

CPI Detailed Report

Data for August 2015

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

CONSUMER PRICE MOVEMENTS AUGUST 2015

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) decreased 0.1 percent in August on a seasonally adjusted basis, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index rose 0.2 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The gasoline index declined sharply in August and was the main cause of the seasonally adjusted all items decrease. Other energy indexes were mixed, with the fuel oil index continuing to decline but the indexes for electricity and natural gas increasing in August. The food index rose 0.2 percent in August, with the indexes for eggs and for fruits and vegetables rising notably.

The index for all items less food and energy increased 0.1 percent in August, the same increase as in July. The index for shelter rose, as did the indexes for apparel, tobacco, and alcoholic beverages. However the index for airline fares declined sharply, and the indexes for household furnishings and operations, recreation, and used cars and trucks also decreased in August, with the indexes for new vehicles and medical care unchanged.

The all items index increased 0.2 percent for the 12 months ending August, the same increase as for the 12 months ending July. The 12-month change in the index for all items less food and energy also remained the same, at 1.8 percent for the 12 months ending August. The food index rose 1.6 percent over the last 12 months, while the energy index declined 15.0 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 Aug. 2015
	Feb. 2015	Mar. 2015	Apr. 2015	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	
All items	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	-0.1	0.2
Food .....	.2	-.2	.0	.0	.3	.2	.2	1.6
Food at home .....	.1	-.5	-.2	-.2	.4	.3	.3	.8
Food away from home ¹ .....	.3	.2	.2	.2	.0	.0	.2	2.7
Energy	1.0	1.1	-1.3	4.3	1.7	.1	-2.0	-15.0
Energy commodities	2.1	3.8	-1.9	9.6	3.1	.7	-4.1	-23.6
Gasoline (all types)	2.4	3.9	-1.7	10.4	3.4	.9	-4.1	-23.3
Fuel oil ¹	1.9	5.9	-8.4	.7	-1.9	-3.4	-8.1	-34.6
Energy services	-.2	-1.5	-.5	-1.0	.2	-.6	.5	-3.0
Electricity .....	.3	-1.1	.0	-1.2	.2	-.4	.3	-.6
Utility (piped) gas service	-2.0	-2.7	-2.6	.0	.3	-1.4	1.2	-11.5
All items less food and energy .....	.2	.2	.3	.1	.2	.1	.1	1.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.2	.3	.1	-.1	-.1	-.1	-.1	-.5
New vehicles .....	.2	.2	.1	.2	.1	-.2	.0	.6
Used cars and trucks	1.0	1.2	.6	-.4	-.4	-.6	-.4	-1.5
Apparel .....	.3	.5	-.3	-.5	-.1	.3	.3	-.9
Medical care commodities .....	.7	.1	.1	.4	.0	.1	.3	3.4
Services less energy services .....	.1	.2	.3	.2	.3	.2	.1	2.6
Shelter .....	.2	.3	.3	.2	.3	.4	.2	3.1
Transportation services .....	.3	.0	.1	.7	.4	-.2	-.3	2.1
Medical care services	-.2	.4	.9	.2	-.2	.1	.0	2.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Consumer Price Index Data for August 2015

Food

The food index increased 0.2 percent in August, the same increase as in July. The index for food at home advanced 0.3 percent, also the same increase as the prior month. Major grocery store food group indexes were mixed in August. The largest increase was the fruits and vegetables index, which rose 1.5 percent with both fresh fruits and fresh vegetables posting their largest increases of the year. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs also increased, rising 0.5 percent. The indexes for beef, poultry, and pork all declined, but the eggs index rose 7.7 percent and is now up 35.3 percent over the past year. The index for nonalcoholic beverages rose for the third month in a row, increasing 0.1 percent. The other three groups all turned down in August after rising in July. The index for dairy and related products fell 0.3 percent, the index for other food at home declined 0.2 percent, and the cereals and bakery products index

decreased 0.1 percent. The index for food at home has risen 0.8 percent over the past 12 months, with only the dairy group showing a decline over that span. The index for food away from home, which was unchanged in July, increased 0.2 percent in August and has risen 2.7 percent over the past 12 months.

Energy

The energy index fell 2.0 percent in August after rising in five of the past 6 months. The gasoline index, which had risen 3 months in a row, fell 4.1 percent in August. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices declined 5.4 percent in August.) The fuel oil index also declined, falling 8.1 percent, its third straight decrease. The index for natural gas rose, however, increasing 1.2 percent after a 1.4 percent decline in July. The electricity index also turned up, rising 0.3 percent in August after declining in July. All the major energy components have declined over the past 12 months. The electricity index has fallen 0.6 percent, while the others have declined more sharply; the fuel oil index has decreased 34.6 percent, the index for gasoline has declined 23.3 percent, and the index for natural gas has fallen 11.5 percent.

All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy increased 0.1 percent in August, as it did in July. The shelter index was the main source of the increase; it rose 0.2 percent in August following a 0.4 percent increase in July. The rent index rose 0.3 percent in August, the same increase as in July, while the index for owners' equivalent rent increased 0.2 percent. The index for lodging away from home, however, turned down in August, falling 0.6 percent after a 2.5 percent increase the prior month. The apparel index increased 0.3 percent in August, the same increase as last month. The tobacco index also rose in August, increasing 0.5 percent, and the index for alcoholic beverages advanced 0.1 percent. The medical care index was unchanged in August, with the indexes for hospital services and prescription drugs rising but the indexes for physicians' services and nonprescription drugs declining. The new vehicles index was unchanged in August, as was the index for personal care. Several indexes declined in August. The index for airline fares fell 3.1 percent after decreasing 5.6 percent in July. The index for used cars and trucks decreased 0.4 percent, its fourth decline in a row. The index for household furnishings and operations declined 0.3 percent, and the recreation index fell 0.1 percent.

The index for all items less food and energy has risen 1.8 percent over the past 12 months; the 12-month change has been 1.8 percent in five of the last 6 months. The indexes for shelter, medical care, new vehicles, recreation, and tobacco are among the indexes that have increased over the past year. In contrast, the indexes for airline fares, apparel, used cars and trucks, and household furnishings and operations have all declined over the last 12 months.

Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.2 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 238.316 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index declined 0.1 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) decreased 0.3 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 233.366 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index declined 0.2 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) decreased 0.1 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index declined 0.2 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the past 10 to 12 months are subject to revision.

The Consumer Price Index for September 2015 is scheduled to be released on Thursday, October 15, at 8:30 a.m. (EDT).

CPI-U 12-Month Changes, 2005 to Present

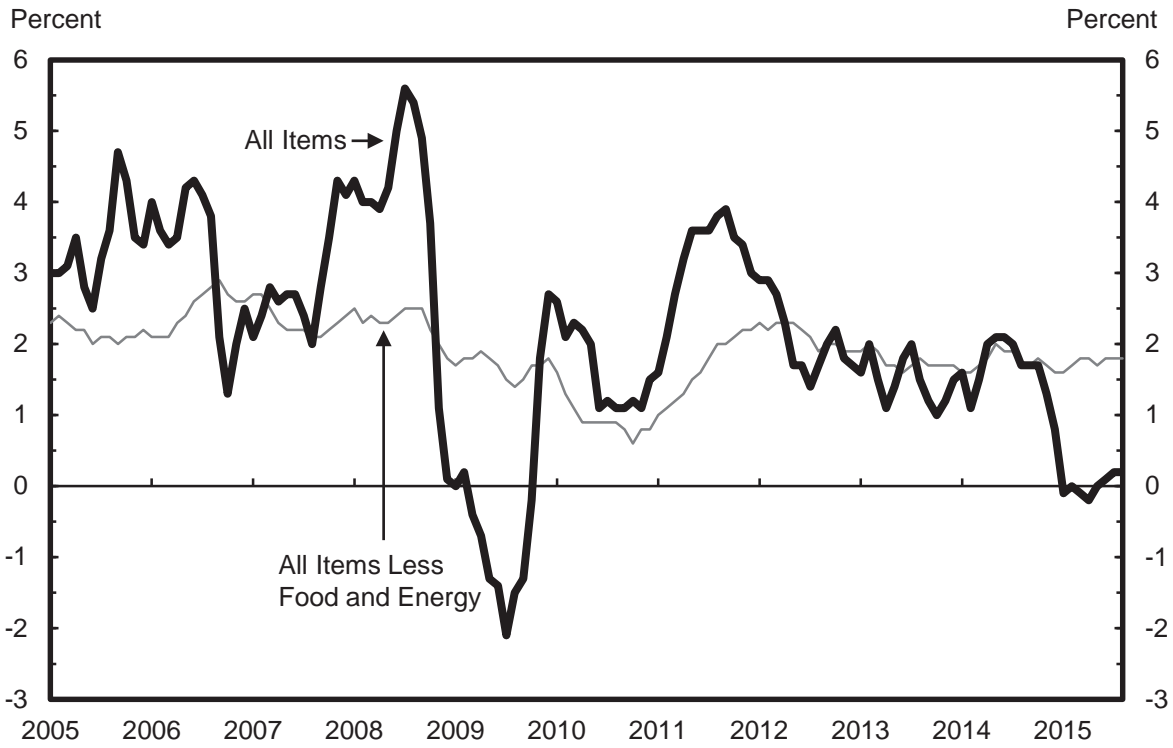


Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	238.654	238.316	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.1	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	-	714.902	713.890	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	15.272	246.558	247.196	1.5	.3	.3	.2	.2
Food	14.257	247.003	247.671	1.6	.3	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	8.427	241.993	242.746	.8	.3	.4	.3	.3
Cereals and bakery products	1.138	275.526	274.968	1.1	-2	.5	.2	-1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.014	261.639	263.601	2.0	.7	1.4	.2	.5
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.898	221.443	220.716	-2.5	-3	-6	.8	-3
Fruits and vegetables	1.379	287.816	291.344	.1	1.2	-4	.3	1.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.955	167.421	168.017	1.5	.4	.1	.4	.1
Other food at home	2.043	210.251	209.892	1.3	-2	.3	.2	-2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.299	216.926	217.194	4.4	.1	-2	.5	.1
Fats and oils .....	.245	225.298	227.183	-1.9	.8	.2	-6	.5
Other foods	1.499	224.925	224.046	1.2	-4	.5	.2	-4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.444	132.069	130.940	.8	-9	-1	.5	-9
Food away from home ¹	5.830	255.905	256.449	2.7	.2	.2	.0	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.319	181.165	180.918	3.9	-1	1.0	-1	-1
Alcoholic beverages	1.015	239.092	239.313	.6	.1	-2	.0	.1
Housing	42.173	239.085	239.298	2.0	.1	.2	.2	.2
Shelter	32.711	279.559	280.093	3.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	7.159	286.090	287.068	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.3
Lodging away from home ² .....	.839	163.525	158.443	1.7	-3.1	-1.6	2.5	-6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	24.339	286.220	287.026	3.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	22.918	286.183	286.988	3.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.375	146.348	146.333	2.2	.0	-3	.3	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.273	234.137	233.847	-2.5	-1	.2	-6	.3
Household energy	4.051	199.142	198.260	-4.5	-4	.1	-8	.2
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.236	252.454	239.905	-27.4	-5.0	-2.1	-3.1	-5.0
Energy services ³	3.815	203.674	203.246	-3.0	-2	.2	-6	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.222	213.873	215.844	4.7	.9	.4	.1	.7
Household furnishings and operations	4.189	122.670	122.120	-5	-4	-1	-2	-3
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.848	167.543	168.204	3.3	.4	.6	.1	.4
Apparel	3.343	122.607	124.547	-9	1.6	-1	.3	.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.834	116.979	116.892	-1.3	-1	-7	-1.2	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	1.439	106.128	109.103	-2.1	2.8	.0	.8	-1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.135	117.415	122.875	5.9	4.7	1.1	.6	4.1
Footwear .....	.725	135.680	137.405	1.1	1.3	-3	.8	.4
Transportation	15.289	207.218	203.377	-6.8	-1.9	1.0	.0	-1.3
Private transportation	14.167	202.049	198.657	-7.1	-1.7	.9	.3	-1.2
New and used motor vehicles ²	5.720	101.611	101.318	-1	-3	-1	-3	-2
New vehicles	3.551	147.154	146.704	.6	-3	.1	-2	.0
Used cars and trucks	1.591	151.119	150.908	-1.5	-1	-4	-6	-4
Motor fuel	3.979	244.584	231.305	-23.4	-5.4	3.3	.8	-4.1
Gasoline (all types)	3.904	243.736	230.513	-23.3	-5.4	3.4	.9	-4.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.435	143.823	143.793	-7	.0	-5	.0	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.168	271.175	270.838	1.8	-1	.1	.1	-1
Public transportation	1.122	272.505	261.386	-2.9	-4.1	1.4	-3.2	-1.7
Medical care	7.716	446.773	446.536	2.5	-1	-2	.1	.0
Medical care commodities	1.772	355.235	356.334	3.4	.3	.0	.1	.3
Medical care services	5.944	475.956	475.189	2.2	-2	-2	.1	.0
Professional services	3.032	362.504	361.987	1.7	-1	.2	.3	-1

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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Hospital and related services	2.159	759.144	757.797	3.3	-0.2	-0.9	0.0	0.3
Recreation ²	5.750	116.355	116.084	.7	-.2	.2	.0	-.1
Video and audio ²	1.847	99.705	99.254	.0	-.5	.1	.0	-.2
Education and communication ²	7.062	137.600	138.291	.1	.5	.2	.0	.1
Education ²	3.325	239.680	242.076	3.6	1.0	.5	.1	-.1
Educational books and supplies .....	.203	641.636	651.553	4.7	1.5	-.3	.7	.2
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	3.122	686.658	693.278	3.5	1.0	.6	.0	-.1
Communication ²	3.737	79.793	79.832	-2.9	.0	-.1	-.1	.2
Information and information processing ²	3.593	75.959	75.999	-3.0	.1	-.1	-.1	.2
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.462	98.781	99.409	-2.0	.6	.1	.2	.6
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	1.132	8.008	7.909	-5.2	-1.2	-.6	-.8	-.8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶ .....	.272	47.892	47.132	-9.0	-1.6	-1.0	-.3	-.6
Other goods and services	3.394	415.359	415.576	1.6	.1	.5	.0	.1
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.718	935.913	939.082	3.8	.3	.8	.0	.5
Personal care	2.676	220.808	220.752	1.1	.0	.4	.0	.0
Personal care products ¹ .....	.724	162.404	161.877	-1.4	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.3
Personal care services ¹ .....	.638	248.908	248.794	2.7	.0	1.6	.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services	1.122	399.476	400.657	2.6	.3	.5	.1	.2
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	37.880	184.071	183.137	-3.0	-.5	.4	.1	-.4
Food and beverages	15.272	246.558	247.196	1.5	.3	.3	.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	22.608	152.524	150.972	-5.9	-1.0	.5	.0	-.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.658	195.923	193.175	-8.7	-1.4	.9	.1	-1.3
Apparel	3.343	122.607	124.547	-.9	1.6	-.1	.3	.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.315	246.052	240.318	-11.0	-2.3	1.2	.1	-1.9
Durables	8.950	109.652	109.187	-1.2	-.4	-.2	-.3	-.3
Services	62.120	292.628	292.861	2.2	.1	.3	.2	.1
Rent of shelter ⁴	32.336	291.182	291.745	3.1	.2	.3	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.375	146.348	146.333	2.2	.0	-.3	.3	.0
Energy services ³	3.815	203.674	203.246	-3.0	-.2	.2	-.6	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.222	213.873	215.844	4.7	.9	.4	.1	.7
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.848	167.543	168.204	3.3	.4	.6	.1	.4
Transportation services	5.625	292.119	289.798	2.1	-.8	.4	-.2	-.3
Medical care services	5.944	475.956	475.189	2.2	-.2	-.2	.1	.0
Other services	11.955	339.325	340.310	1.5	.3	.4	.1	.1
Special indexes								
All items less food	85.743	237.365	236.868	.0	-.2	.3	.1	-.1
All items less shelter	67.289	225.318	224.632	-1.2	-.3	.3	.0	-.2
All items less medical care	92.284	228.607	228.267	.0	-.1	.4	.1	-.1
Commodities less food	23.623	155.496	153.986	-5.6	-1.0	.4	.0	-.8
Nondurables less food	14.673	198.474	195.892	-8.2	-1.3	.8	.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.330	244.225	239.049	-10.1	-2.1	1.1	.1	-1.7
Nondurables	28.930	221.010	219.833	-3.6	-.5	.6	.1	-.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	29.784	316.982	316.841	1.3	.0	.2	.0	.1
Services less medical care services	56.176	278.663	278.956	2.3	.1	.3	.2	.2
Energy	8.030	219.852	213.248	-15.0	-3.0	1.7	.1	-2.0
All items less energy	91.970	242.439	242.722	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
All items less food and energy	77.713	242.436	242.651	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	19.408	145.722	145.808	-.5	.1	-.1	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities	4.215	246.977	233.619	-23.6	-5.4	3.1	.7	-4.1
Services less energy services	58.305	301.665	301.963	2.6	.1	.3	.2	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.419	\$.420	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.140	\$.140	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

⁶ 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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	237.031	237.786	238.099	237.931	-0.6	-3.1	3.2	1.5	-1.9	2.3
Food and beverages	245.668	246.301	246.693	247.254	3.0	1.2	-7	2.6	2.1	1.0
Food	246.014	246.734	247.149	247.729	3.0	1.4	-8	2.8	2.2	1.0
Food at home	240.730	241.584	242.237	242.843	2.6	.5	-3.1	3.6	1.5	.2
Cereals and bakery products	272.912	274.298	274.735	274.460	-6	2.6	.0	2.3	1.0	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	257.617	261.185	261.641	262.851	4.9	2.4	-6.7	8.4	3.7	.6
Dairy and related products ¹	221.039	219.696	221.443	220.716	3.6	-4.9	-7.7	-6	-8	-4.2
Fruits and vegetables	290.850	289.606	290.363	294.729	1.9	-3.5	-3.3	5.4	-8	1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	167.584	167.698	168.378	168.487	4.0	1.1	-1.4	2.2	2.5	.4
Other food at home	208.704	209.381	209.697	209.175	1.5	2.5	.2	.9	2.0	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	216.413	215.925	216.926	217.194	1.6	15.6	-4	1.5	8.4	.5
Fats and oils	226.339	226.739	225.323	226.521	-2	-4.0	-3.5	.3	-2.2	-1.6
Other foods	222.614	223.639	224.113	223.107	1.7	1.1	1.0	.9	1.4	.9
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	131.622	131.460	132.069	130.940	4.9	-8	1.2	-2.1	2.0	-.5
Food away from home ¹	255.322	255.846	255.905	256.449	3.5	2.8	2.6	1.8	3.2	2.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	179.463	181.339	181.165	180.918	1.4	4.5	6.7	3.3	2.9	5.0
Alcoholic beverages	239.556	238.992	239.066	239.363	3.4	-2.1	1.5	-.3	.7	.6
Housing	237.132	237.714	238.171	238.600	2.1	2.1	1.4	2.5	2.1	1.9
Shelter	277.468	278.316	279.305	279.908	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.6	2.9	3.3
Rent of primary residence ³	284.506	285.562	286.517	287.419	3.6	3.2	3.5	4.2	3.4	3.8
Lodging away from home ²	151.195	148.822	152.552	151.711	6.2	4.8	-5.2	1.4	5.5	-2.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	284.658	285.696	286.510	287.138	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.5	2.7	3.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	284.627	285.660	286.473	287.097	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.5	2.7	3.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.364	145.976	146.348	146.333	1.2	6.5	1.2	-.1	3.8	.5
Fuels and utilities	229.271	229.674	228.405	229.130	-1.8	.4	-8.2	-.2	-.7	-4.3
Household energy	194.047	194.282	192.797	193.182	-4.0	-.7	-11.6	-1.8	-2.3	-6.8
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	266.112	260.468	252.454	239.905	-19.1	-37.3	-17.0	-33.9	-28.8	-26.0
Energy services ³	197.631	198.117	196.852	197.785	-2.9	2.1	-11.3	.3	-.4	-5.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	212.793	213.545	213.812	215.292	6.2	4.1	3.8	4.8	5.1	4.3
Household furnishings and operations	122.966	122.789	122.581	122.239	.2	-1.6	1.7	-2.3	-.7	-.3
Household operations ^{1 2}	166.495	167.457	167.543	168.204	3.0	1.1	4.8	4.2	2.1	4.5
Apparel	125.964	125.776	126.151	126.545	-3.2	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-2.2	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	120.058	119.245	117.814	118.628	-2.4	6.4	-3.9	-4.7	1.9	-4.3
Women's and girls' apparel	111.382	111.423	112.286	112.142	-5.2	-5.1	-.8	2.8	-5.1	1.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	117.628	118.911	119.597	124.553	-.5	-5.5	6.3	25.7	-3.0	15.6
Footwear	136.761	136.326	137.446	138.018	.6	-1.3	1.3	3.7	-.3	2.5
Transportation	202.757	204.735	204.789	202.223	-11.5	-24.9	15.1	-1.0	-18.5	6.7
Private transportation	197.283	199.139	199.715	197.280	-12.5	-26.3	15.9	.0	-19.7	7.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	101.260	101.179	100.909	100.742	-1.2	.0	2.9	-2.0	-.6	.4
New vehicles	147.505	147.667	147.381	147.347	-.6	.0	2.1	-.4	.3	.8
Used cars and trucks	148.807	148.267	147.376	146.751	-6.1	-.1	5.9	-5.4	-3.1	.1
Motor fuel	227.090	234.676	236.667	226.975	-34.3	-67.3	60.4	-.2	-53.7	26.5
Gasoline (all types)	225.935	233.504	235.596	226.047	-34.2	-67.4	61.1	.2	-53.7	27.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	144.581	143.880	143.823	143.793	-2.2	2.9	-1.5	-2.2	.4	-1.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	270.764	270.981	271.175	270.838	3.4	1.1	2.4	.1	2.3	1.3
Public transportation	273.818	277.670	268.740	264.216	2.0	-4.9	5.8	-13.3	-1.5	-4.2
Medical care	446.781	446.051	446.649	446.812	3.1	1.8	5.0	.0	2.5	2.5
Medical care commodities	354.579	354.655	354.972	355.992	4.8	5.1	2.0	1.6	4.9	1.8
Medical care services	476.229	475.189	475.890	475.708	2.6	.8	5.9	-.4	1.7	2.7
Professional services	360.599	361.334	362.261	361.849	2.6	.0	2.9	1.4	1.3	2.2

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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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Hospital and related services	766.256	759.432	759.114	761.108	3.2	1.9	11.2	-2.7	2.5	4.0
Recreation ²	115.904	116.186	116.233	116.064	.2	.5	1.4	.6	.4	1.0
Video and audio ²	99.470	99.543	99.547	99.306	.4	.8	-.8	-.7	.6	-.7
Education and communication ²	137.720	137.981	137.977	138.082	-1.3	.1	.6	1.1	-.6	.8
Education ²	239.873	241.083	241.274	241.130	3.5	3.9	4.9	2.1	3.7	3.5
Educational books and supplies	645.841	643.664	648.156	649.695	5.4	6.5	4.4	2.4	6.0	3.4
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	686.954	690.796	691.067	690.523	3.4	3.7	5.0	2.1	3.6	3.5
Communication ²	79.868	79.789	79.727	79.887	-5.3	-3.2	-3.2	.1	-4.2	-1.6
Information and information processing ²	76.065	75.975	75.898	76.047	-5.6	-2.9	-3.4	-.1	-4.3	-1.8
Telephone services ^{1 2}	98.469	98.553	98.781	99.409	-6.7	-1.6	-3.4	3.9	-4.2	.2
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	8.100	8.054	7.987	7.925	-2.0	-6.8	-3.5	-8.4	-4.4	-6.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶	48.327	47.833	47.680	47.381	-11.3	-12.2	-4.7	-7.6	-11.8	-6.2
Other goods and services	413.187	415.203	415.153	415.483	1.3	1.6	1.4	2.2	1.5	1.8
Tobacco and smoking products	924.821	931.807	932.258	936.553	4.1	2.9	2.9	5.2	3.5	4.0
Personal care	220.051	220.966	220.903	220.851	.6	1.2	1.0	1.5	.9	1.2
Personal care products ¹	163.185	162.617	162.404	161.877	-2.3	3.4	-3.4	-3.2	.5	-3.3
Personal care services ¹	244.802	248.652	248.908	248.794	1.6	-1.2	3.9	6.7	.2	5.3
Miscellaneous personal services	397.068	398.952	399.388	400.213	2.7	2.1	2.3	3.2	2.4	2.8
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	182.851	183.560	183.683	182.897	-4.7	-11.4	4.9	.1	-8.1	2.5
Food and beverages	245.668	246.301	246.693	247.254	3.0	1.2	-.7	2.6	2.1	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	151.207	151.925	151.933	150.617	-9.3	-19.0	8.8	-1.6	-14.3	3.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	192.664	194.341	194.521	191.979	-11.9	-28.0	10.8	-1.4	-20.3	4.5
Apparel	125.964	125.776	126.151	126.545	-3.2	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-2.2	.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	238.700	241.511	241.865	237.323	-14.5	-35.1	15.7	-2.3	-25.5	6.3
Durables	109.708	109.470	109.138	108.823	-1.9	-1.1	1.6	-3.2	-1.5	-.8
Services	290.606	291.432	291.898	292.322	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.3
Rent of shelter ⁴	288.920	289.881	290.859	291.529	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.7	3.0	3.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.364	145.976	146.348	146.333	1.2	6.5	1.2	-.1	3.8	.5
Energy services ³	197.631	198.117	196.852	197.785	-2.9	2.1	-11.3	.3	-.4	-5.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	212.793	213.545	213.812	215.292	6.2	4.1	3.8	4.8	5.1	4.3
Household operations ^{1 2}	166.495	167.457	167.543	168.204	3.0	1.1	4.8	4.2	2.1	4.5
Transportation services	291.259	292.347	291.636	290.779	3.2	2.5	3.4	-.7	2.9	1.3
Medical care services	476.229	475.189	475.890	475.708	2.6	.8	5.9	-.4	1.7	2.7
Other services	338.013	339.426	339.701	339.950	.3	1.4	1.8	2.3	.8	2.1
Special indexes										
All items less food	235.642	236.402	236.698	236.413	-1.1	-3.9	3.8	1.3	-2.5	2.6
All items less shelter	223.861	224.588	224.636	224.163	-2.2	-5.9	3.3	.5	-4.1	1.9
All items less medical care	226.922	227.738	228.036	227.855	-.9	-3.5	3.0	1.7	-2.2	2.3
Commodities less food	154.222	154.908	154.918	153.641	-8.8	-18.3	8.5	-1.5	-13.7	3.4
Nondurables less food	195.383	196.956	197.151	194.747	-11.0	-26.4	10.0	-1.3	-19.0	4.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	237.548	240.058	240.412	236.306	-13.1	-32.7	14.1	-2.1	-23.5	5.7
Nondurables	218.675	219.958	220.264	219.127	-4.4	-13.7	3.9	.8	-9.2	2.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	314.981	315.501	315.427	315.872	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.2
Services less medical care services	276.409	277.255	277.758	278.394	2.1	2.4	1.5	2.9	2.3	2.2
Energy	209.039	212.668	212.790	208.521	-21.9	-43.0	17.9	-1.0	-33.3	8.0
All items less energy	241.717	242.193	242.526	242.766	1.8	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.9
All items less food and energy	241.760	242.193	242.513	242.693	1.6	1.6	2.5	1.6	1.6	2.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	146.483	146.306	146.101	145.982	-.9	-.6	.9	-1.4	-.7	-.3
Energy commodities	230.682	237.761	239.336	229.439	-33.6	-66.2	54.8	-2.1	-52.6	23.1
Services less energy services	300.031	300.890	301.525	301.901	2.5	2.3	3.1	2.5	2.4	2.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

⁶ 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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	238.654	238.316	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.1	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	-	714.902	713.890	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	15.272	246.558	247.196	1.5	.3	.3	.2	.2
Food	14.257	247.003	247.671	1.6	.3	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	8.427	241.993	242.746	.8	-.3	.4	.3	.3
Cereals and bakery products	1.138	275.526	274.968	1.1	-.2	.5	.2	-.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.370	235.467	234.975	.3	-.2	.3	-.6	.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.048	247.516	246.918	-2.9	-.2	-7	-1.3	.0
Breakfast cereal ¹ .....	.197	230.690	230.311	.7	-.2	.0	.1	-.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹ .....	.126	243.768	243.125	.8	-.3	1.0	-.6	-.3
Rice ^{1 2 3}	-	168.963	166.188	-2.2	-1.6	.3	.0	-1.6
Bakery products .....	.767	298.116	297.521	1.4	-.2	.5	.7	-.3
Bread ³ .....	.230	179.015	178.101	.5	-.5	1.3	-.5	.0
White bread ^{1 2}	-	326.016	321.254	.5	-1.5	.3	.3	-1.5
Bread other than white ^{1 2}	-	342.770	345.153	.5	.7	1.6	-.5	.7
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ³ .....	.116	176.304	175.850	2.4	-.3	.6	1.2	-.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.189	279.449	280.122	2.7	.2	.4	.3	.7
Cookies ²	-	269.951	269.976	1.7	.0	.7	.6	1.0
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	-	291.947	293.605	3.9	.6	.9	.1	.6
Other bakery products .....	.233	269.682	269.075	.8	-.2	.0	1.4	-.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 2}	-	295.482	296.939	1.2	.5	.2	1.0	.5
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	-	311.969	312.894	.8	.3	1.2	.7	-.5
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ²	-	272.682	270.909	-.1	-.7	.1	1.5	-1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.014	261.639	263.601	2.0	.7	1.4	.2	.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	1.880	259.032	259.207	-.2	.1	.2	-.1	-.1
Meats	1.229	264.988	265.154	.3	.1	.3	.1	-.4
Beef and veal ¹ .....	.582	327.203	325.303	5.0	-.6	.9	-.4	-.6
Uncooked ground beef ¹ .....	.238	296.191	294.072	5.1	-.7	.2	-1.0	-.7
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 3} .....	.085	243.424	241.524	2.7	-.8	.4	-.3	-.8
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 3} .....	.207	220.207	219.301	5.2	-.4	1.4	.0	-.4
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 3} .....	.053	240.016	239.171	7.0	-.4	2.7	.5	-.4
Pork .....	.372	217.697	219.060	-8.1	.6	-.3	.5	-.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ³ .....	.141	153.632	156.500	-8.2	1.9	.7	.9	.8
Bacon and related products ²	-	271.069	280.298	-9.3	3.4	1.5	1.9	1.4
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2 3}	-	149.752	148.618	-5.0	-.8	-.7	.6	-.3
Ham .....	.078	213.388	215.852	-7.5	1.2	-2.0	-.7	-.9
Ham, excluding canned ²	-	238.713	241.962	-9.3	1.4	-2.3	-.9	-1.0
Pork chops .....	.064	200.585	195.467	-9.0	-2.6	-.3	2.1	-3.6
Other pork including roasts and picnics ³ .....	.089	138.752	139.450	-7.6	.5	.3	-.2	.4
Other meats .....	.275	225.198	226.832	2.8	.7	-.1	.7	.0
Frankfurters ²	-	222.075	223.577	6.7	.7	.6	.1	-.2
Lunchmeats ^{2 3}	-	146.079	147.285	2.2	.8	-.6	.8	.1
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 2}	-	334.859	335.187	4.9	.1	1.3	2.6	.1
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	-	179.976	180.661	2.5	.4	1.3	2.9	.4
Poultry .....	.360	238.125	236.987	-.7	-.5	.8	-.6	-.4
Chicken ^{1 3} .....	.294	152.223	151.600	-1.2	-.4	1.7	-.7	-.4
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 2}	-	254.575	253.129	-2.3	-.6	2.0	-1.4	-.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 2}	-	225.204	223.913	-1.5	-.6	1.7	-.5	-.6
Other poultry including turkey ³ .....	.066	159.634	158.416	1.5	-.8	-.3	.4	-.3
Fish and seafood .....	.291	285.588	287.811	-1.5	.8	-.9	-.2	1.3
Fresh fish and seafood ³ .....	.148	170.466	174.261	-2.0	2.2	-1.1	-1.2	2.2
Processed fish and seafood ³ .....	.142	149.023	147.987	-.9	-.7	-.7	.8	.2
Shelf stable fish and seafood ^{1 2}	-	202.931	202.323	2.0	-.3	-.1	1.6	-.3
Frozen fish and seafood ²	-	321.858	318.309	-2.3	-1.1	-1.2	1.5	-.2
Eggs .....	.134	298.494	325.985	35.3	9.2	18.3	3.3	7.7
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.898	221.443	220.716	-2.5	-.3	-.6	.8	-.3
Milk ^{1 3} .....	.283	147.398	145.845	-7.2	-1.1	-1.1	1.4	-1.1
Fresh whole milk ^{1 2}	-	212.579	209.408	-8.4	-1.5	-1.2	1.6	-1.5
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	-	151.327	150.207	-6.0	-.7	-1.0	1.4	-.7
Cheese and related products .....	.286	234.226	231.901	-2.5	-1.0	.1	1.1	-1.4
Ice cream and related products126	211.014	214.786	2.5	1.8	.3	.3	1.4
Other dairy and related products ^{1 3}204	147.497	147.931	1.1	.3	.2	.2	.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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Fruits and vegetables	1.379	287.816	291.344	0.1	1.2	-0.4	0.3	1.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.076	327.298	332.715	-0.4	1.7	-0.4	.2	1.9
Fresh fruits .....	.575	340.642	348.723	-1.7	2.4	-0.6	1.1	2.1
Apples .....	.083	338.823	338.884	-9.7	.0	.8	-2.2	-2.3
Bananas .....	.087	199.332	201.747	-1.1	1.2	-1.4	.2	1.8
Citrus fruits ³ .....	.146	245.604	253.622	-0.4	3.3	-0.6	.8	-1.3
Oranges, including tangerines ²	-	513.075	539.743	3.5	5.2	.1	1.0	-1.2
Other fresh fruits ³ .....	.259	104.413	107.703	.2	3.2	-0.8	1.5	5.7
Fresh vegetables .....	.500	312.082	314.657	1.3	.8	-0.2	-0.8	1.7
Potatoes .....	.075	338.801	340.077	-1.1	.4	-3.1	.3	-1.7
Lettuce .....	.072	292.679	291.645	-1.6	-0.4	.0	-3.1	-1.2
Tomatoes ¹ .....	.102	312.797	312.864	1.9	.0	-1.5	1.0	.0
Other fresh vegetables .....	.251	313.248	318.212	2.8	1.6	.7	-1.4	3.4
Processed fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.303	160.731	160.451	1.5	-0.2	-0.4	.4	.1
Canned fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.157	165.840	165.282	.8	-0.3	-0.3	1.1	-0.4
Canned fruits ^{2 3}	-	159.711	159.487	1.9	-0.1	-0.3	.4	.1
Canned vegetables ^{2 3}	-	174.595	174.288	.7	-0.2	-0.2	1.8	-0.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.088	149.047	149.747	2.3	.5	-0.7	-0.1	.8
Frozen vegetables ²	-	204.859	206.441	2.4	.8	-1.0	-0.2	1.6
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ³ .....	.057	164.997	163.832	2.3	-0.7	-0.4	.5	-0.7
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2 3}	-	206.853	207.256	3.8	.2	.1	-0.3	.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.955	167.421	168.017	1.5	.4	.1	.4	.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ³ .....	.699	127.734	128.364	1.7	.5	.1	.2	.4
Carbonated drinks .....	.285	159.686	160.711	1.6	.6	.0	.9	.5
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 3} .....	.014	176.618	177.209	3.9	.3	-0.4	.6	.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ³ .....	.400	116.656	117.113	1.7	.4	.2	-0.3	.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ³ .....	.256	121.010	120.993	.8	.0	.0	.6	-0.2
Coffee .....	.158	207.826	206.736	.6	-0.5	-0.9	1.0	-0.5
Roasted coffee ²	-	216.506	216.377	1.5	-0.1	-0.9	1.0	-0.6
Instant and freeze dried coffee ^{1 2}	-	205.312	200.693	-2.5	-2.2	-0.4	.3	-2.2
Other beverage materials including tea ³ .....	.099	127.377	128.431	1.1	.8	2.0	-0.2	1.0
Other food at home	2.043	210.251	209.892	1.3	-0.2	.3	.2	-0.2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.299	216.926	217.194	4.4	.1	-0.2	.5	.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.054	193.287	193.216	6.1	.0	.1	.7	-0.2
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 3} .....	.185	145.299	145.817	5.5	.4	-0.5	.5	.4
Other sweets ³ .....	.060	154.148	153.463	-0.4	-0.4	.5	-0.2	-0.1
Fats and oils .....	.245	225.298	227.183	-1.9	.8	.2	-0.6	.5
Butter and margarine ³ .....	.077	195.864	199.912	-1.3	2.1	1.2	-0.1	1.6
Butter ²	-	228.530	232.911	-1.8	1.9	1.0	1.7	1.8
Margarine ²	-	287.745	291.796	-0.6	1.4	1.4	-1.3	.5
Salad dressing ³ .....	.062	129.417	129.778	-0.6	.3	-1.2	-0.5	-0.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ³ .....	.107	159.439	159.920	-3.0	.3	.0	-0.8	.5
Peanut butter ^{1 2 3}	-	157.888	158.198	-4.1	.2	-0.4	-2.8	.2
Other foods	1.499	224.925	224.046	1.2	-0.4	.5	.2	-0.4
Soups .....	.093	249.829	245.400	-1.4	-1.8	1.7	-0.4	-0.8
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹ .....	.285	172.366	170.877	.0	-0.9	.3	.2	-0.9
Snacks ¹ .....	.330	250.915	251.765	2.9	.3	.7	.0	.3
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.292	237.084	237.894	2.4	.3	1.4	-0.3	-0.6
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2 3}	-	147.304	149.092	5.0	1.2	2.3	-0.7	.9
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2 3}	-	137.946	136.109	4.5	-1.3	-1.7	3.8	-1.3
Sauces and gravies ^{2 3}	-	137.398	136.431	1.0	-0.7	2.8	-1.6	-1.2
Other condiments ²	-	274.130	279.323	.1	1.9	-0.6	.4	-1.1
Baby food ^{1 3} .....	.055	153.342	153.202	-1.2	-0.1	-1.2	.4	-0.1
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 3} .....	.444	132.069	130.940	.8	-0.9	-0.1	.5	-0.9
Prepared salads ^{1 2 4}	-	121.366	121.255	2.7	-0.1	.6	1.1	-0.1
Food away from home ¹	5.830	255.905	256.449	2.7	.2	.2	.0	.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 3}	2.823	159.713	159.970	2.5	.2	.4	.3	.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 3}	2.413	163.251	163.670	3.0	.3	.0	.1	.3
Food at employee sites and schools ³ .....	.212	152.871	154.454	-1.7	1.0	.2	-4.0	-0.5
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{2 5}	-	NA	127.475	-2.8	-	.1	-	-
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 3}064	146.326	146.448	2.2	.1	-0.1	.0	.1

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

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Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Other food away from home ^{1 3} .....	.319	181.165	180.918	3.9	-0.1	1.0	-0.1	-0.1
Alcoholic beverages	1.015	239.092	239.313	.6	.1	-2	.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.597	196.542	196.797	-.4	-.1	-4	.0	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.274	214.085	214.025	.4	.0	.3	.0	.1
Distilled spirits at home .....	.073	192.043	192.663	.0	.3	-1.2	.3	.1
Whiskey at home ^{1 2}	-	206.503	207.004	-.1	.2	-1.2	.1	.2
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	-	185.392	186.143	.3	.4	-5	-.4	.1
Wine at home .....	.250	167.910	168.322	-1.4	.2	-8	.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹ .....	.418	330.812	330.945	2.1	.0	-2	.0	.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	163.477	163.484	1.9	.0	-4	.1	.0
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	178.642	178.649	1.8	.0	-2	.2	.0
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	177.732	177.830	3.7	.1	.4	-.1	.1
Housing	42.173	239.085	239.298	2.0	.1	.2	.2	.2
Shelter	32.711	279.559	280.093	3.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁶	7.159	286.090	287.068	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.3
Lodging away from home ³ .....	.839	163.525	158.443	1.7	-3.1	-1.6	2.5	-6
Housing at school, excluding board ^{6 7} .....	.172	505.965	509.979	2.6	.8	.3	.6	-6
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.666	344.673	331.093	1.5	-3.9	-2.0	3.0	-5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{6 7}	24.339	286.220	287.026	3.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{6 7}	22.918	286.183	286.988	3.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 3} .....	.375	146.348	146.333	2.2	.0	-.3	.3	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.273	234.137	233.847	-2.5	-.1	-2	-.6	.3
Household energy	4.051	199.142	198.260	-4.5	-.4	.1	-.8	.2
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.236	252.454	239.905	-27.4	-5.0	-2.1	-3.1	-5.0
Fuel oil ¹ .....	.139	258.620	237.580	-34.6	-8.1	-1.9	-3.4	-8.1
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸ .....	.097	288.462	287.395	-14.7	-.4	.4	-2.2	-.8
Energy services ⁶	3.815	203.674	203.246	-3.0	-.2	.2	-.6	.5
Electricity ⁶	2.940	216.406	215.786	-.6	-.3	-.2	-.4	.3
Utility (piped) gas service ⁶ .....	.875	162.733	162.885	-11.5	.1	.3	-1.4	1.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ³	1.222	213.873	215.844	4.7	.9	.4	.1	.7
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁶ .....	.945	492.931	498.209	5.7	1.1	.5	.1	.8
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 9} .....	.277	431.229	432.967	1.5	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Household furnishings and operations	4.189	122.670	122.120	-.5	-.4	-.1	-.2	-.3
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 3} .....	.266	61.135	60.385	-4.9	-1.2	.7	-.6	-1.2
Floor coverings ^{1 3} .....	.047	109.267	108.264	-1.4	-.9	.5	.0	-.9
Window coverings ^{1 3} .....	.053	67.645	66.720	-7.6	-1.4	-1.4	-.5	-1.4
Other linens ^{1 3} .....	.166	48.581	47.964	-5.0	-1.3	1.4	-.9	-1.3
Furniture and bedding ¹ .....	.769	114.991	113.508	-.9	-1.3	.0	-.6	-1.3
Bedroom furniture ¹ .....	.268	130.356	129.764	-2.1	-.5	.0	-1.5	-.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 3} .....	.363	87.579	85.681	-.2	-2.2	.1	-.1	-2.2
Other furniture ³ .....	.128	74.789	74.376	-.3	-.6	.1	.3	.3
Infants' furniture ^{1 2 5}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ³ .....	.271	79.015	78.577	-3.5	-.6	-.1	-1.0	-.2
Major appliances ³ .....	.147	86.812	86.755	-4.8	-.1	-2	-1.8	.6
Laundry equipment ²	-	97.919	97.928	-4.4	.0	.1	-2.9	.7
Other appliances ^{1 3} .....	.120	68.280	67.506	-2.0	-1.1	.2	.0	-1.1
Other household equipment and furnishings ³ .....	.479	58.890	58.613	-3.1	-.5	-.8	-.5	.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹ .....	.257	47.232	46.675	-5.6	-1.2	-.9	.2	-1.2
Indoor plants and flowers ¹⁰ .....	.107	126.298	125.848	.4	-.4	.5	-1.6	.3
Dishes and flatware ^{1 3} .....	.041	55.147	56.576	-.4	2.6	-1.3	.0	2.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ³ .....	.074	90.952	90.965	-.9	.0	-.6	.0	.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ³ .....	.710	90.968	90.508	-.3	-.5	-.1	-.4	-.3
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 3} .....	.189	99.843	99.672	-.1	-.2	-.4	-.5	-.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies ³ .....	.367	86.738	86.171	-.4	-.7	.0	-.5	-.3
Housekeeping supplies ¹ .....	.847	186.704	186.305	-.2	-.2	-.4	.0	-.2
Household cleaning products ³ .....	.337	119.029	118.479	.9	-.5	-.8	.4	-.3
Household paper products ^{1 3} .....	.247	169.049	168.656	-.7	-.2	-.3	.2	-.2
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 3} .....	.263	118.859	119.004	-1.0	.1	-.2	-.3	.1
Household operations ^{1 3} .....	.848	167.543	168.204	3.3	.4	.6	.1	.4
Domestic services ^{1 3}279	155.613	155.778	1.3	.1	.0	.0	.1
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 3}279	172.388	172.856	3.9	.3	.0	.0	.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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Moving, storage, freight expense ³ .....	.116	143.082	145.169	6.6	1.5	1.8	0.4	1.0
Repair of household items ^{1 3} .....	.066	220.147	220.115	2.9	.0	1.6	-.7	.0
Apparel	3.343	122.607	124.547	-9	1.6	-.1	.3	.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.834	116.979	116.892	-1.3	-.1	-.7	-1.2	.7
Men's apparel .....	.653	121.666	122.087	-1.6	.3	-.3	-1.2	.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.104	111.910	115.744	2.2	3.4	1.4	1.1	3.0
Men's furnishings .....	.185	153.078	153.551	-3.4	.3	-1.7	-1.7	.2
Men's shirts and sweaters ³ .....	.196	74.479	75.369	-3.8	1.2	.2	-3.3	.3
Men's pants and shorts .....	.160	125.317	122.310	.6	-2.4	-.2	-.3	-.8
Boys' apparel .....	.181	99.395	97.744	-.1	-1.7	-.5	-2.2	-.1
Women's and girls' apparel	1.439	106.128	109.103	-2.1	2.8	.0	.8	-.1
Women's apparel	1.210	109.325	112.248	-2.5	2.7	.3	.7	-.3
Women's outerwear .....	.118	97.182	106.686	-4.8	9.8	2.3	2.5	-3.4
Women's dresses .....	.155	111.151	120.897	3.4	8.8	.8	1.4	2.9
Women's suits and separates ³ .....	.550	77.950	79.589	-4.2	2.1	-.5	.4	-.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ³ .....	.378	105.102	104.547	-1.5	-.5	1.4	.2	.1
Girls' apparel .....	.229	90.979	94.171	-.1	3.5	-1.6	1.1	1.0
Footwear .....	.725	135.680	137.405	1.1	1.3	-.3	.8	.4
Men's footwear ¹ .....	.218	138.090	139.035	-.3	.7	-1.8	.3	.7
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.178	149.745	151.198	2.0	1.0	-.9	.1	.5
Women's footwear .....	.329	126.867	129.184	1.5	1.8	.4	2.4	.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.135	117.415	122.875	5.9	4.7	1.1	.6	4.1
Jewelry and watches ⁸ .....	.211	163.867	162.797	-2.5	-.7	.5	1.1	-.9
Watches ^{1 8} .....	.046	124.150	124.520	1.7	.3	1.1	.2	.3
Jewelry ⁸ .....	.164	170.266	168.707	-3.6	-.9	.5	1.3	-2.1
Transportation	15.289	207.218	203.377	-6.8	-1.9	1.0	.0	-1.3
Private transportation	14.167	202.049	198.657	-7.1	-1.7	.9	.3	-1.2
New and used motor vehicles ³	5.720	101.611	101.318	-.1	-.3	-.1	-.3	-.2
New vehicles	3.551	147.154	146.704	.6	-.3	.1	-.2	.0
New cars and trucks ^{2 3}	-	102.036	101.713	.6	-.3	.1	-.2	.0
New cars ²	-	144.375	143.905	.1	-.3	.2	-.4	.0
New trucks ^{2 9}	-	155.581	155.086	1.1	-.3	.1	.0	.0
Used cars and trucks	1.591	151.119	150.908	-1.5	-.1	-.4	-.6	-.4
Leased cars and trucks ¹¹ .....	.397	83.306	82.614	-1.5	-.8	-.7	.0	-.3
Car and truck rental ³ .....	.073	140.509	140.447	5.3	.0	.4	1.8	-.3
Motor fuel	3.979	244.584	231.305	-23.4	-5.4	3.3	.8	-4.1
Gasoline (all types)	3.904	243.736	230.513	-23.3	-5.4	3.4	.9	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	-	240.718	227.099	-24.1	-5.7	3.5	.7	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 12}	-	256.360	245.418	-21.4	-4.3	3.5	1.4	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	-	248.282	237.367	-19.4	-4.4	2.2	1.3	-3.4
Other motor fuels ³ .....	.075	206.063	194.327	-30.1	-5.7	1.2	-2.0	-5.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.435	143.823	143.793	-.7	.0	-.5	.0	.0
Tires ¹ .....	.285	126.205	126.009	-1.4	-.2	-.6	.1	-.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 3} .....	.150	165.511	165.896	.5	.2	-.2	-.2	.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 2}	-	156.800	156.476	.9	-.2	.0	.0	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 2}	-	367.290	368.982	-.4	.5	-1.4	.2	.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.168	271.175	270.838	1.8	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Motor vehicle body work ¹ .....	.057	281.041	280.315	.6	-.3	-.1	.2	-.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹ .....	.492	243.300	243.371	1.1	.0	-.1	-.2	.0
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 3} .....	.587	168.673	168.271	2.5	-.2	.2	.2	-.2
Motor vehicle insurance	2.300	460.041	461.046	5.4	.2	.3	.6	.2
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 3} .....	.565	180.033	180.349	1.9	.2	-.1	1.4	.2
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 3 6} .....	.312	171.420	171.635	1.2	.1	.0	2.3	.1
Parking and other fees ³ .....	.235	194.384	194.855	2.8	.2	.0	.1	.3
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	-	216.095	216.639	3.1	.3	-.2	.4	.3
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	-	125.949	126.098	1.0	.1	-.1	-.2	.1
Public transportation	1.122	272.505	261.386	-2.9	-4.1	1.4	-3.2	-1.7
Airline fare702	297.324	277.768	-6.0	-6.6	2.0	-5.6	-3.1
Other intercity transportation157	155.911	156.598	3.0	.4	-.6	2.5	2.3

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		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2 4}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ^{1 2 4}	-	116.564	111.379	-3.2	-4.4	5.2	2.2	-4.4
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	-	61.814	62.617	3.5	1.3	.6	3.8	1.3
Intracity transportation ¹ .....	.260	304.343	304.589	2.4	.1	.1	.0	.1
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2 13}	-	120.495	120.608	2.7	.1	.2	.1	.1
Medical care	7.716	446.773	446.536	2.5	-1	-2	.1	.0
Medical care commodities	1.772	355.235	356.334	3.4	.3	.0	.1	.3
Medicinal drugs ^{1 13}	1.696	116.055	116.435	3.5	.3	.0	.2	.3
Prescription drugs	1.345	480.210	482.392	4.7	.5	.3	.1	.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 13} .....	.351	97.908	97.738	-7	-2	-1.0	.7	-2
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 13} .....	.076	99.799	99.708	-8	-1	-4	-4	-1
Medical care services	5.944	475.956	475.189	2.2	-2	-2	.1	.0
Professional services	3.032	362.504	361.987	1.7	-1	.2	.3	-1
Physicians' services ⁶	1.590	367.450	366.365	1.8	-3	.2	.2	-3
Dental services ⁶ .....	.804	453.605	453.786	2.7	.0	.2	.3	.1
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 8} .....	.284	183.776	183.270	-4	-3	.3	-6	-3
Services by other medical professionals ^{6 8} .....	.354	228.296	228.836	1.1	.2	-1	.2	.3
Hospital and related services	2.159	759.144	757.797	3.3	-2	-9	.0	.3
Hospital services ^{6 14}	1.853	288.895	288.181	3.4	-2	-1.1	-1	.3
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 6 14}	-	283.499	283.344	3.1	-1	-1.3	.3	.4
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 6 8}	-	650.704	647.880	3.0	-4	-1.1	-3	.0
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{6 14} .....	.174	206.556	207.298	3.2	.4	.4	.1	.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 5} .....	.132	117.974	118.091	1.2	.1	.2	.0	.1
Health insurance ^{1 5} .....	.753	123.041	122.809	1.0	-2	-3	.1	-2
Recreation ³	5.750	116.355	116.084	.7	-2	.2	.0	-1
Video and audio ³	1.847	99.705	99.254	.0	-5	.1	.0	-2
Televisions .....	.133	3.360	3.316	-13.0	-1.3	.4	-1.5	-1.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁹	1.468	423.764	421.594	1.6	-5	.2	.1	-2
Other video equipment ^{1 3} .....	.029	10.627	10.587	-6.8	-4	.4	-1.5	-4
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 3} .....	.090	72.075	73.427	1.8	1.9	-2.8	.9	1.9
Video discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	-	40.071	41.584	-7	3.8	-5.0	1.2	3.8
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	-	121.454	120.539	3.9	-8	.0	.1	-8
Audio equipment .....	.066	35.808	35.749	-4.3	-2	-2	-8	.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 3} .....	.044	87.400	86.255	-3.4	-1.3	-3	.1	-1.3
Pets, pet products and services ³	1.058	166.978	167.187	1.2	.1	.4	-6	.2
Pets and pet products ¹ .....	.659	197.183	197.083	-5	-1	.4	-1.2	-1
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	-	150.514	149.901	-2.4	-4	.4	-2.0	-4
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	-	113.649	114.032	1.8	.3	.2	-5	.3
Pet services including veterinary ³ .....	.399	226.565	227.477	4.0	.4	.4	.2	.6
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	-	181.266	182.549	2.9	.7	.3	.2	.7
Veterinarian services ^{2 3}	-	236.944	238.041	4.3	.5	.3	.2	.7
Sporting goods ¹ .....	.400	115.146	114.893	-9	-2	.0	.8	-2
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹ .....	.181	151.523	151.529	1.5	.0	-4	.8	.0
Sports equipment .....	.214	84.682	84.328	-2.9	-4	.4	1.1	-2
Photography ³ .....	.120	75.336	75.204	-4.2	-2	-2	1.0	-8
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.058	55.457	55.560	-8.1	.2	.2	1.0	-1.1
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	-	126.142	126.107	-2.1	.0	.1	-3	.0
Photographic equipment ^{2 3}	-	22.855	22.969	-9.0	.5	-3	1.3	-6
Photographers and film processing ^{1 3} .....	.062	122.048	121.420	-3	-5	-6	.9	-5
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	-	127.432	126.727	-1.7	-6	-9	.2	-6
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	-	120.723	120.465	1.7	-2	.2	1.6	-2
Other recreational goods ³ .....	.381	47.162	46.541	-5.4	-1.3	-8	.0	-1.0
Toys .....	.277	44.777	44.150	-6.8	-1.4	-9	-5	-9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{2 3}	-	53.266	52.557	-5.2	-1.3	-6	-1.0	-9
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 3} .....	.050	97.624	96.165	-3.8	-1.5	-1.2	1.1	-1.5
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 3} .....	.042	100.601	99.999	2.3	-6	.1	1.9	-6
Other recreation services ³	1.724	157.720	157.681	3.0	.0	.8	.2	.0
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 3}602	132.608	131.751	1.8	-6	2.1	.5	-6
Admissions ¹640	355.686	357.280	3.8	.4	-3	-1	.4

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Expenditure category								
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	-	168.777	168.727	1.7	0.0	-0.3	0.2	0.0
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	-	207.389	210.365	9.5	1.4	.4	-9	1.4
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 8} .....	.211	287.116	288.024	2.4	.3	.6	.0	.3
Recreational reading materials ¹ .....	.220	240.964	241.030	2.3	.0	-6	.4	.0
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 3} .....	.123	165.370	165.250	3.4	-1	-1.2	1.2	-1
Recreational books ^{1 3} .....	.094	99.905	100.056	1.0	.2	.3	-6	.2
Education and communication ³	7.062	137.600	138.291	.1	.5	.2	.0	.1
Education ³	3.325	239.680	242.076	3.6	1.0	.5	.1	-1
Educational books and supplies .....	.203	641.636	651.553	4.7	1.5	-3	.7	.2
College textbooks ^{1 2 11}	-	219.329	223.486	5.4	1.9	-8	.7	1.9
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	3.122	686.658	693.278	3.5	1.0	.6	.0	-1
College tuition and fees	1.853	781.714	791.039	3.3	1.2	.5	.0	-2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.377	748.943	756.697	3.6	1.0	.3	.1	.0
Child care and nursery school ¹⁰ .....	.725	275.829	276.893	4.3	.4	.4	.2	.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees ³ .....	.039	234.129	234.630	1.3	.2	.1	.2	-2
Communication ³	3.737	79.793	79.832	-2.9	.0	-1	-1	.2
Postage and delivery services ³ .....	.144	174.723	174.661	.0	.0	.4	.5	.3
Postage .....	.130	274.517	274.517	.0	.0	.4	.4	.4
Delivery services ³ .....	.014	285.092	284.061	-1	-4	.7	1.5	-2
Information and information processing ³	3.593	75.959	75.999	-3.0	.1	-1	-1	.2
Telephone services ^{1 3}	2.462	98.781	99.409	-2.0	.6	.1	.2	.6
Wireless telephone services ^{1 3}	1.624	54.711	55.194	-4.3	.9	.0	.3	.9
Land-line telephone services ^{1 13} .....	.837	113.632	113.830	2.5	.2	.2	.1	.2
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁵	1.132	8.008	7.909	-5.2	-1.2	-6	-8	-8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁴ .....	.272	47.892	47.132	-9.0	-1.6	-1.0	-3	-6
Computer software and accessories ^{1 3} .....	.068	36.382	36.776	-1.7	1.1	-9	-1.5	1.1
Internet services and electronic information providers ³ .....	.711	76.927	75.962	-3.0	-1.3	-1	-1.1	-9
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 3} .....	.068	23.997	23.518	-14.9	-2.0	-2.9	.6	-2.0
Other goods and services	3.394	415.359	415.576	1.6	.1	.5	.0	.1
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.718	935.913	939.082	3.8	.3	.8	.0	.5
Cigarettes ³ .....	.661	382.222	383.352	3.8	.3	.8	.0	.4
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 3} .....	.050	244.413	246.640	3.4	.9	.7	.2	.9
Personal care	2.676	220.808	220.752	1.1	.0	.4	.0	.0
Personal care products ¹ .....	.724	162.404	161.877	-1.4	-3	-3	-1	-3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 3} .....	.369	103.475	102.793	-1.0	-7	-7	.0	-7
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹ .....	.348	186.557	186.629	-1.9	.0	.1	-3	.0
Personal care services ¹ .....	.638	248.908	248.794	2.7	.0	1.6	.1	.0
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 3} .....	.638	151.874	151.805	2.7	.0	1.6	.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services	1.122	399.476	400.657	2.6	.3	.5	.1	.2
Legal services ^{1 8} .....	.316	323.086	324.413	1.7	.4	.0	.4	.4
Funeral expenses ^{1 8} .....	.173	313.132	315.528	2.7	.8	.1	.2	.8
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 3} .....	.276	155.944	156.161	2.3	.1	.8	-2	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 3} .....	.034	180.702	181.125	1.4	.2	.1	-4	.2
Financial services ^{1 8} .....	.228	318.886	318.797	4.4	.0	1.0	-5	.0
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	-	150.610	150.472	2.0	-1	.7	-7	-1
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3}	-	217.155	217.215	5.1	.0	.8	-6	.0
Miscellaneous personal goods ³ .....	.192	81.275	80.652	-3.6	-8	-7	-6	.5
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	-	149.366	148.139	-3.6	-8	-8	-9	.4
Infants' equipment ^{1 2 5}	-	83.069	85.561	-2.2	3.0	-2.8	-3	3.0
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	37.880	184.071	183.137	-3.0	-5	.4	.1	-4
Commodities less food and beverages	22.608	152.524	150.972	-5.9	-1.0	.5	.0	-9
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.658	195.923	193.175	-8.7	-1.4	.9	.1	-1.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.315	246.052	240.318	-11.0	-2.3	1.2	.1	-1.9
Durables	8.950	109.652	109.187	-1.2	-4	-2	-3	-3
Services	62.120	292.628	292.861	2.2	.1	.3	.2	.1
Rent of shelter ⁷	32.336	291.182	291.745	3.1	.2	.3	.3	.2
Transportation services	5.625	292.119	289.798	2.1	-8	.4	-2	-3
Other services	11.955	339.325	340.310	1.5	.3	.4	.1	.1
All items less food	85.743	237.365	236.868	.0	-2	.3	.1	-1
All items less shelter	67.289	225.318	224.632	-1.2	-3	.3	.0	-2

