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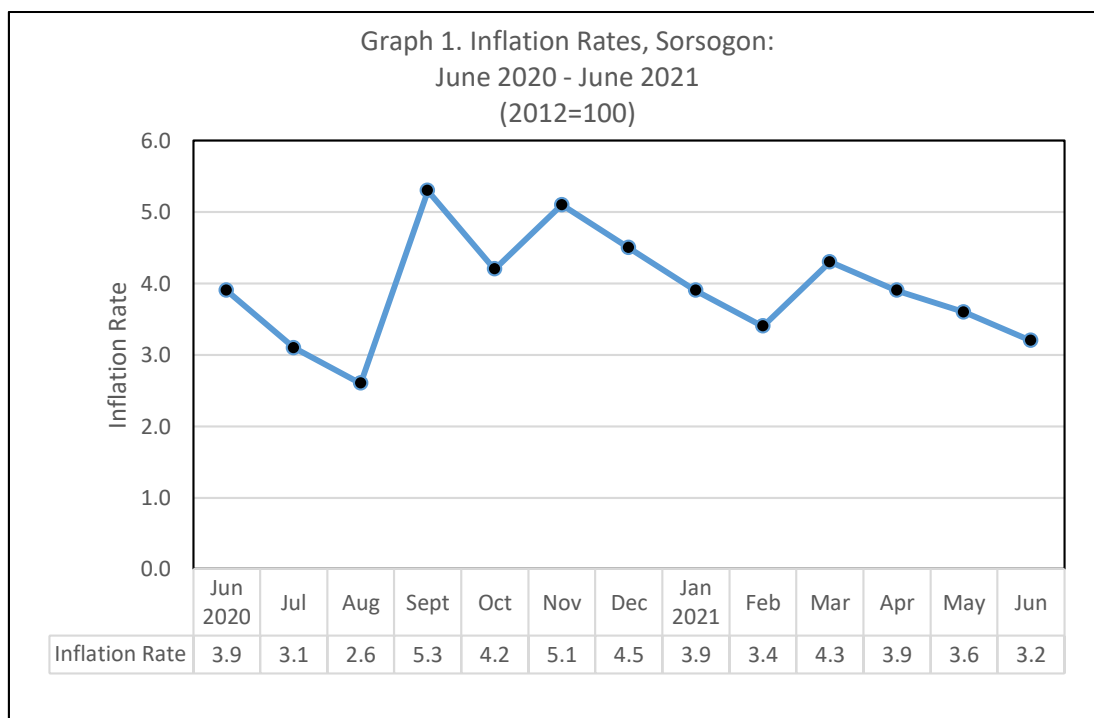
## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL INCOME HOUSEHOLDS IN SORSOGON: June 2021 (2012=100)

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### PRICE SITUATION: Year-on-Year

The year-on-year inflation rate (IR) for the province of Sorsogon registered at 3.2 percent in June 2021 with 2012 as base year. This is slightly lower by 0.4 percentage points than the IR last month which was 3.6 percent. The IR a year ago was 3.9 percent. (Refer to Graph 1)

