

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

Area Commodity Group	2 0 0 9					 Ave	2 0 0 8							
	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May
Philippines														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	160.3	160.1	159.9	159.3	158.3	152.3	156.8	156.8	157.3	158.0r	158.4	158.4	155.9	151.4r
Food	161.5	161.2	161.1	160.5	159.4	153.3	158.0	158.0	158.4	159.3r	159.7	159.7	157.2	152.4r
National Capital Region (NCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	151.3	150.9	150.5	150.3	150.4	145.1	148.1	147.4	147.7	148.4	148.3	148.6	148.4	145.9
Food	152.1	151.7	151.4	151.2	151.3	145.8	148.8	148.1	148.5	149.2	149.1	149.5	149.3	146.7
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	163.2	163.0	162.9	162.2	160.8	154.6	159.6	159.8	160.3	161.1r	161.6	161.5	158.3	153.2r
Food	164.5	164.3	164.2	163.5	162.0	155.7	160.9	161.1	161.6	162.5r	163.1	163.0	159.7	154.2r

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