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Consumer Price Index rose 1.9 percent over the year ending December 2018, as energy prices fell

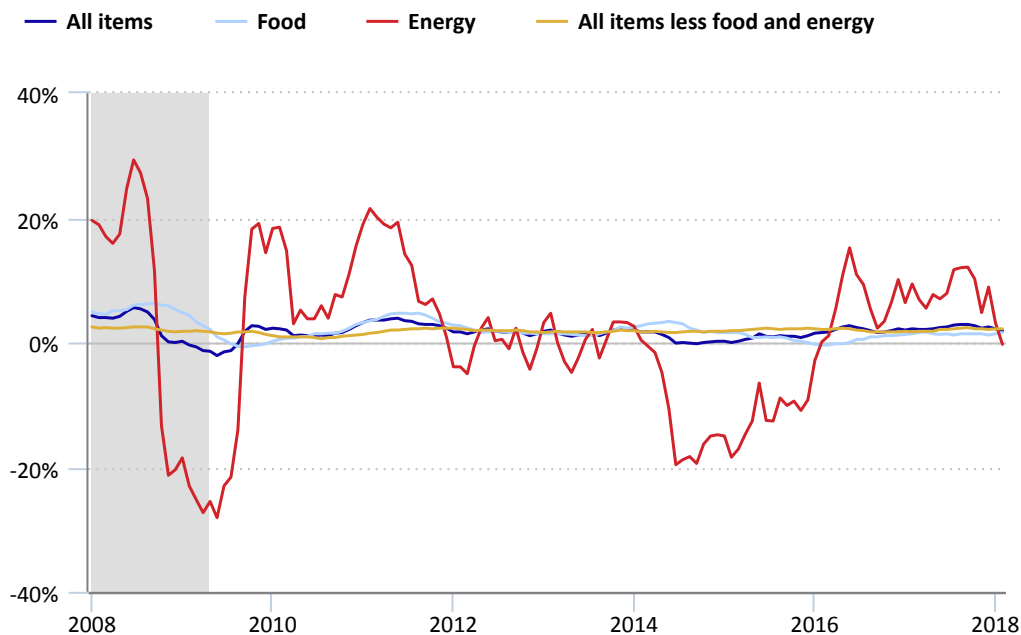
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The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers rose 1.9 percent from December 2017 to December 2018. Consumer prices for energy fell 0.3 percent over the year, while prices for food rose 1.6 percent. Consumer prices for all items less food and energy rose 2.2 percent from December 2017 to December 2018.

CHART IMAGE

CHART DATA

12-month percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers



Shaded area represents a recession as determined by the National Bureau of Economic Research. Click legend items to change data display. Hover over chart to view data. Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.



These data are from the [Consumer Price Index](#) program and are not seasonally adjusted. To learn more, see "[Consumer Price Index — December 2018](#)." We also have [more charts on the latest Consumer Price Index news release](#).

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