

# CPI Detailed Report

## Data for September 2010

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## Scheduled Release Dates

Consumer Price Index data are scheduled for initial release on the following dates:

<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>
October	November 17
November	December 15
December	January 14

## CONSUMER PRICE MOVEMENTS SEPTEMBER 2010

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.1 percent in September on a seasonally adjusted basis, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 1.1 percent before seasonal adjustment.

Increases in food indexes and another rise in the gasoline index contributed to the all items seasonally adjusted increase this month. Four of the six major grocery store food group indexes increased in September as the food index posted its largest increase since October 2008. The gasoline index rose again in September, leading to a third consecutive increase in the energy index despite a decline in the index for household energy.

The index for all items less food and energy was unchanged in September, as it was in August. The shelter index was unchanged for the second month in a row. The indexes for apparel, household furnishing and operations, recreation, and used cars and trucks all declined in September, offsetting a sharp increase in the index for medical care and a slight increase in the index for new vehicles.

Over the last 12 months, the index for all items less food and energy rose 0.8 percent, the lowest 12-month increase since March 1961, with the shelter component down 0.4 percent. The food index rose 1.4 percent, with both the food at home index and food away from home index rising the same 1.4 percent. The energy index rose 3.8 percent over the last year, with gasoline up 5.1 percent.

Table A. Percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average

	Seasonally adjusted changes from preceding month							Un- adjusted 12-mos. ended Sep. 2010
	Mar. 2010	Apr. 2010	May 2010	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	
All items .....	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	1.1
Food .....	.2	.2	.0	.0	-.1	.2	.3	1.4
Food at home .....	.5	.2	.0	-.1	-.1	.0	.3	1.4
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.0	.1	.1	.1	.0	.3	.3	1.4
Energy .....	.0	-1.4	-2.9	-2.9	2.6	2.3	.7	3.8
Energy commodities .....	-1.0	-2.1	-4.8	-4.1	4.0	3.8	1.8	5.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	-.8	-2.4	-5.2	-4.5	4.6	3.9	1.6	5.1
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	.7	2.3	-1.4	-3.2	-1.6	.9	.8	11.8
Energy services .....	1.4	-.5	-.5	-1.6	.8	.4	-.8	1.5
Electricity .....	2.1	.7	-.4	-2.2	.5	.2	-.3	1.1
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-.7	-4.4	-1.0	.6	1.7	1.1	-2.3	3.0
All items less food and energy .....	.0	.0	.1	.2	.1	.0	.0	.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-.1	-.3	.1	.2	.2	.1	-.2	.8
New vehicles .....	.1	.0	.1	.1	.1	.3	.1	2.1
Used cars and trucks .....	.5	.2	.6	.9	.8	.7	-.7	12.9
Apparel .....	-.4	-.7	.2	.8	.6	-.1	-.6	-1.2
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	.4	.2	.1	.0	-.2	.2	.3	2.6
Services less energy services .....	.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	.0	.1	.8
Shelter .....	-.1	.0	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0	-.4
Transportation services .....	.4	.4	.4	.0	.0	.1	.3	3.0
Medical care services .....	.3	.3	.0	.4	.0	.2	.8	3.7

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

## Consumer Price Index Data for September 2010

### Food

The food index rose 0.3 percent in September after a 0.2 percent increase in August. Both the food away from home and the food at home index increased 0.3 percent. Within the latter group, four of the six major grocery store food groups posted increases, with the other two unchanged. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose the most, increasing 0.9 percent after declining in August. Within that group, the eggs index rose 7.2 percent. The index for cereals and bakery products rose 0.8 percent in September after a 0.1 percent increase in August. The indexes for dairy and related products and for fruits and vegetables posted slight increases in September, while the indexes for nonalcoholic beverages and for other food at home were unchanged. Over the past year, the indexes for cereals and bakery products and for nonalcoholic beverages have declined, while the indexes for the other four groups have increased.

### Energy

The energy index rose 0.7 percent in September after a 2.3 percent increase in August. Following a 3.9 percent increase in August, the gasoline index rose 1.6 percent in September. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices fell 1.4 percent in September.) In contrast, the household energy index declined in September, falling 0.6 percent, primarily due to a 2.3 percent decrease in the index for natural gas. The electricity index also declined, falling 0.3 percent, while the fuel oil index rose 0.8 percent. The indexes of all the major energy components have risen over the last 12 months.

### All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy was unchanged in September, as it was in August. The shelter index was unchanged for the second month in a row. The rent index rose 0.1 percent while the index for owners' equivalent rent was unchanged and the index for lodging away from home fell 0.2 percent. The medical care index rose sharply in September, increasing 0.6 percent. The index for medical care commodities rose 0.3 percent while the index for medical care services increased 0.8 percent with the hospital services index rising 1.8 percent. The index for new vehicles posted a slight increase in September, rising 0.1 percent, while the index for airline fares increased 0.2 percent. Offsetting these increases was a downturn in the index for used cars and trucks and continuing declines in several indexes. The used cars and trucks index fell 0.7 percent in September, its first decline since April 2009. The apparel index decreased 0.6 percent following a 0.1 percent decline last month. The index for household furnishings and operations fell 0.4 percent in September and has now declined in three of the last four months. The recreation index decreased 0.3 percent in September, its third consecutive decline.

The index for all items less food and energy increased 0.8 percent over the last 12 months. The index for education has increased 4.0 percent with the index for college tuition and fees up 4.4 percent. The index for used cars and trucks has risen 12.9 percent over the past year, with the indexes for new vehicles index up 2.1 percent and for airline fares up 6.1 percent. The medical care index has increased 3.4 percent. In contrast to these increases, the index for shelter has fallen 0.4 percent and the indexes for apparel, recreation, household furnishings and operations, and communication have also declined.

### Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 1.1 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 218.439 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index rose 0.1 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

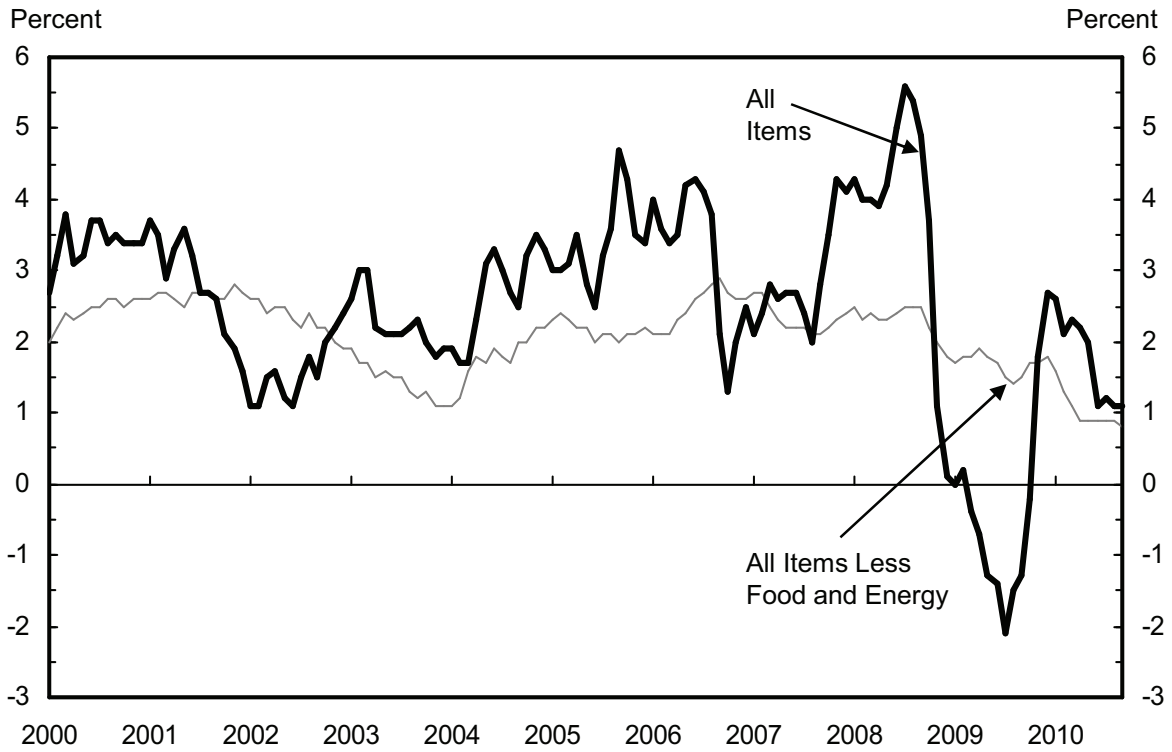
The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 1.4 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 214.306 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index was unchanged prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 0.9 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index rose 0.1 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the post-2008 period are subject to revision.

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**The Consumer Price Index for October 2010 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, November 17, 2010, at 8:30 a.m. (EST).**

### CPI-U 12-Month Changes, 2000 to Present



**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	218.312	218.439	1.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1
All items (1967=100) .....	-	653.966	654.346	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.795	219.877	220.586	1.4	.3	.0	.1	.3
Food .....	13.738	219.491	220.216	1.4	.3	-.1	.2	.3
Food at home .....	7.801	215.382	216.161	1.4	.4	-.1	.0	.3
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.108	249.736	250.085	-.5	.1	-.3	.1	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.745	208.854	211.280	4.7	1.2	.3	-.3	.9
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.820	198.712	199.042	2.9	.2	.5	-.1	.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.153	265.914	268.832	.5	1.1	-1.9	.4	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.952	161.764	161.771	-.7	.0	.6	-.1	.0
Other food at home .....	2.023	192.026	191.289	.4	-.4	.2	.2	.0
Sugar and sweets .....	.295	200.335	202.469	2.8	1.1	.6	-.1	1.1
Fats and oils .....	.232	201.764	201.971	1.0	.1	.0	.7	.1
Other foods .....	1.496	205.857	204.322	-.2	-.7	.1	.2	-.2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.439	121.787	122.106	.0	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.937	226.422	227.075	1.4	.3	.0	.3	.3
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.326	159.517	160.072	1.8	.3	.0	.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.056	223.536	224.043	1.2	.2	.5	.0	.2
Housing .....	41.960	216.976	216.602	-.3	-.2	.1	.0	-.1
Shelter .....	32.289	248.595	248.522	-.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	5.966	249.024	249.368	.2	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.769	139.999	135.800	1.6	-3.0	.2	-1.3	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	25.206	256.509	256.590	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	23.593	256.503	256.584	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.347	126.463	126.627	3.6	.1	.5	.5	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.081	219.602	217.695	2.9	-.9	.6	.4	-.4
Household energy .....	4.028	194.865	192.635	2.2	-1.1	.6	.5	-.6
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.276	263.196	265.812	12.3	1.0	-1.6	.7	1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.752	199.632	197.049	1.5	-1.3	.8	.4	-.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.052	172.491	172.833	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.590	125.005	124.535	-2.9	-.4	-.1	.0	-.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.781	150.630	150.346	-.1	-.2	.1	-.1	-.2
Apparel .....	3.695	116.667	121.011	-1.2	3.7	.6	-.1	-.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.903	110.229	112.201	-.6	1.8	-.2	-.1	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.580	102.702	109.217	-2.9	6.3	1.4	-.3	-1.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.196	113.245	114.413	-1.6	1.0	2.2	-1.3	-1.3
Footwear .....	.721	125.656	129.303	.5	2.9	.2	-.5	.3
Transportation .....	16.685	193.454	192.412	4.6	-.5	1.3	1.2	.5
Private transportation .....	15.497	188.616	187.646	4.6	-.5	1.4	1.3	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.386	97.891	97.502	4.3	-.4	.3	.4	-.2
New vehicles .....	3.573	137.119	137.365	2.1	.2	.1	.3	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.012	147.909	146.065	12.9	-1.2	.8	.7	-.7
Motor fuel .....	4.525	235.690	232.518	5.4	-1.3	4.4	3.9	1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.337	235.110	231.819	5.1	-1.4	4.6	3.9	1.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.401	137.646	137.802	3.3	.1	.4	.3	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.167	248.390	249.231	1.9	.3	.0	.3	.3
Public transportation .....	1.187	254.717	252.525	5.3	-.9	-.8	-.2	.5
Medical care .....	6.513	388.467	390.616	3.4	.6	-.1	.2	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.611	314.881	315.804	2.6	.3	-.2	.2	.3
Medical care services .....	4.902	411.182	413.807	3.7	.6	.0	.2	.8
Professional services .....	2.796	329.318	330.149	2.9	.3	.3	.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.619	605.859	614.667	7.3	1.5	-0.4	0.5	1.5
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	6.437	113.521	113.120	-1.3	-.4	-.1	-.2	-.3
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.894	98.852	98.638	-2.1	-.2	-.4	-.5	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.434	130.599	131.154	1.6	.4	.2	.0	-.1
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	3.035	201.476	203.353	4.0	.9	.4	.0	-.2
Educational books and supplies .....	.200	504.635	508.892	3.1	.8	-.2	-1.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.835	579.833	585.271	4.0	.9	.4	.1	-.3
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.399	84.699	84.665	-.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.225	81.532	81.497	-.6	.0	.1	.0	.0
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.392	102.534	102.633	-.3	.1	.2	.1	.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.833	9.381	9.339	-1.4	-.4	-.2	-.2	-.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup> .....	.246	75.798	75.570	-3.1	-.3	.4	.2	.1
Other goods and services .....	3.483	383.685	383.663	2.5	.0	.7	.3	-.1
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	.871	822.662	823.766	6.8	.1	1.6	.4	.1
Personal care .....	2.612	207.042	206.929	1.1	-.1	.4	.2	-.2
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.688	161.337	160.985	-.9	-.2	.8	.0	-.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.642	230.354	230.332	.9	.0	.1	-.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.048	355.429	355.964	3.0	.2	.5	.2	-.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities .....	39.816	173.925	174.282	1.6	.2	.5	.5	.2
Food and beverages .....	14.795	219.877	220.586	1.4	.3	.0	.1	.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.021	149.558	149.761	1.7	.1	.9	.8	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.044	187.890	188.770	1.7	.5	1.3	1.4	.4
Apparel .....	3.695	116.667	121.011	-1.2	3.7	.6	-.1	-.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.349	236.498	235.211	2.7	-.5	1.9	2.0	.8
Durables .....	9.978	111.587	111.174	1.6	-.4	.1	.4	-.3
Services .....	60.184	262.421	262.320	.8	.0	.1	.1	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	31.942	259.015	258.934	-.4	.0	-.1	.1	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.347	126.463	126.627	3.6	.1	.5	.5	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.752	199.632	197.049	1.5	-1.3	.8	.4	-.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.052	172.491	172.833	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.781	150.630	150.346	-.1	-.2	.1	-.1	-.2
Transportation services .....	6.060	260.944	260.577	3.0	-.1	.0	.1	.3
Medical care services .....	4.902	411.182	413.807	3.7	.6	.0	.2	.8
Other services .....	11.347	311.443	311.802	1.5	.1	.3	.0	-.2
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food .....	86.262	218.147	218.179	1.1	.0	.4	.3	.1
All items less shelter .....	67.711	208.925	209.133	1.9	.1	.4	.4	.1
All items less medical care .....	93.487	209.952	210.001	1.0	.0	.3	.3	.1
Commodities less food .....	26.078	152.182	152.395	1.7	.1	.9	.7	.1
Nondurables less food .....	16.100	190.025	190.885	1.7	.5	1.4	1.3	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.405	234.212	233.089	2.6	-.5	1.7	1.8	.7
Nondurables .....	29.838	204.111	204.920	1.6	.4	.8	.9	.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	28.243	286.775	286.640	2.3	.0	.1	.2	.1
Services less medical care services .....	55.282	250.766	250.516	.6	-.1	.0	.1	.1
Energy .....	8.553	212.663	210.003	3.8	-1.3	2.6	2.3	.7
All items less energy .....	91.447	220.619	221.030	.9	.2	.1	.1	.0
All items less food and energy .....	77.708	221.551	221.907	.8	.2	.1	.0	.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	21.276	143.206	143.866	.8	.5	.2	.1	-.2
Energy commodities .....	4.801	238.702	235.797	5.8	-1.2	4.0	3.8	1.8
Services less energy services .....	56.432	268.903	269.034	.8	.0	.1	.0	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .458	\$ .458	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .153	\$ .153	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	216.929	217.597	218.150	218.372	2.5	0.9	-1.5	2.7	1.7	0.6
Food and beverages .....	219.696	219.641	219.961	220.644	1.1	2.0	.7	1.7	1.5	1.2
Food .....	219.369	219.222	219.563	220.262	1.0	2.3	.6	1.6	1.6	1.1
Food at home .....	215.622	215.430	215.506	216.241	.7	3.7	.0	1.2	2.2	.6
Cereals and bakery products .....	249.216	248.561	248.746	250.651	1.6	-2.8	-2.8	2.3	-6	-3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	208.669	209.196	208.537	210.311	-2	4.1	12.0	3.2	1.9	7.5
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	197.947	198.991	198.712	199.042	3.0	8.5	-1.7	2.2	5.7	.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	274.549	269.266	270.413	270.585	.3	19.7	-9.9	-5.7	9.6	-7.8
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	160.840	161.755	161.588	161.667	-1.5	-7	-2.6	2.1	-1.1	-3
Other food at home .....	190.613	190.968	191.436	191.482	1.2	-1.0	-5	1.8	.1	.7
Sugar and sweets .....	199.608	200.816	200.610	202.826	4.5	-1	.3	6.6	2.2	3.4
Fats and oils .....	199.817	199.743	201.077	201.256	-6	-1.3	2.9	2.9	-9	2.9
Other foods .....	204.265	204.548	205.055	204.645	.8	-1.2	-1.1	.7	-2	-2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.551	122.052	121.787	122.106	1.1	-3	-2.5	1.8	.4	-3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	225.797	225.710	226.422	227.075	1.4	.4	1.4	2.3	.9	1.9
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	159.271	159.338	159.517	160.072	-8	4.3	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.8
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.582	223.758	223.789	224.249	2.0	-1.5	1.2	3.0	.2	2.1
Housing .....	215.933	216.192	216.277	216.157	.3	-1.1	-6	.4	-4	-1
Shelter .....	248.360	248.533	248.475	248.590	-5	-2.2	.9	.4	-1.4	.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	249.201	249.381	249.213	249.535	-6	.3	.4	.5	-1	.5
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	137.144	137.410	135.651	135.371	-3.1	-6.7	23.1	-5.1	-4.9	8.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.370	256.521	256.580	256.667	-4	-8	.3	.5	-6	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.365	256.513	256.575	256.661	-4	-8	.3	.5	-6	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	125.289	125.865	126.463	126.627	5.5	2.0	2.8	4.3	3.7	3.6
Fuels and utilities .....	212.218	213.471	214.372	213.483	8.6	8.8	-7.1	2.4	8.7	-2.5
Household energy .....	187.134	188.333	189.216	187.999	9.5	8.9	-10.1	1.9	9.2	-4.3
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	265.521	261.257	263.196	265.812	51.8	22.0	-14.4	.4	36.1	-7.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	191.036	192.576	193.441	191.969	6.9	8.0	-9.8	2.0	7.4	-4.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	170.723	171.409	171.833	172.598	4.8	8.5	5.3	4.5	6.6	4.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.203	125.135	125.193	124.729	-2.5	-3.7	-3.7	-1.5	-3.1	-2.6
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	150.560	150.747	150.630	150.346	-7	-5	1.5	-6	-6	.5
Apparel .....	119.705	120.373	120.205	119.444	-7	-4.5	1.3	-.9	-2.6	.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.432	113.220	113.094	112.412	-3.6	-3.9	9.0	-3.5	-3.7	2.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	106.627	108.074	107.759	106.293	-1.6	-5.0	-3.9	-1.2	-3.4	-2.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	114.727	117.212	115.667	114.148	-7.9	1.3	2.5	-2.0	-3.4	.2
Footwear .....	128.153	128.465	127.882	128.327	4.1	-5.0	2.6	.5	-6	1.6
Transportation .....	188.135	190.544	192.909	193.961	12.4	4.6	-10.1	13.0	8.5	.8
Private transportation .....	183.147	185.797	188.302	189.331	12.0	5.4	-11.5	14.2	8.6	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	97.307	97.557	97.908	97.739	10.8	3.1	1.3	1.8	6.9	1.5
New vehicles .....	137.939	138.139	138.529	138.704	7.0	-1.2	.4	2.2	2.8	1.3
Used cars and trucks .....	143.950	145.088	146.093	145.139	32.5	11.4	6.6	3.3	21.5	4.9
Motor fuel .....	215.489	224.977	233.847	238.064	20.5	9.5	-37.3	49.0	14.9	-3.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	214.321	224.135	232.965	236.714	23.6	8.6	-38.9	48.8	15.9	-4.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	136.686	137.236	137.646	137.802	4.2	2.2	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	247.635	247.536	248.390	249.231	1.5	2.0	1.6	2.6	1.8	2.1
Public transportation .....	252.626	250.567	250.191	251.529	19.0	-5.5	11.2	-1.7	6.0	4.5
Medical care .....	388.254	387.933	388.842	391.328	2.5	5.7	2.3	3.2	4.1	2.8
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	314.888	314.113	314.881	315.804	.7	7.7	1.1	1.2	4.2	1.1
Medical care services .....	410.880	410.759	411.709	414.806	3.1	5.0	2.8	3.9	4.0	3.3
Professional services .....	327.522	328.610	329.413	330.705	2.2	2.9	2.6	3.9	2.6	3.3

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	607.995	605.466	608.304	617.619	6.6	10.6	5.5	6.5	8.6	6.0
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	113.695	113.599	113.375	113.028	-3.3	-1.0	1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-5
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	99.598	99.240	98.747	98.746	-1.9	-3.1	-2	-3.4	-2.5	-1.8
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	130.083	130.355	130.369	130.220	1.4	3.2	1.7	.4	2.3	1.1
Education <sup>2</sup>	199.925	200.686	200.746	200.358	3.9	5.9	5.2	.9	4.9	3.0
Educational books and supplies	509.604	508.430	501.521	504.653	6.0	4.3	6.2	-3.8	5.2	1.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	574.662	577.097	577.834	576.388	3.8	6.1	5.1	1.2	4.9	3.1
Communication <sup>2</sup>	84.657	84.702	84.695	84.660	-1.0	.6	-1.3	.0	-.2	-.7
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup>	81.487	81.535	81.532	81.497	-1.2	.2	-1.4	.0	-.5	-.7
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup>	102.303	102.471	102.534	102.633	-1.0	-1.6	.0	1.3	-1.3	.7
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup>	9.422	9.399	9.381	9.339	-1.8	5.6	-5.3	-3.5	1.8	-4.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup>	75.891	76.160	76.281	76.330	-2.1	-4.1	-8.2	2.3	-3.1	-3.1
Other goods and services	380.603	383.432	384.493	383.948	3.4	.8	2.4	3.6	2.1	3.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	806.154	819.214	822.662	823.766	6.8	1.8	9.9	9.0	4.2	9.5
Personal care	206.246	207.160	207.630	207.136	2.2	.4	-.1	1.7	1.3	.8
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	160.061	161.372	161.337	160.985	-.2	.2	-5.6	2.3	.0	-1.7
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	230.225	230.519	230.354	230.332	.1	.2	3.2	.2	.1	1.7
Miscellaneous personal services	353.072	354.973	355.528	355.275	6.0	2.5	1.1	2.5	4.3	1.8
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities	172.440	173.368	174.304	174.665	4.4	2.2	-5.2	5.3	3.3	-.1
Food and beverages	219.696	219.641	219.961	220.644	1.1	2.0	.7	1.7	1.5	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	147.598	148.890	150.042	150.262	6.4	2.2	-8.5	7.4	4.3	-9
Nondurables less food and beverages	183.771	186.102	188.620	189.461	7.9	1.8	-13.6	13.0	4.8	-1.2
Apparel	119.705	120.373	120.205	119.444	-.7	-4.5	1.3	-.9	-2.6	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	227.173	231.395	235.953	237.892	9.0	5.5	-19.4	20.3	7.2	-1.6
Durables	111.381	111.465	111.895	111.580	6.8	-.6	-.2	.7	3.0	.3
Services	261.169	261.549	261.680	261.781	1.1	.3	1.1	.9	.7	1.0
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	258.297	257.998	258.276	259.063	-.4	-3.4	.9	1.2	-1.9	1.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup>	125.289	125.865	126.463	126.627	5.5	2.0	2.8	4.3	3.7	3.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup>	191.036	192.576	193.441	191.969	6.9	8.0	-9.8	2.0	7.4	-4.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup>	170.723	171.409	171.833	172.598	4.8	8.5	5.3	4.5	6.6	4.9
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	150.560	150.747	150.630	150.346	-.7	-.5	1.5	-.6	-.6	.5
Transportation services	259.909	259.852	260.059	260.777	5.5	2.1	3.3	1.3	3.8	2.3
Medical care services	410.880	410.759	411.709	414.806	3.1	5.0	2.8	3.9	4.0	3.3
Other services	310.105	310.990	311.046	310.495	.9	1.5	3.2	.5	1.2	1.8
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food	216.564	217.361	217.947	218.095	2.7	.7	-1.8	2.9	1.7	.5
All items less shelter	207.070	207.943	208.744	209.012	3.9	2.5	-2.6	3.8	3.2	.6
All items less medical care	208.536	209.236	209.770	209.905	2.5	.6	-1.7	2.7	1.5	.4
Commodities less food	150.242	151.537	152.662	152.889	6.2	2.1	-8.1	7.2	4.1	-.8
Nondurables less food	185.878	188.502	190.950	191.839	6.1	2.7	-13.5	13.5	4.4	-9
Nondurables less food and apparel	225.675	229.614	233.855	235.546	8.3	4.9	-17.9	18.7	6.6	-1.3
Nondurables	201.106	202.701	204.516	205.209	4.4	2.6	-8.5	8.4	3.5	-.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	284.147	284.537	284.979	285.138	3.6	2.9	1.3	1.4	3.2	1.4
Services less medical care services	249.234	249.251	249.511	249.872	1.3	-.9	.9	1.0	.2	1.0
Energy	199.059	204.195	208.874	210.256	15.3	9.2	-25.7	24.5	12.2	-3.8
All items less energy	220.463	220.684	220.823	220.930	1.3	.2	1.2	.9	.7	1.0
All items less food and energy	221.388	221.676	221.779	221.781	1.3	-.2	1.3	.7	.6	1.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	143.626	143.923	144.079	143.727	2.9	-.1	-.1	.3	1.4	.1
Energy commodities	219.487	228.353	236.938	241.105	22.1	10.2	-36.2	45.6	16.0	-3.6
Services less energy services	268.337	268.610	268.672	268.921	.7	-.2	1.9	.9	.3	1.4

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	218.312	218.439	1.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1
All items (1967=100) .....	-	653.966	654.346	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.795	219.877	220.586	1.4	.3	.0	.1	.3
Food .....	13.738	219.491	220.216	1.4	.3	-1	.2	.3
Food at home .....	7.801	215.382	216.161	1.4	.4	-1	.0	.3
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.108	249.736	250.085	-5	.1	-3	.1	.8
Cereals and cereal products .....	.359	218.590	216.603	-2.2	-9	-5	.7	-1
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.040	226.354	223.809	-3.6	-1.1	-5	1.2	.1
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.200	216.370	214.109	-2.1	-1.0	-3	.9	-1.0
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.119	224.431	223.069	-1.7	-6	1.1	-6	-6
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	156.436	154.313	-2.4	-1.4	-2	-9	-1.4
Bakery products .....	.749	266.276	267.987	.4	.6	-3	-1	1.1
Bread <sup>3</sup> .....	.213	156.997	159.316	-3	1.5	-1.3	-5	2.0
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	290.049	293.757	1.4	1.3	-1.0	-1	1.3
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	294.747	301.285	-1.8	2.2	-5	-4.3	2.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.109	153.086	153.513	.8	.3	.8	.2	.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.201	249.599	249.839	.8	.1	-6	.3	.2
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	-	245.122	242.773	1.8	-1.0	-1.7	1.3	-5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	254.820	256.586	-3	.7	-3	-5	.7
Other bakery products .....	.226	248.320	249.613	.4	.5	.3	-3	1.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	252.299	256.323	1.8	1.6	.3	.5	1.6
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	288.138	289.682	-6	.5	.6	-3	1.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	-	257.489	254.985	.1	-1.0	.9	-1.2	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.745	208.854	211.280	4.7	1.2	.3	-3	.9
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	1.650	210.316	211.900	4.4	.8	.3	-4	.5
Meats .....	1.024	209.097	210.632	6.1	.7	.1	-1	.4
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.481	226.713	227.464	5.7	.3	-2	-6	.3
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.193	207.084	204.459	5.1	-1.3	.6	-3	-1.3
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.079	163.143	167.374	7.3	2.6	.7	-5	2.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.167	153.957	155.890	4.8	1.3	-1.6	-1.0	1.3
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.043	163.056	162.998	9.1	.0	.2	-5	.0
Pork .....	.312	195.284	198.219	10.0	1.5	.7	.4	1.1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	.113	137.263	140.642	11.3	2.5	2.9	.6	3.1
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	239.733	247.874	15.7	3.4	3.2	1.7	4.0
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	131.202	132.003	4.2	.6	2.2	-8	.6
Ham .....	.064	193.566	197.465	8.0	2.0	.5	-9	1.3
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	-	217.638	222.425	8.2	2.2	.3	-1.1	1.6
Pork chops .....	.063	179.591	180.791	9.1	.7	1.2	1.0	.7
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.072	123.873	124.225	10.6	.3	-9	.0	.3
Other meats .....	.231	195.158	196.039	1.3	.5	.0	.1	-5
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	-	187.567	187.251	.1	-2	.7	.9	-2.4
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	128.825	129.970	2.0	.9	-1	.5	.9
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	279.882	283.669	9.4	1.4	.5	-1.0	1.4
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	166.840	171.161	9.4	2.6	-5	-1.8	2.6
Poultry .....	.337	203.690	205.773	1.4	1.0	.9	-1.0	.9
Chicken <sup>3</sup> .....	.270	131.156	132.297	.8	.9	1.0	-1.3	.6
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	205.540	212.478	2.4	3.4	3.4	-3.2	3.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	201.435	201.420	.1	.0	-6	.1	.0
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	.067	132.271	134.399	3.3	1.6	.8	.3	1.9
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.289	243.222	244.470	1.6	.5	.5	-8	.5
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.150	145.015	144.926	2.6	-1	.2	-8	-1
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	.140	127.047	128.526	.6	1.2	1.0	-1.0	1.6
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	174.976	177.701	1.3	1.6	2.8	-6	1.6
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	264.540	267.308	1.5	1.0	1.4	-1.6	1.0
Eggs .....	.095	183.633	200.526	11.3	9.2	-1.6	1.7	7.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.820	198.712	199.042	2.9	.2	.5	-1	.2
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.271	134.572	133.556	6.5	-8	.8	-1	-8
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	192.241	191.591	8.3	-3	.7	-7	-3
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	138.566	137.037	5.4	-1.1	.9	.5	-1.1
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.262	204.988	206.061	3.4	.5	1.2	.3	.5
Ice cream and related products .....	.129	189.628	191.838	-1.2	1.2	-6	-8	.5
Other dairy and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	.159	135.314	135.856	-4	.4	.6	-1.5	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.153	265.914	268.832	0.5	1.1	-1.9	0.4	0.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.879	302.474	307.101	1.0	1.5	-2.3	.4	.2
Fresh fruits .....	.442	306.645	313.474	-2.1	2.2	-3.0	-.3	.5
Apples .....	.070	314.529	301.570	2.9	-4.1	-1.9	-2.5	-1.5
Bananas .....	.066	193.275	194.482	-5.4	.6	1.7	-1.2	1.5
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.078	215.334	219.854	-2.0	2.1	-2.8	-4.0	-4
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	-	459.012	465.017	-1.5	1.3	-3.3	-2.4	-2
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.228	95.502	100.938	-1.9	5.7	-4.1	2.1	1.4
Fresh vegetables .....	.437	296.338	298.856	4.3	.8	-1.5	1.0	-1
Potatoes .....	.067	324.495	316.355	-.5	-2.5	-2.4	2.9	-.7
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.063	276.559	276.434	1.2	.0	-2.3	-1.2	.0
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.086	287.509	299.191	7.6	4.1	-.4	-2.0	4.1
Other fresh vegetables .....	.222	299.511	303.133	5.8	1.2	-2.3	1.5	.3
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.274	148.011	147.697	-1.0	-.2	-.9	.6	-.3
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.142	151.985	152.200	-.4	.1	-1.5	1.0	.3
Canned fruits <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	141.766	144.305	1.0	1.8	-.3	.3	2.1
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	163.388	161.858	-1.1	-.9	-1.8	1.6	-1.0
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.082	138.934	138.504	-2.2	-.3	-1.3	.5	-.5
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	-	195.449	194.508	-1.7	-.5	-1.8	.7	-.6
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	.049	150.484	148.865	-1.1	-1.1	.3	.0	-1.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	172.273	170.751	-5.5	-.9	-.7	-.8	-.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.952	161.764	161.771	-.7	.0	.6	-.1	.0
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	.719	124.671	124.140	-1.4	-.4	.5	.3	-.7
Carbonated drinks .....	.294	155.973	155.507	1.8	-.3	1.2	1.0	-.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.013	147.247	148.379	-.6	.8	.7	-1.1	.8
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.412	114.461	113.819	-3.9	-.6	.1	.0	-.6
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	.233	113.882	115.382	1.6	1.3	.4	-.5	2.1
Coffee .....	.111	186.975	190.584	1.5	1.9	-.9	1.2	2.9
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	-	193.348	197.101	1.7	1.9	-.8	1.9	3.0
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	197.819	202.587	1.9	2.4	-.6	.1	2.4
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>3</sup> .....	.122	124.239	125.152	.7	.7	1.4	-1.7	.8
Other food at home .....	2.023	192.026	191.289	.4	-.4	.2	.2	.0
Sugar and sweets .....	.295	200.335	202.469	2.8	1.1	.6	-.1	1.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.052	185.851	187.510	4.3	.9	1.1	-.5	.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.189	131.848	133.442	2.7	1.2	.7	-.6	1.2
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	.055	144.407	145.485	1.5	.7	.9	-.4	.8
Fats and oils .....	.232	201.764	201.971	1.0	.1	.0	.7	.1
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	.062	162.916	167.167	8.1	2.6	.5	1.7	3.1
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	-	186.779	197.501	19.1	5.7	1.2	3.3	5.5
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-	242.224	240.220	-.2	-.8	-.6	1.4	.2
Salad dressing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.063	126.655	125.025	.1	-1.3	2.1	.7	-1.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>3</sup> .....	.107	142.447	141.520	-2.8	-.7	-.3	-.2	-.7
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	125.338	126.473	-5.1	.9	-1.2	-3.0	.9
Other foods .....	1.496	205.857	204.322	-.2	-.7	.1	.2	-.2
Soups .....	.092	230.162	222.313	-2.9	-3.4	.1	-.2	-.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.310	166.451	162.181	-3.2	-2.6	-.7	.8	-2.6
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.318	216.884	217.687	3.2	.4	.4	.1	.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.257	217.609	216.116	-.1	-.7	.6	1.1	-.5
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	125.249	124.523	1.8	-.6	2.4	.5	-.6
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	133.191	132.737	1.9	-.3	.7	3.6	-.3
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	127.386	127.121	-1.2	-.2	-.4	1.2	-.2
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	252.623	252.220	2.2	-.2	.6	1.1	-.2
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.081	141.635	140.613	.2	-.7	.0	1.0	-.7
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.439	121.787	122.106	.0	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	104.561	105.427	-.2	.8	.5	-2.0	.8
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.937	226.422	227.075	1.4	.3	.0	.3	.3
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.875	141.325	141.534	1.4	.1	.0	.2	.1
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.359	144.120	144.263	.8	.1	.1	.2	.1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	.266	140.019	144.829	5.4	3.4	-2.5	2.1	2.8
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	-	117.844	122.159	5.8	3.7	-2.8	3.9	3.7
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.111	132.901	133.251	2.3	.3	-.2	.1	.3

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Other food away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.326	159.517	160.072	1.8	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.056	223.536	224.043	1.2	.2	.5	.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.623	191.183	191.337	.4	.1	.8	-.1	.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.303	201.054	200.903	2.5	-.1	.9	.0	.3
Distilled spirits at home .....	.081	190.069	190.784	.0	.4	.6	.1	.3
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	196.859	196.922	.4	.0	.3	.2	.0
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	186.227	187.421	.5	.6	.8	.9	.6
Wine at home .....	.239	169.787	170.090	-2.1	.2	.6	-.5	-.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.434	292.200	293.468	2.2	.4	.2	.2	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	147.727	148.019	2.6	.2	.3	.2	.2
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	159.915	160.563	1.1	.4	.1	-.2	.4
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	153.004	153.414	1.5	.3	.3	.2	.3
Housing .....	41.960	216.976	216.602	-.3	-.2	.1	.0	-.1
Shelter .....	32.289	248.595	248.522	-.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>6</sup> .....	5.966	249.024	249.368	.2	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	.769	139.999	135.800	1.6	-3.0	.2	-1.3	-.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>6 7</sup> .....	.159	432.117	436.185	4.3	.9	.3	.5	.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.610	296.124	284.575	2.5	-3.9	.2	-1.7	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>6 7</sup> .....	25.206	256.509	256.590	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>6 7</sup> .....	23.593	256.503	256.584	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.347	126.463	126.627	3.6	.1	.5	.5	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.081	219.602	217.695	2.9	-.9	.6	.4	-.4
Household energy .....	4.028	194.865	192.635	2.2	-1.1	.6	.5	-.6
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.276	263.196	265.812	12.3	1.0	-1.6	.7	1.0
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	.179	271.261	273.386	11.8	.8	-1.6	.9	.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	.097	305.403	309.648	13.3	1.4	-1.4	.0	1.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	3.752	199.632	197.049	1.5	-1.3	.8	.4	-.8
Electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	2.845	201.624	200.405	1.1	-.6	.5	.2	-.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>6</sup> .....	.907	190.655	183.759	3.0	-3.6	1.7	1.1	-2.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.052	172.491	172.833	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.4
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>6</sup> .....	.793	385.242	385.959	7.0	.2	.5	.2	.5
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 9</sup> .....	.259	385.010	385.920	2.0	.2	.0	.3	.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.590	125.005	124.535	-2.9	-.4	-.1	.0	-.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.331	70.133	69.766	-7.0	-.5	-1.7	-1.3	-.5
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.054	114.047	113.843	-3.8	-.2	.2	-.8	-.2
Window coverings <sup>3</sup> .....	.092	75.572	73.345	-8.0	-2.9	.1	-1.0	-3.5
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.186	58.515	58.845	-7.6	.6	-3.2	-1.4	.6
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.872	118.324	118.041	-5.3	-.2	-.6	-.6	-.2
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.268	135.465	135.883	-5.0	.3	-.3	.3	.3
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.425	88.108	88.119	-3.3	.0	-.5	-.1	.0
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	.171	79.777	78.341	-10.4	-1.8	.4	-2.9	-.7
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.297	87.248	86.886	-3.6	-.4	.1	.4	-.4
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.176	97.848	97.247	-2.7	-.6	-.1	.2	-.6
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	110.655	110.272	-2.1	-.3	.0	.3	-.3
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.118	73.747	73.670	-5.2	-.1	.3	.6	-.1
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.584	70.218	69.851	-4.9	-.5	-.6	.1	-.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.318	62.186	61.181	-7.9	-1.6	-.7	.2	-1.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>10</sup> .....	.108	126.543	125.639	-.3	-.7	.7	1.5	-.8
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.067	67.270	70.012	-4.4	4.1	-1.2	-.7	4.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>3</sup> .....	.090	96.906	96.984	-.2	.1	-.8	.9	.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.825	91.165	90.575	-2.7	-.6	-.1	-.2	-.4
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.192	95.744	95.667	-2.3	-.1	-.7	-.7	-.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.456	88.538	87.791	-3.0	-.8	.0	-.3	-.3
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.900	183.996	183.512	.3	-.3	.4	.4	-.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.362	120.194	120.273	-1.6	.1	.5	-.1	.1
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.238	159.837	159.059	2.1	-.5	1.4	.9	-.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.300	117.625	117.076	1.1	-.5	-.5	.6	-.5
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.781	150.630	150.346	-.1	-.2	.1	-.1	-.2
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.270	144.283	144.331	.2	.0	.0	.1	.0
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.265	154.948	154.948	-.3	.0	-.1	-.1	.0

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		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.097	128.408	126.550	-1.7	-1.4	1.2	0.1	-1.4
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.076	181.253	181.298	1.4	.0	-1	-.7	.0
Apparel .....	3.695	116.667	121.011	-1.2	3.7	.6	-.1	-.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.903	110.229	112.201	-.6	1.8	-.2	-.1	-.6
Men's apparel .....	.723	115.515	117.400	-.2	1.6	-.3	-1.0	-.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.130	116.448	118.586	2.5	1.8	.3	-1.6	-1.5
Men's furnishings .....	.176	136.271	137.269	2.2	.7	.0	-.2	1.1
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	.231	77.530	79.355	-2.3	2.4	-.4	.2	-2.1
Men's pants and shorts .....	.177	106.856	108.447	-2.1	1.5	-.8	-1.5	.9
Boys' apparel .....	.180	90.820	93.039	-2.6	2.4	.3	4.5	-2.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.580	102.702	109.217	-2.9	6.3	1.4	-.3	-1.4
Women's apparel .....	1.318	105.724	112.621	-.8	6.5	1.6	.3	-1.4
Women's outerwear .....	.136	87.085	101.227	-1.1	16.2	3.4	.4	-.5
Women's dresses .....	.139	109.691	120.398	-2.0	9.8	3.5	.3	-.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	.667	80.067	85.172	-3.5	6.4	.8	-.7	-2.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	.361	94.333	96.636	4.6	2.4	1.0	1.5	.9
Girls' apparel .....	.262	88.197	92.921	-13.3	5.4	.0	-3.5	-1.0
Footwear .....	.721	125.656	129.303	.5	2.9	.2	-.5	.3
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.235	125.679	127.462	.0	1.4	-.4	-1.3	1.4
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.153	126.693	136.836	.8	8.0	-1.0	1.0	4.1
Women's footwear .....	.333	124.209	126.316	.7	1.7	.4	-.1	-1.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.196	113.245	114.413	-1.6	1.0	2.2	-1.3	-1.3
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	.295	154.628	155.030	3.0	.3	-1.6	2.1	1.2
Watches <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.042	115.772	114.038	-.8	-1.5	.4	.8	-1.5
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	.254	163.837	164.713	3.6	.5	-1.8	2.5	1.5
Transportation .....	16.685	193.454	192.412	4.6	-.5	1.3	1.2	.5
Private transportation .....	15.497	188.616	187.646	4.6	-.5	1.4	1.3	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	6.386	97.891	97.502	4.3	-.4	.3	.4	-.2
New vehicles .....	3.573	137.119	137.365	2.1	.2	.1	.3	.1
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	95.055	95.235	2.2	.2	.2	.3	.1
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	-	137.180	137.423	1.8	.2	.0	-.1	.4
New trucks <sup>2 9</sup> .....	-	141.939	142.176	2.8	.2	.4	.3	.3
Used cars and trucks .....	2.012	147.909	146.065	12.9	-1.2	.8	.7	-.7
Leased cars and trucks <sup>11</sup> .....	.598	95.991	95.899	-5.9	-.1	-.8	-.6	-.6
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	.090	134.980	128.057	-3.9	-5.1	-.9	2.5	1.4
Motor fuel .....	4.525	235.690	232.518	5.4	-1.3	4.4	3.9	1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.337	235.110	231.819	5.1	-1.4	4.6	3.9	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	-	234.212	230.950	5.1	-1.4	4.8	4.0	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 12</sup> .....	-	241.677	238.275	5.3	-1.4	4.2	4.0	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	-	229.072	225.889	5.0	-1.4	3.8	3.9	1.6
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.188	214.813	214.571	10.9	-.1	-1.1	.7	-.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.401	137.646	137.802	3.3	.1	.4	.3	.1
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.262	124.324	124.185	3.6	-.1	.5	.6	-.1
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.139	149.365	150.174	2.8	.5	.1	-.3	.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	144.095	143.746	1.6	-.2	.2	.0	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	306.414	312.531	7.4	2.0	.2	-.4	2.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.167	248.390	249.231	1.9	.3	.0	.3	.3
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.065	255.375	255.500	2.2	.0	-.1	.1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.462	225.255	226.233	1.7	.4	-.2	.2	.4
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.598	153.224	153.684	2.1	.3	.1	.5	.3
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.492	375.901	376.415	5.1	.1	.5	.2	.3
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.527	165.838	165.818	3.4	.0	.2	.0	.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	.328	165.223	164.969	4.4	-.2	.2	-.1	-.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.186	167.076	167.453	1.6	.2	.3	.0	.2
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	178.821	179.258	1.7	.2	.5	-.1	.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	120.848	120.875	.8	.0	.0	.0	.0
Public transportation .....	1.187	254.717	252.525	5.3	-.9	-.8	-.2	.5
Airline fare .....	.783	281.930	278.828	6.1	-1.1	-1.2	-.1	.2
Other intercity transportation .....	.157	155.645	153.726	4.5	-1.2	-1.0	-.9	2.3

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		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	108.587	109.220	6.0	0.6	0.3	-0.4	0.6
Intercity train fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	125.840	116.763	11.8	-7.2	9.9	.2	-7.2
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	63.484	63.220	1.1	-4	-8	-7	.2
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.245	263.283	263.706	3.2	.2	.8	.2	.2
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 2 13</sup> .....	-	103.916	104.091	-	.2	1.0	.4	.2
Medical care .....	6.513	388.467	390.616	3.4	.6	-.1	.2	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.611	314.881	315.804	2.6	.3	-.2	.2	.3
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	1.530	102.373	102.644	-	.3	-.3	.2	.3
Prescription drugs .....	1.222	409.100	410.289	3.9	.3	-.1	.6	.3
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.308	99.205	99.361	-	.2	-.8	-.8	.2
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.081	98.145	98.984	-	.9	.0	.2	.9
Medical care services .....	4.902	411.182	413.807	3.7	.6	.0	.2	.8
Professional services .....	2.796	329.318	330.149	2.9	.3	.3	.2	.4
Physicians' services <sup>6</sup> .....	1.450	332.836	333.715	3.5	.3	.4	.2	.4
Dental services <sup>6</sup> .....	.715	400.211	400.837	2.8	.2	.1	.3	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	.249	176.111	177.186	.6	.6	-.2	.6	.9
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 6 8</sup> .....	.383	215.023	215.365	2.6	.2	-.2	.3	.2
Hospital and related services <sup>6</sup> .....	1.619	605.859	614.667	7.3	1.5	-.4	.5	1.5
Hospital services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	1.358	226.200	230.085	8.1	1.7	-.5	.5	1.8
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 14</sup> .....	-	220.785	224.883	9.3	1.9	-.5	.6	2.0
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 8</sup> .....	-	516.973	524.673	5.9	1.5	-.6	.3	1.5
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	.148	178.160	178.237	3.5	.0	.2	.3	.2
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.113	111.656	111.729	1.7	.1	.3	.1	.1
Health insurance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.487	105.497	105.570	-3.8	.1	-.8	-.5	.1
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	6.437	113.521	113.120	-1.3	-.4	-.1	-.2	-.3
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	1.894	98.852	98.638	-2.1	-.2	-.4	-.5	.0
Televisions .....	.201	7.741	7.640	-21.8	-1.3	-2.0	-2.7	-.4
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>9</sup> .....	1.267	372.933	372.915	.9	.0	.0	-.3	.2
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	.032	15.760	15.567	-12.9	-1.2	-.3	-.4	-1.0
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.137	76.051	75.605	-1.7	-.6	-1.3	.5	-.6
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	53.495	52.744	-6.0	-1.4	-1.4	.9	-1.4
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	101.607	101.686	1.2	.1	-1.3	.8	.1
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.094	47.196	47.229	-2.2	.1	-.1	-.2	.1
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.058	94.031	93.284	-3.8	-.8	-.5	.3	-.8
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.145	154.629	154.696	.1	.0	.1	.0	-.1
Pets and pet products .....	.734	192.565	191.693	-2.4	-.5	-.6	.4	-.7
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	142.948	143.190	-1.1	.2	-.7	.5	.2
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	118.055	115.731	-4.0	-2.0	-.2	-.1	-2.0
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	.411	192.154	193.871	4.5	.9	1.4	-.6	1.0
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	158.224	158.346	.8	.1	.4	.0	.1
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	197.773	202.217	5.1	2.2	.0	-.6	2.4
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.613	119.047	118.816	-1.1	-.2	-.1	-.4	-.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.319	141.397	142.211	1.4	.6	.0	-.2	.6
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.285	97.949	96.904	-4.0	-1.1	-.2	-.6	-1.1
Photography <sup>3</sup> .....	.167	79.380	79.288	-3.3	-.1	-.6	-1.1	-.5
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.070	69.272	68.685	-9.0	-.8	-1.0	-2.6	-1.7
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	89.130	89.333	-1.8	.2	.6	-1.4	.2
Photographic equipment <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	31.892	31.440	-11.4	-1.4	-1.5	-2.7	-2.4
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.095	112.152	112.593	1.1	.4	-.3	.0	.4
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	121.474	120.482	1.2	-.8	-1.2	1.8	-.8
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	107.451	108.670	2.2	1.1	.0	-.5	1.1
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	.485	57.186	57.415	-4.7	.4	-1.3	-.3	.5
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.364	58.431	58.528	-6.8	.2	-1.3	-.4	.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	61.483	61.537	-5.6	.1	-1.3	.1	.1
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.060	93.396	94.844	1.0	1.6	-2.4	.2	2.1
Music instruments and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	.048	97.012	97.711	.0	.7	-.2	-.5	.9
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.872	146.629	145.126	-.5	-1.0	.4	.2	-1.0
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>3</sup> .....	.595	124.735	122.119	-3.7	-2.1	.7	.1	-2.0
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.679	326.799	325.204	1.6	-.5	.2	.2	-.5

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup>	-	157.372	156.636	1.6	-0.5	0.4	0.2	-0.5
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup>	-	178.693	177.646	2.0	-0.6	-0.3	.2	-0.6
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 8</sup>	.251	265.474	265.263	.4	-1.1	.2	.1	-1.1
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup>	.261	220.161	219.955	-0.9	-1.1	-1.1	-0.3	-1.1
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup>	.140	134.370	134.270	-0.3	-1.1	-0.2	-0.6	-1.1
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup>	.120	105.835	105.715	-1.6	-1.1	.0	.1	-1.1
Education and communication <sup>3</sup>	6.434	130.599	131.154	1.6	.4	.2	.0	-1.1
Education <sup>3</sup>	3.035	201.476	203.353	4.0	.9	.4	.0	-2.2
Educational books and supplies	.200	504.635	508.892	3.1	.8	-0.2	-1.4	.6
College textbooks <sup>1 2 11</sup>	-	168.664	169.952	3.5	.8	.0	.1	.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.835	579.833	585.271	4.0	.9	.4	.1	-0.3
College tuition and fees	1.493	648.857	654.649	4.4	.9	.5	.3	-0.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	.412	629.896	637.632	3.9	1.2	.8	-0.8	.3
Child care and nursery school <sup>10</sup>	.790	241.254	243.396	3.4	.9	.1	.3	-0.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup>	.042	203.279	204.268	4.2	.5	.9	-0.5	.9
Communication <sup>3</sup>	3.399	84.699	84.665	-0.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup>	.174	145.901	145.898	1.9	.0	.0	-0.1	.0
Postage <sup>1</sup>	.165	229.846	229.846	1.4	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>3</sup>	.009	225.636	225.563	11.7	.0	-0.8	-1.8	-0.4
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup>	3.225	81.532	81.497	-0.6	.0	.1	.0	.0
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup>	2.392	102.534	102.633	-0.3	.1	.2	.1	.1
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup>	1.301	62.490	62.466	-3.0	.0	.1	.0	.0
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 13</sup>	1.091	101.765	102.022	-	.3	.2	.1	.3
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 15</sup>	.833	9.381	9.339	-1.4	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>4</sup>	.246	75.798	75.570	-3.1	-0.3	.4	.2	.1
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup>	.044	45.125	45.159	-7.3	.1	-2.5	.6	.1
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup>	.459	77.073	76.794	.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup>	.070	33.969	33.348	-4.2	-1.8	.3	-1.0	-1.8
Other goods and services	3.483	383.685	383.663	2.5	.0	.7	.3	-1.1
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	.871	822.662	823.766	6.8	.1	1.6	.4	.1
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup>	.804	335.707	336.118	7.0	.1	1.8	.4	.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup>	.061	217.065	217.720	4.7	.3	-0.6	.5	.3
Personal care	2.612	207.042	206.929	1.1	-1.1	.4	.2	-0.2
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	.688	161.337	160.985	-0.9	-0.2	.8	.0	-0.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup>	.345	104.149	104.407	-1.0	.2	.8	.5	.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup>	.338	182.985	181.718	-0.7	-0.7	.9	-0.5	-0.7
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	.642	230.354	230.332	.9	.0	.1	-0.1	.0
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup>	.642	140.554	140.540	.9	.0	.1	-0.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services	1.048	355.429	355.964	3.0	.2	.5	.2	-0.1
Legal services <sup>8</sup>	.303	289.018	290.862	4.8	.6	.5	.7	.6
Funeral expenses <sup>8</sup>	.169	282.125	283.144	2.2	.4	.4	.0	.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>3</sup>	.257	142.477	142.687	2.0	.1	.0	.0	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup>	.033	158.346	158.393	2.9	.0	.8	-0.2	.0
Financial services <sup>1 8</sup>	.192	270.523	268.609	2.5	-0.7	.0	.2	-0.7
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup>	-	128.883	128.883	4.5	.0	.0	.3	.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup>	-	180.719	179.071	2.7	-0.9	1.1	.5	-1.9
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup>	.234	86.803	86.234	-1.8	-0.7	-0.2	1.1	-1.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup>	-	154.532	153.581	-0.2	-0.6	.0	1.1	-0.8
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 5</sup>	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities	39.816	173.925	174.282	1.6	.2	.5	.5	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	25.021	149.558	149.761	1.7	.1	.9	.8	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.044	187.890	188.770	1.7	.5	1.3	1.4	.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.349	236.498	235.211	2.7	-0.5	1.9	2.0	.8
Durables	9.978	111.587	111.174	1.6	-0.4	.1	.4	-0.3
Services	60.184	262.421	262.320	.8	.0	.1	.1	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>7</sup>	31.942	259.015	258.934	-0.4	.0	-0.1	.1	.3
Transportation services	6.060	260.944	260.577	3.0	-0.1	.0	.1	.3
Other services	11.347	311.443	311.802	1.5	.1	.3	.0	-0.2
All items less food	86.262	218.147	218.179	1.1	.0	.4	.3	.1
All items less shelter	67.711	208.925	209.133	1.9	.1	.4	.4	.1

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
All items less medical care .....	93.487	209.952	210.001	1.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.1
Commodities less food .....	26.078	152.182	152.395	1.7	.1	.9	.7	.1
Nondurables less food .....	16.100	190.025	190.885	1.7	.5	1.4	1.3	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.405	234.212	233.089	2.6	-.5	1.7	1.8	.7
Nondurables .....	29.838	204.111	204.920	1.6	.4	.8	.9	.3
Apparel less footwear .....	2.974	110.434	114.765	-1.6	3.9	.6	-.1	-.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	28.243	286.775	286.640	2.3	.0	.1	.2	.1
Services less medical care services .....	55.282	250.766	250.516	.6	-.1	.0	.1	.1
Energy .....	8.553	212.663	210.003	3.8	-1.3	2.6	2.3	.7
All items less energy .....	91.447	220.619	221.030	.9	.2	.1	.1	.0
All items less food and energy .....	77.708	221.551	221.907	.8	.2	.1	.0	.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	21.276	143.206	143.866	.8	.5	.2	.1	-.2
Energy commodities .....	4.801	238.702	235.797	5.8	-1.2	4.0	3.8	1.8
Services less energy services .....	56.432	268.903	269.034	.8	.0	.1	.0	.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	6.495	221.010	221.904	1.7	.4	-2	.1	.4
Utilities and public transportation .....	9.650	206.503	205.311	1.8	-.6	.0	.1	-.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .458	\$ .458	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .153	\$ .153	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.  
<sup>2</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 - Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	216.929	217.597	218.150	218.372	2.5	0.9	-1.5	2.7	1.7	0.6
Food and beverages .....	219.696	219.641	219.961	220.644	1.1	2.0	.7	1.7	1.5	1.2
Food .....	219.369	219.222	219.563	220.262	1.0	2.3	.6	1.6	1.6	1.1
Food at home .....	215.622	215.430	215.506	216.241	.7	3.7	.0	1.2	2.2	.6
Cereals and bakery products .....	249.216	248.561	248.746	250.651	1.6	-2.8	-2.8	2.3	-6	-3
Cereals and cereal products .....	216.558	215.402	216.857	216.597	-9	-3.0	-4.9	.1	-1.9	-2.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	218.454	219.557	222.188	222.430	.7	-10.8	-10.6	7.5	-5.2	-2.0
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	214.935	214.362	216.370	214.109	-1.0	-4.8	-1.0	-1.5	-2.9	-1.3
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	223.491	225.854	224.431	223.069	-1.5	-.7	-4.0	-.8	-1.1	-2.4
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	158.081	157.813	156.436	154.313	-6.3	4.5	2.2	-9.2	-1.0	-3.7
Bakery products .....	266.934	266.047	265.837	268.850	2.8	-2.1	-2.0	2.9	.3	.4
Bread <sup>3</sup> .....	160.795	158.711	157.852	160.997	-2.4	-3.9	4.8	.5	-3.1	2.6
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	293.305	290.297	290.049	293.757	6.3	-5.1	4.0	.6	.4	2.3
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	309.418	307.975	294.747	301.285	-6.5	5.2	5.2	-10.1	-.8	-2.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	151.561	152.733	153.086	153.513	6.6	-6.6	-1.4	5.3	-.2	1.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	251.304	249.785	250.551	251.069	8.7	-4.3	-.4	-.4	2.0	-.4
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	247.397	243.163	246.302	245.084	13.5	-5.9	4.3	-3.7	3.4	.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	256.919	256.177	254.820	256.586	2.2	-2.0	-.7	-.5	.1	-.6
Other bakery products .....	244.312	244.955	244.214	247.448	2.7	4.1	-9.7	5.2	3.4	-2.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	250.274	251.127	252.299	256.323	-.6	2.6	-4.4	10.0	1.0	2.6
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	280.721	282.282	281.346	285.030	4.2	4.6	-15.8	6.3	4.4	-5.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	255.670	257.906	254.877	255.827	5.4	5.1	-9.5	.2	5.3	-4.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	208.669	209.196	208.537	210.311	-.2	4.1	12.0	3.2	1.9	7.5
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	209.794	210.523	209.640	210.723	-1.0	3.7	13.4	1.8	1.3	7.4
Meats .....	208.535	208.836	208.559	209.364	-1.9	7.5	18.2	1.6	2.7	9.6
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	228.499	228.080	226.713	227.464	.4	3.6	22.2	-1.8	2.0	9.5
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	206.486	207.811	207.084	204.459	1.1	5.8	18.7	-3.9	3.4	6.8
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	162.920	163.995	163.143	167.374	7.4	7.2	3.3	11.4	7.3	7.3
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	157.989	155.442	153.957	155.890	-4.7	-.7	34.3	-5.2	-2.7	12.8
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	163.483	163.860	163.056	162.998	5.2	4.5	30.3	-1.2	4.8	13.5
Pork .....	190.405	191.782	192.512	194.634	-4.5	20.6	16.6	9.2	7.3	12.8
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> ..	130.411	134.163	135.033	139.157	-3.0	10.2	10.9	29.6	3.4	19.9
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	224.574	231.652	235.480	244.876	2.7	8.5	13.7	41.4	5.6	26.8
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	129.430	132.247	131.202	132.003	-18.6	21.5	10.2	8.2	-.6	9.2
Ham .....	191.054	192.104	190.364	192.873	-12.2	24.6	19.8	3.9	4.6	11.5
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	215.260	215.811	213.365	216.683	-13.1	29.7	18.3	2.7	6.2	10.2
Pork chops .....	173.471	175.485	177.183	178.415	2.7	12.3	9.7	11.9	7.4	10.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 3</sup> .....	125.050	123.918	123.873	124.225	-17.1	35.4	37.1	-2.6	6.0	15.5
Other meats .....	196.716	196.742	196.984	195.903	-3.2	-1.5	12.4	-1.6	-2.3	5.1
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	190.103	191.366	193.000	188.320	-14.3	.1	21.4	-3.7	-7.3	8.1
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	128.347	128.235	128.825	129.970	4.0	-4.7	3.9	5.2	-.4	4.5
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	281.239	282.657	279.882	283.669	-2.5	7.9	31.5	3.5	2.6	16.7
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	170.631	169.852	166.840	171.161	-3.4	6.7	37.0	1.2	1.5	17.8
Poultry .....	202.338	204.068	202.045	203.949	4.1	-1.2	-.6	3.2	1.4	1.3
Chicken <sup>3</sup> .....	130.674	131.935	130.251	131.085	4.3	-1.2	-1.0	1.3	1.5	.1
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	205.371	212.339	205.540	212.478	2.2	1.1	-7.0	14.6	1.7	3.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	202.478	201.230	201.435	201.420	.3	-7.8	11.1	-2.1	-3.8	4.3
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	130.416	130.291	130.628	133.084	2.0	1.3	1.8	8.4	1.7	5.0
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	243.969	245.228	243.222	244.470	-3.1	-3.9	13.6	.8	-3.5	7.0
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	145.801	146.157	145.015	144.926	-7.7	3.3	19.1	-2.4	-2.4	7.8
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	126.537	127.752	126.439	128.494	3.0	-4.5	-2.0	6.3	-.8	2.1
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	171.252	176.043	174.976	177.701	3.0	-11.2	-.7	15.9	-4.4	7.3
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	265.106	268.869	264.540	267.308	4.5	-8.3	7.1	3.4	-2.1	5.2
Eggs .....	189.224	186.286	189.485	203.138	14.9	12.7	-10.6	32.8	13.8	8.9
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	197.947	198.991	198.712	199.042	3.0	8.5	-1.7	2.2	5.7	.2
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	133.613	134.698	134.572	133.556	14.0	9.9	3.0	-.2	11.9	1.4
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	192.196	193.543	192.241	191.591	17.3	12.6	5.6	-1.3	14.9	2.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	136.734	137.914	138.566	137.037	11.7	9.1	.4	.9	10.4	.6
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	202.035	204.467	204.988	206.061	-1.3	10.7	-3.6	8.2	4.6	2.2
Ice cream and related products .....	194.396	193.196	191.663	192.552	-2.7	6.4	-4.5	-3.7	1.7	-4.1
Other dairy and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	134.919	135.749	133.777	135.368	-2.1	4.9	-5.4	1.3	1.4	-2.1

