

Table 9. Regional Month-on-Month Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, February 2009 and January 2008
(2000 = 100)

Area and Region	Cereals				Rice				Corn			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	170.4	165.9	2.7	0.5	169.8	165.5	2.6	0.5	176.5	170.9	3.3	0.6
National Capital Region (NCR)	158.9	155.6	2.1	1.0	159.2	155.9	2.1	1.0	130.5	130.5	0.0	0.0
Areas Outside NCR	172.0	167.4	2.7	0.5	171.5	167.0	2.7	0.5	177.3	171.6	3.3	0.6
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	173.0	167.1	3.5	-1.6	173.5	167.6	3.5	-1.6	137.7	136.7	0.7	0.0
I - Ilocos	175.4	171.6	2.2	-1.2	175.7	171.9	2.2	-1.2	150.1	147.8	1.6	4.4
II - Cagayan Valley	182.4	176.5	3.3	1.8	184.2	178.1	3.4	1.8	142.1	142.0	0.1	0.3
III - Central Luzon	166.1	162.2	2.4	0.4	165.5	161.6	2.4	0.4	207.7	205.5	1.1	1.6
IV-a - Calabarzon	161.6	160.5	0.7	0.6	161.8	160.7	0.7	0.6	142.8	139.3	2.5	1.8
IV-b - Mimaropa	168.4	167.0	0.8	2.1	168.4	167.0	0.8	2.1	173.7	167.3	3.8	0.7
V - Bicol	170.4	165.8	2.8	3.8	171.5	166.0	3.3	4.2	158.0	163.9	-3.6	0.0
VI - Western Visayas	169.2	169.4	-0.1	1.0	171.1	171.4	-0.2	1.0	134.7	131.8	2.2	-0.2
VII - Central Visayas	179.0	176.9	1.2	-0.4	174.4	172.8	0.9	-0.7	188.4	185.3	1.7	0.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	188.3	183.8	2.4	1.2	190.3	185.6	2.5	1.3	152.1	150.5	1.1	0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	164.3	167.9	-2.1	0.7	162.6	166.5	-2.3	0.9	168.3	171.2	-1.7	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	174.8	166.8	4.8	0.0	170.5	163.5	4.3	0.1	185.4	174.9	6.0	-0.1
XI - Davao	178.6	160.5	11.3	0.2	177.0	159.7	10.8	-0.6	184.2	163.5	12.7	3.2
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	166.0	151.9	9.3	1.1	162.9	148.9	9.4	1.2	194.6	180.2	8.0	0.8
XIII - Caraga	172.7	165.2	4.5	-0.1	171.9	164.9	4.2	-0.1	180.0	168.2	7.0	-0.8
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	184.6	176.3	4.7	-3.8	183.4	175.0	4.8	-4.0	240.7	238.4	1.0	3.8

Table 9. (Continued)

Area and Region	Cereal Preparations				Dairy Products				Eggs			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	180.2	179.3	0.5	0.0	189.8	188.6	0.6	0.6	152.2	148.7	2.4	1.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	195.0	194.6	0.2	-0.4	186.3	185.6	0.4	0.2	156.6	148.7	5.3	3.0
Areas Outside NCR	175.1	174.0	0.6	0.2	191.3	189.9	0.7	0.8	150.8	148.7	1.4	0.9
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	156.4	155.9	0.3	-0.4	208.6	207.4	0.6	0.2	136.6	135.4	0.9	1.4
I - Ilocos	217.6	217.1	0.2	0.8	214.1	213.5	0.3	0.5	150.6	149.2	0.9	1.5
II - Cagayan Valley	155.7	153.9	1.2	0.5	180.0	178.7	0.7	0.3	151.2	150.1	0.7	0.3
III - Central Luzon	170.6	169.5	0.6	0.1	206.3	205.1	0.6	1.9	138.8	136.3	1.8	0.4
IV-a - Calabarzon	168.4	166.8	1.0	-0.1	193.6	191.8	0.9	1.0	136.7	134.3	1.8	1.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	164.8	163.1	1.0	0.7	190.4	189.2	0.6	0.6	152.5	149.7	1.9	0.1
V - Bicol	166.6	165.3	0.8	0.1	182.5	182.0	0.3	0.1	147.9	145.8	1.4	1.5
VI - Western Visayas	156.3	155.7	0.4	0.2	172.9	172.6	0.2	2.0	160.5	157.4	2.0	1.4
VII - Central Visayas	188.0	187.4	0.3	0.2	179.9	174.9	2.9	0.1	153.8	153.6	0.1	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	204.5	202.9	0.8	0.2	181.4	180.3	0.6	0.5	169.7	168.1	1.0	0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	195.9	195.2	0.4	0.2	213.9	212.9	0.5	0.6	187.7	178.9	4.9	1.2
X - Northern Mindanao	168.6	168.2	0.2	-0.4	192.1	192.1	0.0	0.4	172.4	171.8	0.3	-1.9
XI - Davao	188.3	187.0	0.7	0.6	176.8	176.1	0.4	1.1	165.2	164.8	0.2	1.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	174.6	173.2	0.8	0.2	179.8	178.3	0.8	-0.4	148.5	147.1	1.0	0.5
XIII - Caraga	175.1	173.9	0.7	-1.1	184.4	182.9	0.8	0.2	159.4	159.4	0.0	1.0
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	185.8	185.6	0.1	0.8	191.9	191.2	0.4	0.3	177.9	173.0	2.8	2.1

