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Price Movements October 1990

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.6 percent before seasonal adjustment in October to a level of 133.5 (1982-84=100). For the 12-month period ended in October, the CPI-U increased 6.3 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 0.6 percent in October prior to seasonal adjustment. The October 1990 CPI-W level of 131.9 was 6.2 percent higher than the index in October 1989.

CPI for All Urban Consumers

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.6 percent in October. This compares with increases of 0.8 percent in both August and September. For the third consecutive month, advances in petroleum-based energy prices accounted for about one-half of the rise in the overall CPI-U. The October increases in the indexes for fuel oil and motor fuel—up 12.8 and 7.7 percent, respectively—were slightly less than in each of the preceding 2 months. The food index, which increased 0.2 percent in September, rose 0.4 percent in October. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose 0.3 percent, the same as in September. A decline in apparel prices coupled with small increases in entertainment and shelter costs offset larger gains in the indexes for other goods and services and medical care.

During the first 10 months of 1990, the CPI-U advanced at a 6.7-percent seasonally adjusted annual rate. This compares with a 4.7-percent rate during the corresponding period

last year. The difference between these rates is largely attributable to the price movements in the 3-month period from August through October. The CPI-U increased at an 8.9-percent rate during this 3-month period in 1990, principally due to the acceleration in energy prices. In 1989, energy prices declined in the August-to-October period and the CPI-U advanced at a much lower rate—2.9 percent.

The food and beverage index rose 0.3 percent in October, the same as in September. Larger increases in the indexes for grocery store foods and food away from home were offset by a smaller rise in the index for alcoholic beverages. The grocery store food index advanced 0.5 percent in October. A 0.1-percent drop in fruit and vegetable prices was more than offset by larger increases in each of the other grocery store food groups. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs, which rose 0.2 percent in September, advanced 0.8 percent in October. Prices for pork and eggs increased 2.0 and 5.0 percent, respectively, in October after declining in September. This turnaround more than offset a decline in poultry prices and smaller increases in the indexes for beef and fish and seafood. The index for dairy products also advanced 0.8 percent in October, following a 0.2-percent rise in the preceding month. The other two components of the food and beverages indexes—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—increased 0.3 and 0.2 percent, respectively, in October.

The housing component rose 0.3 percent in October after increasing 0.4 percent in September. For the second consecutive month, shelter costs rose 0.1 percent. Within shelter, a 0.3-percent increase in renters' cost more than offset declines

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Unadjusted	
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3-months ended October 1990	12-months ended October 1990
	1990								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
All items	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.6	8.9	6.3
Food and beverages	-.2	.1	.7	.4	.3	.3	.3	3.7	5.6
Housing	.1	.2	.6	.5	.7	.4	.3	5.7	5.0
Apparel and upkeep	.1	-.3	-.1	-.2	.1	.7	-.2	2.3	4.6
Transportation	.1	-.2	.4	.3	1.8	2.3	2.1	27.9	9.9
Medical care	.8	.8	.7	.9	.9	.7	.8	10.2	9.4
Entertainment	.4	.2	.2	.6	.2	.8	.1	4.9	4.6
Other goods and services	.4	.8	.9	1.1	.6	-.2	.6	4.0	7.5

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended October 1990	12-months ended October 1990
	1990								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
All items	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.8	0.7	9.7	6.2
Food and beverages	-.2	.1	.7	.4	.3	.3	.3	3.7	5.6
Housing	0	.2	.6	.4	.6	.5	.4	6.2	4.7
Apparel and upkeep	.5	-.2	0	-.5	-.2	.8	-.5	.3	4.2
Transportation	.2	-.3	.4	.3	1.9	2.6	2.2	30.1	10.0
Medical care	.8	.8	.6	.8	.9	.5	.8	9.6	9.0
Entertainment	.5	.2	.2	.5	.3	.6	.2	4.3	4.2
Other goods and services	.5	.5	1.1	-1.1	.6	-.1	.5	3.8	7.5

in homeowners' costs and maintenance and repair costs—down 0.1 and 1.0 percent, respectively. The index for household fuels and utilities registered its third consecutive large increase—up 1.2 percent in October—largely as a result of the continued rise in fuel oil prices. The index for fuel oil, which increased 12.8 percent in October, has risen 50.8 percent in the past 3 months. Among other fuels, charges for electricity increased 0.5 percent in October, while the index for natural gas declined 0.2 percent. The index for other utilities and public services rose 0.4 percent, largely as a result of an increase in charges for local telephone services. Cable television charges declined for the second consecutive month—down 0.5 percent in October—but have risen 12.1 percent in the past 12 months. The index for household furnishings and operations rose 0.4 percent in October, the same as in September.

Transportation costs rose 2.1 percent in October with about four-fifths of the increase due to the continued advance for motor fuels. The index for gasoline, which rose 7.7 percent in October, has increased 26.9 percent in the past 3 months and 36.9 percent in the first 10 months of this year. As of October, the gasoline index was 4.3 percent above its previous peak level in March 1981. Also contributing to the October transportation increase was a rise in automobile purchase costs. The new car index rose 0.5 percent in October, only its second increase in the past 9 months. (As of October, the proportion of prices for 1991 models in the index was about 37.1 percent of the new car sample. They will continue to be phased in over the next several months as new models replace the old at dealerships. For a report on quality changes for the 1991 cars, see *Producer Price Indexes Data for October 1990*, p. 4.) Automobile finance charges jumped 1.8 percent in October, but are still 2.5 percent lower than

at the end of 1989. Used car prices, however, continued their decline in October. Their 0.3-percent drop brought their index to a level that was 1.4 percent lower than in December 1989. The index for public transportation rose 1.8 percent in October, largely as a result of a 2.7-percent increase in airline fares.

The index for apparel and upkeep declined 0.2 percent in October. The October decrease reflects seasonally adjusted declines in most apparel commodities, other than men's apparel. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, clothing prices rose 1.4 percent in October.)

The medical care component advanced 0.8 percent in October to 9.4 percent above a year ago. The index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.6 percent. The index for medical services advanced 0.9 percent, with the cost of professional services and hospital and related services up 0.5 and 1.3 percent, respectively.

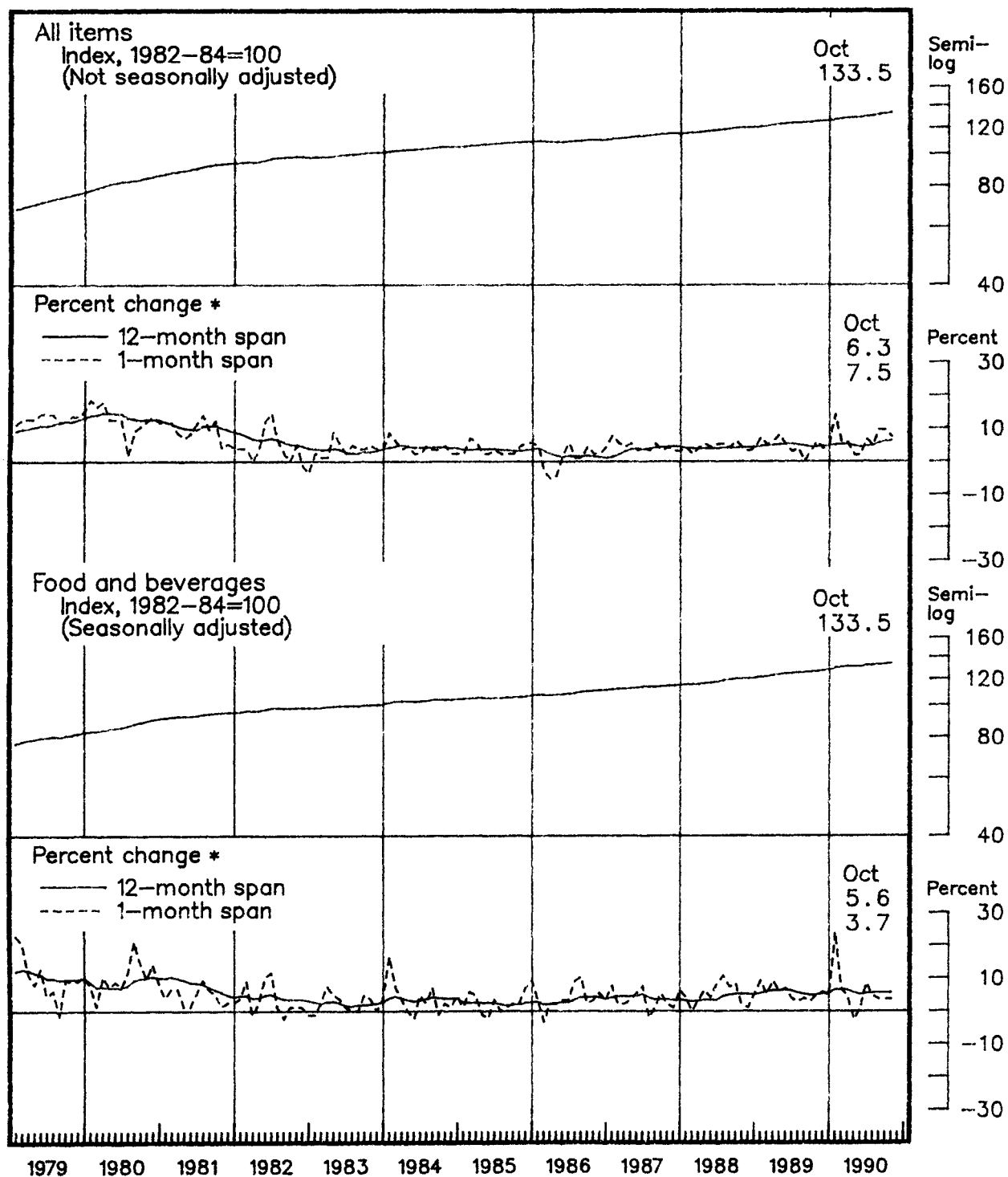
Entertainment costs rose 0.1 percent in October, their smallest increase this year. Declines in fees for club memberships and charges for admissions to movies, theaters, concerts, and sporting events partially offset increases in other entertainment components.

The other goods and services component rose 0.6 percent in October, following a 0.2-percent decline in September. A turnaround in the index for personal and educational services accounted for the advance.

CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)

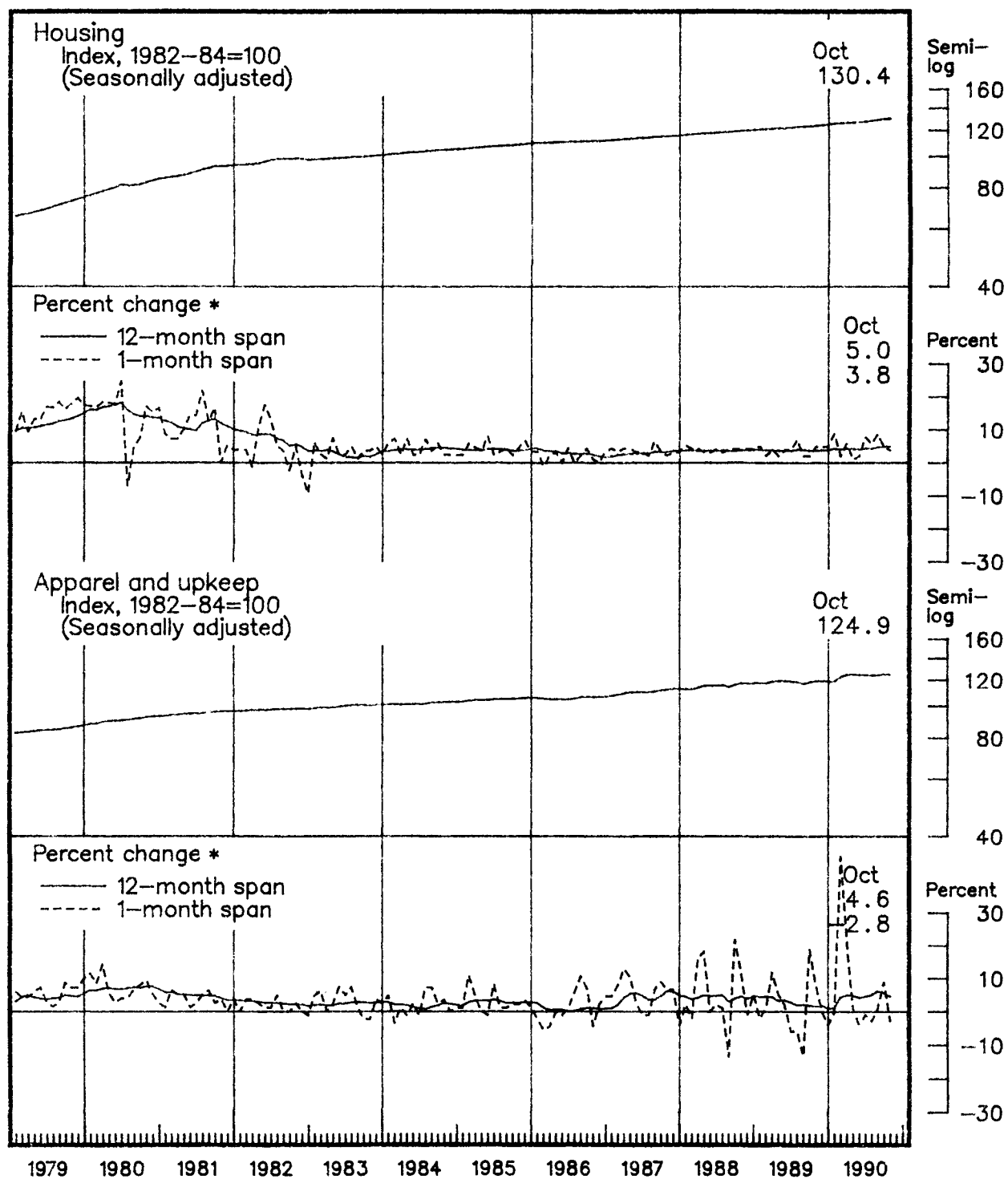
On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers rose 0.7 percent in October.

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



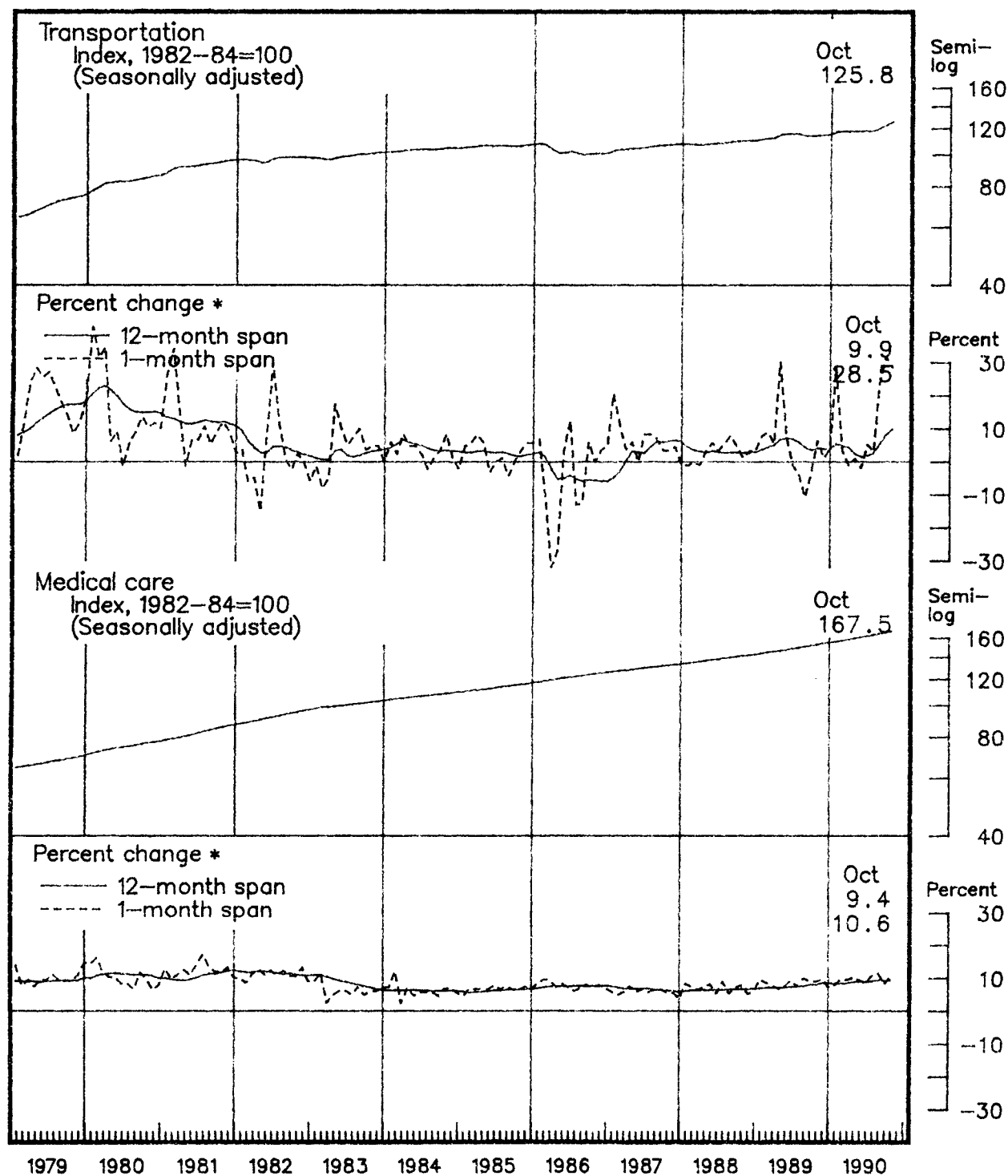
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Chart 2. CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1979-90



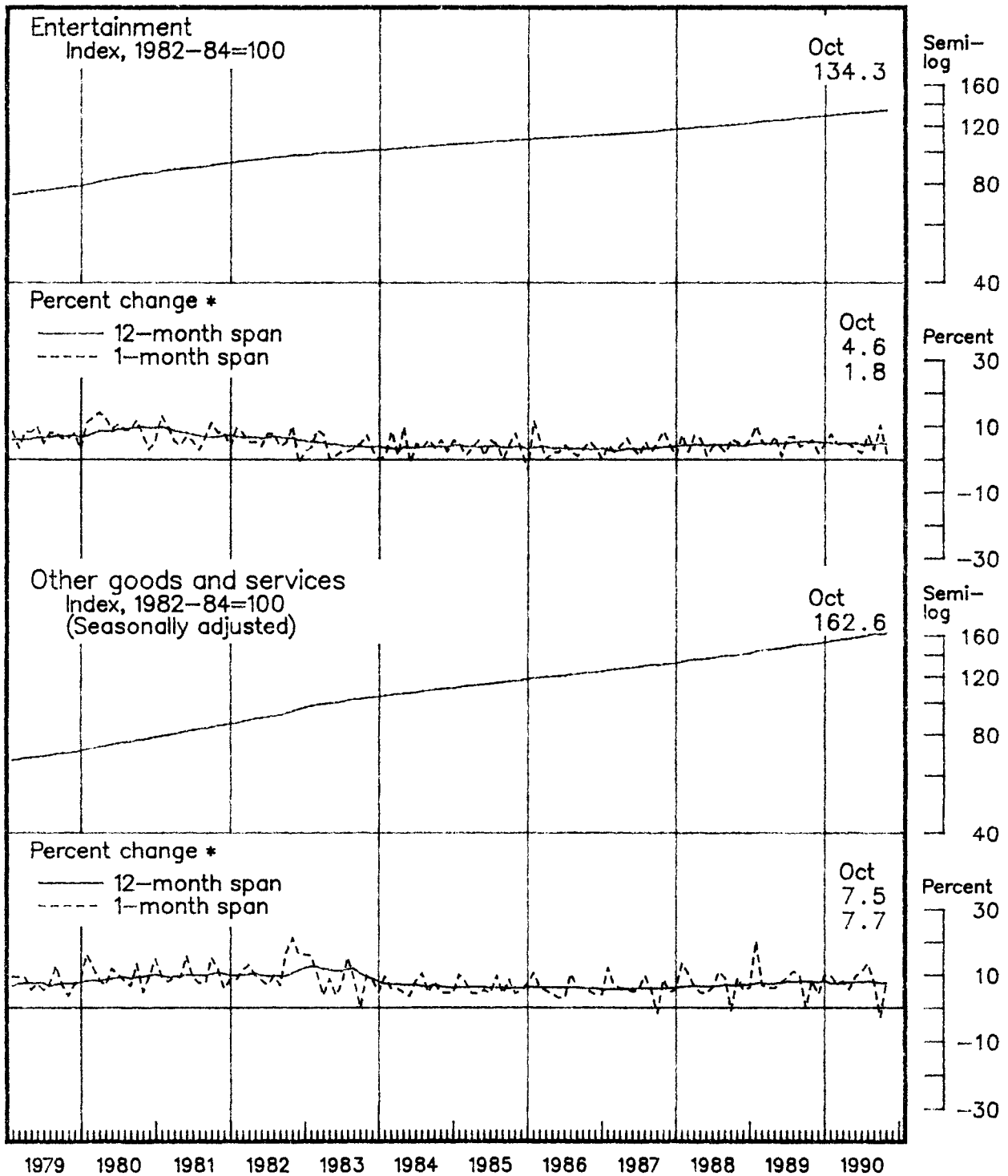
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Chart 3. CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1979-90



* 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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	132.7	133.5	6.3	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6
All items (1967 = 100)	—	397.5	400.0	—	—	—	—	—
Food and beverages	17.865	133.0	133.4	5.6	.3	.3	.3	.3
Food	16.318	133.2	133.6	5.6	.3	.3	.2	.4
Food at home	10.129	132.9	133.4	6.4	.4	.3	.2	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.440	141.6	141.9	5.1	.2	.6	.1	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.119	131.9	132.5	8.3	.5	.5	.2	.8
Dairy products ¹	1.296	127.6	128.6	8.8	.8	1.3	.2	.8
Fruits and vegetables	1.813	145.1	144.7	5.5	-.3	-1.4	.4	-.1
Other food at home	2.462	124.5	125.3	4.2	.6	.6	.3	.4
Sugar and sweets ¹	.348	125.8	126.6	4.4	.6	.6	.2	.6
Fats and oils ¹	.267	128.2	128.1	5.3	-.1	.6	.6	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	.797	114.2	115.2	3.0	.9	.4	-.1	.3
Other prepared food	1.050	132.5	133.1	4.6	.5	.6	.7	.4
Food away from home ¹	6.189	134.6	135.0	4.6	.3	.3	.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages ¹	1.546	130.8	131.0	4.6	.2	.2	.5	.2
Housing	42.037	130.5	130.6	5.0	.1	.7	.4	.3
Shelter	27.908	142.3	142.4	5.6	.1	.7	.1	.1
Renters' costs ²	7.871	148.9	148.9	6.4	.0	1.0	.1	.3
Rent, residential	5.955	140.0	140.5	4.3	.4	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	1.916	158.1	156.6	12.5	-.9	2.8	-.9	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	19.825	147.0	147.2	5.4	.1	.6	.2	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	19.428	147.3	147.5	5.4	.1	.6	.1	.0
Household insurance ^{1 2}	.398	135.7	135.9	1.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	.212	124.6	123.4	4.0	-1.0	-.7	2.8	-1.0
Maintenance and repair services ¹	.127	129.9	128.8	6.4	-.8	-1.2	4.7	-.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	.085	117.3	115.9	.3	-1.2	.1	-.2	-1.2
Fuel and other utilities	7.484	114.0	113.4	5.0	-.5	1.3	1.3	1.2
Fuels	4.214	107.6	106.4	5.3	-1.1	1.2	2.2	1.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.429	104.4	118.5	44.5	13.5	11.9	13.2	12.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.785	112.4	109.0	1.3	-3.0	.0	.9	.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.269	132.9	133.4	4.5	.4	1.5	.1	.4
Household furnishings and operation	6.645	113.8	114.2	2.1	.4	-.2	.4	.4
Housefurnishings ¹	3.982	106.9	107.4	1.2	.5	-.3	.4	.5
Housekeeping supplies	1.202	126.2	125.8	2.7	-.3	.2	.4	-.1
Housekeeping services ¹	1.461	121.1	121.8	3.7	.6	-.1	.6	.6
Apparel and upkeep	6.131	126.8	128.4	4.6	1.3	.1	.7	-.2
Apparel commodities	5.573	124.7	126.4	4.4	1.4	-.1	.8	-.3
Men's and boys' apparel	1.497	121.7	123.6	2.7	1.6	.7	-.2	-.1
Women's and girls' apparel	2.495	127.0	128.6	4.5	1.3	-.7	1.5	-1.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.213	127.7	126.8	7.2	-.7	-.9	.9	-.7
Footwear	.823	118.6	120.5	2.5	1.6	.6	.3	.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	.545	132.8	135.1	9.8	1.7	.2	1.1	1.7
Apparel services	.557	138.7	139.4	7.4	.5	1.2	.4	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1989	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	17.102	123.0	125.8	9.9	2.3	1.8	2.3	2.1
Private transportation	15.670	121.4	124.2	9.6	2.3	1.9	2.4	2.1
New vehicles	5.226	119.6	121.1	2.2	1.3	.0	.1	.5
New cars	4.232	119.0	120.5	1.6	1.3	.2	-.2	.5
Used cars	1.237	118.3	118.1	-1.3	-.2	.3	-.2	-.3
Motor fuel	3.152	112.0	118.9	33.7	6.2	8.1	9.5	7.7
Gasoline	-	111.8	118.7	33.7	6.2	7.6	9.5	7.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.524	131.5	132.1	4.3	.5	.2	.8	.5
Other private transportation	4.532	143.0	144.8	5.6	1.3	.5	.6	.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹	.720	102.2	102.1	.2	-.1	.5	.0	-.1
Other private transportation services	3.812	152.0	154.3	6.6	1.5	.5	.8	.6
Public transportation ¹	1.432	144.0	146.6	12.3	1.8	.2	1.5	1.8
Medical care	6.189	165.8	167.1	9.4	.8	.9	.7	.8
Medical care commodities	1.179	166.0	166.8	8.2	.5	.5	.9	.6
Medical care services	5.010	165.8	167.2	9.8	.8	1.0	.6	.9
Professional medical services	3.103	158.2	158.9	6.9	.4	.8	.4	.5
Entertainment ¹	4.396	134.1	134.3	4.6	.1	.2	.8	.1
Entertainment commodities ¹	2.079	124.9	125.3	3.4	.3	.3	.1	.3
Entertainment services ¹	2.317	145.5	145.7	5.7	.1	.2	1.3	.1
Other goods and services	6.281	162.6	163.2	7.5	.4	.6	-.2	.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.478	185.8	185.9	10.1	.1	.1	.0	.1
Personal care ¹	1.217	131.3	131.7	4.2	.3	.0	.5	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	.646	128.8	129.3	3.9	.4	-.2	.5	.4
Personal care services ¹	.571	133.9	134.2	4.4	.2	.3	.5	.2
Personal and educational expenses	3.586	175.1	175.9	7.6	.5	1.1	-.7	1.0
School books and supplies	.236	173.8	174.5	6.7	.4	.5	-1.2	.6
Personal and educational services	3.350	175.4	176.2	7.6	.5	1.2	-.6	1.0
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	132.7	133.5	6.3	.6	.8	.8	.6
Commodities	45.088	124.6	126.1	6.8	1.2	.8	1.1	1.0
Food and beverages	17.865	133.0	133.4	5.6	.3	.3	.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	27.223	119.4	121.5	7.5	1.8	1.1	1.8	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	15.967	124.1	127.0	11.8	2.3	2.7	3.8	2.3
Apparel commodities	5.573	124.7	126.4	4.4	1.4	-.1	.8	-.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	10.394	126.6	130.3	15.9	2.9	3.4	3.7	2.9
Durables	11.256	112.8	113.6	1.3	.7	.1	.0	.3
Services	54.912	141.4	141.7	6.0	.2	.7	.4	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1, 2}	27.263	147.9	148.1	5.7	.1	1.0	-.1	.1
Household services less rent of shelter ²	9.075	123.8	122.5	2.9	-1.1	.6	.5	.3
Transportation services	6.768	145.2	147.1	7.3	1.3	.3	.9	.9
Medical care services	5.010	165.8	167.2	9.8	.8	1.0	.6	.9
Other services	6.795	153.5	154.0	6.7	.3	.8	.2	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1989	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Special indexes								
All items less food	83.682	132.6	133.5	6.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7
All items less shelter	72.092	130.1	131.2	6.6	.8	.7	1.0	.8
All items less homeowners' costs ²	80.175	134.1	135.1	6.5	.7	.8	.9	.8
All items less medical care	93.811	130.8	131.5	6.0	.5	.8	.7	.7
Commodities less food	28.770	119.8	121.8	7.4	1.7	1.1	1.6	1.4
Nondurables less food ¹	17.513	124.1	126.8	11.1	2.2	2.5	3.5	2.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	11.940	125.9	129.1	14.5	2.5	3.0	3.3	2.5
Nondurables ¹	33.832	128.7	130.4	8.6	1.3	1.4	1.9	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	27.649	145.0	145.4	6.1	.3	.6	.6	.6
Services less medical care	49.902	139.0	139.1	5.5	.1	.7	.4	.2
Energy	7.366	108.8	111.4	17.8	2.4	4.3	5.6	4.5
All items less energy	92.634	136.3	136.9	5.4	.4	.4	.4	.3
All items less food and energy	76.315	137.2	137.8	5.3	.4	.5	.3	.3
Commodities less food and energy	25.188	124.5	125.3	3.4	.6	.0	.4	.2
Energy commodities	3.581	111.4	119.2	35.0	7.0	8.4	9.9	8.2
Services less energy	51.127	144.5	145.1	6.3	.4	.8	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.754	\$.749	-5.9	-.7	-.9	-.8	-.7
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	.252	.250	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² 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					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	7.5	4.5	4.4	8.9	6.0	6.6
Food and beverages	132.3	132.7	133.1	133.5	11.2	2.8	4.7	3.7	6.9	4.2
Food	132.7	133.1	133.4	133.9	12.2	2.2	4.7	3.7	7.1	4.2
Food at home	132.3	132.7	133.0	133.6	17.6	.0	4.7	4.0	8.5	4.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	140.5	141.4	141.6	141.9	5.7	6.0	4.7	4.0	5.9	4.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	130.2	130.8	131.1	132.1	13.4	8.9	4.7	6.0	11.1	5.4
Dairy products ¹	125.7	127.3	127.6	128.6	28.3	-1.9	1.6	9.6	12.2	5.5
Fruits and vegetables	148.2	146.1	146.7	146.6	50.7	-16.5	3.0	-4.2	12.2	-.7
Other food at home	123.7	124.4	124.8	125.3	3.0	1.3	7.1	5.3	2.2	6.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	124.9	125.6	125.8	126.6	4.0	3.6	4.3	5.6	3.8	4.9
Fats and oils ¹	126.6	127.4	128.2	128.1	6.4	2.6	7.6	4.8	4.5	6.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	114.7	115.2	115.1	115.5	.4	-2.5	12.4	2.8	-1.1	7.5
Other prepared food	130.9	131.7	132.6	133.1	4.2	3.1	4.4	6.9	3.6	5.6
Food away from home ¹	133.9	134.3	134.6	135.0	3.8	6.9	4.3	3.3	5.3	3.8
Alcoholic beverages ¹	129.9	130.2	130.8	131.0	3.2	6.5	5.4	3.4	4.8	4.4
Housing	128.6	129.5	130.0	130.4	6.3	2.9	5.1	5.7	4.6	5.4
Shelter	140.7	141.7	141.9	142.0	5.8	4.8	8.4	3.7	5.3	6.0
Renters' costs ²	146.6	148.1	148.2	148.7	7.3	4.6	7.7	5.9	6.0	6.8
Rent, residential	138.8	139.4	139.9	140.2	3.9	4.8	4.4	4.1	4.4	4.3
Other renters' costs	155.2	159.5	158.1	159.0	18.4	3.9	18.0	10.2	10.9	14.0
Homeowners' costs ²	145.7	146.6	146.9	146.8	5.0	4.9	8.4	3.1	4.9	5.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	146.0	146.9	147.1	147.1	5.0	5.2	8.7	3.0	5.1	5.8
Household insurance ^{1 2}	135.3	135.6	135.7	135.9	1.2	.9	2.7	1.8	1.0	2.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹	122.1	121.2	124.6	123.4	6.2	2.7	3.0	4.3	4.4	3.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹	125.6	124.1	129.9	128.8	9.2	6.3	.0	10.6	7.7	5.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	117.4	117.5	117.3	115.9	1.7	-2.1	7.1	-5.0	-.2	.9
Fuel and other utilities	109.4	110.8	112.2	113.5	13.6	-3.9	-3.9	15.9	4.5	5.5
Fuels	100.6	101.8	104.0	105.8	20.5	-10.2	-6.8	22.3	4.0	6.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	84.2	94.2	106.6	119.7	225.3	-59.2	-19.5	308.4	15.3	81.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.2	107.2	108.2	108.5	6.5	-.7	-5.4	4.9	2.8	-.4
Other utilities and public services ¹	130.8	132.8	132.9	133.4	5.4	5.0	-.3	8.2	5.2	3.9
Household furnishings and operation	113.5	113.3	113.8	114.2	.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.6	2.5
Housefurnishings ¹	106.8	106.5	106.9	107.4	.0	1.9	.8	2.3	.9	1.5
Housekeeping supplies	125.6	125.8	126.3	126.2	1.3	1.6	6.3	1.9	1.5	4.1
Housekeeping services ¹	120.5	120.4	121.1	121.8	1.7	4.1	4.8	4.4	2.9	4.6
Apparel and upkeep	124.2	124.3	125.2	124.9	-1.3	21.7	-2.5	2.3	9.6	-.2
Apparel commodities	122.0	121.9	122.9	122.5	-2.0	23.4	-3.5	1.6	9.9	-1.0
Men's and boys' apparel	120.5	121.3	121.0	120.9	.0	9.1	.7	1.3	4.5	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	122.7	121.8	123.6	122.3	-3.0	32.6	-6.3	-1.3	13.4	-3.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	127.7	126.5	127.7	126.8	-17.6	77.0	-6.9	-2.8	20.8	-4.9
Footwear	117.4	118.1	118.5	118.6	-4.1	10.1	.0	4.2	2.8	2.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	131.1	131.3	132.8	135.1	7.0	27.0	-5.0	12.8	16.6	3.5
Apparel services	137.1	138.7	139.2	139.4	7.9	7.1	7.6	6.9	7.5	7.3

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 percent change for					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category										
Transportation	118.3	120.4	123.2	125.8	10.5	1.0	2.1	27.9	5.7	14.2
Private transportation	116.6	118.8	121.7	124.3	10.6	-.3	1.7	29.1	5.0	14.6
New vehicles	120.7	120.7	120.8	121.4	10.1	-1.6	-1.3	2.3	4.1	.5
New cars	120.1	120.3	120.1	120.7	9.8	-2.3	-2.6	2.0	3.6	-.3
Used cars	117.9	118.3	118.1	117.8	-.7	-9.4	5.3	-.3	-5.1	2.4
Motor fuel	92.8	100.3	109.8	118.2	24.6	-3.8	1.3	163.2	9.5	63.3
Gasoline	92.9	100.0	109.5	117.9	22.0	-1.3	2.2	159.4	9.8	62.8
Maintenance and repairs ¹	130.2	130.4	131.5	132.1	1.9	6.8	2.5	6.0	4.3	4.2
Other private transportation	142.3	143.0	143.9	144.6	7.2	4.1	4.3	6.6	5.6	5.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹	101.7	102.2	102.2	102.1	.0	.0	-.8	1.6	.0	.4
Other private transportation services	151.5	152.2	153.4	154.3	8.8	4.7	5.5	7.6	6.7	6.5
Public transportation ¹	141.6	141.9	144.0	146.6	11.5	19.5	3.8	14.9	15.4	9.2
Medical care	163.5	165.0	166.1	167.5	8.4	9.8	9.6	10.2	9.1	9.9
Medical care commodities	163.7	164.6	166.0	167.0	7.7	10.3	6.6	8.3	9.0	7.5
Medical care services	163.2	164.9	165.9	167.4	8.7	9.6	10.2	10.7	9.1	10.4
Professional medical services	156.6	157.8	158.4	159.2	7.2	5.9	8.0	6.8	6.6	7.4
Entertainment ¹	132.7	133.0	134.1	134.3	4.8	4.7	4.0	4.9	4.7	4.5
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.4	124.8	124.9	125.3	3.7	4.0	2.9	2.9	3.8	2.9
Entertainment services ¹	143.3	143.6	145.5	145.7	5.9	5.3	4.9	6.9	5.6	5.9
Other goods and services	161.0	162.0	161.6	162.6	7.9	6.9	11.4	4.0	7.4	7.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.7	185.8	185.8	185.9	13.2	3.5	25.1	.4	8.2	12.1
Personal care ¹	130.6	130.6	131.3	131.7	3.9	8.7	.9	3.4	6.3	2.2
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.4	128.1	128.8	129.3	2.3	10.6	.3	2.8	6.4	1.6
Personal care services ¹	132.9	133.3	133.9	134.2	5.7	6.3	1.8	4.0	6.0	2.9
Personal and educational expenses	171.5	173.4	172.2	173.9	7.4	8.0	9.6	5.7	7.7	7.7
School books and supplies	172.9	173.7	171.7	172.8	12.1	7.9	7.3	-.2	10.0	3.4
Personal and educational services	171.4	173.4	172.3	174.0	7.1	8.0	9.6	6.2	7.6	7.9
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	7.5	4.5	4.4	8.9	6.0	6.6
Commodities	122.0	123.0	124.4	125.7	9.1	3.0	2.7	12.7	6.0	7.6
Food and beverages	132.3	132.7	133.1	133.5	11.2	2.8	4.7	3.7	6.9	4.2
Commodities less food and beverages	115.7	117.0	119.1	120.8	7.7	3.2	1.4	18.8	5.4	9.8
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	116.4	119.5	124.1	127.0	.4	12.5	-2.4	41.7	6.3	17.6
Apparel commodities	122.0	121.9	122.9	122.5	-2.0	23.4	-3.5	1.6	9.9	-1.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	118.1	122.1	126.6	130.3	13.4	-1.0	8.6	48.2	6.0	26.8
Durables	113.3	113.4	113.4	113.7	3.2	.4	.0	1.4	1.8	.7
Services	139.6	140.6	141.1	141.5	6.4	5.4	6.3	5.6	5.9	5.9
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	146.7	148.1	147.9	148.1	4.4	5.5	9.2	3.9	4.9	6.5
Household services less rent of shelter ²	120.8	121.5	122.1	122.5	5.5	2.0	-1.3	5.7	3.7	2.2
Transportation services	144.0	144.5	145.8	147.1	7.5	8.6	4.3	8.9	8.0	6.6
Medical care services	163.2	164.9	165.9	167.4	8.7	9.6	10.2	10.7	9.1	10.4
Other services	151.1	152.3	152.6	153.4	6.6	6.7	7.2	6.2	6.6	6.7

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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 percent change for					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Special indexes										
All items less food	130.0	131.1	132.1	133.0	6.9	4.5	4.8	9.6	5.7	7.1
All items less shelter	127.6	128.5	129.8	130.9	8.4	4.2	3.2	10.8	6.3	6.9
All items less homeowners' costs ²	131.6	132.6	133.8	134.9	8.1	4.1	3.7	10.4	6.1	7.0
All items less medical care	129.2	130.2	131.1	132.0	7.3	4.2	4.1	9.0	5.7	6.5
Commodities less food	116.3	117.6	119.5	121.2	7.7	3.2	1.7	17.9	5.4	9.5
Nondurables less food ¹	117.0	119.9	124.1	126.8	.4	11.7	-1.4	38.0	5.9	16.7
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	118.3	121.9	125.9	129.1	12.2	-3	8.2	41.8	5.8	23.9
Nondurables ¹	124.6	126.3	128.7	130.4	6.5	7.4	1.3	20.0	6.9	10.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	142.5	143.4	144.3	145.2	6.3	5.9	4.3	7.8	6.1	6.0
Services less medical care	137.1	138.1	138.6	138.9	5.9	5.2	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.5
Energy	96.2	100.3	105.9	110.7	22.0	-7.5	-3.3	75.3	6.3	30.2
All items less energy	135.3	135.9	136.4	136.8	6.3	5.6	5.2	4.5	5.9	4.8
All items less food and energy	136.1	136.8	137.2	137.6	5.3	5.9	5.5	4.5	5.6	5.0
Commodities less food and energy	123.9	123.9	124.4	124.6	3.4	6.1	2.0	2.3	4.7	2.1
Energy commodities	91.9	99.6	109.5	118.5	40.0	-13.5	-9	176.4	10.0	65.5
Services less energy	142.9	144.0	144.4	144.9	6.3	5.9	7.0	5.7	6.1	6.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² 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, 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
1990, Jul.	130.4	132.3	128.6	124.2	118.3	163.5	132.7	161.0	128.7
1990, Aug.	131.6	132.7	129.5	124.3	120.4	165.0	133.0	162.0	129.9
1990, Sep.	132.7	133.1	130.0	125.2	123.2	166.1	134.1	161.6	131.1
1990, Oct.	133.5	133.5	130.4	124.9	125.8	167.5	134.3	162.6	131.9

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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

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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
Seasonally adjusted percent changes from previous month									
1988, Nov.	0.3	0.1	0.3	-0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3
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
1990, Jul.	.4	.4	.5	-.2	.3	.9	.6	1.1	.3
1990, Aug.	.8	.3	.7	.1	1.8	.9	.2	.6	.8
1990, Sep.	.8	.3	.4	.7	2.3	.7	.8	-.2	.8
1990, Oct.	.6	.3	.3	-.2	2.1	.8	.1	.6	.7

