

**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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
All items .....	100.000	177.4	176.7	1.6	-0.4	-0.3	0.0	-0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	531.3	529.2	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.198	175.2	175.2	2.8	.0	.5	-1	-1
Food .....	15.217	174.6	174.7	2.8	.1	.5	-1	-1
Food at home .....	9.560	174.7	174.7	2.6	.0	.5	-2	-2
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.522	194.9	195.3	2.4	.2	.1	.3	-1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.573	162.7	162.0	3.4	-4	.7	-4	-2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.050	171.2	170.8	5.8	-2	.8	.2	-2
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.454	212.9	214.4	-3	.7	.1	-4	-1.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.026	139.5	138.5	1.3	-7	.6	-4	.1
Other food at home .....	1.935	160.3	160.9	2.9	.4	.7	-2	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	.363	154.9	156.1	1.7	.8	.2	-3	.6
Fats and oils .....	.288	155.6	156.9	4.5	.8	.3	-1.9	1.1
Other foods .....	1.283	177.6	177.9	3.0	.2	.9	.2	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.312	110.6	108.5	-4	-1.9	.0	1.6	-1.9
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.658	175.8	176.0	3.0	.1	.3	.1	.1
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.177	115.4	115.5	4.0	.1	.1	.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.981	181.2	180.9	2.5	-2	.3	.2	-2
Housing .....	39.980	176.9	176.9	2.9	.0	-1	.4	.2
Shelter .....	30.251	202.9	203.2	4.2	.1	.2	.4	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	7.079	195.5	196.4	4.7	.5	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	2.346	111.6	108.6	-2	-2.7	-1.8	1.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.460	210.1	210.9	4.5	.4	.4	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.366	106.9	106.3	1.5	-6	.2	.0	-6
Fuels and utilities .....	5.123	143.5	142.2	-2.1	-9	-2.1	-1	-9
Fuels .....	4.199	127.8	126.2	-3.4	-1.3	-2.6	-2	-1.3
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.361	118.3	112.7	-22.2	-4.7	-4.4	-2.6	-6.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.838	134.7	133.5	-1.5	-9	-2.5	.1	-8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.924	110.7	111.0	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.605	129.1	128.9	.2	-2	.1	.2	.0
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.935	116.9	117.2	4.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Apparel .....	4.453	128.0	123.7	-3.2	-3.4	.6	-9	-6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	1.257	127.4	122.8	-4.1	-3.6	1.3	-3	-1.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.787	119.4	114.8	-4.1	-3.9	-4	-1.5	-1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	.254	132.4	128.5	.2	-2.9	1.7	.7	-2.9
Footwear .....	.801	123.7	120.6	-2.6	-2.5	.3	-1.1	-8
Transportation .....	17.567	150.2	148.5	-3.8	-1.1	-2.2	-1.5	-8
Private transportation .....	16.157	146.1	144.3	-4.0	-1.2	-2.2	-1.6	-9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	7.477	101.3	101.6	-.5	.3	.0	.3	.2
New vehicles .....	4.677	142.6	143.5	-.1	.6	.1	.6	.2
Used cars and trucks .....	1.887	157.4	157.2	-1.9	-.1	-.3	-.3	.2
Motor fuel .....	3.482	104.5	96.1	-24.8	-8.0	-10.8	-10.1	-6.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	3.458	103.8	95.4	-24.9	-8.1	-10.7	-10.1	-6.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.527	105.8	105.8	2.6	.0	.3	.1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.623	186.4	186.4	3.6	.0	.4	.3	.1
Public transportation .....	1.410	205.1	204.8	-2.2	-.1	-2.0	-.8	.5
Medical care .....	5.813	276.7	277.3	4.7	.2	.4	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.261	250.6	251.6	4.4	.4	.4	.2	.2
Medical care services .....	4.552	283.0	283.5	4.8	.2	.5	.6	.1
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	2.876	248.8	248.9	3.6	.0	.3	.2	.2
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.424	347.1	348.3	7.1	.3	.7	.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.908	105.5	105.3	1.5	-0.2	0.1	0.3	-0.2
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.646	101.4	101.2	.5	-2	.2	.1	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.311	107.0	106.9	3.2	-.1	.6	.1	.1
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.801	122.3	122.0	5.6	-.2	.6	.4	.2
Educational books and supplies .....	.212	304.7	294.7	3.3	-3.3	.4	-.4	-3.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.589	352.0	352.2	5.9	.1	.6	.4	.5
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.510	93.3	93.4	.4	.1	.5	-.3	.1
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.312	92.2	92.3	.1	.1	.5	-.3	.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.150	99.6	99.7	1.3	.1	.7	-.3	.1
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.163	20.0	19.8	-16.8	-1.0	-.5	-1.0	-1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.079	25.8	25.3	-30.7	-1.9	-1.1	-2.3	-1.9
Other goods and services .....	4.769	289.2	286.4	4.5	-1.0	-.7	1.3	-1.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.308	446.7	431.7	8.9	-3.4	-3.2	3.9	-3.4
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	3.461	172.6	172.6	2.9	.0	.2	.2	.0
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.731	155.4	155.4	-.1	.0	-.1	.0	.0
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.987	186.8	186.4	2.8	-.2	.2	.5	-.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.510	268.0	268.5	5.0	.2	.3	.4	.3
Commodity and service group								
Commodities .....	41.828	149.5	147.9	-1.4	-1.1	-.8	-.7	-.7
Food and beverages .....	16.198	175.2	175.2	2.8	.0	.5	-.1	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.629	134.6	132.3	-4.0	-1.7	-1.7	-1.1	-1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.056	142.8	138.4	-6.0	-3.1	-2.6	-1.7	-1.7
Apparel .....	4.453	128.0	123.7	-3.2	-3.4	.6	-.9	-.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	10.603	156.2	151.6	-7.1	-2.9	-3.6	-2.2	-2.2
Durables .....	10.573	124.2	124.3	-1.3	.1	.0	.1	.1
Services .....	58.172	205.1	205.3	3.7	.1	.1	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	29.885	211.3	211.7	4.2	.2	.2	.6	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.366	106.9	106.3	1.5	-.6	.2	.0	-.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.838	134.7	133.5	-1.5	-.9	-2.5	.1	-.8
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.924	110.7	111.0	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.935	116.9	117.2	4.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Transportation services .....	6.903	204.2	204.5	3.1	.1	-.1	.5	.3
Medical care services .....	4.552	283.0	283.5	4.8	.2	.5	.6	.1
Other services .....	10.768	241.9	241.9	3.8	.0	.4	.3	.2
Special indexes								
All items less food .....	84.783	177.8	177.0	1.3	-.4	-.4	.0	-.2
All items less shelter .....	69.749	169.3	168.2	.4	-.6	-.5	-.2	-.4
All items less medical care .....	94.187	172.0	171.3	1.4	-.4	-.3	-.1	-.2
Commodities less food .....	26.610	136.4	134.1	-3.7	-1.7	-1.6	-1.1	-1.1
Nondurables less food .....	16.037	145.1	140.9	-5.4	-2.9	-2.5	-1.5	-1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	11.584	157.7	153.4	-6.2	-2.7	-3.2	-2.0	-2.1
Nondurables .....	31.255	159.1	156.8	-1.4	-1.4	-1.1	-.8	-.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	28.287	213.3	213.2	3.0	.0	-.1	.2	.0
Services less medical care services .....	53.620	198.2	198.3	3.6	.1	.1	.4	.3
Energy .....	7.681	116.0	111.4	-13.0	-4.0	-6.3	-4.4	-3.2
All items less energy .....	92.319	185.4	185.2	2.8	-.1	.2	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	77.102	188.1	187.8	2.7	-.2	.2	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.768	146.0	144.7	-.3	-.9	-.1	.2	-.3
Energy commodities .....	3.843	105.8	97.6	-24.5	-7.8	-10.2	-9.4	-6.1
Services less energy services .....	54.334	212.3	212.6	4.0	.1	.2	.5	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$.564	\$.566	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$.188	\$.189	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	178.2	177.6	177.6	177.3	4.0	3.7	0.7	-2.0	3.8	-0.7
Food and beverages .....	174.7	175.5	175.4	175.3	3.8	3.3	2.8	1.4	3.6	2.1
Food .....	174.4	175.2	175.1	174.9	4.1	3.3	2.8	1.2	3.7	2.0
Food at home .....	174.5	175.3	175.0	174.7	4.1	3.5	2.6	.5	3.8	1.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	195.3	195.4	195.9	195.7	3.0	1.9	4.0	.8	2.4	2.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	161.8	162.9	162.2	161.8	9.8	4.1	.2	.0	6.9	.1
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	169.4	170.8	171.2	170.8	4.3	9.4	6.1	3.3	6.8	4.7
Fruits and vegetables .....	215.5	215.8	214.9	212.3	-.9	3.0	2.8	-5.8	1.0	-1.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.6	140.4	139.9	140.0	.6	1.2	2.3	1.2	.9	1.7
Other food at home .....	160.4	161.5	161.1	161.9	3.9	1.8	2.5	3.8	2.8	3.2
Sugar and sweets .....	156.3	156.6	156.2	157.2	1.8	.8	2.1	2.3	1.3	2.2
Fats and oils .....	158.7	159.1	156.0	157.7	5.7	11.1	3.9	-2.5	8.4	.6
Other foods .....	176.2	177.7	178.1	178.6	4.0	.2	2.3	5.6	2.1	3.9
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.9	108.9	110.6	108.5	-1.8	-2.6	4.5	-1.5	-2.2	1.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	175.1	175.6	175.8	176.0	3.6	3.1	3.5	2.1	3.3	2.8
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.3	115.4	115.4	115.5	1.8	3.6	9.9	.7	2.7	5.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.4	181.0	181.4	181.1	1.6	3.9	2.9	1.6	2.7	2.2
Housing .....	176.7	176.6	177.3	177.6	5.7	3.7	.2	2.1	4.7	1.1
Shelter .....	201.6	202.1	203.0	203.8	4.8	4.7	2.6	4.4	4.8	3.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	193.9	194.7	195.4	196.2	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.8	4.8	4.6
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	108.7	106.7	108.5	108.8	9.1	5.9	-14.7	.4	7.5	-7.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	208.1	209.0	209.9	210.7	4.0	4.6	4.3	5.1	4.3	4.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.7	106.9	106.9	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.1	-1.5	4.4	-1.3
Fuels and utilities .....	147.4	144.3	144.2	142.9	17.8	1.9	-12.9	-11.7	9.5	-12.3
Fuels .....	131.5	128.1	127.9	126.3	21.5	1.8	-16.3	-14.9	11.2	-15.6
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	128.2	122.6	119.4	111.9	-25.5	-4.1	-11.8	-42.0	-15.5	-28.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	138.4	135.0	135.1	134.0	26.4	2.5	-16.8	-12.1	13.9	-14.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.4	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.3	2.0	3.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	129.1	129.2	129.4	129.4	-.6	.6	.0	.9	.0	.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.5	116.7	116.9	117.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	2.4	5.4	3.0
Apparel .....	126.1	126.8	125.6	124.8	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	-4.1	-3.2	-3.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	123.9	125.5	125.1	123.1	-4.6	-1.9	-7.4	-2.6	-3.2	-5.0
Women's and girls' apparel .....	118.7	118.2	116.4	116.3	9.2	-17.2	1.4	-7.8	-4.9	-3.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	129.3	131.5	132.4	128.5	11.0	-12.4	6.4	-2.5	-1.4	1.9
Footwear .....	122.9	123.3	122.0	121.0	3.6	-9.5	2.3	-6.0	-3.2	-2.0
Transportation .....	155.9	152.5	150.2	149.0	-.8	8.0	-4.5	-16.6	3.5	-10.7
Private transportation .....	151.7	148.4	146.0	144.7	.0	7.1	-4.4	-17.2	3.5	-11.0
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	101.1	101.1	101.4	101.6	1.6	-3.1	-2.0	2.0	-.8	.0
New vehicles .....	141.5	141.7	142.5	142.8	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	3.7	-1.4	1.4
Used cars and trucks .....	156.7	156.2	155.8	156.1	7.2	-7.2	-5.4	-1.5	-.3	-3.5
Motor fuel .....	130.4	116.3	104.6	98.3	-10.0	38.1	-20.3	-67.7	11.5	-49.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	129.5	115.6	103.9	97.7	-10.3	38.4	-20.6	-67.6	11.4	-49.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	105.2	105.5	105.6	105.6	6.8	.0	2.3	1.5	3.3	1.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	184.9	185.7	186.2	186.4	4.1	2.7	4.4	3.3	3.4	3.9
Public transportation .....	213.1	208.9	207.2	208.3	-10.6	18.3	-5.3	-8.7	2.8	-7.0
Medical care .....	275.3	276.5	277.9	278.3	6.2	4.4	3.9	4.4	5.3	4.1
Medical care commodities .....	249.6	250.7	251.3	251.8	6.1	4.5	3.3	3.6	5.3	3.4
Medical care services .....	281.0	282.3	283.9	284.3	6.2	4.3	3.9	4.8	5.2	4.4
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	248.1	248.9	249.5	249.9	5.1	2.8	3.5	2.9	3.9	3.2
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	342.6	345.1	347.4	349.0	7.6	6.8	6.1	7.7	7.2	6.9

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

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					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.1	105.2	105.5	105.3	1.2	2.3	1.9	0.8	1.7	1.3
Video and audio <sup>1 2</sup> .....	101.4	101.6	101.7	101.7	.4	-.8	1.2	1.2	-.2	1.2
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	106.7	106.8	106.9	3.9	1.9	3.9	3.1	2.9	3.5
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	120.7	121.4	121.9	122.1	3.9	6.7	7.3	4.7	5.3	6.0
Educational books and supplies .....	304.8	306.0	304.7	295.3	5.4	8.1	13.3	-11.9	6.8	-.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	345.5	347.7	349.2	350.8	3.9	6.5	6.8	6.3	5.2	6.5
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	93.1	93.6	93.3	93.4	3.0	-2.5	.0	1.3	.2	.6
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.0	92.5	92.2	92.3	2.2	-2.6	-.4	1.3	-.2	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.2	99.9	99.6	99.7	4.1	-1.6	.8	2.0	1.2	1.4
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	20.3	20.2	20.0	19.8	-20.1	-18.2	-19.0	-9.5	-19.2	-14.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	26.7	26.4	25.8	25.3	-37.9	-28.4	-35.6	-19.4	-33.3	-27.9
Other goods and services .....	288.4	286.3	289.9	287.0	5.5	5.3	9.5	-1.9	5.4	3.7
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	444.0	429.9	446.7	431.7	11.7	13.7	23.7	-10.6	12.7	5.1
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	171.9	172.3	172.6	172.6	3.1	2.1	4.5	1.6	2.6	3.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	155.5	155.4	155.4	155.4	.5	-2.8	2.3	-.3	-1.2	1.0
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	185.5	185.9	186.8	186.4	2.0	4.2	3.1	2.0	3.1	2.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	266.6	267.3	268.5	269.3	4.0	3.9	8.0	4.1	3.9	6.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	151.6	150.4	149.3	148.2	1.1	2.9	-.8	-8.7	2.0	-4.8
Food and beverages .....	174.7	175.5	175.4	175.3	3.8	3.3	2.8	1.4	3.6	2.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	138.1	135.8	134.3	132.8	-.6	2.9	-3.1	-14.5	1.2	-9.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	148.6	144.8	142.4	140.0	-2.4	7.8	-5.5	-21.2	2.6	-13.7
Apparel .....	126.1	126.8	125.6	124.8	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	-4.1	-3.2	-3.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	166.4	160.4	156.8	153.3	-4.5	14.7	-5.6	-28.0	4.7	-17.5
Durables .....	123.8	123.8	123.9	124.0	-.3	-2.5	-2.5	.6	-1.4	-1.0
Services .....	204.5	204.7	205.6	206.0	5.8	4.2	1.6	3.0	5.0	2.3
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	210.3	210.8	212.0	212.7	4.6	4.9	2.5	4.6	4.8	3.6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.7	106.9	106.9	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.1	-1.5	4.4	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	138.4	135.0	135.1	134.0	26.4	2.5	-16.8	-12.1	13.9	-14.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.4	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.3	2.0	3.7
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.5	116.7	116.9	117.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	2.4	5.4	3.0
Transportation services .....	203.5	203.2	204.3	204.9	1.8	5.7	2.2	2.8	3.8	2.5
Medical care services .....	281.0	282.3	283.9	284.3	6.2	4.3	3.9	4.8	5.2	4.4
Other services .....	240.3	241.3	242.0	242.4	4.0	3.4	4.4	3.5	3.7	4.0
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	178.7	177.9	177.9	177.6	3.7	3.9	.2	-2.4	3.8	-1.1
All items less shelter .....	170.6	169.7	169.3	168.6	3.4	3.3	-.5	-4.6	3.4	-2.6
All items less medical care .....	172.7	172.1	172.0	171.7	3.6	3.8	.5	-2.3	3.7	-.9
Commodities less food .....	139.9	137.7	136.2	134.7	-.6	2.9	-2.8	-14.1	1.1	-8.6
Nondurables less food .....	150.6	146.9	144.7	142.3	-2.6	8.0	-4.9	-20.3	2.5	-12.9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	166.9	161.5	158.3	155.0	-3.8	13.9	-5.1	-25.6	4.7	-16.0
Nondurables .....	161.9	160.2	158.9	157.6	1.0	6.1	-2.0	-10.2	3.5	-6.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	213.3	213.0	213.5	213.6	6.9	4.2	.6	.6	5.6	.6
Services less medical care services .....	197.7	197.8	198.6	199.1	5.7	4.4	1.4	2.9	5.1	2.1
Energy .....	129.8	121.6	116.2	112.5	6.0	16.8	-18.2	-43.6	11.3	-32.1
All items less energy .....	184.7	185.1	185.7	185.8	3.4	2.7	2.4	2.4	3.0	2.4
All items less food and energy .....	187.4	187.7	188.4	188.6	3.5	2.6	2.4	2.6	3.1	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	145.3	145.2	145.5	145.0	1.4	-1.6	.3	-.8	-.1	-.3
Energy commodities .....	130.0	116.7	105.7	99.3	-11.6	34.0	-19.9	-66.0	8.8	-47.8
Services less energy services .....	211.2	211.7	212.7	213.3	4.2	4.5	3.1	4.0	4.3	3.6

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

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

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

January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
All items .....	100.000	177.4	176.7	1.6	-0.4	-0.3	0.0	-0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	531.3	529.2	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.198	175.2	175.2	2.8	.0	.5	-1	-1
Food .....	15.217	174.6	174.7	2.8	.1	.5	-1	-1
Food at home .....	9.560	174.7	174.7	2.6	.0	.5	-2	-2
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.522	194.9	195.3	2.4	.2	.1	.3	-1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.526	179.7	179.2	2.0	-.3	.4	.3	-.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.066	159.2	158.9	4.6	-2	3.5	-1.0	.8
Breakfast cereal .....	.309	202.5	202.2	1.6	-1	-.3	.4	-.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.151	155.3	154.7	1.8	-.4	.5	-.6	-.4
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	98.0	97.9	-1.0	-1	.3	.0	-1
Bakery products .....	.996	202.5	203.3	2.6	.4	-.2	.3	.0
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.294	113.9	115.0	5.2	1.0	-.2	.5	1.0
White bread <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	209.9	212.3	5.2	1.1	.3	-.2	1.1
Bread other than white <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	217.6	218.8	4.2	.6	-.9	1.8	.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.144	111.6	113.4	3.8	1.6	.5	-.4	1.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.268	194.4	196.1	1.7	.9	-.2	-.1	.1
Cookies <sup>3</sup> .....	-	194.4	196.2	2.7	.9	-.8	.6	-.4
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	196.5	197.4	1.8	.5	1.0	.1	.5
Other bakery products .....	.290	198.2	195.9	.5	-1.2	-.8	.8	-1.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	196.3	196.0	4.0	-.2	-.6	.9	-.2
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>3</sup> .....	-	230.1	225.1	-.6	-2.2	-1.3	1.5	-3.0
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>3</sup> .....	-	198.9	202.0	3.4	1.6	.2	-1.7	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.573	162.7	162.0	3.4	-.4	.7	-.4	-.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.457	163.8	163.3	4.0	-.3	.7	-.4	.0
Meats .....	1.651	161.2	160.0	4.6	-.7	.5	-.2	-.3
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.758	161.0	160.2	6.2	-.5	-.1	.0	-.5
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.288	137.3	137.3	6.9	.0	.7	-.3	.0
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.134	120.5	118.7	8.2	-1.5	.9	1.0	-1.5
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.285	116.6	115.8	4.4	-.7	-.9	-.4	-.7
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.051	113.4	113.7	5.6	.3	-1.6	1.1	.3
Pork .....	.559	164.7	163.0	3.7	-1.0	.4	-.8	.2
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.191	114.2	113.4	5.3	-.7	-1.0	-1.2	-.7
Bacon and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	-	188.2	185.8	6.5	-1.3	-.3	-2.1	-1.0
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	111.3	111.8	3.2	.4	-1.5	.7	.4
Ham .....	.125	163.0	158.5	3.9	-2.8	1.6	-1.0	-.2
Ham, excluding canned <sup>3</sup> .....	-	176.3	171.4	4.1	-2.8	1.7	-1.5	.3
Pork chops .....	.125	159.6	159.4	2.8	-.1	.0	1.3	-.2
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.117	101.3	100.7	1.9	-.6	-1.1	-2.6	-.6
Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....	.333	160.6	159.7	3.0	-.6	1.8	.5	-.6
Frankfurters <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	163.6	157.7	3.1	-3.6	5.3	2.8	-3.6
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	107.1	108.2	3.8	1.0	.8	.2	1.0
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	176.4	173.4	2.2	-1.7	2.4	-1.2	-1.7
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	103.9	102.5	-2.7	-1.3	6.3	-5.7	-1.3
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	.475	166.4	167.7	4.4	.8	2.5	-1.9	.8
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.365	108.3	108.4	5.1	.1	3.1	-.3	.1
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	171.1	168.7	2.9	-1.4	.4	.1	-1.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	168.1	169.6	6.8	.9	4.6	-.6	.9
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.110	103.8	107.1	2.0	3.2	.6	-7.2	3.2
Fish and seafood .....	.331	189.2	189.4	-.1	.1	-.7	.5	.4
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.191	108.6	109.6	-.8	.9	.1	-.5	.9
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.140	104.4	103.5	1.1	-.9	.4	.2	-.9
Canned fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	-	128.8	128.2	2.3	-.5	.5	-1.0	-.4
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	221.8	217.6	-.5	-1.9	.0	1.8	-1.9
Eggs .....	.116	138.4	133.5	-8.2	-3.5	-.4	1.1	-6.6
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.050	171.2	170.8	5.8	-.2	.8	.2	-.2
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.409	115.0	114.1	4.4	-.8	1.2	.1	-.8
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	169.2	167.3	4.6	-1.1	1.9	-.6	-1.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	115.8	114.4	3.4	-1.2	.7	1.0	-1.2
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.307	172.6	172.7	7.2	.1	.2	.3	.1
Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.180	180.0	181.8	8.8	1.0	1.5	1.1	1.0
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.155	113.5	112.6	2.8	-.8	.0	-.5	-.8

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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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.454	212.9	214.4	-0.3	0.7	0.1	-0.4	-1.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	1.135	248.5	250.5	-1.7	.8	.0	-.3	-1.8
Fresh fruits .....	.570	268.6	270.7	.6	.8	1.1	1.1	-1.8
Apples .....	.094	218.1	216.2	6.6	-.9	4.6	3.8	-1.3
Bananas .....	.099	164.3	165.4	2.7	.7	.7	-2.6	-.9
Citrus fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.123	141.3	129.8	7.7	-8.1	-5.2	-10.1	-8.1
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>3</sup> .....	-	270.6	242.2	12.8	-10.5	4.9	9.9	-1.5
Other fresh fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.254	100.4	107.7	-5.8	7.3	8.1	7.2	7.3
Fresh vegetables .....	.565	228.6	230.4	-4.1	.8	-1.1	-1.7	-1.7
Potatoes .....	.088	203.4	205.2	14.4	.9	2.7	-1.3	.4
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.079	228.6	231.6	-17.8	1.3	-6.1	-4.2	1.3
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.106	266.3	264.2	-7.6	-.8	7.0	11.8	-.8
Other fresh vegetables .....	.292	229.4	232.2	-4.6	1.2	-2.7	-2.7	-.8
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.319	109.7	110.1	4.6	.4	.5	-.7	.4
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.171	108.5	109.3	4.2	.7	.1	-1.0	.7
Canned fruits <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	109.5	107.7	-.1	-1.6	-.7	.2	-1.6
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	111.3	113.7	7.6	2.2	.3	-1.4	2.2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.103	114.4	114.5	6.3	.1	1.1	-.8	.1
Frozen vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	-	168.3	168.8	6.1	.3	.8	.6	.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.046	103.7	103.9	1.9	.2	.7	.0	.2
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	102.0	103.6	4.6	1.6	.5	2.0	1.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.026	139.5	138.5	1.3	-.7	.6	-.4	.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.759	107.8	106.9	1.9	-.8	.7	-.4	-.8
Carbonated drinks .....	.398	125.6	123.3	1.8	-1.8	.8	-.3	-.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.055	113.0	114.4	2.8	1.2	.9	.3	1.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.307	106.5	106.5	1.8	.0	-.5	.2	.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.266	96.9	96.5	-.3	-.4	-.2	.0	-.4
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.134	143.9	142.6	-3.5	-.9	-.3	-.8	-.9
Roasted coffee <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	144.6	142.7	-5.9	-1.3	-.6	-1.2	-1.3
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	163.7	164.2	3.1	.3	.6	-.1	.3
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.133	112.6	112.7	2.8	.1	.0	.7	.1
Other food at home .....	1.935	160.3	160.9	2.9	.4	.7	-.2	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	.363	154.9	156.1	1.7	.8	.2	-.3	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.068	136.5	136.7	2.3	.1	-.5	-.6	-.3
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.220	104.3	105.3	1.1	1.0	-.1	-.1	1.0
Other sweets <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.075	108.6	109.2	2.6	.6	1.1	-1.3	.6
Fats and oils .....	.288	155.6	156.9	4.5	.8	.3	-1.9	1.1
Butter and margarine <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.095	123.9	126.4	11.6	2.0	1.8	-5.9	2.0
Butter <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	171.1	174.9	18.8	2.2	-1.0	-8.0	2.2
Margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	-	156.9	160.7	4.5	2.4	3.6	-2.0	1.8
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.080	107.0	107.9	1.9	.8	-.1	-.6	.8
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.113	103.6	103.4	.4	-.2	.2	-.6	-.2
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	109.6	109.5	1.2	-.1	-1.9	1.1	-.1
Other foods .....	1.283	177.6	177.9	3.0	.2	.9	.2	.3
Soups .....	.105	199.9	202.8	3.0	1.5	1.3	-.8	.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.215	153.8	154.7	3.0	.6	-1.0	2.1	.6
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.269	170.5	173.7	4.1	1.9	2.8	-.6	1.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.279	182.5	182.3	5.4	-.1	.9	-.8	.6
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	109.0	108.5	7.4	-.5	5.1	-1.8	-.5
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	112.7	109.4	9.2	-2.9	-1.6	1.6	-2.9
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	109.2	109.6	2.9	.4	.8	-1.1	.4
Other condiments <sup>3</sup> .....	-	181.5	184.4	1.0	1.6	.7	-1.7	1.6
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.103	114.8	115.3	3.0	.4	-.3	.8	.4
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.312	110.6	108.5	-.4	-1.9	.0	1.6	-1.9
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.658	175.8	176.0	3.0	.1	.3	.1	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.974	111.5	111.6	3.3	.1	.3	.2	.1
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.654	111.0	111.3	3.2	.3	.4	.3	.3
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.640	106.1	106.2	1.8	.1	.6	-.7	.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.212	104.7	104.7	1.6	.0	.2	.0	.0
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.177	115.4	115.5	4.0	.1	.1	.0	.1

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		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Alcoholic beverages .....	.981	181.2	180.9	2.5	-0.2	0.3	0.2	-0.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.621	162.2	161.5	1.4	-.4	.1	.1	-.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.333	162.3	161.5	1.6	-.5	.4	-.2	-.7
Distilled spirits at home .....	.110	169.9	169.4	3.6	-.3	.1	.2	.1
Whiskey at home <sup>3</sup> .....	-	165.4	165.8	3.6	.2	-.1	.6	.8
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	172.7	171.0	3.8	-1.0	.5	-.3	-1.0
Wine at home .....	.178	151.2	150.7	-.3	-.3	-.1	.4	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.360	218.9	219.4	4.3	.2	.5	.4	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> ..	-	111.6	111.9	2.9	.3	.9	.0	.3
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	120.4	120.5	9.0	.1	1.6	2.7	.1
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	114.5	114.6	4.6	.1	.8	.3	.1
Housing .....	39.980	176.9	176.9	2.9	.0	-.1	.4	.2
Shelter .....	30.251	202.9	203.2	4.2	.1	.2	.4	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	7.079	195.5	196.4	4.7	.5	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2 4</sup> .....	2.346	111.6	108.6	-.2	-2.7	-1.8	1.7	.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>4 5</sup> .....	.242	273.7	273.7	5.2	.0	.8	.4	.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	2.104	236.5	229.3	-.8	-3.0	-2.1	1.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	20.460	210.1	210.9	4.5	.4	.4	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.366	106.9	106.3	1.5	-.6	.2	.0	-.6
Fuels and utilities .....	5.123	143.5	142.2	-2.1	-.9	-2.1	-.1	-.9
Fuels .....	4.199	127.8	126.2	-3.4	-1.3	-2.6	-.2	-1.3
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.361	118.3	112.7	-22.2	-4.7	-4.4	-2.6	-6.3
Fuel oil .....	.268	114.0	107.4	-26.7	-5.8	-5.2	-4.1	-7.1
Other household fuels <sup>6</sup> .....	.093	158.1	154.9	-9.3	-2.0	-1.4	-.6	-3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	3.838	134.7	133.5	-1.5	-.9	-2.5	.1	-.8
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	2.453	135.4	134.6	6.1	-.6	-.5	-1.0	-.3
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	1.385	138.3	136.0	-15.1	-1.7	-6.8	2.6	-2.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.924	110.7	111.0	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.3
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>4</sup> .....	.677	237.1	237.8	3.0	.3	.2	.3	.4
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 7</sup> .....	.247	278.6	278.6	2.5	.0	.4	.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.605	129.1	128.9	.2	-.2	.1	.2	.0
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.332	98.8	98.5	-2.6	-.3	.1	.6	-.3
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.087	107.1	107.3	.0	.2	-.7	.2	.2
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.105	93.0	94.8	-6.3	1.9	-1.0	-1.8	1.9
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.140	98.2	96.2	-1.2	-2.0	1.5	2.6	-2.0
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	1.064	130.6	130.0	-3.1	-.5	-.5	-.1	-.5
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.294	136.5	135.7	-1.2	-.6	.1	.7	-.6
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.593	100.2	99.5	-3.4	-.7	-.7	-.5	-.7
Other furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.166	93.3	93.9	-5.8	.6	-1.0	-.1	.6
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.324	94.5	94.4	-.5	-.1	-.4	.0	-.1
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.194	97.1	97.9	1.7	.8	-.8	.4	.8
Laundry equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	111.7	111.6	-.4	-.1	-.4	-.3	-.1
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.124	90.6	89.2	-3.9	-1.5	.1	-.7	-1.5
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.487	96.3	95.6	-.5	-.7	.1	.2	-.7
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.191	107.4	106.6	-1.8	-.7	-.2	.4	-.7
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.151	118.3	117.6	2.4	-.6	.4	1.1	-.6
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.069	91.9	90.6	-3.0	-1.4	.1	-1.1	-1.4
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.076	95.6	95.2	-1.1	-.4	-.3	-.5	-.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.584	95.7	95.8	-.6	.1	-1.0	-.4	.1
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.153	95.8	95.7	-2.1	-.1	-.3	-.8	-.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.294	95.6	95.8	.2	.2	-1.3	-.1	.2
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.881	160.1	159.9	2.4	-.1	-.4	.2	-.1
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.403	110.2	110.5	2.7	.3	-.4	.8	.3
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.228	119.6	119.1	1.4	-.4	-.8	.3	-.4
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.250	107.5	106.9	2.8	-.6	.1	-.8	-.6
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.935	116.9	117.2	4.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.327	114.8	114.9	2.9	.1	.3	.1	.1
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.277	117.9	118.3	4.5	.3	.3	.3	.3
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.108	115.6	115.6	3.9	.0	.2	.0	.0
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.106	121.8	122.6	7.4	.7	.2	.2	.7

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Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Apparel .....	4.453	128.0	123.7	-3.2	-3.4	0.6	-0.9	-0.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	1.257	127.4	122.8	-4.1	-3.6	1.3	-.3	-1.6
Men's apparel .....	.994	130.4	125.8	-4.3	-3.5	1.5	-.2	-1.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.225	132.4	128.1	-1.5	-3.2	2.8	.2	-1.5
Men's furnishings .....	.259	134.4	132.0	-2.4	-1.8	.1	.4	-.9
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.294	98.1	92.2	-7.7	-6.0	5.0	-.7	-6.0
Men's pants and shorts .....	.202	120.8	117.5	-4.9	-2.7	-1.0	-.7	-.6
Boys' apparel .....	.262	115.0	110.8	-3.2	-3.7	1.5	.3	-.8
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.787	119.4	114.8	-4.1	-3.9	-.4	-1.5	-.1
Women's apparel .....	1.519	120.0	115.3	-4.0	-3.9	-.3	-1.8	-.2
Women's outerwear .....	.114	119.1	113.3	-7.0	-4.9	-2.1	-3.3	-1.5
Women's dresses .....	.185	105.0	99.1	3.4	-5.6	1.3	-2.5	1.0
Women's suits and separates <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.793	95.6	90.9	-5.8	-4.9	1.1	-3.1	-4.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.406	98.3	97.5	-3.1	-.8	1.0	-.8	-.8
Girls' apparel .....	.268	116.0	112.2	-4.8	-3.3	-1.0	.4	.0
Footwear .....	.801	123.7	120.6	-2.6	-2.5	.3	-1.1	-.8
Men's footwear .....	.253	125.0	124.5	-3.3	-.4	1.0	.4	.6
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.188	127.1	122.1	-1.1	-3.9	4.5	.3	-4.4
Women's footwear .....	.360	120.4	116.7	-2.8	-3.1	-2.3	-2.6	.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	.254	132.4	128.5	.2	-2.9	1.7	.7	-2.9
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	.354	135.3	132.3	-.1	-2.2	2.6	-.8	1.9
Watches <sup>6</sup> .....	.065	119.1	117.1	-1.8	-1.7	.6	-.4	.8
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	.290	139.9	136.6	.3	-2.4	3.2	-.9	2.1
Transportation .....	17.567	150.2	148.5	-3.8	-1.1	-2.2	-1.5	-.8
Private transportation .....	16.157	146.1	144.3	-4.0	-1.2	-2.2	-1.6	-.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	7.477	101.3	101.6	-.5	.3	.0	.3	.2
New vehicles .....	4.677	142.6	143.5	-.1	.6	.1	.6	.2
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	98.9	99.6	.0	.7	.5	1.1	.7
New cars <sup>3</sup> .....	-	139.4	140.5	.0	.8	.0	.6	.3
New trucks <sup>3 7</sup> .....	-	151.3	152.0	-.1	.5	.5	.5	.3
New motorcycles <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks .....	1.887	157.4	157.2	-1.9	-.1	-.3	-.3	.2
Car and truck rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.138	102.6	103.7	-3.6	1.1	.2	3.1	1.1
Motor fuel .....	3.482	104.5	96.1	-24.8	-8.0	-10.8	-10.1	-6.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	3.458	103.8	95.4	-24.9	-8.1	-10.7	-10.1	-6.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	-	101.8	93.1	-25.8	-8.5	-11.8	-10.7	-5.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 9</sup> .....	-	107.2	98.8	-24.9	-7.8	-10.3	-9.8	-6.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	-	104.9	97.0	-23.4	-7.5	-9.1	-9.4	-5.4
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.024	116.7	112.0	-16.6	-4.0	-3.0	-3.6	-4.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.527	105.8	105.8	2.6	.0	.3	.1	.0
Tires .....	.251	101.3	101.2	2.7	-.1	.6	.0	.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.276	106.2	106.2	2.5	.0	.3	.1	.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	111.3	111.3	1.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	151.1	150.7	6.4	-.3	.1	.1	-.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.623	186.4	186.4	3.6	.0	.4	.3	.1
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.119	197.4	197.6	3.4	.1	.3	-.3	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.510	171.5	171.6	4.0	.1	.8	-.1	.1
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.974	113.5	113.5	3.5	.0	.3	.4	.0
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.413	278.2	279.4	7.3	.4	.5	1.8	.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.634	110.2	110.4	2.0	.2	.3	.2	.2
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	.415	106.2	106.4	1.0	.2	.3	.1	.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.197	119.2	119.6	4.2	.3	.3	.3	.3
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	119.9	120.2	4.2	.3	.3	.3	.3
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	109.3	109.8	5.1	.5	.0	.0	.5
Public transportation .....	1.410	205.1	204.8	-2.2	-.1	-2.0	-.8	.5
Airline fare <sup>1</sup> .....	.923	230.0	229.0	-3.9	-.4	-2.5	-2.7	-.4
Other intercity transportation .....	.169	150.7	152.0	-2.8	.9	-.6	-.9	.7
Ship fare <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	76.7	78.4	-8.8	2.2	-1.1	-3.2	2.2
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.314	181.9	182.3	2.7	.2	.0	.1	.2

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		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Medical care .....	5.813	276.7	277.3	4.7	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.261	250.6	251.6	4.4	.4	.4	.2	.2
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	.875	306.3	307.3	6.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.386	150.2	151.1	.6	.6	.1	-1.1	.6
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	.256	177.7	179.5	1.2	1.0	-.5	.0	1.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.130	179.2	179.0	-.4	-.1	1.3	-.1	-.1
Medical care services .....	4.552	283.0	283.5	4.8	.2	.5	.6	.1
Professional services <sup>4</sup> .....	2.876	248.8	248.9	3.6	.0	.3	.2	.2
Physicians' services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.474	255.9	255.8	3.5	.0	.4	.3	.0
Dental services <sup>4</sup> .....	.859	272.3	272.5	3.9	.1	.1	.6	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 4 6</sup> .....	.277	154.9	155.6	2.8	.5	-.1	-.1	.5
Services by other medical professionals <sup>4 6</sup> .....	.268	168.9	169.0	3.4	.1	.0	.2	.1
Hospital and related services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.424	347.1	348.3	7.1	.3	.7	.7	.5
Hospital services <sup>1 4 10</sup> .....	1.371	126.9	127.4	7.2	.4	.6	.7	.4
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 4 10</sup> .....	-	124.1	124.3	6.9	.2	.7	.7	.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 4 6</sup> .....	-	288.3	290.2	6.8	.7	.3	.5	.9
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1 4 10</sup> .....	.053	124.0	124.3	4.5	.2	.2	.3	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.908	105.5	105.3	1.5	-.2	.1	.3	-.2
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.646	101.4	101.2	.5	-.2	.2	.1	.0
Televisions .....	.157	42.6	42.3	-10.8	-.7	-1.1	-.7	-.7
Cable television <sup>4 7</sup> .....	.903	280.7	280.9	4.0	.1	.4	.4	.2
Other video equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.049	50.8	50.4	-16.6	-.8	-.2	-.4	-.8
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> ..	.150	83.9	83.9	-1.8	.0	.0	-1.2	.0
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	81.9	81.0	-4.6	-1.1	.1	-2.3	-1.1
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	92.7	94.2	3.2	1.6	-.1	.1	1.6
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.139	76.7	75.9	-4.4	-1.0	-.1	-.1	-1.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.143	108.7	108.5	4.3	-.2	.2	1.8	-.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.658	110.9	111.4	4.2	.5	-.1	.4	.5
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	.406	147.5	148.4	3.3	.6	-.2	.3	.6
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	104.7	105.4	3.0	.7	-.4	.2	.7
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	101.9	101.6	2.1	-.3	-.2	.5	-.3
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.252	124.3	124.6	5.9	.2	.1	.5	.2
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	112.5	113.0	1.9	.4	-.7	.0	.4
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	125.5	125.7	6.4	.2	.2	.4	.2
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.444	117.7	117.3	-1.6	-.3	-.3	-.2	-.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.210	132.6	131.8	-.5	-.6	-.2	.2	-.6
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.225	103.5	103.5	-2.6	.0	-.4	-.6	.0
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.244	98.8	98.7	-.7	-.1	.1	-.2	-.1
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.094	123.4	122.3	-2.2	-.9	.3	-.2	-.9
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	97.7	97.3	1.4	-.4	.8	.4	-.4
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	84.3	83.2	-7.7	-1.3	-.5	-1.6	-1.3
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.149	103.5	103.8	.1	.3	.0	-.2	.3
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	107.1	108.7	4.3	1.5	-1.3	.0	1.5
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	99.6	99.4	-1.7	-.2	.2	-.2	-.2
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.478	84.1	83.1	-3.8	-1.2	.1	-.7	-1.2
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.347	99.3	98.0	-5.2	-1.3	.2	-.8	-1.3
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	83.5	82.4	-4.1	-1.3	.2	-.8	-1.3
Video game hardware, software and accessories <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.063	97.0	96.2	1.1	-.8	.4	-1.0	-.8
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.053	100.2	100.1	.0	-.1	-.3	-.1	-.1
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.860	118.1	117.7	3.9	-.3	.3	.9	-.3
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.660	113.1	112.4	2.1	-.6	.4	1.3	-.6
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.802	246.4	245.3	4.5	-.4	-.2	.4	-.4
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	120.0	119.4	2.6	-.5	-.1	.3	-.5
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	126.9	126.4	6.0	-.4	-.3	.4	-.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>6</sup> .....	.222	202.1	203.2	6.7	.5	1.1	1.7	.6
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.578	192.1	193.1	2.0	.5	-.3	.1	.5
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.388	108.8	109.3	2.1	.5	-.6	.1	.5
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.189	102.5	103.0	1.7	.5	.4	.1	.5

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Expenditure category								
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.311	107.0	106.9	3.2	-0.1	0.6	0.1	0.1
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.801	122.3	122.0	5.6	-.2	.6	.4	.2
Educational books and supplies .....	.212	304.7	294.7	3.3	-3.3	.4	-.4	-3.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.589	352.0	352.2	5.9	.1	.6	.4	.5
College tuition and fees .....	1.165	361.8	361.9	6.2	.0	.4	.5	.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.360	387.3	387.3	7.2	.0	.3	.4	.5
Child care and nursery school <sup>8</sup> .....	.933	167.9	168.1	5.0	.1	.9	.3	.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.054	125.4	126.0	5.9	.5	.5	.2	.5
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.510	93.3	93.4	.4	.1	.5	-.3	.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.198	108.1	108.0	4.7	-1.1	.0	.0	-1.1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.194	172.7	172.7	4.6	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.004	124.4	123.7	6.6	-6	.0	.0	-6
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.312	92.2	92.3	.1	.1	.5	-.3	.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.150	99.6	99.7	1.3	.1	.7	-.3	.1
Telephone services, local charges <sup>1 4</sup> .....	1.104	188.1	188.2	4.5	.1	.4	.2	.1
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.003	87.6	87.9	-1.8	.3	1.0	-1.0	.3
Interstate toll calls <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	64.3	64.5	-2.0	.3	1.1	-1.1	.3
Intrastate toll calls <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	87.3	87.4	-1.7	.1	1.0	-.8	.1
Cellular telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.043	67.5	67.2	-5.5	-.4	-.1	.6	-.4
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.163	20.0	19.8	-16.8	-1.0	-.5	-1.0	-1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.079	25.8	25.3	-30.7	-1.9	-1.1	-2.3	-1.9
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.028	79.1	79.5	-2.5	.5	-.9	2.7	.5
Computer information processing services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.017	100.4	100.3	4.8	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Other information processing equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.038	65.5	65.0	-8.2	-.8	-.1	-1.7	-.8
Other goods and services .....	4.769	289.2	286.4	4.5	-1.0	-.7	1.3	-1.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.308	446.7	431.7	8.9	-3.4	-3.2	3.9	-3.4
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.234	181.6	175.1	9.2	-3.6	-3.4	4.1	-3.6
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.066	125.0	125.8	3.4	.6	.3	.2	.6
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	3.461	172.6	172.6	2.9	.0	.2	.2	.0
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.731	155.4	155.4	-.1	.0	-.1	.0	.0
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.362	104.0	104.6	-.3	.6	-.4	.0	.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.365	169.3	168.3	.1	-6	.2	.0	-6
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.987	186.8	186.4	2.8	-2	.2	.5	-2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.987	114.0	113.7	2.8	-3	.2	.5	-3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.510	268.0	268.5	5.0	.2	.3	.4	.3
Legal services <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.351	204.9	205.1	6.5	.1	.8	.0	.1
Funeral expenses <sup>6</sup> .....	.351	197.6	198.3	4.5	.4	.4	.5	.4
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.213	111.4	111.5	4.1	.1	.4	-.3	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.065	113.0	113.0	4.1	.0	.2	.2	.0
Financial services <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.319	227.2	228.0	4.5	.4	.1	.6	.4
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	115.4	116.0	5.1	.5	.1	.9	.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	122.6	122.7	4.5	.1	.2	.2	.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.233	94.7	94.4	-1.7	-.3	.5	-.8	-.3
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>3</sup> .....	-	156.5	156.5	.6	.0	-.3	.4	-.4
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities .....	41.828	149.5	147.9	-1.4	-1.1	-.8	-.7	-.7
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.629	134.6	132.3	-4.0	-1.7	-1.7	-1.1	-1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.056	142.8	138.4	-6.0	-3.1	-2.6	-1.7	-1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	10.603	156.2	151.6	-7.1	-2.9	-3.6	-2.2	-2.2
Durables .....	10.573	124.2	124.3	-1.3	.1	.0	.1	.1
Services .....	58.172	205.1	205.3	3.7	.1	.1	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	29.885	211.3	211.7	4.2	.2	.2	.6	.3
Transportation services .....	6.903	204.2	204.5	3.1	.1	-.1	.5	.3
Other services .....	10.768	241.9	241.9	3.8	.0	.4	.3	.2
All items less food .....	84.783	177.8	177.0	1.3	-.4	-.4	.0	-.2
All items less shelter .....	69.749	169.3	168.2	.4	-.6	-.5	-.2	-.4
All items less medical care .....	94.187	172.0	171.3	1.4	-.4	-.3	-.1	-.2
Commodities less food .....	26.610	136.4	134.1	-3.7	-1.7	-1.6	-1.1	-1.1
Nondurables less food .....	16.037	145.1	140.9	-5.4	-2.9	-2.5	-1.5	-1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	11.584	157.7	153.4	-6.2	-2.7	-3.2	-2.0	-2.1
Nondurables .....	31.255	159.1	156.8	-1.4	-1.4	-1.1	-.8	-.8

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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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Special aggregate indexes								
Apparel less footwear .....	3.652	124.3	119.9	-3.4	-3.5	0.7	-0.9	-0.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	28.287	213.3	213.2	3.0	.0	-.1	.2	.0
Services less medical care services .....	53.620	198.2	198.3	3.6	.1	.1	.4	.3
Energy .....	7.681	116.0	111.4	-13.0	-4.0	-6.3	-4.4	-3.2
All items less energy .....	92.319	185.4	185.2	2.8	-.1	.2	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	77.102	188.1	187.8	2.7	-.2	.2	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.768	146.0	144.7	-.3	-.9	-.1	.2	-.3
Energy commodities .....	3.843	105.8	97.6	-24.5	-7.8	-10.2	-9.4	-6.1
Services less energy services .....	54.334	212.3	212.6	4.0	.1	.2	.5	.3
Domestically produced farm food .....	8.104	178.1	178.2	2.9	.1	.5	-.2	-.1
Utilities and public transportation .....	9.225	157.1	156.6	.1	-.3	-1.3	-.2	-.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .564	\$ .566	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .188	\$ .189	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

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

<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	178.2	177.6	177.6	177.3	4.0	3.7	0.7	-2.0	3.8	-0.7
Food and beverages .....	174.7	175.5	175.4	175.3	3.8	3.3	2.8	1.4	3.6	2.1
Food .....	174.4	175.2	175.1	174.9	4.1	3.3	2.8	1.2	3.7	2.0
Food at home .....	174.5	175.3	175.0	174.7	4.1	3.5	2.6	.5	3.8	1.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	195.3	195.4	195.9	195.7	3.0	1.9	4.0	.8	2.4	2.4
Cereals and cereal products .....	179.9	180.7	181.3	180.3	-1.1	6.3	2.3	.9	2.5	1.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	161.8	167.5	165.8	167.1	17.0	-3.8	-6.4	13.8	6.1	3.2
Breakfast cereal .....	202.5	201.9	202.7	202.2	-8.4	9.8	6.6	-6	.3	2.9
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	155.4	156.2	155.3	154.7	3.7	7.0	-1.5	-1.8	5.3	-1.7
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	97.7	98.0	98.0	97.9	-3.6	.8	-2.0	.8	-1.4	-6
Bakery products .....	203.0	202.5	203.1	203.1	5.8	.4	4.5	.2	3.1	2.3
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	113.3	113.9	115.0	7.9	4.0	3.6	5.4	5.9	4.5
White bread <sup>1 3</sup> .....	209.7	210.4	209.9	212.3	10.7	3.7	1.3	5.1	7.2	3.2
Bread other than white <sup>1 3</sup> .....	215.6	213.7	217.6	218.8	-2.1	5.9	7.2	6.1	1.8	6.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.4	112.0	111.6	113.4	5.2	2.6	.0	7.4	3.9	3.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	194.5	194.1	194.0	194.1	.6	-2.3	9.1	-8	-8	4.0
Cookies <sup>3</sup> .....	194.5	192.9	194.0	193.3	2.6	.8	10.3	-2.4	1.7	3.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	194.4	196.3	196.5	197.4	-8	-3.1	5.1	6.3	-2.0	5.7
Other bakery products .....	200.8	199.1	200.6	196.9	7.6	-2	2.8	-7.5	3.6	-2.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	195.7	194.6	196.3	196.0	-5.2	15.5	6.4	.6	4.6	3.5
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>3</sup> .....	234.0	230.9	234.3	227.2	7.4	-2.0	4.8	-11.1	2.6	-3.5
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>3</sup> .....	203.8	204.2	200.7	202.4	14.0	2.4	.8	-2.7	8.0	-1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	161.8	162.9	162.2	161.8	9.8	4.1	.2	.0	6.9	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.3	164.5	163.8	163.8	10.0	4.3	.7	1.2	7.1	1.0
Meats .....	160.4	161.2	160.9	160.4	14.0	4.4	1.0	.0	9.1	.5
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	161.1	161.0	161.0	160.2	26.7	6.1	-3.4	-2.2	16.0	-2.8
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	136.8	137.7	137.3	137.3	20.4	6.4	.6	1.5	13.2	1.0
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.2	119.3	120.5	118.7	38.5	-4.3	1.7	1.7	15.1	1.7
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.2	117.1	116.6	115.8	29.5	11.3	-10.4	-7.9	20.0	-9.2
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.0	112.2	113.4	113.7	17.8	2.5	4.0	-1.0	9.9	1.4
Pork .....	164.8	165.5	164.1	164.5	6.2	3.5	6.3	-7	4.9	2.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.8	115.6	114.2	113.4	6.1	9.9	18.7	-11.1	8.0	2.7
Bacon and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	190.7	190.2	186.3	184.5	17.7	10.1	13.4	-12.4	13.8	-3
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	112.2	110.5	111.3	111.8	-7	5.3	10.2	-1.4	2.2	4.2
Ham .....	159.0	161.6	160.0	159.7	6.9	2.6	4.4	1.8	4.7	3.1
Ham, excluding canned <sup>3</sup> .....	172.1	175.0	172.3	172.8	8.2	2.9	4.1	1.6	5.5	2.8
Pork chops .....	159.4	159.4	161.4	161.0	6.3	-2.2	3.3	4.1	1.9	3.7
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.2	104.0	101.3	100.7	.4	17.6	8.8	-16.0	8.7	-4.4
Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....	157.0	159.8	160.6	159.7	-3	2.3	2.9	7.1	1.0	4.9
Frankfurters <sup>1 3</sup> .....	151.2	159.2	163.6	157.7	3.7	-6.3	-1.8	18.3	-1.4	7.8
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	106.0	106.9	107.1	108.2	1.2	5.9	.0	8.6	3.5	4.2
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 3</sup> .....	174.4	178.6	176.4	173.4	.0	14.9	-2.9	-2.3	7.2	-2.6
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	103.7	110.2	103.9	102.5	13.6	-4	-16.9	-4.5	6.4	-10.9
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	165.4	169.6	166.4	167.7	4.8	4.8	2.2	5.7	4.8	3.9
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.3	108.6	108.3	108.4	1.6	6.3	.8	12.3	3.9	6.4
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 3</sup> .....	170.4	171.0	171.1	168.7	6.7	3.9	5.1	-3.9	5.3	.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	161.6	169.1	168.1	169.6	.5	7.5	-7	21.3	3.9	9.7
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.1	111.8	103.8	107.1	16.1	.4	7.5	-13.6	8.0	-3.6
Fish and seafood .....	190.0	188.7	189.6	190.4	.0	2.1	-3.1	.8	1.1	-1.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.0	109.1	108.6	109.6	9.0	-5.2	-8.3	2.2	1.6	-3.2
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.8	104.2	104.4	103.5	-5.7	12.0	.0	-1.2	2.8	-6
Canned fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	128.6	129.3	128.0	127.5	.3	11.4	1.9	-3.4	5.7	-8
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	217.9	217.9	221.8	217.6	-6.6	10.2	-4.1	-5	1.5	-2.3
Eggs .....	133.0	132.5	134.0	125.2	5.4	-1.7	-13.0	-21.5	1.8	-17.3
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	169.4	170.8	171.2	170.8	4.3	9.4	6.1	3.3	6.8	4.7
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	114.9	115.0	114.1	2.2	11.8	1.8	2.1	6.9	2.0
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	167.0	170.2	169.2	167.3	-5	19.3	.0	.7	8.9	.4
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	113.9	114.7	115.8	114.4	2.6	7.8	1.8	1.8	5.1	1.8
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	171.6	172.0	172.6	172.7	7.4	7.0	12.0	2.6	7.2	7.2
Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	175.5	178.1	180.0	181.8	5.4	6.0	8.9	15.2	5.7	12.0
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.1	114.1	113.5	112.6	1.8	12.2	3.2	-5.2	6.9	-1.1

