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CONSUMER PRICE INDICES

Information bulletin

CONSUMER PRICES BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES (per cent change month-on-month)

Table 1

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¹ Excluding fruit and vegetables.

Note. Tables 1-7 – Rosstat data, Bank of Russia calculations.

CONSUMER PRICES BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES (per cent change year-to-date)

	Inflation	Core inflation	Food	Food ¹	Fruit and vegetables	Non-food goods	Non-food goods excluding petrol	Services
				2017				
January	0.6	0.4	0.9	0.3	5.3	0.5	0.4	0.5
February	0.8	0.5	1.1	0.5	6.0	0.7	0.6	0.8
March	1.0	0.7	1.2	0.6	6.3	0.9	0.8	0.8
April	1.3	0.8	1.8	0.7	11.3	1.1	0.9	1.0
May	1.7	1.0	2.4	0.7	17.8	1.2	1.0	1.3
June	2.3	1.1	3.4	0.7	27.6	1.3	1.0	2.0
July	2.4	1.2	2.4	0.8	17.0	1.4	1.1	3.6
August	1.8	1.3	0.6	0.8	-1.0	1.5	1.2	4.0
September	1.7	1.6	-0.1	0.7	-7.9	1.8	1.4	4.1
October	1.9	1.8	0.3	0.9	-5.3	2.1	1.8	3.9
November	2.1	1.9	0.5	0.9	-3.3	2.4	2.1	4.0
December	2.5	2.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	2.8	2.3	4.4
				2018				
January	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.1	4.0	0.3	0.3	0.1
February	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.1	7.2	0.4	0.4	0.2
March	0.8	0.4	1.4	0.2	11.8	0.6	0.6	0.3
April	1.2	0.7	1.8	0.3	14.6	1.0	0.9	0.6
May	1.6	0.9	1.8	0.4	13.1	1.9	1.2	1.0
June	2.1	1.2	2.2	0.8	13.7	2.3	1.4	1.7
July	2.4	1.5	1.8	1.1	7.9	2.4	1.5	3.0
August	2.4	1.9	1.4	1.5	1.0	2.6	1.8	3.3
September	2.5	2.3	1.3	2.2	-5.8	3.0	2.2	3.6
October	2.9	2.8	1.9	2.9	-6.9	3.5	2.7	3.5
November	3.4	3.2	2.9	3.7	-3.7	3.9	3.1	3.5
December	4.3	3.7	4.7	4.6	4.9	4.1	3.4	3.9
				2019				
January	1.0	0.6	1.3	0.7	6.3	0.6	0.6	1.1
February	1.5	1.0	2.1	0.9	11.5	0.9	0.9	1.3

¹ Excluding fruit and vegetables.

CONSUMER PRICES BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES (per cent change on corresponding month of previous year)

	Inflation	Core inflation	Food	Food ¹	Fruit and vegetables	Non-food goods	Non-food goods excluding petrol	Services
				2017				
January	5.0	5.5	4.2	5.7	-7.6	6.3	6.4	4.4
February	4.6	5.0	3.7	5.4	-9.0	5.7	5.7	4.3
March	4.3	4.5	3.5	4.9	-7.6	5.1	5.0	4.2
April	4.1	4.1	3.6	4.5	-3.1	4.7	4.6	4.1
May	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.0	2.0	4.4	4.2	4.0
June	4.4	3.5	4.8	3.8	11.6	4.0	3.8	4.1
July	3.9	3.3	3.8	3.4	6.9	3.7	3.5	4.1
August	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.9	-0.8	3.4	3.2	4.1
September	3.0	2.8	2.0	2.5	-2.4	3.1	2.8	4.2
October	2.7	2.5	1.6	2.0	-2.2	2.8	2.6	4.2
November	2.5	2.3	1.1	1.4	-2.5	2.7	2.4	4.3
December	2.5	2.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	2.8	2.3	4.4
				2018				
January	2.2	1.9	0.7	0.8	-0.1	2.6	2.1	3.9
February	2.2	1.9	0.9	0.7	2.4	2.5	2.1	3.7
March	2.4	1.8	1.3	0.6	6.4	2.4	2.1	3.9
April	2.4	1.9	1.1	0.7	4.2	2.7	2.3	4.0
May	2.4	2.0	0.4	0.8	-2.8	3.4	2.5	4.0
June	2.3	2.3	-0.2	1.1	-9.8	3.7	2.7	4.1
July	2.5	2.4	0.5	1.4	-6.7	3.8	2.8	3.8
August	3.1	2.6	1.9	1.7	3.3	3.8	2.9	3.7
September	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.4	4.0	3.1	3.8
October	3.5	3.1	2.7	3.1	-0.5	4.1	3.2	4.0
November	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.8	0.8	4.2	3.3	3.8
December	4.3	3.7	4.7	4.6	4.9	4.1	3.4	3.9
				2019				
January	5.0	4.1	5.5	5.2	7.3	4.5	3.8	5.0
February	5.2	4.4	5.9	5.5	9.1	4.6	4.0	5.1

