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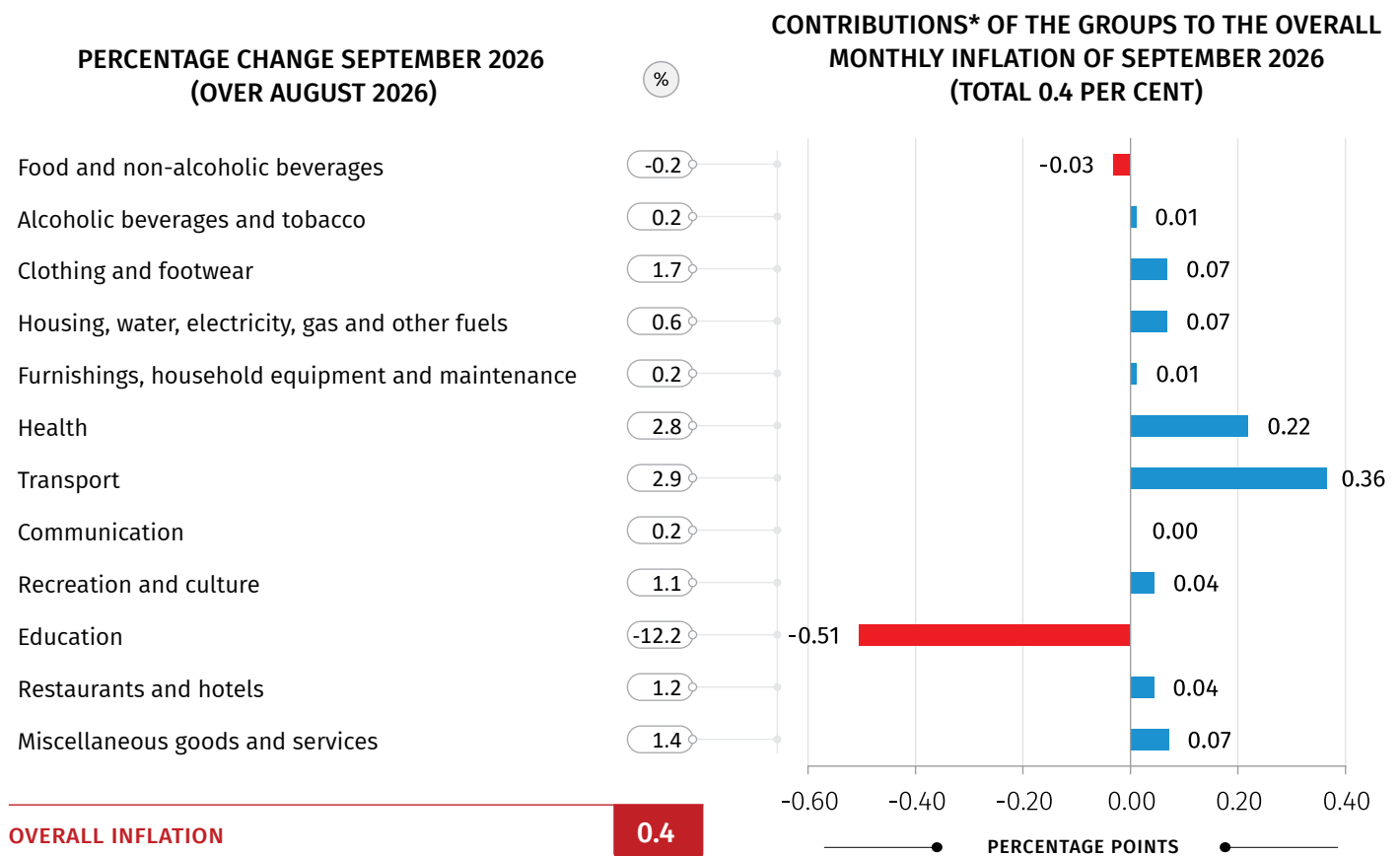
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INFLATION RATE IN GEORGIA, SEPTEMBER 2026

In September 2026 the Consumer Price Index increased by 0.4 percent compared to the previous month, while the annual inflation rate amounted to 5.6 percent.

With regard to the annual core inflation¹, the prices increased by 3.7 percent, while the annual core inflation without tobacco² amounted to 3.5 percent.

