



# SPECIAL RELEASE

## Summary Inflation Report Consumer Price Index (2018=100)

### Zamboanga Peninsula November 2022

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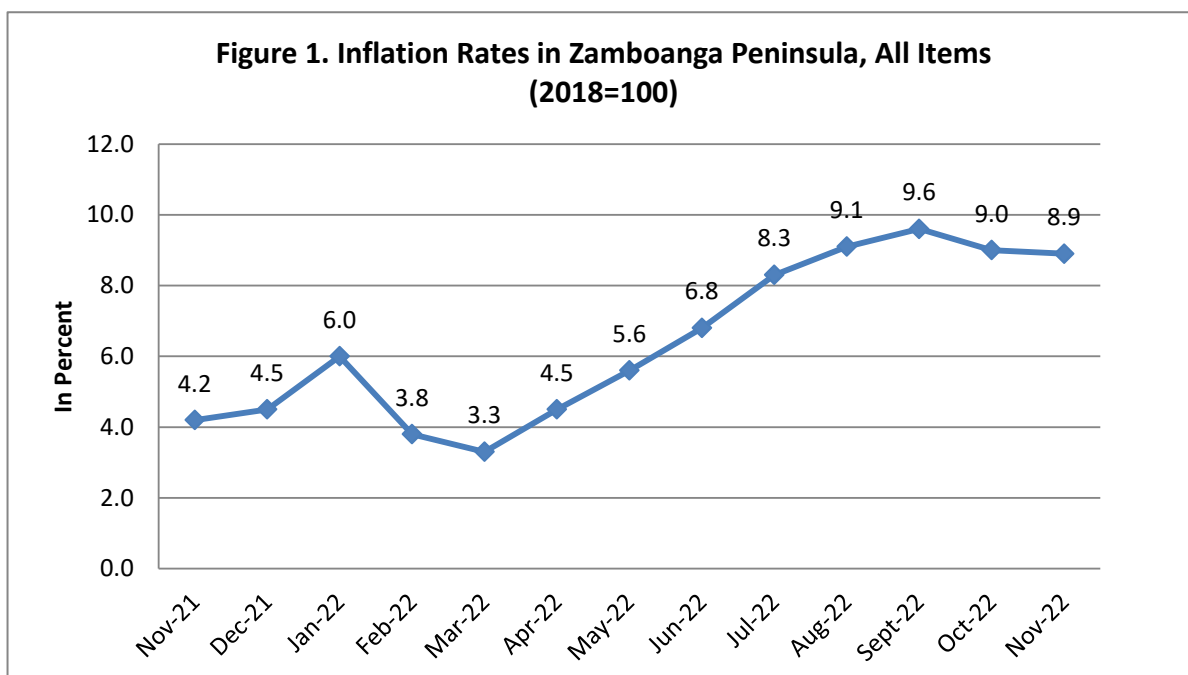
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**Table A. Year-on-Year Inflation Rates, All Items  
In Percent  
(2018=100)**

Area	November 2021	October 2022	November 2022	Year-to-date*
Region IX	4.2	9.0	8.9	6.8
Zamboanga del Norte	5.7	7.6	7.0	6.8
Zamboanga del Sur	5.2	12.2	10.8	8.6
Zamboanga Sibugay	3.7	11.4	10.9	7.4
Zamboanga City	3.0	7.2	8.3	5.6
Isabela City	(0.9)	4.2	4.9	2.9

Source: Retail Price Survey of Commodities for the Generation of Consumer Price Index  
Philippine Statistics Authority

\*Year-on-year change of average CPI for January to November, 2022 vs 2021



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## 1. Zamboanga Peninsula

Inflation rates in Zamboanga Peninsula decelerated to 8.9 percent in November 2022, from 9.0 percent in October 2022. Inflation in November 2021 was lower at 4.2 percent. The average inflation for this income group of consumers from January 2022 to November 2022 stood at 6.8 percent. (Table A and Figure 1)

The slowdown in the region's inflation mainly brought about by the higher annual increase in the index for *Food and Non-alcoholic beverages* at 9.1 percent from 8.9 percent in the previous month and *Restaurants and accommodation services* at 17.3 percent in November 2022 from 16.2 percent in the previous month.

Also contributing to the trend in the overall inflation in Zamboanga Peninsula during the period were the higher annual increments in the indices of the following commodity groups as compared with their previous month's inflation rates:

- a. *Alcoholic beverages and tobacco*, 8.3 percent;
- b. *Clothing and footwear*, 2.5 percent;
- c. *Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance*, 5.1 percent;
- d. *Health*, 2.6 percent;
- e. *Transport*, 11.4 percent;

- f. *Information and Communication*, 1.3 percent; and
- g. *Personal care, and miscellaneous goods and services*, 3.8 percent.

