



# Generate ISIC-based price deflator from CPI

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# Link COICOP to ISIC

- No simple 1-to-1 correspondence possible
  - For example:
    - 01.1 Food
    - 02.2 Tobacco
    - 03.2 Footwear
  - Can be sold in many different types of stores, for example:
    - 4711 Retail sale in non-specialized stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating
    - 4719 Other retail sale in non-specialized stores
    - 4721 Retail sale of food in specialized stores
    - 4723 Retail sale of tobacco products in specialized stores
    - 4730 Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialized stores
    - 4771 Retail sale of clothing, footwear and leather articles in specialized stores
    - 4791 Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet
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# Price indices for deflating turnover in retail trade

- Available:

- Price index by product (from CPI)
- Classified according to COICOP
- E.g. “Price of cigarettes increased by 5%”

- Needed:

- Price index by type of store
  - Classified according to ISIC
  - E.g. “Prices in supermarkets increased by ???”
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# Transform the COICOP information to ISIC information

- We need to know:
  - How much of each product is sold in different types of stores (or elsewhere)
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# Transform COICOP info to ISIC info

ISIC 4	Food	Cigarettes	Shoes	Other
Retail sale in non-specialized stores with food,				
• 4711 beverages or tobacco predominating		80%	20%	0%
4719 Other retail sale in non-specialized stores		20%	20%	60%

- Let's say from CPI we have price index for:

- Food = 105.6
- Cigarettes = 110.8
- Shoes = 125.0

- For 4711:

- Price index composed of price indices for food and cigarettes
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## Transformation

$$\begin{aligned}P_{4711} &= w_{\text{food}} * P_{\text{food}} + w_{\text{cig}} * P_{\text{cig}} \\ &= 0.8 * P_{\text{food}} + 0.2 * P_{\text{cig}} \\ &= 0.8 * 105.6 + 0.2 * 110.8 \\ &= 106.64\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}P_{4719} &= w_{\text{food}} * P_{\text{food}} + w_{\text{cig}} * P_{\text{cig}} + w_{\text{shoe}} * P_{\text{shoe}} \\ &= 0.2 * P_{\text{food}} + 0.2 * P_{\text{cig}} + 0.6 * P_{\text{shoe}} \\ &= 0.2 * 105.6 + 0.2 * 110.8 + 0.6 * 125.0 \\ &= 118.28\end{aligned}$$

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# Deflators

- The price deflators for these ISIC retail classes are:
  - For ISIC 4711 : 106.64
  - For ISIC 4719 : 118.28
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