>	<b>1.99</b>	<b>54.20</b>
2006 .....	6.1	7.9	-8.9	5.9	-1.0	3.4	1.1	-2.0	-0.4	1.6	3.1
2007 .....	9.5	8.1	-9.0	9.0	0.2	4.2	0.7	0.6	0.5	4.0	5.0
2008 .....	15.3	7.7	12.5	15.5	1.8	6.8	5.0	2.0	2.4	6.8	11.5
2009 .....	9.5	11.1	4.9	19.8	5.7	11.9	-2.2	-10.4	8.8	13.8	6.4
2010 .....	1.4	9.2	1.8	13.5	-2.4	6.2	2.7	-26.7	-2.5	1.3	2.9
2011 .....	7.1	6.1	2.3	12.2	-1.1	4.2	4.6	-27.2	-2.9	0.6	4.9
2009: Jul.....	8.3	11.5	5.3	20.9	6.8	11.9	-5.0	-10.5	10.8	15.9	5.5
Aug.....	6.9	12.6	5.0	17.9	5.9	12.3	-4.4	-11.6	7.5	14.5	5.0
Sep.....	5.5	11.8	5.0	16.9	4.5	13.0	-2.2	-11.7	7.4	12.9	4.9
Oct.....	5.4	11.6	5.0	16.0	4.0	12.7	-2.7	-15.4	6.3	11.8	4.5
Nov.....	4.7	11.5	5.1	16.0	3.0	10.7	-1.4	-17.1	3.2	9.9	4.4
Dec.....	3.6	11.4	4.8	15.4	2.6	10.7	3.7	-19.6	5.0	9.3	5.5
2010: Jan.....	2.4	11.3	4.0	15.4	0.9	10.2	7.2	-22.0	3.4	7.9	5.8
Feb.....	1.8	10.1	3.1	15.2	-0.7	10.1	5.6	-22.0	1.6	5.9	4.6
Mar.....	1.3	11.2	2.6	15.2	-1.8	4.9	4.4	-24.8	1.5	3.3	4.0
Apr.....	0.9	10.9	2.3	15.1	-2.4	3.6	4.1	-25.8	-2.2	2.4	3.5
May.....	0.8	11.0	2.3	15.2	-3.3	3.9	3.6	-27.6	-3.2	2.2	3.1
Jun.....	0.7	10.8	1.9	15.1	-3.5	5.8	2.1	-27.5	-3.4	0.9	2.6
Jul.....	1.4	9.7	1.5	12.7	-3.3	6.7	0.8	-28.2	-4.9	-0.2	2.1
Aug.....	1.7	7.2	1.1	12.0	-3.7	6.1	0.7	-29.0	-4.9	-1.2	1.9
Sep.....	1.5	7.2	0.9	12.1	-3.3	5.9	-0.5	-29.6	-5.1	-1.7	1.5
Oct.....	1.0	7.1	0.8	12.0	-3.0	6.0	1.3	-28.0	-4.0	-1.1	1.9
Nov.....	1.3	7.2	0.8	11.9	-2.6	6.1	1.8	-28.7	-3.9	-0.7	2.2
Dec.....	1.5	7.1	0.8	11.8	-2.4	6.3	1.3	-29.6	-4.2	-1.5	2.0
2011: Jan.....	3.1	7.2	0.9	11.7	-2.5	6.3	2.7	-30.3	-5.0	-1.6	2.8
Feb.....	3.6	7.2	1.2	11.9	-2.5	6.6	2.5	-31.0	-4.3	-1.4	3.0
Mar.....	5.0	5.2	1.4	12.2	-2.1	6.0	3.5	-29.7	-4.5	-0.3	3.6
Apr.....	4.8	5.6	1.6	12.2	-2.1	5.7	3.7	-28.4	-2.0	-1.0	3.7
May.....	6.1	5.6	1.7	12.4	-1.0	5.6	4.0	-29.0	-1.4	0.1	4.5
Jun.....	7.1	5.7	2.0	12.4	-0.9	3.2	4.5	-28.0	-1.3	0.9	4.9
Jul.....	7.4	6.0	2.2	12.8	-0.7	2.9	4.4	-27.4	-1.4	1.8	5.1
Aug.....	7.3	6.1	2.7	12.1	-0.0	2.8	5.2	-25.4	-1.8	2.2	5.4
Sep.....	8.5	5.9	3.2	12.1	-0.3	2.6	5.8	-24.7	-1.9	2.3	5.8
Oct.....	10.6	6.1	3.5	12.2	-0.0	3.4	6.1	-24.3	-4.0	2.2	6.5
Nov.....	10.7	6.3	3.6	12.2	-0.6	3.0	6.4	-23.0	-3.2	1.2	6.6
Dec.....	11.1	6.3	3.8	12.2	-0.4	3.0	5.9	-22.2	-3.6	1.3	6.7
2012: Jan.....	10.3	6.3	3.8	12.3	0.1	3.1	5.6	-20.4	-2.7	1.0	6.5
Feb.....	9.6	6.4	3.7	12.6	0.2	2.9	5.9	-18.2	-2.1	2.1	6.5
Mar.....	8.6	7.6	3.8	12.7	0.4	2.8	5.2	-16.9	-3.7	1.8	6.0
Apr.....	8.7	7.3	3.6	12.8	0.7	3.3	5.6	-16.5	-2.5	2.7	6.3

