

Table 6. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent By Area, By Commodity Group, January 2001 - January 2002  
(1994 = 100)

| AREA/COMMODITY GROUP           | 2002 | 2001 |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--------------------------------|------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                                | Jan  | Ave  | Dec    | Nov    | Oct    | Sept   | Aug    | Jul    | Jun    | May    | Apr    | Mar    | Feb    | Jan    |
| <b>PHILIPPINES</b>             |      |      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| All Items                      | 3.8  | 6.1  | 4.1 r  | 4.5 r  | 5.5 r  | 6.1    | 6.3    | 6.8    | 6.7    | 6.5    | 6.8 r  | 6.7    | 6.7    | 6.9    |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco    | 1.8  | 4.1  | 2.3    | 2.6    | 3.9    | 4.2    | 4.5 r  | 5.0 r  | 4.8 r  | 3.8    | 4.1 r  | 4.0    | 4.3    | 5.2    |
| Clothing                       | 2.8  | 3.7  | 2.9    | 3.4    | 3.5    | 3.9    | 4.1    | 4.1    | 4.0    | 3.9    | 3.8    | 3.8    | 3.8    | 3.7    |
| Housing and Repairs            | 6.5  | 6.8  | 6.5    | 6.8    | 6.9    | 7.4    | 7.4    | 7.2    | 6.8    | 6.7 r  | 6.8    | 6.9 r  | 6.4    | 5.6    |
| Fuel, Light and Water          | 10.8 | 12.1 | 9.0 r  | 10.5 r | 10.3 r | 10.7 r | 11.4 r | 13.2 r | 13.6 r | 12.6 r | 14.2 r | 14.4 r | 13.9 r | 12.8 r |
| Services                       | 5.7  | 11.5 | 6.1    | 7.3    | 9.1    | 11.3   | 11.4   | 12.1   | 12.8 r | 14.1   | 13.9   | 13.9   | 14.0 r | 13.6   |
| Miscellaneous                  | 2.7  | 5.2  | 3.0    | 3.2    | 3.5    | 4.1    | 4.3    | 4.3    | 4.3    | 7.5    | 7.6    | 7.4    | 7.1    | 6.8    |
| <b>NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION</b> |      |      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| All Items                      | 5.3  | 7.2  | 5.4 r  | 5.1 r  | 6.3 r  | 6.8 r  | 7.6 r  | 8.1 r  | 8.1 r  | 7.3 r  | 8.1 r  | 7.8 r  | 7.9 r  | 7.9 r  |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco    | -0.4 | 4.4  | 1.4    | 0.7    | 4.1    | 4.4    | 5.8 r  | 6.1 r  | 5.9 r  | 3.8 r  | 4.9 r  | 4.3    | 5.1 r  | 6.8 r  |
| Clothing                       | 4.0  | 5.2  | 4.5    | 5.2    | 4.8    | 5.2    | 5.3    | 5.4    | 5.3    | 5.5    | 5.1    | 5.1    | 5.2    | 5.0    |
| Housing and Repairs            | 9.5  | 6.3  | 8.6    | 7.6    | 6.5    | 6.4    | 6.9    | 6.9    | 5.8    | 5.7    | 5.9    | 5.9    | 4.9    | 4.0    |
| Fuel, Light and Water          | 27.1 | 18.9 | 19.6 r | 21.3 r | 18.4 r | 15.5 r | 16.3 r | 19.6 r | 19.7 r | 16.6 r | 21.1 r | 20.8 r | 20.7 r | 17.5 r |
| Services                       | 6.1  | 11.6 | 6.3    | 7.0    | 7.5    | 10.5   | 10.9   | 12.1   | 14.0   | 15.2   | 14.7   | 14.6   | 14.7   | 13.4   |
| Miscellaneous                  | 2.2  | 5.9  | 2.9    | 3.0    | 3.7    | 4.6    | 4.9    | 4.9    | 5.1    | 8.8    | 9.1    | 9.2    | 8.5    | 8.0    |
| <b>AREAS OUTSIDE NCR</b>       |      |      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| All Items                      | 3.2  | 5.7  | 3.5    | 4.3    | 5.2    | 5.9    | 5.9    | 6.3    | 6.3 r  | 6.3    | 6.2    | 6.3    | 6.3    | 6.5    |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco    | 2.4  | 4.0  | 2.6    | 3.2    | 3.8    | 4.2    | 4.0    | 4.7    | 4.5    | 3.9    | 3.9    | 3.9    | 4.1    | 4.7    |
| Clothing                       | 2.4  | 3.2  | 2.4    | 2.8    | 3.1    | 3.5    | 3.7    | 3.6    | 3.6    | 3.4    | 3.4    | 3.4    | 3.4    | 3.3    |
| Housing and Repairs            | 4.5  | 7.1  | 5.2    | 6.3    | 7.0    | 8.0    | 7.7    | 7.4    | 7.5    | 7.3    | 7.3    | 7.6    | 7.4    | 6.7    |
| Fuel, Light and Water          | 2.8  | 8.9  | 3.7    | 5.3    | 6.3    | 8.2 r  | 9.1    | 10.2   | 10.7   | 10.7   | 10.9   | 11.4   | 10.8   | 10.6   |
| Services                       | 5.6  | 11.5 | 6.0    | 7.3    | 9.9    | 11.7   | 11.7   | 12.1   | 12.2 r | 13.7   | 13.5   | 13.6   | 13.7 r | 13.7   |
| Miscellaneous                  | 2.9  | 4.9  | 3.0    | 3.3    | 3.5    | 3.9    | 4.0    | 4.0    | 4.0    | 7.0    | 7.0    | 6.7    | 6.7    | 6.4    |

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