



CENTRAL VISAYAS

INFLATION RATE FOR BOTTOM 30% INCOME HOUSEHOLDS, MARCH 2025 (2018=100)

Inflation Rate is equivalent to a decline in the purchasing power of the peso. It is the change in the Consumer Price Index over a specific period of time (usually a month or a year). The 2018=100 means the base year or base period at which the index is set to 100.

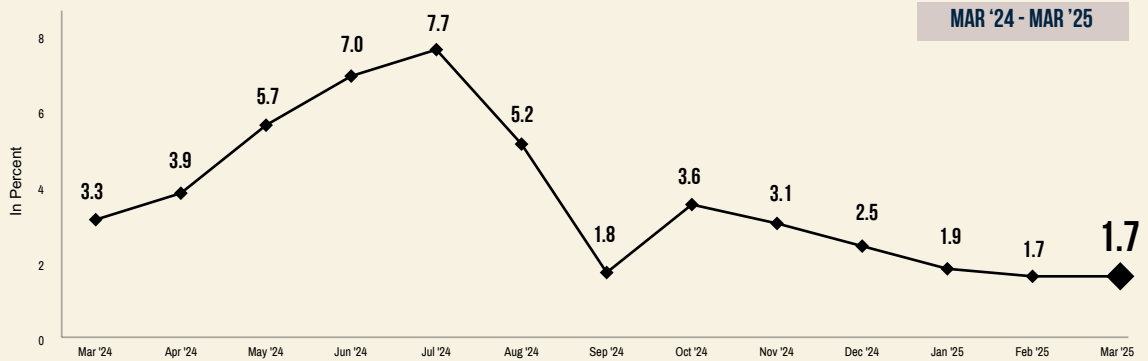


Inflation for Bottom 30% Income Households in Central Visayas remained at

1.7%

INFLATION RATES IN CENTRAL VISAYAS

ALL ITEMS IN PERCENT (2018=100)



MAIN CONTRIBUTORS

(in percentage point with percentage share)

% POINT	% SHARE
Food & Non Alcoholic Beverages 1.00	Transport 0.38
58.8%	22.5%

COMMODITY GROUPS

(in percent inflation)

FEBRUARY MARCH

CONSTANT INFLATION RATES

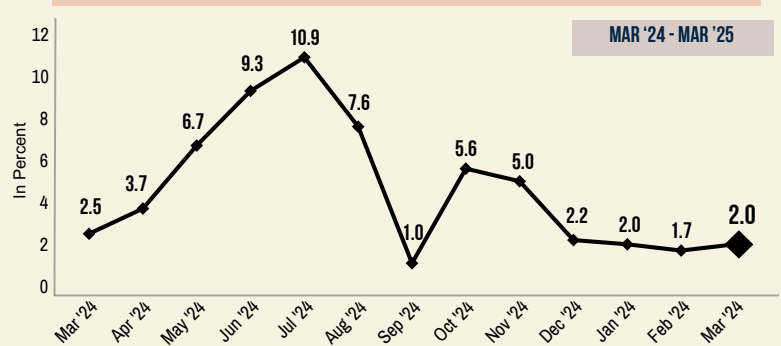
HIGHER INFLATION RATE

Furnishings, Household Equipment & Maintenance 1.1% 1.1%	Clothing & Footwear 0.7% 0.7%
Information & Communication 0.0% 0.0%	Education Services 8.1% 8.1%
Restaurants & Accommodation Services 0.0% 0.0%	Financial Services 0.0% 0.0%
Personal Care, Miscellaneous Goods & Services 1.9% 1.9%	

Food & Non Alcoholic Beverages 1.8% 1.9%	Health 1.0% 1.1%
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco 2.5% 2.2%	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Other Fuels 0.7% 0.3%
Transport 7.1% 6.2%	Recreation, Sport & Culture 3.2% 2.8%

FOOD INFLATION

accelerated to **2.0%** in March 2025 from 1.7% in February 2025.



MAIN DRIVERS TO THE UPTREND

(in percent inflation with percentage share)

% INFLATION	% SHARE
Fish & other seafood 10.8%	Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses 13.7%
55.0%	32.6%
Milk, other dairy products & eggs 0.4%	
	8.1%

MAIN CONTRIBUTORS

(in percentage point with percentage share)

% POINT	% SHARE
Fish & other seafood 1.95	Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses 1.05
97.5%	52.3%
Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals 0.69	
	34.5%

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