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- According to the new methodology applied by Stats SA. Some historical data are not available.
- Compared with the same month of the previous year.
- Component series have been linked backwards with related components of the new consumer price index for all urban areas, before January 2008, where data allowed. Fixed factors were used based on January 2008.
- As from January 2008 the clothing and footwear index no longer reflects the impact of promotional sales prices on the price level due to a change in methodology by Stats SA.

## Consumer prices: All urban areas<sup>1</sup> Services and total<sup>5</sup>

Percentage change<sup>4</sup>

Period	Housing and utilities (7160A)	Household contents, equipment and maintenance (7161A)	Health (7162A)	Transport (7163A)	Communication (7164A)	Recreation and culture (7165A)	Education (7166A)	Restaurants and hotels <sup>3</sup> (7167A)	Miscellaneous services (7168A)	Total services (7169A)	Total CPI (7170A)
<b>Weights<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>19.01</b>	<b>1.99</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>3.20</b>	<b>2.91</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>2.19</b>	<b>2.78</b>	<b>11.57</b>	<b>45.80</b>	<b>100.00</b>
2006 .....	4.4	2.5	3.9	0.9	-2.0	1.3	6.2	-	2.4	3.3	3.2
2007 .....	12.9	8.1	4.3	1.0	0.6	1.2	6.5	-	4.3	7.6	6.1
2008 .....	11.6	10.1	4.5	1.9	2.1	1.4	6.7	-	4.2	7.7	9.9
2009 .....	5.7	6.3	10.1	7.8	2.0	18.0	9.9	10.9	11.2	7.9	7.1
2010 .....	5.1	6.0	8.3	2.9	0.9	5.8	9.4	7.1	7.8	5.9	4.3
2011 .....	5.4	6.0	6.8	6.6	0.1	3.9	8.7	4.9	4.6	5.1	5.0
2009: Jul .....	5.7	6.4	10.3	4.4	1.9	20.3	10.5	10.4	12.3	8.0	6.7
Aug.....	5.8	6.4	10.3	5.1	2.7	21.5	10.5	9.6	12.1	8.1	6.4
Sep.....	5.7	6.4	10.3	2.7	2.3	20.0	10.5	10.0	11.5	7.8	6.1
Oct.....	5.7	6.4	10.3	2.7	2.3	20.1	10.5	7.9	10.9	7.4	5.9
Nov.....	5.7	6.4	10.3	2.9	2.3	20.0	10.5	7.6	10.9	7.4	5.8
Dec.....	5.3	6.2	10.3	1.8	2.3	19.4	10.5	7.6	10.9	7.2	6.3
2010: Jan .....	5.3	6.2	10.4	2.1	2.3	19.4	10.5	8.4	9.3	6.8	6.2
Feb.....	5.3	6.2	8.4	2.5	2.3	17.3	10.5	7.9	9.4	6.8	5.7
Mar.....	5.2	6.3	8.4	3.1	1.5	4.0	9.2	7.3	9.6	6.5	5.1
Apr.....	5.2	6.3	8.4	3.8	1.5	2.9	9.2	6.8	9.7	6.5	4.8
May.....	5.2	6.3	8.0	3.3	1.5	2.9	9.2	6.9	9.7	6.4	4.6
Jun.....	4.9	5.8	8.0	2.7	1.5	2.9	9.2	11.0	8.6	6.1	4.2
Jul.....	5.0	5.8	8.0	2.7	1.5	3.4	9.2	6.4	6.8	5.4	3.7
Aug.....	5.0	5.8	8.0	3.2	-0.5	4.5	9.2	6.3	6.8	5.4	3.5
Sep.....	5.1	5.8	8.1	2.7	-0.1	4.0	9.2	6.4	6.1	5.2	3.2
Oct.....	5.1	5.8	8.1	3.2	-0.1	3.9	9.2	6.3	5.9	5.2	3.4
Nov.....	5.1	5.8	8.1	3.2	-0.1	3.9	9.2	6.5	5.9	5.3	3.6
Dec.....	5.2	5.7	8.1	2.9	-0.1	4.0	9.2	5.7	5.8	5.1	3.5
2011: Jan .....	5.2	5.7	8.1	1.8	-0.1	3.3	9.2	4.9	4.7	4.7	3.7
Feb.....	5.2	5.7	6.6	3.1	-0.1	3.7	9.2	4.7	4.0	4.5	3.7
Mar.....	5.3	6.2	6.6	2.8	0.6	3.7	8.6	4.8	3.6	4.6	4.1
Apr.....	5.3	6.2	6.6	2.2	0.6	4.7	8.6	5.2	3.9	4.7	4.2
May.....	5.3	6.2	6.8	2.5	0.6	4.7	8.6	5.2	3.9	4.7	4.6
Jun.....	5.6	5.9	6.8	7.9	0.7	4.7	8.6	1.1	4.7	5.2	5.0
Jul.....	5.7	5.9	6.8	9.0	0.7	4.2	8.6	5.4	4.8	5.5	5.3
Aug.....	5.7	5.9	6.7	9.0	-0.3	2.0	8.6	5.7	4.8	5.4	5.3
Sep.....	5.4	6.0	6.7	9.8	-0.3	4.0	8.6	5.4	4.9	5.4	5.7
Oct.....	5.4	6.0	6.7	9.8	-0.3	4.0	8.6	5.7	5.4	5.5	6.0
Nov.....	5.4	6.0	6.6	9.6	-0.3	4.2	8.6	5.4	5.4	5.5	6.1
Dec.....	5.1	5.9	6.6	11.4	-0.3	4.1	8.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.1
2012: Jan .....	5.1	5.9	6.6	12.2	-0.3	4.4	8.6	5.6	6.4	5.9	6.3
Feb.....	5.1	5.9	6.3	11.1	-0.6	5.0	8.6	5.6	6.0	5.8	6.1
Mar.....	5.3	5.5	6.3	12.7	-0.6	4.9	9.0	6.0	6.1	5.9	6.0
Apr.....	5.3	5.5	6.3	12.8	-0.3	3.7	9.0	6.2	6.1	5.9	6.1

