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Midwest CPI Summary

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Consumer Price Index
United States City Average
December 2009 and 2009 Annual Average

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Index Dec. 2009	Percent change to Dec. 2009 from		Index Annual Average 2009	Percent Change 2008 to 2009
		Dec. 2008	Nov. 2009		
All Urban Consumers		CPI-U		CPI-U	
All Items	215.949	2.7	-0.2	214.537	-0.4
All items (1967=100).....	646.887	-	-	642.658	-
Food and beverages	218.049	-4	.1	218.249	1.9
Food	217.637	-5	.2	217.955	1.8
Food at home	213.359	-2.4	.3	215.124	.5
Food away from home	224.789	1.9	.1	223.272	3.5
Alcoholic beverages	222.082	1.9	-2	220.751	2.9
Housing	215.523	-3	-1	217.057	.4
Shelter	247.863	.3	-1	249.354	1.1
Rent of primary residence (1).....	248.999	.7	.0	248.812	2.3
Owners'equiv. rent (1,2).....	256.727	.7	.0	256.610	1.7
Fuels and utilities	208.760	-3.0	-1	210.696	-4.2
Household energy	184.886	-4.9	-2	188.113	-6.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (1).....	188.724	-5.4	-2	193.563	-4.3
Electricity (1).....	187.388	-5	-2	192.712	3.0
Utility (piped) gas service (1).....	190.497	-18.1	-4	193.717	-21.8
Furnishings and operations	127.119	-1.1	-1	128.701	.7
Apparel	119.357	1.9	-2.5	120.078	1.0
Transportation	188.318	14.4	-1	179.252	-8.3
Private transportation	183.766	15.3	-2	174.762	-8.5
Motor fuel	224.730	50.7	-1.5	201.978	-27.8
Gasoline (all types)	224.260	53.5	-1.5	201.555	-27.4
Unleaded regular (3).....	223.353	55.2	-1.6	200.479	-27.8
Unleaded midgrade (3,4).....	230.558	50.9	-1.3	207.588	-26.7
Unleaded premium (3).....	218.751	47.5	-1.2	197.659	-25.8
Medical care	379.516	3.4	.0	375.613	3.2
Recreation (5)	113.212	-4	-5	114.272	.9
Education and communication (5)	128.883	2.4	.0	127.393	3.0
Other goods and services	377.330	8.0	.2	368.586	6.7
Commodity and service group:					
Commodities.....	172.572	5.5	-3	169.698	-2.9
Commodities less food & bev	148.441	9.4	-5	144.395	-5.6
Nondurables less food & bev	185.689	14.8	-1.1	178.959	-8.8
Durables	111.477	2.5	.3	109.859	-.9
Services.....	259.055	.9	-1	259.154	1.4
Special Indexes:					
All items less medical care	207.860	2.7	-2	206.555	-.6
All items less shelter	205.888	3.9	-2	203.301	-1.0
Energy	202.301	18.2	-8	193.126	-18.4
All items less energy.....	219.048	1.4	-1	218.433	1.7
All items less food and energy.....	220.025	1.8	-2	219.235	1.7
Commodities less food.....	151.052	9.0	-5	147.071	-5.3
Nondurables.....	202.064	6.6	-5	198.548	-3.6
Nondurables less food.....	187.864	13.8	-1.0	181.453	-8.0
Services less rent of shelter (2)	279.896	1.6	.0	278.064	1.9
Services less medical care serv	247.793	.7	-1	248.122	1.3
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers		CPI-W		CPI-W	
All items	211.703	3.4	-0.1	209.630	-0.7
All items (1967=100)	630.600	-	-	624.423	-

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Consumer Price Index
Midwest Region
December 2009 and 2009 Annual Average

