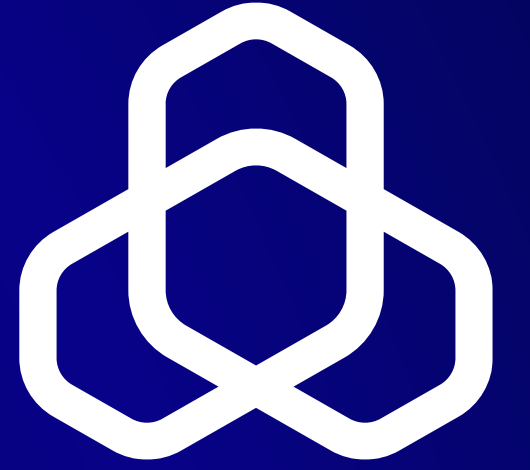
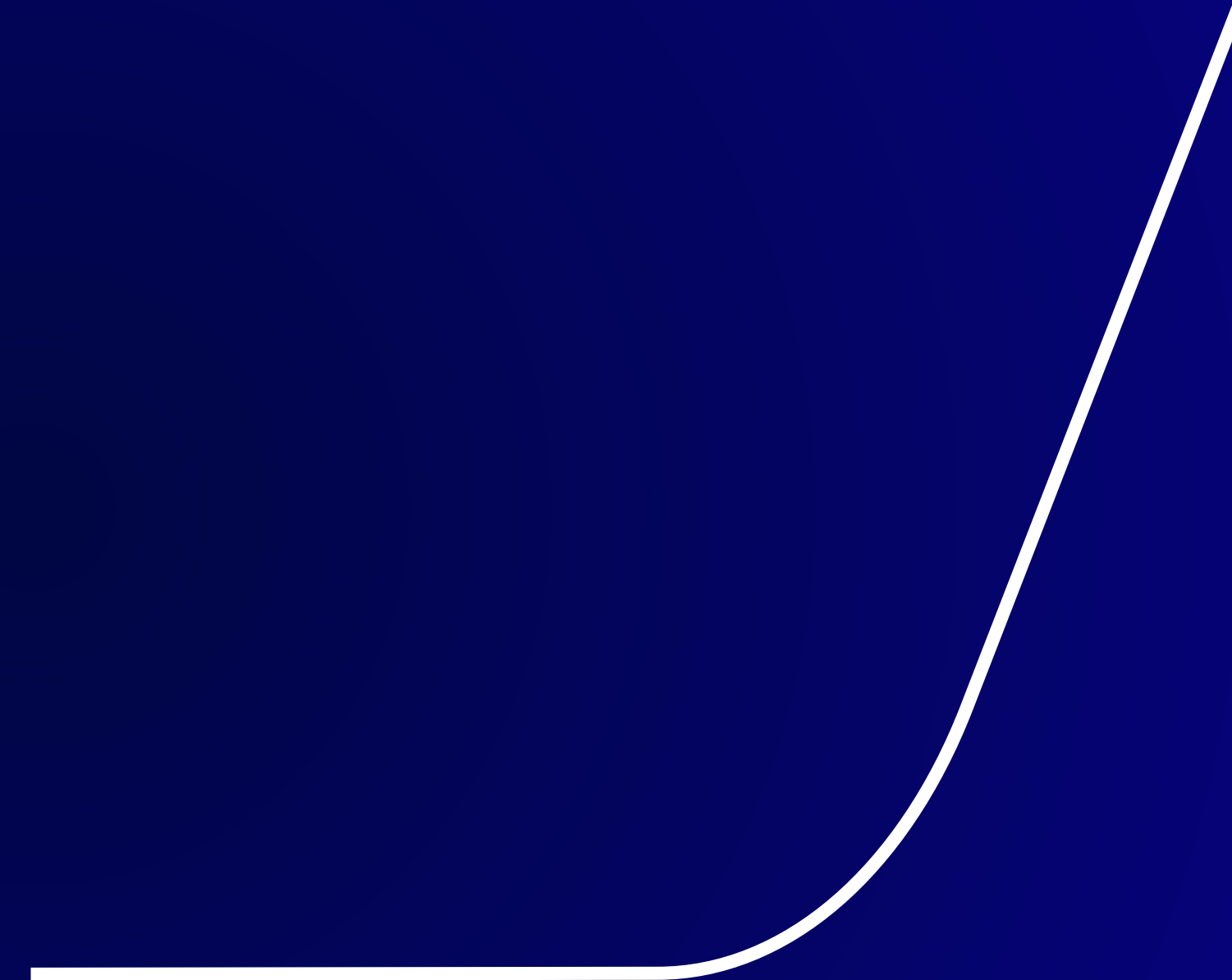


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Saudi Economy Monthly Report



Saudi Economy Shows Resilience across Oil and Non-oil Sectors

Real GDP (Q1)

▲ 3.0%

Growth in oil and non-oil activities drive GDP

Oil production (May)

▲ 2%

Production remained resilient in May

PMI (May)

▲ 52.8

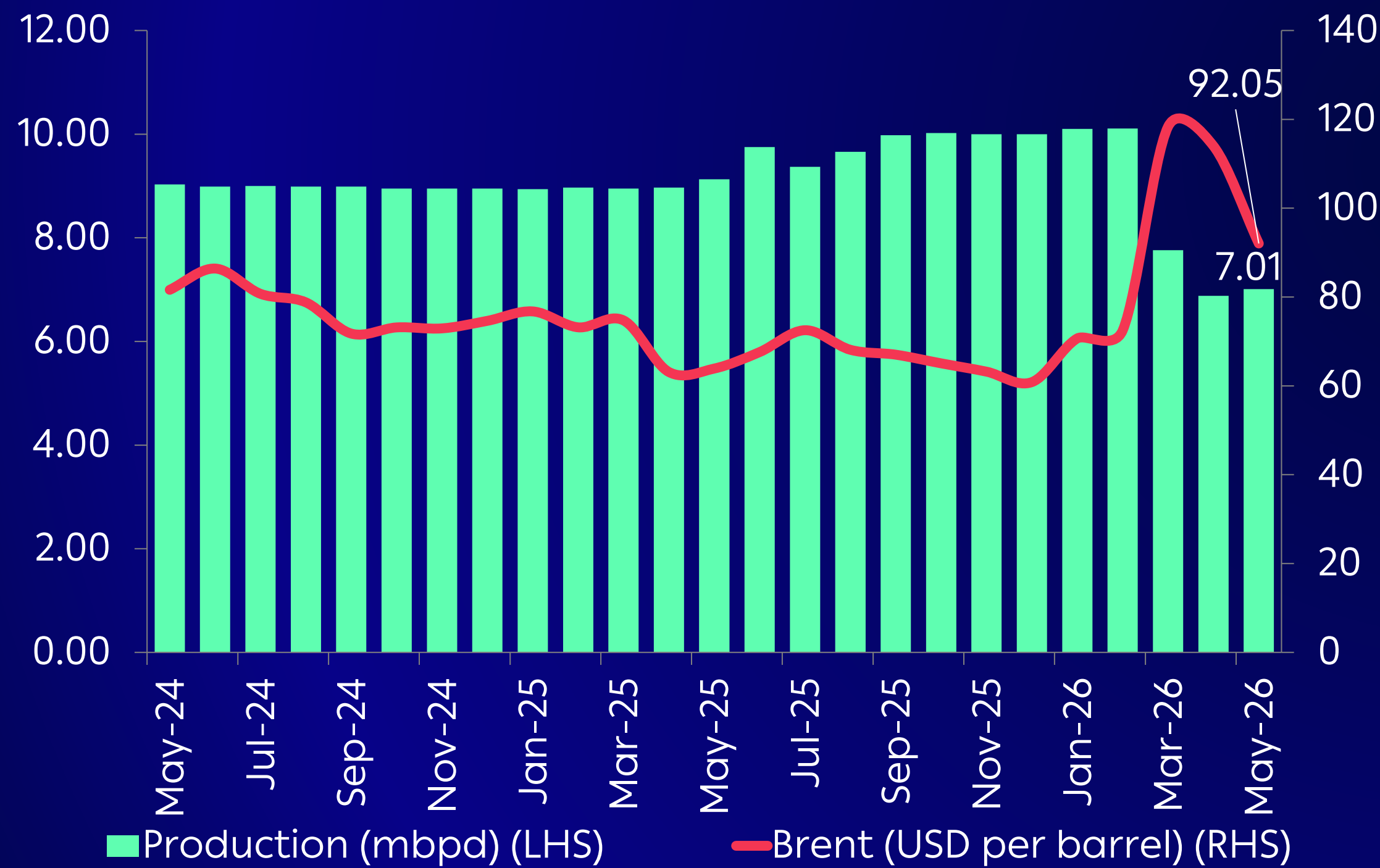
Upward trend underscores continued business growth

alrajhi capital Saudi Construction Index (May)

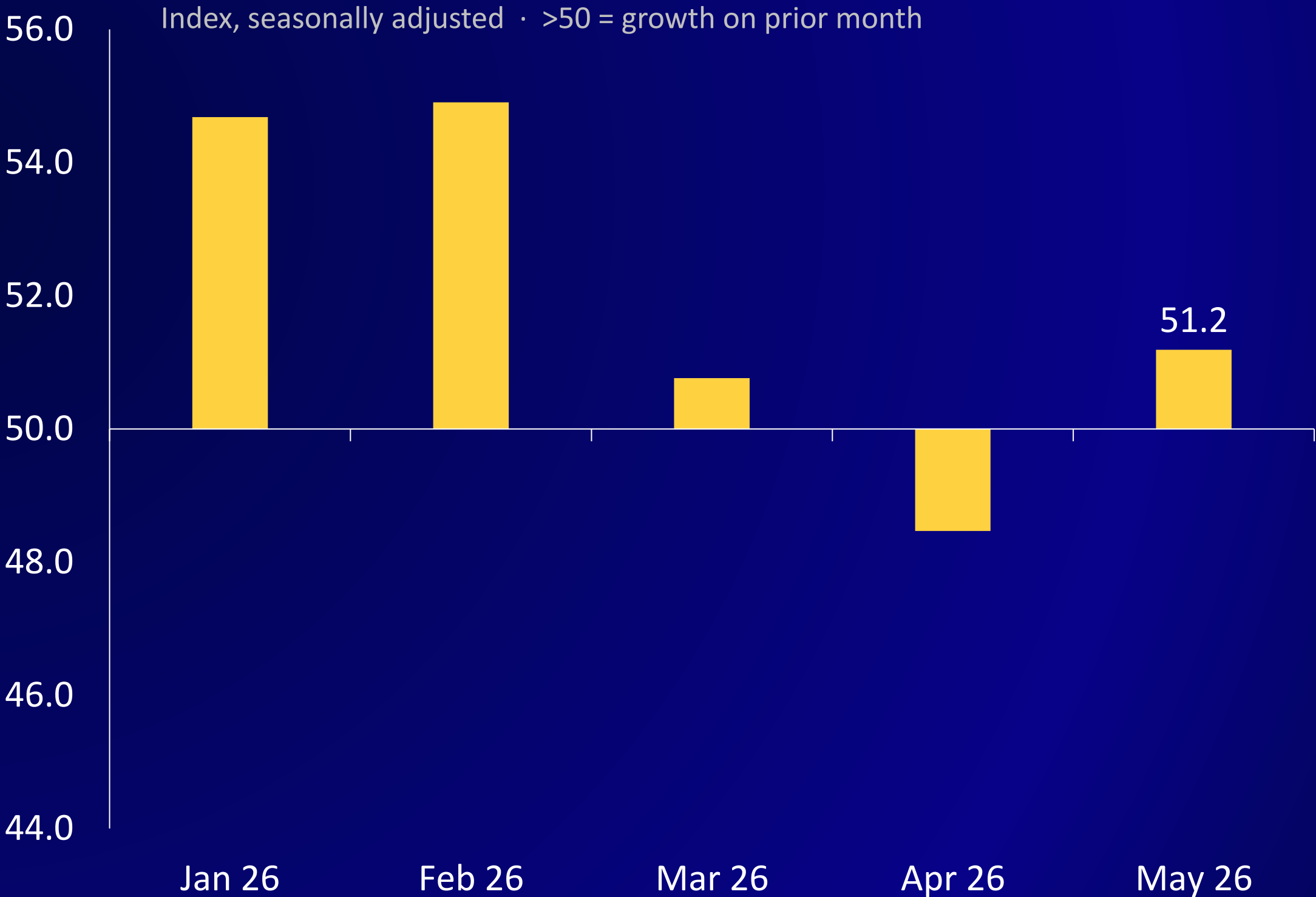
▲ 51.2

Construction activity returns to growth in May

Saudi Oil Production and Brent price



alrajhi capital Saudi Construction Index



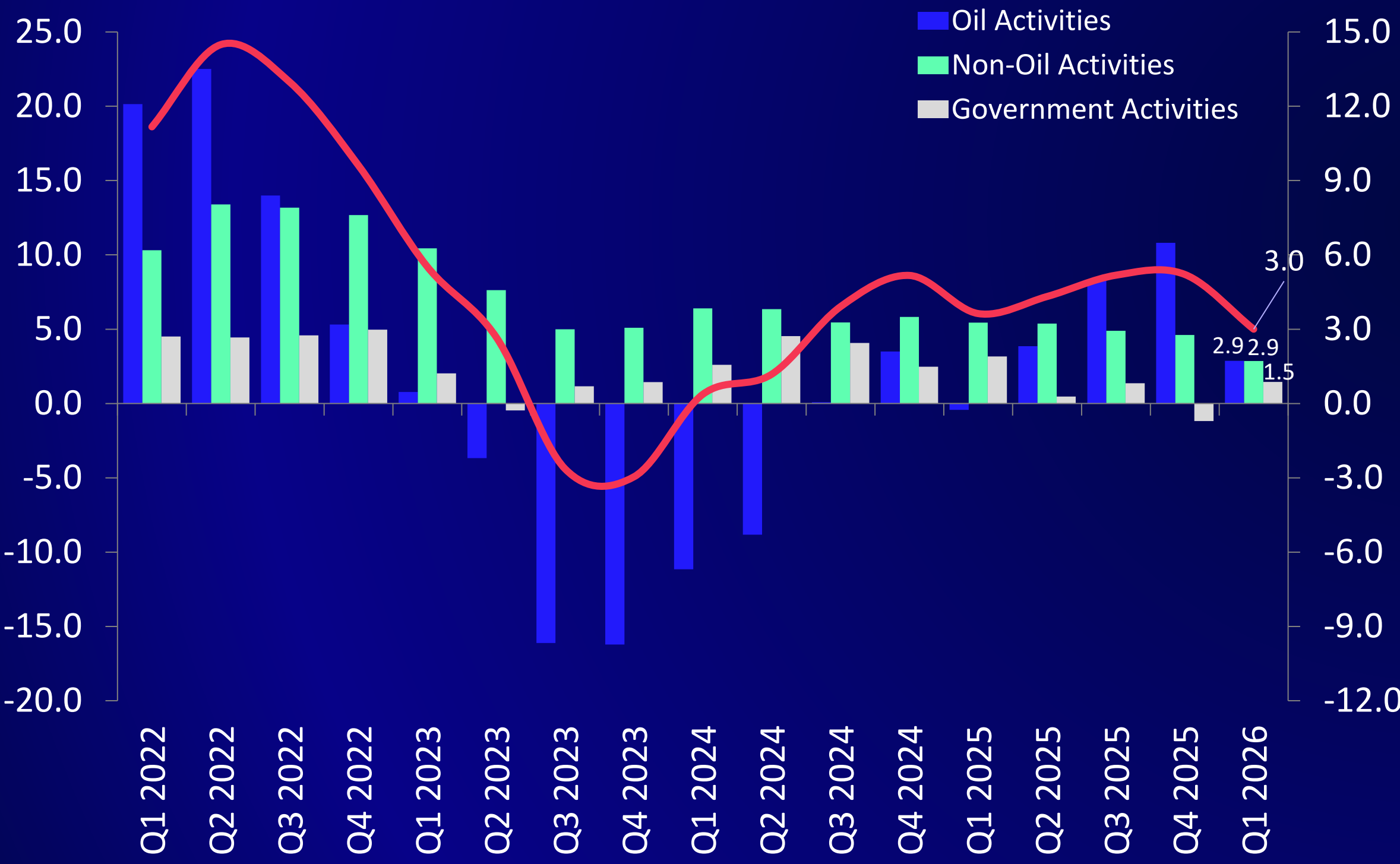
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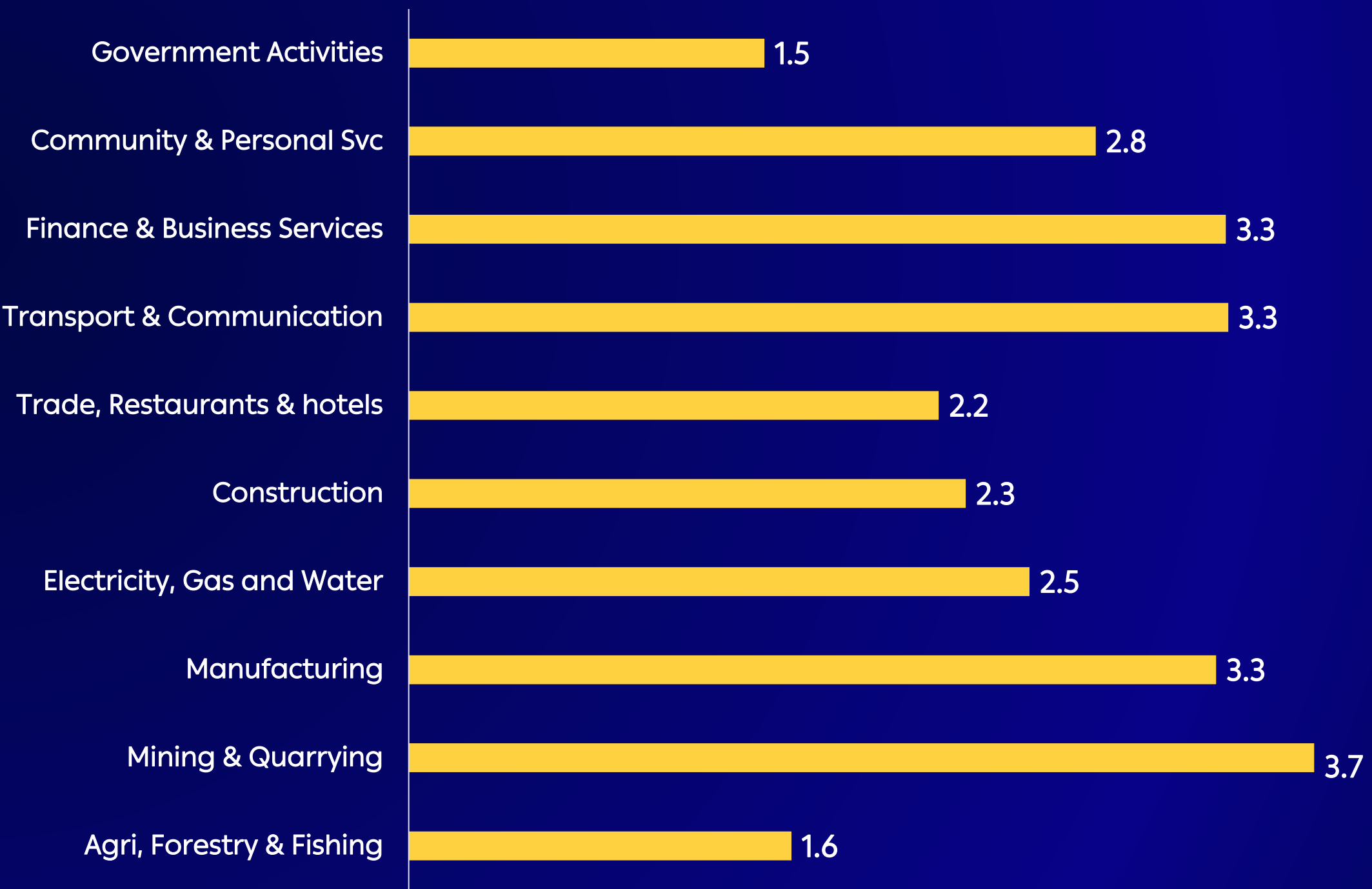
GDP Growth

Saudi Arabia's Real GDP in Q1 2026 grew by 3.0%, despite the geopolitical tensions. The increase was driven by oil activities (+2.9%), non-oil activities (+2.9%) and government output (+1.5%).

