

Monthly Inflation Review • MARCH 2025

The inflation rate in March 2025 amounted to 0.6 percent, which is 0.2 percentage point lower than in the month of last year.

Food Inflation

In the component of monthly inflation, the prices of food products had a tendency to increase by 1.0 percent (contributing 0.5 percentage points). This increase was mainly due to the rise in the prices of grapes by 22.3 percent, carrots by 20.4 percent, lemons 17.5 percent, bell pepper 17.0 percent, cucumber 20.4 percent, pear 7.0 percent, apples 6.8 percent, eggs 6.1 percent, tomatoes 5.8 percent, cabbage 4.6 percent and etc.

Seasonal factors and high demand for consumer products due to the celebration of holidays had contributed the increase of price level.

At the same time, a decrease in the prices of greens by 13.1 percent, first grade flour by 1.8 percent, sugar 0.6 percent, chicken by 0.3 percent was observed.

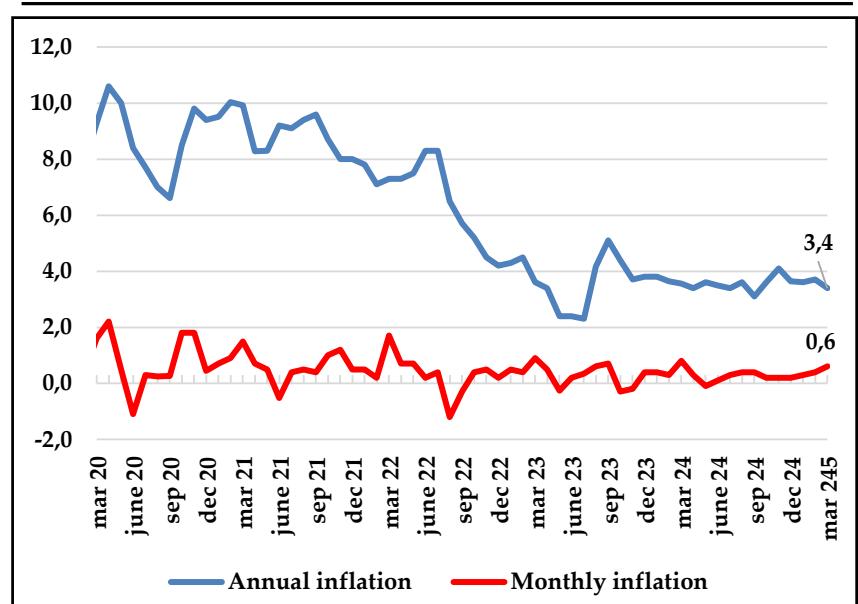
Nonfood Inflation

The prices of nonfood products in the month of March had a tendency to increase by 0.1 percent (minor contribution) which was mainly due to the increase in the prices of clothes and shoes by 0.5 percent, mixture (aceton) 0.3 percent, ceramic slab 0.2 percent and etc.

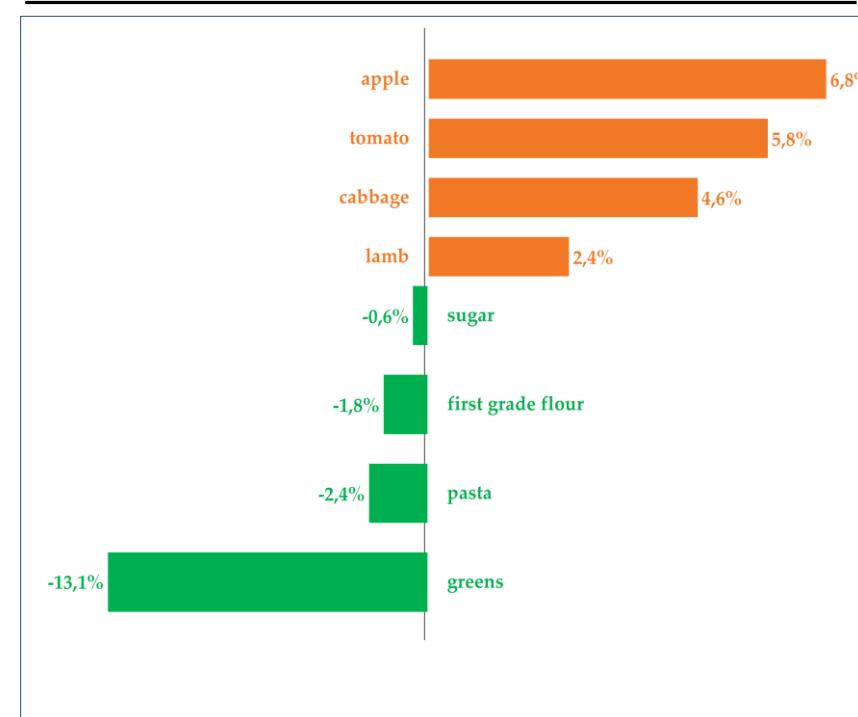
Service Inflation

The cost of paid services provided to the population had a tendency to increase by 0.6 percent (contributing 0.1 percent) in the reporting month. This increase was mainly due to an increase in the prices of postal services by 16.4 percent, hotel services by 4.7 percent, transportation services by 0.7 percent and house rental by 0.2 percent.

