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Department of Statistics: Inflation Rate for the First Half of 2026 Reached 2.03%

The Department of Statistics issued its monthly report on the Consumer Price Index (CPI) of June 2026, whereby the inflation rate during the first half of 2026 reached 2.03% against 1.98% for the same period in 2025. In June 2026, the inflation rate had reached 2.79% compared to 2.02% during June 2025, and recorded an increase by 0.14% (less than one percentage point) compared to May 2026.

The following table shows the price increase rates during the months of 2025 and during the available period of 2026.

Table 1: Monthly & Available Consumer Price Change Rate for 2025 & 2026 (Percentage %)

Month Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
2025 Monthly	2.29	2.12	1.64	1.83	1.98	2.02	1.68	1.32	1.74	2.0	1.28	1.31
2025 Cumulative	2.29	2.21	2.02	1.97	1.97	1.98	1.94	1.86	1.85	1.87	1.81	1.77
2026 Monthly	1.06	1.17	1.87	2.49	2.83	2.79						
2026 Cumulative	1.06	1.11	1.36	1.65	1.88	2.03						

Table 2: Monthly CPIs for the Years 2024- 2026 (2018=100)

Month Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
2024	109.72	110.02	110.61	110.50	110.58	110.74	111.00	111.17	110.81	110.61	111.04	111.76
2025	112.23	112.36	112.43	112.53	112.77	112.98	112.87	112.63	112.74	112.82	112.46	113.22
2026	113.42	113.67	114.53	115.33	115.96	116.13						

Regarding the contribution of commodities and services groups to the inflation rate recorded during the first half of 2026, inflation was driven by the contribution of the *Rents* item by approximately 0.70 percentage points, while *Transportation* contributed approximately 0.43 percentage points, *Oils and Fats* contributed approximately 0.26 percentage points, and *Personal Effects* approximately 0.14 percentage points. As for the inflation recorded in June 2026 compared to the same month in 2025, it was driven by the contribution of several goods and services, most notably: *Transportation* group by approximately 1.27 percentage points, followed by the *Rent* item with a contribution of 0.76 percentage points, and the *Oils and fats* item by approximately 0.28 percentage points.

In contrast, the decline in several items' prices limited the inflation increase during June, most notably the *Meat and Poultry* item, which contributed to a decrease in the inflation rate by about (0.23) percentage points.

Table 3: Contribution to Inflation for the Main Commodity Groups in June 2026 compared to June 2025

Expenditure groups	Relative Importance %	Contribution (percentage point)
Transportation	15.98	1.27
Rents	17.54	0.76
Oils & Fats	1.70	0.28
Fuel & Lightening	4.69	0.15

Personal Effects	0.48	0.08
Education	4.35	0.12
Meat and Poultry	4.69	-0.23
Fruits & Nuts	2.57	-0.18
Dairy and their production & Eggs	3.72	-0.04
Household Appliances	0.86	-0.02
Total (All totals)	%100	%2.79

Table 4: Contribution to Inflation for the Main Commodity Groups for the first half of 2026 compared to the same period in 2025

Expenditure groups	Relative Importance %	Contribution (percentage point)
Rents	17.54	0.70
Transportation	15.98	0.43
Oils & Fats	1.70	0.26
Personal Effects	0.48	0.14
Tobacco & Cigarettes	4.37	0.17
Education	4.35	0.12
Tea, Coffee, and Cocoa	1.21	0.11
Meat and Poultry	4.69	-0.19
Grains and their products	4.17	-0.03
Household Appliances	0.86	-0.02
Drinks and Refreshments	1.52	-0.02
Total (All totals)	%100	%2.03

It is worth noting that computing the CPI (inflation) is based on a basket of consumables that includes (850) commodities, including (325) food commodities, (525) non-food commodities, and a survey sample of 3400 establishments from which the prices of services and commodities are collected.

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