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**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Fruits and vegetables .....	274.549	269.266	270.413	270.585	0.3	19.7	-9.9	-5.7	9.6	-7.8
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	315.999	308.881	310.020	310.605	1.2	27.0	-13.0	-6.7	13.3	-9.9
Fresh fruits .....	321.947	312.183	311.324	312.952	1.5	21.8	-16.9	-10.7	11.2	-13.9
Apples .....	302.119	296.475	289.084	284.647	16.6	21.5	.6	-21.2	19.0	-11.0
Bananas .....	191.854	195.208	192.918	195.853	-16.4	-10.8	-1.0	8.6	-13.7	3.7
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	208.875	202.988	194.876	194.115	15.8	-13.6	23.4	-25.4	.0	-4.1
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	416.752	402.979	393.290	392.522	33.1	-20.1	12.4	-21.3	3.1	-5.9
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	110.199	105.683	107.886	109.448	-4.7	51.5	-34.0	-2.7	20.2	-19.9
Fresh vegetables .....	308.089	303.517	306.530	306.126	.8	32.5	-9.0	-2.5	15.6	-5.8
Potatoes .....	304.239	296.972	305.588	303.487	-19.0	18.4	3.4	-1.0	-2.1	1.2
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	286.631	279.937	276.559	276.434	111.8	-48.4	10.9	-13.5	4.6	-2.0
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	294.511	293.305	287.509	299.191	147.3	40.5	-63.7	6.5	86.4	-37.8
Other fresh vegetables .....	314.655	307.561	312.066	312.870	-7.7	37.5	.9	-2.2	12.7	-7.7
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	147.332	146.033	146.917	146.437	-2.2	-6	1.0	-2.4	-1.4	-7.7
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	150.933	148.674	150.177	150.619	.8	-4.0	2.4	-8	-1.6	.8
Canned fruits <sup>2 3</sup> .....	140.484	140.044	140.473	143.490	1.0	-5.8	.4	8.8	-2.5	4.5
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	161.506	158.635	161.205	159.537	1.2	-8	.0	-4.8	.2	-2.4
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	139.342	137.581	138.316	137.637	-10.3	7.9	-8	-4.8	-1.6	-2.8
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	196.493	193.022	194.293	193.054	-9.2	11.8	-1.2	-6.8	.8	-4.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	149.633	150.047	150.037	147.892	1.8	-2.0	.3	-4.6	-1	-2.2
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	174.926	173.617	172.273	170.751	-9.1	-2.6	-1.0	-9.2	-5.9	-5.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	160.840	161.755	161.588	161.667	-1.5	-7	-2.6	2.1	-1.1	-3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	123.910	124.520	124.928	124.011	-1.2	-1.5	-3.3	.3	-1.4	-1.5
Carbonated drinks .....	152.975	154.761	156.321	155.104	3.1	6.1	-7.3	5.7	4.6	-1.0
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	147.769	148.821	147.247	148.379	2.6	-1.6	-5.0	1.7	.5	-1.7
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	114.358	114.419	114.461	113.819	-6.0	-4.4	-3.2	-1.9	-5.2	-2.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	113.367	113.822	113.252	115.680	-2.5	.6	.1	8.4	-9	4.2
Coffee .....	183.809	182.146	184.260	189.512	-4.5	-1.6	-1	13.0	-3.1	6.3
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	188.992	187.393	190.891	196.627	-5.5	-3.6	.2	17.2	-4.6	8.4
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	198.930	197.718	197.819	202.587	-3.9	2.0	2.3	7.6	-1.0	4.9
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>3</sup> .....	124.696	126.434	124.324	125.350	-.5	2.0	-8	2.1	.7	.6
Other food at home .....	190.613	190.968	191.436	191.482	1.2	-1.0	-5	1.8	.1	.7
Sugar and sweets .....	199.608	200.816	200.610	202.826	4.5	-1	.3	6.6	2.2	3.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	183.903	185.972	185.114	186.456	9.4	9.6	-6.6	5.7	9.5	-7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	131.714	132.588	131.848	133.442	7.7	-4.3	2.6	5.4	1.5	4.0
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	143.381	144.673	144.076	145.183	-1.8	7.1	-4.1	5.1	2.5	.4
Fats and oils .....	199.817	199.743	201.077	201.256	-.6	-1.3	2.9	2.9	-9	2.9
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	157.051	157.799	160.469	165.471	-1	.9	10.0	23.2	.4	16.4
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	176.301	178.484	184.319	194.468	-3.5	5.1	34.2	48.0	.7	40.9
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	237.036	235.714	238.985	239.494	-1.6	-3.2	-3	4.2	-2.4	1.9
Salad dressing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	123.225	125.767	126.655	125.025	2.8	-2	-7.4	6.0	1.3	-1.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>3</sup> .....	142.966	142.538	142.232	141.256	-1.3	-4.3	-7	-4.7	-2.8	-2.7
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	130.738	129.232	125.338	126.473	-1.9	.0	-5.6	-12.4	-9	-9.1
Other foods .....	204.265	204.548	205.055	204.645	.8	-1.2	-1.1	.7	-2	-2
Soups .....	226.659	226.869	226.350	225.788	-3.2	-8.0	1.4	-1.5	-5.6	-1
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	166.352	165.135	166.451	162.181	-2.9	-1.7	1.6	-9.7	-2.3	-4.2
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	215.668	216.578	216.884	217.687	8.2	2.2	-1.0	3.8	5.2	1.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	212.180	213.350	215.668	214.691	2.3	-5.3	-2.0	4.8	-1.6	1.3
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	121.666	124.582	125.249	124.523	-2.7	2.8	-2.2	9.7	.0	3.6
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	127.747	128.623	133.191	132.737	1.5	11.9	-18.5	16.6	6.6	-2.5
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	126.309	125.866	127.386	127.121	-13.0	2.8	3.6	2.6	-5.4	3.1
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	248.513	249.972	252.623	252.220	-39.4	61.6	5.0	6.1	-1.1	5.5
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	140.154	140.215	141.635	140.613	-3.1	3.3	-8	1.3	.1	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	121.551	122.052	121.787	122.106	1.1	-3	-2.5	1.8	.4	-3
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	106.130	106.697	104.561	105.427	6.8	-1.4	-3.1	-2.6	2.6	-2.9
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	225.970	225.710	226.422	227.075	1.4	.4	1.4	2.3	.9	1.9
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	140.983	141.049	141.325	141.534	1.5	.7	1.8	1.6	1.1	1.7
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	143.626	143.826	144.120	144.263	.7	-8	1.4	1.8	.0	1.6
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	140.958	137.377	140.242	144.105	7.9	3.0	1.8	9.2	5.4	5.5
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	116.675	113.383	117.844	122.159	7.5	.8	-3.7	20.2	4.1	7.6
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	133.011	132.725	132.901	133.251	4.5	1.2	2.6	.7	2.9	1.6

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**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other food away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	159.271	159.338	159.517	160.072	-0.8	4.3	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.8
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.582	223.758	223.789	224.249	2.0	-1.5	1.2	3.0	.2	2.1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	190.239	191.784	191.502	191.786	1.6	-3.9	.9	3.3	-1.2	2.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	200.253	202.002	201.985	202.589	6.2	-5.0	4.3	4.7	.4	4.5
Distilled spirits at home .....	188.212	189.430	189.655	190.316	.2	-2.3	-2.2	4.5	-1.1	1.1
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	195.854	196.492	196.859	196.922	-1.7	6.6	-5.0	2.2	2.4	-1.5
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	183.131	184.577	186.227	187.421	-6.2	5.3	-5.9	9.7	-6	1.6
Wine at home .....	169.407	170.373	169.593	168.916	-2.0	-4.9	-.4	-1.2	-3.5	-.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	291.082	291.629	292.200	293.468	2.5	1.1	1.7	3.3	1.8	2.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	146.982	147.439	147.727	148.019	4.0	.8	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.9
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	160.076	160.191	159.915	160.563	2.2	-1.5	2.3	1.2	.4	1.8
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	151.982	152.487	152.817	153.270	3.1	1.4	-2.0	3.4	2.3	.7
Housing .....	215.933	216.192	216.277	216.157	.3	-1.1	-.6	.4	-.4	-.1
Shelter .....	248.360	248.533	248.475	248.590	-.5	-2.2	.9	.4	-1.4	.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>6</sup> .....	249.201	249.381	249.213	249.535	-.6	.3	.4	.5	-.1	.5
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	137.144	137.410	135.651	135.371	-3.1	-6.7	23.1	-5.1	-4.9	8.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>6 7</sup> .....	426.791	428.097	430.069	430.248	4.8	4.6	4.7	3.3	4.7	4.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	289.539	290.027	285.146	284.390	-3.6	-3.8	27.9	-6.9	-3.7	9.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>6 7</sup> .....	256.370	256.521	256.580	256.667	-.4	-.8	.3	.5	-.6	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>6 7</sup> .....	256.365	256.513	256.575	256.661	-.4	-.8	.3	.5	-.6	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	125.289	125.865	126.463	126.627	5.5	2.0	2.8	4.3	3.7	3.6
Fuels and utilities .....	212.218	213.471	214.372	213.483	8.6	8.8	-7.1	2.4	8.7	-2.5
Household energy .....	187.134	188.333	189.216	187.999	9.5	8.9	-10.1	1.9	9.2	-4.3
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	265.521	261.257	263.196	265.812	51.8	22.0	-14.4	.4	36.1	-7.3
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	273.349	268.947	271.261	273.386	45.3	18.2	-8.9	.1	31.0	-4.5
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	312.558	308.202	308.310	312.574	51.6	29.5	-15.9	.0	40.1	-8.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	191.036	192.576	193.441	191.969	6.9	8.0	-9.8	2.0	7.4	-4.1
Electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	191.010	192.030	192.474	191.967	8.0	2.0	-7.1	2.0	5.0	-2.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>6</sup> .....	188.605	191.779	193.974	189.446	3.4	29.8	-17.7	1.8	15.9	-8.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	170.723	171.409	171.833	172.598	4.8	8.5	5.3	4.5	6.6	4.9
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>6</sup> .....	380.448	382.436	383.310	385.269	6.2	9.9	6.9	5.2	8.0	6.0
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 9</sup> .....	383.749	383.832	385.010	385.920	1.0	4.4	.4	2.3	2.7	1.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.203	125.135	125.193	124.729	-2.5	-3.7	-3.7	-1.5	-3.1	-2.6
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	72.287	71.038	70.133	69.766	-7.2	-.3	-6.9	-13.2	-3.8	-10.1
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	114.701	114.983	114.047	113.843	-3.3	-10.1	1.8	-3.0	-6.8	-.6
Window coverings <sup>3</sup> .....	77.235	77.308	76.516	73.831	-2.0	-9.6	-3.3	-16.5	-5.9	-10.1
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	61.278	59.330	58.515	58.845	-12.6	7.0	-8.5	-15.0	-3.3	-11.8
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	119.699	119.036	118.324	118.041	-3.8	-4.5	-7.2	-5.4	-4.2	-6.3
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	135.420	135.047	135.465	135.883	-10.1	-4.7	-6.2	1.4	-7.4	-2.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	88.662	88.205	88.108	88.119	-.1	-5.8	-4.9	-2.4	-3.0	-3.7
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	82.222	82.531	80.174	79.646	-1.6	-14.9	-12.4	-12.0	-8.5	-12.2
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	86.848	86.904	87.248	86.886	-8.8	1.5	-7.1	.2	-3.8	-3.5
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	97.712	97.627	97.848	97.247	-3.7	1.0	-6.1	-1.9	-1.4	-4.0
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.372	110.322	110.655	110.272	.3	.2	-8.1	-.4	.2	-4.3
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	73.053	73.279	73.747	73.670	-16.5	2.3	-8.6	3.4	-7.6	-2.8
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	70.538	70.122	70.218	69.851	-7.1	-1.8	-6.9	-3.8	-4.5	-5.4
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	62.522	62.092	62.186	61.181	-7.5	-6.7	-9.0	-8.3	-7.1	-8.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>10</sup> .....	125.026	125.851	127.794	126.772	-1.1	-3.5	-2.3	5.7	-2.3	1.6
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	68.608	67.764	67.270	70.012	-16.2	2.9	-10.7	8.4	-7.1	-1.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>3</sup> .....	96.764	96.011	96.875	97.272	-2.0	-1.5	.8	2.1	-1.7	1.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	91.601	91.500	91.308	90.904	-2.3	-3.6	-2.1	-3.0	-2.9	-2.6
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	97.140	96.448	95.744	95.667	-3.4	.5	-.2	-5.9	-1.4	-3.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	88.767	88.808	88.548	88.294	-2.4	-4.4	-3.0	-2.1	-3.4	-2.5
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	182.626	183.307	183.996	183.512	.2	.8	-1.8	2.0	.5	.1
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	119.782	120.340	120.194	120.273	.3	-1.8	-6.3	1.6	-.7	-2.4
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	156.280	158.438	159.837	159.059	-.1	.6	.7	7.3	.2	4.0
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	117.592	116.975	117.625	117.076	.4	4.1	1.6	-1.7	2.2	-.1
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	150.560	150.747	150.630	150.346	-.7	-.5	1.5	-.6	-.6	.5
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	144.195	144.195	144.283	144.331	.7	.5	-.7	.4	.6	-.2
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	155.307	155.165	154.948	154.948	1.5	-2.0	.1	-.9	-.2	-.4

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**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 3</sup> .....	126.652	128.234	128.408	126.550	-12.4	-6.1	13.7	-0.3	-9.3	6.5
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	182.731	182.493	181.253	181.298	.0	8.7	.3	-3.1	4.2	-1.4
Apparel .....	119.705	120.373	120.205	119.444	-.7	-4.5	1.3	-.9	-2.6	.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.432	113.220	113.094	112.412	-3.6	-3.9	9.0	-3.5	-3.7	2.5
Men's apparel .....	119.485	119.075	117.897	117.571	-1.7	-.6	8.4	-6.3	-1.1	.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	119.632	119.938	118.010	116.216	2.7	7.5	12.4	-10.9	5.1	.0
Men's furnishings .....	140.044	140.108	139.837	141.312	4.6	9.0	-7.6	3.7	6.8	-2.1
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	80.526	80.184	80.353	78.661	-6.5	-11.8	21.2	-8.9	-9.2	5.0
Men's pants and shorts .....	110.303	109.392	107.759	108.753	-8.4	2.5	3.6	-5.5	-3.1	-1.1
Boys' apparel .....	91.517	91.809	95.906	93.508	-12.0	-15.8	11.5	9.0	-13.9	10.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	106.627	108.074	107.759	106.293	-1.6	-5.0	-3.9	-1.2	-3.4	-2.6
Women's apparel .....	108.994	110.762	111.097	109.506	2.3	-5.2	-2.1	1.9	-1.5	-.1
Women's outerwear .....	87.806	90.790	91.114	90.667	15.6	-6.9	-21.9	13.7	3.8	-5.7
Women's dresses .....	108.758	112.529	112.886	112.655	-1.1	2.4	-20.9	15.1	.7	-4.6
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	84.727	85.386	84.792	82.340	-.5	-8.6	7.1	-10.8	-4.6	-2.3
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	95.232	96.185	97.586	98.491	5.6	1.7	-2.7	14.4	3.6	5.5
Girls' apparel .....	95.113	95.079	91.777	90.890	-19.0	-4.1	-12.7	-16.6	-11.8	-14.7
Footwear .....	128.153	128.465	127.882	128.327	4.1	-5.0	2.6	.5	-.6	1.6
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	127.895	127.351	125.679	127.462	1.2	-3.4	3.9	-1.3	-1.1	1.2
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	129.545	128.237	129.573	134.942	-2.8	-1.2	-8.7	17.7	-2.0	3.7
Women's footwear .....	126.697	127.145	127.063	124.931	10.7	-7.4	6.0	-5.5	1.3	.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	114.727	117.212	115.667	114.148	-7.9	1.3	2.5	-2.0	-3.4	.2
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	151.669	149.306	152.465	154.225	5.9	-3.2	2.6	6.9	1.3	4.7
Watches <sup>1 8</sup> .....	114.465	114.904	115.772	114.038	-2.5	3.3	-2.5	-1.5	.4	-2.0
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	160.308	157.401	161.286	163.720	6.6	-3.3	2.8	8.8	1.6	5.7
Transportation .....	188.135	190.544	192.909	193.961	12.4	4.6	-10.1	13.0	8.5	.8
Private transportation .....	183.147	185.797	188.302	189.331	12.0	5.4	-11.5	14.2	8.6	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	97.307	97.557	97.908	97.739	10.8	3.1	1.3	1.8	6.9	1.5
New vehicles .....	137.939	138.139	138.529	138.704	7.0	-1.2	.4	2.2	2.8	1.3
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	95.617	95.769	96.065	96.160	7.1	-1.1	.6	2.3	2.9	1.4
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	138.113	138.088	138.008	138.562	9.5	-2.9	-.4	1.3	3.1	.4
New trucks <sup>2 9</sup> .....	142.461	143.024	143.494	143.860	6.0	.0	1.3	4.0	3.0	2.7
Used cars and trucks .....	143.950	145.088	146.093	145.139	32.5	11.4	6.6	3.3	21.5	4.9
Leased cars and trucks <sup>11</sup> .....	97.143	96.356	95.732	95.187	-7.6	2.5	-10.2	-7.8	-2.7	-9.0
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	123.200	122.036	125.122	126.895	-12.3	-16.3	3.1	12.5	-14.3	7.7
Motor fuel .....	215.489	224.977	233.847	238.064	20.5	9.5	-37.3	49.0	14.9	-3.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	214.321	224.135	232.965	236.714	23.6	8.6	-38.9	48.8	15.9	-4.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	213.020	223.238	232.210	236.172	23.0	8.5	-39.5	51.1	15.5	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 12</sup> .....	221.259	230.646	239.947	243.952	22.0	7.6	-36.5	47.8	14.6	-3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	210.544	218.608	227.177	230.819	19.1	8.8	-35.2	44.4	13.8	-3.2
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	215.674	213.310	214.813	214.571	21.2	16.5	9.2	-2.0	18.8	3.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	136.686	137.236	137.646	137.802	4.2	2.2	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.4
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	122.908	123.576	124.324	124.185	5.0	3.0	2.2	4.2	4.0	3.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	149.573	149.778	149.365	150.174	2.9	.8	5.9	1.6	1.9	3.7
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	143.803	144.094	144.095	143.746	2.6	.3	3.7	-.2	1.5	1.8
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	307.184	307.786	306.414	312.531	1.9	5.1	16.0	7.1	3.5	11.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	247.635	247.536	248.390	249.231	1.5	2.0	1.6	2.6	1.8	2.1
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	255.416	255.156	255.375	255.500	1.7	.6	6.6	.1	1.1	3.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	225.263	224.827	225.255	226.233	2.9	1.4	.9	1.7	2.1	1.3
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 3</sup> .....	152.354	152.476	153.224	153.684	.5	2.6	1.7	3.5	1.6	2.6
Motor vehicle insurance .....	374.678	376.651	377.312	378.577	5.2	6.8	4.3	4.2	6.0	4.3
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	165.526	165.917	165.838	165.818	9.0	3.2	1.0	.7	6.0	.9
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	165.024	165.326	165.223	164.969	13.7	4.2	.5	-.1	8.9	.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	166.561	167.119	167.076	167.453	1.1	1.4	1.9	2.2	1.2	2.0
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	178.100	178.911	178.821	179.258	1.5	1.1	1.7	2.6	1.3	2.1
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	120.778	120.815	120.848	120.875	-2.6	2.7	3.2	.3	.0	1.7
Public transportation .....	252.626	250.567	250.191	251.529	19.0	-5.5	11.2	-1.7	6.0	4.5
Airline fare .....	280.065	276.677	276.269	276.791	30.2	-10.9	14.3	-4.6	7.7	4.4
Other intercity transportation .....	152.568	151.068	149.718	153.185	4.5	13.5	-.9	1.6	8.9	.3

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	108.756	109.076	108.587	109.220	23.8	-4.4	5.0	1.7	8.8	3.3
Intercity train fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	114.273	125.585	125.840	116.763	5.5	-18.1	65.9	9.0	-7.1	34.5
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	64.293	63.787	63.339	63.486	7.9	12.2	-9.3	-4.9	10.1	-7.1
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	260.591	262.714	263.283	263.706	1.6	2.3	4.2	4.9	1.9	4.5
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 2 13</sup> .....	102.534	103.532	103.916	104.091	-	4.1	6.2	6.2	-	6.2
Medical care .....	388.254	387.933	388.842	391.328	2.5	5.7	2.3	3.2	4.1	2.8
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	314.888	314.113	314.881	315.804	7	7.7	1.1	1.2	4.2	1.1
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	102.389	102.124	102.373	102.644	-	8.3	1.5	1.0	-	1.3
Prescription drugs .....	407.509	407.253	409.801	410.984	2.8	7.1	2.5	3.5	4.9	3.0
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	100.823	100.009	99.205	99.361	-	2.9	4	-5.7	-	-2.7
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 13</sup> .....	97.888	97.901	98.145	98.984	-	-1.9	-6.4	4.6	-	-1.1
Medical care services .....	410.880	410.759	411.709	414.806	3.1	5.0	2.8	3.9	4.0	3.3
Professional services .....	327.522	328.610	329.413	330.705	2.2	2.9	2.6	3.9	2.6	3.3
Physicians' services <sup>6</sup> .....	330.710	332.087	332.603	333.915	1.7	5.3	2.9	3.9	3.5	3.4
Dental services <sup>6</sup> .....	398.319	398.913	400.183	401.302	4.0	-3	4.6	3.0	1.8	3.8
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	176.054	175.747	176.784	178.340	-1.2	-1.5	1	5.3	-1.4	2.7
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 6 8</sup> .....	213.880	214.315	215.023	215.365	3.2	5.0	-4	2.8	4.1	1.2
Hospital and related services <sup>6</sup> .....	607.995	605.466	608.304	617.619	6.6	10.6	5.5	6.5	8.6	6.0
Hospital services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	227.240	225.997	227.177	231.248	7.3	12.5	5.4	7.2	9.9	6.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 14</sup> .....	221.385	220.176	221.523	225.965	7.5	15.5	6.0	8.5	11.4	7.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 8</sup> .....	520.974	517.887	519.357	527.246	7.4	7.1	4.3	4.9	7.3	4.6
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	177.471	177.839	178.299	178.611	3.3	1.9	6.2	2.6	2.6	4.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 5</sup> .....	111.160	111.542	111.656	111.729	4	4.2	2	2.1	2.3	1.1
Health insurance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	106.809	105.993	105.497	105.570	-5.1	1.4	-6.7	-4.6	-1.9	-5.7
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	113.695	113.599	113.375	113.028	-3.3	-1.0	1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-5
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	99.598	99.240	98.747	98.746	-1.9	-3.1	-2	-3.4	-2.5	-1.8
Televisions .....	8.084	7.922	7.705	7.674	-26.0	-28.5	-12.9	-18.8	-27.3	-15.9
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>9</sup> .....	373.308	373.199	371.952	372.635	2.3	-1.1	3.4	-7	6	1.3
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	15.828	15.787	15.719	15.564	-15.0	-5.8	-23.0	-6.5	-10.5	-15.1
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 3</sup> .....	76.620	75.658	76.051	75.605	8	5.7	-7.3	-5.2	3.2	-6.3
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	53.807	53.030	53.495	52.744	-1.0	3.7	-17.6	-7.7	1.4	-12.8
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	102.148	100.795	101.607	101.686	1.3	5.8	-2	-1.8	3.5	-1.0
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	47.334	47.309	47.196	47.229	-8	-3.3	-3.9	-9	-2.1	-2.4
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	94.174	93.705	94.031	93.284	-7.2	7	4.8	-3.7	-3.3	-4.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	153.857	154.039	154.045	153.960	-2	1.2	-8	3	5	-2
Pets and pet products .....	192.255	191.020	191.733	190.411	-1.8	1.1	-4.8	-3.8	-4	-4.3
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	143.316	142.261	142.948	143.190	-5.0	4.1	-2.7	-4	-6	-1.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	117.710	117.416	117.284	114.920	-2.9	-1.3	-2.3	-9.1	-2.1	-5.8
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	190.079	192.806	191.608	193.583	2.3	1.3	6.9	7.6	1.8	7.2
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	157.624	158.232	158.224	158.346	-2.8	2.1	2.2	1.8	-4	2.0
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	198.442	198.506	197.270	202.015	3.0	1.9	8.1	7.4	2.4	7.8
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	119.592	119.482	119.047	118.816	-5.9	1.7	2.6	-2.6	-2.2	0
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	141.597	141.613	141.397	142.211	-1.8	1.8	3.8	1.7	0	2.8
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	98.745	98.545	97.949	96.904	-10.8	1.6	1.2	-7.3	-4.8	-3.1
Photography <sup>3</sup> .....	80.436	79.934	79.074	78.702	-2.9	-2.4	8	-8.3	-2.6	-3.9
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	71.182	70.450	68.613	67.424	-5.9	-1.6	-7.9	-19.5	-3.8	-13.9
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	89.880	90.389	89.130	89.333	-6.3	5.8	-3.8	-2.4	-4	-3.1
Photographic equipment <sup>2 3</sup> .....	32.792	32.291	31.427	30.671	-6.8	-5.6	-8.7	-23.5	-6.2	-16.4
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	112.534	112.150	112.152	112.593	-4	-2.9	7.6	2	-1.6	3.8
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	120.760	119.341	121.474	120.482	5.7	-2.1	2.1	-9	1.7	6
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	107.939	107.954	107.451	108.670	-1.3	-3.5	11.5	2.7	-2.4	7.0
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	58.002	57.233	57.045	57.318	-11.1	4.6	-6.8	-4.6	-3.6	-5.7
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	59.435	58.665	58.431	58.528	-16.6	3.9	-7.2	-6.0	-6.9	-6.6
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	62.220	61.427	61.483	61.537	-15.7	3.7	-5.0	-4.3	-6.5	-4.6
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	93.809	91.564	91.744	93.647	9	13.4	-8.5	-7	6.9	-4.7
Music instruments and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	97.527	97.287	96.792	97.648	9	2	-1.6	5	6	-6
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	145.761	146.393	146.617	145.145	-4.1	-2.7	6.7	-1.7	-3.4	2.4
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>3</sup> .....	123.704	124.565	124.703	122.172	-8.8	-7.2	6.9	-4.9	-8.0	8
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	325.372	326.168	326.799	325.204	-9	-5	8.4	-2	-7	4.0

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	156.466	157.111	157.372	156.636	-1.1	-1.0	8.4	0.4	-1.0	4.3
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	178.852	178.265	178.693	177.646	.7	2.1	8.4	-2.7	1.4	2.7
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 8</sup> .....	264.681	265.188	265.474	265.263	-.2	.5	.4	.9	.1	.6
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	221.012	220.802	220.161	219.955	-.9	.2	-.8	-1.9	-.3	-1.4
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup> .....	135.524	135.235	134.370	134.270	1.1	1.8	-.2	-3.7	1.5	-2.0
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup> .....	105.663	105.709	105.835	105.715	-3.4	-1.6	-1.5	.2	-2.5	-.7
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	130.083	130.355	130.369	130.220	1.4	3.2	1.7	.4	2.3	1.1
Education <sup>3</sup> .....	199.925	200.686	200.746	200.358	3.9	5.9	5.2	.9	4.9	3.0
Educational books and supplies .....	509.604	508.430	501.521	504.653	6.0	4.3	6.2	-3.8	5.2	1.1
College textbooks <sup>1 2 11</sup> .....	168.453	168.462	168.664	169.952	2.7	6.0	1.7	3.6	4.3	2.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	574.662	577.097	577.834	576.388	3.8	6.1	5.1	1.2	4.9	3.1
College tuition and fees .....	640.105	643.197	644.948	641.964	4.5	6.3	5.6	1.2	5.4	3.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	625.181	630.304	625.220	626.980	4.2	5.8	4.3	1.2	5.0	2.7
Child care and nursery school <sup>10</sup> .....	241.246	241.492	242.194	241.333	2.8	6.1	4.7	.1	4.5	2.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup> .....	200.133	201.964	200.908	202.634	4.0	4.2	3.5	5.1	4.1	4.3
Communication <sup>3</sup> .....	84.657	84.702	84.695	84.660	-1.0	.6	-1.3	.0	-.2	-.7
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	145.961	145.900	145.759	145.730	1.2	7.5	.0	-.6	4.3	-.3
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	229.846	229.846	229.846	229.846	.0	5.8	.0	.0	2.9	.0
Delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	227.321	225.614	221.642	220.813	21.0	44.3	.3	-11.0	32.1	-5.5
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	81.487	81.535	81.532	81.497	-1.2	.2	-1.4	.0	-.5	-.7
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	102.303	102.471	102.534	102.633	-1.0	-1.6	.0	1.3	-1.3	.7
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	62.423	62.489	62.490	62.466	-4.8	-6.6	-.8	.3	-5.7	-.3
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	101.398	101.632	101.765	102.022	-	4.7	1.0	2.5	-	1.7
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 15</sup> .....	9.422	9.399	9.381	9.339	-1.8	5.6	-5.3	-3.5	1.8	-4.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	75.891	76.160	76.281	76.330	-2.1	-4.1	-8.2	2.3	-3.1	-3.1
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	46.004	44.841	45.125	45.159	1.8	-2.4	-20.0	-7.1	-.3	-13.8
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup> .....	77.467	77.200	77.073	76.794	-4.1	11.2	-1.1	-3.4	3.3	-2.3
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	34.215	34.317	33.969	33.348	2.0	-11.6	3.4	-9.8	-5.0	-3.4
Other goods and services .....	380.603	383.432	384.493	383.948	3.4	.8	2.4	3.6	2.1	3.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	806.154	819.214	822.662	823.766	6.8	1.8	9.9	9.0	4.2	9.5
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	328.416	334.308	335.707	336.118	6.8	1.5	10.1	9.7	4.1	9.9
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	217.452	216.076	217.065	217.720	5.8	5.0	7.7	.5	5.4	4.1
Personal care .....	206.246	207.160	207.630	207.136	2.2	.4	-.1	1.7	1.3	.8
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	160.061	161.372	161.337	160.985	-.2	.2	-5.6	2.3	.0	-1.7
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	102.837	103.646	104.149	104.407	-2.2	4.1	-11.1	6.2	.9	-2.8
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	182.416	183.974	182.985	181.718	1.8	-3.7	.4	-1.5	-1.0	-.5
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	230.225	230.519	230.354	230.332	.1	.2	3.2	.2	.1	1.7
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	140.475	140.654	140.554	140.540	.1	.2	3.2	.2	.1	1.7
Miscellaneous personal services .....	353.072	354.973	355.528	355.275	6.0	2.5	1.1	2.5	4.3	1.8
Legal services <sup>8</sup> .....	286.089	287.475	289.423	291.089	8.9	3.0	.2	7.2	5.9	3.7
Funeral expenses <sup>8</sup> .....	280.952	281.959	282.080	283.428	3.7	1.0	.7	3.6	2.3	2.1
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>3</sup> .....	142.015	142.042	142.051	142.236	3.8	3.1	.4	.6	3.5	.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup> .....	157.271	158.599	158.346	158.393	4.3	4.5	-.2	2.9	4.4	1.3
Financial services <sup>1 8</sup> .....	269.825	269.881	270.523	268.609	.8	5.4	5.8	-1.8	3.1	1.9
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	128.477	128.510	128.883	128.883	3.1	5.7	8.1	1.3	4.4	4.6
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup> .....	179.637	181.696	182.631	179.188	.8	-.3	11.7	-1.0	.3	5.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup> .....	87.520	87.362	88.283	87.332	1.2	-2.8	-4.5	-.9	-.8	-2.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	155.342	155.413	157.170	155.842	3.5	-.4	-5.1	1.3	1.5	-2.0
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	172.440	173.368	174.304	174.665	4.4	2.2	-5.2	5.3	3.3	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	147.598	148.890	150.042	150.262	6.4	2.2	-8.5	7.4	4.3	-.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	183.771	186.102	188.620	189.461	7.9	1.8	-13.6	13.0	4.8	-1.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	227.173	231.395	235.953	237.892	9.0	5.5	-19.4	20.3	7.2	-1.6
Durables .....	111.381	111.465	111.895	111.580	6.8	-.6	-.2	.7	3.0	.3
Services .....	261.169	261.549	261.680	261.781	1.1	.3	1.1	.9	.7	1.0
Rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	258.297	257.998	258.276	259.063	-.4	-3.4	.9	1.2	-1.9	1.0
Transportation services .....	259.909	259.852	260.059	260.777	5.5	2.1	3.3	1.3	3.8	2.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Other services .....	310.105	310.990	311.046	310.495	0.9	1.5	3.2	0.5	1.2	1.8
All items less food .....	216.564	217.361	217.947	218.095	2.7	.7	-1.8	2.9	1.7	.5
All items less shelter .....	207.070	207.943	208.744	209.012	3.9	2.5	-2.6	3.8	3.2	.6
All items less medical care .....	208.536	209.236	209.770	209.905	2.5	.6	-1.7	2.7	1.5	.4
Commodities less food .....	150.242	151.537	152.662	152.889	6.2	2.1	-8.1	7.2	4.1	-8
Nondurables less food .....	185.878	188.502	190.950	191.839	6.1	2.7	-13.5	13.5	4.4	-9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	225.675	229.614	233.855	235.546	8.3	4.9	-17.9	18.7	6.6	-1.3
Nondurables .....	201.106	202.701	204.516	205.209	4.4	2.6	-8.5	8.4	3.5	-4
Apparel less footwear .....	113.474	114.194	114.120	113.130	-1.8	-4.3	1.0	-1.2	-3.0	-1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	284.147	284.537	284.979	285.138	3.6	2.9	1.3	1.4	3.2	1.4
Services less medical care services .....	249.234	249.251	249.511	249.872	1.3	-.9	.9	1.0	.2	1.0
Energy .....	199.059	204.195	208.874	210.256	15.3	9.2	-25.7	24.5	12.2	-3.8
All items less energy .....	220.463	220.684	220.823	220.930	1.3	.2	1.2	.9	.7	1.0
All items less food and energy .....	221.388	221.676	221.779	221.781	1.3	-.2	1.3	.7	.6	1.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	143.626	143.923	144.079	143.727	2.9	-.1	-.1	.3	1.4	.1
Energy commodities .....	219.487	228.353	236.938	241.105	22.1	10.2	-36.2	45.6	16.0	-3.6
Services less energy services .....	268.337	268.610	268.672	268.921	.7	-.2	1.9	.9	.3	1.4
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	221.221	220.855	221.010	221.904	1.3	4.8	-.3	1.2	3.0	.5
Utilities and public transportation .....	203.613	203.548	203.847	203.601	2.1	3.7	1.5	.0	2.9	.7

1 Not seasonally adjusted.  
 2 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
 3 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
 4 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
 5 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
 6 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
 7 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
 8 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
 9 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

10 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
 11 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
 12 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
 13 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
 14 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
 15 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories<sup>1</sup>**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Food and beverages</b>									
Rice <sup>2</sup> .....	158.081	157.813	156.436	154.313	-0.1	-0.2	-0.9	-1.4	-2.4
White bread .....	293.305	290.297	290.049	293.757	1.0	-1.0	-1	1.3	1.4
Bread other than white .....	309.418	307.975	294.747	301.285	.7	-5	-4.3	2.2	-1.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....	256.919	256.177	254.820	256.586	.1	-3	-5	.7	-3
Cookies .....	245.558	243.538	245.122	242.773	-3	-8	.7	-1.0	1.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts .....	250.274	251.127	252.299	256.323	-2.1	.3	.5	1.6	1.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....	285.111	285.633	288.138	289.682	-1.4	.2	.9	.5	-6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers .....	259.282	260.356	257.489	254.985	-3	.4	-1.1	-1.0	.1
Bacon and related products .....	225.645	233.322	239.733	247.874	2.1	3.4	2.7	3.4	15.7
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	129.430	132.247	131.202	132.003	1.1	2.2	-8	.6	4.2
Ham, excluding canned .....	213.489	218.660	217.638	222.425	2.8	2.4	-5	2.2	8.2
Frankfurters .....	186.630	183.821	187.567	187.251	3.5	-1.5	2.0	-2	.1
Lunchmeats <sup>2</sup> .....	128.347	128.235	128.825	129.970	1.5	-1	.5	.9	2.0
Lamb and organ meats .....	281.239	282.657	279.882	283.669	1.0	.5	-1.0	1.4	9.4
Lamb and mutton <sup>2</sup> .....	170.631	169.852	166.840	171.161	.4	-5	-1.8	2.6	9.4
Fresh whole chicken .....	205.371	212.339	205.540	212.478	-6	3.4	-3.2	3.4	2.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts .....	202.478	201.230	201.435	201.420	1.0	-6	.1	.0	.1
Canned fish and seafood .....	171.252	176.043	174.976	177.701	.0	2.8	-6	1.6	1.3
Frozen fish and seafood .....	265.106	268.869	264.540	267.308	-6	1.4	-1.6	1.0	1.5
Fresh whole milk .....	192.196	193.543	192.241	191.591	3.0	.7	-7	-3	8.3
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>2</sup> .....	136.734	137.914	138.566	137.037	.8	.9	.5	-1.1	5.4
Oranges, including tangerines .....	423.991	437.430	459.012	465.017	9.3	3.2	4.9	1.3	-1.5
Canned fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	142.767	142.052	141.766	144.305	-2	-5	-2	1.8	1.0
Canned vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	162.330	161.124	163.388	161.858	2.0	-7	1.4	-9	-1.1
Frozen vegetables .....	195.711	195.041	195.449	194.508	-5	-3	.2	-5	-1.7
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>2</sup> .....	174.926	173.617	172.273	170.751	1.1	-7	-8	-9	-5.5
Roasted coffee .....	190.682	189.994	193.348	197.101	.3	-4	1.8	1.9	1.7
Instant and freeze dried coffee .....	198.930	197.718	197.819	202.587	.1	-6	.1	2.4	1.9
Butter .....	175.470	180.383	186.779	197.501	.5	2.8	3.5	5.7	19.1
Margarine .....	236.396	238.378	242.224	240.220	-8	.8	1.6	-8	-2
Peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	130.738	129.232	125.338	126.473	.7	-1.2	-3.0	.9	-5.1
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2</sup> .....	121.666	124.582	125.249	124.523	-1	2.4	.5	-6	1.8
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>2</sup> .....	127.747	128.623	133.191	132.737	-4.0	.7	3.6	-3	1.9
Sauces and gravies <sup>2</sup> .....	126.309	125.866	127.386	127.121	-1.2	-4	1.2	-2	-1.2
Other condiments .....	248.513	249.972	252.623	252.220	.0	.6	1.1	-2	2.2
Prepared salads <sup>3</sup> .....	106.130	106.697	104.561	105.427	4.7	.5	-2.0	.8	-2
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>4</sup> .....	116.675	113.383	117.844	122.159	-1.0	-2.8	3.9	3.7	5.8
Whiskey at home .....	195.854	196.492	196.859	196.922	.1	.3	.2	.0	.4
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home .....	183.131	184.577	186.227	187.421	-2	.8	.9	.6	.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	146.982	147.439	147.727	148.019	.2	.3	.2	.2	2.6
Wine away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	160.076	160.191	159.915	160.563	.4	.1	-2	.4	1.1
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	152.296	152.380	153.004	153.414	-1	.1	.4	.3	1.5
<b>Housing</b>									
Infants' furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Laundry equipment .....	110.372	110.322	110.655	110.272	-1.0	.0	.3	-3	-2.1
<b>Transportation</b>									
New cars and trucks <sup>2</sup> .....	95.303	95.180	95.055	95.235	-2	-1	-1	.2	2.2
New cars .....	137.759	137.462	137.180	137.423	-1	-2	-2	.2	1.8
New trucks <sup>5</sup> .....	142.049	141.953	141.939	142.176	-2	-1	.0	.2	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	233.387	233.266	234.212	230.950	-5.0	-1	.4	-1.4	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6</sup> .....	240.533	240.448	241.677	238.275	-4.5	.0	.5	-1.4	5.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	228.172	227.932	229.072	225.889	-4.2	-1	.5	-1.4	5.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires .....	143.803	144.094	144.095	143.746	.1	.2	.0	-2	1.6
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids .....	307.184	307.786	306.414	312.531	.6	.2	-4	2.0	7.4
Parking fees and tolls <sup>2</sup> .....	178.100	178.911	178.821	179.258	.1	.5	-1	.2	1.7
Automobile service clubs <sup>2</sup> .....	120.778	120.815	120.848	120.875	.4	.0	.0	.0	.8
Intercity bus fare <sup>3</sup> .....	108.756	109.076	108.587	109.220	.2	.3	-4	.6	6.0
Intercity train fare <sup>3</sup> .....	114.273	125.585	125.840	116.763	6.4	9.9	.2	-7.2	11.8
Ship fare <sup>2</sup> .....	64.339	64.327	63.484	63.220	-2.6	.0	-1.3	-4	1.1
Intracity mass transit <sup>7</sup> .....	102.534	103.532	103.916	104.091	.4	1.0	.4	.2	-

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories<sup>1</sup>-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Medical care</b>									
Inpatient hospital services <sup>8 9</sup> .....	221.036	219.857	220.785	224.883	0.3	-0.5	0.4	1.9	9.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>9 10</sup> .....	518.739	516.391	516.973	524.673	.0	-5	.1	1.5	5.9
<b>Recreation</b>									
Video discs and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	53.807	53.030	53.495	52.744	-3.2	-1.4	.9	-1.4	-6.0
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	102.148	100.795	101.607	101.686	-.4	-1.3	.8	.1	1.2
Pet food <sup>2</sup> .....	143.316	142.261	142.948	143.190	-.1	-.7	.5	.2	-1.1
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	117.218	117.993	118.055	115.731	-1.5	.7	.1	-2.0	-4.0
Pet services <sup>2</sup> .....	157.624	158.232	158.224	158.346	.2	.4	.0	.1	.8
Veterinarian services <sup>2</sup> .....	198.691	198.774	197.773	202.217	.3	.0	-.5	2.2	5.1
Film and photographic supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	89.880	90.389	89.130	89.333	.8	.6	-1.4	.2	-1.8
Photographic equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	32.621	32.347	31.892	31.440	-1.3	-.8	-1.4	-1.4	-11.4
Photographer fees <sup>2</sup> .....	120.760	119.341	121.474	120.482	-.1	-1.2	1.8	-.8	1.2
Film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	107.939	107.954	107.451	108.670	.4	.0	-.5	1.1	2.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	62.220	61.427	61.483	61.537	-.7	-1.3	.1	.1	-5.6
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2</sup> .....	156.466	157.111	157.372	156.636	.9	.4	.2	-.5	1.6
Admission to sporting events <sup>2</sup> .....	178.852	178.265	178.693	177.646	.6	-.3	.2	-.6	2.0
<b>Education and communication</b>									
College textbooks <sup>11</sup> .....	168.453	168.462	168.664	169.952	.4	.0	.1	.8	3.5
<b>Other goods and services</b>									
Checking account and other bank services <sup>2</sup> .....	128.477	128.510	128.883	128.883	.0	.0	.3	.0	4.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2</sup> .....	180.341	180.580	180.719	179.071	-.1	.1	.1	-.9	2.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap .....	156.405	155.692	154.532	153.581	.4	-.5	-.7	-.6	-.2
Infants' equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	214.205	214.306	1.4	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	638.052	638.353	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.425	219.175	219.817	1.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Food .....	15.333	218.696	219.376	1.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Food at home .....	8.900	214.392	215.058	1.4	.3	.0	.0	.3
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.257	250.327	250.654	-.4	.1	-.2	.2	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.144	208.676	211.109	5.0	1.2	.3	-.3	.9
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.898	197.651	197.812	3.0	.1	.6	-.1	.1
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.223	263.946	266.461	.2	1.0	-1.8	.4	.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.123	161.353	161.210	-.7	-.1	.7	-.2	-.1
Other food at home .....	2.254	191.226	190.318	.2	-.5	.2	.3	-.1
Sugar and sweets .....	.321	198.872	200.971	2.5	1.1	.4	-.2	1.1
Fats and oils .....	.259	201.786	202.118	.7	.2	.0	.6	.1
Other foods .....	1.674	206.021	204.234	-.3	-.9	.2	.3	-.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.472	121.804	122.164	-.3	.3	.3	-.3	.3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.433	226.481	227.188	1.4	.3	-.1	.3	.3
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.321	159.866	160.755	2.3	.6	.1	.1	.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.092	224.749	224.828	1.5	.0	.7	.1	.1
Housing .....	39.753	213.603	213.294	.0	-.1	.1	.0	.0
Shelter .....	30.171	242.295	242.338	-.2	.0	.1	.0	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.476	247.250	247.589	.0	.1	.0	-.1	.1
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.432	140.967	136.488	1.2	-3.2	.3	-2.0	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.959	232.373	232.472	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.218	232.374	232.473	-.1	.0	.1	.0	.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.303	127.526	127.718	4.1	.2	.5	.5	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	5.632	218.703	216.787	2.8	-.9	.6	.6	-.4
Household energy .....	4.517	193.259	191.066	2.2	-1.1	.6	.7	-.7
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.271	264.904	267.283	12.3	.9	-1.6	.6	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.246	198.640	196.143	1.6	-1.3	.8	.7	-.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.114	172.934	173.258	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	3.950	120.912	120.560	-3.0	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	153.542	152.851	-.5	-.5	.3	-.1	-.5
Apparel .....	3.788	115.600	119.942	-1.8	3.8	.4	-.4	-.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.945	110.005	111.901	-1.6	1.7	-.5	.1	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.568	101.483	108.532	-3.2	6.9	.8	-.7	-.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.285	116.066	116.688	-2.0	.5	2.0	-2.1	-1.6
Footwear .....	.781	125.535	128.436	-.4	2.3	.3	-.5	-.2
Transportation .....	18.647	192.657	191.517	5.2	-.6	1.5	1.6	.6
Private transportation .....	17.881	189.261	188.152	5.2	-.6	1.6	1.7	.7
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.952	97.389	96.860	5.7	-.5	.3	.4	-.3
New vehicles .....	3.385	138.152	138.353	2.0	.1	.1	.2	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.944	148.782	146.959	12.9	-1.2	.8	.7	-.6
Motor fuel .....	5.774	236.436	233.370	5.5	-1.3	4.4	4.7	2.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.530	235.966	232.783	5.2	-1.3	4.6	3.9	1.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.472	137.612	137.728	3.2	.1	.4	.3	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.180	251.084	251.938	2.1	.3	.0	.4	.3
Public transportation .....	.766	251.634	249.816	4.9	-.7	-.6	.0	.4
Medical care .....	5.261	389.905	392.028	3.6	.5	.0	.2	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.301	306.541	307.322	2.7	.3	-.2	.3	.3
Medical care services .....	3.961	414.344	416.993	3.9	.6	.0	.2	.7
Professional services .....	2.195	332.656	333.547	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	1.339	607.181	615.785	7.9	1.4	-0.2	0.5	1.5
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	6.031	109.967	109.626	-1.4	-3	-2	-2	-3
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	2.046	99.385	99.199	-2.0	-2	-3	-4	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	6.175	125.425	125.818	1.2	.3	.2	.0	-1
Education <sup>2</sup>	2.327	198.537	200.329	4.0	.9	.4	.0	-2
Educational books and supplies	.196	508.150	512.303	3.1	.8	-3	-1.1	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.131	558.909	563.998	4.1	.9	.4	.1	-3
Communication <sup>2</sup>	3.848	87.391	87.343	-.5	-1	.1	.0	-1
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup>	3.715	85.201	85.154	-.6	-1	.1	.0	-1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup>	2.906	102.239	102.325	-.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup>	.809	9.947	9.891	-.8	-6	-2	-1	-6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup>	.225	75.848	75.356	-3.2	-6	.5	.2	-1
Other goods and services	3.919	412.453	412.690	3.1	.1	.9	.3	.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	1.397	827.609	828.794	6.8	.1	1.6	.4	.1
Personal care	2.522	204.604	204.620	1.0	.0	.5	.2	-1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	.733	161.376	161.132	-.7	-2	.9	.0	-2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	.577	230.625	230.624	.9	.0	.1	-1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services	1.019	356.582	357.423	2.8	.2	.4	.2	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities	43.589	177.003	177.267	2.0	.1	.6	.7	.3
Food and beverages	16.425	219.175	219.817	1.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	27.164	154.309	154.406	2.4	.1	1.0	1.0	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.703	196.297	197.015	2.0	.4	1.7	1.5	.6
Apparel	3.788	115.600	119.942	-1.8	3.8	.4	-4	-4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	12.915	250.745	249.301	3.2	-6	2.1	2.2	1.0
Durables	10.461	113.125	112.646	2.9	-4	.1	.3	-2
Services	56.411	257.745	257.663	.9	.0	.2	.1	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	29.868	233.478	233.516	-.2	.0	.0	.0	.2
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup>	.303	127.526	127.718	4.1	.2	.5	.5	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup>	4.246	198.640	196.143	1.6	-1.3	.8	.7	-8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup>	1.114	172.934	173.258	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	.369	153.542	152.851	-.5	-5	.3	-1	-5
Transportation services	5.918	260.904	260.813	3.2	.0	.2	.1	.2
Medical care services	3.961	414.344	416.993	3.9	.6	.0	.2	.7
Other services	10.631	297.576	297.815	1.2	.1	.2	.0	-2
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food	84.667	213.224	213.223	1.4	.0	.4	.4	.1
All items less shelter	69.829	206.276	206.399	2.1	.1	.5	.5	.2
All items less medical care	94.739	207.068	207.107	1.3	.0	.4	.4	.1
Commodities less food	28.256	156.695	156.792	2.3	.1	1.0	1.0	.3
Nondurables less food	17.795	198.064	198.749	1.9	.3	1.6	1.5	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.007	247.415	246.106	3.0	-5	2.0	2.0	.9
Nondurables	33.128	208.167	208.853	1.7	.3	.9	.9	.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	26.543	253.551	253.335	2.3	-1	.2	.2	.0
Services less medical care services	52.450	246.681	246.476	.7	-1	.1	.1	.1
Energy	10.291	212.996	210.386	4.0	-1.2	2.7	2.9	.9
All items less energy	89.709	215.312	215.742	1.1	.2	.1	.1	.1
All items less food and energy	74.376	215.009	215.388	1.1	.2	.1	.0	.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	22.211	145.557	146.170	1.4	.4	.2	.1	-2
Energy commodities	6.045	238.785	235.913	5.8	-1.2	4.1	4.5	2.0
Services less energy services	52.165	264.149	264.342	.9	.1	.1	.0	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.467	\$.467	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.157	\$.157	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	212.487	213.275	214.019	214.345	3.0	1.6	-2.4	3.5	2.3	0.5
Food and beverages .....	218.830	218.851	219.203	219.852	1.2	1.9	.7	1.9	1.6	1.3
Food .....	218.416	218.336	218.696	219.367	1.1	2.2	.6	1.8	1.6	1.2
Food at home .....	214.353	214.312	214.392	215.042	.8	3.7	.1	1.3	2.2	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	249.676	249.053	249.429	251.234	1.7	-2.9	-3.0	2.5	-6	-3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	208.396	208.949	208.288	210.142	.3	4.4	12.1	3.4	2.3	7.6
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	196.663	197.782	197.651	197.812	3.2	8.1	-1.4	2.4	5.6	.4
Fruits and vegetables .....	271.241	266.463	267.571	267.680	.2	19.8	-11.1	-5.1	9.6	-8.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	160.429	161.496	161.246	161.087	-1.3	-.1	-3.1	1.7	-.7	-.7
Other food at home .....	189.767	190.144	190.637	190.495	1.2	-1.3	-.5	1.5	-.1	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	198.514	199.386	199.065	201.240	3.9	.2	.5	5.6	2.0	3.0
Fats and oils .....	200.054	199.998	201.168	201.340	.0	-3.2	3.8	2.6	-1.6	3.2
Other foods .....	204.250	204.633	205.225	204.561	.9	-1.3	-1.3	.6	-.2	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.830	122.217	121.804	122.164	1.0	-.8	-2.3	1.1	.1	-.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	225.846	225.707	226.481	227.188	1.5	.2	1.4	2.4	.9	1.9
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	159.601	159.725	159.866	160.755	-.8	5.7	1.5	2.9	2.4	2.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.450	224.936	225.179	225.507	3.2	-2.3	1.5	3.7	.4	2.6
Housing .....	212.526	212.756	212.842	212.764	.4	-.2	-.8	.4	.1	-.2
Shelter .....	242.233	242.390	242.282	242.448	-.6	-1.2	.7	.4	-.9	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	247.585	247.705	247.460	247.767	-.7	.3	.2	.3	-.2	.3
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	138.894	139.345	136.626	136.197	-3.3	-4.6	22.4	-7.5	-4.0	6.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.272	232.411	232.443	232.567	-.4	-.9	.4	.5	-.7	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.275	232.411	232.444	232.568	-.4	-.9	.4	.5	-.7	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	126.345	126.950	127.526	127.718	5.9	3.1	3.1	4.4	4.5	3.8
Fuels and utilities .....	211.014	212.231	213.407	212.484	7.4	8.4	-6.4	2.8	7.9	-1.9
Household energy .....	185.237	186.400	187.614	186.387	8.0	8.4	-9.1	2.5	8.2	-3.5
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	267.671	263.269	264.904	267.283	54.0	23.3	-15.7	-.6	37.8	-8.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	189.775	191.240	192.489	191.045	5.7	7.5	-8.6	2.7	6.6	-3.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	171.367	172.010	172.296	173.079	5.0	9.0	5.0	4.1	7.0	4.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	121.367	121.071	121.001	120.681	-2.3	-3.8	-3.8	-2.2	-3.0	-3.0
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	153.235	153.634	153.542	152.851	-3.0	-1.1	3.1	-1.0	-2.0	1.0
Apparel .....	119.096	119.544	119.017	118.544	-2.1	-4.8	1.4	-1.8	-3.4	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.393	112.845	112.965	112.281	-6.1	-5.7	10.3	-3.9	-5.9	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel .....	105.953	106.821	106.111	105.776	-2.9	-4.6	-4.5	-.7	-3.8	-2.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	118.487	120.885	118.376	116.525	-7.7	3.7	3.0	-6.5	-2.2	-1.8
Footwear .....	127.913	128.294	127.689	127.444	3.7	-6.0	2.3	-1.5	-1.3	.4
Transportation .....	186.209	189.020	192.130	193.376	14.1	6.1	-13.0	16.3	10.0	.6
Private transportation .....	182.732	185.661	188.845	190.087	13.9	6.6	-13.8	17.1	10.2	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	96.497	96.827	97.221	96.958	15.0	3.8	2.4	1.9	9.3	2.2
New vehicles .....	139.038	139.218	139.526	139.661	7.2	-1.5	.5	1.8	2.8	1.2
Used cars and trucks .....	144.773	145.889	146.935	146.033	32.8	11.1	6.5	3.5	21.5	5.0
Motor fuel .....	214.902	224.320	234.907	239.792	20.0	11.2	-40.2	55.0	15.5	-3.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	215.031	224.891	233.750	237.478	25.5	8.4	-39.4	48.8	16.6	-5.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	136.719	137.218	137.612	137.728	4.2	2.0	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	250.142	250.143	251.084	251.938	1.6	2.1	1.6	2.9	1.9	2.3
Public transportation .....	249.252	247.744	247.825	248.885	18.9	-6.2	9.0	-.6	5.6	4.1
Medical care .....	389.639	389.453	390.299	392.737	2.7	6.1	2.6	3.2	4.4	2.9
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	306.440	305.764	306.541	307.322	.9	7.9	1.2	1.2	4.3	1.2
Medical care services .....	414.012	414.049	414.900	417.992	3.3	5.5	3.0	3.9	4.4	3.4
Professional services .....	330.959	331.963	332.739	334.108	2.3	3.1	3.2	3.9	2.7	3.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	608.514	606.994	609.797	618.805	7.1	12.2	5.5	6.9	9.6	6.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	110.196	109.992	109.813	109.532	-3.2	-7	.6	-2.4	-2.0	-9
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	99.980	99.646	99.260	99.299	-1.6	-2.6	-1.1	-2.7	-2.1	-1.9
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	125.018	125.256	125.272	125.137	1.0	2.4	1.2	.4	1.7	.8
Education <sup>2</sup>	197.168	197.893	197.914	197.532	4.2	6.2	5.0	.7	5.2	2.9
Educational books and supplies	512.033	510.490	504.799	507.899	6.1	4.6	5.3	-3.2	5.3	1.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	554.317	556.699	557.331	555.849	4.0	6.4	5.0	1.1	5.2	3.0
Communication <sup>2</sup>	87.306	87.375	87.388	87.340	-1.2	.0	-1.1	.2	-.6	-.5
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup>	85.115	85.186	85.201	85.154	-1.3	-.2	-1.2	.2	-.7	-.5
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup>	102.021	102.185	102.239	102.325	-1.2	-2.1	-.1	1.2	-1.6	.5
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup>	9.976	9.957	9.947	9.891	-1.6	6.8	-4.8	-3.4	2.5	-4.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup>	75.763	76.168	76.335	76.253	-3.0	-3.0	-9.0	2.6	-3.0	-3.4
Other goods and services	408.314	411.916	413.142	413.007	3.8	1.0	3.1	4.7	2.4	3.9
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	811.325	824.198	827.609	828.794	6.9	1.7	9.9	8.9	4.2	9.4
Personal care	203.690	204.671	205.143	204.868	1.8	.5	-.6	2.3	1.2	.9
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	159.900	161.416	161.376	161.132	-.2	.5	-6.1	3.1	.1	-1.6
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	230.472	230.769	230.625	230.624	.2	-.2	3.5	.3	.0	1.9
Miscellaneous personal services	354.233	355.713	356.397	356.667	4.9	3.3	.3	2.8	4.1	1.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities	174.912	176.029	177.262	177.809	5.4	2.7	-6.3	6.8	4.0	.0
Food and beverages	218.830	218.851	219.203	219.852	1.2	1.9	.7	1.9	1.6	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	151.534	153.086	154.660	155.148	8.0	3.2	-10.3	9.9	5.5	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	190.600	193.805	196.796	197.981	9.1	2.6	-17.0	16.4	5.8	-1.7
Apparel	119.096	119.544	119.017	118.544	-2.1	-4.8	1.4	-1.8	-3.4	-.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	239.549	244.635	249.977	252.387	10.8	5.6	-21.5	23.2	8.2	-1.6
Durables	112.718	112.840	113.188	112.925	9.7	.6	.8	.7	5.1	.8
Services	256.454	256.860	257.025	257.115	1.1	1.0	.8	1.0	1.0	.9
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	233.089	233.052	233.137	233.640	-.2	-2.0	.3	.9	-1.1	.6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup>	126.345	126.950	127.526	127.718	5.9	3.1	3.1	4.4	4.5	3.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup>	189.775	191.240	192.489	191.045	5.7	7.5	-8.6	2.7	6.6	-3.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup>	171.367	172.010	172.296	173.079	5.0	9.0	5.0	4.1	7.0	4.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	153.235	153.634	153.542	152.851	-3.0	-1.1	3.1	-1.0	-2.0	1.0
Transportation services	259.839	260.234	260.588	261.213	5.0	3.0	2.9	2.1	4.0	2.5
Medical care services	414.012	414.049	414.900	417.992	3.3	5.5	3.0	3.9	4.4	3.4
Other services	296.522	297.141	297.236	296.788	.8	1.4	2.5	.4	1.1	1.4
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food	211.254	212.194	213.004	213.269	3.4	1.5	-2.9	3.9	2.4	.4
All items less shelter	203.939	204.964	206.024	206.412	4.6	2.9	-3.7	4.9	3.7	.5
All items less medical care	205.321	206.132	206.865	207.125	3.0	1.4	-2.7	3.6	2.2	.4
Commodities less food	153.951	155.506	157.049	157.535	7.8	2.9	-9.9	9.6	5.3	-.6
Nondurables less food	192.563	195.686	198.552	199.695	8.7	2.3	-16.1	15.7	5.5	-1.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	237.103	241.864	246.763	248.977	10.2	5.1	-19.9	21.6	7.6	-1.3
Nondurables	204.622	206.494	208.421	209.473	4.4	3.0	-9.5	9.8	3.7	-.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	250.979	251.382	251.873	251.937	3.4	3.2	1.0	1.5	3.3	1.3
Services less medical care services	245.258	245.438	245.645	245.846	1.2	.1	.6	1.0	.6	.8
Energy	198.255	203.561	209.481	211.343	14.7	10.0	-28.0	29.1	12.3	-3.6
All items less energy	215.163	215.408	215.528	215.669	1.7	.7	1.1	.9	1.2	1.0
All items less food and energy	214.887	215.198	215.269	215.303	1.8	.4	1.2	.8	1.1	1.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.835	146.172	146.280	146.012	4.4	.1	.5	.5	2.3	.5
Energy commodities	218.075	227.010	237.307	242.121	21.3	11.7	-39.2	52.0	16.4	-3.9
Services less energy services	263.722	264.007	264.048	264.313	.7	.5	1.6	.9	.6	1.2

