

Mid-Atlantic Regional Office CPI Announcement

Table 1. Consumer Price Indexes, U.S. city average and selected areas, December 2016 (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted) (not seasonally adjusted)

Item	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)										Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)									
	U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City		Washington-Baltimore (1)		Northeast region		South region		U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City		Washington-Baltimore (1)		Northeast region		South region	
	Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from	
	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2015
All items (2)	241.432	2.1	246.591	1.7	-	-	256.427	1.9	234.204	2.0	235.390	2.0	248.022	1.8	-	-	252.622	1.9	230.016	2.0
All items (1967 = 100) (3)	723.224	-	712.388	-	-	-	403.794	-	379.912	-	701.154	-	720.420	-	-	-	394.581	-	372.537	-
Food and beverages (2)	247.134	-0.1	230.329	-1.3	-	-	251.736	-0.1	245.520	-0.2	246.200	-0.2	235.090	-1.2	-	-	250.351	-0.2	244.482	-0.4
Food (2)	247.313	-0.2	230.006	-1.6	-	-	251.703	-0.2	246.747	-0.3	246.081	-0.4	233.999	-1.5	-	-	250.257	-0.2	245.290	-0.4
Food at home	236.464	-2.0	236.044	-3.6	145.012	-2.3	242.625	-2.1	235.233	-1.9	235.574	-2.0	239.991	-3.5	144.823	-2.2	241.372	-1.9	234.105	-1.9
Food away from home (4)	265.104	2.3	216.429	1.5	-	-	268.580	2.5	266.747	1.8	265.188	2.3	217.924	2.1	-	-	269.181	2.6	265.567	1.8
Alcoholic beverages (4)	243.414	1.4	231.177	2.3	-	-	250.978	0.9	228.026	1.0	247.187	1.6	241.224	2.5	-	-	250.043	0.7	232.777	1.4
Housing (2)	246.795	3.0	253.626	1.9	-	-	272.396	2.7	227.697	2.2	243.031	3.0	255.012	1.7	-	-	270.044	2.7	227.827	2.2
Shelter	292.612	3.6	315.978	2.3	183.006	1.5	338.128	3.1	261.061	2.9	285.760	3.6	321.732	2.1	186.887	1.4	334.524	3.1	261.349	3.0
Rent of primary residence (2) (5)	302.735	4.0	292.277	1.4	203.675	1.7	339.530	2.8	270.779	3.5	299.598	3.9	292.277	1.4	203.794	1.7	334.976	2.8	269.184	3.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences (5) (6)	300.501	3.6	324.006	2.0	183.369	1.3	350.544	3.0	263.599	2.8	271.386	3.5	288.145	2.0	182.624	1.3	308.856	3.1	245.008	2.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (5) (6)	300.476	3.6	324.006	2.0	183.354	1.3	350.256	3.0	263.588	2.8	271.386	3.5	288.145	2.0	182.623	1.3	308.886	3.1	244.970	2.8
