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Table 8. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C E R E A L S						R I C E					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)		1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	142.2	141.4	137.6	134.9	3.3	4.8	141.6	140.9	137.3	134.5	3.1	4.7
Metro Manila	148.6	149.3	150.3	148.1	-1.1	0.8	148.9	149.6	150.7	148.5	-1.2	0.7
AOMM	141.4	140.4	135.9	133.1	4.0	5.4	140.5	139.6	135.4	132.5	3.8	5.4
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	134.2	133.2	125.2	124.4	7.2	7.0	134.0	133.1	125.1	124.3	7.1	7.1
I - I l o c o s	136.4	138.1	138.6	136.4	-1.6	1.3	136.4	138.1	138.8	136.5	-1.7	1.2
II - Cagayan Valley	142.8	139.5	134.5	131.9	6.1	5.8	143.0	139.6	136.1	133.3	5.1	4.7
III - Central Luzon	147.9	146.8	137.6	137.1	7.5	7.1	147.6	146.5	137.5	137.0	7.3	6.9
IV - Southern Tagalog	145.6	145.9	138.2	135.6	5.4	7.6	145.6	145.9	138.2	135.6	5.4	7.6
V - B i c o l	124.2	123.5	121.5	119.9	2.2	3.0	122.8	121.9	120.0	118.5	2.3	2.9
VI - Western Visayas	141.1	139.9	136.5	132.3	3.3	5.7	140.2	139.4	136.0	131.7	3.1	5.8
VII - Central Visayas	138.3	137.6	134.1	132.5	3.1	3.8	142.0	141.6	137.7	134.5	3.1	5.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	136.4	136.5	131.8	131.1	3.5	4.1	135.7	135.6	131.1	130.4	3.5	4.0
IX - Western Mindanao	150.3	145.7	143.5	135.3	4.8	7.7	148.7	141.7	136.9	132.1	8.6	7.3
X - Northern Mindanao	146.8	145.6	138.5	135.6	6.0	7.3	136.2	137.2	131.3	129.2	3.7	6.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	142.4	140.6	138.7	133.2	2.7	5.6	140.6	138.7	140.4	132.5	0.1	4.7
XII - Central Mindanao	141.9	139.0	140.2	134.3	1.2	3.5	140.4	137.1	139.5	132.6	0.6	3.4
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	146.9	143.1	141.2	136.6	4.0	4.8	146.1	143.0	141.1	136.3	3.5	4.9
CARAGA	142.1	141.5	137.8	134.5	3.1	5.2	139.2	138.6	136.1	131.8	2.3	5.2

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C O R N						C E R E A L P R E P A R A T I O N S					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)		1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	148.7	147.0	140.1	138.4	6.1	6.2	135.5	134.8 r	119.7 r	119.7 r	13.2	12.6 r
Metro Manila	131.7	132.0	123.7	123.8	6.5	6.6	135.8	135.4 r	122.3	121.7	11.0	11.3 r
AOMM	149.0	147.3	140.4	138.7	6.1	6.2	135.4	134.6 r	118.7 r	119.0 r	14.1	13.1 r
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	148.8	142.1	134.9	135.3	10.3	5.0	142.6	140.0	129.7	129.0	9.9	8.5
I - I l o c o s	136.5	134.9	116.3	122.2	17.4	10.4	135.3	133.5	111.4	126.6	21.5	5.5
II - Cagayan Valley	138.0	137.7	101.5	101.7	36.0	35.4	137.4	135.8	121.6	121.1	13.0	12.1
III - Central Luzon	172.1	171.4	143.6	148.6	19.8	15.3	138.2	137.8	125.2	124.1	10.4	11.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	143.4	143.1	137.0	138.8	4.7	3.1	127.5	126.7	109.6	109.2	16.3	16.0

V - B i c o l	148.0	150.5	147.8	144.6	0.1	4.1	132.7	132.4	119.5	119.1	11.0	11.2
VI - Western Visayas	162.3	152.6	149.5	147.8	8.6	3.2	132.3	132.5	120.4	119.5	9.9	10.9
VII - Central Visayas	133.6	132.6	129.6	130.1	3.1	1.9	147.6	146.7	113.7	114.5	29.8	28.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	145.6	149.1	140.7	140.8	3.5	5.9	122.0	120.1	112.2	112.1	8.7	7.1
IX - Western Mindanao	153.9	154.9	158.4	142.6	-2.8	8.6	136.2	133.6	124.6	121.6	9.3	9.9
X - Northern Mindanao	171.2	165.1	155.0	150.5	10.5	9.7	134.9	133.5	120.7	119.3	11.8	11.9
XI - Southern Mindanao	150.3	148.8	131.1	136.1	14.6	9.3	151.6	151.3	131.4	129.4	15.4	16.9
XII - Central Mindanao	151.9	152.5	145.4	145.8	4.5	4.6	137.9	137.7	117.0	116.5	17.9	18.2
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	178.3	147.4	146.1	148.5	22.0	-0.7	131.1	128.5 r	123.6	125.7	6.1	2.2 r
CARAGA	163.2	162.5	150.3	154.1	8.6	5.5	127.4	127.8	116.7 r	115.7 r	9.2	10.5 r

