



# STATISTICAL INSTITUTE OF BELIZE



## Inflation Rate *January – October 2025*



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# Year to Date Inflation Rate

## January – October 2025

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# Inflation Rate

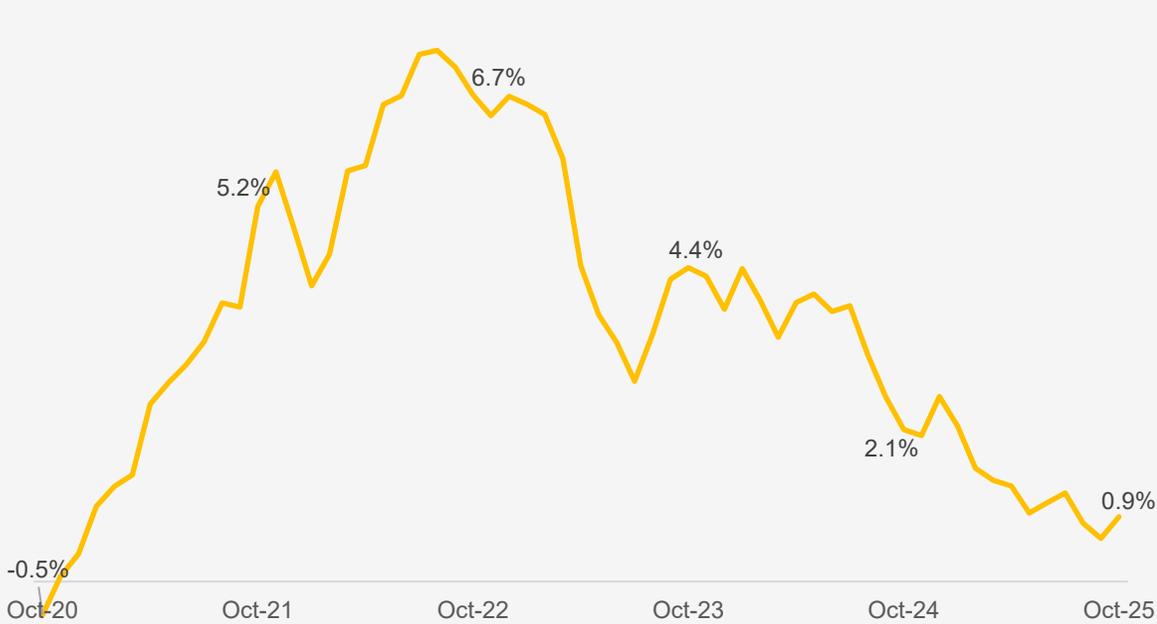
 **1.2%**

For **the first ten months in 2025**, when compared to the same period in 2024, the cost of goods and services purchased by households **increased by 1.2%**.

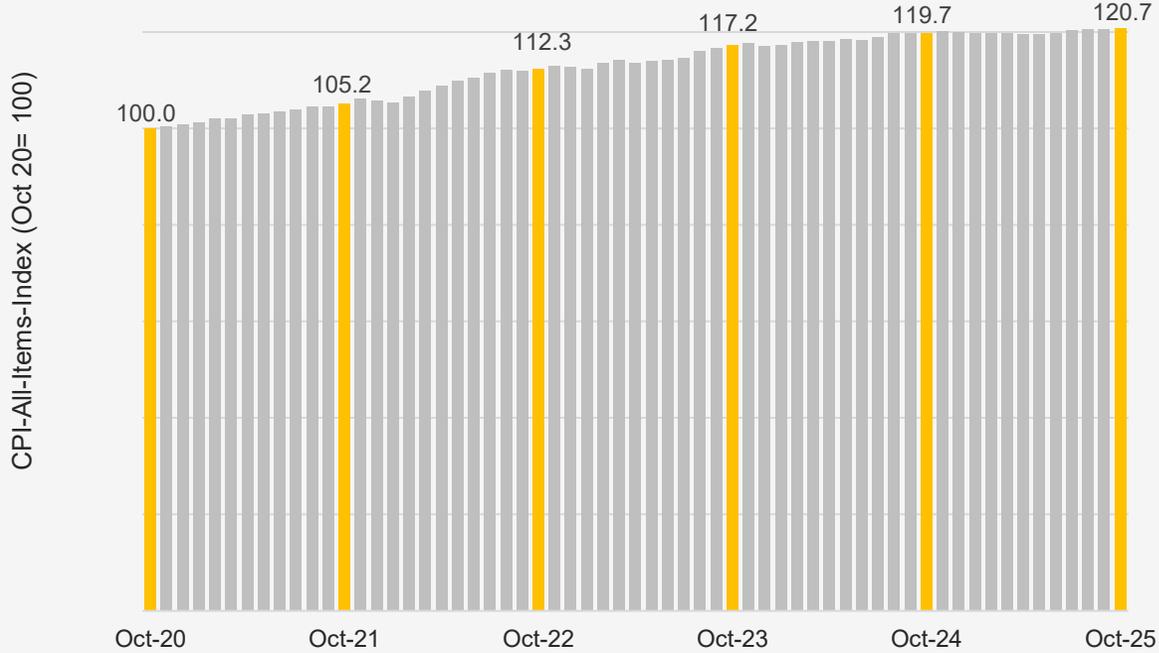
# National Inflation Rate (%) and All-Items Consumer Price Index

