

Table 1 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: U.S. city average, December 2002

(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	15.583	17.072
Food	14.554	16.071
Food at home	8.338	9.646
Cereals and bakery products	1.281	1.449
Cereals and cereal products .....	.436	.515
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.059	.071
Breakfast cereal .....	.244	.272
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	.134	.173
Bakery products .....	.845	.934
Bread .....	.246	.286
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	.112	.111
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.240	.271
Other bakery products .....	.247	.265
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.222	2.773
Meats, poultry, and fish	2.123	2.645
Meats	1.418	1.793
Beef and veal .....	.681	.854
Uncooked ground beef .....	.253	.330
Uncooked beef roasts .....	.113	.129
Uncooked beef steaks .....	.272	.345
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	.044	.050
Pork .....	.447	.581
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	.144	.184
Ham .....	.100	.127
Pork chops .....	.106	.147
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	.097	.122
Other meats .....	.291	.359
Poultry .....	.402	.503
Chicken .....	.321	.413
Other poultry including turkey .....	.080	.090
Fish and seafood .....	.303	.349
Fresh fish and seafood .....	.177	.207
Processed fish and seafood .....	.126	.142
Eggs .....	.099	.128
Dairy and related products .....	.876	.977
Milk .....	.308	.367
Cheese and related products .....	.259	.279
Ice cream and related products .....	.169	.182
Other dairy and related products .....	.140	.150
Fruits and vegetables	1.234	1.337
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.956	1.024
Fresh fruits .....	.476	.501
Apples .....	.088	.099
Bananas .....	.086	.098
Citrus fruits .....	.085	.091
Other fresh fruits .....	.218	.212
Fresh vegetables .....	.480	.523
Potatoes .....	.084	.097
Lettuce .....	.054	.061
Tomatoes .....	.100	.116
Other fresh vegetables .....	.242	.249
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	.278	.313
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	.149	.169
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	.084	.091
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	.045	.053
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.954	1.118
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	.700	.842
Carbonated drinks .....	.360	.463
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.035	.038
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.306	.341
Beverage materials including coffee and tea254	.276
Coffee097	.102
Other beverage materials including tea156	.173

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Item and group	U.S. city average	
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Expenditure category		
Other food at home	1.771	1.992
Sugar and sweets314	.337
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.056	.069
Candy and chewing gum .....	.199	.205
Other sweets .....	.059	.063
Fats and oils .....	.252	.302
Butter and margarine .....	.080	.091
Salad dressing .....	.074	.087
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	.098	.124
Other foods	1.205	1.353
Soups .....	.099	.112
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	.245	.273
Snacks .....	.252	.276
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.239	.271
Baby food .....	.083	.114
Other miscellaneous foods .....	.287	.308
Food away from home	6.216	6.425
Full service meals and snacks	2.642	2.191
Limited service meals and snacks	2.734	3.345
Food at employee sites and schools .....	.303	.384
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	.149	.227
Other food away from home .....	.388	.278
Alcoholic beverages	1.029	1.001
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.679	.707
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.352	.470
Distilled spirits at home .....	.107	.101
Wine at home .....	.219	.136
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	.350	.293
Housing	40.854	38.134
Shelter	31.728	29.422
Rent of primary residence	6.467	8.456
Lodging away from home	2.654	1.499
Housing at school, excluding board .....	.249	.183
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	2.405	1.317
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.243	19.144
Tenants' and household insurance .....	.365	.323
Fuels and utilities	4.469	4.783
Fuels	3.604	3.902
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.205	.192
Fuel oil .....	.136	.117
Other household fuels .....	.070	.075
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.399	3.710
Electricity	2.415	2.647
Utility natural gas service .....	.984	1.063
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	.864	.880
Water and sewerage maintenance .....	.640	.667
Garbage and trash collection .....	.224	.213
Household furnishings and operations	4.658	3.929
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	.267	.235
Floor coverings .....	.041	.041
Window coverings .....	.086	.058
Other linens .....	.140	.136
Furniture and bedding	1.016	.923
Bedroom furniture .....	.294	.272
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	.537	.481
Other furniture .....	.176	.150
Unsampled furniture .....	.009	.020
Appliances .....	.344	.391
Major appliances .....	.190	.214
Other appliances .....	.142	.163
Unsampled appliances .....	.012	.014
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	.753	.529
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	.417	.273
Indoor plants and flowers .....	.161	.120
Dishes and flatware086	.059
Nonelectric cookware and tableware089	.077

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Expenditure category		
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies625	.570
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	.159	.169
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	.299	.258
Unsampled tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	.168	.144
Housekeeping supplies .....	.832	.923
Household cleaning products .....	.377	.442
Household paper products .....	.195	.215
Miscellaneous household products .....	.260	.267
Household operations .....	.820	.357
Domestic services .....	.294	.073
Gardening and lawn care services .....	.255	.097
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	.097	.075
Repair of household items .....	.089	.062
Unsampled household operations .....	.084	.050
Apparel	4.220	4.638
Men's and boys' apparel	1.065	1.176
Men's apparel .....	.850	.893
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.195	.182
Men's furnishings .....	.188	.193
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	.255	.271
Men's pants and shorts .....	.192	.225
Unsampled men's apparel .....	.020	.022
Boys' apparel .....	.215	.282
Women's and girls' apparel	1.738	1.801
Women's apparel	1.449	1.445
Women's outerwear .....	.106	.109
Women's dresses .....	.211	.244
Women's suits and separates .....	.726	.685
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	.376	.373
Unsampled women's apparel .....	.030	.034
Girls' apparel .....	.290	.356
Footwear .....	.853	1.136
Men's footwear .....	.284	.404
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.171	.261
Women's footwear .....	.399	.472
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.193	.244
Jewelry and watches .....	.370	.281
Watches .....	.053	.052
Jewelry .....	.316	.230
Transportation	17.293	19.666
Private transportation	16.121	18.751
New and used motor vehicles	8.170	9.568
New vehicles	4.864	4.682
Used cars and trucks	2.025	3.783
Leased cars and trucks	1.016	.886
Car and truck rental .....	.118	.084
Unsampled new and used motor vehicles .....	.147	.134
Motor fuel	3.119	3.836
Gasoline (all types)	3.091	3.803
Other motor fuels .....	.028	.033
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.416	.524
Tires .....	.229	.256
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	.187	.268
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.418	1.458
Motor vehicle body work .....	.082	.076
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	.483	.481
Motor vehicle repair .....	.833	.882
Unsampled service policies .....	.020	.019
Motor vehicle insurance	2.436	2.854
Motor vehicle fees .....	.563	.510
State and local registration and license .....	.377	.361
Parking and other fees .....	.162	.129
Unsampled motor vehicle fees .....	.023	.020
Public transportation	1.172	.915
Airline fare .....	.725	.486
Other intercity transportation .....	.186	.124
Intracity transportation254	.297
Unsampled public transportation006	.008

