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### JULY 2025 INFLATION REPORT OF MARINDUQUE FOR ALL INCOME HOUSEHOLDS (BASE YEAR: 2018)

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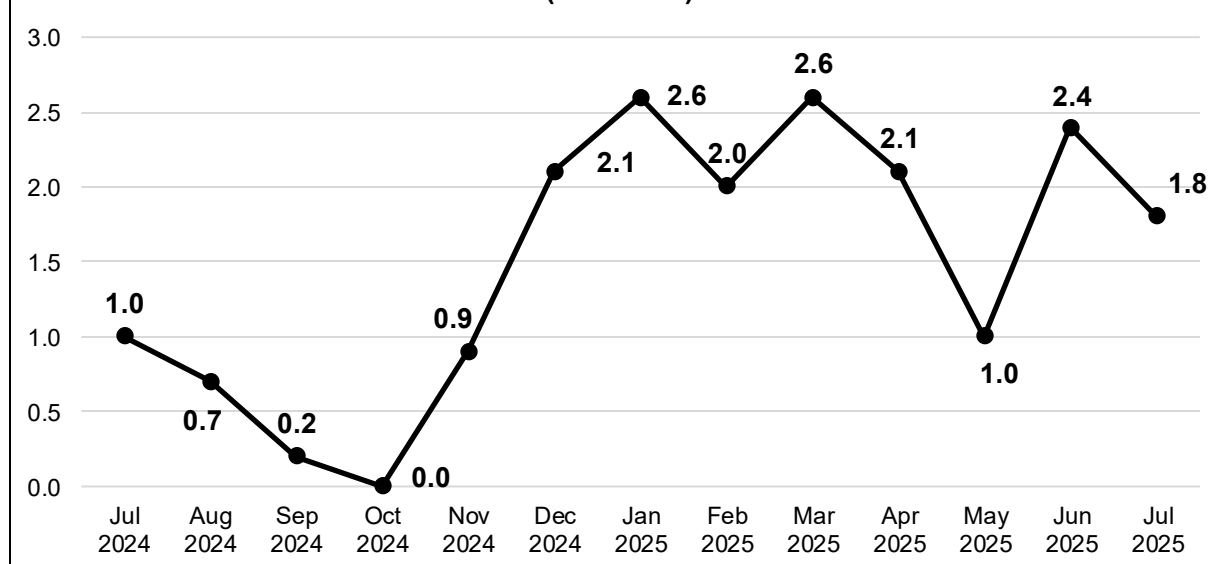
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#### INFLATION RATE FOR ALL INCOME HOUSEHOLDS

**Table 1. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates (%) in the Philippines,  
MIMAROPA Region, and Marinduque  
(2018=100)**

Area	July 2025	June 2025	July 2024
Philippines	0.9	1.4	4.4
MIMAROPA Region	1.0	1.4	5.0
<b>Marinduque</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>

