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Summary Inflation Report Consumer Price Index, Baguio City: April 2023 (2018=100)

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Table A. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates, All Items
In percent
(2018=100)

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Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
4.9	5.4	6.1	6.4	6.3	6.9	7.7	8.0	8.1	8.7	8.6	7.6	6.6
6.3	6.9	7.5	7.3	6.5	6.6	6.6	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.1	5.6	4.3
5.2	5.9	6.2	6.0	4.7	4.6	5.1	6.0	6.5	7.1	6.1	4.3	3.4
	4.9 6.3	4.9 5.4 6.3 6.9	4.9 5.4 6.1 6.3 6.9 7.5	4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3	Apr May Jun Jul Aug 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5	4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 8.0 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.6	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 8.0 8.1 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.6 7.7	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 8.0 8.1 8.7 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.6 7.7 7.9	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 8.0 8.1 8.7 8.6 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.6 7.7 7.9 7.1	Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar 4.9 5.4 6.1 6.4 6.3 6.9 7.7 8.0 8.1 8.7 8.6 7.6 6.3 6.9 7.5 7.3 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.6 7.7 7.9 7.1 5.6

Figure 1. Inflation Rates in CAR, All Items (2018=100)

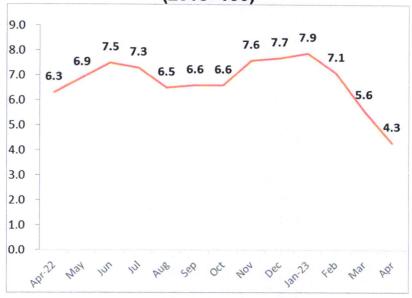


Figure 2. Inflation Rates in Baguio City, All Items (2018=100)



Table B. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates in Baguio City By Commodity Groups In percent (2018=100)

Commodity Groups	April 2022	March 2023	April 2023
ALL ITEMS	5.2	4.3	3.4
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	8.9	9.9	9.4
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	7.7	9.7	9.2
Clothing and Footwear	1.3	0.4	0.6
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	3.5	0.5	(1.2)
Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	1.5	1.7	1.8
Health	(0.3)	2.7	3.4
Transport	13.9	8.8	6.4
Information and Communication	0.0	0.5	0.5
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.1	3.9	4.0
Education Services	1.3	0.0	0.0
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	0.6	1.8	3.8
Financial Services	0.0	0.0	0.0
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	2.2	5.6	5.5
Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Co	nsumer Price Ind	ex, Philippine Stati	stics Authority

1. Philippines

Headline inflation or the overall inflation in the Philippines slowed down further to 6.6 percent in April 2023 from 7.6 percent in March 2023. The inflation rate in April 2022 was observed at 4.9 percent. This brings the average inflation rate from January to April 2023 to 7.9 percent.

Among the 13 commodity groups, the downtrend of the overall inflation during the month was mainly brought about by the heavily weighted food and non-alcoholic beverages, which recorded a lower inflation rate of 7.9 percent from 9.3 in March 2023. Transport was the second top contributor with an inflation rate 2.6 percent from 5.3 percent in March 2023. The third primary driver in the slowdown of the headline inflation in April 2023 was housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, which recorded a 6.5 percent inflation rate from 7.6 percent in March 2023.

In addition, lower inflation rate was noted for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance at 6.1 percent in April 2023 from 6.2 percent int the previous month.

On the contrary, higher inflation rates were observed in the following commodity groups during the month:

- a. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 12.7 percent from 12.2 percent;
- b. Clothing and footwear, 5.1 percent from 5.0 percent;
- c. Health, 4.1 percent from 3.9 percent;
- d. Recreation, sport and culture, 4.7 percent from 4.6 percent;
- e. Restaurants and accommodation services, 8.6 percent from 8.3 percent; and
- f. Personal care, and miscellaneous goods and services, 5.7 percent from 5.6 percent.

The indices of information and communication; and education services retained their corresponding previous month's annual increments at 0.7 percent and 3.6 percent. Likewise, the annual rate in the financial services index remained at zero percent.

