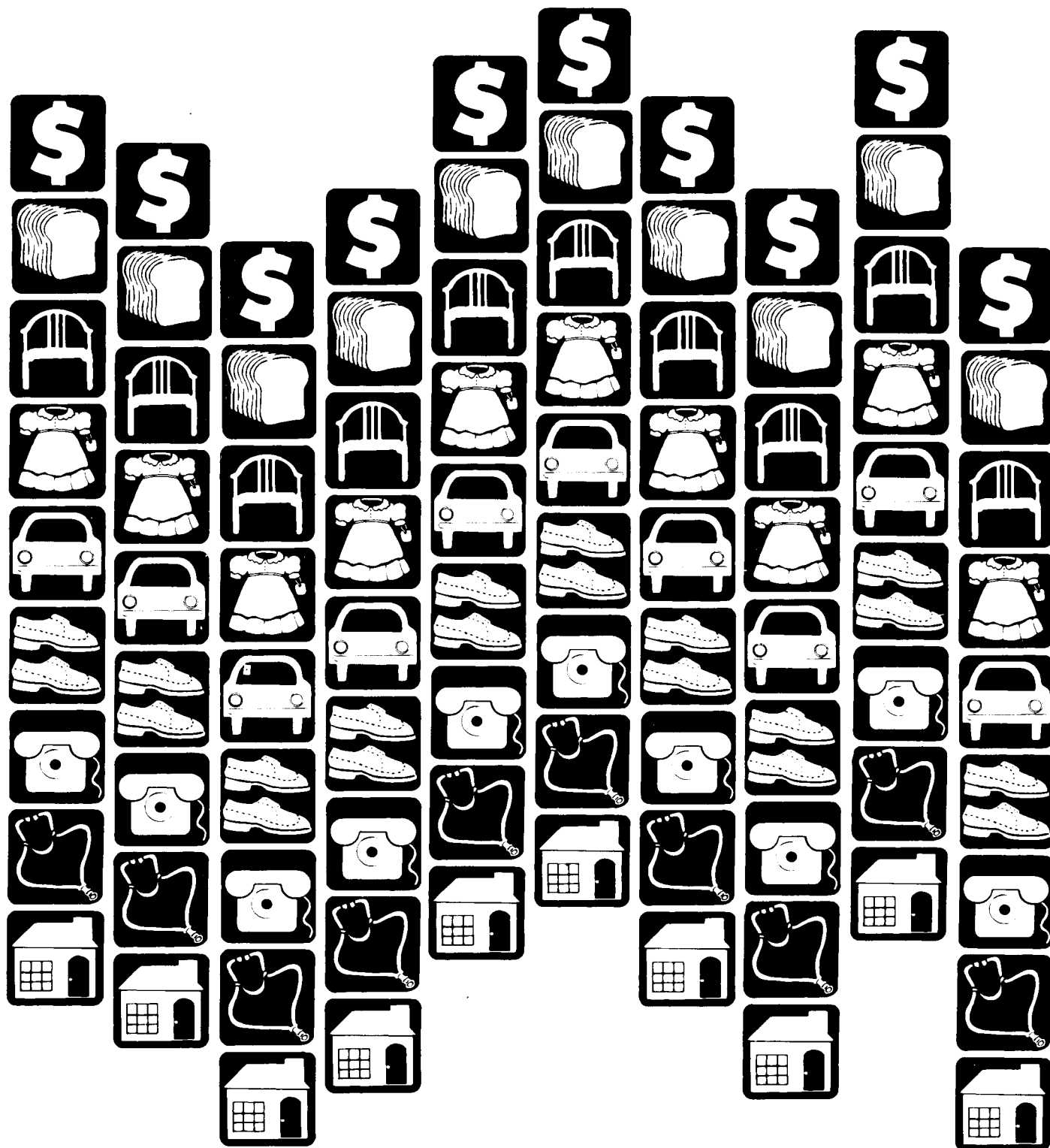


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Price Movements

April 1985

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.4 percent before seasonal adjustment in April to a level of 320.1 (1967=100). For the 12-month period ended in April, the CPI-U increased 3.7 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) rose 0.4 percent in April, prior to seasonal adjustment. The April 1985 CPI-W level of 316.7 was 4.1-percent higher than the index in April 1984. The CPI-W is used for indexing Social Security and some other Federal payments. It is also commonly used as an escalator in collective bargaining agreements.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)—seasonally adjusted changes

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for All Urban Consumers advanced 0.4 percent in April, following a 0.5-percent increase in March. Somewhat more than half of the April advance was due to increases in petroleum-based energy costs, as both gasoline and fuel oil prices rose sharply. Food prices, however, declined in April, after registering no change in March. Excluding energy and food, the CPI rose 0.3 percent in April. For the first 4 months of 1985, the CPI-U rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 4.2 percent, about the same as the average rate experienced since the fall of 1981.

The transportation component advanced 0.8 percent in April, following a 1.3-percent increase in March. A

3.0-percent increase in the index for motor fuels accounted for nearly all of the April rise in the transportation component. During the past 2 months, gasoline prices rose 6.8 percent, but were, nevertheless, 11.7 percent below their peak level of March 1981. The index for automobile insurance rose 1.0 percent in April and was 9.3 percent above its level a year ago. On the other hand, automobile prices, which increased substantially in the first quarter, turned down in April. New car prices were unchanged and used car prices declined 0.3 percent. Automobile finance charges—down 0.6 percent—declined for the fifth consecutive month. The index for public transportation rose 0.2 percent as a 0.4-percent rise in airline fares was partially offset by a decline in intercity bus fares.

Grocery store food prices—down 0.4 percent in April—declined for the second consecutive month. Declines in the indexes for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs; fruits and vegetables; and dairy products were only partially offset by small increases in the other grocery store food groups. Beef prices continued to decline—down 1.6 percent in April—and were 3.4 percent below their level at the end of 1984. Pork, poultry, and egg prices also declined in April. The index for fresh fruits and vegetables declined for the second consecutive month. Despite the recent declines, the index for fresh fruits and vegetables has increased 2.8 percent since December, due to harsh weather last winter. The other two components of the food and beverage in-

Table A. Percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended 1985	12 months ended April 1985
	1984				1985				
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April		
All items	.3	.2	.3	.2	.3	.5	.4	4.9	3.7
Food and beverages	.3	.2	.4	.2	.5	0	-.2	1.3	2.4
Housing	.1	.2	.2	.1	.4	.3	.4	4.3	3.8
Apparel and upkeep	.7	-.1	-.1	0	.9	.5	0	6.1	3.4
Transportation	.4	.2	.2	.3	-.1	1.3	.8	8.5	3.4
Medical care	.6	.4	.4	.3	.4	.8	.6	7.6	5.9
Entertainment	.3	.4	.6	.3	-.2	0	.3	0.9	3.7
Other goods and services	.4	.5	.3	.9	.6	.4	.4	5.9	6.3

NOTE: Seasonal adjustment factors have been recalculated to reflect developments during 1984. For this reason, some of the seasonally ad-

justed figures above and elsewhere in this release differ from those previously published.

Table B. Percent changes in CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended 1985	12 months ended April 1985
	1984				1985				
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April		
All items	.1	.1	.3	.2	.4	.4	.4	4.8	4.1
Food and beverages	.3	.2	.4	.2	.4	.1	-.2	1.2	2.3
Housing	-.3	-.1	.2	.1	.4	.3	.4	4.4	5.2
Apparel and upkeep	.5	-.1	-.1	-.1	.9	.4	.1	6.3	3.4
Transportation	.3	.1	.2	.3	.1	1.2	.8	8.6	3.2
Medical care	.6	.4	.4	.3	.5	.8	.5	7.2	5.9
Entertainment	.4	.3	.6	.4	-.3	-.1	.5	.5	3.5
Other goods and services	.3	.4	.2	1.0	.6	.3	.4	5.2	6.0

dex—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—were up 0.3 percent and unchanged, respectively, the same as in March.

The housing component rose 0.4 percent in April, following a 0.3-percent rise in March. The indexes for shelter and fuel and utilities—up 0.4 and 0.6 percent, respectively—both registered slightly larger increases than in March. Within the shelter component, renters' and homeowners' costs both increased 0.5 percent, while maintenance and repair costs declined 0.5 percent. Fuel oil prices advanced 3.3 percent in April, following a 0.6-percent rise in March. Despite the recent increases, fuel oil prices were still lower than at the end of 1984 and 13.3 percent below their peak level of April 1981. The index for electricity increased 0.7 percent while charges for natural gas declined 0.5 percent. Telephone service charges declined slightly in April. The index for household furnishings and operations rose 0.1 percent, the same as in March.

The medical care component rose 0.6 percent in April, following a 0.8-percent increase in March. The indexes for both medical care commodities—prescription drugs, non-prescription drugs, and medical supplies—and medical care services increased 0.6 percent. Within medical care services, professional services and hospital rooms advanced 0.4 and 0.6 percent, respectively.

The index for apparel and upkeep was virtually unchanged in April following increases of 0.9 and 0.5 percent in February and March, respectively. Clothing prices were unchanged as a 0.7-percent increase in men's and boys' clothing was offset by declines in the index for women's and girls' clothing, infants' and toddlers' wear, footwear, and other apparel commodities. The index for apparel services increased 0.2 percent.

The entertainment and other goods and services components rose 0.3 and 0.4 percent, respectively, in April.

CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)—seasonally adjusted changes

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers rose 0.4 percent in

April, the same increase as in the CPI-U. (The rental equivalence approach to homeownership has been used in the CPI-W since January 1985. The methodology and samples of areas, items, outlets, and prices are identical in both the CPI-W and the CPI-U, and differences in monthly changes result only from different expenditure patterns and seasonal adjustment factors.)

Changes in frequency of publication for local area CPI's to begin in 1987

The Bureau of Labor Statistics will improve the sample of urban areas in which it gathers prices for monthly preparation of the Consumer Price Index beginning in 1987. At the same time, the Bureau will publish a number of local area CPI's less frequently.

The changes in publication frequency arise from the requirement to allocate the sample to reflect population shifts in the 1980 Census so as to provide the most accurate national CPI possible with the funds available. As a result, some local areas will no longer have samples sufficient to permit more frequent publication.

In addition to the national index for all cities, the Bureau now publishes indexes for 28 urban areas. In 1987, it will continue to publish indexes for all but one of these areas—Northeast Pennsylvania (Scranton-Wilkes-Barre).

Of the remaining 27 published urban areas, 13 will have a reduction in frequency beginning in 1987. The index for Detroit, currently published monthly, will be published only in the even numbered months. Twelve areas now published bimonthly will be compiled on a semiannual average basis. These areas are: Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Kansas City, MO-Kansas City, KS; Milwaukee, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Atlanta, GA; Anchorage, AK; Denver-Boulder, CO; Honolulu, HI; Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA; San Diego, CA; and Seattle-Tacoma, WA. These semi-annual average indexes, which refer to the arithmetic averages of the 6 month periods from January through June and July through December, will be published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, i.e., in the

month of August and February. These series will be compiled and published on their present reference bases, 1967=100 for all areas other than Anchorage, which is on an October 1967 reference base. Also, the Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH, indexes will be published in odd-numbered rather than even-numbered months.

Further details are available from BLS.

Homeownership changes

As announced in October 1981, the Bureau of Labor Statistics has changed the treatment of homeownership costs in the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) effective with release of data for

January 1985. See the last page of the Technical Notes for additional detail.

Relative importance tables

Data are now available from the Bureau's annual publication, *Relative Importance of Components in the Consumer Price Indexes, 1984*, Bulletin 2233. The relative importance (value weights) data in the bulletin can be used in conjunction with the *CPI Detailed Report*. The bulletin may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402; Price, \$1.75; GPO Stock Number, 029-001-02844-0.

Scheduled Release Dates			
Consumer Price Index data are scheduled for initial release on the following dates:			
<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>	<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>
May	June 20	August	September 24
June	July 23	September	October 23
July	August 22	October	November 22

Reconciling Two Measures of Consumer Price Change: First Quarter 1985

This article continues the analysis presented in the October 1984 *CPI Detailed Report* of differences between two major price measures—The Consumer Price Index (CPI-U) published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Implicit Price Deflator for Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE) published by the Bureau of Economic Analysis of the Department of Commerce. More information on the technique of reconciliation appears in the September 1981 *Monthly Labor Review*.¹

Cumulative differences

The reconciliation begins with a comparison of cumulative percent changes in the indexes from the 1972 reference base (1972 = 100) through the first quarter of

1985 (see table C). During this period, the CPI-U increased 153.6 percent to a level of 253.6 while the PCE rose 124.6 percent to a level of 224.6. After increasing 0.9 percentage point in the fourth quarter of 1984, the total cumulative difference between the two measures grew only 0.2 percentage point to a level of 29.0 percent during the first quarter of 1985. Removing the constant residual housing effect (14.1 percent for quarterly data), the remaining cumulative difference of 14.9 percent is attributable to the effects of weighting and “other” differences.²

The impact of weighting differences showed no change from fourth quarter 1984 to first quarter 1985, remaining at a level of 11.7 percentage points. This halt in the quarterly expansion of weighting differences directly follows a 1-point jump which had occurred in the fourth quarter. The “other” effects, which had narrowed slightly in the fourth quarter, expanded in the first quarter of 1985 and now account for a cumulative difference of 3.2 percentage points.

The 1984 annual average indexes for the two price measures show a total cumulative difference of 27.9 percent as of 1984. The average difference due to weighting

¹ Jack E. Triplett, “Reconciling the CPI and PCE Deflator,” *Monthly Labor Review*, September 1981, pp. 3-15. Subsequent reconciliations appeared in the January, May, July, and October 1982 *Review*, and in the February 1983 *Review*.

² “Reconciling Two Measures of Consumer Price Change: Second Quarter 1984,” *CPI Detailed Report*, July 1984, pp. 4-6, for explanation of the residual housing effect. A subsequent reconciliation appeared in the October 1984 *Report*.

³ *Ibid.*, July 1984, p. 5.

Table C. Comparison of cumulative percent changes in CPI indexes and Personal Consumption Expenditure price measures, 1972 to dates shown

(1972 = 100)

Price measure	1972 base period	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1984				1985
									I	II	III	IV	
CPI-U	100.0	155.9	173.5	197.0	217.4	230.7	238.1	248.3	244.9	247.2	249.4	251.6	253.6
PCE: Current weight	100.0	149.1	162.5	179.0	194.5	206.0	213.6	220.4	218.0	219.2	221.5	222.8	224.6
Difference: Total effect	0	6.8	11.0	18.0	22.9	24.7	24.5	27.9	26.9	28.0	27.9	28.8	29.0
PCE: 1972 weight	100.0	151.6	166.3	184.8	202.1	213.9	222.4	231.1	228.2	230.0	232.2	234.5	236.3
PCE: Current weight	100.0	149.1	162.5	179.0	194.5	206.0	213.6	220.4	218.0	219.2	221.5	222.8	224.6
Difference: Weighting effect	0	2.5	3.8	5.8	7.6	7.9	8.8	10.7	10.2	10.8	10.7	11.7	11.7
CPI-U	100.0	155.9	173.5	197.0	217.4	230.7							
CPI-X1	100.0	152.0	166.6	185.3	202.9	215.4							
Difference: Housing effect	0	3.9	6.9	11.7	14.5	15.3							
CPI-X1/CPI-U ¹	100.0	152.0	166.6	185.3	202.9	215.4	238.1	248.3	244.9	247.2	249.4	251.6	253.6
PCE: 1972 weight	100.0	151.6	166.3	184.8	202.1	213.9	222.4	231.1	228.2	230.0	232.2	234.5	236.3
Difference: Other effect ²	0	.4	.3	.5	.8	1.5	.4	1.9	2.6	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.2

¹ CPI-U replaces CPI-U-X1 beginning 1983.

² After 1982, the difference has been reduced by an additional constant

cumulative housing effect—15.3 percent for annual data, 14.1 percent for quarterly data.

Table D. Comparison of annual or quarterly percent changes in CPI indexes and Personal Consumption Expenditure price measures, 1977-85¹

Price measure	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1984				1985
									I	II	III	IV	
CPI-U	6.5	7.7	11.3	13.5	10.4	6.1	3.2	4.3	5.2	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.2
PCE: Chain weight	6.0	7.3	9.3	10.7	9.2	6.1	4.1	3.9	4.7	3.3	3.9	3.6	4.7
Difference: Total effect	.5	.4	2.0	2.8	1.2	0	-.9	.4	.5	.4	-.2	0	-1.5
PCE: 1972 weight	6.2	7.4	9.7	11.1	9.4	5.9	4.0	3.9	4.9	3.1	4.0	3.6	4.6
PCE: Chain weight	6.0	7.3	9.3	10.7	9.2	6.1	4.1	3.9	4.7	3.3	3.9	3.6	4.7
Difference: Weighting effect	.2	.1	.4	.4	.2	-.2	-.1	0	.2	-.2	.1	0	-.1
CPI-U	6.5	7.7	11.3	13.5	10.4	6.1	3.2						
CPI-X1 ²	6.4	6.8	9.6	11.2	9.5	6.1	4.1						
Difference: Housing effect	.1	.9	1.7	2.3	.9	0	-.9						
CPI-X1/CPI-U ³	6.4	6.8	9.6	11.2	9.5	6.1	4.1	4.3	5.2	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.2
PCE: 1972 weight	6.2	7.4	9.7	11.1	9.4	5.9	4.0	3.9	4.9	3.1	4.0	3.6	4.6
Difference: Other effect ²	.2	-.6	-.1	.1	.1	.2	.1	.4	.3	.6	-.3	0	-1.4

¹ Annual average percent changes for the CPI-U and CPI-U-X1 are calculated from indexes on a 1967 reference base.

² CPI-X1 for January through December 1983, moved by CPI-U relative of

change thereafter.

³ CPI-U with second quarter 1983. For annual 1982 and first quarter 1983, see footnote 2.

effects during the year was 10.7 percent, up from 8.8 percent in 1983. "Other" effects account for the remaining 1.9 percentage points after 15.3 points have been removed to adjust for the constant residual housing effect.

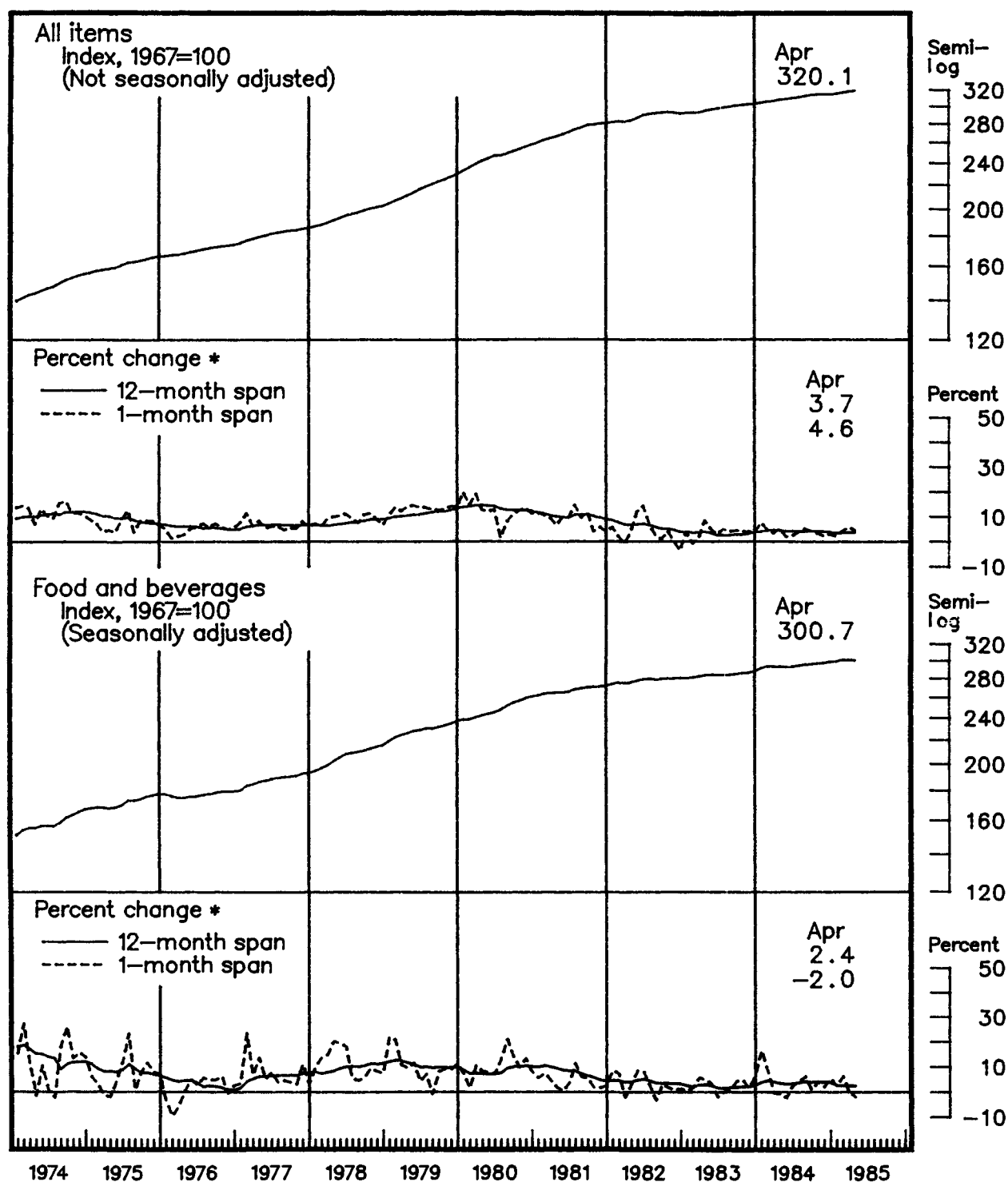
Period-to-period differences

Analysis of differences in the annual and quarterly rates of change in the CPI and PCE (see table D) makes use of the chain-weight PCE in place of the current-weight PCE.³ This PCE index increased 4.7 percent during the first quarter, 1.5 percent more than the 3.2-percent increase in the CPI-U. During the fourth quarter of 1984, both measures had shown increases of 3.6 percent. Chain-weighting the PCE resulted in a first quarter annualized rate which was 0.1 percentage point

higher than the comparable PCE rate using fixed 1972 weights. The first-quarter rates for the CPI-U and the fixed-weight PCE, which determine the "other" effects, showed a 1.4-percent difference after no difference in the fourth quarter of 1984. Differences in methods used for calculating health and automobile insurance costs contributed substantially to this sudden rise in "other" effects.

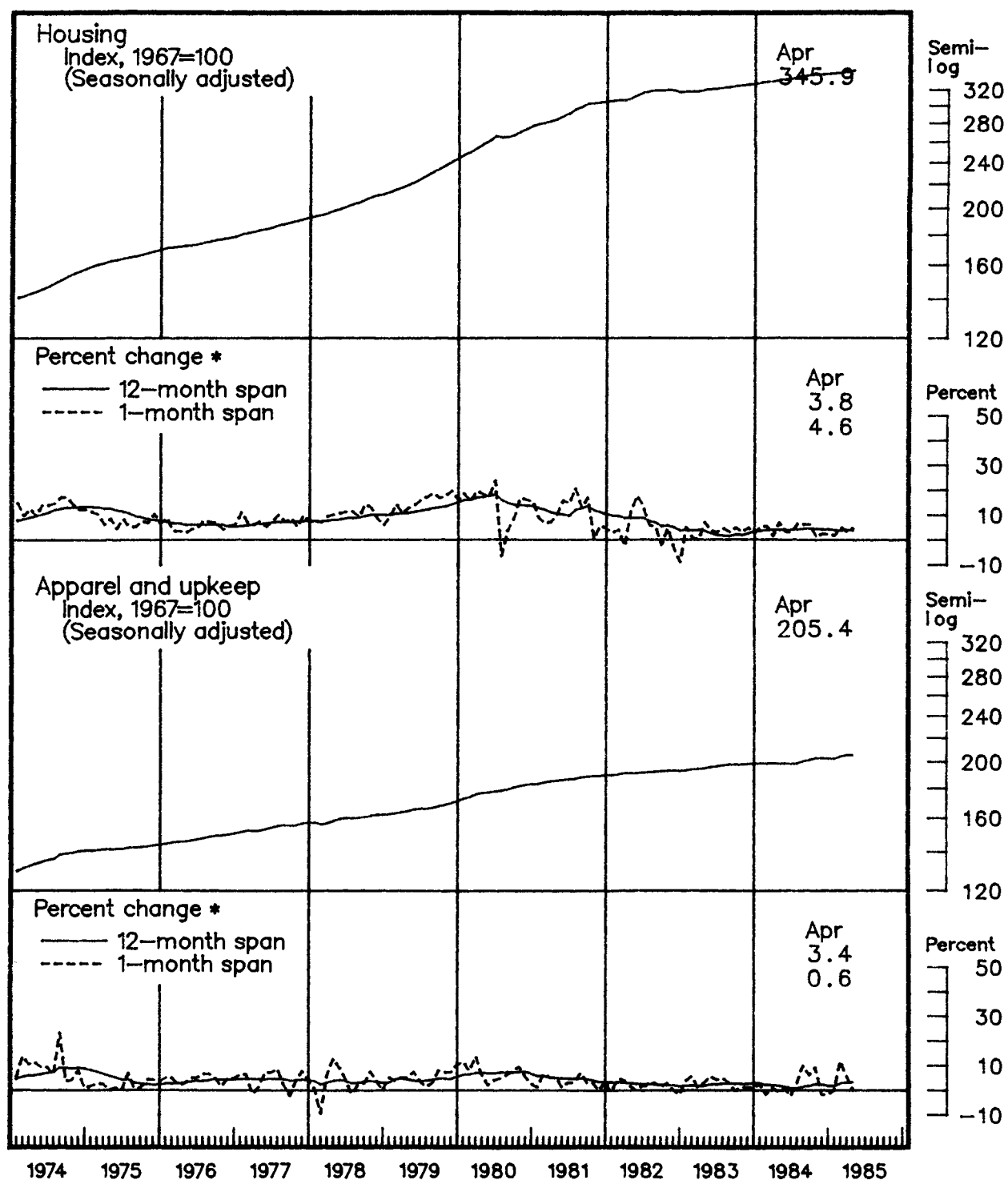
On an annual average basis, the CPI-U increased 4.3 percent in 1984. This increase was 0.4 percent higher than the 3.9-percent rise in the chain-weighted PCE. The fixed-weight PCE also advanced 3.9 percent, indicating no measurable impact of the annual weighting factor in 1984. "Other" effects increased 0.4 percent and accounted for all of the overall difference between the CPI and PCE in 1984.

Chart 1. CPI-U: All items, food and beverages, 1974-85



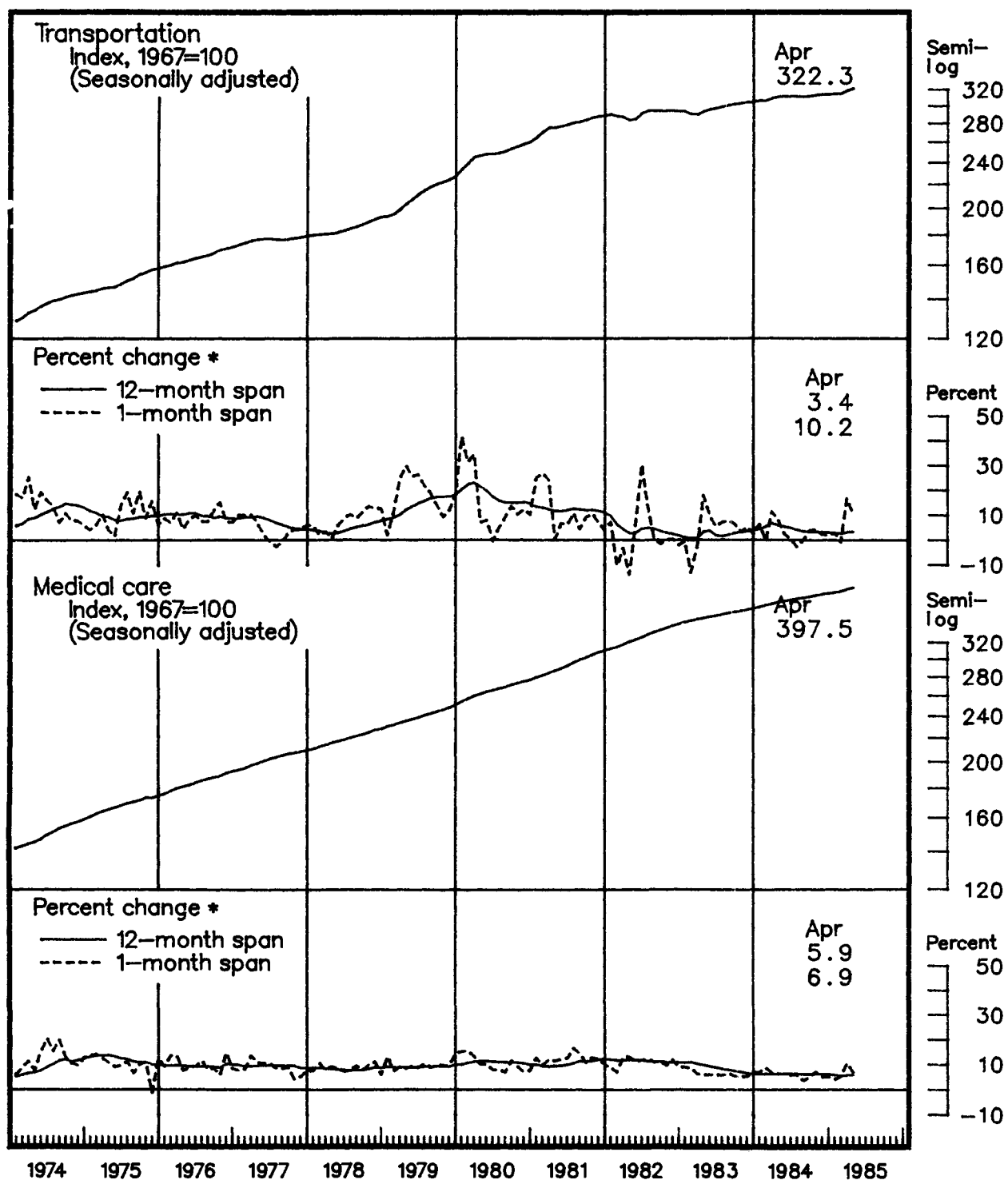
* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

Chart 2. CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1974-85



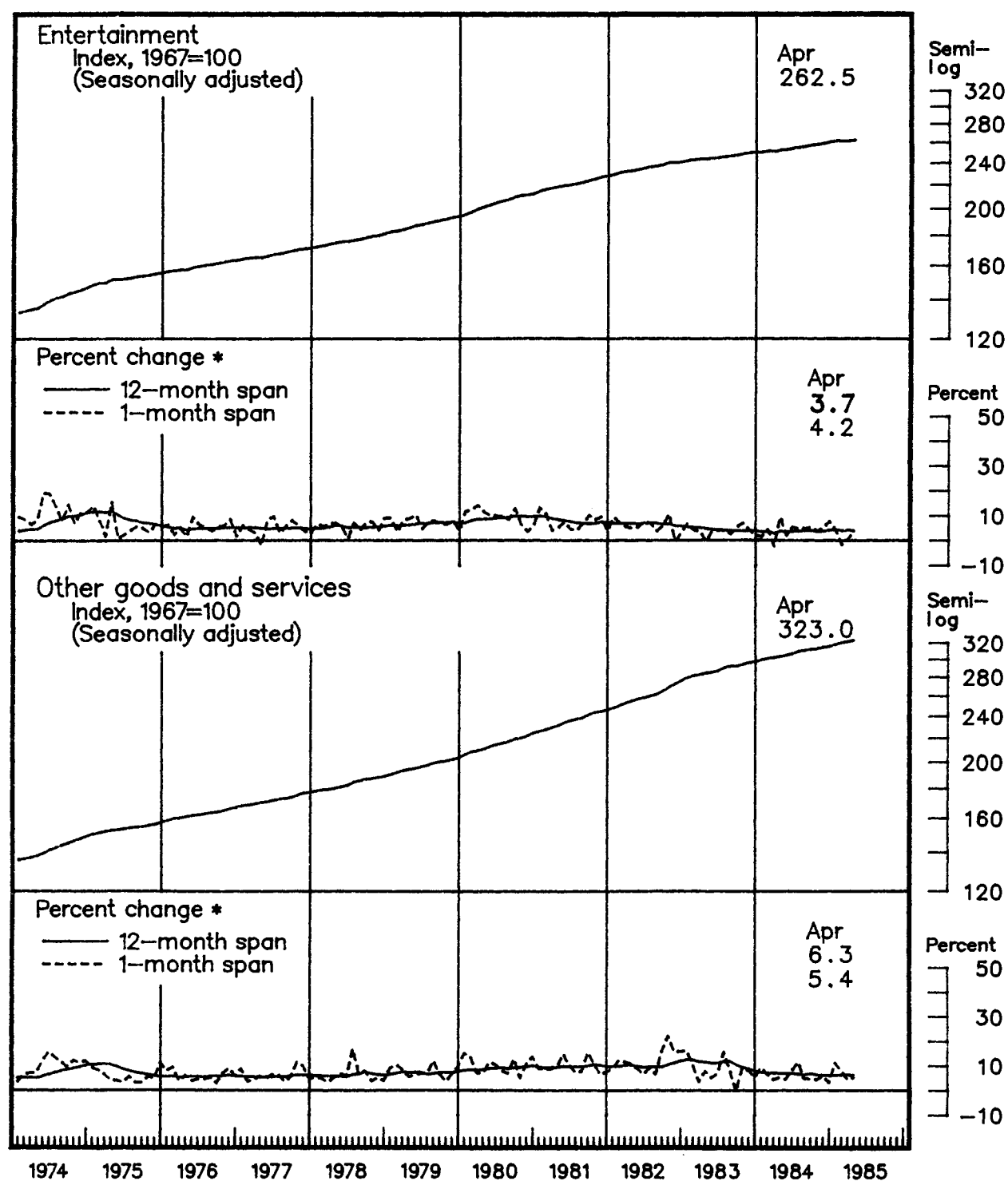
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Chart 3. CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1974-85



* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

Chart 4. CPI-U: Entertainment, other goods and services, 1974-85



* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	318.8	320.1	3.7	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
All items(1957-59= 100)	-	370.7	372.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.798	301.6	301.6	2.4	.0	.5	.0	-2
Food	18.711	309.7	309.6	2.4	.0	.5	.0	-2
Food at home	12.583	298.4	297.7	1.7	-.2	.6	-.2	-.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.710	314.4	314.8	4.0	.1	.4	.2	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.971	266.1	263.6	-2.6	-.9	-.2	.0	-1.0
Dairy products ¹	1.641	258.9	258.3	2.7	-.2	.2	-.1	-.2
Fruits and vegetables	1.922	332.1	333.2	5.7	.3	2.9	-1.4	-.5
Other food at home	3.339	360.5	360.8	2.8	.1	.3	.2	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	.483	394.8	396.1	2.2	.3	.1	.0	.3
Fats and oils ¹	.366	294.9	294.0	4.1	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.364	454.0	454.0	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Other prepared foods ¹	1.126	292.2	292.8	3.2	.2	.7	.2	.2
Food away from home	6.128	342.6	343.9	3.9	.4	.4	.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages	1.087	226.5	226.7	2.4	.1	.4	.0	.0
Housing	37.702	344.7	345.9	3.8	.3	.4	.3	.4
Shelter	21.789	374.3	375.9	5.1	.4	.6	.3	.4
Renters' costs ²	7.141	112.9	113.5	5.7	.5	.5	.4	.5
Rent, residential ¹	6.198	259.2	260.4	5.7	.5	.5	.3	.5
Other renters' costs	.943	386.1	390.9	5.3	1.2	.8	1.1	.7
Homeowners' costs ^{1 2}	14.122	110.8	111.3	4.8	.5	.6	.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ^{1 2}	13.728	110.9	111.3	4.8	.4	.6	.2	.4
Household insurance ^{1 2}	.395	110.4	111.4	5.0	.9	.5	.8	.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹	.525	370.0	368.0	3.3	-.5	.2	.9	-.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹	.294	422.2	418.2	2.5	-.9	.3	1.5	-.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	.232	270.6	270.4	4.3	-.1	.2	.0	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	8.229	388.2	388.7	2.0	.1	-.3	.4	.6
Fuels	5.958	482.2	483.0	1.5	.2	-.2	.3	.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.308	620.8	623.5	-4.2	.4	-1.5	.4	2.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.651	445.5	445.9	3.1	.1	.1	.3	.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.271	236.3	236.4	3.6	.0	-.4	.9	.0
Household furnishings and operation	7.685	246.9	247.9	2.3	.4	.6	.1	.1
Housefurnishings	3.875	200.6	201.7	.9	.5	.7	-.4	.0
Housekeeping supplies	1.643	311.8	312.6	3.6	.3	.0	.2	.1
Housekeeping services ¹	2.166	337.4	337.9	3.7	.1	.8	1.0	.1
Apparel and upkeep	5.060	205.3	205.9	3.4	.3	.9	.5	.0
Apparel commodities	4.261	191.3	191.8	3.0	.3	1.0	.5	.0
Men's and boys' apparel	1.389	195.2	197.4	3.6	1.1	.2	.2	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	1.545	169.9	170.0	4.2	.1	1.1	.7	-.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.116	302.1	295.3	2.1	-2.3	2.9	1.1	-2.3
Footwear	.645	213.1	213.2	2.1	.0	.8	.8	-.3
Other apparel commodities ¹	.566	216.9	215.8	-.8	-.5	1.6	.6	-.5
Apparel services	.799	317.1	318.4	5.6	.4	.9	.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	21.630	316.7	320.0	3.4	1.0	-0.1	1.3	0.8
Private transportation	20.053	311.0	314.6	3.2	1.2	-.1	1.3	.9
New vehicles	3.859	213.8	213.9	3.4	.0	.9	.5	.0
New cars	3.441	214.1	214.1	3.2	.0	.8	.5	.0
Used cars	4.600	386.1	386.4	4.4	.1	1.9	1.0	-.3
Motor fuel	5.508	360.6	374.2	.0	3.8	-2.6	3.8	3.0
Gasoline		360.0	373.8	-.1	3.8	-2.5	3.6	3.1
Maintenance and repair	1.695	348.5	348.2	2.7	-.1	.3	.1	-.1
Other private transportation ¹	4.392	284.5	285.8	6.2	.5	.2	.0	.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹	.651	201.9	202.8	.2	.4	.9	-.9	.4
Other private transportation services ¹	3.741	309.1	310.5	7.3	.5	.1	.2	.5
Public transportation ¹	1.577	397.3	398.0	5.3	.2	.0	.7	.2
Medical care	6.269	396.5	398.0	5.9	.4	.4	.8	.6
Medical care commodities	1.046	251.9	253.9	7.2	.8	.6	.5	.6
Medical care services	5.223	428.1	429.4	5.7	.3	.4	.9	.6
Professional services	2.409	361.9	363.0	6.0	.3	.4	.7	.4
Other medical care services	2.814	508.0	509.6	5.4	.3	.4	1.1	.7
Entertainment	4.222	262.2	263.3	3.7	.4	-.2	.0	.3
Entertainment commodities	2.445	258.7	259.5	2.4	.3	-.2	-.2	.2
Entertainment services ¹	1.777	267.6	269.2	5.6	.6	-.1	.3	.6
Other goods and services	5.319	321.1	321.8	6.3	.2	.6	.4	.4
Tobacco products ¹	1.485	323.7	324.0	5.9	.1	.7	.2	.1
Personal care ¹	1.868	278.7	279.8	4.1	.4	.4	.2	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	.854	276.0	277.1	3.7	.4	.5	.2	.4
Personal care services ¹	1.014	282.0	283.3	4.4	.5	.2	.1	.5
Personal and educational expenses	1.966	387.6	388.3	8.8	.2	.8	.7	.8
School books and supplies	.241	343.9	344.5	8.5	.2	.8	.8	.9
Personal and educational services	1.726	397.8	398.5	8.9	.2	.8	.7	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	318.8	320.1	3.7	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
Commodities	51.805	285.3	286.8	2.4	.5	.3	.5	.3
Food and beverages	19.798	301.6	301.6	2.4	.0	.5	.0	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	32.007	272.8	275.1	2.4	.8	.1	.9	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	18.807	277.9	281.5	2.1	1.3	.1	1.2	1.3
Apparel commodities	4.261	191.3	191.8	3.0	.3	1.0	.5	.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	14.546	327.1	332.3	1.9	1.6	-.1	.9	1.6
Durables	13.199	271.9	272.6	2.8	.3	1.0	.4	-.3
Services	48.195	375.0	376.2	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	20.786	111.5	112.0	5.1	.4	.6	.2	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.859	109.7	109.8	3.4	.1	.0	.7	.1
Transportation services	7.012	333.2	334.1	5.8	.3	.1	.3	.3
Medical care services	5.223	428.1	429.4	5.7	.3	.4	.9	.6
Other services	5.316	308.6	309.9	6.4	.4	.4	.4	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Commodity and service group						
Special indexes:								
All items less food	81.289	319.1	320.8	4.0	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.5
All items less shelter	78.211	301.5	302.8	3.3	.4	.3	.6	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	85.878	108.7	109.2	3.5	.5	.3	.6	.4
All items less medical care	93.731	314.5	315.8	3.5	.4	.3	.4	.3
Commodities less food	33.094	270.6	272.8	2.4	.8	.1	.9	.6
Nondurables less food ¹	19.894	273.2	276.5	2.1	1.2	.2	1.1	1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	15.634	313.5	318.1	1.9	1.5	.0	.9	1.5
Nondurables	38.606	291.0	292.7	2.2	.6	.0	.8	.4
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.409	111.9	112.2	5.1	.3	.2	.5	.3
Services less medical care ¹	42.972	366.9	368.1	5.0	.3	.3	.4	.3
Energy	11.466	416.6	424.4	.7	1.9	-1.4	1.9	1.8
All items less energy	88.534	312.0	312.7	4.1	.2	.5	.3	.2
All items less food and energy	69.823	310.8	311.8	4.5	.3	.6	.4	.3
Commodities less food and energy	26.279	259.3	260.0	3.3	.3	.8	.3	.0
Energy commodities	6.815	398.3	410.8	-8	3.1	-2.4	3.1	3.0
Services less energy	43.544	369.4	370.7	5.3	.4	.4	.4	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.314	\$.312	-3.7	-.6	-.3	-.3	-.6
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.270	.269	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.7	4.3	2.6	4.9	3.5	3.7
Food and beverages	299.7	301.2	301.2	300.7	1.4	3.7	3.3	1.3	2.5	2.3
Food	307.7	309.3	309.2	308.7	1.3	3.8	3.0	1.3	2.5	2.2
Food at home	296.6	298.3	297.8	296.7	-5	4.0	3.0	.1	1.7	1.6
Cereals and bakery products ¹	312.4	313.7	314.4	314.8	5.1	2.8	4.9	3.1	3.9	4.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	266.2	265.6	265.6	262.9	-8.6	-2	4.0	-4.9	-4.5	-5
Dairy products ¹	258.8	259.2	258.9	258.3	1.1	6.3	4.3	-8	3.7	1.7
Fruits and vegetables	325.4	334.7	330.1	328.3	2.7	15.5	1.5	3.6	8.9	2.5
Other food at home	357.5	358.6	359.3	359.9	4.2	2.1	2.3	2.7	3.1	2.5
Sugar and sweets ¹	394.5	394.8	394.8	396.1	4.3	1.5	1.2	1.6	2.9	1.4
Fats and oils ¹	295.9	295.1	294.9	294.0	13.4	4.9	1.4	-2.5	9.0	-6
Nonalcoholic beverages	448.5	449.6	450.8	451.7	3.4	.6	2.3	2.9	2.0	2.6
Other prepared foods ¹	289.6	291.5	292.2	292.8	2.3	3.4	2.5	4.5	2.8	3.5
Food away from home	339.9	341.4	342.3	343.2	5.1	3.3	3.5	3.9	4.2	3.7
Alcoholic beverages	225.2	226.0	226.0	226.0	2.9	3.3	2.2	1.4	3.1	1.8
Housing	342.3	343.7	344.6	345.9	4.3	4.5	2.1	4.3	4.4	3.2
Shelter	371.0	373.2	374.2	375.7	5.6	5.5	4.0	5.2	5.6	4.6
Renters' costs ²	111.8	112.4	112.9	113.5	5.7	6.0	5.2	6.2	5.9	5.7
Rent, residential ¹	257.1	258.4	259.2	260.4	5.5	6.7	5.3	5.2	6.1	5.3
Other renters' costs	380.0	383.0	387.3	390.1	5.2	3.6	1.5	11.1	4.4	6.2
Homeowners' costs ^{1 2}	110.0	110.7	110.8	111.3	5.4	5.7	3.3	4.8	5.5	4.1
Owners' equivalent rent ^{1 2}	110.0	110.7	110.9	111.3	5.8	5.3	3.3	4.8	5.5	4.1
Household insurance ^{1 2}	109.0	109.5	110.4	111.4	2.3	7.7	1.1	9.1	5.0	5.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹	366.0	366.8	370.0	368.0	4.6	1.5	5.0	2.2	3.0	3.6
Maintenance and repair services ¹	414.7	415.8	422.2	418.2	3.5	2.7	.3	3.4	3.1	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	269.9	270.5	270.6	270.4	6.2	-3	11.1	.7	2.9	5.8
Fuel and other utilities	389.1	388.1	389.8	392.0	5.0	1.3	-1.2	3.0	3.1	.9
Fuels	483.5	482.5	484.0	487.7	5.3	.3	-3.2	3.5	2.8	.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	613.0	604.1	606.8	624.7	-6.2	-4.4	-12.9	7.9	-5.3	-3.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	448.9	449.5	450.7	451.5	9.0	1.7	-1	2.3	5.3	1.1
Other utilities and public services ¹	235.3	234.3	236.3	236.4	4.3	4.0	4.2	1.9	4.2	3.0
Household furnishings and operation	244.9	246.3	246.6	246.8	.2	4.7	1.2	3.1	2.4	2.1
Housefurnishings	199.8	201.1	200.2	200.3	-2.2	5.8	-1.0	1.0	1.7	.0
Housekeeping supplies	310.5	310.6	311.2	311.4	3.6	4.3	5.5	1.2	4.0	3.3
Housekeeping services ¹	331.3	333.9	337.4	337.9	2.4	3.2	1.3	8.2	2.8	4.7
Apparel and upkeep	202.4	204.3	205.3	205.4	.4	8.5	-1.2	6.1	4.4	2.4
Apparel commodities	188.4	190.2	191.2	191.2	-.6	8.9	-2.3	6.1	4.0	1.8
Men's and boys' apparel	195.3	195.7	196.0	197.4	2.3	5.8	1.7	4.4	4.0	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel	166.1	168.0	169.2	169.0	-4.4	19.2	-3.8	7.2	6.8	1.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	290.3	298.8	302.1	295.3	-10.6	15.6	-1.8	7.1	1.7	2.6
Footwear	209.9	211.6	213.3	212.6	2.1	3.9	-3.0	5.2	3.0	1.0
Other apparel commodities ¹	212.2	215.5	216.9	215.8	.7	-3.6	-6.9	7.0	-1.5	-2
Apparel services	313.1	316.0	316.8	317.4	6.3	6.4	4.2	5.6	6.4	4.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Expenditure category										
Transportation	315.8	315.6	319.7	322.3	0.0	2.7	2.4	8.5	1.4	5.4
Private transportation	310.4	310.2	314.3	317.0	-8	2.6	2.5	8.8	.9	5.6
New vehicles	211.2	213.0	214.0	214.1	1.2	5.3	1.5	5.6	3.2	3.5
New cars	211.6	213.3	214.3	214.3	1.2	5.1	1.5	5.2	3.1	3.3
Used cars	383.2	390.5	394.4	393.1	7.5	-5.3	5.5	10.7	.9	8.1
Motor fuel	363.8	354.2	367.6	378.7	-13.5	2.4	-3.9	17.4	-5.9	6.2
Gasoline	363.0	354.1	367.0	378.3	-14.1	2.8	-4.1	18.0	-6.0	6.4
Maintenance and repair	347.2	348.2	348.5	348.2	3.6	3.3	2.8	1.2	3.5	2.0
Other private transportation ¹	283.9	284.4	284.5	285.8	5.2	9.6	7.7	2.7	7.3	5.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹	202.0	203.8	201.9	202.8	-3.5	-3.2	6.2	1.6	-3.3	3.9
Other private transportation services ¹	308.3	308.5	309.1	310.5	6.8	11.9	7.9	2.9	9.3	5.4
Public transportation ¹	394.5	394.4	397.3	398.0	12.5	1.9	3.5	3.6	7.1	3.6
Medical care	390.3	392.0	395.3	397.5	6.0	5.2	4.7	7.6	5.6	6.2
Medical care commodities	249.2	250.6	251.9	253.4	7.1	6.6	8.3	6.9	6.9	7.6
Medical care services	421.0	422.7	426.5	428.9	5.8	4.9	4.4	7.7	5.4	6.0
Professional services	357.2	358.6	361.2	362.6	5.2	6.6	5.8	6.2	5.9	6.0
Other medical care services	498.7	500.7	506.0	509.6	6.3	3.6	3.0	9.0	4.9	6.0
Entertainment	261.9	261.5	261.6	262.5	4.0	4.6	5.7	.9	4.3	3.3
Entertainment commodities	258.4	257.9	257.4	258.0	2.7	3.2	4.6	-6	3.0	2.0
Entertainment services ¹	267.0	266.7	267.6	269.2	5.8	6.8	6.5	3.3	6.3	4.9
Other goods and services	318.4	320.4	321.6	323.0	8.0	4.6	6.7	5.9	6.3	6.3
Tobacco products ¹	321.0	323.2	323.7	324.0	9.9	1.8	8.4	3.8	5.8	6.1
Personal care ¹	277.2	278.2	278.7	279.8	4.4	4.3	3.7	3.8	4.4	3.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	274.0	275.4	276.0	277.1	4.4	2.7	3.0	4.6	3.5	3.8
Personal care services ¹	281.1	281.7	282.0	283.3	4.3	5.5	4.5	3.2	4.9	3.8
Personal and educational expenses	381.8	385.0	387.8	390.9	9.9	7.3	8.1	9.9	8.6	9.0
School books and supplies	336.3	339.1	341.8	344.8	10.2	4.1	9.2	10.5	7.1	9.8
Personal and educational services	392.4	395.7	398.6	401.7	9.9	7.7	8.1	9.8	8.8	9.0
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.7	4.3	2.6	4.9	3.5	3.7
Commodities	283.6	284.4	285.9	286.9	.0	3.2	2.0	4.7	1.6	3.4
Food and beverages	299.7	301.2	301.2	300.7	1.4	3.7	3.3	1.3	2.5	2.3
Commodities less food and beverages	271.1	271.5	273.9	275.7	-7	2.7	.9	7.0	1.0	3.9
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	274.4	274.7	277.9	281.5	-2.0	6.4	-5.9	10.8	2.1	2.1
Apparel commodities	188.4	190.2	191.2	191.2	-6	8.9	-2.3	6.1	4.0	1.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	324.5	324.2	327.1	332.3	-5	2.0	-3.5	10.0	.7	3.0
Durables	270.7	273.3	274.4	273.7	.6	2.1	4.1	4.5	1.4	4.3
Services	372.3	373.8	375.4	376.8	6.2	5.4	3.5	4.9	5.8	4.2
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	110.6	111.3	111.5	112.0	5.7	5.7	3.7	5.2	5.7	4.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	108.9	108.9	109.7	109.8	13.8	.7	-3.6	3.3	7.1	-2
Transportation services	331.8	332.1	333.0	333.9	7.3	7.4	5.5	2.6	7.3	4.0
Medical care services	421.0	422.7	426.5	428.9	5.8	4.9	4.4	7.7	5.4	6.0
Other services	306.6	307.8	309.1	310.9	6.9	6.8	6.4	5.7	6.8	6.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Commodity and service group										
Special indexes:										
All items less food	316.9	317.8	319.7	321.2	3.3	4.3	2.7	5.5	3.8	4.1
All items less shelter	299.6	300.4	302.1	303.1	2.2	3.8	2.3	4.8	3.0	3.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	108.1	108.4	109.0	109.4	2.3	4.2	2.6	4.9	3.2	3.8
All items less medical care	312.6	313.6	315.0	316.1	2.6	4.1	2.9	4.6	3.4	3.7
Commodities less food	269.0	269.4	271.7	273.4	-6	2.6	.9	6.7	1.0	3.8
Nondurables less food ¹	269.7	270.2	273.2	276.5	-1.8	6.2	-5.6	10.5	2.2	2.1
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	310.9	310.8	313.5	318.1	-3	2.1	-3.3	9.6	.9	3.0
Nondurables	288.9	288.9	291.3	292.4	-1	3.4	1.0	4.9	1.6	2.9
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.1	111.3	111.9	112.2	8.5	6.0	1.8	4.0	7.2	2.9
Services less medical care ¹	364.3	365.5	366.9	368.1	7.6	6.0	2.2	4.2	6.8	3.2
Energy	419.8	414.1	422.1	429.9	-4.2	1.3	-3.4	10.0	-1.5	3.1
All items less energy	309.5	311.2	312.1	312.6	3.8	4.6	3.7	4.1	4.2	3.9
All items less food and energy	308.2	309.9	311.1	311.9	4.5	4.9	3.7	4.9	4.7	4.3
Commodities less food and energy	257.3	259.3	260.1	260.2	2.7	3.2	2.7	4.6	3.0	3.6
Energy commodities	400.2	390.5	402.8	415.0	-12.1	1.1	-5.5	15.6	-5.8	4.5
Services less energy	366.6	368.1	369.7	371.1	5.8	5.8	4.5	5.0	5.8	4.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food and beverages		301.6	301.6	2.4	0.0	0.5	0.0	-0.2
Food		309.7	309.6	2.4	.0	.5	.0	-.2
Food at home		298.4	297.7	1.7	-.2	.6	-.2	-.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		314.4	314.8	4.0	.1	.4	.2	.1
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	168.1	168.2	3.5	.1	1.0	.2	.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	148.9	147.5	2.6	-.9	1.2	.7	-.9
Cereal ¹	12/77	193.0	193.9	5.4	.5	1.3	.6	.5
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	150.5	150.7	1.0	.1	-.2	1.0	.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	165.7	166.0	4.1	.2	.2	.1	.2
White bread ¹		266.8	266.2	3.1	-.2	.0	-.1	-.2
Other bread ¹	12/77	158.6	160.2	3.6	1.0	1.3	.3	1.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	163.3	161.4	1.4	-1.2	1.4	-.5	-1.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	12/77	169.4	169.9	5.4	.3	-.4	.3	.3
Cookies	12/77	171.9	172.2	5.1	.2	-.2	.5	-.2
Crackers and bread and cracker products ¹	12/77	168.6	170.3	8.7	1.0	1.0	.4	1.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeeecake, and donuts ¹	12/77	163.8	165.0	3.1	.7	.1	-.7	.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ¹	12/77	174.2	174.8	5.3	.3	-.3	1.0	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		266.1	263.6	-2.6	-.9	-.2	.0	-1.0
Meats, poultry, and fish		273.7	271.2	-.6	-.9	-.4	-.3	-1.0
Meats		269.5	266.4	-.9	-1.2	-.4	-.3	-1.2
Beef and veal		275.3	273.7	-2.5	-.6	-1.0	-.1	-1.6
Ground beef other than canned		256.4	256.1	-2.5	-.1	-.5	-.2	-.9
Chuck roast		280.0	275.1	-4.1	-1.8	-.8	-1.1	-2.5
Round roast		240.2	238.8	-4.8	-.6	-1.5	1.2	-1.3
Round steak		257.1	255.4	-2.7	-.7	-1.0	-.4	-1.9
Sirloin steak		274.7	273.5	-3.8	-.4	-1.8	.4	-3.2
Other beef and veal	12/77	171.1	170.2	-1.1	-.5	-1.3	.3	-1.6
Pork		256.5	249.0	.5	-2.9	.3	-.3	-1.4
Bacon		278.6	277.8	7.3	-.3	-.5	2.4	1.9
Chops		233.7	226.1	-2.9	-3.3	1.6	-2.0	-2.8
Ham other than canned	12/77	119.5	108.2	-.9	-9.5	1.5	.8	-5.3
Sausage ¹		320.2	316.2	.4	-1.2	-.8	-.5	-1.2
Canned ham		257.4	250.2	1.3	-2.8	1.5	-.1	-.4
Other pork	12/77	137.3	135.9	-1.0	-1.0	-1.2	-.8	-.2
Other meats ¹		268.6	269.1	1.7	.2	.3	-.7	.2
Frankfurters ¹		266.9	267.8	2.0	.3	.6	-.9	.3
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ¹	12/77	156.4	158.2	3.5	1.2	.8	-.3	1.2
Other lunchmeats ¹	12/77	137.0	136.4	.8	-.4	.0	-.9	-.4
Lamb and organ meats ¹	12/77	140.2	140.1	.9	-.1	-.3	-.6	-.1
Poultry ¹		217.3	216.7	-2.5	-.3	1.0	-1.0	-.3
Fresh whole chicken ¹		215.7	215.0	-7.0	-.3	1.0	-.4	-.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	140.9	140.3	-6.5	-.4	1.1	-1.7	-.4
Other poultry ¹	12/77	141.6	141.6	10.6	.0	.6	-1.1	.0
Fish and seafood		403.3	402.8	4.0	-.1	-1.2	.5	.0
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.7	133.0	.2	-.5	-.7	.1	-.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	165.4	165.5	5.9	.1	-2.4	.7	.3
Eggs		172.1	169.9	-31.9	-1.3	3.1	5.8	-1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Dairy products ¹		258.9	258.3	2.7	-0.2	0.2	-0.1	-0.2
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.6	140.2	2.5	-.3	.2	.1	-.3
Fresh whole milk		229.7	229.1	2.4	-.3	.1	.0	-.3
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	141.2	140.8	2.5	-.3	.4	-.2	-.3
Processed dairy products ¹		154.4	154.2	3.1	-.1	.2	-.3	-.1
Butter ¹		263.9	259.6	2.9	-1.6	-.6	-.4	-1.6
Cheese ¹		150.5	149.9	2.3	-.4	.3	-.2	-.4
Ice cream and related products ¹		162.1	162.4	3.8	.2	.2	-.3	.2
Other dairy products ¹	12/77	152.8	154.7	4.4	1.2	.0	-.1	1.2
Fruits and vegetables		332.1	333.2	5.7	.3	2.9	-1.4	-.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables		352.1	353.5	8.3	.4	4.3	-3.2	-.2
Fresh fruits		362.9	367.2	20.7	1.2	1.5	-1.6	-.9
Apples		321.4	328.8	9.9	2.3	3.5	-2.1	.2
Bananas		281.6	301.2	9.4	7.0	4.1	.5	2.9
Oranges		437.4	444.3	43.6	1.6	2.5	-2.6	-2.1
Other fresh fruits	12/77	193.2	191.7	18.7	-.8	2.0	-3.0	-2.2
Fresh vegetables		342.0	340.8	-1.9	-.4	2.3	1.1	-2.3
Potatoes		338.3	342.9	-6.6	1.4	-1.4	-.1	-1.6
Lettuce ¹		306.7	263.5	7.8	-14.1	-11.9	-9.7	-14.1
Tomatoes ¹		322.4	410.0	46.2	27.2	18.7	14.2	27.2
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	199.5	191.5	-12.5	-4.0	10.9	-6.4	-2.2
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		313.0	313.8	2.6	.3	.7	.1	.3
Processed fruits	12/77	167.6	168.5	4.2	.5	.2	-.4	.7
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	172.3	173.3	6.2	.6	-.8	.3	.7
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	169.9	171.1	4.8	.7	.4	-.8	.7
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	161.3	161.6	1.8	.2	.4	.2	.2
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.1	147.1	1.0	.0	.3	-.3	.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	159.0	160.0	2.6	.6	.4	-.4	.6
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ¹	12/77	150.2	149.7	.8	-.3	-.5	.1	-.3
Other canned and dried vegetables ¹	12/77	139.6	139.2	.2	-.3	.6	-.4	-.3
Other foods at home		360.5	360.8	2.8	.1	.3	.2	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		394.8	396.1	2.2	.3	.1	.0	.3
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	163.4	164.2	3.5	.5	.3	-.1	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.8	169.3	-1.5	-.9	-.2	-.4	-.9
Other sweets ¹	12/77	160.6	162.7	3.7	1.3	.6	-.2	1.3
Fats and oils ¹		294.9	294.0	4.1	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.3
Margarine ¹		297.6	297.0	5.9	-.2	-.5	.3	-.2
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ¹	12/77	159.9	160.0	3.7	.1	-.3	.1	.1
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ¹	12/77	152.3	151.6	3.3	-.5	-.2	-.3	-.5
Nonalcoholic beverages		454.0	454.0	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		326.4	325.5	1.5	-.3	.5	.0	.0
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	149.7	150.3	-.7	.4	-.1	.5	.5
Roasted coffee ¹		381.4	378.9	2.8	-.7	.9	.5	-.7
Freeze dried and instant coffee ¹		376.5	378.9	4.6	.6	.5	.3	.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	153.6	153.8	6.3	.1	.7	.6	.6
Other prepared foods ¹		292.2	292.8	3.2	.2	.7	.2	.2
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	149.8	150.7	4.2	.6	.1	-.5	.3
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	165.7	165.8	4.1	.1	1.0	.2	.1
Snacks ¹	12/77	169.5	169.3	3.9	-.1	1.1	.0	-.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	168.0	167.9	2.7	-.1	-.1	-.4	.2
Other condiments	12/77	161.6	162.6	3.2	.6	-.1	.2	.6
Miscellaneous prepared foods ¹	12/77	159.6	159.7	2.5	.1	.5	1.6	.1
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	153.6	153.9	1.5	.2	.5	-.3	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food away from home		342.6	343.9	3.9	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Lunch	12/77	165.5	165.9	3.9	.2	.3	.5	.1
Dinner	12/77	165.3	166.1	4.1	.5	.6	.4	.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	168.8	169.7	3.7	.5	.1	.2	.4
Alcoholic beverages		226.5	226.7	2.4	.1	.4	.0	.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	144.8	144.7	1.7	-.1	.1	.0	-.2
Beer and ale		235.9	235.4	2.4	-.2	.0	.2	-.6
Whiskey ¹		154.9	154.7	1.0	-.1	.5	.1	-.1
Wine ¹		234.2	234.9	.6	.3	.5	-.1	.3
Other alcoholic beverages ¹	12/77	124.5	124.7	1.5	.2	.9	.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	160.4	161.5	5.1	.7	.9	.3	.5
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		284.2	283.3	1.4	-.3	.6	-.3	-.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		275.0	273.3	-2.6	-.6	-.4	-.1	-.6
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	144.2	144.5	2.8	.2	.1	.3	.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Food and beverages		301.2	300.7	1.4	3.7	3.3	1.3	2.5	2.3
Food		309.2	308.7	1.3	3.8	3.0	1.3	2.5	2.2
Food at home		297.8	296.7	-5	4.0	3.0	.1	1.7	1.6
Cereals and bakery products ¹		314.4	314.8	5.1	2.8	4.9	3.1	3.9	4.0
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	167.9	167.9	3.5	1.7	4.0	4.9	2.6	4.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	149.8	148.4	2.8	.6	3.3	3.9	1.7	3.6
Cereal ¹	12/77	193.0	193.9	4.0	1.1	7.1	9.8	2.5	8.4
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	150.5	150.7	3.0	-4.7	2.2	3.8	-9	3.0
Bakery products ¹	12/77	165.7	166.0	5.4	4.5	4.7	2.0	5.0	3.3
White bread ¹		266.8	266.2	4.2	5.3	4.5	-1.5	4.8	1.4
Other bread ¹	12/77	158.6	160.2	2.6	.0	.8	11.2	1.3	5.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	163.3	161.4	-1.3	5.1	2.8	-1.0	1.9	.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	12/77	169.4	169.9	6.9	8.8	5.4	.7	7.8	3.0
Cookies	12/77	171.4	171.0	10.2	5.6	4.3	.5	7.9	2.4
Crackers and bread and cracker products ¹	12/77	168.6	170.3	10.9	5.1	9.1	10.0	7.9	9.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeeecake, and donuts ¹	12/77	163.8	165.0	7.4	2.0	2.7	.2	4.7	1.5
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ¹	12/77	174.2	174.8	7.4	2.4	7.0	4.5	4.9	5.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		265.6	262.9	-8.6	-2	4.0	-4.9	-4.5	-5
Meats, poultry, and fish		273.8	271.1	-4.2	1.3	7.1	-6.2	-1.5	.2
Meats		270.1	266.8	-6.1	3.1	7.2	-7.3	-1.6	-3
Beef and veal		276.1	271.8	-14.6	10.7	6.4	-10.2	-2.8	-2.2
Ground beef other than canned		255.4	253.1	-12.2	8.0	1.6	-6.4	-2.6	-2.5
Chuck roast		277.5	270.5	-19.2	23.4	1.7	-16.4	-1	-7.8
Round roast		240.0	236.9	-27.5	20.2	.3	-6.2	-6.6	-3.0
Round steak		256.8	251.9	-16.6	13.9	7.9	-12.4	-2.5	-2.8
Sirloin steak		283.2	274.0	-18.1	11.7	13.6	-17.4	-4.4	-3.1
Other beef and veal	12/77	172.7	170.0	-11.3	7.6	10.5	-9.5	-2.3	.0
Pork		258.0	254.3	5.2	-9.8	14.2	-5.6	-2.6	3.8
Bacon		281.7	287.0	13.0	-17.8	22.7	16.4	-3.6	19.5
Chops		235.1	228.4	5.4	-9.7	6.9	-12.7	-2.4	-3.4
Ham other than canned	12/77	118.8	112.5	5.4	-5.1	9.9	-12.1	.0	-1.8
Sausage ¹		320.2	316.2	9.5	-3.7	7.1	-9.8	2.7	-1.7
Canned ham		253.8	252.7	3.6	-1.3	-8	3.9	1.1	1.5
Other pork	12/77	139.0	138.7	-3	-8.0	14.4	-8.5	-4.2	2.3
Other meats ¹		268.6	269.1	5.2	3.0	-3	-1.0	4.1	-7
Frankfurters ¹		266.9	267.8	4.3	6.6	-2.9	.3	5.5	-1.3
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ¹	12/77	156.4	158.2	5.1	3.7	-1.5	6.9	4.4	2.6
Other lunchmeats ¹	12/77	137.0	136.4	8.9	3.5	-3.4	-5.1	6.2	-4.3
Lamb and organ meats ¹	12/77	140.2	140.1	.3	-2.3	9.9	-3.9	-1.0	2.8
Poultry ¹		217.3	216.7	-1.8	-12.6	6.5	-1.3	-7.3	2.5
Fresh whole chicken ¹		215.7	215.0	-5.3	-22.8	.9	1.3	-14.5	1.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	140.9	140.3	-9.0	-13.5	.9	-3.9	-11.3	-1.5
Other poultry ¹	12/77	141.6	141.6	15.5	7.4	23.4	-2.2	11.4	9.9
Fish and seafood		397.7	397.6	6.6	4.8	8.2	-3.3	5.7	2.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.7	133.0	5.2	-4.4	4.6	-4.1	.3	.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	161.4	161.9	9.8	8.7	11.5	-5.5	9.2	2.6
Eggs		166.9	165.0	-58.8	-25.9	-47.9	35.3	-44.7	-16.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Dairy products ¹		258.9	258.3	1.1	6.3	4.3	-0.8	3.7	1.7
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.2	139.8	1.2	7.5	1.4	.0	4.3	.7
Fresh whole milk		229.0	228.2	.9	8.5	1.2	-.9	4.6	.2
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	141.2	140.8	.6	4.4	5.9	-.6	2.5	2.6
Processed dairy products ¹		154.4	154.2	3.2	6.8	3.2	-.8	5.0	1.2
Butter ¹		263.9	259.6	14.7	12.2	-3.5	-9.8	13.4	-6.7
Cheese ¹		150.5	149.9	3.6	4.4	2.2	-1.1	4.0	.5
Ice cream and related products ¹		162.1	162.4	-1.5	11.2	5.9	.2	4.7	3.0
Other dairy products ¹	12/77	152.8	154.7	.3	4.7	8.2	4.5	2.4	6.4
Fruits and vegetables		330.1	328.3	2.7	15.5	1.5	3.6	8.9	2.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables		345.2	344.5	1.5	27.6	2.7	3.1	13.8	2.9
Fresh fruits		376.5	373.2	18.2	34.1	39.5	-3.9	25.9	15.8
Apples		328.3	328.8	-10.1	44.9	5.2	6.2	14.1	5.7
Bananas		275.0	283.1	9.6	-17.9	18.3	34.7	-5.1	26.2
Oranges		494.8	484.5	164.2	52.6	15.2	-8.7	100.8	2.6
Other fresh fruits	12/77	194.6	190.4	-12.6	35.7	90.6	-12.2	8.9	29.4
Fresh vegetables		326.0	318.5	-8.9	21.0	-19.7	4.5	5.0	-8.4
Potatoes		353.5	347.8	3.4	-20.1	4.1	-11.7	-9.1	-4.1
Lettuce ¹		306.7	263.5	2.6	377.3	26.5	-78.2	121.3	-47.5
Tomatoes ¹		322.4	410.0	-48.7	33.6	-24.2	780.7	-17.2	158.3
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	171.7	168.0	-31.3	17.0	-31.5	6.4	-10.3	-14.6
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		313.0	313.8	4.7	.0	1.8	4.2	2.3	3.0
Processed fruits	12/77	165.9	167.0	7.4	5.8	1.9	1.9	6.6	1.9
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	168.8	169.9	12.0	7.5	4.9	.7	9.7	2.8
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	168.6	169.7	8.1	10.1	.7	.9	9.1	.8
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	161.3	161.6	6.2	-4.9	2.8	3.3	.5	3.0
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.1	147.1	4.5	-1.9	1.6	.0	1.2	.8
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	159.0	160.0	-2.3	5.3	4.7	2.8	1.4	3.7
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ¹	12/77	150.2	149.7	10.6	-6.4	2.4	-2.6	1.8	-.1
Other canned and dried vegetables ¹	12/77	139.6	139.2	5.0	-3.4	-.3	-.3	.7	-.3
Other foods at home		359.3	359.9	4.2	2.1	2.3	2.7	3.1	2.5
Sugar and sweets ¹		394.8	396.1	4.3	1.5	1.2	1.6	2.9	1.4
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	163.4	163.4	7.8	2.8	3.0	.7	5.3	1.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.8	169.3	-1.8	3.6	-1.4	-5.9	.8	-3.7
Other sweets ¹	12/77	160.6	162.7	6.5	2.0	-.5	6.9	4.3	3.1
Fats and oils ¹		294.9	294.0	13.4	4.9	1.4	-2.5	9.0	-.6
Margarine ¹		297.6	297.0	19.4	6.0	.9	-1.6	12.5	-.3
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ¹	12/77	159.9	160.0	-2.8	11.7	7.0	-.5	4.2	3.2
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ¹	12/77	152.3	151.6	17.4	1.6	-.5	-3.9	9.2	-2.2
Nonalcoholic beverages		450.8	451.7	3.4	.6	2.3	2.9	2.0	2.6
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		323.5	323.6	-.8	.3	4.5	2.0	-.3	3.2
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	148.8	149.6	1.9	-5.7	-2.4	3.8	-2.0	.7
Roasted coffee ¹		381.4	378.9	6.9	3.1	-1.6	2.9	5.0	.6
Freeze dried and instant coffee ¹		376.5	378.9	5.3	5.6	2.0	5.7	5.4	3.8
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	152.7	153.6	8.9	4.4	4.1	7.9	6.6	6.0
Other prepared foods ¹		292.2	292.8	2.3	3.4	2.5	4.5	2.8	3.5
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	149.8	150.2	2.0	7.4	8.1	-.5	4.6	3.7
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	165.7	165.8	-.5	9.9	1.7	5.5	4.6	3.6
Snacks ¹	12/77	169.5	169.3	7.6	4.4	-.5	4.1	6.0	1.8
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	166.3	166.7	6.8	3.4	1.4	-1.0	5.1	.2
Other condiments	12/77	161.4	162.3	5.2	1.0	4.1	2.8	3.1	3.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods ¹	12/77	159.6	159.7	-2.3	2.6	1.0	9.0	.1	4.9
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	153.1	153.6	.0	3.5	.3	2.1	1.7	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Food away from home		342.3	343.2	5.1	3.3	3.5	3.9	4.2	3.7
Lunch	12/77	165.5	165.7	5.1	3.8	3.0	3.7	4.4	3.3
Dinner	12/77	165.1	165.9	4.3	3.0	3.2	5.7	3.7	4.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	168.5	169.2	5.5	1.9	4.7	2.9	3.7	3.8
Alcoholic beverages		226.0	226.0	2.9	3.3	2.2	1.4	3.1	1.8
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	144.4	144.1	1.7	3.1	2.0	-.3	2.4	.8
Beer and ale		235.2	233.8	4.1	4.0	3.3	-1.7	4.1	.8
Whiskey ¹		154.9	154.7	1.0	2.9	-1.3	1.6	2.0	.1
Wine ¹		234.2	234.9	-1.5	4.0	-2.5	2.8	1.2	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ¹	12/77	124.5	124.7	-.3	1.6	.0	5.0	.7	2.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	160.4	161.2	5.9	6.3	1.5	6.7	6.1	4.1
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		283.1	281.9	-1.1	6.0	1.0	-.3	2.4	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		275.0	273.3	-11.8	-1.3	7.9	-4.1	-6.7	1.7
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	143.1	143.4	5.0	1.4	3.1	2.3	3.2	2.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housing		344.7	345.9	3.8	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
Shelter		374.3	375.9	5.1	.4	.6	.3	.4
Renters' costs	12/82	112.9	113.5	5.7	.5	.5	.4	.5
Rent, residential ¹		259.2	260.4	5.7	.5	.5	.3	.5
Other renters' costs		386.1	390.9	5.3	1.2	.8	1.1	.7
Lodging while out of town		407.3	414.6	4.6	1.8	.7	1.0	1.1
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	114.0	114.0	7.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	166.4	168.3	4.9	1.1	.4	.9	1.1
Homeowners' costs ¹	12/82	110.8	111.3	4.8	.5	.6	.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	12/82	110.9	111.3	4.8	.4	.6	.2	.4
Household insurance ¹	12/82	110.4	111.4	5.0	.9	.5	.8	.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹		370.0	368.0	3.3	-.5	.2	.9	-.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹		422.2	418.2	2.5	-.9	.3	1.5	-.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		270.6	270.4	4.3	-.1	.2	.0	-.1
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ¹	12/77	161.4	161.0	5.2	-.2	-.1	-.1	-.2
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ¹	12/77	131.2	131.1	4.5	-.1	-.4	.2	-.1
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ¹	12/77	149.2	149.1	2.8	-.1	1.6	1.7	-.1
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment ¹	12/77	144.2	143.7	2.5	-.3	.6	.1	-.3
Fuel and other utilities		388.2	388.7	2.0	.1	-.3	.4	.6
Fuels		482.2	483.0	1.5	.2	-.2	.3	.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		620.8	623.5	-4.2	.4	-1.5	.4	2.9
Fuel oil		626.3	630.1	-4.7	.6	-1.5	.6	3.3
Other fuels	6/78	194.2	193.2	-1.2	-.5	-.9	.5	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity		445.5	445.9	3.1	.1	.1	.3	.2
Electricity		354.2	355.7	5.0	.4	.7	.0	.7
Utility (piped) gas		580.1	578.2	.9	-.3	-.5	.6	-.5
Other utilities and public services ¹		236.3	236.4	3.6	.0	-.4	.9	.0
Telephone services ¹		191.3	191.1	2.5	-.1	-.9	1.2	-.1
Local charges ¹	12/77	167.7	167.5	6.1	-.1	-1.5	1.9	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	116.2	116.2	-5.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.3	124.2	.4	-.1	-.1	.3	-.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		391.4	393.2	5.9	.5	.4	.0	.5
Cable television ¹	12/83	109.4	109.7	6.5	.3	1.2	.6	.3
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	108.3	108.6	6.8	.3	.7	.0	.3
Household furnishings and operation		246.9	247.9	2.3	.4	.6	.1	.1
Housefurnishings		200.6	201.7	.9	.5	.7	-.4	.0
Textile housefurnishings		241.4	239.5	1.8	-.8	1.0	-2.1	-.3
Household linens	12/77	142.2	140.5	1.1	-1.2	2.5	-4.6	-.7
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ¹	12/77	159.3	158.7	2.6	-.4	.8	.4	-.4
Furniture and bedding		226.7	231.7	4.0	2.2	.9	-.1	.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	156.5	165.5	7.3	5.8	.4	1.2	5.8
Sofas	12/77	121.4	124.5	2.7	2.6	.2	-1.0	1.8
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	126.7	126.9	1.1	.2	.2	.6	.2
Other furniture	12/77	149.8	149.1	3.1	-.5	1.0	-.6	-1.7
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		145.4	145.3	-3.2	-.1	.4	-.3	-.1
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	99.5	99.0	-4.3	-.5	.6	-.2	-.5
Television ¹		92.3	90.9	-6.0	-1.5	-.1	.4	-1.5
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	106.9	107.2	-2.8	.3	1.1	-.7	.3
Household appliances ¹		185.7	186.6	-2.0	.5	.3	-.4	.5
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		195.2	196.0	.1	.4	.1	-1.0	.4
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	148.4	148.5	1.2	.1	.2	.9	.1
Other household appliances ¹	12/77	121.2	121.9	-3.3	.6	.4	-.5	.6
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ¹	12/77	122.7	122.8	-2.8	.1	.7	.2	.1
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ¹	12/77	120.0	121.3	-3.9	1.1	.0	-1.2	1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	144.9	144.9	1.2	0.0	1.0	-0.1	0.0
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	152.2	151.1	2.4	-7	1.4	-5	-7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	135.8	136.6	-6	.6	1.6	-1.1	.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	148.3	148.2	-7	-1	.7	.9	-1
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.4	140.6	4.2	.1	.9	-6	.1
Housekeeping supplies		311.8	312.6	3.6	.3	.0	.2	.1
Soaps and detergents ¹		308.6	309.4	4.1	.3	.4	-2	.3
Other laundry and cleaning products ¹	12/77	159.1	157.8	2.6	-8	.3	.2	-8
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ¹	12/77	160.0	161.4	6.5	.9	1.3	.8	.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ¹	12/77	146.0	147.3	3.7	.9	-1	.5	.9
Miscellaneous household products ¹	12/77	163.9	163.6	2.8	-2	.2	.0	-2
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	148.6	150.0	1.7	.9	.2	-1.7	.0
Housekeeping services ¹		337.4	337.9	3.7	.1	.8	1.0	.1
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	10.2	.0	3.5	6.4	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ¹	12/77	181.4	182.1	6.0	.4	1.3	.7	.4
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	156.4	156.7	4.9	.2	.5	.4	.2
Apparel and upkeep		205.3	205.9	3.4	.3	.9	.5	.0
Apparel commodities		191.3	191.8	3.0	.3	1.0	.5	.0
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.6	188.2	3.1	.3	.9	.5	.1
Men's and boys'		195.2	197.4	3.6	1.1	.2	.2	.7
Men's	12/77	123.2	124.7	3.7	1.2	.7	.3	.6
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	113.5	115.7	3.3	1.9	-1	-7	1.3
Coats and jackets	12/77	100.7	100.4	1.4	-3	.6	-2.1	-4
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	150.6	151.3	3.6	.5	-1	1.1	.5
Shirts	12/77	130.6	132.5	4.1	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.5
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	117.3	119.1	4.8	1.5	-1	1.0	.9
Boys'	12/77	125.9	126.6	2.8	.6	-6	-1	.7
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	120.0	121.9	1.8	1.6	-4	.3	.9
Furnishings	12/77	138.2	138.8	1.2	.4	.6	-1.1	-1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	125.6	125.3	4.2	-2	-9	-2	.3
Women's and girls'		169.9	170.0	4.2	.1	1.1	.7	-1
Women's	12/77	113.4	113.6	4.6	.2	1.2	.8	.1
Coats and jackets		164.8	168.2	2.0	2.1	.4	-1.4	2.3
Dresses		182.5	178.7	2.1	-2.1	1.2	1.2	-2.3
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.4	103.2	11.2	.8	3.3	.4	.4
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	140.4	141.1	3.1	.5	.2	.5	.6
Suits	12/77	88.7	89.1	4.7	.5	.6	3.2	4.5
Girls'	12/77	110.7	110.7	2.3	.0	2.1	-4	-5
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	105.1	102.0	1.4	-2.9	3.7	1.5	-3.1
Separates and sportswear	12/77	105.0	106.8	2.4	1.7	.5	-9	.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	130.7	132.1	3.1	1.1	1.5	-6	.3
Infants' and toddlers'		302.1	295.3	2.1	-2.3	2.9	1.1	-2.3
Other apparel commodities ¹		216.9	215.8	-8	-5	1.6	.6	-5
Sewing materials and notions ¹	12/77	122.9	121.4	-1.0	-1.2	.9	.7	-1.2
Jewelry and luggage ¹	12/77	147.6	147.3	-7	-2	1.7	.7	-2
Footwear		213.1	213.2	2.1	.0	.8	.8	-3
Men's	12/77	139.1	139.1	2.4	.0	-2	1.6	-4
Boys' and girls'	12/77	137.1	134.5	2.4	-1.9	1.2	.1	-1.9
Women's	12/77	127.0	128.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	.7	.6
Apparel services		317.1	318.4	5.6	.4	.9	.3	.2
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	190.2	190.8	5.4	.3	.8	.6	.4
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	164.3	165.2	6.1	.5	1.0	.2	.5