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Item and group	U.S. city average	
	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category		
Medical care	5.961	4.747
Medical care commodities	1.387	1.012
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	.979	.693
Prescription drugs and medical supplies .....	.971	.691
Unsampled rent or repair of medical equipment .....	.007	.002
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies .....	.408	.319
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	.298	.245
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	.110	.074
Medical care services	4.574	3.735
Professional services	2.808	2.265
Physicians' services	1.516	1.293
Dental services .....	.762	.596
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	.281	.234
Services by other medical professionals .....	.250	.143
Hospital and related services	1.451	1.177
Hospital services	1.367	1.159
Nursing homes and adult daycare .....	.083	.018
Health Insurance .....	.315	.293
Recreation	5.943	5.567
Video and audio	1.638	1.795
Televisions .....	.131	.137
Cable television .....	.973	1.083
Other video equipment .....	.046	.053
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental .....	.135	.166
Audio equipment .....	.109	.122
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	.146	.157
Unsampled video and audio .....	.099	.076
Pets, pet products and services .....	.710	.699
Pets and pet products .....	.448	.492
Pet services including veterinary .....	.262	.208
Sporting goods .....	.605	.699
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.277	.399
Sports equipment .....	.320	.295
Unsampled sporting goods .....	.008	.005
Photography .....	.231	.207
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.101	.084
Photographers and film processing .....	.128	.122
Unsampled photography .....	.001	.001
Other recreational goods .....	.449	.462
Toys .....	.319	.354
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	.055	.050
Music instruments and accessories .....	.060	.047
Unsampled recreation commodities .....	.014	.011
Recreation services	1.875	1.382
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports .....	.600	.363
Admissions .....	.824	.698
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	.177	.126
Unsampled recreation services .....	.274	.195
Recreational reading materials .....	.435	.323
Newspapers and magazines .....	.265	.210
Recreational books .....	.169	.113
Unsampled recreational reading materials .....	.001	.000
Education and communication	5.798	5.604
Education	2.835	2.472
Educational books and supplies .....	.236	.217
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.599	2.256
College tuition and fees	1.214	.917
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.352	.269
Child care and nursery school .....	.860	.916
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	.086	.079
Unsampled tuition, other school fees, and childcare086	.074
Communication	2.963	3.132
Postage and delivery services198	.160

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Expenditure category		
Postage191	.157
Delivery services007	.003
Information and information processing	2.765	2.972
Telephone services	2.273	2.536
Telephone services, local charges	1.168	1.317
Telephone services, long distance charges .....	.876	.984
Cellular telephone services .....	.230	.236
Information and information processing other than telephone services ..	.492	.436
Personal computers and peripheral equipment .....	.210	.191
Computer software and accessories .....	.045	.034
Computer information processing services .....	.152	.138
Other information processing equipment .....	.079	.067
Unsampled information and information processing .....	.005	.005
Other goods and services	4.350	4.571
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.992	1.542
Cigarettes .....	.926	1.459
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	.058	.074
Unsampled tobacco and smoking products .....	.007	.008
Personal care	3.358	3.030
Personal care products .....	.680	.786
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	.362	.420
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	.314	.361
Unsampled personal care products .....	.004	.006
Personal care services .....	.897	.896
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	.897	.896
Miscellaneous personal services	1.573	1.170
Legal services .....	.340	.256
Funeral expenses .....	.231	.169
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	.383	.391
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning .....	.049	.035
Financial services .....	.269	.202
Care of invalids and elderly at home .....	.177	.020
Unsampled items .....	.124	.098
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	.208	.177
Special aggregate indexes		
All items	100.000	100.000
Commodities	40.822	45.066
Commodities less food and beverages	25.239	27.994
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.824	15.152
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	9.604	10.514
Durables	11.416	12.842
Services	59.178	54.934
Rent of shelter	31.364	29.099
Transportation services	6.722	6.706
Other services	11.071	10.123
All items less food	85.446	83.929
All items less shelter	68.272	70.578
All items less medical care	94.039	95.253
Commodities less food	26.268	28.995
Nondurables less food	14.853	16.153
Nondurables less food and apparel	10.633	11.514
Nondurables	29.406	32.224
Apparel less footwear	3.366	3.502
Services less rent of shelter	27.815	25.835
Services less medical care services	54.604	51.199
Energy	6.723	7.738
All items less energy	93.277	92.262
All items less food and energy	78.724	76.191
Commodities less food and energy commodities	22.945	24.967
Energy commodities	3.324	4.028
Services less energy services	55.779	51.224
Domestically produced farm food	6.995	8.082
Utilities and public transportation	8.681	9.125

Table 2 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002 (Cities normally published in November)

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Item and group	Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT		Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN		Cleveland-Akron, OH	
	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	13.592	15.241	16.034	16.066	15.140	18.120
Food	12.436	13.962	14.952	15.046	14.279	17.262
Food at home	6.524	7.527	7.649	7.893	8.162	9.623
Food away from home	5.912	6.434	7.303	7.153	6.117	7.639
Alcoholic beverages	1.157	1.280	1.082	1.021	.861	.858
Housing	48.365	44.825	37.650	34.620	39.679	35.262
Shelter	40.948	37.157	29.085	26.679	29.708	25.861
Rent of primary residence	7.617	9.570	5.559	6.688	4.534	5.335
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	29.994	26.066	20.665	17.601	22.085	19.041
Fuels and utilities	3.860	4.125	4.124	4.554	4.924	4.978
Fuels	3.354	3.587	3.189	3.457	3.946	4.077
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.552	2.944	3.024	3.277	3.861	3.998
Electricity	1.576	1.640	2.177	2.451	1.797	1.928
Utility natural gas service .....	.976	1.304	.847	.826	2.064	2.070
Household furnishings and operations	3.557	3.543	4.441	3.388	5.047	4.424
Apparel	3.959	5.072	4.004	4.010	4.168	4.289
Transportation	13.906	14.660	19.323	24.343	19.558	22.966
Private transportation	12.547	13.412	18.366	23.567	18.392	21.794
Motor fuel	2.394	2.849	2.885	3.422	3.014	3.540
Gasoline (all types)	2.391	2.844	2.849	3.380	3.009	3.535
Medical care	4.815	4.820	5.779	4.570	5.232	4.373
Recreation	5.445	5.477	6.554	5.962	5.720	5.335
Education and communication	6.174	5.637	6.011	5.762	5.172	4.979
Other goods and services	3.743	4.267	4.644	4.667	5.332	4.677
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	33.765	38.663	42.157	45.988	41.435	48.366
Commodities less food and beverages	20.173	23.422	26.123	29.921	26.295	30.246
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.646	13.946	13.781	14.862	13.685	15.171
Durables	8.527	9.476	12.343	15.059	12.609	15.074
Services	66.235	61.337	57.843	54.012	58.565	51.634
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	95.185	95.180	94.221	95.430	94.768	95.627
All items less shelter	59.052	62.843	70.915	73.321	70.292	74.139
Commodities less food	21.330	24.702	27.205	30.942	27.156	31.104
Nondurables	25.239	29.187	29.815	30.928	28.826	33.291
Nondurables less food	12.803	15.226	14.862	15.883	14.547	16.029
Services less rent of shelter	25.525	24.392	29.171	27.680	29.159	26.048
Services less medical care services	62.231	57.255	53.369	50.410	54.525	48.190
Energy	5.748	6.436	6.074	6.880	6.960	7.618
All items less energy	94.252	93.564	93.926	93.120	93.040	92.382
All items less food and energy	81.816	79.602	78.974	78.074	78.761	75.120

Table 2 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002 (Cities normally published in November)-Continued

