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Table 6. Year-on-Year Regional Inflation Rates By Commodity Group, October and September 1998
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	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	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.4	7.9	8.5 r	10.7	11.1 r	6.3	6.6 r	13.6	14.0 r	9.2	9.2
Metro Manila	10.9	10.7	10.0	8.8	10.4	11.9	8.2	8.8	11.1	12.5	16.7	17.4 r	13.1	12.9
Areas Outside Metro Manila	9.8	9.9 r	9.8	9.6 r	7.0	7.3 r	12.5	12.8 r	4.2	4.1 r	11.9	12.4 r	8.0	8.0
Regions:														
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	9.3	9.0 r	10.8	10.8 r	6.0	6.6 r	9.3	7.1 r	-0.3	0.4 r	9.0	10.1 r	5.9	6.4 r
I - I l o c o s	10.9	9.0	9.9	6.6	9.2	9.9	14.6	14.2	9.8	7.0	12.2	13.1	13.6	13.7
II - Cagayan Valley	10.1	9.9	11.4	11.0	7.4	7.4	5.5	5.6	-2.1	-2.1	14.0	14.8	10.0	9.5
III - Central Luzon	10.0	10.6 r	11.5	11.2 r	8.0	8.6	8.4	11.6 r	2.5	3.7 r	10.3	11.1 r	7.7	8.1 r
IV - Southern Tagalog	10.4	10.1	10.4	9.7	2.6	3.0	16.2	17.1	1.6	1.4	12.0	11.7	5.5	5.7
V - B i c o l	8.5	8.6	8.0	7.9	7.4	8.1	6.6	6.6	3.1	4.5	15.3	16.1	6.6	6.9
VI - Western Visayas	8.3	8.8 r	9.5	10.0 r	6.2	6.1 r	4.6	4.8	5.9	5.2 r	8.7	10.4 r	6.6	7.0 r
VII - Central Visayas	11.1	10.3 r	10.2	9.7 r	9.2	12.0 r	16.7	12.4 r	7.9	5.5 r	9.9	12.0 r	10.0	10.5 r
VIII - Eastern Visayas	10.6	9.7	8.2	7.9	12.7	11.3	24.3	22.1	10.1	4.0	13.3	12.8	6.6	6.3
IX - Western Mindanao	10.7	10.7 r	10.2	10.6 r	7.3	7.7 r	9.7	9.7 r	0.7	0.1 r	20.4	18.3 r	10.8	11.4 r
X - Northern Mindanao	10.0	11.2	8.7	10.4	10.5	10.3	19.9	17.3	-1.7	6.8	13.0	12.9	10.6	9.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	8.6	9.7 r	7.5	9.5	7.2	6.0 r	11.0	12.2 r	7.6	8.9 r	10.8	11.0 r	10.4	9.0 r
XII - Central Mindanao	7.4	8.6 r	5.1	6.3 r	7.2	8.5	16.2	17.8 r	5.2	3.2 r	13.7	15.2 r	7.1	8.1 r
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	13.6	11.8	14.2	11.8	8.6	8.5	18.6	18.6	14.6	12.6	12.7	11.9	6.0	5.4
CARAGA	9.7	10.1	7.2	7.7	9.1	8.8	21.8	21.0	10.4	12.7	19.3	18.8	6.3	6.8

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