The top three commodity groups contributing to the April 2023 overall inflation of 6.6 percent were the following:

- a. Food and non-alcoholic beverages with 45.3 percent share or 3.0 percentage points;
- b. Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels at 21.1 percent share or 1.4 percentage points; and

 Restaurants and accommodation services at 12.6 percent share or 0.8 percentage point.

2. Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)

Inflation in the region further slowed down to 4.3 percent in April 2023, from 5.6 percent in March 2023. In April 2022, inflation was observed at 6.3 percent.

Lower inflation rate in housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels at 0.4 percent from 2.2 percent in March 2023 was the main driver in the downtrend of inflation. This was followed by food and non-alcoholic beverages at 7.2 percent, from 8.4 percent and transport at 4.1 percent, from 8.4 percent in the previous month.

Also contributed to the downtrend are the following:

- a. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 9.5 percent; and
- b. Furnishing, household equipment and routine household maintenance, 4.5 percent.

In contrast, the rest of the commodity groups either showed higher inflation rate or had the same inflation rate from the previous month.

3. Baguio City

Following the trend of the inflation at the national and regional level, inflation in Baguio City further slowed down to 3.4 percent in April 2023, from 4.3 percent in March 2023. In April 2022, inflation was higher at 5.2 percent. (Table B and Figure 2)

The main driver in the downtrend of inflation in April 2023 was housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, at -1.2 percent, from 0.5 percent in March 2023. This was followed by transport at 6.4 percent, from 8.8 percent, and food and non-alcoholic beverages at 9.4 percent, from the 9.9 percent in the previous month.

Relative to their annual rates in the previous month, decreases were also observed in the indices of the following commodity groups:

- a. Alcoholic beverages and tobacco, 9.2 percent; and
- b. Personal care, and miscellaneous goods and services, 5.5 percent.

On the contrary, increases were observed in the index of the following:

- a. Clothing and footwear, 0.6 percent;
- b. Furnishing, household equipment and routine household maintenance, 1.8 percent;
- c. Health, 3.4 percent;
- d. Recreation, sport and culture, 4.0 percent; and
- e. Restaurants and accommodation services, 3.8 percent.

Meanwhile, the rest of the commodity groups remained at their previous month's annual rates. (Table 3)

Food inflation at the city level further decreased to 9.6 percent in April 2023, from 10.1 percent in March 2023. In April 2022, food inflation stood at 9.5 percent. (Table 5,9)

The lower food inflation was mainly brought about by vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses at 17.4 percent in April 2023, from 21.8 percent in March 2023. It was followed meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals at 2.8 percent, from 4.7 percent, and rice at 6.3 percent, from 6.7 percent in the previous month.

Moreover, lower annual mark-ups were observed in the indices of the following food groups during the month:

- a. Sugar, confectionery and desserts, 25.8 percent;
- b. Milk and other dairy products and eggs, 20.8 percent;
- c. Oils and fats, 8.8 percent; and
- d. Corn, 53.1 percent.

Meanwhile, increases were recorded for the following:

- a. Flour, bread and other bakery products, pasta products, and other cereals, 12.6 percent;
- b. Fish and other seafood, 4.6 percent;
- c. Fruits and nuts, 12.5 percent; and
- d. Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c, 8.0 percent.

Note: CPIs and inflation rates by region, province and selected city are posted at the PSA website (https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/).

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Table 1. Monthly Consumer Price Index for All Income Households in Baguio City, by Commodity Group January 2022 - April 2023 (2018 = 100)

