

Table 10. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, April and March 2006 and 2005
(2000 = 100)

Area/Region	C e r e a l s						R i c e					
	2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)		2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	120.1	119.4	114.0	111.9	5.4	6.7	119.3	118.7	113.0	110.8	5.6	7.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	109.5	109.4	109.0	104.8	0.5	4.4	109.5	109.4	109.0	104.8	0.5	4.4
Areas Outside NCR	121.6	120.8	114.7	112.9	6.0	7.0	120.8	120.1	113.6	111.7	6.3	7.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	120.5	119.8	110.0	108.5	9.5	10.4	120.5	119.8	109.9	108.4	9.6	10.5
I - Ilocos	123.9	123.9	116.9	114.7	6.0	8.0	124.1	124.1	117.0	114.8	6.1	8.1
II - Cagayan Valley	125.3	124.2	114.3	113.0	9.6	9.9	125.6	124.5	114.3	113.0	9.9	10.2
III - Central Luzon	113.4	112.6	107.6	107.3	5.4	4.9	112.3	111.7	106.8	106.4	5.1	5.0
IV-a - Calabarzon	111.4	111.4	106.5	106.4	4.6	4.7	111.3	111.3	106.4	106.3	4.6	4.7
IV-b - Mimaropa	126.4	125.3	112.1	110.2	12.8	13.7	126.4	125.3	112.1	110.2	12.8	13.7
V - Bicol	119.4	119.3	110.0	109.3	8.5	9.1	118.6	118.7	108.6	107.8	9.2	10.1
VI - Western Visayas	117.7	116.5	112.6	107.6	4.5	8.3	117.8	116.6	112.2	107.0	5.0	9.0
VII - Central Visayas	130.7	129.9	123.4	122.2	5.9	6.3	128.1	128.3	118.1	117.4	8.5	9.3
VIII - Eastern Visayas	125.7	126.7	117.0	116.9	7.4	8.4	126.5	127.6	117.7	117.6	7.5	8.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	118.1	117.8	113.6	112.1	4.0	5.1	121.0	120.5	115.4	113.3	4.9	6.4
X - Northern Mindanao	127.6	126.5	122.2	121.2	4.4	4.4	123.8	123.2	119.3	118.3	3.8	4.1
XI - Davao	129.4	125.9	124.7	118.3	3.8	6.4	128.8	125.2	124.9	117.5	3.1	6.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	124.8	121.4	118.7	114.9	5.1	5.7	124.4	121.1	118.2	114.2	5.2	6.0
XIII - Caraga	128.5	129.1	123.5	122.2	4.0	5.6	129.0	129.7	124.2	122.8	3.9	5.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	131.9	130.2	121.0	119.0	9.0	9.4	130.9	129.1	120.5	118.4	8.6	9.0

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	C o r n						Cereal Preparations					
	2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)		2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	129.2	127.1	124.8	123.4	3.5	3.0	140.1	139.5	131.5	130.7	6.5	6.7
National Capital Region (NCR)	110.9	110.9	108.5	107.2	2.2	3.5	152.3	151.4	141.4	140.9	7.7	7.5
Areas Outside NCR	129.5	127.4	125.1	123.7	3.5	3.0	135.9	135.4	128.0	127.1	6.2	6.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	120.9	120.5	116.0	115.3	4.2	4.5	132.6	132.3	122.5	121.4	8.2	9.0
I - Ilocos	111.0	111.1	106.2	105.8	4.5	5.0	172.0	171.5	158.8	156.1	8.3	9.9
II - Cagayan Valley	119.3	118.7	113.5	112.9	5.1	5.1	121.7	121.1	116.5r	116.2r	4.5	4.2
III - Central Luzon	189.4	180.8	168.9	169.4	12.1	6.7	135.5	134.6	130.5	129.0	3.8	4.3
IV-a - Calabarzon	117.5	117.3	113.0	112.6	4.0	4.2	134.0	133.8	126.4	125.9	6.0	6.3
IV-b - Mimaropa	123.5	122.1	114.4	114.1	8.0	7.0	125.4	125.2	120.6	120.3	4.0	4.1
V - Bicol	127.6	125.2	125.0	125.0	2.1	0.2	130.4	129.7	124.9	124.5	4.4	4.2
VI - Western Visayas	115.5	115.2	119.3	119.4	-3.2	-3.5	125.0	124.7	120.7	120.1	3.6	3.8
VII - Central Visayas	136.1	133.3	134.5	132.0	1.2	1.0	134.1	134.0	122.8	122.5	9.2	9.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	110.3	110.6	104.1	104.2	6.0	6.1	136.6	136.6	129.5	128.8	5.5	6.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	111.6	111.6	109.6	109.2	1.8	2.2	142.1	140.1	127.4	125.0	11.5	12.1
X - Northern Mindanao	136.7	134.4	129.2	128.2	5.8	4.8	136.8	136.3	128.5	128.2	6.5	6.3
XI - Davao	131.5	128.4	124.0	121.0	6.0	6.1	143.7	143.4	132.9	132.0	8.1	8.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	128.7	124.1	123.5	121.4	4.2	2.2	135.3	134.8	128.5	128.2	5.3	5.1
XIII - Caraga	124.1	123.8	116.7	116.3	6.3	6.4	137.4	137.4	128.0	127.6	7.3	7.7
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	181.1	181.0	146.8	146.3	23.4	23.7	140.9	140.1	126.2	124.8	11.6	12.3

