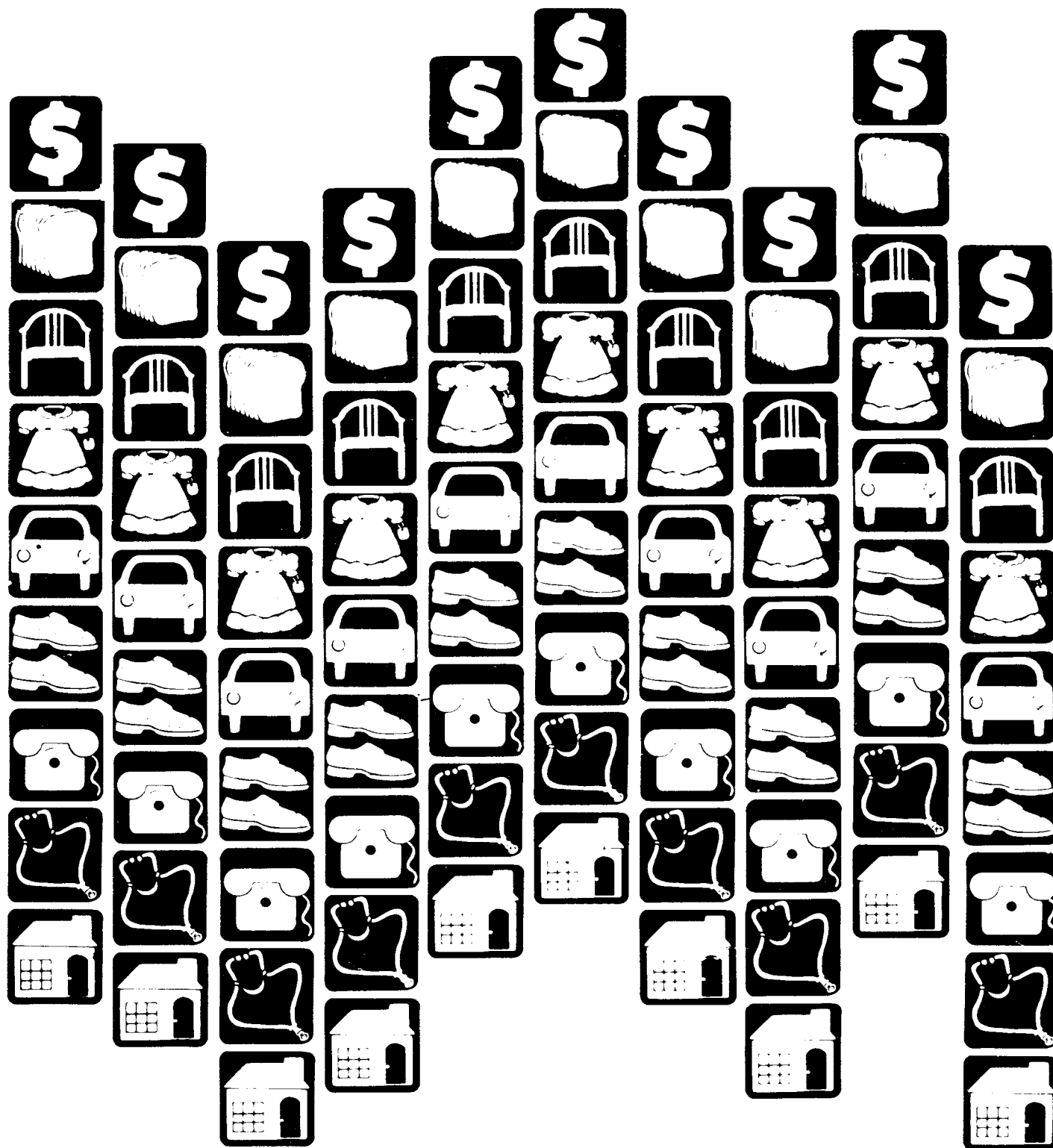


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# Price Movements

## June 1990

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.5 percent before seasonal adjustment in June to a level of 129.9 (1982-84=100). For the 12-month period ended in June, the CPI-U increased 4.7 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 0.6 percent in June prior to seasonal adjustment. The June 1990 CPI-W level of 128.3 was 4.5 percent higher than the index in June 1989.

### CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.5 percent in June, following increases of 0.2 percent in each of the 2 preceding months. In June, increases in the food, shelter, and energy components were responsible for about four-fifths of the overall rise in the CPI-U. A substantial upturn in the index for fruits and vegetables, coupled with a sharp rise in pork and poultry prices, were largely responsible for the increase in the food index. Within energy, an increase in gasoline prices more than offset a decline in the index for household fuels. Rising homeowner costs were primarily responsible for the increase in the shelter index. Excluding food, shelter, and energy, the CPI-U rose 0.2 percent, the same as in May.

Consumer prices rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate (SAAR) of 3.5 percent in the second quarter of 1990 after advancing at a 8.5-percent rate in the first quarter. This brought the year-to-date annual rate to 5.9 percent, about the same as the 5.7-percent SAAR during the first half of 1989. After advancing at rates of more than 10 percent in the first quarter

of this year, energy prices declined during the 3-month period ended in June and food prices slowed to a 2.1-percent SAAR. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose at a 3.9-percent annual rate in the second quarter, compared with a 7.5-percent annual rate in the first quarter. Shelter costs, which had risen at a 6.0-percent rate in the first 3 months of 1990, advanced at a 5.6-percent rate in the second quarter. The moderation in the index for all items less food, energy, and shelter between the first and second quarters was primarily due to the substantially smaller rate of increase in prices for other commodities. Clothing prices, which had risen at a 23-percent rate in the first 3 months, declined at a 2.3-percent rate in the period from March to June. The rates for selected groups during the past 4 years and the first 6 months of 1990 are shown below.

|                                               | Percent change           |      |      |      | SAAR           |           |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------|------|------|----------------|-----------|-----------|
|                                               | 12 months ended December |      |      |      | 3-months ended |           |           |
|                                               | 1986                     | 1987 | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 March     | 1990 June | 1990 June |
| All items .....                               | 1.1                      | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.6  | 8.5            | 3.5       | 5.9       |
| Energy .....                                  | -19.7                    | 8.2  | .5   | 5.1  | 14.8           | -2.0      | 6.0       |
| Energy commodities .....                      | -30.5                    | 17.8 | -2.3 | 7.9  | 28.0           | 1.3       | 13.9      |
| Energy services .....                         | -3.3                     | .2   | 3.2  | 2.8  | 3.7            | -5.0      | -.7       |
| All items less energy .....                   | 3.8                      | 4.1  | 4.7  | 4.6  | 7.9            | 4.0       | 5.9       |
| Food .....                                    | 3.8                      | 3.5  | 5.2  | 5.6  | 11.4           | 2.1       | 6.7       |
| All items less food and energy .....          | 3.8                      | 4.2  | 4.7  | 4.4  | 7.5            | 3.9       | 5.7       |
| Shelter .....                                 | 4.6                      | 4.8  | 4.5  | 4.9  | 6.0            | 5.6       | 5.8       |
| All item less food, shelter, and energy ..... | 3.3                      | 3.8  | 4.7  | 4.1  | 7.9            | 3.1       | 5.5       |
| Other commodities .....                       | 1.4                      | 3.5  | 4.0  | 2.7  | 7.7            | .8        | 4.2       |
| Other services .....                          | 5.6                      | 4.3  | 5.6  | 5.5  | 8.5            | 5.6       | 7.0       |

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

| Expenditure category               | Seasonally adjusted          |         |          |       |       |     |      |                                                              | Unadjusted                         |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|----------|-------|-------|-----|------|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|                                    | Changes from preceding month |         |          |       |       |     |      | Compound<br>annual rate<br>3-months<br>ended<br>June<br>1990 | 12 months<br>ended<br>June<br>1990 |
|                                    | 1989                         | 1990    |          |       |       |     |      |                                                              |                                    |
|                                    | December                     | January | February | March | April | May | June |                                                              |                                    |
| All items . . . . .                | 0.4                          | 1.1     | 0.5      | 0.5   | 0.2   | 0.2 | 0.5  | 3.5                                                          | 4.7                                |
| Food and beverages . . . . .       | .4                           | 1.8     | .5       | .4    | -.2   | .1  | .7   | 2.2                                                          | 5.4                                |
| Housing . . . . .                  | .4                           | .7      | .2       | .5    | .1    | .2  | .6   | 3.5                                                          | 4.4                                |
| Apparel and upkeep . . . . .       | -.3                          | 0       | 3.3      | 1.6   | .1    | -.3 | -.1  | -1.3                                                         | 4.7                                |
| Transportation . . . . .           | .3                           | 2.1     | .3       | -.1   | .1    | -.2 | .4   | 1.4                                                          | 2.0                                |
| Medical care . . . . .             | .6                           | .6      | .8       | .8    | .8    | .8  | .7   | 9.4                                                          | 9.0                                |
| Entertainment . . . . .            | .4                           | .6      | .4       | .4    | .4    | .2  | .2   | 3.1                                                          | 4.5                                |
| Other goods and services . . . . . | .8                           | .8      | .6       | .6    | .4    | .8  | .9   | 8.7                                                          | 9.7                                |

**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<br>annual rate<br>3-months<br>ended<br>June<br>1990 | 12-months<br>ended<br>June<br>1990 |  |
|                          | 1989                         | 1990    |          |       |       |     |      |                                                              |                                    |  |
|                          | December                     | January | February | March | April | May | June |                                                              |                                    |  |
| All items                | 0.4                          | 1.1     | 0.5      | 0.4   | 0.1   | 0.1 | .6   | 3.2                                                          | 4.5                                |  |
| Food and beverages       | .4                           | 1.7     | .6       | .3    | -.2   | .1  | .7   | 2.5                                                          | 5.5                                |  |
| Housing                  | .4                           | .6      | .2       | .5    | 0     | .2  | .6   | 2.9                                                          | 4.2                                |  |
| Apparel and upkeep       | -.4                          | -.1     | 2.9      | 1.9   | .5    | -.2 | 0    | 1.0                                                          | 4.7                                |  |
| Transportation           | .4                           | 2.2     | .3       | -.3   | .2    | -.3 | .4   | 1.4                                                          | 1.5                                |  |
| Medical care             | .5                           | .7      | .6       | .6    | .8    | .8  | .6   | 9.1                                                          | 8.7                                |  |
| Entertainment            | .4                           | .5      | .3       | .4    | .5    | .2  | .2   | 3.1                                                          | 4.4                                |  |
| Other goods and services | .9                           | .7      | .7       | .6    | .5    | .5  | 1.1  | 8.8                                                          | 7.9                                |  |

The food and beverage index increased 0.7 percent in June. Grocery store food prices, which registered declines in each of the preceding 2 months, rose 1.0 percent in June. The upturn reflected larger increases in prices for all of the major grocery store food groups, particularly the indexes for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs and for fruits and vegetables. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs jumped 1.5 percent in June, after a 0.1-percent increase last month. Pork prices—up 4.0 percent in June—have risen sharply for 9 months, advancing at a 26.2-percent annual rate in this period. Poultry prices were up 1.3 percent in June, and beef prices increased 0.4 percent. The indexes for fish and seafood and eggs, each of which had declined in May, turned up in June. There was a sharp turnaround in fruit and vegetable prices in June, as they rose 1.5 percent after falling 2.4 percent in May. Fresh fruit prices rose 2.2 percent after seasonal adjustment, primarily due to a 5.6-percent rise in prices for other fresh fruits. Fresh vegetable prices, which increased 29.2 percent in the first 2 months of the year and then declined 23.6 percent in the next 3 months, advanced 1.4 percent in June. Tomato prices rose 16.2 percent. The index for dairy products rose 0.2 percent in June after declining for 3 consecutive months. The other two components of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—both increased 0.3 percent.

The housing index increased 0.6 percent in June, following a 0.2-percent rise in May. The acceleration was due primarily to a 0.9-percent jump in the shelter component. Within shelter, homeowners' costs climbed 1.1 percent, renters' costs increased 0.4 percent, while maintenance and repair costs declined 0.3 percent. The index for household fuels and other utilities declined 0.2 percent in June as an increase of 2.7 percent in the price of natural gas was more than offset by seasonal declines in prices of electricity and fuel oil—down 1.6 and 4.2 percent, respectively. Among other utilities and public services—up 0.5 percent in June—charges for cable television rose 2.6 percent. In the last 7 months, the index for cable television has increased at an 18.9-percent annual rate. The index for household furnishings and operations declined 0.1 percent in June, largely due to a drop in prices for furniture, bedding, and appliances.

Transportation costs, which declined 0.2 percent in May,

rose 0.4 percent in June due to a turnaround in the index for motor fuels. Gasoline prices jumped 2.5 percent in June after falling 1.6 percent in May. The index for new cars declined 0.2 percent for the fifth consecutive month, while automobile finance charges edged up 0.1 percent, their first increase since January. Used car prices rose 0.3 percent in June, the same as in May. The index for public transportation increased 0.4 percent in June. Airline fares rose 0.3 percent, their smallest increase since a 0.1-percent rate last September. Over that 9-month period, airline fares have risen at a 15.5-percent annual rate.

The index for apparel and upkeep declined for the second consecutive month—down 0.1 percent in June. The decline in clothing prices, which had increased sharply earlier this year, reflects larger than usual seasonal decreases in prices for both men's and girls' apparel. The index for apparel services—laundry, dry cleaning, etc.—advanced 0.3 percent in June.

The medical care component climbed 0.7 percent in June to a level 9.0 percent above a year ago. The index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—advanced 0.8 percent. The index for medical services advanced 0.7 percent. Within medical care services, the cost of professional services and hospital and related services rose 0.3 and 1.0 percent, respectively.

Entertainment costs increased 0.2 percent in June for the second consecutive month. A rise of 0.4 percent in entertainment services, reflecting increased charges for club membership and participant sports, offset a small decline in prices for entertainment commodities.

The index for other goods and services climbed 0.9 percent in June, following a 0.8-percent rise in May. About 60 percent of the June increase was accounted for by a 2.4-percent jump in prices for tobacco and smoking products. This follows a sharp rise in the wholesale prices for tobacco products in May.

### **CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-)**

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers rose 0.6 percent in June.

# Reconciling Two Measures of Consumer Price Change: First Quarter 1990

This article continues the analysis of differences between two 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 (BEA) of the Department of Commerce. More information on the technique of reconciliation is available in the September 1981 *Monthly Labor Review*.<sup>1</sup>

Prior to December 1985, when BEA rebased the PCE data from a 1972 to a 1982 reference base<sup>2</sup>, the residual housing effect contributed a substantial portion of the cumulative difference between the CPI and PCE.<sup>3</sup> However, with the use of a 1982 reference base, it is no longer a contributing factor, because both the CPI and the PCE have used a rental equivalence measure of homeowners' costs since the beginning of 1983.

<sup>1</sup> 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*.

<sup>2</sup> The November 1985 *CPI Detailed Report* contains the final reconciliation (running through the third quarter of 1985) of the CPI and PCE using 1972 weights.

<sup>3</sup> See "Reconciling Two Measures of Consumer Price Change: Second Quarter 1984," *CPI Detailed Report*, July 1984, pp. 4-6, for an explanation of the residual housing effect. A subsequent reconciliation appeared in the October 1984 *Detailed Report*.

## Cumulative differences

Through the first quarter of 1990, the CPI remained at a lower level than the current-weight PCE (see table C). Since 1982, the CPI rose 33.0 percent while the PCE increased 34.2 percent. The net difference of 1.2 percentage points is attributable to two partially offsetting factors—weighting differences and an aggregate of "other" effects. Weighting differences reflect the cumulative effect of the PCE using current, or moving, weights rather than 1982 fixed weights. As of the first quarter, weighting accounted for a difference of 2.0 percent.

The weighting effect, however, was more than offset by a 3.2-percentage-point difference in "other" effects as measured by a comparison of the two Laspeyres-formula indexes, the CPI-U and the fixed-weight PCE. The fixed-weight PCE has risen 36.2 percent since 1982, compared with the CPI's rise of 33.0 percent. Historically, "other" effects have mainly resulted from differences in seasonal adjustment methods, different market baskets, and the use of the Consumer Expenditure Survey data for determining the weight distribution in the CPI as opposed to the GNP composition used by the PCE to determine its weighting structure. The CPI began using weights derived from the 1982-84 Consumer Expenditure Survey in January 1987, whereas the PCE had been using 1982 based weights since 1982. This gap in

**Table C. Comparison of cumulative changes in CPI indexes and Personal Consumption Expenditure price measures, 1982 to dates shown**

(1982=100)

| Price measure                      | 1982<br>base<br>period | 1987  | 1988  | 1989  | 1989  |       |       |       | 1990  |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                    |                        |       |       |       | I     | II    | III   | IV    |       |
| CPI-U <sup>1</sup> .....           | 100.0                  | 117.7 | 122.6 | 128.5 | 126.3 | 128.2 | 129.1 | 130.4 | 133.0 |
| PCE: Current weight .....          | 100.0                  | 119.8 | 124.5 | 130.0 | 128.0 | 129.8 | 130.4 | 131.8 | 134.2 |
| Difference: Total effect .....     | 0.0                    | -2.1  | -1.9  | -1.5  | -1.7  | -1.6  | -1.3  | -1.4  | -1.2  |
| PCE: 1982 weight .....             | 100.0                  | 120.7 | 125.9 | 131.8 | 129.6 | 131.6 | 132.3 | 133.8 | 136.2 |
| PCE: Current weight .....          | 100.0                  | 119.8 | 124.5 | 130.0 | 128.0 | 129.8 | 130.4 | 131.8 | 134.2 |
| Difference: Weighting effect ..... | 0.0                    | .9    | 1.4   | 1.8   | 1.6   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   |
| CPI-U <sup>1</sup> .....           | 100.0                  | 117.7 | 122.6 | 128.5 | 126.3 | 128.2 | 129.1 | 130.4 | 133.0 |
| PCE: 1982 weight .....             | 100.0                  | 120.7 | 125.9 | 131.8 | 129.6 | 131.6 | 132.3 | 133.8 | 136.2 |
| Difference: Other effect .....     | 0.0                    | -3.0  | -3.3  | -3.3  | -3.3  | -3.4  | -3.2  | -3.4  | -3.2  |

<sup>1</sup> Indexes and percent changes for the CPI-U may differ from those previously published due to the BLS annual practice of revising seasonal factors.

Note: The Bureau of Economic Analysis periodically revises PCE data. For this reason, some of the figures in tables C and D may differ from those previously published.

**Table D. Comparison of annual or quarterly percent changes in CPI and Personal Consumption Expenditure price measures, 1987-1990 <sup>1</sup>**

| Price measure,               | 1987 | 1988 | 1989 | 1989 |      |     |      | 1990 |
|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|
|                              |      |      |      | I    | II   | III | IV   | I    |
| CPI-U <sup>2</sup>           | 3.6  | 4.1  | 4.8  | 5.4  | 6.0  | 2.9 | 3.9  | 8.2  |
| PCE: Chain weight            | 4.7  | 4.1  | 4.5  | 4.7  | 5.8  | 2.1 | 4.4  | 7.2  |
| Difference: Total effect     | -1.1 | 0.0  | 0.3  | 0.7  | 0.2  | 0.8 | -0.5 | 1.0  |
| PCE: 1982 weight             | 4.7  | 4.3  | 4.7  | 4.8  | 6.3  | 2.2 | 4.4  | 7.5  |
| PCE: Chain weight            | 4.7  | 4.1  | 4.5  | 4.7  | 5.8  | 2.1 | 4.4  | 7.2  |
| Difference: Weighting effect | 0.0  | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.1  | 0.5  | 0.1 | 0.0  | 0.3  |
| CPI-U <sup>2</sup>           | 3.6  | 4.1  | 4.8  | 5.4  | 6.0  | 2.9 | 3.9  | 8.2  |
| PCE: 1982 weight             | 4.7  | 4.3  | 4.7  | 4.8  | 6.3  | 2.2 | 4.4  | 7.5  |
| Difference: Other effect     | -1.1 | -0.2 | 0.1  | 0.6  | -0.3 | 0.7 | -0.5 | 0.7  |

<sup>1</sup> Indexes and percent changes for the CPI-U may differ from those previously published due to the BLS annual practice of revising seasonal factors.

<sup>2</sup> Annual average percent changes for the CPI-U are calculated from indexes on a 1982-84 reference base.

weighting between 1982 and 1987 further contributed to the cumulative differences reflected in "other" effects which occurred during that time period.

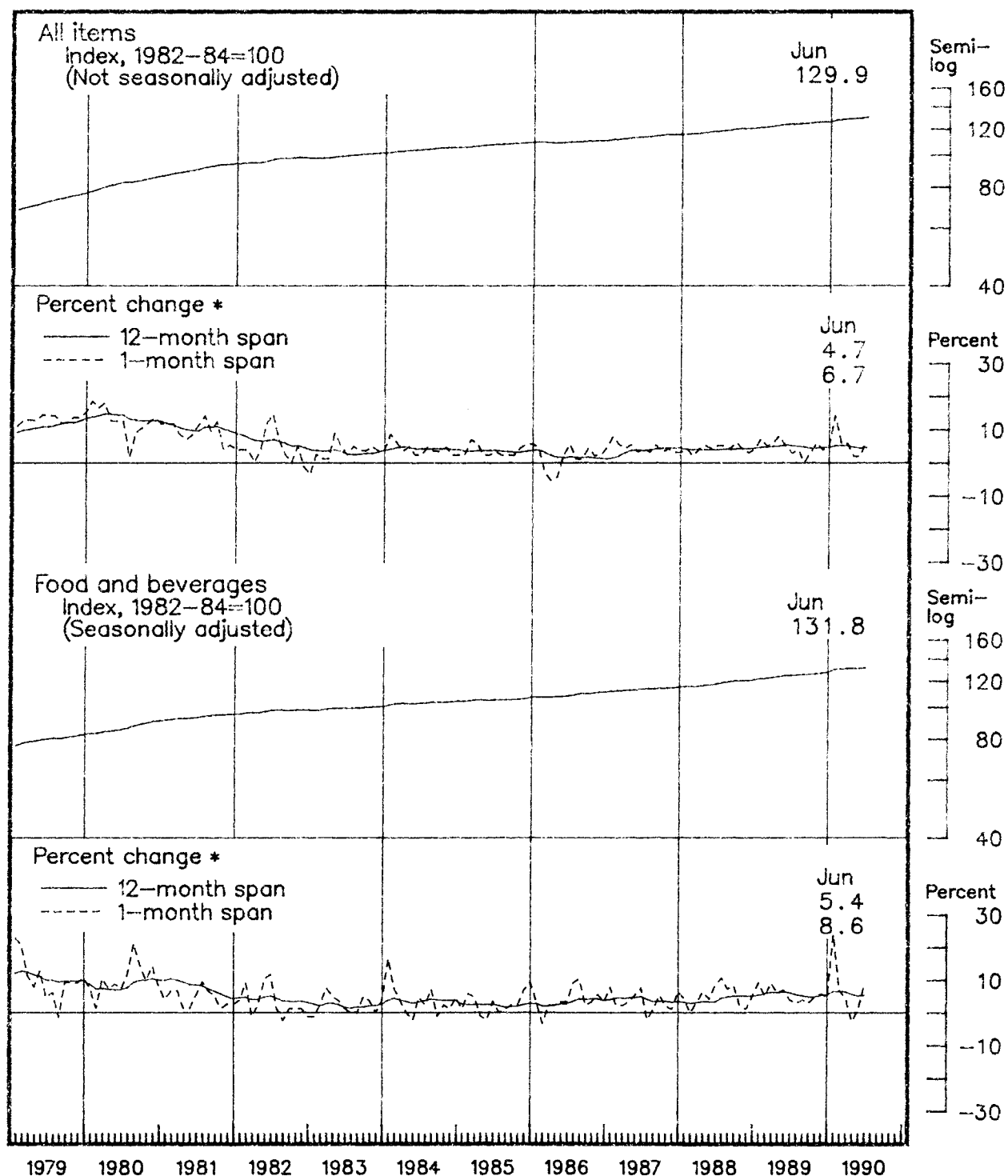
### Period-to-period differences

When differences in the annual and quarterly rates of change in the CPI and PCE are analyzed (see table D), the chain-weight PCE is used in place of the current-weight PCE.<sup>4</sup> The chain-weight PCE uses the Laspeyres formula and gets its weights from the first of the two periods compared. The

The CPI-U rose at an annual rate of 8.2 percent between the fourth quarter of 1989 and the first quarter of 1990, 1.0 percent more than the 7.2-percent rise in the chain-weight PCE. The weighting effect is arrived at by comparing the 1982 fixed-weighted PCE with the chain-weight PCE. For the first quarter of 1990, the weighting difference reflected a 0.3-percent faster rise in the fixed-weighted index. The difference between the rates for the CPI-U and the fixed-weighted PCE represents the "other effects" factor, and showed a 0.7-more rapid rise in the CPI. During the fourth quarter, the CPI-U and the CPI-U and the chain-weight PCE had increased at rates of 4.4 percent and 2.1 percent, respectively.

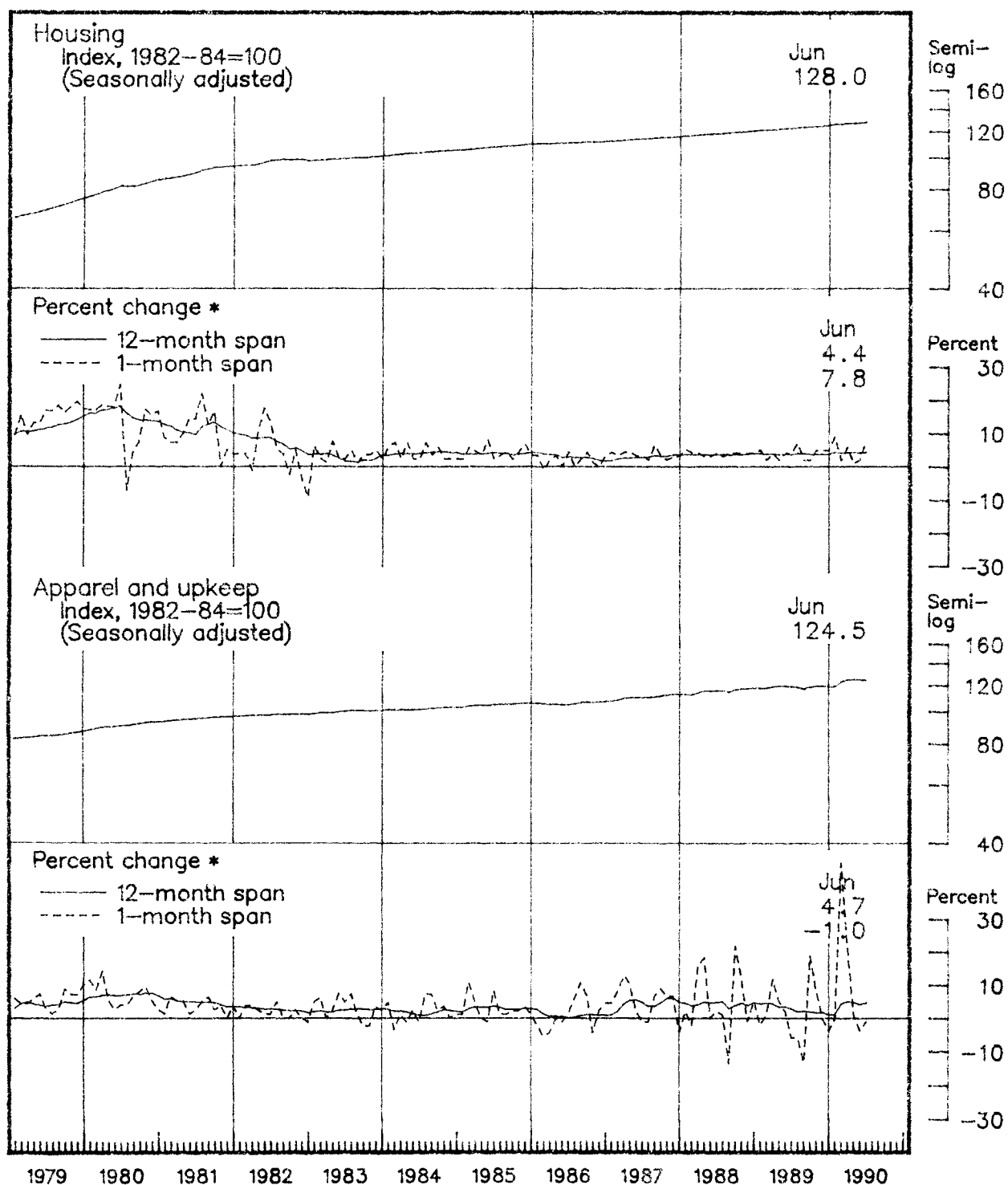
<sup>4</sup> *CPI Detailed Report*, July 1984, p.5.

**Chart 1. CPI-U: All items, food and beverages, 1979-90**



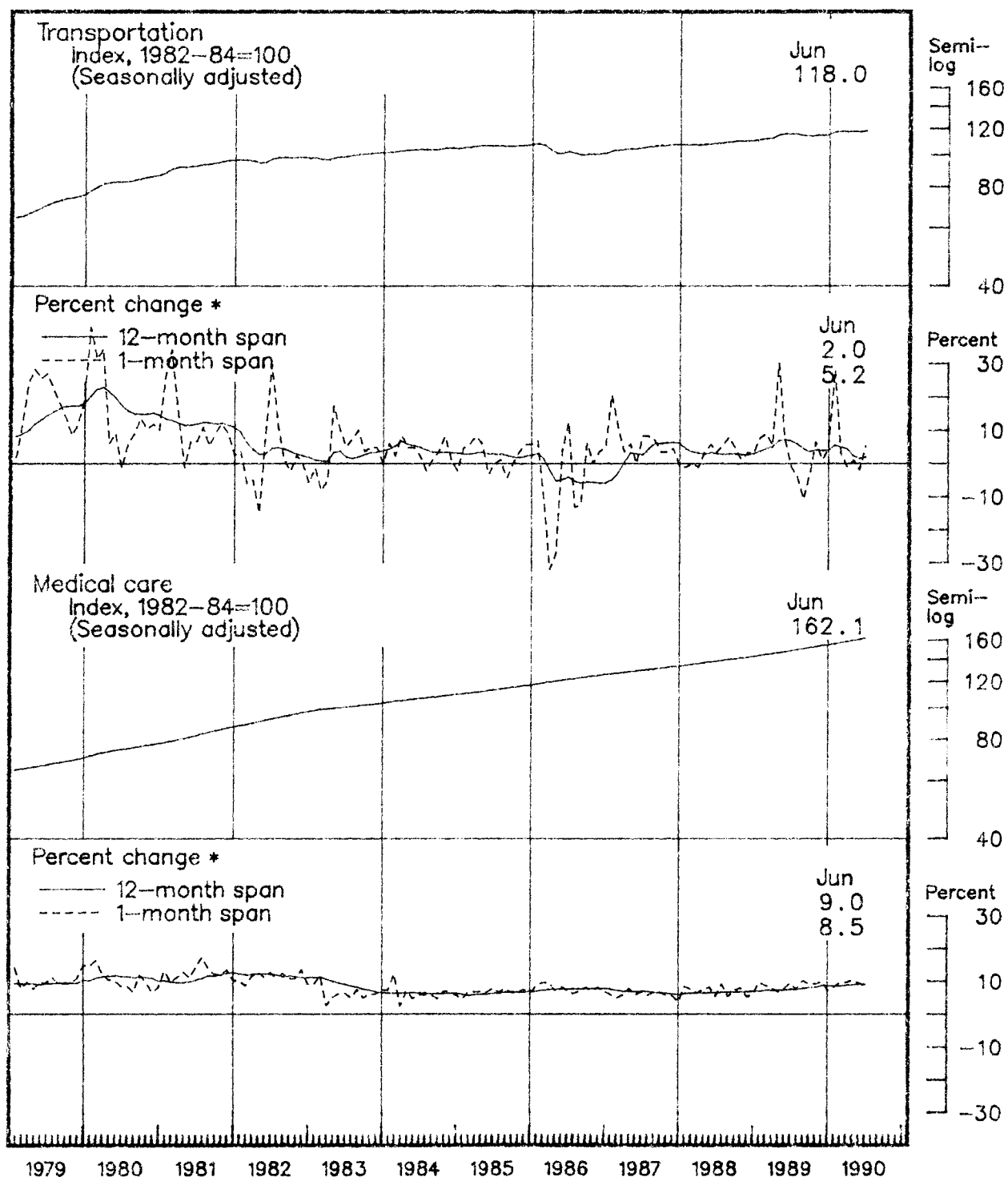
\* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

**Chart 2. CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1979-90**



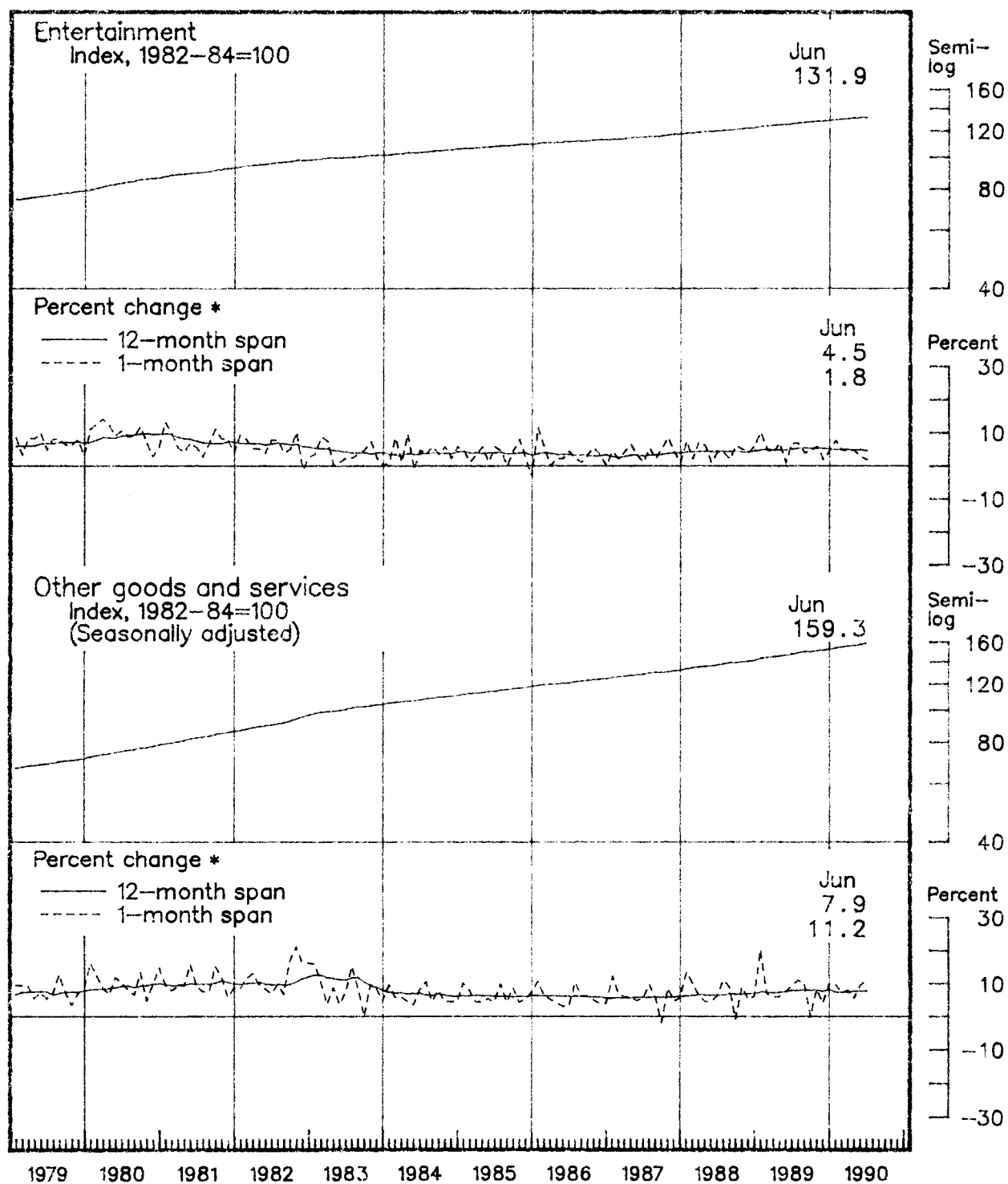
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Chart 3. CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1979-90



\* 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, 1979-90**



\* 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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                        |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Expenditure category                                   |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items .....                                        | 100.000                            | 129.2              | 129.9     | 4.7                                          | 0.5      | 0.2                                      | 0.2         | 0.5         |
| All items (1967=100) .....                             | -                                  | 386.9              | 389.1     | -                                            | -        | -                                        | -           | -           |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 17.865                             | 131.1              | 131.7     | 5.4                                          | .5       | -.2                                      | .1          | .7          |
| Food .....                                             | 16.318                             | 131.3              | 132.0     | 5.6                                          | .5       | -.2                                      | .0          | .8          |
| Food at home .....                                     | 10.129                             | 130.9              | 131.7     | 6.0                                          | .6       | -.7                                      | -.2         | 1.0         |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....         | 1.440                              | 139.3              | 140.1     | 6.1                                          | .6       | .9                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 3.119                              | 127.8              | 129.9     | 7.0                                          | 1.6      | .8                                       | .1          | 1.5         |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 1.296                              | 124.7              | 124.9     | 9.9                                          | .2       | -1.3                                     | -.4         | .2          |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 1.813                              | 147.4              | 147.1     | 4.9                                          | -.2      | -4.4                                     | -2.4        | 1.5         |
| Other food at home .....                               | 2.462                              | 122.6              | 123.1     | 3.3                                          | .4       | .0                                       | .6          | .7          |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                    | .348                               | 124.4              | 124.5     | 4.4                                          | .1       | .5                                       | .6          | .1          |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                       | .267                               | 125.0              | 125.5     | 3.2                                          | .4       | .1                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                           | .797                               | 112.7              | 113.3     | 1.5                                          | .5       | -.4                                      | .6          | 1.2         |
| Other prepared food .....                              | 1.050                              | 130.4              | 130.9     | 4.3                                          | .4       | .0                                       | .5          | .5          |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 6.189                              | 133.0              | 133.4     | 5.0                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .4          | .3          |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 1.546                              | 128.9              | 129.3     | 4.7                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Housing .....                                          | 42.037                             | 127.1              | 128.3     | 4.4                                          | .9       | .1                                       | .2          | .6          |
| Shelter .....                                          | 27.908                             | 138.3              | 139.5     | 5.4                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | .9          |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 7.871                              | 144.4              | 145.3     | 4.8                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .0          | .4          |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 5.955                              | 137.3              | 137.9     | 4.2                                          | .4       | .5                                       | .2          | .4          |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 1.916                              | 148.5              | 150.1     | 6.1                                          | 1.1      | -1.1                                     | -.5         | .3          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 19.825                             | 143.1              | 144.4     | 5.8                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .3          | 1.1         |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 19.428                             | 143.2              | 144.6     | 5.9                                          | 1.0      | .4                                       | .3          | 1.1         |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....               | .398                               | 134.9              | 135.2     | 1.8                                          | .2       | -.3                                      | .4          | .2          |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....             | .212                               | 122.2              | 121.8     | 3.0                                          | -.3      | .0                                       | .8          | -.3         |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....     | .127                               | 126.2              | 125.4     | 3.6                                          | -.6      | .6                                       | .5          | -.6         |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....  | .085                               | 116.7              | 117.0     | 2.0                                          | .3       | -.9                                      | 1.1         | .3          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 7.484                              | 109.9              | 112.2     | 2.7                                          | 2.1      | -.5                                      | .0          | -.2         |
| Fuels .....                                            | 4.214                              | 101.9              | 105.4     | 2.1                                          | 3.4      | -.9                                      | -.2         | -.6         |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....    | .429                               | 88.0               | 84.9      | 5.9                                          | -3.5     | -1.3                                     | -1.1        | -2.8        |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 3.785                              | 107.8              | 112.4     | 1.7                                          | 4.3      | -.8                                      | -.1         | -.4         |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> ..... | 3.269                              | 131.2              | 131.8     | 3.7                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 6.645                              | 113.2              | 113.1     | 1.8                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | .3          | -.1         |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 3.982                              | 106.7              | 106.3     | 1.1                                          | -.4      | -.3                                      | .1          | -.4         |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                            | 1.202                              | 125.0              | 125.8     | 3.8                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .8          | .5          |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....               | 1.461                              | 119.5              | 119.8     | 2.0                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .3          | .3          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 6.131                              | 125.5              | 123.3     | 4.7                                          | -1.8     | .1                                       | -.3         | -.1         |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 5.573                              | 123.6              | 121.1     | 4.6                                          | -2.0     | .0                                       | -.5         | -.1         |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 1.497                              | 121.9              | 119.9     | 3.5                                          | -1.6     | .4                                       | .4          | -.2         |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 2.495                              | 124.7              | 120.9     | 5.3                                          | -3.0     | -.5                                      | -1.0        | -.1         |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....      | .213                               | 127.2              | 127.8     | 3.1                                          | .5       | 1.9                                      | -2.2        | .5          |
| Footwear .....                                         | .823                               | 118.5              | 117.3     | 2.9                                          | -1.0     | .4                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....           | .545                               | 132.1              | 131.4     | 8.1                                          | -.5      | .1                                       | -.5         | -.5         |
| Apparel services .....                                 | .557                               | 136.2              | 136.4     | 4.9                                          | .1       | .8                                       | 1.0         | .3          |

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(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                            | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                  |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Expenditure category                                             |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| Transportation .....                                             | 17.102                             | 117.7              | 118.2     | 2.0                                          | 0.4      | 0.1                                      | -0.2        | 0.4         |
| Private transportation .....                                     | 15.670                             | 115.9              | 116.4     | 1.3                                          | .4       | .1                                       | -.3         | .4          |
| New vehicles .....                                               | 5.226                              | 121.0              | 120.6     | 1.4                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | .1          | -.3         |
| New cars .....                                                   | 4.232                              | 120.7              | 120.3     | 1.0                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | -.2         | -.2         |
| Used cars .....                                                  | 1.237                              | 116.9              | 117.6     | -3.1                                         | .6       | -.6                                      | .3          | .3          |
| Motor fuel .....                                                 | 3.152                              | 92.5               | 94.6      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .3                                       | -1.4        | 2.2         |
| Gasoline .....                                                   | -                                  | 92.4               | 94.6      | -1.7                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | -1.6        | 2.5         |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 1.524                              | 129.4              | 129.6     | 4.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .0          | .2          |
| Other private transportation .....                               | 4.532                              | 140.8              | 141.0     | 3.8                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .0          | .1          |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....      | .720                               | 101.8              | 101.8     | -.1                                          | .0       | -.1                                      | -.1         | .0          |
| Other private transportation services .....                      | 3.812                              | 149.3              | 149.7     | 4.5                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 1.432                              | 140.9              | 141.5     | 9.2                                          | .4       | .9                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Medical care .....                                               | 6.189                              | 160.8              | 161.9     | 9.0                                          | .7       | .8                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                   | 1.179                              | 162.2              | 163.3     | 8.1                                          | .7       | .8                                       | .4          | .8          |
| Medical care services .....                                      | 5.010                              | 160.5              | 161.5     | 9.2                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Professional medical services .....                              | 3.103                              | 155.1              | 155.8     | 6.6                                          | .5       | .7                                       | 1.0         | .3          |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 4.396                              | 131.7              | 131.9     | 4.5                                          | .2       | .4                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 2.079                              | 123.7              | 123.5     | 3.3                                          | -.2      | .3                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 2.317                              | 142.0              | 142.6     | 5.6                                          | .4       | .4                                       | .3          | .4          |
| Other goods and services .....                                   | 6.281                              | 156.6              | 157.8     | 7.9                                          | .8       | .4                                       | .8          | .9          |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 1.478                              | 176.7              | 180.9     | 10.2                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | .6          | 2.4         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 1.217                              | 130.2              | 131.0     | 5.2                                          | .6       | 1.0                                      | -.1         | .6          |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....     | .646                               | 128.3              | 129.2     | 5.7                                          | .7       | 1.1                                      | .0          | .7          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                        | .571                               | 132.1              | 132.8     | 4.6                                          | .5       | .8                                       | -.2         | .5          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                          | 3.586                              | 167.7              | 168.0     | 7.8                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 1.1         | .4          |
| School books and supplies .....                                  | .236                               | 169.9              | 169.8     | 9.1                                          | -.1      | .5                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Personal and educational services .....                          | 3.350                              | 167.7              | 168.1     | 7.8                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 1.1         | .4          |
| Commodity and service group                                      |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items .....                                                  | 100.000                            | 129.2              | 129.9     | 4.7                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Commodities .....                                                | 45.088                             | 121.4              | 121.6     | 3.8                                          | .2       | -.1                                      | -.1         | .5          |
| Food and beverages .....                                         | 17.865                             | 131.1              | 131.7     | 5.4                                          | .5       | -.2                                      | .1          | .7          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                        | 27.223                             | 115.5              | 115.4     | 2.7                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | -.2         | .3          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup> .....           | 15.967                             | 117.1              | 117.1     | 3.9                                          | .0       | .9                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                        | 5.573                              | 123.6              | 121.1     | 4.6                                          | -2.0     | .0                                       | -.5         | -.1         |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 10.394                             | 116.5              | 117.7     | 3.5                                          | 1.0      | .8                                       | .7          | 1.0         |
| Durables .....                                                   | 11.256                             | 113.2              | 112.9     | .7                                           | -.3      | -.2                                      | .0          | -.4         |
| Services .....                                                   | 54.912                             | 137.6              | 138.8     | 5.5                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .3          | .7          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>1 2</sup> .....                             | 27.263                             | 143.7              | 145.0     | 5.5                                          | .9       | .1                                       | .1          | .9          |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....       | 9.075                              | 120.8              | 123.1     | 2.5                                          | 1.9      | -.4                                      | -.1         | .2          |
| Transportation services .....                                    | 6.768                              | 142.5              | 142.9     | 5.4                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .1          | .2          |
| Medical care services .....                                      | 5.010                              | 160.5              | 161.5     | 9.2                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Other services .....                                             | 6.795                              | 148.5              | 148.9     | 6.5                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .7          | .5          |

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                      |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Special indexes                                      |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items less food .....                            | 83.682                             | 128.7              | 129.4     | 4.4                                          | 0.5      | 0.2                                      | 0.2         | 0.5         |
| All items less shelter .....                         | 72.092                             | 126.7              | 127.3     | 4.3                                          | .5       | .1                                       | .1          | .4          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....  | 80.175                             | 130.6              | 131.2     | 4.5                                          | .5       | .1                                       | .2          | .4          |
| All items less medical care .....                    | 93.811                             | 127.3              | 128.0     | 4.4                                          | .5       | .1                                       | .1          | .5          |
| Commodities less food .....                          | 28.770                             | 115.9              | 115.8     | 2.7                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | -.1         | .3          |
| Nondurables less food <sup>1</sup> .....             | 17.513                             | 117.5              | 117.6     | 4.0                                          | .1       | .8                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 11.940                             | 116.8              | 118.0     | 3.7                                          | 1.0      | .7                                       | .7          | 1.0         |
| Nondurables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 33.832                             | 124.2              | 124.6     | 4.7                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .0          | .3          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....     | 27.649                             | 141.2              | 142.5     | 5.4                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Services less medical care .....                     | 49.902                             | 135.3              | 136.5     | 5.1                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Energy .....                                         | 7.366                              | 96.7               | 99.5      | .5                                           | 2.9      | -.4                                      | -.7         | .6          |
| All items less energy .....                          | 92.634                             | 133.7              | 134.2     | 5.1                                          | .4       | .2                                       | .1          | .6          |
| All items less food and energy .....                 | 76.315                             | 134.4              | 134.8     | 4.9                                          | .3       | .2                                       | .3          | .4          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....               | 25.188                             | 123.6              | 123.2     | 3.3                                          | -.3      | .0                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Energy commodities .....                             | 3.581                              | 92.2               | 93.7      | -.7                                          | 1.6      | .1                                       | -1.3        | 1.5         |
| Services less energy .....                           | 51.127                             | 140.7              | 141.6     | 5.8                                          | .6       | .4                                       | .4          | .6          |
| Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:             |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| 1982-84=\$1.00 <sup>1</sup> .....                    | -                                  | \$.774             | \$.770    | -4.5                                         | -.5      | -.1                                      | -.3         | -.5         |
| 1967=\$1.00 <sup>1</sup> .....                       | -                                  | .258               | .257      | -                                            | -        | -                                        | -           | -           |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

- Data not available.

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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Seasonally adjusted indexes |              |             |              | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |              |              |              |                 |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                                                        | Mar.<br>1990                | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |              |              |              | 6 months ended— |              |
|                                                        |                             |              |             |              | Sept.<br>1989                                      | Dec.<br>1989 | Mar.<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | Dec.<br>1989    | June<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                            |                             |              |             |              |                                                    |              |              |              |                 |              |
| All items .....                                        | -                           | -            | -           | -            | 2.3                                                | 4.9          | 8.5          | 3.5          | 3.6             | 5.9          |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 131.1                       | 130.8        | 130.9       | 131.8        | 3.2                                                | 5.2          | 11.4         | 2.2          | 4.2             | 6.7          |
| Food .....                                             | 131.5                       | 131.2        | 131.2       | 132.2        | 3.6                                                | 5.5          | 11.4         | 2.1          | 4.5             | 6.7          |
| Food at home .....                                     | 131.7                       | 130.8        | 130.5       | 131.8        | 2.3                                                | 6.5          | 15.3         | .3           | 4.4             | 7.5          |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....         | 137.6                       | 138.9        | 139.3       | 140.1        | 7.8                                                | 4.5          | 4.5          | 7.5          | 6.1             | 6.0          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 127.7                       | 128.7        | 128.8       | 130.7        | .0                                                 | 5.0          | 13.6         | 9.7          | 2.5             | 11.6         |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 126.8                       | 125.2        | 124.7       | 124.9        | 9.1                                                | 25.6         | 13.3         | -5.9         | 17.0            | 3.3          |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 153.8                       | 147.1        | 143.6       | 145.8        | -2.3                                               | 4.7          | 46.9         | -19.2        | 1.2             | 8.9          |
| Other food at home .....                               | 121.6                       | 121.6        | 122.3       | 123.1        | 2.7                                                | 2.7          | 2.7          | 5.0          | 2.7             | 3.8          |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 123.0                       | 123.6        | 124.4       | 124.5        | 5.5                                                | 1.0          | 6.4          | 5.0          | 3.2             | 5.7          |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 124.2                       | 124.3        | 125.0       | 125.5        | -1.0                                               | 1.0          | 8.8          | 4.3          | .0              | 6.5          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                           | 111.9                       | 111.4        | 112.1       | 113.4        | .7                                                 | 1.8          | -1.8         | 5.5          | 1.3             | 1.8          |
| Other prepared food .....                              | 129.5                       | 129.5        | 130.2       | 130.9        | 4.2                                                | 4.5          | 4.1          | 4.4          | 4.3             | 4.3          |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 131.8                       | 132.5        | 133.0       | 133.4        | 5.5                                                | 3.1          | 6.3          | 4.9          | 4.3             | 5.6          |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 127.8                       | 128.2        | 128.9       | 129.3        | 4.3                                                | 2.6          | 7.2          | 4.8          | 3.4             | 6.0          |
| Housing .....                                          | 126.9                       | 127.0        | 127.2       | 128.0        | 3.6                                                | 4.9          | 5.5          | 3.5          | 4.3             | 4.5          |
| Shelter .....                                          | 137.6                       | 137.9        | 138.2       | 139.5        | 4.3                                                | 5.8          | 6.0          | 5.6          | 5.1             | 5.8          |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 143.8                       | 143.9        | 143.9       | 144.5        | 2.0                                                | 6.8          | 8.2          | 2.0          | 4.4             | 5.0          |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 136.6                       | 137.3        | 137.6       | 138.2        | 3.7                                                | 4.6          | 3.9          | 4.8          | 4.1             | 4.3          |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 150.5                       | 148.9        | 148.1       | 148.5        | -2.5                                               | 13.9         | 20.3         | -5.2         | 5.4             | 6.8          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 142.4                       | 142.8        | 143.2       | 144.8        | 5.4                                                | 5.6          | 5.2          | 6.9          | 5.5             | 6.1          |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 142.5                       | 143.0        | 143.4       | 145.0        | 5.4                                                | 5.6          | 5.2          | 7.2          | 5.5             | 6.2          |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....               | 134.8                       | 134.4        | 134.9       | 135.2        | 2.4                                                | 1.2          | 2.4          | 1.2          | 1.8             | 1.8          |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....             | 121.2                       | 121.2        | 122.2       | 121.8        | 1.0                                                | 3.1          | 5.8          | 2.0          | 2.0             | 3.9          |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....     | 124.8                       | 125.6        | 126.2       | 125.4        | -.3                                                | 4.4          | 8.8          | 1.9          | 2.0             | 5.3          |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....  | 116.4                       | 115.4        | 116.7       | 117.0        | 3.2                                                | .7           | 2.1          | 2.1          | 1.9             | 2.1          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 111.0                       | 110.5        | 110.5       | 110.3        | 2.6                                                | 5.3          | 6.0          | -2.5         | 4.0             | 1.7          |
| Fuels .....                                            | 103.3                       | 102.4        | 102.2       | 101.6        | 1.6                                                | 9.5          | 4.4          | -6.4         | 5.5             | -1.2         |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....    | 90.1                        | 88.9         | 87.9        | 85.4         | 1.5                                                | 36.8         | 11.9         | -19.3        | 17.8            | -5.0         |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 109.6                       | 108.7        | 108.6       | 108.2        | 1.9                                                | 6.9          | 3.7          | -5.0         | 4.4             | -.7          |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> ..... | 130.7                       | 130.9        | 131.2       | 131.8        | 3.2                                                | .3           | 8.0          | 3.4          | 1.7             | 5.7          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 112.8                       | 112.8        | 113.1       | 113.0        | 2.2                                                | .4           | 4.0          | .7           | 1.3             | 2.3          |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 106.9                       | 106.6        | 106.7       | 106.3        | 2.3                                                | -.8          | 5.4          | -2.2         | .8              | 1.5          |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                            | 123.6                       | 123.7        | 124.7       | 125.3        | 5.4                                                | 4.3          | -.3          | 5.6          | 4.9             | 2.6          |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....               | 118.7                       | 119.1        | 119.5       | 119.8        | .3                                                 | .3           | 3.8          | 3.8          | .3              | 3.8          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 124.9                       | 125.0        | 124.6       | 124.5        | -1.0                                               | 1.4          | 21.4         | -1.3         | .2              | 9.5          |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 123.1                       | 123.1        | 122.5       | 122.4        | -1.4                                               | 1.4          | 23.0         | -2.3         | .0              | 9.6          |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 119.8                       | 120.3        | 120.8       | 120.6        | 1.4                                                | 3.8          | 5.9          | 2.7          | 2.6             | 4.3          |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 125.3                       | 124.7        | 123.4       | 123.3        | -4.0                                               | 2.1          | 34.3         | -6.2         | -1.0            | 12.2         |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....      | 127.6                       | 130.0        | 127.2       | 127.8        | -17.7                                              | -8.8         | 50.0         | .6           | -13.4           | 22.9         |
| Footwear .....                                         | 116.9                       | 117.4        | 117.6       | 117.4        | -.4                                                | 1.4          | 9.0          | 1.7          | .5              | 5.3          |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....           | 132.7                       | 132.8        | 132.1       | 131.4        | 9.9                                                | -5.4         | 36.4         | -3.9         | 2.0             | 14.5         |
| Apparel services .....                                 | 133.5                       | 134.6        | 135.9       | 136.3        | .9                                                 | 3.4          | 6.9          | 8.7          | 2.2             | 7.8          |

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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                               | Seasonally adjusted indexes |              |             |              | Seasonally adjusted annual rate<br>percent change for |              |              |              |                 |              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                                                                     | Mar.<br>1990                | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | 3 months ended—                                       |              |              |              | 6 months ended— |              |
|                                                                     |                             |              |             |              | Sept.<br>1989                                         | Dec.<br>1989 | Mar.<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | Dec.<br>1989    | June<br>1990 |
| Expenditure category                                                |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| Transportation .....                                                | 117.6                       | 117.7        | 117.5       | 118.0        | -6.1                                                  | 3.9          | 9.4          | 1.4          | -1.2            | 5.3          |
| Private transportation .....                                        | 116.0                       | 116.1        | 115.8       | 116.3        | -7.1                                                  | 4.0          | 8.0          | 1.0          | -1.7            | 4.4          |
| New vehicles .....                                                  | 121.4                       | 121.1        | 121.2       | 120.8        | -2.7                                                  | 9.1          | 1.7          | -2.0         | 3.0             | -2           |
| New cars .....                                                      | 121.2                       | 120.9        | 120.7       | 120.5        | -4.0                                                  | 9.5          | 1.3          | -2.3         | 2.5             | -5           |
| Used cars .....                                                     | 117.1                       | 116.4        | 116.8       | 117.1        | -3.6                                                  | -7           | -7.8         | .0           | -2.1            | -4.0         |
| Motor fuel .....                                                    | 92.2                        | 92.5         | 91.2        | 93.2         | -28.1                                                 | -3.6         | 30.3         | 4.4          | -16.8           | 16.6         |
| Gasoline .....                                                      | 92.1                        | 92.4         | 90.9        | 93.2         | -28.8                                                 | -4.1         | 30.9         | 4.9          | -17.3           | 17.2         |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 128.8                       | 129.4        | 129.4       | 129.6        | 5.6                                                   | 2.2          | 6.1          | 2.5          | 3.9             | 4.3          |
| Other private transportation .....                                  | 140.4                       | 140.8        | 140.8       | 140.9        | 2.4                                                   | 5.7          | 5.6          | 1.4          | 4.0             | 3.5          |
| Other private transportation<br>commodities <sup>1</sup> .....      | 102.0                       | 101.9        | 101.8       | 101.8        | .4                                                    | 1.2          | -1.2         | -.8          | .8              | -1.0         |
| Other private transportation<br>services .....                      | 149.1                       | 149.5        | 149.6       | 149.7        | 2.5                                                   | 6.5          | 7.3          | 1.6          | 4.5             | 4.4          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                            | 139.1                       | 140.3        | 140.9       | 141.5        | 1.6                                                   | 5.0          | 24.4         | 7.1          | 3.3             | 15.4         |
| Medical care .....                                                  | 158.5                       | 159.8        | 161.0       | 162.1        | 8.9                                                   | 8.7          | 9.1          | 9.4          | 8.8             | 9.2          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                      | 159.9                       | 161.1        | 161.7       | 163.0        | 7.1                                                   | 7.8          | 9.8          | 8.0          | 7.4             | 8.9          |
| Medical care services .....                                         | 158.0                       | 159.3        | 160.6       | 161.7        | 9.2                                                   | 9.0          | 8.8          | 9.7          | 9.1             | 9.3          |
| Professional medical services .....                                 | 152.6                       | 153.6        | 155.1       | 155.5        | 6.2                                                   | 7.2          | 5.1          | 7.8          | 6.7             | 6.5          |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 130.9                       | 131.4        | 131.7       | 131.9        | 5.2                                                   | 4.1          | 5.7          | 3.1          | 4.6             | 4.4          |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 123.1                       | 123.5        | 123.7       | 123.5        | 3.4                                                   | 3.7          | 5.0          | 1.3          | 3.5             | 3.1          |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 141.0                       | 141.6        | 142.0       | 142.6        | 6.7                                                   | 4.7          | 6.5          | 4.6          | 5.7             | 5.6          |
| Other goods and services .....                                      | 156.0                       | 156.7        | 157.9       | 159.3        | 6.9                                                   | 7.4          | 8.4          | 8.7          | 7.2             | 8.5          |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 175.1                       | 175.6        | 176.7       | 180.9        | 10.1                                                  | 9.1          | 7.7          | 13.9         | 9.6             | 10.7         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 129.0                       | 130.3        | 130.2       | 131.0        | 4.6                                                   | 3.9          | 6.1          | 6.3          | 4.2             | 6.2          |
| Toilet goods and personal care<br>appliances <sup>1</sup> .....     | 126.9                       | 128.3        | 128.3       | 129.2        | 6.0                                                   | 2.3          | 7.2          | 7.4          | 4.1             | 7.3          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 131.2                       | 132.3        | 132.1       | 132.8        | 2.2                                                   | 6.4          | 4.7          | 5.0          | 4.3             | 4.8          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                             | 166.9                       | 167.6        | 169.4       | 170.1        | 6.8                                                   | 7.4          | 9.4          | 7.9          | 7.1             | 8.6          |
| School books and supplies .....                                     | 169.1                       | 169.9        | 170.9       | 171.6        | 10.3                                                  | 7.4          | 13.0         | 6.0          | 8.8             | 9.5          |
| Personal and educational services .....                             | 166.8                       | 167.5        | 169.3       | 170.0        | 6.5                                                   | 7.7          | 9.1          | 7.9          | 7.1             | 8.5          |
| Commodity and service group                                         |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| All items .....                                                     | -                           | -            | -           | -            | 2.3                                                   | 4.9          | 8.5          | 3.5          | 3.6             | 5.9          |
| Commodities .....                                                   | 121.3                       | 121.2        | 121.1       | 121.7        | -7                                                    | 3.8          | 10.9         | 1.3          | 1.5             | 6.0          |
| Food and beverages .....                                            | 131.1                       | 130.8        | 130.9       | 131.8        | 3.2                                                   | 5.2          | 11.4         | 2.2          | 4.2             | 6.7          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                           | 115.3                       | 115.3        | 115.1       | 115.5        | -3.2                                                  | 3.3          | 10.3         | .7           | .0              | 5.4          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup> .....              | 116.1                       | 117.1        | 117.1       | 117.1        | -1.1                                                  | -1.4         | 15.5         | 3.5          | -1.2            | 9.3          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                           | 123.1                       | 123.1        | 122.5       | 122.4        | -1.4                                                  | 1.4          | 23.0         | -2.3         | .0              | 9.6          |
| Nondurables less food, beverages,<br>and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 114.8                       | 115.7        | 116.5       | 117.7        | -5.8                                                  | .0           | 10.4         | 10.5         | -3.0            | 10.4         |
| Durables .....                                                      | 113.5                       | 113.3        | 113.3       | 112.9        | -7                                                    | 3.6          | 2.1          | -2.1         | 1.4             | .0           |
| Services .....                                                      | 137.1                       | 137.5        | 137.9       | 138.8        | 4.3                                                   | 5.8          | 6.7          | 5.1          | 5.1             | 5.9          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                | 143.3                       | 143.5        | 143.7       | 145.0        | 5.6                                                   | 4.7          | 7.0          | 4.8          | 5.2             | 5.9          |
| Household services less rent<br>of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....       | 121.7                       | 121.2        | 121.1       | 121.4        | 1.7                                                   | 4.1          | 5.1          | -1.0         | 2.9             | 2.0          |
| Transportation services .....                                       | 141.8                       | 142.5        | 142.6       | 142.9        | 3.0                                                   | 5.1          | 10.5         | 3.1          | 4.0             | 6.8          |
| Medical care services .....                                         | 158.0                       | 159.3        | 160.6       | 161.7        | 9.2                                                   | 9.0          | 8.8          | 9.7          | 9.1             | 9.3          |
| Other services .....                                                | 147.8                       | 148.5        | 149.5       | 150.2        | 5.5                                                   | 6.3          | 7.7          | 6.7          | 5.9             | 7.2          |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                | Seasonally adjusted indexes |              |             |              | Seasonally adjusted annual rate<br>percent change for |              |              |              |                 |              |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                                                      | Mar.<br>1990                | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | 3 months ended—                                       |              |              |              | 6 months ended— |              |
|                                                      |                             |              |             |              | Sept.<br>1989                                         | Dec.<br>1989 | Mar.<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | Dec.<br>1989    | June<br>1990 |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                               |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| All items less food .....                            | 128.3                       | 128.5        | 128.7       | 129.4        | 2.0                                                   | 4.9          | 7.8          | 3.5          | 3.4             | 5.6          |
| All items less shelter .....                         | 126.5                       | 126.6        | 126.7       | 127.2        | 1.3                                                   | 4.3          | 9.7          | 2.2          | 2.8             | 5.9          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....  | 130.3                       | 130.4        | 130.6       | 131.1        | 1.6                                                   | 4.5          | 9.4          | 2.5          | 3.1             | 5.9          |
| All items less medical care .....                    | 127.8                       | 127.9        | 128.0       | 128.7        | 1.6                                                   | 4.6          | 8.6          | 2.8          | 3.1             | 5.7          |
| Commodities less food .....                          | 115.8                       | 115.8        | 115.7       | 116.1        | -2.5                                                  | 3.2          | 9.9          | 1.0          | .4              | 5.4          |
| Nondurables less food <sup>1</sup> .....             | 116.5                       | 117.4        | 117.5       | 117.6        | -.7                                                   | -1.1         | 14.6         | 3.8          | -.9             | 9.1          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 115.2                       | 116.0        | 116.8       | 118.0        | -4.8                                                  | .4           | 10.0         | 10.1         | -2.3            | 10.0         |
| Nondurables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 123.8                       | 124.2        | 124.2       | 124.6        | 1.0                                                   | 1.7          | 14.0         | 2.6          | 1.3             | 8.2          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....     | 140.6                       | 141.0        | 141.5       | 142.1        | 4.8                                                   | 5.7          | 6.8          | 4.3          | 5.3             | 5.6          |
| Services less medical care .....                     | 134.9                       | 135.2        | 135.6       | 136.4        | 4.7                                                   | 5.6          | 5.8          | 4.5          | 5.2             | 5.2          |
| Energy .....                                         | 97.4                        | 97.0         | 96.3        | 96.9         | -12.6                                                 | 3.9          | 14.8         | -2.0         | -4.7            | 6.0          |
| All items less energy .....                          | 133.3                       | 133.6        | 133.8       | 134.6        | 3.5                                                   | 5.0          | 7.9          | 4.0          | 4.3             | 5.9          |
| All items less food and energy .....                 | 134.0                       | 134.3        | 134.7       | 135.3        | 3.5                                                   | 4.7          | 7.5          | 3.9          | 4.1             | 5.7          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....               | 123.3                       | 123.3        | 123.4       | 123.5        | 1.3                                                   | 3.4          | 7.8          | .7           | 2.4             | 4.2          |
| Energy commodities .....                             | 92.0                        | 92.1         | 90.9        | 92.3         | -25.2                                                 | .0           | 28.0         | 1.3          | -13.5           | 13.9         |
| Services less energy .....                           | 140.0                       | 140.5        | 141.0       | 141.9        | 4.5                                                   | 5.7          | 7.2          | 5.5          | 5.1             | 6.3          |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

— Data not available.

