

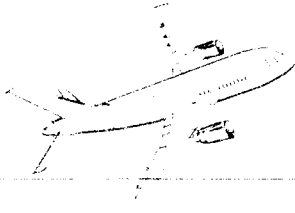
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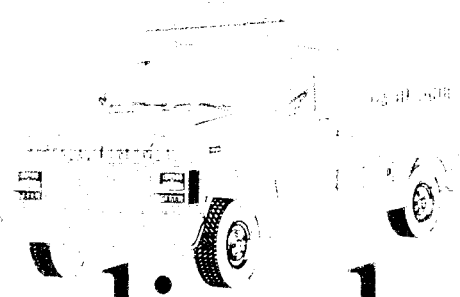


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Price Movements September 1994

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.3 percent before seasonal adjustment in September to a level of 149.4 (1982-84=100). For the 12-month period ended in September, the CPI-U increased 3.0 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) also increased 0.3 percent in September, prior to seasonal adjustment. The September 1994 CPI-W level of 146.9 was 3.0 percent higher than the index in September 1993.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.2 percent in September, following increases of 0.3 percent in each of the 3 preceding months. A downturn in the energy index was largely responsible for the smaller advance in the overall CPI-U. The food index rose slightly less than in August, largely as a result of the stabilization of coffee prices. The CPI-U excluding food and energy, which increased 0.3 percent in August, rose 0.2 percent in September. (See table A.)

Consumer prices rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate (SAAR) of 3.6 percent in the third quarter. This fol-

lows annual rates of 2.5 percent in each of the first two quarters of 1994 and brings the year-to-date annual rate to 2.8 percent. (See table Q3.) The larger increase in the third quarter reflects an acceleration in the food and energy indexes. These components, which acted as a moderating influence on consumer price movements during the first half of 1994, as throughout the preceding 3 years, increased in the third quarter at annual rates of 5.1 and 10.9 percent, respectively. Through the first 9 months of 1994, the food index has increased at a 2.2-percent annual rate, and energy costs have risen at a 3.4-percent rate.

Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose at a 2.6-percent rate in the third quarter and has advanced at a 2.9-percent annual rate thus far in 1994. This follows a 3.2-percent increase in all of 1993 and continues the moderation in this index since 1990. The deceleration in 1994 thus far reflects a decline in the index for apparel and upkeep and further moderation in the index for medical care. The rates for selected groups thus far in 1994 and during the past 8 years are shown below.

The food and beverage index rose 0.3 percent in September. Grocery store food prices also increased 0.3 percent, following increases of 0.8 and 0.6 percent in July and

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate, 3 months ended September 1994	Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month								12 months ended September 1994
	1994								
	March	April	May	June	July	August	September		
All items	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	3.6	3.0
Food and beverages	.1	.1	.3	.3	.5	.3	.3	4.5	2.7
Housing	.3	0	.2	.1	.2	.3	.1	2.8	2.5
Apparel and upkeep	.4	-.3	.4	.6	-.4	-1.0	-.1	-5.8	-.3
Transportation	.6	.3	-.4	.6	1.0	1.0	.1	9.0	4.5
Medical care	.2	.6	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	4.8	4.7
Entertainment	.3	-.1	.3	-.1	.3	0	.1	1.6	2.8
Other goods and services	.4	.7	.6	.4	.4	.2	.1	2.8	4.3
Special indexes:									
Energy	.4	-.4	-1.0	.1	1.8	1.4	-.7	10.9	2.9
Food	.1	.1	.3	.3	.5	.4	.3	5.1	2.8
All items less food and energy	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	2.6	3.0

Table Q3. Annual and year-to-date percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers, 1986-94

Expenditure category	Percent change 12 months ended in December								SAAR 9 months ended September
	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
All Items	1.1	4.4	4.4	4.6	6.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.8
Food and beverages	3.7	3.5	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.0
Housing	1.7	3.7	4.0	3.9	4.5	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.4
Apparel and upkeep	.9	4.8	4.7	1.0	5.1	3.4	1.4	.9	-.9
Transportation	-5.9	6.1	3.0	4.0	10.4	-1.5	3.0	2.4	4.8
Medical care	7.7	5.8	6.9	8.5	9.6	7.9	6.6	5.4	4.6
Entertainment	3.4	4.0	4.6	5.1	4.3	3.9	2.8	2.8	2.2
Other goods and services	5.5	6.1	7.0	8.2	7.6	8.0	6.5	2.7	4.2
Special indexes:									
Energy	-19.7	8.2	.5	5.1	18.1	-7.4	2.0	-1.4	3.4
Food	3.8	3.5	5.2	5.6	5.3	1.9	1.5	2.9	2.2
All Items less food and energy	3.8	4.2	4.7	4.4	5.2	4.4	3.3	3.2	2.9

August, respectively. The moderation in September was largely the result of the stabilization of coffee prices, which were unchanged after increasing 22.4 and 22.0 percent in the 2 preceding months. Despite stable coffee prices, the index for nonalcoholic beverages rose 0.9 percent in September and the other food at home index again registered the largest increase among the major grocery store food groups, advancing 0.7 percent. The index for fruits and vegetables advanced 0.6 percent, reflecting a 2.0-percent rise in the index for fresh vegetables. The indexes for fresh fruits declined slightly, while that for processed fruits and vegetables rose 0.1 percent. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose 0.1 percent, the same as in August. Meat prices, which had increased slightly in August, following declines in each of the 3 preceding months, fell 0.1 percent in September. Prices for beef and pork rose slightly, but were more than offset by a 0.6-percent decline in prices for other meats. Poultry prices rose 1.1 percent after declining 1.7 percent in August. The index for cereal and bakery products increased 0.4 percent, while the index for dairy products declined for the fourth consecutive month—down 0.5 percent in September. The other two components of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—rose 0.3 percent and 0.1 percent, respectively.

The housing component, which rose 0.3 percent in August, increased 0.1 percent in September. Each of the major groups contributed to the moderation. Shelter costs increased 0.3 percent, following a 0.4-percent rise in August. Within shelter, renters' costs declined 0.1 percent, while homeowners' costs and maintenance and repair costs rose 0.5 and 0.3 percent, respectively. The decrease in renters' costs reflects a 1.0-percent decline in other renters' costs; residential rents advanced 0.3 percent. The index for fuel and other utilities, which increased 0.2 percent in August, decreased 0.4 percent in September. The index for house-

hold fuels fell 0.5 percent, reflecting declines in the indexes for each of the three major fuels. Charges for natural gas and electricity fell 1.0 and 0.5 percent, respectively. The index for fuel oil declined 1.0 percent. The index for other utilities and public services decreased 0.2 percent in September, largely as a result of a 1.0-percent drop in the index for cable television. These charges have declined 3.5 percent since their last monthly increase in March. The index for household furnishings and operation decreased 0.1 percent in September after increasing 0.2 percent in August.

Transportation costs, which rose 1.0 percent in each of the 2 preceding months, increased 0.1 percent in September. This deceleration was largely a result of downturns in the indexes for motor fuels and public transportation. The index for gasoline, which rose 7.8 percent in the preceding 3-month period, fell 0.6 percent in September. The index for public transportation, largely reflecting a decrease in airline fares, fell 0.7 percent in September. These declines, however, were more than offset by increases in automobile purchase costs. The index for new vehicles rose 0.5 percent in September and has advanced at a 4.8-percent seasonally adjusted annual rate thus far in 1994. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, prices for new vehicles rose 0.1 percent on average, reflecting the introduction of a larger than usual proportion of new models.) Automobile finance charges continued to increase, advancing 2.2 percent in September and 15.6 percent thus far in 1994. The index for used cars rose 1.0 percent.

The index for apparel and upkeep declined for the third consecutive month, down 0.1 percent in September. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, clothing prices rose 2.7 percent.)

Medical care costs rose 0.4 percent in September, the same as in each of the 4 preceding months, to a level 4.7 percent above a year earlier. The index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs,

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate, 3 months ended September 1994	Unadjusted 12 months ended September 1994
	Changes from preceding month								
	1994								
	March	April	May	June	July	August	September		
All items	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	3.9	3.0
Food and beverages	.1	.1	.3	.2	.5	.4	.3	4.8	2.5
Housing	.3	0	.1	.1	.1	.4	.1	2.6	2.4
Apparel and upkeep	.2	-.4	.5	.5	-.2	-.9	-.2	-5.0	-.2
Transportation	.5	.3	-.2	.6	1.1	1.0	.2	9.7	4.7
Medical care	.3	.6	.3	.4	.4	.4	.3	4.5	4.5
Entertainment	.3	-.1	.4	.1	.2	0	0	.8	2.6
Other goods and services	.5	.7	.5	.4	.4	.4	.1	3.3	4.2
Special indexes:									
Energy	.5	-.5	-1.1	.4	1.9	1.6	-.8	11.4	3.2
Food	.3	.1	.3	.2	.5	.5	.3	5.1	2.7
All items less food and energy	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	2.9	3.0

and medical supplies—was unchanged in September. The index for medical care services rose 0.4 percent in September. Charges for professional services and hospital and related services each increased 0.4 and 0.6 percent, respectively.

The entertainment index, which was unchanged in August, increased 0.1 percent in September. A 1.2-percent increase in the index for reading materials more than offset declines in the indexes for sporting goods and equipment and for entertainment services.

The index for other goods and services rose 0.1 percent in September after advancing 0.2 percent in August. Increases in the indexes for tobacco and smoking products

and for personal expenses—up 0.3 and 0.2 percent, respectively—were partially offset by a decline in school related costs. The index for tuition and other school fees declined 0.3 percent, while that for school books and supplies was unchanged. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, the indexes for tuition and other school fees and school books and supplies rose 2.7 and 1.3 percent, respectively.)

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 0.1 percent in September. (See table B.)

CPI-U 12-month changes, 1985 to present

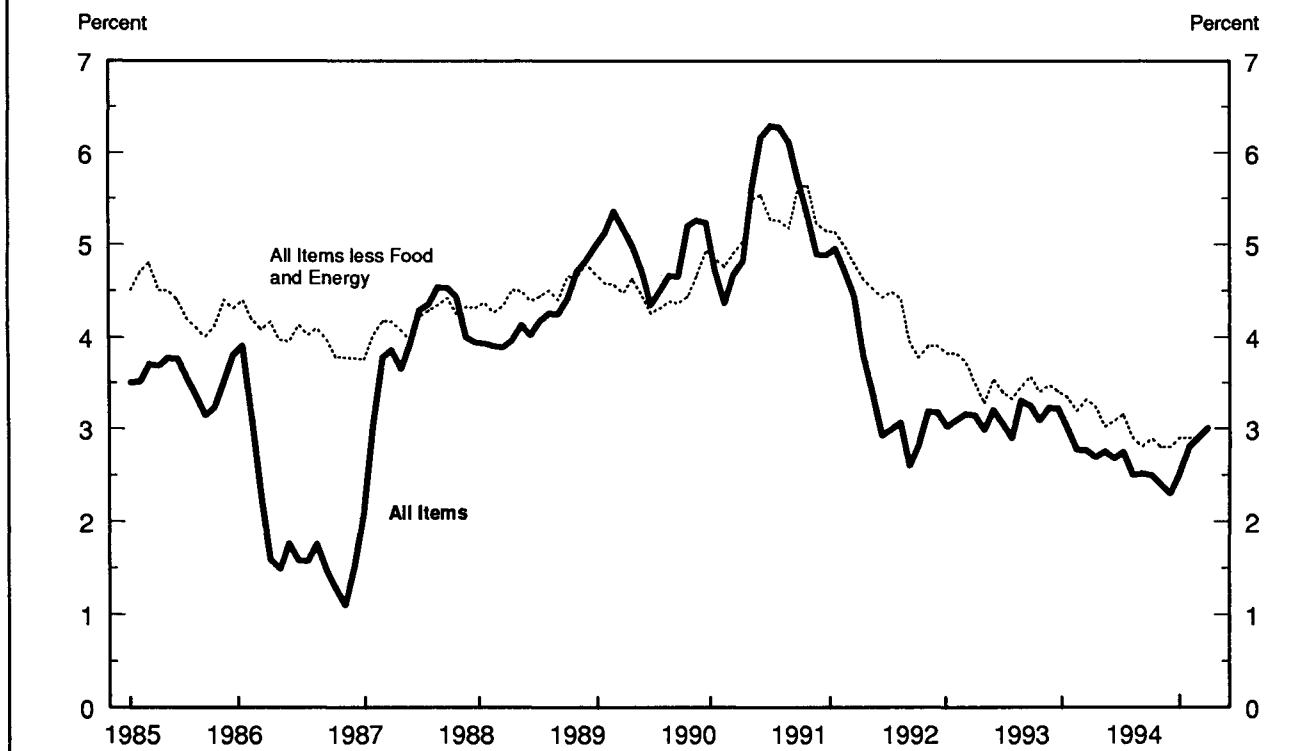


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(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1993	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	149.0	149.4	3.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
All items (1967 = 100)	-	446.4	447.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.398	145.3	145.6	2.7	.2	.5	.3	.3
Food	15.799	144.8	145.0	2.8	.1	.5	.4	.3
Food at home	9.853	144.7	145.0	3.6	.2	.8	.6	.3
Cereals and bakery products	1.454	164.7	164.8	4.5	.1	.2	.4	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.984	137.1	137.3	1.1	.1	-.7	.1	.1
Dairy products	1.186	131.8	131.3	1.3	-.4	-.3	-.8	-.5
Fruits and vegetables	1.909	162.8	163.2	3.9	.2	2.5	.3	.6
Other food at home	2.320	138.9	139.4	6.9	.4	2.3	2.2	.7
Sugar and sweets	.331	135.1	135.4	1.6	.2	.1	-.3	.5
Fats and oils	.246	134.1	134.2	3.2	.1	.9	-.7	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	.712	131.3	132.1	16.1	.6	6.4	7.1	.9
Other prepared food	1.030	148.4	148.8	3.2	.3	.5	.1	.7
Food away from home	5.946	145.9	146.2	1.7	.2	.1	.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages	1.600	151.3	151.4	1.0	.1	-.1	-.2	.1
Housing	41.394	145.9	145.8	2.5	-.1	.2	.3	.1
Shelter	27.948	161.7	161.6	3.2	-.1	.3	.4	.3
Renters' costs ¹	7.984	172.1	169.4	2.5	-1.6	-.1	.5	-.1
Rent, residential	5.771	154.5	155.0	2.6	.3	.3	.4	.3
Other renters' costs	2.213	205.9	193.5	2.3	-6.0	-1.0	.8	-1.0
Homeowners' costs ¹	19.768	166.1	167.1	3.5	.6	.4	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	19.386	166.4	167.3	3.5	.5	.4	.4	.5
Household insurance ^{2 1}	.382	154.0	154.3	3.8	.2	.9	.5	.2
Maintenance and repairs ²	.196	131.2	131.6	.2	.3	-.2	-.1	.3
Maintenance and repair services ²	.118	135.4	135.8	-1.2	.3	.0	.0	.3
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	.078	125.6	126.0	2.6	.3	-.2	-.2	.3
Fuel and other utilities	7.262	124.3	124.2	.2	-.1	.2	.2	-.4
Fuels	3.983	114.0	113.8	-.9	-.2	.4	.2	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.369	86.8	86.8	-1.3	.0	.6	.1	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.614	122.2	122.1	-.8	-.1	.3	.2	-.6
Other utilities and public services ²	3.279	150.6	150.3	1.5	-.2	.0	.1	-.2
Household furnishings and operation	6.183	121.4	121.4	1.5	.0	.0	.2	-.1
Housefurnishings	3.601	111.5	111.2	1.4	-.3	-.1	.0	-.3
Housekeeping supplies	1.109	132.2	132.6	1.5	.3	.0	.2	.3
Housekeeping services	1.473	138.9	139.3	1.8	.3	.3	.2	.1
Apparel and upkeep	5.897	131.1	134.2	-.3	2.4	-.4	-1.0	-.1
Apparel commodities	5.333	127.8	131.2	-.6	2.7	-.5	-1.1	-.1
Men's and boys' apparel	1.389	125.7	128.4	.5	2.1	.5	.2	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	2.421	125.5	131.1	-2.3	4.5	-1.4	-2.8	.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	.203	128.6	129.5	2.4	.7	1.8	-.3	.2
Footwear	.781	124.5	125.1	-.9	.5	-.7	-.2	-1.3
Other apparel commodities	.539	152.4	152.3	3.4	-.1	.5	1.1	-.6
Apparel services ²	.564	155.9	156.3	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
Transportation	16.954	135.9	135.9	4.5	.0	1.0	1.0	.1
Private transportation	15.295	133.0	133.1	4.7	.1	1.0	.9	.2
New vehicles	5.025	137.3	137.5	4.1	.1	.4	.3	.5
New cars	4.031	135.6	135.7	3.9	.1	.5	.2	.5
Used cars	1.245	144.0	145.4	4.8	1.0	.9	.8	1.0
Motor fuel	3.010	104.1	103.7	7.9	-.4	3.8	3.1	-.9
Gasoline	-	104.1	103.6	8.0	-.5	3.5	3.7	-.6
Maintenance and repairs	1.533	150.7	151.2	3.0	.3	.1	.5	.1
Other private transportation	4.483	162.0	162.1	3.8	.1	.0	.3	.4
Other private transportation commodities	.629	103.3	103.2	.2	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.2
Other private transportation services	3.854	175.7	175.8	4.5	.1	.1	.3	.6
Public transportation	1.659	173.2	171.7	2.0	-.9	.9	1.8	-.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1993	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	7.108	212.2	212.8	4.7	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Medical care commodities	1.287	201.7	201.7	2.8	.0	.4	.3	.0
Medical care services	5.821	214.7	215.4	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Professional medical services	3.353	193.5	194.0	4.1	.3	.3	.4	.4
Entertainment	4.351	150.2	150.7	2.8	.3	.3	.0	.1
Entertainment commodities	1.986	136.5	137.0	2.5	.4	.3	.1	.5
Entertainment services	2.365	166.6	167.1	3.1	.3	.2	-.1	-.2
Other goods and services	6.897	199.4	201.4	4.3	1.0	.4	.2	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	1.601	221.7	220.8	2.6	-.4	.5	.1	.3
Personal care ²	1.184	145.0	145.1	1.9	.1	-.1	.0	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	.628	141.9	141.8	1.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Personal care services ²	.556	148.3	148.7	2.3	.3	-.3	.0	.3
Personal and educational expenses	4.112	223.9	228.0	5.7	1.8	.5	.3	.0
School books and supplies	.249	205.8	208.4	4.6	1.3	.4	.3	.0
Personal and educational services	3.863	225.5	229.7	5.7	1.9	.5	.3	.1
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	149.0	149.4	3.0	.3	.3	.3	.2
Commodities	43.547	134.3	134.8	2.7	.4	.5	.3	.1
Food and beverages	17.398	145.3	145.6	2.7	.2	.5	.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	26.149	127.5	128.1	2.6	.5	.6	.2	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.579	129.2	130.3	2.4	.9	.5	.5	-.5
Apparel commodities	5.333	127.8	131.2	-.6	2.7	-.5	-1.1	-.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	10.245	132.8	132.8	3.9	.0	.8	1.1	.0
Durables	10.570	125.1	125.1	3.0	.0	.3	.2	.2
Services	56.453	164.2	164.4	3.2	.1	.3	.4	.2
Rent of shelter ² ¹	27.337	168.2	168.2	3.3	.0	.4	.5	.0
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	8.900	138.0	137.9	.7	-.1	.2	.2	-.3
Transportation services	7.046	168.9	168.8	3.6	-.1	.3	.7	.2
Medical care services	5.821	214.7	215.4	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Other services	7.349	185.8	187.8	4.3	1.1	.3	.1	.1
Special indexes								
All items less food	84.201	149.8	150.2	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.1
All items less shelter	72.052	145.5	146.0	2.8	.3	.4	.3	.1
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	80.232	150.4	150.6	2.8	.1	.3	.3	.1
All items less medical care	92.892	145.5	145.8	2.8	.2	.3	.3	.2
Commodities less food	27.749	128.4	129.0	2.5	.5	.5	.2	.1
Nondurables less food	17.178	130.4	131.4	2.2	.8	.5	.5	-.4
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	11.845	133.7	133.7	3.5	.0	.8	1.0	.0
Nondurables ²	32.977	137.4	138.1	2.5	.5	.1	.6	.5
Services less rent of shelter ¹	29.116	171.7	172.2	3.1	.3	.2	.4	.1
Services less medical care services	50.632	159.4	159.6	3.0	.1	.1	.4	.1
Energy	6.993	108.5	108.2	2.9	-.3	1.8	1.4	-.7
All items less energy	93.007	154.6	155.0	2.9	.3	.3	.3	.2
All items less food and energy	77.208	157.0	157.5	3.0	.3	.2	.3	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	24.369	136.8	137.7	1.9	.7	.1	-.1	.1
Energy commodities	3.380	102.4	102.0	6.9	-.4	3.4	2.7	-.8
Services less energy services	52.839	168.5	168.8	3.5	.2	.2	.4	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ²	-	\$.671	\$.669	-2.9	-.3	-.3	-.4	-.3
1967=\$1.00 ²	-	.224	.223	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

² Not seasonally adjusted.

- Data not available.

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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					
	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.5	2.5	3.6	2.9	3.0
Food and beverages	144.4	145.1	145.6	146.0	4.6	-8	2.5	4.5	1.8	3.5
Food	143.9	144.6	145.2	145.7	4.9	-1.1	2.8	5.1	1.8	4.0
Food at home	143.3	144.5	145.3	145.8	6.4	-2.2	3.4	7.2	2.0	5.3
Cereals and bakery products	163.2	163.6	164.2	164.8	4.4	3.0	6.6	4.0	3.7	5.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.7	136.8	136.9	137.0	4.8	1.5	.3	-2.0	3.1	-9
Dairy products	133.1	132.7	131.7	131.0	.0	6.7	5.0	-6.2	3.3	-8
Fruits and vegetables	162.2	166.3	166.8	167.8	20.8	-19.5	6.1	14.5	-1.4	10.3
Other food at home	132.8	135.8	138.8	139.8	3.1	.6	2.4	22.8	1.8	12.2
Sugar and sweets	134.9	135.1	134.7	135.4	2.4	3.3	-9	1.5	2.9	.3
Fats and oils	133.7	134.9	133.9	134.3	.9	5.6	4.3	1.8	3.3	3.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	115.7	123.1	131.9	133.1	5.0	-3.7	2.1	75.1	.5	33.7
Other prepared food	147.2	147.9	148.1	149.1	2.8	1.4	3.6	5.3	2.1	4.4
Food away from home	145.3	145.5	145.7	146.2	2.0	1.1	1.4	2.5	1.5	1.9
Alcoholic beverages	151.6	151.4	151.1	151.3	3.5	.0	1.3	-8	1.7	.3
Housing	144.4	144.7	145.2	145.4	2.6	3.4	1.1	2.8	3.0	2.0
Shelter	159.8	160.2	160.9	161.4	3.1	4.4	1.5	4.1	3.7	2.8
Renters' costs ¹	168.5	168.4	169.2	169.1	3.7	3.4	1.9	1.4	3.6	1.7
Rent, residential	153.4	153.9	154.5	155.0	2.4	4.0	.3	4.2	3.2	2.2
Other renters' costs	197.9	195.9	197.4	195.5	6.9	1.9	6.1	-4.8	4.3	.5
Homeowners' costs ¹	164.8	165.4	166.1	166.9	3.3	4.8	1.2	5.2	4.0	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	165.1	165.7	166.4	167.2	3.3	4.8	1.2	5.2	4.0	3.2
Household insurance ^{2 1}	151.9	153.2	154.0	154.3	.8	2.7	5.2	6.5	1.8	5.8
Maintenance and repairs ²	131.5	131.3	131.2	131.6	-10.8	5.4	7.0	.3	-3.0	3.6
Maintenance and repair services	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.8	-17.9	3.1	11.4	1.2	-8.0	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	126.2	125.9	125.6	126.0	2.3	8.7	.3	-6	5.4	-2
Fuel and other utilities	122.7	122.9	123.1	122.6	-3	3.3	-1.9	-3	1.5	-1.1
Fuels	110.6	111.0	111.2	110.6	-2.1	2.9	-4.2	.0	.4	-2.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.7	89.2	89.3	88.9	-11.5	20.2	-11.3	.9	3.1	-5.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.3	118.7	118.9	118.2	-1.0	1.4	-3.3	-3	.2	-1.8
Other utilities and public services ²	150.4	150.4	150.6	150.3	1.9	3.5	.8	-3	2.7	.3
Household furnishings and operation	121.3	121.3	121.5	121.4	2.7	-3	3.4	.3	1.2	1.8
Housefurnishings	111.7	111.6	111.6	111.3	3.3	-2.2	5.9	-1.4	.5	2.2
Housekeeping supplies	132.1	132.1	132.4	132.8	2.8	3.7	-2.4	2.1	3.2	-2
Housekeeping services	138.2	138.6	138.9	139.1	1.5	1.8	1.2	2.6	1.6	1.9
Apparel and upkeep	135.0	134.4	133.1	133.0	1.5	.3	3.0	-5.8	.9	-1.5
Apparel commodities	132.0	131.4	129.9	129.8	1.2	.3	2.8	-6.5	.8	-2.0
Men's and boys' apparel	126.4	127.0	127.3	128.2	-3	-7.9	4.9	5.8	-4.2	5.4
Women's and girls' apparel	134.2	132.3	128.6	128.7	1.8	1.8	4.0	-15.4	1.8	-6.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	127.3	129.6	129.2	129.4	1.0	-9	2.9	6.8	.0	4.8
Footwear	127.3	126.4	126.1	124.5	3.5	-1.6	3.5	-8.5	1.0	-2.7
Other apparel commodities	150.2	150.9	152.6	151.7	-1.9	20.0	-6.6	4.1	8.5	-1.4
Apparel services ²	155.5	155.7	155.9	156.3	3.7	1.0	3.4	2.1	2.4	2.7
Transportation	133.5	134.8	136.2	136.4	3.4	3.4	2.1	9.0	3.4	5.5
Private transportation	130.7	132.0	133.2	133.5	3.2	3.8	3.1	8.8	3.5	5.9
New vehicles	137.7	138.3	138.7	139.4	1.8	4.2	5.1	5.0	3.0	5.1
New cars	135.9	136.6	136.9	137.6	2.1	4.0	4.2	5.1	3.0	4.7
Used cars	140.2	141.5	142.6	144.0	4.1	-5.9	11.0	11.3	-1.0	11.1
Motor fuel	95.6	99.2	102.3	101.4	5.2	7.3	-5.6	26.6	6.3	9.3
Gasoline	95.2	98.5	102.1	101.5	4.8	6.0	-4.9	29.2	5.4	10.9
Maintenance and repairs	149.8	150.0	150.8	151.0	3.3	2.7	2.4	3.2	3.0	2.8
Other private transportation	162.0	162.0	162.5	163.2	2.6	4.4	5.6	3.0	3.5	4.3
Other private transportation commodities	103.9	103.7	103.4	103.2	-4	2.4	1.6	-2.7	1.0	-6
Other private transportation services	175.6	175.8	176.4	177.4	3.1	4.5	6.1	4.2	3.8	5.2
Public transportation	171.6	173.2	176.4	175.1	7.4	.9	-8.0	8.4	4.1	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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					
	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category										
Medical care	210.7	211.6	212.4	213.2	4.6	3.3	5.7	4.8	4.0	5.3
Medical care commodities	200.3	201.1	201.7	201.7	2.7	1.4	4.1	2.8	2.0	3.5
Medical care services	212.9	213.8	214.7	215.6	5.0	3.9	6.0	5.2	4.4	5.6
Professional medical services	192.1	192.6	193.3	194.0	3.9	3.7	4.7	4.0	3.8	4.4
Entertainment	149.9	150.3	150.3	150.5	5.0	4.1	.8	1.6	4.6	1.2
Entertainment commodities	136.1	136.5	136.6	137.3	3.0	.3	3.6	3.6	1.7	3.6
Entertainment services	166.4	166.8	166.7	166.4	6.9	7.3	-1.4	.0	7.1	-7
Other goods and services	199.4	200.2	200.6	200.8	4.4	3.1	6.7	2.8	3.8	4.7
Tobacco and smoking products	219.9	221.0	221.3	221.9	.6	.9	5.5	3.7	.7	4.6
Personal care ²	145.2	145.0	145.0	145.1	2.0	-3	6.3	-3	.8	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	141.8	141.9	141.9	141.8	1.2	-1.1	6.1	.0	.0	3.0
Personal care services ²	148.8	148.3	148.3	148.7	2.2	1.4	6.1	-3	1.8	2.9
Personal and educational expenses	223.6	224.7	225.4	225.5	6.9	5.1	7.3	3.4	6.0	5.3
School books and supplies	205.6	206.5	207.1	207.1	5.4	5.9	4.0	3.0	5.6	3.5
Personal and educational services	224.9	226.0	226.6	226.8	6.9	5.2	7.4	3.4	6.1	5.4
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.5	2.5	3.6	2.9	3.0
Commodities	133.5	134.2	134.6	134.8	3.1	.6	2.7	4.0	1.8	3.3
Food and beverages	144.4	145.1	145.6	146.0	4.6	-8	2.5	4.5	1.8	3.5
Commodities less food and beverages	126.9	127.6	127.9	128.0	2.3	1.9	2.9	3.5	2.1	3.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	128.4	129.1	129.8	129.2	1.9	3.5	1.3	2.5	2.7	1.9
Apparel commodities	132.0	131.4	129.9	129.8	1.2	.3	2.8	-6.5	.8	-2.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	130.2	131.3	132.8	132.8	-3	.6	7.4	8.2	.2	7.8
Durables	124.9	125.3	125.6	125.9	2.6	.7	5.6	3.2	1.6	4.4
Services	162.8	163.3	163.9	164.2	3.6	3.8	2.0	3.5	3.7	2.7
Rent of shelter ^{2 1}	166.6	167.3	168.2	168.2	1.5	7.0	.7	3.9	4.2	2.3
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	136.2	136.5	136.8	136.4	1.2	1.2	-3	.6	1.2	.1
Transportation services	168.3	168.8	170.0	170.3	3.9	3.4	1.9	4.8	3.7	3.4
Medical care services	212.9	213.8	214.7	215.6	5.0	3.9	6.0	5.2	4.4	5.6
Other services	186.0	186.6	186.8	186.9	6.4	5.2	4.2	1.9	5.8	3.1
Special indexes										
All items less food	148.7	149.2	149.7	149.9	3.1	3.3	2.2	3.3	3.2	2.7
All items less shelter	144.6	145.2	145.7	145.9	3.4	2.0	2.5	3.6	2.7	3.1
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	149.4	149.9	150.4	150.6	3.3	1.9	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.0
All items less medical care	144.3	144.8	145.3	145.6	3.4	2.3	2.2	3.7	2.8	2.9
Commodities less food	128.0	128.6	128.9	129.0	2.2	1.6	2.9	3.2	1.9	3.0
Nondurables less food	129.7	130.3	131.0	130.5	1.9	3.5	.9	2.5	2.7	1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	131.4	132.4	133.7	133.7	-3	.9	6.3	7.2	.3	6.8
Nondurables ²	136.5	136.6	137.4	138.1	1.2	2.7	1.5	4.8	1.9	3.1
Services less rent of shelter ¹	170.5	170.9	171.5	171.7	3.9	3.1	2.9	2.8	3.5	2.9
Services less medical care services	158.2	158.4	159.1	159.3	3.4	3.6	2.0	2.8	3.5	2.4
Energy	102.8	104.7	106.2	105.5	1.2	4.7	-4.9	10.9	2.9	2.7
All items less energy	154.1	154.5	155.0	155.3	3.8	2.1	2.9	3.2	2.9	3.0
All items less food and energy	156.7	157.0	157.4	157.7	3.4	2.9	3.1	2.6	3.2	2.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities	137.6	137.7	137.6	137.8	2.4	.6	4.2	.6	1.5	2.4
Energy commodities	95.0	98.2	100.9	100.1	3.0	8.7	-6.1	23.3	5.8	7.6
Services less energy services	167.4	167.8	168.5	168.9	3.7	4.2	2.4	3.6	4.0	3.0

¹ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

² Not seasonally adjusted.

- Data not available.

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

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Food and beverages	145.3	145.6	2.7	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3
Food	144.8	145.0	2.8	.1	.5	.4	.3
Food at home	144.7	145.0	3.6	.2	.8	.6	.3
Cereals and bakery products	164.7	164.8	4.5	.1	.2	.4	.4
Cereals and cereal products	167.1	165.6	4.4	-.9	.4	.4	-.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	137.5	136.6	3.1	-.7	-.5	.3	.4
Cereal ¹	193.1	191.2	3.6	-1.0	.5	.5	-1.0
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	141.2	140.0	7.8	-.8	.9	-.3	-.8
Bakery products ¹	163.3	164.2	4.6	.6	.2	.6	.6
White bread ¹	158.4	162.3	6.0	2.5	.0	.1	2.5
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	162.5	163.0	4.8	.3	-.4	1.1	.3
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	165.9	165.3	3.4	-.4	.8	.2	-.4
Other bakery products	166.3	166.2	4.1	-.1	.7	.5	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.1	137.3	1.1	.1	-.7	.1	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.4	138.8	1.1	.3	-.5	.0	.2
Meats	135.1	135.0	-.4	-.1	-1.0	.4	-.1
Beef and veal ¹	134.9	135.1	-1.4	.1	-1.2	.4	.1
Ground beef other than canned	118.0	118.7	-2.0	.6	-.9	-.3	1.4
Chuck roast ¹	142.0	139.4	-.4	-1.8	-1.2	4.7	-1.8
Round roast ¹	123.8	127.1	-.9	2.7	-2.4	.3	2.7
Round steak ¹	130.5	133.7	.0	2.5	-.8	-.2	2.5
Sirloin steak	137.1	138.1	-.4	.7	.5	.4	1.9
Other beef and veal ¹	153.2	152.1	-1.6	-.7	-.9	.0	-.7
Pork	134.7	134.8	.1	.1	-1.2	.4	.0
Bacon ¹	118.1	118.0	2.5	-.1	.6	-.6	-.1
Chops	143.6	143.2	-3.4	-.3	.0	.1	-.2
Ham	142.6	142.6	1.1	.0	-2.9	.8	-.7
Other pork, including sausage	132.0	132.4	1.0	.3	-1.0	.3	1.1
Other meats ¹	137.1	136.3	1.6	-.6	.2	.6	-.6
Poultry ¹	141.7	143.3	3.8	1.1	.3	-1.7	1.1
Fresh whole chicken ¹	141.2	141.5	2.5	.2	-.4	-.6	.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	143.9	147.2	4.2	2.3	.5	-3.2	2.3
Other poultry	140.7	140.6	5.1	-.1	1.2	-.3	.0
Fish and seafood	163.6	164.9	6.1	.8	1.0	-.3	.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	124.3	124.8	1.8	.4	.4	.2	.4
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	183.2	184.9	7.3	.9	1.3	-.4	.2
Eggs	115.5	113.9	.4	-1.4	-3.6	1.8	-1.6
Dairy products	131.8	131.3	1.3	-.4	-.3	-.8	-.5
Fresh milk and cream	131.9	130.8	.8	-.8	-.5	-1.3	-1.1
Fresh whole milk	130.6	129.3	.3	-1.0	-1.0	-1.4	-1.1
Other fresh milk and cream	133.6	132.7	1.5	-.7	-.5	-.9	-.8
Processed dairy products ¹	132.3	132.4	1.9	.1	-.1	.5	.1
Cheese ¹	136.8	136.9	1.7	.1	.2	.4	.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	134.8	135.6	3.6	.6	-.9	.4	.6
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	113.6	112.8	-.1	-.7	.6	.9	-.7
Fruits and vegetables	162.8	163.2	3.9	.2	2.5	.3	.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables	182.8	183.7	4.7	.5	3.4	.9	.8
Fresh fruits	201.9	203.9	5.5	1.0	3.3	3.4	-.1
Apples	187.5	180.8	-3.9	-3.6	-2.3	-.3	-.5
Bananas	149.7	140.9	16.2	-5.9	.8	14.9	-5.3
Oranges, including tangerines	216.1	220.7	-14.4	2.1	3.6	.3	-.1
Other fresh fruits	218.2	225.6	14.2	3.4	5.3	3.3	2.0
Fresh vegetables	163.7	163.5	3.9	-.1	3.4	-1.9	1.0
Potatoes	190.4	168.8	8.1	-11.3	3.5	-.5	-3.9
Lettuce ¹	157.3	178.7	3.8	13.6	5.8	.7	13.6
Tomatoes ¹	159.2	154.6	-6.2	-2.9	-4.6	-1.8	-2.9
Other fresh vegetables	158.5	162.2	5.2	2.3	4.4	-3.7	6.2
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.7	134.5	2.2	-.1	.7	-.9	.1
Processed fruits	132.1	132.4	.0	.2	.8	-1.6	.5
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	130.5	131.7	-.2	.9	1.2	-2.0	.8
Canned and dried fruits	135.5	133.1	.6	-1.8	.0	.3	-1.5
Processed vegetables ¹	138.5	137.7	5.2	-.6	.8	.1	-.6
Frozen vegetables ¹	139.9	139.9	3.9	.0	.4	-.4	.0
Processed vegetables excluding frozen ¹	138.4	137.2	5.8	-.9	1.1	.2	-.9

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Other food at home	138.9	139.4	6.9	0.4	2.3	2.2	0.7
Sugar and sweets	135.1	135.4	1.6	.2	.1	-.3	.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	123.9	125.1	2.1	1.0	1.1	-.6	1.1
Sweets, including candy ¹	139.6	139.6	1.4	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Fats and oils	134.1	134.2	3.2	.1	.9	-.7	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.3	132.1	16.1	.6	6.4	7.1	.9
Carbonated drinks	114.8	115.8	1.2	.9	.3	.1	1.2
Coffee ¹	172.5	172.5	56.5	.0	22.4	22.0	.0
Other noncarbonated drinks	131.7	133.4	1.6	1.3	.8	-1.0	.7
Other prepared food	148.4	148.8	3.2	.3	.5	.1	.7
Canned and packaged soup	172.4	172.6	4.4	.1	-.6	.9	.3
Frozen prepared food ¹	141.2	139.9	2.5	-.9	1.2	.2	-.9
Snacks ¹	139.2	140.8	3.5	1.1	.0	.8	1.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	152.2	152.7	3.4	.3	.5	.2	.1
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	149.9	150.4	2.9	.3	-.1	.5	.3
Food away from home	145.9	146.2	1.7	.2	.1	.1	.3
Lunch ¹	146.6	146.9	1.5	.2	.1	.1	.2
Dinner ¹	144.0	144.4	1.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Other meals and snacks ¹	148.2	148.4	1.5	.1	.0	.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages	151.3	151.4	1.0	.1	-.1	-.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	142.1	142.0	-.1	-.1	.0	-.4	-.1
Beer and ale	143.1	142.9	.2	-.1	.1	-.1	-.3
Wine ¹	132.7	132.6	-1.3	-.1	.1	-.4	-.1
Distilled spirits ¹	144.0	144.4	.4	.3	-.1	-.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	171.5	172.0	2.2	.3	-.1	.1	.3
Housing	145.9	145.8	2.5	-.1	.2	.3	.1
Shelter	161.7	161.6	3.2	-.1	.3	.4	.3
Renters' costs ²	172.1	169.4	2.5	-1.6	-.1	.5	-.1
Rent, residential	154.5	155.0	2.6	.3	.3	.4	.3
Other renters' costs	205.9	193.5	2.3	-6.0	-1.0	.8	-1.0
Lodging while out of town	205.7	191.6	2.1	-6.9	-1.1	.8	-1.4
Lodging while at school ²	197.7	201.6	4.2	2.0	-.1	.1	-.6
Tenants' insurance ¹	147.3	147.5	3.4	.1	.9	.4	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	166.1	167.1	3.5	.6	.4	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	166.4	167.3	3.5	.5	.4	.4	.5
Household insurance ^{1, 2}	154.0	154.3	3.8	.2	.9	.5	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹	131.2	131.6	.2	.3	-.2	-.1	.3
Maintenance and repair services	135.4	135.8	-1.2	.3	.0	.0	.3
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	125.6	126.0	2.6	.3	-.2	-.2	.3
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1, 3}	119.3	119.8	2.7	.4	-.3	.6	.4
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	120.6	120.8	2.5	.2	-.2	-.8	.2
Fuel and other utilities	124.3	124.2	.2	-.1	.2	.2	-.4
Fuels	114.0	113.8	-.9	-.2	.4	.2	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.8	86.8	-1.3	.0	.6	.1	-.4
Fuel oil	83.6	83.6	-1.2	.0	1.1	.1	-1.0
Other household fuel commodities ^{1, 3}	115.9	116.1	-1.4	.2	-1.1	-.2	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.2	122.1	-.8	-.1	.3	.2	-.6
Electricity	132.4	132.2	-.5	-.2	.6	.3	-.5
Utility (piped) gas	106.6	106.6	-1.4	.0	-.1	-.1	-1.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	150.6	150.3	1.5	-.2	.0	.1	-.2
Telephone services ¹	123.3	123.3	1.4	.0	-.1	.1	.0
Local charges ¹	157.1	156.9	.1	-.1	-.1	.0	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	75.6	75.7	7.7	.1	.0	.4	.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	90.3	90.3	-.7	.0	.0	.0	.0
Water and sewerage maintenance	192.3	192.4	4.6	.1	-.3	.2	.3
Cable television ^{1, 4}	195.6	193.7	-3.6	-1.0	-1.2	-.6	-1.0
Refuse collection ⁴	233.8	234.4	4.9	.3	1.0	.1	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Household furnishings and operation	121.4	121.4	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.2	-0.1
Housefurnishings	111.5	111.2	1.4	-.3	-.1	.0	-.3
Textile housefurnishings	124.6	124.9	.0	.2	.9	-.4	.0
Furniture and bedding ¹	129.6	128.6	3.6	-.8	.1	-.2	-.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	137.3	133.5	.8	-2.8	.4	-.4	-2.8
Sofas ¹	127.2	128.0	7.3	.6	1.1	-.5	.6
Living room chairs and tables ¹	135.8	135.2	6.1	-.4	.0	1.6	-.4
Other furniture ¹	120.2	120.6	3.2	.3	-.8	-.7	.3
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	82.2	82.1	-1.1	-.1	-.4	.0	-.1
Video and audio products ¹	75.6	75.8	-1.3	.3	-.4	.0	.3
Televisions ¹	69.1	69.8	.1	1.0	-2.0	.6	1.0
Video products other than televisions ^{1 5}	73.9	73.5	-5.8	-.5	1.6	-.4	-.5
Audio products ¹	93.7	93.6	-.7	-.1	.0	-.1	-.1
Major household appliances ^{1 3}	102.3	102.9	2.7	.6	-.2	-.1	.6
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	107.5	109.1	4.0	1.5	-.1	-.3	1.5
Laundry equipment ¹	109.0	110.0	2.9	.9	-.3	-.2	.9
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	96.3	95.7	1.3	-.6	-.2	.1	-.6
Information processing equipment ^{1 5}	72.3	70.0	-9.7	-3.2	-.7	-.1	-3.2
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	114.5	114.4	1.5	-.1	.4	-.8	-.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	135.3	135.4	4.6	.1	.7	-1.2	.1
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	119.1	119.6	-1.1	.4	1.1	-.3	.4
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	124.6	122.6	1.7	-1.6	1.2	-1.3	-1.6
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	106.0	106.5	2.9	.5	.4	-.7	.5
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	93.8	92.6	-2.9	-1.3	-.2	-1.9	-1.3
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 6}	111.3	112.6	4.1	1.2	-.6	.5	1.2
Housekeeping supplies	132.2	132.6	1.5	.3	.0	.2	.3
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	137.8	138.5	1.0	.5	-.3	.0	.5
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	128.1	128.4	1.4	.2	-.5	-.1	.2
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	130.2	130.3	2.0	.1	.5	.2	.1
Housekeeping services	138.9	139.3	1.8	.3	.3	.2	.1
Postage ¹	145.3	145.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	147.5	147.5	1.4	.0	-.1	.4	.0
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	130.3	130.2	1.6	-.1	.2	.6	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	131.1	134.2	-.3	2.4	-.4	-1.0	-.1
Apparel commodities	127.8	131.2	-.6	2.7	-.5	-1.1	-.1
Apparel commodities less footwear	128.4	132.3	-.5	3.0	-.5	-1.3	.2
Men's and boys'	125.7	128.4	.5	2.1	.5	.2	.7
Men's	128.5	131.2	1.2	2.1	.8	.5	.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	135.8	139.8	.6	2.9	.8	-1.4	1.0
Furnishings and special clothing	117.8	122.2	4.2	3.7	2.6	3.8	1.5
Shirts	131.9	133.5	-1.0	1.2	.8	1.1	-.2
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	127.7	127.7	1.4	.0	.9	-.2	-1.2
Boys'	113.7	117.0	-2.5	2.9	.0	-1.5	-.9
Women's and girls'	125.5	131.1	-2.3	4.5	-1.4	-2.8	.1
Women's	125.5	131.1	-2.3	4.5	-1.6	-2.6	-.1
Coats and jackets	117.3	125.4	.0	6.9	-3.3	.9	.5
Dresses	127.4	129.3	-5.5	1.5	2.2	-5.0	-4.3
Separates and sportswear	127.1	133.7	-.5	5.2	-3.4	-1.2	.3
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	127.3	127.3	-.8	.0	1.2	-.1	-.6
Suits	136.9	154.8	-10.2	13.1	-.7	-13.3	5.9
Girls'	125.9	131.1	-2.4	4.1	-1.2	-3.8	.7
Infants' and toddlers'	128.6	129.5	2.4	.7	1.8	-.3	.2
Other apparel commodities	152.4	152.3	3.4	-.1	.5	1.1	-.6
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	123.4	122.4	-1.0	-.8	2.0	-.6	-.8
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	154.3	154.4	4.2	.1	.3	1.5	.1
Watches ^{1 3}	127.6	125.6	2.7	-1.6	.6	1.5	-1.6
Jewelry ^{1 3}	162.0	162.6	4.5	.4	.3	1.6	.4
Footwear	124.5	125.1	-.9	.5	-.7	-.2	-1.3
Men's	132.1	131.9	-1.3	-.2	-.7	.1	-1.0
Boys' and girls'	124.8	127.7	3.4	2.3	-2.8	1.1	.9
Women's	118.4	118.5	-2.5	.1	.1	-1.2	-2.2
Apparel services ¹	155.9	156.3	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	157.3	157.6	2.4	.2	.1	.1	.2
Other apparel services ¹	154.8	155.3	2.8	.3	.1	.3	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Transportation	135.9	135.9	4.5	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.1
Private	133.0	133.1	4.7	.1	1.0	.9	.2
New vehicles	137.3	137.5	4.1	.1	.4	.3	.5
New cars	135.6	135.7	3.9	.1	.5	.2	.5
Subcompact new cars ³	118.2	118.4	4.5	.2	.6	.2	.8
Compact new cars ³	115.3	115.3	4.2	.0	.4	.3	.3
Intermediate new cars ³	117.4	117.6	4.1	.2	.7	.7	.4
Full-size new cars ³	120.9	120.7	3.0	-.2	.4	.2	.1
Luxury new cars ³	124.3	124.1	2.3	-.2	-.2	.4	.6
New trucks ⁴	141.8	142.3	4.6	.4	.4	.6	.6
New motorcycles ^{1 3}	144.8	146.0	8.4	.8	1.1	.5	.8
Used cars	144.0	145.4	4.8	1.0	.9	.8	1.0
Motor fuel	104.1	103.7	7.9	-.4	3.8	3.1	-.9
Gasoline	104.1	103.6	8.0	-.5	3.5	3.7	-.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	102.1	101.6	9.1	-.5	4.0	4.2	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 7}	109.0	108.7	-	-.3	2.4	3.5	-.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	106.1	106.0	6.7	-.1	2.9	2.8	-.3
Automobile maintenance and repair	150.7	151.2	3.0	.3	.1	.5	.1
Body work ¹	154.8	155.0	4.0	.1	.5	.6	.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	159.0	159.4	4.3	.3	.1	.6	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	140.4	140.6	1.2	.1	.0	.4	.1
Power plant repair ¹	153.9	155.1	3.5	.8	.3	.3	.8
Other private transportation	162.0	162.1	3.8	.1	.0	.3	.4
Other private transportation commodities	103.3	103.2	.2	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	120.5	122.2	2.5	1.4	.2	.4	1.4
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	101.2	100.9	-.2	-.3	-.3	.0	-.3
Tires ¹	99.7	99.8	.5	.1	-.2	.1	.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	107.0	106.2	-.8	-.7	-.4	.0	-.7
Other private transportation services	175.7	175.8	4.5	.1	.1	.3	.6
Automobile insurance	223.6	223.9	3.1	.1	.1	.0	.6
Automobile finance charges	85.0	86.2	13.9	1.4	1.8	.5	2.2
Automobile fees ¹	175.1	173.3	2.5	-1.0	.3	1.0	-1.0
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	180.5	180.5	.8	.0	.1	.0	.0
Other automobile-related fees ¹	170.7	167.2	4.4	-2.1	.5	2.0	-2.1
Public transportation	173.2	171.7	2.0	-.9	.9	1.8	-.7
Airline fares	187.4	185.2	2.4	-1.2	1.3	2.3	-1.0
Other intercity transportation	152.9	152.2	1.2	-.5	-.4	.7	-.3
Intracity public transportation ¹	152.7	152.7	.9	.0	.0	.1	.0
Medical care	212.2	212.8	4.7	.3	.4	.4	.4
Medical care commodities	201.7	201.7	2.8	.0	.4	.3	.0
Prescription drugs	231.0	231.3	3.1	.1	-.2	.1	.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	139.7	139.3	2.1	-.3	1.6	.4	-.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	167.2	166.3	.8	-.5	.3	.5	-.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	163.0	163.3	4.4	.2	4.4	.2	.4
Medical care services	214.7	215.4	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Professional medical services	193.5	194.0	4.1	.3	.3	.4	.4
Physicians' services	200.7	201.1	4.1	.2	.4	.1	.4
Dental services ¹	198.3	198.9	4.9	.3	.5	.3	.3
Eye care ^{1 3}	133.7	134.0	2.2	.2	.5	.9	.2
Services by other medical professionals ³	141.9	142.4	4.2	.4	.0	.6	.4
Hospital and related services	247.3	248.1	5.8	.3	.4	.4	.6
Hospital rooms	241.1	241.5	5.5	.2	.6	.3	.5
Other inpatient services ³	198.1	199.0	5.9	.5	.2	.2	.8
Outpatient services ³	196.7	197.2	6.0	.3	.5	.8	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Entertainment	150.2	150.7	2.8	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.1
Entertainment commodities	136.5	137.0	2.5	.4	.3	.1	.5
Reading materials	161.8	163.7	4.1	1.2	.6	.2	1.2
Newspapers ¹	168.5	170.1	4.7	.9	.9	-.2	.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	155.7	157.9	3.6	1.4	.4	.5	1.4
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	122.4	121.8	1.1	-.5	.2	-.3	-.5
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	121.9	121.7	1.0	-.2	.4	-.2	-.2
Other sporting goods ¹	119.9	118.9	1.2	-.8	.0	-.4	-.8
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	127.8	128.1	2.0	.2	.2	.0	.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	124.7	124.4	2.3	-.2	.5	.1	-.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	132.3	133.1	-.5	.6	-.7	.8	.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	130.8	131.6	2.6	.6	-.2	-.2	.6
Entertainment services	166.6	167.1	3.1	.3	.2	-.1	-.2
Club memberships ³	130.7	130.7	1.5	.0	.0	-.3	.2
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	149.6	150.9	.9	.9	-.8	-.5	-.9
Admissions ¹	176.5	176.6	4.7	.1	1.0	.2	.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	149.2	150.9	5.8	1.1	.6	.7	.4
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	130.3	130.6	2.6	.2	.6	.0	.2
Other goods and services	199.4	201.4	4.3	1.0	.4	.2	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	221.7	220.8	2.6	-.4	.5	.1	.3
Personal care ¹	145.0	145.1	1.9	.1	-.1	.0	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	141.9	141.8	1.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	145.4	144.4	2.0	-.7	-.5	.1	-.7
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	139.5	140.0	1.1	.4	.5	-.1	.4
Personal care services ¹	148.3	148.7	2.3	.3	-.3	.0	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	148.2	148.5	2.3	.2	-.5	.1	.2
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	148.3	148.7	2.3	.3	.1	.0	.3
Personal and educational expenses	223.9	228.0	5.7	1.8	.5	.3	.0
School books and supplies	205.8	208.4	4.6	1.3	.4	.3	.0
Personal and educational services	225.5	229.7	5.7	1.9	.5	.3	.1
Tuition and other school fees	240.4	247.0	6.1	2.7	.5	.4	-.3
College tuition	250.3	258.7	6.7	3.4	.6	.5	-.2
Elementary and high school tuition	244.2	249.7	5.5	2.3	.9	.1	-.4
Day care and nursery school ^{1 6}	119.7	121.1	4.7	1.2	.4	.2	1.2
Personal expenses ¹	196.9	197.3	5.1	.2	.2	.3	.2
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	146.8	146.9	2.1	.1	.1	.0	.1
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	164.8	164.9	9.9	.1	.0	.4	.1
Funeral expenses ³	145.0	145.8	4.7	.6	.4	.6	.7
Special indexes							
Domestically produced farm food ¹	145.2	145.4	2.3	.1	.3	-.1	.1
Selected beef cuts ¹	129.4	130.2	-1.3	.6	-1.4	.5	.6
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	104.4	104.0	7.8	-.4	3.7	2.9	-.7
Utilities and public transportation	138.6	138.3	.6	-.2	.1	.5	-.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	138.8	139.2	1.5	.3	.1	.2	.3

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.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1990 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993 = 100 base.

- 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 (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Food and beverages	145.6	146.0	4.6	-0.8	2.5	4.5	1.8	3.5
Food	145.2	145.7	4.9	-1.1	2.8	5.1	1.8	4.0
Food at home	145.3	145.8	6.4	-2.2	3.4	7.2	2.0	5.3
Cereals and bakery products	164.2	164.8	4.4	3.0	6.6	4.0	3.7	5.3
Cereals and cereal products	166.4	165.4	5.4	7.4	4.2	.5	6.4	2.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes	135.1	135.7	4.6	4.3	2.7	.9	4.5	1.8
Cereal ¹	193.1	191.2	4.4	6.4	3.6	.2	5.4	1.9
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	141.2	140.0	5.7	22.3	5.3	-9	13.7	2.2
Bakery products ¹	163.3	164.2	3.1	1.0	9.1	5.3	2.0	7.2
White bread ¹	158.4	162.3	8.3	1.0	4.4	10.5	4.6	7.4
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	162.5	163.0	.8	3.1	12.0	3.8	1.9	7.8
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	165.9	165.3	8.5	.5	2.2	2.5	4.4	2.3
Other bakery products	165.1	165.7	.5	-1.2	11.0	6.5	-4	8.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.9	137.0	4.8	1.5	.3	-2.0	3.1	-9
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.3	138.6	5.4	.6	.0	-1.1	2.9	-6
Meats	134.5	134.4	3.9	1.5	-4.3	-2.3	2.7	-3.3
Beef and veal ¹	134.9	135.1	2.1	.9	-5.4	-2.9	1.5	-4.2
Ground beef other than canned	118.4	120.1	4.0	-5.7	-6.7	1.0	-1.0	-2.9
Chuck roast ¹	142.0	139.4	8.2	2.8	-16.7	6.3	5.5	-5.9
Round roast ¹	123.8	127.1	-3.1	8.1	-9.8	2.2	2.4	-4.0
Round steak ¹	130.5	133.7	-1.2	2.7	-6.7	5.6	.7	-7
Sirloin steak	135.5	138.1	10.5	-15.1	-6.3	11.8	-3.1	2.4
Other beef and veal ¹	153.2	152.1	-5	1.3	-5	-6.3	.4	-3.5
Pork	132.9	132.9	5.2	4.2	-5.2	-3.2	4.7	-4.2
Bacon ¹	118.1	118.0	7.1	7.0	-3.3	-3	7.1	-1.8
Chops	141.1	140.8	5.9	-1.1	-16.5	-3	2.3	-8.8
Ham	140.8	139.8	-4.3	10.0	10.7	-10.7	2.6	-6
Other pork, including sausage	129.9	131.3	3.7	5.3	-6.5	1.5	4.5	-2.5
Other meats ¹	137.1	136.3	6.7	-1.7	.6	.9	2.4	.7
Poultry ¹	141.7	143.3	9.3	-2.8	10.4	-8	3.1	4.6
Fresh whole chicken ¹	141.2	141.5	9.6	-8.0	12.7	-3.1	.4	4.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	143.9	147.2	16.8	-4.6	8.2	-2.1	5.6	2.9
Other poultry	138.9	138.9	3.7	2.4	10.8	3.5	3.0	7.1
Fish and seafood	165.4	165.9	7.9	.5	12.3	4.0	4.1	8.1
Canned fish and seafood ¹	124.3	124.8	.7	-1.9	4.7	3.9	-7	4.3
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	186.0	186.4	10.0	.0	15.2	4.4	4.9	9.7
Eggs	115.7	113.9	-5.9	21.6	2.4	-12.9	7.0	-5.6
Dairy products	131.7	131.0	.0	6.7	5.0	-6.2	3.3	-8
Fresh milk and cream	131.8	130.4	.9	8.6	6.2	-11.1	4.7	-2.9
Fresh whole milk	130.2	128.8	3.2	6.7	5.6	-12.8	4.9	-4.1
Other fresh milk and cream	133.2	132.2	3.1	7.2	4.6	-8.3	5.1	-2.1
Processed dairy products ¹	132.3	132.4	-3	6.0	.0	2.1	2.8	1.1
Cheese ¹	136.8	136.9	.0	7.0	-2.6	2.7	3.4	.0
Ice cream and related products ¹	134.8	135.6	1.8	6.5	5.5	.6	4.2	3.0
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	113.6	112.8	-5.2	2.2	-4	3.3	-1.6	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	166.8	167.8	20.8	-19.5	6.1	14.5	-1.4	10.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	189.3	190.9	26.8	-27.4	8.8	22.4	-4.0	15.4
Fresh fruits	207.8	207.5	35.5	-24.8	-2.8	29.5	.9	12.2
Apples	168.8	167.9	13.7	-4.8	-10.8	-11.7	4.0	-11.2
Bananas	155.4	147.1	50.4	-10.7	-6.0	44.4	15.9	16.5
Oranges, including tangerines	195.2	195.1	-40.4	-34.3	17.7	16.2	-37.5	17.0
Other fresh fruits	240.0	242.3	74.0	-29.8	-4.1	45.3	10.5	18.1
Fresh vegetables	172.3	175.8	17.3	-30.3	24.3	14.6	-9.6	19.4
Potatoes	175.3	168.5	60.3	26.7	-29.9	-3.9	42.5	-17.9
Lettuce ¹	157.3	178.7	-39.1	18.8	-25.4	114.9	-15.0	26.6
Tomatoes ¹	159.2	154.6	105.0	-67.8	71.7	-31.6	-18.8	8.4
Other fresh vegetables	168.8	179.2	24.8	-36.3	18.9	29.8	-10.8	24.2
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.3	134.4	8.8	-9	1.8	-3	3.8	.7
Processed fruits	131.7	132.3	9.1	-6.4	-6	-1.2	1.1	-9
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	130.4	131.4	11.4	-9.4	-1.2	-3	.5	-8
Canned and dried fruits	134.8	132.8	4.9	2.4	-3	-4.7	3.7	-2.5
Processed vegetables ¹	138.5	137.7	5.9	9.0	4.8	1.2	7.5	3.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	139.9	139.9	2.1	9.2	4.4	.0	5.6	2.2
Processed vegetables excluding frozen ¹	138.4	137.2	7.6	9.4	4.5	1.8	8.5	3.1