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Fruits and vegetables .....	215.5	215.8	214.9	212.3	-0.9	3.0	2.8	-5.8	1.0	-1.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	250.1	250.2	249.5	245.1	-3.2	1.8	2.6	-7.8	-.7	-2.7
Fresh fruits .....	265.5	268.4	271.3	266.5	-5.5	14.9	-7.1	1.5	4.2	-2.9
Apples .....	208.8	218.4	226.8	223.8	-9.2	23.5	-12.8	32.0	5.9	7.3
Bananas .....	172.4	173.6	169.0	167.5	-3.4	10.3	16.9	-10.9	3.2	2.1
Citrus fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	165.9	157.2	141.3	129.8	19.2	92.5	56.6	-62.5	51.5	-23.4
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>3</sup> .....	265.0	277.9	305.4	300.9	-4.3	8.4	-5.8	66.2	1.9	25.1
Other fresh fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	86.7	93.7	100.4	107.7	-44.2	-13.1	-31.8	138.1	-30.3	27.4
Fresh vegetables .....	236.3	233.7	229.8	225.9	-.7	-10.3	14.0	-16.5	-5.6	-2.4
Potatoes .....	212.4	218.2	215.4	216.2	7.2	17.7	26.2	7.4	12.3	16.4
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	254.1	238.5	228.6	231.6	-42.0	-41.3	94.7	-31.0	-41.7	15.9
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	222.6	238.1	266.3	264.2	-32.1	-16.9	-34.9	98.4	-24.9	13.7
Other fresh vegetables .....	244.0	237.3	231.0	229.2	8.1	-15.6	16.6	-22.1	-4.5	-4.7
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.0	110.5	109.7	110.1	7.0	7.7	3.3	.4	7.3	1.8
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	109.6	108.5	109.3	5.1	7.4	5.3	-.7	6.2	2.2
Canned fruits <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	110.1	109.3	109.5	107.7	1.1	1.1	6.4	-8.4	1.1	-1.3
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	112.6	112.9	111.3	113.7	7.4	14.1	5.1	4.0	10.7	4.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.0	115.3	114.4	114.5	10.0	11.3	2.5	1.8	10.7	2.1
Frozen vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	167.5	168.9	169.9	170.2	8.0	8.8	1.0	6.6	8.4	3.7
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.0	103.7	103.7	103.9	5.6	.8	-2.3	3.5	3.2	.6
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	99.5	100.0	102.0	103.6	-.4	2.4	.0	17.5	1.0	8.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.6	140.4	139.9	140.0	.6	1.2	2.3	1.2	.9	1.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	107.4	108.2	107.8	106.9	10.7	-1.5	.7	-1.8	4.4	-.6
Carbonated drinks .....	125.5	126.5	126.1	125.9	2.6	2.9	.6	1.3	2.8	1.0
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.7	112.7	113.0	114.4	-6.3	9.4	-1.1	10.0	1.3	4.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	106.3	106.5	106.5	3.5	.8	4.2	-1.1	2.1	1.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.1	96.9	96.9	96.5	3.3	-5.6	3.8	-2.4	-1.2	.6
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	145.6	145.1	143.9	142.6	5.5	-5.2	-5.6	-8.0	.0	-6.8
Roasted coffee <sup>1 3</sup> .....	147.3	146.4	144.6	142.7	3.2	-6.1	-8.2	-11.9	-1.6	-10.1
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 3</sup> .....	163.0	163.9	163.7	164.2	8.5	-.5	1.5	3.0	3.9	2.2
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.8	111.8	112.6	112.7	1.1	-5.7	13.6	3.3	-2.4	8.3
Other food at home .....	160.4	161.5	161.1	161.9	3.9	1.8	2.5	3.8	2.8	3.2
Sugar and sweets .....	156.3	156.6	156.2	157.2	1.8	.8	2.1	2.3	1.3	2.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	141.4	140.7	139.8	139.4	11.0	4.1	.3	-5.5	7.5	-2.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.5	104.4	104.3	105.3	.0	1.2	.0	3.1	.6	1.5
Other sweets <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.8	110.0	108.6	109.2	7.7	-6.5	8.5	1.5	.4	4.9
Fats and oils .....	158.7	159.1	156.0	157.7	5.7	11.1	3.9	-2.5	8.4	.6
Butter and margarine <sup>1 2</sup> .....	129.4	131.7	123.9	126.4	12.9	38.0	9.1	-9.0	24.9	-.3
Butter <sup>1 3</sup> .....	187.8	186.0	171.1	174.9	14.6	89.5	22.0	-24.8	47.4	-4.2
Margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	157.1	162.7	159.4	162.3	13.5	-6.8	-1.3	13.9	2.9	6.1
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	107.7	107.6	107.0	107.9	5.8	-5.8	7.4	.7	-.2	4.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.0	104.2	103.6	103.4	6.0	-.4	-1.5	-2.3	2.7	-1.9
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	110.5	108.4	109.6	109.5	3.0	4.1	1.5	-3.6	3.5	-1.1
Other foods .....	176.2	177.7	178.1	178.6	4.0	.2	2.3	5.6	2.1	3.9
Soups .....	202.5	205.2	203.6	205.1	-1.6	8.5	.2	5.2	3.3	2.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	152.2	150.7	153.8	154.7	.3	6.5	-1.3	6.7	3.4	2.6
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	166.9	171.5	170.5	173.7	4.4	3.6	-7.3	17.3	4.0	4.3
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	183.0	184.7	183.3	184.4	14.2	-4.1	9.5	3.1	4.6	6.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	105.6	111.0	109.0	108.5	26.9	-3.3	-2.6	11.4	10.8	4.2
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	112.7	110.9	112.7	109.4	47.9	-25.4	45.0	-11.2	5.1	13.5
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	109.5	110.4	109.2	109.6	.8	6.5	4.1	.4	3.6	2.2
Other condiments <sup>3</sup> .....	186.9	188.3	185.1	188.0	-3.0	4.4	.4	2.4	.6	1.4
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.2	113.9	114.8	115.3	7.7	.4	.4	3.9	4.0	2.1
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.9	108.9	110.6	108.5	-1.8	-2.6	4.5	-1.5	-2.2	1.5
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	175.1	175.6	175.8	176.0	3.6	3.1	3.5	2.1	3.3	2.8
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.0	111.3	111.5	111.6	4.9	3.0	3.3	2.2	3.9	2.7
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.3	110.7	111.0	111.3	2.6	3.0	3.7	3.7	2.8	3.7
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.3	106.9	106.1	106.2	1.5	2.7	3.5	-.4	2.1	1.5
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.5	104.7	104.7	104.7	3.1	1.5	.8	.8	2.3	.8
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.3	115.4	115.4	115.5	1.8	3.6	9.9	.7	2.7	5.2

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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.4	181.0	181.4	181.1	1.6	3.9	2.9	1.6	2.7	2.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	162.2	162.3	162.5	162.0	1.3	1.5	3.5	-.5	1.4	1.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	162.4	163.0	162.6	161.5	.3	2.8	5.6	-2.2	1.5	1.6
Distilled spirits at home .....	169.4	169.6	169.9	170.1	5.5	3.2	4.4	1.7	4.3	3.0
Whiskey at home <sup>3</sup> .....	164.5	164.4	165.4	166.7	5.8	3.2	.2	5.5	4.5	2.8
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	172.4	173.2	172.7	171.0	9.6	3.6	5.8	-3.2	6.5	1.2
Wine at home .....	151.3	151.1	151.7	151.7	-1.3	-.3	-.5	1.1	-.8	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	216.9	218.0	218.9	219.4	2.7	6.0	3.8	4.7	4.3	4.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> ..	110.6	111.6	111.6	111.9	.4	4.1	2.6	4.8	2.2	3.7
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	115.4	117.2	120.4	120.5	4.4	6.6	6.9	18.9	5.5	12.7
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	113.3	114.2	114.5	114.6	6.0	3.3	4.4	4.7	4.6	4.5
Housing .....	176.7	176.6	177.3	177.6	5.7	3.7	.2	2.1	4.7	1.1
Shelter .....	201.6	202.1	203.0	203.8	4.8	4.7	2.6	4.4	4.8	3.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	193.9	194.7	195.4	196.2	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.8	4.8	4.6
Lodging away from home <sup>2 4</sup> .....	108.7	106.7	108.5	108.8	9.1	5.9	-14.7	-.4	7.5	-7.5
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>4 5</sup> .....	268.1	270.2	271.2	272.1	4.1	4.0	6.7	6.1	4.1	6.4
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	249.8	244.5	248.9	249.5	10.1	5.9	-16.6	-.5	7.9	-8.9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	208.1	209.0	209.9	210.7	4.0	4.6	4.3	5.1	4.3	4.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.7	106.9	106.9	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.1	-1.5	4.4	-1.3
Fuels and utilities .....	147.4	144.3	144.2	142.9	17.8	1.9	-12.9	-11.7	9.5	-12.3
Fuels .....	131.5	128.1	127.9	126.3	21.5	1.8	-16.3	-14.9	11.2	-15.6
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	128.2	122.6	119.4	111.9	-25.5	-4.1	-11.8	-42.0	-15.5	-28.5
Fuel oil .....	125.6	119.1	114.2	106.1	-33.4	-.9	-14.2	-49.1	-18.8	-33.9
Other household fuels <sup>6</sup> .....	162.4	160.2	159.3	153.7	16.0	-17.6	-11.4	-19.8	-2.2	-15.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	138.4	135.0	135.1	134.0	26.4	2.5	-16.8	-12.1	13.9	-14.5
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	140.6	139.9	138.5	138.1	11.9	23.3	-1.4	-6.9	17.4	-4.2
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	142.4	132.7	136.2	133.4	58.3	-27.1	-41.2	-23.0	7.4	-32.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.4	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.3	2.0	3.7
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>4</sup> .....	236.3	236.8	237.4	238.3	3.0	1.7	4.2	3.4	2.3	3.8
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 7</sup> .....	277.0	278.0	278.6	278.6	2.1	1.3	4.1	2.3	1.7	3.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	129.1	129.2	129.4	129.4	-.6	.6	.0	.9	.0	.5
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.1	98.2	98.8	98.5	-14.9	4.2	.0	1.6	-5.8	.8
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	107.6	106.9	107.1	107.3	2.3	-3.7	2.6	-1.1	-.7	.7
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	95.7	94.7	93.0	94.8	-32.9	17.2	1.7	-3.7	-11.3	-1.0
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.3	95.7	98.2	96.2	-9.9	1.3	-3.7	8.3	-4.5	2.1
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	131.3	130.7	130.6	130.0	-2.1	-3.0	-3.6	-3.9	-2.5	-3.7
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	135.5	135.6	136.5	135.7	-.6	-1.2	-3.7	.6	-.9	-1.6
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	101.4	100.7	100.2	99.5	-2.3	-3.5	-.4	-7.3	-2.9	-3.9
Other furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.3	93.4	93.3	93.9	-3.2	-6.3	-11.8	-1.7	-4.8	-6.9
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.9	94.5	94.5	94.4	.0	.0	.0	-2.1	.0	-1.1
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.5	96.7	97.1	97.9	2.5	1.2	1.2	1.7	1.9	1.4
Laundry equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	112.4	112.0	111.7	111.6	-3.5	1.1	4.0	-2.8	-1.2	.5
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.1	91.2	90.6	89.2	-3.0	-2.2	-2.2	-8.1	-2.6	-5.2
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.0	96.1	96.3	95.6	5.5	-2.8	-2.9	-1.7	1.3	-2.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	107.2	107.0	107.4	106.6	-4.0	-3.7	2.7	-2.2	-3.8	.2
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>1 8</sup> .....	116.5	117.0	118.3	117.6	19.4	-2.6	-8.8	3.8	7.8	-2.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.8	92.9	91.9	90.6	.0	-.9	-1.7	-9.2	-.4	-5.5
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.4	96.1	95.6	95.2	9.5	-4.0	-4.4	-4.9	2.5	-4.7
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.1	96.1	95.7	95.8	2.9	.0	.0	-5.2	1.5	-2.7
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.9	96.6	95.8	95.7	-2.0	-4.4	2.9	-4.9	-3.2	-1.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.0	95.7	95.6	95.8	5.6	2.1	-1.6	-4.9	3.8	-3.3
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	160.4	159.8	160.1	159.9	.8	4.9	5.4	-1.2	2.8	2.0
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.7	109.3	110.2	110.5	3.4	1.1	3.4	2.9	2.2	3.1
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	120.3	119.3	119.6	119.1	-6.0	14.2	2.7	-3.9	3.6	-.7
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.3	108.4	107.5	106.9	1.9	3.9	11.0	-5.1	2.9	2.7
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.5	116.7	116.9	117.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	2.4	5.4	3.0
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.4	114.7	114.8	114.9	8.5	-.7	2.1	1.8	3.8	1.9
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.3	117.6	117.9	118.3	14.9	-2.7	3.1	3.5	5.7	3.3
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.4	115.6	115.6	115.6	2.2	7.3	5.4	.7	4.7	3.0
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.4	121.6	121.8	122.6	9.4	11.1	5.5	4.0	10.2	4.7

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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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Apparel .....	126.1	126.8	125.6	124.8	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	-4.1	-3.2	-3.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	123.9	125.5	125.1	123.1	-4.6	-1.9	-7.4	-2.6	-3.2	-5.0
Men's apparel .....	127.3	129.2	128.9	126.6	-6.8	-3.6	-4.9	-2.2	-5.2	-3.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	127.2	130.8	131.1	129.1	-11.7	1.6	-9	6.1	-5.3	2.5
Men's furnishings .....	132.9	133.0	133.5	132.3	5.4	-6	-11.7	-1.8	2.4	-6.9
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.1	98.8	98.1	92.2	-12.9	-18.1	10.4	-7.8	-15.6	.9
Men's pants and shorts .....	123.6	122.4	121.6	120.9	-8.2	1.9	-4.4	-8.5	-3.3	-6.5
Boys' apparel .....	109.1	110.7	111.0	110.1	2.5	3.2	-20.1	3.7	2.8	-9.0
Women's and girls' apparel .....	118.7	118.2	116.4	116.3	9.2	-17.2	1.4	-7.8	-4.9	-3.4
Women's apparel .....	119.5	119.2	117.0	116.8	9.9	-17.9	3.1	-8.7	-5.0	-3.0
Women's outerwear .....	116.3	113.8	110.1	108.4	7.8	-19.3	13.8	-24.5	-6.7	-7.3
Women's dresses .....	102.6	103.9	101.3	102.3	16.3	-28.9	40.1	-1.2	-9.1	17.7
Women's suits and separates <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.6	98.7	95.6	90.9	39.6	-36.1	17.2	-24.8	-5.5	-6.1
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.1	99.1	98.3	97.5	18.2	-5.6	-19.0	-2.4	5.6	-11.1
Girls' apparel .....	114.6	113.4	113.8	113.8	5.5	-12.3	-8.6	-2.8	-3.8	-5.7
Footwear .....	122.9	123.3	122.0	121.0	3.6	-9.5	2.3	-6.0	-3.2	-2.0
Men's footwear .....	122.7	123.9	124.4	125.2	-4.9	-2.8	-12.9	8.4	-3.8	-2.8
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	120.5	125.9	126.3	120.8	9.8	-23.2	12.1	1.0	-8.2	6.4
Women's footwear .....	123.8	120.9	117.8	117.8	4.4	-3.9	8.9	-18.0	.2	-5.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	129.3	131.5	132.4	128.5	11.0	-12.4	6.4	-2.5	-1.4	1.9
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	132.5	136.0	134.9	137.4	1.2	2.6	-17.0	15.6	1.9	-2.0
Watches <sup>6</sup> .....	119.1	119.8	119.3	120.2	-7.9	1.0	-3.6	3.7	-3.6	.0
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	136.3	140.6	139.4	142.3	4.0	1.1	-19.1	18.8	2.6	-1.9
Transportation .....	155.9	152.5	150.2	149.0	-8	8.0	-4.5	-16.6	3.5	-10.7
Private transportation .....	151.7	148.4	146.0	144.7	.0	7.1	-4.4	-17.2	3.5	-11.0
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	101.1	101.1	101.4	101.6	1.6	-3.1	-2.0	2.0	-8	.0
New vehicles .....	141.5	141.7	142.5	142.8	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	3.7	-1.4	1.4
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	97.3	97.8	98.9	99.6	-2.0	-3.2	-4.0	9.8	-2.6	2.7
New cars <sup>3</sup> .....	138.4	138.4	139.2	139.6	-2.6	-.6	-.6	3.5	-1.6	1.4
New trucks <sup>3 7</sup> .....	149.6	150.4	151.1	151.6	-1.3	-2.1	-2.1	5.5	-1.7	1.6
New motorcycles <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks .....	156.7	156.2	155.8	156.1	7.2	-7.2	-5.4	-1.5	-.3	-3.5
Car and truck rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.3	99.5	102.6	103.7	3.4	-25.5	-5.8	18.9	-12.2	5.8
Motor fuel .....	130.4	116.3	104.6	98.3	-10.0	38.1	-20.3	-67.7	11.5	-49.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	129.5	115.6	103.9	97.7	-10.3	38.4	-20.6	-67.6	11.4	-49.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	129.2	114.0	101.8	95.9	-12.7	39.7	-18.1	-69.6	10.5	-50.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 9</sup> .....	132.8	119.1	107.4	100.8	-8.7	35.7	-22.4	-66.8	11.3	-49.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	127.4	115.8	104.9	99.2	-10.4	34.1	-22.1	-63.2	9.6	-46.5
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.8	121.0	116.7	112.0	-25.4	6.6	-6.2	-35.1	-10.9	-22.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	105.2	105.5	105.6	105.6	6.8	.0	2.3	1.5	3.3	1.9
Tires .....	100.4	101.0	101.0	101.0	8.4	.8	-.4	2.4	4.5	1.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.8	106.1	106.2	106.2	5.5	-1.9	5.1	1.5	1.7	3.3
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	111.1	111.2	111.3	111.3	3.7	-2.5	2.6	.7	.5	1.6
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 3</sup> .....	150.8	151.0	151.1	150.7	13.3	.8	12.3	-.3	6.9	5.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	184.9	185.7	186.2	186.4	4.1	2.7	4.4	3.3	3.4	3.9
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	197.3	197.9	197.4	197.6	1.9	6.2	5.0	.6	4.0	2.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	170.2	171.6	171.5	171.6	4.4	3.9	4.3	3.3	4.2	3.8
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.8	113.1	113.5	113.5	4.1	1.1	6.3	2.5	2.6	4.4
Motor vehicle insurance .....	270.6	272.0	276.9	278.0	6.2	5.9	5.5	11.4	6.0	8.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.7	110.0	110.2	110.4	2.6	.0	3.0	2.6	1.3	2.8
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	105.8	106.1	106.2	106.4	.0	-.4	2.3	2.3	-.2	2.3
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.6	118.9	119.2	119.6	8.3	.3	4.9	3.4	4.2	4.1
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	119.1	119.5	119.9	120.2	7.5	2.1	3.8	3.7	4.7	3.8
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.8	6.7	7.4	4.5	1.8	7.0	3.2
Public transportation .....	213.1	208.9	207.2	208.3	-10.6	18.3	-5.3	-8.7	2.8	-7.0
Airline fare <sup>1</sup> .....	242.5	236.4	230.0	229.0	.7	19.2	-10.5	-20.5	9.5	-15.6
Other intercity transportation .....	153.5	152.6	151.3	152.3	-.5	-4.3	-3.1	-3.1	-2.4	-3.1
Ship fare <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	80.1	79.2	76.7	78.4	-2.8	-12.5	-11.6	-8.2	-7.8	-9.9
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	181.8	181.8	181.9	182.3	2.5	1.6	5.7	1.1	2.0	3.4

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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**

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Medical care .....	275.3	276.5	277.9	278.3	6.2	4.4	3.9	4.4	5.3	4.1
Medical care commodities .....	249.6	250.7	251.3	251.8	6.1	4.5	3.3	3.6	5.3	3.4
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	305.1	306.3	307.3	307.9	8.5	4.9	6.8	3.7	6.7	5.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 6</sup> .....	150.1	150.3	150.2	151.1	.0	4.3	-4.4	2.7	2.1	-9
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	178.6	177.7	177.7	179.5	3.0	3.9	-3.9	2.0	3.4	-1.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	177.1	179.4	179.2	179.0	-5.4	5.3	-5.5	4.4	-2	-7
Medical care services .....	281.0	282.3	283.9	284.3	6.2	4.3	3.9	4.8	5.2	4.4
Professional services <sup>4</sup> .....	248.1	248.9	249.5	249.9	5.1	2.8	3.5	2.9	3.9	3.2
Physicians' services <sup>4</sup> .....	255.4	256.3	257.0	257.0	4.4	3.1	4.0	2.5	3.7	3.3
Dental services <sup>4</sup> .....	271.0	271.3	272.8	273.6	4.8	3.5	3.6	3.9	4.1	3.8
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 4 6</sup> .....	155.1	155.0	154.9	155.6	7.6	1.6	.8	1.3	4.5	1.0
Services by other medical professionals <sup>4 6</sup> .....	169.0	169.0	169.3	169.5	4.7	3.2	4.6	1.2	3.9	2.9
Hospital and related services <sup>4</sup> .....	342.6	345.1	347.4	349.0	7.6	6.8	6.1	7.7	7.2	6.9
Hospital services <sup>1 4 10</sup> .....	125.2	126.0	126.9	127.4	9.8	4.7	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 4 10</sup> .....	122.3	123.2	124.1	124.3	10.4	4.8	5.8	6.7	7.5	6.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 4 6</sup> .....	285.9	286.9	288.3	290.8	5.4	5.5	9.8	7.0	5.4	8.4
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1 4 10</sup> .....	123.3	123.6	124.0	124.3	3.4	3.4	7.8	3.3	3.4	5.5
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.1	105.2	105.5	105.3	1.2	2.3	1.9	.8	1.7	1.3
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	101.4	101.6	101.7	101.7	.4	-8	1.2	1.2	-2	1.2
Televisions .....	43.5	43.0	42.7	42.4	-8.9	-14.6	-9.5	-9.7	-11.8	-9.6
Cable television <sup>4 7</sup> .....	280.2	281.4	282.4	283.1	5.7	2.2	3.9	4.2	3.9	4.1
Other video equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	51.1	51.0	50.8	50.4	-27.7	-21.7	-9.6	-5.4	-24.7	-7.5
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> ..	84.9	84.9	83.9	83.9	-6.8	10.9	-5.5	-4.6	1.6	-5.0
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	83.7	83.8	81.9	81.0	-10.4	14.8	-8.2	-12.3	1.4	-10.2
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	92.7	92.6	92.7	94.2	-3.5	9.1	.9	6.6	2.6	3.7
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	76.9	76.8	76.7	75.9	-6.4	-11.3	5.9	-5.1	-8.9	.3
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.6	106.8	108.7	108.5	2.7	10.3	-2.6	7.3	6.4	2.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.6	110.5	110.9	111.4	5.3	4.9	3.7	2.9	5.1	3.3
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	147.3	147.0	147.5	148.4	4.8	4.5	1.1	3.0	4.6	2.1
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	104.9	104.5	104.7	105.4	6.4	.8	3.1	1.9	3.6	2.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	101.6	101.4	101.9	101.6	.0	10.4	-1.6	.0	5.1	-8
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.6	123.7	124.3	124.6	7.0	5.5	7.8	3.3	6.2	5.5
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	113.3	112.5	112.5	113.0	3.3	3.6	1.8	-1.1	3.5	.4
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	124.7	125.0	125.5	125.7	8.4	5.8	8.4	3.2	7.1	5.8
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	118.3	117.9	117.7	117.3	-1.0	.3	-2.3	-3.3	-3	-2.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	132.6	132.4	132.6	131.8	2.1	.3	-1.8	-2.4	1.2	-2.1
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	104.5	104.1	103.5	103.5	-4.1	.4	-3.0	-3.8	-1.9	-3.4
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.9	99.0	98.8	98.7	-8	-8	-4	-8	-8	-6
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	123.3	123.7	123.4	122.3	-1.3	-2.2	-1.9	-3.2	-1.8	-2.6
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	96.5	97.3	97.7	97.3	1.3	.4	.4	3.4	.8	1.9
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	86.1	85.7	84.3	83.2	-6.9	-5.3	-5.4	-12.8	-6.1	-9.2
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.7	103.7	103.5	103.8	-8	.0	.8	.4	-4	.6
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	108.5	107.1	107.1	108.7	5.9	1.9	8.9	.7	3.9	4.8
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	99.6	99.8	99.6	99.4	-3.5	-2.0	-4	-8	-2.8	-6
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	84.6	84.7	84.1	83.1	-10.2	2.9	-5	-6.9	-3.9	-3.7
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	99.9	100.1	99.3	98.0	-13.2	3.7	-3.1	-7.4	-5.2	-5.3
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	84.0	84.2	83.5	82.4	-12.8	6.4	-1.4	-7.4	-3.7	-4.5
Video game hardware, software and accessories <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.6	98.0	97.0	96.2	1.3	-2.9	12.3	-5.6	-8	3.0
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.6	100.3	100.2	100.1	-2.0	3.7	.4	-2.0	.8	-8
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	116.8	117.1	118.1	117.7	4.7	3.9	3.9	3.1	4.3	3.5
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1 2</sup> ..	111.2	111.7	113.1	112.4	4.8	-2.1	1.5	4.4	1.3	2.9
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	245.9	245.3	246.4	245.3	4.5	9.1	5.6	-1.0	6.8	2.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	119.7	119.6	120.0	119.4	2.4	3.5	5.5	-1.0	2.9	2.2
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	126.8	126.4	126.9	126.4	5.1	14.7	6.2	-1.3	9.8	2.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>6</sup> .....	196.2	198.4	201.7	203.0	4.1	5.7	2.7	14.6	4.9	8.5
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	192.6	192.0	192.1	193.1	1.7	2.3	2.7	1.0	2.0	1.9
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.4	108.7	108.8	109.3	3.0	1.5	4.1	-4	2.3	1.9
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.0	102.4	102.5	103.0	-8	4.0	-4	4.0	1.6	1.8

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	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	106.7	106.8	106.9	3.9	1.9	3.9	3.1	2.9	3.5
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	120.7	121.4	121.9	122.1	3.9	6.7	7.3	4.7	5.3	6.0
Educational books and supplies .....	304.8	306.0	304.7	295.3	5.4	8.1	13.3	-11.9	6.8	-1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	345.5	347.7	349.2	350.8	3.9	6.5	6.8	6.3	5.2	6.5
College tuition and fees .....	355.0	356.5	358.2	359.4	3.8	5.1	10.6	5.1	4.5	7.8
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	379.5	380.8	382.3	384.2	6.9	6.7	10.1	5.0	6.8	7.5
Child care and nursery school <sup>8</sup> .....	165.4	166.9	167.4	168.1	4.1	6.9	2.7	6.7	5.4	4.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.6	125.2	125.4	126.0	4.1	4.7	10.2	4.6	4.4	7.4
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	93.1	93.6	93.3	93.4	3.0	-2.5	.0	1.3	.2	.6
Postage and delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.0	14.7	.0	5.0	-.4	7.1	2.3
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	172.7	172.7	172.7	172.7	14.3	.0	4.8	.0	6.9	2.4
Delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.4	124.4	124.4	123.7	29.7	.3	1.6	-2.2	14.1	-.3
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.0	92.5	92.2	92.3	2.2	-2.6	-.4	1.3	-.2	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.2	99.9	99.6	99.7	4.1	-1.6	.8	2.0	1.2	1.4
Telephone services, local charges <sup>1 4</sup> .....	186.9	187.7	188.1	188.2	3.4	5.4	6.5	2.8	4.4	4.6
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> .....	87.6	88.5	87.6	87.9	5.5	-8.5	-4.9	1.4	-1.8	-1.8
Interstate toll calls <sup>1 3</sup> .....	64.3	65.0	64.3	64.5	6.9	-9.8	-5.4	1.2	-1.8	-2.1
Intrastate toll calls <sup>1 3</sup> .....	87.1	88.0	87.3	87.4	2.7	-6.1	-4.5	1.4	-1.8	-1.6
Cellular telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	67.2	67.1	67.5	67.2	-12.8	-3.4	-5.2	.0	-8.3	-2.6
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	20.3	20.2	20.0	19.8	-20.1	-18.2	-19.0	-9.5	-19.2	-14.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	26.7	26.4	25.8	25.3	-37.9	-28.4	-35.6	-19.4	-33.3	-27.9
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.7	77.0	79.1	79.5	-6.2	-7.7	-4.5	9.6	-7.0	2.3
Computer information processing services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.2	100.3	100.4	100.3	.8	3.0	15.8	.4	1.9	7.8
Other information processing equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	66.7	66.6	65.5	65.0	1.1	-10.3	-13.2	-9.8	-4.7	-11.5
Other goods and services .....	288.4	286.3	289.9	287.0	5.5	5.3	9.5	-1.9	5.4	3.7
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	444.0	429.9	446.7	431.7	11.7	13.7	23.7	-10.6	12.7	5.1
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	180.5	174.4	181.6	175.1	12.5	14.3	24.7	-11.4	13.4	5.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.3	124.7	125.0	125.8	-.3	1.7	7.4	4.9	.7	6.2
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	171.9	172.3	172.6	172.6	3.1	2.1	4.5	1.6	2.6	3.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	155.5	155.4	155.4	155.4	.5	-2.8	2.3	-.3	-1.2	1.0
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.4	104.0	104.0	104.6	-.8	-1.1	.0	.8	-1.0	.4
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	168.9	169.3	169.3	168.3	1.9	-4.9	5.1	-1.4	-1.5	1.8
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	185.5	185.9	186.8	186.4	2.0	4.2	3.1	2.0	3.1	2.5
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.2	113.4	114.0	113.7	2.2	4.0	3.2	1.8	3.1	2.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	266.6	267.3	268.5	269.3	4.0	3.9	8.0	4.1	3.9	6.1
Legal services <sup>1 6</sup> .....	203.2	204.8	204.9	205.1	6.2	2.7	13.7	3.8	4.4	8.6
Funeral expenses <sup>6</sup> .....	196.4	197.1	198.0	198.7	2.8	7.1	3.3	4.8	4.9	4.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.2	111.7	111.4	111.5	5.7	4.1	5.6	1.1	4.9	3.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.6	112.8	113.0	113.0	6.4	2.9	5.5	1.4	4.7	3.4
Financial services <sup>1 6</sup> .....	225.6	225.9	227.2	228.0	8.3	2.5	2.9	4.3	5.4	3.6
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	114.3	114.4	115.4	116.0	9.0	1.4	3.9	6.1	5.1	5.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	122.1	122.4	122.6	122.7	9.2	5.1	2.0	2.0	7.1	2.0
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	95.0	95.5	94.7	94.4	-2.5	-.4	-1.3	-2.5	-1.5	-1.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>3</sup> .....	156.5	156.0	156.6	155.9	1.8	-1.0	3.1	-1.5	.4	.8
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	151.6	150.4	149.3	148.2	1.1	2.9	-.8	-8.7	2.0	-4.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	138.1	135.8	134.3	132.8	-.6	2.9	-3.1	-14.5	1.2	-9.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	148.6	144.8	142.4	140.0	-2.4	7.8	-5.5	-21.2	2.6	-13.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	166.4	160.4	156.8	153.3	-4.5	14.7	-5.6	-28.0	4.7	-17.5
Durables .....	123.8	123.8	123.9	124.0	-.3	-2.5	-2.5	.6	-1.4	-1.0
Services .....	204.5	204.7	205.6	206.0	5.8	4.2	1.6	3.0	5.0	2.3
Rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	210.3	210.8	212.0	212.7	4.6	4.9	2.5	4.6	4.8	3.6
Transportation services .....	203.5	203.2	204.3	204.9	1.8	5.7	2.2	2.8	3.8	2.5
Other services .....	240.3	241.3	242.0	242.4	4.0	3.4	4.4	3.5	3.7	4.0
All items less food .....	178.7	177.9	177.9	177.6	3.7	3.9	.2	-2.4	3.8	-1.1
All items less shelter .....	170.6	169.7	169.3	168.6	3.4	3.3	-.5	-4.6	3.4	-2.6
All items less medical care .....	172.7	172.1	172.0	171.7	3.6	3.8	.5	-2.3	3.7	-.9
Commodities less food .....	139.9	137.7	136.2	134.7	-.6	2.9	-2.8	-14.1	1.1	-8.6
Nondurables less food .....	150.6	146.9	144.7	142.3	-2.6	8.0	-4.9	-20.3	2.5	-12.9

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<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	166.9	161.5	158.3	155.0	-3.8	13.9	-5.1	-25.6	4.7	-16.0
Nondurables .....	161.9	160.2	158.9	157.6	1.0	6.1	-2.0	-10.2	3.5	-6.2
Apparel less footwear .....	122.2	123.0	121.9	121.1	3.9	-10.0	-3.5	-3.6	-3.3	-3.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	213.3	213.0	213.5	213.6	6.9	4.2	.6	.6	5.6	.6
Services less medical care services .....	197.7	197.8	198.6	199.1	5.7	4.4	1.4	2.9	5.1	2.1
Energy .....	129.8	121.6	116.2	112.5	6.0	16.8	-18.2	-43.6	11.3	-32.1
All items less energy .....	184.7	185.1	185.7	185.8	3.4	2.7	2.4	2.4	3.0	2.4
All items less food and energy .....	187.4	187.7	188.4	188.6	3.5	2.6	2.4	2.6	3.1	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	145.3	145.2	145.5	145.0	1.4	-1.6	.3	-.8	-.1	-.3
Energy commodities .....	130.0	116.7	105.7	99.3	-11.6	34.0	-19.9	-66.0	8.8	-47.8
Services less energy services .....	211.2	211.7	212.7	213.3	4.2	4.5	3.1	4.0	4.3	3.6
Domestically produced farm food .....	177.6	178.4	178.1	178.0	4.7	5.4	.9	.9	5.0	.9
Utilities and public transportation .....	160.3	158.2	157.9	157.3	11.7	4.3	-7.4	-7.3	7.9	-7.3

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

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

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

<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Dec. 2001 from—
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000
<b>Food and beverages</b>									
Rice <sup>2</sup> .....	97.7	98.0	98.0	97.9	-0.6	0.3	0.0	-0.1	-1.0
White bread .....	209.7	210.4	209.9	212.3	.3	.3	-.2	1.1	5.2
Bread other than white .....	215.6	213.7	217.6	218.8	.2	-.9	1.8	.6	4.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....	194.4	196.3	196.5	197.4	.9	1.0	.1	.5	1.8
Cookies .....	192.2	193.5	194.4	196.2	.9	.7	.5	.9	2.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts .....	195.7	194.6	196.3	196.0	.8	-.6	.9	-.2	4.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....	234.7	232.3	230.1	225.1	-2.5	-1.0	-.9	-2.2	-.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers .....	202.6	203.2	198.9	202.0	-.8	.3	-2.1	1.6	3.4
Bacon and related products .....	194.9	193.1	188.2	185.8	1.2	-.9	-2.5	-1.3	6.5
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	112.2	110.5	111.3	111.8	1.8	-1.5	.7	.4	3.2
Ham, excluding canned .....	176.9	180.6	176.3	171.4	.8	2.1	-2.4	-2.8	4.1
Frankfurters .....	151.2	159.2	163.6	157.7	-1.4	5.3	2.8	-3.6	3.1
Lunchmeats <sup>2</sup> .....	106.0	106.9	107.1	108.2	.4	.8	.2	1.0	3.8
Lamb and organ meats .....	174.4	178.6	176.4	173.4	.6	2.4	-1.2	-1.7	2.2
Lamb and mutton <sup>2</sup> .....	103.7	110.2	103.9	102.5	-5.6	6.3	-5.7	-1.3	-2.7
Fresh whole chicken .....	170.4	171.0	171.1	168.7	.2	.4	.1	-1.4	2.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts .....	161.6	169.1	168.1	169.6	-2.8	4.6	-.6	.9	6.8
Canned fish and seafood .....	128.9	130.1	128.8	128.2	-.2	.9	-1.0	-.5	2.3
Frozen fish and seafood .....	217.9	217.9	221.8	217.6	-1.4	.0	1.8	-1.9	-.5
Fresh whole milk .....	167.0	170.2	169.2	167.3	-.4	1.9	-.6	-1.1	4.6
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>2</sup> .....	113.9	114.7	115.8	114.4	.4	.7	1.0	-1.2	3.4
Oranges, including tangerines .....	329.7	314.3	270.6	242.2	3.1	-4.7	-13.9	-10.5	12.8
Canned fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	109.3	109.5	107.7	-.6	-.7	.2	-1.6	-.1
Canned vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	112.6	112.9	111.3	113.7	-.6	.3	-1.4	2.2	7.6
Frozen vegetables .....	168.3	169.8	168.3	168.8	1.0	.9	-.9	.3	6.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>2</sup> .....	99.5	100.0	102.0	103.6	-.4	.5	2.0	1.6	4.6
Roasted coffee .....	147.3	146.4	144.6	142.7	-.3	-.6	-1.2	-1.3	-5.9
Instant and freeze dried coffee .....	163.0	163.9	163.7	164.2	-.4	.6	-.1	.3	3.1
Butter .....	187.8	186.0	171.1	174.9	1.2	-1.0	-8.0	2.2	18.8
Margarine .....	159.1	165.0	156.9	160.7	-1.9	3.7	-4.9	2.4	4.5
Peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	110.5	108.4	109.6	109.5	2.7	-1.9	1.1	-.1	1.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2</sup> .....	105.6	111.0	109.0	108.5	-2.4	5.1	-1.8	-.5	7.4
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>2</sup> .....	112.7	110.9	112.7	109.4	.2	-1.6	1.6	-2.9	9.2
Sauces and gravies <sup>2</sup> .....	109.5	110.4	109.2	109.6	.1	.8	-1.1	.4	2.9
Other condiments .....	188.0	188.5	181.5	184.4	.5	.3	-3.7	1.6	1.0
Prepared salads <sup>2</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Whiskey at home .....	165.0	165.0	165.4	165.8	.1	.0	.2	.2	3.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home .....	172.4	173.2	172.7	171.0	.5	.5	-.3	-1.0	3.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	110.6	111.6	111.6	111.9	.2	.9	.0	.3	2.9
Wine away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	115.4	117.2	120.4	120.5	.1	1.6	2.7	.1	9.0
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	113.3	114.2	114.5	114.6	.0	.8	.3	.1	4.6
<b>Housing</b>									
Laundry equipment .....	112.4	112.0	111.7	111.6	1.4	-.4	-.3	-.1	-.4
<b>Transportation</b>									
New cars and trucks <sup>2</sup> .....	97.3	97.8	98.9	99.6	-.1	.5	1.1	.7	.0
New cars .....	137.1	137.7	139.4	140.5	-.1	.4	1.2	.8	.0
New trucks <sup>3</sup> .....	148.4	149.6	151.3	152.0	-.2	.8	1.1	.5	-.1
New motorcycles <sup>4</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	130.2	114.0	101.8	93.1	8.8	-12.4	-10.7	-8.5	-25.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5</sup> .....	133.4	119.1	107.2	98.8	6.7	-10.7	-10.0	-7.8	-24.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	128.3	115.9	104.9	97.0	5.9	-9.7	-9.5	-7.5	-23.4
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires .....	111.1	111.2	111.3	111.3	.5	.1	.1	.0	1.1
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids .....	150.8	151.0	151.1	150.7	1.5	.1	.1	-.3	6.4
Parking fees and tolls <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	119.5	119.9	120.2	.8	.3	.3	.3	4.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>2</sup> .....	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.8	.1	.0	.0	.5	5.1
Ship fare <sup>2</sup> .....	80.1	79.2	76.7	78.4	-1.5	-1.1	-3.2	2.2	-8.8
<b>Medical care</b>									
Inpatient hospital services <sup>6 7</sup> .....	122.3	123.2	124.1	124.3	.5	.7	.7	.2	6.9
Outpatient hospital services <sup>4 7</sup> .....	285.9	287.1	288.3	290.2	.5	.4	.4	.7	6.8

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 categories<sup>1</sup>-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Dec. 2001 from—
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000
<b>Recreation</b>									
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>2</sup> .....	83.7	83.8	81.9	81.0	-1.9	0.1	-2.3	-1.1	-4.6
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>2</sup> .....	92.7	92.6	92.7	94.2	.2	-.1	.1	1.6	3.2
Pet food <sup>2</sup> .....	104.9	104.5	104.7	105.4	-.3	-.4	.2	.7	3.0
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	101.6	101.4	101.9	101.6	-.4	-.2	.5	-.3	2.1
Pet services <sup>2</sup> .....	113.3	112.5	112.5	113.0	.0	-.7	.0	.4	1.9
Veterinarian services <sup>2</sup> .....	124.7	125.0	125.5	125.7	.6	.2	.4	.2	6.4
Film and photographic supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	96.5	97.3	97.7	97.3	.9	.8	.4	-.4	1.4
Photographic equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	86.1	85.7	84.3	83.2	-.1	-.5	-1.6	-1.3	-7.7
Photographer fees <sup>2</sup> .....	108.5	107.1	107.1	108.7	1.2	-1.3	.0	1.5	4.3
Film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	99.6	99.8	99.6	99.4	.0	.2	-.2	-.2	-1.7
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	84.0	84.2	83.5	82.4	.4	.2	-.8	-1.3	-4.1
Video game hardware, software and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2</sup> .....	119.7	119.6	120.0	119.4	.3	-.1	.3	-.5	2.6
Admission to sporting events <sup>2</sup> .....	126.8	126.4	126.9	126.4	.6	-.3	.4	-.4	6.0
<b>Education and communication</b>									
Interstate toll calls .....	64.3	65.0	64.3	64.5	-1.1	1.1	-1.1	.3	-2.0
Intrastate toll calls .....	87.1	88.0	87.3	87.4	-.8	1.0	-.8	.1	-1.7
<b>Other goods and services</b>									
Checking account and other bank services <sup>2</sup> .....	114.3	114.4	115.4	116.0	.5	.1	.9	.5	5.1
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2</sup> .....	122.1	122.4	122.6	122.7	.2	.2	.2	.1	4.5
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap .....	154.4	155.7	156.5	156.5	.4	.8	.5	.0	.6

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

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

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

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

<sup>7</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
All items .....	100.000	173.7	172.9	1.3	-0.5	-0.4	-0.1	-0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	517.3	515.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	17.777	174.5	174.6	2.8	.1	.5	-.1	-.1
Food .....	16.736	174.1	174.1	2.8	.0	.5	-.1	-.1
Food at home .....	10.686	173.7	173.7	2.7	.0	.5	-.2	-.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.663	194.7	195.1	2.5	.2	.1	.1	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	3.059	162.6	161.8	3.5	-.5	.6	-.4	-.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.152	171.2	170.6	5.6	-.4	.8	.2	-.4
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.505	211.5	212.8	-.2	.6	.3	-.4	-1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.161	138.7	137.7	1.4	-.7	.6	-.5	.1
Other food at home .....	2.146	159.7	160.5	3.0	.5	.7	-.2	.6
Sugar and sweets .....	.404	154.7	155.9	1.7	.8	.3	-.2	.6
Fats and oils .....	.330	155.1	156.5	4.4	.9	.3	-2.0	1.2
Other foods .....	1.411	177.8	178.3	3.1	.3	.8	.2	.4
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.346	110.8	109.0	.4	-1.6	.3	1.2	-1.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.050	175.8	176.0	3.0	.1	.3	.1	.1
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.219	115.8	115.8	3.9	.0	.1	.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.041	180.8	180.5	2.7	-.2	.3	.1	-.2
Housing .....	36.775	172.8	172.9	2.9	.1	-.1	.3	.2
Shelter .....	27.442	197.2	197.7	4.3	.3	.3	.4	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.571	194.9	195.7	4.7	.4	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	1.356	111.8	108.8	.1	-2.7	-1.4	1.5	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	17.199	190.9	191.7	4.5	.4	.4	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.315	107.1	106.3	1.3	-.7	.2	.1	-.7
Fuels and utilities .....	5.222	142.8	141.5	-2.1	-.9	-2.0	-.1	-1.0
Fuels .....	4.311	126.7	125.2	-3.2	-1.2	-2.6	-.1	-1.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.315	118.5	112.7	-21.8	-4.9	-4.6	-2.3	-6.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.996	133.7	132.5	-1.7	-.9	-2.5	.1	-.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.911	110.8	111.0	2.8	.2	.4	.2	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.111	125.6	125.4	-.2	-.2	-.2	.3	-.1
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.414	117.8	118.0	4.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Apparel .....	4.773	127.2	123.0	-2.8	-3.3	.6	-.7	-.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	1.364	127.3	122.7	-4.1	-3.6	1.1	-.3	-1.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.780	118.0	113.5	-3.4	-3.8	-.3	-1.2	.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	.321	134.3	130.3	.2	-3.0	1.8	.6	-3.0
Footwear .....	.963	124.2	121.0	-2.4	-2.6	.2	-.6	-.9
Transportation .....	19.881	149.2	147.4	-4.2	-1.2	-2.4	-1.7	-.8
Private transportation .....	18.788	146.4	144.5	-4.4	-1.3	-2.5	-1.7	-.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	8.845	101.7	102.0	-.8	.3	.0	.2	.2
New vehicles .....	4.893	143.8	144.7	.1	.6	.1	.6	.2
Used cars and trucks .....	3.168	158.3	158.1	-2.2	-.1	-.3	-.3	.2
Motor fuel .....	4.283	104.4	96.3	-24.6	-7.8	-11.4	-10.1	-5.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.254	103.8	95.7	-24.6	-7.8	-11.4	-10.1	-5.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.653	105.0	104.9	2.5	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.689	187.8	187.9	3.5	.1	.4	.2	.2
Public transportation .....	1.094	200.4	200.1	-1.8	-.1	-2.0	-.7	.4
Medical care .....	4.746	275.6	276.2	4.7	.2	.4	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	.928	245.6	246.7	4.3	.4	.4	.2	.3
Medical care services .....	3.818	282.6	283.0	4.8	.1	.5	.5	.1
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	2.435	250.9	251.0	3.6	.0	.3	.2	.2
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.170	342.7	343.6	7.1	.3	.8	.7	.3

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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.679	104.0	103.8	1.2	-0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.830	100.7	100.5	.2	-.2	.1	.2	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.186	106.9	106.9	3.1	.0	.6	.0	.2
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.576	122.3	122.1	5.5	-.2	.6	.4	.2
Educational books and supplies .....	.209	308.9	297.3	2.8	-3.8	.4	-.4	-3.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.367	344.9	345.2	5.7	.1	.6	.4	.5
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.610	94.5	94.6	.5	.1	.6	-.4	.1
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.464	93.8	93.9	.3	.1	.6	-.4	.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.327	99.7	99.9	1.3	.2	.7	-.4	.2
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.137	20.8	20.6	-16.3	-1.0	-.9	-1.0	-1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.064	25.5	25.0	-30.4	-2.0	-1.9	-2.3	-2.0
Other goods and services .....	5.182	297.3	293.3	5.1	-1.3	-1.0	1.7	-1.3
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.906	448.3	432.9	9.1	-3.4	-3.1	4.0	-3.4
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	3.276	172.3	172.3	2.7	.0	.3	.2	.0
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.822	156.1	156.0	.1	-.1	.0	.0	-.1
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.989	187.4	187.1	3.0	-.2	.2	.5	-.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.268	267.5	268.0	5.0	.2	.5	.3	.3
Commodity and service group								
Commodities .....	46.594	150.1	148.4	-1.5	-1.1	-1.0	-.7	-.7
Food and beverages .....	17.777	174.5	174.6	2.8	.1	.5	-.1	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	28.817	135.9	133.4	-4.1	-1.8	-2.0	-1.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	16.480	144.2	139.4	-6.2	-3.3	-3.1	-1.6	-1.9
Apparel .....	4.773	127.2	123.0	-2.8	-3.3	.6	-.7	-.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.707	158.2	153.1	-7.5	-3.2	-4.4	-2.3	-2.4
Durables .....	12.337	124.8	124.9	-1.3	.1	-.2	.1	.0
Services .....	53.406	201.4	201.7	3.7	.1	.1	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	27.126	189.9	190.4	4.3	.3	.3	.5	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.315	107.1	106.3	1.3	-.7	.2	.1	-.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.996	133.7	132.5	-1.7	-.9	-2.5	.1	-.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.911	110.8	111.0	2.8	.2	.4	.2	.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.414	117.8	118.0	4.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Transportation services .....	6.714	202.3	202.6	3.8	.1	.0	.6	.3
Medical care services .....	3.818	282.6	283.0	4.8	.1	.5	.5	.1
Other services .....	10.112	237.2	237.3	3.7	.0	.5	.3	.2
Special indexes								
All items less food .....	83.264	173.4	172.5	.9	-.5	-.6	-.1	-.2
All items less shelter .....	72.558	166.9	165.7	.1	-.7	-.7	-.4	-.4
All items less medical care .....	95.254	169.1	168.3	1.1	-.5	-.5	-.1	-.2
Commodities less food .....	29.858	137.6	135.1	-3.9	-1.8	-1.9	-1.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food .....	17.521	146.4	141.8	-5.7	-3.1	-2.8	-1.7	-1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.748	159.5	154.7	-6.7	-3.0	-3.9	-2.1	-2.2
Nondurables .....	34.257	159.7	157.3	-1.5	-1.5	-1.5	-.8	-1.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	26.280	189.3	189.2	3.0	-.1	-.2	.3	.1
Services less medical care services .....	49.589	194.8	195.0	3.6	.1	.1	.3	.3
Energy .....	8.595	114.8	110.0	-13.8	-4.2	-7.0	-4.9	-3.1
All items less energy .....	91.405	181.8	181.5	2.7	-.2	.2	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.669	183.8	183.5	2.7	-.2	.2	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	25.259	146.9	145.6	-.1	-.9	-.1	.3	-.4
Energy commodities .....	4.598	105.5	97.5	-24.4	-7.6	-10.9	-9.6	-5.7
Services less energy services .....	49.410	209.0	209.4	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$.576	\$.578	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$.193	\$.194	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

- Data not available.