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3. According to the new methodology applied by Stats SA. Some historical data are not available.
4. Compared with the same month of the previous year.
5. Component series have been linked backwards with related components of the new consumer price index for all urban areas, before January 2008, where data allowed. Fixed factors were used based on January 2008.

## Producer prices Seasonally adjusted<sup>1,4</sup>

Indices: 2000=100

Period	Domestic output of South African industry groups										Commodities		
	Agriculture, forestry and fishing  (7130N)	Mining and quarrying  (7131N)	Manufacturing							Electricity, gas, steam and water  (7139N)	Total  (7140N)	Imported  (7141N)	Exported  (7142N)
			Food  (7132N)	Paper and paper products  (7133N)	Products of petroleum and coal  (7134N)	Chemical and chemical products  (7135N)	Basic metals  (7136N)	Transport  (7137N)	Total <sup>2</sup>  (7138N)				
<b>Weights<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>9.95</b>	<b>19.41</b>	<b>5.87</b>	<b>4.96</b>	<b>4.98</b>	<b>6.74</b>	<b>6.66</b>	<b>5.83</b>	<b>62.31</b>	<b>8.33</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
2004 .....	122.7	127.8	135.9	127.7	129.4	130.0	129.9	124.7	129.5	107.9	127.7	117.0	120.3
2005 .....	116.9	143.6	134.4	130.3	163.3	131.9	140.5	126.3	134.2	113.9	132.4	121.2	127.6
2006 .....	135.4	159.4	143.7	134.7	196.6	136.0	157.0	129.2	142.8	120.0	142.6	130.6	138.1
2007 .....	163.7	176.3	163.7	144.7	222.3	145.0	187.5	133.1	156.8	128.6	158.2	143.2	156.7
2008 .....	181.0	199.8	193.5	159.5	284.0	165.3	243.2	139.2	180.6	149.0	180.8	166.7	169.5
2009 .....	181.9	181.1	200.5	174.0	211.0	166.0	244.4	146.6	181.9	181.2	180.8	146.2	158.6
2010 .....	182.9	208.2	198.9	177.4	225.9	163.0	250.5	147.3	185.3	219.2	191.7	150.6	164.2
2011 .....	194.3	229.1	210.7	184.7	276.1	172.9	258.7	147.9	195.9	269.2	207.7	165.6	177.4
2009: May .....	176.6	184.9	202.4	173.7	202.3	167.3	228.4	147.4	179.5	167.5	177.2	143.4	158.4
Jun .....	175.7	174.7	201.2	174.8	199.6	168.0	222.4	147.5	179.1	161.5	176.9	144.0	153.9
Jul.....	178.1	173.4	199.9	172.7	207.0	163.4	225.8	147.7	179.4	193.6	181.5	144.9	153.8
Aug.....	177.2	173.7	200.4	173.6	210.9	164.3	234.8	146.0	180.5	194.9	182.4	146.4	154.2
Sep.....	175.8	171.3	198.4	174.4	213.9	165.1	234.9	146.1	181.1	196.8	179.1	146.2	152.3
Oct.....	177.8	180.6	197.8	174.9	209.3	162.1	235.8	146.4	180.2	193.6	179.2	145.4	154.0
Nov.....	181.4	187.4	198.0	175.8	216.6	162.7	235.9	146.2	180.8	194.6	181.5	149.2	155.3
Dec.....	182.7	195.6	197.1	177.0	228.1	163.2	240.9	146.7	183.1	195.9	184.4	152.2	158.6
2010: Jan .....	181.8	211.9	198.5	173.1	234.5	159.3	245.7	147.5	183.9	194.5	188.4	153.1	161.1
Feb.....	181.8	212.1	200.3	174.5	244.8	160.9	250.3	146.9	185.0	198.4	189.5	154.9	162.9
