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## Foreword

Welcome to the Monthly presentation organised by the Dissemination Branch of the Central Statistical Office (CSO). The CSO embarks on vigorous information delivery strategy to major stakeholders and the media institutions in order to increase utilisation of statistical products and services. The office produces a number of statistical products in the Economic, Social, Agricultural and Environmental areas. The information collected in these areas may be used for various purposes including policy formulation, planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of programmes and projects.

This Monthly publication is an attempt to provide highlights of CSO's work and how it can help media institutions and the general public to make use of data and information for sustainable national development and decision-making.

I would like to urge our readers and users of statistical information to send to us any comments that may enhance statistical production and contribute to the improvement of this bulletin.

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## INFLATION

## February Inflation slows down to 6.9 percent

The annual rate of inflation, as measured by the all items Consumer Price Index (CPI), slows down by 0.1 percentage points, from 7.0 percent in January 2013 to 6.9 percent in February 2013. This means that on average,
prices increased by 6.9 percent between February 2012 and February 2013. The slowing down in annual inflation is attributed mainly to decreases in some food prices.


Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## Movements in Annual Inflation Rates for CPI Main Groups

Between February 2012 and February 2013, the annual rate of inflation increased for; Clothing and footwear; Housing, water, electricity, gas, and other fuels; Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance; Transport; Communication;

Education; Restaurant and hotel; and Miscellaneous Goods and Services.

The annual rate of inflation decreased for Food and non-alcoholic beverages; Alcoholic beverages and tobacco; Health; and Recreation and culture.

Annual Inflation Rate: CPI Main Groups

| Period |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 咅 } \\ & \text { © } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1000 | 534.9 | 15.2 | 80.8 | 114.1 | 82.4 | 8.2 | 58.1 | 12.9 | 13.8 | 26.6 | 3.4 | 49.7 |
| Jan '11-Jan '10 | 6.3 | 4.2 | 1.4 | 4.4 | 17.2 | 7.0 | 6.4 | 8.0 | -0.1 | 3.5 | 6.0 | 8.2 | 6.3 |
| Feb '11-Feb '10 | 6.5 | 4.3 | 2.6 | 5.9 | 18.2 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 5.4 | 0.6 | 4.2 | 7.4 | 8.3 | 6.4 |
| Mar '11-Mar '10 | 6.6 | 4.1 | 2.1 | 7.6 | 18.3 | 6.9 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 9.3 | 9.5 | 6.5 |
| Apr '11-Apr '10 | 6.3 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 9.5 | 16.1 | 6.0 | 6.7 | 7.5 | 0.4 | 3.0 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 6.3 |
| May '11-May'10 | 6.3 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 9.4 | 18.3 | 6.3 | 7.2 | 5.6 | 0.4 | 5.2 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 5.8 |
| Jun'11-Jun'10 | 6.1 | 3.8 | 5.3 | 9.6 | 16.0 | 6.2 | 7.1 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 4.4 | 9.2 | 8.4 | 4.8 |
| Jul'11-Jul'10 | 6.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 10.0 | 15.3 | 7.4 | 6.3 | 3.4 | 0.4 | 6.8 | 8.2 | 5.5 | 5.5 |
| Aug '11-Aug'10 | 6.5 | 5.8 | 3.6 | 10.6 | 7.2 | 7.8 | 4.5 | 7.2 | 0.3 | 7.4 | 7.2 | 8.4 | 5.1 |
| Sep '11-Sep '10 | 6.6 | 6.1 | 3.8 | 9.0 | 7.7 | 8.9 | 5.2 | 6.4 | 0.0 | 7.0 | 8.2 | 6.3 | 4.5 |
| Oct'l1-Oct'10 | 6.7 | 6.3 | 4.6 | 8.5 | 6.2 | 9.7 | 3.2 | 8.4 | 0.4 | 7.8 | 8.4 | 5.5 | 4.8 |
| Nov '11-Nov '10 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 4.0 | 8.7 | 6.4 | 8.5 | 6.1 | 6.7 | 0.6 | 7.8 | 9.4 | 6.4 | 3.0 |
| Dec '11-Dec'10 | 6.0 | 5.3 | 2.0 | 8.2 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 9.2 | 0.5 | 7.7 | 9.0 | 3.9 | 4.8 |
| Jan '12-Jan '11 | 6.4 | 6.1 | 2.4 | 9.3 | 6.1 | 7.0 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 1.1 | 8.0 | 8.6 | 5.2 | 3.1 |
| Feb '12-Feb '11 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 2.9 | 8.1 | 4.8 | 7.7 | 7.4 | 8.9 | 1.3 | 7.7 | 9.6 | 5.2 | 3.8 |
| Mar '12-Mar '11 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 3.5 | 7.9 | 4.9 | 7.7 | 7.4 | 7.8 | 1.2 | 8.1 | 7.9 | 3.0 | 4.7 |
| Apr '12-Apr '11 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 2.4 | 6.4 | 5.7 | 8.9 | 6.2 | 7.2 | 1.2 | 8.0 | 8.2 | 3.3 | 5.6 |
| May '12-May'11 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 3.3 | 6.0 | 5.3 | 8.6 | 5.6 | 6.6 | 1.1 | 7.1 | 9.3 | 3.2 | 6.3 |
| Jun '12-Jun'11 | 6.7 | 7.1 | 3.6 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 7.9 | 4.5 | 7.3 | 1.0 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 2.1 | 6.6 |
| Jul'12 - Jul'11 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.3 | 6.9 | 5.4 | 5.9 | 1.7 | 7.2 | 9.6 | 4.6 | 6.8 |
| Aug'12-Aug'11 | 6.4 | 7.3 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.5 | 7.7 | 6.2 | 3.4 | 1.7 | 5.2 | 9.8 | 2.6 | 7.2 |
| Sep '12-Sep '11 | 6.6 | 7.5 | 5.9 | 5.7 | 3.5 | 6.3 | 6.9 | 6.0 | 2.2 | 5.7 | 9.5 | 4.2 | 7.7 |
| Oct'12-Oct'11 | 6.8 | 8.2 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 4.9 | 6.1 | 7.5 | 4.9 | 2.3 | 4.1 | 9.2 | 4.6 | 7.6 |
| Nov '12-Nov '11 | 6.9 | 8.0 | 5.0 | 6.7 | 5.0 | 6.5 | 5.5 | 4.6 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 9.0 | 3.5 | 7.6 |
| Dec '12-Dec'11 | 7.3 | 8.4 | 5.9 | 6.5 | 7.0 | 6.5 | 5.1 | 3.3 | 1.4 | 4.2 | 8.8 | 5.0 | 6.6 |
| Jan '13-Jan '12 | 7.0 | 7.6 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 4.1 | 3.6 | 1.3 | 4.1 | 13.9 | 5.8 | 8.3 |
| Feb '13-Feb '12 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 6.3 | 8.4 | 7.4 | 6.0 | 3.3 | 3.9 | 2.1 | 3.8 | 14.2 | 6.4 | 9.1 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## Contributions of different Items to Overall Inflation

Of the total 6.9 percent annual inflation rate in February 2013, food products accounted for 3.5 percentage points, while non-food
products accounted for a total of 3.4 percentage points.

Percentage Points Contributions of different items to Overall Inflation

| ITEMS | January 2013 | February 2013 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Food and Non-alcoholic beverages | 4.0 | 3.5 |
| Alcoholic beverages and Tobacco | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Clothing and footwear | 0.6 | 0.7 |
| Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other fuels | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| Furnishings, Household Equipment, Routine house maintenance | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Health | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Transport | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Communication | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Recreation and Culture | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Education | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Restaurant and Hotel | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Miscellaneous Goods and Services | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| All items | 7.0 | 6.9 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## The Annual Food and Non - food Inflation Rates

The annual food inflation rate was recorded at 6.7 percent in February 2013 compared to 7.6 percent recorded in January 2013. This implies that there was a 0.9 percentage point
decrease in annual food inflation. The annual non-food inflation rate increased by 0.8 percentage points from 6.3 percent in January 2013 to 7.1 percent in February 2013.

Annual Inflation Rates: Food and Non- Food Items

| Period |  | Total | Food | Non-Food |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Weight |  | 1000.00 | 534.85 | 465.15 |
| 2011 | Jan '11-Jan '10 | 6.3 | 4.2 | 8.6 |
|  | Feb '11-Feb '10 | 6.5 | 4.3 | 9.1 |
|  | Mar '11-Mar '10 | 6.6 | 4.1 | 9.4 |
|  | Apr '11-Apr '10 | 6.3 | 3.7 | 9.2 |
|  | May '11-May '10 | 6.3 | 3.5 | 9.5 |
|  | Jun '11-Jun '10 | 6.1 | 3.8 | 8.7 |
|  | Jul'11-Jul'10 | 6.9 | 5.0 | 8.9 |
|  | Aug '11-Aug '10 | 6.5 | 5.8 | 7.3 |
|  | Sep '11-Sep '10 | 6.6 | 6.1 | 7.3 |
|  | Oct'11-Oct'10 | 6.7 | 6.3 | 7.2 |
|  | Nov '11-Nov '10 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 6.8 |
|  | Dec'11-Dec '10 | 6.0 | 5.3 | 6.6 |
| 2012 | Jan '12-Jan '11 | 6.4 | 6.1 | 6.8 |
|  | Feb '12-Feb '11 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 6.5 |
|  | Mar '12-Mar '11 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.4 |
|  | Apr '12-Apr '11 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.5 |
|  | May '12-May '11 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 6.3 |
|  | Jun '12-Jun '11 | 6.7 | 7.1 | 6.2 |
|  | Jul'12-Jul'11 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.0 |
|  | Aug '12-Aug '11 | 6.4 | 7.3 | 5.5 |
|  | Sep '12 - Sep '11 | 6.6 | 7.5 | 5.6 |
|  | Oct'12-Oct'11 | 6.8 | 8.2 | 5.4 |
|  | Nov'12-Nov'11 | 6.9 | 8.0 | 5.8 |
|  | Dec '12-Dec '11 | 7.3 | 8.4 | 6.1 |
| 2013 | Jan '13-Jan '12 | 7.0 | 7.6 | 6.3 |
|  | Feb '13-Feb '12 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 7.1 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## The Month on Month Food and Non-food Inflation Rate

The month - on- month food inflation rate was recorded at -0.9 percent in February 2013 compared to 1.1 percent recorded in January 2013. This implies that the monthly food inflation rate decreased by 2 percentage points.

Between January 2013 and February 2013, Non-food inflation rate increased by 0.9 percentage points from 0.5 percent in January 2013 to 1.4 percent in February 2013.

Month on month Inflation Rates: Food and Non Food Items, 2009 (2009 = 100)

| Weight | Period | Total | Food | Non-Food |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1000.0 | 534.9 | 465.2 |
| 2011 | Jan '11-Dec '10 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 0.2 |
|  | Feb '11-Jan '11 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.9 |
|  | Mar '11-Feb '11 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
|  | Apr '11-Mar'11 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
|  | May '11-Apr'11 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.7 |
|  | Jun '11-May '11 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 0.6 |
|  | Jul'11-Jun'11 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 0.9 |
|  | Aug '11-Jul'11 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 1.1 |
|  | Sep '11-Aug'11 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
|  | Oct'11-Sep '11 | -0.2 | -0.2 | -0.1 |
|  | Nov'11-Oct'11 | 0.1 | 0.4 | -0.2 |
|  | Dec'11-Nov'11 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| 2012 | Jan '12-Dec '11 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 0.3 |
|  | Feb '12-Jan '12 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.6 |
|  | Mar '12-Feb '12 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.0 |
|  | Apr '12-Mar '12 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.8 |
|  | May '12-Apr '12 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.5 |
|  | Jun '12-May '12 | 0.0 | -0.4 | 0.5 |
|  | Jul'12-Jun'12 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
|  | Aug '12-July '12 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 0.6 |
|  | Sep '12-Aug '12 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
|  | Oct'12-Sep '12 | 0.1 | 0.4 | -0.3 |
|  | Nov '12-Oct'12 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
|  | Dec '12-Nov '12 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.6 |
| 2013 | Jan '13-Dec '12 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.5 |
|  | Feb '13-Jan '13 | 0.2 | -0.9 | 1.4 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## Provincial Contribution to overall Inflation

Lusaka Province made the largest provincial contribution of 1.9 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate of 6.9 percent recorded in February 2013. This was followed
by Copperbelt Province which contributed 1.7 percentage points. North-western and Luapula provinces had a lowest contribution of 0.2 percentage points each.

| Provincial Contribution to overall Inflation |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Province January 2013 February 2013 <br> Central 0.7 0.7 <br> Copperbelt 1.7 1.7 <br> Eastern 0.7 0.5 <br> Luapula 0.2 0.2 <br> Lusaka 1.9 1.9 <br> Northern/ Muchinga 0.4 0.4 <br> North Western 0.1 0.2 <br> Southern 1.1 1.0 <br> Western 0.3 0.3 <br> All items $\mathbf{7 . 0}$ $\mathbf{6 . 9}$ |  |  |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## Changes in Inflation Rates for Provinces

Annual rate of inflation increased for Central, Copperbelt, Northern, North-western, and Western provinces, while it decreased for Eastern, Luapula, Lusaka and Southern Provinces.

Southern Province had the highest annual rate of inflation at 9.0 percent. This was followed by Copperbelt Province at 7.9 percent while Luapula Province had the lowest annual rate of inflation at 4.0 percent in February, 2013.

