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# Consumer Price Index

in December 2023

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## Consumer Price Index : December 2023

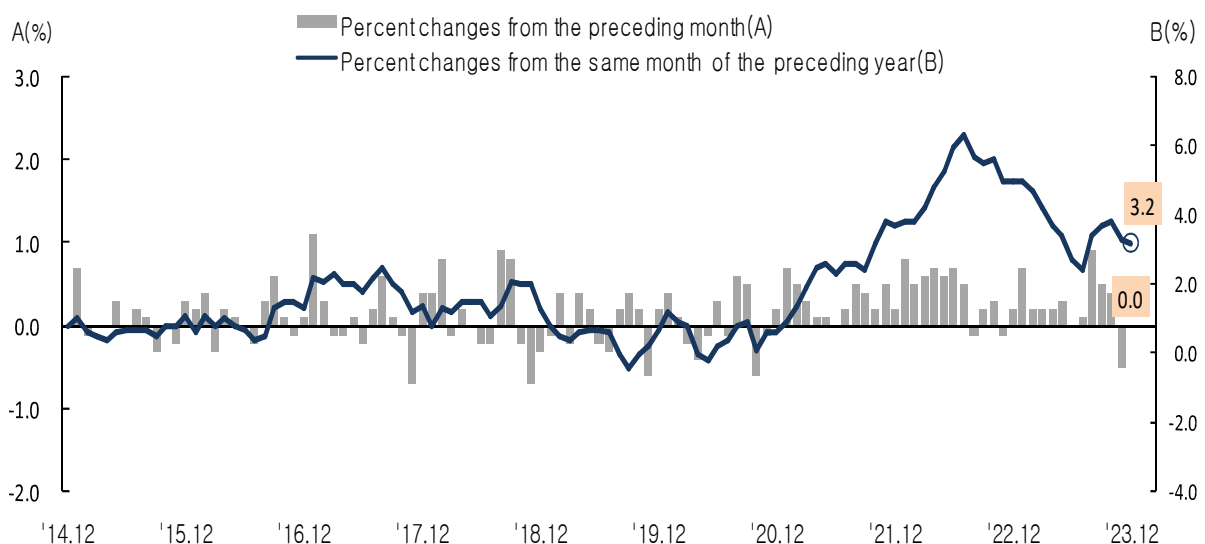
- The Consumer Price Index was 112.71(2020=100) in December 2023. The index remained unchanged from the preceding month and rose 3.2 percent from the same month of the previous year.
- The index excluding food and energy was 109.60 in December 2023. The index increased 0.2 percent from the preceding month and rose 2.8 percent from the same month of the previous year.

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

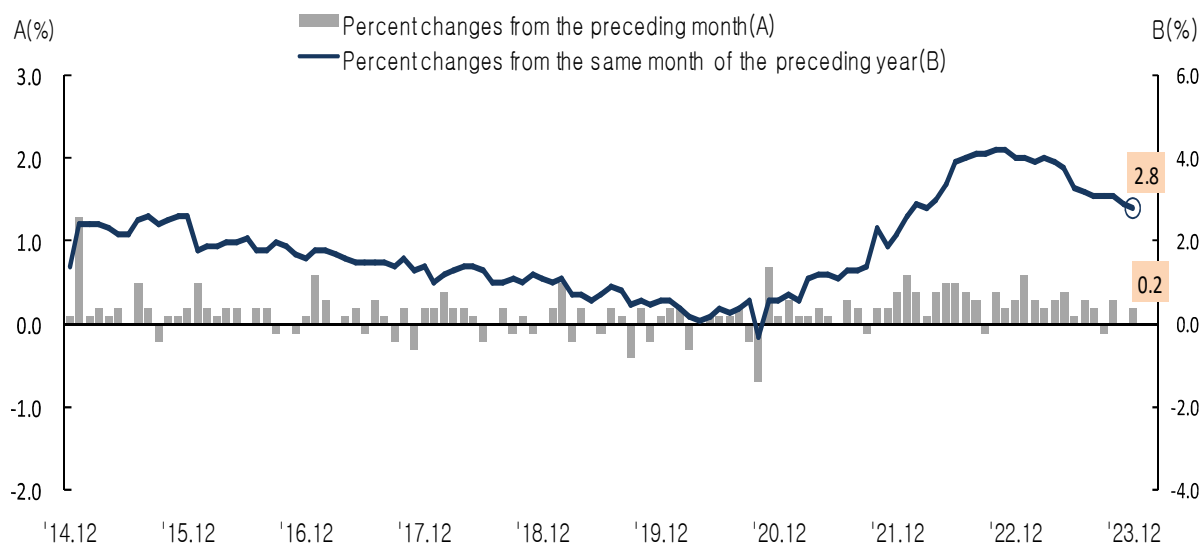
(2020=100, %)

	2023							
	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
All items	111.13	111.16	111.29	112.28	112.83	113.26	112.67	<b>112.71</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.9	0.5	0.4	-0.5	<b>0.0</b>
Percent changes year on year	3.4	2.7	2.4	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.3	<b>3.2</b>
Excluding food and energy	108.51	108.61	108.91	109.16	109.02	109.40	109.40	<b>109.60</b>
Percent changes from the preceding month	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.0	<b>0.2</b>
Percent changes year on year	3.8	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	<b>2.8</b>

### < All items Inflation Rates >



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



The Consumer Price Index by expenditure category in December 2023 was below.

- The index for Food and non-alcoholic beverages, Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, Clothing and footwear, Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance, Recreation and culture, Restaurants and hotels, and Miscellaneous goods and services increased 0.6 percent, 0.2 percent, 0.1 percent, 0.1 percent, 0.5 percent, 0.1 percent, 0.4 percent, and 0.3 percent respectively from the preceding month.
- The index for Transport decreased 1.8 percent from the preceding month.
- The index for Health, Communication, and Education remained unchanged from the preceding month.

< Consumer Price Index by expenditure category >

(Not seasonally adjusted)

(2020=100, %)

	Number of Items	Weights	December 2022			December 2023		
			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>109.26</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>112.71</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	140	142.0	113.53	1.0	5.3	120.56	0.6	6.2
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	7	15.8	103.04	0.0	2.6	105.01	0.2	1.9
Clothing and footwear	25	49.6	107.15	0.2	5.3	113.57	0.1	6.0
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	15	171.6	110.57	0.1	6.9	113.61	0.1	2.7
Furnishings, household equipment & routine maintenance	50	45.6	108.99	0.5	4.4	114.01	0.5	4.6
Health	34	84.0	101.06	0.0	1.4	102.83	0.0	1.8
Transport	33	110.6	113.15	-2.0	3.4	112.89	-1.8	-0.2
Communication	6	46.6	100.92	0.0	1.3	101.24	0.0	0.3
Recreation and culture	47	62.9	105.34	1.1	4.5	107.35	0.1	1.9
Education	20	73.9	102.70	0.2	1.5	104.52	0.0	1.8
Restaurants and hotels	44	144.7	113.83	0.6	8.1	118.88	0.4	4.4
Miscellaneous goods and services	37	52.7	111.04	0.5	8.0	115.58	0.3	4.1