

Table 10. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, May and April 2009 and 2008
(2000 = 100)

Area/Region	C e r e a l s						R i c e					
	2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)		2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	174.2	174.2	160.8r	151.5r	8.3	15.0	173.1	173.1	159.7r	150.7r	8.4	14.9
National Capital Region (NCR)	158.8	158.4	157.4	151.5	0.9	4.6	159.1	158.7	157.7	151.8	0.9	4.5
Areas Outside NCR	176.4	176.4	161.3r	151.5	9.4	16.4	175.3	175.3	160.0r	150.5	9.6	16.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	173.0	177.2	160.9	147.9	7.5	19.8	173.4	177.8	161.4	148.1	7.4	20.1
I - Ilocos	180.0	180.0	164.8	157.4	9.2	14.4	180.4	180.4	165.2	157.8	9.2	14.3
II - Cagayan Valley	185.3	183.9	164.0	155.5	13.0	18.3	187.2	185.8	165.2	156.4	13.3	18.8
III - Central Luzon	166.7	167.5	152.8r	142.5r	9.1	17.5	166.0	166.9	152.2r	141.7r	9.1	17.8
IV-a - Calabarzon	163.1	162.4	152.0	146.5	7.3	10.9	163.3	162.6	152.2	146.6	7.3	10.9
IV-b - Mimaropa	175.9	175.8	174.7r	165.0r	0.7	6.5	175.9	175.8	174.9r	165.1r	0.6	6.5
V - Bicol	170.1	172.3	158.7r	152.2r	7.2	13.2	171.0	173.5	158.7r	152.5r	7.8	13.8
VI - Western Visayas	173.4	173.3	149.3r	143.6r	16.1	20.7	174.8	174.8	150.4r	144.4r	16.2	21.1
VII - Central Visayas	180.1	179.4	173.9	167.3	3.6	7.2	174.5	174.0	165.6	158.5	5.4	9.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	193.1	193.0	158.5	154.4	21.8	25.0	195.2	195.1	160.1	156.1	21.9	25.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	174.0	174.0	164.5r	135.8	5.8	28.1	172.4	172.3	167.8r	137.9	2.7	24.9
X - Northern Mindanao	187.5	187.4	167.5	149.7	11.9	25.2	177.7	177.9	158.5	142.7	12.1	24.7
XI - Davao	185.7	186.2	168.9	160.4	9.9	16.1	184.2	183.8	167.8	158.7	9.8	15.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	177.8	175.4	167.5r	160.5r	6.1	9.3	174.7	172.0	166.1r	160.3r	5.2	7.3
XIII - Caraga	181.1	182.1	163.3	147.6	10.9	23.4	179.5	180.4	162.3	147.6	10.6	22.2
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	191.4	189.4	178.4r	152.7r	7.3	24.0	190.3	188.3	177.2r	151.1r	7.4	24.6

