

**Republic of the Philippines**  
**PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY**  
**Quezon City**

**Table 6 Year-on-Year Changes of the Consumer Price Index in Percent by Area, by Commodity Group, March 2015 - March 2016  
(2006 = 100)**

Table 6--Continued

AREA/COMMODITY GROUP	2 0 1 6			2 0 1 5										
	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar
<b>NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION</b>														
<b>ALL ITEMS</b>	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.7	1.5	1.9
<b>Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages</b>	2.0	1.7	1.7	2.2	2.0	2.2	0.9	0.5	0.6	1.6	0.9	2.0	3.5	3.7
<b>Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco</b>	2.4	2.2	1.7	2.2	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1
<b>Clothing and Footwear</b>	1.6	1.7	1.6	3.0	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.3
<b>Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels</b>	-3.2	-3.0	-1.9	-1.5	-0.8	-1.4	-2.6	-2.3	-2.3	-1.3	-1.4	-2.2	-0.8	-0.2
<b>Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House</b>	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.7
<b>Health</b>	1.3	1.4	1.3	3.1	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.8
<b>Transport</b>	-0.9	-1.6	1.0	1.5	4.0	2.6	1.8	1.3	0.7	0.8	1.4	1.6	1.0	1.3
<b>Communication</b>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
<b>Recreation and Culture</b>	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2
<b>Education</b>	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.7
<b>Restaurant and Miscellaneous Goods and Services</b>	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	1.1

Table 6--Concluded

AREA/COMMODITY GROUP	2 0 1 6			2 0 1 5										
	Mar	Feb	Jan	Ave	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul	Jun	May	Apr	Mar
<b>AREAS OUTSIDE NCR</b>														
<b>ALL ITEMS</b>	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.8	1.4	1.8	2.3	2.6
<b>Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages</b>	1.5	1.4	1.7	2.6	1.6	1.5	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.2	2.3	3.4	4.0	4.4
<b>Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco</b>	5.4	5.3	5.1	4.1	4.9	4.2	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.3
<b>Clothing and Footwear</b>	1.9	1.9	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.8
<b>Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels</b>	-0.7	-0.3	0.1	-1.1	-0.1	-1.1	-1.9	-2.1	-1.5	-1.1	-1.3	-1.2	-0.2	-0.2
<b>Furnishing, Household Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House</b>	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.3
<b>Health</b>	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.1
<b>Transport</b>	0.2	-0.1	1.6	-0.5	1.8	0.0	-0.4	-0.8	-1.0	-0.9	-0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.6
<b>Communication</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
<b>Recreation and Culture</b>	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
<b>Education</b>	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.8	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.2	4.9	4.9	4.9
<b>Restaurant and Miscellaneous Goods and Services</b>	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6