

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 (%)		
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	
Philippines	142.9	142.9	140.8	141.9	1.5	0.7	142.4	142.3	141.6	142.9	0.6	-0.4	
Metro Manila	148.4	148.6	148.8	149.1	-0.3	-0.3	148.4	148.2	149.1	149.4	-0.5	-0.8	
AOMM	142.2	142.1	139.7	141.0	1.8	0.8	141.5	141.4	140.5	142.0	0.7	-0.4	
Regions:													
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	131.0	133.2	134.4	136.1	-2.5	-2.1	130.7	132.9	134.2	135.9	-2.6	-2.2	
I - I l o c o s	145.7	147.8	136.8	141.5	6.5	4.5	145.8	147.9	136.7	141.5	6.7	4.5	
II - Cagayan Valley	145.7	143.4	146.1	147.7	-0.3	-2.9	146.6	144.1	146.2	147.9	0.3	-2.6	
III - Central Luzon	153.2	152.7	153.7	153.5	-0.3	-0.5	152.9	152.4	153.4	153.2	-0.3	-0.5	
IV - Southern Tagalog	147.7	147.7	148.2	148.1	-0.3	-0.3	147.6	147.5	148.0	148.0	-0.3	-0.3	
V - B i c o l	125.9	125.8	122.8	124.0	2.5	1.5	125.2	125.0	121.3	123.2	3.2	1.5	
VI - Western Visayas	134.8	135.4	136.3	138.5	-1.1	-2.2	134.0	134.7	136.1	138.3	-1.5	-2.6	
VII - Central Visayas	139.1	137.8	134.3	133.7	3.6	3.1	147.5	145.1	144.0	142.3	2.4	2.0	
VIII - Eastern Visayas	139.2	139.0	138.4	139.2	0.6	-0.1	135.3	135.1	138.4	139.2	-2.2	-2.9	
IX - Western Mindanao	158.2	156.1	144.7	145.7	9.3	7.1	152.6	152.3	143.5	144.5	6.3	5.4	
X - Northern Mindanao	137.0	138.6	132.7	135.3	3.2	2.4	133.7	133.0	133.3	136.9	0.3	-2.8	
XI - Southern Mindanao	136.0	134.4	135.0	136.0	0.7	-1.2	131.7	129.6	135.9	137.5	-3.1	-5.7	
XII - Central Mindanao	138.5	138.8	127.2	131.5	8.9	5.6	138.8	138.9	131.3	136.2	5.7	2.0	
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	148.3	148.7	141.0	142.6	5.2	4.3	148.6	149.1	140.1	141.9	6.1	5.1	
Caraga	145.6	146.5	142.1	144.4	2.5	1.5	139.8	141.2	141.3	143.8	-1.1	-1.8	

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 (%)		
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	
Philippines	147.9	148.8	132.8	132.5	11.4	12.3	142.2	141.9	138.3	137.6	2.8	3.1	
Metro Manila	147.5	176.8	131.5	132.0	12.2	33.9	140.2	140.2	138.2	137.7	1.4	1.8	
AOMM	147.9	148.3	132.8	132.5	11.4	11.9	143.0	142.6	138.4	137.6	3.3	3.6	
Regions:													
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	156.2	157.5	152.7	151.2	2.3	4.2	151.1	150.9	147.5	147.0	2.4	2.7	
I - I l o c o s	137.7	137.3	143.9	141.4	-4.3	-2.9	140.0	140.1	138.3	137.9	1.2	1.6	
II - Cagayan Valley	127.4	129.5	144.3	142.4	-11.7	-9.1	148.1	147.9	140.8	139.6	5.2	5.9	
III - Central Luzon	185.1	183.0	177.8	177.7	4.1	3.0	145.9	145.2	141.5	140.9	3.1	3.1	
IV - Southern Tagalog	156.3	160.9	160.9	157.0	-2.9	2.5	137.2	137.0	131.5	131.0	4.3	4.6	
V - B i c o l	137.7	140.2	148.0	137.3	-7.0	2.1	136.4	136.0	133.7	133.4	2.0	1.9	
VI - Western Visayas	153.1	152.7	141.8	142.7	8.0	7.0	141.2	140.7	135.9	134.5	3.9	4.6	
VII - Central Visayas	128.7	128.7	122.3	122.9	5.2	4.7	154.2	154.2	149.5	151.2	3.1	2.0	
VIII - Eastern Visayas	191.5	191.5	139.1	139.8	37.7	37.0	128.8	127.7	122.8	123.0	4.9	3.8	
IX - Western Mindanao	171.1	164.9	147.4	148.4	16.1	11.1	149.6	148.5	144.1	137.8	3.8	7.8	
X - Northern Mindanao	144.5	151.5	131.2	131.6	10.1	15.1	142.9	142.9	139.5	138.7	2.4	3.0	
XI - Southern Mindanao	154.6	155.4	131.2	129.5	17.8	20.0	156.6	156.1	152.2	151.4	2.9	3.1	
XII - Central Mindanao	136.2	138.2	99.1	99.4	37.4	39.0	135.6	135.5	137.9	134.0	-1.7	1.1	
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	136.4	134.9	177.0	169.2	-22.9	-20.3	142.9	141.0	133.9	134.0	6.7	5.2	
Caraga	187.5	185.3	148.3	148.4	26.4	24.9	134.6	134.3	130.6	130.0	3.1	3.3	