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Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Other food at home	138.8	139.8	3.1	0.6	2.4	22.8	1.8	12.2
Sugar and sweets	134.7	135.4	2.4	3.3	-.9	1.5	2.9	.3
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	123.4	124.7	1.0	1.0	.3	6.3	1.0	3.3
Sweets, including candy ¹	139.6	139.6	2.0	5.0	-1.1	-.3	3.5	-.7
Fats and oils	133.9	134.3	.9	5.6	4.3	1.8	3.3	3.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.9	133.1	5.0	-3.7	2.1	75.1	.5	33.7
Carbonated drinks	115.7	117.1	5.3	-5.3	-1.4	6.8	-.2	2.6
Coffee ¹	172.5	172.5	3.3	2.9	13.5	397.5	3.1	137.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	132.6	133.5	2.1	-.6	3.1	1.5	.8	2.3
Other prepared food	148.1	149.1	2.8	1.4	3.6	5.3	2.1	4.4
Canned and packaged soup	170.7	171.2	1.0	10.9	3.8	2.1	5.8	3.0
Frozen prepared food ¹	141.2	139.9	6.3	-1.4	3.2	2.0	2.4	2.6
Snacks ¹	139.2	140.8	.9	1.5	3.9	8.1	1.2	5.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	152.2	152.3	5.0	.8	4.6	3.2	2.9	3.9
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	149.9	150.4	4.7	4.1	-.3	3.0	4.4	1.3
Food away from home	145.7	146.2	2.0	1.1	1.4	2.5	1.5	1.9
Lunch ¹	146.6	146.9	1.1	1.4	1.9	1.7	1.2	1.8
Dinner ¹	144.0	144.4	1.7	1.4	2.3	2.0	1.6	2.1
Other meals and snacks ¹	148.2	148.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.6
Alcoholic beverages	151.1	151.3	3.5	.0	1.3	-.8	1.7	.3
Alcoholic beverages at home	142.1	142.0	2.8	-1.4	.0	-1.7	.7	-.8
Beer and ale	143.6	143.2	4.6	-3.8	1.4	-1.1	.3	.1
Wine ¹	132.7	132.6	-3.5	4.6	-4.4	-1.5	.4	-2.9
Distilled spirits ¹	144.0	144.4	-1.9	3.1	1.1	-.6	.6	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	171.5	172.0	2.4	3.3	1.9	1.2	2.9	1.5
Housing	145.2	145.4	2.6	3.4	1.1	2.8	3.0	2.0
Shelter	160.9	161.4	3.1	4.4	1.5	4.1	3.7	2.8
Renters' costs ²	169.2	169.1	3.7	3.4	1.9	1.4	3.6	1.7
Rent, residential	154.5	155.0	2.4	4.0	.3	4.2	3.2	2.2
Other renters' costs	197.4	195.5	6.9	1.9	6.1	-4.8	4.3	.5
Lodging while out of town	196.3	193.5	8.0	1.7	5.7	-6.5	4.8	-.6
Lodging while at school ²	198.3	197.1	4.7	9.7	5.2	-2.6	7.2	1.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	147.3	147.5	.6	3.1	4.2	5.9	1.8	5.1
Homeowners' costs ²	166.1	166.9	3.3	4.8	1.2	5.2	4.0	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	166.4	167.2	3.3	4.8	1.2	5.2	4.0	3.2
Household insurance ^{1 2}	154.0	154.3	.8	2.7	5.2	6.5	1.8	5.8
Maintenance and repairs ¹	131.2	131.6	-10.8	5.4	7.0	.3	-3.0	3.6
Maintenance and repair services	135.4	135.8	-17.9	3.1	11.4	1.2	-8.0	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	125.6	126.0	2.3	8.7	.3	-.6	5.4	-.2
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 3}	119.3	119.8	8.9	5.8	-5.8	2.7	7.3	-1.6
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	120.6	120.8	-3.0	11.4	5.8	-3.6	3.9	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	123.1	122.6	-.3	3.3	-1.9	-.3	1.5	-1.1
Fuels	111.2	110.6	-2.1	2.9	-4.2	.0	.4	-2.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.3	88.9	-11.5	20.2	-11.3	.9	3.1	-5.4
Fuel oil	86.7	85.8	-12.3	24.4	-12.5	.5	4.4	-6.2
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 3}	115.9	116.1	1.0	12.8	-13.1	-4.4	6.7	-8.8
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.9	118.2	-1.0	1.4	-3.3	-.3	.2	-1.8
Electricity	127.4	126.8	-1.2	-3.4	.6	1.6	-2.3	1.1
Utility (piped) gas	108.3	107.2	-.7	12.7	-11.6	-4.7	5.8	-8.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	150.6	150.3	1.9	3.5	.8	-.3	2.7	.3
Telephone services ¹	123.3	123.3	2.3	3.0	.3	.0	2.6	.2
Local charges ¹	157.1	156.9	1.3	-.8	.8	-.8	.3	.0
Interstate toll calls ¹	75.6	75.7	8.8	22.9	-1.6	2.1	15.6	.3
Intrastate toll calls ¹	90.3	90.3	.9	-3.9	.4	.0	-1.5	.2
Water and sewerage maintenance	191.0	191.6	5.6	7.1	5.2	.8	6.3	3.0
Cable television ^{1 4}	195.6	193.7	-1.8	1.2	-3.2	-10.4	-.3	-6.9
Refuse collection ⁴	233.3	233.9	5.3	1.6	7.4	5.3	3.4	6.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Household furnishings and operation	121.5	121.4	2.7	-0.3	3.4	0.3	1.2	1.8
Housefurnishings	111.6	111.3	3.3	-2.2	5.9	-1.4	.5	2.2
Textile housefurnishings	123.9	123.9	7.6	-12.9	4.7	2.0	-3.2	3.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	129.6	128.6	5.6	2.2	10.5	-3.3	3.9	3.3
Bedroom furniture ¹	137.3	133.5	12.0	-7.1	11.2	-10.9	2.0	-4
Sofas ¹	127.2	128.0	.7	10.1	13.7	5.2	5.3	9.4
Living room chairs and tables ¹	135.8	135.2	7.1	6.6	5.9	4.9	6.9	5.4
Other furniture ¹	120.2	120.6	1.7	5.6	10.8	-4.8	3.6	2.7
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	82.2	82.1	-1.0	.0	-1.4	-1.9	-.5	-1.7
Video and audio products ¹	75.6	75.8	-.5	1.0	-5.1	-.5	.3	-2.8
Televisions ¹	69.1	69.8	2.9	5.2	-5.5	-1.7	4.1	-3.6
Video products other than televisions ^{1 5}	73.9	73.5	-5.0	-10.9	-9.3	2.8	-8.0	-3.4
Audio products ¹	93.7	93.6	-1.3	2.1	-2.9	-.9	.4	-1.9
Major household appliances ^{1 3}	102.3	102.9	1.6	3.2	4.8	1.2	2.4	3.0
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	107.5	109.1	3.5	6.2	1.9	4.5	4.8	3.2
Laundry equipment ¹	109.0	110.0	.8	1.1	8.1	1.8	.9	4.9
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	96.3	95.7	1.3	1.3	5.6	-2.9	1.3	1.3
Information processing equipment ^{1 5}	72.3	70.0	-11.8	-7.8	-3.8	-15.0	-9.8	-9.5
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	114.5	114.4	2.9	.4	4.7	-1.7	1.6	1.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	135.3	135.4	8.3	-9.3	24.3	-2.0	-.9	10.3
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	119.1	119.6	-8.6	8.0	-7.4	4.8	-.7	-1.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	124.6	122.6	7.8	-2.9	9.2	-6.6	2.3	1.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	106.0	106.5	12.1	-.7	.0	.8	5.5	.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	93.8	92.6	-7.3	4.8	4.7	-12.7	-1.5	-4.4
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 6}	111.3	112.6	6.8	3.7	1.8	4.0	5.2	2.9
Housekeeping supplies	132.4	132.8	2.8	3.7	-2.4	2.1	3.2	-.2
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	137.8	138.5	.3	3.2	-.3	.9	1.8	.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	128.1	128.4	11.9	-.9	-3.0	-1.5	5.3	-2.3
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	130.2	130.3	-.3	1.6	4.1	2.8	.6	3.5
Housekeeping services	138.9	139.1	1.5	1.8	1.2	2.6	1.6	1.9
Postage ¹	145.3	145.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	147.5	147.5	.3	2.8	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.2
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	130.3	130.2	.6	1.6	.9	3.1	1.1	2.0
Apparel and upkeep	133.1	133.0	1.5	.3	3.0	-5.8	.9	-1.5
Apparel commodities	129.9	129.8	1.2	.3	2.8	-6.5	.8	-2.0
Apparel commodities less footwear	130.5	130.7	.9	.6	2.8	-6.2	.8	-1.8
Men's and boys'	127.3	128.2	-.3	-7.9	4.9	5.8	-4.2	5.4
Men's	130.0	130.9	2.2	-6.9	1.6	8.4	-2.5	4.9
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	136.6	138.0	3.8	-10.3	8.3	1.5	-3.5	4.8
Furnishings and special clothing	122.6	124.4	4.8	-19.3	2.5	36.5	-8.0	18.2
Shirts	133.2	132.9	-5.8	-3.0	-1.2	6.9	-4.4	2.8
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	129.7	128.1	4.2	.3	3.5	-2.2	2.2	.6
Boys'	115.9	114.8	-4.0	-3.4	7.5	-9.5	-3.7	-1.4
Women's and girls'	128.6	128.7	1.8	1.8	4.0	-15.4	1.8	-6.2
Women's	128.9	128.8	3.4	.9	3.7	-15.7	2.1	-6.5
Coats and jackets	119.5	120.1	37.7	-21.9	.3	-7.3	3.7	-3.6
Dresses	129.7	124.1	1.8	-8.8	15.4	-25.6	-3.6	-7.3
Separates and sportswear	132.5	132.9	5.5	8.5	1.7	-15.9	7.0	-7.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	127.8	127.0	-3.4	.0	-1.6	1.9	-1.7	.2
Suits	140.0	148.2	-18.5	7.3	7.7	-30.8	-6.4	-13.7
Girls'	127.5	128.4	-6.2	7.6	6.8	-15.9	.5	-5.2
Infants' and toddlers'	129.2	129.4	1.0	-.9	2.9	6.8	.0	4.8
Other apparel commodities	152.6	151.7	-1.9	20.0	-6.6	4.1	8.5	-1.4
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	123.4	122.4	-7.2	8.2	-6.3	2.3	.2	-2.1
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	154.3	154.4	-19.0	46.9	-8.3	7.9	9.1	-.5
Watches ^{1 3}	127.6	125.6	-11.3	20.2	1.9	2.3	3.3	2.1
Jewelry ^{1 3}	162.0	162.6	-20.8	53.9	-10.6	9.4	10.4	-1.1
Footwear	126.1	124.5	3.5	-1.6	3.5	-8.5	1.0	-2.7
Men's	133.1	131.8	.6	.6	.3	-6.1	.6	-3.0
Boys' and girls'	126.5	127.7	-5.4	13.1	10.2	-3.1	3.4	3.4
Women's	120.2	117.5	6.5	-6.1	3.0	-12.5	.0	-5.1
Apparel services ¹	155.9	156.3	3.7	1.0	3.4	2.1	2.4	2.7
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	157.3	157.6	2.9	1.0	4.2	1.5	2.0	2.9
Other apparel services ¹	154.8	155.3	4.9	.8	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.8

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Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Transportation	136.2	136.4	3.4	3.4	2.1	9.0	3.4	5.5
Private	133.2	133.5	3.2	3.8	3.1	8.8	3.5	5.9
New vehicles	138.7	139.4	1.8	4.2	5.1	5.0	3.0	5.1
New cars	136.9	137.6	2.1	4.0	4.2	5.1	3.0	4.7
Subcompact new cars ³	119.0	119.9	5.0	1.4	5.6	6.2	3.2	5.9
Compact new cars ³	116.4	116.7	2.5	5.8	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.2
Intermediate new cars ³	118.9	119.4	.7	2.5	5.6	7.4	1.6	6.5
Full-size new cars ³	122.5	122.6	1.4	4.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Luxury new cars ³	126.1	126.8	-3.2	6.0	3.6	3.2	1.3	3.4
New trucks ⁴	143.5	144.3	-1.2	6.3	7.4	6.3	2.5	6.8
New motorcycles ^{1 3}	144.8	146.0	10.2	9.0	4.3	10.2	9.6	7.2
Used cars	142.6	144.0	4.1	-5.9	11.0	11.3	-1.0	11.1
Motor fuel	102.3	101.4	5.2	7.3	-5.6	26.6	6.3	9.3
Gasoline	102.1	101.5	4.8	6.0	-4.9	29.2	5.4	10.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	100.1	99.3	4.5	7.6	-5.8	33.4	6.0	12.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 7}	109.0	108.7	-	-8.1	21.6	25.0	-	23.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	104.5	104.2	2.5	6.3	-3.6	23.7	4.3	9.2
Automobile maintenance and repair	150.8	151.0	3.3	2.7	2.4	3.2	3.0	2.8
Body work ¹	154.8	155.0	2.7	4.9	3.5	5.1	3.8	4.3
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	159.0	159.4	3.2	4.8	5.5	3.6	4.0	4.5
Maintenance and servicing ¹	140.4	140.6	1.2	2.0	-6	2.0	1.6	.7
Power plant repair ¹	153.9	155.1	3.5	4.0	.8	5.6	3.8	3.2
Other private transportation	162.5	163.2	2.6	4.4	5.6	3.0	3.5	4.3
Other private transportation commodities	103.4	103.2	-.4	2.4	1.6	-2.7	1.0	-.6
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	120.5	122.2	-1.3	3.1	.3	8.3	.8	4.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	101.2	100.9	1.2	.4	.0	-2.3	.8	-1.2
Tires ¹	99.7	99.8	.4	2.0	-.4	.0	1.2	-.2
Other parts and equipment ¹	107.0	106.2	2.3	-1.1	.0	-4.4	.6	-2.2
Other private transportation services	176.4	177.4	3.1	4.5	6.1	4.2	3.8	5.2
Automobile insurance	224.5	225.9	4.6	1.3	3.5	2.9	2.9	3.2
Automobile finance charges	86.1	88.0	-5.6	3.2	45.2	19.3	-1.3	31.6
Automobile fees ¹	175.1	173.3	3.1	15.6	-8.1	.9	9.2	-3.7
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	180.5	180.5	1.6	.9	.2	.4	1.2	.3
Other automobile-related fees ¹	170.7	167.2	4.8	34.0	-16.5	1.4	18.5	-8.0
Public transportation	176.4	175.1	7.4	.9	-8.0	8.4	4.1	-.1
Airline fares	192.8	190.8	6.6	.4	-7.0	10.7	3.5	1.5
Other intercity transportation	152.7	152.3	-6.2	24.4	-10.1	.0	8.0	-5.2
Intracity public transportation ¹	152.7	152.7	1.6	1.3	.3	.3	1.5	.3
Medical care	212.4	213.2	4.6	3.3	5.7	4.8	4.0	5.3
Medical care commodities	201.7	201.7	2.7	1.4	4.1	2.8	2.0	3.5
Prescription drugs	231.0	231.6	3.4	2.5	5.6	.9	3.0	3.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	139.7	139.3	.3	-.3	1.8	6.9	.0	4.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	167.2	166.3	.0	-.2	2.7	1.0	-.1	1.8
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	163.1	163.7	1.0	-1.3	-1.8	21.6	-.1	9.3
Medical care services	214.7	215.6	5.0	3.9	6.0	5.2	4.4	5.6
Professional medical services	193.3	194.0	3.9	3.7	4.7	4.0	3.8	4.4
Physicians' services	200.5	201.3	4.6	3.3	4.8	3.9	4.0	4.3
Dental services ¹	198.3	198.9	3.2	6.4	5.5	4.5	4.8	5.0
Eye care ^{1 3}	133.7	134.0	-1.2	3.4	.0	6.8	1.1	3.4
Services by other medical professionals ³	142.1	142.6	3.3	5.0	5.0	3.7	4.1	4.3
Hospital and related services	247.3	248.8	6.4	3.7	7.1	5.7	5.1	6.4
Hospital rooms	241.1	242.2	6.2	2.8	7.4	5.6	4.5	6.5
Other inpatient services ³	197.9	199.4	6.3	5.1	7.4	4.5	5.7	6.0
Outpatient services ³	196.7	198.2	7.3	3.0	5.3	8.7	5.1	7.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Entertainment	150.3	150.5	5.0	4.1	0.8	1.6	4.6	1.2
Entertainment commodities	136.6	137.3	3.0	.3	3.6	3.6	1.7	3.6
Reading materials	161.9	163.8	3.6	-5	5.1	8.2	1.5	6.7
Newspapers ¹	168.5	170.1	3.7	2.5	5.9	6.6	3.1	6.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	155.7	157.9	1.8	1.8	1.6	9.4	1.8	5.4
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	122.4	121.8	-1.6	3.7	4.7	-2.3	1.0	1.2
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	121.9	121.7	-1.6	4.4	1.0	.3	1.3	.7
Other sporting goods ¹	119.9	118.9	-1.4	3.1	8.4	-4.9	.9	1.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	127.8	128.1	4.2	1.6	.6	1.6	2.9	1.1
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	124.7	124.4	4.3	3.6	.0	1.3	4.0	.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	132.2	132.7	9.3	-10.7	-1.5	1.8	-1.2	.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	130.8	131.6	3.8	2.2	3.4	.9	3.0	2.2
Entertainment services	166.7	166.4	6.9	7.3	-1.4	.0	7.1	-7
Club memberships ³	130.7	130.9	5.1	-9	2.2	-6	2.0	.8
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	151.3	150.0	11.8	11.5	-9.1	-8.3	11.6	-8.7
Admissions ¹	176.5	176.6	4.1	8.5	1.6	4.9	6.3	3.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	150.0	150.6	6.9	12.4	-2.7	7.2	9.6	2.2
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	130.3	130.6	1.9	3.5	1.6	3.4	2.7	2.5
Other goods and services	200.6	200.8	4.4	3.1	6.7	2.8	3.8	4.7
Tobacco and smoking products	221.3	221.9	.6	.9	5.5	3.7	.7	4.6
Personal care ¹	145.0	145.1	2.0	-3	6.3	-3	.8	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	141.9	141.8	1.2	-1.1	6.1	.0	.0	3.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	145.4	144.4	5.2	-1.9	9.3	-4.0	1.6	2.4
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	139.5	140.0	-1.7	-6	3.5	3.2	-1.2	3.4
Personal care services ¹	148.3	148.7	2.2	1.4	6.1	-3	1.8	2.9
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	148.2	148.5	2.5	.8	7.0	-8	1.7	3.0
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	148.3	148.7	1.7	3.1	3.0	1.6	2.4	2.3
Personal and educational expenses	225.4	225.5	6.9	5.1	7.3	3.4	6.0	5.3
School books and supplies	207.1	207.1	5.4	5.9	4.0	3.0	5.6	3.5
Personal and educational services	226.6	226.8	6.9	5.2	7.4	3.4	6.1	5.4
Tuition and other school fees	242.6	241.9	6.6	6.9	8.2	2.3	6.8	5.2
College tuition	253.1	252.6	7.5	6.8	8.6	3.9	7.1	6.2
Elementary and high school tuition	245.1	244.1	4.4	8.5	7.4	2.2	6.4	4.8
Day care and nursery school ^{1 6}	119.7	121.1	3.5	3.8	4.1	7.2	3.7	5.7
Personal expenses ¹	196.9	197.3	5.4	5.1	7.2	2.5	5.3	4.8
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	146.8	146.9	3.4	2.8	1.7	.5	3.1	1.1
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	164.8	164.9	10.8	6.1	22.1	1.7	8.4	11.4
Funeral expenses ³	145.2	146.2	4.7	2.6	4.9	6.8	3.6	5.9
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food ¹	145.2	145.4	6.6	.3	.8	1.4	3.4	1.1
Selected beef cuts ¹	129.4	130.2	3.4	.9	-8.1	-9	2.1	-4.6
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	102.6	101.9	5.2	6.9	-4.8	26.4	6.0	9.7
Utilities and public transportation	137.7	137.0	2.1	1.8	-2.0	.3	1.9	-.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	138.8	139.2	-.6	1.8	2.3	2.6	.6	2.5

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.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1990 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories ¹

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Sept. 1994 from—
	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993
Food and beverages									
Other breads	162.4	161.6	163.5	163.9	0.9	-0.5	1.2	0.2	4.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins	153.4	153.5	153.1	154.1	.9	.1	-.3	.7	4.3
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	158.6	159.9	161.4	159.7	1.3	.8	.9	-1.1	2.0
Cookies	165.6	166.9	166.7	166.4	1.3	.8	-.1	-.2	4.9
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	189.6	185.8	190.9	186.0	6.5	-2.0	2.7	-2.6	2.1
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts	157.1	156.0	157.2	156.6	-.3	-.7	.8	-.4	2.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers	163.3	166.5	166.8	165.9	.6	2.0	.2	-.5	5.4
Ham other than canned	148.4	148.7	151.1	150.4	2.2	.2	1.6	-.5	.0
Pork sausage	130.6	129.8	130.2	131.0	.3	-.6	.3	.6	1.9
Other pork	133.3	132.4	132.8	132.6	1.1	-.7	.3	-.2	.2
Frankfurters	135.9	135.9	137.6	136.8	-3.0	.0	1.3	-.6	2.5
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami	136.7	138.5	136.9	136.3	-1.5	1.3	-1.2	-.4	-.5
Other lunchmeats	130.8	130.0	130.1	130.3	-.1	-.6	.1	.2	1.2
Lamb and organ meats	140.4	141.8	143.3	143.3	1.0	1.0	1.1	.0	4.1
Butter	82.1	83.3	84.6	83.6	-1.1	1.5	1.6	-1.2	-3.1
Other dairy products	141.7	142.7	143.1	143.7	-.9	.7	.3	.4	3.3
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	119.8	122.4	119.3	121.0	-1.0	2.2	-2.5	1.4	-.1
Other fruit juices	137.9	136.7	136.0	136.2	1.2	-.9	-.5	.1	-1.2
Cut corn, canned beans except lima	138.0	139.0	138.9	137.5	.1	.7	-.1	-1.0	4.7
Other processed vegetables	139.5	140.5	141.0	139.7	.1	.7	.4	-.9	7.5
Candy and chewing gum	138.9	139.5	139.9	139.8	-.4	.4	.3	-.1	1.2
Other sweets	138.8	138.3	136.5	137.3	.6	-.4	-1.3	.6	.2
Margarine	137.3	140.9	139.4	140.5	-.1	2.6	-1.1	.8	5.0
Other fats, oils, and salad dressing	131.3	132.4	131.9	132.3	-.3	.8	-.4	.3	5.2
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter	135.9	138.0	136.3	135.1	.1	1.5	-1.2	-.9	-.8
Roasted coffee	114.9	144.2	179.7	179.5	3.1	25.5	24.6	-.1	66.0
Instant and freeze-dried coffee	118.2	134.2	154.3	155.5	1.2	13.5	15.0	.8	36.9
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	152.9	152.1	153.5	155.9	-.6	-.5	.9	1.6	4.8
Other condiments	144.3	145.5	146.1	145.5	.1	.8	.4	-.4	1.9
Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods	162.3	161.7	162.8	162.6	.9	-.4	.7	-.1	2.3
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	131.8	132.5	132.7	133.3	-.8	.5	.2	.5	3.7
Whiskey at home	143.8	143.2	143.4	143.9	.3	-.4	.1	.3	1.0
Other alcoholic beverages at home	145.5	145.4	144.6	144.5	.1	-.1	-.6	-.1	-.5
Housing									
Household linens	114.2	114.7	116.3	115.9	-.7	.4	1.4	-.3	-1.0
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials	134.8	135.7	133.9	134.9	1.6	.7	-1.3	.7	.7
Soaps and detergents	136.0	135.6	135.8	136.9	-.1	-.3	.1	.8	1.6
Other laundry and cleaning products	138.7	138.2	137.9	137.8	.6	-.4	-.2	-.1	.1
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins	125.1	124.6	124.9	125.4	.6	-.4	.2	.4	-.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap	136.0	133.8	132.9	133.2	-.1	-1.6	-.7	.2	2.9
Apparel and upkeep									
Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets	137.2	135.5	136.0	140.2	-1.4	-1.2	.4	3.1	.2
Men's coats and jackets	141.7	139.4	139.4	141.8	-.5	-1.6	.0	1.7	1.5
Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	113.4	110.6	110.5	115.4	-1.7	-2.5	-.1	4.4	-1.4
Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets	116.4	118.7	116.6	118.4	-1.7	2.0	-1.8	1.5	1.1
Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	130.4	139.2	127.2	135.9	-1.2	6.7	-8.6	6.8	-3.6
Girls' separates and sportswear	123.7	117.8	117.8	122.5	-.7	-4.8	.0	4.0	-1.7
Transportation									
State automobile registration	201.3	201.4	201.6	201.6	.0	.0	.1	.0	.8
Other goods and services									
Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs	128.4	128.6	129.2	130.8	-.4	.2	.5	1.2	2.2

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 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1993	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	146.5	146.9	3.0	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1
All items (1967=100)	-	436.4	437.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.344	144.9	145.1	2.5	.1	.5	.4	.3
Food	17.622	144.4	144.6	2.7	.1	.5	.5	.3
Food at home	11.187	144.1	144.4	3.4	.2	.8	.6	.3
Cereals and bakery products	1.660	164.4	164.6	4.6	.1	.4	.2	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.513	136.9	137.2	1.0	.2	-.7	.1	.2
Dairy products	1.321	131.6	131.0	1.2	-.5	-.5	-.8	-.5
Fruits and vegetables	2.019	162.3	162.6	3.6	.2	2.7	.5	.5
Other food at home	2.674	138.3	138.8	6.5	.4	2.2	2.0	.7
Sugar and sweets	.374	135.1	135.4	1.7	.2	.2	-.1	.5
Fats and oils	.283	134.0	134.2	3.2	.1	1.0	-.8	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	.833	130.2	130.9	14.6	.5	5.9	6.5	.8
Other prepared food	1.184	148.1	148.5	3.1	.3	.5	.1	.6
Food away from home	6.435	145.8	146.1	1.7	.2	.1	.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.722	150.7	150.9	.9	.1	-.1	-.1	.1
Housing	39.004	143.0	143.0	2.4	.0	.1	.4	.1
Shelter	25.682	157.2	157.4	3.3	.1	.1	.5	.3
Renters' costs ¹	8.095	150.3	148.9	2.6	-.9	-.1	.5	-.1
Rent, residential	6.628	154.2	154.7	2.7	.3	.2	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	1.467	206.7	194.1	2.6	-6.1	-1.1	.6	-1.1
Homeowners' costs ¹	17.399	151.5	152.3	3.5	.5	.3	.5	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	17.074	151.7	152.6	3.6	.6	.3	.5	.5
Household insurance ^{2 1}	.324	141.4	141.7	4.1	.2	1.0	.6	.2
Maintenance and repairs ²	.188	131.3	131.8	.4	.4	-.1	-.1	.4
Maintenance and repair services ²	.102	139.1	139.4	-1.4	.2	.0	.0	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	.085	120.9	121.6	2.7	.6	-.2	-.2	.6
Fuel and other utilities	7.523	124.0	123.9	.1	-.1	.1	.2	-.4
Fuels	4.093	113.5	113.3	-1.0	-.2	.2	.2	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.339	86.6	86.7	-1.3	.1	.5	.2	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.754	121.6	121.5	-1.0	-.1	.2	.2	-.5
Other utilities and public services ²	3.429	151.1	150.9	1.4	-.1	-.1	.1	-.1
Household furnishings and operation	5.800	120.0	120.0	1.5	.0	.1	.2	-.2
Housefurnishings	3.525	110.1	109.8	1.4	-.3	.1	.1	-.4
Housekeeping supplies	1.141	132.5	132.9	1.6	.3	-.1	.2	.3
Housekeeping services	1.134	140.9	141.5	2.1	.4	.6	.3	.0
Apparel and upkeep	5.909	130.2	133.1	-.2	2.2	-.2	-.9	-.2
Apparel commodities	5.379	127.2	130.2	-.4	2.4	-.3	-1.0	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.393	125.3	127.8	.5	2.0	1.0	-.2	.5
Women's and girls' apparel	2.356	124.5	129.4	-1.4	3.9	-1.2	-2.6	-.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	.261	129.9	131.1	2.6	.9	1.9	-.7	.5
Footwear	.866	125.3	126.0	-.9	.6	-.9	-.2	-1.1
Other apparel commodities	.502	151.5	151.3	1.0	-.1	.0	2.3	-.5
Apparel services ²	.530	155.4	155.9	2.6	.3	.1	.2	.3
Transportation	18.863	135.2	135.3	4.7	.1	1.1	1.0	.2
Private transportation	17.613	133.3	133.5	4.9	.2	1.1	1.1	.2
New vehicles	4.948	138.2	138.4	4.1	.1	.4	.4	.4
New cars	3.606	135.3	135.4	3.8	.1	.4	.4	.4
Used cars	2.256	144.7	146.1	4.7	1.0	.9	.8	1.0
Motor fuel	3.705	104.2	103.7	8.0	-.5	3.7	3.2	-1.0
Gasoline	-	104.3	103.7	8.2	-.6	3.7	3.6	-.9
Maintenance and repairs	1.615	151.4	151.9	3.1	.3	.2	.5	.1
Other private transportation	5.089	157.8	158.0	3.9	.1	.1	.3	.6
Other private transportation commodities	.795	102.6	102.4	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.3
Other private transportation services	4.295	171.5	171.8	4.6	.2	.2	.4	.6
Public transportation	1.251	168.7	167.6	2.3	-.7	1.0	1.3	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1993	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	6.044	211.5	212.0	4.5	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3
Medical care commodities	1.061	199.5	199.3	2.5	-.1	.2	.4	-.1
Medical care services	4.983	214.2	214.9	5.0	.3	.4	.4	.4
Professional medical services	2.865	194.4	194.9	4.3	.3	.4	.3	.4
Entertainment	4.028	148.3	148.6	2.6	.2	.2	.0	.0
Entertainment commodities	2.077	135.9	136.0	2.2	.1	.1	.1	.3
Entertainment services	1.951	166.5	167.0	3.2	.3	.2	.0	-.3
Other goods and services	6.807	197.5	198.9	4.2	.7	.4	.4	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	2.121	222.1	221.1	2.9	-.5	.5	.6	.0
Personal care ²	1.146	145.2	145.4	2.0	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	.650	142.6	142.6	1.7	.0	.1	.1	.0
Personal care services ²	.496	148.2	148.6	2.3	.3	-.5	.0	.3
Personal and educational expenses	3.540	220.2	223.6	5.7	1.5	.5	.3	.2
School books and supplies	.219	207.5	209.8	4.3	1.1	.4	.2	-.3
Personal and educational services	3.321	221.5	225.0	5.8	1.6	.5	.3	.2
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	146.5	146.9	3.0	.3	.4	.4	.1
Commodities	47.644	134.1	134.6	2.7	.4	.6	.4	.1
Food and beverages	19.344	144.9	145.1	2.5	.1	.5	.4	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	28.300	127.5	128.1	2.9	.5	.6	.5	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.590	129.1	129.9	2.7	.6	.5	.9	-.5
Apparel commodities	5.379	127.2	130.2	-.4	2.4	-.3	-1.0	-.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	11.211	133.0	132.8	4.2	-.2	.9	1.4	-.2
Durables	11.710	124.3	124.4	3.1	.1	.4	.2	.2
Services	52.356	161.6	161.9	3.2	.2	.2	.4	.2
Rent of shelter ² ces less rent of shelter ¹	8.771	126.9	126.9	.5	.0	.0	.2	-.2
Transportation services	7.160	165.9	166.0	3.8	.1	.4	.5	.3
Medical care services	4.983	214.2	214.9	5.0	.3	.4	.4	.4
Other services	6.299	182.9	184.7	4.5	1.0	.3	.2	.1
Special indexes								
All items less food	82.378	146.8	147.2	3.0	.3	.3	.4	.1
All items less shelter	74.318	143.8	144.2	2.9	.3	.5	.3	.1
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	82.601	137.9	138.1	2.8	.1	.4	.4	.1
All items less medical care	93.956	143.4	143.8	2.9	.3	.4	.4	.1
Commodities less food	30.022	128.4	128.9	2.7	.4	.6	.4	.0
Nondurables less food	18.312	130.3	131.1	2.6	.6	.5	.8	-.5
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	12.933	133.7	133.6	3.8	-.1	.8	1.1	-.1
Nondurables ²	35.934	137.3	137.8	2.6	.4	.2	.7	.4
Services less rent of shelter ¹	27.213	153.0	153.5	3.1	.3	.2	.4	-.1
Services less medical care services	47.373	157.1	157.3	2.9	.1	.1	.4	.2
Energy	7.798	108.2	107.8	3.2	-.4	1.9	1.6	-.8
All items less energy	92.202	151.9	152.4	3.0	.3	.3	.3	.2
All items less food and energy	74.580	153.9	154.4	3.0	.3	.2	.3	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	25.978	136.1	136.9	2.0	.6	.1	.1	.1
Energy commodities	4.044	102.9	102.4	7.2	-.5	3.4	2.9	-.9
Services less energy services	48.602	166.0	166.4	3.5	.2	.2	.4	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ²	-	\$.683	\$.681	-2.9	-.3	-.3	-.4	-.3
1967=\$1.00 ²	-	.229	.229	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

² Not seasonally adjusted.

- Data not available.

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 (CPI-W): 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					
	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.5	2.2	3.9	2.8	3.1
Food and beverages	144.0	144.7	145.3	145.7	4.0	-3	2.3	4.8	1.8	3.5
Food	143.4	144.1	144.8	145.2	4.0	.0	2.3	5.1	2.0	3.7
Food at home	142.7	143.8	144.6	145.1	5.5	-1.4	2.9	6.9	2.0	4.9
Cereals and bakery products	162.8	163.5	163.9	164.6	4.4	3.3	6.1	4.5	3.8	5.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.4	136.4	136.6	136.9	4.5	1.8	-3	-1.4	3.1	-9
Dairy products	133.1	132.5	131.4	130.7	.0	7.3	5.3	-7.0	3.6	-1.1
Fruits and vegetables	161.4	165.7	166.5	167.4	16.9	-18.2	5.4	15.7	-2.2	10.4
Other food at home	132.6	135.5	138.2	139.2	3.4	.3	2.5	21.4	1.8	11.5
Sugar and sweets	134.5	134.8	134.7	135.4	2.4	3.6	-1.8	2.7	3.0	.4
Fats and oils	133.6	135.0	133.9	134.3	.9	6.0	3.7	2.1	3.4	2.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	116.1	122.9	130.9	132.0	5.3	-4.1	2.4	67.1	.5	30.8
Other prepared food	146.9	147.7	147.8	148.7	2.8	1.4	3.3	5.0	2.1	4.2
Food away from home	145.3	145.4	145.8	146.1	1.7	2.0	1.4	2.2	1.8	1.8
Alcoholic beverages	151.0	150.8	150.6	150.8	3.8	-8	1.1	-5	1.5	.3
Housing	141.6	141.8	142.3	142.5	2.6	3.5	1.1	2.6	3.0	1.8
Shelter	155.7	155.9	156.7	157.2	3.2	4.2	1.8	3.9	3.7	2.9
Renters' costs ¹	148.1	148.0	148.7	148.6	3.6	3.3	2.2	1.4	3.5	1.8
Rent, residential	153.3	153.6	154.2	154.5	2.4	4.0	.8	3.2	3.2	2.0
Other renters' costs	198.7	196.6	197.8	195.7	8.2	.8	8.3	-5.9	4.5	.9
Homeowners' costs ¹	150.3	150.7	151.5	152.2	3.3	4.7	1.3	5.2	4.0	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	150.5	150.9	151.7	152.4	3.3	4.7	1.3	5.1	4.0	3.2
Household insurance ^{2 1}	139.1	140.5	141.4	141.7	.9	2.7	5.3	7.7	1.8	6.5
Maintenance and repairs ²	131.5	131.4	131.3	131.8	-10.5	5.4	6.7	.9	-2.9	3.7
Maintenance and repair services	139.1	139.1	139.1	139.4	-19.3	3.9	11.7	.9	-8.4	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	121.4	121.1	120.9	121.6	2.0	6.9	1.3	.7	4.4	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	122.4	122.5	122.7	122.2	-.3	3.3	-1.9	-.7	1.5	-1.3
Fuels	110.1	110.3	110.5	109.9	-2.1	3.3	-4.2	-.7	.5	-2.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.6	89.0	89.2	88.8	-11.1	19.6	-11.3	.9	3.1	-5.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	117.8	118.0	118.2	117.6	-1.3	1.7	-3.3	-.7	.2	-2.0
Other utilities and public services ²	151.1	150.9	151.1	150.9	2.2	3.0	1.1	-.5	2.6	.3
Household furnishings and operation	119.9	120.0	120.2	120.0	3.1	-.3	3.1	.3	1.4	1.7
Housefurnishings	110.1	110.2	110.3	109.9	4.1	-2.5	4.9	-.7	.7	2.0
Housekeeping supplies	132.4	132.3	132.6	133.0	2.5	4.3	-2.1	1.8	3.4	-.2
Housekeeping services	140.0	140.8	141.2	141.2	1.7	2.0	.9	3.5	1.9	2.2
Apparel and upkeep	133.6	133.3	132.1	131.9	.6	1.2	2.7	-5.0	.9	-1.2
Apparel commodities	131.0	130.6	129.3	129.1	.3	1.2	2.8	-5.7	.8	-1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	125.9	127.2	127.0	127.6	-.3	-8.5	5.9	5.5	-4.5	5.7
Women's and girls' apparel	132.6	131.0	127.6	127.5	2.8	3.4	4.0	-14.5	3.1	-5.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	128.8	131.3	130.4	131.0	.0	-1.2	5.1	7.0	-.6	6.1
Footwear	128.3	127.2	126.9	125.5	1.6	1.6	2.2	-8.4	1.6	-3.3
Other apparel commodities	148.2	148.2	151.6	150.8	-10.0	18.8	-9.4	7.2	3.4	-1.4
Apparel services ²	155.0	155.1	155.4	155.9	4.0	.8	3.4	2.3	2.4	2.9
Transportation	132.4	133.8	135.2	135.5	3.1	3.1	3.1	9.7	3.1	6.3
Private transportation	130.5	131.9	133.3	133.5	2.9	3.2	3.8	9.5	3.0	6.6
New vehicles	138.5	139.1	139.7	140.3	1.2	4.2	5.7	5.3	2.7	5.5
New cars	135.7	136.2	136.8	137.3	1.5	4.0	4.5	4.8	2.7	4.7
Used cars	140.8	142.0	143.2	144.6	4.1	-6.7	11.2	11.2	-1.4	11.2
Motor fuel	95.7	99.2	102.4	101.4	5.2	7.3	-4.9	26.0	6.3	9.5
Gasoline	95.2	98.7	102.3	101.4	3.9	6.9	-4.5	28.7	5.4	10.9
Maintenance and repairs	150.5	150.8	151.5	151.7	3.6	2.7	2.4	3.2	3.1	2.8
Other private transportation	157.9	158.1	158.5	159.4	1.8	3.7	6.3	3.9	2.8	5.1
Other private transportation commodities	103.2	102.9	102.7	102.4	-1.2	2.8	1.2	-3.1	.8	-1.0
Other private transportation services	171.4	171.7	172.4	173.5	2.4	3.9	7.3	5.0	3.2	6.1
Public transportation	167.2	168.9	171.1	170.2	8.4	.9	-6.9	7.4	4.6	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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					
	June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category										
Medical care	210.0	210.8	211.6	212.3	4.4	3.4	5.7	4.5	3.9	5.1
Medical care commodities	198.5	198.8	199.5	199.3	2.9	1.2	4.3	1.6	2.1	3.0
Medical care services	212.5	213.4	214.2	215.1	4.8	3.9	6.1	5.0	4.3	5.5
Professional medical services	192.9	193.7	194.2	194.9	4.1	3.4	5.4	4.2	3.8	4.8
Entertainment	148.2	148.5	148.5	148.5	4.8	3.9	1.4	.8	4.3	1.1
Entertainment commodities	135.6	135.8	135.9	136.3	2.7	1.2	3.0	2.1	2.0	2.5
Entertainment services	166.5	166.8	166.8	166.3	7.1	6.2	.0	-.5	6.7	-.2
Other goods and services	196.9	197.6	198.3	198.5	4.3	2.9	6.6	3.3	3.6	4.9
Tobacco and smoking products	220.0	221.0	222.3	222.3	1.3	.6	6.0	4.2	.9	5.1
Personal care ²	145.3	145.1	145.2	145.4	2.0	.0	6.0	.3	1.0	3.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	142.3	142.5	142.6	142.6	1.4	-1.1	5.8	.8	.1	3.3
Personal care services ²	149.0	148.2	148.2	148.6	2.8	1.4	6.4	-1.1	2.1	2.6
Personal and educational expenses	219.3	220.3	221.0	221.4	6.9	5.2	7.2	3.9	6.0	5.6
School books and supplies	207.7	208.6	209.0	208.3	6.1	5.6	4.6	1.2	5.9	2.8
Personal and educational services	220.4	221.5	222.2	222.6	6.8	5.1	7.4	4.1	6.0	5.7
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.5	2.2	3.9	2.8	3.1
Commodities	133.1	133.9	134.5	134.6	2.8	.9	2.8	4.6	1.8	3.7
Food and beverages	144.0	144.7	145.3	145.7	4.0	-.3	2.3	4.8	1.8	3.5
Commodities less food and beverages	126.4	127.2	127.8	127.7	2.3	1.6	3.2	4.2	1.9	3.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.8	128.4	129.6	128.9	1.9	4.2	1.3	3.5	3.1	2.4
Apparel commodities	131.0	130.6	129.3	129.1	.3	1.2	2.8	-5.7	.8	-1.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	130.0	131.2	133.0	132.8	-.6	.3	8.8	8.9	-.2	8.8
Durables	123.8	124.3	124.5	124.8	2.7	1.0	5.3	3.3	1.8	4.3
Services	160.3	160.7	161.3	161.6	3.4	3.9	2.3	3.3	3.6	2.8
Rent of shelter ^{2 1}	149.9	150.5	151.3	151.4	1.9	6.1	1.1	4.1	4.0	2.6
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	125.3	125.3	125.5	125.2	.6	1.9	-.6	-.3	1.3	-.5
Transportation services	165.4	166.0	166.9	167.4	3.8	3.0	3.7	4.9	3.4	4.3
Medical care services	212.5	213.4	214.2	215.1	4.8	3.9	6.1	5.0	4.3	5.5
Other services	182.9	183.4	183.8	183.9	6.3	5.0	4.5	2.2	5.6	3.3
Special indexes										
All items less food	145.5	146.0	146.6	146.8	2.8	3.1	2.5	3.6	3.0	3.1
All items less shelter	142.7	143.4	143.9	144.1	3.2	1.7	2.9	4.0	2.4	3.4
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	136.8	137.4	137.9	138.0	3.0	2.1	2.7	3.6	2.5	3.1
All items less medical care	142.2	142.7	143.3	143.5	3.2	2.3	2.3	3.7	2.7	3.0
Commodities less food	127.5	128.3	128.8	128.8	2.3	1.6	2.9	4.1	1.9	3.5
Nondurables less food	129.1	129.8	130.8	130.2	2.2	3.8	.9	3.5	3.0	2.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	131.2	132.2	133.7	133.6	-.3	.6	7.7	7.5	.2	7.6
Nondurables ²	136.1	136.4	137.3	137.8	.6	2.7	2.1	5.1	1.6	3.6
Services less rent of shelter ¹	152.0	152.3	152.9	152.8	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.1	3.4	2.5
Services less medical care services	155.9	156.1	156.7	157.0	3.5	3.4	2.3	2.9	3.4	2.6
Energy	102.4	104.3	106.0	105.2	1.2	5.2	-4.6	11.4	3.2	3.1
All items less energy	151.4	151.8	152.3	152.6	3.3	2.2	3.0	3.2	2.7	3.1
All items less food and energy	153.6	153.9	154.4	154.7	3.2	2.7	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	136.6	136.8	136.9	137.0	2.1	.6	4.2	1.2	1.3	2.7
Energy commodities	95.3	98.5	101.4	100.5	3.9	8.3	-5.3	23.7	6.1	8.2
Services less energy services	165.2	165.6	166.2	166.7	3.8	4.0	2.7	3.7	3.9	3.2

¹ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

² Not seasonally adjusted.

- 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 (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Food and beverages	144.9	145.1	2.5	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.3
Food	144.4	144.6	2.7	.1	.5	.5	.3
Food at home	144.1	144.4	3.4	.2	.8	.6	.3
Cereals and bakery products	164.4	164.6	4.6	.1	.4	.2	.4
Cereals and cereal products	166.2	164.8	4.6	-.8	.3	.4	-.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes	136.7	135.7	3.0	-.7	-.5	.3	.5
Cereal ¹	192.6	190.9	3.8	-.9	.5	.4	-.9
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	141.6	140.6	8.2	-.7	1.1	-.4	-.7
Bakery products ¹	163.1	164.1	4.5	.6	.2	.6	.6
White bread ¹	158.1	162.3	6.1	2.7	-.1	.0	2.7
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	162.8	163.4	4.9	.4	-.4	1.0	.4
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	165.3	164.4	3.2	-.5	.8	.4	-.5
Other bakery products	166.9	166.6	4.0	-.2	.5	.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.9	137.2	1.0	.2	-.7	.1	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.2	138.7	1.1	.4	-.6	.1	.3
Meats	135.2	135.2	-.3	.0	-1.0	.4	.1
Beef and veal ¹	134.9	135.2	-1.2	.2	-1.2	.3	.2
Ground beef other than canned	118.1	118.9	-2.0	.7	-.8	-.3	1.4
Chuck roast ¹	142.5	140.0	-.4	-1.8	-1.4	4.5	-1.8
Round roast ¹	127.1	131.3	-.3	3.3	-2.8	-.1	3.3
Round steak ¹	130.6	133.7	.0	2.4	-.9	-.3	2.4
Sirloin steak	139.1	139.8	-.2	.5	.3	.8	1.6
Other beef and veal ¹	153.4	152.5	-1.3	-.6	-.9	.0	-.6
Pork	135.0	135.0	.1	.0	-1.2	.3	.1
Bacon ¹	118.2	118.0	2.6	-.2	.5	-.4	-.2
Chops	144.3	143.8	-3.2	-.3	.1	.3	-.3
Ham	142.2	142.4	.8	.1	-2.9	.6	-.6
Other pork, including sausage	132.2	132.5	1.0	.2	-.7	.3	1.1
Other meats ¹	136.8	136.0	1.5	-.6	.1	.6	-.6
Poultry ¹	141.5	143.1	3.8	1.1	.3	-1.7	1.1
Fresh whole chicken ¹	141.5	141.6	2.5	.1	-.1	-.7	.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	143.7	147.1	4.3	2.4	.3	-3.3	2.4
Other poultry	140.0	139.9	5.3	-.1	.8	.1	.1
Fish and seafood	163.8	165.7	6.4	1.2	.9	.1	.7
Canned fish and seafood ¹	124.1	124.7	1.8	.5	.3	.1	.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	184.4	186.9	7.6	1.4	1.0	.2	.5
Eggs	114.6	112.9	.4	-1.5	-3.8	1.9	-1.5
Dairy products	131.6	131.0	1.2	-.5	-.5	-.8	-.5
Fresh milk and cream	131.8	130.6	.8	-.9	-.5	-1.5	-1.1
Fresh whole milk	130.4	129.1	.3	-1.0	-.5	-1.6	-1.4
Other fresh milk and cream	133.8	133.0	1.5	-.6	-.6	-.9	-.7
Processed dairy products ¹	131.8	131.9	1.8	.1	-.1	.5	.1
Cheese ¹	136.3	136.4	1.6	.1	.1	.4	.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	134.7	135.5	3.7	.6	-.8	.4	.6
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	113.1	112.3	-.1	-.7	.5	.9	-.7
Fruits and vegetables	162.3	162.6	3.6	.2	2.7	.5	.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables	182.1	182.7	4.2	.3	3.7	1.1	.7
Fresh fruits	201.1	202.7	4.6	.8	4.0	3.5	-.2
Apples	187.9	181.2	-3.8	-3.6	-2.2	-.2	-.4
Bananas	149.5	140.6	15.7	-6.0	2.3	14.4	-5.5
Oranges, including tangerines	215.4	219.1	-14.0	1.7	2.7	1.1	-.3
Other fresh fruits	216.3	223.7	14.1	3.4	6.8	3.4	.8
Fresh vegetables	163.6	163.2	3.7	-.2	3.4	-1.5	1.8
Potatoes	189.9	168.9	8.2	-11.1	4.0	.0	-3.5
Lettuce ¹	156.1	177.7	4.2	13.8	5.7	.6	13.8
Tomatoes ¹	157.1	152.5	-6.2	-2.9	-4.4	-1.9	-2.9
Other fresh vegetables	158.7	162.7	5.0	2.5	4.1	-3.6	6.3
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.8	134.5	2.4	-.2	.7	-.9	.2
Processed fruits	131.5	131.8	-.1	.2	1.0	-1.6	.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	130.2	131.3	-.2	.8	1.2	-2.2	.8
Canned and dried fruits	135.0	132.3	.6	-2.0	-.2	.4	-1.6
Processed vegetables ¹	138.8	138.0	5.3	-.6	.9	.0	-.6
Frozen vegetables ¹	140.1	140.3	3.9	.1	.4	-.5	.1
Processed vegetables excluding frozen ¹	138.9	137.6	6.0	-.9	1.1	.3	-.9

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories —Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Other food at home	138.3	138.8	6.5	0.4	2.2	2.0	0.7
Sugar and sweets	135.1	135.4	1.7	.2	.2	-.1	.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	124.1	125.4	2.1	1.0	1.1	-.6	1.1
Sweets, including candy ¹	139.7	139.6	1.5	-.1	.0	.1	-.1
Fats and oils	134.0	134.2	3.2	.1	1.0	-.8	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	130.2	130.9	14.6	.5	5.9	6.5	.8
Carbonated drinks	115.4	116.3	1.2	.8	.3	.0	.9
Coffee ¹	172.1	171.9	56.8	-.1	22.2	22.4	-.1
Other noncarbonated drinks	131.5	133.2	1.4	1.3	.7	-1.1	.9
Other prepared food	148.1	148.5	3.1	.3	.5	.1	.6
Canned and packaged soup	173.0	173.2	4.5	.1	-.6	1.0	.3
Frozen prepared food ¹	140.0	138.8	2.4	-.9	1.2	.1	-.9
Snacks ¹	138.7	140.3	3.2	1.2	.0	.7	1.2
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	151.9	152.6	3.5	.5	.6	.3	.2
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	149.8	150.4	2.9	.4	.1	.4	.4
Food away from home	145.8	146.1	1.7	.2	.1	.3	.2
Lunch ¹	146.3	146.6	1.7	.2	.1	.2	.2
Dinner ¹	144.1	144.5	1.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Other meals and snacks ¹	147.8	148.0	1.6	.1	.1	.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages	150.7	150.9	.9	.1	-.1	-.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	142.0	141.9	-.1	-.1	.0	-.4	-.1
Beer and ale	143.0	142.8	.2	-.1	.1	-.2	-.1
Wine ¹	131.2	131.2	-1.1	.0	-.2	-.3	.0
Distilled spirits ¹	143.7	144.0	.3	.2	-.1	-.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	170.6	171.1	2.0	.3	-.1	.1	.3
Housing	143.0	143.0	2.4	.0	.1	.4	.1
Shelter	157.2	157.4	3.3	.1	.1	.5	.3
Renters' costs ²	150.3	148.9	2.6	-.9	-.1	.5	-.1
Rent, residential	154.2	154.7	2.7	.3	.2	.4	.2
Other renters' costs	206.7	194.1	2.6	-6.1	-1.1	.6	-1.1
Lodging while out of town	206.6	192.2	2.5	-7.0	-1.0	.8	-1.4
Lodging while at school ³	198.7	202.5	4.5	1.9	.2	.2	-.7
Tenants' insurance ¹	145.7	146.2	3.5	.3	.9	.5	.3
Homeowners' costs ²	151.5	152.3	3.5	.5	.3	.5	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	151.7	152.6	3.6	.6	.3	.5	.5
Household insurance ^{1,2}	141.4	141.7	4.1	.2	1.0	.6	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹	131.3	131.8	.4	.4	-.1	-.1	.4
Maintenance and repair services	139.1	139.4	-1.4	.2	.0	.0	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	120.9	121.6	2.7	.6	-.2	-.2	.6
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1,4}	115.9	116.7	1.7	.7	-.3	.5	.7
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	118.3	118.9	3.5	.5	-.2	-.7	.5
Fuel and other utilities	124.0	123.9	.1	-.1	.1	.2	-.4
Fuels	113.5	113.3	-1.0	-.2	.2	.2	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.6	86.7	-1.3	.1	.5	.2	-.4
Fuel oil	83.8	83.8	-1.3	.0	1.0	.2	-1.0
Other household fuel commodities ^{1,4}	115.7	116.0	-1.4	.3	-1.1	-.3	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	121.6	121.5	-1.0	-.1	.2	.2	-.5
Electricity	132.0	131.8	-.6	-.2	.4	.4	-.5
Utility (piped) gas	106.0	105.9	-1.9	-.1	-.4	-.2	-.8
Other utilities and public services ¹	151.1	150.9	1.4	-.1	-.1	.1	-.1
Telephone services ¹	123.2	123.2	1.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Local charges ¹	156.7	156.5	.1	-.1	-.1	.0	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	75.6	75.7	7.5	.1	.1	.3	.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	90.4	90.4	-.6	.0	.1	.0	.0
Water and sewerage maintenance	189.7	189.9	4.6	.1	-.2	.2	.3
Cable television ^{1,5}	196.7	194.7	-3.7	-1.0	-1.3	-.5	-1.0
Refuse collection ⁵	234.1	234.7	4.8	.3	.9	.1	.2

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories —Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Household furnishings and operation	120.0	120.0	1.5	0.0	0.1	0.2	-0.2
Housefurnishings	110.1	109.8	1.4	-3	.1	.1	-.4
Textile housefurnishings	125.8	126.2	1.0	.3	.6	-.7	.5
Furniture and bedding ¹	127.0	125.9	3.2	-.9	.0	-.1	-.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	135.2	131.0	.4	-3.1	.3	-.4	-3.1
Sofas ¹	122.8	124.3	7.0	1.2	.7	.0	1.2
Living room chairs and tables ¹	131.1	131.4	6.4	.2	-.4	1.9	.2
Other furniture ¹	118.1	118.4	2.5	.3	-.8	-.8	.3
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	83.6	83.8	-.7	.2	-.5	.0	.2
Video and audio products ¹	75.7	75.9	-1.4	.3	-.7	.1	.3
Televisions ¹	68.1	68.8	-.1	1.0	-2.4	.6	1.0
Video products other than televisions ^{1 6}	74.6	74.1	-5.8	-.7	1.5	-.1	-.7
Audio products ¹	93.7	93.7	-.8	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Major household appliances ^{1 4}	102.5	103.0	2.5	.5	-.1	-.1	.5
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.2	109.8	4.1	1.5	.2	-.3	1.5
Laundry equipment ¹	108.3	109.2	2.5	.8	-.5	.1	.8
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 4}	96.5	95.8	1.1	-.7	-.1	.0	-.7
Information processing equipment ^{1 6}	71.3	69.9	-8.6	-2.0	-.6	-.3	-2.0
Other housefurnishings ^{1 4}	113.5	113.3	1.7	-.2	.5	-.7	-.2
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	133.8	133.5	5.5	-.2	1.9	-1.5	-.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	115.5	115.5	-2.0	.0	1.0	-.2	.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	125.7	124.0	1.9	-1.4	1.2	-1.3	-1.4
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	106.3	106.6	3.2	.3	.3	-.5	.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 4}	93.9	92.6	-3.0	-1.4	.0	-1.8	-1.4
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 7}	111.8	113.4	4.4	1.4	-.5	.6	1.4
Housekeeping supplies	132.5	132.9	1.6	.3	-.1	.2	.3
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	137.7	138.3	1.2	.4	-.3	.1	.4
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	128.4	128.7	1.7	.2	-.5	.0	.2
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	130.0	130.2	2.0	.2	.4	.1	.2
Housekeeping services	140.9	141.5	2.1	.4	.6	.3	.0
Postage ¹	145.7	145.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	145.4	145.5	1.5	.1	-.1	.3	.1
Gardening and other household services ^{1 4}	128.8	128.7	1.5	-.1	.2	.5	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	130.2	133.1	-.2	2.2	-.2	-.9	-.2
Apparel commodities	127.2	130.2	-.4	2.4	-.3	-1.0	-.2
Apparel commodities less footwear	127.5	131.0	-.3	2.7	-.2	-1.1	.1
Men's and boys'	125.3	127.8	.5	2.0	1.0	-.2	.5
Men's	128.7	131.3	1.4	2.0	.7	.6	.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	137.5	141.7	.6	3.1	.9	-1.4	.4
Furnishings and special clothing	118.4	123.4	5.4	4.2	2.9	3.5	2.0
Shirts	133.0	134.6	-1.0	1.2	1.1	.8	-.4
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	127.5	127.4	1.4	-.1	1.2	-.1	-1.0
Boys'	114.3	116.6	-2.7	2.0	1.2	-2.4	-1.0
Women's and girls'	124.5	129.4	-1.4	3.9	-1.2	-2.6	-.1
Women's	124.2	129.2	-1.2	4.0	-1.2	-2.4	-.2
Coats and jackets	115.5	123.8	-.2	7.2	-3.9	2.2	.9
Dresses	128.9	132.1	-3.9	2.5	2.7	-5.9	-4.3
Separates and sportswear	126.8	132.8	.5	4.7	-2.9	-1.1	.6
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	126.8	127.0	-.3	.2	1.2	-.5	-.3
Suits	125.2	140.5	-8.8	12.2	-1.0	-13.0	4.3
Girls'	126.1	130.3	-2.8	3.3	-1.2	-3.5	.1
Infants' and toddlers'	129.9	131.1	2.6	.9	1.9	-.7	.5
Other apparel commodities	151.5	151.3	1.0	-.1	.0	2.3	-.5
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 4}	123.2	122.4	-.5	-.6	2.2	-.6	-.6
Watches and jewelry ^{1 4}	153.2	153.1	1.3	-.1	-.4	2.6	-.1
Watches ^{1 4}	126.5	125.0	1.9	-1.2	.3	1.4	-1.2
Jewelry ^{1 4}	160.8	161.2	1.1	.2	-.6	2.9	.2
Footwear	125.3	126.0	-.9	.6	-.9	-.2	-1.1
Men's	132.4	132.2	-1.4	-.2	-.8	-.2	-1.0
Boys' and girls'	125.8	128.7	3.5	2.3	-2.6	1.0	.7
Women's	118.4	118.6	-3.0	.2	.2	-1.3	-2.1
Apparel services ¹	155.4	155.9	2.6	.3	.1	.2	.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	157.1	157.4	2.4	.2	.1	.1	.2
Other apparel services ¹	154.6	155.3	2.8	.5	.1	.3	.5

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories —Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Transportation	135.2	135.3	4.7	0.1	1.1	1.0	0.2
Private	133.3	133.5	4.9	.2	1.1	1.1	.2
New vehicles	138.2	138.4	4.1	.1	.4	.4	.4
New cars	135.3	135.4	3.8	.1	.4	.4	.4
Subcompact new cars ⁴	118.2	118.4	4.4	.2	.5	.3	.6
Compact new cars ⁴	115.2	115.1	4.1	-.1	.4	.4	.3
Intermediate new cars ⁴	117.7	117.8	3.9	.1	.7	.6	.5
Full-size new cars ⁴	120.4	120.3	3.0	-.1	.5	.2	.1
Luxury new cars ⁴	124.9	124.7	2.4	-.2	.0	.6	.5
New trucks ⁵	143.1	143.5	4.8	.3	.3	.8	.4
New motorcycles ^{1 4}	145.5	146.6	8.6	.8	1.3	.7	.8
Used cars	144.7	146.1	4.7	1.0	.9	.8	1.0
Motor fuel	104.2	103.7	8.0	-.5	3.7	3.2	-1.0
Gasoline	104.3	103.7	8.2	-.6	3.7	3.6	-.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	102.2	101.6	9.4	-.6	3.9	4.4	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 8}	109.0	108.7	-	-.3	2.4	3.5	-.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	106.1	105.9	6.8	-.2	3.0	2.9	-.5
Automobile maintenance and repair	151.4	151.9	3.1	.3	.2	.5	.1
Body work ¹	154.8	155.0	3.5	.1	.5	.3	.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	160.0	160.4	4.2	.3	.1	.5	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	140.5	140.6	1.2	.1	-.1	.5	.1
Power plant repair ¹	154.1	155.2	3.5	.7	.4	.3	.7
Other private transportation	157.8	158.0	3.9	.1	.1	.3	.6
Other private transportation commodities	102.6	102.4	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.3
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	119.9	121.4	2.4	1.3	.3	.3	1.3
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.4	100.1	-.4	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.3
Tires ¹	99.2	99.3	.4	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.1	105.3	-1.1	-.8	-.3	-.2	-.8
Other private transportation services	171.5	171.8	4.6	.2	.2	.4	.6
Automobile insurance	222.8	223.1	3.1	.1	.1	.1	.5
Automobile finance charges	84.9	85.9	13.5	1.2	1.5	.7	1.9
Automobile fees ¹	174.0	172.6	2.3	-.8	.3	.6	-.8
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	178.1	178.0	.8	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Other automobile-related fees ¹	169.6	166.4	4.5	-1.9	.6	1.4	-1.9
Public transportation	168.7	167.6	2.3	-.7	1.0	1.3	-.5
Airline fares	185.6	183.7	3.2	-1.0	1.6	2.2	-.8
Other intercity transportation	155.1	154.0	1.3	-.7	-.5	.5	-.5
Intracity public transportation ¹	152.7	152.7	1.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Medical care	211.5	212.0	4.5	.2	.4	.4	.3
Medical care commodities	199.5	199.3	2.5	-.1	.2	.4	-.1
Prescription drugs	230.8	231.1	3.2	.1	.0	.3	.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	138.8	138.2	1.3	-.4	.8	.4	-.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	165.5	164.3	.4	-.7	.3	.6	-.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	164.9	165.7	4.0	.5	2.4	.3	.7
Medical care services	214.2	214.9	5.0	.3	.4	.4	.4
Professional medical services	194.4	194.9	4.3	.3	.4	.3	.4
Physicians' services	201.2	201.7	4.2	.2	.3	.1	.4
Dental services ¹	198.1	198.8	5.0	.4	.5	.3	.4
Eye care ^{1 4}	133.9	134.3	2.6	.3	.5	1.1	.3
Services by other medical professionals ⁴	143.5	143.8	4.7	.2	-.1	.3	.3
Hospital and related services	244.4	245.2	5.8	.3	.4	.3	.7
Hospital rooms	235.6	236.0	5.7	.2	.6	.3	.5
Other inpatient services ⁴	197.6	198.5	5.8	.5	.3	.2	.8
Outpatient services ⁴	197.0	197.5	6.0	.3	.5	.8	.7

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Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sept. 1994 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.
Expenditure category							
Entertainment	148.3	148.6	2.6	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0
Entertainment commodities	135.9	136.0	2.2	.1	.1	.1	.3
Reading materials	162.7	164.4	4.2	1.0	.6	.3	1.1
Newspapers ¹	169.5	171.0	4.6	.9	.8	-.2	.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	156.1	158.1	3.7	1.3	.3	.5	1.3
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	124.6	123.0	.2	-1.3	.2	-.2	-1.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	125.9	124.3	-.3	-1.3	.4	-.3	-1.3
Other sporting goods ¹	119.9	118.5	1.1	-1.2	.0	-.2	-1.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.0	128.3	2.0	.2	.1	.0	.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	125.0	124.7	2.1	-.2	.3	.1	-.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	133.5	134.2	-.9	.5	-.1	.2	.1
Pet supplies and expense ¹	130.7	131.5	2.7	.6	-.1	-.2	.6
Entertainment services	166.5	167.0	3.2	.3	.2	.0	-.3
Club memberships ⁴	133.2	133.3	2.3	.1	.1	-.5	.3
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ⁴	149.3	150.4	1.3	.7	-.9	-.3	-.9
Admissions ¹	176.0	176.1	4.9	.1	.9	.2	.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	151.1	152.4	5.6	.9	.6	.9	.1
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	129.9	130.2	2.2	.2	.5	.0	.2
Other goods and services	197.5	198.9	4.2	.7	.4	.4	.1
Tobacco and smoking products	222.1	221.1	2.9	-.5	.5	.6	.0
Personal care ¹	145.2	145.4	2.0	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	142.6	142.6	1.7	.0	.1	.1	.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	147.0	146.2	2.6	-.5	-.5	.1	-.5
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	140.0	140.6	1.2	.4	.6	.0	.4
Personal care services ¹	148.2	148.6	2.3	.3	-.5	.0	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	148.1	148.4	2.3	.2	-.6	.0	.2
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	148.2	148.7	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses	220.2	223.6	5.7	1.5	.5	.3	.2
School books and supplies	207.5	209.8	4.3	1.1	.4	.2	-.3
Personal and educational services	221.5	225.0	5.8	1.6	.5	.3	.2
Tuition and other school fees	235.5	240.9	5.9	2.3	.5	.5	-.4
College tuition	247.7	254.8	6.5	2.9	.5	.4	-.2
Elementary and high school tuition	242.8	248.5	5.7	2.3	.7	.1	-.4
Day care and nursery school ^{1 7}	120.3	121.7	5.2	1.2	.3	.5	1.2
Personal expenses ¹	196.2	196.7	5.7	.3	.2	.3	.3
Legal service fees ^{1 4}	145.9	146.0	2.8	.1	.2	.0	.1
Personal financial services ^{1 4}	165.8	165.8	11.2	.0	.1	.3	.0
Funeral expenses ⁴	147.1	148.0	5.0	.6	.4	.6	.8
Special indexes							
Domestically produced farm food ¹	144.7	144.9	2.2	.1	.3	-.1	.1
Selected beef cuts ¹	129.8	130.7	-1.1	.7	-1.4	.5	.7
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	104.5	104.0	7.9	-.5	3.7	3.0	-.9
Utilities and public transportation	136.7	136.5	.4	-.1	.0	.3	-.4
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	142.2	142.8	1.7	.4	.1	.2	.4

