

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				Inflation Rates (%)		R I C E				Inflation Rates (%)	
	2000		1999		Current	Previous	2000		1999		Current	Previous
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar			Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar		
Philippines	146.3	145.9	145.2	145.3	0.8	0.4	145.5	145.2	145.7	146.0	-0.1	-0.5
Metro Manila	150.6	150.4	148.6	149.0	1.3	0.9	150.7	150.4	148.6	149.4	1.4	0.7
AOMM	145.7	145.3	144.7	144.8	0.7	0.3	144.8	144.5	145.3	145.5	-0.3	-0.7
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	132.6	132.5	134.5	133.3	-1.4	-0.6	132.2	132.1	134.2	132.9	-1.5	-0.6
I - I l o c o s	147.7	146.9	151.4	150.4	-2.4	-2.3	147.8	147.0	151.5	150.5	-2.4	-2.3
II - Cagayan Valley	148.9	150.2	146.5	146.2	1.6	2.7	149.8	151.1	147.3	147.1	1.7	2.7
III - Central Luzon	155.2	155.1	157.3	157.9	-1.3	-1.8	154.7	154.6	157.1	157.7	-1.5	-2.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	149.8	149.9	150.1	150.1	-0.2	-0.1	149.7	149.8	149.9	149.9	-0.1	-0.1
V - B i c o l	129.1	128.8	128.4	127.6	0.5	0.9	128.3	128.2	128.0	127.3	0.2	0.7
VI - Western Visayas	140.8	139.0	141.1	142.6	-0.2	-2.5	140.1	138.3	140.4	141.9	-0.2	-2.5
VII - Central Visayas	141.1	140.5	135.6	134.1	4.1	4.8	151.0	150.1	147.2	145.1	2.6	3.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	141.7	141.8	141.2	143.0	0.4	-0.8	137.7	137.9	140.2	141.9	-1.8	-2.8
IX - Western Mindanao	158.3	157.2	152.8	153.4	3.6	2.5	150.8	151.0	153.4	154.8	-1.7	-2.5
X - Northern Mindanao	144.1	143.2	136.5	136.4	5.6	5.0	137.9	136.9	135.6	135.4	1.7	1.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	144.0	143.9	139.6	140.0	3.2	2.8	139.9	140.0	138.6	139.4	0.9	0.4
XII - Central Mindanao	143.9	142.9	143.8	142.3	0.1	0.4	142.6	142.2	145.2	143.6	-1.8	-1.0
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	149.9	150.0	146.0	145.1	2.7	3.4	150.1	150.2	146.1	145.2	2.7	3.4
Caraga	153.4	151.8	151.1	152.9	1.5	-0.7	146.7	146.3	147.5	150.4	-0.5	-2.7

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C O R N				Inflation Rates (%)		CEREAL PREPARATIONS				Inflation Rates (%)	
	2000		1999		Current	Previous	2000		1999		Current	Previous
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar			Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar		
Philippines	153.5	151.9	139.2	137.8	10.3	10.2	143.5	143.1	140.3	140.3	2.3	2.0
Metro Manila	146.2	151.2	149.9	120.3	-2.5	25.7	141.7	140.8	140.3	140.2	1.0	0.4
AOMM	153.6	151.9	139.0	138.1	10.5	10.0	144.2	144.0	140.3	140.3	2.8	2.6
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	160.5	159.8	160.2	161.2	0.2	-0.9	151.5	151.4	149.5	149.3	1.3	1.4
I - I l o c o s	139.5	141.0	142.2	137.6	-1.9	2.5	140.6	140.9	137.7	138.1	2.1	2.0
II - Cagayan Valley	130.2	130.5	128.7	126.8	1.2	2.9	147.9	147.9	144.2	144.6	2.6	2.3
III - Central Luzon	197.8	197.3	180.2	179.5	9.8	9.9	148.8	148.3	142.3	142.3	4.6	4.2
IV - Southern Tagalog	161.6	160.6	168.3	167.1	-4.0	-3.9	137.6	137.7	136.3	136.3	1.0	1.0
V - B i c o l	143.1	139.0	135.9	133.4	5.3	4.2	139.1	138.6	133.1	133.9	4.5	3.5
VI - Western Visayas	157.9	157.1	159.2	159.7	-0.8	-1.6	141.8	141.8	139.4	139.1	1.7	1.9
VII - Central Visayas	128.8	128.6	121.1	120.4	6.4	6.8	156.4	155.6	153.2	152.8	2.1	1.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	194.4	193.7	154.5	157.9	25.8	22.7	129.5	129.1	126.2	126.0	2.6	2.5
IX - Western Mindanao	175.3	171.3	151.3	150.2	15.9	14.0	150.4	150.3	145.9	145.9	3.1	3.0
X - Northern Mindanao	158.3	157.9	138.7	138.6	14.1	13.9	144.2	143.4	142.9	142.7	0.9	0.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	161.8	160.9	144.0	142.6	12.4	12.8	157.6	157.3	149.9	150.5	5.1	4.5
XII - Central Mindanao	152.7	148.0	134.3	133.2	13.7	11.1	135.6	136.1	135.4	135.1	0.1	0.7
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	142.8	142.5	140.8	142.0	1.4	0.4	144.9	145.3	132.1	131.6	9.7	10.4
Caraga	202.5	191.7	177.6	171.2	14.0	12.0	134.9	134.7	131.0	129.8	3.0	3.8