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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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	92.284	228.607	228.267	0.0	-0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.1
Commodities less food	23.623	155.496	153.986	-5.6	-1.0	.4	.0	-.8
Nondurables less food	14.673	198.474	195.892	-8.2	-1.3	.8	.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.330	244.225	239.049	-10.1	-2.1	1.1	.1	-1.7
Nondurables	28.930	221.010	219.833	-3.6	-.5	.6	.1	-.5
Apparel less footwear	2.619	115.112	117.033	-1.5	1.7	-1.1	.2	.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁷	29.784	316.982	316.841	1.3	.0	.2	.0	.1
Services less medical care services	56.176	278.663	278.956	2.3	.1	.3	.2	.2
Energy	8.030	219.852	213.248	-15.0	-3.0	1.7	.1	-2.0
All items less energy	91.970	242.439	242.722	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
All items less food and energy	77.713	242.436	242.651	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	19.408	145.722	145.808	-.5	.1	-1.1	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities	4.215	246.977	233.619	-23.6	-5.4	3.1	.7	-4.1
Services less energy services	58.305	301.665	301.963	2.6	.1	.3	.2	.1
Domestically produced farm food	7.094	250.868	251.558	.9	.3	.5	.3	.2
Utilities and public transportation	10.089	216.951	216.192	-1.2	-.3	.2	-.5	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.419	\$.420	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.140	\$.140	-	-	-	-	-

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 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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	237.031	237.786	238.099	237.931	-0.6	-3.1	3.2	1.5	-1.9	2.3
Food and beverages	245.668	246.301	246.693	247.254	3.0	1.2	-7	2.6	2.1	1.0
Food	246.014	246.734	247.149	247.729	3.0	1.4	-8	2.8	2.2	1.0
Food at home	240.730	241.584	242.237	242.843	2.6	.5	-3.1	3.6	1.5	.2
Cereals and bakery products	272.912	274.298	274.735	274.460	-6	2.6	.0	2.3	1.0	1.1
Cereals and cereal products	234.425	235.085	233.659	234.062	-2.0	2.1	1.8	-6	.0	.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	247.774	246.009	242.772	242.707	-1.6	4.4	-5.9	-7.9	1.3	-6.9
Breakfast cereal ¹	230.513	230.528	230.690	230.311	4.1	-5.6	5.2	-4	-9	2.4
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	242.946	245.318	243.768	243.125	-10.0	9.0	5.1	.3	-9	2.7
Rice ^{1 2 3}	168.551	169.016	168.963	166.188	-3.8	.8	.0	-5.5	-1.5	-2.8
Bakery products	294.612	296.057	298.071	297.247	.3	2.3	-4	3.6	1.3	1.6
Bread ²	176.961	179.177	178.355	178.267	-1.0	1.6	-1.3	3.0	.3	.8
White bread ^{1 3}	324.282	325.160	326.016	321.254	-2.3	2.1	6.0	-3.7	-1	1.1
Bread other than white ^{1 3}	338.993	344.364	342.770	345.153	-3.8	5.9	-6.6	7.5	.9	.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	173.859	174.883	177.005	176.272	4.0	5.9	-5.4	5.7	5.0	.0
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	278.125	279.345	280.191	282.076	-2.8	8.6	-5	5.8	2.7	2.6
Cookies ³	267.223	269.202	270.807	273.584	-6.6	8.3	-3.9	9.9	.6	2.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	289.296	291.787	291.947	293.605	3.1	4.7	1.6	6.1	3.9	3.8
Other bakery products	265.038	265.015	268.594	266.179	2.4	-2.7	1.8	1.7	-1	1.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 3}	291.920	292.575	295.482	296.939	-8.9	-1.9	9.9	7.1	-5.5	8.5
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³	304.841	308.438	310.534	309.016	1.4	-4.6	1.3	5.6	-1.7	3.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ³	267.709	267.908	272.056	269.422	3.9	-3.3	-3.2	2.6	.2	-3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	257.617	261.185	261.641	262.851	4.9	2.4	-6.7	8.4	3.7	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish	257.936	258.526	258.319	257.956	5.3	1.4	-6.9	.0	3.4	-3.5
Meats	263.507	264.371	264.660	263.572	7.4	2.1	-7.5	.1	4.7	-3.8
Beef and veal ¹	325.578	328.468	327.203	325.303	12.9	6.1	1.6	-3	9.5	.6
Uncooked ground beef ¹	298.428	299.100	296.191	294.072	26.3	9.0	-6.0	-5.7	17.3	-5.8
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	243.162	244.103	243.424	241.524	5.2	2.3	6.1	-2.7	3.7	1.6
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	217.178	220.201	220.207	219.301	-6	5.5	12.6	4.0	2.4	8.2
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	232.526	238.793	240.016	239.171	28.3	2.2	-10.7	11.9	14.5	.0
Pork	214.796	214.160	215.207	214.194	-1	-7.5	-21.9	-1.1	-3.9	-12.1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² ..	149.822	150.849	152.133	153.400	-6.0	-5.8	-27.2	9.9	-5.9	-10.5
Bacon and related products ³	260.461	264.348	269.469	273.217	-8.6	-5.0	-35.7	21.1	-6.8	-11.7
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2 3}	148.233	147.264	148.208	147.778	.0	-5.7	-12.4	-1.2	-2.9	-7.0
Ham	216.623	212.228	210.648	208.674	15.2	-4.0	-23.3	-13.9	5.2	-18.7
Ham, excluding canned ³	242.892	237.381	235.313	232.880	15.7	-8.0	-24.8	-15.5	3.1	-20.3
Pork chops	195.648	195.110	199.263	192.111	1.1	-15.5	-13.8	-7.0	-7.5	-10.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	136.111	136.503	136.216	136.776	-2.4	-12.2	-16.6	2.0	-7.4	-7.8
Other meats	225.908	225.732	227.314	227.385	6.8	7.7	-5.4	2.6	7.2	-1.5
Frankfurters ³	225.851	227.188	227.420	226.913	16.7	17.6	-7.4	1.9	17.1	-2.8
Lunchmeats ^{2 3}	146.642	145.755	146.856	146.937	4.5	5.5	-1.9	.8	5.0	-6
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	322.173	326.497	334.859	335.187	12.9	-2.0	-6.6	17.2	5.2	4.6
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	172.695	174.869	179.976	180.661	4.2	-3.5	-8.3	19.8	.2	4.8
Poultry	236.487	238.465	237.000	236.104	2.5	2.5	-6.7	-6	2.5	-3.7
Chicken ^{1 2}	150.656	153.242	152.223	151.600	1.5	-5	-8.0	2.5	.5	-2.9
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 3}	253.259	258.315	254.575	253.129	-6.5	6.1	-7.8	-2	-4	-4.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 3}	222.509	226.270	225.204	223.913	4.4	-3.4	-8.9	2.5	.4	-3.4
Other poultry including turkey ²	157.983	157.524	158.098	157.685	4.6	-1.4	3.8	-8	1.6	1.5
Fish and seafood	286.989	284.272	283.674	287.412	.5	-2.6	-4.3	.6	-1.1	-1.9
Fresh fish and seafood ²	174.098	172.264	170.248	174.066	-2.2	1.5	-7.0	-1	-4	-3.6
Processed fish and seafood ²	147.226	146.244	147.460	147.711	3.1	-3.9	-4.0	1.3	-5	-1.4
Shelf stable fish and seafood ^{1 3}	200.040	199.751	202.931	202.323	10.0	-6.6	.6	4.6	1.4	2.6
Frozen fish and seafood ³	317.016	313.066	317.843	317.284	1.6	-4.9	-6.0	.3	-1.7	-2.9
Eggs	252.673	298.788	308.718	332.397	-1.5	18.8	-4.3	199.5	8.2	69.3
Dairy and related products ¹	221.039	219.696	221.443	220.716	3.6	-4.9	-7.7	-6	-8	-4.2
Milk ^{1 2}	146.907	145.293	147.398	145.845	-8	-17.2	-7.2	-2.9	-9.3	-5.0
Fresh whole milk ^{1 3}	211.834	209.330	212.579	209.408	3.0	-20.0	-10.7	-4.5	-9.2	-7.6
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	150.779	149.280	151.327	150.207	-2.8	-14.6	-4.6	-1.5	-8.9	-3.1
Cheese and related products	233.193	233.348	235.856	232.552	2.4	-7.1	-3.9	-1.1	-2.5	-2.5
Ice cream and related products	215.965	216.659	217.258	220.393	4.4	6.2	-8.2	8.5	5.3	-2
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	146.942	147.169	147.497	147.931	1.4	1.7	-1.4	2.7	1.5	.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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Fruits and vegetables	290.850	289.606	290.363	294.729	1.9	-3.5	-3.3	5.4	-0.8	1.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables	332.766	331.320	332.005	338.388	2.5	-5.6	-4.8	6.9	-1.6	.9
Fresh fruits	344.927	342.838	346.488	353.685	-1.7	-5.4	-9.3	10.5	-3.6	.1
Apples	324.878	327.617	320.257	312.953	-13.4	-1.3	-9.8	-13.9	-7.5	-11.9
Bananas	201.617	198.770	199.141	202.650	4.9	-11.5	5.1	2.1	-3.7	3.6
Citrus fruits ²	234.498	233.165	235.078	231.927	9.1	-9.7	4.5	-4.3	-7	.0
Oranges, including tangerines ³	477.263	477.766	482.553	476.615	23.0	-2.9	-3.2	-5	9.3	-1.9
Other fresh fruits ²	113.883	113.007	114.730	121.326	-1.5	-.1	-20.6	28.8	-.8	1.2
Fresh vegetables	318.788	318.029	315.566	321.066	7.8	-5.8	.7	2.9	.8	1.8
Potatoes	334.464	323.929	324.749	319.259	1.7	5.4	7.5	-17.0	3.5	-5.5
Lettuce	311.257	311.409	301.743	298.263	12.5	15.1	-14.3	-15.7	13.8	-15.0
Tomatoes ¹	314.359	309.722	312.797	312.864	73.1	-15.9	-24.5	-1.9	20.6	-14.0
Other fresh vegetables	319.183	321.514	316.937	327.800	1.6	-6.7	5.7	11.2	-2.6	8.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	159.196	158.550	159.256	159.423	-.2	3.9	1.9	.6	1.8	1.2
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	163.312	162.854	164.622	163.926	-4.3	5.7	.4	1.5	.6	1.0
Canned fruits ^{2 3}	157.409	156.874	157.543	157.646	-4.2	8.9	2.6	.6	2.1	1.6
Canned vegetables ^{2 3}	171.777	171.435	174.513	173.283	-4.7	4.3	-.1	3.6	-.3	1.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	148.914	147.844	147.708	148.952	2.6	1.4	5.2	.1	2.0	2.6
Frozen vegetables ³	203.923	201.853	201.457	204.591	1.2	3.8	3.1	1.3	2.5	2.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	164.159	163.562	164.342	163.246	2.3	7.9	1.5	-2.2	5.1	-.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2 3}	207.297	207.452	206.853	207.256	6.5	8.8	.2	-.1	7.7	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	167.584	167.698	168.378	168.487	4.0	1.1	-1.4	2.2	2.5	.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	128.119	128.303	128.510	129.064	4.2	.0	-.3	3.0	2.1	1.3
Carbonated drinks	159.015	159.093	160.480	161.215	1.5	.6	-1.1	5.6	1.0	2.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	176.275	175.506	176.618	177.209	15.6	.8	-2.0	2.1	7.9	.1
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	117.588	117.861	117.486	117.889	6.5	-1.2	.6	1.0	2.6	.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	120.214	120.243	121.006	120.769	2.3	3.3	-4.1	1.9	2.8	-1.2
Coffee	206.677	204.767	206.897	205.838	.9	4.8	-1.7	-1.6	2.8	-1.6
Roasted coffee ³	214.947	213.082	215.300	213.962	3.4	6.1	-1.5	-1.8	4.7	-1.7
Instant and freeze dried coffee ^{1 3}	205.507	204.701	205.312	200.693	-3.6	17.4	-12.4	-9.0	6.4	-10.7
Other beverage materials including tea ²	125.548	128.114	127.794	129.096	5.7	.5	-12.0	11.8	3.1	-.8
Other food at home	208.704	209.381	209.697	209.175	1.5	2.5	.2	.9	2.0	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	216.413	215.925	216.926	217.194	1.6	15.6	-.4	1.5	8.4	.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	191.128	191.402	192.701	192.281	-1.6	18.2	6.2	2.4	7.8	4.3
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	145.266	144.555	145.299	145.817	8.3	13.6	-1.0	1.5	10.9	.3
Other sweets ²	153.425	154.129	153.749	153.669	-1.4	1.6	-2.3	.6	.1	-.8
Fats and oils	226.339	226.739	225.323	226.521	-.2	-4.0	-3.5	.3	-2.2	-1.6
Butter and margarine ²	193.321	195.712	195.555	198.629	13.5	-16.8	-10.0	11.4	-2.8	.2
Butter ³	221.160	223.298	227.122	231.251	29.7	-26.7	-18.2	19.5	-2.5	-1.1
Margarine ³	287.781	291.917	288.071	289.627	3.8	-6.8	-1.6	2.6	-1.6	.5
Salad dressing ²	132.743	131.207	130.509	130.389	-6.9	9.7	2.9	-6.9	1.1	-2.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	160.238	160.184	158.838	159.620	-5.4	-2.6	-2.4	-1.5	-4.0	-2.0
Peanut butter ^{1 2 3}	163.103	162.435	157.888	158.198	-.7	-1.7	-2.1	-11.5	-1.2	-6.9
Other foods	222.614	223.639	224.113	223.107	1.7	1.1	1.0	.9	1.4	.9
Soups	237.009	240.928	239.904	237.896	-6.0	-3.7	2.8	1.5	-4.9	2.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	171.588	172.057	172.366	170.877	-.4	-4.4	6.6	-1.6	-2.4	2.4
Snacks ¹	249.324	250.962	250.915	251.765	1.9	10.1	-4.0	4.0	5.9	-.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	233.956	237.210	236.552	235.245	1.6	3.9	2.0	2.2	2.8	2.1
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2 3}	145.084	148.368	147.297	148.569	5.3	-1.6	6.7	10.0	1.8	8.3
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2 3}	135.190	132.888	137.946	136.109	7.2	11.3	-2.7	2.7	9.2	.0
Sauces and gravies ^{2 3}	134.975	138.737	136.512	134.902	.6	6.5	-2.5	-.2	3.5	-1.4
Other condiments ³	273.497	271.764	272.984	269.966	-3.4	10.0	-.4	-5.1	3.0	-2.8
Baby food ^{1 2}	154.482	152.693	153.342	153.202	1.0	-2.4	.0	-3.3	-.7	-1.7
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	131.622	131.460	132.069	130.940	4.9	-.8	1.2	-2.1	2.0	-.5
Prepared salads ^{1 3 4}	119.331	120.001	121.366	121.255	5.6	4.9	-5.8	6.6	5.3	.2
Food away from home ¹	255.322	255.846	255.905	256.449	3.5	2.8	2.6	1.8	3.2	2.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	158.711	159.282	159.713	159.970	2.8	2.1	2.1	3.2	2.4	2.7
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	163.041	163.020	163.251	163.670	4.5	3.5	2.6	1.6	4.0	2.1
Food at employee sites and schools ²	161.312	161.647	155.249	154.465	5.7	2.3	2.5	-15.9	4.0	-7.2
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{3 5}	135.468	135.601	NA	127.732	8.2	1.5	2.9	-21.0	4.8	-9.8
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	146.406	146.290	146.326	146.448	.5	5.4	2.9	.1	2.9	1.5

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	179.463	181.339	181.165	180.918	1.4	4.5	6.7	3.3	2.9	5.0
Alcoholic beverages	239.556	238.992	239.066	239.363	3.4	-2.1	1.5	-3	.7	.6
Alcoholic beverages at home	197.164	196.464	196.538	196.964	2.6	-4.4	.7	-4	-1.0	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	214.408	215.082	215.141	215.283	1.9	-4.8	3.2	1.6	-1.5	2.4
Distilled spirits at home	193.749	191.472	191.979	192.075	3.8	-1.1	.7	-3.4	1.3	-1.4
Whiskey at home ^{1 3}	208.854	206.374	206.503	207.004	-1.1	2.7	1.4	-3.5	.8	-1.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ³	186.549	185.703	184.909	185.126	6.5	-.6	-1.5	-3.0	2.9	-2.2
Wine at home	168.554	167.231	167.475	167.580	2.0	-3.4	-1.8	-2.3	-.7	-2.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	331.239	330.669	330.812	330.945	5.0	.5	3.4	-.4	2.7	1.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3}	164.011	163.307	163.477	163.484	4.7	.6	3.7	-1.3	2.7	1.2
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	178.559	178.232	178.642	178.649	3.7	.8	2.6	.2	2.3	1.4
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	177.085	177.826	177.732	177.830	4.6	.6	8.0	1.7	2.6	4.8
Housing	237.132	237.714	238.171	238.600	2.1	2.1	1.4	2.5	2.1	1.9
Shelter	277.468	278.316	279.305	279.908	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.6	2.9	3.3
Rent of primary residence ⁶	284.506	285.562	286.517	287.419	3.6	3.2	3.5	4.2	3.4	3.8
Lodging away from home ²	151.195	148.822	152.552	151.711	6.2	4.8	-5.2	1.4	5.5	-2.0
Housing at school, excluding board ^{6 7}	506.386	507.934	510.967	507.947	3.4	3.8	2.0	1.2	3.6	1.6
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	313.081	306.787	315.887	314.174	6.8	5.0	-6.8	1.4	5.9	-2.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{6 7}	284.658	285.696	286.510	287.138	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.5	2.7	3.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{6 7}	284.627	285.660	286.473	287.097	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.5	2.7	3.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.364	145.976	146.348	146.333	1.2	6.5	1.2	-.1	3.8	.5
Fuels and utilities	229.271	229.674	228.405	229.130	-1.8	.4	-8.2	-.2	-.7	-4.3
Household energy	194.047	194.282	192.797	193.182	-4.0	-.7	-11.6	-1.8	-2.3	-6.8
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	266.112	260.468	252.454	239.905	-19.1	-37.3	-17.0	-33.9	-28.8	-26.0
Fuel oil ¹	272.874	267.649	258.620	237.580	-32.3	-48.7	-8.6	-42.5	-41.0	-27.5
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸	309.942	311.134	304.220	301.670	-10.1	-36.8	3.8	-10.3	-24.6	-3.5
Energy services ⁶	197.631	198.117	196.852	197.785	-2.9	2.1	-11.3	.3	-.4	-5.7
Electricity ⁶	208.028	208.521	207.596	208.198	-.6	7.5	-9.0	.3	3.4	-4.5
Utility (piped) gas service ⁶	163.789	164.248	161.980	163.895	-10.4	-15.2	-19.3	.3	-12.8	-10.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	212.793	213.545	213.812	215.292	6.2	4.1	3.8	4.8	5.1	4.3
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁶	489.725	492.094	492.749	496.571	7.8	4.9	4.3	5.7	6.3	5.0
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 9}	431.234	430.813	431.229	432.967	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.6	1.2	1.7
Household furnishings and operations	122.966	122.789	122.581	122.239	.2	-1.6	1.7	-2.3	-.7	-3
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	61.091	61.531	61.135	60.385	-3.7	-7.0	-4.2	-4.5	-5.3	-4.4
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	108.686	109.241	109.267	108.264	-6.2	1.5	.8	-1.5	-2.5	-.4
Window coverings ^{1 2}	68.954	67.971	67.645	66.720	14.2	-19.2	-9.9	-12.3	-3.9	-11.1
Other linens ^{1 2}	48.318	49.013	48.581	47.964	-8.0	-5.0	-3.8	-2.9	-6.5	-3.4
Furniture and bedding ¹	115.645	115.679	114.991	113.508	.3	-2.3	6.0	-7.2	-1.0	-.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	132.257	132.275	130.356	129.764	-2.7	-11.2	14.5	-7.3	-7.0	3.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	87.570	87.686	87.579	85.681	4.0	1.2	2.8	-8.4	2.6	-2.9
Other furniture ²	74.243	74.340	74.556	74.751	-2.6	3.6	-4.7	2.8	.5	-1.1
Infants' furniture ^{1 3 5}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ²	79.986	79.932	79.110	78.941	-4.4	-3.6	-.9	-5.1	-4.0	-3.0
Major appliances ²	88.853	88.662	87.066	87.585	-9.4	-2.4	-1.7	-5.6	-6.0	-3.6
Laundry equipment ³	100.880	101.028	98.142	98.803	-13.2	6.0	-1.1	-8.0	-4.1	-4.6
Other appliances ^{1 2}	68.151	68.305	68.280	67.506	2.1	-4.0	-2.1	-3.7	-1.0	-2.9
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	59.282	58.791	58.506	58.635	-2.0	-5.5	-.6	-4.3	-3.8	-2.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	47.599	47.147	47.232	46.675	-6.9	-4.4	-3.3	-7.5	-5.7	-5.5
Indoor plants and flowers ¹⁰	127.972	128.656	126.554	126.973	3.8	2.4	-1.2	-3.1	3.1	-2.2
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	55.910	55.162	55.147	56.576	-14.4	4.0	5.3	4.9	-5.6	5.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	91.188	90.602	90.580	90.898	3.5	-7.4	1.7	-1.3	-2.1	.2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	91.356	91.228	90.830	90.547	3.2	-1.8	1.1	-3.5	.7	-1.2
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	100.756	100.393	99.843	99.672	2.8	2.5	-1.3	-4.2	2.7	-2.8
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	86.961	86.928	86.482	86.237	2.3	-2.5	2.2	-3.3	-.1	-.6
Housekeeping supplies ¹	187.551	186.758	186.704	186.305	.7	-.2	1.6	-2.6	.2	-.6
Household cleaning products ²	119.937	118.999	119.529	119.119	2.1	-1.7	6.0	-2.7	.2	1.6
Household paper products ^{1 2}	169.339	168.786	169.049	168.656	-.8	-.2	.1	-1.6	-.5	-.8
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	119.482	119.254	118.859	119.004	-3.3	.2	.8	-1.6	-1.6	-.4
Household operations ^{1 2}	166.495	167.457	167.543	168.204	3.0	1.1	4.8	4.2	2.1	4.5
Domestic services ^{1 2}	155.496	155.552	155.613	155.778	2.2	1.8	.5	.7	2.0	.6
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	172.410	172.418	172.388	172.856	6.4	-.1	8.4	1.0	3.1	4.6

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	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	138.584	141.033	141.581	143.018	0.9	8.1	4.6	13.4	4.4	8.9
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	218.247	221.704	220.147	220.115	3.8	4.5	-1	3.5	4.2	1.7
Apparel	125.964	125.776	126.151	126.545	-3.2	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-2.2	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	120.058	119.245	117.814	118.628	-2.4	6.4	-3.9	-4.7	1.9	-4.3
Men's apparel	124.262	123.902	122.429	122.768	-2.2	6.7	-5.5	-4.7	2.2	-5.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	111.717	113.272	114.468	117.876	-9.5	6.7	-9.0	23.9	-1.7	6.2
Men's furnishings	158.279	155.555	152.884	153.260	-4.3	-8.9	13.9	-12.1	-6.7	.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	78.395	78.570	75.952	76.164	4.7	18.4	-22.3	-10.9	11.3	-16.8
Men's pants and shorts	123.882	123.663	123.238	122.204	-1.0	9.4	-1	-5.3	4.1	-2.7
Boys' apparel	103.852	103.301	101.044	100.971	4.5	2.7	3.9	-10.6	3.6	-3.6
Women's and girls' apparel	111.382	111.423	112.286	112.142	-5.2	-5.1	-8	2.8	-5.1	1.0
Women's apparel	114.258	114.653	115.474	115.089	-5.7	-7.4	.5	2.9	-6.5	1.7
Women's outerwear	110.741	113.336	116.212	112.249	-24.4	1.4	1.4	5.6	-12.4	3.4
Women's dresses	121.083	122.011	123.701	127.341	21.1	-11.9	-12.5	22.3	3.3	3.4
Women's suits and separates ²	82.630	82.213	82.537	82.174	-12.6	-9.3	8.6	-2.2	-11.0	3.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	103.449	104.871	105.073	105.150	-4.7	-2.9	-4.5	6.7	-3.8	.9
Girls' apparel	97.656	96.092	97.135	98.085	-2.7	8.3	-7.2	1.8	2.7	-2.8
Footwear	136.761	136.326	137.446	138.018	.6	-1.3	1.3	3.7	-3	2.5
Men's footwear ¹	140.226	137.674	138.090	139.035	-3.1	-2.3	8.0	-3.4	-2.7	2.1
Boys' and girls' footwear	153.815	152.380	152.595	153.299	1.1	-6.2	15.9	-1.3	-2.6	6.9
Women's footwear	125.737	126.280	129.328	130.487	1.0	.6	-9.9	16.0	.8	2.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	117.628	118.911	119.597	124.553	-.5	-5.5	6.3	25.7	-3.0	15.6
Jewelry and watches ⁸	159.145	159.948	161.692	160.158	-7.1	.0	-5.1	2.6	-3.6	-1.3
Watches ^{1 8}	122.505	123.852	124.150	124.520	-3.5	9.7	-5.3	6.7	2.9	.5
Jewelry ⁸	164.676	165.555	167.682	164.143	-6.8	-6	-5.5	-1.3	-3.8	-3.4
Transportation	202.757	204.735	204.789	202.223	-11.5	-24.9	15.1	-1.0	-18.5	6.7
Private transportation	197.283	199.139	199.715	197.280	-12.5	-26.3	15.9	.0	-19.7	7.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	101.260	101.179	100.909	100.742	-1.2	.0	2.9	-2.0	-6	.4
New vehicles	147.505	147.667	147.381	147.347	.6	.0	2.1	-4	.3	.8
New cars and trucks ^{2 3}	102.254	102.376	102.190	102.147	.7	.0	2.1	-4	.4	.8
New cars ³	144.786	145.144	144.525	144.508	.5	.0	.6	-8	.2	-.1
New trucks ^{3 9}	155.690	155.883	155.928	155.961	.9	-.8	3.6	.7	.0	2.2
Used cars and trucks	148.807	148.267	147.376	146.751	-6.1	-1	5.9	-5.4	-3.1	.1
Leased cars and trucks ¹¹	84.030	83.404	83.406	83.137	1.6	.3	-3.4	-4.2	.9	-3.8
Car and truck rental ²	130.034	130.514	132.909	132.544	6.1	-1.5	9.0	7.9	2.3	8.4
Motor fuel	227.090	234.676	236.667	226.975	-34.3	-67.3	60.4	-.2	-53.7	26.5
Gasoline (all types)	225.935	233.504	235.596	226.047	-34.2	-67.4	61.1	.2	-53.7	27.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	223.117	230.902	232.584	222.681	-35.0	-68.3	62.5	-.8	-54.6	27.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 12}	236.799	244.992	248.515	240.792	-31.5	-65.0	49.4	6.9	-51.1	26.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	231.022	236.148	239.204	231.050	-28.5	-61.7	54.0	.0	-47.7	24.1
Other motor fuels ²	207.198	209.601	205.484	193.700	-19.7	-59.9	-2.9	-23.6	-43.3	-13.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	144.581	143.880	143.823	143.793	-2.2	2.9	-1.5	-2.2	.4	-1.8
Tires ¹	126.929	126.119	126.205	126.009	-3.7	3.2	-2.0	-2.9	-.3	-2.5
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	166.236	165.914	165.511	165.896	.8	2.4	-.6	-.8	1.6	-.7
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 3}	156.913	156.848	156.800	156.476	1.5	2.6	.5	-1.1	2.0	-.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 3}	371.558	366.386	367.290	368.982	-1.5	-.4	3.1	-2.7	-1.0	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	270.764	270.981	271.175	270.838	3.4	1.1	2.4	.1	2.3	1.3
Motor vehicle body work ¹	280.621	280.459	281.041	280.315	-.2	.6	2.7	-.4	.2	1.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	243.900	243.673	243.300	243.371	3.7	-1.7	3.2	-.9	1.0	1.1
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	167.865	168.265	168.673	168.271	3.6	3.6	1.9	1.0	3.6	1.4
Motor vehicle insurance	457.957	459.354	462.055	462.879	5.2	7.7	4.4	4.4	6.5	4.4
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	177.743	177.619	180.033	180.349	-1.9	2.9	.8	6.0	.5	3.4
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 6}	167.626	167.633	171.420	171.635	-6.2	1.0	.9	9.9	-2.7	5.3
Parking and other fees ²	194.268	194.190	194.349	194.931	5.2	2.9	1.6	1.4	4.0	1.5
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	215.541	215.201	216.095	216.639	2.4	6.9	1.0	2.1	4.6	1.5
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	126.329	126.220	125.949	126.098	1.2	1.9	1.7	-.7	1.5	.5
Public transportation	273.818	277.670	268.740	264.216	2.0	-4.9	5.8	-13.3	-1.5	-4.2
Airline fare	303.420	309.497	292.158	282.969	1.1	-7.7	10.5	-24.4	-3.4	-8.6
Other intercity transportation	149.880	148.977	152.644	156.165	6.2	-9.2	-1.0	17.9	-1.8	8.0

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Intercity bus fare ^{1 3 4}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ^{1 3 4}	108.453	114.064	116.564	111.379	-13.4	-20.8	14.8	11.2	-17.1	13.0
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	59.193	59.564	61.814	62.617	2.9	-1.9	-9.3	25.2	.5	6.6
Intracity transportation ¹	303.940	304.208	304.343	304.589	2.2	2.4	4.2	.9	2.3	2.5
Intracity mass transit ^{1 3 13}	120.178	120.417	120.495	120.608	2.4	1.6	5.6	1.4	2.0	3.5
Medical care	446.781	446.051	446.649	446.812	3.1	1.8	5.0	.0	2.5	2.5
Medical care commodities	354.579	354.655	354.972	355.992	4.8	5.1	2.0	1.6	4.9	1.8
Medicinal drugs ^{1 13}	115.815	115.793	116.055	116.435	3.4	7.4	1.3	2.2	5.4	1.7
Prescription drugs	478.657	479.954	480.354	482.358	6.9	4.8	3.9	3.1	5.8	3.5
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 13}	98.228	97.272	97.908	97.738	-2.2	1.5	-.1	-2.0	-.3	-1.1
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 13}	100.575	100.188	99.799	99.708	1.8	-3.9	2.6	-3.4	-1.1	-.4
Medical care services	476.229	475.189	475.890	475.708	2.6	.8	5.9	-.4	1.7	2.7
Professional services	360.599	361.334	362.261	361.849	2.6	.0	2.9	1.4	1.3	2.2
Physicians' services ⁶	365.338	366.139	366.959	365.999	2.2	-.4	4.7	.7	.9	2.7
Dental services ⁶	450.775	451.841	453.378	453.836	2.0	3.7	2.2	2.7	2.9	2.5
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 8}	184.343	184.845	183.776	183.270	2.6	-2.2	.5	-2.3	.2	-.9
Services by other medical professionals ^{6 8}	228.170	227.842	228.267	229.010	5.1	-3.0	1.1	1.5	1.0	1.3
Hospital and related services	766.256	759.432	759.114	761.108	3.2	1.9	11.2	-2.7	2.5	4.0
Hospital services ^{6 14}	292.242	289.104	288.898	289.623	3.3	2.1	12.5	-3.5	2.7	4.2
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 6 14}	286.508	282.867	283.644	284.748	2.6	1.4	11.5	-2.4	2.0	4.3
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 6 8}	660.720	653.619	651.421	651.667	2.6	2.4	13.5	-5.4	2.5	3.6
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{6 14}	205.472	206.245	206.386	207.296	3.8	2.4	3.1	3.6	3.1	3.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 5}	117.720	117.920	117.974	118.091	.5	-.3	3.5	1.3	.1	2.4
Health insurance ^{1 5}	123.372	122.963	123.041	122.809	.1	1.7	4.2	-1.8	.9	1.2
Recreation ²	115.904	116.186	116.233	116.064	.2	.5	1.4	.6	.4	1.0
Video and audio ²	99.470	99.543	99.547	99.306	.4	.8	-.8	-.7	.6	-.7
Televisions	3.432	3.446	3.395	3.344	-18.5	-12.3	-11.2	-9.9	-15.5	-10.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁹	420.926	421.959	422.581	421.573	4.0	1.7	.1	.6	2.9	.3
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	10.743	10.787	10.627	10.587	-8.9	-10.0	-2.4	-5.7	-9.4	-4.0
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2}	73.505	71.465	72.075	73.427	.0	7.1	.8	-.4	3.5	.2
Video discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	41.677	39.594	40.071	41.584	-3.8	2.3	-.5	-.9	-.8	-.7
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	121.259	121.298	121.454	120.539	1.2	13.4	4.1	-2.4	7.1	.8
Audio equipment	36.143	36.058	35.754	35.760	-8.9	-3.6	-.3	-4.2	-6.3	-2.3
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	87.572	87.304	87.400	86.255	-10.3	5.1	-1.6	-5.9	-2.9	-3.8
Pets, pet products and services ²	167.374	167.963	166.880	167.191	4.1	-.2	1.5	-.4	1.9	.5
Pets and pet products ¹	198.785	199.482	197.183	197.083	4.8	-2.7	-.5	-3.4	1.0	-2.0
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	152.958	153.511	150.514	149.901	1.7	-4.3	1.1	-7.8	-1.4	-3.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	114.001	114.199	113.649	114.032	9.9	-2.6	.2	.1	3.5	.2
Pet services including veterinary ²	225.046	225.845	226.222	227.493	2.8	3.9	5.0	4.4	3.4	4.7
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	180.265	180.857	181.266	182.549	1.0	2.6	2.8	5.2	1.8	4.0
Veterinarian services ^{2 3}	235.370	235.972	236.473	238.134	3.0	3.7	5.9	4.8	3.3	5.4
Sporting goods ¹	114.271	114.261	115.146	114.893	-1.7	-1.1	-2.8	2.2	-1.4	-.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	150.829	150.258	151.523	151.529	-2.7	2.5	4.4	1.9	-.1	3.1
Sports equipment	83.303	83.628	84.508	84.349	-.7	-3.2	-12.0	5.1	-2.0	-3.8
Photography ²	74.550	74.401	75.115	74.509	-1.7	-6.9	-7.6	-.2	-4.3	-4.0
Photographic equipment and supplies	54.445	54.555	55.113	54.482	-4.1	-13.3	-14.5	.3	-8.8	-7.4
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	126.487	126.585	126.142	126.107	3.6	-3.5	-6.9	-1.2	.0	-4.1
Photographic equipment ^{2 3}	22.352	22.288	22.577	22.446	-5.8	-13.8	-17.0	1.7	-9.9	-8.1
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	121.659	120.970	122.048	121.420	.8	-.3	-.8	-.8	.3	-.8
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	128.373	127.191	127.432	126.727	-2.1	-1.6	2.0	-5.0	-1.9	-1.6
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	118.588	118.829	120.723	120.465	1.9	3.2	-4.5	6.5	2.5	.9
Other recreational goods ²	47.258	46.884	46.890	46.425	-4.5	-8.8	-1.4	-6.9	-6.7	-4.1
Toys	45.024	44.631	44.418	43.997	-5.9	-9.4	-3.1	-8.8	-7.7	-6.0
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{2 3}	53.681	53.334	52.788	52.339	-2.7	-10.1	2.0	-9.6	-6.5	-4.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	97.709	96.570	97.624	97.165	-5.9	-6.4	3.5	-6.2	-6.2	-1.4
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	98.636	98.768	100.601	99.999	9.1	-9.5	5.0	5.6	-.7	5.3
Other recreation services ²	156.180	157.376	157.720	157.681	-1.5	4.2	5.5	3.9	1.3	4.7
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2}	129.237	131.952	132.608	131.751	-.7	-2.1	2.2	8.0	-1.4	5.1
Admissions ¹	356.964	356.001	355.686	357.280	-4.5	11.4	8.9	.4	3.1	4.6

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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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	168.981	168.494	168.777	168.727	-5.4	6.5	6.8	-0.6	0.3	3.0
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	208.506	209.363	207.389	210.365	1.4	21.4	12.7	3.6	11.0	8.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 8}	285.536	287.158	287.116	288.024	3.5	-6	3.3	3.5	1.4	3.4
Recreational reading materials ¹	241.266	239.927	240.964	241.030	4.7	-4	5.6	-4	2.1	2.6
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	165.435	163.388	165.370	165.250	5.3	.0	8.9	-4	2.6	4.1
Recreational books ^{1 2}	100.146	100.473	99.905	100.056	3.8	-8	1.5	-4	1.5	.6
Education and communication ²	137.720	137.981	137.977	138.082	-1.3	.1	.6	1.1	-6	.8
Education ²	239.873	241.083	241.274	241.130	3.5	3.9	4.9	2.1	3.7	3.5
Educational books and supplies	645.841	643.664	648.156	649.695	5.4	6.5	4.4	2.4	6.0	3.4
College textbooks ^{1 3 11}	219.668	217.868	219.329	223.486	6.8	5.3	2.6	7.1	6.0	4.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	686.954	690.796	691.067	690.523	3.4	3.7	5.0	2.1	3.6	3.5
College tuition and fees	783.525	787.808	788.081	786.196	3.9	3.8	4.1	1.4	3.9	2.7
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	748.779	751.192	752.276	752.273	4.0	3.8	4.7	1.9	3.9	3.3
Child care and nursery school ¹⁰	275.081	276.288	276.909	277.395	2.3	3.1	8.3	3.4	2.7	5.8
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	233.531	233.870	234.342	233.940	2.6	1.4	.4	.7	2.0	.6
Communication ²	79.868	79.789	79.727	79.887	-5.3	-3.2	-3.2	.1	-4.2	-1.6
Postage and delivery services ²	172.990	173.665	174.496	175.073	4.1	-10.5	2.3	4.9	-3.5	3.6
Postage	272.049	273.018	274.021	275.081	4.8	-11.5	3.1	4.5	-3.7	3.8
Delivery services ²	279.859	281.826	286.024	285.520	-2.3	-1.6	-4.3	8.3	-2.0	1.8
Information and information processing ²	76.065	75.975	75.898	76.047	-5.6	-2.9	-3.4	-1	-4.3	-1.8
Telephone services ^{1 2}	98.469	98.553	98.781	99.409	-6.7	-1.6	-3.4	3.9	-4.2	.2
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	54.537	54.555	54.711	55.194	-9.8	-5.4	-6.1	4.9	-7.6	-8
Land-line telephone services ^{1 13}	113.279	113.484	113.632	113.830	-2	6.1	2.1	2.0	2.9	2.0
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁵	8.100	8.054	7.987	7.925	-2.0	-6.8	-3.5	-8.4	-4.4	-6.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁴	48.327	47.833	47.680	47.381	-11.3	-12.2	-4.7	-7.6	-11.8	-6.2
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	37.244	36.926	36.382	36.776	-1.5	-7.2	7.2	-4.9	-4.4	1.0
Internet services and electronic information providers ² ..	77.694	77.584	76.739	76.056	2.2	-3.3	-2.6	-8.2	-6	-5.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2}	24.563	23.845	23.997	23.518	-22.1	-1.2	-18.9	-16.0	-12.3	-17.4
Other goods and services	413.187	415.203	415.153	415.483	1.3	1.6	1.4	2.2	1.5	1.8
Tobacco and smoking products	924.821	931.807	932.258	936.553	4.1	2.9	2.9	5.2	3.5	4.0
Cigarettes ²	377.543	380.544	380.627	382.182	4.0	2.8	3.4	5.0	3.4	4.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	242.297	243.886	244.413	246.640	7.1	2.7	-3.2	7.4	4.9	1.9
Personal care	220.051	220.966	220.903	220.851	.6	1.2	1.0	1.5	.9	1.2
Personal care products ¹	163.185	162.617	162.404	161.877	-2.3	3.4	-3.4	-3.2	.5	-3.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	104.215	103.462	103.475	102.793	-2.5	6.6	-2.1	-5.3	1.9	-3.8
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	186.976	187.081	186.557	186.629	-2.1	.1	-4.8	-7	-1.0	-2.8
Personal care services ¹	244.802	248.652	248.908	248.794	1.6	-1.2	3.9	6.7	.2	5.3
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	149.369	151.719	151.874	151.805	1.6	-1.2	3.9	6.7	.2	5.3
Miscellaneous personal services	397.068	398.952	399.388	400.213	2.7	2.1	2.3	3.2	2.4	2.8
Legal services ^{1 8}	321.825	321.793	323.086	324.413	.5	.2	2.8	3.3	.3	3.0
Funeral expenses ^{1 8}	312.282	312.554	313.132	315.528	2.0	1.8	2.7	4.2	1.9	3.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	154.897	156.189	155.944	156.161	2.3	.5	2.9	3.3	1.4	3.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} ..	181.222	181.395	180.702	181.125	1.6	2.4	1.7	-2	2.0	.8
Financial services ^{1 8}	317.257	320.542	318.886	318.797	3.3	8.6	3.7	2.0	5.9	2.8
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	150.552	151.599	150.610	150.472	.0	1.5	7.0	-2	.8	3.3
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3} ..	216.641	218.410	217.155	217.215	5.1	11.1	3.4	1.1	8.1	2.2
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	82.420	81.805	81.313	81.683	-5.7	-1.6	-3.6	-3.5	-3.7	-3.6
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³	152.467	151.187	149.782	150.389	-3.2	-3.7	-2.2	-5.3	-3.4	-3.8
Infants' equipment ^{1 3 5}	85.698	83.310	83.069	85.561	-3.6	4.3	-8.5	-6	.3	-4.7
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	182.851	183.560	183.683	182.897	-4.7	-11.4	4.9	.1	-8.1	2.5
Commodities less food and beverages	151.207	151.925	151.933	150.617	-9.3	-19.0	8.8	-1.6	-14.3	3.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	192.664	194.341	194.521	191.979	-11.9	-28.0	10.8	-1.4	-20.3	4.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	238.700	241.511	241.865	237.323	-14.5	-35.1	15.7	-2.3	-25.5	6.3
Durables	109.708	109.470	109.138	108.823	-1.9	-1.1	1.6	-3.2	-1.5	-8
Services	290.606	291.432	291.898	292.322	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.3
Rent of shelter ⁷	289.620	289.881	290.859	291.529	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.7	3.0	3.3
Transportation services	291.259	292.347	291.636	290.779	3.2	2.5	3.4	-7	2.9	1.3

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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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Special aggregate indexes										
Other services	338.013	339.426	339.701	339.950	0.3	1.4	1.8	2.3	0.8	2.1
All items less food	235.642	236.402	236.698	236.413	-1.1	-3.9	3.8	1.3	-2.5	2.6
All items less shelter	223.861	224.588	224.636	224.163	-2.2	-5.9	3.3	.5	-4.1	1.9
All items less medical care	226.922	227.738	228.036	227.855	-.9	-3.5	3.0	1.7	-2.2	2.3
Commodities less food	154.222	154.908	154.918	153.641	-8.8	-18.3	8.5	-1.5	-13.7	3.4
Nondurables less food	195.383	196.956	197.151	194.747	-11.0	-26.4	10.0	-1.3	-19.0	4.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	237.548	240.058	240.412	236.306	-13.1	-32.7	14.1	-2.1	-23.5	5.7
Nondurables	218.675	219.958	220.264	219.127	-4.4	-13.7	3.9	.8	-9.2	2.3
Apparel less footwear	118.887	118.765	118.950	119.287	-4.2	-1.1	-1.8	1.4	-2.7	-3
Services less rent of shelter ⁷	314.981	315.501	315.427	315.872	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.2
Services less medical care services	276.409	277.255	277.758	278.394	2.1	2.4	1.5	2.9	2.3	2.2
Energy	209.039	212.668	212.790	208.521	-21.9	-43.0	17.9	-1.0	-33.3	8.0
All items less energy	241.717	242.193	242.526	242.766	1.8	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.9
All items less food and energy	241.760	242.193	242.513	242.693	1.6	1.6	2.5	1.6	1.6	2.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	146.483	146.306	146.101	145.982	-.9	-.6	.9	-1.4	-.7	-.3
Energy commodities	230.682	237.761	239.336	229.439	-33.6	-66.2	54.8	-2.1	-52.6	23.1
Services less energy services	300.031	300.890	301.525	301.901	2.5	2.3	3.1	2.5	2.4	2.8
Domestically produced farm food	249.177	250.394	251.027	251.488	2.8	.4	-3.4	3.8	1.6	.1
Utilities and public transportation	214.360	214.803	213.764	214.191	-1.2	.5	-3.7	-3	-4	-2.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.
² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
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 categories¹

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Aug. 2015 from—
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014
Food and beverages									
Rice ²	168.551	169.016	168.963	166.188	0.5	0.3	0.0	-1.6	-2.2
White bread	324.282	325.160	326.016	321.254	.2	.3	.3	-1.5	.5
Bread other than white	338.993	344.364	342.770	345.153	-.9	1.6	-.5	.7	.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	289.296	291.787	291.947	293.605	1.2	.9	.1	.6	3.9
Cookies	265.737	266.502	269.951	269.976	.7	.3	1.3	.0	1.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts	291.920	292.575	295.482	296.939	-1.5	.2	1.0	.5	1.2
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	308.786	309.845	311.969	312.894	.0	.3	.7	.3	.8
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers	270.231	269.066	272.682	270.909	-.8	-.4	1.3	-.7	-.1
Bacon and related products	259.630	266.031	271.069	280.298	-4.5	2.5	1.9	3.4	-9.3
Breakfast sausage and related products ²	150.370	149.291	149.752	148.618	-.1	-.7	.3	-.8	-5.0
Ham, excluding canned	238.527	238.749	238.713	241.962	1.1	.1	.0	1.4	-9.3
Frankfurters	223.014	225.357	222.075	223.577	-2.6	1.1	-1.5	.7	6.7
Lunchmeats ²	145.756	145.209	146.079	147.285	-.1	-.4	.6	.8	2.2
Lamb and organ meats	322.173	326.497	334.859	335.187	-3.0	1.3	2.6	.1	4.9
Lamb and mutton ²	172.695	174.869	179.976	180.661	-3.0	1.3	2.9	.4	2.5
Fresh whole chicken	253.259	258.315	254.575	253.129	-1.0	2.0	-1.4	-.6	-2.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	222.509	226.270	225.204	223.913	-3.0	1.7	-.5	-.6	-1.5
Shelf stable fish and seafood	200.040	199.751	202.931	202.323	-1.2	-.1	1.6	-.3	2.0
Frozen fish and seafood	320.722	317.646	321.858	318.309	-.1	-1.0	1.3	-1.1	-2.3
Fresh whole milk	211.834	209.330	212.579	209.408	-.9	-1.2	1.6	-1.5	-8.4
Fresh milk other than whole ²	150.779	149.280	151.327	150.207	-.3	-1.0	1.4	-.7	-6.0
Oranges, including tangerines	464.706	482.027	513.075	539.743	5.9	3.7	6.4	5.2	3.5
Canned fruits ²	158.571	158.314	159.711	159.487	2.0	-.2	.9	-.1	1.9
Canned vegetables ²	172.913	173.079	174.595	174.288	.5	.1	.9	-.2	.7
Frozen vegetables	206.026	204.552	204.859	206.441	3.6	-.7	.2	.8	2.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ²	207.297	207.452	206.853	207.256	-.2	.1	-.3	.2	3.8
Roasted coffee	215.874	213.014	216.506	216.377	-1.0	-1.3	1.6	-.1	1.5
Instant and freeze dried coffee	205.507	204.701	205.312	200.693	-1.0	-.4	.3	-2.2	-2.5
Butter	221.879	222.871	228.530	232.911	-.1	.4	2.5	1.9	-1.8
Margarine	289.257	290.775	287.745	291.796	.8	.5	-1.0	1.4	-.6
Peanut butter ²	163.103	162.435	157.888	158.198	.4	-.4	-2.8	.2	-4.1
Salt and other seasonings and spices ²	145.558	147.779	147.304	149.092	-.1	1.5	-.3	1.2	5.0
Olives, pickles, relishes ²	135.190	132.888	137.946	136.109	-.8	-1.7	3.8	-1.3	4.5
Sauces and gravies ²	135.464	138.006	137.398	136.431	-.6	1.9	-.4	-.7	1.0
Other condiments	277.170	273.561	274.130	279.323	1.1	-1.3	.2	1.9	.1
Prepared salads ³	119.331	120.001	121.366	121.255	-1.0	.6	1.1	-.1	2.7
Food at elementary and secondary schools ⁴	134.925	133.864	NA	127.475	.0	-.8	-	-	-2.8
Whiskey at home	208.854	206.374	206.503	207.004	.0	-1.2	.1	.2	-.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home	187.098	185.610	185.392	186.143	.7	-.8	-.1	.4	.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ²	164.011	163.307	163.477	163.484	.1	-.4	.1	.0	1.9
Wine away from home ²	178.559	178.232	178.642	178.649	.5	-.2	.2	.0	1.8
Distilled spirits away from home ²	177.085	177.826	177.732	177.830	.8	.4	-.1	.1	3.7
Housing									
Infants' furniture ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Laundry equipment	101.027	100.936	97.919	97.928	-1.4	-.1	-3.0	.0	-4.4
Transportation									
New cars and trucks ²	102.523	102.500	102.036	101.713	.0	.0	-.5	-.3	.6
New cars	145.190	145.253	144.375	143.905	.0	.0	-.6	-.3	.1
New trucks ⁵	156.163	156.060	155.581	155.086	.1	-.1	-.3	-.3	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	235.406	241.676	240.718	227.099	10.7	2.7	-.4	-5.7	-24.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁶	249.380	256.161	256.360	245.418	9.6	2.7	.1	-4.3	-21.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	241.972	245.936	248.282	237.367	10.0	1.6	1.0	-4.4	-19.4
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires	156.913	156.848	156.800	156.476	.4	.0	.0	-.2	.9
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids	371.558	366.386	367.290	368.982	-.9	-1.4	.2	.5	-.4
Parking fees and tolls ²	215.541	215.201	216.095	216.639	.1	-.2	.4	.3	3.1
Automobile service clubs ²	126.329	126.220	125.949	126.098	-.1	-.1	-.2	.1	1.0
Intercity bus fare ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ³	108.453	114.064	116.564	111.379	-1.0	5.2	2.2	-4.4	-3.2
Ship fare ²	59.193	59.564	61.814	62.617	-1.2	.6	3.8	1.3	3.5
Intracity mass transit ⁷	120.178	120.417	120.495	120.608	.0	.2	.1	.1	2.7

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 categories¹-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Aug. 2015 from—
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014
Medical care									
Inpatient hospital services ^{8 9}	286.683	283.331	283.499	283.344	0.1	-1.2	0.1	-0.1	3.1
Outpatient hospital services ^{9 10}	659.993	652.181	650.704	647.880	.2	-1.2	-2	-4	3.0
Recreation									
Video discs and other media ²	41.677	39.594	40.071	41.584	1.8	-5.0	1.2	3.8	-7
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ²	121.259	121.298	121.454	120.539	.6	.0	.1	-8	3.9
Pet food ²	152.958	153.511	150.514	149.901	.4	.4	-2.0	-4	-2.4
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ²	114.001	114.199	113.649	114.032	.4	.2	-5	.3	1.8
Pet services ²	180.265	180.857	181.266	182.549	.3	.3	.2	.7	2.9
Veterinarian services ²	235.848	236.489	236.944	238.041	.7	.3	.2	.5	4.3
Film and photographic supplies ²	126.487	126.585	126.142	126.107	.0	.1	-3	.0	-2.1
Photographic equipment ²	22.628	22.592	22.855	22.969	-1.2	-2	1.2	.5	-9.0
Photographer fees ²	128.373	127.191	127.432	126.727	.4	-9	.2	-6	-1.7
Film processing ²	118.588	118.829	120.723	120.465	-8	.2	1.6	-2	1.7
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ²	54.105	53.936	53.266	52.557	.1	-3	-1.2	-1.3	-5.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ²	168.981	168.494	168.777	168.727	.1	-3	.2	.0	1.7
Admission to sporting events ²	208.506	209.363	207.389	210.365	1.9	.4	-9	1.4	9.5
Education and communication									
College textbooks ¹¹	219.668	217.868	219.329	223.486	.1	-8	.7	1.9	5.4
Other goods and services									
Checking account and other bank services ²	150.552	151.599	150.610	150.472	.1	.7	-7	-1	2.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ²	216.641	218.410	217.155	217.215	-1	.8	-6	.0	5.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap	153.453	151.553	149.366	148.139	1.4	-1.2	-1.4	-8	-3.6
Infants' equipment ⁴	85.698	83.310	83.069	85.561	-7	-2.8	-3	3.0	-2.2

¹ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

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

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

¹¹ 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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	233.806	233.366	-0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.1	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	-	696.436	695.127	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.011	246.020	246.657	1.5	.3	.3	.1	.2
Food	15.052	246.221	246.884	1.5	.3	.3	.1	.2
Food at home	9.259	241.466	242.163	.9	.3	.4	.3	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.255	276.685	276.182	1.1	-2	.6	.1	-1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.376	261.962	263.825	2.1	.7	1.4	.2	.4
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.950	220.088	219.362	-2.7	-3	-7	.9	-3
Fruits and vegetables	1.419	286.195	289.550	.1	1.2	-5	.4	1.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.092	166.825	167.304	1.5	.3	.1	.4	.1
Other food at home	2.167	208.997	208.594	1.1	-2	.3	.1	-2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.302	215.713	216.136	4.5	.2	-3	.6	.2
Fats and oils .....	.270	226.186	228.074	-1.9	.8	.2	-7	.5
Other foods	1.595	224.475	223.496	1.0	-4	.5	.1	-4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.456	131.992	130.796	.6	-9	-2	.5	-9
Food away from home ¹	5.793	255.596	256.209	2.6	.2	.1	-1	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.276	181.855	181.736	4.0	-1	.9	.0	-1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.959	241.665	241.886	.8	.1	-2	.1	.1
Housing	40.464	235.424	235.747	2.0	.1	.3	.2	.2
Shelter	31.105	272.545	273.223	3.1	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	9.800	283.445	284.479	3.6	.4	.4	.3	.3
Lodging away from home ² .....	.461	169.117	163.612	3.2	-3.3	-1.1	2.9	-4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	20.511	258.704	259.452	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	19.967	258.692	259.439	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.000	147.994	2.3	.0	-2	.2	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.903	233.088	232.784	-2.4	-1	.1	-6	.4
Household energy	4.578	197.811	196.975	-4.3	-4	.1	-8	.3
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.208	249.441	237.526	-27.4	-4.8	-2.8	-3.2	-4.8
Energy services ³	4.369	202.868	202.358	-3.1	-3	.2	-7	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	214.511	216.373	4.7	.9	.3	.1	.7
Household furnishings and operations	3.455	117.808	117.306	-9	-4	-1	-3	-2
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	173.063	174.306	4.1	.7	1.2	.1	.7
Apparel	3.595	122.316	123.906	-6	1.3	-4	.5	.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.973	118.398	117.700	-1.1	-6	-4	-1.1	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	1.427	104.553	107.319	-1.9	2.6	-4	1.1	-2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.193	119.004	123.982	5.0	4.2	1.0	.4	3.5
Footwear .....	.821	137.356	138.712	1.0	1.0	-6	1.1	.2
Transportation	18.015	206.873	203.021	-7.5	-1.9	1.0	.1	-1.4
Private transportation	17.211	203.090	199.431	-7.7	-1.8	1.0	.3	-1.4
New and used motor vehicles ²	6.886	101.241	100.963	-3	-3	-2	-4	-3
New vehicles	3.527	148.481	148.000	.7	-3	.2	-2	.0
Used cars and trucks	2.827	152.156	151.955	-1.5	-1	-6	-7	-7
Motor fuel	5.214	245.647	232.269	-23.4	-5.4	3.3	.9	-4.1
Gasoline (all types)	5.100	245.006	231.676	-23.2	-5.4	3.3	1.0	-4.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.532	144.733	144.768	-6	.0	-4	-1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.206	273.965	273.585	1.7	-1	.1	.1	-1
Public transportation .....	.805	273.458	264.757	-1.8	-3.2	1.1	-2.9	-1.1
Medical care	6.308	449.376	449.272	2.4	.0	-1	.1	.1
Medical care commodities	1.423	345.622	346.934	3.3	.4	.0	.1	.4
Medical care services	4.885	480.916	480.240	2.2	-1	-2	.1	.0
Professional services	2.474	365.568	365.086	1.8	-1	.3	.3	-1

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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Hospital and related services	1.738	768.393	767.315	3.3	-0.1	-0.9	0.0	0.3
Recreation ²	5.131	112.146	111.828	.3	-.3	.2	.0	-.2
Video and audio ²	2.054	100.935	100.460	.0	-.5	.1	-.1	-.3
Education and communication ²	6.875	128.851	129.389	-.6	.4	.1	.0	.1
Education ²	2.544	236.320	238.452	3.9	.9	.4	.2	-.1
Educational books and supplies .....	.202	649.417	658.075	4.7	1.3	-.3	.8	.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.342	661.076	666.796	3.8	.9	.5	.1	-.1
Communication ²	4.332	81.779	81.880	-3.2	.1	-.1	-.1	.3
Information and information processing ²	4.228	79.136	79.236	-3.3	.1	-.1	-.1	.3
Telephone services ^{1 2}	3.030	97.139	97.810	-2.5	.7	.1	.2	.7
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	1.198	8.583	8.470	-5.3	-1.3	-.6	-.9	-.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶ .....	.249	47.680	46.804	-9.1	-1.8	-1.2	-.4	-.8
Other goods and services	3.600	450.258	450.535	2.0	.1	.5	.0	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	1.187	944.534	947.742	3.9	.3	.8	.0	.5
Personal care	2.413	218.172	218.004	1.1	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Personal care products ¹ .....	.709	162.699	162.129	-1.4	-.4	-.4	-.2	-.4
Personal care services ¹ .....	.576	249.568	249.443	2.8	-.1	1.4	.1	-.1
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.953	400.725	401.629	2.7	.2	.5	.1	.2
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	41.147	187.798	186.596	-3.6	-.6	.4	.1	-.5
Food and beverages	16.011	246.020	246.657	1.5	.3	.3	.1	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	25.136	158.259	156.359	-6.6	-1.2	.5	.1	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.131	204.853	201.262	-9.9	-1.8	1.2	.0	-1.5
Apparel	3.595	122.316	123.906	-.6	1.3	-.4	.5	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.536	260.550	253.618	-12.4	-2.7	1.4	.2	-2.2
Durables	10.005	112.284	111.881	-1.1	-.4	-.3	-.3	-.3
Services	58.853	286.772	287.138	2.2	.1	.3	.2	.2
Rent of shelter ⁴	30.772	262.542	263.202	3.1	.3	.3	.3	.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.000	147.994	2.3	.0	-.2	.2	.0
Energy services ³	4.369	202.868	202.358	-3.1	-.3	.2	-.7	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	214.511	216.373	4.7	.9	.3	.1	.7
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	173.063	174.306	4.1	.7	1.2	.1	.7
Transportation services	5.784	296.890	295.606	2.9	-.4	.3	.0	-.1
Medical care services	4.885	480.916	480.240	2.2	-.1	-.2	.1	.0
Other services	11.005	318.777	319.540	.8	.2	.3	.1	.1
Special indexes								
All items less food	84.948	231.459	230.839	-.6	-.3	.3	.1	-.2
All items less shelter	68.895	222.093	221.236	-1.8	-.4	.3	.0	-.3
All items less medical care	93.692	225.247	224.799	-.5	-.2	.4	.1	-.1
Commodities less food	26.095	160.938	159.080	-6.3	-1.2	.5	.1	-1.0
Nondurables less food	16.090	206.958	203.551	-9.3	-1.6	1.1	.0	-1.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.495	257.581	251.253	-11.5	-2.5	1.3	.2	-2.0
Nondurables	31.142	225.246	223.601	-4.4	-.7	.6	.2	-.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	28.081	278.833	278.808	1.1	.0	.2	.0	.2
Services less medical care services	53.968	273.549	273.964	2.2	.2	.3	.2	.3
Energy	9.792	220.361	213.337	-15.6	-3.2	1.8	.1	-2.1
All items less energy	90.208	236.502	236.858	1.7	.2	2.2	.1	.1
All items less food and energy	75.156	234.966	235.263	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.672	148.966	149.031	-.4	.0	-.2	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities	5.423	247.499	234.070	-23.5	-5.4	3.1	.8	-4.1
Services less energy services	54.484	295.986	296.454	2.6	.2	.3	.2	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.428	\$.429	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.144	\$.144	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