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Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Transportation		316.7	320.0	3.4	1.0	-0.1	1.3	0.8
Private		311.0	314.6	3.2	1.2	-.1	1.3	.9
New vehicles		213.8	213.9	3.4	.0	.9	.5	.0
New cars		214.1	214.1	3.2	.0	.8	.5	.0
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	105.2	105.3	4.4	.1	.8	.3	.1
Used cars		386.1	386.4	4.4	.1	1.9	1.0	-.3
Motor fuel		360.6	374.2	.0	3.8	-2.6	3.8	3.0
Gasoline		360.0	373.8	-.1	3.8	-2.5	3.6	3.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	199.4	208.3	-.4	4.5	-2.6	4.0	3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	207.2	215.3	.0	3.9	-2.4	3.5	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	92.9	95.3	.6	2.6	-1.0	1.6	2.6
Automobile maintenance and repair		348.5	348.2	2.7	-.1	.3	.1	-.1
Body work ¹	12/77	178.3	178.2	4.0	-.1	.8	-.1	-.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	170.6	170.9	3.5	.2	.1	.2	.2
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	157.2	156.8	1.7	-.3	.2	-.1	-.3
Power plant repair	12/77	167.0	167.0	2.8	.0	.2	.2	.2
Other private transportation ¹		284.5	285.8	6.2	.5	.2	.0	.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹		201.9	202.8	.2	.4	.9	-.9	.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.4	156.1	2.2	-.2	.2	.3	-.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.8	127.6	-.1	.6	1.0	-1.2	.6
Tires ¹		171.4	173.0	.1	.9	1.5	-1.5	.9
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	133.5	133.4	-.4	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.1
Other private transportation services ¹		309.1	310.5	7.3	.5	.1	.2	.5
Automobile insurance ¹		348.3	351.8	9.3	1.0	.3	.6	1.0
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	166.6	165.6	2.9	-.6	-.9	-.9	-.6
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	159.6	159.9	7.0	.2	.4	.3	.2
State registration ¹		214.6	214.6	8.4	.0	.0	.5	.0
Drivers' license ¹	12/77	164.6	164.6	4.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ¹	12/77	142.4	144.7	3.5	1.6	.0	.1	1.6
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	172.2	172.7	5.1	.3	.9	.2	.3
Public transportation ¹		397.3	398.0	5.3	.2	.0	.7	.2
Airline fare ¹		464.3	466.2	8.5	.4	.0	1.2	.4
Intercity bus fare ¹		454.4	453.5	5.8	-.2	-.7	-.5	-.2
Intracity mass transit ¹		347.7	347.6	1.5	.0	.0	.2	.0
Taxi fare ¹		317.4	317.4	2.8	.0	.5	.8	.0
Intercity train fare ¹		390.3	390.2	4.5	.0	.0	.0	.0
Medical care		396.5	398.0	5.9	.4	.4	.8	.6
Medical care commodities		251.9	253.9	7.2	.8	.6	.5	.6
Prescription drugs		250.9	253.6	9.9	1.1	.4	1.3	.8
Anti-infective drugs ¹	12/77	174.0	175.7	6.6	1.0	.2	1.2	1.0
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	227.9	233.9	17.9	2.6	1.0	2.1	2.3
Circulators and diuretics ¹	12/77	180.9	182.7	10.0	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.0
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies	12/77	230.8	231.3	8.8	.2	.0	-.1	-.5
Pain and symptom control drugs ¹	12/77	200.9	202.7	8.0	.9	.8	1.4	.9
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	185.7	187.1	8.0	.8	1.2	.8	.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/77	168.6	169.5	4.6	.5	.4	.4	.5
Eyeglasses ¹	12/77	144.5	144.7	4.2	.1	1.1	.3	.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		276.6	278.5	5.1	.7	.1	.5	.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	161.1	161.7	3.3	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Medical care services		428.1	429.4	5.7	.3	.4	.9	.6
Professional services		361.9	363.0	6.0	.3	.4	.7	.4
Physicians' services		392.6	393.9	5.5	.3	.5	.9	.4
Dental services ¹		343.3	344.5	6.8	.3	.2	.9	.3
Other professional services ¹	12/77	168.4	168.5	5.6	.1	1.3	.2	.1
Other medical care services		508.0	509.6	5.4	.3	.4	1.1	.7
Hospital and other medical services	12/77	221.6	222.0	7.0	.2	.1	.9	.6
Hospital room		703.6	704.2	6.6	.1	.0	.8	.6
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	218.4	219.0	7.2	.3	.4	.6	.7

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Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Entertainment		262.2	263.3	3.7	0.4	-0.2	0.0	0.3
Entertainment commodities		258.7	259.5	2.4	.3	-.2	-.2	.2
Reading materials ¹	12/77	173.3	173.7	5.6	.2	1.1	1.0	.2
Newspapers ¹		324.3	325.8	4.2	.5	.8	.3	.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	182.8	182.8	7.1	.0	1.5	1.8	.0
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	140.2	140.4	.9	.1	-1.2	-.4	-.2
Sport vehicles ¹	12/77	147.0	147.3	1.9	.2	-.1	.2	.2
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ¹	12/77	118.1	118.0	.4	-.1	.3	.4	-.1
Bicycles		200.0	201.4	.1	.7	.3	.2	.8
Other sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.6	132.6	-2.2	.0	-1.4	-.5	.0
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	142.0	142.6	1.1	.4	-.6	-.4	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	137.3	138.4	-.6	.8	-.7	-.7	.7
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	136.0	135.8	2.2	-.1	-1.0	.1	-.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	154.9	155.2	3.5	.2	.0	-.2	.2
Entertainment services ¹		267.6	269.2	5.6	.6	-.1	.3	.6
Fees for participant sports ¹	12/77	166.9	167.7	5.1	.5	.0	.2	.5
Admissions ¹	12/77	159.4	160.7	7.6	.8	-.6	.0	.8
Other entertainment services ¹	12/77	139.8	140.4	4.2	.4	.2	1.2	.4
Other goods and services		321.1	321.8	6.3	.2	.6	.4	.4
Tobacco products ¹		323.7	324.0	5.9	.1	.7	.2	.1
Cigarettes ¹		332.8	332.9	6.0	.0	.7	.1	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	164.7	165.5	5.0	.5	.7	.6	.2
Personal care ¹		278.7	279.8	4.1	.4	.4	.2	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		276.0	277.1	3.7	.4	.5	.2	.4
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ¹	12/77	157.2	157.4	1.6	.1	.4	.1	.1
Dental and shaving products ¹	12/77	174.5	176.2	6.7	1.0	1.3	-.7	1.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	155.8	155.9	2.7	.1	.2	.1	.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ¹	12/77	157.5	158.3	4.4	.5	.3	1.4	.5
Personal care services ¹		282.0	283.3	4.4	.5	.2	.1	.5
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		285.1	286.2	4.3	.4	.1	.3	.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	156.3	157.2	4.5	.6	.4	-.3	.6
Personal and educational expenses		387.6	388.3	8.8	.2	.8	.7	.8
School books and supplies		343.9	344.5	8.5	.2	.8	.8	.9
Personal and educational services		397.8	398.5	8.9	.2	.8	.7	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	201.4	201.5	9.3	.0	.9	.6	.8
College tuition	12/77	201.5	201.6	9.1	.0	.9	.6	.6
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	201.4	201.4	9.5	.0	.8	.9	.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	214.9	216.5	7.2	.7	.9	1.1	.7
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		356.7	369.9	.0	3.7	-2.6	3.6	3.0
Utilities and public transportation		360.6	360.9	3.7	.1	.2	.6	.1
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		381.8	381.8	3.6	.0	.7	1.1	.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Housing		344.6	345.9	4.3	4.5	2.1	4.3	4.4	3.2
Shelter		374.2	375.7	5.6	5.5	4.0	5.2	5.6	4.6
Renters' costs	12/82	112.9	113.5	5.7	6.0	5.2	6.2	5.9	5.7
Rent, residential ¹		259.2	260.4	5.5	6.7	5.3	5.2	6.1	5.3
Other renters' costs		387.3	390.1	5.2	3.6	1.5	11.1	4.4	6.2
Lodging while out of town		407.7	412.1	4.0	3.6	-5	11.5	3.8	5.3
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	114.0	114.0	.0	32.8	.0	.0	15.2	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	166.4	168.3	2.0	7.1	.7	10.1	4.5	5.3
Homeowners' costs ¹	12/82	110.8	111.3	5.4	5.7	3.3	4.8	5.5	4.1
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	12/82	110.9	111.3	5.8	5.3	3.3	4.8	5.5	4.1
Household insurance ¹	12/82	110.4	111.4	2.3	7.7	1.1	9.1	5.0	5.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹		370.0	368.0	4.6	1.5	5.0	2.2	3.0	3.6
Maintenance and repair services ¹		422.2	418.2	3.5	2.7	.3	3.4	3.1	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		270.6	270.4	6.2	-3	11.1	.7	2.9	5.8
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ¹	12/77	161.4	161.0	4.2	2.9	16.0	-1.7	3.6	6.8
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ¹	12/77	131.2	131.1	-1.6	2.9	19.0	-1.2	.6	8.4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ¹	12/77	149.2	149.1	5.1	-8	-5.9	13.7	2.1	3.4
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment ¹	12/77	144.2	143.7	11.9	-4.6	2.0	1.4	3.3	1.7
Fuel and other utilities		389.8	392.0	5.0	1.3	-1.2	3.0	3.1	.9
Fuels		484.0	487.7	5.3	.3	-3.2	3.5	2.8	.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		606.8	624.7	-6.2	-4.4	-12.9	7.9	-5.3	-3.1
Fuel oil		611.6	632.0	-7.6	-4.7	-14.7	9.9	-6.1	-3.2
Other fuels	6/78	192.1	193.2	1.9	-4.8	-2.7	.6	-1.5	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity		450.7	451.5	9.0	1.7	-1	2.3	5.3	1.1
Electricity		360.3	363.0	12.7	1.7	-2	5.9	7.1	2.8
Utility (piped) gas		588.3	585.2	4.3	1.9	-5	-2.0	3.1	-1.3
Other utilities and public services ¹		236.3	236.4	4.3	4.0	4.2	1.9	4.2	3.0
Telephone services ¹		191.3	191.1	3.7	4.1	1.7	.6	3.9	1.2
Local charges ¹	12/77	167.7	167.5	11.9	8.1	3.9	1.0	10.0	2.4
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	116.2	116.2	-18.5	.3	-3	.0	-9.6	-2
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.3	124.2	7.3	-3.4	-2.5	.6	1.8	-1.0
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		391.4	393.2	5.7	4.2	9.9	3.7	5.0	6.8
Cable television ¹	12/83	109.4	109.7	8.0	-1.9	12.0	8.4	2.9	10.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	108.3	108.6	7.3	5.5	10.3	4.2	6.4	7.2
Household furnishings and operation		246.6	246.8	.2	4.7	1.2	3.1	2.4	2.1
Housefurnishings		200.2	200.3	-2.2	5.8	-1.0	1.0	1.7	.0
Textile housefurnishings		238.3	237.6	1.4	13.3	-1.0	-5.5	7.1	-3.3
Household linens	12/77	139.7	138.7	2.9	21.2	-5.7	-11.2	11.7	-8.5
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ¹	12/77	159.3	158.7	-1.3	4.2	3.9	3.6	1.4	3.8
Furniture and bedding		227.4	229.2	.5	14.1	-4.3	6.3	7.1	.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	156.5	165.5	-6.8	25.0	-14.4	33.0	7.9	6.7
Sofas	12/77	121.3	123.5	5.8	-1.6	2.7	4.3	2.0	3.5
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	126.7	126.9	2.6	5.8	-7.3	3.9	4.2	-1.9
Other furniture	12/77	149.4	146.8	6.0	10.9	1.6	-5.3	8.5	-1.9
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		145.4	145.3	-7.5	-3	-5.1	.3	-4.0	-2.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	99.5	99.0	-7.9	-3.5	-5.1	-4	-5.7	-2.8
Television ¹		92.3	90.9	-8.8	-8.2	-2.1	-4.7	-8.5	-3.4
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	106.9	107.2	-7.4	.7	-7.2	3.0	-3.4	-2.2
Household appliances ¹		185.7	186.6	-6.8	2.8	-5.0	1.3	-2.1	-1.9
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		195.2	196.0	-3.2	7.2	-1.0	-2.2	1.8	-1.6
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	148.4	148.5	-3.2	6.2	-2.4	4.7	1.4	1.1
Other household appliances ¹	12/77	121.2	121.9	-8.9	1.0	-6.9	2.0	-4.1	-2.6
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ¹	12/77	122.7	122.8	-13.8	9.2	-9.0	4.3	-3.0	-2.6
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ¹	12/77	120.0	121.3	-4.1	-6.3	-4.8	-3	-5.2	-2.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	144.9	144.9	-3.0	-2.5	7.0	3.7	-2.8	5.3
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	152.2	151.1	-1.6	2.5	8.4	.5	.4	4.4
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	135.8	136.6	-5.4	.3	-1.2	4.2	-2.6	1.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	148.3	148.2	-5.3	-9.7	7.2	6.2	-7.5	6.7
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.4	140.6	.9	.9	14.0	1.7	.9	7.7
Housekeeping supplies		311.2	311.4	3.6	4.3	5.5	1.2	4.0	3.3
Soaps and detergents ¹		308.6	309.4	3.7	.1	11.2	1.8	1.9	6.4
Other laundry and cleaning products ¹	12/77	159.1	157.8	2.9	4.5	4.7	-1.5	3.7	1.5
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ¹	12/77	160.0	161.4	5.7	7.5	.3	12.8	6.6	6.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ¹	12/77	146.0	147.3	4.9	3.1	1.7	5.3	4.0	3.5
Miscellaneous household products ¹	12/77	163.9	163.6	5.1	1.2	4.5	.2	3.2	2.4
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	147.3	147.3	-3.3	7.1	9.3	-5.8	1.8	1.5
Housekeeping services ¹		337.4	337.9	2.4	3.2	1.3	8.2	2.8	4.7
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	47.4	.0	21.4
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ¹	12/77	181.4	182.1	6.4	4.2	3.7	9.8	5.3	6.7
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	156.4	156.7	4.1	10.5	.8	4.5	7.2	2.6
Apparel and upkeep		205.3	205.4	.4	8.5	-1.2	6.1	4.4	2.4
Apparel commodities		191.2	191.2	-6	8.9	-2.3	6.1	4.0	1.8
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.4	187.5	-1.3	10.1	-2.1	6.0	4.2	1.8
Men's and boys'		196.0	197.4	2.3	5.8	1.7	4.4	4.0	3.0
Men's	12/77	123.9	124.7	2.7	5.1	.7	6.7	3.9	3.6
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	114.3	115.8	13.5	-7.7	6.5	2.1	2.3	4.3
Coats and jackets	12/77	101.7	101.3	-4	15.7	-8	-7.5	7.3	-4.2
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	150.6	151.3	-1.1	18.2	-6.9	6.0	8.1	-7
Shirts	12/77	130.9	132.9	1.6	-2.5	-3	18.8	-5	8.8
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	117.9	119.0	-4.8	9.2	7.9	7.7	1.9	7.8
Boys'	12/77	125.6	126.5	5.0	7.9	-1.6	.3	6.4	-6
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	120.4	121.5	10.4	4.0	-9.4	3.4	7.2	-3.2
Furnishings	12/77	138.3	138.2	-1.5	.9	7.8	-2.6	-3	2.5
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	125.0	125.4	4.7	12.0	3.2	-2.8	8.3	.2
Women's and girls'		169.2	169.0	-4.4	19.2	-3.8	7.2	6.8	1.6
Women's	12/77	112.8	112.9	-3.7	19.2	-3.9	8.6	7.2	2.2
Coats and jackets		163.7	167.5	-1.9	27.4	-17.8	5.4	11.8	-6.9
Dresses		180.7	176.6	-6.1	12.8	2.3	.5	2.9	1.4
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.3	102.7	-4.7	37.7	-1.2	17.7	14.6	7.8
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	140.3	141.1	2.4	1.2	3.5	5.3	1.8	4.4
Suits	12/77	85.1	88.9	-16.7	40.5	-25.6	38.2	8.2	1.4
Girls'	12/77	111.1	110.5	-7.2	14.7	-1.5	4.5	3.2	1.5
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	105.3	102.0	-1.6	5.3	-5.8	8.2	1.8	1.0
Separates and sportswear	12/77	105.4	105.6	-12.2	24.4	1.5	-1.1	4.5	.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	131.8	132.2	-2.5	6.1	4.4	4.7	1.7	4.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		302.1	295.3	-10.6	15.6	-1.8	7.1	1.7	2.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		216.9	215.8	.7	-3.6	-6.9	7.0	-1.5	-2
Sewing materials and notions ¹	12/77	122.9	121.4	-3	-6.1	1.0	1.7	-3.2	1.3
Jewelry and luggage ¹	12/77	147.6	147.3	1.4	-2.9	-9.4	9.2	-8	-5
Footwear		213.3	212.6	2.1	3.9	-3.0	5.2	3.0	1.0
Men's	12/77	139.2	138.7	6.7	.0	-9	4.1	3.3	1.6
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.1	134.5	-1.2	16.2	-2.0	-2.3	7.1	-2.2
Women's	12/77	127.3	128.1	.6	-3	-4.7	11.4	.2	3.0
Apparel services		316.8	317.4	6.3	6.4	4.2	5.6	6.4	4.9
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	190.0	190.8	5.4	5.3	3.5	7.5	5.4	5.5
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	164.3	165.2	3.9	8.4	4.8	7.3	6.1	6.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Transportation		319.7	322.3	0.0	2.7	2.4	8.5	1.4	5.4
Private		314.3	317.0	-.8	2.6	2.5	8.8	.9	5.6
New vehicles		214.0	214.1	1.2	5.3	1.5	5.6	3.2	3.5
New cars		214.3	214.3	1.2	5.1	1.5	5.2	3.1	3.3
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	105.2	105.3	.0	4.8	8.1	4.7	2.4	6.4
Used cars		394.4	393.1	7.5	-5.3	5.5	10.7	.9	8.1
Motor fuel		367.6	378.7	-13.5	2.4	-3.9	17.4	-5.9	6.2
Gasoline		367.0	378.3	-14.1	2.8	-4.1	18.0	-6.0	6.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	203.7	211.0	-15.6	2.4	-5.9	21.0	-7.0	6.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	211.0	217.7	-14.1	3.1	-4.1	17.9	-5.9	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	92.9	95.3	-2.5	1.3	-8.6	13.6	-.6	1.9
Automobile maintenance and repair		348.5	348.2	3.6	3.3	2.8	1.2	3.5	2.0
Body work ¹	12/77	178.3	178.2	3.5	6.4	3.0	3.0	5.0	3.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	170.6	170.9	3.4	6.6	1.9	2.1	5.0	2.0
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	157.2	156.8	2.9	3.1	1.5	-.8	3.0	.4
Power plant repair	12/77	166.7	167.0	3.5	2.2	3.2	2.4	2.9	2.8
Other private transportation ¹		284.5	285.8	5.2	9.6	7.7	2.7	7.3	5.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		201.9	202.8	-3.5	-3.2	6.2	1.6	-3.3	3.9
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.4	156.1	4.3	-2.8	6.7	1.0	.7	3.8
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.8	127.6	-4.6	-3.4	6.2	1.9	-4.0	4.0
Tires ¹		171.4	173.0	-7.4	-3.0	7.6	3.8	-5.3	5.7
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	133.5	133.4	2.1	-4.4	3.0	-2.4	-1.2	.3
Other private transportation services ¹		309.1	310.5	6.8	11.9	7.9	2.9	9.3	5.4
Automobile insurance ¹		348.3	351.8	3.8	9.6	16.3	8.0	6.6	12.1
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	166.6	165.6	13.8	14.7	-5.5	-9.1	14.3	-7.3
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	159.6	159.9	6.9	15.6	2.3	3.6	11.1	2.9
State registration ¹		214.6	214.6	3.7	30.4	.2	1.9	16.3	1.0
Drivers' license ¹	12/77	164.6	164.6	7.8	6.9	2.2	.0	7.3	1.1
Automobile inspection ¹	12/77	142.4	144.7	.3	.3	6.4	7.2	.3	6.8
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	172.2	172.7	5.5	4.4	4.8	5.8	4.9	5.3
Public transportation ¹		397.3	398.0	12.5	1.9	3.5	3.6	7.1	3.6
Airline fare ¹		464.3	466.2	20.3	3.1	4.8	6.5	11.3	5.7
Intercity bus fare ¹		454.4	453.5	9.9	6.0	13.5	-5.2	7.9	3.7
Intracity mass transit ¹		347.7	347.6	5.1	.0	.5	.7	2.5	.6
Taxi fare ¹		317.4	317.4	2.1	.9	3.0	5.2	1.5	4.1
Intercity train fare ¹		390.3	390.2	9.4	.1	8.9	.0	4.7	4.3
Medical care		395.3	397.5	6.0	5.2	4.7	7.6	5.6	6.2
Medical care commodities		251.9	253.4	7.1	6.6	8.3	6.9	6.9	7.6
Prescription drugs		250.6	252.6	9.2	10.1	10.0	10.5	9.6	10.2
Anti-infective drugs ¹	12/77	174.0	175.7	3.2	11.0	2.4	10.2	7.0	6.2
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	227.9	233.2	15.8	16.7	15.0	24.0	16.3	19.4
Circulatories and diuretics ¹	12/77	180.9	182.7	10.8	5.8	7.6	16.1	8.2	11.8
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies	12/77	230.8	229.7	8.6	14.0	15.8	-2.2	11.3	6.4
Pain and symptom control drugs ¹	12/77	200.9	202.7	4.3	6.5	8.3	13.0	5.4	10.6
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	185.5	186.0	7.9	3.9	11.0	9.3	5.9	10.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/77	168.6	169.5	5.5	2.7	4.7	5.4	4.1	5.0
Eyeglasses ¹	12/77	144.5	144.7	5.0	3.8	1.7	6.3	4.4	4.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		276.6	278.5	7.1	2.7	5.1	5.6	4.9	5.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	161.1	161.7	1.3	1.8	6.5	3.8	1.5	5.1
Medical care services		426.5	428.9	5.8	4.9	4.4	7.7	5.4	6.0
Professional services		361.2	362.6	5.2	6.6	5.8	6.2	5.9	6.0
Physicians' services		391.4	393.1	5.4	5.8	3.2	7.5	5.6	5.3
Dental services ¹		343.3	344.5	6.9	8.7	6.0	5.8	7.8	5.9
Other professional services ¹	12/77	168.4	168.5	1.5	1.8	13.3	6.4	1.6	9.8
Other medical care services		506.0	509.6	6.3	3.6	3.0	9.0	4.9	6.0
Hospital and other medical services	12/77	220.7	222.0	9.4	5.4	6.7	6.6	7.4	6.6
Hospital room		700.1	704.2	9.7	6.1	5.0	5.9	7.9	5.4
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	217.3	218.8	7.5	6.3	8.0	7.1	6.9	7.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Entertainment		261.6	262.5	4.0	4.6	5.7	0.9	4.3	3.3
Entertainment commodities		257.4	258.0	2.7	3.2	4.6	-.6	3.0	2.0
Reading materials ¹	12/77	173.3	173.7	.0	8.0	4.6	10.0	3.9	7.3
Newspapers ¹		324.3	325.8	3.1	3.2	4.1	6.5	3.2	5.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	182.8	182.8	-3.0	13.1	5.1	14.0	4.7	9.5
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	139.2	138.9	.6	4.4	6.5	-7.1	2.5	-.6
Sport vehicles ¹	12/77	147.0	147.3	-4.6	4.6	6.8	1.1	-.1	3.9
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ¹	12/77	118.1	118.0	.7	-1.7	.3	2.4	-.5	1.4
Bicycles		200.0	201.6	-2.6	-2.8	1.4	4.9	-2.7	3.1
Other sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.6	132.6	-3.8	3.9	-1.5	-7.2	.0	-4.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	141.6	142.0	2.0	2.0	3.4	-3.0	2.0	.1
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	136.8	137.8	-.6	-.3	1.2	-2.9	-.4	-.9
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	135.5	134.9	4.0	6.5	3.9	-5.2	5.2	-.7
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	154.9	155.2	4.1	5.7	4.5	.0	4.9	2.2
Entertainment services ¹		267.6	269.2	5.8	6.8	6.5	3.3	6.3	4.9
Fees for participant sports ¹	12/77	166.9	167.7	.5	10.1	7.3	2.9	5.2	5.1
Admissions ¹	12/77	159.4	160.7	18.9	3.1	8.1	1.0	10.7	4.5
Other entertainment services ¹	12/77	139.8	140.4	1.5	5.1	2.7	7.5	3.3	5.0
Other goods and services		321.6	323.0	8.0	4.6	6.7	5.9	6.3	6.3
Tobacco products ¹		323.7	324.0	9.9	1.8	8.4	3.8	5.8	6.1
Cigarettes ¹		332.8	332.9	10.4	1.6	8.9	3.2	5.9	6.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	164.2	164.5	5.5	5.9	3.0	5.8	5.7	4.4
Personal care ¹		278.7	279.8	4.4	4.3	3.7	3.8	4.4	3.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		276.0	277.1	4.4	2.7	3.0	4.6	3.5	3.8
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ¹	12/77	157.2	157.4	3.1	-.5	1.3	2.6	1.3	1.9
Dental and shaving products ¹	12/77	174.5	176.2	5.2	2.4	13.2	6.4	3.8	9.7
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	155.8	155.9	5.9	2.4	1.0	1.6	4.1	1.3
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ¹	12/77	157.5	158.3	2.9	7.3	-1.5	9.4	5.1	3.8
Personal care services ¹		282.0	283.3	4.3	5.5	4.5	3.2	4.9	3.8
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		285.1	286.2	4.3	5.7	3.9	3.3	5.0	3.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	156.3	157.2	4.6	5.1	5.8	2.6	4.8	4.2
Personal and educational expenses		387.8	390.9	9.9	7.3	8.1	9.9	8.6	9.0
School books and supplies		341.8	344.8	10.2	4.1	9.2	10.5	7.1	9.8
Personal and educational services		398.6	401.7	9.9	7.7	8.1	9.8	8.8	9.0
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	201.8	203.5	10.7	7.5	9.1	9.8	9.1	9.5
College tuition	12/77	201.9	203.2	11.2	7.3	8.9	8.9	9.2	8.9
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	202.2	203.6	12.1	7.1	8.7	10.0	9.6	9.4
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	214.9	216.5	6.1	7.0	4.3	11.5	6.5	7.8
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		363.2	374.0	-13.3	2.5	-3.6	16.6	-5.7	6.0
Utilities and public transportation		363.9	364.2	8.7	2.6	.6	3.2	5.6	1.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		381.8	381.8	2.5	3.1	1.3	7.6	2.8	4.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	315.3	316.7	4.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
All items(1957-59=100)	-	366.7	368.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.274	301.6	301.4	2.3	-.1	.4	.1	-.2
Food	20.097	309.3	309.2	2.3	.0	.4	.1	-.2
Food at home	13.631	296.9	296.1	1.5	-.3	.4	.0	-.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.856	312.7	313.1	3.9	.1	.4	.3	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.364	265.6	262.9	-2.6	-1.0	-.2	.1	-1.1
Dairy products ¹	1.777	257.8	257.2	2.7	-.2	.2	-.2	-.2
Fruits and vegetables	1.945	326.8	328.1	5.4	.4	2.2	-.6	-.6
Other food at home	3.689	361.0	361.3	2.8	.1	.3	.2	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	.511	394.2	395.5	2.1	.3	.1	-.1	.3
Fats and oils ¹	.391	294.3	293.7	4.2	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.542	455.5	455.6	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Other prepared foods ¹	1.246	293.7	294.2	3.1	.2	.7	.3	.2
Food away from home	6.466	345.8	347.1	3.9	.4	.5	.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages	1.177	229.9	229.9	2.4	.0	.4	.0	-.1
Housing	34.948	338.2	339.5	5.2	.4	.4	.3	.4
Shelter	19.945	363.0	364.7	6.9	.5	.6	.2	.5
Renters' costs ²	6.411	101.4	101.9	-	.5	.5	.4	.5
Rent, residential ¹	5.773	258.4	259.6	5.7	.5	.5	.3	.5
Other renters' costs	.638	385.3	391.0	5.5	1.5	.6	1.1	1.1
Homeowners' costs ^{1 2}	12.978	101.0	101.4	-	.4	.6	.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ^{1 2}	12.642	100.9	101.4	-	.5	.6	.1	.5
Household insurance ^{1 2}	.337	101.4	102.4	-	1.0	.5	.8	1.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹	.556	364.3	363.1	2.5	-.3	.2	.8	-.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹	.260	414.8	411.7	2.7	-.7	.2	1.5	-.7
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	.296	261.6	261.6	2.2	.0	.1	.2	.0
Fuel and other utilities	8.001	389.2	389.7	2.0	.1	-.4	.5	.6
Fuels	5.848	481.6	482.3	1.5	.1	-.3	.3	.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.289	623.1	625.9	-4.1	.4	-1.7	.6	3.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.559	444.4	444.6	3.1	.0	.1	.2	.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.153	237.2	237.3	3.5	.0	-.5	.9	.0
Household furnishings and operation	7.002	243.2	244.1	2.2	.4	.7	.0	.2
Housefurnishings	3.708	198.2	199.2	.8	.5	.8	-.6	.1
Housekeeping supplies	1.666	308.9	309.8	3.8	.3	.2	.2	.2
Housekeeping services ¹	1.628	338.5	339.0	4.0	.1	.9	1.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep	5.002	204.2	204.9	3.4	.3	.9	.4	.1
Apparel commodities	4.250	190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	1.0	.4	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.375	195.7	197.8	3.5	1.1	.0	.4	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	1.565	171.5	172.0	4.6	.3	1.4	.4	.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.135	314.5	306.4	2.2	-2.6	3.5	1.4	-2.6
Footwear	.674	213.4	213.3	1.9	.0	.8	.6	-.3
Other apparel commodities ¹	.501	204.2	203.3	-1.1	-.4	1.6	.6	-.4
Apparel services	.752	314.7	316.1	5.6	.4	.9	.4	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
Transportation	24.129	318.7	322.0	3.2	1.0	0.1	1.2	0.8
Private transportation	22.767	314.6	318.0	3.1	1.1	.1	1.2	.8
New vehicles	4.018	213.2	213.2	3.3	.0	.8	.6	.0
New cars	3.431	213.4	213.4	3.1	.0	.8	.5	.0
Used cars	5.798	386.2	386.4	4.4	.1	2.0	1.0	-.4
Motor fuel	6.213	362.2	375.7	-.1	3.7	-2.3	3.3	3.0
Gasoline		361.6	375.3	-.1	3.8	-2.3	3.4	3.1
Maintenance and repair	1.842	349.6	349.3	2.9	-.1	.3	.0	.0
Other private transportation ¹	4.896	285.1	286.3	6.1	.4	.2	.0	.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹	.723	204.2	205.1	.1	.4	.9	-.9	.4
Other private transportation services ¹	4.173	309.2	310.4	7.1	.4	.0	.2	.4
Public transportation ¹	1.362	386.7	387.4	4.5	.2	.0	.7	.2
Medical care	5.569	394.6	396.1	5.9	.4	.5	.8	.5
Medical care commodities	.938	251.5	253.5	6.9	.8	.7	.4	.5
Medical care services	4.632	425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	.4	.8	.5
Professional services	2.272	362.4	363.6	6.0	.3	.4	.9	.3
Other medical care services	2.360	505.0	506.6	5.5	.3	.4	.8	.7
Entertainment	3.923	257.3	258.6	3.5	.5	-.3	-.1	.5
Entertainment commodities	2.431	252.2	253.2	2.2	.4	-.3	-.3	.4
Entertainment services ¹	1.492	267.4	269.2	5.7	.7	-.2	.2	.7
Other goods and services	5.155	317.6	318.3	6.0	.2	.6	.3	.4
Tobacco products ¹	1.771	323.4	323.6	5.9	.1	.7	.1	.1
Personal care ¹	1.893	276.3	277.5	4.0	.4	.4	.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	.930	276.5	277.5	3.5	.4	.5	.2	.4
Personal care services ¹	.963	276.5	278.0	4.5	.5	.2	.1	.5
Personal and educational expenses	1.490	390.1	390.7	8.6	.2	.8	.7	.7
School books and supplies	.213	348.8	349.4	8.4	.2	.7	.8	.9
Personal and educational services	1.278	400.3	401.0	8.7	.2	.9	.6	.7
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	315.3	316.7	4.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Commodities	55.517	285.2	286.7	2.7	.5	.3	.6	.3
Food and beverages	21.274	301.6	301.4	2.3	-.1	.4	.1	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	34.243	273.1	275.5	2.9	.9	.3	.8	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	19.731	279.4	283.2	2.1	1.4	.1	1.2	1.4
Apparel commodities	4.250	190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	1.0	.4	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	15.481	327.8	333.1	1.8	1.6	-.2	1.0	1.6
Durables	14.511	266.7	267.3	3.4	.2	1.1	.2	-.1
Services	44.483	371.0	372.2	6.3	.3	.4	.4	.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	18.991	101.1	101.6	-	.5	.5	.3	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	8.999	101.1	101.2	-	.1	.0	.7	.1
Transportation services	7.377	328.8	329.6	5.6	.2	.1	.2	.2
Medical care services	4.632	425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	.4	.8	.5
Other services	4.484	304.9	306.2	6.2	.4	.4	.3	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Commodity and service group						
Special indexes:								
All items less food	79.903	315.4	317.2	4.6	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.5
All items less shelter	80.055	301.1	302.4	3.1	.4	.3	.5	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	87.022	101.0	101.4	—	.4	.3	.5	.4
All items less medical care	94.431	311.3	312.6	4.0	.4	.3	.5	.4
Commodities less food	35.419	271.0	273.3	2.9	.8	.3	.8	.7
Nondurables less food ¹	20.908	274.7	278.2	2.1	1.3	.2	1.1	1.3
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	16.658	314.4	319.1	1.8	1.5	-.1	.9	1.5
Nondurables	41.005	291.6	293.4	2.2	.6	-.2	.9	.4
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.492	101.2	101.4	—	.2	.2	.5	.2
Services less medical care ¹	39.852	362.8	364.1	6.4	.4	.3	.3	.4
Energy	12.061	416.0	424.2	.6	2.0	-1.3	1.9	1.9
All items less energy	87.939	307.4	308.1	4.6	.2	.6	.3	.2
All items less food and energy	67.842	305.5	306.4	5.2	.3	.6	.3	.3
Commodities less food and energy	27.918	256.6	257.2	3.5	.2	.9	.3	.0
Energy commodities	7.502	399.0	411.6	-.8	3.2	-2.2	2.9	3.0
Services less energy	39.924	364.9	366.2	6.7	.4	.4	.4	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	—	\$.317	\$.316	-4.0	-.3	-.3	-.6	-.3
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	—	.273	.272	—	—	—	—	—

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.5	6.1	2.1	4.8	4.8	3.4
Food and beverages	299.6	300.8	301.1	300.5	1.1	3.6	3.1	1.2	2.3	2.2
Food	307.3	308.6	308.8	308.3	.9	3.6	3.1	1.3	2.3	2.2
Food at home	295.1	296.3	296.3	295.1	-8	3.9	3.2	.0	1.5	1.6
Cereals and bakery products ¹	310.7	311.9	312.7	313.1	4.9	2.9	4.8	3.1	3.9	3.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	265.5	264.9	265.1	262.2	-8.9	.0	4.0	-4.9	-4.6	-5
Dairy products ¹	257.8	258.3	257.8	257.2	1.0	6.5	4.3	-9	3.7	1.7
Fruits and vegetables	319.7	326.8	324.9	322.9	2.1	14.9	1.3	4.1	8.3	2.7
Other food at home	357.9	359.1	359.8	360.4	4.3	1.9	2.2	2.8	3.1	2.5
Sugar and sweets ¹	394.0	394.4	394.2	395.5	4.0	1.8	1.2	1.5	2.9	1.4
Fats and oils ¹	295.3	294.7	294.3	293.7	13.6	4.8	1.2	-2.1	9.1	-5
Nonalcoholic beverages	450.0	451.0	452.3	453.3	3.8	.4	2.3	3.0	2.0	2.7
Other prepared foods ¹	290.9	292.9	293.7	294.2	2.3	3.2	2.2	4.6	2.8	3.4
Food away from home	343.0	344.6	345.5	346.4	4.8	3.1	3.5	4.0	3.9	3.7
Alcoholic beverages	228.5	229.3	229.4	229.2	2.7	3.6	1.9	1.2	3.2	1.6
Housing	336.1	337.4	338.3	339.7	6.2	9.2	1.1	4.4	7.7	2.7
Shelter	360.0	362.0	362.9	364.6	8.0	12.5	2.1	5.2	10.2	3.7
Renters' costs ²	100.5	101.0	101.4	101.9	-	-	-	5.7	-	-
Rent, residential ¹	256.3	257.5	258.4	259.6	5.5	6.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	5.2
Other renters' costs	380.1	382.3	386.5	390.6	4.6	4.0	2.1	11.5	4.3	6.7
Homeowners' costs ^{1 2}	100.2	100.8	101.0	101.4	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ^{1 2}	100.2	100.8	100.9	101.4	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Household insurance ^{1 2}	100.1	100.6	101.4	102.4	-	-	-	9.5	-	-
Maintenance and repairs ¹	360.9	361.5	364.3	363.1	3.5	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.4
Maintenance and repair services ¹	407.8	408.8	414.8	411.7	4.3	2.9	-3	3.9	3.6	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	260.8	261.1	261.6	261.6	1.9	-1.4	7.4	1.2	.2	4.3
Fuel and other utilities	390.4	389.0	390.8	393.0	5.2	1.6	-1.5	2.7	3.4	.6
Fuels	483.4	482.0	483.5	487.1	5.4	.8	-3.2	3.1	3.1	-1.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	615.9	605.7	609.1	627.2	-6.0	-4.3	-12.8	7.5	-5.1	-3.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	448.2	448.6	449.6	450.3	9.1	2.3	-2	1.9	5.6	.8
Other utilities and public services ¹	236.3	235.1	237.2	237.3	4.4	3.9	4.2	1.7	4.1	2.9
Household furnishings and operation	241.2	242.9	242.9	243.3	.0	5.0	.7	3.5	2.5	2.1
Housefurnishings	197.3	198.9	197.8	198.0	-2.6	6.1	-1.6	1.4	1.6	-1
Housekeeping supplies	306.9	307.6	308.3	308.9	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.6	3.9	3.7
Housekeeping services ¹	331.8	334.9	338.5	339.0	2.7	3.2	1.2	9.0	3.0	5.0
Apparel and upkeep	201.3	203.2	204.1	204.4	-2	9.4	-1.2	6.3	4.5	2.5
Apparel commodities	188.0	189.8	190.6	190.9	-1.3	10.1	-2.5	6.3	4.3	1.8
Men's and boys' apparel	195.8	195.8	196.5	197.8	.6	7.7	1.2	4.1	4.1	2.7
Women's and girls' apparel	167.3	169.7	170.3	170.8	-4.6	20.2	-4.2	8.6	7.1	2.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	299.7	310.1	314.5	306.4	-9.9	15.2	-3.7	9.2	1.9	2.6
Footwear	210.6	212.3	213.6	212.9	2.1	3.9	-2.6	4.4	3.0	.9
Other apparel commodities ¹	199.9	203.0	204.2	203.3	1.0	-3.8	-7.8	7.0	-1.5	-7
Apparel services	310.8	313.6	314.7	315.2	6.4	5.8	4.4	5.8	6.1	5.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Expenditure category										
Transportation	317.5	317.7	321.6	324.1	-0.3	2.6	2.2	8.6	1.1	5.3
Private transportation	313.5	313.8	317.7	320.3	-.9	2.7	2.1	9.0	.9	5.5
New vehicles	210.5	212.2	213.4	213.4	.8	5.7	1.3	5.6	3.2	3.5
New cars	210.9	212.5	213.6	213.6	1.0	5.3	1.1	5.2	3.1	3.2
Used cars	382.8	390.5	394.5	393.1	7.5	-5.3	5.1	11.2	.9	8.1
Motor fuel	365.2	356.9	368.8	379.9	-13.8	2.8	-4.0	17.1	-5.9	6.1
Gasoline	364.4	356.0	368.2	379.5	-13.9	2.3	-4.0	17.6	-6.1	6.3
Maintenance and repair	348.2	349.2	349.3	349.3	3.3	3.8	2.8	1.3	3.6	2.0
Other private transportation ¹	284.7	285.2	285.1	286.3	5.3	9.7	7.2	2.3	7.5	4.7
Other private transportation commodities ¹	204.2	206.1	204.2	205.1	-3.7	-3.7	6.5	1.8	-3.7	4.1
Other private transportation services ¹	308.6	308.7	309.2	310.4	6.9	12.3	7.2	2.4	9.6	4.7
Public transportation ¹	384.2	384.2	386.7	387.4	11.4	.9	2.8	3.4	6.0	3.1
Medical care	388.4	390.2	393.2	395.2	6.1	5.5	4.7	7.2	5.8	5.9
Medical care commodities	248.7	250.4	251.5	252.7	6.6	6.8	7.4	6.6	6.7	7.0
Medical care services	418.8	420.6	424.1	426.3	6.0	5.2	4.4	7.4	5.6	5.9
Professional services	357.2	358.6	361.7	362.9	5.7	6.5	5.2	6.5	6.1	5.9
Other medical care services	496.3	498.3	502.5	506.1	6.4	3.9	3.6	8.1	5.2	5.9
Entertainment	257.7	257.0	256.8	258.0	3.7	5.0	5.3	.5	4.4	2.9
Entertainment commodities	252.4	251.6	250.9	251.9	2.1	3.4	4.1	-.8	2.8	1.6
Entertainment services ¹	267.4	266.8	267.4	269.2	6.6	7.3	6.2	2.7	6.9	4.5
Other goods and services	315.1	317.0	317.9	319.1	7.9	4.0	6.9	5.2	5.9	6.0
Tobacco products ¹	320.8	323.0	323.4	323.6	9.9	1.7	8.7	3.5	5.7	6.1
Personal care ¹	274.9	275.9	276.3	277.5	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.2	3.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	274.6	275.9	276.5	277.5	4.2	2.5	3.0	4.3	3.4	3.6
Personal care services ¹	275.7	276.3	276.5	278.0	4.4	5.5	4.6	3.4	4.9	4.0
Personal and educational expenses	384.7	387.9	390.5	393.3	10.0	7.2	8.5	9.2	8.6	8.9
School books and supplies	341.4	343.9	346.7	349.7	10.0	4.7	9.2	10.1	7.3	9.6
Personal and educational services	395.1	398.6	401.1	403.8	10.1	7.6	8.2	9.1	8.8	8.6
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.5	6.1	2.1	4.8	4.8	3.4
Commodities	283.3	284.2	285.8	286.8	.4	4.1	1.4	5.0	2.2	3.2
Food and beverages	299.6	300.8	301.1	300.5	1.1	3.6	3.1	1.2	2.3	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages	271.3	272.0	274.3	276.2	.1	4.1	.4	7.4	2.1	3.9
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	275.8	276.2	279.4	283.2	-1.9	6.1	-6.3	11.2	2.0	2.1
Apparel commodities	188.0	189.8	190.6	190.9	-1.3	10.1	-2.5	6.3	4.3	1.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	325.2	324.7	327.8	333.1	-.4	1.8	-4.0	10.1	.7	2.8
Durables	265.4	268.3	268.9	268.6	.8	5.2	2.9	4.9	2.9	3.9
Services	368.6	370.0	371.3	372.8	8.1	9.2	3.1	4.6	8.7	3.9
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	100.3	100.8	101.1	101.6	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	100.4	100.4	101.1	101.2	-	-	-	3.2	-	-
Transportation services	327.6	327.9	328.6	329.4	6.8	7.9	5.0	2.2	7.4	3.6
Medical care services	418.8	420.6	424.1	426.3	6.0	5.2	4.4	7.4	5.6	5.9
Other services	303.1	304.2	305.2	306.9	7.1	6.7	6.2	5.1	6.9	5.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
	Commodity and service group									
Special indexes:										
All items less food	313.2	314.2	316.0	317.6	4.1	6.7	1.9	5.7	5.4	3.8
All items less shelter	299.2	300.1	301.7	302.7	1.8	3.9	2.0	4.8	2.8	3.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	100.4	100.7	101.2	101.6	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
All items less medical care	309.4	310.4	311.8	312.9	3.4	6.2	2.2	4.6	4.8	3.4
Commodities less food	269.2	269.9	272.1	273.9	.2	4.1	.3	7.2	2.1	3.7
Nondurables less food ¹	271.2	271.7	274.7	278.2	-1.7	6.0	-6.0	10.7	2.1	2.0
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	311.8	311.5	314.4	319.1	-3	1.9	-3.8	9.7	.8	2.8
Nondurables	289.8	289.2	291.9	293.1	-3	3.2	1.1	4.6	1.5	2.9
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	100.5	100.7	101.2	101.4	-	-	-	3.6	-	-
Services less medical care ¹	360.4	361.6	362.8	364.1	10.1	9.9	1.7	4.2	10.0	2.9
Energy	419.3	413.7	421.4	429.4	-5.0	1.8	-3.5	10.0	-1.6	3.0
All items less energy	305.0	306.7	307.6	308.1	4.6	6.7	2.9	4.1	5.6	3.5
All items less food and energy	303.0	304.9	305.9	306.7	5.5	7.5	3.0	5.0	6.5	4.0
Commodities less food and energy	254.7	257.0	257.8	257.9	2.9	4.7	2.2	5.1	3.8	3.7
Energy commodities	400.8	392.0	403.3	415.4	-12.5	1.5	-5.6	15.4	-5.7	4.4
Services less energy	362.3	363.7	365.1	366.6	8.0	10.2	3.7	4.8	9.1	4.3