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.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1990 = 100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993 = 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 (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Food and beverages	145.3	145.7	4.0	-0.3	2.3	4.8	1.8	3.5
Food	144.8	145.2	4.0	.0	2.3	5.1	2.0	3.7
Food at home	144.6	145.1	5.5	-1.4	2.9	6.9	2.0	4.9
Cereals and bakery products	163.9	164.6	4.4	3.3	6.1	4.5	3.8	5.3
Cereals and cereal products	165.7	164.8	6.0	7.5	4.5	.7	6.7	2.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	134.2	134.9	4.0	4.9	1.8	1.2	4.5	1.5
Cereal ¹	192.6	190.9	4.6	6.6	3.6	.2	5.6	1.9
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	141.6	140.6	5.7	22.7	5.9	.0	13.8	2.9
Bakery products ¹	163.1	164.1	3.1	1.0	8.6	5.5	2.0	7.1
White bread ¹	158.1	162.3	8.1	1.5	4.4	10.8	4.8	7.5
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	162.8	163.4	.3	3.4	12.8	3.8	1.8	8.2
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	165.3	164.4	8.3	.2	1.7	2.7	4.2	2.2
Other bakery products	165.7	166.1	.0	-5	11.2	5.7	-3	8.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.6	136.9	4.5	1.8	-3	-1.4	3.1	-9
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.0	138.4	5.1	.9	-6	-9	2.9	-7
Meats	134.5	134.6	3.9	1.5	-4.3	-2.1	2.7	-3.2
Beef and veal ¹	134.9	135.2	2.4	1.2	-5.4	-2.9	1.8	-4.2
Ground beef other than canned	118.6	120.3	3.6	-5.7	-6.7	1.0	-1.1	-2.9
Chuck roast ¹	142.5	140.0	8.5	3.7	-16.5	4.7	6.1	-6.5
Round roast ¹	127.1	131.3	-4.8	10.9	-7.6	1.2	2.8	-3.3
Round steak ¹	130.6	133.7	-1.2	3.0	-6.1	4.6	.9	-9
Sirloin steak	137.6	139.8	10.4	-15.7	-4.3	11.3	-3.5	3.2
Other beef and veal ¹	153.4	152.5	.0	1.3	-5	-5.8	.6	-3.2
Pork	133.0	133.1	5.2	4.5	-5.7	-3.2	4.9	-4.5
Bacon ¹	118.2	118.0	7.5	7.0	-3.3	-3	7.3	-1.8
Chops	141.8	141.4	6.4	-1.3	-16.7	.3	2.5	-8.6
Ham	140.4	139.6	-4.5	10.0	10.4	-10.9	2.5	-9
Other pork, including sausage	130.1	131.5	4.1	6.2	-8.4	2.8	5.1	-3.0
Other meats ¹	136.8	136.0	6.4	-1.5	.6	.6	2.4	.6
Poultry ¹	141.5	143.1	8.7	-2.8	11.3	-1.1	2.8	4.9
Fresh whole chicken ¹	141.5	141.6	9.3	-7.7	12.4	-2.8	.4	4.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	143.7	147.1	16.2	-4.6	10.0	-2.9	5.3	3.3
Other poultry	138.2	138.3	3.1	2.7	11.6	4.2	2.9	7.8
Fish and seafood	165.6	166.7	7.6	1.5	10.1	6.7	4.5	8.4
Canned fish and seafood ¹	124.1	124.7	1.0	-2.3	5.0	3.6	-.7	4.3
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	187.2	188.2	9.2	1.3	12.6	7.3	5.2	9.9
Eggs	114.5	112.8	-7.3	22.3	2.8	-13.0	6.5	-5.4
Dairy products	131.4	130.7	.0	7.3	5.3	-7.0	3.6	-1.1
Fresh milk and cream	131.6	130.1	1.6	8.3	6.8	-11.9	4.9	-3.0
Fresh whole milk	130.4	128.6	1.3	7.7	6.9	-13.1	4.4	-3.6
Other fresh milk and cream	133.4	132.4	3.7	6.9	4.9	-8.6	5.3	-2.1
Processed dairy products ¹	131.8	131.9	-.9	6.3	.0	1.8	2.6	.9
Cheese ¹	136.3	136.4	-.9	8.0	-2.9	2.4	3.5	-.3
Ice cream and related products ¹	134.7	135.5	1.5	6.6	5.8	.9	4.0	3.3
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	113.1	112.3	-4.9	1.8	.0	2.9	-1.6	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	166.5	167.4	16.9	-18.2	5.4	15.7	-2.2	10.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables	190.3	191.7	21.2	-25.5	6.9	24.4	-5.0	15.3
Fresh fruits	205.8	205.3	24.9	-20.9	-5.5	33.2	-.6	12.2
Apples	169.0	168.4	13.4	-5.2	-11.2	-10.4	3.7	-10.8
Bananas	155.2	146.7	49.9	-10.4	-10.9	49.8	15.9	15.5
Oranges, including tangerines	195.1	194.6	-38.6	-34.5	18.2	15.0	-36.6	16.6
Other fresh fruits	239.3	241.3	56.6	-22.8	-8.7	53.7	10.0	18.5
Fresh vegetables	172.2	175.3	17.6	-30.8	23.2	15.2	-9.8	19.1
Potatoes	175.2	169.0	58.3	25.4	-31.8	1.2	40.9	-16.9
Lettuce ¹	156.1	177.7	-37.8	20.4	-26.6	114.7	-13.5	25.5
Tomatoes ¹	157.1	152.5	105.2	-68.1	72.3	-31.3	-19.2	8.8
Other fresh vegetables	169.2	179.8	25.0	-36.6	19.1	29.3	-11.0	24.1
Processed fruits and vegetables	134.2	134.5	7.8	-.6	2.1	.0	3.5	1.0
Processed fruits	131.2	131.7	7.8	-5.3	-.9	-1.2	1.1	-1.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	130.0	131.0	9.5	-7.5	-1.2	-.9	.6	-1.1
Canned and dried fruits	134.2	132.0	4.6	2.1	1.2	-5.6	3.4	-2.2
Processed vegetables ¹	138.8	138.0	5.6	10.0	4.5	1.2	7.8	2.8
Frozen vegetables ¹	140.1	140.3	1.5	10.4	4.1	.0	5.9	2.0
Processed vegetables excluding frozen ¹	138.9	137.6	7.9	10.0	4.5	1.8	9.0	3.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Other food at home	138.2	139.2	3.4	0.3	2.5	21.4	1.8	11.5
Sugar and sweets	134.7	135.4	2.4	3.6	-1.8	2.7	3.0	.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	123.7	125.0	.3	1.6	.7	6.0	1.0	3.3
Sweets, including candy ¹	139.7	139.6	2.3	5.3	-1.4	.0	3.8	-.7
Fats and oils	133.9	134.3	.9	6.0	3.7	2.1	3.4	2.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	130.9	132.0	5.3	-4.1	2.4	67.1	.5	30.8
Carbonated drinks	116.3	117.4	6.0	-5.0	-7	4.9	.3	2.1
Coffee ¹	172.1	171.9	3.3	2.9	14.4	397.5	3.1	138.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	132.3	133.5	1.5	-.3	2.8	1.8	.6	2.3
Other prepared food	147.8	148.7	2.8	1.4	3.3	5.0	2.1	4.2
Canned and packaged soup	171.4	171.9	.7	11.4	3.6	2.8	5.9	3.2
Frozen prepared food ¹	140.0	138.8	5.7	-1.7	3.9	1.7	1.9	2.8
Snacks ¹	138.7	140.3	.3	1.5	3.9	7.5	.9	5.6
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	152.1	152.4	4.4	.5	4.6	4.3	2.5	4.5
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	149.8	150.4	4.7	3.8	-.8	3.8	4.3	1.5
Food away from home	145.8	146.1	1.7	2.0	1.4	2.2	1.8	1.8
Lunch ¹	146.3	146.6	1.1	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.4	1.9
Dinner ¹	144.1	144.5	1.7	1.4	2.3	2.0	1.6	2.1
Other meals and snacks ¹	147.8	148.0	1.1	1.4	1.6	2.2	1.2	1.9
Alcoholic beverages	150.6	150.8	3.8	-.8	1.1	-.5	1.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages at home	142.1	142.0	2.6	-1.7	.6	-1.7	.4	-.6
Beer and ale	143.4	143.2	4.0	-3.3	1.4	-1.1	.3	.1
Wine ¹	131.2	131.2	-3.3	5.0	-4.1	-1.8	.8	-3.0
Distilled spirits ¹	143.7	144.0	-1.9	2.8	1.4	-.8	.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	170.6	171.1	2.6	2.1	1.9	1.4	2.4	1.7
Housing	142.3	142.5	2.6	3.5	1.1	2.6	3.0	1.8
Shelter	156.7	157.2	3.2	4.2	1.8	3.9	3.7	2.9
Renters' costs ²	148.7	148.6	3.6	3.3	2.2	1.4	3.5	1.8
Rent, residential	154.2	154.5	2.4	4.0	.8	3.2	3.2	2.0
Other renters' costs	197.8	195.7	8.2	.8	8.3	-5.9	4.5	.9
Lodging while out of town	197.0	194.3	8.0	1.2	7.6	-6.3	4.6	.4
Lodging while at school ³	199.1	197.7	4.3	10.0	5.0	-1.2	7.1	1.8
Tenants' insurance ¹	145.7	146.2	.0	2.6	4.6	7.1	1.3	5.9
Homeowners' costs ²	151.5	152.2	3.3	4.7	1.3	5.2	4.0	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	151.7	152.4	3.3	4.7	1.3	5.1	4.0	3.2
Household insurance ^{1,2}	141.4	141.7	.9	2.7	5.3	7.7	1.8	6.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹	131.3	131.8	-10.5	5.4	6.7	.9	-2.9	3.7
Maintenance and repair services	139.1	139.4	-19.3	3.9	11.7	.9	-8.4	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	120.9	121.6	2.0	6.9	1.3	.7	4.4	1.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1,4}	115.9	116.7	5.7	2.1	-4.7	3.9	3.9	-.5
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	118.3	118.9	-1.4	11.3	5.9	-1.3	4.8	2.2
Fuel and other utilities	122.7	122.2	-.3	3.3	-1.9	-.7	1.5	-1.3
Fuels	110.5	109.9	-2.1	3.3	-4.2	-.7	.5	-2.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.2	88.8	-11.1	19.6	-11.3	.9	3.1	-5.4
Fuel oil	86.9	86.0	-12.3	23.7	-13.2	.9	4.2	-6.4
Other household fuel commodities ^{1,4}	115.7	116.0	.7	12.8	-12.8	-4.4	6.6	-8.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.2	117.6	-1.3	1.7	-3.3	-.7	.2	-2.0
Electricity	126.9	126.3	-1.3	-3.7	1.3	1.3	-2.5	1.3
Utility (piped) gas	107.7	106.8	-2.2	14.4	-12.3	-5.4	5.8	-8.9
Other utilities and public services ¹	151.1	150.9	2.2	3.0	1.1	-.5	2.6	.3
Telephone services ¹	123.2	123.2	2.3	2.6	.3	.0	2.5	.2
Local charges ¹	156.7	156.5	1.3	-1.0	.8	-.8	.1	.0
Interstate toll calls ¹	75.6	75.7	8.2	22.9	-1.6	2.1	15.3	.3
Intrastate toll calls ¹	90.4	90.4	.9	-3.9	.4	.4	-1.5	.4
Water and sewerage maintenance	188.6	189.2	5.4	7.2	5.0	1.1	6.3	3.0
Cable television ^{1,5}	196.7	194.7	-1.0	.0	-2.9	-10.5	-.5	-6.8
Refuse collection ⁵	233.6	234.0	5.5	2.0	7.2	4.6	3.7	5.9

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Household furnishings and operation	120.2	120.0	3.1	10.3	3.1	0.3	1.4	1.7
Housefurnishings	110.3	109.9	4.1	-2.5	4.9	-.7	.7	2.0
Textile housefurnishings	124.6	125.2	8.7	-10.9	6.0	1.3	-1.6	3.6
Furniture and bedding ¹	127.0	125.9	6.4	1.0	9.7	-3.7	3.6	2.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	135.2	131.0	13.2	-7.8	11.0	-12.4	2.2	-1.4
Sofas ¹	122.8	124.3	.3	9.6	10.5	7.8	4.9	9.1
Living room chairs and tables ¹	131.1	131.4	7.3	4.9	6.4	7.0	6.1	6.7
Other furniture ¹	118.1	118.4	1.0	5.6	9.2	-5.2	3.3	1.7
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	83.6	83.8	.0	.0	-1.9	-.9	.0	-1.4
Video and audio products ¹	75.7	75.9	.5	.0	-5.1	-1.0	.3	-3.1
Televisions ¹	68.1	68.8	2.9	5.9	-5.6	-3.4	4.4	-4.5
Video products other than televisions ^{1 6}	74.6	74.1	-3.0	-11.7	-10.6	2.7	-7.5	-4.2
Audio products ¹	93.7	93.7	-1.3	1.7	-3.3	-.4	.2	-1.9
Major household appliances ^{1 4}	102.5	103.0	2.4	2.0	4.4	1.2	2.2	2.8
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.2	109.8	3.8	5.8	1.1	5.7	4.8	3.4
Laundry equipment ¹	108.3	109.2	1.5	.4	6.5	1.9	.9	4.2
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 4}	96.5	95.8	2.1	.4	5.1	-3.3	1.3	.8
Information processing equipment ^{1 6}	71.3	69.9	-11.5	-8.9	-3.3	-10.7	-10.2	-7.0
Other housefurnishings ^{1 4}	113.5	113.3	3.6	.4	4.3	-1.4	2.0	1.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	133.8	133.5	8.5	-9.6	25.7	.6	-.9	12.4
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	115.5	115.5	-9.5	8.6	-9.2	3.2	-.8	-3.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	125.7	124.0	7.1	-1.3	8.0	-5.6	2.8	1.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	106.3	106.6	13.4	-.7	.4	.4	6.1	.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 4}	93.9	92.6	-8.1	3.5	5.6	-12.0	-2.5	-3.6
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 7}	111.8	113.4	6.8	3.7	1.1	6.2	5.2	3.6
Housekeeping supplies	132.6	133.0	2.5	4.3	-2.1	1.8	3.4	-.2
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	137.7	138.3	.6	3.3	.0	.9	1.9	.4
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	128.4	128.7	10.9	.0	-2.1	-1.2	5.3	-1.7
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	130.0	130.2	-.6	1.3	5.1	2.5	.3	3.8
Housekeeping services	141.2	141.2	1.7	2.0	.9	3.5	1.9	2.2
Postage ¹	145.7	145.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	145.4	145.5	1.1	2.8	1.1	.8	2.0	1.0
Gardening and other household services ^{1 4}	128.8	128.7	.6	1.6	1.3	2.5	1.1	1.9
Apparel and upkeep	132.1	131.9	.6	1.2	2.7	-5.0	.9	-1.2
Apparel commodities	129.3	129.1	.3	1.2	2.8	-5.7	.8	-1.5
Apparel commodities less footwear	129.5	129.6	.0	1.2	2.8	-5.1	.6	-1.2
Men's and boys'	127.0	127.6	-.3	-8.5	5.9	5.5	-4.5	5.7
Men's	130.2	131.1	3.4	-7.2	1.9	8.3	-2.0	5.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	139.0	139.6	8.6	-9.0	4.1	-.6	-.6	1.7
Furnishings and special clothing	123.2	125.7	4.1	-17.3	3.2	39.3	-7.2	19.9
Shirts	134.3	133.8	-6.1	-3.3	-.6	6.2	-4.7	2.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	129.3	128.0	3.5	-1.3	3.2	.3	1.1	1.7
Boys'	115.8	114.6	-3.7	-8.9	12.1	-8.9	-6.3	1.1
Women's and girls'	127.6	127.5	2.8	3.4	4.0	-14.5	3.1	-5.7
Women's	127.5	127.3	4.7	2.2	4.0	-14.0	3.4	-5.4
Coats and jackets	118.6	119.7	22.0	-19.6	5.5	-3.6	-1.0	.8
Dresses	131.1	125.5	9.8	-4.7	11.7	-26.8	2.3	-9.6
Separates and sportswear	131.7	132.5	6.5	7.0	2.4	-12.8	6.8	-5.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	127.0	126.6	-3.7	1.9	-.6	1.3	-.9	.3
Suits	127.0	132.4	-11.8	7.3	12.6	-35.1	-2.7	-14.5
Girls'	128.0	128.1	-7.1	11.3	3.7	-17.0	1.7	-7.2
Infants' and toddlers'	130.4	131.0	.0	-1.2	5.1	7.0	-.6	6.1
Other apparel commodities	151.6	150.8	-10.0	18.8	-9.4	7.2	3.4	-1.4
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 4}	123.2	122.4	-6.7	10.3	-8.4	4.0	1.5	-2.4
Watches and jewelry ^{1 4}	153.2	153.1	-26.3	45.6	-10.0	8.8	3.6	-1.0
Watches ^{1 4}	126.5	125.0	-12.7	19.1	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.8
Jewelry ^{1 4}	160.8	161.2	-29.0	52.2	-12.4	10.6	3.9	-1.6
Footwear	126.9	125.5	1.6	1.6	2.2	-8.4	1.6	-3.3
Men's	133.2	131.9	2.4	.9	-.9	-7.8	1.7	-4.4
Boys' and girls'	127.6	128.5	-7.5	18.6	8.1	-3.6	4.7	2.1
Women's	120.4	117.9	4.0	-5.4	2.3	-11.9	-.8	-5.1
Apparel services ¹	155.4	155.9	4.0	.8	3.4	2.3	2.4	2.9
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	157.1	157.4	2.9	1.0	4.2	1.5	2.0	2.9
Other apparel services ¹	154.6	155.3	4.9	.5	2.9	3.2	2.7	3.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Transportation	135.2	135.5	3.1	3.1	3.1	9.7	3.1	6.3
Private	133.3	133.5	2.9	3.2	3.8	9.5	3.0	6.6
New vehicles	139.7	140.3	1.2	4.2	5.7	5.3	2.7	5.5
New cars	136.8	137.3	1.5	4.0	4.5	4.8	2.7	4.7
Subcompact new cars ⁴	119.1	119.8	3.9	1.7	6.3	5.5	2.8	5.9
Compact new cars ⁴	116.2	116.5	2.2	5.4	4.3	4.6	3.8	4.4
Intermediate new cars ⁴	119.0	119.6	.7	2.5	5.3	7.3	1.6	6.3
Full-size new cars ⁴	122.0	122.1	1.4	4.8	2.7	3.0	3.1	2.8
Luxury new cars ⁴	126.9	127.5	-4.1	6.3	3.6	4.2	1.0	3.9
New trucks ⁵	144.9	145.5	-6	5.0	8.8	6.3	2.2	7.6
New motorcycles ^{1 4}	145.5	146.6	10.1	8.3	4.3	11.7	9.2	7.9
Used cars	143.2	144.6	4.1	-6.7	11.2	11.2	-1.4	11.2
Motor fuel	102.4	101.4	5.2	7.3	-4.9	26.0	6.3	9.5
Gasoline	102.3	101.4	3.9	6.9	-4.5	28.7	5.4	10.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	100.2	99.4	4.9	7.6	-5.4	33.9	6.3	12.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 8}	109.0	108.7	-	-8.1	21.6	25.0	-	23.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	104.5	104.0	2.9	5.4	-3.6	23.8	4.1	9.2
Automobile maintenance and repair	151.5	151.7	3.6	2.7	2.4	3.2	3.1	2.8
Body work ¹	154.8	155.0	2.7	4.9	2.9	3.4	3.8	3.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	160.0	160.4	3.4	4.2	5.7	3.6	3.8	4.6
Maintenance and servicing ¹	140.5	140.6	.9	2.3	-6	2.0	1.6	.7
Power plant repair ¹	154.1	155.2	3.5	4.3	.8	5.6	3.9	3.2
Other private transportation	158.5	159.4	1.8	3.7	6.3	3.9	2.8	5.1
Other private transportation commodities	102.7	102.4	-1.2	2.8	1.2	-3.1	.8	-1.0
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	119.9	121.4	-2.7	4.1	1.4	7.2	.7	4.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	100.4	100.1	.8	.4	.0	-2.7	.6	-1.4
Tires ¹	99.2	99.3	.0	2.0	-8	.4	1.0	-.2
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.1	105.3	1.1	-.7	.0	-4.8	.2	-2.4
Other private transportation services	172.4	173.5	2.4	3.9	7.3	5.0	3.2	6.1
Automobile insurance	224.0	225.1	4.8	1.5	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.1
Automobile finance charges	85.9	87.5	-7.1	4.8	44.6	17.7	-1.3	30.5
Automobile fees ¹	174.0	172.6	3.4	12.3	-6.0	.5	7.7	-2.8
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	178.1	178.0	1.8	.9	.2	.2	1.4	.2
Other automobile-related fees ¹	169.6	166.4	5.4	30.8	-14.0	.5	17.4	-7.1
Public transportation	171.1	170.2	8.4	.9	-6.9	7.4	4.6	.0
Airline fares	190.9	189.4	8.3	.4	-7.7	13.0	4.3	2.1
Other intercity transportation	154.5	153.8	-6.4	28.6	-10.8	-2.1	9.7	-6.6
Intracity public transportation ¹	152.7	152.7	2.4	1.1	.3	.5	1.7	.4
Medical care	211.6	212.3	4.4	3.4	5.7	4.5	3.9	5.1
Medical care commodities	199.5	199.3	2.9	1.2	4.3	1.6	2.1	3.0
Prescription drugs	231.1	231.6	3.1	2.9	5.2	1.7	3.0	3.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	138.8	138.2	.3	.0	1.8	3.2	.1	2.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	165.5	164.3	-.7	-.5	2.2	.7	-.6	1.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	165.0	166.2	3.3	-.5	-.7	14.7	1.4	6.7
Medical care services	214.2	215.1	4.8	3.9	6.1	5.0	4.3	5.5
Professional medical services	194.2	194.9	4.1	3.4	5.4	4.2	3.8	4.8
Physicians' services	201.0	201.9	4.2	3.7	5.4	3.6	4.0	4.5
Dental services ¹	198.1	198.8	3.2	6.7	5.5	4.6	4.9	5.0
Eye care ^{1 4}	133.9	134.3	-1.2	4.0	.0	7.8	1.4	3.8
Services by other medical professionals ⁴	143.5	143.9	3.2	5.6	7.9	2.0	4.4	4.9
Hospital and related services	244.2	245.9	6.0	4.1	7.2	5.7	5.1	6.5
Hospital rooms	235.6	236.7	5.8	2.8	8.5	5.6	4.3	7.0
Other inpatient services ⁴	197.4	198.9	6.8	4.9	6.6	4.8	5.8	5.7
Outpatient services ⁴	197.0	198.3	6.1	3.8	6.0	8.0	5.0	7.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Dec. 1993	Mar. 1994	June 1994	Sept. 1994	Mar. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category								
Entertainment	148.5	148.5	4.8	3.9	1.4	0.8	4.3	1.1
Entertainment commodities	135.9	136.3	2.7	1.2	3.0	2.1	2.0	2.5
Reading materials	163.0	164.8	3.6	-3	5.4	8.4	1.7	6.9
Newspapers ¹	169.5	171.0	3.2	2.7	6.4	6.1	3.0	6.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	156.1	158.1	2.7	2.1	1.6	8.8	2.4	5.1
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	124.6	123.0	-3	3.0	3.6	-5.0	1.3	-8
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	125.9	124.3	.6	2.6	.3	-4.7	1.6	-2.2
Other sporting goods ¹	119.9	118.5	-1.7	3.8	8.4	-5.5	1.0	1.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.0	128.3	3.5	2.5	.6	1.3	3.0	.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	125.0	124.7	3.7	4.6	-3	.6	4.1	.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	133.4	133.6	9.2	-9.0	-4.1	1.2	-3	-1.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	130.7	131.5	3.8	2.5	3.1	1.2	3.1	2.2
Entertainment services	166.8	166.3	7.1	6.2	.0	-5	6.7	-2
Club memberships ⁴	133.2	133.6	7.9	-1.2	3.0	-3	3.2	1.4
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ⁴	150.9	149.5	12.8	9.8	-7.5	-8.1	11.3	-7.8
Admissions ¹	176.0	176.1	5.1	8.5	1.4	4.9	6.8	3.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	152.3	152.4	4.5	9.7	1.9	6.6	7.1	4.2
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	129.9	130.2	.6	3.5	1.9	2.8	2.1	2.3
Other goods and services	198.3	198.5	4.3	2.9	6.6	3.3	3.6	4.9
Tobacco and smoking products	222.3	222.3	1.3	.6	6.0	4.2	.9	5.1
Personal care ¹	145.2	145.4	2.0	.0	6.0	.3	1.0	3.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	142.6	142.6	1.4	-1.1	5.8	.8	.1	3.3
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	147.0	146.2	6.3	-1.4	9.8	-3.7	2.4	2.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	140.0	140.6	-2.0	-6	3.2	4.1	-1.3	3.7
Personal care services ¹	148.2	148.6	2.8	1.4	6.4	-1.1	2.1	2.6
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	148.1	148.4	3.1	1.1	7.0	-1.6	2.1	2.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	148.2	148.7	1.7	3.6	3.0	1.9	2.6	2.5
Personal and educational expenses	221.0	221.4	6.9	5.2	7.2	3.9	6.0	5.6
School books and supplies	209.0	208.3	6.1	5.6	4.6	1.2	5.9	2.8
Personal and educational services	222.2	222.6	6.8	5.1	7.4	4.1	6.0	5.7
Tuition and other school fees	237.1	236.2	7.4	6.7	7.5	2.4	7.0	4.9
College tuition	249.5	249.1	7.2	6.5	9.1	3.3	6.9	6.1
Elementary and high school tuition	243.5	242.5	6.4	7.2	8.0	1.7	6.8	4.8
Day care and nursery school ^{1 7}	120.3	121.7	3.5	4.5	4.5	8.3	4.0	6.4
Personal expenses ¹	196.2	196.7	6.2	5.2	8.4	3.1	5.7	5.7
Legal service fees ^{1 4}	145.9	146.0	5.8	2.8	1.7	1.1	4.3	1.4
Personal financial services ^{1 4}	165.8	165.8	11.8	5.9	27.4	1.5	8.8	13.7
Funeral expenses ⁴	147.1	148.3	4.0	4.3	3.9	7.6	4.1	5.8
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food ¹	144.7	144.9	6.1	.6	.8	1.4	3.3	1.1
Selected beef cuts ¹	129.8	130.7	3.4	1.2	-7.6	-1.2	2.3	-4.4
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	102.7	101.8	5.2	7.3	-4.8	25.9	6.2	9.5
Utilities and public transportation	135.5	135.0	1.5	1.8	-1.5	-3	1.6	-9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	142.2	142.8	-9	2.3	2.3	3.1	.7	2.7

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.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 10. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Sept. 1994 from—			Percent change to Aug. 1994 from—		
		June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Aug. 1993	June 1994	July 1994
U.S. city average	M	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	3.0	0.7	0.3	2.9	0.7	0.4
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	154.8	155.2	155.9	156.1	2.8	.6	.1	2.8	.7	.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	155.4	155.7	156.6	156.7	2.7	.6	.1	2.7	.8	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	153.5	154.3	154.8	154.8	3.1	.3	.0	3.0	.8	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	153.2	152.9	153.8	154.4	2.9	1.0	.4	2.7	.4	.6
North Central urban	M	144.0	144.3	145.2	145.6	3.3	.9	.3	3.4	.8	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	145.1	145.4	146.3	146.7	3.0	.9	.3	3.2	.8	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	143.0	143.6	144.4	144.0	3.3	.3	-.3	3.8	1.0	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	144.7	145.0	145.9	146.8	4.0	1.2	.6	3.4	.8	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	139.8	140.2	140.8	141.5	3.8	.9	.5	4.1	.7	.4
South urban	M	144.7	145.0	145.5	145.8	3.0	.6	.2	2.8	.6	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	145.3	145.3	145.7	145.9	2.8	.4	.1	2.6	.3	.3
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	146.6	147.1	147.9	148.3	3.3	.8	.3	3.4	.9	.5
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	143.5	143.8	144.3	144.7	2.6	.6	.3	2.6	.6	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	142.5	142.7	142.9	143.3	3.0	.4	.3	2.5	.3	.1
West urban	M	148.9	149.5	150.1	150.6	2.7	.7	.3	2.7	.8	.4
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	150.4	150.9	151.3	151.7	2.4	.5	.3	2.4	.6	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	148.6	150.0	151.1	152.2	4.5	1.5	.7	4.0	1.7	.7
Size classes											
A ³	M	134.3	134.6	135.2	135.4	2.7	.6	.1	2.7	.7	.4
B	M	147.5	148.1	148.8	149.0	3.3	.6	.1	3.3	.9	.5
C	M	146.4	146.8	147.5	148.2	3.3	1.0	.5	3.0	.8	.5
D	M	143.4	143.8	144.0	144.7	3.3	.6	.5	2.9	.4	.1
Selected local areas ⁴											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	148.1	148.3	149.8	150.2	2.4	1.3	.3	2.5	1.1	1.0
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	151.3	151.7	152.0	152.7	1.7	.7	.5	1.4	.5	.2
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	157.8	158.2	159.1	159.0	2.4	.5	-.1	2.4	.8	.6
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	154.6	155.3	155.7	156.2	3.4	.6	.3	3.4	.7	.3
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	148.1	148.9	149.4	149.4	2.0	.3	.0	2.2	.9	.3
Baltimore, MD	1	-	148.2	-	148.6	3.5	.3	-	-	-	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	-	153.9	-	155.7	2.4	1.2	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	-	143.7	-	146.3	3.2	1.8	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	-	143.4	-	144.5	3.8	.8	-	-	-	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	-	141.9	-	143.4	3.6	1.1	-	-	-	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	-	151.8	-	153.7	2.7	1.3	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	141.4	-	142.2	-	-	-	-	3.0	.6	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	144.8	-	145.3	-	-	-	-	3.9	.3	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	137.4	-	139.2	-	-	-	-	4.7	1.3	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	144.0	-	145.7	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.2	-

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 defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁴ In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Atlanta, GA; Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder, CO; Honolulu, HI;

Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA; San Diego, CA; and Seattle-Tacoma, WA.

The following metropolitan areas are published annually and appear in tables 16A and 23A of the January issue of the CPI Detailed Report: New Orleans, LA and Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

- 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 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	156.1	2.8	0.1	145.6	3.3	0.3	145.8	3.0	0.2	150.6	2.7	0.3
All items (December 1977 = 100)	245.8	-	-	236.9	-	-	236.5	-	-	243.5	-	-
Food and beverages	149.9	2.7	.2	142.4	2.2	.1	143.6	3.0	.1	146.3	2.5	.3
Food	149.4	3.0	.2	141.6	2.3	.1	143.4	3.2	.1	145.5	2.8	.3
Food at home	150.6	3.7	.1	141.2	2.4	.1	141.4	4.3	.1	147.0	3.5	.3
Cereals and bakery products	171.0	4.9	.2	163.9	3.8	.2	159.3	5.8	.3	165.0	3.1	-.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	143.5	1.2	.0	135.5	-.1	-.1	132.4	2.2	1.1	137.7	.5	-.6
Dairy products	127.6	.9	.0	131.5	1.0	-.5	129.0	1.6	-.2	138.3	1.9	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	168.5	3.8	-.1	150.6	1.6	.5	164.0	3.9	-.2	168.7	6.2	3.3
Other food at home	148.4	8.2	.3	135.7	5.9	.4	135.9	7.6	.7	138.6	6.0	.1
Sugar and sweets	142.2	2.2	-.3	134.5	2.8	.4	131.4	2.6	.9	135.4	-.1	-.3
Fats and oils	144.1	4.7	.1	130.6	3.1	.8	130.3	3.7	-.1	133.2	1.2	-.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	143.0	15.5	.3	128.1	15.4	.5	127.1	15.9	1.2	130.3	17.5	.3
Other prepared food	157.3	5.1	.4	144.1	1.1	.1	147.2	4.4	.3	148.6	2.3	.3
Food away from home	149.4	1.6	.4	142.8	2.1	.3	148.1	1.5	.1	143.7	1.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages	156.1	1.3	.3	151.0	1.5	.0	145.4	.9	.0	153.7	.3	.1
Housing	157.3	2.7	-.4	140.2	2.1	.0	137.5	2.3	.0	149.1	2.5	.2
Shelter	182.0	3.1	-.5	156.7	3.8	-.1	145.6	3.3	.0	161.5	2.8	.4
Renters' costs ²	186.7	1.9	-.3	160.2	3.0	-.1	155.1	3.2	-.1	172.2	2.4	.2
Rent, residential	167.0	2.5	.3	150.0	2.9	.4	143.1	3.2	.4	157.1	2.1	.3
Other renters' costs	219.1	.7	-.1	171.2	3.1	-.5	182.3	3.2	-.5	201.7	3.1	-.3
Homeowners' costs ²	190.2	3.8	.7	160.7	4.1	.4	147.6	3.4	.6	170.8	3.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	191.2	3.7	.7	161.0	4.1	.4	147.0	3.2	.6	171.0	3.1	.5
Maintenance and repairs	133.1	-	-.6	133.8	6.1	1.2	126.9	2.3	.2	130.3	2.3	.8
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	145.2	6.1	1.3	125.6	1.7	.7	134.1	4.5	1.0
Maintenance and repair commodities	125.3	1.9	.4	123.3	6.1	1.1	128.6	3.2	-.7	126.6	-.1	.4
Fuel and other utilities	119.0	1.8	.1	119.0	-.2	-.3	130.1	.0	-.3	133.0	2.1	.1
Fuels	110.6	2.1	.2	106.2	-.8	.0	118.5	-.1	-.6	128.1	2.4	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	84.2	-.1	.0	83.5	-.7	.0	94.5	-.1	.0	96.4	-.8	1.4
Fuel oil	83.2	-.1	.0	80.3	-.2	-.4	83.2	-.2	.0	103.2	.1	2.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	110.2	-.2	-.1	113.5	-.1	.5	124.3	-.9	.1	110.8	-.1	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.8	3.0	.2	111.8	-.5	.0	122.2	-.1	-.7	131.4	2.4	.1
Electricity	138.9	1.5	.4	126.2	-.2	-.2	125.6	-.1	-.6	145.4	2.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas	110.4	6.4	.0	98.1	-.8	.3	110.9	-.1	-.8	115.8	2.8	.1
Other utilities and public services	152.4	1.1	-.1	149.4	1.0	-.5	153.1	2.0	.0	145.8	1.6	.0
Household furnishings and operation	122.4	1.2	-.2	119.7	1.3	.4	122.9	1.8	.2	120.7	1.6	-.7
Housefurnishings	109.5	1.0	-.7	109.1	1.2	.5	115.1	1.2	.3	110.7	1.9	-.1
Housekeeping supplies	139.3	1.2	.5	134.4	.1	.1	126.4	5.0	-.2	130.8	-.5	.9
Housekeeping services	141.4	1.6	.1	135.5	2.4	.4	142.4	1.2	.4	137.0	1.8	.1
Apparel and upkeep	128.2	-.2	2.2	133.9	1.4	2.9	145.3	-.8	1.8	127.0	1.0	3.3
Apparel commodities	124.6	-.2	2.4	132.3	1.2	3.1	141.9	-.1	1.9	123.5	.8	3.6
Men's and boys' apparel	125.7	1.0	4.8	130.8	1.3	1.0	135.2	-.7	1.1	120.4	.4	2.2
Women's and girls' apparel	119.2	-.4	1.4	134.3	1.4	6.0	147.4	-.7	3.4	120.4	3.0	8.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	145.0	4.0	3.6	133.8	5.4	-.2	124.4	-.5	2.2	118.0	8.6	-.9
Footwear	125.7	-.2	.7	128.2	-.2	1.7	126.1	1.5	.1	118.8	-.9	-.9
Other apparel commodities	152.2	3.5	2.4	137.5	5.0	-.1	162.7	8.5	.1	146.7	-.4	-.1
Apparel services	158.3	.8	.0	144.5	3.4	.5	168.6	3.9	.2	151.3	1.8	.3
Transportation	137.4	4.2	.2	133.8	5.9	-.4	134.3	3.9	.1	138.5	3.9	.0
Private transportation	133.8	5.0	.4	131.0	6.1	-.4	133.1	4.1	.1	134.7	3.9	.3
New vehicles	136.2	5.4	.4	135.8	4.1	.1	141.0	3.7	-.1	135.8	3.0	.1
New cars	135.1	5.4	.4	132.8	3.9	.2	140.5	3.4	-.1	132.9	2.4	.0
Used cars	146.8	4.4	.9	145.3	5.8	1.0	145.8	3.9	1.0	144.5	5.3	1.0
Motor fuel	101.7	7.5	.6	104.0	11.8	-.2	101.3	6.4	.2	108.1	5.7	.3
Gasoline	101.5	7.5	.7	104.1	12.2	-.2	101.3	6.5	.2	108.1	6.1	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.6	8.5	.5	102.9	13.5	-.2	98.0	7.1	.3	106.0	6.6	.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.9	-	.6	115.4	-	-.2	108.2	-	.2	106.0	-	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	104.1	6.2	.8	108.0	10.4	-.2	105.5	6.0	.4	110.2	5.5	.2
Maintenance and repairs	159.2	2.0	.4	141.4	4.4	.1	148.8	3.4	.1	155.7	2.4	.8
Other private transportation	164.8	4.4	.1	155.1	4.4	.1	168.3	3.2	-.1	161.4	3.7	.0
Other private transportation commodities	103.0	1.3	.2	103.3	1.2	.1	102.4	-.1	.2	102.9	.5	-.8
Other private transportation services	176.9	4.7	.1	166.4	4.9	.2	186.4	4.0	-.1	174.9	4.4	.2
Public transportation	166.7	-.1	-.8	180.2	4.0	-.4	157.0	3.0	.3	182.7	3.4	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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—	
		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
	Sept. 1994			Sept. 1994			Sept. 1994			Sept. 1994		
Expenditure category												
Medical care	220.8	4.5	0.2	208.2	5.7	0.4	210.1	4.6	0.3	213.5	3.6	0.0
Medical care commodities	204.1	2.5	-.3	204.2	2.7	.0	197.4	3.0	.3	203.9	2.9	-.1
Medical care services	224.4	5.0	.3	209.3	6.5	.5	213.3	5.0	.4	215.8	3.8	.1
Professional medical services	203.7	3.8	.3	191.0	6.1	.4	194.1	4.2	.3	187.7	2.6	.1
Entertainment	156.5	2.6	.3	149.5	3.3	.1	148.2	3.9	.7	148.8	1.6	.3
Entertainment commodities	138.4	2.4	.2	140.2	3.2	.1	135.0	3.3	.5	134.2	1.3	.8
Entertainment services	176.6	2.8	.5	161.2	3.5	.2	164.9	4.3	.8	165.6	1.8	-.1
Other goods and services	209.9	3.3	.7	199.3	6.1	1.8	193.0	4.7	.4	204.1	3.2	1.2
Tobacco and smoking products	212.8	-1.7	-.2	236.0	9.0	-.1	209.6	1.5	-.9	229.8	1.6	-.6
Personal care	155.0	2.0	-.1	138.8	1.4	.9	139.2	3.0	.0	148.9	.9	-.5
Personal and educational expenses	236.8	5.5	1.2	221.1	6.2	3.1	222.6	6.5	1.1	234.1	4.4	2.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	156.1	2.8	.1	145.6	3.3	.3	145.8	3.0	.2	150.6	2.7	.3
Commodities	135.0	2.2	.4	134.4	3.3	.3	135.1	2.5	.3	134.4	2.4	.4
Food and beverages	149.9	2.7	.2	142.4	2.2	.1	143.6	3.0	.1	146.3	2.5	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	125.0	1.7	.6	129.7	4.0	.5	130.2	2.3	.5	127.0	2.3	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	125.8	.6	1.0	132.7	4.5	.5	132.5	1.9	.7	129.6	2.3	1.3
Apparel commodities	124.6	-2.7	2.4	132.3	1.2	3.1	141.9	-1.3	1.9	123.5	.8	3.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	130.0	2.4	.2	135.3	6.0	-.7	131.2	3.9	.1	135.2	3.0	.3
Durables	124.0	3.6	-.1	124.8	3.4	.4	127.2	2.7	.2	123.6	2.5	-.5
Services	177.5	3.3	-.1	157.8	3.3	.2	157.1	3.2	.1	165.6	3.0	.3
Rent of shelter ²	189.8	3.2	-.5	160.9	3.7	-.1	149.5	3.2	.0	171.6	2.9	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ²	140.6	1.9	.1	130.5	-1.4	-.2	139.1	.6	-.1	143.1	1.9	.0
Transportation services	170.2	2.5	-.1	162.8	4.6	.0	170.7	3.7	.0	172.7	3.7	-.3
Medical care services	224.4	5.0	.3	209.3	6.5	.5	213.3	5.0	.4	215.8	3.8	.1
Other services	199.9	4.3	.9	179.2	4.7	1.8	184.2	5.3	.8	187.5	3.2	1.2
Special indexes												
All items less food	157.4	2.7	.1	146.3	3.5	.3	146.2	2.9	.3	151.6	2.7	.4
All items less shelter	147.9	2.6	.4	142.7	3.2	.4	146.3	2.8	.3	147.5	2.7	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	154.2	2.5	-.1	146.2	3.2	.2	149.5	2.8	.1	153.2	2.7	.4
All items less medical care	152.9	2.7	.1	142.2	3.2	.3	141.6	2.8	.2	147.2	2.7	.5
Commodities less food	126.3	1.7	.6	130.5	3.9	.5	130.7	2.3	.5	128.3	2.2	.5
Nondurables less food	127.5	.6	.9	133.6	4.2	.5	133.0	1.9	.7	131.3	2.1	1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	131.6	2.3	.2	136.0	5.5	-.6	131.5	3.5	.1	136.3	2.6	.2
Nondurables	138.2	1.8	.5	137.7	3.4	.4	138.2	2.5	.4	138.2	2.4	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	179.1	3.2	.3	163.2	3.0	.5	171.2	3.3	.2	176.4	3.1	.3
Services less medical care services	173.5	3.0	-.2	153.0	3.0	.2	151.0	3.0	.1	161.3	2.9	.4
Energy	106.6	4.0	.4	104.7	2.3	-1.1	108.1	1.7	-.2	115.9	4.1	.2
All items less energy	162.8	2.6	.1	151.7	3.5	.5	151.0	3.0	.3	154.9	2.7	.5
All items less food and energy	166.4	2.7	.1	154.1	3.7	.5	152.9	3.0	.3	157.1	2.7	.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	136.8	1.2	.6	138.8	2.9	.9	139.6	1.7	.5	134.9	1.7	.6
Energy commodities	96.4	5.0	.4	103.1	11.3	-2.4	101.0	5.8	.2	108.8	5.5	.3
Services less energy services	182.3	3.2	-.1	163.7	4.1	.2	161.0	3.7	.2	168.3	3.1	.4

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	135.4	2.7	0.1	149.0	3.3	0.1	148.2	3.3	0.5	144.7	3.3	0.5
All items (December 1977 = 100)	135.4	-	-	242.0	-	-	238.3	-	-	233.4	-	-
Food and beverages	131.6	2.7	.2	145.2	2.8	.3	144.0	2.3	-.1	142.0	3.0	.4
Food	131.1	2.8	.2	145.1	3.1	.3	143.4	2.5	-.1	141.5	3.1	.5
Food at home	134.0	3.6	.1	146.6	3.9	.6	141.2	2.9	-.3	139.4	3.4	.6
Cereals and bakery products	148.8	4.9	.0	162.6	3.3	-.1	157.7	4.0	-.3	166.4	4.9	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	127.0	.9	-.2	138.9	3.1	1.2	132.5	.2	.0	130.2	.7	.9
Dairy products	127.0	1.3	-.9	132.5	1.4	.4	125.4	2.2	.6	125.5	.2	-.6
Fruits and vegetables	148.4	5.0	.7	172.6	3.6	1.1	159.8	1.1	-1.6	155.8	2.8	-.4
Other food at home	128.8	6.7	.5	138.8	6.6	-.2	140.0	7.2	-.1	133.3	7.8	1.4
Sugar and sweets	124.3	1.1	-.6	135.5	2.4	1.1	136.2	2.7	.9	127.7	-.1	1.5
Fats and oils	126.4	2.6	.1	131.2	1.4	-.1	135.3	6.1	1.0	131.1	4.1	.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	124.1	16.0	1.6	129.0	15.4	-1.0	132.4	15.1	-1.2	123.2	19.7	1.1
Other prepared food	135.1	2.8	.1	151.5	3.6	.3	148.8	3.5	.1	144.1	4.1	1.8
Food away from home	126.7	1.5	.2	143.6	1.7	.0	148.5	1.8	.3	146.1	2.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages	136.5	1.0	.1	147.6	.0	.0	151.8	1.3	.1	149.8	2.0	-.2
Housing	131.3	2.1	-.2	146.7	2.6	-.3	142.8	3.0	.5	137.7	3.1	.3
Shelter	136.9	2.9	-.1	161.8	3.1	-.4	158.6	4.2	.4	152.3	4.2	.5
Renters' costs ³	136.7	2.3	-1.2	177.2	2.5	-4.3	159.8	3.4	-.8	156.6	2.6	-.3
Rent, residential	129.0	2.4	.2	153.9	2.7	.3	149.0	3.1	.7	146.1	3.5	.6
Other renters' costs	164.7	2.1	-5.0	220.8	2.3	-11.5	175.2	4.2	-4.2	171.4	.4	-2.2
Homeowners' costs ³	137.1	3.2	.3	165.3	3.3	1.1	165.4	4.4	.9	157.9	4.9	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ³	137.4	3.2	.4	165.6	3.3	1.1	165.9	4.5	.9	157.3	4.9	.8
Maintenance and repairs	119.4	-.3	.7	133.3	1.4	-.4	137.8	2.8	-.4	117.3	-	.9
Maintenance and repair services	121.4	-1.5	.7	NA	-	-	149.1	4.7	-.6	NA	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities	116.0	1.9	.4	135.2	8.5	-.9	124.8	.3	-.1	117.4	-.9	3.0
Fuel and other utilities	124.4	-.6	-.3	128.8	1.9	-.2	125.8	-.2	.6	122.7	1.7	-.2
Fuels	125.5	-2.0	-.6	112.9	.7	-.3	113.2	-1.0	1.2	108.9	2.9	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	125.5	-1.0	.0	83.5	-2.3	.1	86.8	-.5	.5	81.2	-1.6	-.2
Fuel oil	126.7	-1.0	-.1	81.7	-2.6	-.1	80.1	-.2	.8	74.9	-1.7	-.8
Other household fuel commodities ²	120.4	-1.4	.2	114.1	-2.0	.4	114.6	-.9	.1	113.9	-1.4	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	125.5	-2.1	-.7	121.7	1.0	-.3	121.5	-1.1	1.3	119.1	3.4	.6
Electricity	132.5	-2.1	-.5	132.1	1.6	.2	128.7	-.4	.2	129.8	2.8	.5
Utility (piped) gas	114.0	-2.1	-1.0	102.1	-.7	-1.7	111.5	-2.9	4.5	101.4	5.4	1.1
Other utilities and public services	122.9	1.4	.0	163.8	3.3	.0	152.1	.8	-.1	152.4	.2	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	115.6	1.5	-.2	122.3	1.2	-.1	117.7	2.0	.3	118.2	.7	.3
Housefurnishings	108.7	1.3	-.6	116.1	1.0	-.1	105.4	2.5	.2	107.6	.4	.8
Housekeeping supplies	126.5	2.4	.8	123.6	.5	-.7	129.5	.0	.3	127.2	.2	-1.1
Housekeeping services	126.1	1.3	.1	138.5	2.5	.4	142.8	2.6	.9	138.5	-	.3
Apparel and upkeep	124.6	-1.0	2.1	133.7	1.7	3.2	139.3	-.4	2.2	134.0	1.0	2.8
Apparel commodities	123.8	-1.3	2.4	130.3	1.5	3.5	137.0	-.8	2.5	131.9	.8	3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	118.6	-.8	2.3	129.9	2.3	1.6	133.9	1.8	2.2	130.1	3.7	2.8
Women's and girls' apparel	120.8	-4.4	3.2	138.3	2.3	7.5	139.9	-.6	4.7	137.0	-.2	6.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	116.8	7.3	1.7	123.5	1.5	-1.4	142.4	-1.1	1.4	110.3	-17.9	-2.8
Footwear	125.0	-.7	1.8	114.3	-2.4	-2.1	126.0	-.6	-.6	122.8	-.1	-2.1
Other apparel commodities	154.1	6.6	.7	124.8	1.4	-.9	154.4	-6.9	-1.7	141.4	7.0	-1.0
Apparel services	132.4	2.0	.3	158.4	2.7	.1	163.5	4.3	.3	153.7	4.3	.1
Transportation	134.1	4.4	-.1	134.6	4.3	.0	135.4	4.5	.1	134.3	4.8	.2
Private transportation	133.8	4.8	.1	131.7	4.5	-.1	132.6	4.5	.2	130.4	5.0	.3
New vehicles	120.6	4.1	.2	136.9	3.7	.2	137.4	4.0	-.1	138.0	3.8	.0
New cars	119.2	3.8	.1	133.4	3.6	.1	136.6	4.0	.0	135.5	3.8	-.1
Used cars	136.1	4.7	1.0	146.9	5.5	1.0	146.3	4.9	.9	142.8	4.6	1.0
Motor fuel	153.2	8.2	-.3	100.9	6.7	-1.1	102.4	8.6	-.5	99.6	6.5	.1
Gasoline	153.3	8.3	-.3	100.9	6.9	-1.2	102.8	9.0	-.6	99.5	6.9	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	153.2	9.5	-.4	98.2	7.7	-1.4	100.4	10.0	-.6	95.9	7.2	.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	107.7	-	.0	107.6	-	-.9	111.9	-	-.7	110.2	-	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	145.3	6.7	.0	104.5	6.3	-.5	106.4	7.5	-.5	102.3	6.1	.0
Maintenance and repairs	134.9	2.7	.2	156.4	4.1	.8	147.5	3.1	.1	137.6	2.8	.6
Other private transportation	136.8	4.0	-.1	158.8	3.9	-.3	165.5	2.4	.5	159.4	5.8	.3
Other private transportation commodities	106.6	.3	.1	100.5	-.1	-.1	102.3	-1.1	-.5	116.9	1.9	.0
Other private transportation services	143.0	4.5	.0	172.6	4.5	-.3	182.9	3.1	.8	171.1	6.7	.4
Public transportation	136.6	1.6	-1.3	186.3	1.9	.1	190.0	3.5	.4	210.5	3.4	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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—	
		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993
Expenditure category												
Medical care	169.1	4.3	0.2	211.1	4.9	0.3	214.9	5.2	0.4	207.8	5.3	0.3
Medical care commodities	162.4	2.5	-.1	200.5	3.6	.0	197.3	3.4	-.3	200.4	1.6	.5
Medical care services	170.6	4.6	.2	213.7	5.1	.3	219.1	5.5	.6	209.9	6.4	.3
Professional medical services	155.0	3.7	.2	187.1	3.1	.2	200.3	4.8	.5	199.4	6.7	.4
Entertainment	133.6	2.5	.5	147.5	4.0	-.1	156.5	3.6	.4	137.2	1.1	-.1
Entertainment commodities	126.7	2.4	.8	133.5	3.2	-.6	141.5	3.3	.5	129.7	1.2	-.1
Entertainment services	139.4	2.7	.4	166.4	4.8	.3	176.4	3.9	.3	147.9	1.0	-.1
Other goods and services	163.7	3.9	1.2	200.2	4.9	.2	196.4	6.2	1.3	189.3	2.0	.6
Tobacco and smoking products	176.2	2.6	-.2	221.5	3.7	-1.6	221.0	4.0	.5	204.9	-1.3	-1.5
Personal care	129.6	1.4	-.3	143.8	2.5	.6	145.2	3.9	.9	131.0	.4	-.1
Personal and educational expenses	171.8	5.1	2.0	228.9	6.2	.9	220.7	7.9	1.8	218.5	4.1	1.7
Commodity and service group												
All items	135.4	2.7	.1	149.0	3.3	.1	148.2	3.3	.5	144.7	3.3	.5
Commodities	129.5	2.5	.4	133.7	2.9	.4	134.0	2.7	.3	132.0	2.5	.5
Food and beverages	131.6	2.7	.2	145.2	2.8	.3	144.0	2.3	-.1	142.0	3.0	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	128.1	2.4	.5	127.1	3.0	.5	128.2	3.0	.5	126.3	2.2	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	136.5	2.0	.9	128.0	3.1	.7	131.7	2.7	.8	127.3	1.8	.8
Apparel commodities	123.8	-1.3	2.4	130.3	1.5	3.5	137.0	-.8	2.5	131.9	.8	3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	144.6	4.0	.1	129.7	3.9	-.7	132.0	4.4	.1	127.4	2.3	-.2
Durables	116.8	3.1	-.1	126.1	2.9	.2	123.8	3.3	.1	125.1	2.6	.4
Services	140.1	2.8	.0	165.2	3.5	-.1	163.9	3.8	.6	158.9	4.1	.4
Rent of shelter ³	137.2	2.9	-.1	168.9	3.1	-.4	164.5	4.2	.5	157.3	4.2	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ³	124.6	.0	-.2	140.9	2.1	-.1	138.2	.5	.7	136.9	1.9	-.1
Transportation services	139.5	3.3	-.3	170.6	4.0	.1	173.7	3.1	.5	169.3	5.2	.2
Medical care services	170.6	4.6	.2	213.7	5.1	.3	219.1	5.5	.6	209.9	6.4	.3
Other services	153.6	3.8	1.2	187.9	5.2	.7	186.5	6.4	1.2	177.8	3.3	1.1
Special indexes												
All items less food	136.3	2.7	.2	149.8	3.3	.1	149.2	3.5	.6	145.3	3.4	.5
All items less shelter	134.8	2.6	.3	145.6	3.3	.3	145.6	3.0	.5	143.2	3.0	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ³	135.0	2.6	.1	150.4	3.2	-.1	149.0	3.0	.4	146.5	3.0	.3
All items less medical care	133.5	2.5	.2	145.4	3.1	.1	144.2	3.1	.5	140.2	3.2	.5
Commodities less food	128.6	2.3	.5	127.8	2.8	.4	129.1	2.9	.5	127.0	2.2	.6
Nondurables less food	136.5	1.9	.8	128.9	2.9	.6	132.7	2.6	.8	128.4	1.8	.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	143.4	3.5	.2	130.4	3.4	-.7	132.9	4.1	.1	128.6	2.2	-.2
Nondurables	133.9	2.4	.5	136.6	2.9	.5	137.8	2.5	.4	134.8	2.4	.7
Services less rent of shelter ³	143.2	2.7	.3	172.5	3.9	.2	172.5	3.5	.8	168.8	3.9	.3
Services less medical care services	137.5	2.6	.0	160.5	3.3	-.1	158.1	3.6	.6	152.6	3.7	.4
Energy	136.8	2.5	-.5	105.7	3.1	-.7	107.0	3.1	.5	103.2	4.3	.3
All items less energy	135.3	2.7	.2	155.1	3.3	.2	154.2	3.4	.5	150.7	3.2	.5
All items less food and energy	136.2	2.7	.2	157.5	3.3	.2	156.9	3.6	.6	153.0	3.3	.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities	126.0	1.7	.6	136.9	2.5	.6	138.0	2.2	.7	136.3	1.6	.7
Energy commodities	150.2	7.3	-.3	98.7	5.7	-.9	100.7	7.6	-.3	97.6	5.6	.1
Services less energy services	141.1	3.1	.1	169.9	3.7	-.1	168.7	4.2	.5	163.6	4.1	.4