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	D A I R Y P R O D U C T S						E G G S					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)		1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	128.4	128.3	111.8	111.9	14.8	14.6	124.6	122.7	111.0	110.2	12.3	11.3
Metro Manila	126.0	126.0	111.2	112.0	13.3	12.5	137.4	134.0	110.2	109.4	24.7	22.5
AOMM	129.4	129.2	112.1	111.9	15.4	15.5	120.8	119.3	111.2	110.5	8.6	8.0
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	125.5	124.1	110.7	110.6	13.4	12.2	121.5	115.7	112.0	111.9	8.5	3.4
I - I l o c o s	135.3	134.1	115.9	117.7	16.7	13.9	129.8	121.6	113.2	114.7	14.7	6.0
II - Cagayan Valley	133.5	132.9	110.5	110.4	20.8	20.4	117.5	113.1	107.7	107.4	9.1	5.3
III - Central Luzon	125.6	124.6	110.8	110.4	13.4	12.9	119.6	118.0	109.9	108.6	8.8	8.7
IV - Southern Tagalog	129.6	129.3	111.6	111.5	16.1	16.0	117.4	116.7	108.1	108.2	8.6	7.9
V - B i c o l	131.4	131.2	110.7	110.8	18.7	18.4	122.4	120.8	116.4	115.4	5.2	4.7
VI - Western Visayas	124.7	125.1	108.7	107.6	14.7	16.3	121.8	120.9	110.4	109.4	10.3	10.5
VII - Central Visayas	130.9	132.9	105.4	105.7	24.2	25.7	132.2	129.6	128.0	125.6	3.3	3.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	128.0	127.5	115.5	116.1	10.8	9.8	119.1	121.4	110.5	108.0	7.8	12.4
IX - Western Mindanao	128.6	128.7	112.6	110.2	14.2	16.8	123.0	123.6	119.9	119.4	2.6	3.5
X - Northern Mindanao	129.8	129.6	112.2	111.6	15.7	16.1	116.8	116.5	109.6	109.2	6.6	6.7
XI - Southern Mindanao	135.6	135.9	117.8	118.3	15.1	14.9	116.3	117.1	103.2	105.3	12.7	11.2
XII - Central Mindanao	135.8	135.3	119.7	119.2	13.5	13.5	125.2	126.6	113.5	111.0	10.3	14.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	136.1	135.9	128.5	120.1	5.9	13.2	129.3	128.2	118.5	113.5	9.1	13.0
CARAGA	121.1	121.2	118.1	117.6	2.5	3.1	112.8	112.8	104.5	103.3	7.9	9.2

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	F I S H						F R U I T S A N D V E G E T A B L E S					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)		1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	141.4	141.4	127.6	126.9	10.8	11.4	156.5	161.2	129.2	129.0	21.2	25.0

Metro Manila	146.4	144.4	126.5	128.5	15.7	12.4	153.8	164.0	131.3	132.1	17.1	24.1
AOMM	140.2	140.7	127.9	126.5	9.6	11.2	157.3	160.3	128.5	128.0	22.4	25.2
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	122.1	122.6	117.1	121.7	4.3	0.7	152.1	147.8	122.8	121.9	23.9	21.2
I - I l o c o s	147.8	148.3	130.1	128.3	13.6	15.6	152.8	150.3	129.2	127.3	18.3	18.1
II - Cagayan Valley	128.5	128.6	114.9	113.8	11.8	13.0	144.5	153.1	117.9	118.8	22.6	28.9
III - Central Luzon	143.1	143.8	130.6	130.0	9.6	10.6	159.7	165.7	133.7	132.5	19.4	25.1
IV - Southern Tagalog	144.3	144.5	129.0	127.1	11.9	13.7	147.8	146.8	121.0	119.3	22.1	23.1
V - B i c o l	148.6	147.7	134.2	132.5	10.7	11.5	156.5	153.8	145.9	142.8	7.3	7.7
VI - Western Visayas	133.5	133.6	123.7	124.1	7.9	7.7	162.6	165.7	130.5	128.0	24.6	29.5
VII - Central Visayas	131.1	130.8	130.7	130.5	0.3	0.2	167.0	173.0	127.7	127.7	30.8	35.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	136.9	141.4	125.1	123.6	9.4	14.4	162.9	165.5	135.4	135.5	20.3	22.1
IX - Western Mindanao	134.2	138.8	127.2	122.2	5.5	13.6	175.2	165.0	127.8	131.3	37.1	25.7
X - Northern Mindanao	136.1	134.0	126.4	121.1	7.7	10.7	172.1	180.9	124.7	126.4	38.0	43.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	138.2	140.5	124.0	122.1	11.5	15.1	152.2	168.5	120.9	124.5	25.9	35.3
XII - Central Mindanao	134.4	138.7	124.2	123.8	8.2	12.0	158.2	166.4	131.1	128.7	20.7	29.3
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	179.4	168.6	144.3	140.0	24.3	20.4	169.3	170.8	137.9	140.8	22.8	21.3
CARAGA	143.1	141.4	129.4	127.4	10.6	11.0	151.2	151.5	131.4	130.6	15.1	16.0