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food and beverages		301.6	301.4	2.3	-0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.2
Food		309.3	309.2	2.3	.0	.4	.1	-.2
Food at home		296.9	296.1	1.5	-.3	.4	.0	-.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		312.7	313.1	3.9	.1	.4	.3	.1
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	168.7	168.8	3.5	.1	.2	.7	.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	149.1	147.8	2.6	-.9	1.2	.6	-1.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	195.2	196.2	5.4	.5	1.3	.6	.5
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	151.7	151.9	1.0	.1	-.1	1.0	.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	164.4	164.7	4.1	.2	.2	.1	.2
White bread ¹		262.5	261.9	3.1	-.2	-.1	-.1	-.2
Other bread ¹	12/77	161.0	162.7	3.8	1.1	1.5	.3	1.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	158.8	157.3	1.4	-.9	1.3	-.6	-.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	12/77	167.4	168.0	5.5	.4	-.3	.4	.4
Cookies	12/77	172.9	173.2	5.1	.2	-.3	.6	-.2
Crackers and bread and cracker products ¹	12/77	170.2	171.9	8.7	1.0	.8	.6	1.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeeecake, and donuts ¹	12/77	166.9	167.9	2.9	.6	.0	-.5	.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ¹	12/77	166.8	167.2	5.1	.2	-.4	1.2	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		265.6	262.9	-2.6	-1.0	-.2	.1	-1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish		273.0	270.3	-.7	-1.0	-.4	-.2	-1.1
Meats		268.9	265.7	-1.0	-1.2	-.4	-.2	-1.3
Beef and veal		276.2	274.4	-2.6	-.7	-1.1	.0	-1.7
Ground beef other than canned		257.7	257.4	-2.5	-.1	-.7	.1	-.7
Chuck roast		288.9	283.6	-4.1	-1.8	-1.2	-.8	-2.6
Round roast		244.2	242.5	-4.8	-.7	-1.7	1.4	-1.4
Round steak		254.5	252.1	-3.6	-.9	-.9	-1.2	-1.7
Sirloin steak		276.3	274.5	-4.2	-.7	-2.2	.5	-3.8
Other beef and veal	12/77	170.0	169.1	-1.1	-.5	-1.0	.4	-2.3
Pork		255.8	248.2	.4	-3.0	.4	-.2	-1.5
Bacon		282.2	281.8	7.3	-.1	-.8	3.1	2.0
Chops		232.1	224.5	-2.9	-3.3	2.1	-2.0	-2.6
Ham other than canned	12/77	116.5	105.5	-.8	-9.4	1.3	1.0	-4.9
Sausage ¹		320.3	315.9	.2	-1.4	-.9	-.6	-1.4
Canned ham		261.9	254.3	.9	-2.9	1.8	.0	-.9
Other pork	12/77	136.6	135.2	-1.2	-1.0	-1.5	-.4	-.4
Other meats ¹		267.8	268.2	1.6	.1	.1	-.7	.1
Frankfurters ¹		265.7	266.0	1.9	.1	.5	-.9	.1
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ¹	12/77	156.4	158.2	3.7	1.2	.6	-.1	1.2
Other lunchmeats ¹	12/77	134.9	134.4	.7	-.4	.0	-1.0	-.4
Lamb and organ meats ¹	12/77	142.7	142.4	.2	-.2	-.6	-.6	-.2
Poultry ¹		214.8	214.4	-2.7	-.2	.9	-1.0	-.2
Fresh whole chicken ¹		213.2	212.7	-7.0	-.2	.9	-.4	-.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	138.8	138.3	-6.7	-.4	1.3	-1.8	-.4
Other poultry ¹	12/77	140.7	140.8	10.6	.1	.4	-1.1	.1
Fish and seafood		403.1	401.9	4.1	-.3	-1.0	.5	-.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.3	132.8	.5	-.4	-.6	.1	-.4
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	166.0	165.6	6.1	-.2	-2.1	.7	-.1
Eggs		172.7	170.6	-32.0	-1.2	4.1	5.7	-1.6

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Dairy products ¹		257.8	257.2	2.7	-0.2	0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.8	139.4	2.3	-.3	.3	.1	-.5
Fresh whole milk		228.5	227.9	2.4	-.3	.2	.1	-.4
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	140.5	140.1	2.6	-.3	.4	-.2	-.3
Processed dairy products ¹		154.7	154.4	3.1	-.2	.2	-.3	-.2
Butter ¹		266.6	262.0	2.8	-1.7	-.6	-.4	-1.7
Cheese ¹		150.9	150.3	2.3	-.4	.5	-.3	-.4
Ice cream and related products ¹		161.1	161.4	3.9	.2	.2	-.4	.2
Other dairy products ¹	12/77	153.2	155.0	4.2	1.2	.1	-.1	1.2
Fruits and vegetables		326.8	328.1	5.4	.4	2.2	-.6	-.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables		344.2	346.1	7.8	.6	6.0	-1.2	-1.8
Fresh fruits		348.3	353.7	20.3	1.6	2.3	-1.7	-.5
Apples		322.4	329.7	9.8	2.3	3.5	-2.0	-.2
Bananas		281.0	300.1	9.9	6.8	4.8	-.3	3.1
Oranges		399.0	407.4	43.8	2.1	5.2	-4.2	-2.0
Other fresh fruits	12/77	185.4	184.8	19.1	-.3	2.1	-3.0	-1.7
Fresh vegetables		340.7	339.5	-1.7	-.4	1.2	1.3	-1.4
Potatoes		331.0	335.8	-6.7	1.5	-1.6	.4	-1.2
Lettuce ¹		311.9	266.9	8.0	-14.4	-11.6	-8.7	-14.4
Tomatoes ¹		326.0	413.5	44.3	26.8	18.7	14.1	26.8
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	198.4	190.5	-12.3	-4.0	9.6	-4.5	-2.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		310.0	310.8	2.6	.3	.6	.0	.3
Processed fruits	12/77	166.9	167.9	4.2	.6	.2	-.6	.8
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	171.4	172.6	6.3	.7	-.5	.1	.7
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	168.7	170.1	4.9	.8	.3	-1.0	.8
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	161.3	161.7	1.7	.2	.4	.1	.2
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.0	145.9	1.1	-.1	.3	-.3	-.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	160.9	162.0	2.7	.7	.4	-.4	.7
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ¹	12/77	147.5	147.1	.9	-.3	-.4	.1	-.3
Other canned and dried vegetables ¹	12/77	138.1	137.6	.3	-.4	.5	-.3	-.4
Other foods at home		361.0	361.3	2.8	.1	.3	.2	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		394.2	395.5	2.1	.3	.1	-.1	.3
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	163.2	164.1	3.6	.6	.3	-.1	.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.0	170.6	-1.4	-.8	-.2	-.5	-.8
Other sweets ¹	12/77	158.1	160.3	3.6	1.4	.6	-.2	1.4
Fats and oils ¹		294.3	293.7	4.2	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2
Margarine ¹		294.5	294.4	5.7	.0	-.5	.2	.0
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ¹	12/77	157.7	158.1	3.9	.3	-.3	.1	.3
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ¹	12/77	153.0	152.3	3.5	-.5	-.1	-.3	-.5
Nonalcoholic beverages		455.5	455.6	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		323.6	322.7	1.5	-.3	.6	-.1	.0
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	147.4	148.3	-.5	.6	-.1	.2	1.0
Roasted coffee ¹		375.2	372.8	2.7	-.6	.9	.5	-.6
Freeze dried and instant coffee ¹		375.6	378.0	4.5	.6	.4	.3	.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	154.0	154.1	6.3	.1	.9	.8	.5
Other prepared foods ¹		293.7	294.2	3.1	.2	.7	.3	.2
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	151.7	152.6	4.2	.6	.1	-.4	.3
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	164.4	164.8	4.0	.2	1.1	.2	.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	171.9	171.8	4.0	-.1	1.2	-.1	-.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	167.1	166.8	2.7	-.2	-.2	-.2	.4
Other condiments	12/77	163.4	164.3	3.1	.6	-.1	.3	.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods ¹	12/77	159.7	159.8	2.4	.1	.5	1.7	.1
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	154.9	155.1	1.4	.1	.3	.0	-.3

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**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average
—Continued**

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food away from home		345.8	347.1	3.9	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3
Lunch	12/77	167.0	167.4	3.8	.2	.5	.4	.1
Dinner	12/77	167.2	168.0	4.2	.5	.6	.4	.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	169.3	170.1	3.6	.5	-.1	.4	.5
Alcoholic beverages		229.9	229.9	2.4	.0	.4	.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	147.1	146.9	1.7	-.1	.0	.1	-.3
Beer and ale		234.7	234.2	2.3	-.2	-.2	.2	-.5
Whiskey ¹		154.9	154.6	.6	-.2	.4	.1	-.2
Wine ¹		241.8	242.6	.4	.3	.4	-.1	.3
Other alcoholic beverages ¹	12/77	124.2	124.4	1.4	.2	.7	.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	161.8	162.7	5.1	.6	.7	.2	.6
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		282.5	281.6	1.3	-.3	.5	-.1	-.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		276.6	274.8	-2.7	-.7	-.4	.0	-.7
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	144.2	144.4	2.8	.1	.1	.4	.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Table 10. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Food and beverages		301.1	300.5	1.1	3.6	3.1	1.2	2.3	2.2
Food		308.8	308.3	.9	3.6	3.1	1.3	2.3	2.2
Food at home		296.3	295.1	-.8	3.9	3.2	.0	1.5	1.6
Cereals and bakery products ¹		312.7	313.1	4.9	2.9	4.8	3.1	3.9	3.9
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	168.5	168.6	3.2	1.7	4.7	4.1	2.5	4.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	150.0	148.4	3.1	.5	3.9	2.7	1.8	3.3
Cereal ¹	12/77	195.2	196.2	4.1	.9	7.2	9.7	2.5	8.5
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	151.7	151.9	2.7	-4.4	1.6	4.3	-.9	3.0
Bakery products ¹	12/77	164.4	164.7	4.9	4.6	4.8	2.2	4.7	3.5
White bread ¹		262.5	261.9	4.2	5.6	4.5	-1.7	4.9	1.4
Other bread ¹	12/77	161.0	162.7	2.6	.5	.3	12.2	1.5	6.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	158.8	157.3	-1.3	4.7	3.1	-.8	1.7	1.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ¹	12/77	167.4	168.0	6.7	8.1	5.7	1.7	7.4	3.7
Cookies	12/77	172.6	172.2	10.1	5.6	4.5	.5	7.8	2.5
Crackers and bread and cracker products ¹	12/77	170.2	171.9	10.2	5.5	9.1	10.1	7.9	9.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts ¹	12/77	166.9	167.9	6.3	2.4	2.7	.5	4.3	1.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ¹	12/77	166.8	167.2	7.8	1.5	7.1	4.2	4.6	5.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		265.1	262.2	-8.9	.0	4.0	-4.9	-4.6	-.5
Meats, poultry, and fish		273.2	270.3	-4.8	1.6	7.0	-6.3	-1.6	.1
Meats		269.6	266.2	-6.2	3.2	7.1	-7.3	-1.6	-.4
Beef and veal		276.8	272.2	-15.3	11.7	6.1	-10.4	-2.8	-2.5
Ground beef other than canned		256.9	255.1	-13.8	8.8	1.7	-5.3	-3.1	-1.9
Chuck roast		286.0	278.6	-19.5	24.5	1.5	-16.9	.1	-8.2
Round roast		243.7	240.3	-27.0	17.3	2.7	-6.7	-7.5	-2.1
Round steak		253.2	248.9	-20.4	15.4	9.8	-14.2	-4.1	-2.9
Sirloin steak		284.6	273.7	-17.5	13.1	13.3	-20.2	-3.4	-4.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	171.7	167.8	-9.3	8.5	9.6	-11.1	-.8	-1.3
Pork		257.6	253.8	4.3	-10.1	14.2	-5.0	-3.1	4.1
Bacon		285.6	291.4	12.8	-18.2	21.0	18.7	-3.9	19.8
Chops		233.7	227.7	2.1	-7.7	4.8	-9.6	-3.0	-2.7
Ham other than canned	12/77	115.8	110.1	2.2	-5.6	11.8	-10.2	-1.8	.2
Sausage ¹		320.3	315.9	10.0	-4.0	6.9	-10.7	2.7	-2.3
Canned ham		258.8	256.6	3.7	-.2	-3.8	4.0	1.7	.0
Other pork	12/77	138.5	138.0	-1.7	-7.0	14.5	-8.8	-4.4	2.2
Other meats ¹		267.8	268.2	5.6	3.0	-.4	-1.5	4.3	-1.0
Frankfurters ¹		265.7	266.0	4.2	6.5	-2.1	-.9	5.4	-1.5
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ¹	12/77	156.4	158.2	5.9	3.1	-1.0	6.9	4.5	2.8
Other lunchmeats ¹	12/77	134.9	134.4	9.3	3.3	-3.7	-5.2	6.2	-4.5
Lamb and organ meats ¹	12/77	142.7	142.4	-.3	-2.8	10.0	-5.4	-1.5	2.0
Poultry ¹		214.8	214.4	-2.9	-12.5	6.8	-1.3	-7.8	2.7
Fresh whole chicken ¹		213.2	212.7	-5.6	-22.6	1.1	1.3	-14.6	1.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	138.8	138.3	-10.1	-13.6	.9	-3.4	-11.9	-1.3
Other poultry ¹	12/77	140.7	140.8	13.9	8.8	24.3	-2.8	11.3	9.9
Fish and seafood		397.9	396.7	6.9	4.7	8.6	-3.4	5.8	2.5
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.3	132.8	5.2	-4.1	4.6	-3.5	.5	.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	162.0	161.9	11.2	7.9	11.7	-5.7	9.5	2.6
Eggs		167.3	164.7	-57.8	-25.9	-50.4	37.5	-44.1	-17.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 10. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Dairy products ¹		257.8	257.2	1.0	6.5	4.3	-0.9	3.7	1.7
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.5	138.8	1.2	7.2	1.5	-6	4.2	.4
Fresh whole milk		228.0	227.0	.9	8.3	.9	-5	4.6	.2
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	140.5	140.1	.6	4.5	5.9	-6	2.5	2.6
Processed dairy products ¹		154.7	154.4	3.2	7.3	2.9	-1.0	5.3	.9
Butter ¹		266.6	262.0	14.7	12.0	-3.3	-10.1	13.4	-6.8
Cheese ¹		150.9	150.3	3.6	4.7	1.9	-8	4.1	.5
Ice cream and related products ¹		161.1	161.4	-1.3	11.3	5.9	.2	4.8	3.0
Other dairy products ¹	12/77	153.2	155.0	-.3	4.9	7.9	4.5	2.3	6.2
Fruits and vegetables		324.9	322.9	2.1	14.9	1.3	4.1	8.3	2.7
Fresh fruits and vegetables		342.5	336.3	.8	26.6	-5.3	12.0	13.0	3.0
Fresh fruits		360.6	358.7	15.9	32.2	36.4	.0	23.8	16.8
Apples		330.0	329.4	-9.8	46.7	4.6	5.0	15.1	4.8
Bananas		274.4	282.8	.3	-10.6	20.8	34.3	-5.3	27.3
Oranges		450.3	441.4	175.0	48.6	9.7	-4.5	102.1	2.4
Other fresh fruits	12/77	186.1	183.0	-12.6	40.9	82.3	-10.2	11.0	27.9
Fresh vegetables		322.0	317.6	-8.5	21.7	-19.9	4.7	5.5	-8.4
Potatoes		345.9	341.6	4.7	-22.9	3.4	-9.4	-10.2	-3.2
Lettuce ¹		311.9	266.9	-1.4	383.6	25.7	-77.3	118.3	-46.6
Tomatoes ¹		326.0	413.5	-49.1	32.8	-26.6	772.4	-17.8	153.1
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	171.8	167.8	-32.6	16.9	-31.2	9.1	-11.3	-13.4
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		310.0	310.8	4.8	.0	1.8	3.8	2.4	2.8
Processed fruits	12/77	165.2	166.6	6.9	5.5	2.7	1.7	6.2	2.2
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	167.9	169.0	12.6	7.8	4.1	.7	10.2	2.4
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	167.4	168.8	7.9	10.4	1.0	.5	9.1	.7
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	161.3	161.7	6.2	-5.1	3.0	3.0	.4	3.0
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.0	145.9	4.8	-1.9	1.9	-3	1.4	.8
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	160.9	162.0	-2.5	5.7	5.1	2.8	1.5	3.9
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ¹	12/77	147.5	147.1	11.1	-6.5	2.2	-2.4	1.9	-1
Other canned and dried vegetables ¹	12/77	138.1	137.6	5.0	-3.1	.0	-6	.9	-3
Other foods at home		359.8	360.4	4.3	1.9	2.2	2.8	3.1	2.5
Sugar and sweets ¹		394.2	395.5	4.0	1.8	1.2	1.5	2.9	1.4
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	163.2	163.3	7.0	4.1	2.5	1.0	5.5	1.7
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.0	170.6	-1.8	3.5	-1.1	-5.9	.8	-3.5
Other sweets ¹	12/77	158.1	160.3	6.1	1.8	-5	7.3	3.9	3.3
Fats and oils ¹		294.3	293.7	13.6	4.8	1.2	-2.1	9.1	-5
Margarine ¹		294.5	294.4	19.4	5.5	.7	-1.5	12.2	-4
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ¹	12/77	157.7	158.1	-2.3	11.0	7.4	.0	4.1	3.6
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ¹	12/77	153.0	152.3	17.6	1.6	-5	-3.3	9.3	-1.9
Nonalcoholic beverages		452.3	453.3	3.8	.4	2.3	3.0	2.0	2.7
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		320.7	320.8	-5	.4	4.0	2.3	-1	3.1
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	146.1	147.6	2.5	-5.5	-2.7	4.5	-1.6	.8
Roasted coffee ¹		375.2	372.8	6.8	2.7	-1.7	3.2	4.7	.7
Freeze dried and instant coffee ¹		375.6	378.0	5.3	5.5	1.8	5.6	5.4	3.7
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	153.1	153.8	9.4	5.0	2.2	8.8	7.2	5.4
Other prepared foods ¹		293.7	294.2	2.3	3.2	2.2	4.6	2.8	3.4
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	151.7	152.1	2.5	5.8	8.6	-3	4.1	4.1
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	164.4	164.8	-3	9.7	.5	6.6	4.6	3.5
Snacks ¹	12/77	171.9	171.8	7.7	4.1	-2	4.5	5.9	2.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	165.4	166.0	6.1	3.7	1.5	-2	4.9	.6
Other condiments	12/77	163.4	164.1	4.3	1.8	3.8	2.5	3.0	3.1
Miscellaneous prepared foods ¹	12/77	159.7	159.8	-2.8	2.9	.8	9.3	.0	4.9
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	154.7	154.3	1.6	2.4	1.3	.3	2.0	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 10. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Food away from home		345.5	346.4	4.8	3.1	3.5	4.0	3.9	3.7
Lunch	12/77	167.0	167.2	5.3	3.2	2.7	4.2	4.3	3.4
Dinner	12/77	167.0	167.8	4.3	2.7	3.5	5.9	3.5	4.7
Other meals and snacks	12/77	169.0	169.8	5.0	2.2	4.4	3.1	3.6	3.8
Alcoholic beverages		229.4	229.2	2.7	3.6	1.9	1.2	3.2	1.6
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	146.8	146.3	1.7	3.1	2.8	-.8	2.4	1.0
Beer and ale		234.0	232.8	3.6	4.2	3.8	-2.2	3.9	.8
Whiskey ¹		154.9	154.6	.5	2.6	-2.0	1.3	1.6	-.4
Wine ¹		241.8	242.6	-2.6	4.1	-2.5	2.7	.7	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ¹	12/77	124.2	124.4	-1.0	1.6	.0	5.0	.3	2.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	161.6	162.5	5.5	6.5	2.0	6.1	6.0	4.1
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		281.4	280.2	-1.4	5.6	1.1	-.3	2.0	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		276.6	274.8	-12.8	-.9	8.0	-3.8	-7.0	1.9
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	143.1	143.3	5.0	.9	3.4	2.3	2.9	2.9

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housing		338.2	339.5	5.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Shelter		363.0	364.7	6.9	.5	.6	.2	.5
Renters' costs	12/84	101.4	101.9	-	.5	.5	.4	.5
Rent, residential ¹		258.4	259.6	5.7	.5	.5	.3	.5
Other renters' costs		385.3	391.0	5.5	1.5	.6	1.1	1.1
Lodging while out of town		404.3	412.8	4.8	2.1	.6	1.0	1.4
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	114.6	114.6	7.7	.0	.1	.0	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	166.2	167.5	4.8	.8	.4	1.2	.8
Homeowners' costs ¹	12/84	101.0	101.4	-	.4	.6	.2	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	12/84	100.9	101.4	-	.5	.6	.1	.5
Household insurance ¹	12/84	101.4	102.4	-	1.0	.5	.8	1.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹		364.3	363.1	2.5	-.3	.2	.8	-.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹		414.8	411.7	2.7	-.7	.2	1.5	-.7
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		261.6	261.6	2.2	.0	.1	.2	.0
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ¹	12/77	152.1	151.8	3.1	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ¹	12/77	128.3	128.1	2.9	-.2	-.5	.4	-.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ¹	12/77	146.1	145.8	4.0	-.2	1.8	1.8	-.2
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment ¹	12/77	145.5	145.7	2.8	.1	.3	.2	.1
Fuel and other utilities		389.2	389.7	2.0	.1	-.4	.5	.6
Fuels		481.6	482.3	1.5	.1	-.3	.3	.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		623.1	625.9	-4.1	.4	-1.7	.6	3.0
Fuel oil		628.7	632.5	-4.6	.6	-1.6	.7	3.3
Other fuels	6/78	194.7	193.7	-1.3	-.5	-.9	.5	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity		444.4	444.6	3.1	.0	.1	.2	.2
Electricity		353.2	354.6	4.9	.4	.6	.0	.8
Utility (piped) gas		577.2	575.0	.9	-.4	-.5	.5	-.7
Other utilities and public services ¹		237.2	237.3	3.5	.0	-.5	.9	.0
Telephone services ¹		191.9	191.7	2.5	-.1	-.9	1.3	-.1
Local charges ¹	12/77	168.2	168.0	6.1	-.1	-1.6	2.0	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	116.6	116.6	-5.0	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.2	124.2	.5	.0	.0	.2	.0
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		395.1	396.8	5.6	.4	.4	.0	.4
Cable television ¹	12/83	108.9	109.3	6.2	.4	1.1	.5	.4
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	108.3	108.6	6.8	.3	.7	.1	.3
Household furnishings and operation		243.2	244.1	2.2	.4	.7	.0	.2
Housefurnishings		198.2	199.2	.8	.5	.8	-.6	.1
Textile housefurnishings		245.2	243.0	1.8	-.9	1.0	-2.3	-.1
Household linens	12/77	143.5	141.7	1.3	-1.3	3.1	-4.6	-1.0
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ¹	12/77	163.8	163.0	2.4	-.5	.6	.9	-.5
Furniture and bedding		223.1	228.0	4.2	2.2	1.3	-.5	1.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	152.7	161.2	7.8	5.6	.5	1.0	5.6
Sofas	12/77	121.0	123.7	2.0	2.2	.2	-.7	1.4
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	128.1	128.1	1.4	.0	.6	.9	.0
Other furniture	12/77	145.2	145.0	3.4	-.1	1.2	-1.1	-1.5
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		147.6	147.3	-2.7	-.2	.5	-.2	-.2
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	98.5	97.9	-4.4	-.6	.5	-.1	-.6
Television ¹		91.0	89.5	-6.1	-1.6	-.2	.6	-1.6
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	105.7	106.0	-3.0	.3	1.1	-.7	.3
Household appliances ¹		188.8	189.5	-1.3	.4	.4	-.2	.4
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		201.0	201.8	-.2	.4	-.1	-1.1	.4
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.3	149.6	1.4	.2	.1	.9	.2
Other household appliances ¹	12/77	119.7	120.2	-3.8	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ¹	12/77	121.2	121.0	-3.5	-.2	1.0	.4	-.2
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ¹	12/77	117.9	119.1	-4.1	1.0	.3	-.7	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	142.1	141.9	0.9	-0.1	1.1	-0.4	-0.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	141.4	140.7	1.2	-.5	1.4	-.7	-.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.6	132.2	-.5	.5	1.7	-1.2	.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	144.8	144.1	-.7	-.5	.8	.6	-.5
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	144.9	145.1	3.3	.1	1.0	-.8	.1
Housekeeping supplies		308.9	309.8	3.8	.3	.2	.2	.2
Soaps and detergents ¹		303.9	304.8	4.1	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Other laundry and cleaning products ¹	12/77	157.6	156.5	2.6	-.7	.2	.3	-.7
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ¹	12/77	159.7	161.0	6.2	.8	1.2	.9	.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ¹	12/77	149.8	151.1	4.1	.9	-.1	.5	.9
Miscellaneous household products ¹	12/77	158.6	158.2	2.9	-.3	.3	.1	-.3
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	142.4	144.3	2.7	1.3	.8	-1.5	-.1
Housekeeping services ¹		338.5	339.0	4.0	.1	.9	1.1	.1
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	10.4	.0	3.6	6.5	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ¹	12/77	182.0	182.6	6.1	.3	1.5	.6	.3
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	154.0	154.4	4.7	.3	.5	.4	.3
Apparel and upkeep		204.2	204.9	3.4	.3	.9	.4	.1
Apparel commodities		190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	1.0	.4	.2
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.0	187.7	3.2	.4	1.0	.4	.2
Men's and boys'		195.7	197.8	3.5	1.1	.0	.4	.7
Men's	12/77	123.8	125.4	3.6	1.3	.0	.4	.8
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	106.5	108.6	3.0	2.0	-.3	-.6	1.2
Coats and jackets	12/77	103.0	103.3	.9	.3	.3	-2.0	-.5
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	146.0	146.9	3.4	.6	-.3	.8	.6
Shirts	12/77	133.7	135.5	4.2	1.3	2.4	1.4	1.4
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	123.8	125.7	4.8	1.5	-.6	1.3	1.1
Boys'	12/77	124.5	125.2	2.8	.6	-.3	-.1	1.0
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	122.0	123.6	1.3	1.3	.4	1.1	.6
Furnishings	12/77	133.8	134.4	1.3	.4	.5	-1.0	.1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	123.2	123.1	4.7	-.1	-.4	-.4	.8
Women's and girls'		171.5	172.0	4.6	.3	1.4	.4	.3
Women's	12/77	114.9	115.2	4.8	.3	1.3	.4	.4
Coats and jackets		169.8	172.7	1.5	1.7	1.4	-3.0	2.8
Dresses		168.7	166.9	3.9	-1.1	2.0	2.3	-1.5
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.7	103.6	10.8	.9	2.7	.4	.9
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	139.8	140.5	2.9	.5	.2	.4	.5
Suits	12/77	109.8	108.9	4.5	-.8	3.9	.4	2.4
Girls'	12/77	110.6	111.0	3.2	.4	2.1	-.2	-.5
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	104.9	102.4	4.4	-2.4	5.9	.5	-3.1
Separates and sportswear	12/77	104.9	107.5	2.2	2.5	-.7	-.8	1.1
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	129.7	131.1	3.3	1.1	1.5	-.8	.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		314.5	306.4	2.2	-2.6	3.5	1.4	-2.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		204.2	203.3	-1.1	-.4	1.6	.6	-.4
Sewing materials and notions ¹	12/77	120.5	119.8	-.8	-.6	.3	.8	-.6
Jewelry and luggage ¹	12/77	137.4	136.8	-1.2	-.4	2.1	.5	-.4
Footwear		213.4	213.3	1.9	.0	.8	.6	-.3
Men's	12/77	140.9	141.1	2.3	.1	-.2	1.3	-.2
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	139.5	136.9	2.2	-1.9	.9	-.1	-1.9
Women's	12/77	123.1	124.6	1.0	1.2	1.4	.8	.5
Apparel services		314.7	316.1	5.6	.4	.9	.4	.2
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	188.2	188.8	5.2	.3	.8	.5	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	165.5	166.5	6.1	.6	1.1	.2	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Transportation		318.7	322.0	3.2	1.0	0.1	1.2	0.8
Private		314.6	318.0	3.1	1.1	.1	1.2	.8
New vehicles		213.2	213.2	3.3	.0	.8	.6	.0
New cars		213.4	213.4	3.1	.0	.8	.5	.0
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	105.4	105.5	4.4	.1	.8	.4	.1
Used cars		386.2	386.4	4.4	.1	2.0	1.0	-.4
Motor fuel		362.2	375.7	-.1	3.7	-2.3	3.3	3.0
Gasoline		361.6	375.3	-.1	3.8	-2.3	3.4	3.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	200.3	209.1	-.5	4.4	-2.5	3.9	3.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	208.3	216.4	.0	3.9	-2.3	3.3	3.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	93.1	95.4	.5	2.5	-.9	1.6	2.5
Automobile maintenance and repair		349.6	349.3	2.9	-.1	.3	.0	.0
Body work ¹	12/77	177.1	176.7	3.9	-.2	.9	.1	-.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	175.1	175.4	3.7	.2	.2	.3	.2
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	156.5	156.0	1.7	-.3	.3	-.2	-.3
Power plant repair	12/77	166.8	166.9	3.1	.1	.4	.2	.3
Other private transportation ¹		285.1	286.3	6.1	.4	.2	.0	.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.2	205.1	.1	.4	.9	-.9	.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.4	154.7	1.8	-.5	.5	.1	-.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.5	129.2	-.2	.5	1.0	-1.1	.5
Tires ¹		175.0	176.5	.0	.9	1.6	-1.5	.9
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	132.8	132.8	-.6	.0	-.3	-.3	.0
Other private transportation services ¹		309.2	310.4	7.1	.4	.0	.2	.4
Automobile insurance ¹		347.2	350.5	9.2	1.0	.4	.6	1.0
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	166.2	165.2	3.0	-.6	-.9	-.9	-.6
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	161.0	161.3	7.2	.2	.4	.4	.2
State registration ¹		214.1	214.1	8.0	.0	.0	.5	.0
Drivers' license ¹	12/77	164.9	164.9	4.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ¹	12/77	142.5	144.4	2.9	1.3	.0	.1	1.3
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	180.5	181.4	5.8	.5	1.1	.3	.5
Public transportation ¹		386.7	387.4	4.5	.2	.0	.7	.2
Airline fare ¹		459.9	462.1	8.6	.5	-.1	1.3	.5
Intercity bus fare ¹		452.2	451.7	5.6	-.1	-.9	-.7	-.1
Intracity mass transit ¹		347.5	347.4	1.5	.0	.0	.2	.0
Taxi fare ¹		326.7	326.8	2.8	.0	.5	.8	.0
Intercity train fare ¹		390.7	390.7	4.5	.0	.0	.0	.0
Medical care		394.6	396.1	5.9	.4	.5	.8	.5
Medical care commodities		251.5	253.5	6.9	.8	.7	.4	.5
Prescription drugs		252.4	255.1	9.9	1.1	.4	1.2	.8
Anti-infective drugs ¹	12/77	176.7	178.4	6.6	1.0	.2	1.1	1.0
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	227.8	233.8	17.9	2.6	.8	2.1	2.3
Circulatories and diuretics ¹	12/77	180.1	181.8	9.8	.9	1.4	1.3	.9
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies								
Pain and symptom control drugs ¹	12/77	233.3	233.9	8.9	.3	.1	-.2	-.5
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	203.0	204.6	7.7	.8	.8	1.3	.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/77	186.4	187.9	8.1	.8	1.1	.8	.4
Eyeglasses ¹	12/77	169.5	170.4	4.5	.5	.4	.4	.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	12/77	143.4	143.4	4.1	.0	1.1	.3	.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	277.6	279.6	5.1	.7	.1	.5	.7
Medical care services		162.6	163.1	3.2	.3	.7	-.1	.3
Professional services		425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	.4	.8	.5
Physicians' services		362.4	363.6	6.0	.3	.4	.9	.3
Dental services ¹		397.0	398.5	5.6	.4	.4	.9	.6
Other professional services ¹		340.7	342.0	6.7	.4	.2	.8	.4
Other medical care services	12/77	164.7	164.8	5.8	.1	1.2	.2	.1
Hospital and other medical services		505.0	506.6	5.5	.3	.4	.8	.7
Hospital room	12/77	218.8	219.2	6.6	.2	.4	.6	.5
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	692.2	692.9	6.1	.1	.3	.7	.6
		216.3	216.8	7.1	.2	.4	.7	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Entertainment		257.3	258.6	3.5	0.5	-0.3	-0.1	0.5
Entertainment commodities		252.2	253.2	2.2	.4	-.3	-.3	.4
Reading materials ¹	12/77	172.4	172.9	5.4	.3	1.1	1.0	.3
Newspapers ¹		324.5	326.1	4.2	.5	.8	.3	.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	182.7	182.7	7.0	.0	1.6	1.8	.0
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.4	133.8	.9	.3	-.8	-.5	.2
Sport vehicles ¹	12/77	136.0	136.5	1.8	.4	-.1	-.4	.4
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ¹	12/77	116.3	116.1	.4	-.2	.3	.4	-.2
Bicycles		201.6	202.9	.3	.6	.0	.3	.5
Other sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.3	131.9	-2.5	-.3	-1.0	-.5	-.3
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	141.0	141.6	1.1	.4	-.5	-.4	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	133.8	135.0	-.6	.9	-.4	-1.2	.9
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	137.2	136.9	2.0	-.2	-1.1	.2	-.6
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	156.0	156.3	3.5	.2	.0	-.2	.2
Entertainment services ¹		267.4	269.2	5.7	.7	-.2	.2	.7
Fees for participant sports ¹	12/77	167.4	168.5	5.2	.7	-.1	-.1	.7
Admissions ¹	12/77	158.4	159.7	7.7	.8	-.6	.2	.8
Other entertainment services ¹	12/77	140.3	140.8	3.8	.4	.1	1.2	.4
Other goods and services		317.6	318.3	6.0	.2	.6	.3	.4
Tobacco products ¹		323.4	323.6	5.9	.1	.7	.1	.1
Cigarettes ¹		331.7	331.7	5.9	.0	.7	.1	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	164.8	165.6	5.1	.5	.6	.7	.2
Personal care ¹		276.3	277.5	4.0	.4	.4	.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		276.5	277.5	3.5	.4	.5	.2	.4
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ¹	12/77	156.3	156.6	1.6	.2	.3	.1	.2
Dental and shaving products ¹	12/77	172.3	173.8	6.4	.9	1.2	-.7	.9
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	156.8	156.8	2.7	.0	.3	.0	.0
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ¹	12/77	161.1	162.0	4.4	.6	.3	1.4	.6
Personal care services ¹		276.5	278.0	4.5	.5	.2	.1	.5
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		277.8	279.2	4.4	.5	.1	.3	.5
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	155.1	156.0	4.6	.6	.4	-.3	.6
Personal and educational expenses		390.1	390.7	8.6	.2	.8	.7	.7
School books and supplies		348.8	349.4	8.4	.2	.7	.8	.9
Personal and educational services		400.3	401.0	8.7	.2	.9	.6	.7
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	202.5	202.6	9.3	.0	.9	.4	.7
College tuition	12/77	202.5	202.5	9.2	.0	1.0	.5	.5
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	202.9	202.9	9.7	.0	.9	.8	.8
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	214.8	216.2	6.6	.7	.8	1.0	.7
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		358.1	371.2	-.1	3.7	-2.2	3.3	2.9
Utilities and public transportation		358.9	359.1	3.5	.1	.1	.5	.1
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		390.9	391.1	3.9	.1	.9	1.1	.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Housing		338.3	339.7	6.2	9.2	1.1	4.4	7.7	2.7
Shelter		362.9	364.6	8.0	12.5	2.1	5.2	10.2	3.7
Renters' costs	12/84	101.4	101.9	-	-	-	5.7	-	-
Rent, residential ¹		258.4	259.6	5.5	6.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	5.2
Other renters' costs		386.5	390.6	4.6	4.0	2.1	11.5	4.3	6.7
Lodging while out of town		405.1	410.7	3.7	3.3	.1	12.7	3.5	6.2
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	114.6	114.6	.0	34.6	-3	.3	16.0	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	166.2	167.5	1.5	7.7	.2	10.2	4.6	5.1
Homeowners' costs ¹	12/84	101.0	101.4	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	12/84	100.9	101.4	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Household insurance ¹	12/84	101.4	102.4	-	-	-	9.5	-	-
Maintenance and repairs ¹		364.3	363.1	3.5	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.4
Maintenance and repair services ¹		414.8	411.7	4.3	2.9	-3	3.9	3.6	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		261.6	261.6	1.9	-1.4	7.4	1.2	.2	4.3
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ¹	12/77	152.1	151.8	-3	-5	15.8	-1.8	-4	6.6
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ¹	12/77	128.3	128.1	-4.4	.0	18.4	-9	-2.2	8.3
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ¹	12/77	146.1	145.8	5.5	-1.7	-1.4	14.3	1.9	6.2
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment ¹	12/77	145.5	145.7	13.6	-6.1	2.2	2.5	3.3	2.4
Fuel and other utilities		390.8	393.0	5.2	1.6	-1.5	2.7	3.4	.6
Fuels		483.5	487.1	5.4	.8	-3.2	3.1	3.1	-1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		609.1	627.2	-6.0	-4.3	-12.8	7.5	-5.1	-3.1
Fuel oil		614.0	634.4	-7.4	-4.5	-14.6	9.5	-6.0	-3.3
Other fuels	6/78	192.6	193.7	2.1	-5.0	-2.8	.6	-1.5	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity		449.6	450.3	9.1	2.3	-2	1.9	5.6	.8
Electricity		359.7	362.6	12.8	2.0	-4	5.7	7.3	2.6
Utility (piped) gas		584.8	580.8	4.5	2.6	-3	-2.8	3.5	-1.6
Other utilities and public services ¹		237.2	237.3	4.4	3.9	4.2	1.7	4.1	2.9
Telephone services ¹		191.9	191.7	3.7	3.9	1.7	.8	3.8	1.3
Local charges ¹	12/77	168.2	168.0	12.4	7.6	3.7	1.0	10.0	2.3
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	116.6	116.6	-18.5	.0	-3	.3	-9.7	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.2	124.2	7.0	-3.5	-2.2	1.0	1.6	-6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		395.1	396.8	5.8	4.0	9.1	3.6	4.9	6.3
Cable television ¹	12/83	108.9	109.3	8.0	-1.9	11.2	8.1	2.9	9.6
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	108.3	108.6	6.9	5.5	10.3	4.5	6.2	7.4
Household furnishings and operation		242.9	243.3	.0	5.0	.7	3.5	2.5	2.1
Housefurnishings		197.8	198.0	-2.6	6.1	-1.6	1.4	1.6	-1
Textile housefurnishings		241.6	241.3	1.4	14.0	-1.1	-5.8	7.5	-3.5
Household linens	12/77	141.4	140.0	2.9	25.0	-8.9	-10.2	13.4	-9.5
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ¹	12/77	163.8	163.0	-1.5	4.1	2.8	4.3	1.3	3.5
Furniture and bedding		223.3	225.7	1.9	12.3	-4.7	7.8	6.9	1.3
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	152.7	161.2	-4.0	22.8	-13.2	31.6	8.6	6.9
Sofas	12/77	121.1	122.8	6.1	-2.9	1.0	3.7	1.5	2.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	128.1	128.1	2.9	5.8	-8.4	6.2	4.3	-1.4
Other furniture	12/77	144.6	142.4	6.2	9.5	4.3	-5.7	7.8	-8
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		147.6	147.3	-7.7	1.1	-4.5	.5	-3.4	-2.0
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	98.5	97.9	-8.3	-2.8	-5.5	-8	-5.6	-3.2
Television ¹		91.0	89.5	-9.3	-7.9	-1.7	-5.2	-8.6	-3.5
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	105.7	106.0	-7.5	.7	-7.9	3.1	-3.4	-2.6
Household appliances ¹		188.8	189.5	-7.3	3.9	-3.5	2.1	-1.9	-7
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		201.0	201.8	-4.7	7.6	.0	-3.3	1.3	-1.7
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.3	149.6	-4.3	5.6	-5	5.0	.5	2.2
Other household appliances ¹	12/77	119.7	120.2	-10.7	1.0	-8.3	3.7	-5.1	-2.4
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ¹	12/77	121.2	121.0	-16.1	9.0	-9.7	5.1	-4.4	-2.6
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ¹	12/77	117.9	119.1	-4.1	-7.3	-7.1	2.4	-5.7	-2.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	142.1	141.9	-3.4	-2.8	7.4	2.6	-3.1	5.0
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	141.4	140.7	-3.4	1.2	6.8	.6	-1.1	3.7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.6	132.2	-6.5	.3	.6	3.7	-3.1	2.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	144.8	144.1	-4.9	-9.4	8.9	3.7	-7.2	6.2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	144.9	145.1	.6	1.1	10.3	1.4	.9	5.8
Housekeeping supplies		308.3	308.9	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.6	3.9	3.7
Soaps and detergents ¹		303.9	304.8	3.5	.1	11.1	2.0	1.8	6.5
Other laundry and cleaning products ¹	12/77	157.6	156.5	2.9	4.0	4.7	-1.0	3.4	1.8
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ¹	12/77	159.7	161.0	5.7	7.2	.0	12.3	6.4	6.0
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ¹	12/77	149.8	151.1	5.6	3.6	1.9	5.5	4.6	3.7
Miscellaneous household products ¹	12/77	158.6	158.2	5.8	.8	4.7	.5	3.3	2.6
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	141.8	141.6	-1.4	6.9	9.5	-3.6	2.6	2.7
Housekeeping services ¹		338.5	339.0	2.7	3.2	1.2	9.0	3.0	5.0
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	48.7	.0	21.9
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ¹	12/77	182.0	182.6	6.7	4.4	3.2	10.2	5.5	6.7
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	154.0	154.4	3.9	9.2	1.1	4.8	6.5	2.9
Apparel and upkeep		204.1	204.4	-2	9.4	-1.2	6.3	4.5	2.5
Apparel commodities		190.6	190.9	-1.3	10.1	-2.5	6.3	4.3	1.8
Apparel commodities less footwear		186.6	187.0	-2.2	11.6	-2.6	6.7	4.5	2.0
Men's and boys'		196.5	197.8	.6	7.7	1.2	4.1	4.1	2.7
Men's	12/77	124.4	125.4	-1.0	8.2	2.6	4.9	3.5	3.8
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	107.1	108.4	11.5	-3.6	3.8	1.1	3.6	2.4
Coats and jackets	12/77	104.9	104.4	-1.2	11.3	2.3	-8.3	4.9	-3.2
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	146.0	146.9	-8	17.7	-6.6	4.8	8.0	-1.1
Shirts	12/77	134.1	136.0	-2.1	.6	-3.3	23.2	-8	9.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	124.3	125.7	-6.8	11.7	8.2	7.3	2.0	7.7
Boys'	12/77	123.9	125.1	5.7	7.3	-3.5	2.3	6.5	-6
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	122.5	123.2	11.3	2.6	-15.0	8.5	6.9	-3.9
Furnishings	12/77	133.9	134.1	-9	.6	7.1	-1.5	-2	2.7
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	122.3	123.3	3.4	13.8	1.6	.0	8.5	.8
Women's and girls'		170.3	170.8	-4.6	20.2	-4.2	8.6	7.1	2.0
Women's	12/77	113.9	114.3	-4.3	19.4	-3.2	8.9	6.9	2.7
Coats and jackets		166.6	171.3	1.9	22.7	-18.5	4.3	11.8	-7.8
Dresses		168.9	166.4	-4.4	8.1	1.2	11.6	1.6	6.3
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.6	103.5	-8.3	39.9	.4	17.1	13.3	8.4
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	139.7	140.4	1.8	.9	4.1	4.7	1.3	4.4
Suits	12/77	103.1	105.6	-22.4	60.4	-26.8	30.5	11.6	-2.2
Girls'	12/77	110.6	110.1	-4.4	13.9	-2.2	6.0	4.4	1.8
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	105.0	101.7	5.4	7.1	-6.6	12.7	6.3	2.6
Separates and sportswear	12/77	104.1	105.2	-10.1	26.7	-2.6	-1.5	6.7	-2.1
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	130.4	131.1	-3.4	7.2	5.1	4.7	1.7	4.9
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		314.5	306.4	-9.9	15.2	-3.7	9.2	1.9	2.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		204.2	203.3	1.0	-3.8	-7.8	7.0	-1.5	-7
Sewing materials and notions ¹	12/77	120.5	119.8	-3	-5.5	.3	2.4	-3.0	1.3
Jewelry and luggage ¹	12/77	137.4	136.8	1.5	-3.1	-10.8	8.9	-9	-1.4
Footwear		213.6	212.9	2.1	3.9	-2.6	4.4	3.0	.9
Men's	12/77	141.0	140.7	6.3	-3	.0	3.5	2.9	1.7
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	139.5	136.9	-6	15.8	-9	-4.3	7.3	-2.6
Women's	12/77	123.5	124.1	-1.0	-3	-5.4	11.4	-6	2.6
Apparel services		314.7	315.2	6.4	5.8	4.4	5.8	6.1	5.1
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	187.8	188.4	6.2	5.2	3.3	6.4	5.7	4.8
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	165.5	166.5	4.1	8.3	4.5	7.5	6.2	6.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Transportation		321.6	324.1	-0.3	2.6	2.2	8.6	1.1	5.3
Private		317.7	320.3	-.9	2.7	2.1	9.0	.9	5.5
New vehicles		213.4	213.4	.8	5.7	1.3	5.6	3.2	3.5
New cars		213.6	213.6	1.0	5.3	1.1	5.2	3.1	3.2
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	105.4	105.5	-.4	4.8	8.1	5.1	2.2	6.6
Used cars		394.5	393.1	7.5	-5.3	5.1	11.2	.9	8.1
Motor fuel		368.8	379.9	-13.8	2.8	-4.0	17.1	-5.9	6.1
Gasoline		368.2	379.5	-13.9	2.3	-4.0	17.6	-6.1	6.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	204.4	211.6	-15.6	2.2	-6.1	20.9	-7.1	6.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	211.9	218.8	-14.0	2.7	-3.9	17.8	-6.0	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	93.1	95.4	-2.5	1.3	-9.0	13.6	-.6	1.7
Automobile maintenance and repair		349.3	349.3	3.3	3.8	2.8	1.3	3.6	2.0
Body work ¹	12/77	177.1	176.7	3.6	6.0	3.3	2.8	4.8	3.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	175.1	175.4	3.4	6.7	1.9	2.8	5.0	2.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	156.5	156.0	2.9	3.4	1.5	-1.0	3.2	.3
Power plant repair	12/77	166.6	167.1	3.8	2.0	3.2	3.7	2.9	3.4
Other private transportation ¹		285.1	286.3	5.3	9.7	7.2	2.3	7.5	4.7
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.2	205.1	-3.7	-3.7	6.5	1.8	-3.7	4.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.4	154.7	5.1	-3.1	5.1	.5	.9	2.8
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.5	129.2	-4.9	-4.0	6.8	1.9	-4.4	4.3
Tires ¹		175.0	176.5	-7.7	-3.4	8.2	3.7	-5.6	5.9
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	132.8	132.8	1.5	-4.7	3.4	-2.4	-1.6	.5
Other private transportation services ¹		309.2	310.4	6.9	12.3	7.2	2.4	9.6	4.7
Automobile insurance ¹		347.2	350.5	3.7	9.5	16.1	7.9	6.5	11.9
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	166.2	165.2	13.9	15.3	-5.7	-9.1	14.6	-7.4
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	161.0	161.3	7.4	16.0	2.3	3.8	11.6	3.0
State registration ¹		214.1	214.1	3.7	28.4	.4	1.9	15.4	1.1
Drivers' license ¹	12/77	164.9	164.9	7.5	7.4	2.0	.0	7.5	1.0
Automobile inspection ¹	12/77	142.5	144.4	.3	.3	5.2	6.0	.3	5.6
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	180.5	181.4	5.5	5.2	4.6	7.9	5.3	6.2
Public transportation ¹		386.7	387.4	11.4	.9	2.8	3.4	6.0	3.1
Airline fare ¹		459.9	462.1	21.5	2.0	4.8	7.2	11.3	6.0
Intercity bus fare ¹		452.2	451.7	10.8	6.3	13.1	-6.5	8.5	2.8
Intracity mass transit ¹		347.5	347.4	5.4	.0	.1	.8	2.6	.5
Taxi fare ¹		326.7	326.8	2.3	.4	3.0	5.6	1.3	4.3
Intercity train fare ¹		390.7	390.7	9.3	.1	9.2	.0	4.6	4.5
Medical care		393.2	395.2	6.1	5.5	4.7	7.2	5.8	5.9
Medical care commodities		251.5	252.7	6.6	6.8	7.4	6.6	6.7	7.0
Prescription drugs		252.1	254.1	9.1	10.0	10.6	9.9	9.6	10.3
Anti-infective drugs ¹	12/77	176.7	178.4	2.4	12.4	2.3	9.7	7.3	6.0
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	227.8	233.1	16.5	17.0	15.4	23.1	16.7	19.2
Circulatories and diuretics ¹	12/77	180.1	181.8	10.0	6.3	7.6	15.7	8.1	11.6
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies	12/77	233.1	232.0	9.3	13.7	15.6	-2.2	11.5	6.3
Pain and symptom control drugs ¹	12/77	203.0	204.6	3.6	6.4	8.5	12.4	5.0	10.4
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	186.2	187.0	7.1	4.6	11.0	9.8	5.9	10.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/77	169.5	170.4	5.3	2.9	4.6	5.3	4.1	5.0
Eyeglasses ¹	12/77	143.4	143.4	5.0	3.8	1.7	5.8	4.4	3.7
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		277.6	279.6	6.9	2.7	5.1	5.6	4.8	5.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	162.6	163.1	1.0	1.8	6.4	3.8	1.4	5.1
Medical care services		424.1	426.3	6.0	5.2	4.4	7.4	5.6	5.9
Professional services		361.7	362.9	5.7	6.5	5.2	6.5	6.1	5.9
Physicians' services		395.4	397.7	5.6	5.8	3.1	7.9	5.7	5.5
Dental services ¹		340.7	342.0	6.6	8.5	5.9	5.8	7.6	5.9
Other professional services ¹	12/77	164.7	164.8	1.5	1.8	13.9	6.3	1.7	10.0
Other medical care services		502.5	506.1	6.4	3.9	3.6	8.1	5.2	5.9
Hospital and other medical services	12/77	217.9	219.0	8.8	5.6	5.8	6.1	7.2	5.9
Hospital room		688.8	692.9	9.8	4.5	3.8	6.4	7.1	5.1
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	215.7	216.6	8.4	6.1	7.7	6.3	7.2	7.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				July 1984	Oct. 1984	Jan. 1985	Apr. 1985	Oct. 1984	Apr. 1985
Entertainment		256.8	258.0	3.7	5.0	5.3	0.5	4.4	2.9
Entertainment commodities		250.9	251.9	2.1	3.4	4.1	-.8	2.8	1.6
Reading materials ¹	12/77	172.4	172.9	.0	7.5	4.4	10.1	3.7	7.2
Newspapers ¹		324.5	326.1	2.8	3.3	4.2	6.5	3.1	5.4
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	182.7	182.7	-3.5	13.1	4.7	14.5	4.5	9.5
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.6	132.9	-2.1	5.9	4.6	-4.4	1.8	.0
Sport vehicles ¹	12/77	136.0	136.5	-4.4	4.0	8.9	-.9	-.3	3.9
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ¹	12/77	116.3	116.1	1.0	-2.1	.7	2.1	-.5	1.4
Bicycles		201.6	202.7	-2.4	-2.6	2.4	3.8	-2.5	3.1
Other sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.3	131.9	-3.2	2.7	-2.3	-7.0	-.3	-4.7
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	140.6	141.0	2.9	1.7	2.6	-2.5	2.3	.0
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	133.1	134.3	.0	.3	.0	-2.6	.1	-1.3
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	136.7	135.9	4.6	5.4	3.9	-5.7	5.0	-1.0
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	156.0	156.3	4.6	5.3	4.2	.0	5.0	2.1
Entertainment services ¹		267.4	269.2	6.6	7.3	6.2	2.7	6.9	4.5
Fees for participant sports ¹	12/77	167.4	168.5	.8	12.0	6.5	2.2	6.2	4.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	158.4	159.7	19.3	2.9	7.9	1.5	10.8	4.7
Other entertainment services ¹	12/77	140.3	140.8	.9	4.8	2.3	7.1	2.8	4.7
Other goods and services		317.9	319.1	7.9	4.0	6.9	5.2	5.9	6.0
Tobacco products ¹		323.4	323.6	9.9	1.7	8.7	3.5	5.7	6.1
Cigarettes ¹		331.7	331.7	10.3	1.6	9.0	3.1	5.9	6.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	164.3	164.6	5.5	5.7	3.5	5.8	5.6	4.7
Personal care ¹		276.3	277.5	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.2	3.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		276.5	277.5	4.2	2.5	3.0	4.3	3.4	3.6
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ¹	12/77	156.3	156.6	2.6	-.3	1.6	2.6	1.2	2.1
Dental and shaving products ¹	12/77	172.3	173.8	4.7	2.0	13.7	5.7	3.3	9.6
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	156.8	156.8	6.4	2.1	1.0	1.3	4.2	1.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ¹	12/77	161.1	162.0	3.1	6.8	-1.3	9.1	5.0	3.8
Personal care services ¹		276.5	278.0	4.4	5.5	4.6	3.4	4.9	4.0
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		277.8	279.2	4.1	5.7	4.0	3.7	4.9	3.8
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	155.1	156.0	4.6	5.1	5.6	2.9	4.9	4.2
Personal and educational expenses		390.5	393.3	10.0	7.2	8.5	9.2	8.6	8.9
School books and supplies		346.7	349.7	10.0	4.7	9.2	10.1	7.3	9.6
Personal and educational services		401.1	403.8	10.1	7.6	8.2	9.1	8.8	8.6
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	202.7	204.2	11.8	7.0	9.7	8.5	9.4	9.1
College tuition	12/77	202.9	203.9	11.8	7.7	9.1	8.0	9.8	8.6
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	203.7	205.4	12.5	7.0	9.1	10.6	9.7	9.8
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	214.8	216.2	5.6	6.4	4.3	10.2	6.0	7.2
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		364.7	375.3	-13.5	2.7	-3.7	16.7	-5.8	6.0
Utilities and public transportation		362.2	362.4	8.5	2.4	.3	2.9	5.4	1.6
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		390.9	391.1	3.6	3.0	.6	8.4	3.3	4.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, all items index

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Area ²												
U.S. city average			316.1	317.4	318.8	320.1	3.7	0.9	0.4	3.7	0.9	0.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	M		315.1	316.7	317.4	319.1	4.0	.8	.5	3.8	.7	.2
Detroit, Mich	M		310.9	313.7	315.5	315.8	3.3	.7	.1	3.7	1.5	.6
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	M		313.0	314.1	314.7	315.9	4.3	.6	.4	4.7	.5	.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		308.4	310.2	310.9	311.8	3.6	.5	.3	3.7	.8	.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		306.3	309.2	310.4	312.4	4.8	1.0	.6	4.6	1.3	.4
Anchorage, Alaska	1	10/67	278.3	-	280.0	-	-	-	-	2.0	.6	-
Baltimore, Md	1		315.2	-	320.7	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.7	-
Boston, Mass	1		309.4	-	314.4	-	-	-	-	4.1	1.6	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	1		325.1	-	328.4	-	-	-	-	2.6	1.0	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo	1		350.6	-	355.1	-	-	-	-	2.9	1.3	-
Miami, Fla	1	11/77	168.6	-	170.1	-	-	-	-	2.7	.9	-
Milwaukee, Wis	1		324.6	-	327.8	-	-	-	-	3.5	1.0	-
Northeast Pennsylvania	1		301.5	-	304.9	-	-	-	-	4.1	1.1	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	1		306.8	-	309.0	-	-	-	-	3.7	.7	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	1		313.3	-	314.3	-	-	-	-	3.8	.3	-
San Diego, Calif	1		364.1	-	369.2	-	-	-	-	5.7	1.4	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash	1		319.5	-	321.4	-	-	-	-	3.6	.6	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	1		314.6	-	319.2	-	-	-	-	4.6	1.5	-
Atlanta, Ga	2		-	322.6	-	324.6	4.3	.6	-	-	-	-
Buffalo, N.Y.	2		-	301.3	-	305.4	4.2	1.4	-	-	-	-
Cleveland, Ohio	2		-	340.4	-	342.4	2.9	.6	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	2		-	333.2	-	335.6	3.6	.7	-	-	-	-
Honolulu, Hawaii	2		-	292.6	-	292.7	3.4	.0	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex	2		-	333.6	-	335.3	2.9	.5	-	-	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	2		-	314.6	-	319.8	3.5	1.7	-	-	-	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis	2		-	330.4	-	333.6	3.6	1.0	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa	2		-	323.8	-	324.3	1.8	.2	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	2		-	328.7	-	330.4	4.4	.5	-	-	-	-
Region ³												
Northeast	2	12/77	-	168.2	-	169.8	3.9	1.0	-	-	-	-
North Central	2	12/77	-	171.2	-	172.8	3.3	.9	-	-	-	-
South	2	12/77	-	171.5	-	172.6	3.2	.6	-	-	-	-
West	2	12/77	-	171.3	-	173.0	4.3	1.0	-	-	-	-
Population size class ³												
A-1	2	12/77	-	168.5	-	169.6	4.0	.7	-	-	-	-
A-2	2	12/77	-	173.1	-	174.7	3.7	.9	-	-	-	-
B	2	12/77	-	171.8	-	173.5	3.8	1.0	-	-	-	-
C	2	12/77	-	169.7	-	171.4	3.6	1.0	-	-	-	-
D	2	12/77	-	169.4	-	171.0	2.8	.9	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, all items index—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Region/population size class cross classification³												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	165.5	-	166.7	3.7	0.7	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	174.3	-	175.9	3.5	.9	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	171.0	-	172.4	3.7	.8	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	173.5	-	174.6	4.4	.6	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	171.5	-	173.5	4.3	1.2	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	169.7	-	171.7	2.9	1.2	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	173.0	-	173.7	3.3	.4	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	172.0	-	174.4	4.6	1.4	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	175.8	-	177.8	4.0	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	166.7	-	168.6	3.2	1.1	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	171.2	-	172.2	3.2	.6	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	164.2	-	166.9	4.9	1.6	-	-	-	-
Northeast/D	2	12/77	-	170.3	-	174.2	4.8	2.3	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	168.2	-	169.1	2.8	.5	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	170.1	-	171.6	2.1	.9	-	-	-	-
West/D	2	12/77	-	170.0	-	170.8	2.6	.5	-	-	-	-

¹ Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

A-1 - More than 4,000,000.

A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.