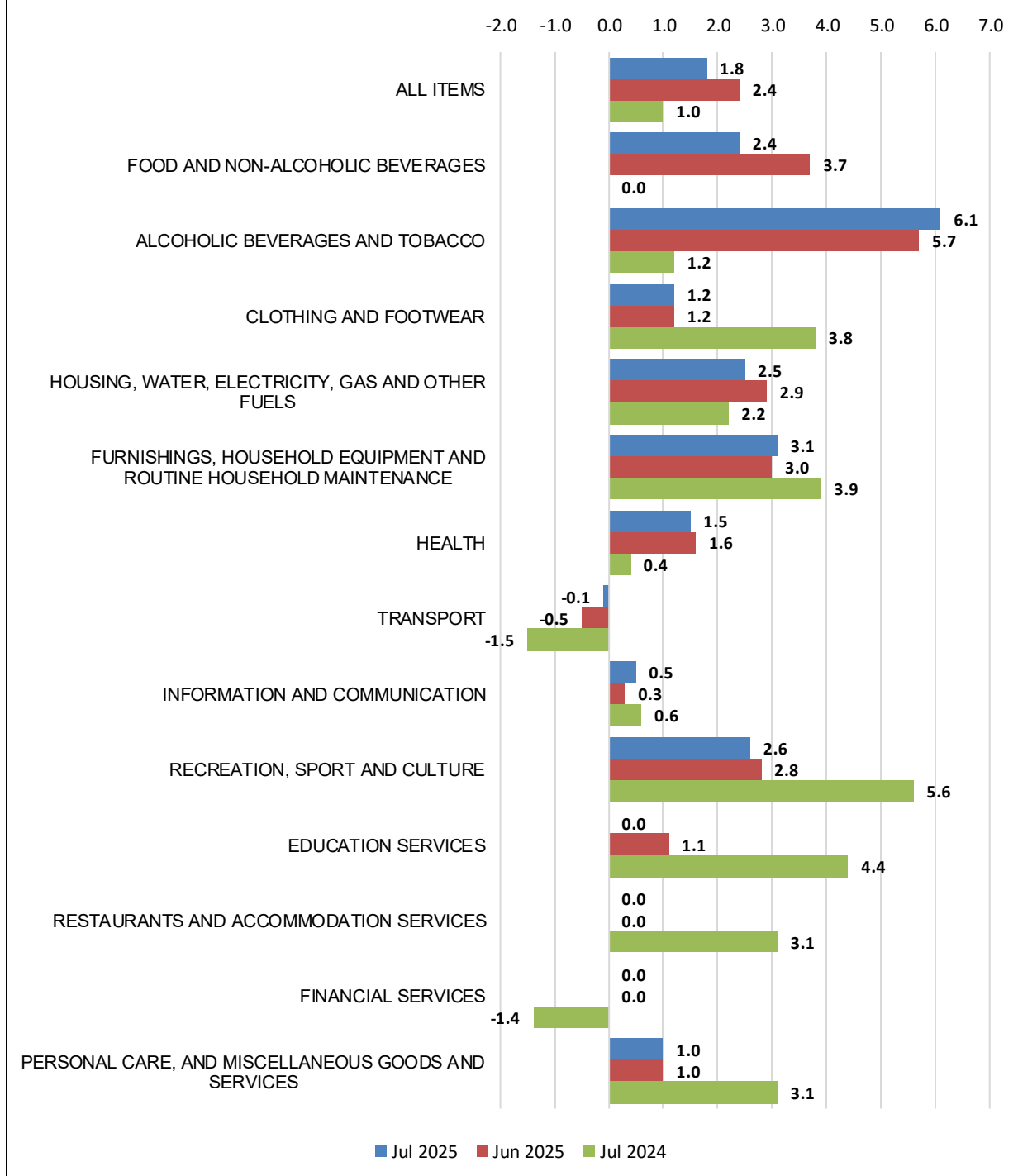
**Figure 1. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates (%) in Marinduque:  
July 2024 to July 2025  
(2018=100)**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), *Retail Price Survey (RPS) of Selected Commodities and Services for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI)*

The headline inflation rate at the provincial level declined to 1.8 percent in July 2025, a change of -0.6 percentage points from the previous month. In the same month of the previous year, it was recorded at 1.0 percent. The downtrend in inflation in July 2025 was mainly driven by the combined deceleration in the indices for selected commodity groups, such as food and non-alcoholic beverages at 2.4 percent, housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels at 2.5 percent, and education services at 0.0 percent.

**Figure 2. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates (%) for All Income Households in Marinduque, by Commodity Group (2018=100)**



Source: PSA, *Retail Price Survey (RPS) of Selected Commodities and Services for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI)*

Furthermore, lower annual indices were also observed in the inflation rates for health and, recreation, sport and culture, at 1.5 percent and 2.6 percent, respectively.