¹ See region and area size on table 10 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, 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—	
		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category									
All items	156.7	2.7	0.1	154.8	3.1	0.0	154.4	2.9	0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	242.1	-	-	249.0	-	-	256.3	-	-
Food and beverages	149.7	2.7	.2	153.3	3.2	.2	148.3	3.1	.0
Food	149.2	2.8	.2	153.0	3.5	.2	147.8	3.3	-.1
Food at home	150.7	3.5	.0	155.8	5.1	.6	144.5	3.6	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.7	5.6	.1	164.1	5.2	.8	169.3	2.5	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	142.9	.6	-.3	151.1	4.9	2.0	141.0	1.2	-1.1
Dairy products	128.4	.8	-.3	131.9	.1	-.7	117.0	2.5	2.0
Fruits and vegetables	168.2	3.8	-.2	173.2	1.3	-.1	161.7	5.1	-.8
Other food at home	148.1	7.9	.5	159.6	11.0	.0	139.5	7.0	-.5
Food away from home	148.9	1.6	.6	150.1	.7	-.5	155.2	2.4	.1
Alcoholic beverages	155.7	1.3	.3	159.2	.5	-.1	154.2	1.2	.9
Housing	157.4	2.7	-.4	156.8	2.1	-.6	155.5	2.6	.1
Shelter	180.4	3.3	-.6	183.3	1.5	-.1	185.3	3.2	.1
Renters' costs ²	185.4	2.0	-2.9	198.0	.9	-.8	176.8	2.0	-3.4
Rent, residential	166.5	2.9	.2	162.7	-.4	.6	166.1	1.7	.4
Other renters' costs	219.8	.0	-9.6	243.7	2.7	-15.4	179.0	2.6	-11.3
Homeowners' costs ²	186.4	4.1	.5	191.4	1.8	1.3	199.7	3.5	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	187.2	4.1	.5	192.8	1.7	1.4	200.9	3.5	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	118.7	1.2	-.2	126.0	4.7	1.0	112.5	.4	.2
Fuels	114.1	1.5	-.2	110.9	4.8	1.8	95.1	1.6	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.1	-1.2	-.1	79.1	-2.8	-.3	76.9	-.1	.7
Fuel oil	87.7	-1.1	-.2	78.7	-2.4	-.4	76.5	.4	.8
Other household fuel commodities ³	120.3	-2.6	.0	106.4	-4.2	.0	96.3	-1.7	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.9	2.1	-.2	136.2	7.1	2.5	112.6	2.5	.1
Electricity	139.1	.5	.1	147.8	6.0	1.9	117.5	.0	.1
Utility (piped) gas	111.9	5.1	-.7	112.9	10.0	4.1	103.8	11.5	.2
Household furnishings and operation	123.9	1.0	-.4	120.1	1.4	-.1	115.2	2.7	.0
Apparel and upkeep	124.9	-3.6	1.9	133.8	4.8	2.0	137.0	-3.0	3.5
Apparel commodities	120.5	-4.1	2.2	131.6	5.2	2.2	134.3	-3.5	3.8
Men's and boys' apparel	115.6	-1.8	4.0	145.9	8.2	3.0	149.6	.7	2.9
Women's and girls' apparel	114.5	-8.3	.5	129.5	6.6	5.3	129.4	-7.9	6.3
Footwear	125.5	-3.1	1.9	125.3	-	-6.6	131.5	7.4	4.4
Transportation	139.7	4.2	.2	133.5	4.5	.3	133.2	4.6	.2
Private transportation	136.1	5.3	.4	131.4	4.6	.2	127.5	5.0	.2
Motor fuel	101.2	7.7	.6	101.8	7.0	1.0	100.6	7.5	.7
Gasoline	100.9	7.5	.6	101.9	7.6	1.3	100.7	7.7	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	98.5	8.5	.2	99.9	8.5	1.2	100.2	8.9	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	104.9	-	.9	107.8	-	1.0	108.1	-	-.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	103.4	5.9	.8	104.8	6.6	1.5	104.5	7.2	.6
Public transportation	160.0	-2.6	-1.2	170.7	3.1	.7	215.7	.9	.2
Medical care	221.5	4.0	.0	221.9	6.2	.6	213.2	4.3	.6
Entertainment	157.7	2.9	.4	145.6	.7	-.7	164.5	3.3	.9
Other goods and services	209.6	3.5	.7	204.9	3.9	.6	213.2	4.4	1.1
Personal care	158.9	2.2	-.3	142.7	-.3	.0	145.2	3.4	.7
Commodity and service group									
All items	156.7	2.7	.1	154.8	3.1	.0	154.4	2.9	.4
Commodities	136.0	1.9	.4	133.9	3.2	.3	132.4	2.6	.5
Food and beverages	149.7	2.7	.2	153.3	3.2	.2	148.3	3.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	126.1	1.4	.6	122.5	3.3	.4	123.0	2.3	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.7	.1	1.0	122.1	3.4	.7	126.8	1.0	1.4
Durables	125.8	3.6	-.1	122.0	3.1	.0	117.4	4.5	-.1
Services	176.3	3.2	-.2	179.3	3.0	-.3	179.1	3.2	.3
Medical care services	225.1	4.4	.1	226.6	6.5	.6	216.4	4.6	.9
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	148.7	2.3	.3	146.9	3.8	.4	145.2	2.8	.6
All items less medical care	153.5	2.6	.1	151.3	2.9	-.1	151.4	2.9	.3
All items less energy	162.7	2.6	.1	162.8	3.0	-.1	162.7	2.9	.4
All items less food and energy	166.2	2.5	.0	165.5	2.9	-.2	166.7	2.8	.5
Energy	108.8	3.5	.1	107.0	5.6	1.5	96.1	3.8	.4
Commodities less food	127.3	1.4	.5	123.9	3.0	.3	124.3	2.3	.9
Nondurables less food	128.4	.2	.9	124.0	3.0	.6	128.3	1.0	1.3
Nondurables	139.0	1.5	.6	137.1	3.2	.4	137.2	2.1	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	178.6	2.9	.2	181.8	4.8	.7	177.6	3.3	.6
Services less medical care services	172.3	3.1	-.3	174.9	2.7	-.4	175.9	3.1	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	146.7	3.0	0.3	144.0	3.3	-0.3	146.8	4.0	0.6	141.5	3.8	0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	242.2	-	-	232.7	-	-	233.8	-	-	226.9	-	-
Food and beverages	144.4	2.5	.1	139.1	2.3	.4	141.2	1.6	.2	138.6	2.1	.4
Food	143.7	2.6	.1	139.2	2.4	.3	140.1	1.6	.3	137.7	2.3	.5
Food at home	144.0	2.6	-1	140.3	2.8	.5	138.5	1.7	.1	135.1	2.3	.6
Cereals and bakery products	165.6	4.0	.5	169.1	2.4	-5	157.5	2.7	-1.3	161.5	6.8	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	141.2	.1	-2	128.9	1.8	1.2	127.3	-1.1	-4	129.6	-1.1	-5
Dairy products	134.3	-1	-1.3	134.4	1.7	.1	127.5	3.3	.6	125.6	1.2	.5
Fruits and vegetables	152.6	3.2	.4	146.1	3.9	1.3	152.7	-2.4	.7	143.8	-3	-2
Other food at home	136.0	6.2	.1	138.0	3.9	.1	138.7	6.0	.4	127.2	6.0	1.2
Food away from home	143.4	2.4	.1	137.5	1.6	.0	143.7	1.6	.8	143.2	2.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages	152.0	2.0	.1	137.1	.4	.4	155.6	1.1	-2	151.2	.1	-7
Housing	140.6	1.2	-1	141.4	2.7	-8	144.5	3.3	.8	131.7	4.1	-2
Shelter	158.3	2.9	.0	163.0	4.0	-8	160.4	5.2	.4	139.6	5.4	.0
Renters' costs ²	161.1	2.4	-7	171.6	3.1	-7.1	163.2	3.6	-9	141.5	4.6	.1
Rent, residential	152.4	2.1	.3	158.0	4.6	.5	147.7	3.3	.5	135.2	4.6	.4
Other renters' costs	166.2	3.0	-3.2	187.1	1.4	-14.9	189.1	4.0	-3.2	146.7	4.9	-7
Homeowners' costs ²	162.5	3.2	.3	164.8	4.2	.9	164.6	5.9	.9	145.7	5.8	-1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	162.6	3.2	.3	165.5	4.2	.9	165.4	6.0	.9	145.6	5.9	-1
Fuel and other utilities	116.4	-4.7	-5	113.4	.5	-1.6	124.3	-1.7	2.1	126.4	2.5	-1.2
Fuels	105.4	-9.2	-9	100.0	-1.2	-2.9	112.5	-3.3	4.0	106.5	7.0	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	85.5	-3	-3	82.8	2.7	.2	83.4	-2.9	.5	80.5	-9	-5
Fuel oil	83.1	.7	-8	84.4	2.9	.8	77.8	-3.7	.9	74.6	.5	-3.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	109.9	-1.6	.2	113.0	2.4	-2	113.2	-1.8	.4	123.5	-2.1	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	108.7	-9.5	-9	106.0	-1.4	-3.1	122.3	-3.3	4.3	115.6	7.4	.6
Electricity	124.5	-8.2	-2	126.0	3.7	-2	132.9	-3	.1	124.4	7.8	-3
Utility (piped) gas	94.3	-11.0	-1.8	87.3	-8.6	-7.3	111.9	-7.8	11.9	108.1	6.9	2.0
Household furnishings and operation	116.7	.7	.4	120.3	.5	.4	127.5	2.9	.1	118.7	1.9	.8
Apparel and upkeep	134.0	.7	2.5	132.2	-1.6	2.8	129.3	6.3	1.9	143.8	1.1	7.2
Apparel commodities	133.0	.5	2.7	129.9	-2.0	3.0	125.8	6.5	1.9	143.8	1.0	7.7
Men's and boys' apparel	132.9	.2	.4	130.8	4.0	3.7	122.8	2.0	1.3	131.8	4.8	1.2
Women's and girls' apparel	128.6	.2	5.5	140.8	-4.3	3.7	131.6	11.0	4.1	157.8	.8	15.4
Footwear	131.4	-3.2	3.6	105.6	-3.8	.4	122.5	2.3	-2.5	142.7	-3.6	.6
Transportation	135.1	6.5	-4	132.6	5.0	-1.1	132.9	5.5	-2	131.7	4.8	.2
Private transportation	133.4	6.5	-4	129.6	5.5	-1.1	129.7	5.7	-2	124.9	4.9	.3
Motor fuel	105.8	12.7	-2.5	102.9	9.7	-5.9	102.5	11.1	-1.4	100.3	12.2	-2
Gasoline	105.8	12.9	-2.6	103.3	10.0	-6.2	102.8	11.5	-1.5	100.0	12.9	-1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	104.9	14.4	-2.2	100.3	10.5	-6.4	101.5	12.7	-1.7	97.8	13.7	.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	115.4	-	-2.2	112.6	-	-5.5	116.3	-	-1.8	116.1	-	-3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	108.2	10.7	-2.3	108.9	8.9	-5.6	103.9	10.8	-1.2	101.3	11.4	-2.2
Public transportation	157.1	5.9	-1	204.6	-2.0	-1.1	203.4	2.2	-1.0	297.9	3.6	-1.0
Medical care	208.4	5.5	.4	202.6	5.1	.0	217.6	6.4	1.0	202.3	6.5	.3
Entertainment	151.4	3.3	.2	139.9	4.5	.1	157.4	3.7	.2	141.5	1.1	-1
Other goods and services	203.9	5.8	2.1	199.1	6.1	.8	190.9	8.5	2.3	191.9	3.6	1.0
Personal care	133.6	-6	.4	152.7	1.3	.3	154.0	7.2	3.6	126.0	1.5	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	146.7	3.0	.3	144.0	3.3	-3	146.8	4.0	.6	141.5	3.8	.5
Commodities	136.2	3.3	.3	131.0	2.9	.0	133.0	4.0	.2	133.5	2.6	1.1
Food and beverages	144.4	2.5	.1	139.1	2.3	.4	141.2	1.6	.2	138.6	2.1	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	131.0	4.0	.4	126.8	3.3	-1	128.4	5.5	.2	130.3	2.9	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	135.3	4.3	.4	127.6	3.2	-3	128.8	6.6	.4	134.9	2.7	2.1
Durables	123.4	3.4	.6	126.8	3.3	.2	127.4	4.0	.0	124.2	3.1	.8
Services	157.9	2.7	.3	158.4	3.6	-6	162.8	4.2	1.0	150.6	4.9	-1
Medical care services	208.2	6.0	.4	203.1	5.5	.1	224.0	7.4	1.4	202.2	7.6	.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	143.6	3.0	.3	139.1	3.0	-1	143.2	3.7	.7	142.6	3.3	.7
All items less medical care	143.5	2.9	.3	140.9	3.1	-4	143.2	3.9	.6	137.0	3.5	.5
All items less energy	152.5	3.2	.5	151.3	3.3	.1	153.2	4.2	.5	147.0	3.3	.5
All items less food and energy	154.7	3.4	.5	154.0	3.4	.0	156.5	4.8	.6	149.1	3.5	.5
Energy	105.9	.4	-1.8	99.1	3.2	-4.3	106.9	2.6	1.5	102.4	9.1	.2
Commodities less food	131.9	3.9	.5	127.1	3.2	.0	129.4	5.4	.2	130.9	2.7	1.5
Nondurables less food	136.2	4.1	.4	127.9	3.1	-3	130.1	6.1	.3	135.8	2.6	1.9
Nondurables	140.2	3.4	.2	133.1	2.8	.0	134.6	3.9	.3	137.5	2.5	1.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	162.9	2.5	.5	157.2	3.2	-3	168.6	3.2	1.5	163.4	4.3	-1
Services less medical care services	153.4	2.3	.3	154.5	3.3	-7	157.3	3.8	1.0	144.0	4.4	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
	Expenditure category											
All items	145.9	2.8	0.1	148.3	3.3	0.3	144.7	2.6	0.3	143.3	3.0	0.3
All items (December 1977 = 100)	235.6	-	-	242.0	-	-	234.2	-	-	232.7	-	-
Food and beverages	144.3	3.1	.1	144.2	2.9	.4	144.1	2.8	-.3	139.8	3.0	.3
Food	144.3	3.4	.1	143.9	3.2	.5	143.8	2.9	-.3	139.8	3.2	.4
Food at home	142.6	5.2	.1	142.5	3.8	.6	141.6	3.7	-.6	136.5	3.6	.3
Cereals and bakery products	161.1	7.5	-.1	157.6	3.8	.4	153.0	6.0	.1	170.0	5.6	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.7	2.6	1.2	134.0	3.3	1.4	131.9	1.1	.7	132.1	1.9	1.0
Dairy products	135.6	2.1	-.8	127.8	1.0	.6	128.1	1.6	.4	118.2	.5	-1.4
Fruits and vegetables	165.2	7.6	-2.1	179.2	4.1	1.0	159.7	.8	-4.7	144.8	-.6	-2.0
Other food at home	136.6	7.2	1.4	130.3	5.6	-.4	143.7	9.0	.1	129.3	8.8	1.4
Food away from home	148.1	.9	.1	147.3	2.1	.2	149.5	1.6	.2	148.1	2.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	144.3	1.1	.2	147.8	.3	.1	147.7	1.6	-.2	139.3	-.1	-.2
Housing	137.6	2.5	.0	143.2	2.8	-.3	132.8	2.1	.3	135.8	1.8	.1
Shelter	145.7	3.3	.1	149.7	3.6	-.4	139.8	3.1	.1	150.5	2.7	.1
Renters' costs ²	152.4	3.5	-.5	169.5	3.2	-3.6	144.5	3.8	-.3	156.4	.5	-2.1
Rent, residential	144.9	2.8	.3	143.3	3.9	.1	138.5	3.6	.8	143.7	2.5	.1
Other renters' costs	169.3	5.6	-3.0	231.8	2.0	-9.8	158.8	4.4	-3.1	170.3	-2.6	-5.7
Homeowners' costs ²	148.2	3.2	.3	150.6	3.7	.9	141.9	2.9	.4	152.9	3.4	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	147.8	3.1	.3	150.4	3.9	.9	141.3	2.8	.4	150.9	3.2	.9
Fuel and other utilities	120.6	-1.8	-1.1	140.1	1.3	-.1	134.7	.1	.1	121.7	1.2	.3
Fuels	113.7	-3.8	-1.9	120.1	-1.2	-.2	125.9	-1.0	.1	109.7	.4	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.5	-1.4	-.4	96.1	-3.1	.4	108.0	.5	-.1	87.1	-1.2	.0
Fuel oil	84.0	-2.2	.0	85.5	-4.7	.1	78.5	.3	.0	81.1	-1.1	-.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	122.7	-.2	-1.0	125.9	-2.1	.6	135.3	.5	-.1	104.6	-1.4	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.1	-4.0	-2.0	122.0	-1.0	-.2	128.1	-1.1	.1	115.4	.5	.7
Electricity	120.2	-4.5	-2.3	124.9	-.7	-.4	131.3	-1.1	.4	120.2	.3	.8
Utility (piped) gas	108.4	-2.1	-1.0	110.5	-2.4	.3	124.2	-1.6	-1.3	97.2	1.9	-.5
Household furnishings and operation	129.9	3.0	.5	127.3	1.6	-.3	111.3	.8	.8	115.4	-.3	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	151.6	.0	.3	139.9	.9	4.0	148.2	-3.8	2.6	129.3	-1.1	.8
Apparel commodities	146.8	-.4	.3	135.9	.6	4.5	146.6	-4.6	2.8	125.7	-1.6	.9
Men's and boys' apparel	141.9	-.4	1.2	128.3	-3.5	.4	134.0	1.5	3.8	128.5	.3	-2.1
Women's and girls' apparel	146.1	-9.2	-1.0	149.0	2.4	9.6	153.6	-5.0	4.1	135.0	-2.0	5.1
Footwear	136.5	7.1	1.9	121.4	.0	-1.5	125.5	-6.1	-.9	98.6	.2	-2.8
Transportation	133.8	3.6	.0	134.7	4.1	.1	135.6	3.5	.1	133.3	6.0	.3
Private transportation	133.4	3.8	.1	132.5	4.2	.1	134.0	3.5	.1	131.7	6.0	.2
Motor fuel	105.0	6.9	.7	100.7	6.4	-.1	101.2	6.5	-.5	91.6	3.7	.3
Gasoline	104.7	7.1	.8	100.5	6.5	-.2	102.2	7.1	-.5	91.3	4.0	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	101.8	7.7	.9	97.2	7.3	-.2	97.9	7.7	-.5	86.5	3.2	.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	107.2	-	.8	107.0	-	-.5	110.9	-	-.4	108.6	-	.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	107.9	6.1	.7	103.9	6.2	.2	106.9	5.7	-.6	99.3	5.6	.4
Public transportation	142.0	2.2	-.2	176.1	2.3	.7	174.4	5.1	.8	168.4	5.6	2.0
Medical care	211.7	4.8	.4	205.8	4.1	.2	211.6	4.9	.2	211.4	4.5	.6
Entertainment	153.4	3.1	1.1	149.1	6.0	.7	148.7	3.2	.4	136.5	3.1	-.6
Other goods and services	189.7	3.7	.7	205.9	5.6	-.2	191.7	5.8	.6	181.1	3.4	.5
Personal care	141.5	2.5	-.5	145.4	5.2	1.3	137.6	2.8	-.9	125.7	.7	.4
Commodity and service group												
All items	145.9	2.8	.1	148.3	3.3	.3	144.7	2.6	.3	143.3	3.0	.3
Commodities	136.3	2.9	.3	135.7	2.9	.5	135.3	1.8	.4	130.2	2.4	.1
Food and beverages	144.3	3.1	.1	144.2	2.9	.4	144.1	2.8	-.3	139.8	3.0	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	131.5	2.7	.5	130.7	2.9	.7	130.0	1.2	.7	124.9	2.0	.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	132.9	2.3	.5	132.7	3.0	1.1	135.2	.6	1.1	124.5	1.5	.2
Durables	130.2	3.3	.4	127.6	2.6	.1	124.1	2.0	.2	125.5	2.7	-.3
Services	155.9	2.9	.1	161.3	3.7	-.1	155.2	3.3	.3	157.6	3.5	.4
Medical care services	215.1	5.3	.4	208.9	4.6	.2	214.6	4.8	.1	213.6	5.3	.5
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	146.3	2.7	.2	148.2	3.3	.5	146.6	2.4	.4	141.8	3.1	.4
All items less medical care	142.3	2.7	.1	144.5	3.2	.2	140.0	2.3	.3	137.7	2.8	.2
All items less energy	151.5	3.0	.3	153.4	3.4	.3	149.5	2.7	.3	149.6	3.1	.2
All items less food and energy	153.2	2.9	.3	155.7	3.5	.2	151.0	2.6	.5	152.0	3.1	.3
Energy	108.0	1.0	-.6	107.3	1.9	-.2	112.2	2.1	-.2	99.0	1.7	.6
Commodities less food	131.9	2.6	.4	131.3	2.7	.7	130.6	1.2	.7	125.2	2.0	-.1
Nondurables less food	133.2	2.1	.4	133.3	2.9	1.0	135.6	.6	1.0	125.0	1.5	.2
Nondurables	138.7	2.7	.3	138.6	2.9	.7	139.7	1.7	.4	132.1	2.3	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	170.9	2.6	.0	174.9	3.7	.2	170.8	3.5	.4	167.8	4.1	.7
Services less medical care services	150.4	2.5	.0	156.2	3.6	-.1	148.0	3.1	.3	149.5	3.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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—	
		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994		Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
All items	151.7	2.4	0.3	152.2	4.5	0.7
All items (December 1977 = 100)	247.4	-	-	236.1	-	-
Food and beverages	147.0	2.4	.2	143.3	1.8	.1
Food	146.0	2.7	.2	142.8	2.0	.0
Food at home	147.2	3.7	.3	140.6	1.9	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	167.1	3.5	-.4	155.3	3.4	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	138.7	.7	-1.0	132.3	-1.7	-.1
Dairy products	141.0	2.3	-1.1	126.5	1.4	-.4
Fruits and vegetables	162.9	6.3	3.9	170.0	3.3	2.3
Other food at home	139.5	5.7	.2	132.2	4.1	-1.6
Food away from home	144.8	1.2	.1	146.9	2.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	155.2	.1	.1	150.1	.7	.5
Housing	152.0	2.0	-.1	148.6	5.0	1.0
Shelter	163.8	2.1	.1	165.4	6.4	1.5
Renters' costs ²	177.1	2.1	-.1	166.0	4.1	1.2
Rent, residential	161.0	1.8	.1	149.9	3.5	1.1
Other renters' costs	202.3	2.7	-.5	194.6	6.1	1.5
Homeowners' costs ²	174.4	2.2	.1	179.0	7.2	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	174.7	2.2	.1	180.0	7.3	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	136.4	2.3	.0	123.4	1.5	-.2
Fuels	132.8	2.7	.1	109.5	1.3	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁵	95.9	.2	1.9	242.1	-2.2	.3
Fuel oil ⁵	89.3	.3	2.4	NA	-	-
Other household fuel commodities ³	132.3	.1	1.5	108.6	-2.6	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	135.4	2.8	.0	108.6	1.4	-.5
Electricity	149.8	3.0	.0	120.8	2.2	-.2
Utility (piped) gas	122.7	2.5	.1	95.7	.1	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	122.6	1.4	-1.1	118.6	2.6	.2
Apparel and upkeep	126.1	-.1	4.2	136.0	1.9	.6
Apparel commodities	122.1	-.3	4.8	134.3	2.0	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	120.6	-.9	3.7	134.2	3.4	-1.2
Women's and girls' apparel	116.0	1.9	9.2	132.2	2.4	5.8
Footwear	119.4	-2.0	-.6	130.0	1.4	-2.0
Transportation	138.0	3.6	-.2	140.6	5.6	.6
Private transportation	134.2	3.6	.1	138.9	5.5	.6
Motor fuel	109.1	5.6	.3	106.7	10.3	.4
Gasoline	109.0	5.8	.2	106.5	10.9	-.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	106.8	6.7	.4	103.9	10.9	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.3	-	.4	111.5	-	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	112.7	4.9	.4	107.2	8.7	-1.1
Public transportation	183.0	3.6	-2.5	168.5	6.8	1.8
Medical care	211.8	3.1	.0	222.7	5.2	.1
Entertainment	148.1	1.2	.5	160.9	4.9	.2
Other goods and services	213.2	3.3	1.4	197.7	5.3	1.9
Personal care	155.0	1.4	-.7	146.7	.5	.6
Commodity and service group						
All items	151.7	2.4	.3	152.2	4.5	.7
Commodities	134.7	2.2	.5	134.9	3.5	.1
Food and beverages	147.0	2.4	.2	143.3	1.8	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	126.9	2.0	.7	129.8	4.3	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.8	2.0	1.8	135.1	3.9	.4
Durables	122.4	2.1	-1.0	123.9	4.7	.0
Services	166.8	2.5	.1	168.8	5.3	1.1
Medical care services	213.5	3.2	.0	228.4	5.9	.2
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	148.1	2.5	.4	148.2	3.8	.4
All items less medical care	148.6	2.3	.3	147.8	4.5	.8
All items less energy	155.8	2.3	.3	157.5	4.4	.8
All items less food and energy	158.1	2.1	.3	160.6	4.8	.9
Energy	116.7	4.2	.1	107.8	6.1	-.1
Commodities less food	128.4	1.9	.7	130.6	4.1	.2
Nondurables less food	131.7	1.8	1.6	135.9	3.6	.3
Nondurables	138.7	2.2	.9	139.7	2.9	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	177.9	2.8	.2	177.6	4.2	.8
Services less medical care services	163.1	2.4	.1	162.6	5.2	1.3

¹ See region and area size on table 10 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 December 1993 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in West size class C.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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, September 1994						
U.S. city average	145.0	164.8	137.3	131.3	163.2	139.4
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	150.6	171.0	143.5	127.6	168.5	148.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	150.7	172.7	142.9	128.4	168.2	148.1
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	155.8	164.1	151.1	131.9	173.2	159.6
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	144.5	169.3	141.0	117.0	161.7	139.5
North Central urban	141.2	163.9	135.5	131.5	150.6	135.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	144.0	165.6	141.2	134.3	152.6	136.0
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	140.3	169.1	128.9	134.4	146.1	138.0
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	138.5	157.5	127.3	127.5	152.7	138.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	135.1	161.5	129.6	125.6	143.8	127.2
South urban	141.4	159.3	132.4	129.0	164.0	135.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	142.6	161.1	131.7	135.6	165.2	136.6
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	142.5	157.6	134.0	127.8	179.2	130.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	141.6	153.0	131.9	128.1	159.7	143.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	136.5	170.0	132.1	118.2	144.8	129.3
West urban	147.0	165.0	137.7	138.3	168.7	138.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	147.2	167.1	138.7	141.0	162.9	139.5
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	140.6	155.3	132.3	126.5	170.0	132.2
Size classes						
A ²	134.0	148.8	127.0	127.0	148.4	128.8
B	146.6	162.6	138.9	132.5	172.6	138.8
C	141.2	157.7	132.5	125.4	159.8	140.0
D	139.4	166.4	130.2	125.5	155.8	133.3
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	148.3	185.5	129.3	140.6	170.7	144.8
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	149.9	164.7	140.0	132.1	189.0	137.2
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	151.4	172.8	156.5	142.1	153.2	137.7
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	141.8	158.8	141.6	131.3	161.6	124.8
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	136.9	167.1	127.8	132.5	130.4	139.0
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	139.5	164.9	133.6	124.1	151.1	135.2
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	145.7	155.5	132.3	130.3	177.5	146.6
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	150.9	165.9	144.2	146.5	170.6	140.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	148.2	152.4	132.9	135.1	205.1	132.0
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	153.4	178.1	145.8	128.5	171.1	150.1
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	149.7	172.6	142.6	129.8	155.0	152.5
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	138.3	148.0	128.8	125.2	152.7	142.4
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	138.6	153.3	123.0	130.9	154.6	144.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	150.4	165.2	140.5	138.5	168.3	146.3
Washington, DC-MD-VA	147.9	173.1	135.1	149.5	164.6	138.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): 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, August 1994 to September 1994						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.4	0.2	0.4
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	.1	.2	.0	.0	-.1	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.0	.1	-.3	-.3	-.2	.5
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	.6	.8	2.0	-.7	-.1	.0
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-.2	1.0	-1.1	2.0	-.8	-.5
North Central urban	.1	.2	-.1	-.5	.5	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	-.1	.5	-.2	-1.3	.4	.1
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	.5	-.5	1.2	.1	1.3	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.1	-1.3	-.4	.6	.7	.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.6	2.5	-.5	.5	-.2	1.2
South urban	.1	.3	1.1	-.2	-2.0	.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.1	-.1	1.2	-.8	-2.1	1.4
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.6	.4	1.4	.6	1.0	-.4
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	-.6	.1	.7	.4	-4.7	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.3	1.2	1.0	-1.4	-2.0	1.4
West urban	.3	-.5	-.6	-.9	3.3	.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.3	-.4	-1.0	-1.1	3.9	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	-.1	-.8	-.1	-.4	2.3	-1.6
Size classes						
A	.1	.0	-.2	-.9	.7	.5
B	.6	-.1	1.2	.4	1.1	-.2
C	-.3	-.3	.0	.6	-1.6	-.1
D	.6	1.2	.9	-.6	-.4	1.4
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	-1.3	-.4	-.4	-1.7	-3.2	-1.5
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.2	-.2	-.1	-.5	1.4	.1
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	-.1	.7	-.3	-1.7	-.5	.7
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1.0	-.3	1.4	-.8	3.6	.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.3	7.3	1.3	-.5	-.4	-.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.6	3.2	.0	-1.5	.9	.5
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.5	-2.5	1.3	.5	-3.1	3.6
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.1	-1.0	.2	-1.0	6.3	.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-1.3	-2.8	.5	-.1	-4.3	.8
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	-.4	.1	-.9	-.4	-.3	.0
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.4	-.2	1.8	.7	1.5	2.5
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	-1.1	.6	-1.2	-1.3	-3.0	-.1
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	-.7	1.1	-1.7	-5.5	.6	.6
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	-.2	.5	-2.2	-.4	1.4	.5
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.3	.4	.5	-1.6	1.2	.6

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, August 1994 to September 1994

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	0.3	0.3	0.5	-0.1	0.3	0.0
Food and beverages	.2	.0	.7	.0	1.1	.0
Food	.1	-.1	.7	.0	1.3	.0
Food at home	.2	-.1	1.1	-.4	1.4	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	.1	.7	-1.0	.1	-.2	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.1	-.3	.2	-.9	1.8	-2.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	.3	-.2	-.1	-.7	1.9	-1.8
Dairy products	-.4	-1.7	-1.0	-.4	.7	-.4
Fruits and vegetables	.2	-.5	6.3	-.3	1.5	1.4
Other food at home	.4	.7	.6	.0	2.5	.5
Food away from home	.2	.0	-.1	.6	.9	.2
Alcoholic beverages	.1	.1	.3	.0	-.2	.1
Housing	-.1	.3	-.1	-.6	.1	-.2
Shelter	-.1	.5	.1	-.6	.0	-.2
Renters' costs	-1.6	-.1	.3	-2.8	-1.9	.0
Rent, residential	.3	.2	.3	.2	.4	-.2
Other renters' costs	-6.0	-1.3	.1	-10.7	-4.8	.8
Homeowners' costs	.6	.6	.1	.4	.9	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent	.5	.6	.1	.4	.9	-.2
Fuel and other utilities	-.1	-1.2	.0	-.1	-.1	-.1
Fuels	-.2	-2.2	.0	.0	.0	.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.0	.0	.1	-.1	-.1	4.7
Fuel oil	.0	.0	-	-.1	-.1	15.1
Other household fuel commodities	.2	.0	.0	.0	-	4.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-.1	-2.2	-.1	.0	.0	.1
Electricity	-.2	-1.6	-.1	.2	.0	.0
Utility (piped) gas	.0	-2.9	.0	-.4	.0	.3
Household furnishings and operation	.0	1.4	-1.7	-.7	.7	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	2.4	-.7	6.9	2.4	-.1	1.2
Apparel commodities	2.7	-.6	7.8	2.8	-.1	1.3
Men's and boys' apparel	2.1	-.9	5.4	4.2	8.5	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel	4.5	-1.0	13.8	.4	-4.9	7.7
Footwear	.5	3.5	1.4	3.2	-1.1	-5.2
Transportation	.0	.1	-.3	.1	.1	-.7
Private transportation	.1	.1	-.1	.5	.1	.0
Motor fuel	-.4	-.6	-.2	.8	.1	.0
Gasoline	-.5	-.6	-.2	.9	.1	.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-.5	-.5	.3	.8	-1.2	.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ¹	-.3	-.6	-.3	.9	1.0	.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-.1	-1.1	.5	.8	1.0	.0
Public transportation	-.9	-.2	-2.1	-1.7	.6	-4.2
Medical care	.3	.4	.1	.0	.0	.4
Entertainment	.3	.8	-.1	.5	.3	-.2
Other goods and services	1.0	1.4	.9	.4	.9	2.5
Personal care	.1	.7	-.9	-.6	-.2	.0
Commodity and service group						
All items	.3	.3	.5	-.1	.3	.0
Commodities	.4	.2	.9	.4	.5	.2
Food and beverages	.2	.0	.7	.0	1.1	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	.5	.3	1.1	.6	.2	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	.9	-.2	2.8	1.3	.0	.5
Durables	.0	1.4	-1.6	-.5	.4	-.3
Services	.1	.3	.1	-.3	.1	.0
Medical care services	.3	.5	.1	.0	.3	.5
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.3	.2	.5	.3	.4	.2
All items less medical care	.2	.3	.4	-.1	.3	.1
All items less energy	.3	.4	.4	-.1	.3	.0
All items less food and energy	.3	.4	.4	-.1	.2	.0
Energy	-.3	-1.4	-.1	.3	.0	.2
Commodities less food	.5	.3	1.0	.6	.2	.2
Nondurables less food	.8	-.2	2.5	1.2	.0	.5
Nondurables	.5	-.1	1.7	.6	.6	.1
Services less rent of shelter	.3	.2	.0	.1	.3	.3
Services less medical care services	.1	.3	.1	-.4	.1	.0

¹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Baltimore, MD			Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH			Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	149.4	3.0	0.7	148.6	3.5	0.3	155.7	2.4	1.2	150.2	2.4	1.3
All items (1967=100)	447.5	-	-	444.4	-	-	452.6	-	-	448.8	-	-
Food and beverages	145.6	2.7	.6	148.6	3.3	-1.8	151.4	3.3	1.1	147.2	2.7	.7
Food	145.0	2.8	.6	149.2	3.5	-1.9	151.1	3.2	.9	146.0	2.9	.8
Food at home	145.0	3.6	.7	148.3	6.1	-2.4	149.9	4.5	.7	151.4	3.8	1.1
Cereals and bakery products	164.8	4.5	.5	185.5	16.4	-2.2	164.7	6.4	3.3	172.8	7.3	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.3	1.1	.4	129.3	-1.6	-2.8	140.0	-1.8	.5	156.5	2.0	1.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.8	1.1	.2	132.0	-1.8	-3.4	141.0	-2.2	.4	160.2	2.2	.8
Dairy products	131.3	1.3	-.4	140.6	2.5	-2.4	132.1	-1.2	1.1	142.1	-.1	-1.6
Fruits and vegetables	163.2	3.9	-.7	170.7	11.5	-6.0	189.0	20.7	-1.3	153.2	3.2	-.4
Other food at home	139.4	6.9	2.7	144.8	7.9	.8	137.2	2.9	1.4	137.7	6.7	3.7
Food away from home	146.2	1.7	.4	150.3	-2.0	-.9	154.5	1.3	1.0	136.5	1.0	.2
Alcoholic beverages	151.4	1.0	-.1	141.5	2.3	.0	155.1	4.0	2.6	159.7	.9	-.5
Housing	145.8	2.5	.3	139.9	1.9	-.8	148.1	1.9	.7	145.9	.5	.8
Shelter	161.6	3.2	.5	154.7	1.9	-.4	170.6	1.9	.9	168.2	4.3	.8
Renters' costs ²	169.4	2.5	-.9	156.7	.0	-2.5	177.2	.4	.5	170.3	3.2	-.2
Rent, residential	155.0	2.6	.7	155.8	1.0	.8	159.8	1.5	2.0	164.2	2.5	.2
Other renters' costs	193.5	2.3	-.4	139.1	-3.1	-12.0	198.4	-1.7	-2.4	164.5	5.9	-1.8
Homeowners' costs ²	167.1	3.5	1.1	161.3	2.6	.4	175.7	2.7	1.3	173.6	4.8	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	167.3	3.5	1.1	162.3	2.7	.4	176.1	2.6	1.4	172.6	4.9	1.2
Fuel and other utilities	124.2	.2	-.1	121.2	1.7	-.2	116.1	3.2	.1	110.4	-12.2	.5
Fuels	113.8	-.9	-.3	119.5	1.0	-.3	95.8	1.9	-.2	95.5	-20.9	-.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.8	-1.3	-.3	78.9	-3.2	-.4	81.7	-3.7	-.7	87.7	-2.4	-1.3
Fuel oil	83.6	-1.2	-.6	80.7	-2.7	-.4	82.6	-2.4	-.7	90.6	-.5	.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	116.1	-1.4	.0	NA	-	-	88.3	-	.0	107.2	-5.0	-3.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.1	-.8	-.2	141.7	1.6	-.4	115.9	3.9	.1	98.0	-21.1	-.9
Electricity	132.2	-.5	-.1	164.1	3.5	.0	133.7	.0	.1	94.0	-29.2	-.5
Utility (piped) gas	106.6	-1.4	-.3	92.6	-4.8	-1.7	92.2	11.5	.0	101.7	-12.5	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	121.4	1.5	-.1	121.1	2.2	-2.7	113.0	.1	-.5	116.6	-.9	1.1
Apparel and upkeep	134.2	-.3	2.5	139.9	1.8	5.3	144.7	-4.4	3.3	134.2	-.1	6.1
Apparel commodities	131.2	-.6	2.8	135.3	1.9	6.0	135.9	-5.4	3.9	135.1	-.1	6.6
Men's and boys' apparel	128.4	.5	2.8	124.6	4.7	2.9	127.7	-9.1	.9	134.2	1.7	6.0
Women's and girls' apparel	131.1	-2.3	4.3	139.5	6.1	10.4	126.2	-3.7	8.0	129.6	-1.9	9.5
Footwear	125.1	-.9	.1	145.6	3.8	4.5	124.6	-5.7	2.0	140.9	-1.5	4.9
Transportation	135.9	4.5	1.0	135.2	5.1	1.9	136.8	4.1	1.6	133.4	6.2	1.1
Private transportation	133.1	4.7	1.0	134.2	5.5	2.1	137.9	5.8	1.9	131.9	7.4	1.3
Motor fuel	103.7	7.9	3.2	104.6	9.3	5.1	104.3	10.5	4.8	109.1	14.8	3.3
Gasoline	103.6	8.0	3.2	102.8	9.5	5.7	103.7	11.1	5.2	109.0	14.7	3.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	101.6	9.1	3.7	101.8	10.9	5.8	101.5	8.9	5.5	107.3	16.3	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	108.7	-	3.2	103.9	-	4.3	108.2	-	4.2	116.6	-	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	106.0	6.7	3.0	103.3	7.6	6.5	109.3	11.3	4.0	110.3	13.0	2.7
Public transportation	171.7	2.0	.2	147.4	.2	-.9	128.9	-8.6	-.8	145.4	-1.6	.1
Medical care	212.8	4.7	.6	222.1	9.4	.0	251.8	4.8	.6	215.0	4.7	.2
Entertainment	150.7	2.8	.3	158.1	2.4	2.2	165.1	2.0	.5	162.7	4.8	1.8
Other goods and services	201.4	4.3	1.7	202.7	4.4	1.9	209.3	3.5	2.2	211.9	2.6	2.2
Personal care	145.1	1.9	.1	128.5	-2.7	-2.7	135.9	-.9	1.8	146.3	.4	1.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	149.4	3.0	.7	148.6	3.5	.3	155.7	2.4	1.2	150.2	2.4	1.3
Commodities	134.8	2.7	.8	134.6	3.5	.1	133.9	2.4	1.4	139.2	2.9	1.8
Food and beverages	145.6	2.7	.6	148.6	3.3	-1.8	151.4	3.3	1.1	147.2	2.7	.7
Commodities less food and beverages	128.1	2.6	1.0	126.9	3.7	1.3	123.0	2.0	1.5	133.8	3.0	2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	130.3	2.4	1.7	131.6	5.3	2.5	127.2	-.6	2.1	139.1	2.9	3.3
Durables	125.1	3.0	.0	122.6	1.5	-.3	121.1	6.3	.7	124.7	3.4	1.3
Services	164.4	3.2	.6	165.3	3.4	.4	177.0	2.4	1.0	161.1	2.0	.8
Medical care services	215.4	5.1	.7	226.2	10.5	.3	258.9	5.7	.7	213.3	5.1	.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	146.0	2.8	.8	147.6	4.0	.5	151.9	2.6	1.2	144.8	1.6	1.4
All items less medical care	145.8	2.8	.7	145.0	3.1	.3	151.1	2.2	1.2	146.9	2.2	1.3
All items less energy	155.0	2.9	.6	154.3	3.3	.1	164.2	2.2	1.1	156.6	3.0	1.2
All items less food and energy	157.5	3.0	.7	155.5	3.3	.5	167.3	2.1	1.1	159.3	3.0	1.3
Energy	108.2	2.9	1.3	111.9	4.5	1.9	98.3	5.0	1.8	101.5	-5.8	1.2
Commodities less food	129.0	2.5	.9	127.5	3.6	1.3	124.5	2.1	1.6	135.0	2.9	2.4
Nondurables less food	131.4	2.2	1.5	132.2	5.1	2.3	128.7	-.2	2.1	140.3	2.7	2.9
Nondurables	138.1	2.5	1.1	139.7	4.3	.3	139.1	1.3	1.5	143.3	2.7	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	172.2	3.1	.7	182.2	4.7	1.1	191.7	2.9	1.0	161.2	-.4	.9
Services less medical care services	159.6	3.0	.6	160.4	2.7	.4	170.4	2.0	1.0	156.8	1.6	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1											
	Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH			Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA			Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	146.3	3.2	1.8	152.7	1.7	0.7	144.5	3.8	0.8	159.0	2.4	0.5
All items (1967=100) 5	468.9	-	-	451.0	-	-	232.9	-	-	459.8	-	-
Food and beverages	146.0	3.2	1.7	148.7	2.5	.7	152.8	3.5	.3	152.7	2.6	.3
Food	146.6	3.4	1.7	146.8	2.6	.8	152.7	2.9	.3	152.4	2.6	.2
Food at home	141.8	3.1	2.5	150.9	3.5	1.1	148.2	4.8	.3	153.4	3.2	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	158.8	-2.5	-2.8	165.9	2.2	.0	152.4	1.7	-3.1	178.1	5.8	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	141.6	.2	1.2	144.2	.9	-1.1	132.9	5.7	2.2	145.8	.9	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	144.1	.1	1.0	141.8	.5	-1.3	134.9	5.7	2.0	147.5	1.0	.1
Dairy products	131.3	1.6	.5	146.5	1.9	-2.0	135.1	3.4	.1	128.5	.7	-1.4
Fruits and vegetables	161.6	10.1	7.3	170.6	7.8	3.5	205.1	5.2	-3.1	171.1	1.2	-2.3
Other food at home	124.8	6.8	5.4	140.5	4.9	4.2	132.0	6.2	4.4	150.1	8.5	2.5
Food away from home	156.8	4.0	.6	141.2	1.1	.4	160.1	1.2	.4	154.4	1.7	.7
Alcoholic beverages	140.0	.9	-.1	166.3	1.3	.2	151.1	8.3	.6	155.2	1.6	.5
Housing	143.6	1.6	.3	151.2	.9	.0	136.1	3.7	.6	160.9	2.9	.3
Shelter	157.6	2.5	.8	161.0	1.3	.3	143.6	5.2	.5	184.5	3.7	.7
Renters' costs 2	166.7	.7	-.7	170.0	1.1	.7	144.8	3.6	.5	186.4	1.9	-1.6
Rent, residential	149.3	1.7	.6	157.0	.8	.5	138.4	3.9	1.0	170.1	3.3	.9
Other renters' costs	195.7	-1.5	-3.5	197.1	1.8	1.2	177.4	2.2	-2.0	220.8	-2.4	-8.7
Homeowners' costs 2	155.1	3.2	1.4	170.2	1.4	.1	148.3	5.9	.5	192.7	4.8	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent 2	155.6	3.1	1.4	170.3	1.5	.2	146.5	5.2	.4	193.6	4.9	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	125.0	-.2	-.1	144.5	1.4	-.2	110.9	-2.5	-.4	114.2	1.2	-.3
Fuels	121.1	-.3	-.2	146.2	.8	-.1	103.2	-6.9	-.2	113.1	1.5	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	94.2	1.2	-.6	117.5	2.3	.1	148.3	-1.3	-1.7	92.2	-.8	-.2
Fuel oil	81.0	2.4	-1.2	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	91.6	-.9	-.2
Other household fuel commodities 3	121.2	.0	.0	117.5	2.2	.0	133.9	-1.3	-1.7	110.6	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	123.2	-.4	-.1	146.6	.8	-.1	102.5	-7.1	-.1	124.8	2.1	-.2
Electricity	149.7	.9	.9	161.7	1.8	-.1	101.1	-7.2	.0	130.5	.5	1.0
Utility (piped) gas	101.2	-2.0	-1.3	135.4	-1.4	-.1	136.1	-5.3	-2.5	115.1	5.5	-2.1
Household furnishings and operation	125.8	.6	-1.4	120.5	-1.3	-1.6	133.8	3.7	2.2	129.2	.4	-1.1
Apparel and upkeep	141.6	9.5	21.8	132.2	-2.0	8.0	144.4	5.0	.5	126.4	-4.5	2.4
Apparel commodities	140.6	10.1	23.6	128.8	-2.3	9.2	137.1	4.3	.3	122.4	-5.1	2.8
Men's and boys' apparel	145.5	-.9	9.8	126.8	-3.4	2.7	139.9	10.1	2.7	114.7	-2.7	5.9
Women's and girls' apparel	153.4	22.0	40.3	127.3	-.5	15.8	143.7	4.1	-3.0	119.8	-9.4	1.8
Footwear	106.0	.1	17.1	115.7	-2.4	2.3	139.9	1.3	-1.5	131.0	-3.9	-1.1
Transportation	130.0	4.3	.3	140.9	3.1	.4	136.0	4.1	.5	142.3	3.8	.6
Private transportation	131.0	4.2	.2	136.1	3.7	.4	136.1	4.5	.8	136.7	5.2	.9
Motor fuel	108.8	8.7	1.7	107.8	3.8	.7	113.6	6.3	4.1	99.1	6.0	3.2
Gasoline	108.6	9.1	1.8	107.4	3.7	.7	113.5	6.3	4.2	99.0	5.7	3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	107.0	9.3	1.9	105.6	4.9	1.2	110.4	7.4	4.2	96.1	6.5	3.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade 4	111.9	-	1.5	103.6	-	.3	108.7	-	3.3	102.9	-	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	112.7	9.6	1.5	111.3	3.4	1.0	116.4	5.6	5.0	102.8	4.8	3.1
Public transportation	119.9	4.2	1.8	203.5	-1.2	.0	132.4	-1.4	-2.8	165.7	-2.0	-.7
Medical care	197.7	5.0	1.5	216.2	3.5	.2	190.7	4.2	2.3	218.6	3.6	.2
Entertainment	144.3	3.0	-.5	134.9	-.8	-1.2	135.2	5.3	.3	153.2	1.8	-.5
Other goods and services	187.7	3.8	2.3	219.7	3.0	1.2	164.7	1.2	2.4	207.5	2.5	1.8
Personal care	139.1	8.8	.0	158.1	2.6	-.3	103.4	-.9	.0	158.8	2.5	-.9
Commodity and service group												
All items	146.3	3.2	1.8	152.7	1.7	.7	144.5	3.8	.8	159.0	2.4	.5
Commodities	139.1	3.7	3.1	135.6	1.5	1.0	141.4	4.0	.9	139.1	1.2	.5
Food and beverages	146.0	3.2	1.7	148.7	2.5	.7	152.8	3.5	.3	152.7	2.6	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	134.5	3.9	4.2	127.1	.8	1.2	133.3	4.3	1.2	128.1	.1	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	139.3	5.5	6.8	132.8	1.0	3.0	129.3	3.8	2.0	128.0	-1.2	1.6
Durables	122.3	1.2	-.4	118.6	.3	-1.6	139.7	5.0	.3	128.3	2.5	-.9
Services	154.5	2.9	.7	167.8	1.7	.4	147.3	3.7	.7	176.9	3.3	.6
Medical care services	190.4	6.4	1.8	219.7	3.6	.2	193.2	4.9	2.4	222.5	3.7	.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	142.7	3.5	2.1	150.2	1.8	.7	144.8	3.3	.8	149.7	1.8	.5
All items less medical care	143.8	3.2	1.9	149.2	1.5	.7	141.7	3.7	.6	156.1	2.4	.5
All items less energy	150.9	3.2	2.0	156.4	1.6	.6	148.7	4.1	.6	164.9	2.4	.5
All items less food and energy	151.7	3.1	2.0	158.7	1.3	.6	147.7	4.4	.8	168.1	2.4	.6
Energy	116.5	3.9	.8	120.7	2.4	.3	107.0	.0	2.2	107.7	3.0	.9
Commodities less food	134.6	3.8	3.9	129.1	.8	1.1	134.5	4.7	1.1	129.3	.2	.7
Nondurables less food	138.7	5.1	6.2	135.5	1.0	2.7	131.1	4.4	1.7	129.6	-.9	1.5
Nondurables	143.0	4.3	4.1	141.3	1.8	1.8	142.0	3.6	1.0	141.6	.9	.9
Services less rent of shelter 3	154.8	3.3	.5	183.7	2.1	.4	155.9	2.6	.9	175.7	2.6	.5
Services less medical care services	151.4	2.6	.5	163.5	1.6	.4	142.8	3.5	.4	173.3	3.2	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			St. Louis- East St. Louis, MO-IL			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA			Washington, DC-MD-VA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993
Expenditure category												
All items	156.2	3.4	0.6	143.4	3.6	1.1	149.4	2.0	0.3	153.7	2.7	1.3
All items (1967=100)	451.4	-	-	426.0	-	-	459.4	-	-	453.6	-	-
Food and beverages	144.0	2.7	1.1	143.8	2.1	.1	148.2	2.1	-3	144.7	2.0	1.2
Food	142.7	3.0	1.3	142.8	2.0	.1	148.1	2.3	-3	144.8	3.2	1.3
Food at home	149.7	4.2	1.6	138.6	1.3	.3	150.4	3.4	-8	147.9	5.0	2.3
Cereals and bakery products	172.6	6.0	2.6	153.3	4.7	1.7	165.2	4.2	.6	173.1	4.9	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	142.6	1.8	.8	123.0	.9	1.0	140.5	.9	-2.7	135.1	4.9	2.7
Meats, poultry, and fish	143.8	1.6	.6	124.7	1.4	.7	138.3	1.0	-2.2	136.4	5.2	2.5
Dairy products	129.8	2.6	1.0	130.9	-6.0	-3.7	138.5	2.9	-1.9	149.5	.9	2.0
Fruits and vegetables	155.0	2.8	-1.0	154.6	-1.5	.7	168.3	4.7	-2.2	164.6	3.4	1.7
Other food at home	152.5	8.2	4.2	144.0	5.5	.4	146.3	5.2	2.6	138.8	8.9	2.7
Food away from home	130.7	.7	.5	150.4	3.2	-2	145.9	.8	.2	142.5	.8	-1
Alcoholic beverages	161.1	-2	-1.0	149.4	2.5	.1	149.3	.5	2	144.2	-7.6	.4
Housing	157.4	2.7	.5	139.0	2.5	.1	152.7	2.0	.1	152.6	2.1	.7
Shelter	183.2	2.9	.4	150.5	3.6	.1	165.4	2.3	.1	163.3	2.8	.1
Renters' costs ²	200.1	4.2	-8	156.4	3.3	-1.3	187.2	3.0	.9	176.5	2.9	.2
Rent, residential	167.0	2.3	.7	138.1	3.3	.1	168.4	2.3	.0	162.5	1.6	.2
Other renters' costs	257.3	6.9	-2.9	185.0	3.4	-3.9	187.7	5.7	4.4	180.2	7.3	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	187.6	2.5	.9	157.2	3.5	.4	179.0	1.9	-3	165.2	2.5	-1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	188.5	2.4	.9	158.2	3.5	.4	179.7	2.0	-2	165.7	2.5	-1
Fuel and other utilities	125.8	1.9	.2	128.7	.9	.5	145.4	1.3	1.4	127.5	.3	1.0
Fuels	119.1	2.5	.3	123.4	-1.4	-4	155.8	1.6	3.2	115.9	-7	1.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.6	-6	1.8	87.3	-3.4	.1	152.6	1.8	5.7	92.8	-7	.9
Fuel oil	81.3	-6	1.8	80.6	.1	.4	105.1	10.1	14.9	85.0	-2.6	1.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	NA	-	-	108.3	-5.7	.0	175.5	1.2	5.1	163.2	5.2	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	138.2	2.9	.1	128.4	-1.3	-5	156.0	1.6	3.1	125.5	-7	1.8
Electricity	160.5	1.4	.2	172.4	-4	.2	180.7	-2	.0	139.1	.9	2.0
Utility (piped) gas	105.8	7.0	-1	87.2	-2.9	-1.7	129.3	5.4	9.8	105.1	-3.6	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	116.6	2.9	2.2	122.0	.7	-2	113.8	.6	-1.3	140.1	1.4	3.0
Apparel and upkeep	105.2	-1	-2.4	131.3	8.3	8.2	117.8	-1.8	2.9	144.9	.4	5.8
Apparel commodities	100.8	-1	-2.7	129.9	9.0	8.9	113.2	-2.2	3.2	141.0	.5	6.5
Men's and boys' apparel	107.4	1.0	6.0	116.7	-3.8	-2.3	113.4	-2.5	-2.7	141.3	-3.7	3.2
Women's and girls' apparel	83.3	-2.8	-7.8	131.0	20.6	22.9	97.4	1.7	8.5	142.2	-3	10.1
Footwear	108.1	-4.8	1.4	98.1	-12.9	5.1	127.4	-5.6	-5.2	138.1	.3	10.6
Transportation	145.1	4.2	1.1	132.3	5.8	1.1	126.3	3.4	.2	136.9	3.4	.0
Private transportation	143.3	5.1	1.1	134.1	6.3	1.2	121.5	2.2	.7	137.8	3.9	.1
Motor fuel	104.9	8.5	4.0	103.6	13.5	2.2	110.8	4.8	1.9	106.8	8.3	3.7
Gasoline	104.0	8.2	4.1	102.8	13.8	2.4	110.0	4.8	1.9	106.5	8.7	3.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	102.9	10.8	4.5	99.3	16.5	2.8	106.7	5.0	2.3	103.9	8.3	4.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.0	-	4.2	115.0	-	1.5	106.2	-	1.5	102.5	-	2.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	101.0	5.4	3.4	106.1	10.6	2.1	112.2	4.4	1.5	107.6	6.7	2.8
Public transportation	163.6	-5.0	.7	118.3	-1.7	-2	167.4	8.8	-3.0	136.7	-1	-7
Medical care	225.5	5.3	.3	204.2	5.1	.8	205.7	2.2	1.2	205.6	4.4	.5
Entertainment	160.1	6.5	-1.1	142.0	4.1	1.1	162.7	-1	-7	159.9	3.9	3.0
Other goods and services	225.0	5.8	1.5	177.0	3.9	4.9	216.9	3.5	2.7	212.2	4.7	2.4
Personal care	186.6	4.7	-1	111.4	-10.2	-1.2	155.4	-8	-3	161.2	3.2	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	156.2	3.4	.6	143.4	3.6	1.1	149.4	2.0	.3	153.7	2.7	1.3
Commodities	130.3	3.3	.6	133.9	3.8	1.3	133.3	1.4	.2	138.9	2.5	2.3
Food and beverages	144.0	2.7	1.1	143.8	2.1	.1	148.2	2.1	-3	144.7	2.0	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	121.6	3.8	.4	127.7	5.0	2.1	123.2	.7	.5	135.7	3.0	3.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	121.7	3.3	-2	129.9	7.2	3.2	126.0	.3	1.4	133.6	2.5	3.8
Durables	122.7	4.5	1.2	123.3	1.9	.4	118.5	1.5	-9	140.0	3.6	1.8
Services	183.6	3.4	.5	154.4	3.5	1.0	163.3	2.4	.5	167.3	2.7	.5
Medical care services	228.4	5.9	.3	206.5	5.4	.6	206.4	2.9	1.5	205.0	4.5	.5
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	148.5	3.6	.7	142.1	3.6	1.4	145.0	1.9	.6	150.3	2.6	1.7
All items less medical care	152.8	3.3	.6	139.9	3.6	1.1	146.9	2.0	.3	151.0	2.6	1.3
All items less energy	162.2	3.3	.5	147.9	3.6	1.2	152.6	1.9	.2	159.2	2.6	1.1
All items less food and energy	167.5	3.4	.4	149.2	3.9	1.4	153.8	1.9	.3	162.4	2.5	1.1
Energy	113.1	4.5	1.5	113.9	4.7	.7	127.8	3.1	2.6	110.7	3.6	2.7
Commodities less food	123.2	3.6	.3	128.7	4.9	1.9	124.7	.7	.5	136.0	2.3	2.8
Nondurables less food	124.2	3.0	-2	131.1	6.8	2.9	127.8	.4	1.3	134.0	1.4	3.5
Nondurables	133.2	2.9	.5	137.4	4.4	1.6	137.5	1.3	.4	139.1	2.1	2.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	189.3	3.9	.7	162.0	3.5	1.8	168.7	2.5	1.0	178.4	2.8	.8
Services less medical care services	180.0	3.3	.6	149.2	3.3	1.0	160.5	2.4	.4	164.1	2.6	.5

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see table 10) will appear next month.

² Indexes are on a November 1982=100 base in Baltimore, Boston, Miami, St. Louis, Washington. Indexes are on a December 1982=100 base in the U.S., Chicago, Cleveland, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco.

³ Indexes on a November 1986=100 base in Baltimore, Boston,

Cleveland, Miami, St. Louis, and Washington. Indexes on a December 1986=100 base in U.S., Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) Selected areas, all items index

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Indexes				Percent change to Sept. 1994 from—			Percent change to Aug. 1994 from—		
		June 1994	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Aug. 1994	Aug. 1993	June 1994	July 1994
U.S. city average	M	145.4	145.8	146.5	146.9	3.0	0.8	0.3	2.9	0.8	0.5
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	152.3	152.7	153.4	153.7	2.8	.7	.2	2.7	.7	.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	151.9	152.2	153.1	153.3	2.7	.7	.1	2.7	.8	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	151.4	152.3	152.8	152.7	3.2	.3	-.1	3.0	.9	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	154.6	154.4	155.2	156.0	3.0	1.0	.5	2.6	.4	.5
North Central urban	M	140.9	141.3	142.2	142.5	3.3	.8	.2	3.3	.9	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	141.4	141.6	142.6	142.9	3.0	.9	.2	3.2	.8	.7
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	139.5	140.1	141.0	140.6	3.5	.4	-.3	4.0	1.1	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	142.2	142.6	143.6	144.3	4.1	1.2	.5	3.5	1.0	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	138.4	138.9	139.5	140.0	3.5	.8	.4	3.9	.8	.4
South urban	M	143.2	143.6	144.1	144.5	3.0	.6	.3	2.8	.6	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	143.4	143.6	144.1	144.3	3.0	.5	.1	2.6	.5	.3
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	143.2	143.7	144.5	144.9	3.4	.8	.3	3.4	.9	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	143.3	143.7	144.2	144.7	2.6	.7	.3	2.6	.6	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	142.7	142.9	143.2	143.7	3.1	.6	.3	2.6	.4	.2
West urban	M	146.1	146.7	147.2	147.7	2.6	.7	.3	2.5	.8	.3
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	146.0	146.5	146.9	147.2	2.3	.5	.2	2.2	.6	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	146.4	147.7	148.6	149.6	4.3	1.3	.7	3.8	1.5	.6
Size classes											
A ³	M	133.3	133.6	134.3	134.5	2.7	.7	.1	2.7	.8	.5
B	M	145.0	145.5	146.3	146.5	3.3	.7	.1	3.3	.9	.5
C	M	145.6	146.1	146.8	147.5	3.3	1.0	.5	3.0	.8	.5
D	M	142.8	143.2	143.4	144.1	3.2	.6	.5	2.9	.4	.1
Selected local areas ⁴											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	143.6	143.7	145.1	145.4	2.3	1.2	.2	2.5	1.0	1.0
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	146.1	146.5	146.8	147.3	1.6	.5	.3	1.3	.5	.2
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	154.2	154.4	155.3	155.5	2.4	.7	.1	2.4	.7	.6
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	154.2	154.9	155.3	155.9	3.3	.6	.4	3.3	.7	.3
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	145.7	146.6	147.1	147.1	1.9	.3	.0	2.2	1.0	.3
Baltimore, MD	1	-	147.3	-	147.8	3.5	.3	-	-	-	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	-	152.9	-	154.7	2.5	1.2	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	-	136.3	-	138.9	3.2	1.9	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	-	141.4	-	142.5	3.6	.8	-	-	-	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	-	141.4	-	143.0	3.9	1.1	-	-	-	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	-	149.4	-	151.5	2.7	1.4	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	140.6	-	141.6	-	-	-	-	2.6	.7	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	140.2	-	141.0	-	-	-	-	3.9	.6	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	137.0	-	138.8	-	-	-	-	4.6	1.3	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	137.8	-	139.4	-	-	-	-	3.9	1.2	-

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 defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁴ In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Atlanta, GA; Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder, CO; Honolulu, HI;

Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA; San Diego, CA; and Seattle-Tacoma, WA.

The following metropolitan areas are published annually and appear in tables 16A and 23A of the January issue of the CPI Detailed Report: New Orleans, LA and Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

- 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 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	153.7	2.8	0.2	142.5	3.3	0.2	144.5	3.0	0.3	147.7	2.6	0.3
All items (December 1977=100)	240.1	-	-	230.5	-	-	234.0	-	-	237.6	-	-
Food and beverages	149.7	2.7	.2	142.3	2.3	.1	142.7	3.0	.1	146.0	2.3	.2
Food	149.2	2.8	.1	141.5	2.3	.1	142.7	3.2	.2	145.2	2.5	.3
Food at home	150.2	3.6	.0	141.1	2.5	.1	140.7	4.1	.2	146.2	3.2	.3
Cereals and bakery products	170.7	5.0	.3	163.9	3.8	.2	159.0	6.0	.3	164.5	3.0	-.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	143.8	1.3	.1	135.1	.0	-.1	132.3	2.2	1.2	137.5	.4	-.5
Dairy products	127.5	.8	-.1	131.6	1.0	-.6	128.3	1.4	-.2	138.7	1.8	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	167.8	3.2	-.4	151.1	1.6	.4	164.4	4.2	-1.9	167.7	5.5	3.3
Other food at home	148.3	7.9	.2	135.7	5.9	.4	134.9	7.0	.6	137.9	5.4	.2
Sugar and sweets	142.0	2.7	-.3	134.8	2.6	.4	131.8	2.6	.9	135.2	-1.5	-.2
Fats and oils	144.3	4.5	.1	130.9	3.0	.7	129.8	3.8	.0	133.0	1.2	-.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	141.9	14.1	.1	128.0	14.9	.5	125.9	13.9	1.1	128.2	15.8	.5
Other prepared food	158.1	5.0	.4	144.0	1.2	.1	146.6	4.3	.4	148.3	2.4	.3
Food away from home	149.6	1.6	.3	142.8	2.1	.2	147.5	1.4	.1	143.9	1.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages	155.4	1.3	.4	151.4	1.5	.0	142.6	.5	.0	154.0	.4	.1
Housing	154.8	2.7	-.1	136.2	2.0	.1	137.0	2.3	.1	146.2	2.5	.1
Shelter	178.7	3.2	-.2	149.9	3.7	.0	144.8	3.3	.1	156.9	2.8	.4
Renters' costs ²	162.4	2.3	-2.3	145.1	2.9	-1.2	138.0	3.2	-.6	148.7	2.3	.2
Rent, residential	166.6	2.5	.3	150.3	2.9	.3	142.9	3.2	.4	157.1	2.1	.3
Other renters' costs	222.6	1.8	-10.6	171.9	2.9	-5.8	182.5	3.5	-5.6	200.8	2.8	-.5
Homeowners' costs ²	168.1	3.7	.8	149.9	4.0	.5	137.8	3.4	.6	153.0	3.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	168.8	3.7	.8	150.2	4.0	.5	137.3	3.2	.5	153.1	3.2	.6
Maintenance and repairs	131.8	-	-.5	131.6	6.6	1.3	131.1	3.0	.1	130.5	.5	.6
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	144.0	6.9	1.1	132.7	2.6	.5	130.7	4.1	.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	117.6	2.4	.5	117.1	6.3	1.6	129.0	3.4	-.5	126.5	-2.3	.6
Fuel and other utilities	118.9	1.9	.2	119.4	-2.6	-.3	130.5	.0	-.3	132.2	1.9	.0
Fuels	110.6	2.3	.3	106.4	-5.0	.0	118.4	-1.9	-.7	128.1	2.5	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	84.2	-1.2	.0	83.8	-.9	.0	94.3	-1.8	.0	99.1	-.7	1.3
Fuel oil	83.4	-1.1	-.1	80.6	-1.0	-.5	83.5	-3.0	.1	103.9	-.2	2.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	110.3	-2.3	.0	113.0	-1.0	.4	123.1	-1.0	.1	115.3	-.9	1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.4	3.2	.3	111.9	-5.2	.0	122.1	-1.8	-.7	131.0	2.5	.0
Electricity	138.8	1.7	.4	126.2	-2.8	-.2	125.4	-1.9	-.6	145.3	2.4	.1
Utility (piped) gas	110.3	6.4	.1	98.1	-8.3	.2	110.9	-1.9	-.9	115.3	2.7	.1
Other utilities and public services	152.1	1.0	-.1	150.2	.7	-.6	155.1	2.1	.1	144.5	1.5	.0
Household furnishings and operation	120.1	1.1	-.1	118.3	1.3	.4	121.5	2.3	.3	120.6	1.5	-.9
Housefurnishings	106.6	.9	-.5	107.6	1.2	.5	113.9	1.6	.4	110.9	1.9	-1.8
Housekeeping supplies	139.2	1.2	.6	135.3	.5	.2	126.2	5.0	-.2	131.4	-.8	.8
Housekeeping services	145.9	1.4	.3	136.0	2.5	.8	145.2	2.0	.4	139.2	2.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep	126.3	-2.0	1.9	133.0	1.4	2.7	143.2	-.5	1.5	127.7	.3	2.8
Apparel commodities	122.9	-2.3	2.1	131.6	1.3	2.9	139.7	-.9	1.7	124.2	.1	3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	125.0	1.1	4.6	128.8	1.4	.9	134.5	-.2	1.3	122.2	-.2	1.8
Women's and girls' apparel	115.8	-5.7	.6	133.0	1.7	5.8	146.0	-2.7	2.9	119.7	1.7	7.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	142.8	5.0	4.8	137.0	5.5	-2.1	125.4	-4.4	1.7	118.3	8.8	-1.0
Footwear	125.8	-2.1	1.0	129.4	-2.0	1.6	125.3	1.1	.1	121.3	-.9	-1.0
Other apparel commodities	156.1	2.2	2.4	140.9	5.2	-1.4	158.7	3.3	.3	147.3	-4.9	-1.3
Apparel services	157.8	.9	.1	143.3	3.4	.6	168.3	3.8	.2	153.6	1.9	.6
Transportation	137.3	4.6	.3	133.4	6.1	-.4	134.3	4.0	.2	136.9	4.0	.1
Private transportation	134.6	5.1	.4	131.6	6.2	-.4	133.5	4.1	.2	134.7	4.2	.4
New vehicles	137.1	5.5	.4	137.7	4.1	.1	140.5	3.6	-.1	137.9	3.7	.0
New cars	134.8	5.3	.4	133.4	3.8	.1	139.6	3.2	-.1	133.2	2.5	-.1
Used cars	146.3	4.6	.9	146.6	5.7	1.0	147.2	4.0	1.0	143.6	4.9	1.0
Motor fuel	101.5	7.4	.6	104.2	11.8	-2.5	101.3	6.3	.1	107.9	5.7	.3
Gasoline	101.3	7.4	.6	104.3	12.2	-2.6	101.4	6.6	.1	107.9	6.1	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.4	8.5	.5	103.0	13.4	-2.5	98.1	7.2	.2	105.7	6.7	.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.9	-	.6	115.4	-	-2.2	108.2	-	.2	106.0	-	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	103.8	6.2	.9	107.9	10.4	-2.8	105.3	5.9	.2	110.1	5.4	.2
Maintenance and repairs	160.2	2.1	.3	142.1	4.3	.1	150.0	3.2	.1	156.8	2.5	.8
Other private transportation	162.4	4.4	-.1	151.7	4.5	.2	164.1	3.1	.1	156.5	3.4	.1
Other private transportation commodities	103.6	1.0	.1	101.6	.7	-.1	101.5	-1.8	.1	101.6	.4	-.7
Other private transportation services	174.0	4.9	-.1	163.0	5.3	.3	182.4	4.1	.1	171.0	4.3	.2
Public transportation	163.1	.0	-.5	173.0	4.2	-.4	155.3	2.6	.4	178.8	3.2	-1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
Medical care	219.5	4.6	0.2	208.2	5.6	0.4	210.5	4.5	0.3	211.4	3.5	0.0
Medical care commodities	202.0	2.5	-.2	203.1	2.5	-.1	196.5	2.8	.2	198.4	2.3	-.2
Medical care services	223.3	4.9	.3	209.4	6.2	.5	213.8	4.8	.3	214.4	3.7	.0
Professional medical services	204.4	3.9	.3	191.5	6.0	.5	194.9	4.3	.3	189.0	2.7	.0
Entertainment	155.8	2.7	.3	147.5	3.0	.1	145.7	3.7	.6	145.4	1.1	-.1
Entertainment commodities	138.7	2.6	.1	138.7	2.8	.1	133.7	3.1	.4	132.3	.2	-.3
Entertainment services	179.1	2.9	.3	159.7	3.2	.2	166.2	4.5	.7	164.3	2.2	.1
Other goods and services	208.3	2.9	.6	197.6	6.1	1.3	190.8	4.6	.2	200.2	3.1	.8
Tobacco and smoking products	213.0	-1.6	-.2	234.8	8.8	-.1	210.2	1.6	-.9	229.6	1.5	-.5
Personal care	155.1	2.0	-.1	139.5	1.6	1.1	139.0	3.2	.0	149.5	.9	-.6
Personal and educational expenses	236.6	5.4	1.2	213.4	5.7	2.6	218.0	6.9	1.0	229.8	4.6	2.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	153.7	2.8	.2	142.5	3.3	.2	144.5	3.0	.3	147.7	2.6	.3
Commodities	135.8	2.2	.4	133.2	3.5	.2	134.8	2.7	.4	134.4	2.4	.3
Food and beverages	149.7	2.7	.2	142.3	2.3	.1	142.7	3.0	.1	146.0	2.3	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	126.1	1.8	.6	128.1	4.3	.3	130.1	2.5	.5	127.2	2.3	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	125.5	.9	.8	132.2	4.9	.3	131.7	2.3	.5	129.6	2.1	1.1
Apparel commodities	122.9	-2.3	2.1	131.6	1.3	2.9	139.7	-.9	1.7	124.2	.1	3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	130.2	2.5	.2	135.1	6.5	-.8	130.9	4.1	.0	135.1	3.1	.3
Durables	124.7	3.6	.1	121.5	3.4	.4	126.9	2.8	.3	124.2	2.6	-.6
Services	175.3	3.3	.0	154.5	3.2	.3	156.8	3.3	.2	162.2	2.9	.3
Rent of shelter ²	166.8	3.2	-.2	148.8	3.7	.0	137.6	3.2	.2	151.3	2.9	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ²	128.4	1.8	.1	120.4	-1.7	-.1	130.1	.6	-.2	130.4	2.0	.0
Transportation services	168.4	3.1	-.1	159.3	4.9	.1	169.9	3.7	.2	168.8	3.6	.1
Medical care services	223.3	4.9	.3	209.4	6.2	.5	213.8	4.8	.3	214.4	3.7	.0
Other services	201.0	4.4	.9	172.9	4.3	1.4	182.3	5.6	.7	182.3	3.4	1.1
Special indexes												
All items less food	154.7	2.8	.2	142.6	3.6	.2	144.7	2.9	.3	148.2	2.7	.3
All items less shelter	146.5	2.7	.3	141.2	3.2	.4	144.7	2.8	.3	145.1	2.6	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	141.4	2.6	.1	135.7	3.2	.2	137.1	2.9	.2	138.9	2.6	.3
All items less medical care	151.0	2.7	.2	139.5	3.2	.2	140.7	2.9	.3	144.7	2.6	.3
Commodities less food	127.4	1.8	.6	129.0	4.2	.3	130.4	2.4	.4	128.5	2.2	.4
Nondurables less food	127.3	1.0	.8	133.2	4.6	.2	132.0	2.2	.5	131.2	1.9	1.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	131.8	2.3	.2	135.9	6.0	-.7	131.1	3.7	.0	135.9	2.6	.2
Nondurables	138.2	1.9	.4	137.4	3.5	.2	137.3	2.7	.4	138.2	2.2	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	157.8	3.3	.3	146.4	2.7	.3	154.7	3.3	.2	156.6	3.1	.3
Services less medical care services	171.7	3.1	.0	149.8	2.8	.2	150.8	3.1	.2	158.2	2.9	.4
Energy	106.1	4.3	.5	104.9	2.9	-1.3	107.8	2.0	-.3	115.8	4.3	.3
All items less energy	160.5	2.7	.2	148.2	3.3	.3	149.8	3.0	.3	151.7	2.6	.3
All items less food and energy	163.8	2.6	.2	149.9	3.6	.4	151.6	3.1	.3	153.4	2.5	.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	137.2	1.2	.6	136.3	3.0	.8	138.6	1.9	.4	134.9	1.7	.4
Energy commodities	97.3	5.4	.4	103.5	11.3	-2.5	101.3	5.9	.1	108.7	5.6	.3
Services less energy services	180.4	3.3	.1	160.1	4.0	.3	161.0	3.7	.2	164.8	3.0	.4