Mar.....	178.7	208.5	200.2	175.9	237.6	161.1	248.5	147.3	185.5	200.4	189.2	154.9	161.0
Apr.....	184.2	207.9	200.0	175.5	238.6	162.7	244.3	148.3	185.4	210.8	190.4	152.0	162.5
May.....	182.0	210.8	199.6	178.1	228.4	163.9	237.7	148.1	184.8	214.1	189.8	152.8	166.4
Jun.....	183.5	202.7	199.5	179.3	215.2	164.0	254.1	148.2	185.8	223.2	193.3	148.3	164.6
Jul.....	183.2	197.1	197.6	177.0	209.0	160.8	254.8	147.8	184.6	235.0	193.7	145.8	166.6
Aug.....	184.0	202.7	197.0	177.5	209.8	160.8	252.0	146.6	183.6	236.2	194.6	146.9	164.9
Sep.....	181.1	204.6	197.9	178.5	208.2	164.4	255.8	146.7	184.9	223.9	191.0	145.9	164.7
Oct.....	182.2	208.1	197.4	177.9	220.6	164.5	254.9	146.9	185.4	228.9	190.6	147.6	164.1
Nov.....	184.8	213.6	199.2	179.4	229.8	166.5	252.7	146.4	186.6	231.1	193.6	150.9	164.5
Dec.....	187.2	218.8	200.1	181.5	234.7	166.8	255.2	146.8	188.5	233.3	196.0	154.1	166.8
2011: Jan .....	184.0	223.1	201.6	179.3	253.1	167.7	259.9	147.4	190.8	237.2	198.5	157.6	170.4
Feb.....	187.5	224.3	205.0	180.9	267.6	171.0	272.0	147.5	194.4	240.0	201.7	162.6	173.1
Mar.....	185.2	222.3	205.4	183.9	279.3	174.3	273.3	148.5	196.5	242.2	202.9	166.0	175.0
Apr.....	187.9	215.1	206.5	183.6	280.4	173.0	271.0	148.8	196.0	262.6	202.9	165.8	173.7
May.....	195.4	214.7	208.9	183.6	276.6	173.3	256.3	149.1	195.7	270.1	203.9	166.1	173.5
Jun.....	193.0	218.8	210.8	185.8	265.0	172.6	249.2	149.3	194.0	285.7	207.4	163.9	174.1
Jul.....	193.4	222.8	210.0	185.4	258.3	172.1	251.6	149.0	194.0	284.5	210.1	161.1	176.9
Aug.....	195.6	231.0	211.1	185.4	263.1	173.2	253.8	147.9	194.7	286.2	211.6	161.1	178.8
Sep.....	198.9	245.0	215.3	186.1	267.1	172.7	252.7	148.0	195.7	279.5	212.4	161.7	183.6
Oct.....	203.3	246.7	216.0	186.3	287.1	173.3	247.8	148.0	196.7	279.4	212.0	166.8	182.7
Nov.....	203.6	246.1	216.7	187.5	306.5	175.4	250.9	145.6	199.4	279.2	214.0	175.3	183.4
Dec.....	204.1	239.1	221.3	188.8	309.6	176.1	265.8	146.0	202.7	283.6	215.0	178.7	183.9
2012: Jan .....	197.5	238.5	223.8	186.4	316.9	180.6	271.8	146.8	205.0	291.6	215.7	181.5	184.5
Feb.....	194.3	237.4	226.9	189.1	326.5	181.0	270.6	147.2	206.1	296.1	217.6	181.7	181.9
Mar.....	194.1	234.6	224.4	193.1	322.0	180.1	265.4	147.2	205.7	299.9	216.7	180.1	181.7
Apr.....	195.6	232.2	225.7	192.1	308.2	179.5	256.2	147.7	203.7	310.1	216.1	178.1	182.3

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- Source: Statistics South Africa.
- Manufacturing weight total is non-additive as it excludes: Tobacco products, textiles and made-up goods, wearing apparel, leather and leather products, footwear and wood products, and other manufacturing.
- Weights determined in the base period for domestic output of South African industry group.
- Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.