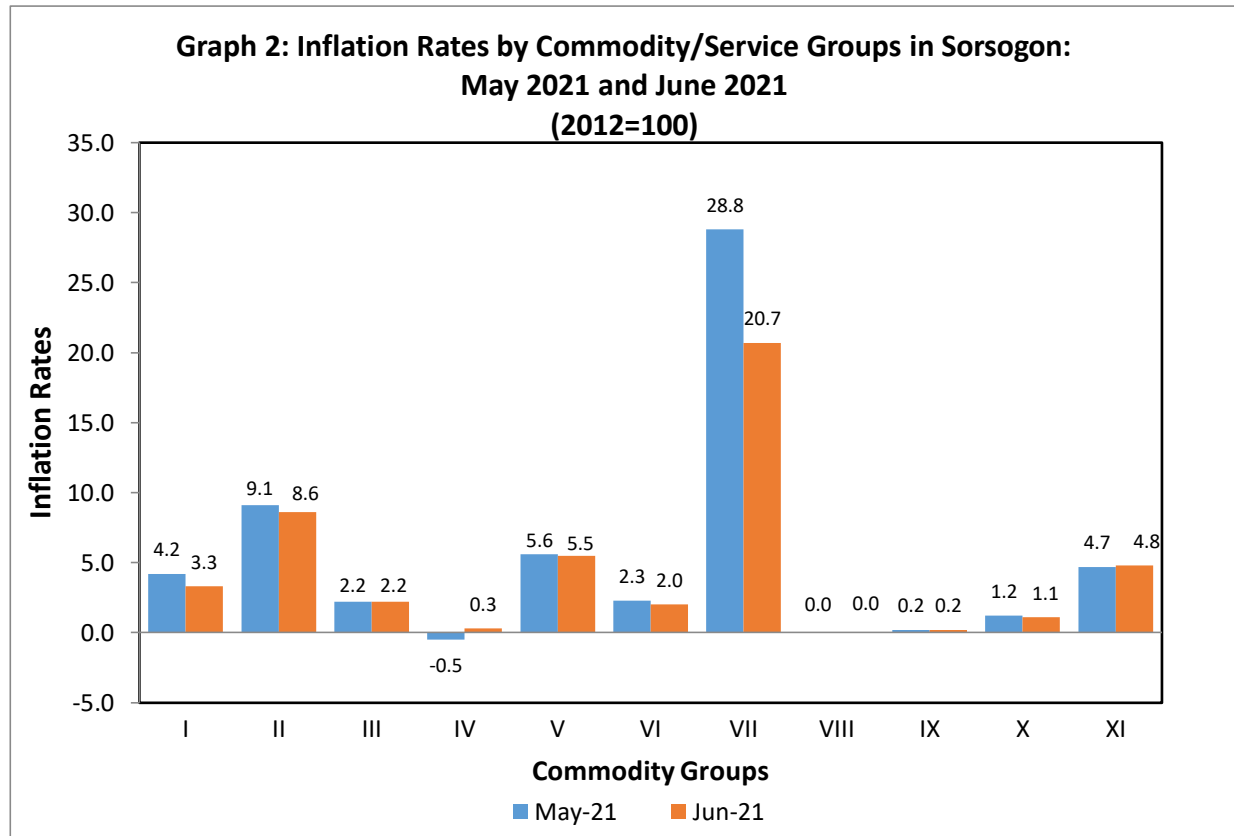


The current IR movement could be attributed to the decrease on Food and Transport groups. These posted a decrease of 1.0 percentage points for Food while Transport posted 8.1 percentage points decrease.

Among Food items under commodity group (CG) I, most of the items posted negative percentage points change except for Meat and Fish that posted significant increase of 2.9 and 3.4 percentage points respectively.



On Non-Food items, most of the subgroups recorded also negative percentage points change except for slight increase on CG IV and XI with 0.8 and 0.1 percentage points consecutively. CG VII which has the highest decrement were attributed to the decrease in prices for transport services like Jeepney and tricycle fares. (Refer to Graph 2)



