

**Table 6. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group**  
**December 2009 - December 2010**  
(2000 = 100)

Area/Commodity Group	2 0 1 0													2009	
	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec
<b>Philippines</b>															
<b>All items</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>4.3r</b>
Food, beverages, and tobacco	3.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	3.2	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.8	4.3	5.8	5.2
Clothing	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.0
Housing and repairs	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.9	2.1
Fuel, light, and water	13.2	11.5	12.0	8.3	11.9r	15.3	14.3	16.4r	16.8r	18.0r	14.6	11.0	9.2	-2.6	7.7
Services	4.5	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.2	3.4	4.0	3.9	5.8	5.8	6.6r	5.4r	5.0r	-0.3r	3.4r
Miscellaneous	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.7	2.6	1.8
<b>National Capital Region</b>															
<b>All items</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>4.0r</b>	<b>3.5r</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>3.8r</b>
Food, beverages and tobacco	1.8	0.8	0.7	-1.0	1.2	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	3.0	3.5	5.1	5.6
Clothing	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.2
Housing and repairs	1.6	2.3	2.3	2.1	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.4	2.8	2.1
Fuel, light and water	17.8	16.9	18.5	10.9	19.2	24.8	19.5r	20.2	19.1	25.5	19.9	11.8	5.7	-1.4	4.7
Services	5.2	4.2	4.7	4.7	3.8	3.8	4.8	4.4	6.6	6.8	8.1r	5.9r	5.1r	-4.2r	2.9r
Miscellaneous	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.5	2.2	1.4
<b>Areas Outside NCR</b>															
<b>All items</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.9r</b>	<b>4.3r</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.2r</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>
Food, beverages, and tobacco	3.4	2.4	2.3	2.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.9	4.5	6.1	5.1
Clothing	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0r	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	3.0	2.4
Housing and repairs	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.9	2.1
Fuel, light, and water	10.9	8.7	8.6	6.9	8.1	10.4	11.6	14.4r	15.6r	13.8r	11.8	10.5	11.1	-3.2	9.3r
Services	4.1	3.1	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.7	3.6	5.3	5.2	5.9r	5.1r	4.9r	2.0	3.6r
Miscellaneous	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.7	1.9

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