

Table 5. Month-on-Month Changes of the CPI in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group, November 2001 - November 2002
(1994 = 100)

| AREA/COMMODITY GROUP | 2002 | | | | | | | | | | | 2001 | |
|--------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-----|-----|------|------|-------|------|------|
| | Nov | Oct | Sept | Aug | July | June | May | Apr | Mar | Feb | Jan | Dec | Nov |
| PHILIPPINES | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All Items | 0.1 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2r | -0.2 | 0.5r | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | -0.6 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Clothing | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| Housing and Repairs | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2r | 0.4r | 1.1r | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 1.8 | 1.3 | -0.1 | 0.7 | -1.8 | -4.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 2.3 | 0.4r | 1.6r |
| Services | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 2.6r | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 |
| Miscellaneous | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All Items | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.6 | -0.2 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.7r |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | -0.1 | -0.9 | -0.5 | -0.2 | 0.6 | -0.5 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 1.2 | -0.9 | -0.2r | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Clothing | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 1.1 |
| Housing and Repairs | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 3.4 | 2.3 | 0.3 | 2.7 | -3.6 | -12.3 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.6 | -0.3 | 6.8 | 1.4r | 4.5r |
| Services | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.2 | -0.1 |
| Miscellaneous | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| AREAS OUTSIDE NCR | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All Items | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.6r | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1r | -0.2 | 0.5r | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | -0.4 | -0.3 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | -0.5 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Clothing | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Housing and Repairs | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2r | 0.2 | 1.0r | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 0.9 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.8 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 0.0 |
| Services | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 2.2r | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.2r | 0.2 | 0.1r | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Miscellaneous | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 |

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