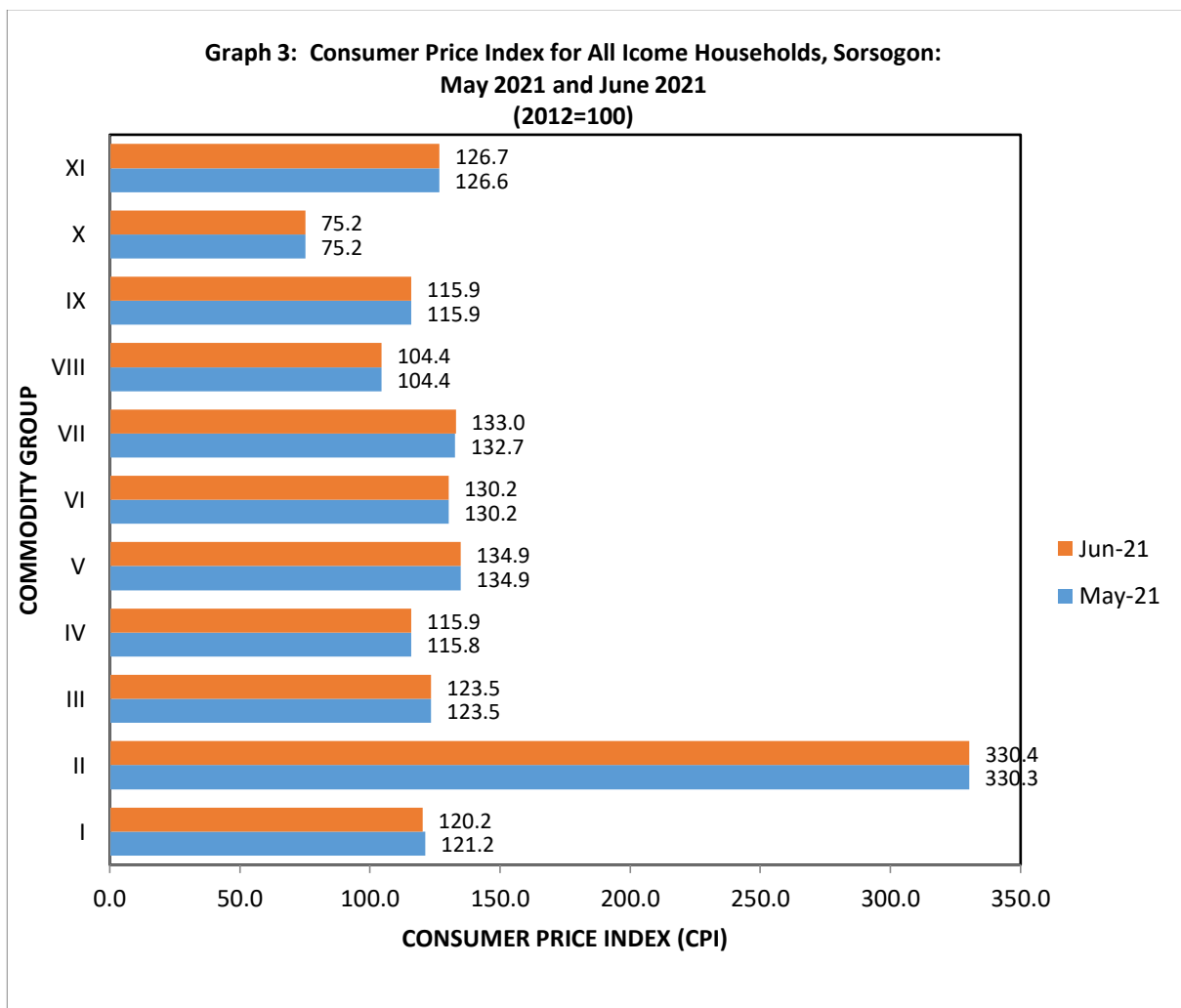
- I. Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages
- II. Alcoholic and Beverages and Tobacco
- III. Clothing and Footwear
- IV. Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and other Fuels
- V. Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House
- VI. Health
- VII. Transport
- VIII. Communication
- IX. Recreation and Culture
- X. Education
- XI. Restaurants and Miscellaneous and Services



