

# Niue

## A: Identification

**Title of the CPI:** Consumer Price Index

**Organisation responsible:** Statistics Niue

**Periodicity:** Quarterly

**Index reference period:** 2003 = 100

**Weights reference period:** 2002 Household Income and Expenditure Survey.

**Main uses of CPI:** Main inflation indicator used for monetary policy.

## B: CPI Coverage

### Geographical Coverage

*Weights:* Main city (can include surrounding areas)

*Price collection:* Main city (can include surrounding areas)

**Population coverage:** Resident households of nationals.

## C: Concepts, definitions, classifications and weights

**Definition of the CPI and its objectives:** Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures changes in the prices of goods and services that households consume.

**Frequency of weight updates:** Above 5 years.

## D: Sample design

## E: Data Collection

**Approximate number of localities, outlets and price observations:** Outlets: 30

### Methods of Price Collection

- Personal data collection
- Official tariffs

### Treatment of seasonal items and seasonality

### Treatment of housing

## **F: Computation**

## **G: Editing and validation procedures**

## **H: Documentation and dissemination**

**Timeliness of dissemination of the CPI data:** The CPI is disseminated 7 days after the reference month.

### **Level of detailed CPI published**

**Paper publication:** All items CPI, Division-level (12 Divisions)

**Online:** All items CPI, Division-level (12 Divisions)

### **Documentation**

**Publications and websites where indices can be found:** CPI data can be found at <http://www.spc.int/prism/niue/index.php/economic/consumer-price-index/cpi-summary>

## **I: Other Information**

Completed by ILO in 2013.