Provincial Price Indices and inflation Rates

| Province | Weight | Index (2009 = 100) |  |  | Percentage change over one month |  |  | Percentage change over 12 months |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Dec-12 | Jan-13 | Feb-13 | Dec-12 | Jan-13 | Feb-13 | Dec-12 | Jan-13 | Feb-13 |
|  | 1000 | 126.1 | 127.1 | 127.3 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 7.3 | 7.0 | 6.9 |
| Central | 107.19 | 123.2 | 126.0 | 126.2 | 0.6 | 1.9 | 0.1 | 5.5 | 6.4 | 6.8 |
| Copperbelt | 219.68 | 127.6 | 127.2 | 127.3 | 1.4 | -0.4 | 0.1 | 9.3 | 7.6 | 7.9 |
| Eastern | 88.98 | 129.2 | 129.1 | 129.4 | 0.9 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 9.2 | 7.5 | 6.0 |
| Luapula | 50.60 | 127.3 | 126.9 | 127.4 | 0.9 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 4.0 |
| Lusaka | 283.89 | 125.7 | 127.1 | 127.3 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.1 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 6.8 |
| Northern/ Muchinga | 65.72 | 122.6 | 124.8 | 125.4 | -1.2 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 5.9 | 5.4 | 6.4 |
| North western | 32.33 | 120.3 | 124.6 | 124.1 | -3.1 | 3.5 | -0.4 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 4.9 |
| Southern | 109.19 | 129.5 | 130.3 | 130.8 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 9.7 | 9.9 | 9.0 |
| Western | 42.42 | 119.5 | 122.2 | 122.5 | -0.9 | 2.3 | 0.2 | 5.2 | 6.3 | 6.5 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## National Average Prices of Selected Products

A comparison of retail prices between January 2013 and February 2013 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag of breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 5.5 percent from KR 57.56 to KR 54.41. The national average price of a 25 kg bag of roller mealie meal decreased by 4.2 percent from KR 45.09 to KR43.20.

Meanwhile, the national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain increased by 5.8 percent from KR 24.39 to KR 25.81.The national average price of a 1 kg Dried Kapenta (Mpulungu) increased by 4.5 percent from KR 73.57 to KR 76.92 while the average price of a 2 litres of Cooking oil (Local) increased by 1.4 percent from KR 34.86 to KR 35.33 .

National Average Prices for selected Products and Months

| Product Descriptions | Nov 12 |  | Dec 12 |  | Jan 13 |  | Feb 13 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Feb2013/Ja } \\ & \text { n2013 } \\ & \text { \%Change } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ZMK | KR | ZMK | KR | ZMK | KR | ZMK | KR |  |
| Breakfast Mealie Meal 25 kg | 49,375 | 49.38 | 56,675 | 56.67 | 57,558 | 57.56 | 54,409 | 54.41 | -5.5 |
| Roller Mealie Meal 25kg | 36,128 | 36.13 | 42,962 | 42.96 | 45,094 | 45.09 | 43,198 | 43.20 | -4.2 |
| Maize grain 20litre tin | 20,466 | 20.47 | 22,383 | 22.38 | 24,391 | 24.39 | 25,813 | 25.81 | 5.8 |
| Rice Imported 1kg | 16,067 | 16.07 | 16,690 | 16.69 | 17,240 | 17.24 | 15,950 | 15.95 | -7.5 |
| Fillet Steak 1kg | 32,926 | 32.93 | 34,066 | 34.07 | 35,339 | 35.34 | 33,838 | 33.84 | -4.2 |
| Rump Steak 1kg | 31,867 | 31.87 | 32,427 | 32.43 | 32,928 | 32.93 | 32,608 | 32.61 | -1.0 |
| Brisket 1kg | 26,869 | 26.87 | 26,855 | 26.86 | 27,701 | 27.70 | 27,361 | 27.36 | -1.2 |
| Mixed Cut 1kg | 25,094 | 25.09 | 25,526 | 25.53 | 26,307 | 26.31 | 26,072 | 26.07 | -0.9 |
| Chicken Live 1kg | 15,959 | 15.96 | 14,940 | 14.94 | 15,731 | 15.73 | 16,321 | 16.32 | 3.8 |
| Fresh Kapenta 1kg | 8,710 | 8.71 | 8,600 | 8.60 | 9,364 | 9.36 | 9,440 | 9.44 | 0.8 |
| Dried Bream 1kg | 46,179 | 46.18 | 46,465 | 46.47 | 52,495 | 52.49 | 53,656 | 53.66 | 2.2 |
| Dried Kapenta Mpulungu 1kg | 70,254 | 70.25 | 72,836 | 72.84 | 73,572 | 73.57 | 76,916 | 76.92 | 4.5 |
| Eggs unit | 9,203 | 9.20 | 9,459 | 9.46 | 9,393 | 9.39 | 9,460 | 9.46 | 0.7 |
| Cooking oil Local 2 litres | 35,171 | 35.17 | 35,461 | 35.46 | 34,856 | 34.86 | 35,332 | 35.33 | 1.4 |
| Rape 1kg | 2,709 | 2.71 | 3,499 | 3.50 | 3,361 | 3.36 | 3,563 | 3.56 | 6.0 |
| Pumpkin Leaves 1kg | 3,676 | 3.68 | 3,524 | 3.52 | 3,121 | 3.12 | 3,186 | 3.19 | 2.1 |
| Cabbage 1kg | 1,831 | 1.83 | 2,115 | 2.11 | 2,059 | 2.06 | 2,209 | 2.21 | 7.3 |
| Air fare Lusaka/London 1 way Economy | 6,482,000 | 6,482.00 | 6,010,000 | 6,010.00 | 5,085,000 | 5,085.00 | 5,175,000 | 5,175.00 | 1.8 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

## Explaining the Rate of Inflation

When the price of a grocery item like bread goes up overnight, it affects your household spending. The result of price changes, that cause your household spending to rise or fall over time, is called inflation. The Central Statistical Office tracks inflation with a statistical tool called the Consumer Price Index (CPI).

The CPI is a series of numbers published on the last Thursday of every month by the CSO. Its numbers represent the price, at a set time, of a representative 'basket' of goods and services a typical household buys.

The CPI is often used as a general measure of inflation. It is not an exact record of individual households' spending, but it gives a good idea of how price increases affect household spending, and the change in money's 'buying power' because of inflation.

The CPI measures the price of a 'basket' of goods and services on a monthly basis and records that price as an index
number. When two CPI index numbers are compared, the change in the total cost of the basket from one point in time to another is shown. This comparison shows the size of the change in household spending for that time period as a percentage - often called the inflation rate.

The change shown by comparing index numbers is usually expressed as a percentage - for example, when the media reports that 'the inflation rate has increased by 7.1 percent in January 2013', this means that, compared to January 2012, consumer prices in the basket of goods have gone up by an average of 7.1 percent in January 2013.

To illustrate this, compare the effect of the inflation rate on the hypothetical price of a trolley of goods. In January 2012, the goods cost KR803.00. In January 2013, affected by the year's inflation rate of 7.1 percent, the same selection of goods cost KR860.00.


Within this basket of goods, it is possible that the prices of some of the products would have reduced, while the prices of some other products would have gone up. When the CSO reports that the inflation rate has increased by 7.1 percent, it means that on average, there has been a general rise in the prices of the basket of goods.

If, hypothetically, the same basket of goods now costs KR848.50 in February 2013, this will be compared to its cost in February 2012, which in our illustration is KR804.00. The annual rate of inflation for February 2013 is obtained by comparing the percentage increase between the cost in February 2012 and February 2013. This is 5.5 percent.

In comparing the two months in the media, there will be a big headline that says "February Inflation Drops" and it will be reported that the inflation rate has reduced from 7.1 percent in January 2013 to 5.5 percent in February 2013. Some people interpret this to mean the prices of goods have reduced. Consumer groups would cry foul and call CSO all sorts of names. Other consumers would question CSO's motive and credibility because they would not have seen any reduction in the prices at their local supermarket! This is a classic failure to interpret percentage changes.

The question is 'Has CSO reported a reduction in the price of the typical basket of goods that it monitors?' The simple answer to that question is definitely 'No'. The very fact that CSO reports the rate of inflation means the general level of prices has indeed gone up. What CSO has reported is a reduction in the rate of inflation. The rate
at which the prices of goods have increased in February (5.5 percent) is lower than the rate at which the prices increased in January (7.1 percent). But the bottom line is the price for the basket of goods did indeed increase.

The main thing to remember is that these percentages are calculated from actual values. If in December 2012, I bought a cob of maize at KR7.50, then in January the price goes up to KR8.00, the percentage increase in the price is 6.7 percent. If in February, the cob price increases to KR8.25, the percentage price increase is 3.1 percent. We would then say the rate of price increase reduced from 6.7 percent in January to 3.1 percent in February. This does not mean that the price of the maize cob reduced! The simple interpretation is that the price of the maize cob increased in February, but not as high as it did in January.

## INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDIZE TRADE

## January 2013 records Trade Surplus

Zambia recorded a trade surplus valued at K 192.8 Billion (KR 192.8 Million) in January 2013 from K 135.9 Billion (KR 135.9 Million) recorded in December 2012. This means that the country exported more in January 2013 than it imported, in the same month, in nominal terms.

The country has continued to record trade surpluses since January 2012 with the highest valued at K473.2 Billion (KR 473.2 Million) recorded in August 2012 and the lowest trade surplus was recorded in February 2012, valued at K47.4 Billion (KR 47.4 Million).

Total Exports (FOB) and Total Imports (CIF), January 2012 to January 2013* ( $\mathrm{K}^{\prime}$ Million and KR' Million)

| Months | Imports(CIF) | Domestic Exports(FOB) | Re-Exports(FOB) | Total Exports(FOB) | Trade Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January 2012 | K 4,004,039 | K 3,905,069 | K 449,037 | K 4,354,106 | K 350,068 |
|  | KR 4,004 | KR 3,905 | KR 449 | KR 4,354 | KR 350 |
| February 2012 | K 3,573,649 | K 3,433,995 | K 187,006 | K 3,621,001 | K 47,352 |
|  | KR 3,574 | KR 3,434 | KR 187 | KR 3,621 | KR 47 |
| March 2012 | K 3,509,458 | K 3,307,299 | K 281,769 | K 3,589,068 | K 79,611 |
|  | KR 3,509 | KR 3,307 | KR 282 | KR 3,589 | KR 80 |
| Total Quarter 1 | K 11,087,146 | K 10,646,363 | K 917,813 | K 11,564,176 | K 477,030 |
|  | KR 11,087 | KR 10,646 | KR 918 | KR 11,564 | KR 477 |
| April 2012 | K 3,332,865 | K 3,119,421 | K 359,615 | K 3,479,036 | K 146,171 |
|  | KR 3,333 | KR 3,119 | KR 360 | KR 3,479 | KR 146 |
| May 2012 | K 3,690,952 | K 3,649,419 | K 319,797 | K 3,969,215 | K 278,263 |
|  | KR 3,691 | KR 3,649 | KR 320 | KR 3,969 | KR 278 |
| June 2012 | K 3,370,593 | K 3,235,794 | K 296,309 | K 3,532,103 | K 161,510 |
|  | KR 3,371 | KR 3,236 | KR 296 | KR 3,532 | KR 162 |
| Total Quarter 2 | K 10,394,410 | K 10,004,633 | K 975,720 | K 10,980,353 | K 585,944 |
|  | KR 10,394 | KR 10,005 | KR 976 | KR 10,980 | KR 586 |
| July 2012 | K 3,436,424 | K 3,529,952 | K 288,397 | K 3,818,348 | K 381,924 |
|  | KR 3,436 | KR 3,530 | KR 288 | KR 3,818 | KR 382 |
| August 2012 | K 3,517,695 | K 3,665,801 | K 325,056 | K 3,990,857 | K 473,162 |
|  | KR 3,518 | KR 3,666 | KR 325 | KR 3,991 | KR 473 |
| September 2012 | K 3,932,564 | K 4,131,650 | K 269,681 | K 4,401,331 | K 468,768 |
|  | KR 3,933 | KR 4,132 | KR 270 | KR 4,401 | KR 469 |
| Total Quarter 3 | K 10,886,683 | K 11,327,403 | K 883,134 | K 12,210,537 | K 1,323,854 |
|  | KR 10,887 | KR 11,327 | KR 883 | KR 12,211 | KR 1,324 |
| October 2012 | K 4,787,148 | K 4,774,226 | K 304,130 | K 5,078,357 | K 291,208 |
|  | KR 4,787 | KR 4,774 | KR 304 | KR 5,078 | KR 291 |
| November 2012 | K 4,234,793 | K 4,058,521 | K 289,032 | K 4,347,553 | K 112,760 |
|  | KR 4,235 | KR 4,059 | KR 289 | KR 4,348 | KR 113 |
| December 2012® | K 3,874,380 | K 3,754,753 | K 255,478 | K 4,010,231 | K 135,850 |
|  | KR 3,874 | KR 3,755 | KR 255 | KR 4,010 | KR 136 |
| Total Quarter 4 | K 12,896,321 | K 12,587,501 | K 848,640 | K 13,436,140 | K 539,819 |
|  | KR 12,896 | KR 12,588 | KR 849 | KR 13,436 | KR 540 |
| Total (2012) | K 45,264,560 | K 44,565,900 | K 3,625,307 | K 48,191,206 | K 2,926,647 |
|  | KR 45,265 | KR 44,566 | KR 3,625 | KR 48,191 | KR 2,927 |
| January $2013{ }^{*}$ | K 4,163,183 | K 3,831,735 | K 524,253 | K 4,355,988 | K 192,805 |
|  | KR 4,163 | KR 3,832 | KR 524 | KR 4,356 | KR 193 |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
These trade data are compiled based on the General Trade System
Note: (*) Provisional
(®) Revised

Exports by Major Product Categories, January 2013 and December 2012

Zambia's major export products in January 2013 were from the intermediate goods category (mainly comprising copper cathodes and sections of refined copper) accounting for 76.9 percent. Other exports were from Consumer goods, Raw materials and Capital goods categories which collectively accounted
for 23.1 percent of total exports in January 2013. This implies that between December 2012 and January 2013, the country has been a net exporter of Intermediate goods, mainly Metals and their articles, accounting for an average of 75.2 percent of the total exports.

