

Table 8. Year-on-Year Regional Inflation Rates by Commodity Group: December and November 2008
(2000 = 100)

Area and Region	All Items		Food, Beverages, and Tobacco		Clothing		Housing and Repairs		Fuel, Light, and Water		Services		Miscellaneous	
	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous	Current	Previous
Philippines	8.0	9.9	12.7	13.8	5.0	4.9	5.3	5.3	-1.7	7.5	4.6	7.5	3.9	3.8
National Capital Region (NCR)	4.5	6.8	8.2	9.3	5.5	5.6	3.3	3.3	0.6	10.5	1.6	5.6	2.9	2.8
Areas Outside NCR	9.6	11.2	14.2	15.2	4.8	4.8	6.7	6.7	-2.8	5.9	6.3	8.6	4.2	4.2
Regions:														
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	8.3	9.6	14.6	15.8	2.7	2.8	5.4	5.4	-8.0	-2.6	5.7	7.2	2.0	2.0
I - Ilocos	8.1	10.0	14.2	14.9	2.6	2.6	4.4	4.1	-11.4	1.5	4.7	6.9	3.3	3.3
II - Cagayan Valley	9.6	11.3	14.2	15.2	3.9	3.8	5.4	4.9	-2.1	7.3	3.9	6.5	4.0	3.9
III - Central Luzon	9.5	11.0	12.5	12.8	4.0	3.8	17.0	16.9	-10.2	0.9	7.8	9.9	5.1	4.8
IV-a - Calabarzon	7.4	9.4	13.4	14.3	3.6	3.6	2.2	2.2	-2.6	8.2	4.5	7.3	3.0	2.9
IV-b - Mimaropa	7.7	9.2	9.7	11.2	3.7	3.8	9.0	9.0	0.0	7.7	4.9	6.3	4.0	3.8
V - Bicol	8.1	9.7	11.2	12.4	3.1	3.3	5.3	5.5	-5.9	1.7	9.2	11.2	3.9	3.6
VI - Western Visayas	11.9	13.0	17.4	18.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.2	7.3	12.6	7.5	9.1	5.6	6.0
VII - Central Visayas	10.4	11.5	15.9	16.4	10.3	10.2	2.1	2.1	-0.9	4.8	6.2	8.6	4.2	5.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	13.7	16.5	19.3	22.2	6.2	6.0	7.0	7.0	0.2	10.1	10.0	12.3	4.9	4.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	11.4	13.2	15.1	16.7	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.7	-2.7	4.4	9.1	11.9	5.4	5.5
X - Northern Mindanao	10.8	12.5	14.0	15.8	4.1	4.2	13.5	13.4	5.0	10.7	6.3	8.1	2.5	2.5
XI - Davao	9.1	10.4	13.4	14.6	6.3	6.5	8.2	8.3	-6.0	-0.9	6.5	8.3	3.9	4.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	10.0	11.5	12.3	13.4	10.0	9.9	10.4	11.1	5.2	12.2	5.7	8.2	6.1	5.6
XIII - Caraga	13.4	16.2	18.0	20.9	5.5	5.8	11.1	12.4	0.0	7.9	10.2	11.7	5.2	5.3
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	13.0	14.6	17.3	18.8	5.5	5.6	8.2	7.2	5.8	12.7	1.7	5.4	6.1	6.0

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