The following table shows percentage changes in prices for the commodity groups of the consumer basket as well as the relevant contributions to the overall monthly inflation rate.



* Individual contributions not sum up to the total due to rounding.

¹Core inflation is calculated by excluding the following groups of goods and services from the consumer basket: food and non-alcoholic beverages, energy, regulated tariffs, transport (specific tariffs).

²Core Inflation without tobacco is calculated by excluding the following groups of goods and services from the consumer basket: food and non-alcoholic beverages, tobacco; energy, regulated tariffs, transport (specific tariffs).

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The monthly inflation rate was mainly influenced by price changes for the following groups:

Transport: the prices for the group increased by 2.9 percent, contributing 0.36 percentage points to the overall index. Within the group the prices increased for operation of personal transport equipment (4.2 percent), purchase of vehicles (0.4 percent) and transport services (0.4 percent);

Health: the prices increased by 2.8 percent, contributing 0.22 percentage points to the overall index. The prices were higher mainly for out-patient services (9.1 percent);

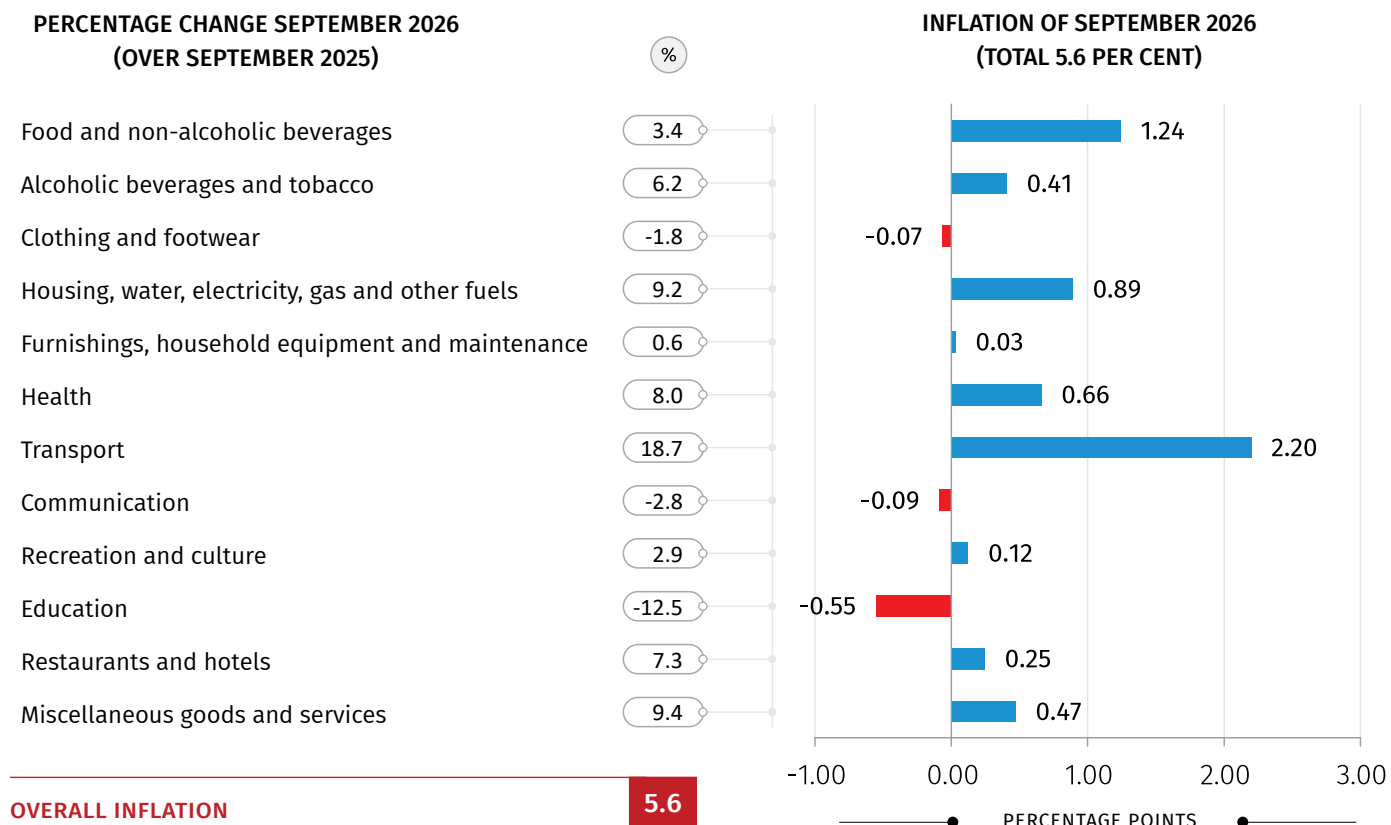
Education: the prices for the group decreased by 12.2 percent, contributing -0.51 percentage points to the overall monthly inflation rate. The prices decreased for the subgroup of tertiary education (-32.9 percent). At the same time, prices increased for secondary education (7.0 percent), for pre-primary and primary education (5.8 percent), and for education not definable by level (4.6 percent).