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					
	2000		1999		Inflation Rates (%)		2000		1999		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	133.7	133.6 r	132.1	131.8	1.2	1.4	129.2	129.5	132.8	133.0	-2.7	-2.6
Metro Manila	131.8	131.4 r	129.2	128.8	2.0	2.0 r	128.4	128.0	142.0	143.6	-9.6	-10.9
AOMM	134.4	134.5	133.3	133.0	0.8	1.1	129.5	130.0	130.0	129.8	-0.4	0.2
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	133.4	133.2	131.9	130.9	1.1	1.8	135.6	135.6	133.2	132.6	1.8	2.3
I - I l o c o s	133.2	133.0	133.3	133.3	-0.1	-0.2	137.1	137.2	140.3	139.7	-2.3	-1.8
II - Cagayan Valley	140.3	140.3	138.5	138.8	1.3	1.1	124.8	125.6	125.9	126.2	-0.9	-0.5
III - Central Luzon	127.5	127.8	126.7	126.6	0.6	0.9	123.0	123.2	127.5	127.6	-3.5	-3.4
IV - Southern Tagalog	134.2	134.2	133.6	133.5	0.4	0.5	130.1	130.6	130.6	130.2	-0.4	0.3
V - B i c o l	130.8	132.8	134.2	134.4	-2.5	-1.2	141.9	142.1	139.0	138.0	2.1	3.0
VI - Western Visayas	129.8	129.6	127.6	127.7	1.7	1.5	133.9	134.6	133.9	133.9	0.0	0.5
VII - Central Visayas	140.9	140.3	138.7	138.2	1.6	1.5	144.8	146.2	135.5	134.6	6.9	8.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	134.5	134.5	133.3	133.5	0.9	0.7	127.8	127.5	124.9	124.8	2.3	2.2
IX - Western Mindanao	136.7	136.8	136.2	136.2	0.4	0.4	128.9	133.0	131.6	133.8	-2.1	-0.6
X - Northern Mindanao	135.1	134.7	134.3	134.5	0.6	0.1	124.5	124.8	125.3	125.4	-0.6	-0.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	141.7	141.3	139.4	139.4	1.6	1.4	116.7	117.8	121.5	121.8	-4.0	-3.3
XII - Central Mindanao	159.6	159.4	150.5	147.2	6.0	8.3	130.0	129.9	130.5	128.9	-0.4	0.8
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	148.4	148.7	142.4	140.1	4.2	6.1	127.3	127.7	118.2	117.6	7.7	8.6
Caraga	131.4	130.9	128.9	127.2	1.9	2.9	131.8	131.3	125.2	125.3	5.3	4.8

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					
	2000		1999		Inflation Rates (%)		2000		1999		Inflation Rates (%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	160.0	161.3	152.7	153.5	4.8	5.1	162.9	162.9	165.1	169.5	-1.3	-3.9
Metro Manila	168.3	174.1	158.7	163.1	6.0	6.7	169.1	166.3	179.3	175.8	-5.7	-5.4
AOMM	158.0	158.3	151.3	151.3	4.4	4.6	161.0	161.8	160.7	167.5	0.2	-3.4
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	139.4	138.5	136.7	137.6	2.0	0.7	140.5	144.4	156.8	169.6	-10.4	-14.9
I - I l o c o s	163.7	162.6	165.1	168.1 r	-0.8	-3.3	155.1	152.2	158.2	160.8 r	-2.0	-5.3
II - Cagayan Valley	153.1	150.9	147.4	148.7	3.9	1.5	155.4	163.6	162.9	172.3	-4.6	-5.0
III - Central Luzon	161.7	160.4	155.5	154.7	4.0	3.7	165.9	161.9	158.9	164.4	4.4	-1.5
IV - Southern Tagalog	156.2	157.4	152.6	152.8	2.4	3.0	147.8	149.2	154.5	162.5	-4.3	-8.2
V - B i c o l	179.1	178.9	166.5	164.3	7.6	8.9	164.7	167.5	177.2	187.7	-7.1	-10.8
VI - Western Visayas	148.4	149.9	142.1	140.8	4.4	6.5	165.4	168.2	165.8	170.4	-0.2	-1.3
VII - Central Visayas	160.1	159.9	141.8	141.5	12.9	13.0	172.4	173.2	162.6	173.1	6.0	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	149.8	151.7	145.7	147.6	2.8	2.8	175.3	177.4	162.3	168.0	8.0	5.6
IX - Western Mindanao	150.4	149.9	144.1	145.1	4.4	3.3	158.8	159.7	160.8	165.1	-1.2	-3.3
X - Northern Mindanao	153.3	153.8	150.9	147.0	1.6	4.6	161.7	162.4	165.6	176.5	-2.4	-8.0
XI - Southern Mindanao	146.0	145.8	141.3	142.3	3.3	2.5	155.3	154.8	154.4	160.2	0.6	-3.4
XII - Central Mindanao	149.0	149.7	148.2	148.5	0.5	0.8	146.6	146.7	145.5	152.0	0.8	-3.5
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	216.7	216.9	188.9	187.8	14.7	15.5	206.1	205.6	170.4	166.8	21.0	23.3
Caraga	160.7	163.5	156.5	158.6	2.7	3.1	175.8	178.3	169.2	179.1	3.9	-0.4