⁶ 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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	232.050	232.835	233.141	232.888	-1.4	-4.5	3.7	1.5	-3.0	2.5
Food and beverages	245.155	245.805	246.136	246.662	3.1	1.1	-7	2.5	2.1	.9
Food	245.266	245.988	246.322	246.864	3.1	1.3	-8	2.6	2.2	.9
Food at home	240.015	240.942	241.629	242.129	2.8	.3	-2.9	3.6	1.5	.3
Cereals and bakery products	273.935	275.608	275.937	275.647	-4	2.3	-1	2.5	1.0	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	257.913	261.549	262.069	263.108	5.2	2.5	-6.5	8.3	3.8	.6
Dairy and related products ¹	219.643	218.140	220.088	219.362	3.4	-5.9	-7.4	-.5	-1.4	-4.0
Fruits and vegetables	288.657	287.156	288.240	291.794	2.7	-4.0	-2.5	4.4	-.7	.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	166.804	166.899	167.650	167.896	4.0	.7	-1.4	2.6	2.3	.6
Other food at home	207.481	208.201	208.373	207.930	1.2	2.1	.4	.9	1.6	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	215.024	214.452	215.713	216.136	2.0	14.8	-1	2.1	8.2	1.0
Fats and oils	227.316	227.846	226.286	227.494	-1.1	-3.0	-3.6	.3	-2.1	-1.6
Other foods	222.220	223.298	223.550	222.623	1.4	.6	1.1	.7	1.0	.9
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	131.567	131.311	131.992	130.796	4.3	-8	1.3	-2.3	1.7	-.5
Food away from home ¹	255.467	255.848	255.596	256.209	3.7	2.9	2.6	1.2	3.3	1.9
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	180.239	181.923	181.855	181.736	1.4	4.4	6.7	3.4	2.9	5.0
Alcoholic beverages	242.179	241.718	241.999	242.293	3.4	-2.3	2.2	.2	.5	1.2
Housing	233.540	234.159	234.523	235.068	2.0	2.1	1.1	2.6	2.0	1.9
Shelter	270.739	271.623	272.549	273.230	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.7	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ³	281.889	282.933	283.870	284.841	3.5	3.2	3.5	4.3	3.3	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	154.952	153.317	157.835	157.199	9.1	4.9	-6.4	5.9	7.0	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	257.344	258.239	258.976	259.561	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.5	3.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	257.334	258.229	258.964	259.548	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.5	3.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	148.007	147.659	148.000	147.994	1.5	7.1	1.0	.0	4.2	.5
Fuels and utilities	228.013	228.354	227.025	227.890	-1.4	.6	-8.4	-.2	-.4	-4.4
Household energy	192.528	192.707	191.171	191.739	-3.4	-.4	-11.7	-1.6	-1.9	-6.8
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	265.160	257.612	249.441	237.526	-17.3	-36.0	-18.4	-35.6	-27.3	-27.5
Energy services ³	196.734	197.166	195.790	196.777	-2.6	1.7	-11.4	.1	-.5	-5.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	213.461	214.186	214.476	215.883	6.2	4.0	3.9	4.6	5.1	4.3
Household furnishings and operations	118.185	118.073	117.734	117.522	-.6	-1.7	1.0	-2.2	-1.2	-.6
Household operations ^{1 2}	170.963	172.956	173.063	174.306	3.3	.7	4.3	8.1	2.0	6.1
Apparel	125.647	125.178	125.771	126.020	-2.9	-.1	-.4	1.2	-1.5	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	120.912	120.373	119.090	119.350	-1.7	6.1	-3.4	-5.1	2.1	-4.2
Women's and girls' apparel	110.001	109.560	110.788	110.592	-5.4	-3.7	-.5	2.2	-4.5	.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	119.616	120.864	121.306	125.544	.1	-8.2	8.9	21.3	-4.1	15.0
Footwear	138.550	137.736	139.208	139.509	.1	-.5	1.7	2.8	-.2	2.3
Transportation	201.961	203.945	204.224	201.410	-13.2	-26.9	17.3	-1.1	-20.4	7.7
Private transportation	197.986	199.919	200.479	197.693	-13.8	-27.9	18.0	-.6	-21.2	8.3
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.902	100.715	100.337	100.011	-3.0	.5	5.1	-3.5	-1.3	.7
New vehicles	148.673	148.943	148.702	148.640	.4	.1	2.3	-.1	.2	1.1
Used cars and trucks	150.702	149.835	148.827	147.833	-7.8	.7	9.3	-7.4	-3.6	.6
Motor fuel	228.059	235.632	237.781	227.981	-34.1	-67.3	60.2	-.1	-53.6	26.5
Gasoline (all types)	227.071	234.624	236.899	227.254	-34.1	-67.4	61.2	.3	-53.7	27.2
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	145.497	144.858	144.733	144.768	-1.7	3.0	-1.5	-2.0	.6	-1.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	273.594	273.810	273.965	273.585	3.5	.9	2.5	.0	2.2	1.2
Public transportation	275.239	278.279	270.282	267.224	1.2	-.9	4.2	-11.1	.1	-3.8
Medical care	449.351	448.699	449.186	449.605	3.1	1.6	4.8	.2	2.4	2.5
Medical care commodities	345.092	345.055	345.270	346.480	4.9	4.7	2.1	1.6	4.8	1.9
Medical care services	481.096	480.211	480.795	480.885	2.6	.7	5.6	-.2	1.7	2.7
Professional services	363.493	364.448	365.436	365.079	2.4	.1	2.8	1.8	1.3	2.3

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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—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Hospital and related services	775.261	768.563	768.185	770.435	3.5	1.9	10.8	-2.5	2.7	4.0
Recreation ²	111.836	112.051	112.007	111.813	.2	.2	.9	-.1	.2	.4
Video and audio ²	100.674	100.820	100.762	100.491	.5	1.1	-1.0	-.7	.8	-.9
Education and communication ²	128.982	129.092	129.116	129.265	-2.5	-.8	-.1	.9	-1.6	.4
Education ²	236.573	237.515	237.936	237.667	3.5	3.9	6.3	1.9	3.7	4.1
Educational books and supplies	653.241	651.064	656.109	656.814	6.1	5.5	4.9	2.2	5.8	3.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	661.512	664.560	665.401	664.523	3.3	3.7	6.4	1.8	3.5	4.1
Communication ²	81.860	81.774	81.710	81.919	-5.8	-3.4	-3.8	.3	-4.6	-1.8
Information and information processing ²	79.234	79.141	79.070	79.270	-6.0	-3.2	-3.9	.2	-4.6	-1.9
Telephone services ^{1 2}	96.841	96.905	97.139	97.810	-7.4	-2.3	-3.9	4.1	-4.9	.0
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	8.689	8.638	8.558	8.483	-2.0	-5.8	-4.0	-9.2	-3.9	-6.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶	48.152	47.595	47.395	47.015	-10.7	-12.0	-4.4	-9.1	-11.4	-6.8
Other goods and services	447.713	449.874	449.742	450.215	1.9	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.0	2.0
Tobacco and smoking products	933.151	940.294	940.200	945.021	4.2	2.9	3.3	5.2	3.6	4.2
Personal care	217.634	218.381	218.296	218.085	.7	1.8	.9	.8	1.3	.9
Personal care products ¹	163.628	162.998	162.699	162.129	-2.2	3.5	-3.0	-3.6	.6	-3.3
Personal care services ¹	245.685	249.242	249.568	249.443	2.0	-.6	3.9	6.3	.7	5.1
Miscellaneous personal services	398.420	400.398	400.637	401.303	2.7	2.7	2.3	2.9	2.7	2.6
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	186.200	187.000	187.157	186.138	-5.9	-13.4	6.4	-.1	-9.8	3.1
Food and beverages	245.155	245.805	246.136	246.662	3.1	1.1	-.7	2.5	2.1	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	156.420	157.254	157.337	155.729	-11.0	-21.4	11.2	-1.8	-16.4	4.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	200.363	202.788	202.740	199.753	-13.5	-31.7	13.0	-1.2	-23.1	5.7
Apparel	125.647	125.178	125.771	126.020	-2.9	-.1	-.4	1.2	-1.5	.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	251.441	254.922	255.474	249.959	-16.6	-39.4	19.2	-2.3	-28.9	7.9
Durables	112.147	111.864	111.528	111.202	-3.0	-.5	2.5	-3.3	-1.8	-.5
Services	284.817	285.616	286.067	286.622	2.0	2.3	1.8	2.6	2.1	2.2
Rent of shelter ⁴	260.761	261.661	262.521	263.197	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.8	2.9	3.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	148.007	147.659	148.000	147.994	1.5	7.1	1.0	.0	4.2	.5
Energy services ³	196.734	197.166	195.790	196.777	-2.6	1.7	-11.4	.1	-.5	-5.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	213.461	214.186	214.476	215.883	6.2	4.0	3.9	4.6	5.1	4.3
Household operations ^{1 2}	170.963	172.956	173.063	174.306	3.3	.7	4.3	8.1	2.0	6.1
Transportation services	295.947	296.859	296.964	296.555	3.4	4.3	3.2	.8	3.9	2.0
Medical care services	481.096	480.211	480.795	480.885	2.6	.7	5.6	-.2	1.7	2.7
Other services	317.768	318.815	319.001	319.296	-.5	.8	1.1	1.9	.2	1.5
Special indexes										
All items less food	229.574	230.368	230.669	230.286	-2.2	-5.5	4.5	1.2	-3.9	2.8
All items less shelter	220.336	221.093	221.173	220.573	-3.3	-7.6	3.9	.4	-5.5	2.2
All items less medical care	223.442	224.271	224.569	224.295	-1.7	-4.9	3.6	1.5	-3.3	2.6
Commodities less food	159.147	159.954	160.042	158.473	-10.5	-20.8	10.9	-1.7	-15.8	4.4
Nondurables less food	202.703	204.969	204.957	202.126	-12.6	-30.2	12.3	-1.1	-21.9	5.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	249.203	252.370	252.914	247.872	-15.3	-37.2	17.5	-2.1	-27.0	7.3
Nondurables	222.344	223.773	224.156	222.619	-5.4	-16.5	5.2	.5	-11.1	2.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	276.760	277.266	277.222	277.739	1.2	1.5	.3	1.4	1.3	.8
Services less medical care services	271.375	272.236	272.698	273.407	2.0	2.4	1.2	3.0	2.2	2.1
Energy	209.031	212.860	213.151	208.598	-22.7	-45.2	20.4	-.8	-34.9	9.3
All items less energy	235.897	236.317	236.626	236.893	1.6	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.9
All items less food and energy	234.426	234.789	235.094	235.309	1.3	1.7	2.6	1.5	1.5	2.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	149.666	149.410	149.201	149.018	-1.5	-.2	1.9	-1.7	-.9	.1
Energy commodities	230.778	237.955	239.812	229.879	-33.6	-66.5	56.3	-1.5	-52.8	24.0
Services less energy services	294.525	295.366	296.030	296.533	2.3	2.4	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

⁶ 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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	233.806	233.366	-0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.1	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	-	696.436	695.127	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.011	246.020	246.657	1.5	.3	.3	.1	.2
Food	15.052	246.221	246.884	1.5	.3	.3	.1	.2
Food at home	9.259	241.466	242.163	.9	.3	.4	.3	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.255	276.685	276.182	1.1	-2	.6	.1	-1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.420	236.067	235.761	.5	-1	.4	-.6	.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.052	246.189	245.828	-2.7	-1	-9	-1.0	.0
Breakfast cereal ¹ .....	.221	231.372	230.999	.9	-2	.4	-.1	-2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹ .....	.147	243.204	243.014	1.1	-1	1.1	-.6	-1
Bakery products .....	.835	300.453	299.827	1.4	-2	.7	.6	-.3
Bread ² .....	.247	180.846	179.883	.6	-5	1.2	-.3	-1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ² .....	.121	177.600	177.094	2.6	-3	.6	1.3	-.5
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.208	279.086	279.398	2.6	.1	.5	.5	.5
Other bakery products .....	.259	273.211	272.865	.7	-1	.0	1.6	-1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.376	261.962	263.825	2.1	.7	1.4	.2	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	2.221	259.583	259.656	.0	.0	.2	.0	-.2
Meats	1.478	266.953	266.810	.5	-1	.3	.2	-.5
Beef and veal ¹ .....	.714	329.849	327.582	4.8	-7	.9	-.4	-.7
Uncooked ground beef ¹ .....	.292	296.468	294.093	4.8	-8	.2	-1.0	-.8
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2} .....	.098	240.641	238.704	2.3	-8	.3	-.5	-.8
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2} .....	.253	222.190	221.198	5.3	-4	1.5	.1	-.4
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2} .....	.071	249.055	246.665	6.6	-1.0	2.2	.9	-1.0
Pork .....	.438	216.873	217.825	-7.9	.4	-2	.5	-.6
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² .....	.161	153.393	156.387	-8.2	2.0	.3	1.3	.7
Ham .....	.091	214.952	216.995	-7.6	1.0	-2.1	-.7	-1.0
Pork chops .....	.083	201.686	195.815	-8.3	-2.9	.1	2.1	-3.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics ² .....	.103	135.529	136.001	-7.5	.3	.2	-.2	.3
Other meats .....	.326	227.447	229.113	3.2	.7	-2	.9	.0
Poultry .....	.439	236.815	235.973	-.6	-.4	.7	-.6	-.3
Chicken ^{1 2} .....	.369	152.091	151.635	-1.1	-.3	1.7	-.6	-.3
Other poultry including turkey ² .....	.069	157.641	156.643	1.9	-.6	-.1	.2	-.2
Fish and seafood .....	.305	284.831	287.639	-1.4	1.0	-.8	-.2	1.4
Fresh fish and seafood ² .....	.149	169.790	174.134	-1.8	2.6	-1.2	-1.2	2.6
Processed fish and seafood ² .....	.156	147.103	146.391	-1.0	-.5	-.2	.7	.3
Eggs .....	.155	297.592	325.436	36.1	9.4	18.8	3.2	7.7
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.950	220.088	219.362	-2.7	-.3	-.7	.9	-.3
Milk ^{1 2} .....	.320	146.793	145.075	-7.4	-1.2	-1.2	1.6	-1.2
Cheese and related products .....	.287	231.899	229.946	-2.4	-.8	-.5	.9	-1.2
Ice cream and related products .....	.132	211.993	215.972	2.5	1.9	.2	.1	1.9
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2} .....	.211	148.135	148.492	1.1	.2	.2	.3	.2
Fruits and vegetables	1.419	286.195	289.550	.1	1.2	-.5	.4	1.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.088	325.515	330.881	-.3	1.6	-.6	.4	1.6
Fresh fruits .....	.580	339.414	347.541	-1.6	2.4	-1.0	1.3	1.8
Apples .....	.086	337.644	338.262	-9.9	.2	-.2	-1.3	-2.4
Bananas .....	.102	201.874	204.066	-.1	1.1	-1.7	.3	1.7
Citrus fruits ² .....	.159	241.287	248.951	.1	3.2	-.7	1.2	-1.5
Other fresh fruits ² .....	.233	103.225	106.784	.4	3.4	-1.4	1.8	5.8
Fresh vegetables .....	.509	310.296	312.712	1.2	.8	-.2	-.7	1.4
Potatoes .....	.080	336.142	337.263	-1.2	.3	-2.8	-.2	-2.2
Lettuce .....	.077	282.317	281.405	-1.5	-.3	.7	-3.0	-.8
Tomatoes ¹ .....	.116	306.985	306.426	1.6	-.2	-1.4	.7	-.2
Other fresh vegetables .....	.236	315.888	321.256	2.8	1.7	1.0	-1.5	3.2
Processed fruits and vegetables ² .....	.331	159.744	159.308	1.4	-.3	-.3	.4	.0
Canned fruits and vegetables ² .....	.177	165.094	164.431	.7	-.4	-.1	.9	-.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables ² .....	.091	146.554	147.152	2.6	.4	-.6	-.1	.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²063	164.741	163.284	2.1	-.9	-.3	.5	-.8

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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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.092	166.825	167.304	1.5	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ² .....	.831	128.768	129.329	1.7	.4	.1	.3	.4
Carbonated drinks .....	.348	160.692	161.727	1.8	.6	.0	1.1	.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2} .....	.018	174.048	174.387	3.5	.2	-.4	.3	.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ² .....	.465	117.165	117.500	1.6	.3	.3	-.3	.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ² .....	.261	120.920	120.698	.7	-.2	-.1	.9	-.3
Coffee .....	.150	208.225	206.738	.5	-.7	-.1	1.5	-.6
Other beverage materials including tea ² .....	.110	126.482	127.194	.9	.6	2.2	-.1	.7
Other food at home	2.167	208.997	208.594	1.1	-.2	.3	.1	-.2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.302	215.713	216.136	4.5	.2	-.3	.6	.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.066	193.245	193.335	6.3	.0	.0	1.0	.0
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2} .....	.178	144.378	145.094	5.6	.5	-.5	.6	.5
Other sweets ² .....	.058	153.641	152.808	-.6	-.5	.4	.1	.0
Fats and oils .....	.270	226.186	228.074	-1.9	.8	.2	-.7	.5
Butter and margarine ² .....	.075	196.081	200.068	-1.3	2.0	1.4	.0	1.5
Salad dressing ² .....	.067	130.301	130.949	-.1	.5	-.1	-.6	.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ² .....	.128	161.905	162.434	-3.1	.3	.2	-.1	.5
Other foods	1.595	224.475	223.496	1.0	-.4	.5	.1	-.4
Soups .....	.093	251.800	247.054	-1.6	-1.9	1.5	-.6	-.9
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹ .....	.315	168.137	166.487	-3	-1.0	.4	.2	-1.0
Snacks ¹ .....	.345	252.090	253.061	2.9	.4	.7	-.1	.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.302	237.862	238.457	2.1	.3	1.4	-.3	-.6
Baby food ^{1 2} .....	.084	155.690	155.614	-.9	.0	-.9	.6	.0
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.456	131.992	130.796	.6	-.9	-.2	.5	-.9
Food away from home ¹	5.793	255.596	256.209	2.6	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	2.361	159.458	159.702	2.6	.2	.4	.3	.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	2.830	163.062	163.477	3.0	.3	.0	.1	.3
Food at employee sites and schools ² .....	.233	148.566	150.751	-4.3	1.5	-.2	-6.7	.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2} .....	.092	145.686	145.826	2.1	.1	-.1	.0	.1
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.276	181.855	181.736	4.0	-.1	.9	.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.959	241.665	241.886	.8	.1	-.2	.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.564	203.287	203.504	.0	.1	-.2	.1	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.364	215.869	215.736	.4	-.1	.3	.1	.1
Distilled spirits at home .....	.055	189.593	190.254	.1	.3	-.1	.3	.0
Wine at home .....	.145	164.570	165.290	-1.1	.4	-.1	.4	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹ .....	.395	327.934	328.161	2.1	.1	-.2	.1	.1
Housing	40.464	235.424	235.747	2.0	.1	.3	.2	.2
Shelter	31.105	272.545	273.223	3.1	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	9.800	283.445	284.479	3.6	.4	.4	.3	.3
Lodging away from home ² .....	.461	169.117	163.612	3.2	-3.3	-.1	2.9	-.4
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4} .....	.080	515.759	520.662	2.6	1.0	.3	.4	-.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.380	350.028	336.079	3.3	-4.0	-1.3	3.4	-.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	20.511	258.704	259.452	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	19.967	258.692	259.439	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.000	147.994	2.3	.0	-.2	.2	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.903	233.088	232.784	-2.4	-.1	.1	-.6	.4
Household energy	4.578	197.811	196.975	-4.3	-.4	.1	-.8	.3
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.208	249.441	237.526	-27.4	-4.8	-2.8	-3.2	-4.8
Fuel oil ¹ .....	.118	259.366	238.173	-34.8	-8.2	-2.1	-3.6	-8.2
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁵ .....	.090	282.253	281.513	-15.7	-.3	-1.0	-2.0	-1.0
Energy services ³	4.369	202.868	202.358	-3.1	-.3	.2	-.7	.5
Electricity ³	3.436	213.747	213.083	-.9	-.3	.1	-.5	.3
Utility (piped) gas service ³ .....	.933	162.475	162.490	-12.0	.0	.6	-1.4	1.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	214.511	216.373	4.7	.9	.3	.1	.7
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	1.037	483.515	488.481	5.6	1.0	.5	.1	.8
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6} .....	.288	433.541	434.783	1.5	.3	-.1	.1	.3
Household furnishings and operations	3.455	117.808	117.306	-.9	-.4	-.1	-.3	-.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2} .....	.208	61.013	60.220	-5.0	-1.3	.9	-.7	-1.3
Floor coverings ^{1 2} .....	.028	109.185	108.492	-2.0	-.6	.3	.1	-.6
Window coverings ^{1 2} .....	.040	67.727	66.517	-7.6	-1.8	-1.4	.1	-1.8
Other linens ^{1 2} .....	.140	49.220	48.580	-4.9	-1.3	1.6	-1.1	-1.3
Furniture and bedding ¹ .....	.666	111.982	110.852	-1.1	-1.0	.1	-.8	-1.0
Bedroom furniture ¹ .....	.233	127.557	127.060	-2.6	-.4	.2	-1.6	-.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}318	86.999	85.624	-.1	-1.6	.1	-.3	-1.6

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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 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Other furniture ² .....	.096	74.959	74.494	-0.5	-0.6	0.4	0.2	0.5
Appliances ² .....	.276	79.409	78.963	-3.4	-6	.1	-1.1	-2
Major appliances ² .....	.152	87.635	87.559	-4.8	-1	-1	-1.7	.5
Other appliances ^{1 2} .....	.118	67.890	67.108	-1.5	-1.2	.3	-2	-1.2
Other household equipment and furnishings ² .....	.443	59.815	59.519	-3.7	-5	-7	-5	.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹ .....	.267	46.272	45.764	-5.9	-1.1	-8	-5	-1.1
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷ .....	.083	131.910	131.333	.6	-4	.7	-1.4	.4
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2} .....	.030	56.748	58.361	-1.1	2.8	-9	-2	2.8
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ² .....	.063	90.522	90.748	-1.3	.2	-1.3	.0	.6
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ² .....	.574	92.708	92.314	.2	-4	-1	-4	-2
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2} .....	.198	101.287	101.099	.3	-2	-2	-5	-2
Outdoor equipment and supplies ² .....	.247	86.159	85.659	.3	-6	-1	-4	-1
Housekeeping supplies ¹ .....	.910	187.787	187.374	-.4	-2	-4	.0	-2
Household cleaning products ² .....	.391	120.389	119.859	.7	-4	-6	.3	-4
Household paper products ^{1 2} .....	.273	167.645	167.231	-1.0	-2	-4	.2	-2
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2} .....	.246	117.640	117.827	-1.4	.2	-3	-3	.2
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	173.063	174.306	4.1	.7	1.2	.1	.7
Domestic services ^{1 2} .....	.073	154.355	154.545	1.5	.1	.1	.1	.1
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2} .....	.117	172.117	172.679	3.1	.3	.0	.0	.3
Moving, storage, freight expense ² .....	.081	147.266	149.643	7.8	1.6	2.3	.4	1.3
Repair of household items ^{1 2} .....	.055	227.832	227.829	2.9	.0	1.9	-7	.0
Apparel	3.595	122.316	123.906	-6	1.3	-4	.5	.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.973	118.398	117.700	-1.1	-6	-4	-1.1	.2
Men's apparel .....	.737	123.975	123.772	-1.5	-2	-2	-1.0	-1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.095	113.886	116.225	2.0	2.1	.3	3.3	1.9
Men's furnishings .....	.198	154.555	155.254	-3.3	.5	-2.0	-1.8	.5
Men's shirts and sweaters ² .....	.223	75.805	76.446	-3.6	.8	.9	-2.8	.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	.207	125.782	122.534	.7	-2.6	-2	-2	-1.0
Boys' apparel .....	.236	101.395	99.393	.4	-2.0	-3	-1.3	-5
Women's and girls' apparel	1.427	104.553	107.319	-1.9	2.6	-4	1.1	-2
Women's apparel	1.151	107.615	110.343	-2.4	2.5	-2	1.1	-3
Women's outerwear .....	.121	98.368	106.590	-5.9	8.4	.0	3.6	-4.0
Women's dresses .....	.146	103.060	111.993	2.2	8.7	-5	2.4	2.3
Women's suits and separates ² .....	.544	79.373	80.912	-3.5	1.9	-7	1.0	-5
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ² .....	.328	105.509	104.832	-1.3	-6	1.0	.1	.2
Girls' apparel .....	.276	93.452	96.363	.5	3.1	-1.4	1.4	.5
Footwear .....	.821	137.356	138.712	1.0	1.0	-6	1.1	.2
Men's footwear ¹ .....	.297	137.654	138.431	-.4	.6	-1.8	.9	.6
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.220	150.022	151.687	.4	1.1	-1.2	.0	.7
Women's footwear .....	.304	128.285	129.972	2.8	1.3	1.0	2.2	.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.193	119.004	123.982	5.0	4.2	1.0	.4	3.5
Jewelry and watches ⁵ .....	.181	162.191	161.865	.1	-2	-3	1.2	-5
Watches ^{1 5} .....	.075	117.010	117.383	1.5	.3	1.0	.9	.3
Jewelry ⁵ .....	.106	174.384	173.400	-.9	-6	.3	1.9	-1.4
Transportation	18.015	206.873	203.021	-7.5	-1.9	1.0	.1	-1.4
Private transportation	17.211	203.090	199.431	-7.7	-1.8	1.0	.3	-1.4
New and used motor vehicles ²	6.886	101.241	100.963	-.3	-.3	-2	-.4	-.3
New vehicles	3.527	148.481	148.000	.7	-.3	-2	-.2	.0
Used cars and trucks	2.827	152.156	151.955	-1.5	-.1	-6	-.7	-.7
Leased cars and trucks ⁸ .....	.353	82.263	81.539	-1.1	-.9	-7	-.2	-.2
Car and truck rental ² .....	.048	131.684	130.130	3.1	-1.2	-2	.2	-1.3
Motor fuel	5.214	245.647	232.269	-23.4	-5.4	3.3	.9	-4.1
Gasoline (all types)	5.100	245.006	231.676	-23.2	-5.4	3.3	1.0	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	-	241.820	228.114	-24.0	-5.7	3.5	.8	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{9 10}	-	257.809	246.804	-21.3	-4.3	3.5	1.5	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁹	-	249.586	238.470	-19.3	-4.5	2.1	1.4	-3.5
Other motor fuels ² .....	.114	205.830	193.987	-30.4	-5.8	1.1	-2.0	-5.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.532	144.733	144.768	-.6	.0	-4	-.1	.0
Tires ¹ .....	.320	125.389	125.252	-1.3	-.1	-6	.0	-.1
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2} .....	.213	165.299	165.669	.5	.2	-2	-.2	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.206	273.965	273.585	1.7	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Motor vehicle body work ¹066	284.432	282.889	.1	-.5	.0	.2	-.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹494	246.167	246.223	1.1	.0	.0	-.2	.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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2} .....	.607	168.522	168.145	2.4	-0.2	0.2	0.2	-0.2
Motor vehicle insurance	2.837	463.458	464.275	5.6	.2	.4	.6	.1
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2} .....	.535	178.515	178.831	1.8	.2	-1.1	1.6	.2
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 3} .....	.336	171.422	171.714	1.4	.2	.0	2.4	.2
Parking and other fees ² .....	.186	194.000	194.372	2.7	.2	-1.1	.1	.3
Public transportation .....	.805	273.458	264.757	-1.8	-3.2	1.1	-2.9	-1.1
Airline fare .....	.442	292.751	275.591	-5.6	-5.9	1.7	-5.6	-2.7
Other intercity transportation .....	.090	157.204	158.143	3.7	.6	-1.1	3.6	2.2
Intracity transportation ¹ .....	.267	303.022	303.181	2.8	.1	.1	.0	.1
Medical care	6.308	449.376	449.272	2.4	.0	-1.1	.1	.1
Medical care commodities	1.423	345.622	346.934	3.3	.4	.0	.1	.4
Medicinal drugs ^{1 11}	1.378	115.830	116.291	3.5	.4	.0	.2	.4
Prescription drugs	1.108	475.565	477.843	4.5	.5	.3	.0	.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 11} .....	.270	97.973	98.030	-5.1	.1	-9.9	.6	.1
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 11} .....	.045	100.534	100.328	-1.1	-2.2	-4.4	-2.2	-2.2
Medical care services	4.885	480.916	480.240	2.2	-1.1	-2.2	.1	.0
Professional services	2.474	365.568	365.086	1.8	-1.1	.3	.3	-1.1
Physicians' services ³	1.303	369.053	368.079	1.7	-3.3	.2	.3	-2.2
Dental services ³ .....	.699	454.121	454.226	2.7	.0	.3	.4	.1
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 5} .....	.237	184.120	183.727	-2.2	-2.2	.4	-5.5	-2.2
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5} .....	.235	233.738	234.256	1.0	.2	-1.1	.2	.3
Hospital and related services	1.738	768.393	767.315	3.3	-1.1	-9.9	.0	.3
Hospital services ^{3 12}	1.634	288.060	287.602	3.4	-2.2	-9.9	-1.1	.3
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 9 12}	-	281.495	281.540	3.1	.0	-1.2	.3	.4
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 9}	-	653.242	650.821	3.0	-4.4	-9.9	-3.3	.1
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{3 12} .....	.080	219.289	219.873	2.9	.3	.3	-1.1	.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 13} .....	.024	116.882	116.609	1.1	-2.2	.2	.1	-2.2
Health insurance ^{1 13} .....	.673	123.796	123.582	.6	-2.2	-3.3	.0	-2.2
Recreation ²	5.131	112.146	111.828	.3	-3.3	.2	.0	-2.2
Video and audio ²	2.054	100.935	100.460	.0	-5.5	.1	-1.1	-3.3
Televisions .....	.148	3.363	3.317	-12.9	-1.4	.4	-1.6	-1.6
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁶	1.668	423.286	421.000	1.5	-5.5	.3	.1	-3.3
Other video equipment ^{1 2} .....	.031	10.484	10.449	-6.3	-3.3	.2	-1.0	-3.3
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2} .....	.099	70.552	71.897	1.6	1.9	-2.4	.5	1.9
Audio equipment .....	.054	36.422	36.436	-3.1	.0	-2.2	-6.6	.1
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2} .....	.040	86.705	85.840	-4.0	-1.0	-4.4	.4	-1.0
Pets, pet products and services ² .....	.959	163.913	164.069	1.0	.1	.4	-.7	.1
Pets and pet products ¹ .....	.680	198.991	198.915	-3.3	.0	.4	-1.1	.0
Pet services including veterinary ² .....	.279	229.791	230.721	4.0	.4	.4	.2	.6
Sporting goods ¹ .....	.430	116.103	115.931	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	.7	-1.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹ .....	.214	148.516	148.465	2.3	.0	-5.5	.9	.0
Sports equipment .....	.211	82.567	82.349	-2.6	-3.3	.4	.8	-1.1
Photography ² .....	.095	78.305	78.025	-3.2	-4.4	-2.2	1.5	-9.9
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.034	55.965	55.891	-7.9	-1.1	.5	1.6	-1.5
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2} .....	.059	120.952	120.358	-3.3	-5.5	-6.6	1.4	-5.5
Other recreational goods ² .....	.387	45.209	44.644	-5.8	-1.2	-9.9	.1	-8.8
Toys .....	.291	46.016	45.389	-7.1	-1.4	-9.9	-3.3	-8.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2} .....	.048	98.461	97.173	-2.6	-1.3	-1.6	1.1	-1.3
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2} .....	.031	98.469	98.177	.7	-3.3	.2	2.3	-3.3
Other recreation services ²	1.063	159.073	159.046	2.8	.0	.7	.1	.0
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2} .....	.325	131.712	130.765	1.8	-7.7	2.0	.5	-7.7
Admissions ¹ .....	.501	351.225	352.109	3.3	.3	.1	-1.1	.3
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 5} .....	.128	287.725	288.680	2.8	.3	.8	.0	.3
Recreational reading materials ¹ .....	.144	245.009	245.120	2.5	.0	-2.2	.3	.0
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2} .....	.081	165.126	165.010	3.9	-1.1	-7.7	1.0	-1.1
Recreational books ^{1 2} .....	.062	100.657	100.856	.7	.2	.4	-6.6	.2
Education and communication ²	6.875	128.851	129.389	-6.6	.4	.1	.0	.1
Education ²	2.544	236.320	238.452	3.9	.9	.4	.2	-1.1
Educational books and supplies .....	.202	649.417	658.075	4.7	1.3	-3.3	.8	.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.342	661.076	666.796	3.8	.9	.5	.1	-1.1
College tuition and fees	1.183	788.611	797.474	3.4	1.1	.6	.0	-5.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees253	742.895	751.880	3.8	1.2	.4	.2	.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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

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		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Expenditure category								
Child care and nursery school ⁷ .....	.772	275.849	277.016	4.7	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees ² .....	.042	237.061	236.984	1.0	.0	.3	.0	-.4
Communication ²	4.332	81.779	81.880	-3.2	.1	-.1	-.1	.3
Postage and delivery services ² .....	.104	173.884	173.835	.0	.0	.4	.4	.3
Postage .....	.095	274.836	274.836	.0	.0	.4	.3	.4
Delivery services ² .....	.009	283.357	282.423	.2	-.3	.6	1.2	-.1
Information and information processing ²	4.228	79.136	79.236	-3.3	.1	-.1	-.1	.3
Telephone services ^{1 2}	3.030	97.139	97.810	-2.5	.7	.1	.2	.7
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	2.199	55.549	56.057	-4.2	.9	.0	.3	.9
Land-line telephone services ^{1 11} .....	.831	113.649	113.787	2.4	.1	.2	.1	.1
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	1.198	8.583	8.470	-5.3	-1.3	-.6	-.9	-.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁵ .....	.249	47.680	46.804	-9.1	-1.8	-1.2	-.4	-.8
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2} .....	.054	35.814	36.353	-1.0	1.5	-.9	-1.4	1.5
Internet services and electronic information providers ² .....	.819	77.267	76.319	-3.3	-1.2	-.2	-1.2	-.9
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2} .....	.062	25.706	24.930	-18.4	-3.0	-3.7	.9	-3.0
Other goods and services	3.600	450.258	450.535	2.0	.1	.5	.0	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	1.187	944.534	947.742	3.9	.3	.8	.0	.5
Cigarettes ²	1.111	384.502	385.792	4.0	.3	.8	.0	.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2} .....	.066	243.336	244.313	2.3	.4	.7	.2	.4
Personal care	2.413	218.172	218.004	1.1	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Personal care products ¹ .....	.709	162.699	162.129	-1.4	-.4	-.4	-.2	-.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2} .....	.375	103.784	103.061	-1.0	-.7	-.8	.0	-.7
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹ .....	.325	188.178	188.266	-1.8	.0	.1	-.4	.0
Personal care services ¹ .....	.576	249.568	249.443	2.8	-.1	1.4	.1	-.1
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2} .....	.576	152.112	152.036	2.8	.0	1.4	.1	.0
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.953	400.725	401.629	2.7	.2	.5	.1	.2
Legal services ^{1 5} .....	.250	322.884	323.559	1.7	.2	.0	.6	.2
Funeral expenses ^{1 5} .....	.123	321.800	324.753	3.3	.9	.0	.3	.9
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2} .....	.288	155.614	155.832	2.1	.1	.6	-.2	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} .....	.022	183.109	183.352	1.7	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Financial services ^{1 5} .....	.189	332.990	332.743	4.4	-.1	1.0	-.7	-.1
Miscellaneous personal goods ² .....	.176	81.260	80.646	-3.3	-.8	-.9	-.3	.5
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	41.147	187.798	186.596	-3.6	-.6	.4	.1	-.5
Commodities less food and beverages	25.136	158.259	156.359	-6.6	-1.2	.5	.1	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.131	204.853	201.262	-9.9	-1.8	1.2	.0	-1.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.536	260.550	253.618	-12.4	-2.7	1.4	.2	-2.2
Durables	10.005	112.284	111.881	-1.1	-.4	-.3	-.3	-.3
Services	58.853	286.772	287.138	2.2	.1	.3	.2	.2
Rent of shelter ⁴	30.772	262.542	263.202	3.1	.3	.3	.3	.3
Transportation services	5.784	296.890	295.606	2.9	-.4	.3	.0	-.1
Other services	11.005	318.777	319.540	.8	.2	.3	.1	.1
All items less food	84.948	231.459	230.839	-.6	-.3	.3	.1	-.2
All items less shelter	68.895	222.093	221.236	-1.8	-.4	.3	.0	-.3
All items less medical care	93.692	225.247	224.799	-.5	-.2	.4	.1	-.1
Commodities less food	26.095	160.938	159.080	-6.3	-1.2	.5	.1	-1.0
Nondurables less food	16.090	206.958	203.551	-9.3	-1.6	1.1	.0	-1.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.495	257.581	251.253	-11.5	-2.5	1.3	.2	-2.0
Nondurables	31.142	225.246	223.601	-4.4	-.7	.6	.2	-.7

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		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	May to June	June to July	July to Aug.
Special aggregate indexes								
Apparel less footwear	2.774	114.023	115.612	-1.0	1.4	-0.3	0.3	0.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	28.081	278.833	278.808	1.1	.0	.2	.0	.2
Services less medical care services	53.968	273.549	273.964	2.2	.2	.3	.2	.3
Energy	9.792	220.361	213.337	-15.6	-3.2	1.8	.1	-2.1
All items less energy	90.208	236.502	236.858	1.7	.2	.2	.1	.1
All items less food and energy	75.156	234.966	235.263	1.8	.1	.2	.1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.672	148.966	149.031	-.4	.0	-.2	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities	5.423	247.499	234.070	-23.5	-5.4	3.1	.8	-4.1
Services less energy services	54.484	295.986	296.454	2.6	.2	.3	.2	.2
Domestically produced farm food	7.761	250.653	251.282	.9	.3	.5	.3	.1
Utilities and public transportation	11.197	211.982	211.717	-1.3	-1.1	.1	-.4	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.428	\$.429	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.144	\$.144	-	-	-	-	-

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

⁹ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
¹¹ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.
¹² Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
¹³ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.
¹⁴ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.
¹⁵ 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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	232.050	232.835	233.141	232.888	-1.4	-4.5	3.7	1.5	-3.0	2.5
Food and beverages	245.155	245.805	246.136	246.662	3.1	1.1	-7	2.5	2.1	.9
Food	245.266	245.988	246.322	246.864	3.1	1.3	-8	2.6	2.2	.9
Food at home	240.015	240.942	241.629	242.129	2.8	.3	-2.9	3.6	1.5	.3
Cereals and bakery products	273.935	275.608	275.937	275.647	-4	2.3	-1	2.5	1.0	1.2
Cereals and cereal products	234.811	235.830	234.354	234.859	-1.4	1.7	1.6	.1	.1	.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	246.478	244.284	241.791	241.767	-1.0	4.0	-6.1	-7.4	1.4	-6.8
Breakfast cereal ¹	230.614	231.522	231.372	230.999	5.7	-7.0	4.6	.7	-8	2.6
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	242.126	244.670	243.204	243.014	-9.9	8.4	5.4	1.5	-1.2	3.4
Bakery products	296.871	298.883	300.775	299.755	-4	2.4	-4	3.9	1.0	1.8
Bread ²	178.785	180.913	180.285	180.182	-1.6	1.6	-1.0	3.2	.0	1.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	175.111	176.155	178.475	177.559	4.7	5.4	-5.1	5.7	5.1	.2
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	277.275	278.624	279.884	281.234	-1.6	7.7	-1.4	5.8	2.9	2.2
Other bakery products	268.590	268.646	273.072	270.115	1.0	-2.1	1.7	2.3	-6	2.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	257.913	261.549	262.069	263.108	5.2	2.5	-6.5	8.3	3.8	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish	258.439	259.075	258.971	258.436	5.6	1.6	-6.8	.0	3.6	-3.4
Meats	265.428	266.274	266.698	265.327	7.8	1.9	-6.9	-2	4.8	-3.6
Beef and veal ¹	328.205	331.055	329.849	327.582	13.1	6.1	1.3	-8	9.5	.3
Uncooked ground beef ¹	298.941	299.422	296.468	294.093	26.2	8.7	-6.3	-6.3	17.1	-6.3
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	241.086	241.893	240.641	238.704	4.4	1.5	7.6	-3.9	2.9	1.7
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	218.737	222.060	222.190	221.198	-1	4.9	12.2	4.6	2.4	8.3
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	241.673	246.944	249.055	246.665	27.0	5.9	-11.4	8.5	16.0	-2.0
Pork	213.820	213.317	214.411	213.103	.4	-8.1	-21.0	-1.3	-4.0	-11.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² ..	150.407	150.784	152.800	153.870	-8.8	-5.3	-24.9	9.5	-7.1	-9.3
Ham	218.298	213.706	212.281	210.083	14.1	-5.2	-21.5	-14.2	4.0	-17.9
Pork chops	195.999	196.111	200.205	192.597	2.5	-13.4	-14.7	-6.8	-5.8	-10.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	133.143	133.392	133.127	133.588	-2.3	-12.7	-15.4	1.3	-7.6	-7.4
Other meats	228.246	227.787	229.809	229.795	7.5	7.4	-4.4	2.7	7.4	-.9
Poultry	235.424	237.104	235.686	234.989	3.0	2.7	-7.1	-7	2.9	-4.0
Chicken ^{1 2}	150.555	153.041	152.091	151.635	1.7	.0	-8.6	2.9	.9	-3.0
Other poultry including turkey ²	155.869	155.762	156.128	155.746	5.1	-2.1	5.0	-3	1.4	2.3
Fish and seafood	285.998	283.765	283.208	287.268	-8	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	-1.0	-1.8
Fresh fish and seafood ²	173.563	171.465	169.380	173.785	-3.4	4.3	-8.2	.5	.4	-3.9
Processed fish and seafood ²	145.018	144.724	145.690	146.159	2.2	-4.1	-5.0	3.2	-1.0	-1.0
Eggs	251.405	298.558	308.137	332.010	-1.1	16.5	-1.9	204.2	7.3	72.7
Dairy and related products ¹	219.643	218.140	220.088	219.362	3.4	-5.9	-7.4	-5	-1.4	-4.0
Milk ^{1 2}	146.272	144.479	146.793	145.075	-1.2	-17.3	-7.2	-3.2	-9.6	-5.3
Cheese and related products	231.581	230.524	232.704	230.003	4.4	-7.5	-3.5	-2.7	-1.7	-3.1
Ice cream and related products	217.008	217.454	217.681	221.826	3.2	6.1	-7.7	9.2	4.6	.4
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	147.418	147.689	148.135	148.492	1.6	.9	-1.2	2.9	1.3	.9
Fruits and vegetables	288.657	287.156	288.240	291.794	2.7	-4.0	-2.5	4.4	-.7	.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables	330.347	328.394	329.596	334.942	3.9	-6.5	-3.9	5.7	-1.4	.8
Fresh fruits	342.540	339.257	343.780	350.129	-1.2	-6.6	-6.9	9.2	-3.9	.8
Apples	322.791	322.195	317.852	310.352	-10.5	-.8	-13.1	-14.5	-5.7	-13.8
Bananas	204.383	200.928	201.571	204.904	5.5	-12.1	6.3	1.0	-3.7	3.6
Citrus fruits ²	229.953	228.322	231.125	227.614	11.0	-9.7	4.5	-4.0	.1	.2
Other fresh fruits ²	113.156	111.547	113.544	120.156	-.4	-.3	-19.5	27.1	-.4	1.2
Fresh vegetables	316.941	316.410	314.068	318.340	10.3	-6.3	-3	1.8	1.6	.8
Potatoes	332.608	323.292	322.655	315.556	3.9	4.7	8.1	-19.0	4.3	-6.4
Lettuce	298.910	300.937	291.988	289.615	16.1	4.1	-11.4	-11.9	9.9	-11.7
Tomatoes ¹	309.028	304.797	306.985	306.426	78.3	-18.6	-24.0	-3.3	20.5	-14.3
Other fresh vegetables	321.654	324.893	320.120	330.470	.5	-4.6	4.7	11.4	-2.1	8.0
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	158.093	157.620	158.272	158.315	-.9	4.1	2.1	.6	1.6	1.3
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	162.587	162.384	163.894	163.094	-4.2	4.9	1.0	1.3	.2	1.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	146.131	145.311	145.237	146.457	2.5	1.1	5.8	.9	1.8	3.3
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	163.636	163.128	163.913	162.635	.7	9.7	.7	-2.4	5.1	-.9

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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					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	166.804	166.899	167.650	167.896	4.0	0.7	-1.4	2.6	2.3	0.6
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	128.993	129.182	129.510	130.017	4.3	-2	-3	3.2	2.0	1.4
Carbonated drinks	159.751	159.734	161.537	162.256	1.9	.3	-1.3	6.4	1.1	2.5
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	174.110	173.468	174.048	174.387	13.7	1.3	-1.0	.6	7.3	-2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	117.983	118.350	117.969	118.271	6.4	-1.3	.5	1.0	2.5	.7
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	119.966	119.865	120.897	120.575	2.8	2.7	-4.7	2.0	2.8	-1.4
Coffee	207.160	204.310	207.288	206.007	1.1	4.9	-1.8	-2.2	3.0	-2.0
Other beverage materials including tea ²	124.334	127.077	126.894	127.831	5.1	1.1	-12.6	11.7	3.1	-1.2
Other food at home	207.481	208.201	208.373	207.930	1.2	2.1	.4	.9	1.6	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	215.024	214.452	215.713	216.136	2.0	14.8	-1	2.1	8.2	1.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	190.971	191.027	192.854	192.820	-9	15.8	7.0	3.9	7.1	5.5
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	144.219	143.454	144.378	145.094	9.6	11.9	-9	2.4	10.7	.8
Other sweets ²	152.643	153.241	153.323	153.257	-1.9	.5	-2.5	1.6	-.7	-.4
Fats and oils	227.316	227.846	226.286	227.494	-1.1	-3.0	-3.6	.3	-2.1	-1.6
Butter and margarine ²	193.109	195.901	195.893	198.847	12.8	-15.9	-10.9	12.4	-2.6	.1
Salad dressing ²	133.712	132.235	131.408	131.564	-6.0	9.8	2.9	-6.3	1.6	-1.8
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	162.736	163.063	161.304	162.118	-5.8	-2.3	-2.6	-1.5	-4.1	-2.1
Other foods	222.220	223.298	223.550	222.623	1.4	.6	1.1	.7	1.0	.9
Soups	239.190	242.892	241.461	239.373	-6.0	-4.6	4.3	.3	-5.3	2.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	167.207	167.849	168.137	166.487	-.1	-5.4	6.4	-1.7	-2.8	2.3
Snacks ¹	250.662	252.445	252.090	253.061	2.1	9.9	-3.6	3.9	5.9	.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	234.591	237.914	237.250	235.891	.9	3.6	1.5	2.2	2.3	1.8
Baby food ^{1 2}	156.319	154.835	155.690	155.614	.3	-1.2	-1.1	-1.8	-.4	-1.4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	131.567	131.311	131.992	130.796	4.3	-.8	1.3	-2.3	1.7	-.5
Food away from home ¹	255.467	255.848	255.596	256.209	3.7	2.9	2.6	1.2	3.3	1.9
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	158.442	159.009	159.458	159.702	2.8	2.1	2.1	3.2	2.4	2.7
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	162.882	162.856	163.062	163.477	4.5	3.6	2.6	1.5	4.0	2.0
Food at employee sites and schools ²	161.251	160.893	150.094	150.760	5.5	2.5	1.7	-23.6	4.0	-11.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	145.784	145.629	145.686	145.826	-.1	5.3	3.0	.1	2.6	1.5
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	180.239	181.923	181.855	181.736	1.4	4.4	6.7	3.4	2.9	5.0
Alcoholic beverages	242.179	241.718	241.999	242.293	3.4	-2.3	2.2	.2	.5	1.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	204.027	203.576	203.700	204.035	2.9	-4.8	2.0	.0	-1.0	1.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	216.285	216.841	216.991	217.180	1.9	-5.3	3.7	1.7	-1.8	2.7
Distilled spirits at home	191.420	189.156	189.737	189.753	3.2	-.5	1.3	-3.4	1.3	-1.1
Wine at home	165.584	163.588	164.315	164.256	3.9	-4.0	-1.0	-3.2	-.1	-2.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	328.223	327.574	327.934	328.161	5.1	.2	3.1	-.1	2.6	1.5
Housing	233.540	234.159	234.523	235.068	2.0	2.1	1.1	2.6	2.0	1.9
Shelter	270.739	271.623	272.549	273.230	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.7	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ³	281.889	282.933	283.870	284.841	3.5	3.2	3.5	4.3	3.3	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	154.952	153.317	157.835	157.199	9.1	4.9	-6.4	5.9	7.0	-.5
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	516.846	518.275	520.354	518.727	2.4	3.7	2.8	1.5	3.1	2.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	315.497	311.358	322.087	320.732	10.5	5.1	-8.1	6.8	7.8	-.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	257.344	258.239	258.976	259.561	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.5	3.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	257.334	258.229	258.964	259.548	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.5	3.3
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	148.007	147.659	148.000	147.994	1.5	7.1	1.0	.0	4.2	.5
Fuels and utilities	228.013	228.354	227.025	227.890	-1.4	.6	-8.4	-.2	-.4	-4.4
Household energy	192.528	192.707	191.171	191.739	-3.4	-.4	-11.7	-1.6	-1.9	-6.8
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	265.160	257.612	249.441	237.526	-17.3	-36.0	-18.4	-35.6	-27.3	-27.5
Fuel oil ¹	274.721	268.967	259.366	238.173	-31.9	-48.7	-8.4	-43.5	-40.9	-28.1
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁵	308.184	305.089	299.057	296.024	-9.8	-36.1	2.7	-14.9	-24.1	-6.5
Energy services ³	196.734	197.166	195.790	196.777	-2.6	1.7	-11.4	.1	-.5	-5.8
Electricity ³	205.638	205.902	204.831	205.544	-.3	6.8	-9.1	-.2	3.2	-4.7
Utility (piped) gas service ³	163.059	164.040	161.676	163.558	-11.0	-16.2	-20.4	1.2	-13.7	-10.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	213.461	214.186	214.476	215.883	6.2	4.0	3.9	4.6	5.1	4.3
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	480.490	482.693	483.414	487.074	7.6	4.9	4.4	5.6	6.2	5.0
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6}	433.581	433.179	433.541	434.783	1.4	1.1	2.2	1.1	1.2	1.7
Household furnishings and operations	118.185	118.073	117.734	117.522	-.6	-1.7	1.0	-2.2	-1.2	-.6
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	60.941	61.459	61.013	60.220	-2.7	-8.7	-3.9	-4.6	-5.8	-4.3
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	108.788	109.126	109.185	108.492	-5.8	-2.2	1.2	-1.1	-4.0	.1
Window coverings ^{1 2}	68.628	67.665	67.727	66.517	14.8	-21.2	-8.7	-11.7	-4.9	-10.3

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Expenditure category										
Other linens ^{1 2}	48.996	49.764	49.220	48.580	-6.6	-6.1	-3.5	-3.4	-6.3	-3.4
Furniture and bedding ¹	112.715	112.863	111.982	110.852	.4	-3.2	5.4	-6.4	-1.4	-.7
Bedroom furniture ¹	129.303	129.620	127.557	127.060	-3.6	-12.0	13.9	-6.8	-7.9	3.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	87.198	87.283	86.999	85.624	4.5	.7	1.8	-7.0	2.6	-2.7
Other furniture ²	74.151	74.434	74.577	74.965	-1.5	2.6	-7.0	4.5	.5	-1.4
Appliances ²	80.313	80.421	79.572	79.377	-4.6	-2.3	-1.9	-4.6	-3.4	-3.3
Major appliances ²	89.528	89.450	87.961	88.414	-10.1	-1.2	-2.8	-4.9	-5.7	-3.9
Other appliances ^{1 2}	67.781	68.017	67.890	67.108	2.9	-4.0	-.8	-3.9	-.6	-2.4
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	60.334	59.884	59.599	59.728	-3.8	-5.6	-1.5	-4.0	-4.7	-2.7
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	46.863	46.502	46.272	45.764	-5.7	-5.0	-3.8	-9.1	-5.3	-6.5
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷	133.461	134.352	132.420	132.903	2.0	2.4	-.2	-1.7	2.2	-.9
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	57.399	56.890	56.748	58.361	-17.1	5.3	2.5	6.9	-6.6	4.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	91.420	90.187	90.192	90.734	1.9	-6.3	2.5	-3.0	-2.3	-.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	93.112	93.046	92.663	92.462	3.6	-1.1	1.4	-2.8	1.2	-.7
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	102.039	101.832	101.287	101.099	3.0	1.8	.2	-3.6	2.4	-1.8
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	86.353	86.237	85.919	85.826	5.0	-3.5	2.6	-2.4	.6	.1
Housekeeping supplies ¹	188.679	187.864	187.787	187.374	-.1	-.3	1.7	-2.7	-.2	-.6
Household cleaning products ²	121.284	120.512	120.869	120.397	1.2	-1.8	6.7	-2.9	-.3	1.8
Household paper products ^{1 2}	168.054	167.342	167.645	167.231	-1.6	-.2	-.3	-1.9	-.9	-1.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	118.327	118.005	117.640	117.827	-3.9	-.3	.5	-1.7	-2.1	-.6
Household operations ^{1 2}	170.963	172.956	173.063	174.306	3.3	.7	4.3	8.1	2.0	6.1
Domestic services ^{1 2}	154.146	154.230	154.355	154.545	2.6	1.9	.6	1.0	2.2	.8
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	172.080	172.091	172.117	172.679	6.4	-.1	5.0	1.4	3.1	3.2
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	141.848	145.120	145.742	147.638	4.5	4.8	5.0	17.4	4.6	11.0
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	225.274	229.500	227.832	227.829	4.5	3.6	-1.1	4.6	4.0	1.7
Apparel	125.647	125.178	125.771	126.020	-2.9	-.1	-.4	1.2	-1.5	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	120.912	120.373	119.090	119.350	-1.7	6.1	-3.4	-5.1	2.1	-4.2
Men's apparel	126.183	125.883	124.641	124.558	-2.3	6.6	-4.9	-5.1	2.1	-5.0
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	112.553	112.931	116.621	118.894	-3.4	-2.3	-7.8	24.5	-2.9	7.2
Men's furnishings	159.990	156.870	154.051	154.759	-6.1	-2.9	9.7	-12.5	-4.5	-2.0
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	79.475	80.202	77.920	78.045	-1.8	17.0	-19.2	-7.0	7.2	-13.3
Men's pants and shorts	123.960	123.711	123.438	122.212	1.3	5.8	1.4	-5.5	3.5	-2.1
Boys' apparel	104.849	104.530	103.134	102.659	3.9	1.8	4.4	-8.1	2.8	-2.0
Women's and girls' apparel	110.001	109.560	110.788	110.592	-5.4	-3.7	-.5	2.2	-4.5	.8
Women's apparel	112.831	112.650	113.835	113.461	-5.9	-7.0	1.3	2.3	-6.5	1.8
Women's outerwear	114.015	114.017	118.163	113.484	-25.8	6.5	.9	-1.8	-11.1	-.5
Women's dresses	111.731	111.214	113.850	116.516	18.8	-2.7	-20.3	18.3	7.5	-2.9
Women's suits and separates ²	83.956	83.370	84.188	83.733	-11.4	-9.4	9.2	-1.1	-10.4	3.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	104.332	105.364	105.439	105.612	-4.0	-4.0	-2.1	5.0	-4.0	1.4
Girls' apparel	99.769	98.364	99.758	100.219	-3.0	11.6	-7.3	1.8	4.0	-2.9
Footwear	138.550	137.736	139.208	139.509	.1	-.5	1.7	2.8	-.2	2.3
Men's footwear ¹	138.995	136.467	137.654	138.431	-2.6	-3.2	6.2	-1.6	-2.9	2.2
Boys' and girls' footwear	154.491	152.674	152.660	153.675	1.5	-7.7	10.5	-2.1	-3.2	4.0
Women's footwear	126.986	128.242	131.116	131.436	5.3	1.1	-8.5	14.8	3.2	2.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	119.616	120.864	121.306	125.544	.1	-8.2	8.9	21.3	-4.1	15.0
Jewelry and watches ⁵	158.992	158.558	160.496	159.707	-4.9	5.6	-1.9	1.8	.2	-.1
Watches ^{1 5}	114.797	115.925	117.010	117.383	-6.4	12.4	-7.6	9.3	2.6	.5
Jewelry ⁵	168.998	169.546	172.727	170.245	-5.8	.3	-1.0	3.0	-2.8	1.0
Transportation	201.961	203.945	204.224	201.410	-13.2	-26.9	17.3	-1.1	-20.4	7.7
Private transportation	197.986	199.919	200.479	197.693	-13.8	-27.9	18.0	-.6	-21.2	8.3
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.902	100.715	100.337	100.011	-3.0	.5	5.1	-3.5	-1.3	.7
New vehicles	148.673	148.943	148.702	148.640	.4	.1	2.3	-.1	.2	1.1
Used cars and trucks	150.702	149.835	148.827	147.833	-7.8	.7	9.3	-7.4	-3.6	.6
Leased cars and trucks ⁸	83.014	82.397	82.236	82.049	2.7	1.3	-3.7	-4.6	2.0	-4.1
Car and truck rental ²	125.027	124.824	125.027	123.413	8.7	-2.3	12.0	-5.1	3.0	3.1
Motor fuel	228.059	235.632	237.781	227.981	-34.1	-67.3	60.2	-.1	-53.6	26.5
Gasoline (all types)	227.071	234.624	236.899	227.254	-34.1	-67.4	61.2	.3	-53.7	27.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	224.095	231.891	233.699	223.727	-34.8	-68.3	62.7	-.7	-54.6	27.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{9 10}	237.953	246.226	249.977	242.214	-31.3	-65.1	49.1	7.4	-51.0	26.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁹	232.216	237.122	240.518	232.182	-28.4	-61.6	54.8	-.1	-47.6	24.4

