

CPI Detailed Report

Data for November 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>
December	January 20	March	April 14
January	February 19	April	May 17
February	March 16	May	June 16

CONSUMER PRICE MOVEMENTS NOVEMBER 2015

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) was unchanged in November on a seasonally adjusted basis, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 0.5 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The indexes for energy and food declined in November, offsetting an increase in the index for all items less food and energy and resulting in the seasonally adjusted all items index being unchanged. The energy index fell 1.3 percent, with all of the major component indexes declining except electricity. The food index fell 0.1 percent, as the index for food at home fell 0.3 percent, with five of the six major grocery store food group indexes declining.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.2 percent in November, the same increase as in September and October. The indexes for shelter, medical care, airline fares, new vehicles, and tobacco were among the indexes that rose in November. In contrast, the indexes for recreation, apparel, household furnishings and operations, and used cars and trucks all declined.

The all items index rose 0.5 percent over the last 12 months; this is the largest 12 month increase since the 12-month period ending December 2014. The food index rose 1.3 percent over the span, while the energy index declined 14.7 percent. The index for all items less food and energy rose 2.0 percent, its largest 12-month increase since the 12 months ending May 2014.

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 Nov. 2015
	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	
All items	0.4	0.3	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.2	0.0	0.5
Food .....	.0	.3	.2	.2	.4	.1	-.1	1.3
Food at home	-.2	.4	.3	.3	.3	.1	-.3	.3
Food away from home ¹ .....	.2	.2	.0	.2	.5	.2	.2	2.7
Energy	4.3	1.7	.1	-2.0	-4.7	.3	-1.3	-14.7
Energy commodities	9.6	3.1	.7	-4.1	-8.6	.4	-2.4	-24.2
Gasoline (all types)	10.4	3.4	.9	-4.1	-9.0	.4	-2.4	-24.1
Fuel oil ¹ .....	.7	-1.9	-3.4	-8.1	-2.4	-1.1	-1.3	-31.4
Energy services	-1.0	.2	-.6	.5	-.4	.2	-.1	-2.8
Electricity	-1.2	.2	-.4	.3	-.5	.4	.3	-.2
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.0	.3	-1.4	1.2	-.3	-.7	-1.9	-11.7
All items less food and energy .....	.1	.2	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	2.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	-.1	-.1	-.1	-.1	.0	-.1	-.2	-.6
New vehicles .....	.2	.1	-.2	.0	-.1	-.2	.1	.2
Used cars and trucks	-.4	-.4	-.6	-.4	-.2	-.3	-.1	-.6
Apparel	-.5	-.1	.3	.3	-.3	-.8	-.3	-1.5
Medical care commodities .....	.4	.0	.1	.3	-.2	.2	.3	2.5
Services less energy services .....	.2	.3	.2	.1	.3	.3	.3	2.9
Shelter .....	.2	.3	.4	.2	.3	.3	.2	3.2
Transportation services7	.4	-.2	-.3	.1	.2	.6	2.3
Medical care services2	-.2	.1	.0	.3	.8	.4	3.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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Food

The food index decreased 0.1 percent in November, its first decline since March. The food at home index fell 0.3 percent, as every major grocery store food group index except fruits and vegetables declined. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs declined for the third month in a row, falling 0.6 percent. The index for beef and veal fell 1.4 percent and the eggs index declined 3.8 percent. The index for dairy and related products also fell 0.6 percent, its third decline in the last 4 months. The indexes for cereal and bakery products and for nonalcoholic beverages both declined 0.5 percent in November after rising in October. The index for other food at home decreased

0.3 percent in November. The index for fruits and vegetables, in contrast, rose 0.6 percent, with the fresh vegetables index rising 0.9 percent but the index for fresh fruits declining 0.1 percent. The food at home index has increased 0.3 percent over the past 12 months, its smallest 12-month increase since the period ending June 2010. The indexes for dairy and related products and for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs have declined over the last 12 months. The index for food away from home increased 0.2 percent in November and has risen 2.7 percent over the last 12 months.

Energy

The energy index fell 1.3 percent in November after increasing 0.3 percent in October. The gasoline index, which increased 0.4 percent in October, fell 2.4 percent in November. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices declined 4.2 percent in November.) The index for natural gas also declined in November, falling 1.9 percent, and the fuel oil index decreased 1.3 percent. The electricity index, however, increased in November, rising 0.3 percent following a 0.4 percent increase last month. The electricity index has declined slightly over the past 12 months, falling 0.2 percent. Other energy components show larger declines over the past year; the fuel oil index has fallen 31.4 percent, the gasoline index has declined 24.1 percent, and the index for natural gas has decreased 11.7 percent.

All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy increased 0.2 percent in November. The shelter index increased 0.2 percent in November after rising 0.3 percent in both September and October. The indexes for rent and for owners' equivalent rent both advanced 0.2 percent, while the index for lodging away from home increased 1.0 percent. The medical care index increased 0.4 percent in November. The physicians' services index rose 1.1 percent and the index for prescription drugs index advanced 0.4 percent, but the index for hospital services declined, falling 0.2 percent after rising in October. The index for airline fares continued to rise, increasing 1.2 percent in November after a 1.5 percent increase in October. The index for tobacco rose 0.5 percent in November following a 0.4 percent increase the prior month. The new vehicles index rose slightly, increasing 0.1 percent in November after declining in September and October. Other indexes that increased in November include education, communication, and motor vehicle insurance. In contrast to these increases, the recreation index fell 0.2 percent in November, and the index for apparel declined 0.3 percent, its third consecutive decline. The index for household furnishings and operations declined 0.2 percent, its sixth decrease in the last 7 months. The index for used cars and trucks fell 0.1 percent in November, as did the index for alcoholic beverages. The personal care index was unchanged in November after rising in September and October.

The index for all items less food and energy increased 2.0 percent over the past 12 months. About two-thirds of this increase is accounted for by the shelter index, which rose 3.2 percent over the span. The medical care index increased 2.9 percent over the past 12 months, and the indexes for education, motor vehicle insurance, tobacco, alcoholic beverages, personal care, recreation, and new vehicles also increased. The indexes for apparel, airline fares, communication, household furnishings and operations, and used cars and trucks are among the indexes that declined over the past 12 months.

Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.5 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 237.336 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index declined 0.2 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 0.1 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 231.721 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index declined 0.3 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 0.1 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index declined 0.3 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 December 2015 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, January 20, 2016, at 8:30 a.m. (EST).

CPI-U 12-Month Changes, 2005 to Present

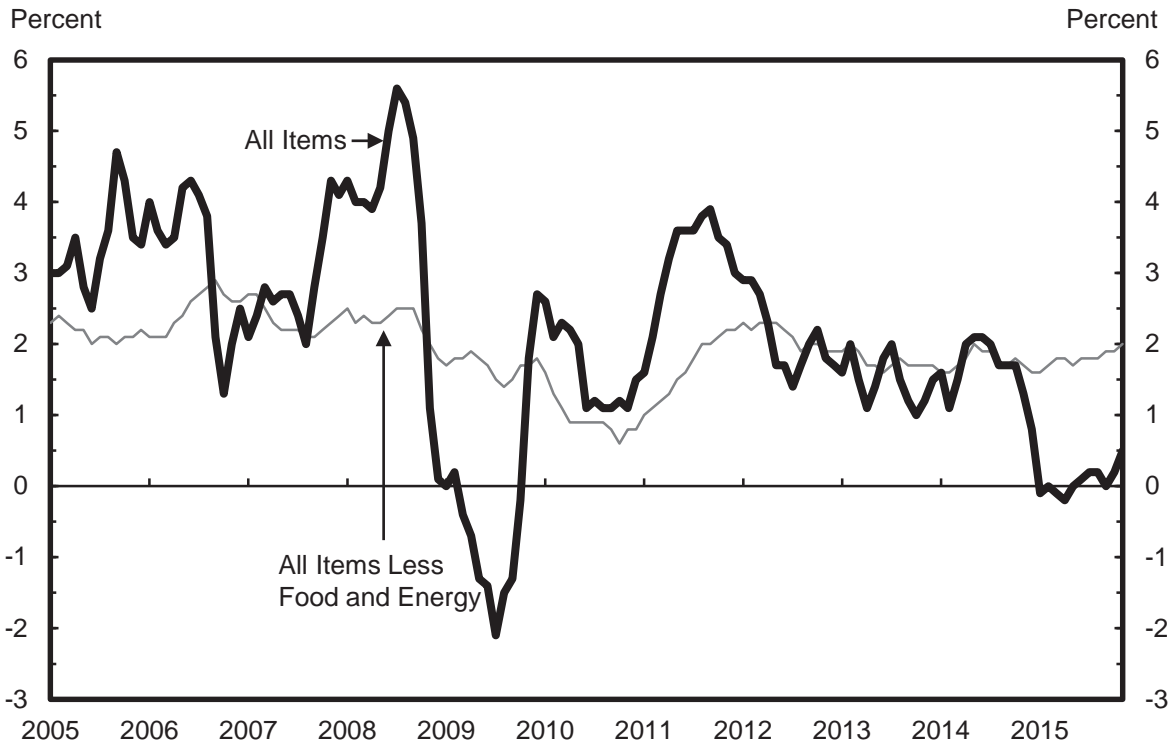


Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	237.838	237.336	0.5	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100)	-	712.458	710.952	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	15.272	248.575	247.870	1.2	-3	.4	.2	-1
Food	14.257	249.052	248.306	1.3	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food at home	8.427	243.779	242.240	.3	-6	.3	.1	-3
Cereals and bakery products	1.138	275.753	273.752	1.3	-7	-2	.8	-5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.014	261.568	259.141	-5	-9	-3	-5	-6
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.898	221.874	220.613	-3.4	-6	.7	-2	-6
Fruits and vegetables	1.379	297.931	298.037	1.4	.0	.7	.5	.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.955	169.045	167.498	.0	-9	-1	.2	-5
Other food at home	2.043	210.636	209.315	1.5	-6	.8	.1	-3
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.299	216.697	215.569	3.2	-5	.5	-7	-5
Fats and oils .....	.245	230.541	225.426	-1.7	-2.2	.4	1.0	-1.2
Other foods	1.499	224.702	223.825	1.7	-4	.9	.2	-2
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.444	132.531	132.781	1.0	.2	.3	.9	.2
Food away from home ¹	5.830	258.363	258.805	2.7	.2	.5	.2	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.319	180.884	181.630	4.0	.4	-1	.0	.4
Alcoholic beverages	1.015	240.656	240.512	.4	-1	.1	.6	-1
Housing	42.173	239.395	239.325	2.1	.0	.3	.2	.2
Shelter	32.711	281.499	281.932	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	7.159	289.428	290.322	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.2
Lodging away from home ² .....	.839	152.228	145.660	2.8	-4.3	.8	.8	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	24.339	288.700	289.480	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	22.918	288.656	289.436	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.375	146.570	147.024	2.3	.3	.1	.0	.3
Fuels and utilities	5.273	226.784	224.606	-2.2	-1.0	-2	.2	.0
Household energy	4.051	190.269	187.674	-4.1	-1.4	-5	.2	-1
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.236	238.466	238.016	-24.0	-2	-1.4	.8	-2
Energy services ³	3.815	194.713	191.941	-2.8	-1.4	-4	.2	-1
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.222	216.380	217.004	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Household furnishings and operations	4.189	122.422	121.994	-6	-3	.3	-1	-2
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.848	168.166	168.432	2.6	.2	-1	.0	.2
Apparel	3.343	129.446	127.039	-1.5	-1.9	-3	-.8	-3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.834	121.393	120.613	-3	-6	1.2	-1.0	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	1.439	115.913	112.578	-3.2	-2.9	-9	-.7	-7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.135	123.786	125.069	4.9	1.0	.1	-2.2	1.0
Footwear .....	.725	139.431	137.649	-5	-1.3	-9	-.4	-1
Transportation	15.289	195.858	194.404	-6.0	-7	-2.3	.1	-4
Private transportation	14.167	190.464	188.675	-6.4	-9	-2.5	.0	-4
New and used motor vehicles ²	5.720	100.134	99.778	-1	-4	-2	-.2	.0
New vehicles	3.551	146.516	146.804	.2	.2	-1	-.2	.1
Used cars and trucks	1.591	145.821	143.247	-6	-1.8	-2	-.3	-1
Motor fuel	3.979	199.996	191.680	-24.2	-4.2	-8.9	.4	-2.5
Gasoline (all types)	3.904	199.077	190.701	-24.1	-4.2	-9.0	.4	-2.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.435	143.209	143.967	-1	.5	.5	-.9	.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.168	271.804	272.090	1.4	.1	.1	.3	.1
Public transportation	1.122	266.338	270.809	-1.8	1.7	-1	1.3	.5
Medical care	7.716	450.065	451.371	2.9	.3	.2	.7	.4
Medical care commodities	1.772	355.894	356.286	2.5	.1	-2	.2	.3
Medical care services	5.944	480.245	481.894	3.1	.3	.3	.8	.4
Professional services	3.032	362.335	364.456	2.0	.6	.2	.0	.7

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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Hospital and related services	2.159	774.045	773.151	4.4	-0.1	0.2	1.8	-0.1
Recreation ²	5.750	116.100	115.763	.6	-.3	.0	.2	-.2
Video and audio ²	1.847	99.495	99.414	.5	-.1	.1	.5	.1
Education and communication ²	7.062	139.344	139.527	1.3	.1	.3	.3	.3
Education ²	3.325	244.700	244.865	3.7	.1	.3	.4	.3
Educational books and supplies .....	.203	658.714	660.713	4.6	.3	.3	.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	3.122	700.786	701.154	3.7	.1	.3	.4	.3
Communication ²	3.737	80.202	80.355	-.8	.2	.3	.2	.3
Information and information processing ²	3.593	76.373	76.521	-.8	.2	.3	.2	.3
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.462	99.835	100.269	.6	.4	.3	.2	.4
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	1.132	7.959	7.932	-3.8	-.3	.4	.4	-.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶ .....	.272	47.094	46.716	-7.0	-.8	.8	-.9	-.7
Other goods and services	3.394	417.968	418.351	2.1	.1	.2	.5	.1
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.718	940.901	943.157	3.7	.2	-.1	.4	.5
Personal care	2.676	222.252	222.367	1.7	.1	.3	.5	.0
Personal care products ¹ .....	.724	163.474	163.143	-.1	-.2	.3	.6	-.2
Personal care services ¹ .....	.638	249.662	250.679	3.1	.4	.3	.1	.4
Miscellaneous personal services	1.122	403.258	403.691	2.9	.1	.4	.4	.2
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	37.880	181.306	179.825	-2.8	-.8	-.8	.0	-.4
Food and beverages	15.272	248.575	247.870	1.2	-.3	.4	.2	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	22.608	147.873	146.120	-5.4	-1.2	-1.6	-.1	-5.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.658	187.410	184.361	-8.1	-1.6	-2.9	.3	.2
Apparel	3.343	129.446	127.039	-1.5	-1.9	-.3	-.8	-.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.315	227.771	224.255	-10.3	-1.5	-3.8	.4	.4
Durables	8.950	108.500	107.926	-1.0	-.5	.1	-.2	-.2
Services	62.120	293.683	294.118	2.5	.1	.2	.3	.3
Rent of shelter ⁴	32.336	293.221	293.667	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.375	146.570	147.024	2.3	.3	.1	.0	.3
Energy services ³	3.815	194.713	191.941	-2.8	-1.4	-.4	.2	-.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.222	216.380	217.004	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.848	168.166	168.432	2.6	.2	-.1	.0	.2
Transportation services	5.625	291.969	294.800	2.3	1.0	.1	.2	.6
Medical care services	5.944	480.245	481.894	3.1	.3	.3	.8	.4
Other services	11.955	342.079	342.467	2.1	.1	.2	.3	.2
Special indexes								
All items less food	85.743	236.097	235.633	.4	-.2	-.2	.2	.1
All items less shelter	67.289	223.404	222.526	-.8	-.4	-.4	.2	-.1
All items less medical care	92.284	227.620	227.042	.3	-.3	-.2	.2	.0
Commodities less food	23.623	150.998	149.282	-5.1	-1.1	-1.5	.0	-5.5
Nondurables less food	14.673	190.523	187.637	-7.6	-1.5	-2.7	.3	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.330	227.800	224.602	-9.4	-1.4	-3.5	.5	.4
Nondurables	28.930	217.382	215.413	-3.3	-.9	-1.3	.3	.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	29.784	316.949	317.405	1.8	.1	.1	.4	.3
Services less medical care services	56.176	279.509	279.865	2.5	.1	.2	.3	.3
Energy	8.030	194.501	189.267	-14.7	-2.7	-4.7	.3	-1.3
All items less energy	91.970	244.059	244.023	1.9	.0	.2	.2	.1
All items less food and energy	77.713	243.985	244.075	2.0	.0	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	19.408	146.504	145.624	-.6	-.6	.0	-.1	-.2
Energy commodities	4.215	203.338	195.291	-24.2	-4.0	-8.6	.4	-2.4
Services less energy services	58.305	303.694	304.441	2.9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.420	\$.421	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.140	\$.141	-	-	-	-	-

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—		
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	237.931	237.566	238.042	238.111	-3.1	3.2	1.5	0.3	0.0	0.9
Food and beverages	247.254	248.151	248.575	248.302	1.2	-7	2.6	1.7	.3	2.2
Food	247.729	248.676	249.027	248.744	1.4	-8	2.8	1.6	.3	2.2
Food at home	242.843	243.506	243.737	242.971	.5	-3.1	3.6	.2	-1.3	1.9
Cereals and bakery products	274.460	273.839	275.952	274.626	2.6	.0	2.3	.2	1.3	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.851	262.053	260.676	259.178	2.4	-6.7	8.4	-5.5	-2.2	1.2
Dairy and related products ¹	220.716	222.310	221.874	220.613	-4.9	-7.7	-6	-2	-6.4	-4
Fruits and vegetables	294.729	296.841	298.407	300.052	-3.5	-3.3	5.4	7.4	-3.4	6.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	168.487	168.332	168.600	167.698	1.1	-1.4	2.2	-1.9	-2	.1
Other food at home	209.175	210.863	211.135	210.424	2.5	.2	.9	2.4	1.4	1.7
Sugar and sweets ¹	217.194	218.193	216.697	215.569	15.6	-4	1.5	-3.0	7.3	-8
Fats and oils	226.521	227.365	229.545	226.873	-4.0	-3.5	.3	.6	-3.8	.5
Other foods	223.107	225.222	225.586	225.210	1.1	1.0	.9	3.8	1.1	2.3
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	130.940	131.355	132.531	132.781	-8	1.2	-2.1	5.7	.2	1.8
Food away from home ¹	256.449	257.830	258.363	258.805	2.8	2.6	1.8	3.7	2.7	2.7
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	180.918	180.822	180.884	181.630	4.5	6.7	3.3	1.6	5.6	2.4
Alcoholic beverages	239.363	239.572	241.000	240.859	-2.1	1.5	-3	2.5	-3	1.1
Housing	238.600	239.223	239.714	240.100	2.1	1.4	2.5	2.5	1.7	2.5
Shelter	279.908	280.837	281.544	282.206	2.9	3.0	3.6	3.3	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ³	287.419	288.557	289.387	290.023	3.2	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	151.711	152.849	154.084	155.653	4.8	-5.2	1.4	10.8	-3	6.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	287.138	288.000	288.645	289.249	2.6	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	287.097	287.957	288.602	289.205	2.6	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.333	146.523	146.570	147.024	6.5	1.2	-1	1.9	3.8	.9
Fuels and utilities	229.130	228.595	228.948	228.921	.4	-8.2	-2	-4	-4.0	-3
Household energy	193.182	192.282	192.668	192.408	-7	-11.6	-1.8	-1.6	-6.3	-1.7
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	239.905	236.603	238.466	238.016	-37.3	-17.0	-33.9	-3.1	-27.8	-20.0
Energy services ³	197.785	196.954	197.293	197.032	2.1	-11.3	.3	-1.5	-4.8	-6
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.292	216.370	216.385	217.199	4.1	3.8	4.8	3.6	3.9	4.2
Household furnishings and operations	122.239	122.627	122.498	122.231	-1.6	1.7	-2.3	.0	.1	-1.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	168.204	168.092	168.166	168.432	1.1	4.8	4.2	.5	2.9	2.3
Apparel	126.545	126.175	125.173	124.775	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-5.5	-1.2	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	118.628	120.030	118.781	119.029	6.4	-3.9	-4.7	1.4	1.1	-1.7
Women's and girls' apparel	112.142	111.104	110.283	109.471	-5.1	-8	2.8	-9.2	-2.9	-3.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	124.553	124.687	121.953	123.193	-5.5	6.3	25.7	-4.3	.2	9.7
Footwear	138.018	136.764	136.181	136.021	-1.3	1.3	3.7	-5.7	.0	-1.1
Transportation	202.223	197.581	197.715	197.014	-24.9	15.1	-1.0	-9.9	-7.0	-5.6
Private transportation	197.280	192.413	192.355	191.546	-26.3	15.9	.0	-11.1	-7.6	-5.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.742	100.566	100.340	100.377	.0	2.9	-2.0	-1.4	1.5	-1.7
New vehicles	147.347	147.247	146.962	147.044	.0	2.1	-4	-8	1.1	-6
Used cars and trucks	146.751	146.416	145.982	145.817	-1	5.9	-5.4	-2.5	2.8	-4.0
Motor fuel	226.975	206.666	207.465	202.322	-67.3	60.4	-2	-36.9	-27.6	-20.6
Gasoline (all types)	226.047	205.758	206.642	201.580	-67.4	61.1	.2	-36.8	-27.6	-20.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	143.793	144.496	143.209	143.967	2.9	-1.5	-2.2	.5	.7	-8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	270.838	271.119	271.804	272.090	1.1	2.4	.1	1.9	1.8	1.0
Public transportation	264.216	263.965	267.392	268.620	-4.9	5.8	-13.3	6.8	.3	-3.8
Medical care	446.812	447.593	450.744	452.371	1.8	5.0	.0	5.1	3.4	2.5
Medical care commodities	355.992	355.376	356.150	357.200	5.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	3.5	1.5
Medical care services	475.708	477.034	481.082	482.913	.8	5.9	-4	6.2	3.3	2.8
Professional services	361.849	362.666	362.803	365.223	.0	2.9	1.4	3.8	1.5	2.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Hospital and related services	761.108	762.769	776.491	775.353	1.9	11.2	-2.7	7.7	6.5	2.4
Recreation ²	116.064	116.087	116.307	116.091	.5	1.4	.6	.1	1.0	.3
Video and audio ²	99.306	99.414	99.910	100.006	.8	-8	-.7	2.8	.0	1.1
Education and communication ²	138.082	138.484	138.931	139.302	.1	-.6	1.1	3.6	.3	2.3
Education ²	241.130	241.774	242.798	243.463	3.9	4.9	2.1	3.9	4.4	3.0
Educational books and supplies	649.695	651.339	653.765	657.641	6.5	4.4	2.4	5.0	5.5	3.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	690.523	692.375	695.328	697.090	3.7	5.0	2.1	3.9	4.3	3.0
Communication ²	79.887	80.137	80.322	80.531	-3.2	-3.2	.1	3.3	-3.2	1.7
Information and information processing ²	76.047	76.283	76.461	76.653	-2.9	-3.4	-.1	3.2	-3.2	1.6
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.409	99.671	99.835	100.269	-1.6	-3.4	3.9	3.5	-2.5	3.7
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	7.925	7.958	7.989	7.976	-6.8	-3.5	-8.4	2.6	-5.2	-3.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶	47.381	47.747	47.322	47.010	-12.2	-4.7	-7.6	-3.1	-8.5	-5.4
Other goods and services	415.483	416.265	418.141	418.694	1.6	1.4	2.2	3.1	1.5	2.7
Tobacco and smoking products	936.553	936.064	940.224	945.322	2.9	2.9	5.2	3.8	2.9	4.5
Personal care	220.851	221.411	222.412	222.460	1.2	1.0	1.5	2.9	1.1	2.2
Personal care products ¹	161.877	162.437	163.474	163.143	3.4	-3.4	-3.2	3.2	-.1	-.1
Personal care services ¹	248.794	249.468	249.662	250.679	-1.2	3.9	6.7	3.1	1.3	4.9
Miscellaneous personal services	400.213	401.914	403.355	404.042	2.1	2.3	3.2	3.9	2.2	3.5
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	182.897	181.448	181.493	180.827	-11.4	4.9	.1	-4.5	-3.6	-2.2
Food and beverages	247.254	248.151	248.575	248.302	1.2	-.7	2.6	1.7	.3	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages	150.617	148.245	148.132	147.325	-19.0	8.8	-1.6	-8.5	-6.1	-5.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	191.979	186.407	186.896	187.209	-28.0	10.8	-1.4	-9.6	-10.6	-5.6
Apparel	126.545	126.175	125.173	124.775	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-5.5	-1.2	-1.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	237.323	228.194	229.192	230.081	-35.1	15.7	-2.3	-11.7	-13.4	-7.1
Durables	108.823	108.942	108.741	108.475	-1.1	1.6	-3.2	-1.3	.3	-2.2
Services	292.322	293.001	293.914	294.679	2.3	2.2	2.4	3.3	2.2	2.8
Rent of shelter ⁴	291.529	292.506	293.309	293.911	2.9	2.9	3.7	3.3	2.9	3.5
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.333	146.523	146.570	147.024	6.5	1.2	-.1	1.9	3.8	.9
Energy services ³	197.785	196.954	197.293	197.032	2.1	-11.3	.3	-1.5	-4.8	-.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.292	216.370	216.385	217.199	4.1	3.8	4.8	3.6	3.9	4.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	168.204	168.092	168.166	168.432	1.1	4.8	4.2	.5	2.9	2.3
Transportation services	290.779	291.206	291.839	293.631	2.5	3.4	-.7	4.0	3.0	1.6
Medical care services	475.708	477.034	481.082	482.913	.8	5.9	-.4	6.2	3.3	2.8
Other services	339.950	340.533	341.716	342.470	1.4	1.8	2.3	3.0	1.6	2.7
Special indexes										
All items less food	236.413	235.841	236.337	236.461	-3.9	3.8	1.3	.1	-.1	.7
All items less shelter	224.163	223.283	223.672	223.508	-5.9	3.3	.5	-1.2	-1.4	-.3
All items less medical care	227.855	227.443	227.802	227.804	-3.5	3.0	1.7	-.1	-.3	.8
Commodities less food	153.641	151.331	151.259	150.468	-18.3	8.5	-1.5	-8.0	-5.9	-4.8
Nondurables less food	194.747	189.491	190.046	190.357	-26.4	10.0	-1.3	-8.7	-10.0	-5.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	236.306	227.996	229.118	229.993	-32.7	14.1	-2.1	-10.3	-12.4	-6.3
Nondurables	219.127	216.387	217.061	217.301	-13.7	3.9	.8	-3.3	-5.3	-1.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	315.872	316.233	317.540	318.616	1.5	1.2	1.1	3.5	1.3	2.3
Services less medical care services	278.394	279.033	279.767	280.499	2.4	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.0	3.0
Energy	208.521	198.661	199.238	196.723	-43.0	17.9	-1.0	-20.8	-18.0	-11.4
All items less energy	242.766	243.343	243.812	244.139	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.3	1.8	2.0
All items less food and energy	242.693	243.206	243.698	244.135	1.6	2.5	1.6	2.4	2.1	2.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.982	146.018	145.819	145.588	-.6	.9	-1.4	-1.1	.1	-1.2
Energy commodities	229.439	209.695	210.546	205.563	-66.2	54.8	-2.1	-35.6	-27.6	-20.6
Services less energy services	301.901	302.727	303.697	304.562	2.3	3.1	2.5	3.6	2.7	3.0

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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	237.838	237.336	0.5	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100)	-	712.458	710.952	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	15.272	248.575	247.870	1.2	-3	.4	.2	-1
Food	14.257	249.052	248.306	1.3	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food at home	8.427	243.779	242.240	.3	-6	.3	.1	-3
Cereals and bakery products	1.138	275.753	273.752	1.3	-7	-2	.8	-5
Cereals and cereal products .....	.370	234.718	231.769	.1	-1.3	-8	1.3	-1.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.048	241.338	232.487	-2.8	-3.7	1.2	-7	-9
Breakfast cereal ¹ .....	.197	231.909	229.607	-6	-1.0	-1.7	2.4	-1.0
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹ .....	.126	241.909	240.058	2.2	-8	-1.9	1.4	-8
Rice ^{1 2 3}	-	166.795	166.908	-8	.1	-1.8	2.2	.1
Bakery products .....	.767	298.941	297.539	1.8	-5	.1	.4	.0
Bread ³ .....	.230	179.212	179.871	2.2	.4	.8	.2	.4
White bread ^{1 2}	-	324.115	323.439	1.7	-2	1.4	-5	-2
Bread other than white ^{1 2}	-	346.852	350.054	3.0	.9	.2	.3	.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ³ .....	.116	178.452	178.001	2.3	-3	.0	.6	.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.189	282.084	281.813	1.8	-1	-5	-1	-1.0
Cookies ²	-	270.045	268.687	-5	-5	-1.0	-6	-2.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	-	298.398	299.012	5.0	.2	.3	1.4	.2
Other bakery products .....	.233	268.190	263.670	1.2	-1.7	-1	.9	.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 2}	-	296.163	298.636	4.2	.8	-4	.2	.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	-	308.930	301.365	.6	-2.4	-8	.5	.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ²	-	270.095	264.986	-3	-1.9	-1.1	1.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.014	261.568	259.141	-5	-9	-3	-5	-6
Meats, poultry, and fish	1.880	258.032	255.911	-2.1	-8	-3	-1	-3
Meats	1.229	264.906	261.591	-2.1	-1.3	.1	-2	-6
Beef and veal ¹ .....	.582	319.940	315.453	-1.3	-1.4	-6	-1.0	-1.4
Uncooked ground beef ¹ .....	.238	290.435	286.893	-3.3	-1.2	-5	-8	-1.2
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 3} .....	.085	235.869	232.795	-2.3	-1.3	-1.3	-1.0	-1.3
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 3} .....	.207	215.305	211.472	1.7	-1.8	-6	-1.2	-1.8
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 3} .....	.053	235.187	233.218	-2.0	-8	-3	-1.3	-8
Pork .....	.372	221.528	216.428	-6.6	-2.3	.9	.9	-1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ³ .....	.141	160.692	158.455	-2.3	-1.4	1.5	2.1	1.2
Bacon and related products ²	-	296.871	295.115	.6	-6	3.5	3.4	1.4
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2 3}	-	146.263	142.098	-6.8	-2.8	-1.1	-3	-5
Ham .....	.078	218.647	208.510	-11.1	-4.6	.0	1.1	-1.4
Ham, excluding canned ²	-	245.779	232.470	-13.1	-5.4	-3	1.5	-1.8
Pork chops .....	.064	196.741	193.013	-8.3	-1.9	1.0	1.0	-9
Other pork including roasts and picnics ³ .....	.089	137.864	135.069	-8.0	-2.0	.3	-1	-1.3
Other meats .....	.275	230.582	231.562	2.2	.4	.5	.3	.3
Frankfurters ²	-	238.062	239.282	6.8	.5	3.3	1.7	-1.0
Lunchmeats ^{2 3}	-	148.695	149.702	2.3	.7	.5	.0	.8
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 2}	-	333.408	328.743	-2	-1.4	-1.5	.9	-1.4
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	-	182.134	179.742	1.0	-1.3	-5	1.3	-1.3
Poultry .....	.360	236.150	235.428	-1.3	-3	-1.0	.5	.5
Chicken ^{1 3} .....	.294	150.875	151.342	-1.7	.3	-9	.4	.3
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 2}	-	247.292	250.663	-1.6	1.4	-3.0	.7	1.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 2}	-	225.242	225.208	-2.0	.0	.0	.6	.0
Other poultry including turkey ³ .....	.066	158.680	154.155	.9	-2.9	-1.7	1.8	.4
Fish and seafood .....	.291	281.766	282.827	-3.1	.4	-8	-8	.2
Fresh fish and seafood ³ .....	.148	171.066	170.835	-3.0	-1	-8	-8	.0
Processed fish and seafood ³ .....	.142	144.464	145.787	-3.1	.9	-1.1	-1.0	.6
Shelf stable fish and seafood ^{1 2}	-	202.976	202.884	-1	.0	.0	.3	.0
Frozen fish and seafood ²	-	303.469	307.024	-5.9	1.2	-2.0	-2.0	.7
Eggs .....	.134	311.713	304.898	23.7	-2.2	-6	-4.8	-3.8
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.898	221.874	220.613	-3.4	-6	.7	-2	-6
Milk ^{1 3} .....	.283	145.685	144.813	-7.7	-6	.6	-7	-6
Fresh whole milk ^{1 2}	-	210.449	208.448	-9.5	-1.0	.6	-1	-1.0
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	-	149.187	148.208	-6.6	-7	.2	-9	-7
Cheese and related products .....	.286	232.850	232.164	-3.3	-3	.6	-8	.0
Ice cream and related products .....	.126	221.521	220.398	.8	-5	.0	.0	-6
Other dairy and related products ^{1 3} .....	.204	147.861	146.471	-3	-9	.2	-3	-9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Fruits and vegetables	1.379	297.931	298.037	1.4	0.0	0.7	0.5	0.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.076	344.528	345.689	1.4	.3	.9	1.1	.4
Fresh fruits .....	.575	363.315	362.153	1.1	-.3	-.9	1.6	-.1
Apples .....	.083	324.475	328.974	1.7	1.4	2.8	3.5	2.2
Bananas .....	.087	200.414	200.597	-1.2	.1	-.7	-.3	1.2
Citrus fruits ³ .....	.146	257.875	236.456	1.2	-8.3	.4	2.0	1.4
Oranges, including tangerines ²	-	547.521	488.083	1.5	-10.9	.3	2.8	.1
Other fresh fruits ³ .....	.259	120.170	125.727	1.5	4.6	-.9	-.5	.5
Fresh vegetables .....	.500	323.484	327.106	1.8	1.1	1.0	.5	.9
Potatoes .....	.075	332.506	309.410	.0	-6.9	1.2	2.6	-2.2
Lettuce .....	.072	315.072	331.356	1.7	5.2	4.7	1.2	.5
Tomatoes ¹ .....	.102	327.462	342.969	-2.6	4.7	2.3	2.3	4.7
Other fresh vegetables .....	.251	326.023	330.298	4.1	1.3	.6	-.4	1.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.303	157.214	155.609	1.3	-1.0	.0	-1.5	1.2
Canned fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.157	160.605	158.670	.8	-1.2	.0	-2.3	1.3
Canned fruits ^{2 3}	-	158.675	156.376	5.0	-1.4	1.7	-1.1	1.4
Canned vegetables ^{2 3}	-	167.087	164.802	-1.3	-1.4	-.8	-3.1	.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables ³ .....	.088	147.523	146.176	1.3	-.9	-1.1	-.4	.2
Frozen vegetables ²	-	201.243	198.122	1.0	-1.6	-.4	-.7	.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ³ .....	.057	162.866	161.742	2.4	-.7	-1.1	-.4	1.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2 3}	-	205.330	205.293	1.2	.0	-1.0	.0	.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.955	169.045	167.498	.0	-.9	-1.1	.2	-.5
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ³ .....	.699	130.044	128.836	.5	-.9	-.2	.3	-.6
Carbonated drinks .....	.285	161.035	158.442	.5	-1.6	-.3	-.2	-.3
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 3} .....	.014	178.203	176.693	-.1	-.8	.2	.3	-.8
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ³ .....	.400	119.622	119.091	.6	-.4	.5	.8	-.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ³ .....	.256	119.453	118.407	-1.5	-.9	-.8	-.3	-.7
Coffee .....	.158	203.500	199.722	-2.0	-1.9	-.6	-.5	-1.2
Roasted coffee ²	-	212.999	209.850	-.8	-1.5	-.2	-.4	-.8
Instant and freeze dried coffee ^{1 2}	-	196.716	196.525	-3.7	-.1	-.9	-1.1	-.1
Other beverage materials including tea ³ .....	.099	127.409	128.314	-.7	.7	-1.4	.0	1.0
Other food at home	2.043	210.636	209.315	1.5	-.6	.8	.1	-.3
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.299	216.697	215.569	3.2	-.5	.5	-.7	-.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.054	190.930	184.969	4.2	-3.1	-.3	-.5	-1.4
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 3} .....	.185	146.318	146.485	3.9	.1	.8	-.4	.1
Other sweets ³ .....	.060	151.768	151.705	.2	.0	-.3	-.9	1.5
Fats and oils .....	.245	230.541	225.426	-1.7	-2.2	.4	1.0	-1.2
Butter and margarine ³ .....	.077	210.031	201.260	-2.1	-4.2	.8	4.0	-2.3
Butter ²	-	250.853	237.240	-4.1	-5.4	2.2	5.3	-3.1
Margarine ²	-	294.745	289.489	.2	-1.8	-.5	2.2	.0
Salad dressing ³ .....	.062	132.767	130.354	.6	-1.8	.2	.3	-1.2
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ³ .....	.107	157.479	155.931	-2.7	-1.0	-.3	-.8	.0
Peanut butter ^{1 2 3}	-	160.018	155.513	-5.6	-2.8	1.2	-.1	-2.8
Other foods	1.499	224.702	223.825	1.7	-.4	.9	.2	-.2
Soups .....	.093	238.130	233.845	1.6	-1.8	1.6	1.6	-1.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹ .....	.285	172.038	171.427	.4	-.4	1.0	-.3	-.4
Snacks ¹ .....	.330	251.257	251.557	2.3	.1	.3	-.5	.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.292	238.359	235.097	4.1	-1.4	1.3	.1	.6
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2 3}	-	148.912	147.601	4.5	-.9	-.5	1.9	-.5
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2 3}	-	141.617	138.744	4.7	-2.0	2.5	1.5	-2.0
Sauces and gravies ^{2 3}	-	137.366	135.098	3.0	-1.7	2.9	-1.5	.7
Other condiments ²	-	273.362	267.944	2.7	-2.0	2.8	-.1	-1.0
Baby food ^{1 3} .....	.055	153.876	153.215	-1.4	-.4	1.0	-.6	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 3} .....	.444	132.531	132.781	1.0	.2	.3	.9	.2
Prepared salads ^{1 2 4}	-	124.285	125.455	4.8	.9	2.1	.4	.9
Food away from home ¹	5.830	258.363	258.805	2.7	.2	.5	.2	.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 3}	2.823	160.632	160.888	2.4	.2	.2	.2	.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 3}	2.413	164.621	164.907	2.7	.2	.4	.2	.2
Food at employee sites and schools ³ .....	.212	168.124	168.027	4.9	-.1	6.7	1.3	.1
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{2 5}	-	141.218	140.900	4.4	-.2	7.2	2.3	-.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 3}064	146.481	146.661	2.2	.1	.2	-.2	.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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Other food away from home ^{1 3} .....	.319	180.884	181.630	4.0	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.4
Alcoholic beverages	1.015	240.656	240.512	.4	-1	.1	.6	-1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.597	198.361	198.036	-.2	-.2	.0	1.0	-1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.274	216.970	217.315	.8	.2	.2	1.0	-.4
Distilled spirits at home .....	.073	192.477	192.107	-.6	-.2	-.5	.5	.3
Whiskey at home ^{1 2}	-	205.618	206.706	.0	.5	-1.0	.3	.5
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	-	186.322	185.315	-.9	-.5	.4	.0	.0
Wine at home .....	.250	169.034	168.168	-1.0	-.5	-.2	1.3	-.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹ .....	.418	331.711	332.004	1.2	.1	.1	.1	.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	164.047	164.095	1.1	.0	.2	.2	.0
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	178.396	178.208	.6	-.1	-.1	.0	-.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	178.976	179.672	3.6	.4	.5	.1	.4
Housing	42.173	239.395	239.325	2.1	.0	.3	.2	.2
Shelter	32.711	281.499	281.932	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁶	7.159	289.428	290.322	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.2
Lodging away from home ³ .....	.839	152.228	145.660	2.8	-4.3	.8	.8	1.0
Housing at school, excluding board ^{6 7} .....	.172	516.911	517.063	2.9	.0	.4	.5	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.666	314.194	297.375	2.7	-5.4	.8	.9	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{6 7}	24.339	288.700	289.480	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{6 7}	22.918	288.656	289.436	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 3} .....	.375	146.570	147.024	2.3	.3	.1	.0	.3
Fuels and utilities	5.273	226.784	224.606	-2.2	-1.0	-2.2	.2	.0
Household energy	4.051	190.269	187.674	-4.1	-1.4	-5.2	.2	-1
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.236	238.466	238.016	-24.0	-.2	-1.4	.8	-.2
Fuel oil ¹ .....	.139	229.191	226.289	-31.4	-1.3	-2.4	-1.1	-1.3
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸ .....	.097	296.963	300.407	-12.6	1.2	-1.1	2.1	-1.2
Energy services ⁶	3.815	194.713	191.941	-2.8	-1.4	-4	.2	-1
Electricity ⁶	2.940	205.604	202.479	-.2	-1.5	-5	.4	.3
Utility (piped) gas service ⁶ .....	.875	159.422	157.750	-11.7	-1.0	-3	-.7	-1.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services ³	1.222	216.380	217.004	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁶ .....	.945	499.187	500.515	4.6	.3	.6	-.1	.4
Garbage and trash collection ⁹ .....	.277	434.829	436.428	2.0	.4	.2	.2	.4
Household furnishings and operations	4.189	122.422	121.994	-.6	-.3	.3	-.1	-.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 3} .....	.266	60.109	60.288	-4.1	.3	.3	-.8	.3
Floor coverings ^{1 3} .....	.047	108.369	108.247	.2	-.1	-.7	.8	-.1
Window coverings ^{1 3} .....	.053	66.360	66.982	-10.3	.9	.2	-.8	.9
Other linens ^{1 3} .....	.166	47.681	47.788	-3.3	.2	.6	-1.2	.2
Furniture and bedding ¹ .....	.769	114.028	113.993	-.6	.0	.5	.0	.0
Bedroom furniture ¹ .....	.268	130.279	131.052	-.5	.6	.5	-.1	.6
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 3} .....	.363	86.200	85.767	-1.1	-.5	.4	.2	-.5
Other furniture ³ .....	.128	74.515	74.501	.7	.0	1.9	-1.0	-.6
Infants' furniture ^{1 2 5}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ³ .....	.271	78.515	76.943	-4.2	-2.0	.0	-.5	-1.3
Major appliances ³ .....	.147	87.030	84.454	-4.6	-3.0	.9	-1.5	-1.6
Laundry equipment ²	-	99.732	96.468	-2.6	-3.3	1.3	-.3	-2.7
Other appliances ^{1 3} .....	.120	67.130	66.591	-3.8	-.8	-.9	.3	-.8
Other household equipment and furnishings ³ .....	.479	59.263	58.004	-3.1	-2.1	1.3	.2	-2.0
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹ .....	.257	47.058	45.567	-6.1	-3.2	.4	.4	-3.2
Indoor plants and flowers ¹⁰ .....	.107	130.112	130.442	3.1	.3	2.4	.9	.2
Dishes and flatware ^{1 3} .....	.041	57.069	55.544	1.6	-2.7	1.0	-.1	-2.7
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ³ .....	.074	90.013	88.456	-3.9	-1.7	-.6	-.3	-1.2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ³ .....	.710	91.074	90.632	-.4	-.5	.3	.8	-.4
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 3} .....	.189	99.818	98.844	-1.6	-1.0	-.1	.3	-1.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ³ .....	.367	86.882	86.680	.2	-.2	.8	.7	-.3
Housekeeping supplies ¹ .....	.847	186.046	186.573	-.2	.3	.0	-.1	.3
Household cleaning products ³ .....	.337	118.490	118.597	-.3	.1	.2	-.7	-.2
Household paper products ^{1 3} .....	.247	168.943	169.704	.2	.5	.3	-.1	.5
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 3} .....	.263	118.268	118.708	-.4	.4	-.6	.0	.4
Household operations ^{1 3} .....	.848	168.166	168.432	2.6	.2	-.1	.0	.2
Domestic services ^{1 3}279	155.831	156.046	.9	.1	-	-	.1
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 3}279	172.656	172.899	2.3	.1	.0	-.1	.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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Moving, storage, freight expense ³ .....	.116	144.862	144.616	7.1	-0.2	0.3	0.4	0.0
Repair of household items ^{1 3} .....	.066	221.581	223.449	3.5	.8	.2	.5	.8
Apparel	3.343	129.446	127.039	-1.5	-1.9	-3	-8	-3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.834	121.393	120.613	-.3	-.6	1.2	-1.0	.2
Men's apparel .....	.653	125.137	123.523	-1.4	-1.3	2.1	-2.1	-3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.104	114.847	109.473	-4.0	-4.7	-3.9	.1	-4.7
Men's furnishings .....	.185	151.720	155.739	-1.9	2.6	-1.3	-.6	2.3
Men's shirts and sweaters ³ .....	.196	84.739	82.172	-1.0	-3.0	8.7	-2.5	-1.8
Men's pants and shorts .....	.160	119.522	118.094	.5	-1.2	1.6	-2.6	.7
Boys' apparel .....	.181	106.605	108.420	3.6	1.7	.1	2.9	1.8
Women's and girls' apparel	1.439	115.913	112.578	-3.2	-2.9	-9	-7	-7
Women's apparel	1.210	119.579	115.931	-2.7	-3.1	-.4	-.4	-.9
Women's outerwear .....	.118	126.826	118.059	-4.6	-6.9	-2.4	.8	-5.0
Women's dresses .....	.155	129.571	122.981	-7.8	-5.1	-2.9	-3.6	.1
Women's suits and separates ³ .....	.550	85.214	82.933	-2.0	-2.7	-1.4	1.1	-.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ³ .....	.378	106.688	105.069	-.9	-1.5	2.1	-1.3	-1.4
Girls' apparel .....	.229	98.573	96.682	-5.8	-1.9	-3.7	-2.9	.2
Footwear .....	.725	139.431	137.649	-.5	-1.3	-.9	-.4	-.1
Men's footwear ¹ .....	.218	137.317	137.809	-.4	.4	-.8	-.5	.4
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.178	153.281	151.841	-1.3	-.9	-2.3	.6	-1.2
Women's footwear .....	.329	133.480	130.154	-.3	-2.5	-.1	-.8	-.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.135	123.786	125.069	4.9	1.0	.1	-2.2	1.0
Jewelry and watches ⁸ .....	.211	161.920	156.234	-2.3	-3.5	.0	-.5	-1.1
Watches ^{1 8} .....	.046	124.274	122.608	1.1	-1.3	-1.6	1.4	-1.3
Jewelry ⁸ .....	.164	167.637	160.729	-3.2	-4.1	1.3	-1.1	-1.4
Transportation	15.289	195.858	194.404	-6.0	-.7	-2.3	.1	-.4
Private transportation	14.167	190.464	188.675	-6.4	-.9	-2.5	.0	-.4
New and used motor vehicles ³	5.720	100.134	99.778	-.1	-.4	-.2	-.2	.0
New vehicles	3.551	146.516	146.804	.2	.2	-.1	-.2	.1
New cars and trucks ^{2 3}	-	101.573	101.753	.2	.2	-.1	-.2	.0
New cars ²	-	143.516	143.456	-.6	.0	-.2	-.2	-.2
New trucks ^{2 9}	-	155.035	155.571	.9	.3	-.1	-.2	.2
Used cars and trucks	1.591	145.821	143.247	-.6	-1.8	-.2	-.3	-.1
Leased cars and trucks ¹¹ .....	.397	83.628	84.495	-.7	1.0	-.2	-.1	1.4
Car and truck rental ³ .....	.073	123.411	119.294	-4.4	-3.3	-3.3	-.4	-4.3
Motor fuel	3.979	199.996	191.680	-24.2	-4.2	-8.9	.4	-2.5
Gasoline (all types)	3.904	199.077	190.701	-24.1	-4.2	-9.0	.4	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	-	195.144	186.747	-25.0	-4.3	-9.3	.4	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 12}	-	217.405	206.666	-21.7	-4.9	-8.1	1.9	-3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	-	209.040	201.739	-19.4	-3.5	-8.1	-.2	.3
Other motor fuels ³ .....	.075	181.393	179.368	-31.4	-1.1	-6.2	-.8	-.2
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.435	143.209	143.967	-.1	.5	.5	-.9	.5
Tires ¹ .....	.285	125.575	126.106	-.4	.4	.4	-.7	.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 3} .....	.150	165.028	166.232	.4	.7	.7	-1.3	.7
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 2}	-	155.788	157.087	.9	.8	.8	-1.2	.8
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 2}	-	362.512	365.842	-.9	.9	.7	-2.4	.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.168	271.804	272.090	1.4	.1	.1	.3	.1
Motor vehicle body work ¹ .....	.057	282.879	283.105	1.7	.1	.0	.9	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹ .....	.492	243.921	244.483	.6	.2	-.2	.4	.2
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 3} .....	.587	168.976	168.981	2.0	.0	.4	.1	.0
Motor vehicle insurance	2.300	465.401	471.933	5.5	1.4	.5	-.2	1.1
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 3} .....	.565	180.418	180.504	2.5	.0	.0	.0	.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 3 6} .....	.312	171.711	171.729	2.9	.0	.0	.0	.0
Parking and other fees ³ .....	.235	194.928	195.119	1.9	.1	.0	.1	.2
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	-	216.904	217.048	2.6	.1	.0	.1	.1
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	-	125.830	125.901	.5	.1	-.2	-.1	.1
Public transportation	1.122	266.338	270.809	-1.8	1.7	-.1	1.3	.5
Airline fare702	285.837	294.143	-3.8	2.9	-.1	1.5	1.2
Other intercity transportation157	156.377	154.592	1.2	-1.1	-.2	1.5	-1.6

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		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2 4}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ^{1 2 4}	-	107.612	108.734	-2.1	1.0	-3.0	-0.4	1.0
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	-	63.835	64.008	5.0	.3	.2	1.7	.3
Intracity transportation ¹ .....	.260	306.176	306.588	2.5	.1	.0	.5	.1
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2 13}	-	121.259	121.427	2.8	.1	.0	.5	.1
Medical care	7.716	450.065	451.371	2.9	.3	.2	.7	.4
Medical care commodities	1.772	355.894	356.286	2.5	.1	-2	.2	.3
Medicinal drugs ^{1 13}	1.696	116.287	116.436	2.7	.1	-2	.0	.1
Prescription drugs	1.345	481.426	482.478	3.4	.2	-1	.1	.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 13} .....	.351	97.899	97.673	-2	-2	.1	.1	-2
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 13} .....	.076	99.656	99.365	-1.5	-3	-2	.1	-3
Medical care services	5.944	480.245	481.894	3.1	.3	.3	.8	.4
Professional services	3.032	362.335	364.456	2.0	.6	.2	.0	.7
Physicians' services ⁶	1.590	366.652	370.599	2.7	1.1	.3	.0	1.1
Dental services ⁶ .....	.804	453.685	455.229	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.4
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 8} .....	.284	184.530	183.546	-9	-5	.4	.3	-5
Services by other medical professionals ^{6 8} .....	.354	228.800	228.365	-3	-2	.0	.0	-2
Hospital and related services	2.159	774.045	773.151	4.4	-1	.2	1.8	-1
Hospital services ^{6 14}	1.853	295.282	294.765	4.7	-2	.2	2.0	-2
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 6 14}	-	290.639	290.054	4.7	-2	.2	2.3	-3
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 6 8}	-	661.811	660.324	3.9	-2	.1	1.7	-4
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{6 14} .....	.174	207.561	208.108	3.1	.3	.3	.2	.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 5} .....	.132	118.456	118.741	1.7	.2	.2	.1	.2
Health insurance ^{1 5} .....	.753	125.072	125.969	3.6	.7	.6	1.2	.7
Recreation ³	5.750	116.100	115.763	.6	-3	.0	.2	-2
Video and audio ³	1.847	99.495	99.414	.5	-1	.1	.5	.1
Televisions .....	.133	3.245	3.195	-12.0	-1.5	-1.1	-1.3	-1.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁹	1.468	423.230	423.953	1.9	.2	.1	.8	.4
Other video equipment ^{1 3} .....	.029	10.828	10.511	-5.3	-2.9	1.8	.5	-2.9
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 3} .....	.090	72.719	72.027	-1	-1.0	1.0	-2.0	-1.0
Video discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	-	41.160	40.532	-2.3	-1.5	2.3	-3.2	-1.5
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	-	120.561	120.598	3.7	.0	.0	.0	.0
Audio equipment .....	.066	35.876	36.046	-1.3	.5	.5	-2	.4
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 3} .....	.044	88.950	87.529	.8	-1.6	.6	2.5	-1.6
Pets, pet products and services ³	1.058	168.000	167.276	.4	-4	.5	.1	-4
Pets and pet products ¹ .....	.659	198.242	196.667	-1.9	-8	.6	.0	-8
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	-	151.697	151.724	-1.6	.0	.7	.5	.0
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	-	113.823	111.860	-2.5	-1.7	.5	-7	-1.7
Pet services including veterinary ³ .....	.399	228.223	228.543	4.0	.1	.3	.2	.2
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	-	182.611	183.181	3.0	.3	.3	-2	.3
Veterinarian services ^{2 3}	-	238.813	239.103	4.3	.1	.2	.3	.2
Sporting goods ¹ .....	.400	114.331	113.851	-1.4	-4	.1	-6	-4
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹ .....	.181	148.147	147.582	-5	-4	-7	-1.6	-4
Sports equipment .....	.214	85.208	84.831	-2.1	-4	.5	.0	.1
Photography ³ .....	.120	75.728	75.036	-2.9	-9	.5	1.0	-5
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.058	54.662	54.057	-7.5	-1.1	-4	.3	-3
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	-	123.220	123.220	-5.1	.0	-2.4	.1	.0
Photographic equipment ^{2 3}	-	22.551	22.309	-7.8	-1.1	-1	.1	-2
Photographers and film processing ^{1 3} .....	.062	124.900	123.959	1.6	-8	1.2	1.6	-8
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	-	129.736	129.775	1.2	.0	.0	2.4	.0
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	-	124.158	122.100	2.6	-1.7	2.5	.6	-1.7
Other recreational goods ³ .....	.381	46.388	45.917	-4.3	-1.0	.4	.1	-5
Toys .....	.277	43.712	43.188	-5.7	-1.2	.6	-4	-4
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{2 3}	-	52.437	51.927	-4.0	-1.0	.7	.2	-3
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 3} .....	.050	98.563	98.070	-4	-5	.2	2.3	-5
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 3} .....	.042	100.389	99.923	.0	-5	-5	.9	-5
Other recreation services ³	1.724	157.015	156.595	2.6	-3	-5	.1	-3
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 3}602	130.553	129.403	.2	-9	-2	-7	-9
Admissions ¹640	356.116	356.225	4.7	.0	-1.2	.9	.0

