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f 2012 = 100

(*¿* for periods indicated

	2015	2016	2017	2017 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2018 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
PHILIPPINES																						
All Items	**107.0**	**108.4**	**111.5**	**110.3**	**110.7**	**110.7**	**111.1**	**111.0**	**111.0**	**111.1**	**111.3**	**112.0**	**112.3**	**112.8**	**113.1**	**114.1**	**114.9**	**115.5**	**116.1**	**116.1**	**116.8**	**117.4**
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	110.5	112.3	115.7	114.8	114.9	114.3	114.7	114.8	115.3	115.3	115.6	116.3	116.7	117.4	118.1	119.8	120.4	121.0	121.5	121.4	122.3	123.4
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	140.0	146.5	156.6	152.0	153.7	155.1	155.3	155.8	156.4	157.1	157.6	157.9	158.7	159.3	160.6	170.5	179.6	183.9	186.3	187.8	188.9	190.9
Clothing and Footwear	109.5	111.8	114.5	113.6	113.8	114.0	114.1	114.3	114.5	114.6	114.8	114.9	115.0	115.2	115.3	115.8	116.1	116.3	116.6	116.8	117.0	117.4
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and other Fuels	103.1	103.6	106.4	104.7	105.9	106.5	107.0	106.8	105.4	105.3	105.6	107.0	107.2	107.7	107.5	107.6	108.7	109.6	110.2	110.0	110.2	111.2
Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	108.2	110.2	112.7	111.6	111.8	112.2	112.4	112.4	112.5	112.9	113.0	113.2	113.3	113.4	113.7	114.0	114.5	115.2	115.5	115.7	115.9	116.6
Health	107.2	109.5	112.4	111.6	111.8	112.0	112.0	112.1	112.4	112.6	112.6	112.7	112.8	112.9	112.9	113.9	114.2	114.7	115.1	115.2	115.4	116.8
Transport	95.1	93.8	98.5	97.0	97.3	98.0	98.5	98.2	97.8	97.7	98.5	99.3	99.4	99.9	100.6	101.4	102.8	102.5	103.3	104.3	104.7	105.4
Communication	100.2	100.5	100.8	100.6	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.1	101.2
Recreation and Culture	108.1	109.1	110.4	109.5	109.7	109.8	109.8	109.9	110.2	111.0	111.0	110.9	110.9	110.9	111.0	111.1	111.2	111.3	111.4	111.5	111.7	112.0
Education	112.8	116.2	119.1	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	119.7	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	124.5	115.3
Restaurants and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	105.7	107.5	109.3	108.4	108.6	108.7	108.7	108.8	109.2	109.4	109.5	109.9	109.9	110.1	110.4	110.8	111.3	112.0	112.4	112.8	113.1	113.5
Inflation Rate																						
Headline	**0.7**	**1.3**	**2.9**	**2.5**	**3.1**	**3.1**	**3.2**	**2.9**	**2.5**	**2.4**	**2.6**	**3.0**	**3.1**	**3.0**	**2.9**	**3.4**	**3.8**	**4.3**	**4.5**	**4.6**	**5.2**	**5.7**
Core	1.0	1.6	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.6	4.3	4.5
Alternative Estimates of Core Inflation[1]																						
Trimmed Mean[2]	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.7	3.6
Weighted Median[3]	1.7	1.1	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.8	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.6	3.1	3.0
Net of Volatile Items[4]	1.2	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.5	3.7	4.0	4.0
Purchasing Power of the Peso	0.93	0.92	0.90	0.91	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.88	0.88	0.87	0.87	0.86	0.86	0.86	0.85
METRO MANILA																						
All Items	**104.4**	**105.1**	**109.0**	**106.7**	**107.8**	**108.2**	**108.6**	**108.6**	**108.2**	**108.3**	**108.7**	**110.1**	**110.3**	**110.9**	**111.2**	**111.7**	**112.9**	**113.8**	**114.3**	**113.9**	**114.5**	**115.3**
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	110.2	113.3	119.5	117.3	117.8	117.5	118.0	118.9	119.2	119.0	119.3	120.5	121.3	121.7	123.3	124.4	125.6	125.7	126.2	125.0	126.0	127.5
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	130.7	135.6	147.4	140.0	143.3	145.8	146.1	146.8	148.6	148.7	148.9	149.4	149.7	150.3	150.8	164.9	173.7	177.5	179.6	180.5	180.8	181.2
Clothing and Footwear	111.2	113.0	115.8	114.3	114.5	115.2	115.4	115.8	115.9	116.0	116.5	116.5	116.6	116.7	116.7	117.3	117.3	117.6	118.3	118.4	118.5	118.8
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and other Fuels	99.8	97.9	100.4	97.6	99.8	101.1	101.5	100.9	98.1	98.2	98.8	102.0	101.6	102.9	102.3	101.7	103.8	105.8	106.3	105.4	105.5	106.3
Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	108.8	109.8	112.2	110.7	110.9	111.7	111.9	112.2	112.3	112.5	112.5	112.8	112.8	113.1	113.2	113.2	113.6	114.7	115.3	115.5	115.8	116.0
Health	109.4	110.5	113.6	111.5	112.3	112.7	112.8	112.9	113.8	114.5	114.5	114.5	114.5	114.5	114.5	115.1	115.2	115.7	115.8	115.9	116.1	119.7
