Data Release
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Monthly headline urban CPI inflation, published by the Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics on August 8, 2019, recorded 1.8 percent in July 2019, compared to negative 0.8 percent in the previous month and to 2.4 percent in the same month of previous year. Hence, the annual headline inflation rate recorded 8.7 percent in July 2019, compared to 9.4 percent in June 2019.

Monthly core CPI inflation, computed by the Central Bank of Egypt, recorded 0.1 percent in July 2019, compared to 0.3 percent in the previous month and to 0.6 percent in the same month of previous year. Hence, the annual core inflation rate recorded 5.9 percent in July 2019, compared to 6.4 percent in June 2019.

The spreadsheet including inflation statistics has been posted on the monetary policy link on the website at: [http://www.cbe.org.eg/en/MonetaryPolicy/Pages/Inflation.aspx](http://www.cbe.org.eg/en/MonetaryPolicy/Pages/Inflation.aspx). The monthly inflation note will be published on August 15, 2019.