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Item and group	Dallas-Fort Worth, TX		Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO		Honolulu, HI	
	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	17.129	21.749	14.154	14.844	16.090	19.771
Food	16.248	20.667	12.743	13.903	14.938	18.404
Food at home	8.955	12.073	7.051	8.490	8.573	11.365
Food away from home	7.293	8.594	5.692	5.414	6.365	7.040
Alcoholic beverages .....	.881	1.082	1.411	.941	1.152	1.367
Housing	37.457	34.020	43.104	41.000	42.479	38.035
Shelter	27.596	25.199	34.841	33.887	35.375	31.177
Rent of primary residence	7.238	9.816	7.471	10.001	8.314	10.858
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	18.594	14.355	24.587	22.136	24.822	19.010
Fuels and utilities	4.941	5.446	3.266	3.568	3.255	3.300
Fuels	3.723	4.250	2.207	2.498	2.455	2.592
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.680	4.197	2.178	2.473	2.420	2.546
Electricity	3.178	3.712	1.363	1.566	2.254	2.310
Utility natural gas service .....	.502	.485	.815	.906	.166	.236
Household furnishings and operations	4.921	3.375	4.997	3.545	3.849	3.558
Apparel	4.576	4.791	4.063	4.377	4.740	6.462
Transportation	19.812	20.411	17.769	20.172	14.377	16.409
Private transportation	18.768	19.560	16.158	19.129	11.749	14.374
Motor fuel	3.640	4.727	2.880	3.742	2.964	3.460
Gasoline (all types)	3.609	4.686	2.830	3.678	2.905	3.384
Medical care	5.401	4.124	5.017	4.586	6.364	5.219
Recreation	6.111	5.399	6.301	5.738	5.678	4.695
Education and communication	5.493	5.179	5.183	4.933	5.330	4.538
Other goods and services	4.022	4.327	4.409	4.351	4.943	4.871
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	44.897	49.521	36.812	38.847	37.063	44.973
Commodities less food and beverages	27.768	27.773	22.658	24.003	20.973	25.202
Nondurables less food and beverages	14.218	15.578	12.625	13.621	13.907	16.913
Durables	13.550	12.195	10.033	10.383	7.066	8.289
Services	55.103	50.479	63.188	61.153	62.937	55.027
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	94.599	95.876	94.983	95.414	93.636	94.781
All items less shelter	72.404	74.801	65.159	66.113	64.625	68.823
Commodities less food	28.649	28.854	24.069	24.944	22.125	26.569
Nondurables	31.347	37.326	26.779	28.465	29.997	36.684
Nondurables less food	15.099	16.659	14.036	14.562	15.059	18.280
Services less rent of shelter	27.795	25.464	28.761	27.605	27.796	24.056
Services less medical care services	50.991	47.271	59.319	57.283	57.984	50.974
Energy	7.363	8.976	5.087	6.240	5.419	6.052
All items less energy	92.637	91.024	94.913	93.760	94.581	93.948
All items less food and energy	76.390	70.357	82.170	79.857	79.643	75.544

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Item and group	Milwaukee-Racine, WI		Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI		Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	
	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	12.750	13.920	15.509	16.410	14.563	14.906
Food	11.407	12.201	13.946	15.190	13.505	14.061
Food at home	6.802	7.100	7.598	8.528	7.535	8.926
Food away from home	4.605	5.101	6.348	6.662	5.970	5.135
Alcoholic beverages	1.343	1.719	1.563	1.220	1.058	.845
Housing	41.959	39.916	42.102	41.048	41.109	38.412
Shelter	33.103	30.372	33.765	33.060	32.429	30.327
Rent of primary residence	7.561	8.098	4.989	6.110	6.457	9.938
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	21.136	20.394	24.398	22.670	22.713	19.034
Fuels and utilities	4.555	5.295	3.172	3.338	4.266	4.508
Fuels	3.919	4.514	2.495	2.700	3.091	3.361
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.742	4.354	2.411	2.576	3.067	3.329
Electricity	2.057	2.275	1.304	1.373	2.634	2.834
Utility natural gas service	1.685	2.080	1.107	1.204	.434	.495
Household furnishings and operations	4.301	4.248	5.165	4.650	4.413	3.577
Apparel	3.725	3.848	4.570	5.139	4.251	5.019
Transportation	17.966	19.909	15.565	16.979	19.768	23.290
Private transportation	16.784	19.107	14.076	15.971	18.511	22.273
Motor fuel	3.392	4.528	2.911	3.027	3.067	4.197
Gasoline (all types)	3.387	4.522	2.906	3.022	3.001	4.111
Medical care	6.683	4.472	5.521	4.174	5.739	4.317
Recreation	6.241	5.827	7.600	8.033	5.331	4.876
Education and communication	6.176	6.569	5.158	4.409	4.932	5.254
Other goods and services	4.501	5.540	3.975	3.808	4.307	3.925
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.626	43.225	40.384	44.569	39.924	44.226
Commodities less food and beverages	25.876	29.305	24.875	28.159	25.361	29.320
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.721	15.954	13.802	14.698	13.064	15.014
Durables	12.156	13.352	11.074	13.461	12.297	14.306
Services	61.374	56.775	59.616	55.431	60.076	55.774
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	93.317	95.528	94.479	95.826	94.261	95.683
All items less shelter	66.897	69.628	66.235	66.940	67.571	69.673
Commodities less food	27.219	31.024	26.438	29.379	26.419	30.165
Nondurables	26.471	29.873	29.310	31.108	27.627	29.920
Nondurables less food	15.064	17.673	15.364	15.918	14.122	15.859
Services less rent of shelter	28.576	26.699	26.136	22.637	28.072	25.758
Services less medical care services	56.175	53.254	55.254	52.164	55.542	52.275
Energy	7.311	9.042	5.405	5.726	6.158	7.558
All items less energy	92.689	90.958	94.595	94.274	93.842	92.442
All items less food and energy	81.283	78.757	80.649	79.084	80.336	78.381