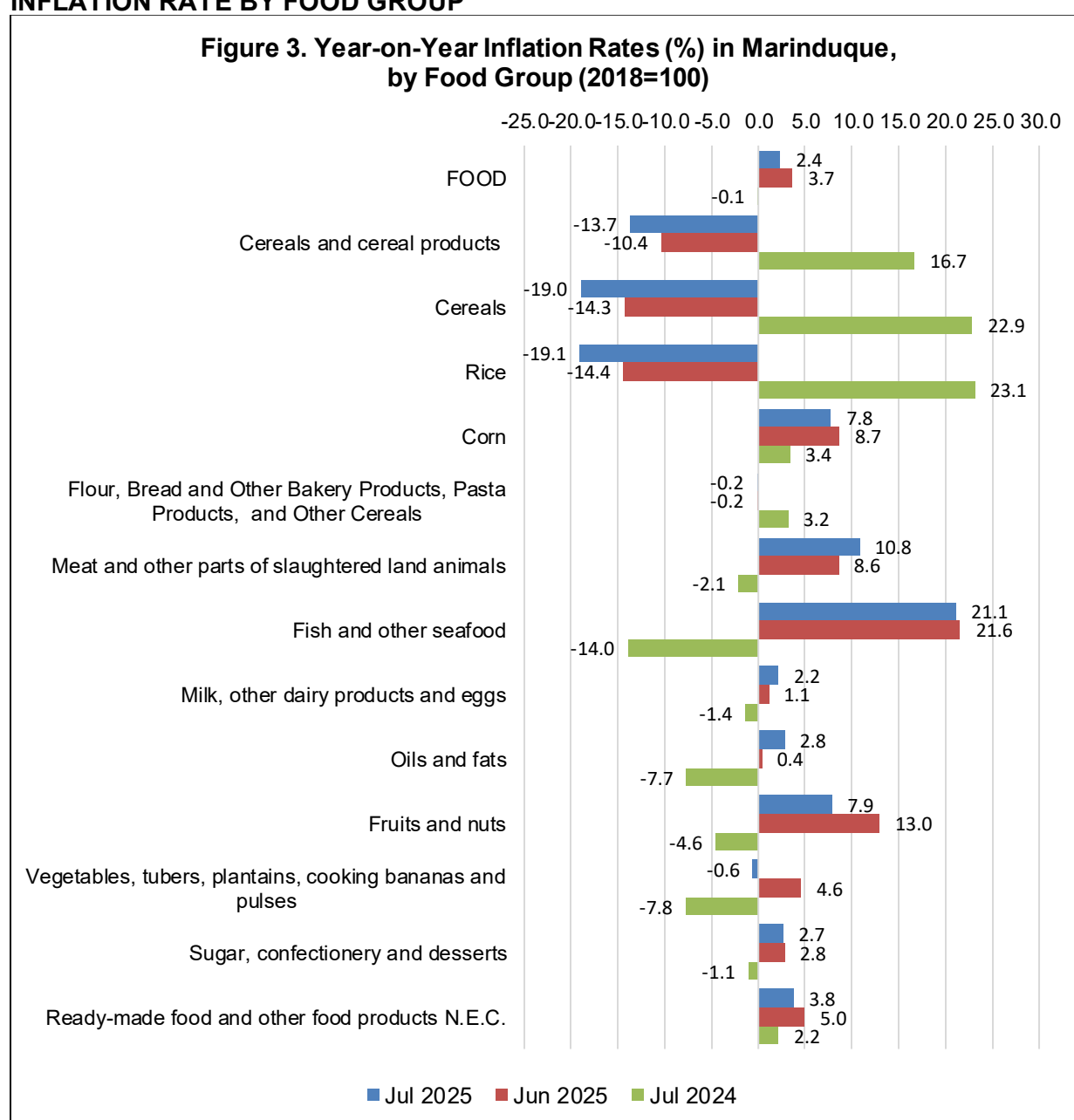
On the other hand, a higher annual increment was observed in the inflation rates of the following commodity groups compared to the previous month, as follows:

- Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, at 6.1%;
- Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance, at 3.1%;
- Transport, at -0.1%; and,
- Information and communication, at 0.5%.

Meanwhile, the indices of the following commodity groups remained unchanged compared to the annual figures from the previous month, as follows:

- Clothing and footwear, at 1.2%;
- Restaurants and accommodation services, at 0.0%;
- Financial services, at 0.0%; and,
- Personal care, and miscellaneous goods and services, at 1.0%.

