

**Table 11. Monthly Consumer Price Index for Food and Food, Beverages and Tobacco (FBT)
for All Income Households, by Area, October 2007 - October 2008
(2000 = 100)**

| Area Commodity Group | 2 0 0 8 | | | | | | | | | | 2 0 0 7 | | | |
|--|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Oct | Sep | Aug | Jul | Jun | May | Apr | Mar | Feb | Jan | Ave | Dec | Nov | Oct |
| Philippines | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, beverages, and tobacco | 157.3 | 158.0r | 158.4 | 158.4 | 155.9 | 151.4r | 148.2 | 143.6 | 141.9 | 141.1 | 134.9 | 139.1 | 137.8 | 136.8 |
| Food | 158.4 | 159.3r | 159.7 | 159.7 | 157.2 | 152.4r | 149.0 | 144.0 | 142.3 | 141.5 | 135.0 | 139.4 | 138.0 | 137.0 |
| National Capital Region (NCR) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, beverages, and tobacco | 147.7 | 148.4 | 148.3 | 148.6 | 148.4 | 145.9 | 143.5 | 140.0 | 137.3 | 137.8 | 131.8 | 136.9 | 134.8 | 134.2 |
| Food | 148.5 | 149.2 | 149.1 | 149.5 | 149.3 | 146.7 | 144.2 | 140.4 | 137.6 | 138.3 | 132.0 | 137.3 | 135.2 | 134.5 |
| Areas Outside NCR (AONCR) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, beverages, and tobacco | 160.3 | 161.1r | 161.6 | 161.5 | 158.3 | 153.2r | 149.7 | 144.7 | 143.4 | 142.2 | 135.8 | 139.8 | 138.7 | 137.6 |
| Food | 161.6 | 162.5r | 163.1 | 163.0 | 159.7 | 154.2r | 150.5 | 145.1 | 143.8 | 142.5 | 135.9 | 140.1 | 138.9 | 137.8 |

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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