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	214.205	214.306	1.4	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	638.052	638.353	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.425	219.175	219.817	1.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Food .....	15.333	218.696	219.376	1.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Food at home .....	8.900	214.392	215.058	1.4	.3	.0	.0	.3
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.257	250.327	250.654	-.4	.1	-.2	.2	.7
Cereals and cereal products .....	.412	219.224	217.325	-2.1	-.9	-.3	.5	-.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.045	224.627	222.284	-3.8	-1.0	.2	1.4	.2
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.232	216.966	214.814	-1.9	-1.0	-.3	1.0	-1.0
Rice, pasta, commmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.135	224.291	222.972	-1.6	-.6	.9	-.5	-.6
Bakery products .....	.845	267.397	269.049	.4	.6	-.3	.0	1.0
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	.243	157.558	159.927	-.2	1.5	-1.3	-.4	2.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.125	154.193	154.575	.8	.2	.7	.5	.2
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.229	248.671	249.047	.9	.2	-.4	.1	.3
Other bakery products .....	.247	251.366	252.312	.4	.4	.5	-.2	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.144	208.676	211.109	5.0	1.2	.3	-.3	.9
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.028	210.279	211.849	4.7	.7	.3	-.4	.6
Meats .....	1.295	209.693	211.071	6.5	.7	.1	-.1	.4
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.621	227.864	228.175	5.7	.1	.0	-.6	.1
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.268	206.932	203.938	5.1	-1.4	.8	-.3	-1.4
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	161.930	165.780	7.4	2.4	.8	-.7	2.4
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.202	154.734	156.909	4.7	1.4	-1.5	-1.1	1.4
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.059	167.463	166.963	9.1	-.3	.4	.0	-.3
Pork .....	.402	194.220	197.132	10.5	1.5	.5	.3	1.3
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	.140	136.917	140.417	11.5	2.6	2.9	.6	3.2
Ham .....	.084	196.309	199.881	8.9	1.8	.3	-.5	1.2
Pork chops .....	.086	178.991	180.315	9.1	.7	1.1	.9	.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	120.449	120.829	11.8	.3	-.9	-.3	.3
Other meats .....	.271	195.676	196.669	1.6	.5	-.2	.3	-.5
Poultry .....	.426	202.863	205.236	1.3	1.2	.8	-1.4	1.1
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	.354	131.374	132.720	1.0	1.0	.9	-1.6	.9
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	.072	128.897	131.285	2.8	1.9	-.2	.1	2.2
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.307	244.331	245.717	1.9	.6	.7	-.5	.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.158	145.072	145.048	3.0	.0	.6	-.3	.0
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	.149	126.652	128.201	.8	1.2	.9	-1.0	1.7
Eggs .....	.116	182.615	199.965	10.9	9.5	-1.3	1.9	7.3
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.898	197.651	197.812	3.0	.1	.6	-.1	.1
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.322	133.960	133.028	6.5	-.7	.9	-.1	-.7
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.275	203.150	204.080	3.2	.5	1.2	.3	.5
Ice cream and related products .....	.133	190.416	192.620	-1.4	1.2	-.4	-1.1	.5
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	.168	135.664	135.884	-.5	.2	.6	-1.2	.9
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.223	263.946	266.461	.2	1.0	-1.8	.4	.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.915	300.199	304.288	.8	1.4	-2.1	.3	.2
Fresh fruits .....	.450	304.201	309.707	-2.9	1.8	-2.9	-.5	.3
Apples .....	.073	317.135	304.085	3.5	-4.1	-1.6	-2.7	-1.4
Bananas .....	.071	194.928	195.880	-5.3	.5	1.9	-.8	1.0
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.085	209.736	214.114	-2.9	2.1	-3.4	-3.6	-.7
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.221	94.507	99.285	-2.7	5.1	-4.0	2.1	.7
Fresh vegetables .....	.465	294.674	297.442	4.7	.9	-1.3	1.1	.1
Potatoes .....	.077	324.346	316.250	-.1	-2.5	-2.9	2.8	-.4
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.068	267.398	268.434	1.4	.4	-2.1	-1.4	.4
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.098	282.365	292.980	8.4	3.8	-.4	-1.8	3.8
Other fresh vegetables .....	.223	300.987	305.331	5.6	1.4	-2.2	1.5	.5
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.308	147.022	146.726	-1.3	-.2	-.8	.7	-.3
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.159	151.711	151.985	-.7	.2	-1.4	1.0	.4
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.093	136.194	135.645	-2.7	-.4	-1.0	.9	-.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	.056	150.157	148.739	-.9	-.9	.3	.1	-1.3

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.123	161.353	161.210	-0.7	-0.1	0.7	-0.2	-0.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	.880	125.668	125.033	-1.5	-0.5	.6	.4	-0.9
Carbonated drinks .....	.380	157.419	156.792	1.6	-0.4	1.3	.9	-0.9
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.015	148.393	149.074	-0.9	.5	.5	-0.8	.5
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.484	114.591	113.876	-4.0	-0.6	.1	.0	-0.6
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.244	113.735	115.328	1.8	1.4	.4	-0.8	2.2
Coffee .....	.109	187.093	190.918	2.0	2.0	-0.7	1.0	2.8
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.135	123.461	124.520	.6	.9	1.3	-1.7	.8
Other food at home .....	2.254	191.226	190.318	.2	-0.5	.2	.3	-1.1
Sugar and sweets .....	.321	198.872	200.971	2.5	1.1	.4	-0.2	1.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.068	185.938	187.501	4.2	.8	1.2	-0.5	.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.197	130.479	132.174	2.6	1.3	.6	-0.7	1.3
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	.056	143.971	144.662	.7	.5	.8	-0.2	.5
Fats and oils .....	.259	201.786	202.118	.7	.2	.0	.6	.1
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	.063	163.287	167.951	7.9	2.9	.4	1.9	3.3
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.072	127.298	125.729	-1.1	-1.2	2.2	.8	-1.2
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	.125	142.501	141.805	-2.5	-0.5	-0.7	.0	-0.5
Other foods .....	1.674	206.021	204.234	-0.3	-0.9	.2	.3	-0.3
Soups .....	.098	232.611	224.824	-2.3	-3.3	.0	-0.3	.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.376	163.684	158.889	-3.4	-2.9	-0.7	1.2	-2.9
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.339	216.648	217.737	3.5	.5	.6	.0	.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.285	219.000	216.970	-1.1	-0.9	.6	1.1	-0.6
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.104	143.212	142.370	.0	-0.6	.0	1.0	-0.6
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.472	121.804	122.164	-0.3	.3	.3	-0.3	.3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.433	226.481	227.188	1.4	.3	-0.1	.3	.3
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.653	141.064	141.248	1.3	.1	.0	.2	.1
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.939	144.028	144.154	.8	.1	.1	.2	.1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	.337	140.392	145.254	5.8	3.5	-2.4	2.3	2.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.182	132.894	133.326	2.3	.3	.0	.0	.3
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.321	159.866	160.755	2.3	.6	.1	.1	.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.092	224.749	224.828	1.5	.0	.7	.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.652	195.177	194.828	.9	-0.2	.9	.0	.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.448	202.320	201.648	2.1	-0.3	.9	.0	.1
Distilled spirits at home .....	.076	187.578	188.084	-0.1	.3	.9	-0.3	.1
Wine at home .....	.128	167.143	167.294	-2.6	.1	.8	-0.3	-0.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.440	291.243	292.260	2.4	.3	.2	.3	.3
Housing .....	39.753	213.603	213.294	.0	-0.1	.1	.0	.0
Shelter .....	30.171	242.295	242.338	-0.2	.0	.1	.0	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.476	247.250	247.589	.0	.1	.0	-0.1	.1
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.432	140.967	136.488	1.2	-3.2	.3	-2.0	-0.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	.095	439.529	443.861	4.1	1.0	.7	.0	.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.337	294.882	282.462	1.8	-4.2	.2	-2.4	-0.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.959	232.373	232.472	-0.1	.0	.1	.0	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.218	232.374	232.473	-0.1	.0	.1	.0	.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.303	127.526	127.718	4.1	.2	.5	.5	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	5.632	218.703	216.787	2.8	-0.9	.6	.6	-0.4
Household energy .....	4.517	193.259	191.066	2.2	-1.1	.6	.7	-0.7
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.271	264.904	267.283	12.3	.9	-1.6	.6	.9
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	.161	273.132	274.717	11.8	.6	-1.7	.7	.6
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	.110	307.366	311.591	13.0	1.4	-1.1	.0	1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.246	198.640	196.143	1.6	-1.3	.8	.7	-0.8
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.307	199.727	198.482	1.1	-0.6	.5	.2	-0.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	.939	190.569	183.597	3.2	-3.7	1.7	2.1	-2.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.114	172.934	173.258	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.5
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	.863	379.172	379.860	6.9	.2	.5	.1	.5
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.252	385.519	386.325	2.0	.2	.0	.3	.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	3.950	120.912	120.560	-3.0	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.282	70.673	70.715	-7.8	.1	-2.0	-1.5	.1
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.038	113.846	113.530	-4.4	-0.3	.5	-0.9	-0.3
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	.050	75.775	74.816	-10.4	-1.3	-0.7	-0.7	-1.7
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.194	59.040	59.307	-8.1	.5	-2.9	-1.8	.5
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.759	114.252	114.151	-5.6	-0.1	-0.9	-0.8	-0.1
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.275	133.445	134.170	-4.0	.5	-0.4	.2	.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.323	86.668	86.711	-3.8	.0	-0.7	-0.3	.0

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

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Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	.146	78.113	76.810	-12.8	-1.7	-1.0	-3.1	-1.2
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.316	87.803	87.432	-3.1	-.4	.2	.3	-.4
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.193	98.901	98.240	-2.3	-.7	.1	.3	-.7
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.119	73.354	73.346	-4.6	.0	.3	.2	.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.471	71.941	71.755	-5.1	-.3	-.6	.1	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.273	61.381	60.418	-7.9	-1.6	-.8	.1	-1.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	.069	131.438	130.906	.2	-.4	1.1	1.7	-.5
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.056	67.499	71.536	-4.7	6.0	-1.0	-.4	6.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	.073	96.779	96.784	-.9	.0	-.8	.8	.5
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.767	91.699	91.223	-2.8	-.5	-.5	-.4	-.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.222	96.819	96.914	-2.2	.1	-.6	-.9	.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.398	86.825	86.148	-3.1	-.8	-.6	-.7	-.2
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.986	185.321	184.817	.2	-.3	.5	.3	-.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.432	121.302	121.424	-1.5	.1	.5	-.2	.1
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.269	159.367	158.605	2.0	-.5	1.4	.8	-.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.286	116.809	116.085	1.0	-.6	-.4	.3	-.6
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	153.542	152.851	-.5	-.5	.3	-.1	-.5
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.087	142.901	142.792	.2	-.1	.0	.1	-.1
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.115	156.916	156.916	-.3	.0	-.1	-.2	.0
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.063	129.888	127.144	-3.2	-2.1	1.6	.4	-2.1
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.056	186.154	186.167	.9	.0	-.1	-.7	.0
Apparel .....	3.788	115.600	119.942	-1.8	3.8	.4	-.4	-.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.945	110.005	111.901	-1.6	1.7	-.5	.1	-.6
Men's apparel .....	.715	116.086	117.845	-1.1	1.5	-.8	-1.2	-.2
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.096	116.931	119.144	2.4	1.9	-.1	-1.1	-.8
Men's furnishings .....	.177	136.970	137.888	1.2	.7	-.2	-.2	.8
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	.235	78.788	80.460	-3.2	2.1	-1.6	-.5	-2.5
Men's pants and shorts .....	.194	106.712	108.212	-2.2	1.4	-1.0	-1.7	1.3
Boys' apparel .....	.230	92.031	94.228	-3.0	2.4	.3	5.0	-2.3
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.568	101.483	108.532	-3.2	6.9	.8	-.7	-.3
Women's apparel .....	1.248	104.857	112.299	-.8	7.1	1.1	.0	-.6
Women's outerwear .....	.128	92.009	106.324	-4.9	15.6	2.3	-1.3	-.5
Women's dresses .....	.142	105.641	123.367	1.7	16.8	1.2	-2.0	6.3
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	.609	81.142	85.973	-3.2	6.0	.6	-.6	-2.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.350	93.587	95.981	3.8	2.6	.5	1.1	1.2
Girls' apparel .....	.320	88.621	94.205	-12.2	6.3	-.3	-3.5	.7
Footwear .....	.781	125.535	128.436	-.4	2.3	.3	-.5	-.2
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.270	123.889	125.675	-.2	1.4	-.8	-1.0	1.4
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.201	127.716	134.092	-1.8	5.0	-.3	.5	.6
Women's footwear .....	.310	124.593	126.320	.1	1.4	-.9	-.4	-1.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.285	116.066	116.688	-2.0	.5	2.0	-2.1	-1.6
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.210	151.843	152.144	1.6	.2	-.9	1.1	.8
Watches <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.046	109.538	108.018	-1.7	-1.4	-.2	1.1	-1.4
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	.164	164.471	165.481	2.8	.6	-1.1	1.1	1.4
Transportation .....	18.647	192.657	191.517	5.2	-.6	1.5	1.6	.6
Private transportation .....	17.881	189.261	188.152	5.2	-.6	1.6	1.7	.7
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.952	97.389	96.860	5.7	-.5	.3	.4	-.3
New vehicles .....	3.385	138.152	138.353	2.0	.1	.1	.2	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.944	148.782	146.959	12.9	-1.2	.8	.7	-.6
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup> .....	.407	94.341	93.876	-7.1	-.5	-.9	-.8	-1.2
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	.061	131.479	125.003	-4.4	-4.9	-1.3	3.5	1.9
Motor fuel .....	5.774	236.436	233.370	5.5	-1.3	4.4	4.7	2.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.530	235.966	232.783	5.2	-1.3	4.6	3.9	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup> .....	-	234.934	231.805	5.2	-1.3	4.8	4.0	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup> .....	-	242.705	239.343	5.5	-1.4	4.3	4.0	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup> .....	-	229.666	226.534	5.1	-1.4	3.9	3.9	1.6
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.244	215.402	215.122	10.9	-.1	-1.1	.7	-.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.472	137.612	137.728	3.2	.1	.4	.3	.1
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.278	123.405	123.230	3.6	-.1	.5	.6	-.1
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.193	148.470	149.084	2.7	.4	.1	-.2	.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.180	251.084	251.938	2.1	.3	.0	.4	.3
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.053	257.512	257.885	2.4	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.448	227.702	228.690	1.6	.4	-.1	.2	.4

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Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.614	153.449	153.877	2.3	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.3
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.996	377.699	378.335	5.2	.2	.6	.2	.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.507	165.700	165.556	3.4	-1	.2	-1	-1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	.345	165.349	164.976	4.1	-2	.2	-1	-2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.155	166.267	166.627	1.6	.2	.3	.0	.2
Public transportation .....	.766	251.634	249.816	4.9	-7	-6	.0	.4
Airline fare .....	.447	277.564	274.730	5.9	-1.0	-1.1	.0	.3
Other intercity transportation .....	.078	155.858	153.452	3.2	-1.5	-1.0	-7	2.1
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.236	259.941	260.272	3.2	.1	.8	.2	.1
Medical care .....	5.261	389.905	392.028	3.6	.5	.0	.2	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.301	306.541	307.322	2.7	.3	-2	.3	.3
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	1.256	102.399	102.637	-	.2	-2	.3	.2
Prescription drugs .....	1.005	406.804	408.034	4.0	.3	.0	.6	.3
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.251	99.120	99.064	-	-1	-7	-8	-1
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.045	98.264	99.140	-	.9	.0	.2	.9
Medical care services .....	3.961	414.344	416.993	3.9	.6	.0	.2	.7
Professional services .....	2.195	332.656	333.547	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.4
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.185	335.749	336.702	3.6	.3	.4	.1	.4
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	.553	401.439	402.047	3.1	.2	.1	.3	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>5</sup> .....	.198	176.154	177.275	.7	.6	-3	.5	.9
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	.259	220.564	220.934	2.6	.2	.2	.3	.2
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.339	607.181	615.785	7.9	1.4	-2	.5	1.5
Hospital services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	1.246	226.105	229.538	8.3	1.5	-3	.5	1.5
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 12</sup> .....	-	219.502	223.140	9.4	1.7	-3	.6	1.8
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 9</sup> .....	-	521.319	527.886	6.1	1.3	-4	.3	1.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	.072	189.717	189.749	3.0	.0	.3	.3	.2
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.020	110.499	110.575	1.8	.1	.3	.2	.1
Health insurance <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.427	106.646	106.677	-3.9	.0	-7	-5	.0
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	6.031	109.967	109.626	-1.4	-3	-2	-2	-3
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	2.046	99.385	99.199	-2.0	-2	-3	-4	.0
Televisions .....	.201	7.786	7.679	-21.5	-1.4	-2.4	-2.5	-5
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup> .....	1.405	373.141	373.105	.8	.0	.0	-2	.1
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	.029	15.494	15.264	-13.0	-1.5	-2	-6	-8
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.168	75.717	75.294	-2.5	-6	-1.4	.5	-6
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.084	45.673	45.994	-1.6	.7	.0	-2	.7
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.063	93.976	93.202	-3.2	-8	-3	.6	-8
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.137	151.955	151.551	-5	-3	-3	.1	-3
Pets and pet products .....	.803	193.056	192.379	-2.1	-4	-5	.4	-5
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	.334	191.904	191.768	3.2	-1	.1	-6	.1
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.556	116.813	116.885	-3	.1	-1	-2	.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.335	136.207	137.341	1.7	.8	.0	.0	.8
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.216	95.621	94.530	-3.1	-1.1	-2	-4	-1.1
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	.193	81.310	81.243	-2.9	-1	-8	-9	-4
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.066	70.463	69.907	-8.9	-8	-1.1	-2.7	-1.6
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.125	112.894	113.205	.8	.3	-6	.0	.3
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.578	55.342	55.473	-5.9	.2	-1.3	-5	.3
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.439	59.817	59.872	-7.1	.1	-1.2	-5	.1
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.050	91.661	93.077	-4	1.5	-2.9	-2	1.7
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.079	96.780	97.029	-2.3	.3	-6	-7	.4
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.343	148.606	147.166	.0	-1.0	.6	.2	-1.0
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	.348	124.728	122.332	-3.3	-1.9	1.1	.0	-2.0
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.540	323.670	322.309	1.7	-4	.2	.2	-4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.129	265.415	265.504	.7	.0	.1	.1	.0
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.178	223.827	223.703	-5	-1	.0	-2	-1
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.099	134.159	134.110	-2	.0	-1	-6	.0
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.079	106.595	106.510	-8	-1	.1	.2	-1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.175	125.425	125.818	1.2	.3	.2	.0	-1
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.327	198.537	200.329	4.0	.9	.4	.0	-2
Educational books and supplies .....	.196	508.150	512.303	3.1	.8	-3	-1.1	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.131	558.909	563.998	4.1	.9	.4	.1	-3
College tuition and fees .....	.957	652.819	658.827	4.5	.9	.7	.2	-4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.227	625.695	633.431	3.8	1.2	.6	-9	.2

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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	.828	240.651	242.588	3.8	0.8	0.1	0.4	-0.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	.038	208.894	210.285	4.4	.7	.6	-.6	1.1
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.848	87.391	87.343	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.133	145.330	145.328	1.7	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.127	230.143	230.143	1.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.005	223.758	223.682	11.3	.0	-1.0	-1.9	-.4
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.715	85.201	85.154	-.6	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.906	102.239	102.325	-.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.720	63.451	63.431	-3.0	.0	.1	.0	.0
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	1.186	101.735	101.988	-	.2	.2	.1	.2
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 14</sup> .....	.809	9.947	9.891	-.8	-.6	-.2	-.1	-.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>15</sup> .....	.225	75.848	75.356	-3.2	-.6	.5	.2	-.1
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.029	44.500	44.308	-7.6	-.4	-2.7	-.3	-.4
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.472	77.664	77.365	.9	-.4	-.4	-.1	-.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.067	37.938	37.358	-3.1	-1.5	.3	-.4	-1.5
Other goods and services .....	3.919	412.453	412.690	3.1	.1	.9	.3	.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.397	827.609	828.794	6.8	.1	1.6	.4	.1
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.302	336.503	336.927	6.9	.1	1.7	.4	.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.084	218.098	219.032	4.8	.4	-.7	.5	.4
Personal care .....	2.522	204.604	204.620	1.0	.0	.5	.2	-.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.733	161.376	161.132	-.7	-.2	.9	.0	-.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.376	104.220	104.552	-.7	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.351	184.344	183.138	-.7	-.7	.9	-.6	-.7
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.577	230.625	230.624	.9	.0	.1	-.1	.0
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.577	140.566	140.566	.9	.0	.1	-.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.019	356.582	357.423	2.8	.2	.4	.2	.1
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	.306	288.943	291.082	4.2	.7	.5	.5	.8
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	.136	289.969	291.380	2.3	.5	.3	.0	.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	.280	142.101	142.310	2.0	.1	.0	.0	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.026	159.931	159.861	3.5	.0	1.0	-.2	.0
Financial services <sup>15</sup> .....	.150	280.887	278.643	2.2	-.8	.0	.2	-.8
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.192	86.258	85.728	-2.0	-.6	-.3	1.3	-1.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	43.589	177.003	177.267	2.0	.1	.6	.7	.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	27.164	154.309	154.406	2.4	.1	1.0	1.0	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	16.703	196.297	197.015	2.0	.4	1.7	1.5	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	12.915	250.745	249.301	3.2	-.6	2.1	2.2	1.0
Durables .....	10.461	113.125	112.646	2.9	-.4	.1	.3	-.2
Services .....	56.411	257.745	257.663	.9	.0	.2	.1	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	29.868	233.478	233.516	-.2	.0	.0	.0	.2
Transportation services .....	5.918	260.904	260.813	3.2	.0	.2	.1	.2
Other services .....	10.631	297.576	297.815	1.2	.1	.2	.0	-.2
All items less food .....	84.667	213.224	213.223	1.4	.0	.4	.4	.1
All items less shelter .....	69.829	206.276	206.399	2.1	.1	.5	.5	.2
All items less medical care .....	94.739	207.068	207.107	1.3	.0	.4	.4	.1
Commodities less food .....	28.256	156.695	156.792	2.3	.1	1.0	1.0	.3
Nondurables less food .....	17.795	198.064	198.749	1.9	.3	1.6	1.5	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	14.007	247.415	246.106	3.0	-.5	2.0	2.0	.9
Nondurables .....	33.128	208.167	208.853	1.7	.3	.9	.9	.5

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<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Apparel less footwear .....	3.008	108.962	113.466	-2.2	4.1	0.4	-0.4	-0.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	26.543	253.551	253.335	2.3	-1	.2	.2	.0
Services less medical care services .....	52.450	246.681	246.476	.7	-1	.1	.1	.1
Energy .....	10.291	212.996	210.386	4.0	-1.2	2.7	2.9	.9
All items less energy .....	89.709	215.312	215.742	1.1	.2	.1	.1	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.376	215.009	215.388	1.1	.2	.1	.0	.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.211	145.557	146.170	1.4	.4	.2	.1	-.2
Energy commodities .....	6.045	238.785	235.913	5.8	-1.2	4.1	4.5	2.0
Services less energy services .....	52.165	264.149	264.342	.9	.1	.1	.0	.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	7.399	219.957	220.745	1.8	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Utilities and public transportation .....	10.438	203.215	202.124	1.5	-5	.1	.2	-.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .467	\$ .467	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .157	\$ .157	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	212.487	213.275	214.019	214.345	3.0	1.6	-2.4	3.5	2.3	0.5
Food and beverages .....	218.830	218.851	219.203	219.852	1.2	1.9	.7	1.9	1.6	1.3
Food .....	218.416	218.336	218.696	219.367	1.1	2.2	.6	1.8	1.6	1.2
Food at home .....	214.353	214.312	214.392	215.042	.8	3.7	.1	1.3	2.2	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	249.676	249.053	249.429	251.234	1.7	-2.9	-3.0	2.5	-6	-3
Cereals and cereal products .....	217.163	216.404	217.551	217.408	-7	-3.1	-4.9	.5	-1.9	-2.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	216.974	217.489	220.512	220.859	.8	-11.8	-10.3	7.4	-5.7	-1.8
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	215.468	214.847	216.966	214.814	-9	-4.5	-1.1	-1.2	-2.7	-1.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	223.286	225.356	224.291	222.972	-1.1	-.5	-4.4	-6	-8	-2.5
Bakery products .....	267.823	267.073	267.096	269.891	2.9	-1.9	-2.4	3.1	.5	.3
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	161.315	159.210	158.546	161.724	-2.6	-5.0	6.2	1.0	-3.8	3.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	152.411	153.465	154.193	154.575	6.3	-7.3	-1.0	5.8	-8	2.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	250.488	249.465	249.750	250.392	8.6	-4.0	-.7	-.2	2.1	-.4
Other bakery products .....	246.487	247.748	247.283	250.022	2.9	5.4	-11.4	5.9	4.2	-3.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	208.396	208.949	208.288	210.142	.3	4.4	12.1	3.4	2.3	7.6
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	209.688	210.416	209.513	210.675	-.4	4.0	13.5	1.9	1.8	7.6
Meats .....	208.994	209.304	209.071	209.854	-1.3	7.9	18.4	1.7	3.2	9.7
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	229.110	229.198	227.864	228.175	.6	3.9	21.5	-1.6	2.2	9.3
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	205.828	207.541	206.932	203.938	1.1	6.2	17.9	-3.6	3.6	6.6
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	161.712	163.075	161.930	165.780	7.8	7.6	3.9	10.4	7.7	7.1
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	158.754	156.444	154.734	156.909	-4.4	-.9	32.9	-4.6	-2.7	12.6
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	166.832	167.455	167.463	166.963	4.0	4.1	30.6	.3	4.1	14.5
Pork .....	189.745	190.748	191.412	193.827	-3.3	20.5	17.7	8.9	8.0	13.2
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> ..	129.947	133.780	134.577	138.877	-3.7	9.8	12.1	30.5	2.9	20.9
Ham .....	193.936	194.463	193.455	195.863	-11.5	28.5	18.9	4.0	6.6	11.2
Pork chops .....	173.104	175.084	176.688	178.092	3.9	9.8	10.8	12.0	6.8	11.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.921	120.763	120.449	120.829	-12.1	34.3	37.3	-3.5	8.7	15.1
Other meats .....	197.289	196.893	197.427	196.449	-2.9	-1.0	12.6	-1.7	-2.0	5.2
Poultry .....	202.413	203.936	201.140	203.415	5.2	-2.2	.3	2.0	1.4	1.2
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	131.394	132.541	130.380	131.564	5.4	-1.9	.1	.5	1.7	.3
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	127.234	127.024	127.196	129.978	3.3	-1.7	1.0	8.9	.8	4.9
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	244.013	245.651	244.331	245.717	-3.2	-3.3	12.0	2.8	-3.2	7.3
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	144.531	145.452	145.072	145.048	-7.8	3.3	16.5	1.4	-2.4	8.7
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	126.243	127.338	126.104	128.305	2.5	-3.5	-2.4	6.7	-.5	2.1
Eggs .....	187.707	185.228	188.744	202.564	13.4	12.1	-12.3	35.6	12.8	9.1
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	196.663	197.782	197.651	197.812	3.2	8.1	-1.4	2.4	5.6	.4
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	132.872	134.075	133.960	133.028	13.9	9.7	2.7	.5	11.8	1.6
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	200.190	202.564	203.150	204.080	-1.8	10.1	-3.0	8.0	4.0	2.4
Ice cream and related products .....	195.263	194.462	192.240	193.195	-3.5	6.7	-.4	-4.2	1.5	-4.2
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	134.847	135.654	134.091	135.284	-2.1	5.0	-5.9	1.3	1.3	-2.3
Fruits and vegetables .....	271.241	266.463	267.571	267.680	.2	19.8	-11.1	-5.1	9.6	-8.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	312.086	305.519	306.541	307.015	1.2	27.8	-14.5	-6.3	13.7	-10.5
Fresh fruits .....	317.442	308.158	306.740	307.530	.6	21.7	-17.7	-11.9	10.7	-14.9
Apples .....	303.761	298.830	290.874	286.910	16.8	22.9	.3	-20.4	19.8	-10.6
Bananas .....	192.788	196.484	194.838	196.817	-16.1	-10.2	-1.6	8.6	-13.2	3.4
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	203.865	196.912	189.824	188.527	14.3	-14.8	24.8	-26.9	-1.4	-4.5
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	108.867	104.524	106.675	107.410	-4.1	52.0	-35.2	-5.2	20.7	-21.6
Fresh vegetables .....	305.248	301.208	304.456	304.638	1.7	34.2	-11.3	-.8	16.8	-6.2
Potatoes .....	305.454	296.485	304.802	303.570	-21.3	21.9	6.4	-2.4	-2.1	1.9
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	276.855	271.165	267.398	268.434	109.3	-48.1	10.0	-11.6	4.2	-1.4
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	288.639	287.474	282.365	292.980	156.4	38.3	-63.3	6.2	88.3	-37.6
Other fresh vegetables .....	315.580	308.651	313.209	314.693	-6.3	36.5	-1.5	-1.1	13.1	-1.3
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	146.130	145.031	145.976	145.555	-2.4	-1.3	.1	-1.6	-1.9	-.7
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	150.542	148.433	149.906	150.466	.4	-4.3	1.3	-.2	-2.0	.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	136.102	134.724	135.878	134.757	-9.5	5.8	-2.5	-3.9	-2.1	-3.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	149.074	149.483	149.650	147.742	2.4	-3.3	1.1	-3.5	-.5	-1.3

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**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	160.429	161.496	161.246	161.087	-1.3	-0.1	-3.1	1.7	-0.7	-0.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	124.749	125.523	125.985	124.861	-1.2	-.9	-4.1	.4	-1.0	-1.9
Carbonated drinks .....	154.334	156.323	157.718	156.357	2.8	6.1	-7.4	5.3	4.4	-1.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	148.750	149.528	148.393	149.074	2.8	-2.9	-4.0	.9	-1.1	-1.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.476	114.623	114.591	113.876	-5.9	-3.9	-4.0	-2.1	-4.9	-3.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	113.510	114.006	113.122	115.574	-1.9	1.3	.5	7.5	-3	3.9
Coffee .....	183.896	182.669	184.519	189.664	-3.0	-.9	-.3	13.1	-2.0	6.2
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	124.195	125.791	123.655	124.689	-.4	1.8	-5	1.6	.7	.5
Other food at home .....	189.767	190.144	190.637	190.495	1.2	-1.3	-5	1.5	-.1	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	198.514	199.386	199.065	201.240	3.9	.2	.5	5.6	2.0	3.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	184.049	186.187	185.188	186.459	9.0	9.7	-6.4	5.3	9.3	-.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	130.684	131.424	130.479	132.174	7.2	-3.9	2.8	4.6	1.5	3.7
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	142.832	143.983	143.721	144.409	-2.6	4.3	-3.1	4.5	.8	.6
Fats and oils .....	200.054	199.998	201.168	201.340	.0	-3.2	3.8	2.6	-1.6	3.2
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	157.343	157.931	160.869	166.153	-.6	-1.7	11.4	24.3	-1.2	17.7
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	142.832	143.983	143.721	144.409	-2.6	4.3	-3.1	4.5	.8	.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	143.259	142.235	142.292	141.581	-.3	-4.8	.1	-4.6	-2.6	-2.3
Other foods .....	204.250	204.633	205.225	204.561	.9	-1.3	-1.3	.6	-.2	-.4
Soups .....	229.022	228.992	228.307	228.243	-2.1	-6.5	1.0	-1.4	-4.3	-.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	162.923	161.806	163.684	158.889	-3.0	-1.4	.6	-9.5	-2.2	-4.6
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	215.200	216.549	216.648	217.737	8.3	2.6	-1.4	4.8	5.4	1.7
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	213.214	214.590	216.883	215.592	3.0	-5.5	-2.2	4.5	-1.4	1.1
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.815	141.855	143.212	142.370	-3.3	3.3	-1.4	1.6	-.1	.1
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.830	122.217	121.804	122.164	1.0	-.8	-2.3	1.1	.1	-.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	225.846	225.707	226.481	227.188	1.5	.2	1.4	2.4	.9	1.9
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	140.820	140.816	141.064	141.248	1.4	.7	1.9	1.2	1.0	1.6
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	143.518	143.733	144.028	144.154	.9	-1.0	1.3	1.8	.0	1.6
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	140.607	137.275	140.459	144.501	7.8	2.9	1.1	11.5	5.3	6.2
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	133.118	132.855	132.894	133.326	4.7	1.2	2.8	.6	2.9	1.7
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	159.601	159.725	159.866	160.755	-.8	5.7	1.5	2.9	2.4	2.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.450	224.936	225.179	225.507	3.2	-2.3	1.5	3.7	.4	2.6
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	194.088	195.778	195.796	195.842	3.2	-5.2	2.3	3.7	-1.1	3.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	201.387	203.189	203.226	203.371	6.2	-5.7	4.3	4.0	.1	4.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	186.120	187.763	187.234	187.514	.5	-2.3	-1.6	3.0	-.9	.7
Wine at home .....	166.282	167.535	166.951	166.192	-3.2	-6.8	.0	-.2	-5.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	290.021	290.497	291.243	292.260	3.2	1.7	1.7	3.1	2.4	2.4
Housing .....	212.526	212.756	212.842	212.764	.4	-.2	-.8	.4	.1	-.2
Shelter .....	242.233	242.390	242.282	242.448	-.6	-1.2	.7	.4	-.9	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	247.585	247.705	247.460	247.767	-.7	.3	.2	.3	-.2	.3
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	138.894	139.345	136.626	136.197	-3.3	-4.6	22.4	-7.5	-4.0	6.4
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	434.404	437.241	437.168	437.431	4.7	4.0	4.9	2.8	4.3	3.9
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	290.323	291.028	283.939	282.773	-4.2	-2.1	27.3	-10.0	-3.1	7.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.272	232.411	232.443	232.567	-.4	-.9	.4	.5	-.7	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.275	232.411	232.444	232.568	-.4	-.9	.4	.5	-.7	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	126.345	126.950	127.526	127.718	5.9	3.1	3.1	4.4	4.5	3.8
Fuels and utilities .....	211.014	212.231	213.407	212.484	7.4	8.4	-6.4	2.8	7.9	-1.9
Household energy .....	185.237	186.400	187.614	186.387	8.0	8.4	-9.1	2.5	8.2	-3.5
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	267.671	263.269	264.904	267.283	54.0	23.3	-15.7	-.6	37.8	-8.5
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	275.988	271.180	273.132	274.717	46.7	18.9	-8.9	-1.8	32.1	-5.4
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	314.587	310.994	311.058	314.793	47.6	33.3	-17.5	.3	40.3	-9.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	189.775	191.240	192.489	191.045	5.7	7.5	-8.6	2.7	6.6	-3.1
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	189.269	190.250	190.712	190.093	7.2	1.9	-5.8	1.8	4.5	-2.1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	187.651	190.834	194.905	190.508	.5	29.5	-18.0	6.2	14.1	-6.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	171.367	172.010	172.296	173.079	5.0	9.0	5.0	4.1	7.0	4.5
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	375.069	376.856	377.380	379.356	6.3	10.4	6.3	4.7	8.3	5.5
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	384.439	384.513	385.519	386.325	1.2	4.3	.7	2.0	2.8	1.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	121.367	121.071	121.001	120.681	-2.3	-3.8	-3.8	-2.2	-3.0	-3.0
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	73.238	71.773	70.673	70.715	-9.3	.9	-9.0	-13.1	-4.4	-11.1
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.356	114.918	113.846	113.530	-6.5	-9.8	2.0	-2.9	-8.2	-.5
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	77.160	76.586	76.070	74.771	-1.7	-12.4	-15.2	-11.8	-7.2	-13.5

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup>	61.930	60.150	59.040	59.307	-13.1	7.8	-9.4	-15.9	-3.2	-12.7
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup>	116.218	115.169	114.252	114.151	-4.1	-4.2	-7.2	-6.9	-4.1	-7.1
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup>	133.697	133.117	133.445	134.170	-7.5	-4.1	-5.7	1.4	-5.8	-2.2
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup>	87.561	86.929	86.668	86.711	-9	-5.1	-5.1	-3.8	-3.0	-4.5
Other furniture <sup>2</sup>	82.088	81.235	78.686	77.763	-2.4	-16.6	-11.9	-19.5	-9.8	-15.8
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup>	87.415	87.579	87.803	87.432	-6.6	1.1	-6.7	.1	-2.8	-3.4
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup>	98.498	98.619	98.901	98.240	-3.0	1.2	-6.2	-1.0	-9	-3.6
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup>	72.972	73.206	73.354	73.346	-13.0	.9	-7.6	2.1	-6.3	-2.9
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup>	72.285	71.870	71.941	71.755	-9.0	-1.1	-7.2	-2.9	-5.1	-5.1
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup>	61.804	61.340	61.381	60.418	-9.9	-4.4	-8.4	-8.7	-7.2	-8.5
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup>	129.295	130.758	133.001	132.305	-3.6	-2.0	-2.7	9.6	-2.8	3.3
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup>	68.419	67.755	67.499	71.536	-21.1	1.0	-13.2	19.5	-10.7	1.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup>	96.772	95.981	96.740	97.268	-3.3	-3.7	1.3	2.1	-3.5	1.7
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup>	92.585	92.129	91.746	91.515	-2.1	-2.7	-1.7	-4.5	-2.4	-3.1
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup>	98.285	97.673	96.819	96.914	-1.2	-1.0	-1.0	-5.5	-1.1	-3.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup>	87.909	87.403	86.806	86.633	-1.9	-5.1	.4	-5.7	-3.5	-2.7
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup>	183.960	184.844	185.321	184.817	.1	.7	-1.9	1.9	.4	.0
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup>	120.881	121.496	121.302	121.424	-2	-1.6	-5.9	1.8	-9	-2.1
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup>	155.919	158.086	159.367	158.605	-1	.6	.7	7.1	.3	3.9
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup>	116.876	116.402	116.809	116.085	.6	4.4	1.8	-2.7	2.5	-5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	153.235	153.634	153.542	152.851	-3.0	-1.1	3.1	-1.0	-2.0	1.0
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup>	142.778	142.778	142.901	142.792	1.1	-1.0	.7	.0	.0	.4
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup>	157.360	157.223	156.916	156.916	1.4	-1.7	.2	-1.1	-2	-5
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup>	127.407	129.412	129.888	127.144	-17.6	-7.5	16.2	-8	-12.7	7.3
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup>	187.657	187.414	186.154	186.167	-4	7.1	.3	-3.1	3.3	-1.4
Apparel	119.096	119.544	119.017	118.544	-2.1	-4.8	1.4	-1.8	-3.4	-2
Men's and boys' apparel	113.393	112.845	112.965	112.281	-6.1	-5.7	10.3	-3.9	-5.9	3.0
Men's apparel	120.728	119.810	118.423	118.156	-3.8	-1.9	10.6	-8.3	-2.9	.7
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	119.821	119.673	118.310	117.366	-3.3	10.4	11.7	-7.9	3.4	1.4
Men's furnishings	141.073	140.816	140.581	141.759	3.3	6.6	-6.4	2.0	4.9	-2.3
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup>	83.487	82.148	81.760	79.750	-6.5	-10.9	26.4	-16.7	-8.7	2.6
Men's pants and shorts	110.020	108.972	107.127	108.533	-9.4	.0	6.7	-5.3	-4.8	.5
Boys' apparel	92.238	92.504	97.149	94.918	-14.2	-15.8	9.1	12.1	-15.0	10.6
Women's and girls' apparel	105.953	106.821	106.111	105.776	-2.9	-4.6	-4.5	-7	-3.8	-2.6
Women's apparel	108.650	109.825	109.837	109.229	1.1	-5.2	-1.3	2.1	-2.1	.4
Women's outerwear	94.461	96.621	95.371	94.854	6.4	-12.0	-14.0	1.7	-3.3	-6.5
Women's dresses	109.533	110.837	108.571	115.387	-6.6	2.3	-9.0	23.2	-2.3	5.9
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup>	85.669	86.219	85.717	83.458	.3	-6.0	3.2	-9.9	-2.9	-3.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup>	95.121	95.619	96.643	97.824	2.1	-1.1	2.7	11.9	.5	7.2
Girls' apparel	95.520	95.271	91.943	92.602	-18.1	-1.7	-16.3	-11.7	-10.3	-14.0
Footwear	127.913	128.294	127.689	127.444	3.7	-6.0	2.3	-1.5	-1.3	.4
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup>	126.107	125.107	123.889	125.675	1.6	-4.0	3.2	-1.4	-1.2	.9
Boys' and girls' footwear	130.977	130.617	131.324	132.075	-3.3	-5.7	-1.4	3.4	-4.5	1.0
Women's footwear	126.738	127.823	127.320	125.078	8.2	-6.4	4.6	-5.1	.6	-4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	118.487	120.885	118.376	116.525	-7.7	3.7	3.0	-6.5	-2.2	-1.8
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup>	149.779	148.465	150.102	151.273	5.5	-4.1	1.3	4.0	.6	2.7
Watches <sup>1 5</sup>	108.560	108.397	109.538	108.018	-1.6	-2.5	-7	-2.0	-2.1	-1.3
Jewelry <sup>5</sup>	162.093	160.360	162.130	164.440	5.7	-2.4	2.3	5.9	1.6	4.1
Transportation	186.209	189.020	192.130	193.376	14.1	6.1	-13.0	16.3	10.0	.6
Private transportation	182.732	185.661	188.845	190.087	13.9	6.6	-13.8	17.1	10.2	.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup>	96.497	96.827	97.221	96.958	15.0	3.8	2.4	1.9	9.3	2.2
New vehicles	139.038	139.218	139.526	139.661	7.2	-1.5	.5	1.8	2.8	1.2
Used cars and trucks	144.773	145.889	146.935	146.033	32.8	11.1	6.5	3.5	21.5	5.0
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup>	95.618	94.745	93.982	92.838	-7.5	.4	-9.8	-11.1	-3.7	-10.5
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup>	119.353	117.852	121.976	124.236	-12.8	-17.9	-6	17.4	-15.4	8.0
Motor fuel	214.902	224.320	234.907	239.792	20.0	11.2	-40.2	55.0	15.5	-3.7
Gasoline (all types)	215.031	224.891	233.750	237.478	25.5	8.4	-39.4	48.8	16.6	-5.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup>	213.847	224.035	233.011	237.073	23.6	8.7	-39.6	51.0	15.9	-4.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup>	222.169	231.634	241.006	244.993	23.0	7.8	-36.9	47.9	15.1	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup>	211.131	219.262	227.816	231.438	19.9	9.1	-35.5	44.4	14.3	-3.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup>	216.291	213.886	215.402	215.122	21.5	16.5	9.2	-2.1	18.9	3.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup>	136.719	137.218	137.612	137.728	4.2	2.0	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.2
Tires <sup>1</sup>	121.991	122.661	123.405	123.230	5.5	2.6	2.2	4.1	4.0	3.1
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup>	148.579	148.728	148.470	149.084	2.9	1.2	5.3	1.4	2.0	3.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup>	250.142	250.143	251.084	251.938	1.6	2.1	1.6	2.9	1.9	2.3
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup>	257.425	257.191	257.512	257.885	1.9	.1	7.1	.7	1.0	3.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup>	227.617	227.321	227.702	228.690	2.7	1.3	.6	1.9	2.0	1.3
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup>	152.466	152.613	153.449	153.877	.8	3.0	1.8	3.8	1.9	2.8
Motor vehicle insurance	376.341	378.447	379.041	380.408	5.1	7.2	4.0	4.4	6.1	4.2
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup>	165.426	165.793	165.700	165.556	9.3	3.2	.9	.3	6.2	.6
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2 3</sup>	165.128	165.467	165.349	164.976	12.9	4.0	.5	-4	8.3	.1
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup>	165.878	166.318	166.267	166.627	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.8
Public transportation	249.252	247.744	247.825	248.885	18.9	-6.2	9.0	-6	5.6	4.1
Airline fare	275.233	272.212	272.322	273.208	30.6	-11.8	12.3	-2.9	7.3	4.4
Other intercity transportation	152.445	150.957	149.850	152.958	4.0	11.1	-3.3	1.4	7.5	-1.0
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup>	257.494	259.487	259.941	260.272	2.0	2.2	4.1	4.4	2.1	4.2
Medical care	389.639	389.453	390.299	392.737	2.7	6.1	2.6	3.2	4.4	2.9
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup>	306.440	305.764	306.541	307.322	.9	7.9	1.2	1.2	4.3	1.2
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 11</sup>	102.369	102.136	102.399	102.637	-	8.3	1.4	1.1	-	1.2
Prescription drugs	405.251	405.074	407.673	408.880	2.7	7.1	2.8	3.6	4.9	3.2
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 11</sup>	100.600	99.920	99.120	99.064	-	2.6	-2	-6.0	-	-3.1
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 11</sup>	98.116	98.096	98.264	99.140	-	-2.3	-5.1	4.2	-	-6
Medical care services	414.012	414.049	414.900	417.992	3.3	5.5	3.0	3.9	4.4	3.4
Professional services	330.959	331.963	332.739	334.108	2.3	3.1	3.2	3.9	2.7	3.5
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup>	333.731	335.039	335.541	336.887	1.8	5.4	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.6
Dental services <sup>3</sup>	399.586	400.148	401.467	402.611	4.0	.0	5.3	3.1	2.0	4.2
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>5</sup>	176.351	175.836	176.787	178.443	-7	-1.8	.4	4.8	-1.2	2.6
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3 5</sup>	219.455	219.851	220.564	220.934	3.4	4.9	-4	2.7	4.1	1.1
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	608.514	606.994	609.797	618.805	7.1	12.2	5.5	6.9	9.6	6.2
Hospital services <sup>3 12</sup>	226.727	226.047	227.107	230.624	7.4	13.2	5.5	7.1	10.3	6.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 12</sup>	219.540	218.970	220.191	224.133	7.5	15.9	6.0	8.6	11.6	7.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 9</sup>	524.353	522.321	523.828	530.592	7.7	7.9	3.9	4.8	7.8	4.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>3 12</sup>	188.849	189.433	189.939	190.360	3.4	.4	5.0	3.2	1.9	4.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 13</sup>	109.970	110.272	110.499	110.575	.4	4.1	.7	2.2	2.2	1.4
Health insurance <sup>1 13</sup>	107.959	107.160	106.646	106.677	-5.3	1.2	-6.7	-4.7	-2.1	-5.7
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	110.196	109.992	109.813	109.532	-3.2	-.7	.6	-2.4	-2.0	-.9
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	99.980	99.646	99.260	99.299	-1.6	-2.6	-1.1	-2.7	-2.1	-1.9
Televisions	8.148	7.949	7.749	7.711	-24.4	-28.0	-13.1	-19.8	-26.2	-16.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup>	373.000	372.953	372.148	372.658	2.5	-1.4	2.6	-.4	.5	1.1
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup>	15.540	15.504	15.413	15.282	-14.9	-4.4	-24.7	-6.5	-9.8	-16.1
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 2</sup>	76.422	75.319	75.717	75.294	-.2	7.3	-10.5	-5.8	3.5	-8.2
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup>	45.791	45.786	45.673	45.994	.2	-3.2	-5.0	1.8	-1.5	-1.7
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup>	93.742	93.443	93.976	93.202	-6.8	1.9	-5.6	-2.3	-2.5	-3.9
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup>	151.733	151.291	151.460	150.942	-.7	1.8	-1.2	-2.1	.5	-1.6
Pets and pet products	192.496	191.568	192.377	191.336	-2.3	1.3	-5.1	-2.4	-.5	-3.7
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup>	192.262	192.550	191.395	191.619	2.6	2.9	8.7	-1.3	2.8	3.6
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup>	117.053	116.989	116.813	116.885	-4.9	.2	4.3	-.6	-2.4	1.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup>	136.189	136.202	136.207	137.341	-2.0	-.3	6.1	3.4	-1.2	4.8
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup>	96.149	95.996	95.621	94.530	-8.0	1.0	1.6	-6.6	-3.6	-2.5
Photography <sup>2</sup>	82.433	81.807	81.067	80.775	-3.3	-1.8	2.1	-7.8	-2.6	-3.0
Photographic equipment and supplies	72.596	71.790	69.830	68.685	-6.8	1.1	-8.8	-19.9	-2.9	-14.5
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup>	113.519	112.857	112.894	113.205	-.6	-3.1	8.4	-1.1	-1.9	3.6
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup>	56.245	55.519	55.260	55.408	-12.8	3.1	-7.0	-5.8	-5.2	-6.4
Toys <sup>1</sup>	60.847	60.100	59.817	59.872	-16.6	3.1	-7.7	-6.3	-7.3	-7.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup>	93.246	90.560	90.386	91.935	-.4	10.1	-5.1	-5.5	4.8	-5.3
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup>	97.839	97.251	96.608	96.980	-.7	-.3	-4.5	-3.5	-.5	-4.0
Recreation services <sup>2</sup>	147.384	148.259	148.523	147.071	-3.8	-1.9	6.7	-.8	-2.8	2.8
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup>	123.024	124.400	124.460	122.027	-9.4	-6.3	6.4	-3.2	-7.9	1.5
Admissions <sup>1</sup>	322.134	322.913	323.670	322.309	-1.5	-.5	9.1	.2	-1.0	4.6
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 5</sup>	264.798	265.163	265.415	265.504	.3	.8	.6	1.1	.6	.8
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup>	224.390	224.337	223.827	223.703	-1.2	1.0	-.4	-1.2	-.1	-.8

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**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	135.076	134.957	134.159	134.110	0.4	2.5	-0.8	-2.8	1.4	-1.8
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.284	106.345	106.595	106.510	-3.5	-8	.2	.9	-2.1	.5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	125.018	125.256	125.272	125.137	1.0	2.4	1.2	.4	1.7	.8
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	197.168	197.893	197.914	197.532	4.2	6.2	5.0	.7	5.2	2.9
Educational books and supplies .....	512.033	510.490	504.799	507.899	6.1	4.6	5.3	-3.2	5.3	1.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	554.317	556.699	557.331	555.849	4.0	6.4	5.0	1.1	5.2	3.0
College tuition and fees .....	642.511	646.879	648.217	645.833	4.7	6.1	5.1	2.1	5.4	3.6
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	622.722	626.646	621.050	622.592	4.4	6.0	4.9	-1	5.2	2.4
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	240.373	240.687	241.549	240.711	3.6	6.4	4.6	.6	5.0	2.6
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	206.631	207.956	206.761	208.979	3.2	4.2	5.5	4.6	3.7	5.0
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	87.306	87.375	87.388	87.340	-1.2	.0	-1.1	.2	-6	-5
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	145.395	145.332	145.209	145.185	1.1	6.4	.1	-6	3.7	-3
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	230.143	230.143	230.143	230.143	.0	5.1	.0	.0	2.5	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	225.991	223.804	219.603	218.770	19.8	44.2	1.2	-12.2	31.5	-5.7
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	85.115	85.186	85.201	85.154	-1.3	-2	-1.2	.2	-7	-5
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.021	102.185	102.239	102.325	-1.2	-2.1	-1	1.2	-1.6	.5
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	63.386	63.449	63.451	63.431	-4.9	-6.5	-9	.3	-5.7	-3
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	101.362	101.611	101.735	101.988	-	4.5	1.0	2.5	-	1.7
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 14</sup> .....	9.976	9.957	9.947	9.891	-1.6	6.8	-4.8	-3.4	2.5	-4.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>15</sup> .....	75.763	76.168	76.335	76.253	-3.0	-3.0	-9.0	2.6	-3.0	-3.4
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	45.859	44.625	44.500	44.308	2.4	-1.9	-16.6	-12.9	.2	-14.7
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.991	77.705	77.664	77.365	-3.3	11.7	-9	-3.2	3.9	-2.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	37.980	38.091	37.938	37.358	.2	-10.4	5.0	-6.4	-5.3	-9
Other goods and services .....	408.314	411.916	413.142	413.007	3.8	1.0	3.1	4.7	2.4	3.9
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	811.325	824.198	827.609	828.794	6.9	1.7	9.9	8.9	4.2	9.4
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	329.413	335.136	336.503	336.927	6.9	1.5	10.0	9.4	4.2	9.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	218.416	216.963	218.098	219.032	5.3	4.5	8.4	1.1	4.9	4.7
Personal care .....	203.690	204.671	205.143	204.868	1.8	.5	-6	2.3	1.2	.9
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	159.900	161.416	161.376	161.132	-2	.5	-6.1	3.1	.1	-1.6
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.676	103.704	104.220	104.552	-2.1	4.1	-11.3	7.5	.9	-2.4
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	183.775	185.426	184.344	183.138	2.0	-3.3	.0	-1.4	-7	-7
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	230.472	230.769	230.625	230.624	.2	-2	3.5	.3	.0	1.9
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	140.473	140.654	140.566	140.566	.2	-2	3.5	.3	.0	1.9
Miscellaneous personal services .....	354.233	355.713	356.397	356.667	4.9	3.3	.3	2.8	4.1	1.5
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	286.107	287.430	289.004	291.362	5.2	4.6	-6	7.6	4.9	3.4
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	288.970	289.715	289.829	291.590	4.1	1.3	.2	3.7	2.7	1.9
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	141.626	141.645	141.707	141.871	3.8	2.9	.6	.7	3.4	.6
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	158.671	160.190	159.931	159.861	4.8	5.6	.7	3.0	5.2	1.8
Financial services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	280.166	280.234	280.887	278.643	.6	6.1	4.6	-2.2	3.3	1.2
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	87.074	86.823	87.961	86.888	2.7	-4.2	-5.4	-9	-8	-3.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	174.912	176.029	177.262	177.809	5.4	2.7	-6.3	6.8	4.0	.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	151.534	153.086	154.660	155.148	8.0	3.2	-10.3	9.9	5.5	-7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	190.600	193.805	196.796	197.981	9.1	2.6	-17.0	16.4	5.8	-1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	239.549	244.635	249.977	252.387	10.8	5.6	-21.5	23.2	8.2	-1.6
Durables .....	112.718	112.840	113.188	112.925	9.7	.6	.8	.7	5.1	.8
Services .....	256.454	256.860	257.025	257.115	1.1	1.0	.8	1.0	1.0	.9
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	233.089	233.052	233.137	233.640	-2	-2.0	.3	.9	-1.1	.6
Transportation services .....	259.839	260.234	260.588	261.213	5.0	3.0	2.9	2.1	4.0	2.5
Other services .....	296.522	297.141	297.236	296.788	.8	1.4	2.5	.4	1.1	1.4
All items less food .....	211.254	212.194	213.004	213.269	3.4	1.5	-2.9	3.9	2.4	.4
All items less shelter .....	203.939	204.964	206.024	206.412	4.6	2.9	-3.7	4.9	3.7	.5
All items less medical care .....	205.321	206.132	206.865	207.125	3.0	1.4	-2.7	3.6	2.2	.4
Commodities less food .....	153.951	155.506	157.049	157.535	7.8	2.9	-9.9	9.6	5.3	-6
Nondurables less food .....	192.563	195.686	198.552	199.695	8.7	2.3	-16.1	15.7	5.5	-1.5
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	237.103	241.864	246.763	248.977	10.2	5.1	-19.9	21.6	7.6	-1.3
Nondurables .....	204.622	206.494	208.421	209.473	4.4	3.0	-9.5	9.8	3.7	-3

