



26th January 2026

WEIGHTED CONSUMER PRICE INDEX JANUARY 2025 (APRIL 2024 = 100)

Weighted Consumer Price Index

The Weighted Consumer Price Index (CPI) was **127.62** in January 2026 and **127.37** in December 2025. In January 2025 it was **125.40**.

Month-on-Month Inflation Rate

The Weighted month-on-month inflation rate was **0.2** percent in January 2026, gaining 0.1 percentage points on the December 2025 rate of **0.1** percent.

This means that prices as measured by the all-items Weighted CPI, increased by an average rate of 0.2 percent from December 2025 to January 2026.

The month-on-month inflation rate is given by the percentage change in the price index of the reference month compared with the index of the previous month.

The weighted month-on-month Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages inflation rate remained constant at **0.2** percent in January 2026, unchanged from the December 2025 rate of 0.2 percent. The January 2026 Weighted month-on-month non-food inflation rate was **0.2** percent gaining 0.2 percentage points on the December 2025 rate of **0.0** percent.

Year-on-Year

The weighted year-on-year inflation rate (annual percentage change) for the month of January 2026 as measured by the all-items Weighted Consumer Price Index (CPI), was **1.8** percent, shedding 11.5 percentage points on the December 2025 rate of **13.3** percent.

This means that prices as measured by the all-items Weighted CPI, increased by an average rate of 1.8 percent from January 2025 to January 2026.

Period of Data Collection

Data on prices were collected during the period 12th to 16th January 2026. Hence, the changes in prices in this report refer to that period of data collection.

Mean Month-on-Month Rate

The mean month-on-month inflation rate for the period January 2026 was **0.2** percent. The mean month-on-month inflation rate for the period January to December 2025 was **1.1** percent.

Methodology

The Weighted Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures the combined price changes of goods and services in both the USD and ZWG aggregated geometrically.

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Table 1: Month-on-month inflation rate from January 2025 to January 2026

Month	Jan-25	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sept-25	Oct-25	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26
Rate	11.6	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	-0.1	0.6	0.0	-0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2

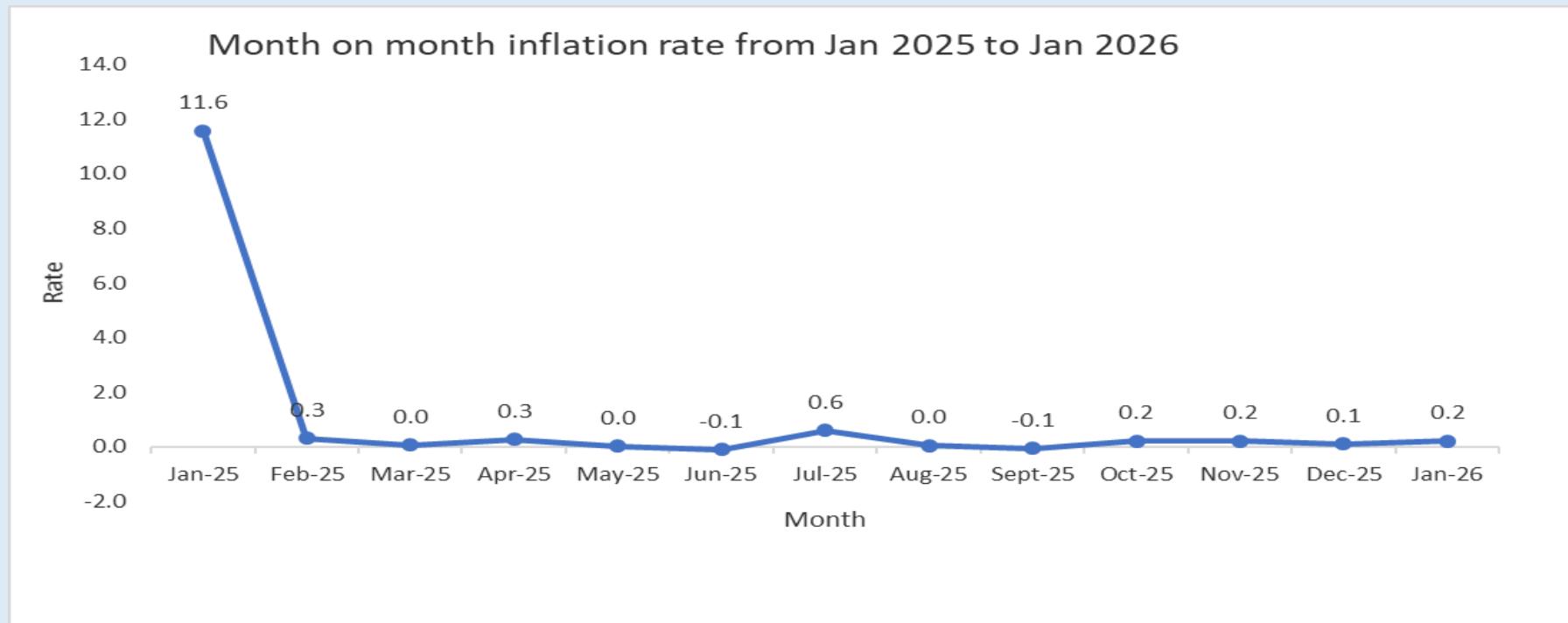


Figure 1: Month-on-month inflation rate from January 2025 to January 2026