The following table shows percentage changes in prices for the commodity groups of the consumer basket, as well as the relevant contributions to the overall annual inflation rate in September 2026.

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CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE GROUPS TO THE OVERALL ANNUAL INFLATION OF SEPTEMBER 2026 (TOTAL 5.6 PER CENT)



* Individual contributions not sum up to the total due to rounding.

The annual inflation rate was mainly influenced by price changes for the following groups:

Transport: the prices for the group increased by 18.7 percent, contributing 2.2 percentage points to the overall index. Within the group the prices increased for operation of personal transport equipment (25.8 percent) and transport services (14.9 percent);

Food and non-alcoholic beverages: the prices in the group increased by 3.4 percent, contributing 1.24 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate. Within the group the prices increased for the following subgroups: fish (18.1 percent), meat (9.0 percent), bread and cereals (6.9 percent), oils and fats (4.8 percent), coffee, tea and cocoa (4.6 percent), vegetables (0.4 percent). At the same time, prices decreased for fruit and grapes (-4.3 percent), sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery (-0.7 percent), mineral waters, soft drinks, fruit and vegetable juices (-0.6 percent);

Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels: the prices for the group increased by 9.2 percent, contributing 0.89 percentage points to the overall index. The prices were higher for the subgroups of

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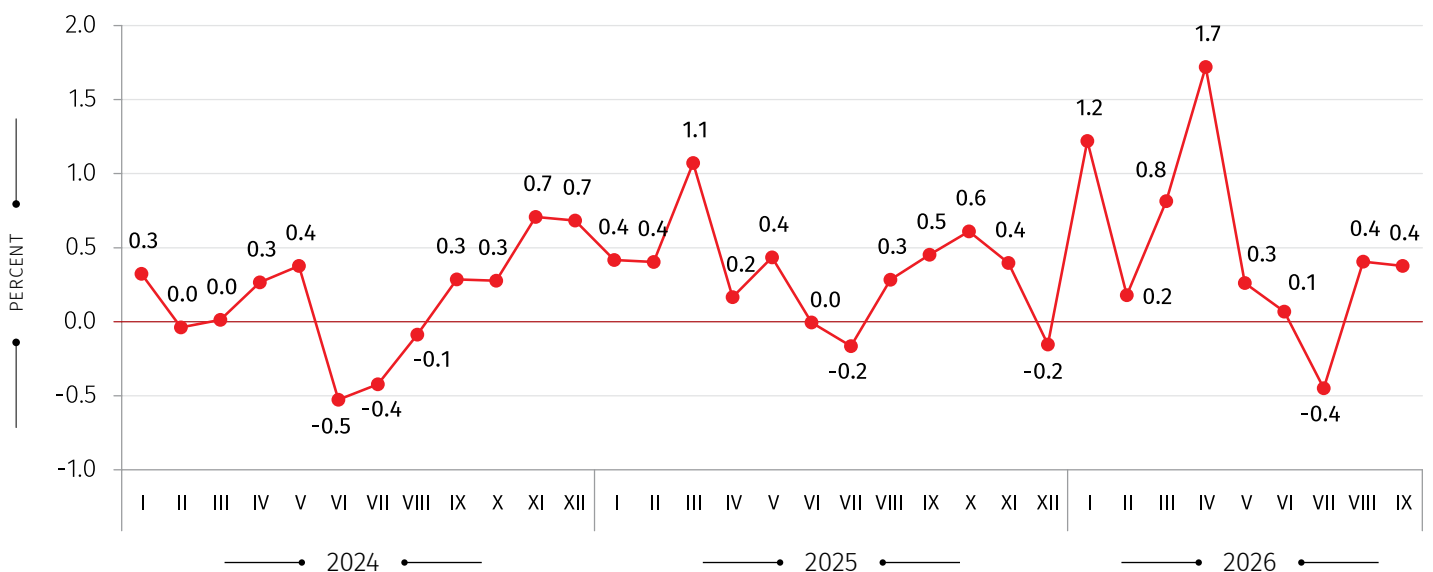
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actual rentals for housing (10.9 percent), electricity, gas and other fuels (10.5 percent), maintenance and repair of the dwelling (9.8 percent);