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	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Expenditure category										
Other motor fuels ²	207.084	209.462	205.298	193.497	-20.0	-59.4	-5.2	-23.8	-43.0	-15.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	145.497	144.858	144.733	144.768	-1.7	3.0	-1.5	-2.0	.6	-1.8
Tires ¹	126.142	125.391	125.389	125.252	-3.3	3.4	-2.3	-2.8	.0	-2.5
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	165.990	165.651	165.299	165.669	.8	2.5	-.4	-.8	1.6	-.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	273.594	273.810	273.965	273.585	3.5	.9	2.5	.0	2.2	1.2
Motor vehicle body work ¹	283.871	283.920	284.432	282.889	-.2	-1.7	3.6	-1.4	-1.0	1.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	246.705	246.619	246.167	246.223	3.9	-1.8	3.3	-.8	1.0	1.2
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	167.831	168.120	168.522	168.145	3.6	3.6	1.7	.8	3.6	1.2
Motor vehicle insurance	461.104	462.848	465.656	466.172	5.2	8.3	4.4	4.5	6.8	4.5
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	175.839	175.741	178.515	178.831	-2.8	2.4	1.1	7.0	-.3	4.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 3}	167.469	167.476	171.422	171.714	-6.5	.9	1.4	10.5	-2.9	5.9
Parking and other fees ²	193.818	193.694	193.961	194.475	5.3	2.6	1.7	1.4	4.0	1.5
Public transportation	275.239	278.279	270.282	267.224	1.2	-.9	4.2	-11.1	.1	-3.8
Airline fare	299.860	305.048	288.004	280.268	.9	-4.3	7.9	-23.7	-1.7	-9.3
Other intercity transportation	150.254	148.649	153.986	157.356	4.6	-5.5	-2.6	20.3	-.6	8.2
Intracity transportation ¹	302.732	302.917	303.022	303.181	3.0	2.3	5.2	.6	2.7	2.9
Medical care	449.351	448.699	449.186	449.605	3.1	1.6	4.8	.2	2.4	2.5
Medical care commodities	345.092	345.055	345.270	346.480	4.9	4.7	2.1	1.6	4.8	1.9
Medicinal drugs ^{1 11}	115.600	115.609	115.830	116.291	3.2	7.0	1.3	2.4	5.1	1.9
Prescription drugs	474.168	475.486	475.493	477.600	6.9	4.2	3.9	2.9	5.5	3.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 11}	98.242	97.384	97.973	98.030	-2.4	1.4	-.2	-.9	-.5	-.5
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 11}	101.145	100.757	100.534	100.328	1.3	-5.0	2.8	-3.2	-1.9	-.2
Medical care services	481.096	480.211	480.795	480.885	2.6	.7	5.6	-.2	1.7	2.7
Professional services	363.493	364.448	365.436	365.079	2.4	.1	2.8	1.8	1.3	2.3
Physicians' services ³	366.974	367.821	368.754	367.866	2.0	-.7	4.6	1.0	.7	2.8
Dental services ³	451.024	452.383	453.999	454.313	2.1	3.9	1.9	2.9	3.0	2.4
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 5}	184.315	185.085	184.120	183.727	2.2	-2.4	.9	-1.3	-1.1	-.2
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	233.596	233.339	233.768	234.507	5.4	-3.7	1.1	1.6	.7	1.3
Hospital and related services	775.261	768.563	768.185	770.435	3.5	1.9	10.8	-2.5	2.7	4.0
Hospital services ^{3 12}	290.873	288.151	287.979	288.867	3.5	2.0	11.3	-2.7	2.7	4.1
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 9 12}	284.192	280.868	281.681	282.714	2.9	1.6	10.4	-2.1	2.3	4.0
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 9}	661.995	655.730	653.850	654.262	2.8	2.1	12.4	-4.6	2.5	3.5
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{3 12}	218.446	219.187	219.068	219.791	3.8	2.6	2.8	2.5	3.2	2.7
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 13}	116.502	116.718	116.882	116.609	1.7	-.1	2.5	.4	.8	1.4
Health insurance ^{1 13}	124.188	123.775	123.796	123.582	-.1	1.5	3.2	-1.9	.7	.6
Recreation ²	111.836	112.051	112.007	111.813	.2	.2	.9	-.1	.2	.4
Video and audio ²	100.674	100.820	100.762	100.491	.5	1.1	-1.0	-.7	.8	-.9
Televisions	3.442	3.455	3.398	3.342	-19.0	-10.8	-10.3	-11.1	-15.0	-10.7
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁶	420.456	421.729	422.045	420.890	4.1	1.6	-.1	.4	2.8	.1
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	10.566	10.592	10.484	10.449	-8.0	-11.9	-.8	-4.4	-10.0	-2.6
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2}	71.906	70.211	70.552	71.897	1.2	6.8	-1.1	-.1	3.9	-.6
Audio equipment	36.716	36.632	36.400	36.442	-6.8	-.3	-2.2	-3.0	-3.6	-2.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	86.768	86.379	86.705	85.840	-11.1	1.7	-1.8	-4.2	-4.9	-3.0
Pets, pet products and services ²	164.415	165.040	163.834	164.068	4.5	-.7	1.0	-.8	1.9	.1
Pets and pet products ¹	200.466	201.243	198.991	198.915	5.4	-2.9	-.3	-3.1	1.1	-1.7
Pet services including veterinary ²	228.167	228.994	229.422	230.716	2.6	4.7	4.2	4.5	3.6	4.4
Sporting goods ¹	115.472	115.306	116.103	115.931	-2.6	.4	.0	1.6	-1.1	.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	147.982	147.214	148.516	148.465	-5.8	5.5	8.8	1.3	-.3	5.0
Sports equipment	81.476	81.792	82.420	82.309	.9	-3.4	-11.2	4.2	-1.3	-3.8
Photography ²	77.205	77.056	78.197	77.527	-.5	-4.9	-8.5	1.7	-2.7	-3.5
Photographic equipment and supplies	54.593	54.862	55.750	54.892	-2.7	-11.7	-18.0	2.2	-7.3	-8.4
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	119.961	119.283	120.952	120.358	1.0	-.6	-2.7	1.3	.2	-.7
Other recreational goods ²	45.305	44.890	44.933	44.553	-5.8	-9.8	-1.1	-6.5	-7.8	-3.8
Toys	46.209	45.788	45.640	45.265	-7.4	-10.4	-2.5	-7.9	-8.9	-5.2
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	98.952	97.391	98.461	97.173	-3.4	-3.0	3.3	-7.0	-3.2	-2.0
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	96.050	96.280	98.469	98.177	9.5	-18.8	5.8	9.2	-5.7	7.5
Other recreation services ²	157.773	158.924	159.073	159.046	-2.5	4.5	6.1	3.3	1.0	4.7
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2}	128.483	131.086	131.712	130.765	-.5	-1.5	1.9	7.3	-1.0	4.6
Admissions ¹	351.823	351.516	351.225	352.109	-5.6	9.6	9.9	.3	1.7	5.0
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 5}	285.560	287.766	287.725	288.680	3.6	-.8	4.2	4.4	1.4	4.3
Recreational reading materials ¹	244.929	244.324	245.009	245.120	5.0	.7	4.1	.3	2.8	2.2

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Expenditure category										
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	164.710	163.514	165.126	165.010	6.2	2.1	6.8	0.7	4.1	3.7
Recreational books ^{1 2}	100.915	101.300	100.657	100.856	3.5	-1.1	.6	-2	1.2	.2
Education and communication ²	128.982	129.092	129.116	129.265	-2.5	-.8	-.1	.9	-1.6	.4
Education ²	236.573	237.515	237.936	237.667	3.5	3.9	6.3	1.9	3.7	4.1
Educational books and supplies	653.241	651.064	656.109	656.814	6.1	5.5	4.9	2.2	5.8	3.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	661.512	664.560	665.401	664.523	3.3	3.7	6.4	1.8	3.5	4.1
College tuition and fees	791.294	795.807	796.167	792.458	3.8	4.7	4.5	.6	4.3	2.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	743.948	746.751	748.199	747.894	5.0	3.7	4.3	2.1	4.3	3.2
Child care and nursery school ⁷	275.200	276.214	276.790	277.288	2.2	2.3	11.3	3.1	2.3	7.1
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	236.368	237.095	237.139	236.134	2.7	.9	.9	-.4	1.8	.3
Communication ²	81.860	81.774	81.710	81.919	-5.8	-3.4	-3.8	.3	-4.6	-1.8
Postage and delivery services ²	172.270	172.920	173.648	174.241	4.2	-10.2	2.2	4.7	-3.3	3.4
Postage	272.398	273.377	274.332	275.379	4.7	-11.2	2.9	4.4	-3.6	3.7
Delivery services ²	279.493	281.092	284.387	284.167	-1.5	1.1	-5.2	6.9	-.2	.6
Information and information processing ²	79.234	79.141	79.070	79.270	-6.0	-3.2	-3.9	.2	-4.6	-1.9
Telephone services ^{1 2}	96.841	96.905	97.139	97.810	-7.4	-2.3	-3.9	4.1	-4.9	.0
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	55.377	55.391	55.549	56.057	-9.9	-5.4	-6.1	5.0	-7.7	-.7
Land-line telephone services ^{1 11}	113.307	113.501	113.649	113.787	-.2	6.1	2.0	1.7	2.9	1.9
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	8.689	8.638	8.558	8.483	-2.0	-5.8	-4.0	-9.2	-3.9	-6.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁵	48.152	47.595	47.395	47.015	-10.7	-12.0	-4.4	-9.1	-11.4	-6.8
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	36.661	36.339	35.814	36.353	-.7	-6.5	6.8	-3.3	-3.6	1.6
Internet services and electronic information providers ² ..	78.129	78.000	77.074	76.385	2.1	-3.4	-2.9	-8.6	-.7	-5.8
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2}	26.431	25.465	25.706	24.930	-21.9	-3.5	-25.7	-20.9	-13.2	-23.3
Other goods and services	447.713	449.874	449.742	450.215	1.9	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.0	2.0
Tobacco and smoking products	933.151	940.294	940.200	945.021	4.2	2.9	3.3	5.2	3.6	4.2
Cigarettes ²	379.736	382.763	382.650	384.588	4.3	2.9	3.5	5.2	3.6	4.4
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	241.367	242.955	243.336	244.313	4.4	.7	-.8	5.0	2.5	2.1
Personal care	217.634	218.381	218.296	218.085	.7	1.8	.9	.8	1.3	.9
Personal care products ¹	163.628	162.998	162.699	162.129	-2.2	3.5	-3.0	-3.6	.6	-3.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	104.645	103.829	103.784	103.061	-2.6	6.5	-1.7	-5.9	1.9	-3.8
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	188.698	188.841	188.178	188.266	-1.8	.1	-4.5	-.9	-.8	-2.7
Personal care services ¹	245.685	249.242	249.568	249.443	2.0	-.6	3.9	6.3	.7	5.1
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	149.745	151.914	152.112	152.036	2.0	-.6	3.9	6.3	.7	5.1
Miscellaneous personal services	398.420	400.398	400.637	401.303	2.7	2.7	2.3	2.9	2.7	2.6
Legal services ^{1 5}	320.994	320.957	322.884	323.559	.2	.8	2.7	3.2	.5	3.0
Funeral expenses ^{1 5}	320.831	320.991	321.800	324.753	3.9	1.7	2.5	5.0	2.8	3.7
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	155.024	156.001	155.614	155.832	2.3	.5	3.5	2.1	1.4	2.8
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} ..	183.148	183.390	183.109	183.352	1.7	2.6	1.9	.4	-2.2	1.2
Financial services ^{1 5}	331.837	335.229	332.990	332.743	3.0	10.0	3.8	1.1	6.5	2.4
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	82.356	81.606	81.373	81.818	-5.7	-1.5	-3.3	-2.6	-3.6	-2.9
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	186.200	187.000	187.157	186.138	-5.9	-13.4	6.4	-.1	-9.8	3.1
Commodities less food and beverages	156.420	157.254	157.337	155.729	-11.0	-21.4	11.2	-1.8	-16.4	4.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	200.363	202.788	202.740	199.753	-13.5	-31.7	13.0	-1.2	-23.1	5.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	251.441	254.922	255.474	249.959	-16.6	-39.4	19.2	-2.3	-28.9	7.9
Durables	112.147	111.864	111.528	111.202	-3.0	-.5	2.5	-3.3	-1.8	-.5
Services	284.817	285.616	286.067	286.622	2.0	2.3	1.8	2.6	2.1	2.2
Rent of shelter ⁴	260.761	261.661	262.521	263.197	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.8	2.9	3.4
Transportation services	295.947	296.859	296.964	296.555	3.4	4.3	3.2	.8	3.9	2.0
Other services	317.768	318.815	319.001	319.296	-.5	.8	1.1	1.9	.2	1.5
All items less food	229.574	230.368	230.669	230.286	-2.2	-5.5	4.5	1.2	-3.9	2.8
All items less shelter	220.336	221.093	221.173	220.573	-3.3	-7.6	3.9	.4	-5.5	2.2
All items less medical care	223.442	224.271	224.569	224.295	-1.7	-4.9	3.6	1.5	-3.3	2.6
Commodities less food	159.147	159.954	160.042	158.473	-10.5	-20.8	10.9	-1.7	-15.8	4.4
Nondurables less food	202.703	204.969	204.957	202.126	-12.6	-30.2	12.3	-1.1	-21.9	5.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	249.203	252.370	252.914	247.872	-15.3	-37.2	17.5	-2.1	-27.0	7.3
Nondurables	222.344	223.773	224.156	222.619	-5.4	-16.5	5.2	.5	-11.1	2.8

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					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2014	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Feb. 2015	Aug. 2015
Special aggregate indexes										
Apparel less footwear	117.757	117.392	117.746	117.972	-3.7	0.0	-1.0	0.7	-1.9	-0.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	276.760	277.266	277.222	277.739	1.2	1.5	.3	1.4	1.3	.8
Services less medical care services	271.375	272.236	272.698	273.407	2.0	2.4	1.2	3.0	2.2	2.1
Energy	209.031	212.860	213.151	208.598	-22.7	-45.2	20.4	-8	-34.9	9.3
All items less energy	235.897	236.317	236.626	236.893	1.6	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.9
All items less food and energy	234.426	234.789	235.094	235.309	1.3	1.7	2.6	1.5	1.5	2.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	149.666	149.410	149.201	149.018	-1.5	-.2	1.9	-1.7	-.9	.1
Energy commodities	230.778	237.955	239.812	229.879	-33.6	-66.5	56.3	-1.5	-52.8	24.0
Services less energy services	294.525	295.366	296.030	296.533	2.3	2.4	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.8
Domestically produced farm food	248.838	250.012	250.746	251.036	3.0	.2	-3.1	3.6	1.6	.2
Utilities and public transportation	209.551	209.683	208.851	209.385	-2.0	1.2	-4.0	-3	-4	-2.2

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

⁹ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
¹¹ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.
¹² Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
¹³ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.
¹⁴ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.
¹⁵ Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

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	Pricing schedule 1	All items									
		Indexes				Percent change to Aug. 2015 from—			Percent change to July 2015 from—		
		May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015	July 2015	July 2014	May 2015	June 2015
U.S. city average	M	237.805	238.638	238.654	238.316	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.4	0.0
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	252.770	253.626	253.405	252.903	-1	-3	-2	-2	.3	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	255.534	256.161	255.926	255.629	.2	-2	-1	.1	.2	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.237	150.122	150.008	149.380	-8	-5	-4	-9	.5	-1
Midwest urban	M	224.732	225.946	225.853	225.830	-3	-1	.0	-5	.5	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	225.022	226.105	226.097	226.278	-2	.1	.1	-5	.5	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	144.577	145.613	145.355	145.099	-5	-4	-2	-6	.5	-2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	221.748	222.372	222.828	222.932	-2	.3	.0	-4	.5	.2
South urban	M	230.886	232.026	231.719	231.260	-2	-3	-2	-1	.4	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	232.903	234.202	233.682	233.513	.3	-3	-1	.2	.3	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	146.482	147.126	147.095	146.695	-3	-3	-3	-3	.4	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	236.888	238.123	237.207	236.395	-1.0	-7	-3	-7	.1	-4
West urban	M	244.227	244.332	245.040	244.737	1.3	.2	-1	1.3	.3	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	249.766	249.885	251.114	250.699	1.6	.3	-2	1.6	.5	.5
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.346	145.198	144.917	144.752	.3	-3	-1	.3	-3	-2
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	217.646	218.302	218.465	218.282	.6	.0	-1	.5	.4	.1
B/C ³	M	146.236	146.837	146.704	146.341	-3	-3	-2	-3	.3	-1
D	M	233.025	234.055	233.943	233.793	.0	-1	-1	.2	.4	.0
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	228.494	228.837	228.588	229.527	-1	.3	.4	-5	.0	-1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	246.093	245.459	247.066	246.328	1.1	.4	-3	1.4	.4	.7
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	261.066	261.512	261.199	261.347	.1	-1	.1	-1	.1	-1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	256.839	-	256.999	-	-	-	-	.7	.1	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	221.277	-	223.368	-	-	-	-	.4	.9	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	218.484	-	218.676	-	-	-	-	-4	.1	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	155.880	-	155.546	-	-	-	-	.2	-2	-
Atlanta, GA	2	-	225.152	-	225.027	.6	-1	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	-	219.034	-	220.249	-9	.6	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	213.896	-	214.652	.3	.4	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	-	246.245	-	246.348	1.3	.0	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	-	245.675	-	244.519	-3	-5	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	-	259.117	-	259.917	2.6	.3	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	-	251.622	-	251.617	1.8	.0	-	-	-	-

¹ 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.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ 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.

⁶ 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): Regions¹, 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—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	252.903	-0.1	-0.2	225.830	-0.3	0.0	231.260	-0.2	-0.2	244.737	1.3	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	398.245	-	-	367.438	-	-	375.136	-	-	395.603	-	-
Food and beverages	252.060	1.6	.1	240.304	1.3	.3	246.347	1.7	.3	249.795	1.4	.3
Food	252.149	1.6	.1	240.035	1.4	.3	247.855	1.7	.3	250.045	1.5	.3
Food at home	249.021	1.3	.2	230.714	.2	.3	241.461	.8	.4	249.825	1.1	.3
Food away from home	259.933	2.1	.0	255.562	3.3	.3	260.258	3.1	.2	249.125	2.0	.4
Alcoholic beverages	249.726	.6	-1	241.594	.2	.4	224.702	1.2	.1	243.187	.3	.0
Housing	264.975	.9	-1	213.907	1.1	.0	222.880	1.9	.1	256.383	3.6	.3
Shelter	326.509	2.4	.1	249.789	2.2	.0	251.897	3.1	.2	289.532	4.3	.4
Rent of primary residence ²	326.086	2.5	.1	248.212	2.8	.2	258.980	4.1	.5	302.665	4.3	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ² ³	337.290	2.3	.3	253.239	2.1	.2	254.229	2.9	.2	303.446	4.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ² ³	337.060	2.3	.3	253.235	2.1	.2	254.219	2.9	.2	303.428	4.3	.4
Fuels and utilities	208.839	-7.5	-1.3	221.787	-3.5	.0	236.424	-1.7	.0	284.512	1.7	.7
Household energy	184.901	-9.2	-1.7	185.517	-5.5	-2	195.374	-3.5	-3	249.042	-2	.2
Energy services ²	185.115	-4.2	-7	194.009	-4.7	-2	195.803	-3.2	-3	251.895	.2	.3
Electricity ²	198.006	-6	-7	215.456	1.4	-1	197.147	-2.2	-3	276.609	.6	-1
Utility (piped) gas service ²	144.401	-14.1	-7	146.756	-17.8	-4	170.870	-10.5	.1	208.891	-1.0	1.4
Household furnishings and operations ...	122.483	-1.5	-7	115.822	-.4	-3	121.579	-1.0	-2	128.751	.7	-7
Apparel	131.766	1.7	3.4	117.025	-3.4	1.5	131.214	-.5	.7	117.732	-1.6	1.4
Transportation	201.447	-7.6	-2.0	202.612	-6.6	-1.0	200.086	-8.4	-2.2	209.616	-4.1	-2.0
Private transportation	193.503	-8.3	-1.9	197.332	-6.8	-9	198.354	-8.7	-2.1	204.559	-4.2	-1.5
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	98.407	-6	-2	99.457	-8	-6	103.662	-1	-1	102.268	1.0	-4
New vehicles	145.295	.6	-1	138.725	.1	-4	152.957	.1	.0	146.327	1.6	-9
New cars and trucks ⁴ ⁵	100.687	.7	-1	98.265	.3	-4	104.103	.1	.0	101.674	1.6	-9
New cars ⁵	138.007	.4	.0	135.153	.1	-3	153.609	-.4	-1	145.475	.6	-9
Used cars and trucks	158.308	-1.5	-2	151.385	-2.0	-1	150.471	-9	-1	146.008	-2.1	-2
Motor fuel	217.280	-26.9	-6.5	240.564	-22.0	-2.4	212.686	-27.9	-7.3	261.905	-15.6	-4.5
Gasoline (all types)	216.425	-26.9	-6.5	239.397	-21.8	-2.4	211.730	-27.8	-7.3	261.539	-15.4	-4.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	214.499	-27.7	-6.9	235.185	-22.5	-2.6	207.729	-28.5	-7.7	259.528	-15.8	-4.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵ ⁶	228.398	-25.0	-5.3	268.532	-21.3	-2.5	229.330	-25.7	-6.4	249.585	-13.8	-3.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	222.643	-23.2	-4.4	251.927	-17.6	-1.0	226.214	-23.6	-5.7	252.389	-13.8	-4.5
Medical care	468.451	2.8	.2	451.284	2.1	.0	425.673	2.5	.3	451.436	2.5	-.8
Medical care commodities	379.329	2.2	.2	364.941	2.4	-.3	345.766	3.9	1.2	344.317	4.3	-.3
Medical care services	493.092	3.0	.2	480.199	2.0	.1	452.177	2.0	.1	485.294	2.0	-.9
Professional services	363.222	2.8	.2	392.467	1.4	.1	356.817	1.2	.1	338.330	1.8	-.9
Recreation ⁴	120.955	1.2	-.4	117.935	.4	.2	115.982	.6	-.4	110.834	.6	-.2
Education and communication ⁴	139.296	.6	.4	139.846	-.5	.4	136.115	.6	.8	138.013	-.5	.3
Other goods and services	452.607	2.7	.0	402.830	2.1	.3	407.078	1.6	.1	401.912	.5	-.1
Commodity and service group												
All items	252.903	-.1	-2	225.830	-.3	.0	231.260	-.2	-2	244.737	1.3	-.1
Commodities	188.337	-3.4	-6	180.085	-3.0	-1	182.861	-3.8	-7	182.356	-1.7	-.5
Commodities less food and beverages ...	153.193	-6.7	-1.0	150.631	-5.7	-.4	152.534	-7.1	-1.4	148.236	-3.8	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages and apparel	193.123	-9.8	-1.4	194.414	-8.4	-.4	195.322	-10.5	-2.1	189.788	-5.8	-1.3
Durables	242.626	-13.3	-2.9	245.099	-9.9	-1.0	235.088	-13.3	-3.0	240.400	-7.0	-2.2
Services	107.112	-1.4	-.5	107.241	-1.1	-.4	111.708	-1.5	-.3	109.871	-.5	-.6
Services	315.622	1.8	.0	273.170	1.5	.1	280.175	2.3	.1	302.133	3.1	.1
Rent of shelter ³	341.573	2.4	.1	256.541	2.2	.0	258.498	3.1	.2	308.020	4.3	.4
Transportation services	274.117	1.0	-.8	292.358	2.6	-.6	310.768	2.6	-.5	281.861	2.1	-1.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions¹, 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—		
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Commodity and service group													
Other services	360.872	1.7	0.2	328.436	1.0	0.4	333.022	2.1	0.4	336.534	0.8	0.1	
Special aggregate indexes													
All items less medical care	243.430	-3	-2	215.160	-6	.0	220.486	-4	-2	235.232	1.2	-.1	
All items less food	253.509	-4	-2	223.421	-6	-.1	228.476	-5	-3	244.096	1.2	-.2	
All items less shelter	227.776	-1.4	-4	219.492	-1.4	.0	224.371	-1.6	-4	227.850	-.3	-.4	
Commodities less food	156.728	-6.4	-1.0	153.561	-5.5	-.4	154.795	-6.8	-1.3	151.914	-3.6	-1.0	
Nondurables	222.625	-4.0	-6	217.206	-3.6	.0	219.690	-4.5	-9	220.190	-2.1	-.5	
Nondurables less food	196.408	-9.1	-1.3	196.967	-7.9	-.4	196.754	-9.9	-2.0	193.957	-5.3	-1.2	
Nondurables less food and apparel	241.458	-12.0	-2.6	243.546	-9.1	-.9	233.041	-12.3	-2.7	240.299	-6.3	-1.9	
Services less rent of shelter ³	314.888	1.1	-.1	307.300	.9	.1	316.209	1.5	.1	328.848	1.7	-.3	
Services less medical care services	303.327	1.7	.0	257.700	1.4	.1	264.427	2.3	.1	289.332	3.2	.2	
Energy	198.583	-18.3	-4.0	210.174	-14.5	-1.3	199.299	-17.1	-3.8	258.734	-9.5	-2.5	
All items less energy	260.984	1.7	.1	229.998	1.3	.1	235.572	1.8	.2	245.659	2.2	.1	
All items less food and energy	264.244	1.7	.1	228.873	1.2	.1	233.821	1.8	.1	245.663	2.4	.0	
Commodities less food and energy													
commodities	150.570	.1	.4	145.827	-.9	.1	147.897	-.6	.0	139.901	-.4	-.2	
Energy commodities	223.458	-27.6	-6.7	238.255	-22.1	-2.4	216.277	-27.7	-7.2	265.451	-15.6	-4.4	
Services less energy services	328.494	2.1	.0	283.548	2.0	.1	288.943	2.7	.2	306.093	3.3	.1	

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

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 1982=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ 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 classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	218.282	0.6	-0.1	146.341	-0.3	-0.2	233.793	0.0	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	218.282	-	-	-	-	-	377.049	-	-
Food and beverages	222.738	1.7	.3	154.797	1.2	.2	249.152	1.8	.2
Food	223.184	1.8	.3	155.403	1.2	.2	249.956	1.8	.2
Food at home	223.919	1.1	.4	151.639	.4	.2	242.087	.9	.1
Food away from home	220.913	2.7	.2	161.367	2.5	.2	265.101	3.4	.5
Alcoholic beverages	215.013	.4	.1	146.704	.9	.1	235.406	1.2	.0
Housing	222.130	2.2	.1	144.248	1.5	.1	216.248	2.6	.4
Shelter	246.177	3.4	.2	147.172	2.4	.2	245.631	4.0	.7
Rent of primary residence ⁵	251.603	4.0	.3	155.004	2.5	.3	244.060	4.9	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	244.151	3.4	.3	145.307	2.2	.3	254.313	3.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	244.134	3.4	.3	145.298	2.3	.3	254.262	3.4	.5
Fuels and utilities	233.226	-3.3	-3	180.414	-1.6	.1	238.245	-1.3	.0
Household energy	216.560	-5.6	-5	173.250	-3.5	-3	195.210	-2.9	-5
Energy services ⁵	207.211	-3.8	-2	166.230	-2.2	-2	211.545	-1.6	-5
Electricity ⁵	216.167	-.6	-4	167.973	-.7	-2	224.816	-.3	-3
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	171.970	-12.5	.3	141.829	-9.7	.1	150.830	-9.3	-2.0
Household furnishings and operations	114.095	-.9	-.4	97.532	.0	-.5	126.579	-.2	-.6
Apparel	119.780	-1.0	3.5	88.630	-.7	-1.2	125.241	-1.9	.5
Transportation	200.331	-6.2	-1.9	141.752	-7.3	-1.7	205.221	-8.9	-2.0
Private transportation	199.268	-6.4	-1.7	141.399	-7.7	-1.6	200.972	-9.1	-1.8
New and used motor vehicles ³	100.034	-.5	-.5	102.220	.3	.0	105.207	.3	-.4
New vehicles	126.640	-.1	-.6	102.596	1.2	.1	162.358	1.8	-.6
New cars and trucks ^{3 7}	99.678	-.1	-.6	102.739	1.2	.1	112.226	1.9	-.6
New cars ⁷	125.347	-.5	-.6	102.832	.9	.1	155.427	-.1	-.7
Used cars and trucks	144.568	-1.7	-.2	101.781	-1.4	-.1	137.405	-1.6	-.1
Motor fuel	348.557	-21.0	-5.4	220.431	-26.0	-5.5	216.667	-25.9	-5.4
Gasoline (all types)	347.355	-20.9	-5.4	221.104	-25.9	-5.5	215.104	-25.8	-5.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	350.786	-21.7	-5.6	222.993	-26.6	-5.7	203.207	-26.4	-5.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	248.024	-18.5	-3.9	224.108	-23.8	-4.4	248.832	-25.2	-5.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	328.633	-17.0	-4.6	223.307	-22.3	-4.3	234.737	-21.9	-3.0
Medical care	356.981	2.9	-.1	185.554	1.8	.0	437.637	2.9	-.1
Medical care commodities	284.719	4.5	.1	164.948	1.5	.5	355.313	5.2	.2
Medical care services	378.869	2.5	-.1	193.026	1.8	-.2	466.810	2.1	-.2
Professional services	288.350	2.5	-.1	165.129	1.0	-.2	370.983	.2	.0
Recreation ³	115.449	.8	-.2	115.938	.5	-.3	120.322	.3	-.4
Education and communication ³	140.358	.3	.4	133.291	-.2	.5	147.225	.7	1.0
Other goods and services	320.821	1.6	.1	187.437	1.6	-.1	454.850	2.0	.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	218.282	.6	-.1	146.341	-.3	-.2	233.793	.0	-.1
Commodities	174.498	-2.6	-.3	128.975	-3.5	-.7	188.784	-3.3	-.7
Commodities less food and beverages	147.747	-5.6	-.8	115.953	-6.2	-1.3	160.762	-6.3	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	197.397	-7.7	-.9	146.451	-9.9	-2.0	202.192	-9.7	-1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	254.542	-9.9	-2.4	174.664	-12.3	-2.3	243.030	-11.5	-2.2
Durables	99.597	-1.9	-.6	86.231	-.5	-.2	119.472	-.3	-.6
Services	253.115	2.4	.0	157.116	1.9	.1	282.743	2.5	.4
Rent of shelter ⁶	247.118	3.4	.2	147.146	2.4	.2	253.473	4.0	.7
Transportation services	231.340	1.2	-.9	161.593	3.9	-.6	315.265	1.2	-.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Commodity and service group										
Other services	277.755	1.6	0.3	157.959	1.2	0.3	345.685	1.3	0.6	
Special aggregate indexes										
All items less medical care	211.734	.4	-.1	141.631	-.5	-.3	221.248	-.3	-.1	
All items less food	217.635	.4	-.2	142.557	-.6	-.3	231.071	-.3	-.1	
All items less shelter	206.037	-.9	-.2	143.274	-1.4	-.4	231.670	-1.5	-.4	
Commodities less food	150.627	-5.3	-.7	116.857	-6.0	-1.2	162.702	-6.1	-1.2	
Nondurables	210.634	-2.9	-.2	150.463	-4.6	-.9	224.886	-4.2	-.7	
Nondurables less food	198.990	-7.1	-.8	146.397	-9.3	-1.9	203.506	-9.2	-1.6	
Nondurables less food and apparel	249.654	-9.0	-2.2	172.204	-11.4	-2.1	241.685	-10.8	-2.1	
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	260.437	1.2	-.1	167.923	1.5	.0	328.941	1.3	.1	
Services less medical care services	244.546	2.4	.1	153.838	2.0	.1	264.379	2.6	.4	
Energy	271.040	-14.1	-3.1	194.407	-16.0	-2.9	208.034	-15.8	-3.0	
All items less energy	214.639	1.9	.2	140.269	1.5	.0	238.043	2.1	.3	
All items less food and energy	213.332	2.0	.1	137.540	1.6	.0	236.438	2.2	.3	
Commodities less food and energy commodities	130.519	-.8	.4	103.398	-.3	-.3	156.824	.3	-.2	
Energy commodities	349.490	-21.4	-5.4	224.421	-26.0	-5.4	216.542	-25.6	-5.1	
Services less energy services	256.368	2.8	.1	156.380	2.3	.1	290.689	2.9	.5	

¹ See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

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

estimator.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁸ 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 classes¹, 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 ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	255.629	0.2	-0.1	149.380	-0.8	-0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	394.996	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	251.520	1.7	.1	156.828	1.2	.0
Food	251.544	1.8	.1	157.370	1.3	.0
Food at home	251.090	1.6	.3	151.566	.5	.0
Food away from home	255.706	2.0	-1	167.114	2.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages	250.095	.8	.1	148.237	.1	-5
Housing	268.876	1.0	-1	150.585	.5	-2
Shelter	331.693	2.5	.2	153.451	2.1	-1
Rent of primary residence ⁴	337.306	2.7	.1	158.628	1.6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	339.196	2.8	.3	149.687	.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	338.986	2.7	.3	149.687	.9	.3
Fuels and utilities	200.593	-7.9	-1.6	179.805	-6.4	-8
Household energy	183.581	-9.7	-2.0	172.270	-8.1	-1.1
Energy services ⁴	181.670	-4.8	-1.0	146.706	-2.8	.1
Electricity ⁴	196.922	-7	-1.0	141.204	-5	.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	142.711	-14.7	-9	126.972	-12.2	-1
Household furnishings and operations	118.872	-2.2	-8	105.305	-2	-3
Apparel	131.225	3.0	4.5	90.891	-3.0	-9
Transportation	205.356	-7.1	-2.0	137.058	-8.5	-2.0
Private transportation	196.457	-7.9	-2.0	137.351	-8.9	-1.7
Motor fuel	213.389	-26.5	-6.5	218.220	-27.6	-6.5
Gasoline (all types)	212.185	-26.5	-6.5	218.746	-27.6	-6.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	209.847	-27.3	-7.0	219.987	-28.2	-6.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	221.211	-24.4	-4.9	223.584	-25.9	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	219.619	-22.6	-4.2	218.983	-24.1	-4.9
Medical care	473.598	2.5	.2	190.232	3.4	.3
Recreation ²	119.962	.7	-5	122.414	2.3	-4
Education and communication ²	142.270	.6	.3	130.767	.7	.6
Other goods and services	430.971	2.9	.1	207.820	2.3	-2
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	255.629	.2	-1	149.380	-.8	-.4
Commodities	188.033	-2.9	-4	134.513	-4.7	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	150.736	-6.3	-8	123.235	-7.6	-1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	189.326	-8.5	-7	153.592	-12.7	-2.8
Durables	104.838	-1.9	-9	89.563	-.7	.0
Services	316.803	1.7	.0	157.835	1.9	.0
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	246.311	.0	-1	144.703	-1.2	-.5
All items less shelter	227.645	-1.2	-3	145.204	-1.9	-.5
Commodities less food	154.492	-5.9	-7	124.105	-7.3	-1.5
Nondurables	221.381	-3.1	-3	154.500	-6.3	-1.4
Nondurables less food	193.009	-7.8	-7	153.197	-11.9	-2.6
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	311.273	.8	-2	162.459	1.7	.0
Services less medical care services	304.964	1.7	.0	153.908	1.6	-.1
Energy	197.119	-17.8	-4.0	190.078	-19.1	-3.9
All items less energy	263.674	1.8	.2	143.702	1.4	-.1
All items less food and energy	267.589	1.8	.2	141.113	1.5	-.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 classes¹, 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 ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	226.278	-0.2	0.1	145.099	-0.5	-0.2	222.932	-0.2	0.0
All items (December 1977=100)	373.598	-	-	-	-	-	357.410	-	-
Food and beverages	242.865	1.6	.4	152.929	.7	.3	244.268	2.1	.1
Food	242.579	1.7	.4	153.319	.7	.3	244.498	2.1	.1
Food at home	235.673	.8	.5	147.988	-.6	.3	226.262	.1	-.2
Food away from home	253.187	3.0	.3	162.037	3.1	.2	277.594	5.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	242.575	-.2	.5	150.592	.8	.4	240.459	1.0	.3
Housing	216.419	.9	.0	135.795	1.0	.0	210.714	2.7	.4
Shelter	255.165	2.0	-.1	137.280	2.0	.1	243.096	4.3	.8
Rent of primary residence ⁴	260.858	2.9	.2	140.600	2.1	.2	232.587	4.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	257.980	2.0	.2	135.454	2.0	.2	248.007	3.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	257.972	2.0	.2	135.454	2.0	.2	248.007	3.3	.4
Fuels and utilities	217.627	-4.0	.3	179.260	-3.1	-.3	220.069	-2.3	-1.1
Household energy	181.804	-6.8	.2	175.998	-4.3	-.4	170.064	-3.1	-1.3
Energy services ⁴	184.923	-6.6	.2	175.095	-3.1	-.4	189.657	-.7	-1.3
Electricity ⁴	202.934	1.6	.2	185.039	.1	-.3	197.503	4.3	-.5
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	143.531	-19.2	.4	130.082	-14.2	-1.1	152.139	-17.7	-4.8
Household furnishings and operations	109.885	-.9	-.2	94.410	.3	-.6	118.122	-.2	-.4
Apparel	113.540	-4.6	3.5	92.288	1.1	-2.2	120.631	-10.6	2.7
Transportation	204.501	-5.4	-.8	147.337	-7.7	-.9	178.412	-9.2	-2.3
Private transportation	200.422	-5.5	-.8	146.825	-8.1	-.6	172.540	-9.5	-2.2
Motor fuel	249.894	-20.2	-2.4	242.356	-23.6	-1.3	200.273	-24.9	-6.1
Gasoline (all types)	248.237	-20.1	-2.4	242.399	-23.5	-1.3	197.919	-24.6	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	244.765	-20.8	-2.5	244.353	-24.2	-1.4	188.388	-24.9	-6.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	273.439	-18.8	-1.9	244.642	-22.3	-1.2	232.201	-25.2	-5.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	255.573	-15.9	-1.3	244.577	-19.0	.0	218.735	-20.6	-3.0
Medical care	442.106	2.3	.1	198.016	1.6	-.2	441.408	2.9	.1
Recreation ²	117.326	1.0	.2	121.850	-.4	.3	108.497	.0	-.2
Education and communication ²	139.666	-.7	.1	139.667	-.8	.1	136.954	1.9	2.3
Other goods and services	386.427	1.1	.4	189.821	4.1	.1	452.042	1.8	1.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	226.278	-.2	.1	145.099	-.5	-.2	222.932	-.2	.0
Commodities	178.659	-2.7	.2	130.190	-3.2	-.4	183.830	-3.8	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages	146.518	-5.5	.0	118.236	-5.5	-.8	155.560	-7.2	-1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	188.913	-8.2	.1	152.353	-8.1	-.9	200.945	-10.2	-1.3
Durables	104.445	-1.0	-.1	83.568	-1.1	-.6	109.659	-2.1	-.9
Services	273.086	1.4	.0	155.205	1.3	.0	265.945	2.7	.6
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	216.771	-.5	.1	139.889	-.8	-.2	209.649	-.6	.0
All items less shelter	217.827	-1.2	.2	146.244	-1.6	-.3	217.759	-1.8	-.2
Commodities less food	150.047	-5.3	.0	119.084	-5.3	-.8	157.744	-7.0	-1.1
Nondurables	216.174	-3.2	.3	152.938	-3.8	-.3	221.903	-4.3	-.6
Nondurables less food	192.493	-7.7	.2	151.656	-7.7	-.9	202.526	-9.6	-1.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	304.762	.8	.1	174.074	.8	-.1	293.202	1.4	.4
Services less medical care services	259.429	1.3	.0	150.668	1.3	.0	244.210	2.7	.7
Energy	211.761	-14.0	-1.1	206.593	-14.9	-.8	184.408	-15.3	-3.7
All items less energy	230.082	1.2	.2	138.916	1.2	-.1	229.253	1.6	.5
All items less food and energy	228.579	1.1	.1	136.322	1.3	-.2	226.389	1.5	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, 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 ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	233.513	0.3	-0.1	146.695	-0.3	-0.3	236.395	-1.0	-0.3
All items (December 1977=100)	376.967	-	-	-	-	-	383.886	-	-
Food and beverages	245.029	1.6	.5	155.818	1.8	.1	249.330	2.0	.3
Food	246.716	1.6	.5	156.916	1.8	.1	249.448	2.0	.3
Food at home	237.917	.6	.9	153.860	.8	.0	249.735	1.1	.1
Food away from home	261.336	3.0	.1	161.520	3.2	.2	253.067	3.6	.5
Alcoholic beverages	223.945	1.3	.2	140.010	1.2	.0	238.603	1.4	-4
Housing	229.425	2.5	.1	147.168	1.7	.1	212.322	.2	.1
Shelter	261.241	3.9	.1	152.626	2.6	.2	238.612	1.4	.3
Rent of primary residence ⁴	270.145	5.1	.5	162.138	2.9	.3	243.786	5.5	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	266.259	3.7	.1	150.700	2.7	.3	245.690	.1	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	266.259	3.7	.1	150.700	2.7	.3	245.690	.1	.4
Fuels and utilities	220.793	-2.7	-2	173.999	-1.0	.1	236.678	-2.5	-3
Household energy	190.296	-4.4	-3	164.903	-2.7	-2	200.857	-4.2	-4
Energy services ⁴	192.865	-4.0	-3	161.208	-2.6	-3	209.022	-3.7	-2
Electricity ⁴	188.842	-3.2	-4	163.481	-1.3	-3	216.263	-3.0	-2
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	175.709	-8.2	.4	134.392	-12.9	-2	135.538	-10.9	-3
Household furnishings and operations	126.500	-1.3	.0	94.860	-.5	-3	124.030	-2.6	-3
Apparel	147.692	-1.8	3.0	84.813	-.6	-.8	141.185	7.7	-.9
Transportation	199.703	-8.6	-2.2	139.505	-7.9	-2.2	222.273	-10.9	-2.2
Private transportation	199.410	-8.8	-2.1	139.292	-8.1	-2.1	219.451	-11.2	-2.3
Motor fuel	225.397	-26.4	-6.8	208.790	-28.5	-7.8	199.196	-29.5	-7.0
Gasoline (all types)	223.652	-26.3	-6.8	209.049	-28.4	-7.8	196.745	-29.5	-7.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	221.033	-27.1	-7.1	211.966	-29.1	-8.0	186.945	-30.4	-7.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	233.250	-24.3	-5.8	210.113	-26.5	-7.0	244.076	-26.9	-5.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	236.951	-22.0	-5.2	213.450	-24.7	-6.4	223.351	-24.5	-4.1
Medical care	434.150	4.4	.1	177.511	1.0	.5	429.800	3.2	.3
Recreation ²	109.726	.5	-3	119.259	.5	-.5	117.855	1.0	-.8
Education and communication ²	138.790	1.3	1.1	132.725	.1	.6	144.053	.7	.5
Other goods and services	383.256	2.0	.1	182.223	1.0	.0	443.205	3.3	.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	233.513	.3	-1	146.695	-.3	-.3	236.395	-1.0	-.3
Commodities	182.365	-3.8	-4	127.227	-3.8	-.9	194.977	-3.9	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	151.002	-7.2	-1.0	113.098	-7.0	-1.6	170.078	-7.1	-1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	192.060	-9.9	-1.3	142.149	-10.9	-2.5	208.492	-10.5	-2.6
Durables	111.425	-2.8	-5	85.368	-.7	-.1	127.841	-1.0	-2
Services	281.819	2.8	.1	159.538	2.1	.2	280.424	1.1	.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	223.957	.0	-1	142.503	-.4	-.3	222.829	-1.4	-.4
All items less shelter	223.105	-1.5	-2	141.740	-1.6	-.5	237.411	-1.9	-.6
Commodities less food	153.712	-6.9	-1.0	113.887	-6.7	-1.5	171.532	-6.9	-1.7
Nondurables	217.484	-4.1	-4	148.650	-4.8	-1.2	227.679	-4.8	-1.2
Nondurables less food	193.859	-9.3	-1.2	142.102	-10.2	-2.4	209.200	-10.1	-2.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	313.861	1.5	.1	167.091	1.6	.1	330.937	.9	.0
Services less medical care services	267.859	2.6	.1	157.350	2.3	.2	261.034	.9	.1
Energy	203.521	-16.8	-3.6	183.568	-17.1	-4.0	199.206	-18.0	-3.6
All items less energy	238.454	2.0	.2	141.261	1.7	.1	240.375	1.6	.1
All items less food and energy	237.504	2.1	.2	138.393	1.7	.1	239.181	1.6	.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 classes¹, 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 ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	250.699	1.6	-0.2	144.752	0.3	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	408.799	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	251.461	1.8	.3	152.509	.4	.4
Food	252.257	1.9	.3	152.061	.4	.4
Food at home	251.330	1.2	.3	149.905	.6	.4
Food away from home	251.783	2.9	.3	155.277	.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	239.029	-1	-3	159.097	1.1	.8
Housing	272.854	3.9	.2	141.010	2.3	.4
Shelter	308.981	4.6	.3	140.482	2.4	.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	328.299	4.8	.5	150.471	2.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	324.874	4.6	.4	139.966	2.4	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	324.819	4.6	.4	139.961	2.4	.3
Fuels and utilities	295.182	1.3	.2	197.243	2.5	1.3
Household energy	258.596	-3	.3	191.042	.0	.3
Energy services ⁴	261.389	.0	.3	188.271	.3	.3
Electricity ⁴	294.883	.8	.0	187.506	.2	-1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	215.469	-2.5	1.5	181.326	.5	1.5
Household furnishings and operations	129.591	.3	-4	102.428	1.0	-1.2
Apparel	120.989	-1.5	2.8	94.606	-.9	-1.6
Transportation	206.106	-3.9	-2.5	146.962	-4.3	-1.0
Private transportation	201.927	-3.8	-1.9	145.526	-4.8	-.8
Motor fuel	266.584	-13.1	-5.5	230.174	-19.8	-2.6
Gasoline (all types)	265.257	-12.9	-5.5	233.084	-19.5	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	266.205	-13.4	-5.6	232.857	-19.8	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	249.847	-11.0	-4.3	229.540	-19.0	-3.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	256.281	-11.2	-5.6	224.360	-18.4	-2.5
Medical care	446.284	2.7	-.5	189.289	2.4	-1.5
Recreation ²	113.742	1.1	-.1	98.234	-.2	-.3
Education and communication ²	139.145	-.1	.1	129.060	-1.4	.7
Other goods and services	400.368	.6	-.1	179.453	.3	-.3
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	250.699	1.6	-.2	144.752	.3	-.1
Commodities	182.194	-1.4	-.5	127.542	-2.3	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	145.818	-3.7	-1.1	114.857	-3.9	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	186.691	-4.8	-1.4	144.337	-7.0	-1.4
Durables	106.389	-1.7	-.7	88.813	.8	-.4
Services	311.668	3.3	.0	152.940	2.2	.1
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	242.133	1.5	-.1	139.111	.1	.0
All items less shelter	227.565	-.1	-.4	142.511	-.6	-.3
Commodities less food	149.790	-3.5	-1.1	116.110	-3.8	-.9
Nondurables	219.705	-1.3	-.5	148.750	-3.4	-.5
Nondurables less food	190.994	-4.5	-1.3	145.384	-6.6	-1.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	327.989	1.6	-.3	167.945	1.9	-.2
Services less medical care services	300.810	3.4	.1	148.924	2.1	.3
Energy	261.487	-8.3	-3.2	216.246	-11.3	-1.3
All items less energy	252.102	2.4	.1	136.819	1.5	.0
All items less food and energy	252.944	2.5	.0	134.258	1.7	-.1

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

⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.
⁶ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
⁷ 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 Aug. 2015 from—			Percent change to July 2015 from—		
		May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015	July 2015	July 2014	May 2015	June 2015
U.S. city average	M	241.019	241.494	241.993	242.746	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.4	0.2
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	248.838	249.264	248.520	249.021	1.3	-.1	.2	.7	-.1	-.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.048	251.416	250.424	251.090	1.6	-.1	.3	1.0	-.2	-.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	151.215	151.577	151.531	151.566	.5	.0	.0	.1	.2	.0
Midwest urban	M	228.729	229.000	229.936	230.714	.2	.7	.3	.3	.5	.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	234.090	234.050	234.575	235.673	.8	.7	.5	.7	.2	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	146.141	146.814	147.539	147.988	-.6	.8	.3	.0	1.0	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	225.114	224.353	226.670	226.262	.1	.9	-.2	-.4	.7	1.0
South urban	M	239.835	240.253	240.573	241.461	.8	.5	.4	.9	.3	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	236.470	236.745	235.871	237.917	.6	.5	.9	.5	-.3	-.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	152.820	153.494	153.791	153.860	.8	.2	.0	1.1	.6	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	247.427	244.816	249.387	249.735	1.1	2.0	.1	1.9	.8	1.9
West urban	M	247.018	247.781	249.077	249.825	1.1	.8	.3	1.5	.8	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	247.732	248.618	250.625	251.330	1.2	1.1	.3	1.3	1.2	.8
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	148.931	149.732	149.328	149.905	.6	.1	.4	1.3	.3	-.3
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	222.326	222.702	222.920	223.919	1.1	.5	.4	.9	.3	.1
B/C ³	M	150.539	151.194	151.395	151.639	.4	.3	.2	.7	.6	.1
D	M	240.525	238.773	241.949	242.087	.9	1.4	.1	1.6	.6	1.3
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	237.947	237.049	238.284	240.679	1.8	1.5	1.0	1.5	.1	.5
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	255.264	255.905	258.745	257.616	.5	.7	-.4	1.2	1.4	1.1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	254.472	254.763	253.429	254.656	1.6	.0	.5	.1	-.4	-.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	245.976	247.301	246.598	246.943	1.5	-.1	.1	2.2	.3	-.3
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	248.697	247.672	249.020	249.722	1.4	.8	.3	.8	.1	.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	219.630	220.331	217.495	219.548	-.7	-.4	.9	-.6	-1.0	-1.3
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	147.854	147.086	146.488	147.656	-.6	.4	.8	-1.0	-.9	-.4
Atlanta, GA	2	253.841	252.692	251.536	252.933	.6	.1	.6	1.7	-.9	-.5
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	211.923	210.493	211.574	208.828	-.9	-.8	-1.3	.3	-.2	.5
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	221.460	223.329	224.834	225.811	1.7	1.1	.4	2.5	1.5	.7
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	254.785	256.378	256.831	259.997	1.6	1.4	1.2	.7	.8	.2
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	245.243	244.848	244.369	244.192	1.6	-.3	-.1	2.3	-.4	-.2
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	248.813	249.931	253.343	257.881	3.8	3.2	1.8	2.3	1.8	1.4
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	246.188	248.837	249.910	251.412	3.3	1.0	.6	2.0	1.5	.4

¹ 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.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ 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—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	238.316	0.2	-0.1	229.527	-0.1	0.4	246.328	1.1	-0.3	261.347	0.1	0.1
All items (1967=100)	713.890	-	-	685.732	-	-	727.763	-	-	755.517	-	-
Food and beverages	247.196	1.5	.3	242.903	2.3	.6	248.660	1.1	-2	256.254	1.7	.3
Food	247.671	1.6	.3	242.809	2.6	.7	249.024	1.1	-2	256.147	1.8	.3
Food at home	242.746	.8	.3	240.679	1.8	1.0	257.616	.5	-4	254.656	1.6	.5
Food away from home	256.449	2.7	.2	240.318	3.7	.2	234.608	2.0	.1	264.980	2.0	.0
Alcoholic beverages	239.313	.6	.1	242.577	-1.9	.0	229.310	.1	-8	253.419	1.5	.0
Housing	239.298	2.0	.1	232.650	.5	.2	268.128	2.7	.2	279.988	.9	.1
Shelter	280.093	3.1	.2	288.675	2.2	.1	304.185	3.7	.3	351.038	2.3	.3
Rent of primary residence ¹	287.068	3.6	.3	306.620	3.5	.2	318.359	3.9	.5	360.239	2.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹ ²	287.026	3.0	.3	293.746	2.5	.2	316.295	3.4	.3	357.346	2.4	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹ ²	286.988	3.0	.3	293.746	2.5	.2	316.270	3.4	.3	356.962	2.4	.4
Fuels and utilities	233.847	-2.5	-1	198.021	-9.1	.9	295.443	-2.1	.2	185.294	-8.4	-2.1
Household energy	198.260	-4.5	-4	161.170	-14.4	1.2	260.081	-4.2	.3	177.971	-9.9	-2.4
Energy services ¹	203.246	-3.0	-2	164.248	-14.4	1.2	258.988	-4.1	.4	172.104	-5.4	-1.3
Electricity ¹	215.786	-6	-3	163.539	-6	1.1	290.671	-4.3	.0	187.481	-3.1	-1.8
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	162.885	-11.5	.1	149.779	-29.3	1.3	226.483	-3.5	1.3	135.772	-11.1	.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	122.120	-5	-4	96.302	-9	-4	115.445	-9	.2	113.295	-3.3	-1
Apparel	124.547	-9	1.6	91.786	-3.9	6.1	111.391	-3.3	4.6	131.507	3.6	4.9
Transportation	203.377	-6.8	-1.9	189.972	-5.1	.0	207.441	-1.6	-3.3	215.733	-6.3	-1.7
Private transportation	198.657	-7.1	-1.7	187.518	-5.0	-2	203.110	-1.5	-3.2	201.825	-7.5	-1.8
Motor fuel	231.305	-23.4	-5.4	266.987	-16.3	1.0	283.806	-5.6	-8.3	206.476	-26.7	-6.2
Gasoline (all types)	230.513	-23.3	-5.4	264.342	-16.2	1.0	277.944	-5.5	-8.3	205.570	-26.7	-6.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	227.099	-24.1	-5.7	256.764	-17.0	1.0	278.966	-5.7	-8.6	204.321	-27.5	-6.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ³ ⁴	245.418	-21.4	-4.3	285.511	-14.2	.8	267.946	-3.9	-6.0	216.306	-24.4	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	237.367	-19.4	-4.4	274.296	-11.1	1.6	261.694	-5.3	-8.1	217.238	-22.7	-3.8
Medical care	446.536	2.5	-1	464.167	2.7	.1	424.885	2.0	.0	447.186	2.0	.5
Recreation ⁵	116.084	.7	-2	110.219	.2	.1	103.423	-9	-8	118.631	.1	-4
Education and communication ⁵	138.291	.1	.5	142.212	.0	.1	146.567	.4	.1	141.283	-1	.3
Other goods and services	415.576	1.6	.1	383.469	-2	.4	386.009	1.2	.4	404.239	1.8	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	238.316	.2	-1	229.527	-1	.4	246.328	1.1	-3	261.347	.1	.1
Commodities	183.137	-3.0	-5	171.050	-1.9	1.0	179.536	-1.0	-1.0	189.319	-2.8	-1
Commodities less food and beverages ...	150.972	-5.9	-1.0	134.196	-5.0	1.3	142.441	-2.4	-1.5	147.649	-6.2	-4
Nondurables less food and beverages	193.175	-8.7	-1.4	178.386	-7.0	2.0	188.535	-3.0	-2.4	185.517	-8.2	-3
Durables	109.187	-1.2	-4	91.891	-1.1	.1	97.499	-1.5	.1	98.894	-2.2	-7
Services	292.861	2.2	.1	284.927	1.0	.1	305.226	2.4	.1	322.714	1.5	.1
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	228.267	.0	-1	219.482	-4	.4	238.348	1.1	-3	253.238	.0	.0
All items less shelter	224.632	-1.2	-3	209.710	-1.2	.6	221.135	-3	-6	225.997	-1.3	-1
Commodities less food	153.986	-5.6	-1.0	138.255	-4.9	1.3	146.381	-2.3	-1.5	151.745	-5.9	-4
Nondurables	219.833	-3.6	-5	211.608	-2.1	1.3	220.043	-9	-1.3	222.589	-2.9	.0
Nondurables less food	195.892	-8.2	-1.3	182.909	-6.7	1.9	193.046	-2.7	-2.3	189.766	-7.5	-3
Services less rent of shelter ²	316.841	1.3	.0	295.760	-3	.0	315.380	.6	-1	302.539	.3	-1
Services less medical care services	278.956	2.3	.1	271.310	.7	.1	294.610	2.5	.1	312.851	1.5	.1
Energy	213.248	-15.0	-3.0	201.985	-15.4	1.1	275.895	-5.1	-5.4	191.334	-17.7	-4.0
All items less energy	242.722	1.8	.1	233.963	1.4	.4	246.085	1.7	.1	269.948	1.6	.3
All items less food and energy	242.651	1.8	.1	233.181	1.2	.3	245.896	1.8	.2	274.190	1.6	.4