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

**Table 3. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, major groups**

| Year and month        | CPI-U     |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          | CPI-W     |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|
|                       | All items | Food and beverages | Housing | Apparel and upkeep | Transportation | Medical care | Entertainment | Other goods and services | All items |
| Indexes 1982-84 = 100 |           |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          |           |
| 1954, Dec. ....       | 26.7      | -                  | -       | 43.1               | 25.9           | 18.0         | -             | -                        | 26.9      |
| 1955, Dec. ....       | 26.8      | -                  | -       | 43.3               | 25.9           | 18.6         | -             | -                        | 27.0      |
| 1956, Dec. ....       | 27.6      | -                  | -       | 44.4               | 27.1           | 19.2         | -             | -                        | 27.8      |
| 1957, Dec. ....       | 28.4      | -                  | -       | 44.8               | 28.3           | 20.1         | -             | -                        | 28.6      |
| 1958, Dec. ....       | 28.9      | -                  | -       | 44.9               | 29.4           | 21.0         | -             | -                        | 29.1      |
| 1959, Dec. ....       | 29.4      | -                  | -       | 45.5               | 30.3           | 21.8         | -             | -                        | 29.5      |
| 1960, Dec. ....       | 29.8      | -                  | -       | 46.2               | 29.8           | 22.5         | -             | -                        | 30.0      |
| 1961, Dec. ....       | 30.0      | -                  | -       | 46.4               | 30.4           | 23.2         | -             | -                        | 30.2      |
| 1962, Dec. ....       | 30.4      | -                  | -       | 46.7               | 31.0           | 23.7         | -             | -                        | 30.6      |
| 1963, Dec. ....       | 30.9      | -                  | -       | 47.5               | 31.3           | 24.3         | -             | -                        | 31.1      |
| 1964, Dec. ....       | 31.2      | -                  | -       | 47.7               | 31.7           | 24.8         | -             | -                        | 31.4      |
| 1965, Dec. ....       | 31.8      | -                  | -       | 48.3               | 32.0           | 25.5         | -             | -                        | 32.0      |
| 1966, Dec. ....       | 32.9      | -                  | -       | 50.2               | 32.7           | 27.2         | -             | -                        | 33.1      |
| 1967, Dec. ....       | 33.9      | 35.3               | 31.2    | 52.3               | 33.8           | 28.9         | 41.6          | 35.9                     | 34.1      |
| 1968, Dec. ....       | 35.5      | 36.8               | 32.9    | 55.6               | 34.5           | 30.7         | 44.0          | 37.7                     | 35.7      |
| 1969, Dec. ....       | 37.7      | 39.4               | 35.0    | 58.5               | 36.3           | 32.6         | 46.2          | 39.8                     | 37.9      |
| 1970, Dec. ....       | 39.8      | 40.3               | 37.5    | 60.8               | 38.9           | 35.0         | 48.8          | 41.9                     | 40.0      |
| 1971, Dec. ....       | 41.1      | 42.0               | 38.7    | 62.1               | 39.4           | 36.6         | 50.6          | 43.7                     | 41.3      |
| 1972, Dec. ....       | 42.5      | 43.9               | 40.1    | 63.7               | 40.4           | 37.8         | 51.9          | 45.3                     | 42.7      |
| 1973, Dec. ....       | 46.2      | 52.0               | 42.8    | 66.5               | 42.2           | 39.8         | 53.7          | 47.5                     | 46.5      |
| 1974, Dec. ....       | 51.9      | 58.3               | 48.6    | 72.3               | 47.7           | 44.8         | 59.7          | 52.4                     | 52.2      |
| 1975, Dec. ....       | 55.5      | 61.9               | 52.3    | 74.0               | 52.4           | 49.2         | 63.2          | 55.3                     | 55.8      |
| 1976, Dec. ....       | 58.2      | 62.4               | 55.1    | 77.4               | 57.0           | 54.1         | 66.5          | 58.6                     | 58.5      |
| 1977, Dec. ....       | 62.1      | 67.1               | 59.2    | 80.7               | 59.5           | 58.9         | 69.6          | 62.3                     | 62.5      |
| 1978, Dec. ....       | 67.7      | 74.9               | 65.1    | 83.2               | 64.1           | 64.1         | 73.6          | 66.3                     | 68.1      |
| 1979, Dec. ....       | 76.7      | 82.4               | 75.0    | 87.8               | 75.8           | 70.6         | 78.7          | 71.5                     | 77.2      |
| 1980, Dec. ....       | 86.3      | 90.7               | 85.3    | 93.8               | 86.9           | 77.6         | 86.3          | 78.7                     | 86.9      |
| 1981, Dec. ....       | 94.0      | 94.6               | 94.0    | 97.1               | 96.4           | 87.3         | 92.5          | 86.5                     | 94.4      |
| 1982, Dec. ....       | 97.6      | 97.6               | 97.4    | 98.7               | 98.1           | 96.9         | 97.7          | 97.0                     | 98.0      |
| 1983, Dec. ....       | 101.3     | 100.2              | 100.8   | 101.6              | 101.9          | 103.1        | 101.6         | 104.7                    | 101.2     |
| 1984, Dec. ....       | 105.3     | 104.0              | 105.1   | 103.6              | 105.1          | 109.4        | 105.9         | 111.0                    | 104.8     |
| 1985, Dec. ....       | 109.3     | 106.9              | 109.6   | 106.5              | 107.8          | 116.8        | 109.2         | 118.0                    | 108.6     |
| 1986, Dec. ....       | 110.5     | 110.9              | 111.5   | 107.5              | 101.4          | 125.8        | 112.9         | 124.5                    | 109.3     |
| 1987, Dec. ....       | 115.4     | 114.8              | 115.6   | 112.7              | 107.6          | 133.1        | 117.4         | 132.1                    | 114.2     |
| 1988, Dec. ....       | 120.5     | 120.6              | 120.2   | 118.0              | 110.8          | 142.3        | 122.8         | 141.3                    | 119.2     |
| 1989, Dec. ....       | 126.1     | 127.2              | 124.9   | 119.2              | 115.2          | 154.4        | 129.1         | 152.9                    | 124.6     |

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**Table 3. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, major groups—Continued**

| Year and month                                              | CPI-U     |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          | CPI-W     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|
|                                                             | All items | Food and beverages | Housing | Apparel and upkeep | Transportation | Medical care | Entertainment | Other goods and services | All items |
| Indexes 1982-84 = 100, seasonally adjusted except All items |           |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          |           |
| 1988, Jul. ....                                             | 118.5     | 118.7              | 118.5   | 115.8              | 108.8          | 139.3        | 120.5         | 138.1                    | 117.2     |
| 1988, Aug. ....                                             | 119.0     | 119.4              | 118.9   | 114.4              | 109.5          | 139.9        | 120.7         | 139.1                    | 117.7     |
| 1988, Sep. ....                                             | 119.8     | 120.2              | 119.3   | 116.3              | 109.9          | 140.7        | 121.3         | 139.0                    | 118.5     |
| 1988, Oct. ....                                             | 120.2     | 120.4              | 119.7   | 117.4              | 110.0          | 141.6        | 121.8         | 140.0                    | 118.9     |
| 1988, Nov. ....                                             | 120.3     | 120.5              | 120.1   | 117.3              | 110.3          | 142.2        | 122.2         | 140.6                    | 119.0     |
| 1988, Dec. ....                                             | 120.5     | 121.0              | 120.5   | 117.8              | 110.6          | 142.9        | 122.8         | 141.3                    | 119.2     |
| 1989, Jan. ....                                             | 121.1     | 121.9              | 121.0   | 117.6              | 111.3          | 144.0        | 123.8         | 143.5                    | 119.7     |
| 1989, Feb. ....                                             | 121.6     | 122.4              | 121.2   | 117.7              | 112.1          | 145.0        | 124.3         | 144.3                    | 120.2     |
| 1989, Mar. ....                                             | 122.3     | 123.3              | 121.6   | 118.8              | 112.6          | 145.9        | 124.7         | 145.0                    | 120.8     |
| 1989, Apr. ....                                             | 123.1     | 123.9              | 121.8   | 119.3              | 115.1          | 146.7        | 125.4         | 145.7                    | 121.8     |
| 1989, May. ....                                             | 123.8     | 124.6              | 122.2   | 119.5              | 115.8          | 147.6        | 125.5         | 146.6                    | 122.5     |
| 1989, Jun. ....                                             | 124.1     | 125.0              | 122.6   | 118.9              | 115.7          | 148.7        | 126.2         | 147.7                    | 122.8     |
| 1989, Jul. ....                                             | 124.4     | 125.3              | 123.3   | 118.3              | 115.3          | 149.6        | 126.9         | 149.0                    | 123.2     |
| 1989, Aug. ....                                             | 124.6     | 125.7              | 123.5   | 116.9              | 114.2          | 150.8        | 127.3         | 150.2                    | 123.2     |
| 1989, Sep. ....                                             | 125.0     | 126.0              | 123.7   | 118.6              | 113.9          | 151.9        | 127.8         | 150.2                    | 123.6     |
| 1989, Oct. ....                                             | 125.6     | 126.5              | 124.2   | 119.4              | 114.5          | 153.0        | 128.4         | 151.2                    | 124.2     |
| 1989, Nov. ....                                             | 125.9     | 127.1              | 124.7   | 119.4              | 114.6          | 154.2        | 128.6         | 151.7                    | 124.4     |
| 1989, Dec. ....                                             | 126.1     | 127.6              | 125.2   | 119.0              | 115.0          | 155.1        | 129.1         | 152.9                    | 124.6     |
| 1990, Jan. ....                                             | 127.4     | 129.9              | 126.1   | 119.0              | 117.4          | 156.1        | 129.9         | 154.1                    | 125.9     |
| 1990, Feb. ....                                             | 128.0     | 130.6              | 126.3   | 122.9              | 117.7          | 157.3        | 130.4         | 155.0                    | 126.4     |
| 1990, Mar. ....                                             | 128.7     | 131.1              | 126.9   | 124.9              | 117.6          | 158.5        | 130.9         | 156.0                    | 127.1     |
| 1990, Apr. ....                                             | 128.9     | 130.8              | 127.0   | 125.0              | 117.7          | 159.8        | 131.4         | 156.7                    | 127.3     |
| 1990, May. ....                                             | 129.2     | 130.9              | 127.2   | 124.6              | 117.5          | 161.0        | 131.7         | 157.9                    | 127.5     |
| 1990, Jun. ....                                             | 129.9     | 131.8              | 128.0   | 124.5              | 118.0          | 162.1        | 131.9         | 159.3                    | 128.3     |

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**Table 3. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, major groups—Continued**

| Year and month                        | CPI-U     |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          | CPI-W     |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|
|                                       | All items | Food and beverages | Housing | Apparel and upkeep | Transportation | Medical care | Entertainment | Other goods and services | All items |
| Percent change from previous December |           |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          |           |
| 1954, Dec. ....                       | -0.7      | -                  | -       | -0.7               | -1.5           | 2.3          | -             | -                        | -0.4      |
| 1955, Dec. ....                       | .4        | -                  | -       | .5                 | .0             | 3.3          | -             | -                        | .4        |
| 1956, Dec. ....                       | 3.0       | -                  | -       | 2.5                | 4.6            | 3.2          | -             | -                        | 3.0       |
| 1957, Dec. ....                       | 2.9       | -                  | -       | .9                 | 4.4            | 4.7          | -             | -                        | 2.9       |
| 1958, Dec. ....                       | 1.8       | -                  | -       | .2                 | 3.9            | 4.5          | -             | -                        | 1.7       |
| 1959, Dec. ....                       | 1.7       | -                  | -       | 1.3                | 3.1            | 3.8          | -             | -                        | 1.4       |
| 1960, Dec. ....                       | 1.4       | -                  | -       | 1.5                | -1.7           | 3.2          | -             | -                        | 1.7       |
| 1961, Dec. ....                       | .7        | -                  | -       | .4                 | 2.0            | 3.1          | -             | -                        | .7        |
| 1962, Dec. ....                       | 1.3       | -                  | -       | .6                 | 2.0            | 2.2          | -             | -                        | 1.3       |
| 1963, Dec. ....                       | 1.6       | -                  | -       | 1.7                | 1.0            | 2.5          | -             | -                        | 1.6       |
| 1964, Dec. ....                       | 1.0       | -                  | -       | .4                 | 1.3            | 2.1          | -             | -                        | 1.0       |
| 1965, Dec. ....                       | 1.9       | -                  | -       | 1.3                | .9             | 2.8          | -             | -                        | 1.9       |
| 1966, Dec. ....                       | 3.5       | -                  | -       | 3.9                | 2.2            | 6.7          | -             | -                        | 3.4       |
| 1967, Dec. ....                       | 3.0       | -                  | -       | 4.2                | 3.4            | 6.3          | -             | -                        | 3.0       |
| 1968, Dec. ....                       | 4.7       | 4.2                | 5.4     | 6.3                | 2.1            | 6.2          | 5.8           | 5.0                      | 4.7       |
| 1969, Dec. ....                       | 6.2       | 7.1                | 6.4     | 5.2                | 5.2            | 6.2          | 5.0           | 5.6                      | 6.2       |
| 1970, Dec. ....                       | 5.6       | 2.3                | 7.1     | 3.9                | 7.2            | 7.4          | 5.6           | 5.3                      | 5.5       |
| 1971, Dec. ....                       | 3.3       | 4.2                | 3.2     | 2.1                | 1.3            | 4.6          | 3.7           | 4.3                      | 3.3       |
| 1972, Dec. ....                       | 3.4       | 4.5                | 3.6     | 2.6                | 2.5            | 3.3          | 2.6           | 3.7                      | 3.4       |
| 1973, Dec. ....                       | 8.7       | 18.5               | 6.7     | 4.4                | 4.5            | 5.3          | 3.5           | 4.9                      | 8.9       |
| 1974, Dec. ....                       | 12.3      | 12.1               | 13.6    | 8.7                | 13.0           | 12.6         | 11.2          | 10.3                     | 12.3      |
| 1975, Dec. ....                       | 6.9       | 6.2                | 7.6     | 2.4                | 9.9            | 9.8          | 5.9           | 5.5                      | 6.9       |
| 1976, Dec. ....                       | 4.9       | .8                 | 5.4     | 4.6                | 8.8            | 10.0         | 5.2           | 6.0                      | 4.8       |
| 1977, Dec. ....                       | 6.7       | 7.5                | 7.4     | 4.3                | 4.4            | 8.9          | 4.7           | 6.3                      | 6.8       |
| 1978, Dec. ....                       | 9.0       | 11.6               | 10.0    | 3.1                | 7.7            | 8.8          | 5.7           | 6.4                      | 9.0       |
| 1979, Dec. ....                       | 13.3      | 10.0               | 15.2    | 5.5                | 18.3           | 10.1         | 6.9           | 7.8                      | 13.4      |
| 1980, Dec. ....                       | 12.5      | 10.1               | 13.7    | 6.8                | 14.6           | 9.9          | 9.7           | 10.1                     | 12.6      |
| 1981, Dec. ....                       | 8.9       | 4.3                | 10.2    | 3.5                | 10.9           | 12.5         | 7.2           | 9.9                      | 8.6       |
| 1982, Dec. ....                       | 3.8       | 3.2                | 3.6     | 1.6                | 1.8            | 11.0         | 5.6           | 12.1                     | 3.8       |
| 1983, Dec. ....                       | 3.8       | 2.7                | 3.5     | 2.9                | 3.9            | 6.4          | 4.0           | 7.9                      | 3.3       |
| 1984, Dec. ....                       | 3.9       | 3.8                | 4.3     | 2.0                | 3.1            | 6.1          | 4.2           | 6.0                      | 3.6       |
| 1985, Dec. ....                       | 3.8       | 2.8                | 4.3     | 2.8                | 2.6            | 6.8          | 3.1           | 6.3                      | 3.6       |
| 1986, Dec. ....                       | 1.1       | 3.7                | 1.7     | .9                 | -5.9           | 7.7          | 3.4           | 5.5                      | .6        |
| 1987, Dec. ....                       | 4.4       | 3.5                | 3.7     | 4.8                | 6.1            | 5.8          | 4.0           | 6.1                      | 4.5       |
| 1988, Dec. ....                       | 4.4       | 5.1                | 4.0     | 4.7                | 3.0            | 6.9          | 4.6           | 7.0                      | 4.4       |
| 1989, Dec. ....                       | 4.6       | 5.5                | 3.9     | 1.0                | 4.0            | 8.5          | 5.1           | 8.2                      | 4.5       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 3. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, major groups—Continued**

| Year and month                                          | CPI-U     |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          | CPI-W     |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|
|                                                         | All items | Food and beverages | Housing | Apparel and upkeep | Transportation | Medical care | Entertainment | Other goods and services | All items |
| Seasonally adjusted percent changes from previous month |           |                    |         |                    |                |              |               |                          |           |
| 1988, Jul. ....                                         | 0.4       | 0.8                | 0.3     | 0.1                | 0.5            | 0.7          | 0.3           | 0.9                      | 0.5       |
| 1988, Aug. ....                                         | .3        | .6                 | .3      | -1.2               | .6             | .4           | .2            | .7                       | .3        |
| 1988, Sep. ....                                         | .5        | .7                 | .3      | 1.7                | .4             | .6           | .5            | -.1                      | .5        |
| 1988, Oct. ....                                         | .3        | .2                 | .3      | .9                 | .1             | .6           | .4            | .7                       | .3        |
| 1988, Nov. ....                                         | .3        | .1                 | .3      | -.1                | .3             | .4           | .3            | .4                       | .3        |
| 1988, Dec. ....                                         | .3        | .4                 | .3      | .4                 | .3             | .5           | .5            | .5                       | .3        |
| 1989, Jan. ....                                         | .6        | .7                 | .4      | -.2                | .6             | .8           | .8            | 1.6                      | .6        |
| 1989, Feb. ....                                         | .4        | .4                 | .2      | .1                 | .7             | .7           | .4            | .6                       | .4        |
| 1989, Mar. ....                                         | .5        | .7                 | .3      | .9                 | .4             | .6           | .3            | .5                       | .5        |
| 1989, Apr. ....                                         | .7        | .5                 | .2      | .4                 | 2.2            | .5           | .6            | .5                       | .7        |
| 1989, May. ....                                         | .4        | .6                 | .3      | .2                 | .6             | .6           | .1            | .6                       | .4        |
| 1989, Jun. ....                                         | .2        | .3                 | .3      | -.5                | -.1            | .7           | .6            | .8                       | .2        |
| 1989, Jul. ....                                         | .3        | .2                 | .6      | -.5                | -.3            | .6           | .6            | .9                       | .2        |
| 1989, Aug. ....                                         | .0        | .3                 | .2      | -1.2               | -1.0           | .8           | .3            | .8                       | -.1       |
| 1989, Sep. ....                                         | .2        | .2                 | .2      | 1.5                | -.3            | .7           | .4            | .0                       | .3        |
| 1989, Oct. ....                                         | .5        | .4                 | .4      | .7                 | .5             | .7           | .5            | .7                       | .4        |
| 1989, Nov. ....                                         | .3        | .5                 | .4      | .0                 | .1             | .8           | .2            | .3                       | .3        |
| 1989, Dec. ....                                         | .4        | .4                 | .4      | -.3                | .3             | .6           | .4            | .8                       | .4        |
| 1990, Jan. ....                                         | 1.1       | 1.8                | .7      | .0                 | 2.1            | .6           | .6            | .8                       | 1.1       |
| 1990, Feb. ....                                         | .5        | .5                 | .2      | 3.3                | .3             | .8           | .4            | .6                       | .5        |
| 1990, Mar. ....                                         | .5        | .4                 | .5      | 1.6                | -.1            | .8           | .4            | .6                       | .4        |
| 1990, Apr. ....                                         | .2        | -.2                | .1      | .1                 | .1             | .8           | .4            | .4                       | .1        |
| 1990, May. ....                                         | .2        | .1                 | .2      | -.3                | -.2            | .8           | .2            | .8                       | .1        |
| 1990, Jun. ....                                         | .5        | .7                 | .6      | -.1                | .4             | .7           | .2            | .9                       | .6        |

- Data not available.

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

**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Detailed expenditure categories, U.S. city average**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                     | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Food and beverages .....                                           | 131.1              | 131.7     | 5.4                                          | 0.5      | -0.2                                     | 0.1         | 0.7         |
| Food .....                                                         | 131.3              | 132.0     | 5.6                                          | .5       | -.2                                      | .0          | .8          |
| Food at home .....                                                 | 130.9              | 131.7     | 6.0                                          | .6       | -.7                                      | -.2         | 1.0         |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.3              | 140.1     | 6.1                                          | .6       | .9                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Cereals and cereal products .....                                  | 140.5              | 141.5     | 6.3                                          | .7       | .9                                       | .4          | 1.2         |
| Flour and prepared flour mixes .....                               | 124.4              | 126.0     | 4.7                                          | 1.3      | -.3                                      | -.1         | .9          |
| Cereal <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 157.9              | 159.4     | 8.7                                          | .9       | .8                                       | .9          | .9          |
| Rice, pasta, and cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 121.8              | 121.3     | 1.3                                          | -.4      | 1.2                                      | .0          | -.4         |
| Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 138.5              | 139.2     | 6.0                                          | .5       | .9                                       | .1          | .5          |
| White bread <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 135.0              | 136.6     | 5.8                                          | 1.2      | 1.0                                      | -.7         | 1.2         |
| Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins <sup>1</sup> ..... | 136.1              | 137.1     | 6.9                                          | .7       | .2                                       | .9          | .7          |
| Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....              | 142.5              | 141.9     | 5.9                                          | -.4      | .8                                       | .6          | -.4         |
| Other bakery products .....                                        | 140.5              | 141.2     | 5.5                                          | .5       | 1.7                                      | -.2         | .2          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                               | 127.8              | 129.9     | 7.0                                          | 1.6      | .8                                       | .1          | 1.5         |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                                     | 128.6              | 131.0     | 7.4                                          | 1.9      | .5                                       | .6          | 1.5         |
| Meats .....                                                        | 126.6              | 129.6     | 11.6                                         | 2.4      | 1.3                                      | 1.0         | 1.8         |
| Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 128.5              | 129.0     | 8.1                                          | .4       | 1.1                                      | .4          | .4          |
| Ground beef other than canned <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 118.1              | 118.3     | 9.6                                          | .2       | .9                                       | -.2         | .2          |
| Chuck roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 129.4              | 129.7     | 12.1                                         | .2       | .6                                       | .0          | .2          |
| Round roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 119.2              | 119.7     | 6.6                                          | .4       | .4                                       | -.2         | .4          |
| Round steak <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 125.4              | 124.3     | 8.7                                          | -.9      | .6                                       | .5          | -.9         |
| Sirloin steak .....                                                | 130.9              | 133.5     | 3.2                                          | 2.0      | 3.1                                      | -3.1        | .4          |
| Other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 140.0              | 140.6     | 6.7                                          | .4       | 1.0                                      | 1.1         | .4          |
| Pork .....                                                         | 125.5              | 132.9     | 18.9                                         | 5.9      | 1.5                                      | 2.8         | 4.0         |
| Bacon .....                                                        | 109.5              | 115.0     | 23.5                                         | 5.0      | .2                                       | 3.9         | 3.9         |
| Chops .....                                                        | 136.6              | 147.6     | 22.0                                         | 8.1      | 3.8                                      | 1.8         | 5.1         |
| Ham .....                                                          | 125.2              | 130.5     | 12.3                                         | 4.2      | -1.0                                     | 5.1         | 2.4         |
| Other pork, including sausage .....                                | 126.3              | 133.6     | 19.3                                         | 5.8      | 2.0                                      | 2.7         | 4.4         |
| Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 124.2              | 127.4     | 10.9                                         | 2.6      | 1.4                                      | -.2         | 2.6         |
| Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 132.3              | 134.0     | -4.4                                         | 1.3      | -2.0                                     | .2          | 1.3         |
| Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 134.8              | 138.2     | -4.5                                         | 2.5      | -2.5                                     | -.1         | 2.5         |
| Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 135.7              | 137.3     | -5.3                                         | 1.2      | -2.0                                     | .3          | 1.2         |
| Other poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 123.6              | 122.7     | -1.1                                         | -.7      | -1.0                                     | .2          | -.7         |
| Fish and seafood .....                                             | 143.8              | 143.7     | .6                                           | -.1      | .0                                       | -1.0        | .6          |
| Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 119.8              | 119.8     | -5.0                                         | .0       | .3                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Fresh and frozen fish and seafood .....                            | 157.2              | 157.1     | 2.3                                          | -.1      | .2                                       | -1.6        | .7          |
| Eggs .....                                                         | 115.0              | 112.2     | 1.4                                          | -2.4     | 4.2                                      | -7.1        | .2          |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 124.7              | 124.9     | 9.9                                          | .2       | -1.3                                     | -.4         | .2          |
| Fresh milk and cream .....                                         | 124.4              | 124.2     | 10.5                                         | -.2      | -1.5                                     | -.5         | .4          |
| Fresh whole milk .....                                             | 124.4              | 124.1     | 11.0                                         | -.2      | -1.2                                     | -.6         | .2          |
| Other fresh milk and cream <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 124.2              | 124.3     | 10.1                                         | .1       | -2.0                                     | -.6         | .1          |
| Processed dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 125.7              | 126.2     | 9.5                                          | .4       | -.9                                      | .2          | .4          |
| Cheese <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 129.1              | 130.0     | 13.6                                         | .7       | -1.2                                     | .3          | .7          |
| Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 126.1              | 126.9     | 7.2                                          | .6       | .5                                       | -.2         | .6          |
| Other dairy products, including butter <sup>1</sup> .....          | 113.2              | 112.1     | -.2                                          | -1.0     | -1.7                                     | -.1         | -1.0        |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                      | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                     | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                         | 147.4              | 147.1     | 4.9                                          | -0.2     | -4.4                                     | -2.4        | 1.5         |
| Fresh fruits and vegetables .....                                   | 157.3              | 156.6     | 3.6                                          | -.4      | -7.3                                     | -3.8        | 2.2         |
| Fresh fruits .....                                                  | 174.9              | 173.2     | 14.2                                         | -1.0     | .4                                       | -3.7        | 2.2         |
| Apples .....                                                        | 140.4              | 146.8     | .9                                           | 4.6      | -1.5                                     | .5          | -1.9        |
| Bananas .....                                                       | 137.6              | 132.4     | -5.1                                         | -3.8     | -8.8                                     | -1.2        | -6.2        |
| Oranges, including tangerines .....                                 | 158.1              | 171.7     | 11.3                                         | 8.6      | -3.5                                     | -2.6        | -1.4        |
| Other fresh fruits .....                                            | 203.1              | 195.0     | 24.3                                         | -4.0     | 3.5                                      | -5.2        | 5.6         |
| Fresh vegetables .....                                              | 139.8              | 140.0     | -7.2                                         | .1       | -15.5                                    | -4.7        | 1.4         |
| Potatoes .....                                                      | 187.4              | 185.8     | 7.7                                          | -.9      | 6.9                                      | -5.1        | -7.2        |
| Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 134.3              | 120.2     | -19.4                                        | -10.5    | 5.3                                      | -2.0        | -10.5       |
| Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 108.5              | 126.1     | -4.2                                         | 16.2     | -52.7                                    | -7.7        | 16.2        |
| Other fresh vegetables .....                                        | 134.2              | 133.4     | -11.1                                        | -.6      | -12.4                                    | -2.9        | 1.6         |
| Processed fruits and vegetables .....                               | 134.1              | 134.6     | 7.3                                          | .4       | .8                                       | .8          | .1          |
| Processed fruits .....                                              | 139.2              | 140.1     | 11.5                                         | .6       | .9                                       | .5          | .8          |
| Fruit juices and frozen fruit .....                                 | 143.8              | 144.8     | 14.3                                         | .7       | 1.1                                      | .8          | .8          |
| Canned and dried fruits .....                                       | 120.9              | 121.4     | 1.4                                          | .4       | -.3                                      | .1          | .0          |
| Processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 127.8              | 127.6     | 1.7                                          | -.2      | .3                                       | .6          | -.2         |
| Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 127.2              | 127.6     | 4.0                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Other processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 128.7              | 128.3     | .6                                           | -.3      | .3                                       | .6          | -.3         |
| Other food at home .....                                            | 122.6              | 123.1     | 3.3                                          | .4       | .0                                       | .6          | .7          |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 124.4              | 124.5     | 4.4                                          | .1       | .5                                       | .6          | .1          |
| Sugar and artificial sweeteners <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 118.7              | 118.7     | 4.6                                          | .0       | -.1                                      | .5          | .0          |
| Sweets, including candy <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 126.6              | 126.9     | 4.4                                          | .2       | .7                                       | .6          | .2          |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 125.0              | 125.5     | 3.2                                          | .4       | .1                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                                        | 112.7              | 113.3     | 1.5                                          | .5       | -.4                                      | .6          | 1.2         |
| Carbonated drinks .....                                             | 110.8              | 111.7     | 3.4                                          | .8       | -1.1                                     | -.1         | 1.5         |
| Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 116.9              | 117.7     | -4.3                                         | .7       | -.2                                      | 1.7         | .7          |
| Other noncarbonated drinks .....                                    | 124.8              | 124.3     | 5.8                                          | -.4      | .8                                       | 1.6         | -.5         |
| Other prepared food .....                                           | 130.4              | 130.9     | 4.3                                          | .4       | .0                                       | .5          | .5          |
| Canned and packaged soup .....                                      | 135.5              | 135.7     | 6.0                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .6          | .1          |
| Frozen prepared food <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 131.4              | 131.7     | 1.2                                          | .2       | .0                                       | 1.7         | .2          |
| Snacks .....                                                        | 129.1              | 129.4     | 2.5                                          | .2       | .2                                       | -.9         | 1.0         |
| Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices <sup>1</sup> .....       | 128.8              | 128.9     | 5.1                                          | .1       | .2                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food <sup>1</sup> ..... | 131.3              | 132.5     | 6.6                                          | .9       | .4                                       | .4          | .9          |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 133.0              | 133.4     | 5.0                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .4          | .3          |
| Lunch <sup>1</sup> .....                                            | 133.5              | 133.8     | 5.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Dinner <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 132.0              | 132.3     | 4.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Other meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 134.0              | 134.5     | 5.5                                          | .4       | .6                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 128.9              | 129.3     | 4.7                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Alcoholic beverages at home <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 123.0              | 123.2     | 4.3                                          | .2       | .4                                       | .7          | .2          |
| Beer and ale .....                                                  | 124.0              | 124.2     | 4.6                                          | .2       | .2                                       | .7          | .2          |
| Wine <sup>1</sup> .....                                             | 114.7              | 114.8     | 3.5                                          | .1       | .4                                       | .7          | .1          |
| Distilled spirits <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 124.6              | 125.2     | 4.5                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .6          | .5          |
| Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....               | 143.6              | 144.3     | 5.1                                          | .5       | .1                                       | .5          | .5          |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                           | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                          | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Housing .....                                                            | 127.1              | 128.3     | 4.4                                          | 0.9      | 0.1                                      | 0.2         | 0.6         |
| Shelter .....                                                            | 138.3              | 139.5     | 5.4                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | .9          |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                        | 144.4              | 145.3     | 4.8                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .0          | .4          |
| Rent, residential .....                                                  | 137.3              | 137.9     | 4.2                                          | .4       | .5                                       | .2          | .4          |
| Other renters' costs .....                                               | 148.5              | 150.1     | 6.1                                          | 1.1      | -1.1                                     | -.5         | .3          |
| Lodging while out of town .....                                          | 146.5              | 148.2     | 6.1                                          | 1.2      | -1.5                                     | -.9         | .2          |
| Lodging while at school <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 155.9              | 156.0     | 6.7                                          | .1       | .6                                       | .5          | .7          |
| Tenants' insurance <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 130.3              | 130.3     | 1.6                                          | .0       | -.2                                      | .2          | .0          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                     | 143.1              | 144.4     | 5.8                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .3          | 1.1         |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 143.2              | 144.6     | 5.9                                          | 1.0      | .4                                       | .3          | 1.1         |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                 | 134.9              | 135.2     | 1.8                                          | .2       | -.3                                      | .4          | .2          |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 122.2              | 121.8     | 3.0                                          | -.3      | .0                                       | .8          | -.3         |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 126.2              | 125.4     | 3.6                                          | -.6      | .6                                       | .5          | -.6         |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 116.7              | 117.0     | 2.0                                          | .3       | -.9                                      | 1.1         | .3          |
| Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs <sup>1 3</sup> ..... | 110.1              | 110.9     | 3.1                                          | .7       | -.3                                      | .9          | .7          |
| Other maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....              | 112.5              | 112.5     | 1.2                                          | .0       | -1.3                                     | 1.3         | .0          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                           | 109.9              | 112.2     | 2.7                                          | 2.1      | -.5                                      | .0          | -.2         |
| Fuels .....                                                              | 101.9              | 105.4     | 2.1                                          | 3.4      | -.9                                      | -.2         | -.6         |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....                      | 88.0               | 84.9      | 5.9                                          | -3.5     | -1.3                                     | -1.1        | -2.8        |
| Fuel oil .....                                                           | 86.5               | 82.5      | 5.0                                          | -4.6     | -.6                                      | -1.4        | -4.2        |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>1 3</sup> .....                    | 112.4              | 111.4     | 7.8                                          | -.9      | -2.3                                     | -2.3        | -.9         |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                        | 107.8              | 112.4     | 1.7                                          | 4.3      | -.8                                      | -.1         | -.4         |
| Electricity .....                                                        | 115.8              | 122.2     | 2.3                                          | 5.5      | .2                                       | 1.0         | -1.6        |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                                | 95.9               | 97.1      | .3                                           | 1.3      | -3.0                                     | -2.7        | 2.7         |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 131.2              | 131.8     | 3.7                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 118.0              | 118.0     | .3                                           | .0       | .2                                       | -.3         | .0          |
| Local charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 149.2              | 149.2     | 1.4                                          | .0       | .2                                       | -.5         | .0          |
| Interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 69.0               | 69.0      | -1.1                                         | .0       | .0                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 95.2               | 95.3      | -2.2                                         | .1       | .1                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 148.7              | 149.4     | 6.9                                          | .5       | .5                                       | .4          | .5          |
| Cable television <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                    | 155.6              | 159.6     | 11.1                                         | 2.6      | -.2                                      | 1.8         | 2.6         |
| Refuse collection <sup>4</sup> .....                                     | 169.9              | 170.5     | 10.3                                         | .4       | 1.0                                      | .9          | .6          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                                | 113.2              | 113.1     | 1.8                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | .3          | -.1         |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 106.7              | 106.3     | 1.1                                          | -.4      | -.3                                      | .1          | -.4         |
| Textile housefurnishings .....                                           | 117.3              | 117.6     | 2.7                                          | .3       | -1.8                                     | 1.0         | .8          |
| Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 115.9              | 114.8     | 1.1                                          | -.9      | .1                                       | -.5         | -.9         |
| Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 118.5              | 117.0     | 1.0                                          | -1.3     | .3                                       | -1.9        | -1.3        |
| Sofas <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 117.9              | 118.2     | 1.3                                          | .3       | -.6                                      | -.2         | .3          |
| Living room chairs and tables <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 116.9              | 115.6     | 3.0                                          | -1.1     | -.1                                      | 1.3         | -1.1        |
| Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                       | 111.3              | 109.8     | .1                                           | -1.3     | .5                                       | -.4         | -1.3        |
| Appliances, including electronic equipment <sup>1</sup> .....            | 88.2               | 87.9      | -1.3                                         | -.3      | -.2                                      | .0          | -.3         |
| Video and audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 81.3               | 80.7      | -2.3                                         | -.7      | -.4                                      | .0          | -.7         |
| Televisions <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 75.2               | 74.2      | -2.6                                         | -1.3     | -.7                                      | .4          | -1.3        |
| Video products other than televisions <sup>1 5</sup> .....               | 92.4               | 92.3      | -5.2                                         | -.1      | -.7                                      | -.3         | -.1         |
| Audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 93.5               | 93.1      | -.5                                          | -.4      | -.1                                      | -.2         | -.4         |
| Major household appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....                          | 101.5              | 101.4     | .9                                           | -.1      | .3                                       | -.2         | -.1         |
| Refrigerators and home freezers <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 102.5              | 102.2     | .0                                           | -.3      | -.1                                      | .3          | -.3         |
| Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 107.7              | 106.9     | 2.0                                          | -.7      | .9                                       | -.3         | -.7         |
| Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners <sup>1 3</sup> .....    | 98.9               | 99.2      | .5                                           | .3       | .2                                       | -.5         | .3          |
| Information processing equipment <sup>1 5</sup> .....                    | 93.2               | 94.4      | -2.1                                         | 1.3      | -.5                                      | -.2         | 1.3         |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                    | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                                   | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Other housefurnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                       | 107.3              | 107.2     | 2.8                                          | -0.1     | 0.0                                      | 0.6         | -0.1        |
| Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment <sup>1</sup> ..... | 122.8              | 122.8     | 2.8                                          | .0       | .5                                       | .7          | .0          |
| Clocks, lamps, and decor items <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 111.5              | 112.2     | 3.4                                          | .6       | -1.1                                     | .7          | .6          |
| Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 115.5              | 114.4     | 3.1                                          | -1.0     | 2.5                                      | .2          | -1.0        |
| Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 101.1              | 101.4     | 2.5                                          | .3       | -9                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....       | 96.3               | 95.6      | -2.3                                         | -.7      | -.7                                      | .4          | -.7         |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                                                                       | 125.0              | 125.8     | 3.8                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .8          | .5          |
| Laundry and cleaning products, including soap <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.3              | 129.2     | 3.1                                          | -.1      | .2                                       | .6          | -.1         |
| Household paper products and stationery supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 124.6              | 126.0     | 4.8                                          | 1.1      | .2                                       | 1.1         | 1.1         |
| Other household, lawn, and garden supplies .....                                                  | 120.5              | 121.6     | 3.4                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .7          | .9          |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 119.5              | 119.8     | 2.0                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .3          | .3          |
| Postage <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.1              | 125.1     | .0                                           | .0       | .0                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Appliance and furniture repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 126.6              | 126.8     | 3.9                                          | .2       | .4                                       | .1          | .2          |
| Gardening and other household services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                       | 114.9              | 115.2     | 1.9                                          | .3       | -.1                                      | .6          | .3          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                                                          | 125.5              | 123.3     | 4.7                                          | -1.8     | .1                                       | -.3         | -.1         |
| Apparel commodities .....                                                                         | 123.6              | 121.1     | 4.6                                          | -2.0     | .0                                       | -.5         | -.1         |
| Apparel commodities less footwear .....                                                           | 124.5              | 121.8     | 4.9                                          | -2.2     | .0                                       | -.6         | -.2         |
| Men's and boys' .....                                                                             | 121.9              | 119.9     | 3.5                                          | -1.6     | .4                                       | .4          | -.2         |
| Men's .....                                                                                       | 124.9              | 122.4     | 3.2                                          | -2.0     | .6                                       | .2          | -.4         |
| Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets .....                                                      | 127.2              | 125.6     | 4.9                                          | -1.3     | .7                                       | -.2         | .6          |
| Furnishings and special clothing .....                                                            | 119.6              | 118.0     | 3.8                                          | -1.3     | 1.3                                      | -.5         | .6          |
| Shirts .....                                                                                      | 132.0              | 126.7     | 2.8                                          | -4.0     | .2                                       | .8          | -2.3        |
| Dungarees, jeans, and trousers .....                                                              | 120.5              | 119.0     | .9                                           | -1.2     | -.1                                      | .4          | -.3         |
| Boys' .....                                                                                       | 109.0              | 109.2     | 4.4                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 1.2         | 1.1         |
| Women's and girls' .....                                                                          | 124.7              | 120.9     | 5.3                                          | -3.0     | -.5                                      | -1.0        | -.1         |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 125.4              | 121.6     | 5.7                                          | -3.0     | -.9                                      | -.9         | .1          |
| Coats and jackets .....                                                                           | 112.4              | 110.4     | 3.8                                          | -1.8     | .5                                       | 1.3         | 2.7         |
| Dresses .....                                                                                     | 132.7              | 126.8     | 2.4                                          | -4.4     | -5.6                                     | -2.7        | -1.3        |
| Separates and sportswear .....                                                                    | 128.3              | 123.7     | 6.5                                          | -3.6     | .9                                       | -1.1        | -.7         |
| Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories .....                                              | 117.6              | 117.3     | 3.3                                          | -.3      | .4                                       | -.3         | .6          |
| Suits .....                                                                                       | 144.4              | 139.3     | 16.1                                         | -3.5     | -3.7                                     | 1.1         | 3.7         |
| Girls' .....                                                                                      | 120.8              | 117.1     | 3.0                                          | -3.1     | 1.9                                      | -1.9        | -1.2        |
| Infants' and toddlers' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 127.2              | 127.8     | 3.1                                          | .5       | 1.9                                      | -2.2        | .5          |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 132.1              | 131.4     | 8.1                                          | -.5      | .1                                       | -.5         | -.5         |
| Sewing materials, notions, and luggage <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                       | 116.0              | 115.3     | 5.7                                          | -.6      | .5                                       | -.4         | -.6         |
| Watches and jewelry <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                          | 131.7              | 130.9     | 8.5                                          | -.6      | .0                                       | -.5         | -.6         |
| Watches <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 110.1              | 109.7     | .9                                           | -.4      | -.1                                      | .9          | -.4         |
| Jewelry <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 137.8              | 136.9     | 10.4                                         | -.7      | .0                                       | -.9         | -.7         |
| Footwear .....                                                                                    | 118.5              | 117.3     | 2.9                                          | -1.0     | .4                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Men's <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                          | 125.1              | 124.8     | 4.1                                          | -.2      | .9                                       | -.3         | -.2         |
| Boys' and girls' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                               | 118.6              | 121.0     | 4.7                                          | 2.0      | -.8                                      | -.4         | 2.0         |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 113.1              | 109.9     | 1.2                                          | -2.8     | .7                                       | .5          | -1.4        |
| Apparel services .....                                                                            | 136.2              | 136.4     | 4.9                                          | .1       | .8                                       | 1.0         | .3          |
| Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated .....                                           | 137.9              | 138.2     | 4.2                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .8          | .4          |
| Other apparel services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 134.7              | 134.8     | 5.9                                          | .1       | 1.2                                      | 1.1         | .1          |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                        | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                       | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Transportation .....                                                                  | 117.7              | 118.2     | 2.0                                          | 0.4      | 0.1                                      | -0.2        | 0.4         |
| Private .....                                                                         | 115.9              | 116.4     | 1.3                                          | .4       | .1                                       | -.3         | .4          |
| New vehicles .....                                                                    | 121.0              | 120.6     | 1.4                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | .1          | -.3         |
| New cars .....                                                                        | 120.7              | 120.3     | 1.0                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | -.2         | -.2         |
| Subcompact new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                              | 103.5              | 103.3     | .0                                           | -.2      | -.1                                      | -.3         | -.2         |
| Compact new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                 | 103.5              | 103.1     | .8                                           | -.4      | -.3                                      | .3          | -.4         |
| Intermediate new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                            | 104.7              | 104.3     | 1.1                                          | -.4      | -.6                                      | -.3         | -.4         |
| Full-size new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                               | 108.9              | 108.8     | 3.0                                          | -.1      | -.4                                      | .2          | -.1         |
| Luxury new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                  | 111.2              | 110.7     | 1.4                                          | -.4      | -.8                                      | -.5         | -.4         |
| New trucks <sup>4</sup> .....                                                         | 120.9              | 120.3     | 3.5                                          | -.5      | .2                                       | .2          | -.7         |
| New motorcycles <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                  | 115.3              | 115.0     | 3.1                                          | -.3      | .2                                       | .5          | -.3         |
| Used cars .....                                                                       | 116.9              | 117.6     | -3.1                                         | .6       | -.6                                      | .3          | .3          |
| Motor fuel .....                                                                      | 92.5               | 94.6      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .3                                       | -1.4        | 2.2         |
| Gasoline .....                                                                        | 92.4               | 94.6      | -1.7                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | -1.6        | 2.5         |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                                        | 97.1               | 100.0     | .0                                           | 3.0      | 1.0                                      | -2.4        | 3.0         |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                                      | 90.1               | 92.5      | -2.1                                         | 2.7      | .0                                       | .0          | 1.3         |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                                      | 95.7               | 97.7      | -.3                                          | 2.1      | .0                                       | .1          | .9          |
| Automobile maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.4              | 129.6     | 4.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .0          | .2          |
| Body work <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 135.1              | 135.6     | 4.1                                          | .4       | .9                                       | -.1         | .4          |
| Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair <sup>1</sup> ..... | 132.6              | 133.0     | 4.4                                          | .3       | .4                                       | .2          | .3          |
| Maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 124.5              | 124.6     | 3.1                                          | .1       | .6                                       | -.4         | .1          |
| Power plant repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 130.5              | 130.7     | 5.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Other private transportation .....                                                    | 140.8              | 141.0     | 3.8                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .0          | .1          |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 101.8              | 101.8     | -.1                                          | .0       | -.1                                      | -.1         | .0          |
| Motor oil, coolant, and other products <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 110.1              | 110.5     | -.5                                          | .4       | .2                                       | -.6         | .4          |
| Automobile parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 100.6              | 100.5     | -.1                                          | -.1      | -.1                                      | .0          | -.1         |
| Tires <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 97.6               | 97.0      | -1.8                                         | -.6      | -.3                                      | -.3         | -.6         |
| Other parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 107.8              | 108.4     | 1.7                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Other private transportation services .....                                           | 149.3              | 149.7     | 4.5                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Automobile insurance .....                                                            | 176.4              | 176.9     | 6.3                                          | .3       | .2                                       | .7          | .3          |
| Automobile finance charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 98.2               | 98.3      | -3.3                                         | .1       | -.7                                      | -1.2        | .1          |
| Automobile fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 143.8              | 144.2     | 7.9                                          | .3       | .6                                       | -.8         | .3          |
| Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees <sup>1</sup> .....            | 141.7              | 141.8     | 9.2                                          | .1       | .0                                       | .1          | .1          |
| Other automobile-related fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 146.9              | 147.5     | 6.7                                          | .4       | 1.2                                      | -1.5        | .4          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 140.9              | 141.5     | 9.2                                          | .4       | .9                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Airline fares <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 146.3              | 146.8     | 11.6                                         | .3       | 1.3                                      | .5          | .3          |
| Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 141.2              | 142.2     | 1.6                                          | .7       | .6                                       | .1          | .7          |
| Intracity public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 132.6              | 133.3     | 6.7                                          | .5       | .0                                       | .3          | .5          |
| Medical care .....                                                                    | 160.8              | 161.9     | 9.0                                          | .7       | .8                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                                        | 162.2              | 163.3     | 8.1                                          | .7       | .8                                       | .4          | .8          |
| Prescription drugs .....                                                              | 180.1              | 181.5     | 9.8                                          | .8       | .6                                       | .4          | .9          |
| Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....                       | 120.1              | 120.6     | 5.0                                          | .4       | 1.2                                      | .4          | .4          |
| Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 144.9              | 145.5     | 4.5                                          | .4       | 1.3                                      | .3          | .4          |
| Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 138.1              | 138.7     | 5.8                                          | .4       | 1.0                                      | .4          | .4          |
| Medical care services .....                                                           | 160.5              | 161.5     | 9.2                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Professional medical services .....                                                   | 155.1              | 155.8     | 6.6                                          | .5       | .7                                       | 1.0         | .3          |
| Physicians' services .....                                                            | 160.0              | 160.6     | 7.4                                          | .4       | .7                                       | 1.1         | .2          |
| Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 154.5              | 155.3     | 6.4                                          | .5       | .3                                       | .7          | .5          |
| Eye care <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                         | 116.5              | 117.3     | 4.5                                          | .7       | .7                                       | .3          | .7          |
| Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3</sup> .....                          | 119.5              | 119.7     | 5.1                                          | .2       | .4                                       | .3          | .2          |
| Hospital and related services .....                                                   | 174.3              | 175.4     | 10.7                                         | .6       | .7                                       | .7          | 1.0         |
| Hospital rooms .....                                                                  | 172.3              | 172.6     | 10.9                                         | .2       | .7                                       | .8          | .3          |
| Other inpatient services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                         | 139.1              | 140.6     | 10.0                                         | 1.1      | .5                                       | .4          | 1.1         |
| Outpatient services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                              | 136.1              | 137.1     | 11.3                                         | .7       | .4                                       | .3          | .7          |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                               | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                                              | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 131.7              | 131.9     | 4.5                                          | 0.2      | 0.4                                      | 0.2         | 0.2         |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                 | 123.7              | 123.5     | 3.3                                          | -.2      | .3                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 135.6              | 135.8     | 5.4                                          | .1       | .1                                       | .4          | .1          |
| Newspapers <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 133.6              | 133.7     | 3.6                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .2          | .1          |
| Magazines, periodicals, and books <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 137.7              | 138.0     | 6.9                                          | .2       | .0                                       | .5          | .2          |
| Sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 114.6              | 114.5     | 3.5                                          | -.1      | .5                                       | .1          | -.1         |
| Sport vehicles, including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 114.9              | 114.5     | 2.1                                          | -.3      | -.3                                      | .5          | -.3         |
| Other sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                      | 111.6              | 111.6     | 4.6                                          | .0       | 1.4                                      | -.4         | .0          |
| Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 121.3              | 120.8     | 1.8                                          | -.4      | .2                                       | .2          | -.4         |
| Toys, hobbies, and music equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 117.6              | 117.2     | 1.4                                          | -.3      | .3                                       | .1          | -.3         |
| Photographic supplies and equipment .....                                                                    | 128.4              | 128.5     | 1.5                                          | .1       | -.2                                      | -.9         | .0          |
| Pet supplies and expense <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                  | 124.0              | 123.2     | 2.4                                          | -.6      | .3                                       | .7          | -.6         |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 142.0              | 142.6     | 5.6                                          | .4       | .4                                       | .3          | .4          |
| Club memberships <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                        | 115.4              | 116.4     | 2.8                                          | .9       | -.3                                      | -.5         | .9          |
| Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                 | 122.9              | 123.6     | 6.3                                          | .6       | 1.1                                      | -.8         | .6          |
| Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 150.4              | 150.7     | 6.8                                          | .2       | 1.3                                      | .3          | .2          |
| Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                        | 121.8              | 122.4     | 7.8                                          | .5       | .0                                       | .0          | .5          |
| Other entertainment services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                            | 112.7              | 113.1     | 5.0                                          | .4       | -.2                                      | 1.3         | .4          |
| Other goods and services .....                                                                               | 156.6              | 157.8     | 7.9                                          | .8       | .4                                       | .8          | .9          |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 176.7              | 180.9     | 10.2                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | .6          | 2.4         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 130.2              | 131.0     | 5.2                                          | .6       | 1.0                                      | -.1         | .6          |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 128.3              | 129.2     | 5.7                                          | .7       | 1.1                                      | .0          | .7          |
| Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 128.8              | 129.6     | 6.0                                          | .6       | 1.7                                      | -.2         | .6          |
| Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products <sup>1</sup> ..... | 128.1              | 129.0     | 5.5                                          | .7       | .7                                       | .1          | .7          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 132.1              | 132.8     | 4.6                                          | .5       | .8                                       | -.2         | .5          |
| Beauty parlor services for females <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 132.4              | 133.0     | 5.0                                          | .5       | .9                                       | .0          | .5          |
| Haircuts and other barber shop services for males <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 130.5              | 131.4     | 3.0                                          | .7       | .7                                       | -.8         | .7          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                                                                      | 167.7              | 168.0     | 7.8                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 1.1         | .4          |
| School books and supplies .....                                                                              | 169.9              | 169.8     | 9.1                                          | -.1      | .5                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Personal and educational services .....                                                                      | 167.7              | 168.1     | 7.8                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 1.1         | .4          |
| Tuition and other school fees .....                                                                          | 171.5              | 171.7     | 8.1                                          | .1       | .5                                       | .9          | .7          |
| College tuition .....                                                                                        | 170.1              | 170.5     | 8.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .6          | 1.1         |
| Elementary and high school tuition .....                                                                     | 177.4              | 177.4     | 8.8                                          | .0       | .7                                       | .8          | .7          |
| Personal expenses <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 158.4              | 158.9     | 7.1                                          | .3       | .5                                       | 1.4         | .3          |
| Legal service fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 123.4              | 123.7     | 7.9                                          | .2       | .4                                       | 2.1         | .2          |
| Personal financial services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                             | 122.9              | 123.6     | 6.9                                          | .6       | .2                                       | 1.6         | .6          |
| Funeral expenses <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                        | 117.9              | 118.0     | 6.2                                          | .1       | .6                                       | .6          | .1          |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                                                                                       |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....                                                           | 132.1              | 133.0     | 6.7                                          | .7       | -.6                                      | -.1         | .7          |
| Selected beef cuts <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.9              | 126.2     | 8.7                                          | .2       | 1.1                                      | .1          | .2          |
| Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products .....                                                     | 92.8               | 94.9      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .3                                       | -1.6        | 2.3         |
| Utilities and public transportation .....                                                                    | 119.9              | 122.5     | 3.7                                          | 2.2      | -.1                                      | -.1         | .3          |
| Housekeeping and home maintenance services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                | 120.2              | 120.4     | 2.2                                          | .2       | .3                                       | .4          | .2          |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

**Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Detailed expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted U.S. city average**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                     | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                    | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                    |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Food and beverages .....                                           | 130.9                       | 131.8     | 3.2                                                | 5.2       | 11.4      | 2.2       | 4.2             | 6.7       |
| Food .....                                                         | 131.2                       | 132.2     | 3.6                                                | 5.5       | 11.4      | 2.1       | 4.5             | 6.7       |
| Food at home .....                                                 | 130.5                       | 131.8     | 2.3                                                | 6.5       | 15.3      | .3        | 4.4             | 7.5       |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.3                       | 140.1     | 7.8                                                | 4.5       | 4.5       | 7.5       | 6.1             | 6.0       |
| Cereals and cereal products .....                                  | 140.1                       | 141.8     | 8.7                                                | 3.9       | 2.3       | 10.5      | 6.2             | 6.4       |
| Flour and prepared flour mixes .....                               | 124.3                       | 125.4     | 8.6                                                | 3.6       | 5.0       | 1.9       | 6.1             | 3.4       |
| Cereal <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 157.9                       | 159.4     | 13.7                                               | 2.4       | 7.6       | 11.3      | 7.9             | 9.4       |
| Rice, pasta, and cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 121.8                       | 121.3     | 4.1                                                | -2.6      | 1.0       | 3.0       | .7              | 2.0       |
| Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 138.5                       | 139.2     | 6.6                                                | 6.8       | 4.2       | 6.6       | 6.7             | 5.4       |
| White bread <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 135.0                       | 136.6     | 6.0                                                | 6.9       | 4.0       | 6.4       | 6.5             | 5.2       |
| Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins <sup>1</sup> ..... | 136.1                       | 137.1     | 6.4                                                | 7.9       | 5.9       | 7.6       | 7.1             | 6.7       |
| Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....              | 142.5                       | 141.9     | 6.1                                                | 9.1       | 4.7       | 3.8       | 7.6             | 4.2       |
| Other bakery products .....                                        | 140.2                       | 140.5     | 10.0                                               | 6.0       | -.6       | 6.8       | 8.0             | 3.1       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                               | 128.8                       | 130.7     | .0                                                 | 5.0       | 13.6      | 9.7       | 2.5             | 11.6      |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                                     | 129.2                       | 131.2     | .0                                                 | 3.6       | 14.7      | 11.4      | 1.8             | 13.0      |
| Meats .....                                                        | 127.3                       | 129.6     | 2.8                                                | 11.8      | 14.7      | 17.8      | 7.2             | 16.3      |
| Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 128.5                       | 129.0     | 2.4                                                | 7.2       | 15.6      | 7.8       | 4.7             | 11.6      |
| Ground beef other than canned <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 118.1                       | 118.3     | 4.9                                                | 11.5      | 19.1      | 3.8       | 8.1             | 11.2      |
| Chuck roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 129.4                       | 129.7     | .7                                                 | 28.5      | 18.0      | 3.5       | 13.8            | 10.5      |
| Round roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 119.2                       | 119.7     | 3.6                                                | 2.1       | 18.7      | 2.7       | 2.9             | 10.4      |
| Round steak <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 125.4                       | 124.3     | 7.2                                                | 8.5       | 18.7      | 1.0       | 7.8             | 9.5       |
| Sirloin steak .....                                                | 127.6                       | 128.1     | 5.9                                                | 1.9       | 3.8       | .9        | 3.9             | 2.4       |
| Other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 140.0                       | 140.6     | -.3                                                | 4.9       | 11.9      | 10.6      | 2.3             | 11.3      |
| Pork .....                                                         | 127.9                       | 133.0     | -1.1                                               | 25.0      | 16.1      | 38.5      | 11.2            | 26.8      |
| Bacon .....                                                        | 111.1                       | 115.4     | -.4                                                | 61.6      | 5.8       | 36.8      | 26.9            | 20.3      |
| Chops .....                                                        | 139.3                       | 146.4     | 6.5                                                | 20.4      | 13.5      | 51.8      | 13.2            | 31.2      |
| Ham .....                                                          | 131.4                       | 134.5     | -10.6                                              | 6.3       | 29.9      | 28.6      | -2.5            | 29.3      |
| Other pork, including sausage .....                                | 127.6                       | 133.2     | 2.2                                                | 19.4      | 15.9      | 43.0      | 10.5            | 28.7      |
| Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 124.2                       | 127.4     | 9.7                                                | 6.6       | 11.1      | 16.2      | 8.2             | 13.7      |
| Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 132.3                       | 134.0     | -16.3                                              | -17.3     | 23.8      | -2.4      | -16.8           | 9.9       |
| Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 134.8                       | 138.2     | -14.6                                              | -22.8     | 26.9      | -.6       | -18.8           | 12.3      |
| Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 135.7                       | 137.3     | -23.1                                              | -15.5     | 26.6      | -2.3      | -19.4           | 11.2      |
| Other poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 123.6                       | 122.7     | 1.0                                                | -10.2     | 12.1      | -6.0      | -4.8            | 2.7       |
| Fish and seafood .....                                             | 144.4                       | 145.2     | 9.2                                                | -7.6      | 3.4       | -1.9      | .4              | .7        |
| Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 119.8                       | 119.8     | -7.1                                               | -13.5     | .0        | 1.3       | -10.3           | .7        |
| Fresh and frozen fish and seafood .....                            | 157.8                       | 158.9     | 14.7                                               | -5.6      | 4.4       | -3.0      | 4.0             | .6        |
| Eggs .....                                                         | 122.7                       | 122.9     | -2.0                                               | 23.4      | -.6       | -11.7     | 10.0            | -6.4      |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 124.7                       | 124.9     | 9.1                                                | 25.6      | 13.3      | -5.9      | 17.0            | 3.3       |
| Fresh milk and cream .....                                         | 124.2                       | 124.7     | 9.5                                                | 24.1      | 16.7      | -6.2      | 16.6            | 4.6       |
| Fresh whole milk .....                                             | 124.8                       | 125.1     | 6.9                                                | 29.7      | 16.3      | -5.9      | 17.8            | 4.6       |
| Other fresh milk and cream <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 124.2                       | 124.3     | 7.3                                                | 27.1      | 19.3      | -9.7      | 16.8            | 3.8       |
| Processed dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 125.7                       | 126.2     | 10.4                                               | 20.0      | 10.1      | -1.6      | 15.1            | 4.1       |
| Cheese <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 129.1                       | 130.0     | 17.5                                               | 28.9      | 11.2      | -.9       | 23.0            | 4.9       |
| Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 126.1                       | 126.9     | 3.1                                                | 13.4      | 8.7       | 3.9       | 8.1             | 6.3       |
| Other dairy products, including butter <sup>1</sup> .....          | 113.2                       | 112.1     | 1.4                                                | 2.5       | 6.9       | -10.6     | 2.0             | -2.3      |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                      | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                     | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                     |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                         | 143.6                       | 145.8     | -2.3                                               | 4.7       | 46.9      | -19.2     | 1.2             | 8.9       |
| Fresh fruits and vegetables .....                                   | 151.3                       | 154.7     | -5.2                                               | 7.2       | 63.4      | -30.9     | .8              | 6.2       |
| Fresh fruits .....                                                  | 166.6                       | 170.3     | 7.4                                                | 28.7      | 28.6      | -4.6      | 17.6            | 10.8      |
| Apples .....                                                        | 140.5                       | 137.8     | -10.1                                              | 20.7      | 8.0       | -11.3     | 4.1             | -2.1      |
| Bananas .....                                                       | 129.5                       | 121.5     | 12.8                                               | .6        | 40.4      | -49.0     | 6.5             | -15.4     |
| Oranges, including tangerines .....                                 | 167.8                       | 165.4     | -3.2                                               | -2.7      | 120.4     | -26.3     | -2.9            | 27.5      |
| Other fresh fruits .....                                            | 187.0                       | 197.4     | 25.5                                               | 35.9      | 21.3      | 15.1      | 30.6            | 18.2      |
| Fresh vegetables .....                                              | 135.6                       | 137.5     | -17.1                                              | -10.6     | 126.2     | -55.7     | -13.9           | .1        |
| Potatoes .....                                                      | 180.0                       | 167.1     | .8                                                 | -9.7      | 88.4      | -21.5     | -4.6            | 21.7      |
| Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 134.3                       | 120.2     | 9.7                                                | -37.3     | -15.5     | -27.4     | -17.0           | -21.7     |
| Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 108.5                       | 126.1     | -40.3                                              | 116.2     | 882.6     | -93.4     | 13.7            | -19.2     |
| Other fresh vegetables .....                                        | 129.5                       | 131.6     | -19.7                                              | -1.4      | 40.9      | -44.0     | -11.0           | -11.1     |
| Processed fruits and vegetables .....                               | 134.0                       | 134.2     | 3.9                                                | -1.3      | 20.9      | 7.2       | 1.3             | 13.8      |
| Processed fruits .....                                              | 138.2                       | 139.3     | 10.3                                               | -4.6      | 35.2      | 9.1       | 2.6             | 21.5      |
| Fruit juices and frozen fruit .....                                 | 142.6                       | 143.7     | 13.7                                               | -5.4      | 43.1      | 11.3      | 3.7             | 26.2      |
| Canned and dried fruits .....                                       | 120.9                       | 120.9     | 3.4                                                | 2.3       | 1.0       | -1.0      | 2.9             | .0        |
| Processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 127.8                       | 127.6     | -1.6                                               | -6        | 5.9       | 3.2       | -1.1            | 4.5       |
| Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 127.2                       | 127.6     | 3.6                                                | 2.6       | 5.2       | 4.5       | 3.1             | 4.9       |
| Other processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 128.7                       | 128.3     | -4.0                                               | -2.5      | 6.9       | 2.5       | -3.3            | 4.7       |
| Other food at home .....                                            | 122.3                       | 123.1     | 2.7                                                | 2.7       | 2.7       | 5.0       | 2.7             | 3.8       |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 124.4                       | 124.5     | 5.5                                                | 1.0       | 6.4       | 5.0       | 3.2             | 5.7       |
| Sugar and artificial sweeteners <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 118.7                       | 118.7     | 9.1                                                | -4.1      | 12.4      | 1.7       | 2.3             | 6.9       |
| Sweets, including candy <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 126.6                       | 126.9     | 4.0                                                | 3.0       | 4.6       | 6.2       | 3.5             | 5.4       |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 125.0                       | 125.5     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 8.8       | 4.3       | .0              | 6.5       |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                                        | 112.1                       | 113.4     | .7                                                 | 1.8       | -1.8      | 5.5       | 1.3             | 1.8       |
| Carbonated drinks .....                                             | 110.2                       | 111.8     | 4.1                                                | 8.3       | .4        | 1.1       | 6.2             | .7        |
| Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 116.9                       | 117.7     | -10.9                                              | -12.1     | -2.1      | 9.3       | -11.5           | 3.5       |
| Other noncarbonated drinks .....                                    | 125.7                       | 125.1     | 4.1                                                | 4.8       | 6.1       | 8.1       | 4.4             | 7.1       |
| Other prepared food .....                                           | 130.2                       | 130.9     | 4.2                                                | 4.5       | 4.1       | 4.4       | 4.3             | 4.3       |
| Canned and packaged soup .....                                      | 135.4                       | 135.5     | 4.1                                                | 11.3      | 4.6       | 3.9       | 7.6             | 4.3       |
| Frozen prepared food <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 131.4                       | 131.7     | .6                                                 | 3.1       | -6.2      | 8.0       | 1.9             | .6        |
| Snacks .....                                                        | 127.9                       | 129.2     | 2.9                                                | 1.6       | 4.1       | 1.2       | 2.2             | 2.7       |
| Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices <sup>1</sup> .....       | 128.8                       | 128.9     | 6.3                                                | 1.0       | 11.7      | 1.6       | 3.6             | 6.5       |
| Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food <sup>1</sup> ..... | 131.3                       | 132.5     | 5.6                                                | 6.2       | 7.7       | 6.9       | 5.9             | 7.3       |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 133.0                       | 133.4     | 5.5                                                | 3.1       | 6.3       | 4.9       | 4.3             | 5.6       |
| Lunch <sup>1</sup> .....                                            | 133.5                       | 133.8     | 5.8                                                | 3.5       | 6.6       | 4.6       | 4.6             | 5.6       |
| Dinner <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 132.0                       | 132.3     | 4.2                                                | 3.2       | 5.7       | 4.3       | 3.7             | 5.0       |
| Other meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 134.0                       | 134.5     | 6.4                                                | 3.4       | 6.6       | 5.5       | 4.9             | 6.1       |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 128.9                       | 129.3     | 4.3                                                | 2.6       | 7.2       | 4.8       | 3.4             | 6.0       |
| Alcoholic beverages at home <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 123.0                       | 123.2     | 2.0                                                | 2.7       | 7.6       | 5.0       | 2.4             | 6.3       |
| Beer and ale .....                                                  | 123.4                       | 123.7     | 2.0                                                | 6.5       | 4.7       | 5.0       | 4.3             | 4.9       |
| Wine <sup>1</sup> .....                                             | 114.7                       | 114.8     | 4.4                                                | -1.8      | 7.0       | 4.7       | 1.3             | 5.8       |
| Distilled spirits <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 124.6                       | 125.2     | 5.1                                                | 2.7       | 5.0       | 5.3       | 3.9             | 5.1       |
| Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....               | 143.6                       | 144.3     | 6.6                                                | 2.3       | 7.0       | 4.6       | 4.4             | 5.8       |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                           | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                          | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                          |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Housing .....                                                            | 127.2                       | 128.0     | 3.6                                                | 4.9       | 5.5       | 3.5       | 4.3             | 4.5       |
| Shelter .....                                                            | 138.2                       | 139.5     | 4.3                                                | 5.8       | 6.0       | 5.6       | 5.1             | 5.8       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                        | 143.9                       | 144.5     | 2.0                                                | 6.8       | 8.2       | 2.0       | 4.4             | 5.0       |
| Rent, residential .....                                                  | 137.6                       | 138.2     | 3.7                                                | 4.6       | 3.9       | 4.8       | 4.1             | 4.3       |
| Other renters' costs .....                                               | 148.1                       | 148.5     | -2.5                                               | 13.9      | 20.3      | -5.2      | 5.4             | 6.8       |
| Lodging while out of town .....                                          | 145.6                       | 145.9     | -3.4                                               | 15.8      | 24.3      | -8.6      | 5.8             | 6.6       |
| Lodging while at school <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 158.1                       | 159.2     | 9.4                                                | 5.6       | 4.2       | 7.6       | 7.5             | 5.9       |
| Tenants' insurance <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 130.3                       | 130.3     | 2.8                                                | 1.6       | 1.9       | .0        | 2.2             | .9        |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                     | 143.2                       | 144.8     | 5.4                                                | 5.6       | 5.2       | 6.9       | 5.5             | 6.1       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 143.4                       | 145.0     | 5.4                                                | 5.6       | 5.2       | 7.2       | 5.5             | 6.2       |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                 | 134.9                       | 135.2     | 2.4                                                | 1.2       | 2.4       | 1.2       | 1.8             | 1.8       |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 122.2                       | 121.8     | 1.0                                                | 3.1       | 5.8       | 2.0       | 2.0             | 3.9       |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 126.2                       | 125.4     | -3                                                 | 4.4       | 8.8       | 1.9       | 2.0             | 5.3       |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 116.7                       | 117.0     | 3.2                                                | .7        | 2.1       | 2.1       | 1.9             | 2.1       |
| Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs <sup>1 3</sup> ..... | 110.1                       | 110.9     | 4.9                                                | 1.8       | .0        | 5.6       | 3.4             | 2.8       |
| Other maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....              | 112.5                       | 112.5     | 1.4                                                | .4        | 3.3       | -.4       | .9              | 1.4       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                           | 110.5                       | 110.3     | 2.6                                                | 5.3       | 6.0       | -2.5      | 4.0             | 1.7       |
| Fuels .....                                                              | 102.2                       | 101.6     | 1.6                                                | 9.5       | 4.4       | -6.4      | 5.5             | -1.2      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....                      | 87.9                        | 85.4      | 1.5                                                | 36.8      | 11.9      | -19.3     | 17.8            | -5.0      |
| Fuel oil .....                                                           | 86.5                        | 82.9      | 1.5                                                | 48.9      | 2.8       | -22.0     | 23.0            | -10.4     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>1 3</sup> .....                    | 112.4                       | 111.4     | 1.6                                                | 19.0      | 39.5      | -19.8     | 9.9             | 5.8       |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                        | 108.6                       | 108.2     | 1.9                                                | 6.9       | 3.7       | -5.0      | 4.4             | -.7       |
| Electricity .....                                                        | 119.0                       | 117.1     | 2.1                                                | 4.6       | 4.5       | -1.7      | 3.3             | 1.4       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                                | 93.8                        | 96.3      | 1.7                                                | 12.1      | 1.2       | -11.9     | 6.8             | -5.6      |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 131.2                       | 131.8     | 3.2                                                | .3        | 8.0       | 3.4       | 1.7             | 5.7       |
| Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 118.0                       | 118.0     | .7                                                 | -3.0      | 4.5       | -.7       | -1.2            | 1.9       |
| Local charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 149.2                       | 149.2     | 1.9                                                | -5.0      | 10.5      | -1.3      | -1.6            | 4.4       |
| Interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 69.0                        | 69.0      | -1.1                                               | 2.3       | -5.6      | .0        | .6              | -2.8      |
| Intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 95.2                        | 95.3      | -2.0                                               | -1.2      | -6.5      | 1.3       | -1.6            | -2.7      |
| Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 148.7                       | 149.4     | 9.5                                                | 4.8       | 7.7       | 5.5       | 7.1             | 6.6       |
| Cable television <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                    | 155.6                       | 159.6     | 2.5                                                | 6.2       | 18.3      | 18.1      | 4.4             | 18.2      |
| Refuse collection <sup>4</sup> .....                                     | 170.2                       | 171.3     | 10.1                                               | 6.4       | 13.8      | 10.7      | 8.3             | 12.2      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                                | 113.1                       | 113.0     | 2.2                                                | .4        | 4.0       | .7        | 1.3             | 2.3       |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 106.7                       | 106.3     | 2.3                                                | -.8       | 5.4       | -2.2      | .8              | 1.5       |
| Textile housefurnishings .....                                           | 116.9                       | 117.8     | 1.1                                                | .7        | 9.3       | .0        | .9              | 4.6       |
| Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 115.9                       | 114.8     | 2.5                                                | -1.4      | 9.5       | -5.4      | .5              | 1.8       |
| Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 118.5                       | 117.0     | 7.1                                                | 3.4       | 5.5       | -10.8     | 5.2             | -3.0      |
| Sofas <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 117.9                       | 118.2     | 3.8                                                | -5.6      | 9.6       | -2.0      | -1.0            | 3.7       |
| Living room chairs and tables <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 116.9                       | 115.6     | 4.7                                                | -3.5      | 11.1      | .3        | .5              | 5.6       |
| Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                       | 111.3                       | 109.8     | -4.0                                               | -2.6      | 12.4      | -4.6      | -3.3            | 3.6       |
| Appliances, including electronic equipment <sup>1</sup> .....            | 88.2                        | 87.9      | -2.7                                               | .0        | -.5       | -2.2      | -1.3            | -1.4      |
| Video and audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 81.3                        | 80.7      | -5.2                                               | 4.0       | -3.4      | -4.3      | -.7             | -3.9      |
| Televisions <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 75.2                        | 74.2      | -1.6                                               | -.5       | -2.1      | -6.2      | -1.0            | -4.2      |
| Video products other than televisions <sup>1 5</sup> .....               | 92.4                        | 92.3      | -8.0                                               | -1.3      | -7.0      | -4.6      | -4.7            | -5.8      |
| Audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 93.5                        | 93.1      | -6.7                                               | 10.4      | -2.1      | -3.0      | 1.5             | -2.5      |
| Major household appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....                          | 101.5                       | 101.4     | 4.5                                                | -2.3      | 1.6       | .0        | 1.0             | .8        |
| Refrigerators and home freezers <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 102.5                       | 102.2     | 4.0                                                | .4        | -3.8      | -.4       | 2.2             | -2.1      |
| Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 107.7                       | 106.9     | 5.8                                                | -1.5      | 4.2       | -.4       | 2.1             | 1.9       |
| Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners <sup>1 3</sup> .....    | 98.9                        | 99.2      | 4.1                                                | -4.7      | 2.9       | .0        | -.4             | 1.4       |
| Information processing equipment <sup>1 5</sup> .....                    | 93.2                        | 94.4      | -8.8                                               | -6.2      | 5.3       | 2.1       | -7.5            | 3.7       |