## October 2020 - October 2025

National Inflation Rate (%)



All Items Consumer Price Index (CPI)

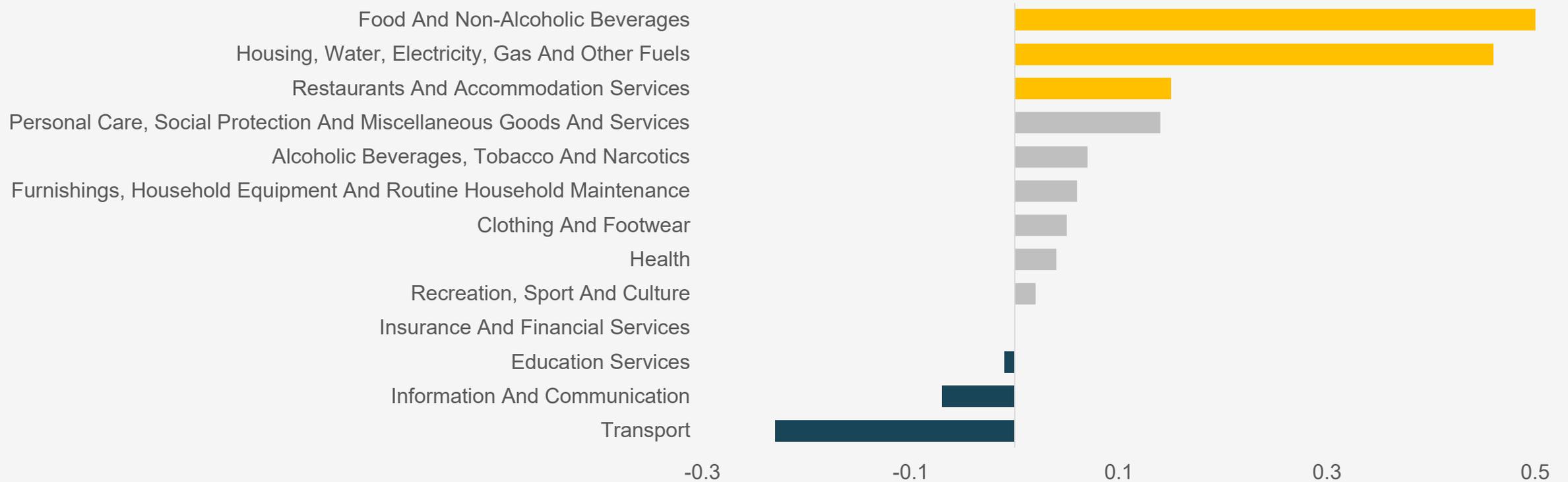


Source: Statistical Institute of Belize. Consumer Price Index, 2025.

