

Table 10. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, May and April, 2001 and 2002
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C E R E A L S						R I C E					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)		2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	149.8	149.4	148.9	148.6	0.6	0.5	148.7	148.5	148.1	147.9	0.4	0.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	150.2	149.7	151.3	150.6	-0.7	-0.6	150.4	149.9	151.2	150.5	-0.5	-0.4
Areas Outside NCR	149.8	149.4	148.6	148.3	0.8	0.7	148.5	148.3	147.6	147.5	0.6	0.5
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	134.9	134.6	135.6	136.4	-0.5	-1.3	134.5	134.1	135.2	135.9	-0.5	-1.3
I - I l o c o s	152.2	152.4	152.0	151.6	0.1	0.5	152.3	152.5	152.0	151.7	0.2	0.5
II - Cagayan Valley	151.0	152.4	151.0	152.5	0.0	-0.1	152.1	153.6	152.1	153.6	0.0	0.0
III - Central Luzon	152.8	152.9	157.6	157.5	-3.0	-2.9	151.8	152.0	156.9	156.9	-3.3	-3.1
IV - Southern Tagalog	153.5	152.7	151.6	151.9	1.3	0.5	153.2	152.4	151.3	151.6	1.3	0.5
V - B i c o l	139.3	139.1	139.2	139.2	0.1	-0.1	137.5	137.4	137.3	137.2	0.1	0.1
VI - Western Visayas	149.7	148.9	144.6	144.3	3.5	3.2	147.5	146.7	142.3	142.0	3.7	3.3
VII - Central Visayas	149.1	149.2	147.4	145.4	1.2	2.6	156.5	158.0	156.7	154.0	-0.1	2.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	151.1	151.4	145.4	144.4	3.9	4.8	147.5	148.2	141.5	140.5	4.2	5.5
IX - Western Mindanao	163.5	162.5	156.4	157.2	4.5	3.4	155.6	155.1	152.4	154.2	2.1	0.6
X - Northern Mindanao	148.4	147.9	145.3	143.4	2.1	3.1	143.1	143.0	137.9	138.0	3.8	3.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	144.2	143.3	142.8	141.5	1.0	1.3	140.3	139.3	139.6	138.3	0.5	0.7
XII - Central Mindanao	140.3	139.9	144.5	144.4	-2.9	-3.1	139.9	139.8	143.2	143.6	-2.3	-2.6
Caraga	154.5	152.1	150.8	152.4	2.5	-0.2	152.2	149.7	147.4	148.6	3.3	0.7
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	151.8	150.9	153.8	153.5	-1.3	-1.7	151.6	150.6	153.8	153.5	-1.4	-1.9

Table 10 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C O R N						CEREAL PREPARATIONS					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)		2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	160.1	158.5	157.2	155.7	1.8	1.8	156.7	156.3	151.8	151.7	3.2	3.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	135.7	137.0	154.9	159.6	-12.4	-14.2	162.3	161.5	156.0	155.8	4.0	3.7
Areas Outside NCR	160.6	158.9	157.2	155.6	2.2	2.1	154.6	154.4	150.2	150.1	2.9	2.9
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	169.7	169.7	170.4	173.1	-0.4	-2.0	148.9	150.0	152.6	152.4	-2.4	-1.6
I - I l o c o s	146.6	146.3	151.7	146.2	-3.4	0.1	154.5	154.5	147.8	147.7	4.5	4.6
II - Cagayan Valley	127.9	126.3	128.2	128.8	-0.2	-1.9	148.6	148.5	148.3	148.3	0.2	0.1
III - Central Luzon	242.3	240.2	220.8	214.8	9.7	11.8	154.6	154.3	150.7	150.8	2.6	2.3
IV - Southern Tagalog	174.7	174.2	178.3	177.8	-2.0	-2.0	149.1	149.0	144.7	144.7	3.0	3.0
V - B i c o l	169.7	169.3	172.8	173.3	-1.8	-2.3	148.8	148.3	144.3	144.0	3.1	3.0
VI - Western Visayas	203.1	202.4	201.3	200.5	0.9	0.9	149.1	149.3	145.4	145.3	2.5	2.8
VII - Central Visayas	140.0	138.2	135.9	134.8	3.0	2.5	169.2	168.9	165.1	165.3	2.5	2.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	199.4	194.5	197.9	196.9	0.8	-1.2	139.4	139.4	137.0	137.1	1.8	1.7
IX - Western Mindanao	181.4	179.4	165.5	164.1	9.6	9.3	165.0	164.9	155.9	156.1	5.8	5.6
X - Northern Mindanao	160.6	159.1	162.4	155.9	-1.1	2.1	161.9	161.6	152.1	152.3	6.4	6.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	161.3	160.6	156.5	155.6	3.1	3.2	175.9	174.4	168.2	167.5	4.6	4.1
XII - Central Mindanao	143.0	140.2	153.2	149.7	-6.7	-6.3	141.1	141.1	139.0	138.7	1.5	1.7
Caraga	171.2	169.3	175.2	180.3	-2.3	-6.1	148.9	148.8	145.7	145.7	2.2	2.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	161.6	161.4	152.8	152.7	5.8	5.7	163.5	163.5	160.5	160.1	1.9	2.1