Commodity Group							2022						
Commodity Group	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave
ALL ITEMS	109.9	110.4	111.1	111.8	112.4	112.9	113.5	113.1	113.9	114.8	116.4	116.7	113.1
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	114.3	115.2	115.4	115.9	116.9	118.1	118.5	118.9	119.9	121.6	127.5	129.0	119.3
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	122.6	122.7	123.2	124.1	124.8	127.8	131.1	132.1	133.0	134.2	134.4	134.4	128.7
Clothing and Footwear	113.1	113.2	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.2	113.2	113.1	113.2	112.9	113.1	113.2	113.2
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	109.2	109.3	110.4	111.0	111.4	110.6	110.2	109.8	111.3	111.2	111.4	111.6	110.6
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	107.0	106.8	106.8	106.8	107.1	107.9	107.9	108.0	107.9	107.5	107.8	108.0	107.5
Health	108.7	108.6	108.7	108.7	109.0	109.8	110.6	110.8	110.9	111.1	111.3	111.5	110.0
Transport	107.1	108.7	112.0	114.6	116.5	119.4	124.6	121.0	121.6	125.6	126.3	123.4	118.4
Information and Communication	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.8	101.8	102.2	101.8
Recreation, Sport and Culture	105.7	105.6	105.8	106.1	106.2	106.4	106.8	106.8	107.3	108.1	108.5	108.4	106.8
Education Services	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.4
Financial Services	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	108.6	108.8	109.0	109.2	110.1	111.0	111.7	112.3	112.4	112.7	113.4	114.3	111.1

Table 1--Concluded

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Commodity Group							2023						
Commodity Group	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave
ALL ITEMS	117.7	117.1	115.9	115.6									
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	132.4	129.7	126.8	126.8									
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	135.1	135.2	135.2	135.5									
Clothing and Footwear	113.8	113.8	113.8	114.0									
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	111.6	112.2	110.9	109.7									
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	108.1	108.4	108.6	108.7									
Health	111.2	111.6	111.6	112.4									
Transport	124.1	122.4	121.9	121.9									
Information and Communication	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2									
Recreation, Sport and Culture	109.1	109.6	109.9	110.3									
Education Services	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4									
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	109.8	111.2	111.2	113.3									
Financial Services	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4									
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	114.6	114.8	115.1	115.2									

Table 2. Monthly Consumer Price Index for All Income Households in Baguio City, by Commodity Group, Area/Region March and April 2022 and 2023 (2018 = 100)

								Commo	dity Grou	ıp						
Area / Region		All I	tems		Foo	od and No Beve		olic	Alco	oholic Be Toba	everages acco	and	CI	othing an	d Footw	ear
	Ma	arch	Ap	oril	Ма	ırch	Ar	oril	Ма	rch	Αŗ	oril	Ма	ırch	A	pril
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Philippines	112.5	121.1	113.4	120.9	111.7	122.1	112.5	121.4	147.2	165.2	149.2	168.2	108.4	113.8	108.6	114.1
Cordillera Administrative Regi	112.6	118.9	113.6	118.5	111.7	121.1	112.4	120.5	134.1	147.2	135.3	148.2	112.9	117.8	113.1	118.1
Baguio City	111.1	115.9	111.8	115.6	115.4	126.8	115.9	126.8	123.2	135.2	124.1	135.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	114.0

Table 2--Continued

								Commo	dity Grou	ıp						
Area / Region	Housir	ng, Water, and Oth		ty, Gas	Eq	rnishings uipment a usehold I	and Rout	ine		Hea	alth			Trans	sport	
	Ma	arch	Ap	ril	Ma	ırch	Ap	oril	Ma	rch	Ap	oril	Ma	ırch	A	oril
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Philippines	110.8	119.2	111.5	118.7	110.5	117.3	110.8	117.6	114.1	118.6	114.2	118.9	121.8	128.2	125.1	128.4
Cordillera Administrative Regi	112.0	114.5	112.9	113.4	110.0	115.1	110.2	115.2	111.8	116.1	111.9	116.7	119.4	129.4	123.6	128.7
Baguio City	110.4	110.9	111.0	109.7	106.8	108.6	106.8	108.7	108.7	111.6	108.7	112.4	112.0	121.9	114.6	121.9

Table 2--Continued

								Commo	dity Grou	ıp						
Area / Region	Informa	ation and	Commun	ication	Recre	ation, Sp	ort and 0	Culture	E	ducation	n Service	s	Restaur	ants and Serv		nodation
	Ма	arch	Ap	oril	Ма	ırch	A	oril	Ма	rch	Ap	ril	Ма	ırch	A	oril
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Philippines	102.0	102.7	102.0	102.7	106.0	110.9	106.2	111.2	107.3	111.2	107.3	111.2	111.4	120.7	111.6	121.2
Cordillera Administrative Regi	101.8	102.0	101.8	102.0	107.6	113.0	107.9	113.4	107.4	108.0	107.4	108.0	120.1	127.8	121.1	129.2
Baguio City	101.7	102.2	101.7	102.2	105.8	109.9	106.1	110.3	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	109.2	111.2	109.2	113.3