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

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ 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 2 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	238.316	0.2	-0.1	225.027	0.6	-0.1	229.527	-0.1	0.3
All items (1967=100) ²	713.890	-	-	678.614	-	-	685.732	-	-
Food and beverages	247.196	1.5	.4	251.045	2.3	.2	242.903	2.3	.9
Food	247.671	1.6	.4	262.336	2.5	.1	242.809	2.6	1.0
Food at home	242.746	.8	.5	252.933	.6	.1	240.679	1.8	1.5
Food away from home	256.449	2.7	.2	278.242	5.6	.1	240.318	3.7	.3
Alcoholic beverages	239.313	.6	.2	150.308	-2	1.0	242.577	-1.9	-2
Housing	239.298	2.0	.3	221.339	2.7	.3	232.650	.5	.3
Shelter	280.093	3.1	.6	234.063	4.0	.6	288.675	2.2	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	287.068	3.6	.7	237.216	5.5	1.3	306.620	3.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	287.026	3.0	.6	229.619	3.8	.7	293.746	2.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	286.988	3.0	.6	229.619	3.8	.7	293.746	2.5	.4
Fuels and utilities	233.847	-2.5	-5	321.348	-5	-1	198.021	-9.1	.8
Household energy	198.260	-4.5	-1.1	286.893	-1.0	-2	161.170	-14.4	1.1
Energy services ³	203.246	-3.0	-8	286.157	-9	-3	164.248	-14.4	1.2
Electricity ³	215.786	-6	-8	272.243	.8	-4	163.539	-6	.4
Utility (piped) gas service ³	162.885	-11.5	-8	252.181	-6.4	.3	149.779	-29.3	2.4
Household furnishings and operations	122.120	-5	-8	124.014	-2.0	-1.8	96.302	-9	.6
Apparel	124.547	-9	-3	143.610	3.7	6.7	91.786	-3.9	5.6
Transportation	203.377	-6.8	-2.2	193.104	-9.3	-3.7	189.972	-5.1	-1.9
Private transportation	198.657	-7.1	-1.7	193.117	-9.4	-3.6	187.518	-5.0	-1.6
Motor fuel	231.305	-23.4	-5.6	225.391	-24.8	-10.6	266.987	-16.3	-3.8
Gasoline (all types)	230.513	-23.3	-5.6	223.935	-24.7	-10.6	264.342	-16.2	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	227.099	-24.1	-6.0	220.036	-25.3	-11.1	256.764	-17.0	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	245.418	-21.4	-4.2	274.113	-23.5	-9.5	285.511	-14.2	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	237.367	-19.4	-3.5	237.127	-20.7	-6.9	274.296	-11.1	-1.5
Medical care	446.536	2.5	.1	411.374	3.5	.2	464.167	2.7	.0
Recreation ⁷	116.084	.7	-3	87.485	1.8	.2	110.219	.2	.5
Education and communication ⁷	138.291	.1	.6	135.112	.2	1.7	142.212	.0	.7
Other goods and services	415.576	1.6	.1	364.669	6.9	.6	383.469	-2	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	238.316	.2	-1	225.027	.6	-1	229.527	-1	.3
Commodities	183.137	-3.0	-8	179.715	-3.2	-1.1	171.050	-1.9	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	150.972	-5.9	-1.5	147.030	-6.2	-1.8	134.196	-5.0	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	193.175	-8.7	-2.0	183.002	-8.8	-2.4	178.386	-7.0	.4
Durables	109.187	-1.2	-8	110.568	-2.3	-8	91.891	-1.1	-1
Services	292.861	2.2	.2	268.563	2.8	.5	284.927	1.0	.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	228.267	.0	-2	214.917	.4	-1	219.482	-4	.3
All items less shelter	224.632	-1.2	-5	226.149	-1.1	-4	209.710	-1.2	.3
Commodities less food	153.986	-5.6	-1.4	146.814	-6.0	-1.7	138.255	-4.9	.2
Nondurables	219.833	-3.6	-7	213.058	-3.5	-1.1	211.608	-2.1	.7
Nondurables less food	195.892	-8.2	-1.8	179.400	-8.3	-2.2	182.909	-6.7	.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	316.841	1.3	-1	325.106	1.3	.4	295.760	-3	.1
Services less medical care services	278.956	2.3	.3	252.790	2.9	.5	271.310	.7	.2
Energy	213.248	-15.0	-3.4	232.182	-13.5	-5.2	201.985	-15.4	-1.5
All items less energy	242.722	1.8	.2	223.996	2.5	.6	233.963	1.4	.4
All items less food and energy	242.651	1.8	.1	218.410	2.5	.6	233.181	1.2	.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 2 ¹								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	220.249	-0.9	0.6	214.652	0.3	0.4	246.328	1.1	0.4
All items (1967=100) ²	654.673	-	-	688.465	-	-	727.763	-	-
Food and beverages	219.720	1.0	.3	224.849	2.1	.7	248.660	1.1	.4
Food	219.459	.8	.2	224.800	2.1	.7	249.024	1.1	.5
Food at home	208.828	-9	-8	225.811	1.7	1.1	257.616	.5	.7
Food away from home	236.261	3.5	1.6	219.234	2.5	.2	234.608	2.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages	217.106	3.8	1.9	215.340	1.9	-1	229.310	.1	-6
Housing	201.174	.1	.8	203.299	3.1	1.0	268.128	2.7	.5
Shelter	226.622	.7	.2	242.757	5.1	.9	304.185	3.7	.6
Rent of primary residence ³	232.089	2.4	.5	234.455	6.7	1.2	318.359	3.9	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	224.136	.2	.6	224.813	5.4	.8	316.295	3.4	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	224.136	.2	.6	224.813	5.4	.8	316.270	3.4	.7
Fuels and utilities	242.245	-1.7	4.7	156.698	-9.2	-1	295.443	-2.1	.6
Household energy	190.237	-2.6	4.9	137.641	-13.1	-2	260.081	-4.2	.2
Energy services ³	193.646	-1.8	5.2	135.185	-13.0	-1	258.988	-4.1	.3
Electricity ³	224.712	4.7	8.9	134.792	-13.3	.9	290.671	-4.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas service ³	148.490	-10.9	-3	126.098	-11.8	-5.1	226.483	-3.5	1.1
Household furnishings and operations	116.178	-2.2	.4	124.469	2.7	2.4	115.445	-9	-3
Apparel	117.999	-4.8	9.0	181.352	-3.1	7.7	111.391	-3.3	2.9
Transportation	235.253	-5.6	-1.1	178.316	-6.9	-2.3	207.441	-1.6	-.5
Private transportation	235.104	-5.7	-9	176.991	-6.9	-1.7	203.110	-1.5	.5
Motor fuel	239.794	-21.7	-2.7	214.506	-27.2	-5.4	283.806	-5.6	1.3
Gasoline (all types)	238.418	-21.6	-2.7	215.309	-27.1	-5.5	277.944	-5.5	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	241.612	-22.6	-3.2	219.477	-28.0	-5.9	278.966	-5.7	1.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	277.081	-19.0	-1.1	227.010	-24.7	-4.8	267.946	-3.9	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	240.749	-16.4	.1	226.415	-21.9	-3.8	261.694	-5.3	1.1
Medical care	399.216	.2	.4	452.245	4.4	.4	424.885	2.0	.6
Recreation ⁷	114.704	1.8	.8	101.118	-3.9	-1.4	103.423	-9	-9
Education and communication ⁷	144.558	-2.0	.0	125.593	2.4	1.1	146.567	.4	.4
Other goods and services	400.540	1.9	1.4	390.153	2.2	-2	386.009	1.2	.3
Commodity and service group									
All items	220.249	-9	.6	214.652	.3	.4	246.328	1.1	.4
Commodities	175.281	-3.6	.2	175.478	-3.5	.0	179.536	-1.0	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	152.291	-6.5	.2	150.867	-6.6	-4	142.441	-2.4	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	183.039	-9.6	.9	200.746	-10.7	.2	188.535	-3.0	.9
Durables	115.599	-1.4	-8	104.507	-7	-1.2	97.499	-1.5	-.5
Services	266.685	.9	.8	255.404	3.1	.6	305.226	2.4	.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	213.125	-1.0	.6	202.985	.0	.4	238.348	1.1	.3
All items less shelter	220.835	-1.6	.7	204.052	-1.7	.1	221.135	-3	.2
Commodities less food	154.680	-6.1	.3	153.188	-6.3	-4	146.381	-2.3	.4
Nondurables	201.218	-4.2	.5	213.283	-4.6	.4	220.043	-9	.7
Nondurables less food	185.156	-8.7	.9	201.438	-10.1	.2	193.046	-2.7	.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	323.421	1.0	1.3	267.350	1.0	.3	315.380	.6	-.1
Services less medical care services	257.791	1.0	.8	235.980	3.0	.7	294.610	2.5	.3
Energy	216.567	-13.0	1.0	173.567	-22.1	-3.4	275.895	-5.1	.9
All items less energy	223.182	.5	.5	221.505	2.7	.7	246.085	1.7	.3
All items less food and energy	224.422	.5	.6	220.774	2.8	.7	245.896	1.8	.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 2 ¹								
	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	246.348	1.3	0.0	261.347	0.1	-0.1	244.519	-0.3	-0.5
All items (1967=100) ²	397.078	-	-	755.517	-	-	706.402	-	-
Food and beverages	259.459	2.2	1.1	256.254	1.7	.1	232.601	1.3	-4
Food	262.134	2.3	1.1	256.147	1.8	.1	232.832	1.6	-4
Food at home	259.997	1.6	1.4	254.656	1.6	.0	244.192	1.6	-3
Food away from home	268.354	3.4	.6	264.980	2.0	.3	212.245	1.5	-7
Alcoholic beverages	222.322	.9	1.3	253.419	1.5	.9	227.074	-2.7	.9
Housing	247.677	3.3	.6	279.988	.9	.1	250.060	.3	-2
Shelter	279.909	4.5	.8	351.038	2.3	.7	308.683	1.6	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	273.862	6.2	1.3	360.239	2.8	.6	288.459	2.4	-3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	282.045	3.8	.9	357.346	2.4	.5	317.514	2.6	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	282.045	3.8	.9	356.962	2.4	.5	317.514	2.6	.3
Fuels and utilities	171.423	-3.7	-1	185.294	-8.4	-4.1	205.363	-5.9	.0
Household energy	149.451	-4.4	-1	177.971	-9.9	-4.8	172.443	-7.7	-5
Energy services ³	146.408	-4.1	.0	172.104	-5.4	-3.8	184.594	-4.3	-1
Electricity ³	142.977	-4.1	.0	187.481	-3.1	-4.1	195.393	.8	-3
Utility (piped) gas service ³	201.909	-5.0	-1.8	135.772	-11.1	-2.8	155.010	-15.8	.3
Household furnishings and operations	160.059	-5	-1.7	113.295	-3.3	-1.8	113.901	-2.2	-4.4
Apparel	151.495	10.2	5.9	131.507	3.6	4.2	107.141	-2.6	6.6
Transportation	212.640	-8.9	-4.0	215.733	-6.3	-2.6	204.873	-7.5	-2.9
Private transportation	216.051	-8.7	-3.6	201.825	-7.5	-1.8	203.420	-7.9	-2.6
Motor fuel	229.448	-26.1	-8.0	206.476	-26.7	-6.7	223.909	-26.5	-7.7
Gasoline (all types)	226.752	-26.1	-8.0	205.570	-26.7	-6.7	220.870	-26.5	-7.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	223.718	-26.5	-8.4	204.321	-27.5	-7.3	218.573	-27.1	-8.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	221.123	-24.3	-6.1	216.306	-24.4	-3.7	223.077	-24.6	-6.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	242.072	-22.7	-5.5	217.238	-22.7	-3.1	221.518	-22.8	-5.5
Medical care	457.358	6.1	.3	447.186	2.0	.6	491.840	4.0	-4
Recreation ⁷	114.471	.8	-8	118.631	.1	-6	123.889	-8	-1.2
Education and communication ⁷	127.898	.2	.3	141.283	-1	.4	133.355	.7	.1
Other goods and services	340.161	6.7	.8	404.239	1.8	.0	508.127	6.5	-7
Commodity and service group									
All items	246.348	1.3	.0	261.347	.1	-1	244.519	-3	-5
Commodities	201.840	-2.4	-2	189.319	-2.8	-5	177.055	-3.6	-1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	167.289	-6.0	-1.3	147.649	-6.2	-1.0	146.579	-6.7	-1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	200.397	-7.8	-1.2	185.517	-8.2	-8	182.733	-9.0	-9
Durables	132.199	-2.3	-1.5	98.894	-2.2	-1.2	105.545	-2.3	-3.0
Services	281.103	3.3	.2	322.714	1.5	.1	313.300	1.5	-1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	237.129	1.1	.0	253.238	.0	-1	234.134	-7	-5
All items less shelter	228.822	-7	-5	225.997	-1.3	-6	223.893	-1.4	-8
Commodities less food	169.566	-5.8	-1.2	151.745	-5.9	-9	149.463	-6.5	-1.5
Nondurables	231.774	-2.4	.1	222.589	-2.9	-3	208.509	-3.9	-6
Nondurables less food	201.997	-7.4	-1.1	189.766	-7.5	-7	185.332	-8.6	-8
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	290.774	1.5	-8	302.539	.3	-7	325.269	1.2	-5
Services less medical care services	267.618	3.1	.2	312.851	1.5	.1	299.368	1.3	-1
Energy	184.522	-16.8	-4.3	191.334	-17.7	-5.6	191.421	-16.8	-3.7
All items less energy	253.369	3.2	.4	269.948	1.6	.3	252.216	1.4	-2
All items less food and energy	251.695	3.4	.3	274.190	1.6	.4	258.122	1.3	-1

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 2 ¹					
	San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA			Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category						
All items	259.917	2.6	0.3	251.617	1.8	0.0
All items (1967=100) ²	799.058	-	-	767.027	-	-
Food and beverages	264.734	3.8	1.9	259.640	3.2	.8
Food	265.927	4.3	2.2	262.673	3.3	.8
Food at home	257.881	3.8	3.2	251.412	3.3	1.0
Food away from home	275.110	5.0	1.0	280.575	3.2	.4
Alcoholic beverages	256.345	-2.3	-8	223.956	2.1	1.6
Housing	294.572	5.3	.7	275.841	4.9	.2
Shelter	331.436	5.2	1.0	309.149	5.4	.4
Rent of primary residence ³	372.725	5.8	.9	310.511	5.6	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	357.428	5.3	1.0	322.043	5.3	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	357.428	5.3	1.0	322.043	5.3	.7
Fuels and utilities	358.793	8.1	.3	255.290	4.2	.0
Household energy	319.364	5.6	.0	235.401	4.7	-1
Energy services ³	320.099	6.0	.1	280.430	6.0	.0
Electricity ³	330.882	4.8	.0	295.114	6.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas service ³	286.363	9.5	.2	191.211	5.3	.0
Household furnishings and operations	138.353	4.1	-1.6	172.807	1.4	-1.0
Apparel	114.153	-4.0	3.8	130.658	-1.4	2.1
Transportation	189.447	-4.6	-2.4	219.940	-5.3	-2.3
Private transportation	179.973	-3.9	-8	228.312	-6.8	-3
Motor fuel	247.551	-16.8	-2.2	330.712	-20.4	-4
Gasoline (all types)	246.954	-16.6	-2.1	337.788	-20.3	-3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	247.597	-16.9	-2.1	369.174	-20.9	-4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	229.514	-16.0	-1.5	262.863	-19.1	-3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	231.379	-15.8	-2.2	302.294	-18.4	.2
Medical care	NA	-	-	378.415	-	-
Recreation ⁷	113.871	3.7	.7	96.654	.7	1.0
Education and communication ⁷	142.565	.5	.2	139.418	.7	1.0
Other goods and services	428.980	.4	-7	395.465	-2	-1
Commodity and service group						
All items	259.917	2.6	.3	251.617	1.8	.0
Commodities	183.674	-6	.3	191.711	-2.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	139.490	-3.8	-1.0	157.973	-5.9	.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	178.833	-5.7	.1	189.266	-8.2	.7
Durables	101.692	-9	-2.6	125.965	-2.4	-1.1
Services	323.898	4.2	.3	307.540	4.2	-2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	251.563	2.6	.4	245.907	2.0	.1
All items less shelter	231.693	1.0	-1	229.935	-1	-2
Commodities less food	144.641	-3.8	-1.0	160.791	-5.5	.0
Nondurables	222.979	-5	1.1	223.079	-2.3	.8
Nondurables less food	184.831	-5.4	.0	192.307	-7.4	.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	330.741	2.8	-5	313.258	2.8	-8
Services less medical care services	315.092	4.4	.5	299.751	4.7	-1
Energy	277.272	-8.4	-1.2	289.985	-11.5	-2
All items less energy	262.142	3.3	.4	251.975	2.9	.0
All items less food and energy	262.350	3.1	.1	250.405	2.8	-1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

² Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1997=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 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 Aug. 2015 from—			Percent change to July 2015 from—		
		May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015	July 2015	July 2014	May 2015	June 2015
U.S. city average	M	232.908	233.804	233.806	233.366	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3	0.4	0.0
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	249.756	250.587	250.236	249.603	-.6	-.4	-.3	-.6	.2	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.204	251.780	251.471	251.068	-.1	-.3	-.2	-.2	.1	-.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.450	150.328	150.054	149.331	-1.7	-.7	-.5	-1.7	.4	-.2
Midwest urban	M	219.773	221.193	221.136	221.188	-.7	.0	.0	-.9	.6	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	219.201	220.525	220.468	220.723	-.6	.1	.1	-.9	.6	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	144.327	145.491	145.300	145.138	-1.0	-.2	-.1	-1.0	.7	-.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	219.174	219.964	220.593	220.632	-.5	.3	.0	-.6	.6	.3
South urban	M	227.706	229.008	228.716	228.011	-.7	-.4	-.3	-.6	.4	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	230.089	231.556	231.137	230.786	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.2	.5	-.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.437	146.173	146.119	145.550	-.9	-.4	-.4	-.8	.5	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	235.523	237.119	236.132	235.052	-1.7	-.9	-.5	-1.4	.3	-.4
West urban	M	237.509	237.441	238.151	237.791	.8	.1	-.2	.9	.3	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	241.400	241.239	242.685	242.192	1.2	.4	-.2	1.2	.5	.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.136	145.022	144.634	144.490	.0	-.4	-.1	.0	-.3	-.3
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	215.902	216.574	216.789	216.540	.2	.0	-.1	.1	.4	.1
B/C ³	M	145.681	146.349	146.169	145.741	-.8	-.4	-.3	-.8	.3	-.1
D	M	229.680	230.896	230.733	230.344	-.6	-.2	-.2	-.4	.5	-.1
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	221.719	222.228	221.817	222.815	-.5	.3	.4	-1.0	.0	-.2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	238.816	237.792	239.889	238.755	1.0	.4	-.5	1.2	.4	.9
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	255.946	256.383	256.054	256.038	-.3	-.1	.0	-.5	.0	-.1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	256.286	-	256.251	-	-	-	-	.3	.0	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	211.583	-	213.485	-	-	-	-	.0	.9	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	223.682	-	224.100	-	-	-	-	-.9	.2	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	155.545	-	155.567	-	-	-	-	-.1	.0	-
Atlanta, GA	2	-	223.314	-	222.998	.4	-.1	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	-	214.721	-	216.237	-1.3	.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	210.261	-	210.819	-.2	.3	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	-	243.782	-	243.661	.8	.0	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	-	247.065	-	245.823	-.2	-.5	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	-	254.736	-	256.060	2.5	.5	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	-	246.925	-	247.500	1.2	.2	-	-	-	-

¹ 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.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ 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.

⁶ 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): Regions¹, 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—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	249.603	-0.6	-0.3	221.188	-0.7	0.0	228.011	-0.7	-0.3	237.791	0.8	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	389.865	-	-	357.710	-	-	369.289	-	-	382.593	-	-
Food and beverages	250.959	1.6	.1	240.891	1.3	.3	245.751	1.7	.2	249.103	1.2	.3
Food	251.001	1.7	.2	240.695	1.4	.3	246.902	1.8	.3	248.874	1.2	.3
Food at home	247.763	1.4	.2	231.870	.3	.3	240.565	.9	.3	249.382	1.0	.3
Food away from home	259.932	2.1	.0	256.703	3.4	.3	259.304	3.2	.2	248.708	1.5	.4
Alcoholic beverages	248.360	.6	-1	242.361	.4	.4	227.958	1.4	.1	247.730	.8	.0
Housing	262.389	.8	-1	209.250	1.1	.1	223.189	2.0	.1	252.751	3.5	.4
Shelter	322.339	2.4	.1	239.166	2.3	.1	251.647	3.2	.2	281.472	4.2	.4
Rent of primary residence ²	321.492	2.5	.2	248.871	2.8	.2	257.426	4.1	.5	301.455	4.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ² ³	296.869	2.2	.3	236.105	2.2	.2	236.215	2.9	.2	267.482	4.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ² ³	296.878	2.2	.3	236.114	2.2	.2	236.177	2.9	.2	267.486	4.2	.4
Fuels and utilities	209.464	-6.7	-1.2	222.878	-3.4	-1	237.258	-1.8	-1	280.638	1.5	.6
Household energy	185.414	-8.3	-1.5	186.259	-5.3	-2	194.772	-3.5	-3	246.798	-3	.2
Energy services ²	185.496	-4.2	-7	193.195	-4.6	-2	196.325	-3.3	-3	250.202	.0	.2
Electricity ²	198.690	-7	-7	213.250	1.3	-1	194.898	-2.5	-4	272.979	.4	-1
Utility (piped) gas service ²	144.383	-14.1	-8	147.510	-18.0	-4	175.103	-11.0	-1	211.547	-1.5	1.3
Household furnishings and operations ...	115.391	-2.0	-6	114.283	-.4	-3	116.039	-1.3	-3	124.494	.0	-6
Apparel	130.574	.9	2.8	116.270	-2.1	1.7	130.936	-.2	.6	116.923	-1.0	.6
Transportation	203.030	-8.0	-2.0	201.850	-7.6	-9	198.143	-9.5	-2.4	208.977	-4.2	-1.8
Private transportation	196.458	-8.6	-2.0	198.468	-7.8	-9	196.438	-9.6	-2.4	205.620	-4.3	-1.6
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	100.249	-7	-1	100.144	-1.0	-4	102.457	-.4	-2	100.511	.6	-.4
New vehicles	145.432	.7	-1	141.956	.0	-3	152.667	.0	-2	149.548	2.0	-6
Used cars and trucks	158.224	-1.5	-2	152.033	-2.0	-1	151.618	-.9	-1	146.119	-2.0	-2
Motor fuel	217.430	-27.0	-6.5	241.344	-21.9	-2.4	212.041	-28.0	-7.3	264.127	-15.0	-4.8
Gasoline (all types)	216.767	-26.9	-6.5	240.066	-21.8	-2.3	211.282	-27.9	-7.4	263.739	-14.8	-4.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	214.535	-27.7	-6.9	235.690	-22.4	-2.5	207.304	-28.7	-7.7	261.529	-15.3	-4.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵ ⁶	228.915	-25.0	-5.3	268.344	-21.4	-2.5	228.601	-25.9	-6.5	252.407	-13.2	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	222.601	-23.2	-4.4	252.010	-17.5	-9	225.361	-23.8	-5.7	254.457	-13.3	-4.7
Medical care	466.025	2.8	.2	456.326	2.1	.0	431.657	2.4	.3	451.649	2.5	-.8
Medical care commodities	370.291	2.3	.3	358.749	2.4	-.3	338.465	3.9	1.3	329.394	4.2	-.3
Medical care services	492.322	3.0	.2	486.451	1.9	.1	460.620	1.9	.0	488.397	2.1	-.9
Professional services	363.318	2.8	.2	393.791	1.4	.1	358.302	1.2	.0	342.062	2.0	-.9
Recreation ⁴	121.926	1.5	-.5	114.046	.0	.2	111.551	.1	-.6	102.850	.0	-.2
Education and communication ⁴	128.890	-.6	.3	131.790	-1.0	.4	125.690	.0	.6	132.156	-1.1	.4
Other goods and services	515.625	2.9	-.1	448.433	2.7	.4	436.910	1.9	.1	410.578	.7	-.1
Commodity and service group												
All items	249.603	-.6	-.3	221.188	-.7	.0	228.011	-.7	-.3	237.791	.8	-.2
Commodities	194.797	-4.0	-.7	183.529	-3.3	-.1	184.805	-4.7	-1.0	185.935	-2.1	-.7
Commodities less food and beverages ...	162.725	-7.3	-1.2	155.614	-6.2	-.4	156.391	-8.1	-1.7	153.308	-4.1	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	204.736	-10.8	-1.6	203.702	-9.2	-.4	201.469	-12.2	-2.6	196.524	-6.4	-1.8
Durables	260.170	-14.4	-3.2	257.652	-10.8	-1.0	245.389	-15.2	-3.5	254.516	-8.1	-2.6
Durable goods	111.550	-1.1	-.4	109.797	-1.2	-.3	113.104	-1.5	-.3	113.157	-.5	-.4
Services	310.624	1.6	.0	266.053	1.5	.1	278.819	2.3	.2	293.715	2.9	.2
Rent of shelter ³	301.782	2.4	.1	237.499	2.3	.1	239.222	3.2	.3	271.906	4.2	.4
Transportation services	277.843	1.8	-.5	292.421	3.3	-.3	324.970	3.6	-.3	282.367	2.8	-.6
Other services	351.173	.9	.1	304.140	.5	.4	311.159	1.6	.3	311.078	.2	.2
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	241.757	-.8	-.3	212.153	-.9	.0	218.463	-.9	-.4	229.869	.7	-.1
All items less food	249.783	-.9	-.3	217.407	-1.1	.0	224.580	-1.1	-.4	235.663	.8	-.2
All items less shelter	226.436	-2.0	-.4	217.179	-1.8	.0	220.835	-2.3	-.6	222.319	-.7	-.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions¹, 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—	
	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Special aggregate indexes												
Commodities less food	165.680	-7.0	-1.1	158.280	-6.0	-0.4	158.301	-7.9	-1.6	156.798	-3.9	-1.2
Nondurables	228.073	-4.9	-.8	222.578	-3.9	.0	221.513	-5.7	-1.2	223.665	-2.6	-.7
Nondurables less food	207.059	-10.2	-1.6	205.621	-8.6	-.4	202.386	-11.6	-2.5	200.736	-5.9	-1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel	257.190	-13.5	-3.0	254.683	-10.1	-.9	242.223	-14.3	-3.3	253.426	-7.3	-2.4
Services less rent of shelter ³	273.122	.7	-.2	272.569	.6	.1	282.667	1.3	.1	286.719	1.4	-.1
Services less medical care services	299.504	1.5	.0	251.410	1.4	.1	263.483	2.3	.2	281.808	3.0	.3
Energy	198.995	-18.5	-4.0	211.181	-15.0	-1.3	198.795	-18.0	-4.1	261.391	-9.8	-2.9
All items less energy	257.332	1.6	.1	224.189	1.3	.2	231.982	1.8	.2	236.943	2.0	.1
All items less food and energy	260.224	1.6	.1	221.087	1.3	.2	229.175	1.9	.1	234.737	2.2	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	158.671	.1	.3	149.490	-.6	.2	149.746	-.6	.0	141.326	-.3	-.2
Energy commodities	223.061	-27.5	-6.6	239.832	-22.0	-2.3	214.714	-27.9	-7.3	267.324	-15.1	-4.7
Services less energy services	324.354	2.1	.1	275.688	2.1	.1	288.388	2.9	.2	297.246	3.1	.2

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

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 1997=100 base.

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ 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 classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	216.540	0.2	-0.1	145.741	-0.8	-0.3	230.344	-0.6	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	216.540	-	-	-	-	-	372.275	-	-
Food and beverages	222.863	1.7	.3	154.939	1.1	.2	247.460	1.5	.2
Food	223.051	1.8	.3	155.432	1.1	.2	247.847	1.6	.2
Food at home	224.447	1.3	.4	151.835	.4	.2	238.714	.8	.0
Food away from home	220.291	2.7	.2	161.468	2.4	.3	265.276	2.9	.5
Alcoholic beverages	217.767	.8	.1	148.218	.9	.1	239.234	1.3	.1
Housing	221.888	2.2	.1	145.316	1.4	.1	220.300	2.4	.3
Shelter	245.605	3.5	.2	147.746	2.4	.2	252.471	3.7	.6
Rent of primary residence ⁵	248.933	4.0	.4	155.000	2.5	.3	244.001	4.9	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	242.740	3.4	.3	145.013	2.2	.3	236.327	2.9	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	242.743	3.4	.3	145.020	2.2	.3	236.272	2.9	.5
Fuels and utilities	229.356	-3.4	-3	181.686	-1.4	.1	240.888	-1.3	-1
Household energy	212.406	-5.6	-5	174.736	-3.1	-3	196.132	-2.6	-5
Energy services ⁵	203.620	-4.4	-3	167.901	-2.0	-2	211.954	-1.6	-5
Electricity ⁵	211.429	-1.1	-4	167.986	-.7	-2	224.004	-.5	-3
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	171.578	-13.1	.2	141.162	-9.8	.1	151.892	-10.1	-2.1
Household furnishings and operations	109.477	-1.3	-2	95.036	-.5	-6	119.806	-.4	-5
Apparel	117.220	-.9	3.1	91.014	.0	-1.1	123.297	-1.0	.5
Transportation	204.388	-6.7	-1.9	140.825	-7.9	-1.7	199.623	-9.9	-2.2
Private transportation	203.429	-7.0	-1.9	140.557	-8.1	-1.6	196.817	-10.0	-2.1
New and used motor vehicles ³	100.218	-.6	-.4	101.283	.0	-.1	103.334	.3	-.4
New vehicles	127.364	-.1	-.5	102.868	1.4	.1	163.676	2.5	-.8
Used cars and trucks	144.339	-1.7	-.1	102.146	-1.4	-.1	139.438	-1.6	-.1
Motor fuel	351.740	-20.6	-5.4	221.247	-26.0	-5.5	216.138	-26.3	-5.7
Gasoline (all types)	350.800	-20.5	-5.4	222.088	-25.9	-5.5	214.409	-26.2	-5.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	354.084	-21.3	-5.6	224.149	-26.6	-5.7	202.573	-26.9	-6.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	251.014	-18.0	-3.8	224.807	-23.8	-4.4	249.004	-25.4	-5.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	331.658	-16.4	-4.8	224.127	-22.3	-4.3	232.653	-22.2	-3.2
Medical care	358.664	2.9	.0	187.697	1.8	.0	437.329	2.9	.0
Medical care commodities	277.750	4.6	.2	163.583	1.7	.6	343.944	5.2	.3
Medical care services	383.257	2.4	-.1	195.490	1.8	-.2	465.703	2.2	-.1
Professional services	290.964	2.6	-.1	165.755	1.0	-.2	368.921	.5	.0
Recreation ³	111.737	.5	-.2	111.193	.1	-.3	113.955	.4	-.6
Education and communication ³	130.725	-.6	.2	125.687	-.9	.5	137.893	.5	1.2
Other goods and services	344.045	2.0	.1	208.029	1.8	-.1	501.693	2.8	.4
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	216.540	.2	-.1	145.741	-.8	-.3	230.344	-.6	-.2
Commodities	180.198	-3.0	-.4	130.619	-4.2	-.8	188.964	-4.1	-.8
Commodities less food and beverages	155.928	-6.1	-1.0	118.817	-7.0	-1.4	162.013	-7.3	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	208.260	-8.7	-1.3	152.100	-11.1	-2.2	206.897	-11.2	-2.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	274.346	-11.1	-2.8	182.542	-13.7	-2.6	252.771	-13.4	-2.6
Durables	104.779	-1.6	-.4	88.056	-.7	-.3	119.466	-.4	-.5
Services	249.805	2.3	.1	156.725	1.9	.1	283.309	2.3	.4
Rent of shelter ⁶	246.539	3.5	.2	147.737	2.4	.2	235.540	3.7	.6
Transportation services	239.269	1.9	-.5	165.013	4.6	-.3	318.868	1.2	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index Aug. 2015	Percent change from—		Index Aug. 2015	Percent change from—		Index Aug. 2015	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015
Commodity and service group									
Other services	262.788	1.0	0.1	150.831	0.5	0.3	322.206	1.1	0.7
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	211.022	.0	-.1	141.736	-1.0	-.3	220.100	-.8	-.2
All items less food	215.441	-.1	-.2	142.077	-1.2	-.4	227.191	-1.0	-.2
All items less shelter	204.830	-1.5	-.3	142.661	-2.1	-.5	225.176	-2.1	-.4
Commodities less food	158.362	-5.8	-.9	119.611	-6.8	-1.4	164.077	-7.0	-1.4
Nondurables	215.793	-3.4	-.5	152.661	-5.5	-1.1	227.233	-5.2	-.9
Nondurables less food	209.189	-8.1	-1.2	151.616	-10.5	-2.1	208.408	-10.6	-1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	267.704	-10.2	-2.5	179.115	-12.8	-2.4	251.181	-12.5	-2.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	253.567	.9	-.1	166.108	1.4	.0	289.278	1.1	.1
Services less medical care services	241.867	2.3	.1	153.600	1.9	.2	267.007	2.3	.4
Energy	273.853	-14.5	-3.3	195.657	-16.7	-3.1	208.138	-16.6	-3.3
All items less energy	211.906	1.9	.2	139.459	1.4	.0	233.308	2.0	.3
All items less food and energy	209.738	1.9	.2	136.252	1.5	.0	231.202	2.0	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	135.107	-.7	.4	105.909	-.2	-.3	156.376	.4	-.1
Energy commodities	352.813	-20.9	-5.4	223.669	-26.0	-5.4	214.952	-26.1	-5.5
Services less energy services	253.539	2.8	.1	155.676	2.2	.2	291.509	2.8	.4

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

stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.
⁶ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base
⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
⁸ 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 classes¹, 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 ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	251.068	-0.1	-0.2	149.331	-1.7	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	383.646	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	250.024	1.7	.2	156.544	1.2	.1
Food	250.043	1.8	.2	156.902	1.3	.1
Food at home	249.381	1.7	.3	150.999	.6	.1
Food away from home	253.807	1.9	.0	167.462	2.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	247.212	1.1	.0	149.896	-.5	-.4
Housing	263.132	1.0	-.1	151.257	.2	-.1
Shelter	322.841	2.6	.2	153.366	1.8	.0
Rent of primary residence ⁴	332.978	2.7	.1	158.628	1.6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	300.406	2.7	.3	149.687	.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	300.419	2.7	.3	149.687	.9	.3
Fuels and utilities	197.884	-7.4	-1.5	181.005	-5.5	-.6
Household energy	182.010	-8.8	-1.8	172.720	-7.1	-.9
Energy services ⁴	181.005	-5.1	-1.0	148.182	-2.5	.1
Electricity ⁴	197.347	-7	-1.1	141.204	-.5	.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	142.159	-14.6	-.9	126.972	-12.2	-.1
Household furnishings and operations	110.446	-2.8	-.7	103.255	-.4	-.4
Apparel	127.682	2.2	3.7	92.373	-4.5	-.9
Transportation	209.320	-7.3	-2.0	136.466	-9.2	-2.0
Private transportation	201.443	-8.1	-2.0	136.577	-9.5	-1.8
Motor fuel	214.101	-26.5	-6.4	217.997	-27.7	-6.5
Gasoline (all types)	213.000	-26.5	-6.4	218.746	-27.6	-6.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	210.392	-27.3	-6.9	219.987	-28.2	-6.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	222.463	-24.4	-4.8	223.584	-25.9	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	220.539	-22.6	-4.1	218.983	-24.1	-4.9
Medical care	469.064	2.5	.2	192.009	3.5	.3
Recreation ²	120.957	1.2	-.6	123.643	2.0	-.3
Education and communication ²	133.639	-.6	.1	117.114	-.7	.5
Other goods and services	485.406	3.0	.0	241.126	2.4	-.2
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	251.068	-.1	-.2	149.331	-1.7	-.5
Commodities	193.327	-3.2	-.4	137.190	-5.7	-1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	158.550	-6.7	-.9	128.617	-8.3	-1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	196.671	-9.0	-.9	165.036	-14.4	-3.1
Durables	107.979	-1.6	-.7	91.840	-.7	.0
Services	311.025	1.7	.0	156.429	1.5	.0
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	243.299	-.3	-.2	145.342	-2.1	-.5
All items less shelter	225.863	-1.6	-.3	145.594	-3.0	-.7
Commodities less food	161.663	-6.4	-.8	129.203	-8.1	-1.6
Nondurables	224.376	-3.6	-.4	158.793	-8.1	-1.7
Nondurables less food	199.560	-8.5	-.9	163.408	-13.8	-3.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	269.224	.5	-.2	159.728	1.2	.0
Services less medical care services	300.367	1.7	.0	152.745	1.1	.0
Energy	196.038	-17.8	-4.0	191.313	-19.6	-4.1
All items less energy	259.139	1.8	.2	143.666	1.1	.0
All items less food and energy	262.511	1.8	.2	141.266	1.0	.0

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 classes¹, 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 ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	220.723	-0.6	0.1	145.138	-1.0	-0.1	220.632	-0.5	0.0
All items (December 1977=100)	360.839	-	-	-	-	-	357.479	-	-
Food and beverages	244.059	1.7	.5	153.108	.6	.2	243.588	1.8	.1
Food	244.014	1.9	.5	153.409	.6	.2	243.682	1.9	.1
Food at home	238.668	1.1	.6	148.161	-.7	.2	224.055	.0	-.2
Food away from home	253.281	3.1	.4	162.921	3.4	.2	280.281	5.0	.4
Alcoholic beverages	242.254	.1	.5	152.601	.8	.2	242.533	1.1	.4
Housing	209.811	.9	.0	136.499	1.0	.0	211.724	2.8	.3
Shelter	240.888	2.2	.0	136.872	2.1	.1	243.070	4.2	.7
Rent of primary residence ⁴	261.003	2.9	.2	140.600	2.1	.2	232.587	4.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	236.398	2.1	.2	135.454	2.0	.2	236.061	3.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	236.408	2.1	.2	135.454	2.0	.2	236.061	3.3	.4
Fuels and utilities	219.192	-4.0	.3	179.551	-3.0	-.3	225.386	-1.5	-1.0
Household energy	182.115	-6.9	.2	176.115	-4.1	-.3	173.431	-2.1	-1.2
Energy services ⁴	184.162	-6.7	.2	173.776	-2.9	-.4	190.008	.0	-1.2
Electricity ⁴	198.435	1.4	.1	185.039	.1	-.3	197.509	4.3	-.5
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	145.412	-19.5	.4	130.082	-14.2	-1.1	152.053	-17.7	-4.8
Household furnishings and operations	106.847	-1.4	-.2	94.317	.5	-.5	120.101	.3	-.2
Apparel	111.456	-4.3	3.4	93.020	3.1	-1.1	121.038	-9.2	4.4
Transportation	202.197	-6.3	-.7	147.444	-8.8	-.7	183.499	-9.5	-2.3
Private transportation	199.043	-6.4	-.8	147.346	-9.0	-.6	179.308	-9.6	-2.2
Motor fuel	250.841	-19.9	-2.1	242.102	-23.7	-1.3	201.032	-24.7	-6.1
Gasoline (all types)	249.041	-19.9	-2.1	242.399	-23.5	-1.3	197.925	-24.6	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	245.253	-20.6	-2.3	244.353	-24.2	-1.4	188.395	-24.9	-6.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	274.069	-18.6	-1.7	244.642	-22.3	-1.2	232.201	-25.2	-5.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	255.788	-15.6	-1.0	244.577	-19.0	.0	218.732	-20.6	-3.0
Medical care	449.754	2.3	.1	199.475	1.6	-.2	435.209	2.7	.1
Recreation ²	115.145	.6	.1	115.964	-.8	.3	106.887	-.1	-.2
Education and communication ²	130.364	-1.5	.0	132.180	-1.3	.1	134.902	1.6	2.3
Other goods and services	418.279	1.7	.4	217.320	4.0	.0	505.054	3.3	1.4
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	220.723	-.6	.1	145.138	-1.0	-.1	220.632	-.5	.0
Commodities	181.329	-3.1	.2	133.562	-3.4	-.3	188.160	-4.0	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages	150.308	-6.1	.0	123.434	-6.0	-.6	162.447	-7.5	-1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	197.325	-9.0	.0	160.556	-8.8	-.7	209.348	-11.0	-1.4
Durables	106.181	-1.2	-.1	88.355	-1.0	-.5	112.660	-1.8	-.7
Services	265.414	1.3	.1	153.853	1.2	.0	261.122	2.6	.6
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	212.312	-.8	.1	140.692	-1.2	-.1	210.829	-.7	.0
All items less shelter	215.538	-1.7	.2	146.207	-2.0	-.2	215.615	-2.0	-.2
Commodities less food	153.468	-5.9	.0	124.070	-5.8	-.6	164.479	-7.1	-1.0
Nondurables	221.285	-3.6	.3	156.919	-4.1	-.2	226.675	-4.6	-.6
Nondurables less food	200.287	-8.4	.0	159.068	-8.4	-.7	210.957	-10.2	-1.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	272.925	.5	.1	171.351	.5	-.1	254.840	1.4	.5
Services less medical care services	251.956	1.3	.1	149.565	1.2	.0	243.457	2.7	.6
Energy	213.110	-14.4	-1.1	206.296	-15.4	-.9	188.054	-15.7	-3.9
All items less energy	223.270	1.3	.3	138.610	1.1	.0	225.469	1.7	.5
All items less food and energy	219.273	1.2	.2	135.562	1.3	-.1	222.131	1.7	.6

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 classes¹, 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 ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	230.786	-0.2	-0.2	145.550	-0.9	-0.4	235.052	-1.7	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	373.873	-	-	-	-	-	380.498	-	-
Food and beverages	243.910	1.7	.5	156.664	1.7	.1	247.755	1.9	.1
Food	244.848	1.7	.5	157.526	1.7	.1	247.792	2.0	.1
Food at home	237.517	1.0	.8	154.405	.8	.0	247.555	1.2	.0
Food away from home	258.519	3.0	.1	162.135	3.2	.2	252.731	3.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages	230.893	1.4	.2	142.311	1.4	.1	239.264	1.8	-3
Housing	227.965	2.8	.1	148.409	1.7	.1	220.969	.4	.2
Shelter	258.542	4.3	.2	153.798	2.6	.2	255.129	1.8	.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	265.669	5.3	.6	162.138	2.9	.3	243.786	5.5	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	246.772	3.9	.2	150.700	2.7	.3	232.209	.1	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	246.730	3.9	.2	150.700	2.7	.3	232.209	.1	.4
Fuels and utilities	217.078	-3.1	-4	175.480	-8	.1	241.598	-2.4	-3
Household energy	187.405	-4.9	-5	166.609	-2.5	-2	201.623	-4.0	-3
Energy services ⁴	191.295	-4.8	-5	163.520	-2.4	-3	210.973	-3.5	-2
Electricity ⁴	185.873	-4.2	-6	163.481	-1.3	-3	216.445	-3.0	-2
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	183.591	-9.1	.0	134.392	-12.9	-2	135.623	-10.9	-3
Household furnishings and operations	121.380	-1.0	.1	91.764	-1.1	-5	114.073	-3.1	-3
Apparel	145.133	-2.0	2.9	86.313	-.3	-6	133.190	7.7	-1.0
Transportation	207.501	-9.2	-2.2	136.408	-8.9	-2.4	205.708	-13.2	-2.7
Private transportation	206.744	-9.3	-2.2	135.964	-9.1	-2.4	203.406	-13.5	-2.7
Motor fuel	224.635	-26.7	-6.8	208.678	-28.5	-7.8	199.159	-29.5	-7.0
Gasoline (all types)	223.162	-26.5	-6.8	209.049	-28.4	-7.8	196.754	-29.5	-7.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	220.986	-27.4	-7.1	211.966	-29.1	-8.0	186.932	-30.4	-7.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	232.302	-24.5	-5.9	210.113	-26.5	-7.0	244.076	-26.9	-5.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	235.784	-22.2	-5.2	213.450	-24.7	-6.4	223.347	-24.5	-4.1
Medical care	440.973	4.4	.1	179.785	1.0	.5	432.594	3.4	.2
Recreation ²	103.899	.1	-4	114.608	-.1	-6	114.158	.9	-1.0
Education and communication ²	124.029	.3	.7	125.016	-.3	.5	136.720	.3	.7
Other goods and services	403.228	2.8	.1	198.908	1.1	.1	484.646	3.5	.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	230.786	-.2	-.2	145.550	-.9	-.4	235.052	-1.7	-.5
Commodities	187.873	-4.2	-6	127.797	-4.9	-1.2	190.754	-5.4	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	159.657	-7.6	-1.3	114.443	-8.3	-1.9	165.162	-9.0	-2.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	203.630	-11.7	-1.8	145.954	-12.4	-2.9	207.307	-12.8	-3.1
Durables	113.312	-2.0	-5	86.313	-1.2	-2	124.462	-1.4	-2
Services	278.124	2.8	.1	159.636	2.1	.2	291.266	1.2	.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	222.035	-.4	-.2	142.021	-1.0	-.5	223.299	-2.0	-.5
All items less shelter	221.479	-2.2	-3	140.564	-2.3	-.6	230.823	-3.0	-.8
Commodities less food	161.954	-7.4	-1.2	115.178	-8.0	-1.8	166.698	-8.8	-2.1
Nondurables	222.591	-5.0	-6	149.812	-6.0	-1.5	225.699	-6.5	-1.6
Nondurables less food	204.767	-11.1	-1.7	145.665	-11.8	-2.8	207.714	-12.3	-3.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	275.124	1.0	.0	165.667	1.6	.1	302.005	.6	.0
Services less medical care services	264.050	2.7	.2	157.454	2.3	.2	273.756	1.0	.2
Energy	203.440	-17.8	-3.9	184.661	-17.9	-4.3	196.736	-18.6	-3.7
All items less energy	234.997	2.1	.3	140.041	1.7	.1	239.092	1.7	.1
All items less food and energy	233.147	2.2	.2	136.523	1.7	.1	238.288	1.6	.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 classes¹, 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 ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	242.192	1.2	-0.2	144.490	0.0	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	392.061	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	251.809	1.8	.2	151.831	.2	.5
Food	251.840	1.8	.2	151.724	.2	.5
Food at home	251.518	1.2	.1	150.500	.6	.5
Food away from home	251.577	2.7	.3	155.047	-.4	.4
Alcoholic beverages	246.383	.7	-.2	156.216	.9	.4
Housing	265.337	3.8	.3	142.778	2.2	.3
Shelter	293.950	4.6	.4	142.198	2.4	.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	329.236	4.6	.5	149.950	2.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	280.969	4.5	.4	139.983	2.4	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	280.932	4.5	.4	139.977	2.4	.3
Fuels and utilities	289.797	.8	.2	196.561	2.5	1.2
Household energy	256.165	-.8	.3	190.516	.2	.2
Energy services ⁴	258.929	-.6	.3	189.397	.5	.2
Electricity ⁴	289.887	.2	.0	187.599	.5	-.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	217.606	-3.1	1.4	181.207	.4	1.5
Household furnishings and operations	126.821	-.3	-.1	98.333	-.3	-1.3
Apparel	118.757	-1.0	2.2	97.838	.5	-2.2
Transportation	206.418	-4.4	-2.5	148.222	-3.8	-.8
Private transportation	203.021	-4.4	-2.3	147.764	-4.0	-.7
Motor fuel	269.789	-12.4	-5.9	230.833	-19.7	-2.6
Gasoline (all types)	268.525	-12.2	-5.9	233.468	-19.5	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	269.286	-12.7	-6.0	233.225	-19.8	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	253.362	-10.2	-4.5	230.254	-18.9	-3.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	259.372	-10.5	-5.9	224.837	-18.4	-2.5
Medical care	443.215	2.6	-.4	192.276	2.4	-1.5
Recreation ²	105.703	.2	-.1	93.764	-.5	-.2
Education and communication ²	133.091	-.6	.2	127.991	-2.0	.9
Other goods and services	395.435	.6	.0	188.779	.9	-.2
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	242.192	1.2	-.2	144.490	.0	-.1
Commodities	186.474	-1.9	-.8	129.208	-2.5	-.5
Commodities less food and beverages	151.502	-4.2	-1.5	117.491	-3.9	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	195.418	-5.7	-2.2	146.650	-7.3	-1.5
Durables	110.124	-1.7	-.4	89.588	.4	-.4
Services	299.898	3.2	.2	153.049	2.1	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	235.187	1.1	-.2	139.462	-.1	.0
All items less shelter	222.724	-.6	-.5	141.669	-.9	-.3
Commodities less food	155.199	-4.0	-1.4	118.525	-3.8	-.9
Nondurables	224.676	-1.9	-.9	149.046	-3.6	-.5
Nondurables less food	199.717	-5.3	-2.0	147.290	-6.8	-1.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	282.905	1.3	-.1	165.813	1.7	.0
Services less medical care services	289.841	3.3	.2	149.383	2.0	.4
Energy	264.975	-8.6	-3.8	217.289	-11.7	-1.3
All items less energy	241.841	2.3	.2	136.114	1.4	.0
All items less food and energy	240.051	2.4	.2	132.905	1.6	-.1

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

⁵ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base
⁶ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
⁷ 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 Aug. 2015 from—			Percent change to July 2015 from—		
		May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015	July 2015	July 2014	May 2015	June 2015
U.S. city average	M	240.200	240.826	241.466	242.163	0.9	0.6	0.3	1.0	0.5	0.3
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	247.463	247.799	247.177	247.763	1.4	.0	.2	.8	-.1	-.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	249.233	249.461	248.689	249.381	1.7	.0	.3	1.1	-.2	-.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	150.526	150.938	150.834	150.999	.6	.0	.1	.1	.2	-.1
Midwest urban	M	229.522	230.019	231.075	231.870	.3	.8	.3	.4	.7	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	236.409	236.697	237.295	238.668	1.1	.8	.6	.9	.4	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	146.399	147.057	147.846	148.161	-.7	.8	.2	.1	1.0	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	222.500	222.122	224.436	224.055	.0	.9	-.2	-.4	.9	1.0
South urban	M	238.710	239.357	239.856	240.565	.9	.5	.3	1.2	.5	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	235.397	236.314	235.696	237.517	1.0	.5	.8	1.0	.1	-.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	153.429	154.112	154.425	154.405	.8	.2	.0	1.1	.6	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	245.063	242.459	247.446	247.555	1.2	2.1	.0	2.2	1.0	2.1
West urban	M	246.365	247.331	248.727	249.382	1.0	.8	.3	1.6	1.0	.6
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	247.984	248.921	251.166	251.518	1.2	1.0	.1	1.4	1.3	.9
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.007	150.091	149.718	150.500	.6	.3	.5	1.3	.5	-.2
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	222.609	223.157	223.504	224.447	1.3	.6	.4	1.1	.4	.2
B/C ³	M	150.620	151.339	151.594	151.835	.4	.3	.2	.8	.6	.2
D	M	236.796	235.359	238.642	238.714	.8	1.4	.0	1.5	.8	1.4
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	238.507	237.892	239.157	241.523	1.8	1.5	1.0	1.7	.3	.5
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	255.124	255.940	258.996	257.708	.6	.7	-.5	1.3	1.5	1.2
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	251.273	251.439	250.278	251.450	1.6	.0	.5	.2	-.4	-.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	239.978	241.236	240.635	240.895	1.5	-.1	.1	2.2	.3	-.2
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	247.297	246.975	248.175	248.829	1.5	.8	.3	.9	.4	.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	218.903	220.247	217.462	218.997	-.6	-.6	.7	-.3	-.7	-1.3
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	146.822	146.709	145.938	147.499	.3	.5	1.1	-.5	-.6	-.5
Atlanta, GA	2	246.452	246.015	244.411	245.712	.9	-.1	.5	2.0	-.8	-.7
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	216.705	215.231	216.644	213.647	-.8	-.7	-1.4	.6	.0	.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	224.693	226.637	228.816	229.477	1.8	1.3	.3	2.8	1.8	1.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	254.400	255.814	256.835	259.525	1.8	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	.4
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	249.575	249.053	249.240	249.348	2.0	.1	.0	2.7	-.1	.1
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	249.859	251.186	255.066	259.381	4.0	3.3	1.7	2.4	2.1	1.5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	242.490	244.951	246.156	247.647	3.4	1.1	.6	2.1	1.5	.5

¹ 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.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ 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—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		July 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	July 2015		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	233.366	-0.3	-0.2	222.815	-0.5	0.4	238.755	1.0	-0.5	256.038	-0.3	0.0
All items (1967=100)	695.127	-	-	654.377	-	-	705.594	-	-	729.003	-	-
Food and beverages	246.657	1.5	.3	243.168	2.2	.7	251.097	1.2	-2	253.143	1.8	.3
Food	246.884	1.5	.3	243.143	2.5	.7	249.795	1.3	-2	253.266	1.8	.3
Food at home	242.163	.9	.3	241.523	1.8	1.0	257.708	.6	-5	251.450	1.6	.5
Food away from home	256.209	2.6	.2	241.399	3.7	.3	236.538	2.1	.2	261.465	2.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages	241.886	.8	.1	242.009	-1.9	-1	243.311	.2	-4	248.415	2.4	-1
Housing	235.747	2.0	.1	221.548	.4	.2	263.284	2.8	.3	275.112	.8	.1
Shelter	273.223	3.1	.2	266.883	2.5	.2	292.378	3.8	.3	345.300	2.4	.3
Rent of primary residence ¹	284.479	3.6	.4	306.620	3.5	.2	320.014	4.0	.5	354.345	2.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹ ²	259.452	2.9	.3	262.818	2.5	.2	280.659	3.5	.3	319.391	2.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹ ²	259.439	2.9	.3	262.818	2.5	.2	280.615	3.5	.3	319.335	2.4	.4
Fuels and utilities	232.784	-2.4	-1	196.856	-9.5	.9	291.295	-2.2	.2	182.151	-7.8	-1.9
Household energy	196.975	-4.3	-4	159.785	-14.6	1.2	259.574	-4.2	.3	176.629	-9.1	-2.1
Energy services ¹	202.358	-3.1	-3	162.522	-14.6	1.2	259.164	-4.1	.4	172.581	-5.5	-1.3
Electricity ¹	213.083	-9	-3	163.539	-6	1.1	289.639	-4.3	.0	187.905	-3.1	-1.8
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	162.490	-12.0	.0	149.778	-29.3	1.3	226.553	-3.5	1.3	137.854	-11.1	.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	117.306	-9	-4	93.697	-1.4	-3	113.144	-9	.4	101.290	-4.0	.0
Apparel	123.906	-6	1.3	93.307	-3.4	5.4	105.310	-3.4	3.6	120.424	2.1	4.1
Transportation	203.021	-7.5	-1.9	187.313	-5.6	.1	211.065	-2.0	-3.6	216.311	-6.7	-1.8
Private transportation	199.431	-7.7	-1.8	184.316	-5.5	.1	207.935	-2.0	-3.6	204.156	-7.9	-1.9
Motor fuel	232.269	-23.4	-5.4	267.112	-16.3	1.0	284.006	-5.6	-8.3	207.438	-26.7	-6.1
Gasoline (all types)	231.676	-23.2	-5.4	264.338	-16.2	1.0	277.912	-5.5	-8.3	206.575	-26.7	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	228.114	-24.0	-5.7	256.764	-17.0	1.0	279.080	-5.7	-8.6	205.224	-27.5	-6.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ³ ⁴	246.804	-21.3	-4.3	285.511	-14.2	.8	268.132	-3.9	-5.9	217.470	-24.4	-4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	238.470	-19.3	-4.5	274.301	-11.1	1.6	261.939	-5.3	-8.1	218.365	-22.7	-3.8
Medical care	449.272	2.4	.0	471.470	2.7	.1	421.387	1.7	.1	445.692	2.0	.5
Recreation ⁵	111.828	.3	-3	105.251	-4	.1	95.117	-2.2	-1.1	119.865	.7	-5
Education and communication ⁵	129.389	-6	.4	134.665	-1.1	.0	140.660	.3	.0	133.786	-1.2	.2
Other goods and services	450.535	2.0	.1	414.604	-5	.4	375.216	.9	.3	460.954	1.6	-1
Commodity and service group												
All items	233.366	-3	-2	222.815	-5	.4	238.755	1.0	-5	256.038	-3	.0
Commodities	186.596	-3.6	-6	175.329	-2.2	.9	184.333	-1.3	-1.4	191.528	-3.4	-2
Commodities less food and beverages ...	156.359	-6.6	-1.2	140.459	-5.5	1.1	148.220	-2.9	-2.3	152.537	-7.0	-6
Nondurables less food and beverages	201.262	-9.9	-1.8	191.357	-7.9	1.7	193.724	-3.6	-3.4	189.266	-9.2	-6
Durables	111.881	-1.1	-4	94.936	-1.1	.1	102.684	-1.5	-1	101.365	-2.0	-7
Services	287.138	2.2	.1	272.913	.8	.1	295.320	2.4	.1	319.885	1.4	.1
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	224.799	-5	-2	213.258	-7	.5	232.467	.9	-5	249.164	-4	.0
All items less shelter	221.236	-1.8	-4	208.106	-1.7	.6	217.243	-6	-9	222.872	-1.8	-2
Commodities less food	159.080	-6.3	-1.2	144.014	-5.3	1.0	152.509	-2.7	-2.2	155.727	-6.8	-6
Nondurables	223.601	-4.4	-7	220.051	-2.5	1.1	224.310	-1.2	-1.8	222.099	-3.7	-1
Nondurables less food	203.551	-9.3	-1.6	195.132	-7.5	1.6	199.989	-3.4	-3.2	192.215	-8.7	-6
Services less rent of shelter ²	278.808	1.1	.0	261.985	-1.0	.1	272.251	.4	-1	263.231	.2	-2
Services less medical care services	273.964	2.2	.2	258.176	.6	.1	286.165	2.5	.1	310.781	1.4	.1
Energy	213.337	-15.6	-3.2	203.441	-15.5	1.1	279.429	-5.1	-5.8	191.249	-17.8	-3.9
All items less energy	236.858	1.7	.2	225.799	1.4	.4	236.546	1.6	.1	265.028	1.6	.3
All items less food and energy	235.263	1.8	.1	222.141	1.1	.3	233.702	1.7	.2	268.966	1.5	.3

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

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ 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 2 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	233.366	-0.3	-0.2	222.998	0.4	-0.1	222.815	-0.5	0.3
All items (1967=100) ²	695.127	-	-	674.265	-	-	654.377	-	-
Food and beverages	246.657	1.5	.4	248.299	2.4	.0	243.168	2.2	1.0
Food	246.884	1.5	.4	257.373	2.5	.0	243.143	2.5	1.1
Food at home	242.163	.9	.6	245.712	.9	-1	241.523	1.8	1.5
Food away from home	256.209	2.6	.1	279.006	5.5	.1	241.399	3.7	.3
Alcoholic beverages	241.886	.8	.1	147.962	-1.0	1.1	242.009	-1.9	-1
Housing	235.747	2.0	.3	218.947	2.9	.4	221.548	.4	.4
Shelter	273.223	3.1	.6	227.473	4.2	.7	266.883	2.5	.3
Rent of primary residence ³	284.479	3.6	.7	237.216	5.5	1.3	306.620	3.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	259.452	2.9	.6	213.737	3.8	.7	262.818	2.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	259.439	2.9	.6	213.737	3.8	.7	262.818	2.5	.4
Fuels and utilities	232.784	-2.4	-6	319.238	-5	-1	196.856	-9.5	.8
Household energy	196.975	-4.3	-1.1	283.836	-9	-3	159.785	-14.6	1.1
Energy services ³	202.358	-3.1	-8	284.023	-8	-3	162.522	-14.6	1.2
Electricity ³	213.083	-9	-8	272.241	.8	-4	163.539	-6	.4
Utility (piped) gas service ³	162.490	-12.0	-9	252.182	-6.4	.3	149.778	-29.3	2.4
Household furnishings and operations	117.306	-9	-9	126.338	-1.4	-1.5	93.697	-1.4	.2
Apparel	123.906	-6	-4	137.818	4.3	7.1	93.307	-3.4	4.7
Transportation	203.021	-7.5	-2.1	192.916	-9.3	-3.5	187.313	-5.6	-1.8
Private transportation	199.431	-7.7	-1.8	190.842	-9.4	-3.5	184.316	-5.5	-1.7
Motor fuel	232.269	-23.4	-5.6	225.001	-24.8	-10.6	267.112	-16.3	-3.8
Gasoline (all types)	231.676	-23.2	-5.6	223.940	-24.7	-10.6	264.338	-16.2	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	228.114	-24.0	-6.0	220.029	-25.3	-11.1	256.764	-17.0	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	246.804	-21.3	-4.2	274.113	-23.5	-9.5	285.511	-14.2	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	238.470	-19.3	-3.5	237.115	-20.7	-6.9	274.301	-11.1	-1.5
Medical care	449.272	2.4	.1	401.904	3.3	.2	471.470	2.7	.0
Recreation ⁷	111.828	.3	-4	85.544	2.1	.1	105.251	-4	.5
Education and communication ⁷	129.389	-6	.5	123.722	-9	.7	134.665	-1.1	.4
Other goods and services	450.535	2.0	.2	419.318	7.3	1.2	414.604	-5	.4
Commodity and service group									
All items	233.366	-3	-2	222.998	.4	-1	222.815	-5	.3
Commodities	186.596	-3.6	-9	185.768	-3.4	-1.1	175.329	-2.2	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	156.359	-6.6	-1.6	157.005	-6.3	-1.8	140.459	-5.5	-2
Nondurables less food and beverages	201.262	-9.9	-2.2	200.766	-9.9	-2.8	191.357	-7.9	-1
Durables	111.881	-1.1	-7	112.706	-1.7	-5	94.936	-1.1	-4
Services	287.138	2.2	.3	266.564	2.8	.5	272.913	.8	.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	224.799	-5	-2	214.233	.2	-2	213.258	-7	.3
All items less shelter	221.236	-1.8	-5	228.250	-1.6	-6	208.106	-1.7	.2
Commodities less food	159.080	-6.3	-1.6	156.776	-6.2	-1.7	144.014	-5.3	-2
Nondurables	223.601	-4.4	-9	221.139	-4.0	-1.4	220.051	-2.5	.5
Nondurables less food	203.551	-9.3	-2.1	197.086	-9.5	-2.6	195.132	-7.5	-1
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	278.808	1.1	-1	296.563	1.0	.2	261.985	-1.0	.1
Services less medical care services	273.964	2.2	.3	252.062	2.9	.5	258.176	.6	.2
Energy	213.337	-15.6	-3.6	231.196	-13.8	-5.4	203.441	-15.5	-1.7
All items less energy	236.858	1.7	.2	220.836	2.5	.6	225.799	1.4	.5
All items less food and energy	235.263	1.8	.2	214.816	2.5	.7	222.141	1.1	.3