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

**Table 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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	174.6	173.9	173.7	173.3	3.6	3.8	0.7	-2.9	3.7	-1.1
Food and beverages .....	174.3	175.1	174.9	174.8	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.2	3.6	2.1
Food .....	173.8	174.6	174.4	174.3	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.2	3.6	2.1
Food at home .....	173.6	174.5	174.1	173.8	4.6	3.3	2.6	.5	3.9	1.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	195.2	195.3	195.4	195.4	3.2	1.9	4.4	.4	2.5	2.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	161.7	162.6	162.0	161.6	10.4	3.8	.5	-2	7.0	.1
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	169.4	170.8	171.2	170.6	4.0	9.7	6.1	2.9	6.8	4.5
Fruits and vegetables .....	214.7	215.3	214.5	211.8	-1.3	3.3	2.7	-5.3	.9	-1.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.0	139.9	139.2	139.3	.6	.6	3.5	.9	.6	2.2
Other food at home .....	159.9	161.0	160.6	161.5	3.9	1.8	2.5	4.1	2.8	3.3
Sugar and sweets .....	155.9	156.4	156.1	157.0	2.6	.3	1.3	2.9	1.4	2.1
Fats and oils .....	158.3	158.8	155.7	157.6	5.7	10.6	3.6	-1.8	8.1	.9
Other foods .....	176.5	178.0	178.3	179.0	4.0	.2	2.3	5.8	2.1	4.0
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.2	109.5	110.8	109.0	-.4	-1.8	4.5	-.7	-1.1	1.9
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	175.0	175.6	175.8	176.0	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.3	3.2	2.9
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.6	115.7	115.8	115.8	1.4	3.6	10.3	.7	2.5	5.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.3	180.8	181.0	180.6	1.8	3.7	4.3	.7	2.7	2.5
Housing .....	172.5	172.4	173.0	173.3	5.8	3.6	.5	1.9	4.7	1.2
Shelter .....	195.9	196.5	197.3	198.1	4.7	4.4	3.3	4.6	4.6	3.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	193.3	194.0	194.7	195.5	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.9	4.5
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	108.7	107.2	108.8	109.1	11.1	2.5	-13.2	1.5	6.7	-6.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	189.2	190.0	190.7	191.5	4.2	4.2	4.6	5.0	4.2	4.8
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	107.0	107.1	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.5	-1.9	4.4	-1.7
Fuels and utilities .....	146.5	143.5	143.4	142.0	17.3	2.1	-13.0	-11.7	9.5	-12.4
Fuels .....	130.1	126.7	126.6	125.1	20.7	2.4	-16.3	-14.5	11.1	-15.4
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	128.3	122.4	119.6	111.9	-24.0	-5.6	-9.9	-42.1	-15.3	-27.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	137.3	133.9	134.0	132.8	24.5	2.8	-16.4	-12.5	13.1	-14.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.5	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.3	2.2	3.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.9	125.6	126.0	125.9	-.9	.0	.3	.0	-.5	.2
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.6	117.8	118.0	9.1	2.4	3.5	2.1	5.7	2.8
Apparel .....	125.0	125.7	124.8	124.0	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	-3.2	-3.0	-2.7
Men's and boys' apparel .....	124.1	125.5	125.1	123.2	-5.2	-.3	-8.0	-2.9	-2.8	-5.4
Women's and girls' apparel .....	116.8	116.4	115.0	115.0	9.4	-16.3	1.0	-6.0	-4.3	-2.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	131.1	133.5	134.3	130.3	10.5	-13.4	8.0	-2.4	-2.1	2.7
Footwear .....	123.0	123.2	122.4	121.3	3.9	-10.4	3.0	-5.4	-3.5	-1.3
Transportation .....	155.3	151.5	148.9	147.7	-.5	7.5	-4.3	-18.2	3.4	-11.5
Private transportation .....	152.5	148.7	146.1	144.8	.0	7.0	-4.3	-18.7	3.5	-11.8
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	101.5	101.5	101.7	101.9	1.6	-3.4	-2.7	1.6	-1.0	-.6
New vehicles .....	142.6	142.8	143.7	144.0	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	4.0	-1.4	1.5
Used cars and trucks .....	157.6	157.1	156.7	157.0	6.9	-7.4	-5.9	-1.5	-.5	-3.7
Motor fuel .....	131.2	116.3	104.6	98.7	-10.3	37.7	-18.1	-68.0	11.2	-48.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	130.6	115.7	104.0	98.1	-10.3	38.8	-18.1	-68.2	11.5	-48.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	104.5	104.8	104.8	104.7	6.8	.0	2.7	.8	3.4	1.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	186.5	187.3	187.6	187.9	3.3	3.3	4.2	3.0	3.3	3.6
Public transportation .....	207.6	203.5	202.1	202.9	-9.3	15.7	-2.7	-8.8	2.4	-5.8
Medical care .....	274.1	275.3	276.6	277.0	6.3	3.8	4.2	4.3	5.0	4.2
Medical care commodities .....	244.6	245.5	246.1	246.9	6.0	4.2	3.2	3.8	5.1	3.5
Medical care services .....	280.7	282.0	283.5	283.8	6.3	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.0	4.4
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	250.3	251.0	251.6	252.0	5.5	2.6	3.4	2.7	4.1	3.1
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	338.3	340.9	343.3	344.3	7.8	6.6	6.5	7.3	7.2	6.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	103.7	103.7	103.9	103.8	0.4	2.0	1.6	0.4	1.2	1.0
Video and audio <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.7	100.8	101.0	101.0	-.4	-.8	.8	1.2	-.6	1.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	106.7	106.7	106.9	3.5	2.3	3.5	3.1	2.9	3.3
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	120.8	121.5	122.0	122.2	3.9	6.7	6.9	4.7	5.2	5.8
Educational books and supplies .....	308.9	310.2	308.9	297.9	5.5	8.6	12.9	-13.5	7.0	-1.2
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	338.8	341.0	342.5	344.2	3.9	6.2	6.4	6.5	5.0	6.5
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.3	94.9	94.5	94.6	3.0	-2.1	.0	1.3	.4	.6
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	93.6	94.2	93.8	93.9	2.2	-2.1	.0	1.3	.0	.6
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.4	100.1	99.7	99.9	3.7	-1.2	.8	2.0	1.2	1.4
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	21.2	21.0	20.8	20.6	-19.5	-17.6	-16.8	-10.8	-18.6	-13.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	26.6	26.1	25.5	25.0	-38.4	-26.9	-33.0	-22.0	-32.9	-27.7
Other goods and services .....	295.8	292.7	297.6	293.6	6.3	6.3	11.0	-2.9	6.3	3.8
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	444.7	430.9	448.3	432.9	12.2	13.5	23.8	-10.2	12.8	5.4
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	171.4	171.9	172.3	172.3	3.1	2.1	3.6	2.1	2.6	2.8
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	156.1	156.1	156.1	156.0	.3	-1.3	1.8	-.3	-.5	.8
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	186.1	186.5	187.4	187.1	2.4	4.4	2.8	2.2	3.4	2.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	265.9	267.1	268.0	268.8	4.3	4.4	6.7	4.4	4.3	5.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	152.6	151.0	149.9	148.8	1.3	3.2	-.5	-9.6	2.3	-5.2
Food and beverages .....	174.3	175.1	174.9	174.8	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.2	3.6	2.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	139.7	136.9	135.4	133.8	-.3	3.2	-2.5	-15.9	1.4	-9.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	150.8	146.2	143.8	141.0	-2.6	10.0	-5.4	-23.6	3.5	-15.0
Apparel .....	125.0	125.7	124.8	124.0	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	-3.2	-3.0	-2.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	169.9	162.5	158.7	154.9	-4.2	16.6	-5.2	-30.9	5.7	-19.1
Durables .....	124.5	124.3	124.4	124.4	.6	-3.1	-2.5	-.3	-1.3	-1.4
Services .....	200.7	200.9	201.7	202.2	5.9	4.1	1.8	3.0	5.0	2.4
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	188.7	189.3	190.3	191.0	4.2	4.6	3.2	5.0	4.4	4.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	107.0	107.1	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.5	-1.9	4.4	-1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	137.3	133.9	134.0	132.8	24.5	2.8	-16.4	-12.5	13.1	-14.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.5	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.3	2.2	3.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.6	117.8	118.0	9.1	2.4	3.5	2.1	5.7	2.8
Transportation services .....	200.8	200.8	202.0	202.7	2.7	5.2	3.5	3.8	3.9	3.6
Medical care services .....	280.7	282.0	283.5	283.8	6.3	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.0	4.4
Other services .....	235.6	236.7	237.3	237.7	3.9	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.7
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	174.4	173.4	173.2	172.8	3.6	3.8	.2	-3.6	3.7	-1.7
All items less shelter .....	168.5	167.4	166.8	166.1	3.2	3.4	-.2	-5.6	3.3	-2.9
All items less medical care .....	170.0	169.2	169.0	168.6	3.6	3.6	.5	-3.3	3.6	-1.4
Commodities less food .....	141.5	138.8	137.3	135.7	-.3	3.2	-2.2	-15.4	1.4	-9.1
Nondurables less food .....	152.7	148.4	145.9	143.4	-2.3	9.6	-4.8	-22.2	3.5	-14.0
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	170.2	163.5	160.1	156.6	-4.0	15.5	-4.6	-28.3	5.3	-17.3
Nondurables .....	163.2	160.8	159.5	157.9	2.0	6.9	-1.5	-12.4	4.4	-7.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	189.4	189.0	189.5	189.6	7.6	3.9	.4	.4	5.7	.4
Services less medical care services .....	194.2	194.4	195.0	195.6	5.6	4.2	1.7	2.9	4.9	2.3
Energy .....	130.0	120.9	115.0	111.4	4.1	18.6	-17.2	-46.1	11.1	-33.2
All items less energy .....	181.0	181.3	181.9	182.0	3.7	2.3	2.7	2.2	3.0	2.5
All items less food and energy .....	183.0	183.3	184.0	184.1	3.6	2.0	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	146.2	146.0	146.4	145.8	1.7	-1.9	.8	-1.1	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	131.0	116.7	105.5	99.5	-11.3	34.8	-17.8	-66.7	9.3	-47.7
Services less energy services .....	207.9	208.6	209.4	210.1	4.4	4.2	3.5	4.3	4.3	3.9

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

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

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

January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
All items .....	100.000	173.7	172.9	1.3	-0.5	-0.4	-0.1	-0.2
All items (1967=100) .....	-	517.3	515.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	17.777	174.5	174.6	2.8	.1	.5	-.1	-.1
Food .....	16.736	174.1	174.1	2.8	.0	.5	-.1	-.1
Food at home .....	10.686	173.7	173.7	2.7	.0	.5	-.2	-.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.663	194.7	195.1	2.5	.2	.1	.1	.0
Cereals and cereal products .....	.590	178.8	178.4	1.9	-.2	.6	.2	-.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.078	159.2	159.1	4.8	-.1	3.5	-.7	.4
Breakfast cereal .....	.336	202.2	201.9	1.5	-.1	-.2	.3	-.4
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.177	155.4	154.8	1.7	-.4	.4	-.5	-.4
Bakery products .....	1.073	202.7	203.5	2.6	.4	-.2	.3	.0
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.330	113.8	114.9	5.1	1.0	-.1	.5	1.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.147	112.0	114.0	3.8	1.8	.6	-.5	1.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.292	193.7	195.1	1.6	.7	-.2	.1	-.1
Other bakery products .....	.304	198.8	196.6	.5	-1.1	-.6	.9	-2.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	3.059	162.6	161.8	3.5	-.5	.6	-.4	-.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.916	163.8	163.2	4.1	-.4	.7	-.4	.1
Meats .....	2.017	161.0	160.0	4.7	-.6	.4	-.2	-.1
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.939	160.5	159.7	6.1	-.5	-.2	.1	-.5
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.369	137.0	137.0	6.8	.0	.4	-.3	.0
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.160	120.2	118.6	8.5	-1.3	.7	1.3	-1.3
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.351	116.6	115.8	4.4	-.7	-.9	-.3	-.7
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.059	113.3	113.7	5.2	.4	-1.5	.6	.4
Pork .....	.688	164.7	163.1	3.9	-1.0	.4	-1.0	.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.232	114.4	113.5	5.7	-.8	-.8	-1.1	-.8
Ham .....	.147	161.6	157.6	4.3	-2.5	1.2	-.9	.4
Pork chops .....	.160	160.2	160.2	3.0	.0	.0	1.1	.1
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.150	101.7	101.0	1.7	-.7	-.8	-2.7	-.7
Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....	.390	160.3	159.2	2.8	-.7	1.7	.6	-.7
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	.546	166.8	167.8	4.4	.6	2.6	-1.9	.6
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.429	108.5	108.4	5.0	-.1	3.1	-.4	-.1
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.116	104.2	107.5	2.1	3.2	.7	-7.5	3.2
Fish and seafood .....	.354	190.9	191.3	.1	.2	-1.1	.8	.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.214	109.0	110.0	1.7	.9	-.4	.3	.9
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.140	104.8	103.9	1.4	-.9	.6	.3	-.9
Eggs .....	.143	137.4	132.4	-8.4	-3.6	-.2	.9	-7.0
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.152	171.2	170.6	5.6	-.4	.8	.2	-.4
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.480	115.0	114.1	4.3	-.8	1.3	.0	-.8
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.325	171.9	171.9	7.2	.0	.2	.4	.0
Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.185	181.9	183.2	8.9	.7	1.7	1.2	.7
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.163	114.3	113.2	2.6	-1.0	-.3	-.5	-1.0
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.505	211.5	212.8	-.2	.6	.3	-.4	-1.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	1.171	246.9	248.5	-1.5	.6	.2	-.2	-1.8
Fresh fruits .....	.578	265.3	266.9	.9	.6	1.3	1.3	-1.8
Apples .....	.104	219.2	217.9	6.8	-.6	5.2	3.5	-1.0
Bananas .....	.104	164.3	164.8	2.5	.3	.6	-2.5	-1.2
Citrus fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.125	141.3	129.9	7.7	-8.1	-5.3	-10.3	-8.1
Other fresh fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.245	100.2	107.5	-5.6	7.3	8.1	6.8	7.3
Fresh vegetables .....	.593	229.1	230.8	-4.0	.7	-.8	-1.7	-1.7
Potatoes .....	.098	203.8	205.5	14.5	.8	2.7	-1.1	.4
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.087	225.7	228.5	-17.4	1.2	-5.9	-4.2	1.2
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.122	261.7	261.0	-7.4	-.3	7.2	11.5	-.3
Other fresh vegetables .....	.286	232.1	234.3	-4.8	.9	-2.5	-2.6	-1.1
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.334	109.4	109.9	4.4	.5	.5	-.9	.5
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.183	108.3	109.3	4.1	.9	.2	-1.3	.9
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.105	114.1	114.0	6.1	-.1	.9	-.6	-.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.046	103.5	103.4	1.3	-.1	1.0	.0	-.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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.161	138.7	137.7	1.4	-0.7	0.6	-0.5	0.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.886	107.8	106.9	1.8	-.8	.7	-.5	-.8
Carbonated drinks .....	.492	126.0	123.8	1.7	-1.7	.9	-.5	-.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.054	112.7	114.0	2.5	1.2	.8	-.1	1.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.339	106.3	106.4	1.7	.1	-.4	-.1	.1
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.275	97.7	97.3	-.1	-.4	-.1	.0	-.4
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.133	143.4	142.1	-3.4	-.9	-.3	-.8	-.9
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.142	112.9	113.1	3.0	.2	.0	.7	.2
Other food at home .....	2.146	159.7	160.5	3.0	.5	.7	-.2	.6
Sugar and sweets .....	.404	154.7	155.9	1.7	.8	.3	-.2	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.086	136.7	136.8	2.4	.1	-.3	-.6	-.2
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.241	104.4	105.7	1.1	1.2	.1	-.3	1.2
Other sweets <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.077	108.5	109.0	2.7	.5	1.2	-1.1	.5
Fats and oils .....	.330	155.1	156.5	4.4	.9	.3	-2.0	1.2
Butter and margarine <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.106	123.8	126.2	11.6	1.9	1.9	-6.1	1.9
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.089	107.4	108.2	1.8	.7	-.4	-.3	.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.135	103.7	103.7	.4	.0	.2	-.8	.0
Other foods .....	1.411	177.8	178.3	3.1	.3	.8	.2	.4
Soups .....	.104	200.0	203.7	2.9	1.9	1.2	-1.1	1.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.241	152.9	153.6	3.0	.5	-.9	2.0	.5
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.299	170.1	173.6	4.1	2.1	2.6	-.6	2.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.293	183.0	182.9	5.4	-.1	1.0	-.8	.7
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.128	115.2	116.0	3.0	.7	-.6	1.1	.7
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.346	110.8	109.0	.4	-1.6	.3	1.2	-1.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.050	175.8	176.0	3.0	.1	.3	.1	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.165	111.4	111.4	3.1	.0	.3	.2	.0
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.760	111.0	111.3	3.2	.3	.5	.3	.3
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.680	106.1	106.1	1.9	.0	.6	-.7	.0
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.226	104.6	104.7	1.6	.1	.3	-.1	.1
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.219	115.8	115.8	3.9	.0	.1	.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.041	180.8	180.5	2.7	-.2	.3	.1	-.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.694	162.6	161.8	1.6	-.5	.1	.1	-.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.479	162.8	161.9	1.6	-.6	.4	-.3	-.7
Distilled spirits at home .....	.094	168.1	167.7	3.8	-.2	.1	.3	.1
Wine at home .....	.121	149.3	148.8	.1	-.3	-.2	.4	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.347	218.0	218.7	4.7	.3	.5	.3	.3
Housing .....	36.775	172.8	172.9	2.9	.1	-.1	.3	.2
Shelter .....	27.442	197.2	197.7	4.3	.3	.3	.4	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.571	194.9	195.7	4.7	.4	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	1.356	111.8	108.8	.1	-2.7	-1.4	1.5	.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	.144	277.2	277.2	5.4	.0	.8	.4	.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	1.212	236.4	229.3	-.5	-3.0	-1.6	1.6	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	17.199	190.9	191.7	4.5	.4	.4	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.315	107.1	106.3	1.3	-.7	.2	.1	-.7
Fuels and utilities .....	5.222	142.8	141.5	-2.1	-.9	-2.0	-.1	-1.0
Fuels .....	4.311	126.7	125.2	-3.2	-1.2	-2.6	-.1	-1.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.315	118.5	112.7	-21.8	-4.9	-4.6	-2.3	-6.4
Fuel oil .....	.214	115.0	107.6	-27.0	-6.4	-5.4	-4.2	-7.6
Other household fuels <sup>5</sup> .....	.101	157.5	154.1	-10.9	-2.2	-1.6	-.4	-3.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.996	133.7	132.5	-1.7	-.9	-2.5	.1	-.9
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	2.599	134.4	133.6	5.6	-.6	-.6	-1.0	-.4
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	1.397	137.9	135.5	-15.5	-1.7	-6.8	2.6	-2.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.911	110.8	111.0	2.8	.2	.4	.2	.3
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	.677	233.9	234.6	3.0	.3	.4	.1	.3
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.234	278.1	278.2	2.3	.0	.4	.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.111	125.6	125.4	-.2	-.2	-.2	.3	-.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.295	99.3	99.3	-1.3	.0	-.1	.9	.0
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.074	106.2	106.3	-.2	.1	-.6	.3	.1
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.081	95.5	98.5	-2.9	3.1	-2.3	-1.8	3.1
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.140	98.0	96.5	-.8	-1.5	1.6	2.6	-1.5
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	1.084	127.1	126.4	-3.2	-.6	-.4	-.2	-.6
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.316	135.1	133.9	-1.3	-.9	.1	.4	-.9
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.586	99.3	98.6	-3.8	-.7	-.6	-.5	-.7
Other furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.166	93.7	94.3	-5.2	.6	-.7	-.1	.6

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.370	94.5	94.4	-0.5	-0.1	-0.5	0.2	-0.1
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.224	97.0	97.8	1.7	.8	-.8	.6	.8
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.137	90.5	89.1	-4.2	-1.5	.1	-.7	-1.5
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.425	95.8	95.0	-.6	-.8	.2	.3	-.8
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.164	103.6	102.6	-2.0	-1.0	.2	.5	-1.0
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>1 7</sup> .....	.126	119.5	118.7	2.7	-.7	.5	1.2	-.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.058	91.5	90.5	-2.7	-1.1	.0	-1.0	-1.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.077	95.5	95.0	-1.6	-.5	-.2	-.6	-.5
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.572	95.1	95.3	-1.0	.2	-1.2	-.4	.2
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.170	96.1	96.0	-2.2	-.1	-.2	-1.0	-.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.265	94.0	94.3	-.5	.3	-2.1	.0	.3
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.951	160.9	160.8	2.4	-.1	-.4	.3	-.1
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.450	110.2	110.6	2.7	.4	-.4	.9	.4
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.237	119.4	118.8	1.4	-.5	-.8	.2	-.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.265	107.4	107.0	3.0	-.4	.2	-.7	-.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.414	117.8	118.0	4.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	114.3	114.3	2.6	.0	.3	.1	.0
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.112	119.4	119.6	4.9	.2	.3	.3	.2
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.076	114.6	114.4	2.7	-.2	.1	.0	-.2
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.075	123.8	124.4	7.1	.5	.2	.2	.5
Apparel .....	4.773	127.2	123.0	-2.8	-3.3	.6	-.7	-.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	1.364	127.3	122.7	-4.1	-3.6	1.1	-.3	-1.5
Men's apparel .....	1.047	131.0	126.4	-4.3	-3.5	1.1	-.2	-1.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.192	131.5	127.6	-1.3	-3.0	2.6	.2	-1.2
Men's furnishings .....	.292	137.4	134.8	-2.3	-1.9	.5	-.1	-1.0
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.320	99.0	93.1	-7.4	-6.0	4.6	-.6	-6.0
Men's pants and shorts .....	.224	120.4	117.1	-5.0	-2.7	-1.1	-.7	-.6
Boys' apparel .....	.318	115.6	111.1	-3.7	-3.9	1.0	.8	-1.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.780	118.0	113.5	-3.4	-3.8	-.3	-1.2	.0
Women's apparel .....	1.471	118.1	113.5	-3.2	-3.9	-.2	-1.5	.0
Women's outerwear .....	.105	122.3	116.3	-5.9	-4.9	-2.2	-2.2	-1.0
Women's dresses .....	.192	105.5	99.8	6.2	-5.4	.8	-.5	1.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.744	96.1	91.4	-5.2	-4.9	1.2	-2.9	-4.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.408	98.1	97.3	-3.2	-.8	1.1	-.5	-.8
Girls' apparel .....	.309	117.7	113.7	-4.5	-3.4	-1.2	.2	.1
Footwear .....	.963	124.2	121.0	-2.4	-2.6	.2	-.6	-.9
Men's footwear .....	.338	124.3	123.7	-3.4	-.5	1.1	.4	.8
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.226	126.9	121.8	-1.9	-4.0	3.7	.6	-4.1
Women's footwear .....	.399	121.5	117.3	-1.8	-3.5	-2.3	-1.9	-.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	.321	134.3	130.3	.2	-3.0	1.8	.6	-3.0
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.344	134.5	131.0	.7	-2.6	2.4	-1.0	2.1
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.068	116.6	114.6	-2.0	-1.7	.6	.1	.7
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	.276	139.5	135.7	1.3	-2.7	2.6	-1.0	2.2
Transportation .....	19.881	149.2	147.4	-4.2	-1.2	-2.4	-1.7	-.8
Private transportation .....	18.788	146.4	144.5	-4.4	-1.3	-2.5	-1.7	-.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	8.845	101.7	102.0	-.8	.3	.0	.2	.2
New vehicles .....	4.893	143.8	144.7	.1	.6	.1	.6	.2
Used cars and trucks .....	3.168	158.3	158.1	-2.2	-.1	-.3	-.3	.2
Car and truck rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.108	102.7	103.8	-3.8	1.1	.5	2.4	1.1
Motor fuel .....	4.283	104.4	96.3	-24.6	-7.8	-11.4	-10.1	-5.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.254	103.8	95.7	-24.6	-7.8	-11.4	-10.1	-5.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>8</sup> .....	-	101.7	93.3	-25.6	-8.3	-12.4	-10.8	-5.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>8 9</sup> .....	-	107.3	99.2	-24.6	-7.5	-11.0	-9.8	-5.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>8</sup> .....	-	104.9	97.2	-23.2	-7.3	-9.7	-9.4	-5.2
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.029	116.6	111.7	-16.9	-4.2	-3.2	-3.6	-4.2
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.653	105.0	104.9	2.5	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Tires .....	.290	100.5	100.4	3.0	-.1	.5	-.1	.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.363	105.8	105.8	2.2	.0	.2	.1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.689	187.8	187.9	3.5	.1	.4	.2	.2
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.119	197.9	198.0	3.4	.1	.4	-.2	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.488	172.5	172.6	3.9	.1	.8	-.1	.1
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.058	113.6	113.6	3.4	.0	.3	.4	.0

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		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.728	279.0	280.1	7.4	0.4	0.6	1.7	0.5
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.589	110.6	110.8	1.8	.2	.4	.1	.2
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	.414	107.6	107.8	1.0	.2	.4	.1	.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.153	119.6	119.8	4.1	.2	.3	.3	.2
Public transportation .....	1.094	200.4	200.1	-1.8	-1	-2.0	-.7	.4
Airline fare <sup>1</sup> .....	.629	228.9	227.5	-4.0	-.6	-2.6	-2.6	-.6
Other intercity transportation .....	.109	153.0	154.2	-3.0	.8	-.6	-.8	.5
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.348	180.2	180.6	2.6	.2	.0	.1	.2
Medical care .....	4.746	275.6	276.2	4.7	.2	.4	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	.928	245.6	246.7	4.3	.4	.4	.2	.3
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	.610	306.2	307.1	6.0	.3	.4	.3	.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.318	148.3	149.4	1.0	.7	.1	-.1	.7
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	.232	175.8	177.7	1.5	1.1	-.3	-.1	1.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.086	179.3	179.0	-.3	-.2	1.4	.0	-.2
Medical care services .....	3.818	282.6	283.0	4.8	.1	.5	.5	.1
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	2.435	250.9	251.0	3.6	.0	.3	.2	.2
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.298	257.7	257.5	3.6	-.1	.4	.3	.0
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	.704	272.0	272.3	3.9	.1	.1	.5	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	.257	155.5	156.1	2.7	.4	-.1	-.1	.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	.176	173.4	173.5	3.4	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.170	342.7	343.6	7.1	.3	.8	.7	.3
Hospital services <sup>1 3 10</sup> .....	1.157	126.6	127.0	7.2	.3	.6	.6	.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 8 10</sup> .....	-	123.6	123.9	6.9	.2	.8	.7	.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 8</sup> .....	-	288.7	290.1	6.7	.5	.2	.5	.7
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1 3 10</sup> .....	.014	130.5	130.6	5.3	.1	.3	.2	.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.679	104.0	103.8	1.2	-.2	.0	.2	-.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.830	100.7	100.5	.2	-.2	.1	.2	.0
Televisions .....	.187	42.0	41.7	-10.7	-.7	-.9	-.7	-.7
Cable television <sup>3 6</sup> .....	.996	282.2	282.3	3.9	.0	.5	.4	.2
Other video equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.056	50.6	50.2	-16.9	-.8	-.2	-.4	-.8
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> ..	.174	84.5	84.5	-2.0	.0	.0	-1.3	.0
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.160	75.2	74.5	-5.0	-.9	.0	-.1	-.9
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.152	108.0	107.9	3.8	-.1	.2	1.4	-.1
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.668	109.9	110.6	4.1	.6	-.1	.4	.6
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	.443	146.6	147.8	3.2	.8	-.2	.3	.8
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.224	125.2	125.5	6.0	.2	.2	.3	.2
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.476	120.2	119.7	-1.8	-.4	-.4	-.2	-.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.246	135.6	134.6	-1.0	-.7	-.6	.3	-.7
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.225	102.9	102.8	-2.7	-.1	-.4	-.6	-.1
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.260	99.1	99.1	-.5	.0	.0	-.2	.0
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.091	123.9	122.6	-2.4	-1.0	.5	-.2	-1.0
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.167	103.4	103.9	.5	.5	-.2	-.2	.5
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.533	83.8	82.8	-3.9	-1.2	.2	-.8	-1.2
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.416	101.1	99.7	-5.0	-1.4	.3	-.8	-1.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.057	96.9	96.4	.9	-.5	.4	-1.0	-.5
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.045	100.3	99.9	-.2	-.4	-.6	.1	-.4
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.437	118.5	118.1	3.8	-.3	.1	.6	-.3
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.430	112.9	112.5	2.1	-.4	.4	.5	-.4
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.716	245.0	243.8	4.1	-.5	-.4	.5	-.5
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	.146	203.5	204.7	7.3	.6	1.4	1.5	.5
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.475	193.4	194.3	1.7	.5	-.4	.1	.5
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.334	108.7	109.1	1.9	.4	-.7	.2	.4
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.140	102.2	102.8	1.4	.6	.3	.1	.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.186	106.9	106.9	3.1	.0	.6	.0	.2
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.576	122.3	122.1	5.5	-.2	.6	.4	.2
Educational books and supplies .....	.209	308.9	297.3	2.8	-3.8	.4	-.4	-3.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.367	344.9	345.2	5.7	.1	.6	.4	.5
College tuition and fees .....	.858	361.7	361.8	6.2	.0	.4	.5	.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.280	386.4	386.4	7.5	.0	.3	.3	.6
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	1.107	168.5	168.8	4.9	.2	.9	.3	.5
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.054	125.5	125.8	5.8	.2	.4	.2	.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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Expenditure category								
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.610	94.5	94.6	0.5	0.1	0.6	-0.4	0.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.146	108.1	108.1	4.7	.0	.0	.0	.0
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.144	173.4	173.4	4.7	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.002	124.7	124.1	6.8	-5	.0	-1	-5
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.464	93.8	93.9	.3	.1	.6	-4	.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.327	99.7	99.9	1.3	.2	.7	-4	.2
Telephone services, local charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	1.197	187.9	187.9	4.6	.0	.4	.3	.0
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.089	87.4	87.7	-1.9	.3	1.0	-1.0	.3
Cellular telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.041	68.4	68.2	-4.9	-3	-3	.6	-3
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.137	20.8	20.6	-16.3	-1.0	-9	-1.0	-1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.064	25.5	25.0	-30.4	-2.0	-1.9	-2.3	-2.0
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.021	78.8	79.3	-3.3	.6	-1.2	2.1	.6
Computer information processing services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.014	100.7	100.7	5.1	.0	.2	.1	.0
Other information processing equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.038	65.3	64.7	-7.6	-9	.0	-1.4	-9
Other goods and services .....	5.182	297.3	293.3	5.1	-1.3	-1.0	1.7	-1.3
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.906	448.3	432.9	9.1	-3.4	-3.1	4.0	-3.4
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.819	181.6	175.1	9.3	-3.6	-3.2	4.2	-3.6
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.075	124.4	125.3	2.9	.7	.2	.4	.7
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	3.276	172.3	172.3	2.7	.0	.3	.2	.0
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.822	156.1	156.0	.1	-1	.0	.0	-1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.403	103.5	104.0	-3	.5	-2	.0	.5
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.415	172.7	171.7	.5	-6	.3	.0	-6
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.989	187.4	187.1	3.0	-2	.2	.5	-2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.989	114.2	114.1	3.0	-1	.3	.4	-1
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.268	267.5	268.0	5.0	.2	.5	.3	.3
Legal services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.323	203.9	204.1	6.4	.1	.9	.0	.1
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	.270	202.1	202.8	4.6	.3	.4	.6	.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.214	111.3	111.4	4.2	.1	.5	-3	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.052	114.0	114.0	4.1	.0	.4	.1	.0
Financial services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.276	227.3	228.2	4.7	.4	.1	.7	.4
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.197	93.7	93.5	-2.0	-2	.7	-8	-2
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities .....	46.594	150.1	148.4	-1.5	-1.1	-1.0	-.7	-.7
Commodities less food and beverages .....	28.817	135.9	133.4	-4.1	-1.8	-2.0	-1.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	16.480	144.2	139.4	-6.2	-3.3	-3.1	-1.6	-1.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.707	158.2	153.1	-7.5	-3.2	-4.4	-2.3	-2.4
Durables .....	12.337	124.8	124.9	-1.3	.1	-2	.1	.0
Services .....	53.406	201.4	201.7	3.7	.1	.1	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	27.126	189.9	190.4	4.3	.3	.3	.5	.4
Transportation services .....	6.714	202.3	202.6	3.8	.1	.0	.6	.3
Other services .....	10.112	237.2	237.3	3.7	.0	.5	.3	.2
All items less food .....	83.264	173.4	172.5	.9	-5	-6	-1	-2
All items less shelter .....	72.558	166.9	165.7	.1	-7	-7	-4	-4
All items less medical care .....	95.254	169.1	168.3	1.1	-5	-5	-1	-2
Commodities less food .....	29.858	137.6	135.1	-3.9	-1.8	-1.9	-1.1	-1.2
Nondurables less food .....	17.521	146.4	141.8	-5.7	-3.1	-2.8	-1.7	-1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.748	159.5	154.7	-6.7	-3.0	-3.9	-2.1	-2.2
Nondurables .....	34.257	159.7	157.3	-1.5	-1.5	-1.5	-.8	-1.0
Apparel less footwear .....	3.810	123.6	119.2	-3.0	-3.6	.6	-.7	-.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	26.280	189.3	189.2	3.0	-1	-2	.3	.1
Services less medical care services .....	49.589	194.8	195.0	3.6	.1	.1	.3	.3

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 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Sep. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	Nov. to Dec.
Special aggregate indexes								
Energy .....	8.595	114.8	110.0	-13.8	-4.2	-7.0	-4.9	-3.1
All items less energy .....	91.405	181.8	181.5	2.7	-.2	.2	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.669	183.8	183.5	2.7	-.2	.2	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	25.259	146.9	145.6	-.1	-.9	-.1	.3	-.4
Energy commodities .....	4.598	105.5	97.5	-24.4	-7.6	-10.9	-9.6	-5.7
Services less energy services .....	49.410	209.0	209.4	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.3
Domestically produced farm food .....	9.068	177.1	177.2	3.0	.1	.3	-.1	-.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	9.323	154.8	154.2	.1	-.4	-1.3	.0	-.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .576	\$ .578	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .193	\$ .194	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	174.6	173.9	173.7	173.3	3.6	3.8	0.7	-2.9	3.7	-1.1
Food and beverages .....	174.3	175.1	174.9	174.8	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.2	3.6	2.1
Food .....	173.8	174.6	174.4	174.3	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.2	3.6	2.1
Food at home .....	173.6	174.5	174.1	173.8	4.6	3.3	2.6	.5	3.9	1.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	195.2	195.3	195.4	195.4	3.2	1.9	4.4	.4	2.5	2.4
Cereals and cereal products .....	179.0	180.1	180.4	179.3	-7	5.8	2.0	.7	2.5	1.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	161.4	167.1	166.0	166.6	20.3	-5.0	-6.9	13.5	6.9	2.8
Breakfast cereal .....	202.4	201.9	202.6	201.7	-8.6	10.0	6.6	-1.4	.3	2.5
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	155.6	156.2	155.4	154.8	4.0	6.1	-1.0	-2.0	5.1	-1.5
Bakery products .....	203.1	202.7	203.3	203.3	5.6	.8	4.0	.4	3.2	2.2
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.3	113.2	113.8	114.9	7.9	3.3	3.6	5.8	5.6	4.7
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.9	112.6	112.0	114.0	4.4	3.3	.0	7.7	3.9	3.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	193.5	193.2	193.3	193.1	.0	-1.5	8.7	-.8	-.7	3.8
Other bakery products .....	201.1	199.9	201.6	197.6	7.5	.2	1.6	-6.8	3.8	-2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	161.7	162.6	162.0	161.6	10.4	3.8	.5	-.2	7.0	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.2	164.3	163.6	163.7	10.6	3.8	1.2	1.2	7.1	1.2
Meats .....	160.3	161.0	160.6	160.4	13.7	4.6	1.0	.2	9.1	.6
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	160.7	160.4	160.5	159.7	26.8	5.9	-3.2	-2.5	15.9	-2.8
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	136.8	137.4	137.0	137.0	20.8	6.4	.6	.6	13.4	.6
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.9	118.7	120.2	118.6	38.2	-4.3	2.4	2.4	15.0	2.4
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.1	117.0	116.6	115.8	29.5	10.9	-10.4	-7.6	19.8	-9.0
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.3	112.6	113.3	113.7	16.9	2.2	4.7	-2.1	9.3	1.2
Pork .....	164.8	165.5	163.9	164.8	5.1	4.3	6.6	.0	4.7	3.2
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.6	115.7	114.4	113.5	6.9	10.3	17.9	-10.2	8.6	2.9
Ham .....	157.9	159.8	158.4	159.0	5.6	6.6	2.3	2.8	6.1	2.6
Pork chops .....	160.1	160.1	161.8	162.0	5.4	-1.5	3.3	4.8	1.9	4.1
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.3	104.5	101.7	101.0	-.4	14.9	10.5	-15.4	7.0	-3.3
Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....	156.7	159.4	160.3	159.2	-.5	2.3	3.1	6.5	.9	4.8
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	165.8	170.1	166.8	167.8	5.3	3.5	4.0	4.9	4.4	4.4
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.6	108.9	108.5	108.4	2.0	5.1	2.3	11.0	3.5	6.6
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.8	112.6	104.2	107.5	18.2	-1.4	9.1	-14.5	7.9	-3.4
Fish and seafood .....	191.7	189.6	191.1	192.3	1.9	-.2	-2.5	1.3	.8	-.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.1	108.7	109.0	110.0	10.1	-6.9	-8.3	3.3	1.3	-2.7
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.9	104.5	104.8	103.9	-3.8	10.6	-.8	.0	3.1	-.4
Eggs .....	132.0	131.8	133.0	123.7	5.4	2.1	-15.3	-22.9	3.7	-19.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	169.4	170.8	171.2	170.6	4.0	9.7	6.1	2.9	6.8	4.5
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	115.0	115.0	114.1	1.8	12.2	1.4	2.1	6.9	1.8
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	170.9	171.2	171.9	171.9	7.7	7.0	12.1	2.4	7.4	7.1
Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	176.7	179.7	181.9	183.2	5.6	6.0	8.8	15.5	5.8	12.1
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.2	114.9	114.3	113.2	1.8	12.5	3.9	-6.8	7.0	-1.6
Fruits and vegetables .....	214.7	215.3	214.5	211.8	-1.3	3.3	2.7	-5.3	.9	-1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	251.1	251.6	251.1	246.6	-3.2	1.6	2.6	-7.0	-.8	-2.3
Fresh fruits .....	262.1	265.4	268.8	264.0	-5.1	14.3	-7.1	2.9	4.2	-2.2
Apples .....	209.4	220.3	228.1	225.8	-10.0	22.9	-12.8	35.2	5.2	8.6
Bananas .....	172.5	173.6	169.2	167.2	-3.4	10.8	17.2	-11.7	3.5	1.7
Citrus fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	166.3	157.5	141.3	129.9	18.0	94.3	57.7	-62.8	51.4	-23.4
Other fresh fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	86.8	93.8	100.2	107.5	-43.6	-12.7	-31.5	135.3	-29.8	27.0
Fresh vegetables .....	236.3	234.3	230.3	226.3	-1.2	-9.7	13.4	-15.9	-5.5	-2.3
Potatoes .....	212.8	218.6	216.1	217.0	5.6	18.0	27.4	8.1	11.6	17.4
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	250.6	235.7	225.7	228.5	-40.3	-40.7	90.9	-30.9	-40.5	14.9
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	218.9	234.7	261.7	261.0	-32.1	-15.3	-36.8	102.1	-24.2	13.0
Other fresh vegetables .....	246.6	240.4	234.2	231.6	8.0	-16.3	17.0	-22.2	-5.0	-4.6
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.8	110.4	109.4	109.9	6.2	8.1	3.0	.4	7.2	1.7
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	109.7	108.3	109.3	3.9	8.6	4.9	-.7	6.2	2.0
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.8	114.8	114.1	114.0	10.0	11.4	2.9	.7	10.7	1.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.5	103.5	103.5	103.4	4.0	1.2	-3.4	3.6	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**

(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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.0	139.9	139.2	139.3	0.6	0.6	3.5	0.9	0.6	2.2
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	107.5	108.3	107.8	106.9	11.1	-2.2	1.1	-2.2	4.2	-6
Carbonated drinks .....	126.1	127.2	126.6	126.4	2.3	2.6	1.3	1.0	2.4	1.1
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.9	112.8	112.7	114.0	-7.3	9.9	.7	7.7	.9	4.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	106.4	106.3	106.4	3.5	.8	4.2	-1.5	2.1	1.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.8	97.7	97.7	97.3	3.3	-5.6	4.2	-2.0	-1.2	1.0
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	145.0	144.6	143.4	142.1	5.8	-5.5	-5.6	-7.8	.0	-6.7
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.1	112.1	112.9	113.1	1.5	-6.0	13.9	3.6	-2.4	8.7
Other food at home .....	159.9	161.0	160.6	161.5	3.9	1.8	2.5	4.1	2.8	3.3
Sugar and sweets .....	155.9	156.4	156.1	157.0	2.6	.3	1.3	2.9	1.4	2.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	141.3	140.9	140.1	139.8	11.0	3.2	.3	-4.2	7.0	-2.0
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.6	104.7	104.4	105.7	.0	.8	-4	4.3	.4	1.9
Other sweets <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.4	109.7	108.5	109.0	8.2	-6.5	7.7	2.2	.6	4.9
Fats and oils .....	158.3	158.8	155.7	157.6	5.7	10.6	3.6	-1.8	8.1	.9
Butter and margarine <sup>1 2</sup> .....	129.4	131.8	123.8	126.2	14.5	37.1	9.1	-9.5	25.3	-6
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.1	107.7	107.4	108.2	5.4	-5.1	6.9	.4	.0	3.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.3	104.5	103.7	103.7	5.9	-8	-1.1	-2.3	2.5	-1.7
Other foods .....	176.5	178.0	178.3	179.0	4.0	.2	2.3	5.8	2.1	4.0
Soups .....	203.3	205.8	203.6	205.7	-1.2	8.1	.4	4.8	3.3	2.6
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	151.2	149.9	152.9	153.6	-5	8.0	-1.6	6.5	3.7	2.4
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	166.9	171.2	170.1	173.6	4.4	3.1	-6.7	17.1	3.8	4.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	183.3	185.1	183.7	184.9	13.9	-4.1	9.0	3.5	4.5	6.2
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.7	114.0	115.2	116.0	7.3	.0	.3	4.6	3.6	2.5
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.2	109.5	110.8	109.0	-4	-1.8	4.5	-7	-1.1	1.9
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	175.0	175.6	175.8	176.0	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.3	3.2	2.9
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.9	111.2	111.4	111.4	4.9	2.6	3.3	1.8	3.7	2.6
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.2	110.7	111.0	111.3	2.6	3.0	3.3	4.1	2.8	3.7
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.2	106.8	106.1	106.1	1.9	2.7	3.5	-4	2.3	1.5
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.4	104.7	104.6	104.7	3.1	1.5	.4	1.2	2.3	.8
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.6	115.7	115.8	115.8	1.4	3.6	10.3	.7	2.5	5.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.3	180.8	181.0	180.6	1.8	3.7	4.3	.7	2.7	2.5
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	162.6	162.8	162.9	162.2	1.5	1.3	4.6	-1.0	1.4	1.7
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	162.9	163.6	163.1	161.9	1.3	1.5	6.1	-2.4	1.4	1.8
Distilled spirits at home .....	167.4	167.6	168.1	168.2	6.3	1.7	4.9	1.9	4.0	3.4
Wine at home .....	149.3	149.0	149.6	149.7	-8	.8	-8	1.1	.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	216.3	217.4	218.0	218.7	2.9	6.6	5.0	4.5	4.7	4.7
Housing .....	172.5	172.4	173.0	173.3	5.8	3.6	.5	1.9	4.7	1.2
Shelter .....	195.9	196.5	197.3	198.1	4.7	4.4	3.3	4.6	4.6	3.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	193.3	194.0	194.7	195.5	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.9	4.5
Lodging away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	108.7	107.2	108.8	109.1	11.1	2.5	-13.2	1.5	6.7	-6.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	271.5	273.6	274.7	275.5	4.2	4.6	6.4	6.0	4.4	6.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	248.6	244.5	248.5	249.2	12.0	2.0	-15.0	1.0	6.9	-7.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	189.2	190.0	190.7	191.5	4.2	4.2	4.6	5.0	4.2	4.8
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	107.0	107.1	106.3	2.7	6.2	-1.5	-1.9	4.4	-1.7
Fuels and utilities .....	146.5	143.5	143.4	142.0	17.3	2.1	-13.0	-11.7	9.5	-12.4
Fuels .....	130.1	126.7	126.6	125.1	20.7	2.4	-16.3	-14.5	11.1	-15.4
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	128.3	122.4	119.6	111.9	-24.0	-5.6	-9.9	-42.1	-15.3	-27.8
Fuel oil .....	127.0	120.1	115.1	106.3	-34.1	.6	-12.5	-50.9	-18.6	-34.5
Other household fuels <sup>5</sup> .....	162.1	159.5	158.8	152.7	11.4	-19.5	-10.8	-21.3	-5.3	-16.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	137.3	133.9	134.0	132.8	24.5	2.8	-16.4	-12.5	13.1	-14.5
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	139.8	138.9	137.5	137.0	11.2	22.0	-9	-7.8	16.5	-4.4
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	141.8	132.2	135.7	132.9	55.3	-26.1	-42.3	-22.8	7.1	-33.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.1	110.5	110.7	111.0	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.3	2.2	3.5
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	232.9	233.8	234.1	234.8	2.7	1.9	4.0	3.3	2.3	3.7
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	276.6	277.6	278.1	278.2	1.9	1.5	3.5	2.3	1.7	2.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.9	125.6	126.0	125.9	-9	.0	.3	.0	-5	.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.5	98.4	99.3	99.3	-10.3	3.7	-1.2	3.3	-3.5	1.0
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.5	105.9	106.2	106.3	3.0	-4.8	1.9	-7	-9	.6
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.6	97.3	95.5	98.5	-23.6	18.9	2.4	-4.3	-4.7	-1.0
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.0	95.5	98.0	96.5	-8.7	.0	-4.5	11.1	-4.5	3.0
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	127.8	127.3	127.1	126.4	-1.8	-3.6	-3.1	-4.3	-2.7	-3.7
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	134.4	134.5	135.1	133.9	.0	-1.2	-2.3	-1.5	-6	-1.9
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.4	99.8	99.3	98.6	-2.7	-4.6	-8	-7.0	-3.7	-3.9
Other furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.5	93.8	93.7	94.3	-2.0	-6.3	-11.4	-8	-4.2	-6.3

