CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) FOR RETIREE HOUSEHOLDS

Among all resident households in 2020, 7.5 per cent were households comprising solely non-employed persons aged 65 years and above.



Household Characteristics in 2017/18*

Average Monthly Household Expenditure

With at Least

1 Employed Person/Full-time Student





No employed persons by definition



\$1,130 Per member

Average Household Size

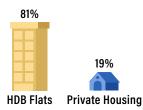


1.7 Persons

Owned at Least 1 Car



Type of Dwelling



Has at Least 1 Foreign Domestic Worker

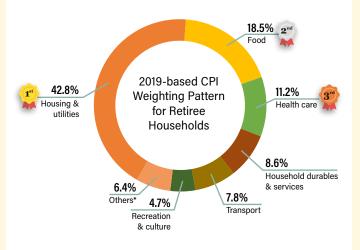


^{*} Based on Household Expenditure Survey 2017/18. View more definitions related to the CPI for retiree households in our glossary.

CPI Weighting Pattern

Retiree households spent most on housing & utilities, food and health care.

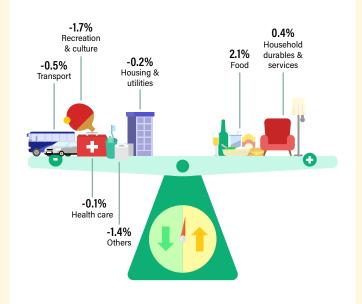
Compared to other household groups, retiree households had the largest expenditure weight share in household durables & services and health care, reflecting the older age composition of household members.



^{*} Others include Clothing & footwear, Communication, Education, as well as Miscellaneous goods & services.

Inflation Rate in 2020

In 2020, the CPI-All Items for retiree households marginally rose 0.1 per cent as higher food prices and cost of accommodation offset the lower costs of electricity and outpatient services.







CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) FOR HOUSEHOLDS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

Among all resident households in 2020, 26.9 per cent were households with at least one child of household reference person aged below 16 years.



Household Characteristics in 2017/18*

Average Monthly Household Expenditure



\$6,600 Per household



\$1,520 Per member

With at Least 1 Employed Person/Full-time Student

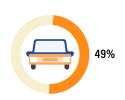




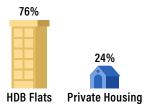
Average Household Size



Owned at Least 1 Car



Type of Dwelling



Has at Least 1 Foreign Domestic Worker

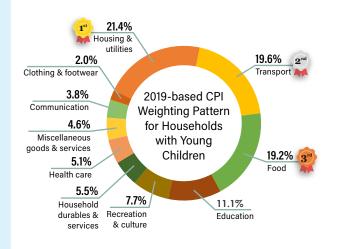


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CPI Weighting Pattern

Housing & utilities, transport and food were the top three expenditure divisions.

Compared to other household groups, households with young children had the largest expenditure weight share in **education**, given that they had the highest proportion of full-time students among all household groups.



Inflation Rate in 2020

In 2020, the CPI-All Items for households with young children fell 0.4 per cent as the lower costs of private transport and education offset higher food prices.