- 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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food and beverages	133.0	133.4	5.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Food	133.2	133.6	5.6	.3	.3	.2	.4
Food at home	132.9	133.4	6.4	.4	.3	.2	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	141.6	141.9	5.1	.2	.6	.1	.2
Cereals and cereal products	143.0	142.5	4.5	-.3	.3	.2	.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	127.3	125.8	2.2	-1.2	-.4	-.4	-.3
Cereal ¹	160.7	160.6	5.6	-.1	.1	.3	-.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	123.5	122.7	3.4	-.6	.4	.3	-.6
Bakery products ¹	140.7	141.3	5.3	.4	.8	.2	.4
White bread ¹	137.0	138.0	5.0	.7	1.0	-.6	.7
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	138.2	139.6	6.3	1.0	.6	.4	1.0
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	144.3	144.5	4.7	.1	1.3	.6	.1
Other bakery products	143.2	143.2	5.3	.0	.3	1.2	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.9	132.5	8.3	.5	.5	.2	.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.6	132.9	8.7	.2	-.1	.6	.6
Meats	131.0	131.7	11.5	.5	.0	.3	.9
Beef and veal ¹	129.5	130.1	8.4	.5	-.5	.8	.5
Ground beef other than canned ¹	118.5	118.4	7.8	-.1	-.3	.9	-.1
Chuck roast ¹	129.9	132.9	13.3	2.3	.9	-.1	2.3
Round roast ¹	118.9	120.3	6.2	1.2	-.3	.6	1.2
Round steak ¹	122.9	125.3	6.3	2.0	-.6	-.9	2.0
Sirloin steak	133.2	131.6	6.2	-1.2	.5	1.7	2.4
Other beef and veal ¹	142.5	143.4	9.1	.6	-.8	1.2	.6
Pork	135.4	136.4	18.7	.7	.7	-1.0	2.0
Bacon	115.5	117.7	23.4	1.9	-.6	-.3	1.7
Chops	145.5	145.5	16.8	.0	1.5	-2.3	2.7
Ham	140.6	143.9	19.1	2.3	.5	1.3	.7
Other pork, including sausage	135.2	134.7	17.7	-.4	.3	-.3	1.1
Other meats ¹	129.8	130.0	9.4	.2	.1	1.4	.2
Poultry ¹	134.6	133.7	1.9	-.7	-1.3	.7	-.7
Fresh whole chicken ¹	136.3	133.8	-.8	-1.8	-.7	-.3	-1.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	138.9	138.0	3.5	-.6	-1.8	1.2	-.6
Other poultry ¹	124.7	126.9	3.0	1.8	-.6	1.3	1.8
Fish and seafood	147.4	147.0	2.2	-.3	.9	1.9	.4
Canned fish and seafood ¹	119.6	119.4	-3.1	-.2	-.3	.9	-.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	162.3	161.8	3.7	-.3	.7	2.4	.6
Eggs	120.6	125.5	2.1	4.1	9.9	-5.9	5.0
Dairy products ¹	127.6	128.6	8.8	.8	1.3	.2	.8
Fresh milk and cream	127.3	128.6	10.5	1.0	1.3	.2	.7
Fresh whole milk	127.5	129.1	11.4	1.3	1.0	.2	1.0
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	126.9	127.8	9.4	.7	.9	.6	.7
Processed dairy products ¹	128.5	129.0	7.0	.4	1.3	.1	.4
Cheese ¹	133.5	133.8	9.3	.2	1.8	.3	.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	127.6	128.6	6.0	.8	1.1	-.1	.8
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	112.9	113.7	.9	.7	.2	-.9	.7

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Fruits and vegetables	145.1	144.7	5.5	-0.3	-1.4	0.4	-0.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables	153.0	152.7	4.8	-.2	-1.8	.5	-.2
Fresh fruits	168.7	163.2	4.2	-3.3	-4.0	-1.4	-1.7
Apples	164.9	148.0	12.0	-10.2	.8	4.2	3.5
Bananas	138.6	129.0	1.2	-6.9	-11.4	1.6	-6.4
Oranges, including tangerines	168.4	156.0	-6.9	-7.4	-2.6	-1.2	-9.2
Other fresh fruits	178.8	180.7	5.7	1.1	-2.0	-4.5	-1.6
Fresh vegetables	137.3	142.2	5.5	3.6	.9	.2	4.5
Potatoes	152.0	139.9	.1	-8.0	-1.9	1.6	-.8
Lettuce ¹	172.3	192.8	20.2	11.9	1.1	21.0	11.9
Tomatoes ¹	121.9	133.2	5.5	9.3	-.6	-.1	9.3
Other fresh vegetables	130.3	135.9	3.6	4.3	2.5	-.6	2.3
Processed fruits and vegetables	135.0	134.3	6.7	-.5	-.1	.1	-.2
Processed fruits	139.9	139.5	9.8	-.3	-.1	.1	.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	144.2	143.6	11.8	-.4	-.1	.3	-.1
Canned and dried fruits	122.5	122.7	1.7	.2	-.3	.3	.4
Processed vegetables ¹	128.8	127.9	2.6	-.7	.5	.0	-.7
Frozen vegetables ¹	127.9	128.2	3.2	.2	.5	-.4	.2
Other processed vegetables ¹	129.9	128.3	2.2	-1.2	.5	.2	-1.2
Other food at home	124.5	125.3	4.2	.6	.6	.3	.4
Sugar and sweets ¹	125.8	126.6	4.4	.6	.6	.2	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	119.3	118.9	2.9	-.3	.6	.0	-.3
Sweets, including candy ¹	128.4	129.8	5.0	1.1	.6	.2	1.1
Fats and oils ¹	128.2	128.1	5.3	-.1	.6	.6	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	114.2	115.2	3.0	.9	.4	-.1	.3
Carbonated drinks	111.8	113.9	3.6	1.9	1.0	-.9	.8
Coffee ¹	119.6	119.1	.8	-.4	-.1	-.1	-.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	126.1	126.6	5.0	.4	-.1	.7	-.3
Other prepared food	132.5	133.1	4.6	.5	.6	.7	.4
Canned and packaged soup	138.0	137.9	5.9	-.1	-.1	.5	.7
Frozen prepared food ¹	133.1	132.9	1.2	-.2	1.1	.5	-.2
Snacks	130.2	131.4	4.0	.9	.4	1.0	.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices ¹	132.1	132.6	5.8	.4	.9	1.3	.4
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	132.9	133.9	5.8	.8	.9	-.7	.8
Food away from home ¹	134.6	135.0	4.6	.3	.3	.2	.3
Lunch ¹	135.2	135.7	4.8	.4	.3	.3	.4
Dinner ¹	133.5	133.7	4.1	.1	.3	.3	.1
Other meals and snacks ¹	135.9	136.4	5.0	.4	.2	.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages ¹	130.8	131.0	4.6	.2	.2	.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home ¹	124.2	124.4	4.4	.2	.2	.3	.2
Beer and ale	124.8	124.7	4.7	-.1	.4	.7	-.2
Wine ¹	115.0	115.5	2.8	.4	-.3	.3	.4
Distilled spirits ¹	127.5	127.8	4.9	.2	.7	.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	146.5	146.7	5.0	.1	.4	.6	.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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housing	130.5	130.6	5.0	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.3
Shelter	142.3	142.4	5.6	.1	.7	.1	.1
Renters' costs ²	148.9	148.9	6.4	.0	1.0	.1	.3
Rent, residential	140.0	140.5	4.3	.4	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	158.1	156.6	12.5	-.9	2.8	-.9	.6
Lodging while out of town	156.1	154.5	13.5	-1.0	3.1	-1.1	.9
Lodging while at school ²	165.7	166.1	6.3	.2	.4	.4	.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	130.9	131.1	1.4	.2	.3	.0	.2
Homeowners' costs ²	147.0	147.2	5.4	.1	.6	.2	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	147.3	147.5	5.4	.1	.6	.1	.0
Household insurance ^{1,2}	135.7	135.9	1.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	124.6	123.4	4.0	-1.0	-.7	2.8	-1.0
Maintenance and repair services ¹	129.9	128.8	6.4	-.8	-1.2	4.7	-.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	117.3	115.9	.3	-1.2	.1	-.2	-1.2
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1,3}	111.5	111.0	2.3	-.4	.6	-.6	-.4
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	112.5	110.4	-1.3	-1.9	-.4	.2	-1.9
Fuel and other utilities	114.0	113.4	5.0	-.5	1.3	1.3	1.2
Fuels	107.6	106.4	5.3	-1.1	1.2	2.2	1.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	104.4	118.5	44.5	13.5	11.9	13.2	12.3
Fuel oil	105.7	120.5	49.7	14.0	15.4	15.9	12.8
Other household fuel commodities ^{1,3}	123.7	138.6	31.9	12.0	4.4	7.5	12.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	112.4	109.0	1.3	-3.0	.0	.9	.3
Electricity	122.5	116.9	2.3	-4.6	.0	.6	.5
Utility (piped) gas	96.4	97.1	-1.0	.7	.0	1.5	-.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	132.9	133.4	4.5	.4	1.5	.1	.4
Telephone services ¹	117.9	118.6	1.5	.6	1.9	.2	.6
Local charges ¹	150.1	151.4	3.6	.9	3.0	.3	.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	67.4	67.4	-3.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	95.2	94.8	-2.0	-.4	-.1	-.1	-.4
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	152.6	153.0	6.8	.3	.8	.3	.3
Cable television ^{1,4}	162.5	161.7	12.1	-.5	1.1	-.6	-.5
Refuse collection ⁴	173.9	175.8	10.1	1.1	.5	.7	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	113.8	114.2	2.1	.4	-.2	.4	.4
Housefurnishings ¹	106.9	107.4	1.2	.5	-.3	.4	.5
Textile housefurnishings	118.4	119.3	2.2	.8	.3	.1	.9
Furniture and bedding ¹	115.3	116.3	.7	.9	-.9	-.3	.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	117.2	117.2	-2.2	.0	-.3	-1.2	.0
Sofas ¹	119.0	120.5	1.1	1.3	-1.2	.6	1.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	118.4	118.8	3.4	.3	-.3	1.5	.3
Other furniture ¹	109.5	111.3	1.9	1.6	-1.8	-.6	1.6
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	87.6	87.5	-1.0	-.1	-.5	.2	-.1
Video and audio products ¹	80.2	80.4	-1.3	.2	-.5	.5	.2
Televisions ¹	74.7	74.9	-1.1	.3	.4	1.6	.3
Video products other than televisions ^{1,5}	90.8	90.5	-5.4	-.3	-1.3	-.3	-.3
Audio products ¹	92.0	92.4	.5	.4	-.9	.1	.4
Major household appliances ^{1,3}	101.0	100.9	-.7	-.1	-.6	.0	-.1
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	103.0	102.2	-1.1	-.8	-.4	.2	-.8
Laundry equipment ¹	107.3	107.4	.7	.1	.0	.5	.1
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1,3}	97.6	97.7	-1.6	.1	-1.1	-.6	.1
Information processing equipment ^{1,5}	95.2	93.9	.1	-1.4	-.4	.3	-1.4

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	108.6	109.2	3.2	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	124.9	126.4	3.1	1.2	.1	1.1	1.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	113.7	115.3	3.0	1.4	.9	-.4	1.4
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	115.9	116.3	4.3	.3	.8	.0	.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	101.1	101.7	2.1	.6	-.7	.0	.6
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	97.4	97.0	-1.2	-.4	.5	.5	-.4
Housekeeping supplies	126.2	125.8	2.7	-.3	.2	.4	-.1
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	130.8	130.6	3.5	-.2	.5	.3	-.2
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	125.9	125.8	3.9	-.1	-1.0	1.0	-.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	121.3	120.6	.8	-.6	.0	.7	-.4
Housekeeping services ¹	121.1	121.8	3.7	.6	-.1	.6	.6
Postage ¹	125.1	125.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	125.3	126.6	3.9	1.0	-1.7	.3	1.0
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	116.7	117.2	3.6	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Apparel and upkeep	126.8	128.4	4.6	1.3	.1	.7	-.2
Apparel commodities	124.7	126.4	4.4	1.4	-.1	.8	-.3
Apparel commodities less footwear	125.8	127.4	4.6	1.3	-.2	.8	-.4
Men's and boys'	121.7	123.6	2.7	1.6	.7	-.2	-.1
Men's	124.0	126.0	3.3	1.6	1.3	-1.0	.5
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	128.3	131.4	3.7	2.4	3.2	-3.2	.1
Furnishings and special clothing	117.2	119.2	1.0	1.7	.2	.1	.4
Shirts	129.0	130.3	4.5	1.0	.9	-.2	.5
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	120.7	122.1	3.5	1.2	.8	.2	.7
Boys'	112.2	113.3	.2	1.0	-1.3	1.7	-1.8
Women's and girls'	127.0	128.6	4.5	1.3	-.7	1.5	-1.1
Women's	127.5	129.0	4.5	1.2	-.7	1.4	-.9
Coats and jackets	122.9	124.4	7.1	1.2	1.7	-1.5	-.5
Dresses	136.8	134.7	.8	-1.5	2.5	1.9	-2.4
Separates and sportswear	128.3	131.3	4.7	2.3	-1.9	1.8	-1.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	119.3	120.6	4.3	1.1	.8	-.1	.8
Suits	145.0	146.2	9.2	.8	-7.9	4.1	-.3
Girls'	124.7	126.6	4.5	1.5	-.4	1.7	-1.6
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	127.7	126.8	7.2	-.7	-.9	.9	-.7
Other apparel commodities ¹	132.8	135.1	9.8	1.7	.2	1.1	1.7
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	118.6	119.4	9.1	.7	.0	1.6	.7
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	131.8	134.5	10.1	2.0	.2	1.0	2.0
Watches ^{1 3}	111.7	112.3	3.4	.5	1.7	1.1	.5
Jewelry ^{1 3}	137.6	140.8	11.7	2.3	-.1	1.0	2.3
Footwear	118.6	120.5	2.5	1.6	.6	.3	.1
Men's ¹	124.1	125.1	3.0	.8	-.1	-.4	.8
Boys' and girls' ¹	120.7	122.4	2.3	1.4	-2.4	2.8	1.4
Women's	113.2	115.5	2.2	2.0	2.3	.7	-.2
Apparel services	138.7	139.4	7.4	.5	1.2	.4	.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	139.9	140.6	5.8	.5	.6	.2	.3
Other apparel services ¹	137.7	138.5	9.2	.6	1.8	.4	.6

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Transportation	123.0	125.8	9.9	2.3	1.8	2.3	2.1
Private	121.4	124.2	9.6	2.3	1.9	2.4	2.1
New vehicles	119.6	121.1	2.2	1.3	.0	.1	.5
New cars	119.0	120.5	1.6	1.3	.2	-.2	.5
Subcompact new cars ^{1 3}	102.3	103.4	.8	1.1	-.2	-.3	1.1
Compact new cars ^{1 3}	102.2	103.7	1.6	1.5	-.3	-.5	1.5
Intermediate new cars ^{1 3}	102.7	104.1	1.2	1.4	-.4	-.8	1.4
Full-size new cars ^{1 3}	107.0	108.7	3.4	1.6	-.7	.0	1.6
Luxury new cars ^{1 3}	110.4	111.7	2.6	1.2	-.2	.2	1.2
New trucks ⁴	120.4	122.0	4.8	1.3	.6	.8	.5
New motorcycles ^{1 3}	115.2	115.6	1.9	.3	.2	.4	.3
Used cars	118.3	118.1	-1.3	-.2	.3	-.2	-.3
Motor fuel	112.0	118.9	33.7	6.2	8.1	9.5	7.7
Gasoline	111.8	118.7	33.7	6.2	7.6	9.5	7.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	123.0	127.4	37.1	3.6	12.1	10.7	4.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	110.0	117.2	35.3	6.5	7.7	10.8	8.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	112.8	119.5	29.6	5.9	6.2	8.8	6.6
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹	131.5	132.1	4.3	.5	.2	.8	.5
Body work ¹	137.5	137.7	3.5	.1	.0	.6	.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	135.3	136.5	5.5	.9	.4	.4	.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	126.5	126.5	3.1	.0	-.2	1.6	.0
Power plant repair ¹	132.0	132.9	4.7	.7	.6	.2	.7
Other private transportation	143.0	144.8	5.6	1.3	.5	.6	.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹	102.2	102.1	.2	-.1	.5	.0	-.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	110.9	111.2	1.6	.3	-.3	.5	.3
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.9	100.8	.1	-.1	.6	.0	-.1
Tires ¹	96.9	97.8	-1.2	.9	.9	.0	.9
Other parts and equipment ¹	109.3	108.0	1.3	-1.2	.2	.0	-1.2
Other private transportation services	152.0	154.3	6.6	1.5	.5	.8	.6
Automobile insurance	178.6	181.8	7.3	1.8	.5	1.0	1.1
Automobile finance charges ¹	97.7	99.5	.4	1.8	-1.0	.3	1.8
Automobile fees ¹	152.3	152.9	11.1	.4	.5	.4	.4
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	157.8	158.2	18.5	.3	.4	.3	.3
Other automobile-related fees ¹	147.8	148.6	4.3	.5	.6	.5	.5
Public transportation ¹	144.0	146.6	12.3	1.8	.2	1.5	1.8
Airline fares ¹	149.6	153.6	15.7	2.7	.1	1.9	2.7
Other intercity transportation ¹	146.8	146.3	6.0	-.3	.3	1.9	-.3
Intracity public transportation ¹	134.5	134.9	6.4	.3	.4	.1	.3
Medical care	165.8	167.1	9.4	.8	.9	.7	.8
Medical care commodities	166.0	166.8	8.2	.5	.5	.9	.6
Prescription drugs	184.6	185.9	9.9	.7	.5	.5	.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	122.4	122.6	5.0	.2	.6	1.2	.2
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	148.5	149.2	5.6	.5	1.0	1.6	.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	139.3	138.9	3.9	-.3	-.1	.4	-.3
Medical care services	165.8	167.2	9.8	.8	1.0	.6	.9
Professional medical services	158.2	158.9	6.9	.4	.8	.4	.5
Physicians' services	163.1	164.0	7.5	.6	.6	.4	.6
Dental services ¹	157.6	158.3	6.8	.4	.4	.3	.4
Eye care ^{1 3}	119.3	119.3	5.1	.0	.9	.5	.0
Services by other medical professionals ^{1 3}	121.7	121.7	5.2	.0	.4	.2	.0
Hospital and related services	181.8	184.1	10.9	1.3	1.4	.6	1.3
Hospital rooms	179.1	180.7	10.3	.9	1.4	.6	.7
Other inpatient services ^{1 3}	146.2	148.5	11.5	1.6	1.8	.6	1.6
Outpatient services ^{1 3}	140.9	143.1	11.2	1.6	1.2	.3	1.6

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Entertainment ¹	134.1	134.3	4.6	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.1
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.9	125.3	3.4	.3	.3	.1	.3
Reading materials ¹	136.9	137.6	4.8	.5	.0	.4	.5
Newspapers ¹	135.4	136.6	4.6	.9	.0	.8	.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	138.5	138.8	4.9	.2	.0	.0	.2
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	115.9	116.2	3.7	.3	.7	.0	.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	116.5	116.9	3.3	.3	1.9	-.4	.3
Other sporting goods ¹	112.5	112.9	4.2	.4	-.3	.2	.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	122.4	122.6	2.3	.2	.3	.0	.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	118.2	118.4	1.5	.2	.3	-.1	.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	129.1	128.5	.9	-.5	.1	.9	-.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	126.0	126.4	3.5	.3	.3	.0	.3
Entertainment services ^{1 3}	145.5	145.7	5.7	.1	.2	1.3	.1
Club memberships ^{1 3}	118.3	118.0	4.8	-.3	1.0	.2	-.3
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ^{1 3}	126.4	128.3	5.9	1.5	-.1	2.3	1.5
Admissions ¹	155.1	153.3	5.9	-1.2	.1	1.7	-1.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 3}	123.7	124.9	5.8	1.0	-.2	1.3	1.0
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	115.1	115.7	5.9	.5	.1	1.1	.5
Other goods and services	162.6	163.2	7.5	.4	.6	-.2	.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.8	185.9	10.1	.1	.1	.0	.1
Personal care ¹	131.3	131.7	4.2	.3	.0	.5	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.8	129.3	3.9	.4	-.2	.5	.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	129.5	129.7	4.5	.2	-.9	.9	.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	128.4	129.2	3.5	.6	.2	.2	.6
Personal care services ¹	133.9	134.2	4.4	.2	.3	.5	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	134.4	134.5	4.8	.1	.3	.6	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	131.7	132.5	3.4	.6	.4	.1	.6
Personal and educational expenses	175.1	175.9	7.6	.5	1.1	-.7	1.0
School books and supplies	173.8	174.5	6.7	.4	.5	-1.2	.6
Personal and educational services	175.4	176.2	7.6	.5	1.2	-.6	1.0
Tuition and other school fees	182.3	183.2	7.8	.5	1.3	-.7	.7
College tuition	182.2	183.0	8.3	.4	1.8	-.6	.6
Elementary and high school tuition	191.0	192.4	8.4	.7	2.0	-1.3	.5
Personal expenses ¹	160.7	161.5	7.4	.5	.3	.4	.5
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	124.4	124.8	7.4	.3	.0	.5	.3
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	125.6	126.4	7.8	.6	.1	.4	.6
Funeral expenses ^{1 3}	119.8	120.5	7.2	.6	.8	.4	.6
Special indexes							
Domestically produced farm food ¹	134.1	134.6	6.8	.4	.3	.1	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹	126.1	126.7	8.0	.5	-.4	.5	.5
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	112.0	118.9	33.1	6.2	7.9	9.4	7.5
Utilities and public transportation	123.2	122.1	4.4	-.9	.7	.7	.8
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	121.9	122.5	4.0	.5	-.2	.9	.5

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

⁵ 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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Food and beverages	133.1	133.5	11.2	2.8	4.7	3.7	6.9	4.2
Food	133.4	133.9	12.2	2.2	4.7	3.7	7.1	4.2
Food at home	133.0	133.6	17.6	.0	4.7	4.0	8.5	4.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	141.6	141.9	5.7	6.0	4.7	4.0	5.9	4.4
Cereals and cereal products	142.6	142.9	3.3	5.0	7.1	2.8	4.1	4.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes	125.6	125.2	6.4	.3	7.3	-4.4	3.3	1.3
Cereal ¹	160.7	160.6	3.2	8.6	9.3	1.5	5.9	5.3
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	123.5	122.7	8.7	2.0	2.7	.3	5.3	1.5
Bakery products ¹	140.7	141.3	6.1	6.3	2.9	5.9	6.2	4.4
White bread ¹	137.0	138.0	8.8	5.2	1.5	4.8	7.0	3.1
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	138.2	139.6	11.8	-.3	5.8	8.4	5.6	7.1
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	144.3	144.5	1.2	9.9	-.3	8.4	5.4	4.0
Other bakery products	143.5	143.5	2.7	10.0	2.6	6.1	6.3	4.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.1	132.1	13.4	8.9	4.7	6.0	11.1	5.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.0	132.8	10.2	10.6	9.3	4.6	10.4	7.0
Meats	130.1	131.3	16.6	12.7	12.3	5.0	14.6	8.6
Beef and veal ¹	129.5	130.1	15.9	11.7	3.8	2.8	13.8	3.3
Ground beef other than canned ¹	118.5	118.4	19.5	12.8	-1.7	2.1	16.1	.2
Chuck roast ¹	129.9	132.9	29.4	14.5	-1.8	13.4	21.7	5.5
Round roast ¹	118.9	120.3	16.5	5.9	-2.7	5.9	11.1	1.5
Round steak ¹	122.9	125.3	20.8	3.9	.0	1.6	12.0	.8
Sirloin steak	131.3	134.5	13.3	3.7	-9.4	20.0	8.4	4.3
Other beef and veal ¹	142.5	143.4	10.1	12.1	10.2	4.3	11.1	7.2
Pork	132.4	135.0	22.4	17.0	29.9	6.8	19.7	17.8
Bacon	115.1	117.1	51.5	5.8	39.6	3.1	26.6	20.0
Chops	141.3	145.1	21.5	21.5	17.7	7.2	21.5	12.3
Ham	137.8	138.8	10.3	20.5	37.3	10.8	15.3	23.3
Other pork, including sausage	133.1	134.5	15.1	21.1	31.9	4.3	18.1	17.3
Other meats ¹	129.8	130.0	9.8	9.5	11.7	6.7	9.6	9.2
Poultry ¹	134.6	133.7	-7.7	11.3	10.0	-4.6	1.4	2.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹	136.3	133.8	-9.7	10.8	8.2	-10.6	.0	-1.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	138.9	138.0	-9.5	17.3	14.0	-5.1	3.0	4.0
Other poultry ¹	124.7	126.9	2.3	-1.6	1.6	10.0	.3	5.8
Fish and seafood	147.9	148.5	1.9	-.5	-5.6	13.7	.7	3.6
Canned fish and seafood ¹	119.6	119.4	-10.0	-.7	-3.0	1.7	-5.4	-.7
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	163.1	164.1	6.2	-.5	-5.6	16.1	2.8	4.7
Eggs	116.7	122.5	77.4	-17.2	-46.8	39.1	21.2	-14.0
Dairy products ¹	127.6	128.6	28.3	-1.9	1.6	9.6	12.2	5.5
Fresh milk and cream	128.5	129.4	33.7	-3.1	5.9	9.1	13.8	7.5
Fresh whole milk	127.9	129.2	38.3	-1.3	2.9	9.2	16.8	6.0
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	126.9	127.8	37.6	-4.7	.3	8.9	14.5	4.5
Processed dairy products ¹	128.5	129.0	16.5	.6	3.9	7.5	8.3	5.7
Cheese ¹	133.5	133.8	21.1	.9	6.4	9.8	10.6	8.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	127.6	128.6	11.3	5.6	.0	7.5	8.4	3.7
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	112.9	113.7	8.8	-6.1	1.4	.0	1.1	.7

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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Fruits and vegetables	146.7	146.6	50.7	-16.5	3.0	-4.2	12.2	-0.7
Fresh fruits and vegetables	156.1	155.8	87.9	-33.4	2.6	-6.2	11.9	-1.9
Fresh fruits	165.2	162.4	61.0	-5.8	3.5	-25.0	23.1	-11.9
Apples	151.6	156.9	-1.7	.9	13.5	39.8	-.4	26.0
Bananas	144.7	135.4	2.4	-10.0	125.8	-49.6	-4.0	6.7
Oranges, including tangerines	150.1	136.3	65.8	15.8	-32.8	-41.6	38.5	-37.3
Other fresh fruits	183.0	180.1	99.4	-10.1	-3.2	-28.3	33.9	-16.7
Fresh vegetables	144.9	151.4	89.6	-49.1	2.8	24.6	-1.8	13.2
Potatoes	154.3	153.1	20.2	96.6	-55.7	-4.3	53.7	-34.9
Lettuce ¹	172.3	192.8	-17.4	-35.4	11.2	251.6	-26.9	97.8
Tomatoes ¹	121.9	133.2	1350.8	-94.8	18.5	38.9	-13.2	28.3
Other fresh vegetables	141.0	144.3	90.3	-55.9	15.9	18.5	-8.4	17.2
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.7	134.4	-1.9	26.5	4.9	-.6	11.4	2.1
Processed fruits	140.1	140.3	-7.6	45.0	7.8	.6	15.8	4.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	144.8	144.6	-10.4	60.1	8.5	.6	19.8	4.4
Canned and dried fruits	122.1	122.6	2.0	-1.3	4.4	1.6	.3	3.0
Processed vegetables ¹	128.8	127.9	2.6	5.2	3.8	-.9	3.9	1.4
Frozen vegetables ¹	127.9	128.2	3.9	3.9	3.8	1.3	3.9	2.5
Other processed vegetables ¹	129.9	128.3	1.6	6.2	3.5	-2.2	3.9	.6
Other food at home	124.8	125.3	3.0	1.3	7.1	5.3	2.2	6.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	125.8	126.6	4.0	3.6	4.3	5.6	3.8	4.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	119.3	118.9	5.7	3.1	1.7	1.0	4.4	1.4
Sweets, including candy ¹	128.4	129.8	3.6	3.9	4.9	7.8	3.8	6.3
Fats and oils ¹	128.2	128.1	6.4	2.6	7.6	4.8	4.5	6.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	115.1	115.5	.4	-2.5	12.4	2.8	-1.1	7.5
Carbonated drinks	112.9	113.8	4.4	-2.5	9.4	3.6	.9	6.4
Coffee ¹	119.6	119.1	-7.9	-3.1	18.2	-2.3	-5.5	7.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	126.6	126.2	4.4	7.1	7.0	1.3	5.7	4.1
Other prepared food	132.6	133.1	4.2	3.1	4.4	6.9	3.6	5.6
Canned and packaged soup	137.1	138.0	11.5	2.1	5.8	4.5	6.7	5.1
Frozen prepared food ¹	133.1	132.9	-3.3	-3.0	5.7	5.9	-3.2	5.8
Snacks	130.6	131.8	4.5	2.5	-6	9.6	3.5	4.4
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices ¹	132.1	132.6	2.6	8.5	1.6	10.9	5.5	6.2
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	132.9	133.9	7.5	6.4	5.6	4.0	6.9	4.8
Food away from home ¹	134.6	135.0	3.8	6.9	4.3	3.3	5.3	3.8
Lunch ¹	135.2	135.7	4.4	6.6	4.3	3.9	5.5	4.1
Dinner ¹	133.5	133.7	3.5	6.3	3.7	3.0	4.9	3.4
Other meals and snacks ¹	135.9	136.4	2.8	8.5	5.2	3.6	5.6	4.4
Alcoholic beverages ¹	130.8	131.0	3.2	6.5	5.4	3.4	4.8	4.4
Alcoholic beverages at home ¹	124.2	124.4	3.1	7.2	4.7	2.6	5.1	3.6
Beer and ale	125.2	125.0	6.9	4.0	4.3	3.9	5.4	4.1
Wine ¹	115.0	115.5	-.4	6.2	3.9	1.8	2.9	2.8
Distilled spirits ¹	127.5	127.8	2.3	4.7	8.0	4.8	3.5	6.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	146.5	146.7	4.1	5.2	6.0	4.8	4.6	5.4

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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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Housing	130.0	130.4	6.3	2.9	5.1	5.7	4.6	5.4
Shelter	141.9	142.0	5.8	4.8	8.4	3.7	5.3	6.0
Renters' costs ²	148.2	148.7	7.3	4.6	7.7	5.9	6.0	6.8
Rent, residential	139.9	140.2	3.9	4.8	4.4	4.1	4.4	4.3
Other renters' costs	158.1	159.0	18.4	3.9	18.0	10.2	10.9	14.0
Lodging while out of town	156.2	157.6	20.4	4.2	18.6	11.7	12.0	15.1
Lodging while at school ²	162.3	162.7	4.5	6.6	9.7	4.3	5.6	7.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	130.9	131.1	1.6	.6	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.7
Homeowners' costs ²	146.9	146.8	5.0	4.9	8.4	3.1	4.9	5.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	147.1	147.1	5.0	5.2	8.7	3.0	5.1	5.8
Household insurance ^{1,2}	135.7	135.9	1.2	.9	2.7	1.8	1.0	2.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹	124.6	123.4	6.2	2.7	3.0	4.3	4.4	3.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹	129.9	128.8	9.2	6.3	.0	10.6	7.7	5.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	117.3	115.9	1.7	-2.1	7.1	-5.0	-2	.9
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1,3}	111.5	111.0	8.0	-5.3	9.1	-1.8	1.1	3.5
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	112.5	110.4	-2.8	.4	5.9	-7.9	-1.2	-1.3
Fuel and other utilities	112.2	113.5	13.6	-3.9	-3.9	15.9	4.5	5.5
Fuels	104.0	105.8	20.5	-10.2	-6.8	22.3	4.0	6.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	106.6	119.7	225.3	-59.2	-19.5	308.4	15.3	81.3
Fuel oil	108.7	122.6	232.6	-60.5	-26.1	417.1	14.7	95.4
Other household fuel commodities ^{1,3}	123.7	138.6	186.2	-49.9	-15.4	149.3	19.7	45.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	108.2	108.5	6.5	-7	-5.4	4.9	2.8	-4
Electricity	117.0	117.6	4.6	5.3	-5.0	4.5	4.9	-3
Utility (piped) gas	96.4	96.2	11.1	-12.9	-5.7	5.1	-1.6	-4
Other utilities and public services ¹	132.9	133.4	5.4	5.0	-3	8.2	5.2	3.9
Telephone services ¹	117.9	118.6	2.4	2.7	-9.4	11.2	2.6	.3
Local charges ¹	150.1	151.4	6.2	4.4	-11.7	17.6	5.3	1.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	67.4	67.4	-2.8	-6	-9.0	.0	-1.7	-4.6
Intrastate toll calls ¹	95.2	94.8	-6.1	-4	1.3	-2.5	-3.3	-6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	152.6	153.0	8.1	5.9	7.8	5.7	7.0	6.7
Cable television ^{1,4}	162.5	161.7	12.2	12.1	25.7	-2	12.1	12.0
Refuse collection ⁴	174.2	176.2	8.2	14.2	8.3	9.9	11.2	9.1
Household furnishings and operation	113.8	114.2	.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.6	2.5
Housefurnishings ¹	106.9	107.4	.0	1.9	.8	2.3	.9	1.5
Textile housefurnishings	117.1	118.2	3.9	-3.4	3.5	5.2	.2	4.4
Furniture and bedding ¹	115.3	116.3	.0	3.5	.7	-1.4	1.7	-3
Bedroom furniture ¹	117.2	117.2	1.0	2.4	-6.1	-5.6	1.7	-5.9
Sofas ¹	119.0	120.5	-4.0	.3	5.5	2.7	-1.8	4.1
Living room chairs and tables ¹	118.4	118.8	-1.4	3.2	6.0	5.9	.9	6.0
Other furniture ¹	109.5	111.3	1.5	7.9	1.8	-3.2	4.6	-7
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	87.6	87.5	-.9	.0	-1.8	-1.4	-.5	-1.6
Video and audio products ¹	80.2	80.4	1.5	-2.4	-5.3	1.0	-.5	-2.2
Televisions ¹	74.7	74.9	.0	-4.2	-8.8	9.6	-2.1	.0
Video products other than televisions ^{1,5}	90.8	90.5	-5.3	-7.0	-1.7	-7.6	-6.2	-4.7
Audio products ¹	92.0	92.4	6.2	1.7	-4.2	-1.3	4.0	-2.8
Major household appliances ^{1,3}	101.0	100.9	-2.7	3.2	-.4	-2.7	.2	-1.6
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	103.0	102.2	-1.9	-2.3	4.0	-3.8	-2.1	.0
Laundry equipment ¹	107.3	107.4	.4	4.6	-4.4	2.3	2.5	-1.1
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1,3}	97.6	97.7	-5.9	6.7	-.4	-6.3	.2	-3.4
Information processing equipment ^{1,5}	95.2	93.9	-3.4	1.7	8.4	-5.7	-.9	1.1

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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	108.6	109.2	3.1	0.4	3.0	6.5	1.7	4.7
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	124.9	126.4	-5.1	3.0	5.4	9.7	-1.1	7.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	113.7	115.3	3.6	-7.6	9.0	8.0	-2.1	8.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	115.9	116.3	6.2	7.6	-1.0	4.6	6.9	1.7
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	101.1	101.7	2.0	2.0	4.9	-4	2.0	2.2
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	97.4	97.0	-7.9	-1.2	2.1	2.5	-4.6	2.3
Housekeeping supplies	126.3	126.2	1.3	1.6	6.3	1.9	1.5	4.1
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	130.8	130.6	3.9	3.5	3.8	2.8	3.7	3.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	125.9	125.8	1.7	5.4	9.1	-3	3.5	4.3
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	122.0	121.5	-1.0	-4.6	8.0	1.3	-2.8	4.6
Housekeeping services ¹	121.1	121.8	1.7	4.1	4.8	4.4	2.9	4.6
Postage ¹	125.1	125.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	125.3	126.6	7.4	8.3	1.6	-1.3	7.9	.2
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	116.7	117.2	.7	3.2	9.0	1.7	2.0	5.3
Apparel and upkeep	125.2	124.9	-1.3	21.7	-2.5	2.3	9.6	-2
Apparel commodities	122.9	122.5	-2.0	23.4	-3.5	1.6	9.9	-1.0
Apparel commodities less footwear	123.6	123.1	-1.4	25.7	-4.1	1.0	11.4	-1.6
Men's and boys'	121.0	120.9	.0	9.1	.7	1.3	4.5	1.0
Men's	123.3	123.9	1.7	9.3	-6	3.3	5.4	1.3
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	126.8	126.9	-3	12.7	3.2	.0	6.0	1.6
Furnishings and special clothing	116.5	117.0	.7	9.3	-8.2	2.8	4.9	-2.8
Shirts	128.5	129.2	6.0	11.3	-3.7	5.1	8.6	.6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	120.8	121.6	1.7	1.4	4.5	6.5	1.5	5.5
Boys'	111.1	109.1	-6.8	6.5	7.6	-5.3	-.4	.9
Women's and girls'	123.6	122.3	-3.0	32.6	-6.3	-1.3	13.4	-3.8
Women's	123.8	122.7	-5.7	35.8	-5.9	-1.0	13.2	-3.5
Coats and jackets	117.4	116.8	-5.7	15.7	22.1	-1.4	4.4	9.7
Dresses	131.8	128.6	-21.5	46.4	-17.0	8.2	7.2	-5.2
Separates and sportswear	124.9	123.4	2.1	34.4	-7.6	-5.3	17.1	-6.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	119.3	120.2	3.5	3.8	3.5	6.2	3.7	4.8
Suits	135.7	135.3	-23.2	140.8	-8.3	-16.2	36.0	-12.3
Girls'	122.5	120.5	14.6	15.6	-8.4	-1.6	15.1	-5.1
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	127.7	126.8	-17.6	77.0	-6.9	-2.8	20.8	-4.9
Other apparel commodities ¹	132.8	135.1	7.0	27.0	-5.0	12.8	16.6	3.5
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	118.6	119.4	13.0	13.8	.7	9.6	13.4	5.0
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	131.8	134.5	5.7	30.4	-6.2	13.5	17.4	3.2
Watches ^{1 3}	111.7	112.3	-1.8	3.8	-1.5	13.9	.9	6.0
Jewelry ^{1 3}	137.6	140.8	7.5	37.3	-7.3	13.5	21.5	2.6
Footwear	118.5	118.6	-4.1	10.1	.0	4.2	2.8	2.1
Men's ¹	124.1	125.1	3.3	10.2	-2.5	1.3	6.7	-6
Boys' and girls' ¹	120.7	122.4	-7.5	6.3	4.1	7.2	-.8	5.6
Women's	112.9	112.7	-10.8	12.9	-3.2	11.8	.4	4.0
Apparel services	139.2	139.4	7.9	7.1	7.6	6.9	7.5	7.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	140.3	140.7	5.2	5.1	8.2	4.7	5.2	6.4
Other apparel services ¹	137.7	138.5	10.8	10.2	4.3	11.8	10.5	8.0

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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Transportation	123.2	125.8	10.5	1.0	2.1	27.9	5.7	14.2
Private	121.7	124.3	10.6	-.3	1.7	29.1	5.0	14.6
New vehicles	120.8	121.4	10.1	-1.6	-1.3	2.3	4.1	.5
New cars	120.1	120.7	9.8	-2.3	-2.6	2.0	3.6	-.3
Subcompact new cars ^{1 3}	102.3	103.4	10.9	-5.6	-3.8	2.4	2.4	-.8
Compact new cars ^{1 3}	102.2	103.7	11.4	-6.3	-.8	2.7	2.2	1.0
Intermediate new cars ^{1 3}	102.7	104.1	13.5	-4.4	-4.1	.8	4.1	-1.7
Full-size new cars ^{1 3}	107.0	108.7	19.1	-3.9	-3.3	3.4	7.0	.0
Luxury new cars ^{1 3}	110.4	111.7	14.7	-3.2	-4.9	4.8	5.4	-.2
New trucks ⁴	122.4	123.0	6.6	6.5	-1.3	7.8	6.6	3.2
New motorcycles ^{1 3}	115.2	115.6	5.0	-.3	-.7	3.9	2.3	1.6
Used cars	118.1	117.8	-.7	-9.4	5.3	-.3	-5.1	2.4
Motor fuel	109.8	118.2	24.6	-3.8	1.3	163.2	9.5	63.3
Gasoline	109.5	117.9	22.0	-1.3	2.2	159.4	9.8	62.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	120.3	126.1	25.1	1.7	-2.8	185.6	12.8	66.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	107.9	116.6	20.4	-2.6	3.2	176.8	8.3	69.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	111.3	118.7	20.6	-1.7	3.0	130.8	8.9	54.2
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹	131.5	132.1	1.9	6.8	2.5	6.0	4.3	4.2
Body work ¹	137.5	137.7	2.4	4.6	4.2	3.0	3.5	3.6
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	135.3	136.5	2.2	6.9	5.6	7.4	4.5	6.4
Maintenance and servicing ¹	126.5	126.5	.7	7.0	-1.0	5.9	3.8	2.4
Power plant repair ¹	132.0	132.9	2.9	8.1	1.9	6.3	5.4	4.0
Other private transportation	143.9	144.6	7.2	4.1	4.3	6.6	5.6	5.5
Other private transportation commodities ¹	102.2	102.1	.0	.0	-.8	1.6	.0	.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	110.9	111.2	-.7	5.6	-.4	1.8	2.4	.7
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.9	100.8	.0	-.4	-1.2	2.0	-.2	.4
Tires ¹	96.9	97.8	-4.4	.0	-7.5	7.7	-2.2	-.2
Other parts and equipment ¹	109.3	108.0	4.6	-1.1	6.1	-4.0	1.7	.9
Other private transportation services	153.4	154.3	8.8	4.7	5.5	7.6	6.7	6.5
Automobile insurance	179.7	181.7	8.3	6.6	3.9	10.8	7.5	7.3
Automobile finance charges ¹	97.7	99.5	14.0	-11.2	-4.0	4.5	.6	.2
Automobile fees ¹	152.3	152.9	14.4	7.5	17.6	5.4	10.9	11.3
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	157.8	158.2	25.1	1.1	50.0	3.9	12.5	24.8
Other automobile-related fees ¹	147.8	148.6	5.1	14.3	-7.8	6.7	9.6	-.8
Public transportation ¹	144.0	146.6	11.5	19.5	3.8	14.9	15.4	9.2
Airline fares ¹	149.6	153.6	11.9	29.1	2.8	20.5	20.2	11.3
Other intercity transportation ¹	146.8	146.3	5.0	4.1	7.3	7.7	4.5	7.5
Intracity public transportation ¹	134.5	134.9	13.2	4.4	4.6	3.6	8.7	4.1
Medical care	166.1	167.5	8.4	9.8	9.6	10.2	9.1	9.9
Medical care commodities	166.0	167.0	7.7	10.3	6.6	8.3	9.0	7.5
Prescription drugs	184.6	186.1	9.8	13.3	8.8	7.7	11.5	8.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	122.4	122.6	2.4	7.3	2.0	8.2	4.9	5.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	148.5	149.2	3.2	5.7	.8	13.0	4.4	6.8
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	139.3	138.9	.9	10.9	3.8	.3	5.8	2.0
Medical care services	165.9	167.4	8.7	9.6	10.2	10.7	9.1	10.4
Professional medical services	158.4	159.2	7.2	5.9	8.0	6.8	6.6	7.4
Physicians' services	163.3	164.3	6.2	8.2	8.9	6.6	7.2	7.7
Dental services ¹	157.6	158.3	8.9	5.7	8.3	4.4	7.3	6.4
Eye care ^{1 3}	119.3	119.3	2.5	6.8	5.3	5.9	4.6	5.6
Services by other medical professionals ^{1 3}	121.7	121.7	4.6	7.4	6.5	2.3	6.0	4.4
Hospital and related services	181.8	184.1	8.4	10.5	10.8	13.9	9.5	12.3
Hospital rooms	179.1	180.3	11.2	9.6	9.1	11.1	10.4	10.1
Other inpatient services ^{1 3}	146.2	148.5	6.5	10.1	12.4	17.3	8.3	14.8
Outpatient services ^{1 3}	140.9	143.1	12.3	10.0	9.8	12.7	11.2	11.2