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.8	94.3	94.5	94.4	0.4	-0.8	0.0	-1.7	-0.2	-0.8
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.2	96.4	97.0	97.8	2.1	.8	1.2	2.5	1.5	1.9
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.0	91.1	90.5	89.1	-3.4	-2.6	-2.6	-8.1	-3.0	-5.4
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	95.3	95.5	95.8	95.0	5.6	-3.3	-3.3	-1.3	1.0	-2.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	102.9	103.1	103.6	102.6	-5.2	-3.8	2.4	-1.2	-4.5	.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>1 7</sup> .....	117.5	118.1	119.5	118.7	21.2	-2.9	-9.3	4.1	8.5	-2.8
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.4	92.4	91.5	90.5	-.9	-.9	-.9	-8.0	-.9	-4.5
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.3	96.1	95.5	95.0	9.9	-5.2	-4.8	-5.3	2.1	-5.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.7	95.5	95.1	95.3	2.9	-.8	-.4	-5.7	1.0	-3.1
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.3	97.1	96.1	96.0	-2.4	-4.4	3.4	-5.2	-3.4	-1.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.0	94.0	94.0	94.3	5.6	2.1	-2.5	-6.9	3.8	-4.7
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	161.1	160.4	160.9	160.8	.8	4.4	5.4	-.7	2.6	2.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.6	109.2	110.2	110.6	3.8	.0	3.4	3.7	1.9	3.5
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	120.2	119.2	119.4	118.8	-5.3	13.1	3.4	-4.6	3.4	-.7
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.0	108.2	107.4	107.0	2.3	4.3	9.4	-3.7	3.3	2.7
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.6	117.8	118.0	9.1	2.4	3.5	2.1	5.7	2.8
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.9	114.2	114.3	114.3	4.0	3.2	1.8	1.4	3.6	1.6
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.7	119.1	119.4	119.6	20.7	-5.2	2.7	3.1	7.0	2.9
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.5	114.6	114.6	114.4	.0	7.8	3.6	-.3	3.8	1.6
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.2	123.5	123.8	124.4	10.4	8.3	5.7	4.0	9.3	4.8
Apparel .....	125.0	125.7	124.8	124.0	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	-3.2	-3.0	-2.7
Men's and boys' apparel .....	124.1	125.5	125.1	123.2	-5.2	-.3	-8.0	-2.9	-2.8	-5.4
Men's apparel .....	128.4	129.8	129.5	127.2	-6.2	-2.1	-5.1	-3.7	-4.2	-4.4
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	126.7	130.0	130.2	128.7	-13.1	4.9	-1.9	6.5	-4.6	2.2
Men's furnishings .....	135.9	136.6	136.4	135.1	5.0	.9	-12.0	-2.3	2.9	-7.3
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1 2</sup> .....	95.2	99.6	99.0	93.1	-10.7	-18.3	10.3	-8.5	-14.6	.4
Men's pants and shorts .....	123.2	121.9	121.1	120.4	-8.8	2.0	-3.8	-8.8	-3.6	-6.3
Boys' apparel .....	109.2	110.3	111.2	109.9	5.4	4.2	-23.6	2.6	4.8	-11.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	116.8	116.4	115.0	115.0	9.4	-16.3	1.0	-6.0	-4.3	-2.6
Women's apparel .....	116.9	116.7	115.0	115.0	10.1	-17.5	3.5	-6.3	-4.7	-1.5
Women's outerwear .....	118.0	115.4	112.9	111.8	2.7	-16.9	14.0	-19.4	-7.6	-4.2
Women's dresses .....	100.7	101.5	101.0	102.2	17.7	-26.1	38.1	6.1	-6.7	21.0
Women's suits and separates <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.8	99.0	96.1	91.4	38.6	-35.3	18.2	-23.7	-5.3	-5.1
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.5	98.6	98.1	97.3	18.7	-6.0	-20.6	-.8	5.6	-11.3
Girls' apparel .....	116.4	115.0	115.2	115.3	7.5	-12.7	-7.8	-3.7	-3.1	-5.8
Footwear .....	123.0	123.2	122.4	121.3	3.9	-10.4	3.0	-5.4	-3.5	-1.3
Men's footwear .....	121.8	123.1	123.6	124.6	-5.2	-4.3	-12.4	9.5	-4.7	-2.1
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	120.5	125.0	125.7	120.5	10.5	-28.2	16.8	.0	-10.9	8.1
Women's footwear .....	124.2	121.3	119.0	118.4	4.7	-1.6	9.2	-17.4	1.5	-5.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....	131.1	133.5	134.3	130.3	10.5	-13.4	8.0	-2.4	-2.1	2.7
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	131.7	134.8	133.4	136.2	2.7	2.1	-14.3	14.4	2.4	-1.0
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	116.2	116.9	117.0	117.8	-10.2	2.8	-5.0	5.6	-4.0	.2
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	136.1	139.7	138.3	141.3	7.7	.8	-16.6	16.2	4.2	-1.5
Transportation .....	155.3	151.5	148.9	147.7	-.5	7.5	-4.3	-18.2	3.4	-11.5
Private transportation .....	152.5	148.7	146.1	144.8	.0	7.0	-4.3	-18.7	3.5	-11.8
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	101.5	101.5	101.7	101.9	1.6	-3.4	-2.7	1.6	-1.0	-.6
New vehicles .....	142.6	142.8	143.7	144.0	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	4.0	-1.4	1.5
Used cars and trucks .....	157.6	157.1	156.7	157.0	6.9	-7.4	-5.9	-1.5	-.5	-3.7
Car and truck rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.8	100.3	102.7	103.8	4.1	-26.0	-5.0	17.0	-12.2	5.4
Motor fuel .....	131.2	116.3	104.6	98.7	-10.3	37.7	-18.1	-68.0	11.2	-48.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	130.6	115.7	104.0	98.1	-10.3	38.8	-18.1	-68.2	11.5	-48.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>8</sup> .....	130.2	114.1	101.8	96.2	-12.9	38.9	-15.0	-70.2	10.0	-49.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>8 9</sup> .....	133.9	119.2	107.5	101.2	-8.9	37.2	-20.9	-67.4	11.8	-49.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>8</sup> .....	128.2	115.8	104.9	99.4	-10.9	34.6	-19.9	-63.9	9.5	-46.2
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	125.0	121.0	116.6	111.7	-25.7	6.9	-5.9	-36.2	-10.8	-22.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	104.5	104.8	104.8	104.7	6.8	.0	2.7	.8	3.4	1.7
Tires .....	99.6	100.1	100.0	100.2	8.5	.8	.4	2.4	4.6	1.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.5	105.7	105.8	105.8	5.5	-2.3	4.7	1.1	1.6	2.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	186.5	187.3	187.6	187.9	3.3	3.3	4.2	3.0	3.3	3.6
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	197.5	198.3	197.9	198.0	2.3	5.9	4.6	1.0	4.1	2.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	171.3	172.6	172.5	172.6	4.9	4.1	3.6	3.1	4.5	3.3
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.9	113.2	113.6	113.6	4.1	1.4	5.5	2.5	2.7	4.0

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Motor vehicle insurance .....	271.2	272.7	277.3	278.7	6.5	6.2	5.5	11.5	6.3	8.5
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.1	110.5	110.6	110.8	2.2	-.4	3.0	2.6	.9	2.8
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	107.1	107.5	107.6	107.8	.0	-.7	2.3	2.6	-.4	2.5
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	119.0	119.3	119.6	119.8	8.2	.7	4.8	2.7	4.4	3.8
Public transportation .....	207.6	203.5	202.1	202.9	-9.3	15.7	-2.7	-8.8	2.4	-5.8
Airline fare <sup>1</sup> .....	241.4	235.1	228.9	227.5	.3	19.1	-9.9	-21.1	9.3	-15.7
Other intercity transportation .....	155.7	154.8	153.6	154.4	.5	-4.4	-4.3	-3.3	-2.0	-3.8
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	180.1	180.1	180.2	180.6	2.3	1.1	5.8	1.1	1.7	3.4
Medical care .....	274.1	275.3	276.6	277.0	6.3	3.8	4.2	4.3	5.0	4.2
Medical care commodities .....	244.6	245.5	246.1	246.9	6.0	4.2	3.2	3.8	5.1	3.5
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	304.8	306.1	307.1	307.7	8.2	5.2	6.7	3.9	6.7	5.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 5</sup> .....	148.2	148.4	148.3	149.4	.5	3.8	-3.4	3.3	2.2	-.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	176.5	175.9	175.8	177.7	3.0	3.9	-3.3	2.7	3.5	-.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	176.9	179.3	179.3	179.0	-5.7	3.7	-3.8	4.8	-1.1	.4
Medical care services .....	280.7	282.0	283.5	283.8	6.3	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.0	4.4
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	250.3	251.0	251.6	252.0	5.5	2.6	3.4	2.7	4.1	3.1
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	257.0	258.0	258.7	258.7	5.1	2.7	3.8	2.7	3.9	3.2
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	271.0	271.2	272.5	273.4	4.8	3.7	3.6	3.6	4.2	3.6
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	155.7	155.6	155.5	156.1	8.1	1.0	.8	1.0	4.5	.9
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	173.8	173.7	173.8	174.0	5.6	2.6	4.7	.5	4.1	2.6
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	338.3	340.9	343.3	344.3	7.8	6.6	6.5	7.3	7.2	6.9
Hospital services <sup>1 3 10</sup> .....	125.0	125.8	126.6	127.0	9.8	4.7	7.7	6.6	7.2	7.1
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 8 10</sup> .....	121.8	122.8	123.6	123.9	10.4	4.8	5.4	7.1	7.6	6.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 8</sup> .....	286.6	287.3	288.7	290.7	5.2	5.3	10.6	5.8	5.3	8.2
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1 3 10</sup> .....	129.9	130.3	130.5	130.6	2.9	3.6	13.0	2.2	3.3	7.4
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	103.7	103.7	103.9	103.8	.4	2.0	1.6	.4	1.2	1.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	100.7	100.8	101.0	101.0	-.4	-.8	.8	1.2	-.6	1.0
Televisions .....	42.8	42.4	42.1	41.8	-9.1	-15.6	-8.8	-9.0	-12.4	-8.9
Cable television <sup>3 6</sup> .....	281.3	282.8	283.9	284.5	5.2	2.3	3.0	4.6	3.8	3.8
Other video equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	50.9	50.8	50.6	50.2	-28.7	-21.1	-10.3	-5.4	-25.0	-7.9
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> ..	85.6	85.6	84.5	84.5	-8.1	12.4	-5.9	-5.0	1.6	-5.4
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	75.3	75.3	75.2	74.5	-7.9	-12.4	5.5	-4.2	-10.2	.5
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.3	106.5	108.0	107.9	2.3	9.1	-2.2	6.2	5.7	1.9
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.6	109.5	109.9	110.6	5.4	4.5	3.0	3.7	5.0	3.3
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	146.4	146.1	146.6	147.8	4.5	3.4	1.1	3.9	3.9	2.5
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.6	124.8	125.2	125.5	8.0	5.4	7.7	2.9	6.7	5.3
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	120.9	120.4	120.2	119.7	-2.9	2.7	-2.9	-3.9	-.2	-3.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	136.0	135.2	135.6	134.6	-2.0	4.5	-2.3	-4.1	1.2	-3.2
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	103.9	103.5	102.9	102.8	-3.7	.0	-3.0	-4.2	-1.9	-3.6
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.3	99.3	99.1	99.1	-1.6	-.4	.8	-.8	-1.0	.0
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	123.5	124.1	123.9	122.6	-2.2	-2.9	-1.6	-2.9	-2.5	-2.2
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.8	103.6	103.4	103.9	-1.5	1.6	1.6	.4	.0	1.0
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	84.3	84.5	83.8	82.8	-11.5	3.4	.0	-6.9	-4.4	-3.5
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	101.6	101.9	101.1	99.7	-13.7	4.4	-2.3	-7.3	-5.1	-4.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.5	97.9	96.9	96.4	-.4	-3.3	12.8	-4.4	-1.9	3.8
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.8	100.2	100.3	99.9	-3.5	5.3	1.2	-3.5	.8	-1.2
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	117.7	117.8	118.5	118.1	5.0	4.6	4.2	1.4	4.8	2.8
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.9	112.3	112.9	112.5	5.9	-1.4	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.0
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	244.8	243.9	245.0	243.8	4.0	8.7	5.6	-1.6	6.3	1.9
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	197.4	200.1	203.1	204.2	5.1	6.2	3.7	14.5	5.6	9.0
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	193.9	193.2	193.4	194.3	1.3	2.1	2.7	.8	1.7	1.8
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.3	108.5	108.7	109.1	2.6	1.1	4.5	-.7	1.9	1.9
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	101.8	102.1	102.2	102.8	-2.0	4.0	-.4	4.0	1.0	1.8
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	106.7	106.7	106.9	3.5	2.3	3.5	3.1	2.9	3.3
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	120.8	121.5	122.0	122.2	3.9	6.7	6.9	4.7	5.2	5.8
Educational books and supplies .....	308.9	310.2	308.9	297.9	5.5	8.6	12.9	-13.5	7.0	-1.2
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	338.8	341.0	342.5	344.2	3.9	6.2	6.4	6.5	5.0	6.5
College tuition and fees .....	354.9	356.2	358.1	359.3	3.7	5.3	10.8	5.1	4.5	7.9
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	378.8	380.0	381.1	383.4	6.3	6.8	12.1	4.9	6.6	8.5
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	166.0	167.5	168.0	168.8	3.8	6.3	2.9	6.9	5.0	4.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.8	125.3	125.5	125.8	3.1	4.4	12.8	3.2	3.7	7.9

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—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Communication <sup>1 2</sup> .....	94.3	94.9	94.5	94.6	3.0	-2.1	0.0	1.3	0.4	0.6
Postage and delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	14.3	.4	5.0	.0	7.1	2.4
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	173.4	173.4	173.4	173.4	14.2	.0	5.2	.0	6.9	2.6
Delivery services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.8	124.8	124.7	124.1	30.1	1.0	1.3	-2.2	14.6	-5
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	93.6	94.2	93.8	93.9	2.2	-2.1	.0	1.3	.0	.6
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.4	100.1	99.7	99.9	3.7	-1.2	.8	2.0	1.2	1.4
Telephone services, local charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	186.6	187.4	187.9	187.9	3.4	5.6	6.5	2.8	4.5	4.6
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> .....	87.4	88.3	87.4	87.7	5.5	-9.0	-4.9	1.4	-2.0	-1.8
Cellular telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	68.2	68.0	68.4	68.2	-12.7	-2.9	-3.4	.0	-7.9	-1.7
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	21.2	21.0	20.8	20.6	-19.5	-17.6	-16.8	-10.8	-18.6	-13.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	26.6	26.1	25.5	25.0	-38.4	-26.9	-33.0	-22.0	-32.9	-27.7
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.1	77.2	78.8	79.3	-6.2	-10.0	-2.5	6.3	-8.1	1.8
Computer information processing services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.4	100.6	100.7	100.7	.8	1.7	17.7	1.2	1.3	9.1
Other information processing equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	66.2	66.2	65.3	64.7	2.3	-10.9	-12.3	-8.8	-4.5	-10.5
Other goods and services .....	295.8	292.7	297.6	293.6	6.3	6.3	11.0	-2.9	6.3	3.8
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	444.7	430.9	448.3	432.9	12.2	13.5	23.8	-10.2	12.8	5.4
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	180.1	174.3	181.6	175.1	12.8	14.0	24.2	-10.7	13.4	5.3
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.7	123.9	124.4	125.3	-1.6	.0	8.2	5.3	-.8	6.7
Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....	171.4	171.9	172.3	172.3	3.1	2.1	3.6	2.1	2.6	2.8
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	156.1	156.1	156.1	156.0	.3	-1.3	1.8	-.3	-.5	.8
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.7	103.5	103.5	104.0	-.8	.0	-1.5	1.2	-.4	-.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	172.2	172.7	172.7	171.7	1.2	-2.5	4.8	-1.2	-.7	1.8
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	186.1	186.5	187.4	187.1	2.4	4.4	2.8	2.2	3.4	2.5
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.4	113.7	114.2	114.1	2.2	4.4	2.9	2.5	3.3	2.7
Miscellaneous personal services .....	265.9	267.1	268.0	268.8	4.3	4.4	6.7	4.4	4.3	5.6
Legal services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	202.0	203.8	203.9	204.1	5.8	2.5	13.5	4.2	4.1	8.8
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	200.7	201.6	202.8	203.2	3.1	7.6	2.6	5.1	5.3	3.8
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.0	111.6	111.3	111.4	6.1	4.1	5.2	1.4	5.1	3.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	113.9	114.0	114.0	6.7	2.2	5.8	1.8	4.4	3.8
Financial services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	225.5	225.8	227.3	228.2	8.7	2.5	2.7	4.9	5.6	3.8
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	93.8	94.5	93.7	93.5	-2.1	-2.5	-2.1	-1.3	-2.3	-1.7
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	152.6	151.0	149.9	148.8	1.3	3.2	-.5	-9.6	2.3	-5.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	139.7	136.9	135.4	133.8	-.3	3.2	-2.5	-15.9	1.4	-9.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	150.8	146.2	143.8	141.0	-2.6	10.0	-5.4	-23.6	3.5	-15.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	169.9	162.5	158.7	154.9	-4.2	16.6	-5.2	-30.9	5.7	-19.1
Durables .....	124.5	124.3	124.4	124.4	.6	-3.1	-2.5	-.3	-1.3	-1.4
Services .....	200.7	200.9	201.7	202.2	5.9	4.1	1.8	3.0	5.0	2.4
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	188.7	189.3	190.3	191.0	4.2	4.6	3.2	5.0	4.4	4.1
Transportation services .....	200.8	200.8	202.0	202.7	2.7	5.2	3.5	3.8	3.9	3.6
Other services .....	235.6	236.7	237.3	237.7	3.9	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.7
All items less food .....	174.4	173.4	173.2	172.8	3.6	3.8	.2	-3.6	3.7	-1.7
All items less shelter .....	168.5	167.4	166.8	166.1	3.2	3.4	-.2	-5.6	3.3	-2.9
All items less medical care .....	170.0	169.2	169.0	168.6	3.6	3.6	.5	-3.3	3.6	-1.4
Commodities less food .....	141.5	138.8	137.3	135.7	-.3	3.2	-2.2	-15.4	1.4	-9.1
Nondurables less food .....	152.7	148.4	145.9	143.4	-2.3	9.6	-4.8	-22.2	3.5	-14.0
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	170.2	163.5	160.1	156.6	-4.0	15.5	-4.6	-28.3	5.3	-17.3
Nondurables .....	163.2	160.8	159.5	157.9	2.0	6.9	-1.5	-12.4	4.4	-7.1
Apparel less footwear .....	121.4	122.1	121.2	120.5	3.6	-9.2	-2.9	-2.9	-3.0	-2.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	189.4	189.0	189.5	189.6	7.6	3.9	.4	.4	5.7	.4
Services less medical care services .....	194.2	194.4	195.0	195.6	5.6	4.2	1.7	2.9	4.9	2.3

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2001	June 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Energy .....	130.0	120.9	115.0	111.4	4.1	18.6	-17.2	-46.1	11.1	-33.2
All items less energy .....	181.0	181.3	181.9	182.0	3.7	2.3	2.7	2.2	3.0	2.5
All items less food and energy .....	183.0	183.3	184.0	184.1	3.6	2.0	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	146.2	146.0	146.4	145.8	1.7	-1.9	.8	-1.1	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	131.0	116.7	105.5	99.5	-11.3	34.8	-17.8	-66.7	9.3	-47.7
Services less energy services .....	207.9	208.6	209.4	210.1	4.4	4.2	3.5	4.3	4.3	3.9
Domestically produced farm food .....	176.7	177.3	177.1	176.8	5.2	5.4	1.1	.2	5.3	.7
Utilities and public transportation .....	157.7	155.7	155.7	155.0	12.4	2.8	-7.0	-6.7	7.5	-6.9

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

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	All items									
		Indexes				Percent change to Dec.2001 from—			Percent change to Nov.2001 from—		
		Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Nov. 2000	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001
U.S. city average .....	M	178.3	177.7	177.4	176.7	1.6	-0.6	-0.4	1.9	-0.5	-0.2
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	185.1	185.0	185.0	184.2	1.6	-4	-4	1.9	-1	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	186.5	186.3	186.1	185.4	1.7	-5	-4	2.0	-2	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.4	110.6	110.9	110.3	1.4	-3	-5	1.8	.5	.3
Midwest urban .....	M	174.6	172.6	172.5	171.9	1.0	-4	-3	1.3	-1.2	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	176.1	174.5	174.2	173.8	1.3	-4	-2	1.5	-1.1	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	111.6	110.0	110.0	109.6	.8	-4	-4	1.0	-1.4	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	168.8	166.9	166.3	165.5	.4	-8	-5	.8	-1.5	-4
South urban .....	M	172.2	171.7	171.0	170.3	1.1	-8	-4	1.4	-.7	-4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	173.2	173.1	172.2	171.7	2.0	-8	-3	2.2	-.6	-5
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.2	109.7	109.4	108.9	.7	-7	-5	1.1	-.7	-.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	169.7	169.9	168.9	167.6	.3	-1.4	-8	1.0	-.5	-6
West urban .....	M	182.5	182.5	182.3	181.6	2.5	-5	-4	2.9	-.1	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	184.7	184.6	184.3	183.5	2.5	-6	-4	3.1	-.2	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	111.7	112.1	112.0	111.6	2.5	-4	-4	2.6	.3	-1
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	162.5	162.0	161.7	161.1	1.9	-6	-4	2.2	-.5	-2
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.8	110.3	110.2	109.7	1.1	-5	-5	1.4	-.5	-1
D .....	M	172.0	171.5	170.8	169.8	.8	-1.0	-6	1.3	-.7	-4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	179.7	178.1	177.4	177.9	1.2	-1	.3	.8	-1.3	-4
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	178.8	178.3	178.1	177.1	2.1	-7	-6	2.7	-.4	-1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	188.0	187.8	187.8	187.3	1.7	-3	-3	1.7	-.1	.0
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT ....	1	192.7	-	192.7	-	-	-	-	2.8	.0	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	174.6	-	172.3	-	-	-	-	1.7	-1.3	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	172.8	-	171.5	-	-	-	-	2.8	-.8	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	111.7	-	110.9	-	-	-	-	2.2	-.7	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	-	176.7	-	174.8	1.7	-1.1	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	-	174.8	-	173.5	1.0	-.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	-	159.4	-	157.1	.6	-1.4	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	-	174.2	-	173.1	2.1	-6	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	-	182.9	-	179.9	1.4	-1.6	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	-	191.7	-	190.6	3.5	-6	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	-	187.9	-	186.1	2.5	-1.0	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	184.2	1.6	-0.4	171.9	1.0	-0.3	170.3	1.1	-0.4	181.6	2.5	-0.4
All items (December 1977=100) .....	290.1	-	-	279.8	-	-	276.3	-	-	293.6	-	-
Food and beverages .....	177.2	2.8	.0	172.1	2.6	.2	172.7	2.6	.0	179.3	3.2	-.1
Food .....	176.7	2.9	.1	171.3	2.6	.1	172.6	2.6	.0	178.6	3.3	-.1
Food at home .....	176.7	2.7	.0	170.1	2.5	.2	170.3	2.3	-.1	183.1	3.0	-.2
Food away from home .....	179.1	3.1	.2	174.0	2.8	.1	178.2	2.9	.1	172.1	3.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	183.7	2.3	-.2	180.6	2.9	.2	173.5	3.2	-.2	186.7	1.5	-.3
Housing .....	189.6	3.0	-.2	168.5	1.1	.0	162.5	2.2	-.1	189.1	5.2	.2
Shelter .....	226.2	4.8	.2	196.8	3.5	.1	180.0	3.0	.1	209.6	5.3	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	211.0	4.6	.6	188.9	3.9	.3	177.3	4.0	.3	204.8	6.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	237.1	5.5	.5	203.9	4.0	.4	182.8	3.1	.2	221.8	5.7	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	133.3	-5.7	-1.9	131.9	-10.8	-1.1	144.7	.3	-1.0	169.4	9.3	.6
Fuels .....	122.9	-6.8	-2.2	113.7	-13.3	-1.3	124.3	-.2	-1.3	160.2	11.1	.6
Gas (pipel) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	137.4	-2.0	-1.6	118.9	-13.0	-1.1	126.3	.5	-1.3	164.1	11.8	.7
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	132.7	-1.6	-.3	120.0	-.2	-.1	122.2	3.9	-1.5	182.9	26.5	.4
Utility natural gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	147.2	-2.6	-3.7	120.4	-24.5	-2.2	149.3	-11.8	-.3	140.4	-15.9	1.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	131.2	1.1	-.5	124.9	.6	.4	127.8	-.8	-.3	132.7	.5	-.1
Apparel .....	120.6	-3.9	-3.4	120.6	-3.2	-2.7	136.9	-2.1	-3.7	113.1	-4.2	-3.5
Transportation .....	149.1	-4.2	-1.1	149.3	-2.6	-.8	144.7	-4.4	-.9	151.8	-4.0	-1.9
Private transportation .....	143.6	-4.6	-1.4	145.1	-2.4	-.8	142.8	-4.5	-.8	146.2	-4.3	-2.2
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	100.7	-.4	.2	102.5	.1	-.1	101.1	-.7	.8	102.1	-.9	.3
New vehicles .....	142.5	-.3	.6	141.5	.6	-.1	146.4	-.1	1.2	142.9	-.5	.6
New cars and trucks <sup>4 5</sup> .....	99.2	-.3	.6	100.0	.6	-.1	99.6	-.1	1.2	99.5	-.4	.7
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....	140.4	-.5	.6	136.6	1.0	.1	144.5	-.3	1.3	139.3	-.2	.8
Used cars and trucks .....	160.6	-1.9	-.2	157.7	-2.2	-.1	156.6	-2.2	-.1	155.5	-1.1	-.2
Motor fuel .....	94.3	-26.3	-8.5	99.6	-21.1	-4.1	92.3	-25.9	-7.2	99.3	-25.8	-12.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	93.7	-26.3	-8.7	99.1	-21.1	-4.2	91.6	-26.0	-7.2	98.3	-25.9	-12.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	91.9	-27.9	-9.1	96.7	-22.1	-4.6	88.1	-27.2	-7.9	96.1	-26.9	-13.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	97.1	-25.5	-8.5	109.5	-20.7	-3.6	97.5	-25.6	-7.0	93.3	-26.5	-12.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	95.0	-23.9	-7.8	103.3	-19.9	-3.6	95.7	-24.2	-6.7	98.8	-24.6	-12.2
Medical care .....	294.6	5.1	.1	271.7	4.9	.1	269.7	3.7	.2	277.5	5.7	.4
Medical care commodities .....	265.1	3.4	.4	245.5	3.5	.0	244.9	4.9	.7	256.0	5.3	.2
Medical care services .....	300.8	5.6	.0	278.8	5.3	.1	275.8	3.4	.1	282.8	5.8	.5
Professional services <sup>2</sup> .....	263.9	3.9	.0	255.3	4.8	.0	246.4	1.9	.0	232.5	4.6	.2
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	106.7	1.0	-.6	105.8	2.3	-.1	105.2	1.6	.0	103.9	1.3	-.1
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	107.2	3.0	.1	108.9	3.1	.1	106.7	3.7	-.4	104.8	2.7	-.1
Other goods and services .....	296.4	4.3	-.9	279.7	4.9	-1.3	281.6	5.3	-.7	285.6	3.3	-1.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	184.2	1.6	-.4	171.9	1.0	-.3	170.3	1.1	-.4	181.6	2.5	-.4
Commodities .....	148.9	-1.7	-1.1	146.4	-1.1	-.7	147.9	-1.4	-.9	148.4	-1.4	-1.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	131.1	-4.9	-2.0	132.6	-3.1	-1.3	134.3	-3.8	-1.5	130.6	-4.4	-2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	136.5	-7.0	-3.1	139.7	-4.8	-2.2	141.9	-5.6	-2.9	134.6	-6.7	-4.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	152.2	-8.3	-3.0	154.2	-5.4	-1.9	149.5	-7.0	-2.6	151.1	-7.6	-4.6
Durables .....	122.8	-1.2	.0	123.1	-1.0	.0	125.4	-1.4	.4	125.7	-1.3	.1
Services .....	219.0	3.8	.0	198.7	2.6	.0	193.4	3.1	.0	211.4	5.1	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	236.3	4.8	.2	202.4	3.6	.2	185.1	3.1	.1	222.6	5.4	.2
Transportation services .....	198.6	2.1	.2	208.7	4.2	.0	205.6	3.4	.0	207.7	2.9	.2
Other services .....	255.6	3.3	-.2	236.2	4.4	.0	239.1	4.1	.0	235.2	3.4	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	179.0	1.4	-0.5	166.8	0.8	-0.3	164.2	1.0	-0.5	176.6	2.4	-0.5
All items less food .....	185.8	1.4	-.5	172.0	.8	-.3	169.8	.9	-.5	182.2	2.4	-.5
All items less shelter .....	170.3	.1	-.8	164.7	.1	-.5	167.5	.4	-.6	171.3	1.1	-.7
Commodities less food .....	133.2	-4.6	-1.9	134.2	-3.0	-1.3	135.7	-3.6	-1.5	133.0	-4.1	-2.3
Nondurables .....	157.1	-1.9	-1.4	155.6	-1.1	-1.0	157.2	-1.4	-1.4	157.2	-1.4	-2.0
Nondurables less food .....	139.3	-6.3	-2.9	142.0	-4.3	-2.1	143.5	-5.1	-2.7	138.3	-6.0	-4.0
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	154.2	-7.3	-2.7	155.8	-4.8	-1.8	150.7	-6.2	-2.4	153.9	-6.7	-4.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	218.8	2.7	-.2	205.7	1.7	-.1	209.7	3.2	-.1	220.4	4.6	.3
Services less medical care services .....	212.6	3.7	.0	191.7	2.4	.0	184.7	3.1	.0	205.4	5.0	.2
Energy .....	111.3	-14.3	-4.4	106.6	-16.8	-2.6	106.9	-12.4	-3.8	125.7	-8.2	-5.6
All items less energy .....	193.9	2.9	-.2	181.3	2.7	-.1	178.7	2.3	-.2	188.0	3.3	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	198.4	3.0	-.2	183.7	2.7	-.2	180.3	2.3	-.2	190.2	3.3	-.1
Commodities less food and energy .....												
commodities .....	145.2	-.5	-1.0	144.0	-.1	-.8	147.0	.0	-.7	141.9	-.7	-.9
Energy commodities .....	97.2	-25.9	-7.6	100.0	-21.2	-4.4	94.2	-25.3	-6.8	100.8	-25.6	-12.7
Services less energy services .....	226.9	4.2	.1	208.8	3.9	.1	200.7	3.3	.1	214.9	4.7	.2

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

<sup>2</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001

See footnotes at end of table.



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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	158.1	1.7	-0.4	107.6	0.8	-0.6	163.1	0.4	-0.7
All items less food .....	161.7	1.7	-4	108.0	.8	-6	169.8	.6	-6
All items less shelter .....	155.0	.5	-6	107.5	.5	-6	166.1	.2	-9
Commodities less food .....	132.3	-4.1	-1.9	101.7	-3.3	-1.5	133.6	-3.7	-1.7
Nondurables .....	150.9	-1.4	-1.4	107.3	-1.4	-1.4	154.7	-1.8	-1.8
Nondurables less food .....	143.7	-5.8	-3.0	105.3	-5.0	-2.7	141.8	-5.0	-2.9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	162.4	-6.3	-2.7	109.2	-6.3	-2.7	151.4	-4.9	-2.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	176.9	3.1	.0	112.3	3.0	-.1	212.0	3.5	-.3
Services less medical care services .....	172.7	4.0	.1	110.8	3.0	.0	187.6	2.8	-.1
Energy .....	140.6	-13.5	-4.2	102.7	-13.0	-3.7	107.6	-10.7	-4.4
All items less energy .....	162.6	3.0	-.1	108.7	2.5	-.2	178.6	1.9	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	163.5	3.0	-.1	108.5	2.4	-.2	180.9	1.9	-.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	131.1	-.6	-.9	102.4	.4	-.8	145.3	-.8	-1.0
Energy commodities .....	142.1	-24.9	-8.6	96.7	-24.3	-6.8	92.5	-23.3	-7.5
Services less energy services .....	179.2	4.4	.2	111.6	3.4	.1	204.0	3.3	.2

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

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

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

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

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

in January, 1999.

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	185.4	1.7	-0.4	110.3	1.4	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	286.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	176.8	2.8	.1	110.2	2.9	.0
Food .....	176.1	2.8	.1	110.4	2.9	.0
Food at home .....	176.3	2.6	.1	110.1	2.9	-.1
Food away from home .....	178.3	3.1	.1	111.0	3.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	185.0	2.1	-.2	107.6	3.0	-.3
Housing .....	191.3	3.2	.1	109.9	2.3	-.6
Shelter .....	227.1	4.9	.4	110.8	4.2	-.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	214.6	4.7	.7	110.9	3.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	235.1	5.9	.6	110.4	4.2	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	130.9	-5.6	-1.6	109.5	-5.9	-2.7
Fuels .....	124.4	-6.7	-1.8	109.6	-7.0	-3.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	135.8	-2.5	-1.2	106.9	-.7	-2.8
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	127.8	-3.9	.4	102.0	3.2	-1.7
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	150.2	-.5	-3.2	118.6	-8.2	-5.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	131.6	.8	-.8	104.8	1.9	.3
Apparel .....	113.5	-4.8	-4.5	101.0	-1.5	-.9
Transportation .....	151.4	-4.2	-1.2	102.1	-4.1	-1.1
Private transportation .....	145.5	-5.0	-1.6	102.1	-4.0	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	93.0	-26.8	-8.6	93.8	-25.3	-8.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	92.3	-26.9	-8.7	93.7	-25.4	-8.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	90.6	-28.2	-9.2	92.7	-27.3	-8.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	93.5	-26.8	-8.6	95.9	-23.2	-8.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	94.0	-24.3	-7.8	92.9	-23.3	-7.7
Medical care .....	300.4	5.1	.2	117.9	5.2	-.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	107.0	1.4	-.5	105.9	.2	-.7
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	107.5	2.4	.1	106.2	5.0	.2
Other goods and services .....	290.7	4.2	-.8	127.0	4.6	-1.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	185.4	1.7	-.4	110.3	1.4	-.5
Commodities .....	148.8	-1.9	-1.3	106.2	-1.4	-.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	130.1	-5.3	-2.3	103.7	-4.0	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	134.6	-7.0	-3.4	107.6	-6.7	-2.5
Durables .....	123.1	-2.1	-.4	98.7	.3	.7
Services .....	218.9	3.8	.1	111.0	3.5	-.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	180.1	1.5	-.4	108.3	1.1	-.6
All items less shelter .....	170.6	.1	-.8	108.1	.3	-.6
Commodities less food .....	132.4	-5.0	-2.2	103.9	-3.7	-1.2
Nondurables .....	156.4	-1.9	-1.6	109.0	-1.8	-1.2
Nondurables less food .....	137.7	-6.4	-3.1	107.6	-6.2	-2.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	217.8	2.6	-.1	111.1	2.8	-.4
Services less medical care services .....	212.3	3.7	.2	110.4	3.4	-.5
Energy .....	112.0	-14.2	-4.1	103.5	-14.3	-5.0
All items less energy .....	194.4	3.0	-.1	109.3	2.9	-.2
All items less food and energy .....	199.0	2.9	-.2	109.1	2.9	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	173.8	1.3	-0.2	109.6	0.8	-0.4	165.5	0.4	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	287.0	-	-	-	-	-	265.4	-	-
Food and beverages .....	175.5	2.7	.4	109.4	2.3	-2	166.7	3.3	.1
Food .....	175.1	2.8	.5	109.2	2.2	-3	165.6	3.4	.1
Food at home .....	175.2	2.3	.5	108.7	2.4	-3	160.7	4.0	.1
Food away from home .....	175.1	3.2	.2	110.1	1.9	.0	175.6	2.5	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	179.4	2.0	-1	112.7	4.7	.6	182.8	1.2	.2
Housing .....	170.9	1.5	.1	107.8	.6	-2	157.8	.3	-1
Shelter .....	201.4	4.0	.2	109.7	2.5	.0	179.0	3.1	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	196.3	4.4	.4	110.8	3.1	.2	168.1	3.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	209.3	4.7	.6	109.2	2.5	.2	188.5	4.0	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	126.4	-13.0	-8	108.1	-7.4	-1.3	140.8	-9.4	-1.5
Fuels .....	110.3	-16.0	-9	107.6	-9.3	-1.6	109.9	-12.4	-1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	112.9	-15.9	-9	107.3	-8.4	-1.1	118.7	-11.9	-1.8
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	113.6	-2.2	-3	103.3	1.8	.7	108.3	2.5	-2.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	113.9	-27.6	-1.6	113.3	-19.5	-3.4	134.4	-22.8	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	121.8	.8	.6	99.1	.4	.1	118.0	-.1	.1
Apparel .....	113.4	-4.9	-3.7	95.9	-.9	-1.7	144.9	-2.9	-1.6
Transportation .....	151.0	-1.8	-.7	106.8	-3.2	-.7	137.9	-5.2	-1.3
Private transportation .....	147.6	-1.6	-.8	106.5	-3.0	-.6	131.3	-5.2	-1.3
Motor fuel .....	101.1	-20.6	-5.2	101.8	-20.8	-3.0	88.5	-24.6	-3.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	100.5	-20.6	-5.1	101.8	-20.8	-2.9	87.5	-24.6	-3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	98.4	-22.0	-5.7	101.3	-21.4	-3.5	84.0	-25.4	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	108.6	-19.8	-4.6	100.4	-21.3	-2.2	101.6	-24.2	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	103.1	-18.9	-4.4	101.5	-20.6	-2.9	93.3	-22.5	-3.2
Medical care .....	270.3	4.5	.0	117.0	5.1	.1	264.6	6.0	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.8	3.2	-3	103.9	.9	.1	106.6	2.2	-.4
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	110.6	3.5	.2	108.0	3.3	.1	101.2	.3	.4
Other goods and services .....	283.2	5.0	-.4	127.5	4.9	-2.7	265.8	4.2	-1.9
Commodity and service group									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	173.8	1.3	-.2	109.6	.8	-.4	165.5	.4	-.5
Commodities .....	147.3	-.9	-.6	104.2	-1.1	-.9	146.1	-1.2	-.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	131.5	-3.1	-1.2	101.4	-3.0	-1.3	135.1	-3.8	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	138.3	-5.1	-2.3	106.3	-4.2	-2.0	145.3	-4.7	-1.9
Durables .....	121.6	-.6	.2	95.0	-1.1	-.1	122.2	-2.4	-.7
Services .....	200.4	2.9	.1	112.2	2.4	-.1	187.0	1.9	-.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	169.2	1.1	-.2	107.9	.5	-.5	158.8	-.1	-.6
All items less shelter .....	165.2	.1	-.4	108.0	.2	-.6	162.1	-.4	-.6
Commodities less food .....	133.4	-2.9	-1.2	101.7	-2.8	-1.3	136.5	-3.6	-1.3
Nondurables .....	157.0	-1.1	-.9	107.8	-1.1	-1.1	156.4	-.8	-.9
Nondurables less food .....	140.8	-4.7	-2.2	106.6	-3.8	-1.9	147.2	-4.5	-1.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	206.0	1.6	-.1	114.4	2.2	-.2	198.0	.8	-.4
Services less medical care services .....	194.1	2.7	.1	111.6	2.0	-.1	177.1	1.4	-.2
Energy .....	105.9	-18.0	-2.8	104.9	-14.9	-2.2	99.2	-17.5	-2.5
All items less energy .....	183.0	2.9	-.1	108.7	2.4	-.3	175.0	2.3	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	185.0	2.9	-.2	108.6	2.4	-.3	177.0	2.0	-.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	171.7	2.0	-0.3	108.9	0.7	-0.5	167.6	0.3	-0.8
All items (December 1977=100) .....	277.1	-	-	-	-	-	272.2	-	-
Food and beverages .....	174.6	3.4	.3	109.0	2.4	.0	164.7	-.1	-1.3
Food .....	174.7	3.3	.3	109.0	2.4	.0	165.0	-.1	-1.3
Food at home .....	171.8	3.3	.6	108.4	2.4	-.1	161.9	-1.1	-2.0
Food away from home .....	180.6	3.3	-.2	110.1	2.7	.4	173.0	2.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	173.5	4.1	.0	109.5	2.4	-.3	159.6	.7	-2.7
Housing .....	165.3	3.4	.0	108.2	1.5	-.1	158.3	1.5	-.4
Shelter .....	183.4	4.1	.2	109.9	2.4	.0	181.2	1.9	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	183.8	5.2	.4	110.6	3.2	.2	175.8	1.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	187.0	4.4	.3	109.7	2.3	.1	188.1	2.2	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	138.0	3.4	-.6	106.2	-1.4	-.7	139.8	.1	-3.3
Fuels .....	123.8	3.5	-.9	105.0	-2.5	-1.0	119.8	.0	-4.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	127.5	4.4	-.8	104.4	-1.9	-1.0	124.2	.4	-4.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	119.1	6.2	-1.6	102.5	2.5	-.8	125.4	3.7	-5.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	157.0	-1.6	2.2	114.2	-18.3	-2.2	131.5	-12.5	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	133.6	-.8	-.4	100.9	-1.0	-.4	121.9	1.2	.0
Apparel .....	149.3	-1.4	-3.8	93.6	-1.5	-3.4	118.4	-9.9	-4.4
Transportation .....	144.9	-3.8	-1.1	102.5	-4.7	-.7	142.5	-4.2	-1.1
Private transportation .....	143.7	-4.1	-1.1	101.9	-4.9	-.6	141.0	-4.3	-1.1
Motor fuel .....	95.9	-25.4	-7.9	92.1	-26.5	-6.3	84.8	-23.7	-9.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	94.8	-25.5	-8.1	91.8	-26.7	-6.4	83.7	-23.6	-9.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	91.6	-27.0	-8.6	91.3	-27.8	-7.2	79.2	-24.2	-9.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	96.8	-25.1	-7.8	91.4	-26.3	-6.1	99.8	-23.4	-8.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	98.3	-23.3	-7.4	92.0	-25.2	-5.9	92.0	-22.0	-8.8
Medical care .....	262.1	3.1	.0	116.1	4.1	.3	269.9	3.5	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.4	2.1	.0	103.7	.9	-.2	108.7	3.9	.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	109.4	4.3	.2	104.2	2.8	-.9	110.0	5.5	.1
Other goods and services .....	266.5	5.8	-.4	127.9	5.2	-.9	282.5	3.5	-1.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	171.7	2.0	-.3	108.9	.7	-.5	167.6	.3	-.8
Commodities .....	149.3	-.9	-.8	103.8	-1.5	-.9	143.0	-2.7	-1.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	134.9	-3.6	-1.6	100.7	-3.8	-1.5	131.6	-4.2	-1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	141.6	-5.3	-2.9	103.7	-5.7	-2.8	139.3	-6.0	-3.1
Durables .....	127.4	-1.4	.2	97.3	-1.2	.5	122.5	-1.8	.4
Services .....	193.8	4.0	.1	110.6	2.6	.0	193.9	2.8	-.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	166.7	1.8	-.4	106.9	.5	-.5	159.7	.0	-.9
All items less shelter .....	167.8	1.1	-.5	106.6	.2	-.5	164.3	-.2	-1.1
Commodities less food .....	136.6	-3.3	-1.4	101.0	-3.6	-1.4	132.2	-4.1	-1.6
Nondurables .....	158.1	-.6	-1.1	106.4	-1.7	-1.4	151.7	-3.1	-2.2
Nondurables less food .....	143.6	-4.6	-2.7	104.0	-5.3	-2.7	140.0	-5.7	-3.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	209.7	3.8	-.1	111.1	2.8	.0	209.5	3.5	-.5
Services less medical care services .....	186.8	4.1	.0	110.0	2.4	-.1	183.2	2.8	-.2
Energy .....	109.3	-10.4	-3.8	99.3	-14.0	-3.3	101.7	-9.8	-5.9
All items less energy .....	180.1	2.9	-.1	108.2	2.2	-.1	177.0	1.3	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	181.5	2.8	-.2	108.0	2.0	-.2	179.9	1.6	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	183.5	2.5	-0.4	111.6	2.5	-0.4
All items (December 1977=100) .....	299.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	180.3	3.2	-.3	110.2	3.0	.3
Food .....	179.7	3.4	-.2	110.1	3.0	.4
Food at home .....	185.1	3.3	-.4	109.8	2.4	.5
Food away from home .....	172.2	3.7	.1	110.7	4.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	186.2	1.1	-.4	113.3	3.0	.1
Housing .....	196.2	5.6	.2	110.9	4.3	.3
Shelter .....	216.5	6.0	.1	111.1	4.1	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	215.1	6.7	.5	112.0	4.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	230.5	6.4	.5	110.5	4.2	.6
Fuels and utilities .....	172.9	7.9	.7	119.7	10.8	.3
Fuels .....	165.5	9.2	.7	123.0	13.4	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	168.9	10.0	.9	123.1	14.0	.4
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	197.6	33.5	.9	120.8	17.9	-.4
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	132.8	-26.1	.8	131.3	2.7	3.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	136.7	.7	.1	101.8	-.7	-.9
Apparel .....	109.5	-6.2	-3.4	98.9	1.0	-3.6
Transportation .....	150.2	-4.3	-1.9	105.1	-3.3	-2.3
Private transportation .....	145.0	-4.5	-2.1	103.3	-3.6	-2.5
Motor fuel .....	98.0	-26.8	-12.8	92.5	-23.9	-13.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	96.9	-26.9	-12.9	92.4	-24.0	-13.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	95.8	-27.4	-13.2	90.1	-26.3	-14.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	90.3	-27.9	-13.1	92.9	-22.6	-12.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	97.4	-25.9	-12.3	93.8	-22.2	-12.3
Medical care .....	272.3	6.1	.7	118.3	4.8	.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	104.3	1.5	-.2	102.4	.8	.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	104.8	2.9	-.1	105.4	2.4	.2
Other goods and services .....	292.1	2.1	-.7	121.7	5.8	-1.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	183.5	2.5	-.4	111.6	2.5	-.4
Commodities .....	148.5	-1.7	-1.4	104.5	-.8	-1.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	129.3	-5.0	-2.3	101.1	-3.0	-2.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	131.5	-7.7	-4.2	104.2	-4.2	-4.4
Durables .....	126.0	-1.3	.3	97.4	-1.5	-.4
Services .....	214.1	5.2	.2	112.7	4.5	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	179.2	2.4	-.4	108.8	2.3	-.4
All items less shelter .....	170.8	.6	-.8	108.6	1.7	-.7
Commodities less food .....	132.0	-4.7	-2.2	101.5	-2.8	-2.5
Nondurables .....	156.5	-1.8	-1.9	107.4	-.5	-1.8
Nondurables less food .....	135.7	-7.0	-3.8	104.8	-3.8	-4.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	219.8	4.2	.3	114.4	5.1	.2
Services less medical care services .....	209.2	5.2	.1	112.1	4.6	.4
Energy .....	124.0	-10.5	-5.8	109.3	-4.5	-5.3
All items less energy .....	189.9	3.4	-.1	109.4	3.0	.0
All items less food and energy .....	192.4	3.4	-.1	109.3	3.0	.0

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

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

<sup>3</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Food at home										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Dec.2001 from—			Percent change to Nov.2001 from—		
		Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Nov. 2000	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001
U.S. city average .....	M	174.3	175.2	174.7	174.7	2.6	-0.3	0.0	3.5	0.2	-0.3
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	175.9	176.8	176.7	176.7	2.7	-.1	.0	4.0	.5	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	175.7	176.1	176.2	176.3	2.6	.1	.1	3.8	.3	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	109.3	110.7	110.2	110.1	2.9	-.5	-.1	4.4	.8	-.5
Midwest urban .....	M	170.5	170.8	169.8	170.1	2.5	-.4	.2	3.1	-.4	-.6
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	174.8	176.0	174.3	175.2	2.3	-.5	.5	2.4	-.3	-1.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	109.8	108.9	109.0	108.7	2.4	-.2	-.3	4.2	-.7	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	160.4	162.0	160.5	160.7	4.0	-.8	.1	3.1	.1	-.9
South urban .....	M	169.7	170.9	170.4	170.3	2.3	-.4	-.1	3.1	.4	-.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	170.9	171.7	170.7	171.8	3.3	.1	.6	4.0	-.1	-.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	107.9	108.6	108.5	108.4	2.4	-.2	-.1	2.7	.6	-.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	162.9	165.6	165.2	161.9	-1.1	-2.2	-2.0	1.4	1.4	-.2
West urban .....	M	182.8	183.8	183.4	183.1	3.0	-.4	-.2	4.0	.3	-.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	185.1	186.3	185.8	185.1	3.3	-.6	-.4	4.5	.4	-.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	109.0	109.8	109.3	109.8	2.4	.0	.5	2.5	.3	-.5
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	161.8	162.6	162.0	162.2	2.9	-.2	.1	3.8	.1	-.4
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	108.7	109.2	109.1	109.0	2.4	-.2	-.1	3.3	.4	-.1
D .....	M	166.9	168.1	168.1	166.4	1.4	-1.0	-1.0	2.6	.7	.0
<b>Selected local areas</b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	184.9	186.3	182.6	183.9	3.0	-1.3	.7	2.8	-1.2	-2.0
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	189.7	191.5	190.6	189.7	3.1	-.9	-.5	5.4	.5	-.5
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	176.6	176.0	176.8	176.8	2.3	.5	.0	3.3	.1	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT ....	1	176.1	177.0	178.9	178.4	2.8	.8	-.3	4.4	1.6	1.1
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	174.1	175.0	175.2	176.6	3.0	.9	.8	2.0	.6	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	162.8	165.7	163.0	162.4	2.8	-2.0	-.4	3.4	.1	-1.6
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	106.9	106.9	107.1	108.7	5.0	1.7	1.5	4.9	.2	.2
Atlanta, GA .....	2	181.5	183.9	183.9	184.6	8.3	.4	.4	7.7	1.3	.0
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	168.0	169.8	168.1	171.3	2.5	.9	1.9	1.7	.1	-1.0
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	168.5	168.8	167.9	170.3	.8	.9	1.4	2.5	-.4	-.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	179.6	179.1	178.2	178.0	1.7	-.6	-.1	3.4	-.8	-.5
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	177.6	179.4	177.5	179.3	4.1	-.1	1.0	5.0	-.1	-1.1
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	189.5	188.9	187.7	188.3	2.6	-.3	.3	3.0	-.9	-.6
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	181.0	184.7	184.0	182.3	4.1	-1.3	-.9	4.5	1.7	-.4

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

M - Every month.