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Dec. 2009	Mar. 2010	June 2010	Sep. 2010	Mar. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Apparel less footwear .....	112.578	113.024	112.535	112.028	-3.6	-4.5	1.2	-1.9	-4.0	-0.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	250.979	251.382	251.873	251.937	3.4	3.2	1.0	1.5	3.3	1.3
Services less medical care services .....	245.258	245.438	245.645	245.846	1.2	.1	.6	1.0	.6	.8
Energy .....	198.255	203.561	209.481	211.343	14.7	10.0	-28.0	29.1	12.3	-3.6
All items less energy .....	215.163	215.408	215.528	215.669	1.7	.7	1.1	.9	1.2	1.0
All items less food and energy .....	214.887	215.198	215.269	215.303	1.8	.4	1.2	.8	1.1	1.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	145.835	146.172	146.280	146.012	4.4	.1	.5	.5	2.3	.5
Energy commodities .....	218.075	227.010	237.307	242.121	21.3	11.7	-39.2	52.0	16.4	-3.9
Services less energy services .....	263.722	264.007	264.048	264.313	.7	.5	1.6	.9	.6	1.2
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	219.947	219.747	219.957	220.745	1.1	4.6	.2	1.5	2.9	.8
Utilities and public transportation .....	200.135	200.291	200.647	200.379	1.2	3.4	1.0	.5	2.3	.8

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 10. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—			Percent change to Aug. 2010 from—		
		June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Aug. 2009	June 2010	July 2010
U.S. city average .....	M	217.965	218.011	218.312	218.439	1.1	0.2	0.1	1.1	0.2	0.1
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	233.834	233.885	234.150	234.027	1.2	.1	-.1	1.4	.1	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	235.769	235.770	236.089	235.995	1.0	.1	.0	1.2	.1	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	139.163	139.274	139.348	139.229	1.9	.0	-.1	2.0	.1	.1
Midwest urban .....	M	207.886	208.211	208.639	208.788	1.6	.3	.1	1.5	.4	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	208.289	208.556	208.912	209.253	1.4	.3	.2	1.1	.3	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.845	134.130	134.375	134.275	1.9	.1	-.1	2.0	.4	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	203.749	203.992	204.985	205.100	1.6	.5	.1	1.6	.6	.5
South urban .....	M	211.232	210.988	211.308	211.775	1.4	.4	.2	1.1	.0	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	213.121	212.696	212.947	213.493	1.1	.4	.3	.7	-.1	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.173	134.130	134.335	134.658	1.5	.4	.2	1.2	.1	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	215.216	214.639	215.266	215.172	2.0	.2	.0	2.1	.0	.3
West urban .....	M	221.147	221.331	221.523	221.384	.5	.0	-.1	.7	.2	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	225.291	225.574	225.790	225.726	.6	.1	.0	.8	.2	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.635	133.685	133.704	133.544	.3	-.1	-.1	.7	.1	.0
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	199.183	199.224	199.477	199.617	1.0	.2	.1	.9	.1	.1
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.692	134.753	134.908	134.987	1.4	.2	.1	1.4	.2	.1
D .....	M	211.094	210.882	211.606	211.524	1.4	.3	.0	1.6	.2	.3
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	212.186	212.535	212.784	213.339	.9	.4	.3	.6	.3	.1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	225.877	225.991	226.373	226.048	.4	.0	-.1	.8	.2	.2
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	240.817	241.147	241.569	241.485	1.2	.1	.0	1.4	.3	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	-	236.132	-	236.474	-.1	.1	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	-	203.989	-	205.492	1.8	.7	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	-	200.227	-	201.882	.0	.8	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	-	141.966	-	142.738	1.3	.5	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	204.725	-	204.511	-	-	-	-	.6	-.1	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	204.891	-	205.412	-	-	-	-	.4	.3	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	194.734	-	195.165	-	-	-	-	1.8	.2	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	222.390	-	222.803	-	-	-	-	.7	.2	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	228.074	-	228.500	-	-	-	-	1.1	.2	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	228.110	-	227.954	-	-	-	-	1.0	-.1	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	226.118	-	227.645	-	-	-	-	.2	.7	-

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Phoenix-Mesa, AZ;

Pittsburgh, PA; Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	234.027	1.2	-0.1	208.788	1.6	0.1	211.775	1.4	0.2	221.384	0.5	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	368.521	-	-	339.710	-	-	343.529	-	-	357.855	-	-
Food and beverages .....	226.792	1.7	.3	214.498	1.3	.1	218.960	1.6	.5	222.515	.9	.2
Food .....	226.210	1.7	.4	213.802	1.3	.1	219.468	1.6	.6	221.605	.8	.2
Food at home .....	223.440	1.8	.4	207.072	1.2	.2	213.994	1.7	.6	221.045	.7	.2
Food away from home .....	232.839	1.6	.2	223.976	1.4	.0	229.714	1.5	.5	221.103	1.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	233.382	.8	.1	222.170	.8	.2	210.789	1.6	.3	232.016	1.1	.2
Housing .....	243.988	.4	-3	197.709	.2	-3	201.546	-3	.0	225.803	-1.1	-2
Shelter .....	292.293	.4	-3	227.127	-.1	.0	222.633	-2	.1	252.101	-1.4	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	289.176	2.0	.1	222.185	.8	.1	222.914	-5	.3	257.644	-9	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup> .....	303.766	.6	-1	231.590	.1	.0	226.630	.2	.1	266.175	-1.2	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2,3</sup> .....	303.717	.6	-1	231.588	.1	.0	226.627	.2	.1	266.216	-1.2	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	213.749	2.4	-7	208.745	5.4	-1.7	218.749	.9	-6	243.312	4.2	-7
Household energy .....	195.932	1.8	-9	182.336	5.3	-2.1	187.608	.0	-8	222.682	3.2	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	196.969	-2	-1.2	189.351	5.1	-2.3	188.413	-4	-9	225.166	2.6	-1.1
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	195.151	-7	-6	191.508	4.4	-1.5	185.848	-8	-2	245.540	3.5	-6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	187.935	1.4	-2.8	176.344	6.6	-3.9	189.223	1.9	-5.4	190.510	.0	-2.5
Household furnishings and operations ...	126.082	-2.1	.2	117.688	-3.6	-7	125.767	-2.5	-1	128.357	-3.4	-1.0
Apparel .....	124.810	-5	4.7	113.132	-2.1	3.6	131.030	-1.9	3.6	112.940	-1	3.1
Transportation .....	190.903	3.1	-9	193.761	6.2	.1	189.022	5.9	-5	196.346	3.2	-9
Private transportation .....	184.181	2.8	-9	188.332	6.2	.2	187.139	5.9	-4	190.339	3.0	-9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	96.686	3.3	-7	97.292	4.1	-5	97.598	5.4	-4	98.143	4.2	-1
New vehicles .....	136.991	1.8	-3	131.210	1.8	.2	141.711	3.2	.1	137.240	1.2	.6
New cars and trucks <sup>4,5</sup> .....	94.925	1.8	-3	92.848	2.0	.2	96.440	3.3	.1	95.360	1.3	.6
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....	134.222	1.4	-3	129.939	1.8	.3	144.945	3.1	.2	138.098	.6	.4
Used cars and trucks .....	151.981	12.9	-9	146.774	13.2	-1.1	144.392	12.5	-1.2	143.904	13.1	-1.7
Motor fuel .....	220.909	.5	-2.5	243.963	11.7	1.2	226.738	7.7	-1.2	238.870	1.0	-3.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	219.931	.3	-2.6	243.678	11.7	1.2	225.822	7.5	-1.2	238.296	.6	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	220.264	.1	-2.7	242.348	11.8	1.4	224.326	7.6	-1.2	237.087	.6	-3.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5,6</sup> .....	225.588	.7	-2.2	267.209	11.4	.9	236.444	7.2	-1.3	224.151	.6	-3.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	215.318	.7	-2.1	239.822	10.8	1.0	225.831	7.2	-1.2	228.624	.5	-2.9
Medical care .....	410.327	2.9	.2	390.010	3.2	.3	372.421	4.0	1.2	398.631	3.2	.3
Medical care commodities .....	341.701	2.9	.5	312.738	2.9	.1	299.703	1.8	.3	322.204	3.6	.3
Medical care services .....	427.800	3.0	.1	415.734	3.3	.3	396.737	4.8	1.5	421.706	3.2	.3
Professional services .....	331.859	2.7	.2	355.113	2.9	.2	329.008	3.6	.3	306.072	2.3	.4
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	118.978	-2	-4	114.644	-1.4	-5	113.256	-2.2	-2	107.154	-1.1	-3
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	134.251	.6	.2	132.875	1.8	.3	127.105	2.2	.5	131.242	1.8	.6
Other goods and services .....	412.145	4.1	.1	368.668	1.6	.3	376.018	2.2	-1	377.757	2.4	-2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	234.027	1.2	-1	208.788	1.6	.1	211.775	1.4	.2	221.384	.5	-1
Commodities .....	180.095	1.5	.3	170.817	2.0	.4	175.234	2.0	.3	171.769	.8	-2
Commodities less food and beverages ...	152.653	1.4	.3	148.525	2.4	.5	153.034	2.3	.2	144.961	.8	-4
Nondurables less food and beverages	190.343	1.4	.7	188.480	3.2	1.2	194.580	2.1	.5	180.838	.3	-4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	242.089	2.1	-7	237.493	4.9	.5	234.110	3.4	-5	228.696	.5	-1.5
Durables .....	109.359	1.4	-4	108.618	1.2	-5	114.161	2.5	-2	111.491	1.1	-4
Services .....	286.848	1.1	-3	248.428	1.2	-1	249.140	.9	.1	266.728	.3	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	305.695	.4	-3	233.204	-.2	.0	228.838	-.2	.1	268.101	-1.4	.0
Transportation services .....	248.111	2.8	-2	265.604	2.7	-4	269.052	3.7	.0	262.238	2.6	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
Other services .....	335.733	1.5	0.1	302.634	1.5	0.1	300.838	1.2	0.1	308.151	1.8	0.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	226.175	1.1	-.1	200.119	1.4	.1	202.651	1.2	.2	213.160	.3	-.1
All items less food .....	235.705	1.1	-.1	207.857	1.6	.1	210.387	1.3	.2	221.503	.4	-.1
All items less shelter .....	214.466	1.7	.1	204.374	2.3	.1	208.777	2.1	.3	210.284	1.5	-.1
Commodities less food .....	155.703	1.3	.3	151.028	2.3	.5	154.940	2.2	.2	148.352	.8	-.4
Nondurables .....	209.033	1.5	.5	201.754	2.3	.7	206.562	1.8	.5	202.482	.6	-.1
Nondurables less food .....	192.736	1.3	.6	190.418	3.0	1.1	195.325	2.0	.5	184.750	.4	-.3
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	239.213	2.0	-.6	235.211	4.5	.4	231.041	3.3	-.4	228.505	.6	-1.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	291.234	1.9	-.2	279.609	2.7	-.3	282.470	2.2	.2	295.328	2.4	.0
Services less medical care services .....	276.775	.9	-.3	235.610	1.0	-.2	235.426	.6	.0	255.764	.0	.0
Energy .....	206.303	1.2	-1.6	208.765	8.5	-.4	200.340	3.9	-1.0	233.805	1.9	-2.2
All items less energy .....	239.163	1.2	.1	211.120	.9	.1	213.713	1.1	.4	222.267	.4	.1
All items less food and energy .....	243.026	1.1	.0	211.262	.8	.1	213.088	1.0	.3	223.042	.3	.1
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	148.398	1.1	.8	142.122	.3	.4	146.590	1.0	.5	138.729	.7	.2
Energy commodities .....	231.054	2.4	-1.9	243.304	11.8	1.2	230.162	7.8	-1.1	242.139	1.3	-2.9
Services less energy services .....	295.761	1.1	-.2	256.489	1.0	.0	255.348	1.0	.2	270.036	.1	.1

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>2</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	199.617	1.0	0.1	134.987	1.4	0.1	211.524	1.4	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	199.617	-	-	-	-	-	341.136	-	-
Food and beverages .....	198.977	1.2	.4	138.365	1.6	.2	218.450	1.0	.2
Food .....	198.677	1.3	.4	138.438	1.6	.2	218.045	.8	.2
Food at home .....	199.875	1.2	.4	134.993	1.5	.3	212.383	1.6	.2
Food away from home .....	195.664	1.3	.5	143.427	1.7	.1	228.909	-3	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	200.808	.8	.3	137.382	1.1	.0	224.329	4.6	.7
Housing .....	200.461	-2	-2	131.485	-4	-1	193.991	-3	-4
Shelter .....	217.053	-3	-1	132.286	-6	-2	216.674	-2	-4
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	216.826	.4	.1	137.064	-5	.3	212.359	1.0	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	216.665	-1	-1	131.680	.0	.3	226.774	.0	-4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	216.661	-1	-1	131.671	-1	.3	226.779	.0	-4
Fuels and utilities .....	222.230	2.9	-8	163.911	3.1	-1.1	215.220	1.7	-2
Household energy .....	217.950	2.0	-1.1	162.387	2.7	-1.3	180.939	1.2	-3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	208.419	1.3	-1.3	155.395	2.0	-1.5	194.640	.0	-5
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	208.081	.7	-3	150.902	1.4	-1.1	201.026	1.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	194.640	3.3	-4.0	160.039	4.4	-3.1	162.832	-7.1	-3.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	118.161	-2.8	-2	97.942	-2.9	-6	125.378	-3.0	-1
Apparel .....	116.735	.0	4.0	86.407	-3.1	3.2	116.054	-1.0	3.6
Transportation .....	188.550	4.0	-6	135.219	5.3	-5	193.224	5.6	-4
Private transportation .....	187.022	3.8	-5	134.846	5.3	-5	188.659	5.7	-3
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	97.502	3.4	-3	97.538	5.5	-5	96.663	4.7	-6
New vehicles .....	119.562	1.6	.1	96.151	2.8	.3	142.061	1.4	.0
New cars and trucks <sup>3 7</sup> .....	94.177	1.7	.1	96.191	2.8	.3	98.104	1.6	.0
New cars <sup>7</sup> .....	120.246	1.6	.1	98.343	2.7	.2	139.235	-2.2	.3
Used cars and trucks .....	139.932	12.9	-1.1	98.288	13.0	-1.3	133.878	12.6	-1.6
Motor fuel .....	338.632	3.9	-1.7	229.842	6.5	-1.1	225.784	8.4	.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	337.529	3.7	-1.8	230.717	6.3	-1.2	224.603	8.1	.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	344.724	3.7	-1.8	235.112	6.2	-1.2	214.815	7.8	.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	231.054	3.7	-1.7	226.529	6.7	-1.2	254.334	9.4	-5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	304.207	3.5	-1.8	219.954	6.4	-1.0	229.233	8.3	-7
Medical care .....	308.215	3.2	.6	165.505	3.9	.6	377.230	2.1	.0
Medical care commodities .....	248.160	2.0	.3	148.654	3.3	.3	319.158	2.5	.1
Medical care services .....	326.075	3.6	.7	171.520	4.1	.7	397.117	2.0	.0
Professional services .....	258.547	2.6	.2	154.251	3.4	.4	337.327	2.4	.1
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	112.711	-2.2	-4	112.608	-3	-3	117.470	-4	-1
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	133.717	1.5	.4	126.289	1.7	.4	135.399	2.7	.8
Other goods and services .....	296.181	2.4	.0	174.013	2.7	.0	408.118	2.7	-1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	199.617	1.0	.1	134.987	1.4	.1	211.524	1.4	.0
Commodities .....	166.035	1.3	.3	123.230	1.9	.1	176.390	2.3	.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.863	1.3	.2	115.234	2.1	.0	156.082	2.9	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	191.793	1.4	.6	144.590	1.8	.3	195.616	3.4	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	246.882	2.0	-.7	172.999	3.3	-.5	237.659	4.5	-1
Durables .....	103.083	.9	-.3	86.784	2.4	-.5	116.304	2.2	-2
Services .....	226.353	.8	-1	141.486	1.0	.0	249.966	.8	-3
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	217.806	-.3	-1	132.439	-.6	.2	223.863	-.4	-4
Transportation services .....	210.960	3.2	.0	142.644	2.7	-.2	276.113	2.9	-8

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Other services .....	254.547	1.2	0.1	145.004	2.0	0.0	312.953	1.8	0.4	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less medical care .....	194.416	.8	.0	131.030	1.2	.0	201.104	1.4	.0	
All items less food .....	199.876	.9	.0	132.257	1.3	.0	210.331	1.5	-.1	
All items less shelter .....	192.124	1.6	.2	133.594	2.2	.0	211.700	2.1	.1	
Commodities less food .....	149.296	1.3	.2	115.903	2.0	.0	157.845	3.0	.3	
Nondurables .....	195.689	1.3	.5	141.325	1.7	.3	207.053	2.3	.4	
Nondurables less food .....	192.770	1.4	.5	144.124	1.8	.3	196.662	3.4	.6	
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	241.235	1.9	-.6	169.923	3.1	-.4	235.840	4.5	.0	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	236.933	2.2	.0	151.298	2.6	-.1	291.029	1.9	-.1	
Services less medical care services .....	219.373	.6	-.1	138.723	.7	.0	234.810	.6	-.3	
Energy .....	266.856	3.0	-1.5	191.789	4.7	-1.2	203.536	5.0	-.1	
All items less energy .....	195.115	.8	.2	128.485	1.0	.2	213.483	1.0	.0	
All items less food and energy .....	194.632	.7	.2	126.640	.9	.2	213.100	1.0	-.1	
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	130.074	.6	.7	101.372	1.0	.2	149.588	1.4	.3	
Energy commodities .....	341.667	4.4	-1.6	234.505	6.8	-1.0	225.965	8.9	.1	
Services less energy services .....	227.675	.7	.0	140.422	.9	.2	256.132	.8	-.2	

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means

estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	235.995	1.0	0.0	139.229	1.9	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	364.657	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	226.119	1.5	.4	141.336	2.2	.1
Food .....	225.460	1.5	.5	141.462	2.2	.1
Food at home .....	224.825	1.9	.6	136.810	1.7	.1
Food away from home .....	229.373	1.1	.3	148.521	2.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	233.901	.5	.1	138.320	1.7	.2
Housing .....	247.746	.3	-3	138.379	.8	-3
Shelter .....	296.658	.3	-4	137.841	.8	-2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	297.295	1.9	.0	145.408	2.2	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	304.188	.4	-2	136.732	1.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	304.146	.4	-2	136.732	1.4	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	210.175	1.9	-6	174.672	3.4	-1.0
Household energy .....	199.645	1.0	-7	171.908	3.5	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	198.267	-9	-1.0	146.891	1.7	-1.7
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	197.579	-1.4	-1	134.271	1.0	-1.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	189.672	.7	-3.2	154.129	4.2	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	124.708	-1.8	.4	103.843	-2.7	.0
Apparel .....	124.463	.0	4.3	85.899	-2.5	6.1
Transportation .....	192.487	2.8	-8	133.003	3.9	-1.0
Private transportation .....	185.009	2.3	-9	133.442	3.7	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	216.931	.3	-2.5	221.887	1.0	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	215.692	.1	-2.5	222.161	.7	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	215.781	-1	-2.7	225.445	.6	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	218.123	.5	-2.1	221.208	1.2	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	212.246	.7	-2.0	211.684	.9	-2.5
Medical care .....	411.459	2.7	.2	169.908	3.3	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	117.693	-1.2	-8	121.333	2.0	.4
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	136.468	.6	.5	128.266	.6	-5
Other goods and services .....	394.328	4.1	.1	186.984	4.1	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	235.995	1.0	.0	139.229	1.9	-1
Commodities .....	179.353	1.1	.4	129.418	2.2	.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	150.372	.9	.3	122.643	2.4	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	185.529	.9	.7	153.706	2.3	.6
Durables .....	108.499	.7	-3	89.451	2.5	-6
Services .....	287.561	.9	-3	144.146	1.6	-2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	228.313	.9	-1	135.414	1.7	-1
All items less shelter .....	214.035	1.4	.2	137.322	2.3	-1
Commodities less food .....	153.615	.9	.3	123.194	2.3	.1
Nondurables .....	206.944	1.2	.6	146.907	2.2	.4
Nondurables less food .....	188.416	.9	.7	152.451	2.3	.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	287.932	1.8	-1	150.581	2.3	-3
Services less medical care services .....	277.642	.8	-3	141.600	1.4	-3
Energy .....	207.425	.7	-1.5	192.297	2.3	-1.9
All items less energy .....	240.989	1.0	.1	132.770	1.8	.1
All items less food and energy .....	245.362	.9	.0	131.031	1.7	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	209.253	1.4	0.2	134.275	1.9	-0.1	205.100	1.6	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	345.488	-	-	-	-	-	328.821	-	-
Food and beverages .....	216.655	1.5	.2	136.889	1.2	-.1	216.769	.4	.3
Food .....	215.972	1.6	.2	137.010	1.3	-.1	215.965	.3	.4
Food at home .....	211.673	1.6	.3	132.472	.9	-.1	203.544	.8	.5
Food away from home .....	221.908	1.5	.0	143.248	1.9	-.1	237.183	-.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.140	1.2	.3	137.575	.5	.1	228.578	2.1	-.2
Housing .....	199.198	-.1	-.2	126.545	.5	-.4	194.107	1.1	-.3
Shelter .....	230.849	-.5	.0	126.263	.2	.1	219.160	1.1	-.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	231.953	.7	.0	127.839	.8	.3	205.252	1.9	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	235.536	-.3	.0	124.513	.7	.1	225.272	1.0	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	235.536	-.3	.0	124.513	.7	.1	225.272	1.0	-.1
Fuels and utilities .....	203.490	5.9	-1.1	170.198	5.2	-2.7	206.884	3.5	-1.3
Household energy .....	180.000	5.7	-1.4	171.992	5.2	-3.3	163.116	3.9	-1.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	183.356	5.7	-1.5	168.770	4.7	-3.5	176.505	3.0	-2.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	180.650	5.6	-.9	164.183	2.8	-2.2	172.983	4.3	-1.8
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	170.439	5.9	-2.5	163.985	10.1	-6.9	173.980	-.4	-3.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	113.268	-4.3	-.9	93.733	-2.9	-.6	120.829	-1.8	.5
Apparel .....	112.943	-.8	4.7	83.133	-3.3	1.3	120.267	-6.4	3.9
Transportation .....	193.911	6.2	.2	142.127	6.6	.0	173.142	4.9	-.1
Private transportation .....	189.695	6.2	.3	141.613	6.5	.1	165.710	5.1	.2
Motor fuel .....	249.134	12.3	1.3	248.786	11.3	1.1	211.247	10.1	1.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	248.415	12.3	1.3	249.851	11.3	1.2	209.326	10.0	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	248.218	12.5	1.4	254.698	11.5	1.3	201.674	9.9	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	264.594	11.9	1.2	246.484	11.1	.5	242.889	10.4	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	239.423	11.1	1.0	235.913	10.8	1.1	215.073	9.2	.9
Medical care .....	387.120	3.4	.4	169.328	3.6	.2	370.578	.7	.0
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	113.693	-2.3	-.7	117.425	-.4	-.3	109.311	-.4	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	133.739	1.1	.4	132.891	2.1	.3	124.701	3.9	.5
Other goods and services .....	355.774	1.0	.3	175.716	2.0	.5	388.648	3.5	-.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	209.253	1.4	.2	134.275	1.9	-.1	205.100	1.6	.1
Commodities .....	170.106	1.9	.5	122.743	2.1	.1	174.259	1.7	.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	145.597	2.2	.8	115.114	2.6	.2	153.606	2.5	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	185.264	3.3	1.6	144.962	3.2	.6	195.039	3.0	1.0
Durables .....	106.186	.6	-.6	84.070	1.8	-.5	111.161	1.7	.0
Services .....	248.123	1.0	-.1	141.854	1.7	-.2	239.095	1.4	-.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	201.362	1.2	.1	130.436	1.7	-.1	194.607	1.7	.1
All items less shelter .....	203.442	2.2	.2	135.683	2.5	-.2	201.719	1.8	.2
Commodities less food .....	148.594	2.1	.7	115.737	2.5	.2	155.595	2.4	.6
Nondurables .....	201.755	2.4	.9	140.982	2.2	.3	205.793	1.7	.7
Nondurables less food .....	187.910	3.1	1.5	144.183	3.0	.6	196.490	2.9	.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	278.287	2.6	-.2	158.055	3.2	-.5	263.330	1.9	-.4
Services less medical care services .....	236.723	.7	-.1	138.537	1.5	-.2	221.488	1.5	-.3
Energy .....	209.299	9.1	.0	205.864	8.2	-1.0	184.874	7.2	-.2
All items less energy .....	211.421	.6	.2	127.548	1.2	.0	208.983	.9	.1
All items less food and energy .....	211.279	.5	.2	125.768	1.2	.0	207.665	1.1	.0

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	213.493	1.1	0.3	134.658	1.5	0.2	215.172	2.0	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	344.648	-	-	-	-	-	349.421	-	-
Food and beverages .....	219.171	1.2	.9	138.509	1.8	.4	215.022	1.3	.3
Food .....	220.086	1.3	1.0	138.856	1.8	.3	214.510	1.3	.3
Food at home .....	211.704	.8	.8	136.393	2.0	.4	217.448	2.8	.5
Food away from home .....	233.409	1.8	1.2	142.255	1.6	.2	213.923	-.8	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	207.587	.9	-.6	132.682	2.2	1.0	219.777	1.0	.1
Housing .....	207.686	-.5	-.2	132.414	-.3	.2	197.153	.5	-.4
Shelter .....	228.630	-.3	-.1	135.160	-.2	.4	219.447	.5	-.8
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	230.611	-.4	.0	139.628	-.7	.5	218.159	.6	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	234.621	-.1	-.1	134.601	.3	.4	229.762	.9	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	234.603	-.1	-.1	134.601	.3	.4	229.762	.9	-.5
Fuels and utilities .....	217.236	-.8	-1.0	154.666	1.9	-.5	218.288	1.7	.3
Household energy .....	195.943	-2.1	-1.4	151.549	1.2	-.6	189.692	1.4	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	199.384	-2.4	-1.4	148.399	.9	-.7	197.055	.5	.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	193.037	-3.4	-.1	146.782	.6	-.4	200.754	1.3	.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	190.919	4.0	-8.4	151.822	1.7	-2.6	148.244	-7.9	-5.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	135.518	-1.6	.5	96.495	-3.1	-.6	123.613	-1.7	.9
Apparel .....	148.110	.4	4.2	86.389	-3.8	3.2	122.646	.6	4.2
Transportation .....	188.909	5.4	-.5	132.239	6.0	-.5	204.942	7.0	-.4
Private transportation .....	188.156	5.4	-.4	131.836	6.1	-.5	203.476	7.1	-.4
Motor fuel .....	232.694	6.7	-1.8	226.403	7.9	-1.1	217.116	9.7	.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	230.670	6.5	-1.8	226.902	7.7	-1.1	214.969	9.5	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	230.564	6.7	-1.8	232.613	7.7	-1.2	208.260	9.9	.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	233.059	6.3	-1.8	221.643	7.6	-1.0	252.438	8.7	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	230.348	6.2	-1.7	217.574	7.8	-.9	222.582	7.7	-1.0
Medical care .....	361.492	4.2	2.0	160.679	4.1	1.0	366.885	2.1	-.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	108.437	-4.5	.0	114.983	-1.0	-.3	119.417	-1.4	-.3
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	129.836	2.5	.5	124.515	2.0	.6	130.434	1.9	.3
Other goods and services .....	346.363	1.8	.0	171.036	2.4	-.2	408.733	2.6	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	213.493	1.1	.3	134.658	1.5	.2	215.172	2.0	.0
Commodities .....	175.375	1.9	.6	122.383	1.8	.2	180.429	3.2	.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	152.152	2.3	.4	114.020	1.9	.0	163.669	4.1	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	189.243	2.2	.6	143.238	1.6	.4	203.202	4.2	.9
Durables .....	116.987	2.6	.1	86.828	2.2	-.5	121.297	3.8	-.3
Services .....	250.134	.6	.1	141.823	1.1	.3	252.209	1.0	-.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	206.099	.9	.2	130.967	1.3	.2	204.002	2.0	.0
All items less shelter .....	208.489	1.8	.5	132.112	2.2	.2	215.152	2.6	.2
Commodities less food .....	154.385	2.3	.3	114.575	1.9	.1	164.859	4.1	.5
Nondurables .....	203.759	1.7	.7	140.682	1.7	.4	209.247	2.9	.7
Nondurables less food .....	190.311	2.1	.5	142.682	1.6	.4	203.322	4.1	.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	282.884	1.7	.3	148.781	2.6	.2	290.173	1.6	-.1
Services less medical care services .....	238.824	.2	-.1	139.560	.8	.2	236.287	.9	-.4
Energy .....	208.541	2.1	-1.6	182.243	4.7	-.9	199.686	5.6	.3
All items less energy .....	215.815	1.0	.4	128.585	1.1	.4	216.085	1.5	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	215.506	.9	.4	126.660	1.0	.4	216.766	1.5	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	225.726	0.6	0.0	133.544	0.3	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	368.077	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	223.351	.8	.3	137.128	.9	.1
Food .....	222.756	.8	.2	136.344	1.1	.3
Food at home .....	223.194	.6	.1	132.687	.9	.6
Food away from home .....	220.537	.9	.4	141.883	1.2	-.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	228.051	1.0	1.2	149.739	-1.7	-3.4
Housing .....	238.340	-.5	-.1	129.204	-2.0	-.2
Shelter .....	266.543	-.8	.0	128.299	-2.9	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	276.336	-.6	.1	134.841	-2.5	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	282.076	-.5	.1	128.960	-2.5	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	282.090	-.5	.1	128.967	-2.5	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	250.726	5.2	-.7	171.905	3.6	-.8
Household energy .....	232.950	4.4	-1.2	170.766	2.8	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	235.238	4.0	-1.2	167.902	2.4	-1.1
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	267.794	4.6	-.3	162.891	3.3	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	187.802	2.5	-4.2	174.653	-.1	-.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	130.107	-3.5	-.7	102.085	-2.6	-1.2
Apparel .....	116.072	.3	3.1	90.575	-1.9	3.3
Transportation .....	192.772	2.7	-1.0	137.604	3.8	-.7
Private transportation .....	186.937	2.4	-1.0	136.395	3.8	-.8
Motor fuel .....	235.408	-.6	-3.5	222.188	3.1	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	234.288	-1.0	-3.6	224.482	2.8	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	235.748	-.9	-3.7	224.628	2.7	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	216.332	-1.4	-3.5	220.527	3.2	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	225.551	-1.2	-3.3	215.329	2.8	-2.3
Medical care .....	389.315	2.8	.3	170.536	4.1	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	110.366	-1.6	-.1	95.950	-.7	-.9
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	132.999	2.0	.4	121.403	1.5	.6
Other goods and services .....	380.020	2.2	-.3	166.920	3.1	-.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	225.726	.6	.0	133.544	.3	-.1
Commodities .....	171.468	.4	-.1	120.748	1.4	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	142.933	.2	-.4	112.265	1.7	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	176.756	.0	-.4	139.393	.5	-.4
Durables .....	110.363	.2	-.5	87.658	2.9	-.3
Services .....	273.702	.7	.0	138.614	-.5	-.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	218.469	.5	.0	128.593	.1	-.1
All items less shelter .....	210.012	1.4	-.1	132.047	1.8	-.2
Commodities less food .....	146.595	.3	-.4	113.330	1.6	-.4
Nondurables .....	201.033	.4	.0	138.477	.7	-.1
Nondurables less food .....	180.881	.0	-.3	140.176	.4	-.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	295.052	2.6	.0	150.986	2.1	-.2
Services less medical care services .....	264.609	.5	.0	135.203	-.9	-.1
Energy .....	232.427	1.3	-2.6	201.294	3.0	-1.8
All items less energy .....	227.254	.5	.2	126.120	.1	.0
All items less food and energy .....	228.804	.5	.2	124.385	-.1	.0

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Food at home, selected areas**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Food at home										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—			Percent change to Aug. 2010 from—		
		June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Aug. 2009	June 2010	July 2010
U.S. city average .....	M	215.361	215.256	215.382	216.161	1.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.1
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	223.343	222.658	222.442	223.440	1.8	.4	.4	1.5	-4	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	224.496	222.905	223.508	224.825	1.9	.9	.6	1.6	-4	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	137.104	138.054	136.675	136.810	1.7	-9	.1	1.5	-3	-1.0
Midwest urban .....	M	205.959	206.590	206.733	207.072	1.2	.2	.2	1.0	.4	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	210.771	211.218	211.132	211.673	1.6	.2	.3	.9	.2	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.880	132.518	132.617	132.472	.9	.0	-1	1.2	.6	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	200.547	201.129	202.524	203.544	.8	1.2	.5	1.3	1.0	.7
South urban .....	M	212.481	212.260	212.765	213.994	1.7	.8	.6	.7	.1	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	210.612	210.762	210.023	211.704	.8	.4	.8	-5	-3	-4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	135.168	134.982	135.792	136.393	2.0	1.0	.4	1.2	.5	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	216.850	215.594	216.275	217.448	2.8	.9	.5	1.4	-3	.3
West urban .....	M	220.905	220.775	220.657	221.045	.7	.1	.2	.1	-1	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	224.126	223.686	223.036	223.194	.6	-2	.1	-1	-5	-3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.470	131.467	131.928	132.687	.9	.9	.6	.1	.3	.4
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	199.622	199.247	199.060	199.875	1.2	.3	.4	.5	-3	-1
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.109	134.277	134.560	134.993	1.5	.5	.3	1.0	.3	.2
D .....	M	210.957	211.092	211.932	212.383	1.6	.6	.2	1.3	.5	.4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	213.957	215.365	215.672	217.005	.5	.8	.6	-4	.8	.1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	231.825	230.482	229.056	229.794	1.2	-3	.3	.3	-1.2	-6
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	227.442	226.101	226.946	227.442	1.7	.6	.2	1.8	-2	.4
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	223.578	222.796	221.090	223.808	1.1	.5	1.2	.7	-1.1	-8
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	217.973	217.875	218.813	219.127	1.7	.6	.1	2.7	.4	.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	195.593	198.032	197.977	198.089	-1	.0	.1	-9	1.2	.0
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	135.419	135.346	133.883	135.533	-2	.1	1.2	-1.4	-1.1	-1.1
Atlanta, GA .....	2	216.472	216.426	215.822	220.238	2.8	1.8	2.0	-4	-3	-3
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	197.455	195.355	196.000	196.059	2.4	.4	.0	.9	-7	.3
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	199.707	199.169	199.522	199.889	1.3	.4	.2	.7	-1	.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	227.616	228.483	228.008	228.855	1.3	.2	.4	.5	.2	-2
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	218.736	214.921	217.000	219.360	2.7	2.1	1.1	1.6	-8	1.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	222.321	223.640	222.033	221.452	-7	-1.0	-3	-6	-1	-7
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	223.440	224.550	225.938	224.861	-1	.1	-5	-5	1.1	.6

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Phoenix-Mesa, AZ; Pittsburgh, PA; Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	218.439	1.1	0.1	213.339	0.9	0.3	226.048	0.4	-0.1	241.485	1.2	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	654.346	-	-	637.368	-	-	667.846	-	-	698.099	-	-
Food and beverages .....	220.586	1.4	.3	217.075	.6	.4	224.157	1.2	.5	230.274	1.4	.2
Food .....	220.216	1.4	.3	215.739	.6	.4	223.093	1.3	.5	229.420	1.5	.3
Food at home .....	216.161	1.4	.4	217.005	.5	.6	229.794	1.2	.3	227.442	1.7	.2
Food away from home .....	227.075	1.4	.3	208.180	.6	.1	211.203	1.5	.7	237.943	1.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	224.043	1.2	.2	233.248	.6	.0	226.370	.7	.6	238.788	.5	-.2
Housing .....	216.602	-.3	-.2	213.567	.0	-.2	243.549	-.2	-.1	258.871	.7	-.4
Shelter .....	248.522	-.4	.0	260.656	-.7	.0	273.951	-.4	.2	313.982	1.0	-.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	249.368	.2	.1	271.824	.6	.1	280.113	.1	.1	316.545	2.8	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> .....	256.590	-.1	.0	266.098	-.6	.1	286.521	-.1	.2	321.256	.6	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	256.584	-.1	.0	266.098	-.6	.1	286.521	-.1	.2	321.175	.6	-.2
Fuels and utilities .....	217.695	2.9	-.9	184.802	11.5	-.7	249.552	7.4	-1.5	201.400	.9	-1.1
Household energy .....	192.635	2.2	-1.1	163.269	12.0	-.8	232.499	7.9	-2.2	199.473	-.3	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	197.049	1.5	-1.3	166.914	12.3	-.9	231.371	7.7	-2.3	194.108	-2.3	-1.7
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	200.405	1.1	-.6	160.653	12.2	.0	271.256	5.3	.5	192.712	-2.8	-.2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	183.759	3.0	-3.6	159.574	12.6	-2.2	183.740	15.1	-10.2	190.688	-.5	-5.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	124.535	-2.9	-.4	99.966	-6.3	-1.6	121.095	-4.6	-.9	122.154	-2.3	.1
Apparel .....	121.011	-1.2	3.7	93.687	-3.7	5.8	111.382	.7	2.7	123.337	1.3	4.5
Transportation .....	192.412	4.6	-.5	181.453	4.8	.0	189.222	1.3	-1.4	201.164	2.5	-.8
Private transportation .....	187.646	4.6	-.5	178.395	5.0	.2	183.316	.9	-1.4	189.840	2.1	-.9
Motor fuel .....	232.518	5.4	-1.3	252.210	10.9	.8	232.314	-3.7	-4.3	210.580	.9	-2.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	231.819	5.1	-1.4	250.283	10.8	.8	227.632	-4.1	-4.4	209.693	.7	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	230.950	5.1	-1.4	246.787	10.9	.9	227.932	-4.1	-4.5	211.100	.5	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	238.275	5.3	-1.4	260.341	10.5	.6	215.659	-3.9	-4.4	212.945	1.2	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	225.889	5.0	-1.4	239.375	10.2	.0	217.614	-4.2	-4.1	208.177	1.2	-1.9
Medical care .....	390.616	3.4	.6	412.070	5.2	.4	377.168	2.5	.2	381.757	2.5	.2
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	113.120	-1.3	-.4	111.209	-.6	-.5	105.316	-5.5	-1.2	115.904	-1.2	-.3
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	131.154	1.6	.4	137.896	.3	.6	136.021	3.1	.2	136.226	.4	.8
Other goods and services .....	383.663	2.5	.0	348.543	-.8	.1	365.190	2.0	-.4	381.658	5.5	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	218.439	1.1	.1	213.339	.9	.3	226.048	.4	-.1	241.485	1.2	.0
Commodities .....	174.282	1.6	.2	164.166	.2	.7	169.987	-.1	-.3	181.036	1.2	.4
Commodities less food and beverages ...	149.761	1.7	.1	135.585	.0	.9	139.785	-.8	-.8	148.307	1.1	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	188.770	1.7	.5	176.100	1.4	2.1	177.363	-1.6	-1.0	182.821	1.9	1.0
Durables .....	111.174	1.6	-.4	96.430	-2.1	-.9	103.315	-.2	-.5	103.700	-.6	-.3
Services .....	262.320	.8	.0	259.906	1.4	.0	275.084	.6	-.1	293.194	1.2	-.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	210.001	1.0	.0	204.763	.6	.3	219.120	.3	-.2	235.129	1.2	.0
All items less shelter .....	209.133	1.9	.1	197.698	1.7	.4	205.164	.8	-.3	213.090	1.3	.2
Commodities less food .....	152.395	1.7	.1	139.464	.1	.9	143.677	-.8	-.7	151.962	1.0	.5
Nondurables .....	204.920	1.6	.4	198.039	1.0	1.2	202.413	-.2	-.2	208.506	1.7	.6
Nondurables less food .....	190.885	1.7	.5	180.369	1.4	1.9	182.200	-1.4	-.9	186.421	1.8	.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	286.640	2.3	.0	272.979	3.8	-.1	284.519	2.2	-.4	280.749	1.5	-.1
Services less medical care services .....	250.516	.6	-.1	248.358	1.0	-.1	266.573	.5	-.1	285.331	1.1	-.3
Energy .....	210.003	3.8	-1.3	196.357	11.4	.0	233.186	-.2	-3.6	204.880	.2	-1.7
All items less energy .....	221.030	.9	.2	216.573	.1	.3	227.412	.4	.1	246.738	1.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	221.907	.8	.2	217.486	.0	.3	228.657	.3	.1	251.438	1.3	.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		July 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	July 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.439	1.1	0.2	236.474	-0.1	0.1	213.339	0.9	0.4
All items (1967=100) .....	654.346	-	-	687.317	-	-	637.368	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	220.586	1.4	.5	232.741	1.0	.5	217.075	.6	.3
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	220.216	1.4	.5	232.211	.9	.5	215.739	.6	.5
Food at home .....	216.161	1.4	.4	223.808	1.1	.5	217.005	.5	.8
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	227.075	1.4	.6	246.319	.5	.5	208.180	.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	224.043	1.2	.2	241.390	1.9	.7	233.248	.6	-1.5
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	216.602	-3	-2	230.287	-1.7	.1	213.567	.0	-4
Shelter .....	248.522	-4	-1	271.442	-2.7	.0	260.656	-7	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	249.368	.2	.1	277.156	-3	.3	271.824	.6	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	256.590	-1	.1	288.757	-1.2	.0	266.098	-6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	256.584	-1	.1	288.757	-1.2	.0	266.098	-6	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	217.695	2.9	-9	210.677	5.8	-3	184.802	11.5	-4.1
Household energy .....	192.635	2.2	-1.3	179.026	6.0	-5	163.269	12.0	-5.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	197.049	1.5	-1.6	175.250	3.8	-5	166.914	12.3	-5.2
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	200.405	1.1	-7	190.561	-1.7	.0	160.653	12.2	-2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	183.759	3.0	-4.3	135.539	22.0	-1.7	159.574	12.6	-12.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	124.535	-2.9	-6	124.227	-5	1.9	99.966	-6.3	-7
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	121.011	-1.2	5.0	143.548	-1.8	9.6	93.687	-3.7	7.9
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	192.412	4.6	-3	182.074	3.3	-8	181.453	4.8	.0
Private transportation .....	187.646	4.6	-2	181.250	3.1	-9	178.395	5.0	.3
Motor fuel .....	232.518	5.4	-9	224.785	1.7	-2.7	252.210	10.9	.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	231.819	5.1	-1.0	222.264	1.3	-2.7	250.283	10.8	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	230.950	5.1	-1.0	220.298	1.2	-2.8	246.787	10.9	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	238.275	5.3	-9	225.631	1.9	-2.4	260.341	10.5	.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	225.889	5.0	-9	219.976	1.8	-2.2	239.375	10.2	.1
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	390.616	3.4	.7	550.930	3.9	.3	412.070	5.2	.9
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	113.120	-1.3	-5	119.868	-2.5	-3.3	111.209	-6	.6
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	131.154	1.6	1.2	139.140	.4	.2	137.896	.3	1.3
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	383.663	2.5	.1	411.984	.7	.0	348.543	-8	-9
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.439	1.1	.2	236.474	-1	.1	213.339	.9	.4
Commodities .....	174.282	1.6	.4	181.671	.8	.8	164.166	.2	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.761	1.7	.4	154.406	.6	1.0	135.585	.0	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	188.770	1.7	.9	198.313	.4	1.8	176.100	1.4	2.6
Durables .....	111.174	1.6	-3	111.360	.8	-3	96.430	-2.1	-2
Services .....	262.320	.8	.0	285.470	-6	-3	259.906	1.4	-1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	210.001	1.0	.2	224.227	-3	.1	204.763	.6	.3
All items less shelter .....	209.133	1.9	.3	225.086	1.4	.2	197.698	1.7	.5
Commodities less food .....	152.395	1.7	.4	157.842	.7	1.0	139.464	.1	1.4
Nondurables .....	204.920	1.6	.7	214.252	.7	1.1	198.039	1.0	1.5
Nondurables less food .....	190.885	1.7	.9	200.090	.5	1.7	180.369	1.4	2.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	286.640	2.3	.1	316.850	2.2	-5	272.979	3.8	-3
Services less medical care services .....	250.516	.6	.0	267.244	-1.0	-3	248.358	1.0	-2
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	210.003	3.8	-1.1	197.949	3.6	-1.6	196.357	11.4	-2.2
All items less energy .....	221.030	.9	.3	243.716	-4	.3	216.573	.1	.6
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	221.907	.8	.3	246.565	-6	.2	217.486	.0	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule <sup>1</sup>								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		July 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	July 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	205.492	1.8	0.7	201.882	0.0	0.8	226.048	0.4	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	658.494	-	-	633.293	-	-	667.846	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	222.310	1.4	.7	224.381	.8	.3	224.157	1.2	.2
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	225.889	1.5	.5	218.695	.6	.3	223.093	1.3	.3
Food at home .....	219.127	1.7	.6	198.089	-.1	.0	229.794	1.2	-.3
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	240.030	1.0	.5	250.763	1.5	.6	211.203	1.5	1.0
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	183.176	1.3	2.3	304.725	3.6	-.3	226.370	.7	-.5
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	189.216	.7	-.3	179.090	-1.8	-.1	243.549	-.2	.1
Shelter .....	213.619	-.1	.0	185.741	-1.8	-.2	273.951	-.4	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	215.836	1.4	.4	186.912	-2.7	-.5	280.113	.1	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	211.853	.2	.2	201.131	-1.4	-.5	286.521	-.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	211.853	.2	.2	201.131	-1.4	-.5	286.521	-.1	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	194.620	9.0	-.9	213.932	-4.0	-.4	249.552	7.4	-1.4
Household energy .....	179.441	9.2	-1.3	209.989	-4.2	-.5	232.499	7.9	-2.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	179.846	9.2	-1.4	207.491	-4.3	-.6	231.371	7.7	-2.9
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	160.486	3.3	-3.4	193.667	-6.2	-.5	271.256	5.3	-.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	192.085	18.6	1.6	241.138	7.7	-1.2	183.740	15.1	-10.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	116.751	-3.4	-1.9	135.250	1.4	1.4	121.095	-4.6	-2.4
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	127.678	-.2	12.5	118.943	-10.4	6.6	111.382	.7	7.0
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	195.690	5.5	1.0	193.715	4.7	-.3	189.222	1.3	-1.5
Private transportation .....	196.237	5.3	1.3	193.640	4.8	-.2	183.316	.9	-1.4
Motor fuel .....	275.319	11.1	1.7	230.339	6.6	-2.5	232.314	-3.7	-4.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	273.809	11.1	1.7	229.206	6.4	-2.6	227.632	-4.1	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	266.395	11.2	1.6	224.652	6.6	-2.5	227.932	-4.1	-4.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	280.091	11.0	2.1	233.400	5.4	-3.1	215.659	-3.9	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	265.231	10.2	1.7	232.643	6.2	-2.7	217.614	-4.2	-4.1
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	364.400	4.2	-.1	364.367	6.6	9.2	377.168	2.5	.3
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	113.739	-3.0	-.2	110.164	-7.0	1.4	105.316	-5.5	-2.0
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	116.571	1.0	1.1	138.368	1.2	.9	136.021	3.1	1.1
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	383.325	5.2	1.9	353.949	.0	-1.4	365.190	2.0	-.8
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	205.492	1.8	.7	201.882	.0	.8	226.048	.4	.0
Commodities .....	180.164	1.9	1.5	172.692	.8	.5	169.987	-.1	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	157.151	2.2	2.0	147.457	1.0	.7	139.785	-.8	-.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	201.016	3.8	3.1	172.880	-2.0	.6	177.363	-1.6	-.2
Durables .....	110.402	-.2	.4	125.988	5.2	.7	103.315	-.2	-1.2
Services .....	232.019	1.7	.2	230.646	-.5	1.0	275.084	.6	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	198.215	1.6	.8	193.862	-.4	.3	219.120	.3	.0
All items less shelter .....	204.203	2.7	1.1	209.948	.8	1.3	205.164	.8	-.3
Commodities less food .....	158.235	2.1	2.0	151.857	1.0	.6	143.677	-.8	-.6
Nondurables .....	212.688	2.7	1.9	197.222	-.6	.4	202.413	-.2	.0
Nondurables less food .....	199.435	3.6	3.0	179.612	-1.7	.5	182.200	-1.4	-.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	257.056	3.7	.4	295.922	.9	2.4	284.519	2.2	-.3
Services less medical care services .....	222.004	1.3	.2	217.005	-1.6	.1	266.573	.5	.2
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	213.975	10.2	.2	220.284	1.1	-1.6	233.186	-.2	-3.8
All items less energy .....	206.484	1.0	.8	203.649	-.1	1.1	227.412	.4	.3
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	203.047	.9	.8	201.198	-.2	1.2	228.657	.3	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 <sup>1</sup>					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		July 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	241.485	1.2	0.1	142.738	1.3	0.5
All items (1967=100) .....	698.099	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	230.274	1.4	.5	140.704	1.0	1.4
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	229.420	1.5	.5	142.062	1.1	1.6
Food at home .....	227.442	1.7	.6	135.533	-2	.1
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	237.943	1.3	.5	147.362	2.5	3.3
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	238.788	.5	-6	121.466	-7	-1.4
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	258.871	.7	-6	153.239	.2	.0
Shelter .....	313.982	1.0	-3	158.193	.9	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	316.545	2.8	.5	172.782	1.7	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	321.256	.6	-3	158.674	1.2	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	321.175	.6	-3	158.669	1.2	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	201.400	.9	-2.4	188.592	-2.6	-2.4
Household energy .....	199.473	-3	-2.4	190.110	-4.5	-3.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	194.108	-2.3	-3.3	184.118	-5.2	-3.5
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	192.712	-2.8	-2.0	192.729	-6.6	-9
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	190.688	-5	-5.9	135.052	2.3	-14.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.154	-2.3	-1.1	98.224	-1.9	.9
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	123.337	1.3	10.5	93.112	-2.2	6.7
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	201.164	2.5	-.7	134.743	5.3	.1
Private transportation .....	189.840	2.1	-.8	134.191	5.2	.3
Motor fuel .....	210.580	.9	-2.2	219.943	5.8	-1.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	209.693	.7	-2.3	219.821	5.8	-1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	211.100	.5	-2.5	222.830	5.9	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	212.945	1.2	-2.0	218.386	5.4	-1.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	208.177	1.2	-1.8	219.293	5.7	-1.3
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	381.757	2.5	.2	150.096	5.0	.5
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	115.904	-1.2	-6	115.358	-2.0	-9
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	136.226	.4	.7	137.968	3.2	1.4
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	381.658	5.5	.5	167.641	1.8	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	241.485	1.2	.1	142.738	1.3	.5
Commodities .....	181.036	1.2	1.1	122.809	1.2	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	148.307	1.1	1.6	112.692	1.4	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.821	1.9	2.8	136.557	1.2	1.8
Durables .....	103.700	-6	-8	86.666	1.7	.9
Services .....	293.194	1.2	-4	155.922	1.3	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	235.129	1.2	.1	142.276	1.1	.5
All items less shelter .....	213.090	1.3	.4	134.903	1.5	.7
Commodities less food .....	151.962	1.0	1.5	113.187	1.3	1.3
Nondurables .....	208.506	1.7	1.6	138.052	1.1	1.6
Nondurables less food .....	186.421	1.8	2.6	135.385	1.1	1.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	280.749	1.5	-.4	154.297	2.0	-2
Services less medical care services .....	285.331	1.1	-.4	156.425	1.1	.0
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	204.880	.2	-2.3	199.738	-2	-2.5
All items less energy .....	246.738	1.3	.3	138.207	1.4	.8
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	251.438	1.3	.3	138.475	1.5	.7

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.  
<sup>2</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.  
<sup>3</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, all items index**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—			Percent change to Aug. 2010 from—		
		June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Aug. 2009	June 2010	July 2010
U.S. city average .....	M	213.839	213.898	214.205	214.306	1.4	0.2	0.0	1.4	0.2	0.1
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	231.308	231.380	231.694	231.566	1.5	.1	-.1	1.8	.2	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	231.552	231.615	231.995	231.881	1.2	.1	.0	1.5	.2	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	140.227	140.283	140.390	140.295	2.1	.0	-.1	2.4	.1	.1
Midwest urban .....	M	203.524	203.877	204.273	204.442	1.9	.3	.1	1.8	.4	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	203.063	203.363	203.593	203.946	1.7	.3	.2	1.4	.3	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.845	134.136	134.426	134.361	2.2	.2	.0	2.2	.4	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	201.654	201.950	202.896	203.086	1.8	.6	.1	1.8	.6	.5
South urban .....	M	208.640	208.440	208.740	209.155	1.7	.3	.2	1.4	.0	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	210.985	210.592	210.831	211.393	1.3	.4	.3	.9	-.1	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.227	133.227	133.420	133.680	1.8	.3	.2	1.6	.1	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	215.416	214.840	215.354	215.346	2.1	.2	.0	2.0	.0	.2
West urban .....	M	215.681	215.824	216.048	215.804	.6	.0	-.1	1.0	.2	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	218.238	218.499	218.784	218.524	.7	.0	-.1	1.0	.3	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.448	133.471	133.480	133.346	.4	-.1	-.1	.8	.0	.0
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	197.852	197.908	198.168	198.278	1.2	.2	.1	1.2	.2	.1
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.349	134.420	134.581	134.644	1.7	.2	.0	1.7	.2	.1
D .....	M	209.374	209.161	209.863	209.864	1.7	.3	.0	1.7	.2	.3
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	205.834	206.307	206.338	206.897	1.3	.3	.3	1.0	.2	.0
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	218.222	218.367	218.752	218.427	.5	.0	-.1	1.0	.2	.2
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	235.916	236.330	236.820	236.725	1.4	.2	.0	1.7	.4	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	-	236.657	-	236.844	.5	.1	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	-	195.477	-	196.787	2.1	.7	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	-	203.537	-	205.602	.6	1.0	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	-	141.926	-	142.755	1.5	.6	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	204.084	-	203.745	-	-	-	-	.7	-.2	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	200.703	-	201.359	-	-	-	-	.6	.3	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	192.696	-	193.276	-	-	-	-	2.0	.3	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	220.384	-	220.790	-	-	-	-	.8	.2	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	228.175	-	228.523	-	-	-	-	1.3	.2	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	224.185	-	224.195	-	-	-	-	1.3	.0	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	221.857	-	223.444	-	-	-	-	.7	.7	-

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Phoenix-Mesa, AZ;

Pittsburgh, PA; Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	231.566	1.5	-0.1	204.442	1.9	0.1	209.155	1.7	0.2	215.804	0.6	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	361.694	-	-	330.628	-	-	338.750	-	-	347.216	-	-
Food and beverages .....	225.828	1.8	.3	214.564	1.3	-.1	217.846	1.7	.5	222.042	.8	.2
Food .....	225.365	1.9	.3	213.998	1.4	.0	218.257	1.7	.5	220.824	.8	.2
Food at home .....	222.135	1.9	.4	207.248	1.3	.1	212.598	1.9	.5	219.920	.7	.2
Food away from home .....	233.489	1.8	.2	224.811	1.5	.0	228.771	1.4	.6	221.955	1.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	231.204	1.1	.1	221.631	1.0	.1	211.291	2.5	.5	235.624	.9	-.8
Housing .....	241.757	.7	-.3	192.989	.5	-.3	201.266	-.2	.0	223.016	-.9	-.1
Shelter .....	288.669	.9	-.2	217.156	.0	.0	221.762	-.1	.1	245.557	-.13	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	285.827	1.9	.1	222.756	.9	.1	221.340	-.6	.3	258.219	-.10	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup> .....	267.584	.7	-.1	215.880	.2	.0	210.797	.1	.1	235.722	-.13	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2,3</sup> .....	267.575	.7	-.1	215.887	.2	.0	210.795	.1	.1	235.741	-.13	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	212.216	2.1	-.8	209.364	5.5	-1.7	220.001	1.0	-.5	241.260	4.5	-.8
Household energy .....	194.044	1.4	-.9	182.667	5.5	-2.0	187.052	.1	-.7	221.497	3.8	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	196.401	-.3	-1.2	188.675	5.3	-2.3	188.658	-.2	-.7	224.338	3.2	-1.2
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	193.982	-.9	-.7	191.217	4.4	-1.5	184.457	-.6	-.1	244.286	4.3	-.8
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	188.513	1.9	-2.7	176.539	6.8	-3.9	192.689	2.8	-5.4	190.979	-.3	-2.6
Household furnishings and operations ...	119.914	-2.8	.2	116.213	-3.1	-.3	120.575	-2.7	-.1	126.382	-4.0	-1.0
Apparel .....	124.376	-1.0	4.3	110.031	-3.2	3.0	131.263	-2.1	4.4	112.306	-.9	3.1
Transportation .....	191.936	3.5	-1.0	194.046	6.9	.1	187.036	6.6	-.5	193.914	3.5	-1.1
Private transportation .....	186.932	3.3	-1.0	190.625	6.9	.2	185.415	6.6	-.5	190.127	3.5	-1.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	97.886	5.0	-.8	97.495	5.6	-.5	96.293	6.7	-.5	96.516	5.3	-.4
New vehicles .....	137.668	2.0	-.3	134.480	1.7	.2	141.085	2.9	.0	139.448	1.3	.6
Used cars and trucks .....	152.045	12.8	-.9	147.756	13.1	-1.1	145.214	12.5	-1.2	144.393	12.9	-1.8
Motor fuel .....	221.117	.6	-2.5	244.454	11.6	1.2	226.698	7.7	-1.2	239.346	1.0	-3.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	220.220	.3	-2.6	244.123	11.6	1.2	225.879	7.6	-1.2	238.974	.6	-3.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	220.236	.2	-2.7	242.660	11.7	1.3	224.373	7.7	-1.2	237.586	.6	-3.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5,6</sup> .....	225.957	.7	-2.2	266.787	11.3	.9	236.449	7.3	-1.3	225.131	.6	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	215.204	.7	-2.2	239.527	10.7	1.0	225.533	7.2	-1.2	229.408	.5	-3.0
Medical care .....	407.343	3.0	.2	392.483	3.3	.3	376.995	4.3	1.1	398.653	3.5	.3
Medical care commodities .....	334.749	3.1	.5	306.179	3.0	.1	293.464	2.1	.2	309.031	3.3	.3
Medical care services .....	425.334	3.0	.1	419.439	3.4	.4	403.173	5.1	1.4	423.814	3.5	.3
Professional services .....	332.457	2.8	.2	356.038	2.8	.1	330.982	3.7	.3	310.621	2.6	.4
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	119.132	.1	-.4	110.635	-1.2	-.4	109.590	-2.2	-.2	101.794	-1.9	-.3
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	128.082	.6	.2	128.166	1.4	.3	121.138	1.4	.3	127.380	1.3	.4
Other goods and services .....	466.343	5.2	.1	402.694	2.0	.3	401.343	2.8	-.1	385.491	2.8	-.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	231.566	1.5	-.1	204.442	1.9	.1	209.155	1.7	.2	215.804	.6	-.1
Commodities .....	186.549	1.7	.2	173.343	2.5	.3	177.010	2.6	.3	174.672	1.1	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages ...	161.731	1.7	.1	152.534	3.1	.5	156.453	3.1	.2	149.036	1.2	-.5
Nondurables less food and beverages Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	201.726	1.5	.4	197.039	3.3	1.0	202.156	2.7	.4	186.980	.1	-.5
260.463	2.5	-.8	250.363	5.3	.5	246.885	4.1	-.6	241.626	.4	-1.5	
Durables .....	112.859	2.1	-.6	109.818	2.9	-.4	114.081	3.7	-.3	114.001	2.2	-.5
Services .....	282.917	1.3	-.2	242.316	1.4	-.1	247.961	.9	.1	260.302	.3	.0
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	270.201	.8	-.2	215.576	.0	.0	211.115	-.2	.1	237.165	-.13	.0
Transportation services .....	246.076	2.9	-.2	263.120	2.9	-.1	274.258	4.2	.1	260.062	2.3	.0
Other services .....	331.461	1.6	.0	284.150	1.5	.1	286.989	.8	.1	289.934	1.2	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	225.116	1.4	-.1	197.097	1.8	.1	201.039	1.5	.1	208.933	.5	-.1
All items less food .....	232.958	1.4	-.1	202.455	2.0	.1	207.320	1.7	.1	214.754	.6	-.2
All items less shelter .....	213.836	1.8	.0	202.315	2.6	.1	206.091	2.4	.2	205.663	1.5	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
Commodities less food .....	164.374	1.6	0.1	154.790	3.0	0.5	158.059	3.1	0.2	152.277	1.2	-0.5
Nondurables .....	214.991	1.7	.4	206.298	2.4	.6	209.428	2.2	.5	205.737	.5	-.2
Nondurables less food .....	203.575	1.5	.4	198.361	3.2	1.0	202.449	2.6	.5	190.917	.2	-.5
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	256.491	2.4	-.7	246.629	5.0	.5	242.717	4.0	-.5	240.485	.5	-1.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	253.639	1.9	-.2	249.092	2.9	-.3	253.420	2.1	.1	259.155	2.3	-.1
Services less medical care services .....	273.865	1.2	-.2	230.166	1.2	-.2	234.594	.6	.0	250.116	.0	.0
Energy .....	205.351	1.0	-1.7	209.786	8.7	-.2	201.218	4.1	-1.0	236.133	2.0	-2.3
All items less energy .....	235.988	1.5	.1	205.323	1.1	.1	210.197	1.3	.4	215.173	.5	.1
All items less food and energy .....	239.611	1.5	.1	203.818	1.1	.1	208.717	1.3	.3	214.207	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	155.661	1.5	.6	144.060	1.0	.3	147.600	1.7	.6	140.041	1.1	.2
Energy commodities .....	229.554	2.0	-2.0	244.397	11.6	1.2	229.301	7.8	-1.1	242.366	1.3	-3.0
Services less energy services .....	292.231	1.5	-.1	249.553	1.1	.1	254.528	1.1	.2	263.200	.1	.1

