

# Southwest Consumer Price Index Indicators

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. City Average, Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, and Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, June 2019  
(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. City Average				Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington				Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land			
	Index	Percent change			Index	Percent change			Index	Percent change		
	Jun. 2019	12-month	1-month	2-month	Jun. 2019	12-month	1-month	2-month	Jun. 2019	12-month	1-month	2-month
All items	256.143	1.6	0.0	0.2					229.316	0.8		0.0
Food and beverages	257.778	1.9	0.0	0.1					233.245	2.4		0.1
Food	258.064	1.9	0.0	0.1					233.831	2.8		-0.1
Food at home	241.407	0.9	-0.3	-0.2	211.021	-0.3	-0.6	0.0	226.759	3.6	0.0	-0.2
Cereals and bakery products	276.891	1.2	-0.3	0.1					266.468	0.6		-0.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	249.231	0.3	-0.4	0.0					248.554	5.0		0.2
Dairy and related products	217.433	0.6	-0.2	0.0					177.127	0.5		1.3
Fruits and vegetables	298.611	1.0	-1.2	-1.6					286.411	4.8		1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials <sup>(1)</sup>	170.230	2.3	-0.6	-0.3					270.379	0.1		-5.0
Other food at home	212.056	0.9	0.6	0.5					202.355	6.0		0.9
Food away from home	284.316	3.1	0.3	0.5					237.125	2.1		0.0
Alcoholic beverages	252.538	1.5	0.2	0.3					213.703	-3.6		3.5
Housing	266.461	3.0	0.5	0.8					225.902	2.7		1.0
Shelter	318.300	3.5	0.4	0.6	257.774	3.7	1.2	1.1	269.455	3.1	0.3	1.5
Rent of primary residence	330.648	3.9	0.4	0.6	274.742	2.7	0.3	0.7	263.156	1.9	0.6	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residences <sup>(2)</sup>	325.189	3.4	0.3	0.5	276.922	3.6	1.0	1.2	250.865	4.0	0.9	1.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>(2)</sup>	325.227	3.4	0.3	0.5	276.922	3.6	1.0	1.2	250.865	4.0	0.9	1.5
Fuels and utilities	244.703	0.1	1.4	1.6					178.717	1.3		-0.8
Household energy	202.402	-0.9	1.7	2.0	214.515	-2.3	0.2	0.2	155.450	1.0	0.6	-0.9
Energy Services	206.219	-0.7	2.0	2.4	210.986	-2.2	0.3	0.3	152.979	1.0	0.6	-0.9
Electricity	217.947	-0.3	2.6	3.5	206.635	0.3	0.1	0.5	152.950	1.1	0.7	-0.7
Utility (piped) gas service	168.628	-2.1	-0.1	-1.4	170.226	-17.8	1.1	-0.9	140.739	0.7	0.0	-2.5
Household furnishings & operations	124.237	2.3	0.7	0.7					136.885	1.9		-0.4
Apparel	123.749	-1.3	-0.5	-1.4					181.281	-5.9		-6.9
Transportation	213.073	-0.7	-1.1	-0.5					186.763	-2.7		-0.9
Private transportation	208.319	-0.9	-1.1	-0.8					186.248	-2.9		-0.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>(3)</sup>	99.874	0.4	0.5	-0.1					88.427	-0.1		0.0
New vehicles <sup>(1)</sup>	147.417	0.6	-0.2	-0.3					164.883	1.0		0.1
Used cars and trucks <sup>(1)</sup>	140.823	1.2	1.4	0.3					230.489	1.1		0.0
Motor fuel	243.163	-5.4	-4.9	-2.6	229.529	-12.7	-7.7	-7.6	220.349	-10.1	-6.4	-4.3
Gasoline (all types)	242.043	-5.4	-4.9	-2.6	228.164	-12.8	-7.8	-7.7	220.418	-10.2	-6.5	-4.3
Motor vehicle insurance <sup>(1)</sup>	569.079	0.7	0.1	-0.2					708.611	-3.8		0.0
Medical care	495.563	2.0	0.1	0.5					510.217	2.6		0.6
Recreation <sup>(3)</sup>	120.145	0.8	-0.1	-0.6					103.401	-0.6		-1.9
Education and communication <sup>(3)</sup>	137.344	0.6	0.1	0.1					122.772	0.6		2.2
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare <sup>(1)</sup>	759.028	3.3	0.1	0.3					1260.589	1.9		0.0
Other goods and services	449.345	1.5	-0.1	0.2					410.830	-1.2		-1.4
<b>SPECIAL INDEXES (CPI-U)</b>												
Energy	221.373	-3.4	-1.9	-0.5	223.850	-8.4	-4.4	-4.3	184.532	-5.3	-3.3	-2.7
All items less shelter	234.791	0.7	-0.1	0.0					214.252	-0.2		-0.7
All items less food and energy	263.177	2.1	0.2	0.3					237.201	1.2		0.4
All items (1967 = 100)	767.291								735.500			
<b>CPI FOR URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)</b>												
All items	249.747	1.4	0.0	0.2					224.306	0.3		-0.3
All items (1967 = 100)	743.920								715.887			

(1) Dallas indexes on a February 1978=100 base. Houston indexes on an April 1978=100 base.

(2) Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

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

Note: The CPI measures changes in prices of all goods and services purchased for consumption by urban households. The indexes for food at home, energy, and shelter are compiled monthly for the Dallas and Houston areas. Full surveys, which produce the All Items Indexes and major components, are compiled every two months. These full surveys are published for the odd-numbered months for Dallas and for the even-numbered months for Houston.