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	Dairy Products						E g g s					
	2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)		2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	150.8	150.3	142.2	141.4	6.0	6.3	124.2	124.5	117.3	117.5	5.9	6.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	151.8	151.0	142.1	141.2	6.8	6.9	124.4	125.3	113.5	116.6	9.6	7.5
Areas Outside NCR	150.4	150.0	142.3	141.5	5.7	6.0	124.2	124.2	118.5	117.8	4.8	5.4
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	153.4	153.1	147.2	145.0	4.2	5.6	115.7	115.7	114.6	115.2	1.0	0.4
I - Ilocos	173.4	173.1	164.3	162.5	5.5	6.5	124.7	125.0	120.7	120.5	3.3	3.7
II - Cagayan Valley	144.3	143.8	136.4	135.3	5.8	6.3	125.8	126.3	124.4	124.4	1.1	1.5
III - Central Luzon	157.7	157.5	144.4	143.5	9.2	9.8	121.7	122.1	118.1	115.3	3.0	5.9
IV-a - Calabarzon	145.2	145.1	139.1	138.5	4.4	4.8	113.2	113.0	110.2	110.2	2.7	2.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	150.3	149.3	140.1	138.5	7.3	7.8	123.2	121.5	112.7	112.7	9.3	7.8
V - Bicol	147.9	147.3	141.1	140.8	4.8	4.6	124.3	124.3	119.0	119.0	4.5	4.5
VI - Western Visayas	135.6	134.9	131.5	131.0	3.1	3.0	121.4	121.9	111.8	111.1	8.6	9.7
VII - Central Visayas	153.8	153.6	146.9	145.8	4.7	5.3	128.0	127.3	119.8	118.9	6.8	7.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	152.0	151.5	140.9	140.5	7.9	7.8	126.1	126.1	120.8	120.7	4.4	4.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	158.5	157.5	146.8	146.6	8.0	7.4	136.2	135.8	123.9	123.9	9.9	9.6
X - Northern Mindanao	150.9	150.0	141.1	140.5	6.9	6.8	141.4	141.4	130.1	130.3	8.7	8.5
XI - Davao	144.9	144.6	139.8	139.2	3.6	3.9	137.3	137.5	129.0	127.8	6.4	7.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	143.4	143.1	138.0	137.7	3.9	3.9	129.1	129.4	124.9	124.5	3.4	3.9
XIII - Caraga	151.3	150.7	145.4	144.9	4.1	4.0	124.2	123.3	118.6	118.2	4.7	4.3
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	153.6	153.3	140.5	139.7	9.3	9.7	140.4	141.5	128.5	127.0	9.3	11.4

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h						Fruits and Vegetables					
	2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)		2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	132.6	132.8	126.9	127.0	4.5	4.6	122.5	123.4	112.1	112.9	9.3	9.3
National Capital Region (NCR)	119.1	118.7	117.7	120.3	1.2	-1.3	106.7	106.5	98.3	98.4	8.5	8.2
Areas Outside NCR	136.1	136.4	129.3	128.7	5.3	6.0	128.1	129.5	117.0	118.1	9.5	9.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	117.9	117.2	115.9	115.9	1.7	1.1	132.6	132.5	126.9	129.7	4.5	2.2
I - Ilocos	131.3	130.3	127.8	128.7	2.7	1.2	111.7	112.6	104.1	106.3	7.3	5.9
II - Cagayan Valley	129.7	127.9	121.8	121.4	6.5	5.4	126.5	130.6	113.4	117.6	11.6	11.1
III - Central Luzon	128.6	129.1	128.4	125.9	0.2	2.5	122.6	122.9	110.2	114.4	11.3	7.4
IV-a - Calabarzon	137.1	137.4	132.3	131.9	3.6	4.2	114.2	116.4	105.5	108.7	8.2	7.1
IV-b - Mimaropa	133.7	132.4	123.8	122.9	8.0	7.7	128.3	129.7	117.2	117.2	9.5	10.7
V - Bicol	130.8	130.1	125.4	126.3	4.3	3.0	121.3	122.2	113.7	116.0	6.7	5.3
VI - Western Visayas	136.3	136.2	123.0	121.8	10.8	11.8	125.4	126.7	118.9	118.9	5.5	6.6
VII - Central Visayas	150.9	150.6	140.6	139.4	7.3	8.0	158.3	160.7	137.4	136.0	15.2	18.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	132.0	132.9	125.8	126.0	4.9	5.5	133.1	133.5	120.1	121.0	10.8	10.3
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	127.9	133.3	122.1	121.6	4.8	9.6	136.8	140.3	129.5	127.1	5.6	10.4
X - Northern Mindanao	142.1	142.7	129.8	129.4	9.5	10.3	138.7	138.8	123.3	120.8	12.5	14.9
XI - Davao	146.0	146.9	138.1	137.6	5.7	6.8	138.4	139.2	129.2	125.6	7.1	10.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	134.1	134.2	125.9	126.1	6.5	6.4	131.8	133.1	120.8	118.8	9.1	12.0
XIII - Caraga	142.4	145.0	135.3	134.7	5.2	7.6	135.1	137.0	120.8	119.8	11.8	14.4
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	150.5	150.5	137.4	136.4	9.5	10.3	158.3	159.4	136.4	132.6	16.1	20.2

