

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

Area / Commodity Group	2008	2 0 0 7												
	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan
Philippines														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.9	3.3	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.7	3.0	4.3
Food	6.2	3.3	5.0	4.0	3.5	3.4	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.0	4.2
National Capital Region (NCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.4	3.3	4.7	3.5	2.9	3.8	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	4.9
Food	5.6	3.3	4.9	3.7	2.9	3.9	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.9	5.0
Areas Outside NCR (AONCR)														
Food, beverages, and tobacco	6.2	3.2	4.9	4.0	3.6	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.6	3.0	4.0
Food	6.3	3.2	5.0	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.5	3.0	4.0

Source: **Economic Indices and Indicators Division**
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