### INFLATION RATE BY FOOD GROUP



Source: PSA, Retail Price Survey (RPS) of Selected Commodities and Services for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The province's food index decelerated to 2.4 percent in July 2025, up from 3.7 percent in the previous month, representing a change of -1.3 percentage points. In July 2024, the food inflation rate was lower, recorded at -0.1 percent. The downtrend in food inflation was mainly driven by the deceleration in the indices of rice at -19.1 percent, vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses at -0.6 percent, and fruits and nuts at 7.9 percent.

Furthermore, lower annual indices were also observed in the inflation rates of the following food items compared to the annual figures from the previous month, as follows:

- Fish and other seafood, at 21.1%;
- Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c., at 3.8%;
- Sugar, confectionery and desserts, at 2.7%; and,
- Corn, at 7.8%.

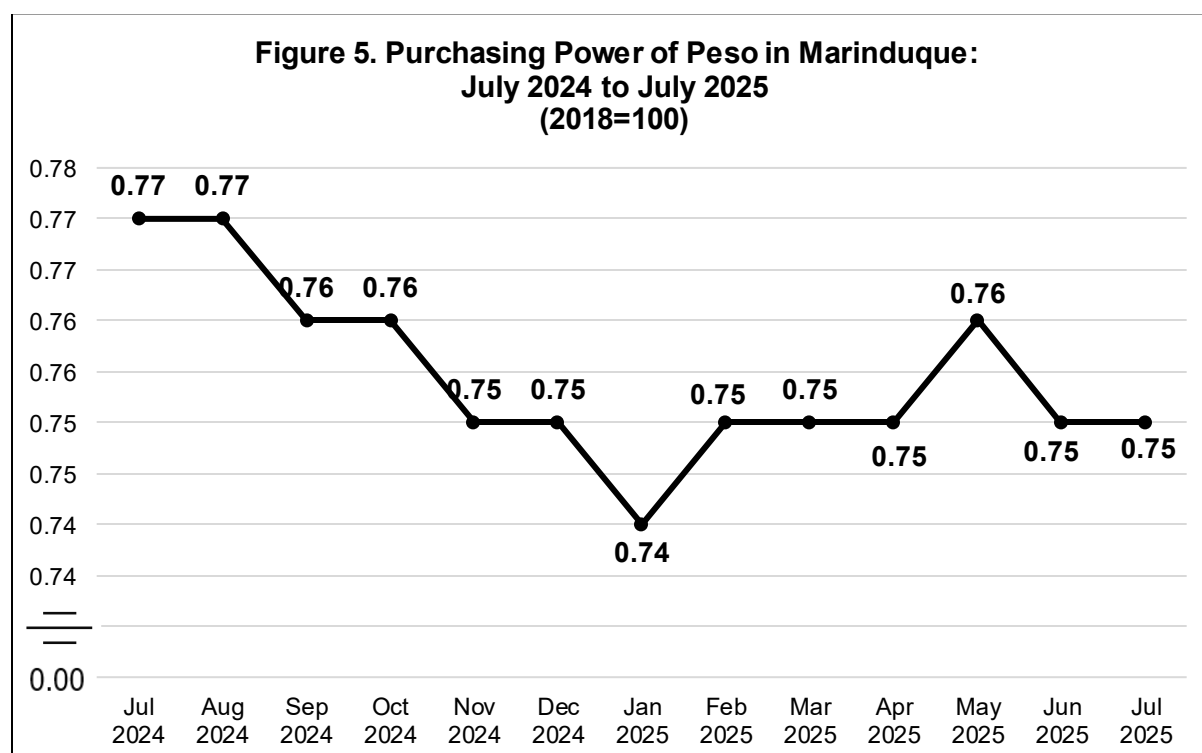
On the other hand, the annual indices of the following food items showed higher growth compared to the annual figures from the previous month, as follows:

- Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals, at 10.8%;
- Milk, other dairy products and eggs, at 2.2%; and,
- Oils and fats, at 2.8%.

Meanwhile, the annual index for Flour, Bread and Other Bakery Products, Pasta Products, and Other Cereals remained unchanged from the previous month, at -0.2 percent.