Real GDP Growth (%)



GDP Growth by Economic Activity (y-o-y %, Q1 2026)

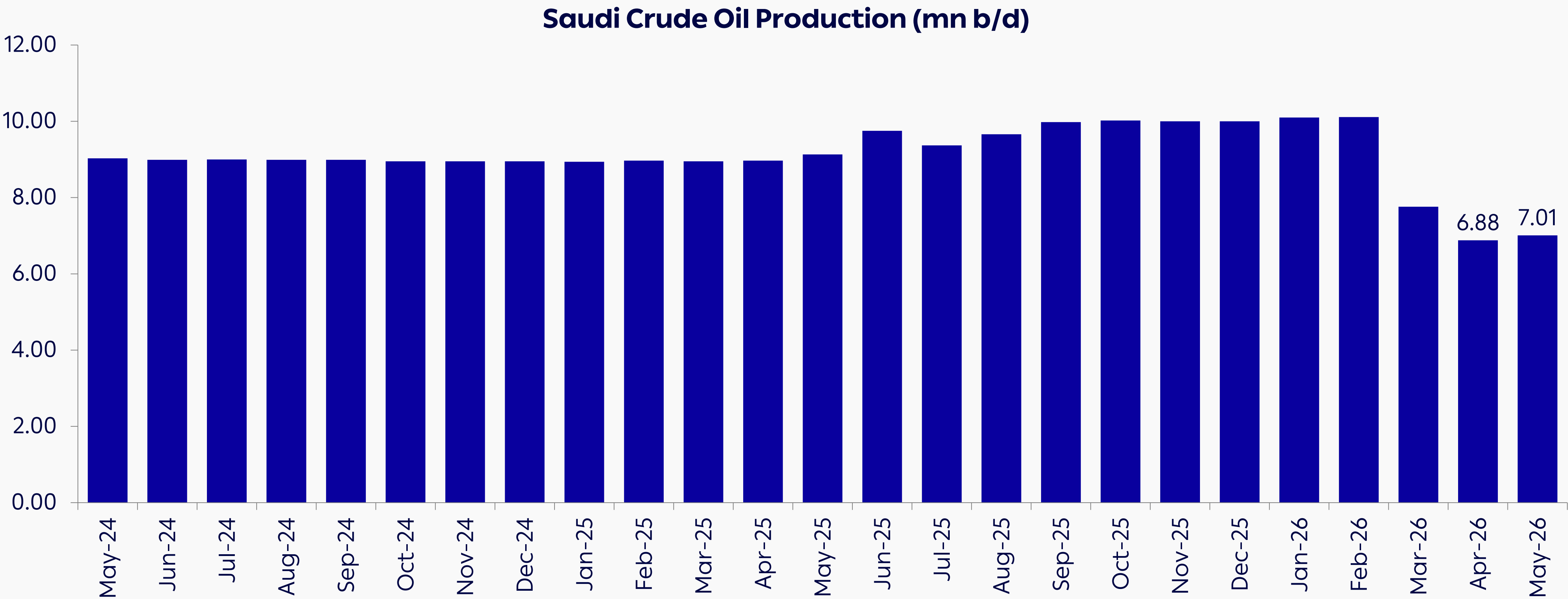


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Oil Market Dynamics

In May 2026, Saudi crude oil production fell by 23% YoY (up 2% MoM) to 7.01 million barrels per day, primarily due to geopolitical tensions in the region. Despite supply chain disruptions, Saudi oil production and exports remained relatively resilient, bolstered by government investments in oil sector infrastructure.



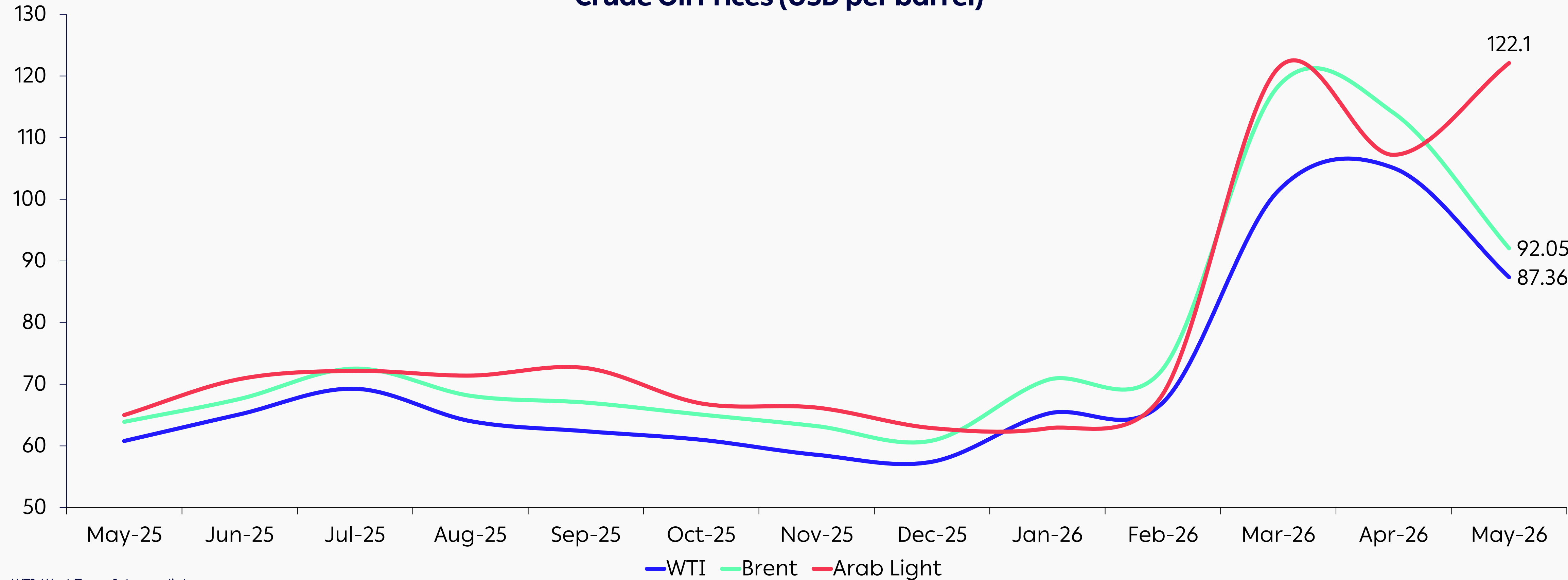
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Oil Market Dynamics

Crude Oil prices during the month of May 2026 trended mixed, as Brent fell sharply (19.3%) impacted by easing of geopolitical tensions, while Arab light rose noticeably (13.9%) due to shortage of supply.

Crude Oil Prices (USD per barrel)



WTI: West Texas Intermediate
Note: Oil Prices are as of end of May 2026
Source: Bloomberg, OPEC, alrajhi capital



PMI Performance



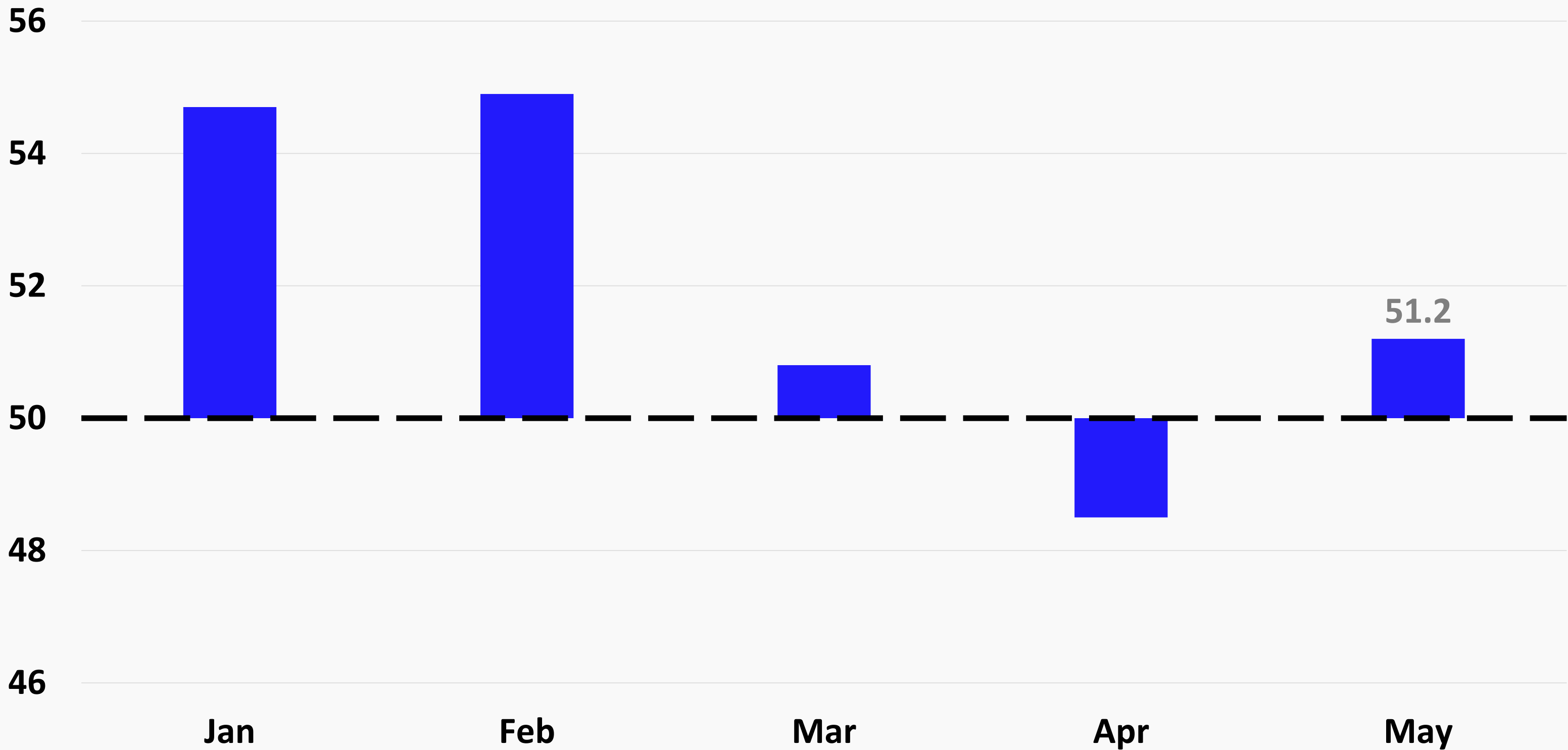
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Construction Sector

alrajhi capital launched **alrajhi capital Saudi Construction Index** in June, introducing a **new benchmark** for tracking construction sector performance in the Kingdom. The first reading pointed to **improving** sector conditions, with activity returning to **expansion** territory (51.2 points), primarily driven by **growth** in the residential sector.

alrajhi capital Saudi Construction Index (Total Activity)
Index, seasonally adjusted · >50 = growth on prior month



Residential

53.8

Sharpest rebound – best performer in May

Non-residential

50.5

Stayed in growth all year; steady climb

Infrastructure

45.7

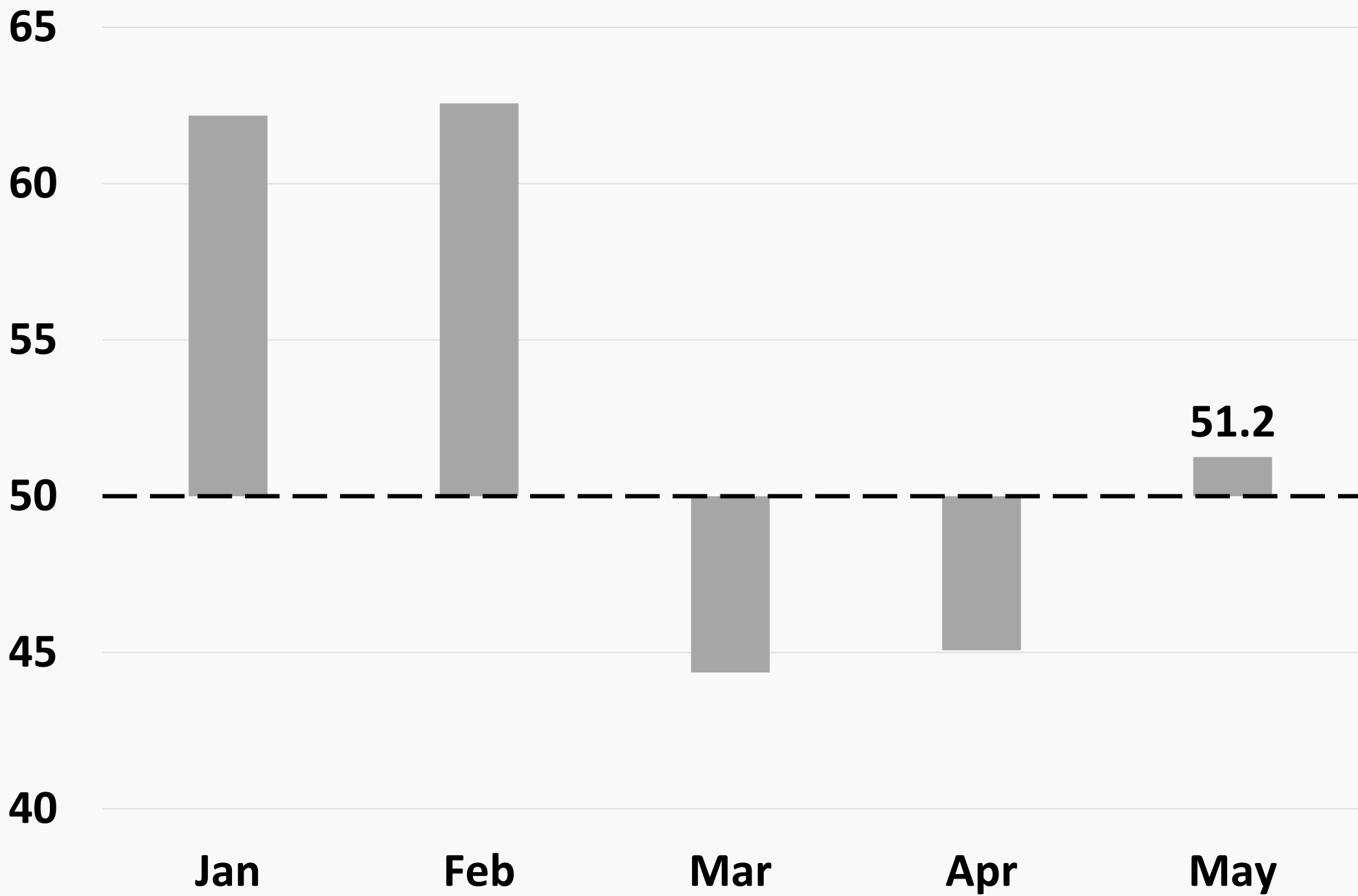
First contraction since the survey began

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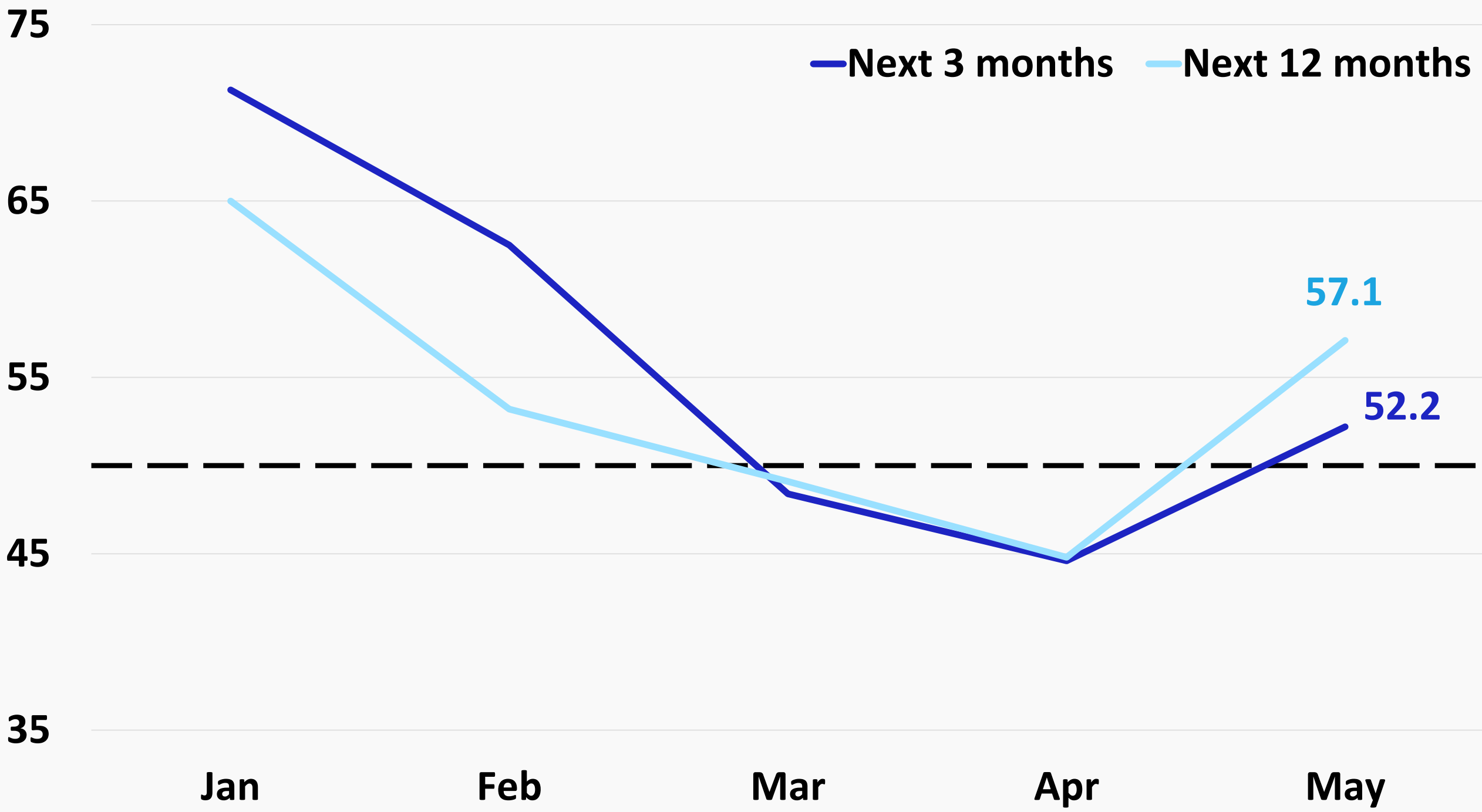
Construction Sector

alrajhi capital’s May data signaled a **recovery** in construction demand, with **new orders** returning to growth. **Forward-looking** indicators also **improved**, reflecting stronger business confidence and a more **positive outlook** for sector activity in the coming months.

