

Inflation in the Republic of Kazakhstan

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1. Key points

Inflation in the Republic of Kazakhstan in December 2025 for the year amounted to 12.3% (in 2024 – 8,6%), for the month – 0.9% (in the previous month – 0.8%).

Prices for food products the year increased – by 13.5% (in 2024 – 5,5%), paid services – by 12% (in 2024 – 13.3%), non-food products by 11.1% (in 2024 – 8.3%).

Dynamics of inflation

Compared to the previous year, prices increased as follows: beef by 32.1%, mutton by 28.8%, sausage products by 19.3%, apples by 18.4%, sunflower oil by 17.5%, fish and seafood by 16.5%, non-alcoholic beverages by 16.3%, butter by 13.9%, milk and fermented dairy products by 11.2%, and poultry meat by 10.7%.

Price growth was also recorded for jewelry (38.2%), vacuum cleaners (33.2%), laptops (27.6%), washing machines (17.7%), clothing and footwear (10.8%), and personal care products (9.4%). Liquefied gas in cylinders became more expensive by 23.2%, gasoline AI-92 by 16.0%, and gasoline AI-95/96 by 14.1%.

The cost of holidays in Dubai increased by 47.5%, housing rent by 14.8%, healthcare services by 14.5%, catering services by 14.0%, transport services by 10.9%, and education services by 8.6%.

Utility (housing and communal) services rose by 6.4% over the year.

Annual inflation in the regions

	at the end of the period, in percentages, increase		
	2025	2024	2023
Republic of Kazakhstan	12,3	8,6	9,8
Abay	11,8	9,0	9,7
Akmola	13,6	9,3	10,7
Aktobe	12,7	8,7	9,3
Almaty	11,9	6,6	8,4
Atyrau	13,5	8,1	9,6
Batys Kazakhstan	11,8	8,7	9,2
Zhambyl	11,8	7,0	9,2
Zhetisu	12,2	8,4	10,0
Karagandy	13,1	9,6	11,1
Kostanay	11,7	7,7	9,3
Kyzylorda	12,0	8,1	8,8
Mangystau	11,9	9,2	10,6
Pavlodar	13,4	7,7	9,3
Soltustik Kazakhstan	14,2	9,3	10,5
Turkistan	12,4	7,5	10,2
Ulytau	13,4	7,7	10,5
Shygys Kazakhstan	12,4	8,8	10,1
Astana city	12,2	10,7	9,1
Almaty city	11,7	9,2	10,2
Shymkent city	12,0	7,4	9,5

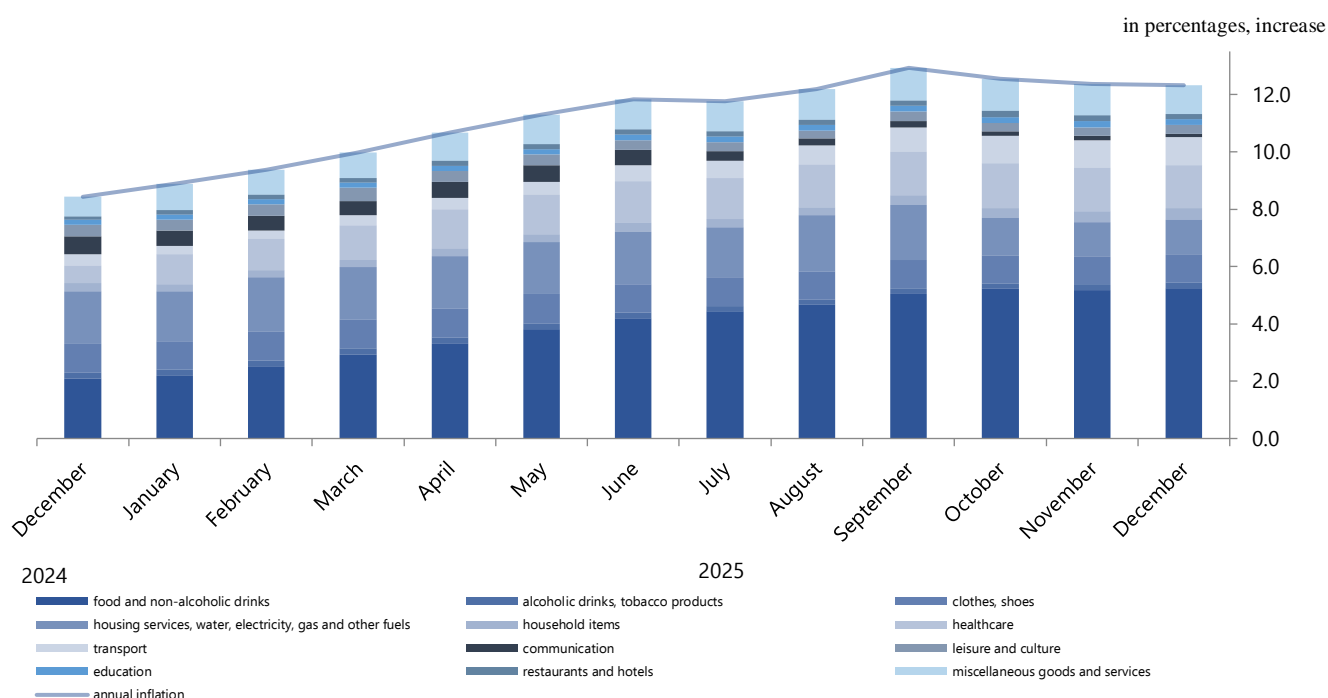
Dynamic tables:

- [1.Index of prices and tariffs for consumer goods and services in the Republic of Kazakhstan for 2000-2023](#)
- [2.Index of prices and tariffs for consumer goods and services by regions for 1993-2023](#)

2. Contribution to the annual rate of inflation

The largest contribution to the annual inflation rate was made by food and non-alcoholic drinks (5.2 percentage point), healthcare (1.5 percentage points), housing services (1.2 percentage points).

Contribution of the main groups of goods to the inflation of the Republic of Kazakhstan



Contribution of individual components to annual inflation in the Republic of Kazakhstan in 2025

Goods and services	Rate of increase, in percentages	at the end of the period	
		Contribution to price growth, percentage points	
Food products	13,5		5,441
Bakery products and cereals	6,4		0,465
Meat and meat products	22,6		2,545
Milk products	11,2		0,458
Eggs	2,9		0,039
Oils and fats	14,5		0,327
Fruits and vegetables	7,8		0,440
Sugar	6,7		0,062
Soft drinks	16,3		0,315
Non-food products	11,1		3,290
Cloth	10,5		0,629
Shoes	11,3		0,337
Detergents	6,8		0,103
Petrol	15,7		0,738
Goods for personal use	9,4		0,285
Paid services	12,0		3,585
Housing services, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	9,3		1,223
payment for housing maintenance	10,8		0,057
rental of property	14,8		0,416
residential maintenance and repair	8,2		0,209
cold water	-13,1		0,095
hot water	4,8		0,011
garbage removal	8,5		0,026
drainage	18,7		0,038
electricity	8,0		0,108
gas	15,3		0,151
gas, transported through distribution networks	13,8		0,123
liquefied	23,2		0,028
central heating	5,8		0,052
solid fuels	7,8		0,050
intercom	15,3		0,010

Over the month, the price level of food products increased – by 1.2%, non-food products – by 0.7%, paid services by 0.6%.

Inflation for the month

	in percentages, increase			
	December			
	goods and services	food products	non-food products	paid services

2020	0,6	0,6	0,7	0,5
2021	1,2	1,6	1,3	0,5
2022	0,8	0,9	0,5	0,8
2023	0,9	1,1	0,8	0,8
2024	0,9	1,2	0,7	0,6

Dynamic table:

[Index of prices and tariffs for consumer goods and services in the Republic of Kazakhstan on a monthly basis for 2000-2024](#)

3. Glossary

Inflation - an indicator that characterizes the change in time of the average price level for a fixed list of goods and services purchased by the population for personal consumption.

Contribution - the amount of influence of the percentage change in the indicator on the overall value of inflation.

4. Methodological explanations

The consumer price index, which characterizes the level of inflation, reflects the change over time in the general level of prices for goods and services purchased by the population for personal consumption.

The calculation of the consumer price index is based on information obtained from two sources:

- data on price changes collected by their direct registration in specially selected for this purpose outlets and places of services;

- household survey materials regarding the structure of actual consumer spending of the population.

The collection of information on price changes is carried out in a selective circle of cities and regional centers, in all regional centers, in cities of republican significance and the capital. The choice of basic trade and service enterprises is carried out locally. Objects of all types of trade and paid services are selected so that the survey includes enterprises with different trading conditions and regularly selling goods (services) of mass demand.

The set of goods and services for monitoring consumer prices and calculating the CPI is a single sample for all regions of Kazakhstan. The list of goods and services contains 508 items, which representatively includes the most representative types that occupy the largest share in the consumption of the population.

The collection of information on prices is carried out directly at the places of sale of goods (services) by price registrars. Prices are fixed for goods paid on the day of the survey, including taxes, but excluding additional fees for their delivery.

5. Links to related publications

[Consumer price index and derived indicators](#)

[Retail prices for certain goods and services in the Republic of Kazakhstan](#)

[Price index and average prices for socially significant food products in the Republic of Kazakhstan](#)

6. Useful links

[Methodology for constructing the consumer price index \(CPI\)](#)

[Form C-101 "Notebook for registering prices for consumer goods and paid services"](#)

[Consumer price Index Quality Report 2021](#)

[Consumer price index, Information and analytical system "Taldau"](#)

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