

**Table 9. Regional Month-on-Month Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, May and April 2010**  
(2000 = 100)

Area and Region	Cereals				Rice				Corn			
	Percent Change				Percent Change				Percent Change			
	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>173.7</b>	<b>174.4</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>173.6</b>	<b>174.2</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>175.8</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
National Capital Region (NCR)	157.9	160.0	-1.3	0.4	157.9	160.0	-1.3	0.4	161.8	161.0	0.5	1.3
Areas Outside NCR	175.9	176.4	-0.3	0.0	176.0	176.4	-0.2	0.0	175.2	176.1	-0.5	-0.2
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	177.0	177.1	-0.1	0.2	177.5	177.6	-0.1	0.2	145.8	145.8	0.0	-0.2
I - Ilocos	176.3	177.2	-0.5	1.1	176.6	177.5	-0.5	1.1	152.9	153.2	-0.2	-0.2
II - Cagayan Valley	183.9	184.3	-0.2	1.0	185.5	185.9	-0.2	1.0	148.9	148.9	0.0	0.1
III - Central Luzon	167.1	167.0	0.1	-0.1	166.6	166.5	0.1	-0.2	201.6	200.7	0.4	3.3
IV-a - Calabarzon	167.5	167.8	-0.2	0.0	167.6	168.0	-0.2	0.0	153.8	152.4	0.9	0.8
IV-b - Mimaropa	178.8	179.3	-0.3	-0.9	178.6	179.1	-0.3	-0.9	202.6	202.7	0.0	2.3
V - Bicol	170.8	173.2	-1.4	-1.4	172.2	174.5	-1.3	-1.6	155.1	158.7	-2.3	0.6
VI - Western Visayas	171.7	170.9	0.5	0.1	172.5	171.7	0.5	0.1	156.0	155.2	0.5	0.0
VII - Central Visayas	183.0	183.8	-0.4	0.2	181.8	182.9	-0.6	0.2	185.4	185.6	-0.1	0.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	193.7	194.8	-0.6	0.3	195.9	197.0	-0.6	0.3	153.3	153.5	-0.1	0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	170.4	170.0	0.2	0.2	173.0	171.5	0.9	0.2	164.6	166.7	-1.3	0.4
X - Northern Mindanao	175.1	176.3	-0.7	0.4	172.9	173.7	-0.5	0.5	180.4	182.7	-1.3	0.3
XI - Davao	177.7	177.5	0.1	-1.3	178.1	177.8	0.2	-0.8	176.5	176.4	0.1	-3.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	177.0	177.3	-0.2	0.5	175.9	176.3	-0.2	0.5	187.3	186.6	0.4	0.2
XIII - Caraga	181.0	181.2	-0.1	-0.1	181.6	181.6	0.0	0.0	175.5	177.5	-1.1	-1.2
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	196.0	196.7	-0.4	-0.3	194.8	195.5	-0.4	-0.3	252.5	251.9	0.2	0.1

**Table 9. (Continued)**

Area and Region	Cereal Preparations				Dairy Products				Eggs			
	Percent Change				Percent Change				Percent Change			
	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>187.5</b>	<b>187.3</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>194.7</b>	<b>194.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>156.3</b>	<b>156.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>
National Capital Region (NCR)	200.3	200.3	0.0	0.2	190.7	190.6	0.1	0.3	151.6	151.3	0.2	-0.6
Areas Outside NCR	183.0	182.7	0.2	0.1	196.4	196.4	0.0	0.1	157.7	157.9	-0.1	0.4
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	161.6	161.6	0.0	0.1	215.1	215.1	0.0	0.0	138.3	140.5	-1.6	0.8
I - Ilocos	223.6	223.3	0.1	0.0	215.8	215.7	0.0	0.0	153.6	153.4	0.1	0.5
II - Cagayan Valley	160.0	160.0	0.0	0.1	187.4	187.4	0.0	0.1	158.5	158.8r	-0.2	-0.9
III - Central Luzon	175.6	175.5	0.1	0.1	210.8	210.8	0.0	0.1	142.5	144.1	-1.1	1.5
IV-a - Calabarzon	181.3	181.1	0.1	0.0	199.5	199.5	0.0	0.1	147.3	147.2	0.1	0.2
IV-b - Mimaropa	170.1	168.9	0.7	0.2	197.7	197.5	0.1	0.1	156.3	155.4	0.6	-0.1
V - Bicol	175.6	175.2	0.2	0.3	189.1	189.0	0.1	0.1	154.3	153.9	0.3	1.0
VI - Western Visayas	162.3	161.6	0.4	0.0	176.6	176.6	0.0	0.0	167.9	167.2	0.4	0.5
VII - Central Visayas	191.0	191.0	0.0	0.1	187.4	187.3	0.1	0.1	157.8	156.9	0.6	-0.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	208.8	208.8	0.0	0.1	183.9	183.9	0.0	0.1	171.2	171.3	-0.1	0.7
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	203.3	203.0	0.1	0.3	216.9	216.9	0.0	0.0	197.3	197.3	0.0	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	174.8	174.5	0.2	0.0	195.8	195.3	0.3	0.1	183.6	183.5	0.1	-0.2
XI - Davao	202.0	200.9	0.5	0.4	185.1	185.0	0.1	0.6	176.3	177.2	-0.5	1.3
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	183.1	183.0	0.1	0.0	183.5	183.5	0.0	0.0	153.3	153.2	0.1	-1.2
XIII - Caraga	179.5	180.2	-0.4	0.7	188.2	188.1	0.1	0.1	163.3	163.4	-0.1	0.2
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	199.1	198.6	0.3	0.2	197.4	197.4	0.0	0.0	193.8	193.8	0.0	1.0

