

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, February 2022
(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		
	Feb. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	Feb. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	Feb. 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month
All items	283.716	7.9	0.9	1.8					250.563	7.8		2.1
Food and beverages	291.244	7.6	1.0	2.0					259.063	6.4		2.1
Food	292.794	7.9	1.0	2.0					260.328	6.8		2.1
Food at home	274.568	8.6	1.4	2.6	242.209	10.4	1.8	4.0	249.518	8.4	0.2	3.1
Cereals and bakery products	306.193	7.8	1.3	3.0					301.022	10.9		12.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	301.240	13.0	0.9	1.2					285.908	12.7		2.3
Dairy and related products	242.386	5.2	1.6	2.9					190.817	9.6		-5.7
Fruits and vegetables	333.675	7.6	1.9	3.6					303.128	2.6		3.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials ⁽¹⁾	192.210	6.7	1.8	2.9					303.770	9.2		2.8
Other food at home	237.143	8.2	1.4	2.7					215.947	6.6		2.8
Food away from home	320.880	6.8	0.4	1.1					266.680	5.3		1.1
Alcoholic beverages	269.128	3.5	0.9	1.4					230.034	1.4		1.5
Housing	291.504	5.9	0.6	1.4					242.619	4.8		0.9
Shelter	344.607	4.7	0.6	1.0	288.498	6.3	1.1	1.6	282.714	3.2	0.5	1.4
Rent of primary residence	359.627	4.2	0.5	1.0	309.921	5.8	1.4	1.7	280.079	3.7	0.1	1.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ⁽²⁾	353.512	4.3	0.4	0.9	310.282	5.5	0.7	1.0	263.303	2.8	-0.4	0.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ⁽²⁾	353.522	4.3	0.4	0.9	310.282	5.5	0.7	1.0	263.303	2.8	-0.4	0.7
Fuels and utilities	279.032	11.0	0.1	3.0					208.668	5.5		-2.0
Household energy	233.300	13.4	0.0	3.5	273.291	22.7	0.8	4.0	183.555	6.9	7.6	-2.4
Energy Services	235.017	12.3	-0.4	3.0	269.030	22.7	0.7	3.9	180.083	6.4	7.6	-2.6
Electricity	236.453	9.0	-0.7	3.7	253.161	23.7	0.5	5.4	178.178	3.5	7.0	-5.0
Utility (piped) gas service	226.491	23.8	0.6	0.9	279.474	17.8	2.0	-3.3	171.889	24.2	11.1	11.4
Household furnishings & operations	140.306	9.7	0.8	2.6					158.674	14.4		0.5
Apparel	127.868	6.6	3.1	5.6					182.792	9.5		3.7
Transportation	253.150	21.1	1.9	2.7					219.206	22.7		5.5
Private transportation	253.525	22.1	1.8	2.6					223.324	23.6		4.9
New and used motor vehicles ⁽³⁾	126.822	23.5	0.5	1.6					107.642	18.4		1.5
New vehicles ⁽¹⁾	168.027	12.4	0.3	0.8					186.593	8.9		0.6
Used cars and trucks ⁽¹⁾	212.040	41.2	0.8	2.4					344.913	40.0		2.4
Motor fuel	307.422	38.1	5.4	5.5	303.332	44.7	7.6	9.5	275.986	44.7	8.1	7.8
Gasoline (all types)	305.959	38.0	5.4	5.4	301.193	44.5	7.6	9.4	276.110	44.8	8.1	7.9
Motor vehicle insurance ⁽¹⁾	584.317	4.3	1.8	2.9								
Medical care	536.932	2.4	0.4	1.3					539.737	0.8		0.9
Recreation ⁽³⁾	129.116	5.0	0.9	1.9					123.037	10.0		4.3
Education and communication ⁽³⁾	143.913	1.6	0.0	0.0					123.450	2.3		-0.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare ⁽⁴⁾	799.639	2.2	0.1	0.1					1297.226	2.1		0.2
Other goods and services	496.045	5.6	1.1	1.8					440.348	3.9		1.6
SPECIAL INDEXES (CPI-U)												
Energy	267.771	25.6	2.7	4.5	289.180	33.2	4.2	6.7	224.571	24.5	7.9	2.7
All items less shelter	262.949	9.4	1.1	2.1					238.726	10.1		2.4
All items less food and energy	288.059	6.4	0.7	1.5					256.089	6.5		2.0
All items (1967 = 100)	849.887								803.646			
CPI FOR URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)												
All items	278.943	8.6	1.0	1.8					246.511	8.6		2.1
All items (1967 = 100)	830.885								786.753			

(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.