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Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	-	168.526	169.546	3.6	0.6	-0.3	0.2	0.6
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	-	209.665	208.325	8.1	-6	-1.8	1.5	-6
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 8} .....	.211	291.078	292.013	2.9	.3	1.0	.1	.3
Recreational reading materials ¹ .....	.220	242.111	242.630	1.8	.2	.7	-.3	.2
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 3} .....	.123	165.956	165.319	2.1	-.4	.2	.2	-.4
Recreational books ^{1 3} .....	.094	100.527	101.534	1.6	1.0	1.4	-.9	1.0
Education and communication ³	7.062	139.344	139.527	1.3	.1	.3	.3	.3
Education ³	3.325	244.700	244.865	3.7	.1	.3	.4	.3
Educational books and supplies .....	.203	658.714	660.713	4.6	.3	.3	.4	.6
College textbooks ^{1 2 11}	-	226.644	227.352	5.5	.3	.7	.7	.3
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	3.122	700.786	701.154	3.7	.1	.3	.4	.3
College tuition and fees	1.853	800.426	800.652	3.5	.0	.3	.6	.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.377	765.152	766.454	3.8	.2	.3	.4	.5
Child care and nursery school ¹⁰ .....	.725	279.305	279.456	4.2	.1	.1	.2	.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees ³ .....	.039	235.308	235.381	1.1	.0	.1	.1	.2
Communication ³	3.737	80.202	80.355	-.8	.2	.3	.2	.3
Postage and delivery services ³ .....	.144	174.215	174.460	.0	.1	.4	.2	.5
Postage .....	.130	274.517	274.517	.0	.0	.4	.4	.4
Delivery services ³ .....	.014	276.742	280.757	-.2	1.5	-.1	-2.0	1.4
Information and information processing ³	3.593	76.373	76.521	-.8	.2	.3	.2	.3
Telephone services ^{1 3}	2.462	99.835	100.269	.6	.4	.3	.2	.4
Wireless telephone services ^{1 3}	1.624	55.514	55.908	-.5	.7	.4	.2	.7
Land-line telephone services ^{1 13} .....	.837	113.998	113.904	2.6	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁵	1.132	7.959	7.932	-3.8	-.3	.4	.4	-.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁴ .....	.272	47.094	46.716	-7.0	-.8	.8	-.9	-.7
Computer software and accessories ^{1 3} .....	.068	37.114	36.660	-1.7	-1.2	.4	.5	-1.2
Internet services and electronic information providers ³ .....	.711	76.843	76.875	-1.9	.0	.6	.8	.3
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 3} .....	.068	22.925	22.478	-13.4	-1.9	-3.2	.7	-1.9
Other goods and services	3.394	417.968	418.351	2.1	.1	.2	.5	.1
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.718	940.901	943.157	3.7	.2	-.1	.4	.5
Cigarettes ³ .....	.661	384.105	385.026	3.8	.2	.0	.4	.6
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 3} .....	.050	246.982	247.556	2.0	.2	-.7	.9	.2
Personal care	2.676	222.252	222.367	1.7	.1	.3	.5	.0
Personal care products ¹ .....	.724	163.474	163.143	-.1	-.2	.3	.6	-.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 3} .....	.369	103.365	103.171	.1	-.2	.3	.3	-.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹ .....	.348	189.321	188.899	-.2	-.2	.4	1.0	-.2
Personal care services ¹ .....	.638	249.662	250.679	3.1	.4	.3	.1	.4
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 3} .....	.638	152.335	152.955	3.1	.4	.3	.1	.4
Miscellaneous personal services	1.122	403.258	403.691	2.9	.1	.4	.4	.2
Legal services ^{1 8} .....	.316	327.557	328.393	2.8	.3	.9	.0	.3
Funeral expenses ^{1 8} .....	.173	317.797	317.847	2.9	.0	.1	.6	.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 3} .....	.276	157.509	157.872	2.8	.2	.2	.7	.2
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 3} .....	.034	183.311	182.821	1.9	-.3	1.2	.0	-.3
Financial services ^{1 8} .....	.228	318.359	317.997	3.2	-.1	-.5	.3	-.1
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	-	149.258	148.398	.6	-.6	-.8	.0	-.6
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3}	-	218.149	218.149	4.2	.0	.0	.4	.0
Miscellaneous personal goods ³ .....	.192	81.327	80.882	-3.7	-.5	-.4	.5	-1.6
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	-	150.666	151.426	-2.9	.5	.1	.7	-.8
Infants' equipment ^{1 2 5}	-	85.600	85.222	-1.7	-.4	-.1	.2	-.4
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	37.880	181.306	179.825	-2.8	-.8	-.8	.0	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	22.608	147.873	146.120	-5.4	-1.2	-1.6	-.1	-.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.658	187.410	184.361	-8.1	-1.6	-2.9	.3	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.315	227.771	224.255	-10.3	-1.5	-3.8	.4	.4
Durables	8.950	108.500	107.926	-1.0	-.5	.1	-.2	-.2
Services	62.120	293.683	294.118	2.5	.1	.2	.3	.3
Rent of shelter ⁷	32.336	293.221	293.667	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Transportation services	5.625	291.969	294.800	2.3	1.0	.1	.2	.6
Other services	11.955	342.079	342.467	2.1	.1	.2	.3	.2
All items less food	85.743	236.097	235.633	.4	-.2	-.2	.2	.1
All items less shelter	67.289	223.404	222.526	-.8	-.4	-.4	.2	-.1

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	92.284	227.620	227.042	0.3	-0.3	-0.2	0.2	0.0
Commodities less food	23.623	150.998	149.282	-5.1	-1.1	-1.5	.0	-.5
Nondurables less food	14.673	190.523	187.637	-7.6	-1.5	-2.7	.3	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.330	227.800	224.602	-9.4	-1.4	-3.5	.5	.4
Nondurables	28.930	217.382	215.413	-3.3	-.9	-1.3	.3	.1
Apparel less footwear	2.619	122.436	119.967	-1.8	-2.0	-1.1	-.9	-.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁷	29.784	316.949	317.405	1.8	.1	.1	.4	.3
Services less medical care services	56.176	279.509	279.865	2.5	.1	.2	.3	.3
Energy	8.030	194.501	189.267	-14.7	-2.7	-4.7	.3	-1.3
All items less energy	91.970	244.059	244.023	1.9	.0	.2	.2	.1
All items less food and energy	77.713	243.985	244.075	2.0	.0	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	19.408	146.504	145.624	-.6	-.6	.0	-.1	-.2
Energy commodities	4.215	203.338	195.291	-24.2	-4.0	-8.6	.4	-2.4
Services less energy services	58.305	303.694	304.441	2.9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Domestically produced farm food	7.094	252.858	251.236	.5	-.6	.4	.2	-.2
Utilities and public transportation	10.089	213.590	213.226	-.4	-.2	.0	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.420	\$.421	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.140	\$.141	-	-	-	-	-

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—		
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	237.931	237.566	238.042	238.111	-3.1	3.2	1.5	0.3	0.0	0.9
Food and beverages	247.254	248.151	248.575	248.302	1.2	-7	2.6	1.7	.3	2.2
Food	247.729	248.676	249.027	248.744	1.4	-8	2.8	1.6	.3	2.2
Food at home	242.843	243.506	243.737	242.971	.5	-3.1	3.6	.2	-1.3	1.9
Cereals and bakery products	274.460	273.839	275.952	274.626	2.6	.0	2.3	.2	1.3	1.3
Cereals and cereal products	234.062	232.249	235.342	232.441	2.1	1.8	-6	-2.7	1.9	-1.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	242.707	245.635	244.035	241.944	4.4	-5.9	-7.9	-1.3	-9	-4.7
Breakfast cereal ¹	230.311	226.458	231.909	229.607	-5.6	5.2	-4	-1.2	-3	-8
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	243.125	238.495	241.909	240.058	9.0	5.1	.3	-5.0	7.0	-2.4
Rice ^{1 2 3}	166.188	163.139	166.795	166.908	.8	.0	-5.5	1.7	.4	-1.9
Bakery products	297.247	297.674	298.729	298.608	2.3	-4	3.6	1.8	.9	2.7
Bread ²	178.267	179.680	180.105	180.742	1.6	-1.3	3.0	5.7	.2	4.3
White bread ^{1 3}	321.254	325.682	324.115	323.439	2.1	6.0	-3.7	2.7	4.0	-5
Bread other than white ^{1 3}	345.153	345.740	346.852	350.054	5.9	-6.6	7.5	5.8	-6	6.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	176.272	176.318	177.298	177.807	5.9	-5.4	5.7	3.5	.1	4.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	282.076	280.606	280.449	277.601	8.6	-5	5.8	-6.2	4.0	-4
Cookies ³	273.584	270.824	269.152	263.315	8.3	-3.9	9.9	-14.2	2.0	-2.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	293.605	294.360	298.398	299.012	4.7	1.6	6.1	7.6	3.2	6.8
Other bakery products	266.179	265.899	268.177	268.971	-2.7	1.8	1.7	4.3	-5	3.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 3}	296.939	295.622	296.163	298.636	-1.9	9.9	7.1	2.3	3.8	4.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³	309.016	306.406	307.954	309.321	-4.6	1.3	5.6	.4	-1.7	3.0
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ³	269.422	266.471	271.022	271.447	-3.3	-3.2	2.6	3.0	-3.3	2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.851	262.053	260.676	259.178	2.4	-6.7	8.4	-5.5	-2.2	1.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	257.956	257.235	256.878	256.108	1.4	-6.9	.0	-2.8	-2.8	-1.4
Meats	263.572	263.722	263.262	261.592	2.1	-7.5	.1	-3.0	-2.8	-1.4
Beef and veal ¹	325.303	323.227	319.940	315.453	6.1	1.6	-3	-11.6	3.8	-6.1
Uncooked ground beef ¹	294.072	292.647	290.435	286.893	9.0	-6.0	-5.7	-9.4	1.2	-7.6
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	241.524	238.344	235.869	232.795	2.3	6.1	-2.7	-13.7	4.2	-8.3
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	219.301	217.951	215.305	211.472	5.5	12.6	4.0	-13.5	9.0	-5.2
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	239.171	238.384	235.187	233.218	2.2	-10.7	11.9	-9.6	-4.5	.6
Pork	214.194	216.020	217.919	217.671	-7.5	-21.9	-1.1	6.7	-15.0	2.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² ..	153.400	155.764	158.967	160.880	-5.8	-27.2	9.9	21.0	-17.2	15.3
Bacon and related products ³	273.217	282.765	292.280	296.452	-5.0	-35.7	21.1	38.6	-21.8	29.5
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2 3}	147.778	146.083	145.659	144.953	-5.7	-12.4	-1.2	-7.4	-9.1	-4.4
Ham	208.674	208.602	210.812	207.911	-4.0	-23.3	-13.9	-1.5	-14.2	-7.9
Ham, excluding canned ³	232.880	232.174	235.678	231.351	-8.0	-24.8	-15.5	-2.6	-16.8	-9.3
Pork chops	192.111	193.952	195.939	194.247	-15.5	-13.8	-7.0	4.5	-14.6	-1.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	136.776	137.137	137.043	135.323	-12.2	-16.6	2.0	-4.2	-14.4	-1.2
Other meats	227.385	228.594	229.196	229.889	7.7	-5.4	2.6	4.5	.9	3.6
Frankfurters ³	226.913	234.296	238.396	235.999	17.6	-7.4	1.9	17.0	4.4	9.2
Lunchmeats ^{2 3}	146.937	147.630	147.664	148.792	5.5	-1.9	.8	5.1	1.7	3.0
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	335.187	330.318	333.408	328.743	-2.0	-6.6	17.2	-7.5	-4.3	4.1
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	180.661	179.801	182.134	179.742	-3.5	-8.3	19.8	-2.0	-5.9	8.3
Poultry	236.104	233.834	235.068	236.191	2.5	-6.7	-6	.1	-2.2	-3
Chicken ^{1 2}	151.600	150.239	150.875	151.342	-5	-8.0	2.5	-7	-4.3	.9
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 3}	253.129	245.638	247.292	250.663	6.1	-7.8	-2	-3.8	-1.1	-2.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 3}	223.913	223.857	225.242	225.208	-3.4	-8.9	2.5	2.3	-6.2	2.4
Other poultry including turkey ²	157.685	155.051	157.765	158.422	-1.4	3.8	-8	1.9	1.2	.6
Fish and seafood	287.412	284.980	282.653	283.079	-2.6	-4.3	.6	-5.9	-3.4	-2.7
Fresh fish and seafood ²	174.066	172.697	171.249	171.294	1.5	-7.0	-1	-6.2	-2.8	-3.2
Processed fish and seafood ²	147.711	146.093	144.600	145.515	-3.9	-4.0	1.3	-5.8	-4.0	-2.3
Shelf stable fish and seafood ^{1 3}	202.323	202.307	202.976	202.884	-6.6	.6	4.6	1.1	-3.1	2.9
Frozen fish and seafood ³	317.284	310.801	304.584	306.785	-4.9	-6.0	.3	-12.6	-5.5	-6.4
Eggs	332.397	330.503	314.550	302.653	18.8	-4.3	199.5	-31.3	6.6	43.5
Dairy and related products ¹	220.716	222.310	221.874	220.613	-4.9	-7.7	-6	-2	-6.4	-4
Milk ^{1 2}	145.845	146.675	145.685	144.813	-17.2	-7.2	-2.9	-2.8	-12.3	-2.8
Fresh whole milk ^{1 3}	209.408	210.564	210.449	208.448	-20.0	-10.7	-4.5	-1.8	-15.4	-3.2
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	150.207	150.514	149.187	148.208	-14.6	-4.6	-1.5	-5.2	-9.7	-3.4
Cheese and related products	232.552	234.045	232.072	232.023	-7.1	-3.9	-1.1	-9	-5.5	-1.0
Ice cream and related products	220.393	220.361	220.353	219.116	6.2	-8.2	8.5	-2.3	-1.2	2.9
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	147.931	148.235	147.861	146.471	1.7	-1.4	2.7	-3.9	.1	-6

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Fruits and vegetables	294.729	296.841	298.407	300.052	-3.5	-3.3	5.4	7.4	-3.4	6.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables	338.388	341.496	345.314	346.588	-5.6	-4.8	6.9	10.1	-5.2	8.5
Fresh fruits	353.685	356.754	362.600	362.156	-5.4	-9.3	10.5	9.9	-7.4	10.2
Apples	312.953	321.680	332.887	340.281	-1.3	-9.8	-13.9	39.8	-5.6	9.7
Bananas	202.650	201.161	200.550	202.859	-11.5	5.1	2.1	.4	-3.6	1.2
Citrus fruits ²	231.927	232.823	237.546	240.810	-9.7	4.5	-4.3	16.2	-2.8	5.5
Oranges, including tangerines ³	476.615	478.154	491.623	492.198	-2.9	-3.2	-.5	13.7	-3.1	6.4
Other fresh fruits ²	121.326	122.475	121.901	122.486	-.1	-20.6	28.8	3.9	-10.9	15.7
Fresh vegetables	321.066	324.205	325.859	328.951	-5.8	.7	2.9	10.2	-2.6	6.5
Potatoes	319.259	323.190	331.462	324.305	5.4	7.5	-17.0	6.5	6.4	-6.0
Lettuce	298.263	312.406	316.045	317.746	15.1	-14.3	-15.7	28.8	-.7	4.2
Tomatoes ¹	312.864	320.101	327.462	342.969	-15.9	-24.5	-1.9	44.4	-20.3	19.0
Other fresh vegetables	327.800	329.730	328.454	333.510	-6.7	5.7	11.2	7.2	-.7	9.2
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	159.423	159.475	157.087	158.962	3.9	1.9	.6	-1.2	2.9	-.3
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	163.926	163.847	160.125	162.256	5.7	.4	1.5	-4.0	3.0	-1.3
Canned fruits ^{2 3}	157.646	160.356	158.535	160.686	8.9	2.6	.6	7.9	5.7	4.2
Canned vegetables ^{2 3}	173.283	171.926	166.580	167.776	4.3	-.1	3.6	-12.1	2.1	-4.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	148.952	148.766	148.176	148.423	1.4	5.2	.1	-1.4	3.3	-.7
Frozen vegetables ³	204.591	203.849	202.476	202.452	3.8	3.1	1.3	-4.1	3.5	-1.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	163.246	163.160	162.508	164.260	7.9	1.5	-2.2	2.5	4.6	.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2 3}	207.256	205.265	205.330	205.293	8.8	.2	-.1	-3.7	4.4	-1.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	168.487	168.332	168.600	167.698	1.1	-1.4	2.2	-1.9	-.2	.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	129.064	129.292	129.697	128.900	.0	-.3	3.0	-.5	-.1	1.2
Carbonated drinks	161.215	160.728	160.451	159.992	.6	-1.1	5.6	-3.0	-.3	1.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	177.209	177.602	178.203	176.693	.8	-2.0	2.1	-1.2	-.6	.5
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	117.889	118.480	119.426	118.492	-1.2	.6	1.0	2.1	-.3	1.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	120.769	119.822	119.504	118.687	3.3	-4.1	1.9	-6.7	-.5	-2.5
Coffee	205.838	204.622	203.500	200.960	4.8	-1.7	-1.6	-9.1	1.5	-5.5
Roasted coffee ³	213.962	213.578	212.774	210.983	6.1	-1.5	-1.8	-5.5	2.2	-3.7
Instant and freeze dried coffee ^{1 3}	200.693	198.976	196.716	196.525	17.4	-12.4	-9.0	-8.1	1.4	-8.6
Other beverage materials including tea ²	129.096	127.345	127.373	128.586	.5	-12.0	11.8	-1.6	-6.0	4.9
Other food at home	209.175	210.863	211.135	210.424	2.5	.2	.9	2.4	1.4	1.7
Sugar and sweets ¹	217.194	218.193	216.697	215.569	15.6	-.4	1.5	-3.0	7.3	-.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	192.281	191.706	190.818	188.059	18.2	6.2	2.4	-8.5	12.0	-3.2
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	145.817	146.961	146.318	146.485	13.6	-1.0	1.5	1.8	6.1	1.7
Other sweets ²	153.669	153.258	151.832	154.080	1.6	-2.3	.6	1.1	-.4	.9
Fats and oils	226.521	227.365	229.545	226.873	-4.0	-3.5	.3	.6	-3.8	.5
Butter and margarine ²	198.629	200.128	208.132	203.402	-16.8	-10.0	11.4	10.0	-13.4	10.7
Butter ³	231.251	236.317	248.758	241.029	-26.7	-18.2	19.5	18.0	-22.6	18.8
Margarine ³	289.627	288.072	294.486	294.570	-6.8	-1.6	2.6	7.0	-4.2	4.8
Salad dressing ²	130.389	130.704	131.108	129.586	9.7	2.9	-6.9	-2.4	6.2	-4.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	159.620	159.153	157.941	157.952	-2.6	-2.4	-1.5	-4.1	-2.5	-2.8
Peanut butter ^{1 2 3}	158.198	160.157	160.018	155.513	-1.7	-2.1	-11.5	-6.6	-1.9	-9.1
Other foods	223.107	225.222	225.586	225.210	1.1	1.0	.9	3.8	1.1	2.3
Soups	237.896	241.676	245.490	241.346	-3.7	2.8	1.5	5.9	-.5	3.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	170.877	172.624	172.038	171.427	-4.4	6.6	-1.6	1.3	1.0	-.2
Snacks ¹	251.765	252.446	251.257	251.557	10.1	-4.0	4.0	-.3	2.8	1.8
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	235.245	238.410	238.568	239.941	3.9	2.0	2.2	8.2	2.9	5.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2 3}	148.569	147.796	150.550	149.830	-1.6	6.7	10.0	3.4	2.5	6.6
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2 3}	136.109	139.516	141.617	138.744	11.3	-2.7	2.7	8.0	4.1	5.3
Sauces and gravies ^{2 3}	134.902	138.813	136.707	137.703	6.5	-2.5	-.2	8.6	1.9	4.1
Other condiments ³	269.966	277.566	277.367	274.640	10.0	-.4	-5.1	7.1	4.6	.8
Baby food ^{1 2}	153.202	154.744	153.876	153.215	-2.4	.0	-3.3	.0	-1.2	-1.6
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	130.940	131.355	132.531	132.781	-.8	1.2	-2.1	5.7	.2	1.8
Prepared salads ^{1 3 4}	121.255	123.814	124.285	125.455	4.9	-5.8	6.6	14.6	-.6	10.5
Food away from home ¹	256.449	257.830	258.363	258.805	2.8	2.6	1.8	3.7	2.7	2.7
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	159.970	160.355	160.632	160.888	2.1	2.1	3.2	2.3	2.1	2.8
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	163.670	164.286	164.621	164.907	3.5	2.6	1.6	3.1	3.1	2.3
Food at employee sites and schools ²	154.465	164.859	167.028	167.191	2.3	2.5	-15.9	37.3	2.4	7.4
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{3 5}	127.732	136.887	140.025	139.918	1.5	2.9	-21.0	44.0	2.2	6.7
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	146.448	146.708	146.481	146.661	5.4	2.9	.1	.6	4.1	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	180.918	180.822	180.884	181.630	4.5	6.7	3.3	1.6	5.6	2.4
Alcoholic beverages	239.363	239.572	241.000	240.859	-2.1	1.5	-3	2.5	-3	1.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	196.964	196.943	198.914	198.705	-4.4	.7	-4	3.6	-1.8	1.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	215.283	215.717	217.806	216.974	-4.8	3.2	1.6	3.2	-9	2.4
Distilled spirits at home	192.075	191.189	192.156	192.736	-1.1	.7	-3.4	1.4	-2	-1.0
Whiskey at home ^{1 3}	207.004	204.921	205.618	206.706	2.7	1.4	-3.5	-6	2.1	-2.0
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ³	185.126	185.902	185.928	185.932	-6	-1.5	-3.0	1.8	-1.1	-7
Wine at home	167.580	167.279	169.403	169.082	-3.4	-1.8	-2.3	3.6	-2.6	.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	330.945	331.323	331.711	332.004	.5	3.4	-4	1.3	1.9	.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3}	163.484	163.778	164.047	164.095	.6	3.7	-1.3	1.5	2.2	.1
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	178.649	178.435	178.396	178.208	.8	2.6	.2	-1.0	1.7	-4
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	177.830	178.766	178.976	179.672	.6	8.0	1.7	4.2	4.3	2.9
Housing	238.600	239.223	239.714	240.100	2.1	1.4	2.5	2.5	1.7	2.5
Shelter	279.908	280.837	281.544	282.206	2.9	3.0	3.6	3.3	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ⁶	287.419	288.557	289.387	290.023	3.2	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	151.711	152.849	154.084	155.653	4.8	-5.2	1.4	10.8	-3	6.0
Housing at school, excluding board ^{6 7}	507.947	510.220	512.666	513.887	3.8	2.0	1.2	4.8	2.9	3.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	314.174	316.753	319.556	323.392	5.0	-6.8	1.4	12.3	-1.1	6.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{6 7}	287.138	288.000	288.645	289.249	2.6	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{6 7}	287.097	287.957	288.602	289.205	2.6	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	146.333	146.523	146.570	147.024	6.5	1.2	-1	1.9	3.8	.9
Fuels and utilities	229.130	228.595	228.948	228.921	.4	-8.2	-2	-4	-4.0	-3
Household energy	193.182	192.282	192.668	192.408	-7	-11.6	-1.8	-1.6	-6.3	-1.7
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	239.905	236.603	238.466	238.016	-37.3	-17.0	-33.9	-3.1	-27.8	-20.0
Fuel oil ¹	237.580	231.835	229.191	226.289	-48.7	-8.6	-42.5	-17.7	-31.5	-31.2
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸	301.670	298.413	304.543	300.984	-36.8	3.8	-10.3	-9	-19.0	-5.7
Energy services ⁶	197.785	196.954	197.293	197.032	2.1	-11.3	.3	-1.5	-4.8	-6
Electricity ⁶	208.198	207.253	208.089	208.785	7.5	-9.0	.3	1.1	-1.1	.7
Utility (piped) gas service ⁶	163.895	163.418	162.257	159.121	-15.2	-19.3	.3	-11.2	-17.3	-5.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.292	216.370	216.385	217.199	4.1	3.8	4.8	3.6	3.9	4.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁶	496.571	499.482	499.202	501.091	4.9	4.3	5.7	3.7	4.6	4.7
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 9}	432.967	433.843	434.829	436.428	1.4	1.9	1.6	3.2	1.6	2.4
Household furnishings and operations	122.239	122.627	122.498	122.231	-1.6	1.7	-2.3	.0	.1	-1.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	60.385	60.570	60.109	60.288	-7.0	-4.2	-4.5	-6	-5.6	-2.6
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	108.264	107.553	108.369	108.247	1.5	.8	-1.5	-1	1.1	-.8
Window coverings ^{1 2}	66.720	66.867	66.360	66.982	-19.2	-9.9	-12.3	1.6	-14.7	-5.6
Other linens ^{1 2}	47.964	48.254	47.681	47.788	-5.0	-3.8	-2.9	-1.5	-4.4	-2.2
Furniture and bedding ¹	113.508	114.085	114.028	113.993	-2.3	6.0	-7.2	1.7	1.7	-2.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	129.764	130.413	130.279	131.052	-11.2	14.5	-7.3	4.0	.8	-1.8
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	85.681	86.022	86.200	85.767	1.2	2.8	-8.4	.4	2.0	-4.1
Other furniture ²	74.751	76.183	75.449	75.009	3.6	-4.7	2.8	1.4	-7	2.1
Infants' furniture ^{1 3 5}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ²	78.941	78.975	78.543	77.493	-3.6	-9	-5.1	-7.1	-2.3	-6.1
Major appliances ²	87.585	88.338	87.046	85.669	-2.4	-1.7	-5.6	-8.5	-2.1	-7.0
Laundry equipment ³	98.803	100.112	99.810	97.081	6.0	-1.1	-8.0	-6.8	2.4	-7.4
Other appliances ^{1 2}	67.506	66.924	67.130	66.591	-4.0	-2.1	-3.7	-5.3	-3.1	-4.5
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	58.635	59.368	59.507	58.344	-5.5	-6	-4.3	-2.0	-3.1	-3.1
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	46.675	46.867	47.058	45.567	-4.4	-3.3	-7.5	-9.2	-3.9	-8.4
Indoor plants and flowers ¹⁰	126.973	130.044	131.262	131.540	2.4	-1.2	-3.1	15.2	.6	5.7
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	56.576	57.150	57.069	55.544	4.0	5.3	4.9	-7.1	4.7	-1.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	90.898	90.333	90.039	88.920	-7.4	1.7	-1.3	-8.4	-3.0	-4.9
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	90.547	90.816	91.513	91.183	-1.8	1.1	-3.5	2.8	-4	-4
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	99.672	99.541	99.818	98.844	2.5	-1.3	-4.2	-3.3	.6	-3.8
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	86.237	86.889	87.532	87.234	-2.5	2.2	-3.3	4.7	-2	.6
Housekeeping supplies ¹	186.305	186.285	186.046	186.573	-2	1.6	-2.6	.6	.7	-1.0
Household cleaning products ²	119.119	119.323	118.546	118.362	-1.7	6.0	-2.7	-2.5	2.1	-2.6
Household paper products ^{1 2}	168.656	169.183	168.943	169.704	-2	.1	-1.6	2.5	-1	.4
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	119.004	118.236	118.268	118.708	.2	.8	-1.6	-1.0	.5	-1.3
Household operations ^{1 2}	168.204	168.092	168.166	168.432	1.1	4.8	4.2	.5	2.9	2.3
Domestic services ^{1 2}	155.778	NA	155.831	156.046	1.8	.5	.7	.7	1.1	.7
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	172.856	172.856	172.656	172.899	-1	8.4	1.0	.1	4.1	.6

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	143.018	143.386	143.941	143.930	8.1	4.6	13.4	2.6	6.3	7.9
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	220.115	220.457	221.581	223.449	4.5	-1	3.5	6.2	2.2	4.8
Apparel	126.545	126.175	125.173	124.775	-1.2	-1.2	1.9	-5.5	-1.2	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	118.628	120.030	118.781	119.029	6.4	-3.9	-4.7	1.4	1.1	-1.7
Men's apparel	122.768	125.356	122.715	122.321	6.7	-5.5	-4.7	-1.4	.4	-3.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	117.876	113.302	113.409	108.080	6.7	-9.0	23.9	-29.3	-1.5	-6.4
Men's furnishings	153.260	151.284	150.431	153.850	-8.9	13.9	-12.1	1.5	1.8	-5.5
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	76.164	82.770	80.665	79.240	18.4	-22.3	-10.9	17.2	-4.1	2.2
Men's pants and shorts	122.204	124.162	120.982	121.816	9.4	-1	-5.3	-1.3	4.5	-3.3
Boys' apparel	100.971	101.052	103.945	105.822	2.7	3.9	-10.6	20.6	3.3	3.8
Women's and girls' apparel	112.142	111.104	110.283	109.471	-5.1	-8	2.8	-9.2	-2.9	-3.4
Women's apparel	115.089	114.624	114.217	113.195	-7.4	.5	2.9	-6.4	-3.5	-1.9
Women's outerwear	112.249	109.587	110.474	104.896	1.4	1.4	5.6	-23.7	1.4	-10.3
Women's dresses	127.341	123.615	119.121	119.209	-11.9	-12.5	22.3	-23.2	-12.2	-3.1
Women's suits and separates ²	82.174	80.999	81.904	81.252	-9.3	8.6	-2.2	-4.4	-8	-3.3
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	105.150	107.375	105.975	104.529	-2.9	-4.5	6.7	-2.3	-3.7	2.1
Girls' apparel	98.085	94.460	91.766	91.912	8.3	-7.2	1.8	-22.9	.2	-11.4
Footwear	138.018	136.764	136.181	136.021	-1.3	1.3	3.7	-5.7	.0	-1.1
Men's footwear ¹	139.035	137.960	137.317	137.809	-2.3	8.0	-3.4	-3.5	2.7	-3.4
Boys' and girls' footwear	153.299	149.767	150.612	148.750	-6.2	15.9	-1.3	-11.4	4.3	-6.5
Women's footwear	130.487	130.403	129.297	128.531	.6	-9.9	16.0	-5.9	-4.8	4.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	124.553	124.687	121.953	123.193	-5.5	6.3	25.7	-4.3	.2	9.7
Jewelry and watches ⁸	160.158	160.202	159.400	157.581	.0	-5.1	2.6	-6.3	-2.6	-2.0
Watches ^{1 8}	124.520	122.521	124.274	122.608	9.7	-5.3	6.7	-6.0	1.9	.2
Jewelry ⁸	164.143	166.200	164.360	161.978	-6	-5.5	-1.3	-5.2	-3.1	-3.2
Transportation	202.223	197.581	197.715	197.014	-24.9	15.1	-1.0	-9.9	-7.0	-5.6
Private transportation	197.280	192.413	192.355	191.546	-26.3	15.9	.0	-11.1	-7.6	-5.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.742	100.566	100.340	100.377	.0	2.9	-2.0	-1.4	1.5	-1.7
New vehicles	147.347	147.247	146.962	147.044	.0	2.1	-4	-8	1.1	-6
New cars and trucks ^{2 3}	102.147	102.084	101.911	101.928	.0	2.1	-4	-9	1.1	-6
New cars ³	144.508	144.204	143.906	143.633	.0	.6	-8	-2.4	.3	-1.6
New trucks ^{3 9}	155.961	156.042	155.781	156.041	-8	3.6	.7	.2	1.4	.5
Used cars and trucks	146.751	146.416	145.982	145.817	-1	5.9	-5.4	-2.5	2.8	-4.0
Leased cars and trucks ¹¹	83.137	82.984	82.922	84.109	.3	-3.4	-4.2	4.8	-1.6	.2
Car and truck rental ²	132.544	128.194	127.671	122.122	-1.5	9.0	7.9	-27.9	3.6	-11.8
Motor fuel	226.975	206.666	207.465	202.322	-67.3	60.4	-2	-36.9	-27.6	-20.6
Gasoline (all types)	226.047	205.758	206.642	201.580	-67.4	61.1	.2	-36.8	-27.6	-20.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	222.681	201.957	202.806	197.634	-68.3	62.5	-8	-38.0	-28.2	-21.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 12}	240.792	221.288	225.484	218.242	-65.0	49.4	6.9	-32.5	-27.7	-15.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	231.050	212.250	211.804	212.389	-61.7	54.0	.0	-28.6	-23.2	-15.5
Other motor fuels ²	193.700	181.692	180.326	180.047	-59.9	-2.9	-23.6	-25.4	-37.6	-24.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	143.793	144.496	143.209	143.967	2.9	-1.5	-2.2	.5	.7	-8
Tires ¹	126.009	126.455	125.575	126.106	3.2	-2.0	-2.9	.3	.6	-1.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	165.896	167.127	165.028	166.232	2.4	-6	-8	.8	.9	.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 3}	156.476	157.745	155.788	157.087	2.6	.5	-1.1	1.6	1.5	.2
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 3}	368.982	371.429	362.512	365.842	-4	3.1	-2.7	-3.4	1.4	-3.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	270.838	271.119	271.804	272.090	1.1	2.4	.1	1.9	1.8	1.0
Motor vehicle body work ¹	280.315	280.283	282.879	283.105	.6	2.7	-4	4.0	1.6	1.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	243.371	242.909	243.921	244.483	-1.7	3.2	-9	1.8	.7	.5
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	168.271	168.877	168.976	168.981	3.6	1.9	1.0	1.7	2.7	1.3
Motor vehicle insurance	462.879	465.095	464.199	469.296	7.7	4.4	4.4	5.7	6.0	5.0
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	180.349	180.373	180.418	180.504	2.9	.8	6.0	.3	1.8	3.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 6}	171.635	171.667	171.711	171.729	1.0	.9	9.9	.2	1.0	5.0
Parking and other fees ²	194.931	195.004	195.240	195.718	2.9	1.6	1.4	1.6	2.2	1.5
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	216.639	216.716	216.904	217.048	6.9	1.0	2.1	.8	3.9	1.4
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	126.098	125.901	125.830	125.901	1.9	1.7	-7	-6	1.8	-7
Public transportation	264.216	263.965	267.392	268.620	-4.9	5.8	-13.3	6.8	.3	-3.8
Airline fare	282.969	282.706	286.902	290.357	-7.7	10.5	-24.4	10.9	1.0	-8.4
Other intercity transportation	156.165	155.779	158.190	155.710	-9.2	-1.0	17.9	-1.2	-5.2	7.9

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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—		
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Intercity bus fare ^{1 3 4}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intercity train fare ^{1 3 4}	111.379	107.991	107.612	108.734	-20.8	14.8	11.2	-9.2	-4.6	0.5
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	62.617	62.757	63.835	64.008	-1.9	-9.3	25.2	9.2	-5.7	16.9
Intracity transportation ¹	304.589	304.596	306.176	306.588	2.4	4.2	.9	2.7	3.3	1.8
Intracity mass transit ^{1 3 13}	120.608	120.606	121.259	121.427	1.6	5.6	1.4	2.7	3.6	2.1
Medical care	446.812	447.593	450.744	452.371	1.8	5.0	.0	5.1	3.4	2.5
Medical care commodities	355.992	355.376	356.150	357.200	5.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	3.5	1.5
Medicinal drugs ^{1 13}	116.435	116.244	116.287	116.436	7.4	1.3	2.2	.0	4.3	1.1
Prescription drugs	482.358	482.080	482.758	484.654	4.8	3.9	3.1	1.9	4.4	2.5
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 13}	97.738	97.849	97.899	97.673	1.5	-1	-2.0	-3	.7	-1.1
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 13}	99.708	99.522	99.656	99.365	-3.9	2.6	-3.4	-1.4	-7	-2.4
Medical care services	475.708	477.034	481.082	482.913	.8	5.9	-4	6.2	3.3	2.8
Professional services	361.849	362.666	362.803	365.223	.0	2.9	1.4	3.8	1.5	2.6
Physicians' services ⁶	365.999	367.088	366.931	371.149	-4	4.7	.7	5.7	2.1	3.2
Dental services ⁶	453.836	454.357	454.645	456.681	3.7	2.2	2.7	2.5	3.0	2.6
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 8}	183.270	184.061	184.530	183.546	-2.2	.5	-2.3	.6	-9	-9
Services by other medical professionals ^{6 8}	229.010	229.048	229.034	228.538	-3.0	1.1	1.5	-8	-1.0	.3
Hospital and related services	761.108	762.769	776.491	775.353	1.9	11.2	-2.7	7.7	6.5	2.4
Hospital services ^{6 14}	289.623	290.274	296.224	295.578	2.1	12.5	-3.5	8.5	7.2	2.3
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 6 14}	284.748	285.334	291.914	291.032	1.4	11.5	-2.4	9.1	6.3	3.2
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 6 8}	651.667	652.331	663.377	660.913	2.4	13.5	-5.4	5.8	7.8	.1
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{6 14}	207.296	207.850	208.332	209.045	2.4	3.1	3.6	3.4	2.7	3.5
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 5}	118.091	118.284	118.456	118.741	-3	3.5	1.3	2.2	1.6	1.7
Health insurance ^{1 5}	122.809	123.548	125.072	125.969	1.7	4.2	-1.8	10.7	2.9	4.3
Recreation ²	116.064	116.087	116.307	116.091	.5	1.4	.6	.1	1.0	.3
Video and audio ²	99.306	99.414	99.910	100.006	.8	-8	-7	2.8	.0	1.1
Televisions	3.344	3.308	3.265	3.215	-12.3	-11.2	-9.9	-14.6	-11.7	-12.2
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁹	421.573	421.937	425.220	426.890	1.7	.1	.6	5.1	.9	2.9
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	10.587	10.776	10.828	10.511	-10.0	-2.4	-5.7	-2.8	-6.2	-4.3
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2}	73.427	74.183	72.719	72.027	7.1	.8	-4	-7.4	3.9	-4.0
Video discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	41.584	42.522	41.160	40.532	2.3	-5	-9	-9.7	.9	-5.4
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ^{1 2 3}	120.539	120.561	120.561	120.598	13.4	4.1	-2.4	.2	8.7	-1.1
Audio equipment	35.760	35.941	35.870	36.016	-3.6	-3	-4.2	2.9	-2.0	-7
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	86.255	86.799	88.950	87.529	5.1	-1.6	-5.9	6.0	1.7	-1
Pets, pet products and services ²	167.191	167.970	168.104	167.430	-.2	1.5	-4	.6	.6	-.1
Pets and pet products ¹	197.083	198.242	198.242	196.667	-2.7	-5	-3.4	-8	-1.6	-2.1
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	149.901	150.955	151.697	151.724	-4.3	1.1	-7.8	5.0	-1.7	-1.6
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	114.032	114.656	113.823	111.860	-2.6	.2	.1	-7.4	-1.2	-3.7
Pet services including veterinary ²	227.493	228.114	228.587	229.081	3.9	5.0	4.4	2.8	4.4	3.6
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	182.549	183.053	182.611	183.181	2.6	2.8	5.2	1.4	2.7	3.3
Veterinarian services ^{2 3}	238.134	238.629	239.323	239.863	3.7	5.9	4.8	2.9	4.8	3.9
Sporting goods ¹	114.893	115.015	114.331	113.851	-1.1	-2.8	2.2	-3.6	-2.0	-7
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	151.529	150.496	148.147	147.582	2.5	4.4	1.9	-10.0	3.5	-4.3
Sports equipment	84.349	84.798	84.828	84.897	-3.2	-12.0	5.1	2.6	-7.7	3.9
Photography ²	74.509	74.855	75.574	75.178	-6.9	-7.6	-2	3.6	-7.2	1.7
Photographic equipment and supplies	54.482	54.285	54.422	54.277	-13.3	-14.5	.3	-1.5	-13.9	-6
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	126.107	123.069	123.220	123.220	-3.5	-6.9	-1.2	-8.8	-5.2	-5.1
Photographic equipment ^{2 3}	22.446	22.426	22.459	22.408	-13.8	-17.0	1.7	-7	-15.4	.5
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	121.420	122.926	124.900	123.959	-3	-8	-8	8.6	-6	3.8
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	126.727	126.666	129.736	129.775	-1.6	2.0	-5.0	10.0	.2	2.2
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	120.465	123.452	124.158	122.100	3.2	-4.5	6.5	5.5	-7	6.0
Other recreational goods ²	46.425	46.598	46.660	46.442	-8.8	-1.4	-6.9	.1	-5.2	-3.4
Toys	43.997	44.248	44.071	43.880	-9.4	-3.1	-8.8	-1.1	-6.3	-5.0
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{2 3}	52.339	52.681	52.804	52.663	-10.1	2.0	-9.6	2.5	-4.2	-3.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	96.165	96.378	98.563	98.070	-6.4	3.5	-6.2	8.2	-1.6	.7
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	99.999	99.525	100.389	99.923	-9.5	5.0	5.6	-3	-2.5	2.6
Other recreation services ²	157.681	156.817	157.015	156.595	4.2	5.5	3.9	-2.7	4.8	.5
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2}	131.751	131.427	130.553	129.403	-2.1	2.2	8.0	-6.9	.1	.3
Admissions ¹	357.280	352.960	356.116	356.225	11.4	8.9	.4	-1.2	10.1	-.4

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	168.727	168.254	168.526	169.546	6.5	6.8	-0.6	2.0	6.6	0.7
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	210.365	206.563	209.665	208.325	21.4	12.7	3.6	-3.8	17.0	-2
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 8}	288.024	290.819	291.078	292.013	-6	3.3	3.5	5.7	1.3	4.6
Recreational reading materials ¹	241.030	242.809	242.111	242.630	-4	5.6	-4	2.7	2.6	1.1
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	165.250	165.587	165.956	165.319	.0	8.9	-4	.2	4.4	-1
Recreational books ^{1 2}	100.056	101.490	100.527	101.534	-8	1.5	-4	6.0	.3	2.8
Education and communication ²	138.082	138.484	138.931	139.302	.1	.6	1.1	3.6	.3	2.3
Education ²	241.130	241.774	242.798	243.463	3.9	4.9	2.1	3.9	4.4	3.0
Educational books and supplies	649.695	651.339	653.765	657.641	6.5	4.4	2.4	5.0	5.5	3.7
College textbooks ^{1 3 11}	223.486	225.016	226.644	227.352	5.3	2.6	7.1	7.1	3.9	7.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	690.523	692.375	695.328	697.090	3.7	5.0	2.1	3.9	4.3	3.0
College tuition and fees	786.196	788.489	793.153	795.316	3.8	4.1	1.4	4.7	4.0	3.0
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	752.273	754.854	757.779	761.194	3.8	4.7	1.9	4.8	4.2	3.3
Child care and nursery school ¹⁰	277.395	277.798	278.287	278.784	3.1	8.3	3.4	2.0	5.7	2.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	233.940	234.236	234.438	235.015	1.4	.4	.7	1.9	.9	1.3
Communication ²	79.887	80.137	80.322	80.531	-3.2	-3.2	.1	3.3	-3.2	1.7
Postage and delivery services ²	175.073	175.703	175.981	176.830	-10.5	2.3	4.9	4.1	-4.3	4.5
Postage	275.081	276.199	277.287	278.344	-11.5	3.1	4.5	4.8	-4.5	4.7
Delivery services ²	285.520	285.342	279.662	283.656	-1.6	-4.3	8.3	-2.6	-3.0	2.7
Information and information processing ²	76.047	76.283	76.461	76.653	-2.9	-3.4	-1	3.2	-3.2	1.6
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.409	99.671	99.835	100.269	-1.6	-3.4	3.9	3.5	-2.5	3.7
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	55.194	55.388	55.514	55.908	-5.4	-6.1	4.9	5.3	-5.8	5.1
Land-line telephone services ^{1 13}	113.830	113.943	113.998	113.904	6.1	2.1	2.0	.3	4.1	1.1
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁵	7.925	7.958	7.989	7.976	-6.8	-3.5	-8.4	2.6	-5.2	-3.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁴	47.381	47.747	47.322	47.010	-12.2	-4.7	-7.6	-3.1	-8.5	-5.4
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	36.776	36.917	37.114	36.660	-7.2	7.2	-4.9	-1.3	-2	-3.1
Internet services and electronic information providers ² ..	76.056	76.521	77.156	77.377	-3.3	-2.6	-8.2	7.1	-3.0	-8
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2}	23.518	22.768	22.925	22.478	-1.2	-18.9	-16.0	-16.5	-10.5	-16.3
Other goods and services	415.483	416.265	418.141	418.694	1.6	1.4	2.2	3.1	1.5	2.7
Tobacco and smoking products	936.553	936.064	940.224	945.322	2.9	2.9	5.2	3.8	2.9	4.5
Cigarettes ²	382.182	382.272	383.902	386.026	2.8	3.4	5.0	4.1	3.1	4.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	246.640	244.810	246.982	247.556	2.7	-3.2	7.4	1.5	-3	4.4
Personal care	220.851	221.411	222.412	222.460	1.2	1.0	1.5	2.9	1.1	2.2
Personal care products ¹	161.877	162.437	163.474	163.143	3.4	-3.4	-3.2	3.2	-1	-1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	102.793	103.060	103.365	103.171	6.6	-2.1	-5.3	1.5	2.1	-2.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	186.629	187.449	189.321	188.899	.1	-4.8	-7	5.0	-2.4	2.1
Personal care services ¹	248.794	249.468	249.662	250.679	-1.2	3.9	6.7	3.1	1.3	4.9
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	151.805	152.216	152.335	152.955	-1.2	3.9	6.7	3.1	1.3	4.9
Miscellaneous personal services	400.213	401.914	403.355	404.042	2.1	2.3	3.2	3.9	2.2	3.5
Legal services ^{1 8}	324.413	327.485	327.557	328.393	.2	2.8	3.3	5.0	1.5	4.1
Funeral expenses ^{1 8}	315.528	315.938	317.797	317.847	1.8	2.7	4.2	3.0	2.2	3.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	156.161	156.474	157.509	157.872	.5	2.9	3.3	4.5	1.7	3.9
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} ..	181.125	183.269	183.311	182.821	2.4	1.7	-2	3.8	2.1	1.8
Financial services ^{1 8}	318.797	317.268	318.359	317.997	8.6	3.7	2.0	-1.0	6.1	.5
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	150.472	149.258	149.258	148.398	1.5	7.0	-2	-5.4	4.2	-2.8
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3} ..	217.215	217.215	218.149	218.149	11.1	3.4	1.1	1.7	7.2	1.4
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	81.683	81.363	81.745	80.473	-1.6	-3.6	-3.5	-5.8	-2.6	-4.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³	150.389	150.480	151.523	150.286	-3.7	-2.2	-5.3	-3	-2.9	-2.8
Infants' equipment ^{1 3 5}	85.561	85.450	85.600	85.222	4.3	-8.5	-6	-1.6	-2.3	-1.1
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	182.897	181.448	181.493	180.827	-11.4	4.9	.1	-4.5	-3.6	-2.2
Commodities less food and beverages	150.617	148.245	148.132	147.325	-19.0	8.8	-1.6	-8.5	-6.1	-5.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	191.979	186.407	186.896	187.209	-28.0	10.8	-1.4	-9.6	-10.6	-5.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	237.323	228.194	229.192	230.081	-35.1	15.7	-2.3	-11.7	-13.4	-7.1
Durables	108.823	108.942	108.741	108.475	-1.1	1.6	-3.2	-1.3	.3	-2.2
Services	292.322	293.001	293.914	294.679	2.3	2.2	2.4	3.3	2.2	2.8
Rent of shelter ⁷	291.529	292.506	293.309	293.911	2.9	2.9	3.7	3.3	2.9	3.5
Transportation services	290.779	291.206	291.839	293.631	2.5	3.4	-7	4.0	3.0	1.6

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Special aggregate indexes										
Other services	339.950	340.533	341.716	342.470	1.4	1.8	2.3	3.0	1.6	2.7
All items less food	236.413	235.841	236.337	236.461	-3.9	3.8	1.3	.1	-.1	.7
All items less shelter	224.163	223.283	223.672	223.508	-5.9	3.3	.5	-1.2	-1.4	-.3
All items less medical care	227.855	227.443	227.802	227.804	-3.5	3.0	1.7	-.1	-.3	.8
Commodities less food	153.641	151.331	151.259	150.468	-18.3	8.5	-1.5	-8.0	-5.9	-4.8
Nondurables less food	194.747	189.491	190.046	190.357	-26.4	10.0	-1.3	-8.7	-10.0	-5.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	236.306	227.996	229.118	229.993	-32.7	14.1	-2.1	-10.3	-12.4	-6.3
Nondurables	219.127	216.387	217.061	217.301	-13.7	3.9	.8	-3.3	-5.3	-1.3
Apparel less footwear	119.287	119.140	118.074	117.634	-1.1	-1.8	1.4	-5.4	-1.5	-2.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁷	315.872	316.233	317.540	318.616	1.5	1.2	1.1	3.5	1.3	2.3
Services less medical care services	278.394	279.033	279.767	280.499	2.4	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.0	3.0
Energy	208.521	198.661	199.238	196.723	-43.0	17.9	-1.0	-20.8	-18.0	-11.4
All items less energy	242.766	243.343	243.812	244.139	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.3	1.8	2.0
All items less food and energy	242.693	243.206	243.698	244.135	1.6	2.5	1.6	2.4	2.1	2.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.982	146.018	145.819	145.588	-.6	.9	-1.4	-1.1	.1	-1.2
Energy commodities	229.439	209.695	210.546	205.563	-66.2	54.8	-2.1	-35.6	-27.6	-20.6
Services less energy services	301.901	302.727	303.697	304.562	2.3	3.1	2.5	3.6	2.7	3.0
Domestically produced farm food	251.488	252.376	252.820	252.237	.4	-3.4	3.8	1.2	-1.5	2.5
Utilities and public transportation	214.191	214.123	214.777	215.382	.5	-3.7	-3	2.2	-1.6	1.0

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 Nov. 2015 from—
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014
Food and beverages									
Rice ²	166.188	163.139	166.795	166.908	-1.6	-1.8	2.2	0.1	-0.8
White bread	321.254	325.682	324.115	323.439	-1.5	1.4	-5	-2	1.7
Bread other than white	345.153	345.740	346.852	350.054	.7	.2	.3	.9	3.0
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	293.605	294.360	298.398	299.012	.6	.3	1.4	.2	5.0
Cookies	269.976	268.768	270.045	268.687	.0	-4	.5	-5	-5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts	296.939	295.622	296.163	298.636	.5	-4	.2	.8	4.2
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	312.894	308.153	308.930	301.365	.3	-1.5	.3	-2.4	.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers	270.909	268.067	270.095	264.986	-7	-1.0	.8	-1.9	-3
Bacon and related products	280.298	291.302	296.871	295.115	3.4	3.9	1.9	-6	.6
Breakfast sausage and related products ²	148.618	146.503	146.263	142.098	-8	-1.4	-2	-2.8	-6.8
Ham, excluding canned	241.962	243.720	245.779	232.470	1.4	.7	.8	-5.4	-13.1
Frankfurters	223.577	234.505	238.062	239.282	.7	4.9	1.5	.5	6.8
Lunchmeats ²	147.285	147.621	148.695	149.702	.8	.2	.7	.7	2.3
Lamb and organ meats	335.187	330.318	333.408	328.743	.1	-1.5	.9	-1.4	-2
Lamb and mutton ²	180.661	179.801	182.134	179.742	.4	-5	1.3	-1.3	1.0
Fresh whole chicken	253.129	245.638	247.292	250.663	-6	-3.0	.7	1.4	-1.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	223.913	223.857	225.242	225.208	-6	.0	.6	.0	-2.0
Shelf stable fish and seafood	202.323	202.307	202.976	202.884	-3	.0	.3	.0	-1
Frozen fish and seafood	318.309	311.752	303.469	307.024	-1.1	-2.1	-2.7	1.2	-5.9
Fresh whole milk	209.408	210.564	210.449	208.448	-1.5	.6	-1	-1.0	-9.5
Fresh milk other than whole ²	150.207	150.514	149.187	148.208	-7	.2	-9	-7	-6.6
Oranges, including tangerines	539.743	533.730	547.521	488.083	5.2	-1.1	2.6	-10.9	1.5
Canned fruits ²	159.487	160.274	158.675	156.376	-1	.5	-1.0	-1.4	5.0
Canned vegetables ²	174.288	172.284	167.087	164.802	-2	-1.1	-3.0	-1.4	-1.3
Frozen vegetables	206.441	205.264	201.243	198.122	.8	-6	-2.0	-1.6	1.0
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ²	207.256	205.265	205.330	205.293	-2	-1.0	.0	.0	1.2
Roasted coffee	216.377	214.005	212.999	209.850	-1	-1.1	-5	-1.5	-8
Instant and freeze dried coffee	200.693	198.976	196.716	196.525	-2.2	-9	-1.1	-1	-3.7
Butter	232.911	240.074	250.853	237.240	1.9	3.1	4.5	-5.4	-4.1
Margarine	291.796	289.815	294.745	289.489	1.4	-7	1.7	-1.8	.2
Peanut butter ²	158.198	160.157	160.018	155.513	.2	1.2	-1	-2.8	-5.6
Salt and other seasonings and spices ²	149.092	148.355	148.912	147.601	1.2	-5	.4	-9	4.5
Olives, pickles, relishes ²	136.109	139.516	141.617	138.744	-1.3	2.5	1.5	-2.0	4.7
Sauces and gravies ²	136.431	138.728	137.366	135.098	-7	1.7	-1.0	-1.7	3.0
Other condiments	279.323	277.854	273.362	267.944	1.9	-5	-1.6	-2.0	2.7
Prepared salads ³	121.255	123.814	124.285	125.455	-1	2.1	.4	.9	4.8
Food at elementary and secondary schools ⁴	127.475	138.561	141.218	140.900	.	8.7	1.9	-2	4.4
Whiskey at home	207.004	204.921	205.618	206.706	.2	-1.0	.3	.5	.0
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home	186.143	186.616	186.322	185.315	.4	.3	-2	-5	-9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ²	163.484	163.778	164.047	164.095	.0	.2	.2	.0	1.1
Wine away from home ²	178.649	178.435	178.396	178.208	.0	-1	.0	-1	.6
Distilled spirits away from home ²	177.830	178.766	178.976	179.672	.1	.5	.1	.4	3.6
Housing									
Infants' furniture ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	.	.	.	.	.
Laundry equipment	97.928	100.020	99.732	96.468	.0	2.1	-3	-3.3	-2.6
Transportation									
New cars and trucks ²	101.713	101.617	101.573	101.753	-3	-1	.0	.2	.2
New cars	143.905	143.581	143.516	143.456	-3	-2	.0	.0	-6
New trucks ⁵	155.086	155.096	155.035	155.571	-3	.0	.0	.3	.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	227.099	203.318	195.144	186.747	-5.7	-10.5	-4.0	-4.3	-25.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁶	245.418	223.142	217.405	206.666	-4.3	-9.1	-2.6	-4.9	-21.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	237.367	217.717	209.040	201.739	-4.4	-8.3	-4.0	-3.5	-19.4
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires	156.476	157.745	155.788	157.087	-2	.8	-1.2	.8	.9
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids	368.982	371.429	362.512	365.842	.5	.7	-2.4	.9	-9
Parking fees and tolls ²	216.639	216.716	216.904	217.048	.3	.0	.1	.1	2.6
Automobile service clubs ²	126.098	125.901	125.830	125.901	.1	-2	-1	.1	.5
Intercity bus fare ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	.	.	.	.	.
Intercity train fare ³	111.379	107.991	107.612	108.734	-4.4	-3.0	-4	1.0	-2.1
Ship fare ²	62.617	62.757	63.835	64.008	1.3	.2	1.7	.3	5.0
Intracity mass transit ⁷	120.608	120.606	121.259	121.427	.1	.0	.5	.1	2.8

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 Nov. 2015 from—
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014
Medical care									
Inpatient hospital services ^{8 9}	283.344	284.256	290.639	290.054	-0.1	0.3	2.2	-0.2	4.7
Outpatient hospital services ^{9 10}	647.880	650.277	661.811	660.324	-.4	.4	1.8	-.2	3.9
Recreation									
Video discs and other media ²	41.584	42.522	41.160	40.532	3.8	2.3	-3.2	-1.5	-2.3
Rental of video or audio discs and other media ²	120.539	120.561	120.561	120.598	-.8	.0	.0	.0	3.7
Pet food ²	149.901	150.955	151.697	151.724	-.4	.7	.5	.0	-1.6
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ²	114.032	114.656	113.823	111.860	.3	.5	-.7	-1.7	-2.5
Pet services ²	182.549	183.053	182.611	183.181	.7	.3	-.2	.3	3.0
Veterinarian services ²	238.041	238.395	238.813	239.103	.5	.1	.2	.1	4.3
Film and photographic supplies ²	126.107	123.069	123.220	123.220	.0	-2.4	.1	.0	-5.1
Photographic equipment ²	22.969	22.956	22.551	22.309	.5	-.1	-1.8	-1.1	-7.8
Photographer fees ²	126.727	126.666	129.736	129.775	-.6	.0	2.4	.0	1.2
Film processing ²	120.465	123.452	124.158	122.100	-.2	2.5	.6	-1.7	2.6
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ²	52.557	52.394	52.437	51.927	-1.3	-.3	.1	-1.0	-4.0
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ²	168.727	168.254	168.526	169.546	.0	-.3	.2	.6	3.6
Admission to sporting events ²	210.365	206.563	209.665	208.325	1.4	-1.8	1.5	-.6	8.1
Education and communication									
College textbooks ¹¹	223.486	225.016	226.644	227.352	1.9	.7	.7	.3	5.5
Other goods and services									
Checking account and other bank services ²	150.472	149.258	149.258	148.398	-.1	-.8	.0	-.6	.6
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ²	217.215	217.215	218.149	218.149	.0	.0	.4	.0	4.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap	148.139	148.184	150.666	151.426	-.8	.0	1.7	.5	-2.9
Infants' equipment ⁴	85.561	85.450	85.600	85.222	3.0	-.1	.2	-.4	-1.7

