

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

Area Commodity Group	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	2 0 0 9					Jan	2 0 0 8	
								Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb		Ave	Dec
Philippines															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	161.2	165.0	164.4	163.1	161.4	161.1	161.0	160.8	160.3	160.1	159.9	159.3	158.3	152.3	156.8
Food	162.4	166.4	165.8	164.4	162.6	162.3	162.1	161.9	161.5	161.2	161.1	160.5	159.4	153.3	158.0
National Capital Region (NCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	152.5	156.4	156.0	156.7	152.7	151.6	151.8	151.9	151.3	150.9	150.5	150.3	150.4	145.1	148.1
Food	153.5	157.5	157.1	157.9	153.5	152.4	152.6	152.7	152.1	151.7	151.4	151.2	151.3	145.8	148.8
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)															
Food, beverages, and tobacco	164.0	167.7	167.1	165.2	164.2	164.1	163.9	163.6	163.2	163.0	162.9	162.2	160.8	154.6	159.6
Food	165.3	169.3	168.6	166.5	165.5	165.4r	165.2	164.9	164.5	164.3	164.2	163.5	162.0	155.7	160.9

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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