

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

Area Commodity Group	2 0 0 9								 Ave	2 0 0 8				
	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug
<b>Philippines</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	161.1	161.0	160.8	160.3	160.1	159.9	159.3	158.3	152.3	156.8	156.8	157.3	158.0r	158.4
Food	162.3	162.1	161.9	161.5	161.2	161.1	160.5	159.4	153.3	158.0	158.0	158.4	159.3r	159.7
<b>National Capital Region (NCR)</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	151.6	151.8	151.9	151.3	150.9	150.5	150.3	150.4	145.1	148.1	147.4	147.7	148.4	148.3
Food	152.4	152.6	152.7	152.1	151.7	151.4	151.2	151.3	145.8	148.8	148.1	148.5	149.2	149.1
<b>Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	164.1	163.9	163.6	163.2	163.0	162.9	162.2	160.8	154.6	159.6	159.8	160.3	161.1r	161.6
Food	165.5	165.2	164.9	164.5	164.3	164.2	163.5	162.0	155.7	160.9	161.1	161.6	162.5r	163.1

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division  
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