

Table 1 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: U.S. city average, December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	U.S. city average	
	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category		
All items	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	14.314	15.673
Food	13.341	14.773
Food at home	7.286	8.447
Cereals and bakery products .....	.962	1.106
Cereals and cereal products .....	.308	.378
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.039	.043
Breakfast cereal .....	.150	.183
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	.119	.151
Bakery products .....	.654	.729
Bread .....	.194	.221
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	.093	.102
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.165	.183
Other bakery products .....	.202	.222
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.597	1.940
Meats, poultry, and fish	1.504	1.826
Meats .....	.937	1.170
Beef and veal .....	.425	.522
Uncooked ground beef .....	.169	.220
Uncooked beef roasts .....	.060	.080
Uncooked beef steaks .....	.158	.179
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	.037	.044
Pork .....	.290	.380
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	.130	.167
Ham .....	.051	.059
Pork chops .....	.043	.069
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs .....	.066	.085
Other meats .....	.221	.267
Poultry .....	.314	.388
Chicken .....	.259	.332
Other uncooked poultry including turkey .....	.055	.056
Fish and seafood .....	.253	.268
Fresh fish and seafood .....	.130	.136
Processed fish and seafood .....	.123	.133
Eggs .....	.093	.113
Dairy and related products .....	.729	.805
Milk .....	.201	.242
Cheese and related products .....	.237	.249
Ice cream and related products .....	.106	.105
Other dairy and related products .....	.186	.210
Fruits and vegetables	1.298	1.461
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.032	1.157
Fresh fruits .....	.541	.602
Apples .....	.074	.083
Bananas .....	.080	.098
Citrus fruits .....	.155	.179
Other fresh fruits .....	.232	.242
Fresh vegetables .....	.491	.556
Potatoes .....	.074	.086
Lettuce .....	.068	.077
Tomatoes .....	.086	.101
Other fresh vegetables .....	.263	.291
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	.266	.304
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	.146	.168
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	.077	.085
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	.044	.051
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.868	1.055
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	.616	.785
Carbonated drinks .....	.255	.327
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.009	.011
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.352	.447
Beverage materials including coffee and tea253	.270
Coffee161	.158
Other beverage materials including tea091	.112

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Item and group	U.S. city average	
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Expenditure category		
Other food at home	1.832	2.080
Sugar and sweets277	.284
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.040	.052
Candy and chewing gum .....	.184	.173
Other sweets .....	.052	.059
Fats and oils .....	.212	.244
Butter and margarine .....	.060	.068
Salad dressing .....	.052	.062
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	.100	.113
Other foods	1.344	1.551
Soups .....	.080	.089
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	.233	.284
Snacks .....	.310	.351
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.268	.309
Baby food .....	.052	.081
Other miscellaneous foods .....	.401	.438
Food away from home	6.055	6.326
Full service meals and snacks	3.012	2.749
Limited service meals and snacks	2.570	3.050
Food at employee sites and schools .....	.183	.206
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	.092	.130
Other food away from home .....	.198	.191
Alcoholic beverages .....	.973	.900
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.605	.565
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.270	.325
Distilled spirits at home .....	.081	.076
Wine at home .....	.253	.164
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	.368	.334
Housing	42.202	40.286
Shelter	33.259	31.320
Rent of primary residence	7.943	10.948
Lodging away from home .....	.887	.605
Housing at school, excluding board .....	.114	.101
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.773	.504
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	24.054	19.454
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.711	18.880
Unsampled owners' equivalent rent of secondary residences	1.342	.574
Tenants' and household insurance .....	.375	.313
Fuels and utilities	4.686	5.267
Household energy	3.585	4.061
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.185	.150
Fuel oil .....	.109	.086
Propane, kerosene, and firewood .....	.075	.064
Energy services	3.400	3.912
Electricity	2.607	3.057
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.794	.855
Water and sewer and trash collection services	1.101	1.205
Water and sewerage maintenance .....	.827	.918
Garbage and trash collection .....	.274	.287
Household furnishings and operations	4.257	3.699
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	.254	.229
Floor coverings .....	.056	.040
Window coverings .....	.044	.038
Other linens .....	.154	.151
Furniture and bedding .....	.891	.901
Bedroom furniture .....	.322	.357
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	.432	.412
Other furniture .....	.125	.114
Unsampled furniture .....	.012	.018
Appliances .....	.215	.244
Major appliances .....	.081	.117
Other appliances .....	.131	.124
Unsampled appliances .....	.003	.003
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	.493	.418
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items270	.218
Indoor plants and flowers092	.073

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Expenditure category		
Dishes and flatware052	.050
Nonelectric cookware and tableware079	.077
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	.666	.563
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	.197	.193
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	.308	.234
Unsampled tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	.161	.136
Housekeeping supplies .....	.845	.930
Household cleaning products .....	.332	.383
Household paper products .....	.226	.269
Miscellaneous household products .....	.286	.278
Household operations .....	.893	.414
Domestic services .....	.306	.096
Gardening and lawn care services .....	.300	.147
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	.104	.069
Repair of household items .....	.107	.049
Unsampled household operations .....	.077	.054
Apparel	2.959	3.089
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.735	.779
Men's apparel .....	.562	.564
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.102	.083
Men's furnishings .....	.151	.161
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	.157	.148
Men's pants and shorts .....	.144	.159
Unsampled men's apparel .....	.007	.013
Boys' apparel .....	.174	.214
Women's and girls' apparel	1.190	1.214
Women's apparel	1.016	.983
Women's outerwear .....	.072	.058
Women's dresses .....	.121	.161
Women's suits and separates .....	.524	.479
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	.288	.275
Unsampled women's apparel .....	.011	.010
Girls' apparel .....	.174	.231
Footwear .....	.658	.790
Men's footwear .....	.216	.265
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.156	.223
Women's footwear .....	.286	.302
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.138	.164
Jewelry and watches .....	.237	.142
Watches .....	.095	.044
Jewelry .....	.142	.098
Transportation	16.348	18.485
Private transportation	15.235	17.631
New and used motor vehicles	7.005	7.545
New vehicles	3.724	3.592
Used cars and trucks	2.391	3.133
Leased cars and trucks .....	.656	.579
Car and truck rental .....	.122	.090
Unsampled new and used motor vehicles .....	.114	.150
Motor fuel	3.762	4.962
Gasoline (all types)	3.671	4.852
Other motor fuels .....	.091	.109
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.383	.481
Tires .....	.227	.274
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	.156	.207
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.128	1.185
Motor vehicle body work .....	.056	.049
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	.636	.693
Motor vehicle repair .....	.371	.383
Unsampled service policies .....	.064	.059
Motor vehicle insurance	2.415	2.962
Motor vehicle fees .....	.543	.497
State motor vehicle registration and license fees .....	.281	.301
Parking and other fees .....	.245	.189
Unsampled motor vehicle fees .....	.017	.006
Public transportation	1.113	.853
Airline fares660	.438
Other intercity transportation167	.094