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

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

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

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

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

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—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000
Expenditure category												
All items .....	176.7	1.6	-0.4	177.9	1.2	0.3	177.1	2.1	-0.6	187.3	1.7	-0.3
All items (1967=100) .....	529.2	-	-	531.5	-	-	523.3	-	-	541.5	-	-
Food and beverages .....	175.2	2.8	.0	177.0	2.8	.5	182.2	3.0	-3	178.7	2.3	.1
Food .....	174.7	2.8	.1	176.4	3.1	.5	180.6	3.3	-2	177.7	2.4	.1
Food at home .....	174.7	2.6	.0	183.9	3.0	.7	189.7	3.1	-5	176.8	2.3	.0
Food away from home .....	176.0	3.0	.1	163.0	3.2	.3	167.5	3.8	.3	183.7	2.6	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.9	2.5	-2	184.7	-1.1	-5	195.0	-1.5	-1.1	191.0	2.8	-2
Housing .....	176.9	2.9	.0	182.1	1.2	.8	182.5	5.1	.1	194.3	3.1	.1
Shelter .....	203.2	4.2	.1	223.0	5.3	.5	196.3	5.0	.1	232.4	5.3	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	196.4	4.7	.5	220.1	5.5	.2	191.9	6.2	.5	217.8	4.1	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	210.9	4.5	.4	232.7	6.2	.8	206.1	5.5	.6	242.4	6.6	.7
Fuels and utilities .....	142.2	-2.1	-.9	117.0	-23.9	3.4	180.3	9.7	.0	119.2	-10.8	-1.4
Fuels .....	126.2	-3.4	-1.3	103.7	-27.2	4.0	180.6	11.8	.0	116.4	-12.2	-1.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	133.5	-1.5	-.9	106.2	-27.4	4.1	181.5	12.3	.1	123.7	-8.8	-.6
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	134.6	6.1	-.6	102.0	-5.2	.0	230.7	49.6	1.9	111.8	-13.0	.7
Utility natural gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	136.0	-15.1	-1.7	111.5	-41.4	8.7	114.8	-40.0	-5.8	146.0	-2.1	-2.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	128.9	.2	-2	112.1	.3	1.4	129.3	1.9	-3	133.2	1.8	-.9
Apparel .....	123.7	-3.2	-3.4	99.3	-11.0	-4.0	104.4	-8.9	-3.9	109.9	-7.4	-3.8
Transportation .....	148.5	-3.8	-1.1	145.0	-2.1	-.3	146.6	-5.4	-2.1	156.1	-3.2	-1.1
Private transportation .....	144.3	-4.0	-1.2	141.3	-2.0	-.5	140.4	-5.7	-2.3	147.9	-4.0	-1.6
Motor fuel .....	96.1	-24.8	-8.0	103.3	-17.2	-3.9	87.5	-29.4	-13.4	91.8	-25.4	-8.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	95.4	-24.9	-8.1	102.4	-17.2	-3.9	85.5	-29.5	-13.4	91.4	-25.5	-9.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	93.1	-25.8	-8.5	100.0	-17.8	-3.8	83.9	-30.1	-13.8	90.5	-26.7	-9.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	98.8	-24.9	-7.8	108.8	-17.0	-4.1	82.6	-29.9	-13.7	92.4	-25.5	-8.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	97.0	-23.4	-7.5	102.1	-17.8	-3.6	85.4	-28.8	-12.8	94.0	-23.3	-8.0
Medical care .....	277.3	4.7	.2	275.8	5.0	.0	272.7	6.9	.4	290.0	3.7	.1
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	105.3	1.5	-2	110.0	9.9	.7	108.6	3.8	-3	108.2	2.3	-3
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	106.9	3.2	-.1	113.6	1.3	.4	102.1	2.7	-3	107.5	2.9	.1
Other goods and services .....	286.4	4.5	-1.0	284.1	5.7	.3	293.7	.8	-9	289.7	4.3	-.7
Commodity and service group												
All items .....	176.7	1.6	-.4	177.9	1.2	.3	177.1	2.1	-6	187.3	1.7	-.3
Commodities .....	147.9	-1.4	-1.1	145.1	-1.2	-.3	146.6	-1.9	-1.5	150.5	-2.1	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	132.3	-4.0	-1.7	126.3	-3.6	-.7	125.0	-5.5	-2.5	129.8	-5.7	-2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	138.4	-6.0	-3.1	131.5	-5.9	-1.6	127.8	-8.7	-4.5	134.2	-7.4	-3.2
Durables .....	124.3	-1.3	.1	117.9	-.8	.4	120.7	-1.0	.2	121.4	-1.9	-.7
Services .....	205.3	3.7	.1	209.3	2.7	.6	203.7	4.7	.0	218.9	3.8	.3
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care .....	171.3	1.4	-.4	173.2	1.0	.3	172.4	1.9	-6	182.6	1.6	-.3
All items less shelter .....	168.2	.4	-.6	163.0	-.8	.2	169.5	.5	-.9	170.0	-.2	-.6
Commodities less food .....	134.1	-3.7	-1.7	128.7	-3.6	-.8	128.4	-5.4	-2.4	132.5	-5.2	-2.3
Nondurables .....	156.8	-1.4	-1.4	154.4	-1.3	-.5	155.8	-2.3	-2.1	157.9	-2.0	-1.4
Nondurables less food .....	140.9	-5.4	-2.9	134.9	-5.7	-1.6	133.1	-8.2	-4.2	137.7	-6.6	-3.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	213.2	3.0	.0	204.4	-.2	.7	221.1	4.3	.0	212.3	2.0	.0
Services less medical care services .....	198.3	3.6	.1	203.6	2.5	.6	197.9	4.6	.0	213.1	3.7	.3
Energy .....	111.4	-13.0	-4.0	102.1	-23.3	.5	122.1	-10.2	-6.1	107.1	-16.8	-4.0
All items less energy .....	185.2	2.8	-.1	187.5	3.1	.3	183.0	2.9	-2	196.3	3.0	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	187.8	2.7	-.2	190.3	3.2	.2	183.9	2.9	-2	200.9	3.1	-.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items .....	176.7	1.6	-0.6	174.8	1.7	-1.1	177.9	1.2	-0.1
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	529.2	-	-	527.2	-	-	531.5	-	-
Food and beverages .....	175.2	2.8	-.1	182.9	6.0	.2	177.0	2.8	-.7
Food .....	174.7	2.8	-.1	188.7	6.4	.3	176.4	3.1	-.6
Food at home .....	174.7	2.6	-.3	184.6	8.3	.4	183.9	3.0	-1.3
Food away from home .....	176.0	3.0	.2	196.1	3.9	.0	163.0	3.2	.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.9	2.5	.1	132.8	1.2	-.8	184.7	-1.1	-2.0
Housing .....	176.9	2.9	.1	177.1	2.6	-.1	182.1	1.2	1.4
Shelter .....	203.2	4.2	.4	198.1	3.8	.2	223.0	5.3	1.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	196.4	4.7	.9	206.2	5.3	.9	220.1	5.5	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	210.9	4.5	.9	195.8	4.6	.8	232.7	6.2	1.8
Fuels and utilities .....	142.2	-2.1	-1.7	163.5	.4	-.3	117.0	-23.9	7.7
Fuels .....	126.2	-3.4	-2.2	151.5	-.3	-.3	103.7	-27.2	9.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	133.5	-1.5	-1.8	152.9	.1	-.3	106.2	-27.4	9.5
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	134.6	6.1	-3.8	133.3	.8	-2.0	102.0	-5.2	.0
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	136.0	-15.1	2.8	192.5	-.8	1.9	111.5	-41.4	21.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	128.9	.2	-.1	126.3	-2.2	-1.4	112.1	.3	.5
Apparel .....	123.7	-3.2	-4.5	122.7	-4.7	-4.5	99.3	-11.0	-7.6
Transportation .....	148.5	-3.8	-2.5	134.0	-3.3	-3.7	145.0	-2.1	-2.1
Private transportation .....	144.3	-4.0	-2.6	133.4	-3.7	-4.0	141.3	-2.0	-2.6
Motor fuel .....	96.1	-24.8	-17.4	82.9	-29.7	-25.4	103.3	-17.2	-18.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	95.4	-24.9	-17.5	82.1	-29.9	-25.6	102.4	-17.2	-18.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	93.1	-25.8	-18.3	78.6	-31.4	-26.6	100.0	-17.8	-21.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	98.8	-24.9	-17.0	100.9	-29.0	-24.8	108.8	-17.0	-18.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	97.0	-23.4	-16.3	89.0	-27.2	-23.9	102.1	-17.8	-17.3
Medical care .....	277.3	4.7	.5	275.1	2.0	-1.5	275.8	5.0	.5
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	105.3	1.5	.0	106.1	2.8	-1.4	110.0	9.9	.5
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	106.9	3.2	-.2	108.9	3.6	.1	113.6	1.3	.0
Other goods and services .....	286.4	4.5	.3	267.7	3.4	-.1	284.1	5.7	.4
Commodity and service group									
All items .....	176.7	1.6	-.6	174.8	1.7	-1.1	177.9	1.2	-.1
Commodities .....	147.9	-1.4	-1.7	143.2	-.5	-2.2	145.1	-1.2	-2.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	132.3	-4.0	-2.8	123.1	-4.2	-3.6	126.3	-3.6	-2.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	138.4	-6.0	-5.2	127.6	-7.3	-7.4	131.5	-5.9	-6.7
Durables .....	124.3	-1.3	.6	116.8	-.6	.9	117.9	-.8	1.9
Services .....	205.3	3.7	.3	206.4	3.1	-.3	209.3	2.7	1.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	171.3	1.4	-.6	168.8	1.6	-1.1	173.2	1.0	-.2
All items less shelter .....	168.2	.4	-1.0	167.5	.8	-1.6	163.0	-.8	-.6
Commodities less food .....	134.1	-3.7	-2.7	123.3	-4.0	-3.5	128.7	-3.6	-2.9
Nondurables .....	156.8	-1.4	-2.5	154.0	-.5	-3.4	154.4	-1.3	-3.4
Nondurables less food .....	140.9	-5.4	-4.9	127.5	-6.7	-6.9	134.9	-5.7	-6.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	213.2	3.0	.1	221.2	2.5	-.9	204.4	-.2	1.3
Services less medical care services .....	198.3	3.6	.3	198.3	3.3	-.2	203.6	2.5	1.1
Energy .....	111.4	-13.0	-8.8	108.8	-13.2	-11.0	102.1	-23.3	-4.7
All items less energy .....	185.2	2.8	.1	183.5	2.9	-.3	187.5	3.1	.2
All items less food and energy .....	187.8	2.7	.1	183.2	2.3	-.4	190.3	3.2	.3

See footnotes at end of table.



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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items .....	173.5	1.0	-0.7	157.1	0.6	-1.4	177.1	2.1	-0.7
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	515.8	-	-	503.9	-	-	523.3	-	-
Food and beverages .....	170.6	2.0	.6	165.6	2.0	.3	182.2	3.0	-.5
Food .....	170.2	2.1	.7	164.9	2.0	.3	180.6	3.3	-.4
Food at home .....	171.3	2.5	.9	170.3	.8	.9	189.7	3.1	-.9
Food away from home .....	169.7	1.4	.4	155.9	3.8	-.4	167.5	3.8	.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	170.5	1.1	-.5	168.4	1.6	.0	195.0	-1.5	-1.7
Housing .....	166.9	2.0	-.1	143.2	2.3	-.9	182.5	5.1	.5
Shelter .....	193.1	1.8	-.1	163.0	3.4	.1	196.3	5.0	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	181.0	3.4	1.6	159.6	4.9	.4	191.9	6.2	.9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	200.1	1.9	.7	152.3	3.0	.9	206.1	5.5	.9
Fuels and utilities .....	134.6	3.2	-1.4	124.3	1.6	-6.7	180.3	9.7	1.3
Fuels .....	109.2	2.3	-1.6	116.4	1.4	-7.8	180.6	11.8	1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	111.2	4.1	-1.8	116.1	1.6	-7.9	181.5	12.3	2.0
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	125.4	.0	-3.8	113.4	-.3	-15.5	230.7	49.6	1.9
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	101.5	8.4	.2	129.9	10.0	-	114.8	-40.0	2.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.1	1.9	.3	111.9	-2.7	.1	129.3	1.9	.4
Apparel .....	115.3	-2.7	-6.6	129.7	-11.4	-13.1	104.4	-8.9	-8.0
Transportation .....	163.3	-1.2	-2.5	135.9	-4.1	-3.2	146.6	-5.4	-3.6
Private transportation .....	161.5	-1.0	-2.5	135.0	-4.1	-3.3	140.4	-5.7	-4.1
Motor fuel .....	98.4	-25.3	-14.6	91.1	-25.3	-19.8	87.5	-29.4	-23.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	97.9	-25.3	-14.6	90.6	-25.4	-20.0	85.5	-29.5	-23.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	97.8	-25.9	-15.6	88.6	-26.8	-21.5	83.9	-30.1	-23.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	109.2	-25.6	-15.2	94.2	-24.5	-18.9	82.6	-29.9	-23.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	100.8	-24.3	-12.3	92.7	-21.6	-16.4	85.4	-28.8	-22.5
Medical care .....	276.5	4.0	.2	258.2	4.9	1.7	272.7	6.9	.4
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	103.9	-3.3	-2.6	107.4	.0	.2	108.6	3.8	3.0
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	112.9	4.1	3.1	102.4	3.2	-.5	102.1	2.7	-.5
Other goods and services .....	289.9	2.8	.2	241.9	6.0	1.4	293.7	.8	-.4
Commodity and service group									
All items .....	173.5	1.0	-.7	157.1	.6	-1.4	177.1	2.1	-.7
Commodities .....	145.3	-1.8	-1.7	140.8	-2.4	-2.6	146.6	-1.9	-2.7
Commodities less food and beverages .....	131.7	-4.1	-3.0	126.5	-5.4	-4.6	125.0	-5.5	-4.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	136.6	-6.9	-5.5	130.7	-8.7	-8.2	127.8	-8.7	-7.7
Durables .....	122.0	-.7	-.1	120.8	-.9	.4	120.7	-1.0	.4
Services .....	202.9	3.2	-.1	174.1	3.0	-.5	203.7	4.7	.7
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	169.2	1.0	-.8	151.2	.3	-1.6	172.4	1.9	-.7
All items less shelter .....	168.2	.8	-1.1	154.5	-.5	-2.0	169.5	.5	-1.2
Commodities less food .....	133.2	-4.0	-3.0	128.1	-5.1	-4.4	128.4	-5.4	-4.3
Nondurables .....	153.5	-2.3	-2.3	148.5	-2.9	-3.6	155.8	-2.3	-3.7
Nondurables less food .....	138.7	-6.5	-5.2	132.9	-8.0	-7.7	133.1	-8.2	-7.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	219.0	4.6	-.1	184.1	2.5	-1.0	221.1	4.3	1.0
Services less medical care services .....	196.6	3.2	-.1	164.8	2.9	-.6	197.9	4.6	.7
Energy .....	105.2	-11.6	-7.6	106.2	-10.5	-12.7	122.1	-10.2	-10.5
All items less energy .....	182.8	2.1	-.2	165.3	1.5	-.4	183.0	2.9	.0
All items less food and energy .....	185.9	2.1	-.4	165.3	1.3	-.6	183.9	2.9	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Miami- Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia- Wilmington- Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	173.1	2.1	-0.6	187.3	1.7	-0.3	179.9	1.4	-1.6
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	279.0	-	-	541.5	-	-	519.6	-	-
Food and beverages .....	180.7	1.5	-6	178.7	2.3	.5	169.7	4.0	-1
Food .....	180.9	1.4	-7	177.7	2.4	.5	169.1	4.3	-1
Food at home .....	178.0	1.7	-6	176.8	2.3	.5	179.3	4.1	-1
Food away from home .....	187.1	1.0	-7	183.7	2.6	.6	151.8	4.5	-1
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.1	3.2	.9	191.0	2.8	.5	173.9	.5	-1
Housing .....	165.6	3.7	.5	194.3	3.1	.6	181.5	1.9	-1.6
Shelter .....	176.1	3.8	.9	232.4	5.3	1.2	215.3	2.5	-9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	164.0	4.5	.9	217.8	4.1	1.3	200.0	3.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	178.3	4.0	.8	242.4	6.6	1.8	223.4	2.7	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	127.3	6.6	.5	119.2	-10.8	-2.1	139.5	2.2	-5.2
Fuels .....	118.6	9.2	.1	116.4	-12.2	-2.3	126.8	2.3	-6.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	117.3	9.3	.2	123.7	-8.8	-7	143.7	8.0	-5.6
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	115.0	10.0	.0	111.8	-13.0	-2.7	143.8	3.8	-2.5
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	172.2	-10.5	3.7	146.0	-2.1	2.3	148.4	15.5	-10.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	163.1	.9	-1.7	133.2	1.8	-1.0	125.7	-2.4	-1.6
Apparel .....	146.9	2.4	-6.4	109.9	-7.4	-7.8	97.9	-1.7	-7.6
Transportation .....	153.9	-4.4	-2.5	156.1	-3.2	-2.2	152.4	-5.7	-3.5
Private transportation .....	153.2	-4.4	-2.2	147.9	-4.0	-2.9	149.1	-6.5	-4.0
Motor fuel .....	109.9	-21.5	-14.6	91.8	-25.4	-16.5	93.1	-29.4	-19.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	108.8	-21.7	-14.8	91.4	-25.5	-16.5	91.6	-29.5	-19.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	104.0	-25.0	-16.3	90.5	-26.7	-17.4	89.8	-31.0	-20.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	103.1	-21.1	-14.4	92.4	-25.5	-16.4	89.6	-29.5	-19.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	111.2	-19.1	-13.2	94.0	-23.3	-14.9	89.6	-26.1	-17.3
Medical care .....	260.1	5.9	-6	290.0	3.7	.1	315.5	10.9	.4
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	105.6	5.2	.4	108.2	2.3	-3	106.1	.3	-2.6
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	109.1	4.0	.3	107.5	2.9	-1	105.0	1.6	-1
Other goods and services .....	233.9	7.6	-1	289.7	4.3	.5	300.6	3.7	.7
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	173.1	2.1	-6	187.3	1.7	-3	179.9	1.4	-1.6
Commodities .....	159.1	-1.2	-2.2	150.5	-2.1	-2.0	142.9	-1.1	-2.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	144.4	-3.2	-3.4	129.8	-5.7	-4.1	126.6	-4.6	-3.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	139.3	-4.3	-6.4	134.2	-7.4	-5.7	130.1	-5.9	-5.6
Durables .....	152.4	-1.7	.7	121.4	-1.9	-7	121.4	-2.3	-2
Services .....	185.3	4.6	.5	218.9	3.8	.7	218.5	3.1	-1.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	168.5	1.9	-6	182.6	1.6	-3	173.8	.8	-1.8
All items less shelter .....	171.8	1.4	-1.3	170.0	-2	-1.0	169.5	.9	-2.0
Commodities less food .....	146.1	-2.9	-3.2	132.5	-5.2	-3.8	128.5	-4.5	-3.6
Nondurables .....	161.6	-1.0	-3.1	157.9	-2.0	-2.3	150.1	-.9	-2.7
Nondurables less food .....	142.3	-3.9	-6.0	137.7	-6.6	-5.2	133.0	-5.5	-5.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	202.9	5.2	.0	212.3	2.0	.1	227.6	3.8	-1.6
Services less medical care services .....	177.9	4.4	.6	213.1	3.7	.7	210.5	2.3	-1.5
Energy .....	112.4	-8.2	-7.6	107.1	-16.8	-7.3	112.9	-11.2	-11.0
All items less energy .....	179.8	3.0	-1	196.3	3.0	.2	188.8	2.4	-9
All items less food and energy .....	179.4	3.3	.0	200.9	3.1	.1	194.2	2.0	-1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>					
	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA			Seattle- Tacoma- Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items .....	190.6	3.5	-0.6	186.1	2.5	-1.0
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	586.1	-	-	567.3	-	-
Food and beverages .....	182.9	2.8	-2	181.6	3.4	-1.0
Food .....	183.1	2.6	-2	182.6	3.8	-1.1
Food at home .....	188.3	2.6	-3	182.3	4.1	-1.3
Food away from home .....	177.5	2.6	.1	184.7	3.0	-.9
Alcoholic beverages .....	183.9	4.5	-6	172.6	.1	1.2
Housing .....	220.2	8.0	.1	198.2	5.5	-.1
Shelter .....	249.6	9.0	-.2	215.4	5.0	-.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	261.9	9.4	.5	208.9	5.9	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	271.0	9.4	.7	224.2	5.3	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	182.8	8.9	4.2	158.4	13.5	-.8
Fuels .....	186.9	10.0	4.5	162.3	17.4	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	187.1	10.6	4.8	197.2	19.3	-.7
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	223.3	41.3	-4.5	206.0	21.0	-1.0
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	142.3	-31.0	43.6	147.6	15.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	131.5	-.2	.7	178.6	3.2	.6
Apparel .....	103.5	-8.3	-6.3	119.8	-.8	-5.2
Transportation .....	138.5	-4.5	-2.9	158.9	-3.0	-2.9
Private transportation .....	131.0	-4.8	-3.3	163.4	-3.1	-3.5
Motor fuel .....	107.1	-24.4	-19.5	139.6	-20.2	-18.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	105.8	-24.4	-19.5	142.4	-20.2	-18.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	103.2	-25.2	-20.1	152.8	-21.4	-20.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	101.5	-23.9	-19.1	111.7	-19.9	-18.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	106.8	-22.6	-18.1	132.4	-18.7	-17.5
Medical care .....	261.0	4.8	2.0	263.1	5.6	1.1
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	93.3	-2.2	-.1	99.5	-1.9	-1.3
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	110.1	3.9	-.2	107.0	1.8	-.1
Other goods and services .....	306.4	3.6	.4	277.3	2.3	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items .....	190.6	3.5	-.6	186.1	2.5	-1.0
Commodities .....	147.5	-2.2	-2.1	158.1	-.5	-2.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	124.9	-5.7	-3.5	145.6	-2.8	-3.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	130.2	-8.6	-6.5	143.7	-5.6	-6.7
Durables .....	117.2	-1.3	1.0	148.8	.6	.9
Services .....	226.4	6.9	.3	212.6	4.6	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	187.4	3.5	-.6	182.4	2.4	-1.1
All items less shelter .....	167.1	.2	-.7	175.6	1.4	-1.3
Commodities less food .....	127.8	-5.3	-3.4	146.5	-2.7	-3.2
Nondurables .....	157.5	-2.4	-3.0	162.2	-.9	-3.7
Nondurables less food .....	134.3	-7.6	-6.0	145.4	-5.2	-6.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	207.4	3.7	1.2	214.7	4.1	.3
Services less medical care services .....	223.8	7.0	.2	208.4	4.5	.0
Energy .....	137.4	-9.7	-8.5	151.0	-4.4	-10.5
All items less energy .....	196.6	4.4	-.1	190.9	3.0	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	199.6	4.7	-.1	192.8	2.9	-.1

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	All items									
		Indexes				Percent change to Dec.2001 from—			Percent change to Nov.2001 from—		
		Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Nov. 2000	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001
U.S. city average .....	M	174.8	174.0	173.7	172.9	1.3	-0.6	-0.5	1.6	-0.6	-0.2
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	181.9	181.8	181.8	181.0	1.5	-4	-4	1.9	-1	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	182.4	182.0	181.9	181.1	1.6	-5	-4	2.0	-3	-1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	109.9	110.2	110.5	109.9	1.2	-3	-5	1.7	.5	.3
Midwest urban .....	M	170.8	168.4	168.2	167.6	.7	-5	-4	.8	-1.5	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	171.3	169.4	169.1	168.7	1.0	-4	-2	1.1	-1.3	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	111.8	109.7	109.8	109.2	.4	-5	-5	.6	-1.8	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	167.1	164.9	164.1	163.3	-1	-1.0	-5	.2	-1.8	-5
South urban .....	M	170.3	169.8	169.0	168.1	.8	-1.0	-5	1.3	-.8	-5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	170.9	170.7	169.6	169.0	1.7	-1.0	-4	2.0	-.8	-6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.0	109.4	109.0	108.5	.5	-.8	-5	.8	-.9	-4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	170.8	170.8	169.9	168.3	-1	-1.5	-.9	.8	-.5	-5
West urban .....	M	177.6	177.8	177.6	176.8	2.3	-.6	-5	2.8	.0	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	178.1	178.0	177.7	176.9	2.3	-.6	-5	2.9	-.2	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	111.4	111.8	111.8	111.2	2.3	-.5	-5	2.5	.4	.0
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	160.9	160.3	160.0	159.4	1.7	-.6	-.4	2.0	-.6	-2
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.6	110.0	109.9	109.3	.8	-.6	-.5	1.2	-.6	-1
D .....	M	171.1	170.4	169.7	168.5	.4	-1.1	-.7	1.0	-.8	-4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	173.7	171.9	171.2	171.7	.8	-.1	.3	.5	-1.4	-.4
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	171.5	171.0	170.7	169.7	1.8	-.8	-.6	2.5	-.5	-2
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	183.6	183.3	183.3	182.8	1.6	-.3	-.3	1.8	-.2	.0
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT ....	1	192.0	-	191.9	-	-	-	-	3.1	-.1	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	166.5	-	164.0	-	-	-	-	1.5	-1.5	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	172.6	-	171.1	-	-	-	-	2.7	-.9	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	111.6	-	110.7	-	-	-	-	2.1	-.8	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	-	174.1	-	172.0	1.4	-1.2	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	-	169.1	-	167.9	1.0	-.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	-	157.8	-	155.2	.2	-1.6	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	-	171.7	-	170.5	2.0	-.7	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	-	182.3	-	179.2	1.2	-1.7	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	-	187.5	-	186.5	3.5	-.5	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	-	183.1	-	181.1	2.3	-1.1	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	181.0	1.5	-0.4	167.6	0.7	-0.4	168.1	0.8	-0.5	176.8	2.3	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	282.6	-	-	271.1	-	-	272.3	-	-	284.4	-	-
Food and beverages .....	176.6	2.9	.0	172.0	2.6	.1	171.6	2.6	.0	178.8	3.2	-2
Food .....	176.2	2.9	.0	171.3	2.6	.2	171.7	2.6	.1	178.0	3.4	-2
Food at home .....	176.0	2.8	-1	170.0	2.5	.2	169.1	2.4	-1	181.9	3.2	-2
Food away from home .....	179.2	3.0	.1	174.0	2.7	.1	177.6	2.8	.1	172.4	3.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.9	2.1	-2	181.8	3.4	.3	170.9	3.3	-2	187.7	1.4	-7
Housing .....	186.0	3.0	-1	163.0	.9	.0	161.2	2.2	-2	185.1	5.4	.3
Shelter .....	221.8	4.9	.3	188.1	3.6	.2	179.1	3.2	.2	203.1	5.5	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	209.7	4.5	.5	189.2	3.9	.3	177.0	3.9	.3	204.8	6.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	208.6	5.5	.5	189.7	3.9	.5	170.5	3.0	.2	197.5	5.6	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	132.9	-5.5	-1.9	132.3	-10.7	-1.0	145.1	1.0	-1.0	169.2	10.1	.6
Fuels .....	122.5	-6.5	-2.2	113.8	-13.2	-1.3	123.7	.6	-1.4	160.4	12.0	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	137.1	-2.3	-1.6	118.9	-12.7	-1.0	125.9	1.0	-1.4	163.8	12.4	.6
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	132.7	-2.1	-2	119.7	-3	.0	121.8	4.0	-1.5	182.2	25.7	.3
Utility natural gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	146.9	-2.7	-3.8	120.7	-24.7	-2.2	151.0	-11.4	-3	141.5	-14.6	1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	126.7	.7	-7	122.2	.3	.4	124.2	-1.4	-5	130.3	.0	.0
Apparel .....	118.8	-3.4	-3.6	119.8	-2.8	-2.5	135.6	-2.5	-3.7	114.9	-3.0	-3.5
Transportation .....	148.8	-4.6	-1.3	148.2	-3.2	-8	144.2	-5.0	-1.0	148.6	-4.3	-2.0
Private transportation .....	144.7	-5.1	-1.4	145.6	-3.1	-7	142.7	-5.2	-1.0	145.2	-4.5	-2.2
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	101.5	-2	.5	102.7	-5	-1	101.7	-1.1	.6	101.9	-1.0	.2
New vehicles .....	144.2	.3	.9	144.4	.7	-1	145.9	-1	1.2	144.5	-5	.6
Used cars and trucks .....	161.3	-1.8	-2	158.9	-2.5	-1	157.8	-2.4	-1	155.7	-1.5	-2
Motor fuel .....	94.3	-26.2	-8.6	99.9	-21.1	-4.0	92.3	-25.9	-7.1	99.2	-25.7	-12.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	93.8	-26.2	-8.6	99.4	-21.0	-4.1	91.6	-25.9	-7.2	98.3	-25.8	-12.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	91.9	-27.7	-9.0	96.9	-22.1	-4.5	88.1	-27.2	-7.8	96.0	-26.8	-13.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	97.3	-25.4	-8.5	109.6	-20.7	-3.4	97.5	-25.6	-6.9	93.5	-26.3	-12.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	94.9	-23.8	-7.7	103.3	-19.9	-3.5	95.6	-24.2	-6.6	98.9	-24.5	-12.2
Medical care .....	291.4	5.1	.1	271.9	4.9	.1	269.7	3.7	.3	276.2	5.8	.4
Medical care commodities .....	260.4	3.5	.5	241.0	3.3	.1	242.1	4.7	.8	249.6	5.9	.2
Medical care services .....	297.9	5.5	.0	279.4	5.3	.1	276.1	3.3	.1	282.5	5.8	.4
Professional services <sup>2</sup> .....	265.4	3.9	.0	256.6	4.9	.0	246.9	1.7	.0	235.6	4.7	.1
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	105.7	.8	-5	104.1	1.6	-1	103.6	1.4	.1	102.0	.7	-2
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	107.0	3.1	.2	108.6	2.8	.1	106.2	3.4	-4	105.5	2.7	.0
Other goods and services .....	309.5	5.2	-1.1	285.7	5.3	-1.9	288.7	5.5	-1.1	287.7	3.8	-1.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	181.0	1.5	-4	167.6	.7	-4	168.1	.8	-5	176.8	2.3	-5
Commodities .....	151.0	-1.5	-1.2	146.2	-1.3	-7	148.3	-1.6	-1.0	148.8	-1.4	-1.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	134.0	-4.6	-2.1	132.5	-3.4	-1.3	135.4	-4.2	-1.7	131.5	-4.4	-2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	138.2	-6.5	-3.4	140.8	-5.3	-2.4	142.2	-6.3	-3.2	135.4	-6.9	-4.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	155.2	-7.9	-3.2	155.5	-6.3	-2.3	150.5	-7.7	-2.9	151.4	-8.6	-5.1
Durables .....	124.5	-1.0	.1	121.8	-1.2	-1	126.2	-1.6	.2	127.2	-1.5	.1
Services .....	215.6	3.8	.1	194.0	2.5	.1	192.4	3.2	.0	206.6	5.2	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	207.4	4.9	.3	187.0	3.7	.3	170.5	3.1	.1	195.9	5.5	.4
Transportation services .....	196.6	2.2	.2	205.7	5.3	.0	206.3	3.9	.1	203.6	3.7	.3
Other services .....	257.2	3.3	-1	226.3	3.8	.0	235.5	4.0	.1	227.6	3.3	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	176.7	1.3	-0.5	163.2	0.5	-0.4	162.7	0.7	-0.6	172.5	2.2	-0.5
All items less food .....	182.0	1.2	-.5	166.8	.3	-.4	167.2	.4	-.7	176.5	2.1	-.5
All items less shelter .....	168.5	.0	-.8	162.5	-.3	-.6	165.3	.1	-.7	167.6	.8	-.9
Commodities less food .....	135.9	-4.3	-2.0	134.2	-3.2	-1.3	136.5	-3.9	-1.7	133.9	-4.2	-2.4
Nondurables .....	158.0	-1.7	-1.6	156.4	-1.3	-1.1	156.9	-1.7	-1.5	157.9	-1.4	-2.1
Nondurables less food .....	140.8	-6.0	-3.1	143.2	-4.8	-2.2	143.6	-5.7	-3.0	139.0	-6.4	-4.4
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	156.8	-7.1	-3.0	157.2	-5.5	-2.1	151.3	-6.7	-2.6	153.8	-7.7	-4.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	191.6	2.5	-.2	183.8	1.5	-.2	188.5	3.3	-.1	195.3	4.9	.3
Services less medical care services .....	209.8	3.6	.0	187.2	2.4	.1	184.0	3.3	.0	200.9	5.2	.3
Energy .....	109.8	-14.8	-4.6	106.3	-17.1	-2.7	105.8	-13.1	-4.0	124.2	-9.2	-6.1
All items less energy .....	190.9	3.0	-.2	176.7	2.6	-.2	177.0	2.2	-.2	182.9	3.2	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	195.2	3.0	-.2	178.1	2.5	-.2	178.4	2.1	-.2	184.2	3.1	-.1
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	148.0	.1	-1.1	143.4	.0	-.8	147.7	-.1	-.9	142.9	-.6	-.9
Energy commodities .....	96.6	-25.9	-7.9	100.5	-21.1	-4.1	93.7	-25.5	-7.0	100.5	-25.6	-12.8
Services less energy services .....	224.0	4.2	.2	204.0	4.0	.1	200.6	3.5	.1	209.9	4.8	.3

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

<sup>2</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	159.4	1.7	-0.4	109.3	0.8	-0.5	168.5	0.4	-0.7
All items (December 1977=100) .....	159.4	-	-	-	-	-	272.4	-	-
Food and beverages .....	158.7	3.1	.1	109.5	2.6	.0	168.8	1.9	-.5
Food .....	158.3	3.1	.1	109.5	2.6	.1	168.3	1.9	-.5
Food at home .....	161.7	2.9	.1	109.0	2.5	-.1	165.3	1.6	-.9
Food away from home .....	152.7	3.3	.1	110.3	2.7	.2	174.9	2.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	163.0	2.5	-.3	110.2	3.1	.0	175.5	1.2	-1.2
Housing .....	160.5	3.5	.1	108.7	1.9	-.1	164.2	1.7	-.2
Shelter .....	174.0	5.1	.3	110.3	3.2	.1	189.2	2.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	167.5	5.5	.5	110.9	3.4	.3	175.2	2.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	176.0	5.5	.5	109.9	3.1	.3	181.0	2.7	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	141.4	-2.9	-.6	108.9	-1.7	-1.1	146.3	-.1	-2.0
Fuels .....	138.3	-4.2	-.9	108.7	-2.5	-1.4	121.5	-.8	-2.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	137.0	-2.6	-.6	108.0	-1.0	-1.1	130.7	-.4	-2.6
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	134.7	6.6	-.1	105.3	4.8	-.6	130.5	5.5	-3.3
Utility natural gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	142.0	-16.6	-1.3	116.8	-14.6	-2.6	140.3	-12.1	-.8
Household furnishings and operations .....	119.9	.1	-.2	99.7	-.8	-.3	121.2	.3	.1
Apparel .....	110.8	-4.0	-3.9	96.2	-.9	-2.6	127.3	-5.8	-3.3
Transportation .....	146.8	-4.1	-1.3	103.7	-4.4	-1.0	143.8	-4.8	-1.3
Private transportation .....	145.8	-4.3	-1.5	103.3	-4.5	-1.1	141.4	-4.8	-1.3
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	101.8	-.9	.2	102.6	-.2	.4	100.4	-3.0	-.1
New vehicles .....	126.1	-.2	.6	100.8	.8	.8	145.0	-1.8	-.3
Used cars and trucks .....	151.0	-2.1	-.1	105.8	-1.5	-.1	144.7	-5.1	-.1
Motor fuel .....	140.9	-24.9	-8.8	95.1	-24.4	-6.7	92.0	-23.8	-7.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	140.1	-24.8	-8.8	95.0	-24.4	-6.7	91.2	-23.8	-7.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	140.0	-25.8	-9.2	94.5	-25.5	-7.3	87.2	-24.6	-7.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	96.7	-25.0	-8.7	94.3	-24.3	-6.3	100.1	-23.5	-8.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	131.6	-23.3	-8.1	94.4	-23.4	-6.4	95.6	-21.9	-7.6
Medical care .....	218.8	4.8	.2	116.8	4.6	.2	264.1	4.6	.2
Medical care commodities .....	199.6	3.7	.3	114.9	4.7	.6	246.7	4.8	.0
Medical care services .....	223.2	5.0	.2	117.3	4.5	.1	268.4	4.5	.1
Professional services <sup>5</sup> .....	199.1	3.9	.1	114.8	3.1	.0	252.2	4.8	.0
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	104.7	1.6	-.2	102.3	.3	-.2	105.5	2.5	.1
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	107.7	3.1	.1	105.5	2.9	-.4	107.1	3.5	.2
Other goods and services .....	232.8	4.7	-.8	132.1	5.7	-1.9	297.5	4.5	-2.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	159.4	1.7	-.4	109.3	.8	-.5	168.5	.4	-.7
Commodities .....	143.0	-1.4	-1.1	104.8	-1.4	-1.0	146.2	-2.3	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	132.9	-4.3	-1.9	102.2	-3.7	-1.7	134.2	-4.5	-1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	144.2	-6.6	-3.5	105.8	-5.7	-3.1	140.9	-5.9	-3.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	165.9	-7.7	-3.2	110.3	-7.5	-3.3	150.7	-6.0	-3.2
Durables .....	118.9	-1.3	.1	97.8	-1.1	.1	124.8	-2.7	-.2
Services .....	174.6	4.1	.2	111.1	3.0	.0	197.7	3.0	-.1
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	174.6	5.1	.3	110.4	3.2	.2	176.8	2.4	.2
Transportation services .....	168.2	3.6	.1	110.7	3.7	.2	202.0	5.4	.3
Other services .....	195.1	3.7	.0	112.5	3.6	.1	236.0	3.9	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	156.8	1.6	-0.4	107.5	0.6	-0.6	163.1	0.1	-0.7
All items less food .....	159.6	1.4	-.5	107.7	.5	-.6	168.5	.1	-.8
All items less shelter .....	153.7	.2	-.6	107.3	.1	-.6	163.6	-.2	-1.0
Commodities less food .....	134.3	-4.1	-1.8	102.4	-3.5	-1.6	135.4	-4.3	-1.8
Nondurables .....	152.1	-1.4	-1.5	107.7	-1.6	-1.5	154.9	-2.1	-1.9
Nondurables less food .....	145.7	-6.0	-3.3	106.1	-5.2	-2.9	142.6	-5.6	-3.1
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	165.4	-6.7	-2.9	110.3	-6.8	-3.1	152.1	-5.6	-3.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	174.1	2.9	-.1	111.9	2.9	-.1	189.0	3.5	-.3
Services less medical care services .....	171.0	4.0	.2	110.6	2.9	.0	189.8	2.9	-.1
Energy .....	139.9	-14.4	-4.4	102.2	-13.6	-3.8	106.7	-11.4	-4.6
All items less energy .....	160.9	3.0	-.1	108.6	2.5	-.2	177.5	1.6	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	161.6	3.1	-.1	108.4	2.4	-.2	180.0	1.5	-.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	133.2	-.4	-.8	103.3	.4	-1.0	146.3	-1.3	-1.1
Energy commodities .....	141.8	-24.7	-8.5	96.6	-24.1	-6.5	92.0	-23.5	-7.4
Services less energy services .....	177.6	4.6	.2	111.4	3.4	.1	206.1	3.4	.2

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

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

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

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

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

in January, 1999.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

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

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

- Data not available.

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



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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	181.1	1.6	-0.4	109.9	1.2	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	276.7	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	175.9	2.8	.0	110.2	2.9	.0
Food .....	175.4	2.9	.0	110.3	2.9	-.1
Food at home .....	175.3	2.8	-.1	110.1	2.9	-.1
Food away from home .....	177.7	3.1	.1	111.0	2.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	182.5	1.9	-.1	107.4	2.4	-.4
Housing .....	185.1	3.3	.1	109.7	2.3	-.5
Shelter .....	218.7	5.1	.5	110.7	4.1	-.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	214.2	4.7	.6	110.9	3.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	207.2	6.0	.6	110.4	4.2	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	129.4	-5.8	-1.5	109.1	-5.0	-2.7
Fuels .....	123.4	-6.7	-1.7	109.1	-6.0	-3.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	135.7	-3.1	-1.1	106.7	-.7	-2.7
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	127.6	-4.9	.6	102.0	3.2	-1.7
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	149.9	-.5	-3.4	118.6	-8.2	-5.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.2	.5	-1.0	103.6	1.5	.4
Apparel .....	110.3	-4.3	-4.8	101.6	-1.2	-.9
Transportation .....	151.5	-4.9	-1.4	102.0	-4.0	-1.0
Private transportation .....	146.9	-5.7	-1.7	102.0	-4.0	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	93.1	-26.6	-8.6	93.8	-25.3	-8.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	92.5	-26.7	-8.7	93.7	-25.4	-8.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	90.7	-28.0	-9.1	92.7	-27.3	-8.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	93.7	-26.7	-8.6	95.9	-23.2	-8.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	94.1	-24.2	-7.7	92.9	-23.3	-7.7
Medical care .....	296.9	5.1	.2	117.7	5.1	-.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.3	1.2	-.3	104.6	-.1	-.9
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	107.6	2.4	.1	105.3	4.9	.2
Other goods and services .....	305.3	5.0	-.9	133.0	5.5	-1.7
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	181.1	1.6	-.4	109.9	1.2	-.5
Commodities .....	150.0	-1.6	-1.4	106.3	-1.3	-.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	131.8	-5.0	-2.5	104.1	-3.7	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	134.7	-6.5	-3.6	108.8	-6.5	-2.9
Durables .....	124.0	-1.9	-.4	98.2	.3	.7
Services .....	214.3	3.9	.2	110.8	3.6	-.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	176.6	1.4	-.5	108.2	1.0	-.6
All items less shelter .....	168.5	-.1	-.9	108.0	.2	-.7
Commodities less food .....	133.9	-4.7	-2.4	104.2	-3.5	-1.3
Nondurables .....	156.3	-1.6	-1.6	109.5	-1.9	-1.4
Nondurables less food .....	137.6	-6.0	-3.4	108.8	-6.0	-2.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	190.0	2.3	-.2	110.9	2.9	-.4
Services less medical care services .....	208.2	3.7	.2	110.3	3.4	-.3
Energy .....	110.2	-14.8	-4.3	102.7	-14.5	-5.2
All items less energy .....	190.4	3.0	-.2	109.3	2.9	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	194.7	3.0	-.2	109.0	2.9	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	168.7	1.0	-0.2	109.2	0.4	-0.5	163.3	-0.1	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	275.8	-	-	-	-	-	264.5	-	-
Food and beverages .....	175.5	2.7	.3	109.6	2.4	-1	165.9	3.4	.1
Food .....	175.0	2.6	.3	109.4	2.2	-2	164.8	3.5	.1
Food at home .....	175.3	2.3	.5	108.9	2.3	-4	159.6	4.1	.1
Food away from home .....	175.1	3.2	.2	110.1	1.9	.0	175.4	2.5	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.8	2.6	-1	112.9	4.9	.6	181.3	.8	.2
Housing .....	163.7	1.3	.2	107.5	.4	-2	157.5	.1	-2
Shelter .....	189.4	4.1	.3	109.7	2.5	.0	180.0	3.2	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	196.5	4.5	.4	110.8	3.1	.2	168.1	3.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	191.5	4.6	.6	109.2	2.5	.2	179.4	3.9	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	126.2	-13.3	-8	108.1	-7.6	-1.3	142.3	-9.1	-1.5
Fuels .....	109.6	-16.2	-9	107.7	-9.3	-1.6	110.3	-12.1	-1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	112.1	-16.0	-8	107.3	-8.5	-1.1	118.5	-11.6	-1.8
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	112.5	-2.3	-2	103.3	1.8	.7	108.3	2.5	-2.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	114.1	-28.7	-1.6	113.3	-19.5	-3.4	134.3	-22.8	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	118.7	.7	.7	97.6	.1	.2	118.2	-.5	.0
Apparel .....	113.0	-4.4	-3.4	95.9	-.8	-1.7	142.1	-3.0	-1.7
Transportation .....	149.2	-2.2	-.7	106.2	-3.7	-.7	138.3	-6.4	-1.1
Private transportation .....	146.8	-2.1	-.8	106.0	-3.6	-.7	134.3	-6.3	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	101.2	-20.6	-5.2	101.8	-20.8	-3.0	88.5	-24.6	-3.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	100.6	-20.6	-5.1	101.8	-20.8	-2.9	87.5	-24.6	-3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	98.4	-22.1	-5.6	101.3	-21.4	-3.5	84.0	-25.5	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	108.6	-19.8	-4.5	100.4	-21.3	-2.2	101.6	-24.2	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	103.0	-18.8	-4.2	101.5	-20.6	-2.9	93.3	-22.5	-3.2
Medical care .....	272.0	4.5	.0	116.8	5.2	.1	260.8	5.8	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.2	2.0	-.3	102.1	.6	.2	105.9	2.5	-.3
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	110.3	3.2	.2	107.0	3.0	.1	105.4	1.1	.5
Other goods and services .....	286.3	5.1	-.6	133.1	6.0	-3.5	273.3	4.6	-2.4
Commodity and service group									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	168.7	1.0	-.2	109.2	.4	-.5	163.3	-.1	-.5
Commodities .....	146.3	-1.0	-.6	104.7	-1.4	-.9	146.9	-1.9	-.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	130.3	-3.3	-1.2	102.3	-3.3	-1.4	137.2	-4.6	-1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	139.1	-5.5	-2.4	107.5	-5.0	-2.4	145.5	-5.0	-2.2
Durables .....	119.8	-.7	.2	96.4	-1.1	-.2	123.6	-3.9	-.3
Services .....	194.8	2.7	.1	112.0	2.4	.0	184.9	1.8	-.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	164.4	.9	-.2	107.7	.1	-.6	158.3	-.5	-.6
All items less shelter .....	163.0	-.2	-.4	107.7	-.3	-.7	159.7	-1.0	-.7
Commodities less food .....	132.2	-3.1	-1.2	102.5	-3.2	-1.4	138.4	-4.5	-1.4
Nondurables .....	157.5	-1.3	-.9	108.5	-1.5	-1.3	156.2	-.9	-1.0
Nondurables less food .....	141.8	-5.0	-2.2	107.7	-4.6	-2.3	147.6	-4.8	-2.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	185.4	1.3	-.1	113.8	2.1	-.2	173.7	.7	-.3
Services less medical care services .....	188.3	2.6	.1	111.4	2.0	-.1	176.8	1.4	-.2
Energy .....	105.1	-18.3	-2.9	104.6	-15.5	-2.3	99.8	-17.7	-2.5
All items less energy .....	177.8	2.8	.0	108.5	2.3	-.4	172.3	1.8	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	178.5	2.9	-.1	108.4	2.5	-.4	174.2	1.4	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—		Index  Dec. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	169.0	1.7	-0.4	108.5	0.5	-0.5	168.3	-0.1	-0.9
All items (December 1977=100) .....	273.8	-	-	-	-	-	272.5	-	-
Food and beverages .....	173.7	3.5	.3	109.0	2.4	.0	164.1	.1	-1.1
Food .....	173.8	3.3	.3	109.0	2.4	.0	164.4	.1	-1.0
Food at home .....	171.0	3.4	.6	108.4	2.5	-2	161.3	-1.1	-1.8
Food away from home .....	179.9	3.3	-2	110.1	2.6	.3	172.8	2.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	172.6	4.6	.1	109.4	2.4	-2	159.6	1.2	-2.6
Housing .....	162.9	3.6	.0	107.8	1.4	-2	162.9	1.6	-6
Shelter .....	180.7	4.3	.3	110.0	2.6	.1	192.3	2.0	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	182.3	5.1	.4	110.6	3.2	.2	175.8	1.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	173.9	4.3	.3	109.7	2.3	.1	177.8	2.2	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	138.1	4.2	-.7	105.9	-.8	-.8	141.9	.7	-3.5
Fuels .....	124.4	4.5	-1.0	104.7	-1.8	-.9	119.2	.8	-4.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	128.3	5.3	-.9	104.2	-1.3	-1.0	124.0	1.1	-4.4
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	120.2	6.7	-1.6	102.5	2.5	-.8	125.5	3.7	-5.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	161.2	-.1	2.2	114.2	-18.3	-2.2	131.6	-12.4	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	129.6	-1.3	-.7	99.5	-1.7	-.5	116.8	.8	.0
Apparel .....	147.3	-1.5	-4.0	93.4	-1.7	-3.4	117.4	-10.0	-4.5
Transportation .....	145.1	-4.4	-1.1	102.6	-5.4	-.9	143.2	-4.7	-1.4
Private transportation .....	143.9	-4.6	-1.1	102.1	-5.6	-1.0	142.3	-4.8	-1.4
Motor fuel .....	96.0	-25.4	-7.9	92.1	-26.5	-6.3	84.8	-23.7	-9.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	95.0	-25.5	-7.9	91.8	-26.7	-6.4	83.7	-23.6	-9.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	91.8	-27.1	-8.6	91.3	-27.8	-7.2	79.2	-24.1	-9.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	96.9	-25.1	-7.7	91.4	-26.3	-6.1	99.8	-23.4	-8.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	98.3	-23.1	-7.3	92.0	-25.2	-5.9	92.0	-22.0	-8.8
Medical care .....	262.3	3.1	.0	115.8	4.0	.4	266.2	3.1	.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.6	2.1	.1	101.9	.5	-.1	106.6	3.3	.7
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	108.0	4.0	.2	104.3	2.5	-.9	109.9	5.5	.1
Other goods and services .....	268.6	6.2	-.5	133.0	5.4	-1.3	298.5	3.6	-1.4
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	169.0	1.7	-.4	108.5	.5	-.5	168.3	-.1	-.9
Commodities .....	149.7	-1.1	-.9	104.4	-1.7	-.9	143.2	-3.1	-1.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	136.1	-4.0	-1.7	101.6	-4.2	-1.6	131.8	-5.0	-1.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	144.0	-6.0	-3.2	104.2	-6.2	-3.1	137.5	-7.2	-3.6
Durables .....	127.2	-1.6	.2	98.3	-1.4	.3	122.8	-1.9	.2
Services .....	191.8	4.2	.1	110.3	2.7	.0	200.9	3.0	-.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	164.4	1.6	-.4	106.8	.2	-.6	161.5	-.3	-1.0
All items less shelter .....	165.7	.7	-.6	106.4	-.3	-.7	162.8	-.5	-1.2
Commodities less food .....	137.5	-3.6	-1.6	101.8	-4.1	-1.6	132.5	-4.8	-1.9
Nondurables .....	159.0	-.9	-1.3	106.7	-1.7	-1.5	150.7	-3.6	-2.3
Nondurables less food .....	145.7	-5.1	-2.9	104.5	-5.7	-2.9	138.2	-6.9	-3.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	186.2	4.1	-.1	110.4	2.6	-.1	192.2	3.8	-.6
Services less medical care services .....	184.7	4.3	.1	109.8	2.5	.0	191.4	3.1	-.3
Energy .....	109.2	-11.1	-4.1	98.6	-14.7	-3.5	99.9	-10.8	-6.3
All items less energy .....	177.6	2.8	-.1	108.1	2.0	-.3	178.4	1.1	-.4
All items less food and energy .....	178.6	2.7	-.2	107.9	1.9	-.3	182.2	1.4	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	176.9	2.3	-0.5	111.2	2.3	-0.5
All items (December 1977=100) .....	286.4	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	180.1	3.3	-.3	110.0	3.1	.3
Food .....	179.3	3.5	-.3	109.9	3.1	.3
Food at home .....	184.0	3.4	-.4	109.5	2.5	.4
Food away from home .....	172.1	3.7	.1	110.6	4.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	188.3	.9	-.9	112.1	2.8	.0
Housing .....	188.5	5.9	.3	111.2	4.5	.4
Shelter .....	204.7	6.2	.3	111.3	4.1	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	216.0	6.8	.5	111.9	4.1	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	200.9	6.4	.5	110.6	4.3	.6
Fuels and utilities .....	172.4	8.7	.8	119.9	11.4	.3
Fuels .....	166.7	10.1	.8	123.0	13.9	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	169.4	10.5	.8	123.0	14.2	.3
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	198.1	33.5	.9	120.9	18.0	-.4
Utility natural gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	132.1	-25.7	.9	131.4	2.6	3.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	134.5	.3	.1	100.7	-1.2	-.8
Apparel .....	111.1	-5.4	-3.4	100.0	2.0	-3.7
Transportation .....	147.2	-4.8	-2.1	104.1	-3.3	-2.3
Private transportation .....	143.7	-5.0	-2.2	103.3	-3.5	-2.3
Motor fuel .....	98.0	-26.8	-12.8	92.6	-23.8	-13.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	96.9	-26.8	-12.9	92.5	-23.8	-13.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	95.7	-27.3	-13.2	90.2	-26.1	-14.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	90.4	-27.8	-13.1	93.1	-22.4	-12.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	97.5	-25.8	-12.2	93.9	-21.9	-12.3
Medical care .....	270.1	6.2	.6	119.0	4.9	.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	102.2	.9	-.3	101.6	.3	.2
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	105.1	2.8	-.1	107.1	2.6	.4
Other goods and services .....	288.7	2.6	-.9	125.5	6.4	-1.9
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	176.9	2.3	-.5	111.2	2.3	-.5
Commodities .....	148.2	-1.7	-1.5	104.7	-.8	-1.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	129.2	-5.2	-2.3	101.7	-3.0	-2.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	131.9	-8.3	-4.6	104.4	-4.4	-4.8
Durables .....	126.5	-1.5	.2	98.8	-1.1	-.4
Services .....	206.8	5.5	.3	112.7	4.7	.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	173.2	2.2	-.5	108.6	2.2	-.5
All items less shelter .....	166.9	.4	-.9	108.3	1.6	-.8
Commodities less food .....	131.8	-5.0	-2.3	102.0	-2.8	-2.7
Nondurables .....	157.0	-1.8	-2.1	107.3	-.6	-2.2
Nondurables less food .....	136.0	-7.6	-4.4	104.8	-4.0	-4.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	193.0	4.5	.3	114.0	5.3	.3
Services less medical care services .....	202.1	5.5	.3	112.1	4.7	.4
Energy .....	121.9	-12.1	-6.6	108.6	-5.1	-5.6
All items less energy .....	183.2	3.4	-.1	109.2	3.0	.0
All items less food and energy .....	184.3	3.4	.0	109.0	2.9	-.2

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

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

<sup>3</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>6</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	Food at home									
		Indexes				Percent change to Dec.2001 from—			Percent change to Nov.2001 from—		
		Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001	Nov. 2001	Nov. 2000	Sep. 2001	Oct. 2001
U.S. city average .....	M	173.4	174.3	173.7	173.7	2.7	-0.3	0.0	3.5	0.2	-0.3
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	175.3	176.3	176.1	176.0	2.8	-2	-1	4.2	.5	-1
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	174.8	175.2	175.4	175.3	2.8	.1	-1	4.1	.3	.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	109.4	110.8	110.2	110.1	2.9	-6	-1	4.5	.7	-5
Midwest urban .....	M	170.4	170.7	169.7	170.0	2.5	-4	.2	3.1	-.4	-6
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	174.9	176.0	174.4	175.3	2.3	-4	.5	2.4	-.3	-9
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	110.1	109.1	109.3	108.9	2.3	-2	-4	4.2	-.7	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	159.1	160.9	159.4	159.6	4.1	-8	.1	3.0	.2	-9
South urban .....	M	168.6	169.7	169.2	169.1	2.4	-4	-1	3.1	.4	-3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	170.3	171.1	169.9	171.0	3.4	-1	.6	4.0	-.2	-7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	108.0	108.6	108.6	108.4	2.5	-2	-2	2.8	.6	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	162.2	165.1	164.2	161.3	-1.1	-2.3	-1.8	1.2	1.2	-5
West urban .....	M	181.5	182.7	182.3	181.9	3.2	-4	-2	4.1	.4	-2
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	184.0	185.3	184.8	184.0	3.4	-7	-4	4.5	.4	-3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	108.8	109.6	109.1	109.5	2.5	-1	.4	2.5	.3	-5
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	161.4	162.2	161.6	161.7	2.9	-.3	.1	3.9	.1	-.4
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	108.8	109.3	109.1	109.0	2.5	-.3	-1	3.4	.3	-.2
D .....	M	165.5	167.2	166.8	165.3	1.6	-1.1	-9	2.5	.8	-.2
<b>Selected local areas</b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	184.0	185.4	181.9	183.3	3.1	-1.1	.8	2.8	-1.1	-1.9
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	188.4	190.3	189.6	188.4	3.2	-1.0	-6	5.4	.6	-.4
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	175.8	175.2	176.0	175.8	2.3	.3	-1	3.5	.1	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT ....	1	174.2	175.0	177.0	176.4	3.0	.8	-.3	4.5	1.6	1.1
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	173.7	174.2	174.2	175.6	3.2	.8	.8	2.1	.3	.0
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	163.2	165.5	162.9	162.2	2.9	-2.0	-.4	3.5	-.2	-1.6
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	107.1	106.9	106.9	108.9	5.1	1.9	1.9	4.8	-.2	.0
Atlanta, GA .....	2	177.5	180.0	179.6	180.1	8.4	.1	.3	7.9	1.2	-.2
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	168.6	170.3	168.6	171.6	2.6	.8	1.8	1.8	.0	-1.0
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	169.6	170.1	168.6	171.0	1.1	.5	1.4	2.6	-.6	-.9
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	177.4	177.1	176.2	176.0	1.8	-.6	-.1	3.3	-.7	-.5
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	177.4	179.3	177.5	178.9	4.3	-.2	.8	5.6	.1	-1.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	188.6	188.0	187.0	187.7	3.0	-.2	.4	3.3	-.8	-.5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	178.9	182.6	181.9	180.3	4.0	-1.3	-.9	4.3	1.7	-.4

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

M - Every month.

