

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

Area Commodity Group	2 0 0 8								Ave	2 0 0 7				
	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug
Philippines														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	158.4	158.4	155.9	151.4r	148.2	143.6	141.9	141.1	134.9	139.1	137.8	136.8	136.1	135.1
Food	159.7	159.7	157.2	152.4r	149.0	144.0	142.3	141.5	135.0	139.4	138.0	137.0	136.2	135.2
National Capital Region (NCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	148.3	148.6	148.4	145.9	143.5	140.0	137.3	137.8	131.8	136.9	134.8	134.2	133.4	132.5
Food	149.1	149.5	149.3	146.7	144.2	140.4	137.6	138.3	132.0	137.3	135.2	134.5	133.7	132.7
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	161.6	161.5	158.3	153.2r	149.7	144.7	143.4	142.2	135.8	139.8	138.7	137.6	136.9	135.9
Food	163.1	163.0	159.7	154.2r	150.5	145.1	143.8	142.5	135.9	140.1	138.9	137.8	137.0	136.0

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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