Fuels and utilities	229.492	2.7	199.105	0.7	-	-	211.471	3.8	226.973	0.7	227.921	2.5	198.546	0.7	-	-	212.597	3.8	226.986	0.4
Household energy	190.931	2.5	165.066	0.5	178.531	3.3	186.353	3.9	182.833	0.1	189.283	2.2	164.873	0.5	176.948	3.3	187.518	4.0	181.468	-0.3
Energy services (5)	195.079	2.2	176.556	-0.2	171.327	3.0	186.605	3.0	183.116	0.0	193.933	2.0	178.584	-0.2	171.606	2.8	187.548	3.1	182.737	-0.3
Electricity (5)	203.146	0.7	185.093	-2.8	184.516	1.7	193.575	0.5	180.898	-1.1	200.509	0.5	185.092	-2.8	180.687	1.8	194.595	0.7	178.572	-1.2
Utility (piped) gas service (5)	167.935	7.8	150.670	6.2	116.149	8.8	158.648	9.9	182.862	8.0	167.692	7.8	150.667	6.2	118.235	8.8	159.107	9.7	187.761	8.0
Household furnishings and operations	120.712	-1.1	113.038	-0.4	-	-	119.814	-2.5	121.013	-0.4	115.505	-1.4	107.035	-0.6	-	-	111.245	-3.8	114.890	-0.8
Apparel (2)	122.637	-0.1	110.286	8.1	-	-	126.535	-1.2	132.997	2.1	121.697	-0.5	115.385	8.8	-	-	125.145	-1.9	131.677	1.7
Transportation (2)	196.252	2.5	203.254	3.6	-	-	196.679	1.8	197.939	3.9	194.494	2.7	216.868	3.1	-	-	198.115	2.3	194.719	4.2
Private transportation	191.417	2.8	202.752	3.9	-	-	188.848	2.1	196.169	4.2	190.770	3.0	215.847	3.2	-	-	191.360	2.5	192.942	4.4
Motor fuel	196.831	9.1	212.174	11.8	196.286	11.4	199.091	10.0	191.344	11.9	197.432	9.0	212.147	11.8	196.755	11.5	198.786	9.7	191.052	12.0
Gasoline	195.915	9.1	209.259	11.9	196.128	11.6	198.287	10.1	190.368	12.0	196.621	9.1	209.259	11.9	196.490	11.6	198.081	9.8	190.147	12.1
Medical care (2)	469.447	4.1	500.731	2.3	-	-	486.991	3.4	448.393	4.6	473.676	4.2	486.399	2.4	-	-	487.021	3.7	455.092	4.6
Recreation (7)	116.559	0.8	122.801	-0.5	-	-	121.630	1.3	116.351	0.4	112.036	0.6	120.630	0.1	-	-	122.414	1.6	111.884	0.2
Education and communication (7)	139.076	-0.2	134.539	0.1	-	-	142.746	1.1	136.085	-0.7	129.319	-0.8	126.154	-1.0	-	-	131.200	0.6	124.826	-1.4
Other goods and services (2)	427.159	2.1	526.333	4.7	-	-	468.699	2.8	418.568	2.1	464.943	2.5	577.162	7.2	-	-	540.513	4.0	450.741	2.4
Energy (2)	193.306	5.4	182.110	4.9	185.600	6.7	191.636	6.4	182.769	5.2	192.103	5.5	180.127	5.1	186.828	7.1	191.533	6.4	181.666	5.4