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	134.5	2.7	0.1	146.5	3.3	0.1	147.5	3.3	0.5	144.1	3.2	0.5
All items (December 1977 = 100)	134.5	-	-	236.5	-	-	236.3	-	-	232.9	-	-
Food and beverages	131.4	2.6	.1	144.8	2.7	.3	143.4	2.3	-.1	141.3	2.8	.5
Food	131.0	2.8	.2	144.7	2.9	.3	142.8	2.4	-.1	140.7	2.8	.6
Food at home	133.7	3.5	.1	145.8	3.8	.6	140.5	2.8	-.3	138.4	3.1	.7
Cereals and bakery products	148.7	5.0	.1	162.6	3.4	.0	157.4	4.1	-.2	165.6	4.9	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	127.3	.8	-.1	138.6	3.1	1.4	131.7	.1	-.1	129.6	.5	.9
Dairy products	126.9	1.1	-.9	132.0	1.2	.3	125.4	2.4	.7	125.5	.0	-.7
Fruits and vegetables	147.9	4.9	.5	171.1	3.3	1.0	160.1	.6	-1.7	153.9	1.7	-.4
Other food at home	128.3	6.3	.5	138.8	6.4	-.2	139.3	7.0	-.1	132.9	7.0	1.5
Sugar and sweets	124.5	1.5	-.5	135.4	2.4	1.1	135.6	2.7	.7	127.6	.0	1.5
Fats and oils	126.7	2.5	.2	131.0	1.3	-1.1	134.9	6.0	1.0	130.7	4.2	.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	123.2	14.3	1.5	128.1	14.3	-1.0	131.4	14.6	-1.1	120.9	17.3	1.3
Other prepared food	134.6	2.8	.1	152.7	3.5	.2	148.6	3.3	.1	144.3	4.0	1.9
Food away from home	126.6	1.6	.2	144.1	1.7	.0	148.4	1.9	.4	145.8	2.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages	136.2	1.0	.1	146.4	.0	.0	150.9	1.2	.3	149.4	1.8	-.3
Housing	130.3	2.1	-.1	143.5	2.6	-.2	144.6	2.8	.6	139.1	3.1	.4
Shelter	135.8	3.0	.0	156.3	3.1	-.3	162.2	4.2	.6	155.0	4.4	.6
Renters' costs ³	133.4	2.5	-.6	155.3	2.7	-.3	143.4	3.3	-.1	140.8	3.2	.3
Rent, residential	128.8	2.4	.2	153.9	2.8	.4	149.4	3.0	.7	146.3	3.6	.6
Other renters' costs	162.1	2.6	-4.4	221.3	2.4	-12.3	176.4	4.2	-3.6	172.9	.8	-1.2
Homeowners' costs ³	137.2	3.2	.3	151.4	3.3	1.1	154.7	4.5	.8	146.7	5.1	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ³	137.5	3.2	.4	151.7	3.3	1.1	155.1	4.5	.9	146.3	5.0	.8
Maintenance and repairs	118.4	-.8	.8	132.7	2.1	-.3	140.1	3.1	-.6	124.9	-	1.4
Maintenance and repair services	122.2	-3.0	.7	NA	-	-	153.3	4.9	-.8	NA	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities	113.9	2.1	.8	127.5	7.4	-.5	122.8	.1	-.2	117.9	-.1	3.6
Fuel and other utilities	124.0	-.8	-.4	129.7	2.0	-.2	125.9	-.2	.6	123.3	1.4	-.3
Fuels	125.0	-2.3	-.7	113.0	.7	-.3	113.3	-1.0	1.3	108.9	3.0	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	124.7	-1.0	.0	84.7	-2.3	.1	86.5	-.6	.5	79.6	-1.5	-.4
Fuel oil	126.4	-.9	-.1	82.0	-2.5	.0	80.1	-.4	.8	75.1	-1.8	-1.1
Other household fuel commodities ²	119.3	-1.3	.1	114.7	-2.0	.3	114.8	-.9	.1	113.0	-1.3	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	125.0	-2.4	-.7	120.9	1.0	-.3	122.1	-1.1	1.3	118.8	3.5	.7
Electricity	132.7	-2.2	-.5	132.1	1.6	.2	129.3	-.4	.2	129.2	2.8	.5
Utility (piped) gas	113.0	-2.7	-1.1	101.4	-.8	-1.7	111.9	-2.9	4.8	101.4	5.4	1.1
Other utilities and public services	122.7	1.2	.0	166.0	3.4	.0	152.7	.7	-.1	154.5	-.3	-1.3
Household furnishings and operation	114.4	1.5	-.2	121.3	1.6	.0	116.7	2.2	.3	117.2	.9	.3
Housefurnishings	107.4	1.2	-.6	113.8	1.2	.0	106.0	2.7	.3	106.3	.7	.9
Housekeeping supplies	126.1	2.4	.9	124.6	.8	-.8	129.8	.2	.2	127.7	.2	-1.0
Housekeeping services	127.1	1.4	.2	143.8	3.5	.6	142.0	2.5	1.0	142.5	-	.5
Apparel and upkeep	123.0	-1.0	1.9	133.3	1.8	2.9	139.3	.2	2.1	134.0	1.2	2.5
Apparel commodities	122.1	-1.4	2.1	130.2	1.7	3.1	137.1	-.1	2.3	131.7	.9	2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	118.1	-.9	2.1	129.1	2.4	1.3	134.0	1.7	2.0	130.4	5.1	3.6
Women's and girls' apparel	118.7	-3.5	2.8	138.9	2.4	6.8	137.7	.8	4.6	135.8	-.1	5.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	116.7	8.3	2.1	122.5	1.2	-1.4	144.0	-1.5	1.5	103.2	-18.5	-2.9
Footwear	124.4	-1.0	2.0	116.1	-2.0	-1.9	126.8	-.2	-1.2	128.8	.5	-1.2
Other apparel commodities	150.9	2.8	.1	123.4	1.9	-.4	165.3	-7.4	-.5	145.0	7.6	-.8
Apparel services	132.1	1.9	.3	158.2	2.7	.1	164.2	4.7	.4	153.4	3.8	.1
Transportation	134.9	4.7	.1	134.7	4.6	.0	133.4	4.5	.1	134.4	5.1	.3
Private transportation	134.9	5.0	.1	133.2	4.7	.0	131.8	4.6	.1	132.0	5.1	.3
New vehicles	121.5	4.2	.2	138.5	3.8	.4	137.9	4.2	-.1	140.0	4.0	.1
New cars	119.1	3.7	.1	133.6	3.6	.1	135.8	4.1	.0	136.6	3.6	-.1
Used cars	136.9	4.7	1.0	148.2	5.3	1.0	145.8	4.5	.9	143.2	4.6	1.0
Motor fuel	153.1	8.4	-.5	101.1	6.8	-1.1	102.4	8.7	-.5	99.9	6.7	.1
Gasoline	153.2	8.5	-.5	101.1	7.0	-1.2	102.8	9.0	-.7	99.8	7.1	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	153.2	9.8	-.5	98.4	7.8	-1.4	100.4	10.0	-.6	96.2	7.4	.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	107.7	-	.0	107.6	-	-.9	111.9	-	-.7	110.2	-	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	145.0	6.8	-.1	104.8	6.4	-.6	106.3	7.4	-.6	101.8	6.2	-.1
Maintenance and repairs	135.4	2.8	.2	155.9	3.9	.8	148.0	3.2	.1	139.4	2.5	.5
Other private transportation	135.3	3.9	.1	156.8	4.0	-.3	158.7	2.5	.5	155.4	6.1	.3
Other private transportation commodities	105.5	-.1	-.1	100.1	-.5	-.2	101.7	-1.2	-.6	117.4	2.4	-.1
Other private transportation services	142.3	4.6	.1	171.1	4.8	-.3	174.8	3.2	.7	165.3	6.9	.4
Public transportation	134.7	2.0	-1.0	179.7	2.2	.3	185.9	3.7	.2	201.5	3.4	-.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category												
Medical care	168.6	4.3	0.2	210.2	4.7	0.3	214.6	5.1	0.4	206.1	5.2	0.3
Medical care commodities	161.4	2.4	-.1	196.4	2.8	.1	196.9	3.4	-.3	199.0	1.8	.4
Medical care services	170.2	4.6	-.2	213.2	5.0	.3	218.4	5.4	.6	207.9	6.0	.3
Professional medical services	155.7	3.9	.2	188.4	3.3	.2	201.4	5.0	.5	198.8	6.6	.3
Entertainment	132.3	2.2	.3	144.4	3.8	-.2	154.8	3.5	.4	135.2	.7	.0
Entertainment commodities	125.7	1.9	.2	131.4	3.1	-.6	141.1	2.9	.4	127.3	.9	.0
Entertainment services	139.6	2.7	.3	165.6	4.7	.4	177.3	4.1	.4	147.7	.6	-.1
Other goods and services	162.4	3.9	.8	198.7	4.8	.0	194.2	6.1	1.1	190.1	1.3	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	176.6	3.0	-.1	220.6	3.9	-.1.6	220.5	4.5	.5	206.0	-2.1	-1.5
Personal care	129.9	1.6	-.2	142.5	2.4	.6	146.1	4.1	1.2	131.8	.2	-.2
Personal and educational expenses	168.6	5.2	1.7	226.6	6.2	.9	214.1	7.9	1.6	220.1	4.1	1.5
Commodity and service group												
All items	134.5	2.7	.1	146.5	3.3	.1	147.5	3.3	.5	144.1	3.2	.5
Commodities	130.0	2.6	.3	133.6	3.0	.3	134.6	2.9	.3	132.8	2.5	.5
Food and beverages	131.4	2.6	.1	144.8	2.7	.3	143.4	2.3	-.1	141.3	2.8	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	129.0	2.7	.4	127.2	3.2	.3	129.3	3.3	.5	127.7	2.2	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	137.2	2.4	.7	127.9	3.3	.4	131.3	3.3	.8	127.8	1.9	.6
Apparel commodities	122.1	-1.4	2.1	130.2	1.7	3.1	137.1	-.1	2.3	131.7	.9	2.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	146.1	4.4	.1	129.5	4.1	-.8	131.5	4.9	.1	127.7	2.2	-.2
Durables	118.3	3.0	.0	124.9	3.0	.3	125.3	3.4	.2	125.3	2.8	.5
Services	138.7	2.7	.1	162.3	3.6	.0	164.6	3.7	.7	159.5	4.0	.4
Rent of shelter ³	136.1	3.0	.0	152.8	3.2	-.3	151.6	4.1	.5	144.7	4.5	.7
Household services less rent of shelter ³	124.4	-.3	-.2	131.5	2.3	-.1	126.4	.3	.6	126.1	1.8	-.2
Transportation services	139.1	3.7	-.1	167.9	4.2	.0	168.1	3.3	.5	163.3	5.4	.3
Medical care services	170.2	4.6	.2	213.2	5.0	.3	218.4	5.4	.6	207.9	6.0	.3
Other services	152.0	3.9	1.1	186.2	5.3	.8	183.7	6.5	1.1	176.3	3.0	.9
Special indexes												
All items less food	135.3	2.7	.2	146.8	3.3	.1	148.4	3.5	.6	144.7	3.4	.4
All items less shelter	134.0	2.6	.2	144.2	3.3	.3	143.6	3.0	.4	141.6	2.9	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ³	133.9	2.6	.1	138.5	3.4	.0	137.1	3.1	.4	134.9	3.0	.4
All items less medical care	132.9	2.6	.2	143.4	3.2	.1	144.1	3.2	.5	140.4	3.1	.5
Commodities less food	129.4	2.5	.4	127.8	3.0	.2	130.1	3.2	.5	128.4	2.2	.5
Nondurables less food	137.1	2.2	.7	128.8	3.0	.4	132.2	3.0	.7	128.9	2.0	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	144.6	3.9	.1	130.2	3.6	-.7	132.4	4.4	.2	128.9	2.2	-.2
Nondurables	134.0	2.4	.4	136.5	3.0	.4	137.3	2.8	.3	134.8	2.4	.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	141.5	2.6	.1	155.7	3.9	.2	153.8	3.3	.7	150.6	3.7	.2
Services less medical care services	136.3	2.6	.1	157.6	3.3	-.1	159.4	3.5	.6	153.9	3.8	.5
Energy	137.7	2.8	-.6	105.9	3.5	-.7	106.4	3.3	.4	103.5	4.7	.3
All items less energy	134.3	2.8	.3	152.2	3.3	.2	153.7	3.4	.5	150.0	3.1	.5
All items less food and energy	135.0	2.7	.2	154.2	3.4	.1	156.5	3.6	.6	152.4	3.2	.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	126.5	1.8	.6	135.7	2.6	.5	138.6	2.4	.6	136.6	1.6	.6
Energy commodities	150.7	7.7	-.5	99.5	6.0	-1.0	101.2	7.8	-.5	98.0	6.1	.1
Services less energy services	139.8	3.2	.1	167.1	3.8	.0	169.9	4.2	.6	164.6	4.1	.4

¹ See region and area size on table 10 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
Expenditure category									
All items	153.3	2.7	0.1	152.7	3.2	-0.1	156.0	3.0	0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	234.3	-	-	243.6	-	-	259.4	-	-
Food and beverages	149.3	2.5	.1	152.5	3.2	.2	147.7	2.9	-.1
Food	148.9	2.7	.1	152.3	3.5	.3	147.2	3.2	-.1
Food at home	150.0	3.2	-.1	155.9	5.2	.7	143.8	3.5	-.3
Cereals and bakery products	172.7	5.8	.1	163.7	5.1	.9	169.9	2.7	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	143.0	.6	-.2	151.5	5.2	2.2	140.1	.9	-1.1
Dairy products	128.0	.6	-.5	131.4	.1	-.8	117.2	2.4	1.8
Fruits and vegetables	167.2	3.0	-.5	172.9	1.6	-.2	161.3	5.1	-1.0
Other food at home	147.2	7.4	.5	160.2	10.3	-.1	139.0	6.7	-.7
Food away from home	148.6	1.6	.5	149.8	.9	-.4	155.3	2.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages	155.4	1.4	.4	157.7	.6	-.1	153.1	1.3	1.0
Housing	152.5	2.7	-.2	154.1	2.2	-.8	162.5	2.6	.4
Shelter	173.6	3.5	-.2	176.6	1.5	-1.5	198.6	3.1	.5
Renters' costs ²	160.8	2.6	-1.6	177.4	.9	-7.0	153.4	1.9	-1.0
Rent, residential	166.6	3.0	.2	162.8	-.4	.6	166.1	1.7	.4
Other renters' costs	219.1	1.2	-8.6	244.7	2.8	-15.5	178.5	3.1	-9.4
Homeowners' costs ²	164.7	4.0	.5	167.3	1.7	1.3	179.8	3.6	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	165.4	4.1	.6	168.0	1.7	1.3	180.7	3.5	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	117.7	1.2	-.2	128.5	4.8	1.0	112.4	.4	.1
Fuels	113.5	1.6	-.2	113.1	5.1	2.0	94.6	1.9	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.1	-1.1	-.1	79.5	-2.8	-.1	76.1	-.3	.5
Fuel oil	87.8	-1.0	-.1	78.7	-2.4	-.3	76.5	.4	.8
Other household fuel commodities ³	120.1	-2.3	.0	106.4	-4.2	.0	96.3	-1.7	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.7	2.1	-.2	135.5	7.1	2.5	113.0	2.8	.1
Electricity	139.2	.5	.1	147.9	6.0	1.9	118.3	.0	.1
Utility (piped) gas	111.9	5.0	-.7	112.9	10.1	4.2	104.0	11.6	.3
Household furnishings and operation	121.6	.7	-.1	119.3	1.7	-.1	112.8	3.0	.0
Apparel and upkeep	121.4	-4.0	1.4	133.9	6.4	2.0	138.7	-2.5	3.4
Apparel commodities	117.2	-4.4	1.6	132.0	6.9	2.2	136.2	-3.0	3.7
Men's and boys' apparel	113.3	-2.4	3.5	142.4	8.0	3.0	151.7	.7	3.1
Women's and girls' apparel	108.8	-8.6	-.5	133.2	9.6	4.7	127.0	-8.2	5.9
Footwear	125.5	-3.2	2.1	127.7	-	-6.2	129.2	6.0	2.9
Transportation	140.0	4.6	.4	134.1	4.5	.2	130.5	4.8	.2
Private transportation	137.0	5.4	.4	132.6	4.7	.2	127.7	5.1	.2
Motor fuel	101.1	7.6	.5	101.8	7.0	1.0	100.6	7.5	.7
Gasoline	100.8	7.3	.5	101.8	7.5	1.2	100.7	7.7	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	98.4	8.5	.3	99.9	8.5	1.2	100.2	8.9	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	104.9	-	.9	107.8	-	1.0	108.1	-	-.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	103.3	5.9	.8	104.8	6.5	1.5	104.5	7.2	.6
Public transportation	157.7	-.9	-.8	170.4	3.1	.7	205.8	1.1	-.1
Medical care	220.0	4.1	.0	219.9	6.0	.5	214.5	4.3	.6
Entertainment	156.6	3.0	.3	147.6	1.0	-.7	162.3	3.5	1.0
Other goods and services	208.8	3.2	.6	203.4	3.0	.6	209.7	4.2	1.0
Personal care	159.2	2.2	-.2	141.6	-.3	.0	146.3	3.4	.7
Commodity and service group									
All items	153.3	2.7	.1	152.7	3.2	-.1	156.0	3.0	.5
Commodities	135.8	1.8	.4	135.0	3.4	.3	136.3	2.8	.4
Food and beverages	149.3	2.5	.1	152.5	3.2	.2	147.7	2.9	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	125.7	1.2	.5	124.0	3.7	.4	128.7	2.7	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	125.0	.1	.7	124.2	4.0	.6	128.9	1.4	1.3
Durables	124.9	3.5	.0	121.6	3.3	.2	124.8	4.9	.1
Services	173.0	3.3	.0	176.9	3.0	-.4	182.6	3.2	.6
Medical care services	223.6	4.4	.1	224.8	6.4	.5	218.1	4.6	.9
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	147.0	2.4	.3	146.4	3.8	.4	143.7	3.0	.5
All items less medical care	150.5	2.6	.1	150.0	3.1	-.1	153.3	3.0	.5
All items less energy	159.4	2.6	.1	159.7	3.0	-.2	164.8	2.9	.5
All items less food and energy	162.5	2.5	.2	161.9	2.9	-.4	169.7	2.8	.7
Energy	107.9	3.9	.2	107.6	5.9	1.5	95.7	4.2	.4
Commodities less food	127.0	1.2	.5	125.3	3.6	.4	129.9	2.6	.8
Nondurables less food	126.9	.2	.7	126.0	3.6	.6	130.3	1.4	1.2
Nondurables	138.1	1.5	.4	138.6	3.5	.4	138.2	2.3	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	156.9	3.1	.2	161.8	4.5	.6	156.7	3.3	.6
Services less medical care services	169.3	3.2	.0	173.1	2.7	-.5	179.6	3.0	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
	Expenditure category											
All items	142.9	3.0	0.2	140.6	3.5	-0.3	144.3	4.1	0.5	140.0	3.5	0.4
All items (December 1977 = 100)	233.6	-	-	226.4	-	-	226.9	-	-	226.9	-	-
Food and beverages	144.3	2.6	.0	139.0	2.1	.3	141.0	1.6	.2	138.1	2.0	.4
Food	143.6	2.6	.1	139.1	2.3	.3	139.7	1.5	.2	137.3	2.2	.5
Food at home	144.0	2.8	.0	139.8	2.6	.4	138.0	1.6	.0	134.4	2.2	.6
Cereals and bakery products	165.9	4.1	.6	168.9	2.3	-.5	157.0	2.5	-1.4	160.9	6.6	2.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	140.7	.1	-.3	128.3	1.9	1.3	126.9	-1.1	-.4	129.2	-1.1	-.4
Dairy products	134.3	.0	-1.4	134.7	1.8	.2	127.6	3.4	.6	125.3	1.1	.6
Fruits and vegetables	153.8	3.5	.5	144.5	3.5	.9	152.7	-2.9	.4	143.1	-1.0	-.6
Other food at home	135.9	6.3	.2	138.4	3.7	.2	138.5	6.0	.5	127.2	5.6	1.2
Food away from home	143.3	2.4	.1	138.0	1.6	.0	144.0	1.6	.7	143.2	2.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages	152.6	1.9	.1	137.5	.4	.4	156.5	1.2	-.2	150.7	.1	-.8
Housing	135.1	1.1	.1	135.4	2.8	-.7	142.4	3.3	.8	132.2	3.8	-.2
Shelter	148.7	3.0	.1	152.2	4.0	-.7	157.2	5.4	.5	140.8	5.4	.1
Renters' costs ²	144.8	2.3	-.5	153.0	3.4	-5.1	149.2	3.4	-.9	132.3	4.7	.4
Rent, residential	152.4	2.1	.2	158.0	4.6	.5	147.7	3.3	.5	135.2	4.6	.4
Other renters' costs	166.2	2.8	-3.4	186.3	1.3	-15.2	187.2	3.8	-4.0	150.3	5.3	-.1
Homeowners' costs ²	148.8	3.1	.3	153.4	4.2	.9	157.5	5.9	.9	138.4	5.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	148.9	3.1	.3	153.8	4.2	.9	158.2	6.0	.9	138.6	6.0	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	117.1	-4.7	-.5	112.6	.2	-1.8	125.3	-1.7	2.1	127.1	1.6	-1.5
Fuels	105.6	-9.0	-.9	99.5	-1.5	-3.0	113.5	-3.2	3.9	107.1	7.0	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	85.6	-1.0	-.3	82.5	2.6	.2	84.1	-2.9	.5	80.5	-.7	-.7
Fuel oil	83.0	-.4	-.7	84.4	2.9	.8	77.7	-3.8	.8	74.7	.7	-3.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	110.3	-1.6	.1	113.0	2.4	-.2	113.2	-1.8	.4	123.5	-2.1	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	109.0	-9.3	-1.0	105.5	-1.6	-3.2	123.4	-3.2	4.1	115.7	7.4	.6
Electricity	124.7	-7.9	-.2	126.1	3.7	-.2	132.8	-.3	.1	124.4	7.8	-.3
Utility (piped) gas	94.8	-10.9	-1.9	87.3	-8.5	-7.3	111.9	-7.8	11.9	108.0	6.8	2.0
Household furnishings and operation	114.9	.6	.5	120.0	1.2	.4	126.1	2.9	.2	119.1	2.0	1.0
Apparel and upkeep	133.7	.7	2.8	130.9	-2.3	2.3	129.0	7.0	1.5	139.6	1.5	5.1
Apparel commodities	133.0	.5	3.0	128.6	-2.7	2.5	125.8	7.2	1.5	139.4	1.5	5.5
Men's and boys' apparel	130.5	.2	.3	126.3	4.4	3.8	122.3	1.9	1.0	132.7	4.9	.8
Women's and girls' apparel	129.6	.4	6.2	142.5	-5.4	2.7	130.4	12.4	3.9	145.5	.4	12.3
Footwear	130.2	-3.5	3.4	104.6	-5.2	.6	125.1	3.9	-3.2	150.3	-.5	.6
Transportation	134.0	6.4	-.4	133.1	5.9	-1.2	132.3	5.5	-.3	132.3	5.3	.3
Private transportation	132.7	6.5	-.4	131.4	6.1	-1.2	130.5	5.7	-.3	128.1	5.4	.4
Motor fuel	106.0	12.6	-2.5	102.9	9.7	-5.9	102.5	11.1	-1.4	100.3	12.2	-.2
Gasoline	106.0	12.9	-2.5	103.3	10.0	-6.2	102.8	11.5	-1.5	100.0	12.9	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	105.1	14.5	-2.1	100.3	10.5	-6.4	101.5	12.7	-1.7	97.8	13.7	.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	115.4	-	-2.2	112.6	-	-5.5	116.3	-	-1.8	116.1	-	-.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	107.9	10.7	-2.4	108.9	8.9	-5.6	104.0	10.9	-1.2	101.3	11.4	-2.2
Public transportation	155.1	5.5	-.2	208.7	-1.8	-.9	203.1	2.2	-1.0	289.5	3.1	-1.0
Medical care	208.9	5.3	.3	203.3	5.2	.0	216.8	6.3	1.0	199.8	6.3	.3
Entertainment	149.8	3.0	.2	135.8	4.1	.2	156.2	3.4	.1	137.3	.5	-.1
Other goods and services	201.6	5.7	1.4	199.9	6.6	.7	188.2	9.6	1.8	192.1	2.0	.6
Personal care	134.0	-.5	.4	152.9	1.4	.3	155.4	7.7	3.9	126.1	1.3	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	142.9	3.0	.2	140.6	3.5	-.3	144.3	4.1	.5	140.0	3.5	.4
Commodities	134.2	3.5	.3	130.4	3.1	-.2	132.3	4.2	.1	133.6	2.7	.9
Food and beverages	144.3	2.6	.0	139.0	2.1	.3	141.0	1.6	.2	138.1	2.0	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	128.3	4.1	.5	125.9	3.6	-.4	127.7	6.0	.1	131.1	3.1	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	134.5	4.8	.4	127.4	3.7	-.9	128.6	7.3	.2	134.0	3.0	1.4
Durables	119.7	3.2	.5	123.0	3.5	.2	124.3	4.0	.0	123.1	3.3	1.0
Services	153.7	2.5	.2	153.4	3.7	-.5	160.6	3.9	.9	149.2	4.4	-.1
Medical care services	209.2	5.9	.4	203.9	5.7	.1	222.4	7.2	1.4	199.2	7.2	.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	142.0	3.0	.3	138.4	3.2	-.1	141.3	3.7	.6	140.4	3.1	.5
All items less medical care	140.0	2.9	.3	137.6	3.3	-.4	141.3	4.0	.5	136.7	3.2	.4
All items less energy	148.4	3.1	.4	147.4	3.4	.1	150.2	4.2	.5	145.0	2.9	.4
All items less food and energy	149.7	3.3	.5	149.5	3.7	.1	153.0	4.9	.5	147.0	3.1	.4
Energy	105.9	1.3	-1.8	99.5	3.6	-4.5	106.8	3.2	1.3	103.7	9.5	.2
Commodities less food	129.2	4.0	.5	126.3	3.5	-.3	128.7	5.8	.1	131.7	3.0	1.1
Nondurables less food	135.6	4.5	.4	127.8	3.4	-.8	130.1	6.8	.2	135.1	2.8	1.3
Nondurables	139.7	3.6	.2	133.1	2.9	-.3	134.6	4.3	.1	136.6	2.5	.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	147.2	2.2	.3	144.4	3.5	-.3	147.6	2.8	1.4	143.2	3.5	-.2
Services less medical care services	149.2	2.3	.2	149.1	3.5	-.5	155.8	3.7	.9	143.8	4.0	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	Aug. 1994
	Expenditure category											
All items	144.3	3.0	0.1	144.9	3.4	0.3	144.7	2.6	0.3	143.7	3.1	0.3
All items (December 1977 = 100)	233.7	-	-	234.9	-	-	234.3	-	-	232.6	-	-
Food and beverages	143.1	3.2	.2	143.5	2.9	.4	143.4	2.8	-.2	139.3	2.8	.4
Food	143.4	3.5	.2	143.3	3.0	.4	143.2	2.9	-.3	139.3	3.0	.5
Food at home	142.1	5.3	.4	141.2	3.6	.6	141.0	3.6	-.5	136.1	3.3	.6
Cereals and bakery products	160.0	7.7	-.1	158.1	4.0	.4	152.7	6.2	.3	170.1	5.7	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.9	2.7	1.5	133.4	3.0	1.3	131.7	.8	.7	131.1	1.7	1.1
Dairy products	134.2	2.0	-.7	127.3	.9	.6	128.3	1.8	.5	118.1	.4	-1.4
Fruits and vegetables	164.5	8.9	-2.2	178.4	4.0	1.1	160.6	.4	-4.7	147.2	-.7	-1.5
Other food at home	136.7	6.6	1.6	129.3	5.2	-.5	142.4	8.8	.1	128.1	7.7	1.7
Food away from home	146.7	.8	.0	147.7	2.1	.1	149.1	1.5	.3	147.7	2.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages	140.2	.3	.1	145.4	.5	.1	146.5	1.3	-.1	139.0	-.4	-.4
Housing	135.8	2.4	-.1	138.5	2.7	-.1	135.9	2.0	.4	138.9	2.0	.3
Shelter	143.5	3.3	.1	142.1	3.6	.0	144.6	3.1	.3	157.3	2.9	.4
Renters' costs ²	136.1	3.1	-.2	146.0	3.5	-1.9	132.3	3.7	.2	138.1	1.6	-.8
Rent, residential	144.1	2.8	.3	143.3	3.9	.1	138.5	3.6	.8	143.7	2.5	.1
Other renters' costs	166.6	5.6	-3.8	230.3	2.1	-9.4	159.4	4.4	-2.8	171.8	-2.0	-4.8
Homeowners' costs ²	138.0	3.4	.3	139.5	3.8	.9	133.9	2.8	.4	144.1	3.4	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	137.6	3.1	.3	139.5	3.8	.9	133.3	2.8	.5	142.6	3.3	.8
Fuel and other utilities	120.9	-1.9	-1.1	141.2	1.3	-.1	134.9	.1	.1	122.7	1.4	.3
Fuels	114.5	-3.8	-2.0	119.8	-1.2	-.2	126.2	-1.1	.1	109.6	.3	.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	87.3	-1.5	-.5	98.5	-3.1	.4	112.7	.5	-.1	83.3	-1.3	-.1
Fuel oil	82.5	-2.3	.0	85.7	-4.6	.2	78.6	.4	.0	81.1	-1.1	-.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	119.6	-.5	-.8	125.9	-2.1	.6	135.3	.5	-.1	104.6	-1.4	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.9	-3.9	-2.1	121.4	-1.0	-.2	128.2	-1.1	.1	115.8	.5	.8
Electricity	121.9	-4.4	-2.3	124.8	-.7	-.3	131.4	-1.0	.4	120.3	.3	.8
Utility (piped) gas	107.6	-2.4	-1.2	110.1	-2.3	.3	124.3	-1.6	-1.3	97.3	1.9	-.5
Household furnishings and operation	128.3	4.0	.6	126.0	1.8	-.3	111.2	1.1	.6	112.9	-.1	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	147.6	.9	-.2	139.1	.8	3.4	148.7	-3.4	2.6	127.9	-1.5	.6
Apparel commodities	142.8	.6	-.3	135.4	.4	3.8	147.1	-4.2	2.9	123.6	-2.1	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	142.1	.5	1.4	128.9	-3.3	.0	133.9	1.6	3.8	122.5	.7	-2.0
Women's and girls' apparel	143.9	-5.6	-2.6	148.7	1.9	9.3	151.6	-3.6	4.3	135.1	-1.3	4.5
Footwear	134.6	7.2	2.3	120.4	-.4	-1.4	127.1	-5.8	-1.1	99.1	-.1	-2.7
Transportation	135.1	3.7	.2	134.9	4.2	.1	133.3	3.6	.2	133.5	6.0	.4
Private transportation	134.6	3.7	.1	134.1	4.3	.1	132.2	3.5	.2	132.5	6.0	.3
Motor fuel	105.4	6.9	.7	100.7	6.4	-.1	101.2	6.5	-.5	91.6	3.7	.3
Gasoline	105.1	7.0	.7	100.5	6.5	-.2	102.2	7.1	-.5	91.3	4.0	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	102.4	7.7	.8	97.2	7.3	-.2	97.9	7.7	-.5	86.5	3.2	.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	107.2	-	.8	107.0	-	-.5	110.9	-	-.4	108.6	-	.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	107.8	6.1	.6	103.9	6.2	.2	106.9	5.7	-.6	99.3	5.6	.4
Public transportation	141.0	1.3	-.1	165.8	1.8	.5	173.5	5.1	.7	164.3	4.7	1.7
Medical care	212.9	4.6	.3	206.2	4.0	.2	211.9	4.7	.2	210.3	4.3	.5
Entertainment	152.8	3.0	.9	143.4	6.0	.6	145.7	2.9	.3	134.1	2.8	-.6
Other goods and services	186.1	3.6	.4	201.9	5.7	-.6	190.0	5.4	.7	183.2	3.4	.3
Personal care	141.3	2.8	-.4	144.1	5.3	1.2	137.2	2.5	-.7	126.4	.8	.6
Commodity and service group												
All items	144.3	3.0	.1	144.9	3.4	.3	144.7	2.6	.3	143.7	3.1	.3
Commodities	135.8	3.2	.3	134.7	3.0	.5	135.7	1.9	.4	130.2	2.4	.2
Food and beverages	143.1	3.2	.2	143.5	2.9	.4	143.4	2.8	-.2	139.3	2.8	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	131.4	3.1	.3	129.9	3.0	.5	130.8	1.4	.8	124.9	2.1	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	133.2	3.1	.2	131.6	3.1	.7	133.7	.8	1.1	123.3	1.6	.0
Durables	128.7	3.2	.5	126.0	2.9	.3	126.6	2.1	.3	125.0	2.7	-.2
Services	154.8	2.7	.0	157.3	3.8	.1	156.7	3.4	.4	161.8	3.7	.6
Medical care services	216.5	5.1	.3	209.9	4.5	.3	214.6	4.6	.2	212.6	5.0	.5
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	145.0	2.8	.1	146.4	3.2	.3	144.7	2.4	.3	140.6	3.1	.4
All items less medical care	140.8	2.8	.1	141.6	3.4	.4	140.7	2.4	.4	138.8	3.0	.3
All items less energy	149.7	3.1	.2	149.9	3.5	.4	150.1	2.6	.4	150.3	3.2	.3
All items less food and energy	151.3	3.0	.2	151.5	3.6	.3	151.9	2.6	.6	153.2	3.2	.3
Energy	108.9	1.5	-.6	107.3	2.4	-.2	111.2	2.4	-.1	98.3	1.9	.5
Commodities less food	131.6	3.0	.3	130.3	2.8	.5	131.3	1.4	.8	125.3	2.1	.0
Nondurables less food	133.2	2.9	.2	132.1	3.0	.7	134.2	.8	1.0	123.8	1.6	.0
Nondurables	138.2	3.1	.1	137.7	3.0	.6	138.7	1.8	.4	131.3	2.3	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	152.8	2.4	-.1	157.0	3.8	.2	155.5	3.5	.4	153.3	4.1	.6
Services less medical care services	149.2	2.4	-.1	151.9	3.6	.1	150.0	3.1	.4	154.5	3.5	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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—	
		Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993		Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994
Expenditure category						
All items	147.2	2.3	0.2	149.6	4.3	0.7
All items (December 1977 = 100)	238.3	-	-	230.6	-	-
Food and beverages	146.9	2.2	.1	143.3	1.9	.1
Food	145.8	2.5	.1	142.9	2.1	.0
Food at home	146.6	3.3	.3	140.3	2.0	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	167.2	3.4	-.4	154.4	3.5	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	138.2	.5	-1.1	130.8	-1.1	.1
Dairy products	141.4	2.2	-1.1	126.3	1.3	-.3
Fruits and vegetables	162.9	5.9	4.0	172.3	3.2	2.1
Other food at home	138.7	5.0	.3	132.3	3.8	-1.6
Food away from home	144.9	1.2	.0	147.4	2.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	156.5	.1	.0	149.5	1.1	.5
Housing	146.1	2.1	-.1	146.6	4.7	1.0
Shelter	154.8	2.1	.1	162.9	6.1	1.4
Renters' costs ²	150.9	2.0	.0	144.8	3.8	1.1
Rent, residential	161.2	2.0	.1	150.3	3.5	1.1
Other renters' costs	200.8	2.7	-.5	195.2	5.5	1.0
Homeowners' costs ²	153.0	2.2	.1	162.5	7.3	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	153.0	2.3	.1	163.2	7.4	1.7
Fuel and other utilities	135.6	2.3	.1	123.5	1.5	-.2
Fuels	133.5	2.9	.1	109.7	1.5	-.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁵	97.7	.4	1.9	249.3	-1.7	.4
Fuel oil ⁵	88.6	.3	2.3	NA	-	-
Other household fuel commodities ³	134.1	.4	1.5	108.5	-2.5	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	135.7	2.9	.0	108.6	1.5	-.5
Electricity	150.1	3.2	.0	120.8	2.3	-.2
Utility (piped) gas	122.1	2.3	.1	95.6	.1	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	123.3	1.4	-1.4	114.7	2.3	.4
Apparel and upkeep	127.2	-1.0	3.5	134.7	1.8	.7
Apparel commodities	123.2	-1.3	3.9	133.5	1.8	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	122.3	-2.0	3.4	134.3	2.4	-1.8
Women's and girls' apparel	115.5	.7	8.2	131.0	.5	5.7
Footwear	121.5	-1.7	-1.0	128.8	2.6	-2.1
Transportation	136.6	3.9	.1	136.8	5.4	.4
Private transportation	134.1	4.0	.2	135.7	5.4	.4
Motor fuel	108.8	5.7	.3	106.5	10.2	.3
Gasoline	108.8	6.0	.2	106.4	10.9	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	106.5	6.8	.4	103.8	11.0	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.3	-	.4	111.5	-	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	112.5	4.9	.4	107.1	8.7	-1.1
Public transportation	182.6	3.0	-2.1	162.5	6.7	1.6
Medical care	209.4	2.7	.0	222.2	5.2	.1
Entertainment	143.5	.7	.0	160.2	4.8	.4
Other goods and services	205.3	3.2	.9	198.8	4.9	1.5
Personal care	156.7	1.7	-.8	146.4	.6	.6
Commodity and service group						
All items	147.2	2.3	.2	149.6	4.3	.7
Commodities	134.1	2.1	.3	134.1	3.4	.1
Food and beverages	146.9	2.2	.1	143.3	1.9	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	126.2	2.0	.4	128.8	4.3	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.4	1.7	1.5	133.9	4.1	.4
Durables	122.6	2.3	-1.0	122.6	4.5	.1
Services	161.0	2.4	.1	168.2	5.1	1.1
Medical care services	212.5	2.9	.0	226.8	6.0	.3
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	145.5	2.4	.3	145.7	3.6	.4
All items less medical care	144.6	2.3	.2	145.7	4.1	.7
All items less energy	151.1	2.2	.3	154.6	4.0	.7
All items less food and energy	152.4	2.1	.2	157.3	4.4	.8
Energy	116.6	4.5	.2	107.9	6.4	-.1
Commodities less food	127.7	1.9	.4	129.5	4.0	.2
Nondurables less food	131.3	1.5	1.3	134.0	3.6	.4
Nondurables	138.6	2.1	.8	139.0	3.0	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	156.5	2.8	.3	158.0	3.9	.7
Services less medical care services	157.5	2.4	.1	162.3	4.9	1.2

¹ See region and area size on table 10 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 December 1993=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in West size class C.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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, September 1994						
U.S. city average	144.4	164.6	137.2	131.0	162.6	138.8
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	150.2	170.7	143.8	127.5	167.8	148.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	150.0	172.7	143.0	128.0	167.2	147.2
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	155.9	163.7	151.5	131.4	172.9	160.2
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	143.8	169.9	140.1	117.2	161.3	139.0
North Central urban	141.1	163.9	135.1	131.6	151.1	135.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	144.0	165.9	140.7	134.3	153.8	135.9
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	139.8	168.9	128.3	134.7	144.5	138.4
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	138.0	157.0	126.9	127.6	152.7	138.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	134.4	160.9	129.2	125.3	143.1	127.2
South urban	140.7	159.0	132.3	128.3	164.4	134.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	142.1	160.0	131.9	134.2	164.5	136.7
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	141.2	158.1	133.4	127.3	178.4	129.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	141.0	152.7	131.7	128.3	160.6	142.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	136.1	170.1	131.1	118.1	147.2	128.1
West urban	146.2	164.5	137.5	138.7	167.7	137.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	146.6	167.2	138.2	141.4	162.9	138.7
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	140.3	154.4	130.8	126.3	172.3	132.3
Size classes						
A ²	133.7	148.7	127.3	126.9	147.9	128.3
B	145.8	162.6	138.6	132.0	171.1	138.8
C	140.5	157.4	131.7	125.4	160.1	139.3
D	138.4	165.6	129.6	125.5	153.9	132.9
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	148.5	184.5	128.0	139.7	169.5	145.4
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	148.0	165.0	139.0	132.2	186.2	135.4
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	151.1	172.4	155.6	142.0	154.5	137.5
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	141.0	157.9	140.7	131.2	161.5	124.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	136.1	166.0	127.8	133.4	130.3	136.8
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	139.5	165.9	132.9	124.5	151.9	134.2
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	145.7	155.7	132.7	130.7	176.3	146.7
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	150.1	166.4	143.7	147.1	168.7	139.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	146.9	150.2	132.6	133.2	206.3	133.1
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	152.9	178.4	146.1	128.1	170.4	148.7
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	150.0	172.1	143.9	129.5	156.0	152.0
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	137.3	147.4	127.8	124.9	149.8	142.4
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	138.9	153.5	123.1	131.3	154.0	146.2
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	150.2	164.8	140.4	138.7	169.1	146.3
Washington, DC-MD-VA	147.5	173.3	134.6	149.2	164.4	138.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): 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, August 1994 to September 1994						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.1	0.2	-0.5	0.2	0.4
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	.0	.3	.1	-.1	-.4	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	-.1	.1	-.2	-.5	-.5	.5
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	.7	.9	2.2	-.8	-.2	-.1
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-.3	1.2	-1.1	1.8	-1.0	-.7
North Central urban	.1	.2	-.1	-.6	.4	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.0	.6	-.3	-1.4	.5	.2
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	.4	-.5	1.3	.2	.9	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.0	-1.4	-.4	.6	.4	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.6	2.4	-.4	.6	-.6	1.2
South urban	.2	.3	1.2	-.2	-1.9	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.4	-.1	1.5	-.7	-2.2	1.6
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.6	.4	1.3	.6	1.1	-.5
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	-.5	.3	.7	.5	-4.7	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.6	1.3	1.1	-1.4	-1.5	1.7
West urban	.3	-.5	-.5	-.9	3.3	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.3	-.4	-1.1	-1.1	4.0	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	-.1	-.8	.1	-.3	2.1	-1.6
Size classes						
A	.1	.1	-.1	-.9	.5	.5
B	.6	.0	1.4	.3	1.0	-.2
C	-.3	-.2	-.1	.7	-1.7	-.1
D	.7	1.2	.9	-.7	-.4	1.5
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	-1.3	-.3	-.7	-1.6	-2.9	-1.4
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.1	-.5	-.2	-.2	1.0	.3
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	-.1	.7	-.2	-1.9	-.6	.8
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1.0	-.3	1.5	-.7	3.8	.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.4	7.2	1.5	-.5	.0	.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.7	3.8	.0	-1.4	1.1	.4
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.4	-2.7	1.4	.4	-3.4	3.8
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.1	-1.0	.1	-1.0	6.1	.7
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-1.0	-2.4	.7	-.1	-4.4	.9
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	-.5	.1	-.9	-.6	-.5	-.2
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.6	-.3	2.2	.6	1.0	2.6
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	-1.1	.7	-1.7	-1.2	-2.6	.0
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	-.9	1.0	-2.1	-5.3	.7	.6
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	-.1	.4	-2.1	-.5	1.5	.5
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.5	.3	.7	-1.3	1.2	.8

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, August 1994 to September 1994

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	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.0
Food and beverages	.1	.0	.6	-.1	1.3	.0
Food	.1	.0	.6	-.1	1.3	.0
Food at home	.2	-.1	1.1	-.5	1.6	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	.1	.7	-1.0	.1	-.3	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.2	-.2	.1	-.9	2.2	-2.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	.4	-.1	-.1	-.8	2.3	-1.7
Dairy products	-.5	-1.9	-1.0	-.6	.6	-.5
Fruits and vegetables	.2	-.6	6.1	-.5	1.0	1.5
Other food at home	.4	.8	.7	-.2	2.6	.5
Food away from home	.2	.1	.0	.5	.9	.2
Alcoholic beverages	.1	.1	.2	.1	-.1	.0
Housing	.0	.4	-.2	-.1	.2	-.1
Shelter	.1	.5	.1	-.1	.2	-.2
Renters' costs	-.9	.0	.3	-1.2	-1.5	-.1
Rent, residential	.3	.2	.3	.1	.4	-.2
Other renters' costs	-6.1	-1.3	.2	-9.5	-4.5	.8
Homeowners' costs	.5	.6	.1	.5	.8	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent	.6	.7	.1	.5	.8	-.3
Fuel and other utilities	-.1	-1.1	.0	-.1	-.1	-.1
Fuels	-.2	-2.2	.0	-.1	.0	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.1	.0	.1	-.2	-.1	4.5
Fuel oil	.0	.0	-	-.2	-.1	15.1
Other household fuel commodities	.3	.0	.0	.0	-	4.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-.1	-2.3	-.1	.0	.0	.1
Electricity	-.2	-1.6	.0	.2	.0	.0
Utility (piped) gas	-.1	-2.9	.0	-.4	.0	.3
Household furnishings and operation	.0	1.2	-2.2	-.2	.5	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	2.2	-.6	5.8	2.0	-.6	.7
Apparel commodities	2.4	-.7	6.6	2.2	-.7	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	2.0	-1.7	5.4	3.7	10.1	-1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	3.9	-.9	11.6	-.9	-5.3	8.3
Footwear	.6	3.8	1.2	3.3	-.5	-6.3
Transportation	.1	.1	-.1	.4	.1	-.2
Private transportation	.2	.1	.0	.6	.1	.2
Motor fuel	-.5	-.6	-.2	.9	.1	.0
Gasoline	-.6	-.6	-.2	.8	.1	.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-.6	-.5	.3	.8	-1.2	.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ¹	-.3	-.6	-.3	.9	1.0	.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-.2	-1.1	.4	.8	1.0	.0
Public transportation	-.7	-.3	-2.0	-1.1	.2	-3.7
Medical care	.2	.3	.1	.0	.0	.3
Entertainment	.2	1.0	-1.2	.6	-.3	-.2
Other goods and services	.7	.9	.6	.3	.8	1.9
Personal care	.1	.8	-1.1	-.4	-.2	.0
Commodity and service group						
All items	.3	.2	.3	.1	.4	.0
Commodities	.4	.2	.5	.4	.5	.0
Food and beverages	.1	.0	.6	-.1	1.3	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	.5	.3	.5	.8	.0	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	.6	-.2	2.5	1.2	-.1	.2
Durables	.1	1.2	-1.8	-.2	.2	-.2
Services	.2	.3	.1	.0	.2	.1
Medical care services	.3	.4	.1	.0	.3	.5
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.3	.1	.3	.3	.4	.1
All items less medical care	.3	.2	.3	.2	.3	.0
All items less energy	.3	.3	.3	.1	.4	.0
All items less food and energy	.3	.5	.3	.2	.2	.1
Energy	-.4	-1.4	-.1	.4	.0	.2
Commodities less food	.4	.3	.4	.7	-.1	.1
Nondurables less food	.6	-.1	2.1	1.1	-.2	.2
Nondurables	.4	-.1	1.4	.4	.6	.1
Services less rent of shelter	.3	.0	.1	.1	.2	.2
Services less medical care services	.1	.2	.1	.0	.2	.0

¹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Baltimore, MD			Boston- Lawrence- Salem, MA-NH			Chicago-Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	146.9	3.0	0.8	147.8	3.5	0.3	154.7	2.5	1.2	145.4	2.3	1.2
All items (1967=100)	437.5	-	-	440.5	-	-	447.0	-	-	427.1	-	-
Food and beverages	145.1	2.5	.5	148.1	3.3	-1.7	150.1	3.0	1.0	147.4	2.7	.7
Food	144.6	2.7	.6	148.8	3.4	-1.8	149.8	2.9	.7	146.1	3.0	.8
Food at home	144.4	3.4	.7	148.5	6.5	-2.3	148.0	3.9	.7	151.1	3.8	1.1
Cereals and bakery products	164.6	4.6	.6	184.5	16.7	-2.1	165.0	7.4	3.0	172.4	7.4	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.2	1.0	.6	128.0	-1.9	-2.9	139.0	-1.9	.5	155.6	1.8	.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	138.7	1.1	.4	130.8	-2.2	-3.6	140.0	-2.2	.4	159.4	2.2	.8
Dairy products	131.0	1.2	-.5	139.7	2.2	-2.4	132.2	-1.0	.6	142.0	-.4	-1.9
Fruits and vegetables	162.6	3.6	-.7	169.5	12.3	-5.8	186.2	18.7	-1.5	154.5	3.2	-.3
Other food at home	138.8	6.5	2.5	145.4	7.6	.7	135.4	2.6	1.4	137.5	6.8	3.8
Food away from home	146.1	1.7	.4	149.7	-2.1	-.9	154.9	1.2	1.0	136.7	1.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	150.9	.9	-.1	139.7	2.6	.0	154.4	3.7	2.7	162.8	.9	-.5
Housing	143.0	2.4	.4	139.6	2.0	-.6	146.5	1.8	.8	137.2	.4	.9
Shelter	157.4	3.3	.6	154.6	1.8	-.1	169.1	1.9	1.2	154.4	4.3	.9
Renters' costs ²	148.9	2.6	-.4	140.6	.4	-1.1	152.5	.7	1.1	151.7	2.9	-.1
Rent, residential	154.7	2.7	.7	155.8	1.0	.8	159.8	1.5	2.0	164.2	2.5	.2
Other renters' costs	194.1	2.6	-4.9	125.8	-3.7	-14.4	197.4	-2.7	-3.1	165.6	6.0	-1.8
Homeowners' costs ²	152.3	3.5	1.1	146.2	2.7	.4	154.8	2.7	1.3	155.1	4.7	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	152.6	3.6	1.1	147.2	2.6	.4	154.7	2.5	1.3	154.4	4.8	1.2
Fuel and other utilities	123.9	.1	-.1	120.8	1.7	-.2	117.4	3.3	.1	110.6	-12.0	.8
Fuels	113.3	-1.0	-.3	118.4	1.2	-.3	95.5	2.2	-.1	95.1	-20.8	-.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.7	-1.3	-.3	78.0	-3.2	-.3	80.9	-4.3	-.7	88.5	-1.9	-.9
Fuel oil	83.8	-1.3	-.6	80.7	-2.7	-.4	82.6	-2.4	-.7	90.6	-.5	.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	116.0	-1.4	.0	NA	-	-	88.3	-	.0	107.2	-5.0	-3.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	121.5	-1.0	-.2	141.4	1.6	-.4	116.0	3.8	.1	98.0	-21.0	-1.0
Electricity	131.8	-.6	-.2	164.1	3.5	.0	133.7	.0	.1	94.0	-29.2	-.5
Utility (piped) gas	105.9	-1.9	-.4	92.6	-4.8	-1.7	92.2	11.5	.0	101.7	-12.5	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	120.0	1.5	-.1	120.9	3.2	-2.9	108.5	-1.5	-.8	113.7	-1.0	.8
Apparel and upkeep	133.1	-.2	2.5	138.2	-.1	5.0	152.1	-3.6	2.6	132.2	-1.5	4.5
Apparel commodities	130.2	-.4	2.8	133.5	-.1	5.5	143.8	-4.6	3.0	133.1	-1.7	4.8
Men's and boys' apparel	127.8	.5	2.6	122.5	3.4	2.1	131.9	-5.9	-2.9	130.0	.4	4.8
Women's and girls' apparel	129.4	-1.4	4.2	137.2	3.5	10.2	131.0	-4.4	10.6	126.0	-4.0	6.4
Footwear	126.0	-.9	.2	151.5	3.3	3.4	123.1	-6.8	3.2	139.3	-2.5	4.6
Transportation	135.3	4.7	1.0	136.0	5.6	2.1	140.0	4.7	2.0	131.5	6.6	1.2
Private transportation	133.5	4.9	1.1	135.5	5.9	2.3	140.7	5.6	2.2	129.8	7.4	1.3
Motor fuel	103.7	8.0	3.2	104.6	9.3	5.1	104.3	10.5	4.8	109.1	14.8	3.3
Gasoline	103.7	8.2	3.3	102.8	9.5	5.7	103.7	11.1	5.2	109.0	14.7	3.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	101.6	9.4	3.7	101.8	10.9	5.8	101.5	8.9	5.5	107.3	16.3	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	108.7	-	3.2	103.9	-	4.3	108.2	-	4.2	116.6	-	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	105.9	6.8	3.0	103.3	7.6	6.5	109.3	11.3	4.0	110.3	13.0	2.7
Public transportation	167.6	2.3	.3	146.3	.3	-.7	130.3	-5.7	-.5	146.9	-.6	.1
Medical care	212.0	4.5	.6	217.8	8.7	.3	246.5	4.4	.6	217.8	4.8	.2
Entertainment	148.6	2.6	.1	161.5	2.9	1.8	166.6	1.6	.2	162.3	4.7	1.9
Other goods and services	198.9	4.2	1.3	202.1	4.4	1.5	207.0	3.2	1.9	213.5	1.7	1.6
Personal care	145.4	2.0	.2	128.6	-2.5	-2.4	132.2	-2.1	1.5	145.9	.3	1.4
Commodity and service group												
All items	146.9	3.0	.8	147.8	3.5	.3	154.7	2.5	1.2	145.4	2.3	1.2
Commodities	134.6	2.7	.9	135.3	3.6	.1	135.9	2.3	1.3	136.6	2.9	1.5
Food and beverages	145.1	2.5	.5	148.1	3.3	-1.7	150.1	3.0	1.0	147.4	2.7	.7
Commodities less food and beverages	128.1	2.9	1.1	128.4	3.7	1.3	127.2	1.8	1.4	129.7	2.9	2.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.9	2.7	1.6	132.5	5.4	2.4	130.6	-.1	1.9	138.7	2.7	2.7
Durables	124.4	3.1	.2	121.3	1.3	-.4	121.8	5.3	.8	118.9	3.3	1.1
Services	161.9	3.2	.6	165.5	3.4	.5	176.3	2.5	1.0	155.5	1.8	.8
Medical care services	214.9	5.0	.7	221.5	9.7	.5	254.8	5.4	.6	216.9	5.1	.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	144.2	2.9	.8	146.6	4.0	.5	151.6	2.6	1.1	143.3	1.6	1.3
All items less medical care	143.8	2.9	.8	144.6	3.1	.3	150.5	2.2	1.2	141.9	2.2	1.3
All items less energy	152.4	3.0	.7	153.7	3.4	.2	163.4	2.2	1.1	151.6	2.9	1.1
All items less food and energy	154.4	3.0	.7	154.9	3.4	.6	167.0	2.0	1.1	153.0	3.0	1.3
Energy	107.8	3.2	1.4	111.1	4.8	2.1	98.6	5.5	1.9	101.7	-4.4	1.3
Commodities less food	128.9	2.7	.9	128.8	3.6	1.3	128.2	1.8	1.5	131.1	2.8	1.9
Nondurables less food	131.1	2.6	1.5	132.8	5.1	2.2	131.4	.3	1.9	140.2	2.6	2.3
Nondurables	137.8	2.6	1.0	139.8	4.3	.3	139.7	1.5	1.4	143.2	2.7	1.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	153.5	3.1	.7	160.5	4.7	1.1	172.8	3.1	.8	146.5	-.6	.8
Services less medical care services	157.3	2.9	.6	160.9	2.7	.6	170.1	2.2	1.1	150.1	1.4	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH			Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA			Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	138.9	3.2	1.9	147.3	1.6	0.5	142.5	3.6	0.8	155.5	2.4	0.7
All items (1967=100) ²	434.1	-	-	435.2	-	-	231.4	-	-	442.9	-	-
Food and beverages	145.4	3.1	1.6	148.9	2.2	.7	151.3	3.3	.3	152.2	2.5	.2
Food	145.9	3.3	1.7	146.5	2.2	.7	151.9	3.2	.3	152.1	2.6	.1
Food at home	141.0	2.9	2.4	150.1	2.9	.9	146.9	4.6	.2	152.9	3.0	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	157.9	-2.7	-3.1	166.4	2.0	.1	150.2	2.8	-2.7	178.4	5.8	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	140.7	.4	1.3	143.7	.6	-1.0	132.6	5.2	1.7	146.1	1.0	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	143.0	.3	1.1	141.1	.1	-1.3	134.6	5.2	1.6	147.7	1.1	.2
Dairy products	131.2	1.5	.5	147.1	2.1	-2.0	133.2	2.5	-.2	128.1	.4	-1.2
Fruits and vegetables	161.5	10.0	7.7	168.7	6.8	3.2	206.3	4.7	-3.2	170.4	1.1	-2.3
Other food at home	124.5	6.5	5.3	139.5	3.9	3.9	133.1	6.1	4.2	148.7	7.8	2.0
Food away from home	156.0	3.9	.7	141.4	1.1	.4	161.7	1.1	.3	153.9	1.9	.7
Alcoholic beverages	141.3	1.0	-.1	168.3	1.6	.2	141.9	5.3	.9	153.4	1.8	.6
Housing	132.3	1.7	.5	145.5	1.0	-.1	135.2	3.5	.6	156.0	3.0	.7
Shelter	140.0	2.7	1.1	152.3	1.3	.4	143.8	5.1	.6	178.7	3.9	1.2
Renters' costs ²	149.1	1.2	.0	147.1	1.0	.6	138.3	3.7	.7	161.2	2.7	-.2
Rent, residential	149.3	1.7	.6	157.1	.8	.6	138.4	3.9	1.0	169.8	3.3	.9
Other renters' costs	182.3	.3	-1.2	195.7	1.8	1.2	174.1	2.2	-2.0	218.3	-1.0	-7.5
Homeowners' costs ²	144.2	3.1	1.4	151.7	1.5	.1	142.7	5.9	.4	171.5	4.8	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent ²	144.7	3.1	1.5	151.6	1.5	.2	140.8	5.2	.4	172.3	4.8	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	125.6	-.4	.0	143.8	1.3	-.2	111.1	-2.5	-.4	112.3	1.2	-.2
Fuels	120.4	-.4	-.2	146.6	.8	-.1	103.4	-7.0	-.2	112.2	1.6	-.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	95.0	.8	-.4	117.7	2.3	.1	153.9	-1.3	-1.7	91.8	-.8	-.2
Fuel oil	81.0	2.4	-1.2	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	91.5	-.8	-.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	121.2	.0	.0	117.8	2.2	.0	133.9	-1.3	-1.7	109.1	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.3	-.4	-.2	147.1	.7	-.1	102.5	-7.1	-.2	124.6	2.2	-.2
Electricity	149.7	.9	.9	161.8	1.8	.0	101.1	-7.2	.0	130.4	.6	.9
Utility (piped) gas	101.2	-2.0	-1.3	135.4	-1.3	-.1	136.1	-5.3	-2.5	115.2	5.5	-2.0
Household furnishings and operation	121.6	.6	-.1	121.4	-1.0	-1.9	130.7	2.6	1.7	125.8	.1	-.7
Apparel and upkeep	140.0	9.4	21.2	132.2	-2.8	7.3	146.8	5.2	.7	122.3	-5.3	2.3
Apparel commodities	139.2	9.8	22.8	128.5	-3.2	8.4	139.2	4.3	.6	118.6	-5.9	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	139.0	.5	9.1	129.1	-3.9	2.8	146.0	7.3	2.9	110.7	-5.1	4.5
Women's and girls' apparel	157.4	20.7	38.8	124.8	-2.0	14.5	140.9	3.1	-3.4	114.2	-10.1	1.7
Footwear	103.6	-1.3	13.7	116.0	-2.4	1.8	145.2	7.9	-2.4	130.9	-4.4	-1.2
Transportation	126.7	4.1	.3	136.4	3.4	.4	134.8	4.0	.8	142.7	4.2	.9
Private transportation	127.2	4.1	.2	133.2	3.8	.4	134.9	4.3	1.0	138.2	5.3	1.2
Motor fuel	108.8	8.7	1.7	107.7	3.8	.7	113.6	6.3	4.1	99.1	6.0	3.3
Gasoline	108.6	9.1	1.8	107.3	3.7	.7	113.6	6.4	4.3	98.9	5.5	3.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	107.0	9.3	1.9	105.6	5.0	1.3	110.4	7.4	4.2	96.1	6.7	3.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	111.9	-	1.5	103.6	-	.3	108.7	-	3.3	102.9	-	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	112.7	9.6	1.5	111.2	3.4	.9	116.4	5.6	5.0	102.7	4.8	3.1
Public transportation	121.2	5.1	1.0	204.6	-1.0	.1	130.1	-2.2	-2.5	161.2	-1.3	-.4
Medical care	194.4	5.1	1.6	212.6	3.2	.2	188.1	3.5	2.5	219.0	3.9	.3
Entertainment	140.1	2.0	-.3	134.2	-1.5	-2.3	136.1	5.4	.2	153.1	1.9	-.5
Other goods and services	189.6	2.9	2.4	208.0	2.9	.6	158.7	-.1	2.0	207.5	2.0	1.8
Personal care	141.4	10.0	.0	160.9	2.9	-.4	103.9	-.8	.1	160.1	2.6	-.6
Commodity and service group												
All items	138.9	3.2	1.9	147.3	1.6	.5	142.5	3.6	.8	155.5	2.4	.7
Commodities	133.7	3.6	3.1	133.9	1.4	.8	140.0	3.8	.9	138.2	1.1	.6
Food and beverages	145.4	3.1	1.6	148.9	2.2	.7	151.3	3.3	.3	152.2	2.5	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	127.0	3.8	4.1	124.6	.8	.7	132.7	4.0	1.2	127.2	-.1	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	138.3	5.9	7.2	131.8	.8	2.7	128.8	3.5	2.2	125.9	-1.3	1.6
Durables	113.8	.9	-.3	117.7	.8	-1.6	138.2	4.4	.2	126.9	2.5	-.4
Services	145.4	2.8	.7	161.4	1.8	.4	145.9	3.4	.6	174.3	3.5	.9
Medical care services	187.0	6.3	1.9	217.7	3.3	.2	187.9	3.9	2.2	223.1	4.1	.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	140.4	3.3	2.2	146.4	1.7	.6	142.1	3.0	.8	147.8	1.8	.5
All items less medical care	136.5	3.1	1.9	144.5	1.5	.5	140.1	3.6	.6	153.0	2.4	.8
All items less energy	142.6	3.1	2.1	150.8	1.5	.5	147.3	3.9	.6	161.6	2.4	.7
All items less food and energy	142.0	3.0	2.1	152.0	1.3	.5	146.4	4.1	.8	164.4	2.4	.9
Energy	116.2	4.3	.9	119.5	2.5	.3	105.5	.2	2.3	106.8	3.3	1.2
Commodities less food	127.5	3.7	3.8	126.8	.8	.6	133.0	4.1	1.2	128.2	-.1	.9
Nondurables less food	138.1	5.5	6.6	134.8	.9	2.4	129.4	3.7	2.1	127.5	-1.1	1.5
Nondurables	142.3	4.4	4.2	140.8	1.5	1.5	141.0	3.4	1.1	140.3	.9	.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	141.6	3.1	.4	160.4	2.2	.4	137.9	2.1	.8	154.3	2.7	.5
Services less medical care services	141.9	2.6	.6	157.6	1.6	.4	142.1	3.4	.5	170.9	3.5	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1											
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			St. Louis- East St. Louis, MO-IL			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA			Washington, DC-MD-VA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994	Sept. 1994	Sept. 1993	July 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	155.9	3.3	0.6	143.0	3.9	1.1	147.1	1.9	0.3	151.5	2.7	1.4
All items (1967=100)	452.7	-	-	420.7	-	-	448.0	-	-	453.9	-	-
Food and beverages	145.3	2.5	1.0	144.2	2.2	.1	148.5	2.1	-.4	145.0	2.2	1.3
Food	144.1	2.8	1.2	143.3	2.1	.1	148.5	2.3	-.5	145.1	3.3	1.3
Food at home	150.0	3.7	1.5	138.9	1.4	.3	150.2	3.3	-.8	147.5	4.9	2.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.1	5.8	2.9	153.5	4.7	1.5	164.8	4.2	.5	173.3	4.8	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	143.9	1.8	.8	123.1	.7	.7	140.4	.8	-.2	134.6	5.4	2.7
Meats, poultry, and fish	145.1	1.6	.6	124.7	1.1	.4	138.3	.9	-.2	136.2	5.8	2.6
Dairy products	129.5	2.5	1.1	131.3	-.5	-.3	138.7	2.7	-.2	149.2	.7	1.5
Fruits and vegetables	156.0	1.4	-.1	154.0	-.6	1.0	169.1	4.7	-.2	164.4	2.9	1.7
Other food at home	152.0	7.3	3.6	146.2	5.1	.3	146.3	4.7	2.2	138.4	8.7	2.9
Food away from home	131.1	.5	.5	150.5	3.2	-.2	145.8	.8	.2	143.4	1.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	164.3	-.2	-.1	146.5	2.7	.1	148.8	.0	.3	144.6	-.7	.3
Housing	159.3	2.6	.6	141.4	2.5	.1	149.4	2.0	.1	150.4	2.4	1.1
Shelter	186.7	2.9	.5	151.0	3.6	.1	159.7	2.2	.1	160.2	2.4	.1
Renters' costs 2	174.3	3.9	-.6	141.7	3.4	-.1	153.9	2.7	.6	150.1	2.1	.2
Rent, residential	167.0	2.3	.7	138.1	3.3	.1	168.4	2.3	.0	162.5	1.6	.2
Other renters' costs	257.6	6.8	-.2	189.7	3.5	-.4	191.8	6.0	4.6	183.5	8.4	.3
Homeowners' costs 2	166.8	2.4	.8	144.4	3.4	.5	150.8	2.0	-.3	150.5	2.5	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent 2	167.7	2.4	.9	144.9	3.4	.4	150.9	2.0	-.3	151.0	2.4	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	125.8	1.9	.1	128.9	.9	.6	142.5	1.1	1.1	128.7	.3	.9
Fuels	118.4	2.6	.3	123.2	-.1	-.4	157.1	1.5	2.9	116.3	-.8	1.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.6	-.6	1.6	87.0	-.3	.1	161.5	1.6	5.6	95.2	.0	.7
Fuel oil	81.3	-.6	1.8	80.6	.1	.4	105.1	10.1	14.9	85.0	-.2	1.0
Other household fuel commodities 3	NA	-	-	108.3	-.5	.0	175.5	1.2	5.1	163.2	5.2	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	137.6	3.0	.1	128.7	-.1	-.5	157.0	1.5	3.0	124.4	-.7	1.9
Electricity	160.5	1.4	.2	172.4	-.4	-.2	180.7	-.2	.0	139.1	.9	2.0
Utility (piped) gas	105.8	7.0	-.1	87.2	-.2	-.7	129.3	5.4	9.8	105.1	-.3	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	117.6	2.2	2.1	125.2	1.0	-.2	115.1	.8	-.1	140.0	4.8	5.4
Apparel and upkeep	101.7	-.1	-.2	133.0	10.0	8.7	122.8	-.2	2.8	144.7	.0	7.0
Apparel commodities	96.8	-.1	-.2	132.1	10.7	9.4	118.9	-.2	3.1	140.9	.1	8.1
Men's and boys' apparel	106.8	2.3	7.9	120.5	-.2	-.7	118.2	-.3	-.2	137.7	-.2	5.4
Women's and girls' apparel	77.6	-.2	-.8	134.6	20.8	22.3	100.4	1.8	8.2	141.2	.9	10.4
Footwear	112.2	-.4	1.4	98.3	-.2	6.3	133.5	-.4	-.7	135.0	-.1	11.0
Transportation	145.6	4.8	1.3	132.8	6.2	1.5	129.3	3.4	.8	140.8	3.8	.2
Private transportation	144.2	5.5	1.3	133.2	6.6	1.6	126.3	2.9	1.1	140.8	4.1	.3
Motor fuel	104.9	8.5	4.0	103.6	13.5	2.2	110.8	4.8	1.9	106.8	8.3	3.7
Gasoline	104.0	8.2	4.1	102.8	13.8	2.4	110.0	4.8	1.9	106.5	8.7	3.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	102.9	10.8	4.5	99.3	16.5	2.8	106.7	5.0	2.3	104.0	8.4	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade 4	105.0	-	4.2	115.0	-	1.5	106.2	-	1.5	102.5	-	2.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	101.0	5.4	3.4	106.1	10.6	2.1	112.2	4.5	1.5	107.6	6.7	2.8
Public transportation	166.4	-.1	.3	122.4	-.8	-.2	170.7	7.4	-.2	143.0	.2	-.5
Medical care	222.0	5.1	.3	202.5	4.8	.8	203.6	2.1	1.1	206.2	4.3	.5
Entertainment	155.1	7.0	-.1	139.9	3.9	.7	151.5	-.4	-.6	155.1	3.8	3.1
Other goods and services	220.5	5.1	1.2	172.6	4.2	3.5	211.4	2.9	2.1	201.9	4.0	1.9
Personal care	186.4	5.0	-.1	111.8	-.9	-.1	154.2	-.1	-.8	160.9	3.1	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	155.9	3.3	.6	143.0	3.9	1.1	147.1	1.9	.3	151.5	2.7	1.4
Commodities	132.5	3.0	.8	135.0	4.3	1.4	134.9	1.7	.2	139.5	3.0	2.8
Food and beverages	145.3	2.5	1.0	144.2	2.2	.1	148.5	2.1	-.4	145.0	2.2	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	123.1	3.4	.6	129.4	5.7	2.3	126.2	1.2	.8	136.5	3.6	3.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	119.5	3.0	.0	128.0	7.8	3.3	125.9	.2	1.5	135.1	2.7	4.3
Durables	126.6	4.3	1.6	129.0	3.0	.9	124.7	2.7	-.1	136.5	4.8	2.9
Services	184.0	4.4	.5	153.7	3.4	.9	159.9	2.2	.4	164.9	2.5	.4
Medical care services	225.6	5.6	.2	205.1	5.1	.6	206.9	2.9	1.5	206.7	4.4	.5
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	147.7	3.4	.7	141.2	4.0	1.4	143.3	1.7	.5	149.0	2.8	2.0
All items less medical care	153.0	3.2	.7	140.1	3.9	1.2	145.0	1.9	.3	149.0	2.7	1.5
All items less energy	162.4	3.2	.6	147.9	3.8	1.2	150.4	1.8	.2	156.9	2.7	1.4
All items less food and energy	168.1	3.3	.4	149.0	4.2	1.4	151.0	1.7	.4	159.6	2.5	1.3
Energy	111.3	4.8	1.6	112.1	5.1	.8	127.6	3.3	2.5	110.7	3.7	2.8
Commodities less food	124.7	3.1	.4	130.3	5.6	2.2	127.2	1.1	.8	136.7	2.9	3.6
Nondurables less food	122.2	2.7	-.1	129.3	7.3	2.9	127.0	.2	1.3	135.4	1.7	4.1
Nondurables	133.2	2.7	.5	136.5	4.8	1.6	137.6	1.3	.4	140.0	2.4	2.8
Services less rent of shelter 2	165.2	4.0	.6	149.9	3.5	1.6	148.3	1.9	.8	153.9	2.7	.7
Services less medical care services	180.9	3.3	.6	148.9	3.3	.9	157.2	2.1	.4	161.5	2.3	.4

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see table 10) will appear next month.