## Composite business cycle indicators

### Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2000=100

Period	South Africa			Trading-partner countries <sup>1</sup>					
	Leading indicator (7090N)	Coincident indicator (7091N)	Lagging indicator (7092N)	Leading indicator			Coincident indicator		
				US <sup>2</sup> (7093N)	Other countries <sup>3</sup> (7094N)	Total (7095N)	US <sup>2</sup> (7096N)	Other countries <sup>3</sup> (7097N)	Total (7098N)
2004 .....	114.8	119.6	107.7	107.9	105.1	106.3	103.6	103.4	103.5
2005 .....	118.5	129.2	109.3	114.1	108.6	110.9	107.0	105.1	105.9
2006 .....	125.4	141.5	113.1	115.8	114.8	115.2	109.9	110.8	110.5
2007 .....	125.5	152.9	120.1	114.3	117.4	116.1	111.6	118.4	115.6
2008 .....	116.9	155.4	131.6	102.4	114.1	109.3	108.8	118.3	114.3
2009 .....	111.5	137.5	118.4	89.4	108.6	100.6	100.6	104.9	103.1
2010 .....	129.8	143.9	103.9	96.1	117.0	108.4	103.1	108.9	106.5
2011 .....	133.0	152.4	103.5	101.1	119.6	112.0	105.8	110.8	108.7
2009: May .....	108.6	136.6	123.3	87.5	107.8	99.4	99.6	104.1	102.2
Jun .....	110.1	136.3	119.6	88.2	107.7	99.6	99.2	104.1	102.1
Jul .....	110.2	135.8	116.5	88.9	108.7	100.5	100.0	104.2	102.5
Aug .....	111.7	135.1	113.6	89.7	110.5	101.9	99.9	104.2	102.4
Sep .....	113.7	135.9	111.1	90.3	111.3	102.6	99.9	104.6	102.7
Oct .....	116.9	136.8	109.3	91.0	111.5	103.0	100.0	105.0	102.9
Nov .....	120.5	137.8	107.1	92.0	111.9	103.7	100.6	105.4	103.4
Dec .....	122.7	139.2	106.8	93.1	113.4	105.0	100.9	105.6	103.6
2010: Jan .....	127.1	140.3	105.2	93.7	114.2	105.7	100.6	106.1	103.8
Feb .....	127.4	140.9	104.3	93.8	114.4	105.9	103.6	106.7	105.4
Mar .....	130.1	142.1	104.6	95.4	115.8	107.4	101.8	107.6	105.2
Apr .....	131.8	142.4	102.8	96.0	117.7	108.7	102.3	108.1	105.7
May .....	131.2	143.7	103.1	96.1	116.7	108.2	102.6	108.8	106.2
Jun .....	129.6	144.1	102.6	96.0	116.3	107.9	102.9	109.3	106.6
Jul .....	129.6	143.8	103.7	96.2	117.4	108.6	103.5	109.5	107.0
Aug .....	129.9	143.2	103.7	96.3	117.9	109.0	103.5	109.9	107.3
Sep .....	129.9	144.2	103.8	96.8	117.8	109.1	103.6	110.0	107.4
Oct .....	129.7	146.0	104.9	96.9	118.0	109.3	103.8	109.8	107.3
Nov .....	129.6	148.0	104.8	97.7	118.6	110.0	104.1	110.3	107.8
Dec .....	131.9	148.6	103.4	99.0	119.6	111.1	104.4	110.3	107.9
2011: Jan .....	133.3	149.8	102.8	99.1	120.1	111.4	105.1	110.8	108.5
Feb .....	134.7	151.3	102.9	100.1	121.0	112.4	106.2	111.2	109.1
Mar .....	134.3	152.4	103.7	101.1	119.9	112.2	105.4	110.9	108.6
Apr .....	134.3	152.8	104.1	101.1	120.3	112.4	104.8	110.3	108.1
May .....	133.0	152.5	104.3	101.7	120.4	112.7	104.8	109.9	107.8
Jun .....	135.1	152.2	104.7	101.7	120.8	112.9	105.4	110.7	108.5
Jul .....	133.4	151.0	104.6	101.9	120.6	112.8	105.6	111.3	108.9
Aug .....	131.0	151.7	102.6	101.1	118.9	111.6	105.9	111.7	109.3
Sep .....	131.1	153.2	102.9	100.6	118.8	111.3	105.9	111.1	108.9
Oct .....	131.2	153.1	103.6	101.2	118.4	111.3	106.7	110.7	109.1
Nov .....	132.0	154.4	103.6	101.6	118.0	111.2	106.7	110.3	108.8
Dec .....	132.3	154.7	102.6	102.0	117.8	111.3	107.4	110.3	109.1
2012: Jan .....	132.9	154.5	103.9	102.1	118.3	111.6	107.5	110.4	109.2
Feb .....	134.4	155.3	103.4	102.9	119.4	112.6	107.6	110.5	109.3
Mar .....	134.5	-	-	103.2	119.9	113.0	107.8	110.5	109.4
Apr .....	-	-	-	103.1	119.8	112.9	108.0	-	-

KB707

1. Including, apart from the United States of America, also the United Kingdom, Germany, France, Italy, Canada and Japan.
2. Source of basic data: The Conference Board, Inc., New York, United States of America.
3. Source of basic data: Foundation for International Business and Economic Research, New York, United States of America.

