

Table 10. Regional Year-on-Year Inflation Rates of Selected Food Items, September and August, 2008 and 2007
(2000 = 100)

Area/Region	C e r e a l s						R i c e					
	2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)		2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous
Philippines	174.7	179.9	128.3	125.0	36.2	43.9	175.0	179.8	127.5	123.9	37.3	45.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	162.8	167.8	122.4	114.0	33.0	47.2	163.2	168.3	122.4	113.9	33.3	47.8
Areas Outside NCR	176.4	181.6	129.1	126.6	36.6	43.4	176.8	181.6	128.3	125.5	37.8	44.7
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	179.4	180.9	127.5	123.0	40.7	47.1	180.1	181.6	127.6	123.0	41.1	47.6
I - Ilocos	183.1	183.5	128.6	126.6	42.4	44.9	183.7	184.1	128.8	126.7	42.6	45.3
II - Cagayan Valley	178.5	181.4	133.9	127.5	33.3	42.3	180.2	183.3	134.3	127.8	34.2	43.4
III - Central Luzon	171.4	174.6	122.6	117.2	39.8	49.0	171.0	174.3	121.7	116.2	40.5	50.0
IV-a - Calabarzon	167.7	169.7	118.2	113.8	41.9	49.1	168.0	170.0	118.1	113.7	42.3	49.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	187.0	191.5 ^r	140.0	133.1	33.6	43.9 ^r	187.2	191.7	140.1	133.1	33.6	44.0
V - Bicol	169.2	174.5	125.8	123.1	34.5	41.8	169.6	173.8	124.7	121.8	36.0	42.7
VI - Western Visayas	173.5	172.7	127.7	126.9	35.9	36.1	175.6	174.7	127.9	127.0	37.3	37.6
VII - Central Visayas	196.6	197.7	134.5	134.1	46.2	47.4	197.3	195.2	130.5	128.7	51.2	51.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	191.4	200.2	132.8	129.9	44.1	54.1	193.5	202.6	133.7	130.6	44.7	55.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	172.1	186.7	127.2	126.0	35.3	48.2	171.2	187.7	130.5	128.8	31.2	45.7
X - Northern Mindanao	170.5	182.5	134.8	135.2	26.5	35.0	170.5	180.5	130.1	130.3	31.1	38.5
XI - Davao	169.5	183.3	133.2	133.3	27.3	37.5	172.8	190.3	133.8	133.4	29.1	42.7
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	159.3	170.9	134.2	135.2	18.7	26.4	157.4	169.0	134.4	134.9	17.1	25.3
XIII - Caraga	186.8	201.7	133.2	132.9	40.2	51.8	187.6	203.9	133.2	133.0	40.8	53.3
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	189.9	193.6	141.5	139.7	34.2	38.6	189.1	192.8	140.0	138.3	35.1	39.4

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	C o r n						Cereal Preparations					
	2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)		2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous
Philippines	172.6	180.7r	136.1	137.3	26.8	31.6r	176.7	174.7	147.3	147.0	20.0	18.8
National Capital Region (NCR)	130.5	130.4	126.0	124.6	3.6	4.7	193.2	191.8	160.3	159.9	20.5	19.9
Areas Outside NCR	173.4	181.6r	136.3	137.5	27.2	32.1r	171.0	168.8	142.8	142.5	19.7	18.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	137.7	137.7	123.2	124.0	11.8	11.0	152.7	151.5	135.8	135.5	12.4	11.8
I - Ilocos	138.8	138.4	115.9	114.6	19.8	20.8	211.9	210.9	178.6	178.6	18.6	18.1
II - Cagayan Valley	141.4	140.3	124.4	122.1	13.7	14.9	149.4	147.2	126.8	126.5	17.8	16.4
III - Central Luzon	198.9	198.3	188.6	187.5	5.5	5.8	167.5	166.5	142.0	141.6	18.0	17.6
IV-a - Calabarzon	138.2	137.8	125.0	124.0	10.6	11.1	165.7	161.6	139.8	139.7	18.5	15.7
IV-b - Mimaropa	165.7	169.1r	127.8	127.8	29.7	32.3r	158.8	156.2	132.1	132.1	20.2	18.2
V - Bicol	165.0	182.2	137.5	137.5	20.0	32.5	162.5	160.5	136.6	136.4	19.0	17.7
VI - Western Visayas	133.7	135.2	124.3	124.2	7.6	8.9	153.0	152.0	130.5	130.2	17.2	16.7
VII - Central Visayas	195.1	202.9	142.9	145.4	36.5	39.5	186.6	186.5	146.9	146.9	27.0	27.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	152.9	155.7	116.2	116.1	31.6	34.1	195.0	191.8	143.5	143.4	35.9	33.8
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	174.3	184.4	119.7	119.7	45.6	54.1	186.8	183.8	150.8	150.5	23.9	22.1
X - Northern Mindanao	170.4	187.2	146.2	147.2	16.6	27.2	167.2	165.4	144.6	144.6	15.6	14.4
XI - Davao	157.8	158.4	131.0	132.9	20.5	19.2	179.9	177.0	148.3	148.0	21.3	19.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	177.4	188.4	132.8	137.9	33.6	36.6	169.2	165.7	140.4	140.0	20.5	18.4
XIII - Caraga	179.4	181.0	133.7	132.3	34.2	36.8	174.1	172.8	140.7	140.6	23.7	22.9
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	229.8	230.4	210.1	206.3	9.4	11.7	181.0	179.9	159.0	158.0	13.8	13.9

