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A. Monthly Consumer Price Index For All Income Households in the Philippines, by Commodity Group, Area/Region: May and April 1998
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C O M M O D I T Y G R O U P													
	ALL ITEMS		FOOD, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO		CLOTHING		HOUSING AND REPAIRS		FUEL, LIGHT AND WATER		SERVICES		MISCELLANEOUS	
	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous
Philippines	135.5	133.8	134.3	131.9	127.6	126.8	150.2	149.0	124.9	124.9	144.7	143.8	114.8	114.0
Metro Manila	138.1	135.0	136.1	130.8	140.3	139.0	149.0	147.4	124.0	124.0	144.0	142.5	117.1	116.4
Areas Outside Metro Manila	134.5	133.3	133.8	132.2	123.7	123.1	151.1	150.2	125.3	125.3	145.0	144.5	114.0	113.2
Regions:														
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	127.6	126.7	128.9	127.3	126.0	125.9	135.7	135.2	117.1	117.9	127.9	127.8	110.6	110.5
I - I l o c o s	134.0	132.5	131.1	129.2	133.1	133.1	161.1	161.1	120.1	120.4	139.7	138.5	124.0	121.4
II - Cagayan Valley	133.3	132.0	130.5	128.7	124.8	123.9	152.3	152.3	119.4	119.5	150.7	149.4	116.7	115.6
III - Central Luzon	134.0	133.1	133.5	132.0	129.8	129.5	150.2	149.9	119.0	120.4	144.1	143.6	110.2	109.7
IV - Southern Tagalog	133.9	133.3	131.4	130.5	118.1	117.2	151.4	151.0	131.7	132.5	145.5	145.4	113.5	112.4
V - B i c o l	138.5	137.9	132.7	131.9	123.3	123.9	180.2	179.6	125.9	125.0	163.2	163.0	112.1	111.8
VI - Western Visayas	128.7	128.2	131.7	130.8	116.1	116.3	124.0	123.7	122.8	122.9	139.7	139.6	111.8	111.8
VII - Central Visayas	138.2	136.2	137.0	135.1	127.4	125.8	159.2	156.0	129.8	128.9	139.0	137.1	117.2	115.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	135.0	133.9	132.8	131.9	121.9	121.8	191.3	186.0	120.3	120.7	129.9	129.8	112.8	112.5
*IX - Western Mindanao	135.7	134.4	138.8	137.2	122.6	121.8	148.0	148.1	116.9	116.0	141.8	141.2	116.4	115.2
**X - Northern Mindanao	137.6	135.6	139.6	136.9	119.7	118.6	144.2	142.8	146.9	145.0	143.1	143.0	114.8	114.2
**XI - Southern Mindanao	137.3	134.6	137.6	133.5	130.6	129.9	138.9	138.8	123.6	123.3	161.9	161.0	116.2	115.1
*XII - Central Mindanao	133.0	132.2	135.0	134.1	122.2	121.3	151.6	151.6	115.2	113.5	136.9	136.3	114.0	113.7
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	140.8	139.6	143.1	141.4	120.1	119.8	182.2	180.9	145.8	143.4	138.1	137.6	104.2	105.5
CARAGA	134.1	132.4	135.5	134.4	118.2	115.3	143.4	139.4	134.4	130.5	140.7	138.3	119.2	117.7

* - excludes provinces belonging to ARMM
** - excludes provinces of CARAGA

Source: Prices and Indicator Section
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