

Table 4. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent, By Area, August 2001 - August 2002
(1994=100)

| A R E A | 2002 | | | | | | | | | 2 0 0 1 | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|-----|---------|------|------|------|------|
| | Aug | July | June | May | Apr | Mar | Feb | Jan | Ave | Dec | Nov | Oct | Sept | Aug |
| PHILIPPINES | 2.9 | 2.6 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.5r | 3.8 | 6.1 | 4.1r | 4.5r | 5.5r | 6.1 | 6.3 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR) | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 5.2r | 7.2 | 5.4r | 5.1r | 6.3r | 6.8r | 7.6r |
| AREAS OUTSIDE NCR | 2.9 | 2.5 | 2.6r | 3.0 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.0r | 3.3r | 5.7 | 3.5 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 5.9 | 5.9 |

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