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Item and group	U.S. city average	
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Expenditure category		
Intracity transportation278	.320
Unsampled public transportation007	.002
Medical care	8.682	7.519
Medical care commodities	1.707	1.421
Medicinal drugs	1.650	1.375
Prescription drugs	1.308	1.097
Nonprescription drugs .....	.342	.278
Medical equipment and supplies .....	.057	.046
Medical care services	6.974	6.098
Professional services	3.255	2.757
Physicians' services	1.732	1.541
Dental services .....	.785	.631
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	.319	.268
Services by other medical professionals .....	.419	.318
Hospital and related services	2.621	2.271
Hospital services	2.340	2.165
Nursing homes and adult day services .....	.193	.095
Care of invalids and elderly at home .....	.088	.011
Health insurance	1.099	1.070
Recreation	5.694	5.128
Video and audio	1.817	2.001
Televisions .....	.098	.114
Cable and satellite television service	1.509	1.678
Other video equipment .....	.026	.027
Video discs and other media, including rental of video .....	.086	.088
Audio equipment .....	.043	.044
Recorded music and music subscriptions .....	.047	.042
Unsampled video and audio .....	.008	.008
Pets, pet products and services	1.022	.907
Pets and pet products .....	.605	.638
Pet services including veterinary .....	.417	.269
Sporting goods .....	.505	.482
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.294	.298
Sports equipment .....	.204	.179
Unsampled sporting goods .....	.007	.004
Photography .....	.073	.064
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.033	.023
Photographers and photo processing .....	.039	.039
Unsampled photography .....	.002	.003
Other recreational goods .....	.324	.318
Toys .....	.252	.251
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	.025	.013
Music instruments and accessories .....	.036	.040
Unsampled recreation commodities .....	.011	.014
Other recreation services	1.836	1.292
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees .....	.680	.423
Admissions .....	.662	.488
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	.219	.137
Unsampled recreation services .....	.276	.244
Recreational reading materials .....	.116	.063
Newspapers and magazines .....	.071	.038
Recreational books .....	.045	.025
Unsampled recreational reading materials .....	.000	.000
Education and communication	6.596	6.410
Education	3.055	2.284
Educational books and supplies .....	.131	.161
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.924	2.123
College tuition and fees	1.627	1.036
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.338	.161
Child care and nursery school .....	.806	.785
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	.032	.046
Unsampled tuition, other school fees, and childcare121	.096
Communication	3.542	4.125

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Expenditure category		
Postage and delivery services108	.100
Postage094	.075
Delivery services .....	.014	.025
Information and information processing	3.434	4.025
Telephone services	2.234	2.758
Wireless telephone services	1.661	2.237
Land-line telephone services .....	.572	.522
Information technology, hardware and services	1.200	1.267
Personal computers and peripheral equipment .....	.309	.266
Computer software and accessories .....	.024	.019
Internet services and electronic information providers .....	.786	.906
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items .....	.072	.070
Unsampled information and information processing .....	.009	.007
Other goods and services	3.204	3.411
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.661	1.024
Cigarettes .....	.586	.921
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	.060	.087
Unsampled tobacco and smoking products .....	.015	.016
Personal care	2.544	2.387
Personal care products .....	.688	.686
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	.381	.398
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	.301	.280
Unsampled personal care products .....	.006	.008
Personal care services .....	.633	.597
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	.633	.597
Miscellaneous personal services	1.023	.904
Legal services .....	.311	.206
Funeral expenses .....	.128	.125
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	.241	.262
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning .....	.029	.024
Financial services .....	.241	.186
Unsampled items .....	.072	.101
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	.199	.199
Special aggregate indexes		
All items	100.000	100.000
Commodities	36.791	40.121
Commodities less food and beverages	22.477	24.448
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.524	13.944
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	9.565	10.855
Durables	9.953	10.504
Services	63.209	59.879
Rent of shelter	32.884	31.007
Transportation services	5.975	6.167
Other services	11.605	10.763
All items less food	86.659	85.227
All items less shelter	66.741	68.680
All items less medical care	91.318	92.481
Commodities less food	23.450	25.348
Nondurables less food	13.497	14.844
Nondurables less food and apparel	10.538	11.755
Nondurables	26.838	29.617
Apparel less footwear	2.301	2.299
Services less rent of shelter	30.325	28.872
Services less medical care services	56.235	53.781
Energy	7.347	9.023
All items less energy	92.653	90.977
All items less food and energy	79.312	76.204
Commodities less food and energy commodities	19.503	20.236
Energy commodities	3.947	5.111
Services less energy services	59.809	55.967
Domestically produced farm food	6.085	7.026
Utilities and public transportation	9.357	10.406

Table 2 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2018 (Cities normally published in November)

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Item and group	Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH		Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX		Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.702	14.515	12.648	10.855	12.774	16.860
Food	12.685	13.784	12.080	10.531	11.853	15.735
Food at home	7.642	9.443	6.020	5.725	6.186	8.010
Food away from home	5.043	4.341	6.059	4.806	5.667	7.725
Alcoholic beverages	1.017	.732	.568	.324	.921	1.125
Housing	47.727	45.481	44.745	46.498	44.959	43.270
Shelter	39.183	37.329	34.584	36.354	37.347	35.214
Rent of primary residence	8.735	15.822	10.051	15.375	7.881	14.134
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	29.241	20.920	23.413	20.277	28.276	20.528
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.466	20.399	22.698	19.672	26.612	19.732
Fuels and utilities	4.750	5.227	5.373	6.330	3.433	3.789
Household energy	4.183	4.692	3.388	4.106	2.314	2.445
Energy services	3.497	4.324	3.346	4.062	2.278	2.390
Electricity	2.215	2.800	2.868	3.621	1.526	1.610
Utility (piped) gas service	1.282	1.524	.478	.441	.752	.780
Household furnishings and operations	3.794	2.924	4.788	3.813	4.179	4.267
Apparel	2.680	2.929	3.204	2.966	2.667	4.101
Transportation	11.911	12.343	16.438	17.873	16.281	16.378
Private transportation	10.595	11.063	15.482	17.192	14.398	15.723
Motor fuel	2.895	4.154	3.661	4.960	3.120	4.227
Gasoline (all types)	2.889	4.151	3.580	4.854	3.057	4.173
Medical care	6.933	6.273	8.329	7.715	8.593	5.868
Recreation	5.959	5.588	5.837	5.572	6.076	4.681
Education and communication	7.989	9.117	5.863	5.498	5.588	5.605
Other goods and services	3.099	3.755	2.937	3.024	3.062	3.236
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	31.099	32.244	35.580	35.204	33.485	40.675
Commodities less food and beverages	17.396	17.728	22.932	24.349	20.711	23.815
Nondurables less food and beverages	10.632	12.134	12.254	12.955	10.635	14.070
Durables	6.764	5.594	10.678	11.394	10.076	9.745
Services	68.901	67.756	64.420	64.796	66.515	59.325
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	93.067	93.727	91.671	92.285	91.407	94.132
All items less shelter	60.817	62.671	65.416	63.646	62.653	64.786
Commodities less food	18.413	18.460	23.500	24.673	21.632	24.940
Nondurables	24.334	26.650	24.902	23.810	23.409	30.930
Nondurables less food	11.649	12.866	12.822	13.279	11.556	15.195
Services less rent of shelter	30.025	30.590	30.150	28.691	29.537	24.361
Services less medical care services	63.273	62.684	57.784	58.581	59.486	54.555
Energy	7.079	8.846	7.049	9.066	5.435	6.672
All items less energy	92.921	91.154	92.951	90.934	94.565	93.328
All items less food and energy	80.236	77.370	80.871	80.403	82.712	77.594

