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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

- denotes not available
   denotes a value equal to nil
   denotes a value between nil and half of the measuring unit

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

Indices: 2010 = 100

		Public sector				Private	esector			
Period	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	Grand total
	(7000L)	(7001L)	(7002L)	(7003L)	(7004L)	(7005L)	(7006L)	(7007L)	(7008L)	(7009L)
Number in 2010	1 907 116	103 523	2 010 639	499 217	1 243 630	600 290	1 941 613	2 053 327	7 190 354	9 200 993
2009	97.7	103.6	98.0	98.5	103.5	105.0	100.3	101.9	101.3	100.6
2010	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2011	105.0	101.1	104.8	103.4	98.8	104.2	101.4	102.8	101.8	102.4
2012	106.6	109.6	106.7	104.7	98.5	107.0	103.2	104.0	103.1	103.9
2013	108.6	122.0	109.3	101.7	98.4	106.2	103.9	104.9	103.2	104.5
2014	113.6	124.6	114.1	98.7	96.7	104.2	103.8	104.1	102.3	104.9
2015	111.4	123.7	112.0	95.9	96.4	101.0	105.3	105.4	102.5	104.6
2016	113.6	113.5	113.6	91.7	95.2	101.2	106.6	106.2	102.7	105.1
2009: 02	97.9	100.6	98.1	98.5	104.2	106.8	101.2	102.4	101.7	100.9
03	97.8	111.2	98.4	97.6	102.5	101.5	99.1	100.0	100.0	99.6
04	98.1	99.5	98.2	97.7	101.0	100.9	99.0	100.5	99.9	99.5
2010: 01	98.4	99.9	98.5	98.3	101.1	101.7	99.2	98.2	99.4	99.2
02	99.6	99.5	99.6	99.5	100.3	100.5	99.6	99.7	99.9	99.8
03	100.3	98.5	100.2	101.2	99.3	98.7	100.5	100.3	100.0	100.1
04	101.7	102.1	101.7	101.0	99.2	99.0	100.8	101.7	100.7	100.9
2011: 01	106.1	101.8	105.9	102.4	99.0	101.3	100.8	101.7	101.0	102.0
02	104.4	100.0	104.1	103.6	98.6	102.8	101.0	102.8	101.5	102.0
03	104.9	99.9	104.6	103.9	98.6	106.4	101.9	103.6	102.4	102.9
04	104.7	102.5	104.5	103.8	98.8	106.5	102.0	103.2	102.3	102.8
2012: 01	105.3	103.2	105.2	104.7	98.7	106.4	103.0	103.8	102.9	103.4
02	106.4	106.9	106.5	107.0	98.5	106.8	103.3	104.1	103.3	104.0
03	107.6	109.6	107.7	103.8	98.7	107.3	103.6	104.1	103.1	104.1
04	107.0	118.5	107.6	103.2	98.2	107.5	103.1	104.2	103.0	104.0
2013: 01	109.1	117.4	109.5	103.1	98.2	107.6	103.8	104.6	103.2	104.6
02	108.0	123.2	108.7	102.3	98.4	106.4	104.0	105.0	103.3	104.5
03	108.5	123.8	109.3	101.5	98.5	105.5	103.9	105.4	103.3	104.6
04	109.0	123.6	109.7	99.9	98.5	105.4	103.9	104.8	103.0	104.5
2014: 01	111.3	125.7	112.0	98.4	97.6	104.7	103.5	104.8	102.6	104.7
02	119.6	124.3	119.8	98.3	97.1	105.0	104.1	103.9	102.4	106.2
03	111.6	121.9	112.1	99.7	96.3	103.4	104.2	103.7	102.2	104.4
04	111.8	126.3	112.5	98.4	96.0	103.6	103.7	104.0	102.0	104.3
2015: 01	110.7	127.7	111.6	98.1	96.6	101.1	104.5	104.5	102.2	104.3
02	111.1	125.2	111.8	97.9	96.6	100.7	104.9	104.8	102.4	104.4
03	111.6	121.8	112.1	95.4	96.6	101.1	105.5	105.5	102.6	104.7
04	112.1	120.3	112.5	92.0	95.9	101.2	106.4	106.6	102.9	105.0
2016: 01	114.8	118.5	114.9	91.7	95.4	102.0	106.2	106.4	102.8	105.4
02	112.2	113.1	112.2	91.8	95.1	101.1	106.1	106.4	102.4	104.6
03	116.2	111.8	115.9	91.7	94.9	101.2	106.4	105.9	102.5	105.4
04	111.3	110.6	111.2	91.4	95.5	100.4	107.7	106.3	103.1	104.8
2017: 01	111.0	107.9	110.8	92.9	95.7	101.5	108.5	105.8	103.3	105.0
02	110.1	103.6	109.8	93.6	95.2	99.6	108.2	106.2	103.2	104.6

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Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.

National departments, local authorities, provinces and statutory bodies.

Transnet, Sapo, 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 Eamings 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 Eamings and from the fourth quarter of 2004 from the Quarterly Employment Statistics (QES) survey by Statistics South Africa. From the second quarter of 2013, the second quarter of 2015 and the second quarter of 2016, the QES survey was expanded, resulting in a level shift in certain subsectors. Data were statistically linked to compensate for these structural breaks.

# Labour: Labour costs in the non-agricultural sectors 1,3,4 Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2010 = 100

		At current prices			At constant prices <sup>2</sup>			Nominal
Period	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Labour productivity	unit labour costs
	(7011L)	(7012L)	(7013L)	(7011D)	(7012D)	(7013D)	(7014L)	(7015L)
2009	88.1	88.1	88.0	94.0	94.0	93.9	96.5	91.1
2010	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2011	106.6	107.1	107.1	100.6	101.2	101.2	100.8	106.3
2012	115.3	115.0	115.3	103.3	103.1	103.3	101.6	113.5
2013	122.9	123.4	123.6	103.9	104.3	104.5	103.5	119.4
2014	128.1	132.2	131.8	102.6	106.0	105.6	104.9	125.6
2015	139.2	140.8	141.0	106.6	107.8	108.0	106.7	132.1
2016	148.9	148.1	149.1	107.3	106.8	107.5	106.9	139.5
2009: 02	85.1	85.4	85.1	92.1	92.4	92.2	95.8	88.9
03	85.4	90.3	88.9	90.6	95.8	94.3	97.4	91.3
04	97.8	92.9	94.1	101.6	96.4	97.7	98.1	95.9
2010: 01	99.2	96.4	97.1	101.1	98.2	99.0	99.6	97.4
02	98.3	99.1	98.9	98.4	99.2	99.0	99.5	99.4
03	96.6	101.4	100.2	96.4	101.3	100.0	100.3	99.9
04	105.9	103.1	103.9	104.1	101.3	102.1	100.5	103.3
2011: 01	100.8	104.0	103.4	97.8	100.9	100.3	100.4	103.0
02	104.8	106.1	105.9	99.3	100.5	100.3	101.0	104.9
03	109.6	108.0	108.5	102.4	100.8	101.4	100.4	108.1
04	110.9	110.5	110.7	103.0	102.5	102.8	101.3	109.3
2012: 01	111.9	112.2	112.2	101.9	102.2	102.2	101.2	110.9
02	111.1	114.3	113.6	100.1	103.0	102.4	101.5	111.9
03	119.5	116.1	117.3	106.6	103.5	104.6	101.6	115.4
04	118.7	117.6	118.2	104.5	103.5	104.0	102.2	115.7
2013: 01	119.5	119.9	120.2	103.1	103.4	103.6	102.0	117.8
02	124.0	122.9	123.5	105.4	104.5	105.0	103.3	119.6
03	123.4	124.4	124.5	103.3	104.1	104.2	103.6	120.1
04	124.7	126.3	126.3	103.9	105.3	105.2	105.1	120.1
2014: 01	126.4	130.1	129.6	102.9	105.9	105.5	104.5	124.1
02	122.1	129.5	128.3	98.3	104.3	103.4	103.1	124.5
03	131.3	133.1	133.2	104.6	106.0	106.1	105.4	126.4
04	132.5	136.2	135.8	104.7	107.6	107.3	106.5	127.5
2015: 01	136.2	137.3	137.6	106.8	107.7	107.9	107.1	128.5
02	138.7	140.0	140.3	106.4	107.5	107.7	106.7	131.5
03	139.2	141.9	141.8	105.9	107.9	107.9	106.6	133.0
04	142.5	143.9	144.2	107.1	108.2	108.4	106.5	135.4
2016: 01	143.5	145.6	145.8	106.2	107.8	107.9	105.8	137.8
02	151.2	146.7	148.7	108.9	105.7	107.2	107.6	138.2
03	146.2	149.8	149.7	105.0	107.6	107.5	106.8	140.2
04	154.7	150.3	152.2	109.2	106.1	107.4	107.3	141.8
2017: 01	159.2	152.9	155.2	110.7	106.2	107.9	106.9	145.2
02	165.0	154.1	157.7	112.6	105.2	107.6	107.7	146.4

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Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.
 Deflated by the non-agricultural gross domestic product deflator.
 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 (QES) survey by Statistics South Africa. From the second quarter of 2013, the second quarter of 2015 and the second quarter of 2016, the QES survey was expanded, resulting in a level shift in certain subsectors. Data were statistically linked to compensate for these structural breaks.