Exports by Major Product Categories January 2013* and December 2012

| Description | January 2013* |  |  | December 2012® |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value |  | \% Share | Value |  | \% Share |
|  | ( $\mathrm{K}^{\prime}$ million) | (KR Million) |  | ( $\mathrm{K}^{\prime}$ million) | (KR Million ) |  |
| Consumer Goods | 647,313 | 647 | 14.9 | 760,399 | 760 | 19.0 |
| Raw Materials | 299,269 | 299 | 6.9 | 245,085 | 245 | 6.1 |
| Intermediate Goods | 3,351,252 | 3,351 | 76.9 | 2,944,198 | 2,944 | 73.4 |
| Capital Goods | 58,154 | 58 | 1.3 | 60,549 | 61 | 1.5 |
| Total: | 4,355,988 | 4,356 | 100.0 | 4,010,231 | 4,010 | 100.0 |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
Note: (*) Provisional
(®) Revised
Zambia's Metal Exports and Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), January 2013 and December 2012

There has been an increase in the total value of Metal exports from K2, 653.6 Billion (KR 2,653.6 Million) in December 2012 to K 2, 981.1 Billion (KR 2,981.1 Million) in January 2013. The overall contribution of Metals and their products
to the total export earnings in December 2012 and January 2013 averaged 67.3 percent. The share of NTEs recorded an average of 32.7 percent in revenue earnings between January 2013 and December 2012.

Zambia's Metal Exports and Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), January
2013 and December 2012

| GROUP | January 2013* |  |  | December 2012 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value |  | \% Share | Value |  | \% Share |
|  | ( K ' million) | (KR Million) |  | ( $\mathrm{K}^{\prime}$ million) | (KR Million ) |  |
| Traditional Exports (mainly Metals) | 2,981,126 | 2,981 | 68.4 | 2,653,564 | 2,654 | 66.2 |
| Non-Traditional Exports | 1,374,862 | 1,375 | 31.6 | 1,356,667 | 1,357 | 33.8 |
| Total Exports | 4,355,988 | 4,356 | 100.0 | 4,010,231 | 4,010 | 100.0 |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
Note: (*) Provisional
(®) Revised
Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in January 2013

Zambia's major export destination in January 2013 was Switzerland, which accounted for 41.0 percent. The major export products were Cathodes \&

Sections of Cathodes of refined Copper accounting for 91.7 percent.

China was the second major destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 20.6
percent. The main export product was Copper Blister (66.8 percent).

United Arab Emirates was the third major export destination accounting for 11.9 percent. The main export products were Plates, sheets and strip, of refined copper, uncoiled, accounting for 20.8 percent.

The fourth major export destination was Congo DR, accounting for 8.2 percent.

The main export products were Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk (34.3 percent).

The fifth major export destination was South Africa which accounted for 6.4 percent. The major export products were Semi-manufactured gold (incl. gold plated with platinum), which accounted for 23.1 percent.

These five countries collectively accounted for 88.1 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in January 2013.

Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product for January 2013*

| Country / HsCode | Description | January 2013* |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Value |  | \% Share |
|  |  | (K' Million) | (KR 'Million) |  |
| SWITZERLAND |  | 1,785,545 | 1,786 | 100.0 |
| 74031100 | Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper | 1,636,828 | 1,637 | 91.7 |
| 74031910 | Copper Blister | 57,973 | 58 | 3.2 |
| 33030000 | Perfumes and toilet waters | 47,355 | 47 | 2.7 |
| 74091900 | Plates, sheets and strip, of refined copper, uncoiled, $>0.15 \mathrm{~mm}$ thick | 23,883 | 24 | 1.3 |
| 52010000 | Cotton, not carded or combed | 15,934 | 16 | 0.9 |
| 12081000 | Soya bean flour and meal | 3,416 | 3 | 0.2 |
| 23021000 | Brans, sharps and other residues of maize | 137 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 23023000 | Brans, sharps and other residues of wheat | 19 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Percent of Total January Exports |  | 41.0 |  |  |
| CHINA |  | 897,098 | 897 | 100.0 |
| 74031910 | Copper Blister | 598,813 | 599 | 66.8 |
| 74032900 | Copper (excl. master) alloys, nes, unwrought | 146,184 | 146 | 16.3 |
| 74031100 | Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper | 79,239 | 79 | 8.8 |
| 24012000 | Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped | 62,650 | 63 | 7.0 |
| 81059000 | Other: Articles of cobalt, nes | 3,012 | 3 | 0.3 |
| 26020000 | Manganese ores/concentrates (inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20\% | 2,942 | 3 | 0.3 |
| 26030000 | Copper ores and concentrates | 1,742 | 2 | 0.2 |
| 52030000 | Cotton, carded or combed | 943 | 1 | 0.1 |
| 44079900 | Wood, nes sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, >6mm thick | 451 | 0 | 0.1 |
| 82071900 | Rock drilling/earth boring tools(excl.with working part of cermets);parts | 444 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Other Products |  | 679 | 1 | 0.1 |
| Percent of Total January Exports |  | 20.6 |  |  |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES |  | 519,853 | 520 | 100.0 |
| 74091900 | Plates, sheets and strip, of refined copper, uncoiled, $>0.15 \mathrm{~mm}$ thick | 108,001 | 108 | 20.8 |
| 22083000 | Whiskies | 95,301 | 95 | 18.3 |
| 18063200 | Chocolate, etc, containing cocoa in blocks, slabs or bars, not filled | 88,099 | 88 | 16.9 |
| 22089000 | Other spirituous beverages, nes | 66,654 | 67 | 12.8 |
| 74031100 | Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper | 42,587 | 43 | 8.2 |
| 33079000 | Other perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations, nes | 26,054 | 26 | 5.0 |
| 22042100 | Wine (not sparkling); grape must with by alcohol in: <=21 containers | 18,686 | 19 | 3.6 |
| 22086000 | Vodka | 12,833 | 13 | 2.5 |
| 22087000 | Liqueurs and cordials | 12,463 | 12 | 2.4 |
| 24022000 | Cigarettes containing tobacco | 11,719 | 12 | 2.3 |
| Other Products |  | 37,456 | 37 | 7.2 |
| Percent of Total January Exports |  | 11.9 |  |  |
| CONGO DR |  | 357,526 | 358 | 100.0 |
| 28070010 | Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk | 122,736 | 123 | 34.3 |
| 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 41,497 | 41 | 11.6 |
| 28020010 | Sulphur, sublimed or precipitated; colloidal sulphur - In bulk | 30,493 | 30 | 8.5 |
| 15100000 | Other oils and their fractions, obtained solely from olives, nes | 20,149 | 20 | 5.6 |
| 17011300 | Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter | 13,910 | 14 | 3.9 |


| Country / HsCode | Description | January 2013* |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Value |  | \% Share |
| 15121900 | Sunflower-seed and safflower oil (excl. crude) and fractions thereof | 11,887 | 12 | 3.3 |
| 25223000 | Hydraulic lime | 9,888 | 10 | 2.8 |
| 11010000 | Wheat or meslin flour | 9,243 | 9 | 2.6 |
| 25199000 | Magnesia and other magnesium oxide | 7,795 | 8 | 2.2 |
| 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 7,707 | 8 | 2.2 |
| Other Products |  | 82,220 | 82 | 23.0 |
| Percent of Total January Exports |  | 8.2 |  |  |
| SOUTH AFRICA |  | 279,056 | 279 | 100.0 |
| 71081300 | Semi-manufactured gold (incl. gold plated with platinum), nonmonetary | 64,521 | 65 | 23.1 |
| 81059000 | Other: Articles of cobalt, nes | 59,631 | 60 | 21.4 |
| 52010000 | Cotton, not carded or combed | 33,065 | 33 | 11.8 |
| 17031000 | Cane molasses resulting from the extraction or refining of sugar | 17,914 | 18 | 6.4 |
| 74031100 | Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper | 16,808 | 17 | 6.0 |
| 74081100 | Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension $>6 \mathrm{~mm}$ | 13,704 | 14 | 4.9 |
| 85444900 | Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage $<=80 \mathrm{~V}$, not fitted with connectors | 11,436 | 11 | 4.1 |
| 23021000 | Brans, sharps and other residues of maize | 9,403 | 9 | 3.4 |
| 12072000 | Cotton seeds | 8,039 | 8 | 2.9 |
| 52030000 | Cotton, carded or combed | 6,698 | 7 | 2.4 |
| Other Products |  | 37,837 | 38 | 13.6 |
| Percent of Total January Exports |  | 6.4 |  |  |
| Other Destinations |  | K 516,911 | KR 517 | 11.9 |
| Total Value of January Exports |  | K 4,355,988 | KR 4,356 |  |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
Note: (*) Provisional

## Export Market Shares by Regional Groupings, January 2013 and December 2012

Asia was the largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 35.7 percent in January 2013. Within Asia, China was the dominant market with 57.6 percent. Other notable markets in Asia were United Arab Emirates, India, Japan and Saudi Arabia.

The Southern African Development Community (SADC) regional grouping was the second largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 19.4 percent in January 2013. Within SADC, Congo DR dominated the export market with 42.3 percent. Other markets in SADC were South Africa, Zimbabwe, Namibia and Malawi.

The Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA) was the third largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 11.0 percent in January 2013. Within COMESA, Congo DR was the dominant market with 74.5 percent. Other markets in COMESA were Zimbabwe, Malawi, Kenya and Burundi.

The European Union (EU) was the fourth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 3.3 percent in January 2013. Within the EU, Luxembourg was the dominant market with 30.2 percent in January 2013. Other notable markets were Belgium, United Kingdom, France and Netherlands.

Export Market Shares by Regional Groupings, January 2013 and December 2012

| GROUPING | January 2013* |  |  | GROUPING | December 2012(R) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value |  | \% Share |  | Value |  | \% Share |
|  | ( K 'Million) | (KR Million) |  |  | (K 'Million) | (KR Million) |  |
| ASIA | 1,557,235 | 1,557 | 100.0 | SADC | 1,223,158 | 1,223 | 100.0 |
| CHINA | 897,098 | 897 | 57.6 | SOUTH AFRICA | 546,712 | 547 | 44.7 |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | 519,853 | 520 | 33.4 | CONGO DR | 269,523 | 270 | 22.0 |
| INDIA | 84,592 | 85 | 5.4 | MALAWI | 264,313 | 264 | 21.6 |
| JAPAN | 23,607 | 24 | 1.5 | ZIMBABWE | 78,205 | 78 | 6.4 |
| SAUDI ARABIA | 22,268 | 22 | 1.4 | TANZANIA | 17,449 | 17 | 1.4 |
| Other ASIA | 9,816 | 10 | 0.6 | Other SADC | 46,955 | 47 | 3.8 |
| \% of Total January 2013 Exports | 35.7 |  |  | \% of Total December 2012 Exports | 30.5 |  |  |
| SADC | 844,498 | 844 | 100.0 | ASIA | 979,741 | 980 | 100.0 |
| CONGO DR | 357,526 | 358 | 42.3 | CHINA | 802,803 | 803 | 81.9 |
| SOUTH AFRICA | 279,056 | 279 | 33.0 | UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | 103,386 | 103 | 10.6 |
| ZIMBABWE | 73,415 | 73 | 8.7 | INDIA | 60,701 | 61 | 6.2 |
| NAMIBIA | 66,980 | 67 | 7.9 | HONG KONG | 5,764 | 6 | 0.6 |
| MALAWI | 26,884 | 27 | 3.2 | SINGAPORE | 3,904 | 4 | 0.4 |
| Other SADC | 40,637 | 41 | 4.8 | Other ASIA | 3,183 | 3 | 0.3 |
| \% of Total January 2013 Exports | 19.4 |  |  | \% of Total December 2012 Exports | 24.4 |  |  |
| COMESA | 479,975 | 480 | 100.0 | COMESA | 658,285 | 658 | 100.0 |
| CONGO DR | 357,526 | 358 | 74.5 | CONGO DR | 269,523 | 270 | 40.9 |
| ZIMBABWE | 73,415 | 73 | 15.3 | MALAWI | 264,313 | 264 | 40.2 |
| MALAWI | 26,884 | 27 | 5.6 | ZIMBABWE | 78,205 | 78 | 11.9 |
| KENYA | 14,297 | 14 | 3.0 | MAURITIUS | 17,395 | 17 | 2.6 |
| BURUNDI | 4,148 | 4 | 0.9 | BURUNDI | 13,154 | 13 | 2.0 |
| Other COMESA | 3,705 | 4 | 0.8 | Other COMESA | 15,695 | 16 | 2.4 |
| \% of Total January 2013 Exports | 11.0 |  |  | \% of Total December 2012 Exports | 16.4 |  |  |
| EUROPEAN UNION | 145,171 | 145 | 100.0 | EUROPEAN UNION | 79,854 | 80 | 100.0 |
| LUXEMBOURG | 43,864 | 44 | 30.2 | UNITED KINGDOM | 29,375 | 29 | 36.8 |
| BELGIUM | 43,454 | 43 | 29.9 | BELGIUM | 20,306 | 20 | 25.4 |
| UNITED KINGDOM | 37,576 | 38 | 25.9 | NETHERLANDS | 14,086 | 14 | 17.6 |
| FRANCE | 8,058 | 8 | 5.6 | FRANCE | 7,002 | 7 | 8.8 |
| NETHERLANDS | 7,515 | 8 | 5.2 | SLOVENIA | 4,247 | 4 | 5.3 |
| Other EU | 4,704 | 5 | 3.2 | Other EU | 4,839 | 5 | 6.1 |
| \% of Total January 2013 Exports | 3.3 |  |  | \% of Total December 2012 Exports | 2.0 |  |  |
| Total Value of January 2013 Exports | 4,355,988 4,356 |  |  | Total Value of December 2012 Exports | 4,010,231 | 4,010 |  |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
Note: (*) Provisional
(R) Revised

Imports by Major Product Categories, January 2013 and December 2012

Zambia's major import products by category in January 2013 were Capital goods, accounting for 43.6 percent. The Intermediate Goods category was second with 20.8 percent, followed by Raw materials category with 18.7
percent. Consumer Goods ranked fourth with 16.9 percent. In January 2013 and December 2012, the country has been a net importer of Capital goods, contributing an average of 39.1 percent of the total imports.

