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Summary Inflation Report Consumer Price Index in Western Visayas for May 2024 (2018=100)

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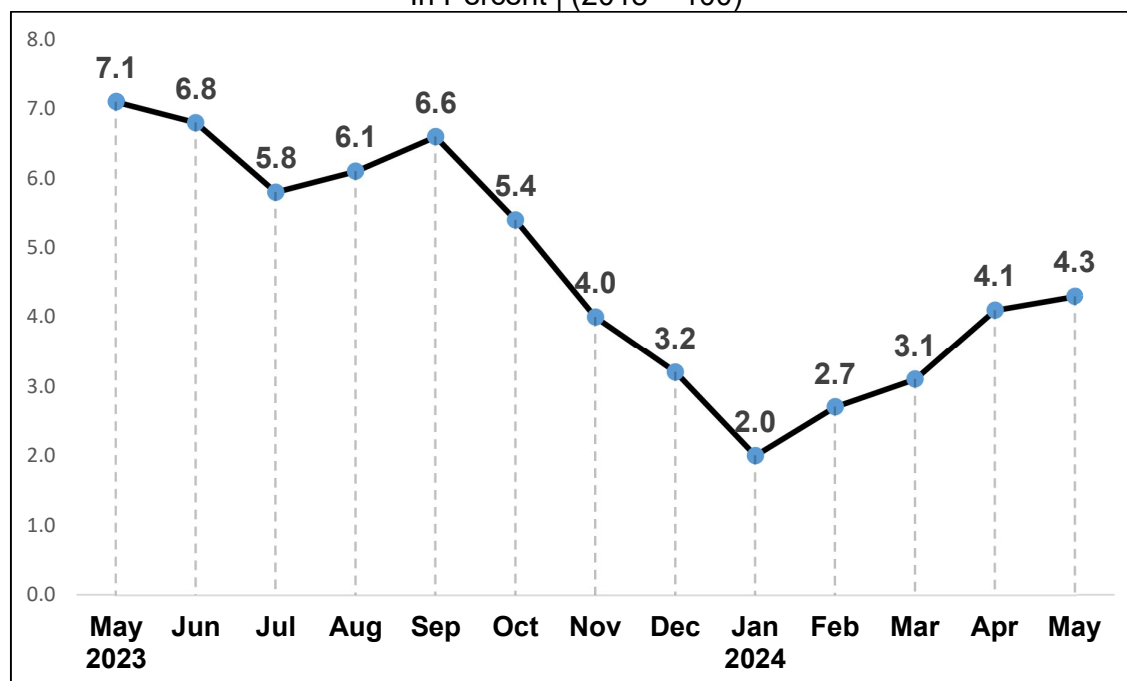
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**Table A. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates, All Items
Philippines and Western Visayas:
May 2023, April 2024, May 2024**
In Percent | (2018 = 100)

Area	May 2023	April 2024	May 2024	Year-to-Date*
Philippines	6.1	3.8	3.9	3.5
Western Visayas	7.1	4.1	4.3	3.2

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index
*Year-on-year change of CPI for January to May 2024 vs 2023

**Figure 1. Headline Inflation Rates for All Items, Western Visayas:
May 2023 to May 2024**
In Percent | (2018 = 100)



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

A. Western Visayas**1. Headline Inflation**

Western Visayas' headline inflation increased further to 4.3 percent in May 2024, from 4.1 percent in April 2024. The regional average inflation rate from January to May 2024 is 3.2 percent. In May 2023, the inflation rate was higher at 7.1 percent. (Table A, Figure 1, and Table D)

1.1 Main Drivers to the Uptrend of the Headline Inflation

The acceleration in the Western Visayas inflation rate in May 2024 was mainly due to the slower decline in the index of Housing, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels at -0.3 percent during the month from -2.2 percent in April 2024. The second top contributor to the uptrend is Transport with 3.8 percent inflation in May, from 3.1 percent in April 2024.

