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Table 2.2. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI, By Area, in Percent
(1988 = 100)

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	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr
PHILIPPINES	7.9	7.3	7.4	6.4	5.1	6.1	6.5	5.7	5.3	4.5	4.8	4.8	4.2	4.6
METRO MANILA	8.8	7.6	8.4	7.8	6.6	6.9 r	7.0	7.0	6.8	5.8	6.9	6.9	5.9	6.0
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA	7.5	7.2	7.1	6.0	4.5	5.8 r	6.3 r	5.2	4.7 r	4.0	4.0	4.1	3.6	4.0

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Source: Prices Indicator Section
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