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                    | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                   | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                                   |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Other housefurnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                       | 107.3                       | 107.2     | 5.5                                                | 0.8       | 3.1       | 1.9       | 3.1             | 2.5       |
| Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment <sup>1</sup> ..... | 122.8                       | 122.8     | 6.5                                                | -4.9      | 5.1       | 5.0       | .7              | 5.1       |
| Clocks, lamps, and decor items <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 111.5                       | 112.2     | 8.4                                                | 7.8       | -3.2      | 1.1       | 8.1             | -1.1      |
| Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 115.5                       | 114.4     | 8.9                                                | -8.2      | 5.5       | 6.9       | .0              | 6.2       |
| Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 101.1                       | 101.4     | 2.0                                                | 5.3       | 3.2       | -.4       | 3.7             | 1.4       |
| Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....       | 96.3                        | 95.6      | 1.2                                                | -4.0      | -2.4      | -4.1      | -1.4            | -3.3      |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                                                                       | 124.7                       | 125.3     | 5.4                                                | 4.3       | -.3       | 5.6       | 4.9             | 2.6       |
| Laundry and cleaning products, including soap <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.3                       | 129.2     | 3.9                                                | 2.6       | 2.9       | 3.2       | 3.2             | 3.0       |
| Household paper products and stationery supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 124.6                       | 126.0     | 3.7                                                | 2.7       | 2.6       | 10.5      | 3.2             | 6.5       |
| Other household, lawn, and garden supplies .....                                                  | 119.6                       | 120.7     | 8.8                                                | 7.6       | -9.8      | 8.0       | 8.2             | -1.3      |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 119.5                       | 119.8     | .3                                                 | .3        | 3.8       | 3.8       | .3              | 3.8       |
| Postage <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.1                       | 125.1     | .0                                                 | .0        | .0        | .0        | .0              | .0        |
| Appliance and furniture repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 126.6                       | 126.8     | .0                                                 | 3.7       | 9.8       | 2.6       | 1.8             | 6.1       |
| Gardening and other household services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                       | 114.9                       | 115.2     | 1.1                                                | -7        | 3.9       | 3.2       | .2              | 3.6       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                                                          | 124.6                       | 124.5     | -1.0                                               | 1.4       | 21.4      | -1.3      | .2              | 9.5       |
| Apparel commodities .....                                                                         | 122.5                       | 122.4     | -1.4                                               | 1.4       | 23.0      | -2.3      | .0              | 9.6       |
| Apparel commodities less footwear .....                                                           | 123.4                       | 123.2     | -1.7                                               | 1.4       | 25.3      | -2.9      | -.2             | 10.3      |
| Men's and boys' .....                                                                             | 120.8                       | 120.6     | 1.4                                                | 3.8       | 5.9       | 2.7       | 2.6             | 4.3       |
| Men's .....                                                                                       | 123.3                       | 122.8     | -1.0                                               | 5.5       | 7.2       | 1.3       | 2.2             | 4.2       |
| Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets .....                                                      | 125.7                       | 126.4     | .7                                                 | 10.3      | 4.6       | 4.6       | 5.4             | 4.6       |
| Furnishings and special clothing .....                                                            | 118.1                       | 118.8     | .7                                                 | 6.8       | 2.1       | 5.6       | 3.7             | 3.8       |
| Shirts .....                                                                                      | 129.8                       | 126.8     | -4.8                                               | 4.7       | 18.3      | -5.5      | -.2             | 5.8       |
| Dungarees, jeans, and trousers .....                                                              | 118.9                       | 118.5     | .7                                                 | -.3       | 3.4       | .0        | .2              | 1.7       |
| Boys' .....                                                                                       | 109.9                       | 111.1     | 12.6                                               | -6.1      | 1.1       | 11.2      | 2.8             | 6.0       |
| Women's and girls' .....                                                                          | 123.4                       | 123.3     | -4.0                                               | 2.1       | 34.3      | -6.2      | -1.0            | 12.2      |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 123.8                       | 123.9     | -3.4                                               | 1.7       | 35.9      | -6.5      | -.9             | 12.7      |
| Coats and jackets .....                                                                           | 113.0                       | 116.1     | -14.5                                              | 5.3       | 7.5       | 19.7      | -5.1            | 13.5      |
| Dresses .....                                                                                     | 128.5                       | 126.8     | -4.4                                               | 6.0       | 61.0      | -32.5     | .6              | 4.2       |
| Separates and sportswear .....                                                                    | 126.2                       | 125.3     | -.7                                                | 3.8       | 29.0      | -3.4      | 1.5             | 11.6      |
| Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories .....                                              | 117.1                       | 117.8     | 4.3                                                | 1.4       | 4.2       | 3.1       | 2.8             | 3.7       |
| Suits .....                                                                                       | 146.1                       | 151.5     | -18.5                                              | -17.2     | 160.0     | 3.8       | -17.8           | 64.3      |
| Girls' .....                                                                                      | 121.3                       | 119.9     | -8.0                                               | 3.6       | 24.2      | -4.9      | -2.4            | 8.7       |
| Infants' and toddlers' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 127.2                       | 127.8     | -17.7                                              | -8.8      | 50.0      | .6        | -13.4           | 22.9      |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 132.1                       | 131.4     | 9.9                                                | -5.4      | 36.4      | -3.9      | 2.0             | 14.5      |
| Sewing materials, notions, and luggage <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                       | 116.0                       | 115.3     | 2.2                                                | 5.6       | 18.0      | -2.1      | 3.9             | 7.5       |
| Watches and jewelry <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                          | 131.7                       | 130.9     | 11.4                                               | -7.5      | 41.0      | -4.5      | 1.5             | 16.1      |
| Watches <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 110.1                       | 109.7     | -1.1                                               | -2.6      | 5.7       | 1.8       | -1.8            | 3.7       |
| Jewelry <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 137.8                       | 136.9     | 14.6                                               | -8.4      | 50.5      | -5.9      | 2.4             | 19.0      |
| Footwear .....                                                                                    | 117.6                       | 117.4     | -.4                                                | 1.4       | 9.0       | 1.7       | .5              | 5.3       |
| Men's <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                          | 125.1                       | 124.8     | 2.0                                                | 5.1       | 8.1       | 1.3       | 3.5             | 4.6       |
| Boys' and girls' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                               | 118.6                       | 121.0     | -.7                                                | 11.2      | 5.5       | 3.0       | 5.1             | 4.3       |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 111.1                       | 109.6     | .0                                                 | -2.9      | 8.4       | -.4       | -1.5            | 3.9       |
| Apparel services .....                                                                            | 135.9                       | 136.3     | .9                                                 | 3.4       | 6.9       | 8.7       | 2.2             | 7.8       |
| Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated .....                                           | 137.5                       | 138.0     | 1.8                                                | 3.0       | 4.9       | 7.0       | 2.4             | 5.9       |
| Other apparel services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 134.7                       | 134.8     | -1.9                                               | 6.1       | 10.0      | 9.8       | 2.1             | 9.9       |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                        | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                       | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                       |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Transportation .....                                                                  | 117.5                       | 118.0     | -6.1                                               | 3.9       | 9.4       | 1.4       | -1.2            | 5.3       |
| Private .....                                                                         | 115.8                       | 116.3     | -7.1                                               | 4.0       | 8.0       | 1.0       | -1.7            | 4.4       |
| New vehicles .....                                                                    | 121.2                       | 120.8     | -2.7                                               | 9.1       | 1.7       | -2.0      | 3.0             | -2        |
| New cars .....                                                                        | 120.7                       | 120.5     | -4.0                                               | 9.5       | 1.3       | -2.3      | 2.5             | -5        |
| Subcompact new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                              | 103.5                       | 103.3     | -8.3                                               | 16.8      | -4.5      | -2.3      | 3.5             | -3.4      |
| Compact new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                 | 103.5                       | 103.1     | -5.0                                               | 15.5      | -4.5      | -1.5      | 4.7             | -3.0      |
| Intermediate new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                            | 104.7                       | 104.3     | -6.4                                               | 17.2      | .0        | -4.8      | 4.7             | -2.4      |
| Full-size new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                               | 108.9                       | 108.8     | -7.7                                               | 23.0      | .4        | -1.1      | 6.5             | -.4       |
| Luxury new cars <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                  | 111.2                       | 110.7     | -7.5                                               | 18.3      | 3.6       | -6.9      | 4.6             | -1.8      |
| New trucks <sup>4</sup> .....                                                         | 121.3                       | 120.5     | 3.8                                                | 4.1       | 7.3       | -1.3      | 4.0             | 2.9       |
| New motorcycles <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                  | 115.3                       | 115.0     | 3.3                                                | 6.6       | 1.1       | 1.8       | 4.9             | 1.4       |
| Used cars .....                                                                       | 116.8                       | 117.1     | -3.6                                               | -.7       | -7.8      | .0        | -2.1            | -4.0      |
| Motor fuel .....                                                                      | 91.2                        | 93.2      | -28.1                                              | -3.6      | 30.3      | 4.4       | -16.8           | 16.6      |
| Gasoline .....                                                                        | 90.9                        | 93.2      | -28.8                                              | -4.1      | 30.9      | 4.9       | -17.3           | 17.2      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                                        | 95.4                        | 98.3      | -25.6                                              | -6.0      | 33.9      | 6.8       | -16.4           | 19.6      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                                      | 89.7                        | 90.9      | -29.9                                              | -5.5      | 31.9      | 5.5       | -18.7           | 17.9      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                                      | 95.7                        | 96.6      | -22.6                                              | -2.6      | 25.6      | 4.3       | -13.2           | 14.4      |
| Automobile maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.4                       | 129.6     | 5.6                                                | 2.2       | 6.1       | 2.5       | 3.9             | 4.3       |
| Body work <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 135.1                       | 135.6     | 6.9                                                | 4.6       | .6        | 4.5       | 5.8             | 2.6       |
| Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair <sup>1</sup> ..... | 132.6                       | 133.0     | 4.1                                                | 2.8       | 7.0       | 3.7       | 3.5             | 5.3       |
| Maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 124.5                       | 124.6     | 6.1                                                | -.7       | 6.0       | 1.0       | 2.7             | 3.5       |
| Power plant repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 130.5                       | 130.7     | 5.9                                                | 3.9       | 7.8       | 3.1       | 4.9             | 5.4       |
| Other private transportation .....                                                    | 140.8                       | 140.9     | 2.4                                                | 5.7       | 5.6       | 1.4       | 4.0             | 3.5       |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 101.8                       | 101.8     | .4                                                 | 1.2       | -1.2      | -.8       | .8              | -1.0      |
| Motor oil, coolant, and other products <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 110.1                       | 110.5     | -1.8                                               | -2.5      | 2.9       | -.4       | -2.2            | 1.3       |
| Automobile parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 100.6                       | 100.5     | .4                                                 | 1.6       | -1.6      | -.8       | 1.0             | -1.2      |
| Tires <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 97.6                        | 97.0      | 1.2                                                | .0        | -3.6      | -4.8      | .6              | -4.2      |
| Other parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 107.8                       | 108.4     | -.7                                                | 3.4       | .4        | 3.8       | 1.3             | 2.1       |
| Other private transportation services .....                                           | 149.6                       | 149.7     | 2.5                                                | 6.5       | 7.3       | 1.6       | 4.5             | 4.4       |
| Automobile insurance .....                                                            | 176.6                       | 177.1     | 4.6                                                | 7.3       | 8.7       | 4.9       | 6.0             | 6.8       |
| Automobile finance charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 98.2                        | 98.3      | -14.5                                              | 18.3      | -7.2      | -7.0      | .6              | -7.1      |
| Automobile fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 143.8                       | 144.2     | 6.1                                                | 9.8       | 16.2      | .3        | 7.9             | 7.9       |
| Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees <sup>1</sup> .....            | 141.7                       | 141.8     | 2.2                                                | 15.5      | 19.6      | .6        | 8.6             | 9.7       |
| Other automobile-related fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 146.9                       | 147.5     | 9.3                                                | 5.2       | 12.9      | .0        | 7.2             | 6.2       |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 140.9                       | 141.5     | 1.6                                                | 5.0       | 24.4      | 7.1       | 3.3             | 15.4      |
| Airline fares <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 146.3                       | 146.8     | .6                                                 | 9.4       | 29.5      | 8.6       | 4.9             | 18.6      |
| Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 141.2                       | 142.2     | -.9                                                | -1.1      | 2.9       | 5.8       | -1.0            | 4.4       |
| Intracity public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 132.6                       | 133.3     | 6.2                                                | -2.8      | 21.6      | 3.4       | 1.6             | 12.1      |
| Medical care .....                                                                    | 161.0                       | 162.1     | 8.9                                                | 8.7       | 9.1       | 9.4       | 8.8             | 9.2       |
| Medical care commodities .....                                                        | 161.7                       | 163.0     | 7.1                                                | 7.8       | 9.8       | 8.0       | 7.4             | 8.9       |
| Prescription drugs .....                                                              | 179.6                       | 181.2     | 8.5                                                | 9.6       | 13.4      | 7.9       | 9.0             | 10.6      |
| Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....                       | 120.1                       | 120.6     | 3.9                                                | 3.8       | 3.8       | 8.4       | 3.9             | 6.1       |
| Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 144.9                       | 145.5     | 3.2                                                | 3.5       | 2.9       | 8.7       | 3.3             | 5.7       |
| Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 138.1                       | 138.7     | 5.6                                                | 4.6       | 5.2       | 7.9       | 5.1             | 6.5       |
| Medical care services .....                                                           | 160.6                       | 161.7     | 9.2                                                | 9.0       | 8.8       | 9.7       | 9.1             | 9.3       |
| Professional medical services .....                                                   | 155.1                       | 155.5     | 6.2                                                | 7.2       | 5.1       | 7.8       | 6.7             | 6.5       |
| Physicians' services .....                                                            | 160.0                       | 160.3     | 7.1                                                | 7.0       | 6.9       | 8.1       | 7.1             | 7.5       |
| Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 154.5                       | 155.3     | 4.7                                                | 6.1       | 8.8       | 5.9       | 5.4             | 7.3       |
| Eye care <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                         | 116.5                       | 117.3     | 3.6                                                | 3.2       | 4.3       | 7.1       | 3.4             | 5.7       |
| Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3</sup> .....                          | 119.5                       | 119.7     | 5.7                                                | 3.9       | 7.0       | 3.8       | 4.8             | 5.4       |
| Hospital and related services .....                                                   | 175.0                       | 176.7     | 12.6                                               | 9.6       | 10.6      | 10.1      | 11.1            | 10.4      |
| Hospital rooms .....                                                                  | 173.2                       | 173.8     | 13.1                                               | 11.6      | 11.3      | 7.7       | 12.4            | 9.5       |
| Other inpatient services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                         | 139.1                       | 140.6     | 14.5                                               | 7.8       | 9.8       | 8.1       | 11.1            | 9.0       |
| Outpatient services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                              | 136.1                       | 137.1     | 15.4                                               | 9.7       | 14.5      | 5.7       | 12.5            | 10.0      |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                               | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                              | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                                              |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 131.7                       | 131.9     | 5.2                                                | 4.1       | 5.7       | 3.1       | 4.6             | 4.4       |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                 | 123.7                       | 123.5     | 3.4                                                | 3.7       | 5.0       | 1.3       | 3.5             | 3.1       |
| Reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 135.6                       | 135.8     | 6.0                                                | 5.0       | 7.8       | 2.7       | 5.5             | 5.2       |
| Newspapers <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 133.6                       | 133.7     | 3.1                                                | 5.0       | 4.0       | 2.4       | 4.1             | 3.2       |
| Magazines, periodicals, and books <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 137.7                       | 138.0     | 8.3                                                | 4.9       | 11.6      | 3.0       | 6.6             | 7.2       |
| Sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 114.6                       | 114.5     | .4                                                 | 9.7       | 2.1       | 2.1       | 4.9             | 2.1       |
| Sport vehicles, including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 114.9                       | 114.5     | -1.1                                               | 6.6       | 3.9       | -.7       | 2.7             | 1.6       |
| Other sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                      | 111.6                       | 111.6     | 1.5                                                | 12.9      | .4        | 4.0       | 7.1             | 2.2       |
| Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 121.3                       | 120.8     | 2.7                                                | .0        | 4.4       | .0        | 1.4             | 2.2       |
| Toys, hobbies, and music equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 117.6                       | 117.2     | 3.9                                                | -5.4      | 7.5       | .0        | -.9             | 3.7       |
| Photographic supplies and equipment .....                                                                    | 128.0                       | 128.0     | -.3                                                | 6.5       | 4.1       | -4.0      | 3.0             | .0        |
| Pet supplies and expense <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                  | 124.0                       | 123.2     | 3.7                                                | 5.0       | -.6       | 1.6       | 4.4             | .5        |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 142.0                       | 142.6     | 6.7                                                | 4.7       | 6.5       | 4.6       | 5.7             | 5.6       |
| Club memberships <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                        | 115.4                       | 116.4     | -5.5                                               | 7.0       | 10.2      | .3        | .5              | 5.2       |
| Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                 | 122.9                       | 123.6     | 11.8                                               | 7.9       | 2.0       | 3.6       | 9.9             | 2.8       |
| Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 150.4                       | 150.7     | 10.9                                               | 3.4       | 5.9       | 7.2       | 7.1             | 6.5       |
| Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                        | 121.8                       | 122.4     | 14.1                                               | 8.1       | 7.6       | 2.0       | 11.0            | 4.7       |
| Other entertainment services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                            | 112.7                       | 113.1     | 5.7                                                | 1.5       | 7.1       | 5.9       | 3.6             | 6.5       |
| Other goods and services .....                                                                               | 157.9                       | 159.3     | 6.9                                                | 7.4       | 8.4       | 8.7       | 7.2             | 8.5       |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 176.7                       | 180.9     | 10.1                                               | 9.1       | 7.7       | 13.9      | 9.6             | 10.7      |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 130.2                       | 131.0     | 4.6                                                | 3.9       | 6.1       | 6.3       | 4.2             | 6.2       |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 128.3                       | 129.2     | 6.0                                                | 2.3       | 7.2       | 7.4       | 4.1             | 7.3       |
| Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 128.8                       | 129.6     | 1.6                                                | 3.6       | 9.7       | 9.1       | 2.6             | 9.4       |
| Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products <sup>1</sup> ..... | 128.1                       | 129.0     | 9.5                                                | 1.0       | 5.5       | 6.1       | 5.1             | 5.8       |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 132.1                       | 132.8     | 2.2                                                | 6.4       | 4.7       | 5.0       | 4.3             | 4.8       |
| Beauty parlor services for females <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 132.4                       | 133.0     | 2.5                                                | 7.1       | 4.7       | 5.6       | 4.8             | 5.2       |
| Haircuts and other barber shop services for males <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 130.5                       | 131.4     | 1.3                                                | 3.8       | 4.7       | 2.2       | 2.5             | 3.4       |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                                                                      | 169.4                       | 170.1     | 6.8                                                | 7.4       | 9.4       | 7.9       | 7.1             | 8.6       |
| School books and supplies .....                                                                              | 170.9                       | 171.6     | 10.3                                               | 7.4       | 13.0      | 6.0       | 8.8             | 9.5       |
| Personal and educational services .....                                                                      | 169.3                       | 170.0     | 6.5                                                | 7.7       | 9.1       | 7.9       | 7.1             | 8.5       |
| Tuition and other school fees .....                                                                          | 173.9                       | 175.1     | 7.9                                                | 8.0       | 7.8       | 8.7       | 7.9             | 8.2       |
| College tuition .....                                                                                        | 172.3                       | 174.2     | 9.0                                                | 7.5       | 6.9       | 9.5       | 8.2             | 8.2       |
| Elementary and high school tuition .....                                                                     | 180.7                       | 182.0     | 9.1                                                | 8.2       | 8.8       | 9.3       | 8.7             | 9.0       |
| Personal expenses <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 158.4                       | 158.9     | 4.9                                                | 3.2       | 11.3      | 9.0       | 4.1             | 10.2      |
| Legal service fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                      | 123.4                       | 123.7     | 5.3                                                | 2.4       | 12.9      | 11.4      | 3.9             | 12.2      |
| Personal financial services <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                             | 122.9                       | 123.6     | 4.9                                                | 3.1       | 10.2      | 9.6       | 4.0             | 9.9       |
| Funeral expenses <sup>1 3</sup> .....                                                                        | 117.9                       | 118.0     | 4.0                                                | 4.3       | 11.4      | 5.3       | 4.2             | 8.3       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                                                                                       |                             |           |                                                    |           |           |           |                 |           |
| Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....                                                           | 132.1                       | 133.0     | 2.6                                                | 6.2       | 18.8      | .0        | 4.4             | 9.0       |
| Selected beef cuts <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.9                       | 126.2     | 3.5                                                | 8.8       | 17.0      | 5.9       | 6.1             | 11.3      |
| Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products .....                                                     | 91.4                        | 93.5      | -27.7                                              | -3.6      | 30.1      | 3.9       | -16.5           | 16.3      |
| Utilities and public transportation .....                                                                    | 120.4                       | 120.8     | 2.4                                                | 3.8       | 8.4       | .7        | 3.1             | 4.4       |
| Housekeeping and home maintenance services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                | 120.2                       | 120.4     | .3                                                 | .7        | 4.1       | 3.7       | .5              | 3.9       |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988 = 100 base.

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

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories<sup>1</sup>**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item                                                                               | Indexes   |           |          |           | 1-month percent changes ended— |           |          |           | Percent change to June 1990 from— |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                                                    | Mar. 1990 | Apr. 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | Mar. 1990                      | Apr. 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989                         |
| <b>Food and beverages</b>                                                          |           |           |          |           |                                |           |          |           |                                   |
| Other breads .....                                                                 | 133.2     | 133.6     | 136.6    | 136.5     | -1.0                           | 0.3       | 2.2      | -0.1      | 6.5                               |
| Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins .....                                           | 133.6     | 133.5     | 132.7    | 134.2     | .6                             | -.1       | -.6      | 1.1       | 5.1                               |
| Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....                                                     | 135.8     | 136.9     | 138.0    | 137.0     | -.5                            | .8        | .8       | -.7       | 6.0                               |
| Cookies .....                                                                      | 142.4     | 142.6     | 142.6    | 142.3     | .4                             | .1        | .0       | -.2       | 5.8                               |
| Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....                                        | 148.7     | 153.1     | 152.4    | 155.7     | -1.6                           | 3.0       | -.5      | 2.2       | 7.5                               |
| Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts .....                                    | 131.0     | 132.4     | 135.0    | 135.0     | -.5                            | 1.1       | 2.0      | .0        | 5.8                               |
| Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ..... | 138.2     | 140.5     | 140.7    | 139.8     | .5                             | 1.7       | .1       | -.6       | 5.0                               |
| Ham other than canned .....                                                        | 131.9     | 125.7     | 132.2    | 138.8     | 2.9                            | -4.7      | 5.2      | 5.0       | 13.1                              |
| Pork sausage .....                                                                 | 118.1     | 118.8     | 122.4    | 128.7     | 1.5                            | .6        | 3.0      | 5.1       | 16.9                              |
| Other pork .....                                                                   | 122.8     | 125.7     | 129.8    | 138.0     | 1.2                            | 2.4       | 3.3      | 6.3       | 21.5                              |
| Frankfurters .....                                                                 | 124.5     | 126.6     | 126.5    | 129.6     | -1.5                           | 1.7       | -.1      | 2.5       | 13.1                              |
| Bologna, liverwurst, and salami .....                                              | 125.2     | 126.1     | 126.8    | 131.0     | .2                             | .7        | .6       | 3.3       | 12.7                              |
| Other lunchmeats .....                                                             | 120.4     | 122.1     | 122.4    | 124.2     | .5                             | 1.4       | .2       | 1.5       | 9.7                               |
| Lamb and organ meats .....                                                         | 123.8     | 127.0     | 125.7    | 125.6     | 2.7                            | 2.6       | -1.0     | -.1       | 3.7                               |
| Butter .....                                                                       | 101.8     | 99.3      | 99.3     | 97.1      | -.2                            | -2.5      | .0       | -2.2      | -7.7                              |
| Other dairy products .....                                                         | 131.2     | 130.8     | 129.8    | 130.3     | 1.2                            | -.3       | -.8      | .4        | 7.3                               |
| Frozen fruit and fruit juices .....                                                | 142.9     | 145.3     | 147.0    | 148.0     | 5.1                            | 1.7       | 1.2      | .7        | 19.1                              |
| Other fruit juices .....                                                           | 133.6     | 135.0     | 136.0    | 136.5     | 2.5                            | 1.0       | .7       | .4        | 9.6                               |
| Cut corn, canned beans except lima .....                                           | 130.1     | 130.8     | 131.6    | 130.9     | 1.3                            | .5        | .6       | -.5       | -.7                               |
| Other processed vegetables .....                                                   | 128.1     | 128.5     | 128.7    | 128.5     | 1.1                            | .3        | .2       | -.2       | 3.1                               |
| Candy and chewing gum .....                                                        | 124.2     | 125.1     | 125.8    | 126.2     | .3                             | .7        | .6       | .3        | 3.5                               |
| Other sweets .....                                                                 | 126.2     | 128.2     | 129.3    | 129.8     | -.9                            | 1.6       | .9       | .4        | 6.5                               |
| Margarine .....                                                                    | 129.0     | 128.4     | 130.0    | 128.3     | .8                             | -.5       | 1.2      | -1.3      | 1.3                               |
| Other fats, oils, and salad dressing .....                                         | 118.5     | 118.6     | 119.4    | 120.8     | .3                             | .1        | .7       | 1.2       | 3.2                               |
| Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter .....                                       | 129.2     | 130.2     | 131.0    | 131.3     | .0                             | .8        | .6       | .2        | 4.7                               |
| Roasted coffee .....                                                               | 114.4     | 114.3     | 116.6    | 117.3     | -1.0                           | -.1       | 2.0      | .6        | -5.4                              |
| Instant and freeze-dried coffee .....                                              | 115.3     | 114.7     | 117.1    | 118.3     | -1.2                           | -.5       | 2.1      | 1.0       | -.9                               |
| Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish .....                                      | 130.3     | 130.8     | 130.3    | 130.1     | 1.6                            | .4        | -.4      | -.2       | 5.1                               |
| Other condiments .....                                                             | 124.8     | 124.5     | 124.8    | 125.5     | .9                             | -.2       | .2       | .6        | 4.6                               |
| Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods .....                                  | 137.0     | 138.1     | 139.5    | 140.7     | 1.1                            | .8        | 1.0      | .9        | 7.6                               |
| Other canned and packaged prepared foods .....                                     | 122.1     | 122.4     | 121.3    | 122.4     | .3                             | .2        | -.9      | .9        | 4.0                               |
| Whiskey at home .....                                                              | 122.1     | 122.6     | 123.3    | 124.0     | -.1                            | .4        | .6       | .6        | 4.9                               |
| Other alcoholic beverages at home .....                                            | 125.5     | 125.3     | 125.8    | 126.9     | .6                             | -.2       | .4       | .9        | 4.4                               |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories <sup>1</sup> —Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item                                                         | Indexes   |           |          |           | 1-month percent changes ended— |           |          |           | Percent change to June 1990 from— |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                              | Mar. 1990 | Apr. 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | Mar. 1990                      | Apr. 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989                         |
| <b>Housing</b>                                               |           |           |          |           |                                |           |          |           |                                   |
| Household linens .....                                       | 115.7     | 113.7     | 114.7    | 113.2     | -0.5                           | -1.7      | 0.9      | -1.3      | 1.2                               |
| Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials .....     | 121.7     | 120.9     | 121.2    | 124.0     | .9                             | -.7       | .2       | 2.3       | 7.8                               |
| Soaps and detergents .....                                   | 128.5     | 129.1     | 130.1    | 129.5     | .5                             | .5        | .8       | -.5       | 2.7                               |
| Other laundry and cleaning products .....                    | 125.8     | 125.7     | 126.3    | 126.8     | -.1                            | -.1       | .5       | .4        | 3.7                               |
| Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins ..... | 127.3     | 127.7     | 128.3    | 130.4     | .9                             | .3        | .5       | 1.6       | 5.7                               |
| Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap .....         | 117.5     | 117.7     | 119.9    | 120.6     | -.2                            | .2        | 1.9      | .6        | 3.9                               |
| <b>Apparel and upkeep</b>                                    |           |           |          |           |                                |           |          |           |                                   |
| Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets .....                  | 126.3     | 129.3     | 129.2    | 127.8     | 2.5                            | 2.4       | -.1      | -1.1      | 4.8                               |
| Men's coats and jackets .....                                | 120.6     | 122.8     | 121.8    | 120.2     | .7                             | 1.8       | -.8      | -1.3      | 5.1                               |
| Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts .....             | 103.2     | 104.9     | 105.1    | 105.5     | 3.7                            | 1.6       | .2       | .4        | 4.6                               |
| Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets .....               | 113.4     | 111.6     | 114.0    | 112.9     | -.8                            | -1.6      | 2.2      | -1.0      | 4.8                               |
| Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits .....              | 125.1     | 127.9     | 120.6    | 115.0     | 1.0                            | 2.2       | -5.7     | -4.6      | 1.9                               |
| Girls' separates and sportswear .....                        | 124.0     | 125.3     | 122.5    | 118.8     | 5.4                            | 1.0       | -2.2     | -3.0      | 4.5                               |
| <b>Transportation</b>                                        |           |           |          |           |                                |           |          |           |                                   |
| State automobile registration .....                          | 140.8     | 140.8     | 140.9    | 141.0     | .0                             | .0        | .1       | .1        | 8.5                               |
| <b>Other goods and services</b>                              |           |           |          |           |                                |           |          |           |                                   |
| Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs .....               | 121.0     | 122.6     | 123.2    | 124.2     | 1.7                            | 1.3       | .5       | .8        | 4.4                               |

<sup>1</sup> These special indexes are based on substantially smaller samples.

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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                        |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Expenditure category                                   |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items .....                                        | 100.000                            | 127.5              | 128.3     | 4.5                                          | 0.6      | 0.1                                      | 0.1         | 0.6         |
| All items (1967 = 100) .....                           | -                                  | 379.9              | 382.1     | -                                            | -        | -                                        | -           | -           |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 19.768                             | 130.7              | 131.5     | 5.5                                          | .6       | -.2                                      | .1          | .7          |
| Food .....                                             | 18.116                             | 131.0              | 131.8     | 5.6                                          | .6       | -.3                                      | .1          | .8          |
| Food at home .....                                     | 11.454                             | 130.4              | 131.4     | 6.1                                          | .8       | -.7                                      | -.2         | 1.0         |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....         | 1.638                              | 139.2              | 140.0     | 6.1                                          | .6       | .9                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 3.654                              | 127.8              | 130.0     | 7.3                                          | 1.7      | .8                                       | .1          | 1.6         |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 1.435                              | 124.6              | 124.8     | 10.2                                         | .2       | -1.3                                     | -.4         | .2          |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 1.905                              | 146.4              | 146.6     | 4.7                                          | .1       | -4.7                                     | -2.0        | 1.6         |
| Other food at home .....                               | 2.822                              | 122.6              | 123.1     | 3.4                                          | .4       | -.1                                      | .6          | .7          |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                    | .391                               | 124.4              | 124.6     | 4.5                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .6          | .2          |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                       | .306                               | 124.9              | 125.4     | 3.2                                          | .4       | .1                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                           | .926                               | 112.9              | 113.6     | 1.8                                          | .6       | -.4                                      | .5          | 1.2         |
| Other prepared food .....                              | 1.199                              | 130.2              | 130.8     | 4.4                                          | .5       | .0                                       | .5          | .6          |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 6.661                              | 132.8              | 133.2     | 4.9                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .4          | .3          |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 1.652                              | 128.7              | 129.1     | 4.8                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Housing .....                                          | 39.509                             | 125.1              | 126.2     | 4.2                                          | .9       | .0                                       | .2          | .6          |
| Shelter .....                                          | 25.590                             | 135.0              | 136.1     | 5.3                                          | .8       | .1                                       | .2          | 1.0         |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 8.056                              | 128.4              | 129.2     | 4.5                                          | .6       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 6.789                              | 136.8              | 137.4     | 4.2                                          | .4       | .4                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 1.267                              | 148.8              | 150.7     | 5.9                                          | 1.3      | -1.2                                     | -.5         | .3          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 17.333                             | 130.3              | 131.5     | 5.7                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | 1.2         |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 16.998                             | 130.4              | 131.6     | 5.7                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | 1.2         |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....               | .336                               | 123.6              | 123.8     | 1.9                                          | .2       | -.2                                      | .5          | .2          |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....             | .201                               | 121.7              | 121.8     | 3.3                                          | .1       | -.2                                      | .9          | .1          |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....     | .107                               | 126.9              | 126.4     | 4.5                                          | -.4      | .6                                       | .8          | -.4         |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....  | .094                               | 114.3              | 114.9     | 2.0                                          | .5       | -1.1                                     | 1.2         | .5          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 7.691                              | 109.5              | 112.0     | 2.8                                          | 2.3      | -.5                                      | .0          | .0          |
| Fuels .....                                            | 4.304                              | 101.2              | 105.0     | 1.9                                          | 3.8      | -1.1                                     | -.2         | -.4         |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....    | .390                               | 87.9               | 84.9      | 6.0                                          | -3.4     | -1.3                                     | -1.0        | -2.8        |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 3.914                              | 107.2              | 112.1     | 1.6                                          | 4.6      | -1.0                                     | -.2         | -.1         |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> ..... | 3.387                              | 131.7              | 132.3     | 3.8                                          | .5       | .3                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 6.227                              | 112.4              | 112.3     | 1.7                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 3.892                              | 105.8              | 105.3     | .9                                           | -.5      | -.1                                      | .0          | -.5         |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                            | 1.232                              | 125.3              | 126.1     | 3.7                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .8          | .5          |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....               | 1.104                              | 119.7              | 119.9     | 2.0                                          | .2       | .3                                       | .3          | .2          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 6.134                              | 124.7              | 122.4     | 4.7                                          | -1.8     | .5                                       | -.2         | .0          |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 5.615                              | 122.9              | 120.4     | 4.7                                          | -2.0     | .5                                       | -.3         | -.1         |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 1.488                              | 120.7              | 118.9     | 3.4                                          | -1.5     | .5                                       | .3          | -.2         |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 2.438                              | 123.8              | 119.8     | 5.6                                          | -3.2     | .4                                       | -.7         | .2          |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....      | .280                               | 129.6              | 130.2     | 2.8                                          | .5       | 1.8                                      | -2.0        | .5          |
| Footwear .....                                         | .908                               | 119.3              | 118.3     | 3.7                                          | -.8      | .8                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....           | .501                               | 130.3              | 128.8     | 7.5                                          | -1.2     | .2                                       | -.3         | -1.2        |
| Apparel services .....                                 | .519                               | 135.5              | 135.6     | 5.1                                          | .1       | .8                                       | .9          | .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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                            | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                  |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Expenditure category                                             |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| Transportation .....                                             | 19.033                             | 117.1              | 117.7     | 1.5                                          | 0.5      | 0.2                                      | -0.3        | 0.4         |
| Private transportation .....                                     | 17.939                             | 115.8              | 116.4     | 1.0                                          | .5       | .1                                       | -.3         | .5          |
| New vehicles .....                                               | 5.097                              | 121.1              | 120.7     | 1.7                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | .0          | -.2         |
| New cars .....                                                   | 3.771                              | 120.5              | 120.2     | 1.1                                          | -.2      | -.2                                      | -.2         | -.1         |
| Used cars .....                                                  | 2.212                              | 116.6              | 117.3     | -3.1                                         | .6       | -.7                                      | .1          | .4          |
| Motor fuel .....                                                 | 3.870                              | 92.6               | 94.7      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .3                                       | -1.4        | 2.1         |
| Gasoline .....                                                   | -                                  | 92.5               | 94.8      | -1.6                                         | 2.5      | .5                                       | -1.7        | 2.5         |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 1.589                              | 129.7              | 129.9     | 4.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .1          | .2          |
| Other private transportation .....                               | 5.171                              | 138.3              | 138.6     | 3.5                                          | .2       | .4                                       | -.1         | .1          |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....      | .907                               | 101.3              | 101.3     | -.2                                          | .0       | -.1                                      | -.1         | .0          |
| Other private transportation services .....                      | 4.264                              | 146.8              | 147.2     | 4.2                                          | .3       | .5                                       | -.1         | .1          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 1.093                              | 138.9              | 139.6     | 8.9                                          | .5       | .7                                       | .4          | .5          |
| Medical care .....                                               | 5.260                              | 160.8              | 161.8     | 8.7                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .6          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                   | .968                               | 161.0              | 162.1     | 8.1                                          | .7       | .7                                       | .6          | .6          |
| Medical care services .....                                      | 4.292                              | 160.7              | 161.7     | 8.8                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .6          |
| Professional medical services .....                              | 2.633                              | 155.3              | 156.1     | 6.6                                          | .5       | .7                                       | .8          | .4          |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 4.071                              | 130.8              | 131.0     | 4.4                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 2.171                              | 123.6              | 123.4     | 3.1                                          | -.2      | .3                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 1.900                              | 141.9              | 142.5     | 5.9                                          | .4       | .5                                       | .2          | .4          |
| Other goods and services .....                                   | 6.226                              | 156.3              | 157.8     | 7.9                                          | 1.0      | .5                                       | .5          | 1.1         |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 1.945                              | 176.4              | 180.6     | 10.3                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | .6          | 2.4         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 1.168                              | 129.9              | 130.7     | 5.1                                          | .6       | 1.0                                      | -.1         | .6          |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....     | .663                               | 128.1              | 129.1     | 5.5                                          | .8       | 1.1                                      | -.1         | .8          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                        | .505                               | 131.9              | 132.6     | 4.5                                          | .5       | 1.0                                      | -.2         | .5          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                          | 3.113                              | 166.5              | 166.9     | 7.5                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .7          | .4          |
| School books and supplies .....                                  | .203                               | 168.6              | 168.6     | 9.1                                          | .0       | .5                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Personal and educational services .....                          | 2.910                              | 166.7              | 167.1     | 7.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .7          | .3          |
| Commodity and service group                                      |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items .....                                                  | 100.000                            | 127.5              | 128.3     | 4.5                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .1          | .6          |
| Commodities .....                                                | 49.025                             | 120.9              | 121.2     | 3.7                                          | .2       | .0                                       | .0          | .5          |
| Food and beverages .....                                         | 19.768                             | 130.7              | 131.5     | 5.5                                          | .6       | -.2                                      | .1          | .7          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                        | 29.257                             | 114.9              | 114.9     | 2.4                                          | .0       | .2                                       | -.3         | .4          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup> .....           | 16.934                             | 116.6              | 116.8     | 3.7                                          | .2       | 1.0                                      | .1          | .2          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                        | 5.615                              | 122.9              | 120.4     | 4.7                                          | -2.0     | .5                                       | -.3         | -.1         |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 11.319                             | 116.3              | 117.8     | 3.3                                          | 1.3      | .9                                       | .7          | 1.3         |
| Durables .....                                                   | 12.323                             | 111.4              | 111.2     | .5                                           | -.2      | -.1                                      | -.1         | -.2         |
| Services .....                                                   | 50.975                             | 136.2              | 137.4     | 5.2                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>1 2</sup> .....                             | 25.025                             | 129.8              | 130.8     | 5.3                                          | .8       | .2                                       | .2          | .8          |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....       | 8.877                              | 110.9              | 113.3     | 2.5                                          | 2.2      | -.4                                      | -.1         | .2          |
| Transportation services .....                                    | 6.947                              | 141.2              | 141.5     | 5.0                                          | .2       | .6                                       | .0          | .1          |
| Medical care services .....                                      | 4.292                              | 160.7              | 161.7     | 8.8                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .6          |
| Other services .....                                             | 5.834                              | 147.1              | 147.5     | 6.4                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .5          | .3          |

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**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**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                | Relative importance, December 1989 | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                      |                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Special indexes                                      |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| All items less food .....                            | 81.884                             | 126.7              | 127.4     | 4.2                                          | 0.6      | 0.2                                      | 0.2         | 0.5         |
| All items less shelter .....                         | 74.410                             | 125.8              | 126.4     | 4.2                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .0          | .5          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....  | 82.667                             | 120.3              | 121.0     | 4.2                                          | .6       | .2                                       | .0          | .5          |
| All items less medical care .....                    | 94.740                             | 125.9              | 126.6     | 4.2                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .0          | .6          |
| Commodities less food .....                          | 30.910                             | 115.3              | 115.4     | 2.6                                          | .1       | .2                                       | -.2         | .4          |
| Nondurables less food <sup>1</sup> .....             | 18.586                             | 117.1              | 117.3     | 3.8                                          | .2       | .9                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 12.971                             | 116.7              | 118.0     | 3.5                                          | 1.1      | .8                                       | .8          | 1.1         |
| Nondurables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 36.702                             | 123.9              | 124.4     | 4.7                                          | .4       | .3                                       | .1          | .4          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....     | 25.950                             | 126.8              | 128.0     | 5.0                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Services less medical care .....                     | 46.683                             | 133.9              | 135.1     | 4.8                                          | .9       | .3                                       | .1          | .6          |
| Energy .....                                         | 8.174                              | 96.3               | 99.2      | .3                                           | 3.0      | -.4                                      | -.8         | .8          |
| All items less energy .....                          | 91.826                             | 132.0              | 132.5     | 4.8                                          | .4       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| All items less food and energy .....                 | 73.710                             | 132.3              | 132.7     | 4.7                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....               | 26.649                             | 122.2              | 121.9     | 3.1                                          | -.2      | .2                                       | .1          | .2          |
| Energy commodities .....                             | 4.260                              | 92.5               | 94.1      | -.8                                          | 1.7      | .2                                       | -1.4        | 1.8         |
| Services less energy .....                           | 47.061                             | 139.4              | 140.3     | 5.6                                          | .6       | .4                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:             |                                    |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| 1982-84=\$1.00 <sup>1</sup> .....                    | -                                  | \$.784             | \$.780    | -4.2                                         | -.5      | -.3                                      | -.1         | -.5         |
| 1967=\$1.00 <sup>1</sup> .....                       | -                                  | .263               | .262      | -                                            | -        | -                                        | -           | -           |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           |          |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                        | Mar. 1990                   | Apr. 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                        |                             |           |          |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                   |                             |           |          |           |                                                    |           |           |           |                 |           |
| All items .....                                        | -                           | -         | -        | -         | 2.0                                                | 4.6       | 8.3       | 3.2       | 3.3             | 5.7       |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 130.8                       | 130.6     | 130.7    | 131.6     | 3.6                                                | 5.2       | 11.1      | 2.5       | 4.4             | 6.7       |
| Food .....                                             | 131.2                       | 130.8     | 130.9    | 131.9     | 3.2                                                | 5.5       | 11.8      | 2.2       | 4.4             | 6.9       |
| Food at home .....                                     | 131.3                       | 130.4     | 130.2    | 131.5     | 2.3                                                | 6.6       | 15.0      | .6        | 4.4             | 7.6       |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....         | 137.6                       | 138.8     | 139.2    | 140.0     | 8.1                                                | 4.2       | 4.8       | 7.2       | 6.2             | 6.0       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 127.6                       | 128.6     | 128.7    | 130.8     | -3                                                 | 6.0       | 13.6      | 10.4      | 2.8             | 12.0      |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 126.8                       | 125.1     | 124.6    | 124.8     | 9.5                                                | 26.0      | 13.7      | -6.2      | 17.5            | 3.3       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 153.2                       | 146.0     | 143.1    | 145.4     | -2.6                                               | 2.6       | 48.4      | -18.9     | .0              | 9.7       |
| Other food at home .....                               | 121.6                       | 121.5     | 122.2    | 123.0     | 2.7                                                | 3.4       | 2.7       | 4.7       | 3.0             | 3.7       |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 123.1                       | 123.7     | 124.4    | 124.6     | 5.8                                                | .7        | 6.8       | 5.0       | 3.2             | 5.9       |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 124.0                       | 124.1     | 124.9    | 125.4     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 8.5       | 4.6       | .0              | 6.5       |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                           | 112.1                       | 111.7     | 112.3    | 113.6     | 1.1                                                | 3.3       | -2.5      | 5.5       | 2.2             | 1.4       |
| Other prepared food .....                              | 129.3                       | 129.3     | 130.0    | 130.8     | 4.2                                                | 4.5       | 4.1       | 4.7       | 4.4             | 4.4       |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 131.7                       | 132.3     | 132.8    | 133.2     | 5.1                                                | 3.5       | 6.3       | 4.6       | 4.3             | 5.5       |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 127.4                       | 128.0     | 128.7    | 129.1     | 4.0                                                | 2.6       | 7.2       | 5.4       | 3.3             | 6.3       |
| Housing .....                                          | 124.9                       | 124.9     | 125.1    | 125.8     | 4.0                                                | 4.7       | 5.3       | 2.9       | 4.4             | 4.1       |
| Shelter .....                                          | 134.5                       | 134.7     | 135.0    | 136.3     | 4.7                                                | 5.9       | 5.2       | 5.5       | 5.3             | 5.3       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 128.0                       | 128.2     | 128.4    | 129.0     | 2.6                                                | 6.3       | 6.5       | 3.2       | 4.4             | 4.8       |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 136.1                       | 136.7     | 137.2    | 137.8     | 3.7                                                | 4.6       | 3.9       | 5.1       | 4.1             | 4.5       |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 151.3                       | 149.5     | 148.7    | 149.1     | -2.3                                               | 14.1      | 19.5      | -5.7      | 5.6             | 6.2       |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 129.7                       | 130.0     | 130.3    | 131.8     | 5.9                                                | 5.8       | 4.4       | 6.6       | 5.9             | 5.5       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 129.9                       | 130.1     | 130.4    | 132.0     | 5.9                                                | 5.8       | 4.8       | 6.6       | 5.9             | 5.7       |
| Household insurance <sup>1,2</sup> .....               | 123.3                       | 123.0     | 123.6    | 123.8     | 3.0                                                | 1.0       | 2.0       | 1.6       | 2.0             | 1.8       |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....             | 120.8                       | 120.6     | 121.7    | 121.8     | .3                                                 | 3.4       | 6.2       | 3.4       | 1.9             | 4.8       |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....     | 125.1                       | 125.9     | 126.9    | 126.4     | -1.0                                               | 5.8       | 9.1       | 4.2       | 2.3             | 6.6       |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....  | 114.3                       | 113.0     | 114.3    | 114.9     | 2.1                                                | 1.1       | 2.5       | 2.1       | 1.6             | 2.3       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 110.5                       | 110.0     | 110.0    | 110.0     | 2.3                                                | 4.9       | 6.0       | -1.8      | 3.6             | 2.0       |
| Fuels .....                                            | 102.7                       | 101.6     | 101.4    | 101.0     | 2.4                                                | 8.3       | 4.4       | -6.5      | 5.3             | -1.2      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....    | 90.0                        | 88.8      | 87.9     | 85.4      | 2.0                                                | 32.5      | 15.1      | -18.9     | 16.2            | -3.4      |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 109.1                       | 108.0     | 107.8    | 107.7     | 2.3                                                | 6.5       | 3.4       | -5.0      | 4.4             | -9        |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> ..... | 131.0                       | 131.4     | 131.7    | 132.3     | 2.9                                                | .3        | 8.3       | 4.0       | 1.6             | 6.2       |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 112.1                       | 112.1     | 112.3    | 112.1     | 2.6                                                | .0        | 4.0       | .0        | 1.3             | 2.0       |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 105.9                       | 105.8     | 105.8    | 105.3     | 2.3                                                | -1.1      | 4.7       | -2.2      | .6              | 1.1       |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                            | 124.0                       | 124.1     | 125.1    | 125.7     | 5.4                                                | 3.6       | .3        | 5.6       | 4.5             | 2.9       |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....               | 119.0                       | 119.3     | 119.7    | 119.9     | .0                                                 | .7        | 4.1       | 3.1       | .3              | 3.6       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 123.7                       | 124.3     | 124.0    | 124.0     | -3                                                 | 1.0       | 20.4      | 1.0       | .3              | 10.2      |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 122.1                       | 122.7     | 122.3    | 122.2     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 21.5      | .3        | .0              | 10.4      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 118.8                       | 119.4     | 119.7    | 119.5     | 2.4                                                | 2.8       | 5.9       | 2.4       | 2.6             | 4.1       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 123.8                       | 124.3     | 123.4    | 123.6     | -3.4                                               | 2.1       | 31.5      | -6        | -7              | 14.3      |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel <sup>1</sup> .....      | 129.9                       | 132.2     | 129.6    | 130.2     | -14.0                                              | -8.6      | 40.6      | .9        | -11.3           | 19.1      |
| Footwear .....                                         | 117.4                       | 118.3     | 118.5    | 118.7     | .7                                                 | 1.1       | 9.0       | 4.5       | .9              | 6.7       |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....           | 130.5                       | 130.7     | 130.3    | 128.8     | 9.3                                                | -3.2      | 33.1      | -5.1      | 2.9             | 12.4      |
| Apparel services .....                                 | 132.9                       | 134.0     | 135.2    | 135.5     | 1.2                                                | 4.1       | 7.2       | 8.1       | 2.7             | 7.6       |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                               | Seasonally adjusted indexes |              |             |              | Seasonally adjusted annual rate<br>percent change for |              |              |              |                 |              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                                                                     | Mar.<br>1990                | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | 3 months ended—                                       |              |              |              | 6 months ended— |              |
|                                                                     |                             |              |             |              | Sept.<br>1989                                         | Dec.<br>1989 | Mar.<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | Dec.<br>1989    | June<br>1990 |
| Expenditure category                                                |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| Transportation .....                                                | 116.9                       | 117.1        | 116.8       | 117.3        | -6.7                                                  | 3.2          | 8.7          | 1.4          | -1.9            | 5.0          |
| Private transportation .....                                        | 115.8                       | 115.9        | 115.5       | 116.1        | -7.4                                                  | 3.6          | 7.6          | 1.0          | -2.1            | 4.3          |
| New vehicles .....                                                  | 121.5                       | 121.2        | 121.2       | 120.9        | -2.0                                                  | 9.4          | 1.7          | -2.0         | 3.6             | -2           |
| New cars .....                                                      | 121.0                       | 120.7        | 120.5       | 120.4        | -3.3                                                  | 9.1          | 1.0          | -2.0         | 2.7             | -5           |
| Used cars .....                                                     | 117.1                       | 116.3        | 116.4       | 116.9        | -3.9                                                  | .0           | -7.5         | -7           | -2.0            | -4.1         |
| Motor fuel .....                                                    | 92.4                        | 92.7         | 91.4        | 93.3         | -27.8                                                 | -4.1         | 30.8         | 4.0          | -16.8           | 16.6         |
| Gasoline .....                                                      | 92.2                        | 92.7         | 91.1        | 93.4         | -29.0                                                 | -4.5         | 31.5         | 5.3          | -17.7           | 17.7         |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 129.0                       | 129.6        | 129.7       | 129.9        | 5.2                                                   | 2.2          | 6.8          | 2.8          | 3.7             | 4.8          |
| Other private transportation .....                                  | 138.1                       | 138.6        | 138.5       | 138.6        | 1.8                                                   | 5.5          | 5.1          | 1.5          | 3.6             | 3.3          |
| Other private transportation<br>commodities <sup>1</sup> .....      | 101.5                       | 101.4        | 101.3       | 101.3        | .4                                                    | 1.2          | -1.6         | -.8          | .8              | -1.2         |
| Other private transportation<br>services .....                      | 146.5                       | 147.2        | 147.1       | 147.2        | 2.3                                                   | 6.3          | 6.5          | 1.9          | 4.3             | 4.2          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                            | 137.4                       | 138.4        | 138.9       | 139.6        | 2.8                                                   | 3.1          | 24.4         | 6.6          | 3.0             | 15.1         |
| Medical care .....                                                  | 158.4                       | 159.7        | 160.9       | 161.9        | 8.9                                                   | 8.4          | 8.2          | 9.1          | 8.6             | 8.7          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                      | 158.6                       | 159.7        | 160.6       | 161.6        | 7.7                                                   | 7.8          | 9.3          | 7.8          | 7.8             | 8.6          |
| Medical care services .....                                         | 158.3                       | 159.6        | 160.9       | 161.9        | 9.2                                                   | 8.7          | 8.0          | 9.4          | 8.9             | 8.7          |
| Professional medical services .....                                 | 153.0                       | 154.0        | 155.2       | 155.8        | 6.7                                                   | 6.6          | 5.7          | 7.5          | 6.7             | 6.6          |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 130.0                       | 130.6        | 130.8       | 131.0        | 4.9                                                   | 4.5          | 5.1          | 3.1          | 4.7             | 4.1          |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 123.0                       | 123.4        | 123.6       | 123.4        | 3.0                                                   | 3.7          | 4.3          | 1.3          | 3.4             | 2.8          |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 140.9                       | 141.6        | 141.9       | 142.5        | 7.6                                                   | 4.8          | 6.5          | 4.6          | 6.2             | 5.6          |
| Other goods and services .....                                      | 155.6                       | 156.4        | 157.2       | 158.9        | 7.2                                                   | 7.4          | 8.1          | 8.8          | 7.3             | 8.4          |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 174.8                       | 175.3        | 176.4       | 180.6        | 10.7                                                  | 9.4          | 7.2          | 13.9         | 10.0            | 10.5         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 128.7                       | 130.0        | 129.9       | 130.7        | 4.2                                                   | 3.9          | 5.8          | 6.4          | 4.1             | 6.1          |
| Toilet goods and personal care<br>appliances <sup>1</sup> .....     | 126.8                       | 128.2        | 128.1       | 129.1        | 5.7                                                   | 1.9          | 6.9          | 7.5          | 3.8             | 7.2          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 130.8                       | 132.1        | 131.9       | 132.6        | 1.9                                                   | 6.1          | 4.4          | 5.6          | 4.0             | 5.0          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                             | 166.1                       | 166.9        | 168.0       | 168.6        | 6.3                                                   | 7.7          | 9.7          | 6.2          | 7.0             | 7.9          |
| School books and supplies .....                                     | 167.8                       | 168.6        | 169.6       | 170.3        | 10.1                                                  | 7.7          | 12.6         | 6.1          | 8.9             | 9.3          |
| Personal and educational services .....                             | 166.2                       | 167.1        | 168.2       | 168.7        | 6.0                                                   | 7.7          | 9.4          | 6.2          | 6.9             | 7.8          |
| Commodity and service group                                         |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| All items .....                                                     | -                           | -            | -           | -            | 2.0                                                   | 4.6          | 8.3          | 3.2          | 3.3             | 5.7          |
| Commodities .....                                                   | 120.7                       | 120.7        | 120.7       | 121.3        | -1.0                                                  | 3.8          | 10.2         | 2.0          | 1.4             | 6.0          |
| Food and beverages .....                                            | 130.8                       | 130.6        | 130.7       | 131.6        | 3.6                                                   | 5.2          | 11.1         | 2.5          | 4.4             | 6.7          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                           | 114.5                       | 114.7        | 114.4       | 114.9        | -3.5                                                  | 2.9          | 9.6          | 1.4          | -.4             | 5.4          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup> .....              | 115.4                       | 116.5        | 116.6       | 116.8        | -2.1                                                  | -1.4         | 14.3         | 4.9          | -1.8            | 9.5          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                           | 122.1                       | 122.7        | 122.3       | 122.2        | -1.0                                                  | 1.0          | 21.5         | .3           | .0              | 10.4         |
| Nondurables less food, beverages,<br>and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 114.5                       | 115.5        | 116.3       | 117.8        | -6.8                                                  | -1.1         | 10.4         | 12.0         | -4.0            | 11.2         |
| Durables .....                                                      | 111.6                       | 111.5        | 111.4       | 111.2        | -.7                                                   | 4.0          | .0           | -1.4         | 1.6             | -.7          |
| Services .....                                                      | 135.8                       | 136.1        | 136.5       | 137.3        | 4.4                                                   | 5.6          | 6.4          | 4.5          | 5.0             | 5.5          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                | 129.3                       | 129.5        | 129.8       | 130.8        | 5.9                                                   | 4.8          | 5.8          | 4.7          | 5.4             | 5.2          |
| Household services less rent<br>of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....       | 111.8                       | 111.4        | 111.3       | 111.5        | 2.2                                                   | 4.5          | 4.8          | -1.1         | 3.3             | 1.8          |
| Transportation services .....                                       | 140.5                       | 141.3        | 141.3       | 141.5        | 3.0                                                   | 5.1          | 9.0          | 2.9          | 4.0             | 5.9          |
| Medical care services .....                                         | 158.3                       | 159.6        | 160.9       | 161.9        | 9.2                                                   | 8.7          | 8.0          | 9.4          | 8.9             | 8.7          |
| Other services .....                                                | 146.5                       | 147.3        | 148.0       | 148.5        | 5.6                                                   | 6.4          | 8.0          | 5.6          | 6.0             | 6.8          |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                | Seasonally adjusted indexes |              |             |              | Seasonally adjusted annual rate<br>percent change for |              |              |              |                 |              |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                                                      | Mar.<br>1990                | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | 3 months ended—                                       |              |              |              | 6 months ended— |              |
|                                                      |                             |              |             |              | Sept.<br>1989                                         | Dec.<br>1989 | Mar.<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | Dec.<br>1989    | June<br>1990 |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                               |                             |              |             |              |                                                       |              |              |              |                 |              |
| All items less food .....                            | 126.2                       | 126.4        | 126.6       | 127.2        | 1.6                                                   | 4.3          | 7.6          | 3.2          | 3.0             | 5.4          |
| All items less shelter .....                         | 125.5                       | 125.7        | 125.7       | 126.3        | 1.0                                                   | 4.3          | 9.1          | 2.6          | 2.7             | 5.8          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....  | 120.1                       | 120.3        | 120.3       | 120.9        | 1.0                                                   | 4.5          | 8.8          | 2.7          | 2.8             | 5.7          |
| All items less medical care .....                    | 126.2                       | 126.3        | 126.3       | 127.0        | 1.3                                                   | 4.7          | 8.3          | 2.6          | 3.0             | 5.4          |
| Commodities less food .....                          | 115.1                       | 115.3        | 115.1       | 115.6        | -3.2                                                  | 2.9          | 9.6          | 1.7          | -2              | 5.6          |
| Nondurables less food <sup>1</sup> .....             | 115.8                       | 116.9        | 117.1       | 117.3        | -1.8                                                  | -1.1         | 13.5         | 5.3          | -1.4            | 9.3          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel <sup>1</sup> ..... | 114.9                       | 115.8        | 116.7       | 118.0        | -5.8                                                  | -4           | 10.0         | 11.2         | -3.1            | 10.6         |
| Nondurables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 123.4                       | 123.8        | 123.9       | 124.4        | 1.0                                                   | 1.4          | 13.7         | 3.3          | 1.2             | 8.4          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....     | 126.5                       | 126.7        | 127.2       | 127.5        | 4.7                                                   | 5.3          | 6.9          | 3.2          | 5.0             | 5.0          |
| Services less medical care .....                     | 133.6                       | 134.0        | 134.2       | 135.0        | 4.1                                                   | 5.3          | 5.9          | 4.3          | 4.7             | 5.1          |
| Energy .....                                         | 97.1                        | 96.7         | 95.9        | 96.7         | -13.7                                                 | 2.2          | 16.3         | -1.6         | -6.1            | 7.0          |
| All items less energy .....                          | 131.7                       | 131.9        | 132.1       | 132.8        | 3.5                                                   | 4.8          | 7.6          | 3.4          | 4.1             | 5.5          |
| All items less food and energy .....                 | 131.9                       | 132.3        | 132.6       | 133.2        | 3.5                                                   | 4.8          | 6.3          | 4.0          | 4.1             | 5.1          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....               | 121.9                       | 122.1        | 122.2       | 122.4        | 1.7                                                   | 3.4          | 6.5          | 1.7          | 2.5             | 4.0          |
| Energy commodities .....                             | 92.3                        | 92.5         | 91.2        | 92.8         | -25.7                                                 | -1.4         | 29.0         | 2.2          | -14.4           | 14.8         |
| Services less energy .....                           | 138.9                       | 139.4        | 139.8       | 140.7        | 4.6                                                   | 5.4          | 6.6          | 5.3          | 5.0             | 5.9          |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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: Detailed expenditure categories, U.S. city average**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                     | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                    | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Food and beverages .....                                           | 130.7              | 131.5     | 5.5                                          | 0.6      | -0.2                                     | 0.1         | 0.7         |
| Food .....                                                         | 131.0              | 131.8     | 5.6                                          | .6       | -.3                                      | .1          | .8          |
| Food at home .....                                                 | 130.4              | 131.4     | 6.1                                          | .8       | -.7                                      | -.2         | 1.0         |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.2              | 140.0     | 6.1                                          | .6       | .9                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Cereals and cereal products .....                                  | 140.0              | 141.0     | 6.2                                          | .7       | 1.0                                      | .6          | .9          |
| Flour and prepared flour mixes .....                               | 124.0              | 125.5     | 4.7                                          | 1.2      | -.4                                      | -.3         | .9          |
| Cereal <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 157.8              | 159.3     | 8.5                                          | 1.0      | .9                                       | .8          | 1.0         |
| Rice, pasta, and cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 122.0              | 121.5     | 1.3                                          | -.4      | 1.1                                      | .0          | -.4         |
| Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 138.5              | 139.2     | 5.9                                          | .5       | .9                                       | .1          | .5          |
| White bread <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 134.9              | 136.4     | 5.6                                          | 1.1      | .9                                       | -.7         | 1.1         |
| Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins <sup>1</sup> ..... | 136.3              | 137.3     | 7.2                                          | .7       | .1                                       | 1.0         | .7          |
| Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....              | 142.1              | 141.5     | 5.6                                          | -.4      | .9                                       | .4          | -.4         |
| Other bakery products .....                                        | 140.8              | 141.6     | 5.7                                          | .6       | 1.7                                      | -.3         | .3          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                               | 127.8              | 130.0     | 7.3                                          | 1.7      | .8                                       | .1          | 1.6         |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                                     | 128.6              | 131.2     | 7.7                                          | 2.0      | .5                                       | .6          | 1.7         |
| Meats .....                                                        | 126.7              | 129.8     | 11.9                                         | 2.4      | 1.3                                      | 1.0         | 1.9         |
| Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 128.7              | 129.1     | 8.2                                          | .3       | 1.2                                      | .3          | .3          |
| Ground beef other than canned <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 118.5              | 118.8     | 10.0                                         | .3       | .9                                       | -.1         | .3          |
| Chuck roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 129.9              | 130.1     | 12.0                                         | .2       | .6                                       | -.2         | .2          |
| Round roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 121.4              | 122.7     | 6.3                                          | 1.1      | 1.3                                      | -.9         | 1.1         |
| Round steak <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 125.4              | 124.6     | 9.0                                          | -.6      | .7                                       | .3          | -.6         |
| Sirloin steak .....                                                | 131.7              | 134.1     | 3.1                                          | 1.8      | 3.1                                      | -3.2        | .5          |
| Other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 140.2              | 140.8     | 6.8                                          | .4       | 1.0                                      | 1.0         | .4          |
| Pork .....                                                         | 125.8              | 133.2     | 19.0                                         | 5.9      | 1.5                                      | 3.0         | 4.1         |
| Bacon .....                                                        | 109.5              | 115.0     | 23.9                                         | 5.0      | .8                                       | 3.3         | 4.0         |
| Chops .....                                                        | 136.9              | 148.1     | 22.3                                         | 8.2      | 3.8                                      | 1.5         | 5.4         |
| Ham .....                                                          | 125.2              | 130.5     | 12.3                                         | 4.2      | -1.0                                     | 5.4         | 2.4         |
| Other pork, including sausage .....                                | 126.5              | 133.8     | 19.3                                         | 5.8      | 2.0                                      | 2.6         | 3.7         |
| Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 123.8              | 127.0     | 11.1                                         | 2.6      | 1.3                                      | -.1         | 2.6         |
| Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 131.8              | 133.8     | -4.4                                         | 1.5      | -2.0                                     | .1          | 1.5         |
| Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 134.6              | 138.1     | -4.6                                         | 2.6      | -2.5                                     | -.1         | 2.6         |
| Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 134.9              | 137.0     | -5.4                                         | 1.6      | -1.9                                     | .1          | 1.6         |
| Other poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 122.4              | 121.5     | -1.1                                         | -.7      | -1.1                                     | .2          | -.7         |
| Fish and seafood .....                                             | 145.0              | 144.9     | -.1                                          | -.1      | -.4                                      | -.6         | .5          |
| Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 120.0              | 120.1     | -4.8                                         | .1       | .3                                       | .0          | .1          |
| Fresh and frozen fish and seafood .....                            | 159.4              | 159.2     | 1.3                                          | -.1      | -.7                                      | -.7         | .6          |
| Eggs .....                                                         | 114.0              | 111.5     | 1.5                                          | -2.2     | 4.1                                      | -7.4        | .4          |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 124.6              | 124.8     | 10.2                                         | .2       | -1.3                                     | -.4         | .2          |
| Fresh milk and cream .....                                         | 124.3              | 124.2     | 10.8                                         | -.1      | -1.3                                     | -.5         | .5          |
| Fresh whole milk .....                                             | 124.2              | 123.9     | 11.0                                         | -.2      | -1.3                                     | -.3         | .4          |
| Other fresh milk and cream <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 124.4              | 124.5     | 10.2                                         | .1       | -2.0                                     | -.6         | .1          |
| Processed dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 125.4              | 125.9     | 9.4                                          | .4       | -.9                                      | .1          | .4          |
| Cheese <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 128.8              | 129.8     | 13.7                                         | .8       | -1.3                                     | .1          | .8          |
| Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 126.0              | 126.8     | 7.3                                          | .6       | .4                                       | -.2         | .6          |
| Other dairy products, including butter <sup>1</sup> .....          | 112.7              | 111.7     | .1                                           | -.9      | -1.7                                     | -.1         | -.9         |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                      | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                     | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                         | 146.4              | 146.6     | 4.7                                          | 0.1      | -4.7                                     | -2.0        | 1.6         |
| Fresh fruits and vegetables .....                                   | 155.8              | 155.7     | 3.3                                          | -.1      | -8.0                                     | -3.5        | 2.6         |
| Fresh fruits .....                                                  | 172.8              | 171.7     | 13.6                                         | -.6      | -.2                                      | -3.3        | 2.3         |
| Apples .....                                                        | 140.7              | 147.5     | 1.0                                          | 4.8      | -1.6                                     | .5          | -2.0        |
| Bananas .....                                                       | 137.2              | 132.4     | -5.2                                         | -3.5     | -8.6                                     | -1.7        | -6.0        |
| Oranges, including tangerines .....                                 | 157.3              | 171.2     | 11.4                                         | 8.8      | -3.3                                     | -2.3        | -1.2        |
| Other fresh fruits .....                                            | 201.2              | 192.9     | 24.1                                         | -4.1     | 3.5                                      | -4.6        | 5.9         |
| Fresh vegetables .....                                              | 139.2              | 140.1     | -6.8                                         | .6       | -17.5                                    | -3.4        | 2.1         |
| Potatoes .....                                                      | 186.7              | 185.3     | 7.2                                          | -.7      | 7.2                                      | -4.7        | -7.3        |
| Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 133.6              | 119.0     | -20.0                                        | -10.9    | 5.6                                      | -2.4        | -10.9       |
| Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 107.4              | 125.1     | -3.8                                         | 16.5     | -52.4                                    | -7.7        | 16.5        |
| Other fresh vegetables .....                                        | 133.8              | 133.6     | -10.9                                        | -.1      | -12.1                                    | -2.9        | 2.1         |
| Processed fruits and vegetables .....                               | 134.1              | 134.6     | 7.2                                          | .4       | .8                                       | .7          | .1          |
| Processed fruits .....                                              | 139.5              | 140.5     | 11.8                                         | .7       | 1.1                                      | .5          | .6          |
| Fruit juices and frozen fruit .....                                 | 144.1              | 145.3     | 14.4                                         | .8       | 1.3                                      | .7          | .7          |
| Canned and dried fruits .....                                       | 120.5              | 120.7     | 1.4                                          | .2       | -.5                                      | .4          | -.2         |
| Processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 128.1              | 128.0     | 1.7                                          | -.1      | .2                                       | .5          | -.1         |
| Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 127.5              | 127.9     | 4.0                                          | .3       | .2                                       | .6          | .3          |
| Other processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 129.0              | 128.6     | .6                                           | -.3      | .3                                       | .5          | -.3         |
| Other food at home .....                                            | 122.6              | 123.1     | 3.4                                          | .4       | -.1                                      | .6          | .7          |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 124.4              | 124.6     | 4.5                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .6          | .2          |
| Sugar and artificial sweeteners <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 119.1              | 119.1     | 4.7                                          | .0       | .0                                       | .5          | .0          |
| Sweets, including candy <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 126.5              | 126.8     | 4.5                                          | .2       | .7                                       | .6          | .2          |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 124.9              | 125.4     | 3.2                                          | .4       | .1                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                                        | 112.9              | 113.6     | 1.8                                          | .6       | -.4                                      | .5          | 1.2         |
| Carbonated drinks .....                                             | 111.3              | 112.4     | 3.6                                          | 1.0      | -1.0                                     | -.2         | 1.7         |
| Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 116.5              | 117.5     | -4.2                                         | .9       | -.2                                      | 1.8         | .9          |
| Other noncarbonated drinks .....                                    | 124.8              | 124.2     | 5.8                                          | -.5      | 1.1                                      | 1.7         | -.5         |
| Other prepared food .....                                           | 130.2              | 130.8     | 4.4                                          | .5       | .0                                       | .5          | .6          |
| Canned and packaged soup .....                                      | 135.7              | 135.9     | 5.8                                          | .1       | .1                                       | .5          | .1          |
| Frozen prepared food <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 131.0              | 131.1     | 1.4                                          | .1       | -.2                                      | 1.9         | .1          |
| Snacks .....                                                        | 129.1              | 129.4     | 2.5                                          | .2       | .2                                       | -.9         | 1.0         |
| Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices <sup>1</sup> .....       | 128.5              | 128.7     | 5.1                                          | .2       | .2                                       | -.1         | .2          |
| Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food <sup>1</sup> ..... | 130.9              | 132.3     | 6.5                                          | 1.1      | .4                                       | .2          | 1.1         |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 132.8              | 133.2     | 4.9                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .4          | .3          |
| Lunch <sup>1</sup> .....                                            | 133.1              | 133.4     | 5.0                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Dinner <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 132.0              | 132.3     | 4.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Other meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 133.6              | 134.2     | 5.5                                          | .4       | .6                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 128.7              | 129.1     | 4.8                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .5          | .3          |
| Alcoholic beverages at home <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 123.0              | 123.2     | 4.4                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .7          | .2          |
| Beer and ale .....                                                  | 123.8              | 123.9     | 4.6                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .7          | .3          |
| Wine <sup>1</sup> .....                                             | 113.9              | 113.8     | 3.3                                          | -.1      | .4                                       | .6          | -.1         |
| Distilled spirits <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 124.4              | 125.1     | 4.6                                          | .6       | .2                                       | .6          | .6          |
| Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....               | 143.1              | 143.8     | 5.3                                          | .5       | .4                                       | .5          | .5          |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                           | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                          | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Housing .....                                                            | 125.1              | 126.2     | 4.2                                          | 0.9      | 0.0                                      | 0.2         | 0.6         |
| Shelter .....                                                            | 135.0              | 136.1     | 5.3                                          | .8       | .1                                       | .2          | 1.0         |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                        | 128.4              | 129.2     | 4.5                                          | .6       | .2                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Rent, residential .....                                                  | 136.8              | 137.4     | 4.2                                          | .4       | .4                                       | .4          | .4          |
| Other renters' costs .....                                               | 148.8              | 150.7     | 5.9                                          | 1.3      | -1.2                                     | -5          | .3          |
| Lodging while out of town .....                                          | 146.9              | 149.0     | 6.0                                          | 1.4      | -1.5                                     | -9          | .1          |
| Lodging while at school <sup>3</sup> .....                               | 155.1              | 155.3     | 6.6                                          | .1       | .4                                       | .5          | .7          |
| Tenants' insurance <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 129.5              | 129.5     | 1.5                                          | .0       | -.2                                      | .2          | .0          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                     | 130.3              | 131.5     | 5.7                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | 1.2         |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 130.4              | 131.6     | 5.7                                          | .9       | .2                                       | .2          | 1.2         |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                 | 123.6              | 123.8     | 1.9                                          | .2       | -.2                                      | .5          | .2          |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 121.7              | 121.8     | 3.3                                          | .1       | -.2                                      | .9          | .1          |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 126.9              | 126.4     | 4.5                                          | -.4      | .6                                       | .8          | -.4         |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 114.3              | 114.9     | 2.0                                          | .5       | -1.1                                     | 1.2         | .5          |
| Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs <sup>1 4</sup> ..... | 110.3              | 111.0     | 3.5                                          | .6       | -.4                                      | .8          | .6          |
| Other maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....              | 111.3              | 111.8     | .7                                           | .4       | -1.8                                     | 1.5         | .4          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                           | 109.5              | 112.0     | 2.8                                          | 2.3      | -.5                                      | .0          | .0          |
| Fuels .....                                                              | 101.2              | 105.0     | 1.9                                          | 3.8      | -1.1                                     | -.2         | -.4         |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....                      | 87.9               | 84.9      | 6.0                                          | -3.4     | -1.3                                     | -1.0        | -2.8        |
| Fuel oil .....                                                           | 86.8               | 82.8      | 4.9                                          | -4.6     | -1.4                                     | -.7         | -3.7        |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>1 4</sup> .....                    | 112.8              | 111.8     | 8.2                                          | -.9      | -2.2                                     | -2.1        | -.9         |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                        | 107.2              | 112.1     | 1.6                                          | 4.6      | -1.0                                     | -.2         | -.1         |
| Electricity .....                                                        | 115.5              | 122.3     | 2.3                                          | 5.9      | .0                                       | 1.0         | -1.4        |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                                | 94.9               | 96.4      | .3                                           | 1.6      | -3.1                                     | -2.8        | 2.9         |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 131.7              | 132.3     | 3.8                                          | .5       | .3                                       | .2          | .5          |
| Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 118.0              | 118.0     | .3                                           | .0       | .2                                       | -.3         | .0          |
| Local charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 148.9              | 148.9     | 1.4                                          | .0       | .3                                       | -.5         | .0          |
| Interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 69.0               | 69.0      | -1.3                                         | .0       | .0                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 95.4               | 95.5      | -2.1                                         | .1       | .0                                       | .2          | .1          |
| Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 147.9              | 148.4     | 6.4                                          | .3       | .4                                       | .4          | .3          |
| Cable television <sup>1 5</sup> .....                                    | 157.1              | 160.4     | 11.4                                         | 2.1      | .4                                       | 1.7         | 2.1         |
| Refuse collection <sup>5</sup> .....                                     | 169.9              | 170.5     | 10.4                                         | .4       | 1.0                                      | .8          | .8          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                                | 112.4              | 112.3     | 1.7                                          | -.1      | .0                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 105.8              | 105.3     | .9                                           | -.5      | -.1                                      | .0          | -.5         |
| Textile housefurnishings .....                                           | 118.2              | 118.8     | 2.6                                          | .5       | -.8                                      | 1.2         | .5          |
| Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 114.7              | 113.6     | .7                                           | -1.0     | .2                                       | -.9         | -1.0        |
| Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 117.5              | 116.1     | .2                                           | -1.2     | .2                                       | -2.5        | -1.2        |
| Sofas <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 115.2              | 115.3     | 1.2                                          | .1       | -.6                                      | -.2         | .1          |
| Living room chairs and tables <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 115.9              | 114.6     | 2.6                                          | -1.1     | .0                                       | 1.1         | -1.1        |
| Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                       | 110.8              | 109.2     | -.1                                          | -1.4     | .8                                       | -.4         | -1.4        |
| Appliances, including electronic equipment <sup>1</sup> .....            | 88.7               | 88.5      | -1.3                                         | -.2      | -.2                                      | -.1         | -.2         |
| Video and audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 81.2               | 80.5      | -2.4                                         | -.9      | -.4                                      | .0          | -.9         |
| Televisions <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 74.2               | 73.1      | -3.3                                         | -1.5     | -.7                                      | .3          | -1.5        |
| Video products other than televisions <sup>1 6</sup> .....               | 92.5               | 92.1      | -5.1                                         | -.4      | -.6                                      | -.1         | -.4         |
| Audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 93.5               | 93.0      | -.3                                          | -.5      | .1                                       | -.3         | -.5         |
| Major household appliances <sup>1 4</sup> .....                          | 101.4              | 101.2     | .7                                           | -.2      | .3                                       | -.1         | -.2         |
| Refrigerators and home freezers <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 102.6              | 102.0     | -.4                                          | -.6      | -.2                                      | .3          | -.6         |
| Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 107.5              | 107.1     | 2.2                                          | -.4      | .8                                       | -.1         | -.4         |
| Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners <sup>1 4</sup> .....    | 98.4               | 98.7      | .2                                           | .3       | .2                                       | -.5         | .3          |
| Information processing equipment <sup>1 6</sup> .....                    | 91.9               | 93.9      | -2.0                                         | 2.2      | -1.4                                     | -.2         | 2.2         |