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>2</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	198.278	1.2	0.1	134.644	1.7	0.0	209.864	1.7	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	198.278	-	-	-	-	-	339.175	-	-
Food and beverages .....	198.653	1.3	.4	138.435	1.6	.1	217.565	1.0	.3
Food .....	198.280	1.3	.4	138.481	1.6	.2	216.927	.8	.3
Food at home .....	199.493	1.3	.4	135.018	1.5	.2	210.057	1.6	.4
Food away from home .....	195.462	1.3	.5	143.647	1.8	.1	229.748	-4.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	201.717	1.3	.2	137.848	1.4	-.3	226.695	4.1	.4
Housing .....	200.106	.0	-.2	132.237	-.2	-.1	198.830	.2	-.3
Shelter .....	216.298	-.1	-.1	132.622	-.4	-.2	224.156	.2	-.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	215.227	.3	.0	136.893	-.6	.3	213.090	1.0	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	215.751	-.2	.0	131.478	-.1	.3	212.421	.2	-.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	215.747	-.2	.0	131.483	-.1	.3	212.429	.2	-.4
Fuels and utilities .....	219.476	3.0	-.9	164.782	2.9	-1.0	218.667	1.9	-.2
Household energy .....	214.416	2.0	-1.1	163.258	2.5	-1.3	182.262	1.6	-.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	206.263	1.6	-1.3	156.352	1.9	-1.4	195.189	.6	-.5
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	205.714	.9	-.3	150.813	1.3	-1.1	201.484	1.7	.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	194.041	3.5	-4.0	159.937	4.6	-3.1	165.230	-6.4	-3.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	114.326	-3.4	-.2	96.427	-2.7	-.4	119.872	-2.4	.0
Apparel .....	114.850	-.5	4.1	87.112	-3.3	3.4	116.434	-2.5	3.5
Transportation .....	191.391	4.6	-.7	134.005	5.8	-.6	188.649	6.0	-.3
Private transportation .....	190.531	4.6	-.7	133.734	5.8	-.6	185.695	6.0	-.3
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	97.509	5.0	-.5	96.517	6.7	-.6	94.815	5.1	-.7
New vehicles .....	120.202	1.7	.1	96.210	2.7	.3	142.779	.2	-.2
Used cars and trucks .....	140.286	12.8	-1.2	98.363	13.0	-1.3	134.711	12.9	-1.4
Motor fuel .....	340.076	4.0	-1.8	230.710	6.5	-1.1	226.327	8.5	.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	339.123	3.8	-1.8	231.601	6.3	-1.2	225.199	8.2	.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	346.183	3.8	-1.8	236.189	6.1	-1.2	215.655	8.0	.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	232.708	3.7	-1.8	227.033	6.6	-1.2	253.956	9.2	-.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	305.312	3.5	-1.8	220.594	6.4	-1.0	227.834	8.1	-.6
Medical care .....	309.295	3.5	.6	166.833	4.1	.6	372.749	1.9	-.1
Medical care commodities .....	242.624	2.0	.3	147.117	3.7	.3	305.076	2.0	-.2
Medical care services .....	329.028	4.0	.7	173.071	4.2	.7	393.361	1.9	.0
Professional services .....	261.500	2.8	.1	154.809	3.5	.4	335.342	2.4	.1
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	109.721	-2.5	-.5	108.550	-.5	-.2	112.614	-.5	.0
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	127.977	1.0	.3	121.801	1.4	.3	130.819	1.8	.5
Other goods and services .....	315.820	2.8	.1	191.440	3.4	.1	444.347	3.1	-.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	198.278	1.2	.1	134.644	1.7	.0	209.864	1.7	.0
Commodities .....	170.830	1.6	.2	124.751	2.4	.0	177.501	2.5	.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	153.935	1.8	.1	117.699	2.8	.0	158.257	3.2	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	202.044	1.5	.4	150.602	2.2	.3	202.813	3.5	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	265.450	2.3	-.8	182.468	3.7	-.5	249.945	5.0	.0
Durables .....	107.287	2.2	-.4	87.779	3.7	-.5	115.592	2.8	-.3
Services .....	223.798	.9	-.1	141.240	1.0	.0	252.215	1.0	-.2
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	217.051	-.1	-.1	132.773	-.5	.2	209.342	.1	-.4
Transportation services .....	213.937	3.4	.1	143.780	2.8	-.1	273.703	3.4	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Other services .....	244.830	0.8	0.1	140.729	1.8	0.1	299.246	1.2	0.3	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less medical care .....	193.883	1.1	.0	131.301	1.5	.0	201.491	1.7	.0	
All items less food .....	198.331	1.2	.0	132.087	1.7	.0	208.487	1.9	.0	
All items less shelter .....	191.327	1.8	.1	133.302	2.4	.0	207.191	2.2	.1	
Commodities less food .....	155.990	1.8	.1	118.280	2.7	.0	160.086	3.2	.2	
Nondurables .....	200.407	1.4	.4	143.916	1.9	.2	211.059	2.3	.4	
Nondurables less food .....	202.439	1.5	.4	149.732	2.2	.3	203.846	3.5	.6	
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	258.246	2.2	-.7	178.365	3.5	-.4	247.547	4.9	.0	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	232.129	2.2	-.1	150.094	2.5	-.1	257.885	1.9	-.1	
Services less medical care services .....	217.292	.7	-.1	138.657	.8	.0	238.965	.9	-.2	
Energy .....	269.357	3.1	-1.5	193.565	4.7	-1.2	205.372	5.4	-.1	
All items less energy .....	192.600	1.0	.2	127.716	1.3	.2	210.249	1.2	.0	
All items less food and energy .....	191.525	.9	.2	125.488	1.2	.2	209.595	1.3	.0	
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	134.152	1.1	.6	103.087	1.7	.3	149.081	1.6	.3	
Energy commodities .....	342.315	4.3	-1.6	233.820	6.7	-1.0	225.947	8.9	.2	
Services less energy services .....	225.130	.8	.0	139.883	1.0	.2	258.601	1.1	-.2	

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item

stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	231.881	1.2	0.0	140.295	2.1	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	354.327	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	224.986	1.7	.4	140.906	2.1	.1
Food .....	224.512	1.7	.4	140.931	2.2	.1
Food at home .....	223.277	2.0	.6	136.213	1.7	.1
Food away from home .....	228.752	1.3	.3	148.510	2.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	230.525	.7	.0	139.090	1.8	.3
Housing .....	242.414	.5	-3	139.710	1.1	-2
Shelter .....	288.442	.7	-2	138.514	1.4	-1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	294.592	1.8	.0	145.408	2.2	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	269.358	.4	-2	136.732	1.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	269.339	.4	-2	136.732	1.4	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	205.497	1.5	-7	175.043	3.3	-1.0
Household energy .....	195.440	.5	-8	171.701	3.4	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	197.300	-1.1	-1.0	147.390	1.7	-1.7
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	195.845	-1.4	-1	134.271	1.0	-1.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	189.781	.9	-3.1	154.129	4.2	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	117.570	-2.8	.4	103.069	-2.9	-1
Apparel .....	122.449	-4	3.7	88.108	-1.9	6.2
Transportation .....	194.666	3.3	-9	132.822	4.0	-1.1
Private transportation .....	188.794	3.1	-9	133.123	3.9	-1.1
Motor fuel .....	217.656	.4	-2.5	221.886	1.0	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	216.507	.1	-2.5	222.161	.7	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	216.342	-1	-2.7	225.445	.6	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	219.170	.5	-2.1	221.208	1.2	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	213.088	.8	-2.0	211.684	.9	-2.5
Medical care .....	406.726	2.8	.1	170.753	3.4	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	117.321	-9	-9	122.756	1.9	.5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	131.679	.6	.5	119.245	.5	-4
Other goods and services .....	443.065	4.8	.1	213.998	5.9	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	231.881	1.2	.0	140.295	2.1	-1
Commodities .....	184.278	1.3	.2	132.794	2.4	.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	157.462	1.1	.1	128.205	2.7	.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	191.748	.8	.4	167.074	2.7	.5
Durables .....	111.183	1.7	-5	90.943	2.9	-6
Services .....	282.337	1.2	-2	144.028	1.8	-2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	225.490	1.2	-1	137.129	2.0	-1
All items less shelter .....	212.457	1.5	.1	138.817	2.4	-1
Commodities less food .....	160.231	1.1	.1	128.618	2.7	.0
Nondurables .....	209.894	1.3	.4	153.094	2.4	.4
Nondurables less food .....	194.223	.8	.4	164.948	2.7	.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	249.393	1.8	-2	149.554	2.3	-3
Services less medical care services .....	273.370	1.0	-2	141.796	1.7	-2
Energy .....	204.834	.4	-1.6	193.402	2.1	-1.9
All items less energy .....	236.562	1.3	.1	133.385	2.1	.2
All items less food and energy .....	240.457	1.2	.0	131.998	2.1	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	203.946	1.7	0.2	134.361	2.2	0.0	203.086	1.8	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	333.413	-	-	-	-	-	329.050	-	-
Food and beverages .....	216.522	1.7	.1	137.203	1.2	-1.	216.709	.3	.3
Food .....	216.110	1.7	.1	137.337	1.3	-2.	215.798	.2	.4
Food at home .....	212.431	1.7	.2	132.811	.8	-2.	201.687	.6	.6
Food away from home .....	221.883	1.6	.0	143.662	2.0	-1.	239.952	-4.	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	220.194	1.8	.2	138.448	.5	.1	229.396	2.1	-2.
Housing .....	192.757	.3	-2.	126.745	.6	-4.	194.604	1.2	-3.
Shelter .....	217.712	-3.	.0	125.553	.1	.1	219.000	1.2	-2.
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	232.113	.6	.0	127.839	.8	.3	205.252	1.9	-1.
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	215.744	-3.	.0	124.513	.7	.1	214.422	1.0	-1.
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	215.735	-3.	.0	124.513	.7	.1	214.422	1.0	-1.
Fuels and utilities .....	204.681	6.4	-1.0	170.044	5.2	-2.7	210.559	3.2	-1.4
Household energy .....	180.363	6.3	-1.3	171.625	5.2	-3.2	165.078	3.6	-1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	183.472	6.4	-1.4	167.294	4.7	-3.4	176.002	3.0	-2.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	179.299	5.9	-9.	164.183	2.8	-2.2	172.989	4.3	-1.8
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	171.662	6.6	-2.4	163.985	10.1	-6.9	173.882	-4.	-3.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	110.852	-3.7	-7.	92.990	-2.9	.0	122.611	-1.1	.4
Apparel .....	108.597	-2.5	4.2	82.186	-3.0	.9	122.793	-6.6	3.8
Transportation .....	192.542	6.8	.2	143.523	7.2	.1	176.582	6.1	.1
Private transportation .....	189.503	6.9	.3	143.236	7.2	.1	171.635	6.2	.1
Motor fuel .....	249.081	12.2	1.3	248.797	11.3	1.1	211.213	10.2	1.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	248.310	12.1	1.3	249.851	11.3	1.2	209.332	10.0	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	247.847	12.3	1.4	254.698	11.5	1.3	201.681	9.9	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	264.172	11.8	1.1	246.484	11.1	.5	242.889	10.4	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	238.583	10.9	1.0	235.913	10.8	1.1	215.070	9.2	.9
Medical care .....	391.516	3.6	.5	170.072	3.7	.2	365.647	.6	.0
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	111.300	-2.0	-7.	111.579	-5.	-1.	106.619	-4.	.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	128.742	.5	.3	127.471	2.1	.2	125.943	2.9	.3
Other goods and services .....	378.051	1.2	.3	199.018	2.4	.7	422.680	3.9	-5.
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	203.946	1.7	.2	134.361	2.2	.0	203.086	1.8	.1
Commodities .....	171.377	2.3	.5	125.753	2.7	.1	178.397	2.3	.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	147.814	2.7	.7	119.946	3.5	.2	160.488	3.4	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	191.568	3.1	1.4	153.913	3.6	.6	204.573	3.5	1.0
Durables .....	106.956	2.1	-4.	87.196	3.4	-4.	113.135	3.2	-1.
Services .....	241.519	1.2	-1.	140.857	1.8	-2.	235.056	1.5	-3.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	196.952	1.6	.2	131.076	2.1	-1.	195.296	1.9	.1
All items less shelter .....	201.151	2.5	.2	135.954	2.9	-1.	200.071	2.1	.2
Commodities less food .....	150.494	2.7	.7	120.329	3.4	.2	162.239	3.3	.5
Nondurables .....	205.134	2.4	.8	145.152	2.5	.3	210.867	2.0	.7
Nondurables less food .....	193.697	3.0	1.3	152.261	3.4	.6	205.772	3.4	.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	250.299	2.8	-2.	156.432	3.3	-4.	229.640	1.9	-3.
Services less medical care services .....	230.259	.9	-1.	137.738	1.6	-2.	220.700	1.6	-3.
Energy .....	210.368	9.3	.1	205.833	8.4	-8.	188.505	7.2	-2.
All items less energy .....	204.640	.8	.2	127.012	1.5	.0	205.294	1.2	.1
All items less food and energy .....	202.489	.7	.2	124.850	1.5	.1	203.529	1.4	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	211.393	1.3	0.3	133.680	1.8	0.2	215.346	2.1	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	342.457	-	-	-	-	-	348.598	-	-
Food and beverages .....	217.382	1.4	.9	138.996	1.9	.4	214.519	1.5	.3
Food .....	217.891	1.4	1.0	139.245	1.8	.3	213.960	1.5	.3
Food at home .....	210.102	1.1	.7	136.751	2.1	.4	216.039	3.0	.5
Food away from home .....	231.151	1.6	1.3	142.682	1.5	.2	214.604	-7	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	209.837	1.2	-3	134.126	3.5	1.2	220.497	1.2	.1
Housing .....	205.537	-5	-2	133.081	-1	.2	204.704	.6	-3
Shelter .....	224.890	-3	-1	135.784	.0	.4	234.235	.6	-6
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	226.226	-7	.0	139.628	-7	.5	218.159	.6	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	217.080	-3	-1	134.601	.3	.4	217.155	.9	-5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	217.070	-3	-1	134.601	.3	.4	217.155	.9	-5
Fuels and utilities .....	216.255	-4	-9	155.823	1.8	-5	222.714	1.6	.3
Household energy .....	194.958	-1.8	-1.2	152.768	1.1	-6	189.933	1.3	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	199.616	-1.9	-1.3	149.930	.9	-6	197.880	.7	.3
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	193.382	-3.2	-1	146.782	.6	-4	200.924	1.3	.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	197.285	5.7	-7.8	151.822	1.7	-2.6	148.337	-7.9	-5.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	129.515	-2.1	.5	94.516	-3.3	-6	113.922	-1.5	.8
Apparel .....	148.768	.7	6.0	87.085	-4.0	3.5	119.639	-1.4	3.8
Transportation .....	194.539	6.3	-5	129.184	6.6	-6	195.724	7.1	-3
Private transportation .....	193.575	6.4	-5	128.738	6.7	-6	194.408	7.2	-3
Motor fuel .....	232.752	6.7	-1.8	226.389	7.9	-1.1	217.130	9.7	.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	230.797	6.6	-1.9	226.902	7.7	-1.1	214.979	9.5	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	231.084	6.7	-1.9	232.613	7.7	-1.2	208.245	9.9	.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	233.130	6.3	-1.9	221.643	7.6	-1.0	252.438	8.7	-8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	229.930	6.2	-1.8	217.574	7.8	-9	222.579	7.7	-1.0
Medical care .....	367.810	4.9	1.7	162.017	4.5	1.0	365.146	2.0	-2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	104.035	-4.7	.1	111.137	-1.1	-4	115.026	-1.8	-3
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	121.164	1.3	.3	120.085	1.5	.4	128.357	.9	.2
Other goods and services .....	362.596	2.3	.1	185.356	3.2	-2	443.984	2.9	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	211.393	1.3	.3	133.680	1.8	.2	215.346	2.1	.0
Commodities .....	179.622	2.5	.6	123.111	2.5	.1	179.161	3.2	.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	159.259	3.2	.5	115.278	2.8	-1	161.731	4.1	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	202.671	2.8	.7	147.396	2.2	.2	206.424	4.3	.8
Durables .....	116.558	3.8	.0	87.379	3.6	-6	117.610	3.7	-4
Services .....	247.175	.5	.0	141.626	1.2	.3	262.517	1.1	-3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	204.460	1.1	.2	130.614	1.7	.1	205.746	2.1	.0
All items less shelter .....	207.910	2.2	.4	131.190	2.5	.1	211.539	2.7	.2
Commodities less food .....	161.158	3.1	.4	115.813	2.9	.0	162.960	4.0	.4
Nondurables .....	209.293	2.1	.8	142.462	2.1	.3	211.330	3.1	.6
Nondurables less food .....	203.036	2.7	.6	146.702	2.3	.3	206.141	4.2	.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	250.883	1.7	.2	147.411	2.5	.1	266.787	1.7	.0
Services less medical care services .....	235.537	.2	-1	139.454	.9	.2	248.340	1.0	-3
Energy .....	210.671	2.3	-1.6	184.357	4.8	-9	198.438	5.9	.3
All items less energy .....	212.364	1.2	.5	127.242	1.4	.3	215.427	1.5	-1
All items less food and energy .....	211.375	1.1	.4	124.740	1.4	.3	216.487	1.5	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.524	0.7	-0.1	133.346	0.4	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	353.748	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	223.380	.7	.3	136.825	.9	.0
Food .....	222.264	.7	.3	136.308	1.1	.2
Food at home .....	222.632	.5	.1	132.716	.9	.4
Food away from home .....	220.771	.9	.5	142.251	1.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	234.431	1.5	.9	146.966	-2.5	-4.5
Housing .....	231.644	-3	-1	130.847	-1.8	-2
Shelter .....	253.666	-5	.1	129.683	-2.8	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	278.982	-5	.1	134.391	-2.6	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	244.688	-6	.1	129.070	-2.5	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	244.686	-6	.1	129.075	-2.5	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	247.976	5.8	-8	171.028	3.6	-9
Household energy .....	232.676	5.4	-1.3	169.636	2.9	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	234.685	5.1	-1.4	168.386	2.5	-1.1
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	267.927	6.1	-4	162.761	3.3	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	184.563	1.4	-4.7	174.632	.0	-4
Household furnishings and operations .....	129.200	-4.9	-1.1	100.381	-2.2	-6
Apparel .....	116.522	.2	2.9	90.188	-3.3	3.6
Transportation .....	191.534	3.0	-1.3	137.216	4.0	-9
Private transportation .....	187.424	2.9	-1.3	136.793	4.1	-9
Motor fuel .....	236.488	-6	-3.6	222.262	3.1	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	235.501	-1.0	-3.7	224.549	2.8	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	236.770	-9	-3.8	224.680	2.7	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	217.573	-1.5	-3.6	220.817	3.2	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	226.853	-1.3	-3.5	215.464	2.8	-2.3
Medical care .....	387.092	2.9	.3	173.074	4.3	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.216	-3.0	-3	92.783	-1.1	-7
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	128.707	1.5	.2	122.056	1.0	.5
Other goods and services .....	376.614	2.7	-1	174.740	3.1	-1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.524	.7	-1	133.346	.4	-1
Commodities .....	175.074	.7	-3	121.695	1.5	-1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	147.826	.7	-7	113.711	1.8	-2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	184.892	-1	-7	140.745	.0	-1
Durables .....	113.626	1.5	-7	88.130	3.6	-2
Services .....	264.013	.7	.0	138.923	-.5	-1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	212.544	.6	-1	128.900	.2	-1
All items less shelter .....	205.990	1.4	-2	131.329	1.8	-2
Commodities less food .....	151.248	.8	-7	114.605	1.6	-3
Nondurables .....	205.626	.3	-2	138.464	.5	-1
Nondurables less food .....	188.980	.0	-6	141.172	-.1	-4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	256.212	2.5	-1	149.751	2.0	-2
Services less medical care services .....	255.540	.6	.0	135.834	-.9	-1
Energy .....	235.064	1.4	-2.8	202.264	3.1	-1.9
All items less energy .....	218.583	.6	.2	125.527	.2	.1
All items less food and energy .....	218.061	.6	.1	123.287	.0	.1

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>6</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
- Data not available.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Food at home, selected areas**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Food at home										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Sep. 2010 from—			Percent change to Aug. 2010 from—		
		June 2010	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	July 2010	Aug. 2010	Aug. 2009	June 2010	July 2010
U.S. city average .....	M	214.143	214.212	214.392	215.058	1.4	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.1
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	221.778	221.433	221.241	222.135	1.9	.3	.4	1.6	-2	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	222.689	221.212	222.046	223.277	2.0	.9	.6	1.7	-3	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	136.277	137.459	136.074	136.213	1.7	-9	.1	1.4	-1	-1.0
Midwest urban .....	M	206.140	206.942	207.085	207.248	1.3	.1	.1	1.0	.5	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	211.583	212.182	212.073	212.431	1.7	.1	.2	1.0	.2	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	132.295	133.048	133.141	132.811	.8	-2	-2	1.2	.6	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	198.653	199.383	200.562	201.687	.6	1.2	.6	1.0	1.0	.6
South urban .....	M	211.010	210.876	211.515	212.598	1.9	.8	.5	.8	.2	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	208.763	209.116	208.626	210.102	1.1	.5	.7	-2	-1	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	135.517	135.381	136.229	136.751	2.1	1.0	.4	1.4	.5	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	215.331	214.022	214.881	216.039	3.0	.9	.5	1.3	-2	.4
West urban .....	M	219.716	219.694	219.546	219.920	.7	.1	.2	.0	-1	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	223.628	223.166	222.402	222.632	.5	-2	.1	-3	-5	-3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.502	131.714	132.220	132.716	.9	.8	.4	.3	.5	.4
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	199.134	198.891	198.757	199.493	1.3	.3	.4	.6	-2	-1
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.124	134.432	134.719	135.018	1.5	.4	.2	1.1	.4	.2
D .....	M	208.398	208.434	209.263	210.057	1.6	.8	.4	1.0	.4	.4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	213.589	215.223	215.269	216.328	.4	.5	.5	-4	.8	.0
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	231.055	229.611	228.014	229.041	1.0	-2	.5	.0	-1.3	-7
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	224.993	223.912	224.859	225.219	1.9	.6	.2	2.0	-1	.4
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	218.971	218.403	216.764	219.474	1.0	.5	1.3	.6	-1.0	-8
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	215.860	215.878	216.802	216.974	1.6	.5	.1	2.6	.4	.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	194.047	196.459	196.665	196.959	.1	.3	.1	-1.0	1.3	.1
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	134.899	134.905	133.537	134.992	-3	.1	1.1	-9	-1.0	-1.0
Atlanta, GA .....	2	208.887	209.202	208.467	212.297	3.0	1.5	1.8	-3	-2	-4
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	200.621	198.755	199.687	199.550	2.8	.4	-1	1.2	-5	.5
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	202.644	202.428	203.157	203.337	1.5	.4	.1	.8	.3	.4
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	225.178	226.498	226.004	226.788	1.6	.1	.3	.7	.4	-2
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	219.996	216.134	218.251	220.994	2.8	2.2	1.3	1.3	-8	1.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	222.012	223.401	222.220	221.078	-6	-1.0	-5	-2	.1	-5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	219.982	221.231	222.263	221.416	-7	.1	-4	-1.0	1.0	.5

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Phoenix-Mesa, AZ; Pittsburgh, PA; Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	214.306	1.4	0.0	206.897	1.3	0.3	218.427	0.5	-0.1	236.725	1.4	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	638.353	-	-	607.626	-	-	645.519	-	-	674.017	-	-
Food and beverages .....	219.817	1.4	.3	216.746	.4	.3	225.232	1.3	.5	228.336	1.6	.2
Food .....	219.376	1.4	.3	215.711	.4	.3	222.939	1.3	.5	227.960	1.7	.2
Food at home .....	215.058	1.4	.3	216.328	.4	.5	229.041	1.0	.5	225.219	1.9	.2
Food away from home .....	227.188	1.4	.3	209.759	.5	.1	212.041	1.7	.7	236.828	1.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	224.828	1.5	.0	229.807	.6	.2	237.019	1.2	.1	232.304	1.1	-.2
Housing .....	213.294	.0	-.1	202.985	.7	-.1	237.362	.0	-.1	254.395	.8	-.3
Shelter .....	242.338	-.2	.0	240.398	-.5	.0	261.934	.0	.2	308.620	1.3	-.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	247.589	.0	.1	271.824	.6	.1	281.108	.1	.0	313.146	2.5	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> .....	232.472	-.1	.0	238.081	-.6	.1	254.350	.0	.3	287.209	.6	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	232.473	-.1	.0	238.081	-.6	.1	254.362	.0	.3	287.148	.6	-.2
Fuels and utilities .....	216.787	2.8	-.9	183.779	11.8	-.6	245.417	7.4	-1.5	194.723	.6	-1.2
Household energy .....	191.066	2.2	-1.1	161.909	12.3	-.8	231.474	8.1	-2.2	194.322	-.7	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	196.143	1.6	-1.3	165.798	12.7	-.8	230.764	7.9	-2.2	193.189	-2.4	-1.8
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	198.482	1.1	-.6	160.652	12.2	.0	270.045	5.7	.5	190.450	-2.9	-.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	183.597	3.2	-3.7	159.572	12.6	-2.2	183.677	15.1	-10.2	190.980	-.1	-4.9
Household furnishings and operations ...	120.560	-3.0	-.3	97.904	-4.4	-.8	119.566	-6.3	-1.2	111.615	-3.7	-.2
Apparel .....	119.942	-1.8	3.8	92.097	-4.4	5.0	107.928	.5	2.2	114.911	.8	4.0
Transportation .....	191.517	5.2	-.6	178.029	5.8	.1	191.101	1.8	-1.6	200.937	3.1	-.8
Private transportation .....	188.152	5.2	-.6	174.985	6.0	.2	186.915	1.6	-1.6	192.034	3.0	-.9
Motor fuel .....	233.370	5.5	-1.3	252.222	10.9	.8	232.282	-3.7	-4.3	211.599	.9	-2.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.783	5.2	-1.3	250.279	10.8	.8	227.581	-4.0	-4.4	210.718	.7	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	231.805	5.2	-1.3	246.787	10.9	.9	227.986	-4.0	-4.5	211.956	.6	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	239.343	5.5	-1.4	260.341	10.5	.6	215.837	-3.9	-4.4	214.231	1.3	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	226.534	5.1	-1.4	239.379	10.2	.0	217.785	-4.1	-4.1	209.423	1.3	-2.0
Medical care .....	392.028	3.6	.5	417.673	4.7	.3	372.031	2.0	.2	378.773	2.5	.2
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	109.626	-1.4	-.3	108.177	-.6	-.6	99.839	-6.5	-.3	113.538	-.5	-.4
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	125.818	1.2	.3	136.323	-.7	.5	132.488	2.1	.0	132.380	.4	.8
Other goods and services .....	412.690	3.1	.1	371.535	-.4	.3	354.919	2.6	-5	434.457	5.8	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	214.306	1.4	.0	206.897	1.3	.3	218.427	.5	-.1	236.725	1.4	.0
Commodities .....	177.267	2.0	.1	166.053	.9	.7	173.389	.1	-.4	183.725	1.4	.2
Commodities less food and beverages ...	154.406	2.4	.1	139.077	1.1	1.0	144.405	-.5	-1.1	153.016	1.3	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	197.015	2.0	.4	185.171	1.6	1.8	181.814	-1.8	-1.3	186.311	1.8	.6
Durables .....	112.646	2.9	-.4	98.111	.2	-.5	108.047	.9	-.6	105.470	.4	-.5
Services .....	257.663	.9	.0	249.945	1.6	-.1	265.821	.8	.0	290.075	1.4	-.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	207.107	1.3	.0	198.621	1.1	.3	212.967	.5	-.2	231.345	1.3	.0
All items less shelter .....	206.399	2.1	.1	196.116	2.1	.4	201.211	.8	-.3	210.255	1.4	.1
Commodities less food .....	156.792	2.3	.1	142.451	1.1	.9	148.590	-.4	-1.0	155.970	1.3	.2
Nondurables .....	208.853	1.7	.3	203.406	1.1	1.1	205.648	-.3	-.3	209.136	1.7	.4
Nondurables less food .....	198.749	1.9	.3	188.735	1.5	1.7	188.131	-1.6	-1.2	189.070	1.7	.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	253.335	2.3	-.1	244.766	4.1	-.2	246.801	2.1	-.3	243.404	1.5	-.1
Services less medical care services .....	246.476	.7	-.1	237.278	1.3	-.1	258.430	.7	.0	282.757	1.3	-.2
Energy .....	210.386	4.0	-1.2	197.192	11.5	.1	235.025	-.6	-3.6	202.830	.1	-1.8
All items less energy .....	215.742	1.1	.2	208.673	.2	.3	218.200	.6	.2	241.898	1.5	.1
All items less food and energy .....	215.388	1.1	.2	207.228	.2	.3	217.323	.5	.1	246.132	1.5	.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>3</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2010	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2009	July 2010		Sep. 2009	July 2010		Sep. 2009	July 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	214.306	1.4	0.2	236.844	0.5	0.1	206.897	1.3	0.3
All items (1967=100) .....	638.353	-	-	684.564	-	-	607.626	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	219.817	1.4	.5	230.264	1.1	.5	216.746	.4	.2
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	219.376	1.4	.5	230.252	1.0	.5	215.711	.4	.4
Food at home .....	215.058	1.4	.4	219.474	1.0	.5	216.328	.4	.5
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	227.188	1.4	.7	250.992	.9	.5	209.759	.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	224.828	1.5	.0	234.693	2.1	1.3	229.807	.6	-1.5
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	213.294	.0	-2	232.328	-7	.2	202.985	.7	-5
Shelter .....	242.338	-2	.0	275.129	-1.7	.0	240.398	-5	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	247.589	.0	.1	277.156	-3	.3	271.824	.6	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	232.472	-1	.1	253.768	-1.2	.0	238.081	-6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	232.473	-1	.1	253.768	-1.2	.0	238.081	-6	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	216.787	2.8	-9	206.524	6.8	-2	183.779	11.8	-4.0
Household energy .....	191.066	2.2	-1.3	174.296	7.1	-4	161.909	12.3	-5.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	196.143	1.6	-1.5	177.433	4.7	-4	165.798	12.7	-5.2
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	198.482	1.1	-7	190.561	-1.7	.0	160.652	12.2	-2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	183.597	3.2	-4.4	135.543	22.0	-1.7	159.572	12.6	-12.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	120.560	-3.0	-6	124.779	.7	3.8	97.904	-4.4	-3
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	119.942	-1.8	4.8	153.497	-1.4	10.1	92.097	-4.4	6.8
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	191.517	5.2	-3	185.283	3.7	-9	178.029	5.8	.1
Private transportation .....	188.152	5.2	-2	183.394	3.6	-1.0	174.985	6.0	.3
Motor fuel .....	233.370	5.5	-9	224.809	1.6	-2.7	252.222	10.9	.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.783	5.2	-9	222.267	1.3	-2.7	250.279	10.8	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	231.805	5.2	-9	220.282	1.2	-2.8	246.787	10.9	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	239.343	5.5	-9	225.631	1.9	-2.4	260.341	10.5	.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	226.534	5.1	-9	219.972	1.8	-2.2	239.379	10.2	.1
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	392.028	3.6	.7	545.173	3.9	.2	417.673	4.7	.8
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	109.626	-1.4	-4	124.132	-2.9	-3.8	108.177	-6	.8
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	125.818	1.2	.9	133.187	.7	.0	136.323	-7	.7
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	412.690	3.1	.2	480.816	1.5	.1	371.535	-4	-6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	214.306	1.4	.2	236.844	.5	.1	206.897	1.3	.3
Commodities .....	177.267	2.0	.4	191.397	1.1	.6	166.053	.9	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	154.406	2.4	.4	168.995	1.2	.7	139.077	1.1	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	197.015	2.0	.8	216.589	.6	1.3	185.171	1.6	2.2
Durables .....	112.646	2.9	-3	116.030	2.2	-5	98.111	.2	.1
Services .....	257.663	.9	.0	286.126	.1	-3	249.945	1.6	-2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	207.107	1.3	.2	225.638	.3	.1	198.621	1.1	.3
All items less shelter .....	206.399	2.1	.3	226.170	1.6	.1	196.116	2.1	.3
Commodities less food .....	156.792	2.3	.4	171.036	1.2	.7	142.451	1.1	1.3
Nondurables .....	208.853	1.7	.6	223.479	.8	.9	203.406	1.1	1.2
Nondurables less food .....	198.749	1.9	.7	216.010	.7	1.3	188.735	1.5	1.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	253.335	2.3	.1	281.063	2.6	-7	244.766	4.1	-6
Services less medical care services .....	246.476	.7	.0	268.949	-3	-3	237.278	1.3	-3
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	210.386	4.0	-1.1	194.122	3.9	-1.6	197.192	11.5	-1.8
All items less energy .....	215.742	1.1	.3	245.032	.2	.3	208.673	.2	.5
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	215.388	1.1	.3	249.341	.0	.2	207.228	.2	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule <sup>1</sup>								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		July 2010	Sep. 2010		Sep. 2009	July 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	196.787	2.1	0.7	205.602	0.6	1.0	218.427	0.5	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	614.899	-	-	634.009	-	-	645.519	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	220.993	1.3	.6	222.954	1.0	.4	225.232	1.3	.2
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	224.333	1.3	.5	217.206	.8	.5	222.939	1.3	.3
Food at home .....	216.974	1.6	.5	196.959	.1	.3	229.041	1.0	-.2
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	238.465	.6	.5	252.189	1.6	.7	212.041	1.7	1.0
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	181.886	1.6	2.0	298.411	3.9	.1	237.019	1.2	-1.0
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	176.581	1.2	-.2	181.420	-1.9	-.1	237.362	.0	.1
Shelter .....	190.939	.1	.1	187.957	-1.8	-.4	261.934	.0	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	215.836	1.4	.4	186.912	-2.7	-.5	281.108	.1	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	196.906	.2	.2	182.630	-1.4	-.5	254.350	.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	196.906	.2	.2	182.630	-1.4	-.5	254.362	.0	.7
Fuels and utilities .....	197.454	9.0	-.9	212.101	-4.0	-.4	245.417	7.4	-1.5
Household energy .....	181.359	9.1	-1.2	211.291	-4.2	-.6	231.474	8.1	-2.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	180.395	9.1	-1.4	208.055	-4.2	-.6	230.764	7.9	-2.9
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	160.487	3.3	-3.4	193.667	-6.2	-.5	270.045	5.7	-.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	192.090	18.6	1.6	241.139	7.7	-1.2	183.677	15.1	-10.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	117.083	-2.2	-1.5	126.472	1.7	2.2	119.566	-6.3	-2.9
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	124.657	.2	10.3	126.099	-7.5	16.9	107.928	.5	6.8
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	193.336	5.8	1.1	205.461	5.7	-.2	191.101	1.8	-1.5
Private transportation .....	192.820	5.7	1.3	205.817	5.8	-.1	186.915	1.6	-1.5
Motor fuel .....	275.319	11.1	1.7	230.305	6.6	-2.5	232.282	-3.7	-4.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	273.828	11.1	1.7	229.202	6.4	-2.6	227.581	-4.0	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	266.392	11.2	1.6	224.654	6.6	-2.5	227.986	-4.0	-4.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	280.091	11.0	2.1	233.400	5.4	-3.1	215.837	-3.9	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	265.232	10.2	1.7	232.622	6.2	-2.7	217.785	-4.1	-4.1
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	362.440	4.5	-.2	378.623	8.4	8.2	372.031	2.0	.3
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	112.198	-2.3	-.9	108.497	-4.4	1.6	99.839	-6.5	-1.0
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	108.817	.0	.8	127.996	.6	.4	132.488	2.1	.7
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	440.311	5.9	2.6	372.111	.5	-.9	354.919	2.6	-.8
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	196.787	2.1	.7	205.602	.6	1.0	218.427	.5	.0
Commodities .....	179.240	2.4	1.2	182.602	1.9	1.4	173.389	.1	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	158.025	3.0	1.5	160.097	2.5	2.0	144.405	-.5	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	212.405	4.1	2.3	192.257	-.1	2.7	181.814	-1.8	-.5
Durables .....	108.478	1.6	.3	130.766	6.7	.9	108.047	.9	-1.0
Services .....	219.367	1.9	.3	231.634	-.3	.7	265.821	.8	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	190.611	1.9	.7	197.666	.1	.7	212.967	.5	.0
All items less shelter .....	202.811	2.9	.9	213.863	1.7	1.6	201.211	.8	-.2
Commodities less food .....	158.789	2.9	1.5	164.773	2.5	1.9	148.590	-.4	-.7
Nondurables .....	216.968	2.8	1.5	207.165	.4	1.6	205.648	-.3	-.1
Nondurables less food .....	209.751	4.0	2.3	199.361	.1	2.5	188.131	-1.6	-.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	236.223	3.8	.4	264.940	1.4	1.8	246.801	2.1	-.2
Services less medical care services .....	209.814	1.4	.3	217.377	-1.5	.1	258.430	.7	.2
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	216.988	10.1	.4	223.656	1.3	-1.7	235.025	-.6	-3.8
All items less energy .....	195.953	1.2	.7	205.850	.5	1.4	218.200	.6	.4
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	190.357	1.1	.7	203.021	.5	1.6	217.323	.5	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 <sup>1</sup>					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009		July 2010	Sep. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	236.725	1.4	0.2	142.755	1.5	0.6
All items (1967=100) .....	674.017	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	228.336	1.6	.5	139.446	.9	2.0
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	227.960	1.7	.6	140.591	1.0	2.2
Food at home .....	225.219	1.9	.6	134.992	-.3	.1
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	236.828	1.3	.5	145.625	2.4	5.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	232.304	1.1	-.5	123.240	.0	-1.0
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	254.395	.8	-.6	156.753	.3	-.1
Shelter .....	308.620	1.3	-.1	160.891	1.2	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	313.146	2.5	.4	172.752	1.7	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	287.209	.6	-.3	158.098	1.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	287.148	.6	-.3	158.095	1.2	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	194.723	.6	-2.8	186.039	-3.2	-2.4
Household energy .....	194.322	-.7	-2.9	186.831	-5.0	-3.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	193.189	-2.4	-3.7	183.353	-5.3	-3.2
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	190.450	-2.9	-2.6	188.671	-6.6	-.9
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	190.980	-.1	-6.0	137.807	2.9	-14.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	111.615	-3.7	-2.0	94.233	-2.6	.9
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	114.911	.8	10.0	93.797	-1.9	9.1
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	200.937	3.1	-.6	133.135	5.6	.0
Private transportation .....	192.034	3.0	-.7	132.820	5.6	.1
Motor fuel .....	211.599	.9	-2.2	219.637	5.8	-1.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	210.718	.7	-2.3	219.557	5.8	-1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	211.956	.6	-2.4	222.506	5.9	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	214.231	1.3	-1.9	218.372	5.4	-1.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	209.423	1.3	-1.8	219.069	5.7	-1.3
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	378.773	2.5	.3	150.189	5.5	.7
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	113.538	-.5	-.5	112.634	-2.0	-.6
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	132.380	.4	.8	125.477	2.2	.6
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	434.457	5.8	.5	191.429	1.4	.7
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	236.725	1.4	.2	142.755	1.5	.6
Commodities .....	183.725	1.4	1.0	123.772	1.6	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	153.016	1.3	1.3	115.469	1.9	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	186.311	1.8	2.4	143.995	1.5	1.9
Durables .....	105.470	.4	-.8	86.488	2.3	.6
Services .....	290.075	1.4	-.3	157.749	1.4	.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	231.345	1.3	.2	142.318	1.3	.6
All items less shelter .....	210.255	1.4	.3	134.514	1.6	.8
Commodities less food .....	155.970	1.3	1.2	115.842	1.8	1.3
Nondurables .....	209.136	1.7	1.4	140.094	1.3	1.9
Nondurables less food .....	189.070	1.7	2.2	142.199	1.4	1.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	243.404	1.5	-.5	155.209	1.7	-.3
Services less medical care services .....	282.757	1.3	-.3	158.211	1.1	-.1
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	202.830	.1	-2.6	200.094	-.6	-2.3
All items less energy .....	241.898	1.5	.4	137.579	1.7	.9
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	246.132	1.5	.4	137.730	1.8	.7

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.  
<sup>2</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.  
<sup>3</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1913	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0
1914	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1
1915	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.3
1916	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.6
1917	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.5	13.5	13.7
1918	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.2	14.5	14.7	15.1	15.4	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.5
1919	16.5	16.2	16.4	16.7	16.9	16.9	17.4	17.7	17.8	18.1	18.5	18.9
1920	19.3	19.5	19.7	20.3	20.6	20.9	20.8	20.3	20.0	19.9	19.8	19.4
1921	19.0	18.4	18.3	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3
1922	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.8	16.9
1923	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.3
1924	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.2	17.3
1925	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.9
1926	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7
1927	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.3
1928	17.3	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1
1929	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.2
1930	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.6	16.5	16.4	16.1
1931	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.6
1932	14.3	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1
1933	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2
1934	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4
1935	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8
1936	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
1937	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.4
1938	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0
1939	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0
1940	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1
1941	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.7	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.5
1942	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9
1943	16.9	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4
1944	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.8
1945	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.2
1946	18.2	18.1	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	19.8	20.2	20.4	20.8	21.3	21.5
1947	21.5	21.5	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.0	22.2	22.5	23.0	23.0	23.1	23.4
1948	23.7	23.5	23.4	23.8	23.9	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.2	24.1
1949	24.0	23.8	23.8	23.9	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.6
1950	23.5	23.5	23.6	23.6	23.7	23.8	24.1	24.3	24.4	24.6	24.7	25.0
1951	25.4	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.4	26.5
1952	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.5	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7
1953	26.6	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9
1954	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.7
1955	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8
1956	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.2	27.4	27.3	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6
1957	27.6	27.7	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.4	28.4
1958	28.6	28.6	28.8	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9
1959	29.0	28.9	28.9	29.0	29.0	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.4
1960	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.8	29.8	29.8
1961	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	30.0	29.9	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0
1962	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4
1963	30.4	30.4	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.8	30.9
1964	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.1	31.0	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.2
1965	31.2	31.2	31.3	31.4	31.4	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.7	31.7	31.8
1966	31.8	32.0	32.1	32.3	32.3	32.4	32.5	32.7	32.7	32.9	32.9	32.9
1967	32.9	32.9	33.0	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9
1968	34.1	34.2	34.3	34.4	34.5	34.7	34.9	35.0	35.1	35.3	35.4	35.5
1969	35.6	35.8	36.1	36.3	36.4	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.1	37.3	37.5	37.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	-	-	9.9	-	-
1914	-	-	10.0	1.0	1.0
1915	-	-	10.1	2.0	1.0
1916	-	-	10.9	12.6	7.9
1917	-	-	12.8	18.1	17.4
1918	-	-	15.1	20.4	18.0
1919	-	-	17.3	14.5	14.6
1920	-	-	20.0	2.6	15.6
1921	-	-	17.9	-10.8	-10.5
1922	-	-	16.8	-2.3	-6.1
1923	-	-	17.1	2.4	1.8
1924	-	-	17.1	.0	.0
1925	-	-	17.5	3.5	2.3
1926	-	-	17.7	-1.1	1.1
1927	-	-	17.4	-2.3	-1.7
1928	-	-	17.1	-1.2	-1.7
1929	-	-	17.1	.6	.0
1930	-	-	16.7	-6.4	-2.3
1931	-	-	15.2	-9.3	-9.0
1932	-	-	13.7	-10.3	-9.9
1933	-	-	13.0	.8	-5.1
1934	-	-	13.4	1.5	3.1
1935	-	-	13.7	3.0	2.2
1936	-	-	13.9	1.4	1.5
1937	-	-	14.4	2.9	3.6
1938	-	-	14.1	-2.8	-2.1
1939	-	-	13.9	.0	-1.4
1940	-	-	14.0	.7	.7
1941	-	-	14.7	9.9	5.0
1942	-	-	16.3	9.0	10.9
1943	-	-	17.3	3.0	6.1
1944	-	-	17.6	2.3	1.7
1945	-	-	18.0	2.2	2.3
1946	-	-	19.5	18.1	8.3
1947	-	-	22.3	8.8	14.4
1948	-	-	24.1	3.0	8.1
1949	-	-	23.8	-2.1	-1.2
1950	-	-	24.1	5.9	1.3
1951	-	-	26.0	6.0	7.9
1952	-	-	26.5	.8	1.9
1953	-	-	26.7	.7	.8
1954	-	-	26.9	-.7	.7
1955	-	-	26.8	.4	-.4
1956	-	-	27.2	3.0	1.5
1957	-	-	28.1	2.9	3.3
1958	-	-	28.9	1.8	2.8
1959	-	-	29.1	1.7	.7
1960	-	-	29.6	1.4	1.7
1961	-	-	29.9	.7	1.0
1962	-	-	30.2	1.3	1.0
1963	-	-	30.6	1.6	1.3
1964	-	-	31.0	1.0	1.3
1965	-	-	31.5	1.9	1.6
1966	-	-	32.4	3.5	2.9
1967	-	-	33.4	3.0	3.1
1968	-	-	34.8	4.7	4.2
1969	-	-	36.7	6.2	5.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1970	37.8	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.6	38.8	39.0	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8
1971	39.8	39.9	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.6	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.1
1972	41.1	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.4	42.5
1973	42.6	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.9	44.2	44.3	45.1	45.2	45.6	45.9	46.2
1974	46.6	47.2	47.8	48.0	48.6	49.0	49.4	50.0	50.6	51.1	51.5	51.9
1975	52.1	52.5	52.7	52.9	53.2	53.6	54.2	54.3	54.6	54.9	55.3	55.5
1976	55.6	55.8	55.9	56.1	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.9	58.0	58.2
1977	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.7	61.0	61.2	61.4	61.6	61.9	62.1
1978	62.5	62.9	63.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.7	66.0	66.5	67.1	67.4	67.7
1979	68.3	69.1	69.8	70.6	71.5	72.3	73.1	73.8	74.6	75.2	75.9	76.7
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.8
1991	134.6	134.8	135.0	135.2	135.6	136.0	136.2	136.6	137.2	137.4	137.8	137.9
1992	138.1	138.6	139.3	139.5	139.7	140.2	140.5	140.9	141.3	141.8	142.0	141.9
1993	142.6	143.1	143.6	144.0	144.2	144.4	144.4	144.8	145.1	145.7	145.8	145.8
1994	146.2	146.7	147.2	147.4	147.5	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	149.5	149.7	149.7
1995	150.3	150.9	151.4	151.9	152.2	152.5	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	153.6	153.5
1996	154.4	154.9	155.7	156.3	156.6	156.7	157.0	157.3	157.8	158.3	158.6	158.6
1997	159.1	159.6	160.0	160.2	160.1	160.3	160.5	160.8	161.2	161.6	161.5	161.3
1998	161.6	161.9	162.2	162.5	162.8	163.0	163.2	163.4	163.6	164.0	164.0	163.9
1999	164.3	164.5	165.0	166.2	166.2	166.2	166.7	167.1	167.9	168.2	168.3	168.3
2000	168.8	169.8	171.2	171.3	171.5	172.4	172.8	172.8	173.7	174.0	174.1	174.0
2001	175.1	175.8	176.2	176.9	177.7	178.0	177.5	177.5	178.3	177.7	177.4	176.7
2002	177.1	177.8	178.8	179.8	179.8	179.9	180.1	180.7	181.0	181.3	181.3	180.9
2003	181.7	183.1	184.2	183.8	183.5	183.7	183.9	184.6	185.2	185.0	184.5	184.3
2004	185.2	186.2	187.4	188.0	189.1	189.7	189.4	189.5	189.9	190.9	191.0	190.3
2005	190.7	191.8	193.3	194.6	194.4	194.5	195.4	196.4	198.8	199.2	197.6	196.8
2006	198.3	198.7	199.8	201.5	202.5	202.9	203.5	203.9	202.9	201.8	201.5	201.8
2007	202.416	203.499	205.352	206.686	207.949	208.352	208.299	207.917	208.490	208.936	210.177	210.036
2008	211.080	211.693	213.528	214.823	216.632	218.815	219.964	219.086	218.783	216.573	212.425	210.228
2009	211.143	212.193	212.709	213.240	213.856	215.693	215.351	215.834	215.969	216.177	216.330	215.949
2010	216.687	216.741	217.631	218.009	218.178	217.965	218.011	218.312	218.439	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	-	-	38.8	5.6	5.7
1971	-	-	40.5	3.3	4.4
1972	-	-	41.8	3.4	3.2
1973	-	-	44.4	8.7	6.2
1974	-	-	49.3	12.3	11.0
1975	-	-	53.8	6.9	9.1
1976	-	-	56.9	4.9	5.8
1977	-	-	60.6	6.7	6.5
1978	-	-	65.2	9.0	7.6
1979	-	-	72.6	13.3	11.3
1980	-	-	82.4	12.5	13.5
1981	-	-	90.9	8.9	10.3
1982	-	-	96.5	3.8	6.2
1983	-	-	99.6	3.8	3.2
1984	102.9	104.9	103.9	3.9	4.3
1985	106.6	108.5	107.6	3.8	3.6
1986	109.1	110.1	109.6	1.1	1.9
1987	112.4	114.9	113.6	4.4	3.6
1988	116.8	119.7	118.3	4.4	4.1
1989	122.7	125.3	124.0	4.6	4.8
1990	128.7	132.6	130.7	6.1	5.4
1991	135.2	137.2	136.2	3.1	4.2
1992	139.2	141.4	140.3	2.9	3.0
1993	143.7	145.3	144.5	2.7	3.0
1994	147.2	149.3	148.2	2.7	2.6
1995	151.5	153.2	152.4	2.5	2.8
1996	155.8	157.9	156.9	3.3	3.0
1997	159.9	161.2	160.5	1.7	2.3
1998	162.3	163.7	163.0	1.6	1.6
1999	165.4	167.8	166.6	2.7	2.2
2000	170.8	173.6	172.2	3.4	3.4
2001	176.6	177.5	177.1	1.6	2.8
2002	178.9	180.9	179.9	2.4	1.6
2003	183.3	184.6	184.0	1.9	2.3
2004	187.6	190.2	188.9	3.3	2.7
2005	193.2	197.4	195.3	3.4	3.4
2006	200.6	202.6	201.6	2.5	3.2
2007	205.709	208.976	207.342	4.1	2.8
2008	214.429	216.177	215.303	.1	3.8
2009	213.139	215.935	214.537	2.7	-4
2010	217.535	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	180.9	184.3	190.3	196.8	201.8	210.036	210.228	215.949	218.439
All items (1967=100) .....	541.9	552.1	570.1	589.4	604.5	629.174	629.751	646.887	654.346
Food and beverages .....	177.8	184.1	188.9	193.2	197.4	206.936	218.839	218.049	220.586
Food .....	177.3	183.6	188.5	192.9	197.0	206.704	218.805	217.637	220.216
Food at home .....	176.1	184.1	188.5	191.7	194.3	205.208	218.683	213.359	216.161
Cereals and bakery products .....	197.3	202.9	206.4	208.4	214.8	226.461	253.063	251.019	250.085
Cereals and cereal products .....	180.1	183.9	185.7	185.1	189.0	196.793	222.639	219.487	216.603
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	165.0	171.4	165.4	171.6	177.0	190.014	229.875	220.166	223.809
Breakfast cereal .....	202.2	203.2	205.7	201.3	202.3	207.828	217.930	218.174	214.109
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	154.6	161.1	165.0	167.1	174.9	183.958	233.018	226.189	223.069
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.2	103.4	108.3	110.1	117.3	122.254	170.418	155.502	154.313
Bakery products .....	206.0	212.6	217.1	220.7	228.5	242.268	269.187	267.776	267.987
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	116.2	118.6	123.3	126.9	133.4	147.354	165.774	160.007	159.316
White bread <sup>1</sup> .....	213.7	218.9	227.2	232.5	244.6	272.159	304.713	294.248	293.757
Bread other than white <sup>1</sup> .....	223.3	222.5	233.7	240.2	251.3	276.643	313.310	301.685	301.285
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	115.5	119.9	123.1	126.1	134.0	139.977	158.809	154.706	153.513
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	199.9	205.1	209.4	213.9	216.1	228.738	248.707	255.349	249.839
Cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	201.6	203.1	208.1	212.5	216.2	222.193	241.011	251.261	242.773
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....	199.9	207.7	211.6	216.1	216.9	235.227	256.070	258.666	256.586
Other bakery products .....	197.3	206.5	206.9	205.9	212.4	217.459	240.851	242.453	249.613
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1</sup> .....	198.0	205.5	209.8	216.8	225.3	233.009	250.349	251.485	256.323
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>1</sup> .....	227.0	242.4	239.8	236.6	244.4	247.888	277.864	280.837	289.682
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1</sup> .....	203.7	207.0	211.9	211.6	217.3	225.129	248.467	254.335	254.985
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	162.4	181.1	183.1	185.7	188.6	198.755	208.890	201.003	211.280
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.0	180.4	184.5	187.1	189.0	196.639	208.647	201.129	211.900
Meats .....	160.3	182.7	185.6	187.8	189.4	195.558	206.864	196.202	210.632
Beef and veal .....	161.1	198.9	197.1	201.5	202.6	212.808	226.019	215.426	227.464
Uncooked ground beef .....	139.0	166.1	170.9	176.8	177.7	186.936	207.712	195.073	204.459
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	147.1	146.1	147.8	147.5	155.076	162.822	158.812	167.374
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	116.1	148.0	143.1	145.0	145.1	152.557	154.867	147.026	155.890
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>2</sup> .....	112.8	137.3	128.8	132.7	138.1	143.603	152.620	151.342	162.998
Pork .....	159.2	167.5	175.4	175.2	176.4	178.818	187.918	173.178	198.219
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	113.1	118.0	124.8	120.3	122.3	126.273	129.126	122.472	140.642
Bacon and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	187.8	205.1	212.4	207.7	211.1	219.140	219.838	211.750	247.874
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.7	115.1	123.6	117.7	119.3	122.097	127.313	120.341	132.003
Ham .....	155.3	162.4	169.2	172.9	173.6	175.954	185.401	169.673	197.465
Ham, excluding canned <sup>1</sup> .....	169.8	178.9	188.5	193.3	195.9	198.301	208.760	190.435	222.425
Pork chops .....	154.9	163.2	166.9	166.8	166.2	167.482	178.470	164.203	180.791
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	95.4	102.2	108.8	111.6	112.1	111.596	120.335	107.138	124.225
Other meats .....	164.8	173.8	178.9	180.4	184.0	187.239	198.096	193.250	196.039
Frankfurters <sup>1</sup> .....	172.0	177.0	172.8	175.6	177.6	186.345	193.675	183.973	187.251
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	113.3	116.8	118.0	119.1	120.873	129.323	128.646	129.970
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1</sup> .....	189.8	202.7	207.5	214.2	NA	231.966	253.332	257.675	283.669
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	NA	NA	114.9	126.8	NA	NA	156.461	155.167	171.161
Poultry .....	166.6	174.4	183.3	183.8	182.5	193.998	205.222	202.158	205.773
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	108.3	113.4	120.0	119.6	118.5	127.324	134.248	131.427	132.297
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	170.6	171.5	186.4	188.5	186.1	202.199	218.072	208.519	212.478
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....	167.5	176.9	186.3	183.2	181.2	194.487	202.195	201.295	201.420
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	104.0	108.5	111.2	114.3	114.7	116.282	124.859	126.405	134.399
Fish and seafood .....	187.4	192.5	196.9	204.4	211.6	221.633	238.759	238.671	244.470
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	106.3	111.3	114.4	120.9	125.9	132.385	140.429	138.441	144.926
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	105.3	105.3	106.9	108.2	110.9	115.420	126.573	128.506	128.526
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	130.5	130.2	133.7	136.5	144.0	148.631	170.862	176.701	177.701
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	225.5	227.1	228.7	231.5	233.8	245.839	260.713	266.261	267.308
Eggs .....	146.5	190.6	152.6	154.7	176.5	234.018	212.819	198.747	200.526
Dairy and related products .....	167.3	173.0	180.1	183.2	181.0	205.299	210.838	194.792	199.042
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	109.9	117.5	124.4	128.7	125.5	149.692	144.817	129.538	133.556
Fresh whole milk <sup>1</sup> .....	160.2	171.3	181.5	189.3	181.2	221.014	211.209	184.074	191.591
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.8	119.1	125.1	128.0	128.0	149.603	145.893	133.648	137.037
Cheese and related products .....	168.3	172.2	181.4	182.3	178.9	202.189	219.187	198.738	206.061
Ice cream and related products .....	179.1	179.4	178.4	179.1	182.0	188.522	199.080	194.929	191.838
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	114.9	116.7	120.1	121.9	121.7	136.064	139.584	134.255	135.856
Fruits and vegetables .....	224.9	232.4	250.8	252.3	257.2	272.482	281.706	273.189	268.832

