

Table 6. Year-on-Year Changes of the CPI in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group
July 2004 - July 2005
(2000 = 100)

Area/Commodity Group	2 0 0 5							2 0 0 4						
	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul
Philippines														
All items	7.1	7.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	6.0	8.6	8.2	7.7	7.2	6.8	6.6
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.9	6.5	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.6	7.4	6.2	8.2	7.5	7.9	7.6	7.2	6.7
Clothing	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	2.7	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.5r	2.1	2.2
Housing and repairs	4.7	4.4	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.2	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.6
Fuel, light, and water	18.9	19.1	20.1	19.7	18.2	18.7	20.1	7.4	17.9	17.0	10.1	8.8	7.1	6.8
Services	9.9	11.2	14.3	14.5r	14.0	13.5r	13.6	9.2	14.1	13.7	13.2	12.7	12.4	11.9
Miscellaneous	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.2	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.0	1.8
National Capital Region														
All items	8.9	8.4	8.6	8.9	8.7	8.8	8.9	5.8	8.4	7.9	6.8	6.5	6.2	6.4
Food, beverages and tobacco	4.4	4.2	3.9	4.6	5.1	5.4	5.9	6.1	7.5	5.8	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0
Clothing	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.4	1.9r	1.4	1.6
Housing and repairs	7.1	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.1	5.5	4.6	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.1
Fuel, light and water	31.9	32.6	32.5	32.0	28.9	31.1	32.5	6.1	22.6	23.5	6.6	6.3	3.7	3.3
Services	12.8	11.3	13.5	13.6	13.2	12.1	12.4	9.6	13.7	13.6	12.7	12.0	12.0	12.1
Miscellaneous	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.6	2.7	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.7
Areas Outside NCR														
All items	6.3	7.3	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.4r	8.3	6.1	8.6	8.2	8.1	7.6	7.1	6.7
Food, beverages, and tobacco	6.4	7.2	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.3	7.9	6.2	8.4	8.0	8.2	7.9	7.2	6.6
Clothing	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.5	2.6	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.5
Housing and repairs	2.8	3.0	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.5	3.5	3.8
Fuel, light, and water	12.8	12.6	14.3	13.8	13.1	12.8	14.1	7.9	15.4	13.8	11.8	10.1	8.8	8.6
Services	8.4	11.2	14.8	14.9r	14.5r	14.2r	14.3	9.0	14.3	13.9	13.5	13.0	12.5	11.8
Miscellaneous	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.2	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.1	1.9

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