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

		\	Volume of production Indices: 2015 = 100			ercentage utilisation production capacity		Labour <sup>4</sup> produc- tivity	Nominal <sup>4</sup> unit labour costs
Period	Sales <sup>2,3</sup> (Index: 2015 = 100)	Durable goods	Non-durable goods	Total	Durable goods	Non-durable goods	Total	(Index: 2010 = 100)	(Index: 2010 = 100)
	(7082T)	(7083N)	(7084N)	(7085N)	(7076L)	(7077L)	(7078L)	(7079L)	(7080L)
2009	85.5	92.9	90.1	89.7	75.3	80.6	78.1	92.4	95.2
2010	88.7	97.9	92.3	93.8	79.1	80.8	80.1	100.0	100.0
2011	92.2	102.1	93.7	96.5	78.9	81.2	80.6	104.1	104.7
2012	95.4	103.7	96.3	98.6	80.3	83.0	82.0	106.6	111.5
2013	99.3	103.9	98.1	99.9	80.4	82.2	81.5	108.1	118.0
2014	100.3	101.9	99.3	100.0	79.9	81.8	81.1	110.1	122.6
2015	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	78.8	81.5	80.5	110.5	129.0
2016	99.0	98.9	101.7	100.7	79.5	83.1	81.8	112.7	133.9
2010	99.0	90.9	101.7	100.7	79.5	00.1	01.0	112.7	100.9
2014: Oct	103.0	104.8	99.6	101.2					
Nov	100.9	102.3	100.3	100.8					
Dec	102.2	101.7	101.5	101.3	79.7	82.5	81.5	112.2	123.6
2015: Jan	101.1	102.1	100.2	100.9					
Feb	99.0	102.3	98.4	99.8					
Mar	101.4	105.1	101.5	102.8	79.3	82.4	81.3	111.5	125.5
Apr	100.1	100.0	97.7	98.5					
May	100.2	98.8	97.6	98.0					
Jun	99.9	99.5	96.9	97.8	79.3	81.3	80.6	108.2	130.0
Jul	100.1	100.5	99.1	99.6					
Aug	100.0	98.4	100.6	99.8					
Sep	100.4	100.1	101.5	101.0	77.9	81.0	79.9	110.4	131.1
Oct	100.0	97.3	102.7	100.8					
Nov	98.7	97.1	100.4	99.2					
Dec	99.1	98.8	103.4	101.7	78.9	81.3	80.5	111.7	129.4
Dec	33.1	30.0	100.4	101.7	70.9	01.0	00.0	111.7	123.4
2016: Jan	96.5	97.4	101.4	100.1					
Feb	98.9	99.2	101.8	100.9					
Mar	98.1	98.2	102.0	100.7	79.9	83.2	82.0	112.2	131.1
Apr	97.8	100.2	100.9	100.7					
May	101.0	99.6	102.8	101.7					
Jun	100.0	100.0	103.5	102.3	79.3	83.2	81.8	113.8	131.3
Jul	97.9	98.7	102.9	101.4					
Aug	99.5	97.0	101.2	99.7					
Sep	100.6	100.5	101.2	101.0	79.3	83.4	82.0	113.0	135.1
Oct	97.8	96.7	101.0	99.5					
Nov	103.2	99.4	100.5	100.2					
Dec	96.7	99.5	101.3	100.7	79.6	82.4	81.4	111.6	138.0
2017: Jan	98.5	97.7	101.7	100.2					
Feb	96.2	99.3	97.8	98.3					
Mar	97.7	98.7	98.1	98.3	79.5	82.6	81.5	110.1	141.3
Apr	98.7	98.8	100.8	100.1					
Мау	100.7	101.1	98.8	99.6					
Jun	101.2	101.0	98.6	99.4	80.1	81.9	81.3	111.5	140.4
Jul	98.9	101.8	100.3	100.8					
Aug	101.8	101.8	100.6	101.1					
Sep		102.2	99.9		79.9	82.4	 81 5	-	-
	100.0	101.1	39.9	100.3	19.9	82.4	81.5		

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Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa.
 Since January 1995 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
 At constant 2016/12 prices.
 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.
 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: 2015 = 100

		Mining production <sup>2</sup>	2				Trade		
Period	Gold	Non gold	Total	Building plans passed <sup>4</sup>	Buildings completed <sup>4</sup>	Retail sales <sup>4,7</sup>	Wholesale sales <sup>4,6</sup>	Number of new vehicles sold <sup>3</sup>	Electric current generated <sup>5</sup>
	(7060N)	(7061N)	(7062N)	(7063T)	(7064T)	(7086T)	(7087T)	(7067N)	(7068N)
2009	136.8	88.8	95.4	88.7	131.4	79.2	78.0	64.0	99.7
2010	130.6	94.7	100.0	82.2	100.7	83.4	80.2	79.8	103.7
2011	124.8	94.6	99.1	81.4	95.9	88.5	85.5	92.6	105.0
2012	107.4	94.3	95.6	84.9	96.1	92.5	92.3	101.1	102.8
2013	110.7	97.7	98.9	94.8	104.5	95.0	97.6	105.1	102.3
2014	104.9	95.3	96.9	98.5	99.5	96.8	98.4	104.3	101.8
2015	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2016	98.4	95.6	96.0	103.1	105.2	101.5	101.9	88.6	100.7
2014: Dec	107.7	96.4	98.2	95.1	119.2	97.6	99.2	105.2	101.1
2015: Jan	83.1	99.1	96.7	89.7	83.4	97.9	100.5	100.7	102.0
Feb	99.3	103.0	102.4	90.8	85.9	99.4	101.4	102.1	101.3
Mar	110.2	109.7	109.8	103.9	95.1	99.5	102.4	102.1	103.4
Apr	99.3	103.6	102.9	98.8	93.8	99.7	97.9	100.7	100.0
May	98.3	100.2	99.9	127.3	104.1	98.4	100.1	101.2	99.1
Jun	100.9	101.0	101.0	123.8	99.1	99.8	99.6	97.4	99.7
Jul	96.3	99.1	98.7	101.1	96.7	99.9	101.0	100.7	98.4
Aug	102.9	98.4	99.1	93.9	104.1	100.6	99.5	99.0	97.5
Sep Oct	103.1 98.2	93.8 98.0	95.2 98.1	92.7 81.4	106.0 103.3	100.1 100.7	99.6 99.9	99.9 97.1	99.0 98.9
Nov	104.1	98.1	99.0	88.9	120.3	100.7	99.9	100.6	99.9
Dec	104.1	95.8	97.1	107.8	108.2	101.9	98.7	98.6	100.8
2016: Jan	99.8	92.0	93.2	122.6	88.3	101.4	100.3	95.3	99.9
Feb	109.7	92.2	94.9	108.4	95.7	101.7	102.6	93.5	101.1
Mar	102.7	88.9	91.1	110.5	109.3	101.7	102.2	90.3	99.6
Apr	98.3	93.5	94.2	115.5	110.6	100.2	100.1	88.9	99.9
May	101.3	99.2	99.5	96.5	122.3	103.0	104.1	89.0	100.5
Jun	99.5	99.5	99.5	96.3	109.5	101.3	102.3	88.1	100.6
Jul	97.2	97.0	97.0	79.6	86.3	101.4	102.7	86.7	101.3
Aug	92.9	98.5	97.6	89.4	91.0	100.9	101.7	86.2	100.8
Sep	94.9	98.9	98.3	102.8	110.5	101.2	102.3	85.4	100.3
Oct Nov	95.4 93.2	98.6 95.0	98.1 94.8	105.7 106.1	97.2 107.3	101.0 103.2	100.9 100.5	88.9 87.2	101.6 101.3
Dec	95.2	93.7	94.0	103.4	134.5	101.2	100.3	84.1	101.3
2017: Jan	100.0	95.1	95.9	92.4	107.0	101.0	100.3	96.4	101.0
Feb	92.8	97.4	96.7	97.4	98.2	101.9	95.5	93.7	100.1
Mar	93.6	102.4	101.1	80.4	141.5	102.2	99.0	87.7	101.2
Apr	96.3	99.2	98.8	77.2	110.6	102.9	102.7	84.3	102.4
May	98.2	100.8	100.4	96.0	104.5	103.8	99.2	85.3	104.8
Jun	96.3	100.2	99.6	98.2	138.4	104.5	100.1	88.4	101.7
Jul	102.2	100.7	100.9	109.9	99.5	103.4	100.9	90.9	100.3
Aug	99.7	107.5	106.3	100.6	106.0	106.4	98.9	91.5	101.7
Sep	96.9	99.5	99.1	83.9	140.2	105.7	92.9	93.3	101.5
Oct Nov	95.2	103.9	102.5	_	_	_		90.1 94.4	102.3
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- Source of basic data: Statistics South Africa, unless otherwise indicated.
   Since January 1990 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
   Source of basic data: National Association of Automobile Manufacturers of South Africa.
   Since January 1995 information of the former TBVC states has been included.
   Since January 1989 information of the former TBVC states has been included. Index: 2015 = 100
   At constant 2012 prices. Seasonally adjusted by Statistics South Africa from January 1998.
   At constant 2012 prices. Seasonally adjusted by Statistics South Africa from January 2002.