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Item and group	Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI		Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA		San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.128	19.633	15.078	17.315	13.041	17.773
Food	12.056	17.892	14.249	16.623	11.865	16.379
Food at home	6.496	10.119	7.082	8.771	6.389	9.444
Food away from home	5.560	7.773	7.168	7.852	5.477	6.935
Alcoholic beverages	1.071	1.740	.828	.691	1.176	1.394
Housing	42.199	39.319	44.414	42.926	46.663	42.383
Shelter	33.888	31.013	36.058	34.600	37.916	35.036
Rent of primary residence	6.850	8.375	10.141	8.930	10.614	15.457
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	25.754	21.464	25.111	25.108	25.944	18.807
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.397	20.108	24.703	24.506	25.201	18.541
Fuels and utilities	3.767	4.075	4.859	5.465	3.710	3.981
Household energy	2.953	3.351	3.087	3.617	2.370	2.602
Energy services	2.826	3.327	3.044	3.554	2.315	2.557
Electricity	1.673	1.931	2.300	2.689	1.895	2.120
Utility (piped) gas service	1.153	1.396	.744	.865	.419	.437
Household furnishings and operations	4.544	4.231	3.497	2.860	5.037	3.366
Apparel	2.622	3.871	3.137	3.232	3.305	5.021
Transportation	15.575	15.278	18.282	18.199	14.089	16.546
Private transportation	14.596	14.581	17.603	17.634	12.920	16.005
Motor fuel	3.475	4.445	5.628	6.534	4.061	6.010
Gasoline (all types)	3.433	4.382	5.563	6.440	3.991	5.895
Medical care	9.630	6.790	6.361	6.137	7.244	5.378
Recreation	6.595	5.215	4.734	3.837	6.069	4.714
Education and communication	7.049	6.145	5.266	5.735	6.289	5.462
Other goods and services	3.202	3.750	2.729	2.620	3.301	2.724
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	35.674	42.038	37.904	40.395	33.246	42.501
Commodities less food and beverages	22.546	22.406	22.826	23.080	20.205	24.728
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.019	13.919	13.660	14.577	12.304	15.698
Durables	10.527	8.487	9.166	8.503	7.901	9.030
Services	64.326	57.962	62.096	59.605	66.754	57.499
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	90.370	93.210	93.639	93.863	92.756	94.622
All items less shelter	66.112	68.987	63.942	65.400	62.084	64.964
Commodities less food	23.618	24.146	23.655	23.772	21.381	26.122
Nondurables	25.147	33.551	28.737	31.892	25.345	33.471
Nondurables less food	13.091	15.659	14.488	15.269	13.480	17.092
Services less rent of shelter	30.790	27.332	26.300	25.246	29.128	22.718
Services less medical care services	56.312	52.327	56.882	54.525	60.712	52.908
Energy	6.427	7.796	8.715	10.152	6.430	8.612
All items less energy	93.573	92.204	91.285	89.848	93.570	91.388
All items less food and energy	81.516	74.312	77.036	73.225	81.704	75.009

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Item and group	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL		Urban Hawaii		Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.466	19.060	15.693	17.002	14.764	13.914
Food	12.610	18.335	14.953	16.081	13.677	13.175
Food at home	7.180	8.773	7.636	8.121	7.336	7.456
Food away from home	5.430	9.562	7.317	7.960	6.341	5.718
Alcoholic beverages .....	.856	.725	.740	.921	1.087	.739
Housing	43.415	37.288	48.074	47.943	43.248	42.016
Shelter	34.598	28.556	40.133	39.628	35.348	34.334
Rent of primary residence	7.741	10.087	12.682	15.985	7.459	11.590
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	25.774	17.983	26.146	23.077	26.595	22.020
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.202	17.018	25.333	22.757	25.137	21.449
Fuels and utilities	5.047	4.658	4.643	5.213	3.563	4.138
Household energy	3.827	3.710	3.154	3.837	2.826	3.311
Energy services	3.797	3.678	3.126	3.790	2.769	3.282
Electricity	3.767	3.521	3.006	3.620	2.073	2.482
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.030	.157	.120	.170	.697	.800
Household furnishings and operations	3.769	4.075	3.299	3.102	4.338	3.544
Apparel	2.753	4.845	2.373	2.910	4.137	5.134
Transportation	18.117	20.573	13.940	14.529	14.933	18.138
Private transportation	17.272	20.076	12.028	13.440	13.001	16.947
Motor fuel	3.470	3.263	3.415	4.799	2.889	4.308
Gasoline (all types)	3.430	3.209	3.396	4.752	2.845	4.300
Medical care	8.598	5.850	6.244	5.464	8.109	6.568
Recreation	5.114	4.637	4.704	4.764	5.383	5.107
Education and communication	5.952	4.896	6.728	5.395	6.267	5.711
Other goods and services	2.585	2.850	2.244	1.992	3.158	3.411
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	35.641	46.384	33.270	35.680	35.644	38.601
Commodities less food and beverages	22.174	27.324	17.577	18.678	20.879	24.687
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.408	13.057	10.116	11.946	11.896	13.761
Durables	10.767	14.267	7.461	6.732	8.983	10.926
Services	64.359	53.616	66.730	64.320	64.356	61.399
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	91.402	94.150	93.756	94.536	91.891	93.432
All items less shelter	65.402	71.444	59.867	60.372	64.652	65.666
Commodities less food	23.030	28.049	18.317	19.599	21.967	25.426
Nondurables	24.874	32.117	25.810	28.948	26.661	27.675
Nondurables less food	12.264	13.782	10.856	12.867	12.984	14.500
Services less rent of shelter	30.069	25.130	26.767	24.824	29.403	27.406
Services less medical care services	57.170	48.780	61.806	59.999	57.691	55.932
Energy	7.297	6.973	6.569	8.635	5.714	7.619
All items less energy	92.703	93.027	93.431	91.365	94.286	92.381
All items less food and energy	80.093	74.692	78.478	75.283	80.608	79.206