¹ Excluding fruit and vegetables.

INCREASE IN INFLATION DUE TO PRICE CHANGES BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES, YEAR-TO-DATE

(percentage points)

Non-food Inflation for Food^1 Services Fruit Core inflation Non-core goods and vegetables the period, % inflation² 2017 0.2 0.4 January 0.1 0.1 0.2 0.6 0.3 0.5 February 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 8.0 0.4 0.3 0.2 0.5 0.5 March 0.2 0.2 1.0 0.7 April 0.2 0.4 0.2 0.4 1.3 0.6 May 0.2 0.4 0.3 0.7 1.7 0.7 1.0 June 0.2 0.5 0.5 1.1 2.3 8.0 1.5 July 0.3 0.5 0.9 0.7 2.4 0.9 1.5 August 0.3 0.5 1.0 0.0 1.8 1.0 8.0 September 0.3 0.6 1.1 -0.3 1.7 1.2 0.5 October 0.3 0.7 1.0 -0.2 1.9 1.3 0.6 November 0.3 0.9 1.1 -0.1 2.1 1.4 0.7 December 0.4 1.0 1.1 0.0 2.5 1.5 1.0 2018 0.0 0.1 0.3 0.1 January 0.0 0.2 0.2 February 0.0 0.2 0.1 0.3 0.5 0.2 0.3 0.5 March 0.1 0.2 0.1 0.5 8.0 0.3 0.2 April 0.1 0.3 0.6 1.2 0.5 0.7 May 0.1 0.7 0.3 0.5 1.6 0.6 0.9 June 0.3 8.0 0.5 0.5 2.1 0.9 1.2 July 0.4 8.0 8.0 0.3 2.4 1.1 1.3 August 0.5 0.9 0.9 0.0 2.4 1.3 1.1 September 0.7 1.1 1.0 -0.2 2.5 1.6 0.9 October 1.0 1.2 1.0 -0.3 2.9 1.9 0.9 November 1.2 1.4 1.0 -0.1 3.4 2.3 1.1 December 1.6 1.4 1.1 0.2 4.3 2.6 1.7 2019 0.2 0.2 0.3 1.0 0.4 0.6 January 0.3 February 0.3 0.3 0.4 0.5 1.5 0.7 8.0

¹Excluding fruit and vegetables.

² Increase in prices of goods and services excluded from the core consumer price index.

INCREASE IN INFLATION DUE TO PRICE CHANGES BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES, MONTH-ON-MONTH (percentage points)

	Food ¹	Non-food goods	Services	Fruit and vegetables	Inflation for the period, %	Core inflation	Non-core inflation ²
			201	7			
January	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.4
February	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1
March	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0
April	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
May	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3
June	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.5
July	0.0	0.0	0.4	-0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0
August	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.6	-0.5	0.1	-0.6
September	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	0.2	-0.4
October	0.0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
November	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
December	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3
			2018	3			
January	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
February	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
March	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
April	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2
May	0.0	0.3	0.1	-0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2
June	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.3
July	0.1	0.0	0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1
August	0.1	0.1	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.2
September	0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.3	0.2	0.3	-0.2
October	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.0
November	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.2
December	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.5
			2019	9			
January	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.4	0.6
February	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2

¹ Excluding fruit and vegetables.

² Increase in prices of goods and services excluded from the core consumer price index.

