Table 2.1. Month-on-Month Changes of the CPI, By Area, in Percent (1988 = 100)

AREA	1998	1998 1997												
	Jan	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	
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PHILIPPINES	1.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.1	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.8	0.4	0.6	
METRO MANILA	0.9	0.8 r	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.0	1.9	0.3	-0.1	1.1	0.9	0.0 r	
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA	1.0	0.3	0.7 r	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.2	1.0	-0.2	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.9	

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Source: Prices and Indicators Section

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