Table 3 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA		Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD		Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI		Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	12.873	14.794	11.628	13.863	14.082	16.909	14.233	12.479
Food	12.244	14.111	10.756	13.124	13.214	16.230	13.243	11.813
Food at home	6.705	9.266	5.751	7.472	6.992	8.694	7.209	7.956
Food away from home	5.538	4.845	5.005	5.653	6.222	7.536	6.034	3.857
Alcoholic beverages .....	.629	.683	.872	.739	.868	.679	.990	.665
Housing	43.482	40.548	44.976	43.108	42.722	41.407	40.154	39.591
Shelter	33.906	31.530	37.213	35.310	34.447	32.923	31.287	30.550
Rent of primary residence	8.423	12.065	6.768	10.880	7.941	9.586	6.193	8.353
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	24.408	18.797	28.890	23.625	25.364	22.524	23.683	21.368
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	23.158	18.420	27.521	21.218	24.159	22.088	21.194	20.672
Fuels and utilities	5.014	5.302	4.069	4.354	4.292	4.987	4.767	5.356
Household energy	4.002	4.268	3.588	3.881	3.264	3.808	3.719	4.145
Energy services	3.957	4.211	3.419	3.699	3.243	3.795	3.599	4.117
Electricity	2.544	2.891	3.092	3.323	1.876	2.222	2.134	2.566
Utility (piped) gas service	1.413	1.320	.327	.376	1.365	1.571	1.464	1.551
Household furnishings and operations	4.557	3.711	3.695	3.444	3.982	3.497	4.100	3.685
Apparel	3.182	4.666	2.655	3.235	2.903	2.620	3.412	3.440
Transportation	18.444	22.052	17.275	19.312	14.734	17.034	16.874	20.322
Private transportation	17.594	21.391	16.174	18.175	13.223	16.082	15.781	19.610
Motor fuel	4.034	5.356	3.465	3.876	3.174	4.479	3.630	5.136
Gasoline (all types)	3.990	5.348	3.384	3.854	3.147	4.463	3.539	4.925
Medical care	7.429	6.330	8.443	6.725	8.977	8.057	8.935	8.985
Recreation	5.722	3.994	5.038	4.985	6.258	4.006	5.820	4.421
Education and communication	6.371	5.012	7.451	6.157	7.186	6.499	6.894	6.255
Other goods and services	2.497	2.605	2.533	2.614	3.138	3.467	3.678	4.507
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	36.648	41.281	33.187	37.327	34.548	38.261	35.592	36.932
Commodities less food and beverages	23.775	26.488	21.559	23.464	20.466	21.352	21.359	24.453
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.052	14.389	10.857	11.991	11.567	13.189	13.316	14.783
Durables	11.722	12.099	10.703	11.473	8.899	8.163	8.043	9.670
Services	63.353	58.719	66.813	62.673	65.452	61.739	64.408	63.068
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	92.571	93.670	91.557	93.275	91.023	91.943	91.065	91.015
All items less shelter	66.093	68.469	62.787	64.690	65.553	67.077	68.713	69.450
Commodities less food	24.404	27.170	22.431	24.203	21.334	22.031	22.348	25.119
Nondurables	24.925	29.183	22.485	25.854	25.649	30.097	27.549	27.261
Nondurables less food	12.682	15.072	11.729	12.729	12.435	13.867	14.306	15.448
Services less rent of shelter	29.714	27.415	29.925	27.626	31.343	29.158	33.531	32.885
Services less medical care services	57.417	53.616	59.961	57.307	58.271	55.222	57.408	55.806
Energy	8.063	9.649	7.053	7.757	6.437	8.287	7.349	9.280
All items less energy	91.931	90.345	92.947	92.243	93.562	91.713	92.651	90.720
All items less food and energy	79.688	76.234	82.191	79.119	80.349	75.483	79.408	78.906

Table 3 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Houston- The Woodlands- Sugar Land, TX		Los Angeles- Long Beach- Anaheim, CA		Miami- Fort Lauderdale- West Palm Beach, FL		New York- Newark- Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	14.129	16.107	13.174	13.566	14.190	13.588	12.617	14.388
Food	13.350	15.439	12.337	13.055	13.273	13.118	11.775	13.823
Food at home	6.416	7.965	6.141	7.110	7.687	8.114	6.587	8.309
Food away from home	6.934	7.474	6.196	5.945	5.586	5.004	5.187	5.514
Alcoholic beverages .....	.779	.668	.837	.511	.917	.470	.843	.565
Housing	42.032	37.975	48.450	49.110	48.646	47.898	49.462	46.534
Shelter	31.607	27.606	41.087	42.195	41.357	39.990	41.774	38.949
Rent of primary residence	7.843	10.331	13.984	21.020	9.963	17.161	11.909	14.902
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	22.580	16.583	26.129	20.604	29.669	21.687	28.795	23.257
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	21.861	16.190	25.185	20.332	27.566	21.198	26.597	22.919
Fuels and utilities	6.013	6.666	3.279	3.914	4.061	4.785	4.345	4.781
Household energy	4.857	5.355	2.289	2.829	3.177	3.698	3.806	4.226
Energy services	4.815	5.315	2.268	2.803	3.146	3.668	3.351	3.793
Electricity	4.326	4.859	1.642	2.059	3.097	3.631	2.026	2.253
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.490	.456	.626	.743	.049	.037	1.326	1.540
Household furnishings and operations	4.412	3.703	4.084	3.001	3.228	3.124	3.343	2.804
Apparel	3.349	3.578	3.446	2.484	3.064	2.960	2.686	2.978
Transportation	19.338	23.432	14.130	16.290	14.753	18.602	11.790	13.751
Private transportation	18.534	22.650	13.126	15.324	13.468	18.130	9.564	11.399
Motor fuel	3.901	5.202	4.016	6.242	3.672	4.919	2.638	3.385
Gasoline (all types)	3.784	5.153	3.979	6.190	3.636	4.883	2.627	3.369
Medical care	7.498	5.783	6.488	5.741	7.974	5.945	7.538	6.731
Recreation	5.045	4.085	4.744	4.575	4.145	3.181	4.835	4.762
Education and communication	5.419	5.449	6.340	5.519	4.397	4.943	8.014	7.736
Other goods and services	3.189	3.589	3.227	2.715	2.831	2.882	3.057	3.119
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.516	45.724	31.493	32.241	31.582	32.886	27.124	30.740
Commodities less food and beverages	24.387	29.617	18.320	18.675	17.392	19.298	14.507	16.352
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.406	13.740	11.511	12.641	11.319	11.723	9.889	10.869
Durables	11.981	15.877	6.809	6.034	6.073	7.575	4.618	5.483
Services	61.484	54.276	68.507	67.759	68.418	67.114	72.876	69.260
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	92.502	94.217	93.512	94.259	92.026	94.055	92.462	93.269
All items less shelter	68.393	72.394	58.913	57.805	58.643	60.010	58.226	61.051
Commodities less food	25.165	30.285	19.156	19.186	18.309	19.768	15.350	16.917
Nondurables	26.535	29.847	24.685	26.207	25.509	25.311	22.506	25.257
Nondurables less food	13.184	14.408	12.348	13.152	12.236	12.193	10.731	11.434
Services less rent of shelter	30.434	27.057	27.676	25.709	27.543	27.351	31.430	30.534
Services less medical care services	55.384	49.361	63.285	63.022	61.908	62.148	66.564	63.611
Energy	8.758	10.557	6.305	9.071	6.848	8.617	6.444	7.610
All items less energy	91.242	89.443	93.695	90.929	93.152	91.383	93.556	92.390
All items less food and energy	77.892	74.004	81.358	77.874	79.879	78.265	81.781	78.567