CONTRIBUTION TO INCREASE IN INFLATION BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES, YEAR-TO-DATE (per cent)

	Food ¹	Non-food goods	Services	Fruit and vegetables	Core inflation	Non-core inflation ²
			2017			
January	18.8	27.0	21.6	33.2	42.1	57.9
February	19.6	28.5	24.7	27.6	45.8	54.2
March	21.2	32.7	21.4	25.2	50.9	49.1
April	18.7	29.1	19.2	33.7	46.3	53.7
May	13.3	25.8	20.4	41.2	41.3	58.7
June	10.5	20.6	22.8	46.7	33.6	66.4
July	11.2	21.2	40.2	28.0	36.6	63.4
August	14.6	30.4	57.9	-2.3	53.3	46.7
September	15.3	38.5	65.0	-18.3	71.7	28.3
October	16.0	40.3	55.0	-11.1	69.4	30.6
November	14.3	41.7	50.7	-6.1	67.3	32.7
December	14.0	39.1	45.5	1.9	60.7	39.3
			2018			
January	10.8	34.1	7.1	49.6	45.4	54.6
February	7.8	29.1	10.5	54.0	42.0	58.1
March	7.9	25.7	10.8	56.5	36.5	63.5
April	9.6	28.4	14.7	47.8	39.6	60.4
May	9.4	41.5	17.2	32.4	39.9	60.1
June	13.0	38.6	23.0	25.8	41.8	58.2
July	15.6	35.8	35.3	13.1	45.2	54.8
August	20.8	39.1	38.4	1.7	55.5	44.5
September	28.9	41.8	38.7	-9.0	65.1	34.9
October	34.0	42.2	33.3	-9.3	67.7	32.3
November	36.3	40.0	28.3	-4.3	66.4	33.6
December	36.4	33.9	25.3	4.5	61.0	39.0
			2019			
January	22.3	22.1	30.9	25.0	43.8	56.2
February	21.8	21.6	25.3	31.8	48.0	52.0

¹ Excluding fruit and vegetables. ² Increase in prices of goods and services excluded from the core consumer price index.

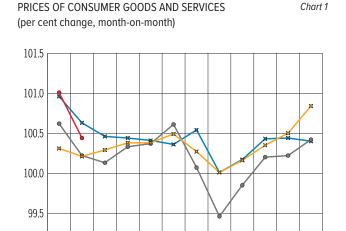
CONTRIBUTION TO INCREASE IN INFLATION BY GROUP OF GOODS AND SERVICES, MONTH-ON-MONTH (per cent)

	Food ¹	Non-food goods	Services	Fruit and vegetables	Core inflation	Non-core inflation ²
			2017			
January	18.8	27.0	21.6	33.2	42.1	57.9
February	21.8	32.4	33.4	11.3	56.1	43.9
March	31.6	60.4	0.0	9.2	83.7	16.3
April	11.4	18.4	12.7	55.1	33.0	67.0
May	-5.6	14.5	24.8	60.8	23.5	76.5
June	2.8	6.4	29.3	52.9	13.1	86.9
July	34.2	40.8	596.3	-457.9	134.8	-34.8
August	0.0	-9.3	-18.0	110.8	-18.8	118.8
September	6.8	-59.5	-21.0	177.6	-150.0	250.0
October	22.2	53.5	-26.3	53.0	50.8	49.2
November	0.0	51.9	14.3	38.0	49.5	50.5
December	13.0	26.3	20.0	43.0	29.4	70.6
			2018			
January	10.8	34.1	7.1	49.6	45.4	54.6
February	3.2	21.8	15.6	58.2	36.9	63.1
March	8.1	19.4	11.3	56.9	26.7	73.3
April	13.3	34.3	23.0	26.2	46.3	53.7
May	8.8	81.6	25.2	-13.7	40.7	59.3
June	24.7	29.5	41.2	4.5	48.8	51.2
July	36.1	15.7	129.5	-73.4	73.0	27.0
August ³						
September	148.9	79.3	41.0	-165.7	206.7	-106.7
October	71.9	45.3	-4.7	-12.4	88.5	11.5
November	50.3	27.5	0.0	26.6	60.5	39.5
December	38.0	10.1	13.7	41.4	41.1	59.0
			2019			
January	22.3	22.1	30.9	25.0	43.8	56.2
February	20.6	20.6	12.5	44.7	57.5	42.5

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³ Contribution assessments are unstable due to zero inflation.