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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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Entertainment ¹	134.1	134.3	4.8	4.7	4.0	4.9	4.7	4.5
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.9	125.3	3.7	4.0	2.9	2.9	3.8	2.9
Reading materials ¹	136.9	137.6	8.2	3.6	3.9	3.6	5.9	3.7
Newspapers ¹	135.4	136.6	6.9	1.5	3.0	7.0	4.2	5.0
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	138.5	138.8	9.1	5.4	4.5	.9	7.2	2.6
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	115.9	116.2	4.7	3.9	2.1	3.9	4.3	3.0
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	116.5	116.9	2.9	1.1	1.8	7.5	2.0	4.6
Other sporting goods ¹	112.5	112.9	6.8	6.7	2.2	1.1	6.8	1.6
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	122.4	122.6	.3	3.7	3.0	2.0	2.0	2.5
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	118.2	118.4	-3.1	6.4	1.4	1.7	1.5	1.5
Photographic supplies and equipment	129.1	128.8	3.8	1.2	-3.7	2.8	2.5	-5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	126.0	126.4	3.7	-3	8.4	2.6	1.6	5.4
Entertainment services ¹	145.5	145.7	5.9	5.3	4.9	6.9	5.6	5.9
Club memberships ^{1 3}	118.3	118.0	8.0	4.2	3.1	3.8	6.1	3.5
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ^{1 3}	126.4	128.3	4.4	5.0	-1.0	16.1	4.7	7.2
Admissions ¹	155.1	153.3	6.2	8.4	6.3	2.7	7.3	4.4
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1 3}	123.7	124.9	6.9	5.8	1.7	8.8	6.4	5.2
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	115.1	115.7	4.1	3.3	8.9	7.2	3.7	8.1
Other goods and services	161.6	162.6	7.9	6.9	11.4	4.0	7.4	7.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.8	185.9	13.2	3.5	25.1	.4	8.2	12.1
Personal care ¹	131.3	131.7	3.9	8.7	.9	3.4	6.3	2.2
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.8	129.3	2.3	10.6	.3	2.8	6.4	1.6
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	129.5	129.7	3.6	12.7	1.2	.9	8.1	1.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	128.4	129.2	1.0	9.6	-6	4.5	5.2	1.9
Personal care services ¹	133.9	134.2	5.7	6.3	1.8	4.0	6.0	2.9
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	134.4	134.5	6.1	6.6	2.4	4.0	6.3	3.2
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	131.7	132.5	6.1	4.7	-1.5	4.3	5.4	1.4
Personal and educational expenses	172.2	173.9	7.4	8.0	9.6	5.7	7.7	7.7
School books and supplies	171.7	172.8	12.1	7.9	7.3	-2	10.0	3.4
Personal and educational services	172.3	174.0	7.1	8.0	9.6	6.2	7.6	7.9
Tuition and other school fees	178.1	179.4	7.2	7.5	11.1	5.5	7.3	8.3
College tuition	178.1	179.2	6.9	6.8	11.4	7.7	6.9	9.6
Elementary and high school tuition	185.6	186.5	8.4	8.7	12.4	4.4	8.5	8.3
Personal expenses ¹	160.7	161.5	6.0	9.8	9.0	4.8	7.9	6.9
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	124.4	124.8	5.3	11.3	9.9	3.3	8.3	6.6
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	125.6	126.4	3.5	9.8	13.9	4.6	6.6	9.1
Funeral expenses ^{1 3}	119.8	120.5	10.0	7.5	4.2	7.3	8.7	5.7
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food ¹	134.1	134.6	21.2	.0	4.3	3.0	10.1	3.7
Selected beef cuts ¹	126.1	126.7	18.6	11.6	.6	2.2	15.0	1.4
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	109.9	118.1	24.5	-3.4	.9	158.9	9.7	61.6
Utilities and public transportation	121.5	122.5	5.6	5.5	-2.0	9.0	5.5	3.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	121.9	122.5	2.4	4.1	4.4	5.1	3.3	4.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

⁵ 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 categories¹

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
Food and beverages									
Other breads	136.6	136.5	137.7	139.2	0.1	-0.1	0.9	1.1	5.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins	133.8	136.4	136.9	137.2	-3	1.9	.4	.2	6.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	138.7	138.3	139.8	140.3	1.2	-3	1.1	.4	5.6
Cookies	140.6	143.8	144.1	143.9	-1.2	2.3	.2	-.1	3.5
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	156.7	161.4	161.5	160.1	.6	3.0	.1	-.9	8.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts	136.3	136.4	138.4	138.8	1.0	.1	1.5	.3	7.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers	140.7	140.9	141.9	142.4	.6	.1	.7	.4	4.7
Ham other than canned	143.2	146.1	150.6	154.9	3.2	2.0	3.1	2.9	21.7
Pork sausage	131.5	132.4	132.5	132.9	2.2	.7	.1	.3	18.3
Other pork	138.6	139.9	137.0	135.8	.4	.9	-2.1	-.9	16.7
Frankfurters	131.4	130.0	132.3	132.3	1.4	-1.1	1.8	.0	11.7
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami	130.6	131.9	133.5	133.3	-3	1.0	1.2	-.1	9.3
Other lunchmeats	124.5	124.6	125.4	126.5	.2	.1	.6	.9	8.4
Lamb and organ meats	125.1	126.6	127.8	127.1	-.4	1.2	.9	-.5	5.9
Butter	97.7	97.5	96.4	97.5	.6	-.2	-1.1	1.1	-7.5
Other dairy products	132.8	135.4	131.2	133.2	1.9	2.0	-3.1	1.5	8.4
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	147.4	146.2	145.9	144.9	-.4	-.8	-.2	-.7	14.8
Other fruit juices	136.7	137.7	137.1	136.7	.1	.7	-.4	-.3	8.3
Cut corn, canned beans except lima	131.9	132.0	132.0	130.4	.8	.1	.0	-1.2	1.3
Other processed vegetables	129.1	130.1	130.3	128.4	.5	.8	.2	-1.5	3.4
Candy and chewing gum	127.1	127.6	127.4	128.5	.7	.4	-.2	.9	4.7
Other sweets	130.0	130.7	131.7	132.9	.2	.5	.8	.9	5.4
Margarine	130.9	131.2	133.3	133.7	2.0	.2	1.6	.3	5.6
Other fats, oils, and salad dressing	121.7	122.7	123.1	122.2	.7	.8	.3	-.7	5.5
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter	132.3	132.6	132.8	132.6	.8	.2	.2	-.2	4.3
Roasted coffee	119.5	119.0	118.7	118.5	1.9	-.4	-.3	-.2	.0
Instant and freeze-dried coffee	120.0	120.0	120.2	118.6	1.4	.0	.2	-1.3	2.2
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	129.4	131.6	133.6	135.0	-.5	1.7	1.5	1.0	4.9
Other condiments	126.3	127.1	128.4	127.9	.6	.6	1.0	-.4	5.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods	139.8	141.3	139.9	140.8	-.6	1.1	-1.0	.6	5.9
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	123.3	123.8	122.9	124.1	.7	.4	-.7	1.0	4.1
Whiskey at home	125.4	126.1	127.0	127.6	1.1	.6	.7	.5	5.9
Other alcoholic beverages at home	127.6	128.5	128.4	128.5	.6	.7	-.1	.1	4.0

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 categories¹ —Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
Housing									
Household linens	112.2	113.1	116.0	118.4	-0.9	0.8	2.6	2.1	3.8
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials	123.3	122.2	122.5	121.5	-.6	-.9	.2	-.8	2.9
Soaps and detergents	130.7	130.3	130.3	129.3	.9	-.3	.0	-.8	2.5
Other laundry and cleaning products	126.7	128.9	129.5	129.9	-.1	1.7	.5	.3	4.8
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins	130.4	128.4	130.5	131.0	.0	-1.5	1.6	.4	4.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap	120.0	120.2	120.5	119.9	-.5	.2	.2	-.5	2.9
Apparel and upkeep									
Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets	126.1	129.6	130.6	132.6	-1.3	2.8	.8	1.5	3.4
Men's coats and jackets	119.4	121.7	122.1	127.1	-.7	1.9	.3	4.1	1.3
Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	104.6	106.0	111.4	112.3	-.9	1.3	5.1	.8	.6
Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets	111.9	109.9	113.3	116.9	-.9	-1.8	3.1	3.2	1.4
Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	117.5	122.1	128.7	128.9	2.2	3.9	5.4	.2	.1
Girls' separates and sportswear	115.2	118.4	126.9	127.5	-3.0	2.8	7.2	.5	6.7
Transportation									
State automobile registration	172.0	172.1	172.5	172.9	22.0	.1	.2	.2	29.8
Other goods and services									
Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs	122.8	123.1	123.6	122.5	-1.1	.2	.4	-.9	1.7

¹ 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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	131.1	131.9	6.2	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.7
All items (1967 = 100)	-	390.5	393.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.768	132.7	133.1	5.6	.3	.3	.3	.3
Food	18.116	133.0	133.4	5.7	.3	.3	.2	.4
Food at home	11.454	132.6	133.1	6.5	.4	.3	.3	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.638	141.5	141.8	5.0	.2	.6	.1	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.654	131.9	132.5	8.4	.5	.4	.2	.8
Dairy products ¹	1.435	127.6	128.5	8.9	.7	1.4	.2	.7
Fruits and vegetables	1.905	144.4	143.9	5.4	-.3	-1.4	.5	-.4
Other food at home	2.822	124.4	125.2	4.2	.6	.6	.3	.4
Sugar and sweets ¹	.391	125.8	126.5	4.2	.6	.6	.1	.6
Fats and oils ¹	.306	128.1	128.0	5.3	-.1	.7	.6	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	.926	114.2	115.4	3.0	1.1	.4	-.2	.4
Other prepared food	1.199	132.3	132.9	4.6	.5	.6	.6	.5
Food away from home ¹	6.661	134.5	134.8	4.5	.2	.3	.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages ¹	1.652	130.4	130.6	4.7	.2	.2	.5	.2
Housing	39.509	128.3	128.3	4.7	.0	.6	.5	.4
Shelter	25.590	138.8	139.0	5.5	.1	.6	.3	.1
Renters' costs ²	8.056	132.0	132.1	5.6	.1	.7	.3	.4
Rent, residential	6.789	139.6	140.0	4.3	.3	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	1.267	158.6	156.8	11.7	-1.1	2.5	-.4	1.0
Homeowners' costs ²	17.333	134.0	134.2	5.4	.1	.6	.2	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	16.998	134.2	134.4	5.5	.1	.6	.2	.1
Household insurance ^{1 2}	.336	124.2	124.3	1.5	.1	.2	.1	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	.201	124.0	122.3	3.6	-1.4	-.7	2.2	-1.4
Maintenance and repair services ¹	.107	130.8	129.0	6.7	-1.4	-1.1	4.5	-1.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	.094	114.8	113.3	-.1	-1.3	.0	-.4	-1.3
Fuel and other utilities	7.691	113.5	112.7	4.7	-.7	1.2	1.2	1.0
Fuels	4.304	106.9	105.3	4.7	-1.5	.9	2.1	1.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.390	103.8	117.5	43.6	13.2	11.5	13.0	11.9
Gas (pipd) and electricity	3.914	112.0	108.4	1.1	-3.2	-.1	.8	.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.387	133.4	133.8	4.7	.3	1.6	.1	.3
Household furnishings and operation	6.227	113.0	113.4	2.0	.4	-.2	.5	.4
Housefurnishings ¹	3.892	106.0	106.4	1.0	.4	-.2	.4	.4
Housekeeping supplies	1.232	126.3	126.1	2.8	-.2	.2	.3	.0
Housekeeping services ¹	1.104	121.4	122.3	4.1	.7	.0	.8	.7
Apparel and upkeep	6.134	125.7	127.1	4.2	1.1	-.2	.8	-.5
Apparel commodities	5.615	123.7	125.2	3.9	1.2	-.3	.8	-.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.488	120.7	122.3	2.3	1.3	.5	-.1	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	2.438	125.7	127.2	4.3	1.2	-1.2	1.2	-1.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.280	130.1	128.8	5.4	-1.0	-.5	.7	-1.0
Footwear	.908	119.2	121.0	2.5	1.5	.3	.8	-.2
Other apparel commodities ¹	.501	130.4	132.0	8.3	1.2	-.1	1.8	1.2
Apparel services	.519	138.1	138.8	7.6	.5	1.3	.4	.1

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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	19.033	122.9	125.7	10.0	2.3	1.9	2.6	2.2
Private transportation	17.939	121.8	124.7	10.1	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.3
New vehicles	5.097	119.8	121.3	2.4	1.3	.2	.0	.5
New cars	3.771	118.8	120.3	1.6	1.3	.0	-.1	.3
Used cars	2.212	118.1	117.9	-1.3	-.2	.3	.1	-.3
Motor fuel	3.870	112.2	119.2	33.8	6.2	7.8	9.7	7.7
Gasoline	-	112.1	119.0	33.7	6.2	7.7	9.5	7.8
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.589	131.7	132.4	4.5	.5	.3	.8	.5
Other private transportation	5.171	140.3	142.1	5.3	1.3	.4	.8	.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹	.907	101.8	101.7	.2	-.1	.4	.1	-.1
Other private transportation services	4.264	149.2	151.5	6.3	1.5	.4	.9	.5
Public transportation ¹	1.093	141.5	143.7	11.1	1.6	.2	1.1	1.6
Medical care	5.260	165.5	166.8	9.0	.8	.9	.5	.8
Medical care commodities	.968	164.9	165.8	8.3	.5	.7	.7	.6
Medical care services	4.292	165.7	167.0	9.2	.8	.9	.5	.9
Professional medical services	2.633	158.5	159.2	6.8	.4	.8	.3	.5
Entertainment ¹	4.071	132.9	133.1	4.2	.2	.3	.6	.2
Entertainment commodities ¹	2.171	124.5	124.9	3.0	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Entertainment services ¹	1.900	145.4	145.5	5.7	.1	.2	1.4	.1
Other goods and services	6.226	162.4	162.8	7.5	.2	.6	-.1	.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.945	185.5	185.7	10.1	.1	.1	.0	.1
Personal care ¹	1.168	131.1	131.5	4.1	.3	.2	.5	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	.663	128.8	129.4	3.9	.5	.0	.5	.5
Personal care services ¹	.505	133.7	134.0	4.5	.2	.3	.4	.2
Personal and educational expenses	3.113	173.5	174.2	7.2	.4	.9	-.4	.8
School books and supplies	.203	172.9	173.8	6.8	.5	.5	-1.0	.6
Personal and educational services	2.910	173.9	174.6	7.3	.4	1.0	-.4	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	131.1	131.9	6.2	.6	.8	.8	.7
Commodities	49.025	124.4	125.8	6.9	1.1	.8	1.2	1.0
Food and beverages	19.768	132.7	133.1	5.6	.3	.3	.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	29.257	119.2	121.3	7.8	1.8	1.2	1.9	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	16.934	124.3	127.3	12.5	2.4	2.9	3.9	2.4
Apparel commodities	5.615	123.7	125.2	3.9	1.2	-.3	.8	-.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	11.319	127.4	131.2	16.8	3.0	3.7	3.9	3.0
Durables	12.323	111.2	111.9	1.2	.6	.3	.0	.3
Services	50.975	139.9	140.1	5.7	.1	.6	.4	.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.025	133.5	133.7	5.5	.1	.9	.1	.1
Household services less rent of shelter ²	8.877	113.9	112.5	2.9	-1.2	.7	.4	.3
Transportation services	6.947	143.5	145.4	6.7	1.3	.4	.9	.6
Medical care services	4.292	165.7	167.0	9.2	.8	.9	.5	.9
Other services	5.834	151.8	152.3	6.6	.3	.7	.3	.5

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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Special indexes								
All items less food	81.884	130.6	131.5	6.4	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.8
All items less shelter	74.410	129.3	130.3	6.5	.8	.8	1.0	.9
All items less homeowners' costs ²	82.667	123.7	124.6	6.4	.7	.8	.9	.8
All items less medical care	94.740	129.4	130.2	6.1	.6	.7	.9	.7
Commodities less food	30.910	119.6	121.5	7.6	1.6	1.2	1.8	1.4
Nondurables less food ¹	18.586	124.2	127.1	11.9	2.3	2.7	3.6	2.3
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	12.971	126.5	129.9	15.3	2.7	3.4	3.4	2.7
Nondurables ¹	36.702	128.7	130.4	8.8	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	25.950	130.1	130.3	5.8	.2	.6	.8	.5
Services less medical care	46.683	137.5	137.6	5.4	.1	.6	.4	.3
Energy	8.174	109.1	111.9	18.8	2.6	4.3	6.0	4.7
All items less energy	91.826	134.5	135.1	5.1	.4	.4	.4	.3
All items less food and energy	73.710	134.9	135.5	5.0	.4	.4	.4	.2
Commodities less food and energy	26.649	123.2	123.9	3.2	.6	.0	.3	.1
Energy commodities	4.260	111.8	119.4	34.6	6.8	8.2	9.9	8.1
Services less energy	47.061	143.0	143.6	6.0	.4	.7	.4	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.763	\$.758	-5.8	-.7	-.9	-.9	-.7
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	.256	.254	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² 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 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					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	7.6	3.9	4.1	9.7	5.7	6.9
Food and beverages	132.1	132.5	132.9	133.3	11.2	3.1	4.7	3.7	7.1	4.2
Food	132.4	132.8	133.1	133.6	11.5	2.8	5.0	3.7	7.1	4.3
Food at home	132.0	132.4	132.8	133.3	16.6	.6	5.0	4.0	8.3	4.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	140.4	141.3	141.5	141.8	5.1	6.0	4.7	4.0	5.6	4.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	130.3	130.8	131.0	132.1	14.1	8.5	5.4	5.6	11.3	5.5
Dairy products ¹	125.5	127.3	127.6	128.5	28.8	-1.9	1.3	9.9	12.4	5.5
Fruits and vegetables	147.6	145.6	146.4	145.8	47.1	-15.5	4.5	-4.8	11.4	-3
Other food at home	123.6	124.3	124.7	125.2	2.7	1.7	7.1	5.3	2.2	6.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	124.9	125.7	125.8	126.5	3.7	4.0	3.9	5.2	3.8	4.6
Fats and oils ¹	126.4	127.3	128.1	128.0	6.4	2.3	7.6	5.2	4.3	6.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	114.9	115.4	115.2	115.7	-4	-1.4	12.0	2.8	-9	7.3
Other prepared food	130.7	131.5	132.3	132.9	4.2	3.2	4.4	6.9	3.7	5.6
Food away from home ¹	133.7	134.1	134.5	134.8	3.8	6.6	4.3	3.3	5.2	3.8
Alcoholic beverages ¹	129.5	129.8	130.4	130.6	3.9	6.8	4.8	3.4	5.4	4.1
Housing	126.3	127.1	127.7	128.2	6.0	2.6	4.6	6.2	4.3	5.4
Shelter	137.3	138.1	138.5	138.7	5.6	4.3	7.9	4.1	4.9	6.0
Renters' costs ²	130.1	131.0	131.4	131.9	6.9	3.8	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.9
Rent, residential	138.3	138.8	139.4	139.7	3.9	4.5	4.8	4.1	4.2	4.4
Other renters' costs	154.2	158.1	157.5	159.0	21.2	.3	13.2	13.0	10.2	13.1
Homeowners' costs ²	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.9	4.8	4.8	8.6	3.7	4.8	6.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	132.9	133.7	134.0	134.1	4.8	4.7	8.9	3.7	4.8	6.2
Household insurance ^{1 2}	123.9	124.1	124.2	124.3	1.0	.7	3.0	1.3	.8	2.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	122.1	121.3	124.0	122.3	6.6	2.0	5.1	.7	4.3	2.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹	126.6	125.2	130.8	129.0	11.0	5.9	2.2	7.8	8.4	5.0
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	115.3	115.3	114.8	113.3	1.4	-2.8	8.4	-6.8	-7	.5
Fuel and other utilities	109.1	110.4	111.7	112.8	12.8	-3.6	-3.2	14.3	4.3	5.2
Fuels	100.2	101.1	103.2	104.7	18.8	-10.3	-5.4	19.2	3.2	6.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	84.2	93.9	106.1	118.7	224.9	-58.9	-19.2	295.0	15.6	78.7
Gas (piped) and electricity	106.9	106.8	107.7	108.0	6.5	-1.8	-4.0	4.2	2.3	.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	131.2	133.3	133.4	133.8	5.8	5.7	-6	8.2	5.7	3.7
Household furnishings and operation	112.6	112.4	113.0	113.4	.7	2.5	1.8	2.9	1.6	2.3
Housefurnishings ¹	105.8	105.6	106.0	106.4	.0	1.9	.0	2.3	1.0	1.1
Housekeeping supplies	125.9	126.1	126.5	126.5	1.0	2.6	5.9	1.9	1.8	3.9
Housekeeping services ¹	120.4	120.4	121.4	122.3	2.1	4.1	3.7	6.5	3.1	5.1
Apparel and upkeep	123.4	123.1	124.1	123.5	-1.7	23.1	-2.9	.3	10.0	-1.3
Apparel commodities	121.5	121.1	122.1	121.4	-2.7	24.8	-3.9	-.3	10.2	-2.1
Men's and boys' apparel	119.6	120.2	120.1	119.6	1.0	7.7	.7	.0	4.3	.3
Women's and girls' apparel	122.4	120.9	122.4	121.0	-4.1	36.5	-6.0	-4.5	14.4	-5.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	129.8	129.2	130.1	128.8	-16.5	64.1	-7.1	-3.0	17.0	-5.1
Footwear	118.0	118.3	119.3	119.1	-3.7	12.0	-1.0	3.8	3.8	1.4
Other apparel commodities ¹	128.2	128.1	130.4	132.0	4.3	26.7	-7.4	12.4	15.0	2.0
Apparel services	136.2	138.0	138.6	138.8	8.3	7.5	6.7	7.9	7.9	7.3

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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 percent change for					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category										
Transportation	117.6	119.8	122.9	125.6	10.2	0.3	1.7	30.1	5.1	15.0
Private transportation	116.4	118.7	121.8	124.6	10.3	-.7	1.7	31.3	4.6	15.6
New vehicles	120.8	121.0	121.0	121.6	9.4	-1.0	-1.3	2.7	4.1	.7
New cars	120.1	120.1	120.0	120.4	10.9	-2.9	-2.0	1.0	3.7	-.5
Used cars	117.5	117.8	117.9	117.6	.3	-9.7	4.2	.3	-4.8	2.2
Motor fuel	93.0	100.3	110.0	118.5	25.1	-4.2	1.3	163.6	9.5	63.4
Gasoline	93.0	100.2	109.7	118.3	21.9	-1.3	1.3	161.8	9.7	62.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹	130.3	130.7	131.7	132.4	1.9	7.4	2.2	6.6	4.6	4.4
Other private transportation	139.9	140.4	141.5	142.0	7.6	3.5	3.8	6.1	5.6	5.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹	101.3	101.7	101.8	101.7	-.4	.0	-.4	1.6	-.2	.6
Other private transportation services	148.8	149.4	150.7	151.4	9.3	4.5	4.4	7.2	6.9	5.8
Public transportation ¹	139.7	140.0	141.5	143.7	11.3	17.6	3.8	12.0	14.4	7.8
Medical care	163.2	164.7	165.6	167.0	8.6	8.7	9.1	9.6	8.7	9.4
Medical care commodities	162.6	163.7	164.9	165.9	7.5	9.5	7.5	8.4	8.5	7.9
Medical care services	163.3	164.8	165.7	167.2	8.6	8.7	9.6	9.9	8.7	9.8
Professional medical services	156.9	158.1	158.5	159.3	7.2	5.9	7.7	6.3	6.5	7.0
Entertainment ¹	131.7	132.1	132.9	133.1	4.5	4.7	3.4	4.3	4.6	3.9
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.2	124.7	124.5	124.9	3.3	3.6	2.6	2.3	3.5	2.4
Entertainment services ¹	143.1	143.4	145.4	145.5	5.9	5.9	4.3	6.9	5.9	5.6
Other goods and services	160.7	161.6	161.4	162.2	7.9	7.2	11.5	3.8	7.6	7.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.4	185.5	185.5	185.7	12.9	3.5	25.1	.6	8.1	12.2
Personal care ¹	130.3	130.5	131.1	131.5	3.2	8.8	.9	3.7	5.9	2.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.2	128.2	128.8	129.4	1.0	11.0	.0	3.8	5.9	1.9
Personal care services ¹	132.8	133.2	133.7	134.0	6.1	6.3	2.1	3.7	6.2	2.9
Personal and educational expenses	170.0	171.6	170.9	172.2	6.9	9.1	7.6	5.3	8.0	6.5
School books and supplies	171.8	172.7	171.0	172.0	11.7	7.4	7.8	.5	9.5	4.1
Personal and educational services	170.1	171.8	171.1	172.5	6.6	9.4	7.4	5.8	8.0	6.6
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	7.6	3.9	4.1	9.7	5.7	6.9
Commodities	121.6	122.6	124.1	125.4	9.2	2.7	3.0	13.1	5.9	7.9
Food and beverages	132.1	132.5	132.9	133.3	11.2	3.1	4.7	3.7	7.1	4.2
Commodities less food and beverages	115.1	116.5	118.7	120.4	7.3	3.2	1.4	19.7	5.3	10.2
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	116.2	119.6	124.3	127.3	.7	11.4	-1.0	44.0	5.9	19.4
Apparel commodities	121.5	121.1	122.1	121.4	-2.7	24.8	-3.9	-.3	10.2	-2.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	118.2	122.6	127.4	131.2	12.7	-.7	9.7	51.8	5.8	29.0
Durables	111.5	111.8	111.8	112.1	3.7	-1.1	.0	2.2	1.3	1.1
Services	138.0	138.8	139.4	139.9	6.2	5.2	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	132.2	133.4	133.5	133.7	4.2	4.8	8.6	4.6	4.5	6.6
Household services less rent of shelter ²	110.9	111.7	112.2	112.5	5.6	2.2	-1.8	5.9	3.9	2.0
Transportation services	142.6	143.1	144.4	145.3	8.2	7.1	3.7	7.8	7.6	5.7
Medical care services	163.3	164.8	165.7	167.2	8.6	8.7	9.6	9.9	8.7	9.8
Other services	149.4	150.5	151.0	151.7	6.6	7.7	5.8	6.3	7.2	6.1

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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 percent change for					
	July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Special indexes										
All items less food	127.7	128.8	130.0	131.0	6.7	4.2	4.2	10.7	5.4	7.4
All items less shelter	126.6	127.6	128.9	130.0	8.5	3.9	2.9	11.2	6.2	7.0
All items less homeowners' costs ²	121.2	122.2	123.3	124.3	8.1	4.1	3.0	10.6	6.1	6.8
All items less medical care	127.5	128.4	129.5	130.4	7.4	3.9	3.9	9.4	5.6	6.6
Commodities less food	115.7	117.1	119.2	120.9	7.3	3.2	1.4	19.2	5.2	9.9
Nondurables less food ¹	116.8	119.9	124.2	127.1	1.1	11.0	-3	40.2	5.9	18.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	118.3	122.3	126.5	129.9	11.5	.0	8.9	45.4	5.6	25.8
Nondurables ¹	124.4	126.3	128.7	130.4	6.8	6.7	2.0	20.7	6.8	10.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	127.8	128.6	129.6	130.3	6.3	5.2	3.5	8.1	5.8	5.8
Services less medical care	135.7	136.5	137.1	137.5	6.0	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.3
Energy	96.2	100.3	106.3	111.3	22.1	-7.5	-2.1	79.2	6.3	32.5
All items less energy	133.4	134.0	134.5	134.9	6.1	5.3	4.6	4.6	5.7	4.6
All items less food and energy	133.9	134.5	135.0	135.3	5.1	5.6	4.9	4.2	5.3	4.6
Commodities less food and energy	122.7	122.7	123.1	123.2	3.0	6.1	2.0	1.6	4.6	1.8
Energy commodities	92.3	99.9	109.8	118.7	36.9	-11.6	-9	173.5	10.0	64.7
Services less energy	141.6	142.6	143.1	143.6	6.0	5.6	6.5	5.8	5.8	6.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² 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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food and beverages	132.7	133.1	5.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Food	133.0	133.4	5.7	.3	.3	.2	.4
Food at home	132.6	133.1	6.5	.4	.3	.3	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	141.5	141.8	5.0	.2	.6	.1	.2
Cereals and cereal products	142.5	141.9	4.4	-.4	.3	.2	.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes	126.8	125.2	2.1	-1.3	-.2	-.6	-.3
Cereal ¹	160.5	160.4	5.5	-.1	.1	.2	-.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	123.9	122.9	3.3	-.8	.4	.5	-.8
Bakery products ¹	140.8	141.4	5.3	.4	.8	.3	.4
White bread ¹	137.1	138.0	4.9	.7	1.2	-.5	.7
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	138.6	140.0	6.5	1.0	.6	.6	1.0
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	143.9	144.1	4.6	.1	1.2	.7	.1
Other bakery products	143.6	143.7	5.4	.1	.3	1.3	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.9	132.5	8.4	.5	.4	.2	.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.7	132.9	8.8	.2	-.1	.5	.5
Meats	131.2	131.9	11.6	.5	-.1	.3	.9
Beef and veal ¹	129.6	130.3	8.5	.5	-.5	.7	.5
Ground beef other than canned ¹	118.8	118.8	8.0	.0	-.2	.7	.0
Chuck roast ¹	130.4	133.6	13.4	2.5	1.1	-.2	2.5
Round roast ¹	121.4	122.6	5.6	1.0	.0	.6	1.0
Round steak ¹	123.0	125.2	6.2	1.8	-.9	-.9	1.8
Sirloin steak	134.2	132.7	6.5	-1.1	.2	2.1	2.3
Other beef and veal ¹	142.9	143.8	9.4	.6	-.8	1.3	.6
Pork	135.6	136.5	18.7	.7	.7	-1.2	2.1
Bacon	115.5	117.7	23.4	1.9	-.7	-.3	1.6
Chops	146.0	145.9	16.8	-.1	1.6	-2.5	2.8
Ham	140.2	143.4	19.2	2.3	.4	1.3	.6
Other pork, including sausage	135.3	134.9	17.9	-.3	.1	-.2	1.4
Other meats ¹	129.5	129.6	9.5	.1	.1	1.6	.1
Poultry ¹	134.2	133.3	1.9	-.7	-1.3	.7	-.7
Fresh whole chicken ¹	136.3	133.8	-.4	-1.8	-.9	-.3	-1.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	138.5	137.6	3.5	-.6	-1.8	1.1	-.6
Other poultry ¹	123.2	125.7	2.7	2.0	-.7	1.2	2.0
Fish and seafood	148.4	147.4	1.9	-.7	1.0	1.9	.1
Canned fish and seafood ¹	119.8	119.6	-3.0	-.2	-.3	.9	-.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	164.3	162.9	3.4	-.9	.9	2.4	.4
Eggs	119.8	124.8	2.1	4.2	10.3	-6.2	5.4
Dairy products ¹	127.6	128.5	8.9	.7	1.4	.2	.7
Fresh milk and cream	127.5	128.7	10.7	.9	1.4	.1	.8
Fresh whole milk	127.5	129.1	11.6	1.3	1.6	.2	.5
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	127.3	128.0	9.4	.5	.9	.7	.5
Processed dairy products ¹	128.3	128.9	7.1	.5	1.4	.1	.5
Cheese ¹	133.5	133.9	9.4	.3	2.0	.4	.3
Ice cream and related products ¹	127.6	128.4	6.0	.6	1.0	.0	.6
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	112.3	113.2	.9	.8	.2	-.9	.8

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Fruits and vegetables	144.4	143.9	5.4	-0.3	-1.4	0.5	-0.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables	151.9	151.4	4.7	-3	-2.7	1.6	-6
Fresh fruits	167.8	161.5	3.9	-3.8	-4.4	-1.0	-2.1
Apples	165.4	148.4	11.8	-10.3	.6	4.9	2.7
Bananas	139.1	128.9	1.0	-7.3	-11.2	2.0	-7.1
Oranges, including tangerines	167.7	154.9	-6.6	-7.6	-1.9	-1.4	-9.5
Other fresh fruits	176.7	178.3	5.5	.9	-2.4	-4.3	-2.0
Fresh vegetables	136.4	141.5	5.5	3.7	.8	.6	4.2
Potatoes	150.5	139.0	.1	-7.6	-1.6	1.2	-3
Lettuce ¹	171.0	191.7	20.0	12.1	.9	20.3	12.1
Tomatoes ¹	120.8	132.1	5.8	9.4	-.5	-.4	9.4
Other fresh vegetables	129.6	135.7	3.7	4.7	2.2	-.8	2.7
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.9	134.3	6.6	-.4	.0	.1	-.1
Processed fruits	140.2	139.8	10.0	-.3	-.2	.1	.2
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	144.7	144.1	12.1	-.4	-.1	.4	-.1
Canned and dried fruits	121.7	122.0	1.7	.2	-.4	.3	.4
Processed vegetables ¹	129.2	128.2	2.6	-.8	.5	-.1	-.8
Frozen vegetables ¹	128.2	128.5	3.2	.2	.6	-.5	.2
Other processed vegetables ¹	130.2	128.7	2.3	-1.2	.5	.1	-1.2
Other food at home	124.4	125.2	4.2	.6	.6	.3	.4
Sugar and sweets ¹	125.8	126.5	4.2	.6	.6	.1	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	119.7	119.1	2.8	-.5	.7	.0	-.5
Sweets, including candy ¹	128.3	129.5	4.9	.9	.6	.2	.9
Fats and oils ¹	128.1	128.0	5.3	-.1	.7	.6	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	114.2	115.4	3.0	1.1	.4	-.2	.4
Carbonated drinks	112.2	114.4	3.6	2.0	1.0	-1.2	1.0
Coffee ¹	119.2	118.6	.7	-.5	-.2	-.1	-.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	126.1	126.5	5.0	.3	-.1	.6	-.4
Other prepared food	132.3	132.9	4.6	.5	.6	.6	.5
Canned and packaged soup	138.4	138.2	6.1	-.1	-.1	.4	.7
Frozen prepared food ¹	132.5	132.2	1.3	-.2	1.0	.5	-.2
Snacks	130.2	131.2	3.8	.8	.5	.8	1.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices ¹	132.0	132.6	6.0	.5	.9	1.4	.5
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	132.8	133.6	5.8	.6	.9	-.6	.6
Food away from home ¹	134.5	134.8	4.5	.2	.3	.3	.2
Lunch ¹	134.8	135.3	4.7	.4	.3	.3	.4
Dinner ¹	133.4	133.7	4.1	.2	.3	.2	.2
Other meals and snacks ¹	135.6	136.1	5.0	.4	.3	.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages ¹	130.4	130.6	4.7	.2	.2	.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home ¹	124.1	124.3	4.5	.2	.0	.4	.2
Beer and ale	124.6	124.6	4.8	.0	.2	.9	-.1
Wine ¹	114.2	114.9	2.9	.6	-.3	.3	.6
Distilled spirits ¹	127.4	127.7	5.1	.2	.7	.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	145.7	145.8	5.0	.1	.5	.6	.1

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housing	128.3	128.3	4.7	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.4
Shelter	138.8	139.0	5.5	.1	.6	.3	.1
Renters' costs ²	132.0	132.1	5.6	.1	.7	.3	.4
Rent, residential	139.6	140.0	4.3	.3	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	158.6	156.8	11.7	-1.1	2.5	-.4	1.0
Lodging while out of town	156.9	154.8	12.6	-1.3	2.6	-.4	.8
Lodging while at school ³	164.7	165.0	6.2	.2	1.0	-.1	.4
Tenants' insurance ¹	129.7	129.8	1.0	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	134.0	134.2	5.4	.1	.6	.2	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	134.2	134.4	5.5	.1	.6	.2	.1
Household insurance ^{1,2}	124.2	124.3	1.5	.1	.2	.1	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	124.0	122.3	3.6	-1.4	-.7	2.2	-1.4
Maintenance and repair services ¹	130.8	129.0	6.7	-1.4	-1.1	4.5	-1.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	114.8	113.3	-.1	-1.3	.0	-.4	-1.3
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1,4}	111.8	111.7	2.9	-.1	.8	-.9	-.1
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	111.0	108.4	-2.3	-2.3	-.6	.0	-2.3
Fuel and other utilities	113.5	112.7	4.7	-.7	1.2	1.2	1.0
Fuels	106.9	105.3	4.7	-1.5	.9	2.1	1.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	103.8	117.5	43.6	13.2	11.5	13.0	11.9
Fuel oil	106.2	121.0	49.8	13.9	15.3	16.6	14.0
Other household fuel commodities ^{1,4}	123.9	138.4	31.8	11.7	4.3	7.5	11.7
Gas (piped) and electricity	112.0	108.4	1.1	-3.2	-.1	.8	.3
Electricity	122.5	116.5	2.1	-4.9	-.2	.7	.3
Utility (piped) gas	95.6	96.5	-1.0	.9	-.2	1.5	.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	133.4	133.8	4.7	.3	1.6	.1	.3
Telephone services ¹	118.0	118.6	1.5	.5	2.1	.2	.5
Local charges ¹	149.8	151.1	3.7	.9	3.0	.3	.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	67.4	67.4	-3.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	95.4	94.9	-2.0	-.5	-.1	-.1	-.5
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	151.3	151.7	6.3	.3	.9	.3	.3
Cable television ^{1,5}	163.8	162.4	12.3	-.9	1.3	-.5	-.9
Refuse collection ⁵	173.9	176.1	10.4	1.3	.5	.9	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	113.0	113.4	2.0	.4	-.2	.5	.4
Housefurnishings ¹	106.0	106.4	1.0	.4	-.2	.4	.4
Textile housefurnishings	118.8	119.7	2.0	.8	.2	-.5	1.2
Furniture and bedding ¹	114.6	115.2	.2	.5	-.9	-.2	.5
Bedroom furniture ¹	117.5	116.8	-2.7	-.6	.0	-.7	-.6
Sofas ¹	116.1	117.8	.2	1.5	-1.5	.8	1.5
Living room chairs and tables ¹	117.0	117.3	3.3	.3	-.6	1.5	.3
Other furniture ¹	109.3	111.0	2.3	1.6	-1.6	-1.0	1.6
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	88.3	88.2	-.9	-.1	-.5	.3	-.1
Video and audio products ¹	80.1	80.2	-1.2	.1	-.5	.5	.1
Televisions ¹	73.7	73.8	-1.2	.1	-.3	1.4	.1
Video products other than televisions ^{1,6}	90.8	90.4	-5.4	-.4	-1.1	-.5	-.4
Audio products ¹	91.9	92.3	.8	.4	-.9	.1	.4
Major household appliances ^{1,4}	101.1	101.1	-.5	.0	-.4	.0	.0
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	103.2	102.8	-.8	-.4	-.2	.2	-.4
Laundry equipment ¹	107.5	107.7	.8	.2	.2	.4	.2
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1,4}	97.2	97.4	-1.4	.2	-.9	-.6	.2
Information processing equipment ^{1,6}	94.6	93.2	-.1	-1.5	-.4	.6	-1.5

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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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Other housefurnishings ^{1 4}	108.1	108.7	3.4	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	123.7	125.2	4.5	1.2	.1	1.3	1.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	113.8	115.6	3.9	1.6	.7	-.1	1.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	116.9	117.2	4.0	.3	.8	.3	.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	100.7	101.1	1.7	.4	-.6	.1	.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 4}	97.2	96.8	-1.3	-.4	.5	.6	-.4
Housekeeping supplies	126.3	126.1	2.8	-.2	.2	.3	.0
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	130.7	130.5	3.5	-.2	.5	.2	-.2
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	125.6	125.6	3.9	.0	-1.1	.9	.0
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	121.3	120.8	.8	-.4	-.2	.7	-.3
Housekeeping services ¹	121.4	122.3	4.1	.7	.0	.8	.7
Postage ¹	125.4	125.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	124.9	126.2	4.5	1.0	-1.6	.4	1.0
Gardening and other household services ^{1 4}	115.1	115.8	3.4	.6	-.1	-.1	.6
Apparel and upkeep	125.7	127.1	4.2	1.1	-.2	.8	-.5
Apparel commodities	123.7	125.2	3.9	1.2	-.3	.8	-.6
Apparel commodities less footwear	124.6	126.0	4.2	1.1	-.5	.8	-.7
Men's and boys'	120.7	122.3	2.3	1.3	.5	-.1	-.4
Men's	123.4	125.1	3.0	1.4	1.1	-.6	.2
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	128.6	131.1	3.0	1.9	3.3	-2.7	-.6
Furnishings and special clothing	116.5	118.5	1.0	1.7	.4	-.2	.5
Shirts	129.9	131.0	4.7	.8	.9	-.5	.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	119.5	121.1	3.1	1.3	.9	.3	.7
Boys'	112.0	113.3	-.2	1.2	-1.5	1.7	-1.7
Women's and girls'	125.7	127.2	4.3	1.2	-1.2	1.2	-1.1
Women's	125.6	127.1	4.3	1.2	-1.5	.9	-.9
Coats and jackets	123.3	124.3	12.4	.8	.8	-.2	-.8
Dresses	139.1	136.2	1.0	-2.1	-2.6	3.3	-3.5
Separates and sportswear	126.7	129.9	3.7	2.5	-1.9	.8	-.9
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	118.8	120.3	4.4	1.3	1.0	-.3	1.1
Suits	134.8	136.1	8.8	1.0	-5.4	-1.9	1.2
Girls'	126.3	127.7	4.6	1.1	.3	2.6	-2.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	130.1	128.8	5.4	-1.0	-.5	.7	-1.0
Other apparel commodities ¹	130.4	132.0	8.3	1.2	-.1	1.8	1.2
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 4}	118.2	119.1	8.9	.8	.2	1.6	.8
Watches and jewelry ^{1 4}	129.2	130.9	8.2	1.3	-.2	1.8	1.3
Watches ^{1 4}	111.8	112.6	3.5	.7	1.7	1.8	.7
Jewelry ^{1 4}	134.2	136.2	9.4	1.5	-.5	1.8	1.5
Footwear	119.2	121.0	2.5	1.5	.3	.8	-.2
Men's ¹	124.4	125.4	3.1	.8	-.2	-.5	.8
Boys' and girls' ¹	121.7	122.9	2.5	1.0	-2.2	3.5	1.0
Women's	112.8	115.5	2.1	2.4	1.9	1.0	.0
Apparel services	138.1	138.8	7.6	.5	1.3	.4	.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	139.5	140.2	5.7	.5	.6	.2	.3
Other apparel services ¹	137.3	138.2	9.2	.7	1.9	.4	.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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Transportation	122.9	125.7	10.0	2.3	1.9	2.6	2.2
Private	121.8	124.7	10.1	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.3
New vehicles	119.8	121.3	2.4	1.3	.2	.0	.5
New cars	118.8	120.3	1.6	1.3	.0	-.1	.3
Subcompact new cars ^{1 4}	102.5	103.6	.9	1.1	-.4	-.2	1.1
Compact new cars ^{1 4}	102.3	103.7	1.6	1.4	-.3	-.6	1.4
Intermediate new cars ^{1 4}	102.9	104.4	1.4	1.5	-.5	-.8	1.5
Full-size new cars ^{1 4}	107.0	108.7	3.4	1.6	-.7	.1	1.6
Luxury new cars ^{1 4}	110.3	111.7	2.8	1.3	-.2	.2	1.3
New trucks ⁵	120.6	122.2	5.2	1.3	.8	.7	.1
New motorcycles ^{1 4}	115.1	115.4	1.4	.3	.3	.3	.3
Used cars	118.1	117.9	-1.3	-.2	.3	.1	-.3
Motor fuel	112.2	119.2	33.8	6.2	7.8	9.7	7.7
Gasoline	112.1	119.0	33.7	6.2	7.7	9.5	7.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	123.5	127.9	37.2	3.6	12.2	10.7	4.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	110.2	117.4	35.4	6.5	7.9	10.8	8.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	113.1	119.8	29.7	5.9	6.4	8.8	6.6
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹	131.7	132.4	4.5	.5	.3	.8	.5
Body work ¹	138.2	138.3	3.8	.1	.0	.4	.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	135.6	137.0	5.6	1.0	.4	.4	1.0
Maintenance and servicing ¹	126.0	126.1	3.2	.1	-.2	1.7	.1
Power plant repair ¹	132.1	133.1	5.0	.8	.7	.2	.8
Other private transportation	140.3	142.1	5.3	1.3	.4	.8	.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹	101.8	101.7	.2	-.1	.4	.1	-.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	110.4	111.0	2.1	.5	-.4	.6	.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.5	100.3	.1	-.2	.5	.1	-.2
Tires ¹	96.5	97.4	-1.2	.9	.9	.0	.9
Other parts and equipment ¹	108.7	107.4	1.1	-1.2	.2	.1	-1.2
Other private transportation services	149.2	151.5	6.3	1.5	.4	.9	.5
Automobile insurance	177.8	181.0	7.4	1.8	.5	1.0	1.0
Automobile finance charges ¹	98.1	99.8	.4	1.7	-1.0	.3	1.7
Automobile fees ¹	151.3	151.8	11.2	.3	.5	.4	.3
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	155.1	155.4	17.4	.2	.4	.3	.2
Other automobile-related fees ¹	147.1	147.9	3.6	.5	.4	.5	.5
Public transportation ¹	141.5	143.7	11.1	1.6	.2	1.1	1.6
Airline fares ¹	147.4	151.6	15.6	2.8	.1	1.7	2.8
Other intercity transportation ¹	147.8	147.2	5.7	-.4	.3	1.7	-.4
Intracity public transportation ¹	134.8	135.1	6.2	.2	.4	.1	.2
Medical care	165.5	166.8	9.0	.8	.9	.5	.8
Medical care commodities	164.9	165.8	8.3	.5	.7	.7	.6
Prescription drugs	184.5	185.8	9.9	.7	.5	.4	.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	122.6	122.8	5.3	.2	.8	1.2	.2
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	147.5	147.9	5.5	.3	1.0	1.5	.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	141.8	141.5	4.7	-.2	.1	.5	-.2
Medical care services	165.7	167.0	9.2	.8	.9	.5	.9
Professional medical services	158.5	159.2	6.8	.4	.8	.3	.5
Physicians' services	163.4	164.3	7.5	.6	.8	.4	.6
Dental services ¹	157.4	158.1	6.6	.4	.4	.2	.4
Eye care ^{1 4}	119.0	119.0	5.0	.0	1.0	.5	.0
Services by other medical professionals ^{1 4}	121.8	122.0	5.1	.2	.7	.1	.2
Hospital and related services	179.7	181.8	10.4	1.2	1.2	.6	1.1
Hospital rooms	174.8	176.1	9.5	.7	1.1	.7	.5
Other inpatient services ^{1 4}	145.6	147.9	11.0	1.6	1.6	.6	1.6
Outpatient services ^{1 4}	141.4	143.5	11.2	1.5	1.2	.3	1.5

