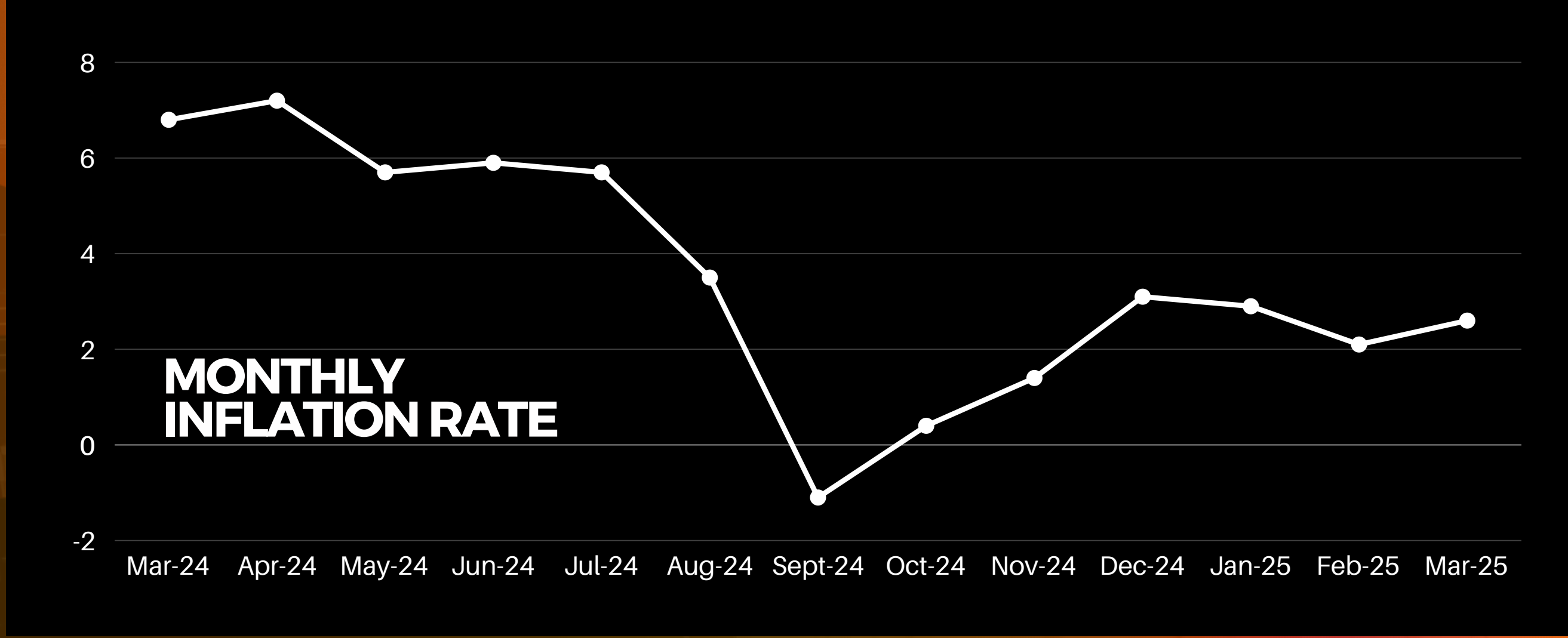




CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND INFLATION RATE



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2.6%

March 2025

6.8%

March 2024

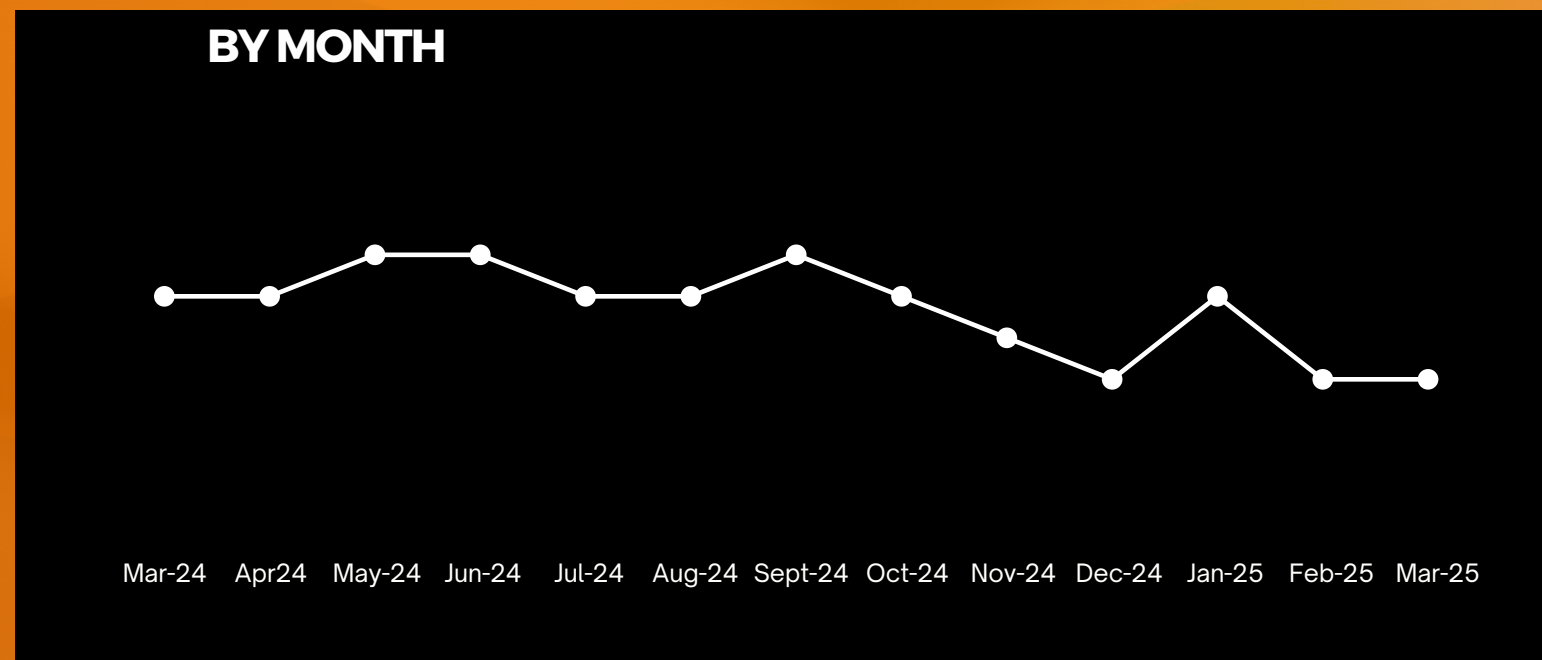
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND INFLATION RATE BY COMMODITY GROUP

Legend:

Inflation Rate		Consumer Price Index			
Transport -1.5 126.8	Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco 0.8 136.4	Clothing and Footwear 0.6 139.9	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels 0.2 122.9	Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine and Maintenance of the House 0.6 125.7	
Health 0.8 132.0	Recreation, Sports and Culture 1.9 132.3	Education Services 1.4 120.5	Restaurant and Accommodation Services 12.4 169.9	Financial Services 0.0 75.0	
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages 4.4 134.0	Information and Communication 0.8 100.8	Personal Care and Miscellaneous Goods and Services 0.7 122.4	ALL ITEMS 2.6 131.0		

PURCHASING POWER OF PESO

2018 **March 2025**
 Php 1.00 = Php 0.76
 Php 100 = Php 76



0.76

March 2025

0.78

March 2024

Technical Terms

Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The CPI is an indicator of the changes in the average retail prices of a fixed basket of goods and services commonly purchased by households relative to a base year

Uses of CPI

The CPI is most widely used in the calculation of the inflation rate and purchasing power of peso. It is a major statistical series used for economic analysis and as a monitoring indicator of government economic policy

Purchasing Power of Peso

It shows how much the peso in the base period is worth in the current period. It is computed as the reciprocal of the CPI for the period under review multiplied by 100.

Inflation Rate

It is the annual rate of change or the year-on-year change of the CPI. Inflation is interpreted in terms of declining purchasing power of money.

Market Basket

It is the total number of goods and services in constant amounts and qualities which are samples of the goods and services available in the market and included in the construction of the index.

Source: Results from the Consumer Price Index Survey, Philippine Statistics Authority, Philippine Statistics Authority



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