

Southwest Consumer Price Index Indicators

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. City Average, Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, and Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, September 2022
(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. City Average				Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington				Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land			
	Index	Percent change			Index	Percent change			Index	Percent change		
	Sep. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	Sep. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	Sep. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month
All items	296.808	8.2	0.2	0.2	278.297	9.2		0.5				
Food and beverages	310.678	10.8	0.7	1.4	314.586	13.5		2.4				
Food	313.142	11.2	0.7	1.5	309.825	14.2		2.4				
Food at home	296.771	13.0	0.6	1.3	265.951	16.8	1.3	2.4	276.710	14.8	0.8	2.7
Cereals and bakery products	339.336	16.2	0.9	1.9	305.384	12.4		2.0				
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	319.486	9.0	0.2	0.4	322.263	12.5		1.0				
Dairy and related products	268.793	15.9	0.5	1.2	231.714	19.1		-0.9				
Fruits and vegetables	348.173	10.4	1.4	1.9	230.784	21.9		8.2				
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials ⁽¹⁾	208.332	12.9	0.8	1.7	224.768	13.7		-2.0				
Other food at home	260.580	15.7	0.2	1.3	256.663	20.8		3.2				
Food away from home	337.369	8.5	0.9	1.8	374.636	11.1		2.3				
Alcoholic beverages	275.810	4.1	0.1	0.5	371.484	5.4		2.7				
Housing	306.521	8.0	0.7	1.4	276.995	10.6		1.8				
Shelter	359.704	6.6	0.7	1.3	303.312	8.6	0.7	1.8	296.226	7.4	1.0	1.9
Rent of primary residence	376.569	7.2	0.9	1.7	330.192	10.1	1.1	1.7	293.656	7.9	1.3	2.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ⁽²⁾	368.932	6.7	0.8	1.5	325.239	7.8	0.9	1.8	278.095	7.7	1.1	2.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ⁽²⁾	368.989	6.7	0.8	1.5	325.239	7.8	0.9	1.8	278.095	7.7	1.1	2.3
Fuels and utilities	311.690	16.9	0.6	1.9	345.991	23.8		2.3				
Household energy	267.114	20.8	0.6	2.1	336.048	31.3	1.2	3.0	219.758	16.2	-5.2	-1.5
Energy Services	269.667	19.8	0.8	2.6	331.715	31.6	1.2	3.1	215.683	15.8	-5.3	-1.5
Electricity	265.487	15.5	0.1	1.2	310.933	30.7	1.3	1.3	208.816	10.4	-6.1	-7.9
Utility (piped) gas service	275.894	33.1	2.6	6.7	351.560	36.1	0.9	13.1	227.870	47.7	-1.5	
Household furnishings & operations	145.912	9.3	0.6	1.1	137.351	10.4		1.5				
Apparel	130.143	5.5	2.2	4.0	117.128	4.2		4.5				
Transportation	266.109	12.6	-1.6	-4.6	258.138	13.3		-5.2				
Private transportation	264.941	12.0	-1.7	-4.5	262.579	11.8		-6.0				
New and used motor vehicles ⁽³⁾	129.572	9.9	-1.3	-1.1	136.025	9.7		-2.4				
New vehicles ⁽¹⁾	175.312	9.4	0.4	1.0	224.554	5.2		0.5				
Used cars and trucks ⁽¹⁾	203.867	7.2	-4.2	-4.6	479.284	7.9		-4.3				
Motor fuel	331.772	18.8	-5.6	-17.0	299.797	12.1	-7.7	-21.3	278.267	13.6	-10.8	-23.7
Gasoline (all types)	328.918	18.2	-5.6	-17.1	295.585	11.2	-8.0	-21.6	275.698	12.5	-11.1	-24.2
Motor vehicle insurance ⁽¹⁾	624.558	10.3	1.5	2.5								
Medical care	556.323	6.0	0.5	1.2	505.119	6.2		1.1				
Recreation ⁽³⁾	131.581	4.1	0.1	0.4	124.766	-0.1		1.3				
Education and communication ⁽³⁾	144.089	0.2	0.3	0.7	131.754	-3.2		0.1				
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare ⁽¹⁾	822.056	3.0	0.8	1.9	1324.873	2.5		2.1				
Other goods and services	512.565	6.9	0.3	1.1	483.670	3.6						
SPECIAL INDEXES (CPI-U)												
Energy	297.343	19.8	-2.6	-8.6	319.720	21.7	-3.1	-9.8	246.313	15.0	-8.1	-13.8
All items less shelter	275.381	9.0	0.0	-0.4	267.470	9.5		-0.3				
All items less food and energy	298.442	6.6	0.4	0.9	275.468	7.2		1.5				
All items (1967 = 100)	889.104				873.002							
CPI FOR URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)												
All items	291.854	8.5	0.1	-0.1	287.694	9.5		0.2				
All items (1967 = 100)	869.344				887.154							

(1) Dallas indexes on a February 1978=100 base. Houston indexes on an April 1978=100 base.

(2) Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

(3) Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

Note: The CPI measures changes in prices of all goods and services purchased for consumption by urban households. The indexes for food at home, energy, and shelter are compiled monthly for the Dallas and Houston areas. Full surveys, which produce the All Items Indexes and major components, are compiled every two months. These full surveys are published for the odd-numbered months for Dallas and for the even-numbered months for Houston.