

Table 11. Monthly Consumer Price Index for Food and Food, Beverages and Tobacco (FBT)
for All Income Households, by Area, March 2008 - March 2009
(2000 = 100)

Area Commodity Group	2009				Ave	2 0 0 8									
	Mar	Feb	Jan	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar
Philippines															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	159.9	159.3	158.3	152.3	156.8	156.8	157.3	158.0r	158.4	158.4	155.9	151.4r	148.2	143.6	
Food	161.1	160.5	159.4	153.3	158.0	158.0	158.4	159.3r	159.7	159.7	157.2	152.4r	149.0	144.0	
National Capital Region (NCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	150.5	150.3	150.4	145.1	148.1	147.4	147.7	148.4	148.3	148.6	148.4	145.9	143.5	140.0	
Food	151.4	151.2	151.3	145.8	148.8	148.1	148.5	149.2	149.1	149.5	149.3	146.7	144.2	140.4	
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	162.9	162.2	160.8	154.6	159.6	159.8	160.3	161.1r	161.6	161.5	158.3	153.2r	149.7	144.7	
Food	164.2	163.5	162.0	155.7	160.9	161.1	161.6	162.5r	163.1	163.0	159.7	154.2r	150.r	145.1	

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