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**PRICE SITUATIONER of Selected Agricultural Commodities,  
Week ending December 5, 2008**

**RICE: Prices moved in different directions across trading centers.**

- Upward movement of prices was noted in the following key cities:
  - In Tuguegarao City, by P0.50/kg for all types of commercial rice;
  - In Naga City, by P2.00/kg for fancy rice and by P4.00/kg for well milled rice;
  - In Butuan City, by P1.00/kg for well milled and regular milled rice;
  - In Cebu City, by P1.00/kg for premium rice; and
  - In Iloilo City, by P0.65/kg for regular milled rice.
  
- Downward movement of prices was noted in the following key cities:
  - In Naga City, by P1.00/kg for premium rice;
  - In Zamboanga City, by P1.00/kg for well milled rice; and
  - In Cagayan de Oro and Tacloban cities, by P1.00 and P2.00 per kilogram for regular milled rice, respectively.

**MEAT & POULTRY: Prices of pork products and dressed chicken were generally stable while those of beef products showed uptrends in some trading centers.**

- Prices of beef lean meat and beef with bones went up by P10.00/kg in the cities of San Fernando and Naga. In Cebu and Cabanatuan cities, prices of beef with bones, likewise, increased by P5.00 and P10.00 per kilogram, respectively.
- Price increase of P5.00/kg for both pork products was observed in Cebu City only.
- Price of dressed chicken was higher by P10.00/kg in Naga City. In other trading centers, prices remained at last week's levels.
- Chicken egg prices eased down by P0.17/pc and P0.50/pc in the cities of Tacloban and Iloilo, respectively. In Cabanatuan City, price inched up by P0.15/pc.

**FISH: Prices of bangus were generally stable while those of alumahan, galunggong and tilapia reflected varied movements.**

- Price increments recorded were P20.00/kg at most which were noted in Naga City for alumahan and Cebu City for bangus.
- On the other hand, price decrements were uniform at P10.00/kg for alumahan, galunggong and tilapia.

**VEGETABLES: Prices of tropical vegetables, cabbage and tomato moved upward while those of carrots, white potato and red onion moved otherwise.**

- Prices of eggplant scaled up in eight (8) trading centers ranging from P2.00/kg (Tuguegarao City) to P10.00/kg (Tacloban City).
- Prices of red onion declined by as much as P20.00/kg in Tacloban City.

**FRUITS:**

- Prices of calamansi remained at last week's levels in most trading centers. An upward price movement of P5.00/kg was noted in the cities of Cabanatuan and Iloilo while a downward movement of P4.00/kg was recorded in Cebu City.
- Prices of mango were lower by P5.00/kg to P20.00/kg in six (6) trading centers (Metro Manila, Tuguegarao, Naga, Zamboanga, Iloilo and Butuan cities).

**OTHER BASIC COMMODITIES:**

- **Cooking Oil** – Prices fell by P2.00/bottle in Tuguegarao and Naga cities, by P4.00/bottle in Cebu and Tacloban cities and by P10.00/bottle in Metro Manila.
- **Refined Sugar** – Price cuts of P1.00 and P3.00 per kilogram were posted in the cities of Tuguegarao and Cebu, respectively.
- **Brown Sugar** – Prices decreased by P1.00/kg in the cities of Tuguegarao, Batangas and Cebu. In Naga City, price increased by P2.00/kg.