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 Oct. 1990 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Entertainment ¹	132.9	133.1	4.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.2
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.5	124.9	3.0	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Reading materials ¹	136.9	137.6	4.7	.5	.0	.4	.5
Newspapers ¹	135.7	136.9	4.7	.9	.0	.9	.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	138.6	138.8	4.7	.1	.0	-.1	.1
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	117.0	117.4	2.5	.3	1.0	-1.0	.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	118.5	118.7	1.4	.2	1.9	-1.8	.2
Other sporting goods ¹	112.4	112.9	4.1	.4	-.3	.3	.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	122.2	122.4	2.2	.2	.2	.1	.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	117.8	118.1	1.4	.3	.2	-.1	.3
Photographic supplies and equipment	130.0	129.4	1.2	-.5	.4	.9	-.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	125.9	126.3	3.5	.3	.5	-.1	.3
Entertainment services ¹	145.4	145.5	5.7	.1	.2	1.4	.1
Club memberships ^{1, 4}	119.8	119.7	4.9	-.1	.7	.2	-.1
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ^{1, 4}	126.7	128.5	6.2	1.4	-.1	2.8	1.4
Admissions ¹	155.0	152.8	5.9	-1.4	.3	1.6	-1.4
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1, 4}	124.0	125.5	6.3	1.2	.0	1.1	1.2
Other entertainment services ^{1, 4}	115.1	115.7	5.5	.5	.1	1.1	.5
Other goods and services	162.4	162.8	7.5	.2	.6	-.1	.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.5	185.7	10.1	.1	.1	.0	.1
Personal care ¹	131.1	131.5	4.1	.3	.2	.5	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.8	129.4	3.9	.5	.0	.5	.5
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	130.4	130.5	4.6	.1	-.6	.8	.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	128.0	128.9	3.5	.7	.4	.2	.7
Personal care services ¹	133.7	134.0	4.5	.2	.3	.4	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	134.3	134.4	4.9	.1	.4	.5	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	131.2	132.0	3.3	.6	.4	.0	.6
Personal and educational expenses	173.5	174.2	7.2	.4	.9	-.4	.8
School books and supplies	172.9	173.8	6.8	.5	.5	-1.0	.6
Personal and educational services	173.9	174.6	7.3	.4	1.0	-.4	.8
Tuition and other school fees	181.5	182.3	7.7	.4	1.5	-.7	.7
College tuition	182.8	183.5	8.5	.4	2.0	-.3	.7
Elementary and high school tuition	189.6	190.8	8.2	.6	1.9	-1.4	.5
Personal expenses ¹	159.0	159.6	6.5	.4	.3	.4	.4
Legal service fees ^{1, 4}	121.4	121.6	5.2	.2	.0	.3	.2
Personal financial services ^{1, 4}	125.7	126.3	7.9	.5	.2	.3	.5
Funeral expenses ^{1, 4}	121.7	122.2	7.3	.4	.7	.5	.4
Special indexes							
Domestically produced farm food ¹	133.8	134.3	6.9	.4	.3	.1	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹	126.5	127.1	8.1	.5	-.3	.4	.5
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	112.2	119.1	33.2	6.1	7.9	9.3	7.5
Utilities and public transportation	122.2	120.8	3.9	-1.1	.7	.6	.7
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	123.5	124.1	4.3	.5	-.1	1.1	.5

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

⁶ 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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Food and beverages	132.9	133.3	11.2	3.1	4.7	3.7	7.1	4.2
Food	133.1	133.6	11.5	2.8	5.0	3.7	7.1	4.3
Food at home	132.8	133.3	16.6	.6	5.0	4.0	8.3	4.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	141.5	141.8	5.1	6.0	4.7	4.0	5.6	4.4
Cereals and cereal products	141.9	142.3	3.3	5.7	5.9	3.2	4.5	4.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes	125.0	124.6	6.7	.0	6.6	-4.4	3.3	1.0
Cereal ¹	160.5	160.4	3.2	8.6	9.0	1.3	5.9	5.0
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	123.9	122.9	8.0	2.3	2.6	.3	5.1	1.5
Bakery products ¹	140.8	141.4	5.8	6.6	2.6	6.2	6.2	4.4
White bread ¹	137.1	138.0	8.5	4.5	.9	5.7	6.5	3.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	138.6	140.0	11.4	-.6	6.4	9.1	5.2	7.7
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	143.9	144.1	.9	10.2	-.8	8.5	5.4	3.7
Other bakery products	143.9	144.0	2.4	10.3	2.3	6.7	6.2	4.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.0	132.1	14.1	8.5	5.4	5.6	11.3	5.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.0	132.7	10.2	11.0	10.0	4.0	10.6	7.0
Meats	130.2	131.4	16.2	13.0	12.6	4.7	14.6	8.6
Beef and veal ¹	129.6	130.3	16.2	12.1	3.2	3.1	14.1	3.1
Ground beef other than canned ¹	118.8	118.8	20.7	11.9	-1.3	2.0	16.2	.3
Chuck roast ¹	130.4	133.6	29.6	14.8	-2.7	14.3	22.0	5.5
Round roast ¹	121.4	122.6	12.2	10.4	-5.7	6.4	11.3	.2
Round steak ¹	123.0	125.2	21.2	4.3	.6	.0	12.4	.3
Sirloin steak	132.7	135.7	13.9	2.1	-7.3	19.5	7.8	5.2
Other beef and veal ¹	142.9	143.8	9.8	13.1	10.2	4.6	11.4	7.3
Pork	132.4	135.2	21.2	17.8	30.6	6.5	19.5	17.9
Bacon	115.2	117.0	50.5	9.9	37.0	2.4	28.6	18.5
Chops	141.6	145.6	21.1	22.1	17.3	7.5	21.6	12.3
Ham	137.6	138.4	9.6	21.0	38.6	9.5	15.2	23.2
Other pork, including sausage	132.4	134.2	18.0	23.4	26.6	4.9	20.7	15.3
Other meats ¹	129.5	129.6	9.8	9.2	11.8	7.1	9.5	9.4
Poultry ¹	134.2	133.3	-7.7	11.4	10.7	-5.2	1.4	2.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹	136.3	133.8	-8.9	10.8	10.2	-11.6	.4	-1.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	138.5	137.6	-10.4	17.8	14.7	-5.3	2.7	4.2
Other poultry ¹	123.2	125.7	1.6	-2.3	1.3	10.5	-.3	5.8
Fish and seafood	149.1	149.3	3.0	-3.2	-4.3	13.0	-.1	4.0
Canned fish and seafood ¹	119.8	119.6	-10.0	-.3	-3.3	2.0	-5.3	-.7
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	165.1	165.7	7.2	-5.0	-2.9	15.3	.9	5.8
Eggs	115.6	121.8	81.7	-19.2	-47.3	40.9	21.1	-13.8
Dairy products ¹	127.6	128.5	28.8	-1.9	1.3	9.9	12.4	5.5
Fresh milk and cream	128.5	129.5	33.7	-3.1	5.9	9.5	13.8	7.7
Fresh whole milk	129.0	129.6	35.2	-1.9	6.9	9.1	15.2	8.0
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	127.3	128.0	38.0	-5.0	.3	8.9	14.5	4.5
Processed dairy products ¹	128.3	128.9	16.2	1.0	3.6	8.1	8.3	5.8
Cheese ¹	133.5	133.9	20.7	1.3	5.4	11.2	10.6	8.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	127.6	128.4	12.1	5.2	.3	6.8	8.6	3.5
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	112.3	113.2	8.5	-5.8	1.1	.4	1.1	.7

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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Fruits and vegetables	146.4	145.8	47.1	-15.5	4.5	-4.8	11.4	-0.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	155.4	154.4	90.0	-35.3	5.0	-7.2	10.8	-1.3
Fresh fruits	163.8	160.4	59.1	-6.3	6.2	-26.3	22.1	-11.5
Apples	153.0	157.2	-2.5	1.4	14.1	38.5	-6	25.7
Bananas	145.5	135.2	1.8	-9.5	123.8	-49.8	-4.0	6.0
Oranges, including tangerines	150.1	135.8	65.9	14.8	-31.7	-41.4	38.0	-36.7
Other fresh fruits	181.2	177.6	92.7	-7.8	-6	-29.8	33.3	-16.5
Fresh vegetables	145.1	151.2	94.4	-53.7	10.7	24.6	-5.1	17.5
Potatoes	153.2	152.8	20.6	90.3	-54.9	-2.8	51.5	-33.8
Lettuce ¹	171.0	191.7	-17.7	-34.5	11.9	243.6	-26.6	96.1
Tomatoes ¹	120.8	132.1	1328.1	-94.7	20.7	37.9	-13.3	29.0
Other fresh vegetables	140.4	144.2	91.4	-56.3	18.0	17.5	-8.6	17.7
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.7	134.6	-2.5	26.5	4.3	.3	11.1	2.3
Processed fruits	140.4	140.7	-7.6	46.7	7.8	.6	16.4	4.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	145.4	145.2	-10.1	60.8	8.7	.6	20.2	4.6
Canned and dried fruits	121.3	121.8	2.0	-1.6	4.7	1.3	.2	3.0
Processed vegetables ¹	129.2	128.2	2.3	5.5	3.8	-1.2	3.9	1.3
Frozen vegetables ¹	128.2	128.5	3.9	3.5	4.2	1.3	3.7	2.7
Other processed vegetables ¹	130.2	128.7	1.6	6.5	3.5	-2.1	4.0	.6
Other food at home	124.7	125.2	2.7	1.7	7.1	5.3	2.2	6.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	125.8	126.5	3.7	4.0	3.9	5.2	3.8	4.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	119.7	119.1	6.0	3.1	1.4	.7	4.5	1.0
Sweets, including candy ¹	128.3	129.5	2.9	4.6	4.9	7.1	3.8	6.0
Fats and oils ¹	128.1	128.0	6.4	2.3	7.6	5.2	4.3	6.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	115.2	115.7	-.4	-1.4	12.0	2.8	-.9	7.3
Carbonated drinks	113.2	114.3	4.0	-1.8	9.7	2.8	1.1	6.2
Coffee ¹	119.2	118.6	-7.6	-3.8	19.1	-3.0	-5.7	7.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	126.6	126.1	4.7	7.4	7.6	.3	6.1	3.9
Other prepared food	132.3	132.9	4.2	3.2	4.4	6.9	3.7	5.6
Canned and packaged soup	137.3	138.3	10.8	2.7	6.1	4.5	6.7	5.3
Frozen prepared food ¹	132.5	132.2	-2.4	-3.3	6.0	5.3	-2.9	5.7
Snacks	130.5	131.8	4.2	2.8	-.9	9.6	3.5	4.2
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices ¹	132.0	132.6	2.9	8.5	1.2	11.6	5.7	6.3
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	132.8	133.6	7.2	6.7	5.6	3.7	6.9	4.6
Food away from home ¹	134.5	134.8	3.8	6.6	4.3	3.3	5.2	3.8
Lunch ¹	134.8	135.3	4.4	6.3	4.3	3.9	5.3	4.1
Dinner ¹	133.4	133.7	3.5	6.3	3.7	3.0	4.9	3.4
Other meals and snacks ¹	135.6	136.1	2.8	8.2	5.2	3.9	5.5	4.6
Alcoholic beverages ¹	130.4	130.6	3.9	6.8	4.8	3.4	5.4	4.1
Alcoholic beverages at home ¹	124.1	124.3	3.4	7.5	4.7	2.3	5.5	3.5
Beer and ale	125.1	125.0	6.5	4.0	4.7	4.3	5.3	4.5
Wine ¹	114.2	114.9	-.7	6.2	3.6	2.5	2.7	3.0
Distilled spirits ¹	127.4	127.7	2.3	5.0	8.0	5.2	3.7	6.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	145.7	145.8	4.4	5.8	5.2	4.5	5.1	4.8

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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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Housing	127.7	128.2	6.0	2.6	4.6	6.2	4.3	5.4
Shelter	138.5	138.7	5.6	4.3	7.9	4.1	4.9	6.0
Renters' costs ²	131.4	131.9	6.9	3.8	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.9
Rent, residential	139.4	139.7	3.9	4.5	4.8	4.1	4.2	4.4
Other renters' costs	157.5	159.0	21.2	.3	13.2	13.0	10.2	13.1
Lodging while out of town	156.1	157.3	23.9	.3	14.9	12.3	11.5	13.6
Lodging while at school ³	161.2	161.9	3.7	6.4	9.3	5.4	5.0	7.3
Tenants' insurance ¹	129.7	129.8	1.6	.6	1.6	.3	1.1	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	133.8	133.9	4.8	4.8	8.6	3.7	4.8	6.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	134.0	134.1	4.8	4.7	8.9	3.7	4.8	6.2
Household insurance ^{1 2}	124.2	124.3	1.0	.7	3.0	1.3	.8	2.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	124.0	122.3	6.6	2.0	5.1	.7	4.3	2.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹	130.8	129.0	11.0	5.9	2.2	7.8	8.4	5.0
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	114.8	113.3	1.4	-2.8	8.4	-6.8	-7	.5
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 4}	111.8	111.7	9.1	-5.6	9.5	-.7	1.5	4.2
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	111.0	108.4	-3.9	-.7	7.5	-11.3	-2.3	-2.4
Fuel and other utilities	111.7	112.8	12.8	-3.6	-3.2	14.3	4.3	5.2
Fuels	103.2	104.7	18.8	-10.3	-5.4	19.2	3.2	6.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	106.1	118.7	224.9	-58.9	-19.2	295.0	15.6	78.7
Fuel oil	109.6	124.9	204.8	-62.0	-21.2	451.6	7.6	108.5
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 4}	123.9	138.4	194.1	-50.7	-15.3	146.1	20.4	44.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.7	108.0	6.5	-1.8	-4.0	4.2	2.3	.0
Electricity	116.8	117.2	5.0	4.2	-4.0	3.5	4.6	-.3
Utility (piped) gas	96.0	96.0	10.3	-13.7	-3.7	5.2	-2.5	.6
Other utilities and public services ¹	133.4	133.8	5.8	5.7	-.6	8.2	5.7	3.7
Telephone services ¹	118.0	118.6	2.8	2.7	-9.8	11.6	2.8	.3
Local charges ¹	149.8	151.1	6.5	4.7	-12.2	18.2	5.6	1.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	67.4	67.4	-2.8	-.6	-9.0	.0	-1.7	-4.6
Intrastate toll calls ¹	95.4	94.9	-5.7	-.8	1.7	-2.9	-3.3	-.6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	151.3	151.7	8.1	5.0	6.4	5.7	6.6	6.1
Cable television ^{1 5}	163.8	162.4	12.1	15.9	22.7	-.2	14.0	10.6
Refuse collection ⁵	174.5	176.5	8.8	14.2	8.6	10.4	11.4	9.5
Household furnishings and operation	113.0	113.4	.7	2.5	1.8	2.9	1.6	2.3
Housefurnishings ¹	106.0	106.4	.0	1.9	.0	2.3	1.0	1.1
Textile housefurnishings	117.2	118.6	2.8	-1.7	3.5	3.4	.5	3.5
Furniture and bedding ¹	114.6	115.2	-.3	2.8	.3	-2.1	1.2	-.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	117.5	116.8	.0	1.7	-7.1	-5.0	.8	-6.0
Sofas ¹	116.1	117.8	-5.7	-1.7	5.7	2.8	-3.7	4.2
Living room chairs and tables ¹	117.0	117.3	-1.4	5.0	5.0	4.6	1.8	4.8
Other furniture ¹	109.3	111.0	3.7	6.7	3.3	-4.2	5.2	-.5
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	88.3	88.2	-.4	-.4	-1.8	-.9	-.4	-1.3
Video and audio products ¹	80.1	80.2	1.0	-1.0	-5.3	.5	.0	-2.4
Televisions ¹	73.7	73.8	-1.1	-2.7	-7.9	7.4	-1.9	-.5
Video products other than televisions ^{1 6}	90.8	90.4	-5.7	-6.6	-1.3	-8.0	-6.2	-4.7
Audio products ¹	91.9	92.3	6.7	3.0	-5.0	-1.3	4.9	-3.2
Major household appliances ^{1 4}	101.1	101.1	-2.7	2.4	.0	-1.6	-.2	-.8
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	103.2	102.8	-1.9	-3.1	3.6	-1.5	-2.5	1.0
Laundry equipment ¹	107.5	107.7	.0	3.0	-2.6	3.0	1.5	.2
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 4}	97.2	97.4	-5.5	6.3	-.8	-5.2	.2	-3.0
Information processing equipment ^{1 6}	94.6	93.2	-1.3	-3.8	10.4	-5.0	-2.6	2.4

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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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Other housefurnishings ^{1 4}	108.1	108.7	3.9	0.8	2.3	6.9	2.3	4.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	123.7	125.2	-1.3	4.4	4.4	10.9	1.5	7.6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	113.8	115.6	4.4	-5.9	8.6	9.1	-9	8.9
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	116.9	117.2	6.2	7.2	-2.4	5.3	6.7	1.4
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	100.7	101.1	1.2	1.6	4.5	-4	1.4	2.0
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 4}	97.2	96.8	-7.1	-2.5	1.7	2.9	-4.8	2.3
Housekeeping supplies	126.5	126.5	1.0	2.6	5.9	1.9	1.8	3.9
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	130.7	130.5	3.9	3.8	3.8	2.5	3.8	3.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	125.6	125.6	1.3	6.8	8.7	-9	4.0	3.8
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	122.2	121.8	0	-4.2	7.2	7	-2.1	3.9
Housekeeping services ¹	121.4	122.3	2.1	4.1	3.7	6.5	3.1	5.1
Postage ¹	125.4	125.4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	124.9	126.2	7.8	9.4	1.6	-6	8.6	5
Gardening and other household services ^{1 4}	115.1	115.8	7	3.6	7.6	1.7	2.2	4.6
Apparel and upkeep	124.1	123.5	-1.7	23.1	-2.9	.3	10.0	-1.3
Apparel commodities	122.1	121.4	-2.7	24.8	-3.9	-.3	10.2	-2.1
Apparel commodities less footwear	122.5	121.7	-2.4	27.2	-4.1	-1.3	11.4	-2.7
Men's and boys'	120.1	119.6	1.0	7.7	7	0	4.3	.3
Men's	122.7	123.0	3.4	7.9	-1.9	3.0	5.6	.5
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	127.3	126.5	1.6	11.5	0	-.3	6.5	-.2
Furnishings and special clothing	115.8	116.4	7	9.3	-8.2	3.2	4.9	-2.7
Shirts	129.2	129.6	5.9	13.0	-2.1	2.8	9.4	.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	119.9	120.7	2.1	7	1.4	8.0	1.4	4.6
Boys'	110.8	108.9	-5.7	4.9	6.8	-6.0	-.5	.2
Women's and girls'	122.4	121.0	-4.1	36.5	-6.0	-4.5	14.4	-5.2
Women's	121.9	120.8	-7.0	41.8	-5.7	-5.7	14.8	-5.7
Coats and jackets	117.8	116.9	-4.9	42.0	19.1	-.7	16.2	8.7
Dresses	132.8	128.1	-29.0	77.3	-10.7	-11.0	12.2	-10.9
Separates and sportswear	123.1	122.0	1.0	35.5	-8.5	-7.8	17.0	-8.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	118.7	120.0	2.5	6.0	1.7	7.7	4.2	4.7
Suits	123.5	125.0	-16.9	128.7	-5.2	-22.2	37.8	-14.1
Girls'	124.7	121.6	11.8	15.9	-9.3	1.7	13.9	-4.0
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	130.1	128.8	-16.5	64.1	-7.1	-3.0	17.0	-5.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	130.4	132.0	4.3	26.7	-7.4	12.4	15.0	2.0
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 4}	118.2	119.1	11.0	14.6	-.3	10.7	12.8	5.1
Watches and jewelry ^{1 4}	129.2	130.9	3.0	29.3	-8.6	12.5	15.4	1.4
Watches ^{1 4}	111.8	112.6	-4.3	4.2	-2.6	18.2	-.2	7.3
Jewelry ^{1 4}	134.2	136.2	4.9	36.1	-10.2	11.6	19.5	.1
Footwear	119.3	119.1	-3.7	12.0	-1.0	3.8	3.8	1.4
Men's ¹	124.4	125.4	4.3	10.5	-2.2	.3	7.4	-1.0
Boys' and girls' ¹	121.7	122.9	-8.7	8.4	2.4	8.9	-.5	5.6
Women's	112.7	112.7	-11.4	15.4	-5.0	12.2	1.1	3.3
Apparel services	138.6	138.8	8.3	7.5	6.7	7.9	7.9	7.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	140.0	140.4	4.9	5.2	8.2	4.7	5.0	6.4
Other apparel services ¹	137.3	138.2	11.5	9.9	3.7	12.1	10.7	7.8

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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					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Transportation	122.9	125.6	10.2	0.3	1.7	30.1	5.1	15.0
Private	121.8	124.6	10.3	-.7	1.7	31.3	4.6	15.6
New vehicles	121.0	121.6	9.4	-1.0	-1.3	2.7	4.1	.7
New cars	120.0	120.4	10.9	-2.9	-2.0	1.0	3.7	-.5
Subcompact new cars ^{1 4}	102.5	103.6	11.8	-5.9	-3.4	2.0	2.5	-.8
Compact new cars ^{1 4}	102.3	103.7	11.9	-6.3	-.4	2.0	2.4	.8
Intermediate new cars ^{1 4}	102.9	104.4	13.9	-4.4	-3.7	.8	4.3	-1.5
Full-size new cars ^{1 4}	107.0	108.7	19.1	-3.9	-3.6	3.8	7.0	.0
Luxury new cars ^{1 4}	110.3	111.7	14.7	-2.8	-4.9	5.2	5.6	.0
New trucks ⁵	122.7	122.8	8.8	7.2	-2.0	6.8	8.0	2.3
New motorcycles ^{1 4}	115.1	115.4	3.2	-1.7	.7	3.5	.7	2.1
Used cars	117.9	117.6	.3	-9.7	4.2	.3	-4.8	2.2
Motor fuel	110.0	118.5	25.1	-4.2	1.3	163.6	9.5	63.4
Gasoline	109.7	118.3	21.9	-1.3	1.3	161.8	9.7	62.9
Gasoline, leaded regular	120.8	126.6	25.5	1.6	-3.6	187.8	13.0	66.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	108.0	116.9	20.9	-3.5	2.7	179.6	8.0	69.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	111.5	118.9	20.1	-1.7	2.5	132.4	8.7	54.4
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹	131.7	132.4	1.9	7.4	2.2	6.6	4.6	4.4
Body work ¹	138.2	138.3	1.8	7.7	3.6	2.1	4.7	2.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	135.6	137.0	2.2	7.2	5.5	7.6	4.7	6.6
Maintenance and servicing ¹	126.0	126.1	1.0	6.7	-1.0	6.3	3.8	2.6
Power plant repair ¹	132.1	133.1	3.2	7.7	2.2	6.9	5.4	4.5
Other private transportation	141.5	142.0	7.6	3.5	3.8	6.1	5.6	5.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹	101.8	101.7	-.4	.0	-.4	1.6	-.2	.6
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	110.4	111.0	-.4	6.4	-.7	3.3	3.0	1.3
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.5	100.3	.0	-.8	-.4	1.6	-.4	.6
Tires ¹	96.5	97.4	-4.4	-.4	-7.2	7.7	-2.4	.0
Other parts and equipment ¹	108.7	107.4	3.4	-.4	5.3	-3.6	1.5	.7
Other private transportation services	150.7	151.4	9.3	4.5	4.4	7.2	6.9	5.8
Automobile insurance	178.9	180.7	9.1	6.9	3.5	10.4	8.0	6.9
Automobile finance charges ¹	98.1	99.8	14.8	-11.5	-3.9	4.1	.8	.0
Automobile fees ¹	151.3	151.8	15.5	6.1	19.1	4.9	10.7	11.7
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	155.1	155.4	24.3	1.4	45.2	3.7	12.3	22.7
Other automobile-related fees ¹	147.1	147.9	5.4	12.7	-8.6	6.2	9.0	-1.5
Public transportation ¹	141.5	143.7	11.3	17.6	3.8	12.0	14.4	7.8
Airline fares ¹	147.4	151.6	11.8	30.2	2.5	19.8	20.6	10.8
Other intercity transportation ¹	147.8	147.2	5.3	4.3	6.6	6.5	4.8	6.6
Intracity public transportation ¹	134.8	135.1	12.2	5.3	4.6	3.0	8.7	3.8
Medical care	165.6	167.0	8.6	8.7	9.1	9.6	8.7	9.4
Medical care commodities	164.9	165.9	7.5	9.5	7.5	8.4	8.5	7.9
Prescription drugs	184.5	186.0	9.3	13.6	9.3	7.4	11.4	8.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	122.6	122.8	2.4	7.7	2.0	9.3	5.0	5.6
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	147.5	147.9	2.9	6.1	1.4	11.9	4.5	6.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	141.8	141.5	.6	13.0	4.4	1.4	6.6	2.9
Medical care services	165.7	167.2	8.6	8.7	9.6	9.9	8.7	9.8
Professional medical services	158.5	159.3	7.2	5.9	7.7	6.3	6.5	7.0
Physicians' services	163.6	164.6	6.1	8.2	8.1	7.4	7.2	7.7
Dental services ¹	157.4	158.1	8.9	5.7	7.8	4.2	7.3	5.9
Eye care ^{1 4}	119.0	119.0	2.1	6.1	5.7	6.3	4.1	6.0
Services by other medical professionals ^{1 4}	121.8	122.0	5.3	7.0	4.4	3.7	6.1	4.1
Hospital and related services	179.7	181.6	8.8	10.1	10.6	12.1	9.5	11.3
Hospital rooms	174.8	175.7	10.6	8.5	8.9	9.9	9.6	9.4
Other inpatient services ^{1 4}	145.6	147.9	6.1	10.4	11.7	16.0	8.3	13.9
Outpatient services ^{1 4}	141.4	143.5	12.3	10.3	9.4	12.6	11.3	11.0

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1990	Apr. 1990	July 1990	Oct. 1990	Apr. 1990	Oct. 1990
Entertainment ¹	132.9	133.1	4.5	4.7	3.4	4.3	4.6	3.9
Entertainment commodities ¹	124.5	124.9	3.3	3.6	2.6	2.3	3.5	2.4
Reading materials ¹	136.9	137.6	7.8	3.3	3.9	3.9	5.6	3.9
Newspapers ¹	135.7	136.9	7.2	1.5	3.0	7.3	4.3	5.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	138.6	138.8	8.4	5.4	4.8	.3	6.9	2.5
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	117.0	117.4	5.0	3.1	.7	1.4	4.1	1.0
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	118.5	118.7	3.5	1.7	-.7	1.0	2.6	.2
Other sporting goods ¹	112.4	112.9	7.2	4.8	2.5	1.8	6.0	2.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	122.2	122.4	-.3	3.7	3.4	2.0	1.7	2.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	117.8	118.1	-3.7	6.8	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	130.0	129.5	3.2	.9	-3.1	3.5	2.0	.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	125.9	126.3	3.7	.0	7.7	2.9	1.8	5.3
Entertainment services ¹	145.4	145.5	5.9	5.9	4.3	6.9	5.9	5.6
Club memberships ^{1, 4}	119.8	119.7	8.7	6.0	2.0	3.1	7.3	2.6
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ^{1, 4}	126.7	128.5	5.4	4.6	-1.9	17.6	5.0	7.4
Admissions ¹	155.0	152.8	7.4	8.4	6.0	1.9	7.9	3.9
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1, 4}	124.0	125.5	7.7	5.8	2.0	9.8	6.7	5.8
Other entertainment services ^{1, 4}	115.1	115.7	3.7	4.0	7.3	6.8	3.9	7.1
Other goods and services	161.4	162.2	7.9	7.2	11.5	3.8	7.6	7.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	185.5	185.7	12.9	3.5	25.1	.6	8.1	12.2
Personal care ¹	131.1	131.5	3.2	8.8	.9	3.7	5.9	2.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	128.8	129.4	1.0	11.0	.0	3.8	5.9	1.9
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	130.4	130.5	3.2	13.3	1.2	.9	8.2	1.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	128.0	128.9	.0	9.3	-.6	5.5	4.5	2.4
Personal care services ¹	133.7	134.0	6.1	6.3	2.1	3.7	6.2	2.9
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	134.3	134.4	6.4	6.6	2.8	4.0	6.5	3.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	131.2	132.0	5.4	4.1	-.3	4.0	4.7	1.8
Personal and educational expenses	170.9	172.2	6.9	9.1	7.6	5.3	8.0	6.5
School books and supplies	171.0	172.0	11.7	7.4	7.8	.5	9.5	4.1
Personal and educational services	171.1	172.5	6.6	9.4	7.4	5.8	8.0	6.6
Tuition and other school fees	177.6	178.8	7.7	7.8	9.9	5.8	7.7	7.8
College tuition	178.8	180.1	6.4	7.3	10.7	9.9	6.9	10.3
Elementary and high school tuition	184.1	185.0	7.9	8.8	12.5	3.8	8.4	8.0
Personal expenses ¹	159.0	159.6	6.6	10.4	5.0	4.4	8.4	4.7
Legal service fees ^{1, 4}	121.4	121.6	6.0	13.6	-.3	2.0	9.7	.8
Personal financial services ^{1, 4}	125.7	126.3	3.8	10.2	13.9	3.9	6.9	8.8
Funeral expenses ^{1, 4}	121.7	122.2	9.4	8.5	4.8	6.5	9.0	5.6
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food ¹	133.8	134.3	20.5	.3	4.9	3.0	9.9	4.0
Selected beef cuts ¹	126.5	127.1	19.3	11.5	.3	2.2	15.3	1.3
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	110.0	118.3	25.0	-2.9	.0	159.6	10.2	61.1
Utilities and public transportation	120.4	121.2	6.0	4.1	-2.0	8.0	5.0	2.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	123.5	124.1	3.1	4.1	3.7	6.4	3.6	5.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

⁶ 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 schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1990 from—		
		July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Sept. 1989	July 1990	Aug. 1990
U.S. city average	M	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	6.3	1.4	0.6	6.2	1.8	0.8
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	136.0	137.4	138.6	139.4	6.7	1.5	.6	6.6	1.9	.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	136.7	138.0	139.1	139.9	6.7	1.4	.6	6.5	1.8	.8
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	135.2	137.2	137.8	138.8	6.8	1.2	.7	6.9	1.9	.4
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	133.9	134.6	137.3	137.8	6.9	2.4	.4	7.2	2.5	2.0
North Central urban	M	126.9	128.4	129.4	130.0	5.7	1.2	.5	5.6	2.0	.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	128.6	129.9	130.7	131.1	5.5	.9	.3	5.3	1.6	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	125.8	127.6	128.3	129.1	5.4	1.2	.6	6.0	2.0	.5
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	126.2	127.8	129.9	130.8	6.4	2.3	.7	6.3	2.9	1.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	122.6	124.1	125.0	125.8	6.4	1.4	.6	6.1	2.0	.7
South urban	M	127.8	128.7	129.7	130.7	6.3	1.6	.8	5.9	1.5	.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	128.6	129.0	130.2	131.5	6.1	1.9	1.0	5.4	1.2	.9
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	128.6	129.8	130.7	131.9	5.9	1.6	.9	5.5	1.6	.7
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	126.0	127.6	128.5	129.3	6.2	1.3	.6	6.3	2.0	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	128.0	128.5	128.8	129.0	6.9	.4	.2	7.2	.6	.2
West urban	M	131.3	132.2	133.5	134.3	6.5	1.6	.6	6.3	1.7	1.0
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	133.1	133.9	135.3	136.0	6.4	1.6	.5	6.1	1.7	1.0
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	128.8	130.0	131.4	132.1	6.8	1.6	.5	7.0	2.0	1.1
Size classes											
A ³	M	118.7	119.6	120.6	121.3	6.2	1.4	.6	6.0	1.6	.8
B	M	129.6	130.8	131.7	132.8	6.1	1.5	.8	6.0	1.6	.7
C	M	128.0	129.4	131.0	131.7	6.5	1.8	.5	6.6	2.3	1.2
D	M	127.2	128.2	129.1	129.6	6.8	1.1	.4	6.9	1.5	.7

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 schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1990 from—		
		July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Sept. 1989	July 1990	Aug. 1990
Selected local areas											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	132.0	133.2	133.8	133.3	5.1	0.1	-0.4	5.3	1.4	0.5
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	135.6	136.3	137.7	138.7	6.7	1.8	.7	5.8	1.5	1.0
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	138.4	140.0	140.8	141.6	6.6	1.1	.6	6.5	1.7	.6
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	136.3	137.3	138.2	138.8	6.4	1.1	.4	6.1	1.4	.7
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	132.3	133.1	134.0	134.6	5.6	1.1	.4	5.7	1.3	.7
Baltimore, MD	1	130.2	-	132.9	-	-	-	-	5.6	2.1	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	138.0	-	141.7	-	-	-	-	7.2	2.7	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	128.8	-	131.1	-	-	-	-	6.0	1.8	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	128.7	-	130.1	-	-	-	-	5.9	1.1	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	128.0	-	129.9	-	-	-	-	4.8	1.5	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	135.7	-	138.0	-	-	-	-	6.1	1.7	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	-	126.0	-	129.5	6.7	2.8	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	-	129.4	-	131.8	5.8	1.9	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	121.5	-	124.0	7.2	2.1	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	-	127.1	-	129.6	6.5	2.0	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

³ 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,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	139.4	6.7	0.6	130.0	5.7	0.5	130.7	6.3	0.8	134.3	6.5	0.6
All items (December 1977=100)	219.6	-	-	211.6	-	-	212.0	-	-	217.1	-	-
Food and beverages	137.0	5.3	.2	130.4	5.8	.1	132.6	5.8	.5	133.1	5.5	.4
Food	136.9	5.3	.2	130.8	5.9	.1	133.2	6.0	.5	133.2	5.5	.5
Food at home	136.3	6.4	.1	131.3	6.4	.0	132.1	6.4	.5	133.7	6.2	.7
Cereals and bakery products	144.2	5.8	-.1	141.7	5.6	.4	138.6	4.6	.2	143.0	4.0	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.7	7.9	.5	131.8	9.2	.4	129.5	8.5	.9	131.4	7.2	-.3
Dairy products	125.5	7.4	.6	129.7	8.1	-.2	131.6	9.3	.9	127.6	10.4	1.8
Fruits and vegetables	146.8	6.2	-.6	137.1	5.3	-.9	144.2	4.7	-.8	150.2	5.8	1.1
Other food at home	129.3	4.4	.5	123.0	3.5	.1	124.9	4.3	.6	124.0	4.5	1.3
Sugar and sweets	128.9	3.5	.4	125.0	4.7	.6	125.2	4.9	.3	128.7	4.5	1.5
Fats and oils	131.0	4.3	-1.4	125.4	5.9	.0	127.3	5.4	1.1	128.9	5.7	-.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	122.9	3.7	.3	113.8	2.2	.7	112.7	2.5	1.1	110.9	4.0	1.7
Other prepared food	135.1	5.3	1.0	129.7	3.6	-.6	135.4	5.4	.4	132.5	4.4	1.3
Food away from home	139.8	3.6	.3	130.2	4.9	.2	136.4	5.2	.4	132.9	4.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	137.9	4.5	.4	127.2	4.3	.2	126.2	4.6	.1	133.0	5.2	-.1
Housing	140.7	6.0	.1	125.5	4.1	-.4	123.5	4.3	.2	133.3	5.4	.2
Shelter	160.4	6.1	.0	137.5	5.2	.4	128.5	5.1	.2	142.7	6.3	-.1
Renters' costs ²	163.6	8.2	-.1	140.2	3.1	.1	136.6	5.9	.7	151.9	7.1	-.7
Rent, residential	152.9	4.1	.3	134.3	4.1	.5	127.8	4.4	.2	143.8	4.6	.3
Other renters' costs	172.9	20.5	-.9	142.4	1.0	-.9	155.1	9.8	1.9	155.6	18.9	-4.1
Homeowners' costs ²	167.7	5.2	.1	141.1	5.9	.5	130.1	4.7	-.1	150.9	5.8	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	168.6	5.2	.1	141.3	6.0	.5	129.8	4.8	.0	151.0	6.0	.1
Maintenance and repairs	134.4	4.0	-2.5	119.1	6.1	-.8	118.8	2.8	-.8	116.1	3.7	1.0
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	126.3	9.7	.2	121.0	5.9	.2	NA	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities	119.0	.0	-.8	112.5	2.4	-2.0	114.6	-2.4	-2.6	117.3	2.0	1.1
Fuel and other utilities	110.3	9.3	.6	108.6	2.5	-3.2	119.2	4.6	-.1	118.2	3.1	.8
Fuels	105.6	12.8	.3	97.0	-.8	-5.3	111.8	5.3	-.5	117.2	3.1	1.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	119.1	47.4	13.4	113.5	45.0	13.4	119.2	40.2	13.5	116.0	25.3	14.3
Fuel oil	119.7	49.8	13.8	119.9	49.9	14.4	119.8	50.9	14.5	140.7	41.5	18.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	142.0	33.6	11.4	138.0	39.1	12.0	140.4	31.7	12.6	124.8	17.3	12.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.9	3.1	-4.1	100.1	-2.7	-6.3	112.7	2.9	-1.6	119.1	2.3	1.1
Electricity	117.2	5.6	-4.5	110.5	-2.7	-12.6	115.3	2.7	-2.1	128.6	4.0	1.4
Utility (piped) gas	93.3	-1.8	-3.2	90.4	-2.7	3.8	104.3	3.6	.6	110.5	-.8	.6
Other utilities and public services	134.6	3.8	1.2	136.1	7.3	-.4	135.8	3.8	.4	126.0	3.2	.1
Household furnishings and operation	113.8	2.1	.0	113.0	1.6	-.1	115.0	1.5	.8	115.2	3.2	.6
Housefurnishings	104.7	1.1	.2	105.3	1.0	-.6	110.6	.3	.8	108.8	2.9	1.4
Housekeeping supplies	126.8	2.8	-1.2	129.0	3.0	1.1	119.8	1.4	-.1	128.4	4.2	-1.4
Housekeeping services	125.2	3.8	.6	118.8	2.1	.3	123.2	5.7	1.2	119.8	3.0	.1
Apparel and upkeep	127.4	6.3	.7	127.4	2.6	1.8	134.7	4.0	1.1	122.3	5.5	1.6
Apparel commodities	124.8	6.1	.7	126.7	2.5	1.8	132.6	3.6	1.1	119.7	5.6	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	121.1	3.9	1.6	121.0	-.7	.7	129.9	3.2	2.0	121.5	4.7	1.6
Women's and girls' apparel	127.7	8.9	.2	130.6	3.2	2.8	137.6	1.5	.7	115.1	5.1	1.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	128.5	8.0	-1.2	146.5	11.2	-.1	123.4	-2.9	-.6	110.3	16.7	-1.3
Footwear	119.9	-.3	2.0	124.0	3.7	2.0	122.7	3.1	1.1	113.4	4.0	1.0
Other apparel commodities	136.6	8.8	-.2	120.4	3.0	.8	136.6	15.3	1.5	140.8	7.3	4.0
Apparel services	145.8	9.2	.8	127.5	4.1	.6	145.4	9.2	.3	137.8	5.7	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Regions,¹ 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—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
Expenditure category												
Transportation	125.8	9.3	2.6	124.6	9.8	2.3	125.4	10.7	2.3	127.5	9.6	1.8
Private transportation	123.3	9.0	2.7	123.4	9.6	2.3	124.8	10.6	2.4	125.3	9.1	1.8
New vehicles	119.4	1.7	2.0	119.3	1.6	1.1	124.4	2.6	1.3	120.6	2.5	.8
New cars	118.9	1.5	2.1	117.8	.9	1.0	124.2	2.1	1.1	120.8	1.8	.8
Used cars	117.2	-1.1	-1	116.5	-1.9	-2	119.9	-1.2	-2	118.1	-1.3	-2
Motor fuel	118.9	34.5	7.5	121.8	32.5	5.6	118.0	33.6	6.9	116.5	34.8	5.0
Gasoline	118.9	34.5	7.5	121.6	32.6	5.5	117.5	32.9	6.6	116.3	35.2	5.0
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	129.9	35.3	3.3	124.3	33.8	3.4	118.6	37.6	4.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.9	37.1	8.1	119.8	33.7	5.8	115.3	34.9	7.2	115.2	36.8	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.6	30.3	6.6	125.8	28.2	5.3	119.4	29.8	6.6	115.3	29.4	4.2
Maintenance and repairs	141.2	5.4	-4	122.7	2.7	.7	130.7	4.0	.8	134.1	4.9	.7
Other private transportation	140.2	4.1	1.3	139.0	5.0	1.7	151.2	9.6	1.1	148.9	2.8	1.0
Other private transportation commodities	102.6	1.1	.0	101.3	.4	.0	102.3	.0	.0	101.2	-3	-5
Other private transportation services	147.4	4.5	1.6	146.8	5.8	2.0	164.6	11.4	1.3	159.3	3.4	1.3
Public transportation	145.6	11.9	1.6	144.8	11.4	2.0	137.4	10.6	1.6	156.0	14.5	1.9
Medical care	173.5	9.3	.7	161.4	8.6	.7	165.8	9.6	.9	168.6	10.3	.9
Medical care commodities	167.7	9.7	.7	166.1	7.2	.8	165.0	7.7	.1	169.9	8.9	.7
Medical care services	174.8	9.3	.7	160.5	9.0	.7	166.0	10.0	1.0	168.4	10.6	1.0
Professional medical services	166.6	6.1	.3	153.3	6.0	.1	160.4	7.7	.8	154.8	7.4	.5
Entertainment	137.4	4.6	.4	133.5	4.7	.2	130.8	3.8	.4	135.6	5.3	-2
Entertainment commodities	123.9	2.7	.6	126.6	3.9	.6	122.3	2.7	.3	128.1	4.4	-2
Entertainment services	152.9	6.4	.5	142.3	5.5	-3	142.0	4.9	.4	145.4	6.1	-2
Other goods and services	171.1	9.2	.0	159.0	6.6	.3	159.9	6.7	.5	162.5	7.5	.6
Tobacco and smoking products	188.9	14.1	.0	183.7	8.4	.1	178.5	9.6	.2	198.1	8.2	.1
Personal care	139.6	5.0	-2	124.0	3.2	.8	128.5	3.3	.3	135.7	5.3	.4
Personal and educational expenses	182.3	8.7	.2	171.7	6.9	.2	176.1	6.7	.7	175.0	8.1	.9
Commodity and service group												
All items	139.4	6.7	.6	130.0	5.7	.5	130.7	6.3	.8	134.3	6.5	.6
Commodities	127.4	7.5	1.4	125.2	6.5	1.0	126.3	6.4	1.3	125.4	6.9	1.0
Food and beverages	137.0	5.3	.2	130.4	5.8	.1	132.6	5.8	.5	133.1	5.5	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	120.8	9.1	2.1	122.0	6.8	1.6	122.4	6.7	1.7	120.5	7.9	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.4	13.9	2.7	128.2	10.8	2.4	127.6	10.7	2.3	125.8	12.1	2.0
Apparel commodities	124.8	6.1	.7	126.7	2.5	1.8	132.6	3.6	1.1	119.7	5.6	1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	130.8	18.4	3.6	131.3	15.2	2.7	128.4	15.0	3.0	131.3	15.6	2.2
Durables	112.1	1.4	1.3	112.6	.9	.4	115.7	1.2	.9	113.4	2.0	.5
Services	152.3	6.2	.1	135.9	5.1	-1	135.9	6.1	.4	143.0	6.2	.3
Rent of shelter ²	167.1	6.2	.1	141.2	5.3	.4	131.9	5.1	.2	151.4	6.3	-1
Household services less rent of shelter ²	122.3	3.5	-1.4	117.2	1.6	-2.9	124.6	3.7	-3	126.6	2.8	.5
Transportation services	145.6	6.7	1.2	140.4	6.1	1.7	150.3	9.5	1.2	152.8	6.4	1.3
Medical care services	174.8	9.3	.7	160.5	9.0	.7	166.0	10.0	1.0	168.4	10.6	1.0
Other services	163.2	7.5	.2	148.3	5.9	.1	152.4	6.4	.5	151.5	6.8	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Regions,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Special indexes												
All items less food	140.0	7.0	0.7	129.8	5.7	0.5	130.2	6.3	0.9	134.6	6.7	0.7
All items less shelter	132.9	7.1	.8	128.2	5.9	.5	131.8	6.6	1.0	132.1	6.7	.9
All items less homeowners' costs ²	138.3	7.2	.7	131.1	5.7	.5	134.5	6.5	1.0	136.9	6.7	.7
All items less medical care	137.7	6.7	.6	128.2	5.5	.4	128.3	5.9	.8	132.3	6.3	.5
Commodities less food	121.4	8.8	2.0	122.1	6.7	1.6	122.4	6.6	1.7	121.0	7.7	1.3
Nondurables less food	126.7	13.0	2.4	127.8	10.4	2.3	127.0	10.2	2.2	125.9	11.4	1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	130.2	16.5	3.3	130.0	14.0	2.4	126.9	13.7	2.7	130.2	14.0	1.9
Nondurables	132.0	9.2	1.4	129.5	8.3	1.3	130.3	8.2	1.4	129.7	8.6	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	149.4	6.3	.1	138.1	4.9	-.5	145.6	6.8	.5	148.7	6.1	.7
Services less medical care	150.3	5.9	.0	133.5	4.8	-.1	132.4	5.6	.3	140.7	5.9	.2
Energy	110.0	20.7	3.1	108.2	14.4	.2	112.6	17.7	3.0	115.9	18.9	3.5
All items less energy	143.8	5.7	.3	133.6	4.9	.5	133.6	5.3	.6	137.0	5.7	.4
All items less food and energy	145.7	5.7	.4	134.3	4.7	.5	133.8	5.0	.6	138.0	5.7	.4
Commodities less food and energy	125.7	4.2	.6	124.7	2.6	.7	126.3	2.9	.7	124.5	4.2	.7
Energy commodities	118.8	38.0	9.1	121.6	33.2	6.0	118.3	34.0	7.4	117.6	34.6	5.2
Services less energy	156.6	6.5	.3	140.5	5.9	.5	138.5	6.3	.5	144.9	6.5	.3

