



# Special Release

Summary Inflation Report
Consumer Price Index for All Income Households
Cagayan
(2018=100)

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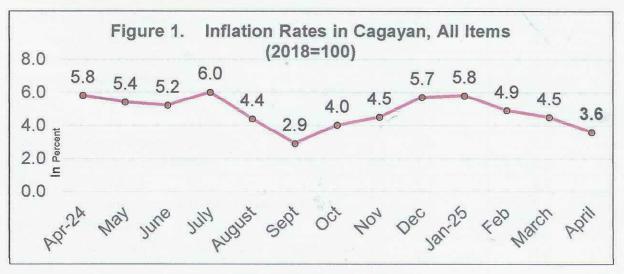
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## Table A. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates in Cagayan, All Items In Percent (2018=100)

| Area           | April 2024 | March 2025 | April 2025 | Year to<br>Date* |  |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|--|
| Philippines    | 3.8        | 1.8        | 1.4        | 2.0              |  |
| Cagayan Valley | 4.2        | 2.9        | 2.0        | 3.4              |  |
| Cagayan 5.8    |            | 4.5        | 3.6        | 4.7              |  |

Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI), Philippine Statistics Authority \*Year-on-year change of average CPI for February 2025 vs. 2024

Inflation in the province of Cagayan slow down to 3.6 percent in April 2025, from 4.5 percent recorded in March 2025. In April 2024, inflation rate was higher at 5.8 percent. (Table A, D, and Figure 1).



Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI), Philippine Statistics Authority. For more details visit www.psa.gov.ph





The slower inflation in the province was brought about by the decrease in the ten commodity groups, with housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuel being the highest contributor at 4.1 percent in April 2025 from 6.9 percent recorded in March 2025. It was followed by furnishing, household equipment and routine household maintenance at 2.2 percent in April 2025 from 4.0 percent in March 2025. The following also contributed to the slower inflation for April 2025:

- a. Recreation, Sports and Culture at 1.3 percent from 2.3 percent
- b. Personal Care and Miscellaneous Goods and Services at 3.5 percent from 4.3 percent
- c. Restaurant and Accommodation Services at 9.2 percent from 9.9 percent
- d. Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco at 3.2 percent from 3.6 percent
- e. Clothing and Footwear at 3.3 percent from 3.6 percent
- f. Food and Non-alcoholic beverages at 4.4 percent from 4.5 percent
- g. Health at 1.6 percent from 1.7 percent

Information and communication is the only commodity group that showed an increased inflation at 0.6 percent in April 2025 as compared to 0.5 percent recorded in March 2025.

On the other hand transport retained its negative inflation at -2.8 percent in April 2025 from -1.6 percent in March 2025.

Meanwhile the following group indices remained constant for April 2025:

- a. Education Services at 1.7 percent
- b. Financial Services at 0.0 percent

Table B. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates in Cagayan, All Commodity Group
March and April 2025
In Percent (2018=100)

| Commodity Group   | March<br>2025 | April<br>2025 |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages                                  | 4.5           | 4.4           |
| Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco                                   | 3.6           | 3.2           |
| Clothing and Footwear   | 3.6           | 3.3           |
| Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels                 | 6.9           | 4.1           |
| Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance | 4.0           | 2.2           |
| Health  | 1.7           | 1.6           |
| Transport   | -1.6          | -2.8          |
| Information and Communication                                     | 0.5           | 0.6           |
| Recreation, Sport and Culture                                     | 2.3           | 1.3           |
| Education Services  | 1.7           | 1.7           |
| Restaurants and Accommodation Services                            | 9.9           | 9.2           |
| Financial Services  | 0.0           | 0.0           |
| Personal Care and Miscellaneous Goods and Services                | 4.3           | 3.5           |

Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI), Philippine Statistics Authority r-revised





The overall food inflation in the province remained at 4.6 percent in April 2025 same as recorded in March of the same year.

The constant food inflation observed for the month in review was the result yielded by the combination of slower, faster and no movement year-on-year annual growth rate as follow:

#### Slower:

- a. Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses at 10.8 percent from 15.1 percent
- b. Flour, bread and other bakery products, pasta products and other cereals at 1.2 percent from 2.6 percent
- c. Ready-made food and other food products N.E.C. at 5.2 percent from 5.8 percent

#### Faster:

- a. Fruits and nuts at 31.0 percent from 27.2 percent
- b. Fish and other seafoods at 11.3 percent from 8.8 percent
- c. Oils and fats at 9.5 percent from 7.6 percent
- d. Meat and other parts of slaughtered animals at 17.1 percent from 15.5 percent

Milk, other dairy products and eggs maintained its 1.7 percent inflation in April 2025 compared to March 2025.

On the other hand, negative inflation was observed in the following food groups:

- a. Rice at -12.8 percent from -10.8 percent
- b. Corn at -13.0 percent from -15.8 percent
- c. Sugar, confectionary and dessert at -2.6 percent from -1.7 percent

Table C. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items in Cagayan
March and April 2025
In Percent (2018=100)

| Selected Food   | March 2025 | April 2025 |
|---|------------|------------|
| Rice  | -10.8      | -12.8      |
| Corn  | -15.8      | -13.0      |
| Flour, bread and other bakery products, pasta products, and other cereals | 2.6        | 1.2        |
| Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals                          | 15.5       | 17.1       |
| Fish and other seafood  | 8.8        | 11.3       |
| Milk, other dairy products, and eggs                                      | 1.7        | 1.7        |
| Oils and fats   | 7.6        | 9.5        |
| Fruits and nuts   | 27.2       | 31.0       |
| Vegetables, tubers plantains, cooking bananas and pulses                  | 15.1       | 10.8       |
| Sugar, confectionary, and dessert   | -1.7       | -2.6       |
| Ready-made food and other food products N.E.C.                            | 5.8        | 5.2        |

Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI), Philippine Statistics Authority





Table D. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates in Cagayan, All Items
January 2020 to April 2025
In Percent (2018=100)

| Month     | Year |      |      |      |      |      |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|           | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
| January   | 1.4  | 6.2  | 2.0  | 8.5  | 4.1  | 5.8  |
| February  | 1.1  | 6.6  | 2.3  | 8.9  | 4.3  | 4.9  |
| March     | 1.7  | 6.2  | 3.6  | 7.5  | 4.5  | 4.5  |
| April     | 0.4  | 6.2  | 4.5  | 6.1  | 5.8  | 3.6  |
| May       | 1.3  | 4.6  | 5.2  | 5.8  | 5.4  |      |
| June      | 1.4  | 5.7  | 5.0  | 5.3  | 5.2  |      |
| July      | 1.0  | 6.3  | 5.9  | 4.6  | 6.0  |      |
| August    | 1.9  | 6.7  | 4.4  | 7.3  | 4.4  |      |
| September | 2.1  | 5.9  | 5.8  | 7.2  | 2.9  |      |
| October   | 2.6  | 5.8  | 7.4  | 5.3  | 4.0  |      |
| November  | 4.7  | 3.7  | 8.5  | 4.1  | 4.5  |      |
| December  | 5.2  | 2.8  | 9.0  | 3.5  | 5.7  |      |
| Average   | 2.1  | 5.5  | 5.3  | 6.1  | 4.7  |      |

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### Note:

CPIs and inflation rates by province and selected city are posted at the PSA website (https://www.psa.gov.ph/).

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