## PURCHASING POWER OF PESO

The Purchasing Power of Peso (PPP) in Marinduque maintained at PhP 0.75 in July 2025. The PPP was registered at PhP 0.77 in July 2024. As a result, the amount of goods that can be presently purchased by consumers were fewer compared to when the PPP was higher.



Source: PSA, Retail Price Survey (RPS) of Selected Commodities and Services for the Generation of Consumer Price Index (CPI)

## TECHNICAL NOTES

- Consumer Price Index is an indicator of the change in the average prices of a fixed basket of goods and services commonly purchased by households relative to a base year.
- Market Basket is a sample of goods and services, which is meant to represent the totality of all the goods and services purchased by households relative to a base year.
  - To determine the commodities that will form the market basket for the 2018-based CPI, the Survey of Key Informants (SKI) was conducted in March 2021. The survey, which was conducted nationwide to store managers, sellers or proprietors, obtained information on the most commonly purchased goods and availed services by the households.
  - The commodities in the 2018-based CPI market basket are grouped/classified according to the 2020 Philippine Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose (PCOICOP) which is based on the United Nations COICOP. Meanwhile, the commodities in the 2012-based CPI market basket used the 2009 PCOICOP version of classification of commodities.
- Base year is a reference period, usually a year, at which the index number is set to 100. It is the reference point of the index number series. The CPI is rebased from base year 2012 to base year 2018.
- Inflation Rate is the annual rate of change or the year-on-year change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI).
- Purchasing Power of Peso is a measure of the real value of the peso in a given period relative to a chosen reference period. It is computed by getting the reciprocal of the CPI and multiplying the result by 100


Inflation Rate (reference month, reference year)

$$= [(CPI_{(\text{reference month, reference year})} - CPI_{(\text{reference month, previous year})}) / CPI_{(\text{reference month, previous year})}] \times 100\%$$

For example,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{INFLATION RATE}_{(\text{July } 2025)} &= [(CPI_{(\text{July } 2025)} - CPI_{(\text{July } 2024)}) / CPI_{(\text{July } 2024)}] \times 100\% \\ &= [(132.6 - 130.2) / 130.2] \times 100\% \\ &= (2.4 / 130.2) \times 100\% \\ &\approx 1.8\% \end{aligned}$$

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index by Subgroup, Month-on-Month and Year-on-Year Percent Changes in Marinduque (2018=100)**

Commodity Group	CPI			Inflation Rates	
	July 2024	June 2025	July 2025	Month-on-Month	Year-on-Year
ALL ITEMS	130.2	133.0	132.6	-0.3	1.8
I. FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	122.9	126.9	125.9	-0.8	2.4
* Food	123.3	127.4	126.3	-0.9	2.4
Cereals and Cereal Products	122.2	108.5	105.4	-2.9	-13.7
Cereals	118.3	100.1	95.9	-4.2	-19.0
Rice	118.2	99.8	95.6	-4.2	-19.1
Corn	132.8	144.3	143.2	-0.8	7.8
Flour, Bread and Other Bakery Products, Pasta Products, and Other Cereals	133.9	133.6	133.7	0.0	-0.2
Meat and Other Parts of Slaughtered Land Animals	136.9	149.7	151.7	1.3	10.8
Fish and Other Seafood	110.1	132.7	133.3	0.5	21.1
Milk, Other Dairy Products, and Eggs	123.9	126.6	126.6	0.0	2.2
Oils and Fats	117.6	120.3	120.9	0.5	2.8
Fruits and Nuts	118.0	134.6	127.3	-5.4	7.9
Vegetables, Tubers, Cooking Bananas and Pulses	123.5	126.1	122.7	-2.7	-0.6
Sugar, Confectionery and Desserts	145.5	149.7	149.5	-0.1	2.7
Ready-Made Food and Other Food Products N.E.C.	137.4	142.7	142.6	-0.1	3.8
* Non-alcoholic Beverages	117.6	120.3	120.7	0.3	2.6
II. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	186.2	196.9	197.5	0.3	6.1
Alcoholic Beverages	142.0	148.4	148.7	0.2	4.7
Tobacco	246.4	263.0	264.1	0.4	7.2
Other Vegetable-Based Tobacco Products					
NON-FOOD	133.8	135.5	135.5	0.0	1.3
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	131.9	133.5	133.5	0.0	1.2
Clothing	123.4	121.4	121.4	0.0	-1.6
Footwear	149.7	158.8	159.0	0.1	6.2
IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	126.0	129.7	129.1	-0.5	2.5
Actual Rentals for Housing	115.9	115.9	115.9	0.0	0.0
Maintenance, Repair and Security of the Dwelling	130.6	136.4	137.1	0.5	5.0
Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Relating to the Dwelling	176.7	176.7	176.7	0.0	0.0
Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	136.5	145.1	142.8	-1.6	4.6
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	134.7	138.8	138.9	0.1	3.1
Furniture and Furnishings, and Loose Carpets	130.0	133.0	133.0	0.0	2.3
Household Textiles	124.0	123.5	123.5	0.0	-0.4
Household Appliances	121.7	125.0	125.0	0.0	2.7
Glassware, Tableware and Household Utensils	118.3	121.3	121.3	0.0	2.5
Tools and Equipment for House and Garden	146.5	145.3	145.3	0.0	-0.8
Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance	140.6	145.5	145.6	0.1	3.6
VI. HEALTH	129.3	131.2	131.3	0.1	1.5
Medicines and Health Products	122.0	123.7	123.8	0.1	1.5
Outpatient Care Services	149.9	155.0	155.0	0.0	3.4
Inpatient Care Services	130.1	130.1	130.1	0.0	0.0
Other Health Services	140.6	140.6	140.6	0.0	0.0

