

**Table 13. Year-on-Year Changes of the Food and FBT, in Percent, by Area**  
**October 2005 - October 2006**  
**(2000 = 100)**

Area / Commodity Group	2 0 0 6										Ave	2 0 0 5		
	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct
<b>Philippines</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.1	4.9	5.6	5.2	5.6	5.9	6.1	6.4	6.4	5.6	6.4	5.6	6.3	5.9
Food	5.2	4.9	5.5	5.2	5.6	5.9	6.1	6.5	6.4	5.6	6.5	5.6	6.4	5.8
<b>National Capital Region (NCR)</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	6.2	5.4	6.5	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.7	6.2	4.8	4.8	4.1	6.0	5.1
Food	6.3	5.6	6.6	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.7	5.8	6.3	4.7	4.8	3.9	6.0	5.0
<b>Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)</b>														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	4.7	4.7	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.6	5.9	7.0	6.1	6.4	6.1
Food	4.7	4.7	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.7	6.6	5.9	7.0	6.1	6.5	6.0

Source: **Economic Indices and Indicators Division**  
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