

Table 10. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items: June and May, 2002 and 2003
(1994 = 100)

Area and Region	C e r e a l s						R i c e					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)		2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	155.2	154.7	150.3	149.8	3.3	3.3	154.6	154.2	149.4	148.7	3.5	3.7
National Capital Region (NCR)	155.2	155.0	149.9	150.2	3.5	3.2	155.4	155.2	150.1	150.4	3.5	3.2
Areas Outside NCR	155.2	154.7	150.3	149.8	3.3	3.3	154.5	154.0	149.3	148.5	3.5	3.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	140.5	140.6	135.1	134.9	4.0	4.2	140.0	140.1	134.7	134.5	3.9	4.2
I - Ilocos	156.6	157.1	151.8	152.2	3.2	3.2	156.7	157.2	151.8	152.3	3.2	3.2
II - Cagayan Valley	159.4	160.2	152.2	151.0	4.7	6.1	160.7	161.6	153.3	152.1	4.8	6.2
III - Central Luzon	158.5	157.2	152.5	152.8	3.9	2.9	157.3	156.0	151.6	151.8	3.8	2.8
IV - Southern Tagalog	158.1	157.9	154.4	153.5	2.4	2.9	158.0	157.7	154.1	153.2	2.5	2.9
V - Bicol	142.1	142.1	140.2	139.3	1.4	2.0	140.2	140.3	138.4	137.5	1.3	2.0
VI - Western Visayas	154.5	152.9	150.2	149.7	2.9	2.1	152.6	151.0	148.1	147.5	3.0	2.4
VII - Central Visayas	154.1	154.4	150.2	149.1	2.6	3.6	165.1	166.2	158.4	156.5	4.2	6.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	153.8	153.9	151.0	151.1	1.9	1.9	150.7	150.8	147.4	147.5	2.2	2.2
IX - Western Mindanao	173.2	171.8	163.5	163.5	5.9	5.1	170.5	168.3	156.4	155.6	9.0	8.2
X - Northern Mindanao	159.0	157.9	148.4	148.4	7.1	6.4	152.6	151.0	143.5	143.1	6.3	5.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	150.6	149.6	145.9	144.2	3.2	3.7	150.7	150.0	143.6	140.3	4.9	6.9
XII - Central Mindanao	147.9	146.0	141.7	140.3	4.4	4.1	150.4	148.1	142.6	139.9	5.5	5.9
XIII - Caraga	160.0	160.0	154.2	154.5	3.8	3.6	157.2	157.6	151.6	152.2	3.7	3.5
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	153.3	153.9	153.4	151.8	-0.1	1.4	152.8	153.5	153.1	151.6	-0.2	1.3

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	C o r n						Cereal Preparations					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)		2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	160.6	160.2	159.0	160.1	1.0	0.1	164.1	163.7	156.9	156.7	4.6	4.5
National Capital Region (NCR)	142.7	142.7	135.7	135.7	5.2	5.2	172.9	172.4	162.5	162.3	6.4	6.2
Areas Outside NCR	160.9	160.5	159.4	160.6	0.9	-0.1	160.8	160.4	154.8	154.6	3.9	3.8
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	178.2	175.7	169.5	169.7	5.1	3.5	151.7	150.8	148.4	148.9	2.2	1.3
I - Ilocos	149.6	149.3	146.9	146.6	1.8	1.8	159.6	159.5	154.3	154.5	3.4	3.2
II - Cagayan Valley	132.7	131.4	128.3	127.9	3.4	2.7	150.3	150.1	148.6	148.6	1.1	1.0
III - Central Luzon	268.3	270.3	239.0	242.3	12.3	11.6	162.8	162.3	154.8	154.6	5.2	5.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	170.1	171.5	177.0	174.7	-3.9	-1.8	154.2	153.6	149.6	149.1	3.1	3.0
V - Bicol	174.3	174.0	170.7	169.7	2.1	2.5	158.2	156.8	148.9	148.8	6.2	5.4
VI - Western Visayas	200.0	199.9	202.2	203.1	-1.1	-1.6	153.8	155.1	149.3	149.1	3.0	4.0
VII - Central Visayas	140.4	139.8	140.1	140.0	0.2	-0.1	179.1	177.5	169.2	169.2	5.9	4.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	194.9	195.3	199.3	199.4	-2.2	-2.1	143.1	143.0	139.5	139.4	2.6	2.6
IX - Western Mindanao	179.2	179.7	179.8	181.4	-0.3	-0.9	170.7	170.3	165.0	165.0	3.5	3.2
X - Northern Mindanao	173.9	174.0	159.7	160.6	8.9	8.3	163.9	163.8	161.9	161.9	1.2	1.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	149.9	148.0	155.8	161.3	-3.8	-8.2	186.4	186.1	176.6	175.9	5.5	5.8
XII - Central Mindanao	130.9	131.6	135.7	143.0	-3.5	-8.0	145.6	145.2	141.4	141.1	3.0	2.9
XIII - Caraga	180.0	177.5	173.4	171.2	3.8	3.7	151.1	151.2	148.7	148.9	1.6	1.5
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	174.4	171.1	167.0	161.6	4.4	5.9	168.7	168.6	163.5	163.5	3.2	3.1