Table 2 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002 (Cities normally published in November)-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Portland-Salem, OR-WA		San Diego, CA		Tampa- St. Petersburg- Clearwater, FL		Washington- Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	
	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	15.322	18.485	14.143	16.919	15.788	15.700	14.311	15.820
Food	14.009	17.046	13.123	15.828	14.657	14.617	13.285	14.645
Food at home	7.970	10.160	6.638	8.363	8.302	9.300	7.211	8.827
Food away from home	6.038	6.886	6.485	7.465	6.355	5.316	6.074	5.818
Alcoholic beverages	1.313	1.438	1.019	1.091	1.131	1.083	1.026	1.175
Housing	42.582	38.954	45.052	41.977	41.072	40.883	44.652	41.533
Shelter	33.439	31.079	36.739	35.299	31.302	31.116	35.949	34.526
Rent of primary residence	7.116	9.370	8.859	14.107	6.301	9.125	5.982	9.233
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.984	20.381	24.760	18.396	23.475	20.971	24.912	22.062
Fuels and utilities	4.327	4.332	2.849	2.789	5.142	5.796	3.328	3.794
Fuels	3.217	3.252	1.951	1.960	3.746	4.302	2.720	3.126
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.110	3.150	1.911	1.918	3.685	4.234	2.540	3.028
Electricity	2.218	2.443	1.569	1.609	3.598	4.101	1.893	2.414
Utility natural gas service .....	.892	.707	.342	.309	.086	.133	.647	.614
Household furnishings and operations	4.816	3.543	5.464	3.889	4.628	3.971	5.374	3.214
Apparel	3.297	3.372	3.801	5.328	2.921	3.393	3.862	3.648
Transportation	17.428	21.406	17.980	18.844	19.073	19.674	15.836	18.646
Private transportation	15.739	20.056	16.658	18.133	18.147	19.047	14.264	17.371
Motor fuel	2.724	3.268	2.850	3.613	3.350	4.363	2.899	3.672
Gasoline (all types)	2.674	3.209	2.824	3.577	3.334	4.343	2.861	3.620
Medical care	5.774	4.529	4.722	3.669	6.753	5.983	4.951	4.571
Recreation	6.559	5.318	6.157	4.496	5.432	4.772	6.177	5.416
Education and communication	5.257	4.807	4.481	4.332	5.065	5.614	5.553	5.993
Other goods and services	3.781	3.130	3.665	4.434	3.896	3.982	4.658	4.373
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	39.356	44.602	39.171	43.198	40.237	41.621	37.919	40.591
Commodities less food and beverages	24.034	26.117	25.029	26.280	24.449	25.921	23.608	24.771
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.192	12.006	11.793	14.196	12.127	14.321	12.600	13.211
Durables	11.842	14.111	13.235	12.084	12.323	11.600	11.008	11.560
Services	60.644	55.398	60.829	56.802	59.763	58.379	62.081	59.409
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	94.226	95.471	95.278	96.331	93.247	94.017	95.049	95.429
All items less shelter	66.561	68.921	63.261	64.701	68.698	68.884	64.051	65.474
Commodities less food	25.347	27.555	26.048	27.371	25.580	27.004	24.634	25.947
Nondurables	27.514	30.490	25.936	31.115	27.914	30.021	26.911	29.031
Nondurables less food	13.506	13.444	12.813	15.287	13.257	15.404	13.626	14.386
Services less rent of shelter	27.508	24.579	24.440	21.680	28.756	27.562	26.471	25.198
Services less medical care services	56.359	51.925	57.058	53.905	54.391	53.687	58.229	55.885
Energy	5.942	6.520	4.801	5.573	7.096	8.666	5.619	6.797
All items less energy	94.058	93.480	95.199	94.427	92.904	91.334	94.381	93.203
All items less food and energy	80.050	76.433	82.076	78.599	78.247	76.718	81.096	78.558

Table 3 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Anchorage, AK		Atlanta, GA		Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, 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	14.379	14.579	15.411	17.478	13.242	13.131	17.634	19.506
Food	13.198	13.452	14.394	16.419	12.304	12.366	16.496	18.403
Food at home	8.256	8.293	8.022	9.714	6.447	7.345	9.129	10.800
Food away from home	4.943	5.159	6.372	6.705	5.856	5.021	7.367	7.603
Alcoholic beverages	1.181	1.127	1.017	1.059	.938	.764	1.138	1.103
Housing	41.807	41.200	43.874	43.082	45.206	44.391	38.070	34.232
Shelter	33.109	33.836	34.905	33.819	36.222	35.915	28.518	24.606
Rent of primary residence	7.216	11.244	6.210	8.760	5.581	6.483	4.343	5.760
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	20.755	19.521	27.100	23.815	26.793	26.731	21.306	17.637
Fuels and utilities	3.370	3.359	5.448	5.900	4.151	4.546	3.989	4.442
Fuels	2.650	2.623	4.420	4.805	3.425	3.764	3.310	3.721
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.615	2.589	4.317	4.759	3.367	3.728	3.218	3.625
Electricity	1.523	1.504	2.706	3.100	1.809	1.954	1.573	1.667
Utility natural gas service	1.092	1.085	1.611	1.659	1.557	1.774	1.645	1.958
Household furnishings and operations	5.328	4.004	3.521	3.362	4.833	3.931	5.563	5.184
Apparel	4.386	4.993	4.365	3.323	3.547	3.925	5.092	6.333
Transportation	17.423	19.290	15.937	16.479	16.090	18.014	17.203	19.783
Private transportation	15.579	17.772	14.972	15.744	14.482	16.583	16.181	18.678
Motor fuel	2.935	3.526	2.961	3.371	2.766	3.498	2.761	3.359
Gasoline (all types)	2.913	3.500	2.939	3.345	2.761	3.492	2.756	3.354
Medical care	5.363	4.457	5.870	5.658	5.313	4.898	4.507	3.050
Recreation	7.021	6.062	5.042	4.264	5.747	4.821	7.338	6.941
Education and communication	5.050	5.375	5.562	5.073	6.624	6.349	5.435	5.263
Other goods and services	4.571	4.044	3.939	4.643	4.231	4.472	4.721	4.893
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	40.447	40.977	37.763	39.188	36.386	38.176	44.082	50.563
Commodities less food and beverages	26.068	26.398	22.352	21.710	23.144	25.046	26.448	31.057
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.534	14.816	12.464	11.578	12.339	13.600	14.796	17.018
Durables	12.534	11.582	9.888	10.131	10.806	11.445	11.652	14.039
Services	59.553	59.023	62.237	60.812	63.614	61.824	55.918	49.437
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	94.637	95.543	94.130	94.342	94.687	95.102	95.493	96.950
All items less shelter	66.891	66.164	65.095	66.181	63.778	64.085	71.482	75.394
Commodities less food	27.249	27.525	23.369	22.769	24.082	25.810	27.586	32.160
Nondurables	27.913	29.395	27.875	29.057	25.580	26.731	32.430	36.524
Nondurables less food	14.714	15.943	13.482	12.637	13.277	14.365	15.934	18.121
Services less rent of shelter	26.813	25.553	27.700	27.364	27.697	26.205	27.685	25.133
Services less medical care services	55.239	55.391	57.511	56.089	59.278	57.802	52.628	47.254
Energy	5.585	6.149	7.381	8.176	6.191	7.262	6.071	7.081
All items less energy	94.415	93.851	92.619	91.824	93.809	92.738	93.929	92.919
All items less food and energy	81.217	80.400	78.225	75.404	81.505	80.372	77.433	74.516