# Year-to-date – Weighted Contribution to the Inflation Rate by Major Categories

## January – October 2025

Contribution to CPI growth of 1.2%



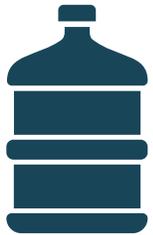
# Year-to-Date Inflation Rate of Selected Categories

January – October 2025

## Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages

 **1.9%**

### Purified Water



 **7.7%**

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### Soft Drinks



 **6.4%**

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### Fruit and Vegetable Juices



 **11.6%**

Natural Juices 17.8%

### Cereal Products



 **2.3%**

White Bread 8.3%  
Biscuits 12.1%

### Meats



 **2.1%**

Beef 4.6%  
Pork 5.3%  
Chicken 1.2%

### Fruits and Nuts



 **7.0%**

Watermelons 14.0%  
Oranges 11.7%  
Pineapples 16.9%

# Year-to-date Inflation Rate of Selected Categories

January – October 2025

## Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels

 **2.4%**

### Rent



 **2.3%**

### LPG (butane gas)



 **8.4%**

### LPG Cylinder (100 Lbs.)

Jan – Oct 2024

Jan – Oct 2025

\$118.73

**\$128.68**

### Restaurants and Accommodation Services

 **2.3%**

#### Food and Beverage Serving Services



 **2.6%**

#### Accommodation Services

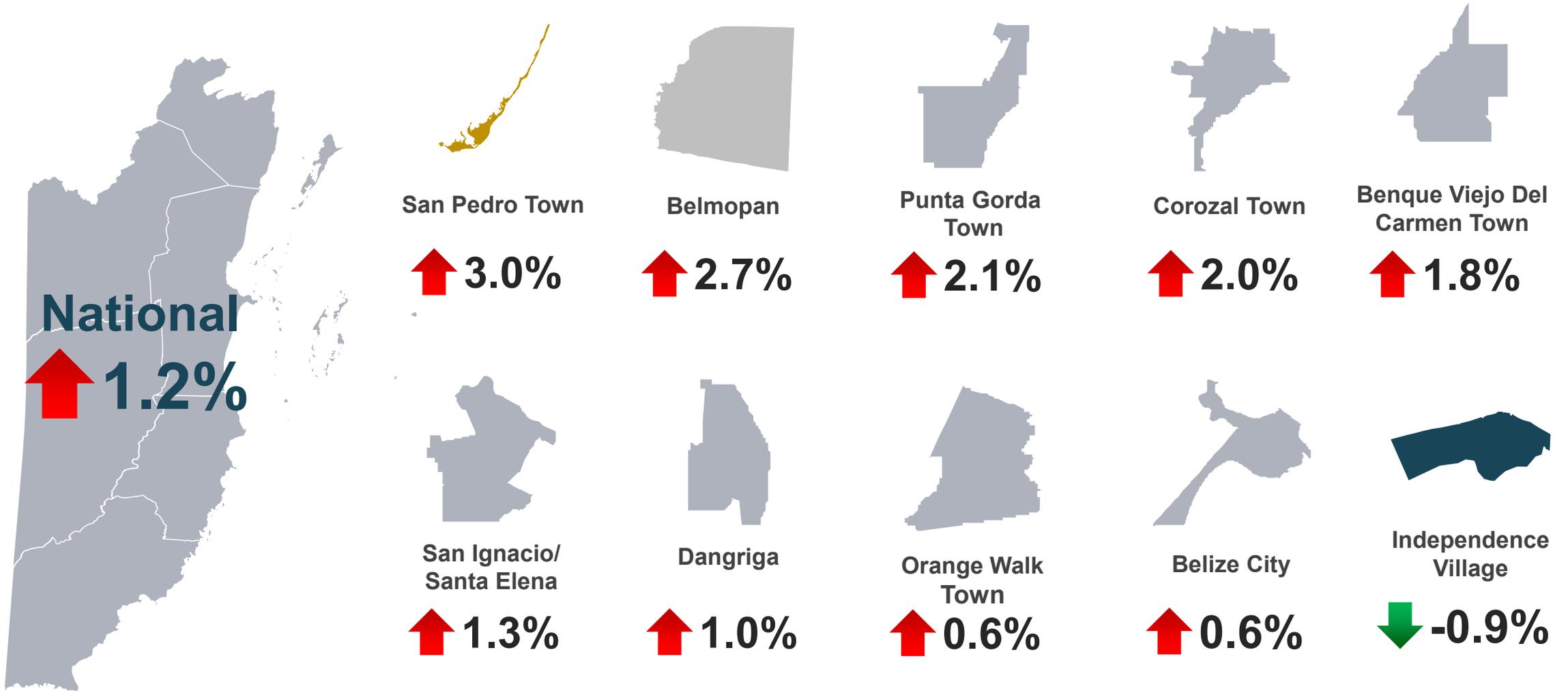