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

Goods

Seasonally adjusted4

Indices: 2016/12=100

					Household						
Period	Food and non-alcoholic	Alcoholic beverages	Clothing and	Housing and	contents and				Recreation	Miscellaneous	
i chod	beverages <sup>5</sup>	and tobacco <sup>5</sup>	footwear <sup>5</sup>	utilities	services	Health <sup>5</sup>	Transport <sup>5</sup>	Communication	and culture <sup>3</sup>	goods	Total goods <sup>5</sup>
	(7145N)	(7146N)	(7147N)	(7148N)	(7149N)	(7150N)	(7151N)	( 7152N)	(7153N)	( 7154N)	(7155N)
Weights <sup>2</sup>	17.24	5.82	3.83	4.33	1.90	0.53	11.18	0.20	1.88	1.79	48.70
2010	63.7	66.9	77.0	65.1	98.0	75.6	76.6	270.0	105.7	80.6	71.4
2011	68.2	71.0	78.8	71.3	96.2	78.8	79.8	196.4	97.6	80.9	74.9
2012	73.1	76.0	81.6	78.0	96.2	81.5	83.2	171.1	93.8	82.3	79.0
2013	77.2	81.2	84.1	78.9	97.3	84.4	91.0	152.9	92.0	84.4	83.0
2014	83.1	86.3	88.5	84.3	98.0	88.2	96.8	134.5	93.7	88.7	88.2
2015	87.4	93.6	93.2	90.8	97.6	93.1	93.5	117.3	94.5	93.2	91.1
2016	96.6	99.0	97.8	97.3	99.4	97.7	97.7	104.6	98.3	98.0	97.5
2014: Nov	84.5	88.4	90.5	86.1	96.6	90.2	95.2	127.9	93.4	90.6	89.3
Dec	84.5	89.0	90.9	86.7	96.2	89.4	92.8	126.2	93.8	91.0	88.6
2015: Jan	84.3	89.4	91.3	87.3	96.4	90.8	88.6	124.6	93.3	91.7	88.1
Feb	85.0	90.6	91.6	87.9	97.1	91.0	85.4	123.1	93.2	92.4	87.8
Mar	85.4	91.3	92.0	88.4	96.6	91.5	88.9	123.2	92.9	92.8	89.1
Apr	85.6	91.9	92.3	88.9	97.0	91.7	94.7	121.9	93.0	93.1	90.7
May	86.1	92.4	92.7	89.3	97.0	93.8	95.0	119.4	93.3	93.5	91.0
Jun	86.4	92.9	93.1	89.8	96.8	93.5	96.7	117.8	93.5	93.5	91.4
Jul	86.8	93.2	93.5	92.0	96.8	93.6	98.3	115.4	93.6	93.1	92.7 92.7
Aug Sep	87.4 87.8	93.6 93.9	93.7 93.9	92.4 92.9	97.2 97.1	94.1 94.2	96.8 94.3	113.6 113.4	94.0 94.0	93.8 93.7	92.7
Oct	88.3	94.3	93.9	93.4	97.1	94.2	94.3	112.4	94.0	93.7	92.3
Nov	88.7	94.6	94.2	94.0	97.5	94.0	94.0	111.4	94.7	93.9	92.7
Dec	89.5	94.8	95.0	94.5	97.6	94.8	94.0	111.5	95.1	93.4	92.7
2016: Jan	90.3	96.7	95.3	94.8	97.7	94.9	94.6	111.4	95.6	95.0	93.9
Feb	92.2	97.4	95.8	95.2	98.1	95.4	95.2	109.9	95.8	96.4	94.8
Mar	93.5	97.1	96.3	95.6	98.4	98.1	93.6	106.3	96.4	96.0	95.2
Apr	94.9	97.4	96.9	96.1	98.5	97.6	97.0	104.5	96.6	97.3	96.8
May	95.2	97.5	97.2	96.7	98.7	97.4	97.9	103.5	96.7	96.9	97.1
Jun	95.8	97.7	97.6	97.3	98.8	97.6	99.8	103.3	97.2	98.1	97.6
Jul	96.6	98.1	97.9	97.6	98.8	98.1	100.8	104.0	97.6	98.3	98.7
Aug	97.3	98.5	98.4	97.9	98.9	98.0	97.4	104.0	98.4	98.7	98.4
Sep Oct	97.8 98.7	98.8 99.2	98.9 99.3	98.4 98.9	99.0 99.6	97.9 98.6	97.1 98.7	103.3 103.0	98.3 98.8	99.0	98.4 99.2
Nov	99.0	99.4	99.3	99.4	99.0	99.2	100.6	103.0	98.3	99.6	99.8
Dec	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017: Jan	100.6	100.1	100.2	100.5	100.3	100.6	101.8	98.8	98.9	101.5	101.0
Feb	101.2	100.1	100.4	101.1	99.4	100.7	102.8	98.6	99.4	101.8	101.5
Mar	101.3	100.1	100.6	101.5	99.2	102.9	102.7	96.7	99.6	102.4	101.9
Apr	101.6	100.3	100.8	102.1	98.6	103.7	102.2	96.5	99.4	102.1	101.9
May	101.9	100.6	101.0	102.5	98.7	104.2	103.7	95.3	99.5	102.1	102.4
Jun	102.5	101.0	101.3	103.1	97.9	104.7	103.1	93.1	99.0	102.3	102.2
Jul	103.1	101.4	101.4	99.6	97.9	105.1	101.1	92.3	99.4	102.3	102.1
Aug	102.9	102.7	101.2	100.1	97.2	105.0	101.8	90.3	99.3	102.2	102.3
Sep	103.3	103.5	101.2	100.4	97.5	105.6	103.6	89.2	99.6	102.3	102.7
Oct	103.8	104.2	101.2	101.2	97.1	105.2	104.7	88.0	99.8	102.6	103.3

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Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2005 were applied to data from January 2009 to December 2012. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2010/2011 were applied to data from January 2013 to December 2016. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2014/2015 were applied to data from January 2017 onwards. These new weights are shown.

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

Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.

The consumer price index for all urban areas (which was based on the COICOP classification and published by Stats SA from January 2008 onwards) was statistically linked to the historical consumer price index for metropolitan areas (which was based on the ITC classification that Stats SA discontinued after December 2007).

