

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

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Area/Commodity Group	2006	2 0 0 5												
	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan

Philippines														
All items	6.7	7.6	6.6	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.1	7.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.6	6.4	5.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.5	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.6	7.4
Clothing	3.0	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5
Housing and repairs	4.2	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.4	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.2
Fuel, light, and water	13.5	18.1	14.8	14.4r	17.6	17.3	18.7	18.9	19.1	20.1	19.7	18.2	18.7	20.1
Services	10.3	11.8	10.1	10.9	10.4	10.0	10.0	9.9	11.2	14.3	14.5r	14.0	13.5r	13.6
Miscellaneous	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.9
National Capital Region														
All items	7.0	8.6	7.4	8.0	8.9	8.8	9.0	8.9	8.4	8.6	8.9	8.7	8.8	8.9
Food, beverages and tobacco	4.8	4.8	4.1	6.0	5.1	4.6	4.2	4.4	4.2	3.9	4.6	5.1	5.4	5.9
Clothing	1.6	2.9	1.6	2.0	2.3	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2
Housing and repairs	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.6	7.2	7.4	7.1	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.1	5.5	4.6
Fuel, light and water	11.0	28.4	19.1	15.4	29.8	27.6	32.2	31.9	32.6	32.5	32.0	28.9	31.1	32.5
Services	11.9	12.6	11.3	12.3	13.0	13.0	12.9	12.8	11.3	13.5	13.6	13.2	12.1	12.4
Miscellaneous	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7
Areas Outside NCR														
All items	6.4	7.2	6.4	6.8	6.2	6.2	6.4	6.3	7.3	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.4r	8.3
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.9	7.0	6.1	6.4	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.4	7.2	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.3	7.9
Clothing	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.5
Housing and repairs	2.5	3.2	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9
Fuel, light, and water	15.0	13.0	12.6	13.9r	11.8	12.4	12.4	12.8	12.6	14.3	13.8	13.1	12.8	14.1
Services	9.4	11.3	9.4	10.0	9.0	8.4	8.5	8.4	11.2	14.8	14.9r	14.5r	14.2r	14.3
Miscellaneous	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.0

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