Additionally, higher inflation was also noted in the indices of Clothing and footwear at 3.1 percent and Restaurants and Accommodation Services at 5.5 percent in May 2024.

In contrast, lower inflation rates were noted in the following commodity groups during the month:

- Food and non-alcoholic beverages, 7.0 percent from 7.3 percent;
- Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 3.7 percent from 4.8 percent;
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance, 2.3 percent from 2.8 percent;
- Health, 2.6 percent from 2.9 percent;
- Recreation, sport and culture, 3.8 percent from 4.3 percent, and
- Personal care, and miscellaneous goods and services, 2.9 percent from 3.1 percent.

The indices of Information and Communication at 1.0 percent; Education Services at 7.8 percent, and Financial Services at -1.0 percent, recorded inflation rates similar with the previous month's annual growths. (Table B).

Table B. Weight of Commodity Group, Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group, WESTERN VISAYAS: April 2024 and May 2024
In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑ Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	4.1	↑ 4.3	100.0	100.0	4.3
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	42.5704	7.3	↓ 7.0		69.0	2.97
<i>Food</i>	39.3576	7.5	↓ 7.3		66.7	2.87
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.5780	4.8	↓ 3.7		2.2	0.09
Clothing and Footwear	3.7669	2.9	↑ 3.1	1.7	2.7	0.12
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	18.7613	-2.2	↑ -0.3	82.7	-1.3	-0.06
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.5225	2.8	↓ 2.3		1.9	0.08
Health	3.5718	2.9	↓ 2.6		2.2	0.09
Transport	8.7089	3.1	↑ 3.8	14.1	7.7	0.33
Information and Communication	2.9082	1.0	= 1.0		0.7	0.03
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.0591	4.3	↓ 3.8		0.9	0.04
Education Services	1.7236	7.8	= 7.8		3.1	0.13
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	6.1832	5.4	↑ 5.5	1.4	7.9	0.34
Financial Services	0.0256	-1.0	= -1.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.6205	3.1	↓ 2.9		3.1	0.13

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

1.2 Main Contributors to the Headline Inflation

The top three commodity groups contributing to the Western Visayas headline inflation rate of 4.3 percent in May 2024 were the following:

- a. Food and non-alcoholic beverages with 69.0 percent share or 2.97 percentage points;
- b. Restaurants and accommodation services with 7.9 percent share or 0.34 percentage point, and
- c. Transport with 7.7 percent share or 0.33 percentage point.

2. Food Inflation

Food inflation in Western Visayas slowed down to 7.3 percent in May 2024 from 7.5 percent in April 2024. Food inflation in May 2023 was recorded at 8.8 percent. (Table C)

2.1 Main Drivers to the Uptrend of Food Inflation

The deceleration of food inflation in May 2024 was due to slower annual growth in the index of Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals with 11.2 percent inflation rate in May 2024 from 12.5 percent in April 2024. This was followed by Cereals and cereal products food group with 15.7 percent inflation rate from 16.0 percent in April. Fruits and nuts food group also contributed to the downtrend with 3.6 percent inflation rate in May from 6.1 percent in April.

Lower inflation rates were also noted in the following food groups:

- a. Fish and other seafood, 0.2 percent from 0.4 percent;
- b. Milk, other dairy products and eggs, 2.1 percent from 3.0 percent, and
- c. Oils and fats, -1.6 percent from -1.2 percent.

In contrast, higher inflation rates were observed in the indices of the following food groups:

- a. Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses, 0.1 percent from -1.3 percent;
- b. Sugar, confectionery and desserts, -3.3 percent from -3.6 percent, and
- c. Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c., 5.5 percent from 4.8 percent.

2.2 Main Contributors to the Food Inflation

Food had a share of 66.7 percent or 2.87 percentage points to Western Visayas headline inflation rate in May 2024 (Table B). The top three food groups with the highest contribution to food inflation of 7.3 percent during the month were the following (Table C):

- a. Cereals and cereal products with 74.4 percent share or 5.43 percentage points;
- b. Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals with 19.8 percent share or 1.45 percentage points, and
- c. Fruits and nuts with 2.0 percent share or 0.15 percentage point.

