

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

Area and Region	Cereals			Rice			Corn					
	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous			
Philippines	174.2	173.9	0.2	2.1	173.1	172.9	0.1	1.8	185.7	184.3	0.8	4.4
National Capital Region (NCR)	158.4	159.3	-0.6	0.3	158.7	159.7	-0.6	0.3	130.5	130.5	0.0	0.0
Areas Outside NCR	176.4	176.0	0.2	2.3	175.3	175.0	0.2	2.0	186.7	185.3	0.8	4.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	177.2	175.3	1.1	1.3	177.8	175.9	1.1	1.4	139.7	138.5	0.9	0.6
I - Ilocos	180.0	178.6	0.8	1.8	180.4	179.0	0.8	1.9	151.8	150.3	1.0	0.1
II - Cagayan Valley	183.9	182.7	0.7	0.2	185.8	184.5	0.7	0.2	143.0	143.0	0.0	0.6
III - Central Luzon	167.5	167.9	-0.2	1.1	166.9	167.3	-0.2	1.1	208.1	211.0	-1.4	1.6
IV-a - Calabarzon	162.4	161.9	0.3	0.2	162.6	162.0	0.4	0.1	146.2	148.4	-1.5	3.9
IV-b - Mimaropa	175.8	172.5	1.9	2.4	175.8	172.5	1.9	2.4	178.1	175.4	1.5	1.0
V - Bicol	172.3	174.7	-1.4	2.5	173.5	176.2	-1.5	2.7	159.9	158.0	1.2	0.0
VI - Western Visayas	173.3	174.0	-0.4	2.8	174.8	175.8	-0.6	2.7	144.8	140.5	3.1	4.3
VII - Central Visayas	179.4	179.7	-0.2	0.4	174.0	174.4	-0.2	0.0	190.7	190.6	0.1	1.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	193.0	191.8	0.6	1.9	195.1	193.8	0.7	1.8	155.0	155.2	-0.1	2.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	174.0	172.6	0.8	5.1	172.3	170.6	1.0	4.9	177.8	177.1	0.4	5.2
X - Northern Mindanao	187.4	185.9	0.8	6.4	177.9	176.7	0.7	3.6	210.4	208.2	1.1	12.3
XI - Davao	186.2	186.0	0.1	4.1	183.8	184.2	-0.2	4.1	194.6	192.4	1.1	4.5
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	175.4	175.0	0.2	5.4	172.0	171.8	0.1	5.5	206.9	204.6	1.1	5.1
XIII - Caraga	182.1	178.5	2.0	3.4	180.4	177.2	1.8	3.1	197.5	191.0	3.4	6.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	189.4	189.1	0.2	2.4	188.3	188.0	0.2	2.5	240.9	240.8	0.0	0.0

Table 9. (Continued)

Area and Region	Cereal Preparations			Dairy Products			Eggs					
	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous	Percent Change	Apr	Mar Current Previous			
Philippines	181.5	181.2	0.2	0.6	191.3	190.8	0.3	0.5	152.6	153.0	-0.3	0.5
National Capital Region (NCR)	196.8	196.3	0.3	0.7	188.0	187.4	0.3	0.6	154.1	156.8	-1.7	0.1
Areas Outside NCR	176.2	175.9	0.2	0.5	192.6	192.2	0.2	0.5	152.2	151.8	0.3	0.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	156.7	156.4	0.2	0.0	209.4	209.0	0.2	0.2	137.5	137.2	0.2	0.4
I - Ilocos	219.0	218.6	0.2	0.5	214.4	214.3	0.0	0.1	153.3	153.2	0.1	1.7
II - Cagayan Valley	156.9	156.9	0.0	0.8	182.1	181.2	0.5	0.7	152.0	151.4	0.4	0.1
III - Central Luzon	170.7	170.6	0.1	0.0	208.0	206.7	0.6	0.2	139.9	141.4	-1.1	1.9
IV-a - Calabarzon	170.0	170.0	0.0	1.0	194.8	194.6	0.1	0.5	142.7	140.1	1.9	2.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	166.0	165.3	0.4	0.3	191.6	191.5	0.1	0.6	153.1	153.2	-0.1	0.5
V - Bicol	167.9	167.4	0.3	0.5	184.6	184.4	0.1	1.0	146.2	147.5	-0.9	-0.3
VI - Western Visayas	157.5	156.8	0.4	0.3	173.8	173.3	0.3	0.2	157.6	156.2	0.9	-2.7
VII - Central Visayas	188.3	188.3	0.0	0.2	183.3	182.9	0.2	1.7	153.7	153.9	-0.1	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	205.1	205.0	0.0	0.2	182.8	182.4	0.2	0.6	170.1	169.8	0.2	0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	199.1	198.5	0.3	1.3	214.2	214.2	0.0	0.1	188.1	188.1	0.0	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	168.6	168.6	0.0	0.0	192.2	192.2	0.0	0.1	172.6	173.0	-0.2	0.3
XI - Davao	190.2	189.8	0.2	0.8	178.4	178.3	0.1	0.8	166.7	166.4	0.2	0.7
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	176.3	175.9	0.2	0.7	180.0	179.9	0.1	0.1	148.2	147.5	0.5	-0.7
XIII - Caraga	176.0	175.5	0.3	0.2	185.3	184.5	0.4	0.1	160.9	158.2	1.7	-0.8
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	186.1	186.1	0.0	0.2	192.1	192.0	0.1	0.1	177.5	177.1	0.2	-0.4