**Comparative Prevailing Retail Prices of Selected Agricultural Commodities  
at Various Trading Centers for the Week Ending December 5, 2008  
(peso per kilogram)**

Trading Center	RICE FANCY			RICE PREMIUM			WELL MILLED RICE			REGULAR MILLED RICE			NFA RICE	
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week
Metro Manila	42.00	42.00		40.00	40.00		35.00	35.00		30.00	30.00		25.00	25.00
CAR (Baguio City)	40.00	40.00		40.00	40.00		32.00	32.00		26.00	26.00		25.00	25.00
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	40.00	40.00					35.00	35.00		30.00	30.00		25.00	25.00
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	36.50	37.00	0.50	33.50	34.00	0.50	27.50	28.00	0.50	25.50	26.00	0.50		25.00
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)							34.00	34.00		30.00	30.00			
REG.4 (Batangas City)	38.00	38.00		36.00	36.00		34.00	34.00		28.00	28.00		25.00	25.00
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	38.00	38.00		34.00	34.00		30.00	30.00		26.00	26.00		25.00	25.00
REG.5 (Naga City)	37.00	39.00	2.00	35.00	34.00	(1.00)	29.00	33.00	4.00	26.00	26.00		25.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	50.00	50.00					38.00	38.00		32.35	33.00	0.65		
REG.7 (Cebu City)				37.00	38.00	1.00	34.00	34.00		30.00	30.00		25.00	25.00
REG.8 (Tacloban City)				40.00	40.00		35.00	35.00		30.00	28.00	(2.00)	25.00	25.00
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	43.00	43.00		42.00	42.00		35.00	34.00	(1.00)	29.00	29.00		25.00	25.00
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	45.00	45.00		44.00	44.00		35.00	35.00		31.00	30.00	(1.00)	25.00	25.00
REG.11 (Davao City)	50.00	50.00					34.00	34.00		26.00	26.00		25.00	25.00
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)				32.00	32.00		29.00	29.00		25.00	25.00			
CARAGA (Butuan City)				39.00	39.00		34.00	35.00	1.00	27.00	28.00	1.00	25.00	25.00
ARMM (Cotabato City)	32.00	32.00		29.00	29.00		28.00	28.00		26.00	26.00			

**Comparative Prevailing Retail Prices of Selected Agricultural Commodities  
at Various Trading Centers for the Week Ending December 5, 2008  
(peso per kilogram)**

Trading Center	BEEF, LEAN MEAT			BEEF, WITH BONES			PORK, LEAN MEAT			PORK, LIEMPO			DRESSED CHICKEN		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	230.00	230.00		180.00	180.00		150.00	150.00		160.00	160.00		120.00	120.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	220.00	220.00		180.00	180.00		170.00	170.00		170.00	170.00		130.00	130.00	
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	230.00	240.00	10.00	210.00	220.00	10.00	170.00	170.00		170.00	170.00		120.00	120.00	
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	250.00	250.00		180.00	180.00		180.00	180.00		160.00	160.00		130.00	130.00	
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)	200.00	200.00		180.00	190.00	10.00	160.00	160.00		160.00	160.00		110.00	110.00	
REG.4 (Batangas City)	200.00	200.00		180.00	180.00		170.00	170.00		150.00	150.00		130.00	130.00	
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	220.00	220.00		180.00	180.00		170.00	170.00		160.00	160.00		130.00	130.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	210.00	220.00	10.00	200.00	210.00	10.00	180.00	180.00		170.00	170.00		110.00	120.00	10.00
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	170.00	170.00		150.00	150.00		150.00	150.00		140.00	140.00		115.00	115.00	
REG.7 (Cebu City)	200.00	200.00		155.00	160.00	5.00	155.00	160.00	5.00	145.00	150.00	5.00	120.00	120.00	
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	260.00	260.00		180.00	180.00		180.00	180.00		170.00	170.00		115.00	115.00	
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	280.00	280.00		140.00	140.00		160.00	160.00		140.00	140.00		108.00	108.00	
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	180.00	180.00		130.00	130.00		160.00	160.00		145.00	145.00		110.00	110.00	
REG.11 (Davao City)	180.00	180.00		150.00	150.00		140.00	140.00		140.00	140.00		110.00	110.00	
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	140.00	140.00		110.00	110.00		120.00	120.00		120.00	120.00		120.00	120.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	240.00	240.00		140.00	140.00		150.00	150.00		160.00	160.00		120.00	120.00	
ARMM (Cotabato City)	160.00	160.00		120.00	120.00		130.00	130.00		120.00	120.00		115.00	115.00	