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	Dairy Products						E g g s					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)		2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	160.9	160.7	155.9	155.7	3.2	3.2	137.9	137.4	136.8	137.1	0.8	0.2
National Capital Region (NCR)	164.5	164.4	158.0	157.9	4.1	4.1	140.7	139.6	140.8	141.4	-0.1	-1.3
Areas Outside NCR	159.5	159.2	155.0	154.8	2.9	2.8	137.1	136.7	135.6	135.8	1.1	0.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	163.0	162.8	157.7	157.0	3.4	3.7	146.6	144.8	141.1	142.4	3.9	1.7
I - Ilocos	163.0	162.6	159.3	159.6	2.3	1.9	147.5	147.4	148.8	148.3	-0.9	-0.6
II - Cagayan Valley	164.0	164.0	158.7	158.7	3.3	3.3	138.1	138.1	138.9	138.0	-0.6	0.1
III - Central Luzon	150.3	150.4	145.2	145.2	3.5	3.6	131.8	129.2	131.0	130.8	0.6	-1.2
IV - Southern Tagalog	160.4	160.3	157.3	156.9	2.0	2.2	132.9	133.6	132.9	134.1	0.0	-0.4
V - Bicol	152.0	151.9	148.7	148.7	2.2	2.2	143.4	142.8	141.8	141.1	1.1	1.2
VI - Western Visayas	149.3	148.7	144.7	144.6	3.2	2.8	138.0	137.9	135.7	136.1	1.7	1.3
VII - Central Visayas	163.6	162.7	157.6	157.7	3.8	3.2	144.7	145.1	146.8	145.9	-1.4	-0.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	161.2	160.5	155.6	155.3	3.6	3.3	135.6	135.8	134.9	135.1	0.5	0.5
IX - Western Mindanao	162.5	162.4	159.4	159.4	1.9	1.9	144.8	145.6	139.6	139.6	3.7	4.3
X - Northern Mindanao	163.7	163.9	159.3	157.2	2.8	4.3	134.9	135.5	129.7	130.0	4.0	4.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	170.7	170.3	166.7	166.3	2.4	2.4	130.5	129.9	125.5	126.0	4.0	3.1
XII - Central Mindanao	195.7	194.5	188.6	188.4	3.8	3.2	139.2	139.6	137.9	139.4	0.9	0.1
XIII - Caraga	161.0	160.7	154.5	154.7	4.2	3.9	139.9	140.6	138.0	138.8	1.4	1.3
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	173.6	171.9	161.4	161.4	7.6	6.5	152.5	152.5	138.2	138.2	10.3	10.3

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h						Fruits and Vegetables					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)		2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	176.7	174.5	173.0	173.2	2.1	0.8	181.5	172.0	170.2	171.4	6.6	0.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	162.6	158.4	161.0	160.6	1.0	-1.4	200.4	184.6	179.4	187.0	11.7	-1.3
Areas Outside NCR	180.0	178.3	175.8	176.1	2.4	1.2	175.7	168.1	167.3	166.6	5.0	0.9
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	159.4	161.3	162.5	163.5	-1.9	-1.3	162.9	148.7	153.2	149.1	6.3	-0.3
I - Ilocos	178.8	177.9	175.8	175.2	1.7	1.5	170.7	154.3	166.1	160.3	2.8	-3.7
II - Cagayan Valley	164.8	164.7	166.2	166.1	-0.8	-0.8	153.1	151.3	153.8	152.9	-0.5	-1.0
III - Central Luzon	178.5	173.6	174.2	175.5	2.5	-1.1	169.4	159.1	164.0	159.8	3.3	-0.4
IV - Southern Tagalog	185.5	181.5	181.5	180.7	2.2	0.4	160.1	151.1	154.8	153.9	3.4	-1.8
V - Bicol	204.9	204.6	199.7	200.3	2.6	2.1	165.0	161.4	159.6	162.2	3.4	-0.5
VI - Western Visayas	162.2	164.7	162.8	163.3	-0.4	0.9	187.8	183.3	176.0	178.3	6.7	2.8
VII - Central Visayas	198.0	195.0	188.9	189.5	4.8	2.9	206.5	201.0	189.5	187.7	9.0	7.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	171.2	171.8	166.7	167.6	2.7	2.5	176.5	176.3	174.3	176.1	1.3	0.1
IX - Western Mindanao	168.4	166.7	167.7	166.5	0.4	0.1	187.3	184.2	172.3	173.8	8.7	6.0
X - Northern Mindanao	169.5	168.6	162.1	163.8	4.6	2.9	181.9	174.8	164.4	167.8	10.6	4.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	163.8	162.5	156.4	156.0	4.7	4.2	180.0	171.1	167.6	167.7	7.4	2.0
XII - Central Mindanao	160.4	160.4	156.8	156.9	2.3	2.2	158.2	155.2	149.8	151.8	5.6	2.2
XIII - Caraga	177.3	175.3	174.8	174.7	1.4	0.3	169.5	166.6	166.7	166.9	1.7	-0.2
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	267.8	265.3	250.3	256.3	7.0	3.5	268.2	251.0	242.1	243.8	10.8	3.0