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 (%)	
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous
Philippines	133.0	132.8	129.8	129.6	2.5	2.5	129.7	129.8	128.5	127.7	0.9	1.6
Metro Manila	130.7	130.6	127.0	126.5	2.9	3.2	130.5	131.6	137.4	135.9	-5.0	-3.2
AOMM	133.9	133.7	130.9	130.8	2.3	2.2	129.4	129.2	125.8	125.2	2.9	3.2
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	133.1	132.9	126.9	126.7	4.9	4.9	135.6	135.3	128.2	131.4	5.8	3.0
I - I l o c o s	133.2	133.2	137.2	137.0	-2.9	-2.8	137.5	137.1	133.2	132.4	3.2	3.5
II - Cagayan Valley	140.2	139.2	135.1	135.1	3.8	3.0	126.3	126.4	125.6	126.0	0.6	0.3
III - Central Luzon	126.5	126.2	126.4	126.4	0.1	-0.2	122.6	122.7	128.5	126.9	-4.6	-3.3
IV - Southern Tagalog	133.8	133.9	131.1	131.8	2.1	1.6	130.8	130.5	122.1	121.8	7.1	7.1
V - B i c o l	132.9	132.7	134.5	133.6	-1.2	-0.7	140.9	141.0	130.7	128.7	7.8	9.6
VI - Western Visayas	129.5	129.5	125.5	125.4	3.2	3.3	133.0	133.0	125.0	124.4	6.4	6.9
VII - Central Visayas	139.4	139.4	132.3	132.8	5.4	5.0	141.0	139.7	134.9	135.3	4.5	3.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	133.7	133.8	130.9	130.8	2.1	2.3	126.4	126.4	123.0	122.9	2.8	2.8
IX - Western Mindanao	136.5	136.5	130.8	127.5	4.4	7.1	131.4	129.7	123.6	118.1	6.3	9.8
X - Northern Mindanao	134.0	134.0	132.1	132.2	1.4	1.4	123.6	123.8	122.9	123.6	0.6	0.2
XI - Southern Mindanao	140.0	139.6	136.9	136.7	2.3	2.1	117.2	117.4	117.7	117.5	-0.4	-0.1
XII - Central Mindanao	158.1	158.0	136.3	136.3	16.0	15.9	131.4	130.9	124.8	125.5	5.3	4.3
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	148.7	147.4	136.8	136.8	8.7	7.7	128.4	128.8	131.7	131.2	-2.5	-1.8
Caraga	130.5	129.0	122.8	122.6	6.3	5.2	131.1	129.7	113.6	114.5	15.4	13.3

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 (%)	
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous
Philippines	155.1	154.2	143.8	142.5	7.9	8.2	167.1	169.3	179.6 r	179.3 r	-7.0	-5.6
Metro Manila	155.2	151.0	148.4	146.1	4.6	3.4	179.8	184.4	194.6	194.9	-7.6	-5.4
AOMM	155.1	154.9	142.7	141.7	8.7	9.3	163.2	164.7	175.0 r	174.5 r	-6.7	-5.6
Regions:												
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	134.8	133.9	124.8	124.1	8.0	7.9	157.6	163.5	195.7	194.7	-19.5	-16.0
I - I l o c o s	160.8	160.9	154.5	149.9	4.1	7.3	167.8	180.3	187.8	195.3	-10.6	-7.7
II - Cagayan Valley	150.6	149.8	132.9	133.5	13.3	12.2	164.6	161.9	193.0	186.5	-14.7	-13.2
III - Central Luzon	154.9	154.6	147.2	146.5	5.2	5.5	163.6	167.8	194.5	198.7	-15.9	-15.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	155.2	155.5	146.8	147.1	5.7	5.7	156.0	158.7	169.1	169.6	-7.7	-6.4
V - B i c o l	173.0	172.1	152.7	152.3	13.3	13.0	167.2	167.7	194.8	186.9	-14.2	-10.3
VI - Western Visayas	148.1	147.3	134.7	133.9	9.9	10.0	172.3	169.9	161.0	159.4	7.0	6.6
VII - Central Visayas	158.8	159.3	134.6	130.3	18.0	22.3	165.7	167.9	168.8	176.6	-1.8	-4.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	148.7	149.7	141.3	141.6	5.2	5.7	171.9	166.5	164.9	163.7	4.2	1.7
IX - Western Mindanao	148.7	148.2	139.8	137.7	6.4	7.6	157.8	157.7	169.2 r	172.0 r	-6.7	-8.3
X - Northern Mindanao	151.5	150.6	138.9	137.0	9.1	9.9	157.5	158.8	170.6	164.8	-7.7	-3.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	143.2	144.3	131.8	131.2	8.6	10.0	155.3	155.7	155.5	146.4	-0.1	6.4
XII - Central Mindanao	146.2	144.3	136.4	135.0	7.2	6.9	142.8	143.6	154.2	150.2	-7.4	-4.4
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	209.7	205.5	179.4	178.5	16.9	15.1	195.1	190.9	167.9	165.4	16.2	15.4
Caraga	154.4	154.8	142.7	144.1	8.2	7.4	164.4	162.7	154.2	151.3	6.6	7.5