Table 2--Concluded

				Commo	dity Grοι	ір		
Area / Region		Financial	Services	1		Personal cellaneou Serv	ıs Goods	
	Ma	arch	Ap	oril	Ма	ırch	Ap	oril
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Philippines	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	109.0	115.1	109.3	115.5
Cordillera Administrative Regi	139.2	139.2	139.2	139.2	110.6	115.9	110.8	116.3
Baguio City	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	109.0	115.1	109.2	115.2

Table 3. Year-on-Year Changes of the Consumer Price Index in Percent in Baguio City by Commodity Group, April 2022 - April 2023 (2018 = 100)

Area/Commodity Group					2 0	2 2						2 0	2 3	
Area/Commodity Group	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
BAGUIO CITY														
ALL ITEMS	5.2	5.9	6.2	6.0	4.7	4.6	5.1	6.0	6.5	5.1	7.1	6.1	4.3	3.4
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	8.9	11.3	12.3	10.5	8.4	6.5	7.2	11.8	13.4	9.1	15.8	12.6	9.9	9.4
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	7.7	8.1	10.6	13.0	12.5	11.0	10.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	10.2	10.2	9.7	9.2
Clothing and Footwear	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	3.5	3.8	2.9	2.1	1.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.7	0.5	-1.2
Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	1.5	1.8	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.3	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.6	1.0	1.5	1.7	1.8
Health	-0.3	-0.2	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.6	2.2	2.5	0.9	2.3	2.8	2.7	3.4
Transport	13.9	15.1	17.1	20.7	17.1	17.5	18.6	18.1	16.9	15.3	15.9	12.6	8.8	6.4
Information and Communication	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Recreation, Sport and Culture	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.6	1.8	2.5	2.8	2.5	1.6	3.2	3.8	3.9	4.0
Education Services	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.3	0.9	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Restaurants and Accommodation Services	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	3.1	5.7	0.3	0.3	1.4	0.5	1.8	1.8	3.8
Financial Services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Personal Care, and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	2.2	2.9	3.5	4.0	4.5	4.7	4.6	5.2	5.3	3.6	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5

Table 4. Year-on-Year Provincial Inflation Rates in Percent by Commodity Group, March and April 2023 (2018 = 100)

Area / Region	All I	tems	Alco	nd Non- holic rages	Beveraç	holic ges and acco		ng and wear	Housing Electric and Oth	ity, Gas		ehold ent and lousehold	Hea	alth
	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current
Philippines	7.6	6.6	9.3	7.9	12.2	12.7	5.0	5.1	7.6	6.5	6.2	6.1	3.9	4.1
Cordillera Administrative Regio	5.6	4.3	8.4	7.2	9.8	9.5	4.3	4.4	2.2	0.4	4.6	4.5	3.8	4.3
Baguio City	4.3	3.4	9.9	9.4	9.7	9.2	0.4	0.6	0.5	-1.2	1.7	1.8	2.7	3.4

Table 4--Concluded

Area / Region	Trans	sport	Informat Commu	tion and nication	Recreation and C	on, Sport ulture	Education	n Services	Restaura Accomm Serv	odation	Financial		Personal (Miscella Goods Serv	aneous s and
	Previous Current P	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	

Table 5. Provincial Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items in Percent in Baguio City
March and April 2022 and 2023
(2018 = 100)

			Ric	се					Co	rn		
Area / Region	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Inflation	Rates (%)	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Inflation	Rates (%)
	IVIQI -ZZ	Αρι-22	Wai -25	•	Previous	Current	IVIQI -ZZ	Api-22	IVIAI-25	•	Previous	Current
Philippines	92.7	93.0	95.0	95.7	2.6	2.9	125.4	127.8	140.2	138.5	11.7	8.4
Cordillera Administrative Region	93.7	94.1	96.1	96.5	2.6	2.5	149.9	150.8	169.1	169.1	12.8	12.1
Baguio City	93.9	95.1	100.2	101.1	6.7	6.3	148.5	148.7	228.4	227.7	53.8	53.1