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ 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,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—	
		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
All items	121.3	6.2	0.6	132.8	6.1	0.8	131.7	6.5	0.5	129.6	6.8	0.4
All items (December 1977 = 100)	121.3	-	-	215.6	-	-	211.8	-	-	209.0	-	-
Food and beverages	120.2	5.6	.3	133.6	5.5	.2	132.2	5.6	.3	131.4	5.2	.2
Food	120.4	5.8	.4	133.9	5.7	.1	132.6	5.7	.3	131.8	5.2	.2
Food at home	122.6	6.7	.6	134.6	6.4	.0	131.3	5.7	.2	130.6	5.5	.2
Cereals and bakery products	126.7	5.4	-1	142.1	4.7	.9	139.1	4.0	-1	142.0	5.5	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	121.6	8.4	.2	134.3	9.4	.1	128.7	7.2	1.0	129.6	7.9	1.2
Dairy products	123.2	9.4	1.0	128.6	8.2	.6	125.8	8.1	.3	126.3	7.6	.5
Fruits and vegetables	130.6	5.5	.5	150.5	6.1	-1.2	144.2	5.6	-8	143.3	3.9	-2.5
Other food at home	115.8	4.8	1.0	124.5	3.0	.0	125.6	4.1	.0	120.5	2.8	.2
Sugar and sweets	116.0	5.2	1.3	125.8	1.9	-6	127.7	4.8	.6	122.1	3.7	-2
Fats and oils	121.5	5.9	.1	126.7	3.3	-1.1	127.3	4.9	-2	122.4	6.3	1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	108.7	4.3	1.7	111.0	1.0	.4	114.5	2.5	-4	109.4	.0	.6
Other prepared food	120.7	4.9	.8	135.9	4.5	.2	133.5	4.9	.2	128.4	3.5	-1
Food away from home	117.1	4.3	.2	133.6	4.5	.4	135.8	5.4	.4	134.4	4.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	118.4	4.6	.0	130.7	4.4	.4	128.6	5.2	.5	125.6	4.9	-2
Housing	118.2	4.9	-1	130.1	4.8	.5	126.7	5.1	.0	123.7	5.7	.1
Shelter	122.0	5.6	.3	140.9	5.3	.1	135.9	6.0	-5	133.2	6.1	.1
Renters' costs ³	121.1	6.5	.0	154.4	7.2	.1	137.0	4.8	-3	136.5	6.0	-1
Rent, residential	118.0	4.3	.4	138.1	4.1	.3	131.7	4.4	-2	129.7	3.8	-1
Other renters' costs	132.4	14.0	-1.3	182.1	14.0	-1	139.9	5.8	-2	143.5	11.6	-1
Homeowners' costs ³	122.4	5.2	.3	143.8	4.6	.1	141.6	6.4	-6	138.0	6.2	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ³	122.7	5.3	.4	144.1	4.6	.2	141.9	6.5	-6	137.7	6.3	.1
Maintenance and repairs	113.4	4.8	-3	119.0	1.8	-3.9	123.2	5.1	-6	117.3	1.2	-1.8
Maintenance and repair services	117.5	8.6	.3	NA	-	-	130.1	5.3	-8	118.9	.7	-2.7
Maintenance and repair commodities	106.6	-1.5	-1.3	118.9	.6	-2.7	115.2	4.9	-1	118.0	2.4	.0
Fuel and other utilities	112.8	4.4	-2.0	115.0	5.8	1.6	119.3	4.9	1.4	112.8	6.8	-1
Fuels	114.8	4.4	-3.4	105.7	7.0	1.7	111.7	6.2	1.7	101.9	5.6	.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	166.6	42.4	11.7	113.9	42.6	13.9	122.6	48.4	16.0	117.7	50.1	15.5
Fuel oil	173.8	45.9	12.6	124.6	55.0	14.6	121.3	53.5	17.1	122.5	58.5	15.5
Other household fuel commodities ²	138.1	27.0	7.9	131.7	25.5	12.9	144.8	40.2	14.1	140.7	39.0	15.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	110.1	.6	-5.2	108.5	2.8	.0	114.0	1.3	-3	106.1	1.3	-1.5
Electricity	113.8	2.1	-8.2	117.7	4.2	-3	121.2	1.5	-7	115.4	1.8	-2.2
Utility (piped) gas	104.0	-1.7	.7	91.2	-1.0	.7	103.7	1.0	.9	90.8	.3	.8
Other utilities and public services	110.1	4.4	.0	138.0	4.2	1.2	137.0	3.2	.8	137.3	8.1	-5
Household furnishings and operation	108.1	2.1	.4	116.3	1.9	.6	110.8	1.7	.3	113.4	2.7	.0
Housefurnishings	104.5	1.4	.6	111.8	1.3	.4	102.2	.7	.3	106.7	1.3	.1
Housekeeping supplies	116.9	2.2	-5	121.4	3.3	-3	126.9	3.1	.6	125.8	4.3	-1.1
Housekeeping services	111.2	3.9	.5	123.3	3.0	1.6	120.0	3.1	.1	119.6	5.3	.7
Apparel and upkeep	120.5	5.4	1.2	127.6	2.7	1.8	130.0	3.1	.9	124.9	5.4	1.2
Apparel commodities	120.6	5.2	1.3	125.2	2.3	2.0	128.7	2.6	.9	124.0	5.4	1.4
Men's and boys' apparel	116.5	2.7	1.7	121.3	2.4	2.1	127.4	3.2	-2	116.0	1.8	1.4
Women's and girls' apparel	120.6	6.1	.7	133.1	1.1	2.1	133.6	1.6	2.0	130.9	7.6	1.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	115.7	12.1	-2	114.4	2.2	-2.6	138.2	1.2	-2.7	111.9	-2.4	3.5
Footwear	118.2	1.6	1.8	117.3	3.8	1.5	121.5	2.8	1.0	119.0	4.6	.5
Other apparel commodities	137.8	11.1	1.8	118.3	7.7	5.2	124.5	6.4	-1	131.7	10.4	-3
Apparel services	119.8	7.3	.8	141.0	6.9	-4	141.0	9.6	.4	129.5	4.8	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
Transportation	123.9	9.7	2.6	124.8	9.3	2.0	126.4	11.5	2.1	124.0	9.4	1.4
Private transportation	124.4	9.4	2.6	123.2	8.9	2.1	125.4	11.6	2.0	121.2	9.1	1.3
New vehicles	106.0	1.9	1.5	119.7	1.2	.7	123.1	3.8	1.7	121.2	2.5	.5
New cars	105.6	1.6	1.5	118.1	.4	.5	122.9	2.8	1.5	120.1	1.3	.8
Used cars	109.3	-1.5	-2	120.2	-.9	-2	118.0	-1.6	-2	119.2	-1.7	-.3
Motor fuel	173.1	34.2	7.1	117.9	33.2	6.4	120.1	35.1	4.7	115.5	29.8	4.0
Gasoline	173.3	34.3	7.0	117.7	32.8	6.3	119.7	34.6	4.5	114.8	29.1	3.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	189.5	37.0	4.2	130.7	39.3	4.2	129.1	40.3	2.1	116.4	28.3	3.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	174.5	36.3	7.5	116.0	34.9	6.6	117.7	35.6	4.8	111.7	29.9	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	162.0	29.5	6.8	119.4	29.5	5.9	121.8	30.7	3.8	119.2	28.7	4.1
Maintenance and repairs	118.5	4.7	.3	132.7	4.2	.7	128.7	4.5	.9	123.6	.6	.4
Other private transportation	121.7	4.4	1.5	144.5	5.3	.9	149.2	8.8	1.2	138.6	7.9	.7
Other private transportation commodities	105.2	.0	-.6	101.9	.1	.4	100.8	-.9	.2	113.6	3.1	.4
Other private transportation services	125.0	5.1	1.9	154.3	6.3	1.0	162.3	10.9	1.4	145.2	9.1	.8
Public transportation	119.8	12.1	1.6	154.8	13.3	2.0	143.4	10.2	2.1	178.0	15.6	2.5
Medical care	133.5	9.3	.8	166.1	10.3	.9	165.5	8.6	1.2	164.1	10.4	.3
Medical care commodities	134.7	8.8	.4	168.5	7.8	.9	161.4	7.4	.7	163.5	7.8	.4
Medical care services	133.2	9.4	.8	165.7	10.9	.9	166.5	8.9	1.3	164.2	11.1	.2
Professional medical services	127.6	6.8	.5	155.0	7.4	.5	161.2	5.8	.8	161.2	8.6	-.4
Entertainment	119.4	4.9	.1	130.3	4.4	.5	137.1	3.9	.4	126.4	4.4	-.2
Entertainment commodities	115.8	3.6	.3	120.5	4.3	.5	127.9	2.5	.2	124.5	2.6	.2
Entertainment services	122.5	6.1	-.1	144.0	4.4	.6	149.9	5.3	.5	129.2	6.8	-.7
Other goods and services	131.8	7.4	.3	162.9	6.7	.9	159.4	7.7	.1	159.4	9.7	.6
Tobacco and smoking products	149.2	11.1	.0	181.2	9.0	.4	183.4	9.4	.1	181.8	8.7	.0
Personal care	117.7	4.6	.3	131.6	4.9	.4	129.3	2.7	.5	121.1	2.7	.9
Personal and educational expenses	131.2	7.0	.4	178.8	6.3	1.2	171.8	8.7	.1	174.9	12.5	.7
Commodity and service group												
All items	121.3	6.2	.6	132.8	6.1	.8	131.7	6.5	.5	129.6	6.8	.4
Commodities	120.9	6.9	1.3	125.3	6.3	1.2	125.6	6.9	1.1	124.5	6.6	.9
Food and beverages	120.2	5.6	.3	133.6	5.5	.2	132.2	5.6	.3	131.4	5.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	121.4	7.8	1.8	120.5	6.7	1.9	121.7	7.7	1.7	120.4	7.4	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	132.9	12.0	2.4	125.2	11.1	2.9	128.2	11.8	2.2	125.2	12.1	2.0
Apparel commodities	120.6	5.2	1.3	125.2	2.3	2.0	128.7	2.6	.9	124.0	5.4	1.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	140.7	16.0	3.0	128.0	15.7	3.2	130.6	16.4	2.7	127.6	15.0	2.2
Durables	105.8	1.3	.9	114.5	1.1	.4	113.1	1.9	.8	114.0	1.0	.2
Services	121.6	5.7	.1	141.2	5.8	.6	139.1	6.1	.1	136.1	7.1	.1
Rent of shelter ³	122.2	5.6	.2	147.0	5.4	.1	140.8	6.1	-.5	137.5	6.2	.0
Household services less rent of shelter ³	110.5	2.7	-2.0	122.9	3.4	.7	125.3	2.3	.2	121.8	4.5	-.7
Transportation services	122.2	6.7	1.4	148.7	7.0	1.2	149.6	9.4	1.4	145.3	8.3	1.0
Medical care services	133.2	9.4	.8	165.7	10.9	.9	166.5	8.9	1.3	164.2	11.1	.2
Other services	126.1	6.4	.2	154.4	5.8	.8	151.8	7.1	.3	146.1	9.8	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—		
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Special indexes													
All items less food	121.5	6.4	0.7	132.5	6.1	0.9	131.6	6.7	0.7	129.1	7.1	0.5	
All items less shelter	121.1	6.6	.7	130.8	6.3	1.2	131.1	6.7	1.0	129.2	7.1	.5	
All items less homeowners' costs ³	121.0	6.5	.6	134.8	6.4	1.0	133.6	6.5	.9	131.9	7.0	.5	
All items less medical care	120.6	6.1	.6	130.8	5.7	.8	129.6	6.3	.5	127.1	6.5	.4	
Commodities less food	121.2	7.5	1.7	120.8	6.7	1.8	121.8	7.5	1.6	120.5	7.3	1.2	
Nondurables less food	131.5	11.3	2.2	125.1	10.5	2.7	127.8	11.3	2.1	125.0	11.7	1.8	
Nondurables less food and apparel	137.3	14.3	2.6	127.1	14.3	2.9	129.3	15.1	2.5	126.9	14.1	1.9	
Nondurables	126.0	8.6	1.3	129.4	8.2	1.4	130.2	8.6	1.2	128.6	8.6	1.0	
Services less rent of shelter ³	121.1	5.9	-.1	144.9	6.2	.8	145.3	6.1	.7	142.3	7.8	.1	
Services less medical care	120.7	5.4	.1	138.6	5.2	.4	136.1	5.8	-.1	132.5	6.6	.1	
Energy	138.6	17.7	1.7	109.5	18.3	3.9	114.3	18.4	3.2	106.6	16.1	2.1	
All items less energy	120.1	5.4	.5	136.3	5.0	.5	134.7	5.4	.4	133.1	6.0	.2	
All items less food and energy	120.0	5.4	.5	137.1	4.9	.7	135.3	5.3	.4	133.6	6.1	.2	
Commodities less food and energy	114.9	3.7	.7	124.5	2.6	.8	124.7	3.1	.7	124.4	3.5	.4	
Energy commodities	172.4	35.0	7.5	117.4	34.3	7.3	120.8	36.8	6.1	116.0	32.0	5.3	
Services less energy	122.5	6.2	.5	144.7	6.0	.6	142.0	6.6	.1	139.6	7.6	.2	

¹ See region and area size on table 11 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category									
All items	139.9	6.7	0.6	138.8	6.8	0.7	137.8	6.9	0.4
All items (December 1977 = 100)	216.2	-	-	223.3	-	-	228.7	-	-
Food and beverages	137.7	5.4	.4	137.5	5.1	-.6	133.7	5.3	.6
Food	137.6	5.5	.4	137.3	5.0	-.7	134.2	5.3	.5
Food at home	137.3	6.8	.5	136.4	6.0	-1.2	131.6	5.7	.4
Cereals and bakery products	143.7	6.4	-.5	143.9	3.6	1.3	146.2	4.9	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	138.4	8.1	.8	137.2	9.7	-1.5	129.7	5.2	1.4
Dairy products	125.7	7.4	.7	129.2	7.2	-.1	118.8	6.7	.1
Fruits and vegetables	148.0	6.6	-.3	141.7	3.4	-3.9	143.7	9.0	.8
Other food at home	129.7	4.8	1.2	131.4	3.4	-1.2	125.2	4.2	-.6
Food away from home	140.1	3.4	.1	140.5	3.5	.4	140.4	4.7	.9
Alcoholic beverages	139.1	4.3	.5	142.5	5.9	.4	128.4	4.0	.9
Housing	139.8	5.6	.0	143.9	7.0	1.0	139.9	7.2	-.1
Shelter	158.6	5.9	.3	165.4	5.3	-.1	160.4	6.9	-1.3
Renters' costs ²	162.0	8.2	.1	177.6	7.4	-.3	152.4	8.9	-.7
Rent, residential	151.3	4.1	.4	154.9	1.9	.1	153.4	4.2	-.6
Other renters' costs	173.8	21.0	-.9	200.0	17.6	-.9	128.4	25.9	-.9
Homeowners' costs ²	163.9	4.9	.4	173.1	4.5	.0	173.0	6.3	-1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	164.6	5.0	.4	174.4	4.6	.0	174.0	6.4	-1.5
Fuel and other utilities	108.6	7.6	-1.0	114.8	14.8	4.6	113.7	11.7	4.5
Fuels	105.4	10.3	-2.1	107.3	19.0	5.1	105.7	17.3	7.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	120.5	45.5	11.7	119.7	51.3	15.3	114.6	48.3	17.1
Fuel oil	120.2	46.8	12.0	121.7	54.4	15.6	115.8	53.6	17.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	144.0	33.1	7.5	149.0	40.3	14.4	135.5	31.2	15.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.1	2.3	-5.9	112.4	8.0	.8	104.9	1.4	.7
Electricity	115.6	4.5	-7.1	124.7	11.4	1.6	112.2	2.9	1.0
Utility (piped) gas	94.9	-1.6	-3.9	87.4	-1.4	-1.4	88.6	-4.3	-.6
Household furnishings and operation	112.8	1.1	-.4	120.7	5.7	1.7	109.4	2.5	.0
Apparel and upkeep	126.4	7.6	.8	125.2	4.1	.2	131.8	1.2	.1
Apparel commodities	123.1	7.3	.8	123.3	4.0	.2	130.3	.7	.1
Men's and boys' apparel	116.8	4.2	1.6	124.7	4.2	2.5	138.7	3.1	1.9
Women's and girls' apparel	124.9	11.2	.2	126.4	2.8	-1.6	133.4	.3	.0
Footwear	120.8	-.9	2.7	115.0	4.1	1.8	118.5	-.2	-1.6
Transportation	127.5	9.7	2.9	122.4	8.4	2.3	123.3	7.7	1.5
Private transportation	124.5	9.4	3.1	121.0	8.1	2.3	121.2	7.5	1.3
Motor fuel	119.1	35.0	8.5	116.3	32.3	7.1	117.0	35.1	4.7
Gasoline	119.1	35.3	8.5	116.3	32.3	7.2	117.2	35.2	4.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.8	38.3	9.1	114.5	34.5	7.8	116.5	37.5	5.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.2	31.0	7.6	118.1	27.4	6.1	119.7	30.7	2.9
Public transportation	144.0	12.1	1.4	149.8	11.6	2.0	150.8	9.3	2.1
Medical care	175.2	9.3	.7	172.1	11.3	.7	166.4	7.6	.4
Entertainment	138.8	4.6	.3	126.3	4.2	1.0	146.6	6.2	1.1
Other goods and services	171.1	9.1	-.1	169.7	6.6	.1	172.1	12.9	-.1
Personal care	141.6	4.9	-.7	134.7	5.2	.3	129.1	5.5	.2

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Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group									
All items	139.9	6.7	0.6	138.8	6.8	0.7	137.8	6.9	0.4
Commodities	128.3	7.5	1.3	126.1	7.1	1.2	125.6	7.5	1.5
Food and beverages	137.7	5.4	.4	137.5	5.1	-.6	133.7	5.3	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	121.1	9.1	2.0	119.5	8.6	2.4	120.9	9.1	2.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.7	13.7	2.3	123.1	13.6	3.0	128.6	13.8	3.0
Durables	112.5	1.4	1.4	112.2	.6	1.2	109.3	1.6	.4
Services	151.5	6.1	.1	154.4	6.5	.4	152.6	6.4	-.5
Medical care services	177.0	9.3	.8	172.4	11.5	.8	166.8	7.3	.2
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	133.8	7.0	.8	131.4	7.4	1.2	131.4	6.9	1.1
All items less medical care	138.1	6.6	.6	137.0	6.4	.7	136.3	6.8	.4
All items less energy	143.9	5.7	.5	144.1	5.3	.3	142.3	5.5	-.1
Energy	110.2	19.3	1.9	110.8	24.4	5.9	108.7	23.8	6.2
Commodities less food	121.8	8.8	1.9	120.2	8.4	2.3	121.0	8.8	2.0
Nondurables less food	127.2	12.9	2.2	123.7	12.9	2.8	127.9	12.9	2.9
Nondurables	132.9	9.2	1.3	129.9	9.0	1.2	130.9	9.3	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	149.9	6.2	-.3	148.7	7.6	1.0	148.5	5.7	.4
Services less medical care	149.3	5.8	.0	152.6	6.0	.3	151.3	6.3	-.6

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Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	131.1	5.5	0.3	129.1	5.4	0.6	130.8	6.4	0.7	125.8	6.4	0.6
All items (December 1977 = 100)	216.5	-	-	208.6	-	-	208.2	-	-	201.6	-	-
Food and beverages	131.0	5.9	.2	128.6	5.0	-.2	130.4	5.6	.2	130.6	6.2	.0
Food	131.3	6.1	.1	129.2	5.0	-.2	130.5	5.8	.2	131.0	6.2	.1
Food at home	132.5	6.9	.1	129.5	4.9	-.2	129.7	5.8	.1	131.1	6.8	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	141.6	5.6	.1	144.8	6.1	.7	140.2	5.0	1.2	142.1	6.2	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	133.9	9.7	.3	126.5	7.2	.3	127.5	8.6	.5	136.1	10.4	1.1
Dairy products	132.5	8.3	-.4	126.4	8.1	-.2	125.7	7.4	-.2	129.0	7.7	.3
Fruits and vegetables	137.0	6.2	.4	134.6	1.3	-2.3	140.7	4.7	-1.1	135.7	6.6	-4.5
Other food at home	123.8	3.9	-.1	124.4	2.5	-.1	123.4	3.4	.1	118.4	3.0	.8
Food away from home	129.6	4.7	.2	128.9	5.6	.0	132.3	5.5	.2	130.2	4.6	.4
Alcoholic beverages	128.0	4.3	.2	120.1	3.7	.1	129.3	3.7	-.2	125.8	6.3	-.3
Housing	127.0	3.6	-.9	124.7	3.7	.0	128.6	4.5	-.2	116.1	5.6	.6
Shelter	141.0	4.9	.6	140.7	5.8	.4	137.8	5.5	-.9	120.0	5.5	1.4
Renters' costs ²	143.6	3.0	.5	147.2	9.0	-.5	140.0	-.1	-.7	119.0	3.1	-.1
Rent, residential	138.6	4.2	1.0	138.6	5.7	-.2	130.6	3.9	-.7	115.5	2.3	.2
Other renters' costs	140.4	-.1	-.9	156.0	13.5	-.9	153.3	-7.3	-.8	117.5	5.4	-.8
Homeowners' costs ²	144.7	5.5	.7	142.4	4.9	.6	141.6	7.7	-.8	126.1	6.5	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent ²	144.7	5.6	.6	143.1	4.9	.6	141.9	7.9	-.8	125.9	6.7	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	104.6	.5	-6.9	105.0	3.1	.7	118.5	3.7	1.5	112.2	8.3	-1.1
Fuels	93.6	-4.0	-10.7	94.5	2.4	.7	108.2	2.6	1.4	95.0	1.9	-2.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	113.5	35.4	9.7	106.9	41.8	14.9	120.5	55.9	15.3	109.7	55.6	17.6
Fuel oil	121.9	46.3	13.5	123.6	57.1	15.3	119.3	51.8	14.7	113.3	49.1	15.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	127.9	22.0	4.5	129.6	28.6	14.6	151.9	61.8	16.4	150.9	63.7	20.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	94.9	-5.4	-11.6	98.4	.5	-.1	114.5	-.3	.4	100.4	-.7	-3.6
Electricity	102.3	-6.9	-23.3	114.6	3.2	-1.4	127.2	.7	.3	109.5	-2.0	-6.6
Utility (piped) gas	88.3	-3.6	6.3	83.7	-3.3	2.1	100.9	-1.9	.7	92.2	1.1	.9
Household furnishings and operation	112.5	2.4	.4	108.7	-2.5	-2.2	117.7	2.7	.3	113.2	2.3	.4
Apparel and upkeep	127.6	3.0	1.6	130.9	-1.0	2.1	123.4	5.6	2.2	129.2	.6	1.6
Apparel commodities	127.1	2.9	1.6	130.5	-1.4	2.3	121.4	5.6	2.4	129.3	.5	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	125.4	-1.4	1.2	118.3	.4	.0	115.5	1.9	-.6	106.9	-2.4	1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	123.7	4.2	1.9	146.7	-3.9	3.2	129.3	6.9	4.8	145.2	2.9	3.4
Footwear	125.8	3.7	2.8	113.2	5.5	3.1	116.0	5.1	1.0	137.5	.2	-.8
Transportation	125.0	9.3	2.6	126.6	10.2	1.9	123.3	11.4	2.4	122.8	8.9	1.5
Private transportation	124.7	9.3	2.8	125.0	9.9	1.8	122.5	11.6	2.4	117.9	8.0	1.3
Motor fuel	122.4	31.9	6.4	128.2	37.3	6.2	120.2	33.9	4.6	116.1	28.7	2.9
Gasoline	122.2	32.0	6.4	128.5	37.3	6.2	119.8	33.6	4.3	114.5	28.1	2.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	134.1	35.6	3.0	NA	-	-	125.9	33.9	4.2	116.1	30.0	2.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	120.5	33.4	6.9	125.7	38.1	6.4	118.4	34.5	4.2	111.7	28.2	2.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	124.3	26.8	5.4	132.4	33.1	5.6	122.4	30.1	4.5	118.3	23.7	2.3
Public transportation	130.4	9.7	1.8	168.7	14.0	2.6	140.0	7.7	2.1	237.0	22.7	2.8
Medical care	163.0	8.5	.2	157.1	9.2	.8	163.5	8.8	2.6	158.1	8.1	.1
Entertainment	136.0	5.2	.3	126.5	2.3	.3	135.0	5.0	.1	129.3	5.0	-1.2
Other goods and services	160.4	5.9	.1	160.2	8.1	.9	157.0	6.6	-.1	154.9	8.1	.8
Personal care	122.3	2.9	.4	133.0	5.1	1.2	128.2	3.1	1.1	116.0	2.1	1.5

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Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group												
All items	131.1	5.5	0.3	129.1	5.4	0.6	130.8	6.4	0.7	125.8	6.4	0.6
Commodities	126.1	6.4	1.1	123.6	5.4	.7	124.6	7.4	1.1	124.8	6.1	.8
Food and beverages	131.0	5.9	.2	128.6	5.0	-.2	130.4	5.6	.2	130.6	6.2	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	122.9	6.7	1.8	120.7	5.5	1.0	121.5	8.7	1.8	121.2	6.1	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.4	10.6	2.5	128.0	10.3	2.8	126.3	12.6	2.5	128.2	9.9	1.8
Durables	112.1	.6	.6	112.9	-.4	-1.2	113.6	2.5	.6	112.2	1.2	.3
Services	136.9	4.7	-.4	136.4	5.3	.4	138.3	5.3	.3	127.9	6.6	.4
Medical care services	161.6	8.6	.1	153.0	9.9	.7	165.4	9.6	2.8	158.3	8.4	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	128.5	5.8	.2	126.5	5.2	.6	129.0	6.7	1.2	128.0	6.6	.4
All items less medical care	129.4	5.4	.3	127.5	5.1	.6	129.0	6.2	.5	123.5	6.2	.7
All items less energy	134.7	4.8	.5	133.3	4.2	.3	133.9	5.4	.5	129.0	5.6	.6
Energy	108.1	13.3	-1.9	106.5	17.3	3.4	112.8	15.8	3.0	102.9	13.5	.1
Commodities less food	123.0	6.6	1.7	120.7	5.5	1.1	121.6	8.4	1.7	121.4	6.1	1.2
Nondurables less food	128.7	10.0	2.2	127.4	10.0	2.7	126.1	12.0	2.3	128.1	9.7	1.7
Nondurables	130.5	8.2	1.3	128.5	7.8	1.4	128.0	8.9	1.3	130.1	8.1	.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	137.7	4.5	-1.4	135.1	4.9	.5	141.9	5.0	1.1	137.8	7.2	-.3
Services less medical care	134.5	4.3	-.5	134.9	4.9	.4	135.7	4.9	-.1	123.9	6.3	.5

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Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	131.5	6.1	1.0	131.9	5.9	0.9	129.3	6.2	0.6	129.0	6.9	0.2
All items (December 1977 = 100)	212.3	-	-	215.3	-	-	209.3	-	-	209.5	-	-
Food and beverages	133.3	6.0	.5	133.1	5.6	.4	132.7	6.0	.3	129.8	5.4	.5
Food	134.1	6.2	.5	133.5	5.7	.4	133.3	6.0	.3	130.3	5.3	.6
Food at home	133.4	6.9	.5	132.9	6.4	.5	132.1	6.0	.2	127.8	5.6	.9
Cereals and bakery products	141.3	5.9	.4	136.2	4.0	.5	135.5	2.4	-1.0	142.3	6.4	1.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	129.4	8.1	.2	131.7	10.5	.9	127.8	7.8	1.3	128.5	7.8	2.1
Dairy products	137.7	11.3	.8	130.1	8.3	1.2	131.2	9.0	.7	122.2	6.6	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	143.1	4.5	-.5	152.4	5.0	-.3	143.5	5.4	-1.0	136.0	3.7	-1.7
Other food at home	126.5	5.6	1.5	122.3	2.8	.3	129.3	5.0	.0	117.6	2.9	.6
Food away from home	136.5	5.2	.6	135.6	4.5	.2	137.1	5.9	.5	137.0	4.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages	125.7	3.6	-.1	129.3	4.5	.4	126.0	6.2	.2	120.7	5.6	-.2
Housing	124.4	4.3	.4	126.6	4.5	.5	119.1	3.6	.0	123.3	5.5	-.6
Shelter	130.2	4.9	.4	130.8	5.1	.4	122.0	4.5	.1	132.4	6.5	-.9
Renters' costs ²	134.8	5.5	.7	148.4	6.5	1.0	125.9	5.1	.6	140.6	7.8	.5
Rent, residential	130.5	5.1	.4	127.7	4.3	.6	121.7	3.6	.2	128.7	4.0	-.3
Other renters' costs	140.9	7.3	1.9	196.3	11.1	1.9	135.8	9.1	1.9	154.1	14.6	1.9
Homeowners' costs ²	133.0	4.6	.3	131.5	4.5	.2	123.8	4.3	-.1	133.1	6.3	-1.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	133.0	4.8	.4	131.2	4.5	.2	123.4	4.3	-.2	131.8	6.3	-1.3
Fuel and other utilities	112.6	5.0	-.5	123.6	4.3	.8	124.3	4.0	-.2	113.6	5.5	-.2
Fuels	106.8	5.3	-1.5	113.5	5.0	.6	118.7	5.2	-1.2	104.2	5.5	.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	110.4	34.3	13.9	119.1	39.3	12.5	129.8	45.4	12.7	122.7	44.9	16.2
Fuel oil	109.4	36.2	14.1	128.6	56.6	12.5	119.3	59.5	17.4	123.2	60.8	16.9
Other household fuel commodities ³	142.1	30.8	13.6	133.8	26.0	12.2	150.7	40.6	10.9	136.3	30.4	15.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	109.3	3.9	-2.2	111.7	1.6	-.8	118.8	3.0	-2.1	105.3	1.9	-.8
Electricity	109.7	4.7	-3.2	114.2	1.5	-1.0	121.9	1.6	-2.5	110.1	2.6	-.9
Utility (piped) gas	104.9	1.7	1.0	102.0	2.4	.5	115.1	11.2	.0	85.4	-3.8	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	119.0	1.5	1.3	118.5	2.9	.8	106.6	-.1	.5	112.9	2.1	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	140.1	4.2	1.3	131.3	4.0	1.2	134.0	2.3	.7	124.9	7.3	.6
Apparel commodities	136.9	3.9	1.3	128.3	3.5	1.3	133.2	1.4	.8	123.3	7.4	.6
Men's and boys' apparel	137.8	4.0	3.3	123.4	2.0	1.5	127.0	3.3	.0	120.7	2.1	1.2
Women's and girls' apparel	135.6	-1.5	-.2	138.7	4.3	2.1	143.0	.1	1.2	131.2	11.7	.0
Footwear	126.8	2.6	.9	123.5	4.6	1.0	126.7	2.2	1.4	96.4	4.6	1.5
Transportation	124.3	9.9	2.8	125.9	9.3	2.2	128.5	13.6	2.3	122.3	10.0	1.3
Private transportation	124.3	9.9	2.8	124.5	9.1	2.2	128.0	13.8	2.4	120.5	9.8	1.3
Motor fuel	118.6	33.3	8.8	117.5	33.1	6.8	121.6	34.8	4.7	109.9	32.9	5.6
Gasoline	118.4	33.2	8.8	117.3	32.4	6.6	120.9	33.7	4.5	109.2	32.2	5.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	120.2	28.6	4.2	134.2	44.3	-.4	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	116.9	35.1	9.4	115.7	35.3	7.0	117.3	34.2	4.7	104.7	34.1	5.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	118.5	29.4	8.0	119.1	29.7	6.6	124.2	30.6	4.7	116.2	30.0	4.6
Public transportation	126.3	9.5	1.8	153.0	11.7	1.5	138.9	10.7	1.4	161.3	12.8	1.3
Medical care	168.2	9.4	.8	164.1	9.3	1.0	164.3	8.1	1.2	166.2	12.7	.2
Entertainment	137.1	4.8	.6	126.8	3.3	.2	130.8	2.3	.4	125.4	3.8	.1
Other goods and services	161.0	7.4	.6	165.9	6.8	1.0	155.1	6.8	.1	153.9	4.2	-.1
Personal care	132.8	4.9	1.0	130.9	4.8	.1	128.6	1.7	.1	113.3	-1.7	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group												
All items	131.5	6.1	1.0	131.9	5.9	0.9	129.3	6.2	0.6	129.0	6.9	0.2
Commodities	127.1	6.4	1.4	126.1	6.1	1.2	126.4	6.4	1.1	123.5	6.5	.9
Food and beverages	133.3	6.0	.5	133.1	5.6	.4	132.7	6.0	.3	129.8	5.4	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	123.3	6.8	2.1	122.0	6.6	1.8	122.6	6.6	1.7	119.8	7.1	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.4	10.2	2.7	127.3	10.8	2.6	129.4	10.3	1.7	123.5	12.5	1.8
Durables	118.2	1.7	1.0	114.5	1.0	.5	114.5	1.7	1.4	115.0	.1	.0
Services	136.4	5.9	.6	138.2	5.7	.7	133.2	6.2	.3	135.8	7.3	-.5
Medical care services	167.9	9.5	1.1	163.7	10.0	1.0	165.3	8.7	1.5	166.6	13.6	.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	132.2	6.5	1.1	132.6	6.3	1.1	132.0	6.9	.9	128.5	6.9	.4
All items less medical care	129.4	5.9	.9	129.7	5.6	.9	126.8	6.1	.6	125.8	6.3	.1
All items less energy	135.0	5.1	.7	134.5	4.9	.6	131.5	5.2	.6	132.7	5.9	-.2
Energy	111.4	18.4	3.7	111.8	16.9	3.5	118.1	17.7	1.5	104.1	16.7	3.0
Commodities less food	123.2	6.5	1.9	122.1	6.5	1.7	122.6	6.6	1.6	119.8	7.1	1.0
Nondurables less food	126.7	9.7	2.5	126.9	10.3	2.4	128.7	10.1	1.7	123.1	12.1	1.7
Nondurables	130.6	8.1	1.6	130.4	8.1	1.5	131.1	8.1	1.0	126.8	8.9	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	146.7	6.6	.6	147.5	6.2	.8	144.6	7.5	.4	142.4	7.6	-.3
Services less medical care	133.3	5.5	.5	135.3	5.2	.6	129.1	5.9	.2	131.0	6.2	-.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category						
All items	136.0	6.4	0.5	132.1	6.8	0.5
All items (December 1977 = 100)	221.8	-	-	204.9	-	-
Food and beverages	133.0	5.6	.5	131.8	4.6	.2
Food	132.9	5.5	.5	132.0	4.4	.0
Food at home	132.5	6.3	.9	131.4	4.7	.1
Cereals and bakery products	143.2	3.7	.0	137.0	4.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	129.4	7.6	-.6	132.8	5.4	.8
Dairy products	129.6	11.1	2.4	121.6	8.7	.5
Fruits and vegetables	143.0	4.5	2.1	152.5	3.3	-1.7
Other food at home	125.1	5.1	1.6	119.7	2.9	.3
Food away from home	134.0	4.4	.0	133.2	4.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	133.9	5.8	-.4	131.8	5.9	1.6
Housing	137.9	5.3	.1	125.5	6.7	.2
Shelter	148.0	6.1	-.1	133.9	9.2	-.1
Renters' costs ²	158.8	7.2	-.6	136.9	7.4	-.9
Rent, residential	149.8	4.2	.3	127.6	7.0	-.1
Other renters' costs	157.5	21.1	-4.1	144.2	8.4	-3.9
Homeowners' costs ²	158.1	5.6	.1	143.5	9.9	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	158.3	5.7	.1	144.1	10.1	.2
Fuel and other utilities	120.4	3.3	.5	115.2	1.3	2.3
Fuels	120.4	3.4	1.0	110.8	.8	4.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	113.4	29.6	12.7	320.8	35.9	19.1
Fuel oil ⁴	123.2	43.6	18.6	NA	-	-
Other household fuel commodities ³	134.7	16.8	6.9	146.4	38.0	20.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	121.7	2.6	.7	108.7	-.5	3.9
Electricity	131.4	4.4	1.0	114.7	.9	3.6
Utility (piped) gas	116.3	-.7	.0	104.1	-2.3	4.3
Household furnishings and operation	116.7	3.5	.4	109.9	2.9	.0
Apparel and upkeep	122.0	6.2	1.2	128.9	3.3	.2
Apparel commodities	118.8	6.2	1.2	128.1	3.2	.1
Men's and boys' apparel	121.1	4.4	1.3	135.2	5.1	-1.8
Women's and girls' apparel	114.0	8.2	1.1	118.8	-1.8	1.5
Footwear	110.3	2.8	.6	122.7	4.3	2.6
Transportation	128.3	9.9	1.9	128.5	9.8	1.7
Private transportation	125.8	9.2	1.9	127.5	9.6	1.5
Motor fuel	116.4	36.5	5.2	118.7	38.8	4.8
Gasoline	116.4	36.9	5.2	118.4	38.8	4.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	117.9	39.4	5.1	119.5	40.8	5.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	115.3	39.1	5.5	117.5	39.1	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	116.3	29.7	4.9	116.0	31.1	1.8
Public transportation	159.8	14.6	1.7	144.9	13.7	3.2
Medical care	167.3	9.8	1.1	171.3	10.7	.3
Entertainment	133.8	5.2	-.6	142.3	2.7	-.1
Other goods and services	165.4	6.5	.5	158.8	5.2	.6
Personal care	139.3	5.2	.4	131.5	2.3	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group						
All items	136.0	6.4	0.5	132.1	6.8	0.5
Commodities	125.3	7.1	1.0	125.4	6.5	.6
Food and beverages	133.0	5.6	.5	131.8	4.6	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	120.4	8.1	1.3	121.5	7.5	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.2	12.7	1.9	129.2	12.1	1.6
Durables	111.7	1.5	.3	112.4	1.5	.1
Services	146.0	6.1	.3	138.8	7.0	.4
Medical care services	166.6	10.1	1.2	171.9	10.1	.2
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	132.3	6.7	.8	132.3	5.9	.8
All items less medical care	134.3	6.3	.5	129.5	6.4	.5
All items less energy	138.7	5.6	.4	134.5	5.7	.1
Energy	115.7	19.9	3.4	115.2	19.8	4.6
Commodities less food	121.0	8.0	1.3	121.8	7.3	1.0
Nondurables less food	126.3	11.9	1.7	129.1	11.5	1.7
Nondurables	129.7	8.7	1.2	131.1	8.3	.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	150.2	6.0	.7	148.9	4.9	.9
Services less medical care	144.2	5.7	.1	135.2	6.6	.4