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                    | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                                   | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Other housefurnishings <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                       | 106.9              | 106.7     | 2.7                                          | -0.2     | 0.1                                      | 0.6         | -0.2        |
| Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment <sup>1</sup> ..... | 121.4              | 121.4     | 3.3                                          | .0       | .4                                       | .6          | .0          |
| Clocks, lamps, and decor items <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 111.5              | 112.4     | 4.5                                          | .8       | -6                                       | .6          | .8          |
| Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 116.3              | 114.9     | 2.5                                          | -1.2     | 2.5                                      | -1          | -1.2        |
| Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 100.8              | 100.9     | 2.1                                          | .1       | -1.0                                     | .7          | .1          |
| Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances <sup>1 4</sup> .....       | 96.1               | 95.2      | -2.8                                         | -9       | -7                                       | .4          | -9          |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                                                                       | 125.3              | 126.1     | 3.7                                          | .6       | .1                                       | .8          | .5          |
| Laundry and cleaning products, including soap <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.3              | 129.3     | 3.3                                          | .0       | .2                                       | .6          | .0          |
| Household paper products and stationery supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 124.6              | 126.0     | 4.9                                          | 1.1      | .4                                       | 1.1         | 1.1         |
| Other household, lawn, and garden supplies .....                                                  | 120.8              | 121.9     | 3.1                                          | .9       | .4                                       | .2          | 1.3         |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 119.7              | 119.9     | 2.0                                          | .2       | .3                                       | .3          | .2          |
| Postage <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.4              | 125.4     | .0                                           | .0       | .0                                       | .0          | .0          |
| Appliance and furniture repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 126.1              | 126.2     | 4.3                                          | .1       | .5                                       | .2          | .1          |
| Gardening and other household services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                       | 113.8              | 114.2     | 1.8                                          | .4       | .0                                       | .5          | .4          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                                                          | 124.7              | 122.4     | 4.7                                          | -1.8     | .5                                       | -2          | .0          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                                                         | 122.9              | 120.4     | 4.7                                          | -2.0     | .5                                       | -3          | -1          |
| Apparel commodities less footwear .....                                                           | 123.5              | 120.8     | 5.0                                          | -2.2     | .5                                       | -5          | .0          |
| Men's and boys' .....                                                                             | 120.7              | 118.9     | 3.4                                          | -1.5     | .5                                       | .3          | -2          |
| Men's .....                                                                                       | 124.3              | 121.9     | 3.1                                          | -1.9     | .5                                       | .1          | -6          |
| Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets .....                                                      | 127.2              | 125.4     | 4.6                                          | -1.4     | 1.0                                      | -5          | .2          |
| Furnishings and special clothing .....                                                            | 119.0              | 117.4     | 3.5                                          | -1.3     | 1.1                                      | -3          | .5          |
| Shirts .....                                                                                      | 132.2              | 127.7     | 3.8                                          | -3.4     | .4                                       | .7          | -1.8        |
| Dungarees, jeans, and trousers .....                                                              | 119.9              | 118.2     | .4                                           | -1.4     | .2                                       | .2          | -6          |
| Boys' .....                                                                                       | 109.1              | 109.4     | 4.5                                          | .3       | .3                                       | 1.1         | 1.1         |
| Women's and girls' .....                                                                          | 123.8              | 119.8     | 5.6                                          | -3.2     | .4                                       | -7          | .2          |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 124.3              | 120.1     | 6.1                                          | -3.4     | .2                                       | -6          | .2          |
| Coats and jackets .....                                                                           | 114.7              | 109.0     | 8.7                                          | -5.0     | 3.7                                      | 3.0         | .3          |
| Dresses .....                                                                                     | 133.7              | 128.0     | 3.4                                          | -4.3     | -7                                       | -7          | 1.0         |
| Separates and sportswear .....                                                                    | 127.9              | 123.0     | 6.5                                          | -3.8     | .7                                       | -1.3        | -6          |
| Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories .....                                              | 117.3              | 117.0     | 3.5                                          | -3       | .3                                       | -4          | .4          |
| Suits .....                                                                                       | 134.5              | 131.0     | 18.2                                         | -2.6     | -4.9                                     | 1.9         | 4.6         |
| Girls' .....                                                                                      | 121.4              | 118.2     | 2.6                                          | -2.6     | 1.6                                      | -2.0        | -2          |
| Infants' and toddlers' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 129.6              | 130.2     | 2.8                                          | .5       | 1.8                                      | -2.0        | .5          |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 130.3              | 128.8     | 7.5                                          | -1.2     | .2                                       | -3          | -1.2        |
| Sewing materials, notions, and luggage <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                       | 115.3              | 114.7     | 5.2                                          | -5       | .3                                       | -8          | -5          |
| Watches and jewelry <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                          | 129.8              | 128.1     | 7.9                                          | -1.3     | .2                                       | -2          | -1.3        |
| Watches <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                      | 110.2              | 109.7     | 1.6                                          | -5       | -1                                       | 1.4         | -5          |
| Jewelry <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                      | 135.4              | 133.4     | 9.6                                          | -1.5     | .2                                       | -5          | -1.5        |
| Footwear .....                                                                                    | 119.3              | 118.3     | 3.7                                          | -8       | .8                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Men's <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                          | 125.6              | 125.3     | 4.5                                          | -2       | 1.1                                      | -3          | -2          |
| Boys' and girls' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                               | 119.1              | 121.5     | 5.5                                          | 2.0      | -6                                       | -4          | 2.0         |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 113.5              | 110.2     | 1.9                                          | -2.9     | 1.6                                      | .6          | -1.7        |
| Apparel services .....                                                                            | 135.5              | 135.6     | 5.1                                          | .1       | .8                                       | .9          | .2          |
| Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated .....                                           | 137.5              | 137.8     | 4.2                                          | .2       | .7                                       | .7          | .4          |
| Other apparel services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 134.3              | 134.4     | 5.9                                          | .1       | 1.0                                      | .9          | .1          |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                        | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                       | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Transportation .....                                                                  | 117.1              | 117.7     | 1.5                                          | 0.5      | 0.2                                      | -0.3        | 0.4         |
| Private .....                                                                         | 115.8              | 116.4     | 1.0                                          | .5       | .1                                       | -.3         | .5          |
| New vehicles .....                                                                    | 121.1              | 120.7     | 1.7                                          | -.3      | -.2                                      | .0          | -.2         |
| New cars .....                                                                        | 120.5              | 120.2     | 1.1                                          | -.2      | -.2                                      | -.2         | -.1         |
| Subcompact new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                              | 103.7              | 103.5     | .2                                           | -.2      | -.1                                      | -.3         | -.2         |
| Compact new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                 | 103.6              | 103.3     | 1.0                                          | -.3      | -.3                                      | .3          | -.3         |
| Intermediate new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                            | 105.0              | 104.6     | 1.3                                          | -.4      | -.6                                      | -.2         | -.4         |
| Full-size new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                               | 108.9              | 108.7     | 3.0                                          | -.2      | -.4                                      | .2          | -.2         |
| Luxury new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                  | 111.2              | 110.7     | 1.7                                          | -.4      | -.8                                      | -.4         | -.4         |
| New trucks <sup>5</sup> .....                                                         | 120.9              | 120.3     | 3.4                                          | -.5      | .1                                       | -.1         | -.6         |
| New motorcycles <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                  | 114.9 <sup>a</sup> | 114.9     | 3.2                                          | .0       | .2                                       | .6          | .0          |
| Used cars .....                                                                       | 116.6              | 117.3     | -3.1                                         | .6       | -.7                                      | .1          | .4          |
| Motor fuel .....                                                                      | 92.6               | 94.7      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .3                                       | -1.4        | 2.1         |
| Gasoline .....                                                                        | 92.5               | 94.8      | -1.6                                         | 2.5      | .5                                       | -1.7        | 2.5         |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                                        | 97.4               | 100.3     | .1                                           | 3.0      | 1.2                                      | -2.4        | 3.1         |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                                      | 90.3               | 92.6      | -2.1                                         | 2.5      | .1                                       | .0          | 1.3         |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                                      | 95.8               | 97.8      | -.3                                          | 2.1      | .0                                       | .1          | .9          |
| Automobile maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.7              | 129.9     | 4.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .1          | .2          |
| Body work <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 136.4              | 136.9     | 4.9                                          | .4       | .7                                       | .0          | .4          |
| Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair <sup>1</sup> ..... | 133.1              | 133.4     | 4.4                                          | .2       | .4                                       | .3          | .2          |
| Maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 124.1              | 124.1     | 3.0                                          | .0       | .6                                       | -.3         | .0          |
| Power plant repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 130.5              | 130.7     | 5.1                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .2          | .2          |
| Other private transportation .....                                                    | 138.3              | 138.6     | 3.5                                          | .2       | .4                                       | -.1         | .1          |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 101.3              | 101.3     | -.2                                          | .0       | -.1                                      | -.1         | .0          |
| Motor oil, coolant, and other products <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 109.2              | 110.0     | -.2                                          | .7       | .4                                       | -1.0        | .7          |
| Automobile parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 100.0              | 100.0     | -.2                                          | .0       | -.2                                      | .0          | .0          |
| Tires <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 97.1               | 96.5      | -2.1                                         | -.6      | -.4                                      | -.3         | -.6         |
| Other parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 107.1              | 107.6     | 1.4                                          | .5       | .2                                       | .1          | .5          |
| Other private transportation services .....                                           | 146.8              | 147.2     | 4.2                                          | .3       | .5                                       | -.1         | .1          |
| Automobile insurance .....                                                            | 175.6              | 176.1     | 6.5                                          | .3       | .3                                       | .6          | .2          |
| Automobile finance charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 98.8               | 98.8      | -3.3                                         | .0       | -.7                                      | -1.0        | .0          |
| Automobile fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 142.4              | 142.9     | 7.4                                          | .4       | .4                                       | -.8         | .4          |
| Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees <sup>1</sup> .....            | 140.3              | 140.4     | 8.8                                          | .1       | .1                                       | .0          | .1          |
| Other automobile-related fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 146.0              | 146.9     | 5.7                                          | .6       | 1.1                                      | -2.0        | .6          |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 138.9              | 139.6     | 8.9                                          | .5       | .7                                       | .4          | .5          |
| Airline fares <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 144.6              | 145.2     | 11.7                                         | .4       | 1.3                                      | .4          | .4          |
| Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 142.4              | 143.3     | 1.8                                          | .6       | .6                                       | -.1         | .6          |
| Intracity public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 133.0              | 133.8     | 6.9                                          | .6       | .0                                       | .3          | .6          |
| Medical care .....                                                                    | 160.8              | 161.8     | 8.7                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .6          |
| Medical care commodities .....                                                        | 161.0              | 162.1     | 8.1                                          | .7       | .7                                       | .6          | .6          |
| Prescription drugs .....                                                              | 180.0              | 181.5     | 9.9                                          | .8       | .8                                       | .4          | 1.0         |
| Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 4</sup> .....                       | 119.8              | 120.4     | 5.1                                          | .5       | 1.4                                      | .3          | .5          |
| Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 143.8              | 144.4     | 4.6                                          | .4       | 1.4                                      | .3          | .4          |
| Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.6              | 140.3     | 6.5                                          | .5       | 1.3                                      | .1          | .5          |
| Medical care services .....                                                           | 160.7              | 161.7     | 8.8                                          | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .6          |
| Professional medical services .....                                                   | 155.3              | 156.1     | 6.6                                          | .5       | .7                                       | .8          | .4          |
| Physicians' services .....                                                            | 160.2              | 160.8     | 7.3                                          | .4       | .8                                       | 1.1         | .2          |
| Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 154.5              | 155.3     | 6.4                                          | .5       | .3                                       | .6          | .5          |
| Eye care <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                         | 116.0              | 116.9     | 4.6                                          | .8       | .7                                       | .3          | .8          |
| Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 4</sup> .....                          | 120.1              | 120.2     | 4.9                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .4          | .1          |
| Hospital and related services .....                                                   | 172.7              | 173.8     | 10.5                                         | .6       | .8                                       | .8          | .9          |
| Hospital rooms .....                                                                  | 168.8              | 169.0     | 10.2                                         | .1       | .7                                       | 1.0         | .4          |
| Other inpatient services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                         | 139.0              | 140.5     | 10.1                                         | 1.1      | .6                                       | .3          | 1.1         |
| Outpatient services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                              | 136.5              | 137.5     | 11.4                                         | .7       | .4                                       | .2          | .7          |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                               | Unadjusted indexes |           | Unadjusted percent change to June 1990 from— |          | Seasonally adjusted percent change from— |             |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                              | May 1990           | June 1990 | June 1989                                    | May 1990 | Mar. to Apr.                             | Apr. to May | May to June |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                             | 130.8              | 131.0     | 4.4                                          | 0.2      | 0.5                                      | 0.2         | 0.2         |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 123.6              | 123.4     | 3.1                                          | -.2      | .3                                       | .2          | -.2         |
| Reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 135.5              | 135.8     | 5.3                                          | .2       | .1                                       | .4          | .2          |
| Newspapers <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                | 133.8              | 133.9     | 3.7                                          | .1       | .3                                       | .2          | .1          |
| Magazines, periodicals, and books <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 137.8              | 138.1     | 6.7                                          | .2       | .1                                       | .5          | .2          |
| Sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 116.9              | 116.8     | 3.3                                          | -.1      | .4                                       | .1          | -.1         |
| Sport vehicles, including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 119.1              | 118.9     | 2.7                                          | -.2      | -.2                                      | .4          | -.2         |
| Other sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 111.3              | 111.5     | 4.3                                          | .2       | 1.2                                      | -.4         | .2          |
| Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 121.0              | 120.6     | 1.9                                          | -.3      | .2                                       | .2          | -.3         |
| Toys, hobbies, and music equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 117.2              | 116.9     | 1.4                                          | -.3      | .3                                       | -.1         | -.3         |
| Photographic supplies and equipment .....                                                    | 128.8              | 129.1     | 1.7                                          | .2       | -.2                                      | -.9         | .2          |
| Pet supplies and expense <sup>1</sup> .....                                                  | 123.9              | 123.2     | 2.4                                          | -.6      | .4                                       | .6          | -.6         |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 141.9              | 142.5     | 5.9                                          | .4       | .5                                       | .2          | .4          |
| Club memberships <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                                        | 117.7              | 118.5     | 3.0                                          | .7       | .0                                       | -.4         | .7          |
| Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships <sup>1,4</sup> .....                 | 122.8              | 123.6     | 6.7                                          | .7       | 1.1                                      | -1.0        | .7          |
| Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                | 150.3              | 150.7     | 7.0                                          | .3       | 1.2                                      | .3          | .3          |
| Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                        | 121.9              | 122.4     | 7.5                                          | .4       | .2                                       | -.1         | .4          |
| Other entertainment services <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                            | 113.0              | 113.2     | 4.9                                          | .2       | -.1                                      | 1.1         | .2          |
| Other goods and services .....                                                               | 156.3              | 157.8     | 7.9                                          | 1.0      | .5                                       | .5          | 1.1         |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 176.4              | 180.6     | 10.3                                         | 2.4      | .3                                       | .6          | 2.4         |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                                             | 129.9              | 130.7     | 5.1                                          | .6       | 1.0                                      | -.1         | .6          |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 128.1              | 129.1     | 5.5                                          | .8       | 1.1                                      | -.1         | .8          |
| Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements <sup>1</sup> ..... | 129.4              | 130.2     | 6.1                                          | .6       | 1.9                                      | -.3         | .6          |
| Other toilet goods and small personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 127.6              | 128.5     | 5.0                                          | .7       | .6                                       | .2          | .7          |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 131.9              | 132.6     | 4.5                                          | .5       | 1.0                                      | -.2         | .5          |
| Beauty parlor services for females <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 132.3              | 132.9     | 5.1                                          | .5       | 1.0                                      | .1          | .5          |
| Haircuts and other barber shop services for males <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 129.9              | 130.7     | 2.6                                          | .6       | .5                                       | -.7         | .6          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                                                      | 166.5              | 166.9     | 7.5                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .7          | .4          |
| School books and supplies .....                                                              | 168.6              | 168.6     | 9.1                                          | .0       | .5                                       | .6          | .4          |
| Personal and educational services .....                                                      | 166.7              | 167.1     | 7.3                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .7          | .3          |
| Tuition and other school fees .....                                                          | 171.1              | 171.4     | 7.9                                          | .2       | .7                                       | .6          | .6          |
| College tuition .....                                                                        | 170.2              | 170.6     | 8.0                                          | .2       | .5                                       | .5          | 1.0         |
| Elementary and high school tuition .....                                                     | 176.2              | 176.2     | 8.8                                          | .0       | .7                                       | .7          | .8          |
| Personal expenses <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 156.9              | 157.4     | 6.4                                          | .3       | .5                                       | .6          | .3          |
| Legal service fees <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                                      | 120.6              | 120.8     | 5.7                                          | .2       | .4                                       | -.4         | .2          |
| Personal financial services <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                             | 123.1              | 124.0     | 7.5                                          | .7       | .2                                       | 1.7         | .7          |
| Funeral expenses <sup>1,4</sup> .....                                                        | 119.9              | 120.0     | 6.5                                          | .1       | .7                                       | .8          | .1          |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                                                                       |                    |           |                                              |          |                                          |             |             |
| Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 131.6              | 132.7     | 6.8                                          | .8       | -.6                                      | -.1         | .8          |
| Selected beef cuts <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 126.3              | 126.7     | 8.8                                          | .3       | 1.2                                      | .0          | .3          |
| Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products .....                                     | 92.9               | 95.0      | -1.5                                         | 2.3      | .5                                       | -1.7        | 2.3         |
| Utilities and public transportation .....                                                    | 118.9              | 121.6     | 3.4                                          | 2.3      | -.3                                      | -.1         | .3          |
| Housekeeping and home maintenance services <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 121.6              | 121.8     | 2.3                                          | .2       | .2                                       | .4          | .2          |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                     | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                    | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                    |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Food and beverages .....                                           | 130.7                       | 131.6     | 3.6                                                | 5.2       | 11.1      | 2.5       | 4.4             | 6.7       |
| Food .....                                                         | 130.9                       | 131.9     | 3.2                                                | 5.5       | 11.8      | 2.2       | 4.4             | 6.9       |
| Food at home .....                                                 | 130.2                       | 131.5     | 2.3                                                | 6.6       | 15.0      | .6        | 4.4             | 7.6       |
| Cereals and bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.2                       | 140.0     | 8.1                                                | 4.2       | 4.8       | 7.2       | 6.2             | 6.0       |
| Cereals and cereal products .....                                  | 140.0                       | 141.2     | 8.0                                                | 4.2       | 2.1       | 10.2      | 6.1             | 6.1       |
| Flour and prepared flour mixes .....                               | 123.6                       | 124.7     | 9.0                                                | 4.0       | 5.0       | .6        | 6.5             | 2.8       |
| Cereal <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 157.8                       | 159.3     | 13.7                                               | 2.1       | 7.3       | 11.3      | 7.8             | 9.3       |
| Rice, pasta, and cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 122.0                       | 121.5     | 4.1                                                | -2.3      | 1.0       | 2.7       | .8              | 1.8       |
| Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 138.5                       | 139.2     | 6.5                                                | 6.8       | 4.2       | 6.3       | 6.7             | 5.2       |
| White bread <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 134.9                       | 136.4     | 6.0                                                | 6.9       | 4.0       | 5.5       | 6.4             | 4.7       |
| Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins <sup>1</sup> ..... | 136.3                       | 137.3     | 7.4                                                | 7.2       | 6.2       | 7.9       | 7.3             | 7.1       |
| Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....              | 142.1                       | 141.5     | 5.5                                                | 9.1       | 4.4       | 3.5       | 7.3             | 3.9       |
| Other bakery products .....                                        | 140.5                       | 140.9     | 10.3                                               | 5.7       | .0        | 6.8       | 7.9             | 3.3       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                               | 128.7                       | 130.8     | -3                                                 | 6.0       | 13.6      | 10.4      | 2.8             | 12.0      |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                                     | 129.1                       | 131.3     | -3                                                 | 5.0       | 14.3      | 12.1      | 2.3             | 13.2      |
| Meats .....                                                        | 127.4                       | 129.8     | 3.1                                                | 12.2      | 14.7      | 18.1      | 7.6             | 16.4      |
| Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 128.7                       | 129.1     | 2.7                                                | 7.5       | 15.6      | 7.5       | 5.1             | 11.4      |
| Ground beef other than canned <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 118.5                       | 118.8     | 5.7                                                | 11.8      | 18.6      | 4.5       | 8.7             | 11.3      |
| Chuck roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 129.9                       | 130.1     | 1.4                                                | 27.5      | 18.6      | 2.5       | 13.7            | 10.3      |
| Round roast <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 121.4                       | 122.7     | .3                                                 | 2.4       | 17.2      | 6.1       | 1.4             | 11.5      |
| Round steak <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 125.4                       | 124.6     | 6.8                                                | 9.6       | 18.7      | 1.6       | 8.2             | 9.8       |
| Sirloin steak .....                                                | 128.1                       | 128.8     | 7.6                                                | .9        | 2.2       | 1.6       | 4.2             | 1.9       |
| Other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 140.2                       | 140.8     | .6                                                 | 4.3       | 12.5      | 10.3      | 2.4             | 11.4      |
| Pork .....                                                         | 128.2                       | 133.5     | -1.4                                               | 25.8      | 15.7      | 40.1      | 11.4            | 27.3      |
| Bacon .....                                                        | 111.0                       | 115.4     | .0                                                 | 63.0      | 5.4       | 37.3      | 27.7            | 20.3      |
| Chops .....                                                        | 139.5                       | 147.1     | 6.8                                                | 20.7      | 13.8      | 52.4      | 13.6            | 31.7      |
| Ham .....                                                          | 131.4                       | 134.5     | -11.5                                              | 7.1       | 29.1      | 29.8      | -2.7            | 29.5      |
| Other pork, including sausage .....                                | 128.2                       | 133.0     | .4                                                 | 23.3      | 17.3      | 39.0      | 11.2            | 27.7      |
| Other meats <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 123.8                       | 127.0     | 10.5                                               | 6.3       | 11.6      | 16.3      | 8.4             | 13.9      |
| Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 131.8                       | 133.8     | -16.1                                              | -18.0     | 23.9      | -1.8      | -17.1           | 10.3      |
| Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 134.6                       | 138.1     | -14.6                                              | -23.7     | 27.7      | -3        | -19.3           | 12.8      |
| Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 134.9                       | 137.0     | -23.1                                              | -16.3     | 25.9      | -1.2      | -19.8           | 11.6      |
| Other poultry <sup>1</sup> .....                                   | 122.4                       | 121.5     | 2.6                                                | -11.1     | 12.2      | -6.6      | -4.5            | 2.3       |
| Fish and seafood .....                                             | 145.5                       | 146.2     | 4.7                                                | -3.5      | .5        | -2.2      | .5              | -8        |
| Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 120.0                       | 120.1     | -7.1                                               | -13.8     | .7        | 1.7       | -10.5           | 1.2       |
| Fresh and frozen fish and seafood .....                            | 159.9                       | 160.8     | 8.8                                                | .0        | .2        | -3.4      | 4.3             | -1.6      |
| Eggs .....                                                         | 121.5                       | 122.0     | -2.6                                               | 25.2      | -1.3      | -12.1     | 10.4            | -6.8      |
| Dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 124.6                       | 124.8     | 9.5                                                | 26.0      | 13.7      | -6.2      | 17.5            | 3.3       |
| Fresh milk and cream .....                                         | 124.2                       | 124.8     | 9.6                                                | 24.1      | 16.4      | -5.0      | 16.6            | 5.2       |
| Fresh whole milk .....                                             | 124.3                       | 124.8     | 10.7                                               | 23.3      | 16.8      | -4.7      | 16.8            | 5.5       |
| Other fresh milk and cream <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 124.4                       | 124.5     | 7.3                                                | 27.1      | 19.6      | -9.7      | 16.8            | 4.0       |
| Processed dairy products <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 125.4                       | 125.9     | 10.5                                               | 20.0      | 10.1      | -1.9      | 15.1            | 3.9       |
| Cheese <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 128.8                       | 129.8     | 17.9                                               | 28.9      | 11.8      | -1.8      | 23.3            | 4.8       |
| Ice cream and related products <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 126.0                       | 126.8     | 3.1                                                | 14.1      | 8.7       | 3.5       | 8.5             | 6.1       |
| Other dairy products, including butter <sup>1</sup> .....          | 112.7                       | 111.7     | 1.8                                                | 3.3       | 6.2       | -10.1     | 2.5             | -2.3      |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                      | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                     | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                     |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                         | 143.1                       | 145.4     | -2.6                                               | 2.6       | 48.4      | -18.9     | 0.0             | 9.7       |
| Fresh fruits and vegetables .....                                   | 149.9                       | 153.8     | -5.3                                               | 5.8       | 64.7      | -31.2     | .1              | 6.4       |
| Fresh fruits .....                                                  | 164.9                       | 168.7     | 5.8                                                | 24.6      | 32.8      | -4.8      | 14.8            | 12.4      |
| Apples .....                                                        | 140.9                       | 138.1     | -6.8                                               | 15.4      | 9.5       | -11.8     | 3.7             | -1.7      |
| Bananas .....                                                       | 129.1                       | 121.4     | 15.5                                               | .0        | 37.5      | -49.1     | 7.5             | -16.3     |
| Oranges, including tangerines .....                                 | 166.8                       | 164.8     | -2.7                                               | -4.0      | 117.6     | -24.2     | -3.4            | 28.5      |
| Other fresh fruits .....                                            | 185.3                       | 196.2     | 22.1                                               | 33.4      | 22.3      | 19.1      | 27.6            | 20.7      |
| Fresh vegetables .....                                              | 134.8                       | 137.6     | -15.3                                              | -12.1     | 130.9     | -56.1     | -13.7           | .7        |
| Potatoes .....                                                      | 179.0                       | 165.9     | 1.0                                                | -9.7      | 80.3      | -19.6     | -4.5            | 20.4      |
| Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 133.6                       | 119.0     | 7.7                                                | -36.4     | -15.6     | -29.1     | -17.2           | -22.6     |
| Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 107.4                       | 125.1     | -40.2                                              | 119.2     | 850.3     | -93.1     | 14.5            | -19.2     |
| Other fresh vegetables .....                                        | 129.0                       | 131.7     | -20.0                                              | -2.3      | 40.0      | -42.4     | -11.6           | -10.2     |
| Processed fruits and vegetables .....                               | 134.0                       | 134.2     | 3.2                                                | -1.3      | 21.2      | 6.5       | 1.0             | 13.6      |
| Processed fruits .....                                              | 138.6                       | 139.4     | 10.7                                               | -4.6      | 35.6      | 9.1       | 2.7             | 21.6      |
| Fruit juices and frozen fruit .....                                 | 143.0                       | 144.0     | 14.4                                               | -6.9      | 44.4      | 11.3      | 3.2             | 26.8      |
| Canned and dried fruits .....                                       | 120.5                       | 120.2     | 3.4                                                | 2.4       | 1.3       | -1.3      | 2.9             | .0        |
| Processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 128.1                       | 128.0     | -1.9                                               | -6        | 6.5       | 2.9       | -1.3            | 4.7       |
| Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 127.5                       | 127.9     | 3.6                                                | 2.6       | 5.2       | 4.5       | 3.1             | 4.9       |
| Other processed vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 129.0                       | 128.6     | -4.0                                               | -2.2      | 6.8       | 2.2       | -3.1            | 4.5       |
| Other food at home .....                                            | 122.2                       | 123.0     | 2.7                                                | 3.4       | 2.7       | 4.7       | 3.0             | 3.7       |
| Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 124.4                       | 124.6     | 5.8                                                | .7        | 6.8       | 5.0       | 3.2             | 5.9       |
| Sugar and artificial sweeteners <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 119.1                       | 119.1     | 9.1                                                | -3.7      | 12.0      | 2.0       | 2.5             | 6.9       |
| Sweets, including candy <sup>1</sup> .....                          | 126.5                       | 126.8     | 4.7                                                | 2.6       | 4.6       | 6.2       | 3.7             | 5.4       |
| Fats and oils <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 124.9                       | 125.4     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 8.5       | 4.6       | .0              | 6.5       |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                                        | 112.3                       | 113.6     | 1.1                                                | 3.3       | -2.5      | 5.5       | 2.2             | 1.4       |
| Carbonated drinks .....                                             | 110.7                       | 112.6     | 3.7                                                | 8.3       | .4        | 2.2       | 6.0             | 1.3       |
| Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 116.5                       | 117.5     | -10.9                                              | -12.5     | -2.1      | 10.5      | -11.7           | 4.0       |
| Other noncarbonated drinks .....                                    | 125.8                       | 125.2     | 3.1                                                | 4.8       | 6.1       | 9.5       | 3.9             | 7.8       |
| Other prepared food .....                                           | 130.0                       | 130.8     | 4.2                                                | 4.5       | 4.1       | 4.7       | 4.4             | 4.4       |
| Canned and packaged soup .....                                      | 135.5                       | 135.7     | 3.8                                                | 10.9      | 5.5       | 3.0       | 7.3             | 4.3       |
| Frozen prepared food <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 131.0                       | 131.1     | 1.9                                                | 2.8       | -6.0      | 7.3       | 2.3             | .5        |
| Snacks .....                                                        | 128.0                       | 129.3     | 2.6                                                | 1.3       | 4.8       | 1.6       | 1.9             | 3.2       |
| Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices <sup>1</sup> .....       | 128.5                       | 128.7     | 7.0                                                | .6        | 12.1      | 1.3       | 3.8             | 6.5       |
| Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food <sup>1</sup> ..... | 130.9                       | 132.3     | 4.9                                                | 6.5       | 7.7       | 6.9       | 5.7             | 7.3       |
| Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 132.8                       | 133.2     | 5.1                                                | 3.5       | 6.3       | 4.6       | 4.3             | 5.5       |
| Lunch <sup>1</sup> .....                                            | 133.1                       | 133.4     | 5.8                                                | 3.5       | 6.3       | 4.6       | 4.6             | 5.5       |
| Dinner <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 132.0                       | 132.3     | 4.2                                                | 3.2       | 5.7       | 4.3       | 3.7             | 5.0       |
| Other meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 133.6                       | 134.2     | 6.4                                                | 3.4       | 6.3       | 5.9       | 4.9             | 6.1       |
| Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 128.7                       | 129.1     | 4.0                                                | 2.6       | 7.2       | 5.4       | 3.3             | 6.3       |
| Alcoholic beverages at home <sup>1</sup> .....                      | 123.0                       | 123.2     | 1.7                                                | 3.1       | 7.6       | 5.4       | 2.4             | 6.5       |
| Beer and ale .....                                                  | 123.2                       | 123.6     | 2.7                                                | 6.2       | 4.4       | 5.7       | 4.5             | 5.0       |
| Wine <sup>1</sup> .....                                             | 113.9                       | 113.8     | 4.4                                                | -2.1      | 7.0       | 4.0       | 1.1             | 5.5       |
| Distilled spirits <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 124.4                       | 125.1     | 4.8                                                | 3.0       | 5.0       | 5.6       | 3.9             | 5.3       |
| Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....               | 143.1                       | 143.8     | 6.3                                                | 2.3       | 7.1       | 5.5       | 4.3             | 6.3       |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                           | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                          | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                          |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Housing .....                                                            | 125.1                       | 125.8     | 4.0                                                | 4.7       | 5.3       | 2.9       | 4.4             | 4.1       |
| Shelter .....                                                            | 135.0                       | 136.3     | 4.7                                                | 5.9       | 5.2       | 5.5       | 5.3             | 5.3       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                        | 128.4                       | 129.0     | 2.6                                                | 6.3       | 6.5       | 3.2       | 4.4             | 4.8       |
| Rent, residential .....                                                  | 137.2                       | 137.8     | 3.7                                                | 4.6       | 3.9       | 5.1       | 4.1             | 4.5       |
| Other renters' costs .....                                               | 148.7                       | 149.1     | -2.3                                               | 14.1      | 19.5      | -5.7      | 5.6             | 6.2       |
| Lodging while out of town .....                                          | 146.3                       | 146.5     | -2.3                                               | 16.3      | 21.8      | -8.8      | 6.6             | 5.4       |
| Lodging while at school <sup>3</sup> .....                               | 157.1                       | 158.2     | 9.8                                                | 5.9       | 4.0       | 6.9       | 7.8             | 5.4       |
| Tenants' insurance <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 129.5                       | 129.5     | 2.5                                                | 1.6       | 1.6       | .3        | 2.0             | .9        |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                     | 130.3                       | 131.8     | 5.9                                                | 5.8       | 4.4       | 6.6       | 5.9             | 5.5       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                               | 130.4                       | 132.0     | 5.9                                                | 5.8       | 4.8       | 6.6       | 5.9             | 5.7       |
| Household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....                                 | 123.6                       | 123.8     | 3.0                                                | 1.0       | 2.0       | 1.6       | 2.0             | 1.8       |
| Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 121.7                       | 121.8     | .3                                                 | 3.4       | 6.2       | 3.4       | 1.9             | 4.8       |
| Maintenance and repair services <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 126.9                       | 126.4     | -1.0                                               | 5.8       | 9.1       | 4.2       | 2.3             | 6.6       |
| Maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 114.3                       | 114.9     | 2.1                                                | 1.1       | 2.5       | 2.1       | 1.6             | 2.3       |
| Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs <sup>1 4</sup> ..... | 110.3                       | 111.0     | 6.1                                                | 2.2       | 1.5       | 4.4       | 4.1             | 2.9       |
| Other maintenance and repair commodities <sup>1</sup> .....              | 111.3                       | 111.8     | -.7                                                | .0        | 3.3       | .4        | -.4             | 1.8       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                           | 110.0                       | 110.0     | 2.3                                                | 4.9       | 6.0       | -1.8      | 3.6             | 2.0       |
| Fuels .....                                                              | 101.4                       | 101.0     | 2.4                                                | 8.3       | 4.4       | -6.5      | 5.3             | -1.2      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....                      | 87.9                        | 85.4      | 2.0                                                | 32.5      | 15.1      | -18.9     | 16.2            | -3.4      |
| Fuel oil .....                                                           | 85.9                        | 82.7      | 6.2                                                | 53.2      | -5.7      | -20.9     | 27.6            | -13.7     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>1 4</sup> .....                    | 112.8                       | 111.8     | 1.6                                                | 19.0      | 40.0      | -18.9     | 9.9             | 6.6       |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                        | 107.8                       | 107.7     | 2.3                                                | 6.5       | 3.4       | -5.0      | 4.4             | -.9       |
| Electricity .....                                                        | 118.6                       | 116.9     | 2.1                                                | 4.2       | 4.6       | -1.7      | 3.2             | 1.4       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                                | 93.0                        | 95.7      | 2.5                                                | 11.7      | .4        | -12.0     | 7.0             | -6.0      |
| Other utilities and public services <sup>1</sup> .....                   | 131.7                       | 132.3     | 2.9                                                | .3        | 8.3       | 4.0       | 1.6             | 6.2       |
| Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 118.0                       | 118.0     | .3                                                 | -3.4      | 5.2       | -.7       | -1.5            | 2.2       |
| Local charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 148.9                       | 148.9     | 1.4                                                | -5.1      | 10.9      | -1.1      | -1.9            | 4.7       |
| Interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 69.0                        | 69.0      | -1.7                                               | 2.3       | -5.6      | .0        | .3              | -2.8      |
| Intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 95.4                        | 95.5      | -2.0                                               | -1.2      | -6.1      | 1.3       | -1.6            | -2.5      |
| Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....                        | 147.9                       | 148.4     | 8.9                                                | 4.6       | 7.4       | 4.7       | 6.7             | 6.1       |
| Cable television <sup>1 5</sup> .....                                    | 157.1                       | 160.4     | 2.5                                                | 6.2       | 19.5      | 18.3      | 4.4             | 18.9      |
| Refuse collection <sup>5</sup> .....                                     | 170.0                       | 171.3     | 10.2                                               | 6.7       | 14.1      | 10.7      | 8.4             | 12.4      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                                | 112.3                       | 112.1     | 2.6                                                | .0        | 4.0       | .0        | 1.3             | 2.0       |
| Housefurnishings <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 105.8                       | 105.3     | 2.3                                                | -1.1      | 4.7       | -2.2      | .6              | 1.1       |
| Textile housefurnishings .....                                           | 118.0                       | 118.6     | 2.1                                                | -.3       | 4.9       | 3.8       | .9              | 4.4       |
| Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....                                 | 114.7                       | 113.6     | 2.1                                                | -1.4      | 9.1       | -6.4      | .4              | 1.1       |
| Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 117.5                       | 116.1     | 7.1                                                | 3.1       | 5.1       | -13.3     | 5.1             | -4.5      |
| Sofas <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 115.2                       | 115.3     | 5.4                                                | -6.4      | 9.5       | -2.7      | -.7             | 3.2       |
| Living room chairs and tables <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 115.9                       | 114.6     | 2.5                                                | -3.5      | 12.0      | .0        | -.5             | 5.8       |
| Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....                                       | 110.8                       | 109.2     | -5.7                                               | -2.2      | 12.9      | -4.3      | -4.0            | 4.0       |
| Appliances, including electronic equipment <sup>1</sup> .....            | 88.7                        | 88.5      | -2.6                                               | .4        | -.9       | -2.2      | -1.1            | -1.6      |
| Video and audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                              | 81.2                        | 80.5      | -5.7                                               | 4.0       | -2.9      | -4.8      | -1.0            | -3.9      |
| Televisions <sup>1</sup> .....                                           | 74.2                        | 73.1      | -2.6                                               | -1.6      | -1.6      | -7.3      | -2.1            | -4.5      |
| Video products other than televisions <sup>1 6</sup> .....               | 92.5                        | 92.1      | -7.2                                               | -1.7      | -7.0      | -4.6      | -4.5            | -5.8      |
| Audio products <sup>1</sup> .....                                        | 93.5                        | 93.0      | -6.7                                               | 10.4      | -1.3      | -3.0      | 1.5             | -2.1      |
| Major household appliances <sup>1 4</sup> .....                          | 101.4                       | 101.2     | 4.9                                                | -2.7      | .8        | .0        | 1.0             | .4        |
| Refrigerators and home freezers <sup>1</sup> .....                       | 102.6                       | 102.0     | 6.0                                                | -1.1      | -4.2      | -1.9      | 2.4             | -3.1      |
| Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 107.5                       | 107.1     | 5.8                                                | -1.1      | 2.7       | 1.5       | 2.3             | 2.1       |
| Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners <sup>1 4</sup> .....    | 98.4                        | 98.7      | 2.9                                                | -5.1      | 3.3       | .0        | -1.2            | 1.6       |
| Information processing equipment <sup>1 6</sup> .....                    | 91.9                        | 93.9      | -7.7                                               | -5.0      | 3.1       | 2.2       | -6.4            | 2.6       |

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                    | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                   | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                                   |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Other housefurnishings <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                       | 106.9                       | 106.7     | 4.7                                                | 0.8       | 3.5       | 1.9       | 2.7             | 2.7       |
| Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment <sup>1</sup> ..... | 121.4                       | 121.4     | 2.8                                                | -1.7      | 8.4       | 4.1       | .5              | 6.2       |
| Clocks, lamps, and decor items <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 111.5                       | 112.4     | 10.0                                               | 7.5       | -2.5      | 3.3       | 8.7             | .4        |
| Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware <sup>1</sup> .....                         | 116.3                       | 114.9     | 10.4                                               | -10.0     | 6.2       | 4.7       | -.4             | 5.4       |
| Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware <sup>1</sup> .....                                | 100.8                       | 100.9     | 1.6                                                | 4.5       | 3.2       | -.8       | 3.1             | 1.2       |
| Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances <sup>1 4</sup> .....       | 96.1                        | 95.2      | .8                                                 | -4.0      | -2.9      | -4.9      | -1.6            | -3.9      |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                                                                       | 125.1                       | 125.7     | 5.4                                                | 3.6       | .3        | 5.6       | 4.5             | 2.9       |
| Laundry and cleaning products, including soap <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.3                       | 129.3     | 3.9                                                | 2.9       | 2.9       | 3.5       | 3.4             | 3.2       |
| Household paper products and stationery supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                               | 124.6                       | 126.0     | 3.7                                                | 2.0       | 3.3       | 10.8      | 2.9             | 7.0       |
| Other household, lawn, and garden supplies .....                                                  | 119.7                       | 121.3     | 7.3                                                | 7.9       | -9.5      | 8.0       | 7.6             | -1.1      |
| Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 119.7                       | 119.9     | .0                                                 | .7        | 4.1       | 3.1       | .3              | 3.6       |
| Postage <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 125.4                       | 125.4     | .0                                                 | .0        | .0        | .0        | .0              | .0        |
| Appliance and furniture repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 126.1                       | 126.2     | .0                                                 | 3.7       | 10.9      | 2.9       | 1.8             | 6.8       |
| Gardening and other household services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                       | 113.8                       | 114.2     | 1.1                                                | -1.4      | 4.0       | 3.6       | -.2             | 3.8       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                                                          | 124.0                       | 124.0     | -.3                                                | 1.0       | 20.4      | 1.0       | .3              | 10.2      |
| Apparel commodities .....                                                                         | 122.3                       | 122.2     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 21.5      | .3        | .0              | 10.4      |
| Apparel commodities less footwear .....                                                           | 122.8                       | 122.8     | -1.0                                               | 1.0       | 23.4      | .0        | .0              | 11.1      |
| Men's and boys' .....                                                                             | 119.7                       | 119.5     | 2.4                                                | 2.8       | 5.9       | 2.4       | 2.6             | 4.1       |
| Men's .....                                                                                       | 122.8                       | 122.1     | -.7                                                | 5.2       | 7.9       | .0        | 2.2             | 3.9       |
| Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets .....                                                      | 126.0                       | 126.2     | 2.0                                                | 6.8       | 6.6       | 2.9       | 4.4             | 4.8       |
| Furnishings and special clothing .....                                                            | 117.6                       | 118.2     | -1.7                                               | 8.0       | 2.8       | 5.2       | 3.0             | 4.0       |
| Shirts .....                                                                                      | 130.3                       | 127.9     | -4.8                                               | 7.1       | 17.5      | -3.1      | 1.0             | 6.7       |
| Dungarees, jeans, and trousers .....                                                              | 118.2                       | 117.5     | 1.4                                                | -.7       | 2.1       | -1.0      | .3              | .5        |
| Boys' .....                                                                                       | 110.0                       | 111.2     | 13.4                                               | -5.7      | 1.1       | 10.3      | 3.4             | 5.6       |
| Women's and girls' .....                                                                          | 123.4                       | 123.6     | -3.4                                               | 2.1       | 31.5      | -.6       | -.7             | 14.3      |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 123.7                       | 124.0     | -1.7                                               | 1.8       | 33.3      | -.3       | .0              | 15.3      |
| Coats and jackets .....                                                                           | 115.5                       | 115.9     | -11.1                                              | -.8       | 19.5      | 32.1      | -6.1            | 25.6      |
| Dresses .....                                                                                     | 134.7                       | 136.1     | -1.9                                               | 1.6       | 45.8      | -1.7      | -.2             | 19.7      |
| Separates and sportswear .....                                                                    | 125.6                       | 124.9     | .0                                                 | 3.8       | 29.9      | -4.7      | 1.9             | 11.3      |
| Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories .....                                              | 116.8                       | 117.3     | 4.7                                                | 2.5       | 5.7       | 1.4       | 3.6             | 3.5       |
| Suits .....                                                                                       | 137.4                       | 143.7     | -23.3                                              | -12.1     | 175.9     | 5.2       | -17.9           | 70.3      |
| Girls' .....                                                                                      | 121.6                       | 121.4     | -10.4                                              | 3.5       | 22.7      | -2.6      | -3.7            | 9.3       |
| Infants' and toddlers' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 129.6                       | 130.2     | -14.0                                              | -8.6      | 40.6      | .9        | -11.3           | 19.1      |
| Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 130.3                       | 128.8     | 9.3                                                | -3.2      | 33.1      | -5.1      | 2.9             | 12.4      |
| Sewing materials, notions, and luggage <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                       | 115.3                       | 114.7     | 2.2                                                | 4.5       | 19.7      | -4.1      | 3.3             | 7.2       |
| Watches and jewelry <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                          | 129.8                       | 128.1     | 10.5                                               | -4.5      | 35.5      | -5.1      | 2.7             | 13.4      |
| Watches <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                      | 110.2                       | 109.7     | 1.5                                                | -3.3      | 4.9       | 3.4       | -.9             | 4.1       |
| Jewelry <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                      | 135.4                       | 133.4     | 13.1                                               | -4.7      | 43.9      | -6.9      | 3.8             | 15.7      |
| Footwear .....                                                                                    | 118.5                       | 118.7     | .7                                                 | 1.1       | 9.0       | 4.5       | .9              | 6.7       |
| Men's <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                          | 125.6                       | 125.3     | 2.0                                                | 5.8       | 8.1       | 2.3       | 3.9             | 5.1       |
| Boys' and girls' <sup>1</sup> .....                                                               | 119.1                       | 121.5     | 1.0                                                | 11.2      | 5.9       | 4.1       | 6.0             | 5.0       |
| Women's .....                                                                                     | 111.6                       | 109.7     | 3.0                                                | -4.4      | 7.7       | 1.8       | -.7             | 4.7       |
| Apparel services .....                                                                            | 135.2                       | 135.5     | 1.2                                                | 4.1       | 7.2       | 8.1       | 2.7             | 7.6       |
| Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated .....                                           | 137.1                       | 137.6     | 1.5                                                | 3.4       | 4.3       | 7.3       | 2.4             | 5.8       |
| Other apparel services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 134.3                       | 134.4     | -1.3                                               | 6.1       | 11.0      | 8.1       | 2.4             | 9.6       |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                        | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                       | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                       |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Transportation .....                                                                  | 116.8                       | 117.3     | -6.7                                               | 3.2       | 8.7       | 1.4       | -1.9            | 5.0       |
| Private .....                                                                         | 115.5                       | 116.1     | -7.4                                               | 3.6       | 7.6       | 1.0       | -2.1            | 4.3       |
| New vehicles .....                                                                    | 121.2                       | 120.9     | -2.0                                               | 9.4       | 1.7       | -2.0      | 3.6             | -2        |
| New cars .....                                                                        | 120.5                       | 120.4     | -3.3                                               | 9.1       | 1.0       | -2.0      | 2.7             | -5        |
| Subcompact new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                              | 103.7                       | 103.5     | -7.9                                               | 17.7      | -4.8      | -2.3      | 4.1             | -3.6      |
| Compact new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                 | 103.6                       | 103.3     | -5.0                                               | 16.4      | -4.9      | -1.2      | 5.1             | -3.0      |
| Intermediate new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                            | 105.0                       | 104.6     | -6.4                                               | 18.0      | -4        | -4.5      | 5.1             | -2.4      |
| Full-size new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                               | 108.9                       | 108.7     | -7.4                                               | 23.5      | .0        | -1.5      | 6.9             | -7        |
| Luxury new cars <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                  | 111.2                       | 110.7     | -7.1                                               | 18.8      | 3.6       | -6.6      | 5.0             | -1.6      |
| New trucks <sup>5</sup> .....                                                         | 121.3                       | 120.6     | 3.1                                                | 5.2       | 7.6       | -2.3      | 4.2             | 2.5       |
| New motorcycles <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                  | 114.9                       | 114.9     | 3.6                                                | 6.6       | -4        | 3.2       | 5.1             | 1.4       |
| Used cars .....                                                                       | 116.4                       | 116.9     | -3.9                                               | .0        | -7.5      | -7        | -2.0            | -4.1      |
| Motor fuel .....                                                                      | 91.4                        | 93.3      | -27.8                                              | -4.1      | 30.8      | 4.0       | -16.8           | 16.6      |
| Gasoline .....                                                                        | 91.1                        | 93.4      | -29.0                                              | -4.5      | 31.5      | 5.3       | -17.7           | 17.7      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                                        | 95.7                        | 98.7      | -25.5                                              | -6.8      | 34.4      | 7.6       | -16.7           | 20.3      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                                      | 89.8                        | 91.0      | -30.2                                              | -5.1      | 31.3      | 5.9       | -18.6           | 17.9      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                                      | 95.8                        | 96.7      | -22.5                                              | -2.6      | 25.6      | 4.2       | -13.1           | 14.4      |
| Automobile maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                  | 129.7                       | 129.9     | 5.2                                                | 2.2       | 6.8       | 2.8       | 3.7             | 4.8       |
| Body work <sup>1</sup> .....                                                          | 136.4                       | 136.9     | 6.6                                                | 4.3       | 4.6       | 4.2       | 5.4             | 4.4       |
| Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair <sup>1</sup> ..... | 133.1                       | 133.4     | 3.8                                                | 2.8       | 7.3       | 3.7       | 3.3             | 5.5       |
| Maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 124.1                       | 124.1     | 5.8                                                | -.7       | 6.0       | 1.0       | 2.5             | 3.5       |
| Power plant repair <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 130.5                       | 130.7     | 5.6                                                | 4.5       | 7.1       | 3.4       | 5.1             | 5.2       |
| Other private transportation .....                                                    | 138.5                       | 138.6     | 1.8                                                | 5.5       | 5.1       | 1.5       | 3.6             | 3.3       |
| Other private transportation commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                           | 101.3                       | 101.3     | .4                                                 | 1.2       | -1.6      | -.8       | .8              | -1.2      |
| Motor oil, coolant, and other products <sup>1</sup> .....                             | 109.2                       | 110.0     | -1.1                                               | -2.9      | 3.0       | .4        | -2.0            | 1.7       |
| Automobile parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 100.0                       | 100.0     | .4                                                 | 1.2       | -1.6      | -.8       | .8              | -1.2      |
| Tires <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 97.1                        | 96.5      | .8                                                 | .0        | -4.0      | -5.2      | .4              | -4.6      |
| Other parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                          | 107.1                       | 107.6     | .0                                                 | 2.7       | .0        | 3.0       | 1.3             | 1.5       |
| Other private transportation services .....                                           | 147.1                       | 147.2     | 2.3                                                | 6.3       | 6.5       | 1.9       | 4.3             | 4.2       |
| Automobile insurance .....                                                            | 175.8                       | 176.1     | 5.4                                                | 7.4       | 9.2       | 4.2       | 6.4             | 6.7       |
| Automobile finance charges <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 98.8                        | 98.8      | -15.5                                              | 18.7      | -6.9      | -6.6      | .2              | -6.7      |
| Automobile fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 142.4                       | 142.9     | 5.2                                                | 9.8       | 15.6      | -.3       | 7.5             | 7.4       |
| Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees <sup>1</sup> .....            | 140.3                       | 140.4     | 2.5                                                | 15.3      | 18.1      | .6        | 8.7             | 9.0       |
| Other automobile-related fees <sup>1</sup> .....                                      | 146.0                       | 146.9     | 8.6                                                | 3.7       | 12.3      | -1.3      | 6.1             | 5.2       |
| Public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                              | 138.9                       | 139.6     | 2.8                                                | 3.1       | 24.4      | 6.6       | 3.0             | 15.1      |
| Airline fares <sup>1</sup> .....                                                      | 144.6                       | 145.2     | .6                                                 | 9.2       | 30.3      | 8.7       | 4.8             | 19.0      |
| Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                     | 142.4                       | 143.3     | -.3                                                | -.6       | 3.8       | 4.3       | -.4             | 4.0       |
| Intracity public transportation <sup>1</sup> .....                                    | 133.0                       | 133.8     | 6.5                                                | -4.0      | 23.0      | 3.7       | 1.1             | 12.9      |
| Medical care .....                                                                    | 160.9                       | 161.9     | 8.9                                                | 8.4       | 8.2       | 9.1       | 8.6             | 8.7       |
| Medical care commodities .....                                                        | 160.6                       | 161.6     | 7.7                                                | 7.8       | 9.3       | 7.8       | 7.8             | 8.6       |
| Prescription drugs .....                                                              | 179.5                       | 181.3     | 8.0                                                | 9.6       | 12.6      | 9.3       | 8.8             | 11.0      |
| Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 4</sup> .....                       | 119.8                       | 120.4     | 4.6                                                | 3.1       | 3.5       | 9.1       | 3.9             | 6.3       |
| Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....                    | 143.8                       | 144.4     | 3.8                                                | 2.6       | 2.9       | 9.1       | 3.2             | 5.9       |
| Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....                     | 139.6                       | 140.3     | 6.9                                                | 5.5       | 6.0       | 7.8       | 6.2             | 6.9       |
| Medical care services .....                                                           | 160.9                       | 161.9     | 9.2                                                | 8.7       | 8.0       | 9.4       | 8.9             | 8.7       |
| Professional medical services .....                                                   | 155.2                       | 155.8     | 6.7                                                | 6.6       | 5.7       | 7.5       | 6.7             | 6.6       |
| Physicians' services .....                                                            | 160.3                       | 160.6     | 7.7                                                | 6.2       | 7.2       | 8.4       | 6.9             | 7.8       |
| Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 154.5                       | 155.3     | 5.0                                                | 6.1       | 8.8       | 5.6       | 5.6             | 7.2       |
| Eye care <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                         | 116.0                       | 116.9     | 4.0                                                | 3.2       | 3.6       | 7.5       | 3.6             | 5.5       |
| Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 4</sup> .....                          | 120.1                       | 120.2     | 4.3                                                | 4.9       | 7.0       | 3.4       | 4.6             | 5.2       |
| Hospital and related services .....                                                   | 173.4                       | 175.0     | 13.2                                               | 9.4       | 9.2       | 10.2      | 11.3            | 9.7       |
| Hospital rooms .....                                                                  | 169.6                       | 170.2     | 12.7                                               | 10.4      | 9.7       | 8.1       | 11.6            | 8.9       |
| Other inpatient services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                         | 139.0                       | 140.5     | 15.6                                               | 8.4       | 8.6       | 8.1       | 11.9            | 8.3       |
| Outpatient services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                              | 136.5                       | 137.5     | 16.1                                               | 9.7       | 14.5      | 5.7       | 12.9            | 10.0      |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Item and group                                                                                               | Seasonally adjusted indexes |           | Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for |           |           |           |                 |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                              | May 1990                    | June 1990 | 3 months ended—                                    |           |           |           | 6 months ended— |           |
|                                                                                                              |                             |           | Sept. 1989                                         | Dec. 1989 | Mar. 1990 | June 1990 | Dec. 1989       | June 1990 |
| Entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 130.8                       | 131.0     | 4.9                                                | 4.5       | 5.1       | 3.1       | 4.7             | 4.1       |
| Entertainment commodities <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                 | 123.6                       | 123.4     | 3.0                                                | 3.7       | 4.3       | 1.3       | 3.4             | 2.8       |
| Reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 135.5                       | 135.8     | 6.0                                                | 5.0       | 7.1       | 3.0       | 5.5             | 5.0       |
| Newspapers <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 133.8                       | 133.9     | 3.5                                                | 5.0       | 4.0       | 2.4       | 4.2             | 3.2       |
| Magazines, periodicals, and books <sup>1</sup> .....                                                         | 137.8                       | 138.1     | 8.3                                                | 4.9       | 10.6      | 3.3       | 6.6             | 6.8       |
| Sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 116.9                       | 116.8     | .0                                                 | 10.3      | 1.4       | 1.7       | 5.0             | 1.6       |
| Sport vehicles, including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 119.1                       | 118.9     | -.7                                                | 7.5       | 3.8       | .3        | 3.3             | 2.0       |
| Other sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                      | 111.3                       | 111.5     | 1.5                                                | 13.7      | -1.4      | 4.0       | 7.4             | 1.3       |
| Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                    | 121.0                       | 120.6     | 3.4                                                | -.7       | 4.4       | .3        | 1.4             | 2.4       |
| Toys, hobbies, and music equipment <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 117.2                       | 116.9     | 4.2                                                | -5.7      | 7.9       | -.3       | -.9             | 3.7       |
| Photographic supplies and equipment .....                                                                    | 128.3                       | 128.5     | .0                                                 | 7.2       | 3.8       | -3.6      | 3.5             | .0        |
| Pet supplies and expense <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                  | 123.9                       | 123.2     | 3.7                                                | 4.7       | -.6       | 2.0       | 4.2             | .7        |
| Entertainment services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 141.9                       | 142.5     | 7.6                                                | 4.8       | 6.5       | 4.6       | 6.2             | 5.6       |
| Club memberships <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                        | 117.7                       | 118.5     | -6.1                                               | 7.6       | 10.4      | 1.0       | .5              | 5.6       |
| Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                 | 122.8                       | 123.6     | 13.8                                               | 7.9       | 2.7       | 3.0       | 10.8            | 2.8       |
| Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                                | 150.3                       | 150.7     | 10.3                                               | 4.2       | 6.5       | 7.2       | 7.2             | 6.8       |
| Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                        | 121.9                       | 122.4     | 11.7                                               | 8.8       | 7.6       | 2.0       | 10.3            | 4.7       |
| Other entertainment services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                            | 113.0                       | 113.2     | 6.1                                                | 1.5       | 7.5       | 4.7       | 3.7             | 6.1       |
| Other goods and services .....                                                                               | 157.2                       | 158.9     | 7.2                                                | 7.4       | 8.1       | 8.8       | 7.3             | 8.4       |
| Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....                                                              | 176.4                       | 180.6     | 10.7                                               | 9.4       | 7.2       | 13.9      | 10.0            | 10.5      |
| Personal care <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                             | 129.9                       | 130.7     | 4.2                                                | 3.9       | 5.8       | 6.4       | 4.1             | 6.1       |
| Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup> .....                                                 | 128.1                       | 129.1     | 5.7                                                | 1.9       | 6.9       | 7.5       | 3.8             | 7.2       |
| Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 129.4                       | 130.2     | 2.3                                                | 4.6       | 8.6       | 9.1       | 3.5             | 8.8       |
| Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products <sup>1</sup> ..... | 127.6                       | 128.5     | 7.7                                                | .6        | 5.6       | 6.1       | 4.1             | 5.8       |
| Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                    | 131.9                       | 132.6     | 1.9                                                | 6.1       | 4.4       | 5.6       | 4.0             | 5.0       |
| Beauty parlor services for females <sup>1</sup> .....                                                        | 132.3                       | 132.9     | 2.9                                                | 6.4       | 4.7       | 6.3       | 4.6             | 5.5       |
| Haircuts and other barber shop services for males <sup>1</sup> .....                                         | 129.9                       | 130.7     | .3                                                 | 3.8       | 4.4       | 1.9       | 2.1             | 3.1       |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                                                                      | 168.0                       | 168.6     | 6.3                                                | 7.7       | 9.7       | 6.2       | 7.0             | 7.9       |
| School books and supplies .....                                                                              | 169.6                       | 170.3     | 10.1                                               | 7.7       | 12.6      | 6.1       | 8.9             | 9.3       |
| Personal and educational services .....                                                                      | 168.2                       | 168.7     | 6.0                                                | 7.7       | 9.4       | 6.2       | 6.9             | 7.8       |
| Tuition and other school fees .....                                                                          | 173.3                       | 174.4     | 7.9                                                | 7.7       | 7.8       | 8.2       | 7.8             | 8.0       |
| College tuition .....                                                                                        | 172.4                       | 174.1     | 9.0                                                | 6.2       | 8.4       | 8.5       | 7.6             | 8.4       |
| Elementary and high school tuition .....                                                                     | 179.2                       | 180.7     | 9.5                                                | 7.8       | 8.8       | 9.4       | 8.6             | 9.1       |
| Personal expenses <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                         | 156.9                       | 157.4     | 4.4                                                | 4.1       | 11.9      | 5.5       | 4.2             | 8.7       |
| Legal service fees <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                      | 120.6                       | 120.8     | 4.6                                                | 2.8       | 15.2      | .7        | 3.7             | 7.7       |
| Personal financial services <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                             | 123.1                       | 124.0     | 4.9                                                | 3.8       | 10.6      | 10.7      | 4.4             | 10.6      |
| Funeral expenses <sup>1 4</sup> .....                                                                        | 119.9                       | 120.0     | 3.2                                                | 5.4       | 10.8      | 6.6       | 4.3             | 8.7       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                                                                                       |                             |           |                                                    |           |           |           |                 |           |
| Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....                                                           | 131.6                       | 132.7     | 2.6                                                | 6.2       | 18.5      | .6        | 4.4             | 9.2       |
| Selected beef cuts <sup>1</sup> .....                                                                        | 126.3                       | 126.7     | 3.5                                                | 9.2       | 17.0      | 6.2       | 6.3             | 11.5      |
| Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products .....                                                     | 91.6                        | 93.7      | -28.0                                              | -4.0      | 30.7      | 4.4       | -16.9           | 16.8      |
| Utilities and public transportation .....                                                                    | 119.4                       | 119.8     | 2.1                                                | 3.8       | 8.1       | .0        | 3.0             | 4.0       |
| Housekeeping and home maintenance services <sup>1</sup> .....                                                | 121.6                       | 121.8     | .0                                                 | 1.0       | 4.8       | 3.4       | .5              | 4.1       |

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1988 = 100 base.