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

Services and total Seasonally adjusted<sup>4</sup> Indices: 2016/12 = 100

Period	Housing and utilities	Household contents and services (7161N)	Health <sup>5</sup> (7162N)	Transport <sup>5</sup> (7163N)	Communication (7164N)	Recreation and culture	Education <sup>5</sup> (7166N)	Restaurants and hotels <sup>3</sup>	Miscellaneous services (7168N)	Total services <sup>5</sup> (7169N)	Total CPI <sup>5</sup> (7170N)
Weights <sup>2</sup>	20.30	2.45	0.83	3.10	2.43	3.27	2.53	3.09	13.26	51.30	100.00
2010	71.2	70.5	68.8	66.6	98.3	77.1	61.5	66.8	68.3	70.0	70.7
2011	74.9	74.8	73.4	71.0	98.4	80.1	66.9	70.1	71.4	73.6	74.2
2012	78.6	79.0	78.1	80.1	98.2	83.4	72.8	74.4	75.6	77.9	78.4
2013	82.9	83.4	83.0	87.0	100.2	87.6	79.3	79.3	80.3	82.8	82.9
2014	87.4	88.0	88.1	92.3	100.0	89.5	86.3	86.0	85.9	87.7	88.0
2015	92.1	92.6	93.8	95.8	99.7	91.4	94.2	91.1	92.2	92.8	92.0
2016	97.2	97.5	99.5	98.8	100.0	98.4	99.3	96.8	99.1	98.1	97.8
2010	97.2	97.5	99.5	90.0	100.0	90.4	99.3	90.0	99.1	90.1	97.0
2014: Nov	89.3	89.8	88.5	94.2	100.1	90.1	87.5	88.6	86.5	89.1	89.0
Dec	89.7	90.3	88.5	94.2	99.2	90.4	87.5	89.0	86.9	89.4	89.0
2015: Jan	90.2	90.7	88.5	94.4	99.2	90.6	87.5	89.0	87.1	89.7	89.0
Feb	90.7	91.1	94.1	94.7	99.3	90.8	87.5	89.2	89.5	90.3	89.0
Mar	91.1	91.3	94.1	95.2	99.3	90.8	95.6	89.6	89.7	90.8	89.7
Apr	91.5	91.8	94.3	95.7	99.4	90.7	95.6	89.3	90.0	91.3	90.5
Мау	92.0	92.3	94.3	96.1	100.0	90.2	95.6	90.4	90.4	91.7	90.8
Jun	92.1	92.5	94.3	95.9	100.0	90.4	95.6	90.4	90.8	92.0	91.3
Jul	92.3	92.9	94.3	95.6	99.8	91.2	95.6	91.2	91.2	92.4	91.9
	92.8	93.3	94.3	95.6	99.8	91.2	95.6	91.6	91.5	92.4	92.3
Aug Sep	93.3	93.6	94.3	95.9	99.8	91.2	95.6	92.0	91.9	93.3	92.5
Oct	93.8	94.1	94.3	96.2	99.8	92.1	95.6	92.6	92.2	93.6	92.9
Nov	94.2	94.1	94.3	96.7	99.9	92.1	95.6	93.3	92.6	93.0	93.2
Dec	95.0	94.9	94.3	96.7	99.9	92.4	95.6	93.4	92.0	94.2	93.2
Dec	95.0	94.9	94.5	90.9	99.9	92.5	95.0	95.4	92.9	94.0	93.0
2016: Jan	95.3	95.5	94.3	97.1	99.9	98.0	95.6	94.0	93.3	95.1	94.4
Feb	95.8	95.9	99.8	97.3	100.0	98.1	95.6	94.8	96.0	95.8	95.2
Mar	96.2	96.2	99.8	97.7	100.0	97.6	100.0	94.9	96.2	96.0	95.5
Apr	96.7	96.7	100.0	98.0	100.0	97.5	100.0	94.4	96.8	96.4	96.0
May	97.2	97.2	100.0	98.2	100.1	97.1	100.0	95.4	97.2	96.9	96.4
Jun	97.4	97.2	100.0	98.7	100.1	97.4	100.0	96.5	97.6	97.3	97.0
Jul	97.5	97.6	100.0	98.9	100.1	97.6	100.0	97.4	97.6	97.7	97.5
Aug	98.0	98.1	100.0	99.2	99.9	97.9	100.0	97.6	98.0	98.1	97.8
Sep	98.3	98.6	100.0	99.5	99.9	98.3	100.0	98.1	98.6	98.4	98.3
Oct	98.8	99.1	100.0	99.7	99.9	99.0	100.0	98.8	99.3	99.1	98.9
Nov	99.3	99.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.1	100.0	99.2	99.7	99.5	99.4
Dec	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017: Jan	100.5	100.5	100.0	100.4	100.0	99.8	100.0	99.8	100.5	100.4	100.5
Feb	101.0	101.0	106.4	101.1	100.1	99.9	100.0	100.9	103.4	101.1	101.1
Mar	101.3	101.0	106.4	100.1	99.5	100.1	107.0	100.7	103.5	101.3	101.2
Apr	101.7	101.5	106.4	100.3	99.5	100.1	107.0	100.5	104.2	101.8	101.3
May	102.2	102.0	106.4	100.8	99.6	100.2	107.0	100.0	104.5	102.2	101.6
Jun	102.7	102.4	106.4	100.8	99.6	100.7	107.0	100.5	105.1	102.7	101.9
Jul	102.7	102.4	106.4	101.4	99.6	101.0	107.0	101.4	105.6	103.2	102.0
Aug	103.2	103.3	106.4	101.4	99.4	100.9	107.0	101.4	106.0	103.6	102.5
Sep	104.0	103.7	106.4	102.4	99.4	100.9	107.0	101.7	106.6	104.1	102.3
Oct	104.0	104.2	106.4	102.4	99.4	100.6	107.0	101.4	107.0	104.1	103.3
OGL	104.4	104.2	100.4	102.1	33.4	100.0	107.0	102.0	107.0	104.0	100.7

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

Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2005 were applied to data from January 2009 to December 2012. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2010/2011 were applied to data from January 2013 to December 2016. Weights based on expenditure patterns in 2014/2015 were applied to data from January 2017 onwards. These new weights are shown.

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Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.

The consumer price index for all urban areas (which was based on the COICOP classification and published by Stats SA from January 2008 onwards) was statistically linked to the historical consumer price index for metropolitan areas (which was based on the ITC classification that Stats SA discontinued after December 2007).

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

Percentage change<sup>4</sup>

Period	Food and non-alcoholic beverages <sup>5</sup> (7145A)	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco <sup>5</sup> (7146A)	Clothing and footwear <sup>5</sup>	Housing and utilities	Household contents and services (7149A)	Health <sup>5</sup> (7150A)	Transport <sup>5</sup>	Communication (7152A)	Recreation and culture <sup>3</sup>	Miscellaneous goods (7154A)	Total goods <sup>5</sup> (7155A)
Weights <sup>2</sup>	17.24	5.82	3.83	4.33	1.90	0.53	11.18	0.20	1.88	1.79	48.70
	7.1		2.3			4.2	4.2	-27.2	-7.6	0.3	4.9
2011	7.1	6.1 7.1	3.6	9.6 9.4	-1.8 -0.1	3.5	4.2	-27.2	-7.0	1.8	5.4
2013	5.7	6.8	3.1	1.1	1.1	3.5	9.4	-10.7	-1.9	2.5	5.2
2014	7.6	6.3	5.2	6.8	0.7	4.5	6.3	-10.7	1.8	5.2	6.2
2015	5.1	8.4	5.3	7.8	-0.3	5.6	-3.4	-12.8	0.9	5.0	3.4
2016	10.6	5.8	4.9	7.0	1.8	4.9	4.6	-10.9	4.0	5.1	7.0
2010	10.0	3.0	4.5	7.1	1.0	4.9	4.0	-10.9	4.0	0.1	7.0
2014: Nov	7.6	7.7	6.2	6.8	-1.3	5.9	3.2	-13.8	2.1	5.1	5.7
Dec	7.2	7.5	6.2	7.0	-1.5	4.9	0.0	-12.5	2.0	4.9	4.7
2015: Jan	6.4	7.4	6.1	6.8	-0.9	6.0	-6.1	-12.1	0.8	5.9	2.9
Feb	6.4	8.3	5.9	6.6	-0.9	5.3	-11.3	-13.1	1.1	7.1	1.9
Mar	5.8	8.9	5.6	6.4	-1.4	5.5	-9.0	-12.7	0.6	6.5	2.2
Apr	5.0	9.5	5.5	6.1	-0.8	5.3	-3.6	-12.4	0.3	5.7	3.2
May	4.6	9.6	5.4	6.1	-0.3	7.4	-3.1	-12.8	0.5	5.6	3.2
Jun	4.3	9.7	5.6	6.1	-1.0	5.6	-0.7	-12.7	0.8	5.2	3.7
Jul	4.4	8.9	5.7	9.3	-1.1	5.2	-0.2	-14.5	0.5	4.6	4.2
Aug	4.3	8.8	5.2	9.1	-0.2	5.9	-2.2	-14.6	1.0	4.1	3.6
Sep	4.4	8.7	4.9	9.1	-0.2	5.2	-2.4	-13.1	0.9	4.7	3.7
Oct	4.8	7.4	4.6	9.1	0.8	5.2	-2.1	-12.4	1.2	4.3	3.7
Nov	4.7	7.0	4.5	9.0	0.9	5.0	-1.3	-11.6	1.4	3.3	3.8
Dec	5.8	6.6	4.5	8.9	1.5	6.1	1.3	-10.9	1.3	3.8	4.6
2016: Jan	7.0	8.3	4.4	8.6	1.3	4.6	6.7	-10.6	2.6	3.6	6.6
Feb	8.6	7.6	4.6	8.6	1.0	4.9	11.4	-10.7	2.8	4.3	8.0
Mar	9.5	6.2	4.7	8.3	1.8	7.2	5.3	-13.7	3.7	3.4	6.8
Apr	10.9	5.9	4.9	8.4	1.6	6.4	2.4	-14.3	3.9	4.5	6.7
May	10.6	5.5	4.9	8.5	1.9	3.9	3.0	-13.3	3.7	3.6	6.7
Jun	10.9	5.1	4.8	8.4	2.1	4.4	3.2	-12.3	3.9	5.0	6.8
Jul	11.3	5.2	4.7	5.8	2.1	4.8	2.5	-9.9	4.3	5.6	6.5
Aug	11.3	5.2	5.0	5.9	1.8	4.1	0.6	-8.4	4.7	5.1	6.1
Sep	11.3	5.2	5.3	5.8	2.0	3.8	3.0	-8.9	4.5	5.7	6.6
Oct Nov	11.8 11.6	5.2 5.1	5.4 5.4	5.8 5.8	2.4	4.3 4.8	4.2 7.1	-8.3 -8.9	4.8 3.8	6.7 6.7	7.1 7.7
Dec	11.8	5.5	5.3	5.9	2.4	5.5	6.4	-10.3	5.2	6.5	7.7
2017: Jan	11.4	3.5	E 1	6.0	2.6	6.0	7.6	-11.3	9.5	6.9	7.6
2017: Jan	9.9	2.8	5.1 4.8	6.0	2.6 1.4	5.5	8.0	-11.3	3.5 3.7	5.6	7.6 7.1
Feb Mar	8.7	3.2	4.8	6.2	0.8	4.8	9.7	-10.3	3.7	6.6	7.1
Apr	6.7	2.9	4.0	6.2	0.0	6.1	5.4	-7.7	2.8	4.9	5.3
	6.9	3.1	3.9	6.2	0.0	6.9	6.0	-7.9	2.9	5.3	5.5
Jun	6.9	3.3	3.8	6.2	-0.9	7.3	3.3	-9.9	1.9	4.3	4.7
Jul	6.8	3.3	3.6	2.0	-0.9	7.5	0.3	-11.2	1.9	4.1	3.4
Aug	5.7	4.3	2.8	2.1	-1.7	7.2	4.4	-13.2	1.0	3.6	4.0
Sep	5.5	4.7	2.3	2.1	-1.6	7.9	6.7	-13.6	1.3	3.4	4.4
Oct	5.3	5.1	1.9	2.2	-2.5	6.7	6.1	-14.6	1.0	2.4	4.1

