

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, May 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		
	May 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	May 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month	May 2022	12-month	1-month	2-month
All items	292.296	8.6	1.1	1.7	274.196	9.1		1.8				
Food and beverages	300.081	9.7	1.1	2.0	301.285	11.1		1.8				
Food	302.038	10.1	1.1	2.1	296.494	11.6		1.9				
Food at home	285.953	11.9	1.3	2.6	255.353	14.6	2.4	1.9	265.785	12.3	2.9	3.7
Cereals and bakery products	319.930	11.6	1.6	2.7	295.704	11.0		3.1				
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	314.929	14.2	1.5	3.2	305.477	16.4		-0.2				
Dairy and related products	257.678	11.8	2.6	5.1	230.471	14.5		7.5				
Fruits and vegetables	341.594	8.2	0.7	1.2	225.879	14.6		0.4				
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials ⁽¹⁾	199.166	12.0	1.0	2.5	215.278	12.2		3.1				
Other food at home	247.300	12.6	1.2	2.3	242.840	15.2		2.0				
Food away from home	325.952	7.4	0.7	1.3	356.967	8.2		1.9				
Alcoholic beverages	272.293	4.0	0.3	0.7	359.891	4.2		-0.3				
Housing	297.868	6.9	0.9	1.5	265.781	8.3		1.6				
Shelter	350.580	5.5	0.6	1.1	294.629	7.3	0.1	1.5	289.104	5.1	1.1	1.4
Rent of primary residence	365.116	5.2	0.6	1.1	319.110	8.8	1.3	2.5	285.370	5.2	0.4	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ⁽²⁾	358.469	5.1	0.6	1.0	316.071	6.6	0.5	1.7	267.778	4.2	0.4	1.0
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Fuels and utilities	295.153	15.5	3.1	4.2	302.573	20.1		1.9				
Household energy	250.594	19.1	4.0	5.3	282.593	27.9	1.9	2.6	225.118	35.4	26.5	27.4
Energy Services	249.129	16.2	3.4	4.8	277.930	27.9	1.9	2.6	220.972	35.1	26.8	27.8
Electricity	247.461	12.0	1.9	2.9	257.039	28.1	1.3	1.6	226.764	36.9	33.0	33.6
Utility (piped) gas service	248.854	30.2	7.8	10.3	314.495	27.1	4.8	7.6	171.925	24.3	-2.0	0.0
Household furnishings & operations	142.736	8.9	0.4	1.0	135.522	4.9		1.4				
Apparel	126.970	5.0	-0.1	-1.5	116.944	4.4		-0.9				
Transportation	274.282	19.4	2.8	3.7	274.284	21.6		5.1				
Private transportation	271.545	19.5	2.3	2.6	278.360	21.3		3.3				
New and used motor vehicles ⁽³⁾	127.847	13.7	0.4	1.1	136.557	13.5		2.1				
New vehicles ⁽¹⁾	171.350	12.6	1.0	2.0	220.802	5.7		2.3				
Used cars and trucks ⁽¹⁾	208.373	16.1	0.7	0.1	488.869	15.9		0.4				
Motor fuel	393.950	49.1	7.8	6.9	395.088	51.3	11.9	9.8	366.729	56.4	8.8	7.7
Gasoline (all types)	391.262	48.7	7.8	6.8	391.219	50.6	12.0	9.5	365.117	55.6	8.7	7.2
Motor vehicle insurance ⁽¹⁾	594.437	4.5	0.4	0.9								
Medical care	543.488	3.7	0.4	0.7	496.530	3.1		0.6				
Recreation ⁽³⁾	130.360	4.5	0.4	0.7	125.453	0.5		1.1				
Education and communication ⁽³⁾	143.108	0.8	-0.1	-0.3	132.098	-2.3		-1.8				
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare ⁽¹⁾	801.837	2.5	0.2	0.3	1296.393	1.9		0.0				
Other goods and services	502.966	6.3	0.5	0.9	478.676	7.6		0.5				
SPECIAL INDEXES (CPI-U)												
Energy	316.761	34.6	6.1	6.2	338.928	40.2	7.4	6.6	287.636	46.1	16.1	15.7
All items less shelter	272.550	10.1	1.3	1.9	265.656	10.2		2.0				
All items less food and energy	292.506	6.0	0.6	1.1	270.111	6.0		1.2				
All items (1967 = 100)	875.589				860.138							
CPI FOR URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)												
All items	288.022	9.3	1.2	1.7	283.858	10.1		1.9				
All items (1967 = 100)	857.929				875.325							

(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.