Trading Center	CHICKEN EGG, MED. (per piece)			ALUMAHAN			BANGUS			GALUNGGONG			TILAPIA		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	4.00	4.00		120.00	120.00		110.00	110.00		100.00	100.00		80.00	80.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	4.50	4.50			120.00		120.00	120.00		100.00	100.00		90.00	90.00	
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	4.50	4.50		150.00	150.00		120.00	120.00		100.00	90.00	(10.00)	80.00	90.00	10.00
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	4.50	4.50					120.00	120.00		100.00	100.00		85.00	85.00	
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)	4.25	4.40	0.15				130.00	130.00		100.00	100.00		85.00	85.00	
REG.4 (Batangas City)	4.00	4.00		100.00			100.00	100.00		120.00	120.00		80.00	80.00	
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	4.50	4.50		90.00	90.00		110.00			80.00	80.00		90.00	90.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	3.80	3.80		80.00	100.00	20.00	90.00	100.00	10.00	80.00	90.00	10.00	80.00	80.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	5.00	4.50	(0.50)	110.00	110.00		110.00	110.00		100.00			110.00	100.00	(10.00)
REG.7 (Cebu City)	4.50	4.50		90.00	90.00		100.00	120.00	20.00	100.00	90.00	(10.00)	90.00	80.00	(10.00)
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	5.00	4.83	(0.17)	120.00	120.00		130.00	130.00		80.00	80.00		100.00		
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	4.50	4.50		60.00	70.00	10.00	100.00	100.00		60.00	50.00	(10.00)			
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	4.35	4.35		90.00	80.00	(10.00)	120.00	120.00		80.00	80.00		70.00	70.00	
REG.11 (Davao City)	4.10	4.10			100.00		100.00	100.00			90.00		50.00	60.00	10.00
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	6.00	6.00					120.00	120.00		100.00	100.00		70.00	70.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	4.50	4.50		100.00	90.00	(10.00)	100.00	100.00		80.00	80.00		80.00	70.00	(10.00)
ARMM (Cotabato City)	5.00	5.00		110.00	110.00		120.00	120.00		70.00	70.00		90.00	90.00	

**Comparative Prevailing Retail Prices of Selected Agricultural Commodities  
at Various Trading Centers for the Week Ending December 5, 2008  
(peso per kilogram)**

Trading Center	AMPALAYA			CABBAGE			CARROTS			EGGPLANT			HABITCHUELAS		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	60.00	60.00		35.00	35.00		50.00	50.00		35.00	40.00	5.00	50.00	50.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	40.00	50.00	10.00	30.00	30.00		45.00	40.00	(5.00)	25.00	30.00	5.00	35.00	60.00	25.00
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	50.00	50.00		30.00	30.00		45.00	45.00		30.00	30.00		50.00	50.00	
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	45.00	45.00		25.00	25.00		45.00	40.00	(5.00)	28.00	30.00	2.00	45.00	40.00	(5.00)
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)	60.00	60.00		25.00	30.00	5.00	50.00	45.00	(5.00)	40.00	45.00	5.00	40.00	45.00	5.00
REG.4 (Batangas City)	60.00	60.00		45.00	45.00		60.00	60.00		30.00	30.00		60.00	60.00	
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	50.00	50.00		40.00	40.00		60.00	60.00		20.00	25.00	5.00	40.00	40.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	50.00	40.00	(10.00)	45.00	40.00	(5.00)	60.00	50.00	(10.00)	26.00	25.00	(1.00)	40.00	40.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	50.00	50.00		50.00	50.00		65.00	60.00	(5.00)	50.00	40.00	(10.00)	70.00	60.00	(10.00)
REG.7 (Cebu City)	55.00	60.00	5.00	30.00	36.00	6.00	90.00	70.00	(20.00)	30.00	30.00		28.00	38.00	10.00
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	60.00	70.00	10.00	30.00	35.00	5.00	90.00	80.00	(10.00)	30.00	40.00	10.00	60.00	60.00	
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	40.00	45.00	5.00	30.00	30.00		60.00	60.00		35.00	30.00	(5.00)	40.00	40.00	
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	40.00	40.00		20.00	20.00		60.00	50.00	(10.00)	24.00	24.00		24.00	24.00	
REG.11 (Davao City)	40.00	45.00	5.00	20.00	30.00	10.00	70.00	70.00		30.00	35.00	5.00	40.00	40.00	
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	45.00	45.00		35.00	35.00		70.00	70.00		30.00	30.00		35.00	35.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	60.00	50.00	(10.00)	45.00	40.00	(5.00)	90.00	90.00		35.00	30.00	(5.00)	45.00	40.00	(5.00)
ARMM (Cotabato City)	40.00	35.00	(5.00)	25.00	30.00	5.00	60.00	60.00		25.00	30.00	5.00	35.00	35.00	

