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# Consumer Price Index

in February 2024

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## Consumer Price Index : February 2024

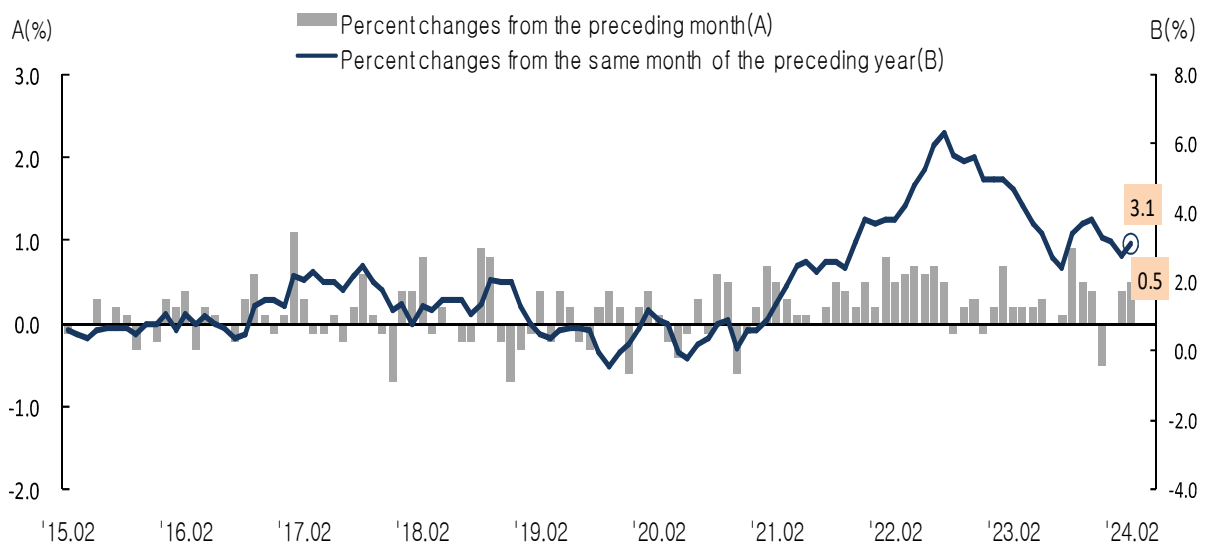
- The Consumer Price Index was 113.77(2020=100) in February 2024. The index increased 0.5 percent from the preceding month and rose 3.1 percent from the same month of the previous year.
- The index excluding food and energy was 110.34 in February 2024. The index increased 0.3 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.5 percent from the same month of the previous year.

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

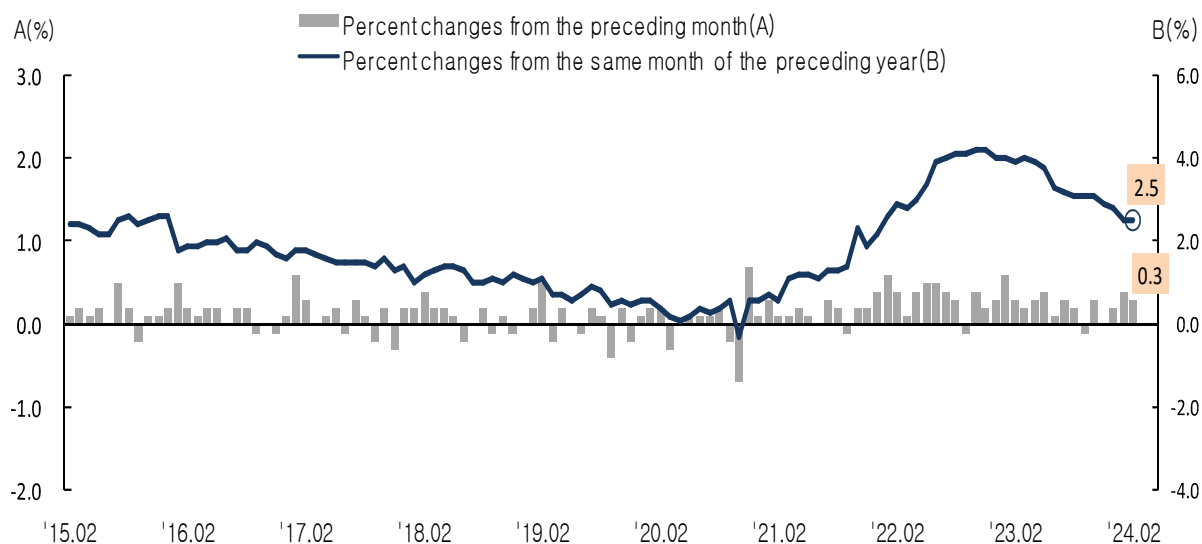
(2020=100, %)

	2023						2024	
	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
All items	111.29	112.28	112.83	113.26	112.67	112.71	113.15	<b>113.77</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.1	0.9	0.5	0.4	-0.5	0.0	0.4	<b>0.5</b>
Percent changes year on year	2.4	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.8	<b>3.1</b>
Excluding food and energy	108.91	109.16	109.02	109.40	109.40	109.60	110.01	<b>110.34</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4	<b>0.3</b>
Percent changes year on year	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.5	<b>2.5</b>

### < All items Inflation Rates >



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



The Consumer Price Index by expenditure category in February 2024 was below.

- The index for Food and non-alcoholic beverages, Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance, Health, Transport, Recreation and culture, Education, and Restaurants and hotels increased 1.4 percent, 0.3 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.1 percent, 1.5 percent, 1.0 percent, 0.1 percent, and 0.3 percent respectively from the preceding month.
- The index for Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, and Miscellaneous goods and services decreased 0.1 percent, and 0.1 percent 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 2023			February 2024		
			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>1000.0</b>	<b>110.33</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>113.77</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	140	142.0	115.91	0.5	5.7	123.96	1.4	6.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	7	15.8	103.33	0.5	1.8	104.33	-0.1	1.0
Clothing and footwear	25	49.6	107.48	0.1	5.2	113.63	0.0	5.7
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	15	171.6	112.35	0.5	7.2	114.12	0.3	1.6
Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance	50	45.6	111.18	0.8	6.0	113.94	0.2	2.5
Health	34	84.0	102.23	0.1	1.4	104.06	0.1	1.8
Transport	33	110.6	111.38	-0.9	0.2	113.64	1.5	2.0
Communication	6	46.6	100.93	0.0	1.3	101.24	0.0	0.3
Recreation and culture	47	62.9	106.09	0.0	5.0	108.41	1.0	2.2
Education	20	73.9	103.43	0.2	1.7	105.09	0.1	1.6
Restaurants and hotels	44	144.7	115.00	0.5	7.3	119.39	0.3	3.8
Miscellaneous goods and services	37	52.7	113.27	0.2	6.5	118.25	-0.1	4.4