 **2.8%**

Restaurants with Full Services	2.7%
Restaurants with Limited Services	2.5%

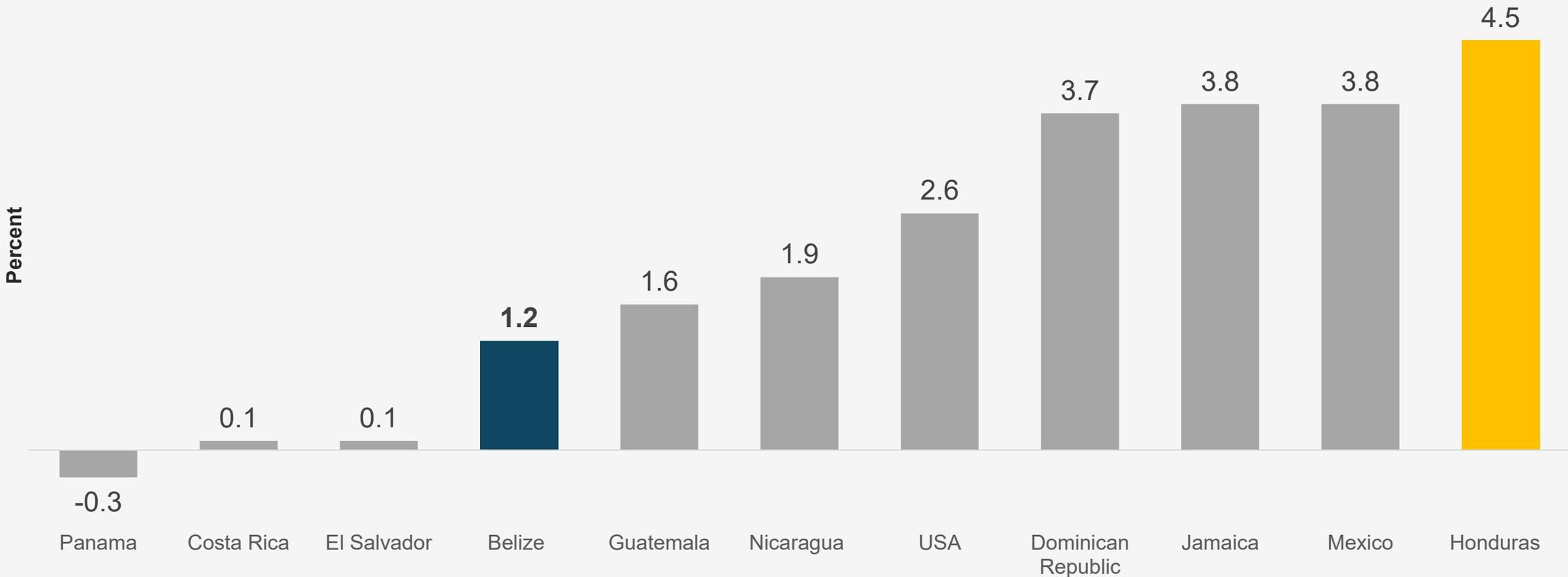
# Year-to-Date Inflation Rates by Municipality

January – October 2025



# Year-to-Date Inflation Rates of Selected Countries

January – October 2025



Source: Consumer Price Index, October 2025; Statistical Institute of Belize, Statistical Institute of Jamaica, Central Bank of Dominican Republic, Central Bank of Mexico, Central Bank of El Salvador, Central Bank of Guatemala, Central Bank of Honduras, National Institute of Development Information Nicaragua, National Institute of Statistics and Census Panama, INEC Costa Rica, and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

# Year-to-Date Inflation Rates

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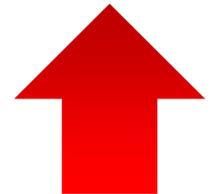
The year-to-date inflation rate for **the first ten months of 2025** stood at **1.2%**, compared to the same period in 2024.

The main contributor to the overall increase was the '**Food & non-alcoholic beverages**' category.

Higher prices were also seen for **home rental costs, LPG costs, and food and beverage serving services.**

# ALL ITEMS

# 1.2%



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