

Mid-Atlantic Regional Office CPI Announcement

Table 1. Consumer Price Indexes, U.S. city average and selected areas, January 2024 (1982=100, unless otherwise noted) (not seasonally adjusted)

Item	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)											Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)												
	U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington		Washington-Arlington-Alexandria (1)		Baltimore-Columbia-Towson (1)		Northeast region		South region	U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington		Washington-Arlington-Alexandria (1)		Baltimore-Columbia-Towson (1)		Northeast region		South region		
	Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from	Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		
	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023
All items	308.417	3.1	-	-	309.961	3.6	-	-	318.133	2.5	300.421	3.4	302.201	2.9	-	-	305.371	3.0	-	-	315.809	2.6	295.245	3.3
All items (1967 = 100) (2)	923.881	-	-	-	915.092	-	-	-	900.963	-	487.325	-	900.166	-	-	-	914.551	-	-	-	493.276	-	478.183	-
Food and beverages	324.782	2.6	-	-	305.996	1.9	-	-	327.728	2.4	318.939	2.4	324.522	2.7	-	-	306.441	1.7	-	-	326.595	2.4	318.461	2.6
Food	327.327	2.6	-	-	315.228	2.0	-	-	330.070	2.4	322.783	2.5	326.118	2.7	-	-	312.733	1.7	-	-	328.383	2.4	321.051	2.6
Food at home	305.037	1.2	307.361	2.4	293.032	0.3	289.836	0.9	309.247	1.1	301.893	0.9	304.676	1.2	315.926	2.1	289.428	-0.1	292.179	-0.1	308.612	0.9	300.077	1.0
Cereals and bakery products	354.532	1.5	407.432	-0.5	382.719	-1.6	352.112	-0.7	387.418	2.7	362.382	1.0	356.541	1.5	415.657	-1.6	359.957	-0.3	340.861	-0.4	385.900	2.4	362.678	1.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	319.752	-0.9	338.615	-2.6	309.491	-4.9	295.017	-3.7	311.662	-0.7	312.900	-1.8	320.687	-0.6	345.996	-1.6	303.501	-4.7	309.003	-2.6	310.912	-1.1	311.373	-1.4
Dairy and related products	268.941	-1.1	239.013	0.7	292.009	-1.2	276.558	4.4	280.637	-0.4	269.656	-0.9	267.141	-0.9	240.453	0.4	285.222	-2.2	257.836	4.7	280.392	-0.1	265.304	-0.7
Fruits and vegetables	354.798	1.1	322.207	7.2	306.901	2.7	322.699	2.4	363.066	1.2	333.905	0.5	350.877	0.9	306.768	5.5	313.519	2.6	331.569	0.7	362.975	1.0	330.986	0.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials (3)	220.573	3.4	210.230	10.1	262.073	3.2	225.879	2.4	220.846	3.3	216.373	3.0	220.450	3.2	215.730	6.3	276.537	3.9	229.745	3.0	220.773	2.5	215.097	3.2
Other food at home	271.600	2.6	288.436	0.8	246.399	3.5	265.226	3.2	278.172	1.0	271.317	2.8	271.217	2.7	296.001	1.0	243.029	4.2	247.780	1.0	279.726	1.2	269.881	2.9
Food away from home	363.249	5.1	-	-	346.199	4.7	-	-	366.928	5.1	358.053	5.3	364.375	5.3	-	-	345.899	4.4	-	-	368.661	5.4	357.288	5.2
Alcoholic beverages	288.758	2.3	-	-	219.942	1.1	-	-	295.446	3.1	265.407	1.5	295.833	2.5	-	-	229.125	1.4	-	-	295.531	3.4	275.574	1.6
Housing	328.222	4.6	-	-	324.023	4.4	-	-	345.324	3.9	308.134	5.4	324.634	4.5	-	-	321.308	3.1	-	-	345.122	3.9	309.297	5.4
Shelter	391.896	6.0	407.205	7.0	386.317	5.2	365.584	4.9	424.528	6.2	359.429	6.7	384.262	6.1	414.310	6.9	384.150	4.4	379.966	4.9	419.960	6.2	361.752	6.7
Rent of primary residence	412.019	6.1	381.974	6.7	415.673	2.9	425.587	6.8	426.573	5.7	385.215	7.1	410.041	6.2	381.974	6.7	415.673	2.9	425.587	6.8	420.936	5.8	382.986	7.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences (4)	402.965	6.2	418.055	6.8	399.138	6.1	385.877	4.9	439.046	6.2	361.901	6.8	363.711	6.2	371.784	6.8	363.773	6.1	350.027	4.9	386.091	6.1	336.463	6.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (4)	403.025	6.2	418.055	6.8	399.138	6.1	385.877	4.9	438.611	6.2	361.882	6.8	363.731	6.2	371.784	6.8	363.773	6.1	350.027	4.9	386.132	6.1	336.434	6.7