B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

NOTE: Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI program. Because each local index is a small subset of the national index, it has a smaller sample size and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than the national index. As a result, local area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are quite similar. Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in escalator clauses.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1985							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		297.7	314.8	263.6	258.3	333.2	360.8
Anchorage, Alaska	10/67	271.0	275.9	245.8	249.2	267.7	332.8
Atlanta, Ga		303.7	306.1	237.9	295.0	364.2	381.5
Baltimore, Md		300.1	326.1	258.5	254.8	354.6	369.2
Boston, Mass		282.0	310.8	268.1	233.8	300.8	328.6
Buffalo, N.Y.		305.7	293.7	271.1	256.5	375.7	369.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind		280.4	304.2	257.4	245.0	305.5	333.6
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind		321.6	379.0	261.0	259.8	357.3	419.7
Cleveland, Ohio		307.6	323.0	286.8	268.5	314.3	370.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		302.3	311.1	252.7	272.5	329.5	374.9
Denver-Boulder, Colo		291.9	303.6	253.7	275.7	312.0	358.1
Detroit, Mich		286.5	326.9	261.2	247.4	283.3	355.8
Honolulu, Hawaii		333.2	315.0	296.9	296.7	404.2	392.4
Houston, Tex		309.5	314.0	273.1	293.9	329.5	365.7
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans		295.6	309.6	254.2	267.9	362.6	336.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif		299.1	326.2	269.0	254.4	301.4	371.4
Miami, Fla	11/77	157.4	163.4	151.0	153.0	175.5	154.9
Milwaukee, Wis		287.5	323.6	265.4	262.3	307.9	320.3
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis		295.4	341.2	248.8	278.9	311.0	338.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		307.5	318.2	262.9	267.5	366.8	383.6
Northeast Pennsylvania		294.4	298.2	278.7	240.0	337.5	346.6
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		297.2	317.4	267.1	251.4	324.8	372.3
Pittsburgh, Pa		280.6	305.6	248.8	226.2	317.3	340.6
Portland, Oreg.-Wash		291.9	314.1	276.9	224.8	313.8	365.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill		295.8	336.9	238.6	278.8	368.6	348.3
San Diego, Calif		294.8	320.8	267.3	247.9	314.6	354.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif		303.5	325.8	268.9	253.0	332.2	380.5
Seattle-Everett, Wash		282.6	296.5	246.9	242.1	262.1	383.5
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va		323.1	346.5	278.7	243.9	377.1	414.9
Region ³							
Northeast	12/77	153.5	163.8	148.6	143.0	176.2	146.8
North Central	12/77	149.5	166.4	143.6	140.8	164.8	145.9
South	12/77	155.0	166.1	146.9	152.2	175.6	150.6
West	12/77	157.8	172.3	149.0	149.9	174.9	156.1
Population size class ³							
A-1	12/77	152.4	164.1	146.2	146.7	167.5	148.8
A-2	12/77	154.7	169.1	146.0	146.6	174.7	152.1
B	12/77	155.1	166.7	147.6	147.2	179.6	149.6
C	12/77	152.7	168.0	146.2	143.6	172.8	147.8
D	12/77	153.8	165.6	150.7	145.1	173.2	147.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1985							
Region/population size class cross classification ³							
Northeast/A	12/77	152.6	162.6	146.5	144.3	174.5	146.7
North Central/A	12/77	149.9	165.3	144.1	143.7	163.8	145.9
South/A	12/77	158.3	170.3	148.6	152.2	174.6	158.6
West/A	12/77	156.5	172.9	146.5	151.9	167.0	157.4
Northeast/B	12/77	155.9	164.9	152.7	142.5	183.2	146.8
North Central/B	12/77	147.1	164.5	140.7	141.1	163.1	142.4
South/B	12/77	155.5	164.7	145.8	151.5	181.7	150.5
West/B	12/77	160.0	173.5	150.4	150.4	184.4	156.7
Northeast/C	12/77	155.9	168.0	154.8	140.9	179.6	146.2
North Central/C	12/77	149.7	169.3	141.9	135.9	171.0	147.5
South/C	12/77	152.1	166.9	143.9	150.6	170.4	147.0
West/C	12/77	155.2	168.3	148.7	144.6	172.9	152.3
Northeast/D	12/77	152.5	165.3	149.2	135.3	170.5	149.1
North Central/D	12/77	150.3	168.7	146.8	137.9	162.1	147.2
South/D	12/77	154.1	160.2	151.6	156.3	175.7	143.5
West/D	12/77	163.3	172.5	160.1	146.7	194.6	154.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985						
Area ²						
U.S. city average	-0.2	0.1	-0.9	-0.2	0.3	0.1
Anchorage, Alaska	.0	-.4	-.1	-.2	.0	.4
Atlanta, Ga	-.3	2.7	-1.6	.2	-.5	-.2
Baltimore, Md	-.1	1.2	-2.5	.1	1.5	1.2
Boston, Mass	.1	1.0	1.8	.1	-2.7	-1.1
Buffalo, N.Y	1.3	.5	.9	-.3	5.3	.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	-1.0	.0	-2.8	-1.6	.9	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	-.5	1.1	-3.2	-.7	1.4	.5
Cleveland, Ohio	-.6	-.9	-1.1	.0	-1.3	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	.4	.1	-1.1	-.4	1.3	1.8
Denver-Boulder, Colo	-1.0	-.6	-3.0	.4	-1.6	.4
Detroit, Mich	-.2	.4	-.3	-.8	.1	-.2
Honolulu, Hawaii	.8	1.0	-2.5	.2	8.7	.1
Houston, Tex	.5	-.3	-1.2	-.3	-.1	3.4
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	1.1	.2	-.8	-.3	7.6	.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	-.1	1.2	-1.8	.5	.7	.4
Miami, Fla	-.6	-.6	-.6	-.3	-4.8	1.9
Milwaukee, Wis	-.3	.2	-1.4	-.6	1.1	.4
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis	-.5	.6	-1.2	-.1	-1.5	-.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J	-.7	.1	-2.2	-.5	.2	.0
Northeast Pennsylvania	.1	.6	.2	-1.8	1.7	-.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J	-.3	-2.4	-1.4	.7	1.5	.4
Pittsburgh, Pa	-1.0	.5	-2.2	-1.4	-1.1	-.1
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	1.0	.2	1.5	.1	3.8	-.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	-.6	1.2	-2.0	-.7	2.5	-1.8
San Diego, Calif	.6	.3	-.5	.4	4.2	-.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	.0	-.2	-1.0	.4	.8	.6
Seattle-Everett, Wash	.0	.1	-.9	-.7	1.2	.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	.2	.9	-.1	-.8	-1.1	1.3
Region ³						
Northeast	-.5	.0	-1.3	-.3	-.1	.0
North Central	-.1	.5	-.9	-.6	1.0	.3
South	-.3	-.1	-.4	.0	-.1	-.4
West	.0	.1	-1.1	.3	.7	.6
Population size class ³						
A-1	-.6	.0	-1.9	-.4	.5	.1
A-2	-.1	.5	-.9	-.3	.3	.5
B	-.1	-.1	-.3	-.3	.6	.1
C	-.2	.3	-.3	.1	-.3	-.4
D	-.1	-.1	-.5	.1	.5	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985					
Region/population size class cross classification ³						
Northeast/A	-0.5	-0.2	-1.5	-0.3	0.2	0.1
North Central/A	-5	.3	-1.8	-.8	1.0	-.2
South/A	.1	.6	-1.1	-.3	-.5	1.7
West/A	.0	.7	-1.4	.3	1.1	.4
Northeast/B	.0	.4	-.3	-.6	.7	-.2
North Central/B	.8	1.1	.6	-.4	1.2	1.0
South/B	-.4	-.7	.3	-.7	-.1	-1.2
West/B	.0	-.7	-2.0	.4	1.3	1.5
Northeast/C	-.8	.3	-.6	-.4	-3.2	-.1
North Central/C	.5	1.1	.0	-.7	1.8	.8
South/C	-.4	.1	-.5	.9	.0	-1.5
West/C	-.3	-.5	-.2	-.6	-.5	-.1
Northeast/D	-.1	.1	-1.3	-.4	1.9	.3
North Central/D	.1	-.1	-.5	-.1	.4	1.0
South/D	-.4	-.6	-.7	.2	.3	-.7
West/D	.5	.5	1.2	.3	-.6	.4

¹ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions. The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.
- D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Expenditure category					
All items	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.6
Food and beverages	.0	-.5	.0	.0	.1	.0
Food	.0	-.5	-.1	.2	.1	.0
Food at home	-.2	-1.0	-.2	-.1	-.7	-.3
Cereals and bakery products	.1	.0	.4	1.2	.1	-2.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.9	-2.8	-.3	-1.8	-2.2	-1.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	-.9	-2.7	-.2	-1.7	-2.2	-1.4
Dairy products	-.2	-1.6	-.8	.5	-.5	.7
Fruits and vegetables	.3	.9	.1	.7	.2	1.5
Other foods at home	.1	.0	-.2	.4	.0	.4
Food away from home	.4	.5	.1	.8	2.1	.6
Alcoholic beverages	.1	-1.5	.5	-2.3	.1	-.3
Housing	.3	.8	-.1	.1	.4	.8
Shelter	.4	1.7	.2	.1	.5	1.5
Renters' costs	.5	1.9	.2	.2	1.3	.9
Rent, residential	.5	.7	.0	-.2	1.0	1.2
Other renters' costs	1.2	9.6	1.1	4.8	3.6	.0
Homeowners' costs	.5	1.5	.5	.0	.1	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent	.4	1.6	.5	-.2	.1	1.8
Fuel and other utilities	.1	-2.9	-.5	-1.3	.8	.2
Fuels	.2	-3.9	-.6	-1.9	1.0	.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	.4	-.5	.0	.4	.3	.4
Fuel oil	.6	.0	.0	NA	.3	.4
Other fuels	-.5	-4.0	.0	.4	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	.1	-4.4	-.7	-1.9	1.3	.3
Electricity	.4	-3.6	.0	-4.4	-.1	1.4
Utility (piped) gas	-.3	-5.2	-1.1	.1	3.3	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	.4	1.8	-.4	1.4	-.1	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	.3	.9	.2	-1.1	.1	2.2
Apparel commodities	.3	1.1	.1	-1.6	.1	2.5
Men's and boys' apparel	1.1	6.2	-.4	-3.3	3.2	1.1
Women's and girls' apparel	.1	-3.1	1.5	1.3	-1.9	2.5
Footwear	.0	.5	4.3	-1.9	-1.9	3.3
Transportation	1.0	1.1	.4	1.7	.2	.8
Private transportation	1.2	1.1	.5	1.8	.2	.9
Motor fuel	3.8	3.1	2.2	5.8	2.0	2.3
Gasoline	3.8	3.2	2.3	5.9	2.0	2.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.5	3.1	2.4	6.6	2.0	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	3.9	3.5	2.4	6.3	2.2	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	2.6	1.9	1.5	4.3	1.7	1.2
Public transportation	.2	1.0	-.3	.1	.1	-.8
Medical care	.4	.3	.2	.1	.3	.2
Entertainment	.4	1.4	-.4	.0	.3	.2
Other goods and services	.2	.0	.4	-.2	.4	.9
Personal care	.4	-.1	.9	.0	1.4	3.0

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.6
Commodities	.5	.5	.2	.7	.3	.4
Food and beverages	.0	-.5	.0	.0	.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	.8	1.2	.3	1.1	.3	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.3	1.1	.9	1.6	.4	1.1
Durables	.3	1.3	-.4	.5	.2	.1
Services	.3	.6	.0	.1	.4	.9
Medical care services	.3	.0	.3	.1	.1	.4
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter	.4	.2	.0	.5	.2	.4
All items less medical care	.4	.6	.1	.4	.3	.7
All items less energy	.2	.6	.0	.1	.2	.6
Energy	1.9	-.4	.6	3.1	1.3	1.1
Commodities less food	.8	1.1	.3	1.0	.3	.7
Nondurables less food	1.2	.9	.9	1.3	.4	1.0
Nondurables	.6	.3	.4	.8	.2	.5
Services less rent of shelter	.3	-.3	-.3	.3	.1	.4
Services less medical care	.3	.6	-.1	.1	.4	1.0

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	320.1	0.9	319.1	0.8	315.8	0.7	315.9	0.6	311.8	0.5	312.4	1.0
All items (1957-59=100)	372.3	-	362.5	-	362.8	-	371.5	-	371.0	-	364.8	-
Food and beverages	301.6	.1	285.1	-.5	281.1	.4	294.4	-.3	308.4	.5	305.5	.3
Food	309.6	.0	293.2	-.4	285.4	.4	305.5	.0	319.5	.4	315.8	.3
Food at home	297.7	-.3	280.4	-.7	286.5	.1	299.1	-.6	307.5	-.4	297.2	.4
Cereals and bakery products	314.8	.4	304.2	.6	326.9	.5	326.2	.6	318.2	.6	317.4	-1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	263.6	-1.3	257.4	-3.2	261.2	.0	269.0	-2.0	262.9	-2.0	267.1	-.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	271.2	-1.3	267.4	-3.1	265.6	-.1	272.3	-2.1	267.3	-2.3	276.7	-1.0
Dairy products	258.3	-.3	245.0	-1.3	247.4	-1.9	254.4	.2	267.5	-1.0	251.4	.5
Fruits and vegetables	333.2	.1	305.5	1.1	283.3	.4	301.4	.6	366.8	1.6	324.8	4.0
Other foods at home	360.8	.3	333.6	.8	355.8	.7	371.4	-.5	383.6	.3	372.3	.8
Food away from home	343.9	.7	324.2	.3	294.4	1.3	313.8	.9	349.3	2.2	372.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	226.7	.4	201.2	-1.5	250.3	-.3	207.2	-3.1	216.8	.6	230.1	-.2
Housing	345.9	.7	355.8	.4	347.8	.6	341.2	-.4	322.1	.2	323.6	.9
Shelter	375.9	.7	405.9	1.3	374.1	1.2	379.8	-.5	332.5	.4	341.0	1.9
Renters' costs ¹	113.5	1.0	115.5	2.1	111.4	1.5	115.4	-.3	113.6	1.5	117.3	1.4
Rent, residential	260.4	.8	232.2	.5	240.7	1.5	308.0	-.7	271.3	1.2	280.2	1.3
Other renters' costs	390.9	2.4	423.2	12.0	337.1	1.8	354.3	5.2	416.9	3.9	449.0	2.1
Homeowners' costs ¹	111.3	.5	113.7	.9	107.6	1.4	113.3	-.6	112.3	-.4	115.9	2.0
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	111.3	.5	113.0	.5	107.7	1.4	113.2	-.9	112.3	-.4	115.9	2.0
Fuel and other utilities	388.7	.6	329.8	-3.0	435.8	-.6	332.6	-1.1	404.4	1.0	404.0	.1
Fuels	483.0	.5	407.3	-4.0	521.1	-.8	442.6	-2.1	529.1	1.2	489.3	.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ²	623.5	.0	601.8	-1.4	639.4	-1.3	173.2	.3	670.6	.0	647.4	.2
Fuel oil ³	630.1	.2	221.4	-1.0	216.1	-1.4	NA	NA	220.0	.0	221.0	.2
Other fuels ⁴	193.2	-.9	143.4	-4.0	170.9	.0	173.2	.3	199.3	-.2	179.8	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	445.9	.6	369.2	-4.4	504.3	-.7	443.8	-2.1	465.9	1.9	425.2	.2
Electricity	355.7	.9	294.6	-3.6	294.2	.0	353.8	-4.4	398.7	-.1	399.7	1.4
Utility (piped) gas	578.2	.2	447.5	-5.3	704.6	-1.1	566.4	-.1	583.7	4.7	449.8	-1.3
Household furnishings and operation	247.9	.7	242.9	.9	220.5	.7	228.8	.5	253.1	-1.0	244.7	-.8
Apparel and upkeep	205.9	2.0	176.1	2.7	165.8	1.4	177.9	-.4	192.0	1.7	186.8	3.0
Apparel commodities	191.8	2.3	159.3	3.5	149.7	1.7	164.0	-.8	170.7	2.0	171.5	3.5
Men's and boys' apparel	197.4	2.4	150.1	6.5	160.1	.3	166.9	-1.3	166.6	2.9	167.1	4.4
Women's and girls' apparel	170.0	3.6	140.7	1.2	136.7	4.0	129.0	-.1	146.0	2.7	117.0	3.4
Footwear	213.2	1.5	200.7	6.2	161.4	2.5	206.8	-.1	204.2	.7	214.7	-2.5
Transportation	320.0	1.8	314.1	1.9	317.5	1.1	335.3	3.0	342.7	.6	333.0	1.5
Private transportation	314.6	1.9	305.8	2.1	314.6	1.2	337.6	3.0	316.9	.5	333.2	1.7
Motor fuel ⁴	192.5	6.2	188.7	6.1	201.7	5.7	196.1	10.2	186.5	3.0	198.9	3.7
Gasoline ⁴	192.3	6.3	188.8	6.2	201.4	5.8	196.2	10.3	186.2	3.1	199.7	3.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁵	208.3	7.3	210.8	6.7	220.4	6.2	219.8	11.5	187.6	3.1	212.4	4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	215.3	6.4	214.3	6.2	226.1	6.1	227.5	11.0	199.6	3.3	220.3	4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	95.3	4.3	101.3	4.8	99.8	4.2	97.4	7.5	93.3	2.9	92.2	2.2
Public transportation	398.0	.9	396.7	.9	388.9	-1.5	290.6	3.3	454.7	1.3	341.7	-.5
Medical care	398.0	1.1	399.3	1.6	425.5	1.3	421.7	.7	403.7	.7	439.0	1.1
Entertainment	263.3	.8	277.8	.9	232.5	-.6	226.2	1.7	271.5	1.2	244.4	1.2
Other goods and services	321.8	.4	318.1	-.2	307.5	.2	311.6	.4	334.3	.6	340.1	1.0
Personal care	279.8	.6	269.1	-1.1	239.2	.8	268.4	1.1	292.5	1.6	271.8	3.7

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Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	320.1	0.9	319.1	0.8	315.8	0.7	315.9	0.6	311.8	0.5	312.4	1.0
Commodities	286.8	1.0	281.5	.9	268.5	.9	271.2	1.2	280.2	.4	278.9	.7
Food and beverages	301.6	.1	285.1	-.5	281.1	.4	294.4	-.3	308.4	.5	305.5	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	275.1	1.6	273.8	1.9	257.6	1.2	258.5	2.1	258.1	.5	259.4	.9
Nondurables less food and beverage	281.5	2.5	263.7	2.3	258.0	2.1	265.2	3.6	267.1	.8	275.0	1.9
Durables	272.6	.4	280.4	1.2	256.4	.2	255.6	.1	245.8	-.3	247.7	-.6
Services	376.2	.7	378.1	.6	388.8	.4	386.7	.1	360.7	.6	372.3	1.4
Medical care services	429.4	1.0	440.7	1.3	445.3	1.4	448.7	.7	430.8	.5	485.8	1.1
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	302.8	.9	288.6	.6	294.9	.5	292.7	1.0	305.3	.5	306.9	.8
All items less medical care	315.8	.9	314.3	.7	307.8	.6	310.1	.6	306.8	.5	305.4	1.0
All items less energy ⁷	312.7	.6	176.2	.7	167.0	.5	168.6	.1	162.7	.4	163.1	1.0
Energy ⁴	424.4	3.2	184.5	.9	192.7	2.0	202.2	5.7	185.4	1.9	202.6	1.6
Commodities less food	272.8	1.6	270.9	1.7	258.0	1.2	256.0	1.9	255.1	.4	257.3	.9
Nondurables less food	276.5	2.3	258.6	2.1	257.9	2.0	259.3	3.0	261.2	.8	270.4	1.7
Nondurables	292.7	1.2	276.4	.9	271.3	1.3	281.0	1.5	289.8	.6	293.4	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ¹	112.2	.8	109.7	.2	112.9	-.3	113.8	.8	114.6	.8	116.2	1.0
Services less medical care	368.1	.7	366.9	.5	371.4	.3	377.6	.0	351.7	.6	354.9	1.4

¹ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

² Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except U.S. city average.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1977=100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	324.6	0.6	305.4	1.4	342.4	0.6	335.6	0.7	292.7	0.0
All items (1957-59=100) ²	373.3	-	335.6	-	386.5	-	362.7	-	315.6	-
Food and beverages	307.0	-7	298.1	1.8	307.6	-7	317.0	.6	322.0	.2
Food	317.3	-8	303.8	2.0	316.1	-8	321.8	.6	334.0	.0
Food at home	303.7	-2.3	305.7	2.7	307.6	-1.2	302.3	.9	333.2	-8
Cereals and bakery products	306.1	-2.2	293.7	1.4	323.0	-1	311.1	-9	315.0	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	237.9	-4.3	271.1	2.5	286.8	-2.0	252.7	2.2	296.9	-4.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	245.6	-4.8	276.7	2.5	296.0	-1.9	263.1	1.9	300.1	-4.7
Dairy products	295.0	-1.3	256.5	-5	268.5	-6	272.5	.4	296.7	-2
Fruits and vegetables	364.2	-1.0	375.7	10.0	314.3	-3.4	329.5	1.2	404.2	2.5
Other foods at home	381.5	-1.6	369.4	.6	370.1	.2	374.9	.6	392.4	1.0
Food away from home	343.9	1.5	307.1	.2	338.9	.1	376.8	.0	340.2	1.8
Alcoholic beverages	187.0	1.3	238.7	.1	230.2	.3	253.5	1.6	220.0	2.3
Housing	361.9	.9	324.7	.6	376.3	.1	368.1	.5	274.4	-1
Shelter	396.5	1.5	313.0	-1.4	420.8	.5	410.8	.2	278.9	-5
Renters' costs ³	115.5	1.7	114.3	1.2	111.1	-7	111.9	-8	114.3	.0
Rent, residential	240.3	1.5	226.0	1.3	215.3	.7	263.8	-1.3	277.1	-1.1
Other renters' costs	381.1	3.8	396.3	1.0	341.4	-5.1	390.4	2.9	485.6	8.9
Homeowners' costs ³	111.9	1.5	116.5	-2.1	108.6	1.0	111.1	.7	108.4	-8
Owners' equivalent rent ³	112.1	1.5	116.3	-2.2	108.7	1.1	111.6	.1	108.4	-8
Fuel and other utilities	355.8	.1	502.8	4.1	396.7	.4	356.3	1.0	346.3	-8
Fuels	446.7	-5	576.5	5.5	474.4	.3	479.1	1.4	454.3	-8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	210.0	.7	575.0	-4	205.8	-1.2	202.3	-2.9	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁵	232.4	1.8	192.3	-4	222.1	-1.6	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other fuels ⁵	194.8	-3	156.7	.0	170.0	.0	202.1	-2.9	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	446.7	-5	580.0	6.8	473.4	.4	478.9	1.6	453.3	-8
Electricity	339.2	-4	409.9	12.3	320.3	1.0	316.0	.0	448.8	-9
Utility (piped) gas	591.0	-7	673.8	2.5	614.0	.0	707.6	4.5	451.9	-3
Household furnishings and operation	268.9	-1	241.7	.5	239.6	-1.2	262.0	.9	223.8	1.9
Apparel and upkeep	209.0	-4.7	242.8	6.2	201.2	1.3	217.3	-4	202.1	-9
Apparel commodities	188.5	-5.7	237.3	6.8	191.6	1.3	186.8	-6	193.7	-1.1
Men's and boys' apparel	216.3	-5.0	290.2	3.5	221.8	1.7	217.3	2.7	208.7	2.2
Women's and girls' apparel	192.4	-6.6	205.4	13.7	163.8	1.9	156.4	-1.4	189.8	.6
Footwear	144.2	7.5	239.5	1.2	188.2	-3.3	217.2	-4.0	197.2	-1.7
Transportation	300.9	2.7	292.4	1.4	312.6	2.4	320.1	1.6	269.3	.2
Private transportation	297.1	2.8	290.0	1.4	320.5	2.6	318.4	1.6	275.8	.3
Motor fuel ⁵	189.9	6.9	186.4	4.5	201.5	9.5	196.8	3.0	190.6	-7
Gasoline ⁵	190.0	6.9	186.1	4.5	200.7	9.6	196.7	3.0	191.1	-7
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	205.0	8.0	199.4	4.7	214.9	11.3	218.1	3.8	199.8	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	219.7	7.7	202.4	4.4	221.7	10.0	222.4	3.1	212.4	-5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	94.0	4.0	93.9	4.4	96.9	7.3	96.1	2.2	92.5	.1
Public transportation	322.8	.8	334.4	1.6	324.2	.0	364.7	.0	238.6	.0
Medical care	393.1	.6	324.5	.4	441.4	.6	393.8	.7	393.0	.6
Entertainment	224.5	2.8	276.6	1.3	254.9	1.6	284.1	-2	286.0	1.0
Other goods and services	317.2	-3	316.4	1.1	334.2	.4	320.1	.8	331.7	-2
Personal care	299.9	-1.0	243.7	.2	282.4	.7	282.6	.8	288.4	-1.0

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Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group										
All items	324.6	0.6	305.4	1.4	342.4	0.6	335.6	0.7	292.7	0.0
Commodities	281.3	.2	281.6	1.8	294.6	.7	303.1	.9	279.4	.2
Food and beverages	307.0	-.7	298.1	1.8	307.6	-.7	317.0	.6	322.0	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	265.6	.7	269.9	1.8	278.7	1.7	291.7	1.0	246.4	.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	264.9	1.2	293.0	2.9	270.3	3.1	279.5	1.2	276.8	-.6
Durables	269.5	.1	249.7	.2	279.8	-.1	307.6	.8	218.2	1.8
Services	397.9	1.1	347.5	.8	428.8	.4	384.4	.6	313.1	-.1
Medical care services	423.0	.1	335.9	.5	480.7	.5	422.0	.7	411.0	.6
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	298.2	.4	304.0	2.0	306.2	.6	309.1	.9	294.4	.2
All items less medical care	320.1	.6	304.2	1.4	336.0	.6	331.1	.7	286.9	.0
All items less energy ⁸	174.4	.3	159.1	.8	182.5	.1	178.0	.5	165.1	.2
Energy ⁵	187.6	3.9	195.4	5.0	197.5	4.4	184.7	2.3	193.6	-.7
Commodities less food	262.8	.7	268.5	1.8	277.8	1.6	290.4	1.0	244.4	.3
Nondurables less food	258.9	1.2	288.3	2.7	267.2	2.9	277.6	1.2	269.5	-.4
Nondurables	287.0	.2	296.2	2.3	291.1	1.0	298.4	.9	303.5	-.2
Services less rent of shelter ³	113.7	.7	110.9	2.3	109.2	.4	113.6	1.2	108.7	.4
Services less medical care	390.2	1.2	348.5	.8	414.8	.4	376.5	.6	298.4	-.1

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Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	335.3	0.5	319.8	1.7	333.6	1.0	324.3	0.2	330.4	0.5
All items (1957-59 = 100)	383.5	-	379.6	-	386.6	-	373.0	-	393.2	-
Food and beverages	330.8	-.8	301.4	.7	308.7	-.3	293.3	-.3	302.0	-.3
Food	337.5	-.9	307.9	.6	320.8	-.3	297.3	-.5	312.9	-.4
Food at home	309.5	-1.1	295.6	.6	295.4	-.4	280.6	-.4	303.5	-1.1
Cereals and bakery products	314.0	-1.1	309.6	.1	341.2	-.3	305.6	.2	325.8	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	273.1	-.8	254.2	-.1	248.8	-1.5	248.8	-1.5	268.9	-3.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	283.0	-.8	263.5	-.2	256.3	-1.8	257.3	-1.4	273.4	-2.9
Dairy products	293.9	-1.4	267.9	-.7	278.9	-.4	226.2	-1.7	253.0	.1
Fruits and vegetables	329.5	-4.5	362.6	4.3	311.0	.8	317.3	.2	332.2	-2.9
Other foods at home	365.7	.5	336.0	-.1	338.4	-.2	340.6	.9	380.5	1.4
Food away from home	426.2	-.3	342.1	.6	397.0	.0	357.6	-.7	326.1	.8
Alcoholic beverages	262.0	1.0	242.1	2.2	223.5	.2	276.1	2.4	203.4	1.2
Housing	354.8	.0	341.8	1.1	381.6	.9	365.5	.2	374.7	1.0
Shelter	374.8	-.3	376.5	1.5	438.4	.7	422.2	.3	411.7	1.4
Renters' costs ³	95.2	-.7	117.1	1.2	112.9	.8	112.3	.4	121.5	1.5
Rent, residential	218.4	-1.4	224.3	-.1	267.4	.8	240.8	.3	327.3	1.6
Other renters' costs	399.2	6.7	329.9	9.6	396.0	.4	409.0	1.0	382.9	.0
Homeowners' costs ³	96.5	.0	111.9	1.6	110.0	.6	108.5	.5	121.6	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ³	93.2	-1.1	111.7	1.6	110.3	.6	108.4	.5	121.9	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	466.7	.8	379.7	-.5	391.2	-.4	391.5	-.5	403.6	1.9
Fuels	621.5	1.1	476.9	-.7	450.7	-.5	507.7	-.6	492.4	3.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁹	180.9	-2.4	186.0	1.5	657.1	.0	221.0	-.3	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁵	NA	NA	194.4	3.3	228.9	.7	205.4	-.4	227.8	3.3
Other fuels ⁵	180.9	-2.4	180.0	.0	190.2	-3.1	256.1	.0	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	628.0	1.2	480.0	-.8	424.5	-.6	504.8	-.6	495.7	3.0
Electricity	485.8	1.7	302.9	1.5	250.9	-1.4	342.1	-1.3	334.6	5.3
Utility (piped) gas	873.0	.0	717.3	-2.5	593.7	-.2	665.3	.0	749.7	.1
Household furnishings and operation	250.7	-.1	247.9	2.0	235.3	3.1	227.9	1.1	265.5	-1.2
Apparel and upkeep	247.2	.2	228.4	3.2	203.0	4.2	197.6	-3.1	216.7	-2.9
Apparel commodities	224.1	.0	216.0	3.3	195.2	4.8	188.1	-3.6	201.7	-3.4
Men's and boys' apparel	235.9	.4	213.9	3.7	231.5	7.3	188.7	.3	206.0	.8
Women's and girls' apparel	212.4	-.8	207.3	-.8	149.9	4.0	164.8	-4.4	195.2	-9.1
Footwear	240.4	.2	276.5	20.6	216.6	3.6	208.2	1.4	209.5	2.2
Transportation	293.4	1.7	308.5	3.9	296.1	1.9	332.3	1.0	322.2	1.2
Private transportation	293.7	1.8	306.8	4.2	293.1	2.3	328.1	.9	321.5	1.2
Motor fuel ⁵	194.1	6.5	187.9	13.0	197.8	7.6	193.9	3.1	193.1	5.1
Gasoline ⁵	193.8	6.5	187.5	13.2	197.2	8.0	194.2	3.1	193.2	5.2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	212.5	8.3	208.4	14.9	214.9	8.2	204.4	4.0	210.1	5.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	216.3	7.0	210.6	13.1	225.3	8.3	214.8	3.0	220.2	5.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	94.5	3.5	95.2	8.4	100.5	5.8	92.4	2.7	97.9	4.6
Public transportation	303.7	-1.3	347.9	-1.2	340.0	-3.0	412.3	1.6	314.9	1.2
Medical care	465.8	1.7	404.7	.5	379.1	.5	417.3	.6	375.0	.6
Entertainment	290.2	2.4	246.8	.2	285.2	.7	262.7	1.8	256.5	.5
Other goods and services	321.4	.1	320.8	-.3	327.9	.1	303.9	.2	337.4	.4
Personal care	332.6	1.3	273.9	-.9	281.2	.7	235.9	.5	292.4	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985, and percent changes, February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group									
All items	335.3	0.5	319.8	1.7	333.6	1.0	324.3	0.2	330.4	0.5
Commodities	304.2	.8	292.9	2.3	288.8	1.6	279.5	.3	287.8	.0
Food and beverages	330.8	-.8	301.4	.7	308.7	-.3	293.3	-.3	302.0	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages	288.8	1.8	284.8	3.2	274.6	2.9	263.5	.7	278.8	.1
Nondurables less food and beverage	295.9	2.9	289.4	5.2	279.1	3.6	256.1	.4	277.0	1.0
Durables	289.1	.3	279.4	1.0	279.5	1.9	273.7	1.2	284.0	-1.2
Services	391.4	.1	364.9	.8	411.2	.2	402.8	.0	393.7	1.0
Medical care services	507.3	1.5	444.7	.5	410.3	.2	461.4	.1	406.6	.4
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	324.0	.7	302.4	1.6	298.0	1.1	299.4	.1	304.9	.2
All items less medical care	327.4	.4	315.3	1.7	330.8	1.0	319.0	.1	327.5	.5
All items less energy ⁶	160.4	.0	173.5	1.1	169.7	.7	167.8	.1	173.7	.2
Energy ⁵	210.2	4.0	186.8	5.8	186.0	3.2	198.4	1.0	210.4	4.2
Commodities less food	287.7	1.8	283.4	3.2	272.4	2.8	265.7	.8	275.0	.2
Nondurables less food	293.6	2.8	285.4	5.0	274.0	3.4	259.5	.5	269.6	1.0
Nondurables	314.7	1.0	296.4	3.0	295.0	1.5	278.4	.0	291.2	.3
Services less rent of shelter ³	109.5	.7	109.9	.5	112.0	-.2	111.7	-.3	111.4	.6
Services less medical care	375.3	-.1	354.9	.9	410.9	.2	394.3	.0	390.1	1.1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (See footnote 1, Table 13) will appear next month.

² For the following areas the 1957-59=100 base is not available; indexes are on the bases listed below:

Buffalo, N. Y. November 1963=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. November 1963=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1963=100.

³ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Buffalo, N.Y. where 1967=100.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁸ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Atlanta, Ga. December 1977=100.

Buffalo, N. Y. February 1978=100.

Cleveland, Ohio. February 1978=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. February 1978=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1977=100.

Houston, Tex. April 1978=100.

Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. December 1977=100.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. April 1978=100.

Pittsburgh, Pa. April 1978=100.

San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. December 1977=100.

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. where 1967=100.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, all items index—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Region/population size class cross classification³												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	162.4	-	163.5	4.5	0.7	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	169.6	-	171.1	2.8	.9	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	171.2	-	172.6	3.7	.8	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	169.6	-	170.9	4.1	.8	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	168.7	-	170.5	4.2	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	166.4	-	168.4	3.5	1.2	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	169.9	-	170.7	3.8	.5	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	172.7	-	175.1	5.2	1.4	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	180.6	-	182.5	7.5	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	163.8	-	165.7	3.2	1.2	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	172.8	-	173.9	5.3	.6	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	163.2	-	165.9	5.7	1.7	-	-	-	-
Northeast/D	2	12/77	-	170.6	-	174.2	5.6	2.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	170.5	-	171.4	2.9	.5	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	172.0	-	173.7	4.4	1.0	-	-	-	-
West/D	2	12/77	-	171.5	-	172.4	5.4	.5	-	-	-	-

¹ Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

A-1 - More than 4,000,000.

A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.

B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

NOTE: Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI program. Because each local index is a small subset of the national index, it has a smaller sample size and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than the national index. As a result, local area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are quite similar. Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in escalator clauses.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, all items index

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Area ²												
U.S. city average			312.6	313.9	315.3	316.7	4.1	0.9	0.4	4.0	0.9	0.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	M		302.5	304.0	304.7	306.2	3.3	.7	.5	2.8	.7	.2
Detroit, Mich	M		301.2	304.0	306.0	306.3	2.6	.8	.1	1.0	1.6	.7
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	M		308.1	309.1	309.8	311.2	4.1	.7	.5	4.0	.6	.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		302.0	303.6	304.2	305.1	4.8	.5	.3	4.9	.7	.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		309.4	312.4	313.5	315.3	5.5	.9	.6	4.9	1.3	.4
Anchorage, Alaska	1	10/67	271.7	-	273.1	-	-	-	-	2.7	.5	-
Baltimore, Md	1		315.1	-	320.2	-	-	-	-	4.2	1.6	-
Boston, Mass	1		307.8	-	312.3	-	-	-	-	4.7	1.5	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	1		318.9	-	322.2	-	-	-	-	2.7	1.0	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo	1		346.2	-	350.7	-	-	-	-	2.5	1.3	-
Miami, Fla	1	11/77	169.8	-	171.3	-	-	-	-	3.0	.9	-
Milwaukee, Wis	1		343.4	-	346.9	-	-	-	-	3.5	1.0	-
Northeast Pennsylvania	1		301.0	-	304.2	-	-	-	-	3.5	1.1	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	1		297.4	-	299.8	-	-	-	-	2.6	.8	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	1		310.4	-	311.0	-	-	-	-	4.6	.2	-
San Diego, Calif	1		329.1	-	333.7	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.4	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash	1		306.7	-	309.0	-	-	-	-	3.0	.7	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	1		317.7	-	322.3	-	-	-	-	4.6	1.4	-
Atlanta, Ga	2		-	320.3	-	322.3	4.2	.6	-	-	-	-
Buffalo, N.Y.	2		-	288.1	-	291.9	1.8	1.3	-	-	-	-
Cleveland, Ohio	2		-	319.8	-	321.8	.3	.6	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	2		-	326.9	-	329.6	4.1	.8	-	-	-	-
Honolulu, Hawaii	2		-	300.3	-	300.1	3.8	-1	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex	2		-	331.1	-	332.8	2.4	.5	-	-	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	2		-	304.4	-	309.7	3.3	1.7	-	-	-	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis	2		-	326.0	-	329.2	2.5	1.0	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa	2		-	306.0	-	306.8	1.8	.3	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	2		-	324.2	-	326.1	4.8	.6	-	-	-	-
Region ³												
Northeast	2	12/77	-	166.4	-	167.9	4.9	.9	-	-	-	-
North Central	2	12/77	-	168.1	-	169.7	3.0	1.0	-	-	-	-
South	2	12/77	-	171.3	-	172.5	4.2	.7	-	-	-	-
West	2	12/77	-	169.6	-	171.4	4.7	1.1	-	-	-	-
Population size class ³												
A-1	2	12/77	-	164.9	-	166.0	4.2	.7	-	-	-	-
A-2	2	12/77	-	170.4	-	172.0	3.3	.9	-	-	-	-
B	2	12/77	-	169.6	-	171.2	4.1	.9	-	-	-	-
C	2	12/77	-	170.2	-	172.0	5.2	1.1	-	-	-	-
D	2	12/77	-	171.2	-	172.8	4.2	.9	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1985							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		296.1	313.1	262.9	257.2	328.1	361.3
Anchorage, Alaska	10/67	265.3	271.6	231.6	242.8	271.8	331.6
Atlanta, Ga		301.9	306.1	238.4	283.1	348.2	391.1
Baltimore, Md		296.9	323.6	259.0	250.0	353.2	358.0
Boston, Mass		278.9	306.7	266.8	232.9	301.3	318.5
Buffalo, N.Y.		303.7	289.3	275.9	256.7	358.3	365.8
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind		276.5	310.6	246.1	241.0	306.4	334.2
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind		320.3	383.5	262.3	261.9	358.9	411.7
Cleveland, Ohio		305.1	315.1	288.3	256.1	321.8	366.8
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		304.1	301.1	255.9	279.5	332.8	379.5
Denver-Boulder, Colo		295.4	281.4	250.8	275.7	336.0	374.9
Detroit, Mich		287.8	327.0	261.5	249.1	300.2	350.8
Honolulu, Hawaii		342.4	306.5	321.3	296.3	402.8	402.0
Houston, Tex		308.0	311.4	270.7	285.3	321.3	376.3
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans		290.3	298.3	254.3	268.0	346.2	335.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif		296.0	311.3	267.1	255.0	293.6	373.1
Miami, Fla	11/77	160.0	167.9	158.8	152.6	177.8	152.5
Milwaukee, Wis		293.8	339.9	272.7	263.6	307.1	328.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis		296.7	342.2	252.4	277.2	308.2	349.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J		301.2	317.3	261.3	265.0	343.3	376.8
Northeast Pennsylvania		296.0	290.2	272.3	238.2	363.6	348.9
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J		299.3	317.8	269.0	249.9	327.3	377.0
Pittsburgh, Pa		284.0	303.0	253.3	228.7	329.3	343.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash		293.6	317.0	265.0	232.1	320.3	381.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill		295.2	353.3	238.3	274.3	364.9	349.0
San Diego, Calif		298.2	331.4	262.3	259.7	317.6	359.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif		301.8	331.3	270.3	249.5	327.8	373.6
Seattle-Everett, Wash		282.0	297.4	245.0	241.3	266.2	378.0
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va		317.4	320.9	277.4	243.5	372.7	409.7
Region ³							
Northeast	12/77	152.5	163.7	148.3	142.2	171.6	146.6
North Central	12/77	149.2	168.5	142.7	140.3	164.6	146.4
South	12/77	154.3	162.5	146.7	152.2	174.0	151.1
West	12/77	157.6	169.7	149.5	150.5	171.8	157.5
Population size class ³							
A-1	12/77	150.4	163.0	144.7	145.6	162.2	147.6
A-2	12/77	154.0	167.8	146.6	145.4	173.5	151.6
B	12/77	155.4	167.6	148.6	146.8	179.5	150.7
C	12/77	152.0	165.5	145.4	142.9	171.3	148.7
D	12/77	154.1	165.9	150.4	146.0	170.9	149.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1985							
Region/population size class cross classification ³							
Northeast/A	12/77	150.7	161.8	146.0	143.3	167.2	145.4
North Central/A	12/77	149.0	167.2	142.3	142.5	164.3	145.5
South/A	12/77	157.6	165.2	149.6	150.9	173.4	158.9
West/A	12/77	155.3	169.1	145.9	151.7	163.5	157.2
Northeast/B	12/77	157.0	168.3	151.5	139.6	191.2	148.3
North Central/B	12/77	149.5	172.4	144.7	141.5	162.6	144.3
South/B	12/77	153.8	161.1	145.3	152.4	177.9	149.9
West/B	12/77	161.9	172.9	154.0	152.7	182.2	161.1
Northeast/C	12/77	154.6	166.5	153.8	141.2	170.6	148.4
North Central/C	12/77	149.4	168.2	142.1	135.0	171.0	148.4
South/C	12/77	151.0	162.0	140.9	150.2	171.4	147.7
West/C	12/77	155.8	166.8	151.1	146.1	172.7	152.1
Northeast/D	12/77	156.0	166.6	155.6	140.3	172.1	150.2
North Central/D	12/77	149.4	169.4	142.5	139.2	159.1	149.4
South/D	12/77	155.1	161.2	153.5	157.0	173.1	145.5
West/D	12/77	161.0	168.8	154.7	144.7	191.8	157.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985					
Area ²						
U.S. city average	-0.3	0.1	-1.0	-0.2	0.4	0.1
Anchorage, Alaska	.2	-.5	.3	-.1	.6	.5
Atlanta, Ga	-.3	2.6	-1.5	.0	-.5	-.4
Baltimore, Md	-.1	1.1	-2.5	.1	1.5	1.3
Boston, Mass	.0	1.1	1.7	.1	-2.8	-1.1
Buffalo, N.Y.	1.4	.6	1.0	-.2	5.8	.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	-.9	-.1	-2.7	-1.6	1.3	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	-.7	1.1	-3.5	-.5	.5	.5
Cleveland, Ohio	-.6	-1.0	-1.1	.0	-.5	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	.5	.0	-1.1	-.4	1.8	2.0
Denver-Boulder, Colo	-.9	-.4	-3.0	.3	-1.5	.4
Detroit, Mich	-.2	.3	-.5	-.8	.3	-.3
Honolulu, Hawaii	.6	1.4	-2.6	.2	8.6	.1
Houston, Tex	.9	-.2	-1.1	-.4	.9	4.1
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	.8	.1	-.9	-.3	7.1	.1
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	-.1	1.2	-1.9	.4	.8	.5
Miami, Fla	-.6	-.8	-.4	-.3	-4.7	1.9
Milwaukee, Wis	-.5	.1	-1.9	-.6	.6	.3
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis	-.3	.6	-.9	.1	-.9	-.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-.8	.1	-2.2	-.5	.1	.1
Northeast Pennsylvania	.0	.6	.1	-1.8	.8	-.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	-.3	-2.6	-1.5	.7	2.1	.4
Pittsburgh, Pa	-.9	.5	-2.2	-1.4	-1.1	.1
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	.9	.2	1.6	.1	3.0	-.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	-.7	1.2	-1.9	-.8	2.3	-2.0
San Diego, Calif	.5	.5	-.6	.4	3.8	-.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	.0	-.3	-1.0	.3	1.1	.4
Seattle-Everett, Wash	.0	.0	-1.0	-.4	1.4	.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	-.1	1.0	-.5	-.8	-1.6	1.1
Region ³						
Northeast	-.5	-.1	-1.3	-.4	.0	.0
North Central	-.1	.5	-.9	-.7	1.1	.3
South	-.3	-.1	-.5	.0	.1	-.5
West	.0	.3	-1.2	.2	.8	.6
Population size class ³						
A-1	-.6	-.1	-2.0	-.4	.6	.1
A-2	-.1	.5	-1.0	-.3	.5	.5
B	-.1	.0	-.3	-.4	.4	.0
C	-.2	.4	-.3	-.1	-.3	-.4
D	-.1	-.1	-.5	.0	.7	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985					
Region/population size class cross classification ³						
Northeast/A	-0.5	-0.2	-1.7	-0.3	0.4	0.1
North Central/A	-6	.2	-1.8	-8	1.1	-3
South/A	.1	.5	-1.2	-3	-2	1.7
West/A	-1	.7	-1.5	.3	1.1	.4
Northeast/B	-1	.5	-3	-6	.3	-3
North Central/B	.6	1.1	.5	-4	.5	.8
South/B	-5	-7	.3	-7	-1	-1.4
West/B	.1	-6	-1.8	.4	1.6	1.5
Northeast/C	-7	.4	-6	-4	-3.0	-1
North Central/C	.5	1.1	.0	-7	1.7	.7
South/C	-4	-1	-4	.9	.3	-1.6
West/C	-4	.1	-4	-5	-1.2	-1
Northeast/D	-3	.1	-1.3	-5	1.2	.3
North Central/D	.1	-3	-7	-1	.9	.9
South/D	-4	-6	-6	.3	.7	-9
West/D	.7	.9	1.5	.4	-5	.6

¹ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions. The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:
A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
C - 75,000 to 385,000.
D - Less than 75,000.
Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Expenditure category					
All items	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.6
Food and beverages	-.1	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Food	.0	-.4	-.1	.3	.1	.0
Food at home	-.3	-.9	-.2	-.1	-.8	-.3
Cereals and bakery products	.1	-.1	.3	1.2	.1	-2.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-1.0	-2.7	-.5	-1.9	-2.2	-1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	-1.0	-2.7	-.4	-1.8	-2.3	-1.5
Dairy products	-.2	-1.6	-.8	.4	-.5	.7
Fruits and vegetables	.4	1.3	.3	.8	.1	2.1
Other foods at home	.1	.0	-.3	.5	.1	.4
Food away from home	.4	.5	.2	.8	2.0	.6
Alcoholic beverages	.0	-1.6	.5	-2.5	.1	-.3
Housing	.4	.7	-.1	.2	.5	.8
Shelter	.5	1.6	.2	.0	.5	1.5
Renters' costs	.5	1.8	.2	.2	1.2	1.0
Rent, residential	.5	.7	.0	-.2	1.0	1.2
Other renters' costs	1.5	11.0	1.5	5.5	3.5	.0
Homeowners' costs	.4	1.6	.5	.0	.1	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent	.5	1.6	.4	-.1	.1	1.8
Fuel and other utilities	.1	-2.9	-.5	-1.3	.8	.2
Fuels	.1	-3.8	-.6	-2.0	.9	.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	.4	-.4	.0	.4	.3	.4
Fuel oil	.6	.0	.0	NA	.3	.4
Other fuels	-.5	-4.0	.0	.4	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	.0	-4.4	-.7	-2.0	1.3	.3
Electricity	.4	-3.6	.0	-4.4	-.1	1.4
Utility (piped) gas	-.4	-5.2	-1.1	.1	3.3	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	.4	1.7	-.2	1.7	.2	-.6
Apparel and upkeep	.3	.8	.2	-1.2	.1	2.0
Apparel commodities	.3	1.0	.1	-1.7	.1	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	1.1	6.0	-.8	-3.4	2.4	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	.3	-3.0	1.7	1.0	-1.3	4.0
Footwear	.0	-.2	3.9	-1.8	-2.0	3.6
Transportation	1.0	.9	.5	1.8	.3	.8
Private transportation	1.1	1.0	.5	1.8	.3	.9
Motor fuel	3.8	3.1	2.2	5.8	2.0	2.3
Gasoline	3.8	3.2	2.3	5.9	2.0	2.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.4	3.1	2.4	6.6	2.0	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	3.9	3.5	2.4	6.3	2.2	2.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	2.5	1.9	1.4	4.4	1.7	1.2
Public transportation	.2	.8	-.3	.1	.1	-.6
Medical care	.4	.2	.2	.1	.3	.1
Entertainment	.5	1.6	-.5	.1	.6	.2
Other goods and services	.2	.1	.3	-.2	.4	1.1
Personal care	.4	.0	.9	.0	1.1	3.5

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.6
Commodities	.5	.5	.2	.8	.3	.3
Food and beverages	-.1	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	.9	1.2	.4	1.3	.5	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.4	1.2	.9	1.8	.4	1.1
Durables	.2	1.1	-.2	.6	.5	-.2
Services	.3	.5	.0	.1	.3	.9
Medical care services	.3	.0	.3	.0	.1	.3
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter	.4	.2	.1	.6	.3	.4
All items less medical care	.4	.5	.1	.5	.3	.6
All items less energy	.2	.5	.0	.2	.2	.6
Energy	2.0	.0	.8	3.3	1.3	1.2
Commodities less food	.8	1.0	.4	1.1	.4	.6
Nondurables less food	1.3	1.0	.9	1.5	.4	1.0
Nondurables	.6	.3	.4	.9	.2	.4
Services less rent of shelter	.2	-.4	-.3	.3	.2	.5
Services less medical care	.4	.5	-.1	.1	.4	1.0

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	316.7	0.9	306.2	0.7	306.3	0.8	311.2	0.7	305.1	0.5	315.3	0.9
All items (1957-59=100)	368.3	-	347.8	-	351.9	-	365.9	-	363.1	-	368.3	-
Food and beverages	301.4	.1	281.1	-.4	283.1	.2	299.5	-.2	304.2	.3	314.1	.4
Food	309.2	.1	288.1	-.3	287.5	.2	310.6	.0	314.8	.3	324.6	.4
Food at home	296.1	-.3	276.5	-.7	287.8	-.2	296.0	-.5	301.2	-.5	299.3	.5
Cereals and bakery products	313.1	.4	310.6	.6	327.0	.4	311.3	.6	317.3	.6	317.8	-1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.9	-1.3	246.1	-3.1	261.5	-.5	267.1	-2.3	261.3	-2.1	269.0	-.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	270.3	-1.4	256.5	-3.0	265.5	-.7	271.0	-2.4	265.1	-2.4	277.7	-1.0
Dairy products	257.2	-.4	241.0	-1.3	249.1	-2.0	255.0	.2	265.0	-1.0	249.9	.4
Fruits and vegetables	328.1	.3	306.4	1.4	300.2	.1	293.6	1.1	343.3	1.1	327.3	4.7
Other foods at home	361.3	.3	334.2	.6	350.8	.7	373.1	-.5	376.8	.3	377.0	.8
Food away from home	347.1	.7	316.7	.3	299.1	1.3	340.5	.9	350.5	2.1	405.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	229.9	.3	211.3	-1.5	251.8	.0	210.9	-3.3	220.3	.5	237.8	-.2
Housing	339.5	.7	322.6	.3	331.5	.6	330.0	-.4	309.3	.2	329.5	.8
Shelter	364.7	.7	355.9	1.3	353.6	1.1	361.8	-.5	312.2	.4	357.6	1.8
Renters' costs ¹	101.9	1.0	103.1	2.0	103.3	1.6	101.4	-.3	101.5	1.4	104.2	1.5
Rent, residential	259.6	.8	232.2	.5	240.7	1.5	308.0	-.7	271.3	1.2	280.2	1.3
Other renters' costs	391.0	2.7	453.0	14.1	334.9	2.4	351.6	6.1	409.3	3.8	448.8	1.9
Homeowners' costs ¹	101.4	.6	101.5	.9	103.1	1.5	100.9	-.6	100.1	-.5	103.0	2.0
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	101.4	.6	101.1	.5	103.1	1.4	100.7	-.8	100.1	-.5	103.1	2.1
Fuel and other utilities	389.7	.6	331.9	-3.0	437.5	-.6	330.7	-1.1	406.5	1.0	403.0	.1
Fuels	482.3	.4	409.2	-3.9	523.0	-.8	438.1	-2.1	530.7	1.2	489.3	.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ²	625.9	.0	616.1	-1.3	641.9	-1.2	178.2	.3	670.4	.0	647.0	.2
Fuel oil ³	632.5	.2	222.1	-1.0	216.5	-1.5	NA	NA	220.2	.0	220.5	.2
Other fuels ⁴	193.7	-.9	150.5	-4.0	184.9	.0	178.2	.3	196.0	-.2	179.8	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	444.6	.5	368.9	-4.4	505.9	-.7	439.8	-2.2	465.7	1.9	425.2	.2
Electricity	354.6	.8	294.6	-3.6	294.2	.0	353.8	-4.4	398.7	-.1	399.7	1.4
Utility (piped) gas	575.0	.1	447.5	-5.3	704.6	-1.1	566.4	-.1	583.7	4.7	449.8	-1.3
Household furnishings and operation	244.1	.6	230.9	.8	206.9	1.0	224.2	.7	247.1	-1.0	231.5	-1.1
Apparel and upkeep	204.9	2.1	180.9	2.8	164.3	2.8	176.7	-.5	192.3	1.8	160.2	2.0
Apparel commodities	191.5	2.3	162.0	3.6	148.3	3.3	163.9	-.7	172.5	2.1	142.5	2.3
Men's and boys' apparel	197.8	2.4	161.1	6.8	151.9	-.5	164.9	-1.1	167.9	3.3	141.8	3.6
Women's and girls' apparel	172.0	3.7	146.4	1.4	138.3	8.3	128.5	-.6	149.7	2.6	93.6	3.2
Footwear	213.3	1.2	178.4	5.0	163.1	1.8	221.8	.3	208.0	.4	218.1	-2.2
Transportation	322.0	1.8	317.7	1.9	306.3	1.1	336.4	3.1	346.6	.7	342.1	1.5
Private transportation	318.0	1.9	311.3	2.0	303.5	1.2	339.1	3.1	322.9	.6	343.6	1.7
Motor fuel ⁴	193.4	6.1	191.5	6.1	206.7	5.7	194.9	10.2	187.9	3.1	201.6	3.8
Gasoline ⁴	193.2	6.3	191.5	6.2	206.3	5.8	195.0	10.3	187.6	3.1	202.4	3.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁵	209.1	7.2	213.1	6.8	227.6	6.3	217.9	11.5	190.3	3.1	213.6	4.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	216.4	6.3	219.1	6.3	228.7	6.0	224.4	11.0	199.5	3.3	224.0	4.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	95.4	4.1	100.6	4.8	101.2	4.1	98.0	7.6	93.4	2.9	92.1	2.2
Public transportation	387.4	.8	393.6	.8	393.2	-1.5	285.2	2.9	449.2	1.0	338.9	-.4
Medical care	396.1	1.0	405.4	1.5	415.1	1.1	415.4	.7	388.4	.8	464.6	1.0
Entertainment	258.6	.7	316.3	.8	222.0	-.6	205.8	1.5	265.0	1.2	235.1	1.0
Other goods and services	318.3	.4	310.7	-.2	318.7	.2	309.6	.4	328.3	.6	326.9	1.2
Personal care	277.5	.6	247.7	-1.1	260.3	.8	267.6	1.0	296.3	1.4	256.0	4.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	316.7	0.9	306.2	0.7	306.3	0.8	311.2	0.7	305.1	0.5	315.3	0.9
Commodities	286.7	1.0	272.8	1.0	260.9	1.0	269.9	1.3	277.5	.4	283.2	.6
Food and beverages	301.4	.1	281.1	-.4	283.1	.2	299.5	-.2	304.2	.3	314.1	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	275.5	1.6	263.1	1.9	246.3	1.5	255.1	2.3	257.1	.6	261.4	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	283.2	2.5	266.4	2.5	261.2	2.6	267.1	3.8	270.8	.9	263.2	1.7
Durables	267.3	.4	258.3	1.2	233.5	.3	245.7	.3	236.8	.0	259.6	-.9
Services	372.2	.7	364.1	.4	381.4	.4	381.8	.1	353.0	.5	380.7	1.4
Medical care services	427.1	.9	445.0	1.3	435.9	1.3	441.6	.7	411.5	.6	523.4	1.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	302.4	.9	289.6	.6	290.9	.6	292.3	1.1	303.1	.6	306.1	.7
All items less medical care	312.6	.9	301.0	.7	298.8	.7	305.7	.7	300.7	.5	307.9	1.0
All items less energy ⁷	308.1	.6	167.7	.6	161.0	.5	165.6	.1	158.6	.4	164.4	.9
Energy ⁴	424.2	3.3	186.7	1.5	196.1	2.3	200.0	6.1	186.4	1.9	203.5	1.8
Commodities less food	273.3	1.6	260.9	1.8	247.1	1.4	252.8	2.1	254.2	.6	259.5	.7
Nondurables less food	278.2	2.4	261.8	2.2	260.9	2.5	261.4	3.2	264.8	.9	260.0	1.6
Nondurables	293.4	1.2	275.6	1.0	273.9	1.4	284.5	1.6	289.4	.6	291.7	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ¹	101.4	.7	100.7	-.1	102.7	-.3	102.5	.8	101.3	.7	102.2	1.1
Services less medical care	364.1	.7	351.8	.3	364.5	.3	372.9	.0	344.9	.6	360.7	1.5

¹ Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

² Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base, except U.S. city average.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1977 = 100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	322.3	0.6	291.9	1.3	321.8	0.6	329.6	0.8	300.1	-0.1
All items (1957-59 = 100) ²	370.7	-	320.8	-	363.3	-	356.3	-	323.5	-
Food and beverages	309.8	-7	294.1	2.0	310.8	-6	319.0	.6	327.9	-4
Food	319.1	-9	298.4	2.2	319.1	-7	325.0	.6	340.9	-6
Food at home	301.9	-2.4	303.7	2.9	305.1	-1.0	304.1	.9	342.4	-1.5
Cereals and bakery products	306.1	-2.1	289.3	1.3	315.1	-2	301.1	-9	306.5	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	238.4	-4.1	275.9	3.6	288.3	-2.0	255.9	1.9	321.3	-5.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	246.6	-4.7	281.8	3.7	298.0	-1.9	266.0	1.6	326.3	-6.3
Dairy products	283.1	-1.5	256.7	-5	256.1	-5	279.5	.3	296.3	-3
Fruits and vegetables	348.2	-9	358.3	9.5	321.8	-2.5	332.8	1.5	402.8	2.3
Other foods at home	391.1	-1.8	365.8	.6	366.8	.2	379.5	.7	402.0	1.1
Food away from home	355.2	1.5	290.5	.1	356.1	.1	385.8	.0	340.3	1.7
Alcoholic beverages	198.2	1.8	250.0	.1	238.2	.3	239.4	1.4	215.9	2.5
Housing	352.4	.8	295.0	.6	334.8	.0	364.6	.5	287.2	.0
Shelter	386.6	1.5	256.7	-1.5	358.6	.6	408.7	.0	293.7	-4
Renters' costs ³	103.1	1.7	100.4	1.2	101.1	-3	101.3	-1.1	102.3	.1
Rent, residential	240.3	1.5	226.0	1.3	215.3	.7	263.8	-1.3	277.1	-1.1
Other renters' costs	380.8	4.0	394.3	.9	351.0	-6.6	385.6	2.2	506.4	10.2
Homeowners' costs ³	104.2	1.5	91.0	-2.3	101.0	1.1	102.0	.8	101.4	-9
Owners' equivalent rent ³	104.3	1.6	91.0	-2.3	101.0	1.1	101.3	.1	101.5	-8
Fuel and other utilities	358.1	.1	501.4	4.1	396.5	.4	357.2	.9	346.2	-8
Fuels	445.3	-5	575.4	5.5	473.1	.3	477.8	1.3	453.4	-8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	210.5	.7	576.3	-4	211.7	-1.2	202.0	-2.9	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁵	232.2	1.8	192.5	-5	222.2	-1.6	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other fuels ⁵	194.7	-3	174.4	.0	188.0	.0	201.8	-2.9	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	445.2	-5	579.0	7.0	471.0	.4	477.5	1.6	452.7	-8
Electricity	339.2	-4	409.9	12.3	320.3	1.0	316.0	.0	448.8	-9
Utility (piped) gas	591.0	-7	673.7	2.5	614.0	.0	707.6	4.5	452.0	-3
Household furnishings and operation	267.4	-3	247.7	.7	231.6	-1.9	252.3	1.4	234.9	2.1
Apparel and upkeep	216.5	-4.3	231.2	3.6	208.8	1.3	209.7	1.4	207.4	-2.2
Apparel commodities	197.5	-5.1	226.1	3.9	202.4	1.4	181.1	1.7	198.4	-2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	216.6	-3.9	293.8	3.9	250.2	.3	210.2	2.9	209.6	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	199.2	-5.8	176.3	6.5	166.7	2.5	149.1	5.5	164.7	.5
Footwear	163.3	6.5	225.3	1.1	185.2	-2.6	222.2	-3.9	181.4	-1.7
Transportation	306.5	2.7	294.2	1.4	309.1	2.7	318.9	1.6	268.6	.2
Private transportation	299.5	3.0	293.7	1.4	316.7	2.8	318.4	1.6	276.0	.3
Motor fuel ⁵	190.2	6.9	186.2	4.4	198.8	9.5	194.1	3.0	189.7	-7
Gasoline ⁵	190.3	7.0	186.0	4.5	198.1	9.6	194.0	3.1	190.2	-7
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	205.3	8.0	199.7	4.8	210.9	11.3	214.4	3.8	199.4	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	220.3	7.7	201.7	4.4	219.7	10.0	218.8	3.1	212.1	-5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	94.0	3.9	93.6	4.3	96.7	7.3	95.7	2.1	92.1	.1
Public transportation	344.7	.5	311.0	1.4	344.0	.0	338.0	.0	239.3	.0
Medical care	408.8	.6	330.1	.4	447.1	.5	388.5	.8	399.5	.6
Entertainment	248.0	3.4	256.0	1.3	256.4	1.3	263.4	-2	300.0	1.0
Other goods and services	302.7	-1	298.1	.6	340.1	.4	303.6	.6	326.5	-2
Personal care	292.9	-5	237.1	-1	287.4	.6	271.8	.8	273.5	-9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group									
All items	322.3	0.6	291.9	1.3	321.8	0.6	329.6	0.8	300.1	-0.1
Commodities	284.8	.3	280.6	1.7	285.1	.7	299.5	1.0	284.4	-.1
Food and beverages	309.8	-.7	294.1	2.0	310.8	-.6	319.0	.6	327.9	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	270.8	1.0	270.4	1.4	266.7	1.7	286.7	1.3	252.2	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	275.7	1.7	291.9	2.2	276.9	3.3	273.9	1.6	283.3	-.9
Durables	266.1	-.1	247.3	.4	251.7	-.5	299.0	.7	221.8	1.9
Services	390.3	1.0	316.4	.7	391.7	.5	379.3	.6	326.2	.0
Medical care services	436.6	.1	346.9	.5	489.4	.5	411.2	.8	420.8	.6
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	302.4	.4	300.7	1.9	307.7	.7	305.1	1.0	298.9	.0
All items less medical care	317.3	.7	290.0	1.3	314.9	.6	325.3	.8	294.3	-.1
All items less energy ⁶	172.2	.2	150.5	.7	169.7	.1	174.2	.6	169.1	-.1
Energy ⁵	187.9	4.0	194.2	5.0	196.0	4.7	184.0	2.3	192.0	-.7
Commodities less food	268.0	1.1	269.4	1.4	266.1	1.6	285.1	1.3	249.8	.2
Nondurables less food	269.6	1.7	287.8	2.0	273.7	3.1	271.6	1.6	274.9	-.7
Nondurables	294.0	.4	293.2	2.1	295.9	1.1	296.4	1.1	309.7	-.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	101.5	.7	102.1	2.3	100.8	.4	102.2	1.4	100.7	.4
Services less medical care	380.7	1.1	312.9	.7	375.4	.5	372.2	.6	311.2	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	332.8	0.5	309.7	1.7	329.2	1.0	306.8	0.3	326.1	0.6
All items (1957-59=100)	380.7	-	367.6	-	381.5	-	352.8	-	388.1	-
Food and beverages	325.2	-6	296.8	.7	303.7	-2	293.5	-4	304.3	-2
Food	331.3	-7	303.5	.6	315.9	-3	298.0	-5	314.2	-3
Food at home	308.0	-9	290.3	.6	296.7	-4	284.0	-4	301.8	-9
Cereals and bakery products	311.4	-1.1	298.3	.0	342.2	-2	303.0	.3	331.3	-4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	270.7	-5	254.3	.2	252.4	-1.5	253.3	-1.4	270.3	-2.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	280.8	-5	262.9	.1	259.8	-1.7	261.8	-1.2	275.5	-2.8
Dairy products	285.3	-1.4	268.0	-.7	277.2	-.3	228.7	-1.7	249.5	.1
Fruits and vegetables	321.3	-3.9	346.2	4.8	308.2	1.2	329.3	-.3	327.8	-2.1
Other foods at home	376.3	.7	335.4	-.1	349.1	-.2	343.8	1.0	373.6	1.4
Food away from home	405.1	-.3	339.9	.6	380.8	.0	351.2	-.8	334.2	.8
Alcoholic beverages	264.9	1.6	234.5	2.1	218.1	.2	269.0	1.7	206.8	1.7
Housing	354.4	.0	322.3	1.0	378.6	.8	318.9	.2	360.5	1.0
Shelter	372.9	-.5	338.5	1.5	429.0	.7	339.8	.3	384.0	1.5
Renters' costs ³	98.1	-.8	103.3	1.0	102.4	.8	102.3	.5	102.3	1.5
Rent, residential	218.4	-1.4	224.3	-.1	267.4	.8	240.8	.3	327.3	1.6
Other renters' costs	392.1	5.9	336.5	11.3	401.6	.4	411.0	1.1	381.5	.0
Homeowners' costs ³	98.6	-.1	101.7	1.6	102.2	.6	100.7	.4	102.4	1.5
Owners' equivalent rent ³	97.6	-1.0	101.7	1.7	102.2	.6	100.7	.4	102.4	1.5
Fuel and other utilities	468.7	.9	379.6	-.5	391.4	-.4	385.7	-.5	405.9	2.0
Fuels	622.4	1.1	476.0	-.7	448.9	-.5	499.9	-.6	488.9	3.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁹	180.9	-2.4	193.2	1.7	659.6	.0	218.4	-.3	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁵	NA	NA	194.4	3.3	228.9	.7	205.4	-.4	227.8	3.3
Other fuels ⁵	180.9	-2.4	191.9	.0	191.2	-3.1	256.0	.0	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	627.9	1.2	479.4	-.8	422.1	-.6	494.5	-.7	491.7	3.1
Electricity	485.8	1.7	302.9	1.5	251.0	-1.4	342.1	-1.3	334.6	5.3
Utility (piped) gas	873.0	.0	717.3	-2.5	593.7	-.2	665.3	.0	749.6	.1
Household furnishings and operation	250.6	.0	249.2	1.7	238.3	2.5	233.1	.9	269.7	-1.2
Apparel and upkeep	241.8	.2	222.2	3.8	199.1	3.8	191.4	-1.8	209.3	-2.3
Apparel commodities	223.0	.0	210.2	4.0	192.2	4.2	181.8	-2.1	193.8	-2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	237.0	.6	219.4	3.6	209.4	8.4	201.4	.8	201.7	1.7
Women's and girls' apparel	208.8	-1.0	186.8	.4	158.6	1.9	157.1	-3.6	180.0	-8.9
Footwear	242.1	.2	292.4	16.7	207.0	2.8	186.6	2.0	202.6	1.7
Transportation	296.2	1.4	310.5	4.1	299.9	2.3	336.6	.9	330.7	1.2
Private transportation	297.3	1.5	309.5	4.3	299.1	2.5	335.5	.9	332.0	1.2
Motor fuel ⁵	195.3	6.5	187.4	13.0	196.9	7.7	194.3	3.1	194.8	5.0
Gasoline ⁵	195.1	6.6	187.2	13.2	196.3	8.0	194.6	3.1	194.9	5.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	213.6	8.2	208.1	14.9	213.4	8.2	204.5	3.9	212.1	5.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	218.5	7.0	210.4	13.1	224.7	8.2	214.7	3.0	222.1	5.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	94.5	3.5	93.4	8.5	100.5	5.7	93.1	2.6	98.2	4.5
Public transportation	274.2	-1.8	336.7	-1.0	333.3	-1.9	405.4	1.2	302.9	.9
Medical care	487.1	1.8	405.2	.4	375.6	.4	415.0	.7	374.5	.6
Entertainment	283.7	2.8	260.3	.0	277.5	.5	254.2	2.2	227.4	.5
Other goods and services	323.4	.1	318.8	-.3	317.1	.1	310.0	.1	338.8	.5
Personal care	336.4	1.3	274.0	-1.0	264.4	.8	242.9	.5	299.5	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group										
All items	332.8	0.5	309.7	1.7	329.2	1.0	306.8	0.3	326.1	0.6
Commodities	302.4	.9	287.6	2.5	285.9	1.5	272.7	.4	289.6	.2
Food and beverages	325.2	-.6	296.8	.7	303.7	-.2	293.5	-.4	304.3	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	289.0	1.7	280.3	3.5	274.5	2.7	253.5	1.0	280.6	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	297.9	2.9	293.3	5.7	279.4	3.6	258.4	.9	279.9	1.5
Durables	284.2	.3	266.9	.9	271.1	1.4	248.6	1.0	283.6	-.9
Services	387.1	.1	351.8	.8	412.4	.3	373.1	.0	385.4	1.0
Medical care services	531.3	1.6	444.5	.5	413.8	.2	460.2	.1	405.3	.4
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	324.5	.7	301.8	1.8	297.1	1.1	299.9	.2	306.8	.3
All items less medical care	323.9	.4	305.6	1.8	327.0	1.0	301.8	.2	323.1	.6
All items less energy ⁸	158.5	.0	166.6	1.1	166.5	.6	157.5	.1	170.4	.2
Energy ⁵	211.6	3.8	186.2	6.3	186.3	3.7	196.1	1.2	210.4	4.3
Commodities less food	287.9	1.7	278.6	3.4	271.7	2.6	255.7	1.0	277.4	.4
Nondurables less food	295.5	2.9	288.3	5.4	273.3	3.4	261.4	1.0	273.4	1.5
Nondurables	312.7	1.1	295.7	3.1	292.4	1.6	279.6	.3	293.8	.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	102.1	.7	100.7	.4	100.7	-.1	99.4	-.3	100.8	.6
Services less medical care	367.7	-.2	341.3	.8	412.4	.3	363.0	.0	381.0	1.1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (See footnote 1, Table 18) will appear next month.