Table 9 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h			Fruits and Vegetables			M e a t					
	Percent Change			Percent Change			Percent Change					
	Apr	Mar	Current Previous	Apr	Mar	Current Previous	Apr	Mar	Current Previous			
Philippines	158.5	157.9	0.4	-0.6	145.2	146.1	-0.6	-1.9	154.7	154.5	0.1	0.6
National Capital Region (NCR)	134.5	134.0	0.4	-0.9	120.6	119.7	0.8	-1.1	153.2	153.3	-0.1	0.5
Areas Outside NCR	164.6	164.0	0.4	-0.6	154.0	155.5	-1.0	-2.3	155.3	155.0	0.2	0.6
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	133.6	133.2	0.3	0.2	147.8	148.8	-0.7	-1.5	148.7	148.5	0.1	0.2
I - Ilocos	155.3	157.7	-1.5	1.3	127.6	129.6	-1.5	-0.3	162.6	161.1	0.9	0.6
II - Cagayan Valley	152.6	151.7	0.6	0.7	143.5	146.7	-2.2	-2.7	152.8	152.3	0.3	0.7
III - Central Luzon	148.5	147.6	0.6	-0.5	139.5	136.8	2.0	-3.0	156.6	156.8	-0.1	0.3
IV-a - Calabarzon	162.0	161.7	0.2	-1.0	131.7	131.6	0.1	-4.8	151.7	151.7	0.0	1.0
IV-b - Mimaropa	154.7	157.4	-1.7	-1.7	143.9	145.6	-1.2	-1.7	159.1	158.5	0.4	0.4
V - Bicol	154.0	152.8	0.8	-1.8	138.5	141.2	-1.9	-3.8	160.0	159.6	0.3	0.7
VI - Western Visayas	170.8	170.3	0.3	-2.3	162.7	166.7	-2.4	-0.4	148.8	148.9	-0.1	0.5
VII - Central Visayas	181.7	180.1	0.9	-0.7	197.8	201.5	-1.8	-0.9	154.6	153.7	0.6	0.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	164.1	163.2	0.6	0.1	172.3	173.7	-0.8	0.1	154.0	153.3	0.5	0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	158.1	159.4	-0.8	1.4	168.3	169.4	-0.6	-2.4	152.1	152.0	0.1	0.5
X - Northern Mindanao	181.3	179.6	0.9	-1.6	175.8	179.8	-2.2	-4.2	159.0	158.7	0.2	0.7
XI - Davao	183.6	180.8	1.5	0.7	171.4	175.3	-2.2	-1.4	155.4	153.7	1.1	0.4
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	166.1	164.4	1.0	0.1	163.7	167.2	-2.1	-1.6	161.1	160.6	0.3	0.3
XIII - Caraga	197.0	197.5	-0.3	0.4	180.1	183.5	-1.9	-1.8	162.7	161.2	0.9	-0.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	183.7	183.7	0.0	-0.5	208.2	207.9	0.1	-0.7	184.3	181.7	1.4	0.9

Table 9 (concluded)

Area and Region	Miscellaneous Foods			Meals Eaten Outside				
	Percent Change			Percent Change				
	Apr	Mar	Current Previous	Apr	Mar	Current Previous		
Philippines	151.6	151.4	0.1	0.1	145.8	145.4	0.3	0.3
National Capital Region (NCR)	149.5	148.7	0.5	0.2	143.1	142.1	0.7	0.0
Areas Outside NCR	152.6	152.6	0.0	0.1	147.4	147.3	0.1	0.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	142.9	143.1	-0.1	-0.5	120.7	120.7	0.0	0.1
I - Ilocos	155.2	155.3	-0.1	-0.1	143.6	143.6	0.0	0.0
II - Cagayan Valley	166.3	166.0	0.2	0.2	194.1	194.1	0.0	0.3
III - Central Luzon	152.2	152.0	0.1	-0.2	141.0	141.0	0.0	0.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	141.0	141.3	-0.2	0.6	140.0	140.0	0.0	1.0
IV-b - Mimaropa	148.5	148.0	0.3	0.0	147.2	145.9	0.9	0.2
V - Bicol	157.8	157.2	0.4	0.5	161.3	160.4	0.6	0.9
VI - Western Visayas	152.6	152.4	0.1	-0.1	143.1	142.6	0.4	0.1
VII - Central Visayas	166.8	167.3	-0.3	0.2	173.1	173.0	0.1	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	155.6	155.9	-0.2	-0.2	161.0	161.0	0.0	0.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	159.6	159.3	0.2	-1.5	150.5	150.5	0.0	0.1
X - Northern Mindanao	152.9	153.0	-0.1	-0.5	142.1	141.9	0.1	0.2
XI - Davao	163.8	164.3	-0.3	0.1	145.3	145.3	0.0	0.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	154.4	154.2	0.1	0.0	151.4	151.3	0.1	0.3
XIII - Caraga	164.2	163.5	0.4	-0.2	179.5	177.8	1.0	0.8
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	179.4	178.9	0.3	0.2	209.0	209.0	0.0	0.0

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