

**Table 4. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent, by Area: March 2008 - March 2009**  
(2000 = 100)

| Area                          | 2009 |     |     | Ave  | 2 0 0 8 |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |     |     |  |
|-------------------------------|------|-----|-----|------|---------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-----|-----|--|
|                               | Mar  | Feb | Jan |      | Dec     | Nov  | Oct  | Sep   | Aug   | Jul   | Jun  | May   | Apr | Mar |  |
| Philippines                   | 6.4  | 7.3 | 7.1 | 9.3  | 8.0     | 9.9  | 11.2 | 11.8r | 12.4r | 12.3r | 11.4 | 9.5r  | 8.3 | 6.4 |  |
| National Capital Region (NCR) | 3.2  | 4.7 | 4.3 | 6.9  | 4.5     | 6.8  | 8.0  | 8.2   | 8.7   | 8.6   | 9.2  | 8.3   | 7.4 | 5.4 |  |
| Areas Outside NCR             | 7.8  | 8.4 | 8.3 | 10.4 | 9.6     | 11.2 | 12.6 | 13.5r | 14.2  | 13.9  | 12.3 | 10.1r | 8.7 | 6.8 |  |

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