Table 3 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD		Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ		San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA		Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	11.318	13.843	13.050	13.695	14.373	15.080	14.552	18.830
Food	10.611	12.907	11.902	12.674	12.633	14.072	13.570	17.301
Food at home	6.232	7.397	6.610	7.403	5.771	7.530	7.512	10.258
Food away from home	4.380	5.511	5.292	5.270	6.863	6.541	6.058	7.043
Alcoholic beverages .....	.707	.935	1.149	1.021	1.740	1.009	.982	1.529
Housing	44.715	42.757	44.696	45.548	49.204	45.837	45.684	40.691
Shelter	35.524	33.713	36.416	37.547	42.965	39.445	38.405	33.775
Rent of primary residence	6.706	9.936	8.163	15.137	12.577	16.989	10.185	13.210
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	27.205	22.595	27.135	21.587	29.045	21.487	26.995	19.838
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.731	21.969	25.390	21.251	27.980	21.200	26.086	19.243
Fuels and utilities	5.463	6.107	4.393	5.340	2.764	3.186	3.282	3.394
Household energy	4.447	5.136	3.042	3.775	1.687	1.974	1.964	2.131
Energy services	3.910	4.699	3.015	3.729	1.669	1.941	1.846	1.976
Electricity	2.379	2.911	2.664	3.284	1.282	1.438	1.511	1.679
Utility (piped) gas service	1.531	1.789	.351	.445	.387	.503	.335	.297
Household furnishings and operations	3.728	2.937	3.887	2.661	3.474	3.206	3.997	3.521
Apparel	2.750	2.969	3.324	3.616	2.803	3.495	3.827	3.756
Transportation	14.812	17.460	16.271	15.736	11.661	17.686	13.694	16.335
Private transportation	13.457	16.242	14.738	15.041	9.732	15.657	12.325	15.440
Motor fuel	3.611	4.243	4.270	6.501	2.944	4.291	3.376	3.501
Gasoline (all types)	3.524	4.162	4.176	6.359	2.903	4.232	3.336	3.440
Medical care	9.076	7.386	7.927	7.879	7.068	5.011	6.800	5.155
Recreation	5.229	4.604	5.473	4.583	5.385	4.037	6.075	6.367
Education and communication	8.783	7.935	6.528	5.953	7.073	6.164	6.632	5.197
Other goods and services	3.316	3.046	2.730	2.990	2.433	2.690	2.737	3.669
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	31.631	34.706	34.224	36.195	29.439	35.689	35.422	41.495
Commodities less food and beverages	20.312	20.863	21.174	22.499	15.066	20.609	20.870	22.665
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.292	12.435	12.437	15.124	9.441	12.058	11.988	13.134
Durables	8.020	8.428	8.736	7.376	5.625	8.550	8.883	9.531
Services	68.369	65.294	65.776	63.805	70.561	64.311	64.578	58.505
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	90.924	92.614	92.073	92.121	92.932	94.989	93.200	94.845
All items less shelter	64.476	66.287	63.584	62.453	57.035	60.555	61.595	66.225
Commodities less food	21.019	21.799	22.322	23.521	16.805	21.617	21.852	24.193
Nondurables	23.610	26.277	25.488	28.819	23.814	27.139	26.540	31.964
Nondurables less food	12.999	13.370	13.586	16.145	11.181	13.067	12.970	14.662
Services less rent of shelter	33.265	32.062	29.552	26.448	27.876	25.107	26.459	24.932
Services less medical care services	61.130	59.508	59.369	57.271	64.729	60.156	59.002	54.525
Energy	8.057	9.379	7.313	10.276	4.632	6.266	5.341	5.632
All items less energy	91.943	90.621	92.687	89.724	95.368	93.734	94.659	94.368
All items less food and energy	81.331	77.713	80.785	77.050	82.735	79.663	81.089	77.067

Table 3 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	St. Louis, MO-IL		Urban Alaska	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	15.419	19.083	13.219	17.204
Food	14.250	17.810	12.173	16.092
Food at home	7.657	10.956	6.914	10.762
Food away from home	6.593	6.854	5.259	5.330
Alcoholic beverages	1.169	1.273	1.046	1.112
Housing	38.977	34.770	40.167	38.038
Shelter	28.677	25.536	31.961	29.379
Rent of primary residence	5.294	7.054	8.168	8.440
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	21.954	17.490	22.249	20.155
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	21.459	17.064	20.882	19.783
Fuels and utilities	5.009	4.726	4.772	5.520
Household energy	3.546	3.412	3.934	4.795
Energy services	3.465	3.380	3.798	4.555
Electricity	2.270	2.437	2.340	2.976
Utility (piped) gas service	1.195	.943	1.458	1.578
Household furnishings and operations	5.291	4.508	3.434	3.139
Apparel	2.623	2.993	2.445	2.810
Transportation	16.662	18.546	20.278	18.702
Private transportation	15.663	18.089	18.037	17.727
Motor fuel	3.736	4.755	4.036	5.012
Gasoline (all types)	3.626	4.634	3.958	4.950
Medical care	10.613	9.063	7.166	8.316
Recreation	5.955	6.389	7.366	6.134
Education and communication	5.838	5.588	6.475	5.657
Other goods and services	3.912	3.569	2.884	3.138
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	39.515	46.033	38.293	41.732
Commodities less food and beverages	24.096	26.950	25.074	24.527
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.493	14.761	12.099	14.101
Durables	10.603	12.190	12.975	10.426
Services	60.484	53.967	61.707	58.268
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	89.387	90.937	92.834	91.684
All items less shelter	71.323	74.464	68.039	70.621
Commodities less food	25.265	28.223	26.120	25.639
Nondurables	28.912	33.844	25.318	31.305
Nondurables less food	14.662	16.034	13.145	15.213
Services less rent of shelter	32.343	28.825	29.973	29.059
Services less medical care services	52.257	46.920	55.908	51.381
Energy	7.281	8.166	7.971	9.807
All items less energy	92.719	91.834	92.029	90.193
All items less food and energy	78.469	74.024	79.856	74.101