Fuels and utilities	313.469	-0.7	-	-	282.437	(r) -1.8	-	-	299.492	-6.2	299.781	1.6	311.049	-0.6	-	-	286.389	(r) -2.5	-	-	300.199	-5.5	300.360	1.8
Household energy	263.599	-2.4	221.815	-5.2	221.222	(r) -3.9	279.008	3.5	268.337	-7.8	244.578	0.4	261.264	-2.3	219.769	-6.0	225.040	(r) -3.5	267.512	4.2	268.996	-7.1	243.055	0.8
Energy services	267.475	-2.0	231.177	-4.7	226.100	(r) -3.3	299.622	4.6	262.967	-7.0	244.481	0.6	265.809	-1.9	231.297	-5.6	232.205	(r) -2.7	296.818	4.4	263.742	-6.4	244.565	0.9
Electricity	276.698	3.8	235.150	1.6	250.127	(r) 2.8	281.623	7.2	274.352	-2.2	240.057	2.5	273.385	4.2	235.149	1.6	250.127	(r) 2.8	281.621	7.2	276.090	-0.5	237.021	2.2
Utility (piped) gas service	234.515	-17.8	204.065	-18.4	163.484	-19.3	243.100	-13.8	222.316	-16.5	253.767	-10.1	231.817	-20.6	204.061	-18.4	163.485	-19.3	243.100	-13.8	221.578	-17.5	262.712	-8.8
Household furnishings and operations	147.673	0.2	-	-	132.114	3.2	-	-	143.500	-0.8	148.074	0.4	140.933	-0.5	-	-	114.499	0.8	-	-	139.857	-0.1	138.503	0.6
Apparel	127.946	0.1	-	-	157.929	-0.5	-	-	130.013	-2.1	136.842	0.8	127.790	0.5	-	-	167.182	-0.3	-	-	132.635	0.9	135.122	0.2
Transportation	262.110	1.6	-	-	265.530	3.4	-	-	256.583	2.7	264.909	2.0	265.665	1.8	-	-	286.035	2.6	-	-	261.576	3.1	263.694	2.0
Private transportation	261.899	1.9	-	-	277.586	3.6	-	-	255.959	3.1	267.626	2.3	264.969	2.0	-	-	285.677	2.7	-	-	259.255	3.2	264.843	2.3
New and used motor vehicles (5)	124.005	-1.1	-	-	126.032	1.7	-	-	123.947	0.4	126.067	-1.3	123.148	-1.6	-	-	125.662	0.8	-	-	122.126	-0.2	122.014	-1.8
New vehicles (3)	178.595	0.7	-	-	229.099	0.0	-	-	174.821	1.5	186.403	0.6	178.598	0.5	-	-	228.618	0.0	-	-	172.189	1.2	183.622	0.6
Used cars and trucks (3)	179.410	-3.5	-	-	389.743	-3.3	-	-	190.773	-2.8	179.336	-3.7	180.639	-3.5	-	-	389.868	-3.3	-	-	190.676	-2.9	180.759	-3.7
Motor fuel	277.709	-6.6	298.761	-7.0	295.940	-7.3	274.081	-8.2	275.692	-5.6	257.049	-8.2	278.519	-6.6	299.498	-7.0	293.012	-7.6	277.352	-8.1	275.221	-5.9	255.606	-8.3
Gasoline	276.003	-6.4	294.871	-7.0	291.629	-7.2	267.206	-8.1	274.708	-5.4	255.170	-7.9	277.077	-6.4	294.871	-7.0	291.630	-7.2	267.219	-8.1	274.649	-5.4	254.238	-8.1
Motor vehicle insurance (3)	794.142	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	805.419	21.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical care	557.215	1.1	-	-	534.928	5.8	-	-	561.852	-2.6	528.189	1.3	564.688	0.7	-	-	572.848	10.1	-	-	551.924	-4.5	544.120	1.2
Recreation (5)	137.800	2.8	-	-	128.950	2.3	-	-	140.023	1.5	138.484	3.1	130.265	2.2	-	-	120.248	2.5	-	-	141.814	2.6	130.721	2.4
Education and communication (5)	145.370	0.0	-	-	166.418	1.8	-	-	155.018	0.2	140.243	0.0	130.315	-0.8	-	-	134.073	1.2	-	-	138.932	-0.8	121.971	-1.1
Tuition, other school fees, and child care (3)	848.728	2.7	-	-	1669.910	5.3	-	-	1409.045	2.2	1500.530	3.7	812.535	2.8	-	-	1563.428	4.3	-	-	1401.852	2.3	1365.130	3.9
Other goods and services	551.140	5.7	-	-	522.206	6.6	-	-	602.977	6.0	523.131	3.8	606.205	5.2	-	-	558.137	6.9	-	-	699.617	5.7	569.444	3.4
Energy	270.420	-4.6	252.039	-6.1	260.849	(r) -5.5	286.457	-2.0	272.000	-7.3	245.378	-3.8	268.375	-4.6	247.840	-6.7	264.908	(r) -6.0	273.563	-2.7	271.122	-6.8	243.101	-4.1