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

Percentage change<sup>4</sup>

Period	Housing and utilities	Household contents and services	Health <sup>5</sup>	Transport <sup>5</sup>	Communication	Recreation and culture	Education <sup>5</sup>	Restaurants and hotels <sup>3</sup>	Miscellaneous services	Total services <sup>5</sup>	Total CPI <sup>5</sup>
	(7160A)	(7161A)	(7162A)	(7163A)	(7164A)	(7165A)	(7166A)	(7167A)	(7168A)	(7169A)	(7170A)
Weights <sup>2</sup>	20.30	2.45	0.87	3.10	2.43	3.27	2.53	3.09	13.26	51.30	100.00
2011	5.2	6.0	6.7	6.6	0.1	3.9	8.7	4.9	4.6	5.1	5.0
2012	4.9	5.7	6.4	12.8	-0.2	4.1	8.9	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.6
2013	5.5	5.6	6.2	8.6	2.0	5.0	9.0	6.7	6.2	6.3	5.8
2014	5.4	5.5	6.1	6.1	-0.1	2.2	8.8	8.4	7.0	6.0	6.1
2015	5.4	5.2	6.5	3.8	-0.3	2.1	9.2	5.9	7.4	5.8	4.6
2016	5.6	5.3	6.1	3.1	0.3	7.6	5.4	6.3	7.4	5.8	6.3
2014: Nov	5.5	5.1	6.1	6.8	-0.4	1.9	8.7	9.1	7.2	6.1	5.8
Dec	5.3	5.4	6.1	5.9	-1.3	2.3	8.7	8.5	7.4	5.9	5.3
2015: Jan	5.3	5.4	6.1	5.7	-1.3	2.7	8.7	7.4	7.4	5.8	4.5
Feb	5.3	5.4	6.4	5.4	-1.2	2.8	8.7	6.9	7.9	5.9	4.0
Mar	5.4	5.2	6.4	4.6	-1.2	2.5	9.3	6.6	7.6	5.9	4.0
Apr	5.4	5.2	6.6	5.1	-0.5	2.1	9.3	5.7	7.4	6.0	4.5
May	5.4	5.2	6.6	5.1	0.1	1.3	9.3	6.3	7.5	6.0	4.6
Jun	5.1	5.2	6.6	4.0	0.1	1.3	9.3	6.0	7.4	5.7	4.7
Jul	5.3	5.2	6.6	3.1	-0.1	1.7	9.3	5.9	7.4	5.7	5.0
Aug	5.3	5.2	6.6	2.8	-0.2	1.7	9.3	5.5	7.3	5.5	4.6
Sep	5.5	5.3	6.6	2.4	-0.2	1.7	9.3	5.0	7.2	5.6	4.6
Oct	5.5	5.3	6.6	2.3	-0.2	2.3	9.3	5.2	7.2	5.6	4.6
Nov	5.5	5.3	6.6	2.7	-0.2	2.6	9.3	5.2	7.2	5.7	4.7
Dec	5.8	5.2	6.6	2.8	0.7	2.1	9.3	5.0	7.0	5.7	5.3
2016: Jan	5.8	5.2	6.6	2.9	0.7	8.1	9.3	5.6	7.2	6.0	6.2
Feb	5.8	5.2	6.1	2.8	0.7	8.1	9.3	6.3	7.2	6.2	7.0
Mar	5.7	5.4	6.1	2.6	0.7	7.5	4.6	5.9	7.2	5.8	6.3
Apr	5.7	5.4	6.0	2.3	0.7	7.5	4.6	5.7	7.5	5.6	6.2
May	5.7	5.4	6.0	2.2	0.1	7.6	4.6	5.6	7.5	5.6	6.2
Jun	5.8	5.1	6.0	2.8	0.1	7.7	4.6	6.2	7.5	5.8	6.3
Jul	5.6	5.1	6.0	3.4	0.3	7.1	4.6	6.9	7.1	5.7	6.0
Aug	5.6	5.1	6.0	3.8	0.1	7.3	4.6	6.6	7.1	5.7	5.9
Sep	5.1	5.3	6.0	3.7	0.1	7.8	4.6	6.7	7.3	5.5	6.1
Oct	5.1	5.3	6.0	3.6	0.1	7.5	4.6	6.8	7.7	5.9	6.4
Nov	5.1	5.3	6.0	3.5	0.1	7.3	4.6	6.3	7.7	5.6	6.6
Dec	5.5	5.3	6.0	3.2	0.1	8.3	4.6	7.0	7.8	5.9	6.7
2017: Jan	5.5	5.3	6.0	3.4	0.1	1.9	4.6	6.2	7.8	5.7	6.6
Feb	5.5	5.3	6.6	3.9	0.1	1.9	4.6	6.4	7.6	5.6	6.3
Mar	5.3	5.0	6.6	2.4	-0.5	2.6	7.0	6.1	7.5	5.4	6.1
Apr	5.3	5.0	6.4	2.3	-0.5	2.6	7.0	6.4	7.5	5.5	5.3
 May	5.3	5.0	6.4	2.7	-0.5	3.2	7.0	4.8	7.4	5.4	5.4
Jun	5.4	5.3	6.4	2.1	-0.5	3.4	7.0	4.1	7.6	5.5	5.1
Jul	5.2	5.3	6.4	2.4	-0.5	3.5	7.0	4.1	8.1	5.6	4.6
Aug	5.2	5.3	6.4	2.3	-0.5	3.1	7.0	4.2	8.1	5.6	4.8
Sep	5.7	5.1	6.4	2.9	-0.5	2.3	7.0	3.4	8.2	5.8	5.1
Oct	5.7	5.1	6.4	3.1	-0.5	1.6	7.0	3.2	7.8	5.5	4.8

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According to the new methodology applied by Stats SA. Some historical data are not available.
Compared with the same months of the previous year.
The consumer price index for all urban areas (which was based on the COICOP classification and published by Stats SA from January 2008 onwards) was statistically linked to the historical consumer price index for metropolitan areas (which was based on the ITC classification that Stats SA discontinued after December 2007).