Table 9 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h				Fruits and Vegetables				M e a t			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	158.9	159.6	-0.4	3.2	149.0	150.9	-1.3	-0.6	153.6	152.5	0.7	1.2
National Capital Region (NCR)	135.2	137.5	-1.7	3.9	121.0	126.2	-4.1	-1.2	152.5	151.2	0.9	1.6
Areas Outside NCR	165.0	165.2	-0.1	3.0	159.1	159.8	-0.4	-0.4	154.1	153.0	0.7	1.0
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	133.0	132.5	0.4	-1.5	151.1	152.5	-0.9	-3.8	148.2	148.1	0.1	0.5
I - Ilocos	155.7	156.1	-0.3	3.0	130.0	131.8	-1.4	-2.8	160.2	158.9	0.8	0.3
II - Cagayan Valley	150.7	148.4	1.5	0.6	150.7	151.0	-0.2	1.1	151.3	150.3	0.7	0.5
III - Central Luzon	148.3	150.9	-1.7	4.0	141.1	146.0	-3.4	0.1	156.4	154.1	1.5	2.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	163.3	162.3	0.6	2.6	138.3	143.5	-3.6	-3.6	150.2	148.9	0.9	1.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	160.1	159.8	0.2	4.0	148.1	151.1	-2.0	0.3	157.8	156.5	0.8	1.0
V - Bicol	155.6	156.0	-0.3	5.5	146.8	148.4	-1.1	0.5	158.5	157.7	0.5	0.4
VI - Western Visayas	174.3	176.1	-1.0	4.9	167.3	168.5	-0.7	1.6	148.2	146.5	1.2	0.5
VII - Central Visayas	181.4	181.8	-0.2	2.0	203.4	200.8	1.3	0.6	153.7	153.6	0.1	0.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	163.1	161.3	1.1	0.7	173.5	170.5	1.8	1.7	153.1	153.3	-0.1	0.3
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	157.2	163.4	-3.8	7.2	173.6	176.7	-1.8	0.9	151.2	152.0	-0.5	0.1
X - Northern Mindanao	182.5	183.2	-0.4	2.1	187.6	177.1	5.9	-1.0	157.6	156.5	0.7	0.2
XI - Davao	179.5	177.7	1.0	1.4	177.7	173.2	2.6	1.1	153.1	152.9	0.1	0.5
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	164.2	163.4	0.5	0.9	170.0	167.0	1.8	-1.3	160.1	160.0	0.1	0.1
XIII - Caraga	196.8	192.6	2.2	4.4	186.9	175.3	6.6	0.6	161.4	160.6	0.5	0.5
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	184.6	184.7	-0.1	1.9	209.3	209.3	0.0	1.9	180.0	178.8	0.7	1.0

Table 9 (concluded)

Area and Region	Miscellaneous Foods				Meals Eaten Outside			
	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous	Feb	Jan	Current	Previous
Philippines	151.2	151.2	0.0	0.9	144.9	144.8	0.1	1.9
National Capital Region (NCR)	148.4	148.6	-0.1	3.1	142.1	142.1	0.0	4.5
Areas Outside NCR	152.5	152.4	0.1	0.0	146.6	146.4	0.1	0.4
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	143.8	145.1	-0.9	-0.3	120.6	120.6	0.0	0.0
I - Ilocos	155.4	154.8	0.4	-0.1	143.6	143.6	0.0	0.1
II - Cagayan Valley	165.7	165.5	0.1	-0.2	193.6	192.3	0.7	0.0
III - Central Luzon	152.3	152.2	0.1	0.0	140.9	140.9	0.0	0.4
IV-a - Calabarzon	140.4	140.3	0.1	0.0	138.6	138.6	0.0	0.7
IV-b - Mimaropa	148.0	147.8	0.1	-0.8	145.6	145.2	0.3	0.0
V - Bicol	156.4	155.6	0.5	-0.4	158.9	158.7	0.1	0.1
VI - Western Visayas	152.5	152.6	-0.1	0.3	142.5	142.2	0.2	0.2
VII - Central Visayas	167.0	166.6	0.2	-0.1	172.9	172.9	0.0	0.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	156.2	156.2	0.0	0.4	161.0	161.0	0.0	0.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	161.8	160.8	0.6	0.1	150.4	150.0	0.3	0.0
X - Northern Mindanao	153.8	154.4	-0.4	0.5	141.6	139.6	1.4	0.4
XI - Davao	164.2	164.7	-0.3	-1.1	145.3	145.1	0.1	0.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	154.2	154.6	-0.3	-0.3	150.9	150.8	0.1	0.8
XIII - Caraga	163.9	164.7	-0.5	0.2	176.4	175.5	0.5	0.7
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	178.6	177.9	0.4	0.6	209.0	208.9	0.0	4.3

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