Table 5--Continued

Area / Region	Flour, B	read and O	ther Baker and Other	•	Products,	Meat and Other Parts of Slaughtered Land Animals						
	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar 22	Apr-23	Inflation	Rates (%)	Mar 22	Mar-22 Apr-22 Mar-23		Apr-23	Inflation	Rates (%)
	IVIAI -ZZ	Apr-22	Mar-23 Apr	Apr-23	Previous	Current	IVIAI -ZZ	Apr-22	War-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current
Philippines	111.6	112.3	124.6	125.4	11.7	11.7	126.7	128.7	132.5	134.1	4.6	4.2
Cordillera Administrative Region	108.0	108.4	118.4	119.1	9.6	9.9	125.0	128.1	129.2	129.5	3.4	1.1
Baguio City	101.7	102.2	114.2	115.1	12.3	12.6	124.5	127.1	130.3	130.7	4.7	2.8

Table 5--Continued

		Fis	h and Othe	er Seafood	ı		Milk, Other Dairy Products, and Eggs					
Area / Region	Mar 22	A 22	Mar. 22	A 22	Inflation Rates (%)		Mar 22	A	Mar 22	A 22	Inflation Rates (%)	
	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current
Philippines	123.3	123.8	135.5	132.5	9.9	7.0	109.0	109.4	123.8	123.6	13.6	13.0
Cordillera Administrative Region	130.0	129.1	136.2	136.2	4.8	5.5	106.6	106.7	124.4	125.1	16.7	17.2
Baguio City	137.2	137.2	142.2	143.5	3.6	4.6	100.2	100.4	121.3	121.3	21.1	20.8

Table 5--Continued

			Oils and	l Fats					Fruits a	nd Nuts		
Area / Region	Mar 22	A 22	Mar 22	A 22	Inflation	Rates (%)	Mar 22	A 22	Mar 22	A 22	Inflation Rates (
_	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current
Philippines	118.3	121.4	135.7	135.6	14.7	11.7	116.6	115.7	131.8	132.7	13.0	14.7
Cordillera Administrative Region	114.3	114.6	126.0	126.3	10.2	10.2	125.7	124.7	136.9	138.4	8.9	11.0
Baguio City	120.2	121.0	131.0	131.6	9.0	8.8	135.7	130.7	146.0	147.1	7.6	12.5

Table 5--Continued

Vegetables, Tubers, Plantains, Cooking Bananas and Pulses Area / Region								Sugar, 0	Confection	ery and D	esserts	
Area / Region	Mar-22	Apr-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Inflation Rates (%)		Mar-22	Apr-22	-22 Mar-23	Apr-23	Inflation Rates (%)	
	IVIAI-22 F	Apr-22	IVIAI-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current	IVIAI -ZZ	Apr-22	IVIAI-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current
Philippines	114.4	115.3	137.3	126.8	20.0	10.0	109.3	110.6	147.8	147.9	35.2	33.7
Cordillera Administrative Region	115.4	116.7	140.4	132.4	21.7	13.5	106.1	107.1	148.0	146.3	39.5	36.6
Baguio City	130.4	130.1	158.8	152.8	21.8	17.4	107.4	108.0	136.9	135.9	27.5	25.8

Table 5--Concluded

	Ready-Made Food and Other Food Products N.E.C.											
Area / Region	Mar-22	An# 22	pr-22 Mar-23		Inflation	Rates (%)						
	War-22	Apr-22	War-23	Apr-23	Previous	Current						
Philippines	112.5	113.2	123.8	124.0	10.0	9.5						
Cordillera Administrative Region	115.0	115.0	120.2	120.2	4.5	4.5						
Baguio City	110.7	110.5	119.2	119.3	7.7	8.0						

Table 6. Monthly Consumer Price Index for Food and Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages for All Income Households in Baguio City

April 2022 - April 2023

(2018 = 100)