New Orders (Total Activity)
Index, seasonally adjusted · >50 = growth expected



Future Business Activity Expectations (Total Activity)
Index, seasonally adjusted · >50 = growth expected



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Consumer Activity

Total Spending

▲ 17.5% y-o-y

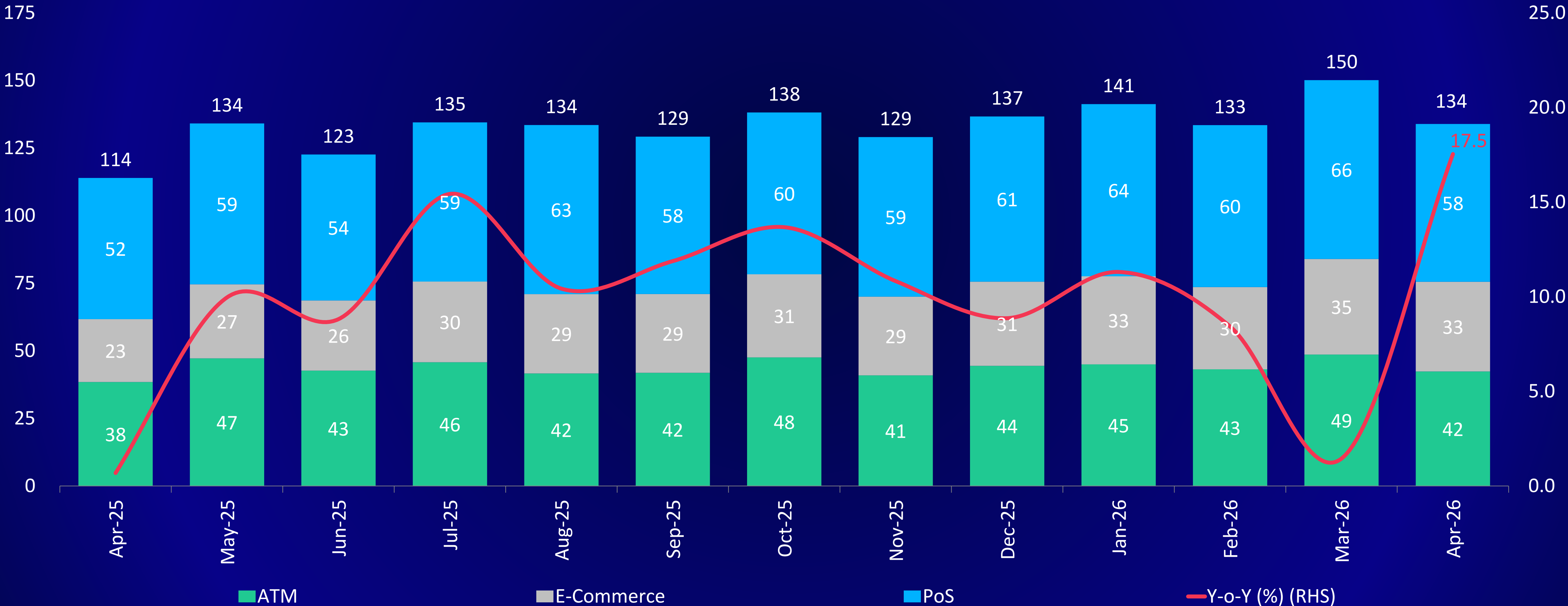
E-Commerce

▲ 42.5% y-o-y

PoS

▲ 11.8% y-o-y

Consumer Spending (SAR bn)

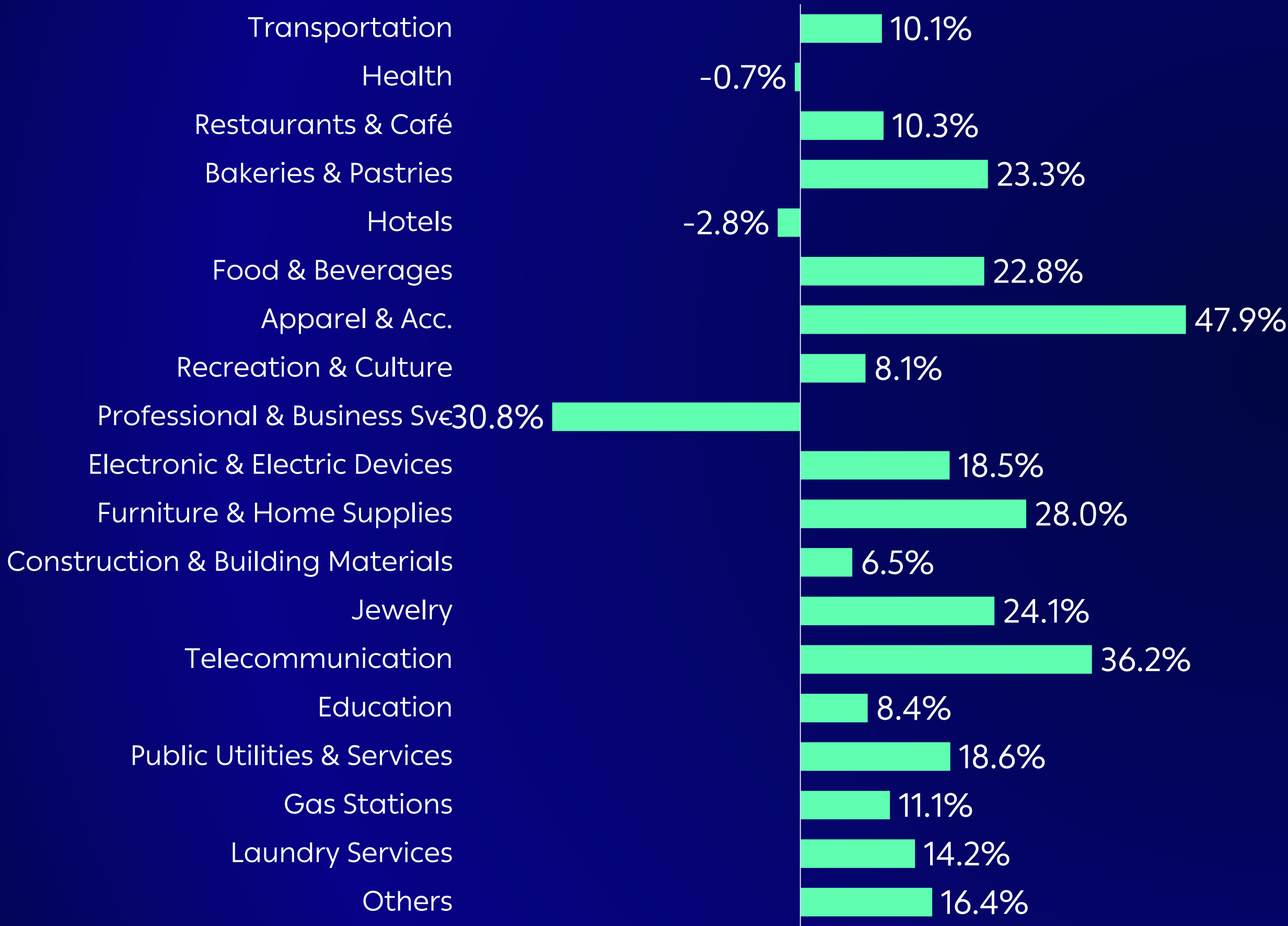


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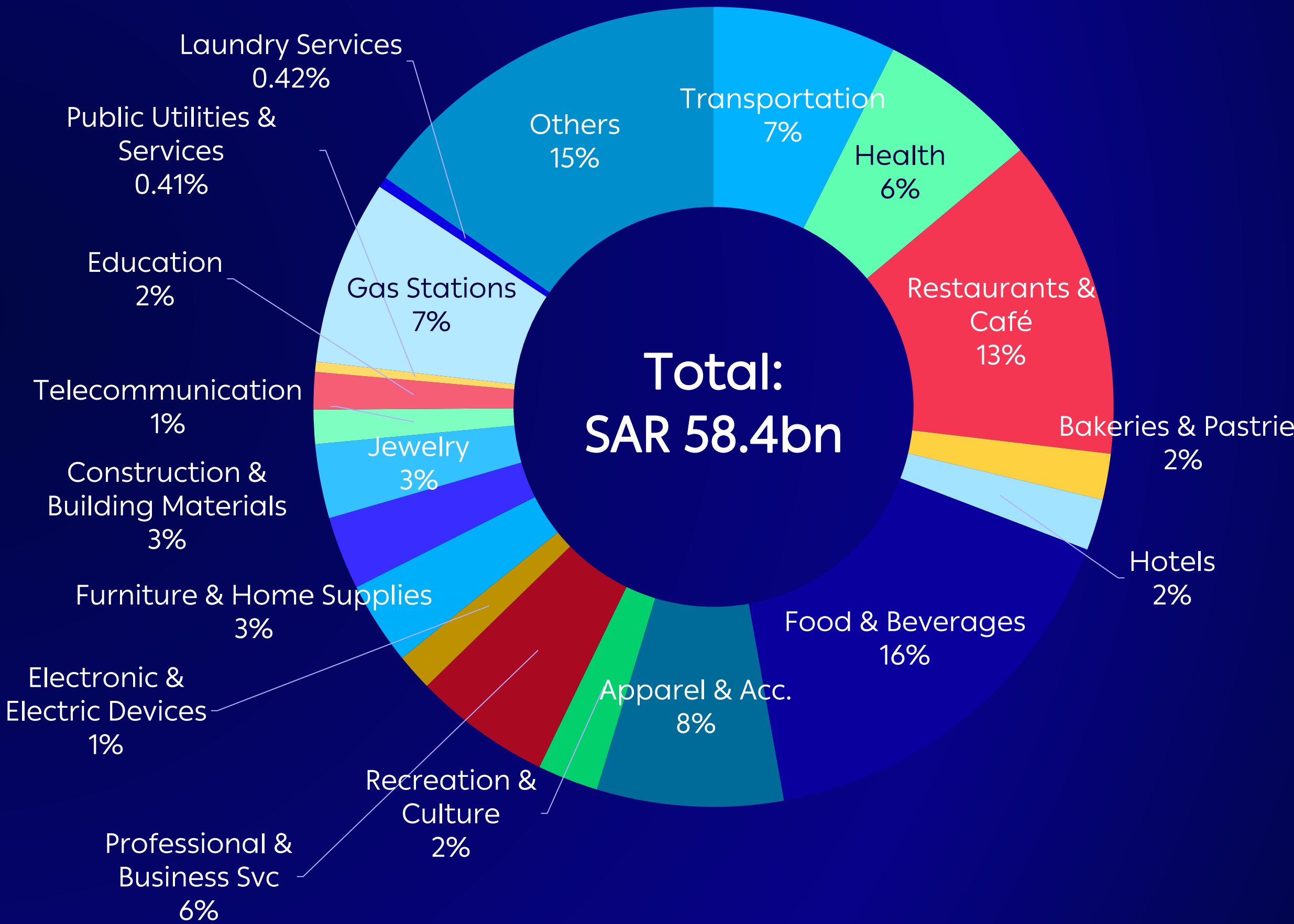
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Consumer Activity

PoS Transactions by Sector (YoY %) - Apr 2026



PoS Transactions by Sector (SAR bn, % of total) - Apr 2026

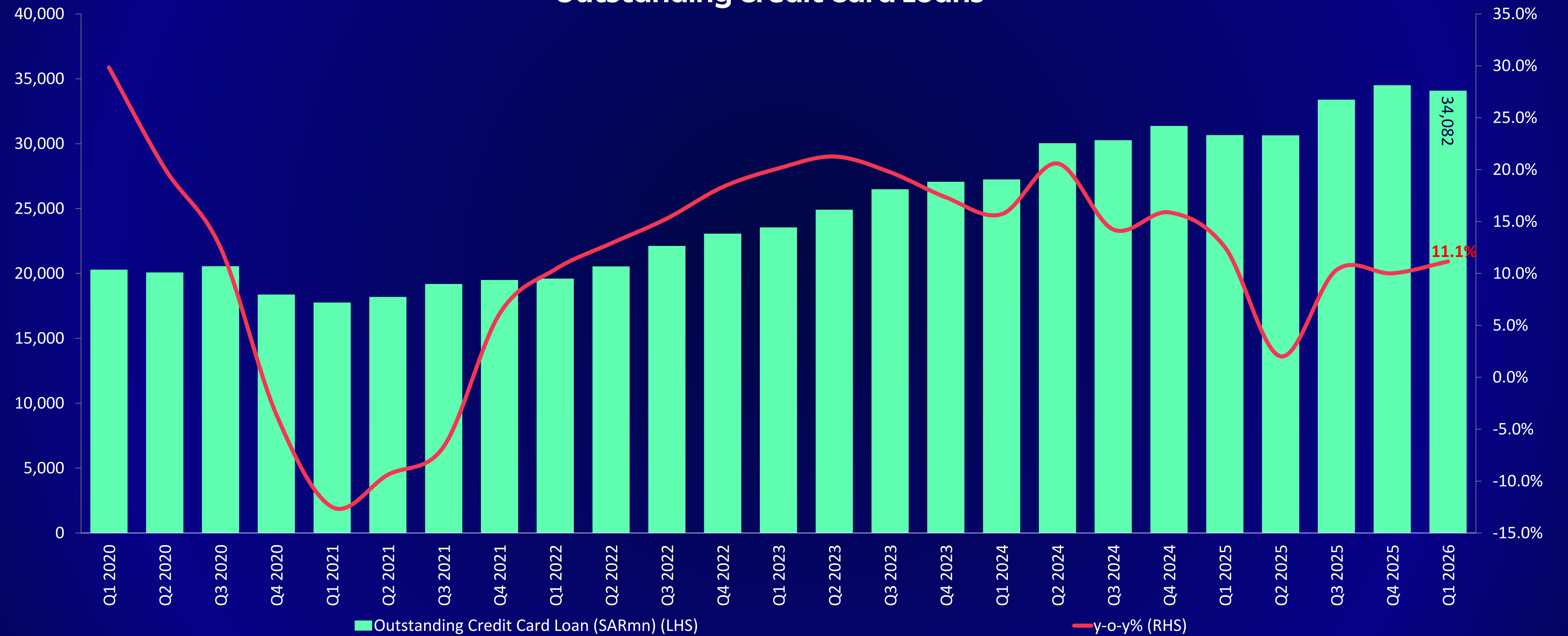


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Consumer Activity

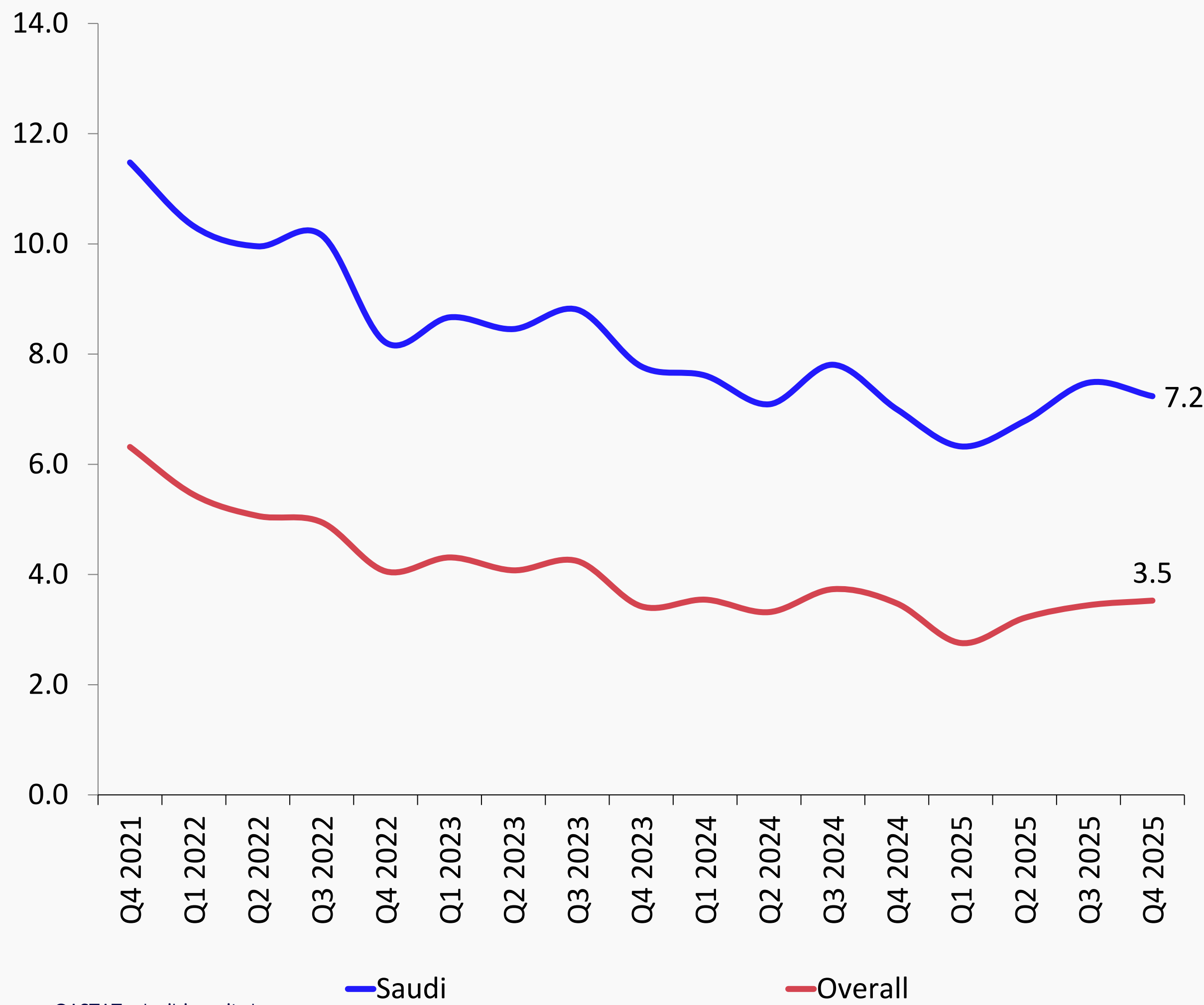
Outstanding Credit Card Loans



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Labor Market Indicators

Unemployment Rate (%): Saudis vs Overall (incl. non-Saudi)



Most recent available data shows that Saudi unemployment fell from 7.5% in Q3 2025 to **7.2% in Q4 2025**, driven by a significant drop in female unemployment to 10.3%.