² Indexes are on a November 1984=100 base in Baltimore, Boston, Miami, St. Louis, Washington. Indexes are on a December 1984=100 base in the U.S., Chicago, Cleveland, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco.

³ Indexes on a November 1986=100 base in Baltimore, Boston,

Cleveland, Miami, St. Louis, and Washington. Indexes on a December 1986=100 base in U.S., Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	-	-	9.9	-	-
1914	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1	-	-	10.0	1.0	1.0
1915	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.3	-	-	10.1	2.0	1.0
1916	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.6	-	-	10.9	12.6	7.9
1917	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.5	13.5	13.7	-	-	12.8	18.1	17.4
1918	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.2	14.5	14.7	15.1	15.4	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.5	-	-	15.1	20.4	18.0
1919	16.5	16.2	16.4	16.7	16.9	16.9	17.4	17.7	17.8	18.1	18.5	18.9	-	-	17.3	14.5	14.6
1920	19.3	19.5	19.7	20.3	20.6	20.9	20.8	20.3	20.0	19.9	19.8	19.4	-	-	20.0	2.6	15.6
1921	19.0	18.4	18.3	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	-	-	17.9	-10.8	-10.5
1922	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.8	16.9	-	-	16.8	-2.3	-6.1
1923	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.3	-	-	17.1	2.4	1.8
1924	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.2	17.3	-	-	17.1	.0	.0
1925	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.9	-	-	17.5	3.5	2.3
1926	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	-	-	17.7	-1.1	1.1
1927	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.3	-	-	17.4	-2.3	-1.7
1928	17.3	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1	-	-	17.1	-1.2	-1.7
1929	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.2	-	-	17.1	.6	.0
1930	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.6	16.5	16.4	16.1	-	-	16.7	-6.4	-2.3
1931	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.6	-	-	15.2	-9.3	-9.0
1932	14.3	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1	-	-	13.7	-10.3	-9.9
1933	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	-	-	13.0	.8	-5.1
1934	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4	-	-	13.4	1.5	3.1
1935	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	-	-	13.7	3.0	2.2
1936	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	13.9	1.4	1.5
1937	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.4	-	-	14.4	2.9	3.6
1938	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	14.1	-2.8	-2.1
1939	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	13.9	.0	-1.4
1940	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	-	-	14.0	.7	.7
1941	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.7	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.5	-	-	14.7	9.9	5.0
1942	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9	-	-	16.3	9.0	10.9
1943	16.9	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.3	3.0	6.1
1944	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.8	-	-	17.6	2.3	1.7
1945	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.2	-	-	18.0	2.2	2.3
1946	18.2	18.1	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	19.8	20.2	20.4	20.8	21.3	21.5	-	-	19.5	18.1	8.3
1947	21.5	21.5	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.0	22.2	22.5	23.0	23.0	23.1	23.4	-	-	22.3	8.8	14.4
1948	23.7	23.5	23.4	23.8	23.9	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.2	24.1	-	-	24.1	3.0	8.1
1949	24.0	23.8	23.8	23.9	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.6	-	-	23.8	-2.1	-1.2
1950	23.5	23.5	23.6	23.6	23.7	23.8	24.1	24.3	24.4	24.6	24.7	25.0	-	-	24.1	5.9	1.3
1951	25.4	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.4	26.5	-	-	26.0	6.0	7.9
1952	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.5	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	-	-	26.5	.8	1.9
1953	26.6	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9	-	-	26.7	.7	.8
1954	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.7	-	-	26.9	-.7	.7
1955	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	-	-	26.8	.4	-.4
1956	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.2	27.4	27.3	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6	-	-	27.2	3.0	1.5
1957	27.6	27.7	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.4	28.4	-	-	28.1	2.9	3.3
1958	28.6	28.6	28.8	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	-	-	28.9	1.8	2.8
1959	29.0	28.9	28.9	29.0	29.0	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.4	-	-	29.1	1.7	.7

Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1960	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.8	29.8	29.8	-	-	29.6	1.4	1.7
1961	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	30.0	29.9	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	-	-	29.9	.7	1.0
1962	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	-	-	30.2	1.3	1.0
1963	30.4	30.4	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.8	30.9	-	-	30.6	1.6	1.3
1964	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.1	31.0	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.2	-	-	31.0	1.0	1.3
1965	31.2	31.2	31.3	31.4	31.4	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.7	31.7	31.8	-	-	31.5	1.9	1.6
1966	31.8	32.0	32.1	32.3	32.3	32.4	32.5	32.7	32.7	32.9	32.9	32.9	-	-	32.4	3.5	2.9
1967	32.9	32.9	33.0	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	-	-	33.4	3.0	3.1
1968	34.1	34.2	34.3	34.4	34.5	34.7	34.9	35.0	35.1	35.3	35.4	35.5	-	-	34.8	4.7	4.2
1969	35.6	35.8	36.1	36.3	36.4	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.1	37.3	37.5	37.7	-	-	36.7	6.2	5.5
1970	37.8	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.6	38.8	39.0	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	-	-	38.8	5.6	5.7
1971	39.8	39.9	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.6	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.1	-	-	40.5	3.3	4.4
1972	41.1	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.4	42.5	-	-	41.8	3.4	3.2
1973	42.6	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.9	44.2	44.3	45.1	45.2	45.6	45.9	46.2	-	-	44.4	8.7	6.2
1974	46.6	47.2	47.8	48.0	48.6	49.0	49.4	50.0	50.6	51.1	51.5	51.9	-	-	49.3	12.3	11.0
1975	52.1	52.5	52.7	52.9	53.2	53.6	54.2	54.3	54.6	54.9	55.3	55.5	-	-	53.8	6.9	9.1
1976	55.6	55.8	55.9	56.1	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.9	58.0	58.2	-	-	56.9	4.9	5.8
1977	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.7	61.0	61.2	61.4	61.6	61.9	62.1	-	-	60.6	6.7	6.5
1978	62.5	62.9	63.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.7	66.0	66.5	67.1	67.4	67.7	-	-	65.2	9.0	7.6
1979	68.3	69.1	69.8	70.6	71.5	72.3	73.1	73.8	74.6	75.2	75.9	76.7	-	-	72.6	13.3	11.3
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3	-	-	82.4	12.5	13.5
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0	-	-	90.9	8.9	10.3
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6	-	-	96.5	3.8	6.2
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3	-	-	99.6	3.8	3.2
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	102.9	104.9	103.9	3.9	4.3
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3	106.6	108.5	107.6	3.8	3.6
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5	109.1	110.1	109.6	1.1	1.9
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4	112.4	114.9	113.6	4.4	3.6
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5	116.8	119.7	118.3	4.4	4.1
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1	122.7	125.3	124.0	4.6	4.8
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.8	128.7	132.6	130.7	6.1	5.4
1991	134.6	134.8	135.0	135.2	135.6	136.0	136.2	136.6	137.2	137.4	137.8	137.9	135.2	137.2	136.2	3.1	4.2
1992	138.1	138.6	139.3	139.5	139.7	140.2	140.5	140.9	141.3	141.8	142.0	141.9	139.2	141.4	140.3	2.9	3.0
1993	142.6	143.1	143.6	144.0	144.2	144.4	144.4	144.8	145.1	145.7	145.8	145.8	143.7	145.3	144.5	2.7	3.0
1994	146.2	146.7	147.2	147.4	147.5	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	-	-	-	147.2	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Commodity and service group											
All items	105.3	109.3	110.5	115.4	120.5	126.1	133.8	137.9	141.9	145.8	149.4
Commodities	104.0	106.6	104.5	109.3	113.5	118.2	126.0	127.5	130.1	132.0	134.8
Food and beverages	104.0	106.9	110.9	114.8	120.6	127.2	133.9	137.3	139.5	143.3	145.6
Commodities less food and beverages	103.9	106.4	100.5	105.7	109.0	112.6	121.1	121.5	124.3	125.1	128.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	102.1	105.8	95.9	103.1	106.9	112.0	125.8	124.5	127.4	126.5	130.3
Apparel commodities	102.9	105.4	105.8	111.0	116.3	117.1	123.0	127.2	128.7	129.7	131.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	101.9	105.8	93.0	101.5	104.5	112.0	130.1	126.0	129.6	127.7	132.8
Durables	106.4	107.1	107.2	109.5	112.2	113.5	114.5	117.2	120.1	123.3	125.1
Services	106.8	112.2	117.2	122.2	128.1	134.6	142.3	148.8	154.2	160.0	164.4
Rent of shelter ¹	110.3	117.0	122.5	128.5	134.3	140.9	148.4	154.2	158.7	163.5	168.2
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	108.5	110.8	110.8	112.3	116.2	119.0	122.2	127.8	131.4	134.9	137.9
Transportation services	107.7	113.0	119.5	124.6	132.1	138.6	150.0	153.7	159.2	166.9	168.8
Medical care services	109.1	116.5	125.7	132.7	141.9	154.1	169.3	182.8	195.6	207.1	215.4
Other services	110.1	116.2	122.6	129.0	136.2	145.1	154.5	164.1	172.8	181.6	187.8
Special indexes											
All items less food	105.6	109.9	110.4	115.5	120.4	125.8	133.7	138.1	142.5	146.4	150.2
All items less shelter	105.1	108.4	108.6	113.2	118.1	123.5	131.5	135.0	139.1	142.7	146.0
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	107.6	111.3	111.9	116.6	121.6	127.1	135.5	139.3	143.4	147.2	150.6
All items less medical care	105.1	108.8	109.6	114.3	119.1	124.4	131.8	135.3	138.9	142.5	145.8
Commodities less food	104.0	106.5	100.9	106.0	109.4	113.0	121.4	122.4	125.3	126.1	129.0
Nondurables less food	102.3	105.9	96.7	103.7	107.5	112.6	125.7	125.5	128.5	127.8	131.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	102.1	106.1	94.3	102.1	105.3	112.5	129.0	126.9	130.5	129.1	133.7
Nondurables	103.1	106.3	103.5	109.1	113.9	119.8	130.0	131.1	133.6	135.1	138.1
Services less rent of shelter ¹	110.6	115.4	120.2	124.6	131.1	137.8	146.4	153.9	160.7	167.8	172.2
Services less medical care services	106.5	111.8	116.2	121.0	126.6	132.6	139.7	145.5	150.3	155.6	159.6
Energy	99.8	101.6	81.6	88.3	88.7	93.2	110.1	101.9	103.9	102.4	108.2
All items less energy	106.1	110.3	114.5	119.2	124.8	130.6	137.4	142.8	147.1	151.7	155.0
All items less food and energy	106.7	111.3	115.5	120.4	126.0	131.5	138.3	144.4	149.2	153.9	157.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities	105.9	108.2	109.7	113.5	118.0	121.2	125.3	130.3	133.6	135.7	137.7
Energy commodities	96.8	100.1	69.6	82.0	80.1	86.4	117.0	98.2	99.4	94.3	102.0
Services less energy services	107.0	113.1	119.0	124.4	130.6	137.5	145.8	152.5	158.2	164.3	168.8
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	104.0	106.9	110.9	114.8	120.6	127.2	133.9	137.3	139.5	143.3	145.6
Food	104.0	106.7	110.8	114.7	120.7	127.4	134.2	136.7	138.7	142.7	145.0
Food at home	103.0	105.1	109.0	112.8	119.1	126.5	133.8	135.5	137.5	142.3	145.0
Cereals and bakery products	105.8	109.6	112.2	116.8	126.6	136.1	142.4	147.4	153.3	158.9	164.8
Cereals and cereal products	103.9	108.3	110.7	116.1	127.2	136.5	143.7	148.8	154.4	159.6	165.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	100.8	104.3	104.4	105.8	113.1	121.2	124.0	123.5	130.2	129.9	136.6
Cereal	107.1	113.8	119.5	126.7	138.8	152.4	163.5	171.4	178.1	186.5	191.2
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	101.2	102.5	101.5	106.3	118.4	120.1	122.7	126.3	128.9	131.7	140.0
Bakery products	106.4	110.1	112.7	117.0	126.1	135.6	141.5	146.4	152.5	158.2	164.2
White bread	104.8	107.5	108.3	113.1	125.5	133.2	138.3	140.4	146.1	156.2	162.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	104.6	106.8	109.5	113.2	124.1	132.7	139.0	143.7	151.2	155.8	163.0
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	108.6	112.2	116.3	121.1	128.7	139.0	147.2	154.2	157.7	163.2	165.3
Other bakery products	107.5	113.1	116.3	120.3	126.3	137.5	141.8	147.6	154.9	158.0	166.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	101.0	102.5	109.1	110.3	116.1	123.8	133.6	131.6	132.1	137.1	137.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	101.2	102.5	109.4	111.9	117.1	123.0	133.8	132.0	133.0	138.4	138.8
Meats	100.4	100.6	106.6	110.4	112.7	120.0	133.6	130.8	131.1	135.9	135.0
Beef and veal	100.5	101.1	101.7	108.5	114.6	122.1	133.0	131.7	132.8	137.7	135.1
Ground beef other than canned	98.6	97.7	96.4	102.0	104.5	112.2	120.8	119.1	118.4	123.0	118.7
Chuck roast	101.7	100.6	99.9	105.0	112.4	123.4	136.1	137.7	139.2	142.7	139.4
Round roast	98.6	98.8	96.0	101.8	107.0	113.9	124.9	124.1	126.5	127.2	127.1
Round steak	99.1	100.3	101.1	108.1	111.9	118.8	130.2	129.9	129.9	133.3	133.7
Sirloin steak	100.6	100.8	103.1	112.9	120.8	123.4	131.5	127.5	129.1	137.6	138.1
Other beef and veal	102.1	104.4	107.1	115.1	125.4	133.3	146.6	145.3	148.6	154.3	152.1
Pork	99.7	99.7	115.2	113.1	109.6	117.2	136.8	128.5	127.4	133.1	134.8
Bacon	99.5	99.5	113.1	108.2	96.9	105.0	122.9	108.6	104.8	117.1	118.0
Chops	99.2	101.1	116.4	114.3	114.7	123.7	142.5	136.1	139.5	145.8	143.2
Ham	102.5	102.2	121.3	118.1	115.9	121.9	144.4	137.3	134.9	137.1	142.6
Other pork, including sausage	98.0	97.3	111.3	111.4	108.5	115.9	134.9	127.7	125.8	129.9	132.4
Other meats	101.3	100.5	107.6	112.1	113.1	119.5	131.6	132.7	133.0	136.4	136.3
Poultry	105.0	108.2	118.8	107.8	127.1	127.8	129.7	130.2	133.7	141.1	143.3
Fresh whole chicken	102.6	107.9	121.0	107.7	131.0	130.4	130.6	129.9	135.4	141.3	141.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	104.4	106.9	121.1	110.8	131.5	130.2	133.2	134.8	136.9	146.8	147.2
Other poultry	109.1	110.1	112.3	103.8	113.3	121.1	123.0	122.8	126.6	130.9	140.6
Fish and seafood	103.9	111.4	121.2	133.3	138.9	143.0	148.5	150.4	152.0	158.7	164.9
Canned fish and seafood	97.8	98.2	99.8	110.0	124.8	119.4	118.8	118.2	119.9	122.8	124.8
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	107.3	118.6	133.0	146.2	148.5	156.3	164.1	167.0	168.7	177.0	184.9
Eggs	96.9	102.7	103.7	85.5	99.6	134.9	128.7	123.5	117.7	116.0	113.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	103.3	102.7	104.9	106.7	111.4	122.9	126.7	127.4	129.1	130.2	131.3
Fresh milk and cream	102.9	101.4	103.3	105.0	109.9	122.6	125.6	125.3	128.4	131.1	130.8
Fresh whole milk	103.0	101.4	103.4	104.8	110.1	123.0	126.0	125.5	127.8	130.6	129.3
Other fresh milk and cream	102.8	101.4	103.0	105.3	109.5	122.0	124.9	124.9	129.1	131.8	132.7
Processed dairy products	103.9	104.5	106.9	108.8	113.3	123.7	128.4	130.2	130.4	129.8	132.4
Cheese	102.8	103.1	104.5	107.0	112.6	126.9	132.7	135.1	135.4	134.6	136.9
Ice cream and related products	104.2	106.2	109.5	111.0	114.8	123.1	128.5	130.1	130.6	131.5	135.6
Other dairy products, including butter	105.6	105.6	109.1	109.9	112.1	113.4	113.4	113.7	113.5	111.4	112.8
Fruits and vegetables	103.1	107.8	109.4	123.4	131.0	136.7	146.5	152.9	156.2	166.5	163.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables	101.2	109.1	113.0	133.2	138.1	145.6	157.6	169.6	173.9	190.1	183.7
Fresh fruits	106.5	107.9	114.3	126.3	143.2	154.8	171.2	188.6	181.8	205.4	203.9
Apples	103.3	111.2	116.9	103.6	132.4	124.7	151.6	169.9	154.1	166.9	180.8
Bananas	86.6	87.1	91.8	107.4	115.9	122.6	128.3	128.3	124.3	126.6	140.9
Oranges, including tangerines	114.8	104.1	110.4	126.3	144.4	138.5	152.7	186.8	156.7	177.4	220.7
Other fresh fruits	108.7	113.7	121.0	140.4	154.8	179.7	195.7	213.1	215.3	249.3	225.6
Fresh vegetables	96.1	110.3	111.7	140.2	133.0	136.5	144.0	150.7	166.1	174.9	163.5
Potatoes	102.4	81.4	103.9	103.8	128.5	140.0	133.9	129.0	137.2	165.0	168.8
Lettuce	90.2	143.0	115.1	272.7	174.3	135.8	159.0	170.1	183.0	152.1	178.7
Tomatoes	90.2	124.9	126.2	139.3	124.3	140.3	129.5	124.5	193.4	197.2	154.6
Other fresh vegetables	96.8	108.6	110.7	126.3	129.4	135.6	151.0	162.3	166.4	178.5	162.2
Processed fruits and vegetables	105.3	106.4	105.2	110.0	121.9	124.9	131.6	129.7	131.4	133.2	134.5
Processed fruits	107.1	108.7	106.1	112.3	124.4	125.2	134.6	131.5	134.8	133.7	132.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	108.8	109.8	105.1	112.1	126.2	126.3	137.4	131.8	135.3	133.4	131.7
Canned and dried fruits	103.9	106.7	108.2	111.5	115.9	119.6	122.5	128.5	130.7	132.9	133.1
Processed vegetables	103.6	104.0	104.2	107.3	118.9	124.8	128.1	127.6	127.3	132.8	137.7
Frozen vegetables	104.1	106.8	108.2	111.5	116.3	124.6	128.5	129.3	130.2	135.4	139.9
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	103.3	102.9	102.7	105.7	120.7	125.4	128.5	127.3	126.6	132.1	137.2
Other food at home	103.8	105.8	109.0	110.0	115.3	120.1	125.2	127.1	128.3	130.9	139.4
Sugar and sweets	103.9	106.7	109.2	111.0	116.7	121.1	126.4	130.9	132.1	133.3	135.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	101.0	101.3	100.8	102.0	110.0	114.8	118.1	118.1	119.3	120.6	125.1
Sweets, including candy	105.1	108.9	112.6	114.7	119.4	123.6	129.8	136.0	137.3	138.4	139.6
Fats and oils	108.7	107.4	105.9	107.7	118.5	121.6	131.0	129.3	128.4	129.4	134.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	102.4	103.6	108.6	104.8	107.8	111.0	113.1	112.5	112.3	114.8	132.1
Carbonated drinks	100.8	101.8	101.7	103.3	104.6	109.8	110.8	111.9	113.7	115.6	115.8
Coffee	104.6	105.0	128.9	110.5	116.9	115.7	117.4	111.3	105.4	111.1	172.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	105.3	108.3	109.9	112.4	115.5	120.2	126.5	129.7	132.3	131.6	133.4
Other prepared food	104.0	107.5	110.4	115.0	120.7	127.6	134.2	138.2	141.2	144.9	148.8
Canned and packaged soup	105.5	109.1	112.1	118.9	123.2	132.4	140.2	148.6	157.0	163.9	172.6
Frozen prepared food	105.3	110.0	112.5	119.0	124.6	131.3	135.8	138.0	138.7	138.6	139.9
Snacks	104.7	108.8	112.2	115.7	121.2	126.2	131.1	132.8	132.5	136.3	140.8
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	103.7	106.8	110.1	113.2	118.3	124.9	132.6	137.9	143.6	147.4	152.7
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	102.8	105.6	107.8	112.9	119.8	127.9	135.6	140.2	142.9	147.9	150.4
Food away from home	106.0	110.0	114.7	118.9	124.1	129.8	135.7	139.6	141.6	144.3	146.2
Lunch	105.6	109.8	114.2	118.6	124.0	130.2	136.1	140.2	142.3	145.1	146.9
Dinner	106.2	110.5	114.7	118.7	123.9	129.1	134.3	137.9	139.9	142.4	144.4
Other meals and snacks	106.2	109.5	115.6	119.4	124.6	130.6	137.8	142.0	144.1	146.7	148.4
Alcoholic beverages	103.8	109.5	111.7	115.4	119.9	125.6	130.9	143.9	148.1	150.3	151.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	102.9	108.0	109.5	112.0	114.6	119.5	124.0	138.4	141.3	142.0	142.0
Beer and ale	105.1	107.3	109.2	111.5	114.6	120.0	124.3	139.0	142.9	143.3	142.9
Wine	98.8	100.0	102.2	106.1	107.8	111.6	114.5	130.5	132.4	133.1	132.6
Distilled spirits	101.6	112.6	113.4	114.8	117.0	122.1	128.1	139.9	141.8	143.1	144.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home	107.4	115.9	120.3	125.8	133.3	140.3	146.9	158.9	165.0	169.3	172.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	
Expenditure category											
Housing	105.1	109.6	111.5	115.6	120.2	124.9	130.5	135.0	138.5	142.3	145.8
Shelter	106.4	112.8	118.0	123.7	129.3	135.6	142.7	148.2	152.5	157.1	161.6
Renters' costs ¹	111.3	118.3	124.2	129.1	134.1	140.1	149.5	155.8	160.2	164.4	169.4
Rent, residential	108.2	115.1	120.8	125.6	130.1	135.5	141.1	145.2	148.6	151.9	155.0
Other renters' costs	106.9	113.5	119.2	124.1	130.0	137.2	157.0	169.7	176.7	183.3	193.5
Lodging while out of town	105.3	112.0	116.9	121.5	127.0	133.8	154.9	168.0	174.3	181.0	191.6
Lodging while at school ¹	114.0	120.8	128.5	136.5	145.5	156.3	166.1	175.8	188.6	193.8	201.6
Tenants' insurance	106.0	112.1	118.2	122.5	126.6	129.7	131.6	134.4	138.3	142.8	147.5
Homeowners' costs ¹	109.8	116.3	121.6	128.0	134.0	140.9	147.5	153.0	157.5	162.5	167.1
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	109.8	116.3	121.6	128.0	134.1	141.0	147.7	153.2	157.8	162.8	167.3
Household insurance ¹	108.9	115.0	121.6	126.2	130.6	134.0	136.5	140.0	144.3	149.0	154.3
Maintenance and repairs	105.2	107.8	109.7	113.3	115.8	119.5	123.8	128.1	129.3	127.6	131.6
Maintenance and repair services	106.9	110.0	111.8	116.6	118.4	122.2	128.9	131.4	135.2	130.8	135.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	102.9	105.1	107.0	109.1	112.4	115.8	116.8	123.7	121.3	123.5	126.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ²	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.8	109.4	111.7	116.3	117.5	119.1	119.8
Other maintenance and repair commodities	102.2	104.3	104.0	105.7	109.5	111.7	111.5	119.7	114.5	117.0	120.8
Fuel and other utilities	104.5	106.4	100.4	102.0	105.0	108.4	112.7	116.0	118.7	121.7	124.2
Fuels	102.8	103.6	93.8	95.1	97.4	101.2	105.6	106.5	108.9	110.7	113.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	96.9	101.8	71.3	80.5	76.8	88.7	114.1	94.7	91.8	88.3	86.8
Fuel oil	95.6	100.8	67.2	79.2	74.2	88.7	115.2	92.3	89.2	85.1	83.6
Other household fuel commodities ²	-	-	100.0	102.6	102.3	108.3	136.4	123.3	120.4	118.0	116.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	104.7	104.1	100.7	100.9	104.1	107.0	108.6	112.4	115.6	118.1	122.1
Electricity	104.2	107.0	105.4	107.3	110.3	113.4	115.0	120.8	122.9	123.6	132.2
Utility (piped) gas	105.3	100.4	94.6	91.9	95.2	97.8	99.6	99.9	105.0	111.1	106.6
Other utilities and public services	109.0	114.5	118.7	120.9	125.5	128.2	132.7	140.2	143.6	148.8	150.3
Telephone services	109.0	114.1	117.2	115.7	117.2	116.9	116.4	120.5	120.1	122.3	123.3
Local charges	115.2	125.5	134.4	138.9	145.2	146.0	147.5	155.0	155.7	157.2	156.9
Interstate toll calls	96.9	93.3	84.5	74.0	70.9	70.0	67.4	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7
Intrastate toll calls	105.9	106.5	106.8	103.6	99.2	96.6	94.5	93.1	90.9	91.1	90.3
Water and sewerage maintenance	109.4	115.5	121.7	128.0	135.8	144.7	153.7	165.7	176.7	185.2	192.4
Cable television ³	106.1	112.5	116.8	127.9	141.4	146.8	166.1	180.4	187.0	200.1	193.7
Refuse collection ³	106.1	112.9	123.5	136.1	146.9	161.1	176.9	197.3	214.0	225.2	234.4
Household furnishings and operation	102.6	104.5	106.1	107.3	110.6	111.7	113.7	116.3	118.2	120.3	121.4
Housefurnishings	101.5	101.7	102.9	103.3	105.9	105.5	106.1	107.1	108.7	110.3	111.2
Textile housefurnishings	105.1	105.1	107.8	108.0	114.3	113.9	116.7	118.9	116.7	124.4	124.9
Furniture and bedding	103.4	106.8	109.2	111.5	115.4	113.8	115.1	116.2	121.4	125.8	128.6
Bedroom furniture	106.8	111.7	115.6	115.8	121.3	118.8	117.2	122.0	129.5	136.3	133.5
Sofas	102.8	103.5	111.0	116.0	116.9	116.1	116.6	117.3	121.3	119.5	128.0
Living room chairs and tables	101.5	106.5	107.0	109.4	113.0	112.5	118.7	116.1	120.3	129.6	135.2
Other furniture	101.5	103.8	103.0	105.5	109.7	107.9	110.0	109.7	113.9	117.4	120.6
Appliances, including electronic equipment	96.6	92.9	92.0	89.5	90.1	88.5	86.4	84.9	83.5	82.8	82.1
Video and audio products	94.1	89.1	87.1	83.9	82.7	82.3	79.3	78.7	77.3	76.7	75.8
Televisions	92.6	85.2	81.5	77.9	76.8	75.8	73.1	72.3	71.4	70.2	69.8
Video products other than televisions ⁴	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.1	86.1	81.4	78.6	77.0	73.5
Audio products	95.2	92.2	91.4	92.3	91.9	94.3	93.3	95.0	93.6	94.0	93.6
Major household appliances ²	-	-	100.0	98.8	102.4	101.0	100.7	98.6	99.1	100.6	102.9
Refrigerators and home freezers	102.7	100.7	99.5	100.4	102.0	103.3	102.3	100.6	101.3	105.8	109.1
Laundry equipment	103.9	104.5	104.0	102.7	107.0	105.9	107.2	105.6	106.3	107.1	110.0
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ²	-	-	100.0	97.2	101.9	98.5	97.4	94.5	94.7	94.8	95.7
Information processing equipment ⁴	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.7	90.3	86.6	81.3	75.1	70.0
Other housefurnishings ²	-	-	100.0	101.8	104.0	105.9	108.0	111.2	113.5	113.5	114.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	105.3	105.4	109.3	115.3	114.6	119.8	128.6	126.2	128.8	132.1	135.4
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	103.2	102.8	101.1	102.8	105.9	112.8	112.6	117.8	120.3	118.2	119.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	99.6	101.8	104.8	106.2	109.0	111.0	112.4	120.2	121.9	122.9	122.6
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	103.5	104.6	102.9	104.2	103.9	100.7	102.6	102.6	102.7	106.5	106.5
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ²	-	-	100.0	98.4	100.0	97.2	96.3	95.9	96.9	93.6	92.6
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ⁵	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.0	113.0	110.0	112.6
Housekeeping supplies	104.1	107.5	109.3	112.5	117.0	123.6	127.5	129.8	129.5	131.9	132.6
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	104.9	109.6	111.7	116.8	121.7	127.3	132.4	138.0	137.4	137.2	138.5
Household paper products and stationery supplies	104.3	107.4	108.6	109.4	115.7	122.1	126.7	127.1	127.3	130.2	128.4
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	102.9	105.3	107.2	110.6	113.0	120.9	122.8	123.7	123.0	127.6	130.3
Housekeeping services	103.5	107.5	109.4	111.4	115.9	117.6	122.3	129.4	134.3	137.2	139.3
Postage	100.0	110.2	110.2	110.2	125.1	125.1	125.1	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3
Appliance and furniture repair	107.8	111.2	114.1	117.6	120.8	123.1	127.3	132.8	142.0	145.6	147.5
Gardening and other household services ²	-	-	100.0	104.9	109.2	113.2	117.7	120.2	126.1	128.4	130.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	103.6	106.5	107.5	112.7	118.0	119.2	125.3	129.6	131.4	132.6	134.2
Apparel commodities	102.9	105.4	105.8	111.0	116.3	117.1	123.0	127.2	128.7	129.7	131.2
Apparel commodities less footwear	103.1	106.0	106.3	111.7	116.8	117.6	123.8	128.2	129.4	130.3	132.3
Men's and boys'	104.0	107.2	107.4	110.7	117.3	118.8	122.3	125.9	127.1	127.5	128.4
Men's	103.8	107.2	107.3	111.6	118.4	120.6	124.5	128.3	130.0	130.0	131.2
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	103.0	106.3	108.0	111.7	122.0	124.7	128.2	131.3	132.8	137.4	139.8
Furnishings and special clothing	105.6	108.8	109.4	110.1	113.7	117.4	119.8	122.2	123.6	123.0	122.2
Shirts	103.1	109.2	108.4	115.3	122.6	122.9	127.9	133.1	134.6	130.8	133.5
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	104.0	105.4	103.4	109.4	114.6	116.7	121.9	126.1	129.2	127.8	127.7
Boys'	104.7	107.3	107.7	107.2	112.5	111.4	113.0	116.2	115.0	117.1	117.0
Women's and girls'	103.5	106.9	106.3	112.6	116.5	116.4	123.5	128.4	129.1	130.6	131.1
Women's	103.7	107.4	106.6	113.0	116.3	116.5	124.2	128.0	128.4	131.0	131.1
Coats and jackets	105.3	107.3	99.5	104.0	104.5	108.9	117.2	121.1	126.2	131.8	125.4
Dresses	105.1	106.8	105.8	119.9	123.5	122.5	131.1	128.0	130.7	127.2	129.3
Separates and sportswear	102.9	110.0	111.1	116.8	119.3	118.7	126.0	131.2	129.5	133.3	133.7
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	104.5	107.4	107.5	108.0	114.3	116.3	121.3	124.1	125.0	126.8	127.3
Suits	97.6	103.2	103.5	114.1	120.1	117.4	131.2	144.5	145.8	152.1	154.8
Girls'	102.9	104.0	105.2	110.2	117.3	116.1	120.2	130.8	133.5	129.1	131.1
Infants' and toddlers'	104.4	108.7	111.8	114.5	117.3	115.3	125.6	129.2	130.7	127.1	129.5
Other apparel commodities	99.5	100.1	102.7	111.3	119.1	122.8	130.8	135.4	138.9	140.5	152.3
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ²	-	-	100.0	102.7	109.2	111.2	118.8	121.2	122.9	121.3	122.4
Watches and jewelry ²	-	-	100.0	109.7	117.6	121.5	129.4	134.4	138.2	140.6	154.4
Watches ²	-	-	100.0	103.4	107.9	107.7	110.4	114.1	112.7	118.7	125.6
Jewelry ²	-	-	100.0	111.5	120.3	125.5	134.9	140.2	145.5	146.8	162.6
Footwear	102.0	102.8	103.3	107.2	113.5	114.7	118.4	121.8	125.1	125.8	125.1
Men's	102.2	105.7	108.6	111.4	119.2	122.0	125.6	129.4	132.9	133.2	131.9
Boys' and girls'	103.0	100.8	102.8	110.0	114.7	118.5	122.9	122.7	121.5	122.1	127.7
Women's	101.1	101.6	99.1	102.4	108.3	107.5	110.9	115.5	120.6	121.5	118.5
Apparel services	107.2	112.5	116.8	121.4	126.7	131.3	140.2	144.9	149.7	153.8	156.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	107.5	112.3	116.5	122.5	129.1	134.1	141.3	145.5	150.2	155.0	157.6
Other apparel services	106.5	112.9	117.4	120.4	124.4	128.6	139.5	144.5	149.5	152.9	155.3
Transportation	105.1	107.8	101.4	107.6	110.8	115.2	127.2	125.3	129.0	132.1	135.9
Private	104.9	107.4	100.0	106.5	109.6	113.9	125.1	123.4	126.7	128.6	133.1
New vehicles	104.4	108.2	114.3	116.4	119.0	121.9	124.3	128.3	131.3	135.6	137.5
New cars	104.5	108.1	114.5	116.6	119.1	121.8	123.5	127.6	130.5	134.2	135.7
Subcompact new cars ²	-	-	100.0	101.9	104.1	105.1	105.5	109.8	112.8	116.7	118.4
Compact new cars ²	-	-	100.0	101.4	102.5	104.7	106.5	109.0	109.8	113.3	115.3
Intermediate new cars ²	-	-	100.0	100.5	101.9	105.6	107.3	111.2	113.5	115.9	117.6
Full-size new cars ²	-	-	100.0	103.2	105.8	109.0	110.6	114.7	116.6	120.1	120.7
Luxury new cars ²	-	-	100.0	104.1	109.5	111.7	114.5	117.6	121.8	124.0	124.1
New trucks ³	103.4	108.2	112.8	114.3	116.8	120.7	125.8	129.6	132.9	139.0	142.3
New motorcycles ²	-	-	100.0	104.1	109.6	114.2	117.4	123.7	128.7	138.0	146.0
Used cars	114.6	112.5	106.8	116.3	120.2	119.7	117.1	120.1	129.0	139.3	145.4
Motor fuel	96.7	99.7	69.1	82.0	80.3	85.8	117.1	98.4	100.2	94.8	103.7
Gasoline	96.6	99.5	69.0	81.8	80.3	85.5	117.0	98.1	100.1	94.2	103.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	96.6	99.7	68.2	80.8	78.8	83.1	115.4	96.1	97.9	91.3	101.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	108.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	98.6	100.5	73.8	85.3	84.7	89.9	118.7	101.4	103.2	98.3	106.0
Automobile maintenance and repair	105.2	108.6	112.6	116.9	121.5	126.9	132.5	138.4	143.2	147.7	151.2
Body work	106.5	110.3	114.4	120.7	126.3	133.9	138.5	141.9	145.8	150.0	155.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	106.8	110.0	114.7	118.3	123.4	129.6	136.7	142.1	148.3	154.1	159.4
Maintenance and servicing	103.8	106.4	110.6	115.0	118.8	122.5	127.0	133.8	136.6	139.4	140.6
Power plant repair	105.0	109.6	112.7	116.8	121.4	127.3	133.1	139.5	145.7	151.2	155.1
Other private transportation	106.9	111.8	118.2	123.8	132.5	139.0	146.7	152.0	155.5	159.0	162.1
Other private transportation commodities	96.6	96.6	95.8	97.5	100.3	102.3	103.8	105.3	104.7	103.3	103.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	102.0	103.3	102.5	100.5	110.1	109.8	117.5	118.4	118.1	118.8	122.2
Automobile parts and equipment	95.8	95.5	94.7	96.7	98.9	101.1	102.0	103.6	103.0	101.4	100.9
Tires	93.9	93.4	91.9	93.2	96.9	99.1	99.0	101.3	100.8	99.4	99.8
Other parts and equipment	100.3	100.5	101.6	104.3	105.1	107.3	109.4	110.2	109.5	107.7	106.2
Other private transportation services	109.0	114.8	122.6	129.2	139.3	146.9	156.3	162.5	167.1	171.8	175.8
Automobile insurance	112.7	126.3	141.2	149.4	162.0	171.5	184.4	199.1	212.2	222.8	223.9
Automobile finance charges	100.3	92.0	85.3	90.3	97.8	102.0	102.0	94.8	81.6	77.0	86.2
Automobile fees	110.0	113.2	120.2	124.4	131.3	138.8	152.6	156.9	166.7	170.3	173.3
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	111.8	114.1	117.9	119.9	127.2	135.4	158.7	165.4	175.6	179.8	180.5
Other automobile-related fees	107.4	112.0	123.2	129.6	136.2	143.1	147.4	149.5	158.9	162.0	167.2
Public transportation	107.7	113.2	120.0	122.1	126.5	131.7	154.4	149.8	158.2	176.5	171.7
Airline fares	109.0	115.9	122.0	123.9	128.0	134.8	165.4	155.4	165.7	193.8	185.2
Other intercity transportation	112.3	119.4	125.3	127.8	136.9	139.2	148.4	152.0	152.2	148.0	152.2
Intracity public transportation	105.8	109.5	117.0	119.8	123.3	125.9	135.6	140.8	147.8	152.0	152.7

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Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Medical care	109.4	116.8	125.8	133.1	142.3	154.4	169.2	182.6	194.7	205.2	212.8
Medical care commodities	111.0	118.0	126.0	134.9	144.2	156.0	169.1	181.7	191.1	197.0	201.7
Prescription drugs	114.4	123.8	134.9	145.7	157.1	172.0	189.0	206.7	218.5	225.7	231.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ²	-	-	100.0	105.4	110.7	117.1	123.5	127.9	132.9	136.5	139.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	109.0	114.2	119.9	127.2	134.0	141.5	150.0	153.7	160.5	164.9	166.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	107.4	111.9	116.5	121.1	126.7	134.4	140.4	148.4	152.7	156.6	163.3
Medical care services	109.1	116.5	125.7	132.7	141.9	154.1	169.3	182.8	195.6	207.1	215.4
Professional medical services	109.4	116.6	124.0	131.8	140.8	149.9	160.0	169.8	179.4	187.4	194.0
Physicians' services	109.0	116.5	125.5	133.4	143.4	153.7	165.1	174.2	185.1	194.5	201.1
Dental services	110.9	116.8	123.2	132.1	140.9	149.9	159.9	173.0	183.1	191.1	198.9
Eye care ²	-	-	100.0	105.3	110.3	114.1	119.2	123.5	128.1	130.7	134.0
Services by other medical professionals ²	-	-	100.0	104.5	110.3	116.6	122.5	129.2	133.2	137.5	142.4
Hospital and related services	112.8	118.5	127.0	135.9	150.8	167.9	186.9	203.5	221.4	238.2	248.1
Hospital rooms	112.2	117.6	126.6	135.0	149.1	165.5	183.0	198.3	216.0	232.1	241.5
Other inpatient services ²	-	-	100.0	107.2	120.8	134.7	151.0	164.2	177.7	191.0	199.0
Outpatient services ²	-	-	100.0	107.1	117.0	130.7	145.4	159.7	175.4	189.2	197.2
Entertainment	105.9	109.2	112.9	117.4	122.8	129.1	134.6	139.9	143.8	147.8	150.7
Entertainment commodities	104.2	106.6	108.5	112.6	117.5	121.6	125.2	129.6	131.9	134.4	137.0
Reading materials	106.9	112.3	117.1	121.4	126.5	132.4	138.5	147.3	152.8	158.2	163.7
Newspapers	106.7	111.4	115.5	120.8	126.6	131.6	137.8	151.1	157.2	164.0	170.1
Magazines, periodicals, and books	107.1	113.3	118.9	122.1	126.6	133.3	139.4	144.0	149.0	153.1	157.9
Sporting goods and equipment	103.6	105.4	102.6	106.3	111.0	113.3	115.3	119.6	119.7	120.0	121.8
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	104.5	107.5	103.7	106.8	111.1	113.6	115.9	117.6	120.1	120.0	121.7
Other sporting goods	100.8	99.0	99.2	103.4	108.3	110.4	112.0	118.3	116.5	117.1	118.9
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	102.9	103.5	106.5	110.6	115.6	119.5	122.3	123.9	125.2	126.9	128.1
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	101.7	101.2	103.3	108.0	112.4	115.1	116.8	118.1	121.1	122.9	124.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	102.8	103.3	109.4	116.3	123.0	127.2	129.0	130.1	132.9	135.2	133.1
Pet supplies and expense	104.9	107.6	110.1	112.5	117.7	122.9	127.4	129.6	128.3	129.5	131.6
Entertainment services	108.3	113.1	119.2	124.3	130.0	138.8	146.3	152.7	158.3	163.9	167.1
Club memberships ²	-	-	100.0	101.7	109.1	113.5	119.1	123.2	126.0	130.1	130.7
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ²	-	-	100.0	107.0	113.2	121.9	128.6	134.9	141.5	152.8	150.9
Admissions	109.9	114.4	120.2	128.4	133.3	146.0	153.6	161.0	167.3	170.3	176.6
Fees for lessons or instructions ²	-	-	100.0	105.0	109.8	119.6	125.4	132.4	139.2	144.7	150.9
Other entertainment services ²	-	-	100.0	101.7	105.1	109.6	116.2	120.6	124.3	127.9	130.6
Other goods and services	111.0	118.0	124.5	132.1	141.3	152.9	164.5	177.6	189.1	194.2	201.4
Tobacco and smoking products	111.8	119.9	127.0	137.0	149.9	171.9	190.5	211.7	228.9	215.5	220.8
Personal care	106.3	110.0	112.8	116.5	122.4	127.1	132.4	135.7	139.6	143.1	145.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	105.7	109.2	111.9	115.0	121.6	124.7	129.9	133.4	137.8	140.1	141.8
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	106.2	109.3	112.3	115.5	121.6	123.9	131.2	135.1	137.0	143.4	144.4
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	105.5	109.2	111.8	114.8	121.7	125.4	129.1	132.3	138.6	137.9	140.0
Personal care services	106.8	110.7	113.6	117.9	123.1	129.7	135.0	138.0	141.3	146.1	148.7
Beauty parlor services for females	106.9	110.5	113.3	117.7	122.7	129.7	135.2	137.9	140.9	146.0	148.5
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	106.6	111.0	114.1	118.6	124.0	129.2	133.7	137.6	142.4	145.9	148.7
Personal and educational expenses	115.3	124.6	134.6	143.4	153.0	164.0	176.3	191.1	204.2	217.5	228.0
School books and supplies	112.5	122.9	132.3	142.4	152.2	164.0	174.7	184.7	193.8	200.4	208.4
Personal and educational services	115.7	124.9	135.0	143.6	153.2	164.2	176.6	191.8	205.3	219.0	229.7
Tuition and other school fees	116.4	126.2	136.1	146.5	157.6	170.0	183.5	201.4	218.5	234.0	247.0
College tuition	116.5	126.5	135.8	145.3	156.5	169.1	183.0	205.1	225.7	243.5	258.7
Elementary and high school tuition	116.1	125.4	136.9	150.3	163.0	177.4	192.8	207.3	223.7	237.0	249.7
Day care and nursery school ⁵	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.3	111.0	116.7	121.1
Personal expenses	112.8	119.7	130.4	136.2	143.1	151.4	162.0	172.4	179.8	190.3	197.3
Legal service fees ²	-	-	100.0	105.2	109.9	116.8	124.8	131.9	137.2	145.1	146.9
Personal financial services ²	-	-	100.0	104.1	111.3	117.9	127.0	137.5	144.4	153.9	164.9
Funeral expenses ²	-	-	100.0	103.9	108.2	113.4	120.9	128.0	133.2	140.4	145.8
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	103.1	105.1	108.6	112.7	119.4	127.4	135.4	137.2	139.6	144.5	145.4
Selected beef cuts	100.5	101.0	101.2	107.6	112.0	119.6	129.5	128.2	128.4	133.0	130.2
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	96.8	99.7	69.7	82.3	80.8	86.2	117.2	98.7	100.5	95.2	104.0
Utilities and public transportation	106.4	108.5	108.9	110.1	113.9	117.1	122.9	126.7	130.7	136.5	138.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	103.9	107.8	109.7	111.9	116.2	118.1	123.0	129.7	134.5	136.9	139.2

¹ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

² Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1983 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1988 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1990 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Commodity and service group											
All items	3.9	3.8	1.1	4.4	4.4	4.6	6.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.5
Commodities	2.7	2.5	-2.0	4.6	3.8	4.1	6.6	1.2	2.0	1.5	2.1
Food and beverages	3.8	2.8	3.7	3.5	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages	2.0	2.4	-5.5	5.2	3.1	3.3	7.5	.3	2.3	.6	2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.2	3.6	-9.4	7.5	3.7	4.8	12.3	-1.0	2.3	-.7	3.0
Apparel commodities	1.4	2.4	.4	4.9	4.8	.7	5.0	3.4	1.2	.8	1.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	1.2	3.8	-12.1	9.1	3.0	7.2	16.2	-3.2	2.9	-1.5	4.0
Durables	3.0	.7	.1	2.1	2.5	1.2	.9	2.4	2.5	2.7	1.5
Services	5.4	5.1	4.5	4.3	4.8	5.1	5.7	4.6	3.6	3.8	2.8
Rent of shelter	5.3	6.1	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.9	5.3	3.9	2.9	3.0	2.9
Household services less rent of shelter	4.2	2.1	.0	1.4	3.5	2.4	2.7	4.6	2.8	2.7	2.2
Transportation services	6.2	4.9	5.8	4.3	6.0	4.9	8.2	2.5	3.6	4.8	1.1
Medical care services	5.8	6.8	7.9	5.6	6.9	8.6	9.9	8.0	7.0	5.9	4.0
Other services	6.6	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.6	6.5	6.5	6.2	5.3	5.1	3.4
Special indexes											
All items less food	3.9	4.1	.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	6.3	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.6
All items less shelter	3.5	3.1	.2	4.2	4.3	4.6	6.5	2.7	3.0	2.6	2.3
All items less homeowners' costs	3.8	3.4	.5	4.2	4.3	4.5	6.6	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.3
All items less medical care	3.9	3.5	.7	4.3	4.2	4.5	5.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.3
Commodities less food	2.1	2.4	-5.3	5.1	3.2	3.3	7.4	.8	2.4	.6	2.3
Nondurables less food	1.4	3.5	-8.7	7.2	3.7	4.7	11.6	-.2	2.4	-.5	2.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	1.4	3.9	-11.1	8.3	3.1	6.8	14.7	-1.6	2.8	-1.1	3.6
Nondurables	2.6	3.1	-2.6	5.4	4.4	5.2	8.5	.8	1.9	1.1	2.2
Services less rent of shelter	5.5	4.3	4.2	3.7	5.2	5.1	6.2	5.1	4.4	4.4	2.6
Services less medical care services	5.3	5.0	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.7	5.4	4.2	3.3	3.5	2.6
Energy	.2	1.8	-19.7	8.2	.5	5.1	18.1	-7.4	2.0	-1.4	5.7
All items less energy	4.4	4.0	3.8	4.1	4.7	4.6	5.2	3.9	3.0	3.1	2.2
All items less food and energy	4.7	4.3	3.8	4.2	4.7	4.4	5.2	4.4	3.3	3.2	2.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	3.1	2.2	1.4	3.5	4.0	2.7	3.4	4.0	2.5	1.6	1.5
Energy commodities	-1.8	3.4	-30.5	17.8	-2.3	7.9	35.4	-16.1	1.2	-5.1	8.2
Services less energy services	5.6	5.7	5.2	4.5	5.0	5.3	6.0	4.6	3.7	3.9	2.7
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	3.8	2.8	3.7	3.5	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	1.6
Food	3.8	2.6	3.8	3.5	5.2	5.6	5.3	1.9	1.5	2.9	1.6
Food at home	3.6	2.0	3.7	3.5	5.6	6.2	5.8	1.3	1.5	3.5	1.9
Cereals and bakery products	4.6	3.6	2.4	4.1	8.4	7.5	4.6	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.7
Cereals and cereal products	3.8	4.2	2.2	4.9	9.6	7.3	5.3	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	2.3	3.5	.1	1.3	6.9	7.2	2.3	-.4	5.4	-.2	5.2
Cereal	5.4	6.3	5.0	6.0	9.6	9.8	7.3	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.5
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	2.1	1.3	-1.0	4.7	11.4	1.4	2.2	2.9	2.1	2.2	6.3
Bakery products	4.8	3.5	2.4	3.8	7.8	7.5	4.4	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.8
White bread	3.0	2.6	.7	4.4	11.0	6.1	3.8	1.5	4.1	6.9	3.9
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	2.8	2.1	2.5	3.4	9.6	6.9	4.7	3.4	5.2	3.0	4.6
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	6.9	3.3	3.7	4.1	6.3	8.0	5.9	4.8	2.3	3.5	1.3
Other bakery products	6.5	5.2	2.8	3.4	5.0	8.9	3.1	4.1	4.9	2.0	5.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.5	1.5	6.4	1.1	5.3	6.6	7.9	-1.5	.4	3.8	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.0	1.3	6.7	2.3	4.6	5.0	8.8	-1.3	.8	4.1	.3
Meats	4.4	.2	6.0	3.6	2.1	6.5	11.3	-2.1	.2	3.7	-.7
Beef and veal	3.8	.6	.6	6.7	5.6	6.5	8.9	-1.0	.8	3.7	-1.9
Ground beef other than canned	2.4	-.9	-1.3	5.8	2.5	7.4	7.7	-1.4	-.6	3.9	-3.5
Chuck roast	7.2	-1.1	-.7	5.1	7.0	9.8	10.3	1.2	1.1	2.5	-2.3
Round roast	3.2	.2	-2.8	6.0	5.1	6.4	9.7	-.6	1.9	.6	-.1
Round steak	2.4	1.2	.8	6.9	3.5	6.2	9.6	-.2	.0	2.6	.3
Sirloin steak	5.1	.2	2.3	9.5	7.0	2.2	6.6	-3.0	1.3	6.6	.4
Other beef and veal	4.0	2.3	2.6	7.5	8.9	6.3	10.0	-.9	2.3	3.8	-1.4
Pork	6.0	.0	15.5	-1.8	-3.1	6.9	16.7	-6.1	-.9	4.5	1.3
Bacon	6.9	.0	13.7	-4.3	-10.4	8.4	17.0	-11.6	-3.5	11.7	.8
Chops	6.9	1.9	15.1	-1.8	.3	7.8	15.2	-4.5	2.5	4.5	-1.8
Ham	5.6	-.3	18.7	-2.6	-1.9	5.2	18.5	-4.9	-1.7	1.6	4.0
Other pork, including sausage	5.2	-.7	14.4	.1	-2.6	6.8	16.4	-5.3	-1.5	3.3	1.9
Other meats	3.4	-.8	7.1	4.2	.9	5.7	10.1	.8	.2	2.6	-.1
Poultry	1.9	3.0	9.8	-9.3	17.9	.6	1.5	.4	2.7	5.5	1.6
Fresh whole chicken	-4.1	5.2	12.1	-11.0	21.6	-.5	.2	-.5	4.2	4.4	.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	.7	2.4	13.3	-8.5	18.7	-1.0	2.3	1.2	1.6	7.2	.3
Other poultry	13.5	.9	2.0	-7.6	9.2	6.9	1.6	-.2	3.1	3.4	7.4
Fish and seafood	4.2	7.2	8.8	10.0	4.2	3.0	3.8	1.3	1.1	4.4	3.9
Canned fish and seafood	.7	.4	1.6	10.2	13.5	-.4	-.5	-.5	1.4	2.4	1.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	6.0	10.5	12.1	9.9	1.6	5.3	5.0	1.8	1.0	4.9	4.5
Eggs	-20.6	6.0	1.0	-17.6	16.5	35.4	-4.6	-4.0	-4.7	-1.4	-1.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	3.4	-0.6	2.1	1.7	4.4	10.3	3.1	0.6	1.3	0.9	0.8
Fresh milk and cream	3.3	-1.5	1.9	1.6	4.7	11.6	2.4	-2	2.5	2.1	-2
Fresh whole milk	3.3	-1.6	2.0	1.4	5.1	11.7	2.4	-4	1.8	2.2	-1.0
Other fresh milk and cream	3.2	-1.4	1.6	2.2	4.0	11.4	2.4	.0	3.4	2.1	.7
Processed dairy products	3.6	.6	2.3	1.8	4.1	9.2	3.8	1.4	.2	-5	2.0
Cheese	2.5	.3	1.4	2.4	5.2	12.7	4.6	1.8	.2	-6	1.7
Ice cream and related products	4.0	1.9	3.1	1.4	3.4	7.2	4.4	1.2	.4	.7	3.1
Other dairy products, including butter	5.2	.0	3.3	.7	2.0	1.2	.0	.3	-2	-1.9	1.3
Fruits and vegetables	5.9	4.6	1.5	12.8	6.2	4.4	7.2	4.4	2.2	6.6	-2.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables	6.2	7.8	3.6	17.9	3.7	5.4	8.2	7.6	2.5	9.3	-3.4
Fresh fruits	22.6	1.3	5.9	10.5	13.4	8.1	10.6	10.2	-3.6	13.0	-7
Apples	10.2	7.6	5.1	-11.4	27.8	-5.8	21.6	12.1	-9.3	8.3	8.3
Bananas	-2.0	.6	5.4	17.0	7.9	5.8	4.6	.0	-3.1	2.7	10.4
Oranges, including tangerines	51.1	-9.3	6.1	14.4	14.3	-4.1	10.3	22.3	-16.1	13.2	24.4
Other fresh fruits	21.9	4.6	6.4	16.0	10.3	16.1	8.9	8.9	1.0	15.8	-9.5
Fresh vegetables	-6.9	14.8	1.3	25.5	-5.1	2.6	5.5	4.7	10.2	5.3	-6.5
Potatoes	3.0	-20.5	27.6	-1	23.8	8.9	-4.4	-3.7	6.4	20.3	2.3
Lettuce	-25.7	58.5	-19.5	-	-36.1	-22.1	11.9	11.9	7.6	-16.9	17.5
Tomatoes	4.5	38.5	1.0	10.4	-10.8	12.9	-7.7	-3.9	55.3	2.0	-21.6
Other fresh vegetables	-5.6	12.2	1.9	14.1	2.5	4.8	11.4	7.5	2.5	7.3	-9.1
Processed fruits and vegetables	5.4	1.0	-1.1	4.6	10.8	2.5	5.4	-1.4	1.3	1.4	1.0
Processed fruits	8.3	1.5	-2.4	5.8	10.8	.6	7.5	-2.3	2.5	-8	-1.0
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	11.5	.9	-4.3	6.7	12.6	.1	8.8	-4.1	2.7	-1.4	-1.3
Canned and dried fruits	2.5	2.7	1.4	3.0	3.9	3.2	2.4	4.9	1.7	1.7	.2
Processed vegetables	2.7	.4	.2	3.0	10.8	5.0	2.6	-4	-2	4.3	3.7
Frozen vegetables	3.6	2.6	1.3	3.0	4.3	7.1	3.1	.6	.7	4.0	3.3
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	2.2	-4	-2	2.9	14.2	3.9	2.5	-9	-5	4.3	3.9
Other food at home	3.2	1.9	3.0	.9	4.8	4.2	4.2	1.5	.9	2.0	6.5
Sugar and sweets	3.7	2.7	2.3	1.6	5.1	3.8	4.4	3.6	.9	.9	1.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-1.0	.3	-5	1.2	7.8	4.4	2.9	.0	1.0	1.1	3.7
Sweets, including candy	5.6	3.6	3.4	1.9	4.1	3.5	5.0	4.8	1.0	.8	.9
Fats and oils	5.5	-1.2	-1.4	1.7	10.0	2.6	7.7	-1.3	-7	.8	3.7
Nonalcoholic beverages	2.3	1.2	4.8	-3.5	2.9	3.0	1.9	-5	-2	2.2	15.1
Carbonated drinks	.0	1.0	-1	1.6	1.3	5.0	.9	1.0	1.6	1.7	.2
Coffee	6.4	.4	22.8	-14.3	5.8	-1.0	1.5	-5.2	-5.3	5.4	55.3
Other noncarbonated drinks	5.6	2.8	1.5	2.3	2.8	4.1	5.2	2.5	2.0	-5	1.4
Other prepared food	3.4	3.4	2.7	4.2	5.0	5.7	5.2	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.7
Canned and packaged soup	4.1	3.4	2.7	6.1	3.6	7.5	5.9	6.0	5.7	4.4	5.3
Frozen prepared food	4.3	4.5	2.3	5.8	4.7	5.4	3.4	1.6	.5	-1	.9
Snacks	4.7	3.9	3.1	3.1	4.8	4.1	3.9	1.3	-2	2.9	3.3
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	3.0	3.0	3.1	2.8	4.5	5.6	6.2	4.0	4.1	2.6	3.6
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	2.3	2.7	2.1	4.7	6.1	6.8	6.0	3.4	1.9	3.5	1.7
Food away from home	4.2	3.8	4.3	3.7	4.4	4.6	4.5	2.9	1.4	1.9	1.3
Lunch	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.6	5.0	4.5	3.0	1.5	2.0	1.2
Dinner	4.5	4.0	3.8	3.5	4.4	4.2	4.0	2.7	1.5	1.8	1.4
Other meals and snacks	3.9	3.1	5.6	3.3	4.4	4.8	5.5	3.0	1.5	1.8	1.2
Alcoholic beverages	2.7	5.5	2.0	3.3	3.9	4.8	4.2	9.9	2.9	1.5	.7
Alcoholic beverages at home	2.0	5.0	1.4	2.3	2.3	4.3	3.8	11.6	2.1	.5	.0
Beer and ale	3.0	2.1	1.8	2.1	2.8	4.7	3.6	11.8	2.8	.3	-3
Wine	.0	1.2	2.2	3.8	1.6	3.5	2.6	14.0	1.5	.5	-4
Distilled spirits	1.1	10.8	.7	1.2	1.9	4.4	4.9	9.2	1.4	.9	.9
Alcoholic beverages away from home	5.4	7.9	3.8	4.6	6.0	5.3	4.7	8.2	3.8	2.6	1.6