Area	Commodity Group					202	2 2						2 0	2 3	
Alea	Commounty Group	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Food and Non-Alco PHILIPPINES Beverages	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	112.5	113.2	114.3	115.3	116.1	116.7	118.4	120.2	121.3	115.3	124.6	123.6	122.1	121.4
	Food	112.8	113.5	114.7	115.7	116.5	117.1	118.9	120.7	122.0	115.7	125.5	124.2	122.6	121.8
Cordillera Administrative Region (C	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	112.4	112.7	113.6	114.0	115.0	116.1	118.0	121.0	122.4	115.1	124.9	123.3	121.1	120.5
	Food	112.7	113.1	113.9	114.3	115.3	116.5	118.5	121.6	123.1	115.5	125.7	124.0	121.6	121.0
Baguio City	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	115.9	116.9	118.1	118.5	118.9	119.9	121.6	127.5	129.0	119.3	132.4	129.7	126.8	126.8
Food	116.8	117.8	119.0	119.4	119.8	120.9	122.7	128.9	130.5	120.3	134.2	131.2	128.1	128.0	

Source: Survey of Retail Prices of Commodities for Consumer Price Index, Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 7. Year-on-Year Changes of the Food and Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages, in Percent in Baguio City

April 2022 - April 2023

(2018 = 100)

Area	Commodity Group					202	2						2 0	2 3	
Alea	Commounty Group	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
PHILIPPINES	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	3.8	4.9	6.0	6.9	6.3	7.4	9.4	10.0	10.2	5.9	10.7	10.8	9.3	7.9
	Food	4.0	5.2	6.4	7.1	6.5	7.7	9.8	10.3	10.6	6.1	11.2	11.1	9.5	8.0
Cordillera Administrative Region (C	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	5.4	6.4	7.3	6.5	5.1	4.7	6.5	9.0	10.2	5.9	11.4	10.1	8.4	7.2
	Food	5.6	6.8	7.6	6.8	5.2	4.8	6.7	9.3	10.5	6.1	11.7	10.4	8.6	7.4
Baguio City	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	8.9	11.3	12.3	10.5	8.4	6.5	7.2	11.8	13.4	9.1	15.8	12.6	9.9	9.4
	Food	9.5	12.1	13.0	11.1	8.7	6.6	7.4	12.3	13.9	9.6	16.6	13.0	10.1	9.6

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for All Income Household in Baguio City by Selected Commodities and by Geographic Area: April 2023 (2018 = 100)

		Cordillera	HUC
Commodity Group	PHILIPPINES	Administrative Region (CAR)	Baguio City
ALL ITEMS	120.9	118.5	115.6
I. FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES * Food Cereals and Cereal Products Cereals Rice Corn Flour, Bread and Other Bakery Products, Pasta Products, and Other Cereal Meat and Other Parts of Slaughtered Land Animals Fish and Other Seafood Milk, Other Dairy Products, and Eggs Oils and Fats Fruits and Nuts Vegetables, Tubers, Cooking Bananas and Pulses Sugar, Confectionery and Desserts Ready-Made Food and Other Food Products N.E.C. * Non-alcoholic Beverages III. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO Alcoholic Beverages Tobacco	134.1 132.5 123.6 135.6 132.7 126.8 147.9 124.0 117.1 168.2 134.6 191.3	120.5 121.0 102.4 97.7 96.5 169.1 119.1 129.5 136.2 125.1 126.3 138.4 132.4 146.3 120.2 113.1	126.8 128.0 107.1 103.3 101.1 227.7 115.1 130.7 143.5 121.3 131.6 147.1 152.8 135.9 119.3 110.3
Other Vegetable-Based Tobacco Products NON-FOOD	149.5 118.8	168.4 116.6	111.6
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR Clothing Footwear IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS Actual Rentals for Housing Maintenance, Repair and Security of the Dwelling Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Relating to the Dwelling	114.1 113.9 114.5 118.7 114.6 117.4 115.7	118.1 115.5 123.9 113.4 108.7 121.9 103.6	114.0 111.6 118.6 109.7 108.5 121.7 109.1
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE Furniture and Furnishings, and Loose Carpets Household Textiles Household Appliances Glassware, Tableware and Household Utensils Tools and Equipment for House and Garden Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance	127.1 117.6 110.2 109.4 110.4 114.2 108.7 121.0	124.7 115.2 115.9 110.6 103.2 115.7 110.8 119.1	111.1 108.7 104.9 108.6 97.8 110.9 107.1 112.3