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

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

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

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

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

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—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Nov. 2001		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000
Expenditure category												
All items .....	172.9	1.3	-0.5	171.7	0.8	0.3	169.7	1.8	-0.6	182.8	1.6	-0.3
All items (1967=100) .....	515.0	-	-	504.1	-	-	501.5	-	-	520.3	-	-
Food and beverages .....	174.6	2.8	.1	177.2	2.9	.5	182.4	3.1	-.4	177.4	2.4	-.1
Food .....	174.1	2.8	.0	176.4	3.1	.5	180.1	3.3	-.3	176.8	2.4	-.1
Food at home .....	173.7	2.7	.0	183.3	3.1	.8	188.4	3.2	-.6	175.8	2.3	-.1
Food away from home .....	176.0	3.0	.1	163.2	3.2	.3	167.6	3.7	.3	182.8	2.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.5	2.7	-.2	187.1	-1.8	-.7	202.2	-.8	-1.6	185.6	2.6	-.1
Housing .....	172.9	2.9	.1	171.0	.9	.9	175.7	5.4	.2	187.9	3.0	.2
Shelter .....	197.7	4.3	.3	205.2	5.4	.5	186.1	5.4	.3	225.1	5.4	.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	195.7	4.7	.4	220.1	5.5	.2	192.3	6.2	.4	217.2	4.2	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	191.7	4.5	.4	208.2	6.2	.8	183.5	5.5	.6	215.5	6.7	.7
Fuels and utilities .....	141.5	-2.1	-.9	116.7	-23.7	3.3	179.0	9.3	-.1	117.0	-11.2	-1.3
Fuels .....	125.2	-3.2	-1.2	103.2	-26.8	3.8	180.6	11.3	.0	115.7	-12.2	-1.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	132.5	-1.7	-.9	106.0	-27.0	4.0	181.4	11.5	.0	124.3	-9.3	-.5
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	133.6	5.6	-.6	102.0	-5.2	.0	230.8	49.6	1.9	111.7	-14.0	1.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	135.5	-15.5	-1.7	111.5	-41.4	8.7	114.8	-39.9	-5.8	145.9	-2.1	-2.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.4	-.2	-.2	108.1	.3	1.4	128.2	1.4	-.3	125.6	.4	-.9
Apparel .....	123.0	-2.8	-3.3	97.4	-10.2	-3.5	104.7	-8.7	-3.8	104.9	-7.1	-3.8
Transportation .....	147.4	-4.2	-1.2	141.7	-2.3	-.4	141.2	-5.8	-2.1	156.3	-3.6	-1.3
Private transportation .....	144.5	-4.4	-1.3	138.5	-2.3	-.5	137.0	-6.1	-2.3	150.1	-4.3	-1.6
Motor fuel .....	96.3	-24.6	-7.8	103.3	-17.2	-3.9	87.5	-29.4	-13.4	92.2	-25.1	-8.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	95.7	-24.6	-7.8	102.4	-17.2	-3.9	85.4	-29.5	-13.4	91.8	-25.1	-8.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	93.3	-25.6	-8.3	100.0	-17.8	-3.8	83.9	-30.0	-13.8	90.9	-26.3	-9.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	99.2	-24.6	-7.5	108.8	-17.0	-4.1	82.6	-29.9	-13.7	92.9	-25.2	-8.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	97.2	-23.2	-7.3	102.1	-17.8	-3.6	85.4	-28.8	-12.8	94.5	-23.0	-7.8
Medical care .....	276.2	4.7	.2	282.0	5.2	.1	269.4	7.4	.5	289.7	3.7	.1
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	103.8	1.2	-.2	107.7	7.8	.7	104.7	3.5	-.3	106.3	1.6	-.4
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	106.9	3.1	.0	115.4	1.2	.3	101.9	2.7	-.3	108.0	3.0	.2
Other goods and services .....	293.3	5.1	-1.3	290.6	5.9	-.1	284.5	1.4	-.8	308.0	4.9	-.7
Commodity and service group												
All items .....	172.9	1.3	-.5	171.7	.8	.3	169.7	1.8	-.6	182.8	1.6	-.3
Commodities .....	148.4	-1.5	-1.1	143.8	-1.3	-.3	145.3	-2.0	-1.5	150.8	-1.9	-1.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	133.4	-4.1	-1.8	125.3	-3.4	-.7	123.6	-5.6	-2.4	130.6	-5.6	-2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	139.4	-6.2	-3.3	133.5	-5.9	-1.8	126.2	-9.5	-4.8	133.6	-7.0	-3.3
Durables .....	124.9	-1.3	.1	115.8	-.9	.3	121.8	-1.2	.2	121.1	-2.0	-.7
Services .....	201.7	3.7	.1	201.5	2.3	.6	195.5	5.0	.2	215.1	3.7	.3
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care .....	168.3	1.1	-.5	166.6	.6	.2	165.9	1.6	-.7	178.6	1.4	-.3
All items less shelter .....	165.7	.1	-.7	160.9	-1.2	.1	164.0	.1	-1.0	167.7	-.4	-.7
Commodities less food .....	135.1	-3.9	-1.8	127.7	-3.3	-.7	127.2	-5.5	-2.5	132.9	-5.2	-2.4
Nondurables .....	157.3	-1.5	-1.5	155.4	-1.5	-.6	155.7	-2.3	-2.1	157.0	-1.9	-1.4
Nondurables less food .....	141.8	-5.7	-3.1	136.9	-5.7	-1.7	132.3	-8.9	-4.5	136.6	-6.4	-3.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	189.2	3.0	-.1	184.2	-1.1	.8	191.6	4.2	-.1	185.4	1.6	.1
Services less medical care services .....	195.0	3.6	.1	194.4	2.1	.7	190.5	4.9	.2	209.6	3.7	.3
Energy .....	110.0	-13.8	-4.2	101.4	-22.9	.3	117.8	-12.9	-7.0	106.1	-17.0	-4.1
All items less energy .....	181.5	2.7	-.2	181.2	3.0	.2	175.6	2.9	-.2	192.1	3.0	-.1
All items less food and energy .....	183.5	2.7	-.2	182.2	2.9	.2	174.8	2.7	-.2	196.5	3.2	-.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

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

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items .....	172.9	1.3	-0.6	172.0	1.4	-1.2	171.7	0.8	-0.1
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	515.0	-	-	520.0	-	-	504.1	-	-
Food and beverages .....	174.6	2.8	-1	181.6	6.0	-1	177.2	2.9	-6
Food .....	174.1	2.8	-1	186.5	6.4	.1	176.4	3.1	-6
Food at home .....	173.7	2.7	-3	180.1	8.4	.1	183.3	3.1	-1.1
Food away from home .....	176.0	3.0	.2	197.8	3.9	.0	163.2	3.2	.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	180.5	2.7	.0	130.4	1.6	-1.1	187.1	-1.8	-2.5
Housing .....	172.9	2.9	.2	174.8	2.9	.1	171.0	.9	1.5
Shelter .....	197.7	4.3	.6	193.8	4.1	.4	205.2	5.4	.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	195.7	4.7	.9	206.2	5.3	.9	220.1	5.5	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	191.7	4.5	.9	182.3	4.7	.8	208.2	6.2	1.8
Fuels and utilities .....	141.5	-2.1	-1.7	162.2	.4	-4	116.7	-23.7	7.6
Fuels .....	125.2	-3.2	-2.1	149.9	-3	-5	103.2	-26.8	8.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	132.5	-1.7	-1.9	150.7	.2	-5	106.0	-27.0	9.3
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	133.6	5.6	-3.7	133.3	.8	-2.0	102.0	-5.2	.0
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	135.5	-15.5	2.8	192.5	-8	1.9	111.5	-41.4	21.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	125.4	-.2	-.1	129.1	-2.1	-1.6	108.1	.3	.7
Apparel .....	123.0	-2.8	-4.1	118.8	-5.4	-5.1	97.4	-10.2	-6.6
Transportation .....	147.4	-4.2	-2.6	130.8	-4.7	-4.5	141.7	-2.3	-2.2
Private transportation .....	144.5	-4.4	-2.8	129.2	-5.1	-4.7	138.5	-2.3	-2.5
Motor fuel .....	96.3	-24.6	-17.1	82.9	-29.7	-25.4	103.3	-17.2	-18.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	95.7	-24.6	-17.1	82.1	-29.9	-25.6	102.4	-17.2	-18.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	93.3	-25.6	-18.1	78.6	-31.4	-26.6	100.0	-17.8	-21.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	99.2	-24.6	-16.8	100.9	-29.0	-24.8	108.8	-17.0	-18.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	97.2	-23.2	-16.1	89.0	-27.2	-23.9	102.1	-17.8	-17.3
Medical care .....	276.2	4.7	.5	267.3	.7	-1.4	282.0	5.2	.5
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	103.8	1.2	.0	101.8	2.9	-3	107.7	7.8	.7
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	106.9	3.1	-.2	108.4	3.5	.1	115.4	1.2	-.1
Other goods and services .....	293.3	5.1	.3	290.3	3.4	-.1	290.6	5.9	.3
Commodity and service group									
All items .....	172.9	1.3	-.6	172.0	1.4	-1.2	171.7	.8	-.1
Commodities .....	148.4	-1.5	-1.9	143.2	-1.0	-2.6	143.8	-1.3	-1.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	133.4	-4.1	-2.9	123.3	-5.2	-4.2	125.3	-3.4	-2.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	139.4	-6.2	-5.4	131.3	-8.8	-8.5	133.5	-5.9	-6.8
Durables .....	124.9	-1.3	.5	116.8	-1.5	.3	115.8	-.9	1.5
Services .....	201.7	3.7	.3	205.3	3.4	.0	201.5	2.3	1.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	168.3	1.1	-.7	166.7	1.4	-1.2	166.6	.6	-.2
All items less shelter .....	165.7	.1	-1.1	165.8	.3	-1.8	160.9	-1.2	-.6
Commodities less food .....	135.1	-3.9	-2.8	123.6	-5.0	-4.1	127.7	-3.3	-2.6
Nondurables .....	157.3	-1.5	-2.6	156.1	-.9	-3.9	155.4	-1.5	-3.6
Nondurables less food .....	141.8	-5.7	-5.1	131.1	-8.1	-8.0	136.9	-5.7	-6.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	189.2	3.0	.1	198.7	2.6	-.6	184.2	-1.1	1.4
Services less medical care services .....	195.0	3.6	.3	197.7	3.7	.1	194.4	2.1	1.2
Energy .....	110.0	-13.8	-9.2	107.5	-14.5	-12.2	101.4	-22.9	-5.2
All items less energy .....	181.5	2.7	.1	181.1	3.0	-.2	181.2	3.0	.2
All items less food and energy .....	183.5	2.7	.2	180.5	2.3	-.2	182.2	2.9	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items .....	167.9	1.0	-0.7	155.2	0.2	-1.6	169.7	1.8	-0.8
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	494.4	-	-	495.4	-	-	501.5	-	-
Food and beverages .....	170.6	2.1	.6	166.2	2.2	.1	182.4	3.1	-.6
Food .....	170.4	2.2	.6	165.7	2.2	.2	180.1	3.3	-.6
Food at home .....	171.6	2.6	.8	171.0	1.1	.5	188.4	3.2	-1.0
Food away from home .....	169.4	1.4	.3	156.8	3.8	-.4	167.6	3.7	.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	169.8	1.6	-.3	169.1	1.8	.2	202.2	-.8	-1.5
Housing .....	158.5	1.9	.1	143.6	2.4	-1.0	175.7	5.4	.7
Shelter .....	179.5	1.9	.2	159.9	3.8	.3	186.1	5.4	.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	181.0	3.4	1.6	159.6	4.9	.4	192.3	6.2	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	191.6	1.9	.6	159.4	3.0	.8	183.5	5.5	.9
Fuels and utilities .....	134.8	2.1	-1.5	124.7	1.5	-7.1	179.0	9.3	1.4
Fuels .....	109.2	1.0	-1.8	116.0	1.2	-8.6	180.6	11.3	1.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	110.4	3.7	-2.0	115.7	1.4	-8.7	181.4	11.5	2.0
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	125.4	.0	-3.8	113.4	-.3	-15.5	230.8	49.6	1.9
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	101.5	8.4	.2	129.9	10.0	-	114.8	-39.9	2.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	118.3	1.3	.3	117.0	-3.2	.2	128.2	1.4	.3
Apparel .....	117.9	-2.4	-6.4	129.4	-10.9	-12.2	104.7	-8.7	-6.8
Transportation .....	164.3	-1.4	-2.8	136.9	-4.4	-3.3	141.2	-5.8	-3.8
Private transportation .....	162.9	-1.3	-2.8	136.0	-4.4	-3.3	137.0	-6.1	-4.1
Motor fuel .....	98.4	-25.3	-14.6	91.1	-25.3	-19.8	87.5	-29.4	-23.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	97.9	-25.3	-14.6	90.6	-25.4	-20.0	85.4	-29.5	-23.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	97.8	-25.9	-15.6	88.6	-26.8	-21.5	83.9	-30.0	-23.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	109.2	-25.6	-15.2	94.2	-24.5	-18.9	82.6	-29.9	-23.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	100.9	-24.2	-12.3	92.7	-21.6	-16.5	85.4	-28.8	-22.5
Medical care .....	273.0	4.0	.2	259.5	5.1	1.6	269.4	7.4	.4
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	103.3	-3.1	-2.5	108.7	-.2	.2	104.7	3.5	1.8
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	112.5	4.1	3.2	99.8	2.6	-.6	101.9	2.7	-.6
Other goods and services .....	281.3	2.9	.1	232.3	5.3	.9	284.5	1.4	-.2
Commodity and service group									
All items .....	167.9	1.0	-.7	155.2	.2	-1.6	169.7	1.8	-.8
Commodities .....	143.4	-2.0	-1.8	141.9	-2.5	-2.7	145.3	-2.0	-2.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	128.9	-4.5	-3.3	128.1	-5.6	-4.5	123.6	-5.6	-4.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	137.4	-7.2	-5.6	134.6	-10.0	-9.1	126.2	-9.5	-8.0
Durables .....	114.7	-.4	.0	119.5	-.9	.4	121.8	-1.2	.5
Services .....	197.1	3.5	.1	171.6	3.1	-.6	195.5	5.0	.7
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	164.1	.9	-.8	149.7	.0	-1.8	165.9	1.6	-.8
All items less shelter .....	166.1	.7	-1.1	154.2	-.9	-2.2	164.0	.1	-1.4
Commodities less food .....	130.6	-4.3	-3.2	129.5	-5.4	-4.4	127.2	-5.5	-4.0
Nondurables .....	153.8	-2.5	-2.4	151.4	-3.1	-3.8	155.7	-2.3	-3.6
Nondurables less food .....	139.5	-6.8	-5.2	136.4	-9.3	-8.5	132.3	-8.9	-7.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	195.7	4.9	.0	168.7	2.4	-1.4	191.6	4.2	.7
Services less medical care services .....	191.1	3.5	.1	161.6	2.9	-.8	190.5	4.9	.7
Energy .....	104.4	-13.2	-8.3	106.5	-11.8	-13.6	117.8	-12.9	-12.0
All items less energy .....	176.7	2.3	-.1	162.8	1.4	-.5	175.6	2.9	.0
All items less food and energy .....	178.6	2.3	-.3	162.0	1.1	-.7	174.8	2.7	.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 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001		Dec. 2000	Oct. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items .....	170.5	2.0	-0.7	182.8	1.6	-0.3	179.2	1.2	-1.7
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	276.9	-	-	520.3	-	-	520.6	-	-
Food and beverages .....	179.5	1.5	-6	177.4	2.4	.4	171.1	4.1	-2
Food .....	180.4	1.5	-7	176.8	2.4	.4	170.3	4.2	-2
Food at home .....	176.0	1.8	-6	175.8	2.3	.3	178.9	4.3	-2
Food away from home .....	189.6	1.0	-7	182.8	2.5	.6	152.3	4.2	-1
Alcoholic beverages .....	167.2	3.0	1.7	185.6	2.6	.7	178.3	.5	-1
Housing .....	164.1	3.7	.4	187.9	3.0	.8	183.8	1.9	-1.5
Shelter .....	175.9	3.9	.8	225.1	5.4	1.3	220.3	2.7	-6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	164.0	4.5	.9	217.2	4.2	1.3	200.0	3.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	171.4	3.9	.8	215.5	6.7	1.7	198.7	2.6	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	127.4	6.3	.5	117.0	-11.2	-1.8	139.7	1.7	-5.0
Fuels .....	118.8	8.8	.1	115.7	-12.2	-1.9	126.0	1.7	-6.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	117.3	9.0	.1	124.3	-9.3	-4	143.0	7.8	-5.4
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	115.0	10.0	.0	111.7	-14.0	-2.6	143.8	3.8	-2.5
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	172.2	-10.5	3.7	145.9	-2.1	2.5	148.4	15.5	-10.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	159.1	.3	-2.6	125.6	.4	-1.1	126.0	-2.2	-1.8
Apparel .....	158.5	1.6	-6.2	104.9	-7.1	-7.2	96.9	-.3	-8.1
Transportation .....	151.1	-4.5	-2.5	156.3	-3.6	-2.7	152.4	-6.6	-3.8
Private transportation .....	150.6	-4.6	-2.3	150.1	-4.3	-3.3	149.7	-7.4	-4.3
Motor fuel .....	109.9	-21.5	-14.6	92.2	-25.1	-16.2	93.1	-29.4	-19.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	108.8	-21.7	-14.8	91.8	-25.1	-16.2	91.6	-29.5	-19.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	104.0	-25.0	-16.3	90.9	-26.3	-17.1	89.8	-31.0	-20.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	103.1	-21.1	-14.4	92.9	-25.2	-16.2	89.6	-29.5	-19.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	111.2	-19.1	-13.2	94.5	-23.0	-14.6	89.6	-26.1	-17.3
Medical care .....	258.7	6.3	-6	289.7	3.7	.1	308.1	10.9	.6
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	104.3	5.4	.3	106.3	1.6	-.4	106.9	1.0	-1.4
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	110.2	4.4	.5	108.0	3.0	.0	105.7	1.6	.0
Other goods and services .....	226.7	7.5	-.1	308.0	4.9	.8	299.8	4.6	1.2
Commodity and service group									
All items .....	170.5	2.0	-.7	182.8	1.6	-.3	179.2	1.2	-1.7
Commodities .....	158.5	-1.5	-2.3	150.8	-1.9	-2.0	146.3	-.8	-2.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	145.4	-3.7	-3.7	130.6	-5.6	-4.2	129.5	-4.1	-3.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	141.4	-5.0	-6.7	133.6	-7.0	-5.4	129.1	-5.4	-5.7
Durables .....	150.1	-1.9	.5	121.1	-2.0	-.9	127.3	-1.8	-.2
Services .....	182.9	4.8	.5	215.1	3.7	.7	218.7	3.3	-1.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care .....	166.4	1.8	-.8	178.6	1.4	-.3	174.4	.8	-1.8
All items less shelter .....	168.6	1.1	-1.4	167.7	-.4	-1.1	168.3	.7	-2.0
Commodities less food .....	146.2	-3.4	-3.4	132.9	-5.2	-3.9	131.4	-4.0	-3.7
Nondurables .....	161.7	-1.4	-3.3	157.0	-1.9	-2.2	150.8	-.5	-2.8
Nondurables less food .....	142.8	-4.5	-6.1	136.6	-6.4	-5.1	132.2	-5.1	-5.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	178.8	5.4	.1	185.4	1.6	.1	197.2	3.8	-1.5
Services less medical care services .....	176.3	4.6	.6	209.6	3.7	.8	211.9	2.5	-1.2
Energy .....	110.3	-9.4	-8.2	106.1	-17.0	-7.3	110.2	-12.9	-11.6
All items less energy .....	178.2	2.9	-.1	192.1	3.0	.2	189.1	2.5	-.8
All items less food and energy .....	177.8	3.3	.0	196.5	3.2	.2	194.9	2.1	-1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>					
	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA			Seattle- Tacoma- Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Dec. 2001	Dec. 2000		Oct. 2001	Dec. 2001
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items .....	186.5	3.5	-0.5	181.1	2.3	-1.1
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	568.0	-	-	537.2	-	-
Food and beverages .....	182.9	2.9	-2	179.8	3.5	-1.0
Food .....	183.7	2.8	-1	180.6	3.7	-1.1
Food at home .....	187.7	3.0	-2	180.3	4.0	-1.3
Food away from home .....	177.3	2.6	.0	184.3	3.0	-.9
Alcoholic beverages .....	178.8	3.2	-1.9	172.5	.5	1.4
Housing .....	216.7	8.5	.5	188.6	5.8	.1
Shelter .....	242.5	9.1	.1	204.8	5.2	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	261.9	9.4	.5	208.9	5.9	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	227.6	9.3	.7	210.6	5.2	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	180.5	10.5	3.9	159.2	14.4	-.7
Fuels .....	189.0	12.3	4.0	164.3	18.2	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	188.8	12.5	4.1	193.3	19.5	-.8
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	223.3	41.3	-4.5	206.0	21.0	-1.0
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	142.3	-31.0	43.6	147.6	15.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	132.2	.2	1.5	163.9	2.5	.3
Apparel .....	108.7	-6.5	-6.2	122.9	.3	-4.4
Transportation .....	139.4	-5.5	-3.7	161.8	-3.3	-3.5
Private transportation .....	134.3	-5.7	-3.9	166.0	-3.5	-3.9
Motor fuel .....	107.1	-24.4	-19.5	139.6	-20.2	-18.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	105.8	-24.4	-19.5	142.4	-20.2	-18.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	103.2	-25.2	-20.1	152.8	-21.4	-20.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	101.5	-23.9	-19.1	111.7	-19.9	-18.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	106.8	-22.6	-18.1	132.4	-18.7	-17.5
Medical care .....	256.1	4.6	1.6	260.1	5.1	1.0
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	91.8	-2.7	-2	98.7	-1.9	-1.4
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	110.5	3.5	-3	107.2	1.7	-.1
Other goods and services .....	306.5	4.3	.4	283.9	1.9	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items .....	186.5	3.5	-.5	181.1	2.3	-1.1
Commodities .....	149.7	-2.1	-2.2	157.5	-.7	-2.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	127.9	-6.1	-3.9	145.9	-3.1	-3.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	131.6	-8.7	-6.9	150.5	-5.9	-7.0
Durables .....	120.7	-1.9	1.3	141.1	.2	.5
Services .....	222.6	7.4	.5	206.3	4.7	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	183.8	3.4	-.6	177.5	2.2	-1.2
All items less shelter .....	164.7	.2	-1.0	173.5	1.0	-1.6
Commodities less food .....	130.0	-5.7	-3.8	146.7	-3.0	-3.4
Nondurables .....	158.5	-2.2	-3.1	164.8	-1.1	-3.9
Nondurables less food .....	134.4	-7.9	-6.6	151.4	-5.6	-6.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	182.0	4.5	1.2	191.1	4.1	.1
Services less medical care services .....	220.0	7.5	.5	201.4	4.6	.0
Energy .....	136.0	-10.4	-9.8	150.8	-5.9	-11.3
All items less energy .....	192.9	4.5	.1	185.4	2.9	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	195.1	4.8	.1	186.5	2.9	-.1

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
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	-	-	9.9	-	-
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	-	-	10.0	1.0	1.0
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	-	-	10.1	2.0	1.0
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	-	-	10.9	12.6	7.9
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	-	-	12.8	18.1	17.4
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	-	-	15.1	20.4	18.0
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	-	-	17.3	14.5	14.6
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	-	-	20.0	2.6	15.6
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	-	-	17.9	-10.8	-10.5
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	-	-	16.8	-2.3	-6.1
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	-	-	17.1	2.4	1.8
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	-	-	17.1	.0	.0
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	-	-	17.5	3.5	2.3
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	-	-	17.7	-1.1	1.1
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	-	-	17.4	-2.3	-1.7
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	-	-	17.1	-1.2	-1.7
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	-	-	17.1	.6	.0
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	-	-	16.7	-6.4	-2.3
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	-	-	15.2	-9.3	-9.0
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	-	-	13.7	-10.3	-9.9
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	-	-	13.0	.8	-5.1
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	-	-	13.4	1.5	3.1
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	-	-	13.7	3.0	2.2
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	-	-	13.9	1.4	1.5
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	-	-	14.4	2.9	3.6
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	-	-	14.1	-2.8	-2.1
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	-	-	13.9	.0	-1.4
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	-	-	14.0	.7	.7
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	-	-	14.7	9.9	5.0
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	-	-	16.3	9.0	10.9
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	-	-	17.3	3.0	6.1
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	-	-	17.6	2.3	1.7
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	-	-	18.0	2.2	2.3
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	-	-	19.5	18.1	8.3
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	-	-	22.3	8.8	14.4
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	-	-	24.1	3.0	8.1
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	-	-	23.8	-2.1	-1.2
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	-	-	24.1	5.9	1.3
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	-	-	26.0	6.0	7.9
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	-	-	26.5	.8	1.9
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	-	-	26.7	.7	.8
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	-	-	26.9	-.7	.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	-	-	26.8	.4	-.4
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	-	-	27.2	3.0	1.5
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	-	-	28.1	2.9	3.3
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	-	-	28.9	1.8	2.8
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	-	-	29.1	1.7	.7
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	-	-	29.6	1.4	1.7
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	-	-	29.9	.7	1.0
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	-	-	30.2	1.3	1.0
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	-	-	30.6	1.6	1.3
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	-	-	31.0	1.0	1.3
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	-	-	31.5	1.9	1.6
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	-	-	32.4	3.5	2.9
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	-	-	33.4	3.0	3.1
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	-	-	34.8	4.7	4.2
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	-	-	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.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
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	-	-	38.8	5.6	5.7
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	-	-	40.5	3.3	4.4
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	-	-	41.8	3.4	3.2
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	-	-	44.4	8.7	6.2
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	-	-	49.3	12.3	11.0
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	-	-	53.8	6.9	9.1
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	-	-	56.9	4.9	5.8
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	-	-	60.6	6.7	6.5
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	-	-	65.2	9.0	7.6
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	-	-	72.6	13.3	11.3
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	-	-	82.4	12.5	13.5
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	-	-	90.9	8.9	10.3
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	-	-	96.5	3.8	6.2
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	-	-	99.6	3.8	3.2
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	102.9	104.9	103.9	3.9	4.3
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	106.6	108.5	107.6	3.8	3.6
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	109.1	110.1	109.6	1.1	1.9
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	112.4	114.9	113.6	4.4	3.6
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	116.8	119.7	118.3	4.4	4.1
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	122.7	125.3	124.0	4.6	4.8
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	128.7	132.6	130.7	6.1	5.4
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	135.2	137.2	136.2	3.1	4.2
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	139.2	141.4	140.3	2.9	3.0
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	143.7	145.3	144.5	2.7	3.0
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	147.2	149.3	148.2	2.7	2.6
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	151.5	153.2	152.4	2.5	2.8
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	155.8	157.9	156.9	3.3	3.0
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	159.9	161.2	160.5	1.7	2.3
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	162.3	163.7	163.0	1.6	1.6
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	165.4	167.8	166.6	2.7	2.2
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	170.8	173.6	172.2	3.4	3.4
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	176.6	-	177.1	1.6	2.8

- 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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items .....	137.9	141.9	145.8	149.7	153.5	158.6	161.3	163.9	168.3	174.0	176.7
All items (1967=100) .....	413.0	425.2	436.8	448.4	459.9	475.0	483.2	491.0	504.1	521.1	529.2
Food and beverages .....	137.3	139.5	143.3	147.2	150.3	156.6	159.1	162.7	165.9	170.5	175.2
Food .....	136.7	138.7	142.7	146.8	149.9	156.3	158.7	162.3	165.4	170.0	174.7
Food at home .....	135.5	137.5	142.3	147.3	150.3	157.7	159.2	162.6	165.4	170.2	174.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	147.4	153.3	158.9	164.2	169.5	175.7	178.4	182.3	185.9	190.7	195.3
Cereals and cereal products .....	148.8	154.4	159.6	164.5	168.6	166.6	169.6	172.0	174.1	175.7	179.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	123.5	130.2	129.9	132.3	140.6	151.2	150.6	153.6	150.8	151.9	158.9
Breakfast cereal .....	171.4	178.1	186.5	191.0	194.1	186.0	189.0	192.7	196.7	199.0	202.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	126.3	128.9	131.7	139.5	142.8	144.0	149.8	150.0	151.4	152.0	154.7
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	100.1	98.9	97.9
Bakery products .....	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.6	179.8	182.3	186.9	191.4	198.1	203.3
Bread <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	109.3	115.0
White bread <sup>2</sup> .....	140.4	146.1	156.2	160.4	169.3	183.4	186.2	189.6	192.9	201.9	212.3
Bread other than white <sup>2</sup> .....	143.8	151.6	157.0	162.4	171.6	180.7	186.9	193.5	199.3	210.0	218.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	106.1	109.3	113.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	154.2	157.7	163.2	169.2	171.6	178.8	180.1	184.0	189.4	192.9	196.1
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	155.4	157.5	163.9	170.1	174.2	180.5	182.3	186.1	193.6	191.0	196.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>2</sup> .....	144.8	151.0	156.3	165.2	169.8	175.6	178.6	182.6	187.3	193.9	197.4
Other bakery products .....	147.6	154.9	158.0	163.1	168.0	178.1	178.8	183.9	187.3	195.0	195.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>2</sup> .....	142.0	146.8	155.1	159.5	168.9	173.8	177.2	170.4	174.9	188.4	196.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	168.1	181.4	176.9	178.7	183.8	206.9	206.4	215.6	219.7	226.4	225.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	145.2	150.4	157.4	161.7	170.8	174.9	181.7	188.5	188.6	195.3	202.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	131.6	132.1	137.1	136.4	142.0	150.0	148.4	147.3	149.8	156.6	162.0
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	132.0	133.0	138.4	137.6	141.7	149.0	148.1	147.4	150.9	157.0	163.3
Meats .....	130.8	131.1	135.9	133.7	137.2	144.4	143.4	140.2	145.3	152.9	160.0
Beef and veal .....	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.6	137.8	136.9	137.1	143.1	150.9	160.2
Uncooked ground beef .....	119.1	118.4	123.0	117.7	115.7	117.6	116.4	115.9	121.0	128.4	137.3
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	103.1	109.7	118.7
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	106.1	110.9	115.8
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.8	102.3	107.7	113.7
Pork .....	128.5	127.4	133.1	130.1	139.6	155.4	153.0	144.1	148.6	157.2	163.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.8	100.3	107.7	113.4
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	108.6	104.8	117.1	114.8	130.2	161.5	160.3	153.1	160.5	174.4	185.8
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.3	101.3	108.3	111.8
Ham .....	137.3	134.9	137.1	134.8	144.2	157.4	154.3	145.1	146.6	152.5	158.5
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	143.6	141.2	144.5	142.1	151.9	168.3	164.7	154.4	157.2	164.6	171.4
Pork chops .....	136.1	139.5	145.8	138.8	146.2	156.0	150.2	139.5	146.3	155.0	159.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.8	94.0	98.8	100.7
Other meats .....	132.7	133.0	136.4	137.3	141.4	146.2	147.0	145.6	149.5	155.1	159.7
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	134.7	133.9	138.2	134.3	139.3	143.8	144.9	140.2	148.3	153.0	157.7
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.8	101.4	104.2	108.2
Lamb and organ meats <sup>2</sup> .....	130.2	134.1	140.1	145.1	151.8	160.7	160.8	166.3	155.2	169.7	173.4
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	99.7	105.3	102.5
Poultry .....	130.2	133.7	141.1	140.4	146.3	157.8	155.2	159.3	157.5	160.7	167.7
Chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	101.3	103.1	108.4
Fresh whole chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	129.9	135.4	141.3	139.4	144.8	158.2	158.9	162.4	161.8	164.0	168.7
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>2</sup> .....	134.8	136.9	146.8	143.2	150.2	161.5	154.4	160.6	155.6	158.8	169.6
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.3	105.0	107.1
Fish and seafood .....	150.4	152.0	158.7	166.9	172.1	175.1	177.2	183.7	186.9	189.5	189.4
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	106.4	110.5	109.6
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	104.3	102.4	103.5
Canned fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	118.2	119.9	122.8	124.5	125.5	126.5	129.4	134.5	131.5	125.3	128.2
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	167.0	168.7	177.0	187.9	194.8	198.6	200.5	-	213.8	218.6	217.6
Eggs .....	123.5	117.7	116.0	116.4	145.5	162.9	151.1	142.9	124.0	145.5	133.5
Dairy and related products .....	127.4	129.1	130.2	131.6	135.0	148.6	147.8	157.6	162.1	161.5	170.8
Milk <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.1	109.7	109.3	114.1
Fresh whole milk <sup>2</sup> .....	125.5	127.8	130.6	131.1	133.7	148.3	145.8	155.2	158.6	160.0	167.3
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.1	110.7	110.6	114.4
Cheese and related products .....	135.1	135.4	134.6	136.0	139.0	150.1	148.3	159.0	165.3	161.1	172.7
Ice cream and related products .....	130.1	130.6	131.5	136.1	139.7	150.5	151.8	162.8	164.1	167.1	181.8
Other dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.0	107.9	109.5	112.6

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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Fruits and vegetables .....	152.9	156.2	166.5	180.3	177.9	187.2	191.3	200.7	204.5	215.1	214.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	169.6	173.9	190.1	212.8	206.3	216.2	222.3	235.2	240.0	254.8	250.5
Fresh fruits .....	188.6	181.8	205.4	213.1	224.2	251.1	239.4	258.7	266.9	269.0	270.7
Apples .....	169.9	154.1	166.9	163.2	187.6	194.1	193.9	191.8	202.4	202.9	216.2
Bananas .....	128.3	124.3	127.6	143.1	146.5	157.5	151.5	165.6	161.4	161.0	165.4
Citrus fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	118.0	126.4	120.5	129.8
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	186.8	156.7	177.4	178.7	206.7	199.6	189.3	224.3	239.3	214.7	242.2
Other fresh fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.6	109.6	114.3	107.7
Fresh vegetables .....	150.7	166.1	174.9	212.7	188.4	181.2	205.2	212.3	214.0	240.2	230.4
Potatoes .....	129.0	137.2	165.0	154.2	175.3	160.2	175.0	178.0	190.7	179.4	205.2
Lettuce .....	170.1	183.0	152.1	273.4	172.2	184.6	218.5	199.3	212.7	281.6	231.6
Tomatoes .....	124.5	193.4	197.2	233.6	242.6	193.4	253.4	281.9	233.4	285.9	264.2
Other fresh vegetables .....	162.3	166.4	178.5	216.1	183.2	185.9	201.5	209.8	219.8	243.4	232.2
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.0	103.4	105.3	110.1
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	102.9	104.9	109.3
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	104.7	107.8	107.7
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	103.6	105.7	113.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	105.6	107.7	114.5
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	129.3	130.2	135.4	136.5	140.4	143.7	147.8	150.3	154.3	159.1	168.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	100.7	102.0	103.9
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.5	98.4	99.0	103.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	112.5	112.3	114.8	131.7	129.5	126.9	133.1	131.7	134.7	136.7	138.5
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	102.9	104.9	106.9
Carbonated drinks .....	111.9	113.7	115.6	115.2	118.5	118.0	116.1	114.9	118.6	121.1	123.3
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.7	109.2	111.3	114.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.9	104.6	106.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.5	96.6	96.8	96.5
Coffee .....	111.3	105.4	111.1	172.7	156.1	145.6	170.2	155.2	152.6	147.7	142.6
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	109.0	102.4	109.2	179.0	159.5	145.7	178.0	-	157.4	151.7	142.7
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	115.6	111.7	115.8	157.9	148.9	145.3	155.2	-	160.3	159.3	164.2
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.3	109.6	112.7
Other food at home .....	127.1	128.3	130.9	138.8	140.5	143.6	147.7	152.4	153.3	156.3	160.9
Sugar and sweets .....	130.9	132.1	133.3	134.5	138.5	144.7	147.9	150.1	152.3	153.5	156.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	118.1	119.3	120.6	122.8	127.9	132.2	133.3	133.8	134.2	133.6	136.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.1	103.0	104.2	105.3
Other sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.3	106.4	109.2
Fats and oils .....	129.3	128.4	129.4	134.2	137.5	140.7	140.3	151.9	145.1	150.2	156.9
Butter and margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	120.5	104.6	113.3	126.4
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	94.4	88.0	82.0	81.6	93.4	113.9	128.2	168.9	131.0	147.2	174.9
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	131.8	128.9	130.3	139.4	141.6	145.5	144.2	152.9	150.3	153.8	160.7
Salad dressing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	104.1	105.9	107.9
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.1	102.0	103.0	103.4
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	105.8	108.2	109.5
Other foods .....	138.2	141.2	144.9	148.1	152.1	158.9	162.8	166.9	169.4	172.7	177.9
Soups .....	148.6	157.0	163.9	170.7	176.5	184.9	189.1	191.7	191.7	196.9	202.8
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	138.0	138.7	138.6	138.9	139.8	146.2	144.9	147.1	146.8	150.2	154.7
Snacks .....	132.8	132.5	136.3	138.7	143.4	151.7	155.6	156.9	162.6	166.8	173.7
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	137.9	143.6	147.4	150.9	156.8	163.9	168.3	172.4	174.9	173.0	182.3
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	103.0	101.0	108.5
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	99.9	100.2	109.4
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	105.5	106.5	109.6
Other condiments <sup>2</sup> .....	133.7	140.1	140.1	143.1	148.2	154.5	162.1	166.6	172.8	182.6	184.4
Baby food <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	107.5	111.9	115.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.9	105.7	108.9	108.5
Prepared salads <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	NA	NA
Food away from home .....	139.6	141.6	144.3	147.1	150.4	155.0	159.0	163.0	166.8	170.8	176.0
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	105.1	108.0	111.6
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.9	107.8	111.3
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	104.3	106.2
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.9	101.6	103.1	104.7
Other food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.9	111.1	115.5

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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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Alcoholic beverages .....	143.9	148.1	150.3	151.8	154.9	160.5	164.0	167.2	171.8	176.5	180.9
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	138.4	141.3	142.0	141.8	143.1	148.0	149.3	151.4	155.5	159.2	161.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	139.0	142.9	143.3	143.2	144.1	148.3	147.5	149.8	154.2	159.0	161.5
Distilled spirits at home .....	139.9	141.8	143.1	144.2	145.5	148.5	151.9	153.0	158.6	163.5	169.4
Whiskey at home <sup>2</sup> .....	137.8	139.0	141.3	142.4	145.2	147.9	151.5	153.2	156.7	160.0	165.8
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>2</sup> .....	142.3	144.0	144.6	144.5	145.1	147.9	152.1	152.8	159.2	164.7	171.0
Wine at home .....	130.5	132.4	133.1	131.3	133.4	141.7	145.1	147.2	149.8	151.1	150.7
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	158.9	165.0	169.3	173.3	178.8	185.6	192.5	198.1	203.5	210.4	219.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	105.2	108.7	111.9
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	105.1	110.5	120.5
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	105.8	109.6	114.6
Housing .....	135.0	138.5	142.3	145.4	149.7	154.0	157.7	161.3	164.8	171.9	176.9
Shelter .....	148.2	152.5	157.1	161.8	167.4	172.3	178.1	184.0	188.6	195.1	203.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	145.2	148.6	151.9	155.7	159.6	164.0	169.1	174.9	180.3	187.6	196.4
Lodging away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.8	108.8	108.6
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	175.8	188.6	193.8	201.9	210.6	219.0	229.7	239.4	249.5	260.1	273.7
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	168.0	174.3	181.0	183.3	191.2	201.0	213.5	221.4	225.1	231.1	229.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	153.2	157.8	162.8	168.1	174.3	179.1	184.7	190.7	195.2	201.8	210.9
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	102.2	104.7	106.3
Fuels and utilities .....	116.0	118.7	121.7	122.0	123.7	129.4	130.0	126.6	129.6	145.3	142.2
Fuels .....	106.5	108.9	110.7	110.1	110.9	117.1	115.8	111.4	114.1	130.6	126.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	94.7	91.8	88.3	88.4	89.6	110.3	97.2	86.1	106.3	144.9	112.7
Fuel oil .....	92.3	89.2	85.1	85.1	86.4	106.5	94.0	79.7	104.3	146.5	107.4
Other household fuels <sup>5</sup> .....	123.3	120.4	118.0	118.5	119.4	146.8	128.8	125.9	135.8	170.7	154.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	112.4	115.6	118.1	117.4	118.3	122.8	123.0	118.9	120.3	135.6	133.5
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	120.8	122.9	123.6	124.4	127.8	128.7	127.0	122.9	123.7	126.9	134.6
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	99.9	105.0	111.1	107.5	103.6	115.0	118.8	114.7	117.1	160.1	136.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	104.7	107.9	111.0
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	165.7	176.7	185.2	193.0	198.6	205.5	213.7	219.4	223.4	230.8	237.8
Garbage and trash collection <sup>6</sup> .....	197.3	214.0	225.2	236.4	243.3	247.8	252.8	259.9	266.5	271.9	278.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	116.3	118.2	120.3	120.8	123.8	125.0	125.1	126.6	126.4	128.6	128.9
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	99.3	101.1	98.5
Floor coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	100.3	107.3	107.3
Window coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	99.5	101.2	94.8
Other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	98.7	97.4	96.2
Furniture and bedding .....	116.2	121.4	125.8	127.8	133.2	134.5	133.5	135.4	133.7	134.2	130.0
Bedroom furniture .....	122.0	129.5	136.3	133.7	136.8	141.5	142.7	141.8	140.7	137.4	135.7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.6	100.9	103.0	99.5
Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	100.3	99.7	93.9
Appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.9	97.7	94.9	94.4
Major appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.5	98.4	96.3	97.9
Laundry equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	105.6	106.3	107.1	110.6	109.8	113.2	113.4	110.6	111.4	112.0	111.6
Other appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	96.8	92.8	89.2
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	96.8	96.1	95.6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	117.8	120.3	118.2	117.8	122.1	117.0	121.0	119.5	113.6	108.6	106.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	107.0	113.0	110.0	114.1	115.6	116.4	107.1	109.3	108.8	114.8	117.6
Dishes and flatware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.4	96.1	93.4	90.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.5	97.1	96.3	95.2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	98.4	96.4	95.8
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.4	97.3	97.8	95.7
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.5	98.7	95.6	95.8
Housekeeping supplies .....	129.8	129.5	131.9	132.9	139.8	141.4	143.4	146.3	149.1	156.1	159.9
Household cleaning products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	102.8	107.6	110.5
Household paper products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	108.7	117.4	119.1
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.8	101.9	104.0	106.9
Household operations <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.0	112.5	117.2
Domestic services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.9	111.7	114.9
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	103.9	113.2	118.3
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.9	111.3	115.6
Repair of household items <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.6	108.3	114.1	122.6

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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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Apparel .....	129.6	131.4	132.6	130.5	130.6	130.3	131.6	130.7	130.1	127.8	123.7
Men's and boys' apparel .....	125.9	127.1	127.5	125.3	126.0	127.8	131.2	130.3	131.5	128.0	122.8
Men's apparel .....	128.3	130.0	130.0	128.2	128.3	130.4	133.7	133.1	134.4	131.4	125.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	131.3	132.8	137.4	136.0	133.7	133.3	135.8	133.2	135.8	130.0	128.1
Men's furnishings .....	122.2	123.6	123.0	122.7	120.0	124.6	134.1	133.1	137.6	135.2	132.0
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	99.5	99.9	92.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	126.1	129.2	127.8	125.8	127.0	129.2	129.0	128.9	128.9	123.6	117.5
Boys' apparel .....	116.2	115.0	117.1	113.2	116.2	116.8	120.7	118.8	119.8	114.5	110.8
Women's and girls' apparel .....	128.4	129.1	130.6	125.7	124.7	123.3	123.6	122.4	121.8	119.7	114.8
Women's apparel .....	128.0	128.4	131.0	125.3	124.1	123.0	123.7	123.0	122.3	120.1	115.3
Women's outerwear .....	121.1	126.2	131.8	119.0	123.5	126.1	126.7	122.1	118.5	121.8	113.3
Women's dresses .....	128.0	130.7	127.2	113.1	114.7	108.1	102.7	107.2	104.4	95.8	99.1
Women's suits and separates <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.2	98.1	96.5	90.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.8	100.6	97.5
Girls' apparel .....	130.8	133.5	129.1	128.2	128.7	125.0	123.6	119.4	119.2	117.8	112.2
Footwear .....	121.8	125.1	125.8	123.6	124.1	125.9	128.2	127.5	123.7	123.8	120.6
Men's footwear .....	129.4	132.9	133.2	132.2	131.6	131.1	131.4	132.4	127.8	128.7	124.5
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	122.7	121.5	122.1	123.3	125.2	130.4	133.5	133.3	126.7	123.5	122.1
Women's footwear .....	115.5	120.6	121.5	117.1	117.8	119.6	122.7	120.6	118.8	120.0	116.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	129.2	130.7	127.1	131.3	128.7	126.9	125.8	129.6	133.0	128.2	128.5
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	134.4	138.2	140.6	147.7	147.7	140.3	138.9	136.1	133.6	132.4	132.3
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	114.1	112.7	118.7	124.6	130.6	122.6	122.2	120.5	118.0	119.3	117.1
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	140.2	145.5	146.8	154.3	152.6	145.4	143.6	140.5	138.0	136.2	136.6
Transportation .....	125.3	129.0	132.1	137.1	139.1	145.2	143.2	140.7	148.3	154.4	148.5
Private transportation .....	123.4	126.7	128.6	134.9	136.6	141.7	140.0	137.2	144.4	150.3	144.3
New and used motor vehicles <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	94.1	98.3	100.7	101.7	100.0	100.9	101.1	102.1	101.6
New vehicles .....	128.3	131.3	135.6	140.1	142.8	145.4	144.1	144.1	143.6	143.6	143.5
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	99.6	99.6	99.6
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	127.6	130.5	134.2	138.5	140.7	143.0	141.5	141.3	140.1	140.5	140.5
New trucks <sup>2 6</sup> .....	129.6	132.9	139.0	144.1	148.2	151.5	151.4	152.1	153.1	152.2	152.0
New motorcycles <sup>2 5</sup> .....	123.7	128.7	138.0	148.9	156.5	162.4	163.7	164.3	168.0	NA	NA
Used cars and trucks .....	120.1	129.0	139.3	151.5	158.2	155.6	147.9	153.1	155.0	160.2	157.2
Car and truck rental <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	108.2	107.6	103.7
Motor fuel .....	98.4	100.2	94.8	100.4	96.4	108.6	101.9	86.2	112.2	127.8	96.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	98.1	100.1	94.2	100.2	96.0	107.9	101.3	85.7	111.5	127.0	95.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	96.1	97.9	91.3	97.9	93.6	106.1	99.1	82.8	109.6	125.5	93.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 8</sup> .....	-	-	100.0	105.3	100.6	112.4	105.9	90.7	116.2	131.5	98.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	101.4	103.2	98.3	103.4	98.4	109.1	103.0	89.2	112.3	126.7	97.0
Other motor fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.7	107.3	134.3	112.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	103.6	103.0	101.4	101.9	102.4	102.3	101.4	101.2	100.8	103.1	105.8
Tires .....	101.3	100.8	99.4	101.6	101.8	101.8	99.0	98.6	97.5	98.5	101.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	100.3	103.6	106.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	110.2	109.5	107.7	106.3	107.3	107.0	108.2	108.3	108.6	110.1	111.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>2</sup> .....	118.4	118.1	118.8	126.0	130.0	132.0	131.8	130.8	132.2	141.7	150.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	138.4	143.2	147.7	151.9	155.7	160.6	164.7	169.6	173.8	179.9	186.4
Motor vehicle body work .....	141.9	145.8	150.0	155.7	161.2	168.6	176.2	181.5	184.2	191.1	197.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	133.8	136.6	139.4	141.3	144.2	148.2	152.1	156.5	160.3	165.0	171.6
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	105.8	109.7	113.5
Motor vehicle insurance .....	199.1	212.2	222.8	230.4	240.2	249.3	255.3	254.5	255.8	260.5	279.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	104.5	108.2	110.4
State and local registration and license <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.4	102.2	105.3	106.4
Parking and other fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.0	109.9	114.8	119.6
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.4	110.1	115.3	120.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.9	103.9	104.5	109.8
Public transportation .....	149.8	158.2	176.5	165.6	170.7	189.9	184.3	188.4	201.2	209.5	204.8
Airline fare .....	155.4	165.7	193.8	175.3	178.4	204.7	194.8	202.8	224.9	238.2	229.0
Other intercity transportation .....	152.0	152.2	148.0	151.4	152.6	155.2	156.3	161.1	158.9	156.3	152.0
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	98.6	86.0	78.4
Intracity transportation .....	140.8	147.8	152.0	153.5	165.2	174.7	176.6	171.9	173.2	177.5	182.3