Imports (cif) by Major Product Categories January 2013 and December 2012

| Description | January 2013* |  |  | December 2012 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value |  | \% Share | Value |  | \% Share |
|  | ( $\mathrm{K}^{\prime}$ million) | (KR Million) |  | (K' million) | (KR Million) |  |
| Consumer Goods | 701,806 | 702 | 16.9 | 854,865 | 855 | 22.1 |
| Raw Materials | 777,902 | 778 | 18.7 | 688,738 | 689 | 17.8 |
| Intermediate Goods | 867,450 | 867 | 20.8 | 991,288 | 991 | 25.6 |
| Capital Goods | 1,816,025 | 1,816 | 43.6 | 1,339,489 | 1,339 | 34.6 |
| Total: | 4,163,183 | 4,163 | 100.0 | 3,874,380 | 3,874 | 100.0 |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013
Note: (*) Provisional
(R) Revised

## Zambia's Major Import Sources by Commodity in January 2013

The major source of Zambia's imports in January 2013 was South Africa, accounting for 26.1 percent. The major import products were Structures and parts of structures, nes, of iron or steel, contributing 3.4 percent.

The second main source of Zambia's imports was Congo (DR), which accounted for 22.1 percent. The major import products were Copper ores and concentrates, which accounted for 70.5 percent.

The third main source of Zambia's imports in January 2013 was China, accounting for 9.7 percent of the total value of imports. The major import products were Other parts of aero planes or helicopters including regulators accounting for 15.4 percent.

Other sources of Zambia's imports were United Kingdom and Japan, which collectively accounted for 9.5 percent of Zambia's Imports.

Zambia's Five Major Import Sources by Product for January 2013*

| Country / HsCode | Description | January 2013* |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Value |  | \% Share |
|  |  | (K' Million) | (KR 'Million) |  |
| SOUTH AFRICA |  | 1,085,764 | 1,086 | 100.0 |
| 73089090 | Structures and parts of structures, nes, of iron or steel - Other | 37,413 | 37 | 3.4 |
| 84749000 | Parts of machinery of 84.74 | 36,580 | 37 | 3.4 |
| 28020010 | Sulphur, sublimed or precipitated; colloidal sulphur - In bulk | 34,817 | 35 | 3.2 |
| 87042110 | Diesel Dual purpose vehicles for both persons \& goods (twin cab, pickup) upto 5 tonnes | 21,889 | 22 | 2.0 |
| 27101950 | Cutting oil, grease cutting oils, cleaning oils etc. | 21,628 | 22 | 2.0 |
| 31023000 | Ammonium nitrate | 18,702 | 19 | 1.7 |
| 94035000 | Wooden furniture of a kind used in the bedroom (excl. seats) | 18,628 | 19 | 1.7 |
| 84314900 | Parts of machinery of $84.26,84.29$ and 84.30, nes | 18,145 | 18 | 1.7 |
| 21069090 | Other food preparations, nes | 13,521 | 14 | 1.2 |
| 94016100 | Upholstered seats, with wooden frames | 12,764 | 13 | 1.2 |
| Other Products |  | 851,678 | 852 | 78.4 |
| Percent of Total January Imports |  | 26.1 |  |  |
| CONGO DR |  | 918,534 | 918 | 100.0 |
| 26030000 | Copper ores and concentrates | 647,727 | 648 | 70.5 |
| 74062000 | Copper powders of lamellar structure; flakes | 206,825 | 207 | 22.5 |
| 26050000 | Cobalt ores and concentrates | 44,280 | 44 | 4.8 |
| 28220010 | Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk | 14,940 | 15 | 1.6 |
| 84314900 | Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes | 692 | 1 | 0.1 |
| 39069011 | Acrylic polymers prepared, in primary forms, nes - Pigmented | 479 | 0 | 0.1 |
| 84314300 | Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 | 421 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 87032390 | Vehicles with engine capacity exceeding 1500cc but not exceeding 3000cc - OTHER. | 319 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 84144000 | Air compressors mounted on a wheeled chassis for towing | 293 | 0 | 0.0 |


| 89052000 | Floating or submersible drilling or production platforms | 289 | 0 | 0.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Other Products |  | 2,268 | 2 | 0.2 |
| Percent of Total January Imports |  | 22.1 |  |  |
| CHINA |  | 402,985 | 403 | 100.0 |
| 88033000 | Other parts of aero planes or helicopters | 62,101 | 62 | 15.4 |
| 85177000 | Parts | 42,049 | 42 | 10.4 |
| 84109000 | Parts of hydraulic turbines, water wheels including regulators | 21,130 | 21 | 5.2 |
| 73089020 | Structures and parts of structures, nes, of iron or steel - minlead frames \& super strs | 19,807 | 20 | 4.9 |
| 85447000 | Optical fibre cables made up of individually sheathed fibres | 16,295 | 16 | 4.0 |
| 87032390 | Vehicles with engine capacity exceeding 1500cc but not exceeding 3000cc - OTHER. | 10,846 | 11 | 2.7 |
| 85176900 | Other | 9,441 | 9 | 2.3 |
| 87042300 | Goods vehicles, with diesel or semi-diesel engines, gvw >20tonnes | 7,336 | 7 | 1.8 |
| 85049000 | Parts of transformers, inductors and static converters | 7,266 | 7 | 1.8 |
| 85291000 | Aerials and aerial reflectors of all kinds and parts thereof | 7,071 | 7 | 1.8 |
| Other Products |  | 199,644 | 200 | 49.5 |
| Percent of Total January Imports |  | 9.7 |  |  |
| UNITED KIINGDOM |  | 198,021 | 198 | 100.0 |
| 87032390 | Vehicles with engine capacity exceeding 1500cc but not exceeding 3000cc - OTHER. | 12,593 | 13 | 6.4 |
| 87012000 | Road tractors for semi-trailers | 10,481 | 10 | 5.3 |
| 30039000 | Other medicaments with >=2 constituents, not for retail sale, nes | 8,968 | 9 | 4.5 |
| 85234900 | Optical media, excl. unrecorded | 8,782 | 9 | 4.4 |
| 85285100 | Other monitors of a kind solely or principally used in a data processing system of ... | 7,876 | 8 | 4.0 |
| 87042300 | Goods vehicles, with diesel or semi-diesel engines, gvw >20tonnes | 7,739 | 8 | 3.9 |
| 90189000 | Instruments and apparatus, nes, for medical, surgical... sciences | 7,161 | 7 | 3.6 |
| 90191000 | Mechano-therapy appliances; massage apparatus; psychological apparatus | 7,143 | 7 | 3.6 |
| 30049000 | Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes | 6,874 | 7 | 3.5 |
| 84714900 | Non-portable ADP machines, nes, presented in the form of systems | 6,015 | 6 | 3.0 |
| Other Products |  | 114,388 | 114 | 57.8 |
| Percent of Total January Imports |  | 4.8 |  |  |
| JAPAN |  | 195,951 | 196 | 100.0 |
| 87032390 | Vehicles with engine capacity exceeding 1500cc but not exceeding 3000cc - OTHER. | 77,125 | 77 | 39.4 |
| 87032290 | Vehicles with engine capacity exceeding 1000cc but not exceeding 1500cc:OTHER | 65,309 | 65 | 33.3 |
| 87042190 | Diesel Non dual purpose vehicles for either persons or goods upto 5 tonnes | 23,046 | 23 | 11.8 |
| 87033390 | Vehicles with diesel... engine of cylinder capacity >=2500cc - OTHER | 5,788 | 6 | 3.0 |
| 73090000 | Reservoirs, tanks... (excl. for gas) of iron or steel, >=300 I | 4,896 | 5 | 2.5 |
| 73030090 | Tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of cast iron - OTHER | 4,247 | 4 | 2.2 |
| 87021090 | Motor vehicles for transport of persons sitting capacity more than 14 (Diesel) | 3,755 | 4 | 1.9 |
| 39021020 | Other primary forms of polymers of propylene or other olefins, not pigmented | 1,266 | 1 | 0.6 |
| 87042110 | Diesel Dual purpose vehicles for both persons \& goods (twin cab, pickup) upto 5 tonnes | 954 | 1 | 0.5 |
| 87032190 | Other: Vehicles with spark-ignition engine of cylinder capacity <1000cc. | 952 | 1 | 0.5 |
| Other Products |  | 8,612 | 9 | 4.4 |
| Percent of Total January Imports |  | 4.7 |  |  |
| Other Sources |  | K 1,361,928 | KR 1,362 | 32.7 |
| Total Value of January Imports |  | K 4,163,183 | KR 4,163 |  |

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2012
Note: (*) Provisional
(R) Revised figures

## Import Market Shares by Regional Groupings, January 2013 and December 2012

The Southern African Development Community (SADC) regional grouping was the largest source of Zambia's imports accounting for 51.9 percent in January 2013. Within SADC, South Africa
was the major source of Zambia's imports with 50.2 percent. Other notable markets were Congo (DR), Tanzania, Zimbabwe and Botswana.

The Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA) regional grouping was the second largest source of Zambia's imports accounting for 27.9 percent in January 2013. Within COMESA, Congo DR was the main source of Zambia's imports with 79.0 percent. Other notable markets were Kenya, Zimbabwe, Egypt and Malawi.
Asia was the third largest source of Zambia's imports accounting for 26.2 percent in January 2013. Within Asia, China was the main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 37.0 percent.

Other notable markets were Japan, United Arab Emirate, India and Singapore.

European Union was the fourth largest source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 12.8 percent. Within this grouping, the United Kingdom was the main source of Zambia's imports with 37.3 percent. Other notable markets were Germany, Belgium, Sweden and Ireland.

Import Market Shares by Regional Groupings, January 2013 and December 2012

| GROUPING | January 2013* |  |  | GROUPING | December 2012(R) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value |  | \% <br> Share |  | Value |  | \% Share |
|  | ( K 'Million) | (KR <br> Million) |  |  | (K 'Million) | (KR <br> Million) |  |
| SADC | 2,160,732 | 2,161 | 100.0 | SADC | 2,196,640 | 2,197 | 100.0 |
| SOUTH AFRICA | 1,085,764 | 1,086 | 50.2 | SOUTH AFRICA | 1,177,740 | 1,178 | 53.6 |
| CONGO DR | 918,542 | 919 | 42.5 | CONGO DR | 848,023 | 848 | 38.6 |
| TANZANIA | 48,050 | 48 | 2.2 | ZIMBABWE | 31,889 | 32 | 1.5 |
| ZIMBABWE | 38,076 | 38 | 1.8 | TANZANIA | 24,265 | 24 | 1.1 |
| BOTSWANA | 16,223 | 16 | 0.8 | MOZAMBIQUE | 23,569 | 24 | 1.1 |
| Other SADC | 54,078 | 54 | 2.5 | Other SADC | 91,154 | 91 | 4.1 |
| \% of January 2013 Imports | 51.9 |  |  | \% of December 2012 Imports | 56.7 |  |  |
| COMESA | 1,162,568 | 1,163 | 100.0 | ASIA | 1,109,941 | 1,110 | 100.0 |
| CONGO DR | 918,542 | 919 | 79.0 | KUWAIT | 312,567 | 313 | 28.2 |
| KENYA | 158,286 | 158 | 13.6 | CHINA | 280,334 | 280 | 25.3 |
| ZIMBABWE | 38,076 | 38 | 3.3 | TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA | 136,151 | 136 | 12.3 |
| EGYPT | 19,622 | 20 | 1.7 | INDIA | 92,582 | 93 | 8.3 |
| MALAWI | 15,862 | 16 | 1.4 | JAPAN | 92,401 | 92 | 8.3 |
| Other COMESA | 12,181 | 12 | 1.0 | Other ASIA | 195,906 | 196 | 17.7 |
| \% of January 2013 Imports | 27.9 |  |  | \% of December 2012 Imports | 28.6 |  |  |
| ASIA | 1,090,499 | 1,090 | 100.0 | COMESA | 1,096,818 | 1,097 | 100.0 |
| CHINA | 402,985 | 403 | 37.0 | CONGO DR | 848,023 | 848 | 77.3 |
| JAPAN | 195,951 | 196 | 18.0 | KENYA | 143,441 | 143 | 13.1 |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | 180,919 | 181 | 16.6 | ZIMBABWE | 31,889 | 32 | 2.9 |
| INDIA | 122,023 | 122 | 11.2 | MALAWI | 20,906 | 21 | 1.9 |
| SINGAPORE | 35,442 | 35 | 3.3 | SWAZILAND | 18,390 | 18 | 1.7 |
| Other ASIA | 153,179 | 153 | 14.0 | Other COMESA | 34,168 | 34 | 3.1 |
| \% of January 2013 Imports | 26.2 |  |  | \% of December 2012 Imports | 28.3 |  |  |
| EUROPEAN UNION | 531,280 | 531 | 100.0 | EUROPEAN UNION | 257,873 | 258 | 100.0 |
| UNITED KINGDOM | 198,026 | 198 | 37.3 | UNITED KINGDOM | 82,351 | 82 | 31.9 |
| GERMANY | 131,235 | 131 | 24.7 | GERMANY | 55,683 | 56 | 21.6 |
| BELGIUM | 43,342 | 43 | 8.2 | SWEDEN | 41,967 | 42 | 16.3 |
| SWEDEN | 34,601 | 35 | 6.5 | IRELAND | 22,667 | 23 | 8.8 |
| IRELAND | 33,765 | 34 | 6.4 | BELGIUM | 18,577 | 19 | 7.2 |
| Other EU | 90,311 | 90 | 17.0 | Other EU | 36,628 | 37 | 14.2 |
| \% of January 2013 Imports | 12.8 |  |  | \% of December 2012 Imports | 6.7 |  |  |
| Total Value of January 2013 Imports | 4,163,183 | 4163 |  | Total Value of December 2012 Imports | 3,874,380 | 3,874 |  |
| Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2013 <br> Note: ( ${ }^{*}$ ) Provisional <br> (R) Revised figures |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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## SELECTED SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS

POPULATION 2000 to 2010

|  | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Population | 9,885,591 | 10,089,492 | 10,409,441 | 10,744,380 | 11,089,691 | 11,441,461 | 11,798,678 | 12,160,516 | 12,525,791 | 12,896,830 | 13,092,666 |
| Population Growth Rate | 2.5 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3 | 3 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.8 |
| Life Expectancy at Birth | 50 | 51.8 | 51.9 | 52.4 | 52.4 | 52.6 | 51.9 | 51.4 | 51.3 | 51.2 | - |
| POPULATION BY PROVINCE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Central | 1,012,257 | 1,032,574 | 1,066,992 | 1,103,387 | 1,141,256 | 1,180,124 | 1,219,980 | 1,260,491 | 1,301,776 | 1,343,835 | 1,307,111 |
| Copperbelt | 1,581,221 | 1,611,569 | 1,662,155 | 1,714,225 | 1,767,165 | 1,820,443 | 1,874,081 | 1,927,576 | 1,980,824 | 2034012 | 1,972,317 |
| Eastern** | 1,231,283 | 1,348,070 | 1,391,690 | 1,436,120 | 1,482,290 | 1,530,118 | 1,579,960 | 1,631,890 | 1,684,910 | 1,740,180 | 1,592,661 |
| Luapula | 775,353 | 791,067 | 817,326 | 845,076 | 873,969 | 903,746 | 934,317 | 965,605 | 997,579 | 1,030,572 | 991,927 |
| Lusaka | 1,391,329 | 1,413,010 | 1,453,690 | 1,495,730 | 1,538,000 | 1,579,769 | 1,620,730 | 1,660,070 | 1,697,730 | 1,733,830 | 2,191,225 |
| Muchinga* | 524,186 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 711,657 |
| Northern** | 809,400 | 1,277,250 | 1,315,650 | 1,357,540 | 1,401,340 | 1,445,730 | 1,490,330 | 1,534,170 | 1,577,310 | 1,619,980 | 1,105,824 |
| North-western | 583,350 | 596,010 | 616,496 | 638,004 | 660,322 | 683,367 | 707,074 | 731,351 | 756,261 | 781,800 | 727,044 |
| Southern | 1,212,124 | 1,235,134 | 1,275,470 | 1,318,161 | 1,362,382 | 1,407,433 | 1,453,324 | 1,499,462 | 1,545,880 | 1,592,864 | 1,589,926 |
| Western | 765,088 | 774,929 | 795,247 | 816,983 | 839,757 | 863294 | 887,540 | 912,226 | 937,419 | 963,107 | 902,974 |

Source: CSO, Population Projections Report
 and Housing figures.
*Muchinga was created in 2011
**2000 Census figures were adjusted following the new provincial demarcations

| KIND OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing | 5.0 | 4.3 | (0.6) | 2.2 | 0.4 | 2.6 | 7.2 | 6.6 | 8.0 | 7.1 |
| Agriculture | 8.0 | 6.1 | (4.0) | 3.0 | (2.7) | 1.9 | 12.4 | 13.6 | 14.0 | 11.6 |
| Forestry | 4.3 | 4.3 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 |
| Fishing | (0.7) | (0.7) | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | (7.0) | (2.0) | (2.0) |
| Mining and Quarrying | 3.4 | 13.9 | 7.9 | 7.3 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 20.3 | 15.2 | (5.2) | (13.2) |
| Metal Mining | 3.3 | 13.5 | 7.1 | 9.0 | 4.4 | 2.5 | 19.7 | 16.0 | (5.3) | (13.3) |
| Other mining and quarrying | 10.7 | 35.8 | 42.9 | (45.8) | (45.5) | (3.5) | 99.6 | (48.8) | 8.1 | 4.0 |
| PRIMARY SECTOR | 4.5 | 7.5 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 12.4 | 10.2 | 2.2 | (1.2) |
| Manufacturing | 7.6 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 5.7 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 4.2 | 8.0 | 11.2 |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | 8.6 | 5.8 | 3.6 | 8.9 | 7.6 | 3.0 | 4.9 | 7.4 | 9.3 | 11.8 |
| Textile, and leather industries | 3.2 | (1.9) | (2.9) | (1.3) | (19.5) | (23.6) | (20.0) | (56.8) | (54.7) | (9.1) |
| Wood and wood products | 11.4 | 4.2 | 3.6 | 0.7 | 3.7 | 12.1 | 2.6 | 13.4 | 6.1 | 3.7 |
| Paper and Paper products | 8.2 | 2.5 | 10.6 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 29.3 | 6.2 | 22.7 | 18.5 | 16.2 |
| Chemicals, rubber and plastic products | 4.9 | 8.5 | 3.2 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 5.2 | (0.3) | 2.7 | 7.2 | 12.8 |
| Non-metallic mineral products | 14.9 | 14.4 | 7.4 | (5.2) | 2.3 | 5.0 | 11.7 | 13.0 | 25.0 | 16.9 |
| Basic metal products | 15.1 | 3.1 | (2.0) | 1.9 | (4.8) | 23.0 | (4.8) | (2.0) | (0.9) | 12.0 |
| Fabricated metal products | 5.3 | 4.8 | 7.4 | 5.0 | 7.8 | (2.5) | (3.4) | 12.8 | 16.6 | 7.7 |
| Electricity, Gas and Water | 0.4 | (1.7) | 5.4 | 10.5 | 1.0 | (1.2) | 6.8 | 7.4 | 8.2 | 2.3 |
| Construction | 21.6 | 20.5 | 21.2 | 14.4 | 20.0 | 8.7 | 9.5 | 8.1 | 8.9 | 15.3 |
| SECONDARY SECTOR | 10.8 | 9.1 | 10.0 | 9.8 | 10.0 | 4.7 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 8.5 | 12.3 |
| Wholesale and Retail Trade | 6.1 | 5.0 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 2.3 | 4.2 | 7.5 | 7.9 |
| Restaurants, Bars and Hotels | 6.9 | 6.4 | 11.7 | 16.1 | 9.6 | 5.0 | (13.4) | 10.2 | 7.9 | 2.1 |
| Transport, Storage and Communications | 4.8 | 6.4 | 11.0 | 22.1 | 19.2 | 15.8 | 7.6 | 14.9 | 13.7 | 11.3 |
| Rail Transport | (8.1) | (1.8) | (11.6) | (2.6) | (18.7) | (20.2) | (23.8) | 13.1 | 4.4 | (34.1) |
| Road Transport | 3.9 | 4.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 13.2 | 13.3 | 6.3 | 10.8 | 10.9 |
| Air Transport | 3.9 | 18.1 | 10.8 | 33.5 | 24.1 | 13.7 | (23.4) | 19.1 | 13.1 | 9.5 |
| Communications | 10.0 | 5.0 | 23.2 | 40.5 | 33.6 | 21.1 | 19.4 | 20.0 | 16.0 | 13.0 |
| Financial Institutions and Insurance | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 8.7 | 5.2 | 6.0 | 4.9 | 12.0 |
| Real Estate and Business services | 4.0 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 2.9 |
| Community, Social and Personal Services | 1.6 | 0.6 | 11.4 | 9.0 | 12.5 | 11.7 | 8.6 | 5.3 | 8.4 | 8.4 |
| Public Administration \& Defence/Public sanitary services | 0.2 | 0.2 | 6.2 | (8.7) | 14.8 | 2.2 | 0.4 | (3.1) | 10.6 | 10.6 |
| Education | 3.0 | 0.3 | 22.2 | 35.3 | 13.6 | 19.6 | 15.2 | 11.8 | 7.5 | 7.5 |
| Health | 2.5 | (0.8) | (2.2) | 5.2 | 1.0 | 18.3 | 7.7 | 7.2 | 13.3 | 13.3 |
| Recreation, Religious, | 4.5 | 4.3 | 34.1 | 22.8 | 9.3 | 26.7 | 17.7 | 5.0 | 2.8 | 2.8 |
| Personal Services | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 |
| TERTIARY SECTOR | 4.5 | 4.2 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 3.9 | 6.6 | 7.8 | 8.2 |
| Less: FISIM | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 |
| TOTAL GROSS VALUE ADDED | 6.0 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 5.7 | 6.4 | 7.6 | 6.8 | 7.3 |
| Taxes less subsidies on Products | (2.7) | (2.7) | (0.1) | (3.1) | (0.3) | 5.7 | 6.4 | 7.6 | 6.8 | 7.3 |
| TOTAL G.D.P. AT MARKET PRICES | 5.1 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 5.7 | 6.4 | 7.6 | 6.8 | 7.3 |

