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

AREA	1998							1997					
	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul
PHILIPPINES	0.3	1.9	1.3	0.7	0.6	1.4	1.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.5r	0.7r	0.1
METRO MANILA	-0.7	1.7	2.6	1.0	0.4	1.4r	0.9	0.8r	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.1r	0.0
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA	0.8	1.9	0.8	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.0	0.3	0.7r	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.2

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Source: Prices and Indicators Section
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