Labor Force Participation Rate

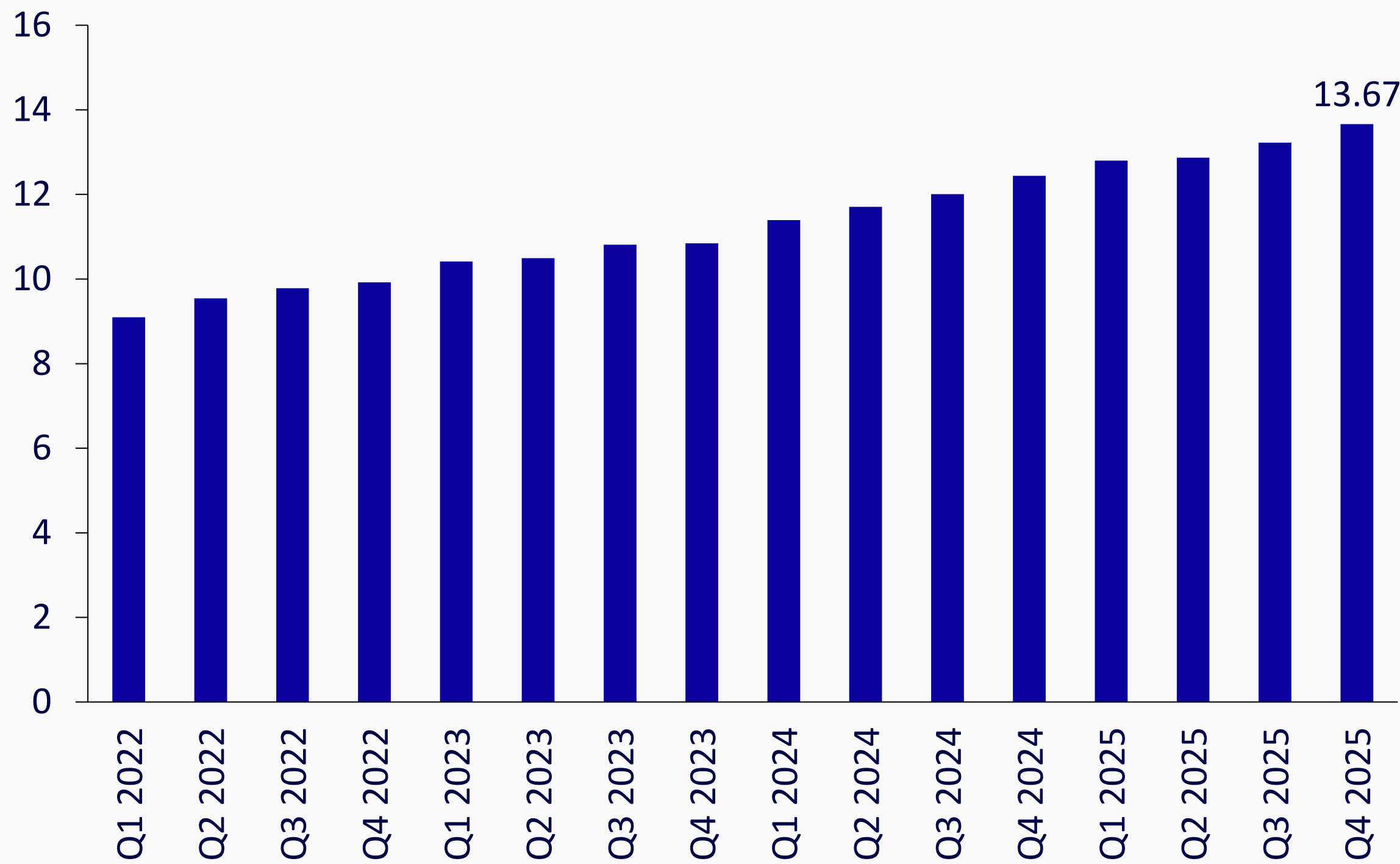
Overall	67.4%
Saudi	49.5%
Saudi Female	34.5%

Source: GASTAT, alrajhi capital

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Labor Market Statistics

Social Insurance (GOSI) Employees: Registered Employees (Q4 2025) (in mn)

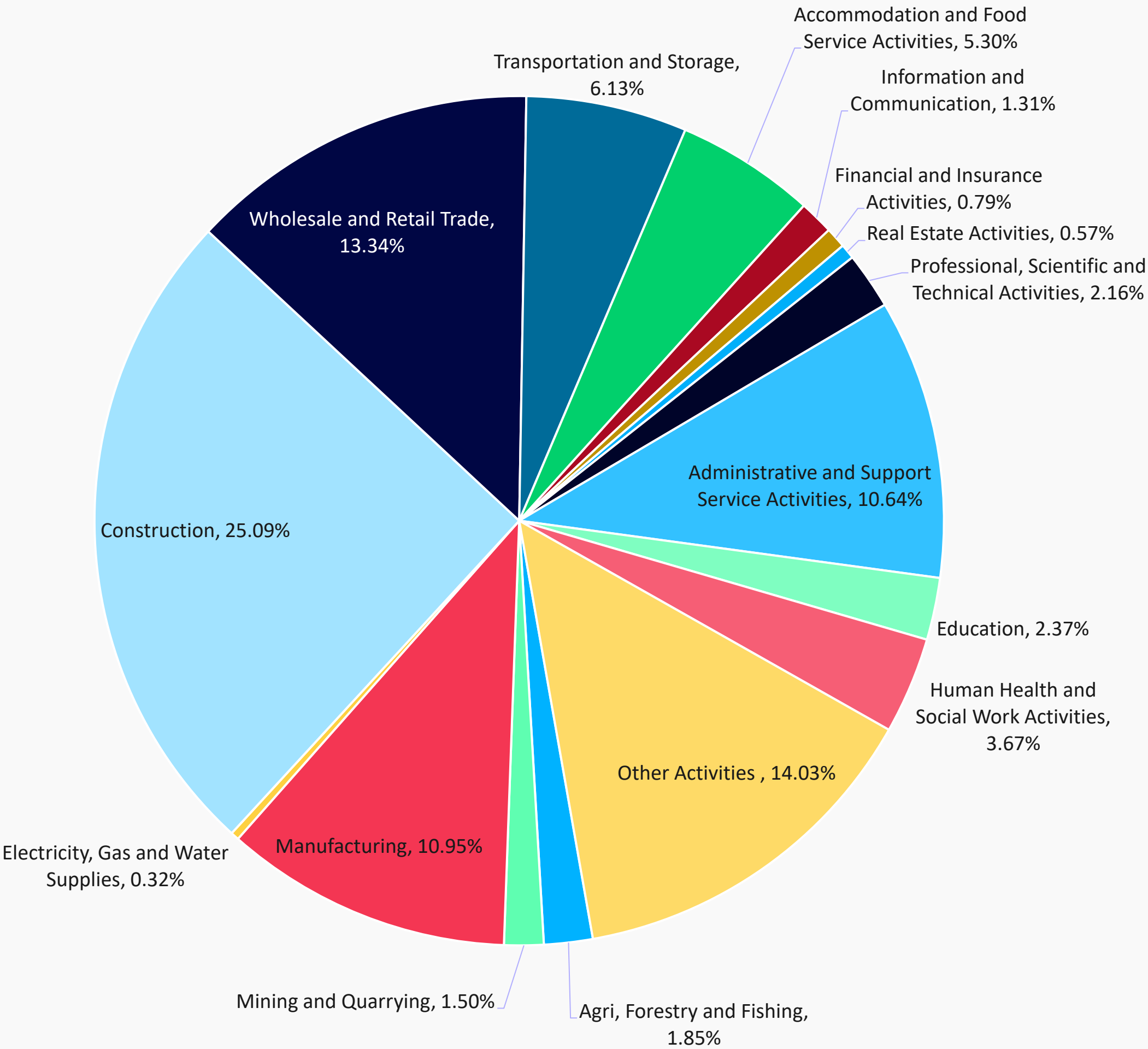


Note: Includes some public sector employees (~0.6 million workers by the end of 2025)

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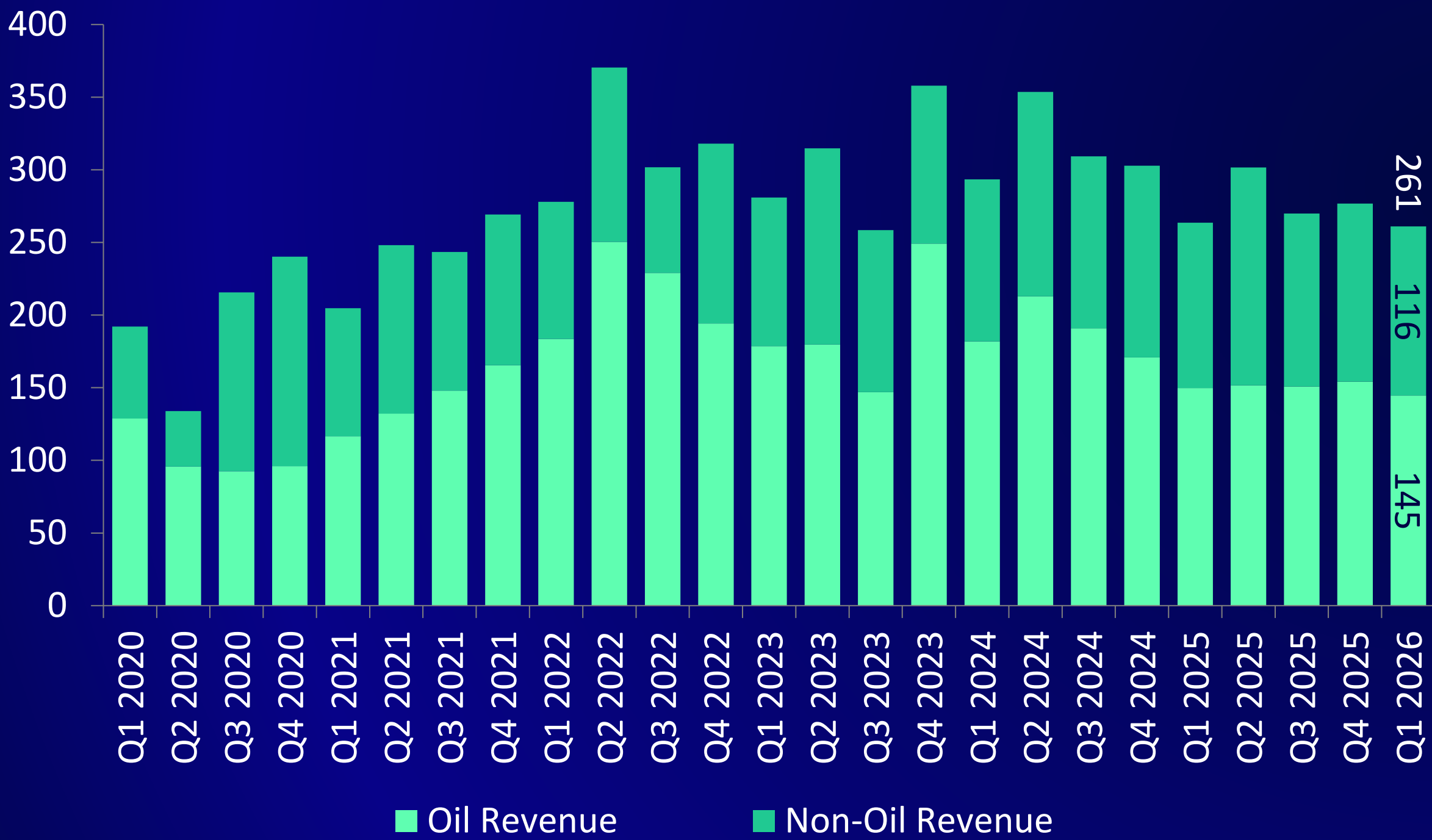
Social Insurance (GOSI) Employees by Economic activities (Q4 2025) (%)



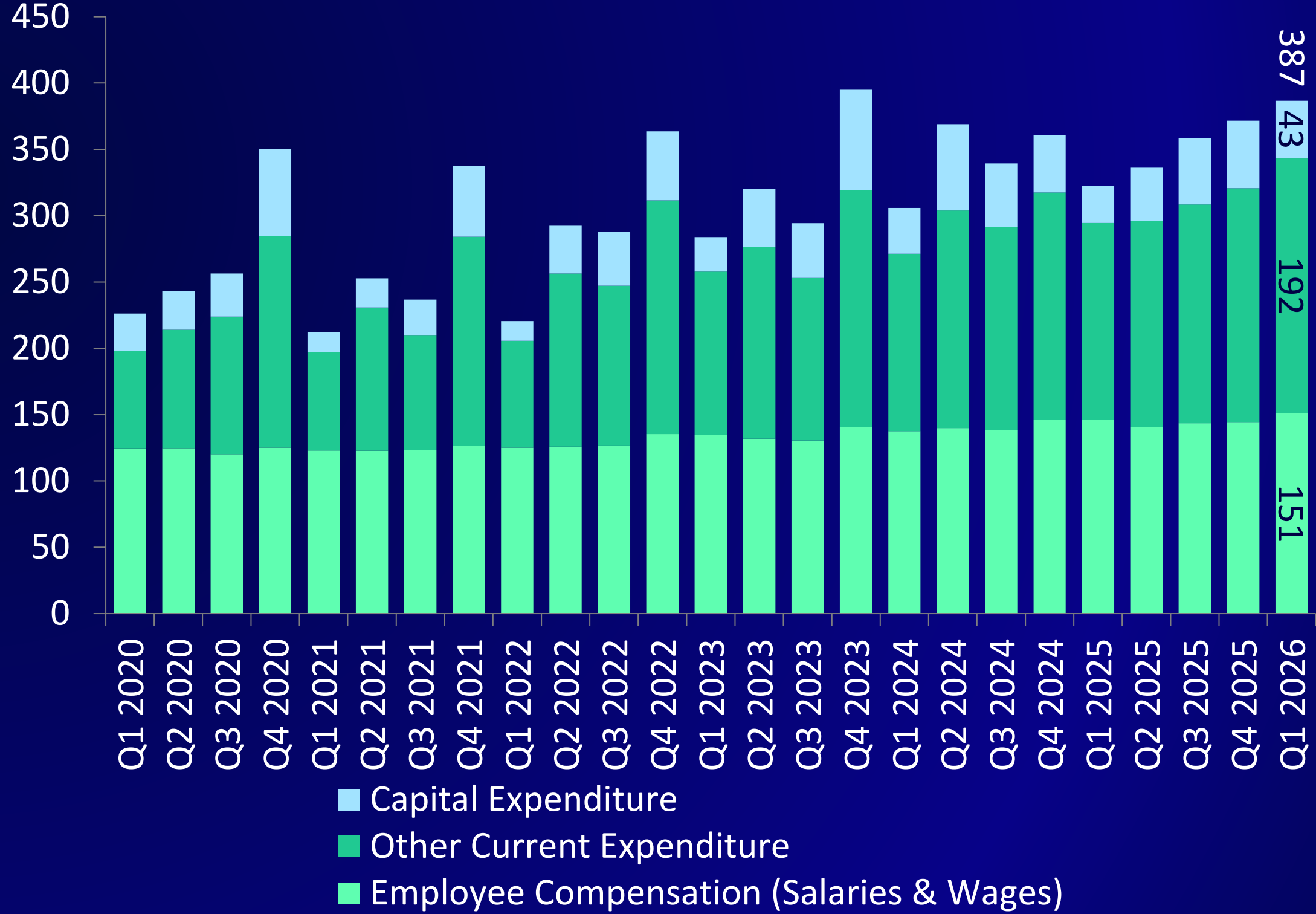
Fiscal Performance and Government Debt

Total fiscal revenue fell 1.0% y-o-y to SAR 261bn in Q1 2026. Oil revenue declined by 3.4% y-o-y, while non-oil revenue climbed 2.2% y-o-y. Meanwhile, total spending for Q1 2026 jumped 20.0% y-o-y, reaching SAR 387bn.

Quarterly Fiscal Revenue (SAR bn)



Quarterly Fiscal Expenditure (SAR bn)

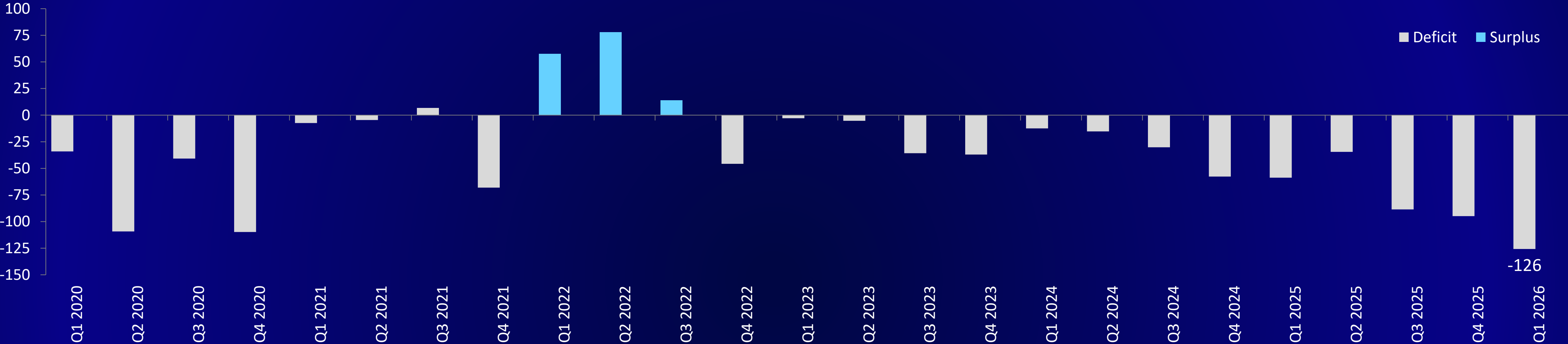


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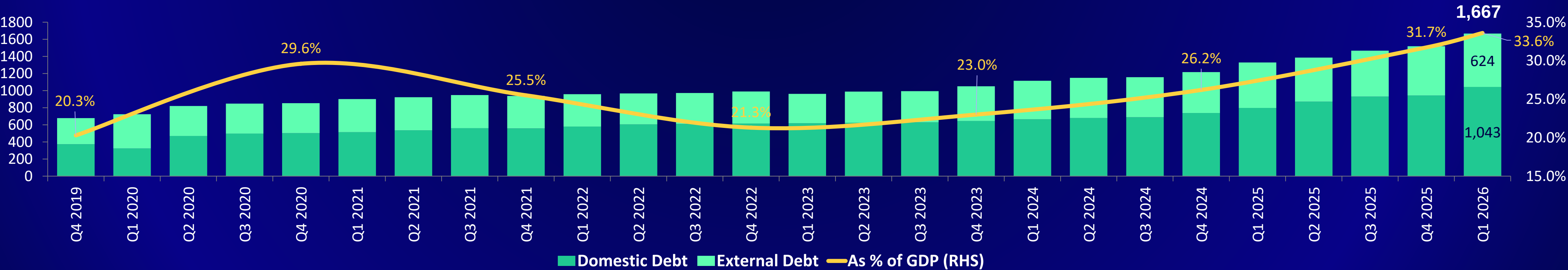
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Fiscal Performance and Government Debt

