

Consumer Price Index | August 2026

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U.S. city average, South region, Atlanta area, and Miami area, not seasonally adjusted
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index Aug. 2026	Percent change from 1-month ago	1-year ago	Index Aug. 2026	Percent change from 1-month ago	1-year ago
U.S. city average						
All items	334.980	0.3	3.4	328.481	0.4	3.5
Food and beverages	347.206	0.1	2.6	346.609	0.1	2.6
Housing	360.225	0.2	3.1	355.584	0.2	3.0
Apparel	136.752	1.9	3.6	136.456	2.3	3.0
Transportation	290.778	0.5	6.2	297.453	0.7	6.7
Medical care	593.003	-0.1	1.6	600.982	-0.1	1.3
Recreation ¹	145.186	0.0	2.7	137.741	0.1	3.8
Education & communication ¹	150.304	1.9	2.1	133.054	2.1	1.6
Other goods and services	607.972	0.1	4.2	674.650	0.2	4.6
All items-old base (1967=100)	1003.450			978.445		
South region						
All items	323.394	0.2	3.1	317.604	0.3	3.2
Food and beverages	340.304	0.0	2.2	339.027	0.0	2.2
Housing	335.000	0.1	2.6	335.160	0.2	2.4
Apparel	146.391	1.3	4.6	146.124	1.4	4.6
Transportation	288.242	0.5	5.9	288.862	0.6	6.4
Medical care	555.384	-0.2	1.6	569.058	-0.1	1.2
Recreation ¹	143.944	-0.1	2.3	134.800	0.0	3.0
Education & communication ¹	143.220	1.5	1.3	123.286	1.8	0.6
Other goods and services	590.344	0.4	6.8	643.689	0.4	6.6
All items-old base (December 1977=100)	524.590			514.395		
Expenditure category	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index Aug. 2026	Percent change from 2-months ago	1-year ago	Index Aug. 2026	Percent change from 2-months ago	1-year ago
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA						
All items	328.150	0.2	2.9	321.717	0.1	3.0
Food and beverages	347.394	-0.3	3.6	344.963	-0.2	3.3
Housing	355.987	0.1	1.4	356.939	0.1	2.0
Apparel	156.884	-0.2	2.6	151.698	-5.1	-4.5
Transportation	298.268	0.7	6.3	288.972	0.8	5.6
Medical care	517.127	-0.4	-0.3	527.743	-0.3	0.4
Recreation ¹	103.778	-0.4	3.9	96.025	-0.9	2.7
Education & communication ¹	144.278	0.2	0.4	124.175	0.5	1.6
Other goods and services	572.886	1.4	-	670.755	1.3	13.8
All items-old base (1967=100)	989.599			972.756		
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL						
All items	370.123	0.1	3.7	364.600	0.0	3.7
Food and beverages	342.828	-0.9	0.8	341.399	-0.8	0.5
Housing	421.156	0.2	3.4	418.932	0.4	2.9
Apparel	187.906	3.1	6.4	196.982	0.0	9.4
Transportation	297.098	0.2	6.7	306.887	-0.2	6.3
Medical care	679.318	-0.1	3.7	720.917	-0.4	4.2
Recreation ¹	140.623	-0.9	3.2	129.249	-0.6	5.5
Education & communication ¹	139.300	1.8	1.2	131.832	2.0	1.9
Other goods and services	537.510	-0.1	11.7	528.255	-0.4	10.0
All items-old base (November 1977=100)	596.586			592.364		

¹Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

-Data not available. Note: The Consumer Price Index for Atlanta and for Miami are published bi-monthly: February, April, June, August, October, and December.