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

**Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, all items index**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                                 | Pricing<br>schedule <sup>1</sup> | Indexes      |              |             |              | Percent change to<br>June 1990 from— |              |             | Percent change to<br>May 1990 from— |              |              |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                      |                                  | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | June<br>1989                         | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | May<br>1989                         | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| U.S. city average .....                              | M                                | 128.7        | 128.9        | 129.2       | 129.9        | 4.7                                  | 0.8          | 0.5         | 4.4                                 | 0.4          | 0.2          |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>2</sup></b>             |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| Northeast urban .....                                | M                                | 134.1        | 134.5        | 134.7       | 134.9        | 5.0                                  | .3           | .1          | 5.0                                 | .4           | .1           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 134.7        | 135.4        | 135.4       | 135.4        | 4.9                                  | .0           | .0          | 5.2                                 | .5           | .0           |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 133.6        | 133.5        | 133.6       | 134.4        | 5.8                                  | .7           | .6          | 5.0                                 | .0           | .1           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                     | M                                | 132.3        | 132.0        | 132.5       | 133.4        | 4.5                                  | 1.1          | .7          | 3.8                                 | .2           | .4           |
| North Central urban .....                            | M                                | 125.5        | 125.8        | 126.0       | 126.9        | 4.2                                  | .9           | .7          | 3.9                                 | .4           | .2           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 126.9        | 127.3        | 127.4       | 128.6        | 4.6                                  | 1.0          | .9          | 4.3                                 | .4           | .1           |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 124.7        | 124.8        | 125.3       | 125.6        | 3.9                                  | .6           | .2          | 3.7                                 | .5           | .4           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                     | M                                | 125.3        | 125.6        | 125.9       | 126.5        | 3.6                                  | .7           | .5          | 3.0                                 | .5           | .2           |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | M                                | 120.8        | 121.1        | 121.4       | 122.3        | 4.2                                  | 1.0          | .7          | 3.9                                 | .5           | .2           |
| South urban .....                                    | M                                | 126.0        | 126.1        | 126.5       | 127.3        | 4.6                                  | 1.0          | .6          | 4.3                                 | .4           | .3           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 126.7        | 126.8        | 127.1       | 127.8        | 4.4                                  | .8           | .6          | 4.2                                 | .3           | .2           |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 127.3        | 127.4        | 128.0       | 128.2        | 4.2                                  | .6           | .2          | 4.6                                 | .5           | .5           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                     | M                                | 124.3        | 124.6        | 124.5       | 125.3        | 4.1                                  | .6           | .6          | 3.8                                 | .2           | -.1          |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | M                                | 125.0        | 125.3        | 125.8       | 128.2        | 6.5                                  | 2.3          | 1.9         | 4.5                                 | .6           | .4           |
| West urban .....                                     | M                                | 129.6        | 129.6        | 130.0       | 130.8        | 5.0                                  | .9           | .6          | 4.4                                 | .3           | .3           |
| Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....                   | M                                | 131.5        | 131.5        | 132.0       | 132.6        | 5.0                                  | .8           | .5          | 4.6                                 | .4           | .4           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                     | M                                | 126.0        | 126.2        | 126.4       | 127.7        | 4.3                                  | 1.2          | 1.0         | 3.2                                 | .3           | .2           |
| <b>Size classes</b>                                  |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| A <sup>3</sup> .....                                 | M                                | 117.1        | 117.4        | 117.5       | 118.1        | 4.8                                  | .6           | .5          | 4.5                                 | .3           | .1           |
| B .....                                              | M                                | 128.1        | 128.1        | 128.5       | 129.0        | 4.6                                  | .7           | .4          | 4.4                                 | .3           | .3           |
| C .....                                              | M                                | 126.3        | 126.5        | 126.7       | 127.5        | 4.1                                  | .8           | .6          | 3.5                                 | .3           | .2           |
| D .....                                              | M                                | 124.8        | 125.0        | 125.6       | 127.0        | 5.4                                  | 1.6          | 1.1         | 4.4                                 | .6           | .5           |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, all items index—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                           | Pricing<br>schedule <sup>1</sup> | Indexes      |              |             |              | Percent change to<br>June 1990 from— |              |             | Percent change to<br>May 1990 from— |              |              |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                |                                  | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | June<br>1989                         | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | May<br>1989                         | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| Selected local areas                           |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....       | M                                | 129.5        | 130.4        | 130.4       | 131.7        | 4.8                                  | 1.0          | 1.0         | 5.2                                 | 0.7          | 0.0          |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....        | M                                | 134.5        | 134.2        | 134.6       | 135.0        | 4.9                                  | .6           | .3          | 4.9                                 | .1           | .3           |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT ..... | M                                | 136.6        | 137.3        | 137.2       | 137.1        | 5.1                                  | -.1          | -.1         | 5.4                                 | .4           | -.1          |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....    | M                                | 133.6        | 134.3        | 134.6       | 135.1        | 4.9                                  | .6           | .4          | 5.2                                 | .7           | .2           |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....       | M                                | 130.0        | 130.7        | 130.8       | 131.6        | 4.3                                  | .7           | .6          | 3.6                                 | .6           | .1           |
| Baltimore, MD .....                            | 1                                | 129.3        | -            | 129.0       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 3.9                                 | -.2          | -            |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....             | 1                                | 136.3        | -            | 137.0       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 5.0                                 | .5           | -            |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....               | 1                                | 127.4        | -            | 128.1       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 4.3                                 | .5           | -            |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                | 1                                | 125.1        | -            | 126.4       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 4.5                                 | 1.0          | -            |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....          | 1                                | 127.2        | -            | 126.7       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 4.3                                 | -.4          | -            |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                     | 1                                | 133.8        | -            | 134.0       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 5.4                                 | .1           | -            |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                    | 2                                | -            | 122.9        | -           | 123.8        | 3.2                                  | .7           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                    | 2                                | -            | 126.9        | -           | 127.7        | 4.6                                  | .6           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....           | 2                                | -            | 118.3        | -           | 119.7        | 4.9                                  | 1.2          | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....             | 2                                | -            | 124.9        | -           | 125.0        | 3.8                                  | .1           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast |                      |          | North Central |                      |          | South     |                      |          | West      |                      |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                     | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index         | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                     |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |               | June 1989            | May 1990 |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| All items .....                                     | 134.9     | 5.0                  | 0.1      | 126.9         | 4.2                  | 0.7      | 127.3     | 4.6                  | 0.6      | 130.8     | 5.0                  | 0.6      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 212.4     | -                    | -        | 206.5         | -                    | -        | 206.4     | -                    | -        | 211.4     | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 135.7     | 5.1                  | .4       | 129.2         | 6.0                  | .6       | 130.3     | 5.3                  | .5       | 131.4     | 5.5                  | .2       |
| Food .....                                          | 135.7     | 5.0                  | .4       | 129.5         | 6.2                  | .7       | 131.0     | 5.5                  | .7       | 131.4     | 5.5                  | .2       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 135.4     | 5.9                  | .7       | 130.2         | 6.6                  | .9       | 129.7     | 5.4                  | .9       | 131.5     | 5.9                  | .1       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 142.9     | 6.3                  | .5       | 139.5         | 6.3                  | .6       | 136.6     | 5.5                  | .7       | 141.7     | 6.5                  | .5       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 133.6     | 6.0                  | 1.3      | 129.7         | 8.4                  | 1.8      | 126.5     | 7.1                  | 1.7      | 129.8     | 6.8                  | 2.0      |
| Dairy products .....                                | 123.8     | 9.5                  | .2       | 125.8         | 11.2                 | .5       | 126.9     | 9.5                  | .2       | 123.2     | 9.7                  | -.4      |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 152.8     | 6.0                  | .7       | 141.0         | 4.7                  | .1       | 144.7     | 3.5                  | 1.1      | 149.5     | 5.7                  | -2.8     |
| Other food at home .....                            | 126.9     | 3.5                  | .2       | 122.1         | 4.0                  | .7       | 122.5     | 3.0                  | .3       | 121.0     | 2.6                  | .3       |
| Sugar and sweets .....                              | 127.3     | 3.3                  | .0       | 123.0         | 4.9                  | .1       | 123.3     | 5.5                  | .5       | 125.8     | 4.1                  | -.1      |
| Fats and oils .....                                 | 129.5     | 2.9                  | -.6      | 123.8         | 4.5                  | 1.2      | 123.2     | 2.4                  | -.1      | 126.0     | 3.0                  | 1.0      |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                        | 120.0     | 2.1                  | .4       | 113.6         | 3.0                  | 1.2      | 111.2     | .0                   | .3       | 107.4     | 1.0                  | .3       |
| Other prepared food .....                           | 132.7     | 4.9                  | .1       | 128.8         | 4.4                  | .3       | 132.4     | 4.7                  | .5       | 130.0     | 3.3                  | .5       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 138.1     | 3.7                  | .1       | 128.6         | 5.5                  | .4       | 134.5     | 5.6                  | .2       | 131.5     | 4.7                  | .3       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 135.8     | 5.1                  | .4       | 126.2         | 3.5                  | .2       | 123.5     | 3.5                  | .1       | 132.4     | 6.7                  | .8       |
| Housing .....                                       | 136.7     | 4.8                  | .2       | 124.5         | 3.5                  | 1.5      | 122.1     | 4.1                  | 1.1      | 130.7     | 5.2                  | 1.0      |
| Shelter .....                                       | 155.7     | 5.8                  | .0       | 134.6         | 4.4                  | .7       | 127.0     | 5.0                  | 1.3      | 139.9     | 6.5                  | 1.5      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 155.8     | 5.0                  | -.2      | 140.1         | 3.1                  | .9       | 135.2     | 4.3                  | .6       | 147.7     | 6.2                  | 1.3      |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 150.5     | 5.1                  | .1       | 131.6         | 3.3                  | .3       | 125.4     | 3.1                  | .6       | 141.2     | 5.1                  | .9       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 150.4     | 4.6                  | -.9      | 148.6         | 2.6                  | 2.4      | 156.8     | 7.2                  | .4       | 145.3     | 10.8                 | 3.2      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 164.1     | 6.1                  | .1       | 137.1         | 4.8                  | .6       | 128.6     | 5.4                  | 1.6      | 148.5     | 6.6                  | 1.6      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 164.9     | 6.3                  | .1       | 137.3         | 5.0                  | .7       | 128.2     | 5.4                  | 1.7      | 148.6     | 6.8                  | 1.6      |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                       | NA        | -                    | -        | 118.7         | 5.2                  | .7       | 118.4     | 3.8                  | .1       | 116.0     | 2.5                  | .6       |
| Maintenance and repair services .....               | NA        | -                    | -        | 125.1         | 6.7                  | 1.2      | 120.1     | 5.4                  | .0       | 115.9     | 3.3                  | -        |
| Maintenance and repair commodities .....            | 120.9     | 2.0                  | -.2      | 112.9         | 3.8                  | .1       | 115.2     | 1.0                  | .4       | 119.3     | 1.3                  | 1.4      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 105.5     | 3.3                  | 1.4      | 112.2         | 1.9                  | 5.6      | 117.7     | 3.2                  | 1.5      | 116.3     | 2.6                  | -.2      |
| Fuels .....                                         | 99.6      | 4.1                  | 1.9      | 103.5         | .0                   | 9.5      | 109.3     | 1.8                  | 2.0      | 115.4     | 2.8                  | -.3      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 83.6      | 5.7                  | -.4      | 81.6          | 6.5                  | -.2      | 89.7      | 7.0                  | -.3      | 88.6      | 1.6                  | -.2      |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 82.0      | 5.0                  | -.4      | 80.5          | 3.7                  | -.3      | 82.7      | 5.8                  | -.3      | 94.7      | 4.9                  | -.2      |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 114.1     | 9.2                  | 1.1      | 107.6         | 9.6                  | -.7      | 113.9     | 8.3                  | -.2      | 101.9     | -.1                  | -.2      |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 112.2     | 3.6                  | 3.6      | 109.0         | -.3                  | 10.1     | 112.5     | 1.4                  | 2.4      | 118.4     | 2.9                  | -.3      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 121.5     | 3.6                  | 6.1      | 128.9         | 1.1                  | 13.1     | 115.9     | 1.3                  | 3.2      | 127.8     | 4.6                  | .2       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 97.8      | 3.9                  | -1.0     | 89.4          | -2.1                 | 6.0      | 100.8     | 1.7                  | -1.6     | 109.8     | -.5                  | -1.0     |
| Other utilities and public services .....           | 131.8     | 2.0                  | .5       | 134.6         | 4.7                  | .3       | 135.6     | 5.0                  | 1.0      | 123.7     | 2.3                  | -.1      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 113.5     | 1.8                  | .3       | 112.2         | 1.8                  | -.2      | 113.9     | 1.6                  | -.1      | 112.8     | 2.1                  | -.3      |
| Housefurnishings .....                              | 104.9     | 1.3                  | .1       | 104.4         | 1.3                  | -.5      | 109.7     | .8                   | -.5      | 106.0     | 1.3                  | -.6      |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                         | 127.8     | 3.9                  | .9       | 128.4         | 3.4                  | .3       | 120.0     | 2.7                  | .8       | 127.5     | 5.5                  | .5       |
| Housekeeping services .....                         | 122.7     | 1.3                  | .1       | 118.1         | 1.9                  | .3       | 120.4     | 2.9                  | .2       | 118.0     | 1.8                  | .3       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 118.8     | 5.2                  | -.2      | 122.1         | 4.5                  | -.2      | 132.0     | 4.9                  | -.6      | 118.4     | 3.9                  | -.1      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 115.7     | 5.1                  | -.3      | 121.1         | 4.6                  | -.2      | 130.1     | 4.8                  | -.7      | 115.7     | 3.9                  | -.1      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 113.9     | 2.3                  | -.2      | 120.0         | 3.5                  | -.2      | 127.0     | 3.7                  | -1.2     | 117.8     | 4.2                  | -.5      |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 113.7     | 7.3                  | -.5      | 120.4         | 4.2                  | -.4      | 136.0     | 5.3                  | -.9      | 110.0     | 4.2                  | -.1      |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....                | 132.8     | 6.8                  | 3.3      | 143.2         | 2.9                  | 1.1      | 128.1     | 3.1                  | -.3      | 108.2     | -.7                  | -.2      |
| Footwear .....                                      | 116.2     | 1.8                  | -1.0     | 122.3         | 9.3                  | -1.1     | 119.3     | 1.1                  | -.9      | 109.6     | -.5                  | -1.0     |
| Other apparel commodities .....                     | 133.3     | 8.1                  | 1.4      | 116.6         | 1.0                  | -.9      | 130.9     | 10.8                 | 1.5      | 139.7     | 8.1                  | -.4      |
| Apparel services .....                              | 144.3     | 6.7                  | .1       | 126.2         | 3.8                  | .2       | 139.8     | 5.5                  | .0       | 135.0     | 3.2                  | .3       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                      | Northeast |                      |          | North Central |                      |          | South     |                      |          | West      |                      |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                            | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index         | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                            |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |               | June 1989            | May 1990 |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                       | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| Transportation .....                                       | 118.5     | 2.1                  | 0.6      | 116.7         | 1.6                  | 0.4      | 117.1     | 2.3                  | 0.3      | 121.0     | 1.9                  | 0.7      |
| Private transportation .....                               | 115.7     | 1.1                  | .7       | 115.3         | 1.1                  | .4       | 116.2     | 1.8                  | .2       | 118.7     | .9                   | .8       |
| New vehicles .....                                         | 118.3     | .6                   | -.4      | 119.1         | 1.2                  | -.3      | 123.6     | 2.0                  | -.3      | 121.0     | 1.9                  | -.4      |
| New cars .....                                             | 117.9     | .3                   | -.4      | 118.2         | .9                   | -.2      | 123.9     | 1.6                  | -.3      | 121.1     | 1.0                  | -.4      |
| Used cars .....                                            | 116.5     | -3.5                 | .6       | 116.0         | -3.8                 | .4       | 119.5     | -2.4                 | .7       | 117.5     | -3.0                 | .6       |
| Motor fuel .....                                           | 92.5      | -1.9                 | 3.5      | 96.9          | -.5                  | 1.7      | 93.7      | -1.1                 | 1.4      | 94.6      | -2.9                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                             | 92.4      | -2.1                 | 3.6      | 97.0          | -.8                  | 1.9      | 94.0      | -1.2                 | 1.7      | 94.4      | -2.9                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                             | NA        | -                    | -        | 103.8         | 2.0                  | 2.5      | 97.7      | -1.4                 | 2.4      | 95.2      | -2.6                 | 3.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                           | 89.9      | -3.0                 | 3.9      | 95.0          | -.9                  | 2.0      | 91.2      | -2.0                 | 1.9      | 93.0      | -3.1                 | 3.3      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                           | 96.2      | -.6                  | 3.3      | 103.5         | .5                   | 1.3      | 97.5      | .1                   | 1.4      | 96.4      | -1.7                 | 2.7      |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                              | 138.7     | 5.2                  | .4       | 120.5         | 3.3                  | -.1      | 128.4     | 3.8                  | -.1      | 131.4     | 4.2                  | .6       |
| Other private transportation .....                         | 138.5     | 3.4                  | .4       | 136.4         | 3.6                  | .1       | 143.4     | 5.1                  | .1       | 147.1     | 2.7                  | .3       |
| Other private transportation commodities .....             | 101.3     | 1.1                  | .4       | 100.9         | -.1                  | -.4      | 102.2     | -1.2                 | .1       | 101.4     | .3                   | .0       |
| Other private transportation services .....                | 145.5     | 3.8                  | .4       | 143.7         | 4.4                  | .2       | 154.6     | 6.3                  | .1       | 156.9     | 3.2                  | .3       |
| Public transportation .....                                | 141.1     | 9.6                  | .3       | 140.5         | 8.7                  | .7       | 132.8     | 7.8                  | .2       | 149.4     | 10.2                 | .6       |
| Medical care .....                                         | 168.7     | 9.6                  | .5       | 157.0         | 9.0                  | .7       | 160.3     | 8.7                  | .6       | 162.5     | 9.1                  | .9       |
| Medical care commodities .....                             | 164.4     | 9.4                  | .6       | 163.0         | 7.3                  | 1.1      | 161.5     | 8.0                  | .6       | 165.7     | 8.3                  | .6       |
| Medical care services .....                                | 169.7     | 9.7                  | .5       | 155.7         | 9.3                  | .6       | 160.0     | 8.8                  | .6       | 161.8     | 9.2                  | .9       |
| Professional medical services .....                        | 164.8     | 6.9                  | .4       | 150.9         | 6.6                  | .5       | 156.2     | 6.6                  | .4       | 151.1     | 6.4                  | .7       |
| Entertainment .....                                        | 135.3     | 5.7                  | -.2      | 130.6         | 4.3                  | .1       | 129.3     | 4.0                  | .2       | 132.4     | 4.3                  | .6       |
| Entertainment commodities .....                            | 123.0     | 4.1                  | .0       | 124.5         | 3.4                  | .2       | 121.0     | 2.6                  | -.2      | 125.4     | 3.6                  | -.5      |
| Entertainment services .....                               | 149.5     | 7.0                  | -.4      | 138.7         | 5.2                  | .0       | 140.4     | 5.5                  | .5       | 141.6     | 4.8                  | 1.6      |
| Other goods and services .....                             | 163.5     | 8.4                  | .7       | 154.0         | 7.4                  | .8       | 155.1     | 7.4                  | .9       | 158.3     | 8.3                  | .6       |
| Tobacco and smoking products .....                         | 178.5     | 12.2                 | 2.8      | 180.9         | 10.6                 | 2.2      | 173.0     | 8.3                  | 2.2      | 197.8     | 9.9                  | 2.0      |
| Personal care .....                                        | 139.7     | 6.5                  | .4       | 122.8         | 2.7                  | .4       | 127.2     | 4.7                  | .7       | 135.7     | 7.3                  | .9       |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                    | 172.4     | 7.5                  | .0       | 163.5         | 7.7                  | .2       | 169.8     | 8.0                  | .5       | 167.6     | 8.1                  | .2       |
| Commodity and service group                                |           |                      |          |               |                      |          |           |                      |          |           |                      |          |
| All items .....                                            | 134.9     | 5.0                  | .1       | 126.9         | 4.2                  | .7       | 127.3     | 4.6                  | .6       | 130.8     | 5.0                  | .6       |
| Commodities .....                                          | 121.9     | 3.9                  | .0       | 120.8         | 3.8                  | .1       | 122.0     | 3.5                  | .2       | 121.4     | 3.7                  | .1       |
| Food and beverages .....                                   | 135.7     | 5.1                  | .4       | 129.2         | 6.0                  | .6       | 130.3     | 5.3                  | .5       | 131.4     | 5.5                  | .2       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                  | 112.7     | 3.1                  | -.4      | 115.9         | 2.5                  | -.3      | 117.1     | 2.4                  | .0       | 115.3     | 2.5                  | .1       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....                  | 113.6     | 4.6                  | -.5      | 118.3         | 4.0                  | -.2      | 118.9     | 3.7                  | .3       | 117.4     | 3.3                  | .3       |
| Apparel commodities .....                                  | 115.7     | 5.1                  | -3.2     | 121.1         | 4.6                  | -2.7     | 130.1     | 4.8                  | -.7      | 115.7     | 3.9                  | -1.7     |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....        | 115.8     | 4.4                  | 1.1      | 119.1         | 3.6                  | 1.0      | 116.2     | 3.0                  | .8       | 120.5     | 3.2                  | 1.4      |
| Durables .....                                             | 111.5     | .7                   | -.1      | 111.9         | .3                   | -.3      | 115.0     | .9                   | -.3      | 112.5     | 1.2                  | -.4      |
| Services .....                                             | 148.6     | 5.8                  | .3       | 134.0         | 4.6                  | 1.3      | 133.2     | 5.4                  | 1.0      | 139.8     | 5.9                  | 1.0      |
| Rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....                         | 162.1     | 5.9                  | .0       | 138.1         | 4.4                  | .7       | 130.4     | 5.2                  | 1.3      | 148.4     | 6.5                  | 1.5      |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 122.9     | 2.6                  | 1.7      | 121.2         | 1.8                  | 4.6      | 124.0     | 3.1                  | 1.4      | 125.0     | 2.3                  | -.1      |
| Transportation services .....                              | 142.8     | 5.6                  | .4       | 137.4         | 5.0                  | .3       | 143.3     | 6.0                  | .0       | 149.2     | 5.1                  | .5       |
| Medical care services .....                                | 169.7     | 9.7                  | .5       | 155.7         | 9.3                  | .6       | 160.0     | 8.8                  | .6       | 161.8     | 9.2                  | .9       |
| Other services .....                                       | 157.1     | 6.9                  | -.1      | 143.1         | 6.0                  | .1       | 148.3     | 6.9                  | .5       | 146.6     | 6.2                  | .7       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast |                      |           | North Central |                      |           | South |                      |          | West  |                      |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------------|-----------|-------|----------------------|----------|-------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                     | Index     | Percent change from— |           | Index         | Percent change from— |           | Index | Percent change from— |          | Index | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                     |           | June 1990            | June 1989 |               | May 1990             | June 1990 |       | June 1989            | May 1990 |       | June 1990            | June 1989 |
| Special indexes                                     |           |                      |           |               |                      |           |       |                      |          |       |                      |           |
| All items less food .....                           | 134.7     | 4.9                  | 0.1       | 126.3         | 3.8                  | 0.7       | 126.5 | 4.4                  | 0.6      | 130.8 | 4.9                  | 0.8       |
| All items less shelter .....                        | 128.4     | 4.6                  | .2        | 125.0         | 4.2                  | .7        | 127.7 | 4.3                  | .4       | 128.2 | 4.3                  | .2        |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> ..... | 133.4     | 4.7                  | .2        | 128.1         | 4.1                  | .8        | 130.6 | 4.3                  | .5       | 132.9 | 4.5                  | .4        |
| All items less medical care .....                   | 133.1     | 4.6                  | .2        | 125.2         | 4.0                  | .7        | 125.0 | 4.2                  | .6       | 128.9 | 4.7                  | .6        |
| Commodities less food .....                         | 113.6     | 3.2                  | -.4       | 116.2         | 2.5                  | -.2       | 117.3 | 2.5                  | .1       | 116.0 | 2.7                  | .1        |
| Nondurables less food .....                         | 114.8     | 4.6                  | -.4       | 118.5         | 3.9                  | -.2       | 118.8 | 3.7                  | .3       | 118.3 | 3.8                  | .4        |
| Nondurables less food and apparel .....             | 116.8     | 4.5                  | 1.0       | 119.0         | 3.6                  | .9        | 115.9 | 3.0                  | .7       | 120.9 | 3.7                  | 1.3       |
| Nondurables .....                                   | 125.0     | 4.9                  | .1        | 123.8         | 4.9                  | .2        | 124.7 | 4.5                  | .4       | 124.7 | 4.5                  | .3        |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....    | 146.7     | 5.7                  | .8        | 137.2         | 4.8                  | 1.9       | 141.9 | 5.7                  | .7       | 145.0 | 5.3                  | .5        |
| Services less medical care .....                    | 146.7     | 5.5                  | .3        | 131.8         | 4.2                  | 1.4       | 130.1 | 5.1                  | 1.1      | 137.8 | 5.7                  | 1.0       |
| Energy .....                                        | 96.3      | 1.8                  | 2.4       | 99.9          | -.3                  | 5.8       | 99.8  | .5                   | 1.7      | 102.8 | -.3                  | 1.4       |
| All items less energy .....                         | 140.3     | 5.3                  | .0        | 131.1         | 4.7                  | .3        | 131.2 | 4.9                  | .5       | 134.3 | 5.3                  | .6        |
| All items less food and energy .....                | 141.7     | 5.3                  | -.1       | 131.6         | 4.4                  | .2        | 131.4 | 4.8                  | .5       | 135.1 | 5.3                  | .7        |
| Commodities less food and energy .....              | 122.4     | 3.8                  | -.6       | 122.7         | 2.9                  | -.5       | 124.7 | 3.0                  | -.1      | 122.6 | 3.5                  | -.2       |
| Energy commodities .....                            | 89.8      | .0                   | 1.2       | 96.2          | -.2                  | 1.5       | 93.6  | -.5                  | 1.0      | 95.3  | -2.9                 | 2.9       |
| Services less energy .....                          | 152.1     | 5.9                  | .1        | 137.3         | 5.1                  | .5        | 135.6 | 5.8                  | .9       | 141.5 | 6.1                  | 1.1       |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |                      |           | 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— |           |          |
|                                                     |                           | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |              | June 1989            | May 1990 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 | May 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| All items .....                                     | 118.1                     | 4.8                  | 0.5       | 129.0        | 4.6                  | 0.4       | 127.5        | 4.1                  | 0.6      | 127.0        | 5.4                  | 1.1       |          |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 118.1                     | -                    | -         | 209.5        | -                    | -         | 205.0        | -                    | -        | 204.8        | -                    | -         |          |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 118.8                     | 5.6                  | .4        | 132.1        | 5.7                  | .7        | 130.2        | 5.2                  | .7       | 130.0        | 5.4                  | .5        |          |
| Food .....                                          | 118.9                     | 5.5                  | .3        | 132.5        | 5.7                  | .7        | 130.5        | 5.3                  | .7       | 130.3        | 5.4                  | .5        |          |
| Food at home .....                                  | 121.1                     | 6.1                  | .6        | 133.3        | 6.3                  | 1.0       | 129.4        | 5.5                  | .9       | 129.0        | 5.7                  | .6        |          |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 125.3                     | 6.5                  | .6        | 139.5        | 6.0                  | .3        | 137.2        | 5.1                  | .3       | 141.0        | 6.3                  | 1.5       |          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 119.5                     | 6.7                  | 1.7       | 131.5        | 8.0                  | 1.9       | 126.5        | 7.5                  | 2.0      | 125.2        | 6.6                  | .3        |          |
| Dairy products .....                                | 119.8                     | 10.6                 | .3        | 125.4        | 10.0                 | .2        | 121.8        | 8.6                  | .3       | 122.4        | 9.2                  | -.3       |          |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 132.8                     | 4.7                  | -.8       | 153.9        | 5.8                  | .6        | 144.5        | 4.0                  | .4       | 148.8        | 6.3                  | 1.4       |          |
| Other food at home .....                            | 113.5                     | 3.8                  | .4        | 123.4        | 3.0                  | .7        | 123.5        | 2.7                  | .3       | 118.6        | 1.9                  | .4        |          |
| Sugar and sweets .....                              | 113.6                     | 4.5                  | .0        | 126.4        | 4.8                  | .8        | 125.2        | 4.3                  | -.3      | 119.2        | 4.5                  | .6        |          |
| Fats and oils .....                                 | 119.0                     | 3.6                  | .3        | 124.6        | 2.7                  | .3        | 125.4        | 3.6                  | .2       | 118.2        | 1.6                  | 1.0       |          |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                        | 106.0                     | 2.4                  | .5        | 111.0        | 1.5                  | 1.0       | 113.1        | -.2                  | .2       | 108.4        | -.5                  | 1.0       |          |
| Other prepared food .....                           | 118.7                     | 4.9                  | .3        | 133.6        | 3.6                  | .6        | 131.1        | 4.4                  | .7       | 126.8        | 2.8                  | -.2       |          |
| Food away from home .....                           | 115.8                     | 4.8                  | .3        | 132.0        | 4.8                  | .2        | 133.6        | 5.1                  | .5       | 133.1        | 5.0                  | .2        |          |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 116.9                     | 4.9                  | .3        | 128.4        | 4.3                  | .3        | 126.9        | 3.6                  | .1       | 125.9        | 5.4                  | 1.0       |          |
| Housing .....                                       | 116.3                     | 4.6                  | .9        | 127.6        | 4.8                  | .6        | 123.7        | 2.9                  | .7       | 122.8        | 5.4                  | 2.1       |          |
| Shelter .....                                       | 119.2                     | 5.6                  | .5        | 138.7        | 6.0                  | 1.0       | 132.2        | 3.9                  | 1.1      | 133.2        | 6.9                  | 3.3       |          |
| Renters' costs <sup>3</sup> .....                   | 118.1                     | 5.4                  | .7        | 151.1        | 6.1                  | .7        | 133.3        | 1.1                  | .4       | 134.4        | 4.2                  | .6        |          |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 116.2                     | 4.8                  | .5        | 135.7        | 4.5                  | .5        | 127.6        | 2.6                  | .2       | 127.3        | 3.0                  | .3        |          |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 124.9                     | 7.3                  | 1.1       | 176.7        | 9.5                  | .9        | 137.6        | -2.5                 | 1.1      | 142.2        | 7.1                  | 1.2       |          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>3</sup> .....                | 119.8                     | 5.7                  | .4        | 141.9        | 6.0                  | 1.2       | 137.7        | 4.9                  | 1.3      | 138.8        | 8.0                  | 4.2       |          |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>3</sup> .....          | 120.0                     | 5.8                  | .4        | 142.0        | 6.0                  | 1.1       | 138.0        | 4.9                  | 1.3      | 138.5        | 8.1                  | 4.3       |          |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                       | 110.4                     | 2.1                  | -.8       | 122.0        | 4.5                  | .7        | 122.2        | 4.8                  | .3       | 117.9        | 2.6                  | .2        |          |
| Maintenance and repair services .....               | 110.9                     | 2.5                  | -.8       | 124.6        | 6.0                  | 1.9       | 129.9        | 6.0                  | .4       | 122.0        | 3.7                  | .4        |          |
| Maintenance and repair commodities .....            | 109.6                     | 1.6                  | .7        | 119.7        | 3.1                  | -.5       | 113.2        | 3.2                  | .1       | 113.7        | .5                   | -.4       |          |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 113.5                     | 2.7                  | 3.7       | 111.6        | 3.1                  | .5        | 116.0        | 2.1                  | .5       | 109.9        | 3.8                  | .7        |          |
| Fuels .....                                         | 117.3                     | 2.4                  | 5.9       | 100.7        | 2.0                  | .5        | 107.0        | 1.5                  | .8       | 98.4         | 1.9                  | 1.2       |          |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 122.2                     | 6.9                  | -2.9      | 81.5         | 4.1                  | -3.2      | 86.4         | 6.0                  | -4.3     | 78.1         | 3.4                  | -5.7      |          |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 122.8                     | 5.6                  | -4.0      | 83.2         | 5.4                  | -4.3      | 82.0         | 4.7                  | -5.3     | 71.8         | -1.0                 | -8.2      |          |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>2</sup> ..... | 119.7                     | 12.1                 | 2.0       | 105.0        | 2.0                  | -1.6      | 109.4        | 8.3                  | -2.6     | 110.1        | 8.9                  | -2.7      |          |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 116.9                     | 1.9                  | 6.9       | 107.5        | 1.8                  | .9        | 114.2        | 1.2                  | 1.4      | 107.1        | 1.8                  | 2.0       |          |
| Electricity .....                                   | 124.0                     | 2.4                  | 8.9       | 116.6        | 2.5                  | 1.4       | 122.4        | 1.5                  | 2.7      | 116.9        | 2.9                  | 3.0       |          |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 105.0                     | .9                   | 3.0       | 90.3         | -.1                  | -.3       | 101.1        | -.2                  | -2.2     | 90.5         | -1.3                 | -1.0      |          |
| Other utilities and public services .....           | 108.6                     | 3.2                  | .7        | 137.2        | 4.5                  | .6        | 135.9        | 3.0                  | .1       | 135.1        | 5.9                  | .1        |          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 107.2                     | 2.1                  | -.1       | 113.8        | 1.9                  | -.4       | 110.2        | .5                   | .2       | 112.9        | 2.5                  | .2        |          |
| Housefurnishings .....                              | 103.8                     | 1.7                  | -.5       | 108.2        | 1.4                  | -1.0      | 102.0        | -.8                  | .2       | 106.2        | 1.0                  | -.1       |          |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                         | 116.8                     | 3.7                  | .6        | 122.3        | 2.9                  | .3        | 125.9        | 3.9                  | .6       | 126.0        | 5.0                  | 1.1       |          |
| Housekeeping services .....                         | 109.0                     | 1.7                  | .3        | 121.8        | 2.4                  | .2        | 118.8        | 1.7                  | .3       | 118.3        | 4.5                  | .3        |          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 115.4                     | 5.2                  | -2.1      | 121.7        | 2.7                  | -1.9      | 125.1        | 4.1                  | -1.0     | 123.5        | 5.6                  | -.7       |          |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 115.2                     | 5.3                  | -2.4      | 119.0        | 2.3                  | -2.1      | 124.0        | 4.1                  | -1.1     | 122.6        | 5.8                  | -.8       |          |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 112.3                     | 3.7                  | -1.7      | 118.5        | .5                   | -2.1      | 124.4        | 6.0                  | -1.3     | 115.7        | 3.1                  | -.1       |          |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 112.8                     | 5.7                  | -3.8      | 123.8        | 4.1                  | -3.1      | 126.8        | 4.1                  | -1.6     | 127.5        | 7.4                  | -.9       |          |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....                | 116.2                     | 3.4                  | 1.3       | 116.7        | 6.2                  | .6        | 137.1        | .9                   | -.3      | 118.3        | 2.6                  | -3.4      |          |
| Footwear .....                                      | 115.8                     | 4.3                  | -1.2      | 112.1        | .1                   | -.5       | 117.8        | 1.1                  | -.5      | 116.5        | 2.1                  | -1.3      |          |
| Other apparel commodities .....                     | 133.7                     | 9.8                  | -1.0      | 111.6        | -.1                  | .6        | 121.6        | 5.3                  | .1       | 134.7        | 13.3                 | -.4       |          |
| Apparel services .....                              | 117.3                     | 4.7                  | .1        | 140.2        | 6.8                  | .3        | 134.3        | 4.7                  | .1       | 127.8        | 4.0                  | .0        |          |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                      | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |                      |           | 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— |           |          |
|                                                            |                           | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |              | June 1989            | May 1990 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 | May 1990 |
|                                                            | Expenditure category      |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| Transportation .....                                       | 116.6                     | 1.9                  | 0.5       | 117.7        | 1.7                  | 0.2       | 117.2        | 2.3                  | 0.5      | 117.3        | 2.0                  | 0.5       |          |
| Private transportation .....                               | 116.8                     | 1.2                  | .6        | 115.9        | 1.0                  | .2        | 116.0        | 1.9                  | .5       | 114.5        | 1.6                  | .4        |          |
| New vehicles .....                                         | 105.4                     | 1.2                  | -.4       | 120.4        | 1.3                  | -.5       | 121.6        | 2.2                  | -.2      | 121.0        | 1.6                  | -.7       |          |
| New cars .....                                             | 105.1                     | .9                   | -.4       | 119.4        | .8                   | -.3       | 122.2        | 1.9                  | -.1      | 119.8        | .2                   | -.8       |          |
| Used cars .....                                            | 108.8                     | -3.3                 | .6        | 119.6        | -2.6                 | .8        | 117.7        | -3.0                 | .6       | 118.9        | -3.1                 | .6        |          |
| Motor fuel .....                                           | 138.4                     | -1.3                 | 2.5       | 93.5         | -1.8                 | 1.5       | 94.2         | -1.6                 | 2.3      | 92.2         | -2.0                 | 2.6       |          |
| Gasoline .....                                             | 138.5                     | -1.5                 | 2.6       | 93.7         | -1.7                 | 1.8       | 94.6         | -1.7                 | 2.6      | 92.3         | -2.3                 | 2.8       |          |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                             | 150.5                     | .7                   | 2.6       | 101.5        | 1.6                  | 3.4       | 98.5         | -.7                  | 3.6      | 93.7         | -3.8                 | 3.2       |          |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                           | 137.9                     | -1.9                 | 2.8       | 91.0         | -2.6                 | 1.8       | 92.3         | -2.4                 | 2.6      | 89.6         | -2.5                 | 3.3       |          |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                           | 132.9                     | -.2                  | 2.2       | 97.4         | -.7                  | 1.6       | 98.9         | -.2                  | 2.7      | 96.0         | -1.1                 | 1.1       |          |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                              | 116.0                     | 4.3                  | .3        | 130.0        | 4.0                  | .0        | 126.8        | 4.4                  | .3       | 123.5        | 2.5                  | .0        |          |
| Other private transportation .....                         | 119.1                     | 2.8                  | .3        | 140.9        | 3.3                  | .0        | 141.8        | 5.8                  | .0       | 137.3        | 6.8                  | .3        |          |
| Other private transportation commodities .....             | 105.0                     | .0                   | .1        | 101.5        | -1.0                 | -.6       | 100.0        | -1.3                 | -.2      | 113.9        | 2.6                  | .5        |          |
| Other private transportation services .....                | 121.9                     | 3.4                  | .3        | 149.8        | 4.0                  | .1        | 152.9        | 7.4                  | .1       | 143.4        | 7.9                  | .2        |          |
| Public transportation .....                                | 115.5                     | 9.2                  | .4        | 150.4        | 11.4                 | .2        | 139.3        | 7.2                  | .5       | 169.1        | 8.6                  | .1        |          |
| Medical care .....                                         | 129.4                     | 8.9                  | .5        | 160.5        | 9.5                  | 1.0       | 160.1        | 8.7                  | .6       | 159.3        | 9.5                  | .7        |          |
| Medical care commodities .....                             | 132.1                     | 9.0                  | .9        | 164.3        | 6.9                  | .2        | 157.8        | 7.5                  | .3       | 159.7        | 7.5                  | .9        |          |
| Medical care services .....                                | 128.8                     | 8.9                  | .5        | 159.7        | 10.1                 | 1.1       | 160.7        | 9.0                  | .8       | 159.2        | 10.1                 | .6        |          |
| Professional medical services .....                        | 125.1                     | 6.3                  | .2        | 151.5        | 6.6                  | .8        | 158.1        | 6.8                  | .8       | 158.3        | 8.4                  | .3        |          |
| Entertainment .....                                        | 116.9                     | 4.5                  | .0        | 127.6        | 4.2                  | .5        | 136.3        | 4.8                  | .4       | 124.5        | 5.2                  | -.1       |          |
| Entertainment commodities .....                            | 114.1                     | 3.2                  | -.3       | 118.0        | 3.0                  | .0        | 126.8        | 3.8                  | .2       | 123.5        | 4.7                  | -.1       |          |
| Entertainment services .....                               | 119.2                     | 5.5                  | .3        | 141.2        | 5.4                  | .9        | 149.5        | 6.0                  | .7       | 126.3        | 6.1                  | .1        |          |
| Other goods and services .....                             | 127.1                     | 7.8                  | .6        | 157.7        | 7.1                  | .8        | 154.6        | 7.7                  | 1.4      | 155.1        | 9.9                  | .9        |          |
| Tobacco and smoking products .....                         | 143.4                     | 10.4                 | 1.8       | 176.9        | 9.1                  | 2.4       | 181.6        | 10.5                 | 3.5      | 180.7        | 10.7                 | 2.5       |          |
| Personal care .....                                        | 117.4                     | 6.1                  | .8        | 130.0        | 4.4                  | .4        | 128.4        | 5.0                  | .8       | 120.0        | 1.6                  | -.6       |          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                    | 125.3                     | 7.5                  | .1        | 171.2        | 7.3                  | .2        | 163.3        | 7.3                  | .4       | 167.5        | 12.6                 | .6        |          |
| Commodity and service group                                |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| All items .....                                            | 118.1                     | 4.8                  | .5        | 129.0        | 4.6                  | .4        | 127.5        | 4.1                  | .6       | 127.0        | 5.4                  | 1.1       |          |
| Commodities .....                                          | 116.7                     | 4.0                  | .1        | 120.6        | 3.3                  | .1        | 120.7        | 3.4                  | .4       | 120.6        | 3.7                  | .3        |          |
| Food and beverages .....                                   | 118.8                     | 5.6                  | .4        | 132.1        | 5.7                  | .7        | 130.2        | 5.2                  | .7       | 130.0        | 5.4                  | .5        |          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                  | 115.3                     | 2.9                  | -.2       | 114.0        | 1.9                  | -.3       | 115.3        | 2.4                  | .3       | 115.2        | 2.7                  | .2        |          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....                  | 122.8                     | 4.3                  | -.2       | 114.7        | 2.7                  | -.2       | 117.7        | 3.8                  | .4       | 116.4        | 4.2                  | .5        |          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                  | 115.2                     | 5.3                  | -2.4      | 119.0        | 2.3                  | -2.1      | 124.0        | 4.1                  | -1.1     | 122.6        | 5.8                  | -.8       |          |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....        | 127.6                     | 3.7                  | 1.2       | 115.2        | 2.8                  | .7        | 117.2        | 3.6                  | 1.1      | 115.6        | 3.5                  | 1.1       |          |
| Durables .....                                             | 105.2                     | .9                   | -.3       | 113.4        | 1.0                  | -.4       | 112.3        | .4                   | .1       | 113.9        | .7                   | -.3       |          |
| Services .....                                             | 119.2                     | 5.4                  | .8        | 138.4        | 5.8                  | .8        | 135.5        | 4.6                  | .8       | 134.7        | 7.0                  | 1.7       |          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....                         | 119.4                     | 5.7                  | .5        | 144.6        | 6.1                  | 1.0       | 136.9        | 3.9                  | 1.1      | 137.6        | 7.1                  | 3.3       |          |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> ..... | 112.1                     | 2.3                  | 3.0       | 122.0        | 3.0                  | .7        | 124.7        | 1.9                  | .6       | 121.2        | 3.8                  | .9        |          |
| Transportation services .....                              | 118.9                     | 4.9                  | .3        | 144.7        | 5.3                  | .1        | 143.1        | 6.7                  | .2       | 142.8        | 6.8                  | .1        |          |
| Medical care services .....                                | 128.8                     | 8.9                  | .5        | 159.7        | 10.1                 | 1.1       | 160.7        | 9.0                  | .8       | 159.2        | 10.1                 | .6        |          |
| Other services .....                                       | 121.8                     | 6.3                  | .2        | 149.7        | 6.2                  | .5        | 147.2        | 6.3                  | .6       | 141.5        | 9.6                  | .4        |          |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |                      |           | 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— |           |          |
|                                                     |                           | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |              | June 1989            | May 1990 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 | May 1990 |
| Special indexes                                     |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| All items less food .....                           | 117.9                     | 4.6                  | 0.4       | 128.4        | 4.5                  | 0.4       | 126.9        | 3.8                  | 0.6      | 126.3        | 5.4                  | 1.2       |          |
| All items less shelter .....                        | 117.6                     | 4.4                  | .4        | 126.5        | 4.2                  | .2        | 126.6        | 4.0                  | .5       | 125.8        | 5.0                  | .5        |          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>3</sup> ..... | 117.7                     | 4.5                  | .5        | 130.5        | 4.3                  | .2        | 129.1        | 3.9                  | .5       | 128.5        | 4.8                  | .4        |          |
| All items less medical care .....                   | 117.5                     | 4.5                  | .5        | 127.2        | 4.3                  | .5        | 125.5        | 3.7                  | .6       | 124.6        | 5.1                  | 1.1       |          |
| Commodities less food .....                         | 115.4                     | 3.0                  | -.2       | 114.5        | 2.0                  | -.3       | 115.6        | 2.4                  | .3       | 115.5        | 2.8                  | .3        |          |
| Nondurables less food .....                         | 122.2                     | 4.4                  | -.1       | 115.2        | 2.8                  | -.2       | 117.9        | 3.8                  | .4       | 116.7        | 4.2                  | .5        |          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel .....             | 125.9                     | 3.9                  | 1.0       | 115.5        | 2.9                  | .6        | 117.2        | 3.5                  | 1.0      | 115.9        | 3.6                  | 1.1       |          |
| Nondurables .....                                   | 120.6                     | 5.0                  | .2        | 123.3        | 4.1                  | .2        | 123.8        | 4.5                  | .5       | 123.3        | 4.8                  | .6        |          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....    | 119.0                     | 5.1                  | 1.2       | 141.6        | 5.6                  | .6        | 141.7        | 5.3                  | .6       | 139.6        | 6.9                  | .6        |          |
| Services less medical care .....                    | 118.4                     | 5.1                  | .9        | 136.2        | 5.4                  | .8        | 132.7        | 4.2                  | .8       | 131.5        | 6.6                  | 1.9       |          |
| Energy .....                                        | 125.9                     | .7                   | 4.4       | 95.8         | .2                   | .8        | 99.9         | .2                   | 1.4      | 94.3         | .2                   | 1.8       |          |
| All items less energy .....                         | 117.5                     | 5.1                  | .2        | 133.8        | 5.1                  | .5        | 131.6        | 4.4                  | .5       | 131.7        | 5.9                  | 1.0       |          |
| All items less food and energy .....                | 117.2                     | 4.9                  | .1        | 134.2        | 4.8                  | .3        | 132.1        | 4.3                  | .5       | 132.3        | 6.0                  | 1.1       |          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....              | 112.8                     | 3.6                  | -.4       | 121.9        | 2.5                  | -.5       | 122.8        | 2.8                  | .1       | 123.6        | 3.5                  | .0        |          |
| Energy commodities .....                            | 136.6                     | -.6                  | 1.9       | 91.9         | -1.2                 | .9        | 93.5         | -.6                  | 1.4      | 90.7         | -1.5                 | 1.6       |          |
| Services less energy .....                          | 119.4                     | 5.7                  | .4        | 141.7        | 6.1                  | .8        | 137.9        | 4.9                  | .7       | 137.9        | 7.5                  | 1.8       |          |

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on table 11 for information about population size classes.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

- Data not available.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast    |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                     | Size class A |                      |          | Size class B |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                     | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 135.4        | 4.9                  | 0.0      | 134.4        | 5.8                  | 0.6      | 133.4        | 4.5                  | 0.7      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 209.2        | -                    | -        | 216.1        | -                    | -        | 221.4        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 136.1        | 4.8                  | .3       | 137.9        | 6.7                  | 1.2      | 131.6        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Food .....                                          | 136.1        | 4.8                  | .3       | 137.8        | 6.5                  | 1.2      | 132.1        | 4.8                  | .5       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 135.8        | 5.5                  | .4       | 138.0        | 8.2                  | 1.8      | 129.9        | 5.4                  | .7       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 142.2        | 6.1                  | .5       | 142.8        | 6.6                  | .2       | 145.3        | 6.0                  | .4       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 135.4        | 5.5                  | .8       | 135.4        | 8.7                  | 2.8      | 124.8        | 6.0                  | 2.8      |
| Dairy products .....                                | 124.5        | 9.5                  | .2       | 127.9        | 11.3                 | -.3      | 114.8        | 6.9                  | .0       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 151.8        | 5.1                  | -.1      | 156.4        | 9.7                  | 3.3      | 148.3        | 6.8                  | -.1      |
| Other food at home .....                            | 126.2        | 3.2                  | .1       | 132.4        | 5.8                  | 1.5      | 123.7        | 2.1                  | -.7      |
| Food away from home .....                           | 138.5        | 3.6                  | .1       | 139.1        | 3.7                  | .0       | 137.5        | 4.1                  | .4       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 136.6        | 4.7                  | .1       | 141.2        | 8.6                  | 1.0      | 126.5        | 2.8                  | .7       |
| Housing .....                                       | 136.6        | 4.9                  | .1       | 137.7        | 5.6                  | .5       | 135.1        | 3.8                  | .7       |
| Shelter .....                                       | 154.0        | 5.8                  | -.4      | 160.4        | 6.4                  | .7       | 156.5        | 5.0                  | 1.4      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 154.8        | 5.2                  | -.2      | 168.0        | 6.2                  | -.1      | 143.0        | 1.4                  | -1.0     |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 149.3        | 5.6                  | .1       | 154.4        | 5.7                  | .4       | 147.5        | .4                   | -1.0     |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 151.4        | 4.3                  | -1.0     | 172.6        | 7.0                  | -1.1     | 111.6        | 5.0                  | -1.1     |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 160.4        | 6.2                  | -.5      | 169.4        | 6.6                  | 1.0      | 170.4        | 5.9                  | 1.9      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 161.0        | 6.2                  | -.5      | 170.5        | 6.7                  | 1.1      | 171.4        | 6.0                  | 2.0      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 106.4        | 3.3                  | 2.3      | 103.7        | 4.0                  | .0       | 103.7        | 2.3                  | -1.0     |
| Fuels .....                                         | 103.4        | 4.6                  | 3.4      | 93.9         | 3.4                  | -.5      | 91.1         | 1.8                  | -1.7     |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 86.7         | 6.8                  | -3.0     | 80.8         | 4.3                  | -4.5     | 79.4         | 3.7                  | -5.1     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 84.6         | 5.6                  | -4.3     | 80.0         | 3.5                  | -5.1     | 78.7         | 4.7                  | -5.4     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 126.8        | 17.5                 | 8.2      | 110.6        | 7.3                  | -2.0     | 100.4        | .3                   | -4.6     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 114.1        | 4.0                  | 4.9      | 109.1        | 3.1                  | .9       | 103.9        | 1.0                  | .3       |
| Electricity .....                                   | 123.8        | 3.3                  | 8.5      | 118.7        | 4.7                  | 1.7      | 110.8        | 1.8                  | .1       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 100.3        | 5.5                  | -1.1     | 89.9         | -1.1                 | -1.3     | 88.8         | -2.1                 | 1.0      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 113.5        | 1.8                  | .4       | 116.3        | 3.7                  | .1       | 108.9        | -.3                  | -.6      |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 116.7        | 5.4                  | -3.6     | 118.2        | 4.6                  | -1.2     | 129.1        | 4.6                  | -.7      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 112.7        | 5.2                  | -4.1     | 116.0        | 4.5                  | -1.3     | 127.5        | 4.3                  | -.7      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 110.3        | 1.5                  | -2.4     | 114.2        | .9                   | -4.5     | 129.5        | 8.2                  | -1.5     |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 107.9        | 7.1                  | -7.5     | 120.8        | 7.9                  | -.6      | 131.9        | 5.8                  | -.4      |
| Footwear .....                                      | 117.0        | 2.2                  | -1.2     | 109.2        | 3.6                  | .9       | 116.8        | -1.5                 | -1.4     |
| Transportation .....                                | 119.6        | 2.0                  | .6       | 116.7        | 2.5                  | .4       | 117.6        | 1.8                  | .9       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 116.1        | .9                   | .6       | 115.0        | 1.9                  | .4       | 115.5        | 1.4                  | 1.0      |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 92.3         | -1.6                 | 3.7      | 91.2         | -2.7                 | 2.7      | 91.4         | -3.1                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 92.2         | -1.7                 | 3.8      | 91.3         | -2.6                 | 3.2      | 91.4         | -3.5                 | 3.4      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | NA           | -                    | -        | 109.7        | 4.9                  | 5.9      | 95.5         | -2.9                 | 2.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 89.3         | -2.4                 | 4.2      | 88.1         | -3.6                 | 3.3      | 89.5         | -4.6                 | 3.6      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 95.5         | -.6                  | 3.7      | 96.4         | -1.0                 | 2.6      | 95.7         | -1.7                 | 2.8      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 139.4        | 9.9                  | .3       | 148.7        | 11.1                 | -.1      | 145.4        | 7.1                  | .8       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 170.1        | 9.5                  | .5       | 167.7        | 11.6                 | .7       | 163.0        | 9.1                  | .6       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 136.3        | 5.5                  | -.6      | 124.8        | 4.5                  | .6       | 144.7        | 8.0                  | .2       |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 163.6        | 8.0                  | .7       | 165.8        | 9.4                  | 1.0      | 160.5        | 8.9                  | 1.1      |
| Personal care .....                                 | 142.7        | 6.4                  | .8       | 133.3        | 7.1                  | .0       | 128.8        | 7.7                  | -.2      |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Northeast    |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                  | Size class A |                      |          | Size class B |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 135.4        | 4.9                  | 0.0      | 134.4        | 5.8                  | 0.6      | 133.4        | 4.5                  | 0.7      |
| Commodities .....                                | 122.6        | 3.9                  | -.2      | 121.3        | 4.6                  | .5       | 120.2        | 3.4                  | .3       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 136.1        | 4.8                  | .3       | 137.9        | 6.7                  | 1.2      | 131.6        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 112.9        | 3.3                  | -.5      | 111.6        | 3.0                  | .1       | 113.5        | 2.5                  | .1       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 114.0        | 4.8                  | -.7      | 110.6        | 4.4                  | .1       | 116.4        | 3.9                  | .2       |
| Durables .....                                   | 111.8        | .9                   | -.2      | 112.1        | .9                   | .0       | 109.2        | .3                   | -.2      |
| Services .....                                   | 148.0        | 5.7                  | .2       | 150.2        | 6.8                  | .6       | 149.0        | 5.4                  | .9       |
| Medical care services .....                      | 171.3        | 9.5                  | .4       | 167.6        | 11.6                 | .8       | 163.6        | 9.4                  | .6       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 129.3        | 4.5                  | .2       | 127.1        | 5.6                  | .6       | 126.7        | 4.2                  | .2       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 133.6        | 4.6                  | .0       | 132.6        | 5.4                  | .5       | 131.8        | 4.2                  | .6       |
| All items less energy .....                      | 140.1        | 5.1                  | -.2      | 141.3        | 6.2                  | .6       | 139.6        | 4.9                  | .6       |
| Energy .....                                     | 98.8         | 2.3                  | 3.5      | 92.7         | .9                   | .8       | 90.2         | -.1                  | .0       |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 113.9        | 3.4                  | -.5      | 112.7        | 3.4                  | .1       | 113.9        | 2.5                  | .1       |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 115.3        | 4.7                  | -.7      | 112.1        | 4.9                  | .2       | 116.6        | 3.8                  | .3       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.8        | 4.7                  | -.2      | 123.8        | 5.7                  | .7       | 123.8        | 4.4                  | .4       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 147.4        | 5.4                  | .8       | 145.5        | 7.1                  | .5       | 145.3        | 5.8                  | .3       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 145.9        | 5.3                  | .1       | 148.5        | 6.4                  | .6       | 147.7        | 5.0                  | .9       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                     |               |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|                                                     | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |               |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 128.6         | 4.6                  | 0.9      | 125.6        | 3.9                  | 0.2      | 126.5        | 3.6                  | 0.5      | 122.3        | 4.2                  | 0.7      |
| All items (December 1977=100) .....                 | 212.3         | -                    | -        | 203.0        | -                    | -        | 201.3        | -                    | -        | 196.1        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 129.7         | 6.1                  | .7       | 127.9        | 5.7                  | .6       | 129.0        | 5.8                  | .6       | 129.1        | 6.1                  | .5       |
| Food .....                                          | 130.0         | 6.4                  | .7       | 128.6        | 5.9                  | .8       | 129.1        | 6.1                  | .8       | 129.3        | 6.1                  | .4       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 131.6         | 6.9                  | 1.0      | 129.1        | 6.3                  | 1.0      | 128.3        | 6.0                  | .7       | 129.4        | 7.0                  | .5       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 139.6         | 6.7                  | .6       | 141.8        | 6.2                  | .4       | 136.9        | 5.5                  | -.9      | 141.1        | 5.9                  | 2.7      |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 131.9         | 8.5                  | 2.2      | 124.3        | 8.1                  | 2.4      | 125.9        | 8.0                  | 1.2      | 132.1        | 9.3                  | .5       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 127.9         | 11.6                 | .4       | 125.1        | 11.3                 | .9       | 122.2        | 9.8                  | .4       | 125.4        | 12.1                 | .6       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 140.7         | 4.3                  | -.3      | 142.0        | 5.6                  | -.3      | 143.0        | 4.7                  | 2.0      | 139.1        | 5.4                  | -1.3     |
| Other food at home .....                            | 123.5         | 4.7                  | .9       | 123.2        | 2.7                  | .8       | 121.8        | 3.4                  | .3       | 116.7        | 3.5                  | .5       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 127.8         | 5.4                  | .3       | 127.9        | 5.4                  | .4       | 131.0        | 6.2                  | .8       | 128.8        | 4.2                  | -.1      |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 126.8         | 3.3                  | .2       | 119.1        | 3.1                  | -.3      | 128.9        | 3.4                  | .0       | 125.7        | 5.5                  | 1.6      |
| Housing .....                                       | 127.3         | 3.9                  | 2.2      | 123.0        | 3.6                  | .6       | 125.1        | 1.8                  | .4       | 114.1        | 3.8                  | 1.1      |
| Shelter .....                                       | 138.2         | 4.9                  | .5       | 139.0        | 5.5                  | 1.0      | 133.4        | 2.1                  | 1.0      | 117.1        | 4.0                  | .7       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 143.5         | 4.0                  | .8       | 147.4        | 7.2                  | 1.6      | 138.8        | -2.9                 | .9       | 119.7        | 4.1                  | .9       |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 136.1         | 3.7                  | .1       | 134.4        | 3.5                  | .8       | 126.4        | 1.9                  | .2       | 114.8        | 3.1                  | .4       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 146.8         | 4.9                  | 2.4      | 162.4        | 11.8                 | 2.4      | 159.1        | -10.8                | 2.2      | 122.9        | 7.2                  | 2.4      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 140.7         | 5.2                  | .4       | 140.3        | 5.0                  | .9       | 135.8        | 4.0                  | 1.0      | 121.6        | 3.8                  | .6       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 140.8         | 5.3                  | .4       | 140.9        | 5.1                  | .9       | 136.1        | 4.1                  | 1.2      | 121.3        | 3.9                  | .6       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 114.2         | 2.1                  | 11.0     | 102.5        | 1.3                  | .2       | 115.1        | .6                   | -.9      | 111.1        | 4.2                  | 2.4      |
| Fuels .....                                         | 109.4         | .6                   | 19.6     | 91.4         | -.5                  | .1       | 103.7        | -1.2                 | -1.7     | 96.0         | 1.1                  | 4.2      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 88.0          | 7.1                  | -1.7     | 77.8         | 4.0                  | -1.0     | 82.5         | 10.7                 | -2.5     | 69.3         | -.3                  | -4.0     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 86.2          | 6.3                  | -2.3     | 83.9         | 9.0                  | -2.1     | 77.9         | 4.0                  | -4.7     | 68.0         | -9.0                 | -5.7     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 112.0         | 8.1                  | -1.0     | 101.0        | -.3                  | .0       | 110.1        | 19.7                 | .1       | 100.7        | 10.4                 | -2.2     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 112.8         | .3                   | 20.5     | 96.8         | -.7                  | .2       | 112.3        | -1.8                 | -1.6     | 104.5        | 1.2                  | 4.7      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 139.9         | 2.0                  | 25.7     | 113.0        | .7                   | .4       | 125.8        | -1.6                 | -.3      | 117.0        | 2.5                  | 8.3      |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 87.9          | -2.2                 | 13.4     | 82.0         | -2.8                 | .0       | 97.6         | -2.3                 | -3.8     | 92.3         | -.6                  | -.3      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 111.9         | 2.1                  | .0       | 107.8        | -.3                  | -1.0     | 116.1        | 2.2                  | .0       | 113.0        | 2.8                  | .4       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 122.9         | 5.7                  | -3.2     | 124.1        | -.7                  | -2.6     | 115.9        | 4.1                  | -1.8     | 125.8        | 5.5                  | -.8      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 122.2         | 5.9                  | -3.4     | 123.0        | -1.3                 | -2.9     | 113.6        | 4.0                  | -1.9     | 125.8        | 5.9                  | -.8      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 123.6         | 4.7                  | -2.4     | 116.3        | -1.4                 | -2.6     | 115.8        | 3.9                  | -2.1     | 110.3        | 2.7                  | .5       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 115.8         | 4.3                  | -5.3     | 133.4        | -.7                  | -4.4     | 114.9        | 5.9                  | -3.0     | 134.4        | 8.6                  | -2.0     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 125.5         | 16.0                 | -2.1     | 109.3        | -3.0                 | .2       | 111.3        | -.4                  | .7       | 136.7        | 8.1                  | .1       |
| Transportation .....                                | 117.5         | 1.9                  | .6       | 118.7        | 2.5                  | -.2      | 114.4        | 1.4                  | .4       | 115.0        | -.2                  | .8       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 116.7         | 1.2                  | .4       | 117.1        | 2.2                  | -.1      | 113.4        | 1.2                  | .4       | 110.4        | -1.1                 | .8       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 98.3          | .0                   | 1.8      | 99.2         | .5                   | .7       | 94.9         | -.9                  | 1.5      | 92.2         | -3.5                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 98.4          | -.2                  | 1.9      | 99.5         | .2                   | 1.0      | 95.0         | -.9                  | 1.6      | 92.0         | -4.1                 | 3.7      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | 108.3         | 4.0                  | 1.7      | 111.7        | 7.0                  | 2.9      | 98.7         | -.1                  | 2.2      | 92.8         | -5.0                 | 5.0      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 96.2          | -.4                  | 2.2      | 96.4         | -.4                  | .8       | 93.3         | -1.5                 | 1.2      | 89.6         | -4.0                 | 3.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 103.3         | .8                   | 1.0      | 105.7        | .9                   | 1.4      | 100.1        | -.3                  | 2.2      | 96.6         | -3.3                 | 1.3      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 127.5         | 8.7                  | 1.0      | 161.8        | 9.1                  | .1       | 136.2        | 5.7                  | .4       | 223.6        | 12.3                 | .1       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 158.7         | 9.0                  | .5       | 152.8        | 7.8                  | .3       | 157.9        | 9.7                  | 1.3      | 154.2        | 8.7                  | .7       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 132.3         | 4.7                  | .0       | 124.0        | 2.6                  | .2       | 134.9        | 4.7                  | .5       | 125.5        | 4.2                  | -.3      |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 155.0         | 6.7                  | .3       | 154.0        | 8.5                  | 1.0      | 153.8        | 7.7                  | 1.7      | 150.6        | 9.1                  | 1.3      |
| Personal care .....                                 | 121.4         | 2.4                  | .3       | 131.3        | 4.2                  | .7       | 126.5        | 3.7                  | .7       | 115.5        | .8                   | .1       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |           |
|                                                  |               | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |              | June 1989            | May 1990 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 |
| Commodity and service group                      |               |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |
| All items .....                                  | 128.6         | 4.6                  | 0.9       | 125.6        | 3.9                  | 0.2       | 126.5        | 3.6                  | 0.5      | 122.3        | 4.2                  | 0.7       |
| Commodities .....                                | 122.1         | 4.2                  | .0        | 118.6        | 2.6                  | -.3       | 119.5        | 3.7                  | .4       | 120.6        | 3.5                  | .5        |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 129.7         | 6.1                  | .7        | 127.9        | 5.7                  | .6        | 129.0        | 5.8                  | .6       | 129.1        | 6.1                  | .5        |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 117.3         | 3.0                  | -.4       | 113.8        | 1.1                  | -.7       | 114.2        | 2.3                  | .3       | 115.7        | 2.1                  | .5        |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 120.1         | 4.5                  | -.7       | 116.7        | 1.7                  | -.4       | 115.1        | 3.4                  | .3       | 118.5        | 4.4                  | 1.0       |
| Durables .....                                   | 111.9         | .4                   | -.2       | 111.2        | .2                   | -1.1      | 112.2        | .5                   | .0       | 112.0        | -.5                  | .0        |
| Services .....                                   | 135.8         | 4.9                  | 1.9       | 134.2        | 4.9                  | .6        | 134.8        | 3.4                  | .5       | 125.1        | 4.8                  | .9        |
| Medical care services .....                      | 157.1         | 9.2                  | .6        | 149.0        | 8.1                  | .1        | 158.9        | 11.2                 | 1.3      | 154.0        | 8.8                  | .3        |
| Special indexes                                  |               |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 126.1         | 4.5                  | 1.2       | 122.4        | 3.3                  | -.1       | 124.7        | 4.1                  | .3       | 124.3        | 4.3                  | .7        |
| All items less medical care .....                | 126.9         | 4.3                  | 1.0       | 124.1        | 3.7                  | .2        | 124.8        | 3.2                  | .4       | 120.0        | 3.7                  | .7        |
| All items less energy .....                      | 132.3         | 4.9                  | .2        | 131.1        | 4.3                  | .2        | 131.0        | 4.1                  | .5       | 126.4        | 4.7                  | .4        |
| Energy .....                                     | 104.2         | .3                   | 10.5      | 92.8         | .0                   | .4        | 98.7         | -1.1                 | -.3      | 93.1         | -1.0                 | 3.8       |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 117.5         | 2.9                  | -.4       | 113.9        | 1.2                  | -.7       | 114.6        | 2.3                  | .2       | 116.1        | 2.3                  | .6        |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 120.2         | 4.4                  | -.6       | 116.7        | 1.9                  | -.4       | 115.7        | 3.5                  | .3       | 118.9        | 4.4                  | 1.0       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.2         | 5.4                  | .1        | 122.1        | 3.7                  | .1        | 121.7        | 4.7                  | .5       | 124.3        | 5.2                  | .7        |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 138.2         | 4.9                  | 3.1       | 132.4        | 4.5                  | .2        | 139.3        | 4.6                  | .1       | 135.1        | 5.5                  | 1.0       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 133.7         | 4.5                  | 1.9       | 132.9        | 4.7                  | .7        | 132.5        | 2.6                  | .4       | 121.3        | 4.2                  | .9        |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 127.8        | 4.4                  | 0.6      | 128.2        | 4.2                  | 0.2      | 125.3        | 4.1                  | 0.6      | 128.2        | 6.5                  | 1.9      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 206.3        | -                    | -        | 209.3        | -                    | -        | 202.8        | -                    | -        | 208.1        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 131.3        | 5.9                  | .5       | 131.0        | 5.2                  | .6       | 130.0        | 4.9                  | .8       | 127.5        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Food .....                                          | 132.3        | 6.2                  | .6       | 131.5        | 5.4                  | .6       | 130.6        | 5.1                  | .8       | 127.9        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 131.3        | 6.6                  | .8       | 130.6        | 5.0                  | 1.0      | 129.5        | 5.2                  | 1.1      | 125.0        | 4.1                  | .6       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 139.2        | 6.7                  | .6       | 133.8        | 4.8                  | .5       | 134.4        | 3.9                  | 1.1      | 139.8        | 6.6                  | .6       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 126.7        | 6.6                  | 1.9      | 128.5        | 7.3                  | 1.8      | 126.0        | 8.1                  | 1.9      | 122.9        | 5.9                  | .0       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 132.8        | 12.4                 | .2       | 125.6        | 8.3                  | .2       | 126.5        | 8.4                  | .6       | 117.6        | 6.5                  | -.8      |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 144.8        | 5.7                  | 1.3      | 153.5        | 3.0                  | 1.0      | 139.8        | 1.8                  | .5       | 139.3        | 1.7                  | 1.9      |
| Other food at home .....                            | 124.2        | 4.4                  | -.2      | 120.0        | 2.1                  | .5       | 126.5        | 3.2                  | .6       | 115.2        | .6                   | .8       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 134.9        | 5.6                  | .1       | 134.2        | 6.0                  | .2       | 134.2        | 4.8                  | .4       | 135.4        | 6.0                  | .6       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 122.6        | 3.4                  | -.1      | 126.1        | 3.3                  | .1       | 123.6        | 3.2                  | -.2      | 120.9        | 5.9                  | 1.0      |
| Housing .....                                       | 122.1        | 3.6                  | .8       | 124.7        | 4.1                  | .2       | 117.6        | 2.7                  | .9       | 125.9        | 8.0                  | 4.2      |
| Shelter .....                                       | 127.9        | 4.7                  | 1.0      | 128.3        | 4.6                  | -.2      | 119.4        | 3.3                  | .5       | 138.4        | 10.9                 | 7.2      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 133.6        | 5.0                  | 1.2      | 146.7        | 5.0                  | -.1      | 124.2        | 1.6                  | .1       | 139.9        | 5.1                  | .5       |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 128.7        | 4.0                  | 1.5      | 124.5        | 2.6                  | -.5      | 118.8        | 2.2                  | .0       | 126.5        | 2.3                  | .6       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 142.0        | 8.6                  | .4       | 199.1        | 9.7                  | .6       | 137.3        | .4                   | .4       | 156.6        | 10.0                 | .5       |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 130.1        | 4.5                  | .9       | 128.5        | 4.4                  | -.3      | 120.7        | 3.7                  | .5       | 141.2        | 12.8                 | 9.3      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 130.0        | 4.6                  | .9       | 128.1        | 4.4                  | -.4      | 120.3        | 3.8                  | .6       | 140.2        | 13.1                 | 9.6      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 110.1        | 2.0                  | 1.6      | 122.4        | 3.9                  | 1.2      | 124.2        | 3.5                  | 2.5      | 111.3        | 4.2                  | .3       |
| Fuels .....                                         | 103.3        | -.4                  | 1.1      | 110.2        | 2.3                  | 1.4      | 119.5        | 3.9                  | 4.3      | 100.0        | 1.5                  | .4       |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 86.4         | 6.9                  | -2.6     | 90.1         | 7.1                  | -2.2     | 98.4         | 10.9                 | -3.7     | 86.1         | 3.0                  | -4.7     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 83.4         | 5.3                  | -3.0     | 88.2         | 9.4                  | -3.1     | 79.8         | 6.7                  | -6.9     | 74.3         | -.4                  | -5.1     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 116.5        | 10.0                 | -1.9     | 110.2        | 5.5                  | -1.4     | 119.3        | 12.3                 | -2.6     | 110.7        | 5.9                  | -4.4     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 107.0        | -.6                  | 1.3      | 111.7        | 1.9                  | 1.8      | 121.9        | 3.6                  | 4.8      | 104.5        | 1.5                  | 1.0      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 108.3        | -1.0                 | 2.8      | 114.9        | 1.5                  | 2.1      | 126.0        | 3.4                  | 5.8      | 109.2        | 2.2                  | 1.4      |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 99.8         | .2                   | -3.0     | 98.6         | 4.3                  | -.1      | 113.3        | 4.6                  | .3       | 85.2         | -4.8                 | -2.9     |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 117.0        | 1.6                  | -.3      | 117.3        | 2.5                  | .2       | 106.6        | -.5                  | .0       | 112.6        | 3.6                  | -.2      |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 137.0        | 4.7                  | .0       | 126.2        | 4.5                  | -1.7     | 132.0        | 5.6                  | -.6      | 127.0        | 5.7                  | -.7      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 134.0        | 4.5                  | .0       | 123.0        | 4.1                  | -1.8     | 132.0        | 5.8                  | -.8      | 125.9        | 5.9                  | -.7      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 133.0        | 4.7                  | -1.6     | 120.9        | -.1                  | -1.5     | 125.8        | 5.7                  | -.9      | 121.4        | 4.3                  | .8       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 136.3        | 2.9                  | .5       | 130.8        | 7.8                  | -2.8     | 142.4        | 7.2                  | -1.0     | 133.4        | 5.1                  | -1.1     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 122.6        | .2                   | -1.9     | 119.0        | 1.2                  | .0       | 124.1        | 2.9                  | -.6      | 96.7         | -.3                  | .5       |
| Transportation .....                                | 116.7        | 2.1                  | .3       | 118.3        | 1.2                  | .2       | 116.9        | 2.9                  | .2       | 116.6        | 3.7                  | .3       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 116.5        | 1.7                  | .3       | 116.7        | .6                   | .2       | 116.0        | 2.7                  | .2       | 114.9        | 3.4                  | .3       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 95.4         | -.1                  | 1.6      | 93.3         | -1.7                 | .9       | 95.0         | -1.6                 | 1.5      | 87.5         | -1.5                 | 1.9      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 95.2         | -.4                  | 1.7      | 93.7         | -1.5                 | 1.3      | 96.0         | -1.5                 | 2.2      | 87.6         | -1.7                 | 2.0      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | NA           | -                    | -        | 97.6         | -1.0                 | 2.6      | 100.7        | -.4                  | 4.0      | 88.3         | -4.3                 | 1.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 92.6         | -1.3                 | 1.8      | 90.9         | -2.6                 | 1.3      | 92.6         | -2.7                 | 2.3      | 83.9         | -1.9                 | 2.7      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 98.1         | .8                   | 1.4      | 96.9         | -.3                  | .9       | 100.2        | .2                   | 1.8      | 93.1         | -1.4                 | 1.0      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 121.2        | 6.1                  | .2       | 149.0        | 11.1                 | -.1      | 136.9        | 7.9                  | .7       | 154.1        | 8.4                  | .0       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 162.8        | 8.2                  | .9       | 158.0        | 8.6                  | .1       | 159.5        | 8.4                  | .4       | 160.0        | 10.0                 | .7       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 135.1        | 4.2                  | .2       | 125.0        | 3.6                  | -.2      | 130.2        | 3.7                  | .6       | 124.9        | 5.3                  | .1       |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 155.0        | 8.8                  | .7       | 160.5        | 6.7                  | .8       | 151.6        | 7.1                  | 1.5      | 151.7        | 5.2                  | .9       |
| Personal care .....                                 | 130.2        | 7.3                  | .9       | 129.2        | 3.3                  | .4       | 128.0        | 4.7                  | 1.5      | 114.9        | -.9                  | -.7      |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
|                                                  |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 127.8        | 4.4                  | 0.6      | 128.2        | 4.2                  | 0.2      | 125.3        | 4.1                  | 0.6      | 128.2        | 6.5                  | 1.9      |
| Commodities .....                                | 123.0        | 3.9                  | .3       | 121.7        | 3.1                  | .1       | 121.9        | 3.5                  | .3       | 120.0        | 3.5                  | .3       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.3        | 5.9                  | .5       | 131.0        | 5.2                  | .6       | 130.0        | 4.9                  | .8       | 127.5        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 118.0        | 2.6                  | .2       | 116.2        | 1.9                  | -.3      | 117.1        | 2.6                  | .1       | 115.8        | 2.9                  | .2       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 119.2        | 3.8                  | .6       | 117.2        | 2.8                  | -.3      | 120.5        | 4.3                  | .2       | 116.4        | 3.7                  | .3       |
| Durables .....                                   | 117.1        | 1.1                  | -.3      | 114.4        | .6                   | -.2      | 113.2        | .3                   | -.2      | 115.2        | 1.9                  | -.1      |
| Services .....                                   | 133.1        | 5.0                  | .9       | 135.2        | 5.1                  | .1       | 129.6        | 4.7                  | .9       | 137.5        | 9.0                  | 3.4      |
| Medical care services .....                      | 162.1        | 8.1                  | .7       | 157.2        | 9.4                  | .1       | 159.5        | 8.1                  | .6       | 160.5        | 10.9                 | .8       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 128.1        | 4.4                  | .5       | 128.5        | 4.1                  | .2       | 127.4        | 4.3                  | .6       | 125.7        | 5.1                  | .3       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 125.8        | 4.1                  | .6       | 126.2        | 3.9                  | .1       | 122.8        | 3.7                  | .6       | 125.4        | 6.1                  | 2.0      |
| All items less energy .....                      | 132.3        | 4.8                  | .5       | 131.9        | 4.5                  | .0       | 128.4        | 4.3                  | .4       | 133.4        | 7.1                  | 2.1      |
| Energy .....                                     | 98.1         | -.3                  | 1.3      | 98.9         | .5                   | 1.1      | 106.0        | 1.5                  | 3.1      | 92.0         | .3                   | 1.1      |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 118.1        | 2.7                  | .2       | 116.4        | 1.9                  | -.3      | 117.2        | 2.6                  | .1       | 115.9        | 3.0                  | .2       |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 119.0        | 3.8                  | .6       | 117.4        | 2.9                  | -.3      | 120.3        | 4.2                  | .3       | 116.4        | 3.8                  | .3       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.3        | 4.9                  | .6       | 124.3        | 4.0                  | .2       | 125.3        | 4.6                  | .6       | 121.9        | 4.2                  | .4       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 142.4        | 5.2                  | .7       | 144.2        | 5.7                  | .5       | 140.1        | 5.7                  | 1.1      | 140.5        | 7.3                  | .3       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 130.3        | 4.7                  | .9       | 132.7        | 4.7                  | .1       | 125.7        | 4.1                  | .9       | 133.6        | 8.6                  | 3.7      |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                            | West         |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                                  | Size class A |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                                      |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                                  | 132.6        | 5.0                  | 0.5      | 127.7        | 4.3                  | 1.0      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....                            | 216.2        | -                    | -        | 198.1        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                                         | 131.3        | 5.6                  | .2       | 130.7        | 5.2                  | .4       |
| Food .....                                                       | 131.1        | 5.4                  | .2       | 131.0        | 5.1                  | .5       |
| Food at home .....                                               | 130.3        | 5.6                  | .0       | 130.2        | 5.3                  | .6       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                                | 142.3        | 6.5                  | .6       | 134.2        | 6.0                  | .3       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                             | 128.1        | 6.8                  | 2.2      | 131.5        | 6.5                  | 2.7      |
| Dairy products .....                                             | 124.9        | 9.9                  | -.1      | 118.5        | 8.9                  | -.6      |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                      | 142.8        | 3.9                  | -3.6     | 154.1        | 5.4                  | -1.8     |
| Other food at home .....                                         | 121.3        | 3.2                  | .3       | 118.5        | 1.4                  | .9       |
| Food away from home .....                                        | 132.7        | 5.1                  | .4       | 132.7        | 5.2                  | .2       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                                        | 133.6        | 7.7                  | 1.0      | 130.0        | 5.8                  | .2       |
| Housing .....                                                    | 135.1        | 5.2                  | .7       | 121.9        | 4.7                  | 1.7      |
| Shelter .....                                                    | 144.9        | 6.2                  | 1.0      | 128.8        | 6.5                  | 2.1      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                | 154.5        | 6.3                  | 1.1      | 131.0        | 5.5                  | 1.9      |
| Rent, residential .....                                          | 147.2        | 4.8                  | .6       | 123.0        | 6.4                  | 1.6      |
| Other renters' costs .....                                       | 147.0        | 12.6                 | 3.2      | 134.8        | 2.4                  | 3.1      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                             | 155.2        | 6.1                  | 1.0      | 138.5        | 7.1                  | 2.3      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                       | 155.4        | 6.2                  | 1.0      | 139.0        | 7.3                  | 2.4      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                   | 118.4        | 3.0                  | -.1      | 112.7        | 1.1                  | -.9      |
| Fuels .....                                                      | 118.7        | 3.3                  | .0       | 106.6        | .0                   | -1.8     |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities <sup>4</sup> ..... | 86.7         | 6.8                  | -2.8     | 231.9        | 3.0                  | -.1      |
| Fuel oil <sup>4</sup> .....                                      | 81.7         | 5.3                  | -2.7     | NA           | -                    | -        |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> .....              | 118.3        | 7.8                  | -2.9     | 104.3        | 3.1                  | .0       |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                | 121.0        | 3.2                  | .0       | 105.8        | -.2                  | -1.9     |
| Electricity .....                                                | 130.3        | 5.3                  | .3       | 112.9        | .5                   | -.1      |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                        | 116.2        | -.7                  | -.5      | 99.6         | -1.3                 | -4.4     |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                        | 114.5        | 2.7                  | -.3      | 110.1        | 1.1                  | 2.3      |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                         | 119.4        | 5.2                  | -1.4     | 119.0        | -.4                  | -1.2     |
| Apparel commodities .....                                        | 116.4        | 5.5                  | -1.6     | 117.7        | -.8                  | -1.3     |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                                    | 116.4        | 4.3                  | -.7      | 128.7        | 7.6                  | -.5      |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                                 | 111.3        | 8.2                  | -1.1     | 105.1        | -9.1                 | -1.5     |
| Footwear .....                                                   | 109.2        | -.1                  | .7       | 114.9        | 2.0                  | -1.6     |
| Transportation .....                                             | 121.7        | 1.8                  | .7       | 121.7        | 2.3                  | 1.2      |
| Private transportation .....                                     | 119.3        | .8                   | .8       | 120.6        | 1.9                  | 1.3      |
| Motor fuel .....                                                 | 94.7         | -3.3                 | 2.8      | 93.2         | -1.1                 | 5.1      |
| Gasoline .....                                                   | 94.6         | -3.2                 | 2.9      | 93.3         | -1.2                 | 5.4      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                   | 94.9         | -3.4                 | 3.7      | 93.1         | -1.4                 | 5.4      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                 | 93.0         | -3.3                 | 3.0      | 92.1         | -1.4                 | 5.4      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                 | 97.2         | -1.9                 | 2.1      | 96.6         | .5                   | 4.7      |
| Public transportation .....                                      | 153.0        | 10.2                 | .7       | 138.3        | 8.2                  | .1       |
| Medical care .....                                               | 161.5        | 8.7                  | .4       | 162.0        | 7.4                  | .3       |
| Entertainment .....                                              | 130.5        | 3.6                  | .5       | 141.2        | 4.1                  | .5       |
| Other goods and services .....                                   | 161.2        | 7.6                  | .6       | 155.9        | 7.7                  | 1.1      |
| Personal care .....                                              | 139.9        | 7.8                  | 1.0      | 130.6        | 5.8                  | .0       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | West         |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                  | Size class A |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 132.6        | 5.0                  | 0.5      | 127.7        | 4.3                  | 1.0      |
| Commodities .....                                | 121.7        | 4.0                  | .2       | 120.7        | 2.8                  | .8       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.3        | 5.6                  | .2       | 130.7        | 5.2                  | .4       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 115.6        | 2.8                  | .1       | 114.9        | 1.4                  | 1.1      |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 118.4        | 4.0                  | .3       | 117.0        | 2.4                  | 1.0      |
| Durables .....                                   | 111.1        | 1.0                  | -.5      | 112.9        | .3                   | 1.2      |
| Services .....                                   | 142.6        | 5.6                  | .7       | 134.7        | 5.6                  | 1.1      |
| Medical care services .....                      | 160.3        | 8.5                  | .3       | 163.7        | 7.8                  | .3       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 128.7        | 4.5                  | .2       | 128.1        | 3.6                  | .6       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 131.0        | 4.7                  | .5       | 125.4        | 4.1                  | 1.0      |
| All items less energy .....                      | 136.1        | 5.3                  | .4       | 131.3        | 4.7                  | 1.0      |
| Energy .....                                     | 102.8        | -.2                  | 1.5      | 99.0         | -.6                  | 1.7      |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 116.4        | 3.1                  | .1       | 115.5        | 1.6                  | 1.0      |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 119.3        | 4.4                  | .4       | 117.8        | 2.7                  | 1.0      |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.1        | 4.9                  | .2       | 124.2        | 3.8                  | .8       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 146.4        | 5.0                  | .3       | 145.6        | 4.6                  | .2       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 141.1        | 5.5                  | .8       | 131.5        | 5.4                  | 1.2      |

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on table 11 for information about cross classifications.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in West size class C.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

**Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food at home expenditure categories, selected areas**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                              | Total food at home | Cereals and bakery products | Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs | Dairy products | Fruits and vegetables | Other food at home |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Indexes, June 1990                                |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| U.S. city average .....                           | 131.7              | 140.1                       | 129.9                          | 124.9          | 147.1                 | 123.1              |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>          |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Northeast urban .....                             | 135.4              | 142.9                       | 133.6                          | 123.8          | 152.8                 | 126.9              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 135.8              | 142.2                       | 135.4                          | 124.5          | 151.8                 | 126.2              |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 138.0              | 142.8                       | 135.4                          | 127.9          | 156.4                 | 132.4              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                  | 129.9              | 145.3                       | 124.8                          | 114.8          | 148.3                 | 123.7              |
| North Central urban .....                         | 130.2              | 139.5                       | 129.7                          | 125.8          | 141.0                 | 122.1              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 131.6              | 139.6                       | 131.9                          | 127.9          | 140.7                 | 123.5              |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 129.1              | 141.8                       | 124.3                          | 125.1          | 142.0                 | 123.2              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                  | 128.3              | 136.9                       | 125.9                          | 122.2          | 143.0                 | 121.8              |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | 129.4              | 141.1                       | 132.1                          | 125.4          | 139.1                 | 116.7              |
| South urban .....                                 | 129.7              | 136.6                       | 126.5                          | 126.9          | 144.7                 | 122.5              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 131.3              | 139.2                       | 126.7                          | 132.8          | 144.8                 | 124.2              |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 130.6              | 133.8                       | 128.5                          | 125.6          | 153.5                 | 120.0              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                  | 129.5              | 134.4                       | 126.0                          | 126.5          | 139.8                 | 126.5              |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | 125.0              | 139.8                       | 122.9                          | 117.6          | 139.3                 | 115.2              |
| West urban .....                                  | 131.5              | 141.7                       | 129.8                          | 123.2          | 149.5                 | 121.0              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 130.3              | 142.3                       | 128.1                          | 124.9          | 142.8                 | 121.3              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                  | 130.2              | 134.2                       | 131.5                          | 118.5          | 154.1                 | 118.5              |
| <b>Size classes</b>                               |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| A <sup>2</sup> .....                              | 121.1              | 125.3                       | 119.5                          | 119.8          | 132.8                 | 113.5              |
| B .....                                           | 133.3              | 139.5                       | 131.5                          | 125.4          | 153.9                 | 123.4              |
| C .....                                           | 129.4              | 137.2                       | 126.5                          | 121.8          | 144.5                 | 123.5              |
| D .....                                           | 129.0              | 141.0                       | 125.2                          | 122.4          | 148.8                 | 118.6              |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                       |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Baltimore, MD .....                               | 134.4              | 151.0                       | 129.2                          | 133.1          | 144.6                 | 127.2              |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                | 134.8              | 134.9                       | 134.9                          | 128.7          | 152.5                 | 124.7              |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....          | 134.3              | 145.5                       | 136.9                          | 131.5          | 140.6                 | 123.2              |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                  | 127.8              | 138.7                       | 132.3                          | 123.6          | 139.0                 | 110.8              |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                       | 127.6              | 133.2                       | 125.2                          | 131.4          | 131.6                 | 123.0              |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                       | 126.5              | 133.2                       | 130.0                          | 116.3          | 134.5                 | 118.9              |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....              | 137.4              | 139.3                       | 129.9                          | 140.2          | 142.6                 | 141.1              |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....           | 130.6              | 143.1                       | 128.4                          | 126.3          | 142.1                 | 121.6              |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                   | 130.5              | 135.1                       | 125.6                          | 126.6          | 155.3                 | 118.0              |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....    | 138.3              | 144.9                       | 138.0                          | 126.8          | 154.9                 | 127.3              |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....       | 135.0              | 144.3                       | 134.5                          | 120.8          | 146.9                 | 129.6              |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                | 122.3              | 127.2                       | 118.5                          | 115.5          | 137.0                 | 117.9              |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....             | 133.7              | 137.1                       | 123.2                          | 143.9          | 146.1                 | 132.4              |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....          | 134.6              | 141.4                       | 131.4                          | 125.3          | 153.1                 | 125.0              |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                        | 132.6              | 147.8                       | 126.4                          | 142.2          | 138.6                 | 123.9              |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food at home expenditure categories, selected areas—Continued

| Area                                              | Total food at home | Cereals and bakery products | Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs | Dairy products | Fruits and vegetables | Other food at home |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Percent change, May 1990 to June 1990             |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| U.S. city average .....                           | 0.6                | 0.6                         | 1.6                            | 0.2            | -0.2                  | 0.4                |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>          |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Northeast urban .....                             | .7                 | .5                          | 1.3                            | .2             | .7                    | .2                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .4                 | .5                          | .8                             | .2             | -.1                   | .1                 |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 1.8                | .2                          | 2.8                            | -.3            | 3.3                   | 1.5                |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                  | .7                 | .4                          | 2.8                            | .0             | -.1                   | -.7                |
| North Central urban .....                         | .9                 | .6                          | 1.8                            | .5             | .1                    | .7                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 1.0                | .6                          | 2.2                            | .4             | -.3                   | .9                 |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 1.0                | .4                          | 2.4                            | .9             | -.3                   | .8                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                  | .7                 | -.9                         | 1.2                            | .4             | 2.0                   | .3                 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .5                 | 2.7                         | .5                             | .6             | -1.3                  | .5                 |
| South urban .....                                 | .9                 | .7                          | 1.7                            | .2             | 1.1                   | .3                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .8                 | .6                          | 1.9                            | .2             | 1.3                   | -.2                |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 1.0                | .5                          | 1.8                            | .2             | 1.0                   | .5                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                  | 1.1                | 1.1                         | 1.9                            | .6             | .5                    | .6                 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .6                 | .6                          | .0                             | -.8            | 1.9                   | .8                 |
| West urban .....                                  | .1                 | .5                          | 2.0                            | -.4            | -2.8                  | .3                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .0                 | .6                          | 2.2                            | -.1            | -3.6                  | .3                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                  | .6                 | .3                          | 2.7                            | -.6            | -1.8                  | .9                 |
| <b>Size classes</b>                               |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| A .....                                           | .6                 | .6                          | 1.7                            | .3             | -.8                   | .4                 |
| B .....                                           | 1.0                | .3                          | 1.9                            | .2             | .6                    | .7                 |
| C .....                                           | .9                 | .3                          | 2.0                            | .3             | .4                    | .3                 |
| D .....                                           | .6                 | 1.5                         | .3                             | -.3            | 1.4                   | .4                 |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                       |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Baltimore, MD .....                               | 2.1                | 3.1                         | 3.9                            | -.7            | 4.3                   | -1.2               |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                | -.3                | -.4                         | -.3                            | -.5            | -.4                   | -.1                |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....          | .7                 | .8                          | 2.6                            | .2             | -2.7                  | 1.1                |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                  | 1.3                | .5                          | 2.8                            | -1.5           | 2.1                   | 1.0                |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                       | .4                 | -.9                         | 3.9                            | -.6            | -2.2                  | -.5                |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                       | 1.0                | -1.6                        | 2.2                            | -.3            | 1.0                   | 1.2                |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....              | 1.3                | 1.2                         | 1.5                            | 1.3            | .8                    | 1.4                |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....           | -.5                | .0                          | 1.8                            | -.8            | -5.1                  | .2                 |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                   | .6                 | -.1                         | 1.0                            | 2.2            | 1.9                   | -1.8               |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....    | .4                 | .1                          | .9                             | .0             | .3                    | .5                 |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....       | .3                 | 1.3                         | .0                             | 1.9            | .4                    | -.7                |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                | .3                 | 1.0                         | 2.6                            | -.7            | -3.5                  | .9                 |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....             | 1.0                | 2.7                         | 1.9                            | 1.6            | -1.1                  | .3                 |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....          | .4                 | 1.2                         | 2.4                            | .3             | -2.2                  | .5                 |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                        | .3                 | .1                          | -.5                            | .8             | -.1                   | 1.5                |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, May 1990 to June 1990**

| Group                                                  | U.S.<br>city<br>average | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI | Los Angeles-<br>Anaheim-<br>Riverside, CA | N.Y.-<br>Northern N.J.-<br>Long Island,<br>NY-NJ-CT | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD | San<br>Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                            |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items .....                                        | 0.5                     | 1.0                                           | 0.3                                       | -0.1                                                | 0.4                                              | 0.6                                           |
| Food and beverages .....                               | .5                      | .5                                            | .1                                        | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Food .....                                             | .5                      | .5                                            | -.2                                       | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Food at home .....                                     | .6                      | .7                                            | -.5                                       | .4                                                  | .3                                               | .4                                            |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | .6                      | .8                                            | .0                                        | .1                                                  | 1.3                                              | 1.2                                           |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 1.6                     | 2.6                                           | 1.8                                       | .9                                                  | .0                                               | 2.4                                           |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 1.9                     | 2.7                                           | 2.1                                       | 1.1                                                 | .4                                               | 2.7                                           |
| Dairy products .....                                   | .2                      | .2                                            | -.8                                       | .0                                                  | 1.9                                              | .3                                            |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | -.2                     | -2.7                                          | -5.1                                      | .3                                                  | .4                                               | -2.2                                          |
| Other food at home .....                               | .4                      | 1.1                                           | .2                                        | .5                                                  | -.7                                              | .5                                            |
| Food away from home .....                              | .3                      | .2                                            | .6                                        | .2                                                  | -.2                                              | .5                                            |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | .3                      | .3                                            | 1.5                                       | -.1                                                 | .0                                               | .8                                            |
| Housing .....                                          | .9                      | 2.8                                           | .5                                        | .0                                                  | 1.1                                              | .7                                            |
| Shelter .....                                          | .9                      | .6                                            | 1.0                                       | -.4                                                 | -.4                                              | 1.0                                           |
| Renters' costs .....                                   | .6                      | .5                                            | .9                                        | -.1                                                 | -.4                                              | 1.4                                           |
| Rent, residential .....                                | .4                      | -.1                                           | .5                                        | .0                                                  | -.1                                              | 1.1                                           |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 1.1                     | 2.6                                           | 3.4                                       | -1.0                                                | -                                                | 3.2                                           |
| Homeowners' costs .....                                | .9                      | .7                                            | 1.0                                       | -.4                                                 | -.4                                              | .9                                            |
| Owners' equivalent rent .....                          | 1.0                     | .7                                            | 1.0                                       | -.5                                                 | -.4                                              | .9                                            |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 2.1                     | 14.0                                          | -.1                                       | 1.3                                                 | 8.5                                              | -.5                                           |
| Fuels .....                                            | 3.4                     | 24.5                                          | .2                                        | 1.4                                                 | 13.2                                             | -.7                                           |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | -3.5                    | -1.7                                          | -2.1                                      | -4.4                                                | 2.5                                              | -6.0                                          |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | -4.6                    | -2.9                                          | -                                         | -4.6                                                | -5.0                                             | -3.1                                          |
| Other household fuel commodities .....                 | -.9                     | .0                                            | -2.1                                      | -2.0                                                | 33.4                                             | -6.2                                          |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 4.3                     | 24.9                                          | .1                                        | 3.3                                                 | 14.8                                             | -.6                                           |
| Electricity .....                                      | 5.5                     | 49.8                                          | .2                                        | 5.9                                                 | 21.7                                             | .0                                            |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 1.3                     | -2.4                                          | .0                                        | -1.8                                                | .1                                               | -1.6                                          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | -.1                     | -.6                                           | -1.2                                      | .9                                                  | -1.4                                             | -.1                                           |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | -1.8                    | -4.9                                          | -2.2                                      | -3.6                                                | -5.4                                             | .0                                            |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | -2.0                    | -5.3                                          | -2.5                                      | -4.1                                                | -6.0                                             | -.1                                           |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | -1.6                    | -5.8                                          | .5                                        | -1.9                                                | -3.9                                             | -.8                                           |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | -3.0                    | -7.2                                          | -1.9                                      | -7.4                                                | -12.5                                            | -.3                                           |
| Footwear .....                                         | -1.0                    | -5.1                                          | 1.0                                       | -.2                                                 | -4.7                                             | 1.3                                           |
| Transportation .....                                   | .4                      | .6                                            | 1.0                                       | .9                                                  | .4                                               | .6                                            |
| Private transportation .....                           | .4                      | .5                                            | 1.0                                       | 1.0                                                 | .2                                               | .7                                            |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 2.3                     | 2.3                                           | 2.2                                       | 4.9                                                 | 2.5                                              | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 2.4                     | 2.7                                           | 2.2                                       | 5.3                                                 | 2.9                                              | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | 3.0                     | 2.4                                           | 3.6                                       | -                                                   | -                                                | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 2.7                     | 3.3                                           | 2.0                                       | 5.5                                                 | 3.5                                              | 3.1                                           |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 2.1                     | 1.6                                           | 1.6                                       | 4.8                                                 | 2.1                                              | 2.6                                           |
| Public transportation .....                            | .4                      | 2.1                                           | .8                                        | .0                                                  | 2.2                                              | .2                                            |
| Medical care .....                                     | .7                      | .3                                            | .6                                        | .5                                                  | .6                                               | .3                                            |
| Entertainment .....                                    | .2                      | -.6                                           | .0                                        | -1.0                                                | -.8                                              | 1.0                                           |
| Other goods and services .....                         | .8                      | .4                                            | .4                                        | .4                                                  | 1.5                                              | .6                                            |
| Personal care .....                                    | .6                      | -.8                                           | .5                                        | .2                                                  | 1.8                                              | 2.0                                           |

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, May 1990 to June 1990 —Continued**

| Group                                     | U.S.<br>city<br>average | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI | Los Angeles-<br>Anaheim-<br>Riverside, CA | N.Y.-<br>Northern N.J.-<br>Long Island,<br>NY-NJ-CT | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD | San<br>Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>        |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items .....                           | 0.5                     | 1.0                                           | 0.3                                       | -0.1                                                | 0.4                                              | 0.6                                           |
| Commodities .....                         | .2                      | -.5                                           | -.2                                       | -.2                                                 | -.6                                              | .4                                            |
| Food and beverages .....                  | .5                      | .5                                            | .1                                        | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Commodities less food and beverages ..... | -.1                     | -1.2                                          | -.4                                       | -.5                                                 | -1.2                                             | .3                                            |
| Nondurables less food and beverages ..... | .0                      | -1.4                                          | .0                                        | -.9                                                 | -1.2                                             | .7                                            |
| Durables .....                            | -.3                     | -.7                                           | -1.1                                      | .1                                                  | -1.1                                             | -.3                                           |
| Services .....                            | .9                      | 2.4                                           | .7                                        | .1                                                  | 1.1                                              | .8                                            |
| Medical care services .....               | .6                      | .4                                            | .4                                        | .5                                                  | .7                                               | .1                                            |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                    |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items less shelter .....              | .5                      | 1.2                                           | .0                                        | .2                                                  | .6                                               | .4                                            |
| All items less medical care .....         | .5                      | 1.1                                           | .3                                        | -.1                                                 | .4                                               | .6                                            |
| All items less energy .....               | .4                      | -.1                                           | .3                                        | -.2                                                 | -.4                                              | .6                                            |
| Energy .....                              | 2.9                     | 13.6                                          | 1.2                                       | 2.7                                                 | 9.2                                              | 1.0                                           |
| Commodities less food .....               | -.1                     | -1.1                                          | -.3                                       | -.5                                                 | -1.2                                             | .3                                            |
| Nondurables less food .....               | .1                      | -1.3                                          | .1                                        | -.9                                                 | -1.1                                             | .7                                            |
| Nondurables .....                         | .3                      | -.5                                           | .1                                        | -.2                                                 | -.5                                              | .6                                            |
| Services less rent of shelter .....       | .9                      | 4.1                                           | .3                                        | .6                                                  | 2.5                                              | .4                                            |
| Services less medical care .....          | .9                      | 2.5                                           | .7                                        | .0                                                  | 1.1                                              | .8                                            |

- Data not available.

**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                        | U.S.<br>city<br>average                            |                            |              | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI |                            |              | Dallas-<br>Fort Worth,<br>TX |                            |              | Detroit-<br>Ann Arbor,<br>MI |                            |              |              |
|                                                        | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                         | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |              |
|                                                        |                                                    | June<br>1990               | June<br>1989 |                                               | Apr.<br>1990               | June<br>1990 |                              | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |                              | June<br>1990               | June<br>1989 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| Expenditure category                                   |                                                    |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |              |
| All items .....                                        | 129.9                                              | 4.7                        | 0.8          | 131.7                                         | 4.8                        | 1.0          | 123.8                        | 3.2                        | 0.7          | 127.7                        | 4.6                        | 0.6          |              |
| All items (1967=100) .....                             | 389.1                                              | -                          | -            | 393.6                                         | -                          | -            | 388.5                        | -                          | -            | 379.5                        | -                          | -            |              |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 131.7                                              | 5.4                        | .5           | 129.8                                         | 6.1                        | .7           | 130.5                        | 4.5                        | -.2          | 126.5                        | 5.2                        | .9           |              |
| Food .....                                             | 132.0                                              | 5.6                        | .5           | 129.9                                         | 6.5                        | .7           | 130.8                        | 4.5                        | -.3          | 126.3                        | 5.3                        | 1.0          |              |
| Food at home .....                                     | 131.7                                              | 6.0                        | .5           | 134.3                                         | 7.2                        | .8           | 127.6                        | 4.2                        | -.5          | 126.5                        | 5.9                        | 1.0          |              |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | 140.1                                              | 6.1                        | .9           | 145.5                                         | 9.8                        | 3.9          | 133.2                        | .1                         | -2.1         | 133.2                        | 1.9                        | -3.1         |              |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 129.9                                              | 7.0                        | 1.3          | 136.9                                         | 8.2                        | 1.9          | 125.2                        | 2.5                        | 2.2          | 130.0                        | 10.3                       | 2.8          |              |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 131.0                                              | 7.4                        | 2.3          | 139.3                                         | 8.7                        | 2.9          | 126.9                        | 2.4                        | 3.3          | 131.2                        | 10.8                       | 3.6          |              |
| Dairy products .....                                   | 124.9                                              | 9.9                        | -.2          | 131.5                                         | 10.5                       | -.3          | 131.4                        | 13.1                       | -.2          | 116.3                        | 12.6                       | .6           |              |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 147.1                                              | 4.9                        | -1.3         | 140.6                                         | 4.2                        | -3.4         | 131.6                        | 6.1                        | -2.6         | 134.5                        | 2.0                        | .4           |              |
| Other food at home .....                               | 123.1                                              | 3.3                        | .7           | 123.2                                         | 5.2                        | 1.2          | 123.0                        | 2.8                        | -1.4         | 118.9                        | 1.7                        | 1.7          |              |
| Food away from home .....                              | 133.4                                              | 5.0                        | .7           | 122.0                                         | 5.0                        | .4           | 136.5                        | 4.9                        | .0           | 126.9                        | 4.4                        | .9           |              |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | 129.3                                              | 4.7                        | .9           | 130.6                                         | 3.0                        | .8           | 128.8                        | 4.4                        | 1.1          | 129.0                        | 3.4                        | .5           |              |
| Housing .....                                          | 128.3                                              | 4.4                        | 1.2          | 133.2                                         | 3.9                        | 2.3          | 114.0                        | 1.4                        | 1.6          | 126.5                        | 5.0                        | 1.2          |              |
| Shelter .....                                          | 139.5                                              | 5.4                        | 1.1          | 144.0                                         | 4.5                        | -.1          | 116.3                        | 2.6                        | .8           | 140.6                        | 7.3                        | 1.7          |              |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 145.3                                              | 4.8                        | .4           | 148.5                                         | 3.2                        | .5           | 119.1                        | 2.6                        | .5           | 141.0                        | 4.4                        | 1.9          |              |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 137.9                                              | 4.2                        | .7           | 142.5                                         | 3.8                        | -.2          | 113.3                        | 3.0                        | .7           | 136.8                        | 4.3                        | 1.5          |              |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 150.1                                              | 6.1                        | -.4          | 145.7                                         | 1.3                        | 2.7          | 122.6                        | .9                         | -.4          | 137.9                        | 4.2                        | 2.6          |              |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 144.4                                              | 5.8                        | 1.3          | 147.4                                         | 4.9                        | -.4          | 122.1                        | 2.5                        | .8           | 143.6                        | 8.3                        | 1.6          |              |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 144.6                                              | 5.9                        | 1.3          | 146.4                                         | 5.0                        | -.4          | 123.1                        | 2.7                        | .9           | 144.2                        | 8.3                        | 1.5          |              |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 112.2                                              | 2.7                        | 2.6          | 120.8                                         | 3.7                        | 13.3         | 111.1                        | -.9                        | 7.3          | 112.8                        | 1.4                        | 1.3          |              |
| Fuels .....                                            | 105.4                                              | 2.1                        | 4.2          | 118.8                                         | .5                         | 23.6         | 107.2                        | -8.5                       | 2.7          | 106.4                        | 2.2                        | 2.7          |              |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | 84.9                                               | 5.9                        | -5.2         | 85.0                                          | 7.6                        | -1.7         | 105.5                        | .0                         | .0           | 95.3                         | 7.1                        | -2.3         |              |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | 82.5                                               | 5.0                        | -6.1         | 86.2                                          | 6.3                        | -2.9         | NA                           | -                          | -            | 91.3                         | 8.9                        | -1.4         |              |
| Other household fuel<br>commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 111.4                                              | 7.8                        | -3.1         | 106.5                                         | 9.1                        | .0           | 110.5                        | .0                         | .0           | 120.9                        | 5.2                        | -3.2         |              |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 112.4                                              | 1.7                        | 5.2          | 122.3                                         | .4                         | 24.0         | 106.7                        | -8.6                       | 2.8          | 109.5                        | 2.0                        | 2.9          |              |
| Electricity .....                                      | 122.2                                              | 2.3                        | 6.6          | 158.2                                         | 1.7                        | 50.5         | 98.2                         | -14.5                      | 5.7          | 131.9                        | 3.4                        | 4.6          |              |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 97.1                                               | .3                         | 1.9          | 88.5                                          | -1.7                       | -4.3         | 125.5                        | 3.0                        | -1.6         | 93.3                         | .4                         | 1.1          |              |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 113.1                                              | 1.8                        | .3           | 114.0                                         | 1.5                        | .6           | 114.0                        | -.6                        | -.6          | 102.9                        | -.8                        | -.8          |              |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 123.3                                              | 4.7                        | -2.7         | 123.0                                         | 8.4                        | -4.9         | 133.0                        | 8.3                        | -2.3         | 122.9                        | 1.5                        | -6.2         |              |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 121.1                                              | 4.6                        | -3.1         | 123.7                                         | 8.8                        | -5.3         | 127.4                        | 8.3                        | -2.5         | 122.1                        | 1.4                        | -6.6         |              |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 119.9                                              | 3.5                        | -.9          | 116.9                                         | 3.0                        | 1.3          | 112.2                        | 8.3                        | -1.7         | 122.8                        | 7.3                        | -2.5         |              |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 120.9                                              | 5.3                        | -5.5         | 118.2                                         | 8.5                        | -10.1        | 124.1                        | -2.1                       | -7.7         | 128.4                        | -1.6                       | -11.8        |              |
| Footwear .....                                         | 117.3                                              | 2.9                        | -1.1         | 137.1                                         | 19.4                       | -5.6         | 112.4                        | -2.5                       | -3.9         | 107.9                        | 7.4                        | 2.9          |              |
| Transportation .....                                   | 118.2                                              | 2.0                        | .8           | 116.6                                         | 2.3                        | 1.0          | 114.1                        | 1.3                        | .9           | 121.7                        | 2.3                        | 1.2          |              |
| Private transportation .....                           | 116.4                                              | 1.3                        | .8           | 115.8                                         | 1.7                        | .8           | 114.0                        | .5                         | .9           | 121.6                        | 2.1                        | 1.4          |              |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 94.6                                               | -1.5                       | 3.7          | 102.3                                         | 3.9                        | 3.5          | 95.6                         | 1.0                        | 4.9          | 96.3                         | -1.8                       | 2.0          |              |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 94.6                                               | -1.7                       | 4.0          | 102.9                                         | 3.5                        | 4.3          | 95.7                         | .9                         | 5.2          | 96.4                         | -2.0                       | 2.1          |              |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | 100.0                                              | .0                         | 4.2          | 119.3                                         | 9.2                        | 2.4          | NA                           | -                          | -            | NA                           | -                          | -            |              |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 92.5                                               | -2.1                       | 4.4          | 100.7                                         | 3.3                        | 5.0          | 93.0                         | .1                         | 6.2          | 95.1                         | -1.6                       | 2.3          |              |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 97.7                                               | -.3                        | 3.4          | 104.6                                         | 4.5                        | 3.0          | 98.2                         | 2.3                        | 4.4          | 100.0                        | -3.8                       | 1.5          |              |
| Public transportation .....                            | 141.5                                              | 9.2                        | .9           | 123.7                                         | 8.1                        | 2.7          | 121.5                        | 13.6                       | 1.2          | 126.3                        | 7.2                        | .0           |              |

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**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |              |                            |                                               |              |                            |                              |              |                            |                              |              |                            |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
|                                                  | U.S.<br>city<br>average                            |              |                            | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI |              |                            | Dallas-<br>Fort Worth,<br>TX |              |                            | Detroit-<br>Ann Arbor,<br>MI |              |                            |
|                                                  | Index                                              |              | Percent<br>change<br>from— | Index                                         |              | Percent<br>change<br>from— | Index                        |              | Percent<br>change<br>from— | Index                        |              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |
|                                                  | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989 |                            | June<br>1990                                  | June<br>1989 |                            | June<br>1990                 | June<br>1989 |                            | June<br>1990                 | June<br>1989 |                            |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |              |                            |                                               |              |                            |                              |              |                            |                              |              |                            |
| Medical care .....                               | 161.9                                              | 9.0          | 1.3                        | 162.0                                         | 10.1         | 1.1                        | 162.1                        | 8.2          | 3.3                        | 158.9                        | 8.7          | 1.5                        |
| Entertainment .....                              | 131.9                                              | 4.5          | .4                         | 138.3                                         | 4.5          | .4                         | 137.8                        | 2.3          | -.4                        | 126.8                        | 6.1          | -.7                        |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 157.8                                              | 7.9          | 1.3                        | 162.8                                         | 6.8          | .8                         | 155.1                        | 7.1          | .8                         | 146.5                        | 6.6          | 1.8                        |
| Personal care .....                              | 131.0                                              | 5.2          | .5                         | 127.1                                         | 4.6          | -.2                        | 130.3                        | 10.9         | 2.0                        | 111.9                        | 1.7          | 2.0                        |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |              |                            |                                               |              |                            |                              |              |                            |                              |              |                            |
| All items .....                                  | 129.9                                              | 4.7          | .8                         | 131.7                                         | 4.8          | 1.0                        | 123.8                        | 3.2          | .7                         | 127.7                        | 4.6          | .6                         |
| Commodities .....                                | 121.6                                              | 3.8          | .2                         | 124.4                                         | 5.3          | -.1                        | 120.3                        | 3.0          | -.1                        | 118.5                        | 2.8          | -.2                        |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.7                                              | 5.4          | .5                         | 129.8                                         | 6.1          | .7                         | 130.5                        | 4.5          | -.2                        | 126.5                        | 5.2          | .9                         |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 115.4                                              | 2.7          | .0                         | 120.6                                         | 4.7          | -.7                        | 114.2                        | 2.3          | -.1                        | 113.9                        | 1.2          | -.9                        |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 117.1                                              | 3.9          | .0                         | 124.3                                         | 7.2          | -.8                        | 118.3                        | 5.3          | .5                         | 117.8                        | 3.2          | -1.3                       |
| Durables .....                                   | 112.9                                              | .7           | -.2                        | 114.1                                         | .7           | -.3                        | 110.3                        | -1.5         | -.9                        | 105.6                        | -1.9         | -.1                        |
| Services .....                                   | 138.8                                              | 5.5          | 1.2                        | 139.2                                         | 4.5          | 2.1                        | 127.4                        | 3.3          | 1.6                        | 138.0                        | 6.2          | 1.2                        |
| Medical care services .....                      | 161.5                                              | 9.2          | 1.3                        | 159.2                                         | 9.6          | 1.1                        | 163.2                        | 7.3          | 2.3                        | 160.6                        | 8.7          | 1.1                        |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |              |                            |                                               |              |                            |                              |              |                            |                              |              |                            |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 127.3                                              | 4.3          | .6                         | 128.2                                         | 5.0          | 1.5                        | 127.1                        | 3.4          | .8                         | 124.3                        | 3.6          | .2                         |
| All items less medical care .....                | 128.0                                              | 4.4          | .7                         | 130.1                                         | 4.6          | 1.0                        | 121.5                        | 2.9          | .6                         | 126.0                        | 4.4          | .6                         |
| All items less energy .....                      | 134.2                                              | 5.1          | .5                         | 134.9                                         | 5.1          | .0                         | 128.7                        | 3.8          | .5                         | 131.5                        | 5.0          | .5                         |
| Energy .....                                     | 99.5                                               | .5           | 4.0                        | 110.3                                         | 2.0          | 13.9                       | 100.7                        | -4.2         | 3.8                        | 102.7                        | .2           | 2.3                        |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 115.8                                              | 2.7          | -.1                        | 120.9                                         | 4.6          | -.6                        | 114.6                        | 2.4          | -.1                        | 114.5                        | 1.4          | -.8                        |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 117.6                                              | 4.0          | .2                         | 124.3                                         | 6.8          | -.6                        | 118.6                        | 5.3          | .6                         | 118.3                        | 3.1          | -1.2                       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 124.6                                              | 4.7          | .3                         | 127.2                                         | 6.6          | -.1                        | 125.1                        | 4.9          | .2                         | 122.3                        | 4.2          | -.2                        |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 142.5                                              | 5.4          | 1.4                        | 140.7                                         | 4.5          | 4.4                        | 145.1                        | 3.9          | 2.3                        | 139.5                        | 5.0          | .9                         |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 136.5                                              | 5.1          | 1.2                        | 137.4                                         | 4.1          | 2.2                        | 124.1                        | 3.0          | 1.6                        | 135.9                        | 5.9          | 1.3                        |

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**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                     | Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX                     |                      |           | Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA |                      |           | N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT |                      |           |
|                                                     | Index                                              | Percent change from— |           | Index                             | Percent change from— |           | Index                                    | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                     | June 1990                                          | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                         | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                                | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |                                                    |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
| All items .....                                     | 119.7                                              | 4.9                  | 1.2       | 135.0                             | 4.9                  | 0.6       | 137.1                                    | 5.1                  | -0.1      |
| All items (1967 = 100) .....                        | 383.8                                              | -                    | -         | 399.0                             | -                    | -         | 396.4                                    | -                    | -         |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 128.6                                              | 5.6                  | 1.2       | 130.5                             | 5.7                  | .3        | 139.2                                    | 5.0                  | .4        |
| Food .....                                          | 129.2                                              | 5.6                  | 1.3       | 129.7                             | 5.4                  | -.1       | 139.3                                    | 5.1                  | .4        |
| Food at home .....                                  | 137.4                                              | 7.9                  | 2.2       | 130.6                             | 5.8                  | -.5       | 138.3                                    | 6.1                  | .4        |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 139.3                                              | 6.0                  | 2.7       | 143.1                             | 6.2                  | 1.5       | 144.9                                    | 6.3                  | .0        |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 129.9                                              | 9.9                  | 2.9       | 128.4                             | 6.6                  | 1.7       | 138.0                                    | 6.2                  | .5        |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                      | 132.1                                              | 10.4                 | 3.9       | 126.9                             | 6.3                  | 2.3       | 138.9                                    | 6.1                  | 1.2       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 140.2                                              | 21.1                 | .6        | 126.3                             | 9.0                  | -2.1      | 126.8                                    | 10.0                 | .6        |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 142.6                                              | -.2                  | -6.2      | 142.1                             | 4.8                  | -4.7      | 154.9                                    | 5.8                  | -.1       |
| Other food at home .....                            | 141.1                                              | 6.2                  | 7.1       | 121.6                             | 3.9                  | -.2       | 127.3                                    | 3.7                  | 1.3       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 116.3                                              | 1.9                  | -.3       | 129.0                             | 4.9                  | .8        | 144.0                                    | 3.5                  | .1        |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 120.6                                              | 4.1                  | .5        | 138.0                             | 7.9                  | 3.0       | 137.8                                    | 4.2                  | .7        |
| Housing .....                                       | 104.7                                              | 4.1                  | 1.8       | 138.5                             | 5.2                  | 1.0       | 138.3                                    | 4.6                  | .1        |
| Shelter .....                                       | 105.9                                              | 5.2                  | 1.0       | 148.3                             | 6.2                  | 1.2       | 156.5                                    | 5.8                  | -.1       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 110.6                                              | 8.3                  | .5        | 153.9                             | 5.3                  | 1.1       | 156.9                                    | 4.7                  | -.4       |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 101.4                                              | 6.6                  | .8        | 149.0                             | 4.4                  | .8        | 150.1                                    | 5.8                  | .7        |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 190.7                                              | 12.7                 | -.4       | 144.8                             | 9.8                  | 2.8       | 157.9                                    | .4                   | -4.8      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 101.5                                              | 3.5                  | 1.1       | 158.1                             | 6.7                  | 1.2       | 163.7                                    | 6.6                  | .2        |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 97.0                                               | 3.7                  | 1.1       | 158.2                             | 6.9                  | 1.3       | 164.3                                    | 6.5                  | .1        |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 105.1                                              | .3                   | 7.7       | 126.1                             | 4.2                  | 3.1       | 102.2                                    | 1.5                  | .5        |
| Fuels .....                                         | 101.6                                              | .3                   | 12.8      | 130.5                             | 5.3                  | 6.8       | 99.8                                     | 2.1                  | 1.3       |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | NA                                                 | -                    | -         | 118.6                             | 12.2                 | -2.9      | 88.4                                     | 5.7                  | -5.8      |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | NA                                                 | -                    | -         | NA                                | -                    | -         | 87.4                                     | 5.6                  | -5.9      |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 118.7                                              | 14.8                 | .0        | 118.8                             | 12.2                 | -2.9      | 113.5                                    | 8.5                  | -3.5      |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 101.6                                              | -.1                  | 13.3      | 130.6                             | 5.2                  | 6.9       | 107.9                                    | 1.2                  | 3.6       |
| Electricity .....                                   | 107.3                                              | -.1                  | 17.0      | 139.2                             | 8.6                  | -.8       | 113.0                                    | .7                   | 6.3       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 85.2                                               | -.6                  | -.1       | 129.5                             | -.8                  | 25.9      | 99.1                                     | 2.4                  | -1.6      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 104.2                                              | 4.6                  | -.3       | 111.9                             | 1.2                  | -1.1      | 114.4                                    | 2.0                  | .6        |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 133.3                                              | 10.2                 | 2.5       | 126.3                             | 5.0                  | -3.1      | 117.7                                    | 6.3                  | -6.6      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 134.4                                              | 10.8                 | 2.8       | 124.0                             | 5.2                  | -3.7      | 114.1                                    | 6.6                  | -7.4      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 138.5                                              | 6.0                  | -3.7      | 125.2                             | 4.9                  | .0        | 112.0                                    | 3.0                  | -2.6      |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 146.5                                              | 19.7                 | 11.9      | 120.8                             | 6.5                  | -4.3      | 114.5                                    | 9.9                  | -11.8     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 114.8                                              | -4.8                 | -6.6      | 105.5                             | 1.1                  | .8        | 120.5                                    | 4.6                  | -3.7      |
| Transportation .....                                | 113.1                                              | 2.5                  | .5        | 125.1                             | 1.9                  | 1.3       | 120.4                                    | 2.6                  | 1.0       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 113.3                                              | 2.4                  | .6        | 121.7                             | .5                   | 1.2       | 115.6                                    | 1.2                  | 1.0       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 98.0                                               | 2.1                  | 3.5       | 94.0                              | -5.1                 | 6.6       | 91.2                                     | -2.0                 | 5.4       |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 98.3                                               | 2.0                  | 3.7       | 93.7                              | -5.2                 | 6.8       | 91.7                                     | -1.5                 | 5.9       |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | 103.4                                              | .8                   | 1.9       | 94.0                              | -5.0                 | 7.8       | NA                                       | -                    | -         |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 96.8                                               | .8                   | 3.9       | 92.3                              | -5.6                 | 7.3       | 88.2                                     | -2.6                 | 6.0       |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 97.4                                               | 4.4                  | 3.7       | 95.9                              | -3.3                 | 4.9       | 96.0                                     | -.3                  | 5.4       |
| Public transportation .....                         | 136.6                                              | 3.6                  | -.2       | 172.0                             | 13.6                 | 1.5       | 139.9                                    | 9.6                  | .3        |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                              |                            |              |                                                     |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                  | Houston-<br>Galveston-<br>Brazoria, TX             |                            |              | Los Angeles-<br>Anaheim-<br>Riverside,<br>CA |                            |              | N.Y.-<br>Northern N.J.-<br>Long Island,<br>NY-NJ-CT |                            |              |
|                                                  | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                               | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                  | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                                 | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                                        | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |                            |              |                                              |                            |              |                                                     |                            |              |
| Medical care .....                               | 158.5                                              | 6.9                        | 0.3          | 161.7                                        | 8.5                        | 1.1          | 171.4                                               | 10.2                       | 0.8          |
| Entertainment .....                              | 132.8                                              | -3.2                       | -1.5         | 124.0                                        | 2.7                        | -1           | 134.5                                               | 5.5                        | .2           |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 151.4                                              | 12.6                       | .9           | 165.7                                        | 8.4                        | .8           | 162.0                                               | 7.4                        | .9           |
| Personal care .....                              | 116.2                                              | 14.4                       | 1.6          | 142.9                                        | 9.8                        | .0           | 144.3                                               | 6.8                        | 1.1          |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |                            |              |                                              |                            |              |                                                     |                            |              |
| All items .....                                  | 119.7                                              | 4.9                        | 1.2          | 135.0                                        | 4.9                        | .6           | 137.1                                               | 5.1                        | -1           |
| Commodities .....                                | 121.3                                              | 5.2                        | 1.0          | 121.9                                        | 3.6                        | -1           | 125.3                                               | 4.3                        | -6           |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 128.6                                              | 5.6                        | 1.2          | 130.5                                        | 5.7                        | .3           | 139.2                                               | 5.0                        | .4           |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 116.7                                              | 4.9                        | .9           | 116.3                                        | 2.2                        | -3           | 114.3                                               | 3.6                        | -1.4         |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 118.1                                              | 5.7                        | 2.0          | 121.7                                        | 3.6                        | .5           | 115.0                                               | 4.7                        | -2.0         |
| Durables .....                                   | 114.4                                              | 3.7                        | -7           | 108.4                                        | .1                         | -1.4         | 113.0                                               | 1.7                        | .0           |
| Services .....                                   | 117.9                                              | 4.6                        | 1.5          | 146.8                                        | 5.9                        | 1.1          | 148.0                                               | 5.6                        | .2           |
| Medical care services .....                      | 154.4                                              | 6.1                        | .1           | 160.8                                        | 7.4                        | .9           | 173.6                                               | 10.6                       | .6           |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |                            |              |                                              |                            |              |                                                     |                            |              |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 123.4                                              | 4.8                        | 1.2          | 130.3                                        | 4.3                        | .4           | 130.1                                               | 4.7                        | -2           |
| All items less medical care .....                | 117.1                                              | 4.7                        | 1.2          | 133.5                                        | 4.8                        | .6           | 135.4                                               | 4.7                        | -1           |
| All items less energy .....                      | 123.9                                              | 5.3                        | .7           | 138.4                                        | 5.3                        | .3           | 141.8                                               | 5.3                        | -3           |
| Energy .....                                     | 99.7                                               | 1.2                        | 7.6          | 106.4                                        | -6                         | 6.7          | 96.4                                                | .7                         | 2.8          |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 116.7                                              | 4.9                        | .8           | 117.4                                        | 2.6                        | .0           | 115.3                                               | 3.7                        | -1.2         |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 117.8                                              | 5.7                        | 1.8          | 122.8                                        | 4.0                        | .7           | 116.3                                               | 4.7                        | -1.9         |
| Nondurables .....                                | 123.7                                              | 5.6                        | 1.6          | 126.5                                        | 4.7                        | .4           | 128.3                                               | 4.9                        | -7           |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 129.8                                              | 4.0                        | 1.8          | 151.6                                        | 5.4                        | 1.0          | 144.9                                               | 5.2                        | .6           |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 113.3                                              | 4.3                        | 1.5          | 145.5                                        | 5.7                        | 1.1          | 145.9                                               | 5.2                        | .1           |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                        | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD   |                            |              | Pittsburgh-<br>Beaver Valley,<br>PA |                            |              | San Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |                            |              |
|                                                        | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                               | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                      | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                        | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                        | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                               | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                            |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items .....                                        | 135.1                                              | 4.9                        | 0.6          | 125.0                               | 3.8                        | 0.1          | 131.6                                      | 4.3                        | 0.7          |
| All items (1967 = 100) .....                           | 390.2                                              | -                          | -            | 381.3                               | -                          | -            | 404.7                                      | -                          | -            |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 130.6                                              | 4.5                        | .4           | 124.6                               | 5.4                        | .6           | 133.7                                      | 4.6                        | .1           |
| Food .....                                             | 130.2                                              | 4.4                        | .4           | 124.0                               | 5.1                        | .5           | 134.6                                      | 4.7                        | .1           |
| Food at home .....                                     | 135.0                                              | 5.2                        | .4           | 122.3                               | 5.1                        | .5           | 134.6                                      | 4.4                        | -.7          |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | 144.3                                              | 6.1                        | .1           | 127.2                               | 6.5                        | 1.1          | 141.4                                      | 6.0                        | 1.1          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 134.5                                              | 5.7                        | 2.0          | 118.5                               | 6.9                        | 2.1          | 131.4                                      | 4.8                        | -.4          |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 136.0                                              | 6.0                        | 3.1          | 119.9                               | 7.3                        | 3.1          | 130.5                                      | 4.2                        | .7           |
| Dairy products .....                                   | 120.8                                              | 10.3                       | 1.9          | 115.5                               | 6.3                        | .3           | 125.3                                      | 12.3                       | .1           |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 146.9                                              | 5.8                        | -3.7         | 137.0                               | 2.5                        | -2.2         | 153.1                                      | .5                         | -3.7         |
| Other food at home .....                               | 129.6                                              | 1.6                        | 1.1          | 117.9                               | 3.5                        | .8           | 125.0                                      | 3.1                        | .8           |
| Food away from home .....                              | 121.9                                              | 3.0                        | .3           | 128.0                               | 5.3                        | .3           | 135.4                                      | 4.9                        | 1.0          |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | 136.1                                              | 4.5                        | .1           | 131.8                               | 7.9                        | 2.2          | 127.1                                      | 4.4                        | .6           |
| Housing .....                                          | 138.4                                              | 5.4                        | 1.2          | 124.0                               | 4.4                        | .3           | 137.5                                      | 4.5                        | 1.2          |
| Shelter .....                                          | 155.2                                              | 5.8                        | -.4          | 130.6                               | 4.6                        | .2           | 146.1                                      | 5.2                        | .6           |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 156.8                                              | 6.2                        | -1.3         | 129.3                               | 3.1                        | -.6          | 162.0                                      | 6.5                        | 1.1          |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 150.0                                              | 5.0                        | .6           | 127.3                               | 2.4                        | 1.1          | 151.3                                      | 5.4                        | .7           |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 161.0                                              | -                          | -            | 126.2                               | 4.7                        | -4.5         | 140.2                                      | 11.7                       | 2.7          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 164.0                                              | 5.6                        | -.1          | 130.6                               | 5.1                        | .4           | 159.7                                      | 4.6                        | .5           |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 164.7                                              | 5.7                        | -.1          | 130.6                               | 5.0                        | .4           | 160.2                                      | 4.7                        | .5           |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 117.5                                              | 6.1                        | 9.1          | 123.3                               | 6.6                        | -.2          | 127.1                                      | 3.2                        | 5.5          |
| Fuels .....                                            | 116.4                                              | 8.4                        | 12.9         | 116.9                               | 8.5                        | -.2          | 138.5                                      | 4.2                        | 9.1          |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | 86.8                                               | 10.0                       | .5           | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 111.2                                      | -1.1                       | -5.8         |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | 80.0                                               | 3.8                        | -7.3         | 78.6                                | 7.5                        | -3.9         | 87.8                                       | -5.6                       | .0           |
| Other household fuel<br>commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 155.1                                              | 33.4                       | 33.4         | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 126.4                                      | -.6                        | -6.2         |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 134.6                                              | 8.1                        | 14.7         | 118.7                               | 8.6                        | -.1          | 139.2                                      | 4.3                        | 9.3          |
| Electricity .....                                      | 157.3                                              | 10.2                       | 21.7         | 128.1                               | 6.0                        | .0           | 154.2                                      | 7.3                        | 1.8          |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 101.3                                              | 3.1                        | -.1          | 111.2                               | 11.1                       | -.1          | 125.2                                      | -.4                        | 24.8         |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 114.7                                              | 2.6                        | -1.4         | 107.9                               | .9                         | 1.5          | 118.6                                      | 1.9                        | .0           |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 102.8                                              | 4.5                        | -4.0         | 121.0                               | .9                         | -3.7         | 106.5                                      | 2.9                        | -1.8         |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 99.4                                               | 3.5                        | -4.4         | 118.9                               | .8                         | -4.0         | 102.1                                      | 2.6                        | -2.0         |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 99.8                                               | -3.1                       | -1.1         | 109.6                               | -.5                        | -4.1         | 105.4                                      | -.6                        | .7           |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 81.0                                               | 3.2                        | -7.5         | 115.0                               | 2.7                        | -6.5         | 88.4                                       | 6.5                        | -6.5         |
| Footwear .....                                         | 106.3                                              | -3.5                       | -2.5         | 118.1                               | 2.5                        | -2.2         | 108.7                                      | -6.1                       | 2.5          |
| Transportation .....                                   | 125.9                                              | 2.1                        | .6           | 109.2                               | -.4                        | .7           | 113.4                                      | 1.6                        | 1.3          |
| Private transportation .....                           | 123.1                                              | 1.1                        | .4           | 107.7                               | -1.0                       | .7           | 112.1                                      | .8                         | 1.2          |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 98.2                                               | .0                         | 3.3          | 89.9                                | -3.7                       | 5.0          | 99.7                                       | -.3                        | 6.6          |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 97.0                                               | -1.1                       | 3.9          | 89.9                                | -3.7                       | 5.1          | 99.6                                       | -.2                        | 6.6          |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | NA                                                 | -                          | -            | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 100.7                                      | -1.9                       | 7.0          |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 94.4                                               | -1.3                       | 4.7          | 87.3                                | -4.1                       | 5.6          | 97.7                                       | .2                         | 7.5          |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 96.6                                               | -.8                        | 3.1          | 92.1                                | -3.1                       | 3.5          | 100.2                                      | .3                         | 5.3          |
| Public transportation .....                            | 158.0                                              | 14.0                       | 2.2          | 127.5                               | 12.9                       | .2           | 130.5                                      | 6.5                        | 1.4          |

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**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                  | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD   |                            |              | Pittsburgh-<br>Beaver Valley,<br>PA |                            |              | San Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |                            |              |
|                                                  | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                               | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                      | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                  | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                        | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                               | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| Medical care .....                               | 166.2                                              | 7.2                        | 1.2          | 159.6                               | 9.1                        | 0.3          | 158.7                                      | 8.3                        | 0.3          |
| Entertainment .....                              | 132.3                                              | 3.4                        | -.4          | 139.9                               | 2.9                        | 1.2          | 141.3                                      | 5.3                        | 1.1          |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 168.8                                              | 9.7                        | 1.6          | 148.4                               | 6.2                        | -.9          | 160.3                                      | 5.8                        | .1           |
| Personal care .....                              | 155.4                                              | 10.8                       | 1.2          | 113.3                               | -.6                        | -1.0         | 147.0                                      | 7.4                        | -3.4         |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items .....                                  | 135.1                                              | 4.9                        | .6           | 125.0                               | 3.8                        | .1           | 131.6                                      | 4.3                        | .7           |
| Commodities .....                                | 117.8                                              | 3.4                        | -.3          | 118.6                               | 2.9                        | .2           | 122.0                                      | 3.7                        | .1           |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 130.6                                              | 4.5                        | .4           | 124.6                               | 5.4                        | .6           | 133.7                                      | 4.6                        | .1           |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 109.6                                              | 2.7                        | -.7          | 114.5                               | 1.1                        | -.1          | 114.2                                      | 2.8                        | .0           |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 109.5                                              | 4.6                        | -.3          | 117.7                               | 2.0                        | -.3          | 115.0                                      | 4.5                        | .6           |
| Durables .....                                   | 110.9                                              | .1                         | -1.5         | 109.1                               | -.3                        | .0           | 112.6                                      | .4                         | -.8          |
| Services .....                                   | 154.0                                              | 6.0                        | 1.3          | 132.0                               | 4.8                        | .0           | 140.5                                      | 4.8                        | 1.2          |
| Medical care services .....                      | 166.3                                              | 6.1                        | 1.3          | 153.2                               | 6.5                        | .3           | 158.4                                      | 8.9                        | .3           |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 129.4                                              | 4.4                        | 1.0          | 123.6                               | 3.6                        | .1           | 127.5                                      | 3.8                        | .8           |
| All items less medical care .....                | 133.4                                              | 4.8                        | .6           | 122.8                               | 3.5                        | .1           | 130.2                                      | 4.1                        | .7           |
| All items less energy .....                      | 138.9                                              | 4.8                        | -.1          | 127.8                               | 3.9                        | -.1          | 134.3                                      | 4.4                        | .3           |
| Energy .....                                     | 108.9                                              | 5.3                        | 9.3          | 105.4                               | 2.9                        | 2.0          | 114.3                                      | 2.1                        | 7.9          |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 110.6                                              | 2.7                        | -.7          | 115.2                               | 1.5                        | .0           | 114.7                                      | 2.9                        | .1           |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 111.1                                              | 4.5                        | -.3          | 118.5                               | 2.5                        | -.1          | 115.5                                      | 4.4                        | .6           |
| Nondurables .....                                | 120.4                                              | 4.5                        | .1           | 121.5                               | 3.8                        | .2           | 124.7                                      | 4.5                        | .3           |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 157.3                                              | 6.1                        | 2.9          | 137.5                               | 5.1                        | -.1          | 140.5                                      | 4.1                        | 1.7          |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 152.7                                              | 6.0                        | 1.3          | 129.8                               | 4.7                        | .0           | 139.2                                      | 4.4                        | 1.2          |

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see table 11) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>NA</sup> Data not adequate for publication.

— Data not available.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                                 | Pricing<br>schedule <sup>1</sup> | Indexes      |              |             |              | Percent change to<br>June 1990 from— |              |             | Percent change to<br>May 1990 from— |              |              |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                      |                                  | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | June<br>1989                         | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | May<br>1989                         | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| U.S. city average .....                              | M                                | 127.1        | 127.3        | 127.5       | 128.3        | 4.5                                  | 0.8          | 0.6         | 4.1                                 | 0.3          | 0.2          |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>2</sup></b>             |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| Northeast urban .....                                | M                                | 132.8        | 133.1        | 133.3       | 133.6        | 4.9                                  | .4           | .2          | 4.9                                 | .4           | .2           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 132.4        | 133.1        | 133.1       | 133.3        | 4.9                                  | .2           | .2          | 5.1                                 | .5           | .0           |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 132.1        | 132.0        | 132.1       | 132.9        | 5.6                                  | .7           | .6          | 4.8                                 | .0           | .1           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                     | M                                | 134.7        | 134.4        | 134.9       | 135.7        | 4.1                                  | 1.0          | .6          | 3.8                                 | .1           | .4           |
| North Central urban .....                            | M                                | 123.3        | 123.7        | 123.9       | 124.8        | 4.1                                  | .9           | .7          | 3.8                                 | .5           | .2           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 123.9        | 124.4        | 124.4       | 125.6        | 4.4                                  | 1.0          | 1.0         | 4.1                                 | .4           | .0           |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 122.2        | 122.3        | 122.8       | 123.1        | 3.9                                  | .7           | .2          | 3.6                                 | .5           | .4           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                     | M                                | 124.1        | 124.4        | 124.6       | 125.2        | 3.5                                  | .6           | .5          | 2.9                                 | .4           | .2           |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | M                                | 120.6        | 120.8        | 121.1       | 122.0        | 4.1                                  | 1.0          | .7          | 3.7                                 | .4           | .2           |
| South urban .....                                    | M                                | 125.1        | 125.3        | 125.6       | 126.4        | 4.2                                  | .9           | .6          | 3.9                                 | .4           | .2           |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | M                                | 125.5        | 125.6        | 125.9       | 126.7        | 4.1                                  | .9           | .6          | 3.8                                 | .3           | .2           |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | M                                | 124.7        | 124.8        | 125.4       | 125.7        | 3.9                                  | .7           | .2          | 4.1                                 | .6           | .5           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                     | M                                | 124.7        | 125.0        | 124.9       | 125.7        | 3.8                                  | .6           | .6          | 3.6                                 | .2           | -.1          |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | M                                | 125.6        | 126.0        | 126.4       | 128.5        | 5.9                                  | 2.0          | 1.7         | 4.2                                 | .6           | .3           |
| West urban .....                                     | M                                | 127.9        | 128.0        | 128.3       | 129.1        | 4.7                                  | .9           | .3          | 4.1                                 | .3           | .2           |
| Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....                   | M                                | 128.3        | 128.4        | 128.8       | 129.4        | 4.7                                  | .8           | .5          | 4.3                                 | .4           | .3           |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                     | M                                | 125.2        | 125.5        | 125.7       | 126.8        | 4.2                                  | 1.0          | .9          | 3.1                                 | .4           | .2           |
| <b>Size classes</b>                                  |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| A <sup>3</sup> .....                                 | M                                | 116.7        | 117.1        | 117.2       | 117.8        | 4.5                                  | .6           | .5          | 4.4                                 | .4           | .1           |
| B .....                                              | M                                | 126.5        | 126.4        | 126.8       | 127.4        | 4.4                                  | .8           | .5          | 4.1                                 | .2           | .3           |
| C .....                                              | M                                | 126.5        | 126.7        | 126.9       | 127.7        | 3.8                                  | .8           | .6          | 3.3                                 | .3           | .2           |
| D .....                                              | M                                | 125.0        | 125.2        | 125.6       | 126.9        | 5.0                                  | 1.4          | 1.0         | 4.1                                 | .5           | .3           |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                           | Pricing<br>schedule <sup>1</sup> | Indexes      |              |             |              | Percent change to<br>June 1990 from— |              |             | Percent change to<br>May 1990 from— |              |              |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                |                                  | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | June<br>1990 | June<br>1989                         | Apr.<br>1990 | May<br>1990 | May<br>1989                         | Mar.<br>1990 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| Selected local areas                           |                                  |              |              |             |              |                                      |              |             |                                     |              |              |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....       | M                                | 125.6        | 126.5        | 126.5       | 127.9        | 5.0                                  | 1.1          | 1.1         | 5.3                                 | 0.7          | 0.0          |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....        | M                                | 130.5        | 130.2        | 130.7       | 131.1        | 4.6                                  | .7           | .3          | 4.6                                 | .2           | .4           |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT ..... | M                                | 134.5        | 135.0        | 134.9       | 135.0        | 4.9                                  | .0           | .1          | 5.2                                 | .3           | -.1          |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....    | M                                | 133.8        | 134.4        | 134.9       | 135.5        | 5.1                                  | .8           | .4          | 5.5                                 | .8           | .4           |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....       | M                                | 129.0        | 129.8        | 129.9       | 130.7        | 4.1                                  | .7           | .6          | 3.3                                 | .7           | .1           |
| Baltimore, MD .....                            | 1                                | 128.6        | -            | 128.3       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 3.7                                 | -.2          | -            |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....             | 1                                | 136.5        | -            | 137.3       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 5.1                                 | .6           | -            |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....               | 1                                | 121.5        | -            | 122.1       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 3.7                                 | .5           | -            |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                | 1                                | 123.4        | -            | 124.6       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 3.8                                 | 1.0          | -            |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....          | 1                                | 126.5        | -            | 126.0       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 4.0                                 | -.4          | -            |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                     | 1                                | 132.9        | -            | 132.8       | -            | -                                    | -            | -           | 4.9                                 | -.1          | -            |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                    | 2                                | -            | 122.2        | -           | 123.2        | 2.7                                  | .8           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                    | 2                                | -            | 123.9        | -           | 124.7        | 4.5                                  | .6           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....           | 2                                | -            | 118.6        | -           | 120.0        | 4.8                                  | 1.2          | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....             | 2                                | -            | 120.1        | -           | 120.3        | 3.8                                  | .2           | -           | -                                   | -            | -            |

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast |                      |          | North Central |                      |          | South |                      |          | West  |                      |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|----------|-------|----------------------|----------|-------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                     | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index         | Percent change from— |          | Index | Percent change from— |          | Index | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                     |           | June 1989            | May 1990 |               | June 1989            | May 1990 |       | June 1989            | May 1990 |       | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |           |                      |          |               |                      |          |       |                      |          |       |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 133.6     | 4.9                  | 0.2      | 124.8         | 4.1                  | 0.7      | 126.4 | 4.2                  | 0.6      | 129.1 | 4.7                  | 0.6      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 208.7     | -                    | -        | 201.8         | -                    | -        | 204.6 | -                    | -        | 207.6 | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 135.5     | 5.2                  | .5       | 129.0         | 6.0                  | .7       | 130.2 | 5.3                  | .7       | 131.2 | 5.6                  | .4       |
| Food .....                                          | 135.6     | 5.2                  | .6       | 129.3         | 6.2                  | .8       | 130.8 | 5.5                  | .8       | 131.1 | 5.4                  | .2       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 135.2     | 6.0                  | .8       | 129.9         | 6.7                  | .9       | 129.6 | 5.6                  | 1.0      | 131.0 | 5.8                  | .2       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 142.8     | 6.3                  | .6       | 139.4         | 6.3                  | .5       | 136.4 | 5.2                  | .7       | 141.4 | 6.6                  | .5       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 133.8     | 6.4                  | 1.4      | 129.2         | 8.6                  | 1.8      | 127.0 | 7.3                  | 1.8      | 129.7 | 7.0                  | 2.0      |
| Dairy products .....                                | 123.9     | 9.5                  | .2       | 125.7         | 11.2                 | .4       | 126.6 | 9.7                  | .2       | 123.2 | 9.8                  | -.3      |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 152.5     | 6.0                  | .9       | 140.6         | 4.3                  | .3       | 144.6 | 3.5                  | 1.2      | 148.8 | 5.0                  | -2.6     |
| Other food at home .....                            | 126.9     | 3.7                  | .2       | 122.2         | 4.0                  | .7       | 122.4 | 3.1                  | .4       | 120.9 | 2.7                  | .4       |
| Sugar and sweets .....                              | 126.4     | 3.4                  | -.1      | 123.4         | 4.8                  | .1       | 124.0 | 5.8                  | .6       | 125.9 | 3.8                  | .0       |
| Fats and oils .....                                 | 129.5     | 3.0                  | -.5      | 124.0         | 4.5                  | 1.3      | 122.6 | 2.3                  | -.1      | 125.8 | 3.1                  | 1.0      |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                        | 120.3     | 2.6                  | .6       | 113.8         | 3.1                  | 1.2      | 111.7 | .3                   | .4       | 106.8 | 1.0                  | .3       |
| Other prepared food .....                           | 133.0     | 5.0                  | .2       | 128.8         | 4.4                  | .4       | 132.0 | 4.6                  | .3       | 129.9 | 3.5                  | .6       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 138.3     | 3.8                  | .1       | 128.7         | 5.6                  | .4       | 134.0 | 5.3                  | .2       | 131.6 | 4.8                  | .3       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 134.6     | 5.2                  | .4       | 126.7         | 3.6                  | .2       | 122.7 | 3.5                  | -.2      | 132.3 | 6.7                  | .7       |
| Housing .....                                       | 135.3     | 4.7                  | .3       | 121.2         | 3.5                  | 1.6      | 121.6 | 3.8                  | 1.0      | 128.6 | 5.2                  | .9       |
| Shelter .....                                       | 153.9     | 5.7                  | .1       | 128.8         | 4.4                  | .6       | 126.0 | 4.7                  | 1.1      | 136.4 | 6.3                  | 1.4      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 138.9     | 5.0                  | -.1      | 126.9         | 3.1                  | .8       | 120.4 | 3.8                  | .6       | 129.2 | 5.7                  | 1.2      |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 150.1     | 5.0                  | .1       | 131.8         | 3.3                  | .2       | 125.0 | 3.2                  | .6       | 140.9 | 5.1                  | .9       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 153.4     | 5.2                  | -1.0     | 149.1         | 2.5                  | 2.4      | 156.8 | 7.1                  | .5       | 144.2 | 10.7                 | 3.4      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 145.0     | 6.1                  | .2       | 127.9         | 4.8                  | .6       | 119.7 | 5.2                  | 1.4      | 133.1 | 6.7                  | 1.6      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 145.5     | 6.1                  | .1       | 128.0         | 4.8                  | .5       | 119.4 | 5.2                  | 1.4      | 133.0 | 6.8                  | 1.6      |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                       | NA        | -                    | -        | 120.0         | 5.0                  | .8       | 119.6 | 4.2                  | .1       | 117.1 | 2.0                  | 1.3      |
| Maintenance and repair services .....               | NA        | -                    | -        | 124.8         | 6.7                  | 1.4      | 122.4 | 6.5                  | .0       | 110.3 | 3.9                  | -        |
| Maintenance and repair commodities .....            | 115.3     | 2.3                  | .0       | 112.5         | 3.5                  | .3       | 115.8 | 1.0                  | .3       | 118.9 | .6                   | 2.1      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 105.0     | 3.1                  | 1.4      | 112.6         | 2.0                  | 5.6      | 117.7 | 3.3                  | 1.6      | 115.9 | 2.6                  | -.3      |
| Fuels .....                                         | 99.2      | 4.0                  | 2.0      | 103.8         | .0                   | 9.7      | 109.2 | 1.8                  | 2.1      | 115.3 | 2.8                  | -.3      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 83.7      | 5.7                  | -3.9     | 82.1          | 6.6                  | -2.0     | 89.7  | 7.6                  | -2.8     | 90.6  | 2.3                  | -2.4     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 82.2      | 4.8                  | -5.0     | 80.9          | 3.5                  | -3.5     | 83.7  | 6.4                  | -3.6     | 95.7  | 5.2                  | -2.3     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 114.2     | 9.4                  | 1.2      | 108.2         | 9.6                  | -.7      | 113.7 | 8.2                  | -2.4     | 105.0 | 1.1                  | -2.3     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 111.7     | 3.7                  | 3.6      | 109.2         | -.3                  | 10.3     | 112.4 | 1.4                  | 2.4      | 117.9 | 2.8                  | -.3      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 121.2     | 3.6                  | 5.9      | 129.0         | 1.1                  | 13.4     | 115.7 | 1.4                  | 3.3      | 127.6 | 4.5                  | .1       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 97.2      | 3.6                  | -.9      | 89.5          | -2.1                 | 6.0      | 101.4 | 2.1                  | -1.3     | 109.3 | -.5                  | -.9      |
| Other utilities and public services .....           | 131.3     | 1.9                  | .5       | 135.4         | 5.0                  | .3       | 136.4 | 4.9                  | .8       | 123.3 | 2.3                  | -.1      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 112.7     | 1.5                  | .3       | 111.6         | 1.9                  | -.1      | 112.9 | 1.3                  | -.1      | 112.2 | 2.0                  | -.4      |
| Housefurnishings .....                              | 103.9     | .5                   | .0       | 103.8         | 1.6                  | -.4      | 108.5 | .4                   | -.4      | 105.2 | 1.2                  | -.8      |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                         | 128.1     | 4.0                  | .9       | 129.6         | 3.4                  | .5       | 119.5 | 2.7                  | .7       | 127.9 | 5.4                  | .3       |
| Housekeeping services .....                         | 123.8     | 1.8                  | .1       | 117.2         | 1.5                  | .2       | 121.2 | 2.9                  | .2       | 117.8 | 1.9                  | .3       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 117.7     | 5.6                  | -3.0     | 121.9         | 4.7                  | -2.4     | 130.1 | 4.8                  | -.6      | 118.6 | 3.8                  | -1.4     |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 114.9     | 5.4                  | -3.3     | 121.0         | 4.8                  | -2.7     | 128.1 | 4.7                  | -.7      | 116.0 | 3.8                  | -1.6     |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 112.7     | 2.7                  | -2.6     | 119.1         | 3.5                  | -1.7     | 124.8 | 3.3                  | -1.2     | 119.2 | 4.2                  | -.4      |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 112.2     | 7.9                  | -5.8     | 119.8         | 4.3                  | -4.3     | 135.1 | 5.9                  | -.7      | 108.9 | 3.9                  | -1.7     |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....                | 133.9     | 6.1                  | 2.7      | 146.6         | 2.5                  | 1.0      | 127.3 | 2.2                  | -.3      | 107.5 | -.1                  | -1.9     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 117.1     | 1.9                  | -.5      | 123.4         | 10.3                 | -1.0     | 118.7 | 1.4                  | -.9      | 111.3 | .2                   | -.2      |
| Other apparel commodities .....                     | 133.4     | 8.2                  | 1.4      | 117.4         | 1.6                  | -1.2     | 124.2 | 9.7                  | .9       | 139.9 | 8.2                  | -4.6     |
| Apparel services .....                              | 143.6     | 7.1                  | .0       | 124.7         | 3.7                  | .2       | 139.9 | 5.7                  | .1       | 136.3 | 3.5                  | .2       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                      | Northeast |                      |          | North Central |                      |          | South     |                      |          | West      |                      |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                            | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index         | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          | Index     | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                            | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990 | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                                |           |                      |          |               |                      |          |           |                      |          |           |                      |          |
| Transportation .....                                       | 118.5     | 1.9                  | 0.9      | 116.3         | 1.2                  | 0.4      | 116.9     | 1.6                  | 0.3      | 119.5     | 1.3                  | 0.8      |
| Private transportation .....                               | 116.2     | 1.0                  | .9       | 115.4         | 1.0                  | .4       | 116.4     | 1.5                  | .3       | 118.0     | .7                   | .8       |
| New vehicles .....                                         | 118.6     | .8                   | -.5      | 119.5         | 1.3                  | -.3      | 123.3     | 2.0                  | -.2      | 121.0     | 2.6                  | -.4      |
| New cars .....                                             | 117.9     | .4                   | -.4      | 118.4         | .9                   | -.2      | 123.5     | 1.5                  | -.2      | 121.3     | 1.4                  | -.5      |
| Used cars .....                                            | 116.3     | -3.4                 | .6       | 116.2         | -3.6                 | .4       | 119.1     | -2.6                 | .7       | 116.5     | -3.3                 | .6       |
| Motor fuel .....                                           | 92.3      | -2.0                 | 3.4      | 97.0          | -.5                  | 1.7      | 93.9      | -1.1                 | 1.4      | 94.3      | -3.0                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                             | 92.3      | -2.1                 | 3.7      | 97.2          | -.7                  | 1.9      | 94.2      | -1.2                 | 1.7      | 94.2      | -2.9                 | 3.3      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                             | NA        | -                    | -        | 104.0         | 2.1                  | 2.4      | 97.8      | -1.4                 | 2.4      | 95.0      | -2.6                 | 3.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                           | 89.6      | -3.0                 | 3.9      | 95.0          | -1.0                 | 1.9      | 91.4      | -2.0                 | 1.9      | 92.7      | -3.2                 | 3.3      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                           | 95.9      | -.7                  | 3.3      | 103.4         | .5                   | 1.3      | 97.6      | .2                   | 1.3      | 96.2      | -1.8                 | 2.6      |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                              | 138.7     | 5.1                  | .4       | 121.1         | 3.8                  | -.1      | 129.4     | 3.9                  | -.2      | 131.6     | 4.3                  | .6       |
| Other private transportation .....                         | 137.4     | 3.5                  | .4       | 134.3         | 3.2                  | .2       | 141.2     | 4.7                  | .0       | 144.1     | 2.5                  | .3       |
| Other private transportation commodities .....             | 101.8     | 1.0                  | .6       | 99.8          | -.4                  | -.3      | 101.0     | -1.3                 | .1       | 100.9     | .3                   | .1       |
| Other private transportation services .....                | 144.2     | 3.8                  | .4       | 141.4         | 3.8                  | .2       | 152.4     | 6.0                  | -.1      | 154.4     | 3.1                  | .5       |
| Public transportation .....                                | 141.5     | 10.7                 | .5       | 136.0         | 7.3                  | .6       | 132.0     | 7.4                  | .2       | 146.6     | 9.2                  | .6       |
| Medical care .....                                         | 168.5     | 9.2                  | .5       | 157.3         | 8.7                  | .6       | 160.8     | 8.4                  | .6       | 162.0     | 8.8                  | .9       |
| Medical care commodities .....                             | 162.5     | 9.5                  | .5       | 162.8         | 7.6                  | .9       | 161.3     | 7.7                  | .7       | 163.1     | 8.3                  | .6       |
| Medical care services .....                                | 169.8     | 9.1                  | .5       | 156.2         | 9.0                  | .6       | 160.6     | 8.5                  | .5       | 161.8     | 9.0                  | 1.0      |
| Professional medical services .....                        | 164.8     | 6.9                  | .4       | 150.9         | 6.5                  | .4       | 156.6     | 6.5                  | .3       | 152.1     | 6.6                  | .7       |
| Entertainment .....                                        | 135.1     | 5.6                  | -.2      | 129.8         | 4.1                  | .1       | 127.4     | 3.7                  | .2       | 131.1     | 4.3                  | .3       |
| Entertainment commodities .....                            | 123.6     | 3.8                  | .0       | 124.0         | 3.1                  | .2       | 120.0     | 2.4                  | -.2      | 125.5     | 3.4                  | -.6      |
| Entertainment services .....                               | 151.2     | 7.8                  | -.5      | 138.0         | 5.2                  | .0       | 141.0     | 5.5                  | .6       | 140.2     | 5.3                  | 1.4      |
| Other goods and services .....                             | 163.6     | 8.6                  | 1.0      | 154.9         | 7.5                  | 1.0      | 153.8     | 7.3                  | 1.0      | 159.5     | 8.1                  | .8       |
| Tobacco and smoking products .....                         | 179.2     | 12.1                 | 2.8      | 180.8         | 10.7                 | 2.3      | 172.8     | 8.3                  | 2.2      | 197.8     | 10.1                 | 2.1      |
| Personal care .....                                        | 138.5     | 5.9                  | .6       | 123.2         | 2.6                  | .4       | 126.7     | 4.9                  | .6       | 136.2     | 7.5                  | 1.0      |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                    | 173.2     | 7.6                  | .1       | 161.4         | 7.1                  | .2       | 167.0     | 7.5                  | .5       | 167.1     | 7.4                  | .1       |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>                         |           |                      |          |               |                      |          |           |                      |          |           |                      |          |
| All items .....                                            | 133.6     | 4.9                  | .2       | 124.8         | 4.1                  | .7       | 126.4     | 4.2                  | .6       | 129.1     | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Commodities .....                                          | 122.7     | 4.0                  | .1       | 119.6         | 3.8                  | .3       | 121.5     | 3.2                  | .3       | 121.0     | 3.6                  | .2       |
| Food and beverages .....                                   | 135.5     | 5.2                  | .5       | 129.0         | 6.0                  | .7       | 130.2     | 5.3                  | .7       | 131.2     | 5.6                  | .4       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                  | 113.8     | 3.0                  | -.2      | 114.2         | 2.4                  | -.2      | 116.5     | 2.0                  | .2       | 114.7     | 2.2                  | .2       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....                  | 113.7     | 4.6                  | -.2      | 117.9         | 3.9                  | -.1      | 118.1     | 3.4                  | .3       | 117.3     | 3.2                  | .6       |
| Apparel commodities .....                                  | 114.9     | 5.4                  | -3.3     | 121.0         | 4.8                  | -2.7     | 128.1     | 4.7                  | -.7      | 116.0     | 3.8                  | -1.6     |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....        | 116.1     | 4.0                  | 1.4      | 118.9         | 3.5                  | 1.1      | 116.2     | 2.8                  | 1.0      | 120.4     | 2.8                  | 1.6      |
| Durables .....                                             | 111.7     | .4                   | -.2      | 108.2         | .3                   | -.2      | 113.4     | .3                   | -.1      | 111.5     | 1.1                  | -.4      |
| Services .....                                             | 147.5     | 5.7                  | .3       | 131.9         | 4.4                  | 1.3      | 133.0     | 5.1                  | .9       | 138.1     | 5.7                  | 1.0      |
| Rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....                         | 143.5     | 5.8                  | .1       | 127.7         | 4.3                  | .6       | 119.8     | 4.7                  | 1.2      | 131.5     | 6.5                  | 1.5      |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 111.8     | 2.7                  | 1.8      | 111.9         | 1.9                  | 4.8      | 115.7     | 3.1                  | 1.4      | 113.7     | 2.3                  | -.1      |
| Transportation services .....                              | 142.4     | 5.6                  | .4       | 135.7         | 4.4                  | .2       | 143.2     | 5.7                  | -.1      | 147.1     | 4.3                  | .5       |
| Medical care services .....                                | 169.8     | 9.1                  | .5       | 156.2         | 9.0                  | .6       | 160.6     | 8.5                  | .5       | 161.8     | 9.0                  | 1.0      |
| Other services .....                                       | 157.2     | 7.2                  | -.1      | 140.7         | 5.7                  | .1       | 146.6     | 6.6                  | .5       | 144.7     | 5.8                  | .6       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Regions,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast |                      |           | North Central |                      |           | South |                      |          | West  |                      |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------------|-----------|-------|----------------------|----------|-------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                     | Index     | Percent change from— |           | Index         | Percent change from— |           | Index | Percent change from— |          | Index | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                     |           | June 1990            | June 1989 |               | May 1990             | June 1990 |       | June 1989            | May 1990 |       | June 1990            | June 1989 |
| Special indexes                                     |           |                      |           |               |                      |           |       |                      |          |       |                      |           |
| All items less food .....                           | 133.1     | 4.8                  | 0.2       | 123.7         | 3.6                  | 0.7       | 125.3 | 3.9                  | 0.6      | 128.6 | 4.5                  | 0.6       |
| All items less shelter .....                        | 127.8     | 4.5                  | .3        | 124.3         | 4.0                  | .7        | 126.7 | 4.0                  | .5       | 127.0 | 3.9                  | .2        |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> ..... | 123.2     | 4.6                  | .3        | 119.4         | 3.9                  | .8        | 120.1 | 4.1                  | .5       | 121.5 | 4.2                  | .4        |
| All items less medical care .....                   | 132.1     | 4.7                  | .2        | 123.3         | 3.9                  | .8        | 124.3 | 3.9                  | .6       | 127.4 | 4.4                  | .6        |
| Commodities less food .....                         | 114.6     | 3.1                  | -.2       | 114.6         | 2.5                  | -.1       | 116.6 | 2.1                  | .2       | 115.4 | 2.5                  | .2        |
| Nondurables less food .....                         | 114.8     | 4.6                  | -.2       | 118.2         | 3.9                  | -.1       | 118.1 | 3.5                  | .4       | 118.0 | 3.5                  | .6        |
| Nondurables less food and apparel .....             | 117.1     | 4.2                  | 1.3       | 118.9         | 3.6                  | 1.0       | 115.9 | 2.9                  | .9       | 120.4 | 3.4                  | 1.5       |
| Nondurables .....                                   | 125.1     | 4.9                  | .2        | 123.6         | 5.0                  | .3        | 124.2 | 4.4                  | .5       | 124.5 | 4.4                  | .4        |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....    | 129.8     | 5.6                  | .8        | 124.5         | 4.4                  | 1.9       | 128.7 | 5.5                  | .7       | 130.3 | 4.8                  | .4        |
| Services less medical care .....                    | 145.7     | 5.4                  | .3        | 129.7         | 4.0                  | 1.4       | 129.8 | 4.8                  | .9       | 136.1 | 5.4                  | 1.0       |
| Energy .....                                        | 95.7      | 1.6                  | 2.6       | 100.0         | -.2                  | 5.6       | 99.7  | .4                   | 1.8      | 102.5 | -.6                  | 1.7       |
| All items less energy .....                         | 139.1     | 5.2                  | .1        | 128.7         | 4.6                  | .3        | 130.3 | 4.6                  | .5       | 132.4 | 5.0                  | .5        |
| All items less food and energy .....                | 140.2     | 5.2                  | -.1       | 128.5         | 4.1                  | .2        | 130.3 | 4.4                  | .5       | 132.9 | 5.0                  | .6        |
| Commodities less food and energy .....              | 122.8     | 3.8                  | -.5       | 120.1         | 3.0                  | -.3       | 123.1 | 2.6                  | .0       | 121.7 | 3.4                  | -.2       |
| Energy commodities .....                            | 90.2      | -.4                  | 1.7       | 96.6          | -.2                  | 1.6       | 94.0  | -.6                  | 1.2      | 95.1  | -3.0                 | 3.0       |
| Services less energy .....                          | 151.3     | 5.8                  | .1        | 135.0         | 4.9                  | .4        | 135.6 | 5.5                  | .7       | 139.8 | 5.8                  | 1.0       |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>NA</sup> Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |                      |           | 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— |           |
|                                                     |                           | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |           |
| All items .....                                     | 117.8                     | 4.5                  | 0.5       | 127.4        | 4.4                  | 0.5       | 127.7        | 3.8                  | 0.6       | 126.9        | 5.0                  | 1.0       |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 117.8                     | -                    | -         | 205.6        | -                    | -         | 204.6        | -                    | -         | 205.0        | -                    | -         |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 118.8                     | 5.7                  | .5        | 131.7        | 5.5                  | .7        | 129.9        | 5.2                  | .7        | 129.5        | 5.5                  | .5        |
| Food .....                                          | 119.0                     | 5.7                  | .6        | 132.1        | 5.7                  | .7        | 130.3        | 5.4                  | .8        | 129.8        | 5.4                  | .5        |
| Food at home .....                                  | 121.1                     | 6.2                  | .7        | 132.5        | 6.3                  | 1.0       | 129.0        | 5.4                  | .9        | 128.4        | 5.7                  | .7        |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 125.2                     | 6.4                  | .6        | 139.6        | 6.0                  | .4        | 137.1        | 4.8                  | .2        | 140.5        | 6.2                  | 1.5       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 119.9                     | 7.0                  | 1.8       | 131.0        | 8.1                  | 1.9       | 126.3        | 7.5                  | 2.0       | 125.4        | 7.1                  | .4        |
| Dairy products .....                                | 119.8                     | 10.8                 | .2        | 125.1        | 10.0                 | .1        | 121.6        | 8.6                  | .2        | 122.5        | 9.2                  | -.3       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 132.5                     | 4.7                  | -.6       | 152.4        | 5.1                  | .9        | 144.8        | 3.8                  | .7        | 147.0        | 5.8                  | 1.5       |
| Other food at home .....                            | 113.7                     | 4.0                  | .4        | 123.4        | 3.1                  | .7        | 123.1        | 2.8                  | .3        | 119.0        | 2.1                  | .4        |
| Sugar and sweets .....                              | 113.8                     | 4.8                  | .2        | 126.4        | 4.6                  | .7        | 125.0        | 4.3                  | -.3       | 119.0        | 4.4                  | .5        |
| Fats and oils .....                                 | 119.0                     | 3.6                  | .3        | 124.1        | 2.5                  | .2        | 125.2        | 3.6                  | .3        | 118.0        | 1.7                  | 1.1       |
| Nonalcoholic beverages .....                        | 106.8                     | 2.8                  | .6        | 111.0        | 1.6                  | 1.0       | 112.6        | .0                   | .2        | 108.9        | -.4                  | 1.1       |
| Other prepared food .....                           | 118.5                     | 4.8                  | .3        | 134.3        | 3.9                  | .7        | 130.8        | 4.4                  | .6        | 127.0        | 3.0                  | -.1       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 115.6                     | 4.8                  | .3        | 132.4        | 4.8                  | .2        | 133.6        | 5.2                  | .5        | 132.7        | 4.8                  | .1        |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 116.7                     | 5.1                  | .3        | 127.7        | 4.2                  | .2        | 126.7        | 3.9                  | .1        | 125.8        | 5.5                  | .9        |
| Housing .....                                       | 115.8                     | 4.4                  | 1.0       | 124.8        | 4.5                  | .6        | 126.0        | 2.8                  | .7        | 123.9        | 5.1                  | 1.9       |
| Shelter .....                                       | 118.6                     | 5.4                  | .5        | 134.1        | 5.8                  | .9        | 135.7        | 3.7                  | .9        | 135.3        | 6.5                  | 3.0       |
| Renters' costs <sup>3</sup> .....                   | 116.9                     | 5.1                  | .7        | 132.7        | 5.5                  | .6        | 121.4        | 1.3                  | .3        | 120.9        | 3.6                  | .5        |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 115.8                     | 4.8                  | .6        | 135.5        | 4.4                  | .5        | 128.1        | 2.5                  | .1        | 127.3        | 3.0                  | .3        |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 124.0                     | 7.5                  | 1.4       | 173.5        | 9.2                  | .7        | 140.8        | -.4                  | 1.4       | 139.1        | 7.0                  | 1.5       |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>3</sup> .....                | 119.6                     | 5.7                  | .4        | 130.1        | 5.9                  | 1.1       | 128.8        | 4.7                  | 1.2       | 128.6        | 7.7                  | 4.0       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>3</sup> .....          | 119.8                     | 5.6                  | .4        | 130.2        | 5.9                  | 1.1       | 129.0        | 4.8                  | 1.3       | 128.5        | 7.9                  | 4.0       |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                       | 110.2                     | 2.4                  | -.2       | 123.1        | 4.7                  | .5        | 123.4        | 5.5                  | .3        | 120.2        | 2.9                  | .2        |
| Maintenance and repair services .....               | 110.8                     | 3.1                  | -.5       | 130.7        | 7.6                  | 2.8       | 131.9        | 6.8                  | .5        | 125.0        | 4.3                  | .5        |
| Maintenance and repair commodities .....            | 109.5                     | 1.6                  | 1.5       | 116.8        | 2.5                  | -.1       | 112.4        | 3.3                  | .1        | 114.0        | 1.1                  | -.2       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 113.5                     | 2.6                  | 3.9       | 112.1        | 3.2                  | .6        | 115.9        | 2.2                  | .6        | 110.2        | 4.2                  | .8        |
| Fuels .....                                         | 117.2                     | 2.2                  | 6.5       | 100.7        | 2.0                  | .5        | 106.8        | 1.4                  | .8        | 98.4         | 2.0                  | 1.3       |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 121.8                     | 7.0                  | -.2       | 82.6         | 4.3                  | -.3       | 85.9         | 6.4                  | -.4       | 77.1         | 3.6                  | -.5       |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 122.7                     | 5.6                  | -.4       | 83.5         | 5.4                  | -.4       | 81.9         | 4.5                  | -.5       | 72.1         | -.1                  | -.8       |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>2</sup> ..... | 119.2                     | 11.9                 | 1.8       | 106.2        | 3.0                  | -.1       | 109.6        | 9.1                  | -.2       | 110.5        | 8.5                  | -.2       |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 116.9                     | 1.8                  | 7.5       | 106.7        | 1.7                  | .9        | 114.6        | 1.1                  | 1.4       | 106.7        | 1.8                  | 2.0       |
| Electricity .....                                   | 124.9                     | 2.4                  | 9.7       | 116.5        | 2.4                  | 1.4       | 123.0        | 1.5                  | 2.7       | 116.4        | 2.9                  | 3.1       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 104.2                     | .8                   | 3.6       | 89.6         | -.1                  | -.3       | 100.8        | -.2                  | -.2       | 90.4         | -.1                  | -.9       |
| Other utilities and public services .....           | 108.8                     | 3.2                  | .6        | 138.4        | 4.8                  | .7        | 136.3        | 3.1                  | .1        | 136.4        | 6.3                  | .1        |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 106.8                     | 1.9                  | -.1       | 112.5        | 2.0                  | -.4       | 109.9        | .4                   | .1        | 111.8        | 2.2                  | .2        |
| Housefurnishings .....                              | 103.4                     | 1.5                  | -.4       | 106.2        | 1.3                  | -.9       | 102.4        | -.1                  | .0        | 104.9        | 1.0                  | -.1       |
| Housekeeping supplies .....                         | 116.7                     | 3.6                  | .6        | 122.9        | 3.4                  | .4        | 125.8        | 3.7                  | .6        | 126.5        | 5.1                  | 1.1       |
| Housekeeping services .....                         | 108.5                     | 1.6                  | .2        | 122.5        | 2.9                  | .2        | 118.5        | 1.5                  | .3        | 117.9        | 3.3                  | .3        |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 114.6                     | 5.5                  | -.2       | 121.2        | 2.5                  | -.1       | 124.6        | 4.2                  | -.1       | 122.6        | 5.5                  | -.7       |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 114.4                     | 5.5                  | -.2       | 118.7        | 2.1                  | -.1       | 123.6        | 4.1                  | -.1       | 121.5        | 5.7                  | -.8       |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 111.5                     | 3.6                  | -.1       | 117.3        | .3                   | -.2       | 124.8        | 6.1                  | -.2       | 113.8        | 2.6                  | -.2       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 112.0                     | 6.5                  | -.4       | 123.9        | 3.4                  | -.2       | 124.7        | 4.4                  | -.1       | 124.8        | 6.8                  | -.9       |
| Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....                | 116.9                     | 2.6                  | 1.4       | 116.7        | 6.2                  | .5        | 138.8        | .9                   | -.3       | 116.7        | 1.0                  | -.3       |
| Footwear .....                                      | 115.9                     | 5.3                  | -.9       | 113.6        | .4                   | -.3       | 118.5        | 1.2                  | -.5       | 120.5        | 4.0                  | -.7       |
| Other apparel commodities .....                     | 131.0                     | 8.9                  | -.1       | 111.0        | .2                   | -.1       | 119.6        | 5.0                  | .2        | 138.2        | 15.6                 | -.9       |
| Apparel services .....                              | 116.9                     | 4.7                  | .2        | 139.3        | 7.3                  | .1        | 133.9        | 4.9                  | .1        | 128.9        | 3.7                  | .0        |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                      | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |                      |           | 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— |           |          |
|                                                            |                           | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |              | June 1989            | May 1990 |              | June 1990            | June 1989 | May 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                       |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| Transportation .....                                       | 116.9                     | 1.4                  | 0.7       | 118.1        | 1.4                  | 0.3       | 116.2        | 1.9                  | 0.5      | 117.5        | 1.6                  | 0.6       |          |
| Private transportation .....                               | 117.1                     | .9                   | .7        | 117.1        | .9                   | .3        | 115.5        | 1.8                  | .5       | 115.9        | 1.3                  | .6        |          |
| New vehicles .....                                         | 105.6                     | 1.4                  | -.3       | 120.9        | 1.7                  | -.5       | 121.3        | 2.4                  | -.2      | 122.2        | 1.9                  | -.8       |          |
| New cars .....                                             | 105.2                     | 1.0                  | -.3       | 119.4        | .8                   | -.4       | 121.5        | 1.8                  | -.1      | 120.9        | .6                   | -1.1      |          |
| Used cars .....                                            | 108.5                     | -3.5                 | .6        | 120.3        | -2.3                 | .8        | 117.5        | -3.1                 | .6       | 119.2        | -2.9                 | .7        |          |
| Motor fuel .....                                           | 138.5                     | -1.2                 | 2.5       | 93.7         | -1.7                 | 1.4       | 94.3         | -1.6                 | 2.1      | 92.4         | -2.0                 | 2.6       |          |
| Gasoline .....                                             | 138.7                     | -1.4                 | 2.6       | 93.9         | -1.7                 | 1.7       | 94.8         | -1.6                 | 2.6      | 92.4         | -2.5                 | 2.8       |          |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                             | 150.7                     | .7                   | 2.6       | 101.7        | 1.7                  | 3.4       | 98.6         | -.6                  | 3.5      | 93.7         | -3.8                 | 3.3       |          |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                           | 138.0                     | -1.8                 | 2.8       | 91.2         | -2.6                 | 1.7       | 92.5         | -2.3                 | 2.5      | 89.7         | -2.7                 | 3.2       |          |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                           | 133.0                     | -.1                  | 2.2       | 97.8         | -.6                  | 1.6       | 99.0         | -.2                  | 2.6      | 95.5         | -1.2                 | 1.1       |          |
| Maintenance and repairs .....                              | 115.9                     | 4.4                  | .2        | 130.0        | 4.1                  | .0        | 127.1        | 4.5                  | .3       | 124.8        | 2.5                  | .1        |          |
| Other private transportation .....                         | 118.4                     | 2.7                  | .3        | 140.2        | 3.0                  | .1        | 138.5        | 5.4                  | .0       | 134.5        | 6.2                  | .4        |          |
| Other private transportation commodities .....             | 104.3                     | -.2                  | .1        | 101.6        | -.9                  | -.3       | 99.6         | -1.0                 | .0       | 113.7        | 2.2                  | .7        |          |
| Other private transportation services .....                | 121.7                     | 3.2                  | .3        | 149.4        | 3.8                  | .1        | 148.9        | 7.0                  | .0       | 139.6        | 7.1                  | .3        |          |
| Public transportation .....                                | 114.7                     | 9.0                  | .6        | 148.3        | 10.2                 | .2        | 137.6        | 6.9                  | .5       | 163.5        | 8.1                  | .1        |          |
| Medical care .....                                         | 129.3                     | 8.6                  | .5        | 160.1        | 9.1                  | .8        | 160.4        | 8.3                  | .6       | 159.1        | 9.3                  | .6        |          |
| Medical care commodities .....                             | 131.6                     | 9.1                  | .9        | 163.3        | 6.8                  | .2        | 157.5        | 7.2                  | .3       | 157.7        | 7.4                  | .9        |          |
| Medical care services .....                                | 128.8                     | 8.4                  | .5        | 159.5        | 9.6                  | .9        | 161.1        | 8.6                  | .8       | 159.4        | 9.8                  | .5        |          |
| Professional medical services .....                        | 125.2                     | 6.2                  | .2        | 151.8        | 6.5                  | .7        | 158.6        | 6.9                  | .8       | 159.2        | 8.7                  | .3        |          |
| Entertainment .....                                        | 116.6                     | 4.3                  | -.1       | 125.6        | 4.1                  | .5        | 135.6        | 4.6                  | .4       | 124.2        | 5.3                  | -.1       |          |
| Entertainment commodities .....                            | 113.8                     | 2.8                  | -.3       | 117.5        | 2.7                  | .0        | 126.9        | 3.5                  | .2       | 122.9        | 5.0                  | -.2       |          |
| Entertainment services .....                               | 119.7                     | 5.9                  | .2        | 139.4        | 5.4                  | .9        | 150.6        | 6.1                  | .7       | 126.6        | 5.7                  | .2        |          |
| Other goods and services .....                             | 128.1                     | 7.9                  | .8        | 158.3        | 7.4                  | 1.0       | 154.1        | 7.5                  | 1.6      | 155.4        | 8.8                  | 1.0       |          |
| Tobacco and smoking products .....                         | 142.7                     | 10.4                 | 1.8       | 177.0        | 9.3                  | 2.5       | 181.6        | 10.3                 | 3.6      | 181.2        | 10.9                 | 2.5       |          |
| Personal care .....                                        | 116.8                     | 5.6                  | .8        | 129.6        | 4.3                  | .3        | 128.8        | 5.1                  | .9       | 120.6        | 2.0                  | -.5       |          |
| Personal and educational expenses .....                    | 125.2                     | 7.4                  | .1        | 171.8        | 7.3                  | .2        | 159.6        | 6.5                  | .4       | 164.8        | 10.0                 | .4        |          |
| Commodity and service group                                |                           |                      |           |              |                      |           |              |                      |          |              |                      |           |          |
| All items .....                                            | 117.8                     | 4.5                  | .5        | 127.4        | 4.4                  | .5        | 127.7        | 3.8                  | .6       | 126.9        | 5.0                  | 1.0       |          |
| Commodities .....                                          | 116.9                     | 3.9                  | .2        | 120.4        | 3.3                  | .2        | 121.1        | 3.3                  | .5       | 121.2        | 3.6                  | .4        |          |
| Food and beverages .....                                   | 118.8                     | 5.7                  | .5        | 131.7        | 5.5                  | .7        | 129.9        | 5.2                  | .7       | 129.5        | 5.5                  | .5        |          |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....                  | 115.6                     | 2.7                  | -.1       | 114.0        | 1.8                  | -.2       | 115.8        | 2.1                  | .3       | 116.3        | 2.5                  | .3        |          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....                  | 123.4                     | 4.2                  | .0        | 114.9        | 2.5                  | .0        | 117.3        | 3.6                  | .6       | 116.8        | 4.0                  | .8        |          |
| Apparel commodities .....                                  | 114.4                     | 5.5                  | -2.5      | 118.7        | 2.1                  | -1.9      | 123.6        | 4.1                  | -1.0     | 121.5        | 5.7                  | -.8       |          |
| Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....        | 128.6                     | 3.5                  | 1.3       | 115.5        | 2.7                  | .9        | 117.0        | 3.3                  | 1.3      | 116.3        | 3.3                  | 1.3       |          |
| Durables .....                                             | 105.4                     | .5                   | -.2       | 111.4        | .7                   | -.4       | 112.5        | .2                   | .1       | 113.6        | .5                   | -.2       |          |
| Services .....                                             | 118.8                     | 5.2                  | .9        | 136.3        | 5.6                  | .7        | 137.2        | 4.4                  | .8       | 135.4        | 6.4                  | 1.7       |          |
| Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....                         | 118.8                     | 5.5                  | .5        | 131.0        | 5.8                  | .9        | 126.8        | 3.8                  | 1.0      | 126.3        | 6.7                  | 3.0       |          |
| Household services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> ..... | 112.3                     | 2.3                  | 3.5       | 113.1        | 3.2                  | .7        | 114.4        | 2.0                  | .7       | 111.1        | 4.0                  | 1.0       |          |
| Transportation services .....                              | 118.9                     | 4.6                  | .3        | 144.0        | 4.6                  | .1        | 141.3        | 6.4                  | .1       | 138.9        | 6.2                  | .2        |          |
| Medical care services .....                                | 128.8                     | 8.4                  | .5        | 159.5        | 9.6                  | .9        | 161.1        | 8.6                  | .8       | 159.4        | 9.8                  | .5        |          |
| Other services .....                                       | 121.8                     | 6.4                  | .2        | 148.8        | 6.4                  | .5        | 145.2        | 5.9                  | .6       | 139.6        | 7.8                  | .4        |          |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Size class A <sup>2</sup> |           |                      | 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— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990                 | June 1989 |                      | May 1990     | June 1990 |                      | June 1989    | May 1990 |                      | June 1990    | June 1989 |                      | May 1990 |
| Special indexes                                     |                           |           |                      |              |           |                      |              |          |                      |              |           |                      |          |
| All items less food .....                           | 117.6                     | 4.3       | 0.5                  | 126.3        | 4.1       | 0.4                  | 127.0        | 3.5      | 0.6                  | 126.1        | 4.9       | 1.1                  |          |
| All items less shelter .....                        | 117.6                     | 4.3       | .6                   | 125.9        | 4.0       | .3                   | 125.6        | 3.9      | .5                   | 125.0        | 4.6       | .5                   |          |
| All items less homeowners' costs <sup>3</sup> ..... | 117.5                     | 4.4       | .6                   | 120.6        | 4.1       | .2                   | 119.6        | 3.6      | .5                   | 118.8        | 4.5       | .4                   |          |
| All items less medical care .....                   | 117.3                     | 4.4       | .5                   | 125.7        | 4.1       | .5                   | 126.0        | 3.6      | .6                   | 124.9        | 4.7       | 1.1                  |          |
| Commodities less food .....                         | 115.6                     | 2.8       | -.1                  | 114.4        | 1.9       | -.1                  | 116.1        | 2.2      | .3                   | 116.6        | 2.6       | .4                   |          |
| Nondurables less food .....                         | 122.7                     | 4.2       | .0                   | 115.4        | 2.7       | .1                   | 117.5        | 3.6      | .5                   | 117.0        | 4.1       | .7                   |          |
| Nondurables less food and apparel .....             | 126.9                     | 3.8       | 1.2                  | 115.8        | 2.8       | .8                   | 117.0        | 3.4      | 1.2                  | 116.5        | 3.6       | 1.3                  |          |
| Nondurables .....                                   | 120.8                     | 5.0       | .2                   | 123.4        | 4.1       | .4                   | 123.6        | 4.5      | .7                   | 123.4        | 4.8       | .7                   |          |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....    | 118.7                     | 4.8       | 1.3                  | 128.4        | 5.3       | .5                   | 127.8        | 4.9      | .6                   | 125.3        | 6.3       | .6                   |          |
| Services less medical care .....                    | 118.0                     | 4.9       | .9                   | 134.0        | 5.2       | .7                   | 134.7        | 3.9      | .7                   | 132.4        | 6.0       | 1.8                  |          |
| Energy .....                                        | 126.8                     | .5        | 4.5                  | 96.1         | .1        | .9                   | 99.3         | .1       | 1.5                  | 94.7         | .0        | 2.0                  |          |
| All items less energy .....                         | 117.1                     | 4.9       | .2                   | 131.8        | 4.9       | .4                   | 132.0        | 4.3      | .5                   | 131.5        | 5.5       | .8                   |          |
| All items less food and energy .....                | 116.7                     | 4.8       | .2                   | 131.8        | 4.6       | .3                   | 132.5        | 4.0      | .5                   | 132.0        | 5.5       | 1.0                  |          |
| Commodities less food and energy .....              | 112.7                     | 3.5       | -.4                  | 120.6        | 2.5       | -.3                  | 122.9        | 2.8      | .2                   | 123.5        | 3.5       | .2                   |          |
| Energy commodities .....                            | 137.1                     | -.7       | 2.1                  | 92.6         | -1.2      | 1.0                  | 93.9         | -.8      | 1.5                  | 91.0         | -1.5      | 1.9                  |          |
| Services less energy .....                          | 118.9                     | 5.4       | .4                   | 139.7        | 5.9       | .7                   | 140.0        | 4.8      | .7                   | 138.9        | 6.8       | 1.5                  |          |