Table 4 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Regions¹, December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.285	14.661	15.110	15.667	14.419	15.688	14.365	16.461
Food	12.303	13.777	14.039	14.632	13.557	14.902	13.323	15.490
Food at home	6.898	8.184	7.735	8.498	7.391	8.407	7.110	8.675
Food away from home	5.405	5.593	6.305	6.134	6.166	6.495	6.213	6.815
Alcoholic beverages .....	.982	.884	1.071	1.034	.862	.786	1.041	.971
Housing	44.430	42.064	39.295	38.476	40.929	39.624	44.351	41.316
Shelter	35.814	33.445	30.037	28.934	31.349	30.024	36.240	33.479
Rent of primary residence	8.385	11.156	6.455	8.661	6.924	10.269	10.057	13.638
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	26.048	21.286	22.293	19.136	23.118	18.864	25.089	19.128
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	24.019	20.772	20.878	18.480	22.011	18.216	24.002	18.679
Fuels and utilities	4.954	5.385	4.828	5.545	5.120	5.737	3.804	4.252
Household energy	4.214	4.573	3.747	4.332	3.923	4.388	2.544	2.952
Energy services	3.657	4.126	3.592	4.193	3.840	4.327	2.482	2.899
Electricity	2.339	2.673	2.386	2.799	3.351	3.879	1.977	2.357
Utility (piped) gas service	1.317	1.452	1.206	1.394	.489	.449	.505	.542
Household furnishings and operations	3.662	3.233	4.429	3.998	4.460	3.863	4.307	3.584
Apparel	2.796	3.027	3.004	3.027	2.914	3.004	3.108	3.315
Transportation	14.487	16.062	16.721	18.614	17.808	19.814	15.529	18.342
Private transportation	12.957	14.565	15.739	17.947	16.976	19.288	14.260	17.365
New and used motor vehicles	5.822	6.325	7.455	7.478	8.340	8.935	5.789	6.513
New vehicles	2.690	2.610	3.527	2.582	4.816	4.946	3.188	3.189
Used cars and trucks	2.106	2.671	2.755	3.932	2.800	3.324	1.792	2.572
Motor fuel	3.269	4.111	3.625	5.014	3.935	5.032	4.002	5.492
Gasoline (all types)	3.222	4.062	3.531	4.883	3.833	4.932	3.896	5.338
Medical care	8.432	7.250	9.487	8.469	9.060	7.762	7.776	6.605
Medical care commodities	1.534	1.305	1.950	1.582	1.805	1.483	1.529	1.293
Medical care services	6.899	5.945	7.537	6.887	7.254	6.279	6.247	5.312
Professional services	3.251	2.744	3.620	3.295	3.263	2.721	2.979	2.386
Recreation	5.388	5.259	6.001	5.051	5.610	5.102	5.812	5.124
Education and communication	7.913	8.152	6.799	6.684	6.159	5.698	6.042	5.855
Other goods and services	3.268	3.526	3.583	4.012	3.101	3.308	3.018	2.983
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	32.859	35.989	38.680	40.917	38.749	41.701	35.756	40.427
Commodities less food and beverages	19.573	21.328	23.570	25.251	24.330	26.013	21.391	23.966
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.662	12.719	13.143	14.872	12.779	13.874	12.378	14.269
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	8.866	9.693	10.139	11.845	9.865	10.870	9.270	10.955
Durables	7.911	8.609	10.426	10.378	11.550	12.139	9.013	9.696
Services	67.141	64.011	61.320	59.083	61.251	58.299	64.244	59.573
Rent of shelter	35.462	33.159	29.636	28.552	30.900	29.661	35.964	33.273
Transportation services	6.063	6.223	6.304	6.475	5.682	5.827	6.060	6.375
Other services	13.218	13.145	12.074	11.032	10.921	9.978	10.961	9.813
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	91.568	92.750	90.513	91.531	90.940	92.238	92.224	93.395
All items less food	87.697	86.223	85.961	85.368	86.443	85.098	86.677	84.510
All items less shelter	64.186	66.555	69.963	71.066	68.651	69.976	63.760	66.521
Commodities less food	20.556	22.213	24.641	26.285	25.192	26.799	22.433	24.937
Nondurables	24.948	27.380	28.254	30.539	27.198	29.562	26.743	30.731
Nondurables less food	12.645	13.603	14.214	15.906	13.641	14.660	13.419	15.241
Nondurables less food and apparel	9.849	10.577	11.210	12.879	10.727	11.657	10.311	11.926
Services less rent of shelter	31.679	30.852	31.684	30.531	30.351	28.638	28.280	26.300
Services less medical care services	60.242	58.066	53.783	52.196	53.997	52.021	57.997	54.261
Energy	7.483	8.684	7.371	9.346	7.858	9.421	6.547	8.443
All items less energy	92.517	91.316	92.628	90.654	92.142	90.579	93.453	91.557
All items less food and energy	80.214	77.539	78.589	76.022	78.585	75.677	80.130	76.067
Commodities less food and energy commodities	16.730	17.654	20.861	21.132	21.174	21.705	18.368	19.392
Energy commodities	3.826	4.559	3.780	5.152	4.018	5.094	4.064	5.544
Services less energy services	63.484	59.885	57.728	54.889	57.411	53.972	61.762	56.674

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in Brief Explanation of the CPI.