Table 3 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX		Kansas City, MO		Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	
	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	16.399	17.657	14.687	14.826	14.332	16.943	15.608	17.202
Food	15.037	16.774	13.925	13.849	13.508	16.108	14.432	16.114
Food at home	7.945	9.927	7.875	8.120	7.809	9.926	8.667	10.199
Food away from home	7.092	6.847	6.050	5.729	5.699	6.182	5.765	5.915
Alcoholic beverages	1.362	.883	.762	.978	.824	.835	1.176	1.088
Housing	36.993	34.140	38.994	38.612	44.991	42.249	42.235	40.787
Shelter	26.919	25.240	29.791	29.129	35.824	34.275	33.080	32.698
Rent of primary residence	6.496	10.420	5.428	7.054	9.858	13.366	6.710	8.577
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	17.770	13.161	22.308	20.614	22.048	18.612	25.142	22.922
Fuels and utilities	4.515	4.733	5.368	5.946	3.894	4.015	4.294	4.348
Fuels	3.602	3.796	4.065	4.462	3.068	3.185	3.271	3.407
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.520	3.763	3.981	4.323	3.034	3.151	3.236	3.363
Electricity	2.990	3.211	2.063	2.297	2.296	2.354	3.082	3.213
Utility natural gas service .....	.530	.551	1.917	2.026	.738	.797	.154	.150
Household furnishings and operations	5.559	4.167	3.835	3.537	5.274	3.958	4.862	3.741
Apparel	5.010	4.862	3.935	3.952	4.322	5.312	4.483	4.871
Transportation	19.875	22.238	19.150	22.997	16.256	17.915	18.195	18.875
Private transportation	18.760	21.450	18.233	22.307	15.176	16.989	17.116	17.902
Motor fuel	3.332	4.322	3.847	4.371	3.241	4.333	3.357	4.055
Gasoline (all types)	3.314	4.298	3.842	4.366	3.228	4.317	3.346	4.042
Medical care	5.834	5.160	5.935	4.529	4.797	3.619	4.972	4.845
Recreation	5.597	5.454	6.678	5.739	5.336	4.699	5.028	4.004
Education and communication	5.046	5.248	6.295	4.971	5.339	5.172	5.353	5.517
Other goods and services	5.246	5.241	4.325	4.374	4.627	4.091	4.125	3.899
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	45.740	49.549	40.801	44.996	36.942	41.423	39.328	41.776
Commodities less food and beverages	29.341	31.892	26.114	30.170	22.610	24.480	23.720	24.574
Nondurables less food and beverages	14.932	16.049	14.288	14.724	12.508	14.604	12.495	13.516
Durables	14.409	15.843	11.826	15.446	10.102	9.877	11.225	11.058
Services	54.260	50.451	59.199	55.004	63.058	58.577	60.672	58.224
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	94.166	94.840	94.065	95.471	95.203	96.381	95.028	95.155
All items less shelter	73.081	74.760	70.209	70.871	64.176	65.725	66.920	67.302
Commodities less food	30.703	32.775	26.876	31.148	23.434	25.315	24.895	25.662
Nondurables	31.331	33.706	28.976	29.551	26.840	31.547	28.103	30.718
Nondurables less food	16.294	16.932	15.051	15.702	13.333	15.438	13.671	14.604
Services less rent of shelter	27.758	25.527	30.029	26.446	27.552	24.537	27.944	25.865
Services less medical care services	49.872	46.640	54.626	51.478	59.218	55.650	56.608	54.177
Energy	6.933	8.118	7.911	8.833	6.309	7.519	6.628	7.463
All items less energy	93.067	91.882	92.089	91.167	93.691	92.481	93.372	92.537
All items less food and energy	78.029	75.109	78.164	77.319	80.184	76.373	78.939	76.424

Table 3 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		Pittsburgh, PA		St. Louis, MO-IL	
	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	15.581	17.013	15.006	17.805	16.998	19.691	16.864	19.137
Food	14.650	16.101	14.051	16.846	15.847	18.198	15.892	17.886
Food at home	8.143	9.936	7.877	10.353	8.544	10.790	9.388	11.168
Food away from home	6.507	6.165	6.174	6.493	7.304	7.408	6.505	6.719
Alcoholic beverages .....	.932	.912	.955	.960	1.151	1.493	.972	1.251
Housing	44.254	41.539	43.070	42.538	37.656	35.755	37.809	35.655
Shelter	36.251	34.317	33.334	32.821	26.311	24.677	28.462	25.825
Rent of primary residence	8.669	12.433	4.614	6.118	4.423	4.775	4.213	4.907
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	24.902	20.201	25.036	24.349	19.522	18.652	21.921	19.589
Fuels and utilities	3.591	3.889	5.284	5.839	5.642	6.017	4.697	4.905
Fuels	3.172	3.474	4.475	5.004	4.561	4.842	3.719	3.982
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.671	2.990	4.088	4.684	4.379	4.543	3.623	3.906
Electricity	1.628	1.866	2.677	3.038	2.071	2.107	2.038	2.068
Utility natural gas service	1.043	1.124	1.411	1.645	2.308	2.435	1.585	1.838
Household furnishings and operations	4.412	3.333	4.451	3.878	5.704	5.061	4.650	4.926
Apparel	4.639	4.788	4.122	4.722	4.980	5.328	4.404	5.522
Transportation	14.421	16.553	15.530	15.266	17.380	18.465	18.549	20.141
Private transportation	12.462	14.720	14.225	14.128	16.173	17.473	17.240	19.158
Motor fuel	2.241	2.886	2.537	3.122	2.997	3.387	2.938	3.499
Gasoline (all types)	2.237	2.881	2.524	3.106	2.986	3.375	2.933	3.494
Medical care	4.750	3.648	5.576	4.745	6.279	3.650	6.023	3.848
Recreation	5.871	5.326	5.503	4.573	6.415	6.085	6.069	5.262
Education and communication	6.172	6.180	6.967	5.664	5.438	5.915	6.091	6.440
Other goods and services	4.311	4.953	4.226	4.687	4.854	5.111	4.192	3.995
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	36.633	40.452	37.481	41.182	45.009	49.930	43.305	47.993
Commodities less food and beverages	21.052	23.439	22.475	23.377	28.011	30.239	26.441	28.856
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.011	14.381	12.877	14.721	15.557	16.752	13.302	15.042
Durables	8.041	9.058	9.598	8.656	12.454	13.486	13.139	13.814
Services	63.367	59.548	62.519	58.818	54.991	50.070	56.695	52.007
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	95.250	96.352	94.424	95.255	93.721	96.350	93.977	96.152
All items less shelter	63.749	65.683	66.666	67.179	73.689	75.323	71.538	74.175
Commodities less food	21.983	24.351	23.430	24.336	29.162	31.732	27.413	30.106
Nondurables	28.592	31.394	27.883	32.526	32.555	36.443	30.166	34.179
Nondurables less food	13.943	15.293	13.832	15.681	16.708	18.245	14.273	16.292
Services less rent of shelter	27.397	25.472	29.547	26.267	28.980	25.697	28.783	26.554
Services less medical care services	59.625	56.675	58.201	55.059	50.393	47.425	52.096	49.123
Energy	5.414	6.360	7.012	8.126	7.558	8.229	6.658	7.482
All items less energy	94.586	93.640	92.988	91.874	92.442	91.771	93.342	92.518
All items less food and energy	79.937	77.539	78.937	75.028	76.595	73.573	77.450	74.632

Table 3 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Selected metropolitan areas, December 2002-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		Seattle- Tacoma- Bremerton, WA	
	CPI-U	CPI-W	CPI-U	CPI-W
Expenditure category				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	15.638	16.053	17.848	21.443
Food	14.091	15.286	16.713	20.445
Food at home	8.230	10.136	9.872	12.221
Food away from home	5.861	5.149	6.841	8.224
Alcoholic beverages	1.547	.768	1.135	.998
Housing	45.016	43.409	42.184	38.043
Shelter	37.428	36.887	33.778	30.067
Rent of primary residence	8.372	12.905	6.703	7.805
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.518	21.628	22.501	19.778
Fuels and utilities	2.938	3.133	3.519	3.444
Fuels	2.146	2.359	2.635	2.569
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.111	2.338	2.490	2.526
Electricity	1.450	1.599	2.022	2.065
Utility natural gas service .....	.661	.739	.468	.461
Household furnishings and operations	4.649	3.389	4.887	4.532
Apparel	4.574	4.001	4.214	5.267
Transportation	16.461	20.856	14.966	17.251
Private transportation	14.946	19.744	13.401	16.079
Motor fuel	2.526	3.753	2.884	3.479
Gasoline (all types)	2.357	3.502	2.833	3.421
Medical care	4.224	3.266	5.852	4.108
Recreation	4.805	4.250	5.630	5.178
Education and communication	5.243	4.422	4.995	4.754
Other goods and services	4.038	3.743	4.311	3.957
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.318	41.068	40.942	47.696
Commodities less food and beverages	22.680	25.014	23.094	26.253
Nondurables less food and beverages	11.616	12.133	13.731	15.487
Durables	11.064	12.882	9.363	10.766
Services	61.682	58.932	59.058	52.304
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	95.776	96.734	94.148	95.892
All items less shelter	62.572	63.113	66.222	69.933
Commodities less food	24.227	25.782	24.229	27.251
Nondurables	27.254	28.186	31.579	36.930
Nondurables less food	13.163	12.900	14.866	16.485
Services less rent of shelter	24.577	22.282	25.587	22.474
Services less medical care services	58.243	56.236	54.657	49.134
Energy	4.672	6.112	5.518	6.048
All items less energy	95.328	93.888	94.482	93.952
All items less food and energy	81.237	78.603	77.769	73.507