Meanwhile, annual inflation slowed down in the indices of *Housing, water, electricity, gas, and other fuels* at 10.0 percent during this month, from 12.7 percent in the previous month and *Recreation, sports and culture* at 4.2 percent in November 2022 from 4.3 percent in the previous month.

The rest of the commodity groups either retained their previous month's inflation rates or had zero percent annual growths.

Table B. Year-on-year Inflation Rates in Zamboanga Peninsula, All items  
In Percent  
January 2019- November 2022  
(2018=100)

Month	Year			
	2019	2020	2021	2022
January	4.0	2.7	0.4	6.0
February	2.9	2.4	2.1	3.8
March	2.6	2.0	3.2	3.3
April	2.5	1.5	3.7	4.5
May	2.2	1.9	3.0	5.6
June	1.3	2.3	2.7	6.8
July	1.0	2.6	2.4	8.3
August	0.1	2.0	2.4	9.1
September	(2.1)	2.2	2.8	9.6
October	(2.1)	1.8	3.6	9.0
November	(1.0)	1.4	4.2	8.9
December	0.8	0.9	4.5	
<b>Average</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>6.8</b>

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Inflation Rate by Commodity Group for All Income Households in  
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA 2018=100

Commodity Group	Inflation		
	November 2021	October 2022	November 2022
<b>FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>9.1</b>
<b>FOOD</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>9.5</b>
Cereals and cereal products	4.5	3.8	4.0
Cereals	5.5	2.5	2.7
Rice	1.1	0.3	0.1
Corn	24.6	9.8	11.8
Flour, Bread And Other Bakery Products, Pasta Products, And Other Cereals	1.3	8.4	8.5
Meat and other parts of slaughtered land animals	8.5	17.1	19.8
Fish and other seafood	10.0	9.8	8.8
Milk, other dairy products and eggs	(0.3)	4.8	5.4
Oils and fats	3.9	17.3	17.3
Fruits and nuts	(7.0)	12.7	12.0
Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses	(0.3)	12.8	11.1
Sugar, confectionery and desserts	0.6	38.7	41.0
Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c.	(0.7)	7.5	7.7
<b>ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>8.3</b>
<b>CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.5</b>
<b>HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<b>FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>
<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>
<b>TRANSPORT</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>11.4</b>
<b>INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<b>RECREATION, SPORT AND CULTURE</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.2</b>
<b>EDUCATION SERVICES</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>
<b>RESTAURANTS AND ACCOMMODATION SERVICES</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>17.3</b>
<b>FINANCIAL SERVICES</b>	<b>51.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>PERSONAL CARE, AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.8</b>

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For *food index*, it accelerated to 9.5 percent in November 2022, from 9.4 percent in the previous month. In November 2021, food index was lower by 4.5 percent.

The increase in the food index was mainly brought about by the higher annual increase in the index of *Meat and other parts of slaughtered animals* at 19.8 percent during this month, from 17.1 percent in the previous month and *Sugar, confectionery and desserts* at 41.0 percent during this month, from 38.7 percent during the previous month.

The following food groups exhibited higher annual increments during the month:

- a. *Cereals and cereal products*, 4.0 percent;
- b. *Milk, other dairy products, and eggs*, 5.4 percent; and
- c. *Ready-made food and other food products n.e.c.*, 7.7 percent.

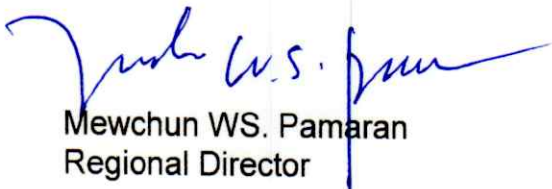
On the other hand, the following food groups recorded lower increments:

- a. *Fish and other seafood*, 8.8 percent;
- b. *Fruits and nuts*, 12.0 percent; and
- c. *Vegetables, tubers, plantains, cooking bananas and pulses*, 11.1 percent.

Among the provinces in the region, Zamboanga Sibugay had the highest inflation at 10.9 percent, followed by Zamboanga Del Sur at 10.8 percent, Zamboanga city at 8.3 percent, Zamboanga Del Norte at 7.0 percent, and City of Isabela at 4.0 percent.

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



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