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

Indices: 2016/12=100

	Agricu forestr fish	ry and	Mining	Electricity and water	Intermediate manufactured goods				Final m	nanufactured g	oods		
	Agriculture	Total	Total	Total	Total	Food products, beverages and tobacco	Textiles, clothing and footwear	Wood and paper products	Coke, petroleum, chemical, rubber and plastic products	Metals, machinery, equipment and computing equipment	Electrical machinery and apparatus and sub- components	Transport equipment	Total <sup>2</sup>
	(7180N)	(7181N)	(7182N)	(7183N)	(7184N)	(7185N)	(7186N)	(7187N)	(7188N)	(7189N)	(7190N)	(7191N)	(7192N)
Weights <sup>3</sup>	85.28	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	33.72	4.07	9.18	21.66	14.82	1.91	8.16	100.00
2011	71.4	73.2	83.6	61.3	76.3	67.1	73.6	65.1	84.7	73.0	83.6	79.7	72.4
2012	74.6	74.7	85.0	72.2	78.3	72.5	76.6	75.7	87.9	77.4	81.9	79.0	77.4
2013	76.3	76.6	89.6	79.8	84.4	76.8	80.5	80.9	93.9	80.9	86.1	84.8	82.0
2014	80.2	80.6	93.3	87.6	91.3	82.6	86.2	85.7	100.2	87.9	91.5	91.8	88.1
2015	84.2	84.4	89.5	97.4	92.0	87.6	90.9	92.0	94.8	92.9	93.4	94.4	91.3
2016	98.4	98.3	99.7	107.6	98.3	96.4	97.9	97.3	98.4	99.0	98.5	101.4	97.8
2014: Nov	83.2	83.7	87.4	81.1	90.7	84.1	87.5	87.6	96.4	90.2	92.7	93.0	88.8
Dec	83.0	83.3	91.2	81.8	91.9	84.8	87.5	88.1	94.8	90.3	92.7	93.4	89.2
2015: Jan	80.6	80.9	89.8	83.2	90.6	85.2	88.0	89.0	90.1	90.6	92.9	92.7	88.2
Feb	83.1	83.6	87.5	83.6	90.3	85.4	88.4	89.8	90.1	90.6	92.8	92.2	88.1
Mar	83.8	84.6	87.9	84.6	90.2	85.5	88.7	90.7	92.7	91.6	92.4	93.0	89.2
Apr	88.2	88.0	88.1	85.2	89.7	85.8	89.1	91.1	93.8	92.7	92.7	93.1	89.7
May	87.2	87.3	88.6	85.9	89.6	87.0	89.9	91.7	94.2	93.0	92.9	93.4	90.5
Jun	87.3	87.4	89.7	86.8	89.7	87.1	90.0	92.1	94.7	93.0	93.2	93.6	90.8
Jul	87.9	88.1	86.7	87.9	90.3	87.2	90.2	92.7	95.5	92.6	93.5	93.8	91.1
Aug	90.1	89.9	84.0	87.8	90.5	87.5	93.0	93.4	95.4	93.1	93.2	95.3	91.4
Sep	89.8	89.8	87.9	88.1	91.5	88.3	93.3	93.9	94.4	93.7	94.2	95.4	91.8
Oct	91.2	91.1	89.5	90.7	91.8	88.6	93.0	94.1	95.2	94.6	94.4	95.9	92.5
Nov	93.2	92.4	89.5	91.5	92.4	89.3	93.4	94.5	95.5	94.6	94.4	96.1	92.7
Dec	94.5	93.7	90.5	93.2	93.3	90.0	93.4	94.9	96.3	94.4	94.5	97.9	93.3
2016: Jan	102.5	100.8	92.1	92.8	94.0	91.9	94.0	95.8	96.9	96.7	95.5	104.5	94.8
Feb	105.8	104.5	93.5	94.0	94.3	92.6	94.6	95.9	96.0	97.4	96.2	104.3	95.3
Mar	103.7	102.7	95.2	94.3	95.0	93.1	95.6	96.0	95.5	98.6	97.4	105.3	95.6
Apr	102.4	102.2	97.2	95.7	96.0	93.8	96.9	96.3	95.4	98.8	98.6	102.6	96.1
May	102.7	102.7	101.5	95.8	97.8	94.3	96.9	96.8	96.5	99.0	98.7	103.9	96.5
Jun	104.5	104.3	100.2	96.7	98.0	95.3	97.3	97.1	98.1	99.1	99.0	102.4	97.0
Jul	104.2	104.1	100.4	95.4	98.0	96.6	99.8	97.8	98.2	99.3	99.0	100.6	97.8
Aug	103.8	103.8	101.7	98.0	98.0	97.5	99.9	98.4	96.8	99.6	99.0	100.1	97.9
Sep	102.6	102.7	102.2	98.2	97.7	98.0	100.0	99.1	96.7	99.5	98.9	98.2	97.8
Oct	101.3	101.5	99.9	98.3	97.4	98.7	100.0	99.0	98.3	99.7	99.8	97.8	98.6
Nov	100.5	100.4	96.7	99.1	98.5	99.2	100.0	99.7	99.3	99.9	99.8	97.0	99.1
Dec	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017: Jan	97.4	97.7	102.0	101.9	100.3	100.6	100.8	100.6	104.0	99.6	100.1	100.0	100.4
Feb	100.5	101.0	105.1	102.6	100.9	100.3	101.3	100.7	106.5	99.5	100.8	99.4	100.7
Mar	95.2	96.6	100.9	104.5	101.6	99.4	102.6	100.5	104.1	100.3	100.6	98.7	100.6
Apr	100.5	102.0	102.7	101.2	100.9	99.9	102.5	101.8	103.1	101.2	100.5	99.7	100.6
May	100.7	102.2	98.5	101.9	100.9	99.8	102.5	102.3	103.6	101.3	100.3	101.1	101.1
Jun	101.3	102.8	98.7	102.7	100.1	100.0	103.5	103.1	100.5	101.3	100.1	100.5	100.9
Jul	103.0	104.3	99.5	98.9	99.5	100.2	103.8	105.3	102.1	101.1	100.5	100.8	101.4
Aug	101.0	102.8	102.8	100.5	99.9	100.5	103.9	106.3	104.0	100.9	100.0	101.5	102.0
Sep	103.8	104.9	111.9	104.2	99.8	100.6	103.9	106.6	107.2	101.4	101.2	101.8	102.9
Oct	106.0	106.7	108.9	101.8	101.4	100.1	104.1	105.7	108.4	102.2	103.9	103.8	103.5

### KB704

Source: Statistics South Africa
 Weights of final manufactured goods do not add up, as non-metallic mineral products (4,20) and furniture and other manufacturing (2,28) are omitted.
 Weights are at industry level, based on 2015 value-added in the national accounts and will be updated each year from the national accounts data.
 Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank.