Table 5 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Population size classes¹ December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Size class A		Size class B/C	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.416	14.915	15.061	16.238
Food	12.493	14.186	14.048	15.211
Food at home	6.676	8.125	7.795	8.687
Food away from home	5.817	6.061	6.253	6.524
Alcoholic beverages .....	.923	.729	1.014	1.027
Housing	45.669	43.894	39.316	37.597
Shelter	37.410	35.680	29.802	28.071
Rent of primary residence	9.646	13.643	6.525	8.939
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	26.559	21.266	21.967	18.104
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.021	20.758	20.788	17.480
Fuels and utilities	4.272	4.900	5.032	5.540
Household energy	3.260	3.794	3.856	4.261
Energy services	3.096	3.655	3.654	4.103
Electricity	2.228	2.667	2.922	3.348
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.868	.988	.732	.755
Household furnishings and operations	3.987	3.315	4.481	3.985
Apparel	3.081	3.287	2.857	2.941
Transportation	14.824	17.122	17.617	19.500
Private transportation	13.423	15.986	16.745	18.858
New and used motor vehicles	5.794	6.517	8.014	8.311
New vehicles	3.206	3.500	4.155	3.660
Used cars and trucks	1.626	2.173	3.027	3.849
Motor fuel	3.467	4.718	4.008	5.143
Gasoline (all types)	3.417	4.665	3.883	4.992
Medical care	7.842	6.693	9.381	8.134
Medical care commodities	1.461	1.203	1.912	1.584
Medical care services	6.382	5.490	7.468	6.550
Professional services	3.035	2.556	3.437	2.908
Recreation	5.389	4.661	5.948	5.475
Education and communication	6.735	6.258	6.481	6.523
Other goods and services	3.043	3.167	3.338	3.592
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	33.015	36.508	39.935	42.813
Commodities less food and beverages	19.599	21.593	24.874	26.575
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.493	12.897	13.382	14.724
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	8.412	9.610	10.525	11.783
Durables	8.106	8.696	11.491	11.851
Services	66.985	63.492	60.065	57.187
Rent of shelter	37.070	35.419	29.398	27.719
Transportation services	6.151	6.276	5.829	6.086
Other services	11.893	10.849	11.366	10.700
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	92.158	93.307	90.619	91.866
All items less food	87.507	85.814	85.952	84.789
All items less shelter	62.590	64.320	70.198	71.929
Commodities less food	20.523	22.322	25.887	27.602
Nondurables	24.909	27.812	28.444	30.962
Nondurables less food	12.416	13.626	14.396	15.751
Nondurables less food and apparel	9.336	10.339	11.539	12.810
Services less rent of shelter	29.915	28.073	30.667	29.468
Services less medical care services	60.603	58.001	52.597	50.637
Energy	6.726	8.512	7.864	9.404
All items less energy	93.274	91.488	92.136	90.596
All items less food and energy	80.781	77.302	78.088	75.385
Commodities less food and energy commodities	16.892	17.465	21.677	22.301
Energy commodities	3.630	4.857	4.210	5.301
Services less energy services	63.889	59.837	56.411	53.084

¹ See Table 7 for definitions of size classes by region.

Table 6 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Northeast			
	Size class A		Size class B/C	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	12.562	14.328	14.223	15.078
Food	11.715	13.686	13.066	13.891
Food at home	6.703	8.341	7.151	7.987
Food away from home	5.012	5.344	5.915	5.904
Alcoholic beverages .....	.848	.642	1.157	1.187
Housing	48.276	45.838	39.442	37.341
Shelter	40.160	37.962	30.178	27.796
Rent of primary residence	10.389	14.320	5.786	7.197
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	28.575	22.824	22.771	19.361
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	26.240	22.418	21.138	18.713
Fuels and utilities	4.624	5.036	5.382	5.820
Household energy	3.991	4.424	4.505	4.760
Energy services	3.481	4.000	3.885	4.283
Electricity	2.124	2.426	2.618	2.982
Utility (piped) gas service	1.357	1.574	1.267	1.301
Household furnishings and operations	3.493	2.840	3.882	3.725
Apparel	2.697	2.970	2.924	3.098
Transportation	12.375	14.081	17.226	18.540
Private transportation	10.469	12.047	16.185	17.715
Motor fuel	2.864	3.619	3.793	4.726
Gasoline (all types)	2.840	3.596	3.718	4.644
Medical care	7.721	6.759	9.356	7.865
Recreation	5.103	4.859	5.758	5.759
Education and communication	8.153	7.964	7.603	8.387
Other goods and services	3.112	3.201	3.470	3.933
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	28.652	31.528	38.314	41.570
Commodities less food and beverages	16.090	17.200	24.091	26.493
Nondurables less food and beverages	10.466	11.277	13.214	14.523
Durables	5.624	5.923	10.877	11.970
Services	71.348	68.472	61.686	58.430
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	92.279	93.241	90.644	92.135
All items less shelter	59.840	62.038	69.822	72.204
Commodities less food	16.937	17.842	25.249	27.680
Nondurables	23.028	25.605	27.437	29.601
Nondurables less food	11.313	11.919	14.371	15.710
Services less rent of shelter	31.529	30.762	31.874	30.964
Services less medical care services	64.981	62.887	54.097	52.035
Energy	6.855	8.043	8.298	9.487
All items less energy	93.145	91.957	91.702	90.513
All items less food and energy	81.430	78.271	78.637	76.623

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Midwest			
	Size class A		Size class B/C	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	14.066	16.829	15.788	14.980
Food	13.089	15.900	14.656	13.883
Food at home	7.010	9.086	8.205	8.151
Food away from home	6.079	6.814	6.451	5.733
Alcoholic beverages .....	.977	.929	1.132	1.096
Housing	41.582	39.878	37.810	37.648
Shelter	32.919	31.225	28.166	27.579
Rent of primary residence	6.988	8.834	6.110	8.559
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	24.663	21.492	20.754	17.744
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.784	20.856	19.641	17.075
Fuels and utilities	4.366	4.869	5.128	5.945
Household energy	3.327	3.743	4.019	4.680
Energy services	3.254	3.723	3.811	4.472
Electricity	1.935	2.264	2.679	3.115
Utility (piped) gas service	1.319	1.459	1.132	1.356
Household furnishings and operations	4.297	3.783	4.516	4.124
Apparel	2.916	3.026	3.062	3.028
Transportation	15.627	17.537	17.431	19.250
Private transportation	14.389	16.735	16.616	18.664
Motor fuel	3.410	4.629	3.764	5.242
Gasoline (all types)	3.356	4.556	3.645	5.077
Medical care	9.318	8.145	9.597	8.661
Recreation	6.201	4.588	5.871	5.325
Education and communication	6.924	6.279	6.718	6.923
Other goods and services	3.365	3.718	3.724	4.185
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	35.645	39.641	40.649	41.671
Commodities less food and beverages	21.579	22.812	24.862	26.692
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.288	13.804	13.699	15.504
Durables	9.291	9.008	11.163	11.188
Services	64.355	60.359	59.351	58.329
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	90.682	91.855	90.403	91.339
All items less shelter	67.081	68.775	71.834	72.421
Commodities less food	22.556	23.741	25.993	27.788
Nondurables	26.354	30.633	29.487	30.483
Nondurables less food	13.265	14.733	14.831	16.600
Services less rent of shelter	31.817	29.493	31.598	31.144
Services less medical care services	56.896	53.785	51.763	51.256
Energy	6.738	8.372	7.783	9.922
All items less energy	93.262	91.628	92.217	90.078
All items less food and energy	80.173	75.728	77.561	76.195

