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## HOUSE PRICE INDEX (HPI): 4th QUARTER 2024

### Annual Change 2,3%

According to preliminary estimates of the Statistical Service, the HPI for the fourth quarter of 2024 amounts to 112,47 units. Compared to the third quarter of 2024, the HPI decreased by 1,0%, while compared to the Index for the corresponding quarter of 2023, an increase of 2,3% was recorded.

The fluctuation of the Index for the period between the fourth quarter of 2023 and the fourth quarter of 2024, as well as the quarterly and annual percentage changes, are presented in the following table.

Table					
	Q4	Q1	Q2	<b>Q</b> 3	Q4
	2023	2024	2024	2024	2024
HPI (2015=100)	109,95	111,53	112,86	113,62	112,47
Quarterly change (%)	-0,6	1,4	1,2	0,7	-1,0
Annual change <sup>1</sup> (%)	1,6	1,1	2,5	2,7	2,3

<sup>1</sup> Compared with the same quarter of the previous year.

## **METHODOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Definition**

**House Price Index (HPI)** is a quarterly index which measures the change in the average prices of residential dwellings. It captures all types of residential properties, both new and existing. The land component of the residential property is included.

#### Data Source

The data source used for both, indices and weights, is the Department of Lands and Surveys, Ministry of Interior. The data cover all areas which are under the control of the government of the Republic of Cyprus.

#### **Data Compilation**

The data are stratified into two strata; old and new dwellings. For each stratum a rolling window hedonic regression model is used in order to calculate the sub-indices. Then, the sub-indices are weighted based on the sum of the value of the properties of each stratum in the previous year.

#### **Base Year**

The base year is 2015=100.

#### **Data Revision**

Data are marked as provisional and are revised as soon as new information is available.

#### For more information:

CYSTAT Portal, subtheme Price Indices CYSTAT-DB (Online Database) Predefined Tables (Excel) Methodological Information

# The <u>Predefined Tables</u> available in Excel format, are updated up to and including the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2021. Data from the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2022 onwards are published only on the CYSTAT-DB Online Database.

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