**PRICE SITUATION: Month-on-Month**

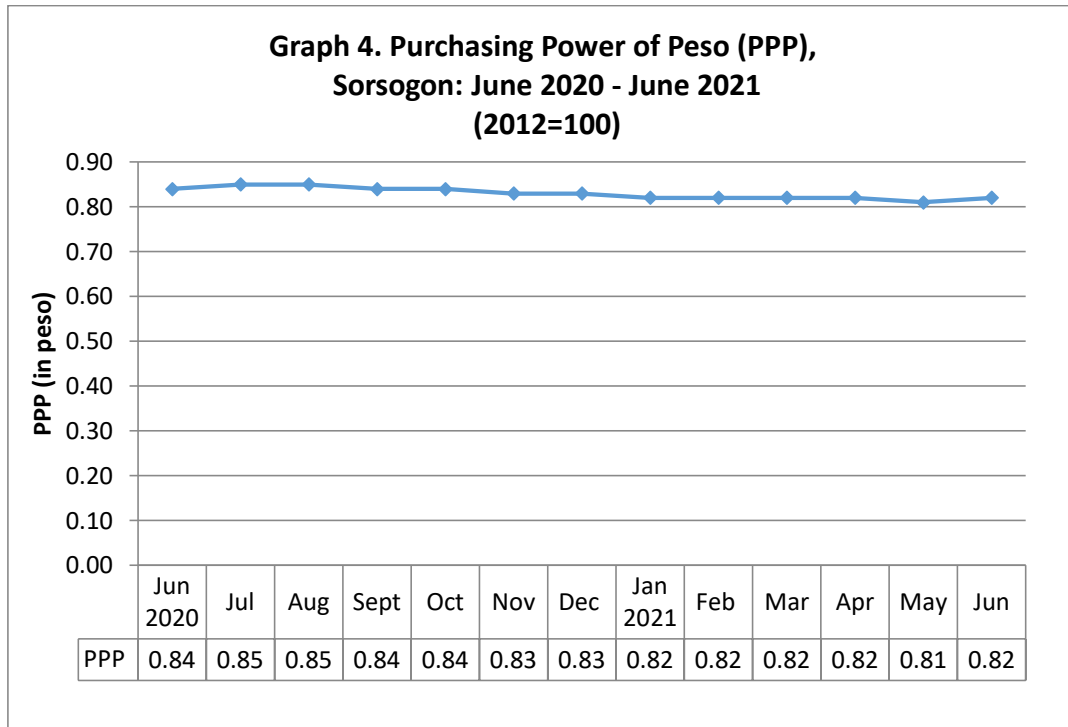
On a monthly basis, the consumer price index (CPI) for all income households in the province of Sorsogon was 122.3 in June 2021. This was lower by 0.3 percent compared to the CPI in May 2021 which was 122.7 level. This also means that the general prices for the province of Sorsogon increased by 22.3 percent with 2012 base year.

Most of the CGs posted less than one percent change from last month's CPI level. CG I posted the highest change with 0.8 percent decrease and followed by CG VII with 0.2 percent increase. (Refer to Graph 3)





The purchasing power of peso (PPP) in the province of Sorsogon posted at 0.82 pesos. This means that a peso in 2012 is worth 82 centavos in June 2021 in the province of Sorsogon. The PPP a year ago was 0.84 pesos. (Refer to Graph 4)



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**Table 1: Consumer Price Index for All Income Households in SORSOGON:**  
 May 2021 and June 2021  
 (2012 = 100)

COMMODITY GROUP	May-20	May-21	Jun-20	Jun-21	Month-on-Month Percent Change	May-21 Inflation rate	Jun-21 Inflation Rate
ALL ITEMS	118.4	122.7	118.5	122.3	-0.33	3.6	3.2
I. FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	116.3	121.2	116.4	120.2	-0.83	4.2	3.3
* Food	115.3	120.3	115.4	119.2	-0.91	4.3	3.3
Bread and Cereals	113.1	113.2	113.7	113.0	-0.18	0.1	-0.6
Rice	110.5	109.4	111.3	109.2	-0.18	-1.0	-1.9
Corn	201.3	195.9	194.3	195.9	0.00	-2.7	0.8
Meat	115.5	140.6	112.3	140.0	-0.43	21.7	24.7
Fish	97.9	112.7	99.4	108.5	-3.73	15.1	9.2
Milk, Cheese and Eggs	120.6	122.2	120.8	122.3	0.08	1.3	1.2
Oils and Fats	120.9	125.0	120.9	125.3	0.24	3.4	3.6
Fruit	134.5	141.8	130.8	142.4	0.42	5.4	8.9
Vegetables	160.5	140.0	161.3	137.6	-1.71	-12.8	-14.7
Sugar, Jam, Honey, Chocolate and Confectionery	86.3	84.9	87.5	84.9	0.00	-1.6	-3.0
Food Products N.E.C.	128.9	132.4	129.9	132.9	0.38	2.7	2.3
* Non-alcoholic Beverages	129.6	132.5	129.7	132.7	0.15	2.2	2.3
II. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	302.7	330.3	304.1	330.4	0.03	9.1	8.6
Alcoholic Beverages	142.4	147.3	146.4	147.6	0.20	3.4	0.8
Tobacco	393.7	434.2	393.7	434.2	0.00	10.3	10.3
NON-FOOD	116.1	119.5	116.2	119.6	0.08	2.9	2.9
III. CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	120.9	123.5	120.9	123.5	0.00	2.2	2.2
Clothing	117.2	120.3	117.2	120.3	0.00	2.6	2.6
Footwear	130.2	131.5	130.2	131.5	0.00	1.0	1.0
IV. HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	116.4	115.8	115.6	115.9	0.09	-0.5	0.3
Actual Rentals for Housing	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1	0.00	0.0	0.0
Maintenance and Repair of the Dwelling	119.4	122.8	119.8	123.0	0.16	2.8	2.7
Water Supply and Miscellaneous Services Relating to the Dwelling	131.8	131.4	131.8	131.4	0.00	-0.3	-0.3
Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	107.7	105.3	104.7	105.5	0.19	-2.2	0.8
V. FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE MAINTENANCE OF THE HOUSE	127.8	134.9	127.9	134.9	0.00	5.6	5.5
Furniture and Furnishings, Carpets and Other Floor Coverings	115.3	115.6	115.3	115.6	0.00	0.3	0.3
Household Textiles	124.7	128.8	124.8	128.8	0.00	3.3	3.2
Household Appliances	108.2	108.7	108.2	108.7	0.00	0.5	0.5
Glassware, Tableware and Household Utensils	109.0	110.0	109.0	110.0	0.00	0.9	0.9
Tools and Equipment for House and Garden	114.2	115.6	114.6	115.8	0.17	1.2	1.0



