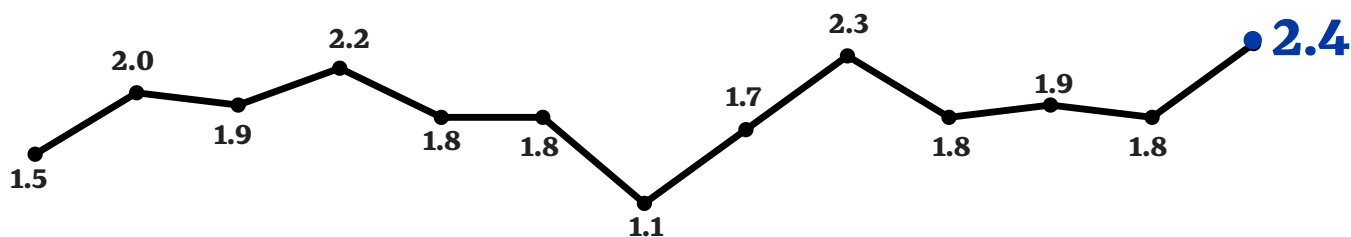


# DECEMBER 2020 PRICE STATISTICS EASTERN VISAYAS (2012=100)

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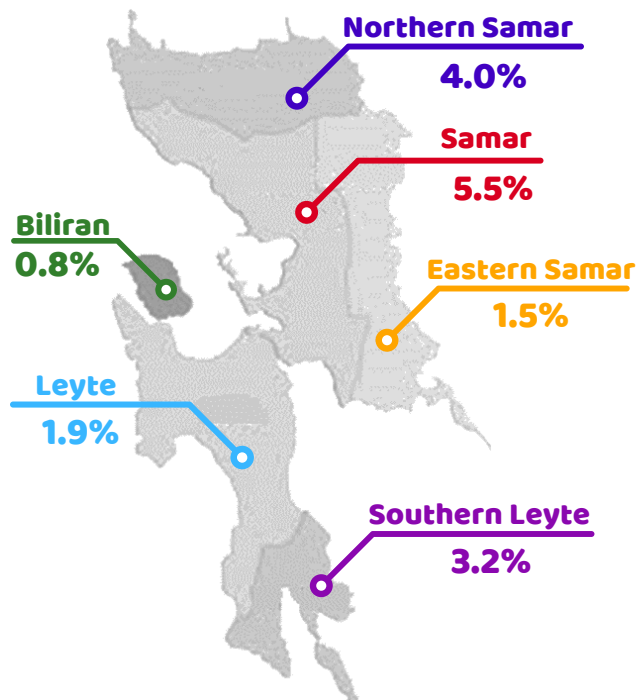
## EV closes 2020 with 2.4% inflation rate



## FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES increases to 3.1% IR in December 2020

Commodity Group	Nov 2020	Dec 2020
All Items	1.8%	2.4%
Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages	1.7%	3.1%
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	6.4%	9.3%
Clothing and Footwear	2.5%	2.7%
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Other Fuels	0.5%	-0.6%
Furnishings, Household Equipment & Routine Maintenance of the House	2.4%	2.4%
Health	1.1%	1.2%
Transport	3.9%	5.0%
Communication	-1.5%	-1.6%
Recreation and Culture	-1.4%	-1.4%
Education	0.4%	0.4%
Restaurant and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	3.8%	3.8%

## SAMAR posts highest inflation rate in EV



## PURCHASING POWER OF PESO (PPP)



PPP in EV was recorded at PhP 0.78. This implies that goods and services worth PhP 78.00 in 2012 is already worth PhP 100.00 in December 2020.

**Biliran** registered the **strongest PPP** at PhP 0.82, while **Samar** posted the **weakest** at PhP 0.71.