# Composite business cycle indicators Seasonally adjusted

Indices: 2015=100

		South Africa				Trading-partn	er countries <sup>1</sup>		
					Leading indicator			Coincident indicator	
Period	Leading indicator	Coincident indicator	Lagging indicator	US <sup>2</sup>	Other countries <sup>3</sup>	Total	US <sup>2</sup>	Other countries <sup>3</sup>	Total
	(7090N)	(7091N)	(7092N)	(7093N)	(7094N)	(7095N)	(7096N)	(7097N)	(7098N)
2009	90.3	82.7	109.8	76.2	80.4	79.0	88.4	92.7	91.0
2010	105.7	86.4	98.5	81.8	86.5	84.9	89.3	96.3	93.5
2011	106.0	91.5	98.0	86.0	88.4	87.6	91.5	98.3	95.6
2012	104.6	95.9	98.2	88.1	88.2	88.2	93.8	97.6	96.1
2013	104.8	98.3	100.6	90.7	92.9	92.1	95.2	96.9	96.2
2014	102.5	99.2	100.7	95.9	96.7	96.4	97.6	98.3	98.0
2015	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2016	98.6	101.5	96.6	101.1	101.7	101.5	101.4	102.6	102.1
2014: Oct	103.1	99.9	101.3	97.6	97.1	97.3	98.3	98.6	98.5
Nov	103.4	100.2	101.5	98.1	97.7	97.9	98.8	98.7	98.8
Dec	101.5	100.2	101.1	98.6	98.1	98.3	99.2	99.1	99.1
2015: Jan	101.7	100.2	100.3	98.7	98.4	98.5	99.3	99.1	99.2
Feb	102.0	100.7	100.9	98.5	99.1	98.9	99.4	99.3	99.3
Mar	101.4	100.9	100.6	98.8	99.7	99.4	99.4	99.3	99.3
Apr	102.1	100.0	100.8	99.5	100.2	100.0	99.6	99.4	99.5
May	100.8	99.4	101.0	100.0	100.5	100.3	99.6	99.6	99.6
Jun	100.3	99.5	100.3	100.5	100.2	100.3	99.8	99.9	99.9
Jul	98.7	99.4	99.9	100.5	100.4	100.4	100.1	100.1	100.1
Aug	98.3	99.3	100.1	100.5	100.1	100.2	100.3	100.4	100.3
Sep	98.5	99.6	99.7	100.3	99.9	100.0	100.5	100.6	100.5
Oct	99.0	100.0	99.1	100.8	100.4	100.5	100.6	100.6	100.6
Nov	98.7	100.3	99.2	101.2	100.7	100.9	100.6	100.8	100.7
Dec	98.5	100.9	98.1	100.9	100.5	100.6	100.8	100.9	100.9
2016: Jan	97.6	100.7	97.6	100.6	100.2	100.3	101.0	101.3	101.2
Feb	97.3	101.4	96.9	100.6	99.7	100.0	101.1	101.3	101.2
Mar	97.5	101.3	97.2	100.6	100.3	100.4	101.1	101.5	101.3
Apr	97.0	101.3	97.6	101.1	100.8	100.9	101.2	101.9	101.6
May		102.0	96.1	100.9	101.2	101.1	101.2	102.1	101.7
Jun		101.9	96.3	101.2	100.9	101.0	101.5	102.2	101.9
Jul		101.7	96.1	101.0	101.6	101.4	101.3	102.4	102.0
Aug		101.8	95.9	100.9	101.9	101.6	101.4	102.6	102.1
Sep		101.8	96.5	101.2	102.4	102.0	101.6	103.5	102.7
Oct		101.4	96.4	101.4	103.1	102.5	101.8	103.8	103.0
Nov		101.4	96.5	101.5 102.1	103.8	103.0	101.9	104.4	103.4 103.5
Dec	101.9	101.2	95.4	102.1	104.9	104.0	102.2	104.4	103.5
2017: Jan		101.1	96.1	102.6	105.4	104.4	102.1	104.8	103.7
Feb		101.2	96.5	103.0	105.7	104.8	102.4	105.1	104.0
Mar		101.5	98.0	103.4	105.7	104.9	102.6	105.7	104.5
Apr		101.5	96.0	103.6	105.8	105.0	102.8	106.2	104.9
May		101.6	96.7	104.0	105.8	105.2	103.0	106.6	105.2
Jun		101.6	97.4	104.6	105.9	105.5	103.1	106.3	105.0
Jul		101.7	96.7	105.0	106.4	105.9	103.3	106.4	105.2
Aug		102.6	96.1	105.4	107.1	106.5	103.3	106.7	105.3
Sep	104.0	_	-	105.4	107.2	106.6	103.4	106.6	105.3

## KB707

Including, apart from the United States of America, also the United Kingdom, Germany, France, Italy, Canada and Japan.
 Source of basic data: The Conference Board, Inc., New York, United States of America.
 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>

			South Africa		Trading-partner countries							
		Leading	Coincident	Lagging		Leading indicator		Coincident indicator				
Period		indicator	indicator	indicator	US	Other countries	Total	US	Other countries	Total		
		(7090B)	(7091B)	(7092B)	(7093B)	(7094B)	(7095B)	(7096B)	(7097B)	(7098B)		
2009 .		-4.1	-9.9	-8.2	-13.9	-5.2	-8.3	-6.3	-11.8	-9.8		
2010 .		17.0	4.5	-10.3	7.4	7.5	7.5	1.0	3.9	2.		
2011 .		0.3	5.8	-0.5	5.2	2.2	3.2	2.4	2.0	2.		
2012 .		-1.3	4.9	0.2	2.3	-0.2	0.7	2.5	-0.7	0.		
2013 .		0.2	2.5	2.5	3.0	5.2	4.5	1.5	-0.8	0.		
2014 .		-2.2	0.9	0.1	5.7	4.1	4.7	2.5	1.4	1.		
2015 .		-2.4	0.8	-0.7	4.3	3.4	3.7	2.4	1.8	2.		
2016 .		-1.4	1.5	-3.4	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.4	2.6	2.		
2014: (	Oct	-1.7	-0.2	-0.8	5.8	3.0	3.9	2.8	1.2	1.		
١	Nov	-1.1	-0.1	-0.8	5.8	2.7	3.8	3.0	1.2	1.		
	Dec	-2.3	0.1	0.3	6.4	2.9	4.1	3.3	1.5	2.		
2015: J	Jan	-1.9	0.4	-0.0	6.2	3.0	4.1	3.3	1.1	2.		
F	eb	-1.7	1.4	0.2	5.4	3.6	4.2	2.5	1.1	1.		
N	Лаг	-1.3	2.3	0.4	4.8	3.7	4.1	2.7	0.8	1.		
A	Apr	0.7	0.8	0.5	5.3	4.5	4.8	2.7	1.2	1.		
N	Лау	-1.1	0.7	1.4	5.2	4.5	4.7	2.5	1.7	2		
	lun	-1.3	0.7	0.4	5.0	3.9	4.2	2.4	2.0	2		
	Jul	-2.6	1.0	-1.4	4.2	3.5	3.7	2.5	2.2	2		
A	Aug	-4.1	1.0	-1.0	4.0	3.0	3.3	2.5	2.6	2.		
5	Sep	-4.4	0.3	-1.3	3.2	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.		
	Oct	-4.0	0.1	-2.2	3.3	3.4	3.3	2.4	2.1	2.		
١	Nov	-4.5	0.1	-2.3	3.2	3.0	3.1	1.8	2.1	2.		
	Dec	-3.0	0.7	-3.0	2.3	2.4	2.4	1.6	1.9	1.		
2016: J	Jan	-4.0	0.5	-2.6	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.7	2.2	2.		
F	eb	-4.6	0.7	-3.9	2.2	0.6	1.1	1.7	2.0	1.		
N	Лаг	-3.9	0.4	-3.4	1.8	0.6	1.0	1.7	2.2	2.		
A	Apr	-5.0	1.3	-3.2	1.6	0.6	1.0	1.6	2.5	2.		
N	Лау	-3.3	2.7	-4.8	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.6	2.5	2.		
	Jun	-2.0	2.4	-4.0	0.7	0.6	0.6	1.7	2.3	2.		
·	Jul	-1.4	2.3	-3.7	0.6	1.3	1.0	1.2	2.3	1.		
A	Aug	-0.1	2.5	-4.2	0.5	1.8	1.3	1.2	2.3	1.		
	Sep	0.5	2.2	-3.2	0.9	2.6	2.0	1.1	2.9	2.		
(	Oct	1.1	1.4	-2.7	0.6	2.7	2.0	1.2	3.2	2.		
١	Nov	2.5	1.1	-2.8	0.3	3.1	2.2	1.2	3.6	2		
	Dec	3.5	0.4	-2.8	1.2	4.5	3.3	1.4	3.4	2		
	Jan	5.1	0.4	-1.6	2.0	5.2	4.1	1.1	3.4	2		
	eb	6.8	-0.1	-0.4	2.4	6.0	4.8	1.3	3.7	2		
	Лаг	5.4	0.2	0.8	2.8	5.4	4.5	1.5	4.2	3.		
	Apr	4.4	0.2	-1.6	2.5	4.9	4.1	1.5	4.3	3.		
N	Лау	3.8	-0.4	0.5	3.0	4.6	4.0	1.8	4.5	3		
J	Jun	3.0	-0.3	1.2	3.4	5.0	4.5	1.6	4.0	3		
	Jul	5.8	0.0	0.6	3.9	4.7	4.4	1.9	3.9	3		
A	Aug	4.6	0.8	0.2	4.4	5.1	4.9	1.8	3.9	3		
5	Sep	5.1	-	-	4.2	4.6	4.5	1.8	3.0	2		

KB813

<sup>1.</sup> Percentage change over 12 months.

