

Table 13. Year-on-Year Changes of the Food and FBT, in Percent, by Area
 December 2006 - December 2007
 (2000 = 100)

Area / Commodity Group	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	2 0 0 7						Jan	2 0 0 6		
							Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Feb	Feb		Ave	Dec	
Philippines																
Food, beverages, and tobacco	3.3	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.7	3.0	4.3	5.5	4.7	
Food	3.3	5.0	4.0	3.5	3.4	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.0	4.2	5.5	4.6	
National Capital Region (NCR)																
Food, beverages, and tobacco	3.3	4.7	3.5	2.9	3.8	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	4.9	5.6	5.1	
Food	3.3	4.9	3.7	2.9	3.9	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.9	5.0	5.7	5.2	
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)																
Food, beverages, and tobacco	3.2	4.9	4.0	3.6	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.6	3.0	4.0	5.5	4.5	
Food	3.2	5.0	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.5	3.0	4.0	5.5	4.5	

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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