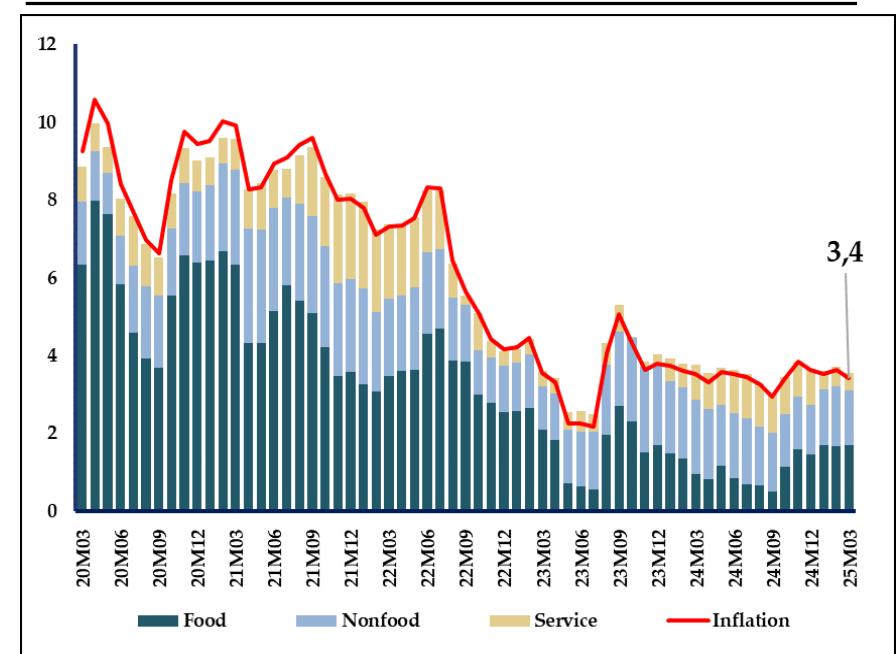
Monthly and Annual Inflation (in %)
(Source: Agency of Statistics, NBT calculations)



Share in annual inflation rate, in %)
(Source: Agency of Statistics, NBT calculations)



Change in prices of main food products in March 2025 (in %)
(Source: Agency of Statistics, NBT calculations)



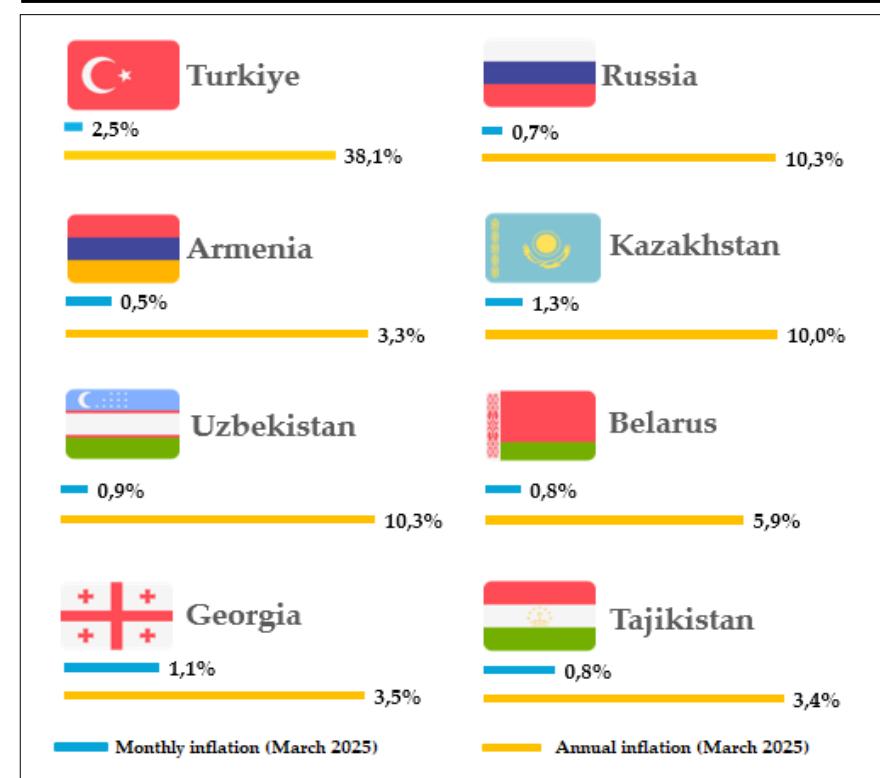
The annual inflation rate in March 2025 amounted to 3.4 percent, which is 0.2 percent lower than the same month last year.

The annual inflation rate in the trading partner and countries of the region were as follows: Turkey 38.1 percent, Uzbekistan 10.3 percent, Kazakhstan 10.0 percent, Belarus 5.9 percent, Georgia 3.5 percent, and Armenia 3.3 percent.

The core inflation, which partially reflects the monetary factors in the month of march of this year equaled to -0.2 percent and 1.2 percent on an annual basis.

The National Bank of Tajikistan will continue to implement the effective implementation of monetary policy aimed at maining domestic price stability.

Inflation rate in main economic partner and the region (in %) (source: Agency of Statistics)



¹ - According to the data of the Agency on Statistics under the President of the Tajikistan

