

**Consumer price index, gold and USD price indexes, by some provinces, December 2018**  
(Previous month =100)

Unit: %

|                                                       | <i>Hà Nội</i> | <i>Hồ Chí Minh city</i> | <i>Thái Nguyên</i> | <i>Hải Phòng</i> | <i>Thừa Thiên Huế</i> | <i>Đà Nẵng</i> | <i>Khánh Hòa</i> | <i>Gia Lai</i> | <i>Vinh Long</i> | <i>Cần Thơ</i> |
|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| <b>Consumer price index</b>                           | <b>99.69</b>  | <b>100.75</b>           | <b>99.35</b>       | <b>99.75</b>     | <b>100.05</b>         | <b>99.89</b>   | <b>99.88</b>     | <b>99.59</b>   | <b>99.43</b>     | <b>99.69</b>   |
| I. Food and foodstuff                                 | 99.71         | 100.76                  | 98.69              | 99.37            | 100.57                | 100.63         | 100.50           | 100.07         | 99.34            | 100.06         |
| 1- Food                                               | 100.13        | 100.34                  | 99.53              | 99.89            | 100.24                | 100.25         | 100.21           | 100.02         | 100.03           | 100.04         |
| 2- Foodstuff                                          | 99.51         | 101.07                  | 98.30              | 99.02            | 100.88                | 101.26         | 100.83           | 100.13         | 98.97            | 100.09         |
| 3- Eating outside                                     | 100.10        | 100.44                  | 100.00             | 100.00           | 100.10                | 100.00         | 100.00           | 100.00         | 100.00           | 100.00         |
| II. Beverage and cigarette                            | 100.36        | 100.09                  | 100.49             | 99.93            | 101.52                | 100.55         | 100.00           | 101.01         | 100.00           | 100.00         |
| III. Garment, footwear, hat                           | 100.61        | 100.10                  | 100.83             | 101.16           | 100.37                | 100.04         | 100.04           | 100.02         | 100.00           | 99.85          |
| IV. Housing and construction materials <sup>(*)</sup> | 99.37         | 98.28                   | 99.07              | 98.80            | 99.49                 | 99.34          | 99.28            | 99.43          | 99.20            | 99.90          |
| V. Household appliances and goods                     | 100.26        | 100.13                  | 100.05             | 100.05           | 100.16                | 99.98          | 100.11           | 100.01         | 100.01           | 100.11         |
| VI. Medicine and health care                          | 105.18        | 104.34                  | 106.40             | 105.67           | 107.72                | 105.94         | 105.75           | 103.50         | 104.81           | 104.74         |
| Of which: Health care                                 | 107.56        | 105.13                  | 108.90             | 107.85           | 110.03                | 109.20         | 108.04           | 104.78         | 105.71           | 106.05         |
| VII. Traffic                                          | 95.63         | 94.60                   | 95.38              | 95.89            | 94.81                 | 95.04          | 94.51            | 95.01          | 94.45            | 94.15          |
| VIII. Postal services and Telecommunication           | 99.93         | 99.98                   | 99.75              | 100.02           | 100.02                | 100.07         | 100.06           | 100.02         | 100.14           | 99.99          |
| IX. Education                                         | 100.00        | 100.00                  | 100.06             | 100.03           | 100.00                | 100.00         | 100.00           | 100.00         | 100.00           | 100.02         |
| X. Culture, entertainment and tourism                 | 100.15        | 100.25                  | 99.61              | 99.94            | 100.09                | 100.01         | 99.71            | 99.97          | 99.94            | 100.01         |
| XI. Other goods and services                          | 100.21        | 100.51                  | 100.02             | 100.31           | 100.18                | 100.07         | 100.00           | 99.78          | 100.06           | 100.21         |
| <b>Gold price index</b>                               | <b>100.43</b> | <b>99.73</b>            | <b>100.40</b>      | <b>100.37</b>    | <b>100.48</b>         | <b>100.63</b>  | <b>99.95</b>     | <b>100.24</b>  | <b>100.35</b>    | <b>100.40</b>  |
| <b>USD price index</b>                                | <b>99.96</b>  | <b>99.95</b>            | <b>99.96</b>       | <b>99.93</b>     | <b>99.97</b>          | <b>99.94</b>   | <b>99.73</b>     | <b>99.96</b>   | <b>99.94</b>     | <b>99.97</b>   |

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<sup>(\*)</sup> Including: rent, electricity, water, fuel and construction materials.