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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	232.373	231.721	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100)	-	692.167	690.227	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.011	248.053	247.271	1.1	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food	15.052	248.268	247.434	1.2	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food at home	9.259	242.970	241.349	.2	-7	.3	.1	-3
Cereals and bakery products	1.255	276.866	274.678	1.1	-8	-2	.7	-6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.376	261.721	259.407	-5	-9	-3	-6	-5
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.950	220.317	219.118	-3.6	-5	.7	-2	-5
Fruits and vegetables	1.419	295.385	294.954	1.3	-1	.8	.5	.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.092	168.345	166.931	.0	-8	-1	.1	-5
Other food at home	2.167	209.346	207.961	1.4	-7	.8	.2	-4
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.302	215.530	214.345	3.2	-5	.2	-5	-5
Fats and oils .....	.270	230.874	225.800	-1.7	-2.2	.4	.7	-1.2
Other foods	1.595	224.257	223.302	1.5	-4	.9	.3	-3
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.456	132.381	132.512	.8	.1	.4	.8	.1
Food away from home ¹	5.793	258.564	259.041	2.8	.2	.7	.2	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.276	181.706	182.637	4.1	.5	-1	.0	.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	.959	243.465	243.488	.5	.0	.1	.6	-1
Housing	40.464	235.733	235.695	2.1	.0	.2	.2	.1
Shelter	31.105	274.739	275.275	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	9.800	286.754	287.607	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.2
Lodging away from home ² .....	.461	156.624	149.225	2.5	-4.7	-1	.9	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	20.511	260.920	261.606	3.0	.3	.3	.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	19.967	260.907	261.591	3.0	.3	.3	.2	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.245	148.649	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.3
Fuels and utilities	5.903	225.515	223.456	-2.1	-9	-2	.2	.1
Household energy	4.578	188.863	186.428	-3.8	-1.3	-4	.2	.0
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.208	236.253	235.134	-24.6	-5	-1.3	.8	-5
Energy services ³	4.369	193.752	191.192	-2.8	-1.3	-4	.2	.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	216.894	217.548	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Household furnishings and operations	3.455	117.574	117.030	-1.0	-5	.3	-2	-4
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	174.430	174.792	3.5	.2	-1	.1	.2
Apparel	3.595	128.524	126.194	-1.6	-1.8	-5	-8	-5
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.973	121.765	120.830	-6	-8	1.2	-1.0	-2
Women's and girls' apparel	1.427	114.152	110.787	-3.4	-2.9	-1.2	-8	-8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.193	126.541	128.152	5.6	1.3	1.0	-1.6	1.2
Footwear .....	.821	140.267	138.347	-1.4	-1.4	-1.2	-4	-7
Transportation	18.015	194.395	192.396	-6.6	-1.0	-2.6	.0	-5
Private transportation	17.211	190.409	188.188	-6.9	-1.2	-2.7	.0	-5
New and used motor vehicles ²	6.886	99.451	98.842	-1	-6	-2	-3	.0
New vehicles	3.527	147.835	148.141	.4	.2	-1	-2	.1
Used cars and trucks	2.827	146.858	144.270	-6	-1.8	-4	-5	-2
Motor fuel	5.214	201.016	192.445	-24.2	-4.3	-9.0	.5	-2.6
Gasoline (all types)	5.100	200.236	191.589	-24.0	-4.3	-9.0	.6	-2.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.532	144.212	144.892	-1	.5	.5	-9	.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.206	274.622	274.770	1.3	.1	.1	.2	.1
Public transportation .....	.805	269.597	274.517	-4	1.8	-1	1.2	.7
Medical care	6.308	453.217	454.731	3.0	.3	.1	.8	.4
Medical care commodities	1.423	346.260	346.751	2.5	.1	-3	.3	.4
Medical care services	4.885	485.965	487.858	3.2	.4	.3	1.0	.4
Professional services	2.474	365.405	368.028	2.2	.7	.2	.0	.8

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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Hospital and related services	1.738	786.337	784.551	4.6	-0.2	0.3	2.1	-0.3
Recreation ²	5.131	111.917	111.606	.4	-.3	.0	.3	-.1
Video and audio ²	2.054	100.693	100.644	.5	.0	.1	.5	.2
Education and communication ²	6.875	130.303	130.529	.9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Education ²	2.544	240.815	240.982	3.8	.1	.3	.2	.3
Educational books and supplies .....	.202	665.917	667.679	4.4	.3	.2	.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.342	673.291	673.645	3.8	.1	.3	.2	.3
Communication ²	4.332	82.317	82.512	-.8	.2	.3	.3	.3
Information and information processing ²	4.228	79.673	79.864	-.9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Telephone services ^{1 2}	3.030	98.268	98.715	.3	.5	.3	.2	.5
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	1.198	8.535	8.508	-3.8	-.3	.4	.6	-.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶ .....	.249	46.803	46.467	-6.8	-.7	.7	-.6	-.4
Other goods and services	3.600	452.896	453.456	2.4	.1	.1	.5	.2
Tobacco and smoking products	1.187	949.222	951.443	3.8	.2	.0	.4	.5
Personal care	2.413	219.548	219.698	1.7	.1	.2	.5	.1
Personal care products ¹ .....	.709	163.849	163.559	.1	-.2	.4	.7	-.2
Personal care services ¹ .....	.576	250.330	251.497	3.2	.5	.3	.1	.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.953	404.229	404.719	2.9	.1	.4	.4	.2
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	41.147	183.939	182.176	-3.3	-1.0	-1.0	.0	-5
Food and beverages	16.011	248.053	247.271	1.1	-.3	.4	.1	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	25.136	152.161	150.062	-6.1	-1.4	-1.9	-.1	-7
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.131	193.641	190.106	-9.4	-1.8	-3.5	.3	.2
Apparel	3.595	128.524	126.194	-1.6	-1.8	-5	-.8	-.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.536	238.120	233.764	-11.8	-1.8	-4.5	.4	.4
Durables	10.005	110.732	109.926	-.9	-.7	.0	-.3	-.3
Services	58.853	287.900	288.423	2.5	.2	.2	.3	.3
Rent of shelter ⁴	30.772	264.673	265.187	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.245	148.649	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.3
Energy services ³	4.369	193.752	191.192	-2.8	-1.3	-.4	.2	.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	216.894	217.548	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	174.430	174.792	3.5	.2	-.1	.1	.2
Transportation services	5.784	297.951	300.880	3.2	1.0	.2	.1	.7
Medical care services	4.885	485.965	487.858	3.2	.4	.3	1.0	.4
Other services	11.005	321.336	321.920	1.8	.2	.2	.4	.3
Special indexes								
All items less food	84.948	229.457	228.836	-.1	-.3	-.4	.2	.0
All items less shelter	68.895	219.304	218.207	-1.3	-.5	-.6	.2	-.1
All items less medical care	93.692	223.644	222.923	-.1	-.3	-.3	.1	.0
Commodities less food	26.095	155.003	152.945	-5.9	-1.3	-1.9	-.1	-.6
Nondurables less food	16.090	196.378	193.016	-8.8	-1.7	-3.3	.3	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.495	237.192	233.206	-10.9	-1.7	-4.1	.5	.4
Nondurables	31.142	220.130	217.855	-4.1	-1.0	-1.6	.3	.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	28.081	278.644	279.111	1.8	.2	.2	.4	.4
Services less medical care services	53.968	274.463	274.909	2.5	.2	.2	.3	.3
Energy	9.792	193.844	188.393	-15.3	-2.8	-5.0	.4	-1.4
All items less energy	90.208	238.098	238.024	1.8	.0	.2	.2	.1
All items less food and energy	75.156	236.478	236.548	2.0	.0	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.672	149.360	148.341	-.5	-.7	-.1	-.2	-.2
Energy commodities	5.423	203.488	195.078	-24.2	-4.1	-8.7	.5	-2.5
Services less energy services	54.484	298.313	299.196	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.430	\$.432	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.144	\$.145	-	-	-	-	-

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—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	232.888	232.219	232.650	232.612	-4.5	3.7	1.5	-0.5	-0.5	0.5
Food and beverages	246.662	247.664	248.028	247.706	1.1	-7	2.5	1.7	.2	2.1
Food	246.864	247.916	248.215	247.892	1.3	-8	2.6	1.7	.2	2.2
Food at home	242.129	242.738	242.886	242.082	.3	-2.9	3.6	-1	-1.3	1.7
Cereals and bakery products	275.647	275.102	277.060	275.529	2.3	-1	2.5	-2	1.1	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	263.108	262.386	260.729	259.355	2.5	-6.5	8.3	-5.6	-2.1	1.1
Dairy and related products ¹	219.362	220.869	220.317	219.118	-5.9	-7.4	-5	-4	-6.7	-5
Fruits and vegetables	291.794	294.040	295.587	297.402	-4.0	-2.5	4.4	7.9	-3.3	6.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	167.896	167.664	167.912	167.138	.7	-1.4	2.6	-1.8	-4	.4
Other food at home	207.930	209.526	209.989	209.047	2.1	.4	.9	2.2	1.2	1.5
Sugar and sweets ¹	216.136	216.537	215.530	214.345	14.8	-1	2.1	-3.3	7.1	-6
Fats and oils	227.494	228.309	230.020	227.191	-3.0	-3.6	.3	-5	-3.3	-1
Other foods	222.623	224.736	225.332	224.659	.6	1.1	.7	3.7	.9	2.2
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	130.796	131.299	132.381	132.512	-8	1.3	-2.3	5.4	.2	1.4
Food away from home ¹	256.209	258.009	258.564	259.041	2.9	2.6	1.2	4.5	2.7	2.8
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	181.736	181.636	181.706	182.637	4.4	6.7	3.4	2.0	5.5	2.7
Alcoholic beverages	242.293	242.508	243.855	243.566	-2.3	2.2	.2	2.1	-1	1.1
Housing	235.068	235.609	236.101	236.436	2.1	1.1	2.6	2.3	1.6	2.5
Shelter	273.230	274.064	274.780	275.357	2.8	3.0	3.7	3.2	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ³	284.841	285.902	286.765	287.346	3.2	3.5	4.3	3.6	3.3	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	157.199	157.062	158.409	159.531	4.9	-6.4	5.9	6.1	-9	6.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	259.561	260.303	260.902	261.425	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.9	2.8	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	259.548	260.291	260.888	261.413	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.9	2.8	3.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	147.994	148.169	148.245	148.649	7.1	1.0	.0	1.8	4.0	.9
Fuels and utilities	227.890	227.400	227.821	227.972	.6	-8.4	-2	.1	-4.0	.0
Household energy	191.739	190.916	191.383	191.329	-4	-11.7	-1.6	-9	-6.2	-1.2
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	237.526	234.358	236.253	235.134	-36.0	-18.4	-35.6	-4.0	-27.8	-21.4
Energy services ³	196.777	196.001	196.438	196.416	1.7	-11.4	.1	-7	-5.1	-3
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.883	216.947	216.926	217.743	4.0	3.9	4.6	3.5	4.0	4.1
Household furnishings and operations	117.522	117.861	117.590	117.163	-1.7	1.0	-2.2	-1.2	-4	-1.7
Household operations ^{1 2}	174.306	174.201	174.430	174.792	.7	4.3	8.1	1.1	2.5	4.5
Apparel	126.020	125.447	124.431	123.764	-1	-4	1.2	-7.0	-3	-3.0
Men's and boys' apparel	119.350	120.779	119.574	119.374	6.1	-3.4	-5.1	.1	1.3	-2.5
Women's and girls' apparel	110.592	109.212	108.336	107.440	-3.7	-5	2.2	-10.9	-2.1	-4.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	125.544	126.768	124.759	126.248	-8.2	8.9	21.3	2.3	.0	11.4
Footwear	139.509	137.818	137.253	136.257	-5	1.7	2.8	-9.0	.6	-3.3
Transportation	201.410	196.207	196.286	195.368	-26.9	17.3	-1.1	-11.5	-7.4	-6.4
Private transportation	197.693	192.360	192.334	191.325	-27.9	18.0	-6	-12.3	-7.8	-6.6
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.011	99.764	99.490	99.488	.5	5.1	-3.5	-2.1	2.7	-2.8
New vehicles	148.640	148.523	148.262	148.423	.1	2.3	-1	-6	1.2	-3
Used cars and trucks	147.833	147.263	146.600	146.255	.7	9.3	-7.4	-4.2	4.9	-5.8
Motor fuel	227.981	207.567	208.631	203.216	-67.3	60.2	-1	-36.9	-27.6	-20.6
Gasoline (all types)	227.254	206.819	207.971	202.613	-67.4	61.2	.3	-36.8	-27.5	-20.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	144.768	145.489	144.212	144.892	3.0	-1.5	-2.0	.3	.7	-8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	273.585	273.985	274.622	274.770	.9	2.5	.0	1.7	1.7	.9
Public transportation	267.224	266.975	270.086	272.039	-9	4.2	-11.1	7.4	1.6	-2.3
Medical care	449.605	450.262	453.923	455.793	1.6	4.8	.2	5.6	3.2	2.9
Medical care commodities	346.480	345.514	346.520	347.777	4.7	2.1	1.6	1.5	3.4	1.6
Medical care services	480.885	482.184	486.836	488.910	.7	5.6	-2	6.8	3.1	3.3
Professional services	365.079	365.822	365.866	368.699	.1	2.8	1.8	4.0	1.4	2.9

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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—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Hospital and related services	770.435	772.878	788.996	786.715	1.9	10.8	-2.5	8.7	6.3	3.0
Recreation ²	111.813	111.855	112.138	111.986	.2	.9	-.1	.6	.6	.3
Video and audio ²	100.491	100.598	101.080	101.260	1.1	-1.0	-.7	3.1	.0	1.2
Education and communication ²	129.265	129.685	130.017	130.418	-.8	-.1	.9	3.6	-.5	2.2
Education ²	237.667	238.447	238.947	239.652	3.9	6.3	1.9	3.4	5.1	2.6
Educational books and supplies	656.814	658.191	661.150	664.913	5.5	4.9	2.2	5.0	5.2	3.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	664.523	666.773	668.033	669.847	3.7	6.4	1.8	3.2	5.1	2.5
Communication ²	81.919	82.183	82.416	82.677	-3.4	-3.8	.3	3.8	-3.6	2.0
Information and information processing ²	79.270	79.525	79.752	80.001	-3.2	-3.9	.2	3.7	-3.6	1.9
Telephone services ^{1 2}	97.810	98.090	98.268	98.715	-2.3	-3.9	4.1	3.8	-3.1	3.9
Information technology, hardware and services ⁵	8.483	8.518	8.566	8.561	-5.8	-4.0	-9.2	3.7	-4.9	-2.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁶	47.015	47.347	47.042	46.854	-12.0	-4.4	-9.1	-1.4	-8.3	-5.3
Other goods and services	450.215	450.824	452.912	453.890	2.2	1.7	2.3	3.3	1.9	2.8
Tobacco and smoking products	945.021	944.709	948.501	953.703	2.9	3.3	5.2	3.7	3.1	4.5
Personal care	218.085	218.562	219.642	219.753	1.8	.9	.8	3.1	1.4	2.0
Personal care products ¹	162.129	162.710	163.849	163.559	3.5	-3.0	-3.6	3.6	.2	-.1
Personal care services ¹	249.443	250.138	250.330	251.497	-.6	3.9	6.3	3.3	1.6	4.8
Miscellaneous personal services	401.303	402.801	404.415	405.079	2.7	2.3	2.9	3.8	2.5	3.4
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	186.138	184.231	184.232	183.391	-13.4	6.4	-.1	-5.8	-4.0	-3.0
Food and beverages	246.662	247.664	248.028	247.706	1.1	-.7	2.5	1.7	.2	2.1
Commodities less food and beverages	155.729	152.716	152.572	151.550	-21.4	11.2	-1.8	-10.3	-6.5	-6.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	199.753	192.752	193.343	193.701	-31.7	13.0	-1.2	-11.6	-12.1	-6.5
Apparel	126.020	125.447	124.431	123.764	-.1	-.4	1.2	-7.0	-.3	-3.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	249.959	238.762	239.792	240.678	-39.4	19.2	-2.3	-14.0	-15.0	-8.4
Durables	111.202	111.184	110.896	110.586	-.5	2.5	-3.3	-2.2	1.0	-2.8
Services	286.622	287.270	288.175	288.989	2.3	1.8	2.6	3.3	2.1	3.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	263.197	263.994	264.721	265.229	2.9	3.0	3.8	3.1	2.9	3.5
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	147.994	148.169	148.245	148.649	7.1	1.0	.0	1.8	4.0	.9
Energy services ³	196.777	196.001	196.438	196.416	1.7	-11.4	.1	-.7	-5.1	-.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.883	216.947	216.926	217.743	4.0	3.9	4.6	3.5	4.0	4.1
Household operations ^{1 2}	174.306	174.201	174.430	174.792	.7	4.3	8.1	1.1	2.5	4.5
Transportation services	296.555	297.112	297.492	299.642	4.3	3.2	.8	4.2	3.8	2.5
Medical care services	480.885	482.184	486.836	488.910	.7	5.6	-.2	6.8	3.1	3.3
Other services	319.296	319.999	321.150	322.105	.8	1.1	1.9	3.6	.9	2.7
Special indexes										
All items less food	230.286	229.336	229.788	229.797	-5.5	4.5	1.2	-.8	-.6	.2
All items less shelter	220.573	219.342	219.672	219.406	-7.6	3.9	.4	-2.1	-2.0	-.8
All items less medical care	224.295	223.586	223.905	223.803	-4.9	3.6	1.5	-.9	-.7	.3
Commodities less food	158.473	155.524	155.414	154.406	-20.8	10.9	-1.7	-9.9	-6.3	-5.9
Nondurables less food	202.126	195.440	196.104	196.476	-30.2	12.3	-1.1	-10.7	-11.5	-6.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	247.872	237.677	238.768	239.628	-37.2	17.5	-2.1	-12.7	-14.1	-7.5
Nondurables	222.619	219.142	219.899	220.187	-16.5	5.2	.5	-4.3	-6.2	-1.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	277.739	278.167	279.312	280.460	1.5	.3	1.4	4.0	.9	2.7
Services less medical care services	273.407	274.022	274.762	275.579	2.4	1.2	3.0	3.2	1.8	3.1
Energy	208.598	198.107	198.866	196.165	-45.2	20.4	-.8	-21.8	-18.8	-11.9
All items less energy	236.893	237.410	237.802	238.087	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.9
All items less food and energy	235.309	235.725	236.136	236.536	1.7	2.6	1.5	2.1	2.1	1.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities	149.018	148.906	148.592	148.296	-.2	1.9	-1.7	-1.9	.8	-1.8
Energy commodities	229.879	209.834	210.930	205.604	-66.5	56.3	-1.5	-36.0	-27.7	-20.6
Services less energy services	296.533	297.347	298.304	299.215	2.4	2.9	2.8	3.7	2.7	3.2

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 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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	232.373	231.721	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100)	-	692.167	690.227	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.011	248.053	247.271	1.1	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food	15.052	248.268	247.434	1.2	-3	.4	.1	-1
Food at home	9.259	242.970	241.349	.2	-7	.3	.1	-3
Cereals and bakery products	1.255	276.866	274.678	1.1	-8	-2	.7	-6
Cereals and cereal products .....	.420	235.280	232.288	-1	-1.3	-1.0	1.4	-1.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.052	239.951	230.738	-3.3	-3.8	1.0	-7	-1.2
Breakfast cereal ¹ .....	.221	232.530	230.804	-6	-7	-1.5	2.2	-7
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹ .....	.147	241.349	238.539	1.9	-1.2	-2.2	1.6	-1.2
Bakery products .....	.835	301.258	299.608	1.8	-5	.1	.2	.0
Bread ² .....	.247	181.163	181.386	2.1	.1	.8	.3	.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ² .....	.121	179.748	179.362	2.4	-2	.2	.4	.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.208	281.669	281.335	1.6	-1	-4	.1	-1.0
Other bakery products .....	.259	271.582	267.041	1.2	-1.7	-2	.8	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.376	261.721	259.407	-5	-9	-3	-6	-5
Meats, poultry, and fish	2.221	258.416	256.434	-2.1	-8	-2	-3	-2
Meats	1.478	266.541	263.382	-2.1	-1.2	.1	-3	-6
Beef and veal ¹ .....	.714	322.368	317.920	-1.4	-1.4	-6	-1.0	-1.4
Uncooked ground beef ¹ .....	.292	290.705	286.994	-3.5	-1.3	-5	-7	-1.3
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2} .....	.098	234.267	230.181	-2.4	-1.7	-1.1	-8	-1.7
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2} .....	.253	217.011	213.513	1.7	-1.6	-7	-1.2	-1.6
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2} .....	.071	242.009	240.996	-1.9	-4	-3	-1.5	-4
Pork .....	.438	220.599	215.674	-6.4	-2.2	1.1	.8	-1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² .....	.161	160.475	158.401	-2.0	-1.3	1.2	1.9	1.1
Ham .....	.091	220.368	209.878	-11.0	-4.8	.2	1.0	-1.6
Pork chops .....	.083	198.348	194.839	-7.5	-1.8	1.1	1.4	-1.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics ² .....	.103	134.516	131.979	-8.2	-1.9	.6	-6	-1.3
Other meats .....	.326	232.382	233.744	2.3	.6	.5	-1	.5
Poultry .....	.439	234.665	234.342	-1.3	-1	-9	.2	.8
Chicken ^{1 2} .....	.369	150.653	151.246	-1.8	.4	-9	.3	.4
Other poultry including turkey ² .....	.069	156.503	152.154	1.1	-2.8	-1.7	1.6	.6
Fish and seafood .....	.305	281.347	282.404	-3.0	.4	-1.0	-8	.1
Fresh fish and seafood ² .....	.149	170.556	170.228	-3.0	-2	-1.0	-8	-3
Processed fish and seafood ² .....	.156	143.002	144.325	-3.0	.9	-1.1	-1.1	.7
Eggs .....	.155	310.785	303.647	23.9	-2.3	-6	-4.9	-4.1
Dairy and related products ¹ .....	.950	220.317	219.118	-3.6	-5	.7	-2	-5
Milk ^{1 2} .....	.320	144.908	144.044	-7.8	-6	.6	-7	-6
Cheese and related products .....	.287	230.691	229.929	-3.4	-3	.7	-7	.1
Ice cream and related products .....	.132	221.971	221.562	.9	-2	-1	-5	-1
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2} .....	.211	148.414	146.966	-4	-1.0	.2	-2	-1.0
Fruits and vegetables	1.419	295.385	294.954	1.3	-1	.8	.5	.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.088	341.833	342.273	1.3	.1	1.0	1.2	.5
Fresh fruits .....	.580	360.389	358.095	1.3	-6	.8	1.8	.1
Apples .....	.086	323.838	329.436	2.6	1.7	3.0	4.5	2.8
Bananas .....	.102	202.949	202.927	-1.2	.0	-6	-4	1.3
Citrus fruits ² .....	.159	253.254	232.136	1.6	-8.3	.5	1.9	1.7
Other fresh fruits ² .....	.233	119.147	124.779	1.8	4.7	1.0	-3	.6
Fresh vegetables .....	.509	321.629	324.984	1.4	1.0	1.2	.5	.9
Potatoes .....	.080	330.883	306.803	-6	-7.3	1.5	2.7	-2.5
Lettuce .....	.077	304.797	319.684	1.6	4.9	5.3	1.2	.5
Tomatoes ¹ .....	.116	321.283	336.251	-3.5	4.7	2.3	2.5	4.7
Other fresh vegetables .....	.236	328.191	332.564	4.2	1.3	.4	-5	1.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ² .....	.331	156.144	154.518	1.3	-1.0	.1	-1.6	1.1
Canned fruits and vegetables ² .....	.177	159.933	157.951	.8	-1.2	.1	-2.4	1.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables ² .....	.091	144.785	143.468	1.5	-9	-1	-7	.3
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ² .....	.063	162.623	161.515	2.6	-7	.1	-4	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.092	168.345	166.931	0.0	-0.8	-0.1	0.1	-0.5
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ² .....	.831	130.956	129.804	.6	-0.9	.1	.3	-0.5
Carbonated drinks .....	.348	162.052	159.448	.5	-1.6	-0.5	.0	-0.3
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2} .....	.018	175.231	173.490	-0.3	-1.0	.2	.3	-1.0
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ² .....	.465	119.968	119.575	.7	-0.3	.6	.7	-0.6
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ² .....	.261	119.013	118.167	-1.8	-0.7	-0.9	-0.4	-0.4
Coffee .....	.150	202.907	199.330	-2.5	-1.8	-0.8	-0.6	-1.3
Other beverage materials including tea ² .....	.110	126.226	127.155	-0.7	.7	-1.3	.1	.9
Other food at home	2.167	209.346	207.961	1.4	-0.7	.8	.2	-0.4
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.302	215.530	214.345	3.2	-0.5	-0.2	-0.5	-0.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.066	190.913	185.459	4.2	-2.9	-0.8	-0.2	-1.2
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2} .....	.178	145.588	145.781	3.7	.1	.5	-0.1	.1
Other sweets ² .....	.058	151.227	151.334	.3	.1	-0.2	-1.0	1.7
Fats and oils .....	.270	230.874	225.800	-1.7	-2.2	.4	.7	-1.2
Butter and margarine ² .....	.075	209.934	200.695	-2.2	-4.4	.8	3.8	-2.5
Salad dressing ² .....	.067	133.744	131.364	.7	-1.8	.2	.1	-1.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ² .....	.128	160.149	158.449	-2.6	-1.1	-0.3	-0.6	-0.1
Other foods	1.595	224.257	223.302	1.5	-0.4	.9	.3	-0.3
Soups .....	.093	239.033	235.069	1.3	-1.7	1.8	1.7	-2.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹ .....	.315	168.030	167.428	.3	-0.4	1.1	-0.2	-0.4
Snacks ¹ .....	.345	252.715	252.761	2.3	.0	.2	-0.4	.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.302	238.994	235.821	4.0	-1.3	1.4	-0.1	.8
Baby food ^{1 2} .....	.084	155.936	155.017	-1.4	-0.6	.7	-0.5	-0.6
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2} .....	.456	132.381	132.512	.8	.1	.4	.8	.1
Food away from home ¹	5.793	258.564	259.041	2.8	.2	.7	.2	.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	2.361	160.399	160.685	2.5	.2	.2	.2	.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	2.830	164.475	164.776	2.7	.2	.4	.2	.2
Food at employee sites and schools ² .....	.233	168.638	168.450	5.1	-0.1	10.2	.9	.0
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2} .....	.092	145.788	145.998	2.2	.1	.1	-0.2	.1
Other food away from home ^{1 2} .....	.276	181.706	182.637	4.1	.5	-0.1	.0	.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	.959	243.465	243.488	.5	.0	.1	.6	-0.1
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.564	205.382	205.260	.1	-0.1	.1	.9	-0.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.364	218.763	218.964	.6	.1	.3	.9	-0.5
Distilled spirits at home .....	.055	189.908	189.417	-0.6	-0.3	-0.5	.4	.2
Wine at home .....	.145	165.527	164.920	-1.1	-0.4	-0.1	1.0	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹ .....	.395	329.054	329.406	1.2	.1	.1	.1	.1
Housing	40.464	235.733	235.695	2.1	.0	.2	.2	.1
Shelter	31.105	274.739	275.275	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	9.800	286.754	287.607	3.6	.3	.4	.3	.2
Lodging away from home ² .....	.461	156.624	149.225	2.5	-4.7	-0.1	.9	.7
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4} .....	.080	526.393	526.499	2.8	.0	-0.2	.5	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.380	318.435	300.452	2.4	-5.6	-0.1	.9	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	20.511	260.920	261.606	3.0	.3	.3	.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	19.967	260.907	261.591	3.0	.3	.3	.2	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.333	148.245	148.649	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.3
Fuels and utilities	5.903	225.515	223.456	-2.1	-0.9	-0.2	.2	.1
Household energy	4.578	188.863	186.428	-3.8	-1.3	-0.4	.2	.0
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹ .....	.208	236.253	235.134	-24.6	-0.5	-1.3	.8	-0.5
Fuel oil ¹ .....	.118	230.498	227.468	-31.4	-1.3	-2.2	-1.0	-1.3
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁵ .....	.090	289.268	290.701	-15.1	.5	-1.4	1.7	-2.1
Energy services ³	4.369	193.752	191.192	-2.8	-1.3	-0.4	.2	.0
Electricity ³	3.436	203.034	200.119	-0.4	-1.4	-0.4	.5	.4
Utility (piped) gas service ³ .....	.933	158.872	157.551	-11.8	-0.8	-0.3	-0.8	-1.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.326	216.894	217.548	4.0	.3	.5	.0	.4
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	1.037	489.425	490.702	4.6	.3	.6	-0.1	.4
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6} .....	.288	436.590	438.561	2.0	.5	.2	.2	.5
Household furnishings and operations	3.455	117.574	117.030	-1.0	-0.5	.3	-0.2	-0.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2} .....	.208	59.716	59.997	-4.7	.5	.3	-1.1	.5
Floor coverings ^{1 2} .....	.028	108.526	108.534	-0.5	.0	-0.4	.4	.0
Window coverings ^{1 2} .....	.040	66.197	66.545	-10.7	.5	.8	-1.2	.5
Other linens ^{1 2} .....	.140	48.044	48.307	-3.8	.5	.3	-1.4	.5
Furniture and bedding ¹ .....	.666	111.369	111.213	-0.8	-0.1	.5	.0	-0.1
Bedroom furniture ¹ .....	.233	127.161	127.735	-1.1	.5	.3	-0.2	.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}318	86.346	85.872	-0.9	-0.5	.5	.4	-0.5

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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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Other furniture ² .....	.096	74.664	74.463	0.2	-0.3	1.6	-0.8	-0.5
Appliances ² .....	.276	78.918	77.199	-4.3	-2.2	.0	-.7	-1.4
Major appliances ² .....	.152	87.871	85.274	-4.6	-3.0	.8	-1.4	-1.9
Other appliances ^{1 2} .....	.118	66.724	65.966	-3.9	-1.1	-.8	.2	-1.1
Other household equipment and furnishings ² .....	.443	60.115	58.670	-4.1	-2.4	1.0	-.2	-2.1
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹ .....	.267	46.158	44.640	-6.9	-3.3	.7	.2	-3.3
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷ .....	.083	135.301	135.521	2.8	.2	1.9	.8	.0
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2} .....	.030	58.741	56.949	1.1	-3.1	.5	.1	-3.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ² .....	.063	89.946	88.280	-4.0	-1.9	-.3	-.7	-1.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ² .....	.574	92.804	92.163	-.6	-.7	.5	-.2	-.6
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2} .....	.198	100.891	99.688	-1.8	-1.2	-.1	-.1	-1.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies ² .....	.247	86.604	86.322	.4	-.3	1.2	.5	-.4
Housekeeping supplies ¹ .....	.910	187.163	187.927	-.1	.4	.0	-.1	.4
Household cleaning products ² .....	.391	119.737	120.074	.0	.3	.1	-.5	.1
Household paper products ^{1 2} .....	.273	167.495	168.538	.2	.6	.3	-.1	.6
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2} .....	.246	117.323	117.758	-.4	.4	-.4	.0	.4
Household operations ^{1 2} .....	.378	174.430	174.792	3.5	.2	-.1	.1	.2
Domestic services ^{1 2} .....	.073	154.607	154.780	1.0	.1	-	-	.1
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2} .....	.117	172.412	172.989	1.7	.3	.0	-.2	.3
Moving, storage, freight expense ² .....	.081	149.834	149.588	7.9	-.2	.2	1.0	.0
Repair of household items ^{1 2} .....	.055	229.202	230.592	3.0	.6	.2	.4	.6
Apparel	3.595	128.524	126.194	-1.6	-1.8	-.5	-.8	-.5
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.973	121.765	120.830	-.6	-.8	1.2	-1.0	-.2
Men's apparel .....	.737	126.820	124.991	-1.4	-1.4	2.3	-2.0	-.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.095	116.178	110.773	-5.1	-4.7	-4.0	.5	-4.5
Men's furnishings .....	.198	152.813	156.617	-1.6	2.5	-1.4	-.6	2.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ² .....	.223	86.301	83.456	-.6	-3.3	7.8	-2.7	-2.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	.207	119.035	117.237	-.5	-1.5	1.9	-2.4	-.3
Boys' apparel .....	.236	106.084	107.543	1.9	1.4	-1.4	2.3	1.6
Women's and girls' apparel	1.427	114.152	110.787	-3.4	-2.9	-1.2	-.8	-.8
Women's apparel	1.151	117.754	114.059	-2.9	-3.1	-.5	-.5	-1.0
Women's outerwear .....	.121	126.864	118.308	-6.9	-6.7	-3.7	.5	-5.1
Women's dresses .....	.146	120.724	115.249	-5.4	-4.5	-.5	-4.4	1.6
Women's suits and separates ² .....	.544	86.218	83.752	-2.7	-2.9	-2.1	.9	-1.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ² .....	.328	107.487	105.738	-.7	-1.6	2.5	-1.3	-1.6
Girls' apparel .....	.276	101.076	98.925	-5.0	-2.1	-4.3	-2.1	.1
Footwear .....	.821	140.267	138.347	-1.4	-1.4	-1.2	-.4	-.7
Men's footwear ¹ .....	.297	136.817	137.186	-.6	.3	-.7	-.5	.3
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.220	154.616	152.822	-2.6	-1.2	-1.7	.6	-1.5
Women's footwear .....	.304	133.582	129.525	-1.2	-3.0	-.8	-.7	-1.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.193	126.541	128.152	5.6	1.3	1.0	-1.6	1.2
Jewelry and watches ⁵ .....	.181	159.565	153.700	-2.0	-3.7	-1.2	-.8	-1.3
Watches ^{1 5} .....	.075	115.847	113.621	-.1	-1.9	-3.2	1.9	-1.9
Jewelry ⁵ .....	.106	170.800	162.407	-3.3	-4.9	.5	-2.0	-2.4
Transportation	18.015	194.395	192.396	-6.6	-1.0	-2.6	.0	-.5
Private transportation	17.211	190.409	188.188	-6.9	-1.2	-2.7	.0	-.5
New and used motor vehicles ²	6.886	99.451	98.842	-.1	-.6	-.2	-.3	.0
New vehicles	3.527	147.835	148.141	.4	.2	-.1	-.2	.1
Used cars and trucks	2.827	146.858	144.270	-.6	-1.8	-.4	-.5	-.2
Leased cars and trucks ⁸ .....	.353	82.755	83.694	-.3	1.1	-.3	.1	1.8
Car and truck rental ² .....	.048	119.278	113.807	-4.8	-4.6	-2.1	1.9	-5.4
Motor fuel	5.214	201.016	192.445	-24.2	-4.3	-9.0	.5	-2.6
Gasoline (all types)	5.100	200.236	191.589	-24.0	-4.3	-9.0	.6	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	-	196.179	187.519	-24.9	-4.4	-9.3	.6	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{9 10}	-	218.976	207.830	-21.6	-5.1	-8.1	2.1	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁹	-	210.044	202.517	-19.3	-3.6	-8.2	-.1	.2
Other motor fuels ² .....	.114	180.988	178.665	-31.7	-1.3	-6.2	-.8	-.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹ .....	.532	144.212	144.892	-.1	.5	.5	-.9	.5
Tires ¹ .....	.320	124.914	125.298	-.4	.3	.4	-.6	.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2} .....	.213	164.748	165.932	.5	.7	.7	-1.2	.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.206	274.622	274.770	1.3	.1	.1	.2	.1
Motor vehicle body work ¹066	285.630	285.105	.9	-.2	.0	1.0	-.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹494	246.659	247.140	.5	.2	-.2	.4	.2

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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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2} .....	.607	168.983	168.935	2.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.0
Motor vehicle insurance	2.837	468.451	474.917	5.6	1.4	.4	-.2	1.1
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2} .....	.535	178.929	179.018	2.7	.0	.0	.0	.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 3} .....	.336	171.797	171.814	3.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Parking and other fees ² .....	.186	194.484	194.725	1.9	.1	.1	.1	.3
Public transportation .....	.805	269.597	274.517	-4	1.8	-1	1.2	.7
Airline fare .....	.442	284.100	293.701	-2.7	3.4	.0	1.5	1.7
Other intercity transportation .....	.090	157.941	156.910	3.0	-7	.1	1.5	-1.1
Intracity transportation ¹ .....	.267	304.696	305.090	2.7	.1	.0	.5	.1
Medical care	6.308	453.217	454.731	3.0	.3	.1	.8	.4
Medical care commodities	1.423	346.260	346.751	2.5	.1	-3	.3	.4
Medicinal drugs ^{1 11}	1.378	116.062	116.244	2.6	.2	-2	.1	.2
Prescription drugs	1.108	476.999	477.869	3.3	.2	-1	.2	.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 11} .....	.270	97.755	97.801	-2	.0	-2	-.1	.0
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 11} .....	.045	100.203	99.883	-1.8	-3	-2	.1	-3
Medical care services	4.885	485.965	487.858	3.2	.4	.3	1.0	.4
Professional services	2.474	365.405	368.028	2.2	.7	.2	.0	.8
Physicians' services ³	1.303	368.253	373.000	2.8	1.3	.3	-.1	1.4
Dental services ³ .....	.699	454.090	455.729	2.8	.4	.1	.0	.5
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 5} .....	.237	185.152	184.208	-4	-5	.4	.4	-5
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5} .....	.235	234.216	233.826	-5	-2	.0	.0	-2
Hospital and related services	1.738	786.337	784.551	4.6	-2	.3	2.1	-3
Hospital services ^{3 12}	1.634	295.148	294.392	4.7	-3	.3	2.2	-3
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 9 12}	-	289.210	288.459	4.8	-3	.3	2.5	-4
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 9}	-	665.346	663.297	3.8	-3	.2	1.7	-5
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{3 12} .....	.080	220.238	220.923	2.9	.3	.3	.2	.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 13} .....	.024	117.015	117.001	1.0	.0	.3	.1	.0
Health insurance ^{1 13} .....	.673	125.943	126.977	3.4	.8	.6	1.3	.8
Recreation ²	5.131	111.917	111.606	.4	-3	.0	.3	-1
Video and audio ²	2.054	100.693	100.644	.5	.0	.1	.5	.2
Televisions .....	.148	3.253	3.202	-11.5	-1.6	-8	-1.5	-1.3
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁶	1.668	422.700	423.452	1.8	.2	.1	.8	.4
Other video equipment ^{1 2} .....	.031	10.694	10.370	-5.1	-3.0	1.0	1.4	-3.0
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2} .....	.099	71.178	70.788	-2	-5	1.0	-1.9	-5
Audio equipment .....	.054	36.498	36.708	-6	.6	.0	.2	.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2} .....	.040	87.561	86.110	-8	-1.7	.6	1.4	-1.7
Pets, pet products and services ² .....	.959	164.772	163.930	-1	-5	.5	.0	-5
Pets and pet products ¹ .....	.680	199.883	198.278	-1.9	-8	.5	-.1	-.8
Pet services including veterinary ² .....	.279	231.397	231.784	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.2
Sporting goods ¹ .....	.430	114.932	114.259	-9	-6	-1	-.8	-6
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹ .....	.214	144.925	143.587	.4	-9	-7	-1.7	-9
Sports equipment .....	.211	82.982	82.796	-2.3	-2	.4	.0	.1
Photography ² .....	.095	78.995	78.303	-2.0	-9	.5	1.1	-6
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.034	55.085	54.465	-7.8	-1.1	-7	.3	-3
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2} .....	.059	123.747	122.807	1.5	-8	1.2	1.6	-.8
Other recreational goods ² .....	.387	44.363	43.933	-4.7	-1.0	.2	-.1	-.4
Toys .....	.291	44.860	44.338	-5.9	-1.2	.4	-.6	-.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2} .....	.048	99.462	98.850	.0	-6	.0	2.4	-6
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2} .....	.031	97.803	98.113	-1.7	.3	-.8	.5	.3
Other recreation services ²	1.063	158.970	158.683	3.2	-2	-.6	.5	-.2
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2} .....	.325	129.713	128.303	.0	-1.1	-.2	-.6	-1.1
Admissions ¹ .....	.501	353.282	354.054	5.4	.2	-1.2	1.6	.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 5} .....	.128	292.019	292.874	3.4	.3	.9	.2	.3
Recreational reading materials ¹ .....	.144	246.326	247.159	2.1	.3	.7	-.3	.3
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2} .....	.081	166.033	165.749	2.8	-2	.2	.4	-.2
Recreational books ^{1 2} .....	.062	101.183	102.204	1.1	1.0	1.4	-1.1	1.0
Education and communication ²	6.875	130.303	130.529	.9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Education ²	2.544	240.815	240.982	3.8	.1	.3	.2	.3
Educational books and supplies .....	.202	665.917	667.679	4.4	.3	.2	.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.342	673.291	673.645	3.8	.1	.3	.2	.3
College tuition and fees	1.183	806.637	806.850	3.5	.0	.2	.6	.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees253	761.483	762.403	3.7	.1	.4	.4	.3

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2014	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Child care and nursery school ⁷ .....	.772	278.851	279.055	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees ² .....	.042	237.690	237.748	1.0	.0	.2	.2	.3
Communication ²	4.332	82.317	82.512	-8	.2	.3	.3	.3
Postage and delivery services ² .....	.104	173.547	173.789	.1	.1	.4	.2	.5
Postage .....	.095	274.836	274.836	.0	.0	.4	.4	.4
Delivery services ² .....	.009	277.040	281.576	.7	1.6	-2	-1.4	1.6
Information and information processing ²	4.228	79.673	79.864	-9	.2	.3	.3	.3
Telephone services ^{1 2}	3.030	98.268	98.715	.3	.5	.3	.2	.5
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	2.199	56.385	56.760	-5	.7	.4	.2	.7
Land-line telephone services ^{1 11} .....	.831	113.981	113.884	2.5	-1	.1	.1	-1
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	1.198	8.535	8.508	-3.8	-3	.4	.6	-1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁵ .....	.249	46.803	46.467	-6.8	-7	.7	-6	-4
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2} .....	.054	36.770	36.192	-1.3	-1.6	.6	.5	-1.6
Internet services and electronic information providers ² .....	.819	77.176	77.242	-2.1	.1	.6	.9	.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2} .....	.062	24.574	23.741	-17.3	-3.4	-2.9	1.6	-3.4
Other goods and services	3.600	452.896	453.456	2.4	.1	.1	.5	.2
Tobacco and smoking products	1.187	949.222	951.443	3.8	.2	.0	.4	.5
Cigarettes ²	1.111	386.387	387.308	3.9	.2	.0	.4	.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2} .....	.066	244.777	245.144	1.5	.1	-2	.4	.1
Personal care	2.413	219.548	219.698	1.7	.1	.2	.5	.1
Personal care products ¹ .....	.709	163.849	163.559	.1	-2	.4	.7	-2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2} .....	.375	103.797	103.559	.1	-2	.3	.4	-2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹ .....	.325	191.047	190.816	.0	-1	.4	1.0	-1
Personal care services ¹ .....	.576	250.330	251.497	3.2	.5	.3	.1	.5
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2} .....	.576	152.577	153.288	3.2	.5	.3	.1	.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.953	404.229	404.719	2.9	.1	.4	.4	.2
Legal services ^{1 5} .....	.250	327.264	328.183	3.1	.3	1.1	.0	.3
Funeral expenses ^{1 5} .....	.123	327.193	327.252	3.1	.0	.2	.6	.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2} .....	.288	157.040	157.391	2.5	.2	.2	.6	.2
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} .....	.022	184.974	184.888	2.1	.0	.8	.1	.0
Financial services ^{1 5} .....	.189	331.939	331.404	3.2	-2	-7	.5	-2
Miscellaneous personal goods ² .....	.176	81.299	80.828	-3.6	-6	-7	.5	-1.5
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	41.147	183.939	182.176	-3.3	-1.0	-1.0	.0	-5
Commodities less food and beverages	25.136	152.161	150.062	-6.1	-1.4	-1.9	-1	-7
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.131	193.641	190.106	-9.4	-1.8	-3.5	.3	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.536	238.120	233.764	-11.8	-1.8	-4.5	.4	.4
Durables	10.005	110.732	109.926	-9	-7	.0	-3	-3
Services	58.853	287.900	288.423	2.5	.2	.2	.3	.3
Rent of shelter ⁴	30.772	264.673	265.187	3.2	.2	.3	.3	.2
Transportation services	5.784	297.951	300.880	3.2	1.0	.2	.1	.7
Other services	11.005	321.336	321.920	1.8	.2	.2	.4	.3
All items less food	84.948	229.457	228.836	-1	-3	-4	.2	.0
All items less shelter	68.895	219.304	218.207	-1.3	-5	-6	.2	-1
All items less medical care	93.692	223.644	222.923	-1	-3	-3	.1	.0
Commodities less food	26.095	155.003	152.945	-5.9	-1.3	-1.9	-1	-6
Nondurables less food	16.090	196.378	193.016	-8.8	-1.7	-3.3	.3	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.495	237.192	233.206	-10.9	-1.7	-4.1	.5	.4
Nondurables	31.142	220.130	217.855	-4.1	-1.0	-1.6	.3	.1

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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 Nov. 2015 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Aug. to Sep.	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Special aggregate indexes								
Apparel less footwear	2.774	120.815	118.470	-1.7	-1.9	-0.2	-0.9	-0.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	28.081	278.644	279.111	1.8	.2	.2	.4	.4
Services less medical care services	53.968	274.463	274.909	2.5	.2	.2	.3	.3
Energy	9.792	193.844	188.393	-15.3	-2.8	-5.0	.4	-1.4
All items less energy	90.208	238.098	238.024	1.8	.0	.2	.2	.1
All items less food and energy	75.156	236.478	236.548	2.0	.0	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.672	149.360	148.341	-.5	-.7	-.1	-.2	-.2
Energy commodities	5.423	203.488	195.078	-24.2	-4.1	-8.7	.5	-2.5
Services less energy services	54.484	298.313	299.196	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.3
Domestically produced farm food	7.761	252.293	250.551	.4	-.7	.3	.2	-.3
Utilities and public transportation	11.197	208.907	208.525	-.3	-.2	.0	.3	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.430	\$.432	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.144	\$.145	-	-	-	-	-

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					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
All items	232.888	232.219	232.650	232.612	-4.5	3.7	1.5	-0.5	-0.5	0.5
Food and beverages	246.662	247.664	248.028	247.706	1.1	-7	2.5	1.7	.2	2.1
Food	246.864	247.916	248.215	247.892	1.3	-8	2.6	1.7	.2	2.2
Food at home	242.129	242.738	242.886	242.082	.3	-2.9	3.6	-1	-1.3	1.7
Cereals and bakery products	275.647	275.102	277.060	275.529	2.3	-1	2.5	-2	1.1	1.2
Cereals and cereal products	234.859	232.560	235.758	232.770	1.7	1.6	.1	-3.5	1.6	-1.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	241.767	244.301	242.511	239.678	4.0	-6.1	-7.4	-3.4	-1.2	-5.4
Breakfast cereal ¹	230.999	227.525	232.530	230.804	-7.0	4.6	.7	-3	-1.3	.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	243.014	237.568	241.349	238.539	8.4	5.4	1.5	-7.2	6.9	-2.9
Bakery products	299.755	300.090	300.645	300.582	2.4	-4	3.9	1.1	1.0	2.5
Bread ²	180.182	181.622	182.105	182.252	1.6	-1.0	3.2	4.7	.3	3.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	177.559	177.845	178.585	179.300	5.4	-5.1	5.7	4.0	.0	4.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	281.234	280.145	280.441	277.516	7.7	-1.4	5.8	-5.2	3.1	.2
Other bakery products	270.115	269.459	271.618	272.210	-2.1	1.7	2.3	3.1	-2	2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	263.108	262.386	260.729	259.355	2.5	-6.5	8.3	-5.6	-2.1	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	258.436	257.795	257.131	256.540	1.6	-6.8	.0	-2.9	-2.7	-1.5
Meats	265.327	265.607	264.905	263.347	1.9	-6.9	-2	-3.0	-2.6	-1.6
Beef and veal ¹	327.582	325.493	322.368	317.920	6.1	1.3	-8	-11.3	3.7	-6.2
Uncooked ground beef ¹	294.093	292.662	290.705	286.994	8.7	-6.3	-6.3	-9.3	.9	-7.8
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	238.704	236.078	234.267	230.181	1.5	7.6	-3.9	-13.5	4.5	-8.8
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	221.198	219.633	217.011	213.513	4.9	12.2	4.6	-13.2	8.5	-4.7
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	246.665	245.807	242.009	240.996	5.9	-11.4	8.5	-8.9	-3.2	-6
Pork	213.103	215.444	217.110	216.849	-8.1	-21.0	-1.3	7.2	-14.8	2.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ² ..	153.870	155.675	158.709	160.478	-5.3	-24.9	9.5	18.3	-15.7	13.8
Ham	210.083	210.508	212.517	209.037	-5.2	-21.5	-14.2	-2.0	-13.7	-8.3
Pork chops	192.597	194.784	197.607	195.608	-13.4	-14.7	-6.8	6.4	-14.0	-4
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	133.588	134.449	133.653	131.876	-12.7	-15.4	1.3	-5.0	-14.0	-1.9
Other meats	229.795	230.933	230.794	232.008	7.4	-4.4	2.7	3.9	1.4	3.3
Poultry	234.989	232.880	233.288	235.080	2.7	-7.1	-7	.2	-2.3	-3
Chicken ^{1 2}	151.635	150.227	150.653	151.246	.0	-8.6	2.9	-1.0	-4.4	.9
Other poultry including turkey ²	155.746	153.150	155.596	156.500	-2.1	5.0	-3	2.0	1.4	.8
Fish and seafood	287.268	284.351	281.939	282.139	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	-7.0	-3.3	-2.7
Fresh fish and seafood ²	173.785	172.098	170.761	170.262	4.3	-8.2	.5	-7.9	-2.1	-3.8
Processed fish and seafood ²	146.159	144.575	143.024	143.993	-4.1	-5.0	3.2	-5.8	-4.5	-1.4
Eggs	332.010	330.116	314.035	301.315	16.5	-1.9	204.2	-32.2	6.9	43.6
Dairy and related products ¹	219.362	220.869	220.317	219.118	-5.9	-7.4	-5	-4	-6.7	-5
Milk ^{1 2}	145.075	145.930	144.908	144.044	-17.3	-7.2	-3.2	-2.8	-12.4	-3.0
Cheese and related products	230.003	231.629	229.985	230.200	-7.5	-3.5	-2.7	.3	-5.5	-1.2
Ice cream and related products	221.826	221.693	220.544	220.237	6.1	-7.7	9.2	-2.8	-1.1	3.0
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	148.492	148.742	148.414	146.966	.9	-1.2	2.9	-4.0	-1	-6
Fruits and vegetables	291.794	294.040	295.587	297.402	-4.0	-2.5	4.4	7.9	-3.3	6.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables	334.942	338.208	342.250	343.806	-6.5	-3.9	5.7	11.0	-5.2	8.3
Fresh fruits	350.129	352.873	359.078	359.400	-6.6	-6.9	9.2	11.0	-6.7	10.1
Apples	310.352	319.741	334.274	343.688	-.8	-13.1	-14.5	50.4	-7.1	13.4
Bananas	204.904	203.736	202.941	205.502	-12.1	6.3	1.0	1.2	-3.4	1.1
Citrus fruits ²	227.614	228.682	233.056	237.045	-9.7	4.5	-4.0	17.6	-2.9	6.3
Other fresh fruits ²	120.156	121.377	120.969	121.655	-.3	-19.5	27.1	5.1	-10.4	15.6
Fresh vegetables	318.340	322.158	323.886	326.758	-6.3	-3	1.8	11.0	-3.3	6.3
Potatoes	315.556	320.389	328.958	320.705	4.7	8.1	-19.0	6.7	6.4	-7.0
Lettuce	289.615	304.857	308.446	310.038	4.1	-11.4	-11.9	31.3	-4.0	7.6
Tomatoes ¹	306.426	313.340	321.283	336.251	-18.6	-24.0	-3.3	45.0	-21.3	18.4
Other fresh vegetables	330.470	331.915	330.299	335.293	-4.6	4.7	11.4	6.0	-1	8.7
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	158.315	158.512	155.980	157.747	4.1	2.1	.6	-1.4	3.1	-4
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	163.094	163.311	159.421	161.549	4.9	1.0	1.3	-3.7	2.9	-1.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	146.457	146.382	145.384	145.783	1.1	5.8	.9	-1.8	3.4	-5
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	162.635	162.848	162.156	163.791	9.7	.7	-2.4	2.9	5.1	.2

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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—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	167.896	167.664	167.912	167.138	0.7	-1.4	2.6	-1.8	-0.4	0.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	130.017	130.187	130.613	129.914	-2	-3	3.2	-3	-3	1.4
Carbonated drinks	162.256	161.445	161.448	160.960	.3	-1.3	6.4	-3.2	-5	1.5
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	174.387	174.776	175.231	173.490	1.3	-1.0	.6	-2.0	.1	-7
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	118.271	118.935	119.786	119.028	-1.3	.5	1.0	2.6	-4	1.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	120.575	119.473	119.020	118.516	2.7	-4.7	2.0	-6.7	-1.1	-2.4
Coffee	206.007	204.264	203.003	200.433	4.9	-1.8	-2.2	-10.4	1.5	-6.4
Other beverage materials including tea ²	127.831	126.173	126.242	127.329	1.1	-12.6	11.7	-1.6	-6.0	4.9
Other food at home	207.930	209.526	209.989	209.047	2.1	.4	.9	2.2	1.2	1.5
Sugar and sweets ¹	216.136	216.537	215.530	214.345	14.8	-1	2.1	-3.3	7.1	-6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	192.820	191.335	191.039	188.687	15.8	7.0	3.9	-8.3	11.3	-2.4
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	145.094	145.797	145.588	145.781	11.9	-9	2.4	1.9	5.3	2.2
Other sweets ²	153.257	152.914	151.333	153.832	.5	-2.5	1.6	1.5	-1.0	1.6
Fats and oils	227.494	228.309	230.020	227.191	-3.0	-3.6	.3	-5	-3.3	-1
Butter and margarine ²	198.847	200.463	208.054	202.917	-15.9	-10.9	12.4	8.4	-13.4	10.4
Salad dressing ²	131.564	131.825	132.015	130.556	9.8	2.9	-6.3	-3.0	6.3	-4.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	162.118	161.636	160.676	160.435	-2.3	-2.6	-1.5	-4.1	-2.5	-2.8
Other foods	222.623	224.736	225.332	224.659	.6	1.1	.7	3.7	.9	2.2
Soups	239.373	243.609	247.641	242.657	-4.6	4.3	.3	5.6	-3	2.9
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	166.487	168.396	168.030	167.428	-5.4	6.4	-1.7	2.3	.3	.3
Snacks ¹	253.061	253.689	252.715	252.761	9.9	-3.6	3.9	-5	2.9	1.7
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	235.891	239.148	238.927	240.862	3.6	1.5	2.2	8.7	2.5	5.4
Baby food ^{1 2}	155.614	156.700	155.936	155.017	-1.2	-1.1	-1.8	-1.5	-1.1	-1.7
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	130.796	131.299	132.381	132.512	-.8	1.3	-2.3	5.4	.2	1.4
Food away from home ¹	256.209	258.009	258.564	259.041	2.9	2.6	1.2	4.5	2.7	2.8
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	159.702	160.093	160.399	160.685	2.1	2.1	3.2	2.5	2.1	2.9
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	163.477	164.108	164.475	164.776	3.6	2.6	1.5	3.2	3.1	2.3
Food at employee sites and schools ²	150.760	166.151	167.687	167.733	2.5	1.7	-23.6	53.2	2.1	8.2
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	145.826	146.015	145.788	145.998	5.3	3.0	.1	.5	4.1	.3
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	181.736	181.636	181.706	182.637	4.4	6.7	3.4	2.0	5.5	2.7
Alcoholic beverages	242.293	242.508	243.855	243.566	-2.3	2.2	.2	2.1	-1	1.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	204.035	204.200	206.014	205.657	-4.8	2.0	.0	3.2	-1.4	1.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	217.180	217.727	219.730	218.664	-5.3	3.7	1.7	2.8	-9	2.2
Distilled spirits at home	189.753	188.805	189.597	189.930	-5	1.3	-3.4	.4	.4	-1.6
Wine at home	164.256	164.139	165.800	165.792	-4.0	-1.0	-3.2	3.8	-2.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	328.161	328.612	329.054	329.406	.2	3.1	-1	1.5	1.7	.7
Housing	235.068	235.609	236.101	236.436	2.1	1.1	2.6	2.3	1.6	2.5
Shelter	273.230	274.064	274.780	275.357	2.8	3.0	3.7	3.2	2.9	3.4
Rent of primary residence ³	284.841	285.902	286.765	287.346	3.2	3.5	4.3	3.6	3.3	3.9
Lodging away from home ²	157.199	157.062	158.409	159.531	4.9	-6.4	5.9	6.1	-9	6.0
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	518.727	519.507	521.961	523.167	3.7	2.8	1.5	3.5	3.2	2.5
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	320.732	320.307	323.291	325.873	5.1	-8.1	6.8	6.6	-1.7	6.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{3 4}	259.561	260.303	260.902	261.425	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.9	2.8	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	259.548	260.291	260.888	261.413	2.5	3.1	3.5	2.9	2.8	3.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	147.994	148.169	148.245	148.649	7.1	1.0	.0	1.8	4.0	.9
Fuels and utilities	227.890	227.400	227.821	227.972	.6	-8.4	-2	.1	-4.0	.0
Household energy	191.739	190.916	191.383	191.329	-.4	-11.7	-1.6	-9	-6.2	-1.2
Fuel oil and other fuels ¹	237.526	234.358	236.253	235.134	-36.0	-18.4	-35.6	-4.0	-27.8	-21.4
Fuel oil ¹	238.173	232.907	230.498	227.468	-48.7	-8.4	-43.5	-16.8	-31.4	-31.4
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁵	296.024	291.743	296.828	290.707	-36.1	2.7	-14.9	-7.0	-19.0	-11.0
Energy services ³	196.777	196.001	196.438	196.416	1.7	-11.4	.1	-.7	-5.1	-.3
Electricity ³	205.544	204.668	205.608	206.413	6.8	-9.1	-.2	1.7	-1.5	.8
Utility (piped) gas service ³	163.558	163.131	161.878	159.099	-16.2	-20.4	1.2	-10.5	-18.4	-4.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	215.883	216.947	216.926	217.743	4.0	3.9	4.6	3.5	4.0	4.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	487.074	489.857	489.518	491.262	4.9	4.4	5.6	3.5	4.6	4.5
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6}	434.783	435.668	436.590	438.561	1.1	2.2	1.1	3.5	1.7	2.3
Household furnishings and operations	117.522	117.861	117.590	117.163	-1.7	1.0	-2.2	-1.2	-.4	-1.7
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	60.220	60.404	59.716	59.997	-8.7	-3.9	-4.6	-1.5	-6.3	-3.1
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	108.492	108.086	108.526	108.534	-2.2	1.2	-1.1	.2	-.5	-.5
Window coverings ^{1 2}	66.517	67.028	66.197	66.545	-21.2	-8.7	-11.7	.2	-15.2	-6.0