Table 10 (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					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)		2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	155.7	155.6	147.1	146.1	5.8	6.5	137.1	137.6	130.7	130.6	4.9	5.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	157.9	157.8	148.0	146.6	6.7	7.6	141.4	143.4	133.8	133.7	5.7	7.3
Areas Outside NCR	154.8	154.7	146.7	145.9	5.5	6.0	135.8	135.9	129.8	129.7	4.6	4.8
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	157.0	157.1	144.7	143.8	8.5	9.2	142.4	142.8	137.3	137.4	3.7	3.9
I - I l o c o s	159.6	160.0	148.1	147.8	7.8	8.3	148.3	147.7	140.5	141.8	5.6	4.2
II - Cagayan Valley	158.7	158.7	150.4	149.8	5.5	5.9	138.0	137.7	124.5	124.5	10.8	10.6
III - Central Luzon	145.2	145.2	138.3	137.6	5.0	5.5	130.8	130.8	121.6	120.7	7.6	8.4
IV - Southern Tagalog	156.9	156.7	147.4	146.7	6.4	6.8	134.1	133.6	131.2	130.4	2.2	2.5
V - B i c o l	148.7	148.7	141.9	141.5	4.8	5.1	141.1	141.0	138.5	139.1	1.9	1.4
VI - Western Visayas	144.6	144.6	141.8	140.7	2.0	2.8	136.1	137.2	132.8	132.8	2.5	3.3
VII - Central Visayas	157.7	157.6	151.1	150.7	4.4	4.6	145.9	146.0	142.2	142.9	2.6	2.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	155.3	155.3	146.8	146.3	5.8	6.2	135.1	134.1	124.8	127.3	8.3	5.3
IX - Western Mindanao	159.4	159.4	149.0	148.6	7.0	7.3	139.6	137.9	135.4	134.8	3.1	2.3
X - Northern Mindanao	157.2	155.6	146.3	144.7	7.5	7.5	130.0	129.5	126.5	126.4	2.8	2.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	166.3	166.1	157.0	155.6	5.9	6.7	126.0	127.0	118.0	117.3	6.8	8.3
XII - Central Mindanao	188.4	188.4	175.3	172.2	7.5	9.4	139.4	140.5	132.7	133.2	5.0	5.5
Caraga	154.7	154.4	145.5	145.3	6.3	6.3	138.8	138.3	133.8	133.7	3.7	3.4
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	161.4	161.3	156.7	156.7	3.0	2.9	138.2	141.9	136.1	136.0	1.5	4.3

Table 10 (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					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)		2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	173.2	173.6	167.0	166.6	3.7	4.2	171.4	170.9	171.1	169.7	0.2	0.7
National Capital Region (NCR)	160.6	160.2	165.4	165.4	-2.9	-3.1	187.0	179.0	188.8	178.0	-1.0	0.6
Areas Outside NCR	176.1	176.7	167.4	166.9	5.2	5.9	166.6	168.4	165.7	167.1	0.5	0.8
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	163.5	162.7	160.0	159.8	2.2	1.8	149.1	148.2	155.1	151.5	-3.9	-2.2
I - I l o c o s	175.2	176.1	176.6	176.3	-0.8	-0.1	160.3	160.0	158.1	158.7	1.4	0.8
II - Cagayan Valley	166.1	166.2	161.8	160.5	2.7	3.6	152.9	148.2	149.7	154.1	2.1	-3.8
III - Central Luzon	175.5	175.7	165.5	163.7	6.0	7.3	159.8	162.4	162.4	163.4	-1.6	-0.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	180.7	181.2	169.0	169.4	6.9	7.0	153.9	154.7	154.2	155.7	-0.2	-0.6
V - B i c o l	200.3	201.2	186.0	186.0	7.7	8.2	162.2	164.4	164.4	170.8	-1.3	-3.7
VI - Western Visayas	163.3	164.5	155.6	154.2	4.9	6.7	178.3	182.7	173.5	175.1	2.8	4.3
VII - Central Visayas	189.5	189.6	178.6	176.0	6.1	7.7	187.7	191.8	182.5	182.5	2.8	5.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	167.6	170.0	160.2	159.5	4.6	6.6	176.1	181.8	185.2	188.7	-4.9	-3.7
IX - Western Mindanao	166.5	164.5	150.8	151.3	10.4	8.7	173.8	174.4	164.6	164.9	5.6	5.8
X - Northern Mindanao	163.8	163.0	164.6	163.4	-0.5	-0.2	167.8	169.0	166.1	164.9	1.0	2.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	156.0	158.5	150.5	151.4	3.7	4.7	167.7	169.0	162.3	162.1	3.3	4.3
XII - Central Mindanao	156.9	158.1	153.4	153.5	2.3	3.0	151.8	157.2	148.8	148.5	2.0	5.9
Caraga	174.7	172.9	169.4	170.2	3.1	1.6	166.9	169.6	173.3	176.0	-3.7	-3.6
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	256.3	256.9	239.8	240.3	6.9	6.9	243.8	243.9	239.1	237.3	2.0	2.8