Quarterly Fiscal Deficit/Surplus (SAR bn)



Outstanding Government Debt (SAR bn)



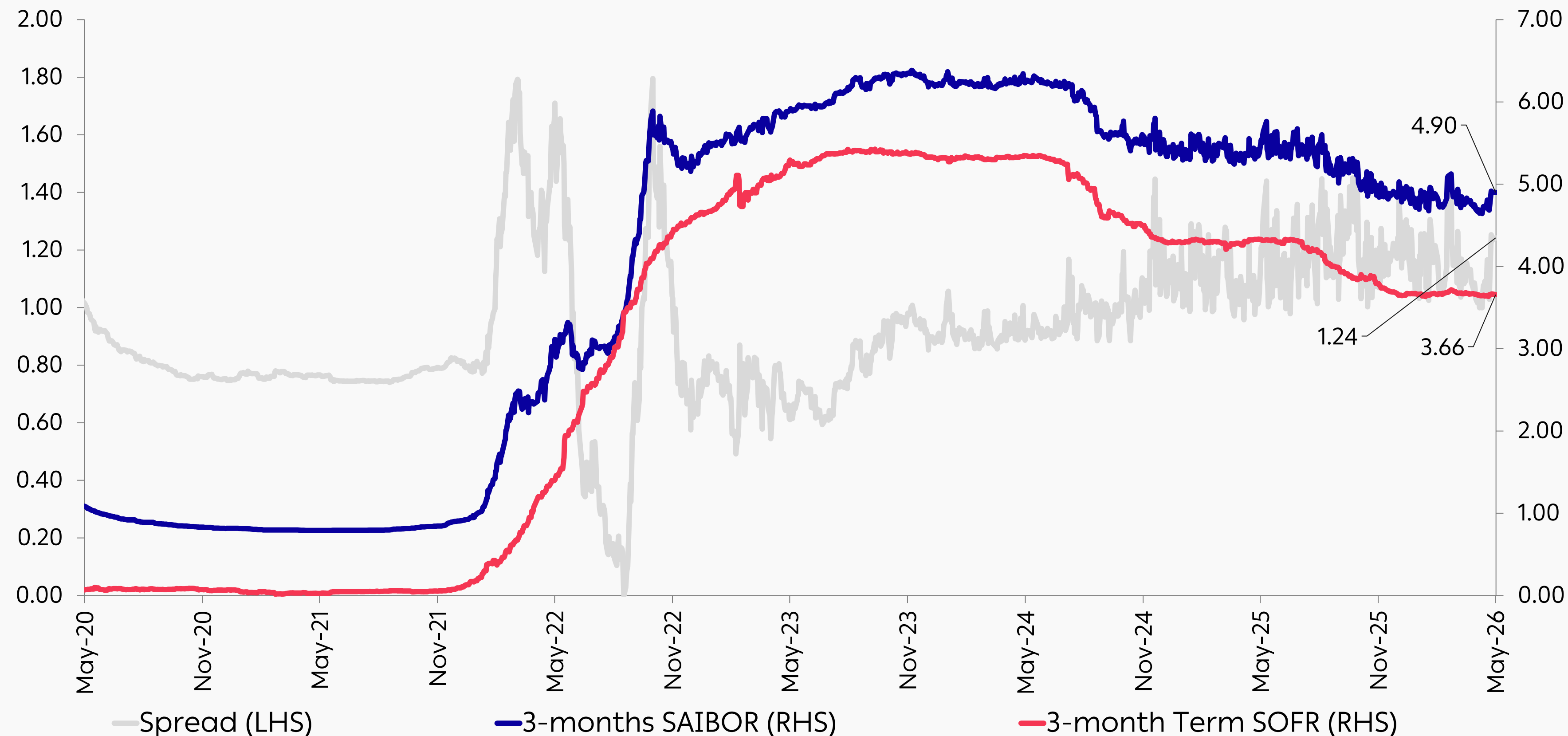
Source: MoF, NDMC, alrajhi capital

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Banking Liquidity

The 3M SAIBOR stood at 4.90% as of 31 May, down from 5.38% a year earlier. While rates are easing, loan-to-deposit ratio (108.8%) is still elevated. This local strain keeps SAIBOR elevated above SOFR, maintaining the 124bps spread.

SAIBOR vs SOFR



Source: SAMA, Bloomberg, alrajhi capital

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Loan to Deposit Ratio
(LDR) (Apr)

108.8%
(Unadjusted)

78.9%
(SAMA adjusted)

Broad Money (M3)
Growth (Apr)

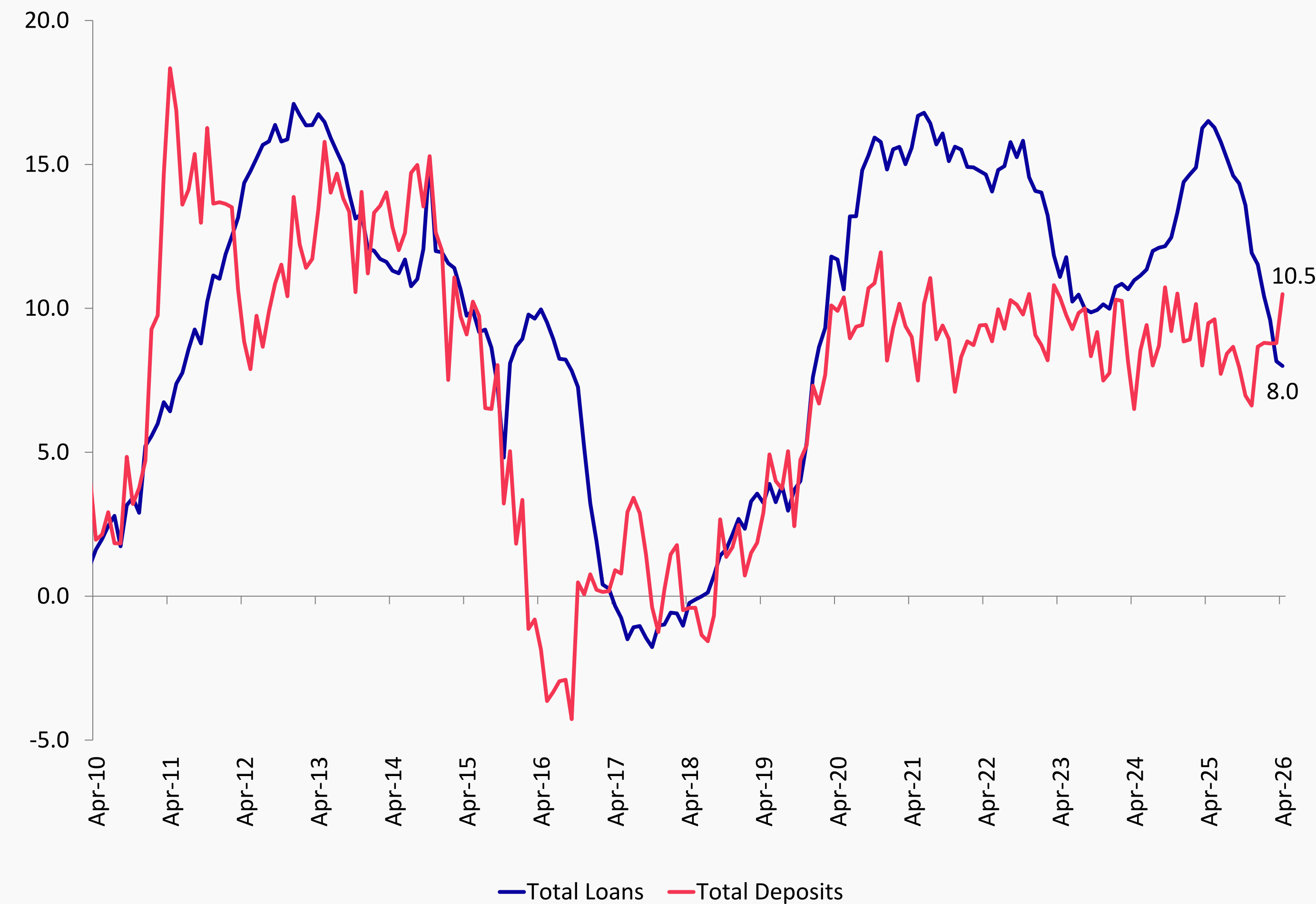
10.0%

4.25% (May)
SAMA Repo Rate

3.75% (May)
SAMA Reverse Repo Rate

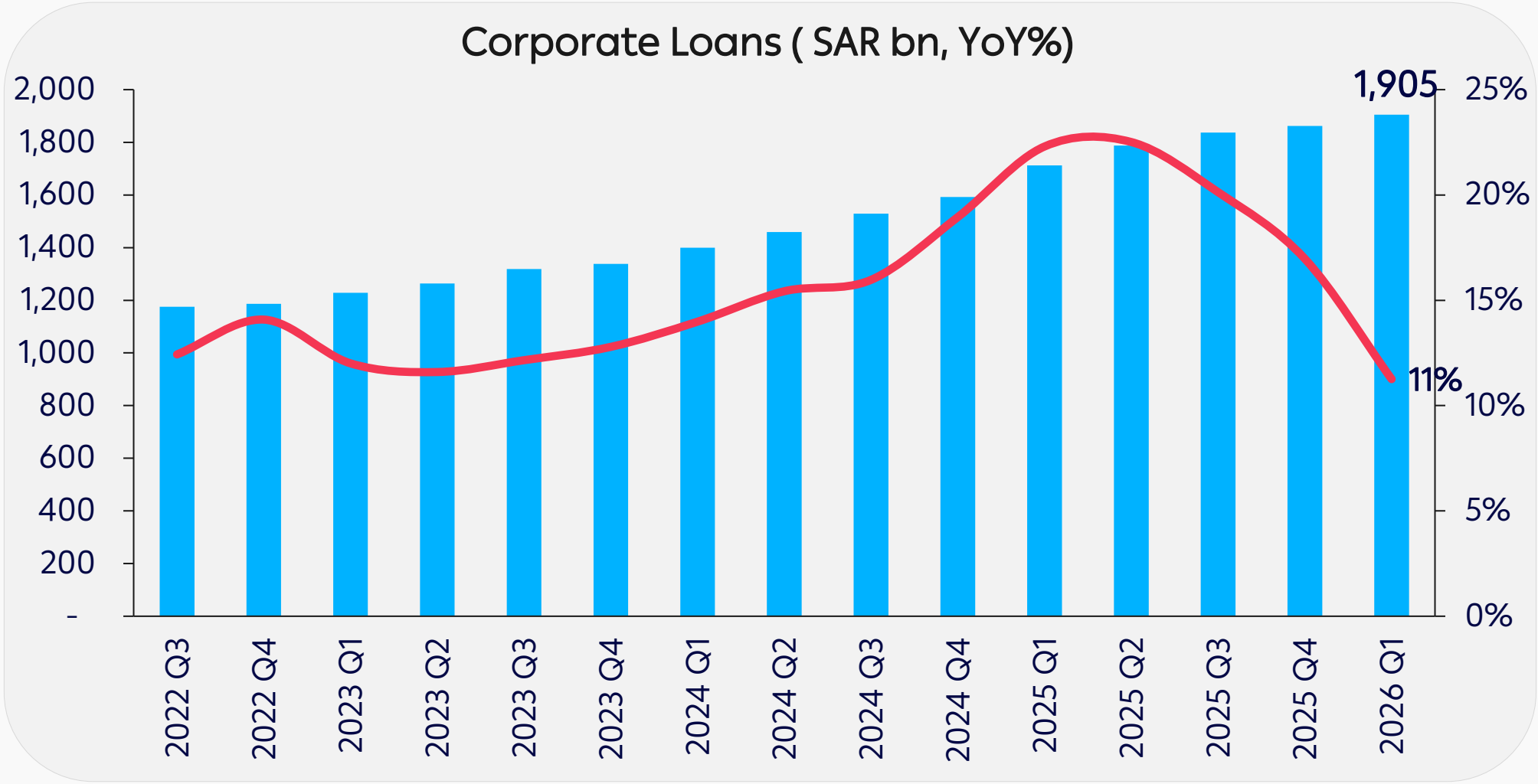
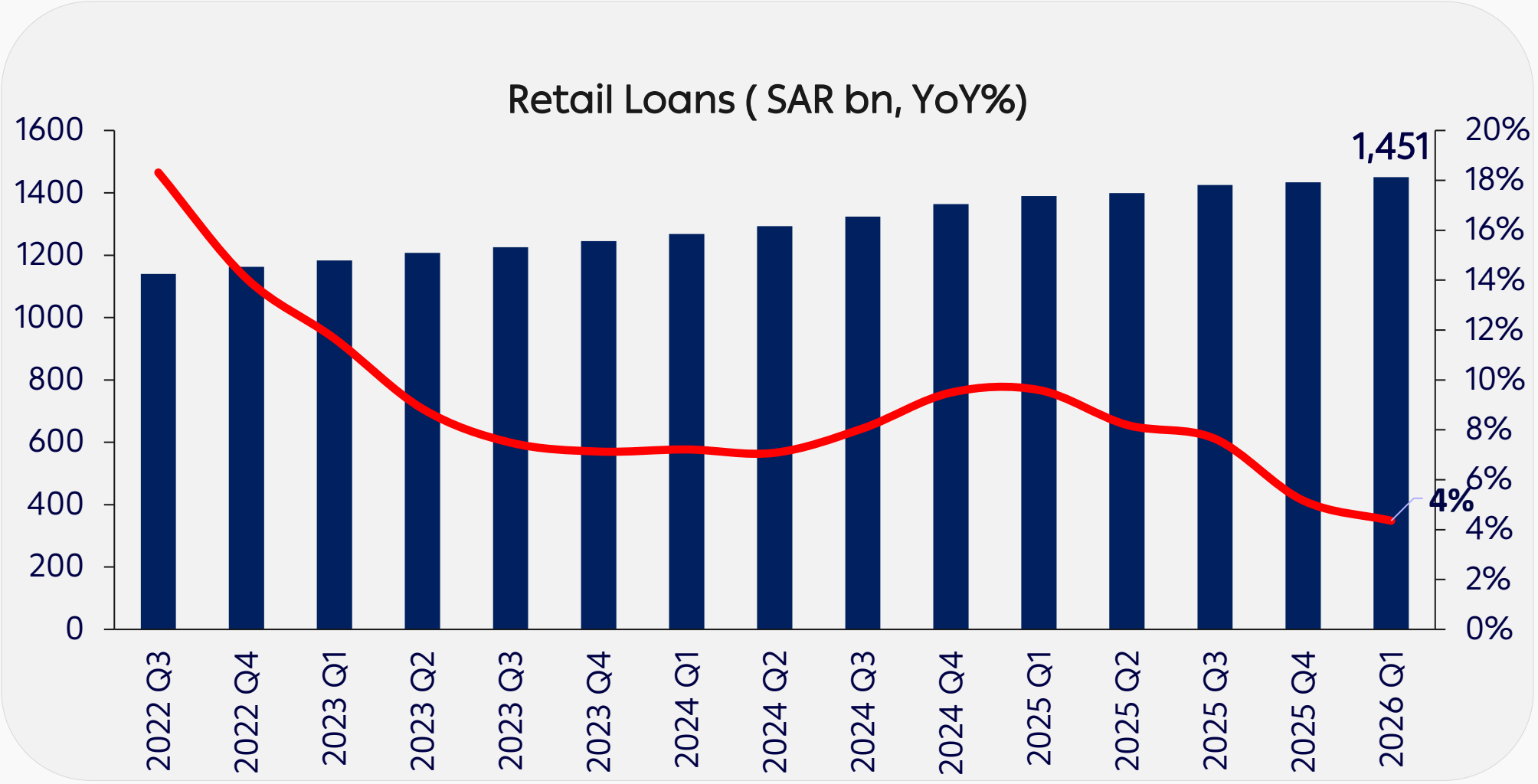
Credit and Deposits

Loans vs Deposits (y-o-y % change)