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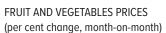
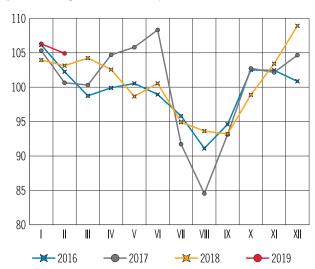


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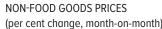


PRICES OF CONSUMER GOODS AND SERVICES (per cent change on corresponding month of previous year)

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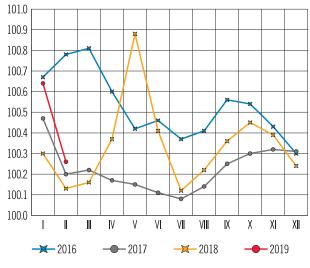
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(per cent change, month-on-month)

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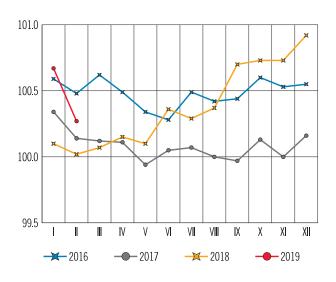


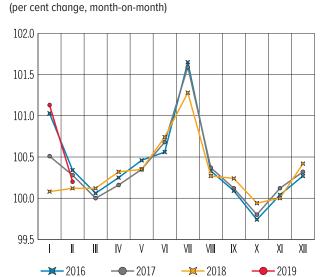
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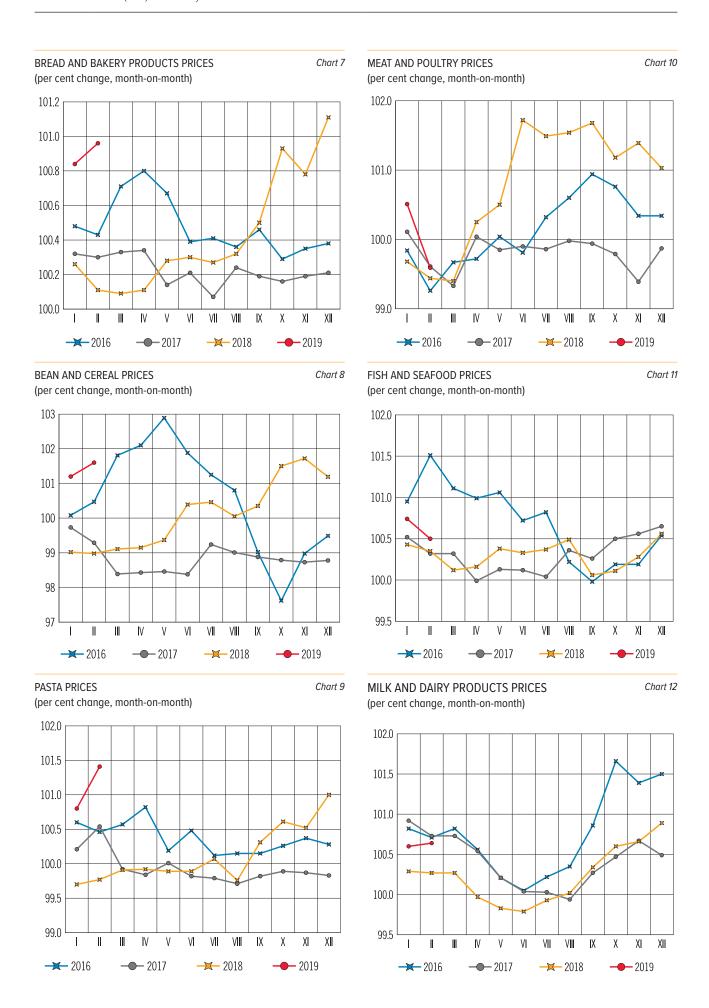
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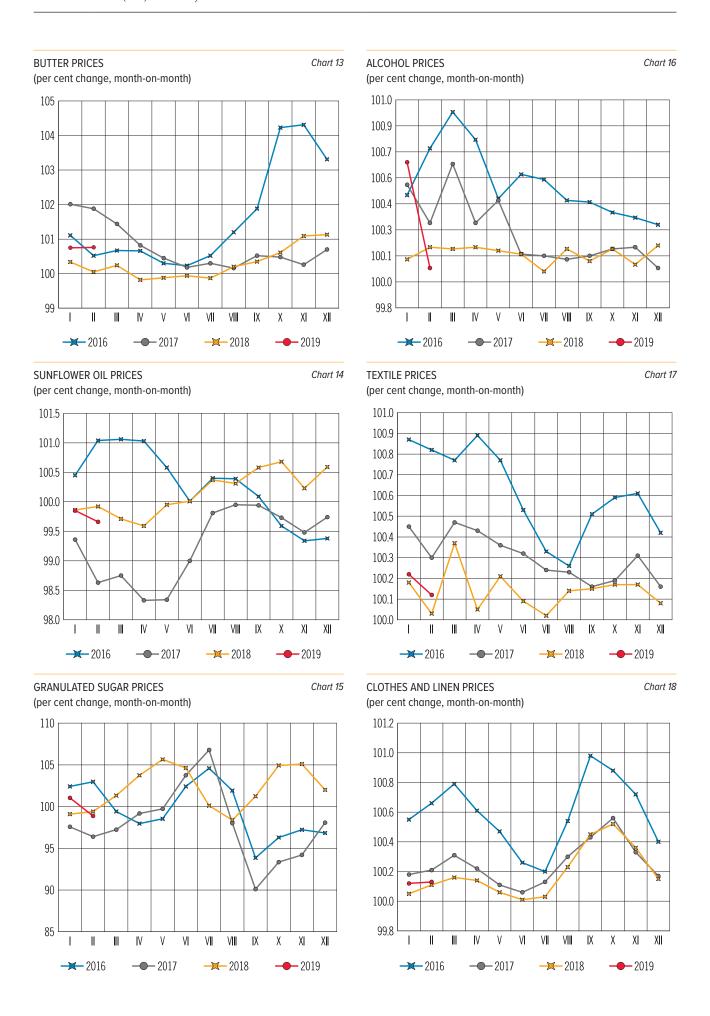
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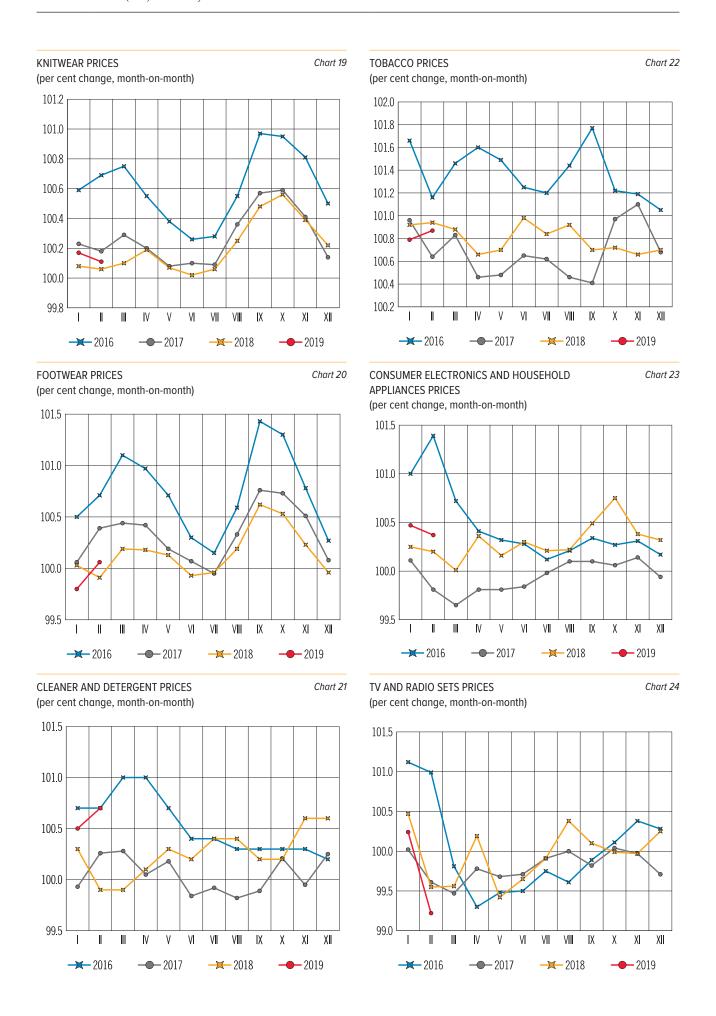
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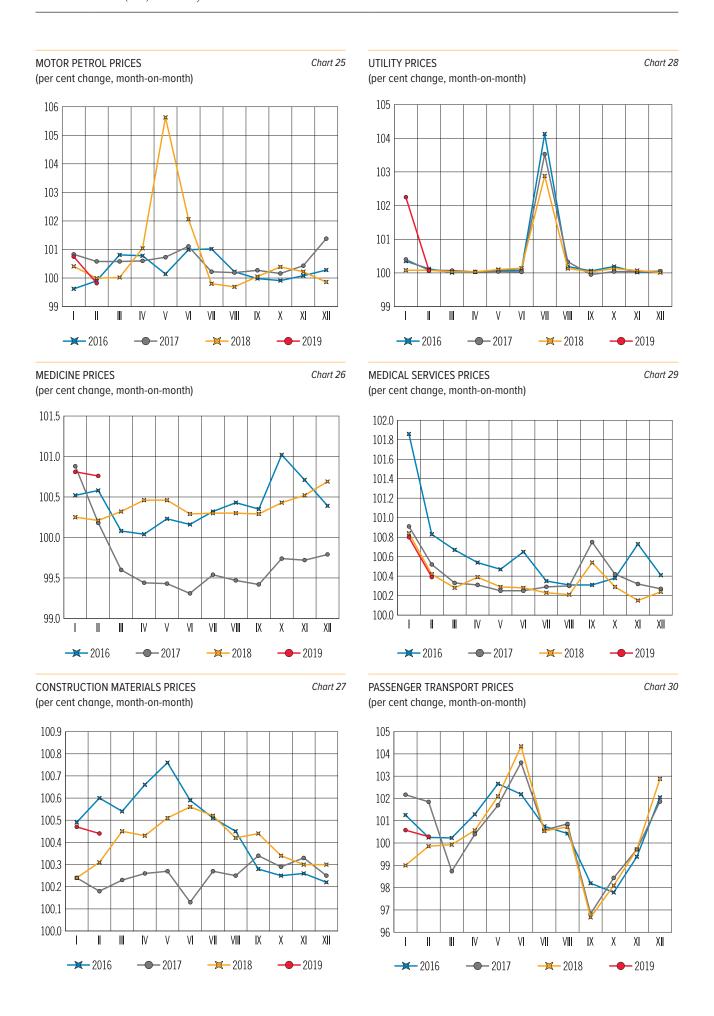