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on table 11 for information about population size classes.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Northeast    |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                     | Size class A |                      |          | Size class B |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                     | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 133.3        | 4.9                  | 0.2      | 132.9        | 5.6                  | 0.6      | 135.7        | 4.1                  | 0.6      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 203.7        | -                    | -        | 212.1        | -                    | -        | 225.6        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 136.0        | 5.0                  | .4       | 137.1        | 6.4                  | 1.0      | 131.0        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Food .....                                          | 136.0        | 5.0                  | .4       | 137.1        | 6.3                  | 1.1      | 131.6        | 4.9                  | .6       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 135.6        | 5.7                  | .5       | 137.7        | 8.0                  | 1.8      | 129.3        | 5.4                  | .8       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 142.1        | 6.0                  | .5       | 142.8        | 6.7                  | .3       | 145.6        | 6.0                  | .4       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 135.6        | 5.9                  | 1.0      | 134.9        | 8.4                  | 2.5      | 124.7        | 6.3                  | 3.0      |
| Dairy products .....                                | 124.6        | 9.8                  | .4       | 127.3        | 11.3                 | -.3      | 115.0        | 6.8                  | .0       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 151.8        | 5.3                  | .2       | 156.1        | 9.1                  | 3.4      | 147.3        | 6.4                  | .2       |
| Other food at home .....                            | 125.9        | 3.4                  | .2       | 132.9        | 6.0                  | 1.5      | 123.1        | 2.2                  | -.8      |
| Food away from home .....                           | 138.4        | 3.7                  | .2       | 138.6        | 3.7                  | .0       | 137.5        | 4.1                  | .4       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 135.8        | 4.9                  | .4       | 139.8        | 7.9                  | .9       | 125.7        | 3.0                  | .6       |
| Housing .....                                       | 133.2        | 4.7                  | .2       | 135.0        | 5.6                  | .5       | 142.7        | 3.4                  | .5       |
| Shelter .....                                       | 149.1        | 5.8                  | -.3      | 154.4        | 6.5                  | .7       | 169.9        | 4.5                  | 1.1      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 137.7        | 5.5                  | .0       | 150.2        | 6.1                  | -.1      | 131.8        | .8                   | -1.0     |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 149.2        | 5.7                  | .1       | 154.5        | 5.7                  | .4       | 147.5        | .4                   | -1.0     |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 150.1        | 4.7                  | -.9      | 173.2        | 7.0                  | -1.1     | 115.1        | 4.9                  | -.9      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 141.5        | 6.0                  | -.4      | 148.2        | 6.6                  | 1.1      | 153.5        | 5.9                  | 2.0      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 142.0        | 6.0                  | -.4      | 148.6        | 6.7                  | 1.0      | 154.1        | 5.9                  | 1.9      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 105.6        | 3.2                  | 2.3      | 105.3        | 4.1                  | .1       | 102.9        | 2.1                  | -.9      |
| Fuels .....                                         | 102.8        | 4.6                  | 3.5      | 95.2         | 3.4                  | -.4      | 89.9         | 1.6                  | -1.4     |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 86.8         | 6.9                  | -2.9     | 81.2         | 4.5                  | -4.4     | 78.6         | 3.6                  | -5.2     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 84.6         | 5.5                  | -4.4     | 80.0         | 3.5                  | -5.1     | 78.7         | 4.7                  | -5.4     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 126.5        | 17.6                 | 8.4      | 110.6        | 7.3                  | -2.0     | 100.4        | .3                   | -4.6     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 114.0        | 4.1                  | 4.9      | 108.5        | 2.9                  | .8       | 103.9        | .8                   | .2       |
| Electricity .....                                   | 124.1        | 3.4                  | 8.6      | 118.7        | 4.6                  | 1.6      | 111.5        | 1.7                  | .0       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 100.1        | 5.3                  | -1.1     | 89.9         | -1.1                 | -1.3     | 88.9         | -2.1                 | 1.0      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 112.7        | 1.2                  | .4       | 115.0        | 3.8                  | .2       | 108.0        | -.4                  | -.8      |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 115.5        | 6.2                  | -3.8     | 117.4        | 3.8                  | -1.2     | 128.5        | 4.6                  | -1.0     |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 111.8        | 6.1                  | -4.2     | 115.4        | 3.7                  | -1.3     | 127.0        | 4.1                  | -1.0     |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 108.6        | 2.0                  | -2.4     | 111.6        | .5                   | -4.4     | 131.7        | 9.0                  | -1.6     |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 106.3        | 8.6                  | -8.0     | 120.6        | 6.2                  | -.7      | 129.2        | 5.8                  | -.3      |
| Footwear .....                                      | 117.9        | 2.3                  | -.5      | 112.0        | 4.0                  | .9       | 117.3        | -1.5                 | -1.6     |
| Transportation .....                                | 119.5        | 1.9                  | .8       | 117.0        | 2.3                  | .4       | 116.9        | 1.5                  | .9       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 116.4        | .7                   | .9       | 115.7        | 1.7                  | .5       | 115.7        | 1.2                  | 1.0      |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 92.2         | -1.7                 | 3.8      | 91.2         | -2.6                 | 2.7      | 91.4         | -3.1                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 92.2         | -1.7                 | 3.9      | 91.3         | -2.6                 | 3.2      | 91.4         | -3.5                 | 3.4      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | NA           | -                    | -        | 109.6        | 4.8                  | 5.8      | 95.5         | -2.9                 | 2.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 89.2         | -2.4                 | 4.3      | 88.1         | -3.6                 | 3.3      | 89.5         | -4.6                 | 3.6      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 95.5         | -.6                  | 3.8      | 96.5         | -1.0                 | 2.6      | 95.7         | -1.6                 | 2.8      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 139.8        | 11.0                 | .6       | 148.2        | 11.2                 | -.1      | 143.4        | 6.8                  | .6       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 169.6        | 8.9                  | .5       | 166.9        | 11.1                 | .7       | 165.1        | 8.8                  | .5       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 135.9        | 5.5                  | -.6      | 126.8        | 4.7                  | .6       | 143.8        | 8.1                  | .1       |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 162.9        | 8.2                  | .9       | 169.1        | 9.5                  | 1.3      | 159.5        | 8.4                  | 1.3      |
| Personal care .....                                 | 140.8        | 5.5                  | .9       | 133.0        | 7.1                  | .0       | 129.8        | 7.6                  | -.1      |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Northeast    |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                  | Size class A |                      |          | Size class B |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 133.3        | 4.9                  | 0.2      | 132.9        | 5.6                  | 0.6      | 135.7        | 4.1                  | 0.6      |
| Commodities .....                                | 122.8        | 4.1                  | .0       | 121.9        | 4.4                  | .6       | 123.1        | 3.4                  | .4       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 136.0        | 5.0                  | .4       | 137.1        | 6.4                  | 1.0      | 131.0        | 4.7                  | .6       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 113.0        | 3.2                  | -.4      | 112.4        | 2.8                  | .3       | 117.7        | 2.3                  | .2       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 113.1        | 4.6                  | -.5      | 112.4        | 4.4                  | .4       | 117.3        | 3.8                  | .4       |
| Durables .....                                   | 110.7        | .4                   | -.3      | 110.6        | .7                   | .1       | 114.9        | .2                   | -.3      |
| Services .....                                   | 145.9        | 5.6                  | .3       | 148.5        | 6.8                  | .6       | 153.9        | 5.0                  | .8       |
| Medical care services .....                      | 171.2        | 8.8                  | .5       | 167.3        | 11.2                 | .8       | 166.5        | 9.2                  | .6       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 128.5        | 4.5                  | .3       | 127.2        | 5.2                  | .6       | 125.8        | 4.0                  | .3       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 131.7        | 4.7                  | .2       | 131.5        | 5.3                  | .6       | 134.3        | 3.9                  | .5       |
| All items less energy .....                      | 138.1        | 5.1                  | -.1      | 139.1        | 5.9                  | .6       | 142.5        | 4.6                  | .6       |
| Energy .....                                     | 97.9         | 2.0                  | 3.6      | 93.0         | .8                   | 1.0      | 89.3         | -.3                  | .4       |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 113.9        | 3.3                  | -.4      | 113.4        | 3.1                  | .4       | 117.9        | 2.3                  | .1       |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 114.4        | 4.6                  | -.5      | 113.8        | 4.7                  | .4       | 117.4        | 3.7                  | .5       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.4        | 4.8                  | .0       | 124.9        | 5.5                  | .7       | 124.0        | 4.3                  | .6       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 129.7        | 5.3                  | .9       | 130.6        | 6.9                  | .4       | 130.0        | 5.4                  | .3       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 143.8        | 5.3                  | .3       | 146.8        | 6.3                  | .5       | 152.9        | 4.6                  | .8       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |               |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 125.6         | 4.4                  | 1.0      | 123.1        | 3.9                  | 0.2      | 125.2        | 3.5                  | 0.5      | 122.0        | 4.1                  | 0.7      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 205.3         | -                    | -        | 198.3        | -                    | -        | 196.8        | -                    | -        | 197.7        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 129.6         | 6.1                  | .8       | 127.8        | 5.8                  | .7       | 128.9        | 5.9                  | .8       | 128.8        | 6.2                  | .4       |
| Food .....                                          | 129.8         | 6.4                  | .8       | 128.4        | 5.9                  | .7       | 128.8        | 6.1                  | .8       | 129.1        | 6.3                  | .4       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 131.2         | 6.8                  | 1.0      | 128.6        | 6.2                  | .9       | 127.9        | 6.0                  | .7       | 129.0        | 7.2                  | .6       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 139.5         | 6.5                  | .6       | 141.9        | 6.3                  | .4       | 136.8        | 5.5                  | -.8      | 140.9        | 5.9                  | 2.6      |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 131.3         | 8.6                  | 2.2      | 123.7        | 8.0                  | 2.2      | 125.8        | 7.9                  | 1.2      | 132.1        | 10.0                 | .5       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 127.7         | 11.7                 | .3       | 125.1        | 11.2                 | .8       | 122.3        | 9.8                  | .4       | 125.0        | 11.8                 | .6       |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 140.6         | 4.0                  | -.1      | 141.0        | 5.5                  | -.1      | 142.8        | 4.4                  | 2.4      | 138.8        | 5.2                  | -1.0     |
| Other food at home .....                            | 123.4         | 4.7                  | .9       | 123.6        | 2.7                  | .8       | 121.6        | 3.6                  | .3       | 117.1        | 3.7                  | .6       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 127.8         | 5.5                  | .3       | 128.3        | 5.5                  | .4       | 131.3        | 6.3                  | .8       | 128.8        | 4.3                  | .0       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 127.5         | 3.6                  | .2       | 119.4        | 3.2                  | -.2      | 129.5        | 3.4                  | .0       | 125.4        | 5.3                  | 1.5      |
| Housing .....                                       | 122.3         | 3.9                  | 2.3      | 117.9        | 3.5                  | .5       | 123.5        | 1.9                  | .3       | 114.8        | 3.9                  | 1.0      |
| Shelter .....                                       | 129.7         | 4.9                  | .5       | 129.9        | 5.4                  | 1.1      | 130.7        | 2.3                  | 1.0      | 118.3        | 3.8                  | .6       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 128.7         | 4.0                  | .6       | 131.1        | 6.1                  | 1.3      | 127.5        | -2.6                 | .8       | 112.0        | 3.7                  | .6       |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 136.2         | 3.7                  | .1       | 134.4        | 3.5                  | .8       | 126.4        | 1.9                  | .2       | 114.8        | 3.1                  | .4       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 145.4         | 5.1                  | 2.3      | 162.1        | 11.8                 | 2.4      | 159.5        | -12.1                | 2.4      | 125.0        | 8.0                  | 2.2      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 128.8         | 5.1                  | .3       | 130.5        | 5.0                  | .9       | 129.9        | 4.0                  | 1.1      | 115.5        | 3.9                  | .6       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 128.9         | 5.2                  | .4       | 130.9        | 5.1                  | .9       | 130.2        | 4.1                  | 1.2      | 115.5        | 3.9                  | .6       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 114.4         | 2.2                  | 10.9     | 102.1        | 1.1                  | .1       | 116.0        | .8                   | -.9      | 111.8        | 4.6                  | 2.4      |
| Fuels .....                                         | 109.2         | .6                   | 19.5     | 91.0         | -.7                  | .1       | 104.7        | -1.2                 | -1.6     | 96.6         | 1.0                  | 4.3      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 88.0          | 7.2                  | -1.6     | 76.8         | 3.2                  | -.9      | 83.1         | 11.1                 | -2.4     | 69.7         | -1.3                 | -4.1     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 86.3          | 5.8                  | -2.3     | 83.9         | 9.0                  | -2.1     | 77.9         | 4.0                  | -4.7     | 68.0         | -9.1                 | -5.7     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 112.1         | 8.4                  | -1.0     | 101.0        | -.3                  | .0       | 110.1        | 19.7                 | .1       | 100.7        | 10.4                 | -2.2     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 112.7         | .2                   | 20.3     | 96.4         | -.8                  | .2       | 113.4        | -1.8                 | -1.5     | 104.6        | 1.2                  | 4.7      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 139.4         | 2.0                  | 25.8     | 113.1        | .7                   | .4       | 125.7        | -1.5                 | -.2      | 117.0        | 2.5                  | 8.3      |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 88.3          | -2.2                 | 13.1     | 82.0         | -2.8                 | .0       | 97.6         | -2.3                 | -3.8     | 92.2         | -.8                  | -.4      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 111.0         | 2.3                  | .1       | 107.7        | -.4                  | -1.4     | 115.6        | 1.8                  | -.1      | 112.3        | 3.1                  | .4       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 123.2         | 5.9                  | -3.0     | 123.6        | -.2                  | -2.2     | 116.4        | 3.9                  | -1.7     | 122.2        | 5.3                  | -.8      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 122.8         | 6.1                  | -3.2     | 122.8        | -.6                  | -2.5     | 114.2        | 3.7                  | -1.9     | 121.9        | 5.6                  | -.9      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 122.7         | 4.4                  | -1.7     | 112.2        | -1.7                 | -2.6     | 115.6        | 3.8                  | -2.0     | 110.5        | 2.9                  | .5       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 117.4         | 4.4                  | -5.2     | 134.8        | .7                   | -3.4     | 114.4        | 5.1                  | -3.0     | 123.7        | 7.4                  | -2.3     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 124.8         | 15.2                 | -1.8     | 109.3        | -4.0                 | .0       | 112.6        | .2                   | .5       | 143.4        | 11.9                 | .1       |
| Transportation .....                                | 116.2         | 1.3                  | .4       | 119.7        | 2.3                  | .0       | 114.6        | 1.3                  | .4       | 115.7        | -.6                  | 1.0      |
| Private transportation .....                        | 115.6         | 1.0                  | .4       | 118.6        | 2.1                  | -.1      | 114.1        | 1.2                  | .4       | 112.8        | -1.1                 | .9       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 98.3          | .0                   | 1.7      | 99.2         | .5                   | .7       | 94.9         | -.9                  | 1.5      | 92.2         | -3.5                 | 3.2      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 98.5          | -.1                  | 1.9      | 99.5         | .2                   | 1.0      | 95.0         | -.9                  | 1.6      | 92.0         | -4.1                 | 3.7      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | 108.4         | 3.9                  | 1.6      | 111.7        | 7.0                  | 2.9      | 98.7         | -.1                  | 2.2      | 92.8         | -5.0                 | 5.0      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 96.2          | -.4                  | 2.2      | 96.4         | -.4                  | .8       | 93.3         | -1.5                 | 1.2      | 89.6         | -4.0                 | 3.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 103.1         | .9                   | 1.1      | 105.7        | .9                   | 1.4      | 100.1        | -.3                  | 2.2      | 96.6         | -3.3                 | 1.3      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 126.1         | 6.9                  | .8       | 164.8        | 9.1                  | .1       | 135.4        | 5.9                  | .4       | 220.5        | 12.5                 | .1       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 159.2         | 8.9                  | .5       | 153.0        | 7.7                  | .2       | 158.2        | 9.3                  | 1.3      | 153.6        | 8.3                  | .6       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 131.6         | 4.3                  | .0       | 122.3        | 2.5                  | .2       | 134.7        | 4.4                  | .4       | 123.2        | 4.2                  | -.3      |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 155.9         | 7.0                  | .5       | 155.5        | 8.6                  | 1.2      | 154.3        | 7.8                  | 2.2      | 152.3        | 9.1                  | 1.5      |
| Personal care .....                                 | 121.5         | 2.2                  | .3       | 132.0        | 4.0                  | .5       | 127.5        | 3.8                  | .7       | 115.7        | 1.0                  | .1       |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990     | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |               |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 125.6         | 4.4                  | 1.0      | 123.1        | 3.9                  | 0.2      | 125.2        | 3.5                  | 0.5      | 122.0        | 4.1                  | 0.7      |
| Commodities .....                                | 119.9         | 4.1                  | .2       | 118.4        | 3.0                  | -.1      | 118.9        | 3.7                  | .4       | 120.8        | 3.8                  | .6       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 129.6         | 6.1                  | .8       | 127.8        | 5.8                  | .7       | 128.9        | 5.9                  | .8       | 128.8        | 6.2                  | .4       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 114.2         | 2.7                  | -.3      | 113.5        | 1.4                  | -.5      | 113.5        | 2.3                  | .3       | 116.3        | 2.3                  | .7       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 119.3         | 4.5                  | -.5      | 116.7        | 2.2                  | -.1      | 115.4        | 3.3                  | .5       | 118.1        | 4.0                  | 1.2      |
| Durables .....                                   | 107.3         | .2                   | .0       | 108.3        | .4                   | -1.3     | 109.0        | .8                   | .0       | 110.2        | -.3                  | .0       |
| Services .....                                   | 132.9         | 4.7                  | 1.9      | 130.3        | 4.7                  | .6       | 134.2        | 3.2                  | .4       | 124.9        | 4.5                  | .8       |
| Medical care services .....                      | 157.7         | 8.8                  | .4       | 149.5        | 8.0                  | .1       | 159.2        | 10.6                 | 1.3      | 153.5        | 8.3                  | .3       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |               |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 125.1         | 4.2                  | 1.1      | 122.4        | 3.4                  | .0       | 124.1        | 3.8                  | .3       | 123.4        | 4.1                  | .7       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 124.0         | 4.1                  | 1.0      | 121.7        | 3.7                  | .2       | 123.7        | 3.2                  | .4       | 120.3        | 3.8                  | .8       |
| All items less energy .....                      | 129.2         | 4.9                  | .2       | 128.2        | 4.3                  | .2       | 129.3        | 4.0                  | .5       | 125.7        | 4.8                  | .4       |
| Energy .....                                     | 103.5         | .2                   | 9.8      | 93.5         | .0                   | .4       | 98.7         | -1.0                 | -.1      | 94.4         | -1.3                 | 3.7      |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 114.7         | 2.9                  | -.3      | 113.6        | 1.5                  | -.5      | 114.0        | 2.3                  | .3       | 116.6        | 2.4                  | .8       |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 119.6         | 4.5                  | -.4      | 116.7        | 2.3                  | .0       | 116.0        | 3.3                  | .5       | 118.6        | 4.0                  | 1.2      |
| Nondurables .....                                | 124.7         | 5.3                  | .2       | 122.2        | 3.9                  | .3       | 121.9        | 4.6                  | .6       | 124.0        | 5.2                  | .8       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 126.2         | 4.5                  | 3.3      | 122.1        | 4.2                  | .2       | 124.0        | 3.9                  | -.1      | 119.9        | 4.9                  | 1.0      |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 130.7         | 4.4                  | 2.0      | 128.5        | 4.4                  | .6       | 132.1        | 2.6                  | .4       | 121.8        | 4.0                  | 1.0      |

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**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                     | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                     | 126.7        | 4.1                  | 0.6      | 125.7        | 3.9                  | 0.2      | 125.7        | 3.8                  | 0.6      | 128.5        | 5.9                  | 1.7      |
| All items (December 1977 = 100) .....               | 205.2        | -                    | -        | 203.6        | -                    | -        | 203.5        | -                    | -        | 208.1        | -                    | -        |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 131.0        | 5.7                  | .5       | 130.7        | 5.3                  | .7       | 130.1        | 5.0                  | .9       | 127.2        | 4.8                  | .6       |
| Food .....                                          | 132.0        | 6.0                  | .6       | 131.2        | 5.5                  | .8       | 130.5        | 5.1                  | .9       | 127.6        | 4.8                  | .6       |
| Food at home .....                                  | 131.6        | 6.7                  | 1.0      | 129.7        | 5.1                  | 1.0      | 129.4        | 5.2                  | 1.1      | 124.7        | 4.3                  | .6       |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 138.3        | 6.1                  | .6       | 134.1        | 4.7                  | .5       | 134.3        | 3.7                  | 1.1      | 139.8        | 6.6                  | .6       |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 127.8        | 6.7                  | 2.2      | 128.5        | 7.9                  | 2.0      | 126.4        | 8.1                  | 2.0      | 122.3        | 6.0                  | .1       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 132.3        | 12.6                 | .1       | 125.2        | 8.3                  | .2       | 126.4        | 8.5                  | .5       | 117.4        | 6.3                  | -.8      |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 144.6        | 6.0                  | 1.3      | 151.5        | 2.4                  | 1.1      | 140.7        | 1.6                  | .5       | 141.0        | 2.7                  | 2.3      |
| Other food at home .....                            | 125.1        | 4.9                  | -.2      | 119.4        | 2.1                  | .4       | 125.9        | 3.0                  | .6       | 115.4        | .7                   | .9       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 133.9        | 4.9                  | .1       | 134.4        | 5.9                  | .2       | 133.8        | 4.9                  | .5       | 135.1        | 6.0                  | .5       |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 121.5        | 3.1                  | -.6      | 124.6        | 3.1                  | -.1      | 123.9        | 3.3                  | -.2      | 121.4        | 6.6                  | .9       |
| Housing .....                                       | 120.6        | 3.3                  | .8       | 120.5        | 3.9                  | .2       | 120.5        | 2.6                  | .8       | 128.5        | 7.4                  | 4.0      |
| Shelter .....                                       | 125.8        | 4.3                  | 1.0      | 121.9        | 4.3                  | -.2      | 123.4        | 3.3                  | .4       | 144.1        | 10.5                 | 7.2      |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 119.9        | 4.5                  | 1.3      | 126.4        | 4.0                  | -.2      | 113.6        | 2.0                  | .1       | 122.2        | 3.6                  | .5       |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 127.5        | 4.1                  | 1.4      | 124.5        | 2.6                  | -.5      | 118.8        | 2.2                  | .0       | 126.5        | 2.3                  | .6       |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 141.8        | 8.8                  | .5       | 197.1        | 9.6                  | .6       | 137.0        | .6                   | .4       | 155.3        | 9.6                  | .5       |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 120.6        | 4.1                  | .8       | 119.0        | 4.4                  | -.3      | 113.9        | 3.7                  | .5       | 133.2        | 12.9                 | 9.4      |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 120.5        | 4.2                  | .8       | 118.9        | 4.4                  | -.4      | 113.5        | 3.8                  | .6       | 132.5        | 13.1                 | 9.7      |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 110.2        | 2.0                  | 1.5      | 122.9        | 4.0                  | 1.2      | 124.1        | 3.4                  | 2.5      | 111.6        | 4.6                  | .3       |
| Fuels .....                                         | 103.9        | -.2                  | 1.3      | 109.9        | 2.3                  | 1.4      | 119.8        | 3.8                  | 4.4      | 100.2        | 1.7                  | .5       |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | 86.6         | 8.0                  | -2.4     | 92.2         | 7.1                  | -2.2     | 100.6        | 11.8                 | -3.0     | 84.0         | 3.8                  | -4.5     |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | 83.1         | 5.5                  | -2.9     | 88.3         | 9.4                  | -3.2     | 79.8         | 6.5                  | -6.9     | 74.3         | -.5                  | -5.1     |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 116.7        | 10.9                 | -1.9     | 110.2        | 5.5                  | -1.4     | 119.3        | 12.3                 | -2.6     | 110.7        | 5.9                  | -4.4     |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 107.5        | -.6                  | 1.4      | 111.2        | 1.9                  | 1.8      | 122.0        | 3.6                  | 4.8      | 104.8        | 1.5                  | 1.0      |
| Electricity .....                                   | 109.3        | -.8                  | 2.8      | 114.8        | 1.5                  | 2.1      | 126.0        | 3.3                  | 5.7      | 109.3        | 2.1                  | 1.4      |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 100.2        | .7                   | -2.3     | 98.1         | 4.3                  | -.2      | 113.4        | 4.6                  | .3       | 85.2         | -4.8                 | -3.0     |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 116.3        | 1.4                  | -.2      | 115.4        | 2.4                  | .2       | 106.7        | -.7                  | -.1      | 110.7        | 2.6                  | -.3      |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 134.1        | 4.6                  | -.1      | 125.8        | 3.8                  | -1.6     | 131.3        | 5.5                  | -.3      | 126.5        | 5.9                  | -.9      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 131.1        | 4.5                  | -.2      | 122.8        | 3.3                  | -1.7     | 131.3        | 5.8                  | -.4      | 124.9        | 6.0                  | -1.0     |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 129.6        | 4.3                  | -1.6     | 121.2        | -.2                  | -1.6     | 125.6        | 5.8                  | -.7      | 115.5        | 3.4                  | .5       |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 135.7        | 4.8                  | .5       | 131.0        | 6.5                  | -2.5     | 140.7        | 7.4                  | -.8      | 132.6        | 4.3                  | -1.0     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 120.9        | .6                   | -2.2     | 118.5        | 1.4                  | .0       | 124.6        | 3.1                  | -.4      | 96.9         | -.8                  | .4       |
| Transportation .....                                | 117.3        | 1.5                  | .3       | 118.4        | .5                   | .2       | 115.1        | 2.2                  | .3       | 117.0        | 3.3                  | .4       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 117.0        | 1.3                  | .3       | 117.8        | .3                   | .3       | 114.6        | 2.1                  | .3       | 115.9        | 3.0                  | .4       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 96.1         | .0                   | 1.7      | 93.3         | -1.7                 | .9       | 95.0         | -1.6                 | 1.5      | 87.5         | -1.5                 | 1.9      |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 95.9         | -.3                  | 1.8      | 93.7         | -1.5                 | 1.3      | 96.0         | -1.5                 | 2.2      | 87.6         | -1.7                 | 2.0      |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | NA           | -                    | -        | 97.6         | -1.0                 | 2.6      | 100.7        | -.4                  | 4.0      | 88.3         | -4.3                 | 1.8      |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 93.5         | -1.2                 | 1.9      | 90.9         | -2.6                 | 1.3      | 92.6         | -2.7                 | 2.3      | 83.9         | -1.9                 | 2.7      |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 98.5         | 1.0                  | 1.5      | 96.9         | -.3                  | .9       | 100.2        | .2                   | 1.8      | 93.1         | -1.4                 | 1.0      |
| Public transportation .....                         | 121.5        | 6.3                  | .1       | 142.8        | 9.2                  | -.1      | 135.2        | 7.4                  | .6       | 150.4        | 7.4                  | .0       |
| Medical care .....                                  | 163.6        | 8.1                  | 1.0      | 158.5        | 8.5                  | .1       | 160.0        | 8.0                  | .4       | 159.9        | 9.6                  | .6       |
| Entertainment .....                                 | 134.2        | 3.8                  | .2       | 121.0        | 3.4                  | -.2      | 128.4        | 3.5                  | .4       | 123.9        | 5.1                  | .1       |
| Other goods and services .....                      | 153.4        | 8.6                  | .8       | 158.1        | 6.6                  | .8       | 151.0        | 6.9                  | 1.5      | 152.1        | 5.6                  | 1.1      |
| Personal care .....                                 | 128.9        | 7.4                  | .5       | 128.6        | 2.8                  | .2       | 128.1        | 4.9                  | 1.7      | 114.6        | -1.0                 | -1.0     |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| 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— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 126.7        | 4.1                  | 0.6      | 125.7        | 3.9                  | 0.2      | 125.7        | 3.8                  | 0.6      | 128.5        | 5.9                  | 1.7      |
| Commodities .....                                | 122.4        | 3.6                  | .4       | 120.5        | 2.8                  | .2       | 122.1        | 3.0                  | .5       | 120.1        | 3.4                  | .3       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.0        | 5.7                  | .5       | 130.7        | 5.3                  | .7       | 130.1        | 5.0                  | .9       | 127.2        | 4.8                  | .6       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 117.4        | 2.4                  | .3       | 115.0        | 1.4                  | -.1      | 117.1        | 2.0                  | .3       | 116.0        | 2.6                  | .3       |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 119.4        | 3.7                  | .7       | 116.7        | 2.4                  | -.1      | 119.2        | 3.9                  | .5       | 115.6        | 3.6                  | .4       |
| Durables .....                                   | 114.4        | .4                   | -.2      | 111.3        | .1                   | -.1      | 114.0        | -.4                  | -.1      | 114.6        | 1.3                  | -.1      |
| Services .....                                   | 132.4        | 4.6                  | .8       | 132.1        | 4.9                  | .2       | 131.2        | 4.6                  | .8       | 140.5        | 8.5                  | 3.1      |
| Medical care services .....                      | 163.1        | 7.9                  | .6       | 158.0        | 9.1                  | .1       | 160.0        | 7.7                  | .6       | 160.8        | 10.4                 | .8       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 127.4        | 4.1                  | .6       | 127.4        | 3.8                  | .3       | 126.3        | 4.0                  | .7       | 124.9        | 4.8                  | .3       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 124.7        | 3.8                  | .6       | 123.8        | 3.6                  | .2       | 123.5        | 3.5                  | .7       | 126.0        | 5.6                  | 1.8      |
| All items less energy .....                      | 131.0        | 4.5                  | .5       | 129.1        | 4.2                  | .1       | 129.3        | 4.1                  | .4       | 133.9        | 6.6                  | 1.8      |
| Energy .....                                     | 99.0         | -.1                  | 1.4      | 98.9         | .3                   | 1.1      | 104.9        | 1.2                  | 3.0      | 91.7         | .2                   | 1.1      |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 117.4        | 2.4                  | .3       | 115.2        | 1.5                  | -.1      | 117.3        | 2.0                  | .3       | 116.0        | 2.7                  | .2       |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 119.0        | 3.7                  | .5       | 116.8        | 2.5                  | -.2      | 119.3        | 3.9                  | .4       | 115.5        | 3.8                  | .4       |
| Nondurables .....                                | 125.3        | 4.8                  | .6       | 123.8        | 3.9                  | .3       | 124.7        | 4.4                  | .6       | 121.4        | 4.2                  | .5       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 127.9        | 4.8                  | .6       | 130.0        | 5.4                  | .5       | 128.5        | 5.6                  | 1.1      | 128.3        | 7.0                  | .2       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 129.4        | 4.3                  | .8       | 129.3        | 4.5                  | .2       | 127.6        | 4.2                  | .8       | 137.0        | 8.2                  | 3.4      |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                            | West         |                      |           |              |                      |           |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                                  | Size class A |                      |           | Size class C |                      |           |
|                                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |           | Index        | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                                  |              | June 1990            | June 1989 |              | May 1990             | June 1990 |
| Expenditure category                                             |              |                      |           |              |                      |           |
| All items .....                                                  | 129.4        | 4.7                  | 0.5       | 126.8        | 4.2                  | 0.9       |
| All items (December 1977=100) .....                              | 209.5        | -                    | -         | 195.6        | -                    | -         |
| Food and beverages .....                                         | 131.3        | 5.8                  | .4        | 130.3        | 5.3                  | .4        |
| Food .....                                                       | 130.9        | 5.5                  | .2        | 131.0        | 5.2                  | .5        |
| Food at home .....                                               | 130.0        | 5.7                  | .2        | 129.9        | 5.2                  | .6        |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                                | 142.6        | 6.7                  | .6        | 133.8        | 5.9                  | .4        |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                             | 127.9        | 7.1                  | 2.3       | 129.9        | 6.4                  | 2.8       |
| Dairy products .....                                             | 124.7        | 9.8                  | -1        | 118.3        | 8.9                  | -7        |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                                      | 142.8        | 3.8                  | -3.2      | 156.3        | 5.3                  | -1.9      |
| Other food at home .....                                         | 121.3        | 3.3                  | .4        | 118.5        | 1.3                  | 1.0       |
| Food away from home .....                                        | 132.7        | 5.2                  | .4        | 133.2        | 5.2                  | .2        |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                                        | 134.2        | 7.8                  | .9        | 129.3        | 5.9                  | .0        |
| Housing .....                                                    | 130.1        | 5.1                  | .6        | 121.1        | 4.6                  | 1.6       |
| Shelter .....                                                    | 137.4        | 6.1                  | 1.0       | 127.5        | 6.6                  | 2.1       |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                                | 133.4        | 5.8                  | 1.0       | 115.6        | 5.8                  | 1.9       |
| Rent, residential .....                                          | 146.8        | 4.9                  | .6        | 123.4        | 6.5                  | 1.6       |
| Other renters' costs .....                                       | 145.6        | 12.4                 | 3.4       | 134.3        | 2.0                  | 3.3       |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                             | 136.2        | 6.3                  | 1.0       | 125.7        | 7.1                  | 2.3       |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....                       | 136.1        | 6.4                  | 1.0       | 126.0        | 7.2                  | 2.3       |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                                   | 118.0        | 2.9                  | -1        | 112.6        | 1.1                  | -9        |
| Fuels .....                                                      | 119.1        | 3.3                  | -1        | 106.5        | -1                   | -1.7      |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities <sup>4</sup> ..... | 87.9         | 6.7                  | -2.9      | 238.2        | 2.8                  | -1        |
| Fuel oil <sup>4</sup> .....                                      | 81.2         | 5.6                  | -2.8      | NA           | -                    | -         |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> .....              | 119.3        | 7.3                  | -3.1      | 104.3        | 3.1                  | .0        |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                                | 121.1        | 3.2                  | .0        | 105.6        | -1                   | -1.7      |
| Electricity .....                                                | 130.3        | 5.2                  | .2        | 112.9        | .6                   | -1        |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                                        | 115.6        | -6                   | -4        | 99.5         | -1.3                 | -4.4      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....                        | 114.0        | 2.5                  | -6        | 107.6        | .7                   | 2.3       |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                                         | 119.7        | 5.0                  | -1.4      | 119.0        | .5                   | -1.2      |
| Apparel commodities .....                                        | 116.8        | 5.3                  | -1.6      | 118.2        | .3                   | -1.3      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                                    | 117.7        | 4.0                  | -4        | 129.3        | 8.0                  | -5        |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                                 | 109.9        | 7.7                  | -1.1      | 104.8        | -7.7                 | -1.6      |
| Footwear .....                                                   | 111.1        | .6                   | .9        | 116.0        | 1.2                  | -1.9      |
| Transportation .....                                             | 119.7        | 1.1                  | .8        | 119.5        | 2.2                  | 1.1       |
| Private transportation .....                                     | 117.9        | .4                   | .9        | 118.9        | 2.1                  | 1.2       |
| Motor fuel .....                                                 | 94.4         | -3.3                 | 3.1       | 93.1         | -1.1                 | 5.1       |
| Gasoline .....                                                   | 94.3         | -3.2                 | 3.1       | 93.2         | -1.2                 | 5.3       |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                                   | 94.6         | -3.5                 | 3.7       | 93.1         | -1.3                 | 5.6       |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                                 | 92.6         | -3.4                 | 3.1       | 92.0         | -1.4                 | 5.4       |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                                 | 97.0         | -1.9                 | 2.2       | 96.5         | .5                   | 4.7       |
| Public transportation .....                                      | 152.5        | 9.6                  | .7        | 134.4        | 7.3                  | .1        |
| Medical care .....                                               | 161.1        | 8.4                  | .4        | 162.1        | 7.4                  | .3        |
| Entertainment .....                                              | 128.6        | 3.6                  | .2        | 141.8        | 4.0                  | .5        |
| Other goods and services .....                                   | 162.1        | 8.1                  | .8        | 156.7        | 8.1                  | 1.2       |
| Personal care .....                                              | 141.0        | 8.1                  | 1.2       | 130.1        | 5.9                  | .1        |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,<sup>1</sup> by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | West         |                      |          |              |                      |          |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------|----------|
|                                                  | Size class A |                      |          | Size class C |                      |          |
|                                                  | Index        | Percent change from— |          | Index        | Percent change from— |          |
|                                                  | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 | June 1990    | June 1989            | May 1990 |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items .....                                  | 129.4        | 4.7                  | 0.5      | 126.8        | 4.2                  | 0.9      |
| Commodities .....                                | 120.4        | 3.7                  | .2       | 120.1        | 3.1                  | .8       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.3        | 5.8                  | .4       | 130.3        | 5.3                  | .4       |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 113.7        | 2.3                  | .1       | 114.2        | 1.7                  | 1.1      |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 117.7        | 3.6                  | .5       | 116.4        | 2.6                  | 1.1      |
| Durables .....                                   | 109.2        | .7                   | -.4      | 111.3        | .6                   | .9       |
| Services .....                                   | 139.1        | 5.5                  | .7       | 135.3        | 5.5                  | 1.1      |
| Medical care services .....                      | 160.3        | 8.2                  | .3       | 163.4        | 7.6                  | .3       |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |              |                      |          |              |                      |          |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 127.3        | 4.1                  | .2       | 126.8        | 3.5                  | .6       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 128.0        | 4.6                  | .5       | 124.9        | 4.1                  | 1.1      |
| All items less energy .....                      | 132.8        | 5.1                  | .4       | 130.4        | 4.7                  | .9       |
| Energy .....                                     | 102.4        | -6                   | 1.7      | 98.7         | -.6                  | 2.0      |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 114.6        | 2.7                  | .2       | 114.6        | 2.0                  | 1.0      |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 118.6        | 4.1                  | .6       | 116.4        | 3.1                  | 1.0      |
| Nondurables .....                                | 124.8        | 4.9                  | .5       | 123.7        | 4.0                  | .7       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 130.8        | 4.6                  | .3       | 130.7        | 4.5                  | .2       |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 137.4        | 5.3                  | .7       | 132.3        | 5.3                  | 1.1      |

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on table 11 for information about cross classifications.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in West size class C.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

**Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food at home expenditure categories, selected areas**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Area                                              | Total food at home | Cereals and bakery products | Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs | Dairy products | Fruits and vegetables | Other food at home |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Indexes, June 1990                                |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| U.S. city average .....                           | 131.4              | 140.0                       | 130.0                          | 124.8          | 146.6                 | 123.1              |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>          |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Northeast urban .....                             | 135.2              | 142.8                       | 133.8                          | 123.9          | 152.5                 | 126.9              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 135.6              | 142.1                       | 135.6                          | 124.6          | 151.8                 | 125.9              |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 137.7              | 142.8                       | 134.9                          | 127.3          | 156.1                 | 132.9              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                  | 129.3              | 145.6                       | 124.7                          | 115.0          | 147.3                 | 123.1              |
| North Central urban .....                         | 129.9              | 139.4                       | 129.2                          | 125.7          | 140.6                 | 122.2              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 131.2              | 139.5                       | 131.3                          | 127.7          | 140.6                 | 123.4              |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 128.6              | 141.9                       | 123.7                          | 125.1          | 141.0                 | 123.6              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                  | 127.9              | 136.8                       | 125.8                          | 122.3          | 142.8                 | 121.6              |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | 129.0              | 140.9                       | 132.1                          | 125.0          | 138.8                 | 117.1              |
| South urban .....                                 | 129.6              | 136.4                       | 127.0                          | 126.6          | 144.6                 | 122.4              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 131.6              | 138.3                       | 127.8                          | 132.3          | 144.6                 | 125.1              |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 129.7              | 134.1                       | 128.5                          | 125.2          | 151.5                 | 119.4              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                  | 129.4              | 134.3                       | 126.4                          | 126.4          | 140.7                 | 125.9              |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | 124.7              | 139.8                       | 122.3                          | 117.4          | 141.0                 | 115.4              |
| West urban .....                                  | 131.0              | 141.4                       | 129.7                          | 123.2          | 148.8                 | 120.9              |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 130.0              | 142.6                       | 127.9                          | 124.7          | 142.8                 | 121.3              |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                  | 129.9              | 133.8                       | 129.9                          | 118.3          | 156.3                 | 118.5              |
| <b>Size classes</b>                               |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| A <sup>2</sup> .....                              | 121.1              | 125.2                       | 119.9                          | 119.8          | 132.5                 | 113.7              |
| B .....                                           | 132.5              | 139.6                       | 131.0                          | 125.1          | 152.4                 | 123.4              |
| C .....                                           | 129.0              | 137.1                       | 126.3                          | 121.6          | 144.8                 | 123.1              |
| D .....                                           | 128.4              | 140.5                       | 125.4                          | 122.5          | 147.0                 | 119.0              |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                       |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Baltimore, MD .....                               | 134.0              | 150.4                       | 128.2                          | 132.9          | 143.4                 | 127.5              |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                | 134.1              | 134.3                       | 135.2                          | 129.0          | 151.3                 | 123.3              |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....          | 134.1              | 144.8                       | 136.6                          | 131.8          | 141.1                 | 123.1              |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                  | 127.3              | 138.0                       | 131.4                          | 123.3          | 138.6                 | 110.9              |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                       | 127.0              | 133.2                       | 124.5                          | 131.8          | 130.2                 | 122.2              |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                       | 126.0              | 133.2                       | 129.2                          | 116.3          | 133.8                 | 117.9              |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....              | 137.4              | 139.5                       | 129.8                          | 141.0          | 141.0                 | 141.8              |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....           | 130.2              | 143.7                       | 128.3                          | 125.8          | 141.1                 | 121.5              |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                   | 130.5              | 133.0                       | 127.2                          | 125.3          | 156.3                 | 119.3              |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....    | 138.2              | 144.9                       | 138.1                          | 127.2          | 154.7                 | 127.2              |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....       | 135.4              | 143.7                       | 135.9                          | 120.9          | 147.8                 | 129.3              |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                | 122.2              | 127.3                       | 118.6                          | 115.6          | 136.7                 | 117.7              |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....             | 134.2              | 137.4                       | 123.2                          | 144.1          | 145.8                 | 134.8              |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....          | 134.3              | 141.2                       | 131.3                          | 124.9          | 153.5                 | 125.2              |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                        | 132.8              | 148.1                       | 126.7                          | 142.2          | 138.6                 | 123.7              |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food at home expenditure categories, selected areas—Continued**

| Area                                              | Total food at home | Cereals and bakery products | Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs | Dairy products | Fruits and vegetables | Other food at home |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Percent change, May 1990 to June 1990             |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| U.S. city average .....                           | 0.8                | 0.6                         | 1.7                            | 0.2            | 0.1                   | 0.4                |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>          |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Northeast urban .....                             | .8                 | .6                          | 1.4                            | .2             | .9                    | .2                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .5                 | .5                          | 1.0                            | .4             | .2                    | .2                 |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 1.8                | .3                          | 2.5                            | -.3            | 3.4                   | 1.5                |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                  | .8                 | .4                          | 3.0                            | .0             | .2                    | -.8                |
| North Central urban .....                         | .9                 | .5                          | 1.8                            | .4             | .3                    | .7                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 1.0                | .6                          | 2.2                            | .3             | -.1                   | .9                 |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | .9                 | .4                          | 2.2                            | .8             | -.1                   | .8                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                  | .7                 | -.8                         | 1.2                            | .4             | 2.4                   | .3                 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .6                 | 2.6                         | .5                             | .6             | -1.0                  | .6                 |
| South urban .....                                 | 1.0                | .7                          | 1.8                            | .2             | 1.2                   | .4                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | 1.0                | .6                          | 2.2                            | .1             | 1.3                   | -.2                |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | 1.0                | .5                          | 2.0                            | .2             | 1.1                   | .4                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                  | 1.1                | 1.1                         | 2.0                            | .5             | .5                    | .6                 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .6                 | .6                          | .1                             | -.8            | 2.3                   | .9                 |
| West urban .....                                  | .2                 | .5                          | 2.0                            | -.3            | -2.6                  | .4                 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .2                 | .6                          | 2.3                            | -.1            | -3.2                  | .4                 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                  | .6                 | .4                          | 2.8                            | -.7            | -1.9                  | 1.0                |
| <b>Size classes</b>                               |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| A .....                                           | .7                 | .6                          | 1.8                            | .2             | -.6                   | .4                 |
| B .....                                           | 1.0                | .4                          | 1.9                            | .1             | .9                    | .7                 |
| C .....                                           | .9                 | .2                          | 2.0                            | .2             | .7                    | .3                 |
| D .....                                           | .7                 | 1.5                         | .4                             | -.3            | 1.5                   | .4                 |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                       |                    |                             |                                |                |                       |                    |
| Baltimore, MD .....                               | 1.9                | 3.2                         | 3.6                            | -.7            | 4.4                   | -1.2               |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                | .0                 | -.1                         | .4                             | -.2            | -.4                   | -.2                |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....          | .9                 | .8                          | 2.9                            | .2             | -2.8                  | 1.1                |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                  | 1.4                | .4                          | 2.9                            | -1.6           | 2.2                   | 1.0                |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                       | .6                 | -1.2                        | 4.1                            | -.6            | -2.4                  | -.5                |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                       | 1.0                | -1.8                        | 2.3                            | -.3            | 1.1                   | 1.3                |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....              | 1.3                | 1.0                         | 1.6                            | 1.5            | .7                    | 1.5                |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....           | -.4                | .1                          | 2.0                            | -.7            | -4.8                  | .2                 |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                   | .5                 | -.2                         | 1.0                            | 1.8            | 2.2                   | -1.8               |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....    | .6                 | .0                          | 1.1                            | .1             | .5                    | .6                 |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....       | .4                 | 1.3                         | .2                             | 1.9            | .8                    | -.8                |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                | .7                 | 1.0                         | 3.0                            | -.6            | -2.7                  | .8                 |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....             | 1.1                | 2.8                         | 1.7                            | 1.7            | -.8                   | .2                 |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....          | .5                 | 1.2                         | 2.4                            | .2             | -2.0                  | .4                 |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                        | .4                 | .1                          | -.6                            | 1.1            | .3                    | 1.4                |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, May 1990 to June 1990**

| Group                                                  | U.S.<br>city<br>average | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI | Los Angeles-<br>Anaheim-<br>Riverside, CA | N.Y.-<br>Northern N.J.-<br>Long Island,<br>NY-NJ-CT | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD | San<br>Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                            |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items .....                                        | 0.6                     | 1.1                                           | 0.3                                       | 0.1                                                 | 0.4                                              | 0.6                                           |
| Food and beverages .....                               | .6                      | .6                                            | .2                                        | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Food .....                                             | .6                      | .6                                            | .0                                        | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Food at home .....                                     | .8                      | .9                                            | -.4                                       | .6                                                  | .4                                               | .5                                            |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | .6                      | .8                                            | .1                                        | .0                                                  | 1.3                                              | 1.2                                           |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 1.7                     | 2.9                                           | 2.0                                       | 1.1                                                 | .2                                               | 2.4                                           |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 2.0                     | 2.8                                           | 2.2                                       | 1.3                                                 | .7                                               | 2.7                                           |
| Dairy products .....                                   | .2                      | .2                                            | -.7                                       | .1                                                  | 1.9                                              | .2                                            |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | .1                      | -2.8                                          | -4.8                                      | .5                                                  | .8                                               | -2.0                                          |
| Other food at home .....                               | .4                      | 1.1                                           | .2                                        | .6                                                  | -.8                                              | .4                                            |
| Food away from home .....                              | .3                      | .2                                            | .6                                        | .2                                                  | -.2                                              | .5                                            |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | .3                      | .4                                            | 1.5                                       | .1                                                  | .1                                               | .4                                            |
| Housing .....                                          | .9                      | 2.8                                           | .5                                        | .1                                                  | 1.2                                              | .7                                            |
| Shelter .....                                          | .8                      | .6                                            | .9                                        | -.3                                                 | -.3                                              | 1.1                                           |
| Renters' costs .....                                   | .6                      | .2                                            | .8                                        | -.1                                                 | -.3                                              | 1.3                                           |
| Rent, residential .....                                | .4                      | -.1                                           | .5                                        | .1                                                  | -.1                                              | 1.1                                           |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 1.3                     | 2.7                                           | 3.4                                       | -.9                                                 | -                                                | 3.6                                           |
| Homeowners' costs .....                                | .9                      | .7                                            | 1.0                                       | -.3                                                 | -.3                                              | .9                                            |
| Owners' equivalent rent .....                          | .9                      | .7                                            | 1.0                                       | -.3                                                 | -.4                                              | .9                                            |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 2.3                     | 13.6                                          | .0                                        | 1.3                                                 | 8.3                                              | -.6                                           |
| Fuels .....                                            | 3.8                     | 24.2                                          | .1                                        | 1.5                                                 | 13.1                                             | -.6                                           |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | -3.4                    | -2.0                                          | -2.1                                      | -4.4                                                | 3.3                                              | -6.1                                          |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | -4.6                    | -2.9                                          | -                                         | -4.7                                                | -5.0                                             | -3.1                                          |
| Other household fuel commodities .....                 | -.9                     | .0                                            | -2.1                                      | -1.6                                                | 33.4                                             | -6.2                                          |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 4.6                     | 24.4                                          | .1                                        | 3.4                                                 | 14.4                                             | -.5                                           |
| Electricity .....                                      | 5.9                     | 49.8                                          | .2                                        | 6.4                                                 | 21.7                                             | .0                                            |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 1.6                     | -2.4                                          | .0                                        | -1.7                                                | .1                                               | -1.6                                          |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | -.1                     | -.4                                           | -1.4                                      | .9                                                  | -1.5                                             | -.1                                           |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | -1.8                    | -4.8                                          | -2.3                                      | -3.6                                                | -6.1                                             | .1                                            |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | -2.0                    | -5.0                                          | -2.6                                      | -3.9                                                | -6.7                                             | .1                                            |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | -1.5                    | -5.1                                          | .5                                        | -1.7                                                | -4.5                                             | .0                                            |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | -3.2                    | -7.7                                          | -1.7                                      | -7.3                                                | -13.4                                            | -.3                                           |
| Footwear .....                                         | -.8                     | -4.4                                          | 1.0                                       | .3                                                  | -3.0                                             | 2.2                                           |
| Transportation .....                                   | .5                      | .6                                            | .9                                        | 1.2                                                 | .8                                               | .9                                            |
| Private transportation .....                           | .5                      | .5                                            | .9                                        | 1.5                                                 | .4                                               | .9                                            |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 2.3                     | 2.3                                           | 2.2                                       | 5.1                                                 | 2.5                                              | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 2.5                     | 2.8                                           | 2.3                                       | 5.3                                                 | 2.9                                              | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | 3.0                     | 2.4                                           | 3.6                                       | -                                                   | -                                                | 2.9                                           |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 2.5                     | 3.3                                           | 2.0                                       | 5.4                                                 | 3.5                                              | 3.1                                           |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 2.1                     | 1.6                                           | 1.5                                       | 4.7                                                 | 2.1                                              | 2.6                                           |
| Public transportation .....                            | .5                      | 1.7                                           | .6                                        | .0                                                  | 4.7                                              | .2                                            |
| Medical care .....                                     | .6                      | .2                                            | .6                                        | .5                                                  | .6                                               | .3                                            |
| Entertainment .....                                    | .2                      | -.7                                           | .1                                        | -1.0                                                | -1.0                                             | .1                                            |
| Other goods and services .....                         | 1.0                     | .6                                            | .5                                        | .6                                                  | 1.8                                              | .9                                            |
| Personal care .....                                    | .6                      | -.7                                           | .6                                        | .4                                                  | 1.9                                              | 2.7                                           |

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, May 1990 to June 1990 —Continued**

| Group                                     | U.S.<br>city<br>average | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI | Los Angeles-<br>Anaheim-<br>Riverside, CA | N.Y.-<br>Northern N.J.-<br>Long Island,<br>NY-NJ-CT | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD | San<br>Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>        |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items .....                           | 0.6                     | 1.1                                           | 0.3                                       | 0.1                                                 | 0.4                                              | 0.6                                           |
| Commodities .....                         | .2                      | -.2                                           | -.2                                       | .0                                                  | -.6                                              | .5                                            |
| Food and beverages .....                  | .6                      | .6                                            | .2                                        | .4                                                  | .2                                               | .5                                            |
| Commodities less food and beverages ..... | .0                      | -.8                                           | -.4                                       | -.4                                                 | -1.2                                             | .4                                            |
| Nondurables less food and beverages ..... | .2                      | -1.1                                          | .0                                        | -.5                                                 | -1.2                                             | .8                                            |
| Durables .....                            | -.2                     | -.6                                           | -.8                                       | .0                                                  | -1.1                                             | .0                                            |
| Services .....                            | .9                      | 2.4                                           | .7                                        | .1                                                  | 1.3                                              | .6                                            |
| Medical care services .....               | .6                      | .3                                            | .4                                        | .5                                                  | .7                                               | .1                                            |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                    |                         |                                               |                                           |                                                     |                                                  |                                               |
| All items less shelter .....              | .5                      | 1.2                                           | .1                                        | .2                                                  | .8                                               | .4                                            |
| All items less medical care .....         | .6                      | 1.1                                           | .3                                        | .0                                                  | .5                                               | .6                                            |
| All items less energy .....               | .4                      | .0                                            | .2                                        | -.1                                                 | -.3                                              | .5                                            |
| Energy .....                              | 3.0                     | 12.5                                          | 1.3                                       | 3.0                                                 | 8.9                                              | 1.2                                           |
| Commodities less food .....               | .1                      | -.8                                           | -.3                                       | -.3                                                 | -1.1                                             | .5                                            |
| Nondurables less food .....               | .2                      | -1.0                                          | .2                                        | -.5                                                 | -1.1                                             | .8                                            |
| Nondurables .....                         | .4                      | -.2                                           | .1                                        | .0                                                  | -.4                                              | .6                                            |
| Services less rent of shelter .....       | .9                      | 4.3                                           | .4                                        | .7                                                  | 2.7                                              | .2                                            |
| Services less medical care .....          | .9                      | 2.6                                           | .7                                        | .1                                                  | 1.3                                              | .7                                            |

- Data not available.