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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

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Other linens ^{1 2}	48.580	48.734	48.044	48.307	-6.1	-3.5	-3.4	-2.2	-4.8	-2.8
Furniture and bedding ¹	110.852	111.354	111.369	111.213	-3.2	5.4	-6.4	1.3	1.0	-2.6
Bedroom furniture ¹	127.060	127.426	127.161	127.735	-12.0	13.9	-6.8	2.1	.1	-2.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	85.624	86.030	86.346	85.872	.7	1.8	-7.0	1.2	1.3	-3.0
Other furniture ²	74.965	76.172	75.558	75.151	2.6	-7.0	4.5	1.0	-2.3	2.7
Appliances ²	79.377	79.369	78.845	77.709	-2.3	-1.9	-4.6	-8.1	-2.1	-6.4
Major appliances ²	88.414	89.159	87.951	86.286	-1.2	-2.8	-4.9	-9.3	-2.0	-7.1
Other appliances ^{1 2}	67.108	66.584	66.724	65.966	-4.0	-.8	-3.9	-6.6	-2.4	-5.3
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	59.728	60.325	60.207	58.918	-5.6	-1.5	-4.0	-5.3	-3.6	-4.6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	45.764	46.064	46.158	44.640	-5.0	-3.8	-9.1	-9.5	-4.4	-9.3
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷	132.903	135.481	136.509	136.523	2.4	-.2	-1.7	11.3	1.1	4.6
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	58.361	58.659	58.741	56.949	5.3	2.5	6.9	-9.3	3.9	-1.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	90.734	90.490	89.827	86.671	-6.3	2.5	-3.0	-8.8	-2.0	-5.9
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	92.462	92.886	93.115	92.525	-1.1	1.4	-2.8	.3	.1	-1.3
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	101.099	100.998	100.891	99.688	1.8	.2	-3.6	-5.5	1.0	-4.6
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	85.826	86.853	87.289	86.968	-3.5	2.6	-2.4	5.4	-5	1.4
Housekeeping supplies ¹	187.374	187.383	187.163	187.927	-.3	1.7	-2.7	1.2	.7	-.8
Household cleaning products ²	120.397	120.462	119.866	119.926	-1.8	6.7	-2.9	-1.6	2.4	-2.2
Household paper products ^{1 2}	167.231	167.655	167.495	168.538	-.2	-.3	-1.9	3.2	-.3	.6
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	117.827	117.319	117.323	117.758	-.3	.5	-1.7	-.2	.1	-1.0
Household operations ^{1 2}	174.306	174.201	174.430	174.792	.7	4.3	8.1	1.1	2.5	4.5
Domestic services ^{1 2}	154.545	NA	154.607	154.780	1.9	.6	1.0	.6	1.2	.8
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	172.679	172.679	172.412	172.989	-.1	5.0	1.4	.7	2.4	1.1
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	147.638	147.994	149.455	149.462	4.8	5.0	17.4	5.0	4.9	11.0
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	227.829	228.216	229.202	230.592	3.6	-1.1	4.6	4.9	1.2	4.8
Apparel	126.020	125.447	124.431	123.764	-.1	-.4	1.2	-7.0	-.3	-3.0
Men's and boys' apparel	119.350	120.779	119.574	119.374	6.1	-3.4	-5.1	.1	1.3	-2.5
Men's apparel	124.558	127.380	124.890	123.926	6.6	-4.9	-5.1	-2.0	.7	-3.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	118.894	114.110	114.718	109.609	-2.3	-7.8	24.5	-27.8	-5.1	-5.2
Men's furnishings	154.759	152.636	151.752	154.979	-2.9	9.7	-12.5	.6	3.2	-6.2
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	78.045	84.126	81.889	80.125	17.0	-19.2	-7.0	11.1	-2.8	1.6
Men's pants and shorts	122.212	124.554	121.591	121.166	5.8	1.4	-5.5	-3.4	3.6	-4.5
Boys' apparel	102.659	101.252	103.600	105.264	1.8	4.4	-8.1	10.5	3.1	.8
Women's and girls' apparel	110.592	109.212	108.336	107.440	-3.7	-.5	2.2	-10.9	-2.1	-4.6
Women's apparel	113.461	112.867	112.305	111.147	-7.0	1.3	2.3	-7.9	-2.9	-3.0
Women's outerwear	113.484	109.293	109.844	104.263	6.5	.9	-1.8	-28.8	3.7	-16.4
Women's dresses	116.516	115.965	110.901	112.640	-2.7	-20.3	18.3	-12.7	-12.0	1.6
Women's suits and separates ²	83.733	82.011	82.725	81.921	-9.4	9.2	-1.1	-8.4	-.5	-4.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	105.612	108.294	106.920	105.184	-4.0	-2.1	5.0	-1.6	-3.0	1.6
Girls' apparel	100.219	95.925	93.887	93.961	11.6	-7.3	1.8	-22.7	1.7	-11.3
Footwear	139.509	137.818	137.253	136.257	-.5	1.7	2.8	-9.0	.6	-3.3
Men's footwear ¹	138.431	137.454	136.817	137.186	-3.2	6.2	-1.6	-3.5	1.4	-2.6
Boys' and girls' footwear	153.675	151.073	151.983	149.734	-7.7	10.5	-2.1	-9.9	1.0	-6.1
Women's footwear	131.436	130.343	129.422	127.905	1.1	-8.5	14.8	-10.3	-3.8	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	125.544	126.768	124.759	126.248	-8.2	8.9	21.3	2.3	.0	11.4
Jewelry and watches ⁵	159.707	157.781	156.559	154.494	5.6	-1.9	1.8	-12.4	1.8	-5.6
Watches ^{1 5}	117.383	113.676	115.847	113.621	12.4	-7.6	9.3	-12.2	1.9	-2.0
Jewelry ⁵	170.245	171.102	167.709	163.704	.3	-1.0	3.0	-14.5	-.4	-6.2
Transportation	201.410	196.207	196.286	195.368	-26.9	17.3	-1.1	-11.5	-7.4	-6.4
Private transportation	197.693	192.360	192.334	191.325	-27.9	18.0	-.6	-12.3	-7.8	-6.6
New and used motor vehicles ²	100.011	99.764	99.490	99.488	.5	5.1	-3.5	-2.1	2.7	-2.8
New vehicles	148.640	148.523	148.262	148.423	.1	2.3	-.1	-.6	1.2	-.3
Used cars and trucks	147.833	147.263	146.600	146.255	.7	9.3	-7.4	-4.2	4.9	-5.8
Leased cars and trucks ⁸	82.049	81.781	81.832	83.281	1.3	-3.7	-4.6	6.1	-1.2	.6
Car and truck rental ²	123.413	120.780	123.024	116.416	-2.3	12.0	-5.1	-20.8	4.6	-13.3
Motor fuel	227.981	207.567	208.631	203.216	-67.3	60.2	-.1	-36.9	-27.6	-20.6
Gasoline (all types)	227.254	206.819	207.971	202.613	-67.4	61.2	.3	-36.8	-27.5	-20.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	223.727	202.840	203.975	198.553	-68.3	62.7	-.7	-38.0	-28.2	-21.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{9 10}	242.214	222.560	227.273	219.594	-65.1	49.1	7.4	-32.4	-27.8	-14.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁹	232.182	213.201	212.909	213.306	-61.6	54.8	-.1	-28.8	-22.9	-15.6

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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—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Expenditure category										
Other motor fuels ²	193.497	181.586	180.154	179.644	-59.4	-5.2	-23.8	-25.7	-38.0	-24.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	144.768	145.489	144.212	144.892	3.0	-1.5	-2.0	.3	.7	-8
Tires ¹	125.252	125.703	124.914	125.298	3.4	-2.3	-2.8	.1	.5	-1.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	165.669	166.833	164.748	165.932	2.5	-4	-8	.6	1.0	-1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	273.585	273.985	274.622	274.770	.9	2.5	.0	1.7	1.7	.9
Motor vehicle body work ¹	282.889	282.921	285.630	285.105	-1.7	3.6	-1.4	3.2	.9	.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	246.223	245.754	246.659	247.140	-1.8	3.3	-8	1.5	.7	.4
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	168.145	168.881	168.983	168.935	3.6	1.7	.8	1.9	2.6	1.3
Motor vehicle insurance	466.172	468.111	467.147	472.305	8.3	4.4	4.5	5.4	6.4	4.9
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	178.831	178.841	178.929	179.018	2.4	1.1	7.0	.4	1.7	3.6
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1 2 3}	171.714	171.746	171.797	171.814	.9	1.4	10.5	.2	1.2	5.3
Parking and other fees ²	194.475	194.653	194.765	195.323	2.6	1.7	1.4	1.8	2.2	1.6
Public transportation	267.224	266.975	270.086	272.039	-9	4.2	-11.1	7.4	1.6	-2.3
Airline fare	280.268	280.251	284.561	289.426	-4.3	7.9	-23.7	13.7	1.6	-6.8
Other intercity transportation	157.356	157.493	159.878	158.093	-5.5	-2.6	20.3	1.9	-4.1	10.7
Intracity transportation ¹	303.181	303.189	304.696	305.090	2.3	5.2	.6	2.5	3.8	1.6
Medical care	449.605	450.262	453.923	455.793	1.6	4.8	.2	5.6	3.2	2.9
Medical care commodities	346.480	345.514	346.520	347.777	4.7	2.1	1.6	1.5	3.4	1.6
Medicinal drugs ^{1 11}	116.291	116.003	116.062	116.244	7.0	1.3	2.4	-2	4.1	1.1
Prescription drugs	477.600	477.334	478.261	480.188	4.2	3.9	2.9	2.2	4.0	2.6
Nonprescription drugs ^{1 11}	98.030	97.808	97.755	97.801	1.4	-2	-9	-9	.6	-9
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1 11}	100.328	100.131	100.203	99.883	-5.0	2.8	-3.2	-1.8	-1.2	-2.5
Medical care services	480.885	482.184	486.836	488.910	.7	5.6	-2	6.8	3.1	3.3
Professional services	365.079	365.822	365.866	368.699	.1	2.8	1.8	4.0	1.4	2.9
Physicians' services ³	367.866	368.817	368.488	373.478	-7	4.6	1.0	6.2	2.0	3.6
Dental services ³	454.313	454.920	455.036	457.178	3.9	1.9	2.9	2.5	2.9	2.7
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 5}	183.727	184.504	185.152	184.208	-2.4	.9	-1.3	1.1	-8	-1
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	234.507	234.510	234.448	234.013	-3.7	1.1	1.6	-8	-1.3	.4
Hospital and related services	770.435	772.878	788.996	786.715	1.9	10.8	-2.5	8.7	6.3	3.0
Hospital services ^{3 12}	288.867	289.783	296.161	295.160	2.0	11.3	-2.7	9.0	6.6	3.0
Inpatient hospital services ^{3 9 12}	282.714	283.422	290.520	289.370	1.6	10.4	-2.1	9.8	6.0	3.7
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 9}	654.262	655.784	666.994	663.908	2.1	12.4	-4.6	6.0	7.1	.6
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{3 12}	219.791	220.469	220.932	221.857	2.6	2.8	2.5	3.8	2.7	3.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1 13}	116.609	116.905	117.015	117.001	-1	2.5	.4	1.4	1.2	.9
Health insurance ^{1 13}	123.582	124.345	125.943	126.977	1.5	3.2	-1.9	11.4	2.3	4.5
Recreation ²	111.813	111.855	112.138	111.986	.2	.9	-1	.6	.6	.3
Video and audio ²	100.491	100.598	101.080	101.260	1.1	-1.0	-7	3.1	.0	1.2
Televisions	3.342	3.315	3.265	3.222	-10.8	-10.3	-11.1	-13.6	-10.6	-12.4
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁶	420.890	421.343	424.551	426.399	1.6	-1	.4	5.3	.7	2.8
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	10.449	10.550	10.694	10.370	-11.9	-8	-4.4	-3.0	-6.5	-3.7
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio ^{1 2}	71.897	72.593	71.178	70.788	6.8	-1.1	-1	-6.0	2.7	-3.1
Audio equipment	36.442	36.441	36.516	36.721	-3	-2.2	-3.0	3.1	-1.2	.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	85.840	86.371	87.561	86.110	1.7	-1.8	-4.2	1.3	-1	-1.5
Pets, pet products and services ²	164.068	164.812	164.879	164.071	-7	1.0	-8	.0	.2	-4
Pets and pet products ¹	198.915	199.998	199.883	198.278	-2.9	-3	-3.1	-1.3	-1.6	-2.2
Pet services including veterinary ²	230.716	231.274	231.895	232.439	4.7	4.2	4.5	3.0	4.5	3.8
Sporting goods ¹	115.931	115.853	114.932	114.259	.4	.0	1.6	-5.6	.2	-2.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	148.465	147.455	144.925	143.587	5.5	8.8	1.3	-12.5	7.1	-5.9
Sports equipment	82.309	82.659	82.680	82.763	-3.4	-11.2	4.2	2.2	-7.4	3.2
Photography ²	77.527	77.900	78.791	78.338	-4.9	-8.5	1.7	4.3	-6.7	3.0
Photographic equipment and supplies	54.892	54.504	54.676	54.536	-11.7	-18.0	2.2	-2.6	-14.9	-2
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	120.358	121.779	123.747	122.807	-6	-2.7	1.3	8.4	-1.6	4.8
Other recreational goods ²	44.553	44.635	44.586	44.416	-9.8	-1.1	-6.5	-1.2	-5.5	-3.9
Toys	45.265	45.441	45.165	44.998	-10.4	-2.5	-7.9	-2.3	-6.5	-5.2
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	97.173	97.147	99.462	98.850	-3.0	3.3	-7.0	7.1	.1	-2
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	98.177	97.350	97.803	98.113	-18.8	5.8	9.2	-3	-7.3	4.3
Other recreation services ²	159.046	158.110	158.970	158.683	4.5	6.1	3.3	-9	5.3	1.2
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises ^{1 2}	130.765	130.543	129.713	128.303	-1.5	1.9	7.3	-7.3	.2	-3
Admissions ¹	352.109	347.808	353.282	354.054	9.6	9.9	.3	2.2	9.8	1.3
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 5}	288.680	291.401	292.019	292.874	-8	4.2	4.4	5.9	1.7	5.2
Recreational reading materials ¹	245.120	246.948	246.326	247.159	.7	4.1	.3	3.4	2.3	1.8

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Expenditure category										
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	165.010	165.416	166.033	165.749	2.1	6.8	0.7	1.8	4.4	1.3
Recreational books ^{1 2}	100.856	102.271	101.183	102.204	-1.1	.6	-2	5.5	-3	2.6
Education and communication ²	129.265	129.685	130.017	130.418	-.8	-.1	.9	3.6	-.5	2.2
Education ²	237.667	238.447	238.947	239.652	3.9	6.3	1.9	3.4	5.1	2.6
Educational books and supplies	656.814	658.191	661.150	664.913	5.5	4.9	2.2	5.0	5.2	3.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	664.523	666.773	668.033	669.847	3.7	6.4	1.8	3.2	5.1	2.5
College tuition and fees	792.458	794.052	798.445	800.549	4.7	4.5	.6	4.1	4.6	2.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	747.894	751.092	754.227	756.848	3.7	4.3	2.1	4.9	4.0	3.5
Child care and nursery school ⁷	277.288	277.498	277.861	278.409	2.3	11.3	3.1	1.6	6.7	2.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	236.134	236.559	237.036	237.644	.9	.9	-.4	2.6	.9	1.1
Communication ²	81.919	82.183	82.416	82.677	-3.4	-3.8	.3	3.8	-3.6	2.0
Postage and delivery services ²	174.241	174.863	175.262	176.100	-10.2	2.2	4.7	4.3	-4.2	4.5
Postage	275.379	276.501	277.548	278.575	-11.2	2.9	4.4	4.7	-4.4	4.6
Delivery services ²	284.167	283.678	279.827	284.406	1.1	-5.2	6.9	.3	-2.1	3.5
Information and information processing ²	79.270	79.525	79.752	80.001	-3.2	-3.9	.2	3.7	-3.6	1.9
Telephone services ^{1 2}	97.810	98.090	98.268	98.715	-2.3	-3.9	4.1	3.8	-3.1	3.9
Wireless telephone services ^{1 2}	56.057	56.259	56.385	56.760	-5.4	-6.1	5.0	5.1	-5.7	5.1
Land-line telephone services ^{1 11}	113.787	113.897	113.981	113.884	6.1	2.0	1.7	.3	4.0	1.0
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	8.483	8.518	8.566	8.561	-5.8	-4.0	-9.2	3.7	-4.9	-2.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁵	47.015	47.347	47.042	46.854	-12.0	-4.4	-9.1	-1.4	-8.3	-5.3
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	36.353	36.576	36.770	36.192	-6.5	6.8	-3.3	-1.8	-.1	-2.5
Internet services and electronic information providers ² ..	76.385	76.807	77.461	77.749	-3.4	-2.9	-8.6	7.3	-3.1	-1.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ^{1 2}	24.930	24.195	24.574	23.741	-3.5	-25.7	-20.9	-17.8	-15.3	-19.3
Other goods and services	450.215	450.824	452.912	453.890	2.2	1.7	2.3	3.3	1.9	2.8
Tobacco and smoking products	945.021	944.709	948.501	953.703	2.9	3.3	5.2	3.7	3.1	4.5
Cigarettes ²	384.588	384.581	386.194	388.318	2.9	3.5	5.2	3.9	3.2	4.6
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	244.313	243.794	244.777	245.144	.7	-.8	5.0	1.4	-.1	3.2
Personal care	218.085	218.562	219.642	219.753	1.8	.9	.8	3.1	1.4	2.0
Personal care products ¹	162.129	162.710	163.849	163.559	3.5	-3.0	-3.6	3.6	.2	-.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	103.061	103.376	103.797	103.559	6.5	-1.7	-5.9	1.9	2.3	-2.1
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	188.266	189.065	191.047	190.816	.1	-4.5	-.9	5.5	-2.2	2.3
Personal care services ¹	249.443	250.138	250.330	251.497	-.6	3.9	6.3	3.3	1.6	4.8
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	152.036	152.460	152.577	153.288	-.6	3.9	6.3	3.3	1.6	4.8
Miscellaneous personal services	401.303	402.801	404.415	405.079	2.7	2.3	2.9	3.8	2.5	3.4
Legal services ^{1 5}	323.559	327.186	327.264	328.183	.8	2.7	3.2	5.8	1.8	4.5
Funeral expenses ^{1 5}	324.753	325.281	327.193	327.252	1.7	2.5	5.0	3.1	2.1	4.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	155.832	156.125	157.040	157.391	.5	3.5	2.1	4.1	2.0	3.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2} ..	183.352	184.771	184.974	184.888	2.6	1.9	.4	3.4	2.2	1.9
Financial services ^{1 5}	332.743	330.280	331.939	331.404	10.0	3.8	1.1	-1.6	6.9	-.3
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	81.818	81.228	81.595	80.377	-1.5	-3.3	-2.6	-6.9	-2.4	-4.7
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	186.138	184.231	184.232	183.391	-13.4	6.4	-.1	-5.8	-4.0	-3.0
Commodities less food and beverages	155.729	152.716	152.572	151.550	-21.4	11.2	-1.8	-10.3	-6.5	-6.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	199.753	192.752	193.343	193.701	-31.7	13.0	-1.2	-11.6	-12.1	-6.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	249.959	238.762	239.792	240.678	-39.4	19.2	-2.3	-14.0	-15.0	-8.4
Durables	111.202	111.184	110.896	110.586	-.5	2.5	-3.3	-2.2	1.0	-2.8
Services	286.622	287.270	288.175	288.989	2.3	1.8	2.6	3.3	2.1	3.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	263.197	263.994	264.721	265.229	2.9	3.0	3.8	3.1	2.9	3.5
Transportation services	296.555	297.112	297.492	299.642	4.3	3.2	.8	4.2	3.8	2.5
Other services	319.296	319.999	321.150	322.105	.8	1.1	1.9	3.6	.9	2.7
All items less food	230.286	229.336	229.788	229.797	-5.5	4.5	1.2	-.8	-.6	.2
All items less shelter	220.573	219.342	219.672	219.406	-7.6	3.9	.4	-2.1	-2.0	-.8
All items less medical care	224.295	223.586	223.905	223.803	-4.9	3.6	1.5	-.9	-.7	.3
Commodities less food	158.473	155.524	155.414	154.406	-20.8	10.9	-1.7	-9.9	-6.3	-5.9
Nondurables less food	202.126	195.440	196.104	196.476	-30.2	12.3	-1.1	-10.7	-11.5	-6.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	247.872	237.677	238.768	239.628	-37.2	17.5	-2.1	-12.7	-14.1	-7.5
Nondurables	222.619	219.142	219.899	220.187	-16.5	5.2	.5	-4.3	-6.2	-1.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Feb. 2015	May 2015	Aug. 2015	Nov. 2015	May 2015	Nov. 2015
Special aggregate indexes										
Apparel less footwear	117.972	117.697	116.608	116.046	0.0	-1.0	0.7	-6.4	-0.5	-2.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	277.739	278.167	279.312	280.460	1.5	.3	1.4	4.0	.9	2.7
Services less medical care services	273.407	274.022	274.762	275.579	2.4	1.2	3.0	3.2	1.8	3.1
Energy	208.598	198.107	198.866	196.165	-45.2	20.4	-.8	-21.8	-18.8	-11.9
All items less energy	236.893	237.410	237.802	238.087	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.9
All items less food and energy	235.309	235.725	236.136	236.536	1.7	2.6	1.5	2.1	2.1	1.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities	149.018	148.906	148.592	148.296	-.2	1.9	-1.7	-1.9	.8	-1.8
Energy commodities	229.879	209.834	210.930	205.604	-66.5	56.3	-1.5	-36.0	-27.7	-20.6
Services less energy services	296.533	297.347	298.304	299.215	2.4	2.9	2.8	3.7	2.7	3.2
Domestically produced farm food	251.036	251.804	252.223	251.527	.2	-3.1	3.6	.8	-1.4	2.2
Utilities and public transportation	209.385	209.430	210.050	210.527	1.2	-4.0	-.3	2.2	-1.5	.9

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.
 NA Data not adequate for publication.
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Nov. 2015 from—			Percent change to Oct. 2015 from—		
		Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Oct. 2014	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015
U.S. city average	M	238.316	237.945	237.838	237.336	0.5	-0.3	-0.2	0.2	-0.2	0.0
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	252.903	252.922	252.504	252.573	.3	-1	.0	-1	-2	-2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	255.629	255.916	255.589	255.722	.6	-1	.1	.3	.0	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.380	148.967	148.569	148.509	-4	-3	.0	-1.2	-5	-3
Midwest urban	M	225.830	225.184	225.050	224.009	-2	-5	-5	-3	-3	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	226.278	225.534	225.319	224.476	.0	-5	-4	-3	-4	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.099	144.807	144.739	143.892	-5	-6	-6	-5	-2	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	222.932	222.183	222.397	221.204	.0	-4	-5	-2	-2	.1
South urban	M	231.260	230.913	230.860	230.422	.3	-2	-2	-1	-2	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	233.513	233.480	233.348	232.934	.6	-2	-2	.4	-1	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	146.695	146.361	146.314	145.974	.0	-3	-2	-4	-3	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	236.395	235.628	236.089	236.105	.1	.2	.0	-7	-1	.2
West urban	M	244.737	244.257	244.341	243.749	1.5	-2	-2	1.1	-2	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	250.699	250.076	250.362	249.961	1.9	.0	-2	1.4	-1	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	144.752	144.507	144.379	143.595	.1	-6	-5	.1	-3	-1
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	218.282	218.036	217.970	217.647	.9	-2	-1	.6	-1	.0
B/C ³	M	146.341	146.020	145.899	145.424	-1	-4	-3	-4	-3	-1
D	M	233.793	233.367	233.450	233.122	.7	-1	-1	.1	-1	.0
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	229.527	228.826	228.600	227.641	.2	-5	-4	-2	-4	-1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	246.328	245.431	245.812	245.711	1.6	.1	.0	1.0	-2	.2
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	261.347	261.887	261.515	261.009	.6	-3	-2	.4	.1	-1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	-	256.643	-	258.407	.8	.7	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	-	220.304	-	219.126	-4	-5	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	-	217.507	-	217.104	.0	-2	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	-	156.278	-	155.820	.6	-3	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2	225.027	-	222.282	-	-	-	-	.5	-1.2	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	220.249	-	220.506	-	-	-	-	-7	.1	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	214.652	-	214.569	-	-	-	-	-1	.0	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	246.348	-	246.789	-	-	-	-	1.1	.2	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	244.519	-	243.697	-	-	-	-	-5	-3	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	259.917	-	261.019	-	-	-	-	2.6	.4	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	251.617	-	250.831	-	-	-	-	1.2	-3	-

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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	252.573	0.3	0.0	224.009	-0.2	-0.5	230.422	0.3	-0.2	243.749	1.5	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	397.726	-	-	364.475	-	-	373.776	-	-	394.007	-	-
Food and beverages	252.167	1.1	-2	240.006	.7	-4	246.957	1.3	-2	251.757	1.6	-3
Food	252.328	1.2	-2	239.676	.8	-4	248.396	1.3	-3	251.951	1.7	-3
Food at home	248.120	.5	-5	229.217	-3	-8	241.401	.2	-5	249.920	.7	-7
Food away from home	261.719	2.2	.2	257.145	2.5	.2	261.693	2.9	.1	253.577	3.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages	248.902	.2	-2	242.242	-2	-3	226.257	.6	.1	245.827	.8	.1
Housing	265.874	1.4	.2	212.784	1.2	-1	222.564	2.1	-1	257.121	3.4	-1
Shelter	327.989	2.7	.0	251.104	2.3	.1	253.487	3.0	.1	292.216	4.3	.3
Rent of primary residence ²	329.456	2.9	.2	250.581	2.6	.3	261.335	3.8	.2	307.166	4.5	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ² ³	339.816	2.7	.2	255.101	2.1	.3	256.092	2.9	.2	306.998	4.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ² ³	339.561	2.7	.2	255.095	2.1	.3	256.079	2.9	.2	306.978	4.3	.4
Fuels and utilities	207.541	-6.2	1.6	207.998	-3.4	-8	225.933	-1.1	-1.1	273.243	.7	-3.0
Household energy	183.405	-7.8	1.9	170.868	-5.7	-1.1	183.332	-2.4	-1.6	234.637	-1.4	-4.4
Energy services ²	184.232	-3.7	2.4	178.131	-4.7	-1.1	183.643	-2.1	-1.6	236.244	-1.3	-4.6
Electricity ²	194.217	-1.5	1.0	195.913	2.4	-5	183.295	-9	-1.9	261.784	.2	-3.8
Utility (piped) gas service ²	150.364	-9.7	7.1	138.200	-19.1	-2.5	170.711	-9.2	-1	190.266	-5.9	-7.2
Household furnishings and operations ...	123.105	-2	-1	115.088	-1.1	-6	121.614	-5	-1	128.345	-5	-6
Apparel	130.735	-1.1	-2.1	120.087	-2.4	-2.2	136.716	-1.4	-1.4	118.848	-1.4	-2.0
Transportation	195.171	-6.5	.2	192.703	-6.4	-2.1	192.674	-6.8	-5	197.083	-4.3	-7
Private transportation	186.101	-7.1	-1	186.808	-6.7	-2.3	190.298	-7.0	-6	190.213	-4.5	-1.0
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	97.255	-3	-3	98.198	-3	-3	102.111	-3	-5	100.159	.4	-3
New vehicles	145.486	.8	.3	139.507	.2	.3	152.539	-5	.0	146.557	1.0	.4
New cars and trucks ⁴ ⁵	100.812	.8	.3	98.734	.2	.2	103.826	-6	.0	101.779	1.0	.4
New cars ⁵	137.282	-1	.1	135.628	.1	.1	152.684	-1.6	-3	145.296	-1	.2
Used cars and trucks	150.002	-1.0	-1.8	143.518	-9	-1.9	143.435	.2	-1.6	138.050	-1.4	-1.9
Motor fuel	186.892	-26.3	-6	198.363	-23.9	-8.7	180.994	-26.9	-3.0	205.325	-18.7	-4.3
Gasoline (all types)	186.046	-26.3	-6	197.007	-23.8	-8.8	179.960	-26.8	-3.0	204.427	-18.5	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	183.124	-27.1	-5	191.809	-24.8	-9.0	175.445	-27.6	-3.1	201.794	-19.0	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵ ⁶	200.784	-23.9	-8	227.208	-21.6	-8.4	199.105	-24.2	-2.5	197.104	-17.1	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	198.643	-21.6	-8	216.831	-17.5	-7.8	199.001	-21.9	-2.3	201.449	-16.3	-4.3
Medical care	472.096	2.7	.1	456.198	2.6	.3	429.361	3.0	.2	458.708	3.4	.5
Medical care commodities	371.518	-8	-1.1	367.345	1.8	.4	346.645	4.2	.2	346.064	3.3	.7
Medical care services	500.650	3.7	.5	486.047	2.8	.3	457.012	2.7	.2	494.643	3.4	.4
Professional services	367.449	3.2	1.2	393.089	1.6	.1	358.863	1.3	.3	341.335	2.4	.9
Recreation ⁴	120.427	1.0	-4	116.914	.1	-3	115.582	.0	-3	111.266	1.6	-1
Education and communication ⁴	141.499	2.6	.3	140.814	.7	.1	137.092	1.5	.1	138.879	.4	.1
Other goods and services	456.362	2.7	.4	402.790	2.1	.1	409.946	1.9	-1	405.941	1.7	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	252.573	.3	.0	224.009	-2	-5	230.422	.3	-2	243.749	1.5	-2
Commodities	185.183	-3.2	-5	176.406	-3.0	-1.4	180.266	-3.3	-7	178.287	-1.6	-8
Commodities less food and beverages ...	148.766	-6.1	-7	145.614	-5.5	-2.0	148.729	-6.0	-1.0	141.820	-3.8	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	185.059	-9.5	-8	185.783	-8.0	-2.8	188.611	-9.0	-1.3	177.597	-6.0	-1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	229.576	-12.2	-3	228.948	-9.8	-3.0	221.338	-11.4	-1.3	219.207	-7.5	-1.6
Durables	106.182	-5	-4	105.538	-1.4	-8	110.450	-1.4	-5	108.704	-4	-5
Services	317.843	2.3	.3	273.173	1.8	.1	281.024	2.6	.1	304.128	3.3	.1
Rent of shelter ³	343.108	2.8	.0	257.912	2.3	.1	260.134	3.1	.1	310.884	4.3	.3
Transportation services	278.698	.9	.9	296.418	2.2	.9	317.389	3.6	1.0	286.091	2.0	1.0

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—	
	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Commodity and service group												
Other services	364.363	2.8	0.1	328.985	1.5	0.0	334.801	2.3	0.2	339.305	1.8	0.1
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	242.938	.1	.0	213.020	-4	-5	219.462	.0	-2	233.918	1.3	-3
All items less food	253.099	.2	.1	221.362	-3	-5	227.427	.1	-2	242.648	1.4	-2
All items less shelter	226.760	-1.0	.0	216.470	-1.2	-7	222.521	-1.0	-3	225.289	.0	-5
Commodities less food	152.393	-5.8	-6	148.664	-5.3	-1.9	151.122	-5.8	-9	145.727	-3.6	-1.1
Nondurables	218.367	-4.0	-5	212.470	-3.5	-1.5	216.361	-3.8	-7	214.504	-2.0	-9
Nondurables less food	188.786	-8.8	-8	188.806	-7.5	-2.6	190.506	-8.4	-1.2	182.593	-5.5	-1.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	229.703	-11.1	-3	228.843	-9.0	-2.8	220.651	-10.5	-1.2	221.429	-6.7	-1.4
Services less rent of shelter ³	318.026	1.7	.6	305.736	1.3	.1	316.082	2.0	.1	329.931	2.1	-2
Services less medical care services	305.215	2.1	.3	257.295	1.6	.1	265.019	2.5	.1	290.890	3.3	.1
Energy	185.044	-16.6	.9	183.519	-15.2	-4.8	178.574	-15.5	-2.2	220.716	-11.2	-4.4
All items less energy	262.019	1.8	.0	230.735	1.3	-1	236.962	1.9	.0	247.467	2.5	.0
All items less food and energy	265.439	1.9	.0	229.815	1.4	.0	235.362	2.0	.0	247.460	2.6	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	149.591	-4	-6	145.592	-8	-6	148.263	-6	-6	139.613	-3	-6
Energy commodities	195.704	-26.5	-6	197.788	-24.1	-8.5	184.518	-26.7	-2.9	209.693	-18.4	-4.1
Services less energy services	331.021	2.6	.2	285.298	2.2	.2	291.268	2.9	.2	309.218	3.5	.3

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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	217.647	0.9	-0.1	145.424	-0.1	-0.3	233.122	0.7	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	217.647	-	-	-	-	-	375.967	-	-
Food and beverages	223.486	1.5	-1	154.892	.7	-5	251.219	1.5	-1
Food	223.910	1.6	-2	155.469	.7	-6	251.912	1.5	-1
Food at home	223.835	.8	-4	150.812	-5	-1.0	242.522	.1	-3
Food away from home	222.725	2.7	.2	162.841	2.5	.1	269.809	3.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages	216.036	.2	.0	147.204	.6	-2	239.225	1.1	.3
Housing	222.610	2.4	.0	143.668	1.4	-2	216.916	3.1	.2
Shelter	248.159	3.6	.2	147.586	2.3	.0	248.519	4.2	.3
Rent of primary residence ⁵	254.695	4.0	.4	156.323	2.6	.2	247.753	4.9	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	246.526	3.4	.3	146.085	2.3	.2	257.983	3.7	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	246.505	3.4	.3	146.075	2.3	.2	257.918	3.7	.4
Fuels and utilities	224.065	-3.1	-1.1	172.697	-1.7	-1.0	232.203	.9	.2
Household energy	205.048	-5.3	-1.6	163.264	-3.4	-1.4	188.419	-3	.0
Energy services ⁵	195.936	-3.8	-1.7	156.321	-2.2	-1.4	202.304	.5	-2
Electricity ⁵	202.786	-1.1	-1.8	157.004	.2	-1.6	215.079	2.8	.2
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	166.520	-10.9	-1.3	137.778	-13.0	-2	143.885	-11.7	-2.9
Household furnishings and operations	113.976	-1.0	-2	97.638	.1	-4	125.009	-1.1	-9
Apparel	121.835	-5	-2.2	90.903	-3.3	-1.1	127.160	-1.2	-2.8
Transportation	191.200	-5.8	-7	135.848	-6.2	-8	195.681	-7.2	-9
Private transportation	188.709	-6.0	-9	134.803	-6.6	-1.0	190.928	-7.4	-9
New and used motor vehicles ³	98.777	-4	-3	100.369	.2	-4	103.387	-1	-6
New vehicles	127.020	-3	.1	102.309	.8	.4	163.001	.9	.1
New cars and trucks ^{3 7}	99.977	-3	.1	102.379	.8	.3	112.672	1.0	.1
New cars ⁷	125.109	-1.3	-3	102.162	.3	.3	156.559	-5	.0
Used cars and trucks	136.993	-9	-1.8	96.775	-3	-1.7	130.480	-6	-1.7
Motor fuel	284.397	-22.7	-4.1	186.115	-25.9	-4.3	181.238	-25.2	-4.1
Gasoline (all types)	283.025	-22.6	-4.1	186.346	-25.7	-4.4	179.526	-25.0	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	283.930	-23.6	-4.2	186.903	-26.5	-4.5	168.636	-25.8	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	203.996	-20.6	-5.1	193.377	-22.7	-4.5	214.560	-22.4	-5.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	275.776	-17.8	-3.1	193.140	-21.4	-3.9	200.660	-20.7	-4.1
Medical care	361.354	3.5	.4	187.207	2.1	.1	442.350	3.5	.3
Medical care commodities	284.333	3.3	-1	165.132	1.1	.4	355.699	4.5	.2
Medical care services	384.961	3.6	.5	195.221	2.4	.1	473.375	3.2	.4
Professional services	291.288	3.0	1.0	165.701	1.0	.0	370.886	.1	.5
Recreation ³	115.189	1.0	-2	115.355	.0	-4	120.980	1.1	-1
Education and communication ³	141.765	1.4	.2	134.368	1.1	.0	147.816	1.5	.1
Other goods and services	322.709	1.8	.1	188.978	2.5	.0	456.942	2.0	.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	217.647	.9	-1	145.424	-1	-3	233.122	.7	-1
Commodities	171.264	-2.4	-8	126.710	-3.3	-8	185.471	-2.8	-9
Commodities less food and beverages	142.649	-5.2	-1.3	112.626	-5.7	-1.0	155.305	-5.4	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	187.479	-7.4	-1.7	140.638	-9.2	-1.4	193.402	-8.0	-1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	235.497	-9.9	-1.6	164.496	-10.9	-1.5	228.798	-9.7	-1.4
Durables	98.695	-1.5	-5	85.093	-3	-5	117.221	-1.1	-1.0
Services	254.552	2.7	.2	157.321	2.1	.0	284.895	3.3	.4
Rent of shelter ⁶	249.107	3.6	.2	147.563	2.3	.0	256.500	4.2	.3
Transportation services	234.792	1.2	.9	164.779	4.1	.9	323.210	2.4	1.3

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—		
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Commodity and service group										
Other services	279.737	2.3	0.2	158.756	1.8	0.0	347.881	2.2	0.4	
Special aggregate indexes										
All items less medical care	210.871	.7	-.2	140.547	-.3	-.4	220.317	.4	-.2	
All items less food	216.786	.8	-.1	141.504	-.3	-.3	229.962	.6	-.1	
All items less shelter	204.193	-.6	-.3	141.824	-1.1	-.5	229.651	-.7	-.3	
Commodities less food	145.717	-4.9	-1.2	113.641	-5.5	-1.0	157.459	-5.2	-1.4	
Nondurables	206.164	-2.7	-.9	147.594	-4.3	-1.0	221.030	-3.3	-.9	
Nondurables less food	189.828	-6.8	-1.6	140.971	-8.6	-1.4	195.324	-7.5	-1.6	
Nondurables less food and apparel	232.991	-8.9	-1.4	162.996	-10.1	-1.4	228.759	-9.0	-1.3	
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	261.176	1.7	.2	167.894	1.9	.0	330.118	2.4	.5	
Services less medical care services	245.694	2.6	.2	153.855	2.0	.0	266.170	3.3	.4	
Energy	238.592	-14.4	-2.8	173.815	-15.3	-2.8	187.594	-13.5	-1.9	
All items less energy	215.996	2.1	.0	140.746	1.4	-.1	239.834	2.3	.0	
All items less food and energy	214.797	2.2	.1	138.084	1.6	.0	238.203	2.5	.1	
Commodities less food and energy commodities	130.434	-.7	-.7	103.244	-.5	-.4	156.159	.0	-.9	
Energy commodities	287.721	-22.9	-3.9	190.732	-25.8	-4.2	184.434	-24.3	-3.6	
Services less energy services	258.684	3.1	.3	157.324	2.4	.1	294.208	3.5	.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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	255.722	0.6	0.1	148.509	-0.4	0.0
All items (December 1977=100)	395.141	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	252.289	1.5	-1	155.705	.0	-6
Food	252.460	1.6	-1	156.140	-1	-7
Food at home	251.223	1.2	-3	149.268	-1.4	-1.1
Food away from home	257.737	2.2	.3	167.705	2.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages	248.901	-1	-4	148.300	.8	.1
Housing	270.038	1.5	.2	150.645	1.1	.3
Shelter	333.734	2.9	-1	153.250	2.1	.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	341.113	3.2	.2	159.499	1.7	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	341.592	2.9	.1	151.026	2.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	341.348	2.9	.1	151.026	2.0	.5
Fuels and utilities	198.581	-7.1	2.4	180.214	-4.3	-2
Household energy	181.265	-8.8	2.9	172.684	-5.5	-3
Energy services ⁴	180.144	-4.9	3.5	147.248	-.8	-1
Electricity ⁴	191.312	-3.8	1.9	141.273	3.4	-8
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	149.575	-7.6	8.2	129.288	-16.0	3.4
Household furnishings and operations	119.264	-1.0	-3	106.228	1.4	.3
Apparel	129.706	-2	-2.5	91.481	-4.7	-8
Transportation	199.393	-6.1	.3	132.224	-7.3	-2
Private transportation	189.066	-6.9	.0	131.943	-7.5	-2
Motor fuel	181.955	-26.2	-4	190.497	-26.5	-8
Gasoline (all types)	180.889	-26.2	-4	190.768	-26.5	-8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	177.450	-27.0	-4	190.910	-27.2	-7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	193.938	-23.6	-7	197.495	-24.6	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	194.922	-21.5	-6	197.210	-22.0	-1.0
Medical care	479.557	3.2	.4	189.827	1.9	-4
Recreation ²	119.383	.5	-5	122.007	2.1	-1
Education and communication ²	144.544	2.4	.3	132.783	3.0	.1
Other goods and services	434.573	2.5	.5	209.512	3.1	.4
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	255.722	.6	.1	148.509	-.4	.0
Commodities	185.187	-2.8	-5	131.771	-4.1	-4
Commodities less food and beverages	146.266	-6.1	-8	119.853	-6.3	-3
Nondurables less food and beverages	181.309	-8.6	-1.1	147.389	-11.5	-3
Durables	104.180	-1.3	-4	88.470	.6	-3
Services	319.369	2.3	.3	158.441	2.1	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	246.183	.4	.0	143.807	-.7	.0
All items less shelter	226.934	-.8	.1	144.099	-1.4	-2
Commodities less food	150.112	-5.8	-8	120.840	-6.0	-3
Nondurables	217.554	-3.2	-5	150.810	-6.0	-4
Nondurables less food	185.405	-7.9	-1.0	147.463	-10.7	-2
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	314.574	1.6	.8	163.820	2.1	.0
Services less medical care services	307.090	2.2	.3	154.504	2.0	.3
Energy	183.179	-16.2	1.6	178.092	-16.7	-5
All items less energy	265.115	2.0	.0	143.676	1.4	.0
All items less food and energy	269.135	2.0	.0	141.263	1.7	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size 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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	224.476	0.0	-0.4	143.892	-0.5	-0.6	221.204	0.0	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	370.622	-	-	-	-	-	354.638	-	-
Food and beverages	242.938	1.0	-2	152.283	.2	-7	244.320	1.0	-5
Food	242.621	1.2	-3	152.625	.2	-6	244.412	1.0	-6
Food at home	234.569	.2	-6	146.550	-1.0	-1.1	225.196	-1	-1.0
Food away from home	255.003	2.6	.2	162.769	2.3	.2	279.251	2.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	243.056	-6	-1	150.843	.1	-8	242.744	.9	-2
Housing	215.370	1.2	.0	134.958	.8	-2	209.777	2.2	.1
Shelter	256.286	2.1	.1	138.256	2.3	.1	244.118	3.7	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	262.918	2.5	.3	142.724	2.6	.3	232.645	3.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	260.094	2.0	.3	136.354	2.2	.2	249.094	2.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	260.086	2.0	.3	136.354	2.2	.2	249.094	2.9	.3
Fuels and utilities	204.821	-2.3	-8	166.434	-5.3	-9	209.342	-2.8	-1
Household energy	168.240	-4.9	-1.1	160.059	-7.3	-1.3	159.443	-4.1	-3
Energy services ⁴	170.812	-4.6	-1.1	158.564	-5.9	-1.2	176.732	-1.5	-3
Electricity ⁴	185.018	4.5	-4	166.631	-4	-9	183.271	3.2	.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	135.895	-17.8	-2.5	120.489	-22.9	-2.6	144.356	-17.4	-2.0
Household furnishings and operations	109.283	-1.4	.1	93.466	-9	-1.5	118.326	.0	-3
Apparel	117.106	-2.3	-1.6	93.791	-2.1	-2.6	124.141	-3.8	-4.0
Transportation	194.596	-5.5	-1.9	140.302	-6.9	-2.1	168.596	-8.9	-2.8
Private transportation	189.691	-5.8	-2.1	139.338	-7.3	-2.3	162.269	-9.3	-2.9
Motor fuel	202.804	-23.2	-9.3	205.206	-24.1	-7.7	163.608	-26.6	-9.3
Gasoline (all types)	201.167	-23.2	-9.3	204.882	-24.0	-7.8	160.807	-26.3	-9.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	196.373	-24.3	-9.6	204.909	-25.0	-7.9	151.772	-27.2	-9.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	224.903	-21.7	-9.1	212.918	-21.2	-7.6	200.157	-22.0	-8.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	219.048	-16.3	-7.5	215.248	-17.7	-7.1	179.719	-22.2	-10.9
Medical care	445.799	2.5	.3	200.636	2.1	.4	448.246	4.3	-
Recreation ²	115.711	.5	-5	121.065	-8	-5	109.608	1.2	.6
Education and communication ²	140.435	.1	.1	141.289	1.1	.1	136.979	2.4	.2
Other goods and services	386.794	1.1	.1	190.044	4.6	.1	447.883	-4	.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	224.476	.0	-4	143.892	-.5	-6	221.204	.0	-5
Commodities	175.038	-2.7	-1.2	127.429	-3.4	-1.5	180.373	-3.5	-1.7
Commodities less food and beverages	141.448	-5.3	-1.9	114.442	-5.6	-2.0	150.723	-6.2	-2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	179.706	-7.9	-2.8	146.478	-8.0	-2.6	192.397	-8.5	-3.3
Durables	103.121	-1.1	-5	81.749	-1.5	-1.2	108.261	-2.5	-9
Services	272.984	1.7	.1	155.278	1.6	.0	266.122	2.7	.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	214.710	-.3	-4	138.409	-.7	-7	207.493	-.5	-6
All items less shelter	214.869	-1.0	-6	144.107	-1.6	-9	215.138	-1.3	-8
Commodities less food	145.107	-5.1	-1.8	115.386	-5.4	-2.0	153.069	-6.0	-2.3
Nondurables	211.299	-3.2	-1.4	149.722	-3.9	-1.6	217.321	-3.8	-1.9
Nondurables less food	183.827	-7.4	-2.6	146.108	-7.6	-2.5	194.510	-8.0	-3.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	303.182	1.3	.2	173.072	1.0	-.1	292.507	1.9	.4
Services less medical care services	259.001	1.6	.1	150.482	1.5	.0	243.655	2.5	.3
Energy	183.951	-14.4	-5.1	181.500	-16.1	-4.5	161.825	-16.1	-4.7
All items less energy	230.809	1.3	.0	139.334	1.2	-.2	230.189	1.7	-.1
All items less food and energy	229.429	1.3	.1	136.936	1.4	-.1	227.528	1.9	-.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	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	232.934	0.6	-0.2	145.974	0.0	-0.2	236.105	0.1	0.0
All items (December 1977=100)	376.034	-	-	-	-	-	383.414	-	-
Food and beverages	245.933	1.4	-1.1	155.852	1.0	-4.1	251.970	1.9	.3
Food	247.647	1.5	-1.1	156.849	1.0	-5.1	252.087	2.0	.3
Food at home	238.275	.6	-3.3	153.542	-1.1	-9.1	250.394	.1	.4
Food away from home	263.115	2.8	.1	161.811	2.5	.1	259.003	5.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages	224.503	.3	-3.3	141.384	1.0	.3	241.186	-4.4	.4
Housing	229.587	2.6	.0	146.649	1.8	-2.2	212.495	1.2	.0
Shelter	263.300	3.8	.3	153.219	2.6	.0	241.810	2.0	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	272.512	4.5	.3	163.365	2.9	.1	248.808	5.8	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	268.778	3.6	.3	151.415	2.6	.1	248.729	.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	268.776	3.6	.3	151.415	2.6	.1	248.729	.8	.2
Fuels and utilities	209.876	-2.7	-2.0	166.316	-5.5	-8.1	229.845	1.7	.6
Household energy	177.133	-4.6	-2.9	154.808	-1.5	-1.1	192.836	.8	.3
Energy services ⁴	179.444	-4.3	-3.0	151.306	-1.3	-1.2	200.320	1.5	.3
Electricity ⁴	173.573	-3.3	-3.2	152.297	-2.2	-1.4	205.806	2.4	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	173.847	-8.8	-1.7	134.824	-9.9	.7	140.532	-7.8	5.9
Household furnishings and operations	127.006	-4.4	.1	95.064	-1.1	-1.1	120.566	-4.2	-1.5
Apparel	155.286	-6.6	-1.9	88.460	-2.4	-9.1	139.832	1.2	-2.5
Transportation	192.114	-7.3	-7.7	134.384	-6.3	-4.4	214.519	-7.9	.0
Private transportation	190.922	-7.5	-8.8	133.761	-6.5	-5.5	211.159	-8.1	-1.1
Motor fuel	188.581	-26.6	-3.3	178.695	-27.4	-3.2	174.730	-26.0	-1.0
Gasoline (all types)	186.756	-26.4	-3.3	178.736	-27.3	-3.2	172.537	-25.9	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	183.117	-27.4	-3.4	180.180	-28.0	-3.3	163.297	-26.7	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	199.893	-23.4	-2.9	183.090	-24.7	-2.7	217.287	-23.8	-1.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	205.141	-21.4	-2.5	189.470	-22.3	-2.5	199.449	-21.5	-1.1
Medical care	437.718	4.7	.1	178.933	1.8	.2	435.842	3.9	.6
Recreation ²	108.848	-3.3	-4.4	118.970	-1.1	-3.3	119.108	1.6	-5.5
Education and communication ²	139.996	2.0	.2	133.380	1.0	-1.1	145.915	2.3	.2
Other goods and services	384.533	1.9	-1.1	183.751	1.6	-1.1	450.220	4.2	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	232.934	.6	-2.2	145.974	.0	-2.2	236.105	.1	.0
Commodities	179.935	-3.1	-7.7	125.384	-3.4	-7.7	191.845	-3.1	-4.4
Commodities less food and beverages	147.246	-6.1	-1.2	110.410	-6.0	-9.1	164.653	-6.0	-9.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	184.759	-8.6	-1.6	137.741	-9.4	-1.2	200.433	-8.7	-8.8
Durables	110.797	-2.3	-5.5	84.223	-8.8	-4.4	125.112	-1.5	-1.0
Services	282.874	2.9	.1	159.764	2.3	.1	283.071	2.4	.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	223.220	.3	-2.2	141.644	-.2	-3.3	222.235	-.3	.0
All items less shelter	221.350	-1.0	-4.4	140.496	-1.1	-3.3	235.802	-.6	-1.1
Commodities less food	150.064	-5.8	-1.1	111.326	-5.8	-8.1	166.250	-5.8	-8.8
Nondurables	214.054	-3.4	-8.8	146.443	-4.2	-8.1	224.413	-3.6	-3.3
Nondurables less food	187.025	-8.0	-1.6	138.063	-8.8	-1.1	201.545	-8.3	-7.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	313.581	1.8	-1.1	166.911	2.0	.2	332.850	2.9	.4
Services less medical care services	268.701	2.7	.1	157.423	2.4	.1	263.302	2.3	.3
Energy	179.923	-16.4	-3.1	165.030	-15.3	-2.1	183.496	-13.2	-2.2
All items less energy	240.161	2.2	.0	141.894	1.6	-1.1	242.433	1.9	.0
All items less food and energy	239.346	2.3	.1	139.142	1.7	.0	241.132	1.9	.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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	249.961	1.9	-0.2	143.595	0.1	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	407.596	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	252.811	1.8	-1	154.374	1.0	-6
Food	253.404	1.9	-2	154.125	1.1	-6
Food at home	251.415	1.0	-6	149.643	-2	-1.0
Food away from home	254.329	3.1	.3	161.006	3.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages	242.679	1.0	.5	157.666	-4	-1.3
Housing	274.255	3.8	-1	140.060	1.4	-4
Shelter	312.600	4.8	.4	140.386	1.6	-1
Rent of primary residence ⁴	333.704	5.0	.5	151.537	2.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	329.176	4.6	.4	140.348	2.2	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	329.118	4.6	.4	140.345	2.2	.1
Fuels and utilities	282.739	.0	-3.7	187.773	1.1	-2.3
Household energy	241.971	-1.7	-5.8	178.502	-1.9	-3.1
Energy services ⁴	244.152	-1.5	-5.9	175.647	-1.6	-3.2
Electricity ⁴	279.336	.1	-4.7	173.973	-5	-3.8
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	192.212	-6.3	-9.9	171.909	-4.8	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations	128.898	-1.1	-6	102.682	.2	-7
Apparel	121.973	.6	-2.6	95.064	-5.8	-5
Transportation	193.187	-4.3	-6	138.980	-4.1	-1.2
Private transportation	187.266	-4.3	-9	135.668	-5.3	-1.7
Motor fuel	208.296	-16.4	-3.4	181.387	-22.7	-6.6
Gasoline (all types)	206.932	-16.3	-3.5	182.581	-22.4	-6.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	206.807	-16.8	-3.5	181.013	-23.0	-7.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	194.320	-15.8	-4.0	188.061	-19.4	-5.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	204.041	-14.0	-3.4	179.174	-21.0	-6.5
Medical care	454.441	3.7	.7	192.379	3.0	.1
Recreation ²	115.085	2.7	.3	97.134	-4	-1.0
Education and communication ²	140.275	.8	.2	129.635	-.2	.0
Other goods and services	403.938	1.3	.0	182.026	2.7	-1
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	249.961	1.9	-2	143.595	.1	-5
Commodities	177.778	-1.2	-7	125.091	-2.4	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	139.097	-3.5	-1.2	110.451	-4.4	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	174.123	-4.9	-1.6	135.500	-8.1	-1.9
Durables	105.169	-1.3	-5	88.270	1.0	-3
Services	314.315	3.6	.1	152.893	1.9	-2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	241.053	1.8	-2	137.707	-.1	-6
All items less shelter	224.906	.2	-5	140.920	-.5	-7
Commodities less food	143.374	-3.3	-1.1	111.775	-4.3	-1.2
Nondurables	213.596	-1.2	-8	145.214	-3.5	-1.2
Nondurables less food	179.449	-4.4	-1.4	136.926	-7.7	-1.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	329.364	2.0	-1	167.959	2.2	-4
Services less medical care services	303.034	3.6	.1	148.538	1.6	-3
Energy	220.847	-10.4	-4.5	185.764	-13.0	-4.8
All items less energy	254.214	2.8	.1	137.372	1.3	-2
All items less food and energy	255.231	2.9	.2	134.561	1.4	-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 Nov. 2015 from—			Percent change to Oct. 2015 from—		
		Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Oct. 2014	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015
U.S. city average	M	242.746	243.432	243.779	242.240	0.3	-0.5	-0.6	0.7	0.4	0.1
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	249.021	249.251	249.465	248.120	.5	-.5	-.5	.9	.2	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.090	251.496	252.101	251.223	1.2	-.1	-.3	1.6	.4	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	151.566	151.413	150.890	149.268	-1.4	-1.4	-1.1	-1.2	-.4	-.3
Midwest urban	M	230.714	231.872	231.063	229.217	-.3	-1.1	-.8	-.2	.2	-.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	235.673	236.267	235.869	234.569	.2	-.7	-.6	.1	.1	-.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	147.988	149.011	148.191	146.550	-1.0	-1.7	-1.1	-.5	.1	-.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	226.262	228.746	227.455	225.196	-.1	-1.6	-1.0	-.1	.5	-.6
South urban	M	241.461	242.232	242.704	241.401	.2	-.3	-.5	.8	.5	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	237.917	238.712	238.920	238.275	.6	-.2	-.3	.8	.4	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	153.860	154.485	154.932	153.542	-.1	-.6	-.9	.9	.7	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	249.735	249.197	249.473	250.394	.1	.5	.4	.2	-.1	.1
West urban	M	249.825	250.337	251.638	249.920	.7	-.2	-.7	1.1	.7	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.330	251.961	252.849	251.415	1.0	-.2	-.6	1.2	.6	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.905	149.917	151.195	149.643	-.2	-.2	-1.0	1.0	.9	.9
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	223.919	224.471	224.820	223.835	.8	-.3	-.4	1.0	.4	.2
B/C ³	M	151.639	152.117	152.322	150.812	-.5	-.9	-1.0	.3	.5	.1
D	M	242.087	243.017	243.233	242.522	.1	-.2	-.3	.3	.5	.1
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	240.679	239.750	241.200	238.511	.1	-.5	-1.1	1.1	.2	.6
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	257.616	259.351	260.999	260.238	.7	.3	-.3	1.1	1.3	.6
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	254.656	255.562	255.938	254.510	.9	-.4	-.6	1.4	.5	.1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	246.943	246.662	246.632	246.341	1.2	-.1	-.1	1.8	-.1	.0
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	249.722	249.284	245.959	246.265	.7	-1.2	.1	-1.2	-1.5	-1.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	219.548	218.096	221.415	222.247	.0	1.9	.4	-.4	.9	1.5
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	147.656	149.751	150.129	149.177	.2	-.4	-.6	2.3	1.7	.3
Atlanta, GA	2	252.933	251.300	251.144	249.570	-1.3	-.7	-.6	-.9	-.7	-.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	208.828	212.388	210.805	210.371	-.2	-.9	-.2	-1.6	.9	-.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	225.811	225.696	223.992	225.836	2.1	.1	.8	-.2	-.8	-.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	259.997	260.212	258.868	258.550	1.9	-.6	-.1	1.6	-.4	-.5
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	244.192	242.987	245.062	246.613	2.2	1.5	.6	1.7	.4	.9
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	257.881	256.367	258.357	256.496	4.0	.1	-.7	3.2	.2	.8
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	251.412	252.829	251.851	250.182	1.1	-1.0	-.7	1.6	.2	-.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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	237.336	0.5	-0.2	227.641	0.2	-0.4	245.711	1.6	0.0	261.009	0.6	-0.2
All items (1967=100)	710.952	-	-	680.098	-	-	725.941	-	-	754.540	-	-
Food and beverages	247.870	1.2	-3	242.745	1.1	-6	251.700	1.5	-2	257.088	1.4	-2
Food	248.306	1.3	-3	242.684	1.3	-5	251.968	1.5	.1	257.038	1.4	-2
Food at home	242.240	.3	-6	238.511	.1	-1.1	260.238	.7	-3	254.510	.9	-6
Food away from home	258.805	2.7	.2	243.097	3.2	.3	237.921	2.7	.7	267.327	2.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	240.512	.4	-1	241.924	-2.9	-9	233.316	1.3	.7	253.392	1.8	.1
Housing	239.325	2.1	.0	232.702	1.4	.1	269.198	2.5	.0	280.746	1.8	.0
Shelter	281.932	3.2	.2	290.674	2.3	.2	306.503	3.6	.3	353.678	3.1	.0
Rent of primary residence ¹	290.322	3.6	.3	309.200	2.6	.2	321.865	4.0	.5	365.524	3.6	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹ ²	289.480	3.1	.3	296.123	2.2	.3	318.506	3.3	.2	360.154	2.9	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹ ²	289.436	3.1	.3	296.123	2.2	.3	318.482	3.3	.2	359.730	2.9	.1
Fuels and utilities	224.606	-2.2	-1.0	192.048	-1.1	-9	291.090	-3.0	-2.2	177.913	-7.2	.3
Household energy	187.674	-4.1	-1.4	154.632	-5.2	-1.2	256.173	-4.9	-3.4	169.516	-8.6	.4
Energy services ¹	191.941	-2.8	-1.4	157.535	-5.1	-1.2	254.962	-4.8	-3.4	163.433	-4.9	.5
Electricity ¹	202.479	-2	-1.5	160.603	6.4	.3	300.925	-4.4	.0	175.602	-6.4	.3
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	157.750	-11.7	-1.0	138.474	-19.1	-3.5	196.124	-5.8	-11.9	133.930	-4	1.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	121.994	-6	-3	94.326	-3.2	-1	114.359	-1.9	-9	113.377	-1.9	-3
Apparel	127.039	-1.5	-1.9	90.761	-1	-8	110.747	.4	-2.4	127.008	.6	-4.2
Transportation	194.404	-6.0	-7	179.136	-5.8	-2.2	192.619	-2.4	-7	209.745	-5.9	.2
Private transportation	188.675	-6.4	-9	174.810	-6.6	-2.6	186.873	-2.4	-1.0	194.066	-7.0	-3
Motor fuel	191.680	-24.2	-4.2	205.304	-24.0	-11.9	219.830	-11.2	-3.9	174.566	-27.0	-8
Gasoline (all types)	190.701	-24.1	-4.2	203.058	-24.0	-11.9	215.129	-11.1	-3.9	173.767	-27.0	-8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	186.747	-25.0	-4.3	194.445	-25.4	-12.3	215.431	-11.3	-3.9	171.284	-27.9	-7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ³ ⁴	206.666	-21.7	-4.9	229.339	-19.6	-10.6	206.756	-10.5	-3.7	188.849	-24.2	-1.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	201.739	-19.4	-3.5	228.411	-15.0	-9.3	205.609	-10.3	-3.6	192.346	-21.9	-1.2
Medical care	451.371	2.9	.3	466.513	2.5	.3	443.047	5.2	2.3	448.440	1.8	-1.0
Recreation ⁵	115.763	.6	-3	108.120	.4	-9	106.536	3.4	.3	118.727	.2	-2
Education and communication ⁵	139.527	1.3	.1	143.321	.0	-2	147.079	.7	-1	143.590	2.0	.5
Other goods and services	418.351	2.1	.1	383.420	.3	.0	391.758	2.7	.0	408.579	2.6	.5
Commodity and service group												
All items	237.336	.5	-2	227.641	.2	-4	245.711	1.6	.0	261.009	.6	-2
Commodities	179.825	-2.8	-8	165.910	-2.6	-1.5	174.412	-9	-7	185.890	-2.8	-8
Commodities less food and beverages ...	146.120	-5.4	-1.2	127.051	-5.5	-2.3	134.043	-2.8	-1.5	142.342	-6.2	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	184.361	-8.1	-1.6	165.380	-7.4	-3.1	173.450	-3.8	-1.6	176.158	-8.4	-1.8
Durables	107.926	-1.0	-5	90.299	-2.0	-8	95.469	-1.0	-1.1	98.145	-1.7	-6
Services	294.118	2.5	.1	286.111	1.8	.2	309.048	3.1	.3	324.813	2.3	.1
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	227.042	.3	-3	217.406	.0	-5	237.112	1.4	-2	252.840	.6	-1
All items less shelter	222.526	-8	-4	206.440	-8	-7	219.247	.5	-2	224.390	-1.0	-3
Commodities less food	149.282	-5.1	-1.1	131.226	-5.3	-2.2	138.314	-2.6	-1.3	146.556	-5.8	-1.3
Nondurables	215.413	-3.3	-9	204.585	-2.8	-1.7	213.329	-9	-6	218.027	-3.0	-9
Nondurables less food	187.637	-7.6	-1.5	170.493	-7.1	-2.9	179.029	-3.4	-1.5	180.878	-7.8	-1.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	317.405	1.8	.1	296.120	1.2	.1	321.475	2.4	.4	304.120	1.1	.3
Services less medical care services	279.865	2.5	.1	272.404	1.8	.2	297.471	2.9	.2	314.827	2.3	.2
Energy	189.267	-14.7	-2.7	174.014	-14.9	-6.4	234.598	-8.6	-3.7	173.801	-16.7	-1
All items less energy	244.023	1.9	.0	234.552	1.5	.0	248.417	2.4	.2	271.249	1.9	-2
All items less food and energy	244.075	2.0	.0	233.904	1.5	.1	248.120	2.6	.2	275.574	2.0	-2

