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## Construction Materials Retail Price Index (CMRPI) in the National Capital Region (NCR) (2012=100)

January 2021

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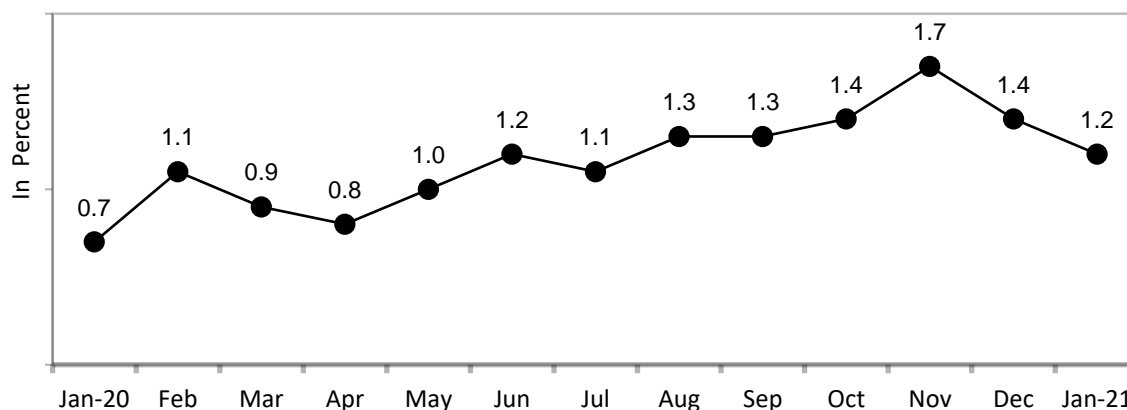
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**Table A. Year-on-Year Growth Rates of the CMRPI in NCR, All Items  
In Percent  
(2012=100)**

January 2021	December 2020	January 2020	Year-to-Date
1.2	1.4	0.7	1.2

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

**Figure 1. Growth Rates of the CMRPI in NCR, All Items  
January 2020 – January 2021  
(2012=100)**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

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## **CMRPI in NCR continues to move up at a slower pace in January 2021**

The annual increment of CMRPI in NCR decelerated further to 1.2 percent in January 2021, from its previous month's annual rate of 1.4 percent. In January 2020, its annual change was observed at 0.7 percent. (Tables A and 2)

Annual increases slowed down in the indices of the following commodity groups during the month:

- Electrical materials and plumbing materials, both at 0.6 percent;
- Tinsmithry materials, 1.7 percent; and
- Miscellaneous construction materials, 0.7 percent.

Meanwhile, annual hikes were higher in the indices of carpentry materials and masonry materials, both at 1.5 percent; and painting materials and related compounds, 1.7 percent. (Table 2)



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