Footnotes:

- (1) 1998-2017 indexes based on a substantially smaller sample.
- (2) For the Northeast and the South, Dec. 1977=100
- (3) For Washington, Nov. 1977=100. For Baltimore, March 1978=100. For Philadelphia, December 1977=100.
- (4) For the U.S., Philadelphia, Northeast, & South, Dec. 1982=100. For Washington & Baltimore, Nov. 1982=100
- (5) December 1997=100
- (r) Revised

Area definitions:

The **Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD, CBSA** includes Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania; Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, and Salem Counties in New Jersey; New Castle County in Delaware; and Cecil County in Maryland.

The **Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-MD-VA-WV, CBSA** includes the District of Columbia; Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, Prince George's Counties in Maryland; Arlington, Clarke, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, Loudoun, Prince William, Rappahannock, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Warren Counties, and Alexandria, Fairfax, Falls Church, Fredericksburg, Manassas, and Manassas Park Cities in Virginia; and Jefferson County in West Virginia.

The **Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD, CBSA** includes Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Baltimore City, Carroll, Harford, Howard, Queen Anne's Counties in Maryland.

The **Northeast region** includes the states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

The **South region** includes the District of Columbia and the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

February indexes are scheduled for release at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 12, 2024

Table 2. Consumer Price Index and percent change, all items, U.S. city average and selected areas 1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)					Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)				
	Index		Percent change to Jan 2024 from--			Index		Percent change to Jan 2024 from--		
	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Jan 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023
U.S. city average	306.746	308.417	3.1	0.4	0.5	300.728	302.201	2.9	0.3	0.5
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI	283.760	286.022	3.3	0.8	0.8	274.995	277.524	3.5	0.9	0.9
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA	323.456	326.640	2.5	1.0	1.0	311.427	313.743	2.0	0.7	0.7
New York-Newark-New Jersey, NY-NJ-PA	324.691	328.006	3.1	1.1	1.0	319.627	322.823	3.4	1.0	1.0
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH	-	330.746	2.0	0.7	-	-	332.708	2.7	0.5	-
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	-	296.121	5.3	0.9	-	-	306.020	5.5	0.8	-
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	-	323.278	3.5	-0.1	-	-	315.492	3.2	-0.1	-
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	-	296.135	2.6	0.2	-	-	291.537	2.3	0.0	-
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA (1)	-	131.358	2.9	0.0	-	-	131.840	3.1	-0.1	-
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	-	367.917	3.8	0.4	-	-	348.486	3.6	0.2	-
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL (2)	-	296.477	3.9	0.5	-	-	292.431	3.8	0.3	-
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV (3)	-	309.961	3.6	0.5	-	-	305.371	3.0	0.5	-
Urban Hawaii	-	333.172	3.9	0.5	-	-	332.335	3.8	0.5	-
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	305.978	-	-	-	-	299.257	-	-	-	-
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD (3)	306.379	-	-	-	-	301.121	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI	283.757	-	-	-	-	278.596	-	-	-	-
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	270.133	-	-	-	-	265.718	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL	340.459	-	-	-	-	335.138	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD	306.386	-	-	-	-	307.441	-	-	-	-
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ (4)	179.733	-	-	-	-	179.593	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA	339.915	-	-	-	-	335.597	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	344.982	-	-	-	-	338.852	-	-	-	-
St. Louis, MO-IL	276.991	-	-	-	-	275.066	-	-	-	-
Urban Alaska	261.178	-	-	-	-	258.598	-	-	-	-

(1) December 2017=100.

(2) 1987=100.

(3) 1998-2017 indexes based on a substantially smaller sample.

(4) December 2001=100.

(r) Revised

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Note to CPI users:

This announcement details Consumer Price Indexes for two population groups: All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W). Both indexes reflect 1982-84 spending patterns. Monthly percent changes are shown for the U.S. and five large areas; bimonthly data are presented for the remaining areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the levels of prices among cities; they only measure the average change in prices for each area since the base period.

Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI program. Because each local index is a small subset of the national index, it has a smaller sample size and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than the national index. As a result, area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are quite similar. Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in escalator clauses.

This announcement is primarily intended for those users requiring the current indexes on a regular basis. More detailed information may be obtained by writing this office, calling (215) 597-3282, or faxing (215) 861-5720.

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