Trading Center	ONION, RED			PECHAY, NATIVE			SITAO			TOMATO			WHITE POTATO		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	80.00	80.00		40.00	35.00	(5.00)	45.00	45.00		50.00	50.00		50.00	50.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	60.00	60.00		50.00	50.00		25.00	25.00		40.00	60.00	20.00	35.00	35.00	
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	70.00	70.00		30.00	30.00		25.00	30.00	5.00	40.00	40.00		45.00	45.00	
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	45.00	50.00	5.00	30.00	40.00	10.00	30.00	40.00	10.00	34.00	30.00	(4.00)	40.00	40.00	
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)				30.00	30.00		40.00	45.00	5.00	40.00	40.00		40.00	40.00	
REG.4 (Batangas City)	80.00	75.00	(5.00)	50.00	50.00		60.00	60.00		48.00	50.00	2.00	50.00	60.00	10.00
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	80.00	80.00		35.00	35.00		25.00	25.00		40.00	40.00		60.00	60.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	60.00	76.00	16.00	40.00	36.00	(4.00)	20.00	20.00		48.00	48.00		60.00	60.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	70.00	70.00		68.00	60.00	(8.00)	40.00	40.00		40.00	40.00		70.00	60.00	(10.00)
REG.7 (Cebu City)	80.00	80.00		48.00	58.00	10.00	28.00	32.00	4.00	40.00	50.00	10.00	75.00	70.00	(5.00)
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	100.00	80.00	(20.00)	35.00	30.00	(5.00)	40.00	35.00	(5.00)	35.00	40.00	5.00	90.00	80.00	(10.00)
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	80.00	80.00		35.00	35.00		40.00	30.00	(10.00)	35.00	35.00		65.00	60.00	(5.00)
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	85.00	85.00		40.00	40.00		24.00	24.00		40.00	40.00		50.00	50.00	
REG.11 (Davao City)	80.00	70.00	(10.00)	50.00	50.00		25.00	25.00		40.00	40.00		80.00	80.00	
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	100.00	100.00		45.00	45.00		30.00	30.00		35.00	35.00		100.00	100.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	90.00	80.00	(10.00)	50.00	60.00	10.00	30.00	30.00		35.00	35.00		90.00	90.00	
ARMM (Cotabato City)	75.00	70.00	(5.00)	25.00	25.00		25.00	25.00		35.00	28.00	(7.00)	80.00	80.00	

**Comparative Prevailing Retail Prices of Selected Agricultural Commodities  
at Various Trading Centers for the Week Ending December 5, 2008  
(peso per kilogram)**

