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**CONSUMER PRICE INDEXES PACIFIC CITIES AND U. S. CITY AVERAGE
MARCH 2010
ALL ITEMS INDEXES
(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)**

| MONTHLY DATA | All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) | | | | | | Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) | | | | | |
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| | Indexes | | | Percent Change | | | Indexes | | | Percent Change | | |
| | | | | Year ending | 1 Month ending | | | | | Year ending | 1 Month ending | |
| Mar. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | Feb. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | Mar. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | Feb. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | Mar. 2010 | |
| U. S. City Average..... | 212.709 | 216.741 | 217.631 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 207.218 | 212.544 | 213.525 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 0.5 |
| (1967=100)..... | 637.182 | 649.259 | 651.925 | - | - | - | 617.239 | 633.105 | 636.025 | - | - | - |
| Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange Co..... | 221.376 | 224.620 | 225.483 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 213.013 | 217.090 | 218.157 | 1.8 | 2.4 | 0.5 |
| (1967=100)..... | 654.042 | 663.627 | 666.177 | - | - | - | 629.518 | 641.567 | 644.721 | - | - | - |
| West | 217.357 | 220.179 | 220.809 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 210.661 | 214.710 | 215.457 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 0.3 |
| (Dec. 1977 = 100) | 351.345 | 355.908 | 356.926 | - | - | - | 338.942 | 345.456 | 346.659 | - | - | - |
| West - A*..... | 221.124 | 223.989 | 224.636 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 212.965 | 216.850 | 217.700 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 0.4 |
| (Dec. 1977 = 100) | 360.574 | 365.246 | 366.300 | - | - | - | 344.748 | 351.037 | 352.414 | - | - | - |
| West - B/C**(Dec. 1996=100)..... | 131.775 | 133.513 | 133.863 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 130.674 | 133.325 | 133.675 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 0.3 |

| BI-MONTHLY DATA | All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) | | | | | | Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) | | | | | |
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| | Indexes | | | Percent Change | | | Indexes | | | Percent Change | | |
| | | | | Year ending | 2 Months ending | | | | | Year ending | 2 Months ending | |
| Feb. 2009 | Dec. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Dec. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Feb. 2010 | Feb. 2009 | Dec. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Dec. 2009 | Feb. 2010 | Feb. 2010 | |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose..... | 222.166 | 224.239 | 226.145 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 216.797 | 220.121 | 222.049 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 0.9 |
| (1967=100)..... | 683.001 | 689.374 | 695.233 | - | - | - | 660.165 | 670.286 | 676.157 | - | - | - |
| Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton..... | 224.737 | 225.596 | 226.085 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 218.752 | 220.905 | 221.215 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.1 |
| (1967=100)..... | 685.085 | 687.706 | 689.195 | - | - | - | 648.819 | 655.206 | 656.122 | - | - | - |

* A = 1,500,000 population and over

** B/C = less than 1,500,000 population

Dash (-) = Not Available.

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