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	South			
	Size class A		Size class B/C	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.563	13.953	14.893	16.620
Food	12.753	13.379	14.002	15.720
Food at home	6.751	7.532	7.746	8.877
Food away from home	6.002	5.847	6.256	6.843
Alcoholic beverages .....	.810	.574	.891	.900
Housing	44.331	42.760	39.045	37.940
Shelter	35.350	33.640	29.133	28.082
Rent of primary residence	8.516	13.020	6.042	8.792
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	25.551	19.863	21.770	18.327
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	24.368	19.235	20.705	17.669
Fuels and utilities	4.773	5.492	5.312	5.869
Household energy	3.648	4.169	4.075	4.506
Energy services	3.596	4.121	3.975	4.438
Electricity	3.052	3.580	3.516	4.039
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.544	.541	.459	.399
Household furnishings and operations	4.207	3.628	4.600	3.989
Apparel	3.308	3.777	2.696	2.588
Transportation	16.870	19.937	18.328	19.749
Private transportation	15.717	19.171	17.674	19.351
Motor fuel	3.583	4.798	4.130	5.158
Gasoline (all types)	3.517	4.749	4.007	5.031
Medical care	7.988	6.539	9.653	8.418
Recreation	5.219	4.556	5.827	5.395
Education and communication	5.829	5.382	6.342	5.868
Other goods and services	2.893	3.097	3.216	3.422
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	35.468	39.104	40.565	43.095
Commodities less food and beverages	21.905	25.151	25.672	26.476
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.876	13.205	13.280	14.233
Durables	10.030	11.946	12.393	12.242
Services	64.532	60.896	59.435	56.905
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	92.012	93.461	90.347	91.582
All items less shelter	64.650	66.360	70.867	71.918
Commodities less food	22.715	25.725	26.563	27.376
Nondurables	25.438	27.159	28.173	30.853
Nondurables less food	12.685	13.779	14.171	15.133
Services less rent of shelter	29.575	27.533	30.781	29.231
Services less medical care services	58.046	55.517	51.755	50.143
Energy	7.230	8.966	8.205	9.665
All items less energy	92.769	91.034	91.795	90.335
All items less food and energy	80.016	77.654	77.793	74.615

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2018-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	West			
	Size class A		Size class B/C	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	13.610	15.287	15.275	17.563
Food	12.557	14.439	14.247	16.477
Food at home	6.413	7.963	7.951	9.343
Food away from home	6.144	6.476	6.296	7.134
Alcoholic beverages	1.053	.849	1.027	1.086
Housing	46.958	45.829	41.208	37.079
Shelter	39.430	38.545	32.395	28.724
Rent of primary residence	11.449	16.681	8.379	10.781
Owners' equivalent rent of residences	26.866	21.199	22.947	17.183
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.818	20.806	21.813	16.682
Fuels and utilities	3.513	4.162	4.156	4.336
Household energy	2.320	2.852	2.815	3.045
Energy services	2.280	2.800	2.726	2.991
Electricity	1.747	2.164	2.255	2.539
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.533	.636	.472	.453
Household furnishings and operations	4.015	3.122	4.657	4.019
Apparel	3.268	3.218	2.915	3.406
Transportation	14.526	16.638	16.738	19.941
Private transportation	13.215	15.716	15.520	18.914
Motor fuel	3.863	5.691	4.170	5.304
Gasoline (all types)	3.811	5.617	3.998	5.076
Medical care	7.032	5.896	8.672	7.270
Recreation	5.333	4.639	6.389	5.580
Education and communication	6.321	5.624	5.705	6.071
Other goods and services	2.951	2.869	3.097	3.090
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	32.888	36.338	39.214	44.266
Commodities less food and beverages	19.278	21.051	23.939	26.703
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.540	13.484	13.388	15.007
Durables	7.738	7.567	10.551	11.695
Services	67.112	63.662	60.786	55.734
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	92.968	94.104	91.328	92.730
All items less shelter	60.570	61.455	67.605	71.276
Commodities less food	20.330	21.900	24.967	27.789
Nondurables	25.150	28.771	28.663	32.570
Nondurables less food	12.592	14.332	14.416	16.093
Services less rent of shelter	27.955	25.310	28.671	27.231
Services less medical care services	61.377	58.814	53.923	49.987
Energy	6.183	8.543	6.985	8.349
All items less energy	93.817	91.457	93.015	91.651
All items less food and energy	81.260	77.018	78.768	75.174

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in Brief Explanation of the CPI.

² See Table 7 for definitions of size classes by region.

Table 7 (2015-2016 Weights). Relative importance of selected areas in the Consumer Price Indexes, December 2018

(Percent of all items)

Area	CPI-U	CPI-W
U.S. city average	100.000	100.000
Region and area size ¹		
Northeast	19.701	19.476
Northeast - Size Class A	11.124	10.824
Northeast - Size Class B/C	8.577	8.652
New England ²	5.167	4.328
Middle Atlantic ²	14.534	15.148
Midwest	19.163	19.845
Midwest - Size Class A	7.543	7.372
Midwest - Size Class B/C	11.620	12.472
East North Central ²	12.931	13.642
West North Central ²	6.232	6.202
South	34.923	36.197
South - Size Class A	12.446	12.648
South - Size Class B/C	22.477	23.548
South Atlantic ²	19.443	18.108
East South Central ²	5.038	4.512
West South Central ²	10.442	13.577
West	26.213	24.483
West - Size Class A	14.327	11.855
West - Size Class B/C	11.886	12.627
Mountain ²	7.056	7.010
Pacific ²	19.157	17.472
Size classes		
Size Class A	45.440	42.700
Size Class B/C	54.560	57.300
Selected local areas		
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	1.690	1.622
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD ³ .....	.953	.690
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH	1.923	1.563
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI	3.274	3.850
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	2.414	3.147
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	1.499	.742
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI	1.635	1.351
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	2.246	2.622
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA	5.036	4.968
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL	1.928	1.838
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	1.696	1.229
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA	7.125	7.704
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.076	1.557
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ ⁴	1.443	1.377
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA ²	1.244	1.601
St. Louis, MO-IL .....	.938	.943
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA	2.018	1.083
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	1.335	.786
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	1.751	1.298
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL ⁵ .....	.868	.695
Urban Alaska .....	.220	.186
Urban Hawaii .....	.475	.507
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV ³	2.348	2.033

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in Brief Explanation of the CPI.

² Indexes on a December 2017=100 base.

³ 1998 - 2017 indexes based on substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a 1987=100 base.