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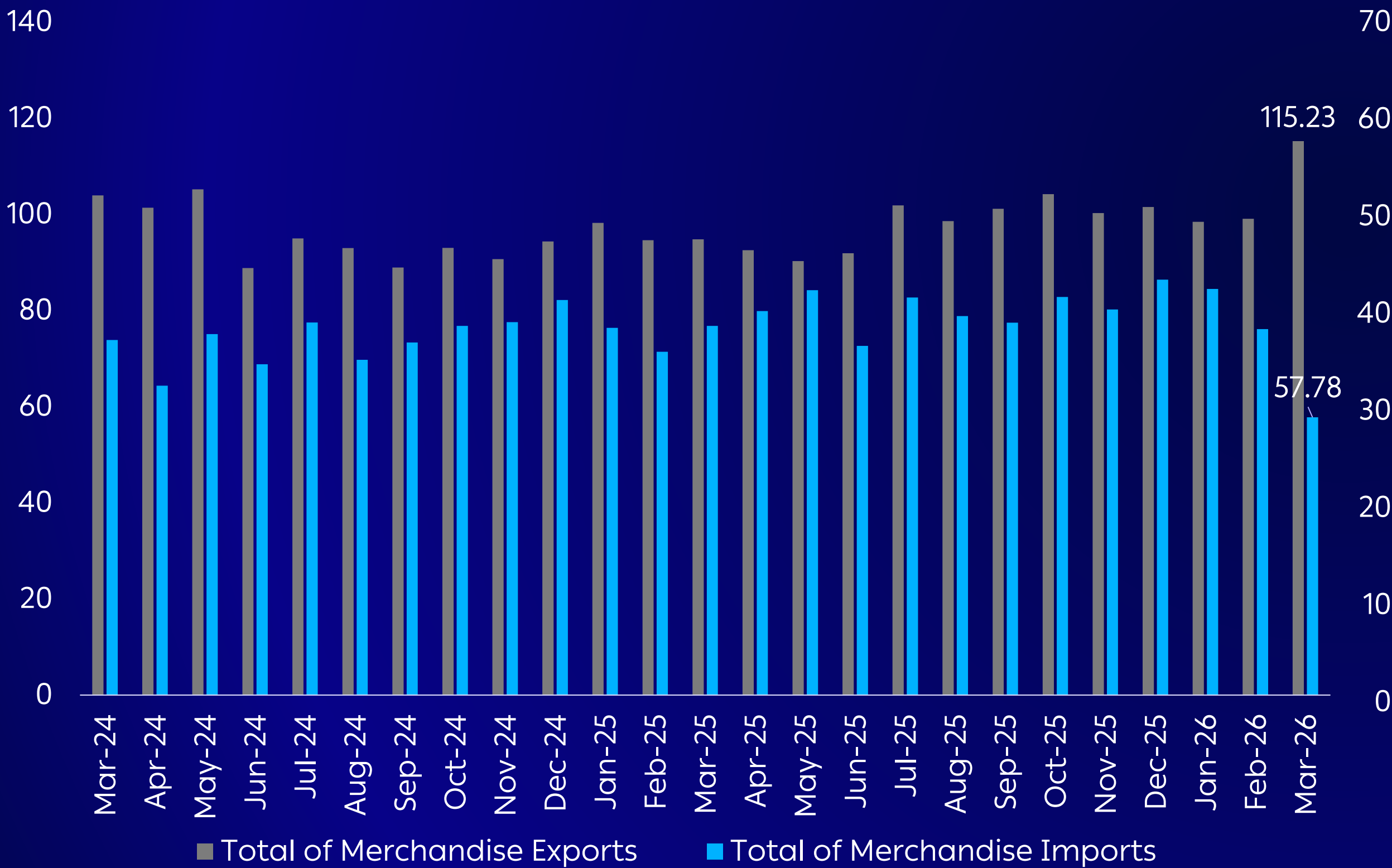
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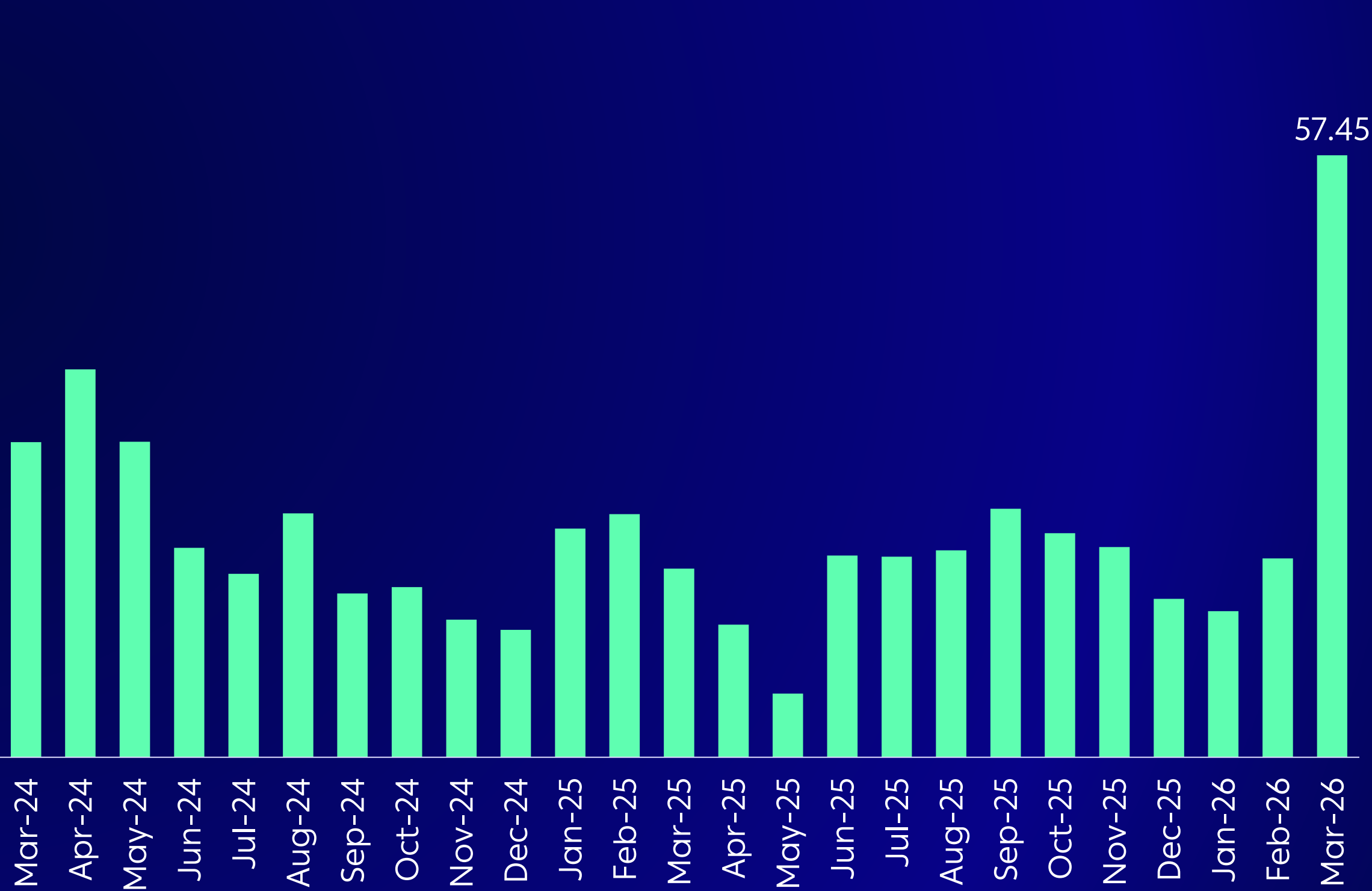
External Sector

Most recent available data shows that merchandise exports increased 21.5% y-o-y to SAR 115.23bn in March 2026, while imports decreased 24.8% y-o-y to SAR 57.78bn. As a result, trade surplus surged 219.0% y-o-y to SAR 57.45bn in March, this marked the largest trade surplus since October 2022.

Exports vs Imports (SAR bn, Mar 2026)



Trade Balance (SAR bn, Mar 2026)

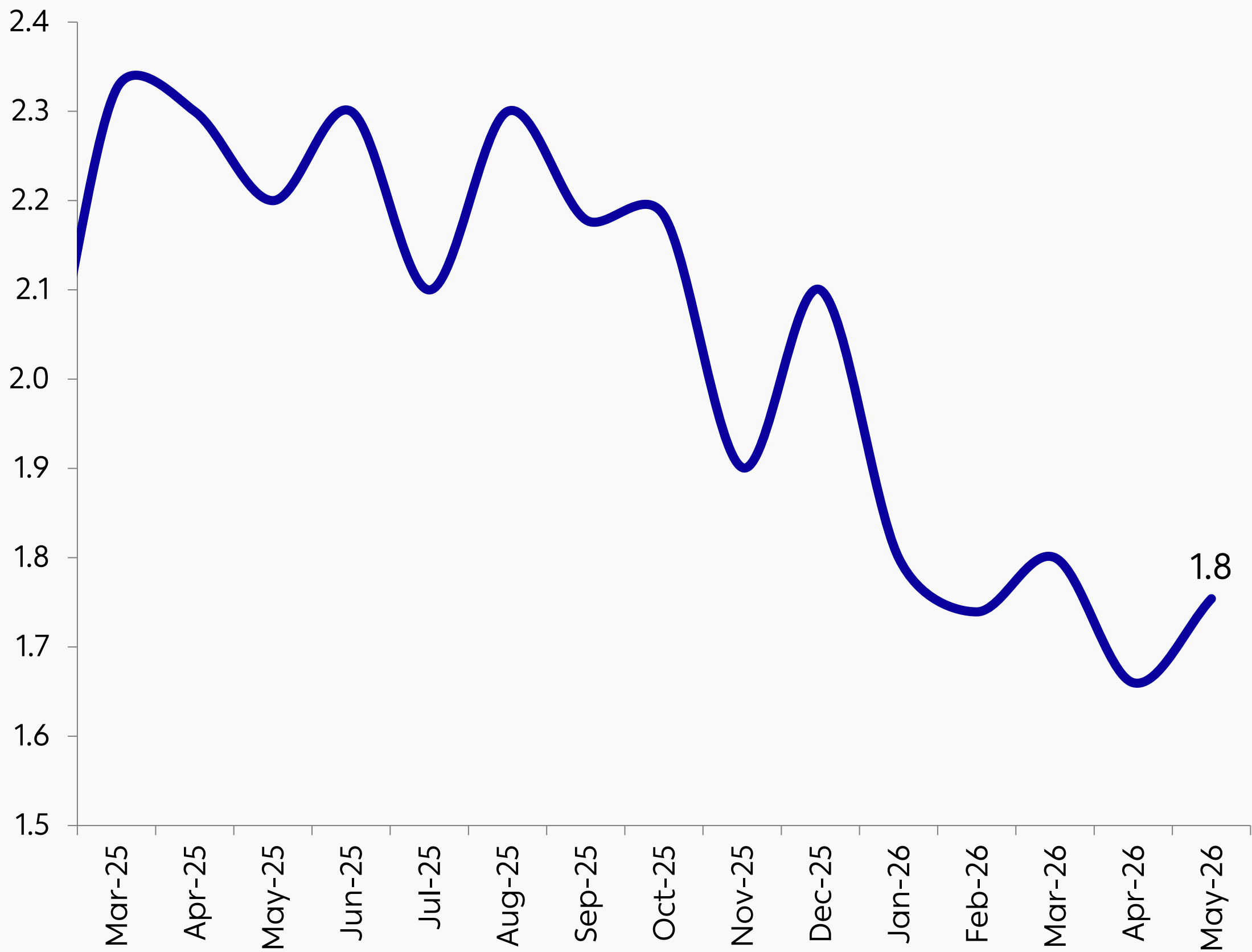


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Inflation and Price Trends

Consumer Price Index (CPI) - y-o-y % Change



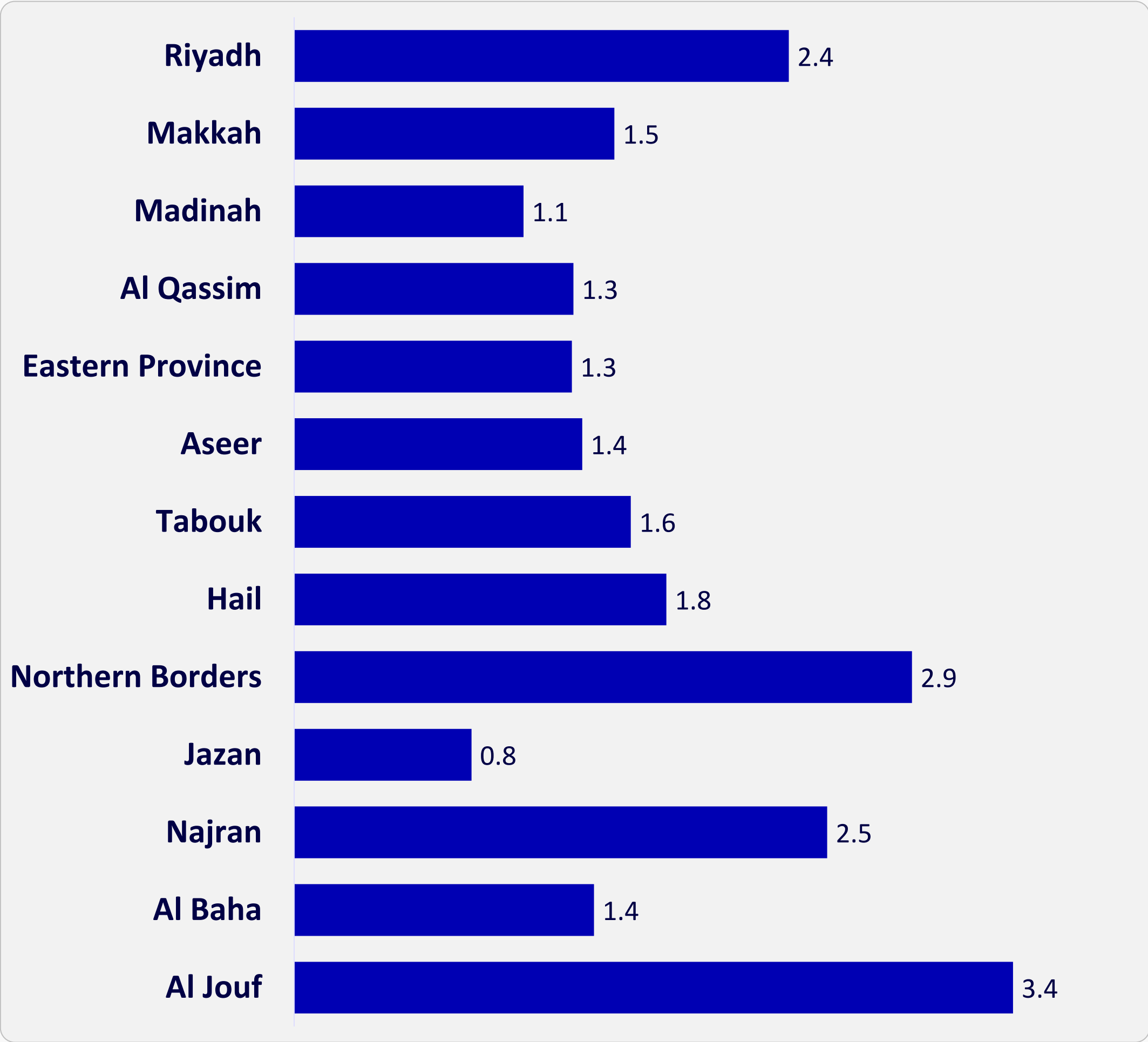
CPI Breakdown by Category	Weight (%)	May 2026	May 2025	Change (%)
General Index	100.0	105.3	103.5	1.8
Food & Beverages	21.9	102.6	101.9	0.6
Tobacco	0.7	99.8	99.4	0.4
Clothing	3.7	96.6	96.7	-0.3
Housing & Utilities	20.2	116.7	112.5	3.8
Furnishings & Household Equipment	6.7	97.4	97.9	-0.5
Health	4.0	100.1	99.9	0.4
Transport	14.5	102.1	100.6	1.0
Communication	5.2	98.4	97.7	1.3
Recreation	3.2	106.2	103.5	1.8
Education	2.2	102.4	101.0	1.4
Hospitality	8.4	108.2	106.4	1.0
Finance	3.2	106.6	104.3	2.3
Personal Care and Misc.	6.1	112.9	106.9	6.3

Source: GASTAT, alrajhi capital

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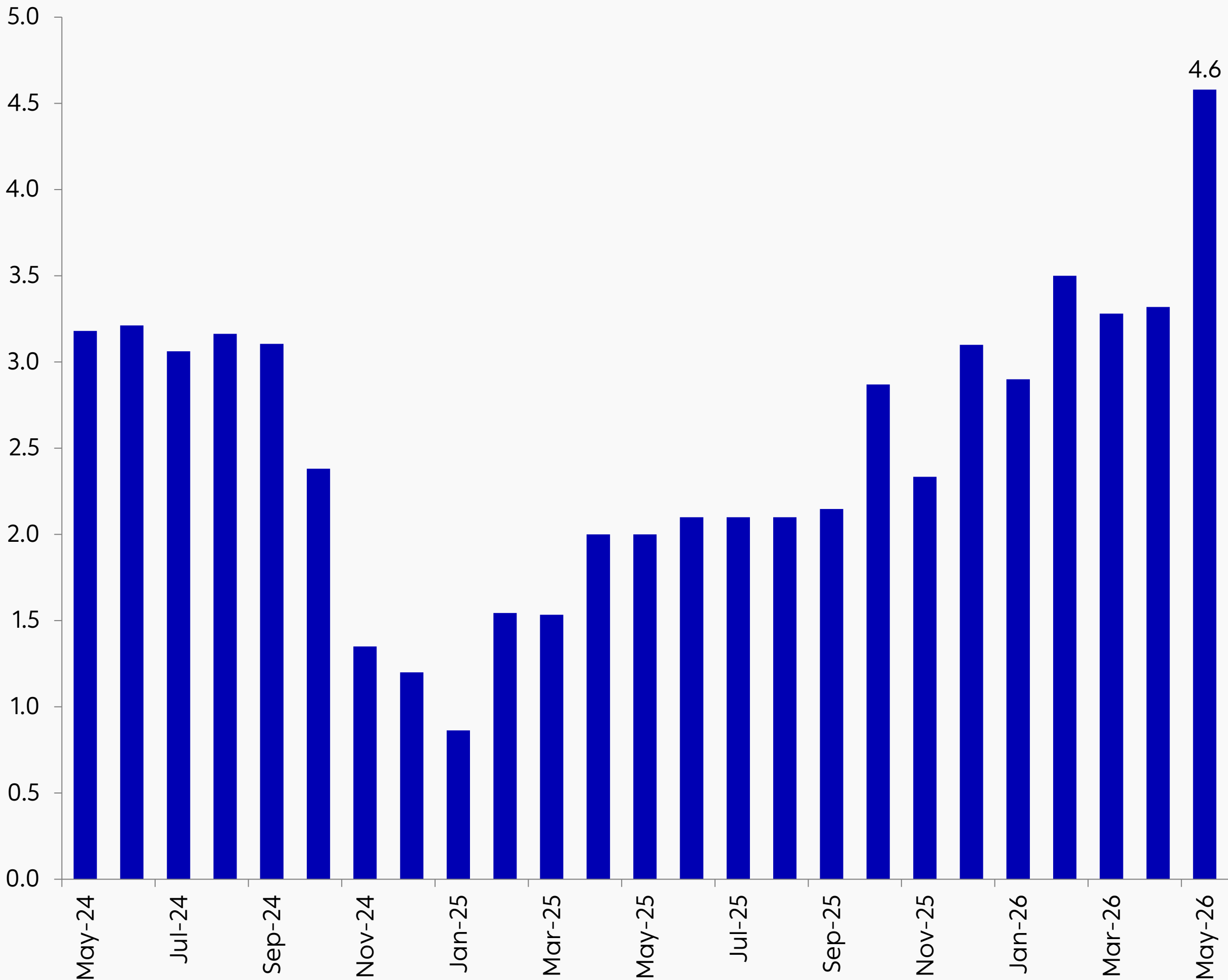
Inflation Trends

CPI Breakdown by Region for May 2026 (y-o-y % Change)



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Wholesale Price Index (WPI) - y-o-y % Change

