

Table 6. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group
September 2005 - September 2006
(2000 = 100)

Area/Commodity Group	2 0 0 6									2 0 0 5				
	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep
Philippines														
All items	5.7	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.6	7.6	6.7	7.6	6.7r	7.1	7.0	7.0
Food, beverages, and tobacco	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	5.7
Clothing	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.5
Housing and repairs	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.5	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.4	4.8
Fuel, light, and water	12.9	13.0	14.5	13.2	13.4	15.9	18.5	17.2r	13.5	18.1	14.8	14.4r	17.6	17.3
Services	7.7	9.0	9.4	11.0	11.1	10.6	11.2	11.7	11.0r	11.8	10.3r	10.9	10.4	10.0
Miscellaneous	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2
National Capital Region														
All items	6.2	6.9	7.1	7.4	7.9	8.0	8.7	8.5	7.4r	8.6	7.5r	8.0	8.9	8.8
Food, beverages and tobacco	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	4.6
Clothing	3.2	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.0	1.6	2.9	1.6	2.0	2.3	2.9
Housing and repairs	4.0	4.1	4.3	5.1	5.2	5.4	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.6	7.2
Fuel, light and water	12.4	11.2	17.2	13.1	14.1	16.7	20.3	15.6	11.0	28.4	19.1	15.4	29.8	27.6
Services	8.5	10.3	10.4	12.4	14.0	12.9	13.6	14.4	13.5r	12.6	11.5r	12.5r	13.0	13.0
Miscellaneous	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.3
Areas Outside NCR														
All items	5.5	6.0	6.0	6.4	6.4	6.8	7.2	7.1	6.5r	7.2	6.4	6.8	6.2	6.2
Food, beverages, and tobacco	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	6.0
Clothing	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.7
Housing and repairs	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4	2.6	2.5	3.2	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.0
Fuel, light, and water	13.2	14.0	13.0	13.2	13.0	15.5	17.6	18.1r	15.0	13.0	12.6	13.9r	11.8	12.4
Services	7.3	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.2	9.5r	11.4r	9.6r	10.1r	9.0	8.4
Miscellaneous	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.1

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