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Summary Inflation Report Consumer Price Index (2012=100): July 2021

The data presented herein are based on the results of the 2012-based Consumer Price Survey for all income households conducted in Oriental Mindoro during the month.

Year-on-Year Inflation Rates, All Items

	JULY 2021 JUNE 2021		JULY 2020
	(%)	(%)	(%)
Philippines	4.0	4.1	2.7
MIMAROPA Region	5.0	4.3	2.9
Oriental Mindoro	5.6	4.6	2.5

Philippines

Inflation rate at the national level slowed down further to 4.0 percent in July 2021, from 4.1 percent in June 2021. This gives the country's year-to-date inflation from January to July 2021 at 4.4 percent. Inflation in July 2020 was posted at 2.7 percent.

The downward trend of the July 2021 inflation could be attributed to the lower annual increment registered in the transport index at 7.0 percent, from 9.6 percent in the previous month. The following commodity groups also contributed to the downward trend in the overall inflation where slower annual increases were recorded in the indices.

- Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 10.2 percent;
- Furnishing, household equipment and routine household maintenance, 2.3 percent; and
- Restaurant and miscellaneous goods and services, 3.6 percent.

In addition, annual rate of recreation and culture index dropped further to -0.7 percent during the month, from -0.6 percent in the previous month.

On the other hand, inflation rates were higher in the indices of the following commodity groups:

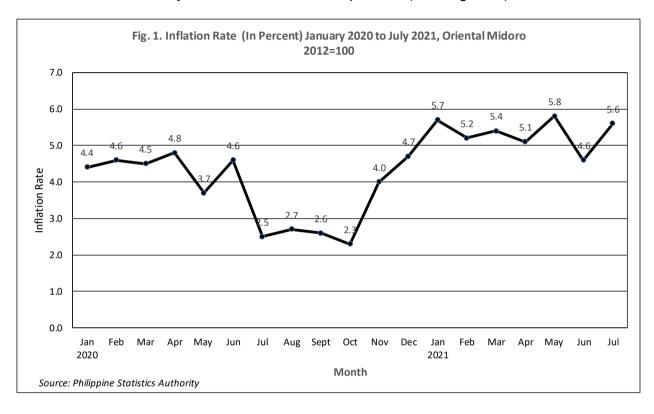
- Food and non-alcoholic beverages, 4.9 percent;
- Clothing and footwear, 1.7 percent;
- Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, 2.6 percent;
- Health, 3.1 percent; and
- Communication, 0.3 percent.

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Oriental Mindoro

Annual rate of inflation in Oriental Mindoro for July 2021 was measured at a higher rate of 5.6 percent compared to an inflation rate of 4.6 percent in June 2021. Inflation rate of Oriental Mindoro in July 2020 was lower at 2.5 percent (See Figure 1).



By Commodity Group, Year-on-year

By major commodity group, annual inflation rates in July 2021 in the province of Oriental Mindoro are as follows: food and non-alcoholic beverages, 8.0 percent; alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 6.2 percent; clothing and footwear, 2.9 percent; Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, -2.4 percent; furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house, 1.1 percent; health, 4.3 percent; transport, 13.9 percent; communication, 0.3 percent; recreation and culture, 4.2 percent; education, 4.2 percent; and restaurants, miscellaneous goods and services, 1.9 percent.

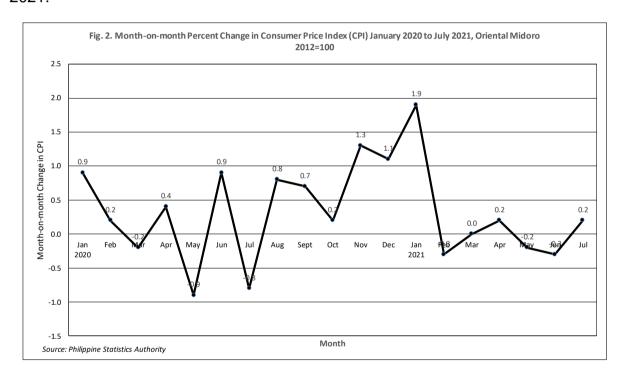
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Month-on-Month Inflation Rates, All Items

	July 2021	June 2021	July 2020
Philippines	0.4	0.2	0.5
MIMAROPA Region	-0.5	-0.1	-0.2
Oriental Mindoro	0.2	-0.3	-0.8

Month-on-month change in consumer price index (CPI) in Oriental Mindoro slightly increased at 0.2 percent in July 2021. Similarly, the month-on-month change in CPI at the national level measured an increment at 0.4 percent. The month-on-month change in CPI in the MIMAROPA region, however, saw a drop of 0.5 percent in July 2021.



By Commodity Group, Month-on-Month

By major commodity group, month-on-month change in consumer price indices in Juy 2021 of the province of Oriental Mindoro are as follows: food and non-alcoholic beverages, 0.0 percent; alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 0.0 percent; clothing and footwear, 0.2 percent; Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, 0.3 percent; Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house, 0.0 percent; health, 0.0 percent; transport, 1.4 percent; communication, 0.0 percent; recreation and culture, 0.0 percent; education, 0.0 percent; and restaurants, miscellaneous goods and services, 0.1 percent.



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Table 1. Consumer Price Index For All Income Households June 2020 - July 2021, Oriental Mindoro (2012=100)

COMMODITY GROUP	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21
ALL ITEMS	125.3	126.3	127.2	127.4	129.1	130.5	133.0
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I. FOOD AND NON-ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES	124.9	126.9	127.7	128.5	130.5	133.0	137.9
II. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	258.5	263.1	263.4	264.1	264.1	264.1	273.7
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	115.1	115.5	117.4	118.2	118.3	118.2	118.3
IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER							
FUELS	139.7	138.3	137.8	134.0	135.2	135.9	135.0
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND							
ROUTINE MAINTENANCE OF THE HOUSE	115.5	115.8	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.3	116.2
VI. HEALTH	127.7	128.5	129.6	129.8	129.8	130.3	130.4
VII. TRANSPORT	105.8	105.5	109.9	109.8	115.7	116.3	116.1
VIII. COMMUNICATION	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	107.1	107.1	107.1
IX. RECREATION AND CULTURE	109.6	108.3	108.3	108.4	112.4	112.4	112.6
X. EDUCATION	107.2	107.2	107.2	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7
XI. RESTAURANTS AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND	116.9	117.5	117.9	118.5	118.5	119.0	119.1
SERVICES							

COMMODITY GROUP	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21
ALL ITEMS	132.6	132.6	132.8	132.5	132.1	132.3
I. FOOD AND NON-ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES	137.0	136.4	137.0	135.9	134.9	134.9
II. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	273.6	273.8	274.0	274.6	274.6	274.6
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	118.3	118.3	118.3	118.1	118.2	118.4
IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER						
FUELS	135.7	136.1	135.9	135.7	135.9	136.3
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND						
ROUTINE MAINTENANCE OF THE HOUSE	116.3	116.3	116.3	116.8	116.8	116.8
VI. HEALTH	130.4	130.4	130.4	133.3	133.2	133.2
VII. TRANSPORT	116.6	118.3	118.1	118.5	118.8	120.5
VIII. COMMUNICATION	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.2	107.2
IX. RECREATION AND CULTURE	112.9	113.0	113.1	114.2	114.2	114.2
X. EDUCATION	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7
XI. RESTAURANTS AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND						
SERVICES	118.1	118.5	118.5	118.8	119.0	119.1

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