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 1 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	237.336	0.5	-0.3	258.407	0.8	0.7	227.641	0.2	-0.5
All items (1967=100)	710.952	-	-	751.066	-	-	680.098	-	-
Food and beverages ³	247.870	1.2	-1.1	256.296	1.7	-1.1	242.745	1.1	-2.1
Food ³	248.306	1.3	-1.1	257.242	2.0	.0	242.684	1.3	-1.1
Food at home	242.240	.3	-5.5	246.341	1.2	-1.1	238.511	.1	-5.5
Food away from home ⁴	258.805	2.7	.4	275.599	3.4	.3	243.097	3.2	.4
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	240.512	.4	.5	249.978	-1.7	-1.5	241.924	-2.9	-5.5
Housing ³	239.325	2.1	-1.1	259.124	1.5	.9	232.702	1.4	-1.1
Shelter	281.932	3.2	.4	306.123	3.5	-3.3	290.674	2.3	.3
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	290.322	3.6	.7	315.205	3.2	.0	309.200	2.6	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	289.480	3.1	.5	327.738	4.2	.4	296.123	2.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	289.436	3.1	.5	327.738	4.2	.4	296.123	2.2	.4
Fuels and utilities	224.606	-2.2	-3.4	249.237	-11.1	12.8	192.048	-1.1	-1.6
Household energy	187.674	-4.1	-4.5	209.264	-12.9	15.2	154.632	-5.2	-2.2
Energy services ⁵	191.941	-2.8	-4.8	220.257	-8.2	18.7	157.535	-5.1	-2.2
Electricity ⁵	202.479	-2	-5.4	238.965	-4.6	8.4	160.603	6.4	.9
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	157.750	-11.7	-2.1	179.878	-16.0	54.1	138.474	-19.1	-6.7
Household furnishings and operations	121.994	-6	-3	128.426	1.0	-6	94.326	-3.2	-1.6
Apparel ³	127.039	-1.5	-1.2	148.361	.0	1.3	90.761	-1	-1.7
Transportation ³	194.404	-6.0	-1.6	183.772	-7.5	-3	179.136	-5.8	-2.9
Private transportation	188.675	-6.4	-2.1	181.045	-7.2	-1.0	174.810	-6.6	-3.7
Motor fuel	191.680	-24.2	-7.9	186.961	-26.7	-6.6	205.304	-24.0	-14.5
Gasoline (all types)	190.701	-24.1	-8.0	184.733	-26.7	-6.6	203.058	-24.0	-14.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	186.747	-25.0	-8.2	178.658	-27.6	-6.7	194.445	-25.4	-15.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	206.666	-21.7	-7.4	198.423	-25.2	-6.3	229.339	-19.6	-13.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	201.739	-19.4	-7.3	198.134	-22.7	-6.0	228.411	-15.0	-10.9
Medical care ³	451.371	2.9	.9	636.328	6.6	4.9	466.513	2.5	.5
Recreation ⁹	115.763	.6	-2	115.481	1.1	-1.7	108.120	.4	-1.0
Education and communication ⁹	139.527	1.3	.3	155.978	5.1	.6	143.321	.0	-1
Other goods and services ³	418.351	2.1	.5	448.796	.3	.7	383.420	.3	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	237.336	.5	-3	258.407	.8	.7	227.641	.2	-5
Commodities	179.825	-2.8	-1.1	187.504	-2.7	-8	165.910	-2.6	-2.0
Commodities less food and beverages	146.120	-5.4	-1.8	151.385	-6.1	-1.3	127.051	-5.5	-3.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	184.361	-8.1	-2.4	193.236	-9.1	-1.8	165.380	-7.4	-4.3
Durables	107.926	-1.0	-9	110.293	-8	-6	90.299	-2.0	-2.1
Services	294.118	2.5	.3	322.437	3.0	1.5	286.111	1.8	.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	227.042	.3	-4	243.930	.4	.4	217.406	.0	-6
All items less shelter	222.526	-8	-6	242.298	-5	1.2	206.440	-8	-9
Commodities less food	149.282	-5.1	-1.7	155.313	-5.8	-1.3	131.226	-5.3	-3.3
Nondurables	215.413	-3.3	-1.2	223.742	-3.2	-8	204.585	-2.8	-2.0
Nondurables less food	187.637	-7.6	-2.2	196.315	-8.4	-1.8	170.493	-7.1	-4.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	317.405	1.8	.1	358.192	2.3	3.6	296.120	1.2	.3
Services less medical care services	279.865	2.5	.2	300.798	2.4	1.0	272.404	1.8	.3
Energy ³	189.267	-14.7	-6.1	198.064	-19.2	5.1	174.014	-14.9	-8.2
All items less energy	244.023	1.9	.2	267.886	2.6	.4	234.552	1.5	.1
All items less food and energy ³	244.075	2.0	.3	270.523	2.7	.5	233.904	1.5	.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 1 ¹								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	219.126	-0.4	-0.5	217.104	0.0	-0.2	245.711	1.6	0.1
All items (1967=100)	702.184	-	-	681.042	-	-	725.941	-	-
Food and beverages ³	249.862	1.1	-5	251.370	.8	1.1	251.700	1.5	.7
Food ³	254.979	1.1	-6	246.210	.8	1.2	251.968	1.5	.6
Food at home	246.265	.7	-1.2	222.247	.0	1.9	260.238	.7	.3
Food away from home ⁴	271.436	1.7	.2	283.639	2.0	.3	237.921	2.7	.9
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	192.647	1.7	.8	317.879	-3	-1.0	233.316	1.3	2.1
Housing ³	201.833	.5	-5	199.230	2.1	-1	269.198	2.5	.2
Shelter	233.951	1.4	-6	215.773	4.1	.4	306.503	3.6	.6
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	234.715	2.2	.2	228.611	5.5	.8	321.865	4.0	.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	229.165	1.0	.0	231.153	3.7	.6	318.506	3.3	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	229.165	1.0	.0	231.153	3.7	.6	318.482	3.3	.6
Fuels and utilities	185.713	-4.9	-1.2	218.996	-4.6	-3.2	291.090	-3.0	-1.4
Household energy	151.057	-8.3	-1.6	202.956	-8.1	-5.0	256.173	-4.9	-1.2
Energy services ⁵	149.734	-8.0	-1.6	199.752	-7.9	-5.0	254.962	-4.8	-1.2
Electricity ⁵	171.511	5.6	.8	191.505	-7.2	-6.4	300.925	-4.4	3.5
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	105.350	-27.7	-6.4	195.019	-11.7	3.4	196.124	-5.8	-12.5
Household furnishings and operations	119.371	1.3	1.0	125.402	-2.0	1.1	114.359	-1.9	-1.4
Apparel ³	130.223	-7.3	-6.1	110.391	-1.7	-1.8	110.747	.4	-3.1
Transportation ³	195.473	-4.9	-3	193.068	-8.4	-1.7	192.619	-2.4	-2.7
Private transportation	195.971	-4.8	-6	195.203	-8.2	-1.7	186.873	-2.4	-3.5
Motor fuel	225.187	-23.8	-4.1	180.201	-26.9	-5.6	219.830	-11.2	-10.9
Gasoline (all types)	222.690	-23.7	-4.1	178.914	-26.7	-5.7	215.129	-11.1	-10.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	210.355	-25.4	-4.7	171.353	-28.0	-6.0	215.431	-11.3	-11.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	239.877	-20.5	-2.6	191.211	-24.4	-5.3	206.756	-10.5	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	240.780	-16.8	-2.2	197.478	-21.3	-4.5	205.609	-10.3	-10.2
Medical care ³	409.585	2.1	.4	418.677	4.4	.1	443.047	5.2	3.9
Recreation ⁹	116.747	.4	-9	111.323	.0	-1.4	106.536	3.4	2.9
Education and communication ⁹	126.911	.9	.7	140.750	2.2	1.5	147.079	.7	.0
Other goods and services ³	416.681	3.4	1.1	387.069	2.6	.4	391.758	2.7	.8
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	219.126	-4	-5	217.104	.0	-2	245.711	1.6	.1
Commodities	188.084	-2.6	-9	171.149	-4.4	-8	174.412	-9	-1.6
Commodities less food and beverages	156.766	-4.9	-1.2	135.495	-7.5	-2.0	134.043	-2.8	-3.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	199.115	-8.7	-1.9	160.335	-9.2	-2.4	173.450	-3.8	-4.7
Durables	110.152	.5	-1	113.340	-5.2	-1.4	95.469	-1.0	-1.2
Services	250.806	1.2	-3	262.083	3.0	.2	309.048	3.1	1.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	210.392	-6	-6	207.330	-4	-2	237.112	1.4	-1
All items less shelter	215.171	-1.2	-5	218.520	-1.8	-4	219.247	.5	-2
Commodities less food	158.210	-4.7	-1.1	140.159	-7.2	-1.9	138.314	-2.6	-3.1
Nondurables	224.991	-3.7	-1.2	201.526	-4.1	-5	213.329	-9	-1.7
Nondurables less food	198.424	-8.1	-1.8	167.665	-8.7	-2.3	179.029	-3.4	-4.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	274.487	.9	.1	328.700	1.8	.0	321.475	2.4	1.8
Services less medical care services	238.685	.8	-3	246.445	2.8	.2	297.471	2.9	.8
Energy ³	179.907	-16.0	-2.8	193.324	-17.7	-5.3	234.598	-8.6	-7.1
All items less energy	224.947	1.1	-4	223.021	1.7	.2	248.417	2.4	.6
All items less food and energy ³	219.817	1.1	-3	219.238	1.9	.1	248.120	2.6	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	261.009	0.6	-0.3	155.820	0.6	-0.3
All items (1967=100)	754.540	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages ³	257.088	1.4	-1	156.585	.9	.0
Food ³	257.038	1.4	-1	158.003	1.0	-1
Food at home	254.510	.9	-4	149.177	.2	-4
Food away from home ⁴	267.327	2.1	.3	166.493	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	253.392	1.8	.4	136.817	.3	.4
Housing ³	280.746	1.8	-2	168.682	1.8	.1
Shelter	353.678	3.1	.2	180.414	2.0	.5
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	365.524	3.6	.7	200.272	2.1	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	360.154	2.9	.2	180.888	2.1	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	359.730	2.9	.2	180.871	2.1	.6
Fuels and utilities	177.913	-7.2	-3.2	184.698	1.5	-2.3
Household energy	169.516	-8.6	-3.8	173.177	-1	-3.4
Energy services ⁵	163.433	-4.9	-4.0	166.521	1.0	-3.5
Electricity ⁵	175.602	-6.4	-5.1	180.016	3.7	-3.7
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	133.930	-4	-9	110.683	-8.7	-2.5
Household furnishings and operations	113.377	-1.9	-6	88.868	.1	-2
Apparel ³	127.008	.6	-7.2	95.710	-1.7	-2.7
Transportation ³	209.745	-5.9	-6	137.672	-7.0	-1.4
Private transportation	194.066	-7.0	-1.5	134.954	-7.0	-1.6
Motor fuel	174.566	-27.0	-6.5	184.578	-24.8	-7.3
Gasoline (all types)	173.767	-27.0	-6.5	184.255	-24.8	-7.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	171.284	-27.9	-6.6	181.935	-25.9	-7.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	188.849	-24.2	-6.0	197.854	-21.2	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	192.346	-21.9	-5.5	203.634	-20.4	-5.4
Medical care ³	448.440	1.8	.7	181.222	5.6	.0
Recreation ⁹	118.727	.2	.3	117.801	1.0	-9
Education and communication ⁹	143.590	2.0	.6	153.414	3.3	-1
Other goods and services ³	408.579	2.6	.8	179.091	-4	-2
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	261.009	.6	-3	155.820	.6	-3
Commodities	185.890	-2.8	-1.7	125.107	-2.8	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	142.342	-6.2	-3.1	107.901	-5.5	-2.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	176.158	-8.4	-4.2	133.599	-7.8	-3.2
Durables	98.145	-1.7	-9	80.021	-1.9	-7
Services	324.813	2.3	.3	176.500	2.4	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care ³	252.840	.6	-4	154.207	.2	-3
All items less shelter	224.390	-1.0	-7	143.627	-3	-7
Commodities less food	146.556	-5.8	-2.9	109.240	-5.2	-2.0
Nondurables	218.027	-3.0	-1.9	144.861	-3.1	-1.4
Nondurables less food	180.878	-7.8	-3.9	133.951	-7.1	-2.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	304.120	1.1	.5	172.903	2.8	-1
Services less medical care services	314.827	2.3	.2	175.962	2.0	.2
Energy ³	173.801	-16.7	-4.8	177.673	-12.7	-5.2
All items less energy	271.249	1.9	.0	153.100	1.6	.0
All items less food and energy ³	275.574	2.0	.0	153.284	1.7	.1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.
² For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.
³ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.
⁴ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=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.
⁹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
 - Data not available.
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Nov. 2015 from—			Percent change to Oct. 2015 from—		
		Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Oct. 2014	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015
U.S. city average	M	233.366	232.661	232.373	231.721	0.1	-0.4	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.1
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	249.603	249.365	248.818	248.842	-1	-2	.0	-6	-3	-2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.068	251.110	250.697	250.829	.3	-1	.1	-1	-1	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	149.331	148.778	148.250	148.104	-1.1	-5	-1	-2.0	-7	-4
Midwest urban	M	221.188	220.121	219.875	218.569	-6	-7	-6	-8	-6	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	220.723	219.515	219.267	218.157	-4	-6	-5	-7	-7	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.138	144.613	144.419	143.367	-9	-9	-7	-9	-5	-1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	220.632	219.420	219.322	218.042	-3	-6	-6	-6	-6	.0
South urban	M	228.011	227.348	227.164	226.621	-1	-3	-2	-7	-4	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	230.786	230.382	230.216	229.692	.3	-3	-2	-1	-2	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	145.550	145.065	144.900	144.484	-4	-4	-3	-1.0	-4	-1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	235.052	233.870	234.025	233.976	-4	.0	.0	-1.4	-4	.1
West urban	M	237.791	236.999	236.728	236.003	1.1	-4	-3	.6	-4	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	242.192	241.091	241.060	240.570	1.5	-2	-2	.9	-5	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	144.490	144.186	143.771	142.911	.0	-9	-6	-2	-5	-3
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	216.540	215.924	215.736	215.299	.5	-3	-2	.1	-4	-1
B/C ³	M	145.741	145.275	145.002	144.414	-5	-6	-4	-1.0	-5	-2
D	M	230.344	229.557	229.428	228.971	.2	-3	-2	-5	-4	-1
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	222.815	221.704	221.339	219.988	-4	-8	-6	-7	-7	-2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	238.755	237.324	237.472	237.190	1.4	-1	-1	.7	-5	.1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	256.038	256.386	255.932	255.385	.3	-4	-2	.0	.0	-2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	-	255.265	-	257.124	.5	.7	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	-	210.508	-	209.244	-7	-6	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	-	222.203	-	221.898	-3	-1	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	-	156.234	-	155.609	.4	-4	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2	222.998	-	219.684	-	-	-	-	.1	-1.5	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	216.237	-	216.220	-	-	-	-	-9	.0	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	210.819	-	210.250	-	-	-	-	-6	-3	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	243.661	-	243.619	-	-	-	-	.6	.0	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	245.823	-	244.844	-	-	-	-	-7	-4	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	256.060	-	256.107	-	-	-	-	2.2	.0	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	247.500	-	246.307	-	-	-	-	.8	-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 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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	248.842	-0.1	0.0	218.569	-0.6	-0.6	226.621	-0.1	-0.2	236.003	1.1	-0.3
All items (December 1977=100)	388.677	-	-	353.474	-	-	367.037	-	-	379.716	-	-
Food and beverages	250.903	1.1	-3	240.322	.6	-5	246.280	1.2	-3	251.396	1.5	-3
Food	250.949	1.1	-3	240.036	.7	-5	247.330	1.3	-3	251.154	1.6	-3
Food at home	246.443	.3	-6	230.047	-3	-8	240.426	.3	-5	249.131	.5	-7
Food away from home	262.208	2.4	.3	258.309	2.5	.2	260.678	2.8	.1	254.467	3.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages	248.236	.2	-1	243.231	.0	-4	230.194	.8	.1	250.141	.8	.2
Housing	263.516	1.3	.3	207.969	1.1	.0	222.728	2.1	-1	253.496	3.2	-1
Shelter	324.218	2.7	.1	240.625	2.3	.2	253.490	3.2	.2	284.290	4.1	.3
Rent of primary residence ²	324.869	3.0	.2	251.213	2.6	.3	259.888	3.9	.2	305.514	4.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ² ³	299.102	2.6	.2	237.803	2.2	.3	237.993	2.9	.2	270.398	4.1	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ² ³	299.121	2.6	.2	237.810	2.2	.3	237.947	2.9	.2	270.405	4.1	.3
Fuels and utilities	208.461	-5.5	1.7	209.033	-3.2	-8	226.467	-1.0	-1.1	269.690	.5	-2.9
Household energy	184.254	-6.9	2.1	171.663	-5.4	-1.0	182.515	-2.3	-1.7	233.097	-1.5	-4.2
Energy services ²	184.839	-3.5	2.5	177.558	-4.5	-1.0	183.860	-2.1	-1.7	235.747	-1.3	-4.3
Electricity ²	194.884	-1.4	.9	194.351	2.2	-5	181.235	-1.3	-1.9	259.858	.1	-3.4
Utility (piped) gas service ²	151.034	-9.3	7.5	138.815	-19.2	-2.4	175.132	-9.4	.0	192.479	-5.9	-7.3
Household furnishings and operations ...	115.821	-7	-1	113.399	-1.3	-7	115.920	-1.1	-3	124.016	-1.0	-7
Apparel	129.736	-1.5	-2.2	118.743	-2.2	-2.0	136.240	-1.5	-1.3	117.975	-1.5	-2.1
Transportation	195.634	-6.9	.0	189.647	-7.4	-2.6	189.343	-7.6	-7	194.765	-4.3	-1.0
Private transportation	188.158	-7.4	-2	186.033	-7.7	-2.7	187.246	-7.8	-7	190.371	-4.6	-1.2
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	98.324	-3	-6	98.032	-4	-7	100.324	-2	-7	98.252	.5	-4
New vehicles	145.620	.8	.2	142.788	.1	.3	152.348	-5	-1	149.748	1.6	.5
Used cars and trucks	149.975	-1.0	-1.8	144.166	-9	-1.9	144.558	.2	-1.6	138.142	-1.4	-1.9
Motor fuel	187.100	-26.4	-6	198.865	-24.0	-8.8	180.604	-27.1	-3.0	206.795	-18.2	-4.3
Gasoline (all types)	186.331	-26.3	-6	197.425	-23.9	-8.9	179.678	-26.9	-3.0	205.989	-18.0	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	183.152	-27.1	-6	192.083	-24.9	-9.1	175.191	-27.7	-3.1	203.225	-18.6	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵ ⁶	201.172	-24.0	-8	227.061	-21.6	-8.5	198.531	-24.3	-2.5	199.253	-16.6	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	198.614	-21.7	-8	216.638	-17.7	-7.9	198.418	-22.0	-2.3	202.782	-16.0	-4.3
Medical care	470.511	3.0	.1	461.573	2.6	.3	435.478	3.0	.2	460.679	3.6	.7
Medical care commodities	362.028	-9	-1.2	361.112	1.8	.3	339.410	4.3	.2	330.732	3.1	.9
Medical care services	501.178	4.0	.4	492.767	2.8	.3	465.606	2.6	.2	500.210	3.8	.6
Professional services	368.126	3.3	1.4	394.590	1.7	.1	360.191	1.2	.3	346.703	3.0	1.3
Recreation ⁴	121.175	1.0	-5	113.152	-4	-3	111.588	-1	-3	103.248	1.3	.0
Education and communication ⁴	130.856	1.7	.3	132.656	.4	.1	126.649	1.2	.1	133.055	.2	.2
Other goods and services	520.258	2.7	.5	448.371	2.7	.2	439.901	2.2	-1	414.606	1.9	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	248.842	-1	.0	218.569	-6	-6	226.621	-1	-2	236.003	1.1	-3
Commodities	190.653	-3.8	-6	178.735	-3.5	-1.5	181.216	-4.0	-8	180.557	-2.0	-9
Commodities less food and beverages ...	157.111	-6.7	-8	149.039	-6.2	-2.3	151.339	-7.0	-1.1	145.087	-4.3	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	244.499	-13.4	-3	238.147	-10.9	-3.5	228.690	-13.3	-1.4	226.996	-8.9	-1.9
Durables	109.681	-6	-7	107.455	-1.4	-9	111.222	-1.3	-7	111.349	-2	-6
Services	313.127	2.2	.4	265.879	1.7	.1	279.713	2.7	.1	295.803	3.2	.1
Rent of shelter ³	303.533	2.7	.1	238.969	2.3	.2	240.983	3.2	.2	274.636	4.1	.3
Transportation services	282.629	1.8	.8	296.449	2.7	.9	332.469	4.6	1.2	286.443	2.8	.9
Other services	354.622	2.4	.2	304.817	1.2	.0	313.591	2.2	.2	313.979	1.5	.2
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	240.818	-3	.0	209.250	-8	-7	216.909	-4	-3	227.771	.9	-4
All items less food	248.908	-3	.1	214.435	-9	-6	222.911	-4	-2	233.209	1.0	-3
All items less shelter	224.734	-1.5	.0	213.082	-1.7	-9	218.180	-1.6	-4	218.716	-4	-6

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—	
	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Special aggregate indexes												
Commodities less food	160.149	-6.5	-0.8	151.873	-5.9	-2.2	153.389	-6.8	-1.1	148.840	-4.0	-1.3
Nondurables	222.903	-4.8	-6	216.444	-4.1	-1.7	217.001	-4.9	-8	216.235	-2.6	-1.0
Nondurables less food	198.107	-9.8	-8	194.966	-8.5	-3.0	194.207	-10.1	-1.3	186.050	-6.5	-1.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	242.783	-12.5	-3	236.950	-10.0	-3.3	226.945	-12.5	-1.3	228.882	-8.0	-1.7
Services less rent of shelter ³	276.029	1.6	.7	270.562	1.1	.1	282.332	2.1	.1	287.714	2.1	-2
Services less medical care services	301.662	2.0	.4	250.864	1.6	.1	264.150	2.7	.1	283.430	3.1	.1
Energy	184.784	-16.9	.8	183.637	-15.8	-5.1	177.520	-16.3	-2.3	221.123	-11.7	-4.2
All items less energy	258.268	1.7	-1	224.630	1.3	-1	233.338	1.9	.0	238.626	2.3	.0
All items less food and energy	261.349	1.8	.0	221.760	1.4	.0	230.698	2.0	.0	236.311	2.5	.1
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities	157.176	-5	-8	148.623	-7	-7	149.664	-6	-6	140.534	-3	-6
Energy commodities	194.514	-26.5	-7	198.675	-24.1	-8.6	183.221	-26.9	-2.9	210.080	-18.2	-4.2
Services less energy services	327.230	2.6	.2	277.551	2.3	.2	291.115	3.1	.3	300.562	3.5	.4

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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	215.299	0.5	-0.2	144.414	-0.5	-0.4	228.971	0.2	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	215.299	-	-	-	-	-	370.056	-	-
Food and beverages	223.474	1.4	-2	155.073	.7	-6	249.516	1.4	-1
Food	223.611	1.5	-2	155.524	.7	-6	249.804	1.4	-2
Food at home	224.027	.7	-5	150.888	-5	-1.0	238.733	.2	-3
Food away from home	222.335	2.7	.3	163.319	2.6	.1	271.052	3.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages	219.145	.4	.1	148.997	.7	-2	242.827	.6	.3
Housing	222.398	2.4	.1	144.667	1.4	-2	220.670	2.8	.2
Shelter	247.811	3.6	.2	148.357	2.3	.1	255.530	3.9	.3
Rent of primary residence ⁵	251.860	4.0	.3	156.328	2.6	.2	247.638	4.9	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	245.079	3.4	.3	145.793	2.3	.2	239.384	3.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	245.083	3.4	.3	145.801	2.3	.2	239.323	3.2	.4
Fuels and utilities	220.547	-3.1	-1.0	173.685	-1.4	-1.0	233.539	1.0	.1
Household energy	201.527	-5.3	-1.4	164.436	-3.0	-1.4	188.070	-1	-1
Energy services ⁵	193.014	-4.2	-1.5	157.706	-1.9	-1.4	202.221	.9	-1
Electricity ⁵	198.857	-1.7	-1.6	156.990	.3	-1.6	213.619	2.7	.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	166.548	-11.1	-9	136.861	-13.4	-3	145.453	-12.0	-2.4
Household furnishings and operations	109.319	-1.4	-2	94.936	-7	-6	118.101	-1.2	-1.1
Apparel	119.057	-8	-2.1	93.196	-2.9	-1.2	124.690	-1.3	-2.2
Transportation	193.097	-6.3	-1.0	133.997	-6.7	-1.1	188.809	-8.2	-1.2
Private transportation	191.163	-6.6	-1.2	133.278	-7.0	-1.2	185.721	-8.2	-1.2
New and used motor vehicles ³	98.661	-3	-4	98.600	.2	-8	100.854	.0	-9
New vehicles	127.744	-1	.1	102.615	1.1	.4	164.195	1.1	.0
Used cars and trucks	136.865	-8	-1.8	97.077	-4	-1.7	132.360	-6	-1.7
Motor fuel	286.197	-22.5	-4.2	186.925	-25.9	-4.3	181.409	-25.4	-4.2
Gasoline (all types)	285.003	-22.4	-4.3	187.206	-25.7	-4.4	179.718	-25.2	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	285.778	-23.3	-4.4	187.897	-26.5	-4.5	168.869	-26.0	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	205.865	-20.4	-5.3	194.013	-22.7	-4.5	215.197	-22.4	-5.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	277.376	-17.5	-3.3	193.928	-21.3	-3.9	199.612	-21.0	-4.2
Medical care	363.910	3.7	.5	189.425	2.1	.1	442.509	3.7	.3
Medical care commodities	277.168	3.3	-1	163.705	1.2	.3	344.520	4.6	.2
Medical care services	390.614	3.8	.7	197.812	2.4	.1	472.657	3.4	-
Professional services	294.634	3.3	1.3	166.357	1.1	.0	369.472	.4	.5
Recreation ³	111.517	.8	-2	110.775	-2	-4	114.753	1.1	.0
Education and communication ³	132.061	.9	.3	126.631	.7	.0	138.750	1.6	.2
Other goods and services	346.334	2.1	.2	209.459	2.7	.0	503.415	2.6	.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	215.299	.5	-2	144.414	-.5	-.4	228.971	.2	-.2
Commodities	175.787	-2.9	-.9	127.623	-3.9	-1.0	184.719	-3.4	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	149.168	-5.8	-1.4	114.492	-6.4	-1.3	155.261	-6.3	-1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	195.353	-8.6	-2.0	144.844	-10.3	-1.7	195.801	-9.6	-1.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	249.828	-11.3	-1.9	170.255	-12.3	-1.8	235.288	-11.6	-1.8
Durables	103.363	-1.2	-.6	86.237	-.5	-.8	116.694	-1.0	-1.1
Services	251.366	2.7	.2	156.932	2.1	.1	285.309	3.1	.4
Rent of shelter ⁶	248.754	3.6	.2	148.354	2.3	.1	238.433	3.9	.4
Transportation services	243.060	2.1	.9	168.186	4.6	1.0	326.943	2.6	1.4

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 Nov. 2015	Percent change from—		Index Nov. 2015	Percent change from—		Index Nov. 2015	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Commodity and service group									
Other services	265.099	2.1	0.3	151.683	1.4	0.0	324.509	2.2	0.5
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	209.544	.3	-.2	140.257	-.7	-.4	218.500	-.1	-.2
All items less food	213.894	.3	-.2	140.547	-.7	-.4	225.238	.0	-.2
All items less shelter	202.091	-1.1	-.4	140.622	-1.6	-.6	222.313	-1.2	-.4
Commodities less food	151.817	-5.6	-1.4	115.415	-6.2	-1.3	157.561	-6.1	-1.5
Nondurables	209.818	-3.4	-1.0	149.033	-5.1	-1.1	222.182	-4.2	-1.0
Nondurables less food	197.146	-8.0	-1.8	144.810	-9.8	-1.6	198.030	-9.1	-1.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	245.963	-10.3	-1.7	167.928	-11.5	-1.7	235.252	-10.8	-1.6
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	254.284	1.6	.2	165.878	1.9	.0	289.924	2.5	.5
Services less medical care services	243.121	2.6	.2	153.642	2.1	.1	268.674	3.1	.4
Energy	239.500	-14.9	-2.9	174.211	-16.0	-2.9	186.595	-14.3	-2.1
All items less energy	213.226	2.1	.0	139.838	1.4	-.1	234.887	2.2	.0
All items less food and energy	211.199	2.2	.1	136.679	1.5	-.1	232.709	2.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	134.693	-.6	-.7	105.286	-.5	-.6	155.195	.0	-.9
Energy commodities	288.755	-22.6	-4.1	189.922	-25.9	-4.2	182.211	-25.0	-3.9
Services less energy services	256.144	3.2	.3	156.773	2.4	.2	295.183	3.4	.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 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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	250.829	0.3	0.1	148.104	-1.1	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	383.281	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	250.552	1.4	-2	155.406	.0	-6
Food	250.615	1.5	-2	155.674	.0	-6
Food at home	248.817	.9	-5	148.758	-1.3	-1.0
Food away from home	256.425	2.5	.4	168.149	2.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages	246.937	.2	-1	150.049	.3	.0
Housing	264.479	1.5	.3	151.539	1.0	.2
Shelter	325.147	2.9	.0	153.590	2.1	.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	336.720	3.2	.2	159.499	1.7	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	302.504	2.9	.1	151.026	2.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	302.532	2.9	.1	151.026	2.0	.5
Fuels and utilities	196.268	-6.6	2.7	181.347	-3.3	-3
Household energy	180.179	-8.0	3.2	173.045	-4.4	-3
Energy services ⁴	179.801	-5.0	3.8	148.655	-.2	-2
Electricity ⁴	191.460	-3.9	1.9	141.273	3.4	-8
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	149.703	-7.5	8.6	129.288	-16.0	3.4
Household furnishings and operations	110.781	-1.3	-1	103.789	.7	-2
Apparel	126.076	-5	-2.6	94.147	-5.1	-7
Transportation	202.551	-6.3	.2	130.571	-7.9	-4
Private transportation	193.475	-7.0	-1	130.244	-8.1	-4
Motor fuel	182.347	-26.3	-5	190.463	-26.6	-8
Gasoline (all types)	181.373	-26.3	-5	190.768	-26.5	-8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	177.684	-27.1	-5	190.910	-27.2	-7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	194.861	-23.7	-8	197.495	-24.6	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	195.621	-21.6	-7	197.210	-22.0	-1.0
Medical care	476.404	3.4	.4	191.697	2.0	-5
Recreation ²	119.932	.6	-8	123.399	1.7	.0
Education and communication ²	135.701	1.6	.4	118.859	2.0	.1
Other goods and services	490.007	2.5	.6	243.017	3.3	.5
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	250.829	.3	.1	148.104	-1.1	-1
Commodities	189.707	-3.2	-6	133.552	-5.0	-5
Commodities less food and beverages	153.084	-6.5	-1.0	124.174	-7.1	-5
Nondurables less food and beverages	187.753	-9.0	-1.1	157.418	-13.1	-3
Durables	106.673	-1.2	-7	89.817	.2	-7
Services	313.819	2.3	.4	157.288	2.0	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	242.824	.1	.0	144.070	-1.3	-1
All items less shelter	224.612	-1.2	.1	143.879	-2.2	-3
Commodities less food	156.291	-6.3	-1.0	124.856	-6.9	-5
Nondurables	219.834	-3.6	-6	154.215	-7.6	-4
Nondurables less food	190.992	-8.5	-1.1	156.235	-12.5	-3
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	272.280	1.5	1.0	161.169	1.9	.0
Services less medical care services	302.698	2.1	.4	153.600	1.8	.3
Energy	181.681	-16.7	1.6	178.273	-17.2	-6
All items less energy	260.527	1.9	-1	143.558	1.2	.0
All items less food and energy	264.070	2.0	-1	141.313	1.4	.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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	218.157	-0.4	-0.5	143.367	-0.9	-0.7	218.042	-0.3	-0.6
All items (December 1977=100)	356.645	-	-	-	-	-	353.283	-	-
Food and beverages	243.811	1.0	-3	152.357	.1	-7	243.502	.9	-5
Food	243.689	1.1	-3	152.611	.1	-7	243.413	.9	-6
Food at home	237.076	.2	-6	146.683	-1.0	-1.1	222.779	-1.1	-9
Food away from home	255.076	2.5	.2	163.717	2.5	.2	282.033	2.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages	243.089	-4	-1	152.726	.2	-8	245.016	1.1	-3
Housing	208.716	1.2	.0	135.449	.7	-2	210.525	2.2	.1
Shelter	242.177	2.1	.2	137.989	2.3	.2	243.979	3.5	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	263.016	2.5	.3	142.724	2.6	.3	232.645	3.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	238.297	2.0	.3	136.354	2.2	.2	237.096	2.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	238.306	2.0	.3	136.354	2.2	.2	237.096	2.9	.3
Fuels and utilities	206.621	-2.1	-8	166.444	-5.2	-9	214.160	-2.1	.0
Household energy	168.842	-4.8	-1.1	160.177	-7.0	-1.3	162.407	-3.2	-2
Energy services ⁴	170.573	-4.5	-1.1	157.314	-5.6	-1.2	176.947	-8	-3
Electricity ⁴	181.798	4.4	-4	166.631	-4	-9	183.277	3.2	.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	137.572	-17.9	-2.4	120.489	-22.9	-2.6	144.275	-17.4	-2.0
Household furnishings and operations	106.102	-2.0	.1	93.268	-1.1	-1.5	120.147	.2	-4
Apparel	114.487	-3.1	-1.3	93.952	-1.1	-3.0	124.944	-1.2	-2.1
Transportation	189.773	-6.7	-2.5	138.920	-7.9	-2.6	171.808	-9.2	-3.1
Private transportation	186.243	-6.9	-2.7	138.631	-8.1	-2.6	167.532	-9.4	-3.2
Motor fuel	203.122	-23.3	-9.5	205.174	-24.1	-7.7	163.735	-26.5	-9.4
Gasoline (all types)	201.423	-23.2	-9.5	204.882	-24.0	-7.8	160.812	-26.3	-9.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	196.336	-24.3	-9.8	204.909	-25.0	-7.9	151.777	-27.2	-9.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	225.112	-21.7	-9.2	212.918	-21.2	-7.6	200.157	-22.0	-8.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	218.894	-16.4	-7.7	215.248	-17.7	-7.1	179.716	-22.2	-10.9
Medical care	453.749	2.5	.3	202.216	2.1	.4	442.335	4.2	.
Recreation ²	113.673	.1	-5	115.195	-1.5	-4	107.881	.9	.5
Education and communication ²	131.163	-3	.2	133.417	.6	.0	135.097	2.4	.3
Other goods and services	418.508	1.8	.1	217.778	4.6	.4	500.814	1.3	.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	218.157	-4	-5	143.367	-9	-7	218.042	-3	-6
Commodities	176.451	-3.3	-1.4	130.163	-3.7	-1.6	183.456	-3.6	-1.7
Commodities less food and beverages	143.584	-6.1	-2.3	118.600	-6.1	-2.3	155.697	-6.6	-2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	185.120	-9.1	-3.3	153.109	-8.8	-2.9	197.400	-9.5	-3.5
Durables	104.330	-1.1	-6	85.921	-1.5	-1.3	110.558	-2.2	-1.1
Services	265.271	1.7	.2	153.721	1.5	.0	260.968	2.6	.4
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	209.502	-7	-6	138.681	-1.2	-8	207.900	-6	-6
All items less shelter	211.480	-1.5	-8	143.353	-2.1	-1.1	211.923	-1.6	-9
Commodities less food	146.919	-5.9	-2.2	119.370	-5.9	-2.2	158.009	-6.3	-2.4
Nondurables	214.714	-3.9	-1.7	153.024	-4.3	-1.7	220.549	-4.1	-1.9
Nondurables less food	188.783	-8.6	-3.1	152.072	-8.3	-2.8	199.906	-8.8	-3.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	271.095	1.1	.2	169.740	.7	-1	253.708	1.9	.4
Services less medical care services	251.510	1.5	.1	149.190	1.3	.0	242.701	2.5	.3
Energy	184.102	-15.1	-5.5	180.920	-16.5	-4.6	163.771	-16.5	-5.1
All items less energy	223.788	1.2	.0	138.794	1.1	-3	225.980	1.8	-1
All items less food and energy	219.956	1.3	.1	135.960	1.3	-2	222.812	2.0	.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	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	229.692	0.3	-0.2	144.484	-0.4	-0.3	233.976	-0.4	0.0
All items (December 1977=100)	372.102	-	-	-	-	-	378.755	-	-
Food and beverages	244.732	1.5	-1.1	156.636	1.0	-0.5	250.238	1.7	.3
Food	245.647	1.6	-1.1	157.385	.9	-0.5	250.237	1.8	.3
Food at home	237.781	.8	-2.2	154.033	-1.1	-0.9	248.105	.2	.4
Food away from home	260.241	2.8	.1	162.353	2.6	.1	258.741	4.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages	232.109	.4	-3.3	144.088	1.4	.3	242.383	-7.7	.7
Housing	228.016	2.7	.0	147.785	1.8	-2.2	221.069	1.6	.1
Shelter	260.942	4.2	.3	154.501	2.6	.0	258.793	2.4	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	268.195	4.7	.3	163.365	2.9	.1	248.808	5.8	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	249.297	3.9	.3	151.415	2.6	.1	235.081	.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	249.248	3.9	.3	151.415	2.6	.1	235.081	.8	.2
Fuels and utilities	205.758	-3.3	-2.2	167.575	-3.3	-0.8	234.324	1.9	.5
Household energy	173.770	-5.4	-3.2	156.228	-1.3	-1.2	193.312	1.1	.2
Energy services ⁴	177.294	-5.3	-3.3	153.291	-1.1	-1.2	201.894	1.7	.2
Electricity ⁴	170.566	-4.6	-3.5	152.297	-2.2	-1.4	205.979	2.4	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	181.708	-9.1	-1.8	134.824	-9.9	.7	140.620	-7.8	5.9
Household furnishings and operations	121.701	-7.7	.0	91.970	-7.7	-2.2	110.369	-4.7	-2.0
Apparel	152.444	-7.7	-1.6	90.175	-2.1	-0.8	130.559	-1.2	-2.5
Transportation	198.332	-7.8	-0.9	130.399	-7.1	-0.6	195.985	-10.0	-0.3
Private transportation	197.099	-7.9	-0.9	129.659	-7.3	-0.7	193.300	-10.2	-0.4
Motor fuel	187.723	-26.9	-3.4	178.649	-27.4	-3.2	174.711	-26.0	-1.0
Gasoline (all types)	185.988	-26.6	-3.5	178.736	-27.3	-3.2	172.545	-25.9	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	182.716	-27.6	-3.6	180.180	-28.0	-3.3	163.285	-26.7	-1.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	198.643	-23.8	-3.1	183.090	-24.7	-2.7	217.287	-23.8	-1.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	203.952	-21.6	-2.6	189.470	-22.3	-2.5	199.446	-21.5	-1.1
Medical care	444.419	4.6	.1	181.289	1.8	.2	439.027	4.2	.6
Recreation ²	103.622	-2.2	-2.2	114.616	-3.3	-3.3	115.408	1.5	-0.4
Education and communication ²	125.270	1.7	.3	125.615	.7	-1.1	138.640	2.4	.3
Other goods and services	404.571	2.3	.0	200.469	1.8	-1.1	492.117	4.2	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	229.692	.3	-0.2	144.484	-0.4	-0.3	233.976	-0.4	0.0
Commodities	184.568	-3.5	-0.7	125.249	-4.3	-0.9	186.298	-4.5	-0.5
Commodities less food and beverages	154.707	-6.6	-1.2	110.857	-7.1	-1.1	158.208	-7.9	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	193.716	-10.4	-1.7	140.357	-10.7	-1.3	197.028	-11.1	-0.8
Durables	112.321	-1.6	-0.5	84.548	-1.0	-0.8	120.871	-1.8	-1.4
Services	279.267	3.0	.1	159.881	2.4	.1	293.865	2.6	.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	220.810	.0	-0.2	140.823	-0.6	-0.3	221.959	-0.8	-0.1
All items less shelter	218.892	-1.6	-0.5	138.838	-1.6	-0.4	228.079	-1.5	-0.1
Commodities less food	157.119	-6.4	-1.1	111.721	-6.9	-1.1	159.917	-7.7	-1.0
Nondurables	217.946	-4.2	-0.8	146.849	-5.3	-0.9	220.799	-5.3	-0.3
Nondurables less food	195.410	-9.8	-1.6	140.438	-10.2	-1.2	197.933	-10.7	-0.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	274.501	1.6	-0.1	165.423	2.2	.2	303.177	2.9	.5
Services less medical care services	265.018	2.9	.1	157.564	2.5	.1	276.005	2.6	.3
Energy	178.830	-17.5	-3.3	165.385	-16.2	-2.2	180.685	-13.8	-0.3
All items less energy	236.744	2.3	.1	140.657	1.7	-0.1	240.927	1.9	.0
All items less food and energy	235.075	2.5	.1	137.262	1.8	.0	240.013	1.9	.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	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	240.570	1.5	-0.2	142.911	0.0	-0.6
All items (December 1977=100)	389.437	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	253.220	1.7	-1	154.009	1.1	-6
Food	253.097	1.8	-2	154.084	1.2	-5
Food at home	251.475	.9	-6	149.828	-3	-1.1
Food away from home	254.568	3.0	.3	161.562	3.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages	249.628	1.0	.6	156.080	.3	-8
Housing	266.886	3.7	-1	141.819	1.5	-4
Shelter	297.596	4.7	.4	142.393	1.9	.0
Rent of primary residence ⁴	334.143	4.7	.5	151.006	2.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{4 5}	284.556	4.5	.4	140.354	2.1	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	284.517	4.5	.4	140.347	2.1	.1
Fuels and utilities	278.840	-3	-3.5	186.819	1.3	-2.4
Household energy	241.811	-1.9	-5.3	177.821	-1.5	-3.2
Energy services ⁴	244.131	-1.7	-5.4	176.576	-1.2	-3.3
Electricity ⁴	278.215	-2	-3.9	174.061	-2	-3.8
Utility (piped) gas service ⁴	193.761	-6.3	-10.1	171.808	-4.8	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations	126.220	-1.6	-6	98.076	-9	-9
Apparel	120.295	.5	-2.7	97.088	-5.3	-8
Transportation	190.352	-4.8	-9	140.137	-3.8	-1.4
Private transportation	185.945	-4.9	-1.1	138.658	-4.4	-1.6
Motor fuel	210.622	-15.9	-3.3	181.619	-22.7	-6.7
Gasoline (all types)	209.353	-15.7	-3.4	182.724	-22.4	-6.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	209.113	-16.3	-3.4	181.142	-23.0	-7.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	197.001	-15.0	-3.8	188.444	-19.3	-5.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	206.164	-13.5	-3.3	179.424	-20.9	-6.5
Medical care	454.322	4.3	1.1	195.391	3.0	.1
Recreation ²	106.990	2.3	.4	92.747	-4	-9
Education and communication ²	134.205	.6	.2	128.720	-.3	.1
Other goods and services	399.963	1.6	.0	190.392	2.4	-2
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	240.570	1.5	-2	142.911	.0	-6
Commodities	180.315	-1.8	-8	126.066	-2.5	-1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	142.441	-4.2	-1.3	112.063	-4.6	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	178.518	-6.2	-1.9	135.962	-8.7	-2.2
Durables	108.338	-1.0	-5	88.288	.5	-6
Services	302.792	3.6	.2	152.992	1.9	-2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	233.205	1.4	-3	137.697	-.2	-6
All items less shelter	218.813	-2	-6	139.449	-.8	-8
Commodities less food	146.475	-4.0	-1.2	113.264	-4.4	-1.4
Nondurables	216.164	-2.0	-9	144.820	-3.7	-1.3
Nondurables less food	183.979	-5.6	-1.7	137.310	-8.0	-2.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	284.536	2.1	-1	165.468	2.0	-4
Services less medical care services	292.227	3.6	.1	149.049	1.7	-2
Energy	222.098	-10.9	-4.1	185.544	-13.3	-5.0
All items less energy	243.945	2.7	.1	136.489	1.3	-2
All items less food and energy	242.308	2.9	.2	132.941	1.3	-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 Nov. 2015 from—			Percent change to Oct. 2015 from—		
		Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Oct. 2015	Oct. 2014	Aug. 2015	Sep. 2015
U.S. city average	M	242.163	242.751	242.970	241.349	0.2	-0.6	-0.7	0.6	0.3	0.1
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	247.763	247.765	248.006	246.443	.3	-.5	-.6	.9	.1	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	249.381	249.466	250.109	248.817	.9	-.3	-.5	1.5	.3	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	150.999	150.842	150.238	148.758	-1.3	-1.4	-1.0	-1.1	-5	-4
Midwest urban	M	231.870	233.053	232.007	230.047	-.3	-1.3	-.8	-.2	.1	-.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	238.668	239.090	238.492	237.076	.2	-.8	-.6	.2	-.1	-.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	148.161	149.253	148.346	146.683	-1.0	-1.7	-1.1	-.5	.1	-.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	224.055	226.561	224.914	222.779	-.1	-1.7	-.9	-.2	.4	-.7
South urban	M	240.565	241.225	241.684	240.426	.3	-.3	-.5	.8	.5	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	237.517	237.997	238.287	237.781	.8	-.1	-.2	.9	.3	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	154.405	155.052	155.479	154.033	-.1	-.7	-.9	.8	.7	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	247.555	247.117	247.161	248.105	.2	.4	.4	.2	-.2	.0
West urban	M	249.382	249.697	250.927	249.131	.5	-.2	-.7	1.0	.6	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	251.518	252.051	252.953	251.475	.9	-.2	-.6	1.1	.6	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	150.500	150.370	151.430	149.828	-.3	-.4	-1.1	.9	.6	.7
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	224.447	224.791	225.110	224.027	.7	-.3	-.5	1.0	.3	.1
B/C ³	M	151.835	152.352	152.425	150.888	-.5	-1.0	-1.0	.2	.4	.0
D	M	238.714	239.606	239.491	238.733	.2	-.4	-.3	.3	.3	.0
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	241.523	240.663	241.992	239.138	.0	-.6	-1.2	1.1	.2	.6
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	257.708	259.307	260.889	260.196	.8	.3	-.3	1.2	1.2	.6
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	251.450	252.002	252.558	250.582	.6	-.6	-.8	1.3	.4	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	240.895	240.617	240.404	240.085	1.0	-.2	-.1	1.7	-.2	-.1
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	248.829	247.850	244.719	244.242	.6	-1.5	-.2	-1.1	-1.7	-1.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	218.997	217.694	221.147	222.299	.3	2.1	.5	-.2	1.0	1.6
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	147.499	149.407	149.635	148.586	.5	-.5	-.7	2.7	1.4	.2
Atlanta, GA	2	245.712	244.005	243.840	242.534	-1.1	-.6	-.5	-.6	-.8	-.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	213.647	217.489	215.217	214.750	-.3	-1.3	-.2	-1.7	.7	-1.0
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	229.477	229.281	227.444	229.416	2.1	.1	.9	-.2	-.9	-.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	259.525	259.898	259.097	258.212	2.0	-.6	-.3	2.0	-.2	-.3
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	249.348	247.408	249.259	250.348	1.8	1.2	.4	1.8	.0	.7
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	259.381	257.253	259.419	257.124	3.8	-.1	-.9	3.1	.0	.8
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	247.647	248.790	248.224	246.008	1.0	-1.1	-.9	1.8	.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 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—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category												
All items	231.721	0.1	-0.3	219.988	-0.4	-0.6	237.190	1.4	-0.1	255.385	0.3	-0.2
All items (1967=100)	690.227	-	-	646.073	-	-	700.970	-	-	727.145	-	-
Food and beverages	247.271	1.1	-3	242.720	.8	-7	254.191	1.6	-.2	253.633	1.4	-3
Food	247.434	1.2	-3	242.705	1.1	-6	252.729	1.6	.1	253.767	1.3	-3
Food at home	241.349	-.2	-7	239.138	.0	-1.2	260.196	-.8	-3	250.582	-.6	-8
Food away from home	259.041	2.8	-.2	244.243	3.0	-.3	239.958	2.7	-.7	264.470	2.5	-.5
Alcoholic beverages	243.488	-.5	.0	241.411	-3.1	-1.3	248.238	1.6	1.1	248.649	2.6	-.1
Housing	235.695	2.1	.0	221.529	1.3	.1	264.486	2.6	.0	275.976	1.7	.1
Shelter	275.275	3.2	-.2	268.870	2.3	-.2	294.786	3.7	-.3	348.353	3.1	.0
Rent of primary residence ¹	287.607	3.6	-.3	309.200	2.6	-.2	323.355	4.0	-.5	359.285	3.5	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹ ²	261.606	3.0	-.3	264.945	2.2	-.3	282.621	3.3	-.2	321.842	2.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹ ²	261.591	3.0	-.3	264.945	2.2	-.3	282.576	3.3	-.2	321.800	2.8	-.1
Fuels and utilities	223.456	-2.1	-9	190.732	-1.4	-1.0	286.828	-3.1	-2.3	174.822	-6.6	-.4
Household energy	186.428	-3.8	-1.3	153.230	-5.4	-1.2	255.322	-4.9	-3.5	168.352	-7.8	-.4
Energy services ¹	191.192	-2.8	-1.3	155.824	-5.3	-1.2	254.856	-4.8	-3.5	164.126	-4.8	-.5
Electricity ¹	200.119	-4	-1.4	160.602	6.4	-.3	299.997	-4.4	.0	175.920	-6.4	-.3
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	157.551	-11.8	-8	138.473	-19.1	-3.5	196.054	-5.8	-11.9	136.345	-9	1.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	117.030	-1.0	-5	91.554	-4.0	.0	111.930	-2.1	-1.0	101.432	-2.5	-1
Apparel	126.194	-1.6	-1.8	91.559	-1.8	-.8	105.340	-.6	-2.5	116.858	-.3	-4.0
Transportation	192.396	-6.6	-1.0	174.129	-6.8	-2.9	192.776	-3.0	-1.2	209.529	-6.2	.0
Private transportation	188.188	-6.9	-1.2	170.108	-7.4	-3.2	188.613	-3.1	-1.4	195.851	-7.3	-.3
Motor fuel	192.445	-24.2	-4.3	205.324	-24.0	-11.9	219.853	-11.2	-3.9	175.391	-27.0	-.8
Gasoline (all types)	191.589	-24.0	-4.3	203.055	-24.0	-11.9	215.070	-11.1	-3.9	174.627	-27.0	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	187.519	-24.9	-4.4	194.445	-25.4	-12.3	215.483	-11.3	-3.9	172.049	-27.9	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ³ ⁴	207.830	-21.6	-5.1	229.339	-19.6	-10.6	206.874	-10.6	-3.7	189.857	-24.2	-1.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	202.517	-19.3	-3.6	228.415	-15.0	-9.3	205.765	-10.3	-3.7	193.322	-22.0	-1.2
Medical care	454.731	3.0	-.3	474.004	2.6	-.3	444.794	6.3	2.8	447.496	1.9	-1.2
Recreation ⁵	111.606	.4	-3	103.037	-.5	-6	98.201	2.6	.5	119.757	.1	-3
Education and communication ⁵	130.529	.9	-.2	135.531	-.8	-1	141.255	.7	-1	136.051	1.4	.6
Other goods and services	453.456	2.4	.1	414.354	.4	-1	381.455	2.6	.0	466.649	2.6	.7
Commodity and service group												
All items	231.721	.1	-3	219.988	-.4	-6	237.190	1.4	-1	255.385	.3	-2
Commodities	182.176	-3.3	-1.0	169.021	-3.2	-1.8	177.346	-1.3	-9	187.434	-3.5	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages ...	150.062	-6.1	-1.4	131.514	-6.5	-2.7	137.483	-3.4	-1.7	146.539	-7.0	-1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	190.106	-9.4	-1.8	174.439	-9.2	-3.8	174.299	-5.0	-2.0	179.290	-9.2	-1.8
Durables	109.926	-.9	-7	92.921	-1.8	-.8	100.271	-.7	-1.1	100.380	-1.9	-.7
Services	288.423	2.5	-.2	274.092	1.7	-.2	299.136	3.1	-.3	322.148	2.3	-.2
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	222.923	-.1	-3	210.265	-.6	-7	230.237	1.2	-3	248.436	.2	-2
All items less shelter	218.207	-1.3	-5	203.606	-1.6	-1.0	213.922	.1	-4	220.729	-1.4	-.4
Commodities less food	152.945	-5.9	-1.3	135.243	-6.3	-2.6	142.090	-3.2	-1.5	149.794	-6.7	-1.4
Nondurables	217.855	-4.1	-1.0	211.306	-3.6	-2.0	214.923	-1.5	-.8	216.799	-3.8	-1.0
Nondurables less food	193.016	-8.8	-1.7	179.053	-8.8	-3.7	181.574	-4.5	-1.8	182.533	-8.8	-1.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	279.111	1.8	-.2	262.183	.9	-.2	277.659	2.2	.4	264.489	1.1	-.3
Services less medical care services	274.909	2.5	-.2	259.252	1.6	-.2	288.904	2.9	-.2	312.884	2.3	-.2
Energy	188.393	-15.3	-2.8	173.482	-15.8	-6.9	234.892	-8.9	-3.7	173.172	-16.9	-.1
All items less energy	238.024	1.8	.0	226.083	1.2	.0	238.850	2.4	-.2	266.396	1.9	-.2
All items less food and energy	236.548	2.0	.0	222.587	1.3	.1	235.888	2.6	-.2	270.509	2.0	-.2

