

Table 9. Regional Month-on Month Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, February and January 2003
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C E R E A L S				R I C E				C O R N			
	% Change				% Change				% Change			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	153.6	153.7	-0.1	-0.1	153.0	153.2	-0.1	0.0	159.0	158.7	0.2	-0.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	154.4	156.3	-1.2	1.9	154.6	156.6	-1.3	2.0	138.2	139.2	-0.7	0.4
Areas Outside NCR	153.5	153.4	0.1	-0.3	152.8	152.7	0.1	-0.3	159.4	159.1	0.2	-0.4
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	139.1	138.0	0.8	-1.5	138.7	137.6	0.8	-1.5	171.3	171.1	0.1	0.0
I - I l o c o s	156.4	156.4	0.0	0.0	156.5	156.5	0.0	0.0	148.8	148.5	0.2	-1.6
II - Cagayan Valley	159.0	158.9	0.1	-0.4	160.4	160.1	0.2	-0.4	130.1	132.7	-2.0	0.1
III - Central Luzon	156.5	157.2	-0.4	0.6	155.2	156.0	-0.5	0.6	274.7	269.0	2.1	0.8
IV - Southern Tagalog	157.7	158.0	-0.2	0.0	157.5	157.8	-0.2	0.0	175.4	175.7	-0.2	-0.1
V - B i c o l	140.8	140.3	0.4	-2.0	138.9	138.6	0.2	-2.2	173.3	170.1	1.9	0.0
VI - Western Visayas	150.6	150.1	0.3	-0.1	148.6	148.1	0.3	-0.1	199.8	199.4	0.2	0.1
VII - Central Visayas	153.5	152.7	0.5	0.8	165.7	163.9	1.1	1.3	138.3	138.7	-0.3	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	156.2	156.2	0.0	-0.4	153.4	153.3	0.1	-0.5	194.1	194.2	-0.1	0.0
IX - Western Mindanao	170.2	170.2	0.0	-0.3	166.9	166.8	0.1	-0.6	177.7	177.8	-0.1	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	155.0	154.7	0.2	-0.5	148.4	148.0	0.3	0.4	170.4	170.3	0.1	-2.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	146.1	145.2	0.6	-1.1	144.9	144.6	0.2	-1.0	151.2	148.0	2.2	-1.1
XII - Central Mindanao	140.3	140.6	-0.2	-1.5	142.1	142.6	-0.4	-1.5	127.8	126.7	0.9	-1.2
Caraga	162.2	163.0	-0.5	0.1	160.4	160.6	-0.1	0.1	175.1	180.3	-2.9	-0.2
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	152.6	151.7	0.6	-0.5	152.1	151.4	0.5	-0.5	172.6	162.4	6.3	-0.1

Table 9 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	CEREAL PREPARATIONS				DAIRY PRODUCTS				E G G S			
	% Change				% Change				% Change			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Jan	Dec	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	162.0	161.3	0.4	0.5	159.4	157.9	0.9	0.2	138.1	137.4	0.5	0.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	169.4	168.7	0.4	0.3	162.8	161.5	0.8	0.2	141.7	142.3	-0.4	0.2
Areas Outside NCR	159.2	158.5	0.4	0.6	158.1	156.5	1.0	0.3	137.0	136.0	0.7	0.0
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	148.5	148.7	-0.1	0.3	160.6	158.9	1.1	0.3	142.4	142.3	0.1	0.1
I - I l o c o s	158.5	157.5	0.6	0.1	161.5	159.9	1.0	0.4	147.0	145.8	0.8	0.0
II - Cagayan Valley	149.1	149.5	-0.3	0.1	161.5	159.7	1.1	0.2	136.5	136.6	-0.1	0.1
III - Central Luzon	160.7	159.9	0.5	1.2	149.8	147.4	1.6	0.3	131.2	128.2	2.3	-1.4
IV - Southern Tagalog	152.5	151.8	0.5	0.5	159.5	158.4	0.7	0.1	134.1	133.2	0.7	0.0
V - B i c o l	155.2	153.5	1.1	0.1	151.1	149.9	0.8	0.1	142.7	142.9	-0.1	0.6
VI - Western Visayas	154.1	153.8	0.2	0.1	147.7	145.3	1.7	0.0	137.4	137.7	-0.2	0.6
VII - Central Visayas	176.9	176.4	0.3	0.5	161.8	161.5	0.2	0.6	148.2	148.6	-0.3	0.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	142.1	141.9	0.1	0.6	157.4	156.5	0.6	0.0	136.1	136.0	0.1	-0.1
IX - Western Mindanao	167.9	167.4	0.3	0.2	162.2	160.8	0.9	1.1	145.2	142.1	2.2	0.0
X - Northern Mindanao	161.9	161.3	0.4	0.1	161.2	160.0	0.7	0.2	133.0	131.9	0.8	-0.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	184.4	183.7	0.4	2.4	169.2	168.0	0.7	0.4	129.5	129.4	0.1	1.6
XII - Central Mindanao	144.0	142.8	0.8	0.3	193.0	190.7	1.2	0.1	140.4	139.8	0.4	0.3
Caraga	150.7	150.4	0.2	0.5	159.7	157.0	1.7	0.4	140.9	139.7	0.9	0.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	168.1	168.0	0.1	0.1	170.8	165.8	3.0	0.1	147.6	147.6	0.0	0.0

