

Table 3. Month-on-Month Changes of the CPI in Percent, by Area, December 2001 - December 2002
 (1994=100)

AREA	2002												2 0 0 1	
	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sept	Aug	July	June	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Dec	
PHILIPPINES	0.4	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2 r	-0.2	0.5 r	0.3	
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR)	1.3	0.3	-0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	-0.6	0.5	0.2	0.6	-0.2	0.8	0.5	
AREAS OUTSIDE NCR	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.6 r	0.1	0.2	0.1 r	-0.2	0.5 r	0.1	

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