# Labour in the non-agricultural sectors<sup>6</sup> and unemployment rate

Percentage change unless otherwise indicated

	Employment <sup>1</sup>			Unemployment rate <sup>2</sup>									
						At current prices			At constant prices <sup>5</sup>			Labour	Nominal unit
Period	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Official	Seasonally adjusted <sup>3</sup>	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Public sector	Private sector	Total	produc- tivity <sup>4</sup>	labour costs <sup>4</sup>
	(7002Q)	(7008Q)	(7009Q)	(7019K)	(7019L)	(7011P)	(7012P)	(7013P)	(7011R)	(7012R)	(7013R)	(7014P)	(7015P)
2013	2.4	0.1	0.6	24.7	24.7	6.6	7.3	7.2	0.6	1.2	1.2	1.9	5.2
2014	4.4	-0.8	0.3	25.1	25.1	4.2	7.2	6.6	-1.2	1.6	1.0	1.3	5.2
2015	-1.9	0.2	-0.3	25.3	25.3	8.6	6.5	7.0	3.8	1.7	2.2	1.8	5.1
2016	1.4	0.1	0.4	26.7	26.7	7.0	5.2	5.8	0.7	-1.0	-0.4	0.1	5.6
2015: 04	1.4	1.1	1.2	24.5	25.2	7.6	5.7	6.1	2.3	0.5	1.0	-0.0	6.2
2016: 01	8.8	-0.5	1.6	26.7	26.4	5.4	6.0	6.0	-0.5	0.1	0.1	-1.2	7.3
02	-9.1	-1.4	-3.3	26.6	26.5	9.0	4.8	6.0	2.3	-1.7	-0.5	0.8	5.1
03	13.9	0.1	3.2	27.1	26.8	5.0	5.6	5.6	-0.9	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	5.4
04	-15.3	2.4	-2.1	26.5	27.2	8.5	4.4	5.5	1.9	-1.9	-0.9	0.8	4.7
2017: 01	-1.4	1.1	0.5	27.7	27.3	11.0	5.0	6.5	4.2	-1.4	-0.1	1.0	5.4
02	-3.6	-0.6	-1.3	27.7	27.6	9.2	5.1	6.1	3.4	-0.5	0.4	0.2	5.9
03	-	-	-	27.7	27.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### KB814

- Compared with the preceding period. Quarterly changes at seasonally adjusted annualised rates. Per cent. Source: Statistics South Africa, Quarterly Labour Force Survey. Seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank. Compared with the same period in the previous year.

- Compared with the same pend in the previous year.

  Deflated by the non-agricultural gross domestic product deflator.

  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 (QES) survey by Statistics South Africa. From the second quarter of 2013, the second quarter of 2015 and the second quarter of 2016, the QES survey was expanded, resulting in level shifts in certain subsectors. Data were statistically linked to compensate for these structural breaks.

### **Prices**

### Percentage change<sup>1</sup>

					Consume	er prices <sup>2</sup>				Producer prices					
		Services		Goods				CPI excluding	Memo-						
Period		Housing and utlilies	Total <sup>6</sup>	Food and non- alcoholic beverages <sup>6</sup>	Total <sup>6</sup>	Total CPI <sup>6</sup>	Adminis- tered prices <sup>3</sup>	food and non-alcoholic beverages and fuel <sup>5</sup>	randum item: Official target <sup>4</sup>	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining	Electricity and water	Intermediate manufac- tured goods	Final manufac- tured goods	
		(7160A)	(7175A)	(7145A)	(7176A)	(7174A)	(7171A)	(7172A)	(7173A)	(7181A)	(7182A)	(7183A)	(7184A)	(7192A)	
2014		5.4	6.0	7.6	6.2	6.1	6.7	5.7	6.1	5.3	4.1	9.8	8.2	7.4	
2015		5.4	5.8	5.1	3.4	4.6	1.7	5.7	4.6	4.7	-4.1	11.2	0.7	3.6	
2016		5.6	5.8	10.6	7.0	6.3	5.2	5.8	6.3	16.4	11.4	10.5	6.9	7.1	
2016:	04	5.8	6.0	8.5	4.8	6.6	10.1	6.2	6.6	-10.7	-9.7	8.2	3.1	5.6	
2017:	01	6.5	5.9	7.4	7.4	6.1	9.7	4.5	6.1	-8.4	16.2	16.6	9.6	5.5	
	02	5.2	5.0	4.0	2.8	2.8	-1.5	3.6	2.8	16.7	-10.2	-4.1	-1.3	1.2	
	03	4.2	5.7	4.2	0.8	4.0	-0.1	3.6	4.0	6.6	20.6	-3.0	-3.4	5.1	
2017:	Jun	5.4	5.5	6.9	4.7	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.1	-1.4	-1.5	6.2	2.1	4.0	
	Jul	5.2	5.6	6.8	3.4	4.6	1.8	4.5	4.6	0.3	-0.9	3.5	1.5	3.6	
	Aug	5.2	5.6	5.7	4.0	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.8	-0.9	1.1	2.6	2.0	4.2	
	Sep	5.7	5.8	5.5	4.4	5.1	6.1	4.5	5.1	2.0	9.5	6.0	2.1	5.2	
	Oct	5.7	5.5	5.3	4.1	4.8	5.8	4.3	4.8	4.9	9.0	3.6	4.1	5.0	

### KB815

- Quarterly: Compared with the preceding period. Seasonally adjusted annualised rates (seasonally adjusted by the South African Reserve Bank).
- 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.

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

  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.

  CPIX for metropolitan and other urban areas up to December 2008. Headline CPI for all urban areas from January 2009 onwards.

  Up to December 2016 fuel included only petrol. From January 2017, fuel includes petrol and diesel.

  The consumer price index for all urban areas (which was based on the COICOP classification and published by Stats SA from January 2008 onwards) was statistically linked to the historical consumer price index for metropolitan areas (which was based on the ITC classification that Stats SA discontinued after December 2007).

# Inflation expectations<sup>1</sup>

### Per cent

			Quarter during w	hich expectation	s were surveyed		
	2016/01	2016/02	2016/03	2016/04	2017/01	2017/02	2017/03
Financial analysts							
Current year²       (7114K)         One year ahead²       (7115K)         Two years ahead²       (7116K)         Five years ahead²       (7126K)	6.5 6.4 5.7 5.7	6.7 6.1 5.5 5.6	6.4 5.7 5.3 5.5	6.3 5.6 5.4 5.5	5.8 5.4 5.5 5.4	5.4 5.1 5.5 5.5	5.3 5.0 5.3 5.4
Business representatives							
Current year <sup>2</sup> (7117K)         One year ahead <sup>2</sup> (7118K)         Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> (7119K)         Five years ahead <sup>2</sup> (7127K)	6.2 6.3 6.2 6.4	6.2 6.3 6.3 6.3	6.0 6.1 6.1 6.0	6.0 6.0 6.0 6.1	6.4 6.4 6.3 6.2	6.3 6.4 6.5 6.3	6.1 6.1 6.3 6.0
Trade union representatives							
Current year²       (7120K)         One year ahead²       (7121K)         Two years ahead²       (7122K)         Five years ahead²       (7128K)	5.8 5.9 5.9 6.1	6.1 6.3 5.9 5.8	6.3 6.3 6.2 6.2	5.8 5.7 5.9 5.9	6.3 6.1 6.1 5.5	6.0 5.9 5.9 5.8	5.8 6.1 6.0 5.5
All surveyed participants							
Current year <sup>2</sup> (7123K)         One year ahead <sup>2</sup> (7124K)         Two years ahead <sup>2</sup> (7125K)         Five years ahead <sup>2</sup> (7143K)	6.2 6.2 6.0 6.1	6.3 6.2 5.9 5.9	6.2 6.0 5.9 5.9	6.0 5.8 5.8 5.8	6.2 5.9 6.0 5.7	5.9 5.8 5.9 5.9	5.7 5.8 5.9 5.6

### KB816

# Business cycle phases of South Africa since 1945

Upward phase			Duration in months	Downward pha	Duration in months		
Post war	_	July 1946	7	August 1946	_	April 1947	Ç
May 1947	_	November 1948	19	December 1948	_	February 1950	15
March 1950	_	December 1951	22	January 1952	-	March 1953	1:
April 1953	_	April 1955	25	May 1955	-	September 1956	1
October 1956	_	January 1958	16	February 1958	-	March 1959	1-
April 1959	_	April 1960	13	May 1960	-	August 1961	1
September 1961	_	April 1965	44	May 1965	_	December 1965	
January 1966	_	May 1967	17	June 1967	_	December 1967	
January 1968	_	December 1970	36	January 1971	_	August 1972	2
September 1972	_	August 1974	24	September 1974	_	December 1977	4
January 1978	_	August 1981	44	September 1981	_	March 1983	19
April 1983	_	June 1984	15	July 1984	_	March 1986	2
April 1986	_	February 1989	35	March 1989	_	May 1993	5
June 1993	_	November 1996	42	December 1996	-	August 1999	3
September 1999	_	November 2007	99	December 2007	-	August 2009	2
September 2009	_	November 2013	51	December 2013	_		

<sup>1.</sup> Source: Bureau for Economic Research, Stellenbosch University. In each instance the annual average inflation rate for the calender year which is expected by the participant is asked.
2. In relation to the reference quarter when the expectations were surveyed.