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Index Dec. 2009	Percent change to Dec. 2009 from		Index Annual Average 2009	Percent Change 2008 to 2009
		Dec. 2008	Nov. 2009		
All Urban Consumers		CPI-U		CPI-U	
All Items	205.613	3.0	-0.3	204.064	-0.6
All items (1967=100).....	334.543	-	-	332.024	-
Food and beverages	212.161	.2	.3	211.993	2.3
Food	211.427	-1	.3	211.451	2.2
Food at home	204.500	-1.6	.4	205.710	.9
Food away from home	221.879	1.9	.1	220.286	3.7
Alcoholic beverages	220.276	3.0	.1	217.869	3.5
Housing	195.454	-1	-3	196.504	-4
Shelter	226.116	1.2	-3	226.459	.8
Rent of primary residence (1).....	221.133	1.5	.1	219.772	2.1
Owners'equiv. rent (1,2).....	231.593	1.9	.0	229.981	1.5
Fuels and utilities	192.624	-5.1	-4	195.505	-7.9
Household energy	167.077	-7.2	-5	170.760	-10.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (1).....	172.725	-7.3	-5	177.209	-9.4
Electricity (1).....	166.210	3.0	-2	171.068	5.1
Utility (piped) gas service (1).....	177.844	-22.0	-1.3	181.370	-28.2
Furnishings and operations	120.522	-2.0	.0	122.766	.8
Apparel	111.503	1.6	-3.0	112.080	.7
Transportation	188.417	14.8	-6	179.856	-8.7
Private transportation	183.050	15.5	-7	174.709	-9.0
Motor fuel	227.710	52.5	-2.6	206.572	-27.6
Gasoline (all types)	227.354	55.6	-2.6	206.449	-27.2
Unleaded regular (3).....	225.927	56.9	-2.8	204.923	-27.5
Unleaded midgrade (3,4).....	250.089	54.0	-2.1	226.891	-26.7
Unleaded premium (3).....	223.958	48.5	-2.5	205.588	-25.9
Medical care	378.941	3.6	.0	374.946	3.5
Recreation (5)	114.563	-3	-7	115.707	.9
Education and communication (5)	130.636	2.4	.1	128.872	2.7
Other goods and services	364.830	8.7	.3	356.168	6.6
Commodity and service group:					
Commodities.....	168.493	5.5	-4	166.025	-2.6
Commodities less food & bev	146.278	9.2	-8	142.872	-5.5
Nondurables less food & bev	183.699	15.3	-1.5	177.449	-8.2
Durables	108.667	1.0	.3	107.911	-1.3
Services.....	244.363	1.3	-2	243.788	.8
Special Indexes:					
All items less medical care	197.285	3.0	-3	195.846	-1.0
All items less shelter	200.346	3.8	-3	198.087	-1.2
Energy	193.179	16.9	-1.6	185.759	-19.8
All items less energy.....	209.211	1.8	-2	208.286	1.7
All items less food and energy.....	209.430	2.2	-3	208.319	1.6
Commodities less food.....	148.788	8.9	-8	145.413	-5.1
Nondurables.....	198.047	7.1	-6	194.653	-3.1
Nondurables less food.....	185.814	14.3	-1.4	179.828	-7.3
Services less rent of shelter (2)	271.533	1.4	-2	269.758	.9
Services less medical care serv	232.102	1.0	-3	231.729	.6
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers		CPI-W		CPI-W	
All items	200.999	3.6	-0.3	198.953	-0.9
All items (1967=100)	325.061	-	-	321.752	-

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Consumer Price Index
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI
December 2009 and 2009 Annual Average

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Index Dec. 2009	Percent change to Dec. 2009 from		Index Annual Average 2009	Percent Change 2008 to 2009
		Dec. 2008	Nov. 2009		
All Urban Consumers	CPI-U			CPI-U	
All Items	211.185	2.5	-0.5	209.995	-1.2
All items (1967=100).....	630.934	-	-	627.378	-
Food and beverages	216.302	1.6	.7	215.308	2.3
Food	214.891	1.5	.8	214.092	2.2
Food at home	216.248	.0	1.4	216.046	.4
Food away from home	207.238	3.1	.1	205.800	4.4
Alcoholic beverages	233.428	2.8	-.1	230.553	2.9
Housing	212.903	-1.2	-5	213.939	-2.2
Shelter	261.088	.9	-4	261.335	-.1
Rent of primary residence (1).....	269.831	1.0	-.1	268.806	1.7
Owners'equiv. rent (1,2).....	267.873	2.3	.0	265.463	1.2
Fuels and utilities	167.456	-13.3	-2.1	171.087	-15.9
Household energy.....	147.632	-16.9	-2.5	151.763	-19.8
Gas (piped) and electricity (1).....	150.519	-17.1	-2.5	154.884	-19.7
Electricity (1).....	136.285	-7.2	-3.0	142.605	2.1
Utility (piped) gas service (1).....	157.979	-28.1	-1.8	158.628	-39.1
Furnishings and operations	106.177	-2.2	.0	107.862	-.4
Apparel	91.752	3.4	-3.6	93.711	2.5
Transportation	176.467	15.0	-1.2	169.647	-9.4
Private transportation	173.136	15.9	-1.2	166.421	-9.7
Motor fuel	233.025	53.6	-3.5	213.974	-28.0
Gasoline (all types)	231.349	54.5	-3.6	212.550	-27.9
Unleaded regular (3).....	227.648	55.6	-3.7	209.097	-28.3
Unleaded midgrade (3,4).....	242.371	52.9	-3.2	222.338	-27.3
Unleaded premium (3).....	221.964	50.3	-3.5	204.643	-26.5
Medical care	394.483	5.9	-.1	385.047	5.7
Recreation (5)	111.590	.6	-1.1	112.052	.0
Education and communication (5)	136.609	1.0	-.1	136.249	3.1
Other goods and services	352.524	6.1	.7	346.993	4.8
Commodity and service group:					
Commodities.....	163.544	5.7	-5	161.826	-2.4
Commodities less food & bev	135.052	8.9	-1.3	133.052	-5.6
Nondurables less food & bev	171.802	14.2	-2.2	168.486	-7.4
Durables	99.334	1.3	.2	98.581	-2.5
Services.....	256.242	.5	-5	255.645	-.4
Special Indexes:					
All items less medical care	203.204	2.3	-5	202.320	-1.6
All items less shelter	194.583	3.3	-5	192.880	-1.7
Energy	179.567	9.4	-3.1	174.264	-24.1
All items less energy.....	215.803	2.0	-.3	215.020	1.3
All items less food and energy.....	216.727	2.1	-5	215.945	1.1
Commodities less food.....	138.946	8.5	-1.2	136.912	-5.0
Nondurables.....	195.273	7.0	-7	193.059	-2.3
Nondurables less food.....	176.297	12.9	-2.0	173.026	-6.4
Services less rent of shelter (2)	264.285	.1	-6	262.622	-.7
Services less medical care serv	245.714	.0	-5	245.755	-1.0
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers	CPI-W			CPI-W	
All items	204.196	2.9	-0.5	202.756	-1.4
All items (1967=100)	599.695	-	-	595.465	-