**Table C. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of the Food Commodity Group,
WESTERN VISAYAS: May 2023, April 2024, and May 2024**
In Percent | (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	May 2023	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Food Inflation ↓Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Food Inflation	
					%	Point
01.1 Food	8.8	7.5	↓ 7.3	100.00	100	7.3
01.1.1 Cereals and cereal products	6.7	16.0	↓ 15.7	22.1	74.4	5.43
01.1.1.12 Rice	5.0	20.4	= 20.4		72.1	5.26
01.1.2 Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals	6.0	12.5	↓ 11.2	35.7	19.8	1.45
01.1.3 Fish and other seafood	6.7	0.4	↓ 0.2	6.7	0.4	0.03
01.1.4 Milk, other dairy products and eggs	11.8	3.0	↓ 2.1	13.0	1.9	0.14
01.1.5 Oils and fats	19.7	-1.2	↓ -1.6	1.1	-0.3	-0.02
01.1.6 Fruits and nuts	9.8	6.1	↓ 3.6	21.4	2.0	0.15
01.1.7 Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses	12.4	-1.3	↑ 0.1		0.1	0.01
01.1.8 Sugar, confectionery and desserts	35.3	-3.6	↑ -3.3		-1.2	-0.09
01.1.9 Ready-made food and other food products not elsewhere classified	8.7	4.8	↑ 5.5		2.8	0.21

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Table D. Inflation Rates for All Items, Western Visayas
January 2018 to May 2024**
In Percent | (2018 = 100)

	Year						
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
January	3.6	4.0	3.6	2.8	4.6	10.3	2.0
February	4.1	3.3	3.6	3.9	3.3	10.8	2.7
March	4.5	3.2	2.9	4.4	4.6	9.1	3.1
April	5.2	2.7	2.9	3.9	4.9	8.2	4.1
May	5.6	2.7	2.3	4.1	5.9	7.1	4.3
June	5.9	2.8	2.2	4.0	6.2	6.8	
July	6.4	2.6	2.4	3.7	6.9	5.8	
August	7.9	1.4	2.0	3.8	7.4	6.1	
September	8.0	0.8	2.4	3.5	7.5	6.6	
October	8.0	0.5	2.4	4.1	8.0	5.4	
November	6.5	1.3	3.3	3.8	9.6	4.0	
December	5.4	2.3	3.4	3.5	10.5	3.2	
Average	5.9	2.3	2.8	3.8	6.6	6.9	3.2

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Table E. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates, Bottom 30% Income Households
Philippines and Western Visayas:
May 2023, April 2024, and May 2024**
In Percent | (2018 = 100)

Area	May 2023	April 2024	May 2024	Year-to-Date*
Philippines	6.7	5.3	5.3	4.6
Western Visayas	8.3	5.2	5.4	4.0

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

3. Inflation Rate for the Bottom 30% Income Households

Inflation rate for the Bottom 30% Income Households in Western Visayas increased to 5.4 percent in May 2024 from 5.2 percent in April 2024. Inflation rate for Bottom 30% income households was higher in May 2023, at 8.3 percent. (Table E)

3.1 Main Drivers to Uptrend of Bottom 30% Income Households Inflation

The uptrend in inflation rate for Bottom 30% Income Households was primarily brought about by the slower decline in the index of Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels commodity group at -1.5 percent in May 2024 from -4.6 percent in April 2024. This was followed by Transport with faster annual growth of 1.6 percent inflation rate from 1.0 percent in the previous month. Clothing and footwear commodity group with higher inflation rate of 3.0 percent during the month from 2.8 percent in April also contributed to the uptrend. (Table F)

