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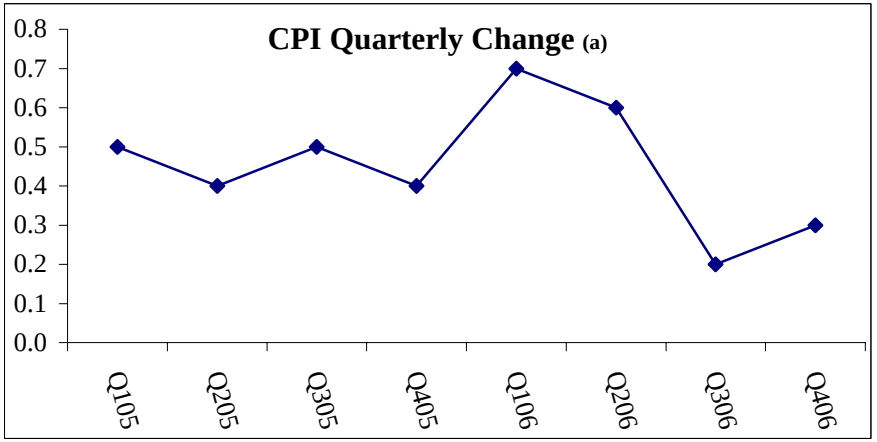
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – DECEMBER QUARTER 2006

Expenditure Group	% Change Over September-06	% Change Over December-05
Food	0.4	2.8
Drinks & Tobacco	0.1	1.1
Clothing & Footwear	0.0	-0.1
Housing & Utilities	0.8	2.0
Household Supplies	0.0	0.7
Transport & Communication	0.0	2.0
Recreation, Education, Health, etc.	0.1	0.2
All Groups	0.3	1.8



(a) Change from the previous quarter.

MAIN FEATURES

- In the December quarter of 2006, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rose 0.3% over the previous quarter.
- From the December quarter 2005 to the December quarter 2006 the CPI rose 1.8%.
- In the December quarter 2006, the groups recording the largest rises were Housing and Utilities (0.8%), Food (0.4%) while Drinks & Tobacco and Recreation, Health & Education (0.1%) respectively. No changes were recorded from Clothing and Footwear, Household Supplies and Transport & Communication.
- Within the Housing Utilities expenditure group water average consumption made a positive contribution to the CPI for the December quarter 2006. (Increased by 7% in the December quarter 2006).

Definition.

The CPI measures quarterly changes in the price of a basket of goods and services (groups) which are typical of the purchases made by Port Vila and Luganville households.

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Table 1 Consumer Price Index **Base: 1st Quarter 2000 = 100**

Tableau 1 Indices des Prix à la consommation **Base: 1er Trimestre 2000 = 100**

Year	Quarter	Consumer price Index Indice des prix à la Consommation			Rate of Change Over Previous Quarter Variation par rapport au trimestre précédent			Rate of Change Over Same Quarter Previous Year Variation par rapport de même trimestre de l'année précédente			Annual Average Change Taux moyen annuel			Année	Trimestre
		Total / Global	Port Vila	Luganville	Total / Global	Port Vila	Luganville	Total / Global	Port Vila	Luganville	Total / Global	Port Vila	Luganville		
2003	1st	110.0	110.3	108.1	1.4	1.7	0.4	3.5	3.8	2.2	3.8	4.2	2.8	2003	1er
	2nd	110.6	110.9	108.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	2.4	2.5	2.4	3.8	4.1	2.7		2ème
	3rd	111.7	112.0	109.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.2	3.3	3.1	4.2	4.5	3.4		3ème
	4th	111.7	111.8	110.2	0.0	-0.2	0.6	2.9	3.0	2.3	3.7	3.7	3.6		4ème
2004	1st	112.1	112.3	111.8	0.4	0.4	1.5	1.9	1.8	3.4	3.2	3.2	4.5	2004	1er
	2nd	112.1	112.4	111.5	0.0	0.1	-0.3	1.4	1.4	2.9	2.5	2.6	3.6		2ème
	3rd	113.5	113.8	111.9	1.2	1.2	0.4	1.6	1.6	2.2	3.0	3.1	3.2		3ème
	4th	112.6	112.8	112.0	-0.8	-0.9	0.1	0.8	0.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	2.7		4ème
2005	1st	113.2	113.0	114.4	0.5	0.2	2.1	1.0	0.6	2.3	1.5	1.1	4.0	2005	1er
	2nd	113.6	113.3	115.3	0.4	0.3	0.8	1.3	0.8	3.4	1.5	1.0	4.1		2ème
	3rd	114.2	113.9	115.6	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.1	3.3	1.6	1.2	3.8		3ème
	4th	114.6	114.3	116.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.8	1.3	3.7	1.8	1.3	3.8		4ème
2006	1st	115.4	115.2	116.4	0.7	0.8	0.3	1.9	1.9	1.7	2.3	1.9	3.5	2006	1er
	2nd	116.1	115.9	117.4	0.6	0.6	0.9	2.2	2.3	1.8	2.5	2.4	3.5		2ème
	3rd	116.3	116.2	117.2	0.2	0.3	-0.2	1.8	2.0	1.4	2.6	2.6	2.5		3ème
	4th	116.7	116.4	117.9	0.3	0.2	0.6	1.8	1.8	1.6	2.5	2.4	2.2		4ème