Table 10 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	MEAT						MISCELLANEOUS FOODS					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)		2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	135.9	134.7	134.7	133.5	0.9	0.9	149.9	149.5	144.9	144.3	3.5	3.6
National Capital Region (NCR)	130.2	127.9	130.7	129.5	-0.4	-1.2	142.9	142.6	136.8	136.2	4.5	4.7
Areas Outside NCR	138.5	137.9	136.5	135.4	1.5	1.8	153.1	152.7	148.7	148.1	3.0	3.1
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	144.5	144.7	143.0	141.5	1.0	2.3	151.1	151.0	149.0	148.9	1.4	1.4
I - I l o c o s	135.8	135.1	134.2	133.4	1.2	1.3	150.3	150.1	144.7	144.5	3.9	3.9
II - Cagayan Valley	139.4	139.3	135.7	133.7	2.7	4.2	146.1	145.8	143.4	142.9	1.9	2.0
III - Central Luzon	134.9	132.9	136.1	133.7	-0.9	-0.6	148.0	147.4	144.8	144.5	2.2	2.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	137.8	137.9	137.0	136.4	0.6	1.1	150.6	150.5	147.1	146.3	2.4	2.9
V - B i c o l	147.2	147.8	139.3	137.4	5.7	7.6	181.7	181.2	171.6	170.3	5.9	6.4
VI - Western Visayas	146.7	146.4	143.0	141.9	2.6	3.2	151.8	151.4	147.4	146.6	3.0	3.3
VII - Central Visayas	146.5	145.7	143.0	142.8	2.4	2.0	163.8	163.0	157.6	157.0	3.9	3.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	136.2	136.7	129.7	129.1	5.0	5.9	161.2	161.7	159.0	157.9	1.4	2.4
IX - Western Mindanao	131.4	131.6	128.4	129.1	2.3	1.9	149.7	147.9	150.6	149.8	-0.6	-1.3
X - Northern Mindanao	135.2	134.9	132.6	131.8	2.0	2.4	163.4	163.2	155.5	154.4	5.1	5.7
XI - Southern Mindanao	130.8	129.2	128.8	128.6	1.6	0.5	143.4	142.8	137.0	136.8	4.7	4.4
XII - Central Mindanao	136.6	137.0	132.2	132.6	3.3	3.3	140.8	140.0	137.5	137.3	2.4	2.0
Caraga	144.1	140.9	137.0	137.1	5.2	2.8	140.6	140.3	138.7	138.2	1.4	1.5
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	153.5	152.6	141.9	142.0	8.2	7.5	178.5	177.1	170.4	170.1	4.8	4.1

Table 10 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	MEALS EATEN OUTSIDE					
	2002		2001		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	147.4	147.3	141.7	139.3	4.0	5.7
National Capital Region (NCR)	137.4	137.4	132.4	132.4	3.8	3.8
Areas Outside NCR	155.2	155.0	148.9	144.7	4.2	7.1
Regions:						
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	137.6	137.6	136.6	136.6	0.7	0.7
I - I l o c o s	154.4	154.7	146.0	146.1	5.8	5.9
II - Cagayan Valley	154.4	154.4	150.0	149.5	2.9	3.3
III - Central Luzon	150.1	149.8	144.4	144.6	3.9	3.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	155.6	155.6	151.5	150.4	2.7	3.5
V - B i c o l	246.7	245.4	216.9	212.5	13.7	15.5
VI - Western Visayas	153.1	152.7	144.0	144.0	6.3	6.0
VII - Central Visayas	147.0	146.9	142.1	142.1	3.4	3.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	175.8	175.8	168.6	168.6	4.3	4.3
IX - Western Mindanao	142.6	141.9	147.1	147.1	-3.1	-3.5
X - Northern Mindanao	162.5	162.5	149.4	148.6	8.8	9.4
XI - Southern Mindanao	135.9	135.2	131.7	131.4	3.2	2.9
XII - Central Mindanao	146.8	146.8	142.0	141.6	3.4	3.7
Caraga	135.3	135.3	132.9	132.9	1.8	1.8
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	195.6	195.6	190.0	190.0	2.9	2.9

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division, Prices and Indicators Section
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