**Table F. Bottom 30% Income Households, Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
WESTERN VISAYAS: April 2024 and May 2024**
In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Bottom 30% ↑Inflation Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Bottom 30% Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	5.2	↑ 5.4	100.0	100.0	5.4
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	56.9354	8.6	↓ 8.2		85.5	4.62
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	3.0969	5.0	↓ 4.1		2.3	0.13
Clothing and Footwear	2.7347	2.8	↑ 3.0	1.1	1.5	0.08
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	14.1098	-4.6	↑ -1.5	91.2	-3.9	-0.21
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	2.4622	4.2	↓ 3.5		1.6	0.09
Health	1.8088	2.6	↓ 2.5		0.8	0.04
Transport	6.1621	1.0	↑ 1.6	7.7	1.8	0.10
Information and Communication	0.5252	2.1	= 2.1		0.2	0.01
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.1552	7.2	↓ 6.7		1.4	0.08
Education Services	0.3852	7.0	= 7.0		0.5	0.03
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	5.7498	5.2	= 5.2		5.5	0.30
Financial Services	0.0005	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.8741	3.2	↓ 3.1		2.8	0.15

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

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B. Provinces

Half of the six provinces in Western Visayas, that is Capiz, Guimaras, and Iloilo recorded acceleration in inflation rates in May 2024 from April 2024. Among these provinces, Guimaras had the highest monthly inflation rate of 7.0 percent. The remaining three provinces – Aklan, Antique, and Negros Occidental had lower inflation rates compared to April 2024, with Negros Occidental recording the lowest at 4.2%.

Both highly urbanized cities in the region recorded uptrend in their inflation rates during the month. Iloilo City's monthly inflation rate is at 1.3 percent from 0.8 percent in April 2024, and Bacolod City at 4.5 percent from 3.9 percent in the previous month. (Table G)

Table G. Weight by Area, Year-on-Year Inflation Rates for All Items by Province, and Highly Urbanized City, Western Visayas: May 2023, April 2024, and May 2024
In Percent | (2018 = 100)

Region/Province/City	Weight	May 2023	April 2024	May 2024
Western Visayas	100.000	7.1	4.1	▲ 4.3
Aklan	8.6810	6.2	4.9	▼ 4.5
Antique	5.9910	6.2	6.7	▼ 5.7
Capiz	10.3177	5.5	3.9	▲ 4.4
Guimaras	2.3133	4.7	6.8	▲ 7.0
Iloilo	25.9507	6.3	3.9	▲ 4.7
Iloilo City	8.0021	9.5	0.8	▲ 1.3
Negros Occidental	28.3530	8.3	4.4	▼ 4.2
Bacolod City	10.3912	7.5	3.9	▲ 4.5

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

Table H. Weight of Commodity Group, Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group, AKLAN: April 2024 and May 2024
In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↓ Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	4.9	▼ 4.5	100.0	100.0	4.5
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	41.1829	10.1	▼ 8.8	93.2	79.4	3.57
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.7229	4.7	▼ 4.6	0.5	2.7	0.12
Clothing and Footwear	3.6964	0.2	= 0.2		0.2	0.01
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	19.1889	-0.6	▲ -0.3		-1.3	-0.06
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.6770	0.4	▼ 0.2	1.3	0.2	0.01
Health	4.2924	1.7	▼ 1.2	3.7	1.1	0.05
Transport	9.3282	0.1	▲ 1.7		3.5	0.16
Information and Communication	2.7104	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.3732	4.4	▼ 4.2	0.5	1.3	0.06
Education Services	1.1771	-2.0	= -2.0		-0.5	-0.02
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	6.0015	7.1	= 7.1		9.3	0.42
Financial Services	0.0214	-0.1	= -0.1		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.6278	4.1	▼ 4.0	0.8	4.1	0.18