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 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	231.721	0.1	-0.4	257.124	0.5	0.7	219.988	-0.4	-0.8
All items (1967=100)	690.227	-	-	743.180	-	-	646.073	-	-
Food and beverages ³	247.271	1.1	-1	253.056	1.6	.0	242.720	.8	-3
Food ³	247.434	1.2	-2	254.002	1.9	.0	242.705	1.1	-2
Food at home	241.349	.2	-6	240.085	1.0	-2	239.138	.0	-6
Food away from home ⁴	259.041	2.8	.4	281.020	3.6	.6	244.243	3.0	.4
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	243.488	.5	.6	240.879	-1.3	-5	241.411	-3.1	-6
Housing ³	235.695	2.1	-2	263.707	1.4	1.5	221.529	1.3	-1
Shelter	275.275	3.2	.5	310.806	3.6	-2	268.870	2.3	.4
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	287.607	3.6	.7	315.205	3.2	.0	309.200	2.6	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	261.606	3.0	.5	288.025	4.2	.4	264.945	2.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	261.591	3.0	.5	288.025	4.2	.4	264.945	2.2	.4
Fuels and utilities	223.456	-2.1	-3.4	250.117	-10.2	14.9	190.732	-1.4	-1.6
Household energy	186.428	-3.8	-4.6	209.273	-11.5	17.1	153.230	-5.4	-2.2
Energy services ⁵	191.192	-2.8	-4.7	219.387	-8.6	19.7	155.824	-5.3	-2.2
Electricity ⁵	200.119	-4	-5.4	238.966	-4.6	8.4	160.602	6.4	.9
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	157.551	-11.8	-2.0	179.883	-16.0	54.1	138.473	-19.1	-6.7
Household furnishings and operations	117.030	-1.0	-5	131.838	1.5	-6	91.554	-4.0	-2.3
Apparel ³	126.194	-1.6	-1.1	153.017	.5	.3	91.559	-1.8	-1.8
Transportation ³	192.396	-6.6	-2.1	186.765	-7.9	-1.0	174.129	-6.8	-3.8
Private transportation	188.188	-6.9	-2.4	183.428	-7.8	-1.5	170.108	-7.4	-4.4
Motor fuel	192.445	-24.2	-7.9	186.965	-26.7	-6.6	205.324	-24.0	-14.5
Gasoline (all types)	191.589	-24.0	-8.0	184.736	-26.7	-6.6	203.055	-24.0	-14.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	187.519	-24.9	-8.1	178.645	-27.6	-6.7	194.445	-25.4	-15.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	207.830	-21.6	-7.3	198.423	-25.2	-6.3	229.339	-19.6	-13.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	202.517	-19.3	-7.3	198.130	-22.7	-6.0	228.415	-15.0	-10.9
Medical care ³	454.731	3.0	1.0	631.492	7.4	5.7	474.004	2.6	.5
Recreation ⁹	111.606	.4	-2	113.353	1.4	-2.9	103.037	-5	-1.1
Education and communication ⁹	130.529	.9	.4	141.605	3.8	.3	135.531	-8	.0
Other goods and services ³	453.456	2.4	.5	522.257	.8	.7	414.354	.4	.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	231.721	.1	-4	257.124	.5	.7	219.988	-4	-8
Commodities	182.176	-3.3	-1.4	197.167	-2.8	-1.1	169.021	-3.2	-2.4
Commodities less food and beverages	150.062	-6.1	-2.2	165.652	-6.0	-1.9	131.514	-6.5	-4.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	190.106	-9.4	-2.8	212.325	-9.0	-2.0	174.439	-9.2	-5.1
Durables	109.926	-9	-1.3	113.395	-1	-1.9	92.921	-1.8	-2.5
Services	288.423	2.5	.3	321.640	2.7	1.9	274.092	1.7	.4
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	222.923	-1	-5	243.754	.0	.4	210.265	-6	-9
All items less shelter	218.207	-1.3	-8	241.348	-9	1.2	203.606	-1.6	-1.3
Commodities less food	152.945	-5.9	-2.1	168.277	-5.8	-1.9	135.243	-6.3	-4.0
Nondurables	217.855	-4.1	-1.4	233.593	-3.4	-9	211.306	-3.6	-2.3
Nondurables less food	193.016	-8.8	-2.6	213.183	-8.5	-1.9	179.053	-8.8	-4.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	279.111	1.8	.1	313.943	1.7	4.4	262.183	.9	.4
Services less medical care services	274.909	2.5	.2	301.134	2.0	1.3	259.252	1.6	.4
Energy ³	188.393	-15.3	-6.3	195.432	-18.8	5.5	173.482	-15.8	-8.8
All items less energy	238.024	1.8	.2	267.026	2.6	.3	226.083	1.2	.0
All items less food and energy ³	236.548	2.0	.3	270.967	2.8	.4	222.587	1.3	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015		Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category									
All items ³	209.244	-0.7	-0.6	221.898	-0.3	-0.1	237.190	1.4	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	653.824	-	-	684.260	-	-	700.970	-	-
Food and beverages ³	249.770	1.1	-7	250.851	.8	1.4	254.191	1.6	.7
Food ³	254.106	1.1	-8	245.298	.8	1.5	252.729	1.6	.6
Food at home	244.242	.6	-1.5	222.299	.3	2.1	260.196	.8	.3
Food away from home ⁴	269.696	1.7	.2	285.734	2.0	.2	239.958	2.7	.9
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	190.500	1.9	1.0	312.882	.0	-2	248.238	1.6	2.6
Housing ³	187.654	.6	-4	203.924	2.3	-1	264.486	2.6	.3
Shelter	208.797	1.4	-4	220.666	4.4	.5	294.786	3.7	.7
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	234.715	2.2	.2	228.611	5.5	.8	323.355	4.0	.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	212.997	1.0	.0	209.890	3.7	.6	282.621	3.3	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	212.997	1.0	.0	209.890	3.7	.6	282.576	3.3	.6
Fuels and utilities	189.801	-3.3	-1.0	216.626	-4.5	-3.5	286.828	-3.1	-1.4
Household energy	155.154	-6.5	-1.3	204.189	-7.8	-5.3	255.322	-4.9	-1.3
Energy services ⁵	152.484	-6.3	-1.3	200.507	-7.7	-5.3	254.856	-4.8	-1.3
Electricity ⁵	171.511	5.6	.8	191.505	-7.2	-6.4	299.997	-4.4	3.6
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	105.353	-27.7	-6.4	195.020	-11.7	3.4	196.054	-5.8	-12.5
Household furnishings and operations	116.924	1.0	.6	117.706	-1.6	.8	111.930	-2.1	-1.4
Apparel ³	129.188	-8.1	-4.8	112.304	-2.9	-7	105.340	-6	-3.3
Transportation ³	191.077	-5.5	-9	206.497	-8.9	-1.9	192.776	-3.0	-3.7
Private transportation	190.316	-5.5	-1.2	207.702	-8.9	-1.9	188.613	-3.1	-4.2
Motor fuel	225.182	-23.7	-4.1	180.026	-27.1	-5.6	219.853	-11.2	-10.9
Gasoline (all types)	222.706	-23.7	-4.1	178.910	-26.7	-5.7	215.070	-11.1	-10.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	210.353	-25.4	-4.7	171.355	-28.0	-6.0	215.483	-11.3	-11.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	239.877	-20.5	-2.6	191.211	-24.4	-5.3	206.874	-10.6	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	240.781	-16.8	-2.2	197.460	-21.3	-4.5	205.765	-10.3	-10.2
Medical care ³	407.800	2.1	.6	435.852	4.5	.1	444.794	6.3	5.2
Recreation ⁹	117.466	.4	-8	107.439	-8	-1.4	98.201	2.6	3.3
Education and communication ⁹	116.212	.7	.9	127.555	2.2	1.9	141.255	.7	.0
Other goods and services ³	481.236	3.9	.9	399.525	1.9	.1	381.455	2.6	1.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	209.244	-7	-6	221.898	-3	-1	237.190	1.4	-1
Commodities	186.169	-3.0	-1.1	180.271	-5.1	-7	177.346	-1.3	-2.0
Commodities less food and beverages	155.987	-5.7	-1.4	145.785	-8.6	-2.1	137.483	-3.4	-4.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	207.647	-10.0	-2.1	170.940	-12.1	-2.4	174.299	-5.0	-5.5
Durables	107.631	.3	-5	120.641	-3.6	-1.7	100.271	-7	-1.3
Services	237.384	1.3	-2	265.908	3.1	.3	299.136	3.1	1.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	201.897	-9	-7	212.316	-6	-2	230.237	1.2	-3
All items less shelter	213.211	-1.5	-7	222.349	-2.4	-5	213.922	.1	-5
Commodities less food	157.230	-5.4	-1.3	150.489	-8.4	-2.1	142.090	-3.2	-3.7
Nondurables	229.146	-4.2	-1.3	207.569	-5.6	-4	214.923	-1.5	-2.2
Nondurables less food	206.486	-9.3	-1.9	178.219	-11.6	-2.3	181.574	-4.5	-4.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	253.142	1.1	.1	296.508	1.6	-1	277.659	2.2	1.8
Services less medical care services	225.830	1.0	-2	249.483	2.9	.3	288.904	2.9	.8
Energy ³	183.272	-16.1	-2.7	196.341	-18.1	-5.5	234.892	-8.9	-7.6
All items less energy	213.614	1.0	-4	227.655	2.0	.5	238.850	2.4	.7
All items less food and energy ³	205.790	1.0	-3	223.622	2.3	.3	235.888	2.6	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014		Sep. 2015	Nov. 2014	Sep. 2015
Expenditure category						
All items ³	255.385	0.3	-0.4	155.609	0.4	-0.4
All items (1967=100)	727.145	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages ³	253.633	1.4	-2	155.460	1.0	-1
Food ³	253.767	1.3	-2	156.522	1.1	-2
Food at home	250.582	.6	-6	148.586	.5	-5
Food away from home ⁴	264.470	2.5	.4	164.809	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	248.649	2.6	.5	141.498	.5	.4
Housing ³	275.976	1.7	-2	173.777	1.9	-1
Shelter	348.353	3.1	.3	184.296	2.2	.5
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	359.285	3.5	.7	200.386	2.1	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	321.842	2.8	.2	180.328	2.2	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	321.800	2.8	.2	180.324	2.2	.7
Fuels and utilities	174.822	-6.6	-3.2	182.573	2.1	-3.6
Household energy	168.352	-7.8	-3.7	171.028	.6	-5.1
Energy services ⁵	164.126	-4.8	-3.8	166.626	.9	-5.2
Electricity ⁵	175.920	-6.4	-5.1	175.967	2.8	-5.5
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	136.345	-9	-6	113.292	-9.0	-3.2
Household furnishings and operations	101.432	-2.5	-9	86.435	-5	-9
Apparel ³	116.858	-3	-6.5	96.982	-1.3	-2.6
Transportation ³	209.529	-6.2	-.8	137.689	-6.8	-1.6
Private transportation	195.851	-7.3	-1.5	135.809	-7.0	-1.7
Motor fuel	175.391	-27.0	-6.5	184.672	-24.8	-7.5
Gasoline (all types)	174.627	-27.0	-6.5	184.353	-24.7	-7.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	172.049	-27.9	-6.7	181.674	-26.0	-8.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	189.857	-24.2	-6.0	198.281	-21.1	-6.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	193.322	-22.0	-5.5	203.984	-20.3	-5.6
Medical care ³	447.496	1.9	.9	180.246	6.0	.0
Recreation ⁹	119.757	.1	.1	111.742	.4	-6
Education and communication ⁹	136.051	1.4	.8	133.979	3.4	.2
Other goods and services ³	466.649	2.6	.9	209.739	1.2	.3
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	255.385	.3	-.4	155.609	.4	-.4
Commodities	187.434	-3.5	-1.9	127.835	-2.8	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	146.539	-7.0	-3.2	113.062	-5.5	-2.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	179.290	-9.2	-4.2	142.743	-8.1	-3.1
Durables	100.380	-1.9	-1.0	80.805	-2.0	-9
Services	322.148	2.3	.4	178.148	2.6	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care ³	248.436	.2	-.5	154.247	.1	-.4
All items less shelter	220.729	-1.4	-.8	142.798	-.5	-.9
Commodities less food	149.794	-6.7	-3.1	114.166	-5.2	-2.0
Nondurables	216.799	-3.8	-2.1	148.501	-3.1	-1.4
Nondurables less food	182.533	-8.8	-4.0	142.491	-7.4	-2.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	264.489	1.1	.5	171.603	3.1	-.2
Services less medical care services	312.884	2.3	.3	177.752	2.2	.2
Energy ³	173.172	-16.9	-4.9	178.037	-12.9	-6.2
All items less energy	266.396	1.9	.0	152.564	1.6	.1
All items less food and energy ³	270.509	2.0	.0	152.621	1.7	.1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.
² For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.
³ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.
⁴ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=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.
⁹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
 - Data not available.
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

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

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

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

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1970	37.8	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.6	38.8	39.0	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8
1971	39.8	39.9	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.6	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.1
1972	41.1	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.4	42.5
1973	42.6	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.9	44.2	44.3	45.1	45.2	45.6	45.9	46.2
1974	46.6	47.2	47.8	48.0	48.6	49.0	49.4	50.0	50.6	51.1	51.5	51.9
1975	52.1	52.5	52.7	52.9	53.2	53.6	54.2	54.3	54.6	54.9	55.3	55.5
1976	55.6	55.8	55.9	56.1	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.9	58.0	58.2
1977	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.7	61.0	61.2	61.4	61.6	61.9	62.1
1978	62.5	62.9	63.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.7	66.0	66.5	67.1	67.4	67.7
1979	68.3	69.1	69.8	70.6	71.5	72.3	73.1	73.8	74.6	75.2	75.9	76.7
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.8
1991	134.6	134.8	135.0	135.2	135.6	136.0	136.2	136.6	137.2	137.4	137.8	137.9
1992	138.1	138.6	139.3	139.5	139.7	140.2	140.5	140.9	141.3	141.8	142.0	141.9
1993	142.6	143.1	143.6	144.0	144.2	144.4	144.4	144.8	145.1	145.7	145.8	145.8
1994	146.2	146.7	147.2	147.4	147.5	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	149.5	149.7	149.7
1995	150.3	150.9	151.4	151.9	152.2	152.5	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	153.6	153.5
1996	154.4	154.9	155.7	156.3	156.6	156.7	157.0	157.3	157.8	158.3	158.6	158.6
1997	159.1	159.6	160.0	160.2	160.1	160.3	160.5	160.8	161.2	161.6	161.5	161.3
1998	161.6	161.9	162.2	162.5	162.8	163.0	163.2	163.4	163.6	164.0	164.0	163.9
1999	164.3	164.5	165.0	166.2	166.2	166.2	166.7	167.1	167.9	168.2	168.3	168.3
2000	168.8	169.8	171.2	171.3	171.5	172.4	172.8	172.8	173.7	174.0	174.1	174.0
2001	175.1	175.8	176.2	176.9	177.7	178.0	177.5	177.5	178.3	177.7	177.4	176.7
2002	177.1	177.8	178.8	179.8	179.8	179.9	180.1	180.7	181.0	181.3	181.3	180.9
2003	181.7	183.1	184.2	183.8	183.5	183.7	183.9	184.6	185.2	185.0	184.5	184.3
2004	185.2	186.2	187.4	188.0	189.1	189.7	189.4	189.5	189.9	190.9	191.0	190.3
2005	190.7	191.8	193.3	194.6	194.4	194.5	195.4	196.4	198.8	199.2	197.6	196.8
2006	198.3	198.7	199.8	201.5	202.5	202.9	203.5	203.9	202.9	201.8	201.5	201.8
2007	202.416	203.499	205.352	206.686	207.949	208.352	208.299	207.917	208.490	208.936	210.177	210.036
2008	211.080	211.693	213.528	214.823	216.632	218.815	219.964	219.086	218.783	216.573	212.425	210.228
2009	211.143	212.193	212.709	213.240	213.856	215.693	215.351	215.834	215.969	216.177	216.330	215.949
2010	216.687	216.741	217.631	218.009	218.178	217.965	218.011	218.312	218.439	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	237.945	237.838	237.336	-

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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								Nov. 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	237.336
All items (1967=100)	629.174	629.751	646.887	656.563	676.014	687.782	698.110	703.393	710.952
Food and beverages	206.936	218.839	218.049	221.278	231.130	235.230	237.820	245.585	247.870
Food	206.704	218.805	217.637	220.946	231.301	235.390	237.869	245.976	248.306
Food at home	205.208	218.683	213.359	216.955	229.982	232.901	233.802	242.457	242.240
Cereals and bakery products	226.461	253.063	251.019	250.592	265.997	268.057	269.267	270.635	273.752
Cereals and cereal products	196.793	222.639	219.487	217.695	233.416	231.829	231.100	230.374	231.769
Flour and prepared flour mixes	190.014	229.875	220.166	217.174	243.127	248.703	242.265	237.671	232.487
Breakfast cereal	207.828	217.930	218.174	215.281	229.277	227.388	227.894	230.769	229.607
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	183.958	233.018	226.189	226.682	242.236	238.598	237.153	232.171	240.058
Rice ^{1 2}	122.254	170.418	155.502	158.927	167.799	167.815	171.260	166.519	166.908
Bakery products	242.268	269.187	267.776	268.150	283.268	288.074	290.740	293.386	297.539
Bread ¹	147.354	165.774	160.007	161.828	172.602	175.201	176.485	178.530	179.871
White bread ²	272.159	304.713	294.248	296.565	313.739	320.943	319.586	322.479	323.439
Bread other than white ²	276.643	313.310	301.685	308.012	336.796	336.206	342.906	345.531	350.054
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	139.977	158.809	154.706	157.861	167.936	170.193	171.088	174.411	178.001
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	228.738	248.707	255.349	254.335	265.564	269.148	273.812	275.390	281.813
Cookies ²	222.193	241.011	251.261	248.848	256.852	261.442	267.829	267.330	268.687
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ²	235.227	256.070	258.666	259.820	274.773	278.849	280.855	285.085	299.012
Other bakery products	217.459	240.851	242.453	239.450	252.331	258.199	259.926	261.042	263.670
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ²	233.009	250.349	251.485	252.893	268.619	283.198	290.058	291.793	298.636
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	247.888	277.864	280.837	273.082	292.419	296.519	297.476	300.566	301.365
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	264.986
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	198.755	208.890	201.003	212.019	228.853	232.262	239.102	261.055	259.141
Meats, poultry, and fish	196.639	208.647	201.129	212.086	229.117	232.586	239.028	260.725	255.911
Meats	195.558	206.864	196.202	210.276	229.980	231.735	236.919	267.048	261.591
Beef and veal	212.808	226.019	215.426	228.652	254.850	266.552	271.159	321.776	315.453
Uncooked ground beef	186.936	207.712	195.073	207.192	231.838	244.927	249.188	297.063	286.893
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	155.076	162.822	158.812	166.610	188.284	194.383	200.336	241.682	232.795
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	152.557	154.867	147.026	154.997	172.004	179.126	181.030	209.999	211.472
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	143.603	152.620	151.342	167.701	182.286	189.896	194.112	240.653	233.218
Pork	178.818	187.918	173.178	192.548	208.192	201.255	210.393	227.644	216.428
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	126.273	129.126	122.472	137.223	148.528	145.011	156.954	160.793	158.455
Bacon and related products ²	219.140	219.838	211.750	240.821	270.693	265.930	291.393	288.576	295.115
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	122.097	127.313	120.341	130.414	137.789	132.089	141.866	152.226	142.098
Ham	175.954	185.401	169.673	188.865	199.586	194.993	198.996	225.163	208.510
Ham, excluding canned ²	198.301	208.760	190.435	212.167	224.696	218.436	222.560	254.600	232.470
Pork chops	167.482	178.470	164.203	176.732	191.979	184.854	190.611	209.774	193.013
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹ ..	111.596	120.335	107.138	120.875	132.587	125.407	127.922	143.761	135.069
Other meats	187.239	198.096	193.250	200.808	214.316	211.665	212.066	227.727	231.562
Frankfurters ²	186.345	193.675	183.973	197.805	213.640	211.069	207.167	232.177	239.282
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	120.873	129.323	128.646	130.727	137.693	136.945	138.267	146.350	149.702
Lamb and organ meats ²	231.966	253.332	257.675	299.496	327.846	302.379	301.471	327.856	328.743
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	NA	156.461	155.167	179.880	216.114	180.400	170.624	176.160	179.742
Poultry	193.998	205.222	202.158	204.707	214.514	226.643	233.437	237.278	235.428
Chicken ¹	127.324	134.248	131.427	133.206	137.090	145.255	150.393	153.611	151.342
Fresh whole chicken ²	202.199	218.072	208.519	218.928	227.648	235.802	248.403	255.908	250.663
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ²	194.487	202.195	201.295	201.153	205.784	220.471	225.068	228.645	225.208
Other poultry including turkey ¹	116.282	124.859	126.405	127.525	143.313	149.864	151.408	150.663	154.155
Fish and seafood	221.633	238.759	238.671	248.725	265.682	265.475	277.682	289.586	282.827
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	132.385	140.429	138.441	149.266	158.030	155.660	165.671	174.909	170.835
Processed fish and seafood ¹	115.420	126.573	128.506	128.957	139.151	141.151	144.965	149.279	145.787
Shelf stable fish and seafood ²	148.631	170.862	176.701	175.188	186.889	199.706	198.600	201.154	202.884
Frozen fish and seafood ²	245.839	260.713	266.261	273.467	296.058	289.603	308.027	324.060	307.024
Eggs	234.018	212.819	198.747	210.791	224.215	226.670	239.794	265.375	304.898
Dairy and related products	205.299	210.838	194.792	202.056	218.458	219.443	218.376	229.870	220.613
Milk ¹	149.692	144.817	129.538	136.085	148.665	151.449	151.661	158.192	144.813
Fresh whole milk ²	221.014	211.209	184.074	194.452	212.882	219.157	218.632	230.103	208.448
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	149.603	145.893	133.648	139.991	152.623	154.122	154.654	161.038	148.208
Cheese and related products	202.189	219.187	198.738	207.360	223.445	223.601	221.310	239.549	232.164
Ice cream and related products	188.522	199.080	194.929	199.994	217.932	215.061	216.416	223.901	220.398
Other dairy and related products ¹	136.064	139.584	134.255	136.106	144.322	144.436	142.295	147.541	146.471
Fruits and vegetables	272.482	281.706	273.189	277.089	283.550	288.516	288.136	297.429	298.037

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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								Nov. 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	345.689
Fresh fruits	344.733	338.252	325.602	335.845	334.015	352.393	345.395	357.915	362.153
Apples	292.707	304.060	273.996	284.299	304.597	344.961	323.923	316.514	328.974
Bananas	182.356	211.145	193.304	196.940	204.013	204.104	201.906	200.464	200.597
Citrus fruits ¹	186.752	186.888	187.089	204.075	196.409	202.769	208.489	219.822	236.456
Oranges, including tangerines ²	348.722	362.266	377.682	394.652	395.553	408.569	427.519	443.228	488.083
Other fresh fruits ¹	134.596	122.430	120.840	122.394	118.771	125.522	121.944	129.506	125.727
Fresh vegetables	306.142	315.835	303.191	306.775	314.280	310.458	315.671	330.043	327.106
Potatoes	274.694	335.346	278.568	293.671	315.537	292.126	313.252	307.533	309.410
Lettuce	295.313	300.040	329.458	304.919	304.989	295.211	301.064	314.445	331.356
Tomatoes	378.746	337.763	348.514	311.927	315.907	331.061	330.412	384.810	342.969
Other fresh vegetables	300.382	311.165	293.958	314.163	320.226	318.008	319.855	327.225	330.298
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	128.488	145.854	145.397	144.007	154.065	154.256	154.779	155.373	155.609
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	127.028	147.963	149.489	146.923	155.275	156.100	159.547	159.292	158.670
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	125.693	139.051	139.841	136.168	147.415	149.702	151.560	152.286	156.376
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	131.871	157.030	159.591	157.333	165.062	164.240	168.798	168.766	164.802
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	129.831	140.185	135.621	135.910	149.250	147.205	143.679	145.799	146.176
Frozen vegetables ²	179.760	195.634	188.807	188.774	206.012	201.556	197.121	198.928	198.122
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	129.286	148.092	148.847	147.800	156.601	159.122	159.050	159.390	161.742
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	139.039	176.320	176.524	172.090	195.782	197.969	195.994	205.107	205.293
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	153.648	162.750	161.216	159.229	168.520	168.204	165.767	166.978	167.498
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	117.609	126.154	124.645	122.283	127.526	128.378	127.728	127.822	128.836
Carbonated drinks	138.194	151.095	151.851	149.589	159.013	159.079	155.629	157.881	158.442
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	143.465	149.073	150.282	149.810	169.472	167.736	172.675	176.729	176.693
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	114.034	120.207	116.601	113.993	116.896	118.261	118.896	117.754	119.091
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	109.195	112.894	112.391	113.310	125.197	121.842	116.614	119.604	118.407
Coffee	175.083	185.929	180.802	185.379	221.236	211.723	195.725	202.772	199.722
Roasted coffee ²	180.752	189.098	185.174	191.511	231.504	221.087	201.214	209.577	209.850
Instant and freeze dried coffee ²	184.030	207.297	196.843	199.021	219.097	210.585	207.489	208.007	196.525
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	121.631	123.849	124.960	124.029	126.698	126.541	127.355	128.569	128.314
Other food at home	174.057	190.203	189.921	190.147	200.566	204.626	203.720	206.831	209.315
Sugar and sweets	178.631	193.312	198.712	203.098	210.846	213.265	207.795	210.019	215.569
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	162.521	173.015	179.643	191.919	199.499	197.000	178.971	179.248	184.969
Candy and chewing gum ¹	118.555	128.689	132.313	134.049	138.172	140.308	139.408	141.883	146.485
Other sweets ¹	127.536	138.640	141.122	142.349	151.239	154.711	151.621	151.259	151.705
Fats and oils	176.068	206.710	197.391	200.476	227.601	231.540	226.091	228.352	225.426
Butter and margarine ¹	137.454	163.439	150.847	164.832	183.182	182.281	181.251	202.213	201.260
Butter ²	168.121	181.703	160.781	195.956	199.637	194.493	196.193	240.358	237.240
Margarine ²	193.811	246.153	234.357	237.245	285.391	289.844	282.490	289.968	289.489
Salad dressing ¹	113.085	124.935	125.704	127.917	138.083	138.353	136.045	130.185	130.354
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	125.054	151.240	142.856	138.535	164.205	170.837	164.288	160.210	155.931
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	117.962	133.912	132.636	127.215	161.810	184.152	170.331	164.221	155.513
Other foods	188.325	203.902	203.832	202.776	211.986	216.708	217.204	220.909	223.825
Soups	211.165	229.675	224.677	221.226	226.858	227.765	227.870	226.529	233.845
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	157.409	167.801	166.386	164.252	169.202	169.600	167.933	171.202	171.427
Snacks	187.632	211.835	215.081	215.730	231.599	240.261	242.341	246.823	251.557
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	191.486	204.785	208.868	206.760	217.254	222.847	223.367	228.318	235.097
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	115.302	117.672	121.482	121.107	132.684	133.780	134.655	141.105	147.601
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	117.241	132.534	130.724	127.279	127.752	136.069	133.597	133.807	138.744
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	110.635	119.993	124.327	123.617	127.154	131.056	131.568	133.791	135.098
Other condiments ²	211.775	222.149	217.733	234.488	258.486	263.720	256.219	260.940	267.944
Baby food ¹	133.326	140.918	139.287	138.061	148.108	151.937	152.123	155.245	153.215
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	115.267	123.791	122.422	122.419	126.293	129.455	130.119	132.149	132.781
Prepared salads ^{2 3}	100.000	105.705	107.366	107.253	110.563	112.984	116.321	120.827	125.455
Food away from home	210.233	220.684	224.789	227.722	234.435	240.359	245.300	252.628	258.805
Full service meals and snacks ¹	132.413	137.620	140.112	141.962	146.057	149.583	152.736	157.454	160.888
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	132.959	140.918	143.407	144.795	149.265	153.136	156.133	161.080	164.907
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	128.545	135.998	139.858	143.335	148.359	153.468	157.276	160.136	168.027
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{2 4}	107.685	114.392	117.561	120.445	124.494	128.976	131.727	134.766	140.900
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	120.438	128.587	131.765	134.605	138.306	141.887	143.585	144.278	146.661

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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								Nov. 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	181.630
Alcoholic beverages	208.704	217.975	222.082	224.215	227.335	231.572	235.804	238.856	240.512
Alcoholic beverages at home	179.709	187.666	190.510	190.623	191.132	193.216	196.080	197.387	198.036
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	185.387	195.197	200.240	202.702	205.549	208.832	213.561	215.011	217.315
Distilled spirits at home	179.844	184.756	188.000	186.995	187.243	187.688	190.720	192.522	192.107
Whiskey at home ²	183.048	190.333	195.242	192.612	198.788	198.752	203.893	206.904	206.706
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	177.552	179.735	183.543	183.774	182.003	182.884	184.852	186.376	185.315
Wine at home	163.500	169.743	169.730	167.647	165.685	166.932	167.757	168.717	168.168
Alcoholic beverages away from home	270.329	282.390	289.055	295.568	304.349	313.606	320.953	328.025	332.004
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	164.095
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	148.241	155.850	159.749	162.340	164.439	169.624	173.661	177.053	178.208
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	144.053	149.577	152.055	153.786	159.903	165.262	169.759	173.488	179.672
Housing	210.933	216.073	215.523	216.142	220.193	224.032	228.892	234.658	239.325
Shelter	242.372	247.085	247.863	248.972	253.716	259.298	265.881	273.598	281.932
Rent of primary residence ⁵	239.102	247.278	248.999	250.986	257.189	264.098	271.688	280.874	290.322
Lodging away from home ¹	133.545	129.157	122.638	125.665	128.131	129.021	130.549	138.799	145.660
Housing at school, excluding board ^{5 6}	381.548	399.369	419.367	437.049	453.990	473.068	488.924	502.226	517.063
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	297.375
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	249.532	254.875	256.727	257.452	261.982	267.480	274.135	281.288	289.480
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	249.532	254.875	256.727	257.444	261.960	267.454	274.112	281.261	289.436
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	117.003	120.019	123.812	126.194	129.480	133.852	137.331	144.970	147.024
Fuels and utilities	203.006	215.184	208.760	212.505	217.674	218.496	224.407	231.150	224.606
Household energy	183.516	194.335	184.886	186.338	189.711	187.642	192.224	197.092	187.674
Fuel oil and other fuels	299.296	256.209	262.649	298.037	340.512	335.590	345.274	297.829	238.016
Fuel oil	319.208	252.024	268.396	312.718	369.085	382.532	375.607	303.844	226.289
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁷	324.116	323.105	309.643	334.070	356.672	314.912	359.010	342.350	300.407
Energy services ⁵	185.155	199.487	188.724	188.443	189.891	187.880	192.394	199.592	191.941
Electricity ⁵	173.357	188.342	187.388	188.711	192.777	191.879	198.043	204.275	202.479
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	220.496	232.548	190.497	185.106	178.193	173.098	172.898	182.908	157.750
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	146.878	156.390	165.204	174.543	182.758	193.237	200.203	209.414	217.004
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁵	319.460	341.965	365.664	390.362	411.067	438.486	455.317	480.698	500.515
Garbage and trash collection ⁸	353.439	371.093	379.248	387.884	398.720	410.416	422.237	428.187	436.428
Household furnishings and operations	126.066	128.535	127.119	123.931	125.170	125.202	123.409	122.237	121.994
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	79.801	76.079	73.655	68.488	68.666	65.978	63.625	61.338	60.288
Floor coverings ¹	119.083	120.576	117.287	113.039	114.497	110.168	106.969	107.817	108.247
Window coverings ¹	85.646	85.257	79.977	73.405	73.982	74.770	73.934	72.199	66.982
Other linens ¹	68.305	62.517	61.602	57.039	56.861	53.298	50.653	48.044	47.788
Furniture and bedding	123.506	123.379	123.373	117.780	120.117	119.669	116.859	114.983	113.993
Bedroom furniture	142.055	142.693	139.258	136.893	139.848	135.805	134.516	131.275	131.052
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	90.510	89.411	91.131	87.879	89.506	89.624	88.970	87.322	85.767
Other furniture ¹	85.986	87.597	86.892	76.982	78.528	80.770	73.716	74.289	74.501
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	76.943
Major appliances ¹	99.903	101.990	99.009	94.399	97.398	101.180	95.261	88.705	84.454
Laundry equipment ²	115.994	116.576	112.673	105.824	110.060	118.631	107.840	99.811	96.468
Other appliances ¹	75.756	75.935	74.307	71.954	71.208	70.605	69.964	67.795	66.591
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	74.948	74.767	72.130	68.762	66.048	64.481	61.571	59.145	58.004
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	70.179	68.602	65.126	60.678	56.640	54.549	50.700	47.754	45.567
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	124.005	129.884	126.116	124.904	126.551	125.934	125.067	127.435	130.442
Dishes and flatware ¹	72.305	71.721	70.080	64.725	60.432	58.346	56.464	52.681	55.544
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	93.341	95.330	95.600	96.306	96.837	96.892	94.738	91.257	88.456
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	93.772	94.010	92.642	90.678	91.302	91.534	90.914	90.985	90.632
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	99.028	99.541	97.073	96.160	98.667	99.656	100.007	100.822	98.844
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	91.213	91.115	90.115	87.697	87.663	87.594	86.605	86.365	86.680
Housekeeping supplies	170.743	182.569	183.109	183.510	189.372	190.079	188.169	186.667	186.573
Household cleaning products ¹	112.712	120.558	122.280	120.308	124.149	123.181	120.335	119.232	118.597
Household paper products ¹	138.930	154.754	155.772	160.884	165.304	169.083	170.053	168.823	169.704
Miscellaneous household products ¹	113.655	117.609	115.953	115.954	120.085	120.379	119.532	118.675	118.708
Household operations ¹	142.100	150.689	150.172	150.648	152.729	156.143	159.228	163.689	168.432
Domestic services ¹	139.648	143.688	144.263	145.702	145.843	148.275	152.971	154.837	156.046
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	141.672	NA	156.052	155.049	157.354	160.398	161.853	169.012	172.899

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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								Nov. 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	144.616
Repair of household items ¹	165.089	173.193	178.830	NA	193.882	202.256	209.290	217.559	223.449
Apparel	118.257	117.078	119.357	118.071	123.470	125.656	126.461	123.942	127.039
Men's and boys' apparel	112.026	110.767	110.633	109.711	115.997	118.525	119.602	116.073	120.613
Men's apparel	116.489	114.775	115.301	114.499	120.884	122.304	123.200	119.488	123.523
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	121.449	116.071	113.718	113.731	113.764	112.448	115.218	107.041	109.473
Men's furnishings	126.721	134.123	136.207	137.818	147.287	153.606	156.248	152.544	155.739
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	81.560	78.307	79.733	76.847	82.609	81.807	81.842	78.128	82.172
Men's pants and shorts	108.284	104.650	104.203	105.013	111.249	114.011	116.014	114.222	118.094
Boys' apparel	95.216	95.395	93.228	91.932	97.771	103.696	105.311	102.442	108.420
Women's and girls' apparel	109.418	105.456	108.304	105.739	110.918	111.974	113.944	109.866	112.578
Women's apparel	110.570	106.734	109.851	107.530	111.875	113.103	116.714	112.640	115.931
Women's outerwear	96.725	95.894	100.512	98.933	103.085	106.233	113.548	117.620	118.059
Women's dresses	115.453	110.886	112.306	106.405	110.535	112.928	120.974	122.950	122.981
Women's suits and separates ¹	87.306	82.653	83.985	80.974	82.259	83.851	85.853	78.825	82.933
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	88.867	88.612	93.355	94.905	102.812	101.795	103.725	103.447	105.069
Girls' apparel	103.475	98.956	100.550	96.881	105.860	106.134	100.679	96.612	96.682
Footwear	122.258	124.093	128.492	126.585	128.208	133.908	132.589	136.275	137.649
Men's footwear	120.906	125.664	127.787	126.710	130.094	135.305	134.511	136.979	137.809
Boys' and girls' footwear	125.993	131.745	133.820	134.677	136.851	141.361	143.894	152.718	151.841
Women's footwear	120.615	118.767	125.675	122.015	122.166	128.628	125.344	127.439	130.154
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	113.779	112.568	112.695	112.558	118.032	119.652	117.580	118.080	125.069
Jewelry and watches ⁷	134.325	143.607	146.340	154.308	165.037	163.629	163.132	156.184	156.234
Watches ⁷	113.726	117.491	114.260	113.415	114.934	120.221	120.953	119.730	122.608
Jewelry ⁷	139.691	150.122	154.017	163.966	176.775	171.656	170.502	161.753	160.729
Transportation	189.984	164.628	188.318	198.280	208.585	211.853	212.911	199.777	194.404
Private transportation	186.134	159.411	183.766	193.545	203.809	206.874	207.997	194.641	188.675
New and used motor vehicles ¹	94.754	91.408	96.421	97.046	99.795	99.743	100.440	99.544	99.778
New vehicles	136.664	132.308	138.857	138.567	142.953	145.181	145.766	146.524	146.804
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	94.727	91.677	96.214	96.051	99.085	100.627	101.022	101.580	101.753
New cars ²	136.371	134.930	139.728	138.147	143.619	145.163	144.360	144.274	143.456
New trucks ^{2 8}	141.191	133.657	142.520	143.915	147.210	150.343	152.481	154.410	155.571
Used cars and trucks	136.943	125.883	137.406	142.454	148.140	145.234	148.183	141.957	143.247
Leased cars and trucks ¹⁰	93.464	99.045	99.045	94.799	92.041	88.319	85.476	85.350	84.495
Car and truck rental ¹	113.982	118.241	125.705	124.766	124.088	125.249	126.563	126.545	119.294
Motor fuel	258.132	149.132	224.730	256.025	282.501	287.408	284.445	225.165	191.680
Gasoline (all types)	256.790	146.102	224.260	255.319	280.713	285.606	282.773	223.404	190.701
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	256.775	143.918	223.353	254.854	280.216	284.770	281.449	220.773	186.747
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 11}	261.983	152.838	230.558	261.556	287.561	292.754	290.346	233.546	206.666
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	247.369	148.343	218.751	246.748	271.078	277.218	276.812	226.066	201.739
Other motor fuels ¹	248.393	185.983	203.092	234.947	280.326	284.725	278.685	245.509	179.368
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	123.928	133.077	134.781	139.223	147.499	148.761	145.664	144.693	143.967
Tires	113.060	119.796	121.348	126.263	134.417	134.666	129.637	127.212	126.106
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	132.574	145.311	147.139	149.905	157.340	160.930	163.124	165.908	166.232
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ²	131.420	139.882	142.377	143.371	147.661	151.360	153.799	156.046	157.087
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ²	240.510	298.121	292.337	311.036	354.170	364.251	363.480	372.142	365.842
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	226.120	239.356	245.417	250.134	255.644	258.845	263.081	268.588	272.090
Motor vehicle body work	236.039	245.361	251.006	257.224	261.779	267.804	273.488	279.096	283.105
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	204.331	219.020	224.018	225.972	231.079	235.363	237.716	242.940	244.483
Motor vehicle repair ¹	139.602	146.705	150.735	154.745	158.184	159.292	162.609	165.886	168.981
Motor vehicle insurance	336.915	350.308	366.799	383.024	396.193	414.773	428.640	448.933	471.933
Motor vehicle fees ¹	142.248	147.741	163.829	166.101	169.269	172.915	175.764	176.374	180.504
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	171.729
Parking and other fees ¹	147.630	156.704	165.205	167.462	172.468	183.453	188.058	192.196	195.119
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	153.178	166.315	176.892	179.394	186.142	201.702	207.399	212.922	217.048
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	119.323	117.295	119.061	120.437	122.479	125.245	125.593	125.132	125.901
Public transportation	233.408	237.638	245.203	257.172	266.958	273.364	273.161	265.356	270.809
Airline fare	255.873	259.566	270.667	286.438	299.315	305.733	301.357	287.175	294.143
Other intercity transportation	156.648	155.454	149.138	153.604	152.822	154.882	156.185	155.159	154.592

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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								Nov. 2015
	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	108.734
Ship fare ^{1 2}	72.918	67.057	64.686	62.534	63.221	61.273	62.321	61.123	64.008
Intracity transportation	232.378	244.260	256.436	264.284	275.715	286.139	295.758	299.041	306.588
Intracity mass transit ^{2 12}	-	-	100.000	104.471	109.135	112.476	116.854	118.118	121.427
Medical care	357.661	367.133	379.516	391.946	405.629	418.654	427.089	439.720	451.371
Medical care commodities	293.610	298.361	308.221	317.199	327.254	332.684	333.801	349.750	356.286
Medicinal drugs ¹²	-	-	100.000	103.070	106.523	108.276	108.742	114.134	116.436
Prescription drugs	374.389	379.943	396.526	412.786	429.817	437.905	441.589	469.778	482.478
Nonprescription drugs ¹²	-	-	100.000	98.975	99.089	99.742	98.445	98.278	97.673
Medical equipment and supplies ¹²	-	-	100.000	99.945	99.594	101.529	99.878	100.803	99.365
Medical care services	376.940	388.267	401.452	415.079	430.005	445.955	457.296	468.393	481.894
Professional services	304.784	313.886	321.827	330.651	337.907	344.409	351.594	357.631	364.456
Physicians' services ⁵	306.304	315.233	323.124	334.112	342.966	349.910	356.469	361.659	370.599
Dental services ⁵	366.225	379.603	391.677	402.386	411.438	422.937	434.955	442.874	455.229
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁷	172.811	173.377	176.391	176.933	178.161	178.704	180.765	185.379	183.546
Services by other medical professionals ^{5 7}	200.312	207.850	211.524	215.427	218.223	220.029	224.580	229.057	228.365
Hospital and related services	515.677	543.585	581.968	621.176	653.839	684.005	710.891	743.152	773.151
Hospital services ^{5 13}	189.908	201.053	216.570	232.953	246.377	258.486	269.365	282.547	294.765
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 5 13}	183.595	194.073	209.075	228.222	242.364	252.510	263.581	278.103	290.054
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 5 7}	442.085	466.736	504.843	530.654	556.975	587.688	610.065	637.750	660.324
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{5 13}	161.981	167.097	173.095	178.531	183.780	190.397	196.142	201.872	208.108
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁴	106.602	108.281	109.971	111.595	113.724	114.787	115.179	117.263	118.741
Health insurance ⁴	115.727	111.697	108.325	104.030	110.334	121.310	122.373	121.715	125.969
Recreation ¹	111.705	113.674	113.212	112.345	113.499	114.442	114.855	114.875	115.763
Video and audio ¹	102.691	101.629	99.873	97.167	98.225	98.515	99.010	98.702	99.414
Televisions	15.352	12.378	8.983	7.271	6.025	4.969	4.277	3.561	3.195
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁸	353.432	359.854	368.083	369.132	383.032	396.775	407.644	416.436	423.953
Other video equipment ¹	22.009	18.833	16.947	14.663	13.066	11.494	10.680	10.596	10.511
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	72.027
Video discs and other media ^{1 2}	64.303	61.029	55.958	51.710	51.151	47.868	43.108	40.382	40.532
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	120.598
Audio equipment	53.242	50.650	48.213	46.261	43.415	40.689	39.128	36.267	36.046
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	105.202	104.528	95.165	92.277	89.448	88.664	90.758	87.473	87.529
Pets, pet products and services ¹	136.947	150.242	152.943	154.783	160.427	162.915	164.992	166.919	167.276
Pets and pet products	170.641	191.503	193.281	191.867	197.465	199.510	200.117	200.634	196.667
Pet food ^{1 2}	122.446	141.485	142.867	142.663	147.809	152.099	153.766	154.418	151.724
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2}	114.293	117.639	118.375	115.550	118.038	115.223	114.391	114.795	111.860
Pet services including veterinary ¹	169.281	179.657	185.234	193.868	203.330	208.260	214.295	220.099	228.543
Pet services ^{1 2}	144.294	153.922	155.941	159.003	166.151	169.767	174.785	177.896	183.181
Veterinarian services ^{1 2}	174.382	185.269	192.436	201.702	211.015	216.164	223.093	229.527	239.103
Sporting goods	116.125	119.632	118.314	117.671	117.640	118.800	117.054	114.470	113.851
Sports vehicles including bicycles	138.424	139.862	139.648	142.569	147.899	150.199	149.239	147.635	147.582
Sports equipment	95.030	100.316	98.056	94.616	90.352	90.681	88.429	85.645	84.831
Photography ¹	81.737	80.236	80.606	77.780	79.602	76.774	76.067	76.047	75.036
Photographic equipment and supplies	79.082	74.245	72.637	65.128	65.107	60.142	57.776	56.477	54.057
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2}	86.304	86.915	89.475	88.957	95.798	100.568	104.095	128.412	123.220
Photographic equipment ^{1 2}	38.800	35.196	33.844	29.258	28.774	26.206	24.736	23.233	22.309
Photographers and film processing ¹	106.295	108.430	111.306	112.976	117.366	117.674	119.636	122.229	123.959
Photographer fees ^{1 2}	117.023	117.795	120.763	118.872	124.788	124.739	126.977	128.388	129.775
Film processing ^{1 2}	99.692	102.004	105.993	109.581	113.184	113.484	115.099	119.462	122.100
Other recreational goods ¹	62.868	60.213	58.316	56.206	54.431	52.194	49.846	47.935	45.917
Toys	68.585	63.944	59.985	57.098	54.433	51.207	48.515	45.908	43.188
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2}	67.586	64.308	62.449	59.454	58.505	56.911	55.683	54.053	51.927
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	86.794	88.423	92.515	94.105	97.989	100.910	96.491	96.552	98.070
Music instruments and accessories ¹	95.018	96.680	97.671	96.452	95.271	95.987	97.431	99.802	99.923
Other recreation services ¹	140.427	143.750	144.023	145.282	146.309	149.746	151.385	152.622	156.595
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	129.403
Admissions	307.108	316.607	319.307	323.606	322.494	335.936	340.305	342.560	356.225

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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								Nov. 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	169.546
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	163.370	172.671	174.389	175.814	174.767	185.548	189.859	195.071	208.325
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁷	248.080	257.231	264.055	266.872	268.184	277.304	278.052	283.713	292.013
Recreational reading materials	208.036	215.325	221.333	220.181	221.146	226.532	233.323	238.568	242.630
Newspapers and magazines ¹	122.709	128.653	134.986	135.196	139.136	147.729	155.909	163.421	165.319
Recreational books ¹	104.305	106.299	106.493	105.098	102.471	100.332	100.051	99.132	101.534
Education and communication ¹	121.506	125.921	128.883	130.548	132.728	134.694	136.857	137.410	139.527
Education ¹	176.927	186.916	195.672	203.343	212.745	220.818	228.578	236.066	244.865
Educational books and supplies	434.352	464.544	496.580	513.904	540.742	578.816	607.855	635.884	660.713
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	510.016	538.309	562.610	584.840	611.633	633.523	655.130	676.032	701.154
College tuition and fees	559.190	591.804	627.061	652.495	691.768	719.677	747.746	773.407	800.652
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	556.271	590.037	613.370	637.450	661.200	684.254	710.442	738.567	766.454
Child care and nursery school ⁹	219.405	230.326	235.532	244.308	249.713	256.385	261.922	267.799	279.456
Technical and business school tuition and fees ¹	183.016	189.275	196.480	204.472	215.928	222.158	228.799	232.899	235.381
Communication ¹	83.282	84.737	84.809	83.913	82.990	82.496	82.344	80.681	80.355
Postage and delivery services ¹	132.091	136.357	143.156	146.000	152.285	158.134	167.946	174.356	174.460
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	280.757
Information and information processing ¹	80.546	81.886	81.728	80.730	79.599	78.975	78.607	76.846	76.521
Telephone services ¹	98.792	101.688	102.707	101.739	101.397	101.654	101.636	99.484	100.269
Wireless telephone services ¹	64.011	64.361	63.629	61.339	59.931	59.447	58.249	55.894	55.908
Land-line telephone services ¹²	-	-	100.000	102.225	104.131	106.131	109.350	111.372	113.904
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	10.215	9.906	9.423	9.232	8.818	8.528	8.392	8.182	7.932
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ³	100.000	88.529	77.960	73.559	64.348	58.764	54.869	49.089	46.716
Computer software and accessories ¹	50.722	50.180	48.930	43.791	43.187	40.079	37.237	36.807	36.660
Internet services and electronic information providers ¹	73.176	75.899	75.642	76.396	75.987	75.797	76.922	78.188	76.875
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	22.478
Other goods and services	337.633	349.220	377.330	384.502	391.043	396.814	404.097	410.642	418.351
Tobacco and smoking products	566.696	602.644	783.794	827.680	847.063	862.945	890.438	916.707	943.157
Cigarettes ¹	229.969	244.647	319.378	337.573	345.001	351.585	362.727	373.859	385.026
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	163.226	172.664	210.845	219.980	229.262	232.482	240.420	243.854	247.556
Personal care	197.643	202.774	205.823	207.196	210.257	213.099	216.109	218.850	222.367
Personal care products	158.236	161.397	162.275	160.656	160.825	161.147	162.399	162.901	163.143
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	103.171
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	176.418	181.661	183.917	182.363	185.648	185.555	186.989	188.856	188.899
Personal care services	219.656	226.281	228.343	230.159	232.302	236.460	240.709	244.345	250.679
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	134.026	138.068	139.326	140.435	141.742	144.279	146.872	149.091	152.955
Miscellaneous personal services	329.908	339.698	348.697	356.475	367.912	375.951	384.416	392.415	403.691
Legal services ⁷	262.910	274.810	283.418	292.614	300.480	306.049	314.281	318.795	328.393
Funeral expenses ⁷	256.560	270.369	278.644	284.595	291.088	297.379	305.028	308.825	317.847
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	130.834	137.122	140.340	143.423	145.339	148.520	150.331	153.625	157.872
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	182.821
Financial services ⁷	273.241	258.195	262.572	264.654	283.390	290.867	298.333	308.869	317.997
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	129.839	122.325	124.260	126.498	135.703	141.021	147.674	147.782	148.398
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	218.149
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	87.487	88.754	89.262	87.660	86.792	86.228	84.333	83.865	80.882
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	154.060	155.308	157.926	156.653	157.573	157.618	155.801	155.753	151.426
Infants' equipment ^{2 4}	95.663	98.654	NA	95.827	92.346	88.974	87.757	87.101	85.222
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	170.511	163.582	172.572	176.015	183.345	185.204	185.620	181.926	179.825
Commodities less food and beverages	150.162	135.720	148.441	151.854	157.921	158.782	158.269	149.965	146.120
Nondurables less food and beverages	188.635	161.681	185.689	193.856	204.529	207.019	206.868	191.838	184.361
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	236.735	192.948	231.169	245.458	259.668	262.409	261.666	238.493	224.255