Transport	92.4	90.0	97.0	93.5	95.3	96.3	96.4	95.8	95.7	96.6	97.8	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.8	100.9	101.7	101.3	102.0	103.0	103.1	105.2
Communication	100.3	100.5	100.7	100.5	100.6	100.6	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.9	101.0	101.1	101.1	101.2	101.3
Recreation and Culture	107.0	108.3	109.8	109.2	109.2	109.3	109.5	109.5	110.0	110.0	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.2	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.6	111.0	111.0	111.1	111.2
Education	113.9	117.7	120.3	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	127.8	123.0
Restaurants and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	102.3	103.3	105.5	104.2	104.3	104.4	104.5	104.5	105.5	105.6	105.7	106.5	106.5	106.6	107.1	107.3	107.6	109.0	109.6	110.0	110.1	110.2
Inflation Rate	**-0.1**	**0.7**	**3.7**	**2.5**	**3.4**	**3.9**	**4.0**	**3.8**	**3.1**	**2.9**	**3.3**	**4.4**	**4.3**	**4.5**	**4.2**	**4.7**	**4.7**	**5.2**	**5.2**	**4.9**	**5.8**	**6.5**
Purchasing Power of the Peso	0.96	0.95	0.92	0.94	0.93	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.88	0.87	0.88	0.87	0.87
AREAS OUTSIDE METRO MANILA (AOMM)																						
All Items	**107.8**	**109.3**	**112.2**	**111.3**	**111.5**	**111.4**	**111.8**	**111.7**	**111.8**	**111.9**	**112.1**	**112.5**	**112.9**	**113.3**	**113.6**	**114.8**	**115.5**	**116.0**	**116.6**	**116.8**	**117.5**	**118.0**
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	110.6	112.1	114.9	114.3	114.3	113.7	114.0	114.0	114.5	114.5	114.8	115.4	115.8	116.5	117.0	118.9	119.4	120.0	120.5	120.7	121.5	122.6
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	141.9	148.8	158.5	154.5	155.8	157.0	157.2	157.6	158.0	158.8	159.4	159.7	160.5	161.2	162.6	171.6	180.8	185.2	187.7	189.3	190.6	192.9
Clothing and Footwear	109.0	111.5	114.2	113.4	113.6	113.7	113.8	113.9	114.1	114.3	114.4	114.5	114.6	114.8	115.0	115.4	115.8	116.0	116.2	116.4	116.6	117.0
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and other Fuels	104.6	105.9	108.9	107.7	108.5	108.7	109.3	109.2	108.4	108.3	108.5	109.1	109.5	109.7	109.7	110.0	110.7	111.2	111.8	111.9	112.2	113.2
Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	108.1	110.4	112.8	111.9	112.1	112.3	112.5	112.5	112.6	113.0	113.1	113.3	113.4	113.5	113.9	114.2	114.8	115.4	115.6	115.8	115.9	116.8
Health	106.7	109.3	112.1	111.6	111.7	111.8	111.8	111.9	112.1	112.2	112.2	112.3	112.4	112.5	112.5	113.6	114.0	114.5	114.9	115.1	115.3	116.2
Transport	95.8	95.0	98.9	98.0	97.9	98.5	99.1	98.9	98.4	98.0	98.7	99.5	99.5	100.0	100.8	101.6	103.1	102.8	103.7	104.7	105.2	105.4
Communication	100.1	100.5	100.8	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.1
Recreation and Culture	108.5	109.3	110.5	109.6	109.8	109.9	109.9	110.0	110.2	111.3	111.3	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.2	111.3	111.4	111.5	111.5	111.6	111.9	112.2
Education	112.4	115.7	118.7	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	119.2	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	123.4	112.8
Restaurants and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	107.0	109.1	110.8	110.1	110.3	110.4	110.4	110.5	110.6	110.9	111.0	111.2	111.2	111.5	111.7	112.1	112.8	113.2	113.5	113.9	114.3	114.8
Inflation Rate	**0.9**	**1.4**	**2.7**	**2.5**	**3.0**	**2.9**	**2.9**	**2.7**	**2.3**	**2.2**	**2.4**	**2.6**	**2.8**	**2.5**	**2.5**	**3.1**	**3.6**	**4.1**	**4.3**	**4.6**	**5.1**	**5.5**
Purchasing Power of the Peso	0.93	0.91	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.90	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.88	0.88	0.87	0.87	0.86	0.86	0.86	0.85	0.85

Notes:

[1]Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) estimates

[2]The trimmed mean represents the average inflation rate of the weighted.

[3]The weighted median represents the middle inflation rate (corresponding to a cumulative CPI weight of 50 percent) in a lowest-to-highest ranking of year-on-year inflation rates.

[4]The net of volatile items method excludes the following items: bread and cereals, meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, gas, solid fuels, fuels and lubricants for personal transport equipment, and passenger transport by road, which represents around 39.0 percent of all items.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)