## Composite business cycle indicators

Percentage change<sup>1</sup>

Period	South Africa			Trading-partner countries					
	Leading indicator (7090B)	Coincident indicator (7091B)	Lagging indicator (7092B)	Leading indicator			Coincident indicator		
				US (7093B)	Other countries (7094B)	Total (7095B)	US (7096B)	Other countries (7097B)	Total (7098B)
2004	10.3	9.5	-1.1	10.2	7.1	8.4	2.7	3.0	2.9
2005	3.2	8.0	1.5	5.7	3.4	4.4	3.3	1.7	2.4
2006	5.8	9.6	3.5	1.5	5.7	3.9	2.8	5.4	4.3
2007	0.1	8.1	6.2	-1.3	2.3	0.8	1.5	6.8	4.6
2008	-6.8	1.6	9.5	-10.4	-2.8	-5.9	-2.6	-0.1	-1.1
2009	-4.7	-11.5	-10.0	-12.8	-4.9	-7.9	-7.5	-11.3	-9.8
2010	16.4	4.7	-12.2	7.6	7.8	7.7	2.4	3.8	3.3
2011	2.4	5.9	-0.4	5.2	2.2	3.3	2.7	1.7	2.1
2009: May	-10.6	-13.4	-4.7	-17.3	-8.2	-11.8	-9.9	-13.5	-12.1
Jun	-8.9	-13.9	-8.3	-16.2	-8.1	-11.2	-10.1	-12.9	-11.8
Jul	-7.4	-13.7	-11.3	-13.6	-6.1	-9.0	-8.4	-12.5	-10.9
Aug	-2.7	-14.1	-14.0	-11.7	-4.4	-7.2	-7.9	-11.9	-10.3
Sep	0.5	-12.5	-17.1	-9.0	-2.0	-4.7	-6.3	-10.6	-9.0
Oct	6.4	-10.5	-19.5	-5.5	1.6	-1.1	-5.7	-9.1	-7.8
Nov	12.3	-7.9	-21.1	-1.8	3.5	1.5	-3.8	-7.0	-5.7
Dec	15.8	-4.6	-20.2	2.1	6.9	5.1	-2.8	-4.8	-4.0
2010: Jan	20.8	-1.0	-20.6	4.7	8.7	7.2	-1.4	-1.7	-1.6
Feb	20.6	1.2	-18.5	6.2	9.5	8.3	-1.2	1.5	0.4
Mar	23.4	2.8	-17.8	10.0	10.8	10.5	1.2	3.3	2.4
Apr	23.2	4.0	-17.9	10.2	10.9	10.7	2.5	4.0	3.4
May	20.8	5.2	-16.4	9.7	8.2	8.8	3.0	4.5	3.9
Jun	17.7	5.7	-14.2	8.8	8.0	8.3	3.7	5.0	4.4
Jul	17.6	5.8	-11.0	8.1	8.0	8.1	3.5	5.0	4.4
Aug	16.2	6.0	-8.7	7.3	6.8	7.0	3.6	5.5	4.7
Sep	14.2	6.0	-6.6	7.2	5.8	6.3	3.7	5.1	4.6
Oct	10.9	6.7	-4.0	6.5	5.8	6.1	3.8	4.6	4.3
Nov	7.5	7.4	-2.1	6.2	6.0	6.1	3.5	4.7	4.2
Dec	7.5	6.8	-3.2	6.3	5.5	5.7	3.5	4.5	4.1
2011: Jan	4.9	6.8	-2.4	5.8	5.2	5.4	4.5	4.5	4.5
Feb	5.7	7.4	-1.4	6.7	5.8	6.1	2.5	4.2	3.5
Mar	3.3	7.2	-0.9	6.0	3.5	4.4	3.5	3.1	3.2
Apr	1.9	7.3	1.3	5.4	2.3	3.4	2.4	2.1	2.2
May	1.4	6.2	1.1	5.8	3.2	4.2	2.2	1.0	1.5
Jun	4.2	5.7	2.0	6.0	3.9	4.6	2.4	1.3	1.7
Jul	2.9	5.0	0.9	5.9	2.7	3.9	2.0	1.6	1.8
Aug	0.9	5.9	-1.1	5.0	0.8	2.4	2.3	1.6	1.9
Sep	0.9	6.3	-0.8	3.9	0.8	2.0	2.2	1.0	1.5
Oct	1.2	4.9	-1.2	4.5	0.3	1.8	2.8	0.8	1.6
Nov	1.9	4.3	-1.2	4.0	-0.5	1.2	2.5	-0.1	1.0
Dec	0.3	4.1	-0.8	3.1	-1.5	0.2	2.9	0.0	1.1
2012: Jan	-0.3	3.1	1.1	3.1	-1.5	0.2	2.3	-0.4	0.7
Feb	-0.2	2.6	0.5	2.8	-1.3	0.2	1.4	-0.6	0.2
Mar	0.1	-	-	2.0	0.0	0.7	2.4	-0.4	0.7
Apr	-	-	-	1.9	-0.4	0.5	3.1	-	-