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	264.3	276.3	302.7	301.1	306.4	326.064	327.943	315.247	307.101
Fresh fruits .....	283.3	287.3	308.2	312.3	325.7	344.733	338.252	325.602	313.474
Apples .....	231.2	238.5	241.0	251.1	276.3	292.707	304.060	273.996	301.570
Bananas .....	165.4	162.9	158.2	169.9	174.5	182.356	211.145	193.304	194.482
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	142.4	145.1	162.2	174.3	185.0	186.752	186.888	187.089	219.854
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	278.8	294.3	313.7	331.5	370.7	348.722	362.266	377.682	465.017
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	111.7	113.7	126.8	121.8	124.4	134.596	122.430	120.840	100.938
Fresh vegetables .....	245.2	263.8	295.1	288.3	286.1	306.142	315.835	303.191	298.856
Potatoes .....	222.2	214.5	230.5	251.7	266.8	274.694	335.346	278.568	316.355
Lettuce .....	218.5	301.8	276.9	260.0	281.9	295.313	300.040	329.458	276.434
Tomatoes .....	288.5	284.2	425.0	342.3	318.5	378.746	337.763	348.514	299.191
Other fresh vegetables .....	250.1	271.0	282.5	295.2	288.0	300.382	311.165	293.958	303.133
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	113.3	112.4	114.2	120.3	123.5	128.488	145.854	145.397	147.697
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	112.9	109.9	112.6	119.1	122.2	127.028	147.963	149.489	152.200
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.9	110.1	112.0	117.8	122.3	125.693	139.051	139.841	144.305
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.1	112.2	116.5	124.4	125.9	131.871	157.030	159.591	161.858
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	114.9	118.0	117.0	122.6	125.7	129.831	140.185	135.621	138.504
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	168.6	173.2	171.4	177.5	178.7	179.760	195.634	188.807	194.508
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	110.3	109.5	113.0	118.5	122.5	129.286	148.092	148.847	148.865
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.1	108.9	113.8	116.6	123.6	139.039	176.320	176.524	170.751
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.8	139.3	140.6	145.5	148.5	153.648	162.750	161.216	161.771
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	108.0	107.4	108.3	111.5	113.6	117.609	126.154	124.645	124.140
Carbonated drinks .....	124.9	124.8	127.5	133.1	133.6	138.194	151.095	151.851	155.507
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	113.7	115.0	111.5	111.7	126.5	143.465	149.073	150.282	148.379
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	107.5	106.1	105.7	107.4	110.7	114.034	120.207	116.601	113.819
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	97.4	97.5	98.7	103.1	105.6	109.195	112.894	112.391	115.382
Coffee .....	142.2	143.2	145.5	162.3	165.8	175.083	185.929	180.802	190.584
Roasted coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	142.0	144.6	146.4	167.1	166.3	180.752	189.098	185.174	197.101
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	164.2	161.0	167.8	175.0	188.5	184.030	207.297	196.843	202.587
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	114.7	114.3	115.4	115.9	118.9	121.631	123.849	124.960	125.152
Other food at home .....	161.1	163.0	163.6	167.6	168.7	174.057	190.203	189.921	191.289
Sugar and sweets .....	159.1	161.0	161.3	167.8	172.4	178.631	193.312	198.712	202.469
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	140.1	143.0	142.7	154.3	163.3	162.521	173.015	179.643	187.510
Candy and chewing gum <sup>2</sup> .....	107.0	107.3	107.5	111.4	113.1	118.555	128.689	132.313	133.442
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	112.1	115.8	116.6	118.6	123.3	127.536	138.640	141.122	145.485
Fats and oils .....	152.8	157.7	167.4	165.2	166.7	176.068	206.710	197.391	201.971
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	119.2	135.6	131.2	129.5	137.454	163.439	150.847	167.167
Butter <sup>1</sup> .....	141.0	145.1	186.2	174.6	164.5	168.121	181.703	160.781	197.501
Margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	161.4	171.1	173.0	174.1	177.0	193.811	246.153	234.357	240.220
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	107.3	109.7	110.3	105.6	109.2	113.085	124.935	125.704	125.025
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	105.5	108.9	113.8	116.3	117.3	125.054	151.240	142.856	141.520
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.6	109.9	110.3	111.7	108.5	117.962	133.912	132.636	126.473
Other foods .....	178.2	179.6	178.3	183.3	183.5	188.325	203.902	203.832	204.322
Soups .....	205.3	207.1	207.4	211.4	211.3	211.165	229.675	224.677	222.313
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	153.1	153.6	152.9	154.3	151.7	157.409	167.801	166.386	162.181
Snacks .....	167.9	175.4	171.4	181.3	179.5	187.632	211.835	215.081	217.687
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	187.9	183.8	178.4	185.2	185.0	191.486	204.785	208.868	216.116
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.2	107.0	106.7	113.2	109.0	115.302	117.672	121.482	124.523
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.7	105.0	109.7	110.2	112.6	117.241	132.534	130.724	132.737
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	111.9	102.4	106.3	109.4	110.635	119.993	124.327	127.121
Other condiments <sup>1</sup> .....	195.4	202.8	195.5	198.9	199.3	211.775	222.149	217.733	252.220
Baby food <sup>2</sup> .....	117.0	120.7	123.2	127.4	128.6	133.326	140.918	139.287	140.613
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	110.2	109.8	110.8	112.4	115.1	115.267	123.791	122.422	122.106
Prepared salads <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	105.705	107.366	105.427
Food away from home .....	180.1	184.3	189.9	196.0	202.2	210.233	220.684	224.789	227.075
Full service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	114.0	116.5	119.9	123.3	127.5	132.413	137.620	140.112	141.534
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	113.7	116.3	120.0	124.0	127.7	132.959	140.918	143.407	144.263
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	111.3	114.1	117.4	120.6	125.0	128.545	135.998	139.858	144.829
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1</sup> <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	107.685	114.392	117.561	122.159
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	108.6	111.0	114.2	116.5	120.438	128.587	131.765	133.251

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Sep. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	119.8	122.9	127.0	133.7	139.1	145.814	154.062	156.990	160.072
Alcoholic beverages .....	184.9	188.7	193.9	196.4	201.1	208.704	217.975	222.082	224.043
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	164.6	167.4	170.9	171.5	174.0	179.709	187.666	190.510	191.337
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	165.7	170.7	176.4	175.5	177.8	185.387	195.197	200.240	200.903
Distilled spirits at home .....	170.3	173.9	175.3	177.2	178.7	179.844	184.756	188.000	190.784
Whiskey at home <sup>1</sup> .....	168.1	172.9	173.8	177.1	178.9	183.048	190.333	195.242	196.922
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1</sup> .....	171.3	173.6	175.7	176.8	177.2	177.552	179.735	183.543	187.421
Wine at home .....	152.8	152.0	153.0	155.4	158.4	163.500	169.743	169.730	170.090
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	225.9	232.0	240.9	248.0	258.4	270.329	282.390	289.055	293.468
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.8	118.9	123.1	125.7	131.7	136.117	141.613	145.617	148.019
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.5	125.4	131.4	135.8	140.1	148.241	155.850	159.749	160.563
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.9	122.4	126.3	131.6	136.2	144.053	149.577	152.055	153.414
Housing .....	181.1	185.1	190.7	198.3	204.8	210.933	216.073	215.523	216.602
Shelter .....	209.5	214.1	219.8	225.6	235.1	242.372	247.085	247.863	248.522
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	202.5	207.9	213.9	220.5	230.0	239.102	247.278	248.999	249.368
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	109.2	112.9	118.7	122.8	127.7	133.545	129.157	122.638	135.800
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	290.5	307.2	328.4	345.3	362.9	381.548	399.369	419.367	436.185
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	229.4	236.6	248.5	256.7	266.8	278.872	268.348	253.003	284.575
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	217.9	222.2	227.2	232.8	242.8	249.532	254.875	256.727	256.590
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	217.9	222.2	227.2	232.8	242.8	249.532	254.875	256.727	256.584
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>2</sup> .....	112.3	114.3	118.7	116.1	117.1	117.003	120.019	123.812	126.627
Fuels and utilities .....	144.2	153.6	165.7	191.6	192.6	203.006	215.184	208.760	217.695
Household energy .....	127.5	136.5	148.0	174.7	174.2	183.516	194.335	184.886	192.635
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	125.6	137.0	183.7	227.8	233.2	299.296	256.209	262.649	265.812
Fuel oil .....	123.2	132.8	185.2	235.5	240.9	319.208	252.024	268.396	273.386
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	163.4	182.3	225.8	264.9	271.9	324.116	323.105	309.643	309.648
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	134.1	143.3	153.0	180.0	179.0	185.155	199.487	188.724	197.049
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	132.1	135.6	138.5	153.3	164.8	173.357	188.342	187.388	200.405
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	145.1	170.3	198.2	258.0	221.3	220.496	232.548	190.497	183.759
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	119.8	126.3	132.9	139.3	146.878	156.390	165.204	172.833
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>5</sup> .....	246.2	257.8	273.7	288.8	302.5	319.460	341.965	365.664	385.959
Garbage and trash collection <sup>8</sup> .....	285.4	297.4	307.4	320.6	337.2	353.439	371.093	379.248	385.920
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.0	124.7	125.5	126.4	127.0	126.066	128.535	127.119	124.535
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	93.3	89.5	88.2	86.6	82.4	79.801	76.079	73.655	69.766
Floor coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	109.4	107.5	108.2	114.9	119.5	119.083	120.576	117.287	113.843
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	91.3	89.9	88.5	88.6	87.9	85.646	85.257	79.977	73.345
Other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	88.3	82.9	81.3	77.9	71.3	68.305	62.517	61.602	58.845
Furniture and bedding .....	128.6	126.5	126.3	127.1	126.2	123.506	123.379	123.373	118.041
Bedroom furniture .....	133.5	133.1	139.7	146.2	144.4	142.055	142.693	139.258	135.883
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	98.5	96.2	94.4	93.0	92.3	90.510	89.411	91.131	88.119
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	93.6	92.4	89.0	88.6	89.0	85.986	87.597	86.892	78.341
Infants' furniture <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	98.6	NA	NA	NA	NA
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	91.5	87.9	84.6	87.0	88.0	89.273	90.507	88.124	86.886
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	95.6	92.1	89.3	94.5	97.2	99.903	101.990	99.009	97.247
Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	111.5	109.5	105.3	110.7	112.4	115.994	116.576	112.673	110.272
Other appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	85.5	81.9	78.0	77.1	76.1	75.756	75.935	74.307	73.670
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	91.5	86.9	87.3	83.2	78.7	74.948	74.767	72.130	69.851
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	101.0	91.8	91.7	84.6	77.6	70.179	68.602	65.126	61.181
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	116.7	119.2	120.1	122.4	121.6	124.005	129.884	126.116	125.639
Dishes and flatware <sup>2</sup> .....	85.7	83.7	85.0	79.2	74.2	72.305	71.721	70.080	70.012
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	90.8	89.6	90.6	89.7	90.6	93.341	95.330	95.600	96.984
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.6	92.1	93.6	93.7	94.8	93.772	94.010	92.642	90.575
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.2	92.6	95.7	98.2	100.1	99.028	99.541	97.073	95.667
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.6	91.7	92.4	91.4	92.1	91.213	91.115	90.115	87.791
Housekeeping supplies .....	158.1	156.7	158.1	161.8	168.3	170.743	182.569	183.109	183.512
Household cleaning products <sup>2</sup> .....	109.0	107.3	106.5	109.9	112.9	112.712	120.558	122.280	120.273
Household paper products <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	116.9	125.0	125.6	133.9	138.930	154.754	155.772	159.059
Miscellaneous household products <sup>2</sup> .....	105.2	106.0	104.7	107.3	111.4	113.655	117.609	115.953	117.076
Household operations <sup>2</sup> .....	119.9	122.6	127.0	133.3	139.1	142.100	150.689	150.172	150.346
Domestic services <sup>2</sup> .....	119.5	122.6	124.9	131.3	137.3	139.648	143.688	144.263	144.331
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>2</sup> .....	118.4	119.9	125.5	NA	NA	141.672	NA	156.052	154.948

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**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	117.2	119.9	123.4	128.4	128.6	128.413	127.430	124.592	126.550
Repair of household items <sup>2</sup> .....	128.6	133.0	142.2	151.9	158.4	165.089	173.193	178.830	181.298
Apparel .....	121.5	119.0	118.8	117.5	118.6	118.257	117.078	119.357	121.011
Men's and boys' apparel .....	119.3	118.0	116.3	114.1	113.2	112.026	110.767	110.633	112.201
Men's apparel .....	124.5	122.4	121.4	119.8	119.4	116.489	114.775	115.301	117.400
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	127.2	128.1	126.0	125.3	120.2	121.449	116.071	113.718	118.586
Men's furnishings .....	133.2	136.1	134.8	133.4	131.7	126.721	134.123	136.207	137.269
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	91.3	88.5	86.0	85.4	87.8	81.560	78.307	79.733	79.355
Men's pants and shorts .....	113.7	106.8	110.3	106.4	106.8	108.284	104.650	104.203	108.447
Boys' apparel .....	100.6	101.7	97.5	93.8	91.4	95.216	95.395	93.228	93.039
Women's and girls' apparel .....	113.1	110.9	110.0	108.9	110.2	109.418	105.456	108.304	109.217
Women's apparel .....	112.9	111.1	109.6	109.7	111.6	110.570	106.734	109.851	112.621
Women's outerwear .....	113.8	112.6	106.8	102.4	101.7	96.725	95.894	100.512	101.227
Women's dresses .....	100.3	100.4	96.8	104.2	112.4	115.453	110.886	112.306	120.398
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	88.7	86.3	86.0	85.6	87.6	87.306	82.653	83.985	85.172
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	93.8	93.3	92.2	91.8	91.0	88.867	88.612	93.355	96.636
Girls' apparel .....	114.1	109.5	112.1	104.4	102.8	103.475	98.956	100.550	92.921
Footwear .....	120.7	118.5	120.3	121.4	123.0	122.258	124.093	128.492	129.303
Men's footwear .....	124.6	120.4	118.1	120.7	123.4	120.906	125.664	127.787	127.462
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	120.6	118.2	122.9	124.4	123.4	125.993	131.745	133.820	136.836
Women's footwear .....	117.3	116.5	119.7	119.7	121.7	120.615	118.767	125.675	126.316
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	125.3	119.2	118.6	115.0	114.1	113.779	112.568	112.695	114.413
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	127.2	122.1	126.0	123.2	129.1	134.325	143.607	146.340	155.030
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	110.9	111.0	112.8	113.7	115.7	113.726	117.491	114.260	114.038
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	131.7	125.6	129.8	126.4	133.0	139.691	150.122	154.017	164.713
Transportation .....	154.2	154.7	164.8	172.7	175.4	189.984	164.628	188.318	192.412
Private transportation .....	150.4	150.8	161.3	168.9	171.8	186.134	159.411	183.766	187.646
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	98.7	94.4	95.4	95.8	94.8	94.754	91.408	96.421	97.502
New vehicles .....	140.6	138.0	138.8	138.3	137.1	136.664	132.308	138.857	137.365
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.6	95.7	96.3	95.9	95.0	94.727	91.677	96.214	95.235
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	137.7	134.8	135.5	136.6	136.9	136.371	134.930	139.728	137.423
New trucks <sup>1 8</sup> .....	148.6	146.4	147.2	144.4	141.5	141.191	133.657	142.520	142.176
Used cars and trucks .....	148.5	131.0	137.3	139.2	136.2	136.943	125.883	137.406	146.065
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	98.0	95.7	91.7	93.0	92.9	93.464	99.045	99.045	95.899
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	104.2	107.5	103.2	112.1	115.4	113.982	118.241	125.705	128.057
Motor fuel .....	119.7	127.8	161.2	187.3	199.3	258.132	149.132	224.730	232.518
Gasoline (all types) .....	119.1	127.2	160.4	186.2	198.1	256.790	146.102	224.260	231.819
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	117.1	125.7	159.2	185.8	197.9	256.775	143.918	223.353	230.950
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 11</sup> .....	123.9	131.4	165.2	190.8	202.1	261.983	152.838	230.558	238.275
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	119.8	127.1	158.0	181.1	192.3	247.369	148.343	218.751	225.889
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	113.8	115.8	152.6	186.4	200.1	248.393	185.983	203.092	214.571
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	107.0	107.7	109.9	114.0	119.5	123.928	133.077	134.781	137.802
Tires .....	101.3	100.8	103.2	106.2	110.0	113.060	119.796	121.348	124.185
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	108.7	111.1	112.7	118.4	126.2	132.574	145.311	147.139	150.174
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	113.9	115.5	116.0	119.9	125.6	131.420	139.882	142.377	143.746
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	154.3	160.2	170.3	195.1	224.4	240.510	298.121	292.337	312.531
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	193.3	198.0	203.3	210.7	218.8	226.120	239.356	245.417	249.231
Motor vehicle body work .....	201.2	205.0	210.5	220.5	228.1	236.039	245.361	251.006	255.500
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	177.9	180.9	186.2	192.2	198.3	204.331	219.020	224.018	226.233
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	117.9	121.4	124.4	129.2	134.9	139.602	146.705	150.735	153.684
Motor vehicle insurance .....	304.6	318.4	329.3	332.5	335.2	336.915	350.308	366.799	376.415
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	114.0	121.8	132.3	136.2	139.4	142.248	147.741	163.829	165.818
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>2 5</sup> .....	110.1	119.4	131.8	134.4	137.6	139.320	142.812	163.132	164.969
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	122.9	126.5	133.0	139.5	142.3	147.630	156.704	165.205	167.453
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.9	128.0	135.4	144.2	146.5	153.178	166.315	176.892	179.258
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	112.2	113.9	114.1	118.2	119.323	117.295	119.061	120.875
Public transportation .....	203.0	205.6	205.4	217.6	217.8	233.408	237.638	245.203	252.525
Airline fare .....	223.4	223.1	219.7	233.8	231.4	255.873	259.566	270.667	278.828
Other intercity transportation .....	155.1	147.0	144.6	151.6	154.7	156.648	155.454	149.138	153.726

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	108.182	108.660	109.220
Intercity train fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	108.295	105.854	116.763
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.0	69.1	72.5	72.3	71.3	72.918	67.057	64.686	63.220
Intracity transportation .....	185.1	204.1	211.9	223.3	227.5	232.378	244.260	256.436	263.706
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	104.091
Medical care .....	291.3	302.1	314.9	328.4	340.1	357.661	367.133	379.516	390.616
Medical care commodities .....	259.5	265.0	270.8	280.8	285.9	293.610	298.361	308.221	315.804
Medicinal drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	102.644
Prescription drugs .....	321.2	329.1	340.7	355.7	362.3	374.389	379.943	396.526	410.289
Nonprescription drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	99.361
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	98.984
Medical care services .....	299.4	311.9	327.3	342.0	356.0	376.940	388.267	401.452	413.807
Professional services .....	257.0	264.1	274.6	284.9	292.4	304.784	313.886	321.827	330.149
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	264.1	270.1	280.8	289.5	294.3	306.304	315.233	323.124	333.715
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	284.8	297.2	311.9	329.6	346.2	366.225	379.603	391.677	400.837
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>7</sup> .....	155.2	157.5	162.0	167.0	170.3	172.811	173.377	176.391	177.186
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	175.1	179.2	183.7	188.3	194.2	200.312	207.850	211.524	215.365
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	382.4	407.0	428.0	449.7	477.2	515.677	543.585	581.968	614.667
Hospital services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	140.3	149.3	157.1	165.2	175.4	189.908	201.053	216.570	230.085
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 13</sup> .....	136.0	143.7	151.8	159.8	170.6	183.595	194.073	209.075	224.883
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 7</sup> .....	327.0	348.5	364.2	382.5	402.4	442.085	466.736	504.843	524.673
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	129.8	137.3	142.1	147.1	154.5	161.981	167.097	173.095	178.237
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	106.602	108.281	109.971	111.729
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	106.4	115.727	111.697	108.325	105.570
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.5	107.7	108.5	109.7	110.8	111.705	113.674	113.212	113.120
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	103.2	103.3	103.9	103.9	102.8	102.691	101.629	99.873	98.638
Televisions .....	37.8	32.4	28.4	24.3	18.8	15.352	12.378	8.983	7.640
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	301.3	312.6	325.2	336.0	344.7	353.432	359.854	368.083	372.915
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	43.8	38.4	32.9	29.4	25.3	22.009	18.833	16.947	15.567
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	78.0	78.0	77.1	76.5	77.4	77.808	79.629	77.022	75.605
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	80.7	79.0	77.1	70.7	68.4	64.303	61.029	55.958	52.744
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	86.5	86.3	85.5	89.1	92.2	95.867	101.515	100.789	101.686
Audio equipment .....	72.5	68.6	64.0	58.4	55.9	53.242	50.650	48.213	47.229
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	109.6	105.3	109.0	109.1	105.9	105.202	104.528	95.165	93.284
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	113.9	117.0	122.0	125.4	129.8	136.947	150.242	152.943	154.696
Pets and pet products .....	149.3	151.5	155.8	157.6	162.6	170.641	191.503	193.281	191.693
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.7	107.8	111.1	112.4	116.2	122.446	141.485	142.867	143.190
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.3	103.9	105.8	107.7	110.9	114.293	117.639	118.375	115.731
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	130.7	137.3	145.9	153.0	159.3	169.281	179.657	185.234	193.871
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.5	122.0	128.2	133.2	138.6	144.294	153.922	155.941	158.346
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	132.2	139.3	148.6	156.3	163.0	174.382	185.269	192.436	202.217
Sporting goods .....	115.7	114.9	113.5	115.5	117.2	116.125	119.632	118.314	118.816
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	130.7	127.8	129.6	134.7	138.8	138.424	139.862	139.648	142.211
Sports equipment .....	101.6	102.2	98.2	97.8	96.8	95.030	100.316	98.056	96.904
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	96.8	94.7	91.8	89.0	84.7	81.737	80.236	80.606	79.288
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	114.7	108.2	100.5	95.6	84.9	79.082	74.245	72.637	68.685
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.7	88.8	87.5	88.0	84.5	86.304	86.915	89.475	89.333
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.2	71.6	61.8	55.5	45.5	38.800	35.196	33.844	31.440
Photographers and film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	105.7	106.3	106.5	104.8	106.7	106.295	108.430	111.306	112.593
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.3	118.1	115.4	113.4	114.6	117.023	117.795	120.763	120.482
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.5	100.6	100.4	98.8	100.5	99.692	102.004	105.993	108.670
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	77.0	74.5	71.3	68.5	66.4	62.868	60.213	58.316	57.415
Toys .....	88.9	85.2	80.0	76.4	72.7	68.585	63.944	59.985	58.528
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.1	75.7	73.6	71.8	70.0	67.586	64.308	62.449	61.537
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.1	94.6	94.9	91.7	92.6	86.794	88.423	92.515	94.844
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	98.9	97.5	98.7	96.9	96.9	95.018	96.680	97.671	97.711
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	121.4	125.6	128.3	132.1	137.2	140.427	143.750	144.023	145.126
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	113.1	116.1	116.4	119.4	122.0	123.864	125.014	122.918	122.119
Admissions .....	257.4	266.1	275.3	284.9	299.8	307.108	316.607	319.307	325.204

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup>	125.4	130.3	133.5	138.2	145.7	148.620	152.546	153.725	156.636
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup>	131.4	132.3	141.4	150.4	156.0	163.370	172.671	174.389	177.646
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup>	206.1	219.0	224.9	230.8	238.9	248.080	257.231	264.055	265.263
Recreational reading materials	196.9	198.6	202.9	204.0	205.7	208.036	215.325	221.333	219.955
Newspapers and magazines <sup>2</sup>	111.7	113.6	117.8	119.8	121.0	122.709	128.653	134.986	134.270
Recreational books <sup>2</sup>	104.7	104.2	104.2	102.9	103.6	104.305	106.299	106.493	105.715
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	109.2	110.9	112.6	115.3	118.0	121.506	125.921	128.883	131.154
Education <sup>2</sup>	130.0	139.4	148.5	157.6	167.6	176.927	186.916	195.672	203.353
Educational books and supplies	323.3	342.8	355.9	374.3	399.5	434.352	464.544	496.580	508.892
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	374.0	401.7	428.9	455.3	484.0	510.016	538.309	562.610	585.271
College tuition and fees	387.4	425.5	462.2	492.8	527.2	559.190	591.804	627.061	654.649
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	413.6	440.4	471.4	497.8	527.1	556.271	590.037	613.370	637.632
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup>	176.4	183.6	190.0	200.5	211.2	219.405	230.326	235.532	243.396
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup>	132.3	144.3	155.8	166.0	174.4	183.016	189.275	196.480	204.268
Communication <sup>2</sup>	91.8	88.2	85.4	84.3	83.1	83.282	84.737	84.809	84.665
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup>	119.2	119.4	120.0	120.5	126.5	132.091	136.357	143.156	145.898
Postage	190.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	201.1	208.927	215.400	226.626	229.846
Delivery services <sup>2</sup>	129.4	135.1	154.0	169.3	171.5	189.551	199.456	202.732	225.563
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup>	90.0	86.2	83.3	82.2	80.6	80.546	81.886	81.728	81.497
Telephone services <sup>2</sup>	99.9	97.2	94.8	95.2	96.8	98.792	101.688	102.707	102.633
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup>	67.4	66.5	65.6	64.6	64.6	64.011	64.361	63.629	62.466
Land-line telephone services <sup>12</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	102.022
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>14</sup>	17.2	15.3	14.2	13.1	11.2	10.215	9.906	9.423	9.339
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>3</sup>	220.7	181.1	155.7	131.1	115.8	100.000	88.529	77.960	75.570
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup>	71.0	64.1	61.1	58.5	54.2	50.722	50.180	48.930	45.159
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup>	99.6	97.6	97.2	94.5	77.2	73.176	75.899	75.642	76.794
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup>	59.0	52.3	48.4	44.2	40.3	36.945	36.230	34.994	33.348
Other goods and services	295.8	300.2	307.8	317.3	326.7	337.633	349.220	377.330	383.663
Tobacco and smoking products	472.5	470.4	484.8	513.1	527.3	566.696	602.644	783.794	823.766
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup>	192.3	190.6	196.0	207.6	213.4	229.969	244.647	319.378	336.118
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup>	130.9	138.6	147.1	154.6	157.7	163.226	172.664	210.845	217.720
Personal care	175.4	179.0	183.3	187.6	193.3	197.643	202.774	205.823	206.929
Personal care products	153.4	153.4	153.4	155.4	159.0	158.236	161.397	162.275	160.985
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup>	103.4	102.6	101.7	102.1	104.2	103.861	104.966	104.825	104.407
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	165.9	167.3	169.2	173.1	177.5	176.418	181.661	183.917	181.718
Personal care services	189.9	194.3	201.2	206.6	212.5	219.656	226.281	228.343	230.332
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup>	115.9	118.6	122.8	126.0	129.6	134.026	138.068	139.326	140.540
Miscellaneous personal services	276.9	287.1	297.7	306.6	318.7	329.908	339.698	348.697	355.964
Legal services <sup>7</sup>	213.9	224.6	236.6	244.6	255.5	262.910	274.810	283.418	290.862
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup>	206.8	215.4	223.2	233.5	244.9	256.560	270.369	278.644	283.144
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup>	113.8	117.2	120.7	122.9	126.9	130.834	137.122	140.340	142.687
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup>	115.1	118.7	121.9	127.9	134.4	139.205	149.481	155.624	158.393
Financial services <sup>7</sup>	235.2	241.3	250.2	254.2	263.0	273.241	258.195	262.572	268.609
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup>	117.9	120.1	123.4	123.9	126.7	129.839	122.325	124.260	128.883
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup>	128.7	134.1	141.0	147.2	156.6	163.279	171.238	173.992	179.071
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup>	93.6	89.0	86.6	86.4	86.9	87.847	88.754	89.262	86.234
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup>	156.4	149.5	148.0	150.2	151.6	154.060	155.308	157.926	153.581
Infants' equipment <sup>1 4</sup>	-	-	-	100.0	97.1	95.663	98.654	NA	NA
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities	149.7	150.4	155.8	160.0	162.1	170.511	163.582	172.572	174.282
Commodities less food and beverages	133.6	131.7	137.2	141.3	142.5	150.162	135.720	148.441	149.761
Nondurables less food and beverages	145.2	146.7	157.4	166.3	170.9	188.635	161.681	185.689	188.770
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	163.9	167.7	185.2	200.4	207.3	236.735	192.948	231.169	235.211

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Sep. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Durables .....	120.2	115.0	115.5	114.9	113.3	112.093	108.811	111.477	111.174
Services .....	211.9	217.9	224.6	233.2	241.2	249.225	256.731	259.055	262.320
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	218.1	222.9	228.9	235.0	245.0	252.669	257.567	258.303	258.934
Transportation services .....	212.0	217.7	221.8	227.8	230.8	236.504	246.287	256.014	260.577
Other services .....	250.2	257.4	264.3	272.3	280.9	289.945	300.067	306.436	311.802
All items less food .....	181.6	184.4	190.6	197.4	202.6	210.610	208.855	215.703	218.179
All items less shelter .....	171.7	174.7	180.9	187.7	191.1	199.734	198.127	205.888	209.133
All items less medical care .....	175.1	178.2	183.9	190.0	194.8	202.600	202.442	207.860	210.001
Commodities less food .....	135.6	133.8	139.3	143.3	144.7	152.344	138.536	151.052	152.395
Nondurables less food .....	147.6	149.2	159.5	168.1	172.7	189.844	165.032	187.864	190.885
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	165.0	168.8	185.1	199.2	205.8	233.014	194.403	229.250	233.089
Nondurables .....	161.6	165.4	173.3	180.1	184.5	198.422	189.557	202.064	204.920
Apparel less footwear .....	117.2	114.8	114.1	112.3	113.3	112.990	111.235	112.993	114.765
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	220.5	228.4	236.5	248.8	254.9	263.966	275.370	279.896	286.640
Services less medical care services .....	204.3	209.9	216.0	224.2	231.7	238.894	246.090	247.793	250.516
Energy .....	123.3	131.8	153.7	180.0	185.2	217.506	171.158	202.301	210.003
All items less energy .....	188.6	191.5	195.8	200.1	205.1	210.890	215.930	219.048	221.030
All items less food and energy .....	191.4	193.6	197.8	202.1	207.3	212.356	216.100	220.025	221.907
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	142.5	139.0	139.8	140.1	139.9	140.014	139.228	143.383	143.866
Energy commodities .....	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.4	261.976	155.745	228.186	235.797
Services less energy services .....	219.8	225.5	231.9	238.7	247.5	255.785	262.636	266.237	269.034
Domestically produced farm food .....	179.8	189.5	194.4	196.9	199.2	211.109	224.865	218.813	221.904
Utilities and public transportation .....	158.4	163.2	168.3	183.5	185.2	191.955	201.511	199.834	205.311

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	2.4	1.9	3.3	3.4	2.5	4.1	0.1	2.7	1.2
Food and beverages .....	1.5	3.5	2.6	2.3	2.2	4.8	5.8	-4	1.2
Food .....	1.5	3.6	2.7	2.3	2.1	4.9	5.9	-5	1.2
Food at home .....	.8	4.5	2.4	1.7	1.4	5.6	6.6	-2.4	1.3
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.0	2.8	1.7	1.0	3.1	5.4	11.7	-8	-4
Cereals and cereal products .....	.5	2.1	1.0	-.3	2.1	4.1	13.1	-1.4	-1.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	3.8	3.9	-3.5	3.7	3.1	7.4	21.0	-4.2	1.7
Breakfast cereal .....	.0	.5	1.2	-2.1	.5	2.7	4.9	.1	-1.9
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	-.1	4.2	2.4	1.3	4.7	5.2	26.7	-2.9	-1.4
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.3	5.3	4.7	1.7	6.5	4.2	39.4	-8.8	-8
Bakery products .....	1.3	3.2	2.1	1.7	3.5	6.0	11.1	-.5	.1
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	2.1	4.0	2.9	5.1	10.5	12.5	-3.5	-.4
White bread <sup>1</sup> .....	.7	2.4	3.8	2.3	5.2	11.3	12.0	-3.4	-.2
Bread other than white <sup>1</sup> .....	2.1	-.4	5.0	2.8	4.6	10.1	13.3	-3.7	-.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	3.8	2.7	2.4	6.3	4.5	13.5	-2.6	-.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	1.9	2.6	2.1	2.1	1.0	5.8	8.7	2.7	-2.2
Cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	2.8	.7	2.5	2.1	1.7	2.8	8.5	4.3	-3.4
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....	1.3	3.9	1.9	2.1	.4	8.4	8.9	1.0	-.8
Other bakery products .....	.7	4.7	.2	-.5	3.2	2.4	10.8	.7	3.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1</sup> .....	1.0	3.8	2.1	3.3	3.9	3.4	7.4	.5	1.9
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>1</sup> .....	.8	6.8	-1.1	-1.3	3.3	1.4	12.1	1.1	3.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1</sup> .....	.8	1.6	2.4	-.1	2.7	3.6	10.4	2.4	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.2	11.5	1.1	1.4	1.6	5.4	5.1	-3.8	5.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-.2	10.7	2.3	1.4	1.0	4.0	6.1	-3.6	5.4
Meats .....	.2	14.0	1.6	1.2	.9	3.3	5.8	-5.2	7.4
Beef and veal .....	.6	23.5	-.9	2.2	.5	5.0	6.2	-4.7	5.6
Uncooked ground beef .....	1.2	19.5	2.9	3.5	.5	5.2	11.1	-6.1	4.8
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	23.5	-.7	1.2	-.2	5.1	5.0	-2.5	5.4
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	27.5	-3.3	1.3	-.1	5.1	1.5	-5.1	6.0
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>2</sup> .....	-.8	21.7	-6.2	3.0	4.1	4.0	6.3	-.8	7.7
Pork .....	-2.3	5.2	4.7	-.1	.7	1.4	5.1	-7.8	14.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-.3	4.3	5.8	-3.6	1.7	3.2	2.3	-5.2	14.8
Bacon and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.1	9.2	3.6	-2.2	1.6	3.8	.3	-3.7	17.1
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.0	4.0	7.4	-4.8	1.4	2.3	4.3	-5.5	9.7
Ham .....	-2.0	4.6	4.2	2.2	.4	1.4	5.4	-8.5	16.4
Ham, excluding canned <sup>1</sup> .....	-.9	5.4	5.4	2.5	1.3	1.2	5.3	-8.8	16.8
Pork chops .....	-2.8	5.4	2.3	-.1	-.4	.8	6.6	-8.0	10.1
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.3	7.1	6.5	2.6	.4	-.4	7.8	-11.0	15.9
Other meats .....	3.2	5.5	2.9	.8	2.0	1.8	5.8	-2.4	1.4
Frankfurters <sup>1</sup> .....	9.1	2.9	-2.4	1.6	1.1	4.9	3.9	-5.0	1.8
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.2	3.5	3.1	1.0	.9	1.5	7.0	-.5	1.0
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1</sup> .....	9.5	6.8	2.4	3.2	-	-	9.2	1.7	10.1
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	-	-.8	10.3
Poultry .....	-.7	4.7	5.1	.3	-.7	6.3	5.8	-1.5	1.8
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	4.7	5.8	-.3	-.9	7.4	5.4	-2.1	.7
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	1.1	.5	8.7	1.1	-1.3	8.7	7.9	-4.4	1.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.2	5.6	5.3	-1.7	-1.1	7.3	4.0	-.4	.1
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.9	4.3	2.5	2.8	.3	1.4	7.4	1.2	6.3
Fish and seafood .....	-1.1	2.7	2.3	3.8	3.5	4.7	7.7	.0	2.4
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.0	4.7	2.8	5.7	4.1	5.2	6.1	-1.4	4.7
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	1.7	.0	1.5	1.2	2.5	4.1	9.7	1.5	.0
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	1.8	-.2	2.7	2.1	5.5	3.2	15.0	3.4	.6
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	3.6	.7	.7	1.2	1.0	5.1	6.1	2.1	.4
Eggs .....	9.7	30.1	-19.9	1.4	14.1	32.6	-9.1	-6.6	.9
Dairy and related products .....	-2.0	3.4	4.1	1.7	-1.2	13.4	2.7	-7.6	2.2
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.7	6.9	5.9	3.5	-2.5	19.3	-3.3	-10.6	3.1
Fresh whole milk <sup>1</sup> .....	-4.2	6.9	6.0	4.3	-4.3	22.0	-4.4	-12.8	4.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.3	6.5	5.0	2.3	.0	16.9	-2.5	-8.4	2.5
Cheese and related products .....	-2.5	2.3	5.3	.5	-1.9	13.0	8.4	-9.3	3.7
Ice cream and related products .....	-1.5	.2	-.6	.4	1.6	3.6	5.6	-2.1	-1.6
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	1.6	2.9	1.5	-.2	11.8	2.6	-3.8	1.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.9	3.3	7.9	.6	1.9	5.9	3.4	-3.0	-1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	5.5	4.5	9.6	-0.5	1.8	6.4	0.6	-3.9	-2.6
Fresh fruits .....	4.7	1.4	7.3	1.3	4.3	5.8	-1.9	-3.7	-3.7
Apples .....	6.9	3.2	1.0	4.2	10.0	5.9	3.9	-9.9	10.1
Bananas .....	.0	-1.5	-2.9	7.4	2.7	4.5	15.8	-8.4	.6
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	9.7	1.9	11.8	7.5	6.1	.9	.1	.1	17.5
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	15.1	5.6	6.6	5.7	11.8	-5.9	3.9	4.3	23.1
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	3.7	1.8	11.5	-3.9	2.1	8.2	-9.0	-1.3	-16.5
Fresh vegetables .....	6.4	7.6	11.9	-2.3	-8	7.0	3.2	-4.0	-1.4
Potatoes .....	8.3	-3.5	7.5	9.2	6.0	3.0	22.1	-16.9	13.6
Lettuce .....	-5.7	38.1	-8.3	-6.1	8.4	4.8	1.6	9.8	-16.1
Tomatoes .....	9.2	-1.5	49.5	-19.5	-7.0	18.9	-10.8	3.2	-14.2
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.7	8.4	4.2	4.5	-2.4	4.3	3.6	-5.5	3.1
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	2.9	-8	1.6	5.3	2.7	4.0	13.5	-3	1.6
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	-2.7	2.5	5.8	2.6	4.0	16.5	1.0	1.8
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.9	-1.6	1.7	5.2	3.8	2.8	10.6	.6	3.2
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.1	-3.4	3.8	6.8	1.2	4.7	19.1	1.6	1.4
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	2.7	-8	4.8	2.5	3.3	8.0	-3.3	2.1
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-1	2.7	-1.0	3.6	.7	.6	8.8	-3.5	3.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	6.2	-7	3.2	4.9	3.4	5.5	14.5	.5	.0
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	6.3	-1.1	4.5	2.5	6.0	12.5	26.8	.1	-3.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.9	-4	.9	3.5	2.1	3.5	5.9	-9	.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	-6	.8	3.0	1.9	3.5	7.3	-1.2	-.4
Carbonated drinks .....	1.3	-1	2.2	4.4	.4	3.4	9.3	.5	2.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	-6	1.1	-3.0	.2	13.2	13.4	3.9	.8	-1.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	.9	-1.3	-.4	1.6	3.1	3.0	5.4	-3.0	-2.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.9	.1	1.2	4.5	2.4	3.4	3.4	-.4	2.7
Coffee .....	-3	.7	1.6	11.5	2.2	5.6	6.2	-2.8	5.4
Roasted coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	-5	1.8	1.2	14.1	-.5	8.7	4.6	-2.1	6.4
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.0	-1.9	4.2	4.3	7.7	-2.4	12.6	-5.0	2.9
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	-3	1.0	.4	2.6	2.3	1.8	.9	.2
Other food at home .....	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.7	3.2	9.3	-.1	.7
Sugar and sweets .....	1.9	1.2	.2	4.0	2.7	3.6	8.2	2.8	1.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	2.5	2.1	-.2	8.1	5.8	-.5	6.5	3.8	4.4
Candy and chewing gum <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	.3	.2	3.6	1.5	4.8	8.5	2.8	.9
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	2.7	3.3	.7	1.7	4.0	3.4	8.7	1.8	3.1
Fats and oils .....	-2.6	3.2	6.2	-1.3	.9	5.6	17.4	-4.5	2.3
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-9.3	4.0	13.8	-3.2	-1.3	6.1	18.9	-7.7	10.8
Butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-19.4	2.9	28.3	-6.2	-5.8	2.2	8.1	-11.5	22.8
Margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	.4	6.0	1.1	.6	1.7	9.5	27.0	-4.8	2.5
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	-6	2.2	.5	-4.3	3.4	3.6	10.5	.6	-.5
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	3.2	4.5	2.2	.9	6.6	20.9	-5.5	-.9
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.1	.3	.4	1.3	-2.9	8.7	13.5	-1.0	-4.6
Other foods .....	.2	.8	-.7	2.8	.1	2.6	8.3	.0	.2
Soups .....	1.2	.9	.1	1.9	.0	-.1	8.8	-2.2	-1.1
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-1.0	.3	-.5	.9	-1.7	3.8	6.6	-.8	-2.5
Snacks .....	-3.3	4.5	-2.3	5.8	-1.0	4.5	12.9	1.5	1.2
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	3.1	-2.2	-2.9	3.8	-.1	3.5	6.9	2.0	3.5
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-.3	-1.1	-.3	6.1	-3.7	5.8	2.1	3.2	2.5
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.1	-6.0	4.5	.5	2.2	4.1	13.0	-1.4	1.5
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.6	-1.4	-8.5	3.8	2.9	1.1	8.5	3.6	2.2
Other condiments <sup>1</sup> .....	6.0	3.8	-3.6	1.7	.2	6.3	4.9	-2.0	15.8
Baby food <sup>2</sup> .....	1.5	3.2	2.1	3.4	.9	3.7	5.7	-1.2	1.0
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	-.4	.9	1.4	2.4	.1	7.4	-1.1	-.3
Prepared salads <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	1.6	-1.8
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	4.0	5.0	1.9	1.0
Full service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.8	3.4	3.9	3.9	1.8	1.0
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.3	3.2	3.3	3.0	4.1	6.0	1.8	.6
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	4.8	2.5	2.9	2.7	3.6	2.8	5.8	2.8	3.6
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.2	6.2	2.8	3.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>2</sup> .....	1.3	2.4	2.2	2.9	2.0	3.4	6.8	2.5	1.1

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**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	3.7	2.6	3.3	5.3	4.0	4.8	5.7	1.9	2.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.2	2.1	2.8	1.3	2.4	3.8	4.4	1.9	.9
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	1.9	1.7	2.1	.4	1.5	3.3	4.4	1.5	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	2.6	3.0	3.3	-.5	1.3	4.3	5.3	2.6	.3
Distilled spirits at home .....	.5	2.1	.8	1.1	.8	.6	2.7	1.8	1.5
Whiskey at home <sup>1</sup> .....	1.4	2.9	.5	1.9	1.0	2.3	4.0	2.6	.9
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1</sup> .....	.2	1.3	1.2	.6	.2	.2	1.2	2.1	2.1
Wine at home .....	1.4	-.5	.7	1.6	1.9	3.2	3.8	.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	3.0	2.7	3.8	2.9	4.2	4.6	4.5	2.4	1.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.6	3.6	3.5	2.1	4.8	3.4	4.0	2.8	1.6
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.5	1.5	4.8	3.3	3.2	5.8	5.1	2.5	.5
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.9	3.8	3.2	4.2	3.5	5.8	3.8	1.7	.9
Housing .....	2.4	2.2	3.0	4.0	3.3	3.0	2.4	-.3	.5
Shelter .....	3.1	2.2	2.7	2.6	4.2	3.1	1.9	.3	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.1	4.3	4.0	3.4	.7	.1
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	3.4	5.1	3.5	4.0	4.6	-3.3	-5.0	10.7
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	6.1	5.7	6.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.7	5.0	4.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.0	3.1	5.0	3.3	3.9	4.5	-3.8	-5.7	12.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	4.3	2.8	2.1	.7	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	4.3	2.8	2.1	.7	-.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>2</sup> .....	5.6	1.8	3.8	-2.2	.9	-.1	2.6	3.2	2.3
Fuels and utilities .....	1.4	6.5	7.9	15.6	.5	5.4	6.0	-3.0	4.3
Household energy .....	1.0	7.1	8.4	18.0	-.3	5.3	5.9	-4.9	4.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	11.4	9.1	34.1	24.0	2.4	28.3	-14.4	2.5	1.2
Fuel oil .....	14.7	7.8	39.5	27.2	2.3	32.5	-21.0	6.5	1.9
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	5.5	11.6	23.9	17.3	2.6	19.2	-.3	-4.2	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	.4	6.9	6.8	17.6	-.6	3.4	7.7	-5.4	4.4
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	-1.9	2.6	2.1	10.7	7.5	5.2	8.6	-.5	6.9
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	6.7	17.4	16.4	30.2	-14.2	-.4	5.5	-18.1	-3.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.2	4.5	5.4	5.2	4.8	5.4	6.5	5.6	4.6
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>5</sup> .....	3.5	4.7	6.2	5.5	4.7	5.6	7.0	6.9	5.6
Garbage and trash collection <sup>8</sup> .....	2.4	4.2	3.4	4.3	5.2	4.8	5.0	2.2	1.8
Household furnishings and operations .....	-1.5	-1.8	.6	.7	.5	-.7	2.0	-1.1	-2.0
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.3	-4.1	-1.5	-1.8	-4.8	-3.2	-4.7	-3.2	-5.3
Floor coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	-1.7	.7	6.2	4.0	-.3	1.3	-2.7	-2.9
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.7	-1.5	-1.6	.1	-.8	-2.6	-.5	-6.2	-8.3
Other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-8.2	-6.1	-1.9	-4.2	-8.5	-4.2	-8.5	-1.5	-4.5
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.1	-1.6	-.2	.6	-.7	-2.1	-.1	.0	-4.3
Bedroom furniture .....	-1.6	-.3	5.0	4.7	-1.2	-1.6	.4	-2.4	-2.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.0	-2.3	-1.9	-1.5	-.8	-1.9	-1.2	1.9	-3.3
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-.3	-1.3	-3.7	-.4	.5	-3.4	1.9	-.8	-9.8
Infants' furniture <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-1.4	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.1	-3.9	-3.8	2.8	1.1	1.4	1.4	-2.6	-1.4
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.3	-3.7	-3.0	5.8	2.9	2.8	2.1	-2.9	-1.8
Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-.1	-1.8	-3.8	5.1	1.5	3.2	.5	-3.3	-2.1
Other appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.1	-4.2	-4.8	-1.2	-1.3	-.5	.2	-2.1	-.9
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.3	-5.0	.5	-4.7	-5.4	-4.8	-.2	-3.5	-3.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-5.3	-9.1	-.1	-7.7	-8.3	-9.6	-2.2	-5.1	-6.1
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	-.8	2.1	.8	1.9	-.7	2.0	4.7	-2.9	-.4
Dishes and flatware <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.4	-2.3	1.6	-6.8	-6.3	-2.6	-.8	-2.3	-.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.6	-1.3	1.1	-1.0	1.0	3.0	2.1	.3	1.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.3	-2.6	1.6	.1	1.2	-1.1	.3	-1.5	-2.2
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.6	-1.7	3.3	2.6	1.9	-1.1	.5	-2.5	-1.4
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.3	-3.1	.8	-1.1	.8	-1.0	-.1	-1.1	-2.6
Housekeeping supplies .....	-1.1	-.9	.9	2.3	4.0	1.5	6.9	.3	.2
Household cleaning products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.4	-1.6	-.7	3.2	2.7	-.2	7.0	1.4	-1.6
Household paper products <sup>2</sup> .....	.0	-1.8	6.9	.5	6.6	3.8	11.4	.7	2.1
Miscellaneous household products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.6	.8	-1.2	2.5	3.8	2.0	3.5	-1.4	1.0
Household operations <sup>2</sup> .....	2.3	2.3	3.6	5.0	4.4	2.2	6.0	-.3	.1
Domestic services <sup>2</sup> .....	4.0	2.6	1.9	5.1	4.6	1.7	2.9	.4	.0
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>2</sup> .....	.1	1.3	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-.7

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**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	2.3	2.9	4.1	0.2	-0.1	-0.8	-2.2	1.6
Repair of household items <sup>2</sup> .....	4.9	3.4	6.9	6.8	4.3	4.2	4.9	3.3	1.4
Apparel .....	-1.8	-2.1	-2	-1.1	.9	-3	-1.0	1.9	1.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	-2.9	-1.1	-1.4	-1.9	-.8	-1.0	-1.1	-.1	1.4
Men's apparel .....	-1.0	-1.7	-.8	-1.3	-.3	-2.4	-1.5	.5	1.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	-.7	.7	-1.6	-.6	-4.1	1.0	-4.4	-2.0	4.3
Men's furnishings .....	.9	2.2	-1.0	-1.0	-1.3	-3.8	5.8	1.6	.8
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.0	-3.1	-2.8	-.7	2.8	-7.1	-4.0	1.8	-.5
Men's pants and shorts .....	-3.2	-6.1	3.3	-3.5	.4	1.4	-3.4	-.4	4.1
Boys' apparel .....	-9.2	1.1	-4.1	-3.8	-2.6	4.2	.2	-2.3	-.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-1.5	-1.9	-.8	-1.0	1.2	-.7	-3.6	2.7	.8
Women's apparel .....	-2.1	-1.6	-1.4	.1	1.7	-.9	-3.5	2.9	2.5
Women's outerwear .....	.4	-1.1	-5.2	-4.1	-.7	-4.9	-.9	4.8	.7
Women's dresses .....	1.2	.1	-3.6	7.6	7.9	2.7	-4.0	1.3	7.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.4	-2.7	-.3	-.5	2.3	-.3	-5.3	1.6	1.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.8	-.5	-1.2	-.4	-.9	-2.3	-.3	5.4	3.5
Girls' apparel .....	1.7	-4.0	2.4	-6.9	-1.5	.7	-4.4	1.6	-7.6
Footwear .....	.1	-1.8	1.5	.9	1.3	-.6	1.5	3.5	.6
Men's footwear .....	.1	-3.4	-1.9	2.2	2.2	-2.0	3.9	1.7	-.3
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-1.2	-2.0	4.0	1.2	-.8	2.1	4.6	1.6	2.3
Women's footwear .....	.5	-.7	2.7	.0	1.7	-.9	-1.5	5.8	.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	-2.5	-4.9	-.5	-3.0	-.8	-.3	-1.1	.1	1.5
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	-3.9	-4.0	3.2	-2.2	4.8	4.0	6.9	1.9	5.9
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	-5.3	.1	1.6	.8	1.8	-1.7	3.3	-2.7	-.2
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	-3.6	-4.6	3.3	-2.6	5.2	5.0	7.5	2.6	6.9
Transportation .....	3.8	.3	6.5	4.8	1.6	8.3	-13.3	14.4	2.2
Private transportation .....	4.2	.3	7.0	4.7	1.7	8.3	-14.4	15.3	2.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.9	-4.4	1.1	.4	-1.0	.0	-3.5	5.5	1.1
New vehicles .....	-2.0	-1.8	.6	-.4	-.9	-.3	-3.2	4.9	-1.1
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.0	-1.9	.6	-.4	-.9	-.3	-3.2	4.9	-1.0
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	-2.0	-2.1	.5	.8	.2	-.4	-1.1	3.6	-1.6
New trucks <sup>1 8</sup> .....	-2.2	-1.5	.5	-1.9	-2.0	-.2	-5.3	6.6	-.2
Used cars and trucks .....	-5.5	-11.8	4.8	1.4	-2.2	.5	-8.1	9.2	6.3
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	-2.0	-2.3	-4.2	1.4	-.1	.6	6.0	.0	-3.2
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	.5	3.2	-4.0	8.6	2.9	-1.2	3.7	6.3	1.9
Motor fuel .....	24.6	6.8	26.1	16.2	6.4	29.5	-42.2	50.7	3.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	24.8	6.8	26.1	16.1	6.4	29.6	-43.1	53.5	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.7	6.5	29.7	-44.0	55.2	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 11</sup> .....	25.4	6.1	25.7	15.5	5.9	29.6	-41.7	50.9	3.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	23.5	6.1	24.3	14.6	6.2	28.6	-40.0	47.5	3.3
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	1.8	31.8	22.1	7.3	24.1	-25.1	9.2	5.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.1	.7	2.0	3.7	4.8	3.7	7.4	1.3	2.2
Tires .....	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.6	2.8	6.0	1.3	2.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	2.4	2.2	1.4	5.1	6.6	5.1	9.6	1.3	2.1
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	2.3	1.4	.4	3.4	4.8	4.6	6.4	1.8	1.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	2.4	3.8	6.3	14.6	15.0	7.2	24.0	-1.9	6.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	3.7	2.4	2.7	3.6	3.8	3.3	5.9	2.5	1.6
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.8	1.9	2.7	4.8	3.4	3.5	3.9	2.3	1.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	3.7	1.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.0	7.2	2.3	1.0
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	3.9	3.0	2.5	3.9	4.4	3.5	5.1	2.7	2.0
Motor vehicle insurance .....	9.0	4.5	3.4	1.0	.8	.5	4.0	4.7	2.6
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	6.8	8.6	2.9	2.3	2.0	3.9	10.9	1.2
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>2 5</sup> .....	3.5	8.4	10.4	2.0	2.4	1.3	2.5	14.2	1.1
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	2.8	2.9	5.1	4.9	2.0	3.7	6.1	5.4	1.4
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.1	3.3	5.8	6.5	1.6	4.6	8.6	6.4	1.3
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-.3	2.5	1.5	.2	3.6	1.0	-1.7	1.5	1.5
Public transportation .....	-.9	1.3	-.1	5.9	.1	7.2	1.8	3.2	3.0
Airline fare .....	-2.4	-.1	-1.5	6.4	-1.0	10.6	1.4	4.3	3.0
Other intercity transportation .....	2.0	-5.2	-1.6	4.8	2.0	1.3	-.8	-4.1	3.1

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	0.4	0.5
Intercity train fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-2.3	10.3
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.8	-10.3	4.9	-0.3	-1.4	2.3	-8.0	-3.5	-2.3
Intracity transportation .....	1.5	10.3	3.8	5.4	1.9	2.1	5.1	5.0	2.8
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1
Medical care .....	5.0	3.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	5.2	2.6	3.4	2.9
Medical care commodities .....	3.1	2.1	2.2	3.7	1.8	2.7	1.6	3.3	2.5
Medicinal drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
Prescription drugs .....	4.5	2.5	3.5	4.4	1.9	3.3	1.5	4.4	3.5
Nonprescription drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.0
Medical care services .....	5.6	4.2	4.9	4.5	4.1	5.9	3.0	3.4	3.1
Professional services .....	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.8	2.6	4.2	3.0	2.5	2.6
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	3.2	2.3	4.0	3.1	1.7	4.1	2.9	2.5	3.3
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	4.5	4.4	4.9	5.7	5.0	5.8	3.7	3.2	2.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>7</sup> .....	-3	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.0	1.5	.3	1.7	.5
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	3.6	2.3	2.5	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.8	1.8	1.8
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	9.8	6.4	5.2	5.1	6.1	8.1	5.4	7.1	5.6
Hospital services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	10.1	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.2	8.3	5.9	7.7	6.2
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 13</sup> .....	9.4	5.7	5.6	5.3	6.8	7.6	5.7	7.7	7.6
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 7</sup> .....	12.7	6.6	4.5	5.0	5.2	9.9	5.6	8.2	3.9
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	4.4	5.8	3.5	3.5	5.0	4.8	3.2	3.6	3.0
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	3.1	3.4	1.6	1.6	1.6
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	6.4	8.8	-3.5	-3.0	-2.5
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	1.1	1.1	.7	1.1	1.0	.8	1.8	-4	-1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	.1	.6	.0	-1.1	-1	-1.0	-1.7	-1.2
Televisions .....	-10.6	-14.3	-12.3	-14.4	-22.6	-18.3	-19.4	-27.4	-15.0
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	7.3	3.8	4.0	3.3	2.6	2.5	1.8	2.3	1.3
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	-13.1	-12.3	-14.3	-10.6	-13.9	-13.0	-14.4	-10.0	-8.1
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.0	.0	-1.2	-.8	1.2	.5	2.3	-3.3	-1.8
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-4	-2.1	-2.4	-8.3	-3.3	-6.0	-5.1	-8.3	-5.7
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-8.2	-2	-.9	4.2	3.5	4.0	5.9	-.7	.9
Audio equipment .....	-4.5	-5.4	-6.7	-8.8	-4.3	-4.8	-4.9	-4.8	-2.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	-3.9	3.5	.1	-2.9	-.7	-.6	-9.0	-2.0
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.7	4.3	2.8	3.5	5.5	9.7	1.8	1.1
Pets and pet products .....	.6	1.5	2.8	1.2	3.2	4.9	12.2	.9	-.8
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.3	2.0	3.1	1.2	3.4	5.4	15.5	1.0	.2
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.7	-.4	1.8	1.8	3.0	3.1	2.9	.6	-2.2
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	4.9	5.0	6.3	4.9	4.1	6.3	6.1	3.1	4.7
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.0	3.8	5.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	6.7	1.3	1.5
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.2	5.4	6.7	5.2	4.3	7.0	6.2	3.9	5.1
Sporting goods .....	-1.4	-.7	-1.2	1.8	1.5	-.9	3.0	-1.1	.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	-.8	-2.2	1.4	3.9	3.0	-.3	1.0	-.2	1.8
Sports equipment .....	-1.8	.6	-3.9	-.4	-1.0	-1.8	5.6	-2.3	-1.2
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.9	-2.2	-3.1	-3.1	-4.8	-3.5	-1.8	.5	-1.6
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-6.2	-5.7	-7.1	-4.9	-11.2	-6.9	-6.1	-2.2	-5.4
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-5.8	-3.2	-1.5	.6	-4.0	2.1	.7	2.9	-.2
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-6.0	-8.4	-13.7	-10.2	-18.0	-14.7	-9.3	-3.8	-7.1
Photographers and film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	.6	.2	-1.6	1.8	-.4	2.0	2.7	1.2
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.2	3.3	-2.3	-1.7	1.1	2.1	.7	2.5	-.2
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.1	.1	-.2	-1.6	1.7	-.8	2.3	3.9	2.5
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.3	-3.2	-4.3	-3.9	-3.1	-5.3	-4.2	-3.2	-1.5
Toys .....	-9.3	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.8	-5.7	-6.8	-6.2	-2.4
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-5.2	-3.1	-2.8	-2.4	-2.5	-3.4	-4.9	-2.9	-1.5
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.2	.5	.3	-3.4	1.0	-6.3	1.9	4.6	2.5
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.2	-1.4	1.2	-1.8	.0	-1.9	1.7	1.0	.0
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.1	3.5	2.1	3.0	3.9	2.4	2.4	.2	.8
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	2.7	.3	2.6	2.2	1.5	.9	-1.7	-.7
Admissions .....	4.9	3.4	3.5	3.5	5.2	2.4	3.1	.9	1.8

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<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.0	3.9	2.5	3.5	5.4	2.0	2.6	0.8	1.9
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.0	.7	6.9	6.4	3.7	4.7	5.7	1.0	1.9
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup> .....	1.4	6.3	2.7	2.6	3.5	3.8	3.7	2.7	.5
Recreational reading materials .....	2.0	.9	2.2	.5	.8	1.1	3.5	2.8	-6
Newspapers and magazines <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	1.7	3.7	1.7	1.0	1.4	4.8	4.9	-5
Recreational books <sup>2</sup> .....	1.7	-5	.0	-1.2	.7	.7	1.9	.2	-7
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	1.6	1.5	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.6	2.4	1.8
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	6.6	7.2	6.5	6.1	6.3	5.6	5.6	4.7	3.9
Educational books and supplies .....	9.7	6.0	3.8	5.2	6.7	8.7	7.0	6.9	2.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	6.2	7.4	6.8	6.2	6.3	5.4	5.5	4.5	4.0
College tuition and fees .....	7.0	9.8	8.6	6.6	7.0	6.1	5.8	6.0	4.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	6.8	6.5	7.0	5.6	5.9	5.5	6.1	4.0	4.0
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup> .....	4.9	4.1	3.5	5.5	5.3	3.9	5.0	2.3	3.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	5.0	9.1	8.0	6.5	5.1	4.9	3.4	3.8	4.0
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.7	-3.9	-3.2	-1.3	-1.4	.2	1.7	.1	-2
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	10.4	.2	.5	.4	5.0	4.4	3.2	5.0	1.9
Postage .....	10.5	.0	.0	.0	5.3	3.9	3.1	5.2	1.4
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	4.6	4.4	14.0	9.9	1.3	10.5	5.2	1.6	11.3
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.5	-4.2	-3.4	-1.3	-1.9	-1	1.7	-2	-3
Telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	.2	-2.7	-2.5	.4	1.7	2.1	2.9	1.0	-1
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	-1.3	-1.4	-1.5	.0	-9	.5	-1.1	-1.8
Land-line telephone services <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>14</sup> .....	-13.1	-11.0	-7.2	-7.7	-14.5	-8.8	-3.0	-4.9	-9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	-22.0	-17.9	-14.0	-15.8	-11.7	-13.6	-11.5	-11.9	-3.1
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-10.7	-9.7	-4.7	-4.3	-7.4	-6.4	-1.1	-2.5	-7.7
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup> .....	-7	-2.0	-4	-2.8	-18.3	-5.2	3.7	-3	1.5
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup> .....	-9.2	-11.4	-7.5	-8.7	-8.8	-8.3	-1.9	-3.4	-4.7
Other goods and services .....	3.3	1.5	2.5	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.4	8.0	1.7
Tobacco and smoking products .....	9.5	-4	3.1	5.8	2.8	7.5	6.3	30.1	5.1
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	9.8	-9	2.8	5.9	2.8	7.8	6.4	30.5	5.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	4.1	5.9	6.1	5.1	2.0	3.5	5.8	22.1	3.3
Personal care .....	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.6	1.5	.5
Personal care products .....	-1.3	.0	.0	1.3	2.3	-5	2.0	.5	-8
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.1	-8	-9	.4	2.1	-3	1.1	-1	-4
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	-1.4	.8	1.1	2.3	2.5	-6	3.0	1.2	-1.2
Personal care services .....	1.9	2.3	3.6	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	.9
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	2.3	3.5	2.6	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	.9
Miscellaneous personal services .....	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.0	3.9	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.1
Legal services <sup>7</sup> .....	4.3	5.0	5.3	3.4	4.5	2.9	4.5	3.1	2.6
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup> .....	4.3	4.2	3.6	4.6	4.9	4.8	5.4	3.1	1.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.1	3.0	3.0	1.8	3.3	3.1	4.8	2.3	1.7
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	3.1	2.7	4.9	5.1	3.6	7.4	4.1	1.8
Financial services <sup>7</sup> .....	3.2	2.6	3.7	1.6	3.5	3.9	-5.5	1.7	2.3
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.6	1.9	2.7	.4	2.3	2.5	-5.8	1.6	3.7
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.9	4.2	5.1	4.4	6.4	4.3	4.9	1.6	2.9
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-8	-4.9	-2.7	-2	.6	.7	1.4	.6	-3.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup> .....	-1	-4.4	-1.0	1.5	.9	1.6	.8	1.7	-2.8
Infants' equipment <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-2.9	-1.5	3.1	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	1.2	.5	3.6	2.7	1.3	5.2	-4.1	5.5	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	1.0	-1.4	4.2	3.0	.8	5.4	-9.6	9.4	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	4.9	1.0	7.3	5.7	2.8	10.4	-14.3	14.8	1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	8.1	2.3	10.4	8.2	3.4	14.2	-18.5	19.8	1.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Durables .....	-3.3	-4.3	0.4	-0.5	-1.4	-1.1	-2.9	2.5	-0.3
Services .....	3.2	2.8	3.1	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.0	.9	1.3
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	3.0	2.2	2.7	2.7	4.3	3.1	1.9	.3	.2
Transportation services .....	3.7	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.3	2.5	4.1	3.9	1.8
Other services .....	3.4	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.5	2.1	1.8
All items less food .....	2.6	1.5	3.4	3.6	2.6	4.0	-8	3.3	1.1
All items less shelter .....	2.1	1.7	3.5	3.8	1.8	4.5	-8	3.9	1.6
All items less medical care .....	2.2	1.8	3.2	3.3	2.5	4.0	-1	2.7	1.0
Commodities less food .....	1.1	-1.3	4.1	2.9	1.0	5.3	-9.1	9.0	.9
Nondurables less food .....	4.8	1.1	6.9	5.4	2.7	9.9	-13.1	13.8	1.6
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	7.6	2.3	9.7	7.6	3.3	13.2	-16.6	17.9	1.7
Nondurables .....	3.1	2.4	4.8	3.9	2.4	7.5	-4.5	6.6	1.4
Apparel less footwear .....	-2.3	-2.0	-6	-1.6	.9	-3	-1.6	1.6	1.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	3.4	3.6	3.5	5.2	2.5	3.6	4.3	1.6	2.4
Services less medical care services .....	3.0	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.0	.7	1.1
Energy .....	10.7	6.9	16.6	17.1	2.9	17.4	-21.3	18.2	3.8
All items less energy .....	1.8	1.5	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.8	2.4	1.4	.9
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.4	1.8	1.8	.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-1.5	-2.5	.6	.2	-1	.1	-6	3.0	.3
Energy commodities .....	23.7	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.1	29.4	-40.5	46.5	3.3
Services less energy services .....	3.4	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.7	3.3	2.7	1.4	1.1
Domestically produced farm food .....	.9	5.4	2.6	1.3	1.2	6.0	6.5	-2.7	1.4
Utilities and public transportation .....	1.1	3.0	3.1	9.0	.9	3.6	5.0	-8	2.7

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator.