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 2 ¹								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	216.237	-1.3	0.7	210.819	-0.2	0.3	238.755	1.0	0.4
All items (1967=100) ²	636.861	-	-	672.839	-	-	705.594	-	-
Food and beverages	221.867	1.4	.6	227.866	2.0	.7	251.097	1.2	.5
Food	222.189	1.2	.4	226.824	2.0	.8	249.795	1.3	.5
Food at home	213.647	-8	-7	229.477	1.8	1.3	257.708	.6	.7
Food away from home	236.168	3.9	2.0	221.798	2.2	.1	236.538	2.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages	210.442	4.7	2.7	232.080	1.8	-2	243.311	.2	-4
Housing	194.030	.2	1.1	203.069	3.2	1.0	263.284	2.8	.6
Shelter	211.228	.9	.3	238.473	5.5	.9	292.378	3.8	.7
Rent of primary residence ³	232.089	2.4	.5	234.455	6.7	1.2	320.014	4.0	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	214.613	.2	.6	235.396	5.4	.8	280.659	3.5	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	214.613	.2	.6	235.396	5.4	.8	280.615	3.5	.7
Fuels and utilities	250.895	-1.2	4.9	156.211	-9.2	.0	291.295	-2.2	.6
Household energy	197.253	-2.0	5.2	135.917	-13.1	.0	259.574	-4.2	.2
Energy services ³	198.537	-1.7	5.3	134.236	-13.1	.1	259.164	-4.1	.3
Electricity ³	224.711	4.7	8.9	134.787	-13.3	.9	289.639	-4.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas service ³	148.490	-10.9	-3	126.099	-11.8	-5.1	226.553	-3.5	1.1
Household furnishings and operations	110.497	-2.9	.3	124.365	4.1	3.1	113.144	-9	-3
Apparel	111.076	-4.2	10.4	163.235	-4.2	6.6	105.310	-3.4	2.0
Transportation	238.297	-7.4	-1.1	192.640	-7.9	-2.1	211.065	-2.0	-1
Private transportation	237.375	-7.4	-1.1	191.964	-8.0	-1.9	207.935	-2.0	.5
Motor fuel	240.063	-21.7	-2.7	214.561	-27.2	-5.4	284.006	-5.6	1.3
Gasoline (all types)	238.413	-21.6	-2.7	215.307	-27.1	-5.5	277.912	-5.5	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	241.613	-22.6	-3.2	219.482	-28.0	-5.9	279.080	-5.7	1.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	277.081	-19.0	-1.1	227.010	-24.7	-4.8	268.132	-3.9	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	240.764	-16.4	.1	226.436	-21.9	-3.8	261.939	-5.3	1.1
Medical care	400.854	.2	.3	450.889	4.5	.3	421.387	1.7	.6
Recreation ⁷	121.906	1.0	.5	97.521	-1.7	-1.3	95.117	-2.2	-1.0
Education and communication ⁷	133.348	-4.0	-9	107.629	.7	.6	140.660	.3	.3
Other goods and services	408.893	3.4	1.7	370.583	2.0	-5	375.216	.9	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	216.237	-1.3	.7	210.819	-2	.3	238.755	1.0	.4
Commodities	177.318	-3.8	.5	181.432	-4.0	-2	184.333	-1.3	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	154.159	-6.8	.4	157.751	-7.3	-7	148.220	-2.9	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	192.967	-9.7	1.1	205.032	-12.9	-6	193.724	-3.6	.8
Durables	111.799	-1.6	-7	109.215	.4	-9	102.684	-1.5	-4
Services	264.401	.7	.9	247.905	3.1	.7	295.320	2.4	.4
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	210.084	-1.4	.7	200.390	-5	.3	232.467	.9	.4
All items less shelter	221.185	-2.2	.9	202.387	-2.4	.0	217.243	-6	.2
Commodities less food	156.399	-6.3	.5	159.978	-7.0	-7	152.509	-2.7	.3
Nondurables	207.343	-4.5	.8	217.749	-5.6	.1	224.310	-1.2	.6
Nondurables less food	194.585	-8.8	1.2	206.142	-12.2	-6	199.989	-3.4	.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	297.603	.5	1.4	235.828	.6	.3	272.251	.4	.0
Services less medical care services	255.842	.8	.9	227.996	3.1	.7	286.165	2.5	.4
Energy	219.623	-13.4	.9	177.774	-22.5	-3.5	279.429	-5.1	1.0
All items less energy	216.979	.5	.7	215.666	2.8	.7	236.546	1.6	.3
All items less food and energy	216.228	.4	.7	212.712	3.0	.6	233.702	1.7	.3

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 2 ¹								
	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2015		Aug. 2014	June 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category									
All items	243.661	0.8	0.0	256.038	-0.3	-0.1	245.823	-0.2	-0.5
All items (1967=100) ²	395.875	-	-	729.003	-	-	714.035	-	-
Food and beverages	260.205	2.4	1.1	253.143	1.8	.1	237.726	1.4	-1.1
Food	263.032	2.5	1.2	253.266	1.8	.1	237.352	1.7	-1.1
Food at home	259.525	1.8	1.5	251.450	1.6	.0	249.348	2.0	.1
Food away from home	270.378	3.5	.7	261.465	2.0	.3	212.374	1.4	-4.4
Alcoholic beverages	216.756	.3	.5	248.415	2.4	1.2	232.926	-2.8	.2
Housing	247.638	3.5	.7	275.112	.8	.0	252.289	.7	-2.2
Shelter	281.929	4.8	1.0	345.300	2.4	.7	315.074	2.3	.1
Rent of primary residence ³	273.862	6.2	1.3	354.345	2.7	.7	288.459	2.4	-3.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	271.159	3.8	.9	319.391	2.3	.5	282.372	2.6	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	271.159	3.8	.9	319.335	2.4	.5	282.372	2.6	.3
Fuels and utilities	170.614	-3.7	.0	182.151	-7.8	-3.9	205.119	-5.9	-2.2
Household energy	149.125	-4.2	.0	176.629	-9.1	-4.6	172.261	-7.3	-4.4
Energy services ³	146.432	-4.1	.0	172.581	-5.5	-3.7	186.734	-4.4	-1.1
Electricity ³	142.976	-4.1	.0	187.905	-3.1	-4.0	195.392	.8	-3.3
Utility (piped) gas service ³	201.918	-5.0	-1.8	137.854	-11.1	-2.9	155.006	-15.8	.3
Household furnishings and operations	152.950	-2.1	-2.6	101.290	-4.0	-2.0	108.886	-2.8	-4.5
Apparel	163.348	5.9	3.3	120.424	2.1	4.0	110.830	-2.5	4.9
Transportation	213.741	-9.2	-3.5	216.311	-6.7	-2.4	217.128	-7.0	-2.4
Private transportation	216.321	-9.1	-3.3	204.156	-7.9	-1.9	216.021	-7.3	-2.5
Motor fuel	229.436	-26.1	-8.0	207.438	-26.7	-6.6	223.888	-26.5	-7.7
Gasoline (all types)	226.763	-26.1	-8.0	206.575	-26.7	-6.6	220.870	-26.5	-7.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	223.726	-26.5	-8.4	205.224	-27.5	-7.3	218.575	-27.1	-8.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	221.123	-24.3	-6.1	217.470	-24.4	-3.7	223.077	-24.6	-6.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	242.052	-22.7	-5.5	218.365	-22.7	-3.1	221.538	-22.8	-5.5
Medical care	463.352	5.8	.3	445.692	2.0	.7	476.977	4.0	-7.7
Recreation ⁷	107.268	.9	-1.0	119.865	.7	-7.7	121.210	-9.9	-1.9
Education and communication ⁷	125.835	.9	.6	133.786	-1.2	.2	126.012	-5.5	-8.8
Other goods and services	332.455	7.3	.7	460.954	1.6	.0	541.930	8.7	-6.6
Commodity and service group									
All items	243.661	.8	.0	256.038	-3.3	-1.1	245.823	-2.2	-5.5
Commodities	203.009	-3.4	-8.8	191.528	-3.4	-5.5	188.494	-3.1	-9.9
Commodities less food and beverages	171.914	-6.8	-2.0	152.537	-7.0	-1.0	157.081	-6.4	-1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	204.308	-10.3	-2.3	189.266	-9.2	-1.0	187.824	-8.1	-1.1
Durables	128.748	-2.1	-1.6	101.365	-2.0	-1.1	112.272	-2.1	-2.6
Services	280.130	3.6	.4	319.885	1.4	.1	312.550	1.7	-3.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	235.502	.6	-1.1	249.164	-4.4	-2.2	237.656	-4.4	-5.5
All items less shelter	225.113	-1.6	-7.7	222.872	-1.8	-6.6	225.890	-1.3	-8.8
Commodities less food	173.047	-6.6	-1.9	155.727	-6.8	-1.0	159.949	-6.2	-1.5
Nondurables	232.708	-3.9	-5.5	222.099	-3.7	-4.4	215.003	-3.2	-6.6
Nondurables less food	203.940	-9.9	-2.2	192.215	-8.7	-9.9	191.090	-7.8	-1.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	257.090	1.6	-4.4	263.231	.2	-7.7	280.602	1.1	-7.7
Services less medical care services	267.731	3.4	.4	310.781	1.4	.0	300.886	1.7	-2.2
Energy	181.796	-17.8	-4.7	191.249	-17.8	-5.5	189.066	-16.8	-3.7
All items less energy	251.696	3.0	.4	265.028	1.6	.3	254.116	1.7	-2.2
All items less food and energy	249.404	3.0	.3	268.966	1.5	.4	259.507	1.7	-2.2

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 2 ¹					
	San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA			Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014		June 2015	Aug. 2014	June 2015
Expenditure category						
All items	256.060	2.5	0.5	247.500	1.2	0.2
All items (1967=100) ²	779.724	-	-	734.085	-	-
Food and beverages	263.466	4.1	2.0	257.466	3.3	.9
Food	265.306	4.4	2.3	259.506	3.3	.8
Food at home	259.381	4.0	3.3	247.647	3.4	1.1
Food away from home	273.647	5.0	1.1	282.890	3.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	244.977	-1	-1.1	242.716	2.7	1.7
Housing	297.024	5.5	.8	267.019	5.0	.4
Shelter	327.964	5.3	.9	296.117	5.4	.6
Rent of primary residence ³	372.725	5.8	.9	310.511	5.6	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	300.218	5.3	1.0	302.547	5.3	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	300.218	5.3	1.0	302.547	5.3	.7
Fuels and utilities	355.002	8.4	.4	255.779	4.5	.0
Household energy	323.325	5.8	.0	237.254	5.1	-1
Energy services ³	324.496	6.1	.1	279.528	6.0	.0
Electricity ³	330.884	4.8	.0	295.112	6.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas service ³	286.365	9.5	.2	191.214	5.3	.0
Household furnishings and operations	140.000	3.6	-1.0	162.873	1.0	-7
Apparel	115.133	-2.7	5.0	143.926	-1.3	.1
Transportation	191.752	-5.9	-1.7	222.578	-7.1	-1.2
Private transportation	184.800	-5.7	-1.0	228.881	-7.9	-4
Motor fuel	247.571	-16.8	-2.2	330.247	-20.4	-4
Gasoline (all types)	246.950	-16.6	-2.1	337.776	-20.3	-3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	247.598	-16.9	-2.1	369.206	-20.9	-4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	229.514	-16.0	-1.5	262.863	-19.1	-3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	231.349	-15.8	-2.2	302.266	-18.4	.2
Medical care	NA	-	-	374.454	-	-
Recreation ⁷	113.342	4.5	.8	95.310	.9	1.8
Education and communication ⁷	132.313	.2	.1	134.882	.1	1.4
Other goods and services	414.150	1.1	-.5	407.953	-.2	.2
Commodity and service group						
All items	256.060	2.5	.5	247.500	1.2	.2
Commodities	191.324	-1.0	.5	196.467	-3.4	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	149.380	-4.9	-.7	166.135	-7.2	-.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	186.854	-7.1	.0	214.329	-9.9	.3
Durables	110.713	-.9	-1.9	120.217	-2.3	-1.1
Services	320.176	4.6	.5	299.832	4.2	.3
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	249.421	2.4	.6	242.268	1.3	.3
All items less shelter	227.860	.8	.3	229.782	-1.0	.0
Commodities less food	153.020	-4.6	-.7	168.206	-6.8	-.2
Nondurables	227.607	-1.0	1.1	233.443	-3.7	.6
Nondurables less food	190.462	-6.5	-.1	214.902	-9.2	.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	286.723	3.6	-.1	277.910	2.6	-.1
Services less medical care services	312.321	4.8	.6	291.568	4.7	.4
Energy	280.535	-10.0	-1.4	291.487	-12.5	-.3
All items less energy	257.386	3.6	.7	246.800	2.9	.3
All items less food and energy	256.424	3.5	.4	243.370	2.8	.2

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

² Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

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

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1997=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 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

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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	218.711	218.803	219.179
2011	220.223	221.309	223.467	224.906	225.964	225.722	225.922	226.545	226.889	226.421	226.230	225.672
2012	226.665	227.663	229.392	230.085	229.815	229.478	229.104	230.379	231.407	231.317	230.221	229.601
2013	230.280	232.166	232.773	232.531	232.945	233.504	233.596	233.877	234.149	233.546	233.069	233.049
2014	233.916	234.781	236.293	237.072	237.900	238.343	238.250	237.852	238.031	237.433	236.151	234.812
2015	233.707	234.722	236.119	236.599	237.805	238.638	238.654	238.316	-	-	-	-

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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	218.576	218.056	1.5	1.6
2011	223.598	226.280	224.939	3.0	3.2
2012	228.850	230.338	229.594	1.7	2.1
2013	232.366	233.548	232.957	1.5	1.5
2014	236.384	237.088	236.736	.8	1.6
2015	236.265	-	-	-	-

- 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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
All items	210.036	210.228	215.949	219.179	225.672	229.601	233.049	234.812	238.316
All items (1967=100)	629.174	629.751	646.887	656.563	676.014	687.782	698.110	703.393	713.890
Food and beverages	206.936	218.839	218.049	221.278	231.130	235.230	237.820	245.585	247.196
Food	206.704	218.805	217.637	220.946	231.301	235.390	237.869	245.976	247.671
Food at home	205.208	218.683	213.359	216.955	229.982	232.901	233.802	242.457	242.746
Cereals and bakery products	226.461	253.063	251.019	250.592	265.997	268.057	269.267	270.635	274.968
Cereals and cereal products	196.793	222.639	219.487	217.695	233.416	231.829	231.100	230.374	234.975
Flour and prepared flour mixes	190.014	229.875	220.166	217.174	243.127	248.703	242.265	237.671	246.918
Breakfast cereal	207.828	217.930	218.174	215.281	229.277	227.388	227.894	230.769	230.311
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	183.958	233.018	226.189	226.682	242.236	238.598	237.153	232.171	243.125
Rice ^{1 2}	122.254	170.418	155.502	158.927	167.799	167.815	171.260	166.519	166.188
Bakery products	242.268	269.187	267.776	268.150	283.268	288.074	290.740	293.386	297.521
Bread ¹	147.354	165.774	160.007	161.828	172.602	175.201	176.485	178.530	178.101
White bread ²	272.159	304.713	294.248	296.565	313.739	320.943	319.586	322.479	321.254
Bread other than white ²	276.643	313.310	301.685	308.012	336.796	336.206	342.906	345.531	345.153
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	139.977	158.809	154.706	157.861	167.936	170.193	171.088	174.411	175.850
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	228.738	248.707	255.349	254.335	265.564	269.148	273.812	275.390	280.122
Cookies ²	222.193	241.011	251.261	248.848	256.852	261.442	267.829	267.330	269.976
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ²	235.227	256.070	258.666	259.820	274.773	278.849	280.855	285.085	293.605
Other bakery products	217.459	240.851	242.453	239.450	252.331	258.199	259.926	261.042	269.075
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ²	233.009	250.349	251.485	252.893	268.619	283.198	290.058	291.793	296.939
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	247.888	277.864	280.837	273.082	292.419	296.519	297.476	300.566	312.894
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ²	225.129	248.467	254.335	251.263	262.387	263.113	265.957	264.660	270.909
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	198.755	208.890	201.003	212.019	228.853	232.262	239.102	261.055	263.601
Meats, poultry, and fish	196.639	208.647	201.129	212.086	229.117	232.586	239.028	260.725	259.207
Meats	195.558	206.864	196.202	210.276	229.980	231.735	236.919	267.048	265.154
Beef and veal	212.808	226.019	215.426	228.652	254.850	266.552	271.159	321.776	325.303
Uncooked ground beef	186.936	207.712	195.073	207.192	231.838	244.927	249.188	297.063	294.072
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	155.076	162.822	158.812	166.610	188.284	194.383	200.336	241.682	241.524
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	152.557	154.867	147.026	154.997	172.004	179.126	181.030	209.999	219.301
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	143.603	152.620	151.342	167.701	182.286	189.896	194.112	240.653	239.171
Pork	178.818	187.918	173.178	192.548	208.192	201.255	210.393	227.644	219.060
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	126.273	129.126	122.472	137.223	148.528	145.011	156.954	160.793	156.500
Bacon and related products ²	219.140	219.838	211.750	240.821	270.693	265.930	291.393	288.576	280.298
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	122.097	127.313	120.341	130.414	137.789	132.089	141.866	152.226	148.618
Ham	175.954	185.401	169.673	188.865	199.586	194.993	198.996	225.163	215.852
Ham, excluding canned ²	198.301	208.760	190.435	212.167	224.696	218.436	222.560	254.600	241.962
Pork chops	167.482	178.470	164.203	176.732	191.979	184.854	190.611	209.774	195.467
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹ ..	111.596	120.335	107.138	120.875	132.587	125.407	127.922	143.761	139.450
Other meats	187.239	198.096	193.250	200.808	214.316	211.665	212.066	227.727	226.832
Frankfurters ²	186.345	193.675	183.973	197.805	213.640	211.069	207.167	232.177	223.577
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	120.873	129.323	128.646	130.727	137.693	136.945	138.267	146.350	147.285
Lamb and organ meats ²	231.966	253.332	257.675	299.496	327.846	302.379	301.471	327.856	335.187
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	NA	156.461	155.167	179.880	216.114	180.400	170.624	176.160	180.661
Poultry	193.998	205.222	202.158	204.707	214.514	226.643	233.437	237.278	236.987
Chicken ¹	127.324	134.248	131.427	133.206	137.090	145.255	150.393	153.611	151.600
Fresh whole chicken ²	202.199	218.072	208.519	218.928	227.648	235.802	248.403	255.908	253.129
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ²	194.487	202.195	201.295	201.153	205.784	220.471	225.068	228.645	223.913
Other poultry including turkey ¹	116.282	124.859	126.405	127.525	143.313	149.864	151.408	150.663	158.416
Fish and seafood	221.633	238.759	238.671	248.725	265.682	265.475	277.682	289.586	287.811
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	132.385	140.429	138.441	149.266	158.030	155.660	165.671	174.909	174.261
Processed fish and seafood ¹	115.420	126.573	128.506	128.957	139.151	141.151	144.965	149.279	147.987
Shelf stable fish and seafood ²	148.631	170.862	176.701	175.188	186.889	199.706	198.600	201.154	202.323
Frozen fish and seafood ²	245.839	260.713	266.261	273.467	296.058	289.603	308.027	324.060	318.309
Eggs	234.018	212.819	198.747	210.791	224.215	226.670	239.794	265.375	325.985
Dairy and related products	205.299	210.838	194.792	202.056	218.458	219.443	218.376	229.870	220.716
Milk ¹	149.692	144.817	129.538	136.085	148.665	151.449	151.661	158.192	145.845
Fresh whole milk ²	221.014	211.209	184.074	194.452	212.882	219.157	218.632	230.103	209.408
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	149.603	145.893	133.648	139.991	152.623	154.122	154.654	161.038	150.207
Cheese and related products	202.189	219.187	198.738	207.360	223.445	223.601	221.310	239.549	231.901
Ice cream and related products	188.522	199.080	194.929	199.994	217.932	215.061	216.416	223.901	214.786
Other dairy and related products ¹	136.064	139.584	134.255	136.106	144.322	144.436	142.295	147.541	147.931
Fruits and vegetables	272.482	281.706	273.189	277.089	283.550	288.516	288.136	297.429	291.344

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Fresh fruits and vegetables	326.064	327.943	315.247	322.087	325.075	332.405	331.492	344.932	332.715
Fresh fruits	344.733	338.252	325.602	335.845	334.015	352.393	345.395	357.915	348.723
Apples	292.707	304.060	273.996	284.299	304.597	344.961	323.923	316.514	338.884
Bananas	182.356	211.145	193.304	196.940	204.013	204.104	201.906	200.464	201.747
Citrus fruits ¹	186.752	186.888	187.089	204.075	196.409	202.769	208.489	219.822	253.622
Oranges, including tangerines ²	348.722	362.266	377.682	394.652	395.553	408.569	427.519	443.228	539.743
Other fresh fruits ¹	134.596	122.430	120.840	122.394	118.771	125.522	121.944	129.506	107.703
Fresh vegetables	306.142	315.835	303.191	306.775	314.280	310.458	315.671	330.043	314.657
Potatoes	274.694	335.346	278.568	293.671	315.537	292.126	313.252	307.533	340.077
Lettuce	295.313	300.040	329.458	304.919	304.989	295.211	301.064	314.445	291.645
Tomatoes	378.746	337.763	348.514	311.927	315.907	331.061	330.412	384.810	312.864
Other fresh vegetables	300.382	311.165	293.958	314.163	320.226	318.008	319.855	327.225	318.212
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	128.488	145.854	145.397	144.007	154.065	154.256	154.779	155.373	160.451
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	127.028	147.963	149.489	146.923	155.275	156.100	159.547	159.292	165.282
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	125.693	139.051	139.841	136.168	147.415	149.702	151.560	152.286	159.487
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	131.871	157.030	159.591	157.333	165.062	164.240	168.798	168.766	174.288
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	129.831	140.185	135.621	135.910	149.250	147.205	143.679	145.799	149.747
Frozen vegetables ²	179.760	195.634	188.807	188.774	206.012	201.556	197.121	198.928	206.441
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	129.286	148.092	148.847	147.800	156.601	159.122	159.050	159.390	163.832
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	139.039	176.320	176.524	172.090	195.782	197.969	195.994	205.107	207.256
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	153.648	162.750	161.216	159.229	168.520	168.204	165.767	166.978	168.017
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	117.609	126.154	124.645	122.283	127.526	128.378	127.728	127.822	128.364
Carbonated drinks	138.194	151.095	151.851	149.589	159.013	159.079	155.629	157.881	160.711
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	143.465	149.073	150.282	149.810	169.472	167.736	172.675	176.729	177.209
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	114.034	120.207	116.601	113.993	116.896	118.261	118.896	117.754	117.113
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	109.195	112.894	112.391	113.310	125.197	121.842	116.614	119.604	120.993
Coffee	175.083	185.929	180.802	185.379	221.236	211.723	195.725	202.772	206.736
Roasted coffee ²	180.752	189.098	185.174	191.511	231.504	221.087	201.214	209.577	216.377
Instant and freeze dried coffee ²	184.030	207.297	196.843	199.021	219.097	210.585	207.489	208.007	200.693
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	121.631	123.849	124.960	124.029	126.698	126.541	127.355	128.569	128.431
Other food at home	174.057	190.203	189.921	190.147	200.566	204.626	203.720	206.831	209.892
Sugar and sweets	178.631	193.312	198.712	203.098	210.846	213.265	207.795	210.019	217.194
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	162.521	173.015	179.643	191.919	199.499	197.000	178.971	179.248	193.216
Candy and chewing gum ¹	118.555	128.689	132.313	134.049	138.172	140.308	139.408	141.883	145.817
Other sweets ¹	127.536	138.640	141.122	142.349	151.239	154.711	151.621	151.259	153.463
Fats and oils	176.068	206.710	197.391	200.476	227.601	231.540	226.091	228.352	227.183
Butter and margarine ¹	137.454	163.439	150.847	164.832	183.182	182.281	181.251	202.213	199.912
Butter ²	168.121	181.703	160.781	195.956	199.637	194.493	196.193	204.358	232.911
Margarine ²	193.811	246.153	234.357	237.245	285.391	289.844	282.490	289.968	291.796
Salad dressing ¹	113.085	124.935	125.704	127.917	138.083	138.353	136.045	130.185	129.778
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	125.054	151.240	142.856	138.535	164.205	170.837	164.288	160.210	159.920
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	117.962	133.912	132.636	127.215	161.810	184.152	170.331	164.221	158.198
Other foods	188.325	203.902	203.832	202.776	211.986	216.708	217.204	220.909	224.046
Soups	211.165	229.675	224.677	221.226	226.858	227.765	227.870	226.529	245.400
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	157.409	167.801	166.386	164.252	169.202	169.600	167.933	171.202	170.877
Snacks	187.632	211.835	215.081	215.730	231.599	240.261	242.341	246.823	251.765
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	191.486	204.785	208.868	206.760	217.254	222.847	223.367	228.318	237.894
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	115.302	117.672	121.482	121.107	132.684	133.780	134.655	141.105	149.092
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	117.241	132.534	130.724	127.279	127.752	136.069	133.597	133.807	136.109
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	110.635	119.993	124.327	123.617	127.154	131.056	131.568	133.791	136.431
Other condiments ²	211.775	222.149	217.733	234.488	258.486	263.720	256.219	260.940	279.323
Baby food ¹	133.326	140.918	139.287	138.061	148.108	151.937	152.123	155.245	153.202
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	115.267	123.791	122.422	122.419	126.293	129.455	130.119	132.149	130.940
Prepared salads ^{2 3}	100.000	105.705	107.366	107.253	110.563	112.984	116.321	120.827	121.255
Food away from home	210.233	220.684	224.789	227.722	234.435	240.359	245.300	252.628	256.449
Full service meals and snacks ¹	132.413	137.620	140.112	141.962	146.057	149.583	152.736	157.454	159.970
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	132.959	140.918	143.407	144.795	149.265	153.136	156.133	161.080	163.670
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	128.545	135.998	139.858	143.335	148.359	153.468	157.276	160.136	154.454
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{2 4}	107.685	114.392	117.561	120.445	124.494	128.976	131.727	134.766	127.475
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	120.438	128.587	131.765	134.605	138.306	141.887	143.585	144.278	146.448

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Other food away from home ¹	145.814	154.062	156.990	160.681	164.095	167.816	171.467	174.949	180.918
Alcoholic beverages	208.704	217.975	222.082	224.215	227.335	231.572	235.804	238.856	239.313
Alcoholic beverages at home	179.709	187.666	190.510	190.623	191.132	193.216	196.080	197.387	196.797
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	185.387	195.197	200.240	202.702	205.549	208.832	213.561	215.011	214.025
Distilled spirits at home	179.844	184.756	188.000	186.995	187.243	187.688	190.720	192.522	192.663
Whiskey at home ²	183.048	190.333	195.242	192.612	198.788	198.752	203.893	206.904	207.004
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	177.552	179.735	183.543	183.774	182.003	182.884	184.852	186.376	186.143
Wine at home	163.500	169.743	169.730	167.647	165.685	166.932	167.757	168.717	168.322
Alcoholic beverages away from home	270.329	282.390	289.055	295.568	304.349	313.606	320.953	328.025	330.945
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2}	136.117	141.613	145.617	149.311	151.782	155.315	158.750	162.107	163.484
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	148.241	155.850	159.749	162.340	164.439	169.624	173.661	177.053	178.649
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	144.053	149.577	152.055	153.786	159.903	165.262	169.759	173.488	177.830
Housing	210.933	216.073	215.523	216.142	220.193	224.032	228.892	234.658	239.298
Shelter	242.372	247.085	247.863	248.972	253.716	259.298	265.881	273.598	280.093
Rent of primary residence ⁵	239.102	247.278	248.999	250.986	257.189	264.098	271.688	280.874	287.068
Lodging away from home ¹	133.545	129.157	122.638	125.665	128.131	129.021	130.549	138.799	158.443
Housing at school, excluding board ^{5 6}	381.548	399.369	419.367	437.049	453.990	473.068	488.924	502.226	509.979
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	278.872	268.348	253.003	258.098	261.853	261.272	262.821	281.985	331.093
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	249.532	254.875	256.727	257.452	261.982	267.480	274.135	281.288	287.026
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	249.532	254.875	256.727	257.444	261.960	267.454	274.112	281.261	286.988
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	117.003	120.019	123.812	126.194	129.480	133.852	137.331	144.970	146.333
Fuels and utilities	203.006	215.184	208.760	212.505	217.674	218.496	224.407	231.150	233.847
Household energy	183.516	194.335	184.886	186.338	189.711	187.642	192.224	197.092	198.260
Fuel oil and other fuels	299.296	256.209	262.649	298.037	340.512	335.590	345.274	297.829	239.905
Fuel oil	319.208	252.024	268.396	312.718	369.085	382.532	375.607	303.844	237.580
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁷	324.116	323.105	309.643	334.070	356.672	314.912	359.010	342.350	287.395
Energy services ⁵	185.155	199.487	188.724	188.443	189.891	187.880	192.394	199.592	203.246
Electricity ⁵	173.357	188.342	187.388	188.711	192.777	191.879	198.043	204.275	215.786
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	220.496	232.548	190.497	185.106	178.193	173.098	172.898	182.908	162.885
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	146.878	156.390	165.204	174.543	182.758	193.237	200.203	209.414	215.844
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁵	319.460	341.965	365.664	390.362	411.067	438.486	455.317	480.698	498.209
Garbage and trash collection ⁸	353.439	371.093	379.248	387.884	398.720	410.416	422.237	428.187	432.967
Household furnishings and operations	126.066	128.535	127.119	123.931	125.170	125.202	123.409	122.237	122.120
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	79.801	76.079	73.655	68.488	68.666	65.978	63.625	61.338	60.385
Floor coverings ¹	119.083	120.576	117.287	113.039	114.497	110.168	106.969	107.817	108.264
Window coverings ¹	85.646	85.257	79.977	73.405	73.982	74.770	73.934	72.199	66.720
Other linens ¹	68.305	62.517	61.602	57.039	56.861	53.298	50.653	48.044	47.964
Furniture and bedding	123.506	123.379	123.373	117.780	120.117	119.669	116.859	114.983	113.508
Bedroom furniture	142.055	142.693	139.258	136.893	139.848	135.805	134.516	131.275	129.764
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	90.510	89.411	91.131	87.879	89.506	89.624	88.970	87.322	85.681
Other furniture ¹	85.986	87.597	86.892	76.982	78.528	80.770	73.716	74.289	74.376
Infants' furniture ^{2 4}	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	94.016	NA	NA
Appliances ¹	89.273	90.507	88.124	84.545	85.781	87.386	84.061	79.679	78.577
Major appliances ¹	99.903	101.990	99.009	94.399	97.398	101.180	95.261	88.705	86.755
Laundry equipment ²	115.994	116.576	112.673	105.824	110.060	118.631	107.840	99.811	97.928
Other appliances ¹	75.756	75.935	74.307	71.954	71.208	70.605	69.964	67.795	67.506
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	74.948	74.767	72.130	68.762	66.048	64.481	61.571	59.145	58.613
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	70.179	68.602	65.126	60.678	56.640	54.549	50.700	47.754	46.675
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	124.005	129.884	126.116	124.904	126.551	125.934	125.067	127.435	125.848
Dishes and flatware ¹	72.305	71.721	70.080	64.725	60.432	58.346	56.464	52.681	56.576
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	93.341	95.330	95.600	96.306	96.837	96.892	94.738	91.257	90.965
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	93.772	94.010	92.642	90.678	91.302	91.534	90.914	90.985	90.508
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	99.028	99.541	97.073	96.160	98.667	99.656	100.007	100.822	99.672
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	91.213	91.115	90.115	87.697	87.663	87.594	86.605	86.365	86.171
Housekeeping supplies	170.743	182.569	183.109	183.510	189.372	190.079	188.169	186.667	186.305
Household cleaning products ¹	112.712	120.558	122.280	120.308	124.149	123.181	120.335	119.232	118.479
Household paper products ¹	138.930	154.754	155.772	160.884	165.304	169.083	170.053	168.823	168.656
Miscellaneous household products ¹	113.655	117.609	115.953	115.954	120.085	120.379	119.532	118.675	119.004
Household operations ¹	142.100	150.689	150.172	150.648	152.729	156.143	159.228	163.689	168.204
Domestic services ¹	139.648	143.688	144.263	145.702	145.843	148.275	152.971	154.837	155.778
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	141.672	NA	156.052	155.049	157.354	160.398	161.853	169.012	172.856

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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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	128.413	127.430	124.592	124.331	125.183	128.856	129.125	131.813	145.169
Repair of household items ¹	165.089	173.193	178.830	NA	193.882	202.256	209.290	217.559	220.115
Apparel	118.257	117.078	119.357	118.071	123.470	125.656	126.461	123.942	124.547
Men's and boys' apparel	112.026	110.767	110.633	109.711	115.997	118.525	119.602	116.073	116.892
Men's apparel	116.489	114.775	115.301	114.499	120.884	122.304	123.200	119.488	122.087
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	121.449	116.071	113.718	113.731	113.764	112.448	115.218	107.041	115.744
Men's furnishings	126.721	134.123	136.207	137.818	147.287	153.606	156.248	152.544	153.551
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	81.560	78.307	79.733	76.847	82.609	81.807	81.842	78.128	75.369
Men's pants and shorts	108.284	104.650	104.203	105.013	111.249	114.011	113.014	114.222	122.310
Boys' apparel	95.216	95.395	93.228	91.932	97.771	103.696	105.311	102.442	97.744
Women's and girls' apparel	109.418	105.456	108.304	105.739	110.918	111.974	113.944	109.866	109.103
Women's apparel	110.570	106.734	109.851	107.530	111.875	113.103	116.714	112.640	112.248
Women's outerwear	96.725	95.894	100.512	98.933	103.085	106.233	113.548	117.620	106.686
Women's dresses	115.453	110.886	112.306	106.405	110.535	112.928	120.974	122.950	120.897
Women's suits and separates ¹	87.306	82.653	83.985	80.974	82.259	83.851	85.853	78.825	79.589
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	88.867	88.612	93.355	94.905	102.812	101.795	103.725	103.447	104.547
Girls' apparel	103.475	98.956	100.550	96.881	105.860	106.134	100.679	96.612	94.171
Footwear	122.258	124.093	128.492	126.585	128.208	133.908	132.589	136.275	137.405
Men's footwear	120.906	125.664	127.787	126.710	130.094	135.305	134.511	136.979	139.035
Boys' and girls' footwear	125.993	131.745	133.820	134.677	136.851	141.361	143.894	152.718	151.198
Women's footwear	120.615	118.767	125.675	122.015	122.166	128.628	125.344	127.439	129.184
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	113.779	112.568	112.695	112.558	118.032	119.652	117.580	118.080	122.875
Jewelry and watches ⁷	134.325	143.607	146.340	154.308	165.037	163.629	163.132	156.184	162.797
Watches ⁷	113.726	117.491	114.260	113.415	114.934	120.221	120.953	119.730	124.520
Jewelry ⁷	139.691	150.122	154.017	163.966	176.775	171.656	170.502	161.753	168.707
Transportation	189.984	164.628	188.318	198.280	208.585	211.853	212.911	199.777	203.377
Private transportation	186.134	159.411	183.766	193.545	203.809	206.874	207.997	194.641	198.657
New and used motor vehicles ¹	94.754	91.408	96.421	97.046	99.795	99.743	100.440	99.544	101.318
New vehicles	136.664	132.308	138.857	138.567	142.953	145.181	145.766	146.524	146.704
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	94.727	91.677	96.214	96.051	99.085	100.627	101.022	101.580	101.713
New cars ²	136.371	134.930	139.728	138.147	143.619	145.163	144.360	144.274	143.905
New trucks ^{2 8}	141.191	133.657	142.520	143.915	147.210	150.343	152.481	154.410	155.086
Used cars and trucks	136.943	125.883	137.406	142.454	148.140	145.234	148.183	141.957	150.908
Leased cars and trucks ¹⁰	93.464	99.045	99.045	94.799	92.041	88.319	85.476	85.350	82.614
Car and truck rental ¹	113.982	118.241	125.705	124.766	124.088	125.249	126.563	126.545	140.447
Motor fuel	258.132	149.132	224.730	256.025	282.501	287.408	284.445	225.165	231.305
Gasoline (all types)	256.790	146.102	224.260	255.319	280.713	285.606	282.773	223.404	230.513
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	256.775	143.918	223.353	254.854	280.216	284.770	281.449	220.773	227.099
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 11}	261.983	152.838	230.558	261.556	287.561	292.754	290.346	233.546	245.418
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	247.369	148.343	218.751	246.748	271.078	277.218	276.812	226.066	237.367
Other motor fuels ¹	248.393	185.983	203.092	234.947	280.326	284.725	278.685	245.509	194.327
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	123.928	133.077	134.781	139.223	147.499	148.761	145.664	144.693	143.793
Tires	113.060	119.796	121.348	126.263	134.417	134.666	129.637	127.212	126.009
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	132.574	145.311	147.139	149.905	157.340	160.930	163.124	165.908	165.896
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ²	131.420	139.882	142.377	143.371	147.661	151.360	153.799	156.046	156.476
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ²	240.510	298.121	292.337	311.036	354.170	364.251	363.480	372.142	368.982
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	226.120	239.356	245.417	250.134	255.644	258.845	263.081	268.588	270.838
Motor vehicle body work	236.039	245.361	251.006	257.224	261.779	267.804	273.488	279.096	280.315
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	204.331	219.020	224.018	225.972	231.079	235.363	237.716	242.940	243.371
Motor vehicle repair ¹	139.602	146.705	150.735	154.745	158.184	159.292	162.609	165.886	168.271
Motor vehicle insurance	336.915	350.308	366.799	383.024	396.193	414.773	428.640	448.933	461.046
Motor vehicle fees ¹	142.248	147.741	163.829	166.101	169.269	172.915	175.764	176.374	180.349
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 5}	139.320	142.812	163.132	165.409	167.554	166.728	168.543	166.789	171.635
Parking and other fees ¹	147.630	156.704	165.205	167.462	172.468	183.453	188.058	192.196	194.855
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	153.178	166.315	176.892	179.394	186.142	201.702	207.399	212.922	216.639
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	119.323	117.295	119.061	120.437	122.479	125.245	125.593	125.132	126.098
Public transportation	233.408	237.638	245.203	257.172	266.958	273.364	273.161	265.356	261.386
Airline fare	255.873	259.566	270.667	286.438	299.315	305.733	301.357	287.175	277.768
Other intercity transportation	156.648	155.454	149.138	153.604	152.822	154.882	156.185	155.159	156.598

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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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Intercity bus fare ^{2 3}	100.000	108.182	108.660	115.331	120.111	NA	NA	NA	NA
Intercity train fare ^{2 3}	100.000	108.295	105.854	115.324	107.558	117.639	112.993	117.243	111.379
Ship fare ^{1 2}	72.918	67.057	64.686	62.534	63.221	61.273	62.321	61.123	62.617
Intracity transportation	232.378	244.260	256.436	264.284	275.715	286.139	295.758	299.041	304.589
Intracity mass transit ^{2 12}	-	-	100.000	104.471	109.135	112.476	116.854	118.118	120.608
Medical care	357.661	367.133	379.516	391.946	405.629	418.654	427.089	439.720	446.536
Medical care commodities	293.610	298.361	308.221	317.199	327.254	332.684	333.801	349.750	356.334
Medicinal drugs ¹²	-	-	100.000	103.070	106.523	108.276	108.742	114.134	116.435
Prescription drugs	374.389	379.943	396.526	412.786	429.817	437.905	441.589	469.778	482.392
Nonprescription drugs ¹²	-	-	100.000	98.975	99.089	99.742	98.445	98.278	97.738
Medical equipment and supplies ¹²	-	-	100.000	99.945	99.594	101.529	99.878	100.803	99.708
Medical care services	376.940	388.267	401.452	415.079	430.005	445.955	457.296	468.393	475.189
Professional services	304.784	313.886	321.827	330.651	337.907	344.409	351.594	357.631	361.987
Physicians' services ⁵	306.304	315.233	323.124	334.112	342.966	349.910	356.469	361.659	366.365
Dental services ⁵	366.225	379.603	391.677	402.386	411.438	422.937	434.955	442.874	453.786
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁷	172.811	173.377	176.391	176.933	178.161	178.704	180.765	185.379	183.270
Services by other medical professionals ^{5 7}	200.312	207.850	211.524	215.427	218.223	220.229	224.580	229.057	228.836
Hospital and related services	515.677	543.585	581.968	621.176	653.839	684.005	710.891	743.152	757.797
Hospital services ^{5 13}	189.908	201.053	216.570	232.953	246.377	258.486	269.365	282.547	288.181
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 5 13}	183.595	194.073	209.075	228.222	242.364	252.510	263.581	278.103	283.344
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 5 7}	442.085	466.736	504.843	530.654	556.975	587.688	610.065	637.750	647.880
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{5 13}	161.981	167.097	173.095	178.531	183.780	190.397	196.142	201.872	207.298
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁴	106.602	108.281	109.971	111.595	113.724	114.787	115.179	117.263	118.091
Health insurance ⁴	115.727	111.697	108.325	104.030	110.334	121.310	122.373	121.715	122.809
Recreation ¹	111.705	113.674	113.212	112.345	113.499	114.442	114.855	114.875	116.084
Video and audio ¹	102.691	101.629	99.873	97.167	98.225	98.515	99.010	98.702	99.254
Televisions	15.352	12.378	8.983	7.271	6.025	4.969	4.277	3.561	3.316
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁸	353.432	359.854	368.083	369.132	383.032	396.775	407.644	416.436	421.594
Other video equipment ¹	22.009	18.833	16.947	14.663	13.066	11.494	10.680	10.596	10.587
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ¹	77.808	79.629	77.022	74.972	80.274	77.583	73.451	71.232	73.427
Video discs and other media ^{1 2}	64.303	61.029	55.958	51.710	51.174	47.868	43.108	40.382	41.584
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2}	95.867	101.515	100.789	102.103	117.446	116.812	116.060	117.684	120.539
Audio equipment	53.242	50.650	48.213	46.261	43.415	40.689	39.128	36.267	35.749
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	105.202	104.528	95.165	92.277	89.448	88.664	90.758	87.473	86.255
Pets, pet products and services ¹	136.947	150.242	152.943	154.783	160.427	162.915	164.992	166.919	167.187
Pets and pet products	170.641	191.503	193.281	191.867	197.465	199.510	200.117	200.634	197.083
Pet food ^{1 2}	122.446	141.485	142.867	142.663	147.809	152.099	153.766	154.418	149.901
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2}	114.293	117.639	118.375	115.550	118.038	115.223	114.391	114.795	114.032
Pet services including veterinary ¹	169.281	179.657	185.234	193.868	203.330	208.260	214.295	220.099	227.477
Pet services ^{1 2}	144.294	153.922	155.941	159.003	166.151	169.767	174.785	177.896	182.549
Veterinarian services ^{1 2}	174.382	185.269	192.436	201.702	211.015	216.164	223.093	229.527	238.041
Sporting goods	116.125	119.632	118.314	117.671	117.640	118.800	117.054	114.470	114.893
Sports vehicles including bicycles	138.424	139.862	139.648	142.569	147.899	150.199	149.239	147.635	151.529
Sports equipment	95.030	100.316	98.056	94.616	90.352	90.681	88.429	85.645	84.328
Photography ¹	81.737	80.236	80.606	77.780	79.602	76.774	76.067	76.047	75.204
Photographic equipment and supplies	79.082	74.245	72.637	65.128	65.107	60.142	57.776	56.477	55.560
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2}	86.304	86.915	89.475	88.957	95.798	100.568	104.095	128.412	126.107
Photographic equipment ^{1 2}	38.800	35.196	33.844	29.258	28.774	26.206	24.736	23.233	22.969
Photographers and film processing ¹	106.295	108.430	111.306	112.976	117.366	117.674	119.636	122.229	121.420
Photographer fees ^{1 2}	117.023	117.795	120.763	118.872	124.788	124.739	126.977	128.388	126.727
Film processing ^{1 2}	99.692	102.004	105.993	109.581	113.184	113.484	115.099	119.462	120.465
Other recreational goods ¹	62.868	60.213	58.316	56.206	54.431	52.194	49.846	47.935	46.541
Toys	68.585	63.944	59.985	57.098	54.433	51.207	48.515	45.908	44.150
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2}	67.586	64.308	62.449	59.454	58.505	56.911	55.683	54.053	52.557
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	86.794	88.423	92.515	94.105	97.989	100.910	96.491	96.552	96.165
Music instruments and accessories ¹	95.018	96.680	97.671	96.452	95.271	95.987	97.431	99.802	99.999
Other recreation services ¹	140.427	143.750	144.023	145.282	146.309	149.746	151.385	152.622	157.681
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ¹	123.864	125.014	122.918	123.325	125.494	125.963	127.923	128.377	131.751
Admissions	307.108	316.607	319.307	323.606	322.494	335.936	340.305	342.560	357.280

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2}	148.620	152.546	153.725	156.175	156.006	161.796	163.864	164.586	168.727
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	163.370	172.671	174.389	175.814	174.767	185.548	189.859	195.071	210.365
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁷	248.080	257.231	264.055	266.872	268.184	277.304	278.052	283.713	288.024
Recreational reading materials	208.036	215.325	221.333	220.181	221.146	226.532	233.323	238.568	241.030
Newspapers and magazines ¹	122.709	128.653	134.986	135.196	139.136	147.729	155.909	163.421	165.250
Recreational books ¹	104.305	106.299	106.493	105.098	102.471	100.332	100.051	99.132	100.056
Education and communication ¹	121.506	125.921	128.883	130.548	132.728	134.694	136.857	137.410	138.291
Education ¹	176.927	186.916	195.672	203.343	212.745	220.818	228.578	236.066	242.076
Educational books and supplies	434.352	464.544	496.580	513.904	540.742	578.816	607.855	635.884	651.553
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	510.016	538.309	562.610	584.840	611.633	633.523	655.130	676.032	693.278
College tuition and fees	559.190	591.804	627.061	652.495	691.768	719.677	747.746	773.407	791.039
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	556.271	590.037	613.370	637.450	661.200	684.254	710.442	738.567	756.697
Child care and nursery school ⁹	219.405	230.326	235.532	244.308	249.713	256.385	261.922	267.799	276.893
Technical and business school tuition and fees ¹	183.016	189.275	196.480	204.472	215.928	222.158	228.799	232.899	234.630
Communication ¹	83.282	84.737	84.809	83.913	82.990	82.496	82.344	80.681	79.832
Postage and delivery services ¹	132.091	136.357	143.156	146.000	152.285	158.134	167.946	174.356	174.661
Postage	208.927	215.400	226.626	229.846	238.782	247.741	263.671	274.517	274.517
Delivery services ¹	189.551	199.456	202.732	228.422	254.464	267.265	275.890	279.056	284.061
Information and information processing ¹	80.546	81.886	81.728	80.730	79.599	78.975	78.607	76.846	75.999
Telephone services ¹	98.792	101.688	102.707	101.739	101.397	101.654	101.636	99.484	99.409
Wireless telephone services ¹	64.011	64.361	63.629	61.339	59.931	59.447	58.249	55.894	55.194
Land-line telephone services ¹²	-	-	100.000	102.225	104.131	106.131	109.350	111.372	113.830
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	10.215	9.906	9.423	9.232	8.818	8.528	8.392	8.182	7.909
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ³	100.000	88.529	77.960	73.559	64.348	58.764	54.869	49.089	47.132
Computer software and accessories ¹	50.722	50.180	48.930	43.791	43.187	40.079	37.237	36.807	36.776
Internet services and electronic information providers ¹	73.176	75.899	75.642	76.396	75.987	75.797	76.922	78.188	75.962
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ¹	36.945	36.230	34.994	33.708	31.733	30.246	28.704	25.867	23.518
Other goods and services	337.633	349.220	377.330	384.502	391.043	396.814	404.097	410.642	415.576
Tobacco and smoking products	566.696	602.644	783.794	827.680	847.063	862.945	890.438	916.707	939.082
Cigarettes ¹	229.969	244.647	319.378	337.573	345.001	351.585	362.727	373.859	383.352
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	163.226	172.664	210.845	219.980	229.262	232.482	240.420	243.854	246.640
Personal care	197.643	202.774	205.823	207.196	210.257	213.099	216.109	218.850	220.752
Personal care products	158.236	161.397	162.275	160.656	160.825	161.147	162.399	162.901	161.877
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ¹	103.861	104.966	104.825	103.631	101.995	102.435	103.244	102.898	102.793
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	176.418	181.661	183.917	182.363	185.648	185.555	186.989	188.856	186.629
Personal care services	219.656	226.281	228.343	230.159	232.302	236.460	240.709	244.345	248.794
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	134.026	138.068	139.326	140.435	141.742	144.279	146.872	149.091	151.805
Miscellaneous personal services	329.908	339.698	348.697	356.475	367.912	375.951	384.416	392.415	400.657
Legal services ⁷	262.910	274.810	283.418	292.614	300.480	306.049	314.281	318.795	324.413
Funeral expenses ⁷	256.560	270.369	278.644	284.595	291.088	297.379	305.028	308.825	315.528
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	130.834	137.122	140.340	143.423	145.339	148.520	150.331	153.625	156.161
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ¹	139.205	149.481	155.624	159.478	167.815	169.959	175.850	179.051	181.125
Financial services ⁷	273.241	258.195	262.572	264.654	283.390	290.867	298.333	308.869	318.797
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	129.839	122.325	124.260	126.498	135.703	141.021	147.674	147.782	150.472
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2}	163.279	171.238	173.992	177.595	187.775	191.202	197.658	209.768	217.215
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	87.487	88.754	89.262	87.660	86.792	86.228	84.333	83.865	80.652
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	154.060	155.308	157.926	156.653	157.573	157.618	155.801	155.753	148.139
Infants' equipment ^{2 4}	95.663	98.654	NA	95.827	92.346	88.974	87.757	87.101	85.561
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	170.511	163.582	172.572	176.015	183.345	185.204	185.620	181.926	183.137
Commodities less food and beverages	150.162	135.720	148.441	151.854	157.921	158.782	158.269	149.965	150.972
Nondurables less food and beverages	188.635	161.681	185.689	193.856	204.529	207.019	206.868	191.838	193.175
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	236.735	192.948	231.169	245.458	259.668	262.409	261.666	238.493	240.318

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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Special aggregate indexes									
Durables	112.093	108.811	111.477	110.512	112.277	111.563	110.704	108.500	109.187
Services	249.225	256.731	259.055	262.074	267.737	273.694	280.102	287.129	292.861
Rent of shelter ⁶	252.669	257.567	258.303	259.418	264.341	270.122	276.978	284.934	291.745
Transportation services	236.504	246.287	256.014	263.264	269.858	276.982	281.680	286.585	289.798
Other services	289.945	300.067	306.436	310.824	318.043	324.870	331.067	335.162	340.310
All items less food	210.610	208.855	215.703	218.921	224.805	228.709	232.314	233.079	236.868
All items less shelter	199.734	198.127	205.888	209.996	217.260	220.582	222.834	222.267	224.632
All items less medical care	202.600	202.442	207.860	210.712	216.875	220.408	223.631	224.921	228.267
Commodities less food	152.344	138.536	151.052	154.443	160.453	161.405	161.014	152.990	153.986
Nondurables less food	189.844	165.032	187.864	195.703	205.966	208.549	208.623	194.603	195.892
Nondurables less food and apparel	233.014	194.403	229.250	242.401	255.567	258.414	258.079	237.355	239.049
Nondurables	198.422	189.557	202.064	208.028	218.411	221.668	222.790	218.358	219.833
Apparel less footwear	112.990	111.235	112.993	111.887	117.890	119.237	120.472	116.574	117.033
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	263.966	275.370	279.896	285.481	292.487	299.113	305.482	311.948	316.841
Services less medical care services	238.894	246.090	247.793	250.191	255.271	260.580	266.629	273.341	278.956
Energy	217.506	171.158	202.301	217.953	232.300	233.473	234.542	209.785	213.248
All items less energy	210.890	215.930	219.048	221.045	226.795	231.043	234.768	239.186	242.722
All items less food and energy	212.356	216.100	220.025	221.795	226.740	231.033	235.000	238.775	242.651
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	140.014	139.228	143.383	142.830	145.929	146.387	146.277	145.127	145.808
Energy commodities	261.976	155.745	228.186	259.903	287.363	291.815	289.461	230.195	233.619
Services less energy services	255.785	262.636	266.237	269.572	275.643	282.400	289.001	296.021	301.963
Domestically produced farm food	211.109	224.865	218.813	223.186	236.613	240.239	241.358	251.370	251.558
Utilities and public transportation	191.955	201.511	199.834	201.759	205.245	207.478	211.039	213.925	216.192

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

⁹ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.
¹⁰ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.
¹¹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
¹² Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.
¹³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
¹⁴ 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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
All items	4.1	0.1	2.7	1.5	3.0	1.7	1.5	0.8	1.5
Food and beverages	4.8	5.8	-4	1.5	4.5	1.8	1.1	3.3	.7
Food	4.9	5.9	-5	1.5	4.7	1.8	1.1	3.4	.7
Food at home	5.6	6.6	-2.4	1.7	6.0	1.3	.4	3.7	.1
Cereals and bakery products	5.4	11.7	-8	-2	6.1	.8	.5	.5	1.6
Cereals and cereal products	4.1	13.1	-1.4	-8	7.2	-7	-3	-3	2.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes	7.4	21.0	-4.2	-1.4	12.0	2.3	-2.6	-1.9	3.9
Breakfast cereal	2.7	4.9	.1	-1.3	6.5	-8	.2	1.3	-2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	5.2	26.7	-2.9	.2	6.9	-1.5	-6	-2.1	4.7
Rice ^{1 2}	4.2	39.4	-8.8	2.2	5.6	.0	2.1	-2.8	-2
Bakery products	6.0	11.1	-5	.1	5.6	1.7	.9	.9	1.4
Bread ²	10.5	12.5	-3.5	1.1	6.7	1.5	.7	1.2	-2
White bread ¹	11.3	12.0	-3.4	.8	5.8	2.3	-4	.9	-4
Bread other than white ¹	10.1	13.3	-3.7	2.1	9.3	-2	2.0	.8	-1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	4.5	13.5	-2.6	2.0	6.4	1.3	.5	1.9	.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	5.8	8.7	2.7	-4	4.4	1.3	1.7	.6	1.7
Cookies ¹	2.8	8.5	4.3	-1.0	3.2	1.8	2.4	-2	1.0
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	8.4	8.9	1.0	.4	5.8	1.5	.7	1.5	3.0
Other bakery products	2.4	10.8	.7	-1.2	5.4	2.3	.7	.4	3.1
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ¹	3.4	7.4	.5	.6	6.2	5.4	2.4	.6	1.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ¹	1.4	12.1	1.1	-2.8	7.1	1.4	.3	1.0	4.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ¹	3.6	10.4	2.4	-1.2	4.4	.3	1.1	-5	2.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	5.4	5.1	-3.8	5.5	7.9	1.5	2.9	9.2	1.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.0	6.1	-3.6	5.4	8.0	1.5	2.8	9.1	-6
Meats	3.3	5.8	-5.2	7.2	9.4	.8	2.2	12.7	-7
Beef and veal	5.0	6.2	-4.7	6.1	11.5	4.6	1.7	18.7	1.1
Uncooked ground beef	5.2	11.1	-6.1	6.2	11.9	5.6	1.7	19.2	-1.0
Uncooked beef roasts ²	5.1	5.0	-2.5	4.9	13.0	3.2	3.1	20.6	-1
Uncooked beef steaks ²	5.1	1.5	-5.1	5.4	11.0	4.1	1.1	16.0	4.4
Uncooked other beef and veal ²	4.0	6.3	-.8	10.8	8.7	4.2	2.2	24.0	-6
Pork	1.4	5.1	-7.8	11.2	8.1	-3.3	4.5	8.2	-3.8
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ²	3.2	2.3	-5.2	12.0	8.2	-2.4	8.2	2.4	-2.7
Bacon and related products ¹	3.8	.3	-3.7	13.7	12.4	-1.8	9.6	-1.0	-2.9
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	2.3	4.3	-5.5	8.4	5.7	-4.1	7.4	7.3	-2.4
Ham	1.4	5.4	-8.5	11.3	5.7	-2.3	2.1	13.1	-4.1
Ham, excluding canned ¹	1.2	5.3	-8.8	11.4	5.9	-2.8	1.9	14.4	-5.0
Pork chops .....	.8	6.6	-8.0	7.6	8.6	-3.7	3.1	10.1	-6.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	-4	7.8	-11.0	12.8	9.7	-5.4	1.9	12.5	-3.0
Other meats	1.8	5.8	-2.4	3.9	6.7	-1.2	.2	7.4	-.4
Frankfurters ¹	4.9	3.9	-5.0	7.5	8.0	-1.2	-1.8	12.1	-3.7
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	1.5	7.0	-.5	1.6	5.3	-.5	1.0	5.8	.6
Lamb and organ meats ¹	-	9.2	1.7	16.2	9.5	-7.8	-.3	8.8	2.2
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	-	-	-.8	15.9	20.1	-16.5	-5.4	3.2	2.6
Poultry	6.3	5.8	-1.5	1.3	4.8	5.7	3.0	1.6	-.1
Chicken ²	7.4	5.4	-2.1	1.4	2.9	6.0	3.5	2.1	-1.3
Fresh whole chicken ¹	8.7	7.9	-4.4	5.0	4.0	3.6	5.3	3.0	-1.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	7.3	4.0	-.4	-.1	2.3	7.1	2.1	1.6	-2.1
Other poultry including turkey ²	1.4	7.4	1.2	.9	12.4	4.6	1.0	-.5	5.1
Fish and seafood	4.7	7.7	.0	4.2	6.8	-.1	4.6	4.3	-.6
Fresh fish and seafood ²	5.2	6.1	-1.4	7.8	5.9	-1.5	6.4	5.6	-.4
Processed fish and seafood ²	4.1	9.7	1.5	.4	7.9	1.4	2.7	3.0	-.9
Shelf stable fish and seafood ¹	3.2	15.0	3.4	-.9	6.7	6.9	-.6	1.3	.6
Frozen fish and seafood ¹	5.1	6.1	2.1	2.7	8.3	-2.2	6.4	5.2	-1.8
Eggs	32.6	-9.1	-6.6	6.1	6.4	1.1	5.8	10.7	22.8
Dairy and related products	13.4	2.7	-7.6	3.7	8.1	.5	-.5	5.3	-4.0
Milk ²	19.3	-3.3	-10.6	5.1	9.2	1.9	.1	4.3	-7.8
Fresh whole milk ¹	22.0	-4.4	-12.8	5.6	9.5	2.9	-.2	5.2	-9.0
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	16.9	-2.5	-8.4	4.7	9.0	1.0	.3	4.1	-6.7
Cheese and related products	13.0	8.4	-9.3	4.3	7.8	.1	-1.0	8.2	-3.2
Ice cream and related products	3.6	5.6	-2.1	2.6	9.0	-1.3	.6	3.5	-4.1
Other dairy and related products ²	11.8	2.6	-3.8	1.4	6.0	.1	-1.5	3.7	.3
Fruits and vegetables	5.9	3.4	-3.0	1.4	2.3	1.8	-.1	3.2	-2.0

