

Table 8. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items
(1994 = 100)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C E R E A L S						R I C E					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)		1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	145.0	145.2	138.1	138.0	5.0	5.2	145.4	145.7	137.3	137.6	5.9	5.9
Metro Manila	148.9	148.6	149.7	148.8	-0.5	-0.2	148.5	148.6	150.0	149.1	-1.0	-0.3
AOMM	144.5	144.7	136.6	136.6	5.8	6.0	145.0	145.3	135.5	135.9	7.0	6.9
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	134.1	134.5	131.1	131.6	2.3	2.2	133.8	134.2	131.0	131.6	2.1	2.0
I - I l o c o s	151.9	151.4	136.2	133.7	11.5	13.3	152.0	151.5	136.2	133.7	11.6	13.3
II - Cagayan Valley	147.7	146.5	137.1	136.8	7.7	7.1	148.6	147.3	137.8	137.5	7.8	7.1
III - Central Luzon	156.9	157.3	140.4	141.5	11.8	11.1	156.6	157.1	140.2	141.3	11.7	11.2
IV - Southern Tagalog	149.8	150.1	140.5	142.8	6.6	5.1	149.6	149.9	140.4	142.8	6.6	5.0
V - B i c o l	129.2	128.4	119.7	119.7	7.9	7.2	128.8	128.0	118.2	118.3	9.0	8.2
VI - Western Visayas	142.2	141.1	135.1	134.5	5.3	4.9	141.2	140.4	134.4	133.8	5.1	4.9
VII - Central Visayas	135.9	135.6	134.7	133.4	0.9	1.6	146.1	147.2	137.3	137.0	6.4	7.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	138.7	141.2	135.5	135.4	2.4	4.3	137.0	140.2	135.1	135.3	1.4	3.6
IX - Western Mindanao	152.9	152.8	142.1	142.2	7.6	7.5	152.8	153.4	137.5	138.4	11.1	10.8
X - Northern Mindanao	136.4	136.5	144.8	142.4	-5.8	-4.1	134.2	135.6	134.4	134.0	-0.1	1.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	138.9	139.6	138.0	136.6	0.7	2.2	137.8	138.6	134.5	134.6	2.5	3.0
XII - Central Mindanao	143.4	143.8	134.5	134.2	6.6	7.2	144.7	145.2	132.9	133.5	8.9	8.8
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	146.3	146.0	139.1	138.1	5.2	5.7	146.2	146.1	139.1	137.9	5.1	5.9
CARAGA	148.4	151.1	138.7	139.6	7.0	8.2	145.4	147.5	136.0	138.0	6.9	6.9

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	C O R N						CEREAL PREPARATIONS					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)		1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	141.4	139.2	145.9	142.1	-3.1	-2.0	140.4	140.3	133.7 r	132.3 r	5.0	6.0
Metro Manila	176.2	149.9	131.1	130.9	34.4	14.5	140.3	140.3	134.6	132.8	4.2	5.6
AOMM	140.7	139.0	146.2	142.3	-3.8	-2.3	140.4	140.3	133.3 r	132.1 r	5.3	6.2
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	159.9	160.2	136.2	135.4	17.4	18.3	149.4	149.5	139.0	136.0	7.5	9.9
I - I l o c o s	140.8	142.2	131.8	130.5	6.8	9.0	138.5	137.7	134.4	133.3	3.1	3.3
II - Cagayan Valley	128.6	128.7	122.5	121.0	5.0	6.4	144.5	144.2	134.4	134.2	7.5	7.5
III - Central Luzon	180.2	180.2	161.8	164.5	11.4	9.5	142.7	142.3	136.0	135.5	4.9	5.0
IV - Southern Tagalog	167.5	168.3	147.3	141.7	13.7	18.8	136.3	136.3	125.8	124.9	8.3	9.1
V - B i c o l	136.8	135.9	145.7	144.4	-6.1	-5.9	133.3	133.1	130.2	127.8	2.4	4.1
VI - Western Visayas	165.6	159.2	152.1	151.3	8.9	5.2	139.5	139.4	133.0	130.4	4.9	6.9
VII - Central Visayas	123.3	121.1	131.4	129.0	-6.2	-6.1	153.3	153.2	143.5	139.3	6.8	10.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	161.3	154.5	140.5	136.6	14.8	13.1	126.1	126.2	118.7	118.1	6.2	6.9
IX - Western Mindanao	153.1	151.3	152.6	150.7	0.3	0.4	146.1	145.9	132.6	131.7	10.2	10.8
X - Northern Mindanao	141.5	138.7	168.8	161.8	-16.2	-14.3	142.7	142.9	131.6	130.5	8.4	9.5
XI - Southern Mindanao	143.7	144.0	153.1	145.4	-6.1	-1.0	150.1	149.9	152.6	150.4	-1.6	-0.3
XII - Central Mindanao	134.7	134.3	145.4	139.0	-7.4	-3.4	135.9	135.4	135.5	135.3	0.3	0.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	148.5	140.8	139.9	147.3	6.1	-4.4	131.9	132.1	127.7 r	127.4 r	3.3	3.7
CARAGA	170.6	177.6	158.3	151.5	7.8	17.2	131.1	131.0	127.5	126.4	2.8	3.6