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Housing	4.3	4.3	1.7	3.7	4.0	3.9	4.5	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.5
Shelter	5.2	6.0	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.2	3.9	2.9	3.0	2.9
Renters' costs	5.9	6.3	5.0	3.9	3.9	4.5	6.7	4.2	2.8	2.6	3.0
Rent, residential	5.9	6.4	5.0	4.0	3.6	4.2	4.1	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.0
Other renters' costs	5.3	6.2	5.0	4.1	4.8	5.5	14.4	8.1	4.1	3.7	5.6
Lodging while out of town	6.3	6.4	4.4	3.9	4.5	5.4	15.8	8.5	3.8	3.8	5.9
Lodging while at school	7.4	6.0	6.4	6.2	6.6	7.4	6.3	5.8	7.3	2.8	4.0
Tenants' insurance	2.3	5.8	5.4	3.6	3.3	2.4	1.5	2.1	2.9	3.3	3.3
Homeowners' costs	5.1	5.9	4.6	5.3	4.7	5.1	4.7	3.7	2.9	3.2	2.8
Owners' equivalent rent	5.1	5.9	4.6	5.3	4.8	5.1	4.8	3.7	3.0	3.2	2.8
Household insurance	2.6	5.6	5.7	3.8	3.5	2.6	1.9	2.6	3.1	3.3	3.6
Maintenance and repairs	2.7	2.5	1.8	3.3	2.2	3.2	3.6	3.5	.9	-1.3	3.1
Maintenance and repair services	3.4	2.9	1.6	4.3	1.5	3.2	5.5	1.9	2.9	-3.3	3.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	1.9	2.1	1.8	2.0	3.0	3.0	.9	5.9	-1.9	1.8	2.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs	-	-	-	2.2	2.5	4.4	2.1	4.1	1.0	1.4	.6
Other maintenance and repair commodities	1.2	2.1	-3	1.6	3.6	2.0	-2	7.4	-4.3	2.2	3.2
Fuel and other utilities	4.2	1.8	-5.6	1.6	2.9	3.2	4.0	2.9	2.3	2.5	2.1
Fuels	2.7	.8	-9.5	1.4	2.4	3.9	4.3	.9	2.3	1.7	2.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.3	5.1	-30.0	12.9	-4.6	15.5	28.6	-17.0	-3.1	-3.8	-1.7
Fuel oil	.0	5.4	-33.3	17.9	-6.3	19.5	29.9	-19.9	-3.4	-4.6	-1.8
Other household fuel commodities	-	-	-	2.6	-3	5.9	25.9	-9.6	-2.4	-2.0	-1.6
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.5	-6	-3.3	.2	3.2	2.8	1.5	3.5	2.8	2.2	3.4
Electricity	5.6	2.7	-1.5	1.8	2.8	2.8	1.4	5.0	1.7	.6	7.0
Utility (piped) gas	.9	-4.7	-5.8	-2.9	3.6	2.7	1.8	.3	5.1	5.8	-4.1
Other utilities and public services	8.1	5.0	3.7	1.9	3.8	2.2	3.5	5.7	2.4	3.6	1.0
Telephone services	9.2	4.7	2.7	-1.3	1.3	-3	-4	3.5	-3	1.8	.8
Local charges	17.2	8.9	7.1	3.3	4.5	.6	1.0	5.1	.5	1.0	-2
Interstate toll calls	-4.3	-3.7	-9.4	-12.4	-4.2	-1.3	-3.7	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4
Intrastate toll calls	3.6	.6	.3	-3.0	-4.2	-2.6	-2.2	-1.5	-2.4	.2	-9
Water and sewerage maintenance	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.2	6.1	6.6	6.2	7.8	6.6	4.8	3.9
Cable television	6.1	6.0	3.8	9.5	10.6	3.8	13.1	8.6	3.7	7.0	-3.2
Refuse collection	6.1	6.4	9.4	10.2	7.9	9.7	9.8	11.5	8.5	5.2	4.1
Household furnishings and operation	1.6	1.9	1.5	1.1	3.1	1.0	1.8	2.3	1.6	1.8	.9
Housefurnishings	.5	.2	1.2	.4	2.5	-4	.6	.9	1.5	1.5	.8
Textile housefurnishings	4.2	.0	2.6	.2	5.8	-3	2.5	1.9	-1.9	6.6	.4
Furniture and bedding	2.0	3.3	2.2	2.1	3.5	-1.4	1.1	1.0	4.5	3.6	2.2
Bedroom furniture	3.4	4.6	3.5	.2	4.7	-2.1	-1.3	4.1	6.1	5.3	-2.1
Sofas	1.8	.7	7.2	4.5	.8	-7	.4	.6	3.4	-1.5	7.1
Living room chairs and tables	1.2	4.9	.5	2.2	3.3	-4	5.5	-2.2	3.6	7.7	4.3
Other furniture	1.1	2.3	-8	2.4	4.0	-1.6	1.9	-3	3.8	3.1	2.7
Appliances, including electronic equipment	-3.8	-3.8	-1.0	-2.7	.7	-1.8	-2.4	-1.7	-1.6	-8	-8
Video and audio products	-5.3	-5.3	-2.2	-3.7	-1.4	-5	-3.6	-8	-1.8	-8	-1.2
Televisions	-6.7	-8.0	-4.3	-4.4	-1.4	-1.3	-3.6	-1.1	-1.2	-1.7	-6
Video products other than televisions	-	-	-	-	-	-4.9	-9.5	-5.5	-3.4	-2.0	-4.5
Audio products	-4.4	-3.2	-9	1.0	-4	2.6	-1.1	1.8	-1.5	.4	-4
Major household appliances	-	-	-	-1.2	3.6	-1.4	-3	-2.1	.5	1.5	2.3
Refrigerators and home freezers	.9	-1.9	-1.2	.9	1.6	1.3	-1.0	-1.7	.7	4.4	3.1
Laundry equipment	2.3	.6	-5	-1.3	4.2	-1.0	1.2	-1.5	.7	.8	2.7
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners	-	-	-	-2.8	4.8	-3.3	-1.1	-3.0	.2	.1	.9
Information processing equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-7.3	-2.6	-4.1	-6.1	-7.6	-6.8
Other housefurnishings	-	-	-	1.8	2.2	1.8	2.0	3.0	2.1	.0	.8
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	3.7	.1	3.7	5.5	-6	4.5	7.3	-1.9	2.1	2.6	2.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	2.3	-4	-1.7	1.7	3.0	6.5	-2	4.6	2.1	-1.7	1.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	-1.3	2.2	2.9	1.3	2.6	1.8	1.3	6.9	1.4	.8	-2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	1.4	1.1	-1.6	1.3	-3	-3.1	1.9	.0	.1	3.7	.0
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances	-	-	-	-1.6	1.6	-2.8	-9	-4	1.0	-3.4	-1.1
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	5.6	-2.7	2.4
Housekeeping supplies	3.0	3.3	1.7	2.9	4.0	5.6	3.2	1.8	-2	1.9	.5
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	3.2	4.5	1.9	4.6	4.2	4.6	4.0	4.2	-4	-1	.9
Household paper products and stationery supplies	3.7	3.0	1.1	.7	5.8	5.5	3.8	.3	.2	2.3	-1.4
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	2.0	2.3	1.8	3.2	2.2	7.0	1.6	.7	-6	3.7	2.1
Housekeeping services	2.4	3.9	1.8	1.8	4.0	1.5	4.0	5.8	3.8	2.2	1.5
Postage	.0	10.2	.0	.0	13.5	.0	.0	16.1	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair	5.6	3.2	2.6	3.1	2.7	1.9	3.4	4.3	6.9	2.5	1.3
Gardening and other household services	-	-	-	4.9	4.1	3.7	4.0	2.1	4.9	1.8	1.4

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	2.0	2.8	0.9	4.8	4.7	1.0	5.1	3.4	1.4	0.9	1.2
Apparel commodities	1.4	2.4	.4	4.9	4.8	.7	5.0	3.4	1.2	.8	1.2
Apparel commodities less footwear	1.4	2.8	.3	5.1	4.6	.7	5.3	3.6	.9	.7	1.5
Men's and boys'	2.2	3.1	.2	3.1	6.0	1.3	2.9	2.9	1.0	.3	.7
Men's	1.9	3.3	.1	4.0	6.1	1.9	3.2	3.1	1.3	.0	.9
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	.6	3.2	1.6	3.4	9.2	2.2	2.8	2.4	1.1	3.5	1.7
Furnishings and special clothing	2.6	3.0	.6	.6	3.3	3.3	2.0	2.0	1.1	-.5	-.7
Shirts	2.1	5.9	-.7	6.4	6.3	.2	4.1	4.1	1.1	-2.8	2.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	3.3	1.3	-1.9	5.8	4.8	1.8	4.5	3.4	2.5	-1.1	-.1
Boys'	3.4	2.5	.4	-.5	4.9	-1.0	1.4	2.8	-1.0	1.8	-.1
Women's and girls'	1.4	3.3	-.6	5.9	3.5	-.1	6.1	4.0	.5	1.2	.4
Women's	1.7	3.6	-.7	6.0	2.9	.2	6.6	3.1	.3	2.0	.1
Coats and jackets	2.8	1.9	-7.3	4.5	.5	4.2	7.6	3.3	4.2	4.4	-4.9
Dresses	1.4	1.6	-.9	13.3	3.0	-.8	7.0	-2.4	2.1	-2.7	1.7
Separates and sportswear	1.9	6.9	1.0	5.1	2.1	-.5	6.1	4.1	-1.3	2.9	.3
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	1.7	2.8	.1	.5	5.8	1.7	4.3	2.3	.7	1.4	.4
Suits	-.1	5.7	.3	10.2	5.3	-2.2	11.8	10.1	.9	4.3	1.8
Girls'	.7	1.1	1.2	4.8	6.4	-1.0	3.5	8.8	2.1	-3.3	1.5
Infants' and toddlers'	3.3	4.1	2.9	2.4	2.4	-1.7	8.9	2.9	1.2	-2.8	1.9
Other apparel commodities	-1.1	.6	2.6	8.4	7.0	3.1	6.5	3.5	2.6	1.2	8.4
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage	-	-	-	2.7	6.3	1.8	6.8	2.0	1.4	-1.3	.9
Watches and jewelry	-	-	-	9.7	7.2	3.3	6.5	3.9	2.8	1.7	9.8
Watches	-	-	-	3.4	4.4	-.2	2.5	3.4	-1.2	5.3	5.8
Jewelry	-	-	-	11.5	7.9	4.3	7.5	3.9	3.8	.9	10.8
Footwear	1.7	.8	.5	3.8	5.9	1.1	3.2	2.9	2.7	.6	-.6
Men's	1.8	3.4	2.7	2.6	7.0	2.3	3.0	3.0	2.7	.2	-1.0
Boys' and girls'	1.8	-2.1	2.0	7.0	4.3	3.3	3.7	-.2	-1.0	.5	4.6
Women's	1.5	.5	-2.5	3.3	5.8	-.7	3.2	4.1	4.4	.7	-2.5
Apparel services	4.9	4.9	3.8	3.9	4.4	3.6	6.8	3.4	3.3	2.7	1.6
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	5.2	4.5	3.7	5.2	5.4	3.9	5.4	3.0	3.2	3.2	1.7
Other apparel services	4.3	6.0	4.0	2.6	3.3	3.4	8.5	3.6	3.5	2.3	1.6
Transportation	3.1	2.6	-5.9	6.1	3.0	4.0	10.4	-1.5	3.0	2.4	2.9
Private	2.8	2.4	-6.9	6.5	2.9	3.9	9.8	-1.4	2.7	1.5	3.5
New vehicles	2.5	3.6	5.6	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.0	3.2	2.3	3.3	1.4
New cars	2.5	3.4	5.9	1.8	2.1	2.3	1.4	3.3	2.3	2.8	1.1
Subcompact new cars	-	-	-	1.9	2.2	1.0	.4	4.1	2.7	3.5	1.5
Compact new cars	-	-	-	1.4	1.1	2.1	1.7	2.3	.7	3.2	1.8
Intermediate new cars	-	-	-	.5	1.4	3.6	1.6	3.6	2.1	2.1	1.5
Full-size new cars	-	-	-	3.2	2.5	3.0	1.5	3.7	1.7	3.0	.5
Luxury new cars	-	-	-	4.1	5.2	2.0	2.5	2.7	3.6	1.8	.1
New trucks	3.4	4.6	4.3	1.3	2.2	3.3	4.2	3.0	2.5	4.6	2.4
New motorcycles	-	-	-	4.1	5.3	4.2	2.8	5.4	4.0	7.2	5.8
Used cars	7.0	-1.8	-5.1	8.9	3.4	-.4	-2.2	2.6	7.4	8.0	4.4
Motor fuel	-2.4	3.1	-30.7	18.7	-2.1	6.8	36.5	-16.0	1.8	-5.4	9.4
Gasoline	-2.5	3.0	-30.7	18.6	-1.8	6.5	36.8	-16.2	2.0	-5.9	10.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-2.6	3.2	-31.6	18.5	-2.5	5.5	38.9	-16.7	1.9	-6.7	11.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-1.1	1.9	-26.6	15.6	-.7	6.1	32.0	-14.6	1.8	-4.7	7.8
Automobile maintenance and repair	3.2	3.2	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.5	3.5	3.1	2.4
Body work	3.9	3.6	3.7	5.5	4.6	6.0	3.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.3
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	3.7	3.0	4.3	3.1	4.3	5.0	5.5	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.4
Maintenance and servicing	2.7	2.5	3.9	4.0	3.3	3.1	3.7	5.4	2.1	2.0	.9
Power plant repair	3.1	4.4	2.8	3.6	3.9	4.9	4.6	4.8	4.4	3.8	2.6
Other private transportation	5.7	4.6	5.7	4.7	7.0	4.9	5.5	3.6	2.3	2.3	1.9
Other private transportation commodities	-3.2	.0	-.8	1.8	2.9	2.0	1.5	1.4	-.6	-1.3	-.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	1.9	1.3	-.8	-2.0	9.6	-.3	7.0	.8	-.3	.6	2.9
Automobile parts and equipment	-4.0	-.3	-.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	.9	1.6	-.6	-1.6	-.5
Tires	-6.2	-.5	-1.6	1.4	4.0	2.3	-.1	2.3	-.5	-1.4	.4
Other parts and equipment	1.2	.2	1.1	2.7	.8	2.1	2.0	.7	-.6	-1.6	-1.4
Other private transportation services	7.6	5.3	6.8	5.4	7.8	5.5	6.4	4.0	2.8	2.8	2.3
Automobile insurance	7.8	12.1	11.8	5.8	8.4	5.9	7.5	8.0	6.6	5.0	.5
Automobile finance charges	6.8	-8.3	-7.3	5.9	8.3	4.3	.0	-7.1	-13.9	-5.6	11.9
Automobile fees	7.4	2.9	6.2	3.5	5.5	5.7	9.9	2.8	6.2	2.2	1.8
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	8.5	2.1	3.3	1.7	6.1	6.4	17.2	4.2	6.2	2.4	.4
Other automobile-related fees	5.8	4.3	10.0	5.2	5.1	5.1	3.0	1.4	6.3	2.0	3.2
Public transportation	6.4	5.1	6.0	1.8	3.6	4.1	17.2	-3.0	5.6	11.6	-2.7
Airline fares	6.4	6.3	5.3	1.6	3.3	5.3	22.7	-6.0	6.6	17.0	-4.4
Other intercity transportation	10.7	6.3	4.9	2.0	7.1	1.7	6.6	2.4	.1	-2.8	2.8
Intracity public transportation	6.0	3.5	6.8	2.4	2.9	2.1	7.7	3.8	5.0	2.8	.5

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	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Medical care	6.1	6.8	7.7	5.8	6.9	8.5	9.6	7.9	6.6	5.4	3.7
Medical care commodities	7.7	6.3	6.8	7.1	6.9	8.2	8.4	7.5	5.2	3.1	2.4
Prescription drugs	9.9	8.2	9.0	8.0	7.8	9.5	9.9	9.4	5.7	3.3	2.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	-	-	-	5.4	5.0	5.8	5.5	3.6	3.9	2.7	2.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	6.2	4.8	5.0	6.1	5.3	5.6	6.0	2.5	4.4	2.7	.8
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	5.1	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.6	6.1	4.5	5.7	2.9	2.6	4.3
Medical care services	5.8	6.8	7.9	5.6	6.9	8.6	9.9	8.0	7.0	5.9	4.0
Professional medical services	6.3	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.8	6.5	6.7	6.1	5.7	4.5	3.5
Physicians' services	6.0	6.9	7.7	6.3	7.5	7.2	7.4	5.5	6.3	5.1	3.4
Dental services	7.6	5.3	5.5	7.2	6.7	6.4	6.7	8.2	5.8	4.4	4.1
Eye care	-	-	-	5.3	4.7	3.4	4.5	3.6	3.7	2.0	2.5
Services by other medical professionals	-	-	-	4.5	5.6	5.7	5.1	5.5	3.1	3.2	3.6
Hospital and related services	7.6	5.1	7.2	7.0	11.0	11.3	11.3	8.9	8.8	7.6	4.2
Hospital rooms	7.4	4.8	7.7	6.6	10.4	11.0	10.6	8.4	8.9	7.5	4.0
Other inpatient services	-	-	-	7.2	12.7	11.5	12.1	8.7	8.2	7.5	4.2
Outpatient services	-	-	-	7.1	9.2	11.7	11.2	9.8	9.8	7.9	4.2
Entertainment	4.2	3.1	3.4	4.0	4.6	5.1	4.3	3.9	2.8	2.8	2.0
Entertainment commodities	3.3	2.3	1.8	3.8	4.4	3.5	3.0	3.5	1.8	1.9	1.9
Reading materials	4.0	5.1	4.3	3.7	4.2	4.7	4.6	6.4	3.7	3.5	3.5
Newspapers	3.9	4.4	3.7	4.6	4.8	3.9	4.7	9.7	4.0	4.3	3.7
Magazines, periodicals, and books	4.2	5.8	4.9	2.7	3.7	5.3	4.6	3.3	3.5	2.8	3.1
Sporting goods and equipment	3.4	1.7	-2.7	3.6	4.4	2.1	1.8	3.7	.1	.3	1.5
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	4.3	2.9	-3.5	3.0	4.0	2.3	2.0	1.5	2.1	-1.1	1.4
Other sporting goods	.4	-1.8	.2	4.2	4.7	1.9	1.4	5.6	-1.5	.5	1.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	2.7	.6	2.9	3.8	4.5	3.4	2.3	1.3	1.0	1.4	.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	1.8	-5.1	2.1	4.5	4.1	2.4	1.5	1.1	2.5	1.5	1.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	3.7	.5	5.9	6.3	5.8	3.4	1.4	.9	2.2	1.7	-1.6
Pet supplies and expense	3.3	2.6	2.3	2.2	4.6	4.4	3.7	1.7	-1.0	.9	1.6
Entertainment services	5.8	4.4	5.4	4.3	4.6	6.8	5.4	4.4	3.7	3.5	2.0
Club memberships	-	-	-	1.7	7.3	4.0	4.9	3.4	2.3	3.3	.5
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships	-	-	-	7.0	5.8	7.7	5.5	4.9	4.9	8.0	-1.2
Admissions	7.4	4.1	5.1	6.8	3.8	9.5	5.2	4.8	3.9	1.8	3.7
Fees for lessons or instructions	-	-	-	5.0	4.6	8.9	4.8	5.6	5.1	4.0	4.3
Other entertainment services	-	-	-	1.7	3.3	4.3	6.0	3.8	3.1	2.9	2.1
Other goods and services	6.0	6.3	5.5	6.1	7.0	8.2	7.6	8.0	6.5	2.7	3.7
Tobacco and smoking products	5.0	7.2	5.9	7.9	9.4	14.7	10.8	11.1	8.1	-5.9	2.5
Personal care	3.9	3.5	2.5	3.3	5.1	3.8	4.2	2.5	2.9	2.5	1.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	2.7	3.3	2.5	2.8	5.7	2.5	4.2	2.7	3.3	1.7	1.2
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	3.7	2.9	2.7	2.8	5.3	1.9	5.9	3.0	1.4	4.7	.7
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	2.3	3.5	2.4	2.7	6.0	3.0	3.0	2.5	4.8	-5.1	1.5
Personal care services	4.9	3.7	2.6	3.8	4.4	5.4	4.1	2.2	2.4	3.4	1.8
Beauty parlor services for females	4.9	3.4	2.5	3.9	4.2	5.7	4.2	2.0	2.2	3.6	1.7
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	5.0	4.1	2.8	3.9	4.6	4.2	3.5	2.9	3.5	2.5	1.9
Personal and educational expenses	9.2	8.1	8.0	6.5	6.7	7.2	7.5	8.4	6.9	6.5	4.8
School books and supplies	8.1	9.2	7.6	7.6	6.9	7.8	6.5	5.7	4.9	3.4	4.0
Personal and educational services	9.4	8.0	8.1	6.4	6.7	7.2	7.6	8.6	7.0	6.7	4.9
Tuition and other school fees	10.0	8.4	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.9	7.9	9.8	8.5	7.1	5.6
College tuition	10.1	8.6	7.4	7.0	7.7	8.1	8.2	12.1	10.0	7.9	6.2
Elementary and high school tuition	9.5	8.0	9.2	9.8	8.4	8.8	8.7	7.5	7.9	5.9	5.4
Day care and nursery school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	4.4	5.1	3.8
Personal expenses	6.4	6.1	8.9	4.4	5.1	5.8	7.0	6.4	4.3	5.8	3.7
Legal service fees	-	-	-	5.2	4.5	6.3	6.8	5.7	4.0	5.8	1.2
Personal financial services	-	-	-	4.1	6.9	5.9	7.7	8.3	5.0	6.6	7.1
Funeral expenses	-	-	-	3.9	4.1	4.8	6.6	5.9	4.1	5.4	3.8
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	3.8	1.9	3.3	3.8	5.9	6.7	6.3	1.3	1.7	3.5	.6
Selected beef cuts	4.0	.5	.2	6.3	4.1	6.8	8.3	-1.0	.2	3.6	-2.1
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	-2.3	3.0	-30.1	18.1	-1.8	6.7	36.0	-15.8	1.8	-5.3	9.2
Utilities and public transportation	5.2	2.0	.4	1.1	3.5	2.8	5.0	3.1	3.2	4.4	1.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	2.5	3.8	1.8	2.0	3.8	1.6	4.1	5.4	3.7	1.8	1.7

- Data not available.

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

Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. City Average, all items

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	-	-	10.0	-	-
1914	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	-	-	10.1	1.0	1.0
1915	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.4	-	-	10.2	2.0	1.0
1916	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.6	-	-	11.0	11.5	7.8
1917	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.1	13.3	13.6	13.6	13.8	-	-	12.9	19.0	17.3
1918	14.0	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.3	16.6	-	-	15.1	20.3	17.1
1919	16.6	16.2	16.5	16.8	17.0	17.0	17.5	17.8	17.9	18.2	18.6	19.0	-	-	17.4	14.5	15.2
1920	19.4	19.6	19.8	20.4	20.7	21.0	20.9	20.4	20.1	20.0	19.9	19.5	-	-	20.1	2.6	15.5
1921	19.1	18.5	18.4	18.2	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	-	-	18.0	-10.8	-10.4
1922	17.0	17.0	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0	-	-	16.9	-2.3	-6.1
1923	16.9	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.2	2.4	1.8
1924	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4	-	-	17.2	.0	.0
1925	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.1	18.0	-	-	17.6	3.4	2.3
1926	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	-	-	17.8	-1.1	1.1
1927	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.5	-2.2	1.7
1928	17.4	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.2	-	-	17.2	-1.1	-1.7
1929	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.3	-	-	17.2	.6	.0
1930	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.5	16.2	-	-	16.8	-6.4	-2.3
1931	16.0	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.7	-	-	15.3	-9.3	-8.9
1932	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	-	-	13.7	-10.2	-10.5
1933	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.2	-	-	13.0	.0	-5.1
1934	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5	-	-	13.5	2.3	3.8
1935	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9	-	-	13.8	3.0	2.2
1936	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	-	-	13.9	1.4	.7
1937	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.5	-	-	14.4	2.8	3.6
1938	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	-	-	14.2	-2.8	-1.4
1939	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.0	-	-	14.0	-7	-1.4
1940	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2	-	-	14.1	1.4	.7
1941	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.5	-	-	14.8	9.2	5.0
1942	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.9	17.0	-	-	16.4	9.7	10.8
1943	17.0	17.0	17.3	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	-	-	17.4	2.9	6.1
1944	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	-	-	17.7	2.3	1.7
1945	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.3	-	-	18.1	2.2	2.3
1946	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.8	19.9	20.3	20.5	20.9	21.5	21.6	-	-	19.6	18.0	8.3
1947	21.6	21.6	22.1	22.1	22.0	22.2	22.4	22.6	23.1	23.1	23.3	23.6	-	-	22.5	9.3	14.8
1948	23.8	23.6	23.6	23.9	24.1	24.2	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.2	-	-	24.2	2.5	7.6
1949	24.2	23.9	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.9	23.9	23.8	-	-	24.0	-1.7	-8
1950	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.7	23.8	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.6	24.7	24.8	25.1	-	-	24.2	5.5	.8
1951	25.5	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.3	26.4	26.5	26.6	-	-	26.1	6.0	7.9
1952	26.6	26.5	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	-	-	26.7	1.1	2.3
1953	26.8	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.2	27.1	27.0	-	-	26.9	.4	.7
1954	27.1	27.1	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.0	26.9	27.0	26.9	-	-	27.0	-4	.4
1955	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.0	-	-	26.9	.4	-4
1956	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.8	-	-	27.3	3.0	1.5
1957	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.6	28.6	-	-	28.3	2.9	3.7
1958	28.8	28.8	29.0	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	-	-	29.1	1.7	2.8
1959	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.3	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.5	-	-	29.3	1.4	.7

Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. City Average, all items—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1960	29.5	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.7	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.9	30.0	30.0	-	-	29.8	1.7	1.7
1961	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2	-	-	30.1	.7	1.0
1962	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.6	-	-	30.4	1.3	1.0
1963	30.6	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.0	31.1	-	-	30.8	1.6	1.3
1964	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.3	31.2	31.3	31.3	31.4	31.4	-	-	31.2	1.0	1.3
1965	31.4	31.4	31.5	31.6	31.6	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.9	31.9	32.0	-	-	31.7	1.9	1.6
1966	32.0	32.2	32.3	32.5	32.5	32.6	32.7	32.9	32.9	33.1	33.1	33.1	-	-	32.6	3.4	2.8
1967	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	34.0	34.1	-	-	33.6	3.0	3.1
1968	34.2	34.3	34.5	34.6	34.7	34.9	35.1	35.2	35.3	35.5	35.6	35.7	-	-	35.0	4.7	4.2
1969	35.8	36.0	36.3	36.5	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.2	37.3	37.5	37.7	37.9	-	-	36.9	6.2	5.4
1970	38.0	38.2	38.4	38.7	38.8	39.0	39.2	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	40.0	-	-	39.0	5.5	5.7
1971	40.0	40.1	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.8	40.9	41.0	41.0	41.1	41.2	41.3	-	-	40.7	3.3	4.4
1972	41.4	41.6	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.2	42.4	42.5	42.6	42.7	-	-	42.1	3.4	3.4
1973	42.9	43.2	43.6	43.9	44.1	44.4	44.5	45.4	45.5	45.9	46.2	46.5	-	-	44.7	8.9	6.2
1974	46.9	47.5	48.0	48.3	48.8	49.3	49.7	50.3	50.9	51.4	51.8	52.2	-	-	49.6	12.3	11.0
1975	52.4	52.8	53.0	53.2	53.5	53.9	54.5	54.7	54.9	55.3	55.6	55.8	-	-	54.1	6.9	9.1
1976	56.0	56.1	56.2	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.7	57.9	58.2	58.3	58.5	-	-	57.2	4.8	5.7
1977	58.9	59.5	59.8	60.3	60.6	61.0	61.3	61.5	61.8	61.9	62.2	62.5	-	-	60.9	6.8	6.5
1978	62.8	63.2	63.7	64.3	64.9	65.6	66.0	66.4	66.8	67.4	67.7	68.1	-	-	65.6	9.0	7.7
1979	68.7	69.5	70.3	71.1	71.9	72.8	73.7	74.4	75.1	75.7	76.4	77.2	-	-	73.1	13.4	11.4
1980	78.3	79.4	80.5	81.4	82.3	83.2	83.3	83.8	84.6	85.3	86.1	86.9	-	-	82.9	12.6	13.4
1981	87.5	88.5	89.0	89.6	90.3	91.1	92.2	92.8	93.7	93.9	94.1	94.4	-	-	91.4	8.6	10.3
1982	94.7	95.0	94.8	95.2	96.2	97.4	98.0	98.2	98.3	98.6	98.4	98.0	-	-	96.9	3.8	6.0
1983	98.1	98.1	98.4	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.5	101.0	101.2	101.2	101.2	-	-	99.8	3.3	3.0
1984	101.6	101.8	101.8	102.1	102.5	102.8	103.2	104.2	104.8	104.8	104.7	104.8	102.1	104.4	103.3	3.6	3.5
1985	104.9	105.4	105.9	106.3	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.3	108.6	106.0	107.8	106.9	3.6	3.5
1986	108.9	108.5	107.9	107.6	107.9	108.4	108.4	108.6	109.1	109.1	109.2	109.3	108.2	109.0	108.6	.6	1.6
1987	110.0	110.5	111.0	111.6	111.9	112.4	112.7	113.3	113.8	114.1	114.3	114.2	111.2	113.7	112.5	4.5	3.6
1988	114.5	114.7	115.1	115.7	116.2	116.7	117.2	117.7	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.2	115.5	118.4	117.0	4.4	4.0
1989	119.7	120.2	120.8	121.8	122.5	122.8	123.2	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.4	124.6	121.3	123.9	122.6	4.5	4.8
1990	125.9	126.4	127.1	127.3	127.5	128.3	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9	132.2	132.2	127.1	131.0	129.0	6.1	5.2
1991	132.8	132.8	133.0	133.3	133.8	134.1	134.3	134.6	135.2	135.4	135.8	135.9	133.3	135.2	134.3	2.8	4.1
1992	136.0	136.4	137.0	137.3	137.6	138.1	138.4	138.8	139.1	139.6	139.8	139.8	137.1	139.3	138.2	2.9	2.9
1993	140.3	140.7	141.1	141.6	141.9	142.0	142.1	142.4	142.6	143.3	143.4	143.3	141.3	142.9	142.1	2.5	2.8
1994	143.6	144.0	144.4	144.7	144.9	145.4	145.8	146.5	146.9	-	-	-	144.5	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Commodity and service group											
All items	104.8	108.6	109.3	114.2	119.2	124.6	132.2	135.9	139.8	143.3	146.9
Commodities	103.8	106.3	104.0	108.9	113.0	117.8	125.8	127.0	129.8	131.6	134.6
Food and beverages	103.8	106.7	110.7	114.5	120.3	126.9	133.6	136.9	139.1	142.9	145.1
Commodities less food and beverages	103.7	106.1	99.8	105.4	108.6	112.1	121.0	120.9	124.1	124.7	128.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	102.0	105.7	95.2	102.8	106.3	111.6	126.2	124.2	127.3	125.7	129.9
Apparel commodities	102.9	105.6	105.8	111.1	116.0	116.6	122.3	126.1	127.8	128.5	130.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	101.8	105.7	92.3	101.2	104.1	111.7	131.0	126.2	129.9	127.2	132.8
Durables	105.1	105.5	105.3	108.0	110.7	112.0	112.6	115.3	118.7	122.3	124.4
Services	106.3	111.6	116.4	121.3	127.2	133.4	140.7	147.0	152.1	157.6	161.9
Rent of shelter ¹	100.0	106.1	111.1	116.4	121.5	127.5	133.9	139.1	143.0	147.3	151.4
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	100.0	102.0	101.8	103.1	106.8	109.3	112.2	117.6	120.8	124.2	126.9
Transportation services	107.5	112.2	118.5	123.6	131.2	137.8	147.9	152.5	157.2	163.3	166.0
Medical care services	109.2	116.7	125.7	133.2	142.7	154.7	169.0	182.4	195.4	206.6	214.9
Other services	109.7	115.5	121.6	127.9	135.0	143.8	152.8	162.0	169.9	178.5	184.7
Special indexes											
All items less food	105.0	109.0	109.0	114.1	118.8	124.0	131.7	135.7	140.0	143.4	147.2
All items less shelter	105.0	108.2	107.8	112.5	117.4	122.6	130.6	133.7	137.6	140.8	144.2
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	100.0	103.2	103.4	107.8	112.4	117.4	124.9	128.1	131.8	134.9	138.1
All items less medical care	104.6	108.1	108.4	113.2	117.9	123.1	130.4	133.6	137.2	140.4	143.8
Commodities less food	103.7	106.2	100.2	105.6	108.9	112.6	121.2	121.8	125.0	125.7	128.9
Nondurables less food	102.2	105.9	96.1	103.3	106.9	112.2	126.0	125.3	128.4	127.1	131.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	101.9	106.0	93.6	101.8	104.9	112.2	129.7	127.0	130.7	128.6	133.6
Nondurables	103.0	106.2	103.2	108.8	113.5	119.5	130.1	130.8	133.4	134.5	137.8
Services less rent of shelter ¹	100.0	104.2	108.3	112.2	118.1	123.9	131.1	137.9	143.5	149.5	153.5
Services less medical care services	106.0	111.1	115.4	120.1	125.6	131.4	138.1	143.9	148.4	153.4	157.3
Energy	99.6	101.5	80.7	87.8	88.1	92.7	110.5	101.6	103.5	101.7	107.8
All items less energy	105.5	109.5	113.4	118.0	123.6	129.1	135.5	140.8	144.9	149.1	152.4
All items less food and energy	105.9	110.3	114.1	119.0	124.4	129.7	136.0	142.0	146.6	150.9	154.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	105.2	107.4	108.6	112.6	117.0	120.2	124.0	128.9	132.7	134.7	136.9
Energy commodities	96.8	100.2	69.6	82.1	80.3	86.4	117.1	98.4	99.5	94.3	102.4
Services less energy services	106.6	112.5	118.2	123.7	129.8	136.4	144.3	151.0	156.3	162.1	166.4
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	103.8	106.7	110.7	114.5	120.3	126.9	133.6	136.9	139.1	142.9	145.1
Food	103.8	106.6	110.7	114.5	120.4	127.1	133.9	136.3	138.3	142.2	144.6
Food at home	102.9	105.0	108.9	112.5	118.8	126.2	133.5	135.0	137.0	141.7	144.4
Cereals and bakery products	105.7	109.6	112.2	116.9	126.7	136.0	142.3	147.2	153.0	158.6	164.6
Cereals and cereal products	103.7	108.1	110.4	115.8	126.8	136.1	143.1	148.2	153.5	158.7	164.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	100.7	104.2	104.3	105.5	112.6	120.8	123.5	123.3	129.5	129.3	135.7
Cereal	107.0	113.9	119.6	126.7	138.9	152.4	163.3	171.1	177.7	186.1	190.9
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	101.2	102.5	101.6	106.6	118.7	120.4	122.9	126.4	128.9	131.7	140.6
Bakery products	106.4	110.1	112.8	117.2	126.4	135.7	141.6	146.4	152.5	158.2	164.1
White bread	104.9	107.5	108.4	113.1	125.7	133.3	138.2	140.2	145.9	155.9	162.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	104.5	106.8	109.5	113.4	124.3	132.7	139.1	144.1	151.6	155.8	163.4
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	108.5	112.1	116.4	121.3	128.7	138.8	146.7	153.7	157.3	162.5	164.4
Other bakery products	107.5	113.5	116.7	120.7	126.7	137.8	142.4	147.9	155.5	158.4	166.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	100.9	102.4	109.0	110.1	115.8	123.8	133.6	131.5	132.1	136.9	137.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	101.1	102.4	109.3	111.7	116.9	123.0	133.9	132.0	133.1	138.2	138.7
Meats	100.3	100.6	106.7	110.4	112.7	120.1	133.8	130.8	131.2	136.0	135.2
Beef and veal	100.6	101.3	101.8	108.6	114.6	122.3	133.2	131.7	132.8	137.7	135.2
Ground beef other than canned	98.5	97.7	96.5	102.2	104.7	112.6	121.2	119.5	118.8	123.2	118.9
Chuck roast	101.7	100.8	100.4	105.5	112.9	123.9	136.6	138.5	140.1	143.5	140.0
Round roast	98.7	99.0	96.0	101.9	108.1	116.2	128.0	125.9	129.1	130.1	131.3
Round steak	98.9	100.0	101.4	108.5	112.0	118.9	130.3	130.1	129.8	133.3	133.7
Sirloin steak	101.1	101.6	103.3	113.4	121.3	124.6	131.9	128.5	130.4	138.8	139.8
Other beef and veal	102.3	104.7	107.2	115.2	125.7	133.4	147.0	145.4	148.6	154.5	152.5
Pork	99.5	99.5	115.0	112.9	109.6	117.3	136.8	128.6	127.7	133.4	135.0
Bacon	99.3	99.5	112.7	107.9	96.7	105.0	123.0	108.5	104.8	117.1	118.0
Chops	99.1	100.9	116.3	114.5	114.7	124.1	142.6	136.4	140.0	146.5	143.8
Ham	102.5	101.8	121.1	117.5	115.7	121.6	143.7	136.8	134.9	136.9	142.4
Other pork, including sausage	97.9	97.2	111.2	111.3	108.5	115.8	135.1	127.8	126.0	130.2	132.5
Other meats	101.2	100.5	107.5	111.8	112.7	119.0	131.3	132.3	132.6	130.1	136.0
Poultry	104.8	108.0	118.6	107.4	126.9	127.4	129.2	129.8	133.4	140.7	143.1
Fresh whole chicken	102.6	107.7	121.2	107.4	131.0	130.0	130.3	129.8	135.4	141.3	141.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	104.2	106.9	120.8	110.2	131.1	129.7	132.7	134.3	136.5	146.4	147.1
Other poultry	108.9	110.1	111.7	103.6	112.5	120.1	121.8	122.2	125.7	129.7	139.9
Fish and seafood	104.1	111.4	121.5	133.6	139.7	144.8	148.8	151.2	153.8	158.8	165.7
Canned fish and seafood	97.8	98.3	99.8	110.2	124.8	119.4	119.1	118.4	119.8	122.8	124.7
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	107.7	118.8	133.8	147.0	150.0	159.3	165.2	168.7	172.0	177.8	186.9
Eggs	96.8	102.5	103.4	84.9	99.0	134.3	128.0	122.7	117.0	114.8	112.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	103.2	102.6	104.7	106.4	111.2	122.8	126.5	127.2	128.9	130.0	131.0
Fresh milk and cream	102.8	101.3	103.2	104.9	109.9	122.5	125.6	125.3	128.2	131.0	130.6
Fresh whole milk	102.9	101.3	103.3	104.7	110.0	122.7	125.8	125.3	127.6	130.3	129.1
Other fresh milk and cream	102.7	101.3	103.0	105.3	109.7	122.1	125.0	125.1	129.2	132.1	133.0
Processed dairy products	103.9	104.4	106.8	108.5	113.1	123.5	128.1	129.8	130.1	129.3	131.9
Cheese	102.8	103.0	104.5	106.7	112.3	126.8	132.7	134.9	135.1	134.0	136.4
Ice cream and related products	104.1	106.1	109.3	110.8	114.9	123.1	128.5	129.9	130.5	131.2	135.5
Other dairy products, including butter	105.5	105.3	108.7	109.3	111.5	113.0	112.8	113.0	112.8	111.0	112.3
Fruits and vegetables	102.7	107.9	109.3	123.0	130.8	135.8	145.7	152.1	155.3	165.4	162.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables	100.5	109.4	112.8	132.7	137.6	144.0	156.1	168.5	172.8	188.6	182.7
Fresh fruits	106.1	108.3	114.2	126.0	143.1	152.3	169.5	188.1	180.0	202.6	202.7
Apples	103.6	111.9	117.2	104.3	133.0	124.6	151.9	170.4	154.2	167.2	181.2
Bananas	86.8	86.8	91.5	107.4	115.9	122.7	128.1	127.6	124.0	127.2	140.6
Oranges, including tangerines	114.9	104.8	110.2	126.4	144.2	137.8	151.9	187.0	156.8	177.0	219.1
Other fresh fruits	108.2	113.9	120.7	139.9	154.5	176.9	194.4	213.1	214.5	247.8	223.7
Fresh vegetables	95.5	110.3	111.5	139.5	132.3	135.9	143.1	149.3	166.0	175.1	163.2
Potatoes	101.9	80.6	103.0	102.7	127.7	139.3	133.5	128.2	136.8	164.9	168.9
Lettuce	89.4	143.5	116.0	272.4	173.6	135.3	151.3	169.6	180.7	151.4	177.7
Tomatoes	90.1	124.4	125.0	137.9	123.0	139.2	128.2	123.1	190.9	194.6	152.5
Other fresh vegetables	96.1	108.7	110.4	126.1	129.2	135.0	150.8	162.4	167.4	179.6	162.7
Processed fruits and vegetables	105.2	106.2	105.2	109.9	122.0	125.0	131.7	129.6	131.0	132.9	134.5
Processed fruits	107.0	108.7	106.3	112.4	124.5	125.2	134.9	131.4	134.3	133.1	131.8
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	108.9	109.9	105.5	112.5	126.6	126.4	137.9	132.0	135.0	133.1	131.3
Canned and dried fruits	103.6	106.5	107.9	111.0	115.4	119.0	122.0	127.9	130.0	131.9	132.3
Processed vegetables	103.6	103.9	104.2	107.3	119.3	125.1	128.4	127.7	127.6	132.9	138.0
Frozen vegetables	104.2	107.1	108.5	111.7	116.6	124.9	128.6	129.6	130.7	135.5	140.3
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	103.3	102.8	102.7	105.8	121.1	125.8	129.0	127.4	126.8	132.3	137.6
Other food at home	103.7	105.7	108.8	109.8	115.1	120.1	125.1	127.0	128.2	130.8	138.8
Sugar and sweets	103.9	106.6	109.1	110.9	116.7	121.1	126.3	130.6	131.9	133.1	135.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	101.0	101.2	100.8	102.1	110.3	115.2	118.4	118.4	119.6	120.8	125.4
Sweets, including candy	105.1	108.9	112.7	114.6	119.2	123.5	129.6	135.8	137.2	138.3	139.6
Fats and oils	108.5	107.2	105.7	107.6	118.3	121.5	130.8	129.1	128.3	129.3	134.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	102.3	103.6	108.2	104.9	107.8	111.2	113.3	112.9	112.7	115.1	130.9
Carbonated drinks	100.8	101.9	101.9	103.6	105.2	110.4	111.3	112.3	114.0	116.0	116.3
Coffee	104.4	104.8	128.9	110.3	116.6	115.2	117.0	111.0	104.9	110.5	171.9
Other noncarbonated drinks	105.4	108.4	110.1	112.6	115.5	120.1	126.5	129.9	132.4	131.5	133.2
Other prepared food	103.9	107.4	110.3	114.8	120.5	127.4	134.0	138.1	141.0	144.7	148.5
Canned and packaged soup	105.3	109.0	112.1	119.0	123.4	132.6	140.7	149.0	157.5	164.3	173.2
Frozen prepared food	105.0	109.6	112.3	118.7	124.0	130.8	135.3	137.4	138.1	137.5	138.8
Snacks	104.8	108.8	112.1	115.6	121.4	126.1	131.1	132.6	132.1	136.0	140.3
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	103.7	106.9	110.1	113.1	118.1	124.7	132.5	137.8	143.5	147.3	152.6
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	102.7	105.3	107.6	112.5	119.4	127.7	135.2	140.2	142.8	147.9	150.4
Food away from home	105.9	109.9	114.6	118.8	124.0	129.7	135.6	139.4	141.6	144.1	146.1
Lunch	105.5	109.6	114.0	118.3	123.7	129.9	135.7	139.7	141.9	144.6	146.6
Dinner	106.2	110.5	114.7	118.7	123.8	129.1	134.3	137.9	140.0	142.5	144.5
Other meals and snacks	106.1	109.4	115.5	119.3	124.4	130.3	137.5	141.6	143.7	146.1	148.0
Alcoholic beverages	104.1	109.5	111.7	115.1	119.5	125.2	130.5	143.5	147.7	150.0	150.9
Alcoholic beverages at home	103.2	107.9	109.4	111.8	114.4	119.4	123.9	138.2	141.3	142.0	141.9
Beer and ale	105.2	107.2	109.0	111.3	114.3	119.7	124.1	138.9	142.8	143.2	142.8
Wine	98.7	100.1	102.1	105.6	107.5	110.8	114.0	129.3	131.3	131.6	131.2
Distilled spirits	101.3	112.4	113.3	114.6	116.7	121.9	127.9	139.3	141.3	142.8	144.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home	107.3	115.6	120.3	125.4	132.6	139.5	146.3	158.0	164.0	168.8	171.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Housing	104.0	108.4	110.2	114.1	118.5	123.1	128.3	132.7	136.1	139.7	143.0
Shelter	104.3	110.5	115.7	121.2	126.5	132.6	139.3	144.6	148.7	153.1	157.4
Renters' costs ¹	100.0	106.3	111.6	115.9	120.0	125.4	132.6	137.7	141.4	144.9	148.9
Rent, residential	108.1	115.0	120.8	125.3	129.7	135.0	140.6	144.8	148.2	151.6	154.7
Other renters' costs	107.2	113.8	119.4	124.5	129.2	137.6	157.2	170.2	176.9	183.3	194.1
Lodging while out of town	105.6	112.3	117.0	121.8	126.2	134.4	155.2	168.6	174.5	181.2	192.2
Lodging while at school ²	114.6	121.1	129.3	136.9	144.9	155.5	165.0	175.7	189.7	193.8	202.5
Tenants' insurance	106.1	112.2	118.4	122.6	126.0	128.9	130.4	133.6	137.0	141.2	146.2
Homeowners' costs ¹	100.0	105.9	110.8	116.6	122.2	128.3	134.3	139.5	143.5	148.2	152.3
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	100.0	105.9	110.8	116.6	122.2	128.5	134.5	139.7	143.8	148.4	152.6
Household insurance ¹	100.0	105.7	111.7	116.1	119.6	122.7	124.9	128.4	132.0	136.4	141.7
Maintenance and repairs	104.9	107.4	109.2	112.5	115.2	119.0	123.6	130.6	129.8	127.7	131.8
Maintenance and repair services	105.9	109.2	111.2	115.9	117.8	122.4	129.8	135.7	139.0	134.0	139.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	101.9	103.8	105.3	107.1	110.6	113.6	115.2	123.1	118.0	119.0	121.6
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ³	-	-	100.0	101.9	104.0	109.4	112.3	117.1	116.3	116.4	116.7
Other maintenance and repair commodities	102.2	103.4	103.8	105.4	109.8	110.8	111.1	121.2	112.9	114.5	118.9
Fuel and other utilities	104.4	106.3	100.1	101.7	104.8	108.0	112.1	115.7	118.4	121.5	123.9
Fuels	102.8	103.5	93.7	94.8	97.2	100.7	104.7	105.9	108.4	110.2	113.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	96.9	101.8	71.5	80.2	76.7	88.1	113.4	94.4	91.7	88.2	86.7
Fuel oil	95.6	100.9	67.4	79.5	74.4	89.0	115.6	92.5	89.5	85.4	83.8
Other household fuel commodities ³	-	-	100.0	102.4	102.2	108.3	136.6	123.2	120.3	117.8	116.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	104.6	104.1	100.5	100.7	103.9	106.7	108.2	111.9	115.1	117.7	121.5
Electricity	104.0	106.8	105.2	107.0	110.2	113.1	114.5	120.4	122.4	123.0	131.8
Utility (piped) gas	105.3	100.6	94.5	91.8	95.2	97.7	99.4	99.3	104.7	110.9	105.9
Other utilities and public services	109.0	114.5	118.5	120.9	125.6	128.4	133.2	140.7	144.2	149.6	150.9
Telephone services	109.0	114.1	116.8	115.6	117.1	116.7	116.4	120.4	120.1	122.3	123.2
Local charges	115.1	125.4	133.7	138.5	144.8	145.5	147.0	154.7	155.3	156.9	156.5
Interstate toll calls	96.9	93.3	84.5	74.0	70.9	70.0	67.4	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7
Intrastate toll calls	106.0	106.3	106.7	103.5	99.2	96.7	94.6	93.2	91.0	91.1	90.4
Water and sewerage maintenance	109.4	115.4	121.6	127.9	135.1	144.1	152.6	163.8	174.3	182.9	189.9
Cable television ⁴	105.9	112.2	116.6	127.9	141.6	147.1	166.9	181.2	188.4	201.7	194.7
Refuse collection ⁴	106.0	113.0	123.8	136.1	146.7	161.0	177.1	197.6	214.6	225.7	234.7
Household furnishings and operation	102.5	104.5	105.8	106.9	110.2	111.1	113.0	115.4	117.2	119.0	120.0
Housefurnishings	101.3	101.6	102.5	102.9	105.4	104.7	105.2	106.0	107.7	109.1	109.8
Textile housefurnishings	105.4	105.6	107.6	108.6	115.5	114.7	117.6	119.2	117.6	124.8	126.2
Furniture and bedding	103.6	106.8	109.3	111.5	115.0	113.0	114.2	115.5	120.5	123.9	125.9
Bedroom furniture	106.9	111.2	115.2	115.5	121.6	118.8	117.1	122.0	128.3	134.6	131.0
Sofas	102.2	102.8	110.2	115.7	114.7	113.5	113.7	113.6	117.7	116.3	124.3
Living room chairs and tables	101.4	106.9	107.3	109.3	112.7	111.4	117.4	115.6	119.9	125.7	131.4
Other furniture	102.1	104.1	102.9	105.5	109.1	107.1	109.8	109.2	114.0	115.8	118.4
Appliances, including electronic equipment	97.7	93.9	92.6	90.1	90.8	89.2	87.1	85.9	84.8	84.4	83.8
Video and audio products	94.0	89.0	87.0	83.8	82.8	82.1	79.1	78.6	77.5	77.1	75.9
Televisions	92.6	84.9	81.3	77.3	76.4	74.8	72.2	71.4	70.9	69.4	68.8
Video products other than televisions ⁵	-	-	-	-	100.0	94.9	85.8	80.9	79.2	78.1	74.1
Audio products	95.0	91.9	91.1	91.9	91.9	94.0	93.1	94.9	93.5	94.2	93.7
Major household appliances ³	-	-	100.0	98.8	102.2	101.0	101.0	98.9	99.3	101.1	103.0
Refrigerators and home freezers	102.8	101.2	99.5	100.6	102.4	103.6	102.7	101.0	101.7	106.5	109.8
Laundry equipment	104.3	104.7	104.0	102.9	106.6	106.0	107.9	105.8	106.3	106.9	109.2
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ³	-	-	100.0	97.1	101.5	97.9	96.9	94.6	94.6	95.3	95.8
Information processing equipment ⁵	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.7	89.7	86.9	80.6	74.2	69.9
Other housefurnishings ³	-	-	100.0	101.7	103.9	105.3	107.6	110.0	112.7	112.4	113.3
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	104.3	103.5	107.1	113.7	112.6	117.8	126.6	124.1	128.2	129.1	133.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	103.1	103.2	101.1	102.5	105.8	112.2	112.3	116.2	119.0	115.0	115.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	99.2	101.8	104.8	106.3	109.5	111.9	113.5	120.6	122.5	123.8	124.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	103.3	104.5	102.0	102.9	103.0	100.3	102.1	101.5	102.6	106.6	106.6
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ³	-	-	100.0	98.3	100.1	97.1	96.3	95.8	97.1	93.5	92.6
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.3	113.2	110.4	113.4
Housekeeping supplies	104.2	107.8	109.7	112.9	117.4	123.8	127.8	130.4	130.0	131.9	132.9
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	104.7	109.5	111.8	116.9	121.8	127.3	132.3	137.9	137.3	136.9	138.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies	104.3	107.3	108.5	109.5	115.6	121.8	126.8	127.2	127.1	129.8	128.7
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	103.4	105.9	108.2	111.2	113.6	121.3	123.1	124.0	123.7	127.4	130.2
Housekeeping services	103.7	108.1	109.9	111.6	116.5	117.8	122.7	131.3	135.9	139.1	141.5
Postage	100.0	110.4	110.4	110.4	125.4	125.4	125.4	145.7	145.7	145.7	145.7
Appliance and furniture repair	107.4	110.9	114.0	117.3	120.0	122.1	126.9	132.3	140.1	143.8	145.5
Gardening and other household services ³	-	-	100.0	104.7	109.0	112.1	116.4	119.0	124.9	127.0	128.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	103.5	106.6	107.4	112.6	117.6	118.5	124.5	128.4	130.4	131.3	133.1
Apparel commodities	102.9	105.6	105.8	111.1	116.0	116.6	122.3	126.1	127.8	128.5	130.2
Apparel commodities less footwear	103.1	106.1	106.2	111.7	116.4	116.9	122.9	126.8	128.3	128.9	131.0
Men's and boys'	104.3	107.2	107.1	110.4	116.5	118.0	121.4	124.9	126.4	127.0	127.8
Men's	104.1	107.1	106.9	111.5	117.8	120.1	123.9	127.7	129.9	130.3	131.3
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	103.7	106.1	107.6	111.3	121.5	124.6	127.8	131.0	133.6	140.4	141.7
Furnishings and special clothing	105.5	108.3	109.0	110.0	113.4	116.8	119.5	122.1	123.2	123.1	123.4
Shirts	102.8	109.3	108.9	116.1	123.3	123.7	129.0	133.8	135.8	132.1	134.6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	104.4	105.5	103.2	109.3	113.8	116.3	120.7	124.9	128.2	127.2	127.4
Boys'	104.8	107.6	107.9	107.1	112.4	111.5	113.3	116.3	115.3	116.6	116.6
Women's and girls'	103.3	106.9	106.1	112.6	116.2	115.5	122.6	126.7	127.6	128.4	129.4
Women's	103.5	107.3	106.0	112.7	115.8	115.1	122.8	125.7	126.1	128.1	129.2
Coats and jackets	103.6	104.8	100.1	105.0	102.7	104.0	115.2	118.4	121.9	128.9	123.8
Dresses	105.6	108.2	106.2	122.5	126.2	123.0	132.7	128.4	132.4	128.8	132.1
Separates and sportswear	103.0	110.1	110.7	116.7	119.2	118.3	125.3	129.9	128.6	131.6	132.8
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	104.4	107.2	107.2	107.6	113.7	115.8	120.9	123.7	124.4	125.8	127.0
Suits	98.2	103.4	98.5	107.2	113.4	110.3	122.0	132.8	131.1	136.9	140.5
Girls'	102.3	105.2	106.5	112.0	117.9	117.4	121.6	131.7	135.1	130.0	130.3
Infants' and toddlers'	104.4	109.3	113.5	116.4	120.3	119.3	127.9	131.8	133.1	128.1	131.1
Other apparel commodities	99.1	99.8	102.5	110.6	117.8	121.5	128.8	132.6	137.3	140.1	151.3
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ³	-	-	100.0	102.7	109.1	110.8	118.2	120.6	122.1	120.9	122.4
Watches and jewelry ³	-	-	100.0	109.0	116.2	120.3	127.3	131.3	136.6	140.1	153.1
Watches ³	-	-	100.0	103.6	107.8	107.5	110.7	113.6	111.9	118.6	125.0
Jewelry ²	-	-	100.0	110.6	118.6	124.0	132.0	136.4	143.6	146.3	161.2
Footwear	102.1	103.0	103.6	108.0	114.0	115.4	119.3	122.5	125.6	126.6	126.0
Men's	102.1	105.8	108.7	111.9	119.8	122.2	125.6	129.6	132.6	134.1	132.2
Boys' and girls'	103.3	101.2	103.0	110.6	114.7	118.6	123.5	123.0	122.7	122.7	128.7
Women's	101.0	101.7	99.2	102.6	108.3	107.4	111.0	115.8	120.7	121.9	118.6
Apparel services	107.2	112.4	116.6	120.9	125.8	130.6	139.6	144.4	149.2	153.4	155.9
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	107.4	112.1	116.3	122.3	128.8	133.8	140.8	145.2	149.9	154.8	157.4
Other apparel services	106.8	112.9	117.2	120.2	124.0	128.4	139.0	144.1	149.1	152.8	155.3
Transportation	105.2	107.6	100.6	107.3	110.4	114.8	126.7	124.5	128.2	130.8	135.3
Private	105.0	107.3	99.5	106.4	109.5	113.8	125.3	123.2	126.6	128.5	133.5
New vehicles	104.3	108.1	114.1	116.1	118.8	122.0	124.4	128.5	131.7	136.2	138.4
New cars	104.3	108.0	114.3	116.3	118.9	121.7	123.3	127.2	130.1	133.9	135.4
Subcompact new cars ³	-	-	100.0	101.8	104.2	105.4	105.6	109.6	112.6	116.5	118.4
Compact new cars ³	-	-	100.0	101.2	102.5	104.9	106.6	109.2	109.8	113.2	115.1
Intermediate new cars ³	-	-	100.0	100.4	101.9	105.9	107.6	111.3	113.7	116.2	117.8
Full-size new cars ³	-	-	100.0	103.1	105.6	109.1	110.5	114.3	116.0	119.7	120.3
Luxury new cars ³	-	-	100.0	103.8	109.2	111.6	114.6	117.2	121.7	124.3	124.7
New trucks ⁴	103.4	108.2	112.8	114.3	116.9	121.0	125.9	130.3	133.8	140.0	143.5
New motorcycles ³	-	-	100.0	104.0	109.4	114.1	117.4	123.7	128.9	138.3	146.6
Used cars	114.6	112.5	106.8	116.2	120.1	119.5	116.9	120.2	129.7	140.2	146.1
Motor fuel	96.7	99.8	69.2	82.0	80.4	85.9	117.1	98.5	99.9	94.6	103.7
Gasoline	96.6	99.7	69.0	81.9	80.4	85.6	117.0	98.3	99.9	94.0	103.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular	96.6	99.9	68.2	80.8	78.8	83.2	115.4	96.2	97.6	91.1	101.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁷	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	108.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	98.6	100.7	73.8	85.3	84.7	90.0	118.7	101.5	103.0	98.1	105.9
Automobile maintenance and repair	105.2	108.9	112.9	117.0	121.5	126.9	132.8	138.8	143.9	148.3	151.9
Body work	106.5	110.6	115.0	121.3	126.5	134.0	139.5	142.9	147.0	150.8	155.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	106.8	110.3	115.0	118.6	123.8	129.9	137.1	143.0	149.3	155.2	160.4
Maintenance and servicing	103.8	106.4	110.6	114.7	118.3	122.0	126.8	133.7	136.5	139.3	140.6
Power plant repair	105.1	109.9	112.9	116.8	121.6	127.4	133.3	139.4	145.9	151.2	155.2
Other private transportation	106.7	110.9	116.7	122.0	130.4	136.8	144.2	149.2	151.9	154.9	158.0
Other private transportation commodities	96.7	96.5	95.8	97.4	99.9	101.9	103.2	104.8	104.0	102.6	102.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	102.0	103.3	102.7	100.6	109.4	109.1	116.7	117.9	117.4	117.7	121.4
Automobile parts and equipment	95.8	95.4	94.7	96.5	98.4	100.6	101.5	103.0	102.2	100.7	100.1
Tires	94.1	93.5	91.9	93.3	96.8	98.8	98.6	100.8	100.4	98.9	99.3
Other parts and equipment	100.0	100.2	101.4	103.9	104.4	106.8	108.6	109.7	108.5	106.8	105.3
Other private transportation services	108.6	113.7	120.7	127.1	137.1	144.7	153.8	159.8	163.5	167.6	171.8
Automobile insurance	112.6	126.1	140.9	148.8	160.9	170.6	183.7	198.6	211.5	221.9	223.1
Automobile finance charges	100.4	91.9	85.3	90.4	98.1	102.3	102.5	95.3	81.9	76.7	85.9
Automobile fees	110.1	113.2	119.4	123.3	130.5	137.9	151.4	156.8	166.4	170.1	172.6
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	111.7	113.8	117.4	119.3	126.6	134.5	156.0	163.4	173.0	177.4	178.0
Other automobile-related fees	107.2	112.2	122.6	129.3	136.5	143.2	146.2	149.1	158.6	161.4	166.4
Public transportation	107.4	112.2	119.4	121.3	125.4	130.1	150.3	147.8	155.5	171.1	167.6
Airline fares	108.7	115.2	121.4	122.7	126.5	133.1	163.4	154.0	163.6	191.8	183.7
Other intercity transportation	112.1	119.5	125.4	128.0	136.8	140.5	149.3	154.2	155.4	149.6	154.0
Intracity public transportation	106.1	109.6	117.6	120.2	123.5	125.9	135.7	140.7	147.6	152.0	152.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Medical care	109.5	116.8	125.7	133.4	142.8	154.7	168.8	182.0	194.3	204.5	212.0
Medical care commodities	110.7	117.5	125.3	134.1	143.1	154.8	168.0	180.3	189.4	195.1	199.3
Prescription drugs	114.5	123.8	134.8	145.7	156.9	171.8	189.0	206.8	218.3	225.2	231.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ³	-	-	100.0	105.3	110.4	116.8	123.6	127.7	133.0	136.5	138.2
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	109.0	114.0	119.7	126.9	133.2	140.3	148.9	152.7	159.2	163.3	164.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	107.5	112.4	117.5	120.9	126.6	135.7	142.4	150.5	156.1	160.4	165.7
Medical care services	109.2	116.7	125.7	133.2	142.7	154.7	169.0	182.4	195.4	206.6	214.9
Professional medical services	109.4	116.6	124.0	132.0	141.0	150.2	160.3	170.2	180.0	188.0	194.9
Physicians' services	109.1	116.6	125.5	133.6	143.6	154.0	165.4	174.5	185.5	194.8	201.7
Dental services	110.9	116.8	123.1	132.0	140.8	150.0	159.7	172.9	182.8	190.9	198.8
Eye care ³	-	-	100.0	105.3	109.8	113.8	119.0	123.2	127.8	130.5	134.3
Services by other medical professionals ³	-	-	100.0	105.0	110.8	117.2	122.8	129.2	133.9	138.1	143.8
Hospital and related services	112.6	118.1	126.5	135.4	150.0	166.8	184.4	201.2	218.9	235.1	245.2
Hospital rooms	112.0	117.1	125.5	133.7	147.1	162.5	178.3	193.8	210.9	226.2	236.0
Other inpatient services ³	-	-	100.0	107.4	121.0	135.0	150.1	163.7	177.2	190.6	198.5
Outpatient services ³	-	-	100.0	107.2	117.1	131.1	145.9	160.4	176.0	189.3	197.5
Entertainment	105.7	108.7	112.5	116.9	122.2	128.4	133.3	138.4	142.2	146.1	148.6
Entertainment commodities	104.2	106.2	108.7	112.6	117.6	121.7	124.8	129.0	131.5	139.9	136.0
Reading materials	106.9	112.3	117.0	121.4	126.7	132.5	138.6	147.8	153.4	159.0	164.4
Newspapers	106.8	111.6	115.6	120.9	126.8	131.8	138.2	151.4	157.9	164.8	171.0
Magazines, periodicals, and books	107.0	113.3	118.9	122.3	127.0	133.6	139.5	144.4	149.1	153.4	158.1
Sporting goods and equipment	103.9	105.1	104.2	107.8	112.5	115.9	116.5	120.5	121.6	122.6	123.0
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	105.0	107.4	105.8	108.9	113.2	117.7	117.8	120.4	123.5	124.9	124.3
Other sporting goods	100.8	99.1	99.7	103.9	109.0	110.8	112.1	118.0	116.3	116.7	118.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	103.0	103.6	106.9	110.5	115.6	119.2	122.1	123.8	125.4	126.9	128.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	101.8	101.3	103.9	107.8	112.3	114.8	116.6	117.9	121.3	123.2	124.7
Photographic supplies and equipment	102.9	103.1	109.3	116.3	123.5	127.8	129.7	131.1	134.1	136.5	134.2
Pet supplies and expense	105.1	107.8	110.2	112.6	117.7	122.8	127.3	129.5	128.5	129.3	131.5
Entertainment services	108.2	112.8	118.9	124.0	129.7	138.7	146.1	152.5	158.1	163.8	167.0
Club memberships ³	-	-	100.0	102.0	110.5	115.3	120.7	125.3	128.0	132.6	133.3
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	-	-	100.0	106.9	113.2	121.9	128.6	134.2	140.6	152.1	150.4
Admissions	109.8	114.5	120.4	128.1	132.8	145.8	153.1	160.5	166.6	169.9	176.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	-	-	100.0	105.3	110.6	119.6	126.1	133.6	140.7	146.3	152.4
Other entertainment services ³	-	-	100.0	101.6	105.2	109.9	116.3	120.8	124.4	127.6	130.2
Other goods and services	110.6	117.4	123.6	131.3	140.6	152.7	164.4	177.7	189.0	192.0	198.9
Tobacco and smoking products	111.8	120.0	127.1	137.2	150.2	171.8	190.1	211.5	229.0	215.4	221.1
Personal care	106.2	110.0	112.8	116.4	122.3	126.9	132.2	135.7	139.9	143.2	145.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	105.6	109.2	111.9	115.1	121.5	124.7	130.0	133.7	138.6	140.7	142.6
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	106.2	109.6	112.8	116.1	122.2	124.8	132.0	136.0	138.5	144.7	146.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	105.4	109.0	111.5	114.6	121.3	124.9	128.9	132.5	138.9	138.3	140.6
Personal care services	106.8	110.8	113.7	117.8	123.0	129.4	134.9	137.9	141.3	146.2	148.6
Beauty parlor services for females	106.9	110.6	113.4	117.5	122.7	129.4	135.2	137.9	140.8	146.1	148.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	106.5	111.2	114.2	118.4	123.8	128.7	133.2	137.4	142.5	145.6	148.7
Personal and educational expenses	115.3	124.5	134.2	143.0	152.3	163.1	174.7	188.7	200.5	213.3	223.6
School books and supplies	112.5	122.7	131.9	141.9	151.1	162.9	173.9	184.4	194.9	202.3	209.8
Personal and educational services	115.7	124.8	134.6	143.3	152.7	163.4	175.0	189.3	201.2	214.5	225.0
Tuition and other school fees	116.6	126.5	136.1	146.3	157.1	169.6	182.7	199.4	214.4	228.7	240.9
College tuition	116.8	127.0	135.9	145.4	156.2	169.3	183.6	205.0	223.8	240.3	254.8
Elementary and high school tuition	116.3	125.5	136.4	149.3	161.9	176.2	191.4	206.2	222.7	235.4	248.5
Day care and nursery school ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.3	110.8	116.7	121.7
Personal expenses	112.8	119.4	129.9	136.0	143.0	151.0	160.1	170.5	177.6	188.9	196.7
Legal service fees ³	-	-	100.0	105.2	109.8	116.4	121.7	129.2	133.6	144.0	146.0
Personal financial services ³	-	-	100.0	104.5	111.7	117.9	127.1	136.8	143.9	153.3	165.8
Funeral expenses ³	-	-	100.0	104.6	109.6	115.1	122.6	130.1	135.1	142.1	148.0
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	102.9	105.0	108.5	112.4	119.1	127.0	135.0	136.7	139.0	143.9	144.9
Selected beef cuts	100.5	101.2	101.3	107.8	112.1	120.0	129.9	128.5	128.8	133.3	130.7
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	96.8	99.9	69.8	82.3	80.9	86.3	117.1	98.8	100.3	95.0	104.0
Utilities and public transportation	106.2	108.1	108.3	109.6	113.4	116.3	121.2	125.6	129.4	134.4	136.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	105.1	109.3	111.2	113.1	117.9	119.4	124.6	133.1	137.6	140.1	142.8