Health: the prices increased by 8.0 percent, contributing 0.66 percentage points to the overall index. The prices were higher for the following subgroups: out-patient services (11.5 percent), medical products, appliances and equipment (8.8 percent);

Education: the prices for the group decreased by 12.5 percent, contributing -0.55 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate. The prices decreased for the subgroups of tertiary education (-32.9 percent). At the same time, prices increased for pre-primary and primary education (7.0 percent), education not definable by level (6.8 percent), and for secondary education (6.6 percent).

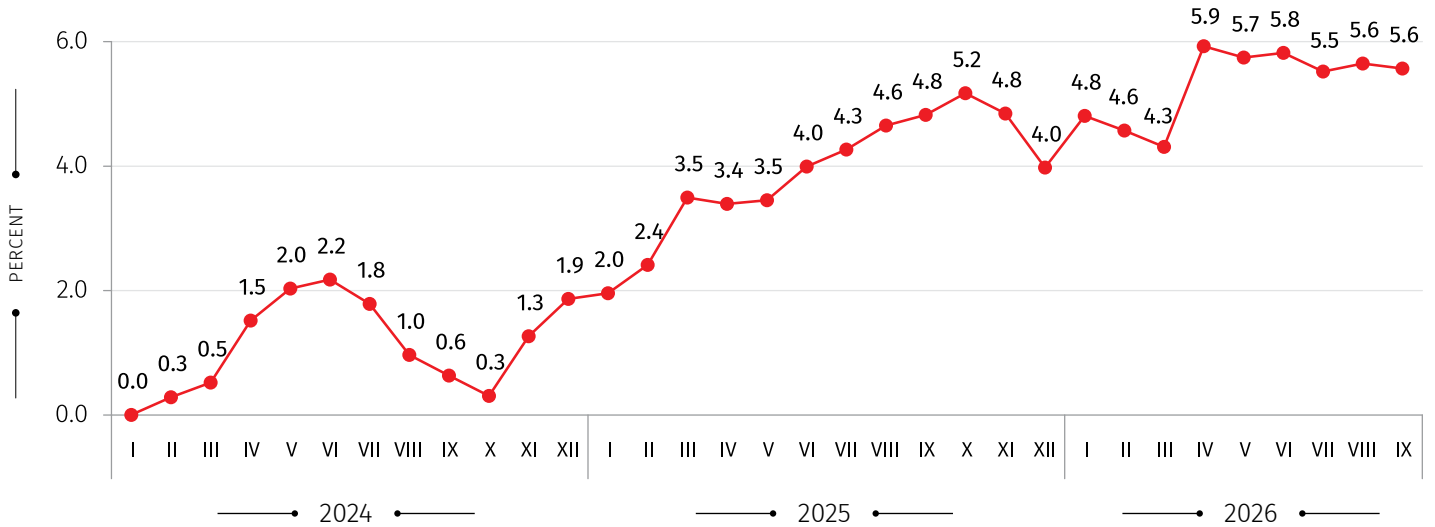
MONTHLY INFLATION



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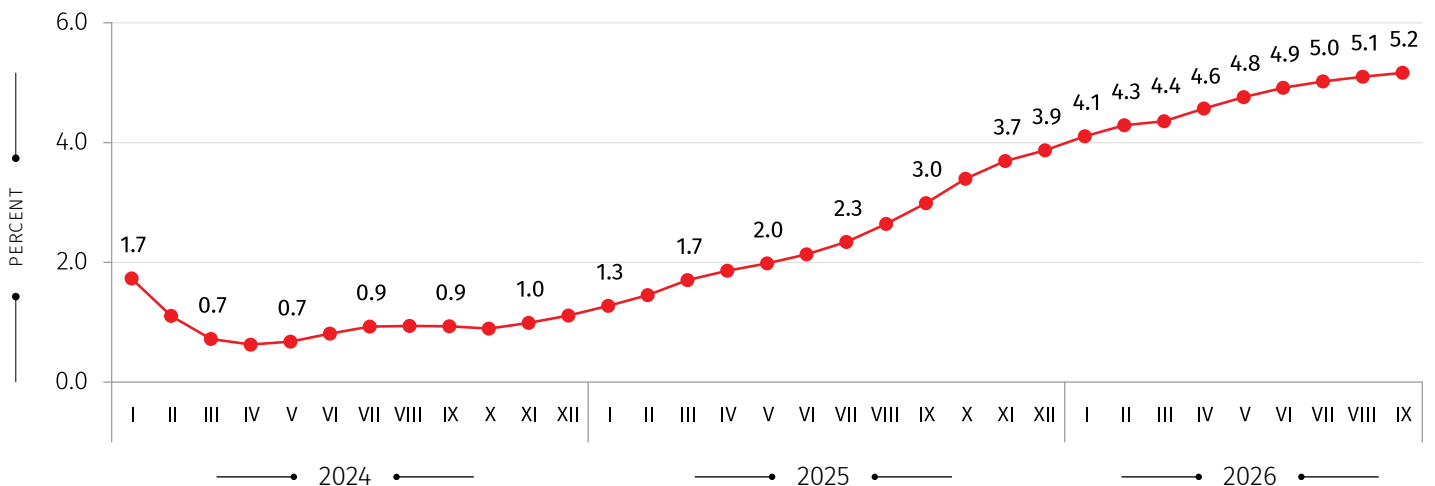
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ANNUAL INFLATION RATE IN GEORGIA (YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE)



AVERAGE INFLATION RATE

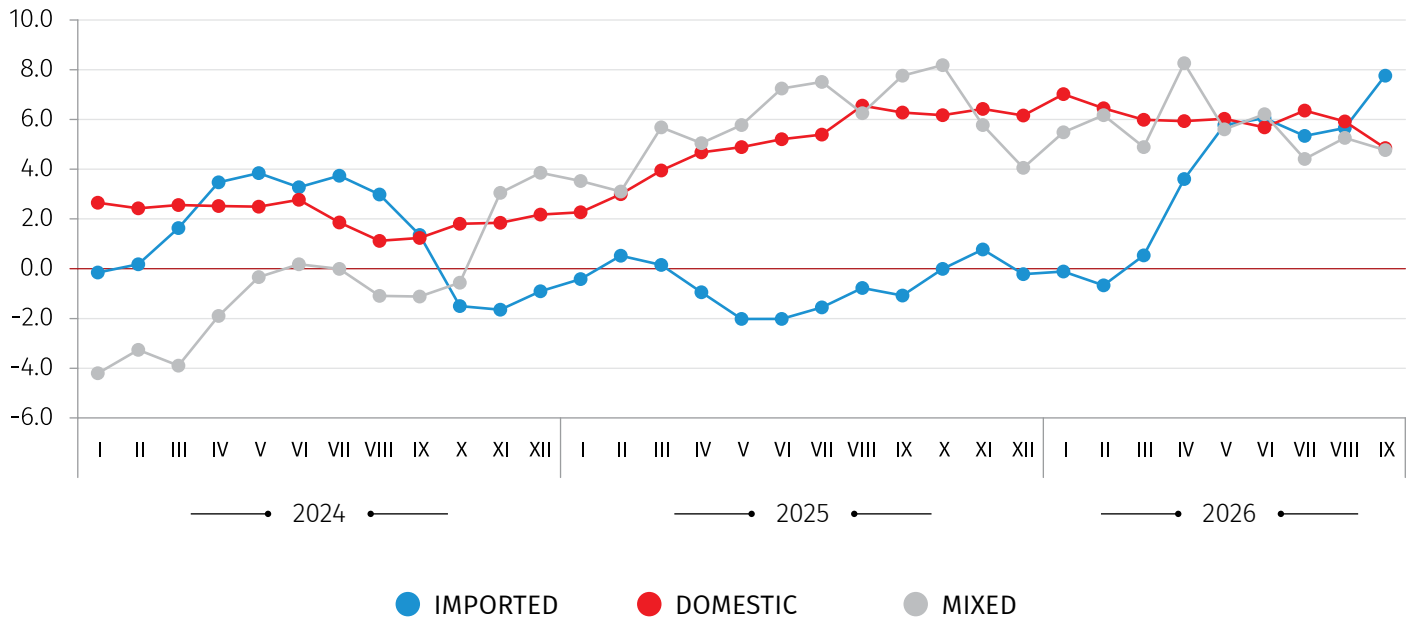
(12 MONTH AVERAGE OVER THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTH AVERAGE, PERCENTAGE CHANGE)