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Consumer Price Index
 Detroit- Ann Arbor-Flint, MI
 December 2009 and 2009 Annual Average

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		Dec. 2008	Oct. 2009		
All Urban Consumers		CPI-U		CPI-U	
All Items	203.880	3.0	-0.6	203.496	-0.6
All items (1967=100).....	606.017	-	-	604.875	-
Food and beverages	198.371	.0	.3	198.862	2.1
Food	198.596	.0	.5	198.820	2.1
Food at home	193.053	-1.2	1.0	194.074	1.3
Food away from home	206.841	1.5	-1	206.062	3.5
Alcoholic beverages	189.322	-2	-2.6	193.138	1.8
Housing	189.325	-2	-4	190.874	-8
Shelter	208.970	-8	-4	212.069	-1.3
Rent of primary residence (1).....	204.518	-1	.2	206.363	.9
Owners'equiv. rent (1,2).....	210.592	-9	.1	212.861	-9
Fuels and utilities	236.298	4.5	.0	229.276	.4
Household energy	197.392	3.9	.1	191.671	-2
Gas (piped) and electricity (1).....	200.439	4.5	.0	194.408	.4
Electricity (1).....	182.581	9.2	-2.2	178.042	12.0
Utility (piped) gas service (1).....	213.656	-6	2.8	205.909	-10.6
Furnishings and operations	120.830	-1.6	-1.1	122.995	1.4
Apparel	107.993	5.3	-5.9	109.560	-1.0
Transportation	215.545	17.4	.7	205.786	-4.7
Private transportation	213.382	18.0	.8	203.683	-5.0
Motor fuel	225.334	52.7	2.7	205.904	-26.9
Gasoline (all types)	224.744	55.4	2.6	205.697	-26.4
Unleaded regular (3).....	231.079	57.3	2.9	210.599	-26.9
Unleaded midgrade (3,4).....	250.798	52.1	1.1	231.721	-25.3
Unleaded premium (3).....	209.750	45.2	1.7	196.920	-24.9
Medical care	351.584	-1	.1	352.939	.5
Recreation (5)	107.059	-9.3	-6.9	116.353	-1.4
Education and communication (5)	135.421	2.1	.0	133.523	2.1
Other goods and services	380.580	8.3	-1	371.979	6.0
Commodity and service group:					
Commodities.....	164.021	6.3	-1	162.001	-2.8
Commodities less food & bev	145.555	10.9	-3	142.322	-5.9
Nondurables less food & bev	173.359	16.6	-5	168.288	-8.8
Durables	113.037	2.3	-1	111.888	-5
Services.....	245.794	.9	-9	247.076	.9
Special Indexes:					
All items less medical care	197.973	3.2	-6	197.536	-7
All items less shelter	204.891	4.7	-7	203.119	-3
Energy	211.499	23.8	1.4	199.276	-15.3
All items less energy.....	205.575	1.0	-8	206.461	1.2
All items less food and energy.....	207.580	1.3	-1.1	208.608	1.0
Commodities less food.....	147.340	10.4	-4	144.348	-5.6
Nondurables.....	186.034	7.4	-1	183.628	-3.4
Nondurables less food.....	174.430	15.3	-6	169.926	-8.1
Services less rent of shelter (2)	297.758	2.8	-1.4	296.395	3.4
Services less medical care serv	237.715	.9	-1.0	239.036	1.0
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers		CPI-W		CPI-W	
All items	199.614	3.5	-0.4	198.634	-0.8
All items (1967=100)	587.902	-	-	585.016	-

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