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	M e a t						Miscellaneous Foods					
	2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)		2006		2005		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Current	Previous
Philippines	131.0	131.0	127.9	127.4	2.4	2.8	132.1	131.8	121.3	120.9	8.9	9.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	128.9	129.1	126.4	125.8	2.0	2.6	129.3	129.2	117.5	117.5	10.0	10.0
Areas Outside NCR	131.9	131.8	128.5	128.1	2.6	2.9	133.3	133.0	123.0	122.4	8.4	8.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	130.4	130.5	126.3	126.1	3.2	3.5	124.5	124.4	113.6	113.1	9.6	10.0
I - Ilocos	138.6	138.8	135.8	135.1	2.1	2.7	138.8	138.5	131.5	130.4	5.6	6.2
II - Cagayan Valley	128.5	129.6	127.3	126.5	0.9	2.5	148.0	147.8	137.7	137.5	7.5	7.5
III - Central Luzon	133.0	132.7	128.4	128.2	3.6	3.5	133.4	133.4	122.8	122.3	8.6	9.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	128.7	128.7	126.5	126.6	1.7	1.7	122.4	122.3	114.7	114.1	6.7	7.2
IV-b - Mimaropa	130.2	129.9	126.6	126.1	2.8	3.0	134.2	134.1	120.7	120.0	11.2	11.8
V - Bicol	131.1	130.9	127.9	127.4	2.5	2.7	141.1	140.3	127.6	127.3	10.6	10.2
VI - Western Visayas	127.0	126.8	125.8	124.0	1.0	2.3	131.9	131.4	122.4	121.8	7.8	7.9
VII - Central Visayas	136.3	136.3	130.2	129.7	4.7	5.1	152.2	152.1	140.7	140.2	8.2	8.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	131.4	131.2	124.3	123.8	5.7	6.0	130.1	129.1	117.1	116.7	11.1	10.6
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	131.9	132.2	128.4	128.2	2.7	3.1	136.0	135.2	123.5	122.3	10.1	10.5
X - Northern Mindanao	132.4	132.3	128.7	128.6	2.9	2.9	131.8	131.6	118.5	117.8	11.2	11.7
XI - Davao	130.7	130.6	129.3	127.8	1.1	2.2	139.9	139.5	129.7	129.4	7.9	7.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	137.6	137.4	134.3	133.4	2.5	3.0	134.1	133.9	122.4	121.8	9.6	9.9
XIII - Caraga	132.7	132.3	127.6	127.3	4.0	3.9	140.4	139.8	125.4	124.7	12.0	12.1
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	154.8	155.2	147.0	144.1	5.3	7.7	144.2	143.9	127.6	126.5	13.0	13.8

Table 10 (concluded)

Area and Region	Meals Eaten Outside				Inflation Rates(%)	
	2006		2005		Current	Previous
	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar		
Philippines	128.8	128.7	120.7	120.5	6.7	6.8
National Capital Region (NCR)	126.9	126.9	115.2	115.2	10.2	10.2
Areas Outside NCR	130.0	129.8	124.0	123.6	4.8	5.0
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	111.5	111.5	107.6	107.7	3.6	3.5
I - Ilocos	134.0	133.7	129.1	128.4	3.8	4.1
II - Cagayan Valley	176.3	175.0	169.1	169.1	4.3	3.5
III - Central Luzon	127.4	127.4	121.9	121.5	4.5	4.9
IV-a - Calabarzon	120.3	120.1	114.3	113.6	5.2	5.7
IV-b - Mimaropa	129.1	128.5	124.2	123.6	3.9	4.0
V - Bicol	143.3	143.1	137.5	137.3	4.2	4.2
VI - Western Visayas	129.7	129.0	125.3	125.3	3.5	3.0
VII - Central Visayas	161.4	161.3	154.1	154.0	4.7	4.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	127.6	127.4	118.1	118.1	8.0	7.9
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	133.4	132.8	129.3	126.7	3.2	4.8
X - Northern Mindanao	118.5	118.4	113.5	113.1	4.4	4.7
XI - Davao	130.5	130.0	124.0	124.0	5.2	4.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	124.7	124.3	119.1	119.1	4.7	4.4
XIII - Caraga	146.9	146.9	137.3	137.3	7.0	7.0
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	166.4	166.1	144.0	143.2	15.6	16.0

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