



Consumer Tendency Survey for October 2025

SUMMARY

- The Composite Consumer Sentiment Index (CCSI) for October 2025 stood at 109.8, 0.3 points lower than that in September.
 - Consumer sentiment regarding living standards and their future outlook were unchanged at 96 and 100, respectively.
 - Consumer sentiment related to future household income and future household spending were both unchanged, at 102 and 110, respectively.
 - Consumer sentiment concerning current domestic economic conditions was unchanged at 91, and that concerning future domestic economic conditions was 94, three points lower than that in September.

- The expected inflation rate for the upcoming year, the three-year ahead rate, and the five-year ahead rate were all the same, at 2.6%.

※ Between October 14 and 21, 2025, exactly 2,500 households nationwide were surveyed, of which 2,274 responded.

Trends in Major Consumer Survey Components

(p, %, %p)

	2025									(B-A)
	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep(A)	Oct(B)	
CCSI	95.2	93.4	93.8	101.8	108.7	110.8	111.4	110.1	109.8	(△0.3)
Current Living Standards	87	87	87	90	92	94	96	96	96	(-)
Prospective Living Standards	93	92	92	97	101	101	101	100	100	(-)
Prospective Household Income	97	96	96	99	102	102	102	102	102	(-)
Prospective Household Spending	106	104	105	108	110	111	111	110	110	(-)
Current Domestic Economic Conditions	55	55	52	63	74	86	93	91	91	(-)
Prospective Domestic Economic Conditions	73	70	73	91	107	106	100	97	94	(△3)
Prospective Employment Opportunities	74	72	76	88	100	98	92	91	91	(-)
Prospective Interest Rates	99	92	96	93	87	95	95	93	95	(+2)
Current Household Savings	93	93	91	93	96	97	97	97	98	(+1)
Prospective Household Savings	97	96	96	98	100	101	101	100	100	(-)
Current Household Debt	99	100	100	98	99	99	99	99	99	(-)
Prospective Household Debt	97	99	98	97	97	96	97	97	97	(-)
Prospective Prices	149	149	149	145	140	143	145	145	146	(+1)
Prospective Housing Prices	99	105	108	111	120	109	111	112	122	(+10)
Prospective Wages	118	117	118	120	124	124	123	122	122	(-)
Inflation Perceptions	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	(-)
One-year Ahead Expected Inflation	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	(+0.1)
Three-year Ahead Expected Inflation ¹⁾	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	(+0.1)
Five-year Ahead Expected Inflation ²⁾	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	(+0.1)

1) 24—36 months from the survey date.

2) 48—60 months from the survey date.

※ Further statistics and metadata can be found at the website of the Bank of Korea's Economic Statistics System (<http://ecos.bok.or.kr/>).