¹ See region and area size on table 11 for information about cross classifications.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁴ 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, October 1990						
U.S. city average	133.4	141.9	132.5	128.6	144.7	125.3
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	136.3	144.2	136.7	125.5	146.8	129.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	137.3	143.7	138.4	125.7	148.0	129.7
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	136.4	143.9	137.2	129.2	141.7	131.4
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	131.6	146.2	129.7	118.8	143.7	125.2
North Central urban	131.3	141.7	131.8	129.7	137.1	123.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	132.5	141.6	133.9	132.5	137.0	123.8
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	129.5	144.8	126.5	126.4	134.6	124.4
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	129.7	140.2	127.5	125.7	140.7	123.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	131.1	142.1	136.1	129.0	135.7	118.4
South urban	132.1	138.6	129.5	131.6	144.2	124.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	133.4	141.3	129.4	137.7	143.1	126.5
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	132.9	136.2	131.7	130.1	152.4	122.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	132.1	135.5	127.8	131.2	143.5	129.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	127.8	142.3	128.5	122.2	136.0	117.6
West urban	133.7	143.0	131.4	127.6	150.2	124.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	132.5	143.2	129.4	129.6	143.0	125.1
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	131.4	137.0	132.8	121.6	152.5	119.7
Size classes						
A ²	122.6	126.7	121.6	123.2	130.6	115.8
B	134.6	142.1	134.3	128.6	150.5	124.5
C	131.3	139.1	128.7	125.8	144.2	125.6
D	130.6	142.0	129.6	126.3	143.3	120.5
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	136.6	153.3	131.7	138.5	141.5	130.8
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	134.5	138.4	135.0	132.3	145.3	124.4
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	135.2	145.3	136.9	134.9	144.3	122.5
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	129.5	140.2	138.7	127.5	129.3	112.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	129.6	136.7	128.6	136.3	130.6	123.3
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	128.2	139.2	132.3	120.8	131.4	118.9
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	141.0	140.4	133.8	146.8	149.9	142.2
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	131.6	144.1	129.1	131.7	137.1	124.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	132.0	135.5	124.6	129.3	159.2	121.4
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	140.2	146.7	141.7	127.9	150.8	131.9
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	137.2	145.0	137.1	120.5	149.6	132.7
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	123.4	128.7	122.7	117.9	129.3	120.1
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	135.5	135.8	123.3	149.0	145.6	137.8
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	139.4	142.2	135.2	129.8	163.1	128.9
Washington, DC-MD-VA	133.6	151.5	128.5	145.4	135.2	123.7

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, September 1990 to October 1990						
U.S. city average	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.8	-0.3	0.6
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	.1	-.1	.5	.6	-.6	.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.5	-.5	.8	.7	-.3	1.2
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	-1.2	1.3	-1.5	-.1	-3.9	-1.2
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.4	.0	1.4	.1	.8	-.6
North Central urban	.0	.4	.4	-.2	-.9	.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.1	.1	.3	-.4	.4	-.1
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	-.2	.7	.3	-.2	-2.3	-.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.1	1.2	.5	-.2	-1.1	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	.4	1.1	.3	-4.5	.8
South urban	.5	.2	.9	.9	-.8	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.5	.4	.2	.8	-.5	1.5
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.5	.5	.9	1.2	-.3	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.2	-1.0	1.3	.7	-1.0	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.9	1.6	2.1	1.2	-1.7	.6
West urban	.7	.2	-.3	1.8	1.1	1.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.9	.0	-.6	2.4	2.1	1.6
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.1	.2	.8	.5	-1.7	.3
Size classes						
A	.6	-.1	.2	1.0	.5	1.0
B	.0	.9	.1	.6	-1.2	.0
C	.2	-.1	1.0	.3	-.8	.0
D	.2	.7	1.2	.5	-2.5	.2
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	.5	-.6	1.9	.4	-3.7	2.4
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	-1.2	-.4	-1.2	-1.6	-2.4	-.6
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	-.4	-1.1	-1.2	-.5	2.1	-.6
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.3	-.6	.7	-.5	1.1	.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.2	1.9	-.2	1.6	2.4	-2.2
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.5	.0	1.0	-1.9	2.5	.0
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.4	.1	.8	2.3	1.5	2.5
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.1	-.6	-.7	2.6	2.5	2.3
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	.8	-.7	-.3	.7	3.6	1.0
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.8	-.5	.9	1.6	-.6	2.3
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.1	-.2	2.2	.4	2.0	.1
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.2	1.0	-.6	-.2	1.8	-.1
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	.8	-.3	.1	.7	-1.6	4.2
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.2	1.4	.1	3.8	2.0	.4
Washington, DC-MD-VA	-.3	1.1	-.1	-.3	-3.2	.5

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² 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, September 1990 to October 1990

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI	Los Angeles- Anaheim- Riverside, CA	N.Y.- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA
Expenditure category						
All items	0.6	-0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4
Food and beverages	.3	-.2	.4	.5	.7	.6
Food	.3	-.2	.6	.4	.7	.7
Food at home	.4	-.4	1.1	.8	1.1	1.2
Cereals and bakery products	.2	-1.1	-.6	-.5	-.2	1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.5	-1.2	-.7	.9	2.2	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	.2	-1.6	-.6	.8	2.2	.5
Dairy products	.8	-.5	2.6	1.6	.4	3.8
Fruits and vegetables	-.3	2.1	2.5	-.6	2.0	2.0
Other food at home	.6	-.6	2.3	2.3	.1	.4
Food away from home	.3	.1	.0	.1	-.2	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	.2	.1	-1.8	.5	.6	.2
Housing	.1	-2.5	.4	-.1	-.4	-.1
Shelter	.1	.7	.1	.0	.9	.0
Renters' costs	.0	.4	-.6	.1	-.2	-.1
Rent, residential	.4	.8	.1	.3	.3	.9
Other renters' costs	-.9	-1.0	-4.2	-.9	-.9	-4.1
Homeowners' costs	.1	.9	.6	.0	1.3	.0
Owners' equivalent rent	.1	.9	.6	-.1	1.3	.1
Fuel and other utilities	-.5	-16.3	.2	-.3	-5.4	.2
Fuels	-1.1	-26.4	.7	-.6	-8.6	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	13.5	4.9	2.5	10.4	11.1	6.5
Fuel oil	14.0	11.3	-	10.8	14.3	11.0
Other household fuel commodities	12.0	-4.4	2.5	5.6	.0	6.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	-3.0	-27.0	.6	-4.5	-11.6	.0
Electricity	-4.6	-45.6	1.0	-6.5	-16.2	.0
Utility (piped) gas	.7	.7	.0	-.4	.1	.0
Household furnishings and operation	.4	-.4	1.5	-.7	.0	-1.0
Apparel and upkeep	1.3	-.1	1.4	.9	-.8	.9
Apparel commodities	1.4	-.1	1.5	1.0	-1.3	.9
Men's and boys' apparel	1.6	.1	1.6	1.8	-1.1	1.4
Women's and girls' apparel	1.3	.0	1.1	.7	-3.8	1.2
Footwear	1.6	-.8	1.1	1.9	6.2	.2
Transportation	2.3	3.9	1.9	3.0	3.0	2.0
Private transportation	2.3	4.1	1.9	3.2	3.3	2.1
Motor fuel	6.2	8.1	5.4	8.9	9.1	4.4
Gasoline	6.2	7.9	5.4	8.9	9.3	4.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	3.6	2.3	4.9	-	-	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular	6.5	8.4	5.6	10.3	9.3	4.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	5.9	6.8	5.3	7.6	8.6	4.6
Public transportation	1.8	2.2	1.8	1.8	.0	1.5
Medical care	.8	.4	1.6	.9	.3	.7
Entertainment	.1	.6	-.5	.6	-.4	-1.0
Other goods and services	.4	.5	.7	-.1	-.3	.6
Personal care	.3	.7	-.4	-.9	-.9	2.4

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

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI	Los Angeles- Anaheim- Riverside, CA	N.Y.- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA
Commodity and service group						
All items	0.6	-0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4
Commodities	1.2	.9	1.1	1.3	1.3	.7
Food and beverages	.3	-.2	.4	.5	.7	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	1.8	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.7	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.5
Durables	.7	.7	.6	1.3	1.4	-.3
Services	.2	-1.6	.5	.0	-.3	.2
Medical care services	.8	.3	1.7	1.0	.4	.6
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.8	-.8	1.1	.8	.2	.7
All items less medical care	.5	-.5	.7	.5	.4	.5
All items less energy	.4	.4	.6	.3	.6	.3
Energy	2.4	-9.5	3.4	2.9	-1.8	2.3
Commodities less food	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.9	1.6	.8
Nondurables less food	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.1	1.9	1.3
Nondurables	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.2	.9
Services less rent of shelter	.3	-3.9	.8	.1	-1.3	.5
Services less medical care	.1	-1.7	.3	-.1	-.3	.1

- 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												
	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas- Fort Worth, TX			Detroit- Ann Arbor, MI			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category													
All items	133.5	6.3	1.4	133.3	5.1	0.1	129.5	6.7	2.8	131.8	5.8	1.9	
All items (1967=100)	400.0	—	—	398.2	—	—	406.3	—	—	391.7	—	—	
Food and beverages	133.4	5.6	.5	131.1	6.4	.1	132.0	4.3	.4	127.7	5.1	.1	
Food	133.6	5.6	.5	131.1	6.6	.0	132.2	4.3	.3	127.5	5.3	.0	
Food at home	133.4	6.4	.5	135.2	7.3	-.2	129.6	4.8	.7	128.2	6.9	.0	
Cereals and bakery products	141.9	5.1	.4	145.3	7.0	1.3	136.7	.4	2.1	139.2	3.3	.7	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	132.5	8.3	1.1	136.9	8.7	-.8	128.6	7.3	.2	132.3	10.7	1.1	
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.9	8.7	.8	138.2	9.2	-1.1	129.5	7.0	.1	132.8	11.0	.8	
Dairy products	128.6	8.8	1.0	134.9	6.6	-.6	136.3	11.7	.4	120.8	9.8	-.9	
Fruits and vegetables	144.7	5.5	-1.0	144.3	11.0	1.1	130.6	6.2	.9	131.4	7.5	-2.1	
Other food at home	125.3	4.2	.8	122.5	3.3	-1.1	123.3	.0	.8	118.9	2.5	-.3	
Food away from home	135.0	4.6	.5	123.8	5.3	.2	136.9	3.6	-.2	127.2	2.5	.1	
Alcoholic beverages	131.0	4.6	.6	132.7	5.2	1.0	131.5	4.0	.9	129.6	3.2	.3	
Housing	130.6	5.0	.3	130.8	3.1	-2.6	118.3	4.0	1.9	128.7	3.8	.6	
Shelter	142.4	5.6	.0	148.2	5.6	.1	119.2	4.0	1.1	142.6	4.6	.2	
Renters' costs ²	148.9	6.4	-1.2	150.1	2.6	-1.3	121.1	5.4	.9	139.6	-.4	-2.5	
Rent, residential	140.5	4.3	.8	146.5	5.2	.8	116.3	4.9	2.6	138.5	4.2	.9	
Other renters' costs	156.6	12.5	-6.5	138.7	-5.8	-8.4	120.7	7.5	-4.6	131.6	-7.6	-8.0	
Homeowners' costs ²	147.2	5.4	.5	152.9	6.8	.7	125.5	3.5	1.2	146.8	6.2	1.1	
Owners' equivalent rent ²	147.5	5.4	.5	151.9	6.9	.7	126.6	3.6	1.3	147.4	6.3	1.0	
Fuel and other utilities	113.4	5.0	.6	97.7	-5.1	-16.1	122.8	8.2	5.7	113.5	.5	-.5	
Fuels	106.4	5.3	.8	80.1	-15.8	-26.0	126.5	7.0	8.7	107.1	-.6	.6	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	118.5	44.5	29.1	108.5	33.3	16.4	105.7	.2	.0	112.7	23.7	13.2	
Fuel oil	120.5	49.7	32.4	121.4	42.3	22.9	NA	—	—	122.1	38.9	25.1	
Other household fuel commodities ³	138.6	31.9	20.4	117.2	20.1	6.8	110.7	.2	.0	125.4	9.1	1.4	
Gas (piped) and electricity	109.0	1.3	-2.3	81.5	-16.6	-26.7	126.1	7.1	8.8	109.5	-1.4	.0	
Electricity	116.9	2.3	-4.0	74.8	-28.1	-45.0	127.7	10.5	13.4	131.8	3.9	.0	
Utility (piped) gas	97.1	-1.0	1.6	87.8	-4.1	.0	124.0	.6	-.1	93.3	-6.8	.0	
Household furnishings and operation	114.2	2.1	.8	113.7	1.2	1.4	116.5	.8	.8	107.8	4.5	4.2	
Apparel and upkeep	128.4	4.6	5.1	126.6	1.4	2.5	146.2	15.9	6.2	131.4	2.0	2.8	
Apparel commodities	126.4	4.4	5.4	127.6	1.4	2.7	140.8	16.5	6.7	131.0	1.9	2.9	
Men's and boys' apparel	123.6	2.7	3.6	116.2	-8.3	-.1	130.4	10.6	11.1	126.8	1.3	2.7	
Women's and girls' apparel	128.6	4.5	8.2	125.0	5.0	2.5	131.2	4.0	4.5	138.0	-.9	.2	
Footwear	120.5	2.5	3.6	136.9	-.1	8.3	122.6	5.5	2.0	121.0	3.4	16.3	
Transportation	125.8	9.9	4.3	124.5	9.3	4.7	123.6	10.5	6.0	130.4	10.1	5.1	
Private transportation	124.2	9.6	4.4	124.1	9.1	4.8	123.5	9.9	6.1	130.4	10.1	5.2	
Motor fuel	118.9	33.7	15.2	123.8	29.4	11.9	120.7	37.3	21.2	121.2	33.3	16.0	
Gasoline	118.7	33.7	15.1	123.3	29.4	12.0	120.6	37.4	21.1	121.4	33.3	16.4	
Gasoline, leaded regular	127.4	37.1	13.8	142.3	35.0	8.9	NA	—	—	NA	—	—	
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.2	35.3	16.0	121.3	30.4	12.5	118.3	38.7	22.3	119.9	34.1	17.1	
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.5	29.6	13.7	123.9	26.9	10.7	120.5	35.9	17.6	124.1	28.6	11.0	
Public transportation	146.6	12.3	3.3	127.4	10.2	3.3	131.5	18.5	4.5	131.7	10.9	4.6	

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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 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas- Fort Worth, TX			Detroit- Ann Arbor, MI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category												
Medical care	167.1	9.4	1.3	167.4	7.9	1.3	167.3	8.4	2.2	163.9	9.3	0.1
Entertainment	134.3	4.6	1.0	141.2	5.1	.9	139.8	4.1	2.3	129.6	5.8	2.2
Other goods and services	163.2	7.5	1.7	167.8	5.7	2.1	159.2	5.8	.6	152.7	7.8	4.2
Personal care	131.7	4.2	.8	127.9	4.3	.9	131.7	5.9	.0	115.5	7.2	3.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	133.5	6.3	1.4	133.3	5.1	.1	129.5	6.7	2.8	131.8	5.8	1.9
Commodities	126.1	6.8	2.7	127.9	6.0	1.9	126.3	7.3	3.4	123.8	6.5	2.7
Food and beverages	133.4	5.6	.5	131.1	6.4	.1	132.0	4.3	.4	127.7	5.1	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	121.5	7.5	4.0	125.6	5.6	3.3	121.9	8.6	4.6	121.7	7.5	4.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.0	11.8	6.3	132.1	8.8	4.4	129.9	14.8	6.7	128.5	11.4	5.8
Durables	113.6	1.3	.6	114.5	.4	1.2	113.2	1.1	2.0	108.6	.9	2.5
Services	141.7	6.0	.6	138.8	4.4	-1.6	132.8	6.2	2.3	141.1	5.1	1.0
Medical care services	167.2	9.8	1.3	164.5	7.3	1.1	171.2	9.5	3.4	166.2	9.0	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	131.2	6.6	2.0	128.8	4.9	.0	133.8	7.6	3.3	129.1	6.1	2.4
All items less medical care	131.5	6.0	1.5	131.5	5.0	.0	127.2	6.6	2.8	130.1	5.5	1.9
All items less energy	136.9	5.4	1.0	137.8	5.1	.8	132.9	5.6	1.8	134.6	4.9	1.2
Energy	111.4	17.8	7.5	100.5	5.9	-7.6	122.9	20.4	14.6	115.7	14.9	8.1
Commodities less food	121.8	7.4	3.9	125.7	5.6	3.1	122.2	8.5	4.5	121.9	7.3	4.4
Nondurables less food	126.8	11.1	5.8	131.5	8.5	4.0	129.6	14.0	6.2	128.2	10.8	5.3
Nondurables	130.4	8.6	3.2	131.7	7.6	2.2	132.5	10.0	3.8	128.3	8.2	2.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	145.4	6.1	1.1	135.8	3.0	-3.3	153.3	8.0	3.2	143.5	5.3	1.7
Services less medical care	139.1	5.5	.4	136.6	4.1	-1.8	129.3	5.9	2.2	138.7	4.7	1.1

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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 ¹								
	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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
All items	124.0	7.2	2.1	138.7	6.7	1.8	141.6	6.6	1.1
All items (1967=100)	397.8	-	-	409.7	-	-	409.2	-	-
Food and beverages	131.3	7.8	1.4	131.5	5.0	.6	141.1	6.2	.2
Food	131.8	7.8	1.6	130.8	5.0	.8	141.0	6.3	.1
Food at home	141.0	11.0	1.9	131.6	6.0	1.0	140.2	8.2	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	140.4	4.8	3.3	144.1	3.2	-.7	146.7	6.8	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	133.8	13.5	3.5	129.1	8.4	-.3	141.7	10.5	-.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	135.1	13.9	3.8	127.1	8.5	.2	142.5	10.8	.2
Dairy products	146.8	21.3	1.2	131.7	10.9	2.9	127.9	8.0	.1
Fruits and vegetables	149.9	9.6	4.0	137.1	2.5	2.5	150.8	7.3	-3.0
Other food at home	142.2	7.8	-1.2	124.8	5.0	1.3	131.9	6.5	1.9
Food away from home	117.3	2.3	1.0	130.2	3.5	.5	145.7	3.6	.5
Alcoholic beverages	125.0	8.2	-.2	138.2	5.4	-.9	140.8	3.7	1.0
Housing	107.2	5.3	.6	142.0	5.6	.9	141.2	5.6	-.6
Shelter	108.7	7.3	.1	151.9	6.1	.7	160.4	6.1	-1.2
Renters' costs ²	113.1	9.4	-.5	158.1	5.9	.4	163.5	7.9	-2.2
Rent, residential	105.3	9.8	1.2	151.8	3.8	1.4	152.2	4.8	.0
Other renters' costs	187.7	8.1	-4.6	155.1	17.5	-4.3	181.4	19.6	-9.0
Homeowners' costs ²	104.6	6.5	.6	161.8	6.4	.9	166.2	5.3	-.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	100.0	7.0	.6	161.9	6.5	.9	166.8	5.2	-.9
Fuel and other utilities	108.3	4.1	1.9	128.0	3.2	.2	104.9	7.0	2.6
Fuels	103.6	1.9	2.6	131.9	3.3	.8	103.6	10.6	4.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	NA	-	-	125.4	12.3	2.9	122.9	43.1	29.5
Fuel oil	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	123.3	44.5	30.9
Other household fuel commodities ³	124.0	19.9	16.5	125.6	12.2	2.9	129.1	24.0	10.7
Gas (piped) and electricity	103.5	1.4	2.1	132.0	3.2	.8	101.4	1.2	-3.4
Electricity	107.3	-.5	.3	141.4	5.4	1.1	104.9	2.6	-4.5
Utility (piped) gas	93.6	9.3	9.9	129.5	-1.0	.0	95.4	-1.4	-1.4
Household furnishings and operation	105.3	1.2	.7	115.9	4.6	1.9	113.1	.9	-1.5
Apparel and upkeep	134.9	5.8	1.8	127.4	6.7	4.2	128.0	5.2	5.6
Apparel commodities	135.1	5.2	1.8	124.8	6.8	4.6	125.3	5.4	6.4
Men's and boys' apparel	146.9	8.2	10.4	129.8	6.4	2.3	116.8	3.7	6.4
Women's and girls' apparel	138.4	-.4	-3.4	122.6	10.0	8.5	132.9	8.0	7.7
Footwear	119.2	.9	1.4	104.5	2.5	-2.4	124.6	.1	5.0
Transportation	122.1	11.0	6.7	131.5	10.5	3.5	129.0	10.4	5.7
Private transportation	122.7	11.3	7.0	128.0	9.4	3.3	124.9	9.8	6.3
Motor fuel	123.3	35.2	21.1	116.1	39.7	10.8	116.9	33.9	20.3
Gasoline	123.5	35.1	21.1	116.2	40.7	11.1	117.2	34.2	20.0
Gasoline, leaded regular	132.7	35.3	25.8	115.8	41.0	10.8	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	122.8	36.7	22.2	115.9	43.6	11.5	116.0	37.3	22.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.7	32.3	18.4	115.7	32.8	9.8	119.0	31.1	17.5
Public transportation	141.1	7.0	3.0	179.7	19.0	4.8	145.1	13.6	3.1

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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 ¹								
	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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
Medical care	168.0	11.2	2.5	168.5	10.2	2.7	177.5	11.1	1.4
Entertainment	136.1	.2	.2	128.2	4.3	3.7	137.1	4.1	1.6
Other goods and services	156.6	6.9	.0	170.3	6.8	2.7	168.3	7.0	1.9
Personal care	117.3	4.8	-.8	140.6	5.3	-1.4	141.1	2.8	.7
Commodity and service group									
All items	124.0	7.2	2.1	138.7	6.7	1.8	141.6	6.6	1.1
Commodities	126.4	7.6	3.1	125.4	7.3	2.0	131.0	7.2	2.8
Food and beverages	131.3	7.8	1.4	131.5	5.0	.6	141.1	6.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	123.1	7.5	4.1	121.3	8.8	3.1	122.7	8.2	5.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.2	10.5	5.9	129.6	13.9	4.8	127.7	11.7	7.7
Durables	116.8	3.0	1.5	109.4	1.4	.4	113.3	1.4	.2
Services	121.5	6.9	1.1	150.7	6.3	1.6	151.4	6.2	-.1
Medical care services	163.9	10.8	2.6	168.7	10.4	2.7	180.4	11.8	1.2
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	128.3	7.2	2.6	134.0	6.9	2.3	134.8	6.9	2.3
All items less medical care	121.2	6.9	2.1	137.0	6.4	1.7	139.7	6.3	1.1
All items less energy	127.2	6.2	1.2	141.2	5.7	1.4	145.5	5.8	.5
Energy	114.5	19.3	12.8	120.4	22.0	6.5	107.8	18.5	9.8
Commodities less food	123.0	7.5	3.9	122.1	8.5	2.8	123.4	8.0	4.9
Nondurables less food	126.4	10.3	5.3	129.9	12.9	4.2	128.2	11.0	7.1
Nondurables	129.7	9.2	3.6	130.8	9.1	2.6	135.4	8.6	3.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	133.9	6.0	1.5	155.8	6.2	2.6	148.0	6.2	1.4
Services less medical care	116.3	6.2	.8	149.0	5.9	1.5	149.0	5.7	-.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 ¹									
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category										
All items	138.8	6.4	1.1	129.6	6.5	2.0	134.6	5.6	1.1	
All items (1967=100)	401.0	-	-	395.6	-	-	413.7	-	-	
Food and beverages	132.5	4.3	.2	125.9	5.9	.6	136.5	5.0	1.2	
Food	132.0	4.3	.2	125.3	5.7	.6	137.6	5.1	1.2	
Food at home	137.2	5.1	.3	123.4	5.9	.1	139.4	5.8	2.0	
Cereals and bakery products	145.0	7.0	-.6	128.7	5.9	3.0	142.2	3.3	1.1	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.1	4.1	.6	122.7	8.1	.9	135.2	6.1	1.5	
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.0	4.2	.4	123.3	7.8	.3	133.3	6.7	1.1	
Dairy products	120.5	6.4	-.7	117.9	5.5	-.3	129.8	12.1	2.9	
Fruits and vegetables	149.6	7.5	-.8	129.3	3.7	-3.7	163.1	4.7	4.4	
Other food at home	132.7	2.6	1.8	120.1	4.9	.5	128.9	4.8	.4	
Food away from home	123.1	2.8	-.1	129.9	5.5	1.5	136.2	4.3	.2	
Alcoholic beverages	139.2	4.7	.1	132.8	6.9	1.0	128.0	4.3	.9	
Housing	141.1	6.2	-.2	127.6	5.6	.7	138.6	3.9	.1	
Shelter	161.5	6.5	.7	135.2	7.0	.4	147.8	4.5	.1	
Renters' costs ²	167.1	9.3	-3.2	136.1	8.7	-2.1	165.6	6.8	-.2	
Rent, residential	153.5	4.2	.3	128.9	2.7	.8	152.8	4.2	.7	
Other renters' costs	185.0	-	-9.0	144.5	23.2	-7.5	150.6	19.1	-3.6	
Homeowners' costs ²	169.0	5.4	2.3	134.6	6.6	1.3	160.7	3.3	.2	
Owners' equivalent rent ²	169.7	5.4	2.4	134.7	6.7	1.4	161.2	3.3	.3	
Fuel and other utilities	112.9	6.8	-4.5	126.3	6.7	1.4	128.9	4.5	.6	
Fuels	108.0	8.0	-7.0	121.0	7.7	2.1	138.9	4.4	.2	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	112.0	45.1	28.3	NA	-	-	129.4	9.1	10.7	
Fuel oil	111.1	48.1	38.0	124.5	59.2	27.2	143.3	48.5	33.4	
Other household fuel commodities ³	155.1	33.4	.0	NA	-	-	141.6	5.4	8.2	
Gas (piped) and electricity	118.6	3.0	-11.6	120.9	6.1	1.2	139.2	4.3	.0	
Electricity	131.2	2.8	-16.1	130.3	10.1	1.8	154.2	7.4	.0	
Utility (piped) gas	101.5	3.4	.2	113.5	2.7	.8	125.2	-.4	.0	
Household furnishings and operation	114.8	3.8	1.4	109.2	.0	.6	116.8	.3	-.4	
Apparel and upkeep	105.1	7.5	4.4	129.1	1.3	2.9	113.2	4.6	5.2	
Apparel commodities	101.3	6.5	4.3	127.3	1.4	3.0	108.8	4.0	5.3	
Men's and boys' apparel	110.0	8.2	2.4	116.6	3.5	2.7	114.0	2.2	5.9	
Women's and girls' apparel	82.0	6.8	8.0	132.3	1.2	1.2	94.9	2.2	3.4	
Footwear	108.2	-8.8	5.2	117.3	3.2	4.6	114.6	2.9	3.6	
Transportation	132.1	7.1	4.9	118.8	10.9	6.6	119.1	9.3	3.2	
Private transportation	129.6	6.9	5.3	117.5	10.8	6.9	117.9	9.2	3.1	
Motor fuel	127.0	35.1	20.8	114.7	39.4	16.8	118.2	32.8	9.4	
Gasoline	126.6	36.0	22.0	114.6	39.2	16.7	118.0	32.7	9.4	
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	122.6	37.9	11.3	
Gasoline, unleaded regular	125.5	39.3	23.3	111.9	40.4	17.1	115.1	33.1	9.6	
Gasoline, unleaded premium	120.6	29.1	18.5	114.2	34.0	14.8	117.0	27.9	7.4	
Public transportation	161.2	8.6	2.0	132.4	13.7	3.8	136.8	10.4	4.4	

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 ¹								
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
Medical care	171.5	4.5	0.6	165.1	10.1	1.7	164.2	9.2	0.9
Entertainment	133.7	2.6	-.4	139.1	2.5	-.5	144.6	9.9	-.6
Other goods and services	178.5	13.0	-.4	153.8	7.5	2.2	163.8	5.7	1.5
Personal care	153.3	8.3	1.2	117.3	2.9	-.1	148.0	6.4	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	138.8	6.4	1.1	129.6	6.5	2.0	134.6	5.6	1.1
Commodities	122.7	7.3	2.9	124.1	7.0	2.8	125.6	6.0	1.8
Food and beverages	132.5	4.3	.2	125.9	5.9	.6	136.5	5.0	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	116.2	9.5	4.8	122.7	7.9	4.4	118.5	6.9	2.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	119.9	15.6	6.9	129.0	11.5	5.3	123.0	11.2	4.1
Durables	112.3	1.4	1.8	112.4	1.8	2.6	111.1	.4	-.7
Services	156.6	5.6	-.3	135.7	6.0	1.1	142.9	5.2	.6
Medical care services	172.3	3.4	.5	158.6	7.1	1.1	163.0	9.0	.8
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	132.3	6.3	1.1	128.2	6.4	2.4	131.1	6.2	1.6
All items less medical care	137.0	6.4	1.0	127.4	6.3	2.0	133.1	5.5	1.1
All items less energy	142.4	5.3	.8	131.3	5.1	1.3	136.7	4.8	.8
Energy	114.9	18.1	3.2	120.1	21.1	8.8	124.6	17.5	4.8
Commodities less food	117.1	9.2	4.6	123.0	7.7	4.1	118.7	6.6	2.2
Nondurables less food	121.0	14.7	6.3	129.0	11.1	5.0	122.6	10.4	3.7
Nondurables	126.5	9.3	3.2	127.7	8.6	2.9	129.8	7.6	2.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	156.7	4.7	-1.1	140.3	5.1	1.5	144.0	6.3	1.4
Services less medical care	155.1	5.8	-.3	133.3	5.9	1.1	141.5	5.0	.6

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see table 11) will appear next month.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

^{NA} 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 schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1990 from—		
		July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Sept. 1989	July 1990	Aug. 1990
U.S. city average	M	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9	6.2	1.5	0.6	6.1	1.9	0.9
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	134.6	135.8	137.2	138.1	6.7	1.7	.7	6.5	1.9	1.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	134.3	135.5	136.8	137.7	6.7	1.6	.7	6.3	1.9	1.0
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	133.8	135.6	136.2	137.1	6.6	1.1	.7	6.7	1.8	.4
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	136.1	136.8	139.6	140.1	6.5	2.4	.4	6.7	2.6	2.0
North Central urban	M	124.7	126.3	127.4	128.0	5.9	1.3	.5	5.8	2.2	.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	125.6	127.0	127.8	128.2	5.6	.9	.3	5.4	1.8	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	123.2	125.2	126.0	126.8	5.7	1.3	.6	6.2	2.3	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	124.8	126.5	128.7	129.6	6.6	2.5	.7	6.5	3.1	1.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	122.2	123.9	125.0	125.7	6.4	1.5	.6	6.2	2.3	.9
South urban	M	126.9	127.8	128.9	130.0	6.2	1.7	.9	5.7	1.6	.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	127.3	127.8	129.2	130.5	6.2	2.1	1.0	5.5	1.5	1.1
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	126.1	127.3	128.3	129.5	6.1	1.7	.9	5.4	1.7	.8
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	126.3	128.0	129.0	129.9	6.3	1.5	.7	6.2	2.1	.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	128.4	129.0	129.5	129.8	6.7	.6	.2	7.0	.9	.4
West urban	M	129.6	130.4	131.7	132.6	6.4	1.7	.7	6.0	1.6	1.0
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	129.9	130.7	132.0	132.8	6.3	1.6	.6	5.9	1.6	1.0
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	127.8	129.1	130.4	131.1	6.6	1.5	.5	6.8	2.0	1.0
Size classes											
A ³	M	118.3	119.3	120.3	121.1	6.2	1.5	.7	5.8	1.7	.8
B	M	127.8	129.2	130.1	131.2	6.1	1.5	.8	5.9	1.8	.7
C	M	128.0	129.5	131.2	132.0	6.5	1.9	.6	6.4	2.5	1.3
D	M	127.1	128.2	129.2	129.8	6.7	1.2	.5	6.6	1.7	.8

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 schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1990 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1990 from—		
		July 1990	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Sept. 1990	Sept. 1989	July 1990	Aug. 1990
Selected local areas											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	128.0	129.3	129.9	129.4	5.3	0.1	-0.4	5.5	1.5	0.5
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	131.6	132.3	133.5	134.5	6.3	1.7	.7	5.5	1.4	.9
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	136.0	137.4	138.7	139.5	6.7	1.5	.6	6.4	2.0	.9
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	136.6	137.5	138.6	139.1	6.5	1.2	.4	6.3	1.5	.8
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	131.3	132.0	132.9	133.6	5.4	1.2	.5	5.4	1.2	.7
Baltimore, MD	1	129.5	-	132.3	-	-	-	-	5.5	2.2	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	137.9	-	141.4	-	-	-	-	6.6	2.5	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	122.7	-	125.0	-	-	-	-	5.8	1.9	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	126.7	-	128.2	-	-	-	-	5.6	1.2	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	127.3	-	129.3	-	-	-	-	4.7	1.6	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	134.6	-	136.9	-	-	-	-	5.7	1.7	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	-	125.4	-	128.8	6.4	2.7	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	-	126.5	-	128.7	5.9	1.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	121.9	-	124.7	7.7	2.3	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	-	122.0	-	124.6	6.7	2.1	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

³ 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,¹ 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—		
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category													
All items	138.1	6.7	0.7	128.0	5.9	0.5	130.0	6.2	0.9	132.6	6.4	0.7	
All items (December 1977 = 100)	215.7	-	-	207.0	-	-	210.5	-	-	213.3	-	-	
Food and beverages	136.8	5.4	.2	130.3	5.8	.1	132.4	5.9	.5	132.9	5.5	.5	
Food	136.8	5.4	.1	130.6	5.8	.1	133.0	6.0	.5	133.0	5.6	.5	
Food at home	136.1	6.5	.1	131.0	6.4	.1	131.9	6.5	.5	133.2	6.2	.8	
Cereals and bakery products	144.1	5.7	-.1	141.6	5.4	.4	138.5	4.3	.2	142.8	4.1	.2	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.6	8.1	.3	131.4	9.2	.4	129.7	8.8	.9	131.5	7.4	-.2	
Dairy products	125.6	7.4	.5	129.6	8.2	-.2	131.5	9.8	1.0	127.8	10.7	1.9	
Fruits and vegetables	146.2	6.0	-.9	136.7	5.2	-.7	144.2	4.9	-.7	149.3	5.5	1.0	
Other food at home	129.4	4.4	.4	123.0	3.4	.0	124.7	4.4	.7	123.8	4.5	1.4	
Sugar and sweets	128.0	3.3	.2	125.3	4.6	.6	125.6	4.7	.2	128.6	4.3	1.3	
Fats and oils	131.0	4.3	-1.4	125.5	5.8	-.1	126.8	5.4	1.1	128.7	5.8	-.3	
Nonalcoholic beverages	123.4	4.0	.5	113.9	2.2	.6	113.1	2.6	1.3	110.4	4.2	2.2	
Other prepared food	135.4	5.3	.7	129.6	3.5	-.6	135.1	5.5	.4	132.2	4.5	1.2	
Food away from home	139.9	3.6	.3	130.2	4.9	.2	136.0	4.9	.5	133.1	4.6	.2	
Alcoholic beverages	136.7	4.6	.4	127.6	4.4	.1	125.1	4.5	.2	133.1	5.3	-.1	
Housing	139.0	5.8	.1	122.1	4.0	-.5	123.0	4.1	.2	131.1	5.2	.2	
Shelter	158.2	5.7	.1	131.8	5.3	.4	127.7	4.8	.2	139.1	6.0	-.1	
Renters' costs ²	144.4	6.6	.0	127.7	3.6	.2	122.2	5.3	.6	132.5	6.3	-.3	
Rent, residential	152.5	4.0	.2	134.5	4.1	.4	127.5	4.6	.3	143.5	4.6	.3	
Other renters' costs	176.1	18.9	-.9	143.0	1.5	-.9	155.1	9.3	1.8	154.2	19.1	-4.3	
Homeowners' costs ²	148.3	5.3	.1	131.7	6.0	.5	121.2	4.6	-.1	135.3	6.0	.1	
Owners' equivalent rent ²	148.9	5.4	.1	131.9	6.0	.5	121.0	4.6	-.1	135.3	6.1	.1	
Maintenance and repairs	130.7	3.6	-3.1	119.5	4.8	-1.5	119.8	2.6	-1.0	115.7	3.0	1.5	
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	126.1	9.7	.0	123.2	6.7	.3	NA	-	-	
Maintenance and repair commodities	114.9	1.2	-.3	110.4	.4	-2.8	115.2	-2.9	-2.8	115.5	1.1	1.4	
Fuel and other utilities	109.4	8.7	.6	108.9	2.6	-3.4	118.9	4.4	-.2	117.8	3.1	.8	
Fuels	104.5	11.9	.1	97.1	-.8	-5.5	111.1	4.8	-.8	116.9	2.9	1.6	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	118.7	46.9	13.3	113.1	43.9	13.0	117.3	38.7	13.1	115.8	23.5	13.0	
Fuel oil	119.9	49.7	13.8	121.3	50.7	14.4	121.0	51.3	13.9	140.2	41.3	18.0	
Other household fuel commodities ³	142.0	33.7	11.3	136.8	37.2	11.4	139.6	31.3	12.5	125.3	15.5	10.5	
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.8	3.2	-3.8	100.1	-2.8	-6.4	112.4	2.8	-1.7	118.7	2.3	1.2	
Electricity	117.5	5.8	-4.2	110.2	-2.8	-13.0	114.8	2.6	-2.2	128.4	3.8	1.4	
Utility (piped) gas	93.2	-1.6	-2.9	90.5	-2.9	3.8	104.8	3.9	.7	110.0	-.7	.6	
Other utilities and public services	134.1	3.8	1.3	137.0	7.7	-.6	136.7	4.0	.5	125.5	3.1	.0	
Household furnishings and operation	113.0	2.1	-.1	112.1	1.4	.0	113.9	1.2	.6	114.9	3.4	.8	
Housefurnishings	104.0	1.0	-.1	104.2	.7	-.6	109.3	.1	.7	108.3	3.0	1.5	
Housekeeping supplies	126.9	3.0	-1.1	129.7	2.8	1.2	119.9	1.8	.0	129.0	4.3	-1.5	
Housekeeping services	127.1	5.0	1.0	118.7	2.5	.5	123.8	5.3	1.2	120.1	3.8	.2	
Apparel and upkeep	125.6	5.5	.6	127.0	3.0	1.6	132.1	3.6	.8	122.8	5.2	1.7	
Apparel commodities	123.1	5.1	.5	126.3	2.9	1.6	129.8	3.1	.9	120.2	5.2	1.8	
Men's and boys' apparel	119.7	3.3	1.9	119.5	-.7	.6	127.7	2.7	1.6	123.1	4.5	1.6	
Women's and girls' apparel	124.9	7.8	.0	129.8	3.4	2.4	135.6	2.0	.6	114.8	4.6	2.0	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	129.0	7.1	-1.8	149.3	10.3	-.1	122.7	-4.1	-.9	110.0	15.9	-1.6	
Footwear	120.3	-1.0	1.7	124.9	4.3	2.1	121.5	3.1	1.0	114.6	3.8	1.0	
Other apparel commodities	136.3	8.4	-1.3	121.4	3.6	.7	128.9	12.5	.5	140.9	6.6	3.7	
Apparel services	145.2	9.5	.8	126.1	4.0	.6	145.8	9.7	.4	139.2	5.9	.5	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Regions,¹ 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—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
Expenditure category												
Transportation	126.4	9.8	2.6	124.6	9.9	2.4	125.8	10.8	2.4	126.1	9.4	1.8
Private transportation	124.5	9.7	2.7	124.0	10.0	2.5	125.5	11.0	2.5	124.7	9.1	1.8
New vehicles	119.5	1.7	1.8	120.1	2.0	1.2	124.2	2.7	1.4	120.7	3.2	.7
New cars	118.6	1.3	2.0	118.0	.9	1.1	123.9	2.1	1.1	120.9	2.2	.7
Used cars	117.0	-.9	-.2	116.7	-1.9	-.1	119.5	-1.2	-.2	117.2	-1.3	-.2
Motor fuel	118.6	34.3	7.4	122.1	32.7	5.7	118.4	33.8	6.9	116.3	34.9	5.0
Gasoline	118.6	34.5	7.4	121.8	32.7	5.5	118.0	33.3	6.7	116.1	35.2	5.0
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	130.3	35.4	3.3	124.6	34.0	3.5	118.4	37.4	4.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.5	37.1	8.0	120.0	33.8	5.9	115.7	35.0	7.1	114.9	36.8	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.2	30.3	6.6	125.6	28.2	5.2	119.8	30.2	6.6	115.1	29.2	4.2
Maintenance and repairs	141.3	5.4	-.3	123.2	3.4	.8	131.8	4.2	.8	134.5	5.1	.7
Other private transportation	138.9	3.8	1.2	136.6	4.6	1.7	148.4	9.0	1.2	146.0	2.7	1.0
Other private transportation commodities	102.9	1.1	-.1	100.4	.4	.1	101.3	.1	-.1	100.8	-.2	-.3
Other private transportation services	145.7	4.2	1.4	144.2	5.4	2.0	161.8	11.1	1.4	157.0	3.6	1.4
Public transportation	144.7	11.3	1.3	139.5	9.3	1.8	136.0	9.9	1.3	152.8	13.2	1.9
Medical care	172.7	8.8	.6	161.7	8.2	.6	166.2	9.1	.8	168.0	10.0	1.0
Medical care commodities	166.0	9.9	.7	166.1	7.4	.8	164.9	7.6	.0	167.6	8.9	.9
Medical care services	174.2	8.5	.6	160.8	8.4	.6	166.5	9.5	1.0	168.0	10.2	1.0
Professional medical services	166.7	6.2	.3	153.5	6.2	.1	160.8	7.5	.8	155.8	7.6	.5
Entertainment	137.1	4.7	.5	132.6	4.5	.2	128.9	3.5	.4	133.4	4.4	-.2
Entertainment commodities	124.5	2.5	.6	126.1	3.6	.6	121.4	2.5	.4	127.0	3.2	-.2
Entertainment services	154.5	7.0	.5	141.8	5.5	-.4	142.8	4.9	.4	143.5	5.7	-.1
Other goods and services	171.4	9.7	.1	159.0	6.5	.3	158.2	6.7	.4	163.1	7.2	.6
Tobacco and smoking products	189.7	14.1	.0	183.5	8.4	.1	178.5	9.6	.2	198.0	8.3	.1
Personal care	138.7	4.9	-.2	124.2	3.2	.7	128.1	3.4	.3	136.3	5.5	.4
Personal and educational expenses	183.0	8.9	.2	168.7	6.4	.1	172.3	6.2	.6	174.4	7.3	.9
Commodity and service group												
All items	138.1	6.7	.7	128.0	5.9	.5	130.0	6.2	.9	132.6	6.4	.7
Commodities	128.3	7.6	1.3	124.1	6.7	1.1	126.0	6.6	1.3	124.9	6.8	1.0
Food and beverages	136.8	5.4	.2	130.3	5.8	.1	132.4	5.9	.5	132.9	5.5	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	122.3	9.4	2.1	120.6	7.3	1.7	122.2	7.0	1.7	120.0	7.8	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.4	14.0	2.6	128.5	11.8	2.6	127.8	11.8	2.5	126.4	12.9	2.2
Apparel commodities	123.1	5.1	.5	126.3	2.9	1.6	129.8	3.1	.9	120.2	5.2	1.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	131.5	18.7	3.6	132.0	16.1	2.9	129.7	16.4	3.3	132.1	16.6	2.4
Durables	112.5	1.3	1.0	108.8	.8	.4	114.1	.9	.7	112.1	1.6	.4
Services	150.9	5.9	.1	133.7	5.0	-.1	135.7	5.9	.4	141.2	5.9	.4
Rent of shelter ²	147.5	5.7	.1	130.7	5.3	.4	121.4	4.8	.1	134.1	6.1	-.1
Household services less rent of shelter ²	111.3	3.5	-1.3	108.1	1.8	-3.1	116.1	3.6	-.4	115.2	2.9	.5
Transportation services	144.6	6.1	1.0	138.4	5.6	1.7	150.1	9.2	1.3	150.4	5.5	1.3
Medical care services	174.2	8.5	.6	160.8	8.4	.6	166.5	9.5	1.0	168.0	10.2	1.0
Other services	163.4	7.9	.3	145.5	5.7	.0	150.4	6.3	.5	149.3	6.3	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Regions,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Special indexes												
All items less food	138.3	7.0	0.7	127.3	5.8	0.6	129.2	6.3	0.9	132.5	6.6	0.7
All items less shelter	132.3	7.0	.8	127.6	6.0	.5	130.9	6.6	1.0	130.9	6.5	1.0
All items less homeowners' costs ²	127.6	7.0	.7	122.4	5.9	.5	123.8	6.4	.9	125.1	6.5	.8
All items less medical care	136.6	6.6	.6	126.4	5.8	.5	127.8	6.1	.8	130.8	6.2	.6
Commodities less food	122.8	9.1	2.0	120.7	7.2	1.6	122.2	7.0	1.7	120.4	7.6	1.3
Nondurables less food	126.7	13.1	2.4	128.0	11.2	2.3	127.1	11.3	2.3	126.2	12.0	1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	130.8	16.8	3.2	130.6	14.8	2.6	128.2	15.2	3.0	130.3	14.8	2.0
Nondurables	131.9	9.2	1.2	129.5	8.6	1.3	130.2	8.8	1.5	129.8	8.8	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	131.9	6.1	.0	125.0	4.6	-.6	131.9	6.6	.5	133.5	5.6	.8
Services less medical care	149.0	5.7	.0	131.3	4.7	-.2	132.2	5.4	.2	138.9	5.5	.3
Energy	109.8	21.2	3.4	109.6	16.0	.6	113.3	18.9	3.3	116.6	20.5	3.6
All items less energy	142.3	5.5	.4	131.0	4.8	.5	132.6	4.9	.5	135.0	5.4	.4
All items less food and energy	144.0	5.5	.4	131.1	4.5	.5	132.6	4.7	.5	135.5	5.3	.4
Commodities less food and energy	126.1	4.1	.5	121.9	2.7	.7	124.6	2.6	.6	123.4	3.8	.7
Energy commodities	118.6	37.1	8.8	122.0	33.2	6.0	118.7	34.0	7.1	117.3	34.5	5.1
Services less energy	155.4	6.1	.3	138.2	5.8	.5	138.6	6.1	.5	143.0	6.1	.3