Table 8--Concluded

		Cordillera	PROVINCE
Commodity Group	PHILIPPINES	Administrative Region (CAR)	Baguio City
VI. HEALTH	118.9	116.7	112.4
Medicines and Health Products	116.7	114.3	107.4
Outpatient Care Services	128.3	127.8	127.4
Inpatient Care Services	117.9	110.7	114.2
Other Health Services	127.1	129.0	131.9
VII. TRANSPORT	128.4	128.7	121.9
Purchase of Vehicles	112.3	107.7	105.5
Operation of Personal Transport Equipment	126.4	124.2	124.1
Passenger Transport Services	135.7	137.4	125.7
Transport Services of Goods	105.0	105.2	104.6
VIII. INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	102.7	102.0	102.2
Information and Communication Equipment	103.5	100.6	100.6
Information and Communication Services	102.4	102.5	102.6
IX. RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	111.2	113.4	110.3
Recreational Durables	101.4	100.0	100.0
Other Recreational Goods	108.2	112.2	110.9
Garden Products and Pets	119.3	118.4	111.1
Recreational Services	95.3	92.9	93.1
Cultural Goods	107.1	101.8	104.9
Cultural Services	110.5	107.0	115.0
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	116.9	122.3	120.4
Package Holidays	102.6	100.0	100.0
X. EDUCATION SERVICES	111.2	108.0	107.4
Early Childhood and Primary Education	113.2	113.6	113.4
Secondary Education	110.4	105.8	104.0
Tertiary Education	110.5	107.3	107.0
Education Not Defined by Level	111.6	107.0	107.0
XI. RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	121.2	129.2	113.3
Food and Beverage Serving Services	121.4	130.2	113.9
Accommodation Services	105.4	107.6	96.7
VII FINANCIAL SEDVICES	440.0	400.0	405.4
XII. FINANCIAL SERVICES	143.3	139.2	135.4
Financial Services	143.3	139.2	135.4
XIII. PERSONAL CARE, AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	115.5	116.3	115.2
Personal Care	116.3	117.1	116.2
Other Personal Effects	110.0	113.1	110.5
Other Services	106.4	103.2	105.4

Table 9. Consumer Price Index by Subgroup, Month-on-Month and Year-on-Year Percent Changes in Baguio City (2018=100)