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	D A I R Y P R O D U C T S						E G G S					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)		1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	132.2	132.1	127.0	126.4	4.1	4.5	132.5	132.8	115.7	115.3	14.5	15.2
Metro Manila	129.4	129.2	125.3	124.1	3.3	4.1	141.4	142.0	113.6	113.5	24.5	25.1
AOMM	133.3	133.3	127.7	127.3	4.4	4.7	129.8	130.0	116.3	115.9	11.6	12.2
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	132.2	131.9	123.6	123.1	7.0	7.1	133.5	133.2	112.8	111.5	18.4	19.5
I - I l o c o s	133.4	133.3	130.3	133.0	2.4	0.2	137.2	140.3	116.1	116.0	18.2	20.9
II - Cagayan Valley	138.5	138.5	132.0	130.8	4.9	5.9	127.1	125.9	109.3	109.2	16.3	15.3
III - Central Luzon	127.2	126.7	123.2	122.9	3.2	3.1	127.5	127.5	115.5	115.5	10.4	10.4
IV - Southern Tagalog	133.7	133.6	128.6	127.5	4.0	4.8	130.7	130.6	111.9	111.5	16.8	17.1
V - B i c o l	133.2	134.2	129.5	129.9	2.9	3.3	137.8	139.0	117.7	117.3	17.1	18.5
VI - Western Visayas	127.2	127.6	123.8	123.5	2.7	3.3	133.9	133.9	118.5	116.7	13.0	14.7
VII - Central Visayas	138.6	138.7	128.1	126.4	8.2	9.7	136.7	135.5	128.2	128.1	6.6	5.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	133.3	133.3	126.8	126.0	5.1	5.8	125.0	124.9	118.7	118.2	5.3	5.7
IX - Western Mindanao	136.2	136.2	126.8	126.8	7.4	7.4	131.5	131.6	125.1	126.1	5.1	4.4
X - Northern Mindanao	133.8	134.3	127.7	127.0	4.8	5.7	124.9	125.3	114.9	115.0	8.7	9.0
XI - Southern Mindanao	139.5	139.4	135.2	134.2	3.2	3.9	120.7	121.5	117.6	113.2	2.6	7.3
XII - Central Mindanao	152.8	150.5	138.1	137.5	10.6	9.5	130.0	130.5	123.1	122.9	5.6	6.2
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	145.0	142.4	136.5	136.3	6.2	4.5	117.9	118.2	121.8	121.3	-3.2	-2.6
CARAGA	128.9	128.9	119.7	119.0	7.7	8.3	125.7	125.2	114.6	116.0	9.7	7.9

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	F I S H						F R U I T S A N D V E G E T A B L E S					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)		1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	150.3	152.7	141.5	139.3	6.2	9.6	163.8	165.1	151.6	140.3	8.0	17.7
Metro Manila	145.8	158.7	150.7	142.9	-3.3	11.1	182.7	179.3	165.5	140.6	10.4	27.5
AOMM	151.4	151.3	139.4	138.4	8.6	9.3	158.0	160.7	147.3	140.2	7.3	14.6
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	136.9	136.7	122.0	123.0	12.2	11.1	145.7	156.8	135.0	126.0	7.9	24.4
I - I l o c o s	161.6	165.1	145.4	144.5	11.1	14.3	152.0	158.2	128.1	125.2	18.7	26.4
II - Cagayan Valley	147.6	147.4	126.7	125.0	16.5	17.9	153.4	162.9	133.0	125.0	15.3	30.3
III - Central Luzon	154.2	155.5	142.1	141.8	8.5	9.7	157.0	158.9	146.7	144.0	7.0	10.3
IV - Southern Tagalog	152.7	152.6	142.3	139.4	7.3	9.5	151.8	154.5	127.1	121.9	19.4	26.7
V - B i c o l	167.4	166.5	150.1	149.0	11.5	11.7	169.3	177.2	143.5	141.8	18.0	25.0
VI - Western Visayas	142.7	142.1	131.0	132.5	8.9	7.2	161.8	165.8	160.3	147.8	0.9	12.2
VII - Central Visayas	146.1	141.8	128.9	130.1	13.3	9.0	162.1	162.6	158.0	148.5	2.6	9.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	142.8	145.7	139.5	138.4	2.4	5.3	163.0	162.3	153.9	149.7	5.9	8.4
IX - Western Mindanao	144.6	144.1	134.3	134.2	7.7	7.4	158.4	160.8	164.6	153.3	-3.8	4.9
X - Northern Mindanao	149.8	150.9	134.9	133.9	11.0	12.7	168.0	165.6	174.0	161.2	-3.4	2.7
XI - Southern Mindanao	142.7	141.3	143.6	139.4	-0.6	1.4	155.7	154.4	174.6	153.0	-10.8	0.9
XII - Central Mindanao	147.7	148.2	137.6	139.7	7.3	6.1	146.4	145.5	156.9	147.4	-6.7	-1.3
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	187.1	188.9	161.8	158.7	15.6	19.0	175.8	170.4	164.0	157.2	7.2	8.4
CARAGA	157.6	156.5	142.1	141.1	10.9	10.9	168.7	169.2	146.0	141.0	15.5	20.0