Footnotes:

- (1) For Washington Baltimore, Dec. 1997=100 unless otherwise noted.
- (2) For Washington-Baltimore, Nov. 1996=100.
- (3) For the Northeast and the South, Dec. 1977=100.
- (4) For Washington-Baltimore, Nov. 1997=100.
- (5) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January 1999.
- (6) For the CPI-U in the U.S., Philadelphia, Northeast, and South, Dec. 1982 = 100. For the CPI-W in these areas, Dec. 1984 = 100.
- (7) Indexes are on the Dec. 1997=100 base.

Area definitions:

The **Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.** area includes Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania; Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, and Salem Counties in New Jersey; New Castle County in Delaware; and Cecil County in Maryland.

The **Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va.** area includes the District of Columbia; Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Calvert, Carroll, Charles, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, and Washington Counties and Baltimore City in Maryland; Arlington, Clarke, Fairfax, Fauquier, King George, Loudoun, Prince William, Rappahannock, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Warren Counties, and Alexandria, Fairfax, Falls Church, Fredericksburg, Manassas, and Manassas Park Cities in Virginia; and Berkeley and Jefferson Counties in West Virginia.

The **Northeast region** includes the states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

The **South region** includes the District of Columbia and the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Table 1S. Consumer Price Indexes, semiannual averages for the United States and Pittsburgh, (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted) (not seasonally adjusted)

Item	Semiannual averages							
	CPI-U				CPI-W			
	U.S. city average		Pittsburgh		U.S. city average		Pittsburgh	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	
All items	241.237	1.5	246.118	1.7	235.251	1.2	237.729	1.5
All items (1967 = 100)	722.638	-	751.021	-	700.741	-	707.046	-
Food and beverages	247.429	-0.1	255.191	-0.1	246.581	-0.2	255.997	-0.4
Food	247.669	-0.2	254.791	-0.1	246.537	-0.3	254.652	-0.5
Food at home	237.659	-2.0	247.271	-1.8	236.806	-2.1	246.673	-1.9
Food away from home	264.177	2.5	267.783	2.3	264.327	2.5	271.464	1.9
Alcoholic beverages	242.856	1.3	261.312	0.4	246.296	1.5	266.547	1.0
Housing	245.978	2.8	248.010	1.7	242.180	2.7	226.795	1.6
Shelter	290.800	3.5	282.229	2.4	283.736	3.5	246.434	2.4
Rent of primary residence (1)	299.744	3.8	240.441	1.9	296.717	3.7	240.441	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences (1) (2)	298.099	3.4	281.849	2.4	269.263	3.4	261.873	2.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (1) (2)	298.068	3.4	281.849	2.4	269.259	3.4	261.873	2.4
Fuels and utilities	232.013	1.2	245.032	0.6	230.683	1.1	252.966	0.3
Household energy	194.068	0.5	215.799	-1.5	192.604	0.4	225.334	-1.6
Energy services (1)	199.082	0.7	213.895	-1.0	198.014	0.6	217.510	-1.0
Electricity (1)	209.221	-0.1	193.968	-1.1	206.545	-0.1	193.968	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service (1)	165.863	3.7	191.719	-0.4	165.410	3.6	191.720	-0.4
Household furnishings and operations	121.093	-1.0	146.495	-2.3	115.996	-1.2	130.840	-3.0
Apparel	126.112	0.2	177.586	11.0	125.123	0.0	181.116	10.4
Transportation	195.932	-1.2	181.111	-0.6	194.223	-1.5	192.414	-0.8
Private transportation	190.902	-1.1	177.381	-0.5	190.422	-1.4	191.114	-0.8
Motor fuel	194.900	-6.9	215.703	-4.7	195.646	-6.9	215.883	-4.7
Gasoline	194.038	-6.9	218.025	-4.6	194.887	-7.0	218.020	-4.6
Medical care	468.285	4.3	477.752	2.6	472.533	4.6	466.570	2.9
Recreation (3)	116.907	0.8	123.636	2.7	112.444	0.6	123.752	1.2
Education and communication (3)	139.070	0.1	149.734	1.4	129.546	-0.3	137.267	1.0
Other goods and services	425.294	2.0	466.271	5.6	462.222	2.3	527.107	8.5
Energy	194.135	-3.1	222.225	-3.0	192.958	-3.4	221.759	-3.3

The **Pittsburgh, Pa.** area includes Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Washington, and Westmoreland Counties.

Footnotes:

(1) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

(2) For the CPI-U, indexes are on the Dec. 1982=100 base. For the CPI-W, indexes are on the Dec. 1984=100 base.

(3) Indexes are on the Dec. 1997=100 base.