Table 4 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Regions¹, December 2002

(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	15.791	16.733	15.595	16.582	15.775	17.410	15.170	17.417
Food	14.756	15.668	14.519	15.492	14.814	16.489	14.108	16.459
Food at home	8.402	9.480	7.925	8.767	8.666	10.111	8.256	10.060
Food away from home	6.354	6.188	6.594	6.726	6.148	6.378	5.852	6.399
Alcoholic beverages	1.035	1.065	1.076	1.090	.961	.921	1.062	.958
Housing	43.027	41.091	39.354	36.836	39.008	36.025	42.441	39.508
Shelter	34.220	32.599	30.062	27.734	29.342	26.773	33.813	31.677
Rent of primary residence	7.067	9.401	5.093	6.329	5.805	7.792	7.906	10.560
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	24.203	21.247	21.816	19.371	20.907	17.523	22.496	19.148
Fuels and utilities	4.401	4.874	4.466	4.772	5.038	5.327	3.867	4.013
Fuels	3.830	4.256	3.615	3.894	3.998	4.278	2.945	3.116
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.228	3.647	3.506	3.784	3.895	4.199	2.876	3.066
Electricity	2.004	2.258	2.039	2.197	3.231	3.533	2.142	2.293
Utility natural gas service	1.224	1.389	1.467	1.587	.664	.666	.735	.773
Household furnishings and operations	4.405	3.617	4.827	4.330	4.629	3.925	4.760	3.817
Apparel	4.212	4.388	4.178	4.459	4.314	4.839	4.154	4.777
Transportation	15.431	17.140	17.397	19.813	18.433	21.294	17.461	19.656
Private transportation	13.946	15.809	16.267	18.919	17.541	20.676	16.196	18.707
New and used motor vehicles	6.696	7.328	8.501	10.082	9.134	11.327	8.018	8.783
New vehicles	4.078	4.455	4.421	4.773	6.064	5.468	4.519	3.784
Used cars and trucks	1.286	1.656	2.454	4.098	2.179	4.911	2.104	3.900
Motor fuel	2.649	3.373	3.108	3.708	3.484	4.141	3.103	3.977
Gasoline (all types)	2.642	3.364	3.103	3.703	3.455	4.107	3.039	3.897
Medical care	5.347	4.324	6.243	4.974	6.697	5.321	5.384	4.162
Medical care commodities	1.172	.893	1.465	1.081	1.682	1.211	1.159	.796
Medical care services	4.175	3.432	4.778	3.893	5.015	4.110	4.224	3.366
Professional services	2.656	2.196	2.878	2.312	2.946	2.346	2.718	2.177
Recreation	5.820	5.413	6.636	6.729	5.640	5.025	5.802	5.259
Education and communication	6.139	6.045	6.043	5.965	5.725	5.407	5.382	5.115
Other goods and services	4.233	4.865	4.554	4.642	4.407	4.678	4.206	4.106
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.521	41.356	41.773	46.067	42.878	47.744	39.573	43.917
Commodities less food and beverages	22.730	24.623	26.178	29.485	27.102	30.333	24.403	26.500
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.442	14.797	14.305	15.495	14.468	15.667	12.988	14.468
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	9.230	10.409	10.126	11.036	10.154	10.828	8.834	9.691
Durables	9.288	9.826	11.873	13.990	12.635	14.666	11.415	12.032
Services	61.479	58.644	58.227	53.933	57.122	52.256	60.427	56.083
Rent of shelter	33.918	32.326	29.695	27.390	28.908	26.402	33.479	31.392
Transportation services	7.058	7.179	6.790	6.714	6.171	5.998	7.018	7.191
Other services	11.397	10.843	11.593	10.573	10.898	9.802	10.547	9.460
Special aggregate indexes								
All items less medical care	94.653	95.676	93.757	95.026	93.303	94.679	94.616	95.838
All items less food	85.244	84.332	85.481	84.508	85.186	83.511	85.892	83.541
All items less shelter	65.780	67.401	69.938	72.266	70.658	73.227	66.187	68.323
Commodities less food	23.765	25.688	27.254	30.575	28.063	31.255	25.465	27.458
Nondurables	29.233	31.530	29.900	32.077	30.243	33.078	28.158	31.884
Nondurables less food	14.477	15.862	15.381	16.585	15.429	16.589	14.050	15.425
Nondurables less food and apparel	10.265	11.474	11.203	12.126	11.115	11.750	9.896	10.648
Services less rent of shelter	27.561	26.318	28.532	26.543	28.215	25.854	26.948	24.692
Services less medical care services	57.303	55.212	53.450	50.040	52.107	48.146	56.203	52.717
Energy	6.480	7.630	6.723	7.603	7.481	8.418	6.048	7.093
All items less energy	93.520	92.370	93.277	92.397	92.519	91.582	93.952	92.907
All items less food and energy	78.764	76.702	78.758	76.905	77.704	75.093	79.844	76.448
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.514	21.705	24.037	26.757	24.477	27.036	22.293	23.431
Energy commodities	3.251	3.983	3.217	3.819	3.587	4.219	3.172	4.027
Services less energy services	58.251	54.997	54.721	50.149	53.228	48.057	57.551	53.017

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

Table 5 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Population size classes¹
December 2002