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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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Fresh fruits and vegetables	6.4	0.6	-3.9	2.2	0.9	2.3	-0.3	4.1	-3.5
Fresh fruits	5.8	-1.9	-3.7	3.1	-.5	5.5	-2.0	3.6	-2.6
Apples	5.9	3.9	-9.9	3.8	7.1	13.3	-6.1	-2.3	7.1
Bananas	4.5	15.8	-8.4	1.9	3.6	.0	-1.1	-.7	.6
Citrus fruits ² .....	.9	.1	.1	9.1	-3.8	3.2	2.8	5.4	15.4
Oranges, including tangerines ¹	-5.9	3.9	4.3	4.5	.2	3.3	4.6	3.7	21.8
Other fresh fruits ²	8.2	-9.0	-1.3	1.3	-3.0	5.7	-2.9	6.2	-16.8
Fresh vegetables	7.0	3.2	-4.0	1.2	2.4	-1.2	1.7	4.6	-4.7
Potatoes	3.0	22.1	-16.9	5.4	7.4	-7.4	7.2	-1.8	10.6
Lettuce	4.8	1.6	9.8	-7.4	.0	-3.2	2.0	4.4	-7.3
Tomatoes	18.9	-10.8	3.2	-10.5	1.3	4.8	-.2	16.5	-18.7
Other fresh vegetables	4.3	3.6	-5.5	6.9	1.9	-.7	.6	2.3	-2.8
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	4.0	13.5	-.3	-1.0	7.0	.1	-.3	.4	3.3
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	4.0	16.5	1.0	-1.7	5.7	.5	2.2	-.2	3.8
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	2.8	10.6	.6	-2.6	8.3	1.6	1.2	.5	4.7
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	4.7	19.1	1.6	-1.4	4.9	-.5	2.8	.0	3.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	3.3	8.0	-3.3	.2	9.8	-1.4	-2.4	1.5	2.7
Frozen vegetables ¹ .....	.6	8.8	-3.5	.0	9.1	-2.2	-2.2	.9	3.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	5.5	14.5	.5	-.7	6.0	1.6	.0	.2	2.8
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	12.5	26.8	.1	-2.5	13.8	1.1	-1.0	4.6	1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	3.5	5.9	-.9	-1.2	5.8	-.2	-1.4	.7	.6
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	3.5	7.3	-1.2	-1.9	4.3	.7	-.5	.1	.4
Carbonated drinks	3.4	9.3	.5	-1.5	6.3	.0	-2.2	1.4	1.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	13.4	3.9	.8	-.3	13.1	-1.0	2.9	2.3	.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	3.0	5.4	-3.0	-2.2	2.5	1.2	.5	-1.0	-.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	3.4	3.4	-.4	.8	10.5	-2.7	-4.3	2.6	1.2
Coffee	5.6	6.2	-2.8	2.5	19.3	-4.3	-7.6	3.6	2.0
Roasted coffee ¹	8.7	4.6	-2.1	3.4	20.9	-4.5	-9.0	4.2	3.2
Instant and freeze dried coffee ¹	-2.4	12.6	-5.0	1.1	10.1	-3.9	-1.5	.2	-3.5
Other beverage materials including tea ²	2.3	1.8	.9	-.7	2.2	-.1	.6	1.0	-.1
Other food at home	3.2	9.3	-.1	.1	5.5	2.0	-.4	1.5	1.5
Sugar and sweets	3.6	8.2	2.8	2.2	3.8	1.1	-2.6	1.1	3.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-.5	6.5	3.8	6.8	3.9	-1.3	-9.2	.2	7.8
Candy and chewing gum ²	4.8	8.5	2.8	1.3	3.1	1.5	-.6	1.8	2.8
Other sweets ²	3.4	8.7	1.8	.9	6.2	2.3	-2.0	-.2	1.5
Fats and oils	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.6	13.5	1.7	-2.4	1.0	-.5
Butter and margarine ²	6.1	18.9	-7.7	9.3	11.1	-.5	-.6	11.6	-1.1
Butter ¹	2.2	8.1	-11.5	21.9	1.9	-2.6	-.9	22.5	-3.1
Margarine ¹	9.5	27.0	-4.8	1.2	20.3	1.6	-2.5	2.6	.6
Salad dressing ²	3.6	10.5	.6	1.8	7.9	.2	-1.7	-4.3	-.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	6.6	20.9	-5.5	-3.0	18.5	4.0	-3.8	-2.5	-.2
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	8.7	13.5	-1.0	-4.1	27.2	13.8	-7.5	-3.6	-3.7
Other foods	2.6	8.3	.0	-.5	4.5	2.2	.2	1.7	1.4
Soups	-.1	8.8	-2.2	-1.5	2.5	.4	.0	-.6	8.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	3.8	6.6	-.8	-1.3	3.0	-.2	-1.0	1.9	-.2
Snacks	4.5	12.9	1.5	.3	7.4	3.7	.9	1.8	2.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	3.5	6.9	2.0	-1.0	5.1	2.6	.2	2.2	4.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	5.8	2.1	3.2	-.3	9.6	.8	.7	4.8	5.7
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	4.1	13.0	-1.4	-2.6	.4	6.5	-1.8	.2	1.7
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	1.1	8.5	3.6	-.6	2.9	3.1	.4	1.7	2.0
Other condiments ¹	6.3	4.9	-2.0	7.7	10.2	2.0	-2.8	1.8	7.0
Baby food ²	3.7	5.7	-1.2	-.9	7.3	2.6	.1	2.1	-1.3
Other miscellaneous foods ² .....	.1	7.4	-1.1	.0	3.2	2.5	.5	1.6	-.9
Prepared salads ^{1 3} .....	..	5.7	1.6	-.1	3.1	2.2	3.0	3.9	.4
Food away from home	4.0	5.0	1.9	1.3	2.9	2.5	2.1	3.0	1.5
Full service meals and snacks ²	3.9	3.9	1.8	1.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	3.1	1.6
Limited service meals and snacks ²	4.1	6.0	1.8	1.0	3.1	2.6	2.0	3.2	1.6
Food at employee sites and schools ²	2.8	5.8	2.8	2.5	3.5	3.4	2.5	1.8	-3.5
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{1 4}	3.2	6.2	2.8	2.5	3.4	3.6	2.1	2.3	-5.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ²	3.4	6.8	2.5	2.2	2.7	2.6	1.2	.5	1.5

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Other food away from home ²	4.8	5.7	1.9	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.0	3.4
Alcoholic beverages	3.8	4.4	1.9	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	3.3	4.4	1.5	.1	.3	1.1	1.5	.7	-3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	4.3	5.3	2.6	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.3	.7	-5
Distilled spirits at home .....	.6	2.7	1.8	-5	.1	.2	1.6	.9	.1
Whiskey at home ¹	2.3	4.0	2.6	-1.3	3.2	.0	2.6	1.5	.0
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ¹ .....	.2	1.2	2.1	.1	-1.0	.5	1.1	.8	-1
Wine at home	3.2	3.8	.0	-1.2	-1.2	.8	.5	.6	-2
Alcoholic beverages away from home	4.6	4.5	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.0	2.3	2.2	.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2}	3.4	4.0	2.8	2.5	1.7	2.3	2.2	2.1	.8
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	5.8	5.1	2.5	1.6	1.3	3.2	2.4	2.0	.9
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	5.8	3.8	1.7	1.1	4.0	3.4	2.7	2.2	2.5
Housing	3.0	2.4	-.3	.3	1.9	1.7	2.2	2.5	2.0
Shelter	3.1	1.9	.3	.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.4
Rent of primary residence ⁵	4.0	3.4	.7	.8	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.4	2.2
Lodging away from home ²	4.6	-3.3	-5.0	2.5	2.0	.7	1.2	6.3	14.2
Housing at school, excluding board ^{5 6}	5.1	4.7	5.0	4.2	3.9	4.2	3.4	2.7	1.5
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	4.5	-3.8	-5.7	2.0	1.5	-.2	.6	7.3	17.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	2.8	2.1	.7	.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	2.8	2.1	.7	.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.0
Tenants' and household insurance ²	-.1	2.6	3.2	1.9	2.6	3.4	2.6	5.6	.9
Fuels and utilities	5.4	6.0	-3.0	1.8	2.4	.4	2.7	3.0	1.2
Household energy	5.3	5.9	-4.9	.8	1.8	-1.1	2.4	2.5	.6
Fuel oil and other fuels	28.3	-14.4	2.5	13.5	14.3	-1.4	2.9	-13.7	-19.4
Fuel oil	32.5	-21.0	6.5	16.5	18.0	3.6	-1.8	-19.1	-21.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁷	19.2	-.3	-4.2	7.9	6.8	-11.7	14.0	-4.6	-16.1
Energy services ⁵	3.4	7.7	-5.4	-.1	.8	-1.1	2.4	3.7	1.8
Electricity ⁵	5.2	8.6	-.5	.7	2.2	-.5	3.2	3.1	5.6
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	-.4	5.5	-18.1	-2.8	-3.7	-2.9	-.1	5.8	-10.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	5.4	6.5	5.6	5.7	4.7	5.7	3.6	4.6	3.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁵	5.6	7.0	6.9	6.8	5.3	6.7	3.8	5.6	3.6
Garbage and trash collection ⁸	4.8	5.0	2.2	2.3	2.8	2.9	2.9	1.4	1.1
Household furnishings and operations	-.7	2.0	-1.1	-2.5	1.0	.0	-1.4	-.9	-.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens ²	-3.2	-4.7	-3.2	-7.0	.3	-3.9	-3.6	-3.6	-1.6
Floor coverings ²	-.3	1.3	-2.7	-3.6	1.3	-3.8	-2.9	.8	.4
Window coverings ²	-2.6	-.5	-6.2	-8.2	.8	1.1	-1.1	-2.3	-7.6
Other linens ²	-4.2	-8.5	-1.5	-7.4	-.3	-6.3	-5.0	-5.2	-.2
Furniture and bedding	-2.1	-.1	.0	-4.5	2.0	-.4	-2.3	-1.6	-1.3
Bedroom furniture	-1.6	.4	-2.4	-1.7	2.2	-2.9	-.9	-2.4	-1.2
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ²	-1.9	-1.2	1.9	-3.6	1.9	.1	-.7	-1.9	-1.9
Other furniture ²	-3.4	1.9	-.8	-11.4	2.0	2.9	-8.7	.8	.1
Infants' furniture ^{1 4}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ²	1.4	1.4	-2.6	-4.1	1.5	1.9	-3.8	-5.2	-1.4
Major appliances ²	2.8	2.1	-2.9	-4.7	3.2	3.9	-5.8	-6.9	-2.2
Laundry equipment ¹	3.2	.5	-3.3	-6.1	4.0	7.8	-9.1	-7.4	-1.9
Other appliances ²	-.5	.2	-2.1	-3.2	-1.0	-.8	-.9	-3.1	-.4
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	-4.8	-.2	-3.5	-4.7	-3.9	-2.4	-4.5	-3.9	-.9
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	-9.6	-2.2	-5.1	-6.8	-6.7	-3.7	-7.1	-5.8	-2.3
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	2.0	4.7	-2.9	-1.0	1.3	-.5	-.7	1.9	-1.2
Dishes and flatware ²	-2.6	-.8	-2.3	-7.6	-6.6	-3.5	-3.2	-6.7	7.4
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	3.0	2.1	.3	.7	.6	.1	-2.2	-3.7	-.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	-1.1	.3	-1.5	-2.1	.7	.3	-.7	.1	-.5
Tools, hardware and supplies ²	-1.1	.5	-2.5	-.9	2.6	1.0	.4	.8	-1.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	-1.0	-.1	-1.1	-2.7	.0	-.1	-1.1	-.3	-.2
Housekeeping supplies	1.5	6.9	.3	.2	3.2	.4	-1.0	-.8	-.2
Household cleaning products ²	-.2	7.0	1.4	-1.6	3.2	-.8	-2.3	-.9	-.6
Household paper products ²	3.8	11.4	.7	3.3	2.7	2.3	.6	-.7	-.1
Miscellaneous household products ²	2.0	3.5	-1.4	.0	3.6	.2	-.7	-.7	.3
Household operations ²	2.2	6.0	-.3	.3	1.4	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.8
Domestic services ²	1.7	2.9	.4	1.0	.1	1.7	3.2	1.2	.6
Gardening and lawn care services ²	-	-	-	-.6	1.5	1.9	.9	4.4	2.3

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	-0.1	-0.8	-2.2	-0.2	0.7	2.9	0.2	2.1	10.1
Repair of household items ²	4.2	4.9	3.3	.	.	4.3	3.5	4.0	1.2
Apparel	-3	-1.0	1.9	-1.1	4.6	1.8	.6	-2.0	.5
Men's and boys' apparel	-1.0	-1.1	-1	-8	5.7	2.2	.9	-3.0	.7
Men's apparel	-2.4	-1.5	.5	-7	5.6	1.2	.7	-3.0	2.2
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	1.0	-4.4	-2.0	.0	.0	-1.2	2.5	-7.1	8.1
Men's furnishings	-3.8	5.8	1.6	1.2	6.9	4.3	1.7	-2.4	.7
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	-7.1	-4.0	1.8	-3.6	7.5	-1.0	.0	-4.5	-3.5
Men's pants and shorts	1.4	-3.4	-4	.8	5.9	2.5	-9	1.1	7.1
Boys' apparel	4.2	.2	-2.3	-1.4	6.4	6.1	1.6	-2.7	-4.6
Women's and girls' apparel	-7	-3.6	2.7	-2.4	4.9	1.0	1.8	-3.6	-7
Women's apparel	-9	-3.5	2.9	-2.1	4.0	1.1	3.2	-3.5	-3
Women's outerwear	-4.9	-9	4.8	-1.6	4.2	3.1	6.9	3.6	-9.3
Women's dresses	2.7	-4.0	1.3	-5.3	3.9	2.2	7.1	1.6	-1.7
Women's suits and separates ²	-3	-5.3	1.6	-3.6	1.6	1.9	2.4	-8.2	1.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	-2.3	-3	5.4	1.7	8.3	-1.0	1.9	-3	1.1
Girls' apparel .....	.7	-4.4	1.6	-3.6	9.3	.3	-5.1	-4.0	-2.5
Footwear	-6	1.5	3.5	-1.5	1.3	4.4	-1.0	2.8	.8
Men's footwear	-2.0	3.9	1.7	-8	2.7	4.0	-6	1.8	1.5
Boys' and girls' footwear	2.1	4.6	1.6	.6	1.6	3.3	1.8	6.1	-1.0
Women's footwear	-9	-1.5	5.8	-2.9	.1	5.3	-2.6	1.7	1.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	-3	-1.1	.1	-1	4.9	1.4	-1.7	.4	4.1
Jewelry and watches ⁷	4.0	6.9	1.9	5.4	7.0	-9	-3	-4.3	4.2
Watches ⁷	-1.7	3.3	-2.7	-7	1.3	4.6	.6	-1.0	4.0
Jewelry ⁷	5.0	7.5	2.6	6.5	7.8	-2.9	-7	-5.1	4.3
Transportation	8.3	-13.3	14.4	5.3	5.2	1.6	.5	-6.2	1.8
Private transportation	8.3	-14.4	15.3	5.3	5.3	1.5	.5	-6.4	2.1
New and used motor vehicles ² .....	.0	-3.5	5.5	.6	2.8	-1	.7	-9	1.8
New vehicles	-3	-3.2	4.9	-2	3.2	1.6	.4	.5	.1
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	-3	-3.2	4.9	-2	3.2	1.6	.4	.6	.1
New cars ¹	-4	-1.1	3.6	-1.1	4.0	1.1	-6	-1	-3
New trucks ^{1 8}	-2	-5.3	6.6	1.0	2.3	2.1	1.4	1.3	.4
Used cars and trucks .....	.5	-8.1	9.2	3.7	4.0	-2.0	2.0	-4.2	6.3
Leased cars and trucks ¹⁰ .....	.6	6.0	.0	-4.3	-2.9	-4.0	-3.2	-1	-3.2
Car and truck rental ²	-1.2	3.7	6.3	-7	-5	.9	1.0	.0	11.0
Motor fuel	29.5	-42.2	50.7	13.9	10.3	1.7	-1.0	-20.8	2.7
Gasoline (all types)	29.6	-43.1	53.5	13.8	9.9	1.7	-1.0	-21.0	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹	29.7	-44.0	55.2	14.1	10.0	1.6	-1.2	-21.6	2.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 11}	29.6	-41.7	50.9	13.4	9.9	1.8	-8	-19.6	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	28.6	-40.0	47.5	12.8	9.9	2.3	-1	-18.3	5.0
Other motor fuels ²	24.1	-25.1	9.2	15.7	19.3	1.6	-2.1	-11.9	-20.8
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	3.7	7.4	1.3	3.3	5.9	.9	-2.1	-7	-6
Tires	2.8	6.0	1.3	4.1	6.5	.2	-3.7	-1.9	-9
Vehicle accessories other than tires ²	5.1	9.6	1.3	1.9	5.0	2.3	1.4	1.7	.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ¹	4.6	6.4	1.8	.7	3.0	2.5	1.6	1.5	.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ¹	7.2	24.0	-1.9	6.4	13.9	2.8	-2	2.4	-8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	3.3	5.9	2.5	1.9	2.2	1.3	1.6	2.1	.8
Motor vehicle body work	3.5	3.9	2.3	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.1	2.1	.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	3.0	7.2	2.3	.9	2.3	1.9	1.0	2.2	.2
Motor vehicle repair ²	3.5	5.1	2.7	2.7	2.2	.7	2.1	2.0	1.4
Motor vehicle insurance .....	.5	4.0	4.7	4.4	3.4	4.7	3.3	4.7	2.7
Motor vehicle fees ²	2.0	3.9	10.9	1.4	1.9	2.2	1.6	.3	2.3
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{2 5}	1.3	2.5	14.2	1.4	1.3	-5	1.1	-1.0	2.9
Parking and other fees ²	3.7	6.1	5.4	1.4	3.0	6.4	2.5	2.2	1.4
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	4.6	8.6	6.4	1.4	3.8	8.4	2.8	2.7	1.7
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	1.0	-1.7	1.5	1.2	1.7	2.3	.3	-4	.8
Public transportation	7.2	1.8	3.2	4.9	3.8	2.4	-1	-2.9	-1.5
Airline fare	10.6	1.4	4.3	5.8	4.5	2.1	-1.4	-4.7	-3.3
Other intercity transportation	1.3	-8	-4.1	3.0	-5	1.3	.8	-7	.9

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Intercity bus fare ^{1 3}	-	8.2	0.4	6.1	4.1	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ^{1 3}	-	8.3	-2.3	8.9	-6.7	9.4	-3.9	3.8	-5.0
Ship fare ^{1 2}	2.3	-8.0	-3.5	-3.3	1.1	-3.1	1.7	-1.9	2.4
Intracity transportation	2.1	5.1	5.0	3.1	4.3	3.8	3.4	1.1	1.9
Intracity mass transit ^{1 12}	-	-	-	4.5	4.5	3.1	3.9	1.1	2.1
Medical care	5.2	2.6	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.2	2.0	3.0	1.6
Medical care commodities	2.7	1.6	3.3	2.9	3.2	1.7	.3	4.8	1.9
Medicinal drugs ¹²	-	-	-	3.1	3.4	1.6	.4	5.0	2.0
Prescription drugs	3.3	1.5	4.4	4.1	4.1	1.9	.8	6.4	2.7
Nonprescription drugs ¹²	-	-	-	-1.0	.1	.7	-1.3	-.2	-.5
Medical equipment and supplies ¹²	-	-	-	-.1	-.4	1.9	-1.6	.9	-1.1
Medical care services	5.9	3.0	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.7	2.5	2.4	1.5
Professional services	4.2	3.0	2.5	2.7	2.2	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.2
Physicians' services ⁵	4.1	2.9	2.5	3.4	2.7	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.3
Dental services ⁵	5.8	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.2	2.8	2.8	1.8	2.5
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁷	1.5	.3	1.7	.3	.7	.3	1.2	2.6	-1.1
Services by other medical professionals ^{5 7}	3.1	3.8	1.8	1.8	1.3	.8	2.1	2.0	-.1
Hospital and related services	8.1	5.4	7.1	6.7	5.3	4.6	3.9	4.5	2.0
Hospital services ^{5 13}	8.3	5.9	7.7	7.6	5.8	4.9	4.2	4.9	2.0
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 5 13}	7.6	5.7	7.7	9.2	6.2	4.2	4.4	5.5	1.9
Outpatient hospital services ^{1 5 7}	9.9	5.6	8.2	5.1	5.0	5.5	3.8	4.5	1.6
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{5 13}	4.8	3.2	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.6	3.0	2.9	2.7
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁴	3.4	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.9	.9	.3	1.8	.7
Health insurance ⁴	8.8	-3.5	-3.0	-4.0	6.1	9.9	.9	-5	.9
Recreation ² .....	.8	1.8	-.4	-.8	1.0	.8	.4	.0	1.1
Video and audio ²	-.1	-1.0	-1.7	-2.7	1.1	.3	.5	-.3	.6
Televisions	-18.3	-19.4	-27.4	-19.1	-17.1	-17.5	-13.9	-16.7	-6.9
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁸	2.5	1.8	2.3	.3	3.8	3.6	2.7	2.2	1.2
Other video equipment ²	-13.0	-14.4	-10.0	-13.5	-10.9	-12.0	-7.1	-.8	-.1
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ² .....	.5	2.3	-3.3	-2.7	7.1	-3.4	-5.3	-3.0	3.1
Video discs and other media ^{1 2}	-6.0	-5.1	-8.3	-7.6	-1.1	-6.4	-9.9	-6.3	3.0
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2}	4.0	5.9	-.7	1.3	15.0	-.5	-.6	1.4	2.4
Audio equipment	-4.8	-4.9	-4.8	-4.0	-6.2	-6.3	-3.8	-7.3	-1.4
Audio discs, tapes and other media ²	-.7	-.6	-9.0	-3.0	-3.1	-.9	2.4	-3.6	-1.4
Pets, pet products and services ²	5.5	9.7	1.8	1.2	3.6	1.6	1.3	1.2	.2
Pets and pet products	4.9	12.2	.9	-.7	2.9	1.0	.3	.3	-1.8
Pet food ^{1 2}	5.4	15.5	1.0	-.1	3.6	2.9	1.1	.4	-2.9
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2}	3.1	2.9	.6	-2.4	2.2	-2.4	-.7	.4	-.7
Pet services including veterinary ²	6.3	6.1	3.1	4.7	4.9	2.4	2.9	2.7	3.4
Pet services ^{1 2}	4.1	6.7	1.3	2.0	4.5	2.2	3.0	1.8	2.6
Veterinarian services ^{1 2}	7.0	6.2	3.9	4.8	4.6	2.4	3.2	2.9	3.7
Sporting goods	-.9	3.0	-1.1	-.5	.0	1.0	-1.5	-2.2	.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles	-.3	1.0	-.2	2.1	3.7	1.6	-.6	-1.1	2.6
Sports equipment	-1.8	5.6	-2.3	-3.5	-4.5	.4	-2.5	-3.1	-1.5
Photography ²	-3.5	-1.8	.5	-3.5	2.3	-3.6	-.9	.0	-1.1
Photographic equipment and supplies	-6.9	-6.1	-2.2	-10.3	.0	-7.6	-3.9	-2.2	-1.6
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2}	2.1	.7	2.9	-.6	7.7	5.0	3.5	23.4	-1.8
Photographic equipment ^{1 2}	-14.7	-9.3	-3.8	-13.6	-1.7	-8.9	-5.6	-6.1	-1.1
Photographers and film processing ²	-.4	2.0	2.7	1.5	3.9	.3	1.7	2.2	-.7
Photographer fees ^{1 2}	2.1	.7	2.5	-1.6	5.0	.0	1.8	1.1	-1.3
Film processing ^{1 2}	-.8	2.3	3.9	3.4	3.3	.3	1.4	3.8	.8
Other recreational goods ²	-5.3	-4.2	-3.2	-3.6	-3.2	-4.1	-4.5	-3.8	-2.9
Toys	-5.7	-6.8	-6.2	-4.8	-4.7	-5.9	-5.3	-5.4	-3.8
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2}	-3.4	-4.9	-2.9	-4.8	-1.6	-2.7	-2.2	-2.9	-2.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ²	-6.3	1.9	4.6	1.7	4.1	3.0	-4.4	.1	-.4
Music instruments and accessories ²	-1.9	1.7	1.0	-1.2	-1.2	.8	1.5	2.4	.2
Other recreation services ²	2.4	2.4	.2	.9	.7	2.3	1.1	.8	3.3
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ²	1.5	.9	-1.7	.3	1.8	.4	1.6	.4	2.6
Admissions	2.4	3.1	.9	1.3	-.3	4.2	1.3	.7	4.3

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2}	2.0	2.6	0.8	1.6	-0.1	3.7	1.3	0.4	2.5
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	4.7	5.7	1.0	.8	-6	6.2	2.3	2.7	7.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁷	3.8	3.7	2.7	1.1	.5	3.4	.3	2.0	1.5
Recreational reading materials	1.1	3.5	2.8	-.5	.4	2.4	3.0	2.2	1.0
Newspapers and magazines ²	1.4	4.8	4.9	.2	2.9	6.2	5.5	4.8	1.1
Recreational books ²	-.7	1.9	.2	-1.3	-2.5	-2.1	-.3	-.9	.9
Education and communication ²	3.0	3.6	2.4	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.6	.4	.6
Education ²	5.6	5.6	4.7	3.9	4.6	3.8	3.5	3.3	2.5
Educational books and supplies	8.7	7.0	6.9	3.5	5.2	7.0	5.0	4.6	2.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	5.4	5.5	4.5	4.0	4.6	3.6	3.4	3.2	2.6
College tuition and fees	6.1	5.8	6.0	4.1	6.0	4.0	3.9	3.4	2.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	5.5	6.1	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.8	4.0	2.5
Child care and nursery school ⁹	3.9	5.0	2.3	3.7	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.2	3.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	4.9	3.4	3.8	4.1	5.6	2.9	3.0	1.8	.7
Communication ²	-.2	1.7	.1	-1.1	-1.1	-.6	-.2	-2.0	-1.1
Postage and delivery services ²	4.4	3.2	5.0	2.0	4.3	3.8	6.2	3.8	.2
Postage	3.9	3.1	5.2	1.4	3.9	3.8	6.4	4.1	.0
Delivery services ²	10.5	5.2	1.6	12.7	11.4	5.0	3.2	1.1	1.8
Information and information processing ²	-.1	1.7	-.2	-1.2	-1.4	-.8	-.5	-2.2	-1.1
Telephone services ²	2.1	2.9	1.0	-.9	-.3	.3	.0	-2.1	-.1
Wireless telephone services ²	-.9	.5	-1.1	-3.6	-2.3	-.8	-2.0	-4.0	-1.3
Land-line telephone services ¹²	-	-	-	2.2	1.9	1.9	3.0	1.8	2.2
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	-8.8	-3.0	-4.9	-2.0	-4.5	-3.3	-1.6	-2.5	-3.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ³	-13.6	-11.5	-11.9	-5.6	-12.5	-8.7	-6.6	-10.5	-4.0
Computer software and accessories ²	-6.4	-1.1	-2.5	-10.5	-1.4	-7.2	-7.1	-1.2	-.1
Internet services and electronic information providers ²	-5.2	3.7	-.3	1.0	-.5	-.3	1.5	1.6	-2.8
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ²	-8.3	-1.9	-3.4	-3.7	-5.9	-4.7	-5.1	-9.9	-9.1
Other goods and services	3.3	3.4	8.0	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.2
Tobacco and smoking products	7.5	6.3	30.1	5.6	2.3	1.9	3.2	3.0	2.4
Cigarettes ²	7.8	6.4	30.5	5.7	2.2	1.9	3.2	3.1	2.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ²	3.5	5.8	22.1	4.3	4.2	1.4	3.4	1.4	1.1
Personal care	2.2	2.6	1.5	.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	.9
Personal care products	-.5	2.0	.5	-1.0	.1	.2	.8	.3	-.6
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ²	-.3	1.1	-.1	-1.1	-1.6	.4	.8	-.3	-.1
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	-.6	3.0	1.2	-.8	1.8	-.1	.8	1.0	-1.2
Personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.8
Haircuts and other personal care services ²	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.8
Miscellaneous personal services	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.2	3.2	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.1
Legal services ⁷	2.9	4.5	3.1	3.2	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.4	1.8
Funeral expenses ⁷	4.8	5.4	3.1	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.6	1.2	2.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services ²	3.1	4.8	2.3	2.2	1.3	2.2	1.2	2.2	1.7
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ²	3.6	7.4	4.1	2.5	5.2	1.3	3.5	1.8	1.2
Financial services ⁷	3.9	-5.5	1.7	.8	7.1	2.6	2.6	3.5	3.2
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	2.5	-5.8	1.6	1.8	7.3	3.9	4.7	.1	1.8
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2}	4.3	4.9	1.6	2.1	5.7	1.8	3.4	6.1	3.6
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	-.7	1.4	.6	-1.8	-1.0	-.6	-2.2	-.6	-3.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ¹	1.6	.8	1.7	-.8	.6	.0	-1.2	.0	-4.9
Infants' equipment ^{1 4}	-1.5	3.1	-	-	-3.6	-3.7	-1.4	-.7	-1.8
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	5.2	-4.1	5.5	2.0	4.2	1.0	.2	-2.0	.7
Commodities less food and beverages	5.4	-9.6	9.4	2.3	4.0	.5	-.3	-5.2	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	10.4	-14.3	14.8	4.4	5.5	1.2	-.1	-7.3	.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	14.2	-18.5	19.8	6.2	5.8	1.1	-.3	-8.9	.8

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Special aggregate indexes									
Durables	-1.1	-2.9	2.5	-0.9	1.6	-0.6	-0.8	-2.0	0.6
Services	3.3	3.0	.9	1.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.0
Rent of shelter ⁶	3.1	1.9	.3	.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.4
Transportation services	2.5	4.1	3.9	2.8	2.5	2.6	1.7	1.7	1.1
Other services	3.2	3.5	2.1	1.4	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.2	1.5
All items less food	4.0	-8	3.3	1.5	2.7	1.7	1.6	.3	1.6
All items less shelter	4.5	-8	3.9	2.0	3.5	1.5	1.0	-3	1.1
All items less medical care	4.0	-1	2.7	1.4	2.9	1.6	1.5	.6	1.5
Commodities less food	5.3	-9.1	9.0	2.2	3.9	.6	-2	-5.0	.7
Nondurables less food	9.9	-13.1	13.8	4.2	5.2	1.3	.0	-6.7	.7
Nondurables less food and apparel	13.2	-16.6	17.9	5.7	5.4	1.1	-1	-8.0	.7
Nondurables	7.5	-4.5	6.6	3.0	5.0	1.5	.5	-2.0	.7
Apparel less footwear	-3	-1.6	1.6	-1.0	5.4	1.1	1.0	-3.2	.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	3.6	4.3	1.6	2.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.6
Services less medical care services	3.1	3.0	.7	1.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.1
Energy	17.4	-21.3	18.2	7.7	6.6	.5	.5	-10.6	1.7
All items less energy	2.8	2.4	1.4	.9	2.6	1.9	1.6	1.9	1.5
All items less food and energy	2.4	1.8	1.8	.8	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.6
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.1	-6	3.0	-4	2.2	.3	-1	-8	.5
Energy commodities	29.4	-40.5	46.5	13.9	10.6	1.5	-8	-20.5	1.5
Services less energy services	3.3	2.7	1.4	1.3	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.0
Domestically produced farm food	6.0	6.5	-2.7	2.0	6.0	1.5	.5	4.1	.1
Utilities and public transportation	3.6	5.0	-8	1.0	1.7	1.1	1.7	1.4	1.1

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

⁸ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.
⁹ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.
¹⁰ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.
¹¹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
¹² Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.
¹³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
¹⁴ 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	214.623	214.750	215.262
2011	216.400	217.535	220.024	221.743	222.954	222.522	222.686	223.326	223.688	223.043	222.813	222.166
2012	223.216	224.317	226.304	227.012	226.600	226.036	225.568	227.056	228.184	227.974	226.595	225.889
2013	226.520	228.677	229.323	228.949	229.399	230.002	230.084	230.359	230.537	229.735	229.133	229.174
2014	230.040	230.871	232.560	233.443	234.216	234.702	234.525	234.030	234.170	233.229	231.551	229.909
2015	228.294	229.421	231.055	231.520	232.908	233.804	233.806	233.366	-	-	-	-

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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	214.507	213.967	1.7	2.1
2011	220.196	222.954	221.575	3.2	3.6
2012	225.581	226.878	226.229	1.7	2.1
2013	228.812	229.837	229.324	1.5	1.4
2014	232.639	232.902	232.771	.3	1.5
2015	231.167	-	-	-	-

- 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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
All items	205.777	204.813	211.703	215.262	222.166	225.889	229.174	229.909	233.366
All items (1967=100)	612.948	610.075	630.600	641.200	661.766	672.854	682.639	684.828	695.127
Food and beverages	206.141	218.269	217.186	220.508	230.642	234.618	237.159	245.124	246.657
Food	205.855	218.155	216.679	220.062	230.624	234.563	236.986	245.277	246.884
Food at home	204.141	217.498	212.041	215.748	228.925	231.803	232.795	241.683	242.163
Cereals and bakery products	226.696	253.759	251.570	251.419	266.752	268.730	270.252	271.629	276.182
Cereals and cereal products	196.937	223.504	220.044	217.960	233.774	232.390	231.576	230.665	235.761
Flour and prepared flour mixes	190.120	229.039	218.595	216.090	242.361	247.489	240.702	237.336	245.828
Breakfast cereal	208.175	218.381	218.580	215.560	229.605	228.020	228.527	231.348	230.999
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	184.496	233.048	226.081	225.782	241.336	237.827	236.516	230.829	243.014
Bakery products	243.149	270.252	268.885	269.887	284.843	289.468	292.823	295.666	299.827
Bread ¹	147.613	166.349	160.563	162.997	173.485	176.421	178.121	180.437	179.883
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	140.373	159.319	155.735	158.627	168.910	171.077	171.941	175.492	177.094
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	228.155	247.775	254.648	253.730	265.148	267.573	273.187	275.230	279.398
Other bakery products	219.795	243.351	244.918	242.901	255.346	261.202	263.552	264.438	272.865
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	198.489	208.639	200.623	211.858	228.845	232.186	238.792	261.393	263.825
Meats, poultry, and fish	196.452	208.480	200.836	212.009	229.209	232.678	238.877	261.293	259.656
Meats	195.296	206.941	196.375	210.850	231.020	232.491	237.970	268.934	266.810
Beef and veal	213.259	227.130	216.156	229.728	256.334	268.107	272.763	324.641	327.582
Uncooked ground beef	186.988	207.556	194.559	206.820	232.246	245.269	249.429	297.779	294.093
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	154.068	162.136	157.240	165.223	186.482	192.911	198.711	238.855	238.704
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	153.152	155.559	148.214	156.178	172.906	179.664	181.311	212.144	221.198
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	147.341	156.835	154.481	171.694	187.851	196.242	201.840	249.027	246.665
Pork	177.887	186.701	172.260	191.689	207.457	200.699	209.586	226.887	217.825
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	125.971	128.835	121.794	136.610	148.085	144.686	156.556	160.773	156.387
Ham	176.895	186.378	171.729	192.294	202.592	197.115	201.065	227.233	216.995
Pork chops	167.784	178.092	163.913	176.129	191.845	185.916	190.988	209.588	195.815
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹ ..	108.820	116.862	104.617	118.084	129.836	122.970	125.345	140.864	136.001
Other meats	186.035	197.514	193.620	201.515	215.574	212.346	213.609	229.562	229.113
Poultry	194.314	205.506	202.388	204.468	213.483	226.209	232.134	236.400	235.973
Chicken ¹	127.898	134.854	132.050	133.549	137.294	145.913	150.253	153.544	151.635
Other poultry including turkey ¹	114.166	122.553	124.030	124.644	140.081	146.708	148.495	148.486	156.643
Fish and seafood	223.236	239.504	239.238	249.371	266.290	266.388	277.170	289.026	287.639
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	132.570	139.815	137.987	148.706	158.079	156.030	164.751	174.169	174.134
Processed fish and seafood ¹	115.420	126.376	127.997	128.635	138.066	139.863	143.529	147.750	146.391
Eggs	234.691	212.916	198.504	210.890	224.323	225.725	238.598	263.969	325.436
Dairy and related products	205.149	209.922	193.546	200.958	217.503	218.289	217.377	228.845	219.362
Milk ¹	149.236	144.176	128.979	135.635	148.167	150.914	151.035	157.596	145.075
Cheese and related products	200.799	217.373	196.937	205.729	222.204	221.845	219.459	237.541	229.946
Ice cream and related products	189.727	200.306	195.768	200.811	218.938	215.808	216.838	224.677	215.972
Other dairy and related products ¹	136.149	139.820	134.414	136.060	144.184	144.064	142.755	148.249	148.492
Fruits and vegetables	269.533	278.835	270.279	273.977	280.711	285.426	284.878	294.154	289.550
Fresh fruits and vegetables	322.717	324.316	311.627	318.535	321.559	328.790	327.744	341.236	330.881
Fresh fruits	338.490	333.638	319.843	331.197	329.693	348.347	340.760	351.893	347.541
Apples	294.385	304.463	275.345	286.422	305.927	347.452	324.578	315.081	338.262
Bananas	183.352	212.173	194.027	197.763	206.769	207.308	203.683	202.555	204.066
Citrus fruits ¹	183.278	181.951	182.025	199.921	191.842	199.529	204.682	215.593	248.951
Other fresh fruits ¹	133.873	121.829	119.566	121.370	117.671	124.514	120.704	128.108	106.784
Fresh vegetables	306.165	313.763	302.178	304.975	312.122	308.054	313.466	329.457	312.712
Potatoes	275.821	331.842	276.458	292.452	314.226	290.893	311.670	305.645	337.263
Lettuce	286.234	291.564	318.530	296.068	293.170	283.580	288.781	302.841	281.405
Tomatoes	373.203	333.609	342.058	305.839	309.725	325.170	325.830	380.425	306.426
Other fresh vegetables	302.224	311.812	296.805	316.814	322.774	319.611	321.349	329.820	321.256
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	127.813	145.395	144.715	143.046	153.196	153.165	153.460	154.262	159.308
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	127.130	148.284	149.616	146.637	155.090	155.509	158.742	158.743	164.431
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	127.862	138.253	133.373	133.137	146.424	144.290	140.690	142.873	147.152
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	128.005	147.495	148.254	147.658	156.566	158.799	158.021	158.851	163.284
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	152.883	162.280	160.745	158.654	167.577	167.396	165.279	166.368	167.304
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	118.208	126.985	125.475	123.140	128.539	129.305	128.563	128.699	129.329
Carbonated drinks	139.574	152.766	153.097	151.169	160.314	160.021	156.585	158.557	161.727
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	143.862	149.813	151.411	150.567	169.736	166.765	170.817	173.843	174.387
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	114.191	120.279	116.782	114.010	117.202	118.654	119.206	118.247	117.500

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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	109.188	112.847	112.401	113.213	124.511	121.371	116.867	119.747	120.698
Coffee	173.838	184.976	180.716	185.246	221.033	212.347	196.492	203.453	206.738
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	121.348	123.678	124.344	123.445	126.128	125.194	126.305	127.608	127.194
Other food at home	173.511	189.527	189.197	189.176	199.694	203.881	202.913	205.682	208.594
Sugar and sweets	177.051	192.120	197.258	202.206	209.639	212.131	206.322	208.545	216.136
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	162.645	172.947	179.629	191.871	199.828	197.773	179.489	179.356	193.335
Candy and chewing gum ¹	117.281	127.765	131.090	133.051	136.786	139.034	138.303	141.052	145.094
Other sweets ¹	126.657	138.694	141.020	142.247	151.007	154.507	151.325	150.815	152.808
Fats and oils	176.736	207.439	198.165	200.925	229.065	233.357	227.606	229.186	228.074
Butter and margarine ¹	138.383	164.119	151.702	165.597	183.995	182.772	181.154	202.599	200.068
Salad dressing ¹	113.763	126.045	126.582	128.929	139.419	139.494	137.087	131.192	130.949
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	125.513	151.538	143.034	139.055	165.720	173.291	166.643	162.750	162.434
Other foods	188.646	203.937	203.972	202.520	211.835	216.706	217.259	220.591	223.496
Soups	211.526	229.108	226.023	222.929	229.725	229.998	229.301	227.653	247.054
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	154.768	164.905	163.260	160.963	165.710	166.019	164.578	167.149	166.487
Snacks	186.595	211.129	214.567	215.459	231.495	241.521	243.527	247.961	253.061
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	193.197	205.712	210.137	207.755	218.360	224.118	224.567	229.257	238.457
Baby food ¹	134.720	142.495	141.182	139.234	149.514	153.985	154.084	157.110	155.614
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	115.658	124.144	122.796	122.267	126.235	129.351	130.253	131.976	130.796
Food away from home	209.931	220.847	224.940	227.871	234.666	240.460	245.364	252.709	256.209
Full service meals and snacks ¹	132.236	137.473	139.929	141.699	145.855	149.405	152.513	157.194	159.702
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	132.893	140.911	143.384	144.718	149.167	152.935	155.947	160.896	163.477
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	128.568	135.938	139.721	143.615	148.670	153.352	157.024	160.202	150.751
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	120.269	128.848	131.785	134.439	137.958	141.612	143.035	143.566	145.826
Other food away from home ¹	144.454	153.646	156.830	161.657	165.205	167.933	171.872	175.700	181.736
Alcoholic beverages	208.934	218.445	223.168	225.592	229.467	234.059	238.636	241.499	241.886
Alcoholic beverages at home	181.999	190.471	194.523	195.108	196.560	199.561	203.001	204.122	203.504
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	186.264	196.194	201.688	203.522	206.608	210.453	215.373	216.793	215.736
Distilled spirits at home	178.085	182.474	185.979	185.610	185.703	185.723	188.044	189.974	190.254
Wine at home	161.506	167.054	166.961	164.394	163.011	164.352	165.131	165.305	165.290
Alcoholic beverages away from home	269.505	281.406	287.621	294.090	302.665	311.529	318.677	325.490	328.161
Housing	206.638	212.452	212.142	212.861	217.009	220.750	225.647	231.419	235.747
Shelter	235.480	240.752	241.991	243.120	247.858	253.331	259.780	267.261	273.223
Rent of primary residence ²	238.216	246.026	247.465	249.246	255.322	262.037	269.395	278.363	284.479
Lodging away from home ¹	133.179	129.982	124.222	127.369	129.754	131.370	133.711	142.462	163.612
Housing at school, excluding board ^{2 3}	388.209	405.966	427.153	444.580	462.442	482.179	498.200	511.922	520.662
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	276.352	267.821	253.210	258.522	261.773	262.676	266.106	285.742	336.079
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{2 3}	226.151	230.926	232.603	233.278	237.350	242.165	248.091	254.402	259.452
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{2 3}	226.151	230.926	232.603	233.278	237.342	242.160	248.086	254.395	259.439
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	117.396	120.360	124.415	127.674	130.695	135.258	138.778	146.673	147.994
Fuels and utilities	200.831	213.861	207.329	210.860	216.074	216.708	222.515	229.818	232.784
Household energy	180.379	192.050	182.701	184.079	187.586	185.467	189.929	195.457	196.975
Fuel oil and other fuels	298.656	260.185	265.130	299.558	340.375	333.782	344.361	296.616	237.526
Fuel oil	320.865	252.236	270.525	314.253	371.715	385.437	378.045	305.725	238.173
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁴	326.741	327.270	312.422	338.476	359.883	317.315	360.734	339.531	281.513
Energy services ²	183.066	197.545	187.125	187.077	189.060	187.022	191.430	198.850	202.358
Electricity ²	171.431	186.472	185.190	186.549	190.926	189.893	195.707	202.296	213.083
Utility (piped) gas service ²	220.150	232.380	190.227	185.089	178.374	173.314	173.306	183.348	162.490
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	147.186	156.864	165.808	175.008	183.178	193.651	200.734	209.939	216.373
Water and sewerage maintenance ²	315.239	337.662	360.749	384.093	404.155	430.358	446.991	471.450	488.481
Garbage and trash collection ⁵	353.370	371.080	379.734	388.794	399.257	411.626	423.660	430.085	434.783
Household furnishings and operations	121.880	124.314	123.187	120.007	121.409	121.283	119.432	117.760	117.306
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	81.035	77.171	74.826	68.986	68.578	65.830	63.580	61.126	60.220
Floor coverings ¹	117.978	120.817	116.767	112.792	113.079	110.176	107.239	108.580	108.492
Window coverings ¹	90.188	90.166	83.394	74.553	73.257	74.438	73.687	71.021	66.517
Other linens ¹	68.938	63.065	62.293	57.344	57.069	53.619	51.269	48.768	48.580
Furniture and bedding	120.204	119.826	119.684	113.905	116.870	116.053	114.412	112.381	110.852
Bedroom furniture	140.415	140.843	137.094	135.266	137.962	133.688	132.421	128.775	127.060
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	89.432	88.045	89.881	86.544	88.849	89.193	89.050	87.178	85.624
Other furniture ¹	85.686	87.286	87.092	74.938	77.694	78.645	73.398	74.514	74.494
Appliances ¹	89.909	91.480	88.684	85.043	86.302	88.123	84.433	80.111	78.963
Major appliances ¹	100.715	102.836	99.788	95.256	98.223	102.015	95.826	89.711	87.559

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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								
	December								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Other appliances ¹	75.914	76.735	74.250	71.729	70.945	70.614	69.702	67.288	67.108
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	76.170	76.086	73.849	70.769	67.548	66.052	63.253	60.401	59.519
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	67.750	66.408	63.889	60.220	55.990	53.992	50.295	47.172	45.764
Indoor plants and flowers ⁶	128.403	134.433	130.327	130.226	130.374	131.156	130.545	132.605	131.333
Dishes and flatware ¹	73.764	72.685	70.705	66.020	61.710	59.364	57.899	53.899	58.361
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	95.198	96.592	96.138	95.861	96.983	96.436	94.410	91.055	90.748
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	93.593	94.697	93.468	91.606	92.382	92.850	92.197	92.758	92.314
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	98.836	101.573	98.773	97.267	99.580	100.652	100.585	101.836	101.099
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	89.028	88.810	88.575	86.502	86.533	86.734	85.653	85.855	85.659
Housekeeping supplies	171.286	183.428	184.503	185.068	190.869	191.530	189.509	187.896	187.374
Household cleaning products ¹	113.279	121.182	123.214	121.391	125.476	124.326	121.372	120.421	119.859
Household paper products ¹	138.485	154.045	155.385	160.635	164.494	168.218	169.187	167.988	167.231
Miscellaneous household products ¹	112.593	116.635	115.123	115.257	119.293	119.762	118.902	117.573	117.827
Household operations ¹	144.659	152.814	152.486	153.116	155.744	159.460	162.758	167.868	174.306
Domestic services ¹	138.159	141.938	142.901	144.039	144.146	146.659	151.029	153.429	154.545
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	143.712	NA	157.991	156.985	159.594	161.968	163.036	170.046	172.679
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	130.180	129.074	125.137	126.254	126.708	130.234	131.426	134.592	149.643
Repair of household items ¹	168.656	177.632	184.346	NA	197.981	206.664	216.498	225.332	227.829
Apparel	118.126	117.006	118.984	117.127	123.203	125.454	125.821	123.453	123.906
Men's and boys' apparel	112.487	111.232	110.856	109.849	116.906	119.468	120.321	116.990	117.700
Men's apparel	117.412	115.849	116.346	115.252	122.518	123.899	124.601	121.365	123.772
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	122.326	115.341	113.420	113.644	114.208	113.572	116.115	109.360	116.225
Men's furnishings	127.244	135.854	137.577	138.695	149.608	156.217	158.356	153.758	155.254
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	83.798	80.130	81.777	78.513	85.095	82.591	82.882	79.075	76.446
Men's pants and shorts	107.614	105.128	104.078	104.704	110.321	114.187	112.972	114.763	122.534
Boys' apparel	97.503	97.105	94.354	93.592	99.951	105.502	106.727	103.202	99.393
Women's and girls' apparel	109.375	105.413	107.819	104.988	110.883	111.676	112.722	108.356	107.319
Women's apparel	110.682	106.699	109.343	106.528	111.341	112.474	115.265	111.044	110.343
Women's outerwear	102.975	101.095	107.200	103.647	106.156	109.952	118.764	120.323	106.590
Women's dresses	116.942	114.752	111.348	103.242	109.415	110.425	112.715	113.327	111.993
Women's suits and separates ¹	88.138	83.483	84.982	81.794	83.250	85.161	87.077	80.111	80.912
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	89.828	88.639	92.768	94.399	103.121	101.779	103.401	103.895	104.832
Girls' apparel	104.034	100.160	101.628	98.760	108.542	108.217	103.558	98.648	96.363
Footwear	122.029	124.132	128.637	125.691	128.560	134.278	133.714	137.819	138.712
Men's footwear	119.023	123.943	126.388	124.766	128.460	134.411	134.390	136.398	138.431
Boys' and girls' footwear	127.064	131.106	134.149	131.865	137.414	142.642	145.532	155.872	151.687
Women's footwear	120.533	119.224	126.162	121.689	122.180	127.988	124.836	127.130	129.972
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	116.419	115.003	115.754	115.832	121.842	123.242	120.627	120.454	123.982
Jewelry and watches ⁴	133.527	143.678	145.122	150.868	161.509	159.686	160.117	153.399	161.865
Watches ⁴	108.082	110.894	109.437	106.991	108.763	107.962	114.775	111.967	117.383
Jewelry ⁴	141.273	153.213	155.325	164.140	177.987	175.761	172.921	163.579	173.400
Transportation	189.967	160.914	186.839	197.832	209.013	212.070	213.156	198.296	203.021
Private transportation	187.159	157.272	183.565	194.477	205.607	208.476	209.564	194.522	199.431
New and used motor vehicles ¹	93.733	89.482	95.072	96.151	99.250	98.959	99.868	98.300	100.963
New vehicles	137.736	133.317	139.962	139.567	143.994	146.219	146.806	147.539	148.000
Used cars and trucks	137.791	126.526	138.242	143.377	149.207	146.317	149.178	142.918	151.955
Leased cars and trucks ⁷	92.588	97.978	97.929	92.908	90.697	87.133	84.695	84.008	81.539
Car and truck rental ¹	112.921	115.879	122.965	120.895	121.654	121.420	121.597	121.597	130.130
Motor fuel	259.032	149.650	225.584	257.025	283.528	288.453	285.377	225.866	232.269
Gasoline (all types)	257.792	146.644	225.223	256.443	281.852	286.748	283.805	224.107	231.676
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁸	257.653	144.405	224.201	255.858	281.233	285.776	282.336	221.375	228.114
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{8 9}	263.140	153.372	231.652	262.812	288.814	293.989	291.449	234.295	246.804
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	248.029	148.665	219.433	247.524	271.822	278.009	277.569	226.490	238.470
Other motor fuels ¹	249.230	186.488	203.701	235.625	281.127	286.017	279.755	246.724	193.987
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	123.786	133.295	134.892	139.150	147.223	148.644	146.075	145.589	144.768
Tires	112.172	119.029	120.562	125.379	133.406	133.645	128.653	126.464	125.252
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	132.125	144.653	146.242	149.090	156.424	160.049	162.694	165.620	165.669
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	228.692	241.855	247.812	252.759	258.355	261.517	265.939	271.386	273.585
Motor vehicle body work	235.569	246.234	253.026	259.776	264.310	270.079	276.669	283.309	282.889
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	206.152	221.590	226.521	228.471	233.972	238.035	240.268	245.819	246.223
Motor vehicle repair ¹	140.233	146.810	150.646	154.769	158.097	159.279	162.789	165.758	168.145
Motor vehicle insurance	338.071	351.694	368.294	384.794	398.980	416.914	430.911	451.553	464.275
Motor vehicle fees ¹	142.586	147.649	163.758	165.875	168.751	171.480	174.293	174.509	178.831

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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								
	December								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2}	140.582	144.018	163.318	165.445	167.414	166.357	168.311	166.473	171.714
Parking and other fees ¹	146.865	155.748	164.530	166.619	171.584	182.567	187.287	191.743	194.372
Public transportation	231.363	235.199	243.453	254.312	264.424	271.949	272.819	266.443	264.757
Airline fare	254.153	256.668	267.543	282.542	295.413	302.491	297.096	283.384	275.591
Other intercity transportation	158.532	155.828	150.317	153.250	152.731	156.258	156.079	155.073	158.143
Intracity transportation	228.979	241.010	253.521	261.427	272.673	282.912	293.952	297.170	303.181
Medical care	357.745	367.301	380.302	393.616	407.909	421.774	430.057	442.519	449.272
Medical care commodities	285.913	290.080	299.777	308.823	319.396	324.420	324.734	340.402	346.934
Medicinal drugs ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	103.126	106.778	108.432	108.602	113.985	116.291
Prescription drugs	373.019	377.458	394.125	410.486	428.440	436.159	438.412	465.855	477.843
Nonprescription drugs ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	99.020	99.051	99.604	98.342	98.263	98.030
Medical equipment and supplies ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	99.968	99.995	102.240	100.627	101.612	100.328
Medical care services	378.119	389.744	403.791	418.568	434.051	451.266	462.685	473.556	480.240
Professional services	307.333	316.435	324.763	334.032	341.593	348.168	355.070	360.632	365.086
Physicians' services ²	308.349	317.426	325.735	337.087	346.237	353.026	359.118	363.617	368.079
Dental services ²	366.759	379.634	392.030	403.376	412.575	424.076	435.608	443.297	454.226
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁴	173.615	173.932	176.615	177.187	178.336	178.863	181.076	185.300	183.727
Services by other medical professionals ^{2 4}	204.926	213.024	217.072	221.017	223.998	225.783	230.404	234.905	234.256
Hospital and related services	510.961	540.101	580.567	623.692	657.440	689.796	718.020	752.437	767.315
Hospital services ^{2 11}	189.193	200.327	215.857	232.665	245.658	257.993	268.750	282.029	287.602
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 8 11}	181.855	192.246	207.169	226.697	240.648	250.652	261.634	276.273	281.540
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 4 8}	442.799	468.195	508.210	534.517	559.297	590.889	613.222	640.889	650.821
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{2 11}	172.786	178.265	184.933	190.137	196.059	202.666	208.456	214.665	219.873
Care of invalids and elderly at home ¹²	106.595	107.778	108.693	110.740	113.375	114.126	114.753	115.962	116.609
Health insurance ¹²	116.743	112.829	109.521	105.123	111.005	122.724	123.855	122.848	123.582
Recreation ¹	108.702	110.487	109.851	108.561	109.959	110.783	111.250	110.966	111.828
Video and audio ¹	102.523	101.810	100.400	97.753	99.028	99.477	100.078	99.899	100.460
Televisions	15.462	12.443	9.042	7.312	6.047	4.980	4.276	3.542	3.317
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁵	354.903	360.943	368.818	369.397	382.673	396.328	407.508	416.156	421.000
Other video equipment ¹	21.692	18.357	16.618	14.479	12.813	11.244	10.447	10.399	10.449
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ¹	78.675	80.133	77.205	74.383	79.480	76.976	72.373	70.096	71.897
Audio equipment	51.080	49.026	46.754	44.935	42.512	40.089	38.748	36.814	36.436
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	105.660	104.363	94.647	92.164	89.832	88.991	90.431	87.274	85.840
Pets, pet products and services ¹	134.740	148.513	150.801	151.332	157.946	160.225	162.636	164.467	164.069
Pets and pet products	171.130	192.166	193.575	191.884	198.072	200.306	201.443	202.503	198.915
Pet services including veterinary ¹	169.616	180.073	185.861	191.992	205.461	209.841	217.255	222.944	230.721
Sporting goods	114.764	117.671	115.762	115.448	116.884	119.081	117.888	114.157	115.931
Sports vehicles including bicycles	137.138	137.036	134.293	137.409	143.744	147.682	147.209	141.717	148.465
Sports equipment	91.728	96.836	95.519	91.413	87.436	87.841	85.921	83.717	82.349
Photography ¹	82.841	81.453	82.229	79.880	81.293	78.739	78.336	79.005	78.025
Photographic equipment and supplies	79.989	75.292	73.771	66.393	65.317	60.328	58.140	57.131	55.891
Photographers and film processing ¹	106.717	108.636	112.134	113.202	117.021	116.764	118.349	121.232	120.358
Other recreational goods ¹	62.080	58.841	56.790	54.150	52.681	50.054	47.888	46.095	44.644
Toys	70.193	65.228	61.607	58.186	55.967	52.488	49.756	47.192	45.389
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	87.326	87.505	91.721	92.296	96.366	98.032	96.455	97.613	97.173
Music instruments and accessories ¹	96.967	98.906	98.929	95.980	94.720	94.780	96.703	100.124	98.177
Other recreation services ¹	141.896	145.233	145.317	146.787	147.246	151.218	153.105	153.851	159.046
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ¹	123.194	124.737	121.825	121.987	124.845	125.395	127.529	127.323	130.765
Admissions	304.937	313.626	315.568	320.241	318.783	331.892	336.535	337.709	352.109
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	249.677	258.077	263.880	267.011	267.538	276.754	277.791	283.088	288.680
Recreational reading materials	209.747	217.493	224.023	223.311	225.053	230.198	237.481	242.625	245.120
Newspapers and magazines ¹	122.141	128.122	134.522	134.872	138.937	147.467	155.725	163.028	165.010
Recreational books ¹	103.872	106.082	106.442	105.328	103.141	100.921	101.042	100.072	100.856
Education and communication ¹	117.782	121.819	124.156	125.089	126.413	127.902	129.396	129.062	129.389
Education ¹	174.276	184.352	192.760	200.496	209.452	217.437	224.921	232.183	238.452
Educational books and supplies	437.391	467.179	499.478	515.937	547.576	585.752	613.336	644.947	658.075
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	491.554	519.500	542.036	564.149	588.489	609.318	629.602	648.905	666.796
College tuition and fees	560.233	594.722	630.503	657.115	697.509	725.823	754.074	780.101	797.474