KB813

1. Percentage change over 12 months.

## Key information

### Labour in the non-agricultural sectors<sup>4</sup>

Percentage change

Period	Employment <sup>1</sup>			Remuneration per worker <sup>2</sup>						Labour productivity <sup>2</sup> (7014P)	Nominal unit labour costs <sup>2</sup> (7015P)
	Public sector (7002Q)	Private sector (7008Q)	Total (7009Q)	At current prices			At constant prices <sup>3</sup>				
				Public sector (7011P)	Private sector (7012P)	Total (7013P)	Public sector (7011R)	Private sector (7012R)	Total (7013R)		
2008 .....	4.5	1.0	1.8	12.9	12.4	12.8	3.0	2.5	2.8	1.7	11.0
2009 .....	3.1	-4.6	-3.0	11.3	11.3	11.8	2.6	2.6	3.1	1.7	9.9
2010 .....	2.1	-1.6	-0.7	13.5	13.1	13.5	4.8	4.4	4.7	3.7	9.5
2011 .....	4.6	1.4	2.2	6.7	7.0	7.1	-0.7	-0.4	-0.3	0.9	6.2
2010: 01 .....	2.0	-1.2	-0.5	18.0	14.5	15.9	9.9	6.7	8.0	4.9	10.5
02 .....	4.8	0.5	1.5	15.4	15.4	15.7	6.3	6.3	6.6	4.6	10.6
03 .....	1.8	0.6	0.8	13.9	12.0	12.7	4.5	2.8	3.4	3.1	9.3
04 .....	5.6	1.9	2.7	7.9	10.7	10.1	-0.4	2.1	1.6	2.3	7.6
2011: 01 .....	15.1	1.4	4.5	2.1	7.9	6.5	-4.9	0.5	-0.9	1.2	5.2
02 .....	-3.9	2.0	0.5	6.9	7.1	7.2	-0.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.0	6.2
03 .....	1.2	2.4	2.1	14.2	6.4	8.8	5.4	-1.8	0.5	0.4	8.4
04 .....	1.3	-1.3	-0.7	3.8	6.8	6.0	-2.9	0.0	-0.7	1.0	5.0

KB814

1. Compared with the preceding period. Quarterly changes at seasonally adjusted annualised rates.
2. Compared with the same period in the previous year.
3. Deflated by the non-agricultural gross domestic product deflator.
4. Based on labour statistics that were statistically linked to compensate for structural breaks in the third quarter of 2002, the fourth quarter of 2004 and the second quarter of 2006 following adjustment in the coverage of the *Quarterly Employment Statistics* survey by Statistics South Africa.