Table 2 **Consumer Price Indices by Expenditure Grou** **Base: 1st Quarter 2000 = 100**

Tableau 2 **Indices des prix à la consommation par poste de dépens** **Base: 1er Trimestre 2000 = 100**

Year	Quarter	Food Consumption Produit alimentaire	Drinks & Tobacco Boisson & tabac	Clothing & Footwear Habillement etc.	Housing & Utilities Loyers, eau, énergie, etc.	Household Supplies Mobilier et équipement ménager etc.	Transport & Communication Transport et Communication	Recreation, Education Health etc Loisirs, éducation,, santé	All Groups Indices Global	Année	Trimestre
Total / Global											
2004	1st	107.8	128.8	101.2	111.9	102.5	118.8	112.2	112.1	2004	1er
	2nd	107.8	129.1	100.6	112.0	102.4	118.8	112.3	112.1		2ème
	3rd	111.3	129.1	100.7	112.2	102.3	119.4	112.7	113.5		3ème
	4th	109.7	129.1	100.7	110.3	102.3	119.5	112.7	112.6		4ème
2005	1st	107.7	131.0	101.3	113.9	103.1	119.9	115.7	113.2	2005	1er
	2nd	108.3	131.6	101.3	115.1	101.3	119.5	115.9	113.6		2ème
	3rd	108.9	132.9	101.2	116.1	101.5	119.9	115.9	114.2		3ème
	4th	109.7	133.1	101.3	116.6	101.6	120.2	115.9	114.6		3ème
2006	1st	111.0	133.8	101.3	117.9	101.6	120.2	115.9	115.4	2006	1er
	2nd	112.2	133.8	101.2	118.0	101.6	122.2	116.0	116.1		2ème
	3rd	112.3	134.3	101.2	118.0	102.3	122.6	116.0	116.3		3ème
	4th	112.8	134.5	101.2	118.9	102.3	122.6	116.1	116.7		4ème
Port Vila											
2004	1st	108.1	130.4	102.2	110.8	100.8	119.1	108.2	111.8	2004	1er
	2nd	108.2	130.4	102.2	110.8	100.6	119.9	111.6	112.3		2ème
	3rd	108.3	130.8	102.2	110.9	100.5	119.9	111.6	112.4		3ème
	4th	107.9	130.9	102.2	111.1	100.5	120.5	112.1	113.8		4ème
2005	1st	110.1	130.9	102.2	108.8	100.5	120.5	112.1	112.8	2005	1er
	2nd	106.9	132.2	102.7	112.6	101.4	121.2	115.0	113.0		2ème
	3rd	107.7	132.8	102.6	113.3	99.7	120.7	115.2	113.3		3ème
	4th	108.3	134.4	102.4	114.2	99.9	121.5	115.2	113.9		4ème
2006	1st	109.2	134.4	102.4	114.7	99.9	121.5	115.2	114.3	2006	1er
	2nd	110.7	135.2	102.4	116.2	99.9	121.5	115.2	115.2		2ème
	3rd	111.6	135.2	102.4	116.4	99.9	123.7	115.2	115.9		3ème
	4th	111.6	135.2	102.4	116.4	99.9	123.7	115.2	115.9		4ème
Luganville											
2004	1st	103.9	118.0	100.7	118.0	111.2	113.3	115.4	110.3	2004	1er
	2nd	105.7	118.8	99.6	117.8	111.9	113.5	115.3	111.1		2ème
	3rd	106.2	119.9	97.6	117.8	111.8	113.4	116.6	111.4		3ème
	4th	105.7	119.7	94.2	118.1	111.6	113.4	117.0	111.1		4ème
2005	1st	108.2	119.6	95.0	118.1	111.2	113.8	117.2	112.1	2005	1er
	2nd	107.8	119.6	94.9	118.5	111.3	114.3	117.2	112.1		2ème
	3rd	111.1	124.0	95.6	120.8	111.3	113.6	120.4	114.4		3ème
	4th	111.4	125.1	96.5	125.2	109.2	113.6	120.6	115.3		4ème
2006	1st	112.1	124.9	96.5	126.7	109.5	112.1	121.2	115.6	2006	1er
	2nd	112.2	126.1	97.0	126.9	109.9	113.7	121.1	116.1		2ème
	3rd	112.8	125.8	97.0	126.9	109.9	114.1	121.1	116.4		3ème
	4th	115.1	125.8	96.3	127.0	109.9	115.5	121.6	117.4		4ème