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Size class A		Size class B/C		Size class D	
	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	15.266	16.997	16.088	17.368	15.741	15.982
Food	14.191	15.995	15.128	16.367	14.766	15.005
Food at home	7.917	9.621	9.021	9.876	8.479	8.525
Food away from home	6.274	6.374	6.107	6.491	6.288	6.479
Alcoholic beverages	1.075	1.003	.960	1.001	.974	.978
Housing	42.972	40.440	37.978	35.469	36.594	33.974
Shelter	34.191	32.282	28.337	26.005	27.059	24.922
Rent of primary residence	7.114	9.665	5.371	6.850	6.534	7.491
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	23.900	20.682	20.207	17.485	17.549	15.678
Fuels and utilities	4.006	4.341	5.117	5.323	5.274	5.409
Fuels	3.218	3.531	4.165	4.385	4.152	4.261
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.018	3.354	3.935	4.151	4.049	4.184
Electricity	2.042	2.269	2.942	3.107	3.039	3.192
Utility natural gas service .....	.976	1.085	.992	1.044	1.010	.992
Household furnishings and operations	4.775	3.818	4.524	4.141	4.260	3.644
Apparel	4.297	4.676	4.110	4.540	4.097	4.894
Transportation	16.508	18.555	18.444	20.841	18.330	22.295
Private transportation	15.109	17.387	17.591	20.229	17.555	21.774
New and used motor vehicles	7.685	8.672	8.881	10.455	8.802	12.052
New vehicles	4.694	4.939	5.187	4.279	4.628	4.835
Used cars and trucks	1.586	2.625	2.593	5.056	3.080	6.244
Motor fuel	2.812	3.570	3.539	4.154	3.716	4.252
Gasoline (all types)	2.784	3.536	3.511	4.122	3.687	4.219
Medical care	5.149	4.207	7.060	5.376	7.610	5.695
Medical care commodities	1.105	.861	1.767	1.190	1.968	1.267
Medical care services	4.044	3.346	5.293	4.186	5.642	4.429
Professional services	2.560	2.119	3.148	2.449	3.290	2.442
Recreation	5.809	5.237	6.150	6.021	6.041	5.746
Education and communication	5.668	5.469	5.849	5.629	6.849	6.615
Other goods and services	4.330	4.419	4.321	4.756	4.738	4.798
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.819	42.791	43.718	47.920	43.740	47.855
Commodities less food and beverages	23.553	25.793	27.630	30.552	27.999	31.873
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.931	14.327	15.049	16.123	15.548	16.538
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	8.634	9.651	10.938	11.583	11.450	11.644
Durables	10.623	11.466	12.581	14.428	12.452	15.335
Services	61.181	57.209	56.282	52.080	56.260	52.145
Rent of shelter	33.865	32.006	27.919	25.629	26.635	24.498
Transportation services	6.973	6.915	6.418	6.502	5.983	6.120
Other services	11.218	10.110	10.713	9.986	11.781	11.033
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	94.851	95.793	92.940	94.624	92.390	94.305
All items less food	85.809	84.005	84.872	83.633	85.234	84.995
All items less shelter	65.809	67.718	71.663	73.995	72.941	75.078
Commodities less food	24.628	26.796	28.590	31.553	28.974	32.851
Nondurables	28.197	31.324	31.137	33.492	31.288	32.520
Nondurables less food	14.006	15.330	16.009	17.125	16.522	17.515
Nondurables less food and apparel	9.709	10.654	11.899	12.585	12.425	12.621
Services less rent of shelter	27.316	25.203	28.364	26.451	29.625	27.646
Services less medical care services	57.137	53.863	50.990	47.894	50.618	47.716
Energy	6.030	7.101	7.704	8.538	7.868	8.513
All items less energy	93.970	92.899	92.296	91.462	92.132	91.487
All items less food and energy	79.779	76.905	77.169	75.094	77.365	76.483
Commodities less food and energy commodities	21.617	23.049	24.821	27.166	25.155	28.522
Energy commodities	3.012	3.747	3.769	4.387	3.819	4.329
Services less energy services	58.163	53.855	52.348	47.929	52.210	47.961

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

Table 6 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2002

(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	15.207	16.922	17.402	16.272
Food	14.218	15.895	16.240	15.114
Food at home	7.825	9.558	9.994	9.290
Food away from home	6.393	6.337	6.246	5.824
Alcoholic beverages .....	.990	1.027	1.161	1.158
Housing	44.486	42.005	39.004	38.859
Shelter	36.142	34.107	28.923	28.921
Rent of primary residence	7.649	10.531	5.462	6.644
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	25.574	21.863	20.420	19.742
Fuels and utilities	4.012	4.344	5.475	6.167
Fuels	3.483	3.801	4.788	5.367
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.955	3.314	3.982	4.460
Electricity	1.792	1.995	2.587	2.901
Utility natural gas service	1.162	1.319	1.395	1.559
Household furnishings and operations	4.332	3.554	4.607	3.771
Apparel	4.457	4.867	3.535	3.219
Transportation	14.649	16.107	17.586	19.662
Private transportation	12.940	14.538	16.720	18.909
Motor fuel	2.355	2.940	3.460	4.430
Gasoline (all types)	2.350	2.934	3.449	4.416
Medical care	4.968	4.031	6.395	5.039
Recreation	5.769	5.298	5.958	5.694
Education and communication	6.241	5.983	5.857	6.197
Other goods and services	4.222	4.786	4.263	5.058
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	36.702	40.758	43.537	42.816
Commodities less food and beverages	21.495	23.836	26.135	26.544
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.887	14.484	14.971	15.559
Durables	8.608	9.352	11.164	10.985
Services	63.298	59.242	56.463	57.184
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	95.032	95.969	93.605	94.961
All items less shelter	63.858	65.893	71.077	71.079
Commodities less food	22.485	24.863	27.297	27.702
Nondurables	28.094	31.406	32.373	31.831
Nondurables less food	13.877	15.511	16.133	16.717
Services less rent of shelter	27.441	25.379	27.890	28.610
Services less medical care services	59.376	56.022	51.587	53.238
Energy	5.838	6.742	8.248	9.797
All items less energy	94.162	93.258	91.752	90.203
All items less food and energy	79.944	77.363	75.512	75.089

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2002-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	Midwest					
	Size class A		Size class B/C		Size class D	
	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	15.205	16.255	16.073	17.247	16.208	15.964
Food	14.118	15.221	14.989	16.056	15.227	14.935
Food at home	7.755	8.813	8.179	8.959	8.032	7.892
Food away from home	6.363	6.408	6.810	7.098	7.195	7.043
Alcoholic beverages	1.087	1.034	1.084	1.190	.982	1.029
Housing	41.066	38.898	37.383	34.571	36.221	34.275
Shelter	31.949	29.962	27.839	25.249	26.787	25.099
Rent of primary residence	5.134	6.191	5.148	6.856	4.647	5.239
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	23.450	21.539	19.972	16.770	18.681	17.420
Fuels and utilities	4.202	4.561	4.801	4.999	4.834	5.052
Fuels	3.400	3.722	3.931	4.143	3.763	3.908
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.308	3.628	3.790	3.997	3.670	3.837
Electricity	1.765	1.894	2.346	2.501	2.573	2.672
Utility natural gas service	1.543	1.735	1.444	1.496	1.096	1.165
Household furnishings and operations	4.916	4.376	4.743	4.323	4.600	4.124
Apparel	4.208	4.757	4.098	3.895	4.291	4.885
Transportation	17.281	19.754	17.499	19.623	17.729	20.738
Private transportation	15.990	18.642	16.520	18.932	17.011	20.239
Motor fuel	2.886	3.456	3.365	3.973	3.508	4.064
Gasoline (all types)	2.879	3.448	3.363	3.970	3.506	4.061
Medical care	5.387	4.213	7.169	5.695	8.023	6.308
Recreation	6.507	6.015	6.978	7.919	6.165	6.256
Education and communication	5.896	5.588	6.225	6.259	6.264	6.832
Other goods and services	4.451	4.519	4.575	4.792	5.099	4.741
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	40.371	44.707	43.473	47.921	44.027	46.548
Commodities less food and beverages	25.166	28.453	27.400	30.674	27.819	30.584
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.518	14.984	15.248	15.891	15.607	16.686
Durables	11.648	13.469	12.152	14.782	12.212	13.898
Services	59.629	55.293	56.527	52.079	55.973	53.452
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	94.613	95.787	92.831	94.305	91.977	93.692
All items less shelter	68.051	70.038	72.161	74.751	73.213	74.901
Commodities less food	26.253	29.486	28.484	31.864	28.800	31.613
Nondurables	28.723	31.239	31.321	33.138	31.815	32.650
Nondurables less food	14.605	16.018	16.332	17.082	16.588	17.715
Services less rent of shelter	28.030	25.651	29.067	27.181	29.613	28.798
Services less medical care services	55.430	51.990	51.176	47.681	49.798	48.347
Energy	6.286	7.178	7.297	8.117	7.271	7.971
All items less energy	93.714	92.822	92.703	91.883	92.729	92.029
All items less food and energy	79.596	77.601	77.715	75.827	77.502	77.094

