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Table 3. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent By Area, By Commodity Group
(1994 = 100)

AREA/COMMODITY GROUP	1998						1 9 9 7							
	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun
PHILIPPINES														
All Items	10.7	10.3	9.0	8.5	8.2	7.1	5.9	7.3	7.4	6.8	6.5	5.5	5.8	5.7
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	10.1	9.0 r	7.1	6.3	6.1	4.8	3.4	4.8	4.9	4.1	3.8	2.7	3.2	3.3
Clothing	8.7	8.3	7.9	7.7	7.0	5.8	6.5	8.2	8.4	8.0	7.2	6.6	6.3	5.8
Housing and Repairs	12.5	13.0	12.3	11.8	11.7	11.5	10.5	12.5	12.3	11.9	11.8	10.4	10.3	9.7
Fuel, Light and Water	5.5	5.0	4.4	5.5	6.7	5.8	9.1	7.6	8.5	8.7	8.7	9.0	7.8	8.7
Services	14.5	15.9	15.6	15.9	14.9	14.0	12.1	13.2	14.0	13.6	12.7	12.2	12.1	12.1
Miscellaneous	9.4	8.8	8.2	7.4	5.6	4.0	3.6	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.2
METRO MANILA														
All Items	11.1	11.6	9.4	8.6	8.5	7.6	6.6	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.6	6.2	7.1	7.0
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	10.1	10.6	7.0	5.3	5.0	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.3	3.3	2.6	5.2	5.3
Clothing	12.3	11.4	10.6	10.8	9.6	8.4	8.7	10.6	11.1	10.7	9.2	8.0	8.0	8.1
Housing and Repairs	10.2	10.3	9.1	8.2	9.9	9.8	8.1	9.4	9.1	8.9	9.0	8.3	7.6	7.0
Fuel, Light and Water	7.3	6.4	4.3	5.5	5.8	3.0	10.0	5.5	7.0	8.1	7.5	9.9	8.5	8.8
Services	16.0	20.3	19.4	20.6	18.8	17.7	11.9	13.7	13.9	14.8	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.1
Miscellaneous	12.3	10.5	9.6	8.4	6.4	4.1	3.4	4.4	3.7	2.9	2.6	2.8	3.2	3.2
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA														
All Items	10.5	9.6	8.7	8.4	8.0	6.8	5.7	7.3	7.7	7.0	6.5	5.3	5.2	5.3
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	10.1	8.5 r	7.1	6.7	6.4	5.0	3.1	5.0	5.2	4.4	3.9	2.7	2.6	2.7
Clothing	7.4	7.3	7.0	6.6	6.1	4.9	5.9	7.4	7.5	7.1	6.5	6.1	5.7	5.2
Housing and Repairs	14.2	15.2	14.7	14.6	13.1	13.0	12.4	14.9	14.8	14.2	13.9	12.1	12.3	11.7
Fuel, Light and Water	4.7	4.4	4.5	5.4	7.1	7.1	8.7	8.4	9.3	9.1	9.2	8.6	7.5	8.6
Services	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.0	12.1	12.1	13.1	14.1	13.1	12.3	11.5	11.4	11.7
Miscellaneous	8.3	8.3 r	7.6	7.0	5.2	4.0	3.6	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.2	3.6	3.4	3.2

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