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	121.1	6.2	0.7	131.2	6.1	0.8	132.0	6.5	0.6	129.8	6.7	0.5
All items (December 1977 = 100)	121.1	-	-	211.9	-	-	211.5	-	-	209.8	-	-
Food and beverages	120.2	5.8	.3	133.2	5.5	.1	131.9	5.5	.3	131.0	5.2	.2
Food	120.4	5.9	.4	133.6	5.6	.1	132.3	5.6	.3	131.4	5.2	.2
Food at home	122.6	6.9	.5	133.9	6.4	.0	131.0	5.7	.2	130.1	5.5	.2
Cereals and bakery products	126.6	5.3	-2	142.1	4.6	.9	139.1	3.8	.0	141.6	5.6	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	121.9	8.6	.2	133.8	9.5	.0	128.6	7.3	1.1	129.5	8.0	1.1
Dairy products	123.4	9.6	1.0	128.2	8.3	.5	125.7	8.2	.3	126.4	7.5	.4
Fruits and vegetables	130.2	5.6	.4	148.5	5.6	-1.4	144.2	5.3	-9	141.6	3.4	-2.5
Other food at home	115.9	4.8	1.0	124.5	3.0	.0	125.1	4.1	.0	120.9	2.9	.3
Sugar and sweets	115.8	4.9	1.0	125.9	2.0	-6	127.3	4.6	.4	122.1	3.8	-1
Fats and oils	121.6	6.0	.1	126.2	3.3	-1.0	127.0	5.0	-2	122.2	6.4	1.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	109.3	4.5	1.9	111.1	1.0	.3	114.0	2.4	-4	110.0	.1	.7
Other prepared food	120.4	4.8	.7	136.5	4.7	.2	133.3	5.0	.2	128.4	3.5	-2
Food away from home	116.9	4.3	.3	134.0	4.4	.4	135.7	5.4	.4	134.1	4.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	118.0	4.7	.0	130.0	4.3	.5	128.0	4.7	.5	125.6	5.3	-2
Housing	117.5	4.7	-1	127.4	4.8	.5	128.9	4.7	-1	125.0	5.5	.0
Shelter	121.2	5.4	.3	136.5	5.2	.1	139.6	5.8	-6	135.6	5.7	.1
Renters' costs ³	119.3	5.6	.2	136.1	6.7	.1	124.7	4.2	-3	123.1	4.9	-2
Rent, residential	117.6	4.4	.4	138.0	4.2	.3	132.2	4.4	-3	129.6	3.8	-2
Other renters' costs	130.1	12.9	-1.6	181.9	14.7	-5	141.4	2.8	-5	141.6	11.6	-8
Homeowners' costs ³	122.4	5.3	.5	132.0	4.6	.2	132.6	6.4	-6	128.1	6.0	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ³	122.6	5.4	.4	132.2	4.7	.2	132.9	6.6	-6	128.0	6.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs	111.5	3.6	-8	120.4	2.2	-3.8	124.3	5.6	-6	120.3	1.8	-1.6
Maintenance and repair services	116.5	8.5	-2	NA	-	-	131.9	5.8	-1.0	122.2	1.2	-2.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	105.6	-2.0	-1.5	116.9	.5	-2.3	114.6	5.3	-1	117.6	2.6	.0
Fuel and other utilities	112.2	4.1	-2.3	115.3	5.7	1.5	118.6	4.5	1.1	113.0	7.0	-1
Fuels	113.6	3.6	-4.1	105.6	6.9	1.7	110.6	5.3	1.4	101.5	5.4	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	164.4	41.4	11.4	115.2	42.8	13.9	121.5	48.2	15.7	113.8	48.0	15.3
Fuel oil	173.7	46.0	12.5	125.0	54.9	14.7	121.3	53.0	17.0	122.5	57.9	15.6
Other household fuel commodities ²	135.9	25.6	7.2	134.1	27.7	13.1	145.1	41.3	14.0	140.2	37.6	15.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	109.6	.5	-5.5	107.8	2.9	.0	114.5	1.4	-3	105.7	1.3	-1.6
Electricity	113.6	1.7	-9.0	117.7	4.2	-3	121.8	1.5	-7	114.7	1.6	-2.3
Utility (piped) gas	103.4	-1.7	1.1	90.5	-1.0	.7	103.3	1.0	.8	90.7	.3	.7
Other utilities and public services	110.3	4.5	-2	139.2	4.5	1.4	137.4	3.3	.8	139.1	8.8	-4
Household furnishings and operation	107.7	2.1	.4	114.7	2.0	.4	110.5	1.2	.3	112.4	2.5	.0
Housefurnishings	104.2	1.5	.5	109.1	.8	.3	102.6	.1	.2	105.1	1.1	.0
Housekeeping supplies	116.7	2.2	-3	122.2	3.8	-2	126.8	3.0	.6	126.3	4.2	-1.0
Housekeeping services	110.7	3.9	.4	125.0	4.6	2.0	120.1	3.3	.1	120.5	5.2	1.3
Apparel and upkeep	119.2	4.9	1.1	127.0	2.8	1.5	129.2	3.2	.9	124.0	5.1	1.3
Apparel commodities	119.1	4.6	1.1	124.8	2.3	1.6	127.9	2.6	.9	122.9	5.1	1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	115.4	2.2	1.7	120.4	2.1	2.2	127.5	3.1	-2	114.5	1.5	1.5
Women's and girls' apparel	119.3	5.7	.7	133.2	1.3	1.6	131.1	1.9	2.0	128.5	7.7	2.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	115.9	9.8	-3	114.4	1.9	-2.6	139.9	.9	-2.6	110.4	-2.0	3.4
Footwear	117.7	2.0	1.8	118.7	3.8	1.5	121.9	2.7	.9	122.8	3.8	.2
Other apparel commodities	134.1	8.8	1.1	117.9	7.5	4.1	122.4	6.3	.1	134.0	10.5	-1.0
Apparel services	119.5	7.5	.9	140.0	7.4	-4	141.3	10.2	.6	130.5	4.6	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
Transportation	124.6	9.8	2.6	125.9	9.7	2.2	125.4	11.5	2.1	125.1	9.8	1.4
Private transportation	125.2	9.7	2.7	125.0	9.5	2.1	124.9	11.5	2.1	123.4	9.7	1.3
New vehicles	106.1	1.9	1.4	120.4	1.5	.8	122.8	4.2	1.6	122.8	3.3	.6
New cars	105.6	1.6	1.5	118.1	.3	.5	122.2	2.7	1.5	121.2	1.8	.7
Used cars	109.1	-1.5	-1	120.8	-.8	-2	117.9	-1.5	-1	119.5	-1.6	-.3
Motor fuel	173.5	34.3	7.1	118.3	33.4	6.5	120.3	35.0	4.7	115.8	29.8	4.0
Gasoline	173.7	34.4	7.1	118.2	33.1	6.4	119.9	34.6	4.5	115.0	29.1	3.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	190.0	37.1	4.2	130.8	39.0	4.2	129.2	40.1	2.1	116.5	28.4	3.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	174.8	36.3	7.4	116.4	35.0	6.7	117.8	35.4	4.7	111.9	29.8	3.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	162.2	29.6	6.7	120.0	29.6	6.0	122.0	30.6	3.9	118.6	28.6	4.0
Maintenance and repairs	118.4	4.9	.3	132.9	4.6	.8	129.1	4.7	.9	124.9	.7	.3
Other private transportation	120.9	4.2	1.4	143.3	4.9	.9	144.6	8.0	1.3	135.9	7.3	.7
Other private transportation commodities	104.6	.1	-.6	101.9	.1	.4	100.5	-.4	.3	113.7	3.0	.3
Other private transportation services	124.8	5.1	1.9	153.4	5.9	1.0	156.6	10.0	1.4	141.5	8.5	.9
Public transportation	118.1	10.9	1.5	151.8	11.7	1.8	141.1	9.5	1.9	171.9	14.7	2.3
Medical care	133.1	8.7	.7	165.7	10.0	.9	165.8	8.2	1.2	163.8	10.0	.2
Medical care commodities	134.3	8.8	.4	167.5	7.6	.8	161.6	7.6	.8	161.9	7.9	.4
Medical care services	132.9	8.8	.8	165.4	10.5	.9	166.7	8.4	1.3	164.2	10.5	.2
Professional medical services	127.6	6.7	.5	155.4	7.5	.5	161.7	5.8	.7	161.9	8.5	-.4
Entertainment	118.9	4.5	.1	128.0	4.1	.6	136.3	3.7	.3	126.1	4.1	-.2
Entertainment commodities	115.2	3.0	.3	119.7	3.8	.6	128.0	2.3	.2	123.9	2.4	.2
Entertainment services	122.9	6.0	-.1	142.4	4.6	.6	150.8	5.6	.5	129.9	6.8	-.7
Other goods and services	132.6	7.5	.2	162.9	7.0	.7	158.4	7.8	.1	159.3	8.4	.5
Tobacco and smoking products	148.5	10.9	.0	181.4	9.3	.4	183.4	9.4	.1	182.4	8.6	.0
Personal care	117.2	4.5	.2	131.1	4.7	.3	129.7	2.9	.5	121.8	3.1	1.0
Personal and educational expenses	130.8	6.8	.4	178.4	6.3	1.0	167.4	8.4	-.1	172.1	10.0	.6
Commodity and service group												
All items	121.1	6.2	.7	131.2	6.1	.8	132.0	6.5	.6	129.8	6.7	.5
Commodities	121.2	7.1	1.3	125.3	6.6	1.2	126.0	7.0	1.0	125.4	6.7	.8
Food and beverages	120.2	5.8	.3	133.2	5.5	.1	131.9	5.5	.3	131.0	5.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	121.9	7.9	1.8	120.8	7.3	1.9	122.4	7.8	1.5	122.0	7.8	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	134.1	12.6	2.5	126.1	12.1	2.9	128.3	12.5	2.1	126.5	12.8	2.0
Apparel commodities	119.1	4.6	1.1	124.8	2.3	1.6	127.9	2.6	.9	122.9	5.1	1.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	142.9	16.9	3.2	129.3	16.8	3.4	131.1	17.2	2.7	129.3	15.9	2.2
Durables	106.0	1.0	.7	112.4	1.0	.4	113.4	1.8	.8	113.8	.9	.1
Services	120.9	5.4	.0	139.0	5.6	.5	140.8	5.9	.1	136.9	6.6	.0
Rent of shelter ³	121.5	5.5	.3	133.4	5.3	.2	130.5	5.9	-.5	126.6	5.9	.1
Household services less rent of shelter ³	110.1	2.5	-2.5	114.0	3.6	.7	114.9	2.3	.2	111.8	4.9	-.7
Transportation services	121.9	6.1	1.4	147.7	6.3	1.1	147.0	8.6	1.4	141.1	7.5	.9
Medical care services	132.9	8.8	.8	165.4	10.5	.9	166.7	8.4	1.3	164.2	10.5	.2
Other services	125.9	6.3	.2	153.0	6.0	.7	149.6	7.2	.1	144.2	8.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Size class A ²			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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Special indexes												
All items less food	121.2	6.3	0.7	130.7	6.3	1.0	131.8	6.6	0.7	129.3	7.0	0.5
All items less shelter	121.0	6.5	.7	130.2	6.4	1.0	130.1	6.6	1.0	128.6	7.0	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ³	120.8	6.4	.7	124.7	6.5	1.0	123.7	6.5	.8	122.2	6.8	.5
All items less medical care	120.5	6.1	.6	129.5	6.0	.9	130.2	6.3	.5	127.7	6.4	.5
Commodities less food	121.7	7.7	1.8	121.0	7.2	1.8	122.5	7.7	1.5	122.0	7.6	1.2
Nondurables less food	132.5	11.8	2.2	125.9	11.4	2.7	127.8	11.9	2.0	126.1	12.3	1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	139.2	15.2	2.8	128.2	15.3	3.1	129.7	15.8	2.4	128.3	15.0	2.0
Nondurables	126.5	9.0	1.4	129.7	8.5	1.4	130.1	8.9	1.2	129.0	8.9	1.1
Services less rent of shelter ³	120.4	5.4	-.2	131.2	6.0	.8	130.9	5.9	.7	127.6	7.2	.0
Services less medical care	120.0	5.2	.0	136.5	5.2	.4	138.2	5.7	.0	133.6	6.1	.0
Energy	140.7	18.7	1.9	110.8	19.4	4.1	114.0	19.0	3.1	107.8	17.2	2.2
All items less energy	119.5	5.2	.5	134.3	4.9	.5	134.9	5.1	.3	133.0	5.6	.2
All items less food and energy	119.3	5.0	.6	134.5	4.7	.6	135.6	5.0	.4	133.5	5.7	.3
Commodities less food and energy	114.6	3.3	.5	123.0	2.7	.7	124.7	3.0	.6	124.3	3.4	.3
Energy commodities	172.7	34.7	7.4	118.1	34.2	7.3	120.8	36.2	5.7	115.6	31.4	4.9
Services less energy	121.8	5.8	.5	142.7	5.9	.6	144.1	6.4	.2	140.8	7.2	.1

¹ See region and area size on table 11 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

-- Data not available.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category									
All items	137.7	6.7	0.7	137.1	6.6	0.7	140.1	6.5	0.4
All items (December 1977 = 100)	210.4	-	-	218.8	-	-	233.0	-	-
Food and beverages	137.5	5.5	.3	137.0	5.1	-.7	133.1	5.2	.5
Food	137.5	5.7	.4	136.8	5.0	-.7	133.8	5.4	.6
Food at home	137.1	6.9	.4	136.2	5.9	-1.5	131.1	5.6	.4
Cereals and bakery products	143.7	6.5	-.5	143.9	3.5	1.4	146.6	4.9	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	138.3	8.2	.7	136.7	9.4	-2.0	129.5	5.5	1.4
Dairy products	125.7	7.5	.7	128.7	7.3	-.1	118.9	6.4	.0
Fruits and vegetables	147.8	6.6	-.4	141.4	3.1	-4.0	141.8	8.2	.4
Other food at home	129.6	4.9	1.2	132.0	3.5	-1.2	124.7	4.2	-.6
Food away from home	139.9	3.5	.1	140.0	3.6	.4	140.3	4.7	.9
Alcoholic beverages	138.2	4.5	.4	141.3	5.7	.3	127.4	3.8	.9
Housing	136.0	5.3	.0	140.9	7.0	.9	147.4	6.4	-.1
Shelter	153.1	5.5	.4	159.3	5.4	-.2	173.9	6.2	-1.2
Renters' costs ²	142.2	6.5	.2	159.0	7.6	-.3	138.2	5.7	-.6
Rent, residential	151.2	4.2	.4	155.0	1.9	.1	153.4	4.2	-.6
Other renters' costs	171.8	19.6	-.8	200.8	17.8	-1.0	130.5	22.2	-.8
Homeowners' costs ²	144.8	5.1	.5	151.4	4.6	.0	155.7	6.3	-1.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	145.4	5.1	.6	152.0	4.6	.0	156.4	6.4	-1.5
Fuel and other utilities	107.3	7.0	-1.2	115.7	14.0	4.3	111.2	9.9	3.8
Fuels	104.2	9.6	-2.3	107.5	17.6	4.7	102.1	14.6	6.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	119.9	45.0	11.4	119.6	50.4	15.3	113.4	47.8	17.0
Fuel oil	120.1	46.6	12.0	121.6	54.3	15.6	115.8	53.6	17.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	142.2	32.0	7.1	149.0	40.3	14.4	135.5	31.2	15.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	107.3	2.3	-5.8	111.7	7.8	.8	104.9	1.2	.7
Electricity	116.1	4.6	-7.0	124.7	11.3	1.6	113.0	.30	1.1
Utility (piped) gas	95.2	-1.3	-3.6	87.4	-1.4	-1.4	88.7	-4.4	-.6
Household furnishings and operation	112.0	.9	-.6	118.6	5.6	1.6	108.6	2.4	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	123.9	6.4	.7	125.4	4.3	.0	131.2	1.0	-.2
Apparel commodities	120.7	6.2	.8	123.8	4.3	-.1	129.8	.3	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	114.5	3.5	1.7	122.9	3.8	2.8	141.5	3.1	2.1
Women's and girls' apparel	121.0	9.6	.2	127.9	3.5	-2.1	130.3	.5	-.5
Footwear	121.3	-1.4	2.4	118.0	4.0	1.5	117.5	-2.0	-1.9
Transportation	128.5	10.7	3.0	122.5	8.0	2.1	123.0	7.9	1.5
Private transportation	126.0	10.6	3.3	121.4	7.6	2.0	121.9	7.9	1.5
Motor fuel	118.9	35.1	8.4	116.2	32.3	7.0	117.0	35.1	4.7
Gasoline	118.9	35.3	8.4	116.2	32.2	7.1	117.2	35.2	4.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.5	38.2	9.0	114.4	34.6	7.7	116.5	37.5	5.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.1	31.0	7.6	118.2	27.4	6.1	119.7	30.7	2.9
Public transportation	143.1	11.4	1.1	149.4	11.7	2.1	147.4	7.4	1.5
Medical care	173.8	8.5	.6	171.3	10.9	.6	168.4	7.2	.3
Entertainment	138.3	4.5	.4	128.0	4.1	1.1	145.2	6.1	.9
Other goods and services	171.0	9.7	-.1	172.6	7.3	.1	170.4	12.8	-.1
Personal care	140.2	4.5	-.8	134.5	4.8	.3	130.0	5.4	.3

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Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group									
All items	137.7	6.7	0.7	137.1	6.6	0.7	140.1	6.5	0.4
Commodities	128.6	7.8	1.3	126.3	6.8	.9	128.5	7.4	1.3
Food and beverages	137.5	5.5	.3	137.0	5.1	-.7	133.1	5.2	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	121.8	9.6	2.0	119.9	8.2	2.1	125.2	9.0	1.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	125.9	14.0	2.4	124.9	13.5	2.9	129.5	13.9	2.8
Durables	111.8	1.4	1.2	110.8	.6	1.0	115.2	1.6	.3
Services	148.9	5.8	.1	152.5	6.5	.4	157.4	5.9	-.5
Medical care services	175.8	8.3	.7	172.0	11.1	.8	169.5	6.9	.2
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	133.0	7.1	.7	131.3	7.1	1.0	130.4	6.7	.9
All items less medical care	136.1	6.6	.7	135.7	6.4	.7	138.8	6.5	.4
All items less energy	141.5	5.5	.4	141.7	5.3	.2	145.1	5.1	-.1
Energy	110.0	19.8	2.2	110.7	23.8	5.7	106.7	22.8	5.5
Commodities less food	122.5	9.4	2.0	120.6	8.1	2.0	125.1	8.7	1.8
Nondurables less food	126.5	13.2	2.3	125.3	12.8	2.6	128.6	12.9	2.6
Nondurables	132.4	9.3	1.3	130.6	8.6	.8	131.0	9.2	1.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	131.5	5.9	-.3	133.5	7.5	.9	132.8	5.4	.3
Services less medical care	146.7	5.5	.0	150.9	6.2	.4	156.4	5.7	-.6

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Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	128.2	5.6	0.3	126.8	5.7	0.6	129.6	6.6	0.7	125.7	6.4	0.6
All items (December 1977 = 100)	209.6	-	-	204.2	-	-	203.7	-	-	203.7	-	-
Food and beverages	130.8	5.9	.1	128.6	5.1	-.1	130.2	5.6	.2	130.4	6.0	.1
Food	131.1	6.0	.1	129.2	5.1	-.1	130.2	5.7	.2	130.8	6.1	.2
Food at home	132.2	6.9	.1	129.2	4.8	-.2	129.3	5.7	.1	130.8	6.8	.1
Cereals and bakery products	141.6	5.4	.0	144.8	6.1	.7	140.0	5.0	1.2	142.0	6.2	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	133.4	9.7	.3	126.2	7.1	.5	127.3	8.3	.4	135.9	10.4	1.1
Dairy products	132.4	8.5	-.4	126.5	8.1	-.2	125.8	7.5	-.2	128.7	7.7	.3
Fruits and vegetables	136.7	6.1	.3	133.2	1.1	-2.3	140.2	4.6	-1.3	135.6	5.6	-3.6
Other food at home	123.6	3.9	-.1	124.8	2.4	-.2	123.1	3.4	.0	118.6	3.0	.7
Food away from home	129.5	4.6	.2	129.3	5.6	.0	132.6	5.5	.2	130.2	4.6	.4
Alcoholic beverages	128.6	4.6	.2	120.3	3.7	.1	129.9	3.7	-.2	125.6	6.3	-.3
Housing	122.1	3.7	-.8	119.5	3.6	-.1	127.0	4.6	-.2	116.9	5.7	.5
Shelter	132.5	5.0	.6	131.6	5.7	.4	135.2	5.9	-.8	121.3	5.3	1.3
Renters' costs ²	129.4	3.5	.5	132.0	8.0	-.5	128.7	.1	-.8	112.1	2.7	.1
Rent, residential	138.7	4.2	1.0	138.6	5.7	-.2	130.6	3.9	-.7	115.5	2.3	.2
Other renters' costs	139.8	1.3	-.9	155.2	13.7	-.9	152.1	-8.6	-1.0	120.3	5.2	-.7
Homeowners' costs ²	132.4	5.5	.7	132.5	4.8	.7	135.4	7.7	-.9	119.8	6.5	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent ²	132.5	5.6	.7	132.9	4.9	.6	135.8	7.9	-.9	119.8	6.6	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	105.0	.9	-6.9	104.6	3.0	.7	119.4	3.7	1.4	113.3	8.8	-1.1
Fuels	93.6	-3.8	-10.6	94.1	2.3	.9	109.2	2.6	1.5	95.6	1.9	-2.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	112.4	34.8	9.3	104.5	39.5	15.0	121.1	56.3	15.4	110.9	54.9	17.2
Fuel oil	123.7	48.5	13.8	123.6	56.9	15.3	119.2	51.7	14.7	113.4	49.2	15.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	127.4	21.8	4.7	129.6	28.6	14.6	151.9	61.8	16.4	150.9	63.7	20.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	94.9	-5.4	-11.6	98.0	.3	.0	115.5	-.3	.4	100.6	-.7	-3.6
Electricity	102.1	-6.8	-23.3	114.7	3.2	-1.4	127.1	.8	.3	109.5	-2.0	-6.6
Utility (piped) gas	88.6	-3.8	6.0	83.6	-3.4	2.1	100.9	-1.9	.7	92.1	1.1	.8
Household furnishings and operation	111.3	2.2	.5	108.2	-3.2	-2.5	116.8	1.8	.3	112.9	2.9	.5
Apparel and upkeep	127.8	3.4	1.3	129.8	-1.1	2.1	123.1	5.2	2.1	125.4	.6	1.4
Apparel commodities	127.6	3.4	1.4	129.5	-1.5	2.3	121.2	5.3	2.2	125.2	.5	1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	123.8	-1.4	1.0	113.7	-.3	.1	114.6	1.9	-.7	107.7	-1.6	1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	125.6	4.4	1.3	147.1	-3.8	3.4	128.3	6.5	4.6	134.0	2.4	3.4
Footwear	125.0	4.4	2.8	114.1	5.1	3.4	117.1	5.2	.9	144.2	1.1	-1.0
Transportation	123.8	9.0	2.7	129.1	11.5	2.1	123.9	11.9	2.5	124.9	9.9	1.5
Private transportation	123.5	9.0	2.7	128.1	11.4	2.1	123.5	12.0	2.4	121.9	9.2	1.4
Motor fuel	122.5	32.0	6.4	128.2	37.3	6.2	120.2	33.9	4.6	116.1	28.9	2.9
Gasoline	122.3	31.9	6.3	128.5	37.3	6.2	119.8	33.6	4.3	114.5	28.1	2.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	134.3	35.5	3.1	NA	-	-	125.9	33.9	4.2	116.1	30.0	2.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	120.6	33.6	6.9	125.7	38.1	6.4	118.4	34.5	4.2	111.7	28.2	2.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	124.0	26.9	5.4	132.4	33.1	5.6	122.4	30.1	4.5	118.3	23.7	2.3
Public transportation	128.6	7.8	1.6	171.7	13.9	2.6	139.2	7.8	2.1	233.5	22.1	2.7
Medical care	163.5	8.1	.1	157.2	9.2	.7	163.5	8.3	2.5	157.2	7.5	.1
Entertainment	135.3	5.0	.2	124.7	2.3	.5	134.9	4.6	.1	127.0	4.8	-1.1
Other goods and services	160.4	5.9	.2	161.3	8.5	.9	156.4	6.8	-.3	155.6	7.2	.6
Personal care	122.2	2.9	.4	133.5	4.9	1.1	129.2	3.1	1.1	116.2	2.1	1.6

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Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of regions and population size classes,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group												
All items	128.2	5.6	0.3	126.8	5.7	0.6	129.6	6.6	0.7	125.7	6.4	0.6
Commodities	123.9	6.4	1.1	123.7	6.1	.8	124.1	7.7	1.1	125.4	6.6	.8
Food and beverages	130.8	5.9	.1	128.6	5.1	-.1	130.2	5.6	.2	130.4	6.0	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	119.9	6.9	1.8	121.1	6.8	1.3	121.1	9.2	1.9	122.7	7.0	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.1	11.4	2.5	128.8	11.8	2.9	127.1	13.4	2.5	128.7	10.8	1.8
Durables	107.5	.4	.6	109.7	-.5	-1.2	110.3	2.8	.6	110.6	1.5	.3
Services	133.8	4.6	-.5	132.5	5.2	.5	137.5	5.2	.2	127.7	6.2	.3
Medical care services	162.3	8.1	.1	153.3	9.7	.6	165.2	8.8	2.6	157.3	7.7	-.1
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	127.7	5.8	.2	126.7	5.6	.7	128.4	6.7	1.1	127.4	6.8	.4
All items less medical care	126.5	5.4	.3	125.4	5.5	.6	128.0	6.4	.5	124.0	6.3	.6
All items less energy	131.4	4.7	.5	130.3	4.2	.3	132.1	5.3	.5	128.3	5.5	.6
Energy	109.1	14.8	-1.1	108.7	19.1	3.8	113.6	17.1	3.1	105.9	15.1	.5
Commodities less food	120.1	6.8	1.7	121.0	6.6	1.3	121.2	8.9	1.7	122.7	7.0	1.2
Nondurables less food	128.6	10.8	2.4	128.1	11.4	2.8	126.8	12.6	2.3	128.6	10.4	1.7
Nondurables	130.2	8.5	1.3	128.9	8.5	1.5	128.4	9.3	1.3	130.1	8.3	.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	125.4	4.2	-1.6	124.6	4.8	.6	126.0	4.6	1.1	122.4	6.9	-.2
Services less medical care	131.4	4.4	-.5	130.6	4.8	.5	135.2	4.9	.0	124.5	6.1	.5

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,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Expenditure category												
All items	130.5	6.2	1.0	129.5	6.1	0.9	129.9	6.3	0.7	129.8	6.7	0.2
All items (December 1977 = 100)	211.4	-	-	209.8	-	-	210.3	-	-	210.1	-	-
Food and beverages	133.0	6.0	.6	132.8	5.7	.5	132.8	6.0	.4	129.5	5.5	.6
Food	133.9	6.3	.7	133.2	5.8	.4	133.2	6.0	.3	130.0	5.3	.6
Food at home	133.7	7.4	.6	132.1	6.6	.5	132.0	6.0	.2	127.4	5.6	.8
Cereals and bakery products	140.5	5.2	.4	136.7	4.0	.4	135.5	2.3	-1.0	142.4	6.4	1.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	129.9	8.4	.1	131.6	10.7	.9	128.2	7.7	1.3	127.5	7.9	1.8
Dairy products	137.7	12.1	1.1	129.7	8.4	1.2	131.3	9.2	.6	122.1	6.6	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	143.3	5.4	-.3	150.4	4.8	-.3	144.5	5.2	-.9	136.7	3.4	-2.1
Other food at home	127.4	6.0	1.8	121.6	2.7	.2	128.7	4.9	.1	117.7	2.8	.5
Food away from home	135.6	4.6	.7	136.0	4.6	.3	136.7	5.9	.5	136.8	4.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages	124.3	3.5	.0	127.6	4.4	.5	125.8	5.9	.2	121.0	6.6	-2
Housing	122.8	4.1	.2	122.4	4.3	.5	122.1	3.3	.0	126.2	5.1	-.6
Shelter	128.1	4.7	.4	124.4	4.7	.3	126.3	4.3	.1	138.1	6.1	-.9
Renters' costs ²	121.4	5.4	.6	128.7	5.6	.8	115.7	4.3	.3	123.7	5.6	.1
Rent, residential	129.4	5.2	.4	127.7	4.3	.6	121.7	3.6	.2	128.7	4.0	-.3
Other renters' costs	140.0	7.0	1.9	194.8	10.9	1.8	135.9	8.8	1.7	153.5	13.6	1.8
Homeowners' costs ²	123.2	4.3	.2	121.7	4.5	.2	116.8	4.3	-.2	125.5	6.4	-1.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	123.2	4.4	.3	121.7	4.5	.2	116.4	4.4	-.1	124.6	6.3	-1.3
Fuel and other utilities	112.3	4.8	-.8	123.9	4.2	.7	123.9	3.7	-.4	113.7	5.6	-.2
Fuels	106.7	5.0	-1.8	112.9	4.7	.4	118.2	4.5	-1.5	104.0	5.3	.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	108.4	33.2	13.3	121.6	38.8	12.4	129.2	42.4	11.6	115.0	40.9	15.9
Fuel oil	108.2	35.8	14.0	128.9	56.8	12.6	119.4	59.4	17.4	123.2	60.8	16.9
Other household fuel commodities ³	139.7	30.2	12.5	133.8	26.0	12.2	150.7	40.6	10.9	136.3	30.4	15.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	109.5	3.9	-2.4	111.2	1.6	-.8	118.9	3.0	-2.1	105.7	2.0	-.8
Electricity	110.3	4.7	-3.5	114.1	1.5	-1.0	121.9	1.6	-2.5	110.2	2.6	-.9
Utility (piped) gas	104.8	1.7	1.0	101.6	2.4	.5	115.2	11.2	.0	85.4	-3.8	1.1
Household furnishings and operation	118.1	1.2	1.1	116.5	2.9	.6	106.9	-.4	.5	110.8	.9	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	136.2	3.3	1.0	130.0	3.8	.8	132.9	2.6	.7	123.7	7.8	.8
Apparel commodities	132.8	2.7	.9	127.3	3.2	1.0	131.9	1.7	.7	121.7	8.2	1.0
Men's and boys' apparel	134.3	2.9	2.6	123.9	2.1	1.6	126.5	3.3	.1	116.2	1.8	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	133.8	-.7	-.2	137.7	4.0	1.3	139.8	.4	1.2	129.3	13.5	.9
Footwear	123.8	2.7	.7	122.4	4.1	1.1	127.1	2.4	1.4	96.6	4.0	1.5
Transportation	125.6	10.2	2.9	126.8	9.6	2.3	126.5	13.2	2.3	123.2	10.3	1.3
Private transportation	125.5	10.3	3.0	126.3	9.6	2.4	126.2	13.4	2.3	122.1	10.2	1.3
Motor fuel	119.8	33.9	8.8	117.5	33.1	6.8	121.6	34.8	4.7	109.9	32.9	5.6
Gasoline	119.6	33.9	8.7	117.3	32.4	6.6	120.9	33.7	4.5	109.3	32.3	5.2
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	120.2	28.6	4.2	134.2	44.3	-.4	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	118.2	35.7	9.1	115.7	35.3	7.0	117.3	34.2	4.7	104.7	34.1	5.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.5	30.3	8.1	119.1	29.7	6.6	124.2	30.6	4.7	116.2	30.0	4.6
Public transportation	126.1	9.3	1.5	146.1	9.8	1.2	137.0	9.9	1.3	158.0	12.1	1.1
Medical care	168.9	9.1	.8	164.5	9.1	1.0	164.9	7.8	1.3	165.9	12.0	.1
Entertainment	136.5	4.7	.6	122.7	3.2	.2	129.1	2.4	.4	124.3	3.4	.2
Other goods and services	159.2	7.6	.5	162.7	6.5	.9	154.2	6.6	.1	154.3	4.5	-.1
Personal care	131.5	4.9	.9	130.2	4.3	.1	128.6	1.7	.0	112.9	-1.9	-.7

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,¹ 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—
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	
Commodity and service group												
All items	130.5	6.2	1.0	129.5	6.1	0.9	129.9	6.3	0.7	129.8	6.7	0.2
Commodities	126.8	6.6	1.4	125.3	6.6	1.3	126.9	6.5	1.1	123.7	6.6	1.0
Food and beverages	133.0	6.0	.6	132.8	5.7	.5	132.8	6.0	.4	129.5	5.5	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	123.1	7.1	2.0	121.2	7.2	1.8	122.9	6.8	1.5	120.4	7.4	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	128.8	11.5	3.0	127.5	11.9	2.7	128.9	11.5	1.8	123.4	13.5	2.1
Durables	115.4	1.3	.8	111.5	.7	.5	115.3	1.2	1.2	114.4	-.4	-.1
Services	135.6	5.6	.4	134.9	5.5	.6	134.9	6.1	.3	139.1	6.8	-.6
Medical care services	168.7	9.0	1.1	164.6	9.7	1.1	165.6	8.2	1.4	166.7	13.0	.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	131.6	6.6	1.2	131.5	6.3	1.1	130.9	6.9	.8	127.9	6.9	.5
All items less medical care	128.4	5.9	.9	127.5	5.8	1.0	127.7	6.2	.6	126.9	6.3	.2
All items less energy	133.6	4.9	.7	131.6	4.8	.6	132.3	5.0	.5	133.4	5.5	-.1
Energy	113.0	19.6	3.9	112.9	18.3	3.9	117.9	18.7	1.7	104.5	17.8	3.3
Commodities less food	123.0	7.0	2.0	121.3	7.1	1.8	123.0	6.8	1.5	120.2	7.3	1.1
Nondurables less food	127.8	10.7	2.7	127.0	11.4	2.5	128.6	11.2	1.7	122.8	13.2	2.0
Nondurables	131.0	8.6	1.7	130.3	8.7	1.6	131.0	8.7	1.1	126.4	9.2	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	131.6	6.4	.5	132.6	5.8	.7	132.5	7.4	.5	130.0	7.3	-.2
Services less medical care	132.4	5.2	.4	131.7	4.9	.5	131.1	5.9	.2	134.7	6.0	-.7

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,¹ 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—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990
Expenditure category						
All items	132.8	6.3	0.6	131.1	6.6	0.5
All items (December 1977 = 100)	215.0	-	-	202.1	-	-
Food and beverages	132.9	5.6	.5	131.3	4.6	.2
Food	132.8	5.6	.6	131.9	4.4	.0
Food at home	132.2	6.4	1.0	131.1	4.6	.2
Cereals and bakery products	143.5	3.8	.0	136.3	4.5	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	129.2	7.8	-.5	131.3	5.3	1.1
Dairy products	129.7	11.4	2.6	121.5	8.8	.5
Fruits and vegetables	142.5	4.2	1.9	154.5	3.2	-1.8
Other food at home	124.9	5.0	1.7	119.8	3.0	.3
Food away from home	134.0	4.6	.0	133.7	4.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	134.6	5.8	-.6	131.0	5.9	1.5
Housing	132.8	5.2	.2	124.7	6.6	.3
Shelter	140.3	6.0	.0	132.5	9.1	-.1
Renters' costs ²	136.6	6.2	-.2	120.5	7.3	-.7
Rent, residential	149.4	4.3	.3	128.0	7.0	-.1
Other renters' costs	155.8	21.2	-4.3	143.5	8.4	-4.3
Homeowners' costs ²	138.9	5.9	.2	130.3	9.9	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	138.8	6.0	.2	130.7	10.1	.2
Fuel and other utilities	119.9	3.3	.4	114.7	1.1	2.1
Fuels	120.7	3.3	1.0	110.2	.5	4.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	111.2	25.9	11.2	323.0	33.3	17.3
Fuel oil ⁴	122.0	43.7	18.3	NA	-	-
Other household fuel commodities ³	134.3	14.8	6.1	144.6	36.5	19.7
Gas (piped) and electricity	121.9	2.6	.7	108.4	-.4	3.9
Electricity	131.5	4.2	1.0	114.7	.9	3.6
Utility (piped) gas	115.6	-.7	.0	104.0	-2.3	4.3
Household furnishings and operation	116.6	3.6	.5	107.9	3.0	.0
Apparel and upkeep	122.5	5.9	1.4	128.9	2.9	-.2
Apparel commodities	119.5	5.8	1.4	128.5	2.8	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	122.5	4.3	1.4	135.9	4.5	-2.2
Women's and girls' apparel	113.4	7.7	1.4	117.9	-2.6	1.2
Footwear	112.0	2.8	.6	123.7	3.9	3.0
Transportation	126.3	9.5	1.9	125.6	9.2	1.5
Private transportation	124.5	9.1	1.8	124.9	9.1	1.5
Motor fuel	116.2	36.5	5.3	118.6	38.9	4.8
Gasoline	116.2	37.0	5.3	118.3	38.8	4.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	117.8	39.2	5.2	119.4	40.8	5.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	115.0	39.2	5.5	117.4	39.1	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	116.2	29.7	5.0	115.9	31.1	1.8
Public transportation	159.1	13.6	1.7	140.4	12.6	2.9
Medical care	166.4	9.4	1.2	171.6	10.7	.2
Entertainment	130.4	3.8	-.5	142.7	2.4	-.4
Other goods and services	165.6	6.6	.5	159.0	5.4	.6
Personal care	140.5	5.6	.5	131.1	2.4	.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,¹ 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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Sept. 1990
Commodity and service group						
All items	132.8	6.3	0.6	131.1	6.6	0.5
Commodities	124.0	6.9	1.0	124.5	6.2	.6
Food and beverages	132.9	5.6	.5	131.3	4.6	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	118.5	7.8	1.4	120.4	7.2	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.2	13.3	2.2	128.6	12.0	1.4
Durables	109.5	1.0	.2	110.9	1.6	.2
Services	142.2	5.8	.4	139.3	6.8	.4
Medical care services	166.2	9.7	1.2	171.6	10.0	.2
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	130.9	6.5	.8	130.8	5.7	.7
All items less medical care	131.2	6.1	.6	128.8	6.3	.5
All items less energy	135.2	5.3	.4	133.3	5.4	.2
Energy	116.5	21.6	3.6	115.3	20.7	4.5
Commodities less food	119.2	7.8	1.3	120.5	7.1	.9
Nondurables less food	126.2	12.5	1.9	127.1	11.2	1.4
Nondurables	129.7	9.1	1.2	130.3	8.1	.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	133.9	5.5	.7	133.4	4.7	.8
Services less medical care	140.4	5.6	.3	135.9	6.4	.4