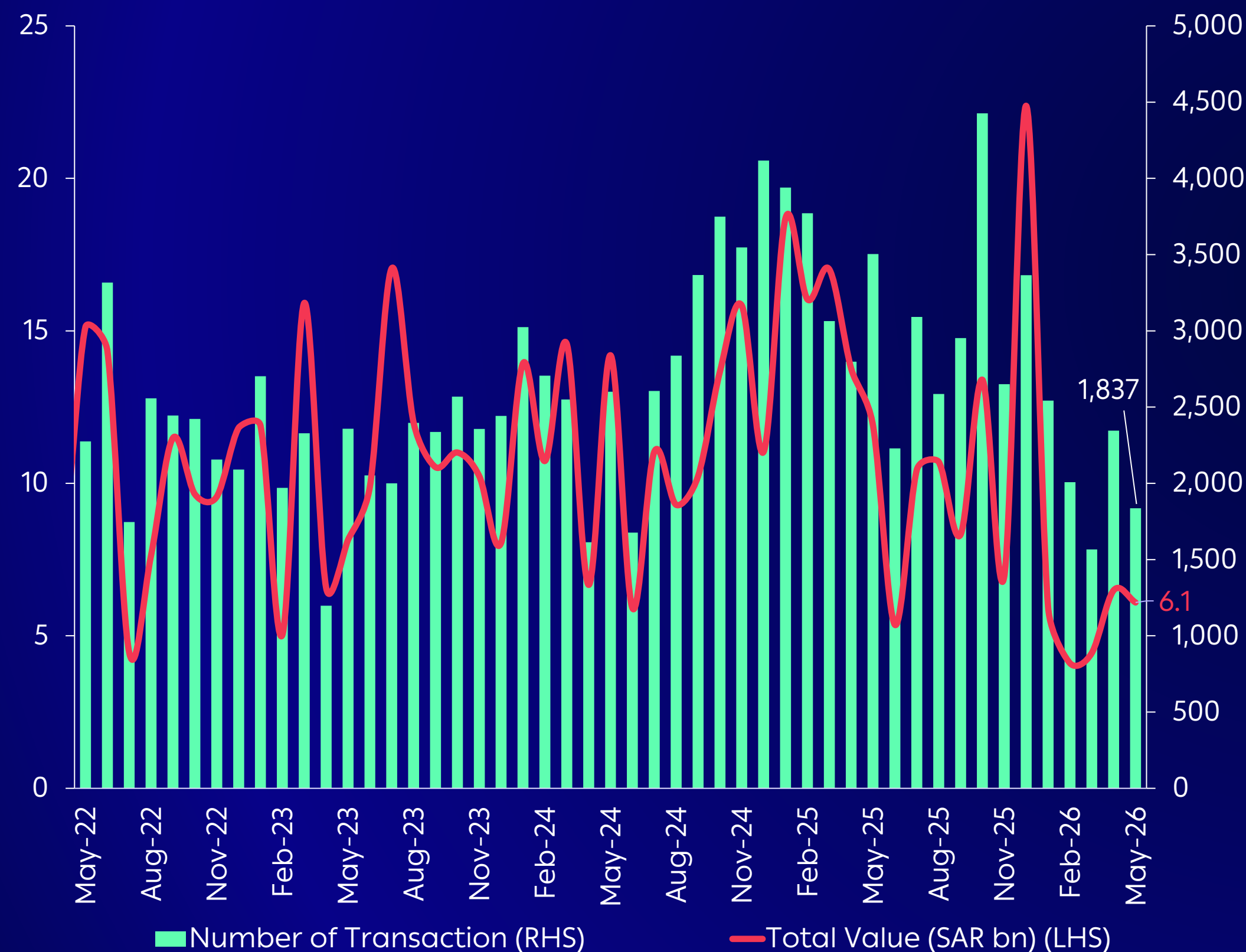


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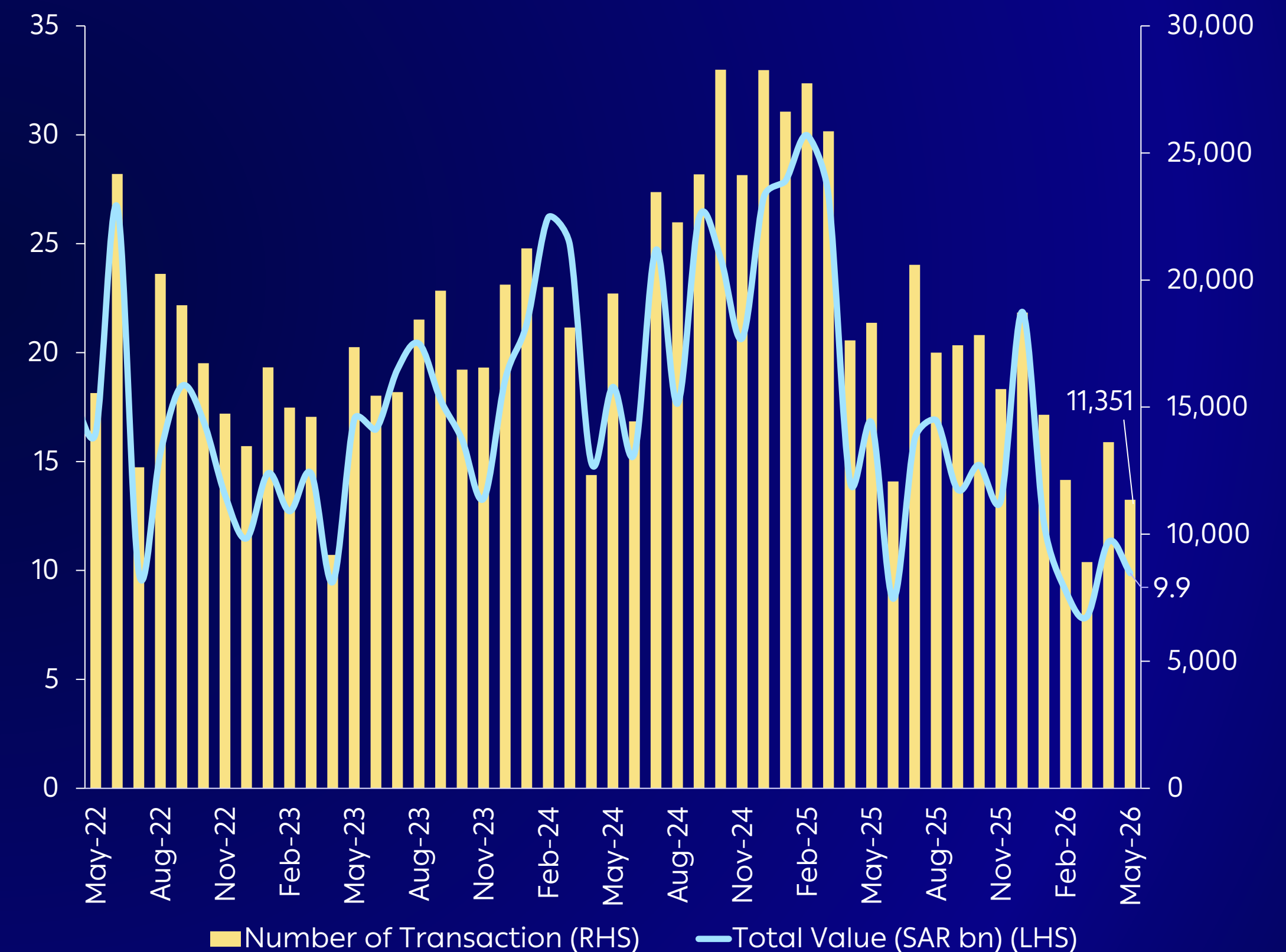
Real Estate Market

In the month of May, total value of commercial transactions dropped by **49% y-o-y**, while the number of commercial transactions declined by **48% y-o-y**. Similarly, the total value of residential transactions decreased by **41% y-o-y**, and the total number of transactions fell by **38% y-o-y** in May 2026.

Real Estate Transactions Commercial



Real Estate Transactions Residential

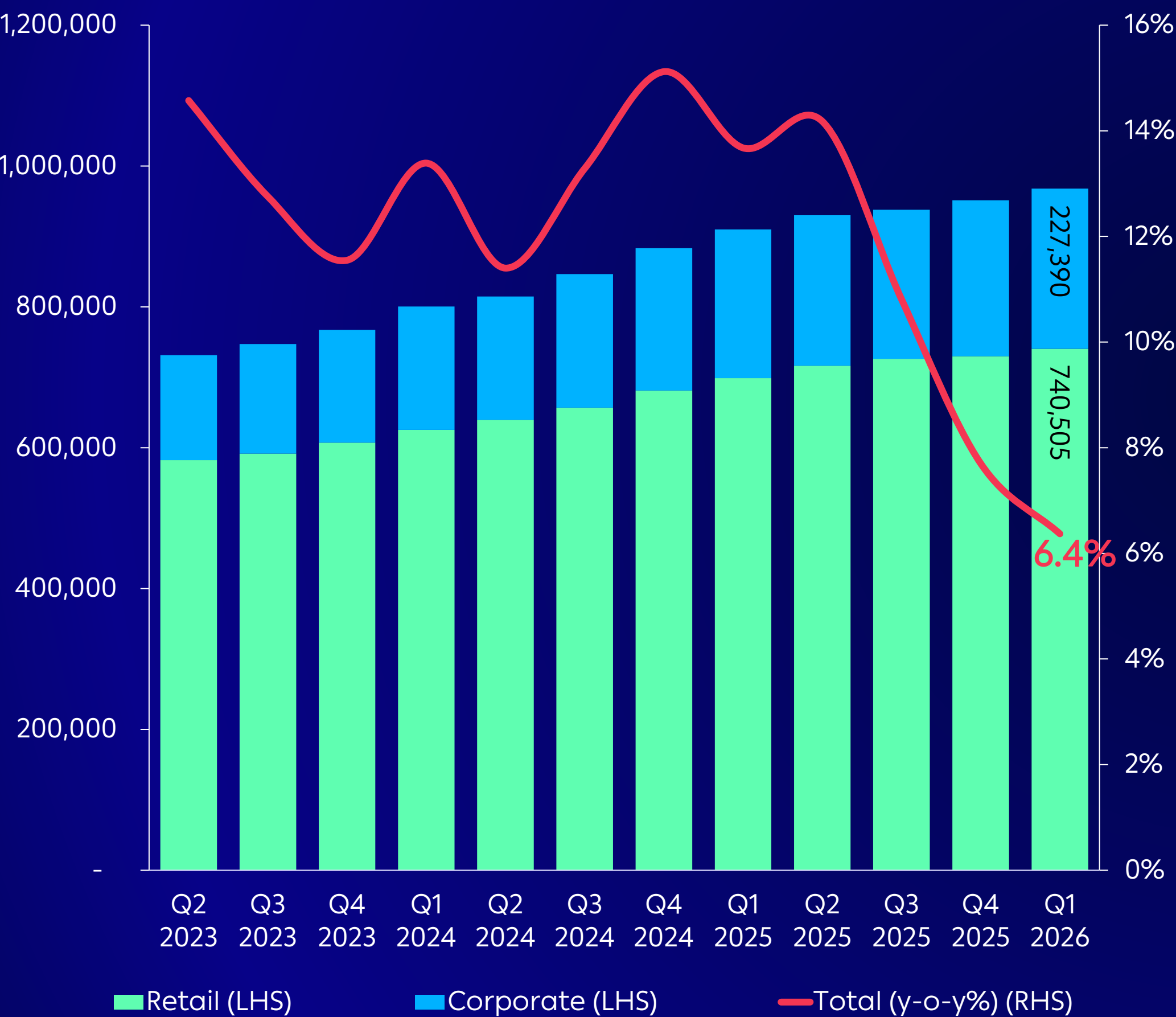


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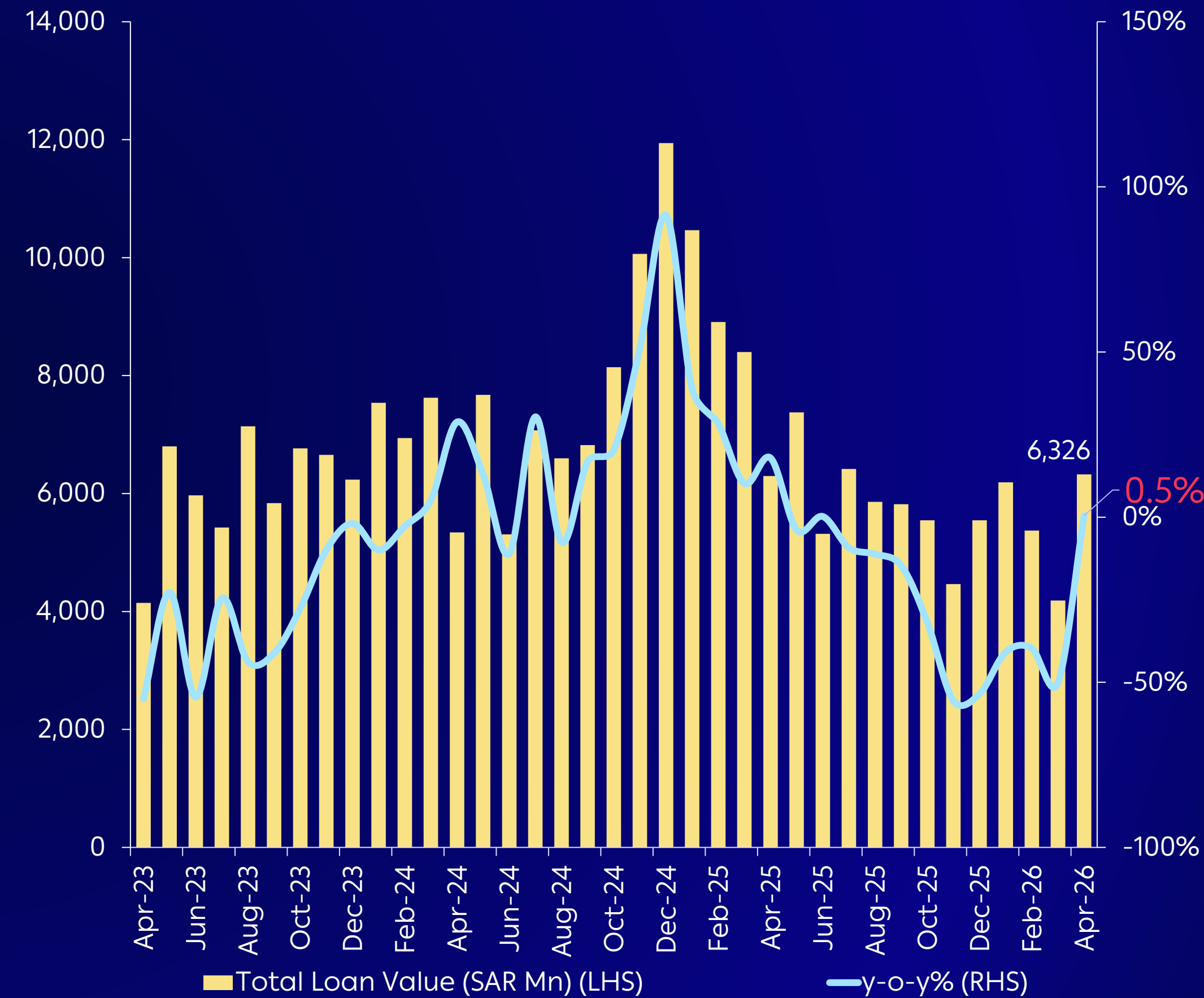
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Real Estate Loans and Mortgage Origination

Real Estate Outstanding Loans by Banks (SAR Mn)



Residential New Mortgages for Individuals by Banks



Source: SAMA, alrajhi capital

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Real Estate Price Trends

Most recent available data indicate a decline in Residential Property Index by 3.6% in Q1 2026 (y-o-y), while Commercial Property Index rose by 3.4%. In May, Rentals for Housing increased by 4.7%.

Residential Price Index (y-o-y %)

▼ -3.6

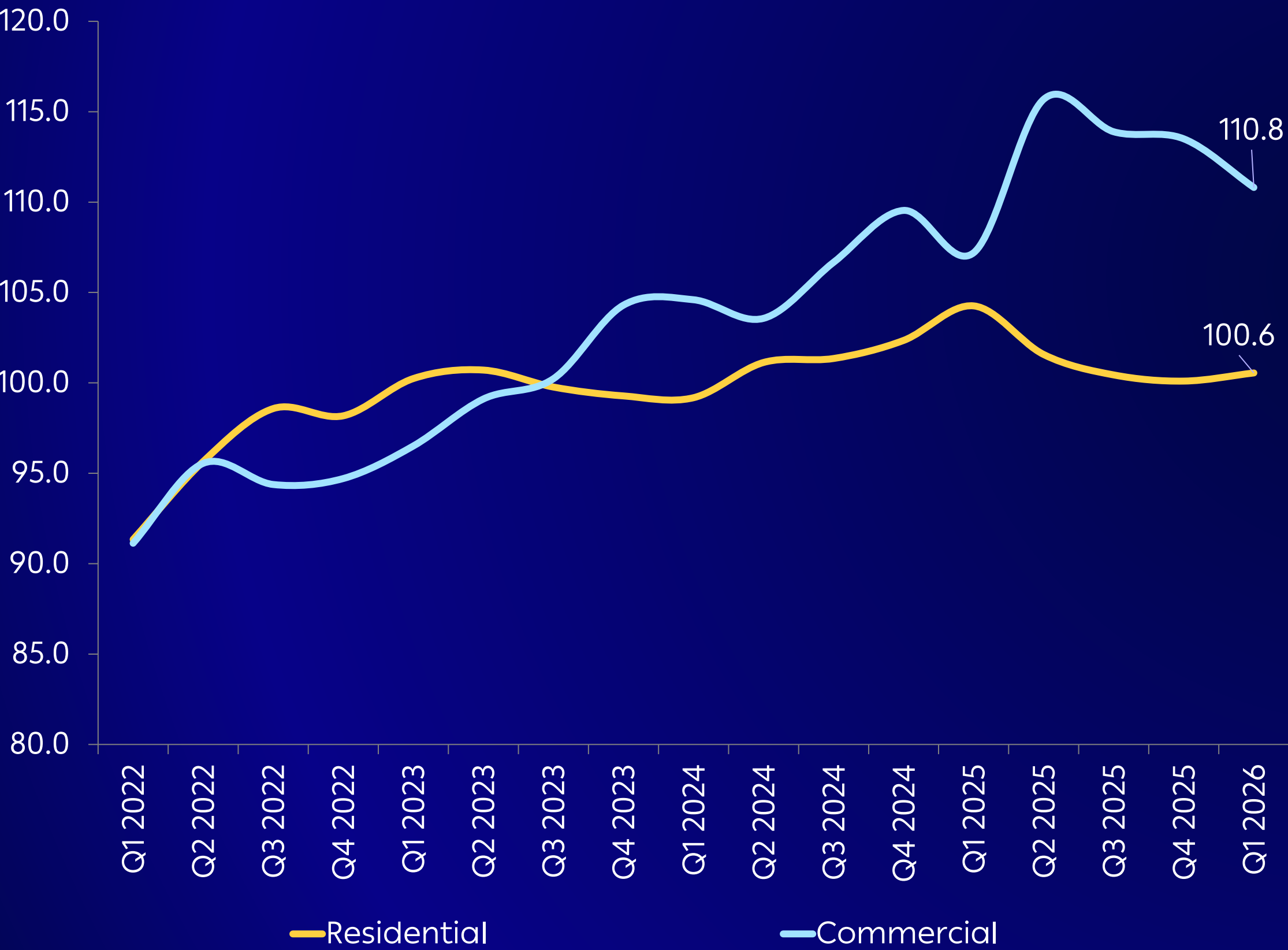
Commercial Price Index (y-o-y %)