¹ Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

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.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1990 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	
Commodity and service group											
All items	3.6	3.6	0.6	4.5	4.4	4.5	6.1	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.5
Commodities	2.4	2.4	-2.2	4.7	3.8	4.2	6.8	1.0	2.2	1.4	2.3
Food and beverages	3.6	2.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	1.5
Commodities less food and beverages	1.8	2.3	-5.9	5.6	3.0	3.2	7.9	-1	2.6	.5	2.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.2	3.6	-9.9	8.0	3.4	5.0	13.1	-1.6	2.5	-1.3	3.3
Apparel commodities	1.5	2.6	.2	5.0	4.4	.5	4.9	3.1	1.3	.5	1.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	1.1	3.8	-12.7	9.6	2.9	7.3	17.3	-3.7	2.9	-2.1	4.4
Durables	2.2	.4	-2	2.6	2.5	1.2	.5	2.4	2.9	3.0	1.7
Services	5.2	5.0	4.3	4.2	4.9	4.9	5.5	4.5	3.5	3.6	2.7
Rent of shelter	-	6.1	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.9	5.0	3.9	2.8	3.0	2.8
Household services less rent of shelter	-	2.0	-2	1.3	3.6	2.3	2.7	4.8	2.7	2.8	2.2
Transportation services	6.2	4.4	5.6	4.3	6.1	5.0	7.3	3.1	3.1	3.9	1.7
Medical care services	5.9	6.9	7.7	6.0	7.1	8.4	9.2	7.9	7.1	5.7	4.0
Other services	6.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.6	6.5	6.3	6.0	4.9	5.1	3.5
Special Indexes											
All items less food	3.4	3.8	.0	4.7	4.1	4.4	6.2	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.6
All items less shelter	3.6	3.0	-.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	6.5	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.4
All items less homeowners' costs	-	3.2	.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	6.4	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.4
All items less medical care	3.5	3.3	.3	4.4	4.2	4.4	5.9	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.4
Commodities less food	1.8	2.4	-5.6	5.4	3.1	3.4	7.6	.5	2.6	.6	2.5
Nondurables less food	1.3	3.6	-9.3	7.5	3.5	5.0	12.3	-.6	2.5	-1.0	3.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	1.2	4.0	-11.7	8.8	3.0	7.0	15.6	-2.1	2.9	-1.6	3.9
Nondurables	2.5	3.1	-2.8	5.4	4.3	5.3	8.9	.5	2.0	.8	2.5
Services less rent of shelter	-	4.2	3.9	3.6	5.3	4.9	5.8	5.2	4.1	4.2	2.7
Services less medical care services	5.2	4.8	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.6	5.1	4.2	3.1	3.4	2.5
Energy	.0	1.9	-20.5	8.8	.3	5.2	19.2	-8.1	1.9	-1.7	6.0
All items less energy	4.0	3.8	3.6	4.1	4.7	4.4	5.0	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.2
All items less food and energy	4.0	4.2	3.4	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.9	4.4	3.2	2.9	2.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	2.5	2.1	1.1	3.7	3.9	2.7	3.2	4.0	2.9	1.5	1.6
Energy commodities	-1.9	3.5	-30.5	18.0	-2.2	7.6	35.5	-16.0	1.1	-5.2	8.6
Services less energy services	5.5	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.8	4.6	3.5	3.7	2.7
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	3.6	2.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	1.5
Food	3.6	2.7	3.8	3.4	5.2	5.6	5.4	1.8	1.5	2.8	1.7
Food at home	3.4	2.0	3.7	3.3	5.6	6.2	5.8	1.1	1.5	3.4	1.9
Cereals and bakery products	4.4	3.7	2.4	4.2	8.4	7.3	4.6	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.8
Cereals and cereal products	3.6	4.2	2.1	4.9	9.5	7.3	5.1	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	2.3	3.5	.1	1.2	6.7	7.3	2.2	-2	5.0	-2	4.9
Cereal	5.3	6.4	5.0	5.9	9.6	9.7	7.2	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.6
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	2.0	1.3	-.9	4.9	11.4	1.4	2.1	2.8	2.0	2.2	6.8
Bakery products	4.7	3.5	2.5	3.9	7.8	7.4	4.3	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.7
White bread	3.1	2.5	.8	4.3	11.1	6.0	3.7	1.4	4.1	6.9	4.1
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	2.6	2.2	2.5	3.6	9.6	6.8	4.8	3.6	5.2	2.8	4.9
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	6.8	3.3	3.8	4.2	6.1	7.8	5.7	4.8	2.3	3.3	1.2
Other bakery products	6.4	5.6	2.8	3.4	5.0	8.8	3.3	3.9	5.1	1.9	5.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.5	1.5	6.4	1.0	5.2	6.9	7.9	-1.6	.5	3.6	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	4.0	1.3	6.7	2.2	4.7	5.2	8.9	-1.4	.8	3.8	.4
Meats	4.3	.3	6.1	3.5	2.1	6.6	11.4	-2.2	.3	3.7	-.6
Beef and veal	4.0	.7	.5	6.7	5.5	6.7	8.9	-1.1	.8	3.7	-1.8
Ground beef other than canned	2.5	-.8	-1.2	5.9	2.4	7.5	7.6	-1.4	-.6	3.7	-3.5
Chuck roast	7.2	-.9	-.4	5.1	7.0	9.7	10.3	1.4	1.2	2.4	-2.4
Round roast	3.6	.3	-3.0	6.1	6.1	7.5	10.2	-1.6	2.5	.8	.9
Round steak	2.3	1.1	1.4	7.0	3.2	6.2	9.6	-.2	-.2	2.7	.3
Sirloin steak	5.6	.5	1.7	9.8	7.0	2.7	5.9	-2.6	1.5	6.4	.7
Other beef and veal	4.0	2.3	2.4	7.5	9.1	6.1	10.2	-1.1	2.2	4.0	-1.3
Pork	5.7	.0	15.6	-1.8	-2.9	7.0	16.6	-6.0	-.7	4.5	1.2
Bacon	6.9	.2	13.3	-.4	-10.4	8.6	17.1	-11.8	-.3	11.7	.8
Chops	6.7	1.8	15.3	-1.5	.2	8.2	14.9	-4.3	2.6	4.6	-1.8
Ham	5.6	-.7	19.0	-3.0	-1.5	5.1	18.2	-4.8	-1.4	1.5	4.0
Other pork, including sausage	5.0	-.7	14.4	.1	-2.5	6.7	16.7	-5.4	-1.4	3.3	1.8
Other meats	3.4	-.7	7.0	4.0	.8	5.6	10.3	.8	.2	2.6	-.1
Poultry	1.7	3.1	9.8	-9.4	18.2	.4	1.4	.5	2.8	5.5	1.7
Fresh whole chicken	-4.0	5.0	12.5	-11.4	22.0	-.8	.2	-.4	4.3	4.4	.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	.7	2.6	13.0	-8.8	19.0	-1.1	2.3	1.2	1.6	7.3	.5
Other poultry	13.0	1.1	1.5	-7.3	8.6	6.8	1.4	.3	2.9	3.2	7.9
Fish and seafood	4.4	7.0	9.1	10.0	4.6	3.7	2.8	1.6	1.7	3.3	4.3
Canned fish and seafood	.7	.5	1.5	10.4	13.2	-4.3	-.3	-.6	1.2	2.5	1.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	6.4	10.3	12.6	9.9	2.0	6.2	3.7	2.1	2.0	3.4	5.1
Eggs	-20.8	5.9	.9	-17.9	16.6	35.7	-4.7	-4.1	-4.6	-1.9	-1.7

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	3.3	-0.6	2.0	1.6	4.5	10.4	3.0	0.6	1.3	0.9	0.8
Fresh milk and cream	3.2	-1.5	1.9	1.6	4.8	11.5	2.5	-2	2.3	2.2	-3
Fresh whole milk	3.2	-1.6	2.0	1.4	5.1	11.5	2.5	-4	1.8	2.1	-9
Other fresh milk and cream	3.2	-1.4	1.7	2.2	4.2	11.3	2.4	.1	3.3	2.2	.7
Processed dairy products	3.6	.5	2.3	1.6	4.2	9.2	3.7	1.3	.2	-6	2.0
Cheese	2.6	.2	1.5	2.1	5.2	12.9	4.7	1.7	.1	-8	1.8
Ice cream and related products	3.9	1.9	3.0	1.4	3.7	7.1	4.4	1.1	.5	.5	3.3
Other dairy products, including butter	5.2	-2	3.2	.6	2.0	1.3	-2	.2	-2	-1.6	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	5.0	5.1	1.3	12.5	6.3	3.8	7.3	4.4	2.1	6.5	-1.7
Fresh fruits and vegetables	4.9	8.9	3.1	17.6	3.7	4.7	8.4	7.9	2.6	9.1	-3.1
Fresh fruits	21.7	2.1	5.4	10.3	13.6	6.4	11.3	11.0	-4.3	12.6	.0
Apples	10.6	8.0	4.7	-11.0	27.5	-6.3	21.9	12.2	-9.5	8.4	8.4
Bananas	-1.6	.0	5.4	17.4	7.9	5.9	4.4	-4	-2.8	2.6	10.5
Oranges, including tangerines	51.6	-8.8	5.2	14.7	14.1	-4.4	10.2	23.1	-16.1	12.9	23.8
Other fresh fruits	21.2	5.3	6.0	15.9	10.4	14.5	9.9	9.6	.7	15.5	-9.7
Fresh vegetables	-7.6	15.5	1.1	25.1	-5.2	2.7	5.3	4.3	11.2	5.5	-6.8
Potatoes	1.9	-20.9	27.8	-3	24.3	9.1	-4.2	-4.0	6.7	20.5	2.4
Lettuce	-26.8	60.5	-19.2	-	-36.3	-22.1	11.8	12.1	6.5	-16.2	17.4
Tomatoes	5.0	38.1	.5	10.3	-10.8	13.2	-7.9	-4.0	55.1	1.9	-21.6
Other fresh vegetables	-6.2	13.1	1.6	14.2	2.5	4.5	11.7	7.7	3.1	7.3	-9.4
Processed fruits and vegetables	5.2	1.0	-9	4.5	11.0	2.5	5.4	-1.6	1.1	1.5	1.2
Processed fruits	8.1	1.6	-2.2	5.7	10.8	.6	7.7	-2.6	2.2	-9	-1.0
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	11.5	.9	-4.0	6.6	12.5	-2	9.1	-4.3	2.3	-1.4	-1.4
Canned and dried fruits	2.4	2.8	1.3	2.9	4.0	3.1	2.5	4.8	1.6	1.5	.3
Processed vegetables	2.7	.3	.3	3.0	11.2	4.9	2.6	-5	-1	4.2	3.8
Frozen vegetables	3.6	2.8	1.3	2.9	4.4	7.1	3.0	.8	.8	3.7	3.5
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	2.2	-5	-1	3.0	14.5	3.9	2.5	-1.2	-5	4.3	4.0
Other food at home	3.1	1.9	2.9	.9	4.8	4.3	4.2	1.5	.9	2.0	6.1
Sugar and sweets	3.7	2.6	2.3	1.6	5.2	3.8	4.3	3.4	1.0	.9	1.7
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	-1.0	.2	-4	1.3	8.0	4.4	2.8	.0	1.0	1.0	3.8
Sweets, including candy	5.7	3.6	3.5	1.7	4.0	3.6	4.9	4.8	1.0	.8	.9
Fats and oils	5.3	-1.2	-1.4	1.8	9.9	2.7	7.7	-1.3	-6	.8	3.8
Nonalcoholic beverages	2.1	1.3	4.4	-3.0	2.8	3.2	1.9	-4	-2	2.1	13.7
Carbonated drinks	-1	1.1	.0	1.7	1.5	4.9	.8	.9	1.5	1.8	.3
Coffee	6.2	.4	23.0	-14.4	5.7	-1.2	1.6	-5.1	-5.5	5.3	55.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	5.6	2.8	1.6	2.3	2.6	4.0	5.3	2.7	1.9	-7	1.3
Other prepared food	3.3	3.4	2.7	4.1	5.0	5.7	5.2	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.6
Canned and packaged soup	4.1	3.5	2.8	6.2	3.7	7.5	6.1	5.9	5.7	4.3	5.4
Frozen prepared food	4.2	4.4	2.5	5.7	4.5	5.5	3.4	1.6	.5	-4	.9
Snacks	4.8	3.8	3.0	3.1	5.0	3.9	4.0	1.1	-4	3.0	3.2
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.7	4.4	5.6	6.3	4.0	4.1	2.6	3.6
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	2.1	2.5	2.2	4.6	6.1	7.0	5.9	3.7	1.9	3.6	1.7
Food away from home	4.1	3.8	4.3	3.7	4.4	4.6	4.5	2.8	1.6	1.8	1.4
Lunch	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.6	5.0	4.5	2.9	1.6	1.9	1.4
Dinner	4.4	4.0	3.8	3.5	4.3	4.3	4.0	2.7	1.5	1.8	1.4
Other meals and snacks	4.0	3.1	5.6	3.3	4.3	4.7	5.5	3.0	1.5	1.7	1.3
Alcoholic beverages	2.8	5.2	2.0	3.0	3.8	4.8	4.2	10.0	2.9	1.6	.6
Alcoholic beverages at home	2.0	4.6	1.4	2.2	2.3	4.4	3.8	11.5	2.2	.5	-1
Beer and ale	3.0	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.7	4.7	3.7	11.9	2.8	.3	-3
Wine	-1	1.4	2.0	3.4	1.8	3.1	2.9	13.4	1.5	.2	-3
Distilled spirits	.8	11.0	.8	1.1	1.8	4.5	4.9	8.9	1.4	1.1	.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home	5.5	7.7	4.1	4.2	5.7	5.2	4.9	8.0	3.8	2.9	1.4

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Housing	3.3	4.2	1.7	3.5	3.9	3.9	4.2	3.4	2.6	2.6	2.4
Shelter	3.6	5.9	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.8	5.1	3.8	2.8	3.0	2.8
Renters' costs	-	6.3	5.0	3.9	3.5	4.5	5.7	3.8	2.7	2.5	2.8
Rent, residential	5.8	6.4	5.0	3.7	3.5	4.1	4.1	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.0
Other renters' costs	6.1	6.2	4.9	4.3	3.8	6.5	14.2	8.3	3.9	3.6	5.9
Lodging while out of town	6.8	6.3	4.2	4.1	3.6	6.5	15.5	8.6	3.5	3.8	6.1
Lodging while at school	7.7	5.7	6.8	5.9	5.8	7.3	6.1	6.5	8.0	2.2	4.5
Tenants' insurance	2.5	5.7	5.5	3.5	2.8	2.3	1.2	2.5	2.5	3.1	3.5
Homeowners' costs	-	5.9	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.0	4.7	3.9	2.9	3.3	2.8
Owners' equivalent rent	-	5.9	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.2	4.7	3.9	2.9	3.2	2.8
Household insurance	-	5.7	5.7	3.9	3.0	2.6	1.8	2.8	2.8	3.3	3.9
Maintenance and repairs	2.5	2.4	1.7	3.0	2.4	3.3	3.9	5.7	-6	-1.6	3.2
Maintenance and repair services	3.0	3.1	1.8	4.2	1.6	3.9	6.0	4.5	2.4	-3.6	4.0
Maintenance and repair commodities	.9	1.9	1.4	1.7	3.3	2.7	1.4	6.9	-4.1	.8	2.2
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs	-	-	-	1.9	2.1	5.2	2.7	4.3	-7	.1	.3
Other maintenance and repair commodities	1.1	1.2	.4	1.5	4.2	.9	.3	9.1	-6.8	1.4	3.8
Fuel and other utilities	4.1	1.8	-5.8	1.6	3.0	3.1	3.8	3.2	2.3	2.6	2.0
Fuels	2.7	.7	-9.5	1.2	2.5	3.6	4.0	1.1	2.4	1.7	2.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.3	5.1	-29.8	12.2	-4.4	14.9	28.7	-16.8	-2.9	-3.8	-1.7
Fuel oil	.0	5.5	-33.2	18.0	-6.4	19.6	29.9	-20.0	-3.2	-4.6	-1.9
Other household fuel commodities	-	-	-	2.4	-2	6.0	26.1	-9.8	-2.4	-2.1	-1.5
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.4	-5	-3.5	.2	3.2	2.7	1.4	3.4	2.9	2.3	3.2
Electricity	5.5	2.7	-1.5	1.7	3.0	2.6	1.2	5.2	1.7	.5	7.2
Utility (piped) gas	.8	-4.5	-6.1	-2.9	3.7	2.6	1.7	-1	5.4	5.9	-4.5
Other utilities and public services	8.0	5.0	3.5	2.0	3.9	2.2	3.7	5.6	2.5	3.7	.9
Telephone services	9.2	4.7	2.4	-1.0	1.3	-3	-3	3.4	-2	1.8	.7
Local charges	17.1	8.9	6.6	3.6	4.5	.5	1.0	5.2	.4	1.0	-3
Interstate toll calls	-4.4	-3.7	-9.4	-12.4	-4.2	-1.3	-3.7	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4
Intrastate toll calls	3.5	.3	.4	-3.0	-4.2	-2.5	-2.2	-1.5	-2.4	.1	-8
Water and sewerage maintenance	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.6	6.7	5.9	7.3	6.4	4.9	3.8
Cable television	5.9	5.9	3.9	9.7	10.7	3.9	13.5	8.6	4.0	7.1	-3.5
Refuse collection	6.0	6.6	9.6	9.9	7.8	9.7	10.0	11.6	8.6	5.2	4.0
Household furnishings and operation	1.4	2.0	1.2	1.0	3.1	.8	1.7	2.1	1.6	1.5	.8
Housefurnishings	.2	.3	.9	.4	2.4	-7	.5	.8	1.6	1.3	.6
Textile housefurnishings	4.7	.2	1.9	.9	6.4	-7	2.5	1.4	-1.3	6.1	1.1
Furniture and bedding	2.0	3.1	2.3	2.0	3.1	-1.7	1.1	1.1	4.3	2.8	1.6
Bedroom furniture	3.4	4.0	3.6	.3	5.3	-2.3	-1.4	4.2	5.2	4.9	-2.7
Sofas	1.3	.6	7.2	5.0	-9	-1.0	.2	-1	3.6	-1.2	6.9
Living room chairs and tables	.5	5.4	.4	1.9	3.1	-1.2	5.4	-1.5	3.7	4.8	4.5
Other furniture	1.6	2.0	-1.2	2.5	3.4	-1.8	2.5	-5	4.4	1.6	2.2
Appliances, including electronic equipment	-2.9	-3.9	-1.4	-2.7	.8	-1.8	-2.4	-1.4	-1.3	-5	-7
Video and audio products	-5.4	-5.3	-2.2	-3.7	-1.2	-8	-3.7	-6	-1.4	-5	-1.6
Televisions	-6.5	-8.3	-4.2	-4.9	-1.2	-2.1	-3.5	-1.1	-7	-2.1	-9
Video products other than televisions	-	-	-	-	-	-5.1	-9.6	-5.7	-2.1	-1.4	-5.1
Audio products	-4.6	-3.3	-9	.9	.0	2.3	-1.0	1.9	-1.5	.7	-5
Major household appliances	-	-	-	-1.2	3.4	-1.2	.0	-2.1	.4	1.8	1.9
Refrigerators and home freezers	1.0	-1.6	-1.7	1.1	1.8	1.2	-9	-1.7	.7	4.7	3.1
Laundry equipment	2.7	.4	-7	-1.1	3.6	-6	1.8	-1.9	.5	.6	2.2
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners	-	-	-	-2.9	4.5	-3.5	-1.0	-2.4	.0	.7	.5
Information processing equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-7.3	-3.2	-3.1	-7.2	-7.9	-5.8
Other housefurnishings	-	-	-	1.7	2.2	1.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	-3	.8
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	2.6	-8	3.5	6.2	-1.0	4.6	7.5	-2.0	3.3	.7	3.4
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	2.3	.1	-2.0	1.4	3.2	6.0	.1	3.5	2.4	-3.4	.4
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	-1.9	2.6	2.9	1.4	3.0	2.2	1.4	6.3	1.6	1.1	.2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	1.4	1.2	-2.4	.9	.1	-2.6	1.8	-6	1.1	3.9	.0
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances	-	-	-	-1.7	1.8	-3.0	-8	-5	1.4	-3.7	-1.0
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	5.5	-2.5	2.7
Housekeeping supplies	3.1	3.5	1.8	2.9	4.0	5.5	3.2	2.0	-3	1.5	.8
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	2.9	4.6	2.1	4.6	4.2	4.5	3.9	4.2	-4	-3	1.0
Household paper products and stationery supplies	3.9	2.9	1.1	.9	5.6	5.4	4.1	.3	-1	2.1	-8
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.8	2.2	6.8	1.5	.7	-2	3.0	2.2
Housekeeping services	2.5	4.2	1.7	1.5	4.4	1.1	4.2	7.0	3.5	2.4	1.7
Postage	.0	10.4	.0	.0	13.6	.0	.0	16.2	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair	5.2	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.3	1.8	3.9	4.3	5.9	2.6	1.2
Gardening and other household services	-	-	-	4.7	4.1	2.8	3.8	2.2	5.0	1.7	1.3

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	2.0	3.0	0.8	4.8	4.4	0.8	5.1	3.1	1.6	0.7	1.4
Apparel commodities	1.5	2.6	.2	5.0	4.4	.5	4.9	3.1	1.3	.5	1.3
Apparel commodities less footwear	1.6	2.9	.1	5.2	4.2	.4	5.1	3.2	1.2	.5	1.6
Men's and boys'	2.5	2.8	-.1	3.1	5.5	1.3	2.9	2.9	1.2	.5	.6
Men's	2.2	2.9	-.2	4.3	5.7	2.0	3.2	3.1	1.7	.3	.8
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	1.0	2.3	1.4	3.4	9.2	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.0	5.1	.9
Furnishings and special clothing	2.4	2.7	.6	.9	3.1	3.0	2.3	2.2	.9	-.1	.2
Shirts	1.7	6.3	-.4	6.6	6.2	.3	4.3	3.7	1.5	-2.7	1.9
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	3.7	1.1	-2.2	5.9	4.1	2.2	3.8	3.5	2.6	-.8	.2
Boys'	3.4	2.7	.3	-.7	4.9	-.8	1.6	2.6	-.9	1.1	.0
Women's and girls'	1.6	3.5	-.7	6.1	3.2	-.6	6.1	3.3	.7	.6	.8
Women's	1.7	3.7	-1.2	6.3	2.8	-.6	6.7	2.4	.3	1.6	.9
Coats and jackets	2.0	1.2	-4.5	4.9	-2.2	1.3	10.8	2.8	3.0	5.7	-4.0
Dresses	2.3	2.5	-1.8	15.3	3.0	-2.5	7.9	-3.2	3.1	-2.7	2.6
Separates and sportswear	2.1	6.9	.5	5.4	2.1	-.8	5.9	3.7	-1.0	2.3	.9
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	1.6	2.7	.0	.4	5.7	1.8	4.4	2.3	.6	1.1	1.0
Suits	-.3	5.3	-4.7	8.8	5.8	-2.7	10.6	8.9	-1.3	4.4	2.6
Girls'	1.0	2.8	1.2	5.2	5.3	-.4	3.6	8.3	2.6	-3.8	.2
Infants' and toddlers'	3.7	4.7	3.8	2.6	3.4	-.8	7.2	3.0	1.0	-3.8	2.3
Other apparel commodities	-1.6	.7	2.7	7.9	6.5	3.1	6.0	3.0	3.5	2.0	8.0
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage	-	-	-	2.7	6.2	1.6	6.7	2.0	1.2	-1.0	1.2
Watches and jewelry	-	-	-	9.0	6.6	3.5	5.8	3.1	4.0	2.6	9.3
Watches	-	-	-	3.6	4.1	-.3	3.0	2.6	-1.5	6.0	5.4
Jewelry	-	-	-	10.6	7.2	4.6	6.5	3.3	5.3	1.9	10.2
Footwear	1.7	.9	.6	4.2	5.6	1.2	3.4	2.7	2.5	.8	-.5
Men's	1.6	3.6	2.7	2.9	7.1	2.0	2.8	3.2	2.3	1.1	-1.4
Boys' and girls'	2.3	-2.0	1.8	7.4	3.7	3.4	4.1	-.4	-.2	.0	4.9
Women's	1.0	.7	-2.5	3.4	5.6	-.8	3.4	4.3	4.2	1.0	-2.7
Apparel services	4.9	4.9	3.7	3.7	4.1	3.8	6.9	3.4	3.3	2.8	1.6
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	5.1	4.4	3.7	5.2	5.3	3.9	5.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	1.7
Other apparel services	4.5	5.7	3.8	2.6	3.2	3.5	8.3	3.7	3.5	2.5	1.6
Transportation	3.2	2.3	-6.5	6.7	2.9	4.0	10.4	-1.7	3.0	2.0	3.4
Private	2.9	2.2	-7.3	6.9	2.9	3.9	10.1	-1.7	2.8	1.5	3.9
New vehicles	2.6	3.6	5.6	1.8	2.3	2.7	2.0	3.3	2.5	3.4	1.6
New cars	2.3	3.5	5.8	1.7	2.2	2.4	1.3	3.2	2.3	2.9	1.1
Subcompact new cars	-	-	-	1.8	2.4	1.2	.2	3.8	2.7	3.5	1.6
Compact new cars	-	-	-	1.2	1.3	2.3	1.6	2.4	.5	3.1	1.7
Intermediate new cars	-	-	-	.4	1.5	3.9	1.6	3.4	2.2	2.2	1.4
Full-size new cars	-	-	-	3.1	2.4	3.3	1.3	3.4	1.5	3.2	.5
Luxury new cars	-	-	-	3.8	5.2	2.2	2.7	2.3	3.8	2.1	.3
New trucks	3.4	4.6	4.3	1.3	2.3	3.5	4.0	3.5	2.7	4.6	2.5
New motorcycles	-	-	-	4.0	5.2	4.3	2.9	5.4	4.2	7.3	6.0
Used cars	7.0	-1.8	-5.1	8.8	3.4	-.5	-2.2	2.8	7.9	8.1	4.2
Motor fuel	-2.4	3.2	-30.7	18.5	-2.0	6.8	36.3	-15.9	1.4	-5.3	9.6
Gasoline	-2.6	3.2	-30.8	18.7	-1.8	6.5	36.7	-16.0	1.6	-5.9	10.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-2.6	3.4	-31.7	18.5	-2.5	5.6	38.7	-16.6	1.5	-6.7	11.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-1.2	2.1	-26.7	15.6	-.7	6.3	31.9	-14.5	1.5	-4.8	8.0
Automobile maintenance and repair	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.5	3.7	3.1	2.4
Body work	3.8	3.8	4.0	5.5	4.3	5.9	4.1	2.4	2.9	2.6	2.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	3.9	3.3	4.3	3.1	4.4	4.9	5.5	4.3	4.4	4.0	3.4
Maintenance and servicing	2.8	2.5	3.9	3.7	3.1	3.1	3.9	5.4	2.1	2.1	.9
Power plant repair	3.2	4.6	2.7	3.5	4.1	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.7	3.6	2.6
Other private transportation	5.7	3.9	5.2	4.5	6.9	4.9	5.4	3.5	1.8	2.0	2.0
Other private transportation commodities	-3.2	-.2	-.7	1.7	2.6	2.0	1.3	1.6	-.8	-1.3	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	1.9	1.3	-.6	-2.0	8.7	-.3	7.0	1.0	-.4	.3	3.1
Automobile parts and equipment	-4.0	-.4	-.7	1.9	2.0	2.2	.9	1.5	-.8	-1.5	-.6
Tires	-6.1	-.6	-1.7	1.5	3.8	2.1	-.2	2.2	-.4	-1.5	.4
Other parts and equipment	1.0	.2	1.2	2.5	.5	2.3	1.7	1.0	-1.1	-1.6	-1.4
Other private transportation services	7.5	4.7	6.2	5.3	7.9	5.5	6.3	3.9	2.3	2.5	2.5
Automobile insurance	7.8	12.0	11.7	5.6	8.1	6.0	7.7	8.1	6.5	4.9	.5
Automobile finance charges	6.8	-8.5	-7.2	6.0	8.5	4.3	.2	-7.0	-14.1	-6.3	12.0
Automobile fees	7.4	2.8	5.5	3.3	5.8	5.7	9.8	3.6	6.1	2.2	1.5
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	8.2	1.9	3.2	1.6	6.1	6.2	16.0	4.7	5.9	2.5	.3
Other automobile-related fees	5.9	4.7	9.3	5.5	5.6	4.9	2.1	2.0	6.4	1.8	3.1
Public transportation	6.7	4.5	6.4	1.6	3.4	3.7	15.5	-1.7	5.2	10.0	-2.0
Airline fares	6.3	6.0	5.4	1.1	3.1	5.2	22.8	-5.8	6.2	17.2	-4.2
Other intercity transportation	11.3	6.6	4.9	2.1	6.9	2.7	6.3	3.3	.8	-3.7	2.9
Intracity public transportation	6.6	3.3	7.3	2.2	2.7	1.9	7.8	3.7	4.9	3.0	.5

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories—Continued

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sept.
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Expenditure category											
Medical care	6.2	6.7	7.6	6.1	7.0	8.3	9.1	7.8	6.8	5.2	3.7
Medical care commodities	7.4	6.1	6.6	7.0	6.7	8.2	8.5	7.3	5.0	3.0	2.2
Prescription drugs	10.0	8.1	8.9	8.1	7.7	9.5	10.0	9.4	5.6	3.2	2.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	-	-	-	5.3	4.8	5.8	5.8	3.3	4.2	2.6	1.2
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	6.2	4.6	5.0	6.0	5.0	5.3	6.1	2.6	4.3	2.6	.6
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	5.1	4.6	4.5	2.9	4.7	7.2	4.9	5.7	3.7	2.8	3.3
Medical care services	5.9	6.9	7.7	6.0	7.1	8.4	9.2	7.9	7.1	5.7	4.0
Professional medical services	6.3	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.7	6.2	5.8	4.4	3.7
Physicians' services	6.0	6.9	7.6	6.5	7.5	7.2	7.4	5.5	6.3	5.0	3.5
Dental services	7.6	5.3	5.4	7.2	6.7	6.5	6.5	8.3	5.7	4.4	4.1
Eye care	-	-	-	5.3	4.3	3.6	4.6	3.5	3.7	2.1	2.9
Services by other medical professionals	-	-	-	5.0	5.5	5.8	4.8	5.2	3.6	3.1	4.1
Hospital and related services	7.4	4.9	7.1	7.0	10.8	11.2	10.6	9.1	8.8	7.4	4.3
Hospital rooms	7.1	4.6	7.2	6.5	10.0	10.5	9.7	8.7	8.8	7.3	4.3
Other inpatient services	-	-	-	7.4	12.7	11.6	11.2	9.1	8.2	7.6	4.1
Outpatient services	-	-	-	7.2	9.2	12.0	11.3	9.9	9.7	7.6	4.3
Entertainment	4.0	2.8	3.5	3.9	4.5	5.1	3.8	3.8	2.7	2.7	1.7
Entertainment commodities	3.2	1.9	2.4	3.6	4.4	3.5	2.5	3.4	1.9	1.8	1.6
Reading materials	3.9	5.1	4.2	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.6	6.6	3.8	3.7	3.4
Newspapers	3.9	4.5	3.6	4.6	4.9	3.9	4.9	9.6	4.3	4.4	3.8
Magazines, periodicals, and books	4.0	5.9	4.9	2.9	3.8	5.2	4.4	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.1
Sporting goods and equipment	3.1	1.2	-9	3.5	4.4	3.0	.5	3.4	.9	.8	.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	4.0	2.3	-1.5	2.9	3.9	4.0	.1	2.2	2.6	1.1	-5
Other sporting goods	.3	-1.7	.6	4.2	4.9	1.7	1.2	5.3	-1.4	.3	1.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	2.8	.6	3.2	3.4	4.6	3.1	2.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	2.1	-5	2.6	3.8	4.2	2.2	1.6	1.1	2.9	1.6	1.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	3.9	.2	6.0	6.4	6.2	3.5	1.5	1.1	2.3	1.8	-1.7
Pet supplies and expense	3.4	2.6	2.2	2.2	4.5	4.3	3.7	1.7	-.8	.6	1.7
Entertainment services	5.6	4.3	5.4	4.3	4.6	6.9	5.3	4.4	3.7	3.6	2.0
Club memberships	-	-	-	2.0	8.3	4.3	4.7	3.8	2.2	3.6	.5
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships	-	-	-	6.9	5.9	7.7	5.5	4.4	4.8	8.2	-1.1
Admissions	7.2	4.3	5.2	6.4	3.7	9.8	5.0	4.8	3.8	2.0	3.6
Fees for lessons or instructions	-	-	-	5.3	5.0	8.1	5.4	5.9	5.3	4.0	4.2
Other entertainment services	-	-	-	1.6	3.5	4.5	5.8	3.9	3.0	2.6	2.0
Other goods and services	5.6	6.1	5.3	6.2	7.1	8.6	7.7	8.1	6.4	1.6	3.6
Tobacco and smoking products	4.9	7.3	5.9	7.9	9.5	14.4	10.7	11.3	8.3	-5.9	2.6
Personal care	3.7	3.6	2.5	3.2	5.1	3.8	4.2	2.6	3.1	2.4	1.5
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	2.6	3.4	2.5	2.9	5.6	2.6	4.3	2.8	3.7	1.5	1.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.9	5.3	2.1	5.8	3.0	1.8	4.5	1.0
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	2.3	3.4	2.3	2.8	5.8	3.0	3.2	2.8	4.8	-.4	1.7
Personal care services	4.9	3.7	2.6	3.6	4.4	5.2	4.3	2.2	2.5	3.5	1.6
Beauty parlor services for females	4.9	3.5	2.5	3.6	4.4	5.5	4.5	2.0	2.1	3.8	1.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	4.8	4.4	2.7	3.7	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.7	2.2	2.1
Personal and educational expenses	9.3	8.0	7.8	6.6	6.5	7.1	7.1	8.0	6.3	6.4	4.8
School books and supplies	8.3	9.1	7.5	7.6	6.5	7.8	6.8	6.0	5.7	3.8	3.7
Personal and educational services	9.4	7.9	7.9	6.5	6.6	7.0	7.1	8.2	6.3	6.6	4.9
Tuition and other school fees	10.3	8.5	7.6	7.5	7.4	8.0	7.7	9.1	7.5	6.7	5.3
College tuition	10.6	8.7	7.0	7.0	7.4	8.4	8.4	11.7	9.2	7.4	6.0
Elementary and high school tuition	9.7	7.9	8.7	9.5	8.4	8.8	8.6	7.7	8.0	5.7	5.6
Day care and nursery school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	4.2	5.3	4.3
Personal expenses	6.3	5.9	8.8	4.7	5.1	5.6	6.0	6.5	4.2	6.4	4.1
Legal service fees	-	-	-	5.2	4.4	6.0	4.6	6.2	3.4	7.8	1.4
Personal financial services	-	-	-	4.5	6.9	5.6	7.8	7.6	5.2	6.5	8.2
Funeral expenses	-	-	-	4.6	4.8	5.0	6.5	6.1	3.8	5.2	4.2
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	3.5	2.0	3.3	3.6	6.0	6.6	6.3	1.3	1.7	3.5	.7
Selected beef cuts	4.0	.7	.1	6.4	4.0	7.0	8.3	-1.1	.2	3.5	-2.0
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	-2.4	3.2	-30.1	17.9	-1.7	6.7	35.7	-15.6	1.5	-5.3	9.5
Utilities and public transportation	5.1	1.8	.2	1.2	3.5	2.6	4.2	3.6	3.0	3.9	1.6
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	2.8	4.0	1.7	1.7	4.2	1.3	4.4	6.8	3.4	1.8	1.9

- Data not available.

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

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

Area, region and population size class	Utility (pipel) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon (3.785 liters)	
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994
U.S. city average	\$30.112	\$29.993	\$64.322	\$64.085	\$49.622	\$49.514	\$0.894	\$0.894
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	38.534	38.484	78.940	78.657	64.299	64.508	.892	.892
Size A - More than 1,200,000	39.213	39.102	79.744	79.409	67.510	67.630	.950	.948
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	35.347	35.957	76.550	76.592	58.303	59.297	.798	.796
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	35.221	35.344	75.937	76.065	50.842	50.871	.838	.844
North Central urban	27.318	27.099	55.345	55.057	46.795	46.308	.854	.852
Size A - More than 1,200,000	27.541	27.139	55.791	54.923	49.462	48.565	.874	.865
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	29.110	27.377	59.103	54.763	46.329	46.233	.873	.880
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	25.926	28.017	52.896	58.533	42.199	42.282	.814	.821
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	25.244	25.561	50.932	52.755	42.485	41.317	NA	NA
South urban	29.509	29.367	61.812	61.454	43.352	43.323	.929	.924
Size A - More than 1,200,000	30.071	29.707	61.792	61.070	46.054	45.805	.993	.994
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	29.982	30.880	61.527	63.655	44.368	44.205	.887	.866
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	29.157	28.757	62.296	61.078	41.864	42.319	NA	NA
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	26.514	26.494	60.440	60.412	37.550	37.562	.942	.941
West urban	27.692	27.720	68.408	68.479	50.886	50.939	.945	.989
Size A - More than 1,250,000	27.673	27.707	70.141	70.227	51.462	51.462	.932	.987
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	22.675	22.444	51.919	51.342	35.493	35.398	.970	.994
Size classes								
A	30.790	30.567	65.889	65.374	53.332	53.018	.945	.945
B	30.894	30.693	66.420	65.662	48.613	48.693	.827	.819
C	27.476	27.906	58.795	59.901	42.355	42.594	.848	.855
D	25.925	26.107	54.059	55.167	41.704	41.492	.818	.815
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	33.175	32.722	62.642	61.456	48.155	47.626	1.025	1.025
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	29.272	29.272	74.115	74.115	62.325	62.325	NA	NA
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	46.469	46.347	93.065	92.659	75.886	76.063	.991	.990
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	33.649	33.656	75.116	75.121	60.702	60.702	.891	.890
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	26.652	26.752	74.320	74.588	63.294	63.294	NA	NA
Baltimore, MD	27.770	27.510	57.420	56.790	53.590	53.590	.969	.968
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	33.941	33.941	66.233	66.233	59.655	59.655	.895	.895
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	24.205	23.761	53.689	52.606	62.268	62.880	NA	NA
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	40.295	39.605	89.973	88.534	41.969	41.969	NA	NA
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	28.388	29.016	52.406	52.933	52.529	52.297	NA	NA
Washington, DC-MD-VA	36.636	35.741	76.124	75.862	45.162	45.158	1.021	1.025
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	27.716	27.951	60.224	60.818	47.269	41.450	NA	NA
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	23.578	23.613	49.608	49.649	49.354	49.354	.933	.920
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	26.700	25.410	52.200	48.990	43.766	43.766	NA	NA
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	37.176	37.823	69.939	71.304	51.224	51.224	NA	NA

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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 Sept. 1994		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Sept. 1994	
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Low	High	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.640	\$0.639	1	2,800	\$0.096	\$0.096	5	7,152
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	.808	.805	1	2,800	.125	.125	88	5,672
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.822	.816	5	597	.132	.132	88	3,845
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	.786	.818	1	505	.113	.115	173	5,672
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.715	.717	14	500	.091	.091	256	3,680
North Central urban	.517	.515	3	1,309	.086	.086	5	5,035
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.507	.502	3	1,292	.094	.093	5	5,035
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	.598	.554	20	356	.076	.076	257	4,517
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.506	.566	12	623	.077	.077	39	3,626
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.536	.532	22	1,309	.079	.081	100	2,397
South urban	.699	.696	3	1,230	.085	.085	30	6,349
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.697	.689	3	442	.092	.091	30	6,349
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.695	.717	5	1,230	.087	.085	112	5,260
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.736	.727	3	589	.079	.079	94	4,074
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.605	.602	5	283	.074	.075	32	5,536
West urban	.678	.679	3	1,557	.101	.101	75	7,152
Size A - More than 1,250,000	.691	.692	3	1,557	.101	.101	75	7,152
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.509	.504	24	420	.076	.076	82	5,432
Size classes								
A	.644	.640	3	1,557	.104	.103	5	7,152
B	.695	.692	1	1,230	.091	.091	112	5,672
C	.615	.630	3	623	.080	.080	39	5,432
D	.562	.558	5	2,800	.082	.083	32	5,536
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	.480	.467	3	931	.090	.089	157	3,563
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	.746	.746	3	447	.122	.122	75	3,125
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.961	.956	5	579	.149	.149	88	3,073
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	.772	.772	20	474	.130	.130	216	3,845
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.715	.718	15	293	.131	.131	200	1,746
Baltimore, MD	.615	.609	34	125	.101	.101	541	4,252
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.707	.707	16	232	.115	.115	279	1,533
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.546	.536	16	555	.124	.125	166	2,238
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.057	1.041	3	100	.083	.083	142	3,788
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	.514	.518	46	1,292	.099	.099	172	2,744
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.817	.810	6	442	.097	.100	30	3,763
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.759	.765	12	46	.086	.074	275	6,349
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.488	.489	27	824	.100	.100	63	3,174
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.618	.586	19	166	.096	.095	319	3,810
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.692	.692	72	597	.094	.094	210	2,690

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Table P3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas
(Per gallon/3.785 liters)

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline All types ¹		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded midgrade		Gasoline Unleaded premium	
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994
U.S. city average	\$1.243	\$1.237	\$1.182	\$1.177	\$1.289	\$1.280	\$1.367	\$1.364
Region and area size ²								
Northeast urban	1.253	1.261	1.176	1.184	1.303	1.312	1.383	1.394
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.252	1.261	1.170	1.176	1.312	1.324	1.389	1.400
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.265	1.281	1.203	1.217	1.301	1.314	1.383	1.403
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	1.239	1.247	1.172	1.185	1.272	1.263	1.354	1.363
North Central urban	1.236	1.203	1.193	1.165	1.274	1.238	1.359	1.321
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.260	1.225	1.212	1.185	1.312	1.276	1.385	1.352
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	1.235	1.156	1.189	1.108	1.256	1.184	1.388	1.308
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	1.208	1.190	1.174	1.154	1.240	1.217	1.316	1.300
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.184	1.177	1.146	1.156	1.202	1.190	1.286	1.231
South urban	1.207	1.205	1.131	1.131	1.247	1.242	1.322	1.324
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.214	1.222	1.135	1.143	1.259	1.270	1.335	1.344
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	1.240	1.230	1.150	1.144	1.258	1.231	1.333	1.333
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	1.180	1.174	1.122	1.117	1.245	1.240	1.296	1.288
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.166	1.172	1.098	1.104	1.194	1.203	1.303	1.308
West urban	1.293	1.295	1.243	1.248	1.382	1.382	1.437	1.441
Size A - More than 1,250,000	1.312	1.315	1.253	1.258	1.413	1.413	1.454	1.460
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	1.276	1.272	1.237	1.236	1.290	1.288	1.413	1.399
Size classes								
A	1.263	1.260	1.200	1.197	1.322	1.320	1.393	1.393
B	1.243	1.231	1.178	1.165	1.275	1.250	1.354	1.350
C	1.211	1.204	1.160	1.154	1.254	1.245	1.327	1.319
D	1.200	1.198	1.145	1.152	1.217	1.216	1.317	1.301
Selected local areas ³								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	1.340	1.332	1.275	1.269	1.380	1.372	1.466	1.451
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.317	1.314	1.249	1.253	1.437	1.433	1.447	1.453
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	1.278	1.290	1.177	1.189	1.317	1.331	1.406	1.419
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.249	1.250	1.146	1.132	NA	NA	1.327	1.340
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.319	1.323	1.250	1.254	1.384	1.384	1.483	1.483
Baltimore, MD	1.223	1.240	1.152	1.172	1.266	1.285	1.355	1.365
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1.181	1.195	1.140	1.153	1.248	1.256	1.347	1.358
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1.215	1.155	1.179	1.116	1.266	1.205	1.353	1.308
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.317	1.330	1.239	1.246	1.380	1.387	1.435	1.465
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1.199	1.168	1.132	1.106	1.279	1.242	1.339	1.299
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1.220	1.229	1.134	1.148	1.266	1.275	1.341	1.349
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.193	1.210	1.127	1.143	1.208	1.230	1.299	1.314
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	1.209	1.139	1.169	1.117	1.269	1.205	1.342	1.280
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.183	1.173	1.109	1.102	1.248	1.239	1.313	1.294
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	1.268	1.256	1.197	1.169	1.304	1.297	1.410	1.400

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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	
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$0.238	\$0.237	NA	NA	\$0.217	\$0.227	\$0.253	\$0.249	\$0.218	\$0.215
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.546	.534	NA	NA	NA	NA	.503	.473	.545	.536
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.875	.873	0.886	0.862	.782	.814	.843	.849	1.003	.991
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.753	.776	.835	.845	.797	.816	.647	.682	.808	.826
Bread, French, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	1.521	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.144	1.139	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.112	1.148	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.601	2.611	NA	NA	2.739	2.743	NA	NA	NA	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.418	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.268	1.291	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.841	1.853	1.690	1.703	1.930	1.859	1.903	1.931	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.460	1.463	NA	NA	1.479	1.423	1.392	1.429	1.360	1.401
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.123	2.145	2.245	2.218	1.979	2.019	2.062	2.107	2.187	2.221
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.165	2.192	NA	NA	2.167	2.089	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.226	2.129	NA	NA	2.279	2.153	2.282	2.121	2.148	2.109
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.466	2.431	2.673	2.694	2.459	2.396	2.283	2.238	NA	NA
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.938	3.016	3.049	3.064	2.879	2.904	2.869	3.038	2.946	3.138
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.704	2.741	NA	NA	2.503	2.579	2.651	2.838	2.816	2.754
Rib roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.837	4.652	4.811	4.667	NA	NA	4.851	NA	NA	NA
Steak, T-Bone, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.658	5.765	NA	NA	5.703	5.721	5.513	5.735	NA	NA
Steak, rib eye, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.326	6.282	NA	NA	6.268	6.402	6.346	6.291	NA	NA
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.163	3.295	3.536	3.576	3.079	3.030	2.938	3.238	2.945	3.344
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.072	3.080	NA	NA	2.700	3.064	3.058	3.084	3.192	3.081
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	3.745	3.932	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.798	3.694	NA	NA	4.242	3.737	3.679	3.792	3.663	3.602
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.228	4.265	4.665	4.760	3.803	3.843	4.301	4.250	4.234	4.362
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.702	2.669	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.542	2.538	NA	NA	2.479	2.530	2.554	2.499	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.987	1.973	2.247	2.261	2.007	2.011	1.815	1.752	1.818	1.821
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.231	3.175	3.222	3.231	3.120	3.021	3.245	3.200	3.391	3.274
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.694	1.664	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.755	1.804	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.621	2.585	NA	NA	2.283	2.272	3.038	2.888	2.407	2.444
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.115	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.046	NA	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.942	1.959	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.855	1.941	NA	NA
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.168	2.122	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.929	1.824	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.233	2.254	NA	NA	2.140	2.128	2.173	2.197	2.273	2.331
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.905	.901	1.041	1.017	.903	.878	.792	.806	.969	.979
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.060	2.059	2.166	2.267	1.905	1.838	1.970	1.990	2.189	2.092
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.121	1.163	1.127	1.190	1.074	1.050	1.107	1.083	1.192	1.431
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.023	1.044	1.055	1.093	.962	.997	1.056	1.059	NA	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.015	2.033	2.107	2.117	1.979	1.982	1.930	1.972	2.110	2.089
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	.895	.855	1.140	1.076	.819	.784	.845	.821	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.104	1.094

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	
	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994	Aug. 1994	Sept. 1994
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	1.440	1.410	1.341	1.332	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.546	1.500
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.633	1.648	1.711	1.723	1.570	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.096	3.048	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.381	3.390	NA	NA	NA	3.330	3.475	3.511	NA	NA
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	2.646	2.663	2.795	2.817	2.615	2.571	2.400	2.518	2.738	2.728
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm)	.611	.602	NA	NA	.659	.634	.608	.591	NA	NA
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.881	.874	.932	.953	.823	.803	.927	.953	.863	.824
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.480	.453	.522	.500	.460	.425	.432	.408	.530	.501
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.606	.584	.726	.650	.620	.574	.625	.652	.511	.508
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.609	.647	.674	.740	.622	.634	.572	.599	.545	.586
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.148	1.136	1.259	1.320	1.072	1.126	1.209	1.122	1.028	.960
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.450	1.503	1.495	1.590	1.200	1.231	1.585	1.527	1.467	1.596
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.857	.915	.857	.914	.740	.946	1.080	1.024	.800	.824
Pears, Anjou, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. (340.2 gm)	1.108	1.209	1.133	1.246	1.089	1.089	1.145	1.271	1.024	1.255
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.389	.355	.479	.423	.334	.299	.422	.368	.342	.341
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.531	.617	.606	.657	.510	.583	.577	.675	.415	.538
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.969	.958	1.168	1.201	.927	.888	.984	.963	.783	.770
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.336	.371	NA	NA	.320	NA	.388	.396	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.462	.456	.556	.524	.440	.398	.496	.509	.381	.397
Celery, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.519	.520	NA	NA	NA	NA	.532	NA	NA	NA
Corn on the cob, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.475	.481	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.467	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.440	.419	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.993	.938	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml)	1.578	1.594	1.778	1.898	1.454	1.440	1.504	1.461	1.515	1.530
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.856	.870	NA	NA	.925	.884	.823	.833	.761	.784
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.397	.403	.482	.482	.353	.364	.390	.401	.392	.389
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg. per lb. (453.6 gm)	.368	.378	.395	.395	.340	.355	.373	.389	.375	.377
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.846	.832	NA	NA	.857	.797	.842	.827	.892	.878
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.159	1.156	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.852	.847	1.048	1.034	.871	.866	.784	.784	.774	.764
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.860	1.824	1.955	1.871	1.813	1.767	NA	NA	NA	NA
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) ²	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.480	4.458	4.575	4.836	4.438	4.188	4.177	4.186	4.611	4.469
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm)	2.992	2.965	3.104	3.035	2.808	2.823	3.150	3.095	2.889	2.897

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.² Deposit may be included in price.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Energy Prices

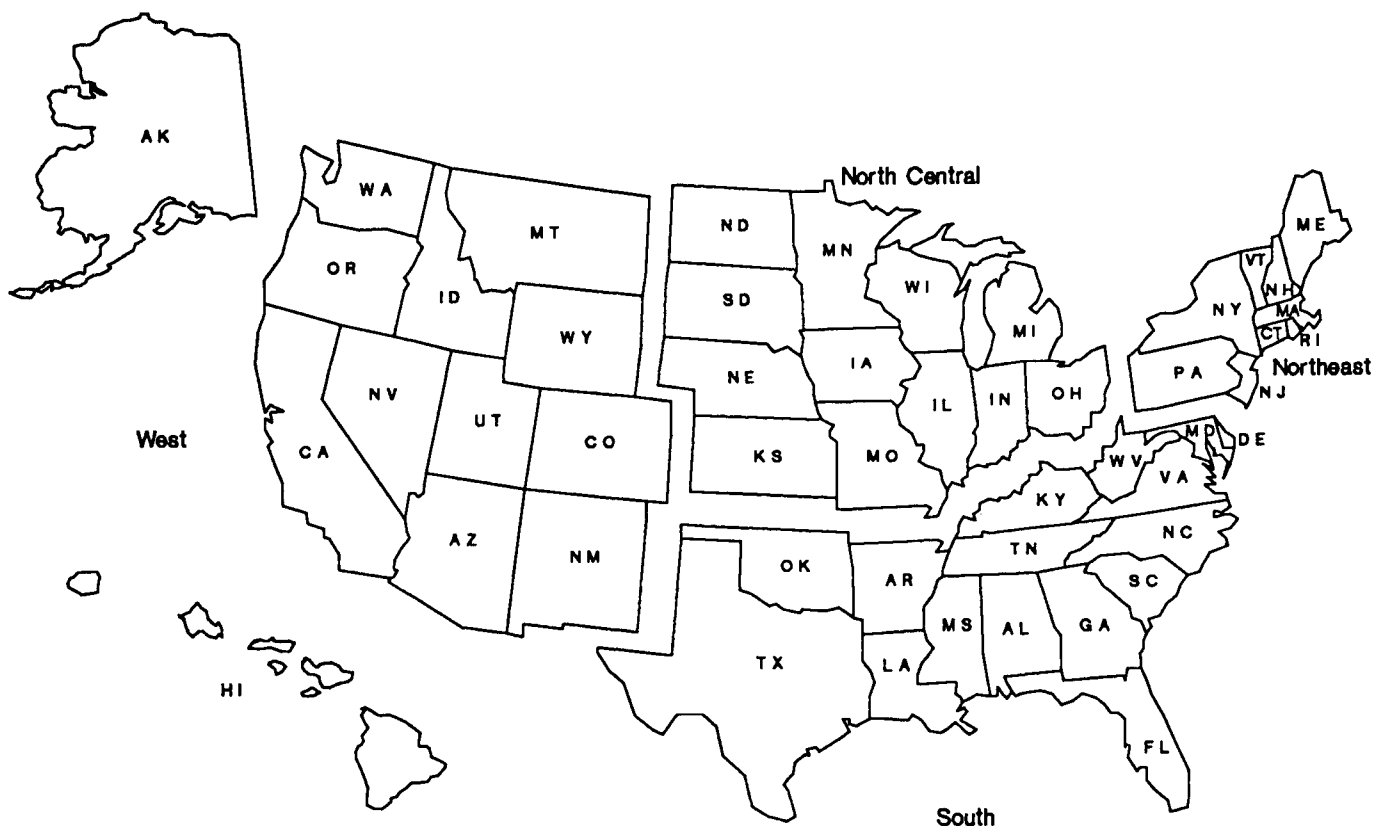
Prices are usually available for the U.S. city average, 15 large metropolitan areas, the four census regions, four size classifications, and 13 areas reflecting the four Census regions cross-classified by the four population sizes. However, not all energy commodities and services are used in every area 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 appears. This designation also appears 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 price 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 residen-

Census Regions



tial 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 prices for food 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 appears. When a price is not available from an individual store in any month, as 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 is not published and NA appears 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.

Adjustment of Shelter Indexes for Aging Effects

Beginning with January 1988 CPI, the Bureau of Labor Statistics adjusts 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 affect 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 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 unit.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.

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.

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, 162-78. These papers are available from the BLS on request.

² For detail on existing quality adjustment methods, see *BLS Handbook of Methods*, chapter 19 (BLS Bulletin 2414).

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

In most cases, 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, for example, data from 1987 through 1991 were replaced at the end of 1991. The seasonal movement of all items and 47 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 60 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. Occasionally, a component changes its seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted. When this occurs, not seasonally adjusted data are used for the last 5 years, but before that period the seasonally adjusted indexes remain in calculations of higher-level seasonally adjusted indexes.

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 in conjunction with X-11-ARIMA 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 in X-11-ARIMA.

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, new trucks, and new vehicles, this procedure was used to offset the effects of changes in marketing strategies and the introduction of new models. For the tobacco and smoking products index, this procedure was used to offset the effects of increases in excise taxes and wholesale tobacco prices. For some alcoholic beverage series, intervention was used to offset the effects of excise tax increases.

An alternative to the intervention-adjusted X-11-ARIMA procedure is the state space model-based seasonal adjustment method. This method adjusts simultaneously for interventions and seasonal effects, rather than sequentially as in the X-11-ARIMA methodology, using structural statistical models with explanatory variables. The state space structural model-based method of seasonal adjustment was introduced in 1992 for the adjustment of January 1991-December 1991 indexes for three women's apparel series: Dresses, separates and sportswear, and suits.

A description of intervention analysis, including a list of

events treated as interventions and the seasonal factors for these items may be obtained by writing the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Room 3615, Washington, DC 20212-0001 or by calling Claire McAnaw at (202) 606-6968.

Metropolitan Areas

BLS publishes five major metropolitan areas monthly:

Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA
New York-Northern NJ-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Trenton PA-NJ-DE-MD
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA

Data for additional 10 metropolitan areas are published every other month [on an odd (January, March, etc.) or even (February, April etc.) month schedule] for the following areas:

Baltimore, MD	-odd
Boston-Lawrence—Salem, MA-NH	-odd
Cleveland-Akron—Lorain, OH	-odd
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	-even
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	-even
Houston, TX	-even
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-odd
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	-even
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	-odd
Washington, DC-MD-VA	-odd

(Note: The designation even or odd refers to the month during which the area's price change is measured. Due to the time needed for processing, data are released 2 to 3 weeks in to the following month.)

Data are published for another group of 12 metropolitan areas on a semiannual basis. These indexes, which refer to the arithmetic average for the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, are published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, in August and February for:

Anchorage, AK	Kansas City, MO-KS
Atlanta, GA	Milwaukee, WI
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	Minneapolis-St. Paul MN-WI
Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN	Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA
Denver-Boulder, CO	San Diego, CA
Honolulu, HI	Seattle-Tacoma, WA

Finally, BLS recently began publication of CPI's for two metropolitan areas on an annual basis. These indexes represent the arithmetic averages for the 12-monthly period from January through December of each year. They are published with the release of the CPI for January, i.e., in February. These areas are:

New Orleans, LA
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL

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BAUD RATE:	300-14,400 bps
DATA BITS:	8
STOP BITS:	1

PARITY: NONE
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TERMINAL TYPE: ANSI, VT100, or ANSI-BBS

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