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2002-Continued

(Percent of all items)

Item and group	South					
	Size class A		Size class B/C		Size class D	
	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	15.659	17.811	15.888	17.240	15.637	16.571
Food	14.578	16.746	15.009	16.420	14.812	15.698
Food at home	8.090	10.095	9.077	10.170	9.175	9.813
Food away from home	6.488	6.651	5.932	6.251	5.638	5.885
Alcoholic beverages	1.081	1.065	.879	.820	.825	.873
Housing	41.352	38.913	37.363	34.360	36.711	32.747
Shelter	32.025	30.428	27.453	24.504	26.763	23.653
Rent of primary residence	6.460	9.350	5.114	6.481	7.032	8.624
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	22.855	19.421	19.732	16.672	17.439	13.834
Fuels and utilities	4.417	4.899	5.417	5.553	6.096	5.944
Fuels	3.460	3.888	4.325	4.493	4.928	4.777
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.361	3.829	4.221	4.401	4.808	4.688
Electricity	2.738	3.207	3.546	3.715	3.960	3.942
Utility natural gas service .....	.623	.622	.675	.686	.847	.746
Household furnishings and operations	4.909	3.587	4.493	4.303	3.852	3.150
Apparel	4.253	4.204	4.396	5.292	4.052	5.016
Transportation	17.797	19.315	18.969	22.365	18.334	23.978
Private transportation	16.611	18.405	18.283	21.942	17.727	23.524
Motor fuel	3.177	4.019	3.649	4.170	4.193	4.535
Gasoline (all types)	3.151	3.988	3.619	4.136	4.147	4.486
Medical care	5.471	4.934	7.508	5.542	8.300	5.774
Recreation	5.677	4.930	5.647	5.122	5.335	4.867
Education and communication	5.406	5.465	5.850	5.228	6.843	6.260
Other goods and services	4.384	4.427	4.379	4.850	4.789	4.787
Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	40.816	43.870	44.451	50.285	43.875	50.193
Commodities less food and beverages	25.157	26.058	28.563	33.045	28.238	33.622
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.153	13.982	15.296	16.706	16.520	17.154
Durables	12.004	12.076	13.267	16.339	11.718	16.468
Services	59.184	56.130	55.549	49.715	56.125	49.807
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	94.529	95.066	92.492	94.458	91.700	94.226
All items less shelter	67.975	69.572	72.547	75.496	73.237	76.347
Commodities less food	26.238	27.123	29.442	33.865	29.063	34.495
Nondurables	28.812	31.794	31.184	33.946	32.157	33.725
Nondurables less food	14.234	15.048	16.175	17.526	17.345	18.027
Services less rent of shelter	27.505	26.006	28.596	25.625	29.860	26.578
Services less medical care services	54.909	52.231	50.018	45.462	50.360	45.594
Energy	6.637	7.907	7.974	8.663	9.120	9.312
All items less energy	93.363	92.093	92.026	91.337	90.880	90.688
All items less food and energy	78.786	75.347	77.017	74.917	76.067	74.990

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of components in the Consumer Price Indexes: Cross classification of region¹ and population size class², December 2002-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	15.083	17.030	15.392	18.776
Food	13.943	16.124	14.566	17.727
Food at home	7.991	9.958	8.995	10.835
Food away from home	5.952	6.166	5.570	6.891
Alcoholic beverages	1.140	.906	.826	1.049
Housing	44.099	41.361	39.220	36.131
Shelter	35.550	33.829	30.510	27.816
Rent of primary residence	8.492	11.858	6.166	7.871
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence	23.444	19.845	21.431	18.242
Fuels and utilities	3.569	3.726	4.445	4.443
Fuels	2.677	2.840	3.492	3.564
Gas (piped) and electricity	2.627	2.803	3.378	3.491
Electricity	1.967	2.103	2.524	2.626
Utility natural gas service .....	.660	.700	.854	.865
Household furnishings and operations	4.980	3.805	4.265	3.872
Apparel	4.245	4.793	3.964	4.759
Transportation	16.728	19.355	19.080	19.853
Private transportation	15.381	18.327	17.987	19.029
Motor fuel	2.913	3.917	3.550	4.093
Gasoline (all types)	2.848	3.833	3.483	4.015
Medical care	4.917	3.806	6.461	4.902
Recreation	5.448	4.795	6.551	6.063
Education and communication	5.177	4.881	5.395	5.287
Other goods and services	4.304	3.979	3.937	4.228
Commodity and service group				
All items	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
Commodities	38.220	42.369	42.415	46.969
Commodities less food and beverages	23.137	25.340	27.023	28.193
Nondurables less food and beverages	12.397	13.918	14.292	15.562
Durables	10.740	11.421	12.730	12.631
Services	61.780	57.631	57.585	53.031
Special aggregate indexes				
All items less medical care	95.083	96.194	93.539	95.098
All items less shelter	64.450	66.171	69.490	72.184
Commodities less food	24.277	26.246	27.849	29.242
Nondurables	27.480	30.948	29.684	34.338
Nondurables less food	13.537	14.824	15.119	16.611
Services less rent of shelter	26.565	24.051	27.408	25.562
Services less medical care services	57.899	54.561	52.555	49.048
Energy	5.590	6.757	7.042	7.657
All items less energy	94.410	93.243	92.958	92.343
All items less food and energy	80.467	77.120	78.393	74.616

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 (1999-2000 Weights). Relative importance of selected areas in the Consumer Price Indexes, December 2002

(Percent of all items)

Area	CPI-U	CPI-W
U.S. city average	100.000	100.000
Region and area size ¹		
Northeast urban	21.963	21.256
Size A - More than 1,500,000	16.119	15.077
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	5.845	6.179
Midwest urban	22.211	23.663
Size A - More than 1,500,000	12.543	12.560
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	7.592	8.556
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	2.075	2.547
South urban	30.001	30.955
Size A - More than 1,500,000	12.684	12.226
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	15.412	16.161
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.905	2.568
West urban	25.825	24.126
Size A - More than 1,500,000	17.794	15.700
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	6.438	7.025
Size classes		
A	59.140	55.563
B/C	35.287	37.920
D	5.574	6.517
Selected local areas		
Anchorage, AK .....	.142	.156
Atlanta, GA	1.859	1.985
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	3.022	3.024
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	3.513	3.457
Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN .....	.939	.915
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1.250	1.382
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2.355	2.434
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO	1.368	1.355
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2.508	2.570
Honolulu, HI .....	.320	.356
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2.069	2.030
Kansas City, MO .....	.761	.774
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	6.596	6.085
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.713	2.061
Milwaukee-Racine, WI .....	.709	.727
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	1.806	1.823
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	9.866	9.075
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.282	2.059
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	1.332	1.244
Pittsburgh, PA .....	.948	.919
Portland-Salem, OR-WA	1.192	1.110
St. Louis, MO-IL	1.058	.911
San Diego, CA	1.159	.872
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	4.311	3.293
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	1.835	1.742
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	1.117	1.153
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	3.571	2.564

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