▲ 3.4

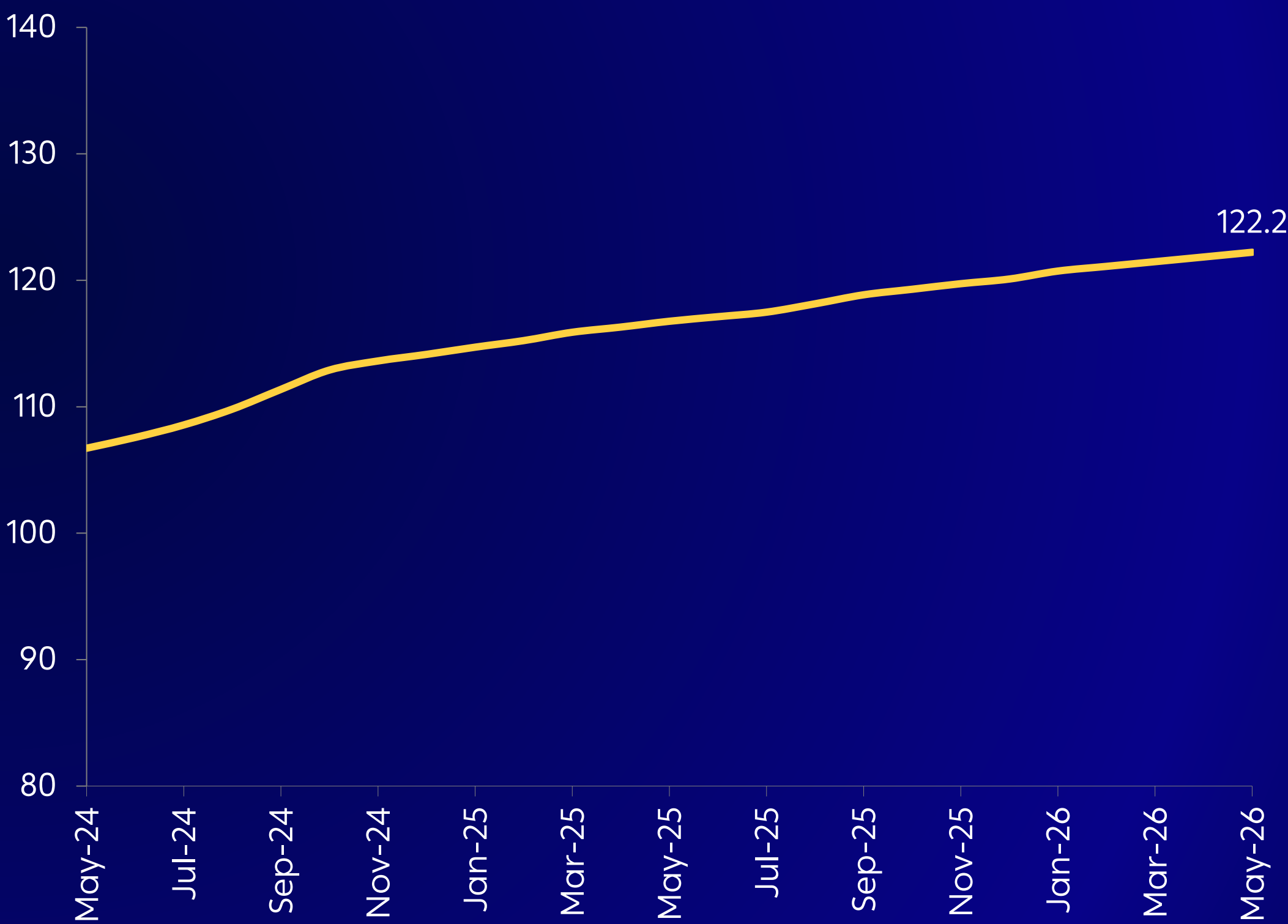
Rental Housing Index (y-o-y %)

▲ 4.7

Real Estate Price Index



Rental Housing Index



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Equity Market

TASI Index fell **1.0%** in May (m-o-m), while its average daily traded value contracted by **0.4%** m-o-m (+5.6% year-to-date). Meanwhile, Nomu Market Index edged up **0.2%** m-o-m, and its average daily traded value surged **130.9%** m-o-m in May 2026.

TASI Performance
(May) (m-o-m %)

▼ -1.0

TASI Avg Daily Traded Value
(May) (bn)

5.7

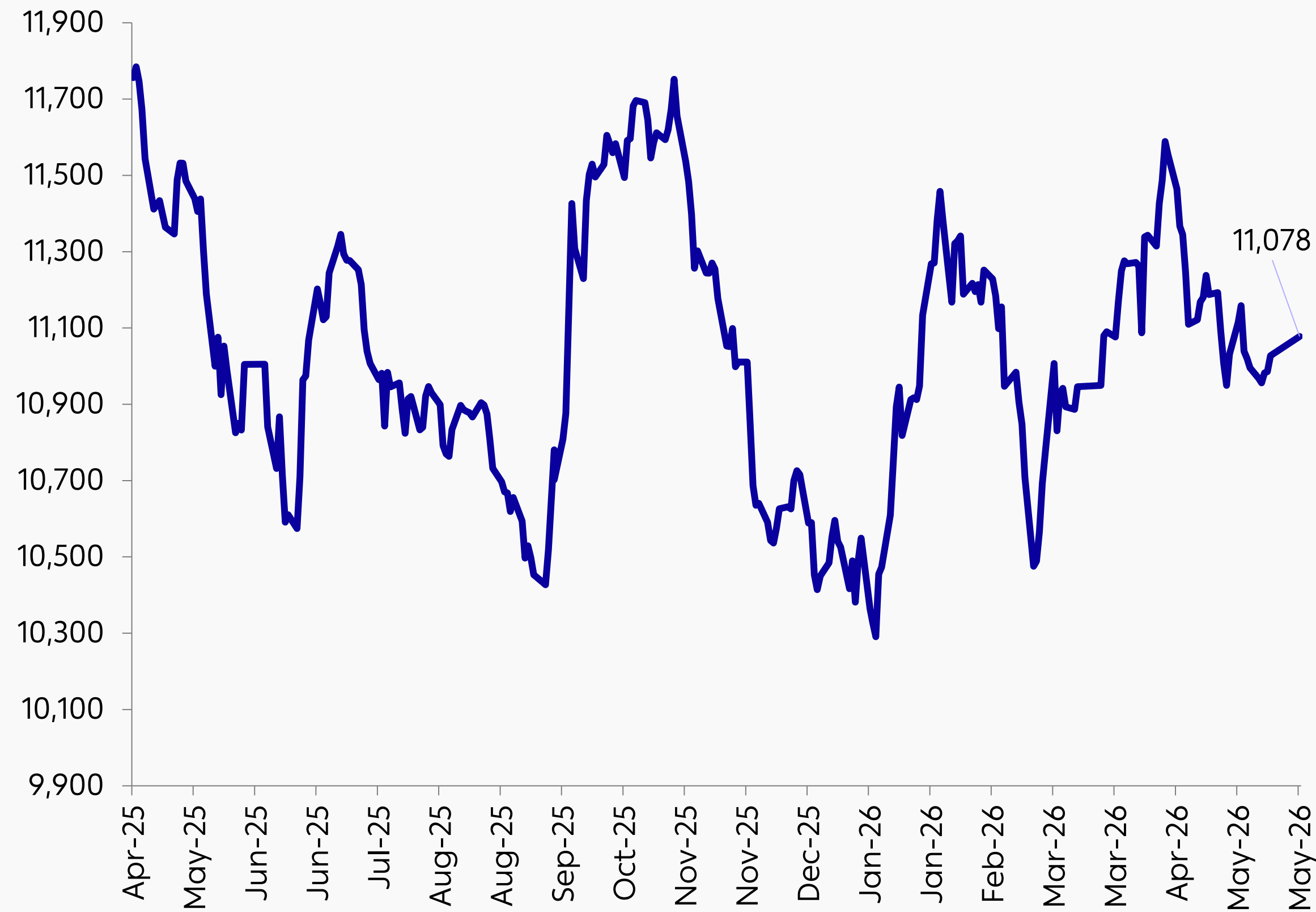
NOMU Performance
(May) (m-o-m %)

▲ 0.2

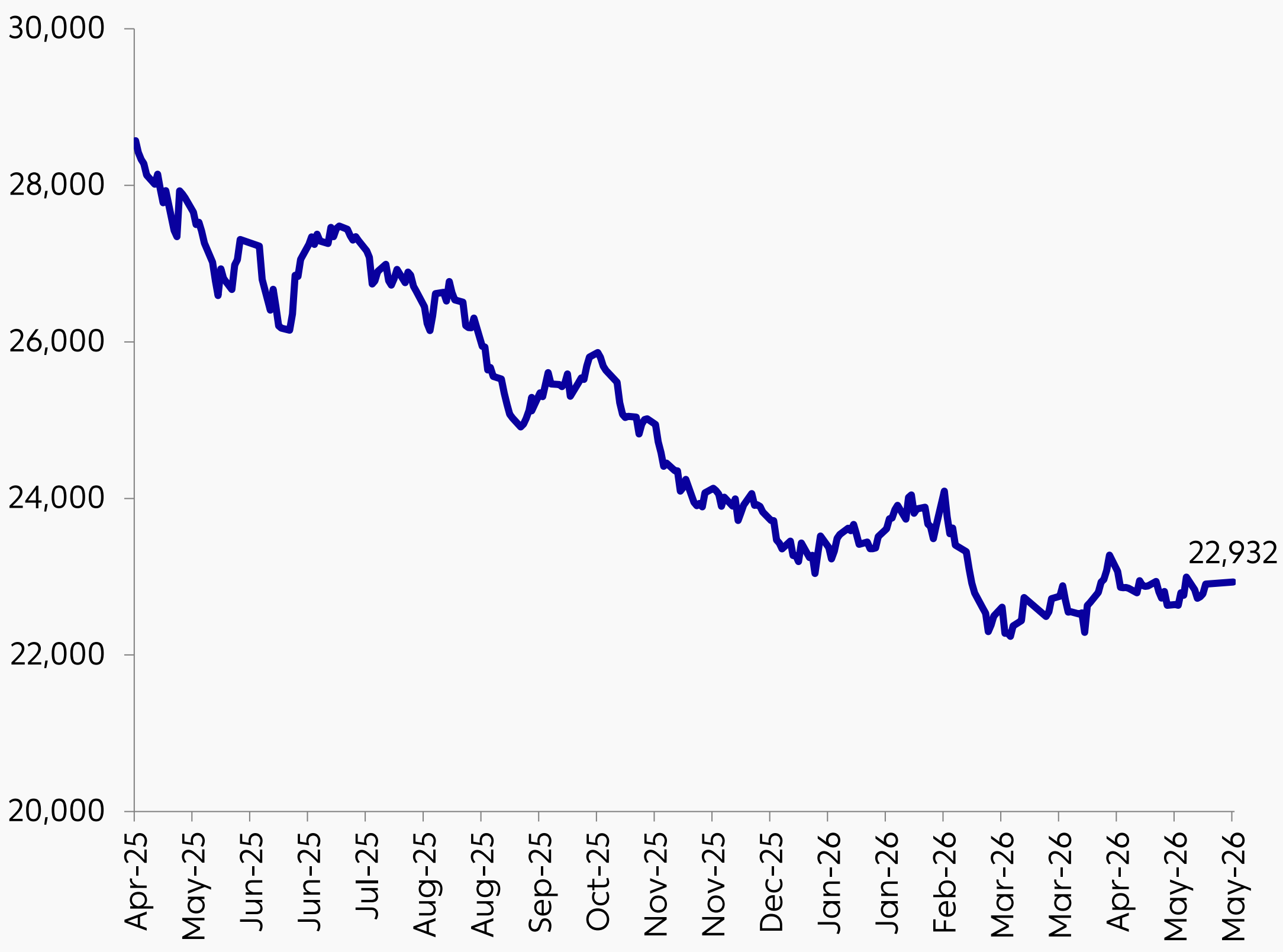
NOMU Avg Daily Traded Value
(May) (mn)

52.7

TASI Index



Nomu Market Index



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Equity Market (TASI)

The **Software & Services** stood as the top gaining sector in May recording an **11.1%** gain. Conversely, **Capital Goods** sector declined the most. TASI ended May at a trailing P/E of 17.1 and a trailing dividend yield of 3.4%.

TASI Adjusted
Trailing PE

17.1

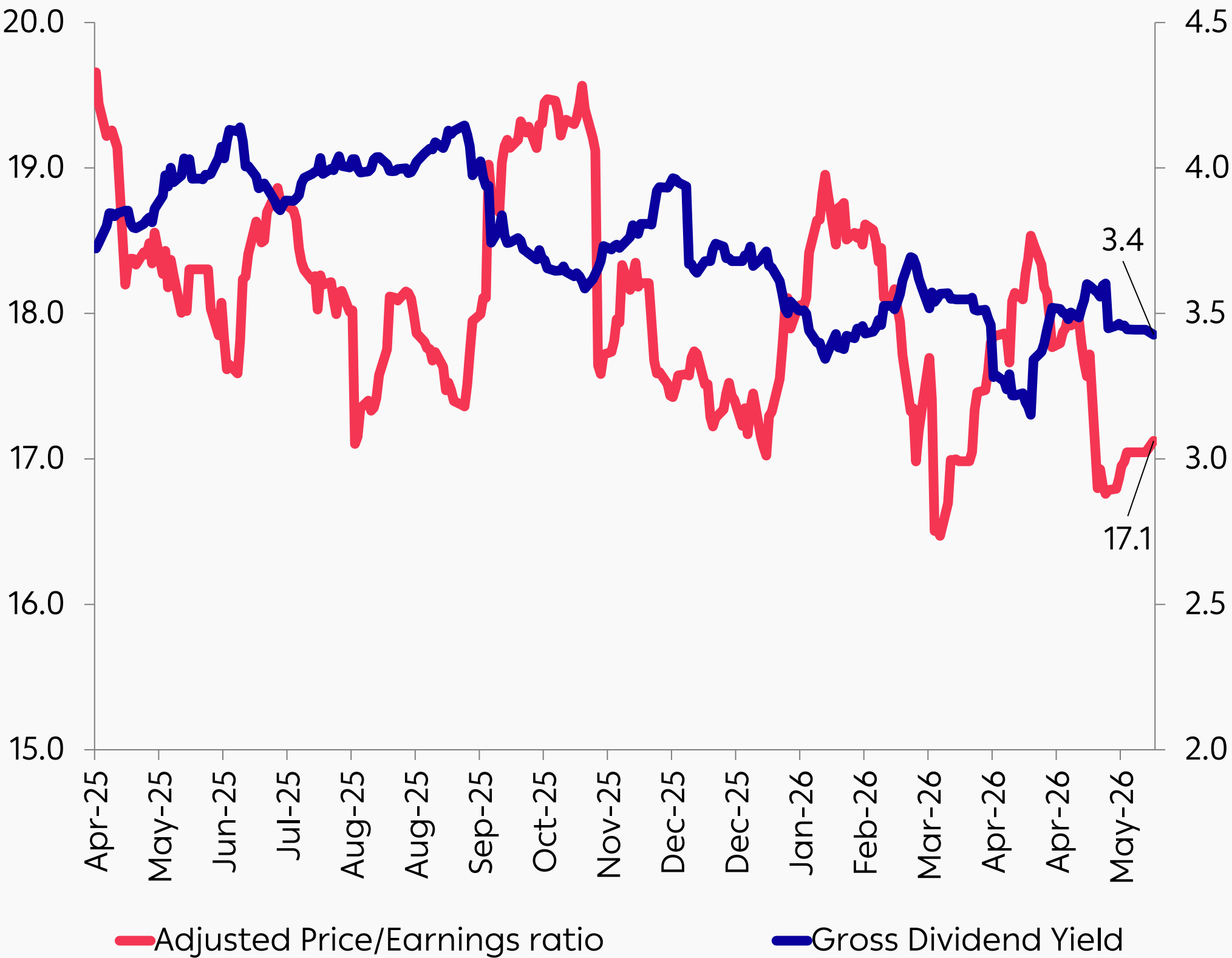
TASI Trailing
Dividend Yield

3.4%

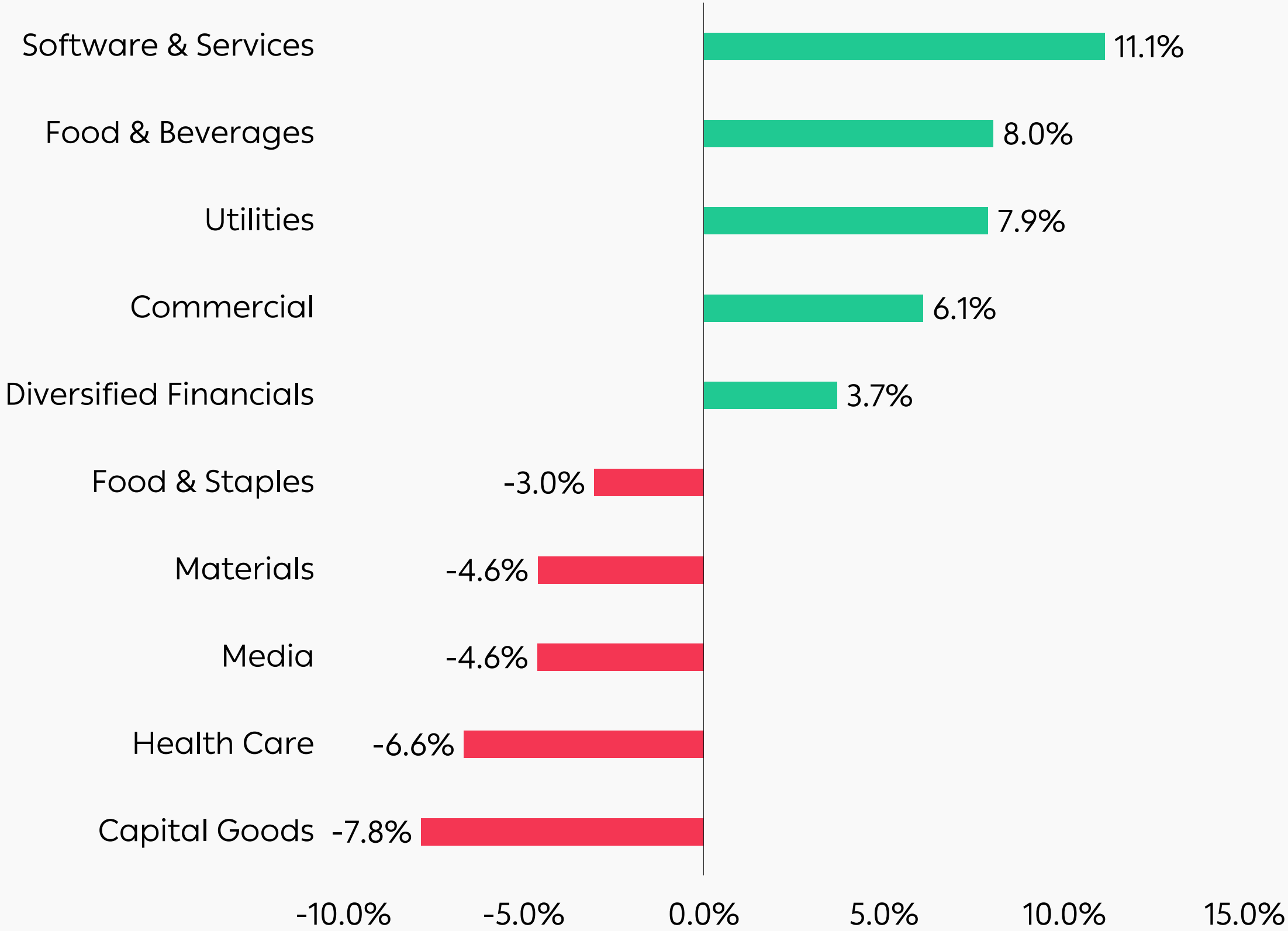
Software &
Services

was the best
performing sector
in May.

TASI Adjusted P/E Ratio & Gross Dividend Yield



Top Gaining vs Losing Sectors



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