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table I. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
ANTIQUÉ: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↓Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	6.7	↓ 5.7	100.0	100.0	5.7
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	49.5430	10.9	↓ 8.4	94.6	73.1	4.17
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	1.6549	5.6	↓ 2.2	4.3	0.6	0.04
Clothing and Footwear	4.0034	2.1	= 2.1		1.5	0.08
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	13.9420	1.2	↑ 3.2		7.8	0.45
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.7738	1.6	= 1.6		1.1	0.06
Health	4.6102	4.0	↓ 3.7	1.1	3.0	0.17
Transport	7.0597	3.	↑ 4.3		5.3	0.30
Information and Communication	2.5475	0.1	↑ 0.2		0.1	0.01
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.6083	3.1	= 3.1		0.9	0.05
Education Services	1.3272	2.8	= 2.8		0.7	0.04
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	4.7551	5.4	= 5.4		4.5	0.26
Financial Services	0.0180	-0.1	= -0.1		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	5.1570	1.3	↑ 1.6		1.4	0.08

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table J. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
CAPIZ: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	3.9	↑ 4.4	100.0	100.0	4.4
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	45.2601	6.1	↑ 6.9	79.2	73.2	3.22
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.9751	2.9	↓ 2.7		1.9	0.08
Clothing and Footwear	3.5989	2.1	↑ 2.4	2.4	2.0	0.09
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	16.6515	3.6	↓ 3.5		13.7	0.60
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.4597	0.9	↑ 1.0	0.8	0.8	0.04
Health	2.7112	1.1	↑ 1.2	0.6	0.8	0.03
Transport	8.4199	-0.3	↑ 0.5	14.7	1.0	0.04
Information and Communication	2.2870	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Recreation, Sport and Culture	0.8609	1.2	↓ 1.1		0.2	0.01
Education Services	0.8221	2.7	= 2.7		0.5	0.02
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	7.5407	2.0	= 2.0		3.5	0.16
Financial Services	0.0100	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	5.4030	1.7	↑ 1.9	2.4	2.4	0.11

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table K. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
GUIMARAS: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	6.8	↑ 7.0	100.0	100.0	7.0
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	50.1708	10.9	↑ 11.1	25.9	79.7	5.58
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	3.4874	9.3	↓ 5.9		2.9	0.21
Clothing and Footwear	4.0595	2.1	= 2.1		1.2	0.09
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	15.8912	0.6	↑ 1.1	20.5	2.5	0.18
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.3846	3.7	↑ 3.8	0.9	1.8	0.13
Health	2.9136	7.9	↓ 7.5		3.1	0.22
Transport	6.9354	2.5	↑ 3.6	19.7	3.6	0.25
Information and Communication	1.9577	-0.1	↑ 0.2	1.5	0.1	0.00
Recreation, Sport and Culture	0.5498	11.0	= 11.0		0.9	0.06
Education Services	1.3896	-7.3	= -7.3		-1.5	-0.10
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	4.9399	3.1	↑ 5.3	28.1	3.7	0.26
Financial Services	0.0245	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.2960	2.7	↑ 3.0	3.3	1.8	0.13

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table L. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
ILOILO: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	3.9	↑ 4.7	100.0	100.0	4.7
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	43.2687	7.3	= 7.3		69.2	3.25
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.6100	3.8	↓ 3.0		1.7	0.08
Clothing and Footwear	3.7951	1.9	= 1.9		1.6	0.07
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	18.8623	-5.1	↑ -0.7	90.5	-2.9	-0.14
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.4921	3.3	↓ 2.4		1.8	0.09
Health	4.2240	3.3	↓ 3.2		3.0	0.14
Transport	9.7364	7.6	↑ 8.5	9.5	18.1	0.85
Information and Communication	2.5036	2.0	↓ 1.9		1.0	0.05
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.0777	3.1	↓ 1.9		0.4	0.02
Education Services	1.8992	9.3	= 9.3		3.9	0.18
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	3.5892	0.3	= 0.3		0.2	0.01
Financial Services	0.0171	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.9248	2.0	↓ 1.7		1.8	0.09