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<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Medical care .....	182.6	194.7	205.2	215.3	223.8	230.6	237.1	245.2	254.2	264.8	277.3
Medical care commodities .....	181.7	191.1	197.0	202.9	206.6	212.0	216.8	225.6	234.6	241.1	251.6
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	206.7	218.5	225.7	233.2	237.8	245.4	251.5	263.8	279.9	290.0	307.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>5</sup> .....	127.9	132.9	136.5	139.6	141.5	143.3	145.8	149.2	148.7	150.2	151.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	153.7	160.5	164.9	166.3	167.6	171.2	173.1	177.4	175.4	177.4	179.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	148.4	152.7	156.6	164.3	168.2	168.0	172.8	176.3	178.2	179.8	179.0
Medical care services .....	182.8	195.6	207.1	218.2	227.8	235.0	241.8	249.6	258.5	270.4	283.5
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	169.8	179.4	187.4	196.0	203.9	211.0	217.5	224.6	231.7	240.3	248.9
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	174.2	185.1	194.5	203.1	212.1	218.5	224.5	231.9	237.9	247.1	255.8
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	173.0	183.1	191.1	201.4	210.4	221.1	230.0	240.2	251.3	262.2	272.5
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>3 5</sup> .....	123.5	128.1	130.7	135.0	138.3	139.9	142.5	143.4	147.8	151.4	155.6
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	129.2	133.2	137.5	143.0	144.1	148.4	153.0	156.7	159.3	163.4	169.0
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	203.5	221.4	238.2	251.3	262.8	273.7	282.5	291.4	306.3	325.3	348.3
Hospital services <sup>3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.2	106.4	111.8	118.8	127.4
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	105.2	110.1	116.3	124.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 3 5</sup> .....	159.7	175.4	189.2	199.7	209.2	219.2	228.3	237.3	253.3	271.6	290.2
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.9	108.4	113.4	119.0	124.3
Recreation <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	91.7	93.0	95.6	98.5	100.0	101.2	102.0	103.7	105.3
Video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	96.6	94.2	94.6	97.7	100.0	100.7	100.1	100.7	101.2
Televisions .....	72.3	71.4	70.2	69.2	66.4	62.9	60.2	57.3	53.1	47.4	42.3
Cable television <sup>3 6</sup> .....	180.4	187.0	200.1	194.9	202.8	218.6	233.6	249.8	256.8	270.0	280.9
Other video equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.0	73.5	60.4	50.4
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	93.9	90.9	85.4	83.9
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.9	83.8	84.9	81.0
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.9	99.5	91.3	94.2
Audio equipment .....	95.0	93.6	94.0	93.1	90.7	90.2	88.4	81.9	78.7	79.4	75.9
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	101.3	104.0	108.5
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	103.9	106.9	111.4
Pets and pet products .....	129.6	128.3	129.5	130.8	135.4	142.6	142.1	142.9	144.5	143.6	148.4
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.4	102.2	102.3	105.4
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.7	100.6	99.5	101.6
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.4	108.0	117.7	124.6
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.1	110.9	113.0
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	108.3	118.1	125.7
Sporting goods .....	119.6	119.7	120.0	123.8	123.1	123.0	122.5	121.8	118.2	119.2	117.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	117.6	120.1	120.0	124.7	124.8	124.9	124.3	127.7	128.3	132.4	131.8
Sports equipment .....	118.3	116.5	117.1	120.0	118.7	118.4	118.1	114.3	107.7	106.3	103.5
Photography <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.3	99.1	99.4	98.7
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	130.1	132.9	135.2	130.9	133.4	132.9	134.0	129.7	128.7	125.0	122.3
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.2	97.6	96.0	97.3
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	94.8	93.9	90.1	83.2
Photographers and film processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.0	101.1	103.7	103.8
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	-	104.2	108.7
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	100.3	101.1	99.4
Other recreational goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.7	86.4	83.1
Toys .....	118.1	121.1	122.9	121.8	123.0	126.4	124.4	116.8	107.4	103.4	98.0
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.3	85.9	82.4
Video game hardware, software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	NA	NA
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.1	95.2	95.2	96.2
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	98.7	100.1	100.1
Recreation services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.7	109.1	113.3	117.7
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.0	106.6	110.1	112.4
Admissions .....	161.0	167.3	170.3	177.1	186.4	193.8	200.3	205.8	223.6	234.8	245.3
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	111.8	116.4	119.4
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.0	112.7	119.2	126.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	132.4	139.2	144.7	151.8	156.3	165.5	174.1	178.9	187.1	190.5	203.2
Recreational reading materials .....	147.3	152.8	158.2	163.9	173.6	178.2	180.2	185.7	187.0	189.4	193.1
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	105.4	107.1	109.3
Recreational books <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	100.6	101.3	103.0

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										
											Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Education and communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	87.4	90.3	93.9	97.1	100.0	100.7	102.3	103.6	106.9
Education <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	81.2	85.9	90.7	95.1	100.0	104.7	109.3	115.5	122.0
Educational books and supplies .....	184.7	193.8	200.4	207.4	219.0	231.1	242.8	257.3	256.0	285.4	294.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	201.4	218.5	234.0	247.8	261.6	274.3	288.5	301.7	316.3	332.7	352.2
College tuition and fees .....	205.1	225.7	243.5	258.9	273.7	288.3	301.7	313.6	326.1	340.9	361.9
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	207.3	223.7	237.0	251.6	268.2	280.5	300.6	318.7	340.1	361.4	387.3
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	106.3	111.0	116.7	122.2	126.9	131.6	137.6	144.2	151.6	160.1	168.1
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.1	113.8	119.0	126.0
Communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	97.3	97.3	99.0	100.3	100.0	97.1	95.9	93.0	93.4
Postage and delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	103.1	103.2	108.0
Postage .....	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3	160.3	160.3	160.3	160.3	165.1	165.1	172.7
Delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	110.0	116.0	123.7
Information and information processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	98.3	98.3	98.9	100.3	100.0	96.9	95.4	92.2	92.3
Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.7	98.4	99.7
Telephone services, local charges <sup>3</sup> .....	155.0	155.7	157.2	156.7	160.7	162.1	163.8	166.0	170.7	180.1	188.2
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	98.6	89.5	87.9
Interstate toll calls <sup>2</sup> .....	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7	75.8	78.6	75.2	74.6	74.1	65.8	64.5
Intrastate toll calls <sup>2</sup> .....	93.1	90.9	91.1	90.2	86.8	92.1	94.7	96.1	94.6	88.9	87.4
Cellular telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.7	81.1	71.1	67.2
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	86.6	81.3	75.1	68.3	61.0	53.9	47.4	34.8	28.2	23.8	19.8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	64.2	47.2	36.5	25.3
Computer software and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	90.0	88.2	81.5	79.5
Computer information processing services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	96.0	95.7	100.3
Other information processing equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	90.3	79.6	70.8	65.0
Other goods and services .....	177.6	189.1	194.2	202.4	211.1	218.7	230.1	250.3	263.0	274.0	286.4
Tobacco and smoking products .....	211.7	228.9	215.5	222.0	228.1	234.3	251.2	331.2	369.1	396.6	431.7
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	133.7	149.1	160.4	175.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	115.5	121.7	125.8
Personal care .....	135.7	139.6	143.1	145.8	148.9	150.5	154.0	158.3	162.9	167.8	172.6
Personal care products .....	133.4	137.8	140.1	142.6	144.1	142.8	145.3	148.7	152.5	155.5	155.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	101.0	104.9	104.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	135.1	137.0	143.4	144.8	146.9	150.6	153.9	160.8	167.8	168.1	168.3
Personal care services .....	138.0	141.3	146.1	149.2	154.3	159.2	163.9	168.3	174.3	181.3	186.4
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	106.3	110.6	113.7
Miscellaneous personal services .....	172.4	179.8	190.3	199.4	210.0	218.3	230.0	237.8	246.6	255.7	268.5
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	131.9	137.2	145.1	147.9	153.5	159.3	167.5	174.6	183.5	192.6	205.1
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	128.0	133.2	140.4	148.6	156.6	164.0	172.3	179.1	185.1	189.8	198.3
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	104.6	107.1	111.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1</sup> ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	104.6	108.6	113.0
Financial services <sup>5</sup> .....	137.5	144.4	153.9	165.9	177.6	183.6	194.7	201.6	210.5	218.2	228.0
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	106.8	110.4	116.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.8	112.2	117.4	122.7
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	98.2	96.0	94.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	127.5	131.3	136.1	138.2	147.2	151.8	158.1	160.7	157.2	155.6	156.5
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities .....	127.5	130.1	132.0	135.1	137.0	141.4	141.7	142.2	146.1	150.0	147.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	121.5	124.3	125.1	127.6	128.9	132.1	131.2	130.2	134.4	137.8	132.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	124.5	127.4	126.5	128.1	128.8	133.7	133.5	132.1	140.9	147.2	138.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	126.0	129.6	127.7	131.5	132.7	140.5	139.5	137.8	152.1	163.1	151.6
Durables .....	117.2	120.1	123.3	126.9	129.0	129.9	128.0	127.4	125.9	125.9	124.3
Services .....	148.8	154.2	160.0	164.7	170.4	176.1	181.0	185.7	190.5	198.0	205.3
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	154.2	158.7	163.5	168.3	174.2	179.3	185.3	191.5	196.3	203.1	211.7
Transportation services .....	153.7	159.2	166.9	171.1	176.3	184.1	186.0	188.4	192.8	198.3	204.5
Other services .....	164.1	172.8	181.6	188.9	197.3	205.0	213.1	219.5	226.5	233.0	241.9
All items less food .....	138.1	142.5	146.4	150.2	154.2	159.0	161.8	164.2	168.8	174.7	177.0
All items less shelter .....	135.0	139.1	142.7	146.3	149.6	154.7	156.4	157.8	162.1	167.5	168.2
All items less medical care .....	135.3	138.9	142.5	146.0	149.6	154.5	157.0	159.4	163.6	169.0	171.3
Commodities less food .....	122.4	125.3	126.1	128.5	129.9	133.3	132.6	131.7	135.9	139.3	134.1
Nondurables less food .....	125.5	128.5	127.8	129.5	130.4	135.3	135.3	134.2	142.8	149.0	140.9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	126.9	130.5	129.1	132.6	134.0	141.5	141.0	139.7	153.2	163.6	153.4
Nondurables .....	131.1	133.6	135.1	137.8	139.7	145.3	146.5	147.5	153.6	159.1	156.8

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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>											
Apparel less footwear .....	128.2	129.4	130.3	127.9	127.7	126.6	127.6	126.7	126.8	124.1	119.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	153.9	160.7	167.8	172.7	178.5	185.2	189.5	192.8	198.0	206.9	213.2
Services less medical care services .....	145.5	150.3	155.6	159.7	165.0	170.6	175.4	179.8	184.3	191.5	198.3
Energy .....	101.9	103.9	102.4	104.7	103.3	112.2	108.4	98.9	112.2	128.1	111.4
All items less energy .....	142.8	147.1	151.7	155.7	160.2	164.8	168.3	172.3	175.7	180.2	185.2
All items less food and energy .....	144.4	149.2	153.9	157.9	162.7	167.0	170.7	174.8	178.2	182.8	187.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	130.3	133.6	135.7	137.6	140.0	141.5	142.1	143.9	144.2	145.1	144.7
Energy commodities .....	98.2	99.4	94.3	99.2	95.9	109.1	101.6	86.3	111.8	129.3	97.6
Services less energy services .....	152.5	158.2	164.3	169.6	175.7	181.5	186.9	192.5	197.7	204.4	212.6
Domestically produced farm food .....	137.2	139.6	144.5	148.1	151.5	160.1	161.1	165.0	167.8	173.2	178.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	126.7	130.7	136.5	135.1	137.5	144.4	145.0	145.0	147.9	156.5	156.6

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

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

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
All items .....	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.5	3.3	1.7	1.6	2.7	3.4	1.6
Food and beverages .....	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.7	2.1	4.2	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.8
Food .....	1.9	1.5	2.9	2.9	2.1	4.3	1.5	2.3	1.9	2.8	2.8
Food at home .....	1.3	1.5	3.5	3.5	2.0	4.9	1.0	2.1	1.7	2.9	2.6
Cereals and bakery products .....	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.7	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.6	2.4
Cereals and cereal products .....	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.1	2.5	-1.2	1.8	1.4	1.2	.9	2.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	-4	5.4	-2	1.8	6.3	7.5	-4	2.0	-1.8	.7	4.6
Breakfast cereal .....	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.6	-4.2	1.6	2.0	2.1	1.2	1.6
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	2.9	2.1	2.2	5.9	2.4	.8	4.0	.1	.9	.4	1.8
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	.1	-1.2	-1.0
Bakery products .....	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.5	6.0	1.4	2.5	2.4	3.5	2.6
Bread <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	4.6	5.2
White bread <sup>2</sup> .....	1.5	4.1	6.9	2.7	5.5	8.3	1.5	1.8	1.7	4.7	5.2
Bread other than white <sup>2</sup> .....	4.6	5.4	3.6	3.4	5.7	5.3	3.4	3.5	3.0	5.4	4.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.3	3.0	3.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	4.8	2.3	3.5	3.7	1.4	4.2	.7	2.2	2.9	1.8	1.7
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	5.0	1.4	4.1	3.8	2.4	3.6	1.0	2.1	4.0	-1.3	2.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>2</sup> .....	3.9	4.3	3.5	5.7	2.8	3.4	1.7	2.2	2.6	3.5	1.8
Other bakery products .....	4.1	4.9	2.0	3.2	3.0	6.0	.4	2.9	1.8	4.1	.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>2</sup> .....	3.6	3.4	5.7	2.8	5.9	2.9	2.0	-3.8	2.6	7.7	4.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	5.5	7.9	-2.5	1.0	2.9	12.6	-2	4.5	1.9	3.0	-6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	3.9	3.6	4.7	2.7	5.6	2.4	3.9	3.7	.1	3.6	3.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	-1.5	.4	3.8	-5	4.1	5.6	-1.1	-7	1.7	4.5	3.4
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-1.3	.8	4.1	-6	3.0	5.2	-6	-5	2.4	4.0	4.0
Meats .....	-2.1	.2	3.7	-1.6	2.6	5.2	-7	-2.2	3.6	5.2	4.6
Beef and veal .....	-1.0	.8	3.7	-2.2	-1	2.4	-7	.1	4.4	5.5	6.2
Uncooked ground beef .....	-1.4	-6	3.9	-4.3	-1.7	1.6	-1.0	-4	4.4	6.1	6.9
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.9	6.4	8.2
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	5.5	4.5	4.4
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.2	4.6	5.3	5.6
Pork .....	-6.1	-9	4.5	-2.3	7.3	11.3	-1.5	-5.8	3.1	5.8	3.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.2	3.6	7.4	5.3
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-11.6	-3.5	11.7	-2.0	13.4	24.0	-7	-4.5	4.8	8.7	6.5
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7	2.0	6.9	3.2
Ham .....	-4.9	-1.7	1.6	-1.7	7.0	9.2	-2.0	-6.0	1.0	4.0	3.9
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.1	-1.7	2.3	-1.7	6.9	10.8	-2.1	-6.3	1.8	4.7	4.1
Pork chops .....	-4.5	2.5	4.5	-4.8	5.3	6.7	-3.7	-7.1	4.9	5.9	2.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.2	2.4	5.1	1.9
Other meats .....	.8	.2	2.6	.7	3.0	3.4	.5	-1.0	2.7	3.7	3.0
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	-6	3.2	-2.8	3.7	3.2	.8	-3.2	5.8	3.2	3.1
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2	1.6	2.8	3.8
Lamb and organ meats <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	3.0	4.5	3.6	4.6	5.9	.1	3.4	-6.7	9.3	2.2
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-2.8	5.6	-2.7
Poultry .....	.4	2.7	5.5	-5	4.2	7.9	-1.6	2.6	-1.1	2.0	4.4
Chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-2.1	1.8	5.1
Fresh whole chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	-5	4.2	4.4	-1.3	3.9	9.3	.4	2.2	-4	1.4	2.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>2</sup> .....	1.2	1.6	7.2	-2.5	4.9	7.5	-4.4	4.0	-3.1	2.1	6.8
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.2	2.6	2.0
Fish and seafood .....	1.3	1.1	4.4	5.2	3.1	1.7	1.2	3.7	1.7	1.4	-1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.8	3.9	-8
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	.5	-1.8	1.1
Canned fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	-5	1.4	2.4	1.4	.8	.8	2.3	3.9	-2.2	-4.7	2.3
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	1.0	4.9	6.2	3.7	2.0	1.0	-	-	2.2	-5
Eggs .....	-4.0	-4.7	-1.4	.3	25.0	12.0	-7.2	-5.4	-13.2	17.3	-8.2
Dairy and related products .....	.6	1.3	.9	1.1	2.6	10.1	-5	6.6	2.9	-4	5.8
Milk <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	3.4	-4	4.4
Fresh whole milk <sup>2</sup> .....	-4	1.8	2.2	.4	2.0	10.9	-1.7	6.4	2.2	.9	4.6
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	4.3	-1	3.4
Cheese and related products .....	1.8	.2	-6	1.0	2.2	8.0	-1.2	7.2	4.0	-2.5	7.2
Ice cream and related products .....	1.2	.4	.7	3.5	2.6	7.7	.9	7.2	.8	1.8	8.8
Other dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	1.8	1.5	2.8
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.4	2.2	6.6	8.3	-1.3	5.2	2.2	4.9	1.9	5.2	-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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	7.6	2.5	9.3	11.9	-3.1	4.8	2.8	5.8	2.0	6.2	-1.7
Fresh fruits .....	10.2	-3.6	13.0	3.7	5.2	12.0	-4.7	8.1	3.2	.8	-.6
Apples .....	12.1	-9.3	8.3	-2.2	15.0	3.5	-.1	-1.1	5.5	.2	6.6
Bananas .....	.0	-3.1	2.7	12.1	2.4	7.5	-3.8	9.3	-2.5	-.2	2.7
Citrus fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	7.1	-4.7	7.7
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	22.3	-16.1	13.2	.7	15.7	-3.4	-5.2	18.5	6.7	-10.3	12.8
Other fresh fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	2.8	4.3	-5.8
Fresh vegetables .....	4.7	10.2	5.3	21.6	-11.4	-3.8	13.2	3.5	.8	12.2	-4.1
Potatoes .....	-3.7	6.4	20.3	-6.5	13.7	-8.6	9.2	1.7	7.1	-5.9	14.4
Lettuce .....	11.9	7.6	-16.9	79.8	-37.0	7.2	18.4	-8.8	6.7	32.4	-17.8
Tomatoes .....	-3.9	55.3	2.0	18.5	3.9	-20.3	31.0	11.2	-17.2	22.5	-7.6
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.5	2.5	7.3	21.1	-15.2	1.5	8.4	4.1	4.8	10.7	-4.6
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.4	1.8	4.6
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	.6	1.9	4.2
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	1.9	3.0	-.1
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	.5	2.0	7.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	3.0	2.0	6.3
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	.7	4.0	.8	2.9	2.4	2.9	1.7	2.7	3.1	6.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	.6	1.3	1.9
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.5	-2.1	.6	4.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	-.5	-.2	2.2	14.7	-1.7	-2.0	4.9	-1.1	2.3	1.5	1.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	3.0	1.9	1.9
Carbonated drinks .....	1.0	1.6	1.7	-.3	2.9	-.4	-1.6	-1.0	3.2	2.1	1.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	4.3	1.9	2.8
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.8	1.7	1.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.5	.1	.2	-.3
Coffee .....	-5.2	-5.3	5.4	55.4	-9.6	-6.7	16.9	-8.8	-1.7	-3.2	-3.5
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	-6.6	-6.1	6.6	63.9	-10.9	-8.7	22.2	-	-	-3.6	-5.9
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.1	-3.4	3.7	36.4	-5.7	-2.4	6.8	-	-	-.6	3.1
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.9	4.1	2.8
Other food at home .....	1.5	.9	2.0	6.0	1.2	2.2	2.9	3.2	.6	2.0	2.9
Sugar and sweets .....	3.6	.9	.9	.9	3.0	4.5	2.2	1.5	1.5	.8	1.7
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.0	1.0	1.1	1.8	4.2	3.4	.8	.4	.3	-.4	2.3
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.9	1.2	1.1
Other sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.4	1.0	2.6
Fats and oils .....	-1.3	-.7	.8	3.7	2.5	2.3	-.3	8.3	-4.5	3.5	4.5
Butter and margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-13.2	8.3	11.6
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	-.5	-6.8	-6.8	-.5	14.5	21.9	12.6	31.7	-22.4	12.4	18.8
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.6	-2.2	1.1	7.0	1.6	2.8	-.9	6.0	-1.7	2.3	4.5
Salad dressing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	.7	1.7	1.9
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-.1	1.0	.4
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	3.5	2.3	1.2
Other foods .....	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.7	4.5	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.9	3.0
Soups .....	6.0	5.7	4.4	4.1	3.4	4.8	2.3	1.4	.0	2.7	3.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	1.6	.5	-.1	.2	.6	4.6	-.9	1.5	-.2	2.3	3.0
Snacks .....	1.3	-.2	2.9	1.8	3.4	5.8	2.6	.8	3.6	2.6	4.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	3.9	4.5	2.7	2.4	1.5	-1.1	5.4
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	2.6	-1.9	7.4
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-1.4	.3	9.2
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.8	.9	2.9
Other condiments <sup>2</sup> .....	4.6	4.8	.0	2.1	3.6	4.3	4.9	2.8	3.7	5.7	1.0
Baby food <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	4.1	4.1	3.0
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	.8	3.0	-.4
Prepared salads <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home .....	2.9	1.4	1.9	1.9	2.2	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.4	3.0
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.2	2.8	3.3
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.6	2.8	3.2
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	-.2	1.8
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.9	.7	1.5	1.6
Other food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.5	3.9	4.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	9.9	2.9	1.5	1.0	2.0	3.6	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.7	2.5

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	11.6	2.1	0.5	-0.1	0.9	3.4	0.9	1.4	2.7	2.4	1.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	11.8	2.8	.3	-.1	.6	2.9	-.5	1.6	2.9	3.1	1.6
Distilled spirits at home .....	9.2	1.4	.9	.8	.9	2.1	2.3	.7	3.7	3.1	3.6
Whiskey at home <sup>2</sup> .....	8.1	.9	1.7	.8	2.0	1.9	2.4	1.1	2.3	2.1	3.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>2</sup> .....	10.1	1.2	.4	-.1	.4	1.9	2.8	.5	4.2	3.5	3.8
Wine at home .....	14.0	1.5	.5	-1.4	1.6	6.2	2.4	1.4	1.8	.9	-3.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	8.2	3.8	2.6	2.4	3.2	3.8	3.7	2.9	2.7	3.4	4.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	3.2	3.3	2.9
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	.9	5.1	9.0
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	2.3	3.6	4.6
Housing .....	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.2	4.3	2.9
Shelter .....	3.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.5	2.9	3.4	3.3	2.5	3.4	4.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.1	4.0	4.7
Lodging away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.9	2.8	-.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	5.8	7.3	2.8	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	5.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	8.5	3.8	3.8	1.3	4.3	5.1	6.2	3.7	1.7	2.7	-.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	3.7	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.7	2.8	3.1	3.2	2.4	3.4	4.5
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	2.3	2.4	1.5
Fuels and utilities .....	2.9	2.3	2.5	.2	1.4	4.6	.5	-2.6	2.4	12.1	-2.1
Fuels .....	.9	2.3	1.7	-.5	.7	5.6	-1.1	-3.8	2.4	14.5	-3.4
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	-17.0	-3.1	-3.8	.1	1.4	23.1	-11.9	-11.4	23.5	36.3	-22.2
Fuel oil .....	-19.9	-3.4	-4.6	.0	1.5	23.3	-11.7	-15.2	30.9	40.5	-26.7
Other household fuels <sup>5</sup> .....	-9.6	-2.4	-2.0	.4	.8	22.9	-12.3	-2.3	7.9	25.7	-9.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.5	2.8	2.2	-.6	.8	3.8	.2	-3.3	1.2	12.7	-1.5
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	5.0	1.7	.6	.6	2.7	.7	-1.3	-3.2	.7	2.6	6.1
Utility natural gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	.3	5.1	5.8	-3.2	-3.6	11.0	3.3	-3.5	2.1	36.7	-15.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	1.9	3.1	2.9
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	7.8	6.6	4.8	4.2	2.9	3.5	4.0	2.7	1.8	3.3	3.0
Garbage and trash collection <sup>6</sup> .....	11.5	8.5	5.2	5.0	2.9	1.8	2.0	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	2.3	1.6	1.8	.4	2.5	1.0	.1	1.2	-.2	1.7	.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-1.9	1.8	-2.6
Floor coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-2.0	7.0	.0
Window coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	-.6	1.7	-6.3
Other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-2.8	-1.3	-1.2
Furniture and bedding .....	1.0	4.5	3.6	1.6	4.2	1.0	-.7	1.4	-1.3	.4	-3.1
Bedroom furniture .....	4.1	6.1	5.3	-1.9	2.3	3.4	.8	-.6	-.8	-2.3	-1.2
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-.7	2.1	-3.4
Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-3.8	-.6	-5.8
Appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.1	-1.2	-2.9	-.5
Major appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.5	-.1	-2.1	1.7
Laundry equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.5	.7	.8	3.3	-.7	3.1	.2	-2.5	.7	.5	-.4
Other appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-2.8	-4.1	-3.9
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	-3.1	-.7	-.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	4.6	2.1	-1.7	-.3	3.7	-4.2	3.4	-1.2	-4.9	-4.4	-1.8
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	7.0	5.6	-2.7	3.7	1.3	.7	-8.0	2.1	-.5	5.5	2.4
Dishes and flatware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.6	-3.3	-2.8	-3.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.5	-2.4	-.8	-1.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-1.2	-2.0	-.6
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.6	-.1	.5	-2.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.5	-1.8	-3.1	.2
Housekeeping supplies .....	1.8	-.2	1.9	.8	5.2	1.1	1.4	2.0	1.9	4.7	2.4
Household cleaning products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.1	4.7	2.7
Household paper products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	5.8	8.0	1.4
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	.1	2.1	2.8
Household operations <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.9	6.1	4.2
Domestic services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.5	4.5	2.9
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	2.4	9.0	4.5
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.5	5.1	3.9
Repair of household items <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	2.6	5.4	7.4
Apparel .....	3.4	1.4	.9	-1.6	.1	-.2	1.0	-.7	-.5	-1.8	-3.2

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Men's and boys' apparel .....	2.9	1.0	0.3	-1.7	0.6	1.4	2.7	-0.7	0.9	-2.7	-4.1
Men's apparel .....	3.1	1.3	.0	-1.4	.1	1.6	2.5	-.4	1.0	-2.2	-4.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	2.4	1.1	3.5	-1.0	-1.7	-.3	1.9	-1.9	2.0	-4.3	-1.5
Men's furnishings .....	2.0	1.1	-.5	-.2	-2.2	3.8	7.6	-.7	3.4	-1.7	-2.4
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	-1.1	.4	-7.7
Men's pants and shorts .....	3.4	2.5	-1.1	-1.6	1.0	1.7	-.2	-.1	.0	-4.1	-4.9
Boys' apparel .....	2.8	-1.0	1.8	-3.3	2.7	.5	3.3	-1.6	.8	-4.4	-3.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	4.0	.5	1.2	-3.8	-.8	-1.1	.2	-1.0	-.5	-1.7	-4.1
Women's apparel .....	3.1	.3	2.0	-4.4	-1.0	-.9	.6	-.6	-.6	-1.8	-4.0
Women's outerwear .....	3.3	4.2	4.4	-9.7	3.8	2.1	.5	-3.6	-2.9	2.8	-7.0
Women's dresses .....	-2.4	2.1	-2.7	-11.1	1.4	-5.8	-5.0	4.4	-2.6	-8.2	3.4
Women's suits and separates <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.8	-.1	-1.6	-5.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.4	-.2	-3.1
Girls' apparel .....	8.8	2.1	-3.3	-.7	.4	-2.9	-1.1	-3.4	-.2	-1.2	-4.8
Footwear .....	2.9	2.7	.6	-1.7	.4	1.5	1.8	-.5	-3.0	.1	-2.6
Men's footwear .....	3.0	2.7	.2	-.8	-.5	-.4	.2	.8	-3.5	.7	-3.3
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-.2	-1.0	.5	1.0	1.5	4.2	2.4	-.1	-5.0	-2.5	-1.1
Women's footwear .....	4.1	4.4	.7	-3.6	.6	1.5	2.6	-1.7	-1.5	1.0	-2.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	2.9	1.2	-2.8	3.3	-2.0	-1.4	-.9	3.0	2.6	-3.6	.2
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	3.9	2.8	1.7	5.0	.0	-5.0	-1.0	-2.0	-1.8	-.9	-.1
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	3.4	-1.2	5.3	5.0	4.8	-6.1	-.3	-1.4	-2.1	1.1	-1.8
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	3.9	3.8	.9	5.1	-1.1	-4.7	-1.2	-2.2	-1.8	-1.3	.3
Transportation .....	-1.5	3.0	2.4	3.8	1.5	4.4	-1.4	-1.7	5.4	4.1	-3.8
Private transportation .....	-1.4	2.7	1.5	4.9	1.3	3.7	-1.2	-2.0	5.2	4.1	-4.0
New and used motor vehicles <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	4.5	2.4	1.0	-1.7	.9	.2	1.0	-.5
New vehicles .....	3.2	2.3	3.3	3.3	1.9	1.8	-.9	.0	-.3	.0	-.1
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-.4	.0	.0
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	2.3	2.8	3.2	1.6	1.6	-1.0	-.1	-.8	.3	.0
New trucks <sup>2 6</sup> .....	3.0	2.5	4.6	3.7	2.8	2.2	-.1	.5	.7	-.6	-.1
New motorcycles <sup>2 5</sup> .....	5.4	4.0	7.2	7.9	5.1	3.8	.8	.4	2.3	-	-
Used cars and trucks .....	2.6	7.4	8.0	8.8	4.4	-1.6	-4.9	3.5	1.2	3.4	-1.9
Car and truck rental <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	6.6	-.6	-3.6
Motor fuel .....	-16.0	1.8	-5.4	5.9	-4.0	12.7	-6.2	-15.4	30.2	13.9	-24.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	-16.2	2.0	-5.9	6.4	-4.2	12.4	-6.1	-15.4	30.1	13.9	-24.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	-16.7	1.9	-6.7	7.2	-4.4	13.4	-6.6	-16.4	32.4	14.5	-25.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 8</sup> .....	-	-	-	5.3	-4.5	11.7	-5.8	-14.4	28.1	13.2	-24.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	-14.6	1.8	-4.7	5.2	-4.8	10.9	-5.6	-13.4	25.9	12.8	-23.4
Other motor fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12.3	22.3	25.2	-16.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.6	-.6	-1.6	.5	.5	-.1	-.9	-.2	-.4	2.3	2.6
Tires .....	2.3	-.5	-1.4	2.2	.2	.0	-2.8	-.4	-1.1	1.0	2.7
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	.4	3.3	2.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	.7	-.6	-1.6	-1.3	.9	-.3	1.1	.1	.3	1.4	1.1
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>2</sup> .....	.8	-.3	.6	6.1	3.2	1.5	-.2	-.8	1.1	7.2	6.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	4.5	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5	3.1	2.6	3.0	2.5	3.5	3.6
Motor vehicle body work .....	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.5	4.6	4.5	3.0	1.5	3.7	3.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	5.4	2.1	2.0	1.4	2.1	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.9	4.0
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.7	3.7	3.5
Motor vehicle insurance .....	8.0	6.6	5.0	3.4	4.3	3.8	2.4	-.3	.5	1.8	7.3
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.4	3.5	2.0
State and local registration and license <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	.8	3.0	1.0
Parking and other fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	2.7	4.5	4.2
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	2.5	4.7	4.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.9	3.0	.6	5.1
Public transportation .....	-3.0	5.6	11.6	-6.2	3.1	11.2	-2.9	2.2	6.8	4.1	-2.2
Airline fare .....	-6.0	6.6	17.0	-9.5	1.8	14.7	-4.8	4.1	10.9	5.9	-3.9
Other intercity transportation .....	2.4	.1	-2.8	2.3	.8	1.7	.7	3.1	-1.4	-1.6	-2.8
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-5.7	-12.8	-8.8
Intracity transportation .....	3.8	5.0	2.8	1.0	7.6	5.8	1.1	-2.7	.8	2.5	2.7
Medical care .....	7.9	6.6	5.4	4.9	3.9	3.0	2.8	3.4	3.7	4.2	4.7

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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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Medical care commodities .....	7.5	5.2	3.1	3.0	1.8	2.6	2.3	4.1	4.0	2.8	4.4
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	9.4	5.7	3.3	3.3	2.0	3.2	2.5	4.9	6.1	3.6	6.0
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>5</sup> .....	3.6	3.9	2.7	2.3	1.4	1.3	1.7	2.3	-3	1.0	.6
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	2.5	4.4	2.7	.8	.8	2.1	1.1	2.5	-1.1	1.1	1.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	5.7	2.9	2.6	4.9	2.4	-1	2.9	2.0	1.1	.9	-4
Medical care services .....	8.0	7.0	5.9	5.4	4.4	3.2	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.6	4.8
Professional services <sup>3</sup> .....	6.1	5.7	4.5	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.7	3.6
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	5.5	6.3	5.1	4.4	4.4	3.0	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.9	3.5
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	8.2	5.8	4.4	5.4	4.5	5.1	4.0	4.4	4.6	4.3	3.9
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>3 5</sup> .....	3.6	3.7	2.0	3.3	2.4	1.2	1.9	.6	3.1	2.4	2.8
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	5.5	3.1	3.2	4.0	.8	3.0	3.1	2.4	1.7	2.6	3.4
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	8.9	8.8	7.6	5.5	4.6	4.1	3.2	3.2	5.1	6.2	7.1
Hospital services <sup>3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	3.1	5.1	6.3	7.2
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.6	4.7	5.6	6.9
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 3 5</sup> .....	9.8	9.8	7.9	5.5	4.8	4.8	4.2	3.9	6.7	7.2	6.8
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>3 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.3	4.6	4.9	4.5
Recreation <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	1.4	2.8	3.0	1.5	1.2	.8	1.7	1.5
Video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-2.5	.4	3.3	2.4	.7	-6	.6	.5
Televisions .....	-1.1	-1.2	-1.7	-1.4	-4.0	-5.3	-4.3	-4.8	-7.3	-10.7	-10.8
Cable television <sup>3 6</sup> .....	8.6	3.7	7.0	-2.6	4.1	7.8	6.9	6.9	2.8	5.1	4.0
Other video equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-13.0	-15.5	-17.8	-16.6
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6.1	-3.2	-6.1	-1.8
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4.1	-12.6	1.3	-4.6
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7.1	7.1	-8.2	3.2
Audio equipment .....	1.8	-1.5	.4	-1.0	-2.6	-6	-2.0	-7.4	-3.9	.9	-4.4
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	1.3	2.7	4.3
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.0	2.9	4.2
Pets and pet products .....	1.7	-1.0	.9	1.0	3.5	5.3	-4	.6	1.1	-6	3.3
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	.8	.1	3.0
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3	.9	-1.1	2.1
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	3.4	9.0	5.9
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.3	5.5	1.9
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	3.5	9.0	6.4
Sporting goods .....	3.7	.1	.3	3.2	-6	-1	-4	-6	-3.0	.8	-1.6
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	1.5	2.1	-1	3.9	.1	.1	-5	2.7	.5	3.2	-5
Sports equipment .....	5.6	-1.5	.5	2.5	-1.1	-3	-3	-3.2	-5.8	-1.3	-2.6
Photography <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7	-2	.3	-7
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.9	2.2	1.7	-3.2	1.9	-4	.8	-3.2	-8	-2.9	-2.2
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8	-1.6	-1.6	1.4
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.2	-9	-4.0	-7.7
Photographers and film processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	.1	2.6	.1
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	4.3
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	.2	.8	-1.7
Other recreational goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-6.6	-2.6	-3.8
Toys .....	1.1	2.5	1.5	-9	1.0	2.8	-1.6	-6.1	-8.0	-3.7	-5.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-7.1	-2.7	-4.1
Video game hardware, software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.9	-3.0	.0	1.1
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4	-9	1.4	.0
Recreation services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	5.2	3.8	3.9
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	1.5	3.3	2.1
Admissions .....	4.8	3.9	1.8	4.0	5.3	4.0	3.4	2.7	8.6	5.0	4.5
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	9.7	4.1	2.6
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	7.3	5.8	6.0
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	5.6	5.1	4.0	4.9	3.0	5.9	5.2	2.8	4.6	1.8	6.7
Recreational reading materials .....	6.4	3.7	3.5	3.6	5.9	2.6	1.1	3.1	.7	1.3	2.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	1.9	1.6	2.1
Recreational books <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-1.9	.7	1.7
Education and communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	3.3	4.0	3.4	3.0	.7	1.6	1.3	3.2

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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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Education <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	5.8	5.6	4.9	5.2	4.7	4.4	5.7	5.6
Educational books and supplies .....	5.7	4.9	3.4	3.5	5.6	5.5	5.1	6.0	-5	11.5	3.3
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	9.8	8.5	7.1	5.9	5.6	4.9	5.2	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.9
College tuition and fees .....	12.1	10.0	7.9	6.3	5.7	5.3	4.6	3.9	4.0	4.5	6.2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	7.5	7.9	5.9	6.2	6.6	4.6	7.2	6.0	6.7	6.3	7.2
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	6.3	4.4	5.1	4.7	3.8	3.7	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.6	5.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	6.3	4.6	5.9
Communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	.0	1.7	1.3	-3	-2.9	-1.2	-3.0	.4
Postage and delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	3.0	.1	4.7
Postage .....	16.1	.0	.0	.0	10.3	.0	.0	.0	3.0	.0	4.6
Delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.6	5.5	6.6
Information and information processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	.0	.6	1.4	-3	-3.1	-1.5	-3.4	.1
Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.4	-2.3	1.3
Telephone services, local charges <sup>3</sup> .....	5.1	.5	1.0	-3	2.6	.9	1.0	1.3	2.8	5.5	4.5
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-1.3	-9.2	-1.8
Interstate toll calls <sup>2</sup> .....	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4	.1	3.7	-4.3	-8	-7	-11.2	-2.0
Intrastate toll calls <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.5	-2.4	.2	-1.0	-3.8	6.1	2.8	1.5	-1.6	-6.0	-1.7
Cellular telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.3	-11.6	-12.3	-5.5
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	-4.1	-6.1	-7.6	-9.1	-10.7	-11.6	-12.1	-26.6	-19.0	-15.6	-16.8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-35.8	-26.5	-22.7	-30.7
Computer software and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.0	-2.0	-7.6	-2.5
Computer information processing services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-7.1	-3	4.8
Other information processing equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-9.7	-11.8	-11.1	-8.2
Other goods and services .....	8.0	6.5	2.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	5.2	8.8	5.1	4.2	4.5
Tobacco and smoking products .....	11.1	8.1	-5.9	3.0	2.7	2.7	7.2	31.8	11.4	7.5	8.9
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	11.5	7.6	9.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	9.5	5.4	3.4
Personal care .....	2.5	2.9	2.5	1.9	2.1	1.1	2.3	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9
Personal care products .....	2.7	3.3	1.7	1.8	1.1	-9	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.0	-1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.6	3.9	-3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	3.0	1.4	4.7	1.0	1.5	2.5	2.2	4.5	4.4	.2	.1
Personal care services .....	2.2	2.4	3.4	2.1	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.7	3.6	4.0	2.8
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.5	4.0	2.8
Miscellaneous personal services .....	6.4	4.3	5.8	4.8	5.3	4.0	5.4	3.4	3.7	3.7	5.0
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	5.7	4.0	5.8	1.9	3.8	3.8	5.1	4.2	5.1	5.0	6.5
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	5.9	4.1	5.4	5.8	5.4	4.7	5.1	3.9	3.4	2.5	4.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.2	2.4	4.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1</sup> ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9	3.8	4.1
Financial services <sup>5</sup> .....	8.3	5.0	6.6	7.8	7.1	3.4	6.0	3.5	4.4	3.7	4.5
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	4.5	3.4	5.1
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	6.0	4.6	4.5
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	-2.4	-2.2	-1.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	4.8	3.0	3.7	1.5	6.5	3.1	4.2	1.6	-2.2	-1.0	.6
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities .....	1.2	2.0	1.5	2.3	1.4	3.2	.2	.4	2.7	2.7	-1.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.3	2.3	.6	2.0	1.0	2.5	-7	-8	3.2	2.5	-4.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	-1.0	2.3	-7	1.3	.5	3.8	-1	-1.0	6.7	4.5	-6.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	-3.2	2.9	-1.5	3.0	.9	5.9	-7	-1.2	10.4	7.2	-7.1
Durables .....	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	1.7	.7	-1.5	-5	-1.2	.0	-1.3
Services .....	4.6	3.6	3.8	2.9	3.5	3.3	2.8	2.6	2.6	3.9	3.7
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	3.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.3	3.3	2.5	3.5	4.2
Transportation services .....	2.5	3.6	4.8	2.5	3.0	4.4	1.0	1.3	2.3	2.9	3.1
Other services .....	6.2	5.3	5.1	4.0	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.0	3.2	2.9	3.8
All items less food .....	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.7	3.1	1.8	1.5	2.8	3.5	1.3
All items less shelter .....	2.7	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.3	3.4	1.1	.9	2.7	3.3	.4
All items less medical care .....	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	3.3	1.6	1.5	2.6	3.3	1.4
Commodities less food .....	.8	2.4	.6	1.9	1.1	2.6	-5	-7	3.2	2.5	-3.7
Nondurables less food .....	-2	2.4	-5	1.3	.7	3.8	.0	-8	6.4	4.3	-5.4
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	-1.6	2.8	-1.1	2.7	1.1	5.6	-4	-9	9.7	6.8	-6.2
Nondurables .....	.8	1.9	1.1	2.0	1.4	4.0	.8	.7	4.1	3.6	-1.4
Apparel less footwear .....	3.6	.9	.7	-1.8	-2	-9	.8	-7	.1	-2.1	-3.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	5.1	4.4	4.4	2.9	3.4	3.8	2.3	1.7	2.7	4.5	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	4.2	3.3	3.5	2.6	3.3	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.9	3.6
Energy .....	-7.4	2.0	-1.4	2.2	-1.3	8.6	-3.4	-8.8	13.4	14.2	-13.0

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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
All items less energy .....	3.9	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.1	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.8
All items less food and energy .....	4.4	3.3	3.2	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.6	2.7
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	4.0	2.5	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.1	.4	1.3	.2	.6	-.3
Energy commodities .....	-16.1	1.2	-5.1	5.2	-3.3	13.8	-6.9	-15.1	29.5	15.7	-24.5
Services less energy services .....	4.6	3.7	3.9	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.7	3.4	4.0
Domestically produced farm food .....	1.3	1.7	3.5	2.5	2.3	5.7	.6	2.4	1.7	3.2	2.9
Utilities and public transportation .....	3.1	3.2	4.4	-1.0	1.8	5.0	.4	.0	2.0	5.8	.1

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

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

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
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	-	-	10.0	-	-
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	-	-	10.1	1.0	1.0
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	-	-	10.2	2.0	1.0
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	-	-	11.0	11.5	7.8
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	-	-	12.9	19.0	17.3
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	-	-	15.1	20.3	17.1
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	-	-	17.4	14.5	15.2
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	-	-	20.1	2.6	15.5
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	-	-	18.0	-10.8	-10.4
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	-	-	16.9	-2.3	-6.1
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	-	-	17.2	2.4	1.8
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	-	-	17.2	.0	.0
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	-	-	17.6	3.4	2.3
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	-	-	17.8	-1.1	1.1
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	-	-	17.5	-2.2	-1.7
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	-	-	17.2	-1.1	-1.7
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	-	-	17.2	.6	.0
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	-	-	16.8	-6.4	-2.3
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	-	-	15.3	-9.3	-8.9
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	-	-	13.7	-10.2	-10.5
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	-	-	13.0	.0	-5.1
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	-	-	13.5	2.3	3.8
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	-	-	13.8	3.0	2.2
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	-	-	13.9	1.4	.7
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	-	-	14.4	2.8	3.6
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	-	-	14.2	-2.8	-1.4
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	-	-	14.0	-.7	-1.4
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	-	-	14.1	1.4	.7
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	-	-	14.8	9.2	5.0
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	-	-	16.4	9.7	10.8
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	-	-	17.4	2.9	6.1
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	-	-	17.7	2.3	1.7
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	-	-	18.1	2.2	2.3
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	-	-	19.6	18.0	8.3
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	-	-	22.5	9.3	14.8
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	-	-	24.2	2.5	7.6
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	-	-	24.0	-1.7	-.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	-	-	24.2	5.5	.8
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	-	-	26.1	6.0	7.9
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	-	-	26.7	1.1	2.3
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	-	-	26.9	.4	.7
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	-	-	27.0	-.4	.4
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	-	-	26.9	.4	-.4
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	-	-	27.3	3.0	1.5
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	-	-	28.3	2.9	3.7
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	-	-	29.1	1.7	2.8
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	-	-	29.3	1.4	.7
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	-	-	29.8	1.7	1.7
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	-	-	30.1	.7	1.0
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	-	-	30.4	1.3	1.0
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	-	-	30.8	1.6	1.3
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	-	-	31.2	1.0	1.3
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	-	-	31.7	1.9	1.6
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	-	-	32.6	3.4	2.8
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	-	-	33.6	3.0	3.1
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	-	-	35.0	4.7	4.2
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	-	-	36.9	6.2	5.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**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.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
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	-	-	39.0	5.5	5.7
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	-	-	40.7	3.3	4.4
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	-	-	42.1	3.4	3.4
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	-	-	44.7	8.9	6.2
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	-	-	49.6	12.3	11.0
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	-	-	54.1	6.9	9.1
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	-	-	57.2	4.8	5.7
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	-	-	60.9	6.8	6.5
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	-	-	65.6	9.0	7.7
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	-	-	73.1	13.4	11.4
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	-	-	82.9	12.6	13.4
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	-	-	91.4	8.6	10.3
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	-	-	96.9	3.8	6.0
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	-	-	99.8	3.3	3.0
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	102.1	104.4	103.3	3.6	3.5
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	106.0	107.8	106.9	3.6	3.5
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	108.2	109.0	108.6	.6	1.6
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	111.2	113.7	112.5	4.5	3.6
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	115.5	118.4	117.0	4.4	4.0
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	121.3	123.9	122.6	4.5	4.8
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	127.1	131.0	129.0	6.1	5.2
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	133.3	135.2	134.3	2.8	4.1
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	137.1	139.3	138.2	2.9	2.9
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	141.3	142.9	142.1	2.5	2.8
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	144.5	146.8	145.6	2.7	2.5
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	148.9	150.6	149.8	2.5	2.9
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	153.1	155.2	154.1	3.3	2.9
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	157.0	158.1	157.6	1.5	2.3
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	159.0	160.3	159.7	1.6	1.3
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	162.0	164.5	163.2	2.7	2.2
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	167.6	170.2	168.9	3.4	3.5
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	173.2	-	173.5	1.3	2.7

- 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										
											Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items .....	135.9	139.8	143.3	147.2	150.9	155.9	158.2	160.7	165.1	170.7	172.9
All items (1967=100) .....	404.7	416.3	426.8	438.6	449.5	464.3	471.3	478.6	491.8	508.5	515.0
Food and beverages .....	136.9	139.1	142.9	146.6	149.8	156.1	158.5	161.9	165.2	169.8	174.6
Food .....	136.3	138.3	142.2	146.2	149.4	155.8	158.1	161.5	164.7	169.3	174.1
Food at home .....	135.0	137.0	141.7	146.3	149.5	156.9	158.2	161.3	164.2	169.1	173.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	147.2	153.0	158.6	163.9	169.2	175.4	178.1	182.0	185.7	190.4	195.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	148.2	153.5	158.7	163.6	167.8	165.7	168.8	171.3	173.4	175.0	178.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	123.3	129.5	129.3	131.5	140.0	150.6	150.0	153.6	150.2	151.8	159.1
Breakfast cereal .....	171.1	177.7	186.1	190.5	193.6	185.4	188.6	192.7	196.6	199.0	201.9
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	126.4	128.9	131.7	139.6	143.1	144.2	150.1	149.9	151.7	152.2	154.8
Bakery products .....	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.5	179.7	182.2	187.0	191.5	198.3	203.5
Bread <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	104.5	109.3	114.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	106.3	109.8	114.0
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	153.7	157.3	162.5	168.5	170.7	177.8	179.1	183.1	188.8	192.0	195.1
Other bakery products .....	147.9	155.5	158.4	163.6	168.0	178.4	179.0	184.3	187.7	195.6	196.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	131.5	132.1	136.9	136.0	141.7	149.8	148.0	146.9	149.4	156.3	161.8
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	132.0	133.1	138.2	137.3	141.4	148.9	147.8	147.0	150.6	156.8	163.2
Meats .....	130.8	131.2	136.0	133.7	137.3	144.5	143.3	140.2	145.2	152.8	160.0
Beef and veal .....	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.4	137.8	136.6	136.9	143.0	150.5	159.7
Uncooked ground beef .....	119.5	118.8	123.2	117.7	115.7	117.6	116.3	115.9	121.0	128.3	137.0
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	103.2	109.3	118.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.7	106.2	110.9	115.8
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.3	103.6	108.1	113.7
Pork .....	128.6	127.7	133.4	130.3	140.0	155.5	153.1	144.1	148.4	157.0	163.1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1</sup> ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.8	100.2	107.4	113.5
Ham .....	136.8	134.9	136.9	134.9	144.6	156.9	153.9	144.9	145.8	151.1	157.6
Pork chops .....	136.4	140.0	146.5	139.3	146.9	156.9	150.9	140.0	146.7	155.5	160.2
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.5	93.8	99.3	101.0
Other meats .....	132.3	132.6	136.1	136.9	141.2	146.0	146.6	145.4	149.1	154.8	159.2
Poultry .....	129.8	133.4	140.7	140.2	146.0	157.5	155.0	159.4	157.9	160.7	167.8
Chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	101.6	103.2	108.4
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.7	105.3	107.5
Fish and seafood .....	151.2	153.8	158.8	167.1	172.3	176.5	178.0	184.5	187.5	191.1	191.3
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	106.2	110.8	110.0
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	104.2	102.5	103.9
Eggs .....	122.7	117.0	114.8	115.3	144.8	162.3	150.1	142.0	123.4	144.5	132.4
Dairy and related products .....	127.2	128.9	130.0	131.4	134.7	148.5	147.5	157.4	161.9	161.5	170.6
Milk <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.2	109.8	109.4	114.1
Cheese and related products .....	134.9	135.1	134.0	135.2	138.4	149.8	147.7	158.4	164.4	160.3	171.9
Ice cream and related products .....	129.9	130.5	131.2	136.0	139.7	150.4	151.9	163.2	164.7	168.2	183.2
Other dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.2	108.3	110.3	113.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	152.1	155.3	165.4	178.8	177.0	186.0	190.0	199.0	202.8	213.3	212.8
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	168.5	172.8	188.6	210.8	205.2	214.3	220.7	232.9	237.8	252.4	248.5
Fresh fruits .....	188.1	180.0	202.6	209.8	222.0	248.1	236.0	253.8	263.1	264.4	266.9
Apples .....	170.4	154.2	167.2	163.5	188.0	195.2	194.9	191.5	202.9	204.0	217.9
Bananas .....	127.6	124.0	127.2	142.7	146.4	157.2	151.3	165.5	161.4	160.8	164.8
Citrus fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	118.2	126.8	120.6	129.9
Other fresh fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.9	109.7	113.9	107.5
Fresh vegetables .....	149.3	166.0	175.1	212.0	189.0	181.2	205.8	212.9	214.1	240.4	230.8
Potatoes .....	128.2	136.8	164.9	154.1	175.2	160.2	175.0	177.6	191.5	179.5	205.5
Lettuce .....	169.6	180.7	151.4	269.0	171.1	183.1	215.4	196.2	209.2	276.5	228.5
Tomatoes .....	123.1	190.9	194.6	229.9	239.2	190.5	249.5	277.2	229.9	281.9	261.0
Other fresh vegetables .....	162.4	167.4	179.6	217.6	184.1	187.5	203.6	212.3	222.1	246.1	234.3
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.1	103.4	105.3	109.9
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	102.8	105.0	109.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	105.5	107.4	114.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.9	102.1	103.4