² For the following areas the 1957-59 = 100 base is not available; indexes are on the bases listed below:

Buffalo, N. Y. November 1963 = 100.
 Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. November 1963 = 100.
 Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1963 = 100.

³ Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base, except in Buffalo, N.Y. where 1967 = 100.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁸ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Atlanta, Ga. December 1977 = 100.

Buffalo, N. Y. February 1978 = 100.

Cleveland, Ohio. February 1978 = 100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. February 1978 = 100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1977 = 100.

Houston, Tex. April 1978 = 100.

Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. December 1977 = 100.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. April 1978 = 100.

Pittsburgh, Pa. April 1978 = 100.

San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. December 1977 = 100.

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base, except in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. where 1967 = 100.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Expenditure category											
All items	169.8	3.9	1.0	172.8	3.3	0.9	172.6	3.2	0.6	173.0	4.3	1.0
Food and beverages	157.4	3.0	.4	153.1	1.9	.0	158.5	2.1	-.2	160.5	2.6	.0
Food	157.9	3.0	.4	153.5	1.9	-.1	158.8	2.1	-.3	161.7	2.5	.0
Food at home	153.5	2.1	-.1	149.5	1.1	-.2	155.0	1.1	-.6	157.8	2.3	-.4
Cereals and bakery products	163.8	3.9	.5	166.4	3.9	.6	166.1	3.9	-.1	172.3	4.1	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	148.6	-2.0	-1.0	143.6	-2.9	-1.5	146.9	-3.4	-.9	149.0	-1.7	-1.8
Dairy products	143.0	1.9	-.7	140.8	2.5	-1.0	152.2	4.2	.2	149.9	2.3	.3
Fruits and vegetables	176.2	7.6	1.2	164.8	4.3	.9	175.6	3.4	-1.8	174.9	7.5	-.3
Sugar and sweets	162.3	3.5	.2	164.1	1.3	.7	167.6	1.3	-.3	167.6	2.9	.8
Fats and oils	149.3	4.9	.5	148.2	3.1	.1	146.7	2.6	-1.6	157.7	6.4	-.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	133.9	3.2	.8	128.2	1.9	.9	139.8	2.5	-.6	143.6	1.6	.3
Other prepared foods	159.6	3.8	.3	160.7	2.2	.5	160.8	3.0	.6	169.0	3.9	.4
Food away from home	168.5	4.9	1.2	162.3	3.4	.4	167.8	4.2	.5	169.2	3.0	.8
Alcoholic beverages	149.3	3.0	.9	145.5	1.9	.2	151.5	2.4	.6	145.7	2.4	-.3
Housing	177.6	4.5	1.0	185.2	3.5	.7	177.9	2.5	.3	177.9	4.9	.7
Shelter	187.0	7.0	1.5	196.7	4.5	.7	187.8	2.1	-.2	184.6	6.2	.7
Renters' costs ²	115.3	6.9	1.9	111.8	5.3	.9	110.0	3.1	.1	115.9	6.7	.8
Rent, residential	162.9	7.0	1.7	153.0	4.9	.5	161.3	3.0	.1	181.1	7.0	.7
Other renters' costs	202.1	6.1	3.2	201.6	6.4	3.0	209.7	3.6	.6	200.1	4.4	1.9
Homeowners' costs ²	115.5	7.1	1.2	108.6	4.3	.6	106.8	1.7	-.4	114.3	6.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	115.6	7.2	1.2	108.5	4.3	.6	106.6	1.5	-.5	114.3	5.9	.6
Maintenance and repairs	170.8	4.5	.3	160.0	1.8	.1	166.9	2.0	-.7	162.6	3.9	1.8
Maintenance and repair services	179.6	2.2	.3	171.9	3.2	.2	171.9	1.5	-.6	174.5	3.7	3.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	150.2	8.4	.3	143.0	.8	.0	150.3	2.7	-.9	143.5	4.2	.2
Fuel and other utilities	188.4	.6	.7	191.4	2.5	.6	177.8	2.6	.3	195.0	3.0	.7
Fuels ³	194.9	-.2	.9	188.2	2.4	-.1	184.8	1.3	.3	216.9	3.7	.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	216.7	-4.5	.2	203.2	-4.6	.0	206.6	-3.3	-.8	204.6	-2.0	.0
Fuel oil ³	219.0	-4.8	.3	213.9	-4.7	.4	199.3	-4.4	-.6	205.1	-3.1	.0
Other fuels ³	188.6	.8	-.4	167.3	-4.0	-1.6	220.9	-1.3	-1.0	203.3	1.3	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.4	2.7	1.3	185.5	4.0	-.1	182.1	1.9	.5	218.5	4.4	.9
Electricity ³	171.6	2.9	1.2	153.8	6.4	1.3	172.6	3.3	1.2	190.5	9.9	-.9
Utility (piped) gas ³	202.9	2.4	1.5	225.3	2.0	-1.2	207.4	-1.0	-.9	267.5	-1.7	3.2
Other utilities and public services	150.1	3.8	.1	158.5	2.7	2.6	144.8	5.5	.2	155.8	1.9	.7
Household furnishings and operation	144.4	1.8	-.1	144.6	1.9	.8	145.4	3.2	1.3	145.4	2.3	.8
Housefurnishings	133.8	.1	-1.0	133.2	.5	.5	135.5	2.5	1.8	134.9	.7	.8
Housekeeping supplies	150.7	3.0	.3	163.2	3.7	.8	155.7	3.0	-.1	162.8	5.0	.4
Housekeeping services	163.7	4.1	1.3	157.4	3.4	1.3	157.5	4.2	1.2	155.8	2.8	.8
Apparel and upkeep	129.6	2.7	2.5	128.7	3.5	2.9	131.3	3.6	1.6	130.9	3.5	.8
Apparel commodities	122.0	2.5	2.9	123.5	3.5	3.3	123.7	2.7	1.6	125.1	2.9	.9
Men's and boys' apparel	123.1	2.5	2.8	118.5	2.7	3.1	131.6	4.3	2.1	127.8	5.0	1.1
Women's and girls' apparel	108.9	4.4	5.0	117.4	5.2	4.4	113.5	4.1	3.3	112.5	2.5	.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	133.8	-1.7	-1.2	143.2	6.9	.2	118.3	.1	-3.3	154.0	4.6	-.6
Footwear	137.0	1.2	.3	130.1	6.0	4.2	128.8	.9	.3	139.8	.0	1.4
Other apparel commodities	145.1	.1	1.9	149.4	-2.4	-.1	131.6	-2.2	-1.2	133.9	2.0	.3
Apparel services	186.1	4.0	.5	171.1	3.6	.5	187.3	8.1	1.5	178.8	7.1	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984		Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985		Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985		Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984
Expenditure category												
Transportation	176.0	2.5	1.0	177.2	3.1	2.1	180.5	3.8	1.9	183.0	4.2	2.3
Private transportation	173.0	2.2	.9	174.9	3.1	2.3	178.5	3.6	1.9	181.0	3.9	2.3
New vehicles	143.4	3.2	.0	144.5	2.8	.3	143.1	4.1	.3	135.3	3.3	-.1
New cars	143.3	3.2	.0	144.4	2.7	.3	143.8	4.1	.3	135.6	2.9	-.2
Used cars	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4	226.4	4.4	.4	226.2	4.4	.5
Motor fuel ³	188.9	-1.4	2.9	194.3	-4	7.9	193.0	.1	6.0	193.3	1.9	7.7
Gasoline ³	188.7	-1.4	3.0	194.2	-4	8.1	192.6	-1	6.0	193.1	1.8	8.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	185.0	-2.3	3.4	192.7	-8	8.9	190.8	.1	7.6	189.1	1.4	8.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	186.2	-1.2	3.2	193.2	-2	8.1	191.9	.0	6.1	192.3	1.9	8.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	92.9	-.5	2.3	98.1	1.3	5.7	94.6	.0	3.7	97.1	2.2	5.9
Maintenance and repair	165.0	3.3	.5	161.1	2.5	-.2	165.5	3.7	.6	171.1	1.5	-.9
Other private transportation	155.0	3.3	.2	149.3	6.9	.3	158.5	7.7	.5	170.6	7.4	1.0
Other private trans. commod	129.6	.8	.1	127.4	-1.6	-1.5	133.4	1.3	.4	133.6	.1	-1.1
Other private trans. services	159.6	3.6	.3	153.4	8.4	.5	165.7	9.4	.5	178.4	8.6	1.3
Public transportation	203.0	4.7	1.3	226.0	5.0	.1	224.5	6.3	-.1	216.9	5.8	2.0
Medical care	187.9	7.4	1.4	186.5	5.2	1.0	193.2	5.4	.8	193.3	5.9	1.1
Medical care commodities	182.7	6.5	1.7	181.3	7.5	1.7	184.5	7.2	1.5	189.1	7.6	1.8
Medical care services	189.0	7.6	1.3	187.6	4.7	.9	195.2	5.1	.7	194.0	5.6	.9
Professional services	182.7	6.6	1.2	174.7	5.3	1.0	183.7	6.3	1.0	183.3	5.6	.9
Other medical care services	195.2	8.5	1.5	200.2	4.2	.7	204.2	4.2	.5	206.1	5.5	1.0
Entertainment	153.8	3.7	1.1	149.6	3.2	-.1	157.9	3.7	.8	154.9	4.4	1.2
Entertainment commodities	152.7	3.0	1.0	146.4	1.8	-.3	152.2	2.1	.4	149.2	2.7	1.4
Entertainment services	155.3	4.7	1.4	154.5	5.1	.3	166.2	5.9	1.2	163.9	6.9	.8
Other goods and services	182.2	6.5	.6	178.1	5.5	.1	180.8	6.0	.5	183.9	7.5	.5
Tobacco products	183.3	5.2	.3	188.7	6.1	-.1	187.9	6.6	.3	191.7	5.5	.5
Personal care	158.7	5.6	1.4	151.8	3.1	-.2	160.4	3.3	.4	166.0	4.3	.7
Personal and educational expenses	202.8	8.0	.1	201.7	7.4	.4	203.5	8.5	.7	204.9	13.7	.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	169.8	3.9	1.0	172.8	3.3	0.9	172.6	3.2	0.6	173.0	4.3	1.0
Commodities	159.5	2.2	.7	160.2	2.1	1.3	162.8	2.6	1.0	161.1	2.8	1.2
Food and beverages	157.4	3.0	.4	153.1	1.9	.0	158.5	2.1	-.2	160.5	2.6	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	160.2	1.6	.9	163.3	2.2	1.9	164.6	2.9	1.7	161.3	3.0	2.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	162.3	1.1	1.4	162.7	2.0	3.2	162.8	2.5	2.3	165.9	3.2	3.0
Apparel commodities	122.0	2.5	2.9	123.5	3.5	3.3	123.7	2.7	1.6	125.1	2.9	.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	178.9	.7	1.0	178.8	1.6	3.2	180.1	2.3	2.6	183.8	3.4	3.7
Durables	160.7	2.6	.1	166.2	2.5	.3	168.8	3.4	.8	160.3	2.7	.5
Services	183.2	5.8	1.2	192.0	4.7	.6	186.9	3.9	.3	188.4	5.9	.8
Rent of shelter ²	115.5	7.1	1.5	109.5	4.6	.6	107.7	2.0	-.3	114.9	6.3	.7
Household services less rent of shelter ²	110.2	3.1	.9	110.0	3.6	.8	108.6	3.6	.6	111.0	3.5	1.0
Transportation services	171.9	3.9	.6	165.9	6.2	.2	174.4	7.1	.4	182.5	6.5	.9
Medical care services	189.0	7.6	1.3	187.6	4.7	.9	195.2	5.1	.7	194.0	5.6	.9
Other services	176.5	6.5	1.0	168.7	5.3	.2	177.9	6.2	.8	174.9	8.0	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
Special indexes:												
All items less food	172.8	4.2	1.1	177.1	3.6	1.1	175.5	3.4	0.9	175.3	4.8	1.2
All items less shelter	164.5	3.1	.7	163.8	3.0	1.0	166.2	3.5	.9	168.2	3.8	1.1
All items less homeowners' costs ²	109.6	3.5	.9	108.2	3.1	1.0	109.1	3.4	.7	110.2	4.1	1.1
All items less medical care	168.8	3.7	.9	172.0	3.1	.9	171.3	3.0	.6	171.9	4.2	.9
Commodities less food	159.9	1.7	.9	162.9	2.2	1.9	164.3	2.9	1.7	160.8	2.9	1.8
Nondurables less food	161.5	1.2	1.4	161.7	2.0	3.1	162.2	2.4	2.3	164.4	3.2	2.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	176.5	.9	1.0	176.1	1.6	3.0	178.1	2.4	2.5	179.8	3.3	3.3
Nondurables	159.7	2.1	.9	157.7	1.9	1.5	160.6	2.3	1.1	163.1	2.9	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	113.9	4.8	.9	111.1	4.8	.6	111.6	5.2	.7	112.2	5.6	.9
Services less medical care	182.6	5.7	1.2	192.4	4.7	.6	185.8	3.7	.2	187.8	6.0	.8
Energy ³	192.0	-.7	1.7	190.7	1.1	3.5	188.5	.6	3.2	202.2	2.6	4.7
All items less energy	167.2	4.6	.8	170.1	3.6	.5	170.5	3.5	.3	170.4	4.6	.6
All items less food and energy	169.9	5.0	1.0	174.4	4.1	.7	173.4	4.0	.5	172.4	5.1	.8
Commodities less food and energy	154.3	3.0	.7	159.3	3.1	.8	161.4	3.7	.8	156.5	3.3	.6
Energy commodities	200.6	-2.6	1.9	197.6	-1.1	6.6	195.7	-3	5.3	202.9	1.6	7.1
Services less energy	182.3	6.1	1.2	190.4	4.8	.7	185.7	4.1	.3	186.1	6.0	.8

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
All items	169.6	4.0	0.7	174.7	3.7	0.9	173.5	3.8	1.0	171.4	3.6	1.0	171.0	2.8	0.9
Food and beverages	156.0	2.6	.1	157.9	2.6	.2	157.9	2.4	-.1	155.7	2.0	-.1	159.8	2.0	.1
Food	156.9	2.7	.2	158.6	2.5	.1	158.3	2.4	-.2	155.8	1.9	-.1	160.2	2.0	.1
Food at home	152.4	1.8	-.3	154.7	1.9	-.3	155.1	2.0	-.5	152.7	1.4	-.3	153.8	.8	.0
Cereals and bakery products	164.1	4.1	.4	169.1	3.9	.2	166.7	4.1	.2	168.0	4.0	.8	165.6	3.6	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.2	-2.4	-1.9	146.0	-3.0	-.9	147.6	-2.2	-1.1	146.2	-2.3	-1.1	150.7	-3.3	-.6
Dairy products	146.7	1.8	-.7	146.6	3.6	-.5	147.2	2.7	-.5	143.6	2.6	.0	145.1	3.3	.4
Fruits and vegetables	167.5	7.0	1.5	174.7	6.5	-.3	179.6	5.5	-1.2	172.8	4.8	-.7	173.2	2.8	.8
Sugar and sweets	164.9	2.0	.2	166.3	2.8	1.0	165.9	2.9	.4	165.7	.9	-.2	162.1	2.1	.1
Fats and oils	153.7	4.8	.1	148.6	4.0	-.6	151.9	5.0	-.5	149.0	3.3	-.1	142.1	2.2	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	135.5	2.3	1.0	139.4	2.9	.5	134.7	2.8	-.6	133.9	1.4	.0	135.2	2.0	.1
Other prepared foods	161.6	3.3	-.4	165.1	3.6	.9	163.9	3.9	1.3	158.8	2.5	.4	158.9	1.9	.3
Food away from home	166.9	4.6	1.3	166.6	3.9	.8	165.5	3.3	.5	163.5	3.3	.4	175.4	4.7	.4
Alcoholic beverages	141.9	1.1	-.9	147.0	2.9	1.1	151.2	2.9	.7	152.5	3.2	1.2	153.7	2.9	.4
Housing	177.9	4.0	.2	185.1	3.8	.6	180.6	4.1	.9	177.2	3.9	1.0	176.1	2.8	1.0
Shelter	186.7	5.6	.5	196.2	5.0	.4	191.5	5.6	1.1	185.1	4.4	.6	186.0	3.4	1.5
Renters' costs ²	114.6	6.1	1.2	113.5	5.5	.5	113.7	5.9	1.1	112.0	5.1	.5	111.6	5.0	2.1
Rent, residential	164.6	6.1	.5	168.8	5.4	.4	167.2	6.2	1.5	162.1	4.9	.6	156.4	4.8	1.4
Other renters' costs	208.3	5.5	5.2	202.4	5.8	1.4	201.7	4.1	-1.2	196.6	5.6	.2	204.4	5.4	5.9
Homeowners' costs ²	112.7	5.4	.2	112.0	5.0	.3	111.9	5.4	1.1	109.1	4.2	.6	108.8	2.8	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	112.6	5.4	.0	112.0	5.0	.2	111.9	5.3	1.1	109.2	4.3	.6	108.6	2.7	1.3
Maintenance and repairs	166.5	2.9	.6	167.4	1.5	-.1	161.8	7.1	1.4	169.0	.7	-.6	159.5	1.7	-1.2
Maintenance and repair services	178.1	1.4	2.1	179.0	1.8	-.9	164.5	5.1	1.4	178.7	-.1	-2.3	169.4	3.8	-.6
Maintenance and repair commodities	146.2	5.5	-1.5	147.7	1.1	1.0	156.6	9.7	1.4	137.6	1.4	1.0	142.6	-1.0	-1.9
Fuel and other utilities	189.3	1.3	-.3	188.8	1.6	.9	186.5	1.6	.2	188.7	4.0	1.8	180.6	1.9	.4
Fuels ³	190.7	1.0	-.5	196.4	1.2	.7	195.3	1.0	.2	201.5	4.1	1.8	177.2	-.6	.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	217.3	-4.2	-.1	219.3	-3.9	.2	211.2	-4.9	-.2	205.2	-3.3	.3	199.0	-4.4	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.5	2.7	-.6	192.0	2.4	.7	191.3	2.8	.3	200.6	6.4	2.1	171.1	.7	.6
Other utilities and public services	151.7	2.4	.1	146.7	2.4	1.4	149.9	3.2	.5	151.9	3.5	1.9	161.2	8.1	.2
Household furnishings and operation	144.5	1.5	-.1	147.3	2.6	1.2	144.9	2.7	1.1	142.7	2.7	1.1	145.4	2.3	.5
Housefurnishings	132.3	-.2	-1.0	136.9	.9	1.8	135.4	1.9	1.4	132.3	1.2	.3	135.4	1.5	.4
Housekeeping supplies	156.9	2.8	.0	158.9	3.8	-.4	160.2	3.9	.7	153.9	4.0	1.5	159.0	4.2	.2
Housekeeping services	161.1	3.7	1.2	162.3	4.9	1.2	154.7	3.2	.9	158.1	4.2	1.9	155.7	2.5	.7
Apparel and upkeep	122.5	3.7	1.6	135.7	4.1	2.4	132.7	3.1	2.6	133.0	2.9	1.9	128.2	2.2	1.4
Apparel commodities	113.4	3.4	1.7	129.2	3.7	2.8	126.5	2.5	3.0	127.3	2.4	2.0	124.3	1.9	1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	114.3	3.4	2.4	130.9	4.3	3.2	132.3	4.9	2.5	129.2	2.2	2.0	119.1	1.9	.8
Women's and girls' apparel	97.4	5.2	2.1	120.4	3.9	2.7	116.1	2.1	6.4	118.1	4.5	3.1	121.2	5.8	4.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	140.7	1.8	.4	136.0	4.1	-1.2	125.3	-.5	-2.3	137.4	4.1	-1.0	142.7	.8	-4.4
Footwear	130.5	2.7	1.2	136.2	4.8	3.8	137.5	2.6	-.5	132.9	.2	3.6	130.3	-2.4	-2.1
Other apparel commodities	137.9	.7	.7	144.6	.0	1.3	132.3	-2.4	.7	145.3	-.5	-1.7	137.2	-3.4	-.7
Apparel services	184.2	4.8	.7	185.7	6.2	.7	180.2	6.4	.6	184.0	6.2	1.3	162.3	4.4	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
Transportation	178.1	3.6	1.6	177.6	3.2	1.8	181.3	3.4	1.9	180.2	3.6	1.9	177.0	2.8	2.0
Private transportation	175.7	3.4	1.7	175.1	2.9	1.9	179.5	3.3	2.0	178.0	3.4	1.9	174.0	2.5	2.1
New vehicles	138.2	2.7	.1	142.1	3.6	.3	145.4	3.5	.3	142.5	3.6	.0	143.6	3.5	.1
New cars	138.4	2.6	-.1	142.0	3.6	.4	145.3	3.3	.3	143.1	3.5	-.1	143.9	3.6	.2
Used cars	226.4	4.4	.4	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4	226.1	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4
Motor fuel ³	192.6	.6	6.0	194.2	-.3	5.7	193.3	.3	6.2	191.8	-.1	6.4	188.3	-1.3	7.0
Gasoline ³	192.7	.7	6.1	194.0	-.3	5.8	192.8	.2	6.3	191.6	-.2	6.6	188.2	-1.3	7.3
Maintenance and repair	166.7	2.8	.2	164.8	2.8	-.4	164.5	2.5	-.2	169.3	3.1	-.1	159.8	2.2	1.0
Other private transportation	165.0	6.2	.1	150.1	5.4	.7	160.1	6.5	.8	157.1	7.7	.8	150.5	4.8	.1
Other private trans. commod	125.7	-2.5	-1.0	131.5	.0	-.1	134.1	2.8	1.2	133.6	.1	-1.5	130.6	.9	-1.3
Other private trans. services	171.2	7.3	.2	154.2	6.6	.9	166.2	7.2	.7	163.2	9.5	1.4	155.8	5.7	.4
Public transportation	198.2	5.1	1.2	221.1	5.3	1.0	223.8	4.5	.9	229.8	6.1	.7	245.2	6.3	.1
Medical care	187.2	7.3	1.0	190.0	5.6	1.4	189.1	5.9	1.0	191.7	5.4	1.0	196.1	4.6	.7
Medical care commodities	186.3	6.8	1.5	177.4	6.5	1.8	189.1	8.2	1.9	182.5	6.7	1.6	184.6	7.9	1.3
Medical care services	187.4	7.4	.9	192.6	5.4	1.4	189.1	5.5	.9	193.8	5.2	.9	198.5	4.0	.6
Professional services	181.0	7.7	.9	181.7	5.0	1.3	175.1	5.4	.9	184.8	6.2	1.1	185.5	4.5	.9
Other medical care services	194.5	7.1	.7	202.5	5.7	1.5	202.9	5.5	.8	201.7	4.4	.7	208.7	3.7	.4
Entertainment	150.0	3.9	1.1	154.9	4.7	.8	154.6	3.1	.3	158.9	4.1	1.2	151.9	2.0	-.3
Entertainment commodities	147.2	2.6	.8	150.2	2.9	1.1	149.9	1.9	.4	154.2	2.3	1.0	149.6	2.0	-1.0
Entertainment services	153.6	5.6	1.4	161.3	7.0	.6	162.0	4.9	.1	166.6	6.7	1.6	155.8	2.0	.9
Other goods and services	179.7	7.2	.4	182.0	6.0	.6	184.0	6.5	.5	178.6	5.8	.1	181.4	4.9	.3
Tobacco products	186.0	6.1	.2	182.3	5.6	.1	189.6	6.2	.4	186.7	6.1	.1	196.2	5.3	.6
Personal care	156.5	5.7	1.2	157.7	2.8	.6	165.4	4.7	.9	158.0	3.7	-.2	154.7	1.6	.0
Personal and educational expenses	198.2	9.0	.0	211.0	9.4	.7	203.5	8.9	.5	200.4	7.9	.5	204.7	8.1	.4
Commodity and service group															
All items	169.6	4.0	0.7	174.7	3.7	0.9	173.5	3.8	1.0	171.4	3.6	1.0	171.0	2.8	0.9
Commodities	157.5	2.3	.8	163.2	2.5	1.2	163.3	2.6	1.1	160.7	2.3	1.0	159.8	2.1	1.0
Food and beverages	156.0	2.6	.1	157.9	2.6	.2	157.9	2.4	-.1	155.7	2.0	-.1	159.8	2.0	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	158.1	2.2	1.2	165.4	2.5	1.9	165.4	2.7	1.9	162.8	2.4	1.6	159.4	2.1	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.1	2.3	1.9	164.6	2.0	2.6	167.1	2.5	2.8	164.6	2.0	2.6	162.8	1.5	2.6
Apparel commodities	113.4	3.4	1.7	129.2	3.7	2.8	126.5	2.5	3.0	127.3	2.4	2.0	124.3	1.9	1.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	177.8	1.9	1.9	179.8	1.6	2.5	183.6	2.5	2.7	180.5	1.9	2.8	178.9	1.4	2.9
Durables	159.5	2.1	.1	168.7	2.9	.8	167.0	3.0	.7	164.6	3.1	.3	160.1	3.0	.0
Services	184.8	5.5	.5	190.6	5.0	.6	188.2	5.1	.7	187.4	5.2	1.0	188.0	3.6	.9
Rent of shelter ²	113.3	5.6	.4	112.5	5.1	.3	112.5	5.5	1.1	110.0	4.5	.6	109.6	3.5	1.6
Household services less rent of shelter ²	110.3	3.0	.4	109.6	3.0	1.0	108.4	3.3	.5	111.0	4.8	1.9	109.9	3.2	.5
Transportation services	177.3	5.9	.5	167.7	5.5	.5	173.6	5.4	.5	174.4	7.0	.8	169.7	4.9	.5
Medical care services	187.4	7.4	.9	192.6	5.4	1.4	189.1	5.5	.9	193.8	5.2	.9	198.5	4.0	.6
Other services	172.8	7.0	.9	178.3	7.1	.7	176.2	6.1	.3	174.9	6.4	1.0	168.4	3.6	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group														
Special indexes:															
All items less food	172.6	4.2	0.7	178.1	3.9	1.1	176.7	4.1	1.2	174.8	4.0	1.3	173.3	3.0	1.1
All items less shelter	163.3	3.4	.7	166.2	3.3	1.1	166.8	3.2	.9	166.1	3.4	1.1	165.7	2.7	.9
All items less homeowners' costs ²	109.7	3.7	.7	109.4	3.5	1.0	109.1	3.5	1.0	108.9	3.5	1.0	108.4	2.7	.8
All items less medical care	168.6	3.8	.6	173.8	3.6	.9	172.6	3.6	1.0	170.2	3.5	1.0	169.5	2.7	1.0
Commodities less food	157.6	2.2	1.2	164.8	2.4	1.8	165.1	2.7	1.9	162.6	2.5	1.6	159.3	2.1	1.4
Nondurables less food	157.0	2.1	1.7	163.4	2.1	2.4	166.2	2.5	2.7	164.0	2.1	2.5	162.3	1.5	2.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	174.5	1.9	1.7	176.8	1.7	2.4	181.1	2.4	2.6	178.4	1.9	2.6	177.1	1.4	2.7
Nondurables	157.0	2.5	1.0	161.1	2.4	1.3	162.4	2.5	1.3	160.1	2.0	1.3	161.3	1.8	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	113.6	5.5	.6	112.0	5.0	.9	111.0	4.8	.5	112.3	5.7	1.3	111.3	3.8	.5
Services less medical care	184.5	5.3	.5	190.3	5.0	.5	188.1	5.0	.7	186.6	5.2	1.0	186.6	3.7	1.0
Energy ³	191.3	.8	2.4	194.8	.5	3.1	193.8	.7	3.1	196.2	2.1	3.9	181.9	-.9	3.5
All items less energy	167.0	4.3	.4	172.3	4.1	.6	171.1	4.1	.7	168.4	3.8	.6	169.4	3.4	.6
All items less food and energy	169.8	4.8	.5	175.7	4.5	.8	174.3	4.7	.9	171.7	4.4	.8	171.8	3.7	.8
Commodities less food and energy	152.4	2.8	.3	161.2	3.3	1.1	161.5	3.6	1.1	159.0	3.3	.7	156.1	3.2	.4
Energy commodities	201.8	-.5	4.6	200.5	-.8	4.8	199.9	-.6	5.0	197.6	-.7	5.3	190.9	-2.0	5.5
Services less energy	183.5	5.8	.6	189.1	5.3	.6	186.8	5.4	.8	185.0	5.1	.9	188.1	4.0	1.0

¹ The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	166.7	3.7	0.7	173.5	4.3	1.2	177.8	4.0	1.1	174.2	4.8	2.3
Food and beverages	157.7	3.3	.4	156.5	3.3	.3	158.3	2.0	.0	155.2	1.8	1.0
Food	158.2	3.3	.4	156.8	3.2	.3	158.7	2.1	-.1	155.9	1.8	1.0
Food at home	152.6	2.3	-.1	155.9	2.3	-.2	155.9	1.8	-.1	152.5	1.3	1.0
Cereals and bakery products	162.6	4.0	.4	164.9	4.6	1.0	168.0	3.1	1.2	165.3	1.8	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.5	-1.9	-1.4	152.7	-2.6	-.8	154.8	-1.9	.2	149.2	-2.9	.7
Dairy products	144.3	1.8	-.8	142.5	1.7	-.7	140.9	2.0	-.4	135.3	2.0	-1.2
Fruits and vegetables	174.5	8.0	1.9	183.2	8.4	.4	179.6	6.2	-3.0	170.5	3.8	4.6
Other foods at home	146.7	3.6	.5	146.8	3.7	-.2	146.2	3.3	1.1	149.1	4.4	.8
Food away from home	171.3	5.5	1.5	159.0	5.2	1.2	165.5	2.5	-.1	165.7	3.4	1.2
Alcoholic beverages	148.8	2.8	.7	151.7	5.6	1.7	152.1	1.8	1.5	142.6	1.6	.7
Housing	171.2	3.6	.4	186.7	6.3	1.3	193.1	5.5	1.7	185.9	7.5	4.8
Shelter	176.6	5.5	.7	202.1	10.2	1.9	213.9	8.2	2.1	201.7	12.9	7.9
Renters' costs ²	114.2	5.7	1.4	117.4	8.8	1.8	116.2	8.4	1.7	123.4	14.7	8.8
Rent, residential	157.4	5.8	1.1	167.4	9.3	2.2	187.4	8.7	1.9	186.5	15.3	8.2
Other renters' costs	206.3	5.6	3.7	186.6	6.6	.2	185.7	5.8	-.2	222.5	11.3	12.2
Homeowners' costs ²	113.3	5.4	.2	120.9	10.9	2.0	116.6	8.4	2.5	122.9	12.2	7.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	113.3	5.5	.1	121.3	11.1	2.0	116.8	8.6	2.5	123.3	12.6	8.0
Fuel and other utilities	187.3	.8	.7	188.9	-.2	.1	190.2	1.3	1.6	192.9	.4	1.2
Fuels ³	193.6	.0	.9	198.0	-1.2	.0	194.0	.6	1.8	200.2	-.8	1.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	219.7	-4.3	.2	216.0	-5.6	-.4	208.8	-3.9	1.1	215.6	-4.6	.7
Fuel oil ³	220.6	-4.5	.2	220.7	-6.0	-.3	211.2	-4.3	1.2	218.4	-4.9	.7
Other fuels ³	201.8	2.3	-.1	168.6	.5	-1.5	191.1	.2	.1	191.6	-1.7	-.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	182.4	2.4	1.2	184.8	2.9	.4	183.7	4.5	2.4	190.2	2.1	2.4
Electricity ³	168.2	2.2	.3	174.6	2.8	1.3	176.4	7.2	3.9	189.4	2.7	4.1
Utility (piped) gas ³	204.5	2.6	2.5	208.1	3.1	-1.5	195.2	1.0	.4	191.3	1.3	-.1
Household furnishings and operation	144.4	.9	-.6	147.1	4.4	1.4	141.9	3.1	.6	144.2	2.2	.8
Apparel and upkeep	127.6	3.1	2.2	128.7	.2	6.1	136.9	3.9	2.0	137.4	2.8	-.9
Apparel commodities	118.7	3.1	2.5	123.7	-.6	7.4	130.4	3.2	2.3	133.2	2.8	-1.1
Men's and boys' apparel	118.9	2.8	2.7	123.5	.7	5.3	135.7	1.8	1.6	138.1	6.7	.9
Women's and girls' apparel	102.1	5.1	3.2	118.2	-1.2	16.8	123.7	7.2	4.1	122.7	5.2	-.1
Footwear	134.8	2.6	1.3	151.9	.8	-1.2	130.3	-2.8	1.2	139.7	-3.6	-7.5
Transportation	174.8	2.8	1.0	178.1	2.3	1.0	177.7	2.0	.8	177.7	2.5	1.3
Private transportation	171.4	2.5	1.0	177.0	2.2	1.0	172.8	1.6	.7	175.8	2.0	1.2
Motor fuel ³	189.0	-1.0	3.2	188.0	-1.6	2.6	187.9	-2.3	2.4	191.7	-2.5	3.1
Gasoline ³	189.0	-.8	3.3	188.0	-1.6	2.6	187.4	-2.3	2.5	191.3	-2.6	3.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	184.6	-2.0	3.6	185.7	-2.0	2.9	184.2	-3.4	2.5	186.7	-3.3	3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	186.6	-.6	3.5	185.0	-1.6	2.5	184.9	-2.0	2.9	189.7	-2.5	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	92.9	-.1	2.5	91.9	-1.0	2.5	94.2	-1.5	1.0	93.1	-1.2	2.1
Public transportation	196.0	4.3	1.3	204.9	4.3	.3	273.1	6.1	1.7	219.4	10.3	2.1
Medical care	187.1	8.0	1.4	186.9	5.2	.9	189.1	6.9	1.9	195.9	7.3	1.0
Entertainment	153.9	3.9	1.4	147.5	2.6	.5	159.0	4.1	1.2	158.1	3.8	-.1
Other goods and services	181.9	6.6	.7	179.9	6.4	.1	185.5	6.3	.5	183.4	5.5	.4
Personal care	157.0	6.4	1.9	156.4	4.5	.6	169.9	4.1	.9	159.2	2.4	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	166.7	3.7	0.7	173.5	4.3	1.2	177.8	4.0	1.1	174.2	4.8	2.3
Commodities	157.6	2.3	.6	163.5	2.3	1.1	162.2	1.9	.6	160.8	1.6	.8
Food and beverages	157.7	3.3	.4	156.5	3.3	.3	158.3	2.0	.0	155.2	1.8	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	157.1	1.6	.7	166.2	1.7	1.6	163.7	1.8	.9	163.0	1.6	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.7	1.3	1.2	168.5	.2	2.4	167.4	1.5	1.6	169.2	1.0	1.0
Durables	157.5	2.2	-.1	168.3	3.9	.6	162.7	2.3	-.1	161.2	2.8	.1
Services	177.6	5.2	.8	188.2	6.9	1.1	202.0	6.5	1.7	193.5	8.5	4.1
Medical care services	188.0	8.4	1.3	187.5	4.8	.8	191.1	6.9	1.9	198.0	7.3	1.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	163.7	3.3	.8	165.4	2.7	.9	166.7	2.8	.8	166.7	2.6	.8
All items less medical care	165.7	3.6	.7	172.8	4.2	1.2	177.2	3.9	1.1	173.1	4.6	2.4
All items less energy	163.9	4.3	.6	171.2	5.2	1.2	176.2	4.6	1.0	171.7	5.8	2.4
Energy ³	191.4	-.4	1.8	193.3	-1.4	1.0	190.9	-.6	2.1	195.6	-1.6	2.2
Commodities less food	156.9	1.6	.8	165.9	1.8	1.6	163.5	1.9	1.0	162.5	1.6	.6
Nondurables less food	158.1	1.3	1.2	167.5	.5	2.3	166.6	1.5	1.6	167.8	1.0	1.0
Nondurables	158.2	2.4	.8	162.3	1.7	1.3	162.8	1.8	.8	162.2	1.4	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	114.5	4.9	1.0	112.0	4.2	.4	112.8	4.9	1.2	114.5	4.6	.9
Services less medical care	176.7	4.9	.8	188.3	7.1	1.2	203.3	6.6	1.7	193.0	8.6	4.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	175.9	3.5	0.9	171.7	2.9	1.2	168.6	3.2	1.1	169.1	2.8	0.5
Food and beverages	152.4	2.0	-.1	151.1	1.7	-.1	151.9	2.1	.1	158.9	1.3	.0
Food	153.3	2.1	.0	151.1	1.8	-.2	152.2	2.0	.1	158.7	1.1	.0
Food at home	149.9	1.1	-.3	147.1	1.9	.3	149.7	1.7	-.2	150.3	-.3	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	165.3	3.8	.7	164.5	2.5	.7	169.3	4.9	1.1	168.7	4.7	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.1	-3.2	-1.7	140.7	-2.2	-1.3	141.9	-2.3	-1.3	146.8	-3.4	-1.1
Dairy products	143.7	3.2	-1.2	141.1	3.8	-.7	135.9	2.0	-1.2	137.9	-.1	-.4
Fruits and vegetables	163.8	5.2	1.0	163.1	3.8	2.8	171.0	5.5	-.6	162.1	.3	.8
Other foods at home	145.9	1.7	.4	142.4	4.1	.9	147.5	2.6	1.1	147.2	.5	.3
Food away from home	160.5	4.0	.8	160.0	1.4	-1.1	157.7	2.7	.6	177.7	4.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	139.5	1.2	-.4	150.3	.3	.5	147.1	3.6	1.6	162.0	3.3	.0
Housing	194.6	3.7	.5	180.6	3.1	1.2	175.5	3.8	1.3	171.7	2.6	-.2
Shelter	212.6	5.6	.8	191.5	5.0	1.6	177.9	3.7	1.0	174.3	1.0	-1.5
Renters' costs ²	113.5	6.0	1.2	112.4	6.1	1.8	109.8	4.4	.5	106.5	1.8	-1.3
Rent, residential	159.3	5.9	.6	156.8	6.1	1.9	137.4	4.2	.8	142.9	.5	-1.9
Other renters' costs	204.1	6.5	5.2	198.0	6.3	1.5	194.1	5.4	.1	207.3	7.6	1.4
Homeowners' costs ²	110.9	5.5	.7	108.9	4.7	1.6	105.7	3.6	1.1	104.6	.6	-1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	110.7	5.3	.5	109.0	4.7	1.5	105.6	3.7	1.1	104.3	.5	-1.9
Fuel and other utilities	187.5	1.1	-.2	192.9	.2	.5	200.8	5.4	1.7	189.0	5.2	1.5
Fuels ³	184.1	1.2	-1.0	184.9	-.1	.6	206.8	7.2	.2	180.2	2.9	1.9
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	205.7	-4.3	-.7	205.3	-4.2	1.0	206.5	-4.0	.0	190.7	-6.4	.6
Fuel oil ³	217.5	-4.6	-.6	216.5	-3.7	1.5	215.7	-4.8	.0	199.9	-5.8	2.0
Other fuels ³	160.9	-2.5	-1.2	154.2	-7.1	-1.8	181.0	-1.5	-.5	165.7	-8.3	-3.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	181.3	2.1	-1.0	180.9	.8	.5	206.8	10.4	.2	177.9	5.3	2.2
Electricity ³	149.0	2.0	.5	131.4	.8	.8	198.0	16.7	1.0	137.6	12.0	5.0
Utility (piped) gas ³	219.7	2.2	-2.3	251.9	.9	.2	218.3	3.8	-.6	227.0	.8	.3
Household furnishings and operation	146.2	1.6	.6	140.9	1.9	.7	142.0	1.7	1.3	146.5	3.3	.7
Apparel and upkeep	123.9	4.8	3.2	135.6	2.1	2.0	135.7	2.3	3.4	129.4	2.6	2.3
Apparel commodities	117.5	5.0	3.7	131.2	1.7	2.4	131.6	2.3	3.6	126.5	2.3	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	116.4	4.3	4.4	131.8	3.5	2.5	120.6	1.9	4.1	108.9	-3.5	-2.7
Women's and girls' apparel	109.1	4.7	3.6	123.1	1.9	4.6	125.2	6.2	4.7	129.5	8.5	6.8
Footwear	126.3	10.3	4.6	133.5	4.1	.4	132.3	-1.0	8.4	137.3	4.4	.8
Transportation	176.2	3.3	2.0	177.4	2.6	2.7	179.0	3.0	1.9	178.1	3.4	2.5
Private transportation	173.5	3.3	2.1	176.6	2.6	2.7	177.0	2.8	2.1	175.0	3.1	2.7
Motor fuel ³	194.7	.1	7.5	196.6	-.3	9.0	193.0	-1.1	6.4	191.9	-1.0	10.8
Gasoline ³	194.5	.1	7.6	197.1	.0	9.1	192.9	-1.1	6.5	191.7	-1.2	11.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	194.2	-.2	8.5	191.3	-1.3	9.4	192.8	-1.2	7.1	190.1	-1.8	12.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	191.6	.1	7.8	198.1	.2	9.2	192.2	-.7	6.5	194.1	-.6	11.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	99.8	1.4	5.4	98.2	2.3	7.3	93.6	-2.4	3.0	79.3	1.4	9.2
Public transportation	221.0	4.4	.0	203.2	2.7	2.8	235.7	5.5	-1.0	265.5	9.8	-.4
Medical care	186.6	5.2	1.1	189.4	6.9	.6	180.1	4.3	1.0	191.1	4.5	.9
Entertainment	150.8	3.9	.4	142.5	1.4	.2	156.0	3.3	.3	144.1	2.0	-2.2
Other goods and services	176.0	6.1	.2	188.6	5.6	-.1	169.9	3.9	-.5	186.1	5.7	.6
Personal care	149.1	3.9	.0	169.1	5.0	-.3	139.9	-.1	-1.3	160.4	2.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	175.9	3.5	0.9	171.7	2.9	1.2	168.6	3.2	1.1	169.1	2.8	0.5
Commodities	161.7	2.3	1.3	160.4	2.0	1.5	157.9	1.8	1.2	158.0	2.1	1.2
Food and beverages	152.4	2.0	-.1	151.1	1.7	-.1	151.9	2.1	.1	158.9	1.3	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	166.0	2.4	2.0	164.2	2.1	2.2	160.6	1.7	1.7	157.6	2.5	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	159.6	2.4	3.0	169.4	2.1	3.7	166.5	1.3	2.9	160.7	1.8	3.9
Durables	172.6	2.4	.6	162.9	2.1	.6	159.3	2.3	.1	158.5	3.2	-.5
Services	196.6	5.0	.6	189.7	4.2	.9	185.5	4.9	1.1	186.6	3.8	-.1
Medical care services	188.2	4.8	1.0	188.1	6.0	.4	179.7	4.0	.8	194.5	4.0	.9
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	162.5	3.0	.9	164.7	2.5	1.1	164.6	3.1	1.2	166.1	3.2	1.0
All items less medical care	175.2	3.4	.9	170.8	2.7	1.2	168.0	3.1	1.1	167.8	2.6	.5
All items less energy	173.9	3.9	.6	168.2	3.4	.7	164.4	3.2	.9	166.9	3.0	-.1
Energy ³	188.7	.6	2.9	190.3	-.2	4.4	199.7	3.2	3.0	185.1	1.0	5.8
Commodities less food	165.3	2.4	1.9	163.9	2.1	2.2	160.3	1.8	1.7	157.7	2.5	1.7
Nondurables less food	158.3	2.3	2.9	168.5	2.0	3.5	165.5	1.4	2.9	160.8	1.9	3.7
Nondurables	155.8	2.2	1.4	160.2	1.9	1.8	159.1	1.6	1.5	159.8	1.6	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	110.5	4.6	.4	109.3	3.5	.4	112.8	5.6	1.2	112.6	5.4	.8
Services less medical care	197.4	5.0	.5	189.8	4.0	1.0	186.1	5.0	1.1	185.5	3.7	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	172.4	3.7	0.8	173.7	3.3	0.4	172.2	3.2	0.6	171.6	2.1	0.9
Food and beverages	159.9	2.3	-1	158.9	2.1	-4	155.7	1.8	-4	159.9	2.1	-1
Food	160.6	2.4	-1	159.2	2.1	-4	155.8	1.7	-4	160.6	2.2	0
Food at home	158.3	1.9	-4	155.5	1.4	-1.0	152.1	.6	-7	154.1	.6	-1
Cereals and bakery products	170.3	4.0	0	164.7	4.3	-4	166.9	3.6	4	160.2	3.8	-4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	148.6	-3.3	-9	145.8	-3.3	-1	143.9	-2.8	-1.8	151.6	-4.7	-4
Dairy products	152.2	4.8	-5	151.5	2.9	-6	150.6	4.0	1.1	156.3	6.2	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	174.6	4.9	-1.9	181.7	3.6	-3.8	170.4	2.7	-4	175.7	1.1	1
Other foods at home	158.6	3.8	.6	150.5	3.2	-5	147.0	.5	-1.0	143.5	2.4	-5
Food away from home	165.2	3.3	.7	167.2	3.7	.8	166.0	4.7	.2	178.4	6.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	150.8	2.3	.9	153.4	2.9	.3	153.2	2.8	.8	145.2	.3	-3
Housing	178.1	3.4	.5	178.0	2.5	-1	177.3	2.4	.1	177.9	.9	.7
Shelter	184.4	3.5	-1	188.9	2.2	-8	186.2	1.0	-4	196.0	.6	1.2
Renters' costs ²	110.4	4.2	.1	109.8	2.2	-9	109.6	2.8	.3	110.1	1.9	2.2
Rent, residential	165.4	3.8	-2	155.0	2.6	-2	162.1	2.3	.3	159.1	2.3	.6
Other renters' costs	217.8	6.5	2.0	214.8	.6	-4.4	199.4	6.1	.2	198.5	-1	11.6
Homeowners' costs ²	107.6	3.4	-2	107.9	2.1	-7	105.0	.2	-8	105.6	.2	1.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	107.3	3.2	-5	107.6	1.7	-7	105.0	.0	-8	105.2	-3	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	186.9	2.4	.5	175.0	2.1	-1	180.7	4.5	.6	163.7	.3	1
Fuels ³	185.4	2.0	.7	183.6	.5	-4	200.8	4.1	.9	160.4	-4.1	1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	230.4	-3.3	-3	211.2	-4.5	-1.5	185.4	-2.7	-1.0	194.6	-2.8	-8
Fuel oil ³	216.7	-4.2	-2	219.7	-5.3	-1.2	164.2	-3.1	-2	185.1	-4.7	-1.3
Other fuels ³	278.1	-1.0	-7	189.9	-2.2	-2.3	205.4	-2.4	-1.5	211.7	.2	0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	179.0	3.0	.8	181.6	1.0	-2	202.5	4.8	1.0	153.4	-4.4	.4
Electricity ³	165.1	5.8	1.2	180.6	1.2	.4	184.2	5.4	2.5	150.3	-1.6	0
Utility (piped) gas ³	213.4	-2.0	.1	185.1	.1	-2.6	249.3	3.5	-1.8	159.9	-9.5	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	148.6	3.8	2.3	145.8	3.4	1.3	142.3	3.0	.9	144.0	1.9	1
Apparel and upkeep	138.7	5.6	2.5	132.7	3.6	1.5	130.2	2.1	.5	117.5	2.4	2.3
Apparel commodities	129.9	4.8	2.9	123.5	2.5	1.6	123.9	1.2	.3	113.0	1.9	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	136.1	4.8	3.7	135.1	6.0	-1	131.7	2.3	1.9	116.8	3.6	3.6
Women's and girls' apparel	122.3	7.1	3.6	111.8	3.3	5.3	111.2	.7	-4	105.8	6.4	6.2
Footwear	135.7	6.9	3.4	124.0	-1.4	-1.4	132.4	2.2	.8	117.9	-8.5	-3.8
Transportation	178.5	3.4	1.7	183.3	4.0	1.7	181.6	4.4	1.9	176.9	2.7	2.2
Private transportation	175.7	3.2	1.8	181.2	4.0	1.8	180.8	4.4	2.1	174.6	2.3	2.3
Motor fuel ³	196.5	-3	4.7	193.4	.0	5.9	193.2	1.2	6.4	185.1	-1.1	7.7
Gasoline ³	196.3	-3	4.8	192.7	-2	5.9	192.9	1.0	6.6	184.8	-1.1	7.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	194.9	.1	6.0	193.5	.8	7.8	190.1	.5	7.8	179.3	-2.1	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	193.4	-4	5.1	190.6	-1.3	5.5	194.8	1.7	6.6	185.5	-1	8.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	95.5	-5	3.1	94.9	1.3	4.2	95.2	.6	3.7	91.3	-1.3	4.9
Public transportation	227.0	7.1	.6	234.9	5.2	-3	202.0	4.4	-1.2	242.0	10.6	.7
Medical care	188.1	6.2	1.3	189.3	6.1	.7	197.1	5.1	.7	201.0	3.8	.6
Entertainment	154.4	6.3	.8	163.5	2.4	-2	157.5	2.8	1.7	154.7	2.8	.8
Other goods and services	179.2	5.4	.4	184.7	7.1	1.2	181.5	6.6	.2	175.6	3.8	-2
Personal care	157.9	1.5	.4	164.7	4.4	1.7	165.9	5.6	.0	147.4	.2	-1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	172.4	3.7	0.8	173.7	3.3	0.4	172.2	3.2	0.6	171.6	2.1	0.9
Commodities	163.0	2.8	1.3	164.5	2.7	.9	161.7	2.5	.7	161.3	2.2	1.1
Food and beverages	159.9	2.3	-.1	158.9	2.1	-.4	155.7	1.8	-.4	159.9	2.1	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	164.1	2.9	2.1	166.7	3.0	1.8	164.4	2.9	1.3	161.6	2.2	1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	165.6	2.5	2.4	163.6	2.9	2.4	161.2	2.4	2.1	159.0	1.6	2.7
Durables	165.5	3.6	1.5	171.5	3.2	1.0	170.2	3.8	.4	166.8	3.0	.4
Services	185.2	4.8	.4	187.3	4.0	-.1	188.2	3.9	.4	187.0	2.0	.7
Medical care services	189.6	6.1	1.3	189.8	5.9	.6	201.4	4.7	.5	202.6	3.1	.4
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	166.9	3.8	1.2	167.0	3.6	.7	166.2	3.6	.8	163.3	2.4	.9
All items less medical care	171.5	3.5	.8	172.7	3.1	.4	170.6	3.0	.5	169.4	1.9	.9
All items less energy	169.7	4.1	.6	172.1	3.7	.1	169.3	3.2	.1	171.3	2.8	.5
Energy ³	190.7	.8	2.8	188.3	.2	3.0	196.3	2.6	3.6	171.8	-2.6	3.9
Commodities less food	163.7	3.0	2.0	166.5	3.0	1.7	164.2	2.9	1.3	161.3	2.2	1.6
Nondurables less food	164.7	2.6	2.4	163.1	2.9	2.3	160.8	2.4	2.0	158.5	1.5	2.6
Nondurables	162.7	2.4	1.2	161.2	2.5	.9	158.4	2.1	.8	159.5	1.9	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	113.1	5.8	.9	111.6	5.6	.4	111.0	5.5	.9	109.8	2.8	.4
Services less medical care	184.7	4.6	.3	186.8	3.7	-.3	186.5	3.8	.4	184.5	1.8	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	174.6	4.4	0.6	174.4	4.6	1.4	166.9	4.9	1.6	170.8	2.6	0.5
Food and beverages	158.9	2.3	.0	162.9	2.7	-.1	158.7	2.4	.3	166.3	3.7	.1
Food	160.6	2.4	.1	163.9	2.7	-.2	158.7	2.3	.3	166.8	3.5	-.1
Food at home	156.5	2.0	-.5	160.0	2.7	-.6	155.2	2.2	.0	163.3	3.3	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.9	4.5	.2	173.5	4.1	-.2	168.3	4.1	.4	172.5	2.5	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.5	-2.9	-1.9	150.4	-.2	-2.6	148.7	-1.4	-.9	160.1	.3	-1.2
Dairy products	151.9	1.9	.3	150.4	2.5	.1	144.6	1.2	-.3	146.7	5.1	2.2
Fruits and vegetables	167.0	7.7	-.2	184.4	6.7	-.9	172.9	7.3	1.6	194.6	10.1	-1.6
Other foods at home	157.4	3.3	.2	156.7	3.0	1.1	152.3	2.6	-.2	154.1	2.0	.3
Food away from home	168.0	3.1	1.0	171.9	2.7	.8	166.2	2.4	.9	173.0	4.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages	138.9	1.3	-1.2	149.1	2.3	.6	158.9	4.3	.9	157.9	6.3	1.5
Housing	182.4	5.0	.1	179.2	5.2	1.7	164.2	5.4	1.4	172.2	2.5	.3
Shelter	190.4	6.1	.1	186.1	6.6	2.3	166.7	7.0	.1	175.4	4.0	1.3
Renters' costs ²	117.0	6.8	.3	116.0	7.7	2.3	113.9	5.8	-.3	111.7	5.8	1.5
Rent, residential	188.4	7.2	.1	184.5	7.8	2.4	165.8	5.9	-.3	151.5	5.9	1.5
Other renters' costs	198.6	3.3	3.1	200.6	6.1	.9	212.6	5.4	.8	188.1	4.0	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	115.8	5.9	.0	112.8	6.2	2.3	113.7	7.6	.3	109.6	2.8	1.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	115.8	5.8	-.2	112.8	6.1	2.4	114.0	7.8	.3	109.3	2.7	1.1
Fuel and other utilities	199.2	2.9	-.4	197.4	4.8	.7	184.5	3.0	6.2	190.7	.3	-1.9
Fuels ³	228.1	3.4	-.9	226.0	6.7	.6	204.9	3.6	9.2	183.5	-.5	-3.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	217.9	-2.7	.6	196.8	-2.7	-.4	NA	NA	NA	189.8	-2.9	.3
Fuel oil ³	227.2	-3.6	.4	195.5	-4.2	-.6	NA	NA	NA	188.1	-4.0	.5
Other fuels ³	186.0	.8	.9	200.9	2.3	.5	222.5	1.0	-.4	195.5	.8	-.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	228.9	3.9	-1.0	230.4	8.0	.7	202.2	4.1	11.0	181.7	.2	-4.2
Electricity ³	200.4	11.5	-1.8	205.4	14.9	1.4	151.2	5.1	2.9	179.1	1.6	-6.9
Utility (piped) gas ³	272.8	-3.6	.0	282.4	-1.1	-.3	291.1	3.2	19.6	186.4	-2.4	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	145.2	2.9	.6	144.9	.8	.8	145.6	2.8	1.3	147.6	1.3	.7
Apparel and upkeep	127.3	2.4	-.4	133.9	5.5	2.2	130.3	5.2	2.8	144.0	.8	.2
Apparel commodities	120.2	1.3	-.6	130.0	5.6	2.4	124.5	4.7	3.1	139.5	.5	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	122.8	4.4	.0	136.4	8.1	4.4	129.0	2.8	-.9	128.4	3.5	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	105.1	1.3	-1.8	116.3	3.4	1.9	114.3	7.0	6.8	142.1	-.5	1.6
Footwear	136.7	-4.4	.5	147.9	8.6	.5	138.4	1.4	6.1	135.9	-1.5	1.3
Transportation	184.2	4.4	2.3	184.5	3.9	2.3	181.7	4.7	3.2	173.9	1.6	.8
Private transportation	183.3	4.1	2.3	181.5	3.9	2.4	179.6	4.5	3.2	168.8	2.2	1.0
Motor fuel ³	194.7	2.0	7.9	194.6	2.9	7.3	190.9	1.4	11.2	185.8	-.8	2.6
Gasoline ³	194.8	2.0	8.0	193.5	2.6	7.7	190.7	1.3	11.5	186.2	-.6	2.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	190.5	1.8	8.3	188.4	1.7	9.3	190.9	1.6	14.5	182.5	-1.1	2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	194.3	2.2	8.8	191.7	2.2	8.0	186.7	1.7	10.3	191.7	-.3	3.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	97.2	1.6	6.3	98.5	5.9	5.1	93.9	.1	6.3	95.8	-.4	.6
Public transportation	201.1	8.2	2.2	233.2	4.4	1.7	222.5	9.9	5.0	242.3	-3.4	-1.1
Medical care	193.4	5.9	.8	190.0	5.1	1.7	198.1	6.6	1.1	193.5	4.8	.5
Entertainment	149.6	3.8	1.1	156.6	5.2	.7	165.8	7.4	2.0	159.5	-.7	1.5
Other goods and services	186.5	8.7	.4	182.6	6.6	.5	177.8	6.8	.5	183.7	4.9	.9
Personal care	167.9	3.9	.8	170.5	5.3	.6	157.2	5.2	-.2	157.3	1.7	1.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	174.6	4.4	0.6	174.4	4.6	1.4	166.9	4.9	1.6	170.8	2.6	0.5
Commodities	159.9	2.6	1.0	163.9	3.3	1.3	161.7	2.9	2.0	159.5	2.5	.6
Food and beverages	158.9	2.3	.0	162.9	2.7	-.1	158.7	2.4	.3	166.3	3.7	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	160.5	2.8	1.7	164.1	3.6	2.1	162.6	3.3	3.0	155.7	1.6	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	163.6	3.2	2.8	169.2	4.3	3.2	166.0	3.1	4.6	169.3	1.1	1.2
Durables	159.9	2.3	.2	162.7	2.7	.7	163.4	3.5	1.1	149.1	2.5	.3
Services	193.0	6.1	.3	188.4	5.8	1.6	172.9	6.9	1.2	187.3	2.7	.4
Medical care services	194.6	5.8	.8	189.6	4.5	1.5	198.6	6.5	.9	196.1	4.1	.4
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	167.4	3.8	.8	169.5	3.9	1.1	167.8	4.3	2.1	169.4	2.3	.3
All items less medical care	173.6	4.3	.6	173.5	4.5	1.4	165.1	4.8	1.7	169.5	2.4	.5
All items less energy	171.9	4.6	.2	171.4	4.5	1.1	164.3	5.3	.7	168.7	3.1	.6
Energy ³	205.7	2.4	4.4	207.0	4.5	4.2	196.5	2.3	10.3	184.3	-.7	-.4
Commodities less food	159.7	2.7	1.5	163.7	3.6	2.1	162.6	3.4	3.0	155.9	1.8	.8
Nondurables less food	161.6	3.0	2.5	167.8	4.2	3.0	165.5	3.2	4.3	168.6	1.4	1.2
Nondurables	161.1	2.7	1.3	165.9	3.4	1.5	162.2	2.8	2.3	167.7	2.4	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	112.9	6.0	.6	110.7	5.1	.8	113.9	6.8	2.2	109.1	1.9	-.2
Services less medical care	192.9	6.2	.3	188.2	5.9	1.6	169.8	7.0	1.3	186.2	2.5	.4