Table 9 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	F I S H				F R U I T S A N D V E G E T A B L E S				M E A T			
	% Change				% Change				% Change			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	177.0	177.7	-0.4	1.5	175.4	175.9	-0.3	0.6	133.7	133.8	-0.1	0.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	163.8	167.6	-2.3	2.8	187.9	191.0	-1.6	1.2	125.4	125.5	-0.1	-0.1
Areas Outside NCR	180.1	180.1	0.0	1.3	171.6	171.2	0.2	0.4	137.5	137.7	-0.1	0.2
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	171.7	161.7	6.2	2.1	149.0	151.5	-1.7	-0.7	144.1	144.2	-0.1	0.3
I - I l o c o s	183.7	181.4	1.3	0.9	158.0	159.6	-1.0	-2.0	135.8	135.9	-0.1	0.3
II - Cagayan Valley	163.8	164.1	-0.2	-0.1	152.2	152.7	-0.3	-1.0	137.6	137.4	0.1	0.0
III - Central Luzon	173.5	176.5	-1.7	1.4	166.8	167.8	-0.6	0.4	132.0	131.9	0.1	1.5
IV - Southern Tagalog	182.0	183.6	-0.9	2.2	156.5	157.7	-0.8	1.7	136.0	136.7	-0.5	-0.4
V - B i c o l	205.9	203.7	1.1	0.7	165.2	166.2	-0.6	0.1	147.0	147.1	-0.1	0.1
VI - Western Visayas	166.6	166.6	0.0	0.6	188.1	187.8	0.2	0.5	145.8	145.8	0.0	-0.2
VII - Central Visayas	200.1	200.0	0.0	1.3	198.4	196.8	0.8	-0.5	146.4	147.9	-1.0	-0.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	171.8	170.5	0.8	0.5	177.5	177.2	0.2	0.2	137.5	137.3	0.1	0.3
IX - Western Mindanao	169.3	168.2	0.7	0.6	184.5	184.1	0.2	0.8	130.9	130.0	0.7	0.0
X - Northern Mindanao	167.6	166.3	0.8	1.5	173.4	167.8	3.3	0.4	136.3	136.0	0.2	-0.4
XI - Southern Mindanao	164.9	165.8	-0.5	3.3	173.2	169.0	2.5	1.0	132.6	132.5	0.1	0.1
XII - Central Mindanao	160.9	161.2	-0.2	0.8	159.7	152.5	4.7	-0.4	136.6	137.2	-0.4	-0.1
Caraga	177.0	173.7	1.9	0.8	173.4	169.6	2.2	1.0	147.4	145.0	1.7	0.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	271.4	270.1	0.5	0.0	250.6	250.2	0.2	0.3	155.2	155.1	0.1	1.4

Table 9 (concluded)

A R E A / R E G I O N	M I S C E L L A N E O U S F O O D S				M E A L S E A T E N O U T S I D E			
	% Change				% Change			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	152.2	151.9	0.2	0.1	152.1	151.7	0.3	0.2
National Capital Region (NCR)	145.6	145.3	0.2	0.1	144.3	144.3	0.0	0.0
Areas Outside NCR	155.2	154.9	0.2	0.1	158.2	157.5	0.4	0.4
Regions:								
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	152.8	152.9	-0.1	-0.1	137.9	137.9	0.0	0.1
I - I l o c o s	150.4	150.0	0.3	-0.7	156.8	156.8	0.0	0.5
II - Cagayan Valley	147.7	148.3	-0.4	0.1	154.4	154.4	0.0	0.0
III - Central Luzon	148.5	148.4	0.1	0.5	151.7	151.7	0.0	1.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	152.0	151.6	0.3	-0.1	157.3	156.6	0.4	0.0
V - B i c o l	184.2	183.9	0.2	0.2	257.6	250.1	3.0	0.7
VI - Western Visayas	154.7	154.1	0.4	0.3	155.4	155.2	0.1	0.1
VII - Central Visayas	172.6	171.7	0.5	0.2	156.4	155.1	0.8	0.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	163.1	162.9	0.1	-0.2	177.5	177.4	0.1	-0.2
IX - Western Mindanao	149.5	148.5	0.7	0.3	144.2	144.1	0.1	0.0
X - Northern Mindanao	167.3	167.3	0.0	0.0	173.4	172.2	0.7	-0.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	146.5	146.5	0.0	0.0	138.3	138.3	0.0	0.1
XII - Central Mindanao	144.1	143.7	0.3	0.1	149.3	147.0	1.6	0.4
Caraga	140.1	140.5	-0.3	-0.1	135.3	135.3	0.0	0.0
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	180.5	178.9	0.9	0.1	196.7	196.3	0.2	0.0

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division, Prices and Indicators Section
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