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

January 2022

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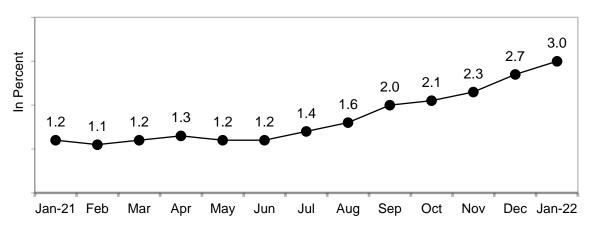
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Table A. Year-on-Year Growth Rates of the CMRPI in NCR, All Items
In Percent
(2012=100)

January 2021	December 2021	January 2022	Year-to-Date
1.2	2.7	3.0	3.0

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Figure 1. Growth Rates of the CMRPI in NCR, All Items
January 2021 – January 2022
(2012=100)



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority



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CMRPI in NCR continues to increase in January 2022

The annual increment of CMRPI in NCR increased further to 3.0 percent in January 2022 from its previous month's annual rate of 2.7 percent. In January 2021, its annual growth was observed at 1.2 percent. (Tables A and 2)

Annual hikes were higher in the indices of the following commodity groups:

- a. Electrical materials, 2.8 percent;
- b. Masonry materials, 2.0 percent;
- c. Plumbing materials, 3.8 percent;
- d. Tinsmithry materials, 4.2 percent; and
- e. Miscellaneous construction materials, 4.4 percent. (Table 2)

Meanwhile, annual increases decelerated in the indices of carpentry materials at 1.1 percent; and painting materials and related compounds at 1.9 percent.

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