All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1913	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1
1914	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2
1915	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.4
1916	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.6
1917	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.1	13.3	13.6	13.6	13.8
1918	14.0	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.3	16.6
1919	16.6	16.2	16.5	16.8	17.0	17.0	17.5	17.8	17.9	18.2	18.6	19.0
1920	19.4	19.6	19.8	20.4	20.7	21.0	20.9	20.4	20.1	20.0	19.9	19.5
1921	19.1	18.5	18.4	18.2	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4
1922	17.0	17.0	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0
1923	16.9	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4
1924	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4
1925	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.1	18.0
1926	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8
1927	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.4
1928	17.4	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.2
1929	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.3
1930	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.5	16.2
1931	16.0	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.7
1932	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2
1933	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.2
1934	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5
1935	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9
1936	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1
1937	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.5
1938	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1
1939	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.0
1940	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2
1941	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.5
1942	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.9	17.0
1943	17.0	17.0	17.3	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5
1944	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9
1945	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.3
1946	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.8	19.9	20.3	20.5	20.9	21.5	21.6
1947	21.6	21.6	22.1	22.1	22.0	22.2	22.4	22.6	23.1	23.1	23.3	23.6
1948	23.8	23.6	23.6	23.9	24.1	24.2	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.2
1949	24.2	23.9	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.9	23.9	23.8
1950	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.7	23.8	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.6	24.7	24.8	25.1
1951	25.5	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.3	26.4	26.5	26.6
1952	26.6	26.5	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9
1953	26.8	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.2	27.1	27.0
1954	27.1	27.1	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.0	26.9	27.0	26.9
1955	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.0
1956	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.8
1957	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.6	28.6
1958	28.8	28.8	29.0	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1
1959	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.3	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.5
1960	29.5	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.7	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.9	30.0	30.0
1961	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2
1962	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.6
1963	30.6	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.0	31.1
1964	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.3	31.2	31.3	31.3	31.4	31.4
1965	31.4	31.4	31.5	31.6	31.6	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.9	31.9	32.0
1966	32.0	32.2	32.3	32.5	32.5	32.6	32.7	32.9	32.9	33.1	33.1	33.1
1967	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	34.0	34.1
1968	34.2	34.3	34.5	34.6	34.7	34.9	35.1	35.2	35.3	35.5	35.6	35.7
1969	35.8	36.0	36.3	36.5	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.2	37.3	37.5	37.7	37.9

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	-	-	10.0	-	-
1914	-	-	10.1	1.0	1.0
1915	-	-	10.2	2.0	1.0
1916	-	-	11.0	11.5	7.8
1917	-	-	12.9	19.0	17.3
1918	-	-	15.1	20.3	17.1
1919	-	-	17.4	14.5	15.2
1920	-	-	20.1	2.6	15.5
1921	-	-	18.0	-10.8	-10.4
1922	-	-	16.9	-2.3	-6.1
1923	-	-	17.2	2.4	1.8
1924	-	-	17.2	.0	.0
1925	-	-	17.6	3.4	2.3
1926	-	-	17.8	-1.1	1.1
1927	-	-	17.5	-2.2	-1.7
1928	-	-	17.2	-1.1	-1.7
1929	-	-	17.2	.6	.0
1930	-	-	16.8	-6.4	-2.3
1931	-	-	15.3	-9.3	-8.9
1932	-	-	13.7	-10.2	-10.5
1933	-	-	13.0	.0	-5.1
1934	-	-	13.5	2.3	3.8
1935	-	-	13.8	3.0	2.2
1936	-	-	13.9	1.4	.7
1937	-	-	14.4	2.8	3.6
1938	-	-	14.2	-2.8	-1.4
1939	-	-	14.0	-.7	-1.4
1940	-	-	14.1	1.4	.7
1941	-	-	14.8	9.2	5.0
1942	-	-	16.4	9.7	10.8
1943	-	-	17.4	2.9	6.1
1944	-	-	17.7	2.3	1.7
1945	-	-	18.1	2.2	2.3
1946	-	-	19.6	18.0	8.3
1947	-	-	22.5	9.3	14.8
1948	-	-	24.2	2.5	7.6
1949	-	-	24.0	-1.7	-.8
1950	-	-	24.2	5.5	.8
1951	-	-	26.1	6.0	7.9
1952	-	-	26.7	1.1	2.3
1953	-	-	26.9	.4	.7
1954	-	-	27.0	-.4	.4
1955	-	-	26.9	.4	-.4
1956	-	-	27.3	3.0	1.5
1957	-	-	28.3	2.9	3.7
1958	-	-	29.1	1.7	2.8
1959	-	-	29.3	1.4	.7
1960	-	-	29.8	1.7	1.7
1961	-	-	30.1	.7	1.0
1962	-	-	30.4	1.3	1.0
1963	-	-	30.8	1.6	1.3
1964	-	-	31.2	1.0	1.3
1965	-	-	31.7	1.9	1.6
1966	-	-	32.6	3.4	2.8
1967	-	-	33.6	3.0	3.1
1968	-	-	35.0	4.7	4.2
1969	-	-	36.9	6.2	5.4

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1970	38.0	38.2	38.4	38.7	38.8	39.0	39.2	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	40.0
1971	40.0	40.1	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.8	40.9	41.0	41.0	41.1	41.2	41.3
1972	41.4	41.6	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.2	42.4	42.5	42.6	42.7
1973	42.9	43.2	43.6	43.9	44.1	44.4	44.5	45.4	45.5	45.9	46.2	46.5
1974	46.9	47.5	48.0	48.3	48.8	49.3	49.7	50.3	50.9	51.4	51.8	52.2
1975	52.4	52.8	53.0	53.2	53.5	53.9	54.5	54.7	54.9	55.3	55.6	55.8
1976	56.0	56.1	56.2	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.7	57.9	58.2	58.3	58.5
1977	58.9	59.5	59.8	60.3	60.6	61.0	61.3	61.5	61.8	61.9	62.2	62.5
1978	62.8	63.2	63.7	64.3	64.9	65.6	66.0	66.4	66.8	67.4	67.7	68.1
1979	68.7	69.5	70.3	71.1	71.9	72.8	73.7	74.4	75.1	75.7	76.4	77.2
1980	78.3	79.4	80.5	81.4	82.3	83.2	83.3	83.8	84.6	85.3	86.1	86.9
1981	87.5	88.5	89.0	89.6	90.3	91.1	92.2	92.8	93.7	93.9	94.1	94.4
1982	94.7	95.0	94.8	95.2	96.2	97.4	98.0	98.2	98.3	98.6	98.4	98.0
1983	98.1	98.1	98.4	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.5	101.0	101.2	101.2	101.2
1984	101.6	101.8	101.8	102.1	102.5	102.8	103.2	104.2	104.8	104.8	104.7	104.8
1985	104.9	105.4	105.9	106.3	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.3	108.6
1986	108.9	108.5	107.9	107.6	107.9	108.4	108.4	108.6	109.1	109.1	109.2	109.3
1987	110.0	110.5	111.0	111.6	111.9	112.4	112.7	113.3	113.8	114.1	114.3	114.2
1988	114.5	114.7	115.1	115.7	116.2	116.7	117.2	117.7	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.2
1989	119.7	120.2	120.8	121.8	122.5	122.8	123.2	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.4	124.6
1990	125.9	126.4	127.1	127.3	127.5	128.3	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9	132.2	132.2
1991	132.8	132.8	133.0	133.3	133.8	134.1	134.3	134.6	135.2	135.4	135.8	135.9
1992	136.0	136.4	137.0	137.3	137.6	138.1	138.4	138.8	139.1	139.6	139.8	139.8
1993	140.3	140.7	141.1	141.6	141.9	142.0	142.1	142.4	142.6	143.3	143.4	143.3
1994	143.6	144.0	144.4	144.7	144.9	145.4	145.8	146.5	146.9	147.0	147.3	147.2
1995	147.8	148.3	148.7	149.3	149.6	149.9	149.9	150.2	150.6	151.0	150.9	150.9
1996	151.7	152.2	152.9	153.6	154.0	154.1	154.3	154.5	155.1	155.5	155.9	155.9
1997	156.3	156.8	157.0	157.2	157.2	157.4	157.5	157.8	158.3	158.5	158.5	158.2
1998	158.4	158.5	158.7	159.1	159.5	159.7	159.8	160.0	160.2	160.6	160.7	160.7
1999	161.0	161.1	161.4	162.7	162.8	162.8	163.3	163.8	164.7	165.0	165.1	165.1
2000	165.6	166.5	167.9	168.0	168.2	169.2	169.4	169.3	170.4	170.6	170.9	170.7
2001	171.7	172.4	172.6	173.5	174.4	174.6	173.8	173.8	174.8	174.0	173.7	172.9
2002	173.2	173.7	174.7	175.8	175.8	175.9	176.1	176.6	177.0	177.3	177.4	177.0
2003	177.7	179.2	180.3	179.8	179.4	179.6	179.6	180.3	181.0	180.7	180.2	179.9
2004	180.9	181.9	182.9	183.5	184.7	185.3	184.9	185.0	185.4	186.5	186.8	186.0
2005	186.3	187.3	188.6	190.2	190.0	190.1	191.0	192.1	195.0	195.2	193.4	192.5
2006	194.0	194.2	195.3	197.2	198.2	198.6	199.2	199.6	198.4	197.0	196.8	197.2
2007	197.559	198.544	200.612	202.130	203.661	203.906	203.700	203.199	203.889	204.338	205.891	205.777
2008	206.744	207.254	209.147	210.698	212.788	215.223	216.304	215.247	214.935	212.182	207.296	204.813
2009	205.700	206.708	207.218	207.925	208.774	210.972	210.526	211.156	211.322	211.549	212.003	211.703
2010	212.568	212.544	213.525	213.958	214.124	213.839	213.898	214.205	214.306	-	-	-

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	-	-	39.0	5.5	5.7
1971	-	-	40.7	3.3	4.4
1972	-	-	42.1	3.4	3.4
1973	-	-	44.7	8.9	6.2
1974	-	-	49.6	12.3	11.0
1975	-	-	54.1	6.9	9.1
1976	-	-	57.2	4.8	5.7
1977	-	-	60.9	6.8	6.5
1978	-	-	65.6	9.0	7.7
1979	-	-	73.1	13.4	11.4
1980	-	-	82.9	12.6	13.4
1981	-	-	91.4	8.6	10.3
1982	-	-	96.9	3.8	6.0
1983	-	-	99.8	3.3	3.0
1984	102.1	104.4	103.3	3.6	3.5
1985	106.0	107.8	106.9	3.6	3.5
1986	108.2	109.0	108.6	.6	1.6
1987	111.2	113.7	112.5	4.5	3.6
1988	115.5	118.4	117.0	4.4	4.0
1989	121.3	123.9	122.6	4.5	4.8
1990	127.1	131.0	129.0	6.1	5.2
1991	133.3	135.2	134.3	2.8	4.1
1992	137.1	139.3	138.2	2.9	2.9
1993	141.3	142.9	142.1	2.5	2.8
1994	144.5	146.8	145.6	2.7	2.5
1995	148.9	150.6	149.8	2.5	2.9
1996	153.1	155.2	154.1	3.3	2.9
1997	157.0	158.1	157.6	1.5	2.3
1998	159.0	160.3	159.7	1.6	1.3
1999	162.0	164.5	163.2	2.7	2.2
2000	167.6	170.2	168.9	3.4	3.5
2001	173.2	173.8	173.5	1.3	2.7
2002	174.9	176.9	175.9	2.4	1.4
2003	179.3	180.3	179.8	1.6	2.2
2004	183.2	185.8	184.5	3.4	2.6
2005	188.8	193.2	191.0	3.5	3.5
2006	196.3	198.0	197.1	2.4	3.2
2007	201.069	204.466	202.767	4.3	2.9
2008	210.309	211.796	211.053	-.5	4.1
2009	207.883	211.377	209.630	3.4	-.7
2010	213.426	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	177.0	179.9	186.0	192.5	197.2	205.777	204.813	211.703	214.306
All items (1967=100) .....	527.2	536.0	554.2	573.3	587.3	612.948	610.075	630.600	638.353
Food and beverages .....	177.1	183.6	188.4	192.5	196.5	206.141	218.269	217.186	219.817
Food .....	176.5	183.1	187.9	192.2	196.1	205.855	218.155	216.679	219.376
Food at home .....	175.1	183.3	187.6	190.7	193.2	204.141	217.498	212.041	215.058
Cereals and bakery products .....	197.1	202.9	206.3	208.4	215.2	226.696	253.759	251.570	250.654
Cereals and cereal products .....	179.4	183.4	185.1	184.6	188.9	196.937	223.504	220.044	217.325
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	165.5	171.9	165.4	171.7	176.8	190.120	229.039	218.595	222.284
Breakfast cereal .....	201.9	203.2	205.6	200.9	202.0	208.175	218.381	218.580	214.814
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	154.9	161.0	165.0	167.3	175.8	184.496	233.048	226.081	222.972
Bakery products .....	206.3	213.1	217.6	221.3	229.5	243.149	270.252	268.885	269.049
Bread <sup>1</sup> .....	116.0	118.4	123.6	126.8	133.7	147.613	166.349	160.563	159.927
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1</sup> .....	116.2	120.8	123.6	126.7	134.6	140.373	159.319	155.735	154.575
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	199.2	204.6	208.4	213.2	215.5	228.155	247.775	254.648	249.047
Other bakery products .....	198.2	207.8	207.9	207.2	214.9	219.795	243.351	244.918	252.312
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	162.3	181.0	183.2	185.6	188.0	198.489	208.639	200.623	211.109
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.0	180.4	184.6	187.1	188.5	196.452	208.480	200.836	211.849
Meats .....	160.3	182.5	185.4	187.7	189.1	195.296	206.941	196.375	211.071
Beef and veal .....	160.8	198.6	197.0	201.7	202.7	213.259	227.130	216.156	228.175
Uncooked ground beef .....	138.5	165.3	170.4	176.0	177.3	186.988	207.556	194.559	203.938
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1</sup> .....	118.9	147.0	145.4	147.4	147.4	154.068	162.136	157.240	165.780
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1</sup> .....	116.5	148.6	143.3	145.9	145.3	153.152	155.559	148.214	156.909
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	113.2	138.6	130.8	134.8	141.0	147.341	156.835	154.481	166.963
Pork .....	159.2	167.3	175.3	174.9	175.3	177.887	186.701	172.260	197.132
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	113.0	117.8	124.7	120.0	121.9	125.971	128.835	121.794	140.417
Ham .....	155.2	162.4	169.4	173.4	174.2	176.895	186.378	171.729	199.881
Pork chops .....	155.5	164.0	167.9	168.4	166.3	167.784	178.092	163.913	180.315
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1</sup> ..	95.5	101.4	108.0	109.8	109.4	108.820	116.862	104.617	120.829
Other meats .....	164.8	173.2	178.1	179.6	183.3	186.035	197.514	193.620	196.669
Poultry .....	166.8	174.9	184.5	184.1	181.9	194.314	205.506	202.388	205.236
Chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	108.4	113.9	121.0	120.3	118.6	127.898	134.854	132.050	132.720
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1</sup> .....	103.9	107.9	110.4	112.0	111.9	114.166	122.553	124.030	131.285
Fish and seafood .....	188.8	194.1	197.7	205.5	212.4	223.236	239.504	239.238	245.717
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	106.6	111.6	113.9	120.6	125.4	132.570	139.815	137.987	145.048
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	105.4	105.4	107.1	108.2	110.8	115.420	126.376	127.997	128.201
Eggs .....	145.4	189.1	151.2	153.8	176.2	234.691	212.916	198.504	199.965
Dairy and related products .....	167.2	172.7	179.9	183.0	180.3	205.149	209.922	193.546	197.812
Milk <sup>1</sup> .....	109.9	117.7	124.3	128.6	124.9	149.236	144.176	128.979	133.028
Cheese and related products .....	167.7	170.9	180.2	180.8	176.9	200.799	217.373	196.937	204.080
Ice cream and related products .....	181.6	180.8	180.6	180.4	184.1	189.727	200.306	195.768	192.620
Other dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	115.0	116.7	120.0	121.9	121.9	136.149	139.820	134.414	135.884
Fruits and vegetables .....	222.9	229.7	248.6	249.6	254.7	269.533	278.835	270.279	266.461
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	261.9	273.1	300.3	298.1	303.6	322.717	324.316	311.627	304.288
Fresh fruits .....	279.2	282.7	302.7	306.3	321.0	338.490	333.638	319.843	309.707
Apples .....	232.6	239.9	241.8	252.3	277.8	294.385	304.463	275.345	304.085
Bananas .....	165.8	162.6	158.5	169.8	174.7	183.352	212.173	194.027	195.880
Citrus fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	142.0	144.5	161.0	172.2	183.1	183.278	181.951	182.025	214.114
Other fresh fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	111.4	113.2	126.5	120.9	124.2	133.873	121.829	119.566	99.285
Fresh vegetables .....	245.0	262.6	296.0	288.6	285.7	306.165	313.763	302.178	297.442
Potatoes .....	222.9	213.9	230.0	252.4	266.8	275.821	331.842	276.458	316.250
Lettuce .....	214.9	294.8	270.9	253.2	273.0	286.234	291.564	318.530	268.434
Tomatoes .....	283.4	279.6	416.9	337.8	312.1	373.203	333.609	342.058	292.980
Other fresh vegetables .....	251.9	272.7	285.2	298.4	291.2	302.224	311.812	296.805	305.331
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	113.0	111.8	113.9	119.6	122.7	127.813	145.395	144.715	146.726
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	112.9	109.5	112.5	118.9	122.0	127.130	148.284	149.616	151.985
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	114.1	117.0	116.4	121.3	124.2	127.862	138.253	133.373	135.645
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1</sup> .....	109.7	108.9	112.5	117.4	121.0	128.005	147.495	148.254	148.739
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.1	138.6	140.0	144.9	147.8	152.883	162.280	160.745	161.210
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	108.0	107.7	108.6	112.1	114.2	118.208	126.985	125.475	125.033
Carbonated drinks .....	125.5	125.5	128.5	134.3	135.3	139.574	152.766	153.097	156.792
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> ..	113.7	114.9	112.5	112.2	127.3	143.862	149.813	151.411	149.074
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup>	107.4	106.3	105.6	107.5	110.6	114.191	120.279	116.782	113.876

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1</sup>	98.2	97.9	99.2	103.4	105.7	109.188	112.847	112.401	115.328
Coffee .....	141.8	142.6	144.6	162.1	165.4	173.838	184.976	180.716	190.918
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1</sup> .....	114.9	113.9	115.4	115.7	118.4	121.348	123.678	124.344	124.520
Other food at home .....	160.6	162.5	163.2	167.1	168.1	173.511	189.527	189.197	190.318
Sugar and sweets .....	158.9	160.5	160.6	166.9	171.3	177.051	192.120	197.258	200.971
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	140.3	143.1	142.7	154.5	163.5	162.645	172.947	179.629	187.501
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1</sup> .....	107.3	107.3	107.3	110.8	112.2	117.281	127.765	131.090	132.174
Other sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	111.8	115.2	116.0	117.5	122.2	126.657	138.694	141.020	144.662
Fats and oils .....	152.9	157.7	167.3	165.6	167.3	176.736	207.439	198.165	202.118
Butter and margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	114.7	119.4	135.9	132.0	130.2	138.383	164.119	151.702	167.951
Salad dressing <sup>1</sup> .....	107.9	110.1	110.8	106.4	110.1	113.763	126.045	126.582	125.729
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1</sup> .....	105.8	109.0	114.0	116.3	117.6	125.513	151.538	143.034	141.805
Other foods .....	178.5	180.0	178.6	183.7	183.7	188.646	203.937	203.972	204.234
Soups .....	206.0	208.5	208.3	211.3	211.3	211.526	229.108	226.023	224.824
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	151.8	151.9	151.0	152.0	149.5	154.768	164.905	163.260	158.889
Snacks .....	166.9	174.8	170.6	180.7	178.7	186.595	211.129	214.567	217.737
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	189.0	184.7	179.6	186.7	186.5	193.197	205.712	210.137	216.970
Baby food <sup>1</sup> .....	117.2	120.8	123.8	128.0	129.3	134.720	142.495	141.182	142.370
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1</sup> .....	110.7	110.3	111.3	112.9	115.3	115.658	124.144	122.796	122.164
Food away from home .....	180.0	184.2	189.7	195.8	202.0	209.931	220.847	224.940	227.188
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	113.8	116.4	119.7	123.1	127.3	132.236	137.473	139.929	141.248
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	113.7	116.3	119.9	124.0	127.7	132.893	140.911	143.384	144.154
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1</sup> .....	111.2	114.0	117.4	120.5	124.8	128.568	135.938	139.721	145.254
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1</sup> .....	106.2	108.8	111.2	114.2	116.4	120.269	128.848	131.785	133.326
Other food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	120.1	123.1	127.0	133.6	138.7	144.454	153.646	156.830	160.755
Alcoholic beverages .....	184.7	188.9	194.2	196.3	201.1	208.934	218.445	223.168	224.828
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	165.2	168.5	172.5	172.7	175.7	181.999	190.471	194.523	194.828
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	166.1	171.0	176.5	175.9	178.7	186.264	196.194	201.688	201.648
Distilled spirits at home .....	170.1	172.2	173.8	175.1	176.3	178.085	182.474	185.979	188.084
Wine at home .....	149.9	149.0	149.3	151.5	156.0	161.506	167.054	166.961	167.294
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	225.2	231.9	240.3	247.3	257.4	269.505	281.406	287.621	292.260
Housing .....	176.9	181.0	186.4	194.2	200.5	206.638	212.452	212.142	213.294
Shelter .....	203.9	208.2	213.5	219.2	228.3	235.480	240.752	241.991	242.338
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	201.9	207.0	213.0	219.7	229.1	238.216	246.026	247.465	247.589
Lodging away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	109.6	113.4	118.6	122.4	127.1	133.179	129.982	124.222	136.488
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>2 3</sup> .....	293.9	311.5	330.2	349.6	367.7	388.209	405.966	427.153	443.861
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	229.4	236.5	247.0	254.4	263.8	276.352	267.821	253.210	282.462
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2 3</sup> .....	198.0	201.7	206.1	211.2	220.1	226.151	230.926	232.603	232.472
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	198.0	201.7	206.1	211.2	220.1	226.151	230.926	232.603	232.473
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1</sup> .....	112.3	114.4	118.9	116.4	117.4	117.396	120.360	124.415	127.718
Fuels and utilities .....	143.5	153.0	164.7	190.2	190.9	200.831	213.861	207.329	216.787
Household energy .....	126.4	135.4	146.4	172.4	171.5	180.379	192.050	182.701	191.066
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	125.0	136.2	183.4	227.4	232.2	298.656	260.185	265.130	267.283
Fuel oil .....	123.0	132.6	186.0	236.0	240.9	320.865	252.236	270.525	274.717
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>4</sup> .....	163.3	181.0	225.7	266.5	272.4	326.741	327.270	312.422	311.591
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	133.2	142.5	152.0	178.3	177.1	183.066	197.545	187.125	196.143
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	131.1	134.9	137.7	152.2	163.2	171.431	186.472	185.190	198.482
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	145.1	170.2	198.7	258.9	221.1	220.150	232.380	190.227	183.597
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>1</sup> .....	114.6	119.9	126.5	133.2	139.6	147.186	156.864	165.808	173.258
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>2</sup> .....	242.8	254.2	270.1	285.0	298.5	315.239	337.662	360.749	379.860
Garbage and trash collection <sup>5</sup> .....	284.5	297.1	307.1	320.3	337.0	353.370	371.080	379.734	386.325
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.0	120.4	121.3	121.9	122.6	121.880	124.314	123.187	120.560
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	94.3	90.7	89.4	87.7	83.9	81.035	77.171	74.826	70.715
Floor coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	108.1	107.3	107.7	114.0	117.5	117.978	120.817	116.767	113.530
Window coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	95.5	94.3	91.5	90.1	91.4	90.188	90.166	83.394	74.816
Other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	89.0	83.8	82.6	79.5	72.8	68.938	63.065	62.293	59.307
Furniture and bedding .....	125.1	123.0	123.0	123.6	122.6	120.204	119.826	119.684	114.151
Bedroom furniture .....	131.1	131.0	137.8	143.6	141.4	140.415	140.843	137.094	134.170
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	98.1	95.5	93.7	92.0	91.7	89.432	88.045	89.881	86.711
Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	93.9	92.2	88.7	88.9	88.5	85.686	87.286	87.092	76.810
Appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	90.8	87.6	84.6	87.4	88.4	89.909	91.480	88.684	87.432
Major appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	95.1	92.0	89.4	94.8	98.1	100.715	102.836	99.788	98.240

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**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Sep. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	84.6	81.3	77.9	77.1	75.6	75.914	76.735	74.250	73.346
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1</sup> .....	91.0	86.2	87.2	82.9	79.0	76.170	76.086	73.849	71.755
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	96.6	86.3	87.3	80.1	74.3	67.750	66.408	63.889	60.418
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>6</sup> .....	118.8	120.5	121.7	124.1	123.6	128.403	134.433	130.327	130.906
Dishes and flatware <sup>1</sup> .....	85.7	85.3	86.2	80.7	75.1	73.764	72.685	70.705	71.536
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1</sup> .....	91.3	91.1	92.0	91.7	92.2	95.198	96.592	96.138	96.784
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.5	90.9	92.9	93.2	94.7	93.593	94.697	93.468	91.223
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.9	91.6	96.0	98.5	100.5	98.836	101.573	98.773	96.914
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	92.5	89.7	90.2	88.8	89.7	89.028	88.810	88.575	86.148
Housekeeping supplies .....	158.5	157.0	158.7	162.5	168.8	171.286	183.428	184.503	184.817
Household cleaning products <sup>1</sup> .....	108.9	107.3	106.6	110.2	113.2	113.279	121.182	123.214	121.424
Household paper products <sup>1</sup> .....	118.3	116.3	124.6	125.2	133.4	138.485	154.045	155.385	158.605
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1</sup> .....	104.8	105.3	103.9	106.6	110.6	112.593	116.635	115.123	116.085
Household operations <sup>1</sup> .....	120.8	123.8	129.3	136.0	141.2	144.659	152.814	152.486	152.851
Domestic services <sup>1</sup> .....	118.8	122.0	124.6	131.1	135.7	138.159	141.938	142.901	142.792
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1</sup> .....	119.3	121.3	126.9	NA	NA	143.712	NA	157.991	156.916
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1</sup> .....	117.5	120.4	124.3	129.6	129.0	130.180	129.074	125.137	127.144
Repair of household items <sup>1</sup> .....	129.9	134.7	144.8	155.5	162.1	168.656	177.632	184.346	186.167
Apparel .....	120.9	118.7	118.6	117.2	118.6	118.126	117.006	118.984	119.942
Men's and boys' apparel .....	118.8	117.8	115.7	113.5	113.0	112.487	111.232	110.856	111.901
Men's apparel .....	124.6	122.6	121.5	119.6	119.9	117.412	115.849	116.346	117.845
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	126.4	127.4	124.7	124.3	120.8	122.326	115.341	113.420	119.144
Men's furnishings .....	135.9	138.7	135.4	133.7	133.3	127.244	135.854	137.577	137.888
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1</sup> .....	92.4	90.1	87.3	86.7	89.7	83.798	80.130	81.777	80.460
Men's pants and shorts .....	112.3	105.7	109.6	105.7	105.6	107.614	105.128	104.078	108.212
Boys' apparel .....	101.8	103.7	98.7	95.9	93.4	97.503	97.105	94.354	94.228
Women's and girls' apparel .....	112.3	110.5	110.2	108.3	110.4	109.375	105.413	107.819	108.532
Women's apparel .....	111.6	110.5	109.2	109.0	112.0	110.682	106.699	109.343	112.299
Women's outerwear .....	116.5	116.4	113.4	108.1	107.0	102.975	101.095	107.200	106.324
Women's dresses .....	101.0	102.3	99.7	104.0	116.9	116.942	114.752	111.348	123.367
Women's suits and separates <sup>1</sup> .....	90.1	87.9	87.4	86.9	89.2	88.138	83.483	84.982	85.973
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	93.1	93.1	91.8	91.8	90.5	89.828	88.639	92.768	95.981
Girls' apparel .....	115.1	110.7	113.8	105.7	104.2	104.034	100.160	101.628	94.205
Footwear .....	120.8	117.8	119.4	120.9	122.9	122.029	124.152	128.637	128.436
Men's footwear .....	122.9	117.8	115.6	118.1	121.0	119.023	123.943	126.388	125.675
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	121.0	118.5	123.6	125.2	124.9	127.064	131.106	134.149	134.092
Women's footwear .....	117.9	116.4	119.2	119.6	121.6	120.533	119.224	126.162	126.320
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	127.2	121.4	121.4	117.6	116.8	116.419	115.003	115.754	116.688
Jewelry and watches <sup>4</sup> .....	124.8	122.6	126.5	122.5	128.3	133.527	143.678	145.122	152.144
Watches <sup>4</sup> .....	106.7	107.1	108.4	108.7	111.0	108.082	110.894	109.437	108.018
Jewelry <sup>4</sup> .....	129.9	127.1	131.4	126.6	133.6	141.273	153.213	155.325	165.481
Transportation .....	153.0	152.5	163.4	171.6	174.4	189.967	160.914	186.839	191.517
Private transportation .....	150.4	149.7	160.9	168.8	171.7	187.159	157.272	183.565	188.152
New and used motor vehicles <sup>1</sup> .....	98.5	92.8	94.3	94.8	93.7	93.733	89.482	95.072	96.860
New vehicles .....	141.7	139.2	139.8	139.3	138.2	137.736	133.317	139.962	138.353
Used cars and trucks .....	149.3	131.7	138.1	140.0	137.0	137.791	126.526	138.242	146.959
Leased cars and trucks <sup>7</sup> .....	98.1	95.4	90.8	92.3	91.9	92.588	97.978	97.929	93.876
Car and truck rental <sup>1</sup> .....	104.4	107.1	102.1	112.2	114.0	112.921	115.879	122.965	125.003
Motor fuel .....	120.0	128.1	161.7	188.0	199.8	259.032	149.650	225.584	233.370
Gasoline (all types) .....	119.4	127.6	160.9	187.0	198.8	257.792	146.644	225.223	232.783
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>8</sup> .....	117.4	126.0	159.6	186.5	198.4	257.653	144.405	224.201	231.805
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>8 9</sup> .....	124.3	131.9	165.9	191.8	202.9	263.140	153.372	231.652	239.343
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>8</sup> .....	120.0	127.4	158.3	181.7	192.7	248.029	148.665	219.433	226.534
Other motor fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	113.6	115.5	153.0	187.0	200.7	249.230	186.488	203.701	215.122
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	106.3	107.3	109.3	113.6	119.2	123.786	133.295	134.892	137.728
Tires .....	100.5	100.0	102.4	105.4	109.1	112.172	119.029	120.562	123.230
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	108.3	110.8	112.3	118.0	125.7	132.125	144.653	146.242	149.084
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	195.0	199.8	205.3	213.2	221.4	228.692	241.855	247.812	251.938
Motor vehicle body work .....	201.7	204.9	210.8	220.7	228.2	235.569	246.234	253.026	257.885
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	179.1	182.0	187.9	194.0	200.1	206.152	221.590	226.521	228.690
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1</sup> .....	118.2	121.6	124.7	129.8	135.5	140.233	146.810	150.646	153.877
Motor vehicle insurance .....	305.6	319.7	330.5	333.5	336.3	338.071	351.694	368.294	378.335
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1</sup> .....	114.3	122.7	133.4	136.7	139.8	142.586	147.649	163.758	165.556

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.5	121.3	133.3	135.6	138.9	140.582	144.018	163.318	164.976
Parking and other fees <sup>1</sup> .....	122.7	126.1	132.9	138.9	141.3	146.865	155.748	164.530	166.627
Public transportation .....	199.2	203.6	204.2	216.6	217.4	231.363	235.199	243.453	249.816
Airline fare .....	222.6	221.8	217.8	232.3	230.0	254.153	256.668	267.543	274.730
Other intercity transportation .....	157.5	147.8	146.1	153.1	156.5	158.532	155.828	150.317	153.452
Intracity transportation .....	183.2	201.4	209.0	220.6	224.8	228.979	241.010	253.521	260.272
Medical care .....	290.6	301.4	314.4	328.2	340.0	357.745	367.301	380.302	392.028
Medical care commodities .....	254.0	259.4	264.4	273.9	279.1	285.913	290.080	299.777	307.322
Medicinal drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	102.637
Prescription drugs .....	320.6	328.4	340.0	354.9	361.8	373.019	377.458	394.125	408.034
Nonprescription drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	99.064
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	99.140
Medical care services .....	299.5	311.9	327.7	342.8	356.7	378.119	389.744	403.791	416.993
Professional services .....	259.2	266.5	277.2	287.4	294.7	307.333	316.435	324.763	333.547
Physicians' services <sup>2</sup> .....	266.2	272.1	282.9	291.7	296.3	308.349	317.426	325.735	336.702
Dental services <sup>2</sup> .....	284.6	297.4	312.2	329.4	345.5	366.759	379.634	392.030	402.047
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>4</sup> .....	155.8	158.6	163.4	168.2	171.7	173.615	173.932	176.615	177.275
Services by other medical professionals <sup>2 4</sup> .....	179.2	183.5	188.0	192.8	198.3	204.926	213.024	217.072	220.934
Hospital and related services <sup>2</sup> .....	379.1	403.4	424.2	446.4	473.0	510.961	540.101	580.567	615.785
Hospital services <sup>2 11</sup> .....	140.2	149.2	156.9	165.1	175.1	189.193	200.327	215.857	229.538
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 8 11</sup> .....	135.9	143.0	151.0	159.0	169.3	181.855	192.246	207.169	223.140
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 4 8</sup> .....	328.5	350.9	366.5	385.3	404.1	442.799	468.195	508.210	527.886
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>2 11</sup> .....	137.0	144.6	150.0	156.6	163.6	172.786	178.265	184.933	189.749
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.595	107.778	108.693	110.575
Health insurance <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	106.8	116.743	112.829	109.521	106.677
Recreation <sup>1</sup> .....	104.7	105.5	106.1	107.1	108.1	108.702	110.487	109.851	109.626
Video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	102.4	102.5	103.2	103.2	102.4	102.523	101.810	100.400	99.199
Televisions .....	37.2	32.0	28.0	24.2	18.7	15.462	12.443	9.042	7.679
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>5</sup> .....	302.7	313.9	326.8	337.5	346.3	354.903	360.943	368.818	373.105
Other video equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	43.3	38.0	32.5	29.0	24.9	21.692	18.357	16.618	15.264
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	79.1	78.7	77.7	77.2	78.1	78.675	80.133	77.205	75.294
Audio equipment .....	70.8	66.9	63.2	56.8	53.9	51.080	49.026	46.754	45.994
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1</sup> .....	109.1	104.7	108.6	108.7	105.9	105.660	104.363	94.647	93.202
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1</sup> .....	112.6	115.2	120.0	123.3	127.8	134.740	148.513	150.801	151.551
Pets and pet products .....	148.8	150.5	155.3	157.6	162.8	171.130	192.166	193.575	192.379
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1</sup> .....	131.4	137.7	146.2	153.5	159.8	169.616	180.073	185.861	191.768
Sporting goods .....	117.8	116.5	115.1	116.5	117.9	114.764	117.671	115.762	116.885
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	133.1	130.5	132.5	137.2	141.4	137.138	137.036	134.293	137.341
Sports equipment .....	100.5	100.5	96.3	94.6	93.9	91.728	96.836	95.519	94.530
Photography <sup>1</sup> .....	97.7	95.7	92.2	89.5	85.5	82.841	81.453	82.229	81.243
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	115.3	109.1	100.6	95.8	85.6	79.989	75.292	73.771	69.907
Photographers and film processing <sup>1</sup> .....	106.0	106.3	106.5	104.9	106.8	106.717	108.636	112.134	113.205
Other recreational goods <sup>1</sup> .....	76.5	73.8	70.4	67.6	65.3	62.080	58.841	56.790	55.473
Toys .....	90.7	86.9	81.6	77.9	74.2	70.193	65.228	61.607	59.872
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.7	94.0	94.0	91.9	92.9	87.326	87.505	91.721	93.077
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	98.1	96.7	97.9	95.1	96.7	96.967	98.906	98.929	97.029
Recreation services <sup>1</sup> .....	122.6	126.8	129.4	133.4	139.0	141.896	145.233	145.317	147.166
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>1</sup> .....	113.4	116.3	115.9	119.0	122.0	123.194	124.737	121.825	122.332
Admissions .....	257.0	265.8	274.5	283.6	298.4	304.937	313.626	315.568	322.309
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>4</sup> .....	207.5	221.1	227.0	232.8	240.2	249.677	258.077	263.880	265.504
Recreational reading materials .....	197.9	199.7	204.3	205.5	207.3	209.747	217.493	224.023	223.703
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1</sup> .....	111.4	113.3	117.2	119.3	120.7	122.141	128.122	134.522	134.110
Recreational books <sup>1</sup> .....	104.2	103.8	103.9	102.3	102.7	103.872	106.082	106.442	106.510
Education and communication <sup>1</sup> .....	108.8	109.7	110.5	112.6	114.8	117.782	121.819	124.156	125.818
Education <sup>1</sup> .....	129.7	138.4	147.0	155.6	165.5	174.276	184.352	192.760	200.329
Educational books and supplies .....	324.5	343.8	357.6	375.5	402.0	437.391	467.179	499.478	512.303
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	366.0	390.7	415.8	440.5	468.3	491.554	519.500	542.036	563.998
College tuition and fees .....	387.3	424.8	462.2	493.2	529.2	560.233	594.722	630.503	658.827

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**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Sep. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	412.8	438.9	470.4	497.1	525.7	553.931	587.368	610.140	633.431
Child care and nursery school <sup>6</sup> .....	176.9	183.5	189.7	199.3	209.9	217.589	228.624	234.217	242.588
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	132.6	145.3	157.3	168.0	176.3	185.776	193.831	201.734	210.285
Communication <sup>1</sup> .....	93.2	89.7	87.0	86.2	85.2	85.834	87.444	87.541	87.343
Postage and delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	119.4	119.5	120.0	120.5	126.5	132.101	136.250	142.984	145.328
Postage .....	191.7	191.7	191.7	191.7	201.9	209.745	216.173	227.304	230.143
Delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	130.4	136.2	154.9	169.4	170.9	190.190	198.345	202.004	223.682
Information and information processing <sup>1</sup> .....	92.0	88.3	85.5	84.6	83.5	83.917	85.454	85.404	85.154
Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	100.1	97.4	95.0	95.3	96.9	98.887	101.720	102.585	102.325
Wireless telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	68.5	67.6	66.7	65.7	65.6	64.977	65.341	64.593	63.431
Land-line telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	101.988
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>13</sup> .....	17.8	15.8	14.8	13.6	11.6	10.722	10.406	9.935	9.891
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>14</sup> .....	218.7	179.3	154.7	130.8	115.0	100.000	88.176	77.821	75.356
Computer software and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	69.9	63.3	60.0	57.4	52.8	49.486	49.328	48.219	44.308
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1</sup> .....	99.9	98.1	97.3	94.8	77.3	73.716	76.165	76.037	77.365
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1</sup> .....	59.3	52.1	48.5	44.7	42.3	40.192	39.887	38.567	37.358
Other goods and services .....	305.1	308.1	315.9	326.6	335.7	348.830	362.986	403.970	412.690
Tobacco and smoking products .....	474.3	471.5	485.7	515.0	528.6	568.410	605.662	789.173	828.794
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	192.4	190.6	196.0	208.0	213.5	230.125	245.184	320.486	336.927
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	130.3	138.4	146.8	153.6	156.6	162.102	173.011	211.734	219.032
Personal care .....	174.7	177.8	181.9	185.8	191.1	195.467	200.918	203.454	204.620
Personal care products .....	154.2	154.0	153.8	155.4	158.6	158.407	161.295	162.231	161.132
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	103.0	102.2	101.4	101.8	103.9	103.913	104.888	104.766	104.552
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	169.3	170.2	171.4	174.8	178.4	177.830	182.840	185.326	183.138
Personal care services .....	190.7	194.9	201.8	206.9	212.7	219.945	226.578	228.614	230.624
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	116.2	118.8	123.0	126.1	129.7	134.057	138.100	139.341	140.566
Miscellaneous personal services .....	276.7	286.6	298.4	307.0	318.7	330.850	342.530	349.851	357.423
Legal services <sup>4</sup> .....	213.2	224.0	238.0	245.9	255.7	265.264	277.998	282.925	291.082
Funeral expenses <sup>4</sup> .....	210.8	219.9	228.4	239.8	250.6	263.363	277.828	286.593	291.380
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1</sup> .....	113.8	117.0	120.5	122.8	126.7	130.494	136.794	139.979	142.310
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1</sup> .....	116.4	120.3	123.4	129.2	135.8	140.418	150.044	156.280	159.861
Financial services <sup>4</sup> .....	235.9	241.9	251.0	254.5	264.8	276.411	269.265	272.967	278.643
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1</sup> .....	92.6	88.5	85.7	86.1	86.8	87.196	88.882	89.309	85.728
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	150.3	150.7	156.6	161.2	163.5	172.952	164.233	175.127	177.267
Commodities less food and beverages .....	135.0	132.5	138.8	143.4	145.0	154.086	137.015	152.532	154.406
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	147.3	149.0	160.9	170.8	176.1	196.636	164.879	193.667	197.015
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	167.2	171.3	190.8	207.8	215.7	249.863	198.108	244.413	249.301
Durables .....	120.4	114.0	115.1	114.9	113.3	112.450	108.576	112.165	112.646
Services .....	208.3	214.2	220.5	229.2	236.6	244.275	252.176	254.519	257.663
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	196.3	200.6	205.6	211.2	220.0	227.035	232.112	233.241	233.516
Transportation services .....	211.7	218.0	222.7	228.3	231.4	236.020	245.881	256.007	260.813
Other services .....	245.1	250.9	256.5	263.5	270.9	278.783	288.227	293.470	297.815
All items less food .....	177.0	179.2	185.5	192.3	197.2	205.575	202.292	210.639	213.223
All items less shelter .....	169.1	171.6	178.0	184.8	188.0	197.174	193.918	202.951	206.399
All items less medical care .....	172.1	174.7	180.6	186.7	191.2	199.431	198.153	204.800	207.107
Commodities less food .....	136.8	134.5	140.7	145.3	147.0	156.073	139.620	154.918	156.792
Nondurables less food .....	149.6	151.4	162.9	172.4	177.7	197.551	167.933	195.487	198.749
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	168.0	172.1	190.3	205.9	213.5	245.286	198.909	241.513	246.106
Nondurables .....	162.6	166.6	175.1	182.2	186.9	202.222	190.910	205.823	208.853
Apparel less footwear .....	116.6	114.8	114.2	112.0	113.3	112.830	110.975	112.281	113.466
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	195.9	202.9	209.9	221.1	225.8	233.314	243.646	247.174	253.335

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Sep. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Services less medical care services .....	201.1	206.6	212.4	220.6	227.6	234.468	242.079	243.838	246.476
Energy .....	122.6	131.1	153.3	179.3	184.7	218.104	168.726	202.398	210.386
All items less energy .....	184.6	186.9	191.0	194.9	199.6	205.155	210.168	213.780	215.742
All items less food and energy .....	186.7	188.0	192.0	195.9	200.7	205.377	208.925	213.572	215.388
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	143.1	138.7	139.9	140.4	140.4	140.815	139.731	145.253	146.170
Energy commodities .....	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.1	261.928	154.744	228.303	235.913
Services less energy services .....	216.7	222.1	228.1	234.6	243.0	250.925	258.039	261.871	264.342
Domestically produced farm food .....	178.7	188.7	193.6	196.0	198.1	210.009	223.608	217.384	220.745
Utilities and public transportation .....	156.3	161.3	166.4	181.4	183.0	189.083	198.746	196.776	202.124

1 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
2 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
3 Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
4 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
5 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
6 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
7 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
8 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

9 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
10 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
11 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
12 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
13 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
14 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.  
- Data not available.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	2.4	1.6	3.4	3.5	2.4	4.3	-0.5	3.4	1.2
Food and beverages .....	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.2	2.1	4.9	5.9	-5	1.2
Food .....	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.3	2.0	5.0	6.0	-7	1.2
Food at home .....	.8	4.7	2.3	1.7	1.3	5.7	6.5	-2.5	1.4
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.0	2.9	1.7	1.0	3.3	5.3	11.9	-9	-4
Cereals and cereal products .....	.6	2.2	.9	-.3	2.3	4.3	13.5	-1.5	-1.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	4.0	3.9	-3.8	3.8	3.0	7.5	20.5	-4.6	1.7
Breakfast cereal .....	.0	.6	1.2	-2.3	.5	3.1	4.9	.1	-1.7
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	.1	3.9	2.5	1.4	5.1	4.9	26.3	-3.0	-1.4
Bakery products .....	1.4	3.3	2.1	1.7	3.7	5.9	11.1	-.5	.1
Bread .....	1.0	2.1	4.4	2.6	5.4	10.4	12.7	-3.5	-4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	1.9	4.0	2.3	2.5	6.2	4.3	13.5	-2.2	-.7
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	2.1	2.7	1.9	2.3	1.1	5.9	8.6	2.8	-2.2
Other bakery products .....	.8	4.8	.0	-.3	3.7	2.3	10.7	.6	3.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.3	11.5	1.2	1.3	1.3	5.6	5.1	-3.8	5.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-1	10.7	2.3	1.4	.7	4.2	6.1	-3.7	5.5
Meats .....	.2	13.8	1.6	1.2	.7	3.3	6.0	-5.1	7.5
Beef and veal .....	.7	23.5	-.8	2.4	.5	5.2	6.5	-4.8	5.6
Uncooked ground beef .....	1.1	19.4	3.1	3.3	.7	5.5	11.0	-6.3	4.8
Uncooked beef roasts .....	.3	23.6	-1.1	1.4	.0	4.5	5.2	-3.0	5.4
Uncooked beef steaks .....	.6	27.6	-3.6	1.8	-.4	5.4	1.6	-4.7	5.9
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	-.4	22.4	-5.6	3.1	4.6	4.5	6.4	-1.5	8.1
Pork .....	-2.4	5.1	4.8	-.2	.2	1.5	5.0	-7.7	14.4
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	-.4	4.2	5.9	-3.8	1.6	3.3	2.3	-5.5	15.3
Ham .....	-1.5	4.6	4.3	2.4	.5	1.5	5.4	-7.9	16.4
Pork chops .....	-2.9	5.5	2.4	.3	-1.2	.9	6.1	-8.0	10.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	-5.4	6.2	6.5	1.7	-.4	-.5	7.4	-10.5	15.5
Other meats .....	3.5	5.1	2.8	.8	2.1	1.5	6.2	-2.0	1.6
Poultry .....	-.6	4.9	5.5	-.2	-1.2	6.8	5.8	-1.5	1.4
Chicken .....	.0	5.1	6.2	-.6	-1.4	7.8	5.4	-2.1	.5
Other poultry including turkey .....	-3.3	3.8	2.3	1.4	-.1	2.0	7.3	1.2	5.8
Fish and seafood .....	-1.3	2.8	1.9	3.9	3.4	5.1	7.3	-.1	2.7
Fresh fish and seafood .....	-3.1	4.7	2.1	5.9	4.0	5.7	5.5	-1.3	5.1
Processed fish and seafood .....	1.4	.0	1.6	1.0	2.4	4.2	9.5	1.3	.2
Eggs .....	9.8	30.1	-20.0	1.7	14.6	33.2	-9.3	-6.8	.7
Dairy and related products .....	-2.0	3.3	4.2	1.7	-1.5	13.8	2.3	-7.8	2.2
Milk .....	-3.7	7.1	5.6	3.5	-2.9	19.5	-3.4	-10.5	3.1
Cheese and related products .....	-2.4	1.9	5.4	.3	-2.2	13.5	8.3	-9.4	3.6
Ice cream and related products .....	-.9	-.4	-.1	-.1	2.1	3.1	5.6	-2.3	-1.6
Other dairy and related products .....	1.6	1.5	2.8	1.6	.0	11.7	2.7	-3.9	1.1
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.7	3.1	8.2	.4	2.0	5.8	3.5	-3.1	-1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	5.4	4.3	10.0	-.7	1.8	6.3	.5	-3.9	-2.4
Fresh fruits .....	4.6	1.3	7.1	1.2	4.8	5.4	-1.4	-4.1	-3.2
Apples .....	6.7	3.1	.8	4.3	10.1	6.0	3.4	-9.6	10.4
Bananas .....	.6	-1.9	-2.5	7.1	2.9	5.0	15.7	-8.6	1.0
Citrus fruits .....	9.3	1.8	11.4	7.0	6.3	.1	-.7	.0	17.6
Other fresh fruits .....	3.6	1.6	11.7	-4.4	2.7	7.8	-9.0	-1.9	-17.0
Fresh vegetables .....	6.2	7.2	12.7	-2.5	-1.0	7.2	2.5	-3.7	-1.6
Potatoes .....	8.5	-4.0	7.5	9.7	5.7	3.4	20.3	-16.7	14.4
Lettuce .....	-6.0	37.2	-8.1	-6.5	7.8	4.8	1.9	9.2	-15.7
Tomatoes .....	8.6	-1.3	49.1	-19.0	-7.6	19.6	-10.6	2.5	-14.3
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.5	8.3	4.6	4.6	-2.4	3.8	3.2	-4.8	2.9
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	2.8	-1.1	1.9	5.0	2.6	4.2	13.8	-.5	1.4
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	3.3	-3.0	2.7	5.7	2.6	4.2	16.6	.9	1.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	.1	2.5	-.5	4.2	2.4	2.9	8.1	-3.5	1.7
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	6.1	-.7	3.3	4.4	3.1	5.8	15.2	.5	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.0	-.4	1.0	3.5	2.0	3.4	6.1	-.9	.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	1.0	-.3	.8	3.2	1.9	3.5	7.4	-1.2	-.4
Carbonated drinks .....	1.4	.0	2.4	4.5	.7	3.2	9.5	.2	2.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	-.3	1.1	-2.1	-.3	13.5	13.0	4.1	1.1	-1.5
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.9	-1.0	-.7	1.8	2.9	3.2	5.3	-2.9	-2.5

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea .....	0.9	-0.3	1.3	4.2	2.2	3.3	3.4	-0.4	2.6
Coffee .....	-2	.6	1.4	12.1	2.0	5.1	6.4	-2.3	5.6
Other beverage materials including tea .....	1.6	-9	1.3	.3	2.3	2.5	1.9	.5	.1
Other food at home .....	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.6	3.2	9.2	-2	.6
Sugar and sweets .....	1.9	1.0	.1	3.9	2.6	3.4	8.5	2.7	1.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	2.6	2.0	-3	8.3	5.8	-5	6.3	3.9	4.4
Candy and chewing gum .....	1.5	.0	.0	3.3	1.3	4.5	8.9	2.6	.8
Other sweets .....	2.6	3.0	.7	1.3	4.0	3.6	9.5	1.7	2.6
Fats and oils .....	-2.3	3.1	6.1	-1.0	1.0	5.6	17.4	-4.5	2.0
Butter and margarine .....	-9.1	4.1	13.8	-2.9	-1.4	6.3	18.6	-7.6	10.7
Salad dressing .....	-3	2.0	.6	-4.0	3.5	3.3	10.8	.4	-7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	2.0	3.0	4.6	2.0	1.1	6.7	20.7	-5.6	-9
Other foods .....	.1	.8	-8	2.9	.0	2.7	8.1	.0	.1
Soups .....	1.1	1.2	-1	1.4	.0	.1	8.3	-1.3	-5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-1.2	.1	-6	.7	-1.6	3.5	6.5	-1.0	-2.7
Snacks .....	-3.9	4.7	-2.4	5.9	-1.1	4.4	13.1	1.6	1.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	3.3	-2.3	-2.8	4.0	-1	3.6	6.5	2.2	3.3
Baby food .....	1.0	3.1	2.5	3.4	1.0	4.2	5.8	-9	.8
Other miscellaneous foods .....	1.6	-4	.9	1.4	2.1	.3	7.3	-1.1	-5
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.9	5.2	1.9	1.0
Full service meals and snacks .....	2.2	2.3	2.8	2.8	3.4	3.9	4.0	1.8	.9
Limited service meals and snacks .....	2.2	2.3	3.1	3.4	3.0	4.1	6.0	1.8	.5
Food at employee sites and schools .....	4.8	2.5	3.0	2.6	3.6	3.0	5.7	2.8	4.0
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	1.4	2.4	2.2	2.7	1.9	3.3	7.1	2.3	1.2
Other food away from home .....	3.7	2.5	3.2	5.2	3.8	4.1	6.4	2.1	2.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.3	2.3	2.8	1.1	2.4	3.9	4.6	2.2	.7
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	2.1	2.0	2.4	.1	1.7	3.6	4.7	2.1	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	2.6	3.0	3.2	-3	1.6	4.2	5.3	2.8	.0
Distilled spirits at home .....	1.4	1.2	.9	.7	.7	1.0	2.5	1.9	1.1
Wine at home .....	.7	-6	.2	1.5	3.0	3.5	3.4	-1	2
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	3.0	3.0	3.6	2.9	4.1	4.7	4.4	2.2	1.6
Housing .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	4.2	3.2	3.1	2.8	-1	.5
Shelter .....	3.1	2.1	2.5	2.7	4.2	3.1	2.2	.5	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.2	2.5	2.9	3.1	4.3	4.0	3.3	.6	.1
Lodging away from home .....	.7	3.5	4.6	3.2	3.8	4.8	-2.4	-4.4	9.9
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>1</sup> .....	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.2	5.6	4.6	5.2	3.9
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.0	3.1	4.4	3.0	3.7	4.8	-3.1	-5.5	11.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	4.2	2.7	2.1	.7	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	4.2	2.7	2.1	.7	-1
Tenants' and household insurance .....	5.6	1.9	3.9	-2.1	.9	.0	2.5	3.4	2.7
Fuels and utilities .....	1.4	6.6	7.6	15.5	.4	5.2	6.5	-3.1	4.6
Household energy .....	1.0	7.1	8.1	17.8	-5	5.2	6.5	-4.9	4.6
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	10.9	9.0	34.7	24.0	2.1	28.6	-12.9	1.9	.8
Fuel oil .....	14.3	7.8	40.3	26.9	2.1	33.2	-21.4	7.3	1.5
Propane, kerosene, and firewood .....	6.0	10.8	24.7	18.1	2.2	19.9	.2	-4.5	-3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	.5	7.0	6.7	17.3	-7	3.4	7.9	-5.3	4.8
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.9	2.9	2.1	10.5	7.2	5.0	8.8	-7	7.2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	7.1	17.3	16.7	30.3	-14.6	-4	5.6	-18.1	-3.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	3.2	4.6	5.5	5.3	4.8	5.4	6.6	5.7	4.5
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....	3.5	4.7	6.3	5.5	4.7	5.6	7.1	6.8	5.3
Garbage and trash collection .....	2.3	4.4	3.4	4.3	5.2	4.9	5.0	2.3	1.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	-1.9	-2.1	.7	.5	.6	-6	2.0	-9	-2.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	-5.0	-3.8	-1.4	-1.9	-4.3	-3.4	-4.8	-3.0	-5.5
Floor coverings .....	1.7	-7	.4	5.8	3.1	.4	2.4	-3.4	-2.8
Window coverings .....	-3.0	-1.3	-3.0	-1.5	1.4	-1.3	.0	-7.5	-10.3
Other linens .....	-7.8	-5.8	-1.4	-3.8	-8.4	-5.3	-8.5	-1.2	-4.8
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.0	-1.7	.0	.5	-8	-2.0	-3	-1	-4.6
Bedroom furniture .....	-2.1	-1	5.2	4.2	-1.5	-7	.3	-2.7	-2.1
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	-5	-2.7	-1.9	-1.8	-3	-2.5	-1.6	2.1	-3.5
Other furniture .....	-4	-1.8	-3.8	.2	-4	-3.2	1.9	-2	-11.8
Appliances .....	-3.8	-3.5	-3.4	3.3	1.1	1.7	1.7	-3.1	-1.4
Major appliances .....	-2.8	-3.3	-2.8	6.0	3.5	2.7	2.1	-3.0	-1.6