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 (%)	
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous
Philippines	125.6	125.6	124.8	123.6	0.6	1.6	138.0	138.2	143.2	147.0	-3.6	-6.0
Metro Manila	119.9	119.9	124.0	121.3	-3.3	-1.2	126.2	126.2	129.8	133.1	-2.8	-5.2
AOMM	128.2	128.2	125.1	124.7	2.5	2.8	143.4	143.7	149.4	153.5	-4.0	-6.4
Regions:												
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	135.9	135.6	129.8	128.5	4.7	5.5	149.8	149.8	161.0	167.2	-7.0	-10.4
I - I l o c o s	125.3	125.1	122.3	122.2	2.5	2.4	135.8	135.7	146.3	150.7	-7.2	-10.0
II - Cagayan Valley	129.0	129.5	119.8	119.3	7.7	8.5	146.3	147.2	159.2	163.3	-8.1	-9.9
III - Central Luzon	123.6	123.8	126.8	125.9	-2.5	-1.7	138.3	139.3	142.1	149.1	-2.7	-6.6
IV - Southern Tagalog	127.1	127.4	125.5	126.6	1.3	0.6	143.3	143.5	146.3	149.2	-2.1	-3.8
V - B i c o l	131.1	131.2	128.0	126.4	2.4	3.8	158.9	158.2	160.9	167.6	-1.2	-5.6
VI - Western Visayas	137.8	137.0	124.9	124.5	10.3	10.0	141.2	141.4	145.4	150.0	-2.9	-5.7
VII - Central Visayas	137.8	138.2	128.9	128.9	6.9	7.2	155.1	156.2	160.1	166.4	-3.1	-6.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	125.9	124.9	120.7	121.2	4.3	3.1	152.6	154.1	155.1	158.2	-1.6	-2.6
IX - Western Mindanao	122.6	120.7	119.2	113.8	2.9	6.1	147.5	145.5	157.3	161.4	-6.2	-9.9
X - Northern Mindanao	129.5	129.0	124.2	124.0	4.3	4.0	151.4	147.6	160.1	163.3	-5.4	-9.6
XI - Southern Mindanao	123.4	123.7	119.4	118.0	3.4	4.8	131.7	132.0	143.5	144.2	-8.2	-8.5
XII - Central Mindanao	129.4	129.2	126.9	125.6	2.0	2.9	135.2	136.3	150.2	152.0	-10.0	-10.3
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	136.2	135.9	132.6	132.6	2.7	2.5	156.2	157.1	147.7	146.1	5.8	7.5
Caraga	133.5	133.4	128.5	128.1	3.9	4.1	135.4	135.7	164.5	157.5	-17.7	-13.8

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				Inflation Rates (%)	
	1999		1998		Current	
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Nov	Current	Previous
Philippines	132.1	132.0	129.9	129.5	1.7	1.9
Metro Manila	120.4	120.4	120.9	120.9	-0.4	-0.4
AOMM	141.2	141.1	136.9	136.2	3.1	3.6
Regions:						
CAR -Cordillera Administrative Region	135.6	135.4	131.0	131.0	3.5	3.4
I - I l o c o s	130.2	130.1	133.0	133.0	-2.1	-2.2
II - Cagayan Valley	150.0	150.0	143.5	139.8	4.5	7.3
III - Central Luzon	136.9	136.7	134.2	134.2	2.0	1.9
IV - Southern Tagalog	145.5	145.6	138.2	137.1	5.3	6.2
V - B i c o l	178.9	176.2	159.1	158.9	12.4	10.9
VI - Western Visayas	138.2	138.2	130.6	130.8	5.8	5.7
VII - Central Visayas	140.8	142.7	141.4	142.6	-0.4	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	161.8	159.1	137.4	137.4	17.8	15.8
IX - Western Mindanao	145.5	145.5	156.5	156.3	-7.0	-6.9
X - Northern Mindanao	140.5	140.5	145.1	145.0	-3.2	-3.1
XI - Southern Mindanao	127.2	126.2	124.0	120.1	2.6	5.1
XII - Central Mindanao	136.7	137.3	136.8	135.2	-0.1	1.6
ARMM-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	156.8	156.1	157.9	157.9	-0.7	-1.1
Caraga	121.2	120.9	130.6	128.4	-7.2	-5.8