

Table 7. Month-on-Month Regional Inflation Rates By Commodity Group, May and April 1999
 (1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	ALL ITEMS		FOOD, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO		CLOTHING		HOUSING AND REPAIRS		FUEL, LIGHT AND WATER		SERVICES		MISCELLANEOUS	
	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous
Philippines	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.1
Metro Manila	-0.1	0.0r	-0.8	-0.4	0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.5	-0.6	0.0
Areas Outside Metro Manila	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
Regions:														
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	0.0	-0.2	-0.9	-0.8	0.7	0.9	2.1	0.9	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2
I - Ilocos	-0.3	-0.2r	-0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.4	-0.2	-0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.3	-0.5r	-0.2	0.2
II - Cagayan Valley	-0.1	-0.4	-0.3	-0.8	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	-0.1	0.1
III - Central Luzon	0.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.2	-0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.3
IV - Southern Tagalog	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.2
V - Bicol	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.9	1.3	0.1	0.9	-0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.6
VI - Western Visayas	0.1	-0.1	0.1	-0.4	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
VII - Central Visayas	0.7	0.1	0.7	-0.1	0.4	0.1	1.1	0.6	0.9	-0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	-0.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	-0.3	-0.5	-0.8	-1.2	0.1	0.3	0.9	2.5	-0.1	-0.6	0.3	0.1	0.4	-0.4
IX - Western Mindanao	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.1	-0.1	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	0.3	-0.1	0.3	-0.4	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.6	-0.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	0.1	-0.4	0.1	-0.6	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.8	-0.3	0.4	0.1r	-0.1	0.2
XII - Central Mindanao	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.2	1.0	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	-0.1	0.5
CARAGA	-0.2	-0.8	-0.5	-1.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.6	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	-0.2

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