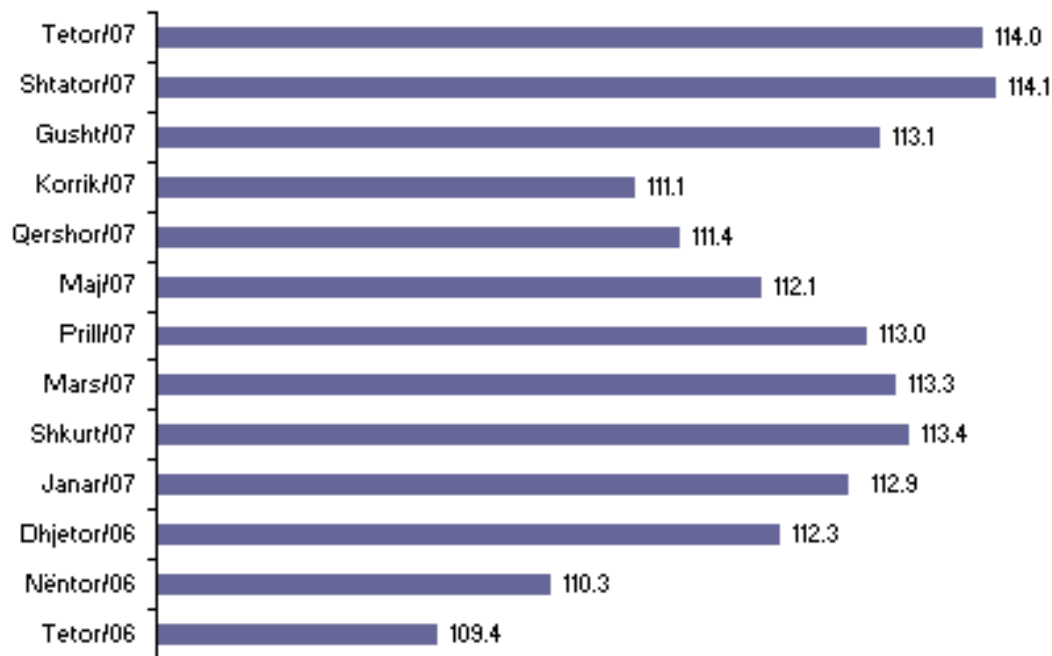


## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX OCTOBER 2007



Consumer Price Index (CPI), during October 2007, resulted 114.0 per cent against December 2001 (December 01=100), signing a decrease of 0.1 percent against the previous month.

The annual rate in October is 4.2 percent. A year earlier the rate was 2.2 percent.

The index of "Food and non-alcoholic beverage" group signed a decrease by 0.3 percent. Within this group the highest decrease by 4.0 percent it was notice in the "vegetables include potatoes" subgroup. Here can be mentioned decrease prices of spinach by 37.2 percent, cauliflower by 31.5 percent, carrot by 17.1 percent, tomatoes by 11.2 percent, cucumber by 10.8 percent, etc. The index of "fruits" subgroup signed a decrease by 3.1 percent, where can be mentioned the decrease prices of kiwi by 15.9 percent, oranges by 9.4 percent, mandarin by 8.5 percent, apple by 3.4 percent, etc. In October prices are increase almost in all the other subgroups of this group, where can be mention increases in the subgroups "feet and oil" by 2.0

percent, “milk, cheese and eggs” by 1.1 percent, “bread and cereals” by 0.7 percent, “fish” by 0.5 percent and “meat” by 0.2 percent etc.

The index of “Clothing and footwear” group signed an increase by 0.4 percent. Within this group the “clothing” subgroup signed an increase price by 0.4 percent, meanwhile the index of “footwear” subgroup it was not changed in October.

The index of “Alcoholic beverages and tobacco” group signed a decrease by 0.1 percent, where can be mentioned decrease prices of cigarettes by 0.3 percent.

The index of “Rent, water fuel and power” group, signed an increase by 0.1 percent, where can be mentioned the increase price of liquid by 2.2 percent.

While the monthly price index changes in the other groups vary from - 0.1 per cent to + 0.3 percent.