



Ministry of Data
and Statistics

Press Release

Embargo 8:00A.M., August 4, 2026 Release Date 7:30A.M., August 4, 2026

Consumer Price Index

in July 2026

Contact Division	Deputy Director General for Short-term Economic Statistics Price Statistics Division	Contact Person	Kim, Yumi (042-481-2530)
---------------------	--	-------------------	--------------------------



Consumer Price Index: July 2026

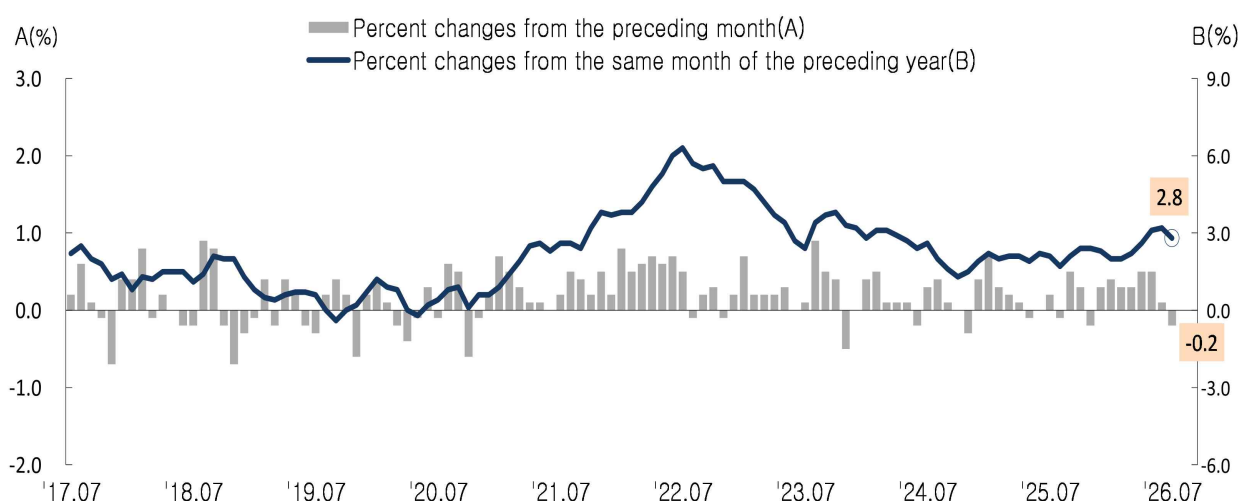
- The Consumer Price Index was 119.77 (2020=100) in July 2026. The index decreased 0.2 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.8 percent from the same month of the previous year.
- The index excluding food and energy was 116.43 in July 2026. The index increased 0.4 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.6 percent from the same month of the previous year.

< The Current Trend of Consumer Price Index >

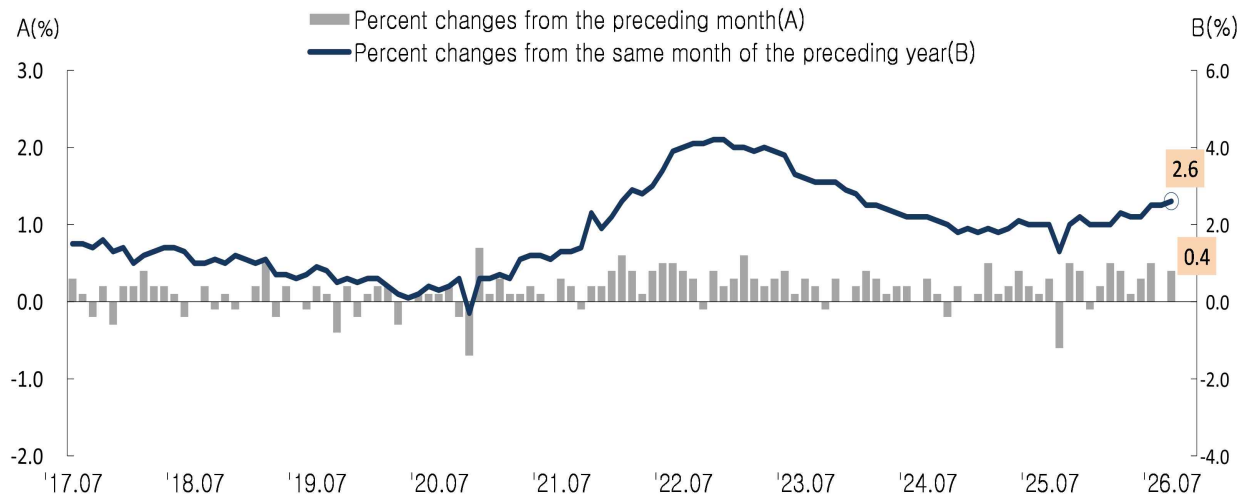
(2020=100, %)

	2025	2026						
	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.
All items	117.57	118.03	118.40	118.80	119.37	119.92	119.99	119.77
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.1	-0.2
Percent changes year on year	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.1	3.2	2.8
Excluding food and energy	113.83	114.41	114.87	114.98	115.38	115.97	115.98	116.43
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.4
Percent changes year on year	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.6

< All items Inflation Rates >



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



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

- The index for Clothing and footwear, Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance, Health, Communication, Recreation and culture, Education, Restaurants and hotels, and Miscellaneous goods and services increased 0.2 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.1 percent, 0.7 percent, 0.1 percent, 0.7 percent, and 0.2 percent respectively, from the preceding month.
- The index for Food and non-alcoholic beverages, Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, and Transport decreased 0.3 percent, 0.2 percent, 1.1 percent, and 1.6 percent respectively, from the preceding month.

< Consumer Price Index by expenditure category >

(Not seasonally adjusted)

(2020=100, %)

	Number of items	Weights	July 2025			July 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
All items	458	1,000.0	116.52	0.2	2.1	119.77	-0.2	2.8
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	140	142.0	125.75	0.8	3.5	126.94	-0.3	0.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	7	15.8	104.88	0.0	0.2	105.09	-0.2	0.2
Clothing and footwear	25	49.6	116.46	0.0	1.8	119.71	0.2	2.8
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	15	171.6	115.16	-1.2	1.8	117.29	-1.1	1.8
Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance	50	45.6	119.32	-0.1	3.4	122.90	0.2	3.0
Health	34	84.0	105.50	0.0	1.2	107.16	0.2	1.6
Transport	33	110.6	115.82	1.5	-0.2	124.73	-1.6	7.7
Communication	6	46.6	101.35	0.0	0.0	102.01	0.1	0.7
Recreation and culture	47	62.9	110.16	0.6	0.6	116.27	0.7	5.5
Education	20	73.9	108.90	0.0	2.6	110.27	0.1	1.3
Restaurants and hotels	44	144.7	125.15	0.6	3.2	128.61	0.7	2.8
Miscellaneous goods and services	37	52.7	124.98	0.0	4.3	130.44	0.2	4.4