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	C o r n						Cereal Preparations					
	2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)		2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	186.0	185.7	172.4	160.6	7.9	15.6	181.6	181.5	167.7	165.1	8.3	9.9
National Capital Region (NCR)	130.5	130.5	130.3	130.3	0.2	0.2	196.9	196.8	183.1	180.7	7.5	8.9
Areas Outside NCR	187.0	186.7	173.2	161.1	8.0	15.9	176.3	176.2	162.3	159.7	8.6	10.3
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	147.5	139.7	131.4	136.2	12.3	2.6	156.8	156.7	148.3	146.0	5.7	7.3
I - Ilocos	151.6	151.8	131.8	128.3	15.0	18.3	219.1	219.0	202.8	198.6	8.0	10.3
II - Cagayan Valley	143.1	143.0	137.3	134.8	4.2	6.1	156.9	156.9	142.5	141.5	10.1	10.9
III - Central Luzon	216.9	208.1	198.4	196.9	9.3	5.7	171.0	170.7	158.2	155.4	8.1	9.8
IV-a - Calabarzon	146.4	146.2	133.2	133.4	9.9	9.6	169.9	170.0	156.3	155.5	8.7	9.3
IV-b - Mimaropa	178.1	178.1	155.0	151.5	14.9	17.6	166.0	166.0	150.1	145.0	10.6	14.5
V - Bicol	159.9	159.9	158.4	149.4	0.9	7.0	168.5	167.9	155.3	152.9	8.5	9.8
VI - Western Visayas	147.8	144.8	129.7	129.3	14.0	12.0	157.5	157.5	145.2	143.7	8.5	9.6
VII - Central Visayas	191.6	190.7	191.2	185.5	0.2	2.8	188.6	188.3	180.8	175.1	4.3	7.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	155.2	155.0	128.8	122.5	20.5	26.5	204.8	205.1	181.3	178.5	13.0	14.9
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	177.7	177.8	156.9	131.0	13.3	35.7	199.1	199.1	172.8	169.5	15.2	17.5
X - Northern Mindanao	211.4	210.4	189.2	166.6	11.7	26.3	168.5	168.6	159.6	155.7	5.6	8.3
XI - Davao	191.0	194.6	172.9	166.3	10.5	17.0	190.8	190.2	169.2	165.8	12.8	14.7
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	206.8	206.9	180.5	162.5	14.6	27.3	176.6	176.3	159.9	158.2	10.4	11.4
XIII - Caraga	196.0	197.5	172.7	147.3	13.5	34.1	175.6	176.0	165.9	162.1	5.8	8.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	243.4	240.9	233.2	229.6	4.4	4.9	186.5	186.1	175.2	173.1	6.4	7.5

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	Dairy Products				Inflation Rates (%)		E g g s				Inflation Rates (%)	
	2009		2008		Current	Previous	2009		2008		Current	Previous
	May	Apr	May	Apr			May	Apr	May	Apr		
Philippines	191.6	191.3	178.9	177.8	7.1	7.6	152.6	152.6	141.8	142.5	7.6	7.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	188.1	188.0	177.3	176.2	6.1	6.7	151.0	154.1	139.8	143.3	8.0	7.5
Areas Outside NCR	193.1	192.6	179.6	178.5	7.5	7.9	153.1	152.2	142.4	142.2	7.5	7.0
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	209.6	209.4	200.7	199.3	4.4	5.1	138.1	137.5	131.1	132.7	5.3	3.6
I - Ilocos	214.6	214.4	207.7	207.4	3.3	3.4	153.4	153.3	141.7	140.8	8.3	8.9
II - Cagayan Valley	182.5	182.1	173.2	172.2	5.4	5.7	152.0	152.0	143.1	143.0	6.2	6.3
III - Central Luzon	208.1	208.0	190.6	189.7	9.2	9.6	143.5	139.9	134.8	133.2	6.5	5.0
IV-a - Calabarzon	195.7	194.8	175.4	173.6	11.6	12.2	143.2	142.7	128.9	128.7	11.1	10.9
IV-b - Mimaropa	192.0	191.6	181.6	181.2	5.7	5.7	152.9	153.1	144.9	144.5	5.5	6.0
V - Bicol	185.4	184.6	177.2	176.8	4.6	4.4	146.8	146.2	137.1	138.4	7.1	5.6
VI - Western Visayas	174.5	173.8	161.2	159.6	8.3	8.9	158.5	157.6	147.2	147.8	7.7	6.6
VII - Central Visayas	184.4	183.3	171.4	170.6	7.6	7.4	153.7	153.7	146.5	146.0	4.9	5.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	182.9	182.8	168.9	168.2	8.3	8.7	170.0	170.1	159.0	158.1	6.9	7.6
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	214.2	214.2	202.1	200.9	6.0	6.6	189.1	188.1	161.4	167.1	17.2	12.6
X - Northern Mindanao	192.2	192.2	183.4	182.2	4.8	5.5	173.8	172.6	162.0	162.2	7.3	6.4
XI - Davao	178.9	178.4	164.2	164.0	9.0	8.8	166.6	166.7	159.2	159.1	4.6	4.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	180.2	180.0	173.8	172.4	3.7	4.4	147.9	148.2	144.7	144.0	2.2	2.9
XIII - Caraga	185.3	185.3	177.7	177.0	4.3	4.7	160.4	160.9	150.5	148.9	6.6	8.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	192.8	192.1	184.0	181.4	4.8	5.9	177.3	177.5	163.7	163.2	8.3	8.8

