

**Table 11. Monthly Consumer Price Index for Food and Food, Beverages and Tobacco (FBT)
for All Income Households, by Area, December 2003 - december 2004
(1994 = 100)**

Area Commodity Group	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	2 0 0 4							2 0 0 3	
							Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec
Philippines															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	166.3	171.5	169.9	169.7	169.5	168.5	167.5	165.9	164.5	163.4	162.5	161.4	161.4	157.5	159.3
Food	166.9	172.3	170.5	170.4	170.1	169.2	168.2	166.5	164.9	163.9	162.9	161.8	161.8	157.7	159.6
National Capital Region (NCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	161.9	167.7	162.5	163.2	162.8	162.5	162.3	162.1	161.7	160.6	159.6	159.0	159.1	157.3	157.4
Food	161.7	167.8	162.1	162.9	162.5	162.3	162.1	161.9	161.4	160.4	159.3	158.8	158.8	153.2	157.1
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	167.6	172.7	172.1	171.7	171.5	170.3	169.1	167.1	165.3	164.2	163.4	162.1	162.1	158.6	159.9
Food	168.5	173.7	173.0	172.7	172.4	171.3	170.1	167.9	166.0	164.9	164.0	162.7	162.7	159.0	160.3

Source: **Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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