**Table 9 (continued)**

Area and Region	F i s h				Fruits and Vegetables				M e a t			
	Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change	
	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>164.1</b>	<b>164.7</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>150.8</b>	<b>148.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>162.4</b>	<b>161.7</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
National Capital Region (NCR)	138.1	139.8	-1.2	-0.9	126.4	121.9	3.7	1.0	159.2	158.4	0.5	-0.6
Areas Outside NCR	170.7	171.1	-0.2	0.5	159.6	157.8	1.1	-0.2	163.8	163.1	0.4	-0.1
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	142.6	140.6	1.4	1.5	158.2	150.7	5.0	-1.7	157.1	155.8	0.8	-0.4
I - Ilocos	155.9	157.2	-0.8	1.2	132.8	131.1	1.3	-1.3	170.3	169.7	0.4	-0.5
II - Cagayan Valley	162.9	161.9	0.6	0.4	155.4	154.3	0.7	1.1	162.7	162.5	0.1	0.6
III - Central Luzon	146.4	147.0	-0.4	0.8	141.2	138.1	2.2	3.0	163.1	161.6	0.9	-0.2
IV-a - Calabarzon	169.7	171.0	-0.8	0.6	133.6	132.2	1.1	-1.8	158.8	158.8	0.0	-0.3
IV-b - Mimaropa	159.0	163.3	-2.6	1.2	142.7	139.5	2.3	-3.3	169.6	168.7	0.5	0.3
V - Bicol	167.4	167.6	-0.1	1.5	146.5	148.4	-1.3	-0.3	166.2	165.3	0.5	0.3
VI - Western Visayas	175.5	174.0	0.9	0.4	169.7	166.5	1.9	-1.8	153.6	152.9	0.5	-0.3
VII - Central Visayas	185.7	185.0	0.4	-0.8	203.1	206.5 <sup>r</sup>	-1.6	-0.8 <sup>r</sup>	162.5	161.7	0.5	-0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	172.5	172.9	-0.2	-0.1	171.9	172.9	-0.6	0.1	161.0	160.4	0.4	-0.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	159.5	160.5	-0.6	-0.8	174.4	173.9	0.3	-0.3	167.8	168.7	-0.5	2.2
X - Northern Mindanao	188.4	189.1	-0.4	0.8	187.2	179.1	4.5	1.4	171.2	171.0	0.1	0.5
XI - Davao	192.0	190.6	0.7	0.4	182.0	179.1	1.6	0.9	170.8	169.7	0.6	-0.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	176.5	178.9	-1.3	1.6	171.9	167.7	2.5	0.4	177.7	176.7	0.6	0.2
XIII - Caraga	201.4	200.8	0.3	0.7	184.1	183.4	0.4	-0.1	176.0	175.0	0.6	0.0
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	201.0	202.8	-0.9	-0.8	222.3	220.8	0.7	-0.3	201.1	200.3	0.4	1.0

Table 9 (concluded)

Area and Region	Miscellaneous Foods				Meals Eaten Outside			
	Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change		Percent Change	
	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	Current	Previous
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>160.7</b>	<b>160.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>149.3</b>	<b>149.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>
National Capital Region (NCR)	153.5	153.2	0.2	0.7	143.4	143.4	0.0	0.0
Areas Outside NCR	163.9	163.6	0.2	0.1	152.9	152.8	0.1	0.1
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	154.1	152.7	0.9	0.3	126.8	126.8	0.0	0.8
I - Ilocos	161.4	161.5	-0.1	0.1	143.9	143.9	0.0	0.0
II - Cagayan Valley	176.7	176.5	0.1	0.1	196.8	196.8	0.0	0.0
III - Central Luzon	164.4	164.5	-0.1	0.3	148.4	148.4	0.0	0.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	150.4	150.2	0.1	0.1	147.0	146.9	0.1	0.1
IV-b - Mimaropa	163.1	163.5	-0.2	0.6	148.4	147.7	0.5	-1.1
V - Bicol	177.2	176.7	0.3	0.1	170.9	170.7	0.1	0.4
VI - Western Visayas	163.8	162.9	0.6	-0.1	148.7	148.0	0.5	0.0
VII - Central Visayas	175.6	175.3	0.2	0.1	173.5	173.5	0.0	0.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	166.8	167.2	-0.2	0.5	161.0	161.0	0.0	0.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	172.8	172.2	0.3	-0.1	151.2	151.2	0.0	0.0
X - Northern Mindanao	165.0	163.5	0.9	0.2	147.7	147.6	0.1	0.5
XI - Davao	176.3	174.7	0.9	0.1	149.0	148.3	0.5	0.7
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	168.2	167.1	0.7	-0.4	156.7	156.7	0.0	-0.7
XIII - Caraga	179.1	178.4	0.4	0.2	183.4	182.7	0.4	0.0
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	195.2	194.9	0.2	-0.1	213.2	213.2	0.0	0.0