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								Nov. 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	107.926
Services	249.225	256.731	259.055	262.074	267.737	273.694	280.102	287.129	294.118
Rent of shelter ⁶	252.669	257.567	258.303	259.418	264.341	270.122	276.978	284.934	293.667
Transportation services	236.504	246.287	256.014	263.264	269.858	276.982	281.680	286.585	294.800
Other services	289.945	300.067	306.436	310.824	318.043	324.870	331.067	335.162	342.467
All items less food	210.610	208.855	215.703	218.921	224.805	228.709	232.314	233.079	235.633
All items less shelter	199.734	198.127	205.888	209.996	217.260	220.582	222.834	222.267	222.526
All items less medical care	202.600	202.442	207.860	210.712	216.875	220.408	223.631	224.921	227.042
Commodities less food	152.344	138.536	151.052	154.443	160.453	161.405	161.014	152.990	149.282
Nondurables less food	189.844	165.032	187.864	195.703	205.966	208.549	208.623	194.603	187.637
Nondurables less food and apparel	233.014	194.403	229.250	242.401	255.567	258.414	258.079	237.355	224.602
Nondurables	198.422	189.557	202.064	208.028	218.411	221.668	222.790	218.358	215.413
Apparel less footwear	112.990	111.235	112.993	111.887	117.890	119.237	120.472	116.574	119.967
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	263.966	275.370	279.896	285.481	292.487	299.113	305.482	311.948	317.405
Services less medical care services	238.894	246.090	247.793	250.191	255.271	260.580	266.629	273.341	279.865
Energy	217.506	171.158	202.301	217.953	232.300	233.473	234.542	209.785	189.267
All items less energy	210.890	215.930	219.048	221.045	226.795	231.043	234.768	239.186	244.023
All items less food and energy	212.356	216.100	220.025	221.795	226.740	231.033	235.000	238.775	244.075
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	140.014	139.228	143.383	142.830	145.929	146.387	146.277	145.127	145.624
Energy commodities	261.976	155.745	228.186	259.903	287.363	291.815	289.461	230.195	195.291
Services less energy services	255.785	262.636	266.237	269.572	275.643	282.400	289.001	296.021	304.441
Domestically produced farm food	211.109	224.865	218.813	223.186	236.613	240.239	241.358	251.370	251.236
Utilities and public transportation	191.955	201.511	199.834	201.759	205.245	207.478	211.039	213.925	213.226

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								Nov. 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	1.1
Food and beverages	4.8	5.8	-4	1.5	4.5	1.8	1.1	3.3	.9
Food	4.9	5.9	-5	1.5	4.7	1.8	1.1	3.4	.9
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	1.2
Cereals and cereal products	4.1	13.1	-1.4	-8	7.2	-7	-3	-3	.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	7.4	21.0	-4.2	-1.4	12.0	2.3	-2.6	-1.9	-2.2
Breakfast cereal	2.7	4.9	.1	-1.3	6.5	-8	.2	1.3	-.5
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	5.2	26.7	-2.9	.2	6.9	-1.5	-6	-2.1	3.4
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	.8
White bread ¹	11.3	12.0	-3.4	.8	5.8	2.3	-.4	.9	.3
Bread other than white ¹	10.1	13.3	-3.7	2.1	9.3	-.2	2.0	.8	1.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	4.5	13.5	-2.6	2.0	6.4	1.3	.5	1.9	2.1
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	5.8	8.7	2.7	-.4	4.4	1.3	1.7	.6	2.3
Cookies ¹	2.8	8.5	4.3	-1.0	3.2	1.8	2.4	-.2	.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	8.4	8.9	1.0	.4	5.8	1.5	.7	1.5	4.9
Other bakery products	2.4	10.8	.7	-1.2	5.4	2.3	.7	.4	1.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ¹	3.4	7.4	.5	.6	6.2	5.4	2.4	.6	2.3
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ¹	1.4	12.1	1.1	-2.8	7.1	1.4	.3	1.0	.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ¹	3.6	10.4	2.4	-1.2	4.4	.3	1.1	-.5	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	5.4	5.1	-3.8	5.5	7.9	1.5	2.9	9.2	-.7
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.0	6.1	-3.6	5.4	8.0	1.5	2.8	9.1	-1.8
Meats	3.3	5.8	-5.2	7.2	9.4	.8	2.2	12.7	-2.0
Beef and veal	5.0	6.2	-4.7	6.1	11.5	4.6	1.7	18.7	-2.0
Uncooked ground beef	5.2	11.1	-6.1	6.2	11.9	5.6	1.7	19.2	-3.4
Uncooked beef roasts ²	5.1	5.0	-2.5	4.9	13.0	3.2	3.1	20.6	-3.7
Uncooked beef steaks ²	5.1	1.5	-5.1	5.4	11.0	4.1	1.1	16.0	.7
Uncooked other beef and veal ²	4.0	6.3	-.8	10.8	8.7	4.2	2.2	24.0	-3.1
Pork	1.4	5.1	-7.8	11.2	8.1	-3.3	4.5	8.2	-4.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ²	3.2	2.3	-5.2	12.0	8.2	-2.4	8.2	2.4	-1.5
Bacon and related products ¹	3.8	.3	-3.7	13.7	12.4	-1.8	9.6	-1.0	2.3
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	2.3	4.3	-5.5	8.4	5.7	-4.1	7.4	7.3	-6.7
Ham	1.4	5.4	-8.5	11.3	5.7	-2.3	2.1	13.1	-7.4
Ham, excluding canned ¹	1.2	5.3	-8.8	11.4	5.9	-2.8	1.9	14.4	-8.7
Pork chops .....	.8	6.6	-8.0	7.6	8.6	-3.7	3.1	10.1	-8.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics ²	-.4	7.8	-11.0	12.8	9.7	-5.4	1.9	12.5	-6.0
Other meats	1.8	5.8	-2.4	3.9	6.7	-1.2	.2	7.4	1.7
Frankfurters ¹	4.9	3.9	-5.0	7.5	8.0	-1.2	-1.8	12.1	3.1
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	1.5	7.0	-.5	1.6	5.3	-.5	1.0	5.8	2.3
Lamb and organ meats ¹	-	9.2	1.7	16.2	9.5	-7.8	-.3	8.8	.3
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	-	-	-.8	15.9	20.1	-16.5	-5.4	3.2	2.0
Poultry	6.3	5.8	-1.5	1.3	4.8	5.7	3.0	1.6	-.8
Chicken ²	7.4	5.4	-2.1	1.4	2.9	6.0	3.5	2.1	-1.5
Fresh whole chicken ¹	8.7	7.9	-4.4	5.0	4.0	3.6	5.3	3.0	-2.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	7.3	4.0	-.4	-.1	2.3	7.1	2.1	1.6	-1.5
Other poultry including turkey ²	1.4	7.4	1.2	.9	12.4	4.6	1.0	-.5	2.3
Fish and seafood	4.7	7.7	.0	4.2	6.8	-.1	4.6	4.3	-2.3
Fresh fish and seafood ²	5.2	6.1	-1.4	7.8	5.9	-1.5	6.4	5.6	-2.3
Processed fish and seafood ²	4.1	9.7	1.5	.4	7.9	1.4	2.7	3.0	-2.3
Shelf stable fish and seafood ¹	3.2	15.0	3.4	-.9	6.7	6.9	-.6	1.3	.9
Frozen fish and seafood ¹	5.1	6.1	2.1	2.7	8.3	-2.2	6.4	5.2	-5.3
Eggs	32.6	-9.1	-6.6	6.1	6.4	1.1	5.8	10.7	14.9
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	-8.5
Fresh whole milk ¹	22.0	-4.4	-12.8	5.6	9.5	2.9	-.2	5.2	-9.4
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	16.9	-2.5	-8.4	4.7	9.0	1.0	.3	4.1	-8.0
Cheese and related products	13.0	8.4	-9.3	4.3	7.8	.1	-1.0	8.2	-3.1
Ice cream and related products	3.6	5.6	-2.1	2.6	9.0	-1.3	.6	3.5	-1.6
Other dairy and related products ²	11.8	2.6	-3.8	1.4	6.0	.1	-1.5	3.7	-.7
Fruits and vegetables	5.9	3.4	-3.0	1.4	2.3	1.8	-.1	3.2	.2

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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								Nov. 2015
	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	0.2
Fresh fruits	5.8	-1.9	-3.7	3.1	-.5	5.5	-2.0	3.6	1.2
Apples	5.9	3.9	-9.9	3.8	7.1	13.3	-6.1	-2.3	3.9
Bananas	4.5	15.8	-8.4	1.9	3.6	.0	-1.1	-.7	.1
Citrus fruits ² .....	.9	.1	.1	9.1	-3.8	3.2	2.8	5.4	7.6
Oranges, including tangerines ¹	-5.9	3.9	4.3	4.5	.2	3.3	4.6	3.7	10.1
Other fresh fruits ²	8.2	-9.0	-1.3	1.3	-3.0	5.7	-2.9	6.2	-2.9
Fresh vegetables	7.0	3.2	-4.0	1.2	2.4	-1.2	1.7	4.6	-.9
Potatoes	3.0	22.1	-16.9	5.4	7.4	-7.4	7.2	-1.8	.6
Lettuce	4.8	1.6	9.8	-7.4	.0	-3.2	2.0	4.4	5.4
Tomatoes	18.9	-10.8	3.2	-10.5	1.3	4.8	-.2	16.5	-10.9
Other fresh vegetables	4.3	3.6	-5.5	6.9	1.9	-.7	.6	2.3	.9
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	4.0	13.5	-.3	-1.0	7.0	.1	.3	.4	.2
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	4.0	16.5	1.0	-1.7	5.7	.5	2.2	-.2	-.4
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	2.8	10.6	.6	-2.6	8.3	1.6	1.2	.5	2.7
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	4.7	19.1	1.6	-1.4	4.9	-.5	2.8	.0	-2.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	3.3	8.0	-3.3	.2	9.8	-1.4	-2.4	1.5	.3
Frozen vegetables ¹ .....	.6	8.8	-3.5	.0	9.1	-2.2	-2.2	.9	-.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	5.5	14.5	.5	-.7	6.0	1.6	.0	.2	1.5
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	12.5	26.8	.1	-2.5	13.8	1.1	-1.0	4.6	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	3.5	5.9	-.9	-1.2	5.8	-.2	-1.4	.7	.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	3.5	7.3	-1.2	-1.9	4.3	.7	-.5	.1	.8
Carbonated drinks	3.4	9.3	.5	-1.5	6.3	.0	-2.2	1.4	.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	13.4	3.9	.8	-.3	13.1	-1.0	2.9	2.3	.0
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	3.0	5.4	-3.0	-2.2	2.5	1.2	.5	-1.0	1.1
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	3.4	3.4	-.4	.8	10.5	-2.7	-4.3	2.6	-1.0
Coffee	5.6	6.2	-2.8	2.5	19.3	-4.3	-7.6	3.6	-1.5
Roasted coffee ¹	8.7	4.6	-2.1	3.4	20.9	-4.5	-9.0	4.2	.1
Instant and freeze dried coffee ¹	-2.4	12.6	-5.0	1.1	10.1	-3.9	-1.5	.2	-5.5
Other beverage materials including tea ²	2.3	1.8	.9	-.7	2.2	-.1	.6	1.0	-.2
Other food at home	3.2	9.3	-.1	.1	5.5	2.0	-.4	1.5	1.2
Sugar and sweets	3.6	8.2	2.8	2.2	3.8	1.1	-2.6	1.1	2.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-.5	6.5	3.8	6.8	3.9	-1.3	-9.2	.2	3.2
Candy and chewing gum ²	4.8	8.5	2.8	1.3	3.1	1.5	-.6	1.8	3.2
Other sweets ²	3.4	8.7	1.8	.9	6.2	2.3	-2.0	-.2	.3
Fats and oils	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.6	13.5	1.7	-2.4	1.0	-1.3
Butter and margarine ²	6.1	18.9	-7.7	9.3	11.1	-.5	-.6	11.6	-.5
Butter ¹	2.2	8.1	-11.5	21.9	1.9	-2.6	.9	22.5	-1.3
Margarine ¹	9.5	27.0	-4.8	1.2	20.3	1.6	-2.5	2.6	-.2
Salad dressing ²	3.6	10.5	.6	1.8	7.9	.2	-1.7	-4.3	.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	6.6	20.9	-5.5	-3.0	18.5	4.0	-3.8	-2.5	-2.7
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	8.7	13.5	-1.0	-4.1	27.2	13.8	-7.5	-3.6	-5.3
Other foods	2.6	8.3	.0	-.5	4.5	2.2	.2	1.7	1.3
Soups	-.1	8.8	-2.2	-1.5	2.5	.4	.0	-.6	3.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	3.8	6.6	-.8	-1.3	3.0	.2	-1.0	1.9	.1
Snacks	4.5	12.9	1.5	.3	7.4	3.7	.9	1.8	1.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	3.5	6.9	2.0	-1.0	5.1	2.6	.2	2.2	3.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	5.8	2.1	3.2	-.3	9.6	.8	.7	4.8	4.6
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	4.1	13.0	-1.4	-2.6	.4	6.5	-1.8	.2	3.7
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	1.1	8.5	3.6	-.6	2.9	3.1	.4	1.7	1.0
Other condiments ¹	6.3	4.9	-2.0	7.7	10.2	2.0	-2.8	1.8	2.7
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	.5
Prepared salads ^{1 3} .....	..	5.7	1.6	-.1	3.1	2.2	3.0	3.9	3.8
Food away from home	4.0	5.0	1.9	1.3	2.9	2.5	2.1	3.0	2.4
Full service meals and snacks ²	3.9	3.9	1.8	1.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	3.1	2.2
Limited service meals and snacks ²	4.1	6.0	1.8	1.0	3.1	2.6	2.0	3.2	2.4
Food at employee sites and schools ²	2.8	5.8	2.8	2.5	3.5	3.4	2.5	1.8	4.9
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{1 4}	3.2	6.2	2.8	2.5	3.4	3.6	2.1	2.3	4.6
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ²	3.4	6.8	2.5	2.2	2.7	2.6	1.2	.5	1.7

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Nov. 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	3.8
Alcoholic beverages	3.8	4.4	1.9	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.3	.7
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	1.1
Distilled spirits at home .....	.6	2.7	1.8	-.5	.1	.2	1.6	.9	-.2
Whiskey at home ¹	2.3	4.0	2.6	-1.3	3.2	.0	2.6	1.5	-.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ¹ .....	.2	1.2	2.1	.1	-1.0	.5	1.1	.8	-.6
Wine at home	3.2	3.8	.0	-1.2	-1.2	.8	.5	.6	-.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home	4.6	4.5	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.0	2.3	2.2	1.2
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	1.2
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	5.8	5.1	2.5	1.6	1.3	3.2	2.4	2.0	.7
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	5.8	3.8	1.7	1.1	4.0	3.4	2.7	2.2	3.6
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	3.0
Rent of primary residence ⁵	4.0	3.4	.7	.8	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.4
Lodging away from home ²	4.6	-3.3	-5.0	2.5	2.0	.7	1.2	6.3	4.9
Housing at school, excluding board ^{5 6}	5.1	4.7	5.0	4.2	3.9	4.2	3.4	2.7	3.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	4.5	-3.8	-5.7	2.0	1.5	-.2	.6	7.3	5.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{5 6}	2.8	2.1	.7	.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	2.8	2.1	.7	.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.9
Tenants' and household insurance ²	-.1	2.6	3.2	1.9	2.6	3.4	2.6	5.6	1.4
Fuels and utilities	5.4	6.0	-3.0	1.8	2.4	.4	2.7	3.0	-2.8
Household energy	5.3	5.9	-4.9	.8	1.8	-1.1	2.4	2.5	-4.8
Fuel oil and other fuels	28.3	-14.4	2.5	13.5	14.3	-1.4	2.9	-13.7	-20.1
Fuel oil	32.5	-21.0	6.5	16.5	18.0	3.6	-1.8	-19.1	-25.5
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁷	19.2	-.3	-4.2	7.9	6.8	-11.7	14.0	-4.6	-12.3
Energy services ⁵	3.4	7.7	-5.4	-.1	.8	-1.1	2.4	3.7	-3.8
Electricity ⁵	5.2	8.6	-.5	.7	2.2	-.5	3.2	3.1	-.9
Utility (piped) gas service ⁵	-.4	5.5	-18.1	-2.8	-3.7	-2.9	-.1	5.8	-13.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	5.4	6.5	5.6	5.7	4.7	5.7	3.6	4.6	3.6
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁵	5.6	7.0	6.9	6.8	5.3	6.7	3.8	5.6	4.1
Garbage and trash collection ⁸	4.8	5.0	2.2	2.3	2.8	2.9	2.9	1.4	1.9
Household furnishings and operations	-.7	2.0	-1.1	-2.5	1.0	.0	-1.4	-.9	-.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ²	-3.2	-4.7	-3.2	-7.0	.3	-3.9	-3.6	-3.6	-1.7
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	-7.2
Other linens ²	-4.2	-8.5	-1.5	-7.4	-.3	-6.3	-5.0	-5.2	-.5
Furniture and bedding	-2.1	-.1	.0	-4.5	2.0	-.4	-2.3	-1.6	-.9
Bedroom furniture	-1.6	.4	-2.4	-1.7	2.2	-2.9	-.9	-2.4	-.2
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ²	-1.9	-1.2	1.9	-3.6	1.9	.1	-.7	-1.9	-1.8
Other furniture ²	-3.4	1.9	-.8	-11.4	2.0	2.9	-8.7	.8	.3
Infants' furniture ^{1 4}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances ²	1.4	1.4	-2.6	-4.1	1.5	1.9	-3.8	-5.2	-3.4
Major appliances ²	2.8	2.1	-2.9	-4.7	3.2	3.9	-5.8	-6.9	-4.8
Laundry equipment ¹	3.2	.5	-3.3	-6.1	4.0	7.8	-9.1	-7.4	-3.3
Other appliances ²	-.5	.2	-2.1	-3.2	-1.0	-.8	-.9	-3.1	-1.8
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	-4.8	-.2	-3.5	-4.7	-3.9	-2.4	-4.5	-3.9	-1.9
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	-9.6	-2.2	-5.1	-6.8	-6.7	-3.7	-7.1	-5.8	-4.6
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	2.0	4.7	-2.9	-1.0	1.3	-.5	-.7	1.9	2.4
Dishes and flatware ²	-2.6	-.8	-2.3	-7.6	-6.6	-3.5	-3.2	-6.7	5.4
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	3.0	2.1	.3	.7	.6	.1	-2.2	-3.7	-3.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	-1.1	.3	-1.5	-2.1	.7	.3	-.7	.1	-.4
Tools, hardware and supplies ²	-1.1	.5	-2.5	-.9	2.6	1.0	.4	.8	-2.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	-1.0	-.1	-1.1	-2.7	.0	-.1	-1.1	-.3	-.4
Housekeeping supplies	1.5	6.9	.3	.2	3.2	.4	-1.0	-.8	-.1
Household cleaning products ²	-.2	7.0	1.4	-1.6	3.2	-.8	-2.3	-.9	-.5
Household paper products ²	3.8	11.4	.7	3.3	2.7	2.3	.6	-.7	.5
Miscellaneous household products ²	2.0	3.5	-1.4	.0	3.6	.2	-.7	-.7	.0
Household operations ²	2.2	6.0	-.3	.3	1.4	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.9
Domestic services ²	1.7	2.9	.4	1.0	.1	1.7	3.2	1.2	.8
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								Nov. 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	9.7
Repair of household items ²	4.2	4.9	3.3	.	.	4.3	3.5	4.0	2.7
Apparel	-3	-1.0	1.9	-1.1	4.6	1.8	.6	-2.0	2.5
Men's and boys' apparel	-1.0	-1.1	-1	-8	5.7	2.2	.9	-3.0	3.9
Men's apparel	-2.4	-1.5	.5	-7	5.6	1.2	.7	-3.0	3.4
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	1.0	-4.4	-2.0	.0	.0	-1.2	2.5	-7.1	2.3
Men's furnishings	-3.8	5.8	1.6	1.2	6.9	4.3	1.7	-2.4	2.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	-7.1	-4.0	1.8	-3.6	7.5	-1.0	.0	-4.5	5.2
Men's pants and shorts	1.4	-3.4	-4	.8	5.9	2.5	-9	1.1	3.4
Boys' apparel	4.2	.2	-2.3	-1.4	6.4	6.1	1.6	-2.7	5.8
Women's and girls' apparel	-7	-3.6	2.7	-2.4	4.9	1.0	1.8	-3.6	2.5
Women's apparel	-9	-3.5	2.9	-2.1	4.0	1.1	3.2	-3.5	2.9
Women's outerwear	-4.9	-9	4.8	-1.6	4.2	3.1	6.9	3.6	.4
Women's dresses	2.7	-4.0	1.3	-5.3	3.9	2.2	7.1	1.6	.0
Women's suits and separates ²	-3	-5.3	1.6	-3.6	1.6	1.9	2.4	-8.2	5.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ²	-2.3	-3	5.4	1.7	8.3	-1.0	1.9	-3	1.6
Girls' apparel .....	.7	-4.4	1.6	-3.6	9.3	.3	-5.1	-4.0	.1
Footwear	-6	1.5	3.5	-1.5	1.3	4.4	-1.0	2.8	1.0
Men's footwear	-2.0	3.9	1.7	-8	2.7	4.0	-6	1.8	.6
Boys' and girls' footwear	2.1	4.6	1.6	.6	1.6	3.3	1.8	6.1	-6
Women's footwear	-9	-1.5	5.8	-2.9	.1	5.3	-2.6	1.7	2.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	-3	-1.1	.1	-1	4.9	1.4	-1.7	.4	5.9
Jewelry and watches ⁷	4.0	6.9	1.9	5.4	7.0	-9	-3	-4.3	.0
Watches ⁷	-1.7	3.3	-2.7	-7	1.3	4.6	.6	-1.0	2.4
Jewelry ⁷	5.0	7.5	2.6	6.5	7.8	-2.9	-7	-5.1	-6
Transportation	8.3	-13.3	14.4	5.3	5.2	1.6	.5	-6.2	-2.7
Private transportation	8.3	-14.4	15.3	5.3	5.3	1.5	.5	-6.4	-3.1
New and used motor vehicles ² .....	.0	-3.5	5.5	.6	2.8	-1	.7	-9	.2
New vehicles	-3	-3.2	4.9	-2	3.2	1.6	.4	.5	.2
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	-3	-3.2	4.9	-2	3.2	1.6	.4	.6	.2
New cars ¹	-4	-1.1	3.6	-1.1	4.0	1.1	-6	-1	-6
New trucks ^{1 8}	-2	-5.3	6.6	1.0	2.3	2.1	1.4	1.3	.8
Used cars and trucks .....	.5	-8.1	9.2	3.7	4.0	-2.0	2.0	-4.2	.9
Leased cars and trucks ¹⁰ .....	.6	6.0	.0	-4.3	-2.9	-4.0	-3.2	-1	-1.0
Car and truck rental ²	-1.2	3.7	6.3	-7	-5	.9	1.0	.0	-5.7
Motor fuel	29.5	-42.2	50.7	13.9	10.3	1.7	-1.0	-20.8	-14.9
Gasoline (all types)	29.6	-43.1	53.5	13.8	9.9	1.7	-1.0	-21.0	-14.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹	29.7	-44.0	55.2	14.1	10.0	1.6	-1.2	-21.6	-15.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 11}	29.6	-41.7	50.9	13.4	9.9	1.8	-8	-19.6	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	28.6	-40.0	47.5	12.8	9.9	2.3	-1	-18.3	-10.8
Other motor fuels ²	24.1	-25.1	9.2	15.7	19.3	1.6	-2.1	-11.9	-26.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	3.7	7.4	1.3	3.3	5.9	.9	-2.1	-7	-.5
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	.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ¹	4.6	6.4	1.8	.7	3.0	2.5	1.6	1.5	.7
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ¹	7.2	24.0	-1.9	6.4	13.9	2.8	-2	2.4	-1.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	3.3	5.9	2.5	1.9	2.2	1.3	1.6	2.1	1.3
Motor vehicle body work	3.5	3.9	2.3	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	3.0	7.2	2.3	.9	2.3	1.9	1.0	2.2	.6
Motor vehicle repair ²	3.5	5.1	2.7	2.7	2.2	.7	2.1	2.0	1.9
Motor vehicle insurance .....	.5	4.0	4.7	4.4	3.4	4.7	3.3	4.7	5.1
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	3.0
Parking and other fees ²	3.7	6.1	5.4	1.4	3.0	6.4	2.5	2.2	1.5
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	4.6	8.6	6.4	1.4	3.8	8.4	2.8	2.7	1.9
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	1.0	-1.7	1.5	1.2	1.7	2.3	.3	-.4	.6
Public transportation	7.2	1.8	3.2	4.9	3.8	2.4	-1	-2.9	2.1
Airline fare	10.6	1.4	4.3	5.8	4.5	2.1	-1.4	-4.7	2.4
Other intercity transportation	1.3	-.8	-4.1	3.0	-.5	1.3	.8	-.7	-.4

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

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Nov. 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	3.0
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	4.7	5.7	1.0	.8	-6	6.2	2.3	2.7	6.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁷	3.8	3.7	2.7	1.1	.5	3.4	.3	2.0	2.9
Recreational reading materials	1.1	3.5	2.8	-.5	.4	2.4	3.0	2.2	1.7
Newspapers and magazines ²	1.4	4.8	4.9	.2	2.9	6.2	5.5	4.8	1.2
Recreational books ² .....	.7	1.9	.2	-1.3	-2.5	-2.1	-.3	-.9	2.4
Education and communication ²	3.0	3.6	2.4	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.6	.4	1.5
Education ²	5.6	5.6	4.7	3.9	4.6	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.7
Educational books and supplies	8.7	7.0	6.9	3.5	5.2	7.0	5.0	4.6	3.9
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	5.4	5.5	4.5	4.0	4.6	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.7
College tuition and fees	6.1	5.8	6.0	4.1	6.0	4.0	3.9	3.4	3.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	5.5	6.1	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.8	4.0	3.8
Child care and nursery school ⁹	3.9	5.0	2.3	3.7	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.2	4.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	4.9	3.4	3.8	4.1	5.6	2.9	3.0	1.8	1.1
Communication ² .....	.2	1.7	.1	-1.1	-1.1	-6	-2	-2.0	-.4
Postage and delivery services ²	4.4	3.2	5.0	2.0	4.3	3.8	6.2	3.8	.1
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	.6
Information and information processing ²	-.1	1.7	-.2	-1.2	-1.4	-.8	-.5	-2.2	-.4
Telephone services ²	2.1	2.9	1.0	-.9	-.3	.3	.0	-2.1	.8
Wireless telephone services ²	-.9	.5	-1.1	-3.6	-2.3	-.8	-2.0	-4.0	.0
Land-line telephone services ¹²	-	-	-	2.2	1.9	1.9	3.0	1.8	2.3
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁴	-8.8	-3.0	-4.9	-2.0	-4.5	-3.3	-1.6	-2.5	-3.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ³	-13.6	-11.5	-11.9	-5.6	-12.5	-8.7	-6.6	-10.5	-4.8
Computer software and accessories ²	-6.4	-1.1	-2.5	-10.5	-1.4	-7.2	-7.1	-1.2	-.4
Internet services and electronic information providers ²	-5.2	3.7	-.3	1.0	-.5	-.3	1.5	1.6	-1.7
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	-13.1
Other goods and services	3.3	3.4	8.0	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.9
Tobacco and smoking products	7.5	6.3	30.1	5.6	2.3	1.9	3.2	3.0	2.9
Cigarettes ²	7.8	6.4	30.5	5.7	2.2	1.9	3.2	3.1	3.0
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ²	3.5	5.8	22.1	4.3	4.2	1.4	3.4	1.4	1.5
Personal care	2.2	2.6	1.5	.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.6
Personal care products	-.5	2.0	.5	-1.0	.1	.2	.8	.3	.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ²	-.3	1.1	-.1	-1.1	-1.6	.4	.8	-.3	.3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	-.6	3.0	1.2	-.8	1.8	-.1	.8	1.0	.0
Personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.8	1.8	1.5	2.6
Haircuts and other personal care services ²	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.8	1.8	1.5	2.6
Miscellaneous personal services	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.2	3.2	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.9
Legal services ⁷	2.9	4.5	3.1	3.2	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.4	3.0
Funeral expenses ⁷	4.8	5.4	3.1	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.6	1.2	2.9
Laundry and dry cleaning services ²	3.1	4.8	2.3	2.2	1.3	2.2	1.2	2.2	2.8
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	2.1
Financial services ⁷	3.9	-5.5	1.7	.8	7.1	2.6	2.6	3.5	3.0
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	2.5	-5.8	1.6	1.8	7.3	3.9	4.7	.1	.4
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	4.0
Miscellaneous personal goods ² .....	.7	1.4	.6	-1.8	-1.0	-.6	-2.2	-.6	-3.6
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ¹	1.6	.8	1.7	-.8	.6	.0	-1.2	.0	-2.8
Infants' equipment ^{1 4}	-1.5	3.1	-	-	-3.6	-3.7	-1.4	-.7	-2.2
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	5.2	-4.1	5.5	2.0	4.2	1.0	.2	-2.0	-1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	5.4	-9.6	9.4	2.3	4.0	.5	-.3	-5.2	-2.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	10.4	-14.3	14.8	4.4	5.5	1.2	-.1	-7.3	-3.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	14.2	-18.5	19.8	6.2	5.8	1.1	-.3	-8.9	-6.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Nov. 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	-0.5
Services	3.3	3.0	.9	1.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.4
Rent of shelter ⁶	3.1	1.9	.3	.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.1
Transportation services	2.5	4.1	3.9	2.8	2.5	2.6	1.7	1.7	2.9
Other services	3.2	3.5	2.1	1.4	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.2	2.2
All items less food	4.0	-8	3.3	1.5	2.7	1.7	1.6	.3	1.1
All items less shelter	4.5	-8	3.9	2.0	3.5	1.5	1.0	-3	.1
All items less medical care	4.0	-1	2.7	1.4	2.9	1.6	1.5	.6	.9
Commodities less food	5.3	-9.1	9.0	2.2	3.9	.6	-2	-5.0	-2.4
Nondurables less food	9.9	-13.1	13.8	4.2	5.2	1.3	.0	-6.7	-3.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	13.2	-16.6	17.9	5.7	5.4	1.1	-1	-8.0	-5.4
Nondurables	7.5	-4.5	6.6	3.0	5.0	1.5	.5	-2.0	-1.3
Apparel less footwear	-3	-1.6	1.6	-1.0	5.4	1.1	1.0	-3.2	2.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	3.6	4.3	1.6	2.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.7
Services less medical care services	3.1	3.0	.7	1.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.4
Energy	17.4	-21.3	18.2	7.7	6.6	.5	.5	-10.6	-9.8
All items less energy	2.8	2.4	1.4	.9	2.6	1.9	1.6	1.9	2.0
All items less food and energy	2.4	1.8	1.8	.8	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.6	2.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.1	-6	3.0	-.4	2.2	.3	-1	-8	.3
Energy commodities	29.4	-40.5	46.5	13.9	10.6	1.5	-8	-20.5	-15.2
Services less energy services	3.3	2.7	1.4	1.3	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.8
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	-.3

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	232.661	232.373	231.721	.

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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								Nov. 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	231.721
All items (1967=100)	612.948	610.075	630.600	641.200	661.766	672.854	682.639	684.828	690.227
Food and beverages	206.141	218.269	217.186	220.508	230.642	234.618	237.159	245.124	247.271
Food	205.855	218.155	216.679	220.062	230.624	234.563	236.986	245.277	247.434
Food at home	204.141	217.498	212.041	215.748	228.925	231.803	232.795	241.683	241.349
Cereals and bakery products	226.696	253.759	251.570	251.419	266.752	268.730	270.252	271.629	274.678
Cereals and cereal products	196.937	223.504	220.044	217.960	233.774	232.390	231.576	230.665	232.288
Flour and prepared flour mixes	190.120	229.039	218.595	216.090	242.361	247.489	240.702	237.336	230.738
Breakfast cereal	208.175	218.381	218.580	215.560	229.605	228.020	228.527	231.348	230.804
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	184.496	233.048	226.081	225.782	241.336	237.827	236.516	230.829	238.539
Bakery products	243.149	270.252	268.885	269.887	284.843	289.468	292.823	295.666	299.608
Bread ¹	147.613	166.349	160.563	162.997	173.485	176.421	178.121	180.437	181.386
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	140.373	159.319	155.735	158.627	168.910	171.077	171.941	175.492	179.362
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	228.155	247.775	254.648	253.730	265.148	267.573	273.187	275.230	281.335
Other bakery products	219.795	243.351	244.918	242.901	255.346	261.202	263.552	264.438	267.041
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	198.489	208.639	200.623	211.858	228.845	232.186	238.792	261.393	259.407
Meats, poultry, and fish	196.452	208.480	200.836	212.009	229.209	232.678	238.877	261.293	256.434
Meats	195.296	206.941	196.375	210.850	231.020	232.491	237.970	268.934	263.382
Beef and veal	213.259	227.130	216.156	229.728	256.334	268.107	272.763	324.641	317.920
Uncooked ground beef	186.988	207.556	194.559	206.820	232.246	245.269	249.429	297.779	286.994
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	154.068	162.136	157.240	165.223	186.482	192.911	198.711	238.855	230.181
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	153.152	155.559	148.214	156.178	172.906	179.664	181.311	212.144	213.513
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	147.341	156.835	154.481	171.694	187.851	196.242	201.840	249.027	240.996
Pork	177.887	186.701	172.260	191.689	207.457	200.699	209.586	226.887	215.674
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	125.971	128.835	121.794	136.610	148.085	144.686	156.556	160.773	158.401
Ham	176.895	186.378	171.729	192.294	202.592	197.115	201.065	227.233	209.878
Pork chops	167.784	178.092	163.913	176.129	191.845	185.916	190.988	209.588	194.839
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹ ..	108.820	116.862	104.617	118.084	129.836	122.970	125.345	140.864	131.979
Other meats	186.035	197.514	193.620	201.515	215.574	212.346	213.609	229.562	233.744
Poultry	194.314	205.506	202.388	204.468	213.483	226.209	232.134	236.400	234.342
Chicken ¹	127.898	134.854	132.050	133.549	137.294	145.913	150.253	153.544	151.246
Other poultry including turkey ¹	114.166	122.553	124.030	124.644	140.081	146.708	148.495	148.486	152.154
Fish and seafood	223.236	239.504	239.238	249.371	266.290	266.388	277.170	289.026	282.404
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	132.570	139.815	137.987	148.706	158.079	156.030	164.751	174.169	170.228
Processed fish and seafood ¹	115.420	126.376	127.997	128.635	138.066	139.863	143.529	147.750	144.325
Eggs	234.691	212.916	198.504	210.890	224.323	225.725	238.598	263.969	303.647
Dairy and related products	205.149	209.922	193.546	200.958	217.503	218.289	217.377	228.845	219.118
Milk ¹	149.236	144.176	128.979	135.635	148.167	150.914	151.035	157.596	144.044
Cheese and related products	200.799	217.373	196.937	205.729	222.204	221.845	219.459	237.541	229.929
Ice cream and related products	189.727	200.306	195.768	200.811	218.938	215.808	216.838	224.677	221.562
Other dairy and related products ¹	136.149	139.820	134.414	138.060	144.184	144.064	142.755	148.249	146.966
Fruits and vegetables	269.533	278.835	270.279	273.977	280.711	285.426	284.878	294.154	294.954
Fresh fruits and vegetables	322.717	324.316	311.627	318.535	321.559	328.790	327.744	341.236	342.273
Fresh fruits	338.490	333.638	319.843	331.197	329.693	348.347	340.760	351.893	358.095
Apples	294.385	304.463	275.345	286.422	305.927	347.452	324.578	315.081	329.436
Bananas	183.352	212.173	194.027	197.763	206.769	207.308	203.683	202.555	202.927
Citrus fruits ¹	183.278	181.951	182.025	199.921	191.842	199.529	204.682	215.593	232.136
Other fresh fruits ¹	133.873	121.829	119.566	121.370	117.671	124.514	120.704	128.108	124.779
Fresh vegetables	306.165	313.763	302.178	304.975	312.122	308.054	313.466	329.457	324.984
Potatoes	275.821	331.842	276.458	292.452	314.226	290.893	311.670	305.645	306.803
Lettuce	286.234	291.564	318.530	296.068	293.170	283.580	288.781	302.841	319.684
Tomatoes	373.203	333.609	342.058	305.839	309.725	325.170	325.830	380.425	336.251
Other fresh vegetables	302.224	311.812	296.805	316.814	322.774	319.611	321.349	329.820	332.564
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	127.813	145.395	144.715	143.046	153.196	153.165	153.460	154.262	154.518
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	127.130	148.284	149.616	146.637	155.090	155.509	158.742	158.743	157.951
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	127.862	138.253	133.373	133.137	146.424	144.290	140.690	142.873	143.468
Other processed fruits and vegetables including drier ¹	128.005	147.495	148.254	147.658	156.566	158.799	158.021	158.851	161.515
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	152.883	162.280	160.745	158.654	167.577	167.396	165.279	166.368	166.931
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	118.208	126.985	125.475	123.140	128.539	129.305	128.563	128.699	129.804
Carbonated drinks	139.574	152.766	153.097	151.169	160.314	160.021	156.585	158.557	159.448
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	143.862	149.813	151.411	150.567	169.736	166.765	170.817	173.843	173.490
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	114.191	120.279	116.782	114.010	117.202	118.654	119.206	118.247	119.575

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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								Nov. 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	118.167
Coffee	173.838	184.976	180.716	185.246	221.033	212.347	196.492	203.453	199.330
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	121.348	123.678	124.344	123.445	126.128	125.194	126.305	127.608	127.155
Other food at home	173.511	189.527	189.197	189.176	199.694	203.881	202.913	205.682	207.961
Sugar and sweets	177.051	192.120	197.258	202.206	209.639	212.131	206.322	208.545	214.345
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	162.645	172.947	179.629	191.871	199.828	197.773	179.489	179.356	185.459
Candy and chewing gum ¹	117.281	127.765	131.090	133.051	136.786	139.034	138.303	141.052	145.781
Other sweets ¹	126.657	138.694	141.020	142.247	151.007	154.507	151.325	150.815	151.334
Fats and oils	176.736	207.439	198.165	200.925	229.065	233.357	227.606	229.186	225.800
Butter and margarine ¹	138.383	164.119	151.702	165.597	183.995	182.772	181.154	202.599	200.695
Salad dressing ¹	113.763	126.045	126.582	128.929	139.419	139.494	137.087	131.192	131.364
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	125.513	151.538	143.034	139.055	165.720	173.291	166.643	162.750	158.449
Other foods	188.646	203.937	203.972	202.520	211.835	216.706	217.259	220.591	223.302
Soups	211.526	229.108	226.023	222.929	229.725	229.998	229.301	227.653	235.069
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	154.768	164.905	163.260	160.963	165.710	166.019	164.578	167.149	167.428
Snacks	186.595	211.129	214.567	215.459	231.495	241.521	243.527	247.961	252.761
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	193.197	205.712	210.137	207.755	218.360	224.118	224.567	229.257	235.821
Baby food ¹	134.720	142.495	141.182	139.234	149.514	153.985	154.084	157.110	155.017
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	115.658	124.144	122.796	122.267	126.235	129.351	130.253	131.976	132.512
Food away from home	209.931	220.847	224.940	227.871	234.666	240.460	245.364	252.709	259.041
Full service meals and snacks ¹	132.236	137.473	139.929	141.699	145.855	149.405	152.513	157.194	160.685
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	132.893	140.911	143.384	144.718	149.167	152.935	155.947	160.896	164.776
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	128.568	135.938	139.721	143.615	148.670	153.352	157.024	160.202	168.450
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	120.269	128.848	131.785	134.439	137.958	141.612	143.035	143.566	145.998
Other food away from home ¹	144.454	153.646	156.830	161.657	165.205	167.933	171.872	175.700	182.637
Alcoholic beverages	208.934	218.445	223.168	225.592	229.467	234.059	238.636	241.499	243.488
Alcoholic beverages at home	181.999	190.471	194.523	195.108	196.850	199.561	203.001	204.122	205.260
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	186.264	196.194	201.688	203.522	206.608	210.453	215.373	216.793	218.964
Distilled spirits at home	178.085	182.474	185.979	185.610	185.703	185.723	188.044	189.974	189.417
Wine at home	161.506	167.054	166.961	164.394	163.011	164.352	165.131	165.305	164.920
Alcoholic beverages away from home	269.505	281.406	287.621	294.090	302.665	311.529	318.677	325.490	329.406
Housing	206.638	212.452	212.142	212.861	217.009	220.750	225.647	231.419	235.695
Shelter	235.480	240.752	241.991	243.120	247.858	253.331	259.780	267.261	275.275
Rent of primary residence ²	238.216	246.026	247.465	249.246	255.322	262.037	269.395	278.363	287.607
Lodging away from home ¹	133.179	129.982	124.222	127.369	129.754	131.370	133.711	142.462	149.225
Housing at school, excluding board ^{2 3}	388.209	405.966	427.153	444.580	462.442	482.179	498.200	511.922	526.499
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	300.452
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ^{2 3}	226.151	230.926	232.603	233.278	237.350	242.165	248.091	254.402	261.606
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{2 3}	226.151	230.926	232.603	233.278	237.342	242.160	248.086	254.395	261.591
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	117.396	120.360	124.415	127.674	130.695	135.258	138.778	146.673	148.649
Fuels and utilities	200.831	213.861	207.329	210.860	216.074	216.708	222.515	229.818	223.456
Household energy	180.379	192.050	182.701	184.079	187.586	185.467	189.929	195.457	186.428
Fuel oil and other fuels	298.656	260.185	265.130	299.558	340.375	333.782	344.361	296.616	235.134
Fuel oil	320.865	252.236	270.525	314.253	371.715	385.437	378.045	305.725	227.468
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁴	326.741	327.270	312.422	338.476	359.883	317.315	360.734	339.531	290.701
Energy services ²	183.066	197.545	187.125	187.077	189.060	187.022	191.430	198.850	191.192
Electricity ²	171.431	186.472	185.190	186.549	190.926	189.893	195.707	202.296	200.119
Utility (piped) gas service ²	220.150	232.380	190.227	185.089	178.374	173.314	173.306	183.348	157.551
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	147.186	156.864	165.808	175.008	183.178	193.651	200.734	209.939	217.548
Water and sewerage maintenance ²	315.239	337.662	360.749	384.093	404.155	430.358	446.991	471.450	490.702
Garbage and trash collection ⁵	353.370	371.080	379.734	388.794	399.257	411.626	423.660	430.085	438.561
Household furnishings and operations	121.880	124.314	123.187	120.007	121.409	121.283	119.432	117.760	117.030
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	81.035	77.171	74.826	68.986	68.578	65.830	63.580	61.126	59.997
Floor coverings ¹	117.978	120.817	116.767	112.792	113.079	110.176	107.239	108.580	108.534
Window coverings ¹	90.188	90.166	83.394	74.553	73.257	74.438	73.687	71.021	66.545
Other linens ¹	68.938	63.065	62.293	57.344	57.069	53.619	51.269	48.768	48.307
Furniture and bedding	120.204	119.826	119.684	113.905	116.870	116.053	114.412	112.381	111.213
Bedroom furniture	140.415	140.843	137.094	135.266	137.962	133.688	132.421	128.775	127.735
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	89.432	88.045	89.881	86.544	88.849	89.193	89.050	87.178	85.872
Other furniture ¹	85.686	87.286	87.092	74.938	77.694	78.645	73.398	74.514	74.463
Appliances ¹	89.909	91.480	88.684	85.043	86.302	88.123	84.433	80.111	77.199
Major appliances ¹	100.715	102.836	99.788	95.256	98.223	102.015	95.826	89.711	85.274

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								Nov. 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	65.966
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	76.170	76.086	73.849	70.769	67.548	66.052	63.253	60.401	58.670
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	67.750	66.408	63.889	60.220	55.990	53.992	50.295	47.172	44.640
Indoor plants and flowers ⁶	128.403	134.433	130.327	130.226	130.374	131.156	130.545	132.605	135.521
Dishes and flatware ¹	73.764	72.685	70.705	66.020	61.710	59.364	57.899	53.899	56.949
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	95.198	96.592	96.138	95.861	96.983	96.436	94.410	91.055	88.280
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	93.593	94.697	93.468	91.606	92.382	92.850	92.197	92.758	92.163
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	98.836	101.573	98.773	97.267	99.580	100.652	100.585	101.836	99.688
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	89.028	88.810	88.575	86.502	86.533	86.734	85.653	85.855	86.322
Housekeeping supplies	171.286	183.428	184.503	185.068	190.869	191.530	189.509	187.896	187.927
Household cleaning products ¹	113.279	121.182	123.214	121.391	125.476	124.326	121.372	120.421	120.074
Household paper products ¹	138.485	154.045	155.385	160.635	164.494	168.218	169.187	167.988	168.538
Miscellaneous household products ¹	112.593	116.635	115.123	115.257	119.293	119.762	118.902	117.573	117.758
Household operations ¹	144.659	152.814	152.486	153.116	155.744	159.460	162.758	167.868	174.792
Domestic services ¹	138.159	141.938	142.901	144.039	144.146	146.659	151.029	153.429	154.780
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	143.712	NA	157.991	156.985	159.594	161.968	163.036	170.046	172.989
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	130.180	129.074	125.137	126.254	126.708	130.234	131.426	134.592	149.588
Repair of household items ¹	168.656	177.632	184.346	NA	197.981	206.664	216.498	225.332	230.592
Apparel	118.126	117.006	118.984	117.127	123.203	125.454	125.821	123.453	126.194
Men's and boys' apparel	112.487	111.232	110.856	109.849	116.906	119.468	120.321	116.990	120.830
Men's apparel	117.412	115.849	116.346	115.252	122.518	123.899	124.601	121.365	124.991
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	122.326	115.341	113.420	113.644	114.208	113.572	116.115	109.360	110.773
Men's furnishings	127.244	135.854	137.577	138.695	149.608	156.217	158.356	153.758	156.617
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	83.798	80.130	81.777	78.513	85.095	82.591	82.882	79.075	83.456
Men's pants and shorts	107.614	105.128	104.078	104.704	110.321	114.187	112.972	114.763	117.237
Boys' apparel	97.503	97.105	94.354	93.592	99.951	105.502	106.727	103.202	107.543
Women's and girls' apparel	109.375	105.413	107.819	104.988	110.883	111.676	112.722	108.356	110.787
Women's apparel	110.682	106.699	109.343	106.528	111.341	112.474	115.265	111.044	114.059
Women's outerwear	102.975	101.095	107.200	103.647	106.156	109.952	118.764	120.323	118.308
Women's dresses	116.942	114.752	111.348	103.242	109.415	110.425	112.715	113.327	115.249
Women's suits and separates ¹	88.138	83.483	84.982	81.794	83.250	85.161	87.077	80.111	83.752
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	89.828	88.639	92.768	94.399	103.121	101.779	103.401	103.895	105.738
Girls' apparel	104.034	100.160	101.628	98.760	108.542	108.217	103.558	98.648	98.925
Footwear	122.029	124.132	128.637	125.691	128.560	134.278	133.714	137.819	138.347
Men's footwear	119.023	123.943	126.388	124.766	128.460	134.411	134.390	136.398	137.186
Boys' and girls' footwear	127.064	131.106	134.149	131.865	137.414	142.642	145.532	155.872	152.822
Women's footwear	120.533	119.224	126.162	121.689	122.180	127.988	124.836	127.130	129.525
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	116.419	115.003	115.754	115.832	121.842	123.242	120.627	120.454	128.152
Jewelry and watches ⁴	133.527	143.678	145.122	150.868	161.509	159.686	160.117	153.399	153.700
Watches ⁴	108.082	110.894	109.437	106.991	108.763	107.962	114.775	111.967	113.621
Jewelry ⁴	141.273	153.213	155.325	164.140	177.987	175.761	172.921	163.579	162.407
Transportation	189.967	160.914	186.839	197.832	209.013	212.070	213.156	198.296	192.396
Private transportation	187.159	157.272	183.565	194.477	205.607	208.476	209.564	194.522	188.188
New and used motor vehicles ¹	93.733	89.482	95.072	96.151	99.250	98.959	99.868	98.300	98.842
New vehicles	137.736	133.317	139.962	139.567	143.994	146.219	146.806	147.539	148.141
Used cars and trucks	137.791	126.526	138.242	143.377	149.207	146.317	149.178	142.918	144.270
Leased cars and trucks ⁷	92.588	97.978	97.929	92.908	90.697	87.133	84.695	84.008	83.694
Car and truck rental ¹	112.921	115.879	122.965	120.895	121.654	121.420	123.002	121.597	113.807
Motor fuel	259.032	149.650	225.584	257.025	283.528	288.453	285.377	225.866	192.445
Gasoline (all types)	257.792	146.644	225.223	256.443	281.852	286.748	283.805	224.107	191.589
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁸	257.653	144.405	224.201	255.858	281.233	285.776	282.336	221.375	187.519
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{8 9}	263.140	153.372	231.652	262.812	288.814	293.989	291.449	234.295	207.830
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	248.029	148.665	219.433	247.524	271.822	278.009	277.569	226.490	202.517
Other motor fuels ¹	249.230	186.488	203.701	235.625	281.127	286.017	279.755	246.724	178.665
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	123.786	133.295	134.892	139.150	147.223	148.644	146.075	145.589	144.892
Tires	112.172	119.029	120.562	125.379	133.406	133.645	128.653	126.464	125.298
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	132.125	144.653	146.242	149.090	156.424	160.049	162.694	165.620	165.932
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	228.692	241.855	247.812	252.759	258.355	261.517	265.939	271.386	274.770
Motor vehicle body work	235.569	246.234	253.026	259.776	264.310	270.079	276.669	283.309	285.105
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	206.152	221.590	226.521	228.471	233.972	238.035	240.268	245.819	247.140
Motor vehicle repair ¹	140.233	146.810	150.646	154.769	158.097	159.279	162.789	165.758	168.935
Motor vehicle insurance	338.071	351.694	368.294	384.794	398.980	416.914	430.911	451.553	474.917
Motor vehicle fees ¹	142.586	147.649	163.758	165.875	168.751	171.480	174.293	174.509	179.018

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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								Nov. 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	171.814
Parking and other fees ¹	146.865	155.748	164.530	166.619	171.584	182.567	187.287	191.743	194.725
Public transportation	231.363	235.199	243.453	254.312	264.424	271.949	272.819	266.443	274.517
Airline fare	254.153	256.668	267.543	282.542	295.413	302.491	297.096	283.384	293.701
Other intercity transportation	158.532	155.828	150.317	153.250	152.731	156.258	156.079	155.073	156.910
Intracity transportation	228.979	241.010	253.521	261.427	272.673	282.912	293.952	297.170	305.090
Medical care	357.745	367.301	380.302	393.616	407.909	421.774	430.057	442.519	454.731
Medical care commodities	285.913	290.080	299.777	308.823	319.396	324.420	324.734	340.402	346.751
Medicinal drugs ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	103.126	106.778	108.432	108.602	113.985	116.244
Prescription drugs	373.019	377.458	394.125	410.486	428.440	436.159	438.412	465.855	477.869
Nonprescription drugs ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	99.020	99.051	99.604	98.342	98.263	97.801
Medical equipment and supplies ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	99.968	99.995	102.240	100.627	101.612	99.883
Medical care services	378.119	389.744	403.791	418.568	434.051	451.266	462.685	473.556	487.858
Professional services	307.333	316.435	324.763	334.032	341.593	348.168	355.070	360.632	368.028
Physicians' services ²	308.349	317.426	325.735	337.087	346.237	353.026	359.118	363.617	373.000
Dental services ²	366.759	379.634	392.030	403.376	412.575	424.076	435.608	443.297	455.729
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁴	173.615	173.932	176.615	177.187	178.336	178.863	181.076	185.300	184.208
Services by other medical professionals ^{2 4}	204.926	213.024	217.072	221.017	223.998	225.783	230.404	234.905	233.826
Hospital and related services	510.961	540.101	580.567	623.692	657.440	689.796	718.020	752.437	784.551
Hospital services ^{2 11}	189.193	200.327	215.857	232.665	245.658	257.993	268.750	282.029	294.392
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 8 11}	181.855	192.246	207.169	226.697	240.648	250.652	261.634	276.273	288.459
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 4 8}	442.799	468.195	508.210	534.517	559.297	590.889	613.222	640.889	663.297
Nursing homes and adult day services ^{2 11}	172.786	178.265	184.933	190.137	196.059	202.666	208.456	214.665	220.923
Care of invalids and elderly at home ¹²	106.595	107.778	108.693	110.740	113.375	114.126	114.753	115.962	117.001
Health insurance ¹²	116.743	112.829	109.521	105.123	111.005	122.724	123.855	122.848	126.977
Recreation ¹	108.702	110.487	109.851	108.561	109.959	110.783	111.250	110.966	111.606
Video and audio ¹	102.523	101.810	100.400	97.753	99.028	99.477	100.078	99.899	100.644
Televisions	15.462	12.443	9.042	7.312	6.047	4.980	4.276	3.542	3.202
Cable and satellite television and radio service ⁵	354.903	360.943	368.818	369.397	382.673	396.328	407.508	416.156	423.452
Other video equipment ¹	21.692	18.357	16.618	14.479	12.813	11.244	10.447	10.399	10.370
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	70.788
Audio equipment	51.080	49.026	46.754	44.935	42.512	40.089	38.748	36.814	36.708
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	105.660	104.363	94.647	92.164	89.832	88.991	90.431	87.274	86.110
Pets, pet products and services ¹	134.740	148.513	150.801	151.332	157.946	160.225	162.636	164.467	163.930
Pets and pet products	171.130	192.166	193.575	191.884	198.072	200.306	201.443	202.503	198.278
Pet services including veterinary ¹	169.616	180.073	185.861	191.992	205.461	209.841	217.255	222.944	231.784
Sporting goods	114.764	117.671	115.762	115.448	116.884	119.081	117.888	114.157	114.259
Sports vehicles including bicycles	137.138	137.036	134.293	137.409	143.744	147.682	147.209	141.717	143.587
Sports equipment	91.728	96.836	95.519	91.413	87.436	87.841	85.921	83.717	82.796
Photography ¹	82.841	81.453	82.229	79.880	81.293	78.739	78.336	79.005	78.303
Photographic equipment and supplies	79.989	75.292	73.771	66.393	65.317	60.328	58.140	57.131	54.465
Photographers and film processing ¹	106.717	108.636	112.134	113.202	117.021	116.764	118.349	121.232	122.807
Other recreational goods ¹	62.080	58.841	56.790	54.150	52.681	50.054	47.888	46.095	43.933
Toys	70.193	65.228	61.607	58.186	55.967	52.488	49.756	47.192	44.338
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	87.326	87.505	91.721	92.296	96.366	98.032	96.455	97.613	98.850
Music instruments and accessories ¹	96.967	98.906	98.929	95.980	94.720	94.780	96.703	100.124	98.113
Other recreation services ¹	141.896	145.233	145.317	146.787	147.246	151.218	153.105	153.851	158.683
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	128.303
Admissions	304.937	313.626	315.568	320.241	318.783	331.892	336.535	337.709	354.054
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	249.677	258.077	263.880	267.011	267.538	276.754	277.791	283.088	292.874
Recreational reading materials	209.747	217.493	224.023	223.311	225.053	230.198	237.481	242.625	247.159
Newspapers and magazines ¹	122.141	128.122	134.522	134.872	138.937	147.467	155.725	163.028	165.749
Recreational books ¹	103.872	106.082	106.442	105.328	103.141	100.921	101.042	100.072	102.204
Education and communication ¹	117.782	121.819	124.156	125.089	126.413	127.902	129.396	129.062	130.529
Education ¹	174.276	184.352	192.760	200.496	209.452	217.437	224.921	232.183	240.982
Educational books and supplies	437.391	467.179	499.478	515.937	547.576	585.752	613.336	644.947	667.679
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	491.554	519.500	542.036	564.149	588.489	609.318	629.602	648.905	673.645
College tuition and fees	560.233	594.722	630.503	657.115	697.509	725.823	754.074	780.101	806.850