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h				Inflation Rates (%)		Fruits and Vegetables				Inflation Rates (%)	
	2009		2008		Current	Previous	2009		2008		Current	Previous
	May	Apr	May	Apr			May	Apr	May	Apr		
Philippines	158.8	158.5	150.1	149.9	5.8	5.7	147.4	145.2	138.9	135.1	6.1	7.5
National Capital Region (NCR)	134.0	134.5	133.8	135.6	0.1	-0.8	127.3	120.6	120.2	111.3	5.9	8.4
Areas Outside NCR	165.1	164.6	154.3	153.5	7.0	7.2	154.6	154.0	145.6	143.6	6.2	7.2
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	138.3	133.6	122.7	122.8	12.7	8.8	150.9	147.8	142.1	141.2	6.2	4.7
I - Ilocos	155.2	155.3	145.4	145.0	6.7	7.1	128.5	127.6	119.5	115.4	7.5	10.6
II - Cagayan Valley	153.5	152.6	143.3	140.9	7.1	8.3	145.0	143.5	136.9	131.4	5.9	9.2
III - Central Luzon	147.8	148.5	140.7	139.1	5.0	6.8	141.4	139.5	133.5	128.1	5.9	8.9
IV-a - Calabarzon	163.6	162.0	147.7	147.7	10.8	9.7	134.1	131.7	128.7	126.6	4.2	4.0
IV-b - Mimaropa	155.1	154.7	153.7	152.4	0.9	1.5	143.1	143.9	146.7	147.0	-2.5	-2.1
V - Bicol	155.4	154.0	146.1	146.2	6.4	5.3	139.7	138.5	136.3	138.2	2.5	0.2
VI - Western Visayas	170.7	170.8	159.9	158.8	6.8	7.6	163.6	162.7	147.3	147.2	11.1	10.5
VII - Central Visayas	181.9	181.7	175.1	174.5	3.9	4.1	194.7	197.8	179.3	180.7	8.6	9.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	165.5	164.1	157.1	154.6	5.3	6.1	170.9	172.3	159.8	155.5	6.9	10.8
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	160.1	158.1	155.4	158.4	3.0	-0.2	168.3	168.3	163.0	159.8	3.3	5.3
X - Northern Mindanao	181.4	181.3	166.5	165.7	8.9	9.4	177.6	175.8	164.7	164.0	7.8	7.2
XI - Davao	181.7	183.6	168.1	167.9	8.1	9.4	168.2	171.4	159.4	159.7	5.5	7.3
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	164.8	166.1	154.4	153.5	6.7	8.2	163.4	163.7	159.7	157.7	2.3	3.8
XIII - Caraga	197.3	197.0	173.5	167.2	13.7	17.8	177.5	180.1	160.1	157.8	10.9	14.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	183.8	183.7	171.4	170.1	7.2	8.0	207.5	208.2	184.9	183.7	12.2	13.3