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	Dairy Products						E g g s					
	2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)		2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous
Philippines	185.3	183.4	162.2	161.1	14.2	13.8	145.3	144.5	136.9	136.1	6.1	6.2
National Capital Region (NCR)	183.5	182.3	162.8	162.1	12.7	12.5	141.3	140.8	146.7	146.7	-3.7	-4.0
Areas Outside NCR	186.0	183.9	162.0	160.7	14.8	14.4	146.5	145.7	133.9	132.9	9.4	9.6
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	205.2	204.0	166.7	164.0	23.1	24.4	132.0	132.4	124.3	122.6	6.2	8.0
I - Ilocos	210.7	209.4	190.6	190.3	10.5	10.0	144.9	144.3	135.7	135.0	6.8	6.9
II - Cagayan Valley	177.4	176.9	153.0	150.7	15.9	17.4	147.8	147.2	132.0	129.8	12.0	13.4
III - Central Luzon	197.9	195.5	169.0	167.3	17.1	16.9	136.4	136.4	121.5	120.6	12.3	13.1
IV-a - Calabarzon	187.3	182.2	157.2	155.9	19.1	16.9	131.5	130.6	124.3	122.7	5.8	6.4
IV-b - Mimaropa	186.1	185.3	162.9	162.2	14.2	14.2	148.9	148.2	134.7	131.9	10.5	12.4
V - Bicol	180.5	179.8	161.4	159.3	11.8	12.9	143.2	143.2	135.2	133.8	5.9	7.0
VI - Western Visayas	167.6	166.8	146.8	146.0	14.2	14.2	153.2	152.3	134.1	133.4	14.2	14.2
VII - Central Visayas	173.7	173.7	159.2	158.8	9.1	9.4	152.7	151.1	141.8	141.4	7.7	6.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	176.1	175.1	159.3	158.3	10.5	10.6	167.2	163.6	149.8	150.2	11.6	8.9
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	209.9	206.3	176.4	174.9	19.0	18.0	175.2	172.0	154.3	154.3	13.5	11.5
X - Northern Mindanao	188.1	186.7	161.4	159.1	16.5	17.3	169.1	167.6	151.4	150.8	11.7	11.1
XI - Davao	168.7	165.3	158.5	156.4	6.4	5.7	161.6	161.0	151.8	151.0	6.5	6.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	178.3	177.3	155.9	154.5	14.4	14.8	146.6	148.3	137.6	137.0	6.5	8.2
XIII - Caraga	180.2	179.7	161.3	160.2	11.7	12.2	156.8	154.2	132.5	132.2	18.3	16.6
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	190.1	190.1	164.8	163.7	15.4	16.1	168.3	168.4	154.8	154.3	8.7	9.1

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	F i s h						Fruits and Vegetables					
	2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)		2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous
Philippines	150.9	149.8	137.2	136.9	10.0	9.4	152.1	149.5	131.2	128.8	15.9	16.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	125.9	124.8	118.7	119.1	6.1	4.8	130.2	128.2	117.0	113.2	11.3	13.3
Areas Outside NCR	157.3	156.2	141.9	141.4	10.9	10.5	159.9	157.1	136.3	134.4	17.3	16.9
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	129.6	128.2	123.2	122.7	5.2	4.5	158.4	156.2	139.1	134.6	13.9	16.0
I - Ilocos	147.7	148.8	137.1	137.4	7.7	8.3	140.5	133.5	116.9	113.9	20.2	17.2
II - Cagayan Valley	145.9	145.5	134.8	133.6	8.2	8.9	148.2	145.8	128.0	126.2	15.8	15.5
III - Central Luzon	140.8	140.3	132.3	131.3	6.4	6.9	148.0	145.2	129.0	125.8	14.7	15.4
IV-a - Calabarzon	149.9	147.5	138.9	139.1	7.9	6.0	146.9	143.2	126.2	123.1	16.4	16.3
IV-b - Mimaropa	148.9	150.6	140.8	140.0	5.8	7.6	147.6	149.1	136.9	135.8	7.8	9.8
V - Bicol	145.2	140.9	137.9	137.2	5.3	2.7	147.1	144.7	127.8	127.5	15.1	13.5
VI - Western Visayas	165.5	163.8	145.9	145.5	13.4	12.6	167.7	166.0	134.3	132.5	24.9	25.3
VII - Central Visayas	178.0	178.9	153.8	153.1	15.7	16.9	202.9	199.8	170.6	168.5	18.9	18.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	160.8	160.7	140.6	140.5	14.4	14.4	167.5	165.2	136.9	136.2	22.4	21.3
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	159.7	160.7	138.1	136.9	15.6	17.4	170.8	169.5	144.7	144.5	18.0	17.3
X - Northern Mindanao	174.9	171.5	149.0	148.0	17.4	15.9	174.7	171.1	147.6	146.7	18.4	16.6
XI - Davao	169.9	169.0	153.0	153.0	11.0	10.5	164.4	163.6	144.2	143.4	14.0	14.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	161.2	160.1	142.4	140.8	13.2	13.7	168.9	165.3	146.2	146.6	15.5	12.8
XIII - Caraga	184.4	182.6	146.8	145.6	25.6	25.4	172.2	171.1	134.4	134.3	28.1	27.4
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	179.7	178.3	163.8	164.1	9.7	8.7	200.6	196.6	173.9	171.7	15.4	14.5

