

Table 13. Year-on-Year Changes of the Food and FBT, in Percent, by Area
 July 2007 - July 2008
 (2000 = 100)

Area / Commodity Group	2 0 0 8							Ave	2 0 0 7					
	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan		Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul
Philippines														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	17.8	16.5	13.6r	11.4	8.2	6.8	5.9	3.3	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.8
Food	18.6	17.4	14.2r	12.0	8.4	7.0	6.2	3.3	5.0	4.0	3.5	3.4	2.5	2.8
National Capital Region (NCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	13.1	14.1	12.7	11.1	8.4	5.9	5.4	3.3	4.7	3.5	2.9	3.8	2.5	2.8
Food	13.7	14.7	13.2	11.5	8.6	6.1	5.6	3.3	4.9	3.7	2.9	3.9	2.5	2.8
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	19.2	17.3	13.9r	11.5	8.1	7.1	6.2	3.2	4.9	4.0	3.6	3.3	2.5	2.8
Food	20.2	18.2	14.6r	12.1	8.4	7.3	6.3	3.2	5.0	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.5	2.8

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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