¹ The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.
- D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	167.9	4.9	0.9	169.7	3.0	1.0	172.5	4.2	0.7	171.4	4.7	1.1
Food and beverages	156.8	2.8	.3	152.8	1.9	.0	159.0	2.1	-.2	162.0	2.5	.0
Food	157.0	2.7	.3	153.1	1.9	-.1	159.3	2.0	-.3	163.1	2.6	.1
Food at home	152.5	1.9	-.1	149.2	1.1	-.3	154.3	1.0	-.6	157.6	2.3	-.4
Cereals and bakery products	163.7	3.8	.5	168.5	3.9	.7	162.5	3.9	-.1	169.7	4.3	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	148.3	-2.2	-1.0	142.7	-2.9	-1.5	146.7	-3.5	-.9	149.5	-1.8	-2.0
Dairy products	142.2	1.8	-.8	140.3	2.5	-1.1	152.2	4.3	.2	150.5	2.2	.3
Fruits and vegetables	171.6	6.6	1.1	164.6	4.6	1.1	174.0	3.2	-1.2	171.8	7.7	.0
Sugar and sweets	161.1	3.5	.1	164.2	1.3	.7	168.6	1.2	-.4	168.1	2.6	.8
Fats and oils	148.4	5.0	.5	149.7	3.2	.1	146.2	2.7	-1.6	157.2	6.1	-.6
Nonalcoholic beverages	133.9	3.2	.8	128.1	1.9	.7	142.2	2.2	-.8	145.5	1.5	.5
Other prepared foods	160.0	3.8	.4	163.2	2.3	.4	159.9	2.8	.6	170.6	3.8	.5
Food away from home	168.9	4.7	1.1	161.8	3.5	.4	171.5	4.2	.5	173.8	3.0	.8
Alcoholic beverages	152.5	2.9	.9	147.7	1.9	.2	152.5	2.5	.6	147.4	2.1	-.3
Housing	174.9	7.5	1.0	178.7	2.8	.7	177.7	5.2	.2	173.9	5.8	.8
Shelter	182.3	11.8	1.4	186.6	3.2	.7	188.4	6.3	-.2	178.0	7.0	.8
Renters' costs ²	102.9	-	1.9	101.9	-	.9	100.4	-	.1	102.2	-	.9
Rent, residential	162.7	7.0	1.7	153.2	5.0	.5	161.1	2.9	.0	180.7	7.0	.7
Other renters' costs	199.7	6.1	3.0	206.4	6.4	3.7	207.7	3.9	1.1	200.2	4.7	2.2
Homeowners' costs ²	102.3	-	1.3	101.1	-	.6	99.9	-	-.4	102.1	-	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	102.3	-	1.2	101.1	-	.6	99.8	-	-.5	102.1	-	.7
Maintenance and repairs	164.6	3.1	.3	154.7	1.8	.3	165.2	1.5	-.6	180.3	4.2	2.2
Maintenance and repair services	171.3	2.5	.2	164.1	2.9	.2	171.2	1.8	-.7	202.8	4.2	3.5
Maintenance and repair commodities	142.5	4.8	.4	136.8	-.9	.3	150.0	2.7	-.5	143.9	4.3	.0
Fuel and other utilities	188.4	.6	.7	191.1	2.4	.5	179.1	2.5	.3	195.1	3.1	.7
Fuels ³	194.9	-.1	.9	187.6	2.3	-.2	184.2	1.2	.3	217.5	3.8	.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	216.9	-4.4	.3	205.3	-4.5	.0	208.0	-3.3	-.8	203.7	-2.0	.0
Fuel oil ³	219.0	-4.7	.3	215.2	-4.6	.3	202.1	-4.5	-.7	204.2	-3.1	.0
Other fuels ³	190.7	1.0	-.4	173.0	-3.9	-1.5	219.0	-1.4	-1.1	202.3	1.4	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.5	2.7	1.3	184.5	3.8	-.2	181.3	1.9	.4	219.3	4.6	.8
Electricity ³	171.1	2.9	1.1	153.4	5.9	1.2	171.7	3.2	1.1	191.4	10.3	-.9
Utility (piped) gas ³	203.7	2.4	1.5	224.3	2.0	-1.3	206.4	-1.1	-1.0	267.3	-1.6	3.0
Other utilities and public services	149.8	3.8	.1	158.8	2.5	2.5	146.1	5.4	.2	155.1	1.8	.7
Household furnishings and operation	142.8	1.6	-.1	142.1	1.9	.8	142.9	3.0	1.2	143.6	2.4	.8
Housefurnishings	133.4	-.2	-.9	131.5	.4	.5	133.4	2.5	1.8	132.4	.8	.9
Housekeeping supplies	148.7	3.2	.4	160.4	4.0	.8	156.0	3.0	-.1	163.8	5.6	.5
Housekeeping services	165.4	4.7	1.3	157.2	3.8	1.4	157.0	4.3	1.3	157.1	2.8	.8
Apparel and upkeep	126.8	2.5	2.3	129.3	3.9	2.9	133.0	3.7	1.8	129.1	3.2	1.1
Apparel commodities	119.8	2.3	2.7	124.3	3.9	3.2	126.0	2.9	1.8	123.7	2.6	1.2
Men's and boys' apparel	121.2	2.3	2.8	121.5	3.0	3.1	134.2	4.4	2.1	125.8	4.9	1.5
Women's and girls' apparel	108.5	4.0	4.5	119.6	5.9	4.4	118.2	5.1	3.7	110.1	2.1	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	141.1	-2.1	-1.9	151.4	8.0	.9	125.3	-.6	-3.6	147.8	4.5	-.3
Footwear	136.1	1.3	.1	132.5	5.3	3.5	126.9	.6	-.1	141.3	-.4	1.4
Other apparel commodities	130.3	-.1	1.5	133.5	-2.6	.2	129.5	-2.6	-1.1	133.0	1.6	.0
Apparel services	182.4	3.8	.4	172.8	3.7	.5	186.9	8.1	1.5	176.4	7.6	.6

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Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
Transportation	177.3	2.5	1.0	177.5	3.1	2.1	183.0	3.7	1.8	184.4	4.1	2.3
Private transportation	175.3	2.3	1.0	175.9	3.0	2.3	181.9	3.6	1.9	183.1	3.9	2.3
New vehicles	143.6	3.2	.0	141.9	2.8	.3	142.7	4.1	.3	136.7	3.4	.0
New cars	143.6	3.2	.0	141.8	2.6	.3	143.5	4.1	.3	137.0	2.8	-.3
Used cars	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.5	226.4	4.4	.4	226.2	4.4	.4
Motor fuel ³	189.8	-1.4	3.0	196.0	-4	7.9	193.7	.1	6.0	193.3	1.8	7.7
Gasoline ³	189.7	-1.4	3.0	195.9	-4	8.1	193.4	-1	6.0	193.0	1.7	7.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	186.3	-2.3	3.3	194.1	-8	8.8	191.6	.2	7.5	188.3	1.5	8.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	186.8	-1.2	3.2	195.0	-2	8.1	193.0	.1	6.2	192.0	1.8	8.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	93.4	-4	2.4	98.1	1.2	5.7	94.7	.0	3.7	97.3	2.1	5.9
Maintenance and repair	164.3	3.5	.5	159.3	2.6	-.2	168.2	3.9	.7	174.4	1.5	-1.0
Other private transportation	156.6	3.4	.3	148.9	6.7	.0	159.7	7.4	.4	171.2	7.2	.9
Other private trans. commod	135.0	.6	-.1	127.6	-1.6	-1.5	135.0	1.0	.4	132.5	.5	-1.0
Other private trans. services	160.6	3.9	.3	152.8	8.1	.3	166.6	9.0	.4	179.7	8.4	1.2
Public transportation	197.4	3.9	1.1	223.5	4.2	.1	217.8	5.8	-.1	213.3	5.3	2.1
Medical care	186.6	7.4	1.3	186.6	5.1	.9	192.5	5.5	.9	191.9	6.1	1.1
Medical care commodities	180.2	6.1	1.6	181.5	7.2	1.6	188.9	7.3	1.5	184.8	7.1	1.5
Medical care services	188.1	7.7	1.2	187.7	4.6	.8	193.2	5.1	.7	193.2	5.9	1.0
Professional services	182.7	6.7	1.2	176.3	5.2	1.0	184.3	6.2	1.0	182.8	5.8	1.1
Other medical care services	194.6	8.8	1.4	200.8	4.1	.7	200.2	4.4	.5	206.9	5.8	1.0
Entertainment	149.5	3.6	1.1	150.5	3.1	-.2	156.8	3.4	.6	148.8	4.1	1.2
Entertainment commodities	145.9	2.8	.9	143.5	1.4	-.6	154.3	2.0	.4	142.9	2.7	1.6
Entertainment services	155.3	4.8	1.2	161.8	5.5	.3	161.9	6.2	1.1	160.4	6.8	.9
Other goods and services	179.0	6.2	.6	177.9	5.4	.1	178.3	5.7	.5	182.5	6.9	.6
Tobacco products	183.2	5.3	.2	190.8	6.1	-.1	184.8	6.6	.3	192.7	5.6	.5
Personal care	156.2	5.3	1.3	151.5	3.0	-.2	160.6	3.3	.5	164.5	4.3	.8
Personal and educational expenses	203.6	8.0	.1	204.3	7.5	.5	203.7	8.3	.6	206.6	13.2	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	167.9	4.9	0.9	169.7	3.0	1.0	172.5	4.2	0.7	171.4	4.7	1.1
Commodities	159.7	3.2	.6	158.5	1.7	1.2	164.4	3.2	1.0	161.3	2.9	1.3
Food and beverages	156.8	2.8	.3	152.8	1.9	.0	159.0	2.1	-.2	162.0	2.5	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	161.3	3.3	.9	161.2	1.7	2.0	166.9	3.7	1.8	161.1	3.1	2.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	161.7	1.1	1.4	164.9	2.0	3.4	164.9	2.4	2.5	166.4	3.1	3.2
Apparel commodities	119.8	2.3	2.7	124.3	3.9	3.2	126.0	2.9	1.8	123.7	2.6	1.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	177.8	.7	1.1	180.7	1.5	3.4	181.3	2.3	2.7	184.1	3.3	3.8
Durables	160.7	5.7	.1	158.3	1.2	.3	168.4	4.7	.8	157.3	2.8	.5
Services	181.2	7.5	1.2	189.3	4.9	.6	186.1	5.9	.3	186.2	7.1	.8
Rent of shelter ²	102.5	-	1.4	101.3	-	.7	100.0	-	-.3	102.1	-	.7
Household services less rent of shelter ²	100.9	-	.9	101.4	-	.8	101.2	-	.7	101.4	-	1.0
Transportation services	170.1	3.8	.6	162.5	6.1	.1	172.6	7.0	.4	182.3	6.2	.8
Medical care services	188.1	7.7	1.2	187.7	4.6	.8	193.2	5.1	.7	193.2	5.9	1.0
Other services	174.6	6.4	1.0	169.9	5.3	.2	174.4	6.0	.8	170.5	7.6	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
Special indexes:												
All items less food	170.9	5.5	1.1	173.6	3.3	1.2	175.6	4.7	1.0	173.1	5.2	1.2
All items less shelter	163.6	2.9	.7	163.7	2.9	1.0	167.0	3.3	.9	168.3	3.6	1.1
All items less homeowners' costs ²	101.6	-	.9	101.4	-	1.0	101.2	-	.8	101.6	-	1.1
All items less medical care	167.1	4.8	.9	169.0	2.9	1.0	171.4	4.1	.7	170.4	4.6	1.0
Commodities less food	161.0	3.3	.9	160.9	1.7	1.9	166.5	3.6	1.7	160.7	3.1	1.9
Nondurables less food	161.1	1.1	1.4	163.8	2.1	3.1	164.3	2.4	2.4	165.1	3.1	2.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	175.7	.9	1.1	177.8	1.5	3.1	179.3	2.3	2.6	180.5	3.3	3.4
Nondurables	159.1	2.0	.9	158.5	1.9	1.6	161.9	2.3	1.2	164.1	2.8	1.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.4	-	.9	101.4	-	.6	101.3	-	.6	101.7	-	.9
Services less medical care	180.5	7.5	1.1	189.4	4.9	.5	185.2	6.0	.2	185.4	7.2	.8
Energy ³	192.2	-7	1.8	191.5	.9	3.9	188.8	.6	3.4	201.7	2.6	4.9
All items less energy	164.8	5.7	.8	166.2	3.2	.5	169.9	4.7	.4	168.2	4.9	.6
All items less food and energy	167.2	6.6	.9	169.7	3.6	.7	172.6	5.4	.5	169.4	5.5	.7
Commodities less food and energy	154.0	4.7	.6	154.9	2.1	.6	161.8	4.4	.8	155.0	3.3	.6
Energy commodities	200.0	-2.4	2.1	199.3	-9	6.7	196.2	-3	5.3	202.8	1.6	7.1
Services less energy	180.1	8.1	1.1	187.4	5.0	.7	184.7	6.4	.2	183.6	7.3	.8

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
All items	166.0	4.2	0.7	172.0	3.3	0.9	171.2	4.1	0.9	172.0	5.2	1.1	172.8	4.2	0.9
Food and beverages	155.7	2.4	.1	157.7	2.5	.3	158.6	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	.0	160.4	2.0	.2
Food	156.4	2.5	.1	158.2	2.5	.1	159.1	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	-.1	160.5	1.8	.1
Food at home	150.4	1.5	-.4	154.0	1.8	-.1	155.4	1.9	-.4	152.0	1.5	-.3	154.1	.7	.1
Cereals and bakery products	163.0	4.0	.4	167.8	3.8	.2	167.6	4.0	.2	165.5	4.0	.9	165.9	3.7	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.7	-2.6	-2.0	146.6	-3.0	-.9	148.6	-2.0	-1.2	145.4	-2.3	-1.1	150.4	-3.5	-.5
Dairy products	145.6	1.8	-.7	145.4	3.7	-.5	146.8	2.7	-.5	142.9	2.6	-.1	146.0	3.1	.4
Fruits and vegetables	162.2	6.1	1.5	173.5	6.4	.0	179.5	5.1	-.9	171.3	5.5	-.6	170.9	2.3	1.2
Sugar and sweets	162.4	1.9	.2	165.2	2.8	1.0	166.9	2.8	.4	169.2	.9	-.4	160.4	2.2	.1
Fats and oils	153.2	4.8	.1	148.8	3.9	-.7	154.1	5.1	-.5	144.0	3.6	.0	145.2	2.3	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	133.9	2.4	1.1	139.7	2.9	.5	135.9	2.7	-.7	135.9	1.4	.3	137.3	1.9	-.1
Other prepared foods	161.6	3.3	-.4	164.4	3.5	.8	165.4	3.7	1.3	159.7	2.6	.4	162.5	1.9	.4
Food away from home	170.3	4.4	1.2	167.4	3.9	.7	167.5	3.2	.5	162.3	3.2	.4	176.1	4.6	.4
Alcoholic beverages	145.5	1.4	-.9	149.1	2.5	1.1	151.0	2.9	.8	155.0	3.1	1.2	156.8	2.9	.4
Housing	170.3	4.9	.2	179.9	2.9	.6	175.8	5.2	.9	180.3	7.8	1.0	180.3	6.3	1.0
Shelter	175.3	6.6	.5	187.4	3.4	.4	183.4	7.1	1.2	190.0	10.3	.7	192.0	8.8	1.4
Renters' costs ²	102.0	-	1.1	101.3	-	.5	102.6	-	1.2	101.8	-	.6	102.0	-	1.9
Rent, residential	163.8	6.2	.7	167.8	5.1	.4	166.9	6.2	1.5	162.1	5.1	.7	156.6	4.8	1.4
Other renters' costs	209.7	5.6	5.9	200.5	6.1	1.6	201.2	4.7	-.6	196.9	5.5	.2	206.2	5.4	6.1
Homeowners' costs ²	101.1	-	.1	100.6	-	.3	102.3	-	1.0	101.8	-	.8	101.2	-	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	101.1	-	.1	100.6	-	.3	102.4	-	1.1	101.8	-	.8	101.2	-	1.3
Maintenance and repairs	160.8	1.5	.4	164.4	1.4	-.1	165.0	5.4	1.6	170.7	.8	-.4	158.4	2.9	-.3
Maintenance and repair services	170.9	2.0	2.0	172.8	1.5	-1.2	169.7	4.8	1.9	184.3	-.3	-2.3	167.8	4.3	-.6
Maintenance and repair commodities	134.2	1.4	-1.2	144.7	.6	.8	152.5	6.6	1.3	139.3	.9	.7	140.8	.3	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	189.8	1.2	-.4	189.2	1.6	.9	187.0	1.7	.2	188.8	4.0	1.9	181.1	1.9	.5
Fuels ³	190.7	.9	-.5	195.7	1.2	.6	195.1	1.0	.1	200.1	4.3	1.8	177.4	-.4	.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	217.5	-4.2	-2	218.7	-4.0	.1	210.1	-4.8	-.2	207.6	-3.4	.4	199.0	-4.6	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.0	2.8	-.6	191.3	2.5	.7	191.6	2.7	.2	198.1	6.6	2.2	171.8	.9	.8
Other utilities and public services	152.2	2.4	.1	147.9	2.5	1.7	150.5	3.2	.5	153.1	3.4	2.1	161.2	8.2	.3
Household furnishings and operation	139.5	1.5	-.1	147.0	2.2	.9	142.4	2.5	1.0	141.9	2.7	.9	144.7	2.2	.7
Housefurnishings	128.0	-.3	-.9	138.6	.8	1.4	131.6	1.6	1.2	132.3	1.4	.3	135.6	1.0	.7
Housekeeping supplies	150.2	3.0	.1	156.9	3.6	-.4	161.5	4.3	.8	158.0	4.4	1.5	159.7	4.4	.4
Housekeeping services	162.4	4.2	1.2	161.9	4.7	1.3	156.4	3.2	.8	156.5	4.4	2.0	155.6	3.0	.8
Apparel and upkeep	120.7	3.3	1.6	134.6	4.3	2.7	132.6	3.0	2.7	133.6	3.2	2.0	129.8	2.7	1.1
Apparel commodities	111.6	3.0	1.8	128.8	3.9	3.0	127.0	2.4	3.1	129.1	2.8	2.1	125.7	2.4	1.0
Men's and boys' apparel	113.1	3.1	2.6	131.6	4.7	3.5	132.2	4.3	2.4	131.3	2.1	2.0	122.0	2.1	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	97.0	4.3	2.4	120.3	4.4	3.1	116.6	2.8	7.0	125.8	5.3	2.8	123.0	7.0	4.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	149.3	3.0	.3	136.7	4.4	-.4	132.8	-2.1	-2.5	143.2	4.0	-1.2	139.8	.1	-4.9
Footwear	131.2	2.5	.8	135.4	4.4	3.5	136.5	2.6	-.6	130.7	-.2	3.5	136.1	-2.3	-2.5
Other apparel commodities	123.8	.3	.2	141.5	-.1	1.4	134.6	-2.9	.3	129.4	-.2	-1.5	128.4	-4.0	-.6
Apparel services	184.1	4.7	.7	181.4	6.3	.7	179.0	6.2	.6	179.0	5.9	1.4	168.3	5.1	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
Transportation	178.7	3.4	1.6	178.4	3.1	1.8	182.3	3.4	1.8	181.6	3.4	1.9	180.2	2.7	2.0
Private transportation	176.9	3.3	1.7	176.6	3.0	1.8	181.3	3.3	1.9	180.4	3.4	1.9	178.5	2.6	2.1
New vehicles	138.2	2.7	.1	140.0	3.6	.3	144.9	3.5	.3	142.8	3.5	.0	144.7	3.6	.1
New cars	138.7	2.6	.0	139.7	3.4	.4	144.8	3.2	.3	143.3	3.3	-.1	144.9	3.5	.2
Used cars	226.4	4.4	.4	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4	226.2	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4
Motor fuel ³	194.2	.5	5.9	194.4	-.3	5.8	194.1	.2	6.2	193.6	-.2	6.3	187.6	-1.3	7.1
Gasoline ³	194.2	.6	5.9	194.2	-.4	5.9	193.6	.1	6.3	193.4	-.3	6.4	187.4	-1.4	7.3
Maintenance and repair	166.4	3.0	.3	164.3	2.8	-.5	164.6	2.6	-.2	172.0	3.2	.0	161.9	2.9	1.3
Other private transportation	163.1	6.0	.1	150.8	5.5	.7	161.7	6.4	.6	157.0	7.2	.7	153.3	4.8	.0
Other private trans. commod	127.9	-2.1	-1.0	132.4	-.2	-.2	137.3	2.8	1.1	133.3	-.4	-1.7	131.9	.8	-1.5
Other private trans. services	168.5	7.1	.1	154.9	6.7	.8	167.4	7.1	.5	162.8	8.9	1.2	158.7	5.6	.3
Public transportation	196.1	4.4	.9	218.0	3.9	.6	217.4	4.4	1.2	228.1	6.3	1.3	236.6	4.9	-.1
Medical care	185.2	7.3	1.0	191.3	5.6	1.4	189.0	5.9	1.0	191.7	5.6	1.1	192.0	4.4	.7
Medical care commodities	184.9	6.3	1.3	178.8	6.4	1.8	189.7	8.2	1.8	182.2	6.6	1.7	181.8	7.6	1.2
Medical care services	185.2	7.5	.9	193.7	5.4	1.3	188.8	5.5	.9	193.7	5.4	.9	194.1	3.9	.6
Professional services	178.1	7.6	1.0	185.7	5.1	1.3	174.7	5.4	1.0	187.6	6.3	1.2	183.8	4.4	.9
Other medical care services	194.2	7.3	.7	202.1	5.9	1.5	203.7	5.5	.7	199.9	4.6	.7	202.7	3.4	.3
Entertainment	148.1	3.8	1.0	152.8	4.2	.8	151.4	2.9	.3	153.9	3.8	1.2	151.4	2.2	-.6
Entertainment commodities	138.3	2.3	.7	151.5	2.6	.9	147.2	1.7	.3	150.4	2.2	1.1	148.3	1.9	-1.5
Entertainment services	162.5	5.8	1.4	155.0	6.8	.6	159.8	4.9	.1	160.8	6.8	1.3	157.4	2.5	1.0
Other goods and services	177.1	6.6	.5	180.3	5.6	.5	182.7	6.4	.6	175.2	5.6	.0	181.8	4.8	.4
Tobacco products	185.7	6.1	.2	182.9	5.6	.1	190.1	6.1	.3	186.0	6.2	.1	194.9	5.3	.6
Personal care	155.1	5.4	1.2	159.0	2.7	.7	163.9	4.9	.8	153.4	3.6	-.3	155.4	1.8	.1
Personal and educational expenses	198.8	8.5	.0	210.9	9.3	.7	206.1	8.9	.4	201.1	8.0	.4	208.4	8.2	.4
Commodity and service group															
All items	166.0	4.2	0.7	172.0	3.3	0.9	171.2	4.1	0.9	172.0	5.2	1.1	172.8	4.2	0.9
Commodities	155.7	2.5	.8	162.7	2.3	1.2	163.3	2.8	1.2	162.4	3.2	1.0	162.2	2.7	1.0
Food and beverages	155.7	2.4	.1	157.7	2.5	.3	158.6	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	.0	160.4	2.0	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	155.6	2.5	1.3	165.2	2.2	1.8	165.4	3.1	1.8	165.9	3.8	1.7	163.0	3.0	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.8	2.0	2.0	166.2	2.0	2.7	168.1	2.4	2.9	166.4	2.0	2.7	163.2	1.6	2.6
Apparel commodities	111.6	3.0	1.8	128.8	3.9	3.0	127.0	2.4	3.1	129.1	2.8	2.1	125.7	2.4	1.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	177.7	1.8	2.1	181.2	1.4	2.6	184.4	2.4	2.8	181.2	1.7	2.8	178.5	1.4	3.1
Durables	152.5	2.7	.3	164.4	2.4	.6	163.3	3.4	.6	165.3	5.0	.3	162.6	4.0	.1
Services	181.6	6.4	.5	186.9	4.7	.6	184.5	6.1	.8	188.9	8.3	1.1	191.5	6.6	.9
Rent of shelter ²	101.4	-	.4	100.8	-	.3	102.5	-	1.2	101.8	-	.8	101.5	-	1.5
Household services less rent of shelter ²	101.7	-	.2	101.1	-	1.1	100.4	-	.4	101.8	-	1.9	100.9	-	.6
Transportation services	174.7	5.6	.3	165.8	5.3	.4	171.2	5.5	.4	171.6	6.8	.8	167.7	4.7	.5
Medical care services	185.2	7.5	.9	193.7	5.4	1.3	188.8	5.5	.9	193.7	5.4	.9	194.1	3.9	.6
Other services	174.7	6.8	1.0	174.3	6.8	.6	172.3	6.1	.2	168.1	6.1	.8	170.0	3.8	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group														
Special indexes:															
All items less food	168.4	4.6	0.8	175.2	3.4	1.2	174.0	4.6	1.2	176.0	5.9	1.3	175.7	4.7	1.2
All items less shelter	162.5	3.2	.7	166.3	3.1	1.1	166.9	3.2	.9	165.8	3.4	1.2	166.5	2.6	.8
All items less homeowners' costs ²	101.6	-	.7	101.3	-	1.0	101.4	-	.9	101.5	-	1.0	101.1	-	1.0
All items less medical care	165.1	4.0	.6	171.0	3.1	.9	170.4	4.1	1.0	171.0	5.2	1.0	171.8	4.2	1.0
Commodities less food	155.3	2.5	1.2	164.7	2.2	1.8	165.1	3.1	1.9	165.6	3.8	1.6	162.8	3.0	1.4
Nondurables less food	157.9	2.0	1.8	165.1	2.0	2.6	167.1	2.5	2.8	165.8	2.0	2.6	162.9	1.7	2.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	174.7	1.7	1.8	178.4	1.5	2.5	181.7	2.4	2.7	179.2	1.8	2.7	176.9	1.4	2.9
Nondurables	157.1	2.2	1.0	161.7	2.2	1.4	163.1	2.4	1.3	160.4	2.0	1.3	161.7	1.8	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.7	-	.5	101.2	-	.9	101.0	-	.4	101.9	-	1.3	100.9	-	.5
Services less medical care	181.3	6.4	.4	186.1	4.6	.5	184.0	6.2	.7	188.3	8.7	1.1	191.1	6.9	1.0
Energy ³	192.1	.7	2.6	194.5	.4	3.3	194.1	.6	3.2	196.0	1.9	4.0	181.9	-.9	3.8
All items less energy	162.6	4.6	.4	168.7	3.6	.6	168.1	4.6	.7	168.7	5.6	.6	170.9	4.8	.5
All items less food and energy	164.4	5.2	.5	171.5	3.9	.8	170.4	5.2	.9	172.4	6.6	.8	173.7	5.6	.6
Commodities less food and energy	147.9	3.0	.3	159.0	2.8	1.0	159.7	3.8	1.0	160.3	4.7	.7	158.4	4.0	.4
Energy commodities	202.1	-.4	4.6	200.5	-.8	5.0	199.9	-.6	5.2	198.9	-.7	5.2	190.3	-1.9	5.8
Services less energy	180.0	6.8	.6	184.8	4.9	.6	182.4	6.5	.8	186.8	8.5	.9	191.8	7.2	.9

¹ The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	163.5	4.5	0.7	170.5	4.2	1.1	182.5	7.5	1.1	174.2	5.6	2.1
Food and beverages	156.8	3.0	.4	155.5	3.0	.2	157.0	1.9	.1	159.6	1.3	.8
Food	157.1	3.0	.4	155.7	2.8	.1	157.1	1.9	.1	160.2	1.3	.9
Food at home	150.7	2.0	-.1	157.0	2.1	-.3	154.6	1.8	.0	156.0	.6	.8
Cereals and bakery products	161.8	3.9	.3	168.3	4.5	1.0	166.5	3.2	1.3	166.6	1.9	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.0	-2.0	-1.4	151.5	-2.6	-.8	153.8	-1.9	.2	155.6	-2.8	.6
Dairy products	143.3	1.8	-.8	139.6	1.7	-.7	141.2	2.0	-.4	140.3	2.0	-1.2
Fruits and vegetables	167.2	7.1	1.9	191.2	7.4	-.2	170.6	6.4	-3.1	172.1	-.2	3.4
Other foods at home	145.4	3.6	.5	148.3	3.7	-.2	148.4	3.2	1.1	150.2	4.5	.8
Food away from home	173.3	5.3	1.4	152.4	4.7	1.1	163.3	2.3	.0	172.7	3.2	1.2
Alcoholic beverages	152.1	2.7	.6	151.8	5.5	1.7	156.2	1.4	1.1	150.4	1.7	.7
Housing	164.7	5.8	.4	181.6	6.3	1.3	210.4	14.2	1.7	187.3	11.1	4.7
Shelter	166.2	9.3	.6	191.5	9.7	1.9	242.0	21.1	2.1	201.1	19.1	7.8
Renters' costs ²	102.0	-	1.3	104.5	-	2.0	103.8	-	1.7	109.2	-	8.7
Rent, residential	157.1	5.7	1.0	167.5	9.3	2.2	187.4	8.7	1.9	186.5	15.3	8.2
Other renters' costs	203.9	5.6	3.3	185.5	6.6	.3	183.9	5.8	-.1	218.8	10.7	11.0
Homeowners' costs ²	100.3	-	.1	105.7	-	2.0	105.0	-	2.5	107.8	-	7.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	100.4	-	.1	105.8	-	2.0	105.0	-	2.5	107.9	-	8.0
Fuel and other utilities	187.6	.7	.7	187.8	.2	.1	189.4	1.4	1.7	196.8	.4	1.1
Fuels ³	193.7	-.1	.8	196.8	-.8	.0	193.5	.8	1.9	204.5	-.7	1.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	219.4	-4.2	.1	215.0	-5.4	-.4	210.0	-3.8	1.2	216.7	-4.6	.7
Fuel oil ³	220.3	-4.5	.2	221.1	-6.0	-.3	211.4	-4.2	1.3	219.2	-4.9	.7
Other fuels ³	202.5	2.4	-.1	169.7	.5	-1.4	198.4	.1	.1	191.9	-1.6	-.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	182.0	2.4	1.3	185.4	2.8	.2	182.2	4.7	2.5	197.2	2.0	2.1
Electricity ³	168.1	2.3	.4	174.2	2.7	1.3	175.0	7.5	4.1	189.1	2.7	4.0
Utility (piped) gas ³	204.1	2.6	2.5	208.3	3.1	-1.5	193.6	1.0	.4	208.4	1.2	-.1
Household furnishings and operation	141.4	.8	-.6	148.7	3.8	1.3	140.9	3.1	.7	146.8	2.4	1.0
Apparel and upkeep	124.0	2.8	2.0	127.2	-.5	5.6	138.1	4.1	1.7	132.4	3.8	-.6
Apparel commodities	115.2	2.7	2.2	123.0	-1.4	6.6	133.7	3.7	1.9	127.9	3.9	-.7
Men's and boys' apparel	116.8	2.4	2.8	117.7	.2	4.8	140.4	2.0	1.9	133.0	6.5	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	99.9	4.3	2.8	116.2	-2.8	15.9	133.5	7.7	3.0	125.1	8.6	2.1
Footwear	135.2	2.8	1.1	154.1	1.2	-1.3	121.6	-3.0	1.4	134.4	-4.3	-8.4
Transportation	177.3	2.7	1.0	177.9	2.4	1.0	176.3	1.8	.8	177.4	2.0	1.2
Private transportation	175.0	2.5	1.0	177.4	2.4	1.0	173.4	1.6	.7	177.2	1.9	1.2
Motor fuel ³	190.4	-.9	3.3	187.8	-1.6	2.6	188.6	-2.3	2.4	192.2	-2.5	3.1
Gasoline ³	190.4	-.9	3.3	187.8	-1.6	2.6	188.0	-2.3	2.5	191.8	-2.5	3.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	186.5	-1.9	3.7	186.0	-2.0	3.0	184.7	-3.4	2.5	188.9	-3.3	3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	187.2	-.6	3.5	185.6	-1.6	2.5	186.5	-1.9	2.9	188.0	-2.5	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	93.1	-.1	2.6	92.2	-.9	2.4	97.7	-1.4	1.0	93.2	-1.2	2.2
Public transportation	193.4	3.7	1.0	197.1	4.0	.3	268.8	6.1	2.6	187.5	4.7	1.0
Medical care	184.5	8.0	1.3	188.1	4.9	.9	194.4	7.3	1.9	190.1	7.3	1.1
Entertainment	149.2	3.7	1.3	147.0	2.4	.4	150.2	4.2	1.1	156.6	3.7	-.2
Other goods and services	178.5	6.2	.7	177.8	6.2	.0	177.7	6.1	.6	190.3	5.4	.4
Personal care	156.2	6.0	1.7	151.5	4.8	.4	157.5	4.2	.9	165.4	2.2	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	163.5	4.5	0.7	170.5	4.2	1.1	182.5	7.5	1.1	174.2	5.6	2.1
Commodities	156.8	3.2	.6	162.7	2.3	1.0	167.0	4.3	.6	164.3	2.9	.8
Food and beverages	156.8	3.0	.4	155.5	3.0	.2	157.0	1.9	.1	159.6	1.3	.8
Commodities less food and beverages	156.7	3.2	.8	166.3	1.8	1.5	171.8	5.3	.9	166.7	3.7	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.7	1.1	1.2	166.4	.3	2.3	166.6	1.6	1.6	169.2	1.2	1.2
Durables	154.4	5.6	.1	166.1	3.2	.4	175.7	8.2	-.1	163.9	6.5	.1
Services	173.9	6.4	.8	184.5	7.3	1.2	211.3	12.5	1.7	192.0	10.0	4.0
Medical care services	185.4	8.4	1.3	190.1	4.6	.7	197.1	7.5	2.0	193.2	7.3	1.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	162.7	3.0	.7	164.6	2.6	.9	164.9	2.8	.8	167.7	2.4	.8
All items less medical care	162.6	4.3	.7	169.8	4.1	1.0	182.0	7.5	1.1	173.5	5.5	2.2
All items less energy	160.1	5.1	.6	167.7	5.0	1.0	181.2	8.6	.9	170.8	6.8	2.1
Energy ³	191.9	-.5	1.9	192.2	-1.1	1.1	190.6	-.7	2.2	197.5	-1.6	2.3
Commodities less food	156.6	3.2	.8	165.9	1.9	1.5	171.3	5.2	.9	166.2	3.6	.7
Nondurables less food	158.3	1.2	1.2	165.5	.5	2.2	166.0	1.6	1.6	168.1	1.2	1.1
Nondurables	157.6	2.1	.7	160.6	1.6	1.2	161.7	1.8	.9	164.2	1.2	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.5	-	1.0	100.6	-	.4	101.7	-	1.3	101.2	-	.8
Services less medical care	172.9	6.2	.8	184.0	7.5	1.2	212.8	13.1	1.8	191.9	10.2	4.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	171.1	2.8	0.9	168.4	3.5	1.2	165.7	3.2	1.2	171.4	2.9	0.5
Food and beverages	151.5	1.9	-.1	154.6	1.8	-.3	150.4	2.0	.1	159.1	1.3	.0
Food	152.1	1.9	.0	155.0	1.8	-.3	150.6	2.0	.1	158.6	1.3	.1
Food at home	149.0	.9	-.4	149.5	2.0	.1	149.4	1.7	-.1	149.4	-.1	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	167.2	3.7	.6	172.4	2.4	.8	168.2	4.9	1.1	169.4	4.6	-.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	142.3	-3.3	-1.7	144.7	-1.9	-1.6	142.1	-2.0	-1.3	142.5	-3.8	-1.2
Dairy products	142.5	3.1	-1.2	141.5	3.9	-.7	135.0	2.0	-1.3	139.2	-.1	-.3
Fruits and vegetables	164.3	4.9	1.1	162.6	4.5	2.3	171.0	5.8	.0	159.1	1.6	1.3
Other foods at home	145.5	1.7	.3	144.3	4.1	.8	148.4	2.4	1.1	149.4	.7	.3
Food away from home	158.7	4.1	.7	167.5	1.6	-1.0	153.5	2.7	.6	179.4	4.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages	143.0	1.4	-.3	148.2	.4	.5	147.2	3.8	1.7	168.3	3.0	.1
Housing	184.8	2.1	.5	171.4	4.2	1.2	169.1	3.5	1.3	177.0	3.0	-.2
Shelter	197.5	2.7	.8	174.3	6.2	1.6	170.5	3.4	1.0	181.2	1.8	-1.5
Renters' costs ²	102.4	-	1.3	102.0	-	1.9	101.6	-	.6	99.8	-	-1.4
Rent, residential	159.1	5.9	.6	156.8	6.1	1.9	137.4	4.2	.8	142.9	.5	-1.9
Other renters' costs	211.5	6.7	6.5	199.0	6.3	1.6	199.6	4.9	.1	206.7	7.5	1.4
Homeowners' costs ²	101.5	-	.7	101.3	-	1.6	101.0	-	1.0	99.3	-	-1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	101.4	-	.6	101.3	-	1.6	101.0	-	1.1	99.3	-	-1.8
Fuel and other utilities	188.5	1.1	-.2	193.6	.3	.5	197.0	5.6	1.8	189.1	5.3	1.5
Fuels ³	184.9	1.1	-1.1	185.5	-.1	.6	203.3	7.3	.2	179.1	3.1	2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	209.3	-4.2	-.6	205.6	-4.2	1.0	208.6	-3.9	-.1	189.4	-6.4	.6
Fuel oil ³	218.3	-4.5	-.6	217.6	-3.7	1.5	217.0	-4.8	.0	200.4	-5.8	2.0
Other fuels ³	174.1	-2.4	-1.0	157.7	-7.2	-1.9	187.7	-1.4	-.6	160.0	-8.4	-4.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	181.6	2.0	-1.1	181.6	.9	.5	202.0	10.6	.3	176.9	5.4	2.3
Electricity ³	149.2	1.8	.4	131.7	.8	.8	196.8	16.3	1.0	137.8	12.0	5.1
Utility (piped) gas ³	219.8	2.1	-2.4	251.7	.9	.2	209.7	3.5	-.6	227.6	.8	.3
Household furnishings and operation	140.8	1.5	.6	141.4	2.0	.9	141.0	1.7	1.1	149.2	3.4	.7
Apparel and upkeep	124.4	4.7	3.2	139.5	3.9	1.9	133.5	2.9	3.8	130.8	2.4	1.1
Apparel commodities	118.0	4.9	3.8	136.1	4.1	2.3	129.7	2.9	4.1	127.8	2.2	1.1
Men's and boys' apparel	119.8	4.4	4.4	138.0	4.4	2.3	114.6	1.7	3.7	119.2	-2.9	-2.8
Women's and girls' apparel	109.8	4.4	4.1	129.6	6.9	3.9	134.9	7.3	5.4	122.5	7.8	3.8
Footwear	125.6	9.1	3.6	135.7	3.9	.4	134.6	-1.5	7.7	152.5	4.5	.9
Transportation	175.0	3.2	2.0	179.0	2.6	2.7	181.3	3.0	1.9	180.3	3.4	2.3
Private transportation	172.8	3.2	2.2	178.5	2.6	2.7	180.5	3.0	2.0	178.4	3.2	2.4
Motor fuel ³	196.6	.1	7.5	196.3	-.3	9.0	196.0	-1.2	6.3	192.5	-1.0	10.8
Gasoline ³	196.3	.0	7.6	196.7	-.1	9.0	195.9	-1.2	6.5	192.3	-1.2	11.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	195.9	-.2	8.5	190.6	-1.3	9.4	195.0	-1.3	7.1	191.3	-1.8	12.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	193.7	.1	7.7	197.3	.1	9.2	197.0	-.7	6.5	194.2	-.6	11.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	99.6	1.4	5.4	97.6	2.3	7.4	94.7	-2.4	2.9	79.3	1.4	9.2
Public transportation	220.6	3.6	.0	204.8	2.8	2.9	227.3	5.3	-.8	260.8	9.3	-.4
Medical care	186.8	5.1	1.0	190.9	6.8	.6	184.2	4.4	1.0	184.9	4.3	.9
Entertainment	155.4	3.9	.3	139.9	1.2	.2	147.2	3.1	.1	148.0	1.8	-3.0
Other goods and services	176.1	6.0	.2	187.4	5.5	-.2	170.7	3.8	-.5	184.8	5.6	.7
Personal care	148.1	3.6	.1	168.2	4.9	-.3	142.6	.1	-1.2	158.4	2.7	.6

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	171.1	2.8	0.9	168.4	3.5	1.2	165.7	3.2	1.2	171.4	2.9	0.5
Commodities	158.1	1.5	1.2	160.7	2.5	1.4	156.8	1.6	1.1	159.9	1.7	1.0
Food and beverages	151.5	1.9	-.1	154.6	1.8	-.3	150.4	2.0	.1	159.1	1.3	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	161.4	1.4	2.1	163.5	2.9	2.3	159.7	1.4	1.7	160.4	2.0	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	161.8	2.2	3.3	174.1	2.4	3.8	167.3	1.4	3.0	162.4	1.8	3.8
Durables	160.8	.6	.6	155.7	2.9	.5	153.9	1.2	.1	158.7	1.8	-.4
Services	192.8	4.6	.5	182.5	5.2	.9	182.2	5.8	1.1	192.5	4.8	-.2
Medical care services	188.7	4.8	1.0	189.5	5.8	.4	185.4	4.2	.9	185.7	3.6	.9
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	162.0	2.9	.9	166.3	2.5	1.1	164.0	3.1	1.2	167.3	3.1	1.0
All items less medical care	170.4	2.7	.9	167.5	3.3	1.2	164.9	3.1	1.2	170.8	2.9	.5
All items less energy	168.0	3.1	.5	163.9	4.0	.6	161.3	3.3	.9	168.9	3.1	-.1
Energy ³	190.4	.5	3.2	190.9	-.2	4.8	199.2	2.8	3.3	184.9	1.1	6.0
Commodities less food	160.8	1.3	2.0	163.2	2.8	2.3	159.4	1.5	1.7	160.6	2.0	1.6
Nondurables less food	160.5	2.2	3.0	172.7	2.4	3.6	166.2	1.5	3.0	162.7	1.9	3.5
Nondurables	156.3	2.1	1.5	164.0	2.1	1.7	158.6	1.7	1.6	160.7	1.6	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.2	-	.2	101.1	-	.3	101.5	-	1.3	101.9	-	.8
Services less medical care	193.2	4.6	.4	181.8	5.1	.9	181.9	6.0	1.2	193.2	4.9	-.3

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	172.6	3.7	0.8	170.7	3.8	0.5	173.9	5.3	0.6	173.7	4.4	1.0
Food and beverages	161.0	2.2	.0	160.0	2.0	-.2	155.2	1.9	-.3	159.7	2.1	.0
Food	161.7	2.2	-.1	160.2	1.9	-.3	155.1	1.8	-.4	160.3	2.2	.0
Food at home	157.6	1.7	-.4	153.8	1.1	-.8	151.0	.7	-.6	155.1	.6	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	165.2	3.6	-.2	161.1	4.5	-.4	162.0	3.5	.2	161.2	3.9	-.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	149.6	-3.3	-.8	145.3	-3.3	-.2	140.9	-3.2	-1.8	153.5	-4.6	-.5
Dairy products	150.9	5.0	-.4	152.4	2.8	-.7	150.2	3.9	1.1	157.0	6.4	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	173.4	4.8	-1.8	177.9	2.5	-3.2	171.4	3.4	.2	173.1	1.1	.8
Other foods at home	158.9	3.5	.6	149.9	2.9	-.7	147.7	.5	-1.0	145.5	2.2	-.7
Food away from home	170.9	3.4	.8	174.5	3.6	.8	166.9	4.9	.2	173.9	6.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages	150.9	2.4	1.0	155.0	2.8	.3	156.3	3.1	.9	144.1	.6	-.3
Housing	177.8	3.7	.5	171.2	3.8	-.2	183.2	8.0	.1	181.7	6.3	.7
Shelter	184.3	4.1	-.1	179.8	4.2	-.7	195.6	9.6	-.4	203.7	9.5	1.1
Renters' costs ²	100.3	-	.0	100.5	-	-.6	100.9	-	.3	100.2	-	1.8
Rent, residential	165.0	3.6	-.2	155.0	2.6	-.2	162.1	2.3	.3	159.1	2.3	.6
Other renters' costs	211.9	6.8	2.3	215.1	1.5	-3.8	196.3	5.9	.2	204.0	-.7	13.2
Homeowners' costs ²	100.8	-	-.1	99.9	-	-.7	99.1	-	-.8	99.6	-	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	100.5	-	-.4	99.9	-	-.7	99.1	-	-.8	99.4	-	.9
Fuel and other utilities	188.4	2.4	.5	176.4	2.1	-.2	182.6	4.5	.6	163.3	.1	.1
Fuels ³	184.9	2.1	.7	184.8	.5	-.5	200.0	4.1	.9	160.1	-4.1	.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	226.9	-3.5	-.5	210.5	-4.3	-1.6	191.4	-2.6	-1.0	194.3	-3.1	-.9
Fuel oil ³	217.5	-4.3	-.3	220.3	-5.3	-1.2	168.0	-3.1	-.2	186.5	-4.7	-1.3
Other fuels ³	256.9	-1.2	-1.0	191.6	-2.1	-2.3	208.9	-2.4	-1.5	211.1	.3	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	178.8	3.2	.8	183.0	.9	-.4	200.9	4.8	1.1	153.5	-4.4	.3
Electricity ³	164.9	5.9	1.2	181.3	1.2	.4	182.4	5.4	2.5	150.7	-1.6	.0
Utility (piped) gas ³	214.3	-1.8	.1	188.1	.3	-2.5	249.1	3.6	-1.7	159.8	-9.6	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	147.9	3.2	2.1	139.4	3.2	1.1	143.3	3.5	.7	139.8	1.5	.5
Apparel and upkeep	140.7	6.0	2.9	132.2	3.2	1.5	131.5	2.3	.5	123.6	2.7	1.9
Apparel commodities	133.0	5.4	3.3	123.5	2.2	1.5	126.0	1.6	.2	118.7	2.2	1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	136.0	5.8	3.9	137.4	4.7	-.4	140.3	2.4	2.1	117.5	3.7	2.9
Women's and girls' apparel	130.0	7.9	4.4	112.5	3.8	5.8	113.3	1.6	-.8	116.0	7.1	5.6
Footwear	129.3	6.4	3.3	124.4	-1.0	-1.3	130.3	2.0	.2	121.8	-8.1	-4.2
Transportation	179.7	3.3	1.6	184.6	3.9	1.7	185.4	4.3	2.1	182.8	2.8	2.3
Private transportation	177.8	3.3	1.7	183.9	4.0	1.7	185.0	4.2	2.2	181.4	2.6	2.4
Motor fuel ³	196.8	-.3	4.7	195.5	.0	5.9	194.4	1.1	6.5	183.8	-1.1	7.7
Gasoline ³	196.6	-.3	4.7	194.8	-.2	6.0	194.3	1.0	6.6	183.5	-1.1	7.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	195.2	.1	5.9	196.3	.8	7.8	190.6	.6	7.9	177.9	-2.1	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	193.7	-.3	5.0	192.4	-1.2	5.5	197.6	1.6	6.5	184.5	-.1	8.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	95.5	-.6	3.1	95.1	1.4	4.2	95.2	.6	3.7	91.4	-1.4	4.9
Public transportation	222.3	5.5	.1	216.7	4.7	-.2	197.9	4.7	-1.1	234.8	9.8	.6
Medical care	191.2	6.5	1.3	190.0	5.9	.7	193.4	5.2	.6	196.9	3.7	.6
Entertainment	160.6	5.5	.9	156.5	2.4	-.3	154.4	2.0	1.4	153.2	2.8	.9
Other goods and services	175.9	4.8	.3	183.9	6.9	1.2	177.2	6.7	.1	175.0	3.9	-.1
Personal care	162.1	1.6	.6	167.4	4.4	1.5	158.8	5.7	-.1	149.6	.8	-.8

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	172.6	3.7	0.8	170.7	3.8	0.5	173.9	5.3	0.6	173.7	4.4	1.0
Commodities	164.8	2.6	1.2	163.9	2.9	1.0	164.9	4.1	.8	163.7	3.2	1.1
Food and beverages	161.0	2.2	.0	160.0	2.0	-.2	155.2	1.9	-.3	159.7	2.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	166.6	2.8	2.0	165.6	3.3	1.7	169.6	5.1	1.5	165.5	3.6	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	168.5	2.6	2.6	164.2	2.7	2.5	164.9	2.4	2.3	159.6	1.6	2.8
Durables	165.2	3.1	1.1	166.3	3.5	.8	173.6	7.5	.3	170.2	5.2	.5
Services	184.8	5.4	.4	182.1	5.2	-.2	189.9	7.3	.4	190.8	6.2	.7
Medical care services	191.7	6.4	1.3	189.9	5.8	.6	194.6	4.6	.5	198.7	3.1	.4
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	168.5	3.6	1.1	167.1	3.4	.8	166.8	3.6	.8	164.5	2.4	.9
All items less medical care	171.6	3.6	.8	169.6	3.6	.5	172.8	5.3	.6	172.1	4.4	1.0
All items less energy	169.3	4.1	.6	168.1	4.2	.2	170.5	5.7	.1	173.2	5.2	.5
Energy ³	190.7	.8	2.8	190.3	.3	3.1	196.1	2.5	3.8	171.8	-2.4	4.2
Commodities less food	166.2	2.8	2.0	165.4	3.3	1.7	169.3	5.1	1.4	165.2	3.6	1.8
Nondurables less food	167.4	2.6	2.4	163.7	2.7	2.4	164.5	2.5	2.2	159.1	1.6	2.8
Nondurables	164.7	2.4	1.3	162.0	2.3	1.1	159.8	2.1	.9	159.6	1.9	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.6	-	.9	100.9	-	.3	102.2	-	.9	100.3	-	.4
Services less medical care	183.9	5.2	.3	181.1	5.1	-.3	189.2	7.6	.4	189.4	6.7	.7

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	170.9	4.1	0.8	175.1	5.2	1.4	165.9	5.7	1.7	172.4	5.4	0.5
Food and beverages	160.9	2.2	.0	163.7	2.7	-.1	160.7	2.6	.3	165.7	3.6	.2
Food	162.4	2.3	.1	164.9	2.8	-.1	160.3	2.5	.3	166.4	3.4	.1
Food at home	155.3	1.8	-.4	161.9	2.8	-.6	155.8	2.5	-.1	161.0	3.1	.1
Cereals and bakery products	169.1	4.3	.2	172.9	4.4	.0	166.8	4.7	1.2	168.8	3.1	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	145.9	-3.2	-2.1	154.0	.3	-2.6	151.1	-1.4	-.8	154.7	-.6	-1.0
Dairy products	151.7	1.8	.2	152.7	2.6	.1	146.1	1.2	-.3	144.7	5.1	2.2
Fruits and vegetables	163.5	7.1	.4	182.2	6.5	-.8	172.7	9.4	.3	191.8	11.3	-1.0
Other foods at home	157.2	3.4	.3	161.1	2.9	1.1	152.1	2.6	-.1	157.4	1.8	.2
Food away from home	175.9	3.0	1.0	170.9	2.8	.8	169.7	2.4	.9	176.3	4.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages	141.6	.8	-1.5	148.3	2.6	.8	167.5	4.4	1.0	155.3	6.7	1.7
Housing	173.8	4.4	.1	180.9	6.9	1.8	160.2	7.1	1.5	176.6	8.9	.3
Shelter	177.3	4.8	.1	188.3	8.8	2.4	160.2	8.9	.1	182.3	13.5	1.2
Renters' costs ²	101.7	-	.3	103.8	-	2.4	101.0	-	-.2	101.9	-	1.5
Rent, residential	188.0	7.1	.2	183.7	7.7	2.4	166.0	6.0	-.3	151.5	5.9	1.5
Other renters' costs	197.3	3.7	3.6	201.1	6.5	1.2	214.9	5.5	.9	191.5	3.9	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	101.2	-	.0	103.7	-	2.3	103.1	-	.3	101.0	-	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	101.1	-	-.1	103.8	-	2.5	103.2	-	.3	100.9	-	1.1
Fuel and other utilities	198.8	3.2	-.5	196.7	4.6	.7	185.0	3.1	6.5	191.3	.1	-1.8
Fuels ³	227.0	3.9	-.9	226.3	6.2	.6	205.7	3.6	9.6	183.2	-.6	-3.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	214.7	-2.6	.5	196.7	-2.6	-.3	NA	NA	NA	189.1	-3.1	.3
Fuel oil ³	225.9	-3.6	.3	194.8	-4.2	-.5	NA	NA	NA	188.1	-3.9	.6
Other fuels ³	185.4	.8	1.0	202.5	2.4	.4	222.0	1.0	-.5	194.0	.8	-.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	227.8	4.3	-1.0	231.2	7.6	.7	203.2	4.1	11.6	181.8	.1	-4.0
Electricity ³	200.4	11.7	-1.8	205.4	14.9	1.4	150.0	5.2	3.0	179.7	1.6	-6.8
Utility (piped) gas ³	272.3	-3.4	.0	279.7	-1.1	-.3	293.9	3.2	20.5	185.4	-2.4	1.0
Household furnishings and operation	144.5	3.2	.6	142.3	.9	.7	142.3	2.6	1.6	144.4	.6	.6
Apparel and upkeep	124.7	2.3	-.1	132.1	4.9	3.0	132.0	4.4	2.4	144.1	1.8	.6
Apparel commodities	118.0	1.1	-.2	128.2	5.0	3.2	127.8	4.0	2.7	139.7	1.7	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	120.5	4.3	.4	133.3	7.6	4.9	129.8	2.8	-.9	129.3	3.9	1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	101.1	1.2	-1.1	110.8	2.5	4.4	123.3	4.7	4.8	146.4	2.2	2.0
Footwear	142.8	-4.7	.6	139.7	8.5	.6	138.5	1.5	6.3	141.4	-.4	1.3
Transportation	185.5	4.2	2.3	186.2	4.0	2.1	181.7	4.8	3.1	175.8	1.6	.9
Private transportation	185.0	3.9	2.3	184.1	4.0	2.1	180.1	4.5	3.0	172.2	2.3	1.0
Motor fuel ³	194.3	2.0	7.9	195.2	2.6	7.0	193.0	1.4	11.3	181.4	-.8	2.6
Gasoline ³	194.3	2.0	7.9	194.0	2.3	7.2	192.8	1.3	11.6	181.8	-.7	2.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	190.0	1.9	8.4	186.3	1.4	8.7	193.0	1.6	14.6	178.1	-1.1	2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	192.4	2.1	8.6	193.3	2.0	7.6	191.0	1.8	10.5	186.9	-.3	3.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁴	97.5	1.5	6.1	97.8	5.4	4.7	94.0	.2	6.3	96.2	-.4	.6
Public transportation	195.4	7.2	2.0	237.9	5.1	2.0	226.1	10.3	5.4	237.6	-5.9	-.9
Medical care	192.8	6.2	.9	186.7	5.5	1.8	197.6	6.6	1.0	194.5	4.6	.5
Entertainment	138.1	3.7	1.2	157.0	4.6	.6	169.5	6.7	2.4	150.7	.3	1.8
Other goods and services	184.9	7.4	.4	181.0	6.7	.7	176.7	6.4	.5	182.4	4.7	.9
Personal care	167.5	3.8	.8	165.8	5.9	1.0	157.8	5.1	-.2	154.2	1.6	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	170.9	4.1	0.8	175.1	5.2	1.4	165.9	5.7	1.7	172.4	5.4	0.5
Commodities	158.9	2.2	1.1	165.4	3.6	1.2	162.2	3.3	2.0	161.7	3.7	.6
Food and beverages	160.9	2.2	.0	163.7	2.7	-.1	160.7	2.6	.3	165.7	3.6	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	158.3	2.3	1.9	166.4	4.2	2.1	162.9	3.7	3.1	159.4	3.6	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	164.2	2.9	3.0	169.9	4.2	3.3	167.6	2.9	4.6	167.5	1.5	1.3
Durables	154.0	1.6	.2	163.9	4.0	.7	160.0	4.0	1.3	153.1	5.2	.3
Services	188.1	6.5	.3	189.2	7.2	1.6	171.5	9.2	1.2	189.2	7.7	.4
Medical care services	193.7	6.1	.8	186.2	4.8	1.6	201.9	6.8	.9	199.4	4.0	.4
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	167.5	3.7	.9	169.6	3.8	1.1	168.6	4.2	2.1	168.6	2.2	.4
All items less medical care	169.9	4.0	.8	174.5	5.2	1.4	164.3	5.6	1.7	171.4	5.4	.5
All items less energy	167.5	4.2	.3	172.0	5.3	1.1	162.7	6.0	.7	170.4	6.1	.6
Energy ³	204.1	2.6	4.7	206.8	4.2	4.1	197.6	2.3	10.6	182.0	-.7	-.3
Commodities less food	157.8	2.3	1.7	165.9	4.1	2.1	163.0	3.7	3.0	159.3	3.7	.9
Nondurables less food	162.5	2.8	2.7	168.3	4.1	3.1	167.6	2.9	4.4	166.7	1.9	1.3
Nondurables	162.4	2.5	1.4	166.6	3.4	1.5	163.9	2.8	2.3	166.6	2.7	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	101.8	-	.6	101.5	-	.9	102.4	-	2.3	100.0	-	-.1
Services less medical care	187.6	6.5	.3	189.5	7.4	1.6	168.2	9.6	1.3	188.1	8.1	.4

¹ The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.
- D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

CPI-W (Old series tables)