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	M e a t						Miscellaneous Foods					
	2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)		2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	154.2	154.7	148.5	146.5	3.8	5.6	151.8	151.6	146.1	144.2	3.9	5.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	151.8	153.2	149.0	148.1	1.9	3.4	149.5	149.5	142.8	140.8	4.7	6.2
Areas Outside NCR	155.2	155.3	148.3	145.8	4.7	6.5	152.9	152.6	147.6	145.7	3.6	4.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	149.8	148.7	143.3	140.6	4.5	5.8	143.2	142.9	142.1	138.5	0.8	3.2
I - Ilocos	162.2	162.6	153.6	150.7	5.6	7.9	155.7	155.2	151.3	149.7	2.9	3.7
II - Cagayan Valley	153.5	152.8	143.6	139.2	6.9	9.8	166.9	166.3	158.3	156.3	5.4	6.4
III - Central Luzon	155.5	156.6	152.9	150.0	1.7	4.4	152.5	152.2	149.8	147.6	1.8	3.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	150.8	151.7	145.3	142.8	3.8	6.2	141.0	141.0	134.9	134.2	4.5	5.1
IV-b - Mimaropa	160.0	159.1	153.1	152.3	4.5	4.5	148.3	148.5	145.6	144.4	1.9	2.8
V - Bicol	160.0	160.0	151.5	147.6	5.6	8.4	158.2	157.8	150.8	148.4	4.9	6.3
VI - Western Visayas	149.2	148.8	136.9	136.1	9.0	9.3	153.2	152.6	146.4	144.1	4.6	5.9
VII - Central Visayas	155.1	154.6	146.9	145.5	5.6	6.3	167.0	166.8	163.3	161.7	2.3	3.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	155.1	154.0	147.9	145.8	4.9	5.6	156.1	155.6	143.9	141.5	8.5	10.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	151.9	152.1	147.2	146.4	3.2	3.9	159.9	159.6	154.3	153.0	3.6	4.3
X - Northern Mindanao	159.2	159.0	150.9	148.1	5.5	7.4	153.9	152.9	149.3	145.7	3.1	4.9
XI - Davao	156.6	155.4	146.4	143.8	7.0	8.1	164.5	163.8	162.2	157.3	1.4	4.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	161.4	161.1	155.5	152.4	3.8	5.7	154.5	154.4	153.7	149.6	0.5	3.2
XIII - Caraga	163.3	162.7	150.6	148.8	8.4	9.3	164.7	164.2	157.1	154.0	4.8	6.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	184.4	184.3	171.0	170.4	7.8	8.2	179.9	179.4	165.5	164.2	8.7	9.3

Table 10 (concluded)

Area and Region	Meals Eaten Outside					
	2009		2008		Inflation Rates(%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	145.9	145.8	138.3	137.8	5.5	5.8
National Capital Region (NCR)	143.1	143.1	135.0	135.0	6.0	6.0
Areas Outside NCR	147.5	147.4	140.3	139.5	5.1	5.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	120.7	120.7	114.6	113.2	5.3	6.6
I - Ilocos	143.6	143.6	140.9	140.3	1.9	2.4
II - Cagayan Valley	194.7	194.1	181.3	180.7	7.4	7.4
III - Central Luzon	141.3	141.0	138.6	137.9	1.9	2.2
IV-a - Calabarzon	140.0	140.0	131.3	131.1	6.6	6.8
IV-b - Mimaropa	147.9	147.2	137.1	136.4	7.9	7.9
V - Bicol	162.1	161.3	151.8	151.2	6.8	6.7
VI - Western Visayas	143.3	143.1	135.9	134.4	5.4	6.5
VII - Central Visayas	173.2	173.1	170.6	168.9	1.5	2.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	161.0	161.0	141.8	141.2	13.5	14.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	150.5	150.5	145.6	145.5	3.4	3.4
X - Northern Mindanao	142.1	142.1	131.7	129.1	7.9	10.1
XI - Davao	145.4	145.3	138.8	137.8	4.8	5.4
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	151.7	151.4	144.0	140.3	5.3	7.9
XIII - Caraga	179.7	179.5	158.2	157.3	13.6	14.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	209.1	209.0	183.3	182.3	14.1	14.6

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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