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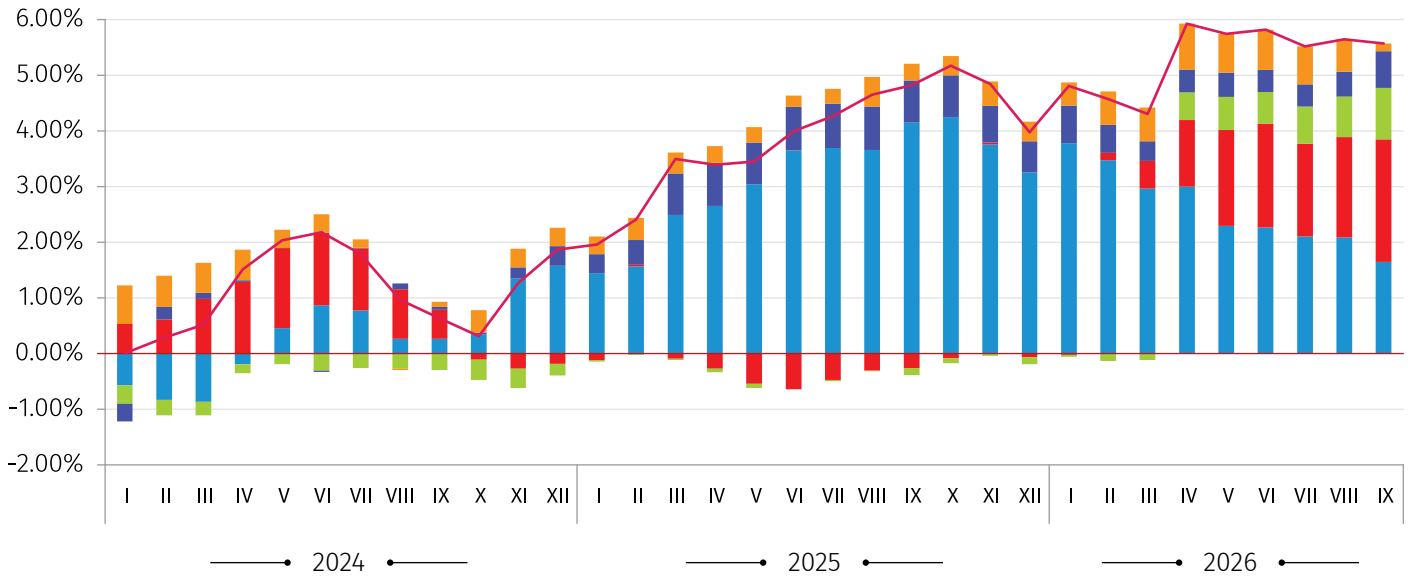
ANNUAL INFLATION BY ORIGIN OF PRODUCTS, (%)



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DECOMPOSITION OF ANNUAL INFLATION, (PERCENTAGE POINT)



- OTHER GOODS AND SERVICES
- TRANSPORT
- FOOD, BEVERAGES, TOBACCO
- HOUSING AND RELATED GOODS AND SERVICES
- HEALTH
- OVERALL INFLATION

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