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Goods and Services for Routine Household Maintenance	131.6	140.2	131.7	140.1	-0.07	6.5	6.4
VI. HEALTH	127.3	130.2	127.7	130.2	0.00	2.3	2.0
Medical Products, Appliances and Equipment	116.3	120.4	117.1	120.4	0.00	3.5	2.8
Out-patient Services	133.7	137.0	133.7	137.0	0.00	2.5	2.5
Hospital Services	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4	0.00	0.0	0.0
VII. TRANSPORT	103.0	132.7	110.2	133.0	0.23	28.8	20.7
Operation of Personal Transport Equipment	77.8	101.0	86.5	102.0	0.99	29.8	17.9
Transport Services	116.8	158.9	125.5	158.9	0.00	36.0	26.6
VIII. COMMUNICATION	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	0.00	0.0	0.0
Postal Services	105.4	105.4	105.4	105.4	0.00	0.0	0.0
Telephone and Telefax Equipment	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	0.00	0.0	0.0
Telephone and Telefax Services	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	0.00	0.0	0.0
IX. RECREATION AND CULTURE	115.7	115.9	115.7	115.9	0.00	0.2	0.2
Audio-visual, Photographic and Information Processing Equipment	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	0.00	0.0	0.0
Other Major Durables for Recreation and Culture	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	0.00	0.0	0.0
Other Recreational Items and Equipment, Gardens and Pets	114.3	114.6	114.3	114.6	0.00	0.3	0.3
Recreational and Cultural Services	185.9	159.8	185.9	159.8	0.00	-14.0	-14.0
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	124.6	127.9	124.6	127.9	0.00	2.6	2.6
X. EDUCATION	74.3	75.2	74.3	75.2	0.00	1.2	1.2
Pre-primary and Primary Education	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	0.00	0.0	0.0
Secondary Education	117.1	122.9	117.1	122.9	0.00	5.0	5.0
Tertiary Education	47.5	47.5	47.5	47.5	0.00	0.0	0.0
Education Not Definable by Level							
XI. RESTAURANTS AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	120.9	126.6	120.9	126.7	0.08	4.7	4.8
Catering Services	119.4	126.4	119.4	126.4	0.00	5.9	5.9
Personal Care	117.8	120.9	118.0	121.0	0.08	2.6	2.5
Personal Effects N.E.C.	116.3	119.3	116.3	119.3	0.00	2.6	2.6
<b>Inflation Rate</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.2</b>			
<b>Purchasing Power of Peso (PPP)</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.81</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.82</b>			