Table 10 (continued)

Area and Region	M e a t						Miscellaneous Foods					
	2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)		2008		2007		Inflation Rates(%)	
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug	Current	Previous
Philippines	150.9	151.4	135.9	136.9	11.0	10.6	149.9	149.3	137.1	136.8	9.3	9.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	149.4	150.5	137.0	139.7	9.1	7.7	144.2	142.9	135.5	135.1	6.4	5.8
Areas Outside NCR	151.6	151.8	135.4	135.7	12.0	11.9	152.5	152.1	137.8	137.6	10.7	10.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	146.2	145.7	132.9	132.3	10.0	10.1	145.9	145.3	128.6	127.6	13.5	13.9
I - Ilocos	156.8	157.7	142.6	141.8	10.0	11.2	154.1	153.3	144.0	143.7	7.0	6.7
II - Cagayan Valley	148.7	148.4	130.2	130.2	14.2	14.0	164.5	164.4	149.6	149.6	10.0	9.9
III - Central Luzon	152.7	154.9	136.0	138.2	12.3	12.1	152.9	152.5	140.0	139.5	9.2	9.3
IV-a - Calabarzon	148.0	147.9	131.9	132.1	12.2	12.0	140.5	140.1	127.4	127.4	10.3	10.0
IV-b - Mimaropa	156.0	155.3	135.4	135.1	15.2	15.0	149.8	149.9	137.9	137.7	8.6	8.9
V - Bicol	157.4	157.1	137.7	137.3	14.3	14.4	154.9	154.3	143.4	143.0	8.0	7.9
VI - Western Visayas	144.3	143.5	127.8	127.2	12.9	12.8	150.6	149.9	136.1	135.9	10.7	10.3
VII - Central Visayas	151.0	150.4	139.5	139.5	8.2	7.8	166.6	166.7	153.5	153.4	8.5	8.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	153.0	153.1	137.8	137.5	11.0	11.3	156.5	155.3	134.3	133.8	16.5	16.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	152.1	151.6	138.1	138.0	10.1	9.9	161.8	160.3	137.7	137.2	17.5	16.8
X - Northern Mindanao	155.8	154.9	139.4	138.8	11.8	11.6	154.1	154.3	139.6	139.3	10.4	10.8
XI - Davao	151.1	150.5	134.0	133.5	12.8	12.7	167.4	166.9	144.6	144.4	15.8	15.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	159.1	158.3	141.3	140.6	12.6	12.6	158.0	159.2	136.1	135.6	16.1	17.4
XIII - Caraga	157.8	156.3	135.8	135.8	16.2	15.1	165.8	165.4	142.5	142.3	16.4	16.2
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	177.4	177.4	163.4	162.9	8.6	8.9	173.8	173.9	153.2	152.5	13.4	14.0

Table 10 (concluded)

Area and Region	Meals Eaten Outside				Inflation Rates(%)	
	2008		2007		Current	Previous
	Sep	Aug	Sep	Aug		
Philippines	141.1	140.7	133.9	133.9	5.4	5.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	136.0	136.0	132.3	132.3	2.8	2.8
Areas Outside NCR	144.1	143.6	134.8	134.8	6.9	6.5
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	120.5	120.5	112.7	112.7	6.9	6.9
I - Ilocos	142.3	141.3	136.1	136.1	4.6	3.8
II - Cagayan Valley	192.2	191.0	177.5	177.5	8.3	7.6
III - Central Luzon	139.4	139.4	135.3	135.3	3.0	3.0
IV-a - Calabarzon	135.6	135.1	125.8	125.8	7.8	7.4
IV-b - Mimaropa	143.5	143.2	133.7	133.5	7.3	7.3
V - Bicol	155.2	155.0	147.3	147.1	5.4	5.4
VI - Western Visayas	139.5	138.7	131.9	131.9	5.8	5.2
VII - Central Visayas	172.3	172.1	161.6	161.6	6.6	6.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	159.0	155.7	135.8	135.4	17.1	15.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	149.2	147.7	135.0	135.0	10.5	9.4
X - Northern Mindanao	136.2	135.1	127.2	127.2r	7.1	6.2
XI - Davao	144.1	143.5	132.4	132.3	8.8	8.5
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	148.6	148.5	128.6	128.6	15.6	15.5
XIII - Caraga	173.8	171.4	148.4	148.4	17.1	15.5
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	190.3	190.3	179.5	179.5	6.0	6.0

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