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table M. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
ILOILO CITY: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	0.8	↑ 1.3	100.0	100.0	1.3
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	34.7972	3.0	↑ 3.8	37.1	90.7	1.18
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.0793	5.9	↓ -0.3		-0.4	-0.01
Clothing and Footwear	3.8676	1.9	↓ 1.0		2.7	0.03
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	25.2849	-4.8	↑ -3.1	57.3	-53.8	-0.70
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.4670	2.7	↓ 2.6		6.2	0.08
Health	3.2698	3.7	↓ 3.4		7.6	0.10
Transport	8.5183	2.1	↑ 2.6	5.7	15.2	0.20
Information and Communication	3.7149	0.4	= 0.4		1.0	0.01
Recreation, Sport and Culture	0.7952	4.3	↓ 2.7		1.5	0.02
Education Services	2.7926	4.2	= 4.2		8.0	0.10
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	7.2263	2.8	= 2.8		13.9	0.18
Financial Services	0.0151	0.0	= 0.0		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.1719	2.6	= 2.6		7.4	0.10

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

**Weight per commodity group were obtained from the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

**Table N. Weight of Commodity Group,
Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
NEGROS OCCIDENTAL: April 2024 and May 2024**

In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↓Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	4.4	↓ 4.2	100.0	100.0	4.2
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	44.7544	7.4	↓ 6.6	88.8	69.9	2.94
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	2.8837	4.6	↓ 4.3	2.1	2.9	0.12
Clothing and Footwear	3.6221	2.6	↑ 2.8		2.4	0.10
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	17.0965	-2.8	↑ -1.6		-6.5	-0.27
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	3.3006	3.1	↓ 2.6	4.1	2.0	0.09
Health	2.9549	2.8	↓ 2.3	3.7	1.6	0.07
Transport	8.1647	1.5	↑ 1.8		3.5	0.15
Information and Communication	3.0791	1.3	= 1.3		0.9	0.04
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.1132	5.8	↓ 5.7	0.3	1.5	0.06
Education Services	1.3374	6.0	= 6.0		1.9	0.08
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	7.4019	9.3	= 9.3		16.3	0.68
Financial Services	0.0436	-0.1	= -0.1		0.0	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.2478	3.5	↓ 3.4	1.1	3.4	0.14

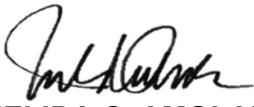
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index

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**Table O. Weight of Commodity Group,
 Year-on-Year Inflation Rates by Commodity Group,
 BACOLOD CITY: April 2024 and May 2024**
 In Percent (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group	**Weight: % to area	Apr 2024	May 2024	Share to Headline Inflation ↑ Trend (%)	Contribution to May 2024 Headline Inflation	
					%	Point
All Items	100.0000	3.9	↑ 4.5	100.0	100.0	4.5
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	33.6298	4.7	↑ 6.1	67.5	45.6	2.05
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	1.8623	8.4	↓ 6.4		2.6	0.12
Clothing and Footwear	4.0384	10.1	↑ 11.4	7.5	10.2	0.46
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	23.1829	0.1	↑ 0.7	19.9	3.6	0.16
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	4.0658	4.7	↓ 4.3		3.9	0.17
Health	3.6595	2.2	↓ 1.8		1.5	0.07
Transport	8.8895	2.5	↑ 2.9	5.1	5.7	0.26
Information and Communication	4.0323	0.9	= 0.9		0.8	0.04
Recreation, Sport and Culture	0.8000	6.3	↓ 5.1		0.9	0.04
Education Services	3.1698	17.2	= 17.2		12.1	0.55
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	8.4373	4.0	= 4.0		7.5	0.34
Financial Services	0.0292	-11.1	= -11.1		-0.1	0.00
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	4.2032	6.8	↓ 6.0		5.6	0.25

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Retail Price Survey for the Generation of Consumer Price Index
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