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	M e a t						Miscellaneous Foods					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)		2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	136.1	135.1	136.1	135.9	0.0	-0.6	153.3	153.2	150.0	149.9	2.2	2.2
National Capital Region (NCR)	130.0	128.1	130.1	130.2	-0.1	-1.6	146.9	147.1	142.6	142.9	3.0	2.9
Areas Outside NCR	138.9	138.4	138.8	138.5	0.1	-0.1	156.2	156.0	153.5	153.1	1.8	1.9
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	144.8	144.3	144.6	144.5	0.1	-0.1	153.7	153.0	152.2	151.1	1.0	1.3
I - Ilocos	137.1	137.5	135.7	135.8	1.0	1.3	151.8	151.3	150.6	150.3	0.8	0.7
II - Cagayan Valley	137.8	137.7	139.1	139.4	-0.9	-1.2	147.8	147.5	146.8	146.1	0.7	1.0
III - Central Luzon	134.0	132.7	135.7	134.9	-1.3	-1.6	149.4	148.8	148.7	148.0	0.5	0.5
IV - Southern Tagalog	138.2	137.5	138.7	137.8	-0.4	-0.2	152.5	152.4	150.5	150.6	1.3	1.2
V - Bicol	148.1	147.9	147.0	147.2	0.7	0.5	185.5	185.4	182.1	181.7	1.9	2.0
VI - Western Visayas	145.0	145.6	146.6	146.7	-1.1	-0.7	155.2	155.2	151.9	151.8	2.2	2.2
VII - Central Visayas	148.1	147.9	146.6	146.5	1.0	1.0	174.5	174.4	164.5	163.8	6.1	6.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	137.5	137.5	135.6	136.2	1.4	1.0	164.4	164.5	161.9	161.2	1.5	2.0
IX - Western Mindanao	132.3	131.5	130.3	131.4	1.5	0.1	152.0	152.9	149.4	149.7	1.7	2.1
X - Northern Mindanao	139.7	139.0	135.7	135.2	2.9	2.8	167.7	167.4	163.6	163.4	2.5	2.4
XI - Southern Mindanao	133.4	133.2	131.1	130.8	1.8	1.8	147.9	147.8	144.7	143.4	2.2	3.1
XII - Central Mindanao	137.0	136.7	136.5	136.6	0.4	0.1	144.6	144.6	141.5	140.8	2.2	2.7
XIII - Caraga	147.7	147.7	144.3	144.1	2.4	2.5	142.8	142.9	140.3	140.6	1.8	1.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	154.2	154.2	152.4	153.5	1.2	0.5	180.9	180.8	178.6	178.5	1.3	1.3

Table 10 (concluded)

Area and Region	Meals Eaten Outside					
	2003		2002		Inflation Rates (%)	
	June	May	June	May	Current	Previous
Philippines	152.5	152.5	147.5	147.4	3.4	3.5
National Capital Region (NCR)	144.3	144.3	137.4	137.4	5.0	5.0
Areas Outside NCR	158.9	158.9	155.4	155.2	2.3	2.4
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	139.8	139.6	137.6	137.6	1.6	1.5
I - Ilocos	156.8	156.8	154.4	154.4	1.6	1.6
II - Cagayan Valley	154.9	154.9	154.4	154.4	0.3	0.3
III - Central Luzon	152.4	152.4	150.1	150.1	1.5	1.5
IV - Southern Tagalog	157.9	157.4	156.1	155.6	1.2	1.2
V - Bicol	253.6	253.2	247.2	246.7	2.6	2.6
VI - Western Visayas	155.8	155.6	153.1	153.1	1.8	1.6
VII - Central Visayas	157.2	158.4	147.0	147.0	6.9	7.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	178.9	178.8	176.7	175.8	1.2	1.7
IX - Western Mindanao	147.7	147.7	142.6	142.6	3.6	3.6
X - Northern Mindanao	174.1	174.0	163.3	162.5	6.6	7.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	140.9	140.9	135.9	135.9	3.7	3.7
XII - Central Mindanao	150.6	150.4	146.8	146.8	2.6	2.5
XIII - Caraga	140.9	144.2	135.3	135.3	4.1	6.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	197.9	197.9	195.6	195.6	1.2	1.2

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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