

Table 3. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent By Area, By Commodity Group
(1994 = 100)

AREA/COMMODITY GROUP	1999							1998						
	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun
PHILIPPINES														
All Items	5.8	6.7	7.9r	8.7	9.9	11.5r	9.7	10.3r	11.2	10.1r	10.0	10.6r	10.7r	10.7
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	3.5	5.7	7.8	9.2	11.2	13.0r	8.8	11.2	12.2	9.8r	9.4r	9.7	10.0	10.1
Clothing	6.0	6.7r	7.3	7.5	8.1	9.1	7.8	7.2	7.4	7.9	8.5r	8.5	8.7	8.7
Housing and Repairs	9.6	8.9	9.4	9.7	9.7	10.5	11.6	9.8	10.0	10.7	11.1r	12.6r	12.4r	12.5
Fuel, Light and Water	5.6	5.4	5.0	4.5r	3.5r	5.6r	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.3	6.6r	5.8	6.2	5.5
Services	11.0	9.1r	9.3r	8.8r	9.7r	10.2r	14.3	11.5r	12.5r	13.5	14.1r	14.7r	14.3r	14.6r
Miscellaneous	4.8	5.3	6.1	6.7	7.5	9.3	8.3	8.9	9.4	9.3r	9.2	9.6r	9.3	9.4
METRO MANILA														
All Items	3.9	4.1	6.7r	7.5r	8.7	10.4r	10.2	10.7r	11.8	10.9	10.7r	10.6r	10.4	11.1
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	0.7	1.9	6.9	8.8	11.5	13.4r	8.4	10.8	12.4	10.0	8.8	8.5	8.6	10.1
Clothing	5.2	6.1r	7.1	7.1	8.0	10.1	10.8	9.3	9.8	10.4	11.9	12.3	13.0	12.3
Housing and Repairs	5.4	5.1	5.9	6.7	5.9	7.5	9.1	8.0	7.9	8.2	8.8	9.7	9.8	10.2
Fuel, Light and Water	6.7	7.0r	6.5	6.2	3.9	8.2	7.8	9.5	10.9	11.1	12.5	9.4	8.9	7.3
Services	9.9	7.3	7.5r	6.2r	7.4r	7.9r	17.6	14.5r	16.3r	16.7	17.4r	17.7r	15.8	16.0
Miscellaneous	3.9	5.2	6.4	7.6	7.7	10.1	10.7	12.6	13.4	13.1	12.9	13.1	12.2	12.3
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA														
All Items	6.5	7.7	8.5	9.2	10.4r	11.9r	9.6	10.3	10.9	9.8r	9.9r	10.5r	10.8	10.6r
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	4.4	6.8	8.1	9.4	11.1	13.0r	8.9	11.3r	12.0r	9.7r	9.6r	10.1r	10.5	10.1
Clothing	6.3	7.0	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.7r	6.8	6.5	6.6	7.0	7.3r	7.2r	7.3	7.4
Housing and Repairs	12.6	11.6	11.9	11.9	12.5	12.7	13.5	11.1	11.5	12.5	12.8r	14.8r	14.4r	14.2
Fuel, Light and Water	5.1	4.8	4.3	3.6r	3.3r	4.4r	4.9r	4.4r	4.4	4.2	4.1r	4.2r	5.1	4.7
Services	11.5	10.1r	10.2	10.2r	10.8r	11.5r	12.6	9.9r	10.7	11.9r	12.6r	13.2	13.6r	13.8r
Miscellaneous	5.1	5.4	5.9	6.5	7.5	9.1	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.1r	8.1r	8.4r	8.4	8.3

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