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	MEAT				MISCELLANEOUS FOODS				Inflation Rates (%)		Inflation Rates (%)	
	2000		1999		2000		1999		Current	Previous	Current	Previous
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar				
Philippines	125.4	125.1	126.2	126.5	-0.6	-1.1	139.2	139.3	139.0	139.4	0.1	-0.1
Metro Manila	118.8	118.1	123.2	125.1	-3.6	-5.6	129.7	129.8	127.8	128.1	1.5	1.3
AOMM	128.4	128.4	127.6	127.1	0.6	1.0	143.6	143.7	144.2	144.6	-0.4	-0.6
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	135.5	135.9	133.6	133.0	1.4	2.2	148.2	148.4	151.7	151.3	-2.3	-1.9
I - I l o c o s	125.0	125.1	124.3	123.9	0.6	1.0	136.4	136.0	138.4	138.6	-1.4	-1.9
II - Cagayan Valley	128.4	128.5	124.4	122.7	3.2	4.7	143.8	145.4	148.8	149.2	-3.4	-2.5
III - Central Luzon	123.6	123.9	126.5	126.9	-2.3	-2.4	139.6	139.3	139.5	139.6	0.1	-0.2
IV - Southern Tagalog	127.6	127.1	128.5	127.1	-0.7	0.0	142.5	142.9	143.7	143.9	-0.8	-0.7
V - B i c o l	130.7	131.1	129.2	127.9	1.2	2.5	160.5	160.5	155.4	155.7	3.3	3.1
VI - Western Visayas	137.9	137.9	133.2	132.5	3.5	4.1	141.8	141.6	141.8	142.9	0.0	-0.9
VII - Central Visayas	139.7	138.9	133.5	132.3	4.6	5.0	156.7	157.5	153.9	153.5	1.8	2.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	126.6	127.0	121.4	121.8	4.3	4.3	151.7	152.2	150.4	152.2	0.9	0.0
IX - Western Mindanao	123.1	122.8	118.1	118.5	4.2	3.6	146.7	147.3	150.1	150.2	-2.3	-1.9
X - Northern Mindanao	129.0	129.9	126.2	125.4	2.2	3.6	151.1	151.5	148.7	149.7	1.6	1.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	122.2	122.3	124.0	124.1	-1.5	-1.5	132.0	132.0	136.5	136.6	-3.3	-3.4
XII - Central Mindanao	130.1	130.3	126.9	127.8	2.5	2.0	134.6	134.0	140.8	142.7	-4.4	-6.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	140.4	140.3	130.5	131.7	7.6	6.5	156.7	157.2	148.1	148.5	5.8	5.9
Caraga	133.9	133.4	131.8	132.2	1.6	0.9	135.2	134.3	141.9	143.5	-4.7	-6.4

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	MEALS EATEN OUTSIDE				Inflation Rates (%)	
	2000		1999		Current	Previous
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar		
Philippines	135.3	135.3	130.5	130.4	3.7	3.8
Metro Manila	125.8	125.8	120.4	120.4	4.5	4.5
AOMM	142.8	142.8	138.5	138.2	3.1	3.3
Regions:						
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	135.7	135.7	134.4	134.0	1.0	1.3
I - I l o c o s	133.9	132.5	129.9	129.6	3.1	2.2
II - Cagayan Valley	150.0	150.0	148.0	146.6	1.4	2.3
III - Central Luzon	138.5	138.5	135.3	134.9	2.4	2.7
IV - Southern Tagalog	145.7	146.4	142.8	142.3	2.0	2.9
V - B i c o l	186.4	185.4	162.9	162.4	14.4	14.2
VI - Western Visayas	140.1	139.3	136.1	135.9	2.9	2.5
VII - Central Visayas	142.6	144.0	140.7	140.7	1.4	2.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	164.6	164.8	137.4	138.2	19.8	19.2
IX - Western Mindanao	144.0	146.0	143.3	143.8	0.5	1.5
X - Northern Mindanao	143.3	142.5	136.9	137.5	4.7	3.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	128.8	128.5	125.1	125.1	3.0	2.7
XII - Central Mindanao	139.1	136.9	136.6	137.4	1.8	-0.4
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	164.9	164.9	146.0	144.5	12.9	14.1
Caraga	122.1	121.0	129.4	129.9	-5.6	-6.9