## Prices

Percentage change<sup>1</sup>

Period	Consumer prices <sup>2,5</sup>								Producer prices					
	Services		Goods		Total CPI (7170A)	Administered prices <sup>3</sup> (7171A)	CPI excluding food and non-alcoholic beverages and petrol (7172A)	Memorandum item: Official target <sup>4</sup> (7173A)	South African industry output				Commodities	
	Housing and utilities (7160A)	Total (7169A)	Food and non-alcoholic beverages (7145A)	Total (7155A)					Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining (7129A)	Manufacturing (7138A)	Electricity, water, steam and gas (7139A)	Total PPI (7140A)	Imported (7141A)	Exported (7142A)
2009 .....	5.7	7.9	9.5	6.4	7.1	2.2	7.9	7.1	-6.4	0.7	21.6	0.0	-12.3	-6.4
2010 .....	5.1	5.9	1.4	2.9	4.3	10.1	4.6	4.3	10.4	1.9	20.9	6.0	3.0	3.5
2011 .....	5.4	5.1	7.1	4.9	5.0	11.7	4.0	5.0	8.9	5.7	22.8	8.4	9.9	8.1
2011: 02 .....	7.0	7.1	9.6	5.7	6.7	6.8	6.1	5.3	-4.3	2.8	67.5	7.6	8.1	2.2
03 .....	5.8	5.6	8.9	3.1	4.4	3.5	4.7	3.7	26.4	-0.9	16.5	13.7	-9.3	14.6
04 .....	3.2	5.3	13.2	10.6	7.7	22.2	4.3	8.7	17.2	10.2	-3.7	4.4	34.1	8.2
2012: 01 .....	5.1	5.7	6.1	5.4	5.8	11.8	4.5	6.2	-11.9	12.5	23.3	5.8	18.4	-1.4
2011: Nov .....	5.4	5.5	10.7	6.6	6.1	13.4	4.3	6.1	13.2	6.8	21.4	10.1	15.9	11.2
Dec .....	5.1	5.6	11.1	6.7	6.1	12.7	4.4	6.1	10.1	7.7	21.8	9.8	16.4	10.5
2012: Jan .....	5.1	5.9	10.3	6.5	6.3	11.6	4.7	6.3	7.5	7.6	22.3	8.9	15.5	8.7
Feb .....	5.1	5.8	9.6	6.5	6.1	11.7	4.8	6.1	7.2	6.6	22.8	8.3	13.0	5.9
Mar .....	5.3	5.9	8.6	6.0	6.0	11.2	4.9	6.0	5.8	5.5	23.4	7.2	9.9	4.6
Apr .....	5.3	5.9	8.7	6.3	6.1	11.6	5.0	6.1	6.5	4.6	18.7	6.6	8.5	5.3

KB815

1. Quarterly: Compared with the preceding period. Seasonally adjusted annualised rates (seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank). Monthly: Compared with the same month of the previous year.
2. Source: Statistics South Africa (Stats SA). Published according to the COICOP Classification.
3. An administered price is defined by Stats SA as the price of a product, which is set consciously by an individual producer or group of producers and/or any price, which can be determined or influenced by government, either directly, or through one or other government agencies/institutions without reference to market forces.
4. CPIX up to December 2008. Headline CPI from January 2009 onwards.
5. Component series have been linked backwards with related components of the new consumer price index for all urban areas, before January 2008, where data allowed. Fixed factors were used based on January 2008. Data should be used with circumspection.

Inflation expectations<sup>1,3</sup>

Per cent

	Quarter during which expectations were surveyed						
	2010/03	2010/04	2011/01	2011/02	2011/03	2011/04	2012/01
<b>Financial analysts</b>							
Current year <sup>2</sup> ..... (7114K)	4.5	4.3	4.7	5.0	5.1	5.1	6.2
One year ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7115K)	5.2	4.5	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.9	5.6
Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7116K)	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5
<b>Business representatives</b>							
Current year <sup>2</sup> ..... (7117K)	6.5	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.7	6.2
One year ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7118K)	6.7	6.0	6.0	5.8	6.1	6.12	6.5
Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7119K)	7.1	6.4	6.2	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.5
<b>Trade union representatives</b>							
Current year <sup>2</sup> ..... (7120K)	6.2	6.1	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.7	6.0
One year ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7121K)	6.4	6.0	5.8	6.1	6.0	6.3	6.2
Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7122K)	6.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.0
<b>All surveyed participants</b>							
Current year <sup>2</sup> ..... (7123K)	5.7	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.5	6.1
One year ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7124K)	6.1	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.1	6.1
Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> ..... (7125K)	6.4	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0

KB816

1. Source: Bureau for Economic Research, University of Stellenbosch. In each instance the annual average inflation rate for the calendar year which is expected by the participant is asked.
2. In relation to the reference quarter when the expectations were surveyed.
3. CPIX up to the fourth quarter of 2008. Headline CPI from the first quarter of 2009 onwards.

## Business cycle phases of South Africa since 1945

Upward phase		Duration in months	Downward phase		Duration in months		
Post war	–	July 1946	7	August 1946	–	April 1947	9
May 1947	–	November 1948	19	December 1948	–	February 1950	15
March 1950	–	December 1951	22	January 1952	–	March 1953	15
April 1953	–	April 1955	25	May 1955	–	September 1956	17
October 1956	–	January 1958	16	February 1958	–	March 1959	14
April 1959	–	April 1960	13	May 1960	–	August 1961	16
September 1961	–	April 1965	44	May 1965	–	December 1965	8
January 1966	–	May 1967	17	June 1967	–	December 1967	7
January 1968	–	December 1970	36	January 1971	–	August 1972	20
September 1972	–	August 1974	24	September 1974	–	December 1977	40
January 1978	–	August 1981	44	September 1981	–	March 1983	19
April 1983	–	June 1984	15	July 1984	–	March 1986	21
April 1986	–	February 1989	35	March 1989	–	May 1993	51
June 1993	–	November 1996	42	December 1996	–	August 1999	33
September 1999	–	November 2007	99	December 2007	–	August 2009	21
September 2009	–						