Table 7(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	314.0	316.0	3.9	0.6	-	-	-
All items(1957-59 = 100)	-	365.2	367.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	18.898	301.6	301.4	2.3	-.1	-	-	-
Food	17.853	309.3	309.2	2.3	.0	-	-	-
Food at home	12.109	296.9	296.1	1.5	-.3	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products	1.649	312.7	313.1	3.9	.1	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.877	265.6	262.9	-2.6	-1.0	-	-	-
Dairy products	1.578	257.8	257.2	2.7	-.2	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	1.728	326.8	328.1	5.4	.4	-	-	-
Other food at home	3.277	361.0	361.3	2.8	.1	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets	.454	394.2	395.5	2.1	.3	-	-	-
Fats and oils	.347	294.3	293.7	4.2	-.2	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.370	455.5	455.6	2.3	.0	-	-	-
Other prepared foods	1.107	293.7	294.2	3.1	.2	-	-	-
Food away from home	5.744	345.8	347.1	3.9	.4	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages	1.045	229.9	229.9	2.4	.0	-	-	-
Housing	42.213	334.9	337.9	4.7	.9	-	-	-
Shelter	28.472	357.6	361.9	6.0	1.2	-	-	-
Rent, residential	5.128	258.4	259.6	5.7	.5	-	-	-
Other rental costs	.567	385.3	391.0	5.5	1.5	-	-	-
Homeownership	22.777	392.6	397.8	6.1	1.3	-	-	-
Home purchase	8.447	305.0	309.9	6.2	1.6	-	-	-
Financing, taxes, and insurance	11.123	506.6	515.5	7.2	1.8	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs	3.207	365.2	362.6	2.4	-.7	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services	2.382	413.7	409.9	2.2	-.9	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities	.824	263.7	263.3	2.9	-.2	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities	7.108	389.2	389.7	2.0	.1	-	-	-
Fuels	5.195	481.6	482.3	1.5	.1	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.145	623.1	625.9	-4.1	.4	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.050	444.4	444.6	3.1	.0	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services	1.913	237.2	237.3	3.5	.0	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation	6.633	243.0	243.9	2.1	.4	-	-	-
Housefurnishings	3.707	198.0	199.0	.7	.5	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	1.480	308.9	309.8	3.8	.3	-	-	-
Housekeeping services	1.446	338.5	339.0	4.0	.1	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep	4.443	204.2	204.9	3.4	.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	3.776	190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	-	-	-
Men's and boys' apparel	1.221	195.7	197.8	3.5	1.1	-	-	-
Women's and girls' apparel	1.390	171.5	172.0	4.6	.3	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	.120	314.5	306.4	2.2	-2.6	-	-	-
Footwear	.599	213.4	213.3	1.9	.0	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities	.445	204.2	203.3	-1.1	-.4	-	-	-
Apparel services	.668	314.7	316.1	5.6	.4	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	21.434	318.7	322.0	3.2	1.0	-	-	-
Private transportation	20.225	314.6	318.0	3.1	1.1	-	-	-
New vehicles	3.569	213.2	213.2	3.3	.0	-	-	-
New cars	3.048	213.4	213.4	3.1	.0	-	-	-
Used cars	5.150	386.2	386.4	4.4	.1	-	-	-
Motor fuel	5.519	362.2	375.7	-1	3.7	-	-	-
Gasoline	.000	361.6	375.3	-1	3.8	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair	1.636	349.6	349.3	2.9	-1	-	-	-
Other private transportation	4.349	285.1	286.3	6.1	.4	-	-	-
Other private trans. commodities	.642	204.2	205.1	.1	.4	-	-	-
Other private trans. services	3.707	309.2	310.4	7.1	.4	-	-	-
Public transportation	1.210	386.7	387.4	4.5	.2	-	-	-
Medical care	4.947	394.6	396.1	5.9	.4	-	-	-
Medical care commodities	.833	251.5	253.5	6.9	.8	-	-	-
Medical care services	4.114	425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	-	-	-
Professional services	2.018	362.4	363.6	6.0	.3	-	-	-
Other medical care services	2.096	505.0	506.6	5.5	.3	-	-	-
Entertainment	3.485	257.3	258.6	3.5	.5	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities	2.159	252.2	253.2	2.2	.4	-	-	-
Entertainment services	1.325	267.4	269.2	5.7	.7	-	-	-
Other goods and services	4.579	317.6	318.3	6.0	.2	-	-	-
Tobacco products	1.574	323.4	323.6	5.9	.1	-	-	-
Personal care	1.682	276.3	277.5	4.0	.4	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	.826	276.5	277.5	3.5	.4	-	-	-
Personal care services	.855	276.5	278.0	4.5	.5	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses	1.324	390.1	390.7	8.6	.2	-	-	-
School books and supplies	.189	348.8	349.4	8.4	.2	-	-	-
Personal and educational services	1.135	400.3	401.0	8.7	.2	-	-	-
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	314.0	316.0	3.9	0.6	-	-	-
Commodities	58.739	285.3	287.2	2.9	.7	-	-	-
Food and beverages	18.898	301.6	301.4	2.3	-1	-	-	-
Commodities less food and beverages	39.840	273.6	276.3	3.2	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and beverages	17.528	279.4	283.2	2.1	1.4	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	3.776	190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	-	-	-
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	13.752	327.8	333.1	1.8	1.6	-	-	-
Durables	22.312	267.1	269.1	4.1	.7	-	-	-
Services	41.261	367.1	369.3	5.5	.6	-	-	-
Rent, residential	5.128	258.4	259.6	5.7	.5	-	-	-
Household services less rent	21.482	427.3	430.9	5.2	.8	-	-	-
Transportation services	6.553	328.8	329.6	5.6	.2	-	-	-
Medical care services	4.114	425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	-	-	-
Other services	3.984	304.9	306.2	6.2	.4	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1984	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Commodity and service group						
Special indexes:								
All items less food	82.147	313.9	316.4	4.3	0.8	-	-	-
All items less shelter	71.528	301.1	302.4	3.1	.4	-	-	-
All items less mortgage interest costs	90.859	301.4	302.9	3.6	.5	-	-	-
All items less home purchase and mortgage interest costs	82.412	301.1	302.3	3.3	.4	-	-	-
All items less medical care	95.053	309.9	312.0	3.8	.7	-	-	-
Commodities less food	40.886	271.4	274.1	3.2	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food	18.573	274.7	278.2	2.1	1.3	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.798	314.4	319.1	1.8	1.5	-	-	-
Nondurables	36.426	291.6	293.4	2.2	.6	-	-	-
Services less rent	36.133	387.8	390.2	5.5	.6	-	-	-
Services less medical care	37.147	358.6	360.9	5.5	.6	-	-	-
Energy	10.714	416.0	424.2	.6	2.0	-	-	-
All items less energy	89.286	305.9	307.4	4.3	.5	-	-	-
All items less food and energy	71.433	303.6	305.5	4.9	.6	-	-	-
Commodities less food and energy	34.221	256.7	258.2	3.9	.6	-	-	-
Energy commodities	6.664	399.0	411.6	-8	3.2	-	-	-
Services less energy	37.211	360.6	363.1	5.8	.7	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00	-	\$318	\$316	-4.0	-6	-	-	-
1957-59 = \$1.00	-	.274	.272	-	-	-	-	-

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 9(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food and beverages		301.6	301.4	2.3	-0.1	-	-	-
Food		309.3	309.2	2.3	.0	-	-	-
Food at home		296.9	296.1	1.5	-.3	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products		312.7	313.1	3.9	.1	-	-	-
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	168.7	168.8	3.5	.1	-	-	-
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	149.1	147.8	2.6	-.9	-	-	-
Cereal	12/77	195.2	196.2	5.4	.5	-	-	-
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	12/77	151.7	151.9	1.0	.1	-	-	-
Bakery products	12/77	164.4	164.7	4.1	.2	-	-	-
White bread		262.5	261.9	3.1	-.2	-	-	-
Other bread	12/77	161.0	162.7	3.8	1.1	-	-	-
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins	12/77	158.8	157.3	1.4	-.9	-	-	-
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	12/77	167.4	168.0	5.5	.4	-	-	-
Cookies	12/77	172.9	173.2	5.1	.2	-	-	-
Crackers and bread and cracker products	12/77	170.2	171.9	8.7	1.0	-	-	-
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts	12/77	166.9	167.9	2.9	.6	-	-	-
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers	12/77	166.8	167.2	5.1	.2	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		265.6	262.9	-2.6	-1.0	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, and fish		273.0	270.3	-.7	-1.0	-	-	-
Meats		268.9	265.7	-1.0	-1.2	-	-	-
Beef and veal		276.2	274.4	-2.6	-.7	-	-	-
Ground beef other than canned		257.7	257.4	-2.5	-.1	-	-	-
Chuck roast		288.9	283.6	-4.1	-1.8	-	-	-
Round roast		244.2	242.5	-4.8	-.7	-	-	-
Round steak		254.5	252.1	-3.6	-.9	-	-	-
Sirloin steak		276.3	274.5	-4.2	-.7	-	-	-
Other beef and veal	12/77	170.0	169.1	-1.1	-.5	-	-	-
Pork		255.8	248.2	.4	-3.0	-	-	-
Bacon		282.2	281.8	7.3	-.1	-	-	-
Chops		232.1	224.5	-2.9	-3.3	-	-	-
Ham other than canned	12/77	116.5	105.5	-.8	-9.4	-	-	-
Sausage		320.3	315.9	.2	-1.4	-	-	-
Canned ham		261.9	254.3	.9	-2.9	-	-	-
Other pork	12/77	136.6	135.2	-1.2	-1.0	-	-	-
Other meats		267.8	268.2	1.6	.1	-	-	-
Frankfurters		265.7	266.0	1.9	.1	-	-	-
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami	12/77	156.4	158.2	3.7	1.2	-	-	-
Other lunchmeats	12/77	134.9	134.4	.7	-.4	-	-	-
Lamb and organ meats	12/77	142.7	142.4	.2	-.2	-	-	-
Poultry		214.8	214.4	-2.7	-.2	-	-	-
Fresh whole chicken		213.2	212.7	-7.0	-.2	-	-	-
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	12/77	138.8	138.3	-6.7	-.4	-	-	-
Other poultry	12/77	140.7	140.8	10.6	.1	-	-	-
Fish and seafood		403.1	401.9	4.1	-.3	-	-	-
Canned fish and seafood	12/77	133.3	132.8	.5	-.4	-	-	-
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	166.0	165.6	6.1	-.2	-	-	-
Eggs		172.7	170.6	-32.0	-1.2	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Dairy products		257.8	257.2	2.7	-0.2	-	-	-
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.8	139.4	2.3	-.3	-	-	-
Fresh whole milk		228.5	227.9	2.4	-.3	-	-	-
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.5	140.1	2.6	-.2	-	-	-
Processed dairy products	12/77	154.7	154.4	3.1	-.2	-	-	-
Butter		266.6	262.0	2.8	-1.7	-	-	-
Cheese	12/77	150.9	150.3	2.3	-.4	-	-	-
Ice cream and related products	12/77	161.1	161.4	3.9	.2	-	-	-
Other dairy products	12/77	153.2	155.0	4.2	1.2	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables		326.8	328.1	5.4	.4	-	-	-
Fresh fruits and vegetables		344.2	346.1	7.8	.6	-	-	-
Fresh fruits		348.3	353.7	20.3	1.6	-	-	-
Apples		322.4	329.7	9.8	2.3	-	-	-
Bananas		281.0	300.1	9.9	6.8	-	-	-
Oranges		399.0	407.4	43.8	2.1	-	-	-
Other fresh fruits	12/77	185.4	184.8	19.1	-.3	-	-	-
Fresh vegetables		340.7	339.5	-1.7	-.4	-	-	-
Potatoes		331.0	335.8	-6.7	1.5	-	-	-
Lettuce		311.9	266.9	8.0	-14.4	-	-	-
Tomatoes		326.0	413.5	44.3	26.8	-	-	-
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	198.4	190.5	-12.3	-4.0	-	-	-
Processed fruits and vegetables		310.0	310.8	2.6	.3	-	-	-
Processed fruits	12/77	166.9	167.9	4.2	.6	-	-	-
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	171.4	172.6	6.3	.7	-	-	-
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	168.7	170.1	4.9	.8	-	-	-
Canned and dried fruits	12/77	161.3	161.7	1.7	.2	-	-	-
Processed vegetables	12/77	146.0	145.9	1.1	-.1	-	-	-
Frozen vegetables	12/77	160.9	162.0	2.7	.7	-	-	-
Cut corn and canned beans except lima	12/77	147.5	147.1	.9	-.3	-	-	-
Other canned and dried vegetables	12/77	138.1	137.6	.3	-.4	-	-	-
Other foods at home		361.0	361.3	2.8	.1	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets		394.2	395.5	2.1	.3	-	-	-
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	163.2	164.1	3.6	.6	-	-	-
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	12/77	172.0	170.6	-1.4	-.8	-	-	-
Other sweets	12/77	158.1	160.3	3.6	1.4	-	-	-
Fats and oils		294.3	293.7	4.2	-.2	-	-	-
Margarine		294.5	294.4	5.7	.0	-	-	-
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter	12/77	157.7	158.1	3.9	.3	-	-	-
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings	12/77	153.0	152.3	3.5	-.5	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages		455.5	455.6	2.3	.0	-	-	-
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		323.6	322.7	1.5	-.3	-	-	-
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	147.4	148.3	-.5	.6	-	-	-
Roasted coffee		375.2	372.8	2.7	-.6	-	-	-
Freeze dried and instant coffee		375.6	378.0	4.5	.6	-	-	-
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	154.0	154.1	6.3	.1	-	-	-
Other prepared foods		293.7	294.2	3.1	.2	-	-	-
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	151.7	152.6	4.2	.6	-	-	-
Frozen prepared foods	12/77	164.4	164.8	4.0	.2	-	-	-
Snacks	12/77	171.9	171.8	4.0	-.1	-	-	-
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	167.1	166.8	2.7	-.2	-	-	-
Other condiments	12/77	163.4	164.3	3.1	.6	-	-	-
Miscellaneous prepared foods	12/77	159.7	159.8	2.4	.1	-	-	-
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	154.9	155.1	1.4	.1	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average
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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food away from home		345.8	347.1	3.9	0.4	-	-	-
Lunch	12/77	167.0	167.4	3.8	.2	-	-	-
Dinner	12/77	167.2	168.0	4.2	.5	-	-	-
Other meals and snacks	12/77	169.3	170.1	3.6	.5	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages		229.9	229.9	2.4	.0	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	147.1	146.9	1.7	-.1	-	-	-
Beer and ale		234.7	234.2	2.3	-.2	-	-	-
Whiskey		154.9	154.6	.6	-.2	-	-	-
Wine		241.8	242.6	.4	.3	-	-	-
Other alcoholic beverages	12/77	124.2	124.4	1.4	.2	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	161.8	162.7	5.1	.6	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		282.5	281.6	1.3	-.3	-	-	-
Selected beef cuts		276.6	274.8	-2.7	-.7	-	-	-
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	144.2	144.4	2.8	.1	-	-	-

Table 11(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housing		334.9	337.9	4.7	0.9	-	-	-
Shelter		357.6	361.9	6.0	1.2	-	-	-
Rent, residential		258.4	259.6	5.7	.5	-	-	-
Other rental costs		385.3	391.0	5.5	1.5	-	-	-
Lodging while out of town		404.3	412.8	4.8	2.1	-	-	-
Lodging while at school	12/82	114.6	114.6	7.7	.0	-	-	-
Tenants' insurance	12/77	166.2	167.5	4.8	.8	-	-	-
Homeownership		392.6	397.8	6.1	1.3	-	-	-
Home purchase		305.0	309.9	6.2	1.6	-	-	-
Financing, taxes, and insurance		506.6	515.5	7.2	1.8	-	-	-
Property insurance		453.4	455.3	3.4	.4	-	-	-
Property taxes		257.1	257.6	5.2	.2	-	-	-
Contracted mortgage interest cost		634.9	648.3	7.8	2.1	-	-	-
Mortgage interest rates		206.3	207.1	1.6	.4	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs		365.2	362.6	2.4	-.7	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services		413.7	409.9	2.2	-.9	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities		263.7	263.3	2.9	-.2	-	-	-
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment	12/77	153.9	153.8	4.4	-.1	-	-	-
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry	12/77	125.1	124.5	.0	-.5	-	-	-
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies	12/77	144.1	144.2	2.9	.1	-	-	-
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.9	145.9	3.0	.0	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities		389.2	389.7	2.0	.1	-	-	-
Fuels		481.6	482.3	1.5	.1	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		623.1	625.9	-4.1	.4	-	-	-
Fuel oil		628.7	632.5	-4.6	.6	-	-	-
Other fuels	6/78	194.7	193.7	-1.3	-.5	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity		444.4	444.6	3.1	.0	-	-	-
Electricity		353.2	354.6	4.9	.4	-	-	-
Utility (piped) gas		577.2	575.0	.9	-.4	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services		237.2	237.3	3.5	.0	-	-	-
Telephone services		191.9	191.7	2.5	-.1	-	-	-
Local charges	12/77	168.2	168.0	6.1	-.1	-	-	-
Interstate toll calls	12/77	116.6	116.6	-5.0	.0	-	-	-
Intrastate toll calls	12/77	124.2	124.2	.5	.0	-	-	-
Water and sewerage maintenance		395.1	396.8	5.6	.4	-	-	-
Cable television	12/83	108.9	109.3	6.2	.4	-	-	-
Refuse collection	12/83	108.3	108.6	6.8	.3	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation		243.0	243.9	2.1	.4	-	-	-
Housefurnishings		198.0	199.0	.7	.5	-	-	-
Textile housefurnishings		245.2	243.0	1.8	-.9	-	-	-
Household linens	12/77	143.5	141.7	1.3	-1.3	-	-	-
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials	12/77	163.8	163.0	2.4	-.5	-	-	-
Furniture and bedding		223.1	228.0	4.2	2.2	-	-	-
Bedroom furniture	12/77	152.7	161.2	7.8	5.6	-	-	-
Sofas	12/77	121.0	123.7	2.0	2.2	-	-	-
Living room chairs and tables	12/77	128.1	128.1	1.4	.0	-	-	-
Other furniture	12/77	145.2	145.0	3.4	-.1	-	-	-
Appliances including TV and sound equipment		147.4	147.4	-2.6	.0	-	-	-
Television and sound equipment	12/77	98.5	97.9	-4.4	-.6	-	-	-
Television		91.0	89.5	-6.1	-1.6	-	-	-
Sound equipment	12/77	105.7	106.0	-3.0	.3	-	-	-
Household appliances		188.4	189.1	-1.5	.4	-	-	-
Refrigerator and home freezer		200.9	201.8	-.2	.4	-	-	-
Laundry equipment	12/77	149.3	149.4	1.2	.1	-	-	-
Other household appliances	12/77	119.5	120.1	-3.8	.5	-	-	-
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines	12/77	121.1	121.1	-3.4	.0	-	-	-
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners	12/77	117.6	119.1	-4.1	1.3	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average
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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment	12/77	142.1	141.9	0.9	-0.1	-	-	-
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	12/77	141.4	140.7	1.2	-.5	-	-	-
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	12/77	131.6	132.2	-.5	.5	-	-	-
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	12/77	144.8	144.1	-.7	-.5	-	-	-
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	12/77	144.9	145.1	3.3	.1	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies		308.9	309.8	3.8	.3	-	-	-
Soaps and detergents		303.9	304.8	4.1	.3	-	-	-
Other laundry and cleaning products	12/77	157.6	156.5	2.6	-.7	-	-	-
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins	12/77	159.7	161.0	6.2	.8	-	-	-
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap	12/77	149.8	151.1	4.1	.9	-	-	-
Miscellaneous household products	12/77	158.6	158.2	2.9	-.3	-	-	-
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	142.4	144.3	2.7	1.3	-	-	-
Housekeeping services		338.5	339.0	4.0	.1	-	-	-
Postage		372.7	372.7	10.4	.0	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services	12/77	182.0	182.6	6.1	.3	-	-	-
Appliance and furniture repair	12/77	154.0	154.4	4.7	.3	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep		204.2	204.9	3.4	.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities		190.9	191.5	3.0	.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.0	187.7	3.2	.4	-	-	-
Men's and boys'		195.7	197.8	3.5	1.1	-	-	-
Men's	12/77	123.8	125.4	3.6	1.3	-	-	-
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	106.5	108.6	3.0	2.0	-	-	-
Coats and jackets	12/77	103.0	103.3	.9	.3	-	-	-
Furnishings and special clothing	12/77	146.0	146.9	3.4	.6	-	-	-
Shirts	12/77	133.7	135.5	4.2	1.3	-	-	-
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	123.8	125.7	4.8	1.5	-	-	-
Boys'	12/77	124.5	125.2	2.8	.6	-	-	-
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	122.0	123.6	1.3	1.3	-	-	-
Furnishings	12/77	133.8	134.4	1.3	.4	-	-	-
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	123.2	123.1	4.7	-.1	-	-	-
Women's and girls'		171.5	172.0	4.6	.3	-	-	-
Women's	12/77	114.9	115.2	4.8	.3	-	-	-
Coats and jackets		169.8	172.7	1.5	1.7	-	-	-
Dresses		168.7	166.9	3.9	-1.1	-	-	-
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.7	103.6	10.8	.9	-	-	-
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	139.8	140.5	2.9	.5	-	-	-
Suits	12/77	109.8	108.9	4.5	-.8	-	-	-
Girls'	12/77	110.6	111.0	3.2	.4	-	-	-
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	104.9	102.4	4.4	-2.4	-	-	-
Separates and sportswear	12/77	104.9	107.5	2.2	2.5	-	-	-
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	129.7	131.1	3.3	1.1	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers'		314.5	306.4	2.2	-2.6	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities		204.2	203.3	-1.1	-.4	-	-	-
Sewing materials and notions	12/77	120.5	119.8	-.8	-.6	-	-	-
Jewelry and luggage	12/77	137.4	136.8	-1.2	-.4	-	-	-
Footwear		213.4	213.3	1.9	.0	-	-	-
Men's	12/77	140.9	141.1	2.3	.1	-	-	-
Boys' and girls'	12/77	139.5	136.9	2.2	-1.9	-	-	-
Women's	12/77	123.1	124.6	1.0	1.2	-	-	-
Apparel services		314.7	316.1	5.6	.4	-	-	-
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	188.2	188.8	5.2	.3	-	-	-
Other apparel services	12/77	165.5	166.5	6.1	.6	-	-	-

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Table 11(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average
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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Transportation		318.7	322.0	3.2	1.0	-	-	-
Private		314.6	318.0	3.1	1.1	-	-	-
New vehicles		213.2	213.2	3.3	.0	-	-	-
New cars		213.4	213.4	3.1	.0	-	-	-
New trucks and motorcycles	12/83	105.4	105.5	4.4	.1	-	-	-
Used cars		386.2	386.4	4.4	.1	-	-	-
Motor fuel		362.2	375.7	-1	3.7	-	-	-
Gasoline		361.6	375.3	-1	3.8	-	-	-
Automobile maintenance and repair		349.6	349.3	2.9	-1	-	-	-
Body work	12/77	177.1	176.7	3.9	-2	-	-	-
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	12/77	175.1	175.4	3.7	.2	-	-	-
Maintenance and servicing	12/77	156.5	156.0	1.7	-3	-	-	-
Power plant repair	12/77	166.8	166.9	3.1	.1	-	-	-
Other private transportation		285.1	286.3	6.1	.4	-	-	-
Other private transportation commodities		204.2	205.1	.1	.4	-	-	-
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	12/77	155.4	154.7	1.8	-5	-	-	-
Automobile parts and equipment	12/77	128.5	129.2	-2	.5	-	-	-
Tires		175.0	176.5	.0	.9	-	-	-
Other parts and equipment	12/77	132.8	132.8	-6	.0	-	-	-
Other private transportation services		309.2	310.4	7.1	.4	-	-	-
Automobile insurance		347.2	350.5	9.2	1.0	-	-	-
Automobile finance charges	12/77	166.2	165.2	3.0	-6	-	-	-
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees	12/77	161.0	161.3	7.2	.2	-	-	-
State registration		214.1	214.1	8.0	.0	-	-	-
Drivers' license	12/77	164.9	164.9	4.2	.0	-	-	-
Automobile inspection	12/77	142.5	144.4	2.9	1.3	-	-	-
Other automobile related fees	12/77	180.5	181.4	5.8	.5	-	-	-
Public transportation		386.7	387.4	4.5	.2	-	-	-
Airline fare		459.9	462.1	8.6	.5	-	-	-
Intercity bus fare		452.2	451.7	5.6	-1	-	-	-
Intracity mass transit		347.5	347.4	1.5	.0	-	-	-
Taxi fare		326.7	326.8	2.8	.0	-	-	-
Intercity train fare		390.7	390.7	4.5	.0	-	-	-
Medical care		394.6	396.1	5.9	.4	-	-	-
Medical care commodities		251.5	253.5	6.9	.8	-	-	-
Prescription drugs		252.4	255.1	9.9	1.1	-	-	-
Anti-infective drugs	12/77	176.7	178.4	6.6	1.0	-	-	-
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	227.8	233.8	17.9	2.6	-	-	-
Circulatories and diuretics	12/77	180.1	181.8	9.8	.9	-	-	-
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies	12/77	233.3	233.9	8.9	.3	-	-	-
Pain and symptom control drugs	12/77	203.0	204.6	7.7	.8	-	-	-
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	186.4	187.9	8.1	.8	-	-	-
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	12/77	169.5	170.4	4.5	.5	-	-	-
Eyeglasses	12/77	143.4	143.4	4.1	.0	-	-	-
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs		277.6	279.6	5.1	.7	-	-	-
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	12/77	162.6	163.1	3.2	.3	-	-	-
Medical care services		425.7	427.1	5.7	.3	-	-	-
Professional services		362.4	363.6	6.0	.3	-	-	-
Physicians' services		397.0	398.5	5.6	.4	-	-	-
Dental services		340.7	342.0	6.7	.4	-	-	-
Other professional services	12/77	164.7	164.8	5.8	.1	-	-	-
Other medical care services		505.0	506.6	5.5	.3	-	-	-
Hospital and other medical services	12/77	218.8	219.2	6.6	.2	-	-	-
Hospital room		692.2	692.9	6.1	.1	-	-	-
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	216.3	216.8	7.1	.2	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average
—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1985 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Mar. 1985	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Entertainment		257.3	258.6	3.5	0.5	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities		252.2	253.2	2.2	.4	-	-	-
Reading materials	12/77	172.4	172.9	5.4	.3	-	-	-
Newspapers		324.5	326.1	4.2	.5	-	-	-
Magazines, periodicals, and books	12/77	182.7	182.7	7.0	.0	-	-	-
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.4	133.8	.9	.3	-	-	-
Sport vehicles	12/77	136.0	136.5	1.8	.4	-	-	-
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment	12/77	116.3	116.1	.4	-.2	-	-	-
Bicycles		201.6	202.9	.3	.6	-	-	-
Other sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.3	131.9	-2.5	-.3	-	-	-
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	141.0	141.6	1.1	.4	-	-	-
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	133.8	135.0	-.6	.9	-	-	-
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	137.2	136.9	2.0	-.2	-	-	-
Pet supplies and expense	12/77	156.0	156.3	3.5	.2	-	-	-
Entertainment services		267.4	269.2	5.7	.7	-	-	-
Fees for participant sports	12/77	167.4	168.5	5.2	.7	-	-	-
Admissions	12/77	158.4	159.7	7.7	.8	-	-	-
Other entertainment services	12/77	140.3	140.8	3.8	.4	-	-	-
Other goods and services		317.6	318.3	6.0	.2	-	-	-
Tobacco products		323.4	323.6	5.9	.1	-	-	-
Cigarettes		331.7	331.7	5.9	.0	-	-	-
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	164.8	165.6	5.1	.5	-	-	-
Personal care		276.3	277.5	4.0	.4	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances		276.5	277.5	3.5	.4	-	-	-
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs	12/77	156.3	156.6	1.6	.2	-	-	-
Dental and shaving products	12/77	172.3	173.8	6.4	.9	-	-	-
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations								
manicure and eye makeup implements	12/77	156.8	156.8	2.7	.0	-	-	-
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances	12/77	161.1	162.0	4.4	.6	-	-	-
Personal care services		276.5	278.0	4.5	.5	-	-	-
Beauty parlor services for females		277.8	279.2	4.4	.5	-	-	-
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	12/77	155.1	156.0	4.6	.6	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses		390.1	390.7	8.6	.2	-	-	-
School books and supplies		348.8	349.4	8.4	.2	-	-	-
Personal and educational services		400.3	401.0	8.7	.2	-	-	-
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	202.5	202.6	9.3	.0	-	-	-
College tuition	12/77	202.5	202.5	9.2	.0	-	-	-
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	202.9	202.9	9.7	.0	-	-	-
Personal expenses	12/77	214.8	216.2	6.6	.7	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		358.1	371.2	-.1	3.7	-	-	-
Insurance and finance		433.7	439.8	7.2	1.4	-	-	-
Utilities and public transportation		358.9	359.1	3.5	.1	-	-	-
Housekeeping and home maintenance services		389.4	387.4	2.9	-.5	-	-	-

NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 18(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, all items index

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Area ²												
U.S. city average			311.8	312.7	314.0	316.0	3.9	1.1	0.6	3.5	0.7	0.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	M		301.3	302.5	304.7	310.5	4.8	2.6	1.9	2.8	1.1	.7
Detroit, Mich	M		298.5	297.9	296.8	297.1	-.5	-.3	.1	-2.0	-.6	-.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	M		305.1	306.2	305.6	309.4	3.5	1.0	1.2	2.6	.2	-.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J	M		303.3	304.5	304.4	305.2	4.8	.2	.3	5.0	.4	.0
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J	M		310.1	310.8	309.8	310.1	3.7	-.2	.1	3.7	-.1	-.3
Anchorage, Alaska	1	10/67	271.8	-	273.4	-	-	-	-	2.8	.6	-
Baltimore, Md	1		313.3	-	318.5	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.7	-
Boston, Mass	1		305.5	-	311.1	-	-	-	-	4.3	1.8	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	1		317.7	-	328.7	-	-	-	-	4.7	3.5	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo	1		350.3	-	353.5	-	-	-	-	3.4	.9	-
Miami, Fla	1	11/77	169.2	-	172.0	-	-	-	-	3.4	1.7	-
Milwaukee, Wis	1		342.9	-	349.7	-	-	-	-	4.3	2.0	-
Northeast Pennsylvania	1		300.1	-	303.5	-	-	-	-	3.2	1.1	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	1		297.7	-	298.7	-	-	-	-	2.2	.3	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	1		310.9	-	312.5	-	-	-	-	5.1	.5	-
San Diego, Calif	1		330.0	-	334.8	-	-	-	-	2.6	1.5	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash	1		308.4	-	307.4	-	-	-	-	2.5	-.3	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	1		317.7	-	321.3	-	-	-	-	4.3	1.1	-
Atlanta, Ga	2		-	321.0	-	325.4	5.2	1.4	-	-	-	-
Buffalo, N.Y	2		-	288.5	-	294.7	2.8	2.1	-	-	-	-
Cleveland, Ohio	2		-	319.5	-	323.7	.9	1.3	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	2		-	329.8	-	335.3	5.9	1.7	-	-	-	-
Honolulu, Hawaii	2		-	298.8	-	298.4	3.3	-.1	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex	2		-	334.4	-	337.5	3.9	.9	-	-	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	2		-	305.2	-	317.5	5.9	4.0	-	-	-	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis	2		-	334.0	-	342.3	6.6	2.5	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa	2		-	303.7	-	305.8	1.4	.7	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	2		-	322.5	-	323.4	4.0	.3	-	-	-	-
Region ³												
Northeast	2	12/77	-	165.5	-	166.6	4.1	.7	-	-	-	-
North Central	2	12/77	-	167.6	-	171.1	3.8	2.1	-	-	-	-
South	2	12/77	-	171.0	-	171.9	3.9	.5	-	-	-	-
West	2	12/77	-	168.8	-	170.0	3.8	.7	-	-	-	-
Population size class ³												
A-1	2	12/77	-	164.1	-	165.3	3.8	.7	-	-	-	-
A-2	2	12/77	-	170.8	-	173.0	3.9	1.3	-	-	-	-
B	2	12/77	-	168.9	-	171.5	4.3	1.5	-	-	-	-
C	2	12/77	-	168.6	-	170.2	4.1	.9	-	-	-	-
D	2	12/77	-	170.4	-	171.6	3.5	.7	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, all items index—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1985 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1985 from—		
			Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Mar. 1985	Mar. 1984	Jan. 1985	Feb. 1985
Region/population size class cross classification³												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	162.4	-	163.1	4.2	0.4	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	169.3	-	172.3	3.5	1.8	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	171.4	-	173.4	4.2	1.2	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	168.5	-	169.7	3.3	.7	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	166.2	-	169.1	3.4	1.7	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	165.4	-	170.6	4.9	3.1	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	170.6	-	172.3	4.7	1.0	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	172.1	-	173.3	4.1	.7	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	177.3	-	177.7	4.7	.2	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	163.0	-	166.9	3.9	2.4	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	171.0	-	171.2	3.7	.1	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	162.7	-	164.2	4.6	.9	-	-	-	-
Northeast/D	2	12/77	-	170.2	-	172.5	4.6	1.4	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	169.8	-	173.1	4.0	1.9	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	170.8	-	169.7	2.0	-.6	-	-	-	-
West/D	2	12/77	-	170.9	-	171.5	4.8	.4	-	-	-	-

¹ Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

A-1 - More than 4,000,000.

A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.

B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

NOTE: Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI program. Because each local index is a small subset of the national index, it has a smaller sample size and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than the national index. As a result, local area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are quite similar. Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in escalator clauses.

Table 19(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1985							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		296.1	313.1	262.9	257.2	328.1	361.3
Anchorage, Alaska	10/67	265.3	271.6	231.6	242.8	271.8	331.6
Atlanta, Ga		301.9	306.1	238.4	283.1	348.2	391.1
Baltimore, Md		296.9	323.6	259.0	250.0	353.2	358.0
Boston, Mass		278.9	306.7	266.8	232.9	301.3	318.5
Buffalo, N.Y.		303.7	289.3	275.9	256.7	358.3	365.8
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind		276.5	310.6	246.1	241.0	306.4	334.2
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind		320.3	383.5	262.3	261.9	358.9	411.7
Cleveland, Ohio		305.1	315.1	288.3	256.1	321.8	366.8
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		304.1	301.1	255.9	279.5	332.8	379.5
Denver-Boulder, Colo		295.4	281.4	250.8	275.7	336.0	374.9
Detroit, Mich		287.8	327.0	261.5	249.1	300.2	350.8
Honolulu, Hawaii		342.4	306.5	321.3	296.3	402.8	402.0
Houston, Tex		308.0	311.4	270.7	285.3	321.3	376.3
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans		290.3	298.3	254.3	268.0	346.2	335.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif		296.0	311.3	267.1	255.0	293.6	373.1
Miami, Fla	11/77	160.0	167.9	158.8	152.6	177.8	152.5
Milwaukee, Wis		293.8	339.9	272.7	263.6	307.1	328.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis		296.7	342.2	252.4	277.2	308.2	349.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		301.2	317.3	261.3	265.0	343.3	376.8
Northeast Pennsylvania		296.0	290.2	272.3	238.2	363.6	348.9
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		299.3	317.8	269.0	249.9	327.3	377.0
Pittsburgh, Pa		284.0	303.0	253.3	228.7	329.3	343.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash		293.6	317.0	265.0	232.1	320.3	381.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill		295.2	353.3	238.3	274.3	364.9	349.0
San Diego, Calif		298.2	331.4	262.3	259.7	317.6	359.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif		301.8	331.3	270.3	249.5	327.8	373.6
Seattle-Everett, Wash		282.0	297.4	245.0	241.3	266.2	378.0
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va		317.4	320.9	277.4	243.5	372.7	409.7
Region ³							
Northeast	12/77	152.5	163.7	148.3	142.2	171.6	146.6
North Central	12/77	149.2	168.5	142.7	140.3	164.6	146.4
South	12/77	154.3	162.5	146.7	152.2	174.0	151.1
West	12/77	157.6	169.7	149.5	150.5	171.8	157.5
Population size class ³							
A-1	12/77	150.4	163.0	144.7	145.6	162.2	147.6
A-2	12/77	154.0	167.8	146.6	145.4	173.5	151.6
B	12/77	155.4	167.6	148.6	146.8	179.5	150.7
C	12/77	152.0	165.5	145.4	142.9	171.3	148.7
D	12/77	154.1	165.9	150.4	146.0	170.9	149.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, April 1965							
Region/population size class cross classification ³							
Northeast/A	12/77	150.7	161.8	146.0	143.3	167.2	145.4
North Central/A	12/77	149.0	167.2	142.3	142.5	164.3	145.5
South/A	12/77	157.6	165.2	149.6	150.9	173.4	158.9
West/A	12/77	155.3	169.1	145.9	151.7	163.5	157.2
Northeast/B	12/77	157.0	168.3	151.5	139.6	191.2	148.3
North Central/B	12/77	149.5	172.4	144.7	141.5	162.6	144.3
South/B	12/77	153.8	161.1	145.3	152.4	177.9	149.9
West/B	12/77	161.9	172.9	154.0	152.7	182.2	161.1
Northeast/C	12/77	154.6	166.5	153.8	141.2	170.6	148.4
North Central/C	12/77	149.4	168.2	142.1	135.0	171.0	148.4
South/C	12/77	151.0	162.0	140.9	150.2	171.4	147.7
West/C	12/77	155.8	166.8	151.1	146.1	172.7	152.1
Northeast/D	12/77	156.0	166.6	155.6	140.3	172.1	150.2
North Central/D	12/77	149.4	169.4	142.5	139.2	159.1	149.4
South/D	12/77	155.1	161.2	153.5	157.0	173.1	145.5
West/D	12/77	161.0	168.8	154.7	144.7	191.8	157.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985					
Area ²						
U.S. city average	-0.3	0.1	-1.0	-0.2	0.4	0.1
Anchorage, Alaska	.2	-.5	.3	-.1	.6	.5
Atlanta, Ga	-.3	2.6	-1.5	.0	-.5	-.4
Baltimore, Md	-.1	1.1	-2.5	.1	1.5	1.3
Boston, Mass	.0	1.1	1.7	.1	-2.8	-1.1
Buffalo, N.Y.	1.4	.6	1.0	-.2	5.8	.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind	-.9	-.1	-2.7	-1.6	1.3	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind	-.7	1.1	-3.5	-.5	.5	.5
Cleveland, Ohio	-.6	-1.0	-1.1	.0	-.5	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	.5	.0	-1.1	-.4	1.8	2.0
Denver-Boulder, Colo	-.9	-.4	-3.0	.3	-1.5	.4
Detroit, Mich	-.2	.3	-.5	-.8	.3	-.3
Honolulu, Hawaii	.6	1.4	-2.6	.2	8.6	.1
Houston, Tex	.9	-.2	-1.1	-.4	.9	4.1
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans	.8	.1	-.9	-.3	7.1	.1
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif	-.1	1.2	-1.9	.4	.8	.5
Miami, Fla	-.6	-.8	-.4	-.3	-4.7	1.9
Milwaukee, Wis	-.5	.1	-1.9	-.6	.6	.3
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis	-.3	.6	-.9	.1	-.9	-.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-.8	.1	-2.2	-.5	.1	.1
Northeast Pennsylvania	.0	.6	.1	-1.8	.8	-.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	-.3	-2.6	-1.5	.7	2.1	.4
Pittsburgh, Pa	-.9	.5	-2.2	-1.4	-1.1	.1
Portland, Oreg.-Wash	.9	.2	1.6	.1	3.0	-.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	-.7	1.2	-1.9	-.8	2.3	-2.0
San Diego, Calif	.5	.5	-.6	.4	3.8	-.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	.0	-.3	-1.0	.3	1.1	.4
Seattle-Everett, Wash	.0	.0	-1.0	-.4	1.4	.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va	-.1	1.0	-.5	-.8	-1.6	1.1
Region ³						
Northeast	-.5	-.1	-1.3	-.4	.0	.0
North Central	-.1	.5	-.9	-.7	1.1	.3
South	-.3	-.1	-.5	.0	.1	-.5
West	.0	.3	-1.2	.2	.8	.6
Population size class ³						
A-1	-.6	-.1	-2.0	-.4	.6	.1
A-2	-.1	.5	-1.0	-.3	.5	.5
B	-.1	.0	-.3	-.4	.4	.0
C	-.2	.4	-.3	-.1	-.3	-.4
D	-.1	-.1	-.5	.0	.7	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
Region/population size class cross classification ³	Percent change from March 1985 to April 1985					
Northeast/A	-0.5	-0.2	-1.7	-0.3	0.4	0.1
North Central/A	-6	.2	-1.8	-8	1.1	-3
South/A	.1	.5	-1.2	-3	-2	1.7
West/A	-1	.7	-1.5	.3	1.1	.4
Northeast/B	-1	.5	-3	-6	.3	-3
North Central/B	.6	1.1	.5	-4	.5	.8
South/B	-5	-7	.3	-7	-1	-1.4
West/B	.1	-6	-1.8	.4	1.6	1.5
Northeast/C	-7	.4	-6	-4	-3.0	-1
North Central/C	.5	1.1	.0	-7	1.7	.7
South/C	-4	-1	-4	.9	.3	-1.6
West/C	-4	.1	-4	-5	-1.2	-1
Northeast/D	-3	.1	-1.3	-5	1.2	.3
North Central/D	.1	-3	-7	-1	.9	.9
South/D	-4	-6	-6	.3	.7	-9
West/D	.7	.9	1.5	.4	-5	.6

¹ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Regions are defined as the four Census regions. The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.
- D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

Table 20(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Expenditure category					
All items	0.6	1.9	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.1
Food and beverages	-.1	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Food	.0	-.4	-.1	.3	.1	.0
Food at home	-.3	-.9	-.2	-.1	-.8	-.3
Cereals and bakery products	.1	-.1	.3	1.2	.1	-2.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-1.0	-2.7	-.5	-1.9	-2.2	-1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	-1.0	-2.7	-.4	-1.8	-2.3	-1.5
Dairy products	-.2	-1.6	-.8	.4	-.5	.7
Fruits and vegetables	.4	1.3	.3	.8	.1	2.1
Other foods at home	.1	.0	-.3	.5	.1	.4
Food away from home	.4	.5	.2	.8	2.0	.6
Alcoholic beverages	.0	-1.6	.5	-2.5	.1	-.3
Housing	.9	4.1	.0	1.9	.4	-.7
Shelter	1.2	6.1	.2	2.4	.4	-1.0
Rent, residential	.5	.7	.0	-.2	1.0	1.2
Other rental costs	1.5	11.0	1.5	5.5	3.5	.0
Homeownership	1.3	7.4	.2	3.0	-.1	-1.7
Property taxes	.2	.0	.0	.0	.1	.2
Fuel and other utilities	.1	-2.9	-.5	-1.3	.8	.2
Fuels	.1	-3.8	-.6	-2.0	.9	.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	.4	-.4	.0	.4	.3	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	.0	-4.4	-.7	-2.0	1.3	.3
Household furnishings and operation	.4	1.9	-.2	1.7	.0	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	.3	.8	.2	-1.2	.1	2.0
Apparel commodities	.3	1.0	.1	-1.7	.1	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	1.1	6.0	-.8	-3.4	2.4	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	.3	-3.0	1.7	1.0	-1.3	4.0
Footwear	.0	-.2	3.9	-1.8	-2.0	3.6
Transportation	1.0	.9	.5	1.8	.3	.8
Private transportation	1.1	1.0	.5	1.8	.3	.9
Public transportation	.2	.8	-.3	.1	.1	-.6
Medical care	.4	.2	.2	.1	.3	.1
Entertainment	.5	1.6	-.5	.1	.6	.2
Other goods and services	.2	.1	.3	-.2	.4	1.1
Personal care	.4	.0	.9	.0	1.1	3.5

Table 20(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from March 1985 to April 1985—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.6	1.9	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.1
Commodities	.7	1.7	.2	1.2	.3	.1
Food and beverages	-.1	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	1.0	2.7	.3	1.7	.4	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.4	1.2	.9	1.8	.4	1.1
Durables	.7	4.1	-.1	1.6	.4	-.8
Services	.6	2.2	.0	1.3	.3	.1
Medical care services	.3	.0	.3	.0	.1	.3
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter	.4	.2	.1	.6	.2	.4
All items less medical care	.7	2.0	.1	1.3	.3	.1
All items less energy	.5	2.2	.0	1.0	.2	-.1
Energy	2.0	.0	.8	3.3	1.3	1.2
Commodities less food	1.0	2.7	.3	1.5	.4	.2
Nondurables less food	1.3	1.0	.9	1.5	.4	1.0
Nondurables	.6	.3	.4	.9	.2	.4
Services less rent	.6	2.4	.0	1.6	.2	-.1
Services less medical care	.6	2.4	.0	1.4	.3	.0

Table 21(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	316.0	1.1	310.5	2.6	297.1	-0.3	309.4	1.0	305.2	0.2	310.1	-0.2
All items (1957-59 = 100)	367.5	-	352.7	-	341.4	-	363.8	-	363.2	-	362.2	-
Food and beverages	301.4	.1	281.1	-4	283.1	.2	299.5	-2	304.2	.3	314.1	.4
Food	309.2	.1	288.1	-3	287.5	.2	310.6	.0	314.8	.3	324.6	.4
Food at home	296.1	-3	276.5	-7	287.8	-2	296.0	-5	301.2	-5	299.3	.5
Cereals and bakery products	313.1	.4	310.6	.6	327.0	.4	311.3	.6	317.3	.6	317.8	-1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.9	-1.3	246.1	-3.1	261.5	-5	267.1	-2.3	261.3	-2.1	269.0	-9
Meats, poultry, and fish	270.3	-1.4	256.5	-3.0	265.5	-7	271.0	-2.4	265.1	-2.4	277.7	-1.0
Dairy products	257.2	-4	241.0	-1.3	249.1	-2.0	255.0	.2	265.0	-1.0	249.9	.4
Fruits and vegetables	328.1	.3	306.4	1.4	300.2	.1	293.6	1.1	343.3	1.1	327.3	4.7
Other foods at home	361.3	.3	334.2	.6	350.8	.7	373.1	-5	376.8	.3	377.0	.8
Food away from home	347.1	.7	316.7	.3	299.1	1.3	340.5	.9	350.5	2.1	405.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	229.9	.3	211.3	-1.5	251.8	.0	210.9	-3.3	220.3	.5	237.8	-2
Housing	337.9	1.2	333.9	5.1	308.0	-1.7	326.2	.7	309.6	-4	314.9	-2.4
Shelter	361.9	1.4	372.4	8.0	317.2	-2.5	356.6	.9	312.8	-6	330.1	-3.7
Rent, residential	259.6	.8	232.2	.5	240.7	1.5	308.0	-7	271.3	1.2	280.2	1.3
Other rental costs	391.0	2.7	453.0	14.1	334.9	2.4	351.6	6.1	409.3	3.8	448.8	1.9
Homeownership	397.8	1.5	434.7	9.8	331.1	-3.1	371.4	1.3	337.7	-1.7	338.8	-5.3
Property taxes ¹	257.6	.5	120.6	.0	132.2	.1	136.7	.0	130.5	.1	137.4	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	389.7	.6	331.9	-3.0	437.5	-6	330.7	-1.1	406.5	1.0	403.0	.1
Fuels	482.3	.4	409.2	-3.9	523.0	-8	438.1	-2.1	530.7	1.2	489.3	.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ²	625.9	.0	616.1	-1.3	641.9	-1.2	178.2	.3	670.4	.0	647.0	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	444.6	.5	368.9	-4.4	505.9	-7	439.8	-2.2	465.7	1.9	425.2	.2
Household furnishings and operation	243.9	.6	231.5	.8	206.8	.9	224.2	.7	247.0	-1.1	232.9	-9
Apparel and upkeep	204.9	2.1	180.9	2.8	164.3	2.8	176.7	-5	192.3	1.8	160.2	2.0
Apparel commodities	191.5	2.3	162.0	3.6	148.3	3.3	163.9	-7	172.5	2.1	142.5	2.3
Men's and boys' apparel	197.8	2.4	161.1	6.8	151.9	-5	164.9	-1.1	167.9	3.3	141.8	3.6
Women's and girls' apparel	172.0	3.7	146.4	1.4	138.3	8.3	128.5	-6	149.7	2.6	93.6	3.2
Footwear	213.3	1.2	178.4	5.0	163.1	1.8	221.8	.3	208.0	.4	218.1	-2.2
Transportation	322.0	1.8	317.7	1.9	306.3	1.1	336.4	3.1	346.6	.7	342.1	1.5
Private transportation	318.0	1.9	311.3	2.0	303.5	1.2	339.1	3.1	322.9	.6	343.6	1.7
Public transportation	387.4	.8	393.6	.8	393.2	-1.5	285.2	2.9	449.2	1.0	338.9	-4
Medical care	396.1	1.0	405.4	1.5	415.1	1.1	415.4	.7	388.4	.8	464.6	1.0
Entertainment	258.6	.7	316.3	.8	222.0	-6	205.8	1.5	265.0	1.2	235.1	1.0
Other goods and services	318.3	.4	310.7	-2	318.7	.2	309.6	.4	328.3	.6	326.9	1.2
Personal care	277.5	.6	247.7	-1.1	260.3	.8	267.6	1.0	296.3	1.4	256.0	4.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	316.0	1.1	310.5	2.6	297.1	-0.3	309.4	1.0	305.2	0.2	310.1	-0.2
Commodities	287.2	1.2	277.4	2.6	256.2	.4	271.0	2.0	277.6	.1	280.0	-.3
Food and beverages	301.4	.1	281.1	-.4	283.1	.2	299.5	-.2	304.2	.3	314.1	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	276.3	1.8	269.6	4.1	240.0	.3	256.2	3.0	257.4	.0	257.0	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	283.2	2.5	266.4	2.5	261.2	2.6	267.1	3.8	270.8	.9	263.2	1.7
Durables	269.1	1.2	269.6	5.5	224.6	-1.1	249.5	2.4	237.9	-.9	250.8	-3.2
Services	369.3	.8	367.9	2.7	364.1	-1.1	375.3	-.1	353.0	.3	371.4	-.1
Medical care services	427.1	.9	445.0	1.3	435.9	1.3	441.6	.7	411.5	.6	523.4	1.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	302.4	.9	289.7	.6	290.9	.6	292.3	1.1	303.0	.5	306.3	.8
All items less medical care	312.0	1.1	305.5	2.7	289.5	-.3	303.9	1.0	300.8	.2	302.5	-.3
All items less energy ³	307.4	.8	170.3	2.8	155.6	-.6	164.6	.5	158.6	.1	161.2	-.5
Energy ⁴	424.2	3.3	186.7	1.5	196.1	2.3	200.0	6.1	186.4	1.9	203.5	1.8
Commodities less food	274.1	1.8	267.2	3.9	240.9	.3	253.9	2.8	254.6	.1	255.3	-.7
Nondurables less food	278.2	2.4	261.8	2.2	260.9	2.5	261.4	3.2	264.8	.9	260.0	1.6
Nondurables	293.4	1.2	275.6	1.0	273.9	1.4	284.5	1.6	289.4	.6	291.7	1.0
Services less rent	390.2	.8	400.2	3.1	377.6	-1.2	387.4	.1	377.1	.1	383.6	-.3
Services less medical care	360.9	.8	355.8	2.9	346.5	-1.3	366.0	-.1	344.8	.3	350.8	-.3

¹ Indexes on a January 1981=100 base, except U.S. city average.

² Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

³ Indexes on a December 1977=100 base, except U.S. city average.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except U.S. city average.

Table 22(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	325.4	1.4	294.7	2.1	323.7	1.3	335.3	1.7	298.4	-0.1
All items (1957-59 = 100) ²	374.2	-	323.9	-	365.4	-	362.5	-	321.7	-
Food and beverages	309.8	-7	294.1	2.0	310.8	-6	319.0	.6	327.9	-4
Food	319.1	-9	298.4	2.2	319.1	-7	325.0	.6	340.9	-6
Food at home	301.9	-2.4	303.7	2.9	305.1	-1.0	304.1	.9	342.4	-1.5
Cereals and bakery products	306.1	-2.1	289.3	1.3	315.1	-2	301.1	-9	306.5	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	238.4	-4.1	275.9	3.6	288.3	-2.0	255.9	1.9	321.3	-5.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	246.6	-4.7	281.8	3.7	298.0	-1.9	266.0	1.6	326.3	-6.3
Dairy products	283.1	-1.5	256.7	-5	256.1	-5	279.5	.3	296.3	-3
Fruits and vegetables	348.2	-9	358.3	9.5	321.8	-2.5	332.8	1.5	402.8	2.3
Other foods at home	391.1	-1.8	365.8	.6	366.8	.2	379.5	.7	402.0	1.1
Food away from home	355.2	1.5	290.5	.1	356.1	.1	385.8	.0	340.3	1.7
Alcoholic beverages	198.2	1.8	250.0	.1	238.2	.3	239.4	1.4	215.9	2.5
Housing	359.4	2.4	303.8	3.1	339.8	1.8	378.7	2.5	283.2	-1
Shelter	395.5	3.5	272.5	3.5	365.5	2.9	431.6	3.0	287.8	-4
Rent, residential	240.3	1.5	226.0	1.3	215.3	.7	263.8	-1.3	277.1	-1.1
Other rental costs	380.8	4.0	394.3	.9	351.0	-6.6	385.6	2.2	506.4	10.2
Homeownership	449.4	4.0	278.9	4.0	399.7	3.4	509.6	4.1	284.2	-6
Property taxes ³	138.5	.0	129.3	.2	106.7	.0	142.3	.0	118.9	.0
Fuel and other utilities	358.1	.1	501.4	4.1	396.5	.4	357.2	.9	346.2	-8
Fuels	445.3	-5	575.4	5.5	473.1	.3	477.8	1.3	453.4	-8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	210.5	.7	576.3	-4	211.7	-1.2	202.0	-2.9	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	445.2	-5	579.0	7.0	471.0	.4	477.5	1.6	452.7	-8
Household furnishings and operation	267.9	-2	247.0	.7	232.1	-1.8	251.7	1.7	234.5	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	216.5	-4.3	231.2	3.6	208.8	1.3	209.7	1.4	207.4	-2.2
Apparel commodities	197.5	-5.1	226.1	3.9	202.4	1.4	181.1	1.7	198.4	-2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	216.6	-3.9	293.8	3.9	250.2	.3	210.2	2.9	209.6	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	199.2	-5.8	176.3	6.5	166.7	2.5	149.1	5.5	164.7	.5
Footwear	163.3	6.5	225.3	1.1	185.2	-2.6	222.2	-3.9	181.4	-1.7
Transportation	306.5	2.7	294.2	1.4	309.1	2.7	318.9	1.6	268.6	.2
Private transportation	299.5	3.0	293.7	1.4	316.7	2.8	318.4	1.6	276.0	.3
Public transportation	344.7	.5	311.0	1.4	344.0	.0	338.0	.0	239.3	.0
Medical care	408.8	.6	330.1	.4	447.1	.5	388.5	.8	399.5	.6
Entertainment	248.0	3.4	256.0	1.3	256.4	1.3	263.4	-2	300.0	1.0
Other goods and services	302.7	-1	298.1	.6	340.1	.4	303.6	.6	326.5	-2
Personal care	292.9	-5	237.1	-1	287.4	.6	271.8	.8	273.5	-9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga.		Buffalo, N.Y.		Cleveland, Ohio		Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group									
All items	325.4	1.4	294.7	2.1	323.7	1.3	335.3	1.7	298.4	-0.1
Commodities	289.6	1.4	280.5	2.2	287.6	1.6	303.7	1.7	284.6	-.1
Food and beverages	309.8	-.7	294.1	2.0	310.8	-.6	319.0	.6	327.9	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	277.2	2.4	271.0	2.3	270.2	2.7	292.7	2.2	252.3	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	275.7	1.7	291.9	2.2	276.9	3.3	273.9	1.6	283.3	-.9
Durables	278.6	3.0	248.4	2.4	259.5	2.2	309.3	2.6	219.8	1.1
Services	390.4	1.4	323.0	2.1	392.2	1.0	387.8	1.7	321.9	-.2
Medical care services	436.6	.1	346.9	.5	489.4	.5	411.2	.8	420.8	.6
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	302.4	.4	300.6	1.9	307.8	.7	305.0	1.1	298.9	.0
All items less medical care	320.4	1.4	293.0	2.3	316.9	1.4	331.3	1.7	292.7	-.2
All items less energy ⁵	174.0	1.0	152.2	1.7	170.9	.9	177.5	1.6	168.1	-.1
Energy ⁶	187.9	4.0	194.2	5.0	196.0	4.7	184.0	2.3	192.0	-.7
Commodities less food	274.1	2.4	269.9	2.2	269.4	2.6	290.8	2.1	249.9	.2
Nondurables less food	269.6	1.7	287.8	2.0	273.7	3.1	271.6	1.6	274.9	-.7
Nondurables	294.0	.4	293.2	2.1	295.9	1.1	296.4	1.1	309.7	-.6
Services less rent	417.7	1.3	333.8	2.2	418.5	1.0	412.6	2.2	332.9	.0
Services less medical care	380.7	1.5	320.1	2.3	376.2	1.0	381.6	1.8	306.6	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category									
All items	337.5	0.9	317.5	4.0	342.3	2.5	305.8	0.7	323.4	0.3
All items (1957-59=100)	386.1	-	376.9	-	396.8	-	351.6	-	384.8	-
Food and beverages	325.2	-6	296.8	.7	303.7	-2	293.5	-4	304.3	-2
Food	331.3	-7	303.5	.6	315.9	-3	298.0	-5	314.2	-3
Food at home	308.0	-9	290.3	.6	296.7	-4	284.0	-4	301.8	-9
Cereals and bakery products	311.4	-1.1	298.3	.0	342.2	-2	303.0	.3	331.3	-4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	270.7	-5	254.3	.2	252.4	-1.5	253.3	-1.4	270.3	-2.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	280.8	-5	262.9	.1	259.8	-1.7	261.8	-1.2	275.5	-2.8
Dairy products	285.3	-1.4	268.0	-.7	277.2	-3	228.7	-1.7	249.5	.1
Fruits and vegetables	321.3	-3.9	346.2	4.8	308.2	1.2	329.3	-3	327.8	-2.1
Other foods at home	376.3	.7	335.4	-1	349.1	-2	343.8	1.0	373.6	1.4
Food away from home	405.1	-3	339.9	.6	380.8	.0	351.2	-8	334.2	.8
Alcoholic beverages	264.9	1.6	234.5	2.1	218.1	.2	269.0	1.7	206.8	1.7
Housing	366.8	1.2	341.9	6.6	411.9	4.1	316.0	1.5	352.8	.2
Shelter	397.2	1.5	368.7	9.7	479.2	5.1	334.3	2.3	373.6	.2
Rent, residential	218.4	-1.4	224.3	-.1	267.4	.8	240.8	.3	327.3	1.6
Other rental costs	392.1	5.9	336.5	11.3	401.6	.4	411.0	1.1	381.5	.0
Homeownership	476.6	2.5	421.7	11.2	521.5	5.7	358.4	2.7	399.5	-2
Property taxes ³	200.0	.0	103.1	.0	152.7	.0	136.1	1.4	132.8	.0
Fuel and other utilities	468.7	.9	379.6	-.5	391.4	-.4	385.7	-.5	405.9	2.0
Fuels	622.4	1.1	476.0	-.7	448.9	-.5	499.9	-.6	488.9	3.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁷	180.9	-2.4	193.2	1.7	659.6	.0	218.4	-.3	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	627.9	1.2	479.4	-.8	422.1	-.6	494.5	-.7	491.7	3.1
Household furnishings and operation	250.0	.0	248.2	2.1	240.9	3.6	233.6	1.4	268.3	-1.1
Apparel and upkeep	241.8	.2	222.2	3.8	199.1	3.8	191.4	-1.8	209.3	-2.3
Apparel commodities	223.0	.0	210.2	4.0	192.2	4.2	181.8	-2.1	193.8	-2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	237.0	.6	219.4	3.6	209.4	8.4	201.4	.8	201.7	1.7
Women's and girls' apparel	208.8	-1.0	186.8	.4	158.6	1.9	157.1	-3.6	180.0	-8.9
Footwear	242.1	.2	292.4	16.7	207.0	2.8	186.6	2.0	202.6	1.7
Transportation	296.2	1.4	310.5	4.1	299.9	2.3	336.6	.9	330.7	1.2
Private transportation	297.3	1.5	309.5	4.3	299.1	2.5	335.5	.9	332.0	1.2
Public transportation	274.2	-1.8	336.7	-1.0	333.3	-1.9	405.4	1.2	302.9	.9
Medical care	487.1	1.8	405.2	.4	375.6	.4	415.0	.7	374.5	.6
Entertainment	283.7	2.8	260.3	.0	277.5	.5	254.2	2.2	227.4	.5
Other goods and services	323.4	.1	318.8	-.3	317.1	.1	310.0	.1	338.8	.5
Personal care	336.4	1.3	274.0	-1.0	264.4	.8	242.9	.5	299.5	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, April 1985 and percent changes February 1985 to April 1985—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group									
All items	337.5	0.9	317.5	4.0	342.3	2.5	305.8	0.7	323.4	0.3
Commodities	304.3	1.1	294.9	3.9	294.0	3.3	273.1	.8	289.8	.6
Food and beverages	325.2	-.6	296.8	.7	303.7	-.2	293.5	-.4	304.3	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	291.2	1.9	290.0	5.3	285.3	4.9	254.0	1.4	280.6	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	297.9	2.9	293.3	5.7	279.4	3.6	258.4	.9	279.9	1.5
Durables	288.1	1.2	283.6	5.0	290.7	5.9	249.2	2.0	282.5	.5
Services	396.6	.7	360.0	4.2	435.6	1.4	369.1	.5	377.8	-.1
Medical care services	531.3	1.6	444.5	.5	413.8	.2	460.2	.1	405.3	.4
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	324.4	.7	301.7	1.8	297.4	1.1	300.0	.3	306.7	.3
All items less medical care	328.9	.9	313.6	4.2	340.7	2.6	300.7	.7	320.2	.3
All items less energy ⁵	161.2	.6	171.3	3.8	173.9	2.4	156.9	.6	168.9	-.1
Energy ⁶	211.6	3.8	186.2	6.3	186.3	3.7	196.1	1.2	210.4	4.3
Commodities less food	290.1	1.9	288.0	5.2	282.1	4.8	256.1	1.5	277.4	.9
Nondurables less food	295.5	2.9	288.3	5.4	273.3	3.4	261.4	1.0	273.4	1.5
Nondurables	312.7	1.1	295.7	3.1	292.4	1.6	279.6	.3	293.8	.6
Services less rent	437.0	1.0	384.2	4.6	456.8	1.5	385.6	.6	390.4	-.4
Services less medical care	378.3	.5	350.2	4.6	438.2	1.6	358.6	.6	372.8	-.1

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (See footnote 1, Table 18) will appear next month.

