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Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index	Percent change		Index	Percent change	
		Feb 15 to Feb 16	Jan 16 to Feb 16		Feb 15 to Feb 16	Jan 16 to Feb 16
U.S. City Average						
All items (1982-84=100)	237.111	1.0	0.1	230.972	0.7	0.0
All items (1967=100)	710.278	-	-	687.995	-	-
Food and beverages	248.459	0.9	0.1	247.736	0.8	0.1
Housing	241.015	2.1	0.2	237.246	2.0	0.2
Apparel	125.567	0.9	3.0	125.218	1.0	3.1
Transportation	187.345	-3.4	-1.5	184.238	-4.1	-1.8
Medical care	458.295	3.5	0.9	462.098	3.7	0.9
Recreation ¹	116.631	0.9	0.5	112.415	0.6	0.5
Education & communication ¹	139.236	1.2	-0.2	130.084	0.8	-0.3
Other goods and services	419.627	1.9	0.1	455.426	2.2	0.1
South						
All items (1982-84=100)	229.646	0.7	0.1	225.239	0.4	0.0
All items (1977=100)	372.517	-	-	364.800	-	-
Food and beverages	246.728	0.5	0.2	245.831	0.4	0.2
Housing	223.206	1.7	0.1	223.175	1.7	0.0
Apparel	132.186	1.0	3.5	131.237	0.4	3.6
Transportation	186.352	-3.7	-1.2	181.916	-4.5	-1.4
Medical care	435.890	3.7	0.8	442.709	3.8	0.8
Recreation ¹	116.974	0.6	0.7	112.733	0.3	0.8
Education & communication ¹	137.103	1.8	0.0	126.523	1.4	-0.1
Other goods and services	410.899	1.6	-0.1	441.311	1.9	-0.1
Atlanta						
All items (1982-84=100)	221.658	1.6	0.3	218.465	1.2	0.2
All items (1967=100)	668.452	-	-	660.559	-	-
Food and beverages	250.126	-0.3	-0.2	246.495	-0.5	-0.5
Housing	218.894	3.0	0.6	216.071	2.9	0.6
Apparel	144.845	6.5	8.5	139.587	7.5	9.6
Transportation	177.999	-4.2	-3.2	176.298	-4.6	-3.2
Medical care	425.095	3.9	2.6	416.053	4.0	2.7
Recreation ¹	86.938	2.0	0.2	85.528	1.3	0.9
Education & communication ¹	135.758	2.6	0.8	124.611	2.1	1.0
Other goods and services	364.104	6.0	-0.1	416.415	6.0	-0.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale						
All items (1982-84=100)	247.126	1.6	0.2	242.837	1.0	0.0
All items (1977=100)	398.332	-	-	394.536	-	-
Food and beverages	260.086	1.6	0.7	261.699	1.9	0.9
Housing	253.240	3.1	0.4	252.263	2.9	0.4
Apparel	138.362	-4.9	5.9	157.799	-3.2	10.0
Transportation	203.650	-2.5	-1.9	200.269	-3.9	-2.8
Medical care	460.469	4.7	-0.4	466.300	4.6	-0.5
Recreation ¹	115.769	0.3	1.6	108.603	-0.1	1.7
Education & communication ¹	128.916	1.2	0.0	125.757	0.7	-0.8
Other goods and services	339.462	0.3	-0.5	332.926	0.5	-0.2

¹Index base is December 1997=100

- Data not available

*Full surveys for Atlanta and Miami-Fort Lauderdale, which produce the All Items Indexes and major components, are compiled every two months and are published for even-numbered months.