¹ See region and area size on table 11 for information about cross classifications.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁴ 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, October 1990						
U.S. city average	133.1	141.8	132.5	128.5	143.9	125.2
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	136.1	144.1	136.6	125.6	146.2	129.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	137.1	143.7	138.3	125.7	147.8	129.6
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	136.2	143.9	136.7	128.7	141.4	132.0
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	131.1	146.6	129.5	118.9	141.8	124.7
North Central urban	131.0	141.6	131.4	129.6	136.7	123.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	132.2	141.6	133.4	132.4	136.7	123.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	129.2	144.8	126.2	126.5	133.2	124.8
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	129.3	140.0	127.3	125.8	140.2	123.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	130.8	142.0	135.9	128.7	135.6	118.6
South urban	131.9	138.5	129.7	131.5	144.2	124.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	133.7	140.5	129.9	137.7	143.3	127.4
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	132.1	136.7	131.6	129.7	150.4	121.6
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	132.0	135.5	128.2	131.3	144.5	128.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	127.4	142.4	127.5	122.1	136.7	117.7
West urban	133.2	142.8	131.5	127.8	149.3	123.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	132.2	143.5	129.2	129.7	142.5	124.9
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	131.1	136.3	131.3	121.5	154.5	119.8
Size classes						
A ²	122.6	126.6	121.9	123.4	130.2	115.9
B	133.9	142.1	133.8	128.2	148.5	124.5
C	131.0	139.1	128.6	125.7	144.2	125.1
D	130.1	141.6	129.5	126.4	141.6	120.9
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	136.2	152.4	131.4	138.3	139.5	131.1
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	133.8	137.7	134.4	132.6	146.2	122.8
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	134.8	144.7	136.5	135.3	144.7	122.4
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	129.1	139.6	137.6	127.4	129.1	112.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	129.3	136.7	128.1	136.8	129.7	122.6
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	127.6	139.4	131.5	120.7	130.1	117.9
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	141.0	140.8	133.5	147.6	148.1	142.6
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	131.2	144.5	128.8	131.7	136.0	124.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	131.9	133.1	125.9	128.0	160.3	122.5
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	140.2	147.0	141.6	128.3	150.3	131.9
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	137.4	144.4	138.1	120.8	149.9	132.9
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	123.2	128.8	122.3	118.1	129.2	120.1
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	135.9	136.1	123.3	149.4	145.1	139.9
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	138.7	142.0	135.0	129.8	161.8	129.1
Washington, DC-MD-VA	133.4	151.8	128.0	146.0	134.7	123.4

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, September 1990 to October 1990						
U.S. city average	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	-0.3	0.6
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	.1	-.1	.3	.5	-.9	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.4	-.5	.7	.7	-.4	1.2
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	-1.5	1.4	-2.0	-.1	-4.0	-1.2
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.4	.1	1.4	.0	.4	-.6
North Central urban	.1	.4	.4	-.2	-.7	.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.1	.0	.3	-.4	.3	-.1
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	-.2	.7	.5	-.2	-2.3	-.2
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.1	1.2	.4	-.2	-1.3	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.1	.4	1.1	.3	-3.6	.7
South urban	.5	.2	.9	1.0	-.7	.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.6	.4	.1	1.1	-.3	1.8
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.5	.4	.9	1.2	-.3	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.2	-1.0	1.3	.6	-.9	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.8	1.6	1.8	1.2	-2.1	.5
West urban	.8	.2	-.2	1.9	1.0	1.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.0	.0	-.5	2.6	1.9	1.7
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.2	.2	1.1	.5	-1.8	.3
Size classes						
A	.5	-.2	.2	1.0	.4	1.0
B	.0	.9	.0	.5	-1.4	.0
C	.2	.0	1.1	.3	-.9	.0
D	.2	.8	1.1	.4	-2.5	.3
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	.4	-.8	1.6	.5	-3.9	2.5
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	-1.4	-.7	-1.6	-1.5	-2.1	-.9
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	-.4	-1.0	-1.2	-.5	2.0	-.6
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.3	-.6	.7	-.4	1.3	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.2	1.8	-.2	1.7	2.4	-2.3
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.6	-.1	1.1	-1.9	2.6	.0
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.5	.3	.7	2.2	1.5	2.8
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.2	-.6	-.7	3.1	2.4	2.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	.8	-1.0	-.4	.6	3.4	1.0
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.8	-.5	.9	1.6	-.5	2.2
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	.9	-.3	2.1	.4	.8	.2
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.1	.9	-.8	-.2	1.3	.0
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	.9	-.2	.1	.9	-1.9	4.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.1	1.4	.1	3.8	1.6	.4
Washington, DC-MD-VA	-.4	1.2	-.1	.2	-3.2	.2

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² 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, September 1990 to October 1990

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI	Los Angeles- Anaheim- Riverside, CA	N.Y.- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA
Expenditure category						
All items	0.6	-0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5
Food and beverages	.3	-.2	.4	.5	.6	.6
Food	.3	-.3	.7	.5	.6	.7
Food at home	.4	-.4	1.2	.8	.9	1.1
Cereals and bakery products	.2	-1.0	-.6	-.5	-.3	1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.5	-1.2	-.7	.9	2.1	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	.2	-1.7	-.8	.7	2.2	.5
Dairy products	.7	-.5	3.1	1.6	.4	3.8
Fruits and vegetables	-.3	2.0	2.4	-.5	.8	1.6
Other food at home	.6	-.6	2.5	2.2	.2	.4
Food away from home	.2	.1	.0	.1	-.2	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	.2	.1	-1.9	.4	.4	.2
Housing	.0	-2.8	.4	-.1	-.6	.0
Shelter	.1	.7	.1	.1	.9	.2
Renters' costs	.1	.5	-.4	.2	-.1	.3
Rent, residential	.3	.8	.2	.4	.3	.9
Other renters' costs	-1.1	-1.0	-4.3	-.9	-.9	-4.4
Homeowners' costs	.1	.9	.6	.1	1.3	.0
Owners' equivalent rent	.1	.9	.6	.1	1.3	.0
Fuel and other utilities	-.7	-16.3	.2	-.5	-5.2	.2
Fuels	-1.5	-26.1	.7	-.8	-8.5	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	13.2	6.4	2.6	10.6	10.8	6.3
Fuel oil	13.9	11.3	-	11.1	14.3	10.9
Other household fuel commodities	11.7	-4.4	2.6	5.1	.0	6.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	-3.2	-26.6	.6	-4.5	-11.3	.0
Electricity	-4.9	-45.6	1.0	-6.7	-16.2	.0
Utility (piped) gas	.9	.7	.0	-.3	.1	.0
Household furnishings and operation	.4	-.3	1.7	-1.2	-.1	-1.3
Apparel and upkeep	1.1	-.2	1.6	.5	-1.1	1.1
Apparel commodities	1.2	-.3	1.6	.5	-1.6	1.3
Men's and boys' apparel	1.3	.0	1.7	1.2	.1	1.9
Women's and girls' apparel	1.2	-.7	1.4	.2	-4.0	1.6
Footwear	1.5	-.2	1.0	1.4	5.1	.0
Transportation	2.3	3.8	1.7	2.9	3.2	2.3
Private transportation	2.4	4.0	1.7	3.2	3.5	2.4
Motor fuel	6.2	8.1	5.4	9.0	9.1	4.4
Gasoline	6.2	7.9	5.4	9.0	9.3	4.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	3.6	2.3	5.0	-	-	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular	6.5	8.4	5.6	10.4	9.3	4.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	5.9	6.8	5.2	7.6	8.6	4.6
Public transportation	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.2	.0	2.0
Medical care	.8	.2	1.7	.8	.2	.6
Entertainment	.2	.7	-.4	.7	-.2	-1.1
Other goods and services	.2	.5	.5	-.1	-.3	1.0
Personal care	.3	.7	-.3	-1.0	-1.1	3.0

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, September 1990 to October 1990 —Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI	Los Angeles- Anaheim- Riverside, CA	N.Y.- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA
Commodity and service group						
All items	0.6	-0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5
Commodities	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2	.9
Food and beverages	.3	-.2	.4	.5	.6	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.7
Durables	.6	.7	.3	1.1	1.3	.2
Services	.1	-1.7	.4	.0	-.2	.4
Medical care services	.8	.2	1.7	.8	.4	.6
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.8	-.8	1.0	.8	.2	.8
All items less medical care	.6	-.5	.7	.5	.4	.6
All items less energy	.4	.4	.6	.3	.6	.4
Energy	2.6	-7.9	3.6	3.4	-1.3	2.5
Commodities less food	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.8	1.6	1.0
Nondurables less food	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.8	1.5
Nondurables	1.3	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1
Services less rent of shelter	.2	-4.3	.8	-.2	-1.3	.6
Services less medical care	.1	-1.9	.4	-.1	-.3	.3

- 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 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
Expenditure category												
All items	131.9	6.2	1.5	129.4	5.3	0.1	128.8	6.4	2.7	128.7	5.9	1.7
All items (1967=100)	393.0	-	-	380.0	-	-	397.3	-	-	379.1	-	-
Food and beverages	133.1	5.6	.5	131.2	6.4	.0	131.5	4.4	.4	127.2	5.1	.0
Food	133.4	5.7	.5	131.0	6.6	-.1	131.7	4.4	.3	127.1	5.2	.0
Food at home	133.1	6.5	.5	134.8	7.2	-.3	129.3	5.0	.7	127.6	6.9	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	141.8	5.0	.4	144.7	6.9	1.3	136.7	.1	1.6	139.4	3.1	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	132.5	8.4	1.0	136.5	8.7	-.9	128.1	7.6	.2	131.5	11.0	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.9	8.8	.8	137.9	9.4	-1.2	129.0	7.5	.2	131.9	11.3	.8
Dairy products	128.5	8.9	.9	135.3	6.8	-.6	136.8	12.0	.4	120.7	9.8	-1.0
Fruits and vegetables	143.9	5.4	-1.2	144.7	11.1	1.1	129.7	6.3	1.0	130.1	7.0	-2.3
Other food at home	125.2	4.2	.8	122.4	3.3	-1.1	122.6	.0	.9	117.9	2.3	-.3
Food away from home	134.8	4.5	.5	123.9	5.3	.2	136.7	3.6	-.2	127.0	2.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages	130.6	4.7	.6	135.1	5.1	1.1	130.8	3.9	1.2	128.9	3.5	.2
Housing	128.3	4.7	.3	123.2	3.3	-2.7	118.7	4.1	2.2	123.0	4.1	.7
Shelter	139.0	5.5	.2	136.3	5.9	.4	119.1	4.1	1.4	132.9	4.9	.4
Renters' costs ²	132.1	5.6	-.5	134.4	3.6	-.4	109.6	5.2	1.9	129.4	.9	-1.6
Rent, residential	140.0	4.3	.9	146.5	5.2	.8	116.3	4.9	2.6	138.5	4.2	.9
Other renters' costs	156.8	11.7	-6.6	139.4	-5.9	-8.5	120.2	7.3	-4.5	126.3	-8.0	-8.5
Homeowners' costs ²	134.2	5.4	.5	136.6	6.8	.7	115.2	3.5	1.2	140.6	6.3	1.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	134.4	5.5	.5	135.9	6.9	.7	114.9	3.5	1.2	141.2	6.3	1.1
Fuel and other utilities	112.7	4.7	.3	97.9	-4.5	-16.1	122.4	7.7	5.8	113.8	.5	-.8
Fuels	105.3	4.7	.2	79.7	-15.7	-25.7	126.3	7.0	8.7	106.8	-1.0	.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	117.5	43.6	28.3	111.5	35.3	18.0	105.7	.2	.0	109.0	16.7	7.6
Fuel oil	121.0	49.8	32.4	121.4	42.3	22.9	NA	-	-	122.1	38.9	25.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	138.4	31.8	20.0	117.2	20.1	6.8	110.7	.2	.0	125.4	9.1	1.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	108.4	1.1	-2.6	81.6	-16.4	-26.4	125.4	7.2	8.8	109.1	-1.6	.0
Electricity	116.5	2.1	-4.4	74.8	-28.1	-45.0	127.7	10.5	13.4	131.8	3.9	.0
Utility (piped) gas	96.5	-1.0	1.6	87.8	-4.1	.0	124.0	.6	-1.1	93.3	-6.8	.0
Household furnishings and operation	113.4	2.0	.8	111.6	1.2	1.3	114.4	-.3	.4	106.7	4.9	4.6
Apparel and upkeep	127.1	4.2	4.8	126.6	1.7	2.4	137.2	11.0	4.6	135.7	3.0	1.7
Apparel commodities	125.2	3.9	5.2	127.7	1.5	2.6	132.4	10.9	4.9	135.9	3.0	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	122.3	2.3	3.6	113.0	-9.0	-.4	117.0	2.5	8.5	125.6	1.8	2.2
Women's and girls' apparel	127.2	4.3	7.7	124.1	4.4	1.7	142.4	9.7	3.7	149.0	.1	-1.7
Footwear	121.0	2.5	3.6	135.3	1.3	8.0	122.2	5.0	2.3	119.7	4.4	14.0
Transportation	125.7	10.0	4.5	122.8	8.9	4.5	125.0	10.7	6.2	130.7	10.5	5.2
Private transportation	124.7	10.1	4.7	122.0	8.9	4.7	125.1	10.5	6.3	131.1	10.4	5.4
Motor fuel	119.2	33.8	15.3	123.8	29.4	11.9	120.7	37.3	21.2	121.2	33.3	16.0
Gasoline	119.0	33.7	15.2	123.3	29.4	12.0	120.6	37.4	21.1	121.4	33.3	16.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	127.9	37.2	13.9	142.3	35.0	8.9	NA	-	-	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	117.4	35.4	16.0	121.3	30.4	12.5	118.3	38.7	22.3	119.9	34.1	17.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.8	29.7	13.8	123.9	26.8	10.7	120.4	35.7	17.5	124.1	28.6	11.0
Public transportation	143.7	11.1	2.6	128.6	7.5	2.2	124.2	15.5	3.1	130.5	10.3	4.3

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 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas- Fort Worth, TX			Detroit- Ann Arbor, MI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989		Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990		Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990		Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category												
Medical care	166.8	9.0	1.3	168.6	7.6	1.2	170.1	8.7	2.1	163.2	9.0	0.1
Entertainment	133.1	4.2	.8	142.1	5.0	.9	137.9	3.5	2.3	130.5	5.8	2.4
Other goods and services	162.8	7.5	1.4	169.3	5.9	1.6	156.8	6.4	.6	151.6	8.1	3.0
Personal care	131.5	4.1	.8	127.2	4.2	.9	131.7	6.0	.0	115.9	8.1	3.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	131.9	6.2	1.5	129.4	5.3	.1	128.8	6.4	2.7	128.7	5.9	1.7
Commodities	125.8	6.9	2.6	125.3	6.1	1.9	125.1	6.6	3.0	121.6	6.8	2.4
Food and beverages	133.1	5.6	.5	131.2	6.4	.0	131.5	4.4	.4	127.2	5.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	121.3	7.8	4.1	121.4	5.8	3.1	120.7	7.9	4.5	119.6	8.0	4.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.3	12.5	6.4	132.1	9.6	4.5	128.4	14.2	6.9	128.8	12.1	5.5
Durables	111.9	1.2	.5	108.3	.2	1.0	112.0	.0	1.4	103.3	.9	2.3
Services	140.1	5.7	.6	134.3	4.5	-1.7	133.3	6.2	2.5	138.0	5.1	1.0
Medical care services	167.0	9.2	1.2	166.3	7.1	1.0	174.5	9.7	3.4	165.7	8.7	-.1
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	130.3	6.5	2.0	127.9	5.1	.0	132.4	7.0	3.1	128.8	6.3	2.1
All items less medical care	130.2	6.1	1.6	127.4	5.1	.0	126.4	6.3	2.8	127.3	5.8	1.8
All items less energy	135.1	5.1	1.0	133.5	5.0	.7	131.6	4.9	1.5	131.1	5.0	1.1
Energy	111.9	18.8	7.9	101.9	7.8	-5.9	122.9	21.8	15.2	115.6	15.8	8.5
Commodities less food	121.5	7.6	3.8	121.8	5.7	3.0	120.9	7.8	4.4	119.8	7.8	4.2
Nondurables less food	127.1	11.9	6.0	131.7	9.2	4.1	127.8	13.5	6.5	128.3	11.3	5.0
Nondurables	130.4	8.8	3.2	131.7	8.0	2.2	130.3	9.1	3.6	127.7	8.3	2.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	130.3	5.8	.9	123.8	2.9	-3.8	138.8	7.8	3.4	130.1	5.3	1.5
Services less medical care	137.6	5.4	.5	131.4	4.2	-2.0	129.4	5.9	2.5	135.8	4.9	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 ¹								
	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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
All items	124.7	7.7	2.3	134.5	6.3	1.7	139.5	6.7	1.5
All items (1967 = 100)	398.0	-	-	397.6	-	-	397.1	-	-
Food and beverages	131.4	7.9	1.4	131.6	5.2	.5	140.9	6.3	.2
Food	132.0	7.9	1.6	130.7	5.1	.8	141.0	6.5	.1
Food at home	141.0	11.3	1.9	131.2	6.1	.9	140.2	8.4	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	140.8	5.2	3.3	144.5	3.2	-.7	147.0	7.1	-.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	133.5	13.3	3.4	128.8	8.6	-.4	141.6	10.8	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	134.8	13.8	3.6	126.5	8.6	-.1	142.3	11.0	.2
Dairy products	147.6	22.2	1.2	131.7	11.4	3.3	128.3	8.0	.1
Fruits and vegetables	148.1	9.1	4.1	136.0	2.6	2.2	150.3	7.2	-2.9
Other food at home	142.6	8.2	-1.4	124.6	5.1	1.4	131.9	6.6	2.0
Food away from home	117.8	2.2	1.0	130.3	3.6	.5	145.5	3.6	.5
Alcoholic beverages	125.4	8.2	-2	139.5	5.6	-1.0	138.3	3.8	1.0
Housing	107.2	5.7	.8	136.8	5.5	1.0	137.8	5.3	-.1
Shelter	106.8	7.6	.5	144.1	6.0	.8	156.1	5.6	-.6
Renters' costs ²	111.5	9.5	.4	138.3	5.3	.7	142.9	6.1	-1.0
Rent, residential	105.3	9.8	1.2	151.9	3.8	1.5	152.1	4.9	.1
Other renters' costs	183.2	7.7	-4.4	153.8	17.7	-4.4	180.1	16.1	-8.4
Homeowners' costs ²	106.8	6.4	.6	144.2	6.5	.9	148.2	5.4	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	104.7	6.9	.7	144.0	6.5	.9	148.8	5.4	-.5
Fuel and other utilities	108.4	3.9	1.9	127.7	3.2	.2	103.2	6.5	2.3
Fuels	103.6	1.8	2.5	132.5	3.4	.8	102.7	10.2	3.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	NA	-	-	125.1	12.2	3.0	122.4	42.8	29.1
Fuel oil	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	123.5	44.8	31.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	124.0	19.9	16.5	125.3	12.2	3.0	124.8	21.4	8.6
Gas (piped) and electricity	103.5	1.4	2.1	132.6	3.1	.8	101.5	1.1	-3.5
Electricity	107.3	-.5	.3	141.5	5.5	1.1	105.1	2.5	-4.7
Utility (piped) gas	93.6	9.3	9.9	129.5	-1.0	.0	95.7	-1.2	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	109.8	2.2	.3	116.1	4.8	2.3	112.0	.5	-1.4
Apparel and upkeep	134.8	6.3	1.2	127.2	5.9	4.1	126.4	5.1	6.2
Apparel commodities	134.3	5.7	1.1	124.4	5.8	4.5	123.9	5.3	6.9
Men's and boys' apparel	148.2	9.2	8.0	132.0	6.2	2.5	114.9	4.0	7.2
Women's and girls' apparel	132.3	-1.2	-3.0	121.1	9.1	8.5	130.9	7.9	8.4
Footwear	119.6	2.8	.7	104.9	2.6	-2.5	124.9	.2	5.7
Transportation	125.4	11.4	7.1	126.6	9.3	3.1	129.7	11.3	6.1
Private transportation	125.6	11.6	7.4	124.1	8.8	3.0	126.0	11.0	6.8
Motor fuel	123.3	35.2	21.1	116.0	39.6	10.7	116.9	33.9	20.4
Gasoline	123.5	35.1	21.1	116.1	40.6	11.0	117.2	34.2	20.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	132.7	35.3	25.8	115.7	40.9	10.8	NA	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	122.8	36.7	22.2	115.9	43.6	11.7	116.0	37.3	22.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	119.7	32.3	18.4	115.6	32.9	9.7	118.9	30.9	17.5
Public transportation	140.8	6.2	2.5	180.6	17.4	4.3	144.1	13.2	2.0

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 ¹								
	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—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
Medical care	169.2	11.0	2.5	166.3	9.6	2.8	176.3	9.8	1.2
Entertainment	137.9	-.1	.3	126.8	4.1	2.4	137.8	4.2	2.1
Other goods and services	158.1	7.7	-.1	169.7	6.7	2.2	168.6	7.9	2.0
Personal care	117.4	4.9	-.8	143.0	5.5	-1.6	140.4	2.3	.3
Commodity and service group									
All items	124.7	7.7	2.3	134.5	6.3	1.7	139.5	6.7	1.5
Commodities	127.8	8.4	3.2	123.2	7.0	1.9	131.2	7.7	3.1
Food and beverages	131.4	7.9	1.4	131.6	5.2	.5	140.9	6.3	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	125.7	8.6	4.3	117.7	8.2	2.8	123.3	8.9	5.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	133.7	12.5	6.3	129.1	14.2	5.0	127.1	12.4	8.1
Durables	113.5	2.7	1.3	106.3	1.0	.0	112.2	1.3	.3
Services	120.7	6.7	1.2	146.5	5.9	1.5	149.3	5.7	.2
Medical care services	165.3	10.6	2.7	166.7	9.7	2.6	179.3	9.9	1.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	130.1	7.7	2.7	131.7	6.6	2.1	134.1	7.1	2.4
All items less medical care	121.9	7.4	2.3	133.0	6.2	1.6	137.9	6.5	1.5
All items less energy	126.9	6.4	1.2	136.9	5.3	1.4	143.4	5.7	.8
Energy	117.2	20.9	13.7	120.2	23.5	6.8	108.5	19.6	10.6
Commodities less food	125.4	8.6	4.1	118.7	8.0	2.5	123.9	8.7	5.4
Nondurables less food	132.2	12.1	5.6	129.4	13.2	4.3	127.6	11.6	7.6
Nondurables	132.7	10.1	3.8	130.5	9.3	2.6	134.9	9.0	3.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	124.8	5.8	1.5	138.5	5.6	2.5	129.5	6.0	1.3
Services less medical care	115.2	6.3	1.0	145.0	5.6	1.5	147.1	5.4	.1

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 ¹								
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
All items	139.1	6.5	1.2	124.6	6.7	2.1	133.6	5.4	1.2
All items (1967=100)	404.1	-	-	370.5	-	-	407.0	-	-
Food and beverages	133.7	4.5	.1	126.2	6.1	.6	136.6	5.0	1.2
Food	133.2	4.4	.2	125.3	5.8	.5	137.7	5.2	1.2
Food at home	137.4	5.0	.2	123.2	5.9	.0	138.7	5.7	1.8
Cereals and bakery products	144.4	6.7	-.6	128.8	6.0	2.9	142.0	3.3	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	138.1	4.3	.4	122.3	7.6	.4	135.0	6.1	1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	139.0	4.4	.3	122.9	7.3	-.1	133.2	6.7	1.2
Dairy products	120.8	6.9	-.7	118.1	5.4	-.2	129.8	12.0	3.2
Fruits and vegetables	149.9	7.1	-1.5	129.2	4.7	-3.5	161.8	4.2	3.5
Other food at home	132.9	2.7	2.1	120.1	5.0	.5	129.1	4.8	.3
Food away from home	123.7	2.9	-.1	130.5	5.6	1.6	136.1	4.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	141.7	4.8	.0	135.0	7.9	1.1	128.1	3.8	1.2
Housing	143.0	5.9	-.1	118.1	5.7	.8	136.0	3.8	.1
Shelter	165.4	6.2	1.0	119.5	7.0	.5	143.2	4.4	.2
Renters' costs ²	147.4	8.5	-2.6	123.8	8.6	-2.0	137.6	5.7	.1
Rent, residential	153.5	4.2	.3	128.9	2.7	.8	152.8	4.2	.7
Other renters' costs	185.4	-	-8.7	144.6	23.0	-7.3	152.9	19.5	-4.7
Homeowners' costs ²	150.3	5.4	2.3	125.0	6.6	1.3	135.3	3.3	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	150.9	5.4	2.3	125.1	6.6	1.3	135.4	3.4	.3
Fuel and other utilities	112.8	6.7	-4.5	125.0	6.7	1.4	127.7	4.8	.7
Fuels	107.4	7.8	-6.9	119.2	7.6	2.1	139.6	4.6	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	111.5	44.8	27.6	NA	-	-	134.8	7.9	9.9
Fuel oil	111.1	48.1	38.0	124.5	59.2	27.2	143.3	48.5	33.4
Other household fuel commodities ³	155.1	33.4	.0	NA	-	-	141.6	5.4	8.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	118.4	3.0	-11.2	121.3	6.1	1.3	139.8	4.6	.0
Electricity	131.2	2.8	-16.1	130.3	10.1	1.8	154.2	7.4	.0
Utility (piped) gas	101.5	3.4	.2	113.5	2.7	.8	125.2	-.4	.0
Household furnishings and operation	114.8	3.9	1.6	108.7	.3	.6	117.2	.3	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	100.2	6.6	4.7	125.7	1.3	4.7	116.7	4.9	5.9
Apparel commodities	95.8	5.6	4.7	123.4	1.3	5.0	112.9	4.2	6.0
Men's and boys' apparel	103.8	4.8	5.1	116.7	3.5	2.8	114.9	1.9	6.8
Women's and girls' apparel	77.5	11.7	7.8	129.5	2.0	6.9	97.5	2.4	4.1
Footwear	113.2	-8.2	5.7	115.5	-1.5	4.9	119.7	2.5	3.9
Transportation	133.9	8.1	5.6	117.9	10.5	6.4	122.0	9.8	3.7
Private transportation	131.7	8.1	6.0	117.3	10.2	6.4	121.1	9.9	3.7
Motor fuel	127.0	35.1	20.8	114.6	39.2	16.7	118.2	32.8	9.4
Gasoline	126.6	36.0	22.0	114.6	39.2	16.7	118.0	32.7	9.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	122.6	37.9	11.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	125.5	39.3	23.3	111.9	40.4	17.1	115.1	33.1	9.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	120.6	29.1	18.5	114.2	34.0	14.8	117.0	27.9	7.4
Public transportation	164.7	7.2	.7	127.9	14.0	3.9	139.0	9.4	4.6

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 ¹								
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990	Oct. 1990	Oct. 1989	Aug. 1990
Expenditure category									
Medical care	169.7	4.8	0.6	165.8	10.5	1.7	164.3	8.4	0.7
Entertainment	130.4	2.0	-.1	137.5	2.5	-.4	136.9	5.2	-2.3
Other goods and services	177.6	13.6	-.6	157.4	8.6	2.4	167.4	6.2	1.3
Personal care	151.5	8.8	1.6	117.5	2.5	-.2	147.7	6.5	.0
Commodity and service group									
All items	139.1	6.5	1.2	124.6	6.7	2.1	133.6	5.4	1.2
Commodities	125.0	8.0	3.1	120.7	7.3	2.9	126.4	6.0	1.9
Food and beverages	133.7	4.5	.1	126.2	6.1	.6	136.6	5.0	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	118.4	11.0	5.4	117.1	8.2	4.6	120.1	6.9	2.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	118.2	16.3	7.2	127.6	13.2	6.4	123.1	11.5	4.5
Durables	115.6	1.7	2.1	104.6	1.3	1.9	113.5	-.1	-.4
Services	157.6	5.3	-.2	130.0	6.0	1.2	141.6	5.0	.6
Medical care services	171.3	3.8	.5	158.5	7.0	1.2	164.4	8.4	.7
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	132.3	6.7	1.3	126.5	6.6	2.6	131.0	6.0	1.7
All items less medical care	137.6	6.6	1.2	122.8	6.5	2.2	132.3	5.3	1.2
All items less energy	143.0	5.4	.9	126.1	5.2	1.4	135.8	4.5	.9
Energy	114.0	18.8	4.0	116.4	21.6	9.1	125.5	19.3	5.3
Commodities less food	119.4	10.7	5.2	117.7	8.2	4.3	120.1	6.7	2.5
Nondurables less food	119.6	15.4	6.6	127.5	12.6	5.9	122.3	10.6	4.1
Nondurables	126.7	9.7	3.3	126.5	9.1	3.2	129.9	7.7	2.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	137.2	4.6	-.1.3	124.5	5.2	1.9	129.5	5.9	1.3
Services less medical care	156.3	5.5	-.3	127.7	6.0	1.3	140.1	4.8	.6

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see table 11) will appear next month.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

^{NA} 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	
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990
U.S. city average	\$25.852	\$25.769	\$56.726	\$56.481	\$43.605	\$42.296	\$1.165	\$1.330
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	31.167	29.456	66.022	62.061	52.532	53.055	1.164	1.327
Size A - More than 1,200,000	31.750	29.671	67.105	62.290	56.912	57.378	1.186	1.340
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	30.560	30.191	64.355	63.416	49.458	50.331	1.123	1.298
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	28.132	28.087	61.453	61.166	44.655	45.048	1.085	1.275
North Central urban	22.301	22.859	47.086	48.182	45.531	40.501	1.132	1.283
Size A - More than 1,200,000	21.823	22.589	46.307	47.723	51.319	41.411	1.147	1.282
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	23.204	23.662	49.222	50.406	44.017	43.670	1.146	1.322
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	24.926	24.989	51.975	52.156	36.594	36.839	1.102	1.263
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	20.813	20.957	43.361	43.783	41.965	38.756	1.011	1.144
South urban	26.975	27.157	56.790	57.138	40.685	40.539	1.178	1.346
Size A - More than 1,200,000	27.954	28.246	57.902	58.445	42.386	42.412	1.160	1.327
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	26.746	26.858	55.626	55.774	42.475	42.479	1.206	1.358
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	26.737	26.758	56.846	56.890	41.994	41.664	1.166	1.370
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	24.205	24.464	53.833	54.487	34.743	34.465	1.141	1.334
West urban	25.850	25.957	65.139	65.487	39.141	39.587	1.229	1.472
Size A - More than 1,250,000	25.780	25.780	67.997	67.997	37.566	37.793	1.228	1.476
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	22.805	23.663	53.427	55.939	29.245	30.409	1.243	1.442
Size classes								
A	26.185	25.968	58.320	57.686	47.163	44.179	1.184	1.342
B	26.351	26.508	56.108	56.464	44.631	44.759	1.148	1.317
C	25.589	25.767	55.145	55.614	39.307	39.406	1.100	1.287
D	22.710	22.880	48.247	48.707	38.431	37.567	1.171	1.346
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	21.218	21.235	43.375	43.327	57.357	38.254	1.228	1.367
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	27.744	27.744	73.294	73.294	53.251	53.722	NA	NA
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	30.673	30.430	67.881	67.346	62.616	61.658	1.253	1.396
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	31.395	31.613	70.749	70.874	58.645	58.645	1.082	1.237
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	24.437	24.437	73.096	73.096	55.571	55.571	NA	NA
Baltimore, MD	27.120	27.160	56.550	56.660	44.930	42.740	1.144	1.306
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	37.660	26.360	70.315	45.958	49.152	54.015	1.140	1.314
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	21.981	21.981	48.420	48.420	65.500	55.200	NA	NA
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	30.644	32.785	65.137	70.534	44.746	44.768	NA	NA
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	27.261	27.230	49.487	49.487	52.439	39.767	1.149	NA
Washington, DC-MD-VA	33.418	33.010	72.805	72.435	43.860	43.655	1.148	1.325
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	26.348	26.026	56.503	55.740	43.094	44.188	NA	NA
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	22.806	26.355	46.064	51.375	48.285	48.285	1.228	1.399
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	26.426	26.341	52.000	52.000	39.861	40.063	NA	NA
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	30.296	31.562	64.094	64.315	51.326	51.326	1.126	1.275

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

^{NA} 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 Oct. 1990		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Oct. 1990	
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Low	High	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.590	\$0.591	1	2,800	\$0.088	\$0.083	5	7,512
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	.704	.670	1	2,800	.109	.106	26	7,246
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.720	.677	1	697	.115	.109	88	3,928
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	.688	.678	1	252	.105	.107	26	7,246
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.635	.632	2	515	.099	.100	54	3,680
North Central urban	.474	.491	2	1,292	.088	.075	5	6,708
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.465	.489	10	1,292	.101	.077	5	6,708
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	.534	.544	2	443	.072	.071	29	3,287
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.498	.501	38	676	.076	.076	39	3,626
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.433	.437	16	429	.082	.076	21	3,749
South urban	.644	.648	2	1,026	.081	.079	30	7,512
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.653	.659	6	442	.085	.080	30	7,512
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.647	.650	2	1,026	.084	.083	112	5,260
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.643	.643	3	589	.081	.079	94	4,002
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.605	.612	5	252	.075	.074	32	5,536
West urban	.648	.651	6	731	.082	.083	57	7,152
Size A - More than 1,250,000	.660	.660	6	731	.077	.078	75	7,152
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.524	.546	25	366	.065	.067	82	5,432
Size classes								
A	.600	.600	1	1,292	.095	.085	5	7,512
B	.621	.625	1	1,026	.086	.085	26	7,246
C	.569	.573	2	676	.080	.079	39	5,432
D	.503	.507	5	2,800	.081	.079	21	5,536
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	.432	.435	23	635	.120	.065	169	6,708
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	.719	.719	7	393	.108	.109	75	3,107
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.835	.829	1	697	.126	.118	88	2,929
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	.775	.778	12	474	.128	.107	216	3,845
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.699	.699	6	191	.111	.111	108	2,457
Baltimore, MD	.635	.636	9	238	.087	.073	197	3,510
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.698	.482	25	300	.098	.104	140	2,658
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.473	.473	46	406	.129	.103	167	2,351
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	.913	.967	8	92	.087	.087	304	2,961
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	.493	.493	46	1,292	.099	.072	172	2,744
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.754	.744	6	442	.089	.084	30	3,763
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.729	.721	12	46	.079	.080	275	6,349
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.428	.549	21	356	.098	.098	63	3,174
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.544	.543	30	170	.085	.085	224	7,512
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.602	.607	31	426	.097	.097	240	3,257

¹ 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 All types ¹		Gasoline Leaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded premium	
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990
U.S. city average	\$1.347	\$1.431	\$1.297	\$1.354	\$1.294	\$1.378	\$1.467	\$1.554
Region and area size ²								
Northeast urban	1.368	1.476	1.279	1.329	1.295	1.401	1.498	1.603
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.366	1.485	NA	NA	1.283	1.400	1.497	1.614
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.386	1.483	NA	NA	1.336	1.439	1.505	1.596
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	1.351	1.414	NA	NA	1.292	1.365	1.488	1.532
North Central urban	1.366	1.435	1.353	1.386	1.321	1.392	1.501	1.569
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.377	1.452	1.349	1.396	1.324	1.403	1.516	1.585
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	1.339	1.424	NA	NA	1.289	1.377	1.494	1.580
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	1.373	1.434	1.375	1.434	1.333	1.392	1.475	1.538
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.347	1.377	NA	NA	1.329	1.363	NA	NA
South urban	1.317	1.405	1.314	1.356	1.253	1.341	1.425	1.517
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.273	1.382	1.222	1.329	1.204	1.314	1.387	1.497
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	1.340	1.429	NA	NA	1.276	1.366	1.436	1.532
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	1.330	1.391	NA	NA	1.279	1.339	1.446	1.515
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.383	1.453	NA	NA	1.309	1.379	1.479	1.547
West urban	1.350	1.419	1.277	1.343	1.318	1.389	1.479	1.548
Size A - More than 1,250,000	1.355	1.430	1.274	1.344	1.319	1.398	1.481	1.557
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	1.360	1.425	1.325	1.391	1.349	1.419	1.502	1.542
Size classes								
A	1.347	1.442	1.283	1.351	1.289	1.384	1.471	1.567
B	1.345	1.430	1.273	1.335	1.293	1.379	1.460	1.549
C	1.346	1.408	1.344	1.393	1.299	1.362	1.462	1.523
D	1.355	1.398	1.323	1.345	1.323	1.367	1.462	1.517
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	1.425	1.534	NA	NA	1.364	1.479	1.556	1.661
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.346	1.416	1.270	1.332	1.289	1.361	1.455	1.530
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	1.355	1.486	NA	NA	1.261	1.395	1.496	1.618
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.360	1.484	NA	NA	1.263	1.381	1.463	1.589
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.352	1.417	1.258	1.309	1.349	1.420	1.451	1.522
Baltimore, MD	1.294	1.435	NA	NA	1.216	1.357	1.395	1.532
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1.383	1.490	NA	NA	1.322	1.427	1.514	1.621
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1.371	1.461	NA	NA	1.318	1.414	1.525	1.598
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.224	1.333	NA	NA	1.147	1.258	1.331	1.438
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1.266	1.342	NA	NA	1.222	1.281	1.469	1.479
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1.393	1.521	NA	NA	1.321	1.449	1.544	1.672
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.234	1.334	NA	NA	1.196	1.300	1.363	1.451
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	1.328	1.400	NA	NA	1.309	1.382	1.473	1.533
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.265	1.385	NA	NA	1.209	1.325	1.400	1.528
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	1.269	1.358	NA	NA	1.242	1.329	1.415	1.512

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions ¹

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.249	\$0.244	\$0.257	\$0.249	NA	NA	\$0.262	\$0.250	\$0.248	\$0.249
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb.	.505	.497	NA	NA	NA	NA	.464	.462	NA	NA
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb.	.856	.845	.794	.759	0.843	0.844	.866	.849	.950	.962
Bread, white, pan, per lb.	.700	.706	.860	.868	.711	.728	.595	.593	.735	.744
Bread, French, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.174	1.161	1.382	1.399
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.018	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	2.663	2.670	NA	NA	2.474	2.478	NA	NA	NA	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.432	1.451	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.991	1.968	1.978	1.995	2.003	1.939	1.993	1.963	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.594	1.582	NA	NA	1.550	1.548	1.583	1.621	1.586	1.479
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	2.071	2.091	NA	NA	2.084	1.986	2.170	2.236	NA	NA
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.468	2.510	2.601	2.723	2.402	2.336	2.386	2.447	NA	NA
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.892	2.965	2.795	2.937	2.891	2.918	2.988	3.019	2.918	3.052
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	4.652	4.655	4.550	4.579	4.344	4.311	5.019	5.023	NA	NA
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	3.278	3.332	3.650	3.659	2.997	3.119	3.192	3.208	3.372	3.464
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.683	3.717	3.872	3.844	3.502	3.585	3.730	3.775	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	4.300	4.251	4.618	4.612	4.263	4.136	4.225	4.129	4.078	4.168
Steak, T-Bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	5.012	4.962	NA	NA	5.435	5.085	4.558	4.649	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	2.176	2.208	2.326	2.377	2.171	2.199	2.130	2.138	2.087	2.128
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	3.356	3.368	3.374	3.500	3.279	3.274	3.293	3.310	3.547	3.441
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.673	1.740	NA	NA
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.350	1.392	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.256	1.333	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	2.492	2.518	NA	NA	2.406	2.436	2.554	2.557	NA	NA
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.095	3.115	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	2.366	2.372	2.556	2.556	2.466	2.402	2.101	2.136	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.496	2.503	NA	NA	2.367	2.390	2.331	2.319	2.552	2.629
Beef liver, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb.	.907	.883	1.092	1.075	.861	.833	.846	.822	.911	.882
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	2.112	2.060	2.196	2.151	2.001	1.824	1.983	1.978	2.361	2.362
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	1.225	1.201	1.290	1.216	1.105	1.137	1.139	1.134	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.033	1.056	1.099	1.136	1.028	1.014	1.032	1.059	NA	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	2.096	2.120	NA	NA	1.977	2.023	2.042	2.049	NA	NA
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	.946	1.012	1.143	1.182	.899	.982	.874	.944	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.359	1.173
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.434	1.451	1.387	1.392	1.436	1.414	1.682	1.689	1.301	1.367
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal.	NA	NA	1.334	1.344	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	1.953	1.977	2.121	2.150	1.906	1.897	1.845	1.866	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.398	3.435	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.578	3.582	NA	NA
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	2.614	2.613	3.046	3.017	2.476	2.418	2.661	2.706	2.387	2.420
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb.	.877	.765	.985	.793	.955	.833	.850	.729	.749	.716
Bananas, per lb.	.465	.432	.521	.476	.473	.446	.418	.403	.465	.416
Oranges, Navel, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Valencia, per lb.	.561	.524	.610	.568	.577	.533	.572	.538	.507	.477
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 ¹—Continued

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990	Sept. 1990	Oct. 1990
Grapefruit, per lb.	0.664	0.575	0.711	0.557	0.687	0.588	0.692	0.598	0.583	0.561
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb.	1.064	1.266	1.262	1.453	1.121	1.261	.951	1.214	.996	1.196
Lemons, per lb.	1.158	1.145	1.126	1.139	1.327	1.175	1.085	1.071	1.177	1.195
Peaches, per lb.	.940	NA	1.076	NA	.931	NA	.990	NA	.835	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz.	1.210	NA	1.334	NA	1.095	1.218	1.227	NA	1.166	NA
Potatoes, white, per lb.	.348	.322	.397	.357	.310	.295	.369	.340	.331	.307
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb.	.646	.746	.734	.850	.605	.723	.647	.745	.626	.706
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb.	.773	.846	.974	1.006	.795	.924	.750	.825	.670	.732
Beans, green, snap, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.891	.977	NA	NA
Cabbage, per lb.	.315	.324	.342	.347	.254	.257	.314	.324	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb.	.359	.370	.388	.400	.379	.366	.381	.406	.298	.316
Celery, per lb.	.469	.448	NA	NA	.486	.468	NA	NA	NA	NA
Corn on the cob, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	.632	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb.	.487	.531	NA	NA	.462	.575	.440	.431	NA	NA
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb.	.344	NA	NA	NA	.437	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, green (scallions), per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.655	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb.	.704	NA	NA	NA	.739	.950	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, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz.	2.262	2.210	2.376	2.339	2.147	2.167	2.256	2.131	2.247	2.173
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb.	.829	.827	.889	.893	.877	.878	.705	.698	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.	.434	.432	.488	.484	.418	.424	.420	.415	.431	.426
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb.	.407	.404	.432	.427	.398	.402	.406	.401	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb.	.858	.866	.956	.921	.839	.853	.762	.797	.937	.934
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb.	1.240	NA	NA	NA	1.011	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb.	.933	.936	1.064	1.052	.893	.885	.889	.916	.922	.904
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.861	1.882	1.801	1.816	1.807	1.837	1.926	1.949	NA	NA
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. ²	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	3.025	3.030	3.109	3.127	2.843	2.880	3.302	3.314	2.885	2.839
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz.	2.980	3.032	2.829	2.891	2.647	2.598	2.992	3.134	3.644	3.718

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.
² Deposit may be included in price.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time in a fixed market basket of goods and services. 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	0.037×100
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.¹ 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.² 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.

¹ 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.

² 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.