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	M E A T						M I S C E L L A N E O U S F O O D S					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)		1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	126.7	126.2	123.4	119.6	2.7	5.5	139.1	139.0	131.1	129.8	6.1	7.1
Metro Manila	123.6	123.2	127.8	120.5	-3.3	2.2	127.5	127.8	126.7	126.0	0.6	1.4
AOMM	128.2	127.6	121.3	119.2	5.7	7.0	144.4	144.2	133.1	131.5	8.5	9.7
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	134.2	133.6	121.2	119.7	10.7	11.6	151.7	151.7	132.8	131.9	14.2	15.0
I - I l o c o s	124.7	124.3	118.1	115.7	5.6	7.4	138.6	138.4	129.8	128.3	6.8	7.9
II - Cagayan Valley	126.5	124.4	115.0	112.8	10.0	10.3	148.1	148.8	137.4	136.9	7.8	8.7
III - Central Luzon	127.0	126.5	125.0	118.6	1.6	6.7	139.9	139.5	129.1	127.8	8.4	9.2
IV - Southern Tagalog	128.1	128.5	122.2	121.3	4.8	5.9	144.1	143.7	129.9	129.3	10.9	11.1
V - B i c o l	129.8	129.2	123.0	122.4	5.5	5.6	156.1	155.4	141.1	139.4	10.6	11.5
VI - Western Visayas	134.0	133.2	118.5	116.7	13.1	14.1	141.5	141.8	132.5	128.9	6.8	10.0
VII - Central Visayas	135.4	133.5	124.9	124.9	8.4	6.9	154.3	153.9	154.5	149.5	-0.1	2.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	121.7	121.4	116.6	116.6	4.4	4.1	151.1	150.4	125.3	124.0	20.6	21.3
IX - Western Mindanao	118.9	118.1	116.4	118.9	2.1	-0.7	150.2	150.1	138.8	136.7	8.2	9.8
X - Northern Mindanao	128.4	126.2	121.2	120.2	5.9	5.0	149.7	148.7	139.2	136.9	7.5	8.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	125.2	124.0	115.7	115.6	8.2	7.3	135.9	136.5	128.1	125.2	6.1	9.0
XII - Central Mindanao	127.9	126.9	122.7	122.6	4.2	3.5	139.7	140.8	134.9	134.4	3.6	4.8
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	131.4	130.5	127.8	125.8	2.8	3.7	149.5	148.1	132.3	132.1	13.0	12.1
CARAGA	132.2	131.8	121.5	122.1	8.8	7.9	141.1	141.9	136.8	129.7	3.1	9.4

Table 8 (continued)

A R E A / R E G I O N	M E A L S E A T E N O U T S I D E					
	1999		1998		Inflation Rates (%)	
	May	Apr	May	Apr	Current	Previous
Philippines	130.7	130.5	127.2	126.5	2.8	3.2
Metro Manila	120.4	120.4	120.9	120.9	-0.4	-0.4
AOMM	138.8	138.5	132.1	130.9	5.1	5.8
Regions:						
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	134.4	134.4	129.3	129.3	3.9	3.9
I - I l o c o s	129.7	129.9	130.0	129.1	-0.2	0.6
II - Cagayan Valley	148.0	148.0	134.6	134.0	10.0	10.4
III - Central Luzon	135.7	135.3	127.7	127.1	6.3	6.5
IV - Southern Tagalog	143.3	142.8	132.4	131.2	8.2	8.8
V - B i c o l	164.1	162.9	152.0	151.5	8.0	7.5
VI - Western Visayas	136.2	136.1	128.5	127.4	6.0	6.8
VII - Central Visayas	141.9	140.7	149.7	145.4	-5.2	-3.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	141.5	137.4	117.8	116.8	20.1	17.6
IX - Western Mindanao	143.7	143.3	153.2	147.7	-6.2	-3.0
X - Northern Mindanao	136.9	136.9	137.9	137.9	-0.7	-0.7
XI - Southern Mindanao	124.4	125.1	115.2	115.2	8.0	8.6
XII - Central Mindanao	135.3	136.6	135.4	135.1	-0.1	1.1
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	147.8	146.0	148.7	147.8	-0.6	-1.2
CARAGA	128.7	129.4	123.7	123.7	4.0	4.6

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