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# Consumer Price Index

## in February 2026

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## Consumer Price Index: February 2026

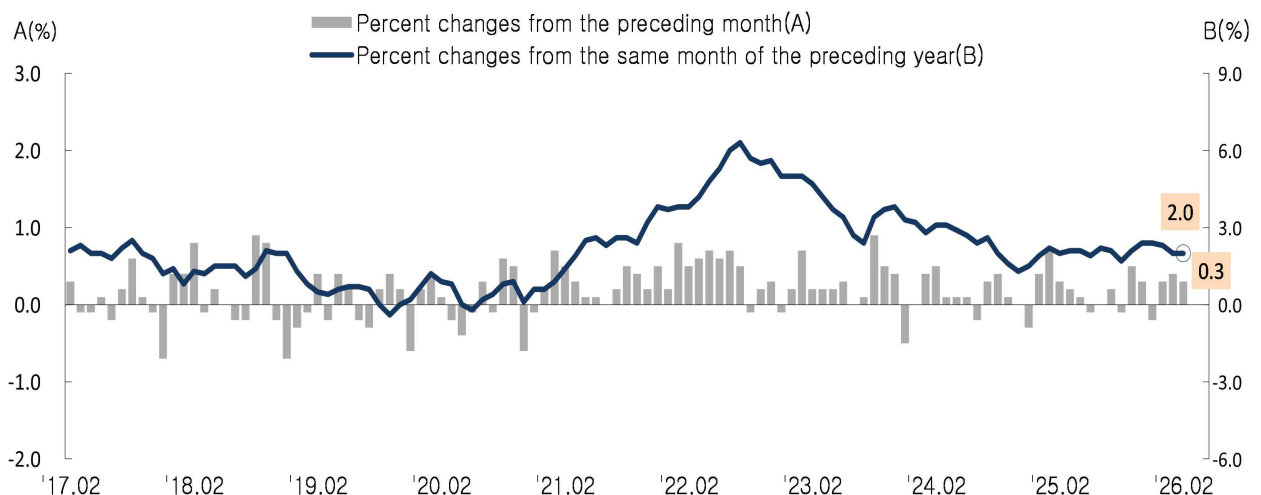
- The Consumer Price Index was 118.40 (2020=100) in February 2026. The index increased 0.3 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.0 percent from the same month of the previous year.
- The index excluding food and energy was 114.87 in February 2026. The index increased 0.4 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.3 percent from the same month of the previous year.

### < The Current Trend of Consumer Price Index >

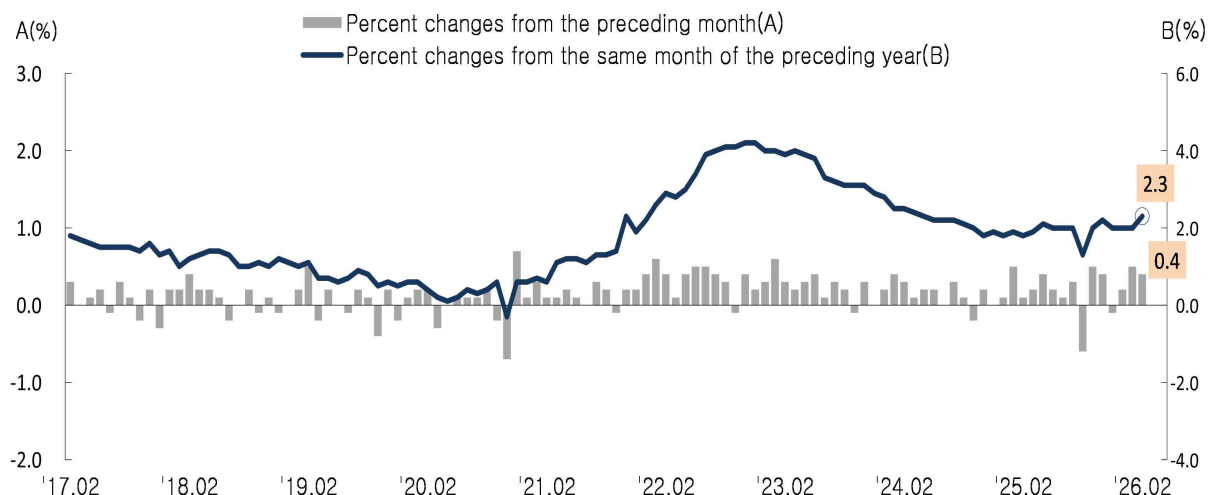
(2020=100, %)

	2025						2026	
	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
All items	116.52	116.45	117.06	117.42	117.20	117.57	118.03	<b>118.40</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.2	-0.1	0.5	0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.4	<b>0.3</b>
Percent changes year on year	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.0	<b>2.0</b>
Excluding food and energy	113.47	112.84	113.36	113.79	113.64	113.83	114.41	<b>114.87</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.3	-0.6	0.5	0.4	-0.1	0.2	0.5	<b>0.4</b>
Percent changes year on year	2.0	1.3	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	<b>2.3</b>

### < All items Inflation Rates >



### < All items(Excluding food and energy) Inflation Rates >



The Consumer Price Index by expenditure category in February 2026 was below.

- The index for Food and non-alcoholic beverages, Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, Transport, Recreation and culture, Education, Restaurants and hotels, and Miscellaneous goods and services increased 0.3 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.4 percent, 0.4 percent, 1.4 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.4 percent, and 0.2 percent, respectively, from the preceding month.
- The index for Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance, and Health decreased 0.1 percent, and 0.2 percent respectively, from the preceding month.
- The index for Clothing and footwear, and Communication remained unchanged from the preceding month.

< Consumer Price Index by expenditure category >

(Not seasonally adjusted)

(2020=100, %)

	Number of items	Weights	February 2025			February 2026		
			Index	Percent changes from the preceding month	Percent changes year on year	Index	Percent changes from the preceding month	Percent changes year on year
<b>All items</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>1,000.0</b>	<b>116.08</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>118.40</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	140	142.0	126.45	1.1	2.0	129.12	0.3	2.1
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	7	15.8	104.69	0.1	0.3	105.33	0.2	0.6
Clothing and footwear	25	49.6	115.86	0.3	2.0	118.28	0.0	2.1
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	15	171.6	116.47	0.5	2.0	117.83	0.4	1.2
Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance	50	45.6	116.61	0.4	2.3	119.48	-0.1	2.5
Health	34	84.0	105.43	0.0	1.3	106.41	-0.2	0.9
Transport	33	110.6	116.19	0.5	2.2	117.42	0.4	1.1
Communication	6	46.6	101.34	0.0	0.1	101.78	0.0	0.4
Recreation and culture	47	62.9	108.89	-0.7	0.4	112.17	1.4	3.0
Education	20	73.9	107.26	0.1	2.1	109.07	0.2	1.7
Restaurants and hotels	44	144.7	122.86	0.2	2.9	126.59	0.4	3.0
Miscellaneous goods and services	37	52.7	123.07	0.1	4.1	129.38	0.2	5.1