

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

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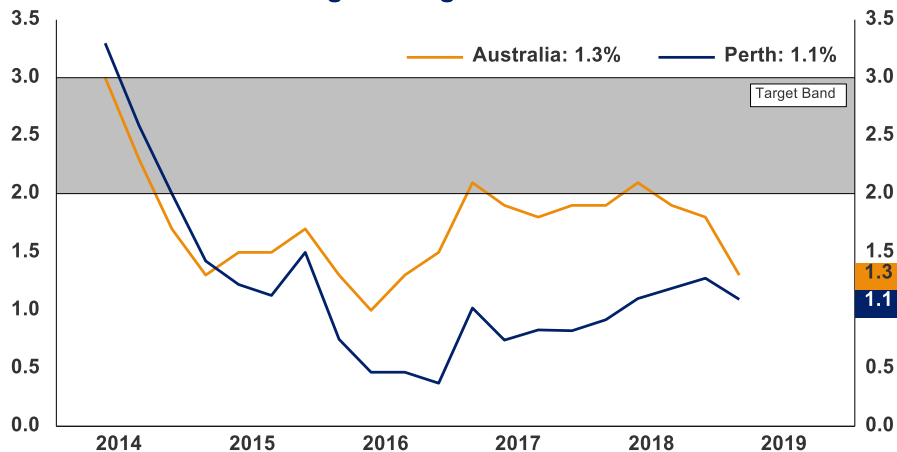
Perth CPI	111.2
Quarterly Change (%)	-0.1
Annual Change (%)*	1.1

INFLATION RATES BY CITY	Index	Percentage Change Since:	
		Previous Quarter	Same Quarter of Last Year
Sydney	115.1	-0.1	1.3
Melbourne	114.7	0.1	1.2
Brisbane	114.1	0.1	1.5
Adelaide	113.1	0.1	1.3
Perth	111.2	-0.1	1.1
Hobart	113.4	-0.2	2.1
Darwin	110.1	-0.8	0.4
Canberra	113.2	0.1	1.8
Australia	114.1	0.0	1.3

Index Numbers, 2011-12 = 100

INFLATION

12-Month CPI Percentage Change



Source: Thomson Reuters Datastream; CCIWA [2019]

About the Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The CPI measures quarterly changes in the price of a 'basket' of goods and services which account for a high proportion of expenditure by metropolitan households. The capital city indexes measure price movements over time in each city individually. They do not measure differences in retail price levels between cities.

SOURCE: Australian Bureau of Statistics; Chamber of Commerce and Industry of WA [2019]