Table 5. Month-on-Month Changes of the CPI in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group
August 2006 – August 2007
(2000 = 100)

Area/Commodity Group	Aug 2007	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Dec 2006	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug
Philippines													
All items	0.1	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.4
Food, beverages, and tobacco	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.5	-0.2	0.8
Clothing	0.2	0.1r	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2
Housing and repairs	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.3
Fuel, light, and water	-1.1	3.6r	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.7r	-0.1	0.6	-0.4	0.5r	-1.0
Services	0.1	0.7	2.0	0.4	0.4	0.1	-0.3	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.5	0.4
Miscellaneous	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
National Capital Region													
All items	0.0	1.5	0.8	0.3	0.1	-0.1	-0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.4	0.1
Food, beverages and tobacco	0.8	1.0	0.5	0.2	0.0	-0.3	-0.9	0.1	0.4	-0.2	1.5	-0.6	1.2
Clothing	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.0
Housing and repairs	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2
Fuel, light and water	-2.8	8.7	-0.5	-0.3	-0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.9	0.0	3.1	-0.5	-0.3	-4.7
Services	0.2	1.2	2.0	0.6	0.6	0.1	-0.4	0.1	-0.5	-0.4	-1.0	-0.9	0.5
Miscellaneous	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0
Areas Outside NCR													
All items	0.2	0.4r	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1r	0.5
Food, beverages, and tobacco	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.5	0.2	-0.1	0.6
Clothing	0.2	0.1r	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Housing and repairs	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.4
Fuel, light, and water	-0.1	0.8r	1.0	0.7	0.3r	0.0	-0.1	0.6r	-0.2	-0.8r	-0.4	0.9r	1.2
Services	0.1	0.4	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.3	-0.4	-0.2	0.3
Miscellaneous	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2

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