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	M E A T						M I S C E L L A N E O U S F O O D S					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)		1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	123.2	123.4	115.1	115.3	7.0	7.0	136.5	133.8	122.7	122.5	11.2	9.2
Metro Manila	122.0	122.6	115.0	116.1	6.1	5.6	128.6	127.5	121.7	121.8	5.7	4.7
AOMM	123.8	123.8	115.2	114.9	7.5	7.7	140.2	136.7	123.2	122.8	13.8	11.3
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	126.9	120.6	115.4	115.5	10.0	4.4	146.3	135.7	126.6	126.6	15.6	7.2
I - I l o c o s	121.1	120.6	112.1	111.5	8.0	8.2	137.9	132.4	119.8	121.9	15.1	8.6
II - Cagayan Valley	118.8	118.6	111.5	111.7	6.5	6.2	144.4	142.2	129.8	128.7	11.2	10.5
III - Central Luzon	124.9	125.3	116.8	116.0	6.9	8.0	137.0	134.1	118.6	118.0	15.5	13.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	125.4	125.4	114.9	115.1	9.1	8.9	136.4	132.6	124.1	123.1	9.9	7.7
V - B i c o l	125.8	125.1	119.0	119.5	5.7	4.7	150.0	145.0	132.4	132.2	13.3	9.7
VI - Western Visayas	122.4	123.2	112.2	112.8	9.1	9.2	137.6	134.4	117.8	118.7	16.8	13.2
VII - Central Visayas	128.7	130.2	120.9	119.9	6.5	8.6	152.3	151.4	123.1	122.5	23.7	23.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	121.5	119.3	111.4	111.4	9.1	7.1	138.0	133.8	118.6	119.3	16.4	12.2
IX - Western Mindanao	117.5	119.8	111.2	108.7	5.7	10.2	148.3	143.9	130.3	131.3	13.8	9.6
X - Northern Mindanao	122.4	122.4	116.8	117.3	4.8	4.3	146.0	142.8	128.7	126.1	13.4	13.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	117.3	118.9	112.0	112.1	4.7	6.1	136.0	134.0	126.5	125.4	7.5	6.9
XII - Central Mindanao	123.2	123.6	117.8	115.5	4.6	7.0	142.7	137.9	121.5	117.9	17.4	17.0
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	131.7	128.3	120.9	121.7	8.9	5.4	141.5	138.4	126.1	126.1	12.2	9.8
CARAGA	126.0	127.5	118.5	116.7	6.3	9.3	138.0	136.0	123.0	122.4	12.2	11.1

Table 8 (concluded)

A R E A / R E G I O N	MEALS EATEN OUTSIDE					
	1 9 9 8		1 9 9 7		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Aug	Jul	Aug	Jul	Current	Previous
Philippines	128.7	128.1	120.6	120.6	6.7	6.2
Metro Manila	120.9	120.9	118.5	118.5	2.0	2.0
AOMM	134.8	133.7	122.3	122.2	10.2	9.4
Regions:						
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	128.0	129.4	120.9	120.9	5.9	7.0
I - I l o c o s	131.1	131.1	117.8	122.3	11.3	7.2
II - Cagayan Valley	137.1	137.1	130.3	130.4	5.2	5.1
III - Central Luzon	133.7	133.7	118.8	118.7	12.5	12.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	136.8	133.9	124.9	124.6	9.5	7.5
V - B i c o l	153.8	154.1	139.4	141.0	10.3	9.3
VI - Western Visayas	129.6	129.1	116.2	115.8	11.5	11.5
VII - Central Visayas	139.4	140.8	119.7	118.6	16.5	18.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	127.9	124.9	117.1	117.2	9.2	6.6
IX - Western Mindanao	163.8	155.5	134.8	133.5	21.5	16.5
X - Northern Mindanao	141.8	140.3	131.0	127.9	8.2	9.7
XI - Southern Mindanao	117.7	116.7	120.6	119.6	-2.4	-2.4
XII - Central Mindanao	135.1	135.2	117.9	113.2	14.6	19.4
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	157.0	150.8	132.1	132.7	18.8	13.6
CARAGA	125.5	124.1	119.0	119.4	5.5	3.9

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