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**Table 2. Concluded**

Commodity Group	CPI			Inflation Rates	
	July 2024	June 2025	July 2025	Month-on-Month	Year-on-Year
VII. TRANSPORT	151.7	151.0	151.6	0.4	-0.1
Purchase of Vehicles	160.0	161.8	162.3	0.3	1.4
Operation of Personal Transport Equipment	116.0	110.1	112.0	1.7	-3.4
Passenger Transport Services	163.9	163.8	163.8	0.0	-0.1
Transport Services of Goods	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
VIII. INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	110.8	111.1	111.3	0.2	0.5
Information and Communication Equipment	116.1	116.4	116.4	0.0	0.3
Information and Communication Services	106.5	106.8	107.1	0.3	0.6
IX. RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	131.7	135.0	135.1	0.1	2.6
Recreational Durables	134.1	134.1	134.1	0.0	0.0
Other Recreational Goods	128.1	128.4	128.4	0.0	0.2
Garden Products and Pets	127.1	127.5	127.6	0.1	0.4
Recreational Services	94.1	94.1	94.1	0.0	0.0
Cultural Goods					
Cultural Services	99.8	99.8	99.8	0.0	0.0
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	149.2	154.5	154.7	0.1	3.7
Package Holidays					
X. EDUCATION SERVICES	106.4	106.4	106.4	0.0	0.0
Early Childhood and Primary Education	108.3	108.3	108.3	0.0	0.0
Secondary Education	105.2	105.2	105.2	0.0	0.0
Tertiary Education	105.9	105.9	105.9	0.0	0.0
Education Not Defined by Level					
XI. RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	144.2	144.2	144.2	0.0	0.0
Food and Beverage Serving Services	145.3	145.3	145.3	0.0	0.0
Accommodation Services	99.4	99.4	99.4	0.0	0.0
XII. FINANCIAL SERVICES	149.8	149.8	149.8	0.0	0.0
Financial Services	149.8	149.8	149.8	0.0	0.0
XIII. PERSONAL CARE, AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	131.0	132.1	132.3	0.2	1.0
Personal Care	132.3	133.2	133.4	0.2	0.8
Other Personal Effects	126.8	129.0	129.0	0.0	1.7
Other Services	97.5	97.5	97.5	0.0	0.0

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**Table 3. Purchasing Power of Peso in Marinduque:  
July 2024 to July 2025  
(2018=100)**

**2024**

July	0.77
August	0.77
September	0.76
October	0.76
November	0.75
December	0.75

**2025**

January	0.74
February	0.75
March	0.75
April	0.75
May	0.76
June	0.75
July	0.75

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