Trading Center	BANANA, LAKATAN (per piece)			BANANA, LATUNDAN (per piece)			CALAMANSI			MANGO, CARABAO			PAPAYA		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	3.33	3.33		3.00	3.00		30.00	30.00		100.00	80.00	(20.00)	70.00	70.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	2.50	2.50		1.50	1.50		30.00	30.00		90.00	90.00		50.00	50.00	
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	4.50	4.50		3.50	3.50		30.00	30.00		120.00	120.00		25.00	25.00	
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	3.00	2.50	(0.50)	1.50	1.25	(0.25)	25.00	25.00		120.00	110.00	(10.00)	40.00	35.00	(5.00)
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)	3.00	3.00		2.90	2.90		30.00	35.00	5.00	90.00	90.00		25.00	30.00	5.00
REG.4 (Batangas City)	4.44	4.44		3.00	3.00		25.00	25.00							
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	4.00	4.00		3.00	3.00		50.00	50.00		70.00	70.00		25.00	25.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	3.89	3.89		1.50	1.50		40.00	40.00		70.00	60.00	(10.00)	50.00	50.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	4.40	4.40		3.00	3.00		35.00	40.00	5.00	80.00	75.00	(5.00)	30.00	30.00	
REG.7 (Cebu City)	3.75	3.75		2.00	2.00		36.00	32.00	(4.00)	60.00	60.00		20.00	20.00	
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	2.00	2.00		1.50	1.50		40.00	40.00		70.00	70.00				
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	1.38	1.50	0.12	0.85	0.85		20.00	20.00		80.00	70.00	(10.00)	20.00	20.00	
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	2.50	2.50		1.25	1.25		20.00	20.00		50.00	50.00		20.00	25.00	5.00
REG.11 (Davao City)	1.80	1.80		1.50	1.50		15.00	15.00		50.00	50.00		15.00	15.00	
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	1.82	1.82		1.67	1.67		20.00	20.00		50.00	50.00		14.00	14.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	3.50	3.50		1.25	1.25		25.00	25.00		65.00	60.00	(5.00)	25.00	30.00	5.00
ARMM (Cotabato City)	5.56	5.56		2.50	2.50		20.00	20.00		50.00	50.00		15.00	15.00	

Trading Center	COOKING OIL (in Long neck bottle)			BROWN SUGAR			REFINED SUGAR		
	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference	last week	this week	Difference
Metro Manila	50.00	40.00	(10.00)	30.00	30.00		36.00	36.00	
CAR (Baguio City)	60.00	60.00		32.00	32.00		42.00	42.00	
REG.1 (San Fernando City)	60.00	60.00		34.00	34.00		40.00	40.00	
REG.2 (Tuguegarao City)	58.00	56.00	(2.00)	31.00	30.00	(1.00)	39.00	38.00	(1.00)
REG.3 (Cabanatuan City)	60.00	60.00		30.00	30.00		36.00	36.00	
REG.4 (Batangas City)	32.00	32.00		27.00	26.00	(1.00)	37.00	37.00	
REG.5 (Legaspi City)	60.00	60.00		30.00	30.00		40.00	40.00	
REG.5 (Naga City)	40.00	38.00	(2.00)	26.00	28.00	2.00	36.00	36.00	
REG.6 (Iloilo City)	52.00	52.00		38.00	38.00		37.00	37.00	
REG.7 (Cebu City)	40.00	36.00	(4.00)	28.00	27.00	(1.00)	33.00	30.00	(3.00)
REG.8 (Tacloban City)	54.00	50.00	(4.00)	28.00	28.00		36.00	36.00	
REG.9 (Zamboanga City)	40.00	40.00		26.00	26.00		34.00	34.00	
REG.10 (Cagayan de Oro City)	52.00	52.00		30.00	30.00		36.00	36.00	
REG.11 (Davao City)	40.00	40.00		28.00	28.00		36.00	36.00	
REG.12 (Kidapawan City)	56.00	56.00		27.00	27.00		35.00	35.00	
CARAGA (Butuan City)	62.00			28.00	28.00		38.00	38.00	
ARMM (Cotabato City)	44.00	44.00		28.00	28.00		36.00	36.00	