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Consumer Price Index August 2014

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	United States City Average			Midwest Region		
	Index	Percent change to Aug. 2014 from		Index	Percent change to Aug. 2014 from	
	Aug. 2014	Aug. 2013	Jul. 2014	Aug. 2014	Aug. 2013	Jul. 2014
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	237.852	1.7	-0.2	226.587	1.6	-0.2
All items (other base) (1).....	712.498	-	-	368.670	-	-
Food and beverages	243.497	2.6	.3	237.128	2.8	.3
Food.....	243.811	2.7	.3	236.682	2.8	.3
Food at home.....	240.723	2.9	.4	230.152	2.9	.4
Food away from home.....	249.801	2.5	.2	247.459	2.7	.2
Alcoholic beverages.....	237.829	1.1	.6	241.190	1.8	.4
Housing	234.571	2.6	.0	211.589	2.3	-1.1
Shelter.....	271.675	2.9	.2	244.437	2.0	.1
Rent of primary residence (2).....	277.048	3.2	.3	241.446	2.1	.3
Owners'equiv. rent of residences (2) (3).....	278.621	2.7	.3	247.963	1.7	.2
Owners'equiv. rent of primary residence (2) (3).....	278.600	2.7	.3	247.958	1.7	.2
Fuels and utilities.....	239.790	4.3	-6	229.864	6.7	-8
Household energy.....	207.603	4.5	-9	196.373	7.2	-1.2
Energy services (2).....	209.547	4.6	-1.0	203.644	7.3	-1.3
Electricity (2).....	217.148	4.1	-4	212.579	5.7	.1
Utility (piped) gas service (2).....	183.960	5.8	-3.0	178.616	10.4	-4.0
Furnishings and operations.....	122.741	-1.4	-4	116.257	-9	-9
Apparel	125.726	.0	.9	121.165	1.3	1.3
Transportation	218.279	-4	-1.6	216.940	-1.0	-1.5
Private transportation.....	213.873	-3	-1.4	211.809	-1.0	-1.4
Motor fuel.....	302.101	-2.7	-4.1	308.239	-3.9	-3.8
Gasoline (all types).....	300.640	-2.8	-4.1	306.282	-4.3	-3.8
Unleaded regular (4).....	299.110	-3.0	-4.2	303.351	-4.6	-3.9
Unleaded midgrade (4) (5).....	312.086	-1.8	-3.8	341.351	-2.6	-3.7
Unleaded premium (4).....	294.523	-1.9	-3.6	305.573	-3.5	-3.5
Medical Care	435.777	2.1	.0	441.918	2.7	.0
Recreation (6)	115.311	.0	-5	117.438	-1	-2
Education and communication (6)	138.139	1.5	.5	140.510	2.3	.5
Other goods and services	408.898	1.6	.1	394.396	1.1	.0
Commodity and Service Group						
Commodities.....	188.872	.4	-4	185.678	.6	-4
Commodities less food & beverages.....	160.418	-1.0	-9	159.786	-8	-8
Nondurables less food & beverages.....	211.685	-7	-1.3	212.311	-6	-1.1
Durables.....	110.475	-1.4	-2	108.487	-1.0	-4
Services.....	286.427	2.6	.0	269.145	2.3	.0
Special indexes						
All items less medical care.....	228.245	1.7	-2	216.398	1.5	-2
All items less shelter.....	227.302	1.1	-3	222.556	1.4	-3
Energy.....	250.951	.4	-2.7	245.707	.8	-2.6
All items less energy.....	238.454	1.9	.1	227.154	1.7	.1
All items less food and energy.....	238.296	1.7	.1	226.114	1.5	.1
Commodities less food.....	163.168	-9	-9	162.517	-7	-8
Nondurables.....	228.044	.9	-5	225.233	1.0	-4
Nondurables less food.....	213.286	-6	-1.2	213.939	-5	-1.0
Services less rent of shelter (3).....	312.720	2.3	-2	304.688	2.6	-2
Services less medical care services.....	272.816	2.6	.0	254.074	2.4	-1
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All items	234.030	1.6	-0.2	222.737	1.6	-0.2
All items (other base) (1).....	697.105	-	-	360.215	-	-

(1) Other base: United States City Average 1967=100; Midwest Region December 1977=100 base.

(2) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

(3) Index is on a December 1982=100 base.

