

Table 8. Year-on-Year Regional Inflation Rates by Commodity Group: June and May 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	11.4	9.5r	16.5	13.6r	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.0	7.6	8.2	9.9	7.8	2.9	2.7
National Capital Region (NCR)	9.2	8.3	14.1	12.7	5.2	5.2	2.6	2.3	3.4	6.6	12.8	9.9	1.9	1.7
Areas Outside NCR	12.3	10.1r	17.3	13.9r	3.8	3.6	5.7	5.3	9.9	9.0r	8.2	6.6	3.3	3.0r
Regions:														
CAR - Cordillera Administrative Region	10.5	9.2	16.6	14.2	2.7	2.8	5.6	5.5	5.2	2.2	6.8	7.2	1.7	1.7
I - Ilocos	10.4	9.0	15.4	13.1	1.9	1.7	2.6	2.4	6.5	7.5	6.9	4.7	2.2	2.2
II - Cagayan Valley	12.6	10.3	16.0	13.5	2.6	2.4	5.8	2.5	15.4	12.9	7.7	6.4	2.9	2.6
III - Central Luzon	12.8	11.6	15.4	13.5	3.3	3.0	16.1	18.0	11.8	11.4	8.2	6.6	3.5	3.2r
IV-a - Calabarzon	8.5	7.7	13.2	11.8	2.7	2.4	1.6	1.5	6.5	7.4	7.1	5.9	2.6	2.5
IV-b - Mimaropa	13.3	11.5	18.9	16.5	3.6	3.1	6.6	6.1	10.9	8.4	6.7	5.4	2.4	2.2
V - Bicol	11.2	8.9r	15.7	13.2r	3.0	2.8	4.0	2.0	7.0	4.6	9.2	5.3	2.7	2.7
VI - Western Visayas	11.2	9.8r	15.4	13.1r	2.9	2.4	3.2	2.8	12.2	12.5	8.4	7.3	4.7	4.8
VII - Central Visayas	12.4	10.9	17.6	14.9	7.6	7.4	1.8	1.2	9.6	9.2	8.6	9.2	4.2	3.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	14.4	11.3	18.6	15.4	4.4	3.2	5.0	4.0	15.4	11.5	11.8	6.2	2.8	2.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	16.3	13.5	20.8	16.7	8.0	8.0	5.9	5.2	15.0	13.1	13.2	11.7	4.5	4.4
X - Northern Mindanao	14.0	11.3	19.4	15.3	3.1	3.1	13.3	12.0	8.9	8.2	7.5	5.5	1.7	1.3
XI - Davao	14.8	9.5	22.2	14.0	5.6	5.1	2.9	2.5	9.9	7.3	10.1	5.2	2.8	2.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	18.9	12.2	27.1	15.9	7.9	7.2	8.9	7.5	11.9	9.5r	8.5	8.6	4.0	3.5
XIII - Caraga	19.8	13.4	27.4	17.4	4.9	4.3	12.3	11.4	13.4	10.6	9.1	6.8	3.8	3.5
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	16.9	12.2r	22.2	15.5r	4.4	4.7	2.9	3.2	19.1	11.8	8.6	8.4	6.2	5.9

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