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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	553.931	587.368	610.140	633.084	658.942	681.072	705.617	734.909	751.880
Child care and nursery school ⁶	217.589	228.624	234.217	243.495	248.912	255.477	260.938	266.701	277.016
Technical and business school tuition and fees	185.776	193.831	201.734	210.484	218.972	224.379	231.559	235.495	236.984
Communication ¹	85.834	87.444	87.541	86.472	85.510	85.047	84.724	82.861	81.880
Postage and delivery services ¹	132.101	136.250	142.984	145.409	151.799	157.662	167.398	173.572	173.835
Postage	209.745	216.173	227.304	230.143	239.476	248.442	264.453	274.836	274.836
Delivery services ¹	190.190	198.345	202.004	226.454	252.599	265.688	274.202	277.511	282.423
Information and information processing ¹	83.917	85.454	85.404	84.271	83.163	82.607	82.129	80.212	79.236
Telephone services ¹	98.887	101.720	102.585	101.327	100.764	100.931	100.616	98.095	97.810
Wireless telephone services ¹	64.977	65.341	64.593	62.283	60.811	60.329	59.144	56.747	56.057
Land-line telephone services ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	102.180	104.139	106.300	109.372	111.381	113.787
Information technology, hardware and services ¹³	10.722	10.406	9.935	9.767	9.371	9.079	8.953	8.783	8.470
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁴	100.000	88.176	77.821	73.078	64.421	58.734	54.606	48.820	46.804
Computer software and accessories ¹	49.486	49.328	48.219	43.346	42.524	39.363	36.724	36.005	36.353
Internet services and electronic information providers ¹	73.716	76.165	76.037	76.982	76.555	76.265	77.340	78.675	76.319
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ¹	40.192	39.887	38.567	37.132	35.220	33.292	31.360	28.533	24.930
Other goods and services	348.830	362.986	403.970	414.002	421.000	427.533	436.517	444.238	450.535
Tobacco and smoking products	568.410	605.662	789.173	832.741	852.435	869.714	898.280	923.918	947.742
Cigarettes ¹	230.125	245.184	320.486	338.393	345.948	353.055	364.724	375.736	385.792
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	162.102	173.011	211.734	221.471	231.217	234.830	241.672	242.147	244.313
Personal care	195.467	200.918	203.454	205.084	207.747	210.441	213.519	216.174	218.004
Personal care products	158.407	161.295	162.231	161.217	160.954	161.020	162.769	163.013	162.129
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ¹	103.913	104.888	104.766	104.041	102.159	102.604	103.784	103.096	103.061
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	177.830	182.840	185.326	184.333	187.219	186.429	188.367	190.409	188.266
Personal care services	219.945	226.578	228.614	230.332	232.313	236.676	240.952	244.915	249.443
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	134.057	138.100	139.341	140.388	141.595	144.255	146.861	149.276	152.036
Miscellaneous personal services	330.850	342.530	349.851	358.380	368.816	376.644	384.975	393.245	401.629
Legal services ⁴	265.264	277.998	282.925	293.533	300.525	305.854	312.647	317.642	323.559
Funeral expenses ⁴	263.363	277.828	286.593	292.101	299.276	305.410	313.146	317.679	324.753
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	130.494	136.794	139.979	143.103	144.980	148.045	150.252	153.527	155.832
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ¹	140.418	150.044	156.280	161.113	170.077	172.237	178.023	180.869	183.352
Financial services ⁴	276.411	269.265	272.967	274.102	294.095	301.827	311.338	321.879	332.743
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	87.196	88.882	89.309	87.264	86.704	86.231	84.203	83.831	80.646
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	172.952	164.233	175.127	179.331	187.472	189.367	189.841	184.849	186.596
Commodities less food and beverages	154.086	137.015	152.532	156.997	164.072	165.032	164.616	154.582	156.359
Nondurables less food and beverages	196.636	164.879	193.667	203.292	215.404	218.146	217.777	199.400	201.262
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	249.863	198.108	244.413	261.243	277.351	280.475	279.655	250.834	253.618
Durables	112.450	108.576	112.165	111.789	114.098	113.328	112.867	110.255	111.881
Services	244.275	252.176	254.519	257.382	262.954	268.661	274.948	281.800	287.138
Rent of shelter ³	227.035	232.112	233.241	234.278	238.834	244.077	250.288	257.423	263.202
Transportation services	236.020	245.881	256.007	263.648	271.174	278.708	284.399	291.035	295.606
Other services	278.783	288.227	293.470	296.508	302.364	308.227	313.439	315.838	319.540
All items less food	205.575	202.292	210.639	214.225	220.479	224.161	227.588	227.083	230.839
All items less shelter	197.174	193.918	202.951	207.428	215.189	218.292	220.414	218.665	221.236
All items less medical care	199.431	198.153	204.800	208.036	214.658	218.033	221.135	221.471	224.799
Commodities less food	156.073	139.620	154.918	159.342	166.354	167.402	167.098	157.329	159.080
Nondurables less food	197.551	167.933	195.487	204.737	216.421	219.251	219.105	201.761	203.551
Nondurables less food and apparel	245.286	198.909	241.513	257.051	272.053	275.260	274.829	248.674	251.253
Nondurables	202.222	190.910	205.823	212.541	223.793	227.126	228.110	221.881	223.601
Apparel less footwear	112.830	110.975	112.281	110.741	117.314	118.566	119.165	115.284	115.612
Services less rent of shelter ³	233.314	243.646	247.174	251.847	257.915	263.441	269.005	274.660	278.808

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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Special aggregate indexes									
Services less medical care services	234.468	242.079	243.838	246.115	251.150	256.233	262.188	268.756	273.964
Energy	218.104	168.726	202.398	218.896	233.943	235.324	236.027	209.415	213.337
All items less energy	205.155	210.168	213.780	215.786	221.735	225.769	229.393	233.441	236.858
All items less food and energy	205.377	208.925	213.572	215.303	220.325	224.383	228.249	231.500	235.263
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	140.815	139.731	145.253	145.037	148.692	149.112	149.236	147.715	149.031
Energy commodities	261.928	154.744	228.303	260.026	287.221	291.803	289.153	229.570	234.070
Services less energy services	250.925	258.039	261.871	265.062	271.036	277.649	284.142	290.913	296.454
Domestically produced farm food	210.009	223.608	217.384	221.962	235.646	239.198	240.474	250.864	251.282
Utilities and public transportation	189.083	198.746	196.776	197.935	201.072	203.016	206.445	209.412	211.717

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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
All items	4.3	-0.5	3.4	1.7	3.2	1.7	1.5	0.3	1.5
Food and beverages	4.9	5.9	-5	1.5	4.6	1.7	1.1	3.4	.6
Food	5.0	6.0	-7	1.6	4.8	1.7	1.0	3.5	.7
Food at home	5.7	6.5	-2.5	1.7	6.1	1.3	.4	3.8	.2
Cereals and bakery products	5.3	11.9	-9	-1	6.1	.7	.6	.5	1.7
Cereals and cereal products	4.3	13.5	-1.5	-9	7.3	-6	-4	-4	2.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	7.5	20.5	-4.6	-1.1	12.2	2.1	-2.7	-1.4	3.6
Breakfast cereal	3.1	4.9	.1	-1.4	6.5	-7	.2	1.2	-2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	4.9	26.3	-3.0	-1	6.9	-1.5	-6	-2.4	5.3
Bakery products	5.9	11.1	-.5	.4	5.5	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.4
Bread	10.4	12.7	-3.5	1.5	6.4	1.7	1.0	1.3	-3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins	4.3	13.5	-2.2	1.9	6.5	1.3	.5	2.1	.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	5.9	8.6	2.8	-.4	4.5	.9	2.1	.7	1.5
Other bakery products	2.3	10.7	.6	-.8	5.1	2.3	.9	.3	3.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	5.6	5.1	-3.8	5.6	8.0	1.5	2.8	9.5	.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.2	6.1	-3.7	5.6	8.1	1.5	2.7	9.4	-.6
Meats	3.3	6.0	-5.1	7.4	9.6	.6	2.4	13.0	-.8
Beef and veal	5.2	6.5	-4.8	6.3	11.6	4.6	1.7	19.0	.9
Uncooked ground beef	5.5	11.0	-6.3	6.3	12.3	5.6	1.7	19.4	-1.2
Uncooked beef roasts	4.5	5.2	-3.0	5.1	12.9	3.4	3.0	20.2	-.1
Uncooked beef steaks	5.4	1.6	-4.7	5.4	10.7	3.9	.9	17.0	4.3
Uncooked other beef and veal	4.5	6.4	-1.5	11.1	9.4	4.5	2.9	23.4	-.9
Pork	1.5	5.0	-7.7	11.3	8.2	-3.3	4.4	8.3	-4.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products	3.3	2.3	-5.5	12.2	8.4	-2.3	8.2	2.7	-2.7
Ham	1.5	5.4	-7.9	12.0	5.4	-2.7	2.0	13.0	-4.5
Pork chops .....	.9	6.1	-8.0	7.5	8.9	-3.1	2.7	9.7	-6.6
Other pork including roasts and picnics	-.5	7.4	-10.5	12.9	10.0	-5.3	1.9	12.4	-3.5
Other meats	1.5	6.2	-2.0	4.1	7.0	-1.5	.6	7.5	-.2
Poultry	6.8	5.8	-1.5	1.0	4.4	6.0	2.6	1.8	-.2
Chicken	7.8	5.4	-2.1	1.1	2.8	6.3	3.0	2.2	-1.2
Other poultry including turkey	2.0	7.3	1.2	.5	12.4	4.7	1.2	.0	5.5
Fish and seafood	5.1	7.3	-.1	4.2	6.8	.0	4.0	4.3	-.5
Fresh fish and seafood	5.7	5.5	-1.3	7.8	6.3	-1.3	5.6	5.7	.0
Processed fish and seafood	4.2	9.5	1.3	.5	7.3	1.3	2.6	2.9	-.9
Eggs	33.2	-9.3	-6.8	6.2	6.4	.6	5.7	10.6	23.3
Dairy and related products	13.8	2.3	-7.8	3.8	8.2	.4	-.4	5.3	-.4
Milk	19.5	-3.4	-10.5	5.2	9.2	1.9	.1	4.3	-7.9
Cheese and related products	13.5	8.3	-9.4	4.5	8.0	-.2	-1.1	8.2	-3.2
Ice cream and related products	3.1	5.6	-2.3	2.6	9.0	-1.4	.5	3.6	-3.9
Other dairy and related products	11.7	2.7	-3.9	1.2	6.0	-.1	-.9	3.8	.2
Fruits and vegetables	5.8	3.5	-3.1	1.4	2.5	1.7	-.2	3.3	-1.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables	6.3	.5	-3.9	2.2	.9	2.2	-.3	4.1	-3.0
Fresh fruits	5.4	-1.4	-4.1	3.5	-.5	5.7	-2.2	3.3	-1.2
Apples	6.0	3.4	-9.6	4.0	6.8	13.6	-6.6	-2.9	7.4
Bananas	5.0	15.7	-8.6	1.9	4.6	.3	-1.7	-.6	.7
Citrus fruits .....	.1	-.7	.0	9.8	-4.0	4.0	2.6	5.3	15.5
Other fresh fruits	7.8	-9.0	-1.9	1.5	-3.0	5.8	-3.1	6.1	-16.6
Fresh vegetables	7.2	2.5	-3.7	.9	2.3	-1.3	1.8	5.1	-5.1
Potatoes	3.4	20.3	-16.7	5.8	7.4	-7.4	7.1	-1.9	10.3
Lettuce	4.8	1.9	9.2	-7.1	-1.0	-3.3	1.8	4.9	-7.1
Tomatoes	19.6	-10.6	2.5	-10.6	1.3	5.0	.2	16.8	-19.5
Other fresh vegetables	3.8	3.2	-4.8	6.7	1.9	-1.0	.5	2.6	-2.6
Processed fruits and vegetables	4.2	13.8	-.5	-1.2	7.1	.0	.2	.5	3.3
Canned fruits and vegetables	4.2	16.6	.9	-2.0	5.8	.3	2.1	.0	3.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables	2.9	8.1	-3.5	-.2	10.0	-1.5	-2.5	1.6	3.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried	5.8	15.2	.5	-.4	6.0	1.4	-.5	.5	2.8
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	3.4	6.1	-.9	-1.3	5.6	-.1	-1.3	.7	.6
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks	3.5	7.4	-1.2	-1.9	4.4	.6	-.6	.1	.5
Carbonated drinks	3.2	9.5	.2	-1.3	6.0	-.2	-2.1	1.3	2.0
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	13.0	4.1	1.1	-.6	12.7	-1.8	2.4	1.8	.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	3.2	5.3	-2.9	-2.4	2.8	1.2	.5	-.8	-.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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea	3.3	3.4	-0.4	0.7	10.0	-2.5	-3.7	2.5	0.8
Coffee	5.1	6.4	-2.3	2.5	19.3	-3.9	-7.5	3.5	1.6
Other beverage materials including tea	2.5	1.9	.5	-7	2.2	-7	.9	1.0	-3
Other food at home	3.2	9.2	-2	.0	5.6	2.1	-5	1.4	1.4
Sugar and sweets	3.4	8.5	2.7	2.5	3.7	1.2	-2.7	1.1	3.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-5	6.3	3.9	6.8	4.1	-1.0	-9.2	-1	7.8
Candy and chewing gum	4.5	8.9	2.6	1.5	2.8	1.6	-5	2.0	2.9
Other sweets	3.6	9.5	1.7	.9	6.2	2.3	-2.1	-3	1.3
Fats and oils	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.4	14.0	1.9	-2.5	.7	-5
Butter and margarine	6.3	18.6	-7.6	9.2	11.1	-7	-9	11.8	-1.2
Salad dressing	3.3	10.8	.4	1.9	8.1	.1	-1.7	-4.3	-2
Other fats and oils including peanut butter	6.7	20.7	-5.6	-2.8	19.2	4.6	-3.8	-2.3	-2
Other foods	2.7	8.1	.0	-7	4.6	2.3	.3	1.5	1.3
Soups .....	.1	8.3	-1.3	-1.4	3.0	.1	-3	-7	8.5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	3.5	6.5	-1.0	-1.4	2.9	.2	-9	1.6	-4
Snacks	4.4	13.1	1.6	.4	7.4	4.3	.8	1.8	2.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	3.6	6.5	2.2	-1.1	5.1	2.6	.2	2.1	4.0
Baby food	4.2	5.8	-9	-1.4	7.4	3.0	.1	2.0	-1.0
Other miscellaneous foods .....	.3	7.3	-1.1	-4	3.2	2.5	.7	1.3	-9
Food away from home	3.9	5.2	1.9	1.3	3.0	2.5	2.0	3.0	1.4
Full service meals and snacks	3.9	4.0	1.8	1.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	3.1	1.6
Limited service meals and snacks	4.1	6.0	1.8	.9	3.1	2.5	2.0	3.2	1.6
Food at employee sites and schools	3.0	5.7	2.8	2.8	3.5	3.1	2.4	2.0	-5.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors	3.3	7.1	2.3	2.0	2.6	2.6	1.0	.4	1.6
Other food away from home	4.1	6.4	2.1	3.1	2.2	1.7	-2.3	2.2	3.4
Alcoholic beverages	3.9	4.6	2.2	1.1	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	3.6	4.7	2.1	.3	.9	1.4	1.7	.6	-3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	4.2	5.3	2.8	.9	1.5	1.9	2.3	.7	-5
Distilled spirits at home	1.0	2.5	1.9	-2	.1	.0	1.2	1.0	.1
Wine at home	3.5	3.4	-1	-1.5	-8	.8	.5	.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home	4.7	4.4	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.1	.8
Housing	3.1	2.8	-1	.3	1.9	1.7	2.2	2.6	1.9
Shelter	3.1	2.2	.5	.5	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.2
Rent of primary residence ¹	4.0	3.3	.6	.7	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.3	2.2
Lodging away from home	4.8	-2.4	-4.4	2.5	1.9	1.2	1.8	6.5	14.8
Housing at school, excluding board ¹	5.6	4.6	5.2	4.1	4.0	4.3	3.3	2.8	1.7
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	4.8	-3.1	-5.5	2.1	1.3	.3	1.3	7.4	17.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹	2.7	2.1	.7	.3	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹	2.7	2.1	.7	.3	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.0
Tenants' and household insurance .....	.0	2.5	3.4	2.6	2.4	3.5	2.6	5.7	.9
Fuels and utilities	5.2	6.5	-3.1	1.7	2.5	.3	2.7	3.3	1.3
Household energy	5.2	6.5	-4.9	.8	1.9	-1.1	2.4	2.9	.8
Fuel oil and other fuels	28.6	-12.9	1.9	13.0	13.6	-1.9	3.2	-13.9	-19.9
Fuel oil	33.2	-21.4	7.3	16.2	18.3	3.7	-1.9	-19.1	-22.1
Propane, kerosene, and firewood	19.9	.2	-4.5	8.3	6.3	-11.8	13.7	-5.9	-17.1
Energy services ¹	3.4	7.9	-5.3	.0	1.1	-1.1	2.4	3.9	1.8
Electricity ¹	5.0	8.8	-7	.7	2.3	-5	3.1	3.4	5.3
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	-4	5.6	-18.1	-2.7	-3.6	-2.8	.0	5.8	-11.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services	5.4	6.6	5.7	5.5	4.7	5.7	3.7	4.6	3.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	5.6	7.1	6.8	6.5	5.2	6.5	3.9	5.5	3.6
Garbage and trash collection	4.9	5.0	2.3	2.4	2.7	3.1	2.9	1.5	1.1
Household furnishings and operations	-6	2.0	-9	-2.6	1.2	-1	-1.5	-1.4	-4
Window and floor coverings and other linens	-3.4	-4.8	-3.0	-7.8	-6	-4.0	-3.4	-3.9	-1.5
Floor coverings .....	.4	2.4	-3.4	-3.4	.3	-2.6	-2.7	1.3	-1
Window coverings	-1.3	.0	-7.5	-10.6	-1.7	1.6	-1.0	-3.6	-6.3
Other linens	-5.3	-8.5	-1.2	-7.9	-5	-6.0	-4.4	-4.9	-4
Furniture and bedding	-2.0	-3	-1	-4.8	2.6	-7	-1.4	-1.8	-1.4
Bedroom furniture	-7	.3	-2.7	-1.3	2.0	-3.1	-9	-2.8	-1.3
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture	-2.5	-1.6	2.1	-3.7	2.7	.4	-2	-2.1	-1.8
Other furniture	-3.2	1.9	-2	-14.0	3.7	1.2	-6.7	1.5	.0
Appliances	1.7	1.7	-3.1	-4.1	1.5	2.1	-4.2	-5.1	-1.4
Major appliances	2.7	2.1	-3.0	-4.5	3.1	3.9	-6.1	-6.4	-2.4

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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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Other appliances	0.4	1.1	-3.2	-3.4	-1.1	-0.5	-1.3	-3.5	-0.3
Other household equipment and furnishings	-3.6	-1	-2.9	-4.2	-4.6	-2.2	-4.2	-4.5	-1.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	-8.8	-2.0	-3.8	-5.7	-7.0	-3.6	-6.8	-6.2	-3.0
Indoor plants and flowers	3.9	4.7	-3.1	-.1	.1	.6	-.5	1.6	-1.0
Dishes and flatware	-1.8	-1.5	-2.7	-6.6	-6.5	-3.8	-2.5	-6.9	8.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware	3.3	1.5	-.5	-.3	1.2	-.6	-2.1	-3.6	-.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies	-1.2	1.2	-1.3	-2.0	.8	.5	-.7	.6	-.5
Tools, hardware and supplies	-1.7	2.8	-2.8	-1.5	2.4	1.1	-.1	1.2	-.7
Outdoor equipment and supplies	-.7	-.2	-.3	-2.3	.0	.2	-1.2	.2	-.2
Housekeeping supplies	1.5	7.1	.6	.3	3.1	-.3	-1.1	-.9	-.3
Household cleaning products .....	.1	7.0	1.7	-1.5	3.4	-.9	-2.4	-.8	-.5
Household paper products	3.8	11.2	.9	3.4	2.4	2.3	.6	-.7	-.5
Miscellaneous household products	1.8	3.6	-1.3	.1	3.5	.4	-.7	-1.1	.2
Household operations	2.4	5.6	-.2	.4	1.7	2.4	2.1	3.1	3.8
Domestic services	1.8	2.7	.7	.8	.1	1.7	3.0	1.6	.7
Gardening and lawn care services	-	-	-	-.6	1.7	1.5	.7	4.3	1.5
Moving, storage, freight expense	-.9	-.8	-3.1	.9	.4	2.8	-.9	2.4	11.2
Repair of household items	4.0	5.3	3.8	-	-	4.4	4.8	4.1	1.1
Apparel	-4	-9	1.7	-1.6	5.2	1.8	.3	-1.9	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	-5	-1.1	-.3	-.9	6.4	2.2	.7	-2.8	.6
Men's apparel	-2.1	-1.3	.4	-.9	6.3	1.1	.6	-2.6	2.0
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	1.3	-5.7	-1.7	.2	.5	-.6	2.2	-5.8	6.3
Men's furnishings	-4.5	6.8	1.3	.8	7.9	4.4	1.4	-2.9	1.0
Men's shirts and sweaters	-6.6	-4.4	2.1	-4.0	8.4	-2.9	.4	-4.6	-3.3
Men's pants and shorts	1.9	-2.3	-1.0	.6	5.4	3.5	-1.1	1.6	6.8
Boys' apparel	4.4	-.4	-2.8	-.8	6.8	5.6	1.2	-3.3	-3.7
Women's and girls' apparel	-9	-3.6	2.3	-2.6	5.6	.7	.9	-3.9	-1.0
Women's apparel	-1.2	-3.6	2.5	-2.6	4.5	1.0	2.5	-3.7	-.6
Women's outerwear	-3.8	-1.8	6.0	-3.3	2.4	3.6	8.0	1.3	-11.4
Women's dresses .....	.0	-1.9	-3.0	-7.3	6.0	.9	2.1	.5	-1.2
Women's suits and separates	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	-3.8	1.8	2.3	2.2	-8.0	1.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories	-.7	-1.3	4.7	1.8	9.2	-1.3	1.6	.5	.9
Girls' apparel	-2	-3.7	1.5	-2.8	9.9	-.3	-4.3	-4.7	-2.3
Footwear	-5	1.7	3.6	-2.3	2.3	4.4	-.4	3.1	.6
Men's footwear	-1.6	4.1	2.0	-1.3	3.0	4.6	.0	1.5	1.5
Boys' and girls' footwear	1.7	3.2	2.3	-1.7	4.2	3.8	2.0	7.1	-2.7
Women's footwear	-.9	-1.1	5.8	-3.5	.4	4.8	-2.5	1.8	2.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	-.3	-1.2	.7	.1	5.2	1.1	-2.1	-.1	2.9
Jewelry and watches	4.1	7.6	1.0	4.0	7.1	-1.1	.3	-4.2	5.5
Watches	-2.6	2.6	-1.3	-2.2	1.7	-.7	6.3	-2.4	4.8
Jewelry	5.7	8.5	1.4	5.7	8.4	-1.3	-1.6	-5.4	6.0
Transportation	8.9	-15.3	16.1	5.9	5.7	1.5	.5	-7.0	2.4
Private transportation	9.0	-16.0	16.7	5.9	5.7	1.4	.5	-7.2	2.5
New and used motor vehicles .....	.0	-4.5	6.2	1.1	3.2	-.3	.9	-1.6	2.7
New vehicles	-.3	-3.2	5.0	-.3	3.2	1.5	.4	.5	.3
Used cars and trucks .....	.6	-8.2	9.3	3.7	4.1	-1.9	2.0	-4.2	6.3
Leased cars and trucks .....	.7	5.8	-.1	-5.1	-2.4	-3.9	-2.8	-.8	-2.9
Car and truck rental	-.9	2.6	6.1	-1.7	.6	-.2	1.3	-1.1	7.0
Motor fuel	29.6	-42.2	50.7	13.9	10.3	1.7	-1.1	-20.9	2.8
Gasoline (all types)	29.7	-43.1	53.6	13.9	9.9	1.7	-1.0	-21.0	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	29.9	-44.0	55.3	14.1	9.9	1.6	-1.2	-21.6	3.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ²	29.7	-41.7	51.0	13.5	9.9	1.8	-.9	-19.6	5.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	28.7	-40.1	47.6	12.8	9.8	2.3	-.2	-18.4	5.3
Other motor fuels	24.2	-25.2	9.2	15.7	19.3	1.7	-2.2	-11.8	-21.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	3.8	7.7	1.2	3.2	5.8	1.0	-1.7	-.3	-.6
Tires	2.8	6.1	1.3	4.0	6.4	.2	-3.7	-1.7	-1.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires	5.1	9.5	1.1	1.9	4.9	2.3	1.7	1.8	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	3.3	5.8	2.5	2.0	2.2	1.2	1.7	2.0	.8
Motor vehicle body work	3.2	4.5	2.8	2.7	1.7	2.2	2.4	2.4	-.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	3.0	7.5	2.2	.9	2.4	1.7	.9	2.3	.2
Motor vehicle repair	3.5	4.7	2.6	2.7	2.2	.7	2.2	1.8	1.4
Motor vehicle insurance5	4.0	4.7	4.5	3.7	4.5	3.4	4.8	2.8
Motor vehicle fees	2.0	3.6	10.9	1.3	1.7	1.6	1.6	.1	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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ¹	1.2	2.4	13.4	1.3	1.2	-0.6	1.2	-1.1	3.1
Parking and other fees	3.9	6.0	5.6	1.3	3.0	6.4	2.6	2.4	1.4
Public transportation	6.4	1.7	3.5	4.5	4.0	2.8	.3	-2.3	-6
Airline fare	10.5	1.0	4.2	5.6	4.6	2.4	-1.8	-4.6	-2.7
Other intercity transportation	1.3	-1.7	-3.5	2.0	-.3	2.3	-.1	-.6	2.0
Intracity transportation	1.9	5.3	5.2	3.1	4.3	3.8	3.9	1.1	2.0
Medical care	5.2	2.7	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.4	2.0	2.9	1.5
Medical care commodities	2.4	1.5	3.3	3.0	3.4	1.6	.1	4.8	1.9
Medicinal drugs ³	-	-	-	3.1	3.5	1.5	.2	5.0	2.0
Prescription drugs	3.1	1.2	4.4	4.2	4.4	1.8	.5	6.3	2.6
Nonprescription drugs ³	-	-	-	-1.0	.0	.6	-1.3	-.1	-.2
Medical equipment and supplies ³	-	-	-	.0	.0	2.2	-1.6	1.0	-1.3
Medical care services	6.0	3.1	3.6	3.7	3.7	4.0	2.5	2.3	1.4
Professional services	4.3	3.0	2.6	2.9	2.3	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.2
Physicians' services ¹	4.1	2.9	2.6	3.5	2.7	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.2
Dental services ¹	6.2	3.5	3.3	2.9	2.3	2.8	2.7	1.8	2.5
Eyeglasses and eye care	1.1	.2	1.5	.3	.6	.3	1.2	2.3	-.8
Services by other medical professionals ¹	3.3	4.0	1.9	1.8	1.3	.8	2.0	2.0	-.3
Hospital and related services	8.0	5.7	7.5	7.4	5.4	4.9	4.1	4.8	2.0
Hospital services ¹	8.0	5.9	7.8	7.8	5.6	5.0	4.2	4.9	2.0
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	7.4	5.7	7.8	9.4	6.2	4.2	4.4	5.6	1.9
Outpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	9.6	5.7	8.5	5.2	4.6	5.6	3.8	4.5	1.5
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹	5.6	3.2	3.7	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.9	3.0	2.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁴	3.5	1.1	.8	1.9	2.4	.7	.5	1.1	.6
Health insurance ⁴	9.3	-3.4	-2.9	-4.0	5.6	10.6	.9	-.8	.6
Recreation .....	.6	1.6	-.6	-1.2	1.3	.7	.4	-.3	.8
Video and audio	1.1	-.7	-1.4	-2.6	1.3	.5	.6	-.2	.6
Televisions	-17.3	-19.5	-27.3	-19.1	-17.3	-17.6	-14.1	-17.2	-6.4
Cable and satellite television and radio service	2.5	1.7	2.2	.2	3.6	3.6	2.8	2.1	1.2
Other video equipment	-12.9	-15.4	-9.5	-12.9	-11.5	-12.2	-7.1	-.5	.5
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio .....	.7	1.9	-3.7	-3.7	6.9	-3.2	-6.0	-3.1	2.6
Audio equipment	-5.2	-4.0	-4.6	-3.9	-5.4	-5.7	-3.3	-5.0	-1.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media	-.2	-1.2	-9.3	-2.6	-2.5	-.9	1.6	-3.5	-1.6
Pets, pet products and services	5.4	10.2	1.5	.4	4.4	1.4	1.5	1.1	-.2
Pets and pet products	5.1	12.3	.7	-.9	3.2	1.1	.6	.5	-1.8
Pet services including veterinary	6.1	6.2	3.2	3.3	7.0	2.1	3.5	2.6	3.5
Sporting goods	-2.7	2.5	-1.6	-.3	1.2	1.9	-1.0	-3.2	1.6
Sports vehicles including bicycles	-3.0	-.1	-2.0	2.3	4.6	2.7	-.3	-3.7	4.8
Sports equipment	-2.3	5.6	-1.4	-4.3	-4.4	.5	-2.2	-2.6	-1.6
Photography	-3.1	-1.7	1.0	-2.9	1.8	-3.1	-.5	.9	-1.2
Photographic equipment and supplies	-6.6	-5.9	-2.0	-10.0	-1.6	-7.6	-3.6	-1.7	-2.2
Photographers and film processing	-.1	1.8	3.2	1.0	3.4	-.2	1.4	2.4	-.7
Other recreational goods	-4.9	-5.2	-3.5	-4.6	-2.7	-5.0	-4.3	-3.7	-3.1
Toys	-5.4	-7.1	-5.6	-5.6	-3.8	-6.2	-5.2	-5.2	-3.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies	-6.0	.2	4.8	.6	4.4	1.7	-1.6	1.2	-.5
Music instruments and accessories .....	.3	2.0	.0	-3.0	-1.3	.1	2.0	3.5	-1.9
Other recreation services	2.1	2.4	.1	1.0	.3	2.7	1.2	.5	3.4
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises	1.0	1.3	-2.3	.1	2.3	.4	1.7	-.2	2.7
Admissions	2.2	2.8	.6	1.5	-.5	4.1	1.4	.3	4.3
Fees for lessons or instructions	3.9	3.4	2.2	1.2	.2	3.4	.4	1.9	2.0
Recreational reading materials	1.2	3.7	3.0	-.3	.8	2.3	3.2	2.2	1.0
Newspapers and magazines	1.2	4.9	5.0	.3	3.0	6.1	5.6	4.7	1.2
Recreational books	1.1	2.1	.3	-1.0	-2.1	-2.2	.1	-1.0	.8
Education and communication	2.6	3.4	1.9	.8	1.1	1.2	1.2	-.3	.3
Education	5.3	5.8	4.6	4.0	4.5	3.8	3.4	3.2	2.7
Educational books and supplies	8.8	6.8	6.9	3.3	6.1	7.0	4.7	5.2	2.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	5.0	5.7	4.3	4.1	4.3	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.8
College tuition and fees	5.9	6.2	6.0	4.2	6.1	4.1	3.9	3.5	2.2

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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								Aug. 2015
	December								
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	5.4	6.0	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.4	3.6	4.2	2.3
Child care and nursery school	3.7	5.1	2.4	4.0	2.2	2.6	2.1	2.2	3.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees	5.4	4.3	4.1	4.3	4.0	2.5	3.2	1.7	.6
Communication .....	.7	1.9	.1	-1.2	-1.1	-5	-4	-2.2	-1.2
Postage and delivery services	4.4	3.1	4.9	1.7	4.4	3.9	6.2	3.7	.2
Postage	3.9	3.1	5.1	1.2	4.1	3.7	6.4	3.9	.0
Delivery services	11.3	4.3	1.8	12.1	11.5	5.2	3.2	1.2	1.8
Information and information processing .....	.5	1.8	-.1	-1.3	-1.3	-.7	-.6	-2.3	-1.2
Telephone services	2.1	2.9	.9	-1.2	-.6	.2	-.3	-2.5	-.3
Wireless telephone services	-.9	.6	-1.1	-3.6	-2.4	-.8	-2.0	-4.1	-1.2
Land-line telephone services ³	-	-	-	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.9	1.8	2.2
Information technology, hardware and services	-7.6	-2.9	-4.5	-1.7	-4.1	-3.1	-1.4	-1.9	-3.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁵	-13.0	-11.8	-11.7	-6.1	-11.8	-8.8	-7.0	-10.6	-4.1
Computer software and accessories	-6.3	-.3	-2.2	-10.1	-1.9	-7.4	-6.7	-2.0	1.0
Internet services and electronic information providers	-4.6	3.3	-.2	1.2	-.6	-.4	1.4	1.7	-3.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items	-5.0	-.8	-3.3	-3.7	-5.1	-5.5	-5.8	-9.0	-12.6
Other goods and services	3.9	4.1	11.3	2.5	1.7	1.6	2.1	1.8	1.4
Tobacco and smoking products	7.5	6.6	30.3	5.5	2.4	2.0	3.3	2.9	2.6
Cigarettes	7.8	6.5	30.7	5.6	2.2	2.1	3.3	3.0	2.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes	3.5	6.7	22.4	4.6	4.4	1.6	2.9	.2	.9
Personal care	2.3	2.8	1.3	.8	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.2	.8
Personal care products	-.1	1.8	.6	-.6	-.2	.0	1.1	.1	-.5
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	.0	.9	-.1	-.7	-1.8	.4	1.2	-.7	.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	-.3	2.8	1.4	-.5	1.6	-.4	1.0	1.1	-1.1
Personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.8
Haircuts and other personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.8
Miscellaneous personal services	3.8	3.5	2.1	2.4	2.9	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1
Legal services	3.7	4.8	1.8	3.7	2.4	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.9
Funeral expenses	5.1	5.5	3.2	1.9	2.5	2.0	2.5	1.4	2.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services	3.0	4.8	2.3	2.2	1.3	2.1	1.5	2.2	1.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ..	3.4	6.9	4.2	3.1	5.6	1.3	3.4	1.6	1.4
Financial services	4.4	-2.6	1.4	.4	7.3	2.6	3.2	3.4	3.4
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	.5	1.9	.5	-2.3	-.6	-.5	-2.4	-.4	-3.8
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	5.8	-5.0	6.6	2.4	4.5	1.0	.3	-2.6	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	6.3	-11.1	11.3	2.9	4.5	.6	-.3	-6.1	1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.7	-16.2	17.5	5.0	6.0	1.3	-.2	-8.4	.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	15.8	-20.7	23.4	6.9	6.2	1.1	-.3	-10.3	1.1
Durables	-.8	-3.4	3.3	-.3	2.1	-.7	-.4	-2.3	1.5
Services	3.2	3.2	.9	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	1.9
Rent of shelter	3.2	2.2	.5	.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.2
Transportation services	2.0	4.2	4.1	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.0	2.3	1.6
Other services	2.9	3.4	1.8	1.0	2.0	1.9	1.7	.8	1.2
All items less food	4.2	-1.6	4.1	1.7	2.9	1.7	1.5	-.2	1.7
All items less shelter	4.9	-1.7	4.7	2.2	3.7	1.4	1.0	-.8	1.2
All items less medical care	4.3	-.6	3.4	1.6	3.2	1.6	1.4	.2	1.5
Commodities less food	6.2	-10.5	11.0	2.9	4.4	.6	-.2	-5.8	1.1
Nondurables less food	11.2	-15.0	16.4	4.7	5.7	1.3	-.1	-7.9	.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.9	-18.9	21.4	6.4	5.8	1.2	-.2	-9.5	1.0
Nondurables	8.2	-5.6	7.8	3.3	5.3	1.5	.4	-2.7	.8
Apparel less footwear	-.4	-1.6	1.2	-1.4	5.9	1.1	.5	-3.3	.3
Services less rent of shelter	3.3	4.4	1.4	1.9	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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								Aug. 2015
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Special aggregate indexes									
Services less medical care services	3.0	3.2	0.7	0.9	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.5	1.9
Energy	18.1	-22.6	20.0	8.2	6.9	.6	.3	-11.3	1.9
All items less energy	2.8	2.4	1.7	.9	2.8	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.5
All items less food and energy	2.3	1.7	2.2	.8	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.6
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.3	-.8	4.0	-.1	2.5	.3	.1	-1.0	.9
Energy commodities	29.6	-40.9	47.5	13.9	10.5	1.6	-.9	-20.6	2.0
Services less energy services	3.3	2.8	1.5	1.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.4	1.9
Domestically produced farm food	6.0	6.5	-2.8	2.1	6.2	1.5	.5	4.3	.2
Utilities and public transportation	3.3	5.1	-1.0	.6	1.6	1.0	1.7	1.4	1.1

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

² Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

³ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

⁵ 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 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 Aug.2015		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Aug.2015	
	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Low	High	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.933	\$0.932	4	987	\$0.142	\$0.142	11	9,890
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban .....	.942	.933	4	987	.171	.169	129	8,494
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	.943	.932	4	987	.184	.182	129	8,494
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	.938	.937	25	422	.147	.147	233	4,762
Midwest urban .....	.772	.767	17	712	.141	.141	11	9,890
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	.774	.776	17	581	.150	.150	11	9,890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	.756	.748	18	712	.135	.134	70	3,932
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.812	.773	25	323	.125	.124	230	3,529
South urban	1.037	1.037	7	522	.123	.123	164	8,744
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.092	1.093	7	522	.127	.127	244	8,744
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.015	1.013	11	298	.119	.119	225	5,000
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.938	.936	25	364	.131	.131	164	4,883
West urban	1.226	1.243	7	851	.161	.161	153	7,471
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.275	1.296	7	851	.178	.178	153	7,471
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.164	1.180	8	364	.156	.156	236	4,232
Size classes								
A .....	.950	.952	4	987	.158	.158	11	9,890
B/C .....	.913	.911	8	712	.131	.131	70	5,000
D .....	.886	.862	19	364	.122	.122	163	4,883
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	.783	.793	17	581	.160	.161	11	2,751
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	1.259	1.275	16	851	.206	.205	258	7,471
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	.951	.951	4	987	.201	.198	129	4,706
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	.844	.790	24	642	.179	.179	384	8,494
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	.620	.601	19	410	.146	.146	48	3,300
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	.858	.861	31	490	.130	.125	348	3,889
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	.973	1.001	15	371	.134	.135	551	4,132
Atlanta, GA	1.444	1.448	15	308	.149	.149	244	4,110
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	.786	.787	34	509	.161	.160	94	2,833
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	.913	.866	17	230	.107	.108	438	4,494
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.518	1.518	7	522	.116	.116	373	5,813
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.038	1.042	37	752	.159	.159	430	3,810
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.497	1.577	13	257	.233	.233	178	2,448
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	1.250	1.250	12	241	.102	.102	313	5,882

¹ 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 ¹		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded midgrade		Gasoline Unleaded premium		Automotive Diesel fuel	
	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015
U.S. city average	\$2.893	\$2.745	\$2.832	\$2.679	\$3.058	\$2.932	\$3.252	\$3.120	\$2.850	\$2.692
Region and area size ²										
Northeast urban	2.822	2.642	2.765	2.577	3.001	2.853	3.150	3.013	3.033	2.883
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.822	2.643	2.756	2.567	3.023	2.884	3.154	3.028	3.039	2.906
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.822	2.640	2.777	2.591	2.941	2.764	3.142	2.990	3.018	2.827
Midwest urban	2.814	2.781	2.759	2.723	2.944	2.906	3.199	3.206	2.707	2.568
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.882	2.865	2.818	2.799	3.050	3.025	3.291	3.299	2.723	2.591
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.697	2.698	2.650	2.647	2.789	2.792	3.062	3.106	2.690	2.542
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	2.774	2.602	2.744	2.564	2.801	2.625	3.077	2.993	2.668	2.517
South urban	2.581	2.392	2.521	2.328	2.767	2.593	2.958	2.793	2.691	2.531
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.665	2.486	2.600	2.417	2.849	2.680	3.039	2.881	2.726	2.582
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.542	2.345	2.488	2.288	2.710	2.523	2.921	2.740	2.646	2.468
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	2.536	2.362	2.473	2.290	2.736	2.591	2.902	2.789	2.767	2.630
West urban	3.450	3.283	3.403	3.236	3.587	3.428	3.649	3.481	3.077	2.903
Size A - More than 1,500,000	3.599	3.393	3.552	3.345	3.759	3.567	3.794	3.586	3.104	2.919
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	3.072	2.994	3.019	2.943	3.253	3.158	3.258	3.178	2.990	2.845
Size classes										
A	3.062	2.912	3.000	2.845	3.203	3.078	3.414	3.273	2.911	2.758
B/C	2.701	2.556	2.645	2.496	2.869	2.749	3.049	2.922	2.766	2.599
D	2.734	2.582	2.680	2.520	2.857	2.710	3.081	2.993	2.810	2.664
Selected local areas										
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	3.029	3.115	2.949	3.035	3.271	3.345	3.538	3.649	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	4.022	3.684	3.984	3.639	4.123	3.865	4.191	3.844	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	2.851	2.683	2.781	2.603	3.132	3.006	3.222	3.106	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	2.753	2.592	2.679	2.498	2.892	2.785	3.042	2.949	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	2.695	2.566	2.624	2.500	2.828	2.671	3.007	2.881	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2.593	2.391	2.511	2.308	2.752	2.548	2.930	2.738	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	2.778	2.609	2.699	2.519	3.028	2.902	3.179	3.045	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2.689	2.504	2.649	2.461	2.860	2.678	3.034	2.874	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2.934	2.834	2.865	2.753	3.120	3.071	3.353	3.307	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2.558	2.418	2.487	2.345	2.794	2.653	2.969	2.848	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2.752	2.556	2.705	2.505	2.984	2.827	3.146	2.980	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.754	2.530	2.703	2.472	2.920	2.711	3.060	2.880	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	3.523	3.389	3.492	3.357	3.633	3.534	3.685	3.554	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	3.199	3.094	3.141	3.034	3.307	3.208	3.411	3.313	-	-

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² 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	
	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$0.515	\$0.524	\$0.605	\$0.620	\$0.430	\$0.430	\$0.529	\$0.543	\$0.522	\$0.528
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.673	.669	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.637	.635
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.325	1.351	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.315	1.315	1.192	1.255
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.447	1.420	1.530	1.559	1.336	1.304	1.424	1.381	1.520	1.478
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)	1.963	1.956	NA	NA	1.873	1.852	1.829	1.867	2.164	2.097
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.305	3.233	NA	NA	3.539	3.435	NA	NA	2.943	2.908
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.266	4.222	4.074	4.197	4.166	4.118	4.294	4.147	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.200	4.159	4.167	4.140	3.751	3.639	4.105	4.006	4.524	4.557
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.184	6.116	NA	NA	NA	NA	6.258	6.037	6.767	6.746
All uncooked ground beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.637	4.618	4.698	4.725	4.416	4.408	4.659	4.578	4.811	4.844
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.235	5.179	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.368	5.211	4.791	4.900
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.677	5.639	5.870	5.814	5.395	5.551	5.741	5.635	5.775	5.636
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.685	5.688	5.639	5.528	5.684	5.754	5.763	5.789	5.643	5.719
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.955	5.648	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Roasts, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.905	5.871	6.141	6.076	5.759	5.803	5.899	5.756	5.833	5.905
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.243	6.147	6.275	6.084	6.319	6.324	6.527	6.268	5.896	5.965
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.179	6.256	NA	NA	NA	NA	6.195	6.546	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	8.837	8.697	9.295	9.072	9.175	8.719	8.413	8.484	8.455	8.468
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.684	5.587	NA	NA	5.899	5.773	NA	5.971	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Steaks, per lb. (453.6 gm)	7.962	7.910	8.365	8.182	7.949	7.704	7.908	7.864	7.673	7.888
All Uncooked Other Beef (Excluding Veal), per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.738	4.700	4.855	4.757	4.820	4.796	4.498	4.456	4.858	4.850
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.184	5.410	5.730	5.867	4.474	4.778	5.450	5.720	5.041	5.175
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.062	4.042	3.943	3.908	NA	NA	4.172	4.083	4.434	4.461
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.470	4.396	4.088	3.928	4.554	4.626	4.718	4.626	4.364	4.208
All Pork Chops, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.917	3.863	3.734	3.568	4.029	4.117	3.834	3.789	4.252	4.165
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.098	4.121	4.648	4.581	3.708	3.746	4.089	4.174	4.223	4.172
All Ham (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.031	3.103	2.866	2.862	3.097	3.035	2.979	3.082	3.286	3.574
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)	2.833	2.841	2.654	2.602	2.932	2.901	2.694	2.738	3.191	3.223
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other meats:										
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)	2.820	2.817	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.079	3.009	NA	NA
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.487	1.428	1.660	1.732	1.383	1.379	1.436	1.323	1.564	1.487
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chicken breast, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.378	3.406	3.654	3.733	3.160	3.217	3.329	3.319	3.377	3.362
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.591	1.612	NA	NA	1.410	1.465	1.666	1.697	1.610	1.509
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.568	1.546	NA	NA	1.624	1.607	1.520	NA	NA	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	2.570	2.943	NA	NA	2.473	3.020	2.736	2.930	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	3.409	3.808
Dairy products:										
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)	3.430	3.389	3.689	3.670	3.018	2.991	3.875	3.827	3.150	3.097
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	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	
	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015
Dairy products:										
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)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$4.352	\$4.346	NA	NA	\$4.112	\$4.160	\$3.745	\$3.754	\$4.541	\$4.406
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.376	5.336	NA	NA	6.039	5.945	5.081	5.158	5.048	4.990
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	4.466	4.597	\$4.334	\$4.780	4.383	4.366	4.233	4.385	4.985	5.037
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.408	1.435	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.313	1.410	NA	NA
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.581	.580	.586	.563	.532	.543	.572	.573	.647	.653
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.380	1.493	1.480	1.552	1.347	1.440	1.369	1.465	1.361	1.526
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.315	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.011	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.117	1.143	1.222	1.326	1.051	1.039	1.147	1.137	.994	.990
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.328	2.100	2.839	2.007	1.789	1.812	2.322	2.336	2.292	2.256
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.254	2.088	2.505	2.328	2.275	2.110	2.171	1.924	2.152	2.106
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.701	1.701	NA	NA	1.475	1.546	1.596	1.672	1.704	1.705
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)	1.798	2.283	2.111	2.717	1.659	2.337	1.674	1.862	1.844	2.328
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.668	.661	.814	.806	.586	.571	.657	.649	.617	.623
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.049	1.096	NA	NA	.943	1.019	1.167	1.210	NA	NA
Lettuce, romaine, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.848	1.790	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.772	1.694
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.777	1.737	1.969	1.698	1.456	1.401	1.703	1.830	2.062	2.062
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.706	1.758	NA	NA	1.524	1.558	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	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)	NA	NA	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)	2.509	2.595	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
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)	2.658	2.739	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	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)	1.483	1.484	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.511	1.512	NA	NA
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)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tomatoes, canned, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.656	.654	NA	NA	.574	.586	.689	.690	.711	.696
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.654	.652	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.892	1.940	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.645	2.687	NA	NA	2.296	2.342	NA	NA	NA	NA
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) ¹	NA	NA	-	-	NA	NA	-	-	NA	NA
Cola, nondiet, per 2 liters (67.6 oz) ¹	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.790	4.808	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.383	4.341
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm)	4.480	4.411	4.579	4.443	4.668	4.562	4.591	4.589	4.022	4.010
Alcoholic beverages at home:										
Malt beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) ^{1 2}	1.306	1.305	1.306	1.300	1.248	1.250	1.279	1.285	1.407	1.397
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) ³	13.456	13.510	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) ⁴	12.016	12.009	12.039	12.073	10.590	10.752	9.994	9.987	14.638	14.498

¹ Deposit may be included in price.

² Revised average prices for U.S. city average: June 2015=1.307, May 2015=1.320, Apr. 2015=1.315. Revised average prices for Northeast urban: June 2015=1.296, May 2015=1.297, Apr. 2015=1.321. Revised average prices for Midwest urban: June 2015=1.251, May 2015=1.278, Apr. 2015=1.237. Revised average prices for South urban: June 2015=1.286, May 2015=1.316, Apr. 2015=1.312. Revised average prices for West urban: June 2015=1.407, May 2015=1.389, Apr. 2015=1.398.

³ Revised average prices for U.S. city average: June 2015=13.523, May 2015=13.476, Apr. 2015=13.625.

⁴ Revised average prices for U.S. city average: June 2015=12.021, May 2015=12.044, Apr. 2015=12.335. Revised average prices for Northeast urban: June 2015=12.071, May 2015=11.896, Apr. 2015=12.540. Revised average prices for Midwest urban: June 2015=10.622, May 2015=10.954, Apr. 2015=10.727. Revised average prices for South urban: June 2015=9.865, May 2015=9.572, Apr. 2015=9.842. Revised average prices for West urban: June 2015=14.759, May 2015=14.905, Apr. 2015=15.419.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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, 2011-2012	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Aug. 2015 from—	
		July 2015	Aug. 2015	Aug. 2014	July 2015
Expenditure category					
All items	100.000	136.267	135.989	-0.1	-0.2
Food and beverages	14.823	141.595	141.948	1.4	.2
Food	13.818	142.014	142.384	1.5	.3
Food at home	8.227	134.361	134.737	.7	.3
Food away from home	5.592	153.048	153.403	2.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.005	136.760	136.882	.6	.1
Housing	40.996	141.313	141.419	1.9	.1
Shelter	31.384	147.014	147.305	3.0	.2
Fuels and utilities	5.174	173.803	173.446	-3.0	-.2
Household furnishings and operations	4.437	90.633	90.186	-8	-.5
Apparel	3.466	90.896	92.310	-1.3	1.6
Transportation	16.982	139.606	136.724	-7.5	-2.1
Private transportation	15.802	141.035	138.346	-7.8	-1.9
Public transportation	1.181	129.907	124.550	-3.1	-4.1
Medical care	7.366	172.642	172.562	2.4	.0
Medical care commodities	1.722	148.098	148.555	3.2	.3
Medical care services	5.644	181.749	181.471	2.2	-.2
Recreation	5.922	103.263	103.002	.3	-.3
Education and communication	7.104	116.472	117.011	-.1	.5
Education	3.085	221.276	223.454	3.5	1.0
Communication	4.019	66.321	66.343	-3.2	.0
Other goods and services	3.341	155.735	155.804	1.6	.0
Commodity and service group					
Services	60.000	151.332	151.443	2.2	.1
Commodities	40.000	118.370	117.616	-3.6	-.6
Durables	9.633	78.230	77.882	-1.5	-.4
Nondurables	30.367	138.678	137.711	-4.2	-.7
All items less food and energy	76.502	130.300	130.401	1.6	.1
Energy	9.680	182.632	176.651	-15.9	-3.3

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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	122.095	122.598	122.803	123.053	123.427	124.485	124.293	124.620	124.706	124.791	124.788	124.544	123.850	2.5	-5	-5
2010	124.987	124.972	125.442	125.620	125.678	125.521	125.536	125.756	125.830	125.969	125.920	126.143	125.615	1.3	1.4	1.4
2011	126.778	127.363	128.585	129.483	129.999	129.846	129.983	130.351	130.635	130.373	130.196	129.844	129.453	2.9	3.1	3.1
2012	130.438	130.953	131.905	132.284	132.154	131.956	131.731	132.430	132.988	132.892	132.208	131.770	131.976	1.5	1.9	1.9
2013	132.137	133.220	133.585	133.446	133.644	133.922	133.944	134.134	134.293	133.916	133.636	133.545	-	1.3	-	-
2014	134.063	134.604	135.419	135.810	136.248	136.462	136.424	136.162	136.248	135.862	135.033	134.113	-	.4	-	-
2015	133.185	133.838	134.773	135.038	135.826	136.307	136.267	135.989	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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										Aug. 2015	
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014		
Expenditure category												
All items	114.4	117.0	121.295	121.557	124.544	126.143	129.844	131.770	133.545	134.113	135.989	
Food and beverages	114.0	116.3	121.475	128.111	126.966	128.465	133.810	135.887	137.047	141.135	141.948	
Food	114.0	116.3	121.531	128.286	126.936	128.467	134.126	136.182	137.252	141.528	142.384	
Food at home	111.5	112.7	118.145	125.333	121.543	122.780	129.388	130.524	130.459	134.677	134.737	
Food away from home	117.5	121.2	125.875	132.107	134.469	136.483	140.478	143.979	146.975	151.247	153.403	
Alcoholic beverages	113.5	116.4	121.101	126.277	128.044	129.119	130.310	132.630	135.110	136.645	136.882	
Housing	118.6	122.1	125.272	128.495	127.826	128.180	130.597	132.617	135.375	138.808	141.419	
Shelter	119.3	124.1	127.742	130.352	130.869	131.421	133.931	136.748	140.071	143.912	147.305	
Fuels and utilities	143.2	142.8	150.342	161.108	153.898	156.644	161.110	160.954	165.714	172.137	173.446	
Household furnishings and operations	96.3	96.1	94.348	95.958	94.667	92.022	92.571	92.433	91.359	90.422	90.186	
Apparel	89.0	89.0	87.875	87.730	89.988	89.133	92.354	93.200	94.197	91.998	92.310	
Transportation	114.5	117.0	127.515	109.300	126.503	133.060	140.038	142.920	144.078	134.351	136.724	
Private transportation	115.2	117.8	128.558	108.760	127.002	133.674	140.870	143.960	145.490	135.597	138.346	
Public transportation	107.1	106.8	114.506	116.641	120.092	125.953	129.527	132.715	131.906	126.583	124.550	
Medical care	128.4	133.0	139.266	142.786	147.227	151.479	156.849	162.074	165.390	170.033	172.562	
Medical care commodities	119.0	121.2	124.391	126.200	130.060	133.390	137.439	139.411	139.437	145.956	148.555	
Medical care services	131.6	137.2	144.675	148.866	153.523	158.117	163.977	170.395	174.863	178.967	181.471	
Recreation	104.8	104.8	104.464	105.539	103.552	101.858	102.346	102.632	102.600	102.128	103.002	
Education and communication	103.0	104.2	106.207	110.077	111.744	112.518	114.086	115.496	116.408	116.445	117.011	
Education	146.5	155.5	163.716	172.978	180.752	187.549	197.361	204.638	211.288	217.930	223.454	
Communication	76.5	74.1	73.258	73.930	73.056	71.831	70.413	69.601	68.861	67.126	66.343	
Other goods and services	118.3	121.7	125.479	128.660	137.908	140.477	146.952	149.211	151.765	154.063	155.804	
Commodity and service group												
Services	121.5	125.3	129.271	133.381	134.455	135.915	139.196	142.144	145.186	148.569	151.443	
Commodities	105.7	106.7	111.498	107.102	112.588	114.336	118.699	119.658	119.834	116.951	117.616	
Durables	87.5	85.5	83.597	80.520	81.325	79.980	80.484	79.664	79.130	77.497	77.882	
Nondurables	114.8	117.4	125.732	120.876	128.755	132.078	138.305	139.983	140.437	136.901	137.711	
All items less food and energy	111.0	113.4	115.627	117.623	119.451	120.171	122.811	124.781	126.686	128.426	130.401	
Energy	154.5	158.1	185.912	146.392	172.282	184.714	195.662	195.336	195.831	174.123	176.651	

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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										Aug. 2015
	December										
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Expenditure category											
All items	2.9	2.3	3.7	0.2	2.5	1.3	2.9	1.5	1.3	0.4	1.4
Food and beverages	2.1	2.0	4.4	5.5	-9	1.2	4.2	1.6	.9	3.0	.6
Food	2.1	2.0	4.5	5.6	-1.1	1.2	4.4	1.5	.8	3.1	.6
Food at home	1.4	1.1	4.8	6.1	-3.0	1.0	5.4	.9	.0	3.2	.0
Food away from home	3.2	3.1	3.9	5.0	1.8	1.5	2.9	2.5	2.1	2.9	1.4
Alcoholic beverages	1.4	2.6	4.0	4.3	1.4	.8	.9	1.8	1.9	1.1	.2
Housing	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.6	-5	.3	1.9	1.5	2.1	2.5	1.9
Shelter	2.5	4.0	2.9	2.0	.4	.4	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.4
Fuels and utilities	11.5	-3	5.3	7.2	-4.5	1.8	2.9	-1	3.0	3.9	.8
Household furnishings and operations .....	.0	-2	-1.8	1.7	-1.3	-2.8	.6	-1	-1.2	-1.0	-3
Apparel	-7	.0	-1.3	-2	2.6	-1.0	3.6	.9	1.1	-2.3	.3
Transportation	3.9	2.2	9.0	-14.3	15.7	5.2	5.2	2.1	.8	-6.8	1.8
Private transportation	3.8	2.3	9.1	-15.4	16.8	5.3	5.4	2.2	1.1	-6.8	2.0
Public transportation	5.7	-3	7.2	1.9	3.0	4.9	2.8	2.5	-6	-4.0	-1.6
Medical care	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.5	3.1	2.9	3.5	3.3	2.0	2.8	1.5
Medical care commodities	3.6	1.8	2.6	1.5	3.1	2.6	3.0	1.4	.0	4.7	1.8
Medical care services	4.4	4.3	5.4	2.9	3.1	3.0	3.7	3.9	2.6	2.3	1.4
Recreation .....	.5	.0	-3	1.0	-1.9	-1.6	.5	.3	.0	-.5	.9
Education and communication	1.8	1.2	1.9	3.6	1.5	.7	1.4	1.2	.8	.0	.5
Education	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.7	4.5	3.8	5.2	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.5
Communication	-2.2	-3.1	-1.1	.9	-1.2	-1.7	-2.0	-1.2	-1.1	-2.5	-1.2
Other goods and services	3.0	2.9	3.1	2.5	7.2	1.9	4.6	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.1
Commodity and service group											
Services	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.2	.8	1.1	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.3	1.9
Commodities	2.3	.9	4.5	-3.9	5.1	1.6	3.8	.8	.1	-2.4	.6
Durables	-1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-3.7	1.0	-1.7	.6	-1.0	-7	-2.1	.5
Nondurables	4.2	2.3	7.1	-3.9	6.5	2.6	4.7	1.2	.3	-2.5	.6
All items less food and energy	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.6	.6	2.2	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5
Energy	15.0	2.3	17.6	-21.3	17.7	7.2	5.9	-2	.3	-11.1	1.5

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date. Indexes are issued as initial estimates. Indexes are revised each quarter with the publication of January, April, July, and October data as updated expenditure estimates become available. The C-CPI-U indexes are updated quarterly until they become final. January-March indexes are final in January of the following year; April-June indexes are final in April of the following year; July-September indexes are final in July of the following year; October-December indexes are final in October of the following year.

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 28 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 covers approximately 89 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 each month in 87 urban areas across the country from about 6,100 housing units and approximately 24,000 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 CPI 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.

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). 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.*

Fuel oil. Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. 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.

A Note on the Use of Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

Introduction

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) produces both unadjusted and seasonally adjusted data. Seasonally adjusted data are computed using seasonal factors derived by the X-13ARIMA-SEATS Seasonal Adjustment Method. These factors are updated each January, and the new factors are used to revise the previous five years of seasonally adjusted data. For more information on data revisions and exceptions to the usual revision schedule, please see the Fact Sheet on Seasonal Adjustment (www.bls.gov/cpi/cpisaqanda.htm) and the Timeline of Seasonal Adjustment Methodological Changes (www.bls.gov/cpi/cpiseastimeline.htm).

How to Use Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

For analyzing short-term 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. This allows data users to focus on changes that are not typical for the time of year.

The unadjusted data are of primary interest to consumers concerned about the prices they actually pay. Unadjusted data are also 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. BLS advises against the use of seasonally adjusted data in escalation agreements because seasonally adjusted series are revised annually.

Intervention Analysis

The Bureau of Labor Statistics uses Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment for some CPI series. Sometimes extreme values or sharp movements can distort the underlying seasonal pattern of price change. Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment is a process by which the distortions caused by such unusual events are estimated and removed from the data prior to calculation of seasonal factors. The resulting seasonal factors, which more accurately represent the seasonal pattern, are then applied to the unadjusted data.

2015 Series Adjusted Using Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment

For the seasonal factors introduced in January 2015, BLS adjusted 33 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 the response in crude oil markets to the worldwide economic downturn in 2008.

Revision of Seasonally Adjusted Indexes

Seasonally adjusted data, including the *U.S. city average All items* index levels, are subject to revision for up to five years after their original release. Every year, economists in the CPI calculate new seasonal factors for seasonally adjusted series and apply them to the last five years of data. Seasonally adjusted indexes beyond the last five years of data are considered to be final and not subject to revision. In January 2015, revised seasonal factors and seasonally adjusted indexes for 2009-2014 were calculated and published. For directly adjusted series, the seasonal factors for 2014 will be applied to data for 2015 to produce the seasonally adjusted 2015 indexes.

Determining Seasonal Status

Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. Using these criteria, BLS economists determine whether a series should change its status: from "not seasonally adjusted" to "seasonally adjusted," or vice versa. If any of the 82 components of the *U.S. city average all items* index 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 five years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes before that period will not be changed. Thirty-two of the 82 components of the *U.S. city average all items* index are not seasonally adjusted for 2015.

Contact Information

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 Christopher Graci, Justin Yarros, or Samuel An at (202) 691-6968 or by e-mail at Graci.Christopher@bls.gov, Yarros.Justin@bls.gov or An.Samuel@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>
Atlanta	(404) 893-4222
Baltimore (410) 962-4898	OK as is
Boston	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
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

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.