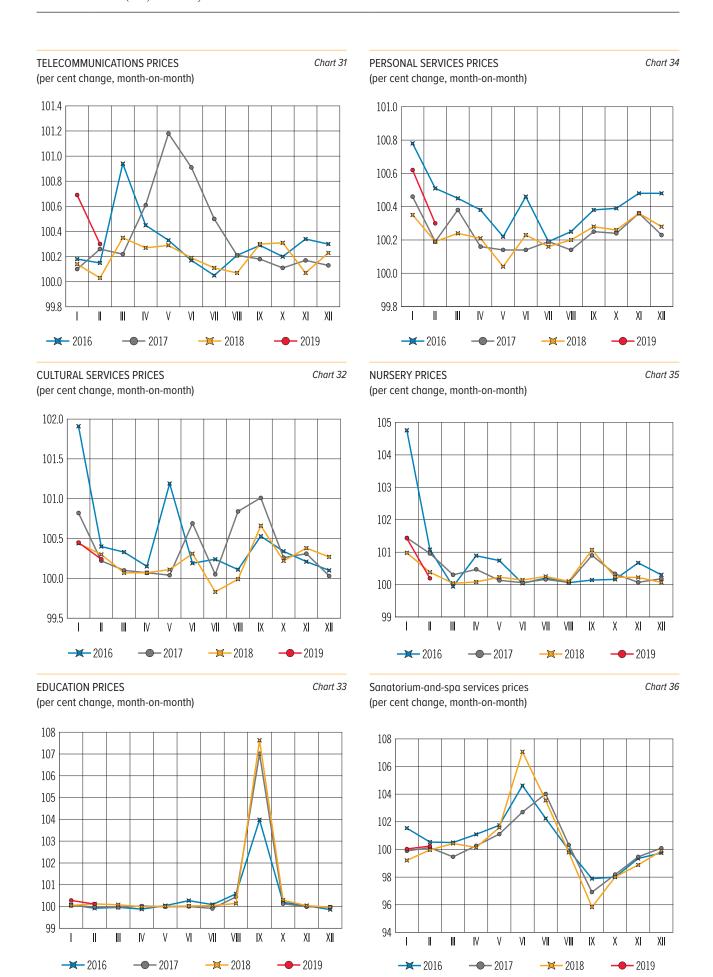












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