

Table 15. Headline and Core Inflation Rates in the Philippines
 December 2008 - December 2009
 (2000 = 100)

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	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec
Headline Inflation	3.2	4.4	2.8	1.6	0.7	0.1	0.2	1.5	3.3	4.8	6.4	7.3	7.1	9.3	8.0
Core Inflation	4.1	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.6	3.9	4.4	5.0	5.6	6.4	6.9	6.2	7.3

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