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index and percent change, all items, U.S. city average and selected areas 1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)					Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)				
	Index		Percent change to Dec 2016 from --			Index		Percent change to Dec 2016 from --		
	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Oct 2016	Nov 2016	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Dec 2015	Oct 2016	Nov 2016
U.S. city average	241.353	241.432	2.1	-0.1	0.0	235.215	235.390	2.0	-0.1	0.1
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, Ill.-Ind.-Wis.	230.969	230.476	1.9	0.0	-0.2	222.530	222.650	1.8	0.1	0.1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, Calif.	250.185	250.189	2.0	-0.4	0.0	240.809	240.846	1.7	-0.4	0.0
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Conn.-Pa.	265.203	265.421	2.1	0.3	0.1	259.348	259.789	2.1	0.3	0.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, Mass.-N.H.-Maine-Conn.	261.675	-	-	-	-	260.705	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, Ohio	220.777	-	-	-	-	210.801	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas	222.259	-	-	-	-	226.508	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va. (Nov. 1996=100)	157.706	-	-	-	-	157.407	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga.	-	226.739	2.6	-0.4	-	-	223.492	2.5	-0.4	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, Mich.	-	222.983	2.4	-0.6	-	-	217.918	2.5	-0.6	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, Texas	-	217.758	2.3	-0.2	-	-	213.205	2.2	-0.2	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	-	253.629	2.9	0.8	-	-	249.350	2.7	0.7	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.	-	246.591	1.7	-0.1	-	-	248.022	1.8	0.0	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, Calif.	-	269.483	3.5	-0.3	-	-	263.222	3.0	-0.3	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Wash.	-	256.821	2.6	0.0	-	-	252.286	2.5	-0.1	-

Table 3. Consumer Price Index and percent change, all items, U.S. city average and selected areas 1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)			Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)		
	Index	Percent change from		Index	Percent change from	
	2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	1st half 2016	2nd half 2016	2nd half 2015	1st half 2016
U.S. city average	241.237	1.5	^(R) 1.0	235.251	1.2	^(R) 1.0
Anchorage, Alaska	218.660	0.9	0.8	216.266	0.7	0.8
Atlanta, Ga.	227.438	1.9	1.8	224.456	1.6	1.8
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, Mass.-N.H.-Maine-Conn.	261.803	1.8	1.0	260.297	1.7	1.0
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, Ill.-Ind.-Wis.	229.941	0.7	^(R) 0.6	222.051	0.5	^(R) 0.7
Cincinnati-Hamilton, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.	227.927	1.9	1.4	221.379	1.9	1.5
Cleveland-Akron, Ohio	221.264	0.3	0.3	211.174	0.2	0.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas	222.132	2.1	1.3	226.587	1.8	1.3
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, Colo.	248.095	2.6	1.2	237.407	2.5	1.3
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, Mich.	223.732	1.8	1.4	218.500	1.5	1.4
Honolulu, Hawaii	266.528	1.5	0.9	261.772	1.5	1.1
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, Texas	217.592	1.6	1.1	213.000	1.4	1.2
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.	225.156	0.9	1.0	215.325	0.7	1.0
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, Calif.	250.184	1.7	^(R) 0.8	240.881	1.3	^(R) 0.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	251.424	2.0	1.3	247.540	1.7	1.3
Milwaukee-Racine, Wis.	228.624	0.7	0.7	231.299	0.0	0.5
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.	235.514	1.6	1.2	228.738	1.6	1.3
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Conn.-Pa.	264.641	1.3	^(R) 1.0	258.938	1.3	^(R) 0.9
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.	246.295	0.9	0.8	247.421	0.9	0.8
Phoenix-Mesa, Ariz. (Dec. 2001=100)	131.112	1.8	1.6	128.884	1.5	1.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.	246.118	1.7	^(R) 1.3	237.729	1.5	^(R) 1.4
Portland-Salem, Ore.-Wash.	251.710	2.6	1.8	242.014	2.2	1.8
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	222.357	1.0	1.2	220.082	0.5	1.1
San Diego, Calif.	276.837	2.0	1.5	259.893	1.9	1.4
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, Calif.	268.777	3.2	1.8	262.946	2.8	1.6
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Wash.	256.651	2.2	1.4	252.277	2.2	1.4
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, Fla. (1987=100)	215.572	1.8	1.4	214.375	1.5	1.2
Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va. (Nov. 1996=100)	157.591	1.1	0.5	157.272	1.0	0.5

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