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other appliances .....	-5.1	-3.9	-4.2	-1.0	-1.9	0.4	1.1	-3.2	-1.2
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	-4.2	-5.3	1.2	-4.9	-4.7	-3.6	-1	-2.9	-2.8
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-5.8	-10.7	1.2	-8.2	-7.2	-8.8	-2.0	-3.8	-5.4
Indoor plants and flowers .....	.1	1.4	1.0	2.0	-4	3.9	4.7	-3.1	.4
Dishes and flatware .....	-5.3	-5	1.1	-6.4	-6.9	-1.8	-1.5	-2.7	1.2
Nonelectric cookware and tableware .....	-3.9	-2	1.0	-.3	.5	3.3	1.5	-.5	.7
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-1.9	-2.8	2.2	.3	1.6	-1.2	1.2	-1.3	-2.4
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	-2.2	-2.4	4.8	2.6	2.0	-1.7	2.8	-2.8	-1.9
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-1.9	-3.0	.6	-1.6	1.0	-.7	-.2	-.3	-2.7
Housekeeping supplies .....	-1.4	-.9	1.1	2.4	3.9	1.5	7.1	.6	.2
Household cleaning products .....	-1.5	-1.5	-.7	3.4	2.7	.1	7.0	1.7	-1.5
Household paper products .....	-.4	-1.7	7.1	.5	6.5	3.8	11.2	.9	2.1
Miscellaneous household products .....	-2.1	.5	-1.3	2.6	3.8	1.8	3.6	-1.3	.8
Household operations .....	2.4	2.5	4.4	5.2	3.8	2.4	5.6	-.2	.2
Domestic services .....	3.9	2.7	2.1	5.2	3.5	1.8	2.7	.7	-.1
Gardening and lawn care services .....	-.3	1.7	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-.7
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	2.7	2.5	3.2	4.3	-.5	.9	-.8	-3.1	1.6
Repair of household items .....	4.4	3.7	7.5	7.4	4.2	4.0	5.3	3.8	1.0
Apparel .....	-1.7	-1.8	-.1	-1.2	1.2	-.4	-.9	1.7	.8
Men's and boys' apparel .....	-3.2	-.8	-1.8	-1.9	-.4	-.5	-1.1	-.3	.9
Men's apparel .....	-1.4	-1.6	-.9	-1.6	.3	-2.1	-1.3	.4	1.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	-.9	.8	-2.1	-.3	-2.8	1.3	-5.7	-1.7	5.0
Men's furnishings .....	.8	2.1	-2.4	-1.3	-.3	-4.5	6.8	1.3	.2
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	-.8	-2.5	-3.1	-.7	3.5	-6.6	-4.4	2.1	-1.6
Men's pants and shorts .....	-4.1	-5.9	3.7	-3.6	-.1	1.9	-2.3	-1.0	4.0
Boys' apparel .....	-8.4	1.9	-4.8	-2.8	-2.6	4.4	-.4	-2.8	-.1
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-1.1	-1.6	-.3	-1.7	1.9	-.9	-3.6	2.3	.7
Women's apparel .....	-1.7	-1.0	-1.2	-.2	2.8	-1.2	-3.6	2.5	2.7
Women's outerwear .....	.2	-.1	-2.6	-4.7	-1.0	-3.8	-1.8	6.0	-.8
Women's dresses .....	1.2	1.3	-2.5	4.3	12.4	.0	-1.9	-3.0	10.8
Women's suits and separates .....	-1.4	-2.4	-.6	-.6	2.6	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	1.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	-4.3	.0	-1.4	.0	-1.4	-.7	-1.3	4.7	3.5
Girls' apparel .....	1.2	-3.8	2.8	-7.1	-1.4	-.2	-3.7	1.5	-7.3
Footwear .....	-.2	-2.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	-.5	1.7	3.6	-.2
Men's footwear .....	-.6	-4.1	-1.9	2.2	2.5	-1.6	4.1	2.0	-.6
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-.7	-2.1	4.3	1.3	-.2	1.7	3.2	2.3	.0
Women's footwear .....	.5	-1.3	2.4	.3	1.7	-.9	-1.1	5.8	.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	-2.4	-4.6	.0	-3.1	-.7	-.3	-1.2	.7	.8
Jewelry and watches .....	-4.7	-1.8	3.2	-3.2	4.7	4.1	7.6	1.0	4.8
Watches .....	-6.9	.4	1.2	.3	2.1	-2.6	2.6	-1.3	-1.3
Jewelry .....	-4.3	-2.2	3.4	-3.7	5.5	5.7	8.5	1.4	6.5
Transportation .....	3.8	-.3	7.1	5.0	1.6	8.9	-15.3	16.1	2.5
Private transportation .....	4.1	-.5	7.5	4.9	1.7	9.0	-16.0	16.7	2.5
New and used motor vehicles .....	-3.4	-5.8	1.6	.5	-1.2	.0	-4.5	6.2	1.9
New vehicles .....	-2.1	-1.8	.4	-.4	-.8	-.3	-3.2	5.0	-1.1
Used cars and trucks .....	-5.6	-11.8	4.9	1.4	-2.1	.6	-8.2	9.3	6.3
Leased cars and trucks .....	-1.9	-2.8	-4.8	1.7	-.4	.7	5.8	-.1	-4.1
Car and truck rental .....	.6	2.6	-4.7	9.9	1.6	-.9	2.6	6.1	1.7
Motor fuel .....	24.6	6.8	26.2	16.3	6.3	29.6	-42.2	50.7	3.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	24.8	6.9	26.1	16.2	6.3	29.7	-43.1	53.6	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.9	6.4	29.9	-44.0	55.3	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2</sup> .....	25.3	6.1	25.8	15.6	5.8	29.7	-41.7	51.0	3.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	23.5	6.2	24.3	14.8	6.1	28.7	-40.1	47.6	3.2
Other motor fuels .....	1.7	1.7	32.5	22.2	7.3	24.2	-25.2	9.2	5.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.3	.9	1.9	3.9	4.9	3.8	7.7	1.2	2.1
Tires .....	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.5	2.8	6.1	1.3	2.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	2.4	2.3	1.4	5.1	6.5	5.1	9.5	1.1	1.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	3.8	2.5	2.8	3.8	3.8	3.3	5.8	2.5	1.7
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.9	1.6	2.9	4.7	3.4	3.2	4.5	2.8	1.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	3.8	1.6	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	7.5	2.2	1.0
Motor vehicle repair .....	4.0	2.9	2.5	4.1	4.4	3.5	4.7	2.6	2.1
Motor vehicle insurance .....	9.1	4.6	3.4	.9	.8	.5	4.0	4.7	2.7
Motor vehicle fees .....	3.2	7.3	8.7	2.5	2.3	2.0	3.6	10.9	1.1

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1</sup> .....	3.4	8.8	9.9	1.7	2.4	1.2	2.4	13.4	1.0
Parking and other fees .....	2.4	2.8	5.4	4.5	1.7	3.9	6.0	5.6	1.3
Public transportation .....	-4	2.2	.3	6.1	.4	6.4	1.7	3.5	2.6
Airline fare .....	-2.2	-4	-1.8	6.7	-1.0	10.5	1.0	4.2	2.7
Other intercity transportation .....	2.1	-6.2	-1.2	4.8	2.2	1.3	-1.7	-3.5	2.1
Intracity transportation .....	1.4	9.9	3.8	5.6	1.9	1.9	5.3	5.2	2.7
Medical care .....	5.2	3.7	4.3	4.4	3.6	5.2	2.7	3.5	3.1
Medical care commodities .....	3.0	2.1	1.9	3.6	1.9	2.4	1.5	3.3	2.5
Medicinal drugs <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
Prescription drugs .....	4.4	2.4	3.5	4.4	1.9	3.1	1.2	4.4	3.5
Nonprescription drugs <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-9
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-9
Medical care services .....	5.8	4.1	5.1	4.6	4.1	6.0	3.1	3.6	3.3
Professional services .....	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.7	2.5	4.3	3.0	2.6	2.7
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	3.4	2.2	4.0	3.1	1.6	4.1	2.9	2.6	3.4
Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.5	4.9	6.2	3.5	3.3	2.6
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	-2	1.8	3.0	2.9	2.1	1.1	.2	1.5	.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.3	4.0	1.9	1.8
Hospital and related services <sup>1</sup> .....	10.3	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.0	8.0	5.7	7.5	6.1
Hospital services <sup>1</sup> .....	10.4	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.1	8.0	5.9	7.8	6.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	9.7	5.2	5.6	5.3	6.5	7.4	5.7	7.8	7.7
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	13.2	6.8	4.4	5.1	4.9	9.6	5.7	8.5	3.9
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>1</sup> .....	4.9	5.5	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.6	3.2	3.7	2.6
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.5	1.1	.8	1.7
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	6.8	9.3	-3.4	-2.9	-2.6
Recreation .....	.9	.8	.6	.9	.9	.6	1.6	-.6	-.2
Video and audio .....	1.9	.1	.7	.0	-.8	1.1	-.7	-1.4	-1.2
Televisions .....	-10.8	-14.0	-12.5	-13.6	-22.7	-17.3	-19.5	-27.3	-15.1
Cable and satellite television and radio service .....	7.2	3.7	4.1	3.3	2.6	2.5	1.7	2.2	1.2
Other video equipment .....	-13.7	-12.2	-14.5	-10.8	-14.1	-12.9	-15.4	-9.5	-8.1
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio .....	-6.4	-.5	-1.3	-.6	1.2	.7	1.9	-3.7	-2.5
Audio equipment .....	-5.0	-5.5	-5.5	-10.1	-5.1	-5.2	-4.0	-4.6	-1.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	1.1	-4.0	3.7	.1	-2.6	-.2	-1.2	-9.3	-1.5
Pets, pet products and services .....	1.8	2.3	4.2	2.8	3.6	5.4	10.2	1.5	.5
Pets and pet products .....	.7	1.1	3.2	1.5	3.3	5.1	12.3	.7	-.6
Pet services including veterinary .....	4.7	4.8	6.2	5.0	4.1	6.1	6.2	3.2	3.2
Sporting goods .....	-1.6	-1.1	-1.2	1.2	1.2	-2.7	2.5	-1.6	1.0
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	-1.1	-2.0	1.5	3.5	3.1	-3.0	-.1	-2.0	2.3
Sports equipment .....	-2.2	.0	-4.2	-1.8	-.7	-2.3	5.6	-1.4	-1.0
Photography .....	-1.4	-2.0	-3.7	-2.9	-4.5	-3.1	-1.7	1.0	-1.2
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-6.0	-5.4	-7.8	-4.8	-10.6	-6.6	-5.9	-2.0	-5.2
Photographers and film processing .....	2.0	.3	.2	-1.5	1.8	-.1	1.8	3.2	1.0
Other recreational goods .....	-7.6	-3.5	-4.6	-4.0	-3.4	-4.9	-5.2	-3.5	-2.3
Toys .....	-9.0	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.7	-5.4	-7.1	-5.6	-2.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	-2.8	.3	.0	-2.2	1.1	-6.0	.2	4.8	1.5
Music instruments and accessories .....	-1.8	-1.4	1.2	-2.9	1.7	.3	2.0	.0	-1.9
Recreation services .....	3.8	3.4	2.1	3.1	4.2	2.1	2.4	.1	1.3
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises .....	.8	2.6	-.3	2.7	2.5	1.0	1.3	-2.3	.4
Admissions .....	5.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	5.2	2.2	2.8	.6	2.1
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	1.4	6.6	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.9	3.4	2.2	.6
Recreational reading materials .....	1.9	.9	2.3	.6	.9	1.2	3.7	3.0	-.1
Newspapers and magazines .....	2.1	1.7	3.4	1.8	1.2	1.2	4.9	5.0	-.3
Recreational books .....	1.4	-.4	.1	-1.5	.4	1.1	2.1	.3	.1
Education and communication .....	1.8	.8	.7	1.9	2.0	2.6	3.4	1.9	1.3
Education .....	6.2	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.4	5.3	5.8	4.6	3.9
Educational books and supplies .....	9.1	5.9	4.0	5.0	7.1	8.8	6.8	6.9	2.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	6.0	6.7	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.0	5.7	4.3	4.1
College tuition and fees .....	7.0	9.7	8.8	6.7	7.3	5.9	6.2	6.0	4.5

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	6.8	6.3	7.2	5.7	5.8	5.4	6.0	3.9	3.8
Child care and nursery school .....	4.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.3	3.7	5.1	2.4	3.6
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	5.4	9.6	8.3	6.8	4.9	5.4	4.3	4.1	4.2
Communication .....	-1.5	-3.8	-3.0	-9	-1.2	.7	1.9	.1	-2
Postage and delivery services .....	10.5	.1	.4	.4	5.0	4.4	3.1	4.9	1.6
Postage .....	10.6	.0	.0	.0	5.3	3.9	3.1	5.1	1.2
Delivery services .....	5.1	4.4	13.7	9.4	.9	11.3	4.3	1.8	10.7
Information and information processing .....	-2.0	-4.0	-3.2	-1.1	-1.3	.5	1.8	-1	-3
Telephone services .....	.2	-2.7	-2.5	.3	1.7	2.1	2.9	.9	-3
Wireless telephone services .....	.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.5	-2	-9	.6	-1.1	-1.8
Land-line telephone services <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
Information technology, hardware and services .....	-13.6	-11.2	-6.3	-8.1	-14.7	-7.6	-2.9	-4.5	-4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>5</sup> .....	-22.5	-18.0	-13.7	-15.4	-12.1	-13.0	-11.8	-11.7	-3.2
Computer software and accessories .....	-11.9	-9.4	-5.2	-4.3	-8.0	-6.3	-3	-2.2	-8.1
Internet services and electronic information providers .....	-8	-1.8	-8	-2.6	-18.5	-4.6	3.3	-2	1.7
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items .....	-8.3	-12.1	-6.9	-7.8	-5.4	-5.0	-8	-3.3	-3.1
Other goods and services .....	4.0	1.0	2.5	3.4	2.8	3.9	4.1	11.3	2.2
Tobacco and smoking products .....	9.6	-6	3.0	6.0	2.6	7.5	6.6	30.3	5.0
Cigarettes .....	9.9	-9	2.8	6.1	2.6	7.8	6.5	30.7	5.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	4.0	6.2	6.1	4.6	2.0	3.5	6.7	22.4	3.4
Personal care .....	1.4	1.8	2.3	2.1	2.9	2.3	2.8	1.3	.6
Personal care products .....	-1.2	-1	-1	1.0	2.1	-1	1.8	.6	-7
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	-1.0	-8	-8	.4	2.1	.0	.9	-1	-2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	-1.4	.5	.7	2.0	2.1	-3	2.8	1.4	-1.2
Personal care services .....	1.9	2.2	3.5	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.0	.9	.9
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	1.8	2.2	3.5	2.5	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	.9
Miscellaneous personal services .....	3.2	3.6	4.1	2.9	3.8	3.8	3.5	2.1	2.2
Legal services .....	4.5	5.1	6.3	3.3	4.0	3.7	4.8	1.8	2.9
Funeral expenses .....	3.9	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.5	5.1	5.5	3.2	1.7
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	2.2	2.8	3.0	1.9	3.2	3.0	4.8	2.3	1.7
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ..	2.1	3.4	2.6	4.7	5.1	3.4	6.9	4.2	2.3
Financial services .....	3.4	2.5	3.8	1.4	4.0	4.4	-2.6	1.4	2.1
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	-1.0	-4.4	-3.2	.5	.8	.5	1.9	.5	-4.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	1.3	.3	3.9	2.9	1.4	5.8	-5.0	6.6	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	1.2	-1.9	4.8	3.3	1.1	6.3	-11.1	11.3	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	5.7	1.2	8.0	6.2	3.1	11.7	-16.2	17.5	1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	9.2	2.5	11.4	8.9	3.8	15.8	-20.7	23.4	2.0
Durables .....	-3.6	-5.3	1.0	-2	-1.4	-8	-3.4	3.3	.4
Services .....	3.3	2.8	2.9	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	.9	1.2
Rent of shelter .....	3.1	2.2	2.5	2.7	4.2	3.2	2.2	.5	.1
Transportation services .....	4.5	3.0	2.2	2.5	1.4	2.0	4.2	4.1	1.9
Other services .....	3.3	2.4	2.2	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.4	1.8	1.5
All items less food .....	2.6	1.2	3.5	3.7	2.5	4.2	-1.6	4.1	1.2
All items less shelter .....	2.1	1.5	3.7	3.8	1.7	4.9	-1.7	4.7	1.7
All items less medical care .....	2.3	1.5	3.4	3.4	2.4	4.3	-6	3.4	1.1
Commodities less food .....	1.3	-1.7	4.6	3.3	1.2	6.2	-10.5	11.0	1.2
Nondurables less food .....	5.5	1.2	7.6	5.8	3.1	11.2	-15.0	16.4	1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	8.6	2.4	10.6	8.2	3.7	14.9	-18.9	21.4	1.9
Nondurables .....	3.4	2.5	5.1	4.1	2.6	8.2	-5.6	7.8	1.5
Apparel less footwear .....	-2.2	-1.5	-5	-1.9	1.2	-4	-1.6	1.2	1.1
Services less rent of shelter .....	3.5	3.6	3.4	5.3	2.1	3.3	4.4	1.4	2.5

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Sep. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Services less medical care services .....	3.1	2.7	2.8	3.9	3.2	3.0	3.2	0.7	1.1
Energy .....	11.5	6.9	16.9	17.0	3.0	18.1	-22.6	20.0	3.9
All items less energy .....	1.7	1.2	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.4	1.7	.9
All items less food and energy .....	1.7	.7	2.1	2.0	2.5	2.3	1.7	2.2	.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-1.7	-3.1	.9	.4	.0	.3	-8	4.0	.6
Energy commodities .....	23.8	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.0	29.6	-40.9	47.5	3.3
Services less energy services .....	3.5	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.6	3.3	2.8	1.5	.9
Domestically produced farm food .....	.8	5.6	2.6	1.2	1.1	6.0	6.5	-2.8	1.5
Utilities and public transportation .....	1.4	3.2	3.2	9.0	.9	3.3	5.1	-1.0	2.7

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator.  
All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table P1. Average residential prices for utility (piped) gas, electricity, and fuel oil, U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Utility (piped) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon (3.785 liters)	
	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
U.S. city average .....	\$51.614	\$49.963	\$110.142	\$106.261	\$66.921	\$66.646	\$2.814	\$2.830
<b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>								
Northeast urban .....	60.194	58.922	127.352	124.163	86.627	86.204	2.814	2.827
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	60.659	59.200	130.446	126.834	91.742	91.742	2.879	2.890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	58.805	58.091	117.792	115.908	77.239	76.040	2.674	2.691
Midwest urban .....	47.785	46.115	97.600	93.668	65.473	64.866	2.626	2.653
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	47.806	46.875	96.877	94.522	66.953	66.676	2.630	2.665
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	49.241	46.176	101.535	94.487	64.761	63.824	2.622	2.638
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	43.435	42.393	89.792	87.154	60.901	59.906	NA	NA
South urban .....	53.616	51.513	114.044	109.404	62.632	62.518	2.880	2.912
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	58.862	54.790	124.743	116.374	69.821	69.775	3.056	3.085
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	51.928	50.701	110.177	107.085	57.748	57.472	2.824	2.892
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	42.125	42.891	92.364	93.979	65.392	65.829	NA	NA
West urban .....	48.244	46.607	114.500	110.587	60.271	60.151	2.905	2.953
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	48.925	46.524	117.415	111.613	66.212	66.336	2.986	3.196
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	48.114	47.877	111.892	111.343	58.494	57.970	3.126	3.126
<b>Size classes</b>								
A .....	52.921	51.175	113.716	109.679	73.646	73.595	2.883	2.899
B/C .....	51.371	49.608	108.067	103.870	61.909	61.338	2.686	2.708
D .....	43.166	42.686	92.247	90.897	57.950	57.942	2.664	2.618
<b>Selected local areas</b>								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	48.347	47.189	88.539	86.107	72.827	72.827	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	47.106	42.375	115.031	103.231	76.289	76.799	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	66.989	64.298	146.902	140.174	101.470	101.393	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	49.503	48.890	99.536	97.858	80.975	80.975	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	52.405	51.400	104.097	101.560	62.591	61.660	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	51.087	48.683	117.216	111.245	63.336	63.336	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	63.768	55.558	133.831	119.665	75.312	75.131	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	69.163	64.656	144.937	133.667	61.299	61.299	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	51.036	50.947	111.224	111.012	62.356	62.356	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	46.286	46.546	93.692	94.002	82.110	82.110	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	60.942	60.801	124.939	124.594	57.115	57.115	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	58.772	59.584	131.770	133.773	85.905	86.216	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	52.520	51.994	140.348	139.027	67.605	67.605	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	54.996	54.996	121.330	121.330	44.372	44.372	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.



**Table P2. Average residential unit prices and consumption ranges for utility (piped) gas and electricity for U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas		Range of therm consumption for Sep.2010		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Sep.2010	
	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Low	High	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Low	High
U.S. city average .....	\$1.102	\$1.062	4	987	\$0.133	\$0.132	11	9,890
<b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>								
Northeast urban .....	1.232	1.199	4	987	.168	.167	129	8,494
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.258	1.220	4	987	.182	.182	129	8,494
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.154	1.136	25	422	.142	.140	233	4,762
Midwest urban .....	.971	.932	17	712	.128	.126	11	9,890
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	.958	.935	17	581	.136	.135	11	9,890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.012	.943	18	712	.122	.119	70	3,932
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.914	.884	25	323	.111	.109	230	3,529
South urban .....	1.194	1.142	7	522	.117	.116	164	8,744
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.291	1.192	7	522	.132	.132	244	8,744
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.163	1.133	11	298	.107	.107	225	5,000
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.965	.983	25	364	.121	.121	164	4,883
West urban .....	1.165	1.126	7	851	.143	.143	153	7,471
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.192	1.134	7	851	.161	.161	153	7,471
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.144	1.139	8	364	.137	.135	236	4,232
<b>Size classes</b>								
A .....	1.126	1.084	4	987	.152	.151	11	9,890
B/C .....	1.095	1.055	8	712	.119	.118	70	5,000
D .....	.946	.932	19	364	.110	.110	163	4,883
<b>Selected local areas</b>								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	.864	.844	17	581	.158	.158	11	2,751
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	1.152	1.035	16	851	.190	.191	258	7,471
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	1.409	1.339	4	987	.204	.204	129	4,706
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	.922	.906	24	642	.155	.155	384	8,494
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1.027	1.002	19	410	.127	.123	48	3,300
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1.157	1.100	31	490	.118	.118	348	3,889
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	1.389	1.189	15	371	.142	.141	551	4,132
Atlanta, GA .....	1.460	1.347	15	308	.130	.130	244	4,110
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	1.094	1.092	34	509	.132	.131	94	2,833
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	1.010	1.014	17	230	.150	.150	438	4,494
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	1.431	1.427	7	522	.114	.114	373	5,813
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	1.287	1.303	37	752	.173	.174	430	3,810
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	1.378	1.365	13	257	.222	.222	178	2,448
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	1.249	1.249	12	241	.090	.090	313	5,882

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

**Table P3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline All types <sup>1</sup>		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded midgrade		Gasoline Unleaded premium		Automotive Diesel fuel	
	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
U.S. city average .....	\$2.795	\$2.754	\$2.745	\$2.704	\$2.874	\$2.834	\$3.015	\$2.968	\$2.970	\$2.969
<b>Region and area size <sup>2</sup></b>										
Northeast urban .....	2.781	2.710	2.731	2.657	2.883	2.820	3.010	2.947	3.022	3.024
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.779	2.709	2.724	2.651	2.890	2.830	3.011	2.952	3.020	3.029
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.788	2.714	2.746	2.671	2.866	2.798	3.008	2.934	3.029	3.008
Midwest urban .....	2.753	2.783	2.713	2.747	2.791	2.811	2.960	2.984	2.966	2.973
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.778	2.811	2.728	2.764	2.871	2.897	2.994	3.014	2.978	2.982
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.729	2.759	2.692	2.726	2.771	2.782	2.927	2.960	2.957	2.966
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	2.711	2.737	2.696	2.725	2.699	2.721	2.869	2.893	2.956	2.965
South urban .....	2.631	2.606	2.577	2.554	2.730	2.697	2.864	2.830	2.846	2.839
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.672	2.624	2.607	2.559	2.788	2.738	2.918	2.868	2.887	2.878
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.632	2.603	2.581	2.551	2.714	2.686	2.850	2.824	2.853	2.843
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	2.588	2.592	2.539	2.553	2.695	2.671	2.822	2.793	2.817	2.815
West urban .....	3.055	2.957	3.007	2.909	3.142	3.050	3.231	3.133	3.135	3.134
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	3.069	2.954	3.024	2.907	3.153	3.043	3.236	3.121	3.170	3.150
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.985	2.911	2.943	2.868	3.064	2.989	3.162	3.093	3.074	3.067
<b>Size classes</b>										
A .....	2.858	2.798	2.804	2.745	2.956	2.898	3.072	3.010	3.035	3.030
B/C .....	2.734	2.700	2.689	2.655	2.801	2.769	2.940	2.909	2.936	2.930
D .....	2.732	2.726	2.681	2.680	2.811	2.797	2.966	2.938	2.906	2.918
<b>Selected local areas</b>										
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	2.907	2.924	2.848	2.870	2.973	2.988	3.098	3.095	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	3.120	2.988	3.073	2.940	3.198	3.070	3.265	3.133	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	2.831	2.762	2.771	2.699	2.950	2.890	3.051	2.992	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	2.720	2.645	2.675	2.595	2.817	2.758	2.923	2.865	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	2.678	2.759	2.649	2.732	2.781	2.856	2.878	2.950	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	2.583	2.523	2.515	2.462	2.697	2.617	2.869	2.792	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	2.729	2.681	2.669	2.622	2.818	2.771	2.951	2.898	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2.687	2.652	2.608	2.573	2.824	2.789	2.948	2.915	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2.818	2.829	2.793	2.800	2.895	2.939	2.982	3.004	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2.565	2.495	2.525	2.455	2.664	2.592	2.787	2.722	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2.792	2.763	2.727	2.695	2.911	2.890	3.008	2.983	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2.672	2.597	2.635	2.557	2.785	2.721	2.909	2.847	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	3.178	3.049	3.136	3.006	3.269	3.138	3.349	3.225	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	3.108	2.985	3.068	2.943	3.239	3.119	3.333	3.226	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

**Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions**

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Cereals and bakery products:</b>										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	\$0.489	\$0.483	\$0.555	\$0.544	\$0.493	\$0.478	\$0.435	\$0.428	\$0.521	\$0.530
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.743	.723	NA	NA	NA	NA	.779	.772	NA	NA
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.118	1.148	NA	NA	1.116	1.151	1.098	1.092	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.372	1.386	1.722	1.794	1.311	1.305	1.335	1.318	1.293	1.357
Bread, French, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.681	1.774	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.644	1.701	1.379	1.499
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.230	3.217	NA	NA	3.942	3.811	2.949	3.049	3.322	3.150
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:</b>										
<b>Meats:</b>										
<b>Beef and veal:</b>										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.849	2.915	3.135	3.286	2.757	2.753	2.811	2.874	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.502	2.398	NA	NA	2.175	2.207	2.540	2.341	NA	NA
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.575	3.496	3.472	3.499	3.105	3.171	3.684	3.729	3.861	3.564
All uncooked ground beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.234	3.187	3.313	3.370	2.868	2.860	3.149	3.152	3.710	3.469
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.607	3.457	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.541	3.189	3.697	3.723
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.783	4.036	3.750	3.989	3.789	3.951	3.849	4.149	3.723	4.015
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.028	4.114	3.827	3.821	4.227	4.347	4.074	4.069	NA	NA
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.719	3.957	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.736	3.870	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Roasts, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.054	4.136	4.023	4.068	4.227	4.328	3.926	3.921	4.116	4.321
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.195	4.315	4.151	4.204	3.939	4.287	4.471	4.468	NA	NA
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.997	4.044	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.988	4.076	3.893	3.884
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.833	4.950	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.571	4.649	5.345	5.454
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	5.672	5.821	5.577	5.853	5.458	5.504	5.711	5.882	5.873	5.975
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.360	4.304	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.881	3.990	NA	NA	3.814	3.934	3.963	4.108	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Steaks, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	5.475	5.532	5.475	5.640	5.745	5.853	5.368	5.351	5.442	5.495
All Uncooked Other Beef (Excluding Veal), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.279	3.302	4.155	4.275	3.376	3.428	3.061	3.055	3.138	3.138
<b>Pork:</b>										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.353	4.574	4.244	4.564	4.022	4.241	4.332	4.579	5.212	5.230
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.528	3.536	3.059	3.060	3.859	4.105	3.696	3.493	3.539	3.578
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.928	3.977	3.844	3.910	3.775	3.904	3.952	4.073	4.169	3.938
All Pork Chops, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.290	3.337	3.086	3.129	3.443	3.658	3.337	3.343	3.249	3.216
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.253	2.294	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.162	2.220	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.522	3.562	3.740	4.018	3.233	3.222	3.555	3.629	3.634	3.561
All Ham (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.458	2.505	2.422	2.534	2.458	2.543	2.308	2.313	2.903	2.935
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Other Pork (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.381	2.370	2.170	2.085	2.642	2.572	2.197	2.220	2.684	2.747
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other meats:</b>										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.295	3.339	NA	NA	3.111	3.184	2.834	2.885	NA	NA
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Poultry:</b>										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.254	1.276	1.351	1.504	1.286	1.242	1.191	1.213	1.371	1.342
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.281	2.308	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chicken breast, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.337	3.311	3.611	3.621	3.331	3.302	3.503	3.411	2.998	2.987
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.468	1.521	1.637	1.676	1.327	1.359	1.503	1.537	1.309	1.418
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.521	1.566	NA	NA	1.340	1.268	1.203	1.387	NA	NA
<b>Fish and seafood:</b>										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Eggs:</b>										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	1.519	1.753	NA	NA	1.223	1.558	1.633	1.848	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Dairy products:</b>										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per gal. (3.8 lit) .....	3.303	3.278	3.275	3.211	3.560	3.587	3.537	3.505	2.952	2.942
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions-Continued**

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010
<b>Dairy products:</b>										
Milk, fresh, low fat, per gal. (3.8 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	\$3.242	\$3.573	NA	NA	\$3.134	\$3.566	NA	NA	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.811	3.864	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.650	4.726	NA	NA	5.291	5.775	\$5.016	\$4.999	\$3.485	\$3.424
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	4.421	4.325	\$4.416	\$4.581	4.180	4.018	4.529	4.500	4.539	4.115
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Fruits and vegetables:</b>										
<b>Fresh fruits and vegetables:</b>										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.305	1.259	NA	NA	1.302	1.315	1.392	1.332	1.116	1.039
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.576	.573	.618	.600	.519	.509	.547	.549	.639	.649
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.242	1.302	1.395	1.354	1.385	1.383	1.295	1.322	1.089	1.232
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	1.017	NA	NA	.992	1.025	NA	NA	.781	.857
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.314	NA	NA	NA	3.470	NA	2.923	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.974	1.002	.898	.917	1.139	1.118	1.046	1.133	.856	.861
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.489	1.622	1.791	2.210	1.286	1.546	1.639	1.528	1.503	1.469
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.664	1.719	1.624	1.649	1.893	1.912	1.573	1.557	1.640	1.815
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.562	1.591	1.773	1.919	1.660	1.651	1.481	1.557	1.396	1.303
Pears, Anjou, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. (340.2 gm) .....	1.839	1.896	2.230	2.223	1.813	1.834	1.640	1.918	1.818	1.717
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.621	.597	.645	.602	.589	.576	.722	.697	.515	.497
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.839	.830	NA	NA	.786	.818	.910	.915	.730	.680
Lettuce, romaine, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.758	1.781	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.709	1.762	1.457	1.538
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.405	1.503	1.682	1.738	1.422	1.511	1.598	1.722	.967	1.063
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.472	1.496	NA	NA	1.477	1.418	1.695	1.867	1.153	1.290
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.568	.600	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Celery, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.841	.798	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Corn on the cob, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Processed fruits and vegetables:</b>										
Apple Sauce, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) .....	2.514	2.463	NA	NA	2.127	2.097	2.343	2.321	NA	NA
Peaches, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beans, dried, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.310	1.297	NA	NA	1.285	1.266	1.199	1.175	1.268	1.267
Corn, canned, any style, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other foods at home:</b>										
<b>Sugar and sweets:</b>										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.604	.630	NA	NA	.650	.665	.580	.626	.595	.592
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.591	.606	NA	NA	NA	NA	.581	.615	NA	NA
<b>Fats and oils:</b>										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.153	1.159	NA	NA	NA	NA	.982	1.018	NA	NA
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.527	1.522	NA	NA	1.589	1.628	1.484	1.487	1.527	1.463
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.973	1.963	NA	NA	1.769	1.881	NA	2.047	NA	NA
<b>Nonalcoholic beverages:</b>										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) <sup>1</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola, nondiet, per 2 liters (67.6 oz) <sup>1</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.935	4.174	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other prepared foods:</b>										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm) .....	4.665	4.631	4.892	4.586	4.760	4.690	4.561	4.531	4.551	4.672
<b>Alcoholic beverages at home:</b>										
Malt beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) <sup>1</sup> .....	1.261	1.174	1.225	1.361	1.247	1.062	1.245	1.129	1.330	1.209
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) .....	11.189	8.304	11.693	NA	14.581	11.786	11.573	7.348	9.650	7.226

<sup>1</sup> Deposit may be included in price.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.

**Table 1C. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, 2007-2008	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2010 from—	
		Aug. 2010	Sep. 2010	Sep. 2009	Aug. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>					
All items .....	100.000	126.353	126.418	0.9	0.1
Food and beverages .....	14.519	128.118	128.713	1.3	.5
Food .....	13.493	128.064	128.683	1.3	.5
Food at home .....	7.780	122.994	123.467	1.3	.4
Food away from home .....	5.712	134.987	135.821	1.3	.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.027	129.286	129.566	1.0	.2
Housing .....	42.074	128.757	128.505	-.3	-.2
Shelter .....	32.119	131.134	131.106	-.4	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.231	163.017	161.361	3.0	-1.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.724	92.604	92.177	-3.4	-.5
Apparel .....	3.772	86.736	89.951	-1.7	3.7
Transportation .....	17.199	132.073	131.313	4.7	-.6
Private transportation .....	16.013	132.593	131.858	4.7	-.6
Public transportation .....	1.186	125.033	123.963	5.3	-.9
Medical care .....	6.294	150.417	151.186	3.1	.5
Medical care commodities .....	1.570	132.621	133.004	2.5	.3
Medical care services .....	4.723	156.948	157.867	3.4	.6
Recreation .....	6.625	103.042	102.617	-2.5	-.4
Education and communication .....	6.288	112.876	113.302	1.2	.4
Education .....	2.804	185.792	187.500	3.9	.9
Communication .....	3.484	73.034	72.993	-.9	-.1
Other goods and services .....	3.229	138.760	138.734	2.0	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>					
Services .....	59.383	136.031	135.941	.7	-.1
Commodities .....	40.617	114.467	114.721	1.2	.2
Durables .....	10.376	81.114	80.769	.7	-.4
Nondurables .....	30.241	131.837	132.423	1.4	.4
All items less food and energy .....	76.901	119.885	120.061	.5	.1
Energy .....	9.606	188.497	186.018	4.2	-1.3

Indexes for 2010 are initial estimates. Indexes for 2009 are interim adjustments.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 24C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual avg.	Percent change from previous		
														Dec.	Annual avg.	
1999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-
2000	100.3	100.9	101.6	101.6	101.7	102.1	102.3	102.3	102.8	102.9	102.8	102.6	102.0	2.6	-	-
2001	103.3	103.7	103.9	104.2	104.6	104.8	104.5	104.6	104.9	104.7	104.4	103.9	104.3	1.3	2.3	2.3
2002	104.2	104.5	105.1	105.6	105.6	105.6	105.7	106.0	106.3	106.4	106.3	106.0	105.6	2.0	1.2	1.2
2003	106.5	107.3	107.9	107.7	107.5	107.6	107.7	108.2	108.5	108.4	108.0	107.8	107.8	1.7	2.1	2.1
2004	108.5	109.1	109.7	110.0	110.6	110.8	110.7	110.7	111.0	111.6	111.6	111.2	110.5	3.2	2.5	2.5
2005	111.3	111.9	112.6	113.4	113.3	113.2	113.7	114.3	115.6	115.7	114.9	114.4	113.7	2.9	2.9	2.9
2006	115.2	115.4	116.0	116.9	117.5	117.7	118.1	118.3	117.8	117.1	116.9	117.0	117.0	2.3	2.9	2.9
2007	117.330	117.877	118.913	119.666	120.292	120.439	120.377	120.288	120.638	120.885	121.481	121.295	119.957	3.7	2.5	2.5
2008	121.867	122.250	123.323	124.116	125.171	126.307	126.918	126.594	126.551	125.500	123.044	121.557	124.433	.2	3.7	3.7
2009	122.155	122.868	123.139	123.494	123.988	125.216	124.933	125.226	125.238	125.359	125.447	125.174	124.353	3.0	-1	-1
2010	125.628	125.604	126.162	126.375	126.451	126.247	126.203	126.353	126.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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**Table 25C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes											
	December										Sep. 2010	
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009		
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	102.6	103.9	106.0	107.8	111.2	114.4	117.0	121.295	121.557	125.174	126.418	
Food and beverages .....	102.4	105.0	106.3	109.5	111.7	114.0	116.3	121.475	128.111	127.274	128.713	
Food .....	102.4	105.0	106.2	109.5	111.7	114.0	116.3	121.531	128.286	127.214	128.683	
Food at home .....	102.4	104.6	104.8	108.6	110.0	111.5	112.7	118.145	125.333	121.918	123.467	
Food away from home .....	102.4	105.6	108.1	110.6	113.9	117.5	121.2	125.875	132.107	134.482	135.821	
Alcoholic beverages .....	102.4	104.8	107.2	109.1	111.9	113.5	116.4	121.101	126.277	128.505	129.566	
Housing .....	103.6	106.8	109.1	111.6	115.1	118.6	122.1	125.272	128.495	128.009	128.505	
Shelter .....	103.4	107.6	110.7	113.0	116.4	119.3	124.1	127.742	130.352	130.739	131.106	
Fuels and utilities .....	110.1	109.9	110.9	119.7	128.4	143.2	142.8	150.342	161.108	155.703	161.361	
Household furnishings and operations .....	99.7	99.3	97.5	95.9	96.3	96.3	96.1	94.348	95.958	94.422	92.177	
Apparel .....	98.1	95.0	92.2	90.1	89.6	89.0	89.0	87.875	87.730	89.124	89.951	
Transportation .....	103.6	99.7	103.3	103.4	110.2	114.5	117.0	127.515	109.300	128.495	131.313	
Private transportation .....	103.6	99.5	103.4	103.5	111.0	115.2	117.8	128.558	108.760	129.097	131.858	
Public transportation .....	104.4	101.8	101.0	101.9	101.3	107.1	106.8	114.506	116.641	120.425	123.963	
Medical care .....	104.0	108.9	114.3	118.3	123.2	128.4	133.0	139.266	142.786	147.148	151.186	
Medical care commodities .....	102.6	107.4	110.7	112.7	114.9	119.0	121.2	124.391	126.200	129.930	133.004	
Medical care services .....	104.4	109.3	115.5	120.2	126.0	131.6	137.2	144.675	148.866	153.462	157.867	
Recreation .....	101.2	102.1	102.7	103.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	104.464	105.539	103.377	102.617	
Education and communication .....	98.0	97.9	99.5	99.9	101.2	103.0	104.2	106.207	110.077	111.681	113.302	
Education .....	105.6	112.1	119.7	128.7	137.9	146.5	155.5	163.716	172.978	180.605	187.500	
Communication .....	92.5	88.1	85.7	81.2	78.2	76.5	74.1	73.258	73.930	73.296	72.993	
Other goods and services .....	103.8	107.6	110.9	112.2	114.9	118.3	121.7	125.479	128.660	136.919	138.734	
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
Services .....	103.6	107.4	110.7	113.9	117.5	121.5	125.3	129.271	133.381	134.398	135.941	
Commodities .....	101.5	99.3	100.0	100.2	103.3	105.7	106.7	111.498	107.102	113.846	114.721	
Durables .....	98.1	95.3	91.7	88.0	88.7	87.5	85.5	83.597	80.520	81.410	80.769	
Nondurables .....	103.0	100.9	103.6	105.8	110.2	114.8	117.4	125.732	120.876	130.714	132.423	
All items less food and energy .....	101.9	104.1	105.8	106.6	109.0	111.0	113.4	115.627	117.623	119.271	120.061	
Energy .....	112.6	98.3	108.6	116.4	134.4	154.5	158.1	185.912	146.392	179.806	186.018	

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**Table 26C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2010
	December										
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
All items .....	2.6	1.3	2.0	1.7	3.2	2.9	2.3	3.7	0.2	3.0	1.0
Food and beverages .....	2.4	2.5	1.2	3.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	4.4	5.5	-7	1.1
Food .....	2.4	2.5	1.1	3.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	4.5	5.6	-8	1.2
Food at home .....	2.4	2.1	.2	3.6	1.3	1.4	1.1	4.8	6.1	-2.7	1.3
Food away from home .....	2.4	3.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.9	5.0	1.8	1.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.8	2.6	1.4	2.6	4.0	4.3	1.8	.8
Housing .....	3.6	3.1	2.2	2.3	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.6	-4	.4
Shelter .....	3.4	4.1	2.9	2.1	3.0	2.5	4.0	2.9	2.0	.3	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	10.1	-2	.9	7.9	7.3	11.5	-3	5.3	7.2	-3.4	3.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	-3	-4	-1.8	-1.6	.4	.0	-2	-1.8	1.7	-1.6	-2.4
Apparel .....	-1.9	-3.2	-2.9	-2.3	-6	-7	.0	-1.3	-2	1.6	.9
Transportation .....	3.6	-3.8	3.6	.1	6.6	3.9	2.2	9.0	-14.3	17.6	2.2
Private transportation .....	3.6	-4.0	3.9	.1	7.2	3.8	2.3	9.1	-15.4	18.7	2.1
Public transportation .....	4.4	-2.5	-8	.9	-6	5.7	-3	7.2	1.9	3.2	2.9
Medical care .....	4.0	4.7	5.0	3.5	4.1	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.5	3.1	2.7
Medical care commodities .....	2.6	4.7	3.1	1.8	2.0	3.6	1.8	2.6	1.5	3.0	2.4
Medical care services .....	4.4	4.7	5.7	4.1	4.8	4.4	4.3	5.4	2.9	3.1	2.9
Recreation .....	1.2	.9	.6	.6	1.0	.5	.0	-3	1.0	-2.0	-.7
Education and communication .....	-2.0	-1	1.6	.4	1.3	1.8	1.2	1.9	3.6	1.5	1.5
Education .....	5.6	6.2	6.8	7.5	7.1	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.7	4.4	3.8
Communication .....	-7.5	-4.8	-2.7	-5.3	-3.7	-2.2	-3.1	-1.1	.9	-9	-4
Other goods and services .....	3.8	3.7	3.1	1.2	2.4	3.0	2.9	3.1	2.5	6.4	1.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>											
Services .....	3.6	3.7	3.1	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.2	.8	1.1
Commodities .....	1.5	-2.2	.7	.2	3.1	2.3	.9	4.5	-3.9	6.3	.8
Durables .....	-1.9	-2.9	-3.8	-4.0	.8	-1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-3.7	1.1	-.8
Nondurables .....	3.0	-2.0	2.7	2.1	4.2	4.2	2.3	7.1	-3.9	8.1	1.3
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	2.2	1.6	.8	2.3	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.4	.7
Energy .....	12.6	-12.7	10.5	7.2	15.5	15.0	2.3	17.6	-21.3	22.8	3.5

Indexes for 2010 are initial estimates. Indexes for 2009 are interim adjustments. Indexes for 2008 and earlier are final.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



# Technical Notes

## Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time of goods and services purchased by households. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) publishes CPIs for two population groups: (1) The CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W), which covers households of wage earners and clerical workers that comprise approximately 32 percent of the total population and (2) the CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and the Chained CPI for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U), which cover approximately 87 percent of the total population and include, in addition to wage earner and clerical worker households, groups such as professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, and retirees and others not in the labor force.

The CPIs are based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 87 urban areas across the country from about 50,000 housing units and approximately 23,000 retail establishments—department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of fuels and a few other items are obtained every month in all 87 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the three largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained through personal visits or telephone calls by BLS trained representatives.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights that represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. For the CPI-U and CPI-W, separate indexes also are published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 27 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities; they measure only the average change in prices for each area since the base period. For the C-CPI-U, data are issued only at the national level. It is important to note that the CPI-U and CPI-W are considered final when released, but the C-CPI-U is issued in preliminary form and is subject to two annual revisions.

The index measures price change from a designated reference date. For the CPI-U and the CPI-W, the reference base is 1982–84 = 100.0. The reference base for the C-CPI-U is December 1999=100.0. An increase of 16.5 percent from the reference base, for example, is shown as 116.5. This change also can be expressed in dollars as follows: the price of a base-period market basket of goods and services in the CPI has risen from \$10 in 1982–84 to \$11.65.

For further details, visit the CPI homepage on the Internet at <https://www.bls.gov/cpi> or contact our **CI** Information and Analysis Section at (202) 691-7000.

### Calculating index changes

Movements of the indexes from one month to another usually are expressed as percent changes, rather than changes in index points, because index point changes are affected by the level of the index in relation to its base period, whereas percent changes are not. The example shown in the box on this page illustrates the computation of index point and percent changes.

Percent changes for 3-month and 6-month periods are expressed as annual rates and are computed according to the standard formula for compound growth rates. These data indicate what the percent change would be if the current rate were maintained for a 12-month period.

#### *Index point change*

CPI	202.416
Less previous index	201.800
Equals index point change	.616

#### *Percent change*

Index point difference	.616
Divided by the previous index	201.800
Equals	0.003
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.003 x 100
Equals percent change	0.3

## Regions defined

The states in the four regions are listed below.

The Northeast--Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

The Midwest--Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

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

The West--Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

## Energy prices

Prices usually are available for the U.S. city average, 13 large metropolitan areas, the 4 census regions, 3 size classifications, and 10 areas reflecting the 4 census regions cross-classified by the 3 population sizes. However, not all energy commodities and services are used in every area of the country. Fuel oil, for example, is not a common heating fuel in some urban areas, particularly in the South and West. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA appears. This designation also appears if the data sufficiency criteria have not been met in any given month. For example, if there are fewer than five usable fuel oil prices for a published city or region size class, no fuel oil prices for the area will be published.

All prices are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. Prices for natural gas and electricity include fuel and purchased gas adjustments and all applicable taxes. Fuel oil and gasoline prices include applicable Federal, State, and local taxes.

*Natural gas and electricity.* Natural gas prices are reported in therms, which are a measure of heating value. Electricity prices are given in kilowatt hours (kwh). For both utility services, the consumption ranges specified in table P2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the CPI. The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are calculated from bills priced within these ranges. It should be noted that bills priced for the CPI not only are for different consumption amounts, but may also be calculated from different types of residential rate schedules. *The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are not, therefore, generally suitable for use in place-to-place price comparisons.* The average prices for 40 and 100 therms of natural gas, and for 500 kilowatt hours of electricity (shown in table P1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Because heating and air-conditioning requirements vary by geographic location, climate, and weather conditions, it cannot be inferred that these consumption amounts represent those used by a typical residential consumer. These bills are used merely to track price changes over time for constant amounts of consumption, and to provide continuity with prices of natural gas and electricity formerly published in conjunction with the unrevised CPI.

*Fuel oil.* Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. (See table P1.) Prices are collected, in most cases, for quantities greater than 1 gallon. These prices are converted to a gallon price for this program. Fuel oil prices reflect discounts for quantity or quick payment.

*Gasoline and automotive diesel fuel.* Gasoline and diesel prices, shown in table P3, are collected at the pump from a sample of full service, miniservice, and self-service gas stations. Approximate British Thermal Unit (BTU) values for some energy items are as follows, according to the source indicated:

1 therm = 100,000 BTUs (U.S. Department of Energy)

1 kwh = 3,412 BTUs (Edison Electric Institute)

1 gallon #2 fuel oil = 140,000 BTUs (U.S. Department of Energy)

## Food and beverage prices

Actual weighted average prices for food and beverages are calculated each month at the national level and for the four census geographic regions, as shown in table P4. As a result of changes in price collection methodology and sample sizes, average prices for individual cities cannot, in general, be produced. It is hoped, however, that regional average prices will help to satisfy the need for local area data. It should be noted that the average prices for food in this report reflect variations in brand, quality, and size among geographic areas. Users of average food prices should be aware that these differences exist.

Because a number of food commodities are not available in all areas on a year-round basis, prices will not appear in some months for some regions or for the U.S. city average. In other instances, sufficient prices may not be available due to temporary

disruptions in supplies. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA appears. When a price is not available from an individual store in any month, an estimated price will be calculated for the missing item and used in computing the average price. For cases in which the proportion of estimated prices used to calculate the average is considered too high, the average price is not published, and NA appears for that item in the table.

Because of space limitations in the table, the description for each item is abbreviated. Detailed specifications are available from BLS information offices or from the Washington office, upon request.

### **Seasonally adjusted and unadjusted data**

Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, the Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes seasonally adjusted as well as unadjusted changes each month.

For analyzing general price trends in the economy, seasonally adjusted changes are usually preferred since they eliminate the effect of changes that normally occur at the same time and in about the same magnitude every year--such as price movements resulting from changing climatic conditions, production cycles, model changeovers, holidays, and sales.

The unadjusted data are of primary interest to consumers concerned about the prices they actually pay. Unadjusted data also are used extensively for escalation purposes. Many collective bargaining contract agreements and pension plans, for example, tie compensation changes to the Consumer Price Index before adjustment for seasonal variation.

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-12-ARIMA Seasonal Adjustment Method. Seasonally adjusted indexes and seasonal factors are computed annually. Each year, the last 5 years of seasonally adjusted data are revised. Data from January 2005 through December 2009 were replaced in January 2010. Exceptions to the usual revision schedule were: the updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977; and, in January 2002, dependently seasonally adjusted series were revised for January 1987-December 2001 as a result of a change in the aggregation weights for dependently adjusted series. For further information, please see "Aggregation of Dependently Adjusted Seasonally Adjusted Series," in the October 2001 issue of the [CPI Detailed Report](#).

The seasonal movement of all items and 54 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 73 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 73 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used in the aggregation of the dependent series for the last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period. Note: 46 of the 73 components are seasonally adjusted for 2010.

Seasonally adjusted data, including the all items index levels, are subject to revision for up to five years after their original release. For this reason, BLS advises against the use of these data in escalation agreements.

Effective with the calculation of the seasonal factors for 1990, the Bureau of Labor Statistics has used an enhanced seasonal adjustment procedure called Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment for some CPI series. Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment allows for better estimates of seasonally adjusted data. Extreme values and/or sharp movements which might distort the seasonal pattern are estimated and removed from the data prior to calculation of seasonal factors. Beginning with the calculation of seasonal factors for 1996, X-12-ARIMA software was used for Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment.

For the seasonal factors introduced in January 2010, BLS adjusted 30 series using Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment, including selected food and beverage items, motor fuels, electricity and vehicles. For example, this procedure was used for the Motor fuel series to offset the effects of events such as damage to oil refineries from Hurricane Katrina.

For a complete list of Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment series and explanations, please refer to the article "Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment", located on our website at <https://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpisapage.htm>

For additional information on seasonal adjustment in the CPI, please write to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Washington, DC 20212 or contact David Levin at (202) 691-6968, or by e-mail at [Levin.David@bls.gov](mailto:Levin.David@bls.gov). If you have general questions about the CPI, please call our information staff at (202) 691-7000.

## Metropolitan areas

BLS publishes price indexes for three major metropolitan areas monthly:

Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI  
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA  
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island,  
NY-NJ-CT-PA

Data for an additional 11 metropolitan areas are published every other month [on an odd- (January, March, etc.) or even- (February, April, and so forth) month schedule] for the following areas:

Atlanta, GA	-even
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA- NH -ME-CT	-odd
Cleveland-Akron, OH	-odd
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	-odd
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	-even
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	-even
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-even
Philadelphia-Wilmington -Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	-even
San Francisco-Oakland -San Jose, CA	-even
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	-even
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	-odd

(Note: The designation even or odd refers to the month during which the area's price change is measured. Due to the time needed for processing, data are released 2 to 3 weeks into the following month.)

Data are published for another group of 13 metropolitan areas on a semiannual basis. These indexes, which refer to the arithmetic average for the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, are published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, in August and February for

Anchorage, AK  
Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN  
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO  
Honolulu, HI  
Kansas City, MO-KS  
Milwaukee-Racine, WI  
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI  
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ  
Pittsburgh, PA  
Portland-Salem, OR-WA  
San Diego, CA  
St. Louis, MO-IL  
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL

## How to Obtain Consumer Price Index Information

CPI information is available from BLS electronically, through publication subscriptions, and via telephone and fax through automated recordings. Information specialists also are available in the national and information offices to provide help and to respond to questions.

### Electronic access to CPI data

*BLS on the Internet.* Through the Internet, BLS provides free, continuous access to published CPI data and press releases. The most recent month's CPI is made available immediately at the time of release. Additionally, a database called LABSTAT, containing current and historical data for the CPI, is accessible.

*World Wide Web.* BLS maintains a Web site at <https://www.bls.gov> on the Internet. This BLS homepage provides access to LABSTAT, as well as links to program-specific homepages. The CPI homepage <https://www.bls.gov/cpi/> provides other CPI information, as well as indexes. This includes a brief explanation of methodology, frequently asked questions and answers, contacts for further information, and explanations of how the CPI program handles special items, such as medical care and housing. In addition, CPI press releases and historical data for metropolitan areas can be accessed by linking to the regional office home pages from the main BLS Web site listed above.

### Recorded CPI data

Summary CPI data are provided on 24-hour recorded messages. Detailed CPI information may be obtained by calling (202) 691-5200. A touch-tone telephone is recommended, as this system allows the user to select specific indexes from lists of available data.

Recorded summaries of CPI data also may be obtained by calling any one of the metropolitan area CPI hotlines listed next. These hotline summaries typically include data for the U.S. city average, as well as for the specified area. The recordings are approximately 3 minutes in length, do not require a touch-tone telephone, and are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

<i>Area</i>	<i>Hotline number</i>
Anchorage	(907) 271-2770
Atlanta	(404) 893-4222
Baltimore	(410) 962-4898
Boston	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
Cincinnati	(513) 684-2349
Cleveland	(216) 522-3852
Dallas	(214) 767-6970
Denver	(816) 285-7000
Detroit	(313) 226-7558
Honolulu	(808) 541-2808
Houston	(214) 767-6970
Indianapolis	(317) 226-7885
Kansas City	(816) 285-7000
Los Angeles	(310) 235-6884
Milwaukee	(414) 276-2579
Minneapolis-St. Paul	(612) 725-3580
New York	(646) 264-3600
Philadelphia	(215) 656-3948
Phoenix-Mesa	(480) 503-9075
Pittsburgh	(412) 644-2900
Portland	(503) 326-5818
San Diego	(619) 557-6538
San Francisco	(415) 625-2270
Seattle	(206) 553-0645
St. Louis	(816) 285-7000
Washington, DC	(202) 691-6994

### Other sources of CPI data

*Fax-on-Demand.* This fax service has been discontinued as of April 27, 2007.

Technical information may be obtained during normal working hours, Monday through Friday, by calling the Washington, DC national office at (202) 691-7000 or any of the information offices listed below.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Telephone</i>
Atlanta	(404) 331-3415
Boston	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
Dallas	(214) 767-6970
Kansas City	(816) 285-7000
New York	(212) 337-2400
Philadelphia	(215) 597-3282
San Francisco	(415) 625-2270
Washington, DC	(202) 691-7000

*Historical tables.* These include all published indexes for each of the detailed CPI components. These tables may be obtained via the Internet, by calling (202) 691-7000 in the national office, or by contacting any of the information offices just listed.

*Descriptive publications.* These publications describe the CPI and ways in which to use it. They include simple factsheets discussing specific topics about the CPI, a broader, non-technical overview of the CPI in a question-and-answer format, and a technical and thorough description of the CPI and its methodology. These publications may be obtained by calling (202) 691-7000, and many are included on the CPI homepage on the Internet.

*Special publications.* Also available are various special publications, such as *Relative Importance of Components in the Consumer Price Index* and materials describing the annual revisions of seasonally adjusted CPI data. For more information, call (202) 691-7000.

*Further information* can be obtained by writing the Office of Prices and Living Conditions, Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Room 3615, Washington, DC 20212-0001, or by calling any of the information offices listed earlier.