(4) Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

(5) Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

(6) Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available

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Consumer Price Index August 2014

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Chicago-Gary-Kenosha IL-IN-WI			Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI		
	Index Aug. 2014	Percent change to Aug. 2014 from		Index Aug. 2014	Percent change to Aug. 2014 from	
		Aug. 2013	Jul. 2014		Aug. 2013	Jun. 2014
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	229.753	1.9	0.1	222.284	1.0	-1.0
All items (1967=100).....	686.408	-	-	660.720	-	-
Food and beverages	237.423	3.1	.5	217.464	2.0	.0
Food.....	236.640	3.2	.4	217.647	2.0	.1
Food at home.....	236.376	3.2	.7	210.719	1.7	-.4
Food away from home.....	231.642	3.3	.0	228.343	2.4	.8
Alcoholic beverages.....	247.330	2.4	1.5	209.079	2.1	-1.5
Housing	231.602	3.5	-.1	200.984	2.8	.1
Shelter.....	282.484	1.9	.3	224.946	3.2	.3
Rent of primary residence (1).....	296.159	2.3	.5	226.751	2.9	.5
Owners'equiv. rent of residences (1) (2).....	286.603	1.7	.3	223.732	2.5	.3
Owners'equiv. rent of primary residence (1) (2).....	286.603	1.7	.3	223.732	2.5	.3
Fuels and utilities.....	217.919	20.6	-1.7	246.458	3.0	1.1
Household energy.....	188.215	24.4	-2.1	195.328	1.9	-2
Energy services (1).....	191.953	24.6	-2.2	197.257	1.8	-3
Electricity (1).....	164.449	29.2	1.1	214.552	-1.7	.2
Utility (piped) gas service (1).....	211.934	20.2	-5.4	166.567	7.1	-9
Furnishings and operations.....	97.203	-3.1	-1.0	118.746	-.6	-2.2
Apparel	95.480	-.1	4.3	123.888	.7	-2.0
Transportation	200.133	-1.8	-1.5	249.119	-1.2	-4.2
Private transportation.....	197.286	-1.9	-1.5	249.291	-1.0	-3.9
Motor fuel.....	318.996	-5.0	-3.7	306.186	-4.0	-10.4
Gasoline (all types).....	315.586	-5.2	-3.7	304.199	-4.6	-10.5
Unleaded regular (3).....	309.435	-5.5	-3.7	311.983	-5.0	-10.7
Unleaded midgrade (3) (4).....	332.780	-3.9	-4.0	341.983	-3.4	-9.8
Unleaded premium (3).....	308.619	-4.3	-3.8	288.071	-1.7	-9.4
Medical Care	451.769	1.9	.3	398.474	.9	-1.1
Recreation (5)	110.018	-.3	.0	112.637	-5.0	-1.6
Education and communication (5)	142.154	2.0	.5	147.496	4.4	1.8
Other goods and services	384.271	.9	.0	393.085	-1.8	-3.0
Commodity and service group						
Commodities.....	174.380	.0	.0	181.811	.1	-2.3
Commodities less food & beverages.....	141.257	-2.0	-3	162.931	-.9	-3.7
Nondurables less food & beverages.....	191.869	-1.7	-2	202.492	-2.1	-5.3
Durables.....	92.873	-3.0	-4	117.243	1.2	-.7
Services.....	282.225	3.0	.1	264.411	1.7	-.1
Special indexes						
All items less medical care.....	220.267	1.9	.0	215.297	1.1	-1.0
All items less shelter.....	212.208	1.8	-.1	224.483	.2	-1.5
Energy.....	238.682	7.0	-3.0	249.058	-1.6	-6.1
All items less energy.....	230.710	1.4	.4	221.999	1.4	-.3
All items less food and energy.....	230.456	1.1	.4	223.361	1.3	-.4
Commodities less food.....	145.313	-1.8	-2	164.729	-.8	-3.6
Nondurables.....	216.186	.7	.1	210.137	-.3	-2.7
Nondurables less food.....	196.000	-1.5	-.1	202.882	-2.0	-5.1
Services less rent of shelter (2).....	296.722	4.2	-2	320.209	.3	-.4
Services less medical care services.....	269.303	3.2	.0	255.191	1.9	.1
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All items	223.857	2.0	0.0	219.091	0.9	-1.2
All items (1967=100).....	657.437	-	-	645.266	-	-

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