**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                        | U.S.<br>city<br>average                            |                            |              | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI |                            |              | Dallas-<br>Fort Worth,<br>TX |                            |              | Detroit-<br>Ann Arbor,<br>MI |                            |              |              |
|                                                        | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                         | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |              |
|                                                        |                                                    | June<br>1990               | June<br>1989 |                                               | Apr.<br>1990               | June<br>1990 |                              | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |                              | June<br>1990               | June<br>1989 | Apr.<br>1990 |
| Expenditure category                                   |                                                    |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |              |
| All items .....                                        | 128.3                                              | 4.5                        | 0.8          | 127.9                                         | 5.0                        | 1.1          | 123.2                        | 2.7                        | 0.8          | 124.7                        | 4.5                        | 0.6          |              |
| All items (1967=100) .....                             | 382.1                                              | —                          | —            | 375.5                                         | —                          | —            | 379.8                        | —                          | —            | 367.2                        | —                          | —            |              |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 131.5                                              | 5.5                        | .6           | 130.0                                         | 6.2                        | .7           | 129.8                        | 4.3                        | -.2          | 126.1                        | 5.2                        | .9           |              |
| Food .....                                             | 131.8                                              | 5.6                        | .7           | 129.9                                         | 6.5                        | .7           | 130.2                        | 4.4                        | -.2          | 125.9                        | 5.3                        | 1.0          |              |
| Food at home .....                                     | 131.4                                              | 6.1                        | .6           | 134.1                                         | 7.3                        | .9           | 127.0                        | 4.0                        | -.4          | 126.0                        | 5.9                        | 1.0          |              |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | 140.0                                              | 6.1                        | .9           | 144.8                                         | 9.6                        | 3.7          | 133.2                        | -.4                        | -2.5         | 133.2                        | 1.7                        | -3.2         |              |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 130.0                                              | 7.3                        | 1.5          | 136.6                                         | 8.2                        | 2.1          | 124.5                        | 2.8                        | 2.4          | 129.2                        | 10.8                       | 2.6          |              |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 131.2                                              | 7.7                        | 2.6          | 139.0                                         | 8.7                        | 3.0          | 126.0                        | 2.7                        | 3.4          | 130.4                        | 11.4                       | 3.7          |              |
| Dairy products .....                                   | 124.8                                              | 10.2                       | -.2          | 131.8                                         | 10.8                       | -.4          | 131.8                        | 12.7                       | .0           | 116.3                        | 12.6                       | .6           |              |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 146.6                                              | 4.7                        | -.9          | 141.1                                         | 4.1                        | -3.4         | 130.2                        | 5.6                        | -2.8         | 133.8                        | 1.7                        | .6           |              |
| Other food at home .....                               | 123.1                                              | 3.4                        | .8           | 123.1                                         | 5.1                        | 1.2          | 122.2                        | 2.8                        | -1.5         | 117.9                        | 1.6                        | 1.8          |              |
| Food away from home .....                              | 133.2                                              | 4.9                        | .7           | 122.1                                         | 5.1                        | .4           | 136.3                        | 4.8                        | .0           | 126.7                        | 4.5                        | .9           |              |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | 129.1                                              | 4.8                        | .9           | 133.1                                         | 3.1                        | .8           | 128.2                        | 4.1                        | .9           | 128.7                        | 4.0                        | .5           |              |
| Housing .....                                          | 126.2                                              | 4.2                        | 1.2          | 125.5                                         | 4.0                        | 2.3          | 113.9                        | 1.1                        | 1.5          | 120.9                        | 5.2                        | 1.3          |              |
| Shelter .....                                          | 136.1                                              | 5.3                        | 1.0          | 132.2                                         | 4.6                        | -.2          | 116.1                        | 2.7                        | .8           | 130.9                        | 7.3                        | 1.6          |              |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 129.2                                              | 4.5                        | .6           | 132.0                                         | 3.4                        | .2           | 107.2                        | 2.8                        | .6           | 129.9                        | 4.3                        | 1.7          |              |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 137.4                                              | 4.2                        | .7           | 142.5                                         | 3.8                        | -.2          | 113.3                        | 3.0                        | .7           | 136.8                        | 4.3                        | 1.5          |              |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 150.7                                              | 5.9                        | -.1          | 146.6                                         | 1.3                        | 2.8          | 122.1                        | .9                         | -.3          | 132.9                        | 4.1                        | 2.6          |              |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 131.5                                              | 5.7                        | 1.2          | 131.7                                         | 4.9                        | -.4          | 112.1                        | 2.6                        | .9           | 137.6                        | 8.3                        | 1.5          |              |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 131.6                                              | 5.7                        | 1.2          | 131.0                                         | 5.1                        | -.4          | 111.8                        | 2.7                        | .9           | 138.1                        | 8.4                        | 1.6          |              |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 112.0                                              | 2.8                        | 2.8          | 120.3                                         | 4.1                        | 12.9         | 110.6                        | -1.5                       | 6.3          | 113.3                        | 1.7                        | 1.3          |              |
| Fuels .....                                            | 105.0                                              | 1.9                        | 4.4          | 117.7                                         | .5                         | 23.2         | 107.1                        | -8.5                       | 2.8          | 106.4                        | 2.0                        | 2.6          |              |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | 84.9                                               | 6.0                        | -5.0         | 85.4                                          | 7.3                        | -2.0         | 105.5                        | .0                         | .0           | 97.9                         | 6.1                        | -2.8         |              |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | 82.8                                               | 4.9                        | -6.1         | 86.2                                          | 6.3                        | -2.9         | NA                           | -                          | -            | 91.3                         | 8.9                        | -1.4         |              |
| Other household fuel<br>commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 111.8                                              | 8.2                        | -3.0         | 106.5                                         | 9.1                        | .0           | 110.5                        | .0                         | .0           | 120.9                        | 5.2                        | -3.2         |              |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 112.1                                              | 1.6                        | 5.4          | 121.7                                         | .4                         | 23.6         | 106.1                        | -8.6                       | 2.7          | 109.2                        | 2.0                        | 2.9          |              |
| Electricity .....                                      | 122.3                                              | 2.3                        | 7.1          | 158.2                                         | 1.7                        | 50.5         | 98.2                         | -14.5                      | 5.7          | 131.9                        | 3.4                        | 4.6          |              |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 96.4                                               | .3                         | 1.6          | 88.5                                          | -1.7                       | -4.3         | 125.5                        | 3.0                        | -1.6         | 93.3                         | .4                         | 1.1          |              |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 112.3                                              | 1.7                        | .1           | 111.8                                         | 1.5                        | .4           | 112.1                        | -1.4                       | -.9          | 102.6                        | .8                         | -.1          |              |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 122.4                                              | 4.7                        | -2.7         | 123.8                                         | 9.4                        | -5.1         | 127.4                        | 5.3                        | -2.8         | 126.8                        | 1.6                        | -5.6         |              |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 120.4                                              | 4.7                        | -3.1         | 124.8                                         | 9.8                        | -5.4         | 122.5                        | 4.9                        | -3.2         | 126.8                        | 1.6                        | -5.8         |              |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 118.9                                              | 3.4                        | -.9          | 116.2                                         | 3.6                        | 1.5          | 101.5                        | 3.7                        | -.7          | 121.6                        | 8.3                        | -1.5         |              |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 119.8                                              | 5.6                        | -5.6         | 117.8                                         | 8.9                        | -10.4        | 137.2                        | 1.9                        | -6.9         | 139.0                        | -1.3                       | -11.0        |              |
| Footwear .....                                         | 118.3                                              | 3.7                        | -.8          | 135.8                                         | 19.5                       | -5.0         | 112.3                        | -2.9                       | -3.9         | 108.5                        | 6.9                        | 2.8          |              |
| Transportation .....                                   | 117.7                                              | 1.5                        | .9           | 115.1                                         | 1.8                        | 1.0          | 115.0                        | .6                         | 1.3          | 121.7                        | 2.1                        | 1.3          |              |
| Private transportation .....                           | 116.4                                              | 1.0                        | .9           | 113.9                                         | 1.3                        | .9           | 115.0                        | .2                         | 1.3          | 121.8                        | 1.8                        | 1.4          |              |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 94.7                                               | -1.5                       | 3.7          | 102.3                                         | 4.0                        | 3.5          | 95.6                         | 1.0                        | 4.9          | 96.3                         | -1.8                       | 2.0          |              |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 94.8                                               | -1.6                       | 3.9          | 102.9                                         | 3.5                        | 4.3          | 95.7                         | .9                         | 5.2          | 96.4                         | -2.0                       | 2.1          |              |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | 100.3                                              | .1                         | 4.2          | 119.3                                         | 9.2                        | 2.4          | NA                           | -                          | -            | NA                           | -                          | -            |              |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 92.6                                               | -2.1                       | 4.3          | 100.7                                         | 3.3                        | 5.0          | 93.0                         | .1                         | 6.2          | 95.1                         | -1.6                       | 2.3          |              |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 97.8                                               | -.3                        | 3.4          | 104.6                                         | 4.5                        | 3.0          | 98.2                         | 2.3                        | 4.4          | 100.0                        | -3.8                       | 1.5          |              |
| Public transportation .....                            | 139.6                                              | 8.9                        | .9           | 126.1                                         | 6.0                        | 2.4          | 116.8                        | 12.2                       | 1.1          | 125.5                        | 6.9                        | .0           |              |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                  | U.S.<br>city<br>average                            |                            |              | Chicago-<br>Gary-<br>Lake County,<br>IL-IN-WI |                            |              | Dallas-<br>Fort Worth,<br>TX |                            |              | Detroit-<br>Ann Arbor,<br>MI |                            |              |
|                                                  | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                         | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                        | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                  | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                                  | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                 | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                 | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |
| Medical care .....                               | 161.8                                              | 8.7                        | 1.3          | 163.1                                         | 10.1                       | 1.1          | 164.7                        | 8.2                        | 3.4          | 158.0                        | 8.3                        | 1.3          |
| Entertainment .....                              | 131.0                                              | 4.4                        | .3           | 139.1                                         | 4.4                        | .1           | 135.6                        | 1.4                        | -.5          | 127.5                        | 5.8                        | -.6          |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 157.8                                              | 7.9                        | 1.3          | 165.3                                         | 8.5                        | 1.2          | 152.3                        | 7.3                        | .8           | 147.1                        | 6.8                        | 2.4          |
| Personal care .....                              | 130.7                                              | 5.1                        | .5           | 126.6                                         | 4.5                        | -.2          | 130.3                        | 10.9                       | 2.0          | 112.3                        | 1.7                        | 2.1          |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |
| All items .....                                  | 128.3                                              | 4.5                        | .8           | 127.9                                         | 5.0                        | 1.1          | 123.2                        | 2.7                        | .8           | 124.7                        | 4.5                        | .6           |
| Commodities .....                                | 121.2                                              | 3.7                        | .3           | 121.9                                         | 5.3                        | .0           | 119.6                        | 2.3                        | .1           | 116.7                        | 3.1                        | .1           |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.5                                              | 5.5                        | .6           | 130.0                                         | 6.2                        | .7           | 129.8                        | 4.3                        | -.2          | 126.1                        | 5.2                        | .9           |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 114.9                                              | 2.4                        | .1           | 116.7                                         | 4.7                        | -.4          | 113.2                        | 1.0                        | .2           | 111.9                        | 1.5                        | -.6          |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 116.8                                              | 3.7                        | .3           | 124.1                                         | 7.7                        | -.6          | 116.8                        | 3.8                        | .9           | 117.8                        | 3.1                        | -1.0         |
| Durables .....                                   | 111.2                                              | .5                         | -.2          | 107.8                                         | .3                         | -.3          | 109.6                        | -2.3                       | -.5          | 101.0                        | -1.3                       | .2           |
| Services .....                                   | 137.4                                              | 5.2                        | 1.2          | 134.8                                         | 4.6                        | 2.1          | 127.5                        | 3.1                        | 1.6          | 135.1                        | 6.0                        | 1.3          |
| Medical care services .....                      | 161.7                                              | 8.8                        | 1.3          | 160.8                                         | 9.6                        | 1.1          | 166.1                        | 7.2                        | 2.2          | 160.0                        | 8.3                        | 1.0          |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |                            |              |                                               |                            |              |                              |                            |              |                              |                            |              |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 126.4                                              | 4.2                        | .7           | 127.2                                         | 5.1                        | 1.5          | 125.9                        | 2.6                        | .8           | 124.2                        | 3.7                        | .4           |
| All items less medical care .....                | 126.6                                              | 4.2                        | .7           | 126.1                                         | 4.6                        | 1.0          | 120.7                        | 2.4                        | .7           | 123.3                        | 4.4                        | .7           |
| All items less energy .....                      | 132.5                                              | 4.8                        | .5           | 130.9                                         | 5.2                        | .0           | 127.8                        | 3.2                        | .6           | 128.2                        | 5.0                        | .5           |
| Energy .....                                     | 99.2                                               | .3                         | 4.0          | 109.0                                         | 2.1                        | 12.8         | 100.4                        | -3.7                       | 3.9          | 102.0                        | .0                         | 2.3          |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 115.4                                              | 2.6                        | .2           | 117.2                                         | 4.5                        | -.4          | 113.6                        | 1.2                        | .3           | 112.5                        | 1.7                        | -.5          |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 117.3                                              | 3.8                        | .3           | 124.3                                         | 7.2                        | -.4          | 116.9                        | 3.8                        | .9           | 118.3                        | 3.1                        | -.9          |
| Nondurables .....                                | 124.4                                              | 4.7                        | .5           | 127.2                                         | 6.9                        | .1           | 123.5                        | 4.0                        | .3           | 121.9                        | 4.2                        | .0           |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 128.0                                              | 5.0                        | 1.3          | 128.9                                         | 4.6                        | 4.5          | 130.8                        | 3.4                        | 2.3          | 126.6                        | 4.9                        | 1.0          |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 135.1                                              | 4.8                        | 1.1          | 132.4                                         | 4.1                        | 2.2          | 123.8                        | 2.7                        | 1.6          | 133.1                        | 5.9                        | 1.3          |

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**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                               | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                     | Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX                     |                      |           | Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA |                      |           | N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT |                      |           |
|                                                     | Index                                              | Percent change from— |           | Index                             | Percent change from— |           | Index                                    | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                     | June 1990                                          | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                         | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                                | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                         |                                                    |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
| All items .....                                     | 120.0                                              | 4.8                  | 1.2       | 131.1                             | 4.6                  | 0.7       | 135.0                                    | 4.9                  | 0.0       |
| All items (1967=100) .....                          | 383.1                                              | -                    | -         | 387.4                             | -                    | -         | 384.2                                    | -                    | -         |
| Food and beverages .....                            | 128.7                                              | 5.8                  | 1.1       | 130.6                             | 5.9                  | .3        | 139.0                                    | 5.1                  | .4        |
| Food .....                                          | 129.5                                              | 6.0                  | 1.3       | 129.6                             | 5.6                  | .0        | 139.2                                    | 5.2                  | .4        |
| Food at home .....                                  | 137.4                                              | 8.4                  | 2.2       | 130.2                             | 6.0                  | -.5       | 138.2                                    | 6.2                  | .6        |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                   | 139.5                                              | 6.2                  | 2.8       | 143.7                             | 6.4                  | 1.6       | 144.9                                    | 6.2                  | .0        |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                | 129.8                                              | 10.4                 | 2.9       | 128.3                             | 7.1                  | 1.8       | 138.1                                    | 6.6                  | 1.0       |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                      | 132.1                                              | 10.9                 | 4.1       | 126.6                             | 6.7                  | 2.3       | 139.0                                    | 6.6                  | 1.7       |
| Dairy products .....                                | 141.0                                              | 22.0                 | .7        | 125.8                             | 9.0                  | -2.2      | 127.2                                    | 10.1                 | .3        |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                         | 141.0                                              | -.4                  | -6.3      | 141.1                             | 4.6                  | -4.4      | 154.7                                    | 6.0                  | .1        |
| Other food at home .....                            | 141.8                                              | 6.7                  | 7.2       | 121.5                             | 4.1                  | -.2       | 127.2                                    | 3.8                  | 1.2       |
| Food away from home .....                           | 116.9                                              | 1.9                  | -.3       | 129.1                             | 5.0                  | .8        | 143.9                                    | 3.6                  | .1        |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                           | 121.0                                              | 3.9                  | .2        | 139.3                             | 8.4                  | 3.1       | 135.3                                    | 3.9                  | .7        |
| Housing .....                                       | 104.5                                              | 4.2                  | 2.1       | 133.4                             | 5.0                  | 1.1       | 135.2                                    | 4.5                  | .1        |
| Shelter .....                                       | 103.7                                              | 5.0                  | 1.0       | 140.8                             | 6.1                  | 1.1       | 152.8                                    | 5.8                  | .1        |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 108.1                                              | 7.3                  | .7        | 134.9                             | 5.1                  | 1.0       | 139.1                                    | 5.2                  | .1        |
| Rent, residential .....                             | 101.4                                              | 6.6                  | .8        | 149.0                             | 4.5                  | .8        | 150.0                                    | 5.9                  | .7        |
| Other renters' costs .....                          | 185.9                                              | 12.1                 | -.4       | 143.6                             | 10.0                 | 2.8       | 158.0                                    | -.2                  | -4.4      |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                | 103.7                                              | 3.4                  | 1.1       | 140.9                             | 6.8                  | 1.3       | 145.6                                    | 6.3                  | .1        |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....          | 101.5                                              | 3.7                  | 1.1       | 140.7                             | 6.9                  | 1.3       | 146.2                                    | 6.3                  | .1        |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                      | 105.3                                              | .5                   | 7.7       | 125.9                             | 4.1                  | 3.2       | 100.7                                    | 1.1                  | .3        |
| Fuels .....                                         | 101.7                                              | .3                   | 13.0      | 131.0                             | 5.2                  | 6.9       | 99.2                                     | 2.2                  | 1.4       |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ..... | NA                                                 | -                    | -         | 118.2                             | 12.0                 | -3.0      | 88.3                                     | 5.7                  | -5.8      |
| Fuel oil .....                                      | NA                                                 | -                    | -         | NA                                | -                    | -         | 87.4                                     | 5.6                  | -5.9      |
| Other household fuel commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 118.7                                              | 14.8                 | .0        | 118.4                             | 12.0                 | -3.0      | 112.9                                    | 9.0                  | -3.3      |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                   | 101.7                                              | -.1                  | 13.4      | 131.2                             | 5.0                  | 7.1       | 107.9                                    | 1.2                  | 3.7       |
| Electricity .....                                   | 107.3                                              | -.1                  | 17.0      | 139.3                             | 8.7                  | -.8       | 113.3                                    | .7                   | 6.7       |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                           | 85.2                                               | -.6                  | -.1       | 129.5                             | -.8                  | 25.9      | 99.1                                     | 2.3                  | -1.6      |
| Household furnishings and operation .....           | 108.8                                              | 5.9                  | .0        | 111.4                             | .8                   | -1.3      | 113.3                                    | 1.2                  | .4        |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                            | 133.5                                              | 9.5                  | 2.1       | 125.7                             | 4.9                  | -3.1      | 116.0                                    | 6.4                  | -6.8      |
| Apparel commodities .....                           | 134.0                                              | 9.9                  | 2.4       | 123.2                             | 4.9                  | -3.7      | 112.8                                    | 6.7                  | -7.5      |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                       | 140.1                                              | 6.1                  | -4.0      | 126.8                             | 4.9                  | -.2       | 110.3                                    | 3.4                  | -2.2      |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                    | 140.5                                              | 17.1                 | 9.9       | 118.2                             | 6.2                  | -4.1      | 112.5                                    | 9.9                  | -11.9     |
| Footwear .....                                      | 116.1                                              | -3.7                 | -5.5      | 106.0                             | 1.3                  | 1.0       | 121.1                                    | 5.1                  | -3.5      |
| Transportation .....                                | 115.6                                              | 2.0                  | .5        | 120.7                             | .8                   | 1.2       | 120.2                                    | 2.4                  | 1.2       |
| Private transportation .....                        | 115.5                                              | 2.0                  | .6        | 118.3                             | .1                   | 1.2       | 115.7                                    | 1.0                  | 1.4       |
| Motor fuel .....                                    | 98.0                                               | 2.1                  | 3.5       | 94.0                              | -5.1                 | 6.7       | 91.2                                     | -2.0                 | 5.6       |
| Gasoline .....                                      | 98.3                                               | 2.0                  | 3.7       | 93.7                              | -5.1                 | 6.8       | 91.6                                     | -1.6                 | 5.8       |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                      | 103.4                                              | .8                   | 1.9       | 93.9                              | -5.0                 | 7.8       | NA                                       | -                    | -         |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                    | 96.8                                               | .8                   | 3.9       | 92.3                              | -5.6                 | 7.3       | 88.1                                     | -2.8                 | 5.9       |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                    | 97.4                                               | 4.4                  | 3.7       | 95.8                              | -3.3                 | 4.8       | 95.9                                     | -.4                  | 5.4       |
| Public transportation .....                         | 137.0                                              | 3.2                  | -.2       | 173.4                             | 12.7                 | 1.3       | 140.5                                    | 10.4                 | .2        |

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**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
|                                                  | Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX                     |                      |           | Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA |                      |           | N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT |                      |           |
|                                                  | Index                                              | Percent change from— |           | Index                             | Percent change from— |           | Index                                    | Percent change from— |           |
|                                                  | June 1990                                          | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                         | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 | June 1990                                | June 1989            | Apr. 1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
| Medical care .....                               | 159.5                                              | 6.6                  | 0.1       | 160.2                             | 8.1                  | 1.0       | 171.4                                    | 9.2                  | 0.7       |
| Entertainment .....                              | 134.6                                              | -3.4                 | -1.5      | 123.4                             | 3.0                  | .1        | 135.2                                    | 5.5                  | .4        |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 151.7                                              | 12.6                 | .9        | 165.8                             | 8.7                  | .9        | 160.9                                    | 7.3                  | .9        |
| Personal care .....                              | 116.4                                              | 14.2                 | 1.6       | 145.2                             | 10.3                 | .0        | 142.8                                    | 5.2                  | .8        |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
| All items .....                                  | 120.0                                              | 4.8                  | 1.2       | 131.1                             | 4.6                  | .7        | 135.0                                    | 4.9                  | .0        |
| Commodities .....                                | 122.3                                              | 5.2                  | 1.1       | 119.7                             | 3.3                  | .1        | 124.9                                    | 4.1                  | -.5       |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 128.7                                              | 5.8                  | 1.1       | 130.6                             | 5.9                  | .3        | 139.0                                    | 5.1                  | .4        |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 118.6                                              | 4.9                  | 1.0       | 112.8                             | 1.6                  | -.2       | 113.9                                    | 3.3                  | -1.4      |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 123.0                                              | 5.9                  | 1.9       | 120.5                             | 3.3                  | .7        | 113.8                                    | 4.4                  | -1.8      |
| Durables .....                                   | 111.3                                              | 3.2                  | -.5       | 105.5                             | -.2                  | -1.0      | 111.5                                    | .7                   | -.2       |
| Services .....                                   | 117.0                                              | 4.3                  | 1.5       | 143.0                             | 5.6                  | 1.1       | 146.4                                    | 5.5                  | .3        |
| Medical care services .....                      | 155.7                                              | 6.0                  | .1        | 159.3                             | 6.8                  | .9        | 174.1                                    | 9.4                  | .5        |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |                      |           |                                   |                      |           |                                          |                      |           |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 125.0                                              | 4.8                  | 1.3       | 128.2                             | 3.9                  | .4        | 129.1                                    | 4.4                  | -.1       |
| All items less medical care .....                | 117.5                                              | 4.7                  | 1.3       | 129.7                             | 4.4                  | .6        | 133.4                                    | 4.6                  | -.1       |
| All items less energy .....                      | 123.6                                              | 5.2                  | .7        | 134.3                             | 4.9                  | .2        | 139.8                                    | 5.2                  | -.4       |
| Energy .....                                     | 101.0                                              | 1.3                  | 7.1       | 105.3                             | -1.0                 | 6.8       | 95.9                                     | .5                   | 3.0       |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 118.4                                              | 4.8                  | .9        | 114.1                             | 2.1                  | .1        | 114.8                                    | 3.3                  | -1.2      |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 122.2                                              | 5.8                  | 1.7       | 121.7                             | 3.8                  | .9        | 115.0                                    | 4.4                  | -1.6      |
| Nondurables .....                                | 126.1                                              | 5.9                  | 1.5       | 125.9                             | 4.7                  | .5        | 127.5                                    | 4.8                  | -.5       |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 121.1                                              | 3.7                  | 1.9       | 135.1                             | 5.0                  | 1.0       | 127.2                                    | 5.0                  | .6        |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 112.1                                              | 4.2                  | 1.7       | 141.7                             | 5.6                  | 1.1       | 144.4                                    | 5.2                  | .3        |

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**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                                  | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                        | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD   |                            |              | Pittsburgh-<br>Beaver Valley,<br>PA |                            |              | San Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |                            |              |
|                                                        | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                               | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                      | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                        | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                        | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                               | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                            |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items .....                                        | 135.5                                              | 5.1                        | 0.8          | 120.3                               | 3.8                        | 0.2          | 130.7                                      | 4.1                        | 0.7          |
| All items (1967 = 100) .....                           | 393.6                                              | -                          | -            | 357.7                               | -                          | -            | 398.1                                      | -                          | -            |
| Food and beverages .....                               | 131.8                                              | 4.8                        | .6           | 124.8                               | 5.7                        | .6           | 133.8                                      | 4.5                        | .1           |
| Food .....                                             | 131.4                                              | 4.8                        | .7           | 124.0                               | 5.4                        | .5           | 134.6                                      | 4.6                        | .0           |
| Food at home .....                                     | 135.4                                              | 5.5                        | .8           | 122.2                               | 5.4                        | .6           | 134.3                                      | 4.5                        | -.5          |
| Cereals and bakery products .....                      | 143.7                                              | 5.8                        | .0           | 127.3                               | 6.6                        | 1.0          | 141.2                                      | 6.1                        | 1.1          |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....                   | 135.9                                              | 6.0                        | 2.2          | 118.6                               | 7.6                        | 2.2          | 131.3                                      | 4.8                        | -.4          |
| Meats, poultry, and fish .....                         | 137.5                                              | 6.3                        | 3.3          | 120.0                               | 8.2                        | 3.1          | 130.5                                      | 4.3                        | .7           |
| Dairy products .....                                   | 120.9                                              | 10.6                       | 1.9          | 115.6                               | 6.1                        | .2           | 124.9                                      | 11.4                       | -.2          |
| Fruits and vegetables .....                            | 147.8                                              | 5.7                        | -1.9         | 136.7                               | 3.0                        | -2.0         | 153.5                                      | .9                         | -3.5         |
| Other food at home .....                               | 129.3                                              | 2.1                        | .8           | 117.7                               | 3.4                        | .6           | 125.2                                      | 3.2                        | .8           |
| Food away from home .....                              | 122.4                                              | 2.9                        | .3           | 128.5                               | 5.2                        | .3           | 135.3                                      | 5.0                        | 1.0          |
| Alcoholic beverages .....                              | 138.6                                              | 4.8                        | .1           | 133.8                               | 9.0                        | 2.5          | 127.2                                      | 4.0                        | .7           |
| Housing .....                                          | 140.7                                              | 5.4                        | 1.4          | 114.9                               | 4.3                        | .3           | 135.0                                      | 4.6                        | 1.2          |
| Shelter .....                                          | 159.4                                              | 5.8                        | -.3          | 115.5                               | 4.7                        | .2           | 141.7                                      | 5.3                        | .7           |
| Renters' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                      | 139.2                                              | 6.0                        | -.9          | 117.6                               | 3.1                        | -.6          | 135.4                                      | 6.0                        | .9           |
| Rent, residential .....                                | 150.0                                              | 5.0                        | .6           | 127.3                               | 2.4                        | 1.1          | 151.3                                      | 5.4                        | .7           |
| Other renters' costs .....                             | 161.9                                              | -                          | -            | 126.4                               | 4.8                        | -4.4         | 142.8                                      | 11.8                       | 2.9          |
| Homeowners' costs <sup>2</sup> .....                   | 145.9                                              | 5.7                        | -.1          | 121.3                               | 5.1                        | .4           | 134.5                                      | 4.7                        | .5           |
| Owners' equivalent rent <sup>2</sup> .....             | 146.5                                              | 5.7                        | -.1          | 121.3                               | 4.9                        | .3           | 134.5                                      | 4.7                        | .5           |
| Fuel and other utilities .....                         | 117.4                                              | 6.1                        | 9.0          | 122.2                               | 6.5                        | -.1          | 125.9                                      | 3.5                        | 5.4          |
| Fuels .....                                            | 115.7                                              | 8.3                        | 12.8         | 115.3                               | 8.6                        | -.3          | 139.2                                      | 4.4                        | 8.5          |
| Fuel oil and other household fuel<br>commodities ..... | 87.0                                               | 10.5                       | 1.2          | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 117.2                                      | -.9                        | -5.9         |
| Fuel oil .....                                         | 80.0                                               | 3.8                        | -7.3         | 78.6                                | 7.5                        | -3.9         | 87.8                                       | -5.6                       | .0           |
| Other household fuel<br>commodities <sup>3</sup> ..... | 155.1                                              | 33.4                       | 33.4         | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 126.4                                      | -.6                        | -6.2         |
| Gas (piped) and electricity .....                      | 133.9                                              | 8.0                        | 14.3         | 119.1                               | 8.7                        | -.1          | 139.8                                      | 4.6                        | 8.9          |
| Electricity .....                                      | 157.3                                              | 10.2                       | 21.7         | 128.1                               | 6.0                        | .0           | 154.2                                      | 7.3                        | 1.8          |
| Utility (piped) gas .....                              | 101.3                                              | 3.1                        | -.1          | 111.2                               | 11.1                       | -.1          | 125.2                                      | -.4                        | 24.8         |
| Household furnishings and operation .....              | 115.0                                              | 2.4                        | -1.4         | 107.8                               | .2                         | 1.2          | 119.0                                      | 2.0                        | -.2          |
| Apparel and upkeep .....                               | 99.8                                               | 7.1                        | -4.1         | 119.0                               | 1.1                        | -4.4         | 109.7                                      | 2.6                        | -1.4         |
| Apparel commodities .....                              | 95.9                                               | 6.4                        | -4.5         | 116.3                               | 1.0                        | -4.8         | 106.0                                      | 2.5                        | -1.6         |
| Men's and boys' apparel .....                          | 95.5                                               | -2.2                       | -2.0         | 110.0                               | -1.5                       | -4.7         | 107.2                                      | -1.4                       | 1.8          |
| Women's and girls' apparel .....                       | 77.3                                               | 10.6                       | -5.8         | 115.1                               | 4.8                        | -8.1         | 89.9                                       | 5.8                        | -6.4         |
| Footwear .....                                         | 111.9                                              | -2.5                       | -1.4         | 116.7                               | -1.5                       | -1.6         | 115.8                                      | -4.5                       | 4.0          |
| Transportation .....                                   | 126.6                                              | 2.3                        | 1.0          | 108.8                               | -.5                        | .8           | 115.4                                      | .9                         | 1.5          |
| Private transportation .....                           | 124.0                                              | 1.0                        | .6           | 108.1                               | -1.1                       | .9           | 114.4                                      | .4                         | 1.5          |
| Motor fuel .....                                       | 98.2                                               | .0                         | 3.3          | 89.9                                | -3.7                       | 5.1          | 99.7                                       | -.3                        | 6.6          |
| Gasoline .....                                         | 97.0                                               | -1.1                       | 3.9          | 89.9                                | -3.7                       | 5.1          | 99.6                                       | -.2                        | 6.6          |
| Gasoline, leaded regular .....                         | NA                                                 | -                          | -            | NA                                  | -                          | -            | 100.7                                      | -1.9                       | 7.0          |
| Gasoline, unleaded regular .....                       | 94.4                                               | -1.3                       | 4.7          | 87.3                                | -4.1                       | 5.6          | 97.7                                       | .2                         | 7.5          |
| Gasoline, unleaded premium .....                       | 96.6                                               | -.8                        | 3.1          | 92.0                                | -3.2                       | 3.4          | 100.2                                      | .3                         | 5.3          |
| Public transportation .....                            | 163.4                                              | 18.9                       | 4.7          | 123.1                               | 13.0                       | .1           | 132.5                                      | 5.5                        | 1.0          |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued**

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

| Group                                            | Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup> |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|                                                  | Phil.-<br>Wilmington-<br>Trenton,<br>PA-NJ-DE-MD   |                            |              | Pittsburgh-<br>Beaver Valley,<br>PA |                            |              | San Francisco-<br>Oakland-<br>San Jose, CA |                            |              |
|                                                  | Index                                              | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                               | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              | Index                                      | Percent<br>change<br>from— |              |
|                                                  | June<br>1990                                       | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                        | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 | June<br>1990                               | June<br>1989               | Apr.<br>1990 |
| <b>Expenditure category</b>                      |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| Medical care .....                               | 164.9                                              | 7.2                        | 1.2          | 160.5                               | 9.0                        | 0.3          | 158.9                                      | 7.4                        | 0.1          |
| Entertainment .....                              | 129.0                                              | 3.1                        | -.8          | 138.2                               | 3.1                        | 1.3          | 138.4                                      | 5.5                        | .2           |
| Other goods and services .....                   | 167.5                                              | 9.8                        | 2.0          | 151.5                               | 7.1                        | -.5          | 164.2                                      | 6.8                        | .4           |
| Personal care .....                              | 153.4                                              | 10.7                       | 1.1          | 113.5                               | -1.1                       | -1.1         | 146.5                                      | 7.7                        | -2.8         |
| <b>Commodity and service group</b>               |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items .....                                  | 135.5                                              | 5.1                        | .8           | 120.3                               | 3.8                        | .2           | 130.7                                      | 4.1                        | .7           |
| Commodities .....                                | 119.7                                              | 4.0                        | -.1          | 115.7                               | 2.8                        | .3           | 122.7                                      | 3.4                        | .2           |
| Food and beverages .....                         | 131.8                                              | 4.8                        | .6           | 124.8                               | 5.7                        | .6           | 133.8                                      | 4.5                        | .1           |
| Commodities less food and beverages .....        | 110.8                                              | 3.4                        | -.6          | 109.7                               | .9                         | .1           | 115.7                                      | 2.4                        | .3           |
| Nondurables less food and beverages .....        | 107.7                                              | 5.3                        | .0           | 116.3                               | 1.7                        | -.1          | 114.7                                      | 4.0                        | 1.0          |
| Durables .....                                   | 113.9                                              | .1                         | -1.7         | 102.2                               | -.4                        | .4           | 115.5                                      | .1                         | -.4          |
| Services .....                                   | 155.5                                              | 6.0                        | 1.5          | 126.4                               | 4.7                        | .0           | 139.4                                      | 4.7                        | 1.1          |
| Medical care services .....                      | 165.8                                              | 6.2                        | 1.3          | 153.4                               | 6.0                        | .3           | 159.9                                      | 8.3                        | .1           |
| <b>Special indexes</b>                           |                                                    |                            |              |                                     |                            |              |                                            |                            |              |
| All items less shelter .....                     | 129.3                                              | 4.9                        | 1.3          | 122.2                               | 3.6                        | .2           | 127.5                                      | 3.6                        | .8           |
| All items less medical care .....                | 134.1                                              | 5.1                        | .8           | 118.5                               | 3.6                        | .2           | 129.5                                      | 3.9                        | .8           |
| All items less energy .....                      | 139.8                                              | 5.1                        | .1           | 123.1                               | 4.0                        | .0           | 133.6                                      | 4.2                        | .2           |
| Energy .....                                     | 107.0                                              | 5.0                        | 9.0          | 101.8                               | 2.6                        | 2.2          | 113.9                                      | 1.8                        | 7.5          |
| Commodities less food .....                      | 112.0                                              | 3.5                        | -.5          | 110.7                               | 1.4                        | .2           | 116.0                                      | 2.6                        | .4           |
| Nondurables less food .....                      | 109.6                                              | 5.3                        | .0           | 117.2                               | 2.4                        | .2           | 114.8                                      | 4.0                        | .9           |
| Nondurables .....                                | 120.5                                              | 5.0                        | .4           | 120.6                               | 3.9                        | .3           | 124.5                                      | 4.3                        | .4           |
| Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> ..... | 138.3                                              | 6.1                        | 3.2          | 121.9                               | 5.0                        | -.1          | 126.7                                      | 3.9                        | 1.8          |
| Services less medical care .....                 | 154.4                                              | 6.0                        | 1.5          | 124.3                               | 4.7                        | .0           | 138.1                                      | 4.5                        | 1.2          |

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see table 11) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>NA</sup> Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

**Table P1. Average residential prices for utility (piped) gas, electricity, and fuel oil, U.S. city average and selected areas**

| Area, region and population size class               | Utility (piped) gas |           |                |           | Electricity |           | Fuel oil #2 |           |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
|                                                      | per 40 therms       |           | per 100 therms |           | per 500 KWH |           | per gallon  |           |
|                                                      | May 1990            | June 1990 | May 1990       | June 1990 | May 1990    | June 1990 | May 1990    | June 1990 |
| U.S. city average .....                              | \$25.888            | \$25.885  | \$57.112       | \$56.953  | \$42.061    | \$43.665  | \$0.951     | \$0.908   |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>             |                     |           |                |           |             |           |             |           |
| Northeast urban .....                                | 31.468              | 31.248    | 66.939         | 66.514    | 51.257      | 51.736    | .951        | .905      |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 32.048              | 31.806    | 68.036         | 67.591    | 55.630      | 56.150    | .978        | .938      |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 31.285              | 30.912    | 66.250         | 65.317    | 47.444      | 48.389    | .902        | .856      |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                     | 27.899              | 28.082    | 60.869         | 61.294    | 44.513      | 44.531    | .915        | .867      |
| North Central urban .....                            | 22.187              | 22.596    | 47.586         | 47.865    | 41.770      | 46.212    | .924        | .890      |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 21.552              | 22.484    | 46.657         | 47.490    | 44.435      | 53.114    | .956        | .921      |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 23.217              | 23.217    | 49.292         | 49.292    | 43.183      | 43.217    | .944        | .920      |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                     | 25.284              | 24.136    | 52.231         | 50.498    | 36.538      | 36.416    | .876        | .835      |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | 20.837              | 20.744    | 45.321         | 45.357    | 38.766      | 42.191    | .740        | .698      |
| South urban .....                                    | 26.753              | 26.522    | 56.347         | 56.022    | 39.775      | 40.491    | .967        | .933      |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 27.762              | 27.359    | 56.806         | 56.259    | 41.232      | 41.761    | 1.026       | .991      |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 25.954              | 25.894    | 53.718         | 53.881    | 41.861      | 42.247    | .934        | .905      |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                     | 26.308              | 26.472    | 57.138         | 57.552    | 41.072      | 42.456    | NA          | NA        |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | 25.163              | 24.371    | 56.354         | 54.252    | 33.815      | 34.226    | NA          | NA        |
| West urban .....                                     | 26.102              | 25.843    | 65.624         | 65.089    | 39.520      | 39.539    | .952        | .933      |
| Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....                   | 25.946              | 25.766    | 68.093         | 67.818    | 37.715      | 37.794    | .954        | .934      |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                     | 23.684              | 22.738    | 55.988         | 53.561    | 29.931      | 29.908    | .933        | .920      |
| <b>Size classes</b>                                  |                     |           |                |           |             |           |             |           |
| A .....                                              | 26.187              | 26.346    | 58.550         | 58.600    | 44.463      | 47.471    | .978        | .940      |
| B .....                                              | 26.381              | 26.277    | 56.188         | 56.043    | 43.949      | 44.222    | .914        | .873      |
| C .....                                              | 25.677              | 25.210    | 55.711         | 54.926    | 38.915      | 39.544    | .911        | .868      |
| D .....                                              | 22.951              | 22.638    | 50.007         | 49.379    | 37.079      | 38.136    | .874        | .791      |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                          |                     |           |                |           |             |           |             |           |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....             | 21.959              | 21.427    | 45.370         | 43.848    | 50.379      | 64.972    | 1.000       | .971      |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....              | 27.721              | 27.712    | 72.766         | 72.766    | 53.239      | 53.239    | NA          | NA        |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....       | 31.908              | 31.325    | 71.441         | 70.008    | 62.591      | 62.970    | 1.033       | .988      |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....          | 30.990              | 30.990    | 70.182         | 70.749    | 57.441      | 58.245    | .937        | .890      |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....             | 24.972              | 24.437    | 74.053         | 73.208    | 55.571      | 55.571    | NA          | NA        |
| Baltimore, MD .....                                  | 26.760              | 27.140    | 55.660         | 56.790    | 42.950      | 44.720    | .995        | .962      |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                   | 37.640              | 37.640    | 70.290         | 70.290    | 44.715      | 45.890    | .917        | .889      |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                     | 22.380              | 22.380    | 48.830         | 48.830    | 54.630      | 64.930    | NA          | NA        |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                      | 29.163              | 28.874    | 62.201         | 61.464    | 44.519      | 44.519    | NA          | NA        |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....                | 25.558              | 25.460    | 47.611         | 47.192    | 39.882      | 52.300    | .903        | .886      |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                           | 30.875              | 28.374    | 64.132         | 58.911    | 38.347      | 43.175    | 1.027       | .983      |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                          | 27.139              | 26.370    | 58.647         | 56.625    | 40.694      | 34.376    | NA          | NA        |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                          | 18.601              | 26.263    | 46.313         | 50.713    | 48.285      | 48.285    | 1.056       | 1.047     |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....                 | 25.046              | 24.818    | 46.780         | 46.780    | 40.722      | 40.751    | NA          | NA        |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                   | 30.107              | 30.123    | 62.507         | 62.604    | 50.446      | 50.446    | .812        | .805      |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>NA</sup> Data not adequate for publication.

**Table P2. Average residential unit prices and consumption ranges for utility (piped) gas and electricity for U.S. city average and selected areas**

| Area, region and population size class            | Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas |           | Range of therm consumption for June 1990 |       | Average price per KWH of electricity |           | Range of KWH consumption for June 1990 |       |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------|-------|
|                                                   | May 1990                                       | June 1990 | Low                                      | High  | May 1990                             | June 1990 | Low                                    | High  |
| U.S. city average .....                           | \$0.586                                        | \$0.593   | 1                                        | 2,800 | \$0.082                              | \$0.088   | 5                                      | 7,512 |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>          |                                                |           |                                          |       |                                      |           |                                        |       |
| Northeast urban .....                             | .714                                           | .709      | 1                                        | 2,800 | .103                                 | .108      | 26                                     | 7,246 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .730                                           | .724      | 1                                        | 697   | .107                                 | .114      | 88                                     | 3,928 |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | .707                                           | .697      | 1                                        | 252   | .100                                 | .102      | 26                                     | 7,246 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                  | .627                                           | .633      | 2                                        | 515   | .099                                 | .099      | 54                                     | 3,680 |
| North Central urban .....                         | .459                                           | .485      | 2                                        | 1,292 | .078                                 | .090      | 5                                      | 6,708 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .437                                           | .486      | 10                                       | 1,292 | .083                                 | .106      | 5                                      | 6,708 |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | .534                                           | .534      | 2                                        | 443   | .070                                 | .070      | 29                                     | 3,287 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                  | .504                                           | .485      | 38                                       | 676   | .076                                 | .075      | 39                                     | 3,626 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .439                                           | .437      | 16                                       | 429   | .076                                 | .082      | 21                                     | 3,749 |
| South urban .....                                 | .637                                           | .630      | 2                                        | 1,026 | .077                                 | .081      | 30                                     | 7,512 |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                | .646                                           | .634      | 6                                        | 442   | .078                                 | .083      | 30                                     | 7,512 |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....               | .629                                           | .628      | 2                                        | 1,026 | .081                                 | .083      | 112                                    | 5,260 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                  | .632                                           | .633      | 3                                        | 589   | .077                                 | .081      | 94                                     | 4,002 |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) ..... | .629                                           | .610      | 5                                        | 252   | .073                                 | .074      | 32                                     | 5,536 |
| West urban .....                                  | .654                                           | .648      | 6                                        | 731   | .083                                 | .083      | 57                                     | 7,152 |
| Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....                | .664                                           | .660      | 6                                        | 731   | .077                                 | .077      | 75                                     | 7,152 |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                  | .547                                           | .523      | 25                                       | 366   | .066                                 | .066      | 82                                     | 5,432 |
| <b>Size classes</b>                               |                                                |           |                                          |       |                                      |           |                                        |       |
| A .....                                           | .592                                           | .607      | 1                                        | 1,292 | .085                                 | .096      | 5                                      | 7,512 |
| B .....                                           | .623                                           | .620      | 1                                        | 1,026 | .084                                 | .085      | 26                                     | 7,246 |
| C .....                                           | .570                                           | .560      | 2                                        | 676   | .078                                 | .080      | 39                                     | 5,432 |
| D .....                                           | .512                                           | .505      | 5                                        | 2,800 | .078                                 | .080      | 21                                     | 5,536 |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                       |                                                |           |                                          |       |                                      |           |                                        |       |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....          | .449                                           | .438      | 23                                       | 635   | .092                                 | .138      | 169                                    | 6,708 |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....           | .718                                           | .718      | 7                                        | 393   | .107                                 | .108      | 75                                     | 3,107 |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....    | .868                                           | .854      | 1                                        | 697   | .120                                 | .127      | 88                                     | 2,929 |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....       | .773                                           | .774      | 12                                       | 474   | .105                                 | .128      | 216                                    | 3,845 |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....          | .710                                           | .699      | 6                                        | 191   | .111                                 | .111      | 108                                    | 2,457 |
| Baltimore, MD .....                               | .626                                           | .635      | 9                                        | 238   | .074                                 | .087      | 197                                    | 3,510 |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                | .698                                           | .698      | 25                                       | 300   | .092                                 | .091      | 140                                    | 2,658 |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                  | .478                                           | .478      | 46                                       | 406   | .102                                 | .127      | 167                                    | 2,351 |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                   | .882                                           | .874      | 8                                        | 92    | .087                                 | .087      | 304                                    | 2,961 |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....             | .471                                           | .467      | 46                                       | 1,292 | .072                                 | .098      | 172                                    | 2,744 |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                        | .706                                           | .595      | 6                                        | 442   | .074                                 | .087      | 30                                     | 3,763 |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                       | .747                                           | .730      | 12                                       | 46    | .073                                 | .061      | 275                                    | 6,349 |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                       | .241                                           | .549      | 21                                       | 356   | .093                                 | .098      | 63                                     | 3,174 |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....              | .494                                           | .495      | 30                                       | 170   | .085                                 | .085      | 224                                    | 7,512 |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                | .594                                           | .595      | 31                                       | 426   | .095                                 | .095      | 240                                    | 3,257 |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

**Table P3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas  
(Per gallon)**

| Area, region and population size class               | Gasoline<br>All types <sup>1</sup> |              | Gasoline<br>Leaded regular |              | Gasoline<br>Unleaded regular |              | Gasoline<br>Unleaded premium |              |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------|
|                                                      | May<br>1990                        | June<br>1990 | May<br>1990                | June<br>1990 | May<br>1990                  | June<br>1990 | May<br>1990                  | June<br>1990 |
| U.S. city average .....                              | \$1.114                            | \$1.140      | \$1.044                    | \$1.077      | \$1.061                      | \$1.088      | \$1.248                      | \$1.271      |
| <b>Region and area size <sup>2</sup></b>             |                                    |              |                            |              |                              |              |                              |              |
| Northeast urban .....                                | 1.109                              | 1.144        | 1.076                      | 1.117        | 1.027                        | 1.065        | 1.244                        | 1.282        |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 1.109                              | 1.146        | NA                         | NA           | 1.017                        | 1.055        | 1.245                        | 1.285        |
| Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 1.134                              | 1.168        | NA                         | NA           | 1.074                        | 1.110        | 1.273                        | 1.305        |
| Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....                     | 1.076                              | 1.111        | NA                         | NA           | 1.022                        | 1.059        | 1.193                        | 1.227        |
| North Central urban .....                            | 1.134                              | 1.154        | 1.062                      | 1.091        | 1.090                        | 1.112        | 1.292                        | 1.306        |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 1.170                              | 1.184        | 1.092                      | 1.100        | 1.112                        | 1.130        | 1.337                        | 1.346        |
| Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 1.072                              | 1.081        | NA                         | NA           | 1.032                        | 1.040        | 1.217                        | 1.234        |
| Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....                     | 1.117                              | 1.135        | NA                         | NA           | 1.109                        | 1.123        | 1.192                        | 1.219        |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | 1.052                              | 1.105        | NA                         | NA           | 1.039                        | 1.094        | NA                           | NA           |
| South urban .....                                    | 1.105                              | 1.123        | 1.046                      | 1.073        | 1.042                        | 1.061        | 1.219                        | 1.236        |
| Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....                   | 1.092                              | 1.109        | 1.039                      | 1.065        | 1.021                        | 1.039        | 1.208                        | 1.227        |
| Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....                  | 1.126                              | 1.141        | 1.074                      | 1.110        | 1.060                        | 1.074        | 1.233                        | 1.245        |
| Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....                     | 1.087                              | 1.112        | NA                         | NA           | 1.044                        | 1.068        | 1.211                        | 1.233        |
| Size D - Nonmetropolitan<br>(less than 50,000) ..... | 1.130                              | 1.152        | NA                         | NA           | 1.080                        | 1.107        | 1.229                        | 1.241        |
| West urban .....                                     | 1.108                              | 1.141        | 1.038                      | 1.073        | 1.082                        | 1.117        | 1.272                        | 1.298        |
| Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....                   | 1.110                              | 1.142        | 1.040                      | 1.072        | 1.085                        | 1.118        | 1.280                        | 1.304        |
| Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....                     | 1.072                              | 1.125        | 1.032                      | 1.087        | 1.062                        | 1.115        | 1.234                        | 1.281        |
| <b>Size classes</b>                                  |                                    |              |                            |              |                              |              |                              |              |
| A .....                                              | 1.122                              | 1.148        | 1.046                      | 1.075        | 1.064                        | 1.091        | 1.263                        | 1.288        |
| B .....                                              | 1.121                              | 1.140        | 1.050                      | 1.079        | 1.063                        | 1.082        | 1.246                        | 1.264        |
| C .....                                              | 1.089                              | 1.118        | 1.026                      | 1.068        | 1.054                        | 1.082        | 1.207                        | 1.233        |
| D .....                                              | 1.078                              | 1.119        | 1.047                      | 1.090        | 1.054                        | 1.098        | 1.198                        | 1.217        |
| <b>Selected local areas</b>                          |                                    |              |                            |              |                              |              |                              |              |
| Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI .....             | 1.250                              | 1.282        | NA                         | NA           | 1.188                        | 1.227        | 1.381                        | 1.404        |
| Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA .....              | 1.080                              | 1.103        | 1.030                      | 1.060        | 1.056                        | 1.076        | 1.253                        | 1.272        |
| N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT .....       | 1.101                              | 1.155        | NA                         | NA           | 1.003                        | 1.056        | 1.242                        | 1.300        |
| Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....          | 1.118                              | 1.148        | NA                         | NA           | 1.004                        | 1.039        | 1.246                        | 1.273        |
| San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....             | 1.161                              | 1.193        | 1.046                      | 1.075        | 1.164                        | 1.199        | 1.271                        | 1.303        |
| Baltimore, MD .....                                  | 1.140                              | 1.147        | NA                         | NA           | 1.058                        | 1.067        | 1.238                        | 1.244        |
| Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH .....                   | 1.117                              | 1.120        | NA                         | NA           | 1.043                        | 1.052        | 1.247                        | 1.252        |
| Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH .....                     | 1.132                              | 1.157        | NA                         | NA           | 1.073                        | 1.101        | 1.316                        | 1.332        |
| Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....                      | 1.093                              | 1.106        | NA                         | NA           | 1.018                        | 1.028        | 1.192                        | 1.208        |
| St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL .....                | 1.041                              | 1.075        | NA                         | NA           | .998                         | 1.032        | 1.254                        | 1.283        |
| Washington, DC-MD-VA .....                           | 1.229                              | 1.241        | NA                         | NA           | 1.141                        | 1.156        | 1.421                        | 1.427        |
| Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....                          | 1.024                              | 1.058        | NA                         | NA           | .988                         | 1.022        | 1.150                        | 1.183        |
| Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI .....                          | 1.087                              | 1.112        | NA                         | NA           | 1.068                        | 1.095        | 1.226                        | 1.235        |
| Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....                 | 1.075                              | 1.100        | NA                         | NA           | 1.018                        | 1.043        | 1.211                        | 1.240        |
| Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA .....                   | 1.032                              | 1.066        | NA                         | NA           | 1.001                        | 1.037        | 1.196                        | 1.218        |

<sup>1</sup> Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

<sup>NA</sup> Data not adequate for publication.

**Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions <sup>1</sup>**

| Food and unit                                            | U.S. average |           | Northeast |           | North Central |           | South    |           | West     |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
|                                                          | May 1990     | June 1990 | May 1990  | June 1990 | May 1990      | June 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 |
| <b>Cereals and bakery products:</b>                      |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. ....                  | \$0.254      | \$0.259   | \$0.257   | \$0.262   | NA            | NA        | \$0.271  | \$0.277   | \$0.255  | \$0.261   |
| Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....          | .496         | .494      | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | .449     | .449      | NA       | NA        |
| Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....                     | .860         | .843      | .795      | .774      | 0.829         | 0.822     | .862     | .855      | NA       | NA        |
| Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....                          | .678         | .687      | .876      | .846      | .662          | .682      | .557     | .572      | .770     | .777      |
| Bread, French, per lb. ....                              | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 1.187    | 1.115     | 1.386    | 1.400     |
| Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....                    | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | .971     | .968      | NA       | NA        |
| Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. ....                    | 2.635        | 2.636     | NA        | NA        | 2.397         | 2.424     | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. ....                     | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 1.347    | 1.327     | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:</b>                    |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| <b>Meats:</b>                                            |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| <b>Beef and veal:</b>                                    |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. ....                    | 1.974        | 1.971     | 1.933     | 1.970     | 1.988         | 1.982     | 1.981    | 1.967     | NA       | NA        |
| Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. ....                     | 1.577        | 1.593     | NA        | NA        | 1.575         | 1.600     | 1.604    | 1.605     | 1.484    | 1.513     |
| Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb. ....          | 2.116        | 2.069     | NA        | NA        | 2.105         | 2.021     | 2.179    | 2.151     | NA       | NA        |
| Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb. ....         | 2.468        | 2.432     | 2.622     | 2.547     | 2.319         | 2.350     | 2.437    | 2.415     | NA       | NA        |
| Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb. ....         | 2.947        | 2.922     | 2.885     | 2.824     | 2.922         | 2.922     | 3.015    | 2.986     | 3.023    | 3.143     |
| Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb. ....            | 4.439        | 4.541     | 4.380     | 4.467     | 4.249         | 4.352     | 4.749    | 4.866     | NA       | NA        |
| Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb. ....        | 3.318        | 3.345     | 3.634     | 3.656     | 3.216         | 3.166     | 3.244    | 3.229     | 3.079    | 3.412     |
| Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb. ....       | 3.609        | 3.785     | 3.746     | 3.898     | 3.451         | 3.692     | 3.734    | 3.793     | NA       | NA        |
| Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb. ....      | 4.193        | 4.189     | 4.791     | 4.626     | 4.040         | 4.024     | 4.102    | 4.218     | 3.873    | 3.861     |
| Steak, T-Bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb. ....        | 4.956        | 5.008     | NA        | NA        | 5.375         | 5.448     | 4.523    | 4.562     | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Pork:</b>                                             |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Bacon, sliced, per lb. ....                              | 2.044        | 2.147     | 2.156     | 2.233     | 2.003         | 2.107     | 2.064    | 2.192     | 1.985    | 2.087     |
| Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. ....                 | 3.198        | 3.438     | 3.192     | 3.593     | 3.232         | 3.425     | 3.100    | 3.306     | 3.287    | 3.471     |
| Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. ....   | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 1.533    | 1.608     | NA       | NA        |
| Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb. ....           | 1.235        | 1.277     | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 1.115    | 1.173     | NA       | NA        |
| Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. ....                      | 2.288        | 2.406     | NA        | NA        | 2.343         | 2.383     | 2.273    | 2.428     | NA       | NA        |
| Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb. ....                    | 2.772        | 2.845     | NA        | NA        | 2.723         | 2.850     | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Other meats:</b>                                      |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. ....         | 2.184        | 2.310     | 2.320     | 2.569     | 2.274         | 2.313     | 1.965    | 2.033     | 2.194    | 2.273     |
| Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. ....                 | 2.472        | 2.543     | NA        | NA        | 2.257         | 2.265     | 2.426    | 2.532     | 2.519    | 2.551     |
| Beef liver, per lb. ....                                 | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | 1.017         | 1.015     | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Poultry:</b>                                          |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....                      | .902         | .928      | 1.086     | 1.070     | .829          | .893      | .828     | .846      | .950     | .979      |
| Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. ....                    | 2.099        | 2.094     | 2.137     | 2.243     | 2.011         | 1.981     | 2.051    | 1.952     | 2.210    | 2.250     |
| Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. ....                      | 1.182        | 1.230     | 1.222     | 1.252     | 1.050         | 1.116     | 1.129    | 1.192     | NA       | NA        |
| Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. ....                      | .998         | .998      | 1.051     | 1.072     | 1.000         | .999      | .997     | .992      | .958     | .945      |
| <b>Fish and seafood:</b>                                 |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. ....                         | 2.033        | 2.040     | NA        | NA        | 1.990         | 2.033     | 1.934    | 1.895     | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Eggs:</b>                                             |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Grade A, large, per doz. ....                            | .940         | .930      | 1.156     | 1.094     | .821          | .861      | .899     | .887      | NA       | NA        |
| Grade AA, large, per doz. ....                           | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | 1.300    | 1.282     |
| <b>Dairy products:</b>                                   |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. ....         | 1.409        | 1.399     | 1.377     | 1.377     | 1.401         | 1.360     | 1.618    | 1.601     | 1.281    | 1.285     |
| Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. ....                  | NA           | NA        | 1.327     | 1.324     | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. ....            | 2.008        | 1.962     | 2.186     | 2.068     | 1.905         | 1.905     | 1.904    | 1.864     | 1.985    | 1.972     |
| American processed cheese, per lb. ....                  | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 3.137    | 3.281     | NA       | NA        |
| Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. ....                    | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | 3.560    | 3.617     | NA       | NA        |
| Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. .... | 2.585        | 2.586     | 3.036     | 3.017     | 2.443         | 2.431     | 2.600    | 2.631     | 2.392    | 2.395     |
| Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....        | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| <b>Fruits and vegetables:</b>                            |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| <b>Fresh fruits and vegetables:</b>                      |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. ....                      | .653         | .697      | .764      | .806      | .710          | .772      | .625     | .673      | .572     | .601      |
| Bananas, per lb. ....                                    | .462         | .447      | .479      | .473      | .447          | .429      | .416     | .402      | .509     | .488      |
| Oranges, Navel, per lb. ....                             | .578         | .621      | .641      | .670      | .580          | .653      | .585     | .620      | .527     | .565      |
| Oranges, Valencia, per lb. ....                          | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Cherries, per lb. ....                                   | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions <sup>1</sup>—Continued

| Food and unit                                                    | U.S. average |           | Northeast |           | North Central |           | South    |           | West     |           |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
|                                                                  | May 1990     | June 1990 | May 1990  | June 1990 | May 1990      | June 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 | May 1990 | June 1990 |
| Grapefruit, per lb. ....                                         | 0.737        | 0.778     | 0.727     | 0.796     | 0.785         | 0.813     | 0.709    | 0.764     | 0.725    | 0.745     |
| Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb. ....                           | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. ....                          | 1.455        | 1.369     | 1.794     | NA        | 1.564         | NA        | NA       | 1.151     | NA       | 1.511     |
| Lemons, per lb. ....                                             | 1.101        | 1.103     | 1.090     | 1.047     | 1.115         | 1.150     | 1.113    | 1.072     | 1.097    | 1.163     |
| Peaches, per lb. ....                                            | NA           | .811      | NA        | .871      | NA            | .854      | NA       | .790      | NA       | .777      |
| Pears, Anjou, per lb. ....                                       | .783         | .814      | NA        | NA        | .844          | .895      | .787     | .867      | NA       | NA        |
| Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. ....                          | .781         | .987      | .828      | 1.044     | .723          | .978      | .820     | .999      | .738     | .931      |
| Potatoes, white, per lb. ....                                    | .427         | .422      | .482      | .501      | .403          | .412      | .420     | .415      | .418     | .391      |
| Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. ....                                   | .513         | .441      | .588      | .508      | .545          | .419      | .546     | .483      | .437     | .394      |
| Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. ....                              | .697         | .792      | .755      | .917      | .717          | .806      | .604     | .736      | .744     | .766      |
| Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....                                 | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | .901     | .834      | NA       | NA        |
| Cabbage, per lb. ....                                            | .356         | .368      | .441      | .455      | .321          | .327      | .283     | .304      | NA       | NA        |
| Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....                  | .387         | .380      | .399      | .415      | .416          | .427      | .417     | .413      | .344     | .312      |
| Celery, per lb. ....                                             | .458         | .519      | NA        | NA        | .474          | .548      | NA       | NA        | .391     | .428      |
| Corn on the cob, per lb. ....                                    | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | .739          | .671      | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Cucumbers, per lb. ....                                          | .555         | .514      | NA        | NA        | .527          | .588      | .452     | .443      | NA       | NA        |
| Mushrooms, per lb. ....                                          | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....                                 | .450         | .413      | NA        | NA        | .525          | .519      | .479     | .447      | .390     | .323      |
| Onions, green (scallions), per lb. ....                          | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | 1.500         | 1.187     | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Peppers, sweet, per lb. ....                                     | .782         | .864      | NA        | NA        | .852          | .910      | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Radishes, per lb. ....                                           | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Processed fruits and vegetables:                                 |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Orange juice, frozen concentrate,<br>12 oz. can, per 16 oz. .... | 2.241        | 2.276     | 2.340     | 2.394     | 2.177         | 2.180     | 2.203    | 2.244     | 2.243    | 2.295     |
| Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....                     | .832         | .831      | .933      | .903      | .866          | .876      | .816     | .803      | NA       | NA        |
| Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....                            | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Other foods at home:                                             |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Sugar and sweets:                                                |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. ....                            | .430         | .427      | .484      | .476      | .418          | .420      | .412     | .409      | .433     | .429      |
| Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....                        | .403         | .400      | .422      | .417      | .399          | .401      | .398     | .395      | NA       | NA        |
| Fats and oils:                                                   |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Margarine, stick, per lb. ....                                   | .836         | .823      | .884      | .871      | .835          | .827      | .777     | .741      | .887     | .901      |
| Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. ....                              | 1.190        | 1.192     | NA        | NA        | .984          | .992      | NA       | NA        | 1.219    | 1.222     |
| Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....                   | .889         | .913      | .950      | .960      | .866          | .901      | .885     | .892      | .847     | .916      |
| Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. ....                   | 1.861        | 1.872     | 1.839     | 1.832     | 1.784         | 1.809     | 1.876    | 1.914     | NA       | NA        |
| Nonalcoholic beverages:                                          |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. <sup>2</sup> ....  | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | .398     | .396      |
| Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. ....              | 2.938        | 2.977     | 3.051     | 3.057     | 2.788         | 2.911     | 3.190    | 3.163     | 2.759    | 2.817     |
| Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can,<br>per lb. ....     | NA           | NA        | NA        | NA        | NA            | NA        | NA       | NA        | NA       | NA        |
| Other prepared foods:                                            |              |           |           |           |               |           |          |           |          |           |
| Potato chips, per 16 oz. ....                                    | 2.940        | 2.951     | 2.854     | 2.979     | 2.583         | 2.612     | 2.956    | 2.949     | 3.560    | 3.427     |

<sup>1</sup> Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

<sup>2</sup> Deposit may be included in price.

# 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. The Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes CPI's for two population groups: (1) a CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) which covers approximately 80 percent of the total population and (2), a CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) which covers 32 percent of the total population. The CPI-U includes, in addition to wage earners and clerical workers, groups 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 that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 85 urban areas across the country from about 57,000 housing units and approximately 19,000 retail establishments—department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and services establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of food, fuel, 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. Some data, such as used car prices, are obtained from secondary sources.

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 country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 29 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 indexes measure price change from a designated reference date, 1982-84, which equals 100.0. An increase of 7 percent, for example, is shown as 107.0. 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 \$100 in 1982-84 to \$107.

For further details, see *BLS Handbook of Methods*, BLS Bulletin 2285, April 1988, and *The Consumer Price Index: 1987 Revision*, BLS Report 736, January 1987.

## 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 effected 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                               | 112.5              |
| Less previous index               | 108.5              |
| Equals index point change         | 4.0                |
| Percent Change                    |                    |
| Index point difference            | 4.0                |
| Divided by the previous index     | 108.5              |
| Equals                            | 0.037              |
| Results multiplied by one hundred | $0.037 \times 100$ |
| Equals percent change             | 3.7                |

## Energy Prices

Prices are usually available for the U.S. city average, 28 large urban areas, and 16 areas reflecting the four Census regions cross-classified by four population sizes. However, not all energy commodities and services are used in every area of the country. Fuel oil, for example, is not a common heating fuel in some urban areas, particularly in the South and West. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA will also appear if the data sufficiency criteria have not been met in any given month. For example, if there are fewer than five usable fuel oil prices for a published city or region size class, no fuel oil prices for the area will be published.

All prices are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. Prices for natural gas and electricity include fuel and purchased gas adjustments and all applicable taxes. Fuel oil and gasoline prices include applicable Federal, State, and local taxes.

*Natural gas and electricity.* Natural gas prices are reported in therms, which are a measure of heating value. Electricity prices are given in kilowatt hours (kwh). For both utility services, the consumption ranges specified in table P2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the Consumer Price Index. The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are calculated from bills priced within these ranges. It should be noted that bills priced for the CPI are not only for different consumption amounts, but may also be calculated from different types of residential rate schedules. *The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are not, therefore, generally suitable for use in place-to-place price comparisons.*

The average prices for 40 and 100 therms of natural gas for 500 kilowatt hours of electricity (table P1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Since heating and air-conditioning requirements vary by geographic location, climate, and weather conditions, it cannot be inferred that these consumption amounts represent those used by a typical residential consumer. These bills are used merely to track price changes over time for constant amounts of consumption, and to provide continuity with prices of natural gas and electricity formerly published in conjunction with the unrevised Consumer Price Index.

*Fuel oil.* Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. Prices are collected, in most cases, for quantities greater than one gallon. These prices are converted to a gallon price for this program. Fuel oil prices reflect discounts for quantity and/or quick payment.

*Gasoline.* Gasoline prices are collected at the pump from a sample of full service, mini-service, and self-serve gas stations.

Approximate British Thermal Unit (BTU) values for some energy items are as follows, according to the source indicated:

1 therm = 100,000 BTU'S (U.S. Department of Energy).

1 kwh = 3,412 BTU'S (Edison Electric Institute)

1 gallon #2 fuel oil = 140,000 BTU'S (U.S. Department of Energy).

## Food Prices

In the revised CPI, actual weighted average prices are calculated each month at the national level and for the four Census geographic regions. As a result of changes in price collection methodology and sample sizes, average prices for individual cities cannot in general be produced. It is hoped, however, that regional average prices will help satisfy the need for local area data. It should be noted that the average food prices in this report reflect variations in brand, quality, and size among geographic areas. Users of average food prices should be aware that these differences exist.

Because a number of food commodities are not available in all areas on a year-round basis, prices will not appear in some months for some regions or for the U.S. city average. In other instances, sufficient prices may not be available due to temporary disruptions in supplies. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA will appear. When a price is not available from an individual store in any month, an estimated price will be calculated for the missing item and used in computing the average price. In cases where the proportion of estimated prices used to calculate the average is considered too high, the average price will not be published and NA will appear for that item in the table.

Because of space limitations in the table, the description for each item is abbreviated. More detailed specifications are available from the BLS regional offices or from the Washington office upon request.

## Reference Base Change

Beginning with the release of data for January 1988 in February 1988, most Consumer Price Indexes have shifted to a new reference base year. All indexes previously expressed on a base of 1967 = 100, or any other base through December 1981, have been rebased to 1982-84 = 100. Only indexes with a base later than December 1981 have maintained their bases. This base change was reviewed by the Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, Office of Management and Budget, and is in keeping with the Government's longstanding policy to update index bases periodically. Selection of the 1982-84 period was made to coincide with the updated expenditure weights, which are based upon data tabulated from the Consumer Expenditure Surveys for 1982, 1983, and 1984. The last rebasing of CPI data occurred in

February 1971, when the 1967 base was substituted for the former 1957-59 base.

Historical data for each CPI series on the new base are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics. For the convenience of users, the BLS will continue to publish all-items indexes for the U.S. city average, and for the individual local areas for which CPI's are published, on their former official reference base (1967=100 in most cases).

Conversion factors and an accompanying fact sheet on rebasing are available from BLS. Dividing by one of these factors will rebase the related index series from its current 1982-84 base to its previous reference base. (*Users should note:* Because of rounding effects, there may be occasional minor differences between the final rebased index and the result obtained using the conversion factor.)

### Adjustment of Shelter Indexes for Aging Effects

Beginning with the January 1988 CPI, the Bureau of Labor Statistics adjusted the monthly CPI shelter indexes for the change in quality resulting from the effect of aging on rental housing. In January 1987, the Bureau announced its intention to begin making such adjustments, assuming that further research substantiated the need to do so. The decision to implement the adjustment was based on extensive BLS research, in which alternative adjustment methods were explored and tested. Evaluation of the research indicates that an aging effect exists, and that the chosen method is operationally feasible.<sup>1</sup> The adjustment affects CPI shelter indexes, which would have been raised by 0.2 percent for the year 1987 had an aging adjustment been applied.

The quality of a housing unit decreases as the unit ages. Existing BLS methods are used to correct for relatively easily measured quality changes such as the addition of an extra bedroom, but such methods are inadequate to correct for deterioration in the condition of housing units.<sup>2</sup> The aging adjustment method was specifically designed to correct for quality changes associated with this deterioration. The BLS used hedonic regression methods to estimate the aging effect.

<sup>1</sup> A complete technical presentation of BLS research on this subject is available in William C. Randolph, "Housing Depreciation and Aging Bias in the Consumer Price Index," BLS Working Paper No. 166, April 1987, and *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics*, Vol. 6, No. 3, July 1988, pp. 359-71 and in William C. Randolph, "Estimation of Housing Depreciation: Short Term Quality Change and Long Term Vintage Effects," BLS Working Paper No. 160, April 1986, and *Journal of Urban Economics*, Vol. 23, March 1988, pp. 162-78. These papers are available from the BLS on request.

<sup>2</sup> For details on existing quality adjustment methods, see, *BLS Handbook of Methods*, chapter 19 (BLS Bulletin 2285).

The estimates were then used to correct the CPI rent and rental equivalence indexes. Hedonic regressions are statistical functions that relate the price of a good to its attributes or characteristics. For example, a hedonic regression relates a housing unit's rent to its size, age, location, etc. By using BLS housing survey data from 1987 and Census data from 1980, hedonic regression methods provided estimates of the relationship between a housing unit's rent and age while other housing unit characteristics were held constant. The estimated relationship was then used to construct the aging adjustment. Estimates will be recomputed annually by using the previous year's BLS housing survey data and the most recently available Census data.

### 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 are also 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 1985 through 1989 were replaced at the end of 1989. The seasonal movement of all items and 45 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 55 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 55 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years,

but the seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period.

Effective with the calculation of the seasonal factors for 1990, the Bureau of Labor Statistics has used an enhanced seasonal adjustment procedure called intervention analysis for some CPI series. Intervention analysis allows for better estimates of seasonally adjusted data. Extreme values and/or sharp movements which might distort the seasonal pattern are removed from the data prior to calculation of seasonal factors. For the fuel oil and the motor fuels indexes, this procedure was used to offset the effects that extreme price volatility would otherwise have had on the estimates of seasonally

adjusted data for those series. For some women's apparel indexes and the girls' apparel index, the procedure was used to offset the effects of changes in pricing methodology; and for new cars and for new vehicles, this procedure was used to offset the effects of changes in marketing strategies and the introduction of new models. A description of intervention analysis, as well as a list of events treated as interventions and seasonal factors for these items may be obtained by writing the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Washington, DC 20212 or by calling Claire McAnaw on (202)504-2051.