² For the following areas the 1957-59=100 base is not available; indexes are on the bases listed below:

Buffalo, N. Y. November 1963=100.
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. November 1963=100.
Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1963=100.

³ Indexes on a January 1981=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Buffalo, N.Y. where 1967=100.

⁵ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Atlanta, Ga. December 1977=100.
Buffalo, N. Y. February 1978=100.

Cleveland, Ohio. February 1978=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. February 1978=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1977=100.

Houston, Tex. April 1978=100.

Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. December 1977=100.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. April 1978=100.

Pittsburgh, Pa. April 1978=100.

San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. December 1977=100.

⁶ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. where 1967=100.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 26(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	166.6	4.1	0.7	171.1	3.8	2.1	171.9	3.9	0.5	170.0	3.8	0.7
Food and beverages	156.8	2.8	.3	152.8	1.9	.0	159.0	2.1	-.2	162.0	2.5	.0
Food	157.0	2.7	.3	153.1	1.9	-.1	159.3	2.0	-.3	163.1	2.6	.1
Food at home	152.5	1.9	-.1	149.2	1.1	-.3	154.3	1.0	-.6	157.6	2.3	-.4
Cereals and bakery products	163.7	3.8	.5	168.5	3.9	.7	162.5	3.9	-.1	169.7	4.3	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	148.3	-2.2	-1.0	142.7	-2.9	-1.5	146.7	-3.5	-.9	149.5	-1.8	-2.0
Dairy products	142.2	1.8	-.8	140.3	2.5	-1.1	152.2	4.3	.2	150.5	2.2	.3
Fruits and vegetables	171.6	6.6	1.1	164.6	4.6	1.1	174.0	3.2	-1.2	171.8	7.7	.0
Sugar and sweets	161.1	3.5	.1	164.2	1.3	.7	168.6	1.2	-.4	168.1	2.6	.8
Fats and oils	148.4	5.0	.5	149.7	3.2	.1	146.2	2.7	-1.6	157.2	6.1	-.6
Nonalcoholic beverages	133.9	3.2	-.1	128.1	1.9	.7	142.2	2.2	-.8	145.5	1.5	.5
Other prepared foods	160.0	3.8	.4	163.2	2.3	.4	159.9	2.8	.6	170.6	3.8	.5
Food away from home	168.9	4.7	1.1	161.8	3.5	.4	171.5	4.2	.5	173.8	3.0	.8
Alcoholic beverages	152.5	2.9	.9	147.7	1.9	.2	152.5	2.5	.6	147.4	2.1	-.3
Housing	171.7	5.5	.4	182.2	4.8	3.5	176.5	4.5	.0	170.7	3.8	.2
Shelter	176.7	8.3	.5	192.0	6.1	4.9	186.9	5.4	-.3	173.4	4.2	.0
Rent, residential	162.7	7.0	1.7	153.2	5.0	.5	161.1	2.9	.0	180.7	7.0	.7
Other rental costs	199.7	6.1	3.0	206.4	6.4	3.7	207.7	3.8	1.1	200.2	4.7	2.2
Homeownership	181.0	8.8	-.1	199.2	6.4	5.6	193.1	6.0	-.4	171.3	3.6	-.2
Home purchase	165.1	11.3	-.1	167.4	6.2	7.4	174.3	6.3	.2	159.0	2.6	1.5
Financing, taxes, and insurance	205.9	10.3	.2	250.7	7.5	5.5	226.4	7.0	-1.0	180.9	4.3	-2.0
Property taxes ²	126.6	6.3	.5	127.2	2.1	.2	147.8	9.7	1.7	132.0	5.3	.5
Maintenance and repairs	163.2	2.2	-.8	154.9	2.0	.3	166.1	2.1	-.5	179.6	3.8	1.7
Maintenance and repair services	169.9	1.6	-1.0	163.5	2.5	.4	171.5	2.0	-.5	201.4	3.4	2.2
Maintenance and repair commodities	142.1	4.5	.0	139.5	1.0	.2	149.5	2.4	-.8	144.3	4.6	.7
Fuel and other utilities	188.4	.6	.7	191.1	2.4	.5	179.1	2.5	.3	195.1	3.1	.7
Fuels ³	194.9	-.1	.9	187.6	2.3	-.2	184.2	1.2	.3	217.5	3.8	.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	216.9	-4.4	.3	205.3	-4.5	.0	208.0	-3.3	-.8	203.7	-2.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.5	2.7	1.3	184.5	3.8	-.2	181.3	1.9	.4	219.3	4.6	.8
Other utilities and public services	149.8	3.8	.1	158.8	2.5	2.5	146.1	5.4	.2	155.1	1.8	.7
Household furnishings and operation	142.8	1.6	-.1	142.0	1.8	.8	142.6	2.7	1.1	143.5	2.3	.8
Housefurnishings	133.5	-.1	-.8	131.4	.3	.5	132.8	2.0	1.5	132.3	.8	.9
Housekeeping supplies	148.7	3.2	.4	160.4	4.0	.8	156.0	3.0	-.1	163.8	5.6	.5
Housekeeping services	165.4	4.7	1.3	157.2	3.8	1.4	157.0	4.3	1.3	157.1	2.8	.8
Apparel and upkeep	126.8	2.5	2.3	129.3	3.9	2.9	133.0	3.7	1.8	129.1	3.2	1.1
Apparel commodities	119.8	2.3	2.7	124.3	3.9	3.2	126.0	2.9	1.8	123.7	2.6	1.2
Men's and boys' apparel	121.2	2.3	2.8	121.5	3.0	3.1	134.2	4.4	2.1	125.8	4.9	1.5
Women's and girls' apparel	108.5	4.0	4.5	119.6	5.9	4.4	118.2	5.1	3.7	110.1	2.1	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	141.1	-2.1	-1.9	151.4	8.0	.9	125.3	-.6	-3.6	147.8	4.5	-.3
Footwear	136.1	1.3	.1	132.5	5.3	3.5	126.9	.6	-.1	141.3	-.4	1.4
Other apparel commodities	130.3	-.1	1.5	133.5	-2.6	.2	129.5	-2.6	-1.1	133.0	1.6	.0
Apparel services	182.4	3.8	.4	172.8	3.7	.5	186.9	8.1	1.5	176.4	7.6	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
Transportation	177.3	2.5	1.0	177.5	3.1	2.1	183.0	3.7	1.8	184.4	4.1	2.3
Private transportation	175.3	2.3	1.0	175.9	3.0	2.3	181.9	3.6	1.9	183.1	3.9	2.3
New vehicles	143.6	3.2	.0	141.9	2.8	.3	142.7	4.1	.3	136.7	3.4	.0
New cars	143.6	3.2	.0	141.8	2.6	.3	143.5	4.1	.3	137.0	2.8	-.3
Used cars	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.5	226.4	4.4	.4	226.2	4.4	.4
Motor fuel ³	189.8	-1.4	3.0	196.0	-4	7.9	193.7	.1	6.0	193.3	1.8	7.7
Gasoline ³	189.7	-1.4	3.0	195.9	-4	8.1	193.4	-1	6.0	193.0	1.7	7.8
Maintenance and repair	164.3	3.5	.5	159.3	2.6	-2	168.2	3.9	.7	174.4	1.5	-1.0
Other private transportation	156.6	3.4	.3	148.9	6.7	.0	159.7	7.4	.4	171.2	7.2	.9
Other private transportation commodities	135.0	.6	-1	127.6	-1.6	-1.5	135.0	1.0	.4	132.5	.5	-1.0
Other private transportation services	160.6	3.9	.3	152.8	8.1	.3	166.6	9.0	.4	179.7	8.4	1.2
Public transportation	197.4	3.9	1.1	223.5	4.2	.1	217.8	5.8	-1	213.3	5.3	2.1
Medical care	186.6	7.4	1.3	186.6	5.1	.9	192.5	5.5	.9	191.9	6.1	1.1
Medical care commodities	180.2	6.1	1.6	181.5	7.2	1.6	188.9	7.3	1.5	184.8	7.1	1.5
Medical care services	188.1	7.7	1.2	187.7	4.6	.8	193.2	5.1	.7	193.2	5.9	1.0
Professional services	182.7	6.7	1.2	176.3	5.2	1.0	184.3	6.2	1.0	182.8	5.8	1.1
Other medical care services	194.6	8.8	1.4	200.8	4.1	.7	200.2	4.4	.5	206.9	5.8	1.0
Entertainment	149.5	3.6	1.1	150.5	3.1	-2	156.8	3.4	.6	148.8	4.1	1.2
Entertainment commodities	145.9	2.8	.9	143.5	1.4	-6	154.3	2.0	.4	142.9	2.7	1.6
Entertainment services	155.3	4.8	1.2	161.8	5.5	.3	161.9	6.2	1.1	160.4	6.8	.9
Other goods and services	179.0	6.2	.6	177.9	5.4	.1	178.3	5.7	.5	182.5	6.9	.6
Tobacco products	183.2	5.3	.2	190.8	6.1	-1	184.8	6.6	.3	192.7	5.6	.5
Personal care	156.2	5.3	1.3	151.5	3.0	-2	160.6	3.3	.5	164.5	4.3	.8
Personal and educational expenses	203.6	8.0	.1	204.3	7.5	.5	203.7	8.3	.6	206.6	13.2	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	166.6	4.1	0.7	171.1	3.8	2.1	171.9	3.9	0.5	170.0	3.8	0.7
Commodities	159.4	3.0	.6	160.1	2.7	2.2	164.2	3.1	.9	161.2	2.8	1.3
Food and beverages	156.8	2.8	.3	152.8	1.9	.0	159.0	2.1	-2	162.0	2.5	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	160.9	3.1	.8	163.4	3.1	3.1	166.7	3.6	1.4	160.8	2.9	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	161.7	1.1	1.4	164.9	2.0	3.4	164.9	2.4	2.5	166.4	3.1	3.2
Apparel commodities	119.8	2.3	2.7	124.3	3.9	3.2	126.0	2.9	1.8	123.7	2.6	1.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	177.8	.7	1.1	180.7	1.5	3.4	181.3	2.3	2.7	184.1	3.3	3.8
Durables	160.1	5.3	.0	162.4	3.8	2.9	168.0	4.4	.5	157.3	2.8	1.0
Services	178.5	5.9	.8	190.4	5.5	2.0	184.8	5.1	.1	183.0	5.3	.1
Rent, residential	162.7	7.0	1.7	153.2	5.0	.5	161.1	2.9	.0	180.7	7.0	.7
Household services less rent	187.0	6.1	.4	213.2	5.6	3.3	195.0	5.0	-3	184.1	4.0	-7
Transportation services	170.1	3.8	.6	162.5	6.1	.1	172.6	7.0	.4	182.3	6.2	.8
Medical care services	188.1	7.7	1.2	187.7	4.6	.8	193.2	5.1	.7	193.2	5.9	1.0
Other services	174.6	6.4	1.0	169.9	5.3	.2	174.4	6.0	.8	170.5	7.6	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
Special indexes :												
All items less food	169.3	4.5	0.8	175.3	4.3	2.6	174.9	4.3	0.7	171.4	4.1	0.9
All items less shelter	163.6	2.9	.7	163.7	2.9	1.0	167.0	3.3	.9	168.3	3.6	1.1
All items less mortgage interest costs	163.4	3.7	.7	163.3	3.3	1.6	167.4	3.6	.7	166.6	3.8	1.2
All items less medical care	165.8	4.0	.7	170.4	3.8	2.2	170.8	3.8	.5	168.9	3.7	.7
Commodities less food	160.6	3.0	.7	163.0	3.0	3.0	166.3	3.5	1.3	160.4	2.9	1.8
Nondurables less food	161.1	1.1	1.4	163.8	2.1	3.1	164.3	2.4	2.4	165.1	3.1	2.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	175.7	.9	1.1	177.8	1.5	3.1	179.3	2.3	2.6	180.5	3.3	3.4
Nondurables	159.1	2.0	.9	158.5	1.9	1.6	161.9	2.3	1.2	164.1	2.8	1.5
Services less rent	181.6	5.8	.7	195.2	5.6	2.2	188.4	5.4	.1	183.4	4.9	-.1
Services less medical care	177.6	5.8	.7	190.7	5.7	2.2	183.6	5.1	-.1	181.9	5.2	-.1
Energy ³	192.2	-.7	1.8	191.5	.9	3.9	188.8	.6	3.4	201.7	2.6	4.9
All items less energy	163.4	4.8	.6	167.8	4.2	1.9	169.2	4.3	.2	166.7	4.0	.3
All items less food and energy	165.4	5.4	.6	171.7	4.8	2.4	171.8	4.9	.3	167.5	4.3	.4
Commodities less food and energy	153.6	4.4	.5	157.5	3.8	2.3	161.6	4.3	.6	154.8	3.1	.9
Energy commodities	200.0	-2.4	2.1	199.3	-.9	6.7	196.2	-.3	5.3	202.8	1.6	7.1
Services less energy	177.2	6.4	.7	188.6	5.7	2.3	183.2	5.5	.1	180.2	5.3	-.1

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.
The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:
A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.
D - Less than 75,000.
Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.
² January 1981 = 100.
³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

Table 27(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and clerical Workers (Old Series): Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
All items	165.3	3.8	0.7	173.0	3.9	1.3	171.5	4.3	1.5	170.2	4.1	0.9	171.6	3.5	0.7
Food and beverages	155.7	2.4	.1	157.7	2.5	.3	158.6	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	.0	160.4	2.0	.2
Food	156.4	2.5	.1	158.2	2.5	.1	159.1	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	-.1	160.5	1.8	.1
Food at home	150.4	1.5	-.4	154.0	1.8	-.1	155.4	1.9	-.4	152.0	1.5	-.3	154.1	.7	.1
Cereals and bakery products	163.0	4.0	.4	167.8	3.8	.2	167.6	4.0	.2	165.5	4.0	.9	165.9	3.7	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.7	-2.6	-2.0	146.6	-3.0	-.9	148.6	-2.0	-1.2	145.4	-2.3	-1.1	150.4	-3.5	-.5
Dairy products	145.6	1.8	-.7	145.4	3.7	-.5	146.8	2.7	-.5	142.9	2.6	-.1	146.0	3.1	.4
Fruits and vegetables	162.2	6.1	1.5	173.5	6.4	.0	179.5	5.1	-.9	171.3	5.5	-.6	170.9	2.3	1.2
Sugar and sweets	162.4	1.9	.2	165.2	2.8	1.0	166.9	2.8	.4	169.2	.9	-.4	160.4	2.2	.1
Fats and oils	153.2	4.8	.1	148.8	3.9	-.7	154.1	5.1	-.5	144.0	3.6	.0	145.2	2.3	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	133.9	2.4	1.1	139.7	2.9	.5	135.9	2.7	-.7	135.9	1.4	.3	137.3	1.9	-.1
Other prepared foods	161.6	3.3	-.4	164.4	3.5	.8	165.4	3.7	1.3	159.7	2.6	.4	162.5	1.9	.4
Food away from home	170.3	4.4	1.2	167.4	3.9	.7	167.5	3.2	.5	162.3	3.2	.4	176.1	4.6	.4
Alcoholic beverages	145.5	1.4	-.9	149.1	2.5	1.1	151.0	2.9	.8	155.0	3.1	1.2	156.8	2.9	.4
Housing	168.9	4.0	.5	182.6	4.5	1.6	176.4	5.6	2.2	175.9	5.2	.7	177.2	4.5	.4
Shelter	173.0	5.2	.9	191.6	5.7	1.9	183.9	7.4	3.0	183.0	6.3	.4	186.8	5.8	.3
Rent, residential	163.8	6.2	.7	167.8	5.1	.4	166.9	6.2	1.5	162.1	5.1	.7	156.6	4.8	1.4
Other rental costs	209.7	5.6	5.9	200.5	6.1	1.6	201.2	4.7	-.6	196.9	5.5	.2	206.2	5.4	6.1
Homeownership	175.1	4.9	.9	197.9	5.8	2.2	187.3	7.6	3.4	186.8	6.5	.4	192.8	6.0	.0
Home purchase	154.9	4.5	2.0	178.2	6.9	4.0	171.6	7.8	4.6	169.2	6.6	.1	156.3	5.0	1.6
Financing, taxes, and insurance	200.5	6.3	-.1	228.7	6.1	1.4	212.8	8.2	3.2	213.0	8.7	1.7	245.1	7.5	-.8
Property taxes ²	130.7	4.6	.3	128.3	5.1	.6	131.7	5.0	.2	131.4	5.7	1.2	127.4	7.1	.8
Maintenance and repairs	161.7	2.0	1.2	164.8	1.7	-.4	164.6	5.2	1.0	169.6	.2	-2.1	158.5	3.0	-1.0
Maintenance and repair services	170.4	1.7	1.6	173.5	1.9	-.8	169.2	4.4	1.0	184.5	-.2	-2.5	167.8	4.3	-.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	136.8	3.4	-.2	145.0	.8	.8	153.5	7.3	1.3	139.6	1.1	-.9	140.4	.0	-1.5
Fuel and other utilities	189.8	1.2	-.4	189.2	1.6	.9	187.0	1.7	.2	188.8	4.0	1.9	181.1	1.9	.5
Fuels ³	190.7	.9	-.5	195.7	1.2	.6	195.1	1.0	.1	200.1	4.3	1.8	177.4	-.4	.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	217.5	-4.2	-.2	218.7	-4.0	.1	210.1	-4.8	-.2	207.6	-3.4	.4	199.0	-4.6	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	183.0	2.8	-.6	191.3	2.5	.7	191.6	2.7	.2	198.1	6.6	2.2	171.8	.9	.8
Other utilities and public services	152.2	2.4	.1	147.9	2.5	1.7	150.5	3.2	.5	153.1	3.4	2.1	161.2	8.2	.3
Household furnishings and operation	139.7	1.6	-.1	146.9	2.2	1.0	142.2	2.4	1.1	141.5	2.4	.9	144.5	2.0	.6
Housefurnishings	128.4	.0	-.8	138.3	.6	1.4	131.2	1.3	1.2	131.8	1.0	.2	135.3	.8	.5
Housekeeping supplies	150.2	3.0	.1	156.9	3.6	-.4	161.5	4.3	.8	158.0	4.4	1.5	159.7	4.4	.4
Housekeeping services	162.4	4.2	1.2	161.9	4.7	1.3	156.4	3.2	.8	156.5	4.4	2.0	155.6	3.0	.8
Apparel and upkeep	120.7	3.3	1.6	134.6	4.3	2.7	132.6	3.0	2.7	133.6	3.2	2.0	129.8	2.7	1.1
Apparel commodities	111.6	3.0	1.8	128.8	3.9	3.0	127.0	2.4	3.1	129.1	2.8	2.1	125.7	2.4	1.0
Men's and boys' apparel	113.1	3.1	2.6	131.6	4.7	3.5	132.2	4.3	2.4	131.3	2.1	2.0	122.0	2.1	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	97.0	4.3	2.4	120.3	4.4	3.1	116.6	2.8	7.0	125.8	5.3	2.8	123.0	7.0	4.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	149.3	3.0	.3	136.7	4.4	-.4	132.8	-2.1	-2.5	143.2	4.0	-1.2	139.8	.1	-4.9
Footwear	131.2	2.5	.8	135.4	4.4	3.5	136.5	2.6	-.6	130.7	-.2	3.5	136.1	-2.3	-2.5
Other apparel commodities	123.8	.3	.2	141.5	-.1	1.4	134.6	-2.9	.3	129.4	-.2	-1.5	128.4	-4.0	-.6
Apparel services	184.1	4.7	.7	181.4	6.3	.7	179.0	6.2	.6	179.0	5.9	1.4	168.3	5.1	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and clerical Workers (Old Series): Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category															
Transportation	178.7	3.4	1.6	178.4	3.1	1.8	182.3	3.4	1.8	181.6	3.4	1.9	180.2	2.7	2.0
Private transportation	176.9	3.3	1.7	176.6	3.0	1.8	181.3	3.3	1.9	180.4	3.4	1.9	178.5	2.6	2.1
New vehicles	138.2	2.7	.1	140.0	3.6	.3	144.9	3.5	.3	142.8	3.5	.0	144.7	3.6	.1
New cars	138.7	2.6	.0	139.7	3.4	.4	144.8	3.2	.3	143.3	3.3	-.1	144.9	3.5	.2
Used cars	226.4	4.4	.4	226.5	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4	226.2	4.4	.4	226.3	4.4	.4
Motor fuel ³	194.2	.5	5.9	194.4	-.3	5.8	194.1	.2	6.2	193.6	-.2	6.3	187.6	-1.3	7.1
Gasoline ³	194.2	.6	5.9	194.2	-.4	5.9	193.6	.1	6.3	193.4	-.3	6.4	187.4	-1.4	7.3
Maintenance and repair	166.4	3.0	.3	164.3	2.8	-.5	164.6	2.6	-.2	172.0	3.2	.0	161.9	2.9	1.3
Other private transportation	163.1	6.0	.1	150.8	5.5	.7	161.7	6.4	.6	157.0	7.2	.7	153.3	4.8	.0
Other private transportation commodities	127.9	-2.1	-1.0	132.4	-.2	-.2	137.3	2.8	1.1	133.3	-.4	-1.7	131.9	.8	-1.5
Other private transportation services	168.5	7.1	.1	154.9	6.7	.8	167.4	7.1	.5	162.8	8.9	1.2	158.7	5.6	.3
Public transportation	196.1	4.4	.9	218.0	3.9	.6	217.4	4.4	1.2	228.1	6.3	1.3	236.6	4.9	-.1
Medical care	185.2	7.3	1.0	191.3	5.6	1.4	189.0	5.9	1.0	191.7	5.6	1.1	192.0	4.4	.7
Medical care commodities	184.9	6.3	1.3	178.8	6.4	1.8	189.7	8.2	1.8	182.2	6.6	1.7	181.8	7.6	1.2
Medical care services	185.2	7.5	.9	193.7	5.4	1.3	188.8	5.5	.9	193.7	5.4	.9	194.1	3.9	.6
Professional services	178.1	7.6	1.0	185.7	5.1	1.3	174.7	5.4	1.0	187.6	6.3	1.2	183.8	4.4	.9
Other medical care services	194.2	7.3	.7	202.1	5.9	1.5	203.7	5.5	.7	199.9	4.6	.7	202.7	3.4	.3
Entertainment	148.1	3.8	1.0	152.8	4.2	.8	151.4	2.9	.3	153.9	3.8	1.2	151.4	2.2	-.6
Entertainment commodities	138.3	2.3	.7	151.5	2.6	.9	147.2	1.7	.3	150.4	2.2	1.1	148.3	1.9	-1.5
Entertainment services	162.5	5.8	1.4	155.0	6.8	.6	159.8	4.9	.1	160.8	6.8	1.3	157.4	2.5	1.0
Other goods and services	177.1	6.6	.5	180.3	5.6	.5	182.7	6.4	.6	175.2	5.6	.0	181.8	4.8	.4
Tobacco products	185.7	6.1	.2	182.9	5.6	.1	190.1	6.1	.3	186.0	6.2	.1	194.9	5.3	.6
Personal care	155.1	5.4	1.2	159.0	2.7	.7	163.9	4.9	.8	153.4	3.6	-.3	155.4	1.8	.1
Personal and educational expenses	198.8	8.5	.0	210.9	9.3	.7	206.1	8.9	.4	201.1	8.0	.4	208.4	8.2	.4
Commodity and service group															
All items	165.3	3.8	0.7	173.0	3.9	1.3	171.5	4.3	1.5	170.2	4.1	0.9	171.6	3.5	0.7
Commodities	155.8	2.6	1.0	164.0	3.1	1.7	164.1	3.3	1.7	161.8	2.9	.8	161.8	2.5	1.0
Food and beverages	155.7	2.4	.1	157.7	2.5	.3	158.6	2.3	-.1	154.9	2.0	.0	160.4	2.0	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	155.8	2.6	1.4	167.1	3.3	2.3	166.6	3.8	2.5	165.0	3.3	1.2	162.4	2.7	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.8	2.0	2.0	166.2	2.0	2.7	168.1	2.4	2.9	166.4	2.0	2.7	163.2	1.6	2.6
Apparel commodities	111.6	3.0	1.8	128.8	3.9	3.0	127.0	2.4	3.1	129.1	2.8	2.1	125.7	2.4	1.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	177.7	1.8	2.1	181.2	1.4	2.6	184.4	2.4	2.8	181.2	1.7	2.8	178.5	1.4	3.1
Durables	153.2	3.2	.9	167.7	4.4	1.9	165.6	4.9	2.2	164.0	4.2	.1	161.8	3.5	.4
Services	179.9	5.5	.5	187.5	5.0	.8	183.9	5.8	1.3	185.0	6.1	1.0	188.8	5.1	.3
Rent, residential	163.8	6.2	.7	167.8	5.1	.4	166.9	6.2	1.5	162.1	5.1	.7	156.6	4.8	1.4
Household services less rent	188.4	4.5	.3	202.9	4.6	1.1	193.3	5.7	1.8	195.9	6.2	1.2	205.6	5.7	-.1
Transportation services	174.7	5.6	.3	165.8	5.3	.4	171.2	5.5	.4	171.6	6.8	.8	167.7	4.7	.5
Medical care services	185.2	7.5	.9	193.7	5.4	1.3	188.8	5.5	.9	193.7	5.4	.9	194.1	3.9	.6
Other services	174.7	6.8	1.0	174.3	6.8	.6	172.3	6.1	.2	168.1	6.1	.8	170.0	3.8	.4

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Table 27(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and clerical Workers (Old Series): Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	A-1			A-2			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group															
Special indexes :															
All items less food	167.6	4.1	0.9	176.5	4.2	1.6	174.3	4.7	1.9	173.8	4.6	1.2	174.2	3.8	0.8
All items less shelter	162.5	3.2	.7	166.3	3.1	1.1	166.9	3.2	.9	165.7	3.3	1.1	166.5	2.6	.8
All items less mortgage interest costs	161.6	3.5	.8	166.9	3.7	1.3	167.0	3.9	1.3	165.7	3.6	.9	164.7	3.0	.9
All items less medical care	164.5	3.7	.8	172.1	3.8	1.3	170.7	4.3	1.5	169.2	4.1	1.0	170.5	3.4	.7
Commodities less food	155.5	2.6	1.4	166.5	3.3	2.3	166.3	3.8	2.5	164.8	3.3	1.2	162.3	2.7	1.4
Nondurables less food	157.9	2.0	1.8	165.1	2.0	2.6	167.1	2.5	2.8	165.8	2.0	2.6	162.9	1.7	2.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	174.7	1.7	1.8	178.4	1.5	2.5	181.7	2.4	2.7	179.2	1.8	2.7	176.9	1.4	2.9
Nondurables	157.1	2.2	1.0	161.7	2.2	1.4	163.1	2.4	1.3	160.4	2.0	1.3	161.7	1.8	1.3
Services less rent	183.1	5.3	.4	190.9	5.0	.9	186.4	5.7	1.3	188.0	6.2	1.1	193.1	5.1	.1
Services less medical care	179.4	5.3	.4	186.9	5.1	.8	183.3	5.8	1.3	184.0	6.2	1.0	188.1	5.2	.2
Energy ³	192.1	.7	2.6	194.5	.4	3.3	194.1	.6	3.2	196.0	1.9	4.0	181.9	-.9	3.8
All items less energy	162.0	4.2	.6	169.9	4.4	1.1	168.4	4.8	1.3	166.7	4.4	.5	169.6	4.0	.4
All items less food and energy	163.5	4.6	.6	172.9	4.8	1.3	170.8	5.4	1.7	169.9	5.0	.7	172.0	4.6	.4
Commodities less food and energy	148.2	3.2	.7	161.1	4.2	1.8	161.1	4.7	2.0	159.3	4.0	.4	157.8	3.6	.6
Energy commodities	202.1	-.4	4.6	200.5	-.8	5.0	199.9	-.6	5.2	198.9	-.7	5.2	190.3	-1.9	5.8
Services less energy	178.1	5.7	.6	185.5	5.3	.9	181.7	6.1	1.4	182.6	6.0	.9	188.7	5.5	.2

¹ See Table 18, footnote 3.

² January 1981=100.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	163.1	4.2	0.4	169.1	3.4	1.7	177.7	4.7	0.2	172.5	4.6	1.4
Food and beverages	156.8	3.0	.4	155.5	3.0	.2	157.0	1.9	.1	159.6	1.3	.8
Food	157.1	3.0	.4	155.7	2.8	.1	157.1	1.9	.1	160.2	1.3	.9
Food at home	150.7	2.0	-.1	157.0	2.1	-.3	154.6	1.8	.0	156.0	.6	.8
Cereals and bakery products	161.8	3.9	.3	168.3	4.5	1.0	166.5	3.2	1.3	166.6	1.9	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.0	-2.0	-1.4	151.5	-2.6	-.8	153.8	-1.9	.2	155.6	-2.8	.6
Dairy products	143.3	1.8	-.8	139.6	1.7	-.7	141.2	2.0	-.4	140.3	2.0	-1.2
Fruits and vegetables	167.2	7.1	1.9	191.2	7.4	-.2	170.6	6.4	-3.1	172.1	-.2	3.4
Other foods at home	145.4	3.6	.5	148.3	3.7	-.2	148.4	3.2	1.1	150.2	4.5	.8
Food away from home	173.3	5.3	1.4	152.4	4.7	1.1	163.3	2.3	.0	172.7	3.2	1.2
Alcoholic beverages	152.1	2.7	.6	151.8	5.5	1.7	156.2	1.4	1.1	150.4	1.7	.7
Housing	163.7	5.2	-.3	177.7	4.0	3.1	197.4	7.1	-.4	182.1	8.0	2.2
Shelter	164.5	8.2	-.5	184.2	5.6	4.7	219.3	9.7	-1.1	190.7	13.0	3.0
Rent, residential	157.1	5.7	1.0	167.5	9.3	2.2	187.4	8.7	1.9	186.5	15.3	8.2
Other rental costs	203.9	5.6	3.3	185.5	6.6	.3	183.9	5.8	-.1	218.8	10.7	11.0
Homeownership	166.1	9.3	-1.3	188.8	4.7	5.4	227.4	10.0	-1.7	190.8	12.4	1.3
Property taxes ²	127.6	6.2	.6	117.4	6.4	.2	133.5	6.5	.0	122.0	6.6	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	187.6	.7	.7	187.8	.2	.1	189.4	1.4	1.7	196.8	.4	1.1
Fuels ³	193.7	-.1	.8	196.8	-.8	.0	193.5	.8	1.9	204.5	-.7	1.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	219.4	-4.2	.1	215.0	-5.4	-.4	210.0	-3.8	1.2	216.7	-4.6	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	182.0	2.4	1.3	185.4	2.8	.2	182.2	4.7	2.5	197.2	2.0	2.1
Household furnishings and operation	141.5	.9	-.6	148.5	3.6	1.3	140.5	2.8	.6	146.8	2.4	1.0
Apparel and upkeep	124.0	2.8	2.0	127.2	-.5	5.6	138.1	4.1	1.7	132.4	3.8	-.6
Apparel commodities	115.2	2.7	2.2	123.0	-1.4	6.6	133.7	3.7	1.9	127.9	3.9	-.7
Men's and boys' apparel	116.8	2.4	2.8	117.7	.2	4.8	140.4	2.0	1.9	133.0	6.5	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	99.9	4.3	2.8	116.2	-2.8	15.9	133.5	7.7	3.0	125.1	8.6	2.1
Footwear	135.2	2.8	1.1	154.1	1.2	-1.3	121.6	-3.0	1.4	134.4	-4.3	-8.4
Transportation	177.3	2.7	1.0	177.9	2.4	1.0	176.3	1.8	.8	177.4	2.0	1.2
Private transportation	175.0	2.5	1.0	177.4	2.4	1.0	173.4	1.6	.7	177.2	1.9	1.2
Public transportation	193.4	3.7	1.0	197.1	4.0	.3	268.8	6.1	2.6	187.5	4.7	1.0
Medical care	184.5	8.0	1.3	188.1	4.9	.9	194.4	7.3	1.9	190.1	7.3	1.1
Entertainment	149.2	3.7	1.3	147.0	2.4	.4	150.2	4.2	1.1	156.6	3.7	-.2
Other goods and services	178.5	6.2	.7	177.8	6.2	.0	177.7	6.1	.6	190.3	5.4	.4
Personal care	156.2	6.0	1.7	151.5	4.8	.4	157.5	4.2	.9	165.4	2.2	-.1

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	163.1	4.2	0.4	169.1	3.4	1.7	177.7	4.7	0.2	172.5	4.6	1.4
Commodities	156.6	3.0	.4	162.9	2.4	1.6	165.5	3.4	.2	164.1	2.8	1.0
Food and beverages	156.8	3.0	.4	155.5	3.0	.2	157.0	1.9	.1	159.6	1.3	.8
Commodities less food and beverages	156.5	3.0	.4	166.8	2.1	2.3	169.7	4.0	.3	166.6	3.6	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.7	1.1	1.2	166.4	.3	2.3	166.6	1.6	1.6	169.2	1.2	1.2
Durables	154.0	5.3	-.6	167.2	3.9	2.4	172.3	6.1	-.9	163.9	6.5	.9
Services	173.2	5.9	.5	180.4	4.9	2.0	200.6	6.8	.4	188.1	7.7	1.9
Medical care services	185.4	8.4	1.3	190.1	4.6	.7	197.1	7.5	2.0	193.2	7.3	1.0
Special indexes :												
All items less shelter	162.7	3.0	.7	164.6	2.6	.9	164.9	2.8	.9	167.7	2.4	.8
All items less medical care	162.2	4.0	.4	168.4	3.2	1.8	177.1	4.6	.2	171.8	4.5	1.4
All items less energy	159.6	4.8	.3	166.1	4.0	1.8	175.9	5.4	.1	168.9	5.6	1.2
Energy ³	191.9	-.5	1.9	192.2	-1.1	1.1	190.6	-.7	2.2	197.5	-1.6	2.3
Commodities less food	156.3	3.0	.4	166.4	2.2	2.3	169.3	3.9	.3	166.1	3.6	1.0
Nondurables less food	158.3	1.2	1.2	165.5	.5	2.2	166.0	1.6	1.6	168.1	1.2	1.1
Nondurables	157.6	2.1	.7	160.6	1.6	1.2	161.7	1.8	.9	164.2	1.2	1.0
Services less rent	176.6	5.9	.4	182.5	4.3	2.1	202.4	6.6	.1	188.4	6.7	1.1
Services less medical care	172.0	5.7	.4	179.5	4.9	2.2	200.9	6.7	.1	187.6	7.8	2.0

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	172.3	3.5	1.8	170.6	4.9	3.1	166.9	3.9	2.4	173.1	4.0	1.9
Food and beverages	151.5	1.9	-.1	154.6	1.8	-.3	150.4	2.0	.1	159.1	1.3	.0
Food	152.1	1.9	.0	155.0	1.8	-.3	150.6	2.0	.1	158.6	1.3	.1
Food at home	149.0	.9	-.4	149.5	2.0	.1	149.4	1.7	-.1	149.4	-.1	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	167.2	3.7	.6	172.4	2.4	.8	168.2	4.9	1.1	169.4	4.6	-.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	142.3	-3.3	-1.7	144.7	-1.9	-1.6	142.1	-2.0	-1.3	142.5	-3.8	-1.2
Dairy products	142.5	3.1	-1.2	141.5	3.9	-.7	135.0	2.0	-1.3	139.2	-.1	-.3
Fruits and vegetables	164.3	4.9	1.1	162.6	4.5	2.3	171.0	5.8	.0	159.1	1.6	1.3
Other foods at home	145.5	1.7	.3	144.3	4.1	.8	148.4	2.4	1.1	149.4	.7	.3
Food away from home	158.7	4.1	.7	167.5	1.6	-1.0	153.5	2.7	.6	179.4	4.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages	143.0	1.4	-.3	148.2	.4	.5	147.2	3.8	1.7	168.3	3.0	.1
Housing	187.8	3.8	2.6	176.9	7.5	5.9	172.1	5.3	4.1	181.3	5.5	3.3
Shelter	201.7	4.8	3.7	182.7	11.3	8.8	175.4	6.4	5.7	188.7	6.0	4.3
Rent, residential	159.1	5.9	.6	156.8	6.1	1.9	137.4	4.2	.8	142.9	.5	-1.9
Other rental costs	211.5	6.7	6.5	199.0	6.3	1.6	199.6	4.9	.1	206.7	7.5	1.4
Homeownership	211.0	4.6	4.2	186.5	12.1	10.0	180.9	6.7	6.5	196.2	6.7	5.3
Property taxes ²	126.1	1.5	.0	134.5	3.8	.2	131.9	2.2	.0	115.2	2.8	1.1
Fuel and other utilities	188.5	1.1	-.2	193.6	.3	.5	197.0	5.6	1.8	189.1	5.3	1.5
Fuels ³	184.9	1.1	-1.1	185.5	-.1	.6	203.3	7.3	.2	179.1	3.1	2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	209.3	-4.2	-.6	205.6	-4.2	1.0	208.6	-3.9	-.1	189.4	-6.4	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	181.6	2.0	-1.1	181.6	.9	.5	202.0	10.6	.3	176.9	5.4	2.3
Household furnishings and operation	141.0	1.7	.6	141.3	1.9	.9	140.4	1.2	1.1	148.6	3.0	.6
Apparel and upkeep	124.4	4.7	3.2	139.5	3.9	1.9	133.5	2.9	3.8	130.8	2.4	1.1
Apparel commodities	118.0	4.9	3.8	136.1	4.1	2.3	129.7	2.9	4.1	127.8	2.2	1.1
Men's and boys' apparel	119.8	4.4	4.4	138.0	4.4	2.3	114.6	1.7	3.7	119.2	-2.9	-2.8
Women's and girls' apparel	109.8	4.4	4.1	129.6	6.9	3.9	134.9	7.3	5.4	122.5	7.8	3.8
Footwear	125.6	9.1	3.6	135.7	3.9	.4	134.6	-1.5	7.7	152.5	4.5	.9
Transportation	175.0	3.2	2.0	179.0	2.6	2.7	181.3	3.0	1.9	180.3	3.4	2.3
Private transportation	172.8	3.2	2.2	178.5	2.6	2.7	180.5	3.0	2.0	178.4	3.2	2.4
Public transportation	220.6	3.6	.0	204.8	2.8	2.9	227.3	5.3	-8	260.8	9.3	-.4
Medical care	186.8	5.1	1.0	190.9	6.8	.6	184.2	4.4	1.0	184.9	4.3	.9
Entertainment	155.4	3.9	.3	139.9	1.2	.2	147.2	3.1	.1	148.0	1.8	-3.0
Other goods and services	176.1	6.0	.2	187.4	5.5	-.2	170.7	3.8	-.5	184.8	5.6	.7
Personal care	148.1	3.6	.1	168.2	4.9	-.3	142.6	.1	-1.2	158.4	2.7	.6

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	172.3	3.5	1.8	170.6	4.9	3.1	166.9	3.9	2.4	173.1	4.0	1.9
Commodities	159.7	2.5	2.0	163.0	4.0	3.0	158.2	2.5	1.7	160.8	2.3	2.0
Food and beverages	151.5	1.9	-.1	154.6	1.8	-.3	150.4	2.0	.1	159.1	1.3	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	163.6	2.8	3.0	166.7	4.9	4.4	161.7	2.7	2.4	161.6	2.8	2.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	161.8	2.2	3.3	174.1	2.4	3.8	167.3	1.4	3.0	162.4	1.8	3.8
Durables	165.0	3.2	2.9	161.6	6.8	4.9	157.7	3.7	1.9	161.1	3.3	2.3
Services	193.2	4.8	1.3	184.5	6.3	3.4	183.0	6.3	3.4	195.5	6.5	1.9
Medical care services	188.7	4.8	1.0	189.5	5.8	.4	185.4	4.2	.9	185.7	3.6	.9
Special indexes :												
All items less shelter	162.0	2.9	.9	166.3	2.5	1.1	163.9	3.0	1.2	167.2	3.1	1.0
All items less medical care	171.6	3.4	1.8	169.8	4.8	3.3	166.1	3.9	2.4	172.5	3.9	2.0
All items less energy	169.3	3.9	1.6	166.4	5.6	2.9	162.6	4.1	2.3	170.8	4.3	1.5
Energy ³	190.4	.5	3.2	190.9	-.2	4.8	199.2	2.8	3.3	184.9	1.1	6.0
Commodities less food	163.0	2.7	3.0	166.3	4.8	4.4	161.3	2.7	2.3	161.7	2.7	2.7
Nondurables less food	160.5	2.2	3.0	172.7	2.4	3.6	166.2	1.5	3.0	162.7	1.9	3.5
Nondurables	156.3	2.1	1.5	164.0	2.1	1.7	158.6	1.7	1.6	160.7	1.6	1.8
Services less rent	198.0	4.7	1.4	187.6	6.3	3.5	188.1	6.5	3.6	202.0	7.0	2.2
Services less medical care	193.7	4.9	1.4	184.0	6.4	3.6	182.8	6.5	3.7	196.6	6.8	2.0

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	173.4	4.2	1.2	172.3	4.7	1.0	171.2	3.7	0.1	169.7	2.0	-0.6
Food and beverages	161.0	2.2	.0	160.0	2.0	-2	155.2	1.9	-.3	159.7	2.1	.0
Food	161.7	2.2	-.1	160.2	1.9	-.3	155.1	1.8	-.4	160.3	2.2	.0
Food at home	157.6	1.7	-.4	153.8	1.1	-.8	151.0	.7	-.6	155.1	.6	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	165.2	3.6	-.2	161.1	4.5	-.4	162.0	3.5	.2	161.2	3.9	-.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	149.6	-3.3	-.8	145.3	-3.3	-.2	140.9	-3.2	-1.8	153.5	-4.6	-.5
Dairy products	150.9	5.0	-.4	152.4	2.8	-.7	150.2	3.9	1.1	157.0	6.4	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	173.4	4.8	-1.8	177.9	2.5	-3.2	171.4	3.4	.2	173.1	1.1	.8
Other foods at home	158.9	3.5	.6	149.9	2.9	-.7	147.7	.5	-1.0	145.5	2.2	-.7
Food away from home	170.9	3.4	.8	174.5	3.6	.8	166.9	4.9	.2	173.9	6.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages	150.9	2.4	1.0	155.0	2.8	.3	156.3	3.1	.9	144.1	.6	-.3
Housing	179.9	5.0	1.4	175.6	6.4	1.3	176.3	4.0	-1.1	172.1	.7	-3.3
Shelter	187.9	6.1	1.3	186.8	8.3	1.6	185.5	3.9	-2.0	187.2	.6	-5.1
Rent, residential	165.0	3.6	-.2	155.0	2.6	-.2	162.1	2.3	.3	159.1	2.3	.6
Other rental costs	211.9	6.8	2.3	215.1	1.5	-3.8	196.3	5.9	.2	204.0	-.7	13.2
Homeownership	196.6	7.0	1.9	192.7	9.4	2.0	190.0	4.2	-2.4	192.3	.4	-6.3
Property taxes ²	146.6	10.3	.5	148.2	6.2	.4	152.4	10.5	6.8	143.0	14.4	.0
Fuel and other utilities	188.4	2.4	.5	176.4	2.1	-.2	182.6	4.5	.6	163.3	.1	.1
Fuels ³	184.9	2.1	.7	184.8	.5	-.5	200.0	4.1	.9	160.1	-4.1	.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	226.9	-3.5	-.5	210.5	-4.3	-1.6	191.4	-2.6	-1.0	194.3	-3.1	-.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	178.8	3.2	.8	183.0	.9	-.4	200.9	4.8	1.1	153.5	-4.4	.3
Household furnishings and operation	147.7	3.1	2.0	139.0	2.9	1.2	142.9	3.2	.6	140.0	1.7	.4
Apparel and upkeep	140.7	6.0	2.9	132.2	3.2	1.5	131.5	2.3	.5	123.6	2.7	1.9
Apparel commodities	133.0	5.4	3.3	123.5	2.2	1.5	126.0	1.6	.2	118.7	2.2	1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	136.0	5.8	3.9	137.4	4.7	-.4	140.3	2.4	2.1	117.5	3.7	2.9
Women's and girls' apparel	130.0	7.9	4.4	112.5	3.8	5.8	113.3	1.6	-.8	116.0	7.1	5.6
Footwear	129.3	6.4	3.3	124.4	-1.0	-1.3	130.3	2.0	.2	121.8	-8.1	-4.2
Transportation	179.7	3.3	1.6	184.6	3.9	1.7	185.4	4.3	2.1	182.8	2.8	2.3
Private transportation	177.8	3.3	1.7	183.9	4.0	1.7	185.0	4.2	2.2	181.4	2.6	2.4
Public transportation	222.3	5.5	.1	216.7	4.7	-.2	197.9	4.7	-1.0	234.8	9.8	.6
Medical care	191.2	6.5	1.3	190.0	5.9	.7	193.4	5.2	.6	196.9	3.7	.6
Entertainment	160.6	5.5	.9	156.5	2.4	-.3	154.4	2.0	1.4	153.2	2.8	.9
Other goods and services	175.9	4.8	.3	183.9	6.9	1.2	177.2	6.7	.1	175.0	3.9	-.1
Personal care	162.1	1.6	.6	167.4	4.4	1.5	158.8	5.7	-.1	149.6	.8	-.8

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
	Commodity and service group											
All items	173.4	4.2	1.2	172.3	4.7	1.0	171.2	3.7	0.1	169.7	2.0	-0.6
Commodities	165.8	3.2	1.4	165.3	3.8	1.5	162.8	2.8	.1	161.7	1.9	.1
Food and beverages	161.0	2.2	.0	160.0	2.0	-.2	155.2	1.9	-.3	159.7	2.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	168.1	3.8	2.1	167.6	4.6	2.2	166.6	3.3	.4	162.6	1.8	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	168.5	2.6	2.6	164.2	2.7	2.5	164.9	2.4	2.3	159.6	1.6	2.8
Durables	167.8	4.7	1.6	169.9	5.8	2.0	167.9	4.0	-1.2	164.9	1.9	-1.8
Services	185.3	5.6	.8	184.0	6.3	.3	185.9	5.0	.0	183.4	2.1	-1.8
Medical care services	191.7	6.4	1.3	189.9	5.8	.6	194.6	4.6	.5	198.7	3.1	.4
Special indexes :												
All items less shelter	168.4	3.5	1.1	167.0	3.3	.7	166.7	3.5	.8	164.5	2.4	.9
All items less medical care	172.5	4.1	1.1	171.4	4.7	1.1	170.0	3.6	.1	167.9	1.8	-.8
All items less energy	170.2	4.7	.9	169.9	5.3	.8	167.5	3.8	-.4	168.7	2.5	-1.2
Energy ³	190.7	.8	2.8	190.3	.3	3.1	196.1	2.5	3.8	171.8	-2.4	4.2
Commodities less food	167.6	3.7	2.0	167.3	4.5	2.1	166.3	3.2	.3	162.3	1.8	.1
Nondurables less food	167.4	2.6	2.4	163.7	2.7	2.4	164.5	2.5	2.2	159.1	1.6	2.8
Nondurables	164.7	2.4	1.3	162.0	2.3	1.1	159.8	2.1	.9	159.6	1.9	1.3
Services less rent	189.9	6.0	1.0	188.0	6.8	.4	188.8	5.3	.0	186.1	2.0	-2.0
Services less medical care	184.5	5.5	.7	183.3	6.4	.3	184.8	5.1	.0	180.9	1.9	-2.2

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Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Expenditure category												
All items	169.7	3.3	0.7	173.3	4.1	0.7	164.2	4.6	0.9	171.5	4.8	0.4
Food and beverages	160.9	2.2	.0	163.7	2.7	-.1	160.7	2.6	.3	165.7	3.6	.2
Food	162.4	2.3	.1	164.9	2.8	-.1	160.3	2.5	.3	166.4	3.4	.1
Food at home	155.3	1.8	-.4	161.9	2.8	-.6	155.8	2.5	-.1	161.0	3.1	.1
Cereals and bakery products	169.1	4.3	.2	172.9	4.4	.0	166.8	4.7	1.2	168.8	3.1	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	145.9	-3.2	-2.1	154.0	.3	-2.6	151.1	-1.4	-.8	154.7	-.6	-1.0
Dairy products	151.7	1.8	.2	152.7	2.6	.1	146.1	1.2	-.3	144.7	5.1	2.2
Fruits and vegetables	163.5	7.1	.4	182.2	6.5	-.8	172.7	9.4	.3	191.8	11.3	-1.0
Other foods at home	157.2	3.4	.3	161.1	2.9	1.1	152.1	2.6	-.1	157.4	1.8	.2
Food away from home	175.9	3.0	1.0	170.9	2.8	.8	169.7	2.4	.9	176.3	4.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages	141.6	.8	-1.5	148.3	2.6	.8	167.5	4.4	1.0	155.3	6.7	1.7
Housing	171.4	2.9	.4	176.2	4.1	.1	156.7	4.7	-.1	174.3	7.5	-.1
Shelter	174.1	2.9	.5	181.1	4.6	-.2	155.2	5.5	-1.6	178.4	11.1	.2
Rent, residential	188.0	7.1	.2	183.7	7.7	2.4	166.0	6.0	-.3	151.5	5.9	1.5
Other rental costs	197.3	3.7	3.6	201.1	6.5	1.2	214.9	5.5	.9	191.5	3.9	.1
Homeownership	170.5	1.9	.5	180.1	3.8	-.9	151.8	5.3	-1.9	186.6	12.7	-.2
Property taxes ²	138.0	5.7	.9	137.9	3.4	.1	98.9	5.8	.0	141.9	7.3	.0
Fuel and other utilities	198.8	3.2	-.5	196.7	4.6	.7	185.0	3.1	6.5	191.3	.1	-1.8
Fuels ³	227.0	3.9	-.9	226.3	6.2	.6	205.7	3.6	9.6	183.2	-.6	-3.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	214.7	-2.6	.5	196.7	-2.6	-.3	NA	NA	NA	189.1	-3.1	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	227.8	4.3	-1.0	231.2	7.6	.7	203.2	4.1	11.6	181.8	.1	-4.0
Household furnishings and operation	144.3	3.1	.6	142.3	.9	.8	142.3	2.6	1.4	144.0	.3	.7
Apparel and upkeep	124.7	2.3	-.1	132.1	4.9	3.0	132.0	4.4	2.4	144.1	1.8	.6
Apparel commodities	118.0	1.1	-.2	128.2	5.0	3.2	127.8	4.0	2.7	139.7	1.7	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	120.5	4.3	.4	133.3	7.6	4.9	129.8	2.8	-.9	129.3	3.9	1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	101.1	1.2	-1.1	110.8	2.5	4.4	123.3	4.7	4.8	146.4	2.2	2.0
Footwear	142.8	-4.7	.6	139.7	8.5	.6	138.5	1.5	6.3	141.4	-.4	1.3
Transportation	185.5	4.2	2.3	186.2	4.0	2.1	181.7	4.8	3.1	175.8	1.6	.9
Private transportation	185.0	3.9	2.3	184.1	4.0	2.1	180.1	4.5	3.0	172.2	2.3	1.0
Public transportation	195.4	7.2	2.0	237.9	5.1	2.0	226.1	10.3	5.4	237.6	-5.9	-.9
Medical care	192.8	6.2	.9	186.7	5.5	1.8	197.6	6.6	1.0	194.5	4.6	.5
Entertainment	138.1	3.7	1.2	157.0	4.6	.6	169.5	6.7	2.4	150.7	.3	1.8
Other goods and services	184.9	7.4	.4	181.0	6.7	.7	176.7	6.4	.5	182.4	4.7	.9
Personal care	167.5	3.8	.8	165.8	5.9	1.0	157.8	5.1	-.2	154.2	1.6	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28(OS). Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (Old Series): Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985	Apr. 1985	Apr. 1984	Feb. 1985
Commodity and service group												
All items	169.7	3.3	0.7	173.3	4.1	0.7	164.2	4.6	0.9	171.5	4.8	0.4
Commodities	159.2	2.4	1.5	164.6	3.1	.8	161.7	3.0	1.6	161.9	3.8	.9
Food and beverages	160.9	2.2	.0	163.7	2.7	-.1	160.7	2.6	.3	165.7	3.6	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	158.5	2.5	2.1	165.0	3.3	1.2	162.2	3.2	2.1	160.0	4.0	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	164.2	2.9	3.0	169.9	4.2	3.3	167.6	2.9	4.6	167.5	1.5	1.3
Durables	154.9	2.2	1.6	161.9	2.7	-.2	159.1	3.4	.7	154.4	6.0	1.2
Services	185.0	4.7	-.2	186.0	5.4	.5	168.0	7.0	.0	186.4	6.1	-.5
Medical care services	193.7	6.1	.8	186.2	4.8	1.6	201.9	6.8	.9	199.4	4.0	.4
Special indexes :												
All items less shelter	167.5	3.7	.9	169.6	3.8	1.1	168.6	4.2	2.1	168.6	2.2	.4
All items less medical care	168.7	3.2	.8	172.5	4.0	.6	162.6	4.5	.9	170.4	4.8	.4
All items less energy	166.3	3.4	.4	169.9	4.0	.4	160.9	4.8	.0	169.3	5.4	.4
Energy ³	204.1	2.6	4.7	206.8	4.2	4.1	197.6	2.3	10.6	182.0	-.7	-.3
Commodities less food	158.0	2.5	2.1	164.5	3.3	1.2	162.3	3.2	2.1	159.9	4.1	1.3
Nondurables less food	162.5	2.8	2.7	168.3	4.1	3.1	167.6	2.9	4.4	166.7	1.9	1.3
Nondurables	162.4	2.5	1.4	166.6	3.4	1.5	163.9	2.8	2.3	166.6	2.7	.7
Services less rent	184.4	4.2	-.2	186.4	5.0	.2	168.3	7.1	.0	194.0	6.1	-.8
Services less medical care	184.1	4.5	-.3	186.0	5.4	.4	164.2	7.0	-.2	185.1	6.4	-.5

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.
The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:
A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.
Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.
² January 1981=100.
³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.
^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time in a fixed market basket of goods and services. Effective with the January 1978 index, the Bureau of Labor Statistics began publishing CPI's for two population groups: (1) a new CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) which covers approximately 80 percent of the total noninstitutional civilian population; and (2) a revised CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) which represents about half the population covered by the CPI-U. The CPI-U includes, in addition to wage earners and clerical workers, groups which historically have been excluded from CPI coverage, such as professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, and retirees and others not in the labor force.

The CPI is based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and the other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 85 urban areas across the country from about 18,000 tenants, 18,000 housing units for property taxes, and about 24,000 establishments—grocery and department stores, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of food, fuels, and a few other items are obtained every month in all 85 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the five largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits of the Bureau's trained representatives. Mail questionnaires are used to obtain public utility rates, some fuel prices, and certain other items.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. Separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 28 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities, they only measure the

average change in prices for each area since the base period.

The index measures price changes from a designated reference date—1967—which equals 100.0. An increase of 122 percent, for example, is shown as 222.0. This change can also be expressed in dollars as follows: The price of a base period "market basket" of goods and services in the CPI has risen from \$10 in 1967 to \$22.20.

For further details see the following: *The Consumer Price Index: Concepts and Content Over the Years*, Report 517, revised edition (Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 1978); "The Revision of the Consumer Price Index," by W. John Layng, reprinted from the *Statistical Reporter*, February 1978, No. 78-5 (U.S. Dept. of Commerce), "Revisions in the Medical Care Service Component of the Consumer Price Index," by Daniel H. Ginsburg, *Monthly Labor Review*, August 1978; and *CPI Issues*, Report 593, (Bureau of Labor Statistics, February 1980).

Calculating Index Changes

Movements of the indexes from one month to another are usually expressed as percent changes rather than changes in index points, because index point changes are affected by the level of the index in relation to its base period while percent changes are not. The example in the accompanying box illustrates the computation of index point and percent changes.

Percent changes for 3-month and 6-month periods are expressed as annual rates and are computed according to the standard formula for compound growth rates. These data indicate what the percent change would be if the current rate were maintained for a 12-month period.

Index Point Change	
CPI	236.4
Less previous index	233.2
Equals index point change	3.2
Percent Change	
Index point difference	3.2
Divided by the previous index	233.2
Equals	0.014
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.014x100
Equals percent change	1.4

Homeownership Changes

Effective with data for January 1985, the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) has been changed to incorporate a rental equivalence measure of homeownership costs. The Bureau of Labor Statistics announced plans to change the treatment of homeownership costs on October 27, 1981. Effective with release of the index for January 1983, the BLS had made the same changes in the way in which homeownership costs were measured in the CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U).

The rental equivalence approach calculates shelter cost of homeownership based on the implicit rent owners would have to pay to rent the homes they own. The old method calculated homeownership costs as home purchase, mortgage interest costs, property taxes, property insurance, and maintenance and repair. As with the CPI-U, the new homeownership component has been introduced into the CPI-W in such a manner that the indexes using the old and new methods were equal in the so-called link month—December 1984 for the CPI-W. BLS will continue to calculate and make available the CPI-W using the old homeownership approach for the 6-month period from January to June 1985. For more information, see the *CPI Detailed Report* for January 1983, pp. 7-13.

Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, the Bureau of Labor Statistics

publishes seasonally adjusted as well as unadjusted changes each month.

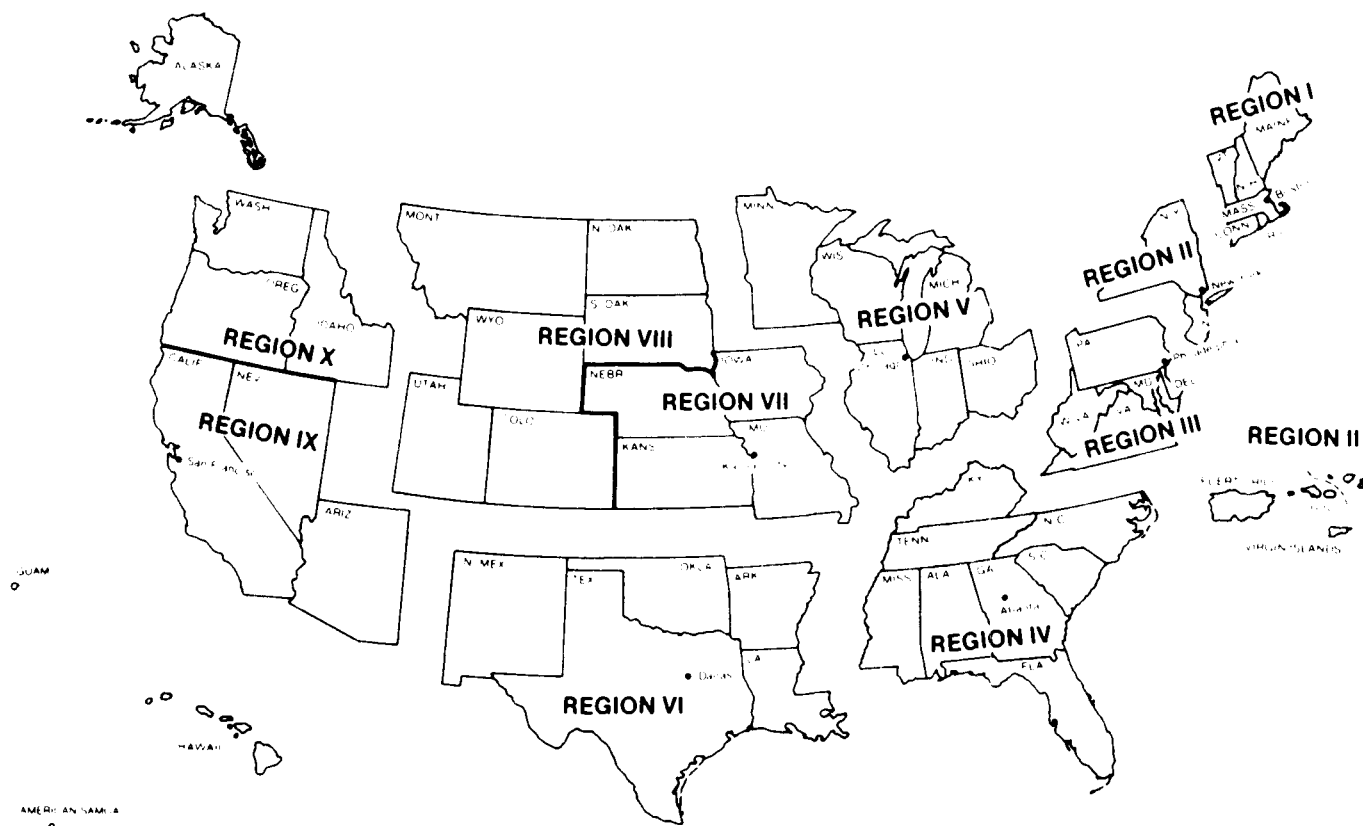
For analyzing general price trends in the economy, seasonally adjusted changes are usually preferred since they eliminate the effect of changes that normally occur at the same time and in about the same magnitude every year—such as price movements resulting from changing climatic conditions, production cycles, model changeovers, holidays, and sales.

The unadjusted data are of primary interest to consumers concerned about the prices they actually pay. Unadjusted data also are used extensively for escalation purposes. Many collective bargaining contract agreements and pension plans, for example, tie compensation changes to the Consumer Price Index unadjusted for seasonal variation.

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-11-ARIMA Seasonal Adjustment Method. The updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977. Subsequent annual updates have replaced 5 years of seasonal data, e.g., data from 1980 through 1984 were replaced at the end of 1984. The seasonal movement of all items and 44 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 51 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 51 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period. If any of the 51 components change their status from not seasonally adjusted to seasonally adjusted, seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years, but not seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period.

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