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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	112.9	112.7	115.1	130.6	128.8	126.5	131.7	130.4	133.5	135.8	137.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.7	102.9	105.0	106.9
Carbonated drinks .....	112.3	114.0	116.0	115.7	119.1	118.5	116.3	115.2	118.9	121.7	123.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	109.2	111.2	114.0
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	102.8	104.6	106.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.7	96.7	97.4	97.3
Coffee .....	111.0	104.9	110.5	172.3	155.6	144.9	169.3	154.2	151.5	147.1	142.1
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.3	109.8	113.1
Other food at home .....	127.0	128.2	130.8	138.3	140.1	143.2	147.1	151.7	152.7	155.8	160.5
Sugar and sweets .....	130.6	131.9	133.1	134.4	138.4	144.5	147.7	150.0	152.3	153.3	155.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	118.4	119.6	120.8	123.2	128.3	132.7	133.7	134.2	134.4	133.6	136.8
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	103.4	104.5	105.7
Other sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.7	105.3	106.1	109.0
Fats and oils .....	129.1	128.3	129.3	134.1	137.3	140.4	140.0	151.2	144.7	149.9	156.5
Butter and margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	120.2	104.4	113.1	126.2
Salad dressing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	104.4	106.3	108.2
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	102.0	103.3	103.7
Other foods .....	138.1	141.0	144.7	148.0	151.9	158.8	162.7	166.7	169.4	173.0	178.3
Soups .....	149.0	157.5	164.3	171.3	177.4	185.6	189.6	192.3	192.8	197.9	203.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	137.4	138.1	137.5	137.9	138.4	145.3	144.1	146.4	146.0	149.1	153.6
Snacks .....	132.6	132.1	136.0	138.5	143.3	151.5	155.1	156.1	162.1	166.7	173.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	137.8	143.5	147.3	150.8	156.8	163.9	168.4	172.4	175.2	173.5	182.9
Baby food <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	107.9	112.6	116.0
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.9	105.2	108.6	109.0
Food away from home .....	139.4	141.6	144.1	147.0	150.3	155.0	159.0	163.0	166.8	170.8	176.0
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	105.1	108.0	111.4
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.9	107.8	111.3
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	104.1	106.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.8	101.6	103.1	104.7
Other food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	106.9	111.4	115.8
Alcoholic beverages .....	143.5	147.7	150.0	151.4	154.3	159.9	163.1	166.2	171.0	175.8	180.5
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	138.2	141.3	142.0	141.7	143.0	147.7	148.4	150.8	155.1	159.3	161.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	138.9	142.8	143.2	142.9	144.1	148.1	147.2	149.9	154.4	159.4	161.9
Distilled spirits at home .....	139.3	141.3	142.8	143.8	145.0	147.9	151.2	152.1	157.5	161.6	167.7
Wine at home .....	129.3	131.3	131.6	130.0	131.7	139.9	143.0	145.1	147.7	148.7	148.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	158.0	164.0	168.8	172.5	178.0	185.2	192.1	196.7	202.7	208.8	218.7
Housing .....	132.7	136.1	139.7	142.7	146.7	151.0	154.4	157.8	161.1	168.1	172.9
Shelter .....	144.6	148.7	153.1	157.7	163.1	167.7	173.1	178.8	183.3	189.6	197.7
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	144.8	148.2	151.6	155.4	159.3	163.7	168.8	174.6	179.9	187.0	195.7
Lodging away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.0	105.7	108.7	108.8
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>2 3</sup> .....	175.7	189.7	193.8	202.9	211.8	219.2	231.2	241.7	251.9	263.0	277.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	168.6	174.5	181.2	184.4	191.1	201.1	213.2	221.7	224.7	230.5	229.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	139.7	143.8	148.4	153.3	159.0	163.4	168.3	173.7	177.8	183.5	191.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	102.4	104.9	106.3
Fuels and utilities .....	115.7	118.4	121.5	121.6	123.3	129.0	129.7	126.4	129.2	144.6	141.5
Fuels .....	105.9	108.4	110.2	109.5	110.2	116.5	115.2	110.9	113.5	129.3	125.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	94.4	91.7	88.2	88.3	89.5	110.6	97.0	86.6	106.0	144.1	112.7
Fuel oil .....	92.5	89.5	85.4	85.4	86.8	106.9	94.2	79.9	104.9	147.3	107.6
Other household fuels <sup>4</sup> .....	123.2	120.3	117.8	118.2	119.2	147.9	128.5	125.3	135.7	172.9	154.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	111.9	115.1	117.7	116.8	117.5	122.3	122.4	118.4	119.8	134.8	132.5
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	120.4	122.4	123.0	123.8	127.2	128.1	126.4	122.3	123.3	126.5	133.6
Utility natural gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	99.3	104.7	110.9	107.0	102.8	114.9	118.3	114.1	116.8	160.4	135.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	104.8	108.0	111.0
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>2</sup> .....	163.8	174.3	182.9	190.5	195.9	202.6	210.6	216.4	220.2	227.7	234.6
Garbage and trash collection <sup>5</sup> .....	197.6	214.6	225.7	236.8	243.3	247.9	252.8	260.2	266.5	271.9	278.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	115.4	117.2	119.0	119.7	122.4	123.5	123.6	124.8	124.2	125.6	125.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.0	99.0	100.6	99.3
Floor coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	100.0	106.5	106.3
Window coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.2	98.6	101.4	98.5
Other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.7	98.7	97.3	96.5
Furniture and bedding .....	115.5	120.5	123.9	125.4	130.7	131.9	130.6	132.3	130.2	130.6	126.4
Bedroom furniture .....	122.0	128.3	134.6	132.2	134.8	139.6	141.5	141.2	139.1	135.6	133.9
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	100.3	102.5	98.6
Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.5	100.2	99.5	94.3

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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										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.9	97.5	94.9	94.4
Major appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.6	98.2	96.2	97.8
Other appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.5	96.3	93.0	89.1
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	96.5	95.6	95.0
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	116.2	119.0	115.0	114.5	118.7	114.1	118.4	117.6	109.9	104.7	102.6
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>6</sup> .....	107.3	113.2	110.4	114.7	116.3	117.0	107.3	109.7	109.7	115.6	118.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.2	95.1	93.0	90.5
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.8	97.7	96.5	95.0
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.4	98.7	96.3	95.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.7	98.3	98.2	96.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	98.7	94.8	94.3
Housekeeping supplies .....	130.4	130.0	131.9	133.3	139.9	142.0	144.3	147.1	150.1	157.0	160.8
Household cleaning products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	103.1	107.7	110.6
Household paper products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	108.3	117.2	118.8
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	102.3	103.9	107.0
Household operations <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.2	113.2	118.0
Domestic services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	107.0	111.4	114.3
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	103.9	114.0	119.6
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.6	106.4	111.4	114.4
Repair of household items <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	108.2	116.2	124.4
Apparel .....	128.4	130.4	131.3	129.3	129.5	129.3	130.3	129.8	129.0	126.6	123.0
Men's and boys' apparel .....	124.9	126.4	127.0	124.5	125.8	127.5	130.7	130.2	131.6	128.0	122.7
Men's apparel .....	127.7	129.9	130.3	128.2	128.7	130.9	133.9	133.8	135.0	132.1	126.4
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	131.0	133.6	140.4	137.3	135.5	134.7	135.9	133.4	134.7	129.3	127.6
Men's furnishings .....	122.1	123.2	123.1	123.9	120.5	125.7	136.1	135.8	141.3	138.0	134.8
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	99.8	100.5	93.1
Men's pants and shorts .....	124.9	128.2	127.2	125.6	127.1	129.0	128.9	128.6	128.7	123.3	117.1
Boys' apparel .....	116.3	115.3	116.6	112.9	116.4	116.7	120.5	118.8	120.8	115.4	111.1
Women's and girls' apparel .....	126.7	127.6	128.4	124.0	123.3	121.7	121.5	121.0	119.8	117.5	113.5
Women's apparel .....	125.7	126.1	128.1	123.2	122.2	120.8	120.8	120.9	119.5	117.2	113.5
Women's outerwear .....	118.4	121.9	128.9	118.6	121.3	126.1	129.2	123.2	120.3	123.6	116.3
Women's dresses .....	128.4	132.4	128.8	114.2	116.7	105.9	100.5	107.5	102.8	94.0	99.8
Women's suits and separates <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.8	98.1	96.4	91.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.5	100.5	97.3
Girls' apparel .....	131.7	135.1	130.0	127.6	128.6	126.2	125.0	121.8	121.1	119.0	113.7
Footwear .....	122.5	125.6	126.6	124.2	125.0	127.0	129.2	128.2	124.2	124.0	121.0
Men's footwear .....	129.6	132.6	134.1	132.1	132.3	131.4	131.4	132.6	127.4	128.0	123.7
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	123.0	122.7	122.7	123.9	125.8	131.2	135.0	133.3	126.2	124.2	121.8
Women's footwear .....	115.8	120.7	121.9	117.3	118.0	120.2	123.1	120.6	119.3	119.5	117.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	131.8	133.1	128.1	132.9	129.8	128.1	126.5	130.9	134.8	130.0	130.3
Jewelry and watches <sup>4</sup> .....	131.3	136.6	140.1	144.9	144.2	138.4	137.7	133.6	131.5	130.1	131.0
Watches <sup>4</sup> .....	113.6	111.9	118.6	122.9	129.3	120.9	121.1	119.4	115.3	116.9	114.6
Jewelry <sup>4</sup> .....	136.4	143.6	146.3	151.2	148.5	143.4	142.4	137.6	136.1	133.9	135.7
Transportation .....	124.5	128.2	130.8	136.7	138.9	144.8	142.4	139.6	147.6	153.9	147.4
Private transportation .....	123.2	126.6	128.5	135.2	137.2	142.4	140.1	137.1	145.0	151.2	144.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	93.7	98.5	101.3	102.1	100.0	101.1	101.5	102.8	102.0
New vehicles .....	128.5	131.7	136.2	140.9	143.7	146.5	145.3	145.3	144.7	144.6	144.7
Used cars and trucks .....	120.2	129.7	140.2	152.1	159.1	156.8	149.5	154.3	156.3	161.6	158.1
Car and truck rental <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	108.4	107.9	103.8
Motor fuel .....	98.5	99.9	94.6	100.2	96.4	108.9	101.7	86.0	112.3	127.7	96.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	98.3	99.9	94.0	100.0	95.9	108.3	101.2	85.5	111.7	126.9	95.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	96.2	97.6	91.1	97.6	93.5	106.5	98.9	82.6	109.7	125.4	93.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	-	-	100.0	105.3	100.6	112.4	105.9	90.6	116.6	131.6	99.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	101.5	103.0	98.1	103.2	98.3	109.2	102.8	89.0	112.4	126.6	97.2
Other motor fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.7	107.4	134.4	111.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	103.0	102.2	100.7	101.0	101.6	101.4	100.8	100.5	100.2	102.3	104.9
Tires .....	100.8	100.4	98.9	101.1	101.2	101.2	98.2	97.7	96.5	97.5	100.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	100.5	103.5	105.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	138.8	143.9	148.3	152.6	156.6	161.4	165.7	170.9	175.2	181.5	187.9
Motor vehicle body work .....	142.9	147.0	150.8	155.7	161.4	168.6	176.5	181.9	184.4	191.4	198.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	133.7	136.5	139.3	141.4	144.4	148.6	152.7	157.1	161.1	166.1	172.6
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.2	106.0	109.9	113.6

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										
											Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Motor vehicle insurance .....	198.6	211.5	221.9	229.5	239.6	249.0	255.3	254.6	256.0	260.8	280.1
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	104.5	108.8	110.8
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.8	102.7	106.7	107.8
Parking and other fees <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.8	110.1	115.1	119.8
Public transportation .....	147.8	155.5	171.1	162.5	169.0	186.9	182.5	185.1	196.0	203.7	200.1
Airline fare .....	154.0	163.6	191.8	173.5	177.2	204.5	193.9	201.6	223.7	237.0	227.5
Other intercity transportation .....	154.2	155.4	149.6	152.3	154.9	157.9	160.3	164.7	162.0	158.9	154.2
Intracity transportation .....	140.7	147.6	152.0	153.3	164.9	174.1	176.2	171.4	172.2	176.1	180.6
Medical care .....	182.0	194.3	204.5	214.6	223.1	230.1	236.5	244.4	253.2	263.8	276.2
Medical care commodities .....	180.3	189.4	195.1	200.8	204.2	209.4	214.1	222.1	230.2	236.5	246.7
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	206.8	218.3	225.2	233.2	237.8	244.9	251.0	263.4	279.7	289.8	307.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	127.7	133.0	136.5	138.7	140.4	142.5	144.8	147.4	146.2	147.9	149.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	152.7	159.2	163.3	164.7	165.9	169.0	171.6	175.0	172.5	175.0	177.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	150.5	156.1	160.4	167.0	171.2	171.6	175.0	177.4	179.0	179.6	179.0
Medical care services .....	182.4	195.4	206.6	217.7	227.4	234.7	241.6	249.4	258.4	270.1	283.0
Professional services <sup>2</sup> .....	170.2	180.0	188.0	196.9	204.9	212.3	218.9	226.2	233.4	242.3	251.0
Physicians' services <sup>2</sup> .....	174.5	185.5	194.8	203.6	212.5	219.1	225.3	233.1	239.2	248.5	257.5
Dental services <sup>2</sup> .....	172.9	182.8	190.9	201.3	210.1	220.9	229.6	239.7	250.9	262.0	272.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>2 4</sup> .....	123.2	127.8	130.5	135.2	138.5	140.4	142.8	143.7	148.4	152.0	156.1
Services by other medical professionals <sup>2 4</sup> .....	129.2	133.9	138.1	144.3	146.8	151.5	156.8	160.6	163.4	167.8	173.5
Hospital and related services <sup>2</sup> .....	201.2	218.9	235.1	248.5	260.0	270.4	278.7	287.4	302.1	320.9	343.6
Hospital services <sup>2 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.2	111.6	118.5	127.0
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 7 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	104.9	109.8	115.9	123.9
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 4 7</sup> .....	160.4	176.0	189.3	200.2	209.4	219.5	228.6	238.1	253.7	271.9	290.1
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>2 9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.0	110.6	117.1	124.0	130.6
Recreation <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	92.2	93.2	95.6	98.5	100.0	100.8	101.2	102.6	103.8
Video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	96.5	93.9	94.3	97.5	100.0	100.7	99.8	100.3	100.5
Televisions .....	71.4	70.9	69.4	68.2	65.2	61.7	59.3	56.4	52.3	46.7	41.7
Cable television <sup>2 5</sup> .....	181.2	188.4	201.7	195.8	203.5	219.5	234.6	250.7	258.0	271.8	282.3
Other video equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	86.8	73.5	60.4	50.2
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1</sup> ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	94.8	91.5	86.2	84.5
Audio equipment .....	94.9	93.5	94.2	93.2	90.8	90.2	88.4	81.7	78.1	78.4	74.5
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	101.5	104.0	107.9
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.6	103.5	106.2	110.6
Pets and pet products .....	129.5	128.5	129.3	130.7	135.4	142.4	141.9	142.5	144.0	143.2	147.8
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	108.0	118.4	125.5
Sporting goods .....	120.5	121.6	122.6	126.1	124.5	124.6	124.5	124.0	120.6	121.9	119.7
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	120.4	123.5	124.9	128.8	127.3	127.4	127.7	131.5	131.6	136.0	134.6
Sports equipment .....	118.0	116.3	116.7	119.7	118.0	118.0	117.3	113.3	107.1	105.7	102.8
Photography <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	99.1	99.6	99.1
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	131.1	134.1	136.5	131.4	133.8	133.9	134.6	130.5	129.5	125.6	122.6
Photographers and film processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	100.9	103.4	103.9
Other recreational goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.5	86.2	82.8
Toys .....	117.9	121.3	123.2	122.2	123.5	127.4	125.2	117.8	108.6	104.9	99.7
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.1	95.4	95.5	96.4
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.8	99.3	100.1	99.9
Recreation services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	109.3	113.8	118.1
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.7	106.3	110.2	112.5
Admissions .....	160.5	166.6	169.9	176.2	185.7	193.3	199.8	205.0	223.2	234.2	243.8
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>4</sup> .....	133.6	140.7	146.3	154.0	158.6	167.3	175.8	179.4	187.7	190.7	204.7
Recreational reading materials .....	147.8	153.4	159.0	164.8	174.5	179.3	181.3	186.9	188.3	191.0	194.3
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.5	107.1	109.1
Recreational books <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	100.4	101.4	102.8
Education and communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	87.8	90.4	94.0	97.1	100.0	100.9	102.5	103.7	106.9
Education <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	81.1	85.6	90.4	94.8	100.0	104.7	109.4	115.7	122.1
Educational books and supplies .....	184.4	194.9	202.3	208.5	220.3	232.9	245.2	259.7	256.9	289.2	297.3
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	199.4	214.4	228.7	242.0	255.8	267.9	282.7	295.8	310.4	326.5	345.2
College tuition and fees .....	205.0	223.8	240.3	255.3	271.2	286.1	300.9	312.7	325.6	340.6	361.8
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	206.2	222.7	235.4	250.2	266.9	279.3	299.4	318.0	340.2	359.4	386.4
Child care and nursery school <sup>6</sup> .....	106.3	110.8	116.7	122.7	127.5	132.1	138.7	145.2	152.5	160.9	168.8
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.6	113.8	118.9	125.8

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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										
											Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Communication <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	96.8	96.9	98.7	100.1	100.0	97.8	97.0	94.1	94.6
Postage and delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	103.1	103.2	108.1
Postage .....	145.7	145.7	145.7	145.7	160.8	160.8	160.8	160.8	165.6	165.6	173.4
Delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	110.1	116.2	124.1
Information and information processing <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	97.6	97.9	98.5	100.1	100.0	97.7	96.6	93.6	93.9
Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.9	98.6	99.9
Telephone services, local charges <sup>2</sup> .....	154.7	155.3	156.9	156.3	159.9	161.3	163.0	165.3	170.1	179.7	187.9
Telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	98.6	89.4	87.7
Cellular telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.4	81.9	71.7	68.2
Information and information processing other than telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	86.9	80.6	74.2	68.2	61.4	54.9	48.9	36.0	29.3	24.6	20.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	64.0	46.9	35.9	25.0
Computer software and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	89.9	88.5	82.0	79.3
Computer information processing services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	96.3	95.8	100.7
Other information processing equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	89.7	79.1	70.0	64.7
Other goods and services .....	177.7	189.0	192.0	200.0	208.1	215.2	226.9	252.6	267.3	279.2	293.3
Tobacco and smoking products .....	211.5	229.0	215.4	222.2	228.4	233.9	250.9	332.0	369.7	396.9	432.9
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	133.8	149.1	160.2	175.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	115.9	121.8	125.3
Personal care .....	135.7	139.9	143.2	146.1	148.9	150.4	153.9	158.3	163.1	167.7	172.3
Personal care products .....	133.7	138.6	140.7	143.5	144.7	143.5	146.1	149.6	153.1	155.8	156.0
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.8	104.3	104.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	136.0	138.5	144.7	146.8	148.9	153.1	156.7	163.7	170.6	170.8	171.7
Personal care services .....	137.9	141.3	146.2	149.2	154.2	159.4	164.1	168.6	174.7	181.7	187.1
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	106.5	110.8	114.1
Miscellaneous personal services .....	170.5	177.6	188.9	198.8	208.9	217.8	228.9	237.4	246.7	255.3	268.0
Legal services <sup>4</sup> .....	129.2	133.6	144.0	147.2	153.1	159.7	166.5	174.9	183.7	191.8	204.1
Funeral expenses <sup>4</sup> .....	130.1	135.1	142.1	150.6	158.1	165.9	174.7	182.1	188.8	193.9	202.8
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.5	106.9	111.4
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	105.0	109.5	114.0
Financial services <sup>4</sup> .....	136.8	143.9	153.3	166.5	177.7	183.2	193.9	200.5	209.7	218.0	228.2
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	97.6	95.4	93.5
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities .....	127.0	129.8	131.6	134.8	136.9	141.4	141.6	142.3	146.6	150.6	148.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	120.9	124.1	124.7	127.6	129.0	132.4	131.3	130.6	135.4	139.1	133.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	124.2	127.3	125.7	127.7	128.3	133.6	133.1	132.1	142.0	148.6	139.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	126.2	129.9	127.2	131.3	132.1	140.4	139.3	137.9	153.9	165.5	153.1
Durables .....	115.3	118.7	122.3	126.5	128.9	129.6	127.5	127.4	126.3	126.6	124.9
Services .....	147.0	152.1	157.6	162.4	167.9	173.4	178.2	182.5	187.2	194.5	201.7
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	139.1	143.0	147.3	151.7	156.9	161.4	166.6	172.2	176.5	182.6	190.4
Transportation services .....	152.5	157.2	163.3	169.2	174.9	181.5	183.9	186.1	189.9	195.2	202.6
Other services .....	162.0	169.9	178.5	185.9	194.0	201.7	209.9	216.1	222.9	228.9	237.3
All items less food .....	135.7	140.0	143.4	147.4	151.1	155.8	158.1	160.4	165.1	170.9	172.5
All items less shelter .....	133.7	137.6	140.8	144.6	147.8	152.8	154.2	155.6	160.1	165.5	165.7
All items less medical care .....	133.6	137.2	140.4	144.0	147.5	152.4	154.5	156.8	161.1	166.4	168.3
Commodities less food .....	121.8	125.0	125.7	128.5	130.0	133.5	132.5	132.0	136.8	140.6	135.1
Nondurables less food .....	125.3	128.4	127.1	129.0	129.8	135.2	135.0	134.1	143.8	150.3	141.8
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	127.0	130.7	128.6	132.4	133.4	141.3	140.7	139.7	154.7	165.8	154.7
Nondurables .....	130.8	133.4	134.5	137.4	139.3	145.2	146.2	147.3	154.0	159.7	157.3
Apparel less footwear .....	126.8	128.3	128.9	126.5	126.5	125.5	126.1	125.7	125.7	122.9	119.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	137.9	143.5	149.5	154.0	159.2	165.0	168.8	171.5	175.9	183.7	189.2
Services less medical care services .....	143.9	148.4	153.4	157.6	162.8	168.1	172.7	176.9	181.2	188.3	195.0

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										
											Dec 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
Energy .....	101.6	103.5	101.7	104.2	102.6	112.0	107.7	97.8	112.1	127.6	110.0
All items less energy .....	140.8	144.9	149.1	153.3	157.6	162.1	165.2	169.3	172.5	176.8	181.5
All items less food and energy .....	142.0	146.6	150.9	155.1	159.7	163.7	167.1	171.3	174.5	178.7	183.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	128.9	132.7	134.7	137.1	139.6	141.0	141.5	144.1	144.6	145.8	145.6
Energy commodities .....	98.4	99.5	94.3	99.4	96.0	109.4	101.6	86.2	112.1	128.9	97.5
Services less energy services .....	151.0	156.3	162.1	167.5	173.4	179.0	184.3	189.7	194.7	201.1	209.4
Domestically produced farm food .....	136.7	139.0	143.9	147.1	150.7	159.3	160.2	163.7	166.6	172.0	177.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	125.6	129.4	134.4	133.6	135.9	142.4	143.3	143.1	145.7	154.1	154.2

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>2</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

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

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

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

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

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

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items .....	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.5	3.3	1.5	1.6	2.7	3.4	1.3
Food and beverages .....	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.6	2.2	4.2	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.8	2.8
Food .....	1.8	1.5	2.8	2.8	2.2	4.3	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.8
Food at home .....	1.1	1.5	3.4	3.2	2.2	4.9	.8	2.0	1.8	3.0	2.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.7	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.5
Cereals and cereal products .....	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.6	-1.3	1.9	1.5	1.2	.9	1.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	-2	5.0	-2	1.7	6.5	7.6	-4	2.4	-2.2	1.1	4.8
Breakfast cereal .....	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.6	-4.2	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.2	1.5
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	2.8	2.0	2.2	6.0	2.5	.8	4.1	-1	1.2	.3	1.7
Bakery products .....	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.5	6.0	1.4	2.6	2.4	3.6	2.6
Bread .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.1	4.6	5.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	4.8	2.3	3.3	3.7	1.3	4.2	.7	2.2	3.1	1.7	1.6
Other bakery products .....	3.9	5.1	1.9	3.3	2.7	6.2	.3	3.0	1.8	4.2	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	-1.6	.5	3.6	-7	4.2	5.7	-1.2	-7	1.7	4.6	3.5
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-1.4	.8	3.8	-7	3.0	5.3	-7	-5	2.4	4.1	4.1
Meats .....	-2.2	.3	3.7	-1.7	2.7	5.2	-8	-2.2	3.6	5.2	4.7
Beef and veal .....	-1.1	.8	3.7	-2.2	-2	2.5	-9	.2	4.5	5.2	6.1
Uncooked ground beef .....	-1.4	-6	3.7	-4.5	-1.7	1.6	-1.1	-3	4.4	6.0	6.8
Uncooked beef roasts .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	2.0	5.9	8.5
Uncooked beef steaks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	5.5	4.4	4.4
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.7	5.4	4.3	5.2
Pork .....	-6.0	-7	4.5	-2.3	7.4	11.1	-1.5	-5.9	3.0	5.8	3.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.2	3.5	7.2	5.7
Ham .....	-4.8	-1.4	1.5	-1.5	7.2	8.5	-1.9	-5.8	.6	3.6	4.3
Pork chops .....	-4.3	2.6	4.6	-4.9	5.5	6.8	-3.8	-7.2	4.8	6.0	3.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.5	2.5	5.9	1.7
Other meats .....	.8	.2	2.6	.6	3.1	3.4	.4	-8	2.5	3.8	2.8
Poultry .....	.5	2.8	5.5	-4	4.1	7.9	-1.6	2.8	-9	1.8	4.4
Chicken .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-1.8	1.6	5.0
Other poultry including turkey .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.6	2.5	2.1
Fish and seafood .....	1.6	1.7	3.3	5.2	3.1	2.4	.8	3.7	1.6	1.9	.1
Fresh fish and seafood .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.6	4.3	-7
Processed fish and seafood .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	.4	-1.6	1.4
Eggs .....	-4.1	-4.6	-1.9	.4	25.6	12.1	-7.5	-5.4	-13.1	17.1	-8.4
Dairy and related products .....	.6	1.3	.9	1.1	2.5	10.2	-7	6.7	2.9	-2	5.6
Milk .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	3.4	-4	4.3
Cheese and related products .....	1.7	.1	-8	.9	2.4	8.2	-1.4	7.2	3.8	-2.5	7.2
Ice cream and related products .....	1.1	.5	.5	3.7	2.7	7.7	1.0	7.4	.9	2.1	8.9
Other dairy and related products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	2.0	1.8	2.6
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.4	2.1	6.5	8.1	-1.0	5.1	2.2	4.7	1.9	5.2	-2
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	7.9	2.6	9.1	11.8	-2.7	4.4	3.0	5.5	2.1	6.1	-1.5
Fresh fruits .....	11.0	-4.3	12.6	3.6	5.8	11.8	-4.9	7.5	3.7	.5	.9
Apples .....	12.2	-9.5	8.4	-2.2	15.0	3.8	-2	-1.7	6.0	.5	6.8
Bananas .....	-4	-2.8	2.6	12.2	2.6	7.4	-3.8	9.4	-2.5	-4	2.5
Citrus fruits .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	7.3	-4.9	7.7
Other fresh fruits .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	3.6	3.8	-5.6
Fresh vegetables .....	4.3	11.2	5.5	21.1	-10.8	-4.1	13.6	3.4	.6	12.3	-4.0
Potatoes .....	-4.0	6.7	20.5	-6.5	13.7	-8.6	9.2	1.5	7.8	-6.3	14.5
Lettuce .....	12.1	6.5	-16.2	77.7	-36.4	7.0	17.6	-8.9	6.6	32.2	-17.4
Tomatoes .....	-4.0	55.1	1.9	18.1	4.0	-20.4	31.0	11.1	-17.1	22.6	-7.4
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.7	3.1	7.3	21.2	-15.4	1.8	8.6	4.3	4.6	10.8	-4.8
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.3	1.8	4.4
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	.4	2.1	4.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	3.0	1.8	6.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.6	1.2	1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	-4	-2	2.1	13.5	-1.4	-1.8	4.1	-1.0	2.4	1.7	1.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.3	3.2	2.0	1.8
Carbonated drinks .....	0.9	1.5	1.8	-0.3	2.9	-0.5	-1.9	-9	3.2	2.4	1.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.4	1.8	2.5
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	2.8	1.8	1.7
Beverage materials including coffee and tea .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.3	.0	.7	-1
Coffee .....	-5.1	-5.5	5.3	55.9	-9.7	-6.9	16.8	-8.9	-1.8	-2.9	-3.4
Other beverage materials including tea .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.9	4.3	3.0
Other food at home .....	1.5	.9	2.0	5.7	1.3	2.2	2.7	3.1	.7	2.0	3.0
Sugar and sweets .....	3.4	1.0	.9	1.0	3.0	4.4	2.2	1.6	1.5	.7	1.7
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	4.1	3.4	.8	.4	.1	-.6	2.4
Candy and chewing gum .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	2.1	1.1	1.1
Other sweets .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.5	.8	2.7
Fats and oils .....	-1.3	-6	.8	3.7	2.4	2.3	-3	8.0	-4.3	3.6	4.4
Butter and margarine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-13.1	8.3	11.6
Salad dressing .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	.9	1.8	1.8
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-.2	1.3	.4
Other foods .....	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.6	4.5	2.5	2.5	1.6	2.1	3.1
Soups .....	5.9	5.7	4.3	4.3	3.6	4.6	2.2	1.4	.3	2.6	2.9
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	1.6	.5	-.4	.3	.4	5.0	-.8	1.6	-.3	2.1	3.0
Snacks .....	1.1	-.4	3.0	1.8	3.5	5.7	2.4	.6	3.8	2.8	4.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	4.0	4.5	2.7	2.4	1.6	-1.0	5.4
Baby food .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	4.8	4.4	3.0
Other miscellaneous foods .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	.3	3.2	.4
Food away from home .....	2.8	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.2	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.4	3.0
Full service meals and snacks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.3	2.8	3.1
Limited service meals and snacks .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.6	2.8	3.2
Food at employee sites and schools .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	-.4	1.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.8	.8	1.5	1.6
Other food away from home .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	3.4	4.2	3.9
Alcoholic beverages .....	10.0	2.9	1.6	.9	1.9	3.6	2.0	1.9	2.9	2.8	2.7
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	11.5	2.2	.5	-.2	.9	3.3	.5	1.6	2.9	2.7	1.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	11.9	2.8	.3	-.2	.8	2.8	-.6	1.8	3.0	3.2	1.6
Distilled spirits at home .....	8.9	1.4	1.1	.7	.8	2.0	2.2	.6	3.6	2.6	3.8
Wine at home .....	13.4	1.5	.2	-1.2	1.3	6.2	2.2	1.5	1.8	.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	8.0	3.8	2.9	2.2	3.2	4.0	3.7	2.4	3.1	3.0	4.7
Housing .....	3.4	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.8	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.1	4.3	2.9
Shelter .....	3.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.4	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.5	3.4	4.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.9	4.7
Lodging away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	1.6	2.8	.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>1</sup> .....	6.5	8.0	2.2	4.7	4.4	3.5	5.5	4.5	4.2	4.4	5.4
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	8.6	3.5	3.8	1.8	3.6	5.2	6.0	4.0	1.4	2.6	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.9	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.7	2.8	3.0	3.2	2.4	3.2	4.5
Tenants' and household insurance .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	2.1	2.4	1.3
Fuels and utilities .....	3.2	2.3	2.6	.1	1.4	4.6	.5	-2.5	2.2	11.9	-2.1
Fuels .....	1.1	2.4	1.7	-.6	.6	5.7	-1.1	-3.7	2.3	13.9	-3.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	-16.8	-2.9	-3.8	.1	1.4	23.6	-12.3	-10.7	22.4	35.9	-21.8
Fuel oil .....	-20.0	-3.2	-4.6	.0	1.6	23.2	-11.9	-15.2	31.3	40.4	-27.0
Other household fuels .....	-9.8	-2.4	-2.1	.3	.8	24.1	-13.1	-2.5	8.3	27.4	-10.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	3.4	2.9	2.3	-.8	.6	4.1	.1	-3.3	1.2	12.5	-1.7
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	5.2	1.7	.5	.7	2.7	.7	-1.3	-3.2	.8	2.6	5.6
Utility natural gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	-.1	5.4	5.9	-3.5	-3.9	11.8	3.0	-3.6	2.4	37.3	-15.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	1.9	3.1	2.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....	7.3	6.4	4.9	4.2	2.8	3.4	3.9	2.8	1.8	3.4	3.0
Garbage and trash collection .....	11.6	8.6	5.2	4.9	2.7	1.9	2.0	2.9	2.4	2.0	2.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	2.1	1.6	1.5	.6	2.3	.9	.1	1.0	-.5	1.1	-.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-2.0	1.6	-1.3
Floor coverings .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-2.4	6.5	-.2
Window coverings .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.2	-1.6	2.8	-2.9
Other linens .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	-2.0	-1.4	-.8
Furniture and bedding .....	1.1	4.3	2.8	1.2	4.2	.9	-1.0	1.3	-1.6	.3	-3.2
Bedroom furniture .....	4.2	5.2	4.9	-1.8	2.0	3.6	1.4	-.2	-1.5	-2.5	-1.3
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.9	2.2	-3.8
Other furniture .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-4.1	-.7	-5.2
Appliances .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.1	-1.4	-2.7	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Dec. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Major appliances .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.4	-0.4	-2.0	1.7
Other appliances .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5	-3.2	-3.4	-4.2
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-3.5	-9	-6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	3.5	2.4	-3.4	-0.4	3.7	-3.9	3.8	-7	-6.5	-4.7	-2.0
Indoor plants and flowers .....	7.3	5.5	-2.5	3.9	1.4	.6	-8.3	2.2	.0	5.4	2.7
Dishes and flatware .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8	-4.1	-2.2	-2.7
Nonelectric cookware and tableware .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.2	-1.1	-1.2	-1.6
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6	-7	-2.4	-1.0
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.3	.6	-1	-2.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	-1.6	-4.0	-5
Housekeeping supplies .....	2.0	-3	1.5	1.1	5.0	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	4.6	2.4
Household cleaning products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.4	4.5	2.7
Household paper products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	5.5	8.2	1.4
Miscellaneous household products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	.6	1.6	3.0
Household operations .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.8	6.6	4.2
Domestic services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.6	4.1	2.6
Gardening and lawn care services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.2	9.7	4.9
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	2.7	4.7	2.7
Repair of household items .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	2.6	7.4	7.1
Apparel .....	3.1	1.6	.7	-1.5	.2	-2	.8	-4	-6	-1.9	-2.8
Men's and boys' apparel .....	2.9	1.2	.5	-2.0	1.0	1.4	2.5	-4	1.1	-2.7	-4.1
Men's apparel .....	3.1	1.7	.3	-1.6	.4	1.7	2.3	-1	.9	-2.1	-4.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	2.5	2.0	5.1	-2.2	-1.3	-6	.9	-1.8	1.0	-4.0	-1.3
Men's furnishings .....	2.2	.9	-1	.6	-2.7	4.3	8.3	-2	4.1	-2.3	-2.3
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-1.5	.7	-7.4
Men's pants and shorts .....	3.5	2.6	-8	-1.3	1.2	1.5	-1	-2	.1	-4.2	-5.0
Boys' apparel .....	2.6	-9	1.1	-3.2	3.1	.3	3.3	-1.4	1.7	-4.5	-3.7
Women's and girls' apparel .....	3.3	.7	.6	-3.4	-6	-1.3	-2	-4	-1.0	-1.9	-3.4
Women's apparel .....	2.4	.3	1.6	-3.8	-8	-1.1	.0	.1	-1.2	-1.9	-3.2
Women's outerwear .....	2.8	3.0	5.7	-8.0	2.3	4.0	2.5	-4.6	-2.4	2.7	-5.9
Women's dresses .....	-3.2	3.1	-2.7	-11.3	2.2	-9.3	-5.1	7.0	-4.4	-8.6	6.2
Women's suits and separates .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.2	-7	-1.7	-5.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.1	.0	-3.2
Girls' apparel .....	8.3	2.6	-3.8	-1.8	.8	-1.9	-1.0	-2.6	-6	-1.7	-4.5
Footwear .....	2.7	2.5	.8	-1.9	.6	1.6	1.7	-8	-3.1	-2	-2.4
Men's footwear .....	3.2	2.3	1.1	-1.5	.2	.7	.0	.9	-3.9	.5	-3.4
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-4	-2	.0	1.0	1.5	4.3	2.9	-1.3	-5.3	-1.6	-1.9
Women's footwear .....	4.3	4.2	1.0	-3.8	.6	1.9	2.4	-2.0	-1.1	.2	-1.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	3.0	1.0	-3.8	3.7	-2.3	-1.3	-1.2	3.5	3.0	-3.6	.2
Jewelry and watches .....	3.1	4.0	2.6	3.4	-5	-4.0	-5	-3.0	-1.6	-1.1	.7
Watches .....	2.6	-1.5	6.0	3.6	5.2	-6.5	.2	-1.4	-3.4	1.4	-2.0
Jewelry .....	3.3	5.3	1.9	3.3	-1.8	-3.4	-7	-3.4	-1.1	-1.6	1.3
Transportation .....	-1.7	3.0	2.0	4.5	1.6	4.2	-1.7	-2.0	5.7	4.3	-4.2
Private transportation .....	-1.7	2.8	1.5	5.2	1.5	3.8	-1.6	-2.1	5.8	4.3	-4.4
New and used motor vehicles .....	-	-	-	5.1	2.8	.8	-2.1	1.1	.4	1.3	-8
New vehicles .....	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.5	2.0	1.9	-8	.0	-4	-1	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.8	7.9	8.1	8.5	4.6	-1.4	-4.7	3.2	1.3	3.4	-2.2
Car and truck rental .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	6.8	-5	-3.8
Motor fuel .....	-15.9	1.4	-5.3	5.9	-3.8	13.0	-6.6	-15.4	30.6	13.7	-24.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	-16.0	1.6	-5.9	6.4	-4.1	12.9	-6.6	-15.5	30.6	13.6	-24.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	-16.6	1.5	-6.7	7.1	-4.2	13.9	-7.1	-16.5	32.8	14.3	-25.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2</sup> .....	-	-	-	5.3	-4.5	11.7	-5.8	-14.4	28.7	12.9	-24.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	-14.5	1.5	-4.8	5.2	-4.7	11.1	-5.9	-13.4	26.3	12.6	-23.2
Other motor fuels .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12.3	22.5	25.1	-16.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.5	-8	-1.5	.3	.6	-2	-6	-3	-3	2.1	2.5
Tires .....	2.2	-4	-1.5	2.2	.1	.0	-3.0	-5	-1.2	1.0	3.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	.5	3.0	2.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	4.5	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.6	3.1	2.7	3.1	2.5	3.6	3.5
Motor vehicle body work .....	2.4	2.9	2.6	3.2	3.7	4.5	4.7	3.1	1.4	3.8	3.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	5.4	2.1	2.1	1.5	2.1	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.5	3.1	3.9
Motor vehicle repair .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	2.7	3.7	3.4
Motor vehicle insurance .....	8.1	6.5	4.9	3.4	4.4	3.9	2.5	-3	.5	1.9	7.4

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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										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Motor vehicle fees .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.4	4.1	1.8
State and local registration and license <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	.9	3.9	1.0
Parking and other fees .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	3.1	4.5	4.1
Public transportation .....	-1.7	5.2	10.0	-5.0	4.0	10.6	-2.4	1.4	5.9	3.9	-1.8
Airline fare .....	-5.8	6.2	17.2	-9.5	2.1	15.4	-5.2	4.0	11.0	5.9	-4.0
Other intercity transportation .....	3.3	.8	-3.7	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.5	2.7	-1.6	-1.9	-3.0
Intracity transportation .....	3.7	4.9	3.0	.9	7.6	5.6	1.2	-2.7	.5	2.3	2.6
Medical care .....	7.8	6.8	5.2	4.9	4.0	3.1	2.8	3.3	3.6	4.2	4.7
Medical care commodities .....	7.3	5.0	3.0	2.9	1.7	2.5	2.2	3.7	3.6	2.7	4.3
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	9.4	5.6	3.2	3.6	2.0	3.0	2.5	4.9	6.2	3.6	6.0
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies .....	3.3	4.2	2.6	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.8	-.8	1.2	1.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	2.6	4.3	2.6	.9	.7	1.9	1.5	2.0	-1.4	1.4	1.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	5.7	3.7	2.8	4.1	2.5	.2	2.0	1.4	.9	.3	-.3
Medical care services .....	7.9	7.1	5.7	5.4	4.5	3.2	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.5	4.8
Professional services <sup>1</sup> .....	6.2	5.8	4.4	4.7	4.1	3.6	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.8	3.6
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	5.5	6.3	5.0	4.5	4.4	3.1	2.8	3.5	2.6	3.9	3.6
Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....	8.3	5.7	4.4	5.4	4.4	5.1	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.4	3.9
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1</sup> .....	3.5	3.7	2.1	3.6	2.4	1.4	1.7	.6	3.3	2.4	2.7
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1</sup> .....	5.2	3.6	3.1	4.5	1.7	3.2	3.5	2.4	1.7	2.7	3.4
Hospital and related services <sup>1</sup> .....	9.1	8.8	7.4	5.7	4.6	4.0	3.1	3.1	5.1	6.2	7.1
Hospital services <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.1	5.1	6.2	7.2
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.5	4.7	5.6	6.9
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	9.9	9.7	7.6	5.8	4.6	4.8	4.1	4.2	6.6	7.2	6.7
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	6.3	5.9	5.9	5.3
Recreation .....	-	-	-	1.1	2.6	3.0	1.5	.8	.4	1.4	1.2
Video and audio .....	-	-	-	-2.7	.4	3.4	2.6	.7	-.9	.5	.2
Televisions .....	-1.1	-.7	-2.1	-1.7	-4.4	-5.4	-3.9	-4.9	-7.3	-10.7	-10.7
Cable television <sup>1</sup> .....	8.6	4.0	7.1	-2.9	3.9	7.9	6.9	6.9	2.9	5.3	3.9
Other video equipment .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-13.2	-15.3	-17.8	-16.9
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.2	-3.5	-5.8	-2.0
Audio equipment .....	1.9	-1.5	.7	-1.1	-2.6	-.7	-2.0	-7.6	-4.4	.4	-5.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	1.2	2.5	3.8
Pets, pet products and services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.9	2.6	4.1
Pets and pet products .....	1.7	-.8	.6	1.1	3.6	5.2	-.4	.4	1.1	-.6	3.2
Pet services including veterinary .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.5	9.6	6.0
Sporting goods .....	3.4	.9	.8	2.9	-1.3	.1	-1	-.4	-2.7	1.1	-1.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	2.2	2.6	1.1	3.1	-1.2	.1	.2	3.0	.1	3.3	-1.0
Sports equipment .....	5.3	-1.4	.3	2.6	-1.4	.0	-.6	-3.4	-5.5	-1.3	-2.7
Photography .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-.5	.5	-.5
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	1.1	2.3	1.8	-3.7	1.8	.1	.5	-3.0	-.8	-3.0	-2.4
Photographers and film processing .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.3	2.5	.5
Other recreational goods .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-6.8	-2.6	-3.9
Toys .....	1.1	2.9	1.6	-.8	1.1	3.2	-1.7	-5.9	-7.8	-3.4	-5.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.9	-3.7	.1	.9
Music instruments and accessories .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.2	-.5	.8	-.2
Recreation services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	5.8	4.1	3.8
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	1.5	3.7	2.1
Admissions .....	4.8	3.8	2.0	3.7	5.4	4.1	3.4	2.6	8.9	4.9	4.1
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	5.9	5.3	4.0	5.3	3.0	5.5	5.1	2.0	4.6	1.6	7.3
Recreational reading materials .....	6.6	3.8	3.7	3.6	5.9	2.8	1.1	3.1	.7	1.4	1.7
Newspapers and magazines .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.1	1.5	1.9
Recreational books .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-2.1	1.0	1.4
Education and communication .....	-	-	-	3.0	4.0	3.3	3.0	.9	1.6	1.2	3.1
Education .....	-	-	-	5.5	5.6	4.9	5.5	4.7	4.5	5.8	5.5
Educational books and supplies .....	6.0	5.7	3.8	3.1	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.9	-1.1	12.6	2.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	9.1	7.5	6.7	5.8	5.7	4.7	5.5	4.6	4.9	5.2	5.7
College tuition and fees .....	11.7	9.2	7.4	6.2	6.2	5.5	5.2	3.9	4.1	4.6	6.2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	7.7	8.0	5.7	6.3	6.7	4.6	7.2	6.2	7.0	5.6	7.5
Child care and nursery school .....	6.3	4.2	5.3	5.1	3.9	3.6	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.5	4.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	5.8	4.5	5.8
Communication .....	-	-	-	.1	1.9	1.4	-.1	-2.2	-.8	-3.0	.5

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

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
Postage and delivery services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	3.0	0.1	4.7
Postage .....	16.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.0	.0	3.0	.0	4.7
Delivery services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.7	5.5	6.8
Information and information processing .....	-	-	-	.3	.6	1.6	-1	-2.3	-1.1	-3.1	.3
Telephone services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.5	-2.3	1.3
Telephone services, local charges <sup>1</sup> .....	5.2	.4	1.0	-.4	2.3	.9	1.1	1.4	2.9	5.6	4.6
Telephone services, long distance charges .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-1.4	-9.3	-1.9
Cellular telephone services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7.6	-11.4	-12.5	-4.9
Information and information processing other than telephone services .....	-3.1	-7.2	-7.9	-8.1	-10.0	-10.6	-10.9	-26.4	-18.6	-16.0	-16.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-36.0	-26.7	-23.5	-30.4
Computer software and accessories .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.1	-1.6	-7.3	-3.3
Computer information processing services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-7.0	-.5	5.1
Other information processing equipment .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.3	-11.8	-11.5	-7.6
Other goods and services .....	8.1	6.4	1.6	4.2	4.1	3.4	5.4	11.3	5.8	4.5	5.1
Tobacco and smoking products .....	11.3	8.3	-5.9	3.2	2.8	2.4	7.3	32.3	11.4	7.4	9.1
Cigarettes .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	11.4	7.4	9.3
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	9.9	5.1	2.9
Personal care .....	2.6	3.1	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.0	2.3	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7
Personal care products .....	2.8	3.7	1.5	2.0	.8	-.8	1.8	2.4	2.3	1.8	.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.5	3.5	-.3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	3.0	1.8	4.5	1.5	1.4	2.8	2.4	4.5	4.2	.1	.5
Personal care services .....	2.2	2.5	3.5	2.1	3.4	3.4	2.9	2.7	3.6	4.0	3.0
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.6	4.0	3.0
Miscellaneous personal services .....	6.5	4.2	6.4	5.2	5.1	4.3	5.1	3.7	3.9	3.5	5.0
Legal services .....	6.2	3.4	7.8	2.2	4.0	4.3	4.3	5.0	5.0	4.4	6.4
Funeral expenses .....	6.1	3.8	5.2	6.0	5.0	4.9	5.3	4.2	3.7	2.7	4.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.3	2.3	4.2
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	3.0	4.3	4.1
Financial services .....	7.6	5.2	6.5	8.6	6.7	3.1	5.8	3.4	4.6	4.0	4.7
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	-2.8	-2.3	-2.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>											
Commodities .....	1.0	2.2	1.4	2.4	1.6	3.3	.1	.5	3.0	2.7	-1.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	-.1	2.6	.5	2.3	1.1	2.6	-.8	-.5	3.7	2.7	-4.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	-1.6	2.5	-1.3	1.6	.5	4.1	-.4	-.8	7.5	4.6	-6.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	-3.7	2.9	-2.1	3.2	.6	6.3	-.8	-1.0	11.6	7.5	-7.5
Durables .....	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.4	1.9	.5	-1.6	-.1	-.9	.2	-1.3
Services .....	4.5	3.5	3.6	3.0	3.4	3.3	2.8	2.4	2.6	3.9	3.7
Rent of shelter .....	3.9	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.4	2.9	3.2	3.4	2.5	3.5	4.3
Transportation services .....	3.1	3.1	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.8	1.3	1.2	2.0	2.8	3.8
Other services .....	6.0	4.9	5.1	4.1	4.4	4.0	4.1	3.0	3.1	2.7	3.7
All items less food .....	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.8	2.5	3.1	1.5	1.5	2.9	3.5	.9
All items less shelter .....	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.7	2.2	3.4	.9	.9	2.9	3.4	.1
All items less medical care .....	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.4	3.3	1.4	1.5	2.7	3.3	1.1
Commodities less food .....	.5	2.6	.6	2.2	1.2	2.7	-.7	-.4	3.6	2.8	-3.9
Nondurables less food .....	-.6	2.5	-1.0	1.5	.6	4.2	-.1	-.7	7.2	4.5	-5.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	-2.1	2.9	-1.6	3.0	.8	5.9	-.4	-.7	10.7	7.2	-6.7
Nondurables .....	.5	2.0	.8	2.2	1.4	4.2	.7	.8	4.5	3.7	-1.5
Apparel less footwear .....	3.2	1.2	.5	-1.9	.0	-.8	.5	-.3	.0	-2.2	-3.0
Services less rent of shelter .....	5.2	4.1	4.2	3.0	3.4	3.6	2.3	1.6	2.6	4.4	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	4.2	3.1	3.4	2.7	3.3	3.3	2.7	2.4	2.4	3.9	3.6
Energy .....	-8.1	1.9	-1.7	2.5	-1.5	9.2	-3.8	-9.2	14.6	13.8	-13.8

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Dec. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
All items less energy .....	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	1.9	2.5	1.9	2.5	2.7
All items less food and energy .....	4.4	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.5	2.1	2.5	1.9	2.4	2.7
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	4.0	2.9	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.0	.4	1.8	.3	.8	-.1
Energy commodities .....	-16.0	1.1	-5.2	5.4	-3.4	14.0	-7.1	-15.2	30.0	15.0	-24.4
Services less energy services .....	4.6	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.6	3.3	4.1
Domestically produced farm food .....	1.3	1.7	3.5	2.2	2.4	5.7	.6	2.2	1.8	3.2	3.0
Utilities and public transportation .....	3.6	3.0	3.9	-.6	1.7	4.8	.6	-.1	1.8	5.8	.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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

- Data not available.

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