Source: CSO, National Statistics, 2012
*Preliminary Estimates

## GDP BY KIND OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AT CURRENT PTICES (K' BILLION)

| KIND OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing | 2,002.2 | 2,582.0 | 3,247.4 | 4,244.6 | 5,568.2 | 6,723.6 | 7,800.2 | 9,139.5 | 10,863.8 | 13,461.4 | 15,642.3 | 18,094.8 | 20,439.1 |
| Agriculture | 561.1 | 627.3 | 749.8 | 1,008.2 | 1,249.5 | 1,421.7 | 1,537.0 | 1,575.1 | 1,826.4 | 2,344.3 | 2,801.4 | 3,351.7 | 3,978.2 |
| Forestry | 1,285.0 | 1,778.5 | 2,274.3 | 2,960.3 | 3,998.5 | 4,920.3 | 5,855.7 | 7,127.7 | 8,531.6 | 10,528.8 | 12,265.5 | 14,151.6 | 15,844.2 |
| Fishing | 156.1 | 176.3 | 223.3 | 276.1 | 320.2 | 381.6 | 407.5 | 436.7 | 505.8 | 588.2 | 575.3 | 591.5 | 616.7 |
| Mining and Quarrying | 416.1 | 518.9 | 575.1 | 564.8 | 809.6 | 1,030.9 | 1,612.5 | 2,037.2 | 1,998.9 | 1,682.1 | 2,837.8 | 3,144.1 | 2,315.3 |
| Metal Mining | 407.9 | 511.3 | 568.8 | 558.2 | 798.3 | 1,011.7 | 1,597.5 | 2,027.2 | 1,989.8 | 1,669.3 | 2,828.1 | 3,131.9 | 2,304.6 |
| Other Mining and Quarrying | 8.2 | 7.6 | 6.3 | 6.6 | 11.3 | 19.1 | 15.0 | 9.9 | 9.2 | 12.9 | 9.6 | 12.2 | 10.7 |
| PRIMARY SECTOR | 2,418.4 | 3,101.0 | 3,822.5 | 4,809.4 | 6,377.7 | 7,754.5 | 9,412.8 | 11,176.7 | 12,862.7 | 15,143.5 | 18,480.0 | 21,238.9 | 22,754.4 |
| Manufacturing | 1,024.6 | 1,293.1 | 1,693.6 | 2,241.0 | 2,827.7 | 3,430.2 | 4,015.7 | 4,487.4 | 5,149.6 | 6,016.9 | 6,770.8 | 7,797.5 | 9,201.6 |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | 613.9 | 768.4 | 1,033.4 | 1,397.2 | 1,726.6 | 2,121.0 | 2,423.5 | 2,745.1 | 3,218.4 | 3,859.0 | 4,358.0 | 4,996.3 | 5,935.8 |
| Textile, and Leather Industries | 180.4 | 224.2 | 284.5 | 352.9 | 450.7 | 500.4 | 630.8 | 611.4 | 506.7 | 445.2 | 214.5 | 106.7 | 103.9 |
| Wood and Wood Products | 64.1 | 89.9 | 118.4 | 164.7 | 222.2 | 273.4 | 323.2 | 393.5 | 509.2 | 621.6 | 791.9 | 934.7 | 1,046.8 |
| Paper and Paper products | 40.0 | 55.1 | 69.0 | 93.1 | 123.6 | 162.4 | 191.3 | 226.1 | 337.3 | 426.4 | 587.7 | 774.6 | 971.7 |
| Chemicals, rubber and plastic products | 85.8 | 111.3 | 142.6 | 178.9 | 231.7 | 281.2 | 331.2 | 372.4 | 432.6 | 519.1 | 613.2 | 703.2 | 833.3 |
| Non-metallic mineral products | 14.3 | 18.5 | 21.9 | 30.0 | 41.0 | 51.8 | 55.3 | 61.1 | 70.8 | 95.1 | 123.7 | 165.3 | 203.0 |
| Basic metal products | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 6.9 | 8.0 | 9.4 | 6.2 | 8.9 | 11.0 | 10.5 |
| Fabricated metal products | 22.9 | 23.0 | 21.0 | 21.0 | 27.7 | 35.2 | 53.6 | 69.9 | 65.2 | 44.2 | 72.8 | 105.6 | 96.6 |
| Electricity, Gas and Water | 328.0 | 445.3 | 488.3 | 595.1 | 694.7 | 922.7 | 1,165.9 | 1,345.0 | 1,512.4 | 1,779.8 | 2,201.8 | 2,910.4 | 3,137.7 |
| Construction | 500.5 | 728.6 | 1,067.7 | 1,590.0 | 2,321.5 | 3,216.4 | 4,703.7 | 6,692.7 | 8,811.4 | 11,819.5 | 15,703.6 | 20,815.0 | 29,471.2 |
| SECONDARY SECTOR | 1,853.1 | 2,466.9 | 3,249.6 | 4,426.1 | 5,843.9 | 7,569.2 | 9,885.3 | 12,525.1 | 15,473.4 | 19,616.2 | 24,676.1 | 31,522.8 | 41,810.5 |
| Wholesale and Retail trade | 1,879.8 | 2,340.5 | 3,004.1 | 3,873.8 | 4,843.7 | 5,868.9 | 6,524.7 | 7,395.5 | 8,539.1 | 9,908.2 | 11,204.2 | 13,089.8 | 15,028.2 |
| Restaurants, Bars and Hotels | 207.0 | 315.9 | 406.8 | 527.7 | 670.9 | 894.0 | 1,120.1 | 1,354.2 | 1,610.8 | 1,545.2 | 1,838.6 | 2,143.8 | 2,290.3 |
| Transport, Storage and Communications | 635.7 | 852.6 | 1,055.9 | 1,058.2 | 1,252.3 | 1,395.6 | 1,629.2 | 1,984.4 | 2,248.9 | 2,355.2 | 3,076.5 | 3,578.4 | 4,009.1 |
| Rail Transport | 54.9 | 72.7 | 82.7 | 89.5 | 100.8 | 93.8 | 94.7 | 91.9 | 79.0 | 66.2 | 105.9 | 122.6 | 86.0 |
| Road Transport | 255.2 | 311.3 | 334.3 | 393.9 | 464.0 | 543.0 | 640.4 | 755.7 | 891.8 | 1,052.6 | 1,242.6 | 1,467.9 | 1,734.5 |
| Air Transport | 99.0 | 133.7 | 129.7 | 152.7 | 203.0 | 243.8 | 356.0 | 488.6 | 573.4 | 453.6 | 611.0 | 737.2 | 844.9 |
| Communications | 226.6 | 334.9 | 509.1 | 422.1 | 484.6 | 515.0 | 538.2 | 648.3 | 704.8 | 782.7 | 1,117.0 | 1,250.6 | 1,343.8 |
| Financial Intermediaries and Insurance | 982.2 | 1,238.8 | 1,493.1 | 1,847.7 | 2,282.7 | 2,771.5 | 3,246.9 | 3,647.2 | 4,373.6 | 5,534.6 | 6,745.1 | 7,568.8 | 8,903.7 |
| Real Estate and Business services | 660.6 | 832.8 | 1,041.2 | 1,341.2 | 1,691.8 | 1,979.4 | 2,296.4 | 2,678.2 | 3,138.4 | 3,671.6 | 4,306.1 | 5,327.9 | 5,811.3 |
| Community, Social and Personal Services | 951.3 | 1,297.1 | 1,478.4 | 1,828.9 | 2,122.8 | 2,806.9 | 3,462.2 | 4,324.1 | 5,465.5 | 6,649.0 | 8,148.6 | 9,696.2 | 11,533.2 |
| Public Administration and Defence | 500.1 | 610.2 | 646.8 | 752.2 | 797.3 | 1,002.2 | 983.0 | 1,258.3 | 1,446.1 | 1,647.3 | 1,732.7 | 2,082.4 | 2,502.7 |
| Education | 256.1 | 394.3 | 496.9 | 688.6 | 867.7 | 1,254.2 | 1,842.6 | 2,335.3 | 3,092.8 | 3,890.8 | 4,694.2 | 5,542.0 | 6,542.9 |
| Health | 107.0 | 175.5 | 203.6 | 252.4 | 292.8 | 338.8 | 389.9 | 445.2 | 576.9 | 690.9 | 1,246.2 | 1,522.9 | 1,861.2 |
| Recreation, Religious, Culture | 36.4 | 52.7 | 48.5 | 29.1 | 31.7 | 50.3 | 67.1 | 81.8 | 114.7 | 147.4 | 167.1 | 188.6 | 212.9 |
| Personal services | 51.7 | 64.4 | 82.7 | 106.6 | 133.3 | 161.5 | 179.6 | 203.5 | 235.0 | 272.7 | 308.3 | 360.2 | 413.6 |
| TERTIARY SECTOR | 5,316.6 | 6,877.8 | 8,479.5 | 10,477.5 | 12,864.2 | 15,716.4 | 18,279.4 | 21,383.6 | 25,376.4 | 29,663.9 | 35,319.1 | 41,404.9 | 47,575.8 |
| Less: FISIM | (564.4) | (711.9) | (858.1) | $(1,061.8)$ | $(1,311.8)$ | $(1,592.8)$ | $(1,865.9)$ | $(2,096.0)$ | $(2,513.4)$ | $(2,922.4)$ | $(3,876.3)$ | $(4,349.6)$ | $(5,116.8)$ |
| TOTAL GROSS VALUE ADDED | 9,023.6 | 11,733.7 | 14,693.6 | 18,651.2 | 23,774.0 | 29,447.4 | 35,711.6 | 42,989.4 | 51,199.1 | 61,501.2 | 74,599.0 | 89,816.9 | 107,023.9 |
| Taxes less subsidies on Products | 1,097.7 | 1,460.0 | 1,630.8 | 1,899.9 | 2,219.1 | 2,594.2 | 2,849.2 | 3,205.4 | 3,640.4 | 3,114.3 | 3,067.6 | 3,527.5 | 4,025.5 |
| TOTAL G.D.P. AT MARKET PRICES | 10,121.3 | 13,193.7 | 16,324.4 | 20,551.1 | 25,993.1 | 32,041.510 | 38,560.8 | 46,194.8 | 54,839.4 | 64,615.6 | 77,666.6 | 93,344.4 | 111,049.4 |

Source: CSO, National Statistics, 2012
*Preliminary Estimates

2011 4TH QUARTER INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION - ZAMBIA

| 2011 4TH QUARTER INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION - ZAMBIA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| PERIOD | TOTAL INDEX | MINING |  |  |  | MANUFACTURING |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL ELECTRICITY |
|  |  | TOTAL MINING | Coal | Nonferrous Ore | Stone Quarrying | TOTAL MANUFACTURING | Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | Textile, Clothing \& Leather |  <br> Wood <br> Products | Paper \& Paper Products | Chemicals, Rubbers \& Plastics | Nonmetallic Mineral Products | Basic <br> Metal Industries | Fabricated Metal Products |  |
| WEIGHT | 1.000 | 0.350 | 0.005 | 0.242 | 0.103 | 0.511 | 0.235 | 0.060 | 0.006 | 0.017 | 0.059 | 0.025 | 0.009 | 0.100 | 0.139 |
| 2010 Q1 | 180.1 | 287.0 | 0.0 | 272.7 | 333.4 | 117.2 | 146.0 | 26.3 | 248.2 | 136.4 | 136.9 | 150.8 | 80.3 | 75.8 | 142.4 |
| 2010 Q2 | 186.9 | 273.4 | 0.0 | 261.7 | 312.9 | 138.5 | 193.6 | 22.8 | 261.2 | 171.5 | 98.6 | 189.8 | 84.8 | 80.6 | 147.2 |
| 2010 Q3 | 190.1 | 272.4 | 0.0 | 261.9 | 308.9 | 146.7 | 204.6 | 3.5 | 177.9 | 120.2 | 87.5 | 199.6 | 78.4 | 126.7 | 142.5 |
| 2010 Q4 | 193.1 | 260.6 | 0.0 | 248.3 | 301.0 | 160.2 | 230.3 | 3.6 | 183.4 | 159.9 | 90.8 | 211.1 | 55.4 | 125.4 | 144.2 |
| 2010 | 187.5 | 273.3 | 0.0 | 261.1 | 314.1 | 140.6 | 193.6 | 14.0 | 217.7 | 147.0 | 103.5 | 187.8 | 74.7 | 102.1 | 144.1 |
| 2011 Q1 | 193.9 | 307.0 | 0.0 | 297.0 | 343.9 | 125.1 | 153.0 | 14.1 | 261.7 | 169.3 | 154.5 | 178.8 | 79.0 | 83.5 | 162.4 |
| 2011 Q2 | 197.8 | 279.8 | 0.0 | 264.5 | 328.1 | 152.0 | 212.4 | 4.5 | 275.3 | 184.1 | 99.0 | 233.1 | 83.6 | 101.9 | 159.9 |
| 2011 Q3 | 198.3 | 260.7 | 0.0 | 226.1 | 353.6 | 166.3 | 227.5 | 3.4 | 194.8 | 149.5 | 91.5 | 253.0 | 77.3 | 151.2 | 159.0 |
| 2011 Q4 | 202.0 | 255.4 | 0.0 | 227.3 | 332.6 | 178.8 | 253.2 | 3.4 | 192.3 | 193.5 | 98.7 | 274.1 | 56.2 | 139.9 | 152.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average 2010 | 187.5 | 273.3 | 0.0 | 261.1 | 314.1 | 140.6 | 193.6 | 14.0 | 217.7 | 147.0 | 103.5 | 187.8 | 74.7 | 102.1 | 144.1 |
| Average 2011 | 198.0 | 275.7 | 0.0 | 253.7 | 339.5 | 155.6 | 211.5 | 6.4 | 231.0 | 174.1 | 110.9 | 234.7 | 74.0 | 119.1 | 158.6 |
| YEAR-ON-YEAR PERCENTAGE CHANGES e.g. (Q2 2005/Q2 2004-1)*100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 Q1 | 6.6 | 7.8 | (100.0) | 8.5 | 6.6 | 5.0 | 6.6 | (42.2) | 13.1 | 21.2 | (0.1) | 10.3 | (2.1) | 14.1 | 5.6 |
| 2010 Q2 | 10.0 | 10.6 | (100.0) | 14.2 | 5.3 | 9.1 | 9.2 | (21.9) | 13.4 | 29.8 | (0.3) | 14.0 | (0.2) | 14.2 | 10.8 |
| 2010 Q3 | 11.4 | 6.1 | (100.0) | 25.7 | 4.2 | 5.7 | 4.0 | (77.2) | 9.7 | 24.4 | 1.8 | 11.6 | 1.8 | 16.2 | 7.2 |
| 2010 Q4 | 10.7 | 14.2 | (100.0) | 19.4 | 5.2 | 6.8 | 9.4 | (91.0) | 17.4 | 15.8 | 12.4 | 15.4 | (9.3) | 8.1 | 12.1 |
| 2010 | 9.7 | 12.3 | (100.0) | 16.5 | 5.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 | (56.8) | 13.4 | 22.7 | 2.8 | 13.0 | (2.0) | 12.8 | 8.9 |
| 2011 Q1 | 7.7 | 6.9 | (100.0) | 8.9 | 3.2 | 6.7 | 4.8 | (46.6) | 5.4 | 24.1 | 12.8 | 18.6 | (1.6) | 10.2 | 14.0 |
| 2011 Q2 | 5.8 | 2.4 | (100.0) | 1.1 | 4.9 | 9.7 | 9.7 | (80.1) | 5.4 | 7.4 | 0.5 | 22.8 | (1.4) | 26.4 | 8.7 |
| 2011 Q3 | 4.3 | (4.3) | (100.0) | (13.7) | 14.5 | 13.4 | 11.2 | (0.7) | 9.5 | 24.3 | 4.5 | 26.7 | (1.3) | 19.3 | 11.6 |
| 2011 Q4 | 4.6 | (2.0) | (100.0) | (8.4) | 10.5 | 11.6 | 10.0 | (5.6) | 4.8 | 21.1 | 8.6 | 29.8 | 1.5 | 11.6 | 6.1 |
| 2011 | 5.6 | 0.9 | (100.0) | (2.8) | 8.1 | 10.6 | 9.3 | (54.7) | 6.1 | 18.4 | 7.2 | 25.0 | (0.9) | 16.6 | 10.1 |

ALL ITEMS CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) AND ANNUAL INFLATION RATES