		СРІ		Inflation Rates			
Commodity Group	Apr 2022	Mar 2023	Apr 2023	Month-on- Month	Year-on- Year		
ALL ITEMS	111.8	115.9	115.6	-0.3	3.4		
I. FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES * Food	115.9 116.8	126.8 128.1	126.8 128.0	0.0 -0.1	9.4 9.6		
Cereals and Cereal Products	98.0	106.2	120.0	0.8	9.3		
Cereals	96.0	102.4	103.3	0.8	7.6		
Rice	95.1	100.2	101.1	0.9	6.3		
Corn	148.7	228.4	227.7	-0.3	53.1		
Flour, Bread and Other Bakery Products, Pasta Produ		114.2	115.1	0.8	12.6		
Meat and Other Parts of Slaughtered Land Animals	127.1	130.3	130.7	0.3	2.8		
Fish and Other Seafood	137.2	142.2	143.5	0.9	4.6		
Milk, Other Dairy Products, and Eggs	100.4	121.3	121.3	0.0	20.8		
Oils and Fats	121.0	131.0	131.6	0.5	8.8		
Fruits and Nuts	130.7	146.0	147.1	0.8	12.5		
Vegetables, Tubers, Cooking Bananas and Pulses	130.1	158.8	152.8	-3.8	17.4		
Sugar, Confectionery and Desserts	108.0	136.9	135.9	-0.7	25.8		
Ready-Made Food and Other Food Products N.E.C.	110.5	119.2	119.3	0.1	8.0		
* Non-alcoholic Beverages	104.3	110.0	110.3	0.3	5.8		
III. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	124.1	135.2	135.5	0.2	9.2		
Alcoholic Beverages	117.4	123.7	124.3	0.5	5.9		
Tobacco	129.5	144.6	144.6	0.0	11.7		
Other Vegetable-Based Tobacco Products							
NON-FOOD	110.2	111.9	111.6	-0.3	1.3		
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	113.3	113.8	114.0	0.2	0.6		
Clothing	110.1	111.4	111.6	0.2	1.4		
Footwear	119.6	118.5	118.6	0.1	-0.8		
IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER I	111.0	110.9	109.7	-1.1	-1.2		
Actual Rentals for Housing	107.7	108.5	108.5	0.0	0.7		
Maintenance, Repair and Security of the Dwelling	112.4	121.1	121.7	0.5	8.3		
Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Relating to the	109.1	109.1	109.1	0.0	0.0		
Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	126.5	119.0	111.1	-6.6	-12.2		
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	106.8	108.6	108.7	0.1	1.8		
Furniture and Furnishings, and Loose Carpets	106.5	104.9	104.9	0.0	-1.5		
Household Textiles	104.8	108.6	108.6	0.0	3.6		
Household Appliances	102.0	97.4	97.8	0.4	-4.1		
Glassware, Tableware and Household Utensils	109.4	110.7	110.9	0.2	1.4		
Tools and Equipment for House and Garden	106.5	107.1	107.1	0.0	0.6		
Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance	108.3	112.2	112.3	0.1	3.7		
VI. HEALTH	108.7	111.6	112.4	0.7	3.4		
Medicines and Health Products	105.2	107.3	107.4	0.1	2.1		
Outpatient Care Services	116.5	126.5	127.4	0.7	9.4		
Inpatient Care Services	112.1	111.5	114.2	2.4	1.9		
Other Health Services	126.0	130.0	131.9	1.5	4.7		
VII. TRANSPORT	114.6	121.9	121.9	0.0	6.4		
Purchase of Vehicles	101.9	105.5	105.5	0.0	3.5		
Operation of Personal Transport Equipment	133.7	124.4	124.1	-0.2	-7.2		
Passenger Transport Services	104.4	125.6	125.7	0.1	20.4		
Transport Services of Goods	104.6	104.6	104.6	0.0	0.0		
VIII. INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION	101.7	102.2	102.2	0.0	0.5		
Information and Communication Equipment	99.7	100.6	100.6	0.0	0.9		
Information and Communication Services	102.2	102.6	102.6	0.0	0.4		
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Table 9--Concluded

		CPI		Inflation Rates			
Commodity Group	Apr 2022	Mar 2023	Apr 2023	Month-on- Month	Year-on- Year		
IX. RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE	106.1	109.9	110.3	0.4	4.0		
Recreational Durables	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0		
Other Recreational Goods	103.0	110.9	110.9	0.0	7.7		
Garden Products and Pets	104.1	110.9	111.1	0.2	6.7		
Recreational Services	92.6	93.1	93.1	0.0	0.5		
Cultural Goods	95.7	104.9	104.9	0.0	9.6		
Cultural Services	107.9	115.0	115.0	0.0	6.6		
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	116.5	119.0	120.4	1.2	3.3		
Package Holidays	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0		
X. EDUCATION SERVICES	107.4	107.4	107.4	0.0	0.0		
Early Childhood and Primary Education	113.4	113.4	113.4	0.0	0.0		
Secondary Education	104.0	104.0	104.0	0.0	0.0		
Tertiary Education Education Not Defined by Level	107.0	107.0	107.0	0.0	0.0		
XI. RESTAURANTS AND							
ACCOMMODATION SERVICES	109.2	111.2	113.3	1.9	3.8		
Food and Beverage Serving Services	109.5	111.6	113.9	2.1	4.0		
Accommodation Services	100.4	100.4	96.7	-3.7	-3.7		
XII. FINANCIAL SERVICES	135.4	135.4	135.4	0.0	0.0		
Financial Services	135.4	135.4	135.4	0.0	0.0		
XIII. PERSONAL CARE, AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS A	109.2	115.1	115.2	0.1	5.5		
Personal Care	109.3	116.1	116.2	0.1	6.3		
Other Personal Effects	109.8	110.2	110.5	0.3	0.6		
Other Services	100.4	104.4	105.4	1.0	5.0		