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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								Nov. 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	762.403
Child care and nursery school ⁶	217.589	228.624	234.217	243.495	248.912	255.477	260.938	266.701	279.055
Technical and business school tuition and fees	185.776	193.831	201.734	210.484	218.972	224.379	231.559	235.495	237.748
Communication ¹	85.834	87.444	87.541	86.472	85.510	85.047	84.724	82.861	82.512
Postage and delivery services ¹	132.101	136.250	142.984	145.409	151.799	157.662	167.398	173.572	173.789
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	281.576
Information and information processing ¹	83.917	85.454	85.404	84.271	83.163	82.607	82.129	80.212	79.864
Telephone services ¹	98.887	101.720	102.585	101.327	100.764	100.931	100.616	98.095	98.715
Wireless telephone services ¹	64.977	65.341	64.593	62.283	60.811	60.329	59.144	56.747	56.760
Land-line telephone services ¹⁰	-	-	100.000	102.180	104.139	106.300	109.372	111.381	113.884
Information technology, hardware and services ¹³	10.722	10.406	9.935	9.767	9.371	9.079	8.953	8.783	8.508
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹⁴	100.000	88.176	77.821	73.078	64.421	58.734	54.606	48.820	46.467
Computer software and accessories ¹	49.486	49.328	48.219	43.346	42.524	39.363	36.724	36.005	36.192
Internet services and electronic information providers ¹	73.716	76.165	76.037	76.982	76.555	76.265	77.340	78.675	77.242
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	23.741
Other goods and services	348.830	362.986	403.970	414.002	421.000	427.533	436.517	444.238	453.456
Tobacco and smoking products	568.410	605.662	789.173	832.741	852.435	869.714	898.280	923.918	951.443
Cigarettes ¹	230.125	245.184	320.486	338.393	345.948	353.055	364.724	375.736	387.308
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	162.102	173.011	211.734	221.471	231.217	234.830	241.672	242.147	245.144
Personal care	195.467	200.918	203.454	205.084	207.747	210.441	213.519	216.174	219.698
Personal care products	158.407	161.295	162.231	161.217	160.954	161.020	162.769	163.013	163.559
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	103.559
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	177.830	182.840	185.326	184.333	187.219	186.429	188.367	190.409	190.816
Personal care services	219.945	226.578	228.614	230.332	232.313	236.676	240.952	244.915	251.497
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	134.057	138.100	139.341	140.388	141.595	144.255	146.861	149.276	153.288
Miscellaneous personal services	330.850	342.530	349.851	358.380	368.816	376.644	384.975	393.245	404.719
Legal services ⁴	265.264	277.998	282.925	293.533	300.525	305.854	312.647	317.642	328.183
Funeral expenses ⁴	263.363	277.828	286.593	292.101	299.276	305.410	313.146	317.679	327.252
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	130.494	136.794	139.979	143.103	144.980	148.045	150.252	153.527	157.391
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	184.888
Financial services ⁴	276.411	269.265	272.967	274.102	294.095	301.827	311.338	321.879	331.404
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	87.196	88.882	89.309	87.264	86.704	86.231	84.203	83.831	80.828
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	172.952	164.233	175.127	179.331	187.472	189.367	189.841	184.849	182.176
Commodities less food and beverages	154.086	137.015	152.532	156.997	164.072	165.032	164.616	154.582	150.062
Nondurables less food and beverages	196.636	164.879	193.667	203.292	215.404	218.146	217.777	199.400	190.106
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	249.863	198.108	244.413	261.243	277.351	280.475	279.655	250.834	233.764
Durables	112.450	108.576	112.165	111.789	114.098	113.328	112.867	110.255	109.926
Services	244.275	252.176	254.519	257.382	262.954	268.661	274.948	281.800	288.423
Rent of shelter ³	227.035	232.112	233.241	234.278	238.834	244.077	250.288	257.423	265.187
Transportation services	236.020	245.881	256.007	263.648	271.174	278.708	284.399	291.035	300.880
Other services	278.783	288.227	293.470	296.508	302.364	308.227	313.439	315.838	321.920
All items less food	205.575	202.292	210.639	214.225	220.479	224.161	227.588	227.083	228.836
All items less shelter	197.174	193.918	202.951	207.428	215.189	218.292	220.414	218.665	218.207
All items less medical care	199.431	198.153	204.800	208.036	214.658	218.033	221.135	221.471	222.923
Commodities less food	156.073	139.620	154.918	159.342	166.354	167.402	167.098	157.329	152.945
Nondurables less food	197.551	167.933	195.487	204.737	216.421	219.251	219.105	201.761	193.016
Nondurables less food and apparel	245.286	198.909	241.513	257.051	272.053	275.260	274.829	248.674	233.206
Nondurables	202.222	190.910	205.823	212.541	223.793	227.126	228.110	221.881	217.855
Apparel less footwear	112.830	110.975	112.281	110.741	117.314	118.566	119.165	115.284	118.470
Services less rent of shelter ³	233.314	243.646	247.174	251.847	257.915	263.441	269.005	274.660	279.111

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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								Nov. 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	274.909
Energy	218.104	168.726	202.398	218.896	233.943	235.324	236.027	209.415	188.393
All items less energy	205.155	210.168	213.780	215.786	221.735	225.769	229.393	233.441	238.024
All items less food and energy	205.377	208.925	213.572	215.303	220.325	224.383	228.249	231.500	236.548
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	140.815	139.731	145.253	145.037	148.692	149.112	149.236	147.715	148.341
Energy commodities	261.928	154.744	228.303	260.026	287.221	291.803	289.153	229.570	195.078
Services less energy services	250.925	258.039	261.871	265.062	271.036	277.649	284.142	290.913	299.196
Domestically produced farm food	210.009	223.608	217.384	221.962	235.646	239.198	240.474	250.864	250.551
Utilities and public transportation	189.083	198.746	196.776	197.935	201.072	203.016	206.445	209.412	208.525

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								Nov. 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	0.8
Food and beverages	4.9	5.9	-5	1.5	4.6	1.7	1.1	3.4	.9
Food	5.0	6.0	-7	1.6	4.8	1.7	1.0	3.5	.9
Food at home	5.7	6.5	-2.5	1.7	6.1	1.3	.4	3.8	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	5.3	11.9	-.9	-.1	6.1	-.7	.6	.5	1.1
Cereals and cereal products	4.3	13.5	-1.5	-.9	7.3	-.6	-.4	-.4	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	7.5	20.5	-4.6	-1.1	12.2	2.1	-2.7	-1.4	-2.8
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	3.3
Bakery products	5.9	11.1	-.5	.4	5.5	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.3
Bread	10.4	12.7	-3.5	1.5	6.4	1.7	1.0	1.3	.5
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins	4.3	13.5	-2.2	1.9	6.5	1.3	.5	2.1	2.2
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	5.9	8.6	2.8	-.4	4.5	-.9	2.1	.7	2.2
Other bakery products	2.3	10.7	.6	-.8	5.1	2.3	-.9	.3	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	5.6	5.1	-3.8	5.6	8.0	1.5	2.8	9.5	-.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.2	6.1	-3.7	5.6	8.1	1.5	2.7	9.4	-1.9
Meats	3.3	6.0	-5.1	7.4	9.6	.6	2.4	13.0	-2.1
Beef and veal	5.2	6.5	-4.8	6.3	11.6	4.6	1.7	19.0	-2.1
Uncooked ground beef	5.5	11.0	-6.3	6.3	12.3	5.6	1.7	19.4	-3.6
Uncooked beef roasts	4.5	5.2	-3.0	5.1	12.9	3.4	3.0	20.2	-3.6
Uncooked beef steaks	5.4	1.6	-4.7	5.4	10.7	3.9	.9	17.0	.6
Uncooked other beef and veal	4.5	6.4	-1.5	11.1	9.4	4.5	2.9	23.4	-3.2
Pork	1.5	5.0	-7.7	11.3	8.2	-3.3	4.4	8.3	-4.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products	3.3	2.3	-5.5	12.2	8.4	-2.3	8.2	2.7	-1.5
Ham	1.5	5.4	-7.9	12.0	5.4	-2.7	2.0	13.0	-7.6
Pork chops	-.9	6.1	-8.0	7.5	8.9	-3.1	2.7	9.7	-7.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics	-.5	7.4	-10.5	12.9	10.0	-5.3	1.9	12.4	-6.3
Other meats	1.5	6.2	-2.0	4.1	7.0	-1.5	.6	7.5	1.8
Poultry	6.8	5.8	-1.5	1.0	4.4	6.0	2.6	1.8	-.9
Chicken	7.8	5.4	-2.1	1.1	2.8	6.3	3.0	2.2	-1.5
Other poultry including turkey	2.0	7.3	1.2	.5	12.4	4.7	1.2	.0	2.5
Fish and seafood	5.1	7.3	-.1	4.2	6.8	.0	4.0	4.3	-2.3
Fresh fish and seafood	5.7	5.5	-1.3	7.8	6.3	-1.3	5.6	5.7	-2.3
Processed fish and seafood	4.2	9.5	1.3	.5	7.3	1.3	2.6	2.9	-2.3
Eggs	33.2	-9.3	-6.8	6.2	6.4	.6	5.7	10.6	15.0
Dairy and related products	13.8	2.3	-7.8	3.8	8.2	.4	-.4	5.3	-4.3
Milk	19.5	-3.4	-10.5	5.2	9.2	1.9	.1	4.3	-8.6
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	-1.4
Other dairy and related products	11.7	2.7	-3.9	1.2	6.0	-.1	-.9	3.8	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	5.8	3.5	-3.1	1.4	2.5	1.7	-.2	3.3	.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	6.3	.5	-3.9	2.2	.9	2.2	-.3	4.1	.3
Fresh fruits	5.4	-1.4	-4.1	3.5	-.5	5.7	-2.2	3.3	1.8
Apples	6.0	3.4	-9.6	4.0	6.8	13.6	-6.6	-2.9	4.6
Bananas	5.0	15.7	-8.6	1.9	4.6	.3	-1.7	-.6	.2
Citrus fruits .....	.1	-.7	.0	9.8	-4.0	4.0	2.6	5.3	7.7
Other fresh fruits	7.8	-9.0	-1.9	1.5	-3.0	5.8	-3.1	6.1	-2.6
Fresh vegetables	7.2	2.5	-3.7	.9	2.3	-1.3	1.8	5.1	-1.4
Potatoes	3.4	20.3	-16.7	5.8	7.4	-7.4	7.1	-1.9	.4
Lettuce	4.8	1.9	9.2	-7.1	-1.0	-3.3	1.8	4.9	5.6
Tomatoes	19.6	-10.6	2.5	-10.6	1.3	5.0	.2	16.8	-11.6
Other fresh vegetables	3.8	3.2	-4.8	6.7	1.9	-1.0	.5	2.6	.8
Processed fruits and vegetables	4.2	13.8	-.5	-1.2	7.1	.0	.2	.5	.2
Canned fruits and vegetables	4.2	16.6	.9	-2.0	5.8	.3	2.1	.0	-.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables	2.9	8.1	-3.5	-.2	10.0	-1.5	-2.5	1.6	.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried	5.8	15.2	.5	-.4	6.0	1.4	-.5	.5	1.7
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	3.4	6.1	-.9	-1.3	5.6	-.1	-1.3	.7	.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks	3.5	7.4	-1.2	-1.9	4.4	.6	-.6	.1	.9
Carbonated drinks	3.2	9.5	.2	-1.3	6.0	-.2	-2.1	1.3	.6
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	13.0	4.1	1.1	-.6	12.7	-1.8	2.4	1.8	-.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	3.2	5.3	-2.9	-2.4	2.8	1.2	.5	-.8	1.1

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Nov. 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	-1.3
Coffee	5.1	6.4	-2.3	2.5	19.3	-3.9	-7.5	3.5	-2.0
Other beverage materials including tea	2.5	1.9	.5	-7	2.2	-7	.9	1.0	-4
Other food at home	3.2	9.2	-2	.0	5.6	2.1	-5	1.4	1.1
Sugar and sweets	3.4	8.5	2.7	2.5	3.7	1.2	-2.7	1.1	2.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-5	6.3	3.9	6.8	4.1	-1.0	-9.2	-1	3.4
Candy and chewing gum	4.5	8.9	2.6	1.5	2.8	1.6	-5	2.0	3.4
Other sweets	3.6	9.5	1.7	.9	6.2	2.3	-2.1	-3	.3
Fats and oils	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.4	14.0	1.9	-2.5	.7	-1.5
Butter and margarine	6.3	18.6	-7.6	9.2	11.1	-7	-9	11.8	-9
Salad dressing	3.3	10.8	.4	1.9	8.1	.1	-1.7	-4.3	.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter	6.7	20.7	-5.6	-2.8	19.2	4.6	-3.8	-2.3	-2.6
Other foods	2.7	8.1	.0	-7	4.6	2.3	.3	1.5	1.2
Soups .....	.1	8.3	-1.3	-1.4	3.0	.1	-3	-7	3.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	3.5	6.5	-1.0	-1.4	2.9	.2	-9	1.6	.2
Snacks	4.4	13.1	1.6	.4	7.4	4.3	.8	1.8	1.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	3.6	6.5	2.2	-1.1	5.1	2.6	.2	2.1	2.9
Baby food	4.2	5.8	-9	-1.4	7.4	3.0	.1	2.0	-1.3
Other miscellaneous foods .....	.3	7.3	-1.1	-4	3.2	2.5	.7	1.3	.4
Food away from home	3.9	5.2	1.9	1.3	3.0	2.5	2.0	3.0	2.5
Full service meals and snacks	3.9	4.0	1.8	1.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	3.1	2.2
Limited service meals and snacks	4.1	6.0	1.8	.9	3.1	2.5	2.0	3.2	2.4
Food at employee sites and schools	3.0	5.7	2.8	2.8	3.5	3.1	2.4	2.0	5.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors	3.3	7.1	2.3	2.0	2.6	2.6	1.0	.4	1.7
Other food away from home	4.1	6.4	2.1	3.1	2.2	1.7	-2.3	2.2	3.9
Alcoholic beverages	3.9	4.6	2.2	1.1	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.2	.8
Alcoholic beverages at home	3.6	4.7	2.1	.3	.9	1.4	1.7	.6	.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	4.2	5.3	2.8	.9	1.5	1.9	2.3	.7	1.0
Distilled spirits at home	1.0	2.5	1.9	-2	.1	.0	1.2	1.0	-3
Wine at home	3.5	3.4	-1	-1.5	-8	.8	.5	.1	-2
Alcoholic beverages away from home	4.7	4.4	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.1	1.2
Housing	3.1	2.8	-1	.3	1.9	1.7	2.2	2.6	1.8
Shelter	3.1	2.2	.5	.5	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.0
Rent of primary residence ¹	4.0	3.3	.6	.7	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.3	3.3
Lodging away from home	4.8	-2.4	-4.4	2.5	1.9	1.2	1.8	6.5	4.7
Housing at school, excluding board ¹	5.6	4.6	5.2	4.1	4.0	4.3	3.3	2.8	2.8
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	4.8	-3.1	-5.5	2.1	1.3	.3	1.3	7.4	5.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹	2.7	2.1	.7	.3	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹	2.7	2.1	.7	.3	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.8
Tenants' and household insurance .....	.0	2.5	3.4	2.6	2.4	3.5	2.6	5.7	1.3
Fuels and utilities	5.2	6.5	-3.1	1.7	2.5	.3	2.7	3.3	-2.8
Household energy	5.2	6.5	-4.9	.8	1.9	-1.1	2.4	2.9	-4.6
Fuel oil and other fuels	28.6	-12.9	1.9	13.0	13.6	-1.9	3.2	-13.9	-20.7
Fuel oil	33.2	-21.4	7.3	16.2	18.3	3.7	-1.9	-19.1	-25.6
Propane, kerosene, and firewood	19.9	.2	-4.5	8.3	6.3	-11.8	13.7	-5.9	-14.4
Energy services ¹	3.4	7.9	-5.3	.0	1.1	-1.1	2.4	3.9	-3.9
Electricity ¹	5.0	8.8	-7	.7	2.3	-5	3.1	3.4	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service ¹	-4	5.6	-18.1	-2.7	-3.6	-2.8	.0	5.8	-14.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services	5.4	6.6	5.7	5.5	4.7	5.7	3.7	4.6	3.6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	5.6	7.1	6.8	6.5	5.2	6.5	3.9	5.5	4.1
Garbage and trash collection	4.9	5.0	2.3	2.4	2.7	3.1	2.9	1.5	2.0
Household furnishings and operations	-6	2.0	-9	-2.6	1.2	-1	-1.5	-1.4	-6
Window and floor coverings and other linens	-3.4	-4.8	-3.0	-7.8	-6	-4.0	-3.4	-3.9	-1.8
Floor coverings .....	.4	2.4	-3.4	-3.4	.3	-2.6	-2.7	1.3	.0
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	-.9
Furniture and bedding	-2.0	-.3	-.1	-4.8	2.6	-.7	-1.4	-1.8	-1.0
Bedroom furniture	-.7	.3	-2.7	-1.3	2.0	-3.1	-.9	-2.8	-.8
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture	-2.5	-1.6	2.1	-3.7	2.7	.4	-.2	-2.1	-1.5
Other furniture	-3.2	1.9	-.2	-14.0	3.7	1.2	-6.7	1.5	-.1
Appliances	1.7	1.7	-3.1	-4.1	1.5	2.1	-4.2	-5.1	-3.6
Major appliances	2.7	2.1	-3.0	-4.5	3.1	3.9	-6.1	-6.4	-4.9

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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								Nov. 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	-2.0
Other household equipment and furnishings	-3.6	-1	-2.9	-4.2	-4.6	-2.2	-4.2	-4.5	-2.9
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	-8.8	-2.0	-3.8	-5.7	-7.0	-3.6	-6.8	-6.2	-5.4
Indoor plants and flowers	3.9	4.7	-3.1	-.1	.1	.6	-.5	1.6	2.2
Dishes and flatware	-1.8	-1.5	-2.7	-6.6	-6.5	-3.8	-2.5	-6.9	5.7
Nonelectric cookware and tableware	3.3	1.5	-.5	-.3	1.2	-.6	-2.1	-3.6	-3.0
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies	-1.2	1.2	-1.3	-2.0	.8	.5	-.7	.6	-.6
Tools, hardware and supplies	-1.7	2.8	-2.8	-1.5	2.4	1.1	-.1	1.2	-2.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies	-.7	-.2	-.3	-2.3	.0	.2	-1.2	.2	.5
Housekeeping supplies	1.5	7.1	.6	.3	3.1	-.3	-1.1	-.9	.0
Household cleaning products .....	.1	7.0	1.7	-1.5	3.4	-.9	-2.4	-.8	-.3
Household paper products	3.8	11.2	.9	3.4	2.4	2.3	.6	-.7	.3
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	4.1
Domestic services	1.8	2.7	.7	.8	.1	1.7	3.0	1.6	.9
Gardening and lawn care services	-	-	-	-.6	1.7	1.5	.7	4.3	1.7
Moving, storage, freight expense	-.9	-.8	-3.1	.9	.4	2.8	.9	2.4	11.1
Repair of household items	4.0	5.3	3.8	-	-	4.4	4.8	4.1	2.3
Apparel	-4	-9	1.7	-1.6	5.2	1.8	.3	-1.9	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	-5	-1.1	-.3	-.9	6.4	2.2	.7	-2.8	3.3
Men's apparel	-2.1	-1.3	.4	-.9	6.3	1.1	.6	-2.6	3.0
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	1.3	-5.7	-1.7	.2	.5	-.6	2.2	-5.8	1.3
Men's furnishings	-4.5	6.8	1.3	.8	7.9	4.4	1.4	-2.9	1.9
Men's shirts and sweaters	-6.6	-4.4	2.1	-4.0	8.4	-2.9	.4	-4.6	5.5
Men's pants and shorts	1.9	-2.3	-1.0	.6	5.4	3.5	-1.1	1.6	2.2
Boys' apparel	4.4	-.4	-2.8	-.8	6.8	5.6	1.2	-3.3	4.2
Women's and girls' apparel	-9	-3.6	2.3	-2.6	5.6	.7	.9	-3.9	2.2
Women's apparel	-1.2	-3.6	2.5	-2.6	4.5	1.0	2.5	-3.7	2.7
Women's outerwear	-3.8	-1.8	6.0	-3.3	2.4	3.6	8.0	1.3	-1.7
Women's dresses .....	.0	-1.9	-3.0	-7.3	6.0	.9	2.1	.5	1.7
Women's suits and separates	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	-3.8	1.8	2.3	2.2	-8.0	4.5
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories	-.7	-1.3	4.7	1.8	9.2	-1.3	1.6	.5	1.8
Girls' apparel	-2	-3.7	1.5	-2.8	9.9	-.3	-4.3	-4.7	.3
Footwear	-5	1.7	3.6	-2.3	2.3	4.4	-.4	3.1	.4
Men's footwear	-1.6	4.1	2.0	-1.3	3.0	4.6	.0	1.5	.6
Boys' and girls' footwear	1.7	3.2	2.3	-1.7	4.2	3.8	2.0	7.1	-2.0
Women's footwear	-.9	-1.1	5.8	-3.5	.4	4.8	-2.5	1.8	1.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	-.3	-1.2	.7	.1	5.2	1.1	-2.1	-.1	6.4
Jewelry and watches	4.1	7.6	1.0	4.0	7.1	-1.1	.3	-4.2	.2
Watches	-2.6	2.6	-1.3	-2.2	1.7	-.7	6.3	-2.4	1.5
Jewelry	5.7	8.5	1.4	5.7	8.4	-1.3	-1.6	-5.4	-.7
Transportation	8.9	-15.3	16.1	5.9	5.7	1.5	.5	-7.0	-3.0
Private transportation	9.0	-16.0	16.7	5.9	5.7	1.4	.5	-7.2	-3.3
New and used motor vehicles .....	.0	-4.5	6.2	1.1	3.2	-.3	.9	-1.6	.6
New vehicles	-.3	-3.2	5.0	-.3	3.2	1.5	.4	.5	.4
Used cars and trucks .....	.6	-8.2	9.3	3.7	4.1	-1.9	2.0	-4.2	.9
Leased cars and trucks .....	.7	5.8	-.1	-5.1	-2.4	-3.9	-2.8	-.8	-.4
Car and truck rental	-.9	2.6	6.1	-1.7	.6	-.2	1.3	-1.1	-6.4
Motor fuel	29.6	-42.2	50.7	13.9	10.3	1.7	-1.1	-20.9	-14.8
Gasoline (all types)	29.7	-43.1	53.6	13.9	9.9	1.7	-1.0	-21.0	-14.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	29.9	-44.0	55.3	14.1	9.9	1.6	-1.2	-21.6	-15.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ²	29.7	-41.7	51.0	13.5	9.9	1.8	-.9	-19.6	-11.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	28.7	-40.1	47.6	12.8	9.8	2.3	-.2	-18.4	-10.6
Other motor fuels	24.2	-25.2	9.2	15.7	19.3	1.7	-2.2	-11.8	-27.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	3.8	7.7	1.2	3.2	5.8	1.0	-1.7	-.3	-.5
Tires	2.8	6.1	1.3	4.0	6.4	.2	-3.7	-1.7	-.9
Vehicle accessories other than tires	5.1	9.5	1.1	1.9	4.9	2.3	1.7	1.8	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	3.3	5.8	2.5	2.0	2.2	1.2	1.7	2.0	1.2
Motor vehicle body work	3.2	4.5	2.8	2.7	1.7	2.2	2.4	2.4	.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	3.0	7.5	2.2	.9	2.4	1.7	.9	2.3	.5
Motor vehicle repair	3.5	4.7	2.6	2.7	2.2	.7	2.2	1.8	1.9
Motor vehicle insurance5	4.0	4.7	4.5	3.7	4.5	3.4	4.8	5.2
Motor vehicle fees	2.0	3.6	10.9	1.3	1.7	1.6	1.6	.1	2.6

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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								Nov. 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	3.2
Parking and other fees	3.9	6.0	5.6	1.3	3.0	6.4	2.6	2.4	1.6
Public transportation	6.4	1.7	3.5	4.5	4.0	2.8	.3	-2.3	3.0
Airline fare	10.5	1.0	4.2	5.6	4.6	2.4	-1.8	-4.6	3.6
Other intercity transportation	1.3	-1.7	-3.5	2.0	-.3	2.3	-.1	-.6	1.2
Intracity transportation	1.9	5.3	5.2	3.1	4.3	3.8	3.9	1.1	2.7
Medical care	5.2	2.7	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.4	2.0	2.9	2.8
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	-.5
Medical equipment and supplies ³	-	-	-	.0	.0	2.2	-1.6	1.0	-1.7
Medical care services	6.0	3.1	3.6	3.7	3.7	4.0	2.5	2.3	3.0
Professional services	4.3	3.0	2.6	2.9	2.3	1.9	2.0	1.6	2.1
Physicians' services ¹	4.1	2.9	2.6	3.5	2.7	2.0	1.7	1.3	2.6
Dental services ¹	6.2	3.5	3.3	2.9	2.3	2.8	2.7	1.8	2.8
Eyeglasses and eye care	1.1	.2	1.5	.3	.6	.3	1.2	2.3	-.6
Services by other medical professionals ¹	3.3	4.0	1.9	1.8	1.3	.8	2.0	2.0	-.5
Hospital and related services	8.0	5.7	7.5	7.4	5.4	4.9	4.1	4.8	4.3
Hospital services ¹	8.0	5.9	7.8	7.8	5.6	5.0	4.2	4.9	4.4
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	7.4	5.7	7.8	9.4	6.2	4.2	4.4	5.6	4.4
Outpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	9.6	5.7	8.5	5.2	4.6	5.6	3.8	4.5	3.5
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹	5.6	3.2	3.7	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.9	3.0	2.9
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁴	3.5	1.1	.8	1.9	2.4	.7	.5	1.1	.9
Health insurance ⁴	9.3	-3.4	-2.9	-4.0	5.6	10.6	.9	-.8	3.4
Recreation .....	.6	1.6	-.6	-1.2	1.3	.7	.4	-.3	.6
Video and audio	1.1	-.7	-1.4	-2.6	1.3	.5	.6	-.2	.7
Televisions	-17.3	-19.5	-27.3	-19.1	-17.3	-17.6	-14.1	-17.2	-9.6
Cable and satellite television and radio service	2.5	1.7	2.2	.2	3.6	3.6	2.8	2.1	1.8
Other video equipment	-12.9	-15.4	-9.5	-12.9	-11.5	-12.2	-7.1	-.5	-.3
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	1.0
Audio equipment	-5.2	-4.0	-4.6	-3.9	-5.4	-5.7	-3.3	-5.0	-.3
Audio discs, tapes and other media	-.2	-1.2	-9.3	-2.6	-2.5	-.9	1.6	-3.5	-1.3
Pets, pet products and services	5.4	10.2	1.5	.4	4.4	1.4	1.5	1.1	-.3
Pets and pet products	5.1	12.3	.7	-.9	3.2	1.1	.6	.5	-2.1
Pet services including veterinary	6.1	6.2	3.2	3.3	7.0	2.1	3.5	2.6	4.0
Sporting goods	-2.7	2.5	-1.6	-.3	1.2	1.9	-1.0	-3.2	.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles	-3.0	-.1	-2.0	2.3	4.6	2.7	-.3	-3.7	1.3
Sports equipment	-2.3	5.6	-1.4	-4.3	-4.4	.5	-2.2	-2.6	-1.1
Photography	-3.1	-1.7	1.0	-2.9	1.8	-3.1	-.5	.9	-.9
Photographic equipment and supplies	-6.6	-5.9	-2.0	-10.0	-1.6	-7.6	-3.6	-1.7	-4.7
Photographers and film processing	-.1	1.8	3.2	1.0	3.4	-.2	1.4	2.4	1.3
Other recreational goods	-4.9	-5.2	-3.5	-4.6	-2.7	-5.0	-4.3	-3.7	-4.7
Toys	-5.4	-7.1	-5.6	-5.6	-3.8	-6.2	-5.2	-5.2	-6.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies	-6.0	.2	4.8	.6	4.4	1.7	-1.6	1.2	1.3
Music instruments and accessories .....	.3	2.0	.0	-3.0	-1.3	.1	2.0	3.5	-2.0
Other recreation services	2.1	2.4	.1	1.0	.3	2.7	1.2	.5	3.1
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises	1.0	1.3	-2.3	.1	2.3	.4	1.7	-.2	.8
Admissions	2.2	2.8	.6	1.5	-.5	4.1	1.4	.3	4.8
Fees for lessons or instructions	3.9	3.4	2.2	1.2	.2	3.4	.4	1.9	3.5
Recreational reading materials	1.2	3.7	3.0	-.3	.8	2.3	3.2	2.2	1.9
Newspapers and magazines	1.2	4.9	5.0	.3	3.0	6.1	5.6	4.7	1.7
Recreational books	1.1	2.1	.3	-1.0	-2.1	-2.2	.1	-1.0	2.1
Education and communication	2.6	3.4	1.9	.8	1.1	1.2	1.2	-.3	1.1
Education	5.3	5.8	4.6	4.0	4.5	3.8	3.4	3.2	3.8
Educational books and supplies	8.8	6.8	6.9	3.3	6.1	7.0	4.7	5.2	3.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	5.0	5.7	4.3	4.1	4.3	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.8
College tuition and fees	5.9	6.2	6.0	4.2	6.1	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.4

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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								Nov. 2015
	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	3.7
Child care and nursery school	3.7	5.1	2.4	4.0	2.2	2.6	2.1	2.2	4.6
Technical and business school tuition and fees	5.4	4.3	4.1	4.3	4.0	2.5	3.2	1.7	1.0
Communication .....	.7	1.9	.1	-1.2	-1.1	-5	-4	-2.2	-4
Postage and delivery services	4.4	3.1	4.9	1.7	4.4	3.9	6.2	3.7	.1
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	1.5
Information and information processing .....	.5	1.8	-.1	-1.3	-1.3	-.7	-.6	-2.3	-.4
Telephone services	2.1	2.9	.9	-1.2	-.6	-.2	-.3	-2.5	.6
Wireless telephone services	-.9	.6	-1.1	-3.6	-2.4	-.8	-2.0	-4.1	.0
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	-3.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ⁵	-13.0	-11.8	-11.7	-6.1	-11.8	-8.8	-7.0	-10.6	-4.8
Computer software and accessories	-6.3	-.3	-2.2	-10.1	-1.9	-7.4	-6.7	-2.0	.5
Internet services and electronic information providers	-4.6	3.3	-.2	1.2	-.6	-.4	1.4	1.7	-1.8
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items	-5.0	-.8	-3.3	-3.7	-5.1	-5.5	-5.8	-9.0	-16.8
Other goods and services	3.9	4.1	11.3	2.5	1.7	1.6	2.1	1.8	2.1
Tobacco and smoking products	7.5	6.6	30.3	5.5	2.4	2.0	3.3	2.9	3.0
Cigarettes	7.8	6.5	30.7	5.6	2.2	2.1	3.3	3.0	3.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes	3.5	6.7	22.4	4.6	4.4	1.6	2.9	.2	1.2
Personal care	2.3	2.8	1.3	.8	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.6
Personal care products	-.1	1.8	.6	-.6	-.2	.0	1.1	.1	.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	.0	.9	-.1	-.7	-1.8	.4	1.2	-.7	.4
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	-.3	2.8	1.4	-.5	1.6	-.4	1.0	1.1	.2
Personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	2.7
Haircuts and other personal care services	3.4	3.0	.9	.8	.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	2.7
Miscellaneous personal services	3.8	3.5	2.1	2.4	2.9	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.9
Legal services	3.7	4.8	1.8	3.7	2.4	1.8	2.2	1.6	3.3
Funeral expenses	5.1	5.5	3.2	1.9	2.5	2.0	2.5	1.4	3.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services	3.0	4.8	2.3	2.2	1.3	2.1	1.5	2.2	2.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ..	3.4	6.9	4.2	3.1	5.6	1.3	3.4	1.6	2.2
Financial services	4.4	-2.6	1.4	.4	7.3	2.6	3.2	3.4	3.0
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	.5	1.9	.5	-2.3	-.6	-.5	-2.4	-.4	-3.6
Special aggregate indexes									
Commodities	5.8	-5.0	6.6	2.4	4.5	1.0	.3	-2.6	-1.4
Commodities less food and beverages	6.3	-11.1	11.3	2.9	4.5	.6	-.3	-6.1	-2.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.7	-16.2	17.5	5.0	6.0	1.3	-.2	-8.4	-4.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	15.8	-20.7	23.4	6.9	6.2	1.1	-.3	-10.3	-6.8
Durables	-.8	-3.4	3.3	-.3	2.1	-.7	-.4	-2.3	-.3
Services	3.2	3.2	.9	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.4
Rent of shelter	3.2	2.2	.5	.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.0
Transportation services	2.0	4.2	4.1	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.0	2.3	3.4
Other services	2.9	3.4	1.8	1.0	2.0	1.9	1.7	.8	1.9
All items less food	4.2	-1.6	4.1	1.7	2.9	1.7	1.5	-.2	.8
All items less shelter	4.9	-1.7	4.7	2.2	3.7	1.4	1.0	-.8	-.2
All items less medical care	4.3	-.6	3.4	1.6	3.2	1.6	1.4	.2	.7
Commodities less food	6.2	-10.5	11.0	2.9	4.4	.6	-.2	-5.8	-2.8
Nondurables less food	11.2	-15.0	16.4	4.7	5.7	1.3	-.1	-7.9	-4.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.9	-18.9	21.4	6.4	5.8	1.2	-.2	-9.5	-6.2
Nondurables	8.2	-5.6	7.8	3.3	5.3	1.5	.4	-2.7	-1.8
Apparel less footwear	-.4	-1.6	1.2	-1.4	5.9	1.1	.5	-3.3	2.8
Services less rent of shelter	3.3	4.4	1.4	1.9	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.6

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Nov. 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	2.3
Energy	18.1	-22.6	20.0	8.2	6.9	.6	.3	-11.3	-10.0
All items less energy	2.8	2.4	1.7	.9	2.8	1.8	1.6	1.8	2.0
All items less food and energy	2.3	1.7	2.2	.8	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.4	2.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.3	-.8	4.0	-.1	2.5	.3	.1	-1.0	.4
Energy commodities	29.6	-40.9	47.5	13.9	10.5	1.6	-.9	-20.6	-15.0
Services less energy services	3.3	2.8	1.5	1.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.8
Domestically produced farm food	6.0	6.5	-2.8	2.1	6.2	1.5	.5	4.3	-.1
Utilities and public transportation	3.3	5.1	-1.0	.6	1.6	1.0	1.7	1.4	-.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 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 Nov.2015		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Nov.2015	
	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Low	High	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.909	\$0.903	4	987	\$0.136	\$0.134	11	9,890
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban .....	.905	.982	4	987	.164	.166	129	8,494
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	.899	.991	4	987	.174	.177	129	8,494
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	.923	.954	25	422	.148	.147	233	4,762
Midwest urban .....	.740	.727	17	712	.129	.129	11	9,890
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	.755	.745	17	581	.139	.140	11	9,890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	.711	.693	18	712	.122	.121	70	3,932
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.749	.734	25	323	.115	.115	230	3,529
South urban	1.036	1.038	7	522	.117	.114	164	8,744
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.100	1.081	7	522	.122	.118	244	8,744
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.010	1.020	11	298	.112	.110	225	5,000
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.917	.970	25	364	.125	.125	164	4,883
West urban	1.219	1.110	7	851	.159	.152	153	7,471
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.276	1.128	7	851	.178	.166	153	7,471
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.135	1.119	8	364	.150	.144	236	4,232
Size classes								
A .....	.931	.924	4	987	.151	.149	11	9,890
B/C .....	.886	.884	8	712	.125	.122	70	5,000
D .....	.843	.821	19	364	.116	.116	163	4,883
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	.760	.733	17	581	.158	.158	11	2,751
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	1.253	1.104	16	851	.213	.213	258	7,471
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	.926	.934	4	987	.185	.186	129	4,706
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	.762	1.202	24	642	.177	.194	384	8,494
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	.566	.550	19	410	.133	.131	48	3,300
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	.907	.890	31	490	.122	.116	348	3,889
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	1.002	.985	15	371	.136	.133	551	4,132
Atlanta, GA	1.433	1.396	15	308	.116	.111	244	4,110
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	.775	.780	34	509	.159	.156	94	2,833
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	.866	.866	17	230	.106	.100	438	4,494
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.518	1.519	7	522	.116	.116	373	5,813
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	.999	.999	37	752	.155	.155	430	3,810
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.499	1.227	19	55	.227	.172	295	851
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	1.252	1.056	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	
	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015
U.S. city average	\$2.357	\$2.249	\$2.289	\$2.185	\$2.573	\$2.453	\$2.749	\$2.640	\$2.532	\$2.493
Region and area size ²										
Northeast urban	2.287	2.265	2.218	2.202	2.543	2.498	2.711	2.681	2.652	2.597
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.262	2.236	2.183	2.169	2.582	2.536	2.704	2.670	2.665	2.605
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.324	2.305	2.268	2.251	2.466	2.443	2.721	2.695	2.626	2.585
Midwest urban	2.463	2.233	2.392	2.166	2.655	2.436	2.960	2.723	2.565	2.532
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.501	2.252	2.423	2.171	2.732	2.499	3.030	2.794	2.575	2.549
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.434	2.238	2.369	2.188	2.584	2.377	2.900	2.692	2.583	2.540
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	2.358	2.135	2.304	2.086	2.484	2.285	2.782	2.473	2.490	2.449
South urban	2.090	2.028	2.024	1.964	2.321	2.250	2.516	2.455	2.338	2.292
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.152	2.078	2.078	2.005	2.374	2.285	2.565	2.494	2.389	2.348
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.057	1.994	1.999	1.938	2.278	2.197	2.488	2.426	2.294	2.242
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	2.089	2.072	2.018	2.001	2.304	2.303	2.515	2.488	2.367	2.331
West urban	2.684	2.551	2.638	2.504	2.813	2.714	2.898	2.758	2.698	2.678
Size A - More than 1,500,000	2.750	2.623	2.706	2.578	2.866	2.787	2.959	2.826	2.736	2.707
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	2.530	2.357	2.482	2.307	2.734	2.586	2.723	2.547	2.607	2.623
Size classes										
A	2.462	2.345	2.393	2.278	2.664	2.537	2.840	2.725	2.604	2.566
B/C	2.239	2.145	2.177	2.088	2.468	2.355	2.633	2.535	2.446	2.407
D	2.265	2.165	2.200	2.101	2.427	2.335	2.679	2.558	2.462	2.423
Selected local areas										
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	2.658	2.332	2.559	2.231	2.950	2.631	3.294	2.984	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	2.956	2.850	2.915	2.808	3.090	2.989	3.125	3.018	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	2.294	2.246	2.202	2.175	2.657	2.606	2.782	2.722	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	2.180	2.172	2.131	2.124	2.407	2.392	2.593	2.573	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	2.432	2.252	2.340	2.156	2.601	2.433	2.838	2.672	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2.085	1.981	1.994	1.892	2.262	2.151	2.457	2.353	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	2.254	2.193	2.159	2.098	2.582	2.516	2.707	2.651	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2.137	2.083	2.095	2.040	2.318	2.269	2.504	2.447	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2.532	2.339	2.448	2.247	2.762	2.599	3.050	2.887	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2.024	1.930	1.948	1.856	2.273	2.152	2.465	2.376	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2.274	2.225	2.218	2.168	2.599	2.570	2.737	2.700	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.187	2.210	2.124	2.146	2.404	2.424	2.565	2.589	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2.856	2.769	2.823	2.736	2.980	2.886	3.034	2.942	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2.493	2.414	2.427	2.382	2.608	2.558	2.748	2.585	-	-

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	
	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$0.511	\$0.496	\$0.614	NA	\$0.413	\$0.382	\$0.522	\$0.532	\$0.527	\$0.498
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.690	.732	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.636	.673
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.297	1.266	NA	NA	1.217	NA	1.271	1.271	1.213	1.203
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.418	1.409	1.466	\$1.495	1.320	1.280	1.420	1.416	1.470	1.443
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)	1.978	2.028	2.071	2.079	1.957	NA	1.895	1.940	2.049	2.243
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.391	3.413	NA	NA	3.761	NA	NA	NA	3.116	3.155
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)	4.119	4.082	4.162	4.180	4.077	3.895	3.962	3.997	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.083	4.113	4.113	4.208	3.636	3.669	3.952	3.872	4.432	4.541
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.097	6.047	6.382	6.395	NA	NA	6.016	6.019	6.375	6.378
All uncooked ground beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.572	4.551	4.712	4.753	4.369	4.276	4.517	4.474	4.787	4.853
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.104	5.009	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.533	5.112	4.407	4.691
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.546	5.649	5.767	5.772	5.562	5.676	5.652	5.873	5.279	5.284
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.523	5.445	5.234	5.115	5.657	5.506	5.652	5.658	5.655	5.630
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.580	5.639	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Roasts, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.762	5.718	5.908	5.688	5.677	5.651	5.799	5.750	5.669	5.752
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.209	6.081	6.069	6.146	6.351	5.888	6.356	6.342	6.095	5.915
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.174	6.014	NA	NA	NA	NA	6.337	6.008	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)	8.802	8.724	9.190	8.658	8.761	8.997	8.435	8.335	8.812	8.964
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)	5.579	5.421	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Steaks, per lb. (453.6 gm)	7.836	7.788	8.119	8.175	7.669	7.581	7.822	7.791	7.732	7.611
All Uncooked Other Beef (Excluding Veal), per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.648	4.541	4.983	4.759	4.631	4.548	4.269	4.249	4.888	4.756
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.899	5.847	6.293	6.400	5.093	5.040	6.113	5.990	6.164	6.079
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.106	4.104	4.172	4.314	NA	NA	4.096	3.993	4.310	4.540
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.355	4.153	4.292	3.716	4.294	4.039	4.695	4.679	3.964	3.920
All Pork Chops, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.875	3.797	3.862	3.739	3.916	3.721	3.799	3.772	4.027	4.050
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)	4.232	4.122	4.737	4.838	3.845	3.686	4.166	4.069	4.452	4.298
All Ham (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.155	3.015	2.970	2.859	3.134	3.006	3.027	2.896	3.711	3.496
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)	2.803	2.778	2.629	2.753	2.924	2.987	2.620	2.567	3.197	3.018
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)	3.515	3.590	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.543	2.799	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.650	2.598	NA	NA	NA	2.445	2.940	2.932	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)	1.430	1.484	1.800	1.784	1.263	1.309	1.329	1.374	1.537	1.645
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)	3.356	3.350	3.734	3.593	3.154	3.141	3.336	3.316	3.214	3.360
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.610	1.605	NA	1.757	1.504	1.453	1.622	1.660	1.548	1.489
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.558	1.424	NA	NA	1.592	1.453	1.606	1.483	NA	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.299	3.267	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	2.808	2.664	NA	NA	2.642	2.396	3.052	2.898	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	NA	NA	3.424	3.341
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)	3.338	3.299	3.624	NA	2.847	2.777	3.834	3.813	3.032	3.031
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	
	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Oct. 2015	Nov. 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)	\$4.331	\$4.333	NA	NA	\$4.153	\$4.191	\$3.723	\$3.908	\$4.541	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.478	5.433	NA	NA	6.125	6.089	5.309	5.328	5.158	\$5.152
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	4.626	4.684	\$4.828	\$5.450	4.324	4.280	4.541	4.622	4.948	4.751
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)	1.396	1.369	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.301	1.311	NA	NA
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.577	.575	.561	.563	.545	.543	.573	.585	.640	.611
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.514	1.329	1.630	1.548	1.547	1.348	1.427	1.281	1.502	1.235
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.210	1.091	1.343	1.185	1.079	1.011	1.246	1.073	1.088	1.047
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.160	2.424	2.313	2.761	1.763	2.085	2.286	2.328	2.230	2.463
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.164	2.059	2.413	2.247	2.144	1.966	1.972	2.001	2.264	2.065
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
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)	2.523	NA	2.872	NA	2.440	3.177	2.278	NA	2.673	NA
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.655	.633	.793	.756	.550	.550	.691	.660	.582	.563
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.245	1.361	NA	NA	1.221	1.434	1.280	1.397	NA	NA
Lettuce, romaine, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.953	2.116	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.716	1.779
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.844	1.977	NA	NA	1.647	1.754	1.847	1.894	2.059	2.262
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.866	1.778	NA	NA	1.732	1.545	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)	2.501	NA	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)	2.753	2.715	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)	1.482	1.514	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.493	1.553	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) .....	.662	.641	NA	NA	.571	.552	.705	.672	.715	.683
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.663	.628	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)	1.935	1.810	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)	2.757	2.698	NA	NA	2.453	2.475	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)	4.609	4.412	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.053	NA
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)	4.355	4.490	4.658	4.595	4.276	4.509	4.665	4.810	3.866	4.030
Alcoholic beverages at home:										
Malt beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) ¹	1.340	1.345	1.364	1.366	1.270	1.266	1.314	1.330	1.431	1.434
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	12.416	12.389	13.333	13.182	10.806	10.532	10.020	10.126	14.788	14.942

¹ Deposit may be included in price.
 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 Nov. 2015 from—	
		Oct. 2015	Nov. 2015	Nov. 2014	Oct. 2015
Expenditure category					
All items	100.000	135.706	135.334	0.1	-0.3
Food and beverages	14.823	142.706	142.296	1.1	-.3
Food	13.818	143.151	142.717	1.2	-.3
Food at home	8.227	135.165	134.313	.1	-.6
Food away from home	5.592	154.709	154.976	2.7	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.005	137.529	137.442	.3	-.1
Housing	40.996	141.420	141.353	2.0	.0
Shelter	31.384	148.059	148.278	3.2	.1
Fuels and utilities	5.174	168.210	166.584	-2.6	-1.0
Household furnishings and operations	4.437	89.938	89.574	-1.2	-.4
Apparel	3.466	95.877	94.099	-1.9	-1.9
Transportation	16.982	131.792	130.465	-7.0	-1.0
Private transportation	15.802	132.761	131.149	-7.4	-1.2
Public transportation	1.181	126.920	129.069	-1.5	1.7
Medical care	7.366	173.821	174.331	2.8	.3
Medical care commodities	1.722	148.452	148.607	2.4	.1
Medical care services	5.644	183.273	183.915	3.0	.4
Recreation	5.922	102.694	102.355	.2	-.3
Education and communication	7.104	117.649	117.802	1.0	.1
Education	3.085	226.286	226.436	3.7	.1
Communication	4.019	66.475	66.597	-1.1	.2
Other goods and services	3.341	156.438	156.568	1.9	.1
Commodity and service group					
Services	60.000	151.902	152.121	2.4	.1
Commodities	40.000	116.394	115.310	-3.4	-.9
Durables	9.633	76.870	76.431	-1.5	-.6
Nondurables	30.367	136.359	134.934	-4.1	-1.0
All items less food and energy	76.502	130.914	130.941	1.8	.0
Energy	9.680	161.638	157.042	-15.4	-2.8

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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	135.941	135.183	134.311	-	.6	-	-
2015	133.382	134.035	134.972	135.237	136.026	136.508	136.469	136.190	135.833	135.706	135.334	-	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes											
	December										Nov. 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	134.311	135.334	
Food and beverages	114.0	116.3	121.475	128.111	126.966	128.465	133.810	135.887	137.047	141.039	142.296	
Food	114.0	116.3	121.531	128.286	126.936	128.467	134.126	136.182	137.252	141.433	142.717	
Food at home	111.5	112.7	118.145	125.333	121.543	122.780	129.388	130.524	130.459	134.493	134.313	
Food away from home	117.5	121.2	125.875	132.107	134.469	136.483	140.478	143.979	146.975	151.286	154.976	
Alcoholic beverages	113.5	116.4	121.101	126.277	128.044	129.119	130.310	132.630	135.110	136.528	137.442	
Housing	118.6	122.1	125.272	128.495	127.826	128.180	130.597	132.617	135.375	138.771	141.353	
Shelter	119.3	124.1	127.742	130.352	130.869	131.421	133.931	136.748	140.071	143.928	148.278	
Fuels and utilities	143.2	142.8	150.342	161.108	153.898	156.644	161.110	160.954	165.714	172.147	166.584	
Household furnishings and operations	96.3	96.1	94.348	95.958	94.667	92.022	92.571	92.433	91.359	89.965	89.574	
Apparel	89.0	89.0	87.875	87.730	89.988	89.133	92.354	93.200	94.197	91.945	94.099	
Transportation	114.5	117.0	127.515	109.300	126.503	133.060	140.038	142.920	144.078	135.370	130.465	
Private transportation	115.2	117.8	128.558	108.760	127.002	133.674	140.870	143.960	145.490	136.677	131.149	
Public transportation	107.1	106.8	114.506	116.641	120.092	125.953	129.527	132.715	131.906	126.558	129.069	
Medical care	128.4	133.0	139.266	142.786	147.227	151.479	156.849	162.074	165.390	170.006	174.331	
Medical care commodities	119.0	121.2	124.391	126.200	130.060	133.390	137.439	139.411	139.437	146.069	148.607	
Medical care services	131.6	137.2	144.675	148.866	153.523	158.117	163.977	170.395	174.863	178.926	183.915	
Recreation	104.8	104.8	104.464	105.539	103.552	101.858	102.346	102.632	102.600	101.844	102.355	
Education and communication	103.0	104.2	106.207	110.077	111.744	112.518	114.086	115.496	116.408	116.228	117.802	
Education	146.5	155.5	163.716	172.978	180.752	187.549	197.361	204.638	211.288	218.335	226.436	
Communication	76.5	74.1	73.258	73.930	73.056	71.831	70.413	69.601	68.861	66.961	66.597	
Other goods and services	118.3	121.7	125.479	128.660	137.908	140.477	146.952	149.211	151.765	153.826	156.568	
Commodity and service group												
Services	121.5	125.3	129.271	133.381	134.455	135.915	139.196	142.144	145.186	148.617	152.121	
Commodities	105.7	106.7	111.498	107.102	112.588	114.336	118.699	119.658	119.834	117.299	115.310	
Durables	87.5	85.5	83.597	80.520	81.325	79.980	80.484	79.664	79.130	76.983	76.431	
Nondurables	114.8	117.4	125.732	120.876	128.755	132.078	138.305	139.983	140.437	137.692	134.934	
All items less food and energy	111.0	113.4	115.627	117.623	119.451	120.171	122.811	124.781	126.686	128.245	130.941	
Energy	154.5	158.1	185.912	146.392	172.282	184.714	195.662	195.336	195.831	175.550	157.042	

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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											
	December										Nov. 2015	
	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	0.6	0.8	
Food and beverages	2.1	2.0	4.4	5.5	-9	1.2	4.2	1.6	.9	2.9	.9	
Food	2.1	2.0	4.5	5.6	-1.1	1.2	4.4	1.5	.8	3.0	.9	
Food at home	1.4	1.1	4.8	6.1	-3.0	1.0	5.4	.9	.0	3.1	-1	
Food away from home	3.2	3.1	3.9	5.0	1.8	1.5	2.9	2.5	2.1	2.9	2.4	
Alcoholic beverages	1.4	2.6	4.0	4.3	1.4	.8	.9	1.8	1.9	1.0	.7	
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	2.8	3.0	
Fuels and utilities	11.5	-3	5.3	7.2	-4.5	1.8	2.9	-1	3.0	3.9	-3.2	
Household furnishings and operations .....	.0	-2	-1.8	1.7	-1.3	-2.8	.6	-1	-1.2	-1.5	-4
Apparel	-7	.0	-1.3	-2	2.6	-1.0	3.6	.9	1.1	-2.4	2.3	
Transportation	3.9	2.2	9.0	-14.3	15.7	5.2	5.2	2.1	.8	-6.0	-3.6	
Private transportation	3.8	2.3	9.1	-15.4	16.8	5.3	5.4	2.2	1.1	-6.1	-4.0	
Public transportation	5.7	-3	7.2	1.9	3.0	4.9	2.8	2.5	-6	-4.1	2.0	
Medical care	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.5	3.1	2.9	3.5	3.3	2.0	2.8	2.5	
Medical care commodities	3.6	1.8	2.6	1.5	3.1	2.6	3.0	1.4	.0	4.8	1.7	
Medical care services	4.4	4.3	5.4	2.9	3.1	3.0	3.7	3.9	2.6	2.3	2.8	
Recreation .....	.5	.0	-3	1.0	-1.9	-1.6	.5	.3	.0	-.7	.5
Education and communication	1.8	1.2	1.9	3.6	1.5	.7	1.4	1.2	.8	-.2	1.4	
Education	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.7	4.5	3.8	5.2	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.7	
Communication	-2.2	-3.1	-1.1	.9	-1.2	-1.7	-2.0	-1.2	-1.1	-2.8	-.5	
Other goods and services	3.0	2.9	3.1	2.5	7.2	1.9	4.6	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.8	
Commodity and service group												
Services	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.2	.8	1.1	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	
Commodities	2.3	.9	4.5	-3.9	5.1	1.6	3.8	.8	.1	-2.1	-1.7	
Durables	-1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-3.7	1.0	-1.7	.6	-1.0	-.7	-2.7	-.7	
Nondurables	4.2	2.3	7.1	-3.9	6.5	2.6	4.7	1.2	.3	-2.0	-2.0	
All items less food and energy	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.6	.6	2.2	1.6	1.5	1.2	2.1	
Energy	15.0	2.3	17.6	-21.3	17.7	7.2	5.9	-2	.3	-10.4	-10.5	

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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 \(www.bls.gov/cpi/cpisaqanda.htm\)](http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpisaqanda.htm) and the [Timeline of Seasonal Adjustment Methodological Changes \(www.bls.gov/cpi/cpiseastimeline.htm\)](http://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 Justin Yarros, or Samuel An at (202) 691-6968 or by e-mail at 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>
Anchorage	(415)625-2270
Baltimore	(410)962-4898
Boston	(617)565-2327
Chicago	(312)353-1880
Dallas	(972)850-4800
Denver	(816)285-7000
Detroit	(312)353-1880
Honolulu	(415)625-2270
Houston	(972)850-4800
Kansas City	(816)285-7000
Los Angeles	(415)625-2270
Milwaukee	(312)353-1880
Minneapolis	(312)353-1880
New York	(646)264-3600
Philadelphia	(215)656-3948
Phoenix	(415)625-2270
Pittsburgh	(412)644-2900
Portland	(415)625-2270
San Diego	(415)625-2270
San Francisco	(415)625-2270
Seattle	(415)625-2270
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	(972)850-4800
Kansas City	(816)285-7000
New York	(646)264-3600
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.