| Consumer Price Index (2009 = 100) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | All Items | Food \& Nonalcoholic beverages | Alcoholic beverages \& Tobacco | Clothing \& Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas \& Other fuels | Furnishings, Household Equip.., Routine Hse Mtc | Health | Transport | Communication | Recreation \& Culture | Education | Restaurant \& Hotel | Miscellaneous Goods \& Services | Inflation <br> Rate (\%) <br> Monthly | Inflation <br> Rate (\%) <br> Annual |
| Weight |  | 1000.00 | 534.85 | 15.21 | 80.78 | 114.11 | 82.36 | 8.15 | 58.08 | 12.94 | 13.84 | 26.62 | 3.37 | 49.69 | 0.7 | 6.3 |
| $\bar{\sim}$ | January | 111.61 | 108.85 | 106.60 | 111.87 | 126.48 | 111.21 | 112.63 | 111.78 | 102.64 | 109.21 | 111.60 | 112.10 | 111.53 |  |  |
|  | February | 112.36 | 109.37 | 107.29 | 113.49 | 128.59 | 111.40 | 114.40 | 112.43 | 102.66 | 109.58 | 112.12 | 112.15 | 111.62 | 0.7 | 6.5 |
|  | March | 113.56 | 110.50 | 107.05 | 115.33 | 129.95 | 112.03 | 114.96 | 114.86 | 102.80 | 109.85 | 114.20 | 115.35 | 112.21 | 1.1 | 6.6 |
|  | April | 114.24 | 111.11 | 108.95 | 118.31 | 129.76 | 111.94 | 116.98 | 116.07 | 102.89 | 110.46 | 114.15 | 115.79 | 112.40 | 0.6 | 6.3 |
|  | May | 114.56 | 110.97 | 108.33 | 119.16 | 130.95 | 113.37 | 117.78 | 117.03 | 102.87 | 113.12 | 113.23 | 116.37 | 112.46 | 0.3 | 6.3 |
|  | June | 114.52 | 110.31 | 108.49 | 119.96 | 131.68 | 114.42 | 118.29 | 117.06 | 102.91 | 112.67 | 115.03 | 118.32 | 113.09 | 0.0 | 6.1 |
|  | July | 115.89 | 111.93 | 108.52 | 120.70 | 132.16 | 116.40 | 118.40 | 119.38 | 102.89 | 114.12 | 116.22 | 115.46 | 114.02 | 1.2 | 6.9 |
|  | August | 116.60 | 112.09 | 108.32 | 122.38 | 134.66 | 117.00 | 119.03 | 121.49 | 102.90 | 115.67 | 115.81 | 117.33 | 114.13 | 0.6 | 6.5 |
|  | September | 117.01 | 112.48 | 108.09 | 121.39 | 135.65 | 119.01 | 119.87 | 121.66 | 102.64 | 115.44 | 116.87 | 116.62 | 113.67 | 0.4 | 6.6 |
|  | October | 116.80 | 112.21 | 109.74 | 121.18 | 134.22 | 119.98 | 118.32 | 121.19 | 102.65 | 116.27 | 117.10 | 116.59 | 114.31 | -0.2 | 6.7 |
|  | November | 116.94 | 112.71 | 109.33 | 121.08 | 133.87 | 119.61 | 120.33 | 119.16 | 102.79 | 117.52 | 118.15 | 118.61 | 114.36 | 0.1 | 6.4 |
|  | December | 117.47 | 113.39 | 109.15 | 121.69 | 134.61 | 118.56 | 120.12 | 120.78 | 102.71 | 116.84 | 118.36 | 116.97 | 115.29 | 0.5 | 6.0 |
| $\stackrel{\sim}{\sim}$ | January | 118.77 | 115.48 | 109.11 | 122.24 | 134.20 | 119.04 | 121.79 | 121.27 | 103.76 | 117.93 | 121.18 | 117.96 | 115.01 | 1.1 | 6.4 |
|  | February | 119.09 | 115.41 | 110.41 | 122.74 | 134.71 | 119.96 | 122.84 | 122.46 | 104.05 | 118.03 | 122.87 | 117.95 | 115.86 | 0.3 | 6.0 |
|  | March | 120.84 | 117.59 | 110.77 | 124.43 | 136.32 | 120.67 | 123.52 | 123.83 | 104.05 | 118.70 | 123.27 | 118.86 | 117.53 | 1.5 | 6.4 |
|  | April | 121.63 | 118.22 | 111.61 | 125.91 | 137.21 | 121.89 | 124.26 | 124.47 | 104.12 | 119.31 | 123.56 | 119.57 | 118.67 | 0.7 | 6.5 |
|  | May | 122.11 | 118.56 | 111.92 | 126.32 | 137.95 | 123.06 | 124.42 | 124.74 | 104.02 | 121.15 | 123.79 | 120.13 | 119.50 | 0.4 | 6.6 |
|  | June | 122.16 | 118.11 | 112.38 | 126.48 | 138.81 | 123.47 | 123.63 | 125.64 | 103.92 | 121.77 | 124.75 | 120.77 | 120.58 | 0.0 | 6.7 |
|  | July | 123.06 | 119.00 | 114.16 | 127.43 | 139.17 | 124.38 | 124.80 | 126.47 | 104.61 | 122.33 | 127.37 | 120.77 | 121.79 | 0.7 | 6.2 |
|  | August | 124.11 | 120.30 | 113.72 | 128.49 | 140.68 | 125.98 | 126.38 | 125.63 | 104.63 | 121.71 | 127.14 | 120.44 | 122.37 | 0.9 | 6.4 |
|  | September | 124.72 | 120.95 | 114.42 | 128.31 | 140.42 | 126.50 | 128.16 | 129.02 | 104.86 | 122.02 | 127.92 | 121.55 | 122.41 | 0.5 | 6.6 |
|  | October | 124.80 | 121.40 | 113.85 | 126.42 | 140.75 | 127.28 | 127.17 | 127.09 | 104.99 | 121.01 | 127.93 | 121.95 | 122.97 | 0.1 | 6.8 |
|  | November | 125.04 | 121.70 | 114.75 | 129.21 | 140.50 | 127.35 | 126.98 | 124.61 | 104.50 | 120.04 | 128.83 | 122.80 | 123.10 | 0.2 | 6.9 |
|  | December | 126.08 | 122.96 | 115.61 | 129.63 | 143.99 | 126.27 | 126.23 | 124.75 | 104.12 | 121.75 | 128.81 | 122.78 | 122.84 | 0.8 | 7.3 |
| 2013 | January | 127.08 | 124.27 | 116.57 | 130.39 | 142.41 | 126.08 | 125.61 | 125.61 | 105.11 | 122.71 | 128.02 | 124.83 | 124.57 | 0.8 | 7.0 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

Consumer Index Numbers of Consumer Prices - Food and Non-Food (National)

| Period |  | Total | Food CPI | Non-Food CPI |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Weight |  | 1000.0 | 534.9 | 465.2 |
| 2010 | January | 105.01 | 104.43 | 105.67 |
|  | February | 105.47 | 104.87 | 106.15 |
|  | March | 106.55 | 106.13 | 107.03 |
|  | April | 107.48 | 107.11 | 107.9 |
|  | May | 107.74 | 107.23 | 108.34 |
|  | June | 107.93 | 106.26 | 109.85 |
|  | July | 108.45 | 106.57 | 110.62 |
|  | August | 109.45 | 105.97 | 113.44 |
|  | September | 109.72 | 106.05 | 113.93 |
|  | October | 109.44 | 105.6 | 113.86 |
|  | November | 109.92 | 106.36 | 114.02 |
|  | December | 110.86 | 107.65 | 114.56 |
|  | December | 110.86 | 107.65 | 114.56 |
| 2011 | January | 111.61 | 108.85 | 114.78 |
|  | February | 112.36 | 109.37 | 115.8 |
|  | March | 113.56 | 110.5 | 117.09 |
|  | April | 114.24 | 111.11 | 117.83 |
|  | May | 114.56 | 110.97 | 118.67 |
|  | June | 114.52 | 110.31 | 119.37 |
|  | July | 115.89 | 111.93 | 120.45 |
|  | August | 116.6 | 112.09 | 121.78 |
|  | September | 117.01 | 112.48 | 122.22 |
|  | October | 116.8 | 112.21 | 122.08 |
|  | November | 116.94 | 112.71 | 121.8 |
|  | December | 117.47 | 113.39 | 122.17 |
| 2012 | January | 118.77 | 115.48 | 122.54 |
|  | February | 119.09 | 115.41 | 123.33 |
|  | March | 120.84 | 117.59 | 124.56 |
|  | April | 121.63 | 118.22 | 125.54 |
|  | May | 122.11 | 118.56 | 126.2 |
|  | June | 122.16 | 118.11 | 126.82 |
|  | July | 123.06 | 119.00 | 127.73 |
|  | August | 124.11 | 120.30 | 128.50 |
|  | September | 124.72 | 120.95 | 129.05 |
|  | October | 124.80 | 121.40 | 128.70 |
|  | November | 125.04 | 121.70 | 128.88 |
|  | December | 126.08 | 122.96 | 129.67 |
| 2013 | January | 127.08 | 124.27 | 130.28 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013

CONSUMER PRICE INDICES (2009=100)

| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Average Annual Inflation Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1965 |  | 0.002 |  |
| 1966 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1967 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1968 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1969 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1970 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1971 |  | 0.002 | 33.3 |
| 1972 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1973 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1974 |  | 0.002 | 0.0 |
| 1975 |  | 0.003 | 25.0 |
| 1976 |  | 0.003 | 20.0 |
| 1977 |  | 0.004 | 16.7 |
| 1978 |  | 0.004 | 14.3 |
| 1979 |  | 0.005 | 12.5 |
| 1980 |  | 0.005 | 11.1 |
| 1981 |  | 0.006 | 10.0 |
| 1982 |  | 0.006 | 9.1 |
| 1983 |  | 0.008 | 25.0 |
| 1984 |  | 0.010 | 20.0 |
| 1985 |  | 0.015 | 50.0 |
| 1986 | January | 0.02 | 58.6 |
| 1986 | February | 0.02 | 58.5 |
| 1986 | March | 0.02 | 60.5 |
| 1986 | April | 0.02 | 59.0 |
| 1986 | May | 0.02 | 59.8 |
| 1986 | June | 0.02 | 61.3 |
| 1986 | July | 0.02 | 59.2 |
| 1986 | August | 0.02 | 62.8 |
| 1986 | September | 0.02 | 58.5 |
| 1986 | October | 0.02 | 48.9 |
| 1986 | November | 0.02 | 42.1 |
| 1986 | December | 0.03 | 41.6 |
| 1987 | January | 0.03 | 43.3 |
| 1987 | February | 0.03 | 40.7 |
| 1987 | March | 0.03 | 36.6 |
| 1987 | April | 0.03 | 48.0 |
| 1987 | May | 0.03 | 45.2 |
| 1987 | June | 0.03 | 46.3 |
| 1987 | July | 0.03 | 46.8 |
| 1987 | August | 0.03 | 46.5 |
| 1987 | September | 0.04 | 53.6 |
| 1987 | October | 0.04 | 54.0 |
| 1987 | November | 0.04 | 55.9 |
| 1987 | December | 0.04 | 50.0 |
| 1988 | January | 0.04 | 50.4 |
| 1988 | February | 0.04 | 55.1 |
| 1988 | March | 0.05 | 59.7 |
| 1988 | April | 0.05 | 48.1 |
| 1988 | May | 0.05 | 49.8 |
| 1988 | June | 0.05 | 49.4 |
| 1988 | July | 0.05 | 53.0 |
| 1988 | August | 0.05 | 50.0 |
| 1988 | September | 0.05 | 46.5 |
| 1988 | October | 0.05 | 45.3 |
| 1988 | November | 0.06 | 47.2 |
| 1988 | December | 0.06 | 58.5 |
| 1989 | January | 0.07 | 62.5 |
| 1989 | February | 0.07 | 65.8 |
| 1989 | March | 0.08 | 72.0 |
| 1989 | April | 0.08 | 79.3 |
| 1989 | May | 0.09 | 85.1 |
| 1989 | June | 0.10 | 93.7 |
| 1989 | July | 0.12 | 138.2 |
| 1989 | August | 0.14 | 161.8 |
| 1989 | September | 0.14 | 170.1 |
| 1989 | October | 0.15 | 176.4 |
| 1989 | November | 0.16 | 171.5 |


| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Average Annual Inflation Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1989 | December | 0.16 | 153.2 |
| 1990 | January | 0.17 | 143.8 |
| 1990 | February | 0.18 | 140.7 |
| 1990 | March | 0.19 | 135.2 |
| 1990 | April | 0.20 | 134.1 |
| 1990 | May | 0.21 | 135.5 |
| 1990 | June | 0.21 | 123.3 |
| 1990 | July | 0.24 | 92.8 |
| 1990 | August | 0.25 | 80.1 |
| 1990 | September | 0.26 | 77.2 |
| 1990 | October | 0.27 | 78.9 |
| 1990 | November | 0.32 | 106.0 |
| 1990 | December | 0.34 | 110.6 |
| 1991 | January | 0.36 | 112.8 |
| 1991 | February | 0.38 | 113.3 |
| 1991 | March | 0.39 | 109.4 |
| 1991 | April | 0.40 | 104.9 |
| 1991 | May | 0.42 | 101.0 |
| 1991 | June | 0.44 | 105.3 |
| 1991 | July | 0.45 | 90.3 |
| 1991 | August | 0.47 | 90.1 |
| 1991 | September | 0.49 | 90.4 |
| 1991 | October | 0.53 | 94.2 |
| 1991 | November | 0.58 | 80.7 |
| 1991 | December | 0.68 | 99.7 |
| 1992 | January | 0.76 | 111.0 |
| 1992 | February | 0.86 | 126.5 |
| 1992 | March | 0.97 | 148.0 |
| 1992 | April | 1.02 | 151.7 |
| 1992 | May | 1.09 | 159.3 |
| 1992 | June | 1.15 | 162.5 |
| 1992 | July | 1.19 | 163.8 |
| 1992 | August | 1.28 | 173.2 |
| 1992 | September | 1.43 | 192.8 |
| 1992 | October | 1.54 | 192.3 |
| 1992 | November | 1.65 | 185.2 |
| 1992 | December | 1.90 | 180.7 |
| 1993 | January | 2.08 | 174.4 |
| 1993 | February | 2.31 | 168.8 |
| 1993 | March | 2.59 | 168.5 |
| 1993 | April | 2.90 | 184.5 |
| 1993 | May | 3.19 | 193.6 |
| 1993 | June | 3.67 | 218.4 |
| 1993 | July | 4.03 | 237.8 |
| 1993 | August | 4.13 | 222.7 |
| 1993 | September | 4.33 | 203.0 |
| 1993 | October | 4.32 | 180.5 |
| 1993 | November | 4.14 | 150.4 |
| 1993 | December | 4.33 | 128.1 |
| 1994 | January | 4.55 | 118.6 |
| 1994 | February | 4.95 | 114.0 |
| 1994 | March | 5.14 | 98.3 |
| 1994 | April | 5.27 | 82.2 |
| 1994 | May | 5.39 | 69.1 |
| 1994 | June | 5.47 | 49.1 |
| 1994 | July | 5.55 | 37.7 |
| 1994 | August | 5.62 | 35.9 |
| 1994 | September | 5.60 | 29.3 |
| 1994 | October | 5.66 | 31.3 |
| 1994 | November | 5.75 | 39.0 |
| 1994 | December | 5.99 | 38.3 |
| 1995 | January | 6.36 | 39.6 |
| 1995 | February | 6.64 | 34.1 |
| 1995 | March | 6.82 | 32.7 |
| 1995 | April | 6.85 | 30.0 |
| 1995 | May | 6.77 | 25.6 |
| 1995 | June | 6.95 | 27.0 |
| 1995 | July | 7.13 | 28.6 |
| 1995 | August | 7.23 | 28.7 |
| 1995 | September | 7.52 | 34.2 |
| 1995 | October | 8.13 | 43.5 |
| 1995 | November | 8.50 | 47.7 |
| 1995 | December | 8.75 | 46.0 |
| 1996 | January | 9.07 | 42.8 |


| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Average Annual Inflation Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1996 | February | 9.46 | 42.6 |
| 1996 | March | 9.74 | 42.7 |
| 1996 | April | 10.04 | 46.5 |
| 1996 | May | 10.20 | 50.7 |
| 1996 | June | 10.42 | 50.0 |
| 1996 | July | 10.49 | 47.1 |
| 1996 | August | 10.79 | 49.3 |
| 1996 | September | 10.95 | 45.6 |
| 1996 | October | 11.05 | 35.9 |
| 1996 | November | 11.34 | 33.5 |
| 1996 | December | 11.83 | 35.2 |
| 1997 | January | 12.12 | 33.6 |
| 1997 | February | 12.75 | 34.7 |
| 1997 | March | 12.86 | 32.0 |
| 1997 | April | 12.72 | 26.7 |
| 1997 | May | 12.59 | 23.5 |
| 1997 | June | 12.82 | 23.1 |
| 1997 | July | 12.88 | 22.7 |
| 1997 | August | 12.98 | 20.3 |
| 1997 | September | 13.13 | 19.9 |
| 1997 | October | 13.39 | 21.2 |
| 1997 | November | 13.75 | 21.2 |
| 1997 | December | 14.02 | 18.6 |
| 1998 | January | 14.41 | 18.9 |
| 1998 | February | 14.82 | 16.3 |
| 1998 | March | 15.27 | 18.8 |
| 1998 | April | 15.62 | 22.8 |
| 1998 | May | 15.82 | 25.7 |
| 1998 | June | 16.00 | 24.8 |
| 1998 | July | 16.26 | 26.3 |
| 1998 | August | 16.50 | 27.1 |
| 1998 | September | 16.74 | 27.5 |
| 1998 | October | 17.09 | 27.6 |
| 1998 | November | 17.33 | 26.1 |
| 1998 | December | 18.31 | 30.6 |
| 1999 | January | 18.96 | 31.6 |
| 1999 | February | 19.34 | 30.5 |
| 1999 | March | 19.62 | 28.5 |
| 1999 | April | 19.77 | 26.6 |
| 1999 | May | 20.02 | 26.6 |
| 1999 | June | 20.39 | 27.5 |
| 1999 | July | 20.88 | 28.4 |
| 1999 | August | 20.99 | 27.2 |
| 1999 | September | 21.05 | 25.8 |
| 1999 | October | 21.35 | 25.0 |
| 1999 | November | 21.72 | 25.3 |
| 1999 | December | 22.09 | 20.6 |
| 2000 | January | 22.88 | 20.7 |
| 2000 | February | 23.78 | 23.0 |
| 2000 | March | 24.31 | 23.9 |
| 2000 | April | 24.94 | 26.2 |
| 2000 | May | 25.07 | 25.2 |
| 2000 | June | 25.24 | 23.8 |
| 2000 | July | 26.29 | 25.9 |
| 2000 | August | 26.65 | 27.0 |
| 2000 | September | 27.45 | 30.4 |
| 2000 | October | 28.00 | 31.2 |
| 2000 | November | 26.89 | 23.8 |
| 2000 | December | 28.74 | 30.1 |
| 2001 | January | 29.74 | 30.0 |
| 2001 | February | 30.71 | 29.1 |
| 2001 | March | 31.31 | 28.8 |
| 2001 | April | 31.12 | 24.8 |
| 2001 | May | 30.64 | 22.2 |
| 2001 | June | 30.35 | 20.2 |
| 2001 | July | 30.80 | 17.1 |
| 2001 | August | 31.14 | 16.8 |
| 2001 | September | 31.58 | 15.0 |
| 2001 | October | 32.16 | 14.8 |
| 2001 | November | 32.97 | 22.6 |
| 2001 | December | 34.12 | 18.7 |
| 2002 | January | 35.58 | 19.6 |
| 2002 | February | 36.61 | 19.2 |
| 2002 | March | 36.97 | 18.1 |


| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Average Annual Inflation Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2002 | April | 36.66 | 17.8 |
| 2002 | May | 37.05 | 20.9 |
| 2002 | June | 37.51 | 23.6 |
| 2002 | July | 38.01 | 23.4 |
| 2002 | August | 38.52 | 23.7 |
| 2002 | September | 39.11 | 23.8 |
| 2002 | October | 39.82 | 23.8 |
| 2002 | November | 41.32 | 25.3 |
| 2002 | December | 43.21 | 26.7 |
| 2003 | January | 44.21 | 24.3 |
| 2003 | February | 44.98 | 22.9 |
| 2003 | March | 45.31 | 22.6 |
| 2003 | April | 45.41 | 23.9 |
| 2003 | May | 45.83 | 23.7 |
| 2003 | June | 45.73 | 21.9 |
| 2003 | July | 45.68 | 20.2 |
| 2003 | August | 46.34 | 20.3 |
| 2003 | September | 47.36 | 21.1 |
| 2003 | October | 48.22 | 21.1 |
| 2003 | November | 49.20 | 19.1 |
| 2003 | December | 50.62 | 17.2 |
| 2004 | January | 51.93 | 17.4 |
| 2004 | February | 52.52 | 16.8 |
| 2004 | March | 53.30 | 17.6 |
| 2004 | April | 53.47 | 17.8 |
| 2004 | May | 53.82 | 17.4 |
| 2004 | June | 54.24 | 18.6 |
| 2004 | July | 54.57 | 19.5 |
| 2004 | August | 55.10 | 18.9 |
| 2004 | September | 55.77 | 17.8 |
| 2004 | October | 56.91 | 18.0 |
| 2004 | November | 58.20 | 18.3 |
| 2004 | December | 59.48 | 17.5 |
| 2005 | January | 61.39 | 18.2 |
| 2005 | February | 62.33 | 18.7 |
| 2005 | March | 62.57 | 17.4 |
| 2005 | April | 63.41 | 18.6 |
| 2005 | May | 64.12 | 19.1 |
| 2005 | June | 64.67 | 19.2 |
| 2005 | July | 64.77 | 18.7 |
| 2005 | August | 65.73 | 19.3 |
| 2005 | September | 66.64 | 19.5 |
| 2005 | October | 67.34 | 18.3 |
| 2005 | November | 68.23 | 17.2 |
| 2005 | December | 68.91 | 15.9 |
| 2006 | January | 68.86 | 12.2 |
| 2006 | February | 68.74 | 10.3 |
| 2006 | March | 69.26 | 10.7 |
| 2006 | April | 69.37 | 9.4 |
| 2006 | May | 69.65 | 8.6 |
| 2006 | June | 70.19 | 8.5 |
| 2006 | July | 70.37 | 8.7 |
| 2006 | August | 70.96 | 8.0 |
| 2006 | September | 72.13 | 8.2 |
| 2006 | October | 72.63 | 7.9 |
| 2006 | November | 73.73 | 8.1 |
| 2006 | December | 74.59 | 8.2 |
| 2007 | January | 75.64 | 9.8 |
| 2007 | February | 77.40 | 12.6 |
| 2007 | March | 78.04 | 12.7 |
| 2007 | April | 77.99 | 12.4 |
| 2007 | May | 77.83 | 11.8 |
| 2007 | June | 77.99 | 11.1 |
| 2007 | July | 78.25 | 11.2 |
| 2007 | August | 78.53 | 10.7 |
| 2007 | September | 78.87 | 9.3 |
| 2007 | October | 79.13 | 9.0 |
| 2007 | November | 80.17 | 8.7 |
| 2007 | December | 81.25 | 8.9 |
| 2008 | January | 82.70 | 9.3 |
| 2008 | February | 84.78 | 9.5 |
| 2008 | March | 85.66 | 9.8 |
| 2008 | April | 85.91 | 10.1 |
| 2008 | May | 86.28 | 10.9 |


| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Average Annual Inflation Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008 | June | 87.43 | 12.1 |
| 2008 | July | 88.15 | 12.6 |
| 2008 | August | 88.93 | 13.2 |
| 2008 | September | 90.08 | 14.2 |
| 2008 | October | 91.15 | 15.2 |
| 2008 | November | 92.46 | 15.3 |
| 2008 | December | 94.71 | 16.6 |
| 2009 | January | 95.96 | 16.0 |
| 2009 | February | 96.61 | 14.0 |
| 2009 | March | 96.88 | 13.1 |
| 2009 | April | 98.17 | 14.3 |
| 2009 | May | 98.94 | 14.7 |
| 2009 | June | 100.02 | 14.4 |
| 2009 | July | 100.48 | 14.0 |
| 2009 | August | 101.62 | 14.3 |
| 2009 | September | 101.75 | 13.0 |
| 2009 | October | 102.34 | 12.3 |
| 2009 | November | 103.11 | 11.5 |
| 2009 | December | 104.11 | 9.9 |
| 2010 | January | 105.01 | 9.4 |
| 2010 | February | 105.47 | 9.2 |
| 2010 | March | 106.55 | 10.0 |
| 2010 | April | 107.48 | 9.5 |
| 2010 | May | 107.74 | 8.9 |
| 2010 | June | 107.93 | 7.9 |
| 2010 | July | 108.45 | 7.9 |
| 2010 | August | 109.45 | 7.7 |
| 2010 | September | 109.72 | 7.8 |
| 2010 | October | 109.44 | 6.9 |
| 2010 | November | 109.92 | 6.6 |
| 2010 | December | 110.86 | 6.5 |
| 2011 | January | 111.61 | 6.3 |
| 2011 | February | 112.36 | 6.5 |
| 2011 | March | 113.56 | 6.6 |
| 2011 | April | 114.24 | 6.3 |
| 2011 | May | 114.56 | 6.3 |
| 2011 | June | 114.52 | 6.1 |
| 2011 | July | 115.89 | 6.9 |
| 2011 | August | 116.60 | 6.5 |
| 2011 | September | 117.01 | 6.6 |
| 2011 | October | 116.80 | 6.7 |
| 2011 | November | 116.94 | 6.4 |
| 2011 | December | 117.47 | 6.0 |
| 2012 | January | 118.77 | 6.4 |
| 2012 | February | 119.09 | 6.0 |
| 2012 | March | 120.84 | 6.4 |
| 2012 | April | 121.63 | 6.5 |
| 2012 | May | 122.11 | 6.6 |
| 2012 | June | 122.16 | 6.7 |
| 2012 | July | 123.06 | 6.2 |
| 2012 | August | 124.11 | 6.4 |
| 2012 | September | 124.72 | 6.6 |
| 2012 | October | 124.80 | 6.8 |
| 2012 | November | 125.04 | 6.9 |
| 2012 | December | 126.08 | 7.3 |
| 2013 | January | 127.08 | 7.0 |

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2013
Note: Inflation rates are computed using unrounded consumer price indices

ZAMBIA'S TRADE FLOWS IN ABSOLUTE ZAMBIAN KWACHA (2000 TO 2012)

| Flow Year | Imports <br> (cif) | Domestic <br> Exports(fob) | Re-Exports <br> (fob) | Total Exports <br> (fob) | Trade Balance |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2000 | $2,751,563,199,592$ | $2,680,166,733,376$ | $36,390,914,760$ | $2,716,557,648,136$ | $-35,005,551,456$ |
| 2001 | $3,900,496,869,495$ | $3,523,388,830,726$ | $13,818,082,693$ | $3,537,206,913,419$ | $-363,289,956,076$ |
| 2002 | $4,734,304,934,590$ | $4,046,573,003,139$ | $24,035,820,066$ | $4,070,608,823,205$ | $-663,696,111,385$ |
| 2003 | $7,444,669,756,553$ | $4,614,154,833,843$ | $27,918,721,735$ | $4,642,073,555,578$ | $-2,802,596,200,975$ |
| 2004 | $10,325,503,347,652$ | $7,486,745,995,064$ | $59,170,839,070$ | $7,545,916,834,134$ | $-2,779,586,513,518$ |
| 2005 | $11,444,687,982,620$ | $9,556,350,699,041$ | $55,238,218,023$ | $9,611,588,917,064$ | $-1,833,099,065,556$ |
| 2006 | $11,063,138,110,907$ | $13,388,355,650,002$ | $22,808,958,125$ | $13,411,164,608,127$ | $2,348,026,497,220$ |
| 2007 | $15,945,376,837,943$ | $18,301,362,191,730$ | $97,855,426,894$ | $18,399,217,618,625$ | $2,453,840,780,682$ |
| 2008 | $18,479,642,802,328$ | $17,951,791,468,707$ | $701,848,350,726$ | $18,653,639,819,433$ | $173,997,017,105$ |
| 2009 | $19,123,920,627,951$ | $20,324,345,158,885$ | $1,052,545,471,859$ | $21,376,890,630,744$ | $2,252,970,002,793$ |
| 2010 | $25,507,487,313,137$ | $32,876,095,550,370$ | $1,623,955,907,893$ | $34,500,051,458,263$ | $8,992,564,145,126$ |
| 2011 | $35,440,939,195,530$ | $37,914,339,432,072$ | $5,000,699,119,386$ | $42,915,038,551,459$ | $7,474,099,335,928$ |
| 2012 | $45,264,559,783,299$ | $44,565,899,720,765$ | $3,625,306,595,730$ | $48,191,206,316,494$ | $2,926,646,533,195$ |
| Total: | $211,426,290,761,597$ | $\mathbf{2 1 7 , 2 2 9 , 5 6 9 , 2 6 7 , 7 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 , 3 4 1 , 5 9 2 , 4 2 6 , 9 6 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 2 9 , 5 7 1 , 1 6 1 , 6 9 4 , 6 8 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 4 4 , 8 7 0 , 9 1 3 , 0 8 3}$ |

Source: CSO, Trade Statistics, 2012

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    Writing
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& 2011/2012 Post Harvest and Livestock Survey Data Cleaning
e Preparation for 2012/2013 Zambia Demographic and Health Survey (ZDHS) Training of
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