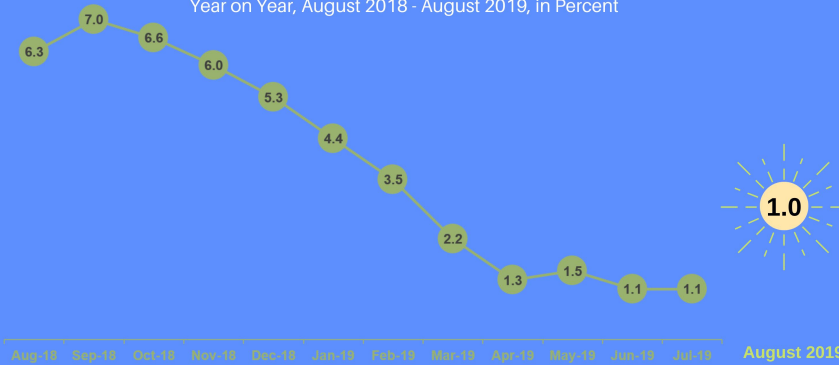


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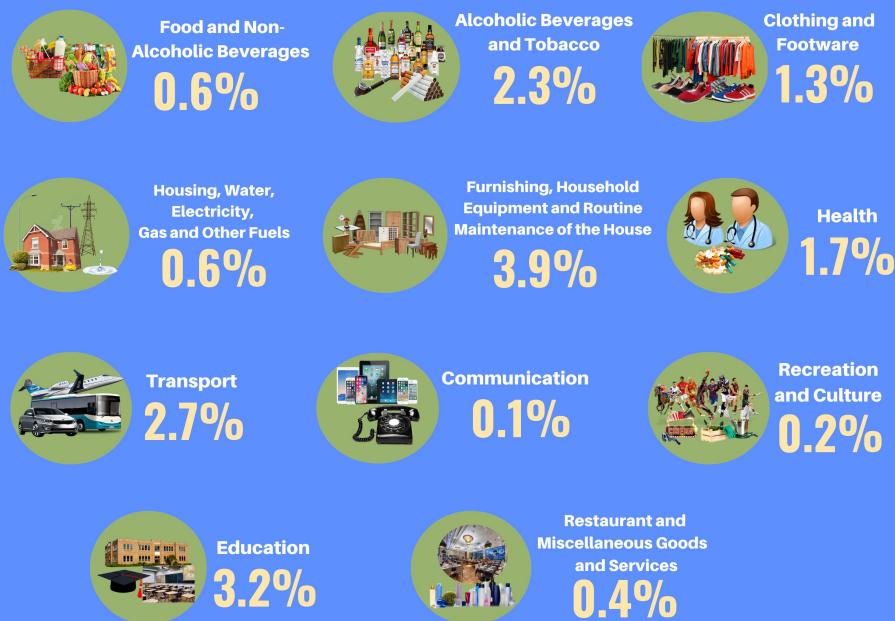
Central Visayas Consumer Price Index for August 2019

Inflation Rate

Year on Year, August 2018 - August 2019, in Percent



INFLATION RATE BY COMMODITY GROUP



Consumer Price Index

124.0 August 2019 **122.8** August 2018

Purchasing Power of Peso

0.81 August 2019 **0.81** August 2019

Technical Definitions:

Consumer Price Index - an indicator of the change in the average retail prices of a fixed basket of goods and services commonly purchased by households to a base year

Inflation Rate - the annual rate of change or the year-on-year change of CPI expressed in percent

Purchasing Power of the Peso - shows how much the peso in the